

11.6: POWER Σ (A) E_x

$$\text{Ex Poly: } 1 + x + x^2$$

$$\text{Ex Power } \Sigma: 1 + x + x^2 + \dots + x^n + \dots$$

Like a poly
that goes on
and on in
a power Σ .
Not all geom Σ
are power Σ .
 $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots$ has no x
(variable).

If x is some #
w/ abs. value < 1 ,
what do we
know about
this Σ ?

This also happens to be a
geom. Σ with $a=1, r=x$. (Not all power Σ are.)

Case 1 If $|x| < 1 \Rightarrow \Sigma$ conv. w/ sum $S = \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{1}{1-x}$

Ex If $x = \frac{1}{10}$,

$$1 + \frac{1}{10} + \left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^2 + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^n + \dots$$

i.e., $1 + .1 + .01 + \dots$

converges w/ sum

$$S = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{10}} \left(= \frac{1}{\frac{9}{10}} \right) = \frac{10}{9} \quad (= 1.\bar{1})$$

Case 2 If $|x| \geq 1 \Rightarrow \Sigma$ div., no sum

Ex If $x = 5$,

$$1 + 5 + (5)^2 + \dots \quad (\text{div})$$

② Power Σ in x

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots + a_n x^n + \dots$$

coeffs characterize
the power Σ

- Notes
- (a) Know $\{a_n \text{ coeffs}\} \Rightarrow$ Know Σ
 - (b) $x^0 = 1$, even if $x = 0$. (Normally, 0^0 gives us pause.)
 - (c) Maybe not geom. Σ
 - (d) Coeffs can be 0.

If you have a
4th-deg. poly,
do you have to
have an x^2
term? No.
Look for

③ R , the Radius of Convergence, and I , the Interval of Conv.

... for which
 $\sum a_n x^n$ yields
a real # output -
like the ...
of f

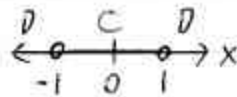
$$I = \{ \text{all real values of } x \text{ for which } \sum a_n x^n \text{ conv.} \}$$

$= \text{Domain of } f$

Ex $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n = 1 + x + x^2 + \dots$ (all $a_n = 1$)

This conv.

$\Leftrightarrow x$ is in $\underbrace{(-1, 1)}_I$



$\underbrace{R=1}_{\text{half-width of } I}$

$I = (-1, 1)$
symmetry about 0,
not a coincidence!

White shirt...

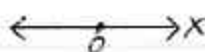
What can I look like?

3 possibls:

① $I = \{0\}$

is this an "interval"?
- Don't worry.

$R = 0$



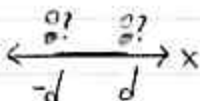
② $I = (-\infty, \infty)$
all real #s

$R = \infty$



③ $I = [(-d, d)]$
or or

$R = d$



for some $d > 0$

AC on $(-d, d)$
ALIC/D at $-d, d$
outside
AC vs. CC
Not a big deal:
we'll do Estharm.
 $= \ln 2$ CC

- 44: $\sum a_n$ AC
 $\Rightarrow \sum a_n x^n$
 is AC $\forall x$ in E, D
 45: $I = (-r, r]$
 c.c.
 46: AC at one
 endpt. $\neq$
 AC at other

① Find I

Ex (#8) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{4^n \sqrt{n}} x^n \right)$
 u_n depends on n, x

What
guarantees
that $\sum$
conv.?
if $L \dots$

Consider Ratio Test (or Root Test)
 1st, for what x is $L < 1$?

Go ahead
and write " L "
even though
" $L = \infty$ " is
inappropriate
to write
if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \dots = \infty$

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

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{\frac{1}{4^{n+1} \sqrt{n+1}} x^{n+1}}{\frac{1}{4^n \sqrt{n}} x^n} \right|$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{4^n \sqrt{n}}{4^{n+1} \sqrt{n+1}} \cdot \frac{x^{n+1}}{x^n} \right|$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n+1}} \right) x \right|$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} |x|$$

This L limit
value depends
on what x is.
(Sometimes,
it doesn't
matter:
 $R = \infty$)

What are the
only 2 values
of x we don't
know about
yet?

