

1. Which of the following sequences of functions converge uniformly on X ?
 - (a) $f_n(x) = x^n$ on $X = [0, 1]$;
 - (b) $f_n(x) = \sin(n^2x)/\log n$ on $X = \mathbb{R}$;
 - (c) $f_n(x) = x^n$ on $X = (0, 1)$;
 - (d) $f_n(x) = x^n$ on $X = (0, \frac{1}{2})$;
 - (e) $f_n(x) = xe^{-nx}$ on $X = [0, \infty)$;
 - (f) $f_n(x) = e^{-x^2} \sin(x/n)$ on $X = \mathbb{R}$.
2. Suppose that $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous. Show that the sequence $(x^n f(x))$ is uniformly convergent on $[0, 1]$ if and only if $f(1) = 0$.
3. Construct a sequence (f_n) of *continuous* real-valued functions on $[-1, 1]$ converging pointwise to the zero function but with $\int_{-1}^1 f_n \not\rightarrow 0$. +Is it possible to find such a sequence with $|f_n(x)| \leq 1$ for all n and for all x ?
4. Let (f_n) be a sequence of bounded, real-valued functions on a subset X of \mathbb{R} converging uniformly to a function f . Show that f must be bounded. Give an example of a sequence (g_n) of bounded, real-valued functions on $[-1, 1]$ converging pointwise to a function g which is not bounded.
5. Let (f_n) and (g_n) be sequences of real-valued functions on a subset X of \mathbb{R} converging uniformly to f and g respectively. Show that the pointwise sum $f_n + g_n$ converges uniformly to $f + g$, and that λf_n converges uniformly to λf for each $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$. On the other hand, show that the pointwise product $f_n g_n$ need not converge uniformly to fg , but that if both f and g are bounded then $f_n g_n$ does converge uniformly to fg . What if f is bounded but g is not?
6. Let (f_n) be a sequence of real-valued continuous functions on a closed, bounded interval $[a, b]$, and suppose that f_n converges pointwise to a continuous function f . Show that if $f_n \rightarrow f$ uniformly and (x_m) is a sequence of points in $[a, b]$ with $x_m \rightarrow x$ then $f_n(x_m) \rightarrow f(x)$. On the other hand, show that if f_n does not converge uniformly to f then we can find a convergent sequence $x_m \rightarrow x$ in $[a, b]$ such that $f_n(x_m) \not\rightarrow f(x)$.
7. Let f and g be uniformly continuous, real-valued functions on a subset X of \mathbb{R} . Show that $f + g$ is uniformly continuous, and that λf is uniformly continuous for each $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$. On the other hand, show that fg need not be uniformly continuous, but that if both f and g are bounded then fg is uniformly continuous. What if f is bounded but g is not?
8. Which of the following functions $f: [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are (a) uniformly continuous; (b) bounded?
 - (i) $f(x) = \sin x^2$;
 - (ii) $f(x) = \inf\{|x - n^2| : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$;
 - (iii) $f(x) = (\sin x^3)/(x + 1)$.
9. Show that if (f_n) is a sequence of uniformly continuous, real-valued functions on \mathbb{R} , and if $f_n \rightarrow f$ uniformly, then f is uniformly continuous. Give an example of a sequence of uniformly continuous, real-valued functions (f_n) on \mathbb{R} such that f_n converges pointwise to a function f which is continuous but not uniformly continuous.
10. Suppose that $f: [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous, and that $f(x)$ tends to a (finite) limit as $x \rightarrow \infty$. Must f be uniformly continuous on $[0, \infty)$? Give a proof or counterexample as appropriate.

11. Let $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ be an absolutely convergent series of real numbers.
- (a) Define a sequence (f_n) of functions on $[-\pi, \pi]$ by $f_n(x) = \sum_{m=1}^n a_m \sin mx$. Show that each f_n is differentiable with $f'_n(x) = \sum_{m=1}^n m a_m \cos mx$.
- (b) Show that $f(x) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} a_m \sin mx$ defines a continuous function on $[-\pi, \pi]$, but that the series $\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m a_m \cos mx$ need not converge.
12. Show that, for any $x \in X = \mathbb{R} - \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$, the series $\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (x - m)^{-2}$ converges. Define $f: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $f(x) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (x - m)^{-2}$, and for $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$, define $f_n: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $f_n(x) = \sum_{m=1}^n (x - m)^{-2}$. Does the sequence (f_n) converge uniformly to f on X ? Is f continuous?
13. Let f be a differentiable, real-valued function on \mathbb{R} , and suppose that f' is bounded. Show that f is uniformly continuous. Let $g: [-1, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be the function defined by $g(x) = x^2 \sin(1/x^2)$ for $x \neq 0$ and $g(0) = 0$. Show that g is differentiable, but that its derivative is unbounded. Is g uniformly continuous?
14. Construct a function $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ which is not the pointwise limit of any sequence of continuous functions.
- ⁺15. Let (f_n) be a sequence of continuous, real-valued functions on $[0, 1]$ converging pointwise to a function f . Prove that there is some subinterval $[a, b]$ of $[0, 1]$ with $a < b$ on which f is bounded.