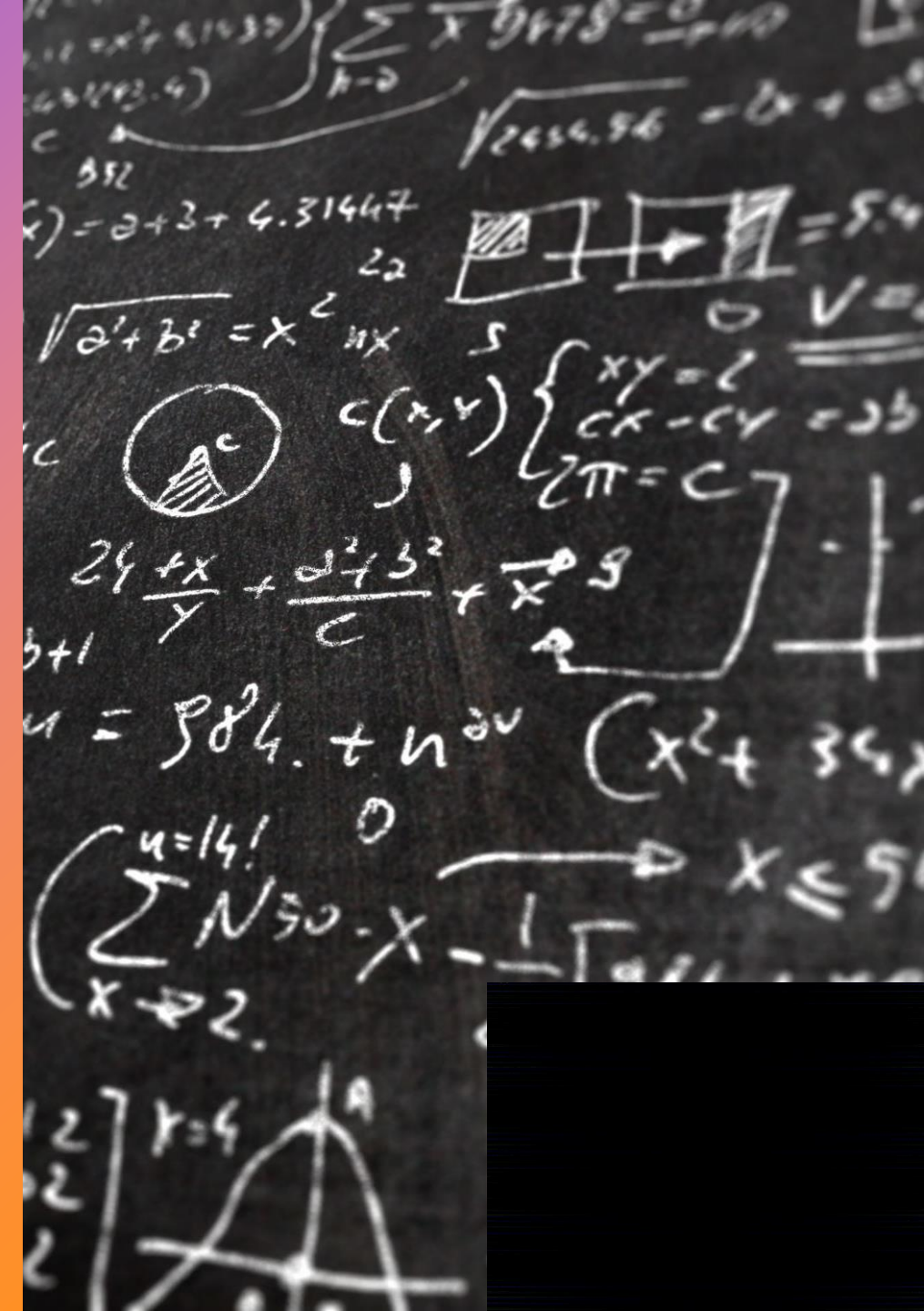


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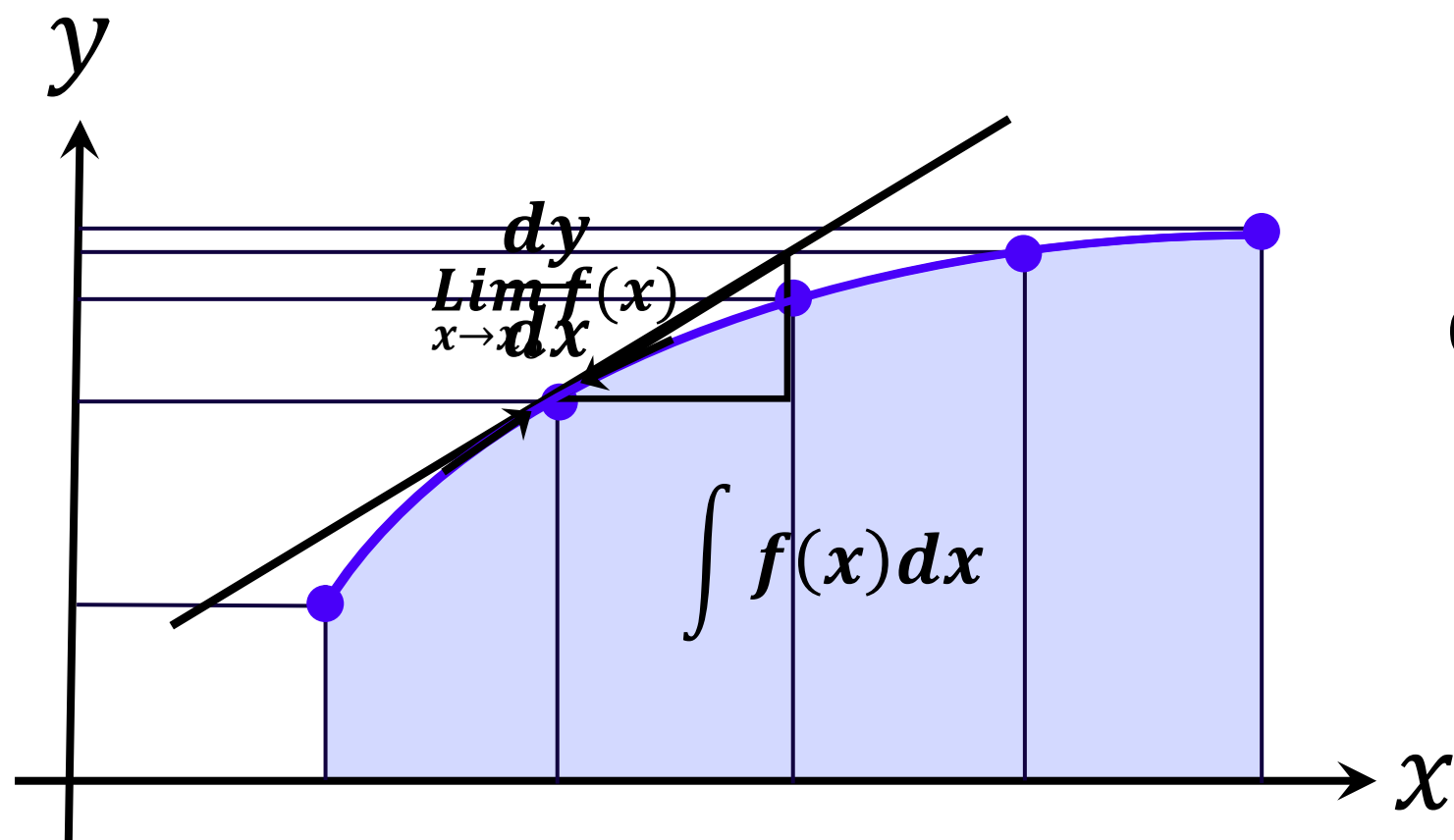
Introduction

