Problem Set 3

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1. Find the sum of the following series:

(a)
$$\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-1)(n-2)}$$
, (b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^{2n} + 4^n}{6^n}$

2. Use a **comparison test** to determine whether the series converges or diverges:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n$$

3. Use the **ratio test** to determine whether the series converges or diverges:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(n+2)!}{n! \, 9^n}$$

4. Use the **root test** to determine whether the series converges or diverges:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3n} \right)^n$$

5. Determine whether the following series is convergent or divergent. Please state which test you are using.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2+n^2}{1+2n^2} \right)^n$$

6. Determine whether the following series is convergent or divergent. Please state which test you are using.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{1/n}$$

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