

12)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e^{-n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{e^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{e}\right)^n$  **CONVERGES** since it is a GEOMETRIC SERIES WITH  $|r| < 1$ .

13)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n+1}$  **DIVERGES** BY THE DIVERGENCE TEST SINCE  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n+1} = 1 \neq 0$ ,

14)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{5}{n+1}$  **DIVERGES** SINCE IT'S A MULTIPLE OF THE HARMONIC SERIES WITH 1 TERM DELETED,

15)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{\sqrt{n}}$  **DIVERGES** SINCE IT'S A MULTIPLE OF A P-SERIES WITH  $P \leq 1$ ,

16)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{-2}{n^{3/2}}$  **CONVERGES** SINCE IT'S A MULTIPLE OF A P-SERIES WITH  $P > 1$ .

17)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n \sin \frac{1}{n}$  **DIVERGES** BY THE DIVERGENCE TEST SINCE

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \sin \frac{1}{n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin \frac{1}{n}}{\frac{1}{n}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1 \neq 0$  (if  $x = \frac{1}{n}$ , then  $x \rightarrow 0^+$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ )

18)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^2+1}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ , WHICH DIVERGES (HARMONIC SERIES):

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n^2+1} \div \frac{1}{n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2}{n^2+1} = 1 \neq 0$ , so  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^2+1}$  **DIVERGES** BY THE LCT.

19) if  $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2+1}$ , THEN  $f'(x) = \frac{(x^2+1) \cdot 1 - x \cdot 2x}{(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{1-x^2}{(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{(1-x)(1+x)}{(x^2+1)^2} < 0$  FOR  $x > 1$ ;

so  $f$  IS CONTINUOUS AND DECREASING FOR  $x \geq 1$ ,

SINCE  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{x}{x^2+1} dx = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^T \frac{x}{x^2+1} dx = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} \int_1^T \frac{2x}{x^2+1} dx$  ( $u = x^2+1$ ,  $u' = 2x$ )

$= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} [\ln(x^2+1)]_1^T = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} (\ln(T^2+1) - \ln 2) = \infty$ ,

$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{x}{x^2+1} dx$  DIVERGES AND THEREFORE  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^2+1}$  **DIVERGES** BY THE INTEGRAL TEST.

20) a)  $\int_2^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x(\ln x)^p} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_2^T \frac{dx}{x(\ln x)^p}$   $u = \ln x, du = \frac{1}{x} dx$

1) IF  $p = 1$ ,  $\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_2^T \frac{dx}{x \ln x} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\ln 2}^{\ln T} \frac{1}{u} du = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} [\ln u]_{\ln 2}^{\ln T} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} (\ln(\ln T) - \ln(\ln 2)) = \infty$

2) IF  $p \neq 1$ ,  $\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_2^T \frac{dx}{x(\ln x)^p} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\ln 2}^{\ln T} \frac{1}{u^p} du = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{u^{1-p}}{1-p} \right]_{\ln 2}^{\ln T}$

$= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1-p} ((\ln T)^{1-p} - (\ln 2)^{1-p}) = \begin{cases} \infty, & \text{if } 0 < p < 1 \\ \frac{1}{p-1} (\ln 2)^{1-p}, & \text{if } p > 1 \end{cases}$

THEREFORE  $\int_2^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x(\ln x)^p}$  CONVERGES IFF  $p > 1$ .

b) SINCE  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x(\ln x)^p}$  IS CONTINUOUS AND DECREASING FOR  $x \geq 2$ ,

$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^p}$  CONVERGES IF  $p > 1$  AND DIVERGES FOR  $0 < p \leq 1$  BY THE INTEGRAL TEST AND PART a).

②  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n-1}{n^4+2}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3}$ , WHICH CONVERGES SINCE IT IS A P-SERIES WITH  $P > 1$ :

$$\frac{n-1}{n^4+2} < \frac{n}{n^4+2} < \frac{n}{n^4} = \frac{1}{n^3} \quad \text{FOR } n \geq 1,$$

SO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n-1}{n^4+2}$  **CONVERGES** BY THE COMPARISON TEST.

④  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n+2}{n^2-n}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ , WHICH DIVERGES SINCE IT IS THE HARMONIC SERIES WITH 1 TERM DELETED:

$$\frac{n+2}{n^2-n} > \frac{n}{n^2-n} > \frac{n}{n^2} = \frac{1}{n} \quad \text{FOR } n \geq 2,$$

SO  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n+2}{n^2-n}$  **DIVERGES** BY THE COMPARISON TEST.

