

**MATH 349**  
**Midterm Handout**

1. Determine if the indicated sequence is bounded, ult.monotonic, and convergent

(a)  $a_n = \frac{\ln(n+3)}{n+3}$

2. Determine whether the indicated series is absolutely convergent,

conditionally convergent or divergent.  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1}} \right)$ .

3. Find the interval of convergence if  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^k}{\sqrt{k}} (x-1)^k$ .

4. Find the sum of (a)  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\ln 2)^k}{k!}$  (b)  $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n(n+1)}$ .

5. Find the Taylor series for  $f(x) = \frac{1}{(x+3)x}$  around the center  $x_0 = -1$ , particularly the coefficient  $a_6$ .

For what values of  $x$  is the representation valid?(Hint: Use partial fractions)

6. Find Taylor polynomial of degree 3 for  $f(x) = \ln \frac{x-1}{x}$  around the centre  $x_0 = 2$ .

7. Find a parametrization of the curve  $c$  given as the intersection of the cone  $\{z = \sqrt{2x^2 + 2y^2}\}$  and the plane  $\{z + x = 1\}$ .

8. For the curve  $c$  given by  $\mathbf{r}(t) = (2t, t^2, \ln t)$ ,  $t > 0$  find

- (a) an equation of the tangent line at  $P(2, 1, 0)$ ;  
(b) the arclength of  $c$  between  $P$  and  $R(2e, e^2, 1)$ .

9. For the curve  $c$  given by  $\mathbf{r}(t) = (t \sin t, t \cos t, 2t)$

- (a) find an equation of the tangent line to  $c$  at the origin ;  
(b) find the arclength between the origin and the point  $A\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, 0, \pi\right)$ .

10. Find a parametrization of the curve  $c$  given as the intersection of two surfaces  $c = \{x^2 + y^2 = 2z\} \cap \{3x - 4y - z = 0\}$ .