

SOLUTION TO QUIZ 3

MATH 241

Find the radius of convergence of the power series

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(k!)^2 (3 + 4i)^k}{(2k)!} (z - i)^k$$

Proof. By root test, $\frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k} = \frac{(3+4i)(k+1)^2}{(2k+2)(2k+1)}$, so $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k} \right| = \left| \frac{3+4i}{4} \right| = \frac{5}{4}$, therefore the radius of convergence is $\frac{4}{5}$. □