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Series of the form

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n!)^2 (4x^2)^n}{(2n)!(2m+2n+1)}$$

and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n!)^2 (-4x^2)^n}{(2n)!(2m+2n+1)}$$

are examined. In each case, there is an evaluation of the form

$$(p_m(x)f(x) - q_m(x))/x^{2m}$$

where  $f(x)$  is a transcendental function and  $p_m(x)$  and  $q_m(x)$  are polynomials with rational coefficients. We prove that for  $|x| < 1$ ,

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{q_m(x)}{p_m(x)} = f(x).$$

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