

11. [15 points] Let  $a_n$ ,  $b_n$ , and  $c_n$  be sequences such that

- $a_n > 0$  for all  $n$ ,
- $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  diverges,
- $a_n < b_n < n$  for all  $n$ ,
- $3 < c_n < 4$  for all  $n$ .

Determine whether each of the following must diverge, must converge, or if there is not enough information to decide.

If you say that a series must converge or diverge:

- **name or state a test** that can be used to justify your claim.
- If you use the direct or limit comparison test, also **name the comparison series** you would use.

You do *not* need to justify the convergence or divergence of your comparison series.

a. [3 points]  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$

**Answer** (circle one): DIVERGES    CONVERGES    or    NOT ENOUGH INFO

*Solution:* Comparison test,  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ .

b. [3 points]  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{b_n}$

**Answer** (circle one): DIVERGES    CONVERGES    or    NOT ENOUGH INFO

*Solution:* Comparison test,  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ .

c. [3 points]  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n$

**Answer** (circle one): DIVERGES    CONVERGES    or    NOT ENOUGH INFO

*Solution:* The  $n^{\text{th}}$  term test for divergence, or comparison test with  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 3$ .

d. [3 points]  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(c_n)^n}$

**Answer** (circle one): DIVERGES    CONVERGES    or    NOT ENOUGH INFO

*Solution:* Comparison test,  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3^n}$ .

e. [3 points]  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{a_n}$

**Answer** (circle one): DIVERGES    CONVERGES    or    NOT ENOUGH INFO