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7 (a) let $B = \sup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \{ |b_i| \}$, since $\{b_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ bounded $\Rightarrow B < \infty$

$$\sum_{i=m}^n |a_i b_i| \leq B \sum_{i=m}^n |a_i| \quad \forall n > m, n, m \in \mathbb{N} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

Since $\{a_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ converges absolutely $\iff \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n |a_i| \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ converges,

\iff (by Cauchy's Convergence Thm):

$\forall \varepsilon' > 0, \exists N \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t. $\forall n > m > N, n, m, N \in \mathbb{N}$

we have $\left| \sum_{i=1}^n |a_i| - \sum_{i=1}^m |a_i| \right| < \varepsilon' \quad \textcircled{2}$

$\forall \varepsilon > 0$, take $\varepsilon' = \frac{\varepsilon}{B}$, combining $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$ we obtain:

$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists N \in \mathbb{N}$ (actually same N in $\textcircled{2}$) s.t.

$\forall n > m > N, n, m, N \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \sum_{i=1}^n |a_i b_i| - \sum_{i=1}^m |a_i b_i| \right| &= \left| \sum_{i=m}^n |a_i b_i| \right| \leq |B| \left| \sum_{i=1}^n |a_i| - \sum_{i=1}^m |a_i| \right| \\ &< |B| \cdot \frac{\varepsilon}{B} \\ &= \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

(b) Let's take $a_n = (-1)^n \frac{1}{n}$
 $b_n = (-1)^n$

Then we check

① $\left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ is convergent

② $\left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ diverges

For ① Note that $|a_{2i} + a_{2i-1}| = \left| \frac{1}{2i} - \frac{1}{2i-1} \right| \leq \frac{1}{2i-2} - \frac{1}{2i}$ for $i > 1$ (★)

Then we have $\left| \sum_{i=2m}^{2n} a_i \right| = \left| \sum_{j=m}^n a_{2j} + a_{2j+1} \right|$ for $n > m, n, m \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\text{(by ★)} \leq \sum_{j=m}^n \frac{1}{2j} - \frac{1}{2j+2}$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2m} + \frac{1}{2n+2} < \frac{1}{m}$$

Similarly, we have

$$\left| \sum_{i=2m-1}^{2n} a_i \right| = \left| a_{2m-1} + \sum_{i=2m}^{2n} a_i \right| < \frac{1}{2m-1} + \frac{1}{m} \leq \frac{2}{m}$$

$$\left| \sum_{i=2m-1}^{2n+1} a_i \right| = \left| a_{2m-1} + a_{2n+1} + \sum_{i=2m}^{2n} a_i \right| < \frac{1}{2m-1} + \frac{1}{2n+1} + \frac{1}{m} < \frac{3}{m}$$

$$\left| \sum_{i=2m}^{2n+1} a_i \right| = \left| a_{2n+1} + \sum_{i=2m}^{2n} a_i \right| < \frac{1}{2n+1} + \frac{1}{m} < \frac{2}{m}$$

$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists N > \frac{1}{\varepsilon}, N \in \mathbb{N}$, s.t. $\forall n > m > N, m, n \in \mathbb{N}$

we have $\left| \sum_{i=m}^n a_i \right| < \frac{1}{N} < \varepsilon$, hence $\left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ is convergent.

For ②, note that $\sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}$ is harmonic series.

9. Since $\sum_{i=1}^n a_i$ converges, for $\forall \varepsilon > 0$, $\exists N \in \mathbb{N}$

s.t. $\forall n > m > N$, $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\sum_{i=m}^n a_i < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

Since $\{a_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ monotonely decreasing

$$\Rightarrow (n-m)a_n \leq \sum_{i=m}^n a_i < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow na_n < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + ma_n$$

Since a_i positive, we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} ma_n = 0 \Rightarrow \exists N' \in \mathbb{N} \text{ s.t. for } \forall n > N'$$

$$ma_n < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall n > \max\{N, N'\}$$

$$0 < na_n < \varepsilon$$

Since ε is arbitrary $\Rightarrow \limsup_n na_n = 0$

Since $na_n > 0$, we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} na_n = 0$

13. (a)

$$\text{let } a_n = \frac{\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}(\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n})} > \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1}(\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n+1})} = \frac{1}{2(n+1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sum_{i=1}^n a_i > \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{2i+1}$$