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Calculus

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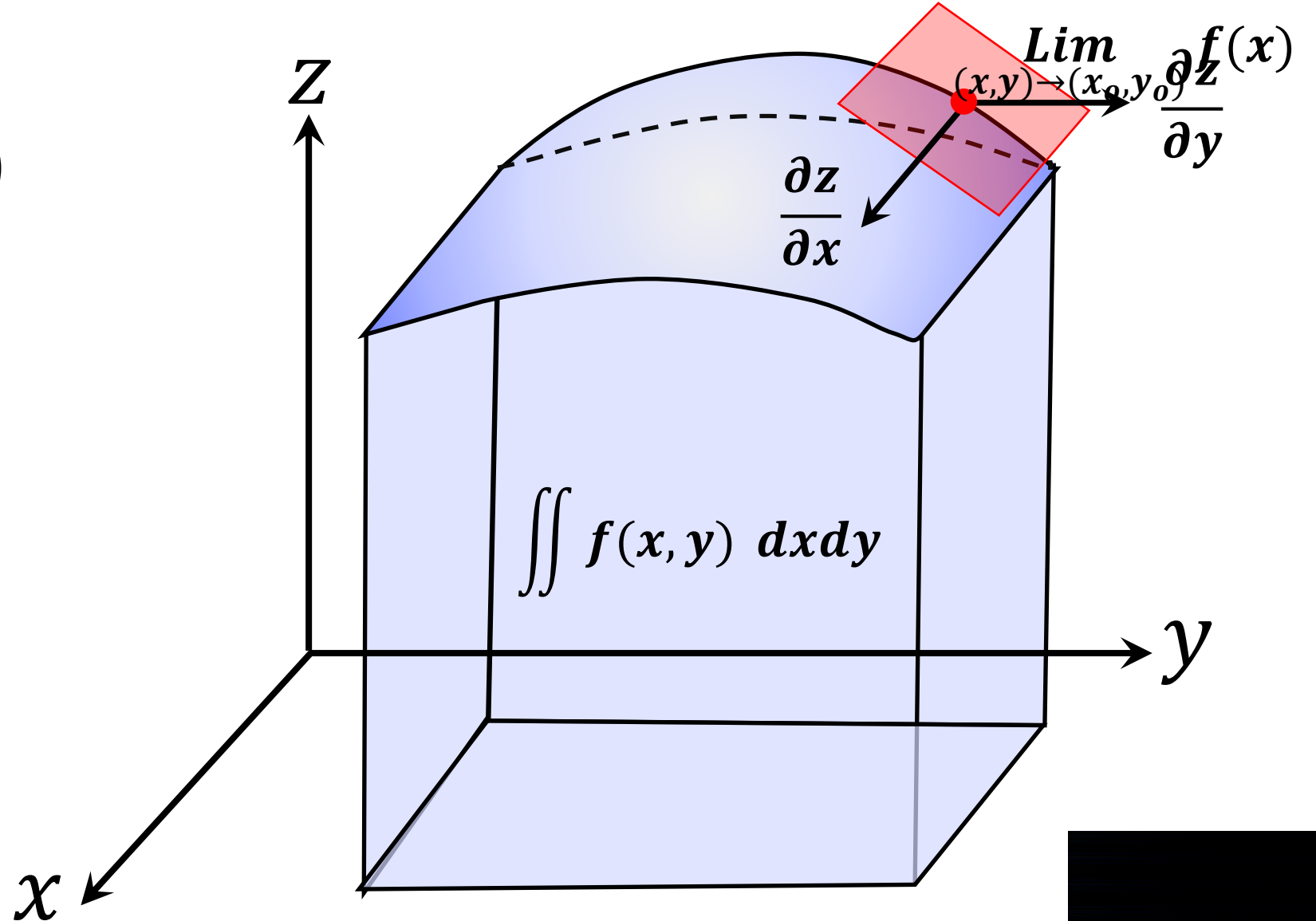


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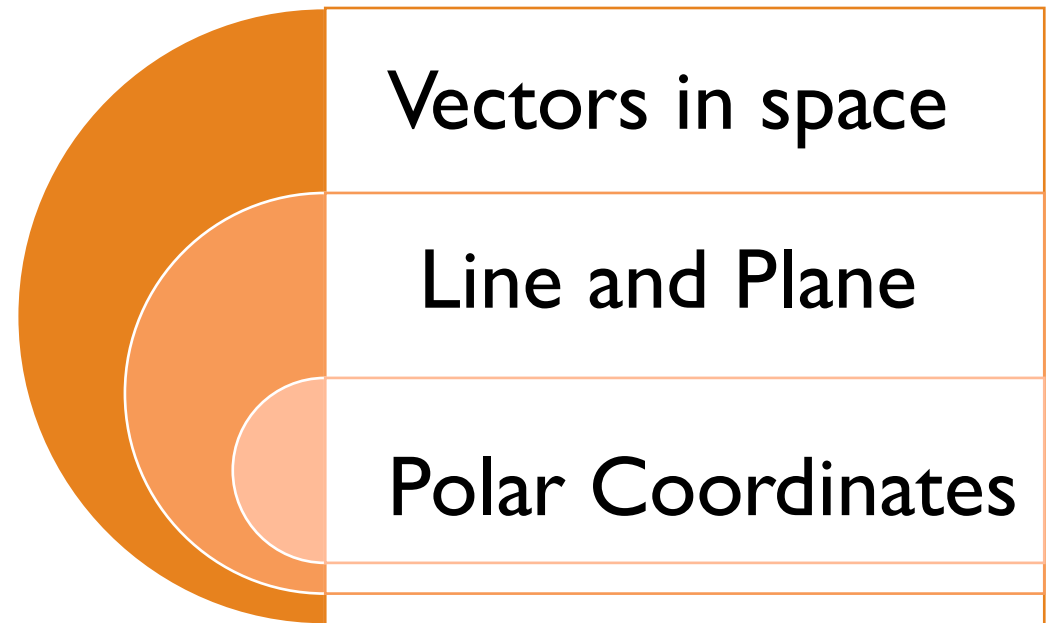
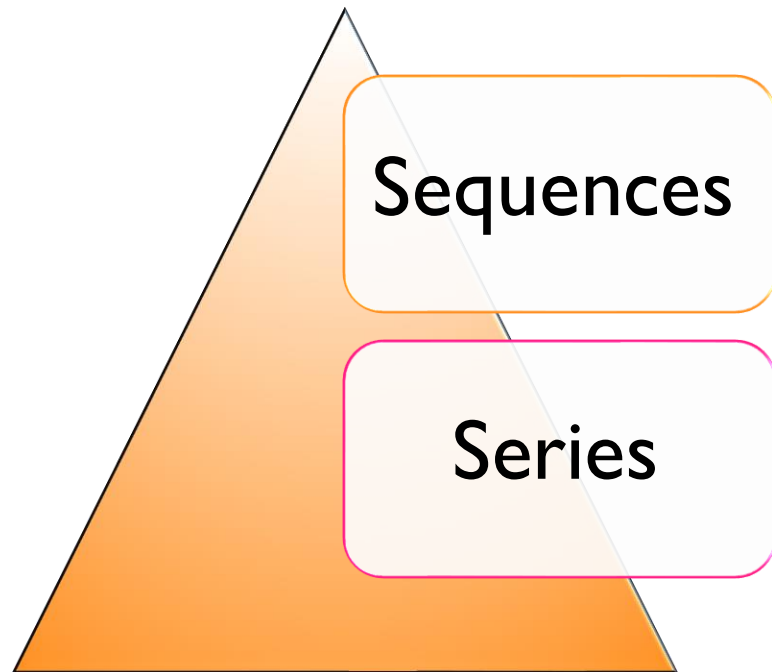
Advanced Calculus

