

Improper Integral

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Improper Integral.

An Integral $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ is called proper Integral if limits are finite and $f(x)$ is bounded at a or b or both. If $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ is not proper, it is called improper integral.

Ist Kind

$\int_a^b f(x) dx$, if limits are finite but $f(x)$ is unbounded, it is called improper integral of 1st kind.

$$\int_0^2 \frac{dx}{x(x-1)} \quad \int_1^2 \frac{dx}{(x-1)(x-2)} \quad \int_0^4 \frac{dx}{(x-4)^2} \quad \int_0^5 \frac{dx}{(x-2)(x+3)}$$

IInd Kind

$\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$, $\int_{-\infty}^x f(x) dx$, $\int_{-\infty}^b f(x) dx$ are improper integral of IInd kind. i.e. if limits are infinite.

Convergence.

$\int_a^b f(x) dx$ be a Improper integral of Ist kind and $f(x)$ unbounded at $x=a$.

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{a+\epsilon}^b f(x) dx.$$

= a finite no, given integral convergent and vice versa.

If $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ unbounded at $x=b$.

$$\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_a^{b-\epsilon} f(x) dx = \text{a finite no, then given integral convergent.}$$

Ex-1 $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^2}$, Test the Convergence.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Sol}^n :- \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^2} &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{0+\epsilon}^1 \frac{dx}{x^2} \\ &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{x^{-2+1}}{-2+1} \right]_{0+\epsilon}^1 \\ &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[-\frac{1}{x} \right]_{\epsilon}^1 \\ &= -\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[1 - \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right] \\ &= \infty.\end{aligned}$$

Given, integral is divergent.

Ex-2 $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x}}$, Test the Convergence.

Solⁿ:- $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x}}$ is unbounded at $x=1$.

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x}} &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_0^{1-\epsilon} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x}} \\ &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{(1-x)^{-\frac{1}{2}+1}}{-\frac{1}{2}+1} (-1) \right]_0^{1-\epsilon} \\ &= -\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}} 2(1-x)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right]_0^{1-\epsilon} \\ &= -\frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}} \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[(1-1+\epsilon)^{\frac{1}{2}} - 1^{\frac{1}{2}} \right] \\ &= -2 \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} [\epsilon^{\frac{1}{2}} - 1] \\ &= -2 [0 - 1]\end{aligned}$$

Given integral is $= 2$ Convergent. 4

Ex-3

$$\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

Qn:-

$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ is unbounded at $x=1$.

$$\therefore \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_0^{1-\epsilon} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[\sin^{-1} x \right]_0^{1-\epsilon}$$

$$= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[\sin^{-1} (1-\epsilon) - \sin^{-1} 0 \right]$$

$$= \sin^{-1} 1 - \sin^{-1} 0$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} - 0$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2}$$

So, given integral is convergent.

Comparison

$\int_a^b f(x) dx$, where $f(x)$ unbounded at $x=a$

If f and g are two positive functions on $[a, b]$ and $f(x) \leq g(x)$.

Then, $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ convergent if $\int_a^b g(x) dx$ convergent.

$\int_a^b f(x) dx$ divergent if $\int_a^b g(x) dx$ divergent.

Alternative form.

If $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are two positive functions and $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$, a finite number.

Then, $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ and $\int_a^b g(x) dx$ either convergent or divergent.

Comparison Integral.

$\int_a^b \frac{dx}{(x-a)^n}$, convergent if $n < 1$.
divergent if $n \geq 1$.

$$\text{Soln} \int_a^b \frac{dx}{(x-a)^n} = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{a+\epsilon}^b \frac{dx}{(x-a)^n}$$

$$= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{(x-a)^{1-n}}{1-n} \right]_{a+\epsilon}^b$$

$$= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{(b-a)^{1-n}}{1-n} - \frac{(\epsilon)^{1-n}}{1-n} \right]$$

Case I for $n < 1$

$$n < 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < 1-n.$$

$$\therefore \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \epsilon^{1-n} = 0.$$

$$\int_a^b \frac{dx}{(x-a)^n} = \frac{(b-a)^{1-n}}{1-n} - 0$$
$$= \frac{(b-a)^{1-n}}{1-n}$$

So, it is convergent.

