

The Terrific Trio for Fall, 2012

Coefficients of the $e^{\sin(x)}$ Power Series¹

Investigate the properties of the coefficients (b_n) of this series. Is there more than one 0 coefficient? What can be said about the magnitude of the $a_n = b_n/n!$ sequence? Are there 4 consecutive terms a_n of the same sign?

Some Series!²

Investigate the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{2+\sin(n)}}.$$

Does it converge or diverge, and if it converges, what does it converge to? Then generalize your findings to other series of a similar sort.

Space Filling and Beyond

Investigate the geometric properties of space filling curves mapping \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{R}^2 . Then generalize to functions mapping \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R}^m .

¹From Josef Pelikan, June, 2011

²From Rick Mabry, November, 2011