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assuming in particular that $p(n) > 0, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sigma(n) = \infty,$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g_i(n) = \infty, 1 \leq i \leq m \quad \text{and} \quad u_1 f(n, u_1, \dots, u_m) \geq 0 \quad \text{for} \quad u_1 u_i > 0,$$

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