Case II

$$n > 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-n < 0.$$

$$\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \epsilon^{1-n} = \infty.$$

$$\therefore \int_a^b \frac{dx}{(x-a)^n} = \infty.$$

So, it is divergent.

Case III if $n=1$.

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b \frac{dx}{(x-a)^n}$$

$$= \int_a^b \frac{dx}{x-a}$$

$$= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{a+\epsilon}^b \frac{dx}{(x-a)}$$

$$= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} [\log(x-a)]_{a+\epsilon}^b$$

$$= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} [\log(b-a) - \log \epsilon]$$

$$= \infty.$$

So it is divergent.

Hence, $\int_a^b \frac{dx}{(x-a)^n}$ is convergent if $n < 1$.
divergent if $n \geq 1$.

Ex-4 Test the Convergence of the integral.

$$\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^{1/3}(1+x^2)}$$

Solⁿ:- $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^{1/3}(1+x^2)}$

Here, $f(x)$ is unbounded at $x=0$.

Consider a function $g(x) = \frac{1}{x^{1/3}}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^{1/3}(1+x^2)} \cdot x^{1/3}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1+0} = 1, \text{ a finite number.}$$

$\therefore \int_0^1 g(x) dx = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^{1/3}} dx$ is convergent because $m = \frac{1}{3}$ which is less than 1.

So, By Comparison test the given integral $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^{1/3}(1+x^2)}$ is convergent.

Ex-5 Test the Convergence $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^3(1+x^2)}$

Solⁿ:- $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^3(1+x^2)}$ is unbounded at $x=0$.

Let, us consider a function $g(x) = \frac{1}{x^3}$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^3(1+x^2)} \cdot x^3$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1+0} = 1, \text{ a finite no.}$$

$\therefore \int_0^1 g(x) dx = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^2}$ is divergent. since $n=3$ given

So, by comparison test, the given integral

$\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^3(1+x^2)}$ is divergent.

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Ex-6 Test the convergence $\int_1^2 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^4-1}}$

Solⁿ:- $\int_1^2 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^4-1}} = \int_1^2 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x-1} \sqrt{x+1} \sqrt{x^2+1}}$

$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-1} \sqrt{x+1} \sqrt{x^2+1}}$ is unbounded at $x=1$.

Consider a function $g(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-1}}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-1} \sqrt{x+1} \sqrt{x^2+1}} \cdot \sqrt{x-1}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+1} \sqrt{x^2+1}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} \sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{2}, \text{ which is a finite no.}$$

$\therefore \int_1^2 g(x) dx = \int_1^2 \frac{dx}{(x-1)^{1/2}}$ is convergent because $n = \frac{1}{2}$

less than 1.

So, by comparison test, the given integral

$\int_1^2 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^4-1}}$ is convergent.

$$\int_0^1 \sqrt{x(1-x)}$$

Soln:-

$$I = \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$$
$$= \int_0^a \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}} + \int_a^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$$
$$= I_1 + I_2.$$

Test for I_1 $I_1 = \int_0^a \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$

$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$ is unbounded at $x=0$.

Consider a function $g(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$.

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}\sqrt{1-x}} \cdot \sqrt{x}$$
$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x}}$$
$$= 1, \text{ a finite no.}$$

$\therefore \int_0^a g(x) dx = \int_0^a \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$ is convergent - because $m = \frac{1}{2}$ less than

So, By comparison test I_1 is convergent.

Test for I_2 $I_2 = \int_a^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$

$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$ is unbounded at $x=1$.

Consider a function $g(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x}}$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}\sqrt{1-x}} \cdot \sqrt{1-x}$$
$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$$
$$= 1, \text{ a finite no.}$$

$\therefore \int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x-x}}$ is convergent because $n = \frac{1}{2} < 1$.