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Other Topics



Sequence

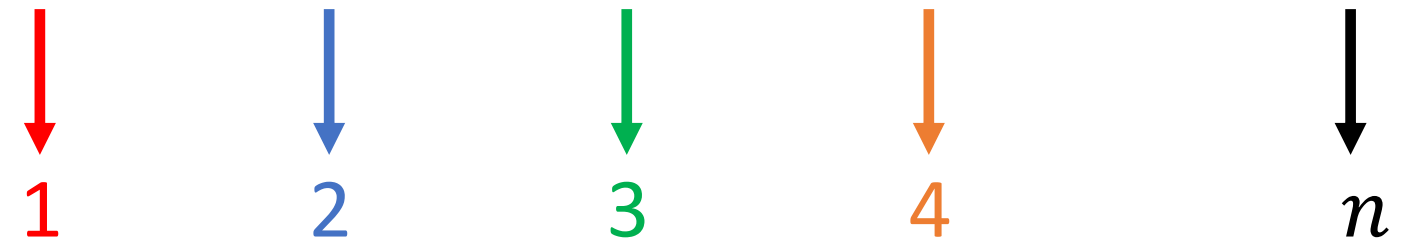
Part 1

$\{a_n\}_{1}^{\infty}$

$\langle a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n, \dots \rangle$



What is a sequence?

- Consider a set $A = \{a, a, a, a, \dots, a, \dots\}$
- Adding order $a, a, a, a, \dots, a, \dots,$

 $1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, n$
- The order $\langle a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n, \dots \rangle$ is called a **sequence**



What is a sequence?

- **Definition:** A *Sequence* is a function whose **domain** is the set of **positive integers** $\mathbb{Z}_+ = \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\}$.

- We denote to sequences as $\{a_n\}_1^\infty$ or $\langle a_n \rangle$

$$\{a_n\}_1^\infty = \langle a_n \rangle = \langle a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n, \dots \rangle$$

- **Example:** $\{n^2\}_1^\infty = \langle 1, 4, 9, 16, \dots, n^2, \dots \rangle$



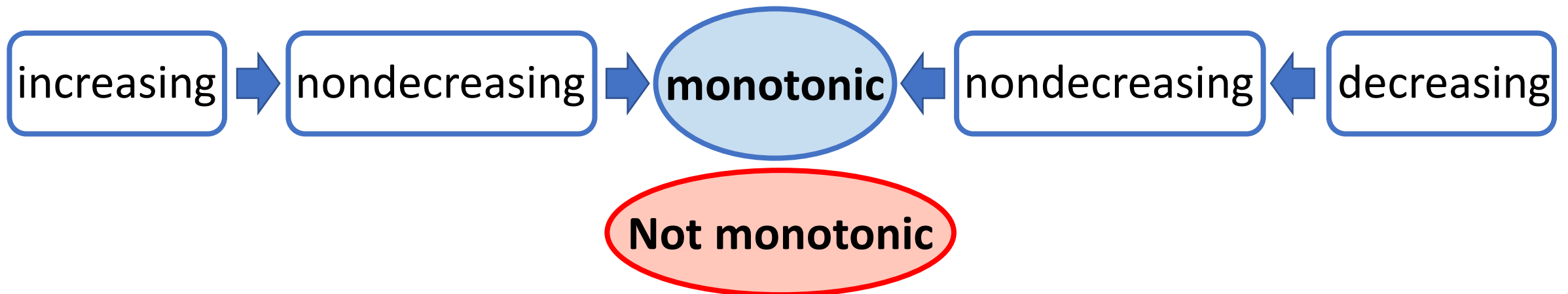
Monotonicity

$a_1 < a_2 < \dots < a_n < a_{n+1} < \dots \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow$ increasing seq.

$a_1 \leq a_2 \leq \dots \leq a_n \leq a_{n+1} \leq \dots \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow$ nondecreasing seq.

$a_1 > a_2 > \dots > a_n > a_{n+1} > \dots \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow$ decreasing seq.

$a_1 \geq a_2 \geq \dots \geq a_n \geq a_{n+1} \geq \dots \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow$ nonincreasing seq.

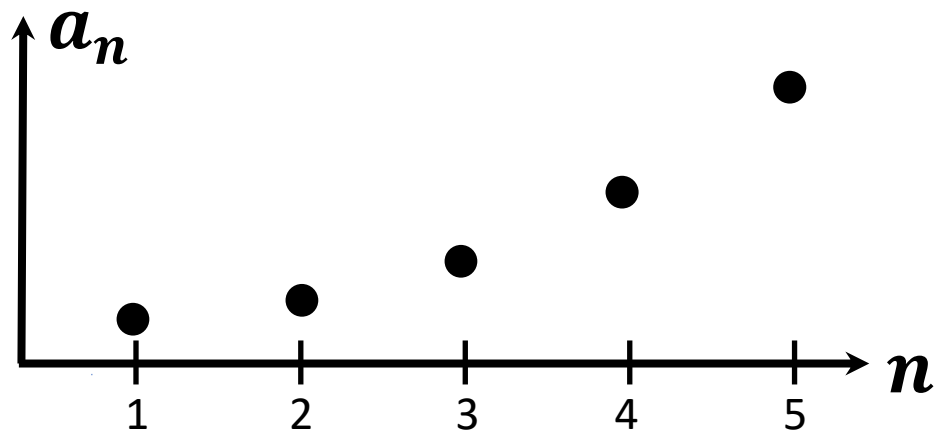


Examples

➤ $\{n^2\}_1^\infty = \langle 1, 4, 9, \dots, n^2, \dots \rangle$

$$1 < 4 < 9 < 16 < 25 < \dots$$

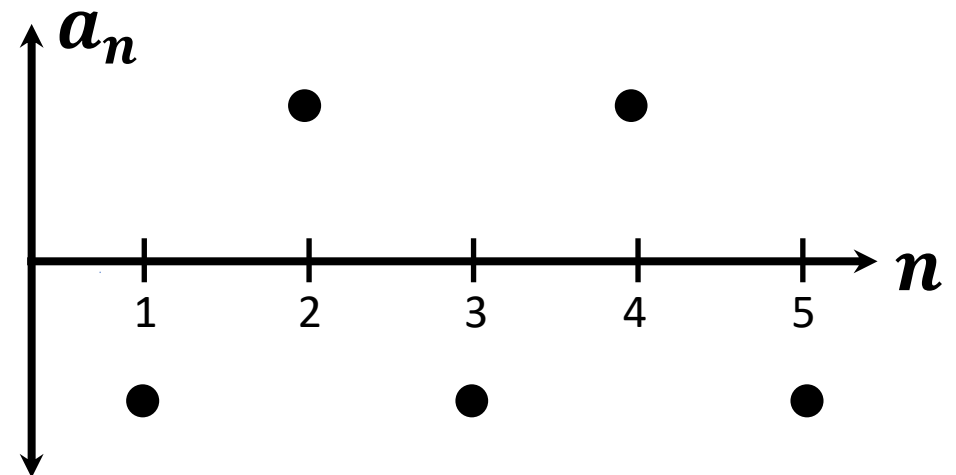
$$n^2 < (n+1)^2 \quad \forall n \geq 1$$



