



Department of Mathematics and Statistics

Colloquium

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Selective Sum of a Convergent Series

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Abstract

* A selective sum of a convergent series is a finite sum or infinite series consisting of a selection of some or all of the terms of the series. Symbolically, for the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$, the selective sums consist of all series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n a_n$ such that $c_n \in \{0, 1\}$. We will consider the possible values of selective sums of an absolutely convergent series and connections to other mathematical objects and related results in analysis.

Refreshments at 3:45