So, By comparison test, I_2 is convergent. (5)

Since, I_1 and I_2 are convergent.

So, the given integral I is also convergent.

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos x}{x^2} dx.$$

Solⁿ

Here, $f(x) = \frac{\cos x}{x^2}$

$f(x)$ is unbounded at $x=0$.

Consider a function $g(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x}{x^2} \cdot x^2.$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \cos x.$$

$$= 1, \text{ a finite no.}$$

$\therefore \int_0^{\pi/2} g(x) dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{x^2}$ is divergent-integral because $n=2$ greater than 1.

So, By comparison test ~~the~~ The given integral

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos x}{x^2}$$
 is also divergent.

Ex-9 Show that $\int_0^{\infty} x^{n-1} e^{-x} dx$, Convergent if $n > 0$.

Here,

$$f(x) = x^{n-1} e^{-x}.$$

If $n-1 > 0$, then given integral is proper integral then it is obviously convergent.

Let,

$$0 < n < 1.$$

Consider a f^m $g(x) = x^{n-1}$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^{n-1} e^{-x}}{x^{n-1}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} e^0$$

= 1, a finite no.

$$\therefore \int_0^1 g(x) dx = \int_0^1 x^{n-1} dx.$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^{1-n}} \text{ it's convergent because power is less than 1 } (\because 0 < n < 1)$$

So, By comparison test

$\int_0^1 f(x) dx$ is convergent when $0 < n < 1$.

Hence, The given integral is convergent for $n > 0$.

$\int_a^b f(x) dx$ be a improper integral of Ist kind where $f(x)$ unbounded at $x=a$. If there exist a number μ between 0 and 1. ($0 < \mu < 1$) such that $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} (x-a)^\mu f(x)$ exists, then $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ convergent. If $\mu \geq 1$ such that $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} (x-a)^\mu f(x)$ exists then $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ divergent. Also integration is divergent if $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} (x-a)^\mu f(x) = \infty$ or $-\infty$.

Ex-10 Test the convergency of the integral.

Solⁿ:- $I = \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$

Solⁿ:- $I = \int_0^a \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}} + \int_a^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$
 $= I_1 + I_2$ (let)

Test of I_1

$$I_1 = \int_0^a \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$$

Take $\mu = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) (x-0)^\mu = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{1-x}} \cdot \sqrt{x} = 1, \text{ limit exist.}$$

and $\mu = \frac{1}{2}$. So, by μ test.

$\therefore I_1$ is convergent.

$$I_2 = \int_a^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{1-x}}$$

take, $\mu = \frac{1}{2}$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) (x-x)^{\mu} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{1-x}} \cdot (1-x)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} = 1, \text{ limit exist}$$

and $\mu = \frac{1}{2}$.

So, by μ test I_2 is also Convergent.

Since, I_1 and I_2 are both convergent.

$\therefore I$ is convergent.

Ex-11 Test the convergency of the integral.

$$\int_0^1 x^{p-1} e^{-x} dx.$$

Solⁿ :- $f(x) = x^{p-1} e^{-x}$.

If $p-1 \geq 0$ i.e. $p \geq 1$, then function is always bounded at 0 and 1. So, the integral is proper and so, it is obviously convergent.

Let, $0 < p < 1$. then,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{\mu} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{p-1} e^{-x} x^{\mu}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{p-1+\mu} e^{-x}$$

$$= 1, \text{ if } \mu + p - 1 = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu = 1 - p.$$

For limit exist

$$\mu = 1 - p.$$

So, for convergency by μ test

$$0 < 1-p < 1.$$

$$\text{i.e. } 0 < p < 1.$$

Hence, given integral is convergent for $p > 0$.

By μ test integration is divergent if $\mu \geq 1$.

$$\Rightarrow 1-p \geq 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \geq p.$$

Ex-12 Test the Convergency of the integral.

