

* Weierstrass M-test ~ (Series)

Theorem ~ A series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n(x)$ converges uniformly in $a \leq x \leq b$ if there exist a convergent series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} M_n$ of positive constant such that

$$|U_n(x)| \leq M_n, \forall x \in [a, b], \forall n \geq 1.$$

Proof: Since $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} M_n$ is convergent, therefore for $\epsilon > 0$, \exists a positive integer N such that

$$\sum_{n=N+1}^{N+p} M_n < \epsilon, \forall \text{ positive integral value of } p. \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

It is given that $|U_n(x)| \leq M_n, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, x \in [a, b]$ --- (2)

$$\text{Now, } \left| \sum_{n=N+1}^{N+p} U_n(x) \right| \leq \sum_{n=N+1}^{N+p} |U_n(x)| \leq$$

$$\sum_{n=N+1}^{N+p} M_n < \epsilon \text{ (By eq. (2))}$$

$$\left| \sum_{n=N+1}^{N+p} U_n(x) \right| < \epsilon, \forall x \in [a, b], \forall \text{ positive integral value of } p.$$

As N is a positive integer independent of x , then by Cauchy general principle of uniform convergence.

The series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n(x)$ is uniformly convergent in $[a, b]$.

* M_n -Test (Sequence)

Theorem - Let $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of functions defined in $[a, b]$.

Let $\lim f_n(x) = f(x) \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$

Set $M_n = \sup \{|f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in [a, b]\}$

Then the sequence of $\{f_n(x)\}$ converges uniformly to f in $[a, b]$ iff $M_n \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

→ Necessary Part

Proof: Suppose sequence $\{f_n(x)\}$ converges uniformly to $f(x)$ in $[a, b]$, therefore $\epsilon > 0$ there exist a positive integer m independent of x , such that

$$|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m, \forall x \in [a, b]$$

It follows that

$$\sup \{|f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in [a, b]\} < \epsilon, \quad \forall n \geq m, \forall x \in [a, b]$$

or,

$$M_n < \epsilon, \quad \forall n \geq m$$

or,

$$M_n \rightarrow 0, \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

→ **Sufficient Part**

Conversely - Let $M_n \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.
For $\varepsilon > 0$, \exists a positive integer m
such that

$$M_n < \varepsilon, \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\Rightarrow \sup\{|f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in [a, b]\} < \varepsilon, \quad \forall n \geq m,$$

It follows that,

$$|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \varepsilon, \quad \forall x \in [a, b], \quad \forall n \geq m.$$

Hence, by definition of uniform convergence,
the $\{f_n(x)\}$ converges uniformly to
 f in $[a, b]$.

Ques Discuss the uniform convergence of the
series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+n^4 x^2}$, $\forall x \in [1, \infty)$.

By comparing with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n(x)$

$$U_n(x) = \frac{1}{1+n^4 x^2} \leq \frac{1}{1+n^4} \leq \frac{1}{n^4} = M_n$$

$$\sum \frac{1}{n^p}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^4} \quad p = 4 > 1.$$

Hence by Weierstrass M-test the given
series is uniformly convergent in $[1, \infty)$.

$p > 1$
convergent

$p < 1$
divergent

Que. Discuss the uniform convergence of the sequence of $\{f_n(x)\}$ where $f_n(x) = nx(1-x)^n$
 $\forall x \in [0, 1]$

$$\text{At } x=0, \quad f_n(0) = 0$$

$$f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(0) = 0$$

$$\text{At } x=0$$

$$f_n(x) - f(x) = 0$$

for $0 < x < 1$

$$f_n(x) = nx(1-x)^n$$

$$= \frac{nx}{(1-x)^n}$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-\infty} = \frac{1}{2^{-\infty}} = \infty$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{nx}{-(1-x)^n \log(1-x)}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x(1-x)^n}{-\log(1-x)}$$

$$= 0$$

$$f(x) = 0, \quad \forall x \in [0, 1]$$

$$M_n = \sup \{ |f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in [0, 1] \}$$

$$\text{let } y = nx(1-x)^n$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = n \left[x \cdot (1-x)^{n-1} \cdot (-1) + (1-x)^n \right]$$

$$= n(1-x)^{n-1} \left[-nx + 1 - x \right]$$

$$-nx + 1 - x = 0$$

$$-x(n+1) = -1$$

$$x = 1$$

$$x = \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_{\max} &= n \cdot \frac{1}{n+1} \left[1 - \frac{1}{n+1} \right]^n \\ &= \frac{n}{n+1} \left[\frac{n}{n+1} \right]^n = \frac{n^{n+1}}{(n+1)^{n+1}} \end{aligned}$$

$$M_n = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^{n+1}}$$

$$\lim M_n = \frac{1}{e} \neq 0$$

Hence, by M_n test the given sequence is not uniformly convergent in $[0, 1]$.

