

MATHEMATICS 101 Section 211

Quiz #8, March 26, 2012

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- 1) For each of the following sums, determine if the series is absolutely convergent, conditionally convergent, or divergent. Correct answers not properly justified will earn no points. (3 points each)

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

(ii)
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{n^2 4^n}{n!}$$

(iii)
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{7n}{10n + 7}$$

- 2) In the next lecture, we will see that a power series expansion of e^x is

$$e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

Explain how you would use this expansion to find an n such that if you add up the first n terms in the power series expansion of e^{-2} , you are correct up to three decimal places. You do not need to compute this value of n . Only to explain what theorems and methods you are using to find this n . (1 point)