Increasing \Rightarrow Monotonic

➤ $\langle (-1)^n \rangle = \langle -1, +1, -1, \dots \rangle$

$$-1 < +1 > -1 < +1 > \dots$$

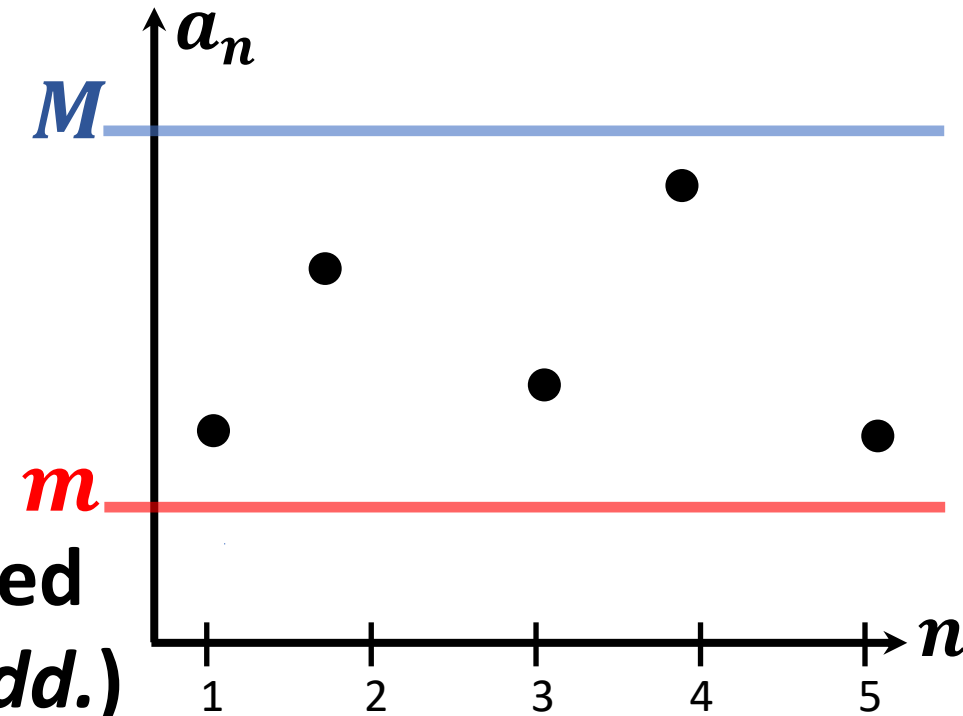


not Monotonic



Bounded sequence

- If $\exists M \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $a_n \leq M \quad \forall n \geq 1$ then $\langle a_n \rangle$ is called **bounded above**
- If $\exists m \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $a_n \geq m \quad \forall n \geq 1$ then $\langle a_n \rangle$ is called **bounded below**
- If $\langle a_n \rangle$ is **bounded below AND bounded above** then $\langle a_n \rangle$ is called **bounded (bdd.)**
- If $\langle a_n \rangle$ is **not bounded below OR not bounded above** then $\langle a_n \rangle$ is called **not bounded (not bdd.)**



Examples

➤ $\{n^2\}_1^\infty = \langle 1, 4, 9, \dots, n^2, \dots \rangle$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \because n^2 \geq 1 \quad \forall n \geq 1 \implies \text{bdd. below by } m = 1 \\ \because n^2 \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \implies \text{not bdd. above} \end{array} \right\} \implies \begin{array}{l} \{n^2\}_1^\infty \\ \text{not bdd.} \end{array}$$

➤ $\{1/n\}_1^\infty = \langle 1, 1/2, 1/3, \dots, 1/n, \dots \rangle$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \because 1/n \leq 1 \quad \forall n \geq 1 \implies \text{bdd. above by } M = 1 \\ \because 1/n \geq 0 \quad \forall n \geq 1 \implies \text{bdd. below by } m = 0 \end{array} \right\} \implies \begin{array}{l} \{1/n\}_1^\infty \\ \text{bdd.} \end{array}$$



Convergence

- A sequence $\langle a_n \rangle$ is called **convergent (conv.)** if $\exists L \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = L$$

- **Definition:** $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = L$ if and only if $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ s.t.

$$|a_n - L| < \epsilon \quad \forall n > N$$

- A sequence $\langle a_n \rangle$ is called **divergent (div.)** if it has **no limit**

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \pm\infty \quad \text{OR} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \text{ is not unique}$$



Examples

$$\blacktriangleright \{1/n\}_1^\infty = \langle 1, 1/2, 1/3, \dots, 1/n, \dots \rangle$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 1/n = 1/\infty = 0 \quad \implies \text{has a limit } L = 0$$

$\therefore \{1/n\}_1^\infty$ is **conv.**

$$\blacktriangleright \langle (-1)^n \rangle = \langle -1, +1, -1, \dots \rangle$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (-1)^n = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} +1 & n \text{ is even} \\ -1 & n \text{ is odd} \end{array} \right\} \implies \text{has no limit}$$

$\therefore \{(-1)^n\}_1^\infty$ is **div.**



Exercises

- Show whether the following sequences are monotonic, bounded, convergent or not:

$$\{-1/n\}_1^\infty, \quad \{1 + (-1)^n\}_1^\infty, \quad \{(-1)^n/n\}_1^\infty$$
$$\left\langle \left[\frac{n+1}{2} \right] \right\rangle, \quad \left\langle \frac{n}{n+1} \right\rangle, \quad \left\langle \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \right\rangle$$

- Give examples of sequences satisfying the following:
- Bounded and not monotonic.
 - Increasing and convergent.
 - Monotonic and divergent.



ترجمة مصطلحات

- Sequence متتابعة
- Function دالة
- Domain منطلق
- Positive integers الأعداد الصحيحة الموجبة
- Denote نرّمز
- Monotonic رتيبة
- Increasing متزايدة
- Nonincreasing غير متزايدة
- Decreasing متناقصة
- Nondecreasing غير متناقصة
- Bounded مقيدة
- Bounded above مقيدة من الأعلى
- Bounded below مقيدة من الأدنى
- Convergent متقاربة
- Divergent متباعدة
- Even زوجي
- Odd فردي





Sequence

Part 2

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = L$$



Determinate forms

- Let $r > 0$, the following forms are determinate:

$$\frac{r}{0} = \infty, \infty \mp r = \infty, \infty \cdot r = \infty, \frac{\infty}{r} = \infty, \frac{r}{\infty} = 0, \infty^r = \infty$$

- the following forms are also determinate:

$$\infty + \infty = \infty, \infty \cdot \infty = \infty, \infty^\infty = \infty, \frac{\infty}{0} = \infty, \frac{0}{\infty} = 0$$

- Let $r \geq 0$, then

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} r^n = r^\infty = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \infty & r > 1 \\ 1 & r = 1 \\ 0 & 0 \leq r < 1 \end{array} \right\}$$