$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ is divergent since harmonic series is divergent

(b)

$$\text{let } b_n = \frac{\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}}{n} = \frac{1}{(\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n})n} < \frac{1}{2n^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

We understand $b'_n = \frac{1}{2(n+1)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$ as the value of function

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2x^{\frac{3}{2}}} \text{ at } x = n+1$$

Since $f(x)$ is decreasing, $\forall n > m > 1, n, m \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \sum_{i=m}^n b'_i &\leq \sum_{i=m}^{\infty} ((i+1) - i) f(i+1) < \int_m^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_m^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} x^{-\frac{3}{2}} dx \\ &= -x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Big|_m^{\infty} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{m}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=m}^n b_n \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{m-1}}$$

for $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists N \in \mathbb{N}, \text{ e.g. } N > \frac{1}{\varepsilon^2} + 1$, s.t. for $\forall n > m > N$,

$$n, m \in \mathbb{N}, \text{ we have } \sum_{i=m}^n b_n \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{N-1}} < \sqrt{\varepsilon^2} < \varepsilon$$

$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} b_n$ is convergent.

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(1) (b)

$$\frac{n}{(n+1)(n+2)} \geq \frac{n}{n(n+4)} \quad (\text{for } n \geq 2)$$
$$= \frac{1}{n+4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^m b_n > \sum_{n=5}^m \frac{1}{n} \quad (\text{for } m > 5)$$

Since RHS is divergent, we have $\left\{ \sum_{n=1}^m b_n \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$ is divergent.

$$(d) \frac{\frac{n+1}{2^{n+1}}}{\frac{n}{2^n}} = \frac{n+1}{2n} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2n} \leq \frac{3}{4} \quad \text{for } n \geq 2$$

by ratio test

We have $\left\{ \sum_{n=1}^m \frac{n}{2^n} \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$ is convergent

$$(2) (a) \left(\frac{1}{n(n+1)} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} > \left(\frac{1}{(n+1)^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^m \frac{1}{n(n+1)} > \sum_{n=1}^m \frac{1}{n+1}$$

Since harmonic series is divergent,

$\left\{ \sum_{n=1}^m \frac{1}{n(n+1)} \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$ is divergent.

$$(c) \frac{(n+1)!}{\frac{(n+1)^{n+1}}{n!}} = \frac{(n+1) \cdot (n!) \cdot n^n}{(n+1)^{n+1}}$$

$$= \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^n = \left(1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right)^n$$

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

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

\Rightarrow there $\exists K \in \mathbb{N}$, s.t. $\forall n > K, n \in \mathbb{N}$,

$$\left(1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right)^n < \frac{1}{2}$$

by Ratio Test

we have $\left\{ \sum_{n=1}^m \frac{n!}{n^n} \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$ is convergent

(3) (e) Consider function $f(x) = \frac{1}{x \ln x}$ which is > 0 & decreasing on $(e, +\infty)$

$$\lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_e^b \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_e^b \frac{1}{\ln x} d \ln x \stackrel{t = \ln x}{=} \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^{\ln b} \frac{1}{t} dt$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \ln \ln b$$

is divergent, for $n \geq 3 > e$

by Integral test,

we have $\left\{ \sum_{n=3}^m \frac{1}{n \ln n} \right\}_{m=3}^{\infty}$ is divergent

(f) $f(x) = \frac{1}{x \ln x (\ln \ln x)^2}$ is > 0 & decreasing on $(e^e, +\infty)$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_e^b f(x) dx &= \int_e^b \frac{1}{x \ln x (\ln \ln x)^2} d \ln x \stackrel{t = \ln x}{=} \int_e^{\ln b} \frac{1}{e^{-t} t (\ln t)^2} dt \\ &\stackrel{s = \ln t}{=} \int_1^{\ln \ln b} \frac{1}{s^2} ds \\ &= 1 - \frac{1}{\ln \ln b} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_e^b f(x) dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} 1 - \frac{1}{\ln \ln b} = 1$$

By Integral test, for $n \geq 27 > e^e$

We have $\left\{ \sum_{n=27}^m \frac{1}{n \ln n (\ln \ln n)^2} \right\}_{m=27}^{\infty}$ is convergent