

1. For each of the following power series, find the interval of convergence and the radius of convergence of the series.

(a)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} x^n$

Interval of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

Radius of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

(b)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} x^n$

Interval of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

Radius of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

(c)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10^{n+1}}{3^{2n}} x^n$

Interval of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

Radius of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

(d)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} (2x - 3)^n$

Interval of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

Radius of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

(e)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \ln n} (x - \sqrt{2})^n$

Interval of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

Radius of Convergence: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Recall that  $\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n$  if  $|x| < 1$ . Use this fact to determine a series representation for the following. Find the radius of convergence for these.

(a)  $\frac{1}{1-2x}$

(b)  $\frac{1}{1+x^2}$

(c)  $\frac{1}{3-5x}$

3. The series

$$\sin(x) = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \frac{x^9}{9!} - \frac{x^{11}}{11!} + \cdots$$

converges to  $\sin(x)$  for all real numbers  $x$ .

- (a) Use differentiation to find the first six terms of a series for  $\cos(x)$ .

- (b) Now, try finding a series for  $\cos(x)$  by computing  $-\int \sin(x)dx$ .

- (c) Did you get the same answer? Explain what is going on.

- (d) Use the fact that  $\cos(0) = 1$  to determine which of these is correct.

4. We know that  $\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n$  for  $-1 < x < 1$ .

(a) Differentiate both sides, then multiply by  $x$  and find the interval of convergence for this new series.

(b) Use the result from part (a) to find the value of  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n}{2^n}$ .

(c) Use the concept from parts (a) and (b) to find the value of  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n^2}{3^n}$ .