

12) a) Find all values of  $x$  for which the geometric series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} e^{nx}$  converges.

$$r = e^x$$

$$\therefore -1 < e^x < 1$$

$$\ln(-1) < x < \ln 1$$

$$\ln(-1) < x \quad x < \ln 1$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$-1 < e^x$$

always

$x < 0$

b) Find the function (sum) represented by the series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} e^{nx}$

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

c) Find all values of  $x$  for which  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} e^{nx} > 2$

$$\frac{1}{1-e^x} > 2$$

Sum

$$1 > 2(1-e^x)$$

$$1 > 2 - 2e^x$$

$$-1 > -2e^x$$

$$\frac{1}{2} < e^x$$

$\ln \frac{1}{2} < x$

d) Find all values of  $x$  for which  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} e^{nx} < 1$

$$\frac{1}{1-e^x} < 1$$

$$1 < 1 - e^x$$

$$0 < -e^x$$

$$0 > e^x$$

$$\ln(0) < x$$

None  
Not possible

13) Let  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n x^n}{3^n (n+1)^2}$

(a) Find the interval of convergence of the series.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-2)^{n+1} x^{n+1}}{(3)^{n+1} (n+2)^2} \cdot \frac{3^n (n+1)^2}{(-2)^n x^n} \right| = \left| \frac{2x(n+1)^2}{3(n+2)^2} \right| = \boxed{\left| \frac{2x}{3} \right| < 1}$$

(b) For what values of  $x$  does the series converge absolutely?

$$-1 < \frac{2x}{3} < 1$$

$$-3 < 2x < 3$$

$$\boxed{-\frac{3}{2} < x < \frac{3}{2}}$$

$$x = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\sum \frac{(-2)^n \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)^n}{3^n (n+1)^2}$$

$$\sum \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} \text{ compare to } \sum \frac{1}{n^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{(n+1)^2} < \frac{1}{n^2}$$

$$\text{OR } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{(n+1)^2}}{\frac{1}{n^2}} = 1$$

$p=2 > 1$   
converges

Absolute

$$\sum \frac{1}{(n+1)^2}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{2} \quad \sum \frac{(-2)^n \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n}{3^n (n+1)^2}$$

$$\sum \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+1)^2}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} = 0 \quad \frac{1}{(n+2)^2} < \frac{1}{(n+1)^2}$$

(c) Find the domain (interval of convergence) of the following function:

$$h(x) = f(x^2)$$

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

$$-1 < \frac{2x^2}{3} < 1$$

$$-3 < 2x^2 < 3$$

$$-\frac{3}{2} < x^2 < \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\boxed{-\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} < x < \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

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

$$x = -\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\sum \frac{(-2)^n \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n}{3^n (n+1)^2} = \sum \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+1)^2}$$

By the alt series in part b,  
the endpoint has absolute  
convergence

$$x = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\sum \frac{(-2)^n \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n}{3^n (n+1)^2} \xrightarrow{\text{Same}} \rightarrow$$