⑥  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n3^n}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n$ , WHICH CONVERGES SINCE IT IS A GEOMETRIC SERIES WITH  $|r| < 1$ :

$$\frac{1}{n3^n} \leq \frac{1}{3^n} \quad \text{FOR } n \geq 1,$$

SO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n3^n}$  **CONVERGES** BY THE COMPARISON TEST.

⑧  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{n+\sqrt{n}}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ , WHICH DIVERGES SINCE IT'S THE HARMONIC SERIES:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{n+\sqrt{n}} \div \frac{1}{n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n}{n+\sqrt{n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{1+\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}} = \frac{3}{1+0} = 3 \neq 0,$$

SO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{n+\sqrt{n}}$  **DIVERGES** BY THE LIMIT COMPARISON TEST.

(OR USE THE COMPARISON TEST, AND THE FACT THAT

$$\frac{3}{n+\sqrt{n}} \geq \frac{1}{n} \quad \text{IFF } 3n \geq n+\sqrt{n} \quad \text{IFF } 2n \geq \sqrt{n} \quad \text{IFF } 2\sqrt{n} \geq 1 \quad \text{IFF } 4n \geq 1 \quad \text{IFF } n \geq \frac{1}{4}$$

⑨  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 n}{2^n}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$ , WHICH CONVERGES SINCE IT IS A GEOMETRIC SERIES WITH  $|r| < 1$ :

$$0 \leq \sin^2 n \leq 1 \quad \text{FOR ALL } n, \quad \text{SO}$$

$$0 \leq \frac{\sin^2 n}{2^n} \leq \frac{1}{2^n} \quad \text{FOR ALL } n \quad \text{AND THEREFORE}$$

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 n}{2^n}$  **CONVERGES** BY THE COMPARISON TEST.

③  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos^2 n}{n^{3/2}}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}$ , WHICH CONVERGES SINCE IT IS A P-SERIES WITH  $P > 1$ :

$0 \leq \cos^2 n \leq 1$  FOR ALL  $n$ , SO  $0 \leq \frac{\cos^2 n}{n^{3/2}} \leq \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}$  FOR ALL  $n$

AND THEREFORE  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos^2 n}{n^{3/2}}$  **CONVERGES** BY THE COMPARISON TEST,

⑨  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n-2}{n^3-n^2+3}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2}$ , WHICH CONVERGES SINCE IT IS A P-SERIES WITH  $P > 1$ :

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-2}{n^3-n^2+3} \div \frac{1}{n^2} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^3-2n^2}{n^3-n^2+3} = 1 \neq \infty$ , SO

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n-2}{n^3-n^2+3}$  **CONVERGES** BY THE LIMIT COMPARISON TEST.

(OR) USE THE COMPARISON TEST AND THE FACT THAT  $\frac{n-2}{n^3-n^2+3} \leq \frac{1}{n^2}$  IFF  $n^3-2n^2 \leq n^3-n^2+3$  IFF  $-3 \leq n^2$ , WHICH IS TRUE FOR ALL  $n$ .

⑪  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n(n+1)}{(n^2+1)(n-1)}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n^2}{n^3} = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ , WHICH DIVERGES SINCE IT'S THE HARMONIC SERIES WITH ONE TERM DELETED:

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n(n+1)}{(n^2+1)(n-1)} \div \frac{1}{n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2(n+1)}{(n^2+1)(n-1)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^3+n^2}{n^3-n^2+n-1} = 1 > 0$ ,

SO  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n(n+1)}{(n^2+1)(n-1)}$  **DIVERGES** BY THE LIMIT COMPARISON TEST.

(OR) USE THE COMPARISON TEST AND THE FACT THAT  $\frac{n(n+1)}{(n^2+1)(n-1)} \geq \frac{1}{n}$  IFF  $n^2(n+1) \geq (n^2+1)(n-1)$  IFF  $n^3+n^2 \geq n^3-n^2+n-1$  IFF  $2n^2-n \geq -1$  IFF  $n(2n-1) \geq -1$ , WHICH IS TRUE FOR ALL  $n$ .

⑫  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2n}{3n-1}$   $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n}{3n-1} = \frac{2}{3} \neq 0$ ,

SO THE SERIES **DIVERGES** BY THE DIVERGENCE TEST.

(20)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 + \cos n}{n^2}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n^2}$ , WHICH CONVERGES SINCE IT'S A MULTIPLE OF A P-SERIES WITH  $P > 1$ !

