

Topics in Basic Analysis: Homework 4

1. Prove that the following sets have an empty interior.

a) $\{\frac{1}{n} | n \in \mathbb{N}\}$

b) \mathbb{Q}

2. Find the closure of the following sets.

a) \mathbb{Q}

b) $\{r \in \mathbb{Q} : r^2 < 2\}$

3. Determine if the following series converge or diverge. Be sure to justify your answers.

a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^4}{2^n}$

b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{n!}$

c) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{n^4 + 3}$

d) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos^2 n}{n^2}$

e) $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{[n + (-1)^n]^2}$

f) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{n^n}$

g) $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n} \ln n}$

h) $\sum_{n=4}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)(\ln \ln n)}$

i) $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\ln n}{n^2}$

4. Prove the following: If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n|$ converges and $(b_n)_n$ is a bounded sequence, then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n b_n$ converges.

5. Prove the following: If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ is a convergent series of nonnegative numbers and $p > 1$, then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n^p$ converges.

6. Prove the following: If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ are convergent series of nonnegative numbers, then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sqrt{a_n b_n}$ converges. Hint: Show that $\sqrt{a_n b_n} \leq a_n + b_n$ for all $n \geq 1$.