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1. Find the convergence radius  $R$  and the convergence interval  $I$  of the power series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(3x+2)^n}{2^n \ln(n+2)}$ .

A.  $R = 0, I = [0, 4/3]$  B.  $R = 3/2, I = [-3, 0)$  C.  $R = 1, I = (-2/3, 2/3]$  D.  $R = -2/3, I = (-4/3, 0)$

E.  $R = 2/3, I = (-4/3, 0]$  **F.**  $R = 2/3, I = [-4/3, 0)$  G.  $R = 3/2, I = [-4/3, 0)$  H. none of the above

$$\text{Let } a_n = \frac{(3x+2)^n}{2^n \ln(n+2)}, \text{ then } \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \left| \frac{3x+2}{2} \frac{\ln(n+2)}{\ln(n+3)} \right| \rightarrow \left| \frac{3x+2}{2} \right|,$$

so that by the ratio test the series converges for  $|3x+2| < 2$  and diverges for  $|3x+2| > 2$ . Thus, the endpoints of the

convergence interval are  $x_1 = -\frac{4}{3}, x_2 = 0$ , and

$$R = |x_2 - x_1|/2 = \frac{2}{3}. \text{ It remains to investigate the behaviour}$$

of the series at the endpoints. For  $x = -\frac{4}{3}, a_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{\ln(n+2)}$ ,

so that the series converges by the alternating test.

For  $x = 0, a_n = \frac{1}{\ln(n+2)}$ , and the series diverges.

2. By using differentiation or integration of power series find the power series representation  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$  of the function  $f(x) = 1/(2-x)^2$  at the point 0. What are its convergence interval  $I$  and the coefficient  $a_2$ ?

A.  $I = (-1, 1), a_2 = 3$  **B.**  $I = (-2, 2), a_2 = 3/16$  C.  $I = (-1, 1), a_2 = 3/4$  D.  $I = [-1, 1], a_2 = 3/8$

E.  $I = [-2, 2], a_2 = 3/16$  F.  $I = (-2, 2), a_2 = 3/8$  G.  $I = (-2, 2), a_2 = 3/4$  H. none of the above

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{(2-x)^2} = \left( \frac{1}{2-x} \right)', \text{ on the other hand,}$$

$$\frac{1}{2-x} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{1-\frac{x}{2}} = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{4} + \dots \right) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{x}{4} + \frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{x^3}{16} + \dots$$

on the interior  $\{x: |\frac{x}{2}| < 1\} = (-2, 2)$  of its interval of convergence. Thus, by differentiating the above series,

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{2}{8}x + \frac{3}{16}x^2 + \frac{4}{32}x^3 + \dots \text{ with the}$$

same radius of convergence as the original series.

For  $x = \pm 2, |a_n| \rightarrow \infty$ , whence the interval of

the power series representation of  $f$  is  $(-2, 2)$ .

3. What is the coefficient  $a_3$  of the Taylor series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$  of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{1-x}$  at the point 0? By using the Taylor series find the limit  $L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\sqrt{1-x} - 1 + x/2)/x^2$ .

- A.  $a_3 = 1/8, L = -1/8$  B.  $a_3 = 1/2, L = 1/16$  **C.  $a_3 = -1/16, L = -1/8$**  D.  $a_3 = 1/8, L = 1/16$   
 E.  $a_3 = 1/8, L = -1/4$  F.  $a_3 = 1/4, L = -1/4$  G.  $a_3 = -1/8, L = -1/16$  H. none of the above

$$f(x) = (1-x)^{1/2}, \text{ whence } f'(x) = -\frac{1}{2}(1-x)^{-1/2}, f''(x) = -\frac{1}{4}(1-x)^{-3/2},$$

$$f'''(x) = -\frac{3}{8}(1-x)^{-5/2} \text{ and } f(0) = 1, f'(0) = -\frac{1}{2}, f''(0) = -\frac{1}{4},$$

$$f'''(0) = -\frac{3}{8}, \text{ whence the Taylor series is}$$

$$\sqrt{1-x} \sim f \sim \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{8}x^2 - \frac{1}{16}x^3 - \dots, \text{ so that } a_3 = -\frac{1}{16}, \text{ and}$$

$$\left(\sqrt{1-x} - 1 + \frac{x}{2}\right)/x^2 \sim -\frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{16}x - \dots, \text{ so that } L = -\frac{1}{8}$$

4. By using the method of separable variables find the solution of the differential equation  $y' = -2xe^{-y}$  that satisfies the initial condition  $y(-2) = 0$ .