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos x}{x^n} dx.$$

$$\text{Soln } f(x) = \frac{\cos x}{x^n}$$

If $n \leq 0$, given integral is proper integral.

So, it is convergent.

Let, $n > 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^\mu \frac{\cos x}{x^n} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{\mu-n} \cos x \\ &= 1, \text{ if } \mu-n=0 \\ &\Rightarrow \mu=n. \end{aligned}$$

\therefore By μ test, given integral is convergent.

$$0 < \mu < 1.$$

$$0 < n < 1$$

Hence, given integral is convergent when $n < 1$.

Also, By μ test integral is divergent.

$$\text{if } \mu \geq 1.$$

$$\text{i.e. } n \geq 1. \quad \#$$

Improper Integral of ∞

Ex-13 Test the convergence of $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}}$

Soln :-

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^x \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{x^{1/2}}{1/2} \right]_1^x$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} [2(x^{1/2} - 1)]$$

$$= \infty$$

\therefore Given integral is divergent.

Ex-14 Test the convergence of $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^{3/2}}$

Soln :- $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^x \frac{dx}{x^{3/2}}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{x^{-1/2}}{-1/2} \right]_1^x$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} [-2(x^{-1/2}) - 1]$$

$$= -2 \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} - 1 \right]$$

$$= \infty$$

Given integral is convergent.

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$$

Soln

$$I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^a \frac{dx}{1+x^2} + \int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$$

$$= I_1 + I_2$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{-x}^a \frac{dx}{1+x^2} + \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^x \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} [\tan^{-1} x]_{-x}^a + \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} [\tan^{-1} x]_a^x$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} [\tan^{-1} a - \tan^{-1}(-x)] + \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} [\tan^{-1} x - \tan^{-1} a]$$

$$= \cancel{\tan^{-1} a} + \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2} - \cancel{\tan^{-1} a}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} a - \tan^{-1}(-\infty) + \tan^{-1} \infty - \tan^{-1} a$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \infty + \tan^{-1} \infty$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$= \pi$$

Given integral is convergent.

Comparison Test

$\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$ be a improper integral of IInd kind.

If $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ be the two functions which are bounded and integrable and $g(x)$ is positive and $|f(x)| \leq g(x)$, then.

$\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$ convergent - when $\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx$ convergent.

Alternative form.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \text{a finite number.}$$

Then,

$\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx, \int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx$ either convergent or divergent.

Theorem :- $\int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^n}$ convergent - if $n > 1$ and divergent - if $n \leq 1$

Solⁿ :- Case I.

$$n > 1.$$
$$\int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^n} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^x \frac{dx}{x^n}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{x^{-n+1}}{1-n} \right]_a^x$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{x^{1-n}}{1-n} - \frac{a^{1-n}}{1-n} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{x^{n-1}(1-n)} - \frac{a^{1-n}}{1-n} \right]$$

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if

$$n > 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 > 1-n$$

$$\therefore \int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^n} = 0 - \frac{a^{1-n}}{1-n}$$

Then the given integral is convergent when $n > 1$.

Case II

$$n < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < 1-n$$

then,

$$\int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^n} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{x^{1-n}}{1-n} - \frac{a^{1-n}}{1-n} \right]$$

$$= \infty$$

Then the given integral is divergent when $n < 1$.

Case III

$$n = 1$$

$$\int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^n} = \int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$= \left[\log x \right]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^x \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\log x \right]_a^x$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\log x - \log a \right]$$

$$= \infty$$

\therefore The given integral is divergent when $n = 1$.

\therefore Given Integral is convergent when $n > 1$ and divergent when $n \leq 1$.

$n < 1$
 \Rightarrow

Ex-16 Test the Convergence $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{1+x^2}}$

Solⁿ:-

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

Taking, $g(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x\sqrt{1+x^2}} \cdot x^2 \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x \cdot \sqrt{\frac{1}{x^2} + 1}} \cdot x^2\end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{\infty} + 1}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{0+1}} = 1, \text{ a finite no.}$$

$\therefore \int_1^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^2}$ is convergent because $n=2$ greater than 1.

