

Statement:

Let  $\sum a_n$  be a series of complex terms, whose partial sums form a bounded series

Let  $\{b_n\}$  be a decreasing which converges to zero then prove that the series  $\sum a_n b_n$  converges.

Proof: Denote the  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sums of the given series  $\sum a_n$  then using Abel's partial summation formula,

we get

$$\sum_{k=1}^n a_k b_k = A_n b_{n+1} - \sum_{k=1}^n A_k (b_{k+1} - b_k) \rightarrow (1)$$

Hypothesis: 1 The sequence of partial sums is bounded

(i)  $\{A_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is bounded

(ii)  $\exists$  a constant  $M > 0, \exists$

$$|A_n| \leq M, \forall n \rightarrow (2)$$

Hypothesis: 2  $\{b_n\}$  decreasing to 0

(i)  $b_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

$n \rightarrow \infty$   
for sufficiently large value of  $n$

(or)  $b_{n+1} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty \rightarrow (3)$

Consider

$$|A_n b_{n+1}| \leq |A_n| |b_{n+1}| \leq M |b_{n+1}| \therefore \text{by (2)}$$

$$\rightarrow M \cdot 0 = 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \therefore \text{by (3)}$$

(i)  $\{A_n b_{n+1}\} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

(ii) The sequence  $\{A_n b_{n+1}\}$  is convergent  $\rightarrow (4)$

Claim:  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n b_n$  is convergent

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TPP: (a) the Sequence of  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sums is convergent  
(Note that the Seq  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sums of this series is given by the L.H.S of ①)

$\Rightarrow$  The R.H.S of ① is convergent, when  $n \rightarrow \infty$

$\Rightarrow$  The Sequence  $\{a_n b_{n+1}\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  and the Series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n (b_{n+1} - b_n)$  are convergent.

(of these two  $\{a_n b_{n+1}\}$  is already est by ①)

$\therefore$  Enough to prove that

The Series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n (b_{n+1} - b_n)$  is convergent

Hypothesis:  $\exists \{b_n\}$  is decreasing

Let  $k < k+1 \Rightarrow b_k \geq b_{k+1}$

$$\Rightarrow b_k - b_{k+1} \geq 0$$

$$|b_k - b_{k+1}| = b_k - b_{k+1} \longrightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

consider

$$|a_k (b_{k+1} - b_k)| \leq |a_k| |b_{k+1} - b_k|$$

$$\leq M (b_k - b_{k+1}) \quad \therefore \text{by } \textcircled{3} \text{ and } \textcircled{4}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n a_k (b_{k+1} - b_k) \leq \sum_{k=1}^n M (b_k - b_{k+1})$$

$$= M \sum_{k=1}^n (b_k - b_{k+1})$$

$$= M (b_1 - b_2 + b_2 - b_3 + \dots + b_{n-1} - b_n$$

$$+ b_n - b_{n+1}) \longrightarrow \textcircled{5}$$

Here  $\{b_n\}$  is decreasing

$$1 \leq n+1 \Rightarrow b_1 \geq b_{n+1}$$

$$b_1 - b_{n+1} \geq 0$$

The sequence  $\{b_n - b_{n+1}\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a sequence of non-negative terms bounded below by zero.  $\times$  or  $\circledast$   
 $\Rightarrow$  This sequence is convergent  $\text{UNST} \rightarrow \text{D}$   
 $\therefore$  The R.H.S of (5) is convergent when  $n \rightarrow \infty$   
 i.e.)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n (b_{n+1} - b_n)$  is convergent

Hence the theorem

Theorem: 8.29

Q.P State and prove the Abel's Test.

Statement: The series  $\sum a_n b_n$  converges if  $\sum a_n$  converges and  $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a monotonic convergent sequence.

Proof: Let  $t_n = a_n b_n$   
 Let  $A_n = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n$  denote the  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sums of  $\sum a_n$  and

let  $V_n = t_1 + t_2 + \dots + t_n$   
 $V_n = a_1 b_1 + a_2 b_2 + \dots + a_n b_n$  denote the  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sums of  $\sum a_n b_n$ .

Here,

$$A_1 = a_1$$

$$A_2 = a_1 + a_2$$

$$A_2 - A_1 = a_2$$

$$A_3 - A_2 = a_3$$

$$\vdots$$

$$A_n - A_{n-1} = a_n$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore V_n &= a_1 b_1 + a_2 b_2 + \dots + a_n b_n \\
 &= A_1 b_1 + (A_2 - A_1) b_2 + (A_3 - A_2) b_3 + \dots + (A_n - A_{n-1}) b_n \\
 &= A_1 (b_1 - b_2) + A_2 (b_2 - b_3) + \dots + A_{n-1} (b_{n-1} - b_n)
 \end{aligned}$$



$$V_n = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} A_k (b_k - b_{k+1}) + A_n b_n \longrightarrow 0$$

Hypothesis : 1  $\sum a_n$  is convergent

$\times 0 \times 0 \times$  (11)

(10)

$\Rightarrow$  The sequence of  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sums is convergent