- A.  $y = \ln(5 - x^2)$**  B.  $y = \ln(x^2 - 5)$  C.  $y = e^{1-x^2}$  D.  $y = 1/x$  E.  $y = -2 \ln(x^2 + 1)$  F.  $y = e^{x/2}$   
 G.  $y = -\ln(1 - x^2/2)$  H.  $y = \ln(x + 3)$  I.  $y = \ln(x^2 - 3)$  J. none of the above

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -2x e^{-y} \Leftrightarrow e^y dy = -2x dx \Leftrightarrow \int e^y dy = -\int 2x dx + C$$

$$\Leftrightarrow e^y = -x^2 + C \Leftrightarrow y = \ln(-x^2 + C)$$

$$\text{Then } y(-2) = \ln(-(-2)^2 + C) = \ln(-4 + C) = 0, \text{ whence}$$

$$-4 + C = 1 \Rightarrow C = 5$$

5. Which of the following functions  $f = f(x, y)$  have the property that  $f_{xx} + f_{yy} = 0$ ?

(I)  $e^{-x^2+y^2}$ , (II)  $3x^2y + y^3$ , (III)  $\ln(x^2 + y^2)$ , (IV)  $e^x \sin y - e^{-y} \cos x$ ?

A. (II) and (IV) **B.** (III) and (IV) C. (I), (II) and (IV) D. (II), (III) and (IV) E. (I) and (III)  
F. none G. all H. none of the above

$$(I) (e^{-x^2+y^2})''_{xx} = (-2xe^{-x^2+y^2})'_x = -2e^{-x^2+y^2} + 4x^2e^{-x^2+y^2}$$

$$(e^{-x^2+y^2})''_{yy} = (2ye^{-x^2+y^2})'_y = 2e^{-x^2+y^2} + 4y^2e^{-x^2+y^2}$$

$$(II) (3x^2y + y^3)''_{xx} = 6y, \quad (3x^2y + y^3)''_{yy} = 6y$$

$$(III) (\ln(x^2+y^2))''_{xx} = \left(\frac{2x}{x^2+y^2}\right)'_x = \frac{2(x^2+y^2) - 2x \cdot 2x}{(x^2+y^2)^2} = \frac{-2x^2 + 2y^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2}$$

in the same way by symmetry  $(\ln(x^2+y^2))''_{yy} = \frac{-2y^2 + 2x^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2}$

$$(IV) (e^x \sin y - e^{-y} \cos x)''_{xx} = (e^x)''_{xx} \sin y - e^{-y} (\cos x)''_{xx} = e^x \sin y + e^{-y} \cos x$$

$$(e^x \sin y - e^{-y} \cos x)''_{yy} = e^x (\sin y)''_{yy} - (e^{-y})''_{yy} \cos x = -e^x \sin y - e^{-y} \cos x$$

6. By using the chain rule find the vector of partial derivatives  $(\frac{\partial z}{\partial s}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial t}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial u})$  for  $z = x^2 - xy^2$  with  $x = 2s + t - u$  and  $y = st^2u^2$  at the point  $(s, t, u) = (2, -1, 1)$ .

A. 0 B.  $(0, -8)$  C.  $(1, 4, -4)$  D.  $2x - 2xy$  E.  $(2s - t + u)^2 - (2s - t + u)(st^2u^2)^2$  F.  $(-8, -32, 32)$   
G.  $(2, -1, 1)$  **H.**  $(-8, 32, -32)$  I.  $(1, -4, 4)$  J. none of the above

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s}; \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t}; \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial u};$$

The partial derivatives of  $x$  and  $y$  at a general point  $(s, t, u)$  are

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial s} = 2, \quad \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} = 1, \quad \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} = -1, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = t^2u^2, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = 2stu^2, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} = 2st^2u,$$

$$\text{so that for } (s, t, u) = (2, -1, 1), \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = 1, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = -4, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} = 4$$

$$\text{Further, } \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}(x, y) = 2x - y^2, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}(x, y) = -2xy, \quad x(2, -1, 1) = 2, \quad y(2, -1, 1) = -2,$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}(2, -2) = 0, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}(2, -2) = -8. \quad \text{Thus,}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial s}(2, -1, 1) = -8, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial t}(2, -1, 1) = 32, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial u}(2, -1, 1) = -32$$

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