\therefore So, by comparison test $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{1+x^2}}$ is convergent.

Ex-17 Test the Convergence of the integral $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^3+1}}$

Solⁿ:- $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^3+1}}$

Taking $g(x) = \frac{1}{x^{3/2}}$

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^3+1}} \cdot x^{3/2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^{3/2} \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{x^3}}} \cdot x^{3/2}\end{aligned}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{x^3}}}$$

$$= 1, \text{ a finite no.}$$

$\therefore \int_1^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^{3/2}}$ is convergent because $n = \frac{3}{2}$ greater than 1.

Hence, by comparison test the given integral $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^3+1}}$ is convergent.

Ex-18

Test the convergency of $\int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}}$

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Soln:-

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}}$$

Consider a f^n $g(x) = \frac{1}{x}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}} \cdot x$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x\sqrt{1-\frac{1}{x^2}}} \cdot x$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-0}} = 1, \text{ a finite number.}$$

$\int_2^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x}$ is divergent because $n=1$.

Hence, by comparison test, given integral $\int_2^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2-1}}$ is divergent.

Ex-19 Test the convergency of the integral $\int \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx$.

Soln:-
$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx = \int_0^a \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx + \int_a^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1 \\ \frac{x^2-1}{x} = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= I_1 + I_2$$

I_1 is proper integral. So, it is convergent.

Test for convergency of I_2

$$I_2 = \int_a^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx$$

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2}$$

$$|f(x)| = \left| \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} \right| = \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} \leq \frac{1}{x^2}$$

Taking, $g(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \dots$$

$\therefore \int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_a^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2} dx$ is convergent because $n=2$ greater than 1.

So, by comparison test I_2 is convergent.

Since, I_1 and I_2 are both convergent.

So, $I = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx$ is also convergent.

Ex-20 Test the convergency of $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$.

Soln:-

$$I = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx.$$

$$I = \int_0^a e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx + \int_a^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx.$$

$$I = I_1 + I_2$$

$$I_1 = \int_0^a e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx.$$

I_1 is a proper integral. So, it is convergent.

$$I_2 = \int_a^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx.$$

$$f(x) = e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x}$$

$$|f(x)| = \left| e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} \right| = e^{-x} \left| \frac{\sin x}{x} \right| \leq \frac{e^{-x}}{x}$$

Taking $g(x) = e^{-x}$.

$$\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_a^{\infty} e^{-x} dx = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^x e^{-x} dx.$$

$$\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} [F(x) - F(a)]$$

$$= - \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} [e^{-x} - e^{-a}]$$

$$= -[0 - e^{-a}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{e^a}, \text{ a finite no.}$$

Hence, $\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx$ is convergent.

So, by comparison test $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$ is convergent. i.e. I_2 is convergent.

Since, both I_1 and I_2 is convergent.

So, $I = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ is convergent.

Ex-21 Test the Convergence $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos mx}{x^2+a^2} dx$.

$$\text{Soln: } \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos mx}{x^2+a^2} dx = \int_0^a \frac{\cos mx}{x^2+a^2} dx + \int_a^{\infty} \frac{\cos mx}{x^2+a^2} dx.$$

$$= I_1 + I_2$$

$$I_1 = \int_0^a \frac{\cos mx}{x^2+a^2} dx.$$

I_1 is a proper integral. So, it is always convergent.

$$I_2 = \int_a^{\infty} \frac{\cos mx}{x^2+a^2} dx.$$

$$f(x) = \frac{\cos mx}{x^2+a^2}$$

$$|f(x)| = \left| \frac{\cos mx}{x^2+a^2} \right| \leq \frac{1}{x^2+a^2}$$

Taking

$$g(x) = \frac{1}{x^2+a^2}$$

$$\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^x \frac{1}{x^2+a^2}$$

$$\therefore \int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a} \right]_a$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a} - \tan^{-1} 1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \left[\tan^{-1} \infty - \tan^{-1} 1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \left[\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \cdot \frac{\pi}{4}, \text{ a finite no.}$$

So, $\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx$ is Convergent.

