

Quiz 6

Please, write clearly and justify all your statements using the material covered in class to get credit for your work.

(1)[ 5pts] Find an example of a sequence  $(s_n)$  of real numbers satisfying each of the following properties. .

(a) Cauchy, but not monotone.

$$s_n = (-1)^n \frac{1}{n}$$

(b) Monotone, but not Cauchy.

$$s_n = n$$

(c) Bounded, but not Cauchy.

$$s_n = (-1)^n$$

(d) Monotone sequence  $(s_n)$  without a convergent subsequence.

$$s_n = n$$

(e)  $(s_n)$  converges to 0 but  $\sum s_n$  is not a convergent series.

$$s_n = \frac{1}{n}$$

(2)[5pts] Let  $(a_n)$  be a sequence of nonnegative real numbers. Prove that  $\sum a_n$  converges iff the sequence of partial sums is bounded.

Proof. Since  $a_n \geq 0$  for all  $n$ , then the sequence of partial sums  $(s_n) = (\sum_{k \leq n} a_k)$  is monotone nondecreasing.

It follows by the Monotone Convergence Theorem of sequences that  $(s_n)$  converges iff it is bounded.