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$\Rightarrow \{A_n\}$  is convergent

$\Rightarrow \{A_n\}$  is bounded  $\longrightarrow$  (2)

Hypothesis : 2  $\{b_n\}$  is monotonically convergent

$\{b_n\}$  is increasing

$$b_k \leq b_{k+1}$$

$$b_k - b_{k+1} \leq 0$$

$\{b_n\}$  is decreasing

$$b_k \geq b_{k+1}$$

$$b_k - b_{k+1} \geq 0$$

In either case  $\{b_k - b_{k+1}\}$  is bounded by zero either below (or) above  $\longrightarrow$  (3)

Thus (2) and (3)  $\Rightarrow$  the series

$$\sum A_k (b_k - b_{k+1}) \text{ is convergent as } k \rightarrow \infty$$

Also (3)  $\Rightarrow \{b_n\}$  tends to a finite sum

$\therefore \{A_n b_n\} \rightarrow$  a finite sum as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

In other words, the R.H.S of (1) tends to a finite sum as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

thus (1)  $\Rightarrow \{V_n\}$  is convergent

$\therefore \sum a_n b_n$  is convergent

Hence the theorem.

## Rearrangement of Series

Def: 8.31

Let  $f$  be a function whose domain is  $Z^+$  and whose range is  $Z^+$ , and assume that  $f$  is one to one on  $Z^+$ . Let  $\sum a_n$  and  $\sum b_n$  be two series such that

$$b_n = a_{f(n)} \quad \text{for } n=1, 2, \dots$$

Then  $\sum b_n$  is said to be a rearrangement of  $\sum a_n$ .

Theorem: 8.32

Let  $\sum a_n$  be an absolutely convergent series having sum  $S$ . Then every rearrangement of  $\sum a_n$  also converges absolutely and has sum  $S$ .

Proof: Let  $\sum b_n$  be any arbitrary rearrangement of

$\sum a_n$ . by defn.  $\exists$  an onto function (way)  $f: Z^+ \rightarrow Z^+ \ni$

$$\therefore b_n = a_{f(n)}$$

Claim: 1  $\sum b_n$  is an absolute convergent and has the same sum =  $S$ , where  $S = \sum a_n$ .

Hypothesis: 1  $\sum a_n$  is absolute convergent

$\therefore \sum a_n$  and  $\sum |a_n|$  are convergent

Hypothesis: 2  $\sum a_n$  has the sum =  $S$

$$\text{(e)} \sum a_n = \sum |a_n| = S.$$

(e) The sequence of  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sums of both  $\sum a_n$  and  $\sum |a_n|$  converges to  $S$ .

To prove:  $\sum |b_n|$  is convergent.

(e) TPT: The sequence of  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sums of  $\sum |b_n|$  is convergent.

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 This sequence of partial sums of  $\sum |b_n|$  is bounded.  
 Consider the  $n$ th partial sums of  $\sum |b_n|$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= |b_1| + |b_2| + \dots + |b_n| \\
 &= |a_1 b(1)| + |a_2 b(2)| + \dots + |a_n b(n)| \quad \dots \text{by } \textcircled{1} \\
 &= |a_1| + |a_2| + \dots + |a_n| \\
 &= \text{the } n\text{th partial sums of the series } \sum |a_n|
 \end{aligned}$$

Hypothesis  $\sum |a_n|$  is convergent  $\Rightarrow$  the sequence of  $n$ th partial sum of  $\sum |a_n|$  is convergent  $\rightarrow$  a finite value.  
 $\Rightarrow$  The sequence of  $n$ th partial sum of  $\sum |a_n|$  is bdd.

(or) the sequence of  $n$ th partial sums of  $\sum |b_n|$  is cgt.  
 $\sum b_n$  is absolute convergent.

Claim: 2  $\sum |b_n|$  (or)  $\sum b_n$  has the same sum  $S$

TPT: The sequence of  $n$ th partial sums of  $\sum |b_n|$  converge to  $S$ .

for this purpose let,

$$T_n = b_1 + b_2 + \dots + b_n \text{ denote the } n\text{th partial sums}$$

$\sum b_n$  and

$$S_n = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n \text{ denote the } n\text{th partial sums}$$

of  $\sum a_n$

Hypothesis:  $\sum a_n = S \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

The sequence of  $n$ th partial sums of  $\sum a_n$  converge to  $S$ .