So, by Comparison test, I_2 is Convergent.

Since, both I_1 and I_2 are Convergent.

$\therefore I = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos mx}{x^2+a^2} dx$ is convergent.

Ex-22 Test the Convergence $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx$.

$$\text{Sol}^n:- I = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx = \int_0^1 e^{-x^2} dx + \int_1^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx \\ = I_1 + I_2$$

$$I_1 = \int_0^1 e^{-x^2} dx$$

I_1 is a proper integral. So, it is Convergent.

$$I_2 = \int_1^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx$$

$$f(x) = e^{-x^2}$$

$$|f(x)| = |e^{-x^2}| \leq x e^{-x^2} \quad x > 1$$

Taking,

$$g(x) = x e^{-x^2}$$

$$\int_1^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_1^{\infty} x e^{-x^2} dx.$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^x x e^{-x^2} dx.$$

$$\left| \begin{array}{l} x^2 = t \\ 2x dx = dt \end{array} \right.$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) e^{-x^2} \right]_1^x$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} [e^{-x^2} - e^{-1}].$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{e^{x^2}} - \frac{1}{e} \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \left[0 - \frac{1}{e} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2e} \text{, a finite no.}$$

So, $f(x)$ is convergent.

So, by comparison test $\int_1^{\infty} f(x)$ is convergent i.e. I_2 is convergent.

Since, Both I_1 and I_2 are convergent.

$\therefore I = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx$ is convergent.

μ -test

$f(x)$ be a bounded and integrable (a, ∞) , $a > 0$.

if there is a no $\mu > 1$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^\mu f(x)$ exist and non-zero then $\int_a^\infty f(x) dx$ is convergent.

if $\mu \leq 1$ then $\int_a^\infty f(x) dx$ divergent.

also, $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^\mu f(x) = \infty$ or $-\infty$, then given integration is divergent.

Ex-23 Test the convergency of $\int_1^\infty \frac{dx}{x^{1/3}(1+x^{1/2})}$

Solⁿ:- $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^{1/3}(1+x^{1/2})}$

$$\mu = \frac{5}{6} - 0 = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^\mu f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{5/6} \cdot \frac{1}{x^{1/3}(1+x^{1/2})}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{5/6} \cdot \frac{1}{x^{1/3} \cdot x^{1/2} (1/x^{1/2} + 1)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(0+1)} = 1, \text{ a finite no.}$$

$\mu = \frac{5}{6} < 1$. So, by μ test, the given integral

$\int_1^\infty \frac{dx}{x^{1/3}(1+x^{1/2})}$ is divergent.

Ex-24 Test the convergency of $\int_1^\infty \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}(1+x)}$

Solⁿ

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}(1+x)}$$

$$\mu = \frac{3}{2} - 0 = \frac{3}{2}$$

$\frac{1}{2}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \sqrt{x} (1+x) \quad (15)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{3/2} \frac{1}{x^{1/2} \cdot x^2 \left(\frac{1}{x} + 1\right)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{3/2} \frac{1}{x^{1/2} \cdot x^2 \left(\frac{1}{x} + 1\right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{3/2} \frac{1}{x^{1/2} \cdot x \left(\frac{1}{x} + 1\right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{\frac{1}{x} + 1} \right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{0+1} \right) = 1, \text{ a finite no.}$$

So, by M test, given integral is convergent since $k = 3/2$ greater than 1.

Ex-25 Test the Convergence.

$$\int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x(\log x)^{n+1}}$$

Solⁿ :- Let, $\log x = t$.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\int_{\log a}^{\infty} \frac{dt}{t^{n+1}}$$

Take $k = n+1$.