Indeterminate forms

Indeterminate forms: $\frac{0}{0}$, $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$, $0 \cdot \infty$, $\infty - \infty$, 0^0 , ∞^0 , 1^∞

$$\frac{0}{0} \stackrel{?}{=} \begin{matrix} \nearrow 0 \\ \rightarrow 1 \\ \searrow \infty \end{matrix}$$

$$\frac{\infty}{\infty} \stackrel{?}{=} \begin{matrix} \nearrow \infty \\ \rightarrow 1 \\ \searrow 0 \end{matrix}$$

$$0 \cdot \infty \stackrel{?}{=} \begin{matrix} \nearrow 0 \\ \searrow \infty \end{matrix}$$

$$\infty^0 \stackrel{?}{=} \begin{matrix} \nearrow \infty \\ \searrow 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$0^0 \stackrel{?}{=} \begin{matrix} \nearrow 0 \\ \searrow 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\infty - \infty \stackrel{?}{=} \begin{matrix} \nearrow \infty \\ \rightarrow 0 \\ \searrow -\infty \end{matrix}$$



$$(1) \frac{0}{0}, \frac{\infty}{\infty}, 0 \cdot \infty$$

$$\text{Example: } \left\langle \frac{n^2 + 2n - 1}{3n^3 + n} \right\rangle \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2 + 2n - 1}{3n^3 + n} = \frac{\infty^2 + 2\infty - 1}{3\infty^3 + \infty} = \frac{\infty}{\infty} ?$$

By cancelling the greatest power n^3

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2 + 2n - 1}{3n^3 + n} & \stackrel{\div n^3}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{n^2}{n^3} + 2\frac{n}{n^3} - \frac{1}{n^3}}{3\frac{n^3}{n^3} + \frac{n}{n^3}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{n} + 2\frac{1}{n^2} - \frac{1}{n^3}}{3 + \frac{1}{n^2}} \\ & = \frac{\frac{1}{\infty} + 2\frac{1}{\infty^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^3}}{3 + \frac{1}{\infty^2}} = \frac{0 + 0 - 0}{3 + 0} = 0 \Rightarrow \text{Conv.} \end{aligned}$$



$$(1) \quad \frac{0}{0}, \frac{\infty}{\infty}, 0 \cdot \infty$$

Example: $\langle n \sin(\frac{1}{n}) \rangle \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \sin(\frac{1}{n}) = \infty \sin(\frac{1}{\infty}) = \infty \sin(0) = \infty \cdot 0$?

L'Hôpital's Rule: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = \frac{0}{0} \text{ or } \frac{\infty}{\infty} \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f'(n)}{g'(n)}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \sin(\frac{1}{n}) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{n})}{\frac{1}{n}} = \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{\infty})}{\frac{1}{\infty}} = \frac{\sin(0)}{0} = \frac{0}{0}$? L'Hôpital's Rule

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{n})}{\frac{1}{n}} \stackrel{d/dn}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\cos(\frac{1}{n}) \cdot (-\frac{1}{n^2})}{(-\frac{1}{n^2})} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \cos(\frac{1}{n}) = \cos(\frac{1}{\infty}) = \cos(0) = 1$ ✓

$\Rightarrow \langle n \sin(\frac{1}{n}) \rangle$ Conv.



(2) $\infty - \infty$

Example: $\langle n^3 - 2n \rangle \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^3 - 2n = \infty^3 - 2\infty = \infty - \infty$?

Factorizing: factoring out the greatest common

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^3 - 2n &\stackrel{\text{Factorizing}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n(n^2 - 2) = \infty (\infty^2 - 2) \\ &= \infty \cdot \infty = \infty \quad \checkmark \\ &\Rightarrow \langle n^3 - 2n \rangle \text{ div.} \end{aligned}$$



(2) $\infty - \infty$

?

Example: $\langle \sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n} \rangle \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n} = \sqrt{\infty+1} - \sqrt{\infty} = \infty - \infty$

conjugate: $(a+b) \xleftrightarrow{\text{cojugate}} (a-b) \Rightarrow (a+b) \cdot (a-b) = a^2 - b^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n} & \quad \times \div \text{conjugate} \quad \times \frac{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\sqrt{n+1})^2 - (\sqrt{n})^2}{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}} \\ & = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n+1) - n}{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\infty+1} + \sqrt{\infty}} \\ & = \frac{1}{\infty + \infty} = \frac{1}{\infty} = 0 \quad \checkmark \Rightarrow \langle \sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n} \rangle \text{ Conv.} \end{aligned}$$



(3) $0^0, \infty^0, 1^\infty$

Example: $\left\langle \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^n \right\rangle \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = \left(1 + \frac{1}{\infty}\right)^\infty = 1^\infty ?$

Logarithm: $\ln(a^b) = b \ln(a)$, $e^{\ln(a)} = a$

Let $a_n = \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \Rightarrow \ln(a_n) = \ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = n \ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln(a_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) = \infty \ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{\infty}\right) = \infty \cdot 0$ L'Hôpital's Rule

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln(a_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)}{\frac{1}{n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1/\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \cdot \frac{-1}{n^2}}{\frac{-1}{n^2}} = 1/\left(1 + \frac{1}{\infty}\right) = 1$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_n) = e^{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln(a_n)} = e^1 = e \checkmark \Rightarrow \left\langle \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^n \right\rangle \rightarrow e$ Conv.



Exercises

- Show whether the following sequences are convergent or divergent:

$$\left\langle \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \right\rangle_{n=1}^{\infty} \quad \left\langle \frac{2n^4 - n^3 + n}{n^4 + n - 1} \right\rangle_{n=1}^{\infty} \quad \left\langle \frac{\sin(n)}{n} \right\rangle \quad \left\langle \frac{\ln(n)}{n^2} \right\rangle$$

$$\langle e^n - 2^n \rangle \quad \left\langle \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^n \right\rangle_{n=1}^{\infty} \quad \left\langle \frac{n^2}{e^n} \right\rangle \quad \langle \sqrt[n]{n} \rangle$$



ترجمة مصطلحات

Determinate forms

صيغ معيّنة (محددة الاجابة)

Indeterminate forms

صيغ غير معيّنة (غير محددة الاجابة)

Cancelling

حذف، اختزال

Greatest power

أعلى درجة، أعظم أس

L'Hôpital's Rule

قاعدة لوبتال

Factorizing

تحليل الى عوامل

greatest common factor

العامل المشترك الأكبر

Conjugate

مُرافق الحدانية

Logarithm

لوغاريتم



Example 1. Show that whether the following sequences (seqs.) are bounded, monotonic, convergent or not?

$$\mathbf{A.} \left\{ \frac{1}{n} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

Solution: We have $\left\langle \frac{1}{n} \right\rangle = \left\langle 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \dots \right\rangle$,

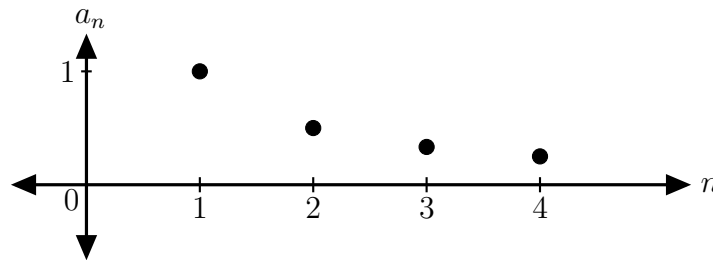


Figure 1: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\left\langle \frac{1}{n} \right\rangle$

then,

$$1. \quad \because 1 > \frac{1}{2} > \frac{1}{3} > \frac{1}{4} > \dots \quad \text{i.e.} \quad \frac{1}{n} > \frac{1}{n+1}, \quad \forall n \geq 1.$$