Ques Discuss the uniform convergence of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x}{n(1+nx^2)}$, $\forall x \in [0, 1]$.

By comparing with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n(x)$.

$$U_n(x) = \frac{x}{n(1+nx^2)} \leq \frac{1}{n(1+n)} \leq \frac{1}{n^2} = M_n$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \quad p=2 > 1.$$

Hence by M -test series is uniformly convergent.

$$y = \frac{x}{n(1+nx^2)}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(1+nx^2) \times 1 - x \times 2nx}{n(1+nx^2)^2} = 0$$

$$1+nx^2 - 2nx^2 = 0$$

$$1 - nx^2 = 0$$

$$1 = nx^2$$

$$x = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{1 - nx^2}{n(1+nx^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{1}{n} \left[\frac{(1+nx^2)^2 \times -2nx - (1-nx^2) \times 2(1+nx^2) \times 2nx}{(1+nx^2)^4} \right]$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{1}{n} \left[\frac{\left(1 + nx \frac{1}{n}\right)^2 \times -2 \times nx \frac{1}{n} - \left(1 - nx \frac{1}{n}\right)^2 \times 2 \times nx \frac{1}{n}}{\left(1 + nx \frac{1}{n}\right)^4} \right]$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{1}{n} \left[\frac{4x^2 - 2\sqrt{n}}{16} \right] = \frac{-1}{2\sqrt{n}} \quad (\text{max value})$$

$$y = \frac{x}{n(1+nx^2)}$$

$$y_{\max} = \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}}{n\left(1 + nx \frac{1}{n}\right)} = \frac{1}{2n^{3/2}} \Rightarrow M_n$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M_n \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2n^{3/2}} \Rightarrow 0$$

Hence, by M_n -test the series is uniform convergent on $[0, 1]$.

Ques Show that the series $\sum r^n \sin n\theta$ is uniformly convergent for all real value of θ and $0 < r < 1$.

$$|r^n \sin n\theta| \leq r^n \xrightarrow{M_n}, \quad \forall \theta$$

$$\sum r^n$$

$$\lim r^n = 0 \quad \text{since } \sum r^n \text{ is convergent.}$$

Hence by M_n -test the given series is uniformly convergent.

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Theorem - The sum of uniformly convergent series of continuous function is a continuous function.

Proof - Let $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n(x)$ be a uniformly convergent series of continuous functions $U_n(x)$, ($\forall n \geq 1$) in $[a, b]$.

Let sum of series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n(x)$ be S .

$$\text{write } S_n(x) = \sum_{k=1}^n U_k(x)$$

$\therefore \sum U_n(x)$ is uniformly convergent in $[a, b]$

therefore for every $\epsilon > 0$, \exists a positive integer m depending on ϵ only and not on x , such that

$$|S(x) - S_n(x)| < \frac{\epsilon}{3} \quad \forall n \geq m \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$$

(1)

Let c be a point in (a, b)

Now,

$$|S(x) - S(c)| = |S(x) - S_n(x) + S_n(x) - S_m(c) + S_m(c) - S(c)|$$

$$\leq |S(x) - S_n(x)| + |S_n(x) - S_m(c)| + |S_m(c) - S(c)|$$

From (1),

$$|S(x) - S(c)| < \frac{\epsilon}{3} + |S_n(x) - S_m(c)| + \frac{\epsilon}{3}$$

$$< \frac{2\epsilon}{3} + |S_n(x) - S_m(c)| \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Since $S_m(x)$ is the sum of m continuous functions in $[a, b]$. Therefore it is also continuous in $[a, b]$.

For $\epsilon > 0$, \exists a positive $\delta > 0$ such that

$$|S_m(x) - S_m(c)| < \frac{\epsilon}{3}, \text{ whenever}$$

$$|x - c| < \delta \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Combining (2) and (3), we get

$$|S(x) - S(c)| < \frac{2\epsilon}{3} + \frac{\epsilon}{3} \\ = \frac{3\epsilon}{3} \leq \epsilon$$

$$|S(x) - S(c)| < \epsilon, \text{ whenever } |x - c| < \delta$$

Hence, the sum of uniformly convergent series of continuous function is continuous.

* Term by Term differentiation ~

If

i) the series $\sum U_n(x)$ converges in $a \leq x \leq b$ and its sum is $S(x)$.

ii) each $U'_n(x)$ exist and is continuous in $a \leq x \leq b$

iii) the series $\sum U'_n(x)$ converges uniformly in $a \leq x \leq b$ and if some sum is $\sigma(x)$; then

$$\sigma(x) = S'(x)$$