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convergence.

Q. Test the following series for absolute convergence $\rightarrow \frac{2^2}{1^2} - \frac{3}{2^2} + \frac{4}{3^2} - \frac{5}{4^2} + \dots$

$$\leq |u_n| = \frac{2}{1^2} + \frac{3}{2^2} + \frac{4}{3^2} + \frac{5}{4^2} + \dots$$

$$|u_n| = \frac{n+1}{n^2}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |u_n| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1+1}{n} \right) = \frac{1+1}{n}$$

$$v_n = \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{v_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1+1}{n} \right) = 1 \text{ (non-zero finite no.)}$$

$$\leq v_n = \leq \frac{1}{n}, \text{ which is divergent}$$

By comparison test $\sum |u_n|$ is also divergent.
Since $\sum |u_n|$ is not convergent.
Therefore, $\sum u_n$ is not absolutely convergent.

Q Show that the series $\sum \frac{\sin n\theta}{n^2}$ and $\sum \frac{\cos n\theta}{n^2}$ are absolutely convergent.

$$\sum \left| \frac{\sin n\theta}{n^2} \right| \leq \sum \frac{1}{n^2}, \text{ which is convergent by } p\text{-series test.}$$

Therefore, $\sum \left| \frac{\sin n\theta}{n^2} \right|$ is also convergent.

Hence, $\sum \frac{\sin n\theta}{n^2}$ is absolutely convergent.

$$\text{Similarly, } \sum \left| \frac{\cos n\theta}{n^2} \right| \leq \sum \frac{1}{n^2}$$

$\Rightarrow \sum \left| \frac{\cos n\theta}{n^2} \right|$ is convergent.

$\Rightarrow \sum \frac{\cos n\theta}{n^2}$ is absolutely convergent.

Rearrangement of Series

If the terms of an absolutely convergent series are rearranged the series remains convergent and its sum is unaltered.

$$\text{Eg} \rightarrow \text{let } S = 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \dots$$

$$\& S' = \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{8} \right) + \dots \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$S' = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{8} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{10} - \frac{1}{12} \right) + \dots \quad \text{--- (2)}$$