So, $\left\langle \frac{1}{n} \right\rangle$ is decreasing \Rightarrow **monotonic** (See figure (1)).

$$2. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because \frac{1}{n} \leq 1, \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. above by } M = 1, \\ \because \frac{1}{n} \geq 0, \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. below by } m = 0. \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left\langle \frac{1}{n} \right\rangle \text{ is } \mathbf{bounded}.$$

3. $\left\langle \frac{1}{n} \right\rangle$ is **convergent** because

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{\infty} = 0.$$

$$\mathbf{B.} \left\{ \frac{-1}{n} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

Solution: We have $\langle \frac{-1}{n} \rangle = \langle -1, \frac{-1}{2}, \frac{-1}{3}, \frac{-1}{4}, \dots \rangle$,

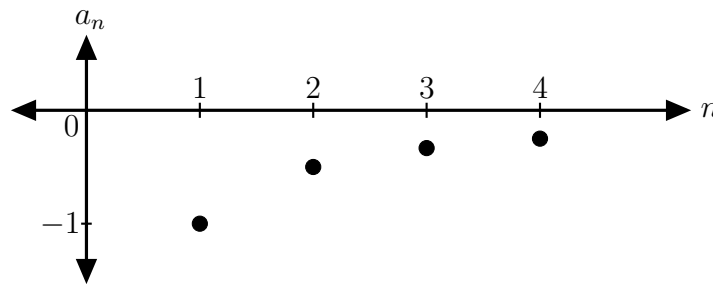


Figure 2: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\langle \frac{-1}{n} \rangle$

then,

$$1. \quad \because -1 < \frac{-1}{2} < \frac{-1}{3} < \frac{-1}{4} < \dots \quad \text{i.e.} \quad \frac{-1}{n} < \frac{-1}{n+1}, \quad \forall n \geq 1.$$

So, $\langle \frac{-1}{n} \rangle$ is increasing \Rightarrow **monotonic** (See figure (2)).

$$2. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because \frac{-1}{n} \leq 0, \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. above by } M = 0, \\ \because \frac{-1}{n} \geq -1, \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. below by } m = -1. \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \langle \frac{-1}{n} \rangle \text{ is } \mathbf{bounded}.$$

3. $\langle \frac{-1}{n} \rangle$ is **convergent** because

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-1}{n} = \frac{-1}{\infty} = 0.$$

$$\mathbf{C.} \left\{ 1 + (-1)^n \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

Solution: We have $\langle 1 + (-1)^n \rangle = \langle 0, 2, 0, 2, \dots \rangle$,

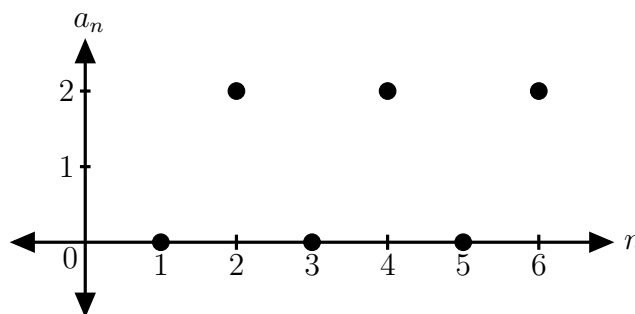


Figure 3: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\langle 1 + (-1)^n \rangle$

then,

$$1. \quad \because 0 < 2 > 0 < 2 > \dots$$

$\Rightarrow \langle 1 + (-1)^n \rangle$ is **not monotonic** (See figure (3)).

$$2. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because 1 + (-1)^n \leq 2, \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. above by } M = 2, \\ \because 1 + (-1)^n \geq 0, \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. below by } m = 0. \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \langle 1 + (-1)^n \rangle \text{ is } \mathbf{bounded}.$$

3. \because the seq. oscillates between two values (0 and 2) because

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 1 + (-1)^n = \begin{cases} 2, & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ 0, & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases},$$

\Rightarrow the seq. $\langle 1 + (-1)^n \rangle$ is **divergent**.

$$\mathbf{D.} \quad \left\{ \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

Solution: We have $\langle \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \rangle = \langle -1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{-1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \dots \rangle$,

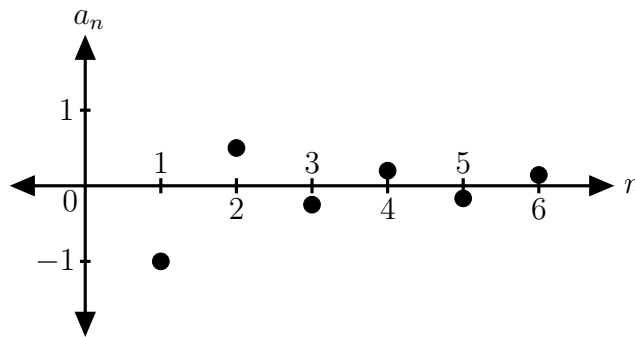


Figure 4: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\langle \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \rangle$

then,

$$1. \quad \because -1 < \frac{1}{2} > \frac{-1}{3} < \frac{1}{4} > \dots$$

$\Rightarrow \langle \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \rangle$ is **not monotonic** (See figure (4)).

$$2. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \leq +1, \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. above by } M = +1, \\ \because \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \geq -1, \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. below by } m = -1. \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \langle \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \rangle \text{ is } \mathbf{bounded}.$$

3. $\langle \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \rangle$ is **convergent** because

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{\infty} = +0, \\ \frac{-1}{\infty} = -0, \end{array} \right. \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{array} \right\} = 0.$$

E. $\{ \lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor \}_{n=1}^{\infty}$

Solution: We have $\langle \lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor \rangle = \langle 1, 1, 2, 2, 3, 3, \dots \rangle$,

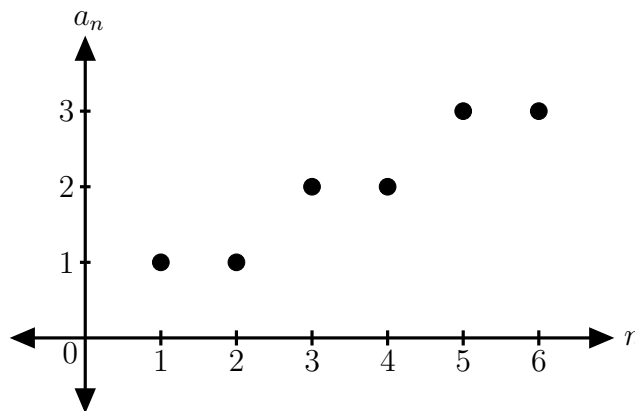


Figure 5: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\langle \lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor \rangle$

then,

1. $\because 1 \leq 1 \leq 2 \leq 2 \leq 3 \leq 3 \dots$ i.e. $\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor \leq \lfloor \frac{n+2}{2} \rfloor, \quad \forall n \geq 1.$

So, $\langle \lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor \rangle$ is non decreasing \Rightarrow **monotonic** (See figure (5)).

