



## Problem sheet 2

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Solutions will be collected during the lecture on Wednesday November 7.

- [1+1+1 points]** Using the definition of the limit show that  
a)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-1}{n} = 1$ ; b)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^2 = +\infty$ ; c)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (-1)^n$  do not exist.
- [3 points]** Assume that  $a_n \rightarrow a, n \rightarrow \infty$ , and  $b_n \rightarrow b, n \rightarrow \infty$ . Show that  $\max\{a_n, b_n\} \rightarrow \max\{a, b\}, n \rightarrow \infty$ .
- [2+2+2 points]** Compute the following limits:  
a)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^3 - 2n^2 \cos n + n}{\sqrt{n} - 3n^3 + 1}$ ; b)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{n^2 + n} - \sqrt{n})$ ; c)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{n^2 2^n + 3^n}$ .
- [3 points]** Let  $(a_n)_{n \geq 1}$  be a bounded sequence and  $b_n \rightarrow 0, n \geq \infty$ . Prove that  $a_n b_n \rightarrow 0, n \rightarrow \infty$ .
- [3+3 points]** Using the monotonicity compute the following limits:  
a)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n!}{2^{n^2}}$ ; b)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \underbrace{\sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2 + \dots + \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2}}}}}_{n \text{ square roots}}$ .
- [2 points]** Show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \ln \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) = 1$ .
- [2 points]** Identify the set of subsequential limits of the sequence  $(\sin \frac{2\pi n}{3})_{n \geq 1}$ .