

Panel 1

Last Time

Uniform convergence:  $f_n \Rightarrow f$  on  $D$  iff  
 $\|f_n - f\|_D \rightarrow 0$

$\Rightarrow$  preserve cont.:  $f_n$  cont,  $f_n \Rightarrow f \Rightarrow f$  cont.

$\Rightarrow$  preserve intble:  $f_n$  intble,  $f_n \Rightarrow f \Rightarrow f$  intble

Do NOT preserve diffble.

$f_n(x) = \frac{1}{n} \sin(nx) \Rightarrow 0$  but  $f_n'$  does not conv.



$f = |x|$ ,  $f_n$  diffble but  $f$  is not

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Neither conv. nor unif. conv. preserves diffble.  
 But as a combo, things work:

Thm:  $f_n$  diffble on  $D$ ,  $f_n'$  cont on  $D$ ,  
 i.e.  $f_n \in C^1(D)$ . If

$f_n \rightarrow f$  (pointwise) on  $D$

$f_n' \Rightarrow g$  (uniformly) on  $D$

Then  $f$  is diffble and  $f' = g$

Proof

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$f_n$  diffble,  $f_n \rightarrow f$   
 $f_n'$  const,  $f_n' \Rightarrow g$

$\Rightarrow g$  is const.  $\leftarrow$  Fund. Thm  $\leftarrow$  unit. cont. preserves const.

$f_n(x) - f_n(a) = \int_a^x f_n'(t) dt$   $\leftarrow$  unit. cont. preserves int.

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^x f_n'(t) dt = \int_a^x \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n'(t) dt = \int_a^x g(t) dt$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) - f_n(a) = f(x) - f(a) = \int_a^x g(t) dt$

$f(x) = \int_a^x g(t) dt + f(a)$

$\rightarrow f'(x) = g(x)$  (Fund. Thm) because  $g$  is const.  $\neq$

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Sequences of functions }  $\Rightarrow$  next topic  
 Int. series

Def.  $f_n(x)$  is a sequence of functions. Define, for each  $x$ ,

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} S_N(x)$$

where  $S_N(x) = \sum_{n=1}^N f_n(x)$

Ex  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n = \frac{1}{1-x}$ ,  $|x| < 1$

$f_n(x) = x^n$ ,  $1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots = \sum x^n = \frac{1}{1-x}$

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$$\underline{\text{Proof:}} \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sinh(nx)}{n} = \frac{\pi-x}{2} \quad \text{for } x \text{ fixed}$$
$$0 < x < \pi!$$

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<http://www.mathcs.org/analysis/reals/funseq/answers/funser2.html>

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Problem:  $x^n$  defined  $\forall x$ , cont, diffble.

But  $1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots + x^N + \dots$  sum is more complicated than its parts  
is not defined  $\forall |x| \geq 1$

Thm: (Weierstrass Convergence Thm)  
If  $f_n$  is a sequence of functions s.t.  
 $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|f_n\|_D$  converges, then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x)$  converges  
abs. + uniformly to some function  $f$ . Moreover,  
if  $f_n$  are cont., then  $f$  is cont.

Ex:  $\sum x^n$ ,  $x \in [-r, r]$ ,  $r < 1$ . Then  $\|x^n\|_{[-r, r]} = r^n$   
 $\Rightarrow \sum r^n$  conv.  $\Rightarrow \sum x^n$  conv. abs + unif. in  $(-r, r)$

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Let's get started with the first step. Fix  $x \in D$ . Then the series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f(x)$  is a numeric series. In fact, since  $|f(x)| \leq \|f\|_D$   
that numeric series must converge according to the Comparison Test to a limit  $L$ . That limit depends on  $x$  so that we can a  
function

$$F(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f(x)$$

which is well-defined (pointwise) for all  $x \in D$ .

Next we need to show that the convergence is uniform. Take any  $\epsilon > 0$ . Since the numeric series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|f_n\|_D$  converges  
we can find an integer  $N$  such that

$$\sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} \|f_k\|_D < \epsilon \text{ for all } n > N$$

But then:

$$|F_n(x) - F(x)| = \left| \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} f_k(x) \right| \leq \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} |f_k(x)| \leq \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} \|f_k\|_D < \epsilon$$

which means that the sequence of partial sums converges uniformly.

If we knew what *uniformly Cauchy* meant, we could also show that the sequence of partial sums was uniformly Cauchy,  
which (we would hope) should imply uniform convergence. To practice, define uniformly Cauchy sequences and finish the  
proof that way.

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Fix  $x \in D$ .  $\sum f_n(x)$  is univ. conv., converges by  
 Comp. test  $|f_n(x)| \leq \|f_n\|_0$ . Define  $f$  as

$$F(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x) \quad \forall x \in D \text{ pointwise}$$

Take  $\varepsilon > 0$ .  $\sum \|f_n\| < \infty$  conv.

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=N+1}^{\infty} \|f_n\| < \varepsilon \quad \forall N > N$$

$$\Rightarrow |F_N(x) - F(x)| = \left| \sum_{n=N+1}^{\infty} f_n(x) \right| \leq \sum_{n=N+1}^{\infty} |f_n(x)| \leq \sum_{n=N+1}^{\infty} \|f_n\| < \varepsilon$$

for all  $x \Rightarrow F_N \Rightarrow F$

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Let  $f_n(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2^n} & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ \frac{1}{n^2} & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$  Does  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x)$  converge? Is the limit function continuous?

$\|f_n\| \leq \frac{1}{n^2} \quad \forall n \geq 1$  and  $\sum \|f_n\| \leq \sum \frac{1}{n^2}$  converges

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n$  conv. univ. + abs. to  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} = 1 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6} & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$

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Weierstrass Monster

Ex:  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n |\sin(4^n x)|$  is continuous

$f_n(x) = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n |\sin(4^n x)|$  is cont.,

$\sum \|f_n\| = \sum \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n < \infty$

Thus  $\sum f_n$  conv. abs + unif., and is continuous

Ex: Can you use the Weierstrass convergence theorem for

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(nx)}{n} \quad \text{No!}$$

How about  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(nx)}{n^2}$  ? Yes!

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**Definition 3.3.5: Power Series**

A function series of the form

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x - c)^n = a_0 + a_1(x-c) + a_2(x-c)^2 + \dots$$

is called a (formal) power series centered at  $c$ .

other words, a power series is an infinite series of functions where each term consists of a coefficient  $a_n$  and a power  $(x-c)^n$ . Here are a few examples of power series:

**Example 3.3.6: Formal Power Series Examples**

- All of the following series are power series. List the coefficients  $a_3$  and  $a_4$  for each:
 
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x+2)^n, \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (x+2)^{2n}, \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (2x+2)^{2n}$$
- Write the following series in sigma-notation and list the general term  $a_n$ :
  - $1 + 2x + 3x^2 + 4x^3 + \dots$
  - $1 - 1/2 x + 1/4 x^2 - 1/8 x^3 + 1/16 x^4 \dots$
  - $3/2 x + 4/6 x^2 + 5/24 x^3 + 6/120 x^4 + \dots$

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Get it done