2. $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because \lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty, \Rightarrow \text{not bdd. above,} \\ \because \lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor \geq 1, \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. below by } m = 1. \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \langle \lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor \rangle \text{ is } \mathbf{not \text{ bounded.}}$

3. $\langle \lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor \rangle$ is **divergent** because

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \right\rfloor = \left\lfloor \frac{\infty+1}{2} \right\rfloor = \lfloor \infty \rfloor = \infty.$$

$$\mathbf{F.} \left\{ \frac{n}{n+1} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

Solution: We have $\left\langle \frac{n}{n+1} \right\rangle = \left\langle \frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{4}{5}, \frac{5}{6}, \frac{6}{7}, \dots \right\rangle$,

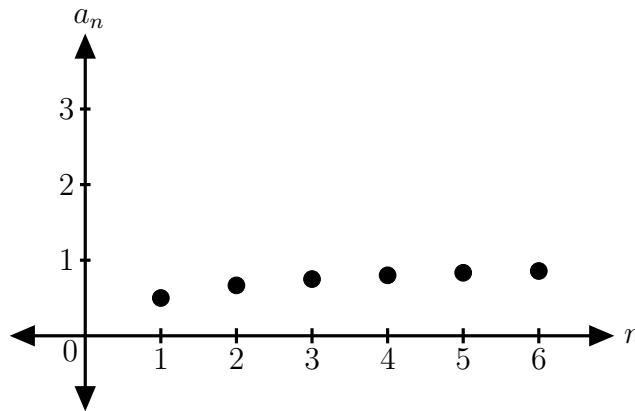


Figure 6: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\left\langle \frac{n}{n+1} \right\rangle$

then,

$$1. \quad \because \frac{1}{2} < \frac{2}{3} < \frac{3}{4} < \frac{4}{5} < \frac{5}{6} < \frac{6}{7} \dots \quad \text{i.e.} \quad \frac{n}{n+1} < \frac{n}{n+2}, \quad \forall n \geq 1.$$

So, $\left\langle \frac{n}{n+1} \right\rangle$ is increasing \Rightarrow **monotonic** (See figure (6)).

$$2. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because \frac{n}{n+1} \leq 1, \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. above by } M = 1, \\ \because \frac{n}{n+1} \geq 0, \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. below by } m = 0. \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left\langle \frac{n}{n+1} \right\rangle \text{ is } \mathbf{bounded}.$$

3. $\left\langle \frac{n}{n+1} \right\rangle$ is **convergent** because

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n+1} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1} = 1, \quad (\text{L'Hôpital's rule}).$$

$$\mathbf{G.} \left\{ \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

Solution: We have $\langle \sin(\frac{1}{n}) \rangle = \langle 0.01745, 0.00872, 0.00581, 0.00436, 0.00349, \dots \rangle$,

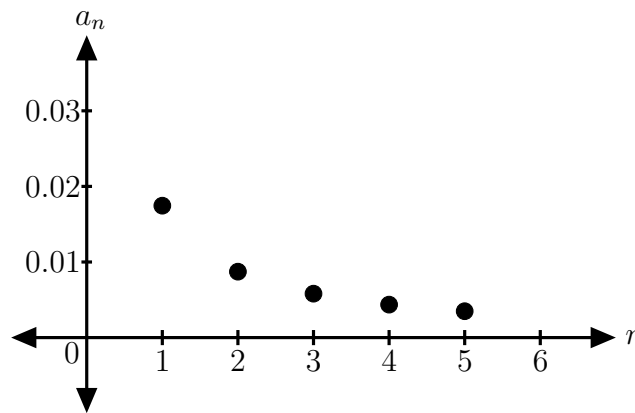


Figure 7: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\langle \sin(\frac{1}{n}) \rangle$

then,

$$1. \quad \because 0.01745 \geq 0.00872 \geq 0.00581 \geq 0.00436 \geq 0.00349 \dots$$

$$\text{i.e. } \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \geq \sin\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right), \quad \forall n \geq 1.$$

So, $\langle \sin(\frac{1}{n}) \rangle$ is decreasing \Rightarrow **monotonic** (See figure (7)).

$$2. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \leq 1, \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. above by } M = 1, \\ \because \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \geq 0, \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. below by } m = 0. \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \langle \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \rangle \text{ is } \mathbf{bounded}.$$

3. $\langle \sin(\frac{1}{n}) \rangle$ is **convergent** because

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{1}{\infty}\right) = 0.$$

Example 2. Give examples of sequences satisfying the following:

A. Bounded and not monotonic.

Solution: The seq. is $\{(-1)^n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} = \langle -1, 1, -1, 1, \dots \rangle$,

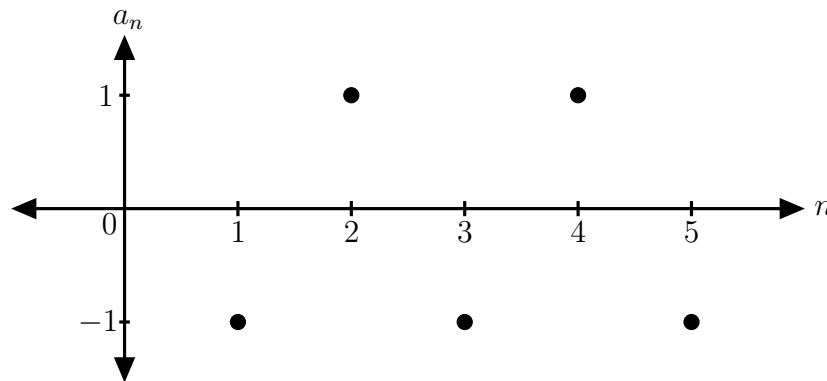


Figure 8: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\langle (-1)^n \rangle$

then,

1. Bounded:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because (-1)^n \leq 1, \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. above by } M = 1, \\ \because (-1)^n \geq -1, \quad \forall n \geq 1 \Rightarrow \text{bdd. below by } m = -1. \end{array} \right\}$$

$\Rightarrow \langle (-1)^n \rangle$ is **bounded**.

2. Not monotonic:

$$\because -1 < 1 > -1 < 1 > \dots$$

$\Rightarrow \langle (-1)^n \rangle$ is **not monotonic** (See figure (8)).

B. Increasing and convergent.

Solution: The seq. is $\{1 - \frac{1}{n}\}_{n=1}^{\infty} = \langle 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{4}, \dots \rangle$,

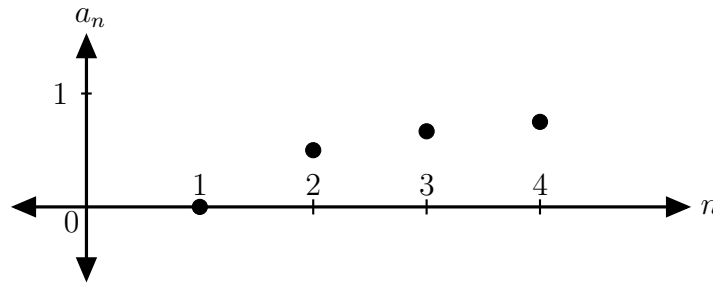


Figure 9: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\{1 - \frac{1}{n}\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$

then,

1. **Increasing:**

$\because 0 < \frac{1}{2} < \frac{2}{3} < \frac{3}{4} < \dots$ i.e. $1 - \frac{1}{n} < 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}$, $\forall n \geq 1$.
 $\Rightarrow \langle 1 - \frac{1}{n} \rangle$ is **increasing** (See figure (9)).