(i) The sequence  $\{S_n\}$  converges to  $S$

(or)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = S$



By defn of limit of a sequence

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a given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists N \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  such that

$$|s_n - S| < \epsilon/2 \quad (n \geq N)$$

fix  $n = N$

$$|s_N - S| < \epsilon/2 \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow S = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$$

$$\therefore S = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_N + a_{N+1} + \dots + a_n + \dots$$

$S_N$  = the sum of  $N^{\text{th}}$  partial sum.

$$\therefore S_N = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_N.$$

Now consider,

$$|s_n - S| = |S - S_N|$$

$$= \left| (a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_N + a_{N+1} + \dots + a_n + \dots) \right. \\ \left. - (a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_N) \right|$$

$$= |a_{N+1} + a_{N+2} + \dots + a_n + \dots|$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |a_{N+k}|$$

We have show that

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |a_{N+k}| = |s_n - S|$$

$$< \epsilon/2 \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

Finally, it remains to show that  $\{t_n\} \rightarrow S$

consider,  $|t_n - S|$  sub and add  $S_N$

$$= |t_n - S - S_N + S_N|$$

$$\leq |t_n - S_N| + |s_n - S|$$

$$\leq |t_n - s_n| + \epsilon/2 \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

Choose a positive integer  $n$ .

$$\{1, 2, \dots, n\} \times \{b_{l(1)}, b_{l(2)}, \dots, b_{l(n)}\} \rightarrow \text{②}$$

Let  $n > m$

By defn of rearrangement  $\{b_n\}$  is onto

$$\Rightarrow b_{l(n)} > b_{l(m)}$$

$$\Rightarrow b_{l(n)} > N \quad \text{by ②}$$

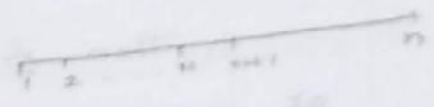
Consider,

$$|t_n - s_n|$$

$$= |(b_1 + b_2 + \dots + b_n) - (a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n)|$$

$$= |(a_{l(1)} + a_{l(2)} + \dots + a_{l(n)}) - (a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n)|$$

$$= |a_{n+1} + a_{n+2} + \dots + a_n|$$



$$= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |a_{n+k}|$$

$$\leq \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |a_{n+k}|$$

$$\leq \epsilon/2 \quad \text{by ②} \rightarrow \text{⑤}$$

Substituting eqn ⑤ in eqn ④, we get

$$|t_n - s| < \frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

$$|t_n - s| < \epsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow \{t_n\} \rightarrow s$$

$$\text{Here } \sum |b_n| = s.$$

Hence the theorem.

Thm 8.33 Riemann's Theorem on Conditionally Convergent Series:

Let  $\sum a_n$  be a conditionally convergent series with real-valued terms. Let  $x$  and  $y$  be given numbers in the closed interval  $[-\infty, +\infty]$  with  $x \leq y$ . Then there exists a rearrangement  $\sum b_n$  of  $\sum a_n$



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Such that,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{k \geq n} t_k = x \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{k \geq n} t_k = y,$$

where  $t_n = b_1 + \dots + b_n$ .

Proof: Discarding terms of a series which are zero does not affect its convergence or divergence.

Here we might as well assume that no terms of  $\sum a_n$  are zero. So

Let  $p_n$  denote the  $n$ th positive term of  $\sum a_n$  and let  $q_n$  denote its  $n$ th negative term.

Then  $\sum p_n$  and  $\sum q_n$  are both divergent series of positive terms.

Next, construct two sequences of real numbers. Say  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{y_n\}$  such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = x, \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = y, \quad \text{with } x_n < y_n, \quad y_n > 0$$

The idea of the proof is now quite simple. we take just enough (say  $k_1$ ) positive terms so that,

$$p_1 + \dots + p_{k_1} > y_1,$$

followed by just enough (say  $r_1$ ) negative terms so that

$$p_1 + \dots + p_{k_1} - q_{r_1} - \dots - q_{r_1} < x_1.$$

Next we take just enough further positive terms so that,

$$p_1 + \dots + p_{k_1} - q_{r_1} - \dots - q_{r_1} + p_{k_1+1} + \dots + p_{k_2} - q_{r_1+1} - \dots$$

steps as possible since  $\sum p_n$  and  $\sum q_n$  are both convergent series of positive terms. If the process is continued in this way,

we obviously obtain a rearrangement of  $\sum a_n$  where it is to the reader to show that the partial sums of this rearrangement have limit superior  $\alpha$  and limit inferior  $\alpha$ .

### Double Sequence

Def: A function  $f$  whose domain is  $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}^+$  is called a double sequence.

Note: We shall be interested only in real or complex valued double sequences.

Def n: 8-28

If  $a \in \mathbb{C}$ , we write  $\lim_{p, q \rightarrow \infty} f(p, q) = a$  and we say that the double sequence  $f$  converges to  $a$  provided that the following condition is satisfied,

for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists on  $\mathbb{N}$  such that

$$|f(p, q) - a| < \epsilon \text{ whenever both } p > N \text{ and } q > N.$$

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Assume that  $\lim_{p, q \rightarrow \infty} f(p, q) = a$ . For each fixed  $p$ ,

assume that the limit  $\lim_{q \rightarrow \infty} f(p, q)$  exists then the limit  $\lim_{p \rightarrow \infty} \left( \lim_{q \rightarrow \infty} f(p, q) \right)$  also exists and has the value  $a$ .

Proof: Note:  $\lim_{p, q \rightarrow \infty} f(p, q)$  is called a 'Double Limit'

$\lim_{p \rightarrow \infty} \left( \lim_{q \rightarrow \infty} f(p, q) \right)$  is called an iterated limit

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