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} t^k f(t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} t^{n+1} \frac{1}{t^{n+1}}$$

$$= 1.$$

So, given integral is convergent if.

$$n+1 > 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow n > 0.$$

and divergent if

$$n+1 \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow n \leq 0.$$

Soln :- $f(x) = x^{n-1} e^{-x}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^k f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^k x^{n-1} e^{-x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{k+n-1} e^{-x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{k+n-1}}{e^x} \end{aligned}$$

≥ 0 for all values of k and n .

If we take $k > 1$, then given integral is convergent.

Hence proved

Ex-27 Test the convergency of $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^{2m}}{1+x^{2m}} dx$.

Soln :- $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^{2m}}{1+x^{2m}} dx = \int_0^a \frac{x^{2m}}{1+x^{2m}} dx + \int_a^{\infty} \frac{x^{2m}}{1+x^{2m}} dx$

$$= I_1 + I_2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$I_1 = \int_0^a \frac{x^{2m}}{1+x^{2m}} dx$$

I_1 is a proper integral. So, it is obviously convergent.

Test of I_2

$$I_2 = \int_a^{\infty} \frac{x^{2m}}{1+x^{2m}} dx$$

$$k = 2m - 2m$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} x^{\mu} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} x^{2n-2m} \frac{x^{2m}}{1+x^{2m}} \quad (14)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} x^{2n-2m} \frac{x^{2m}}{x^{2m} \left(\frac{1}{x^{2m}} + 1 \right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} x^{2n-2m} \frac{1}{x^{2n-2m} \left(\frac{1}{x^{2m}} + 1 \right)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(0+1)} = 1, \quad \text{a finite no. limit exists}$$

So, I_2 is Convergent if $\mu > 1$.

$\Rightarrow 2n - 2m > 1$. which is possible only when

$$n > m.$$

I_2 is divergent if $\mu \leq 1$.

$$\Rightarrow 2n - 2m \leq 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow n \leq m.$$

So, Given integral is convergent when $n > m$.
and divergent when $n \leq m$.

Abel's Test of Convergency.

If $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$ be an improper integral and convergent and $\phi(x)$ is monotonic and bounded then by Abel's test

$$\int_a^{\infty} f(x) \phi(x) dx \text{ is convergent.}$$

Ex-28 Test the Convergency of $\int_a^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x^2} dx$.

Solⁿ:-
Let, $f(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x^2}$
 $\phi(x) = e^{-x}$

$$\sqrt{|f(x)|} = \left| \frac{\sin x}{x^2} \right| \leq \frac{1}{x^2}$$

Taking $g(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$

$$\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_a^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2} dx \text{ is convergent because } n=2 > 1$$

$\phi(x) = e^{-x}$ which is always bounded and monotonic decreasing.

So, By Abel's Test $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) \phi(x) dx$ is convergent.

$$\therefore \int_a^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x^2} dx \text{ is convergent.}$$

Ex-29 Test the Convergency of $\int_a^{\infty} (1-e^{-x}) \frac{\cos x}{x^2} dx$.

Soln:-

$$\text{Let, } f(x) = \frac{\cos x}{x^2}$$

$$\phi(x) = 1 - e^{-x}$$

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$$|f(x)| = \left| \frac{\cos x}{x^2} \right| \leq \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$\text{Taking } g(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_a^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^2}$ is convergent because $n=2$ greater than 1.

So, by comparison test $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$ is convergent.

$\phi(x) = 1 - e^{-x}$, which is always bounded and monotonically increasing.

So, by Abel's Test $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) \phi(x) dx$ is convergent.

$\therefore \int_a^{\infty} (1 - e^{-x}) \frac{\cos x}{x^2} dx$ is convergent.

Dirichlet's Test

If $f(x)$ is bounded and monotonic on the interval $a \leq x < \infty$. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 0$ then $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) \phi(x) dx$ convergent where $\left| \int_a^x \phi(x) dx \right|$ is bounded $\forall x$.