2. **Convergent:**

$\langle 1 - \frac{1}{n} \rangle$ is **convergent** because

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 1 - \frac{1}{n} = 1 - \frac{1}{\infty} = 1.$$

C. Monotonic and divergent.

Solution: The seq. is $\{-\sqrt{n}\}_{n=1}^{\infty} = \langle -1, -\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{3}, -2, -\sqrt{5}, \dots \rangle$,

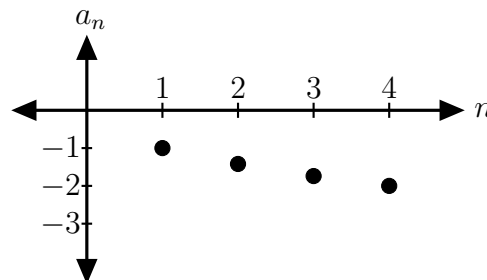


Figure 10: The points represent the terms of the sequence $\langle -\sqrt{n} \rangle$

then

1. Monotonic:

$$\because -1 > -\sqrt{2} > -\sqrt{3} > -2 > -\sqrt{5} > \dots$$

$$\text{i.e. } -\sqrt{n} > -\sqrt{n+1}, \quad \forall n \geq 1.$$

So, $\langle -\sqrt{n} \rangle$ is decreasing \Rightarrow **monotonic** (See figure (10)).

2. Divergent:

$\langle -\sqrt{n} \rangle$ is **divergent** because

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} -\sqrt{n} = -\infty.$$

Exercises: Show whether the following seqs. are convergent or divergent:

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

Solution:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right)^n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{(-1)^n}{(2)^n} \right) = \begin{cases} \frac{-1}{(2)^{\infty}}, & \text{if } n \text{ odd,} \\ \frac{+1}{(2)^{\infty}}, & \text{if } n \text{ even.} \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{-1}{\infty}, & \text{if } n \text{ odd} \\ \frac{+1}{\infty}, & \text{if } n \text{ even} \end{cases} = \neq 0 = \square$$

$\Rightarrow \left\langle \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right)^n \right\rangle$ is convergent.

② $\left\{ \frac{2n^4 - n^3 + n}{n^4 + n - 1} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n^4 - n^3 + n}{n^4 + n - 1} = \frac{\infty}{\infty} ?$

Solution: By cancelling the greatest power (n^4).

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{2n^4 - n^3 + n}{n^4 + n - 1} \right) \stackrel{\div n^4}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \frac{n^4}{n^4} - \frac{n^3}{n^4} + \frac{n}{n^4}}{\frac{n^4}{n^4} + \frac{n}{n^4} - \frac{1}{n^4}}$$

(2)

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n^4 - n^3 + n}{n^4 + n - 1} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 - \frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^3}}{1 + \frac{1}{n^3} - \frac{1}{n^4}} \\ &= \frac{2 - \frac{1}{\infty} + \frac{1}{\infty}}{1 + \frac{1}{\infty} - \frac{1}{\infty}} = \frac{2 - 0 + 0}{1 + 0 - 0} = \boxed{2}\end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow \left\langle \frac{2n^4 - n^3 + n}{n^4 + n - 1} \right\rangle$ is convergent

(3) $\left\{ \frac{\sin(n)}{n} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$

Solution: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin(n)}{n} = \frac{\sin(\infty)}{\infty} = \frac{k}{\infty}, \quad -1 \leq k \leq 1$

$\Rightarrow \left\langle \frac{\sin(n)}{n} \right\rangle$ is convergent.

(4) $\left\{ \frac{\ln(n)}{n^2} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(n)}{n^2} = \frac{\ln(\infty)}{\infty^2} = \frac{\infty}{\infty} ?$

Solution: By using L'Hôpital's Rule.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(n)}{n^2} \stackrel{\boxed{d/dn}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{n}}{2n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2n^2} = \frac{1}{2 \cdot \infty} = \boxed{0}$$

$\therefore \left\langle \frac{\ln(n)}{n^2} \right\rangle$ is convergent.

⑤ $\langle e^n - 2^n \rangle$

③

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (e^n - 2^n) = e^\infty - 2^\infty = \infty - \infty$?

Solution:

By using factoring ..

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (e^n - 2^n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} e^n \left(1 - \frac{2^n}{e^n}\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} e^n \left(1 - \left(\frac{2}{e}\right)^n\right)$$

$$\because 0 < \frac{2}{e} < 1 \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{2}{e}\right)^n = 0$$

then,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (e^n - 2^n) = e^\infty (1 - 0) = e^\infty = \infty$$

$\Rightarrow \langle e^n - 2^n \rangle$ is divergent.

⑥ $\left\{ \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^n \right\}_{n=1}^\infty$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n+1-1}{n+1}\right)^n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right)^n = \left(1 - \frac{1}{\infty}\right)^\infty = 1$$
 ?

Solution:

By using Logarithm: $\ln(a^b) = b \ln(a)$, $e^{\ln a} = a$

Let $a_n = \left(1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right)$ $\xrightarrow{\ln}$ $\ln(a_n) = \ln\left(1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right)^n = n \ln\left(1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right)$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln(a_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \ln\left(1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right) = \infty \cdot \ln\left(1 - \frac{1}{\infty}\right) = \infty \cdot 0$$
 ?

Now, By using L'Hôpital Rule.

(4)

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln(a_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln\left(1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right)}{\frac{1}{n}} \stackrel{d/dn}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{n+1}} \times \frac{-1}{(n+1)^2}}{-\frac{1}{n^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln(a_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{n} \times \frac{1}{(n+1)^2}}{-\frac{1}{n^2}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-n^2(n+1)}{n(n+1)}$$

$$= -\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right) \stackrel{d/dn}{=} -\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 1 = \boxed{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} e^{\ln(a_n)} = \boxed{e^{-1}} = \boxed{\frac{1}{e}}$$

$\therefore \left\langle \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^n \right\rangle$ is **convergent**.

$$\textcircled{7} \left\langle \frac{n^2}{e^n} \right\rangle \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n^2}{e^n}\right) = \frac{\infty^2}{e^\infty} = \boxed{\frac{\infty}{\infty}} ?$$

Solution By using L'Hôpital Rule

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2}{e^n} \stackrel{d/dn}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n}{e^n} \stackrel{d/dn}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{e^n} = \frac{2}{e^\infty} = \frac{2}{\infty} = 0.$$

$\therefore \left\langle \frac{n^2}{e^n} \right\rangle$ is **convergent**.

$$\textcircled{8} \left\langle \sqrt[n]{n} \right\rangle \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^{\frac{1}{n}} = \boxed{\infty} ?$$

Solution: By using Logarithm

$$\text{let } a_n = n^{\frac{1}{n}} \Rightarrow \ln(a_n) = \ln(n)^{\frac{1}{n}} = \frac{1}{n} \ln(n) = \frac{\ln(n)}{n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln(a_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(n)}{n} \stackrel{d/dn}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1/n}{1} = \frac{1/\infty}{1} = \frac{1}{\infty} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_n) = e^{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln(a_n)} = e^0 = \boxed{1} \Rightarrow \left\langle \sqrt[n]{n} \right\rangle \text{ is } \boxed{\text{convergent}}$$