

Q No - State and Prove De Morgan's and Bertrand's Test.

Statement:- If $\sum a_n$ is a series of +ve terms

Such that,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[n \left(\frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} - 1 \right) \right] = l.$$

then, $\sum a_n$ is convergent if $l > 1$

and divergent when $l < 1$.

Proof:- $\because \sum a_n$ is a series of +ve terms.

Hence, the given series can be written as,

$$\sum a_n = a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + \dots + a_n + a_{n+1} + \dots \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Let us compare this series with the auxiliary series $\sum b_n$ which is

$$\sum b_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2(\log 2)^p} + \frac{1}{3(\log 3)^p} + \dots + \frac{1}{n(\log n)^p}$$

+ --- to ∞ .

We know that this series $\sum b_n$ is convergent when $p > 1$ and divergent when $p \leq 1$.

$$\text{Here, } b_n = \frac{1}{n(\log n)^p}$$

$$\therefore b_{n+1} = \frac{1}{(n+1) \log(n+1)^p}$$

Hence, by the Comparison 2nd Test, the given series is convergent or divergent according as,

$$\frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{ or } < \frac{b_n}{b_{n+1}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{ or } < \frac{(n+1) \log(n+1)^p}{n(\log n)^p}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{ or } < \frac{n(1+\frac{1}{n}) \left\{ \frac{\log(n+1)}{\log n} \right\}^p}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{ or } < \left(1+\frac{1}{n}\right) \left\{ \frac{\log(n(1+\frac{1}{n}))}{\log n} \right\}^p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{ or } < \left(1+\frac{1}{n}\right) \left\{ \frac{\log n + \log(1+\frac{1}{n})}{\log n} \right\}^p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{ or } < \left(1+\frac{1}{n}\right) \left\{ \frac{\log n}{\log n} + \frac{\log(1+\frac{1}{n})}{\log n} \right\}^p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{ or } < \left(1+\frac{1}{n}\right) \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^3 - \dots \right\}^p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{ or } < \left(1+\frac{1}{n}\right) \left\{ \frac{1}{\log n} + \frac{1}{n \log n} - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^2 \frac{1}{\log n} + \dots \right\}^p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{ or } < \left(1+\frac{1}{n}\right) \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{n \log n} - \frac{1}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots \right\}^p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{or} < \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \left\{1 + \frac{p}{n \log n} - \frac{p}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots\right\}$$

from Binomial theorem.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{or} < 1 + \frac{1}{n} + \frac{p}{n \log n} + \frac{p}{2n^2 \log n} - \frac{p}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{or} < 1 + \frac{1}{n} + \frac{p}{n \log n} + \frac{2p - p}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} > \text{or} < 1 + \frac{1}{n} + \frac{p}{n \log n} + \frac{p}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} - 1 > \text{or} < \frac{1}{n} + \frac{p}{n \log n} + \frac{p}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow n \left[\frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} - 1 \right] > \text{or} < 1 + \frac{p}{\log n} + \frac{p}{2n \log n} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[n \left[\frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} - 1 \right] - 1 \right] > \text{or} < \frac{p}{\log n} + \frac{p}{2n \log n} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[n \left[\frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} - 1 \right] - 1 \right] \log n > \text{or} < p + \frac{p}{2n} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[n \left[\frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} - 1 \right] - 1 \right] \log n > \text{or} < p$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[n \left[\frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} - 1 \right] \log n \right] > \text{or} < 1$$

In this way the theorem is proved.