$\sum$ ③ if
 $\frac{1}{4} |x| < 1$
 $|x| < 4$
 $R = 4$

$\sum$ ④ if
 $\frac{1}{4} |x| > 1$
 $|x| > 4$

Don't have to
write.

all 4 combos
cc is possible

$$\begin{array}{c} D \quad C \quad D \\ \leftarrow \quad \textcircled{-4} \quad 0 \quad \textcircled{4} \quad \rightarrow x \end{array} \quad I = \underbrace{[-4, 4]}_{\text{or}} \underbrace{(-4, 4)}_{\text{or}}$$

✓ $x = -4, 4$ (then, $L = \frac{1}{4}|x| = 1 \Rightarrow$ Ratio Test inconclusive)

If $x = -4$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^n \sqrt{n}} (-4)^n &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^n \sqrt{n}} (-1)^n 4^n \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \right) \quad \textcircled{C} \text{ by AST} \\ &\quad \text{alt. \(\epsilon\), } \rightarrow 0 \end{aligned}$$

If $x = 4$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^n \sqrt{n}} 4^n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \quad \textcircled{D} \text{ by } p\text{-series } (p = \frac{1}{2} \leq 1)$$

Find I

$$\leftarrow \quad \bullet \quad \bullet \quad \rightarrow \\ \quad \quad -4 \quad \quad 4$$

$$I = (-4, 4)$$

What If...

Indep. of n , can pop out of $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty}$
or $|x| \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n}$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad L = \dots = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|x|}{n} = 0 < 1 \text{ for all real } x \\ R = \infty, I = (-\infty, \infty)$$

Up to 33
11, 21, 24 (later)

$$\textcircled{2} \quad L = \dots = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n|x| = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x=0 \\ \infty & \text{if } x \neq 0 \end{cases} \\ R=0, \delta \text{ conv. only for } x=0 \quad (\text{I'm OK with } I = \{0\}.)$$

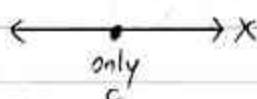
⑤ Power Σ in $(x-c)$ (before: $c=0$)

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-c)^n \quad \text{"Power } \Sigma \text{ centered at } c"$$

What value of x
guarantees conv.
regardless of " a_n 's"?
Not really an
interval here

Possible "I"s

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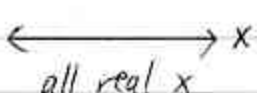


$$R=0$$

$$I = \{c\}$$

Is this an interval?
Don't worry!

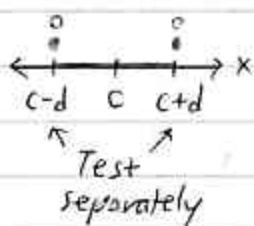
②



$$R=\infty$$

$$I = (-\infty, \infty)$$

③



$$R=d \quad (d>0)$$

$$I = [(c-d), (c+d)]$$

or or

Ex (#12) Find I for $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \underbrace{\frac{1}{n(n+1)} (x-2)^n}_{= u_n}$

For what x is "Ratio Test" $L < 1$?
(or Root)

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

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

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{n(n+1)}{(n+1)(n+2)} (x-2) \right|$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \underbrace{\frac{n}{n+2}}_{\rightarrow 1} (x-2) \right|$$

$$= |x-2|$$

$$\S \text{ (c) if } |x-2| < 1$$

How can we
rewrite without
||?

$$\begin{aligned} |\star| &< 1 \\ -1 &< \star < 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} -1 & < & x-2 & < & 1 \\ +2 & & +2 & & +2 \end{array}$$

$$1 < x < 3$$

$$\leftarrow \begin{array}{ccccc} D & (?) & C & (?) & D \\ & 1 & & 3 & \end{array} \rightarrow$$

$$I = \left[\underset{\text{or}}{(1,} \underset{\text{or}}{, 3)} \right]$$

$$\text{If } x=1$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)} (1-2)^n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \underbrace{\frac{1}{n(n+1)}}_{\begin{smallmatrix} \text{Alt. S} \\ \dots \rightarrow \\ \rightarrow 0 \end{smallmatrix}}$$

(c) by AST

If $x=3$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)} \underbrace{(3-2)^n}_{(1)^n = 1} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)}$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+n} \quad \text{to}$$

I thought 1^∞ indet?
Not if the base
is just "1"!

BCT

$$\frac{1}{n^2+n} \leq \frac{1}{n^2} \quad (n \geq 1)$$

Big $\mathcal{O}$ conv.

$\Rightarrow$ Little $\mathcal{O}$ $\odot$



$[1, 3]$