Ex-30 Test the convergency $\int_a^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{\sqrt{x}} dx$.

Soln:- $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$, $\phi(x) = \sin x$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} = 0$$

Now,

$$\left| \int_a^x \phi(x) dx \right| = \left| \int_a^x \sin x dx \right| = \left| [-\cos x]_a^x \right| = |-(\cos x - \cos a)| = |\cos a - \cos x| \leq 2$$

So, $\int_a^x \phi(x) dx$ is bounded.

So, by Dirichlet test $\int_a^{\infty} f(x)g(x)dx$ is convergent.

$\therefore \int_a^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{\sqrt{x}} dx$ is convergent.

Ex-31 Test the Convergence $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$.

Solⁿ:- $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \int_0^a \frac{\sin x}{x} dx + \int_a^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx.$

$$= I_1 + I_2.$$

Test for I_1

$$I_1 = \int_0^a \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$$

which is a proper integral.

So, it is obviously convergent.

Test for I_2

$$I_2 = \int_a^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx.$$

Let, $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$, $\phi(x) = \sin x$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} = 0.$$

Now,

$$\left| \int_a^x \phi(x) dx \right| = \left| \int_a^x \sin x dx \right|$$

$$= \left| -[\cos x]_a^x \right|$$

$$= |\cos a - \cos x| \leq 2.$$

So, $\int_a^x \phi(x) dx$ is bounded

\therefore By Dirichlet-test $\int_a^{\infty} f(x)\phi(x) dx$ is convergent.

i.e. $\int_a^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ is convergent.

So, I_2 is convergent.

Since, I_1 and I_2 are convergent.

$\therefore I$ is also convergent.
 $\therefore \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ is convergent.

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Ex-32 Test the Convergence of $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$.

Ans:-

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \int_0^a e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx + \int_a^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx.$$

$$= I_1 + I_2.$$

Test of I_1

$I_1 = \int_0^a e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$, is a proper integral.
 So, it is obviously convergent.

Test of I_2

$$I_2 = \int_a^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx.$$

$$f(x) = \frac{e^{-x}}{x}, \quad \beta(x) = \sin x.$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{-x}}{x} = 0.$$

Now,

$$\left| \int_a^x f(x) \beta(x) dx \right| > \left| \int_a^x \sin x dx \right|$$

$$= \left| [-\cos x]_a^x \right|$$

$$= \left| \cos a - \cos x \right| \leq 2$$

So, $\int_a^x \beta(x)$ is bounded.

\therefore By Dirichlet-test $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) \beta(x) dx$ is convergent i.e. I_2 is convergent.
 \therefore Both I_1 and I_2 are convergent. So, I is also convergent.
 $\therefore \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ is convergent.

Ex-33 show that $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x^p}$ converges

Soln:-

$$\left| \frac{\sin x}{x^p} \right| = \frac{|\sin x|}{x^p} \leq \frac{1}{x^p}$$

Taking, $g(x) = \frac{1}{x^p}$

$$\int_1^{\infty} g(x) dx = \int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^p} \text{ convergent because } p > 1.$$

So, $\int_1^{\infty} \left| \frac{\sin x}{x^p} \right| dx$ is convergent.

Hence, $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x^p} dx$ also converges absolutely if $p > 1$.

Ex-34. Test the convergence of $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-mx} x^n dx$.

Soln:-

$$f(x) = e^{-mx} x^n.$$

$$m \geq 0$$

$$m > 0.$$

Then given integral is proper integral.
Then it is obviously convergent.

Now,

let, $n < 0$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^k f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^k e^{-mx} x^n.$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{k+n} e^{-mx}$$

= limit exist if $k+n = 0$.

$$\Rightarrow k = -n.$$

So, by k test.

Given integral is convergent for $0 < k < 1$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < -n < 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 > n > -1.$$

Hence given integral is convergent for $-1 < n$.