$-1 \leq \cos n \leq 1$  FOR ALL  $n$ , SO

$0 \leq 1 + \cos n \leq 2$  FOR ALL  $n$  AND  $0 \leq \frac{1 + \cos n}{n^2} \leq \frac{2}{n^2}$  FOR ALL  $n$ .

THEREFORE  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 + \cos n}{n^2}$  **CONVERGES** BY THE COMPARISON TEST.\*

(25)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{n}{3n+1}\right)^n$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n$ , WHICH CONVERGES SINCE IT IS A GEOMETRIC SERIES WITH  $-1 < r < 1$ !

$\frac{n}{3n+1} < \frac{1}{3}$  FOR ALL  $n$ , SO  $\left(\frac{n}{3n+1}\right)^n < \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n$  FOR ALL  $n$  AND

THEREFORE  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{n}{3n+1}\right)^n$  **CONVERGES** BY THE COMPARISON TEST.

(27)  $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln(\ln n)}$  COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ , WHICH DIVERGES SINCE IT'S THE HARMONIC SERIES WITH 2 TERMS DELETED!

$\ln n < n$  FOR ALL  $n$ , SO  $\ln(\ln n) < \ln n < n$  FOR  $n \geq 2$  AND

THEREFORE  $\frac{1}{\ln(\ln n)} > \frac{1}{n}$  FOR  $n \geq 3$  (SINCE  $\ln(\ln n) > 0$  FOR  $n \geq 3$ )

THUS  $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln(\ln n)}$  **DIVERGES** BY THE COMPARISON TEST.

(OR USE THE LIMIT COMPARISON TEST, AND THE FACT THAT

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\ln(\ln n)} \div \frac{1}{n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{\ln(\ln n)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{\ln(\ln x)}$$

$$\stackrel{(818)}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\frac{1/x}{\ln x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x \ln x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \ln x = \infty \neq 0)$$

\*REMARK NOTICE THAT USING THE LCT TO COMPARE  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 + \cos n}{n^2}$  TO  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n^2}$  IN #20

WOULD NOT WORK,

SINCE  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 + \cos n)$  DOES NOT EXIST.

$$(32) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\ln(n+1)}{n+1} = \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{\ln n}{n}$$

COMPARE TO  $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ , WHICH DIVERGES SINCE IT'S THE HARMONIC SERIES WITH 2 TERMS DELETED;

$$\frac{\ln n}{n} \geq \frac{1}{n} \text{ IFF } \ln n \geq 1 \text{ IFF } n \geq e,$$

$$\text{SO } \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\ln(n+1)}{n+1} = \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{\ln n}{n} \quad \boxed{\text{DIVERGES}} \text{ BY THE COMPARISON TEST.}$$

$$(34) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{n}}{n^2+1} \quad \text{COMPARE TO } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}, \text{ WHICH CONVERGES SINCE IT IS A P-SERIES WITH } P > 1;$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{n}}{n^2+1} < \frac{\sqrt{n}}{n^2} = \frac{1}{n^{3/2}} \text{ FOR } n \geq 1, \text{ SO}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{n}}{n^2+1} \quad \boxed{\text{CONVERGES}} \text{ BY THE COMPARISON TEST.}$$

$$(40) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n + 3^n}{3^n + 4^n} \quad \text{COMPARE TO } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3^n}{4^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n, \text{ WHICH CONVERGES}$$

SINCE IT IS A GEOMETRIC SERIES WITH  $-1 < r < 1$ :

$$\frac{2^n + 3^n}{3^n + 4^n} \leq \frac{3^n}{4^n}$$

$$\text{IFF } (2^n + 3^n)4^n \leq (3^n + 4^n)3^n$$

$$\text{IFF } 8^n + 12^n \leq 9^n + 12^n \text{ IFF } 8^n \leq 9^n, \text{ WHICH IS TRUE FOR ALL } n;$$

$$\text{SO } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n + 3^n}{3^n + 4^n} \quad \boxed{\text{CONVERGES}} \text{ BY THE COMPARISON TEST.}$$

(OR USE THE LIMIT COMPARISON TEST, AND THE FACT THAT

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2^n + 3^n}{3^n + 4^n} \div \frac{3^n}{4^n} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{2^n}{3^n} + \frac{3^n}{3^n}}{\frac{3^n}{4^n} + \frac{4^n}{4^n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n + 1}{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n + 1} \\ &= \frac{0 + 1}{0 + 1} = 1 \neq \infty \end{aligned}$$