

Analysis 1

Chapter 1: The real numbers

1.1 \Rightarrow **Definition**: Let M be a set. A relation R is called a **partial ordering** on M if:

1) R is **reflexive** ($xRx \forall x \in M$)

2) R is **antisymmetric** ($xRy \wedge yRx \Rightarrow x=y$)

3) R is **transitive** ($\forall x, y, z \in M: xRy \wedge yRz \Rightarrow xRz$)

additionally if $\forall x, y \in M: xRy \vee yRx$ then (M, R) is **linearly ordered** (totally ordered)

1.2 \Rightarrow **Definition**: Let (M, \oplus, \odot) be a field. We say that the field is **ordered** if there exists an R such that (M, R) is **linearly ordered** and:

1) $\forall x, y, z \in M: xRy \Rightarrow (x \oplus z) R (y \oplus z)$

2) $0 \oplus R x \wedge 0 \oplus R y \Rightarrow 0 \oplus R (x \odot y)$

1.3 \Rightarrow **Example**: $M = \mathbb{Q}$ with it's natural field structure

" \leq " let $\frac{p}{q}, \frac{\tilde{p}}{\tilde{q}} \in \mathbb{Q}$ ($q, \tilde{q} \in \mathbb{N}^*$)

define $\frac{p}{q} \leq \frac{\tilde{p}}{\tilde{q}} : \Leftrightarrow \frac{p \cdot \tilde{q}}{q \cdot \tilde{q}} \leq \frac{\tilde{p} \cdot q}{\tilde{q} \cdot q} : \Leftrightarrow \exists n \in \mathbb{N}: \tilde{p} \odot q \leq s^n (p \odot \tilde{q})$

$\hookrightarrow \leq$ reflexive: $\forall x \in \mathbb{Q}: x \leq x$

$x \leq x \Leftrightarrow \tilde{p} \odot q \leq p \odot \tilde{q}$

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\Leftrightarrow} \exists n \in \mathbb{N}: s^n (\tilde{p} \odot q) = (p \odot \tilde{q})$

(check well-definedness)

\hookrightarrow the rest is to be checked

$\Rightarrow (\mathbb{Q}, \oplus, \odot, \leq)$ is a ordered field

1.4 \Rightarrow **Definition**: The real numbers \mathbb{R} are an ordered field

which satisfies the **completeness axiom**, that is

$\forall x, y$ a non-empty subset of \mathbb{R} with $\forall x \in X, y \in Y: x \leq y$

there exists $c \in \mathbb{R}: \forall x \in X, \forall y \in Y: x \leq c \leq y$

1.5 \Rightarrow **Remarks**:

1) Is this " \mathbb{R} unique"

\hookrightarrow For now: unclear! Later: yes, for some extent.

2) This is an **axiomatic way** of defining \mathbb{R} .

3) **Consistency**: at this moment it is not clear whether such \mathbb{R} exists

4) **Dedekind cuts**

- 5) \mathbb{Q} fails to satisfy the completeness axiom (next week)
 6) Literature: many equivalent variants of the completeness axiom (supremum axiom)

Simple facts of \mathbb{R}

1.6 \Rightarrow Facts:

- 1) $\exists!$ zero element with respect to "+"
 $\exists!$ one element with respect to "."
 2) Let A and B be real numbers (\mathbb{R}). Then the equation $a+x=b$ has unique solution $x=b+(-a)$
 If $a \neq 0$, then the equation $a \cdot x=b$ has unique solution $x=b \cdot a^{-1}$

3) $x \in \mathbb{R} : x \cdot 0_+ = 0_+ \cdot x = 0_+$

\hookrightarrow proof: $x \cdot 0 = x(0+0) = x \cdot 0 + x \cdot 0$
 neutral element wrt '+' $\quad \quad \quad \uparrow$ distribution

$\Rightarrow \underline{x \cdot 0 + (-x \cdot 0)} = x \cdot 0$

$= 0$

\uparrow $-x \cdot 0$ is the inverse element of $x \cdot 0$

4) $x \cdot y = 0_+ \Rightarrow (x=0) \vee (y=0)$

\hookrightarrow proof: Suppose $y \neq 0$, apply 2.

5) $-(-x) = (-1) \cdot x$

$\cdot (-1) \cdot (-x) = x$

$\cdot (-x) \cdot (-x) = x \cdot x$

1.7 \Rightarrow Facts about order:

\Rightarrow Notation: \leq called less or equal

\geq called greater or equal

\Rightarrow Definition: $x, y \in \mathbb{R} : x < y \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (x < y) \wedge (x \neq y)$

\hookrightarrow analogously $x > y$

"strictly less than/greater than"

- 1) $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ we always have either $x < y$ or $x = y$ or $x > y$
 (follows from linearly field and definition of " $<$ " and " $>$ ")

$$2) (a) (x < y \wedge y < z) \Rightarrow (x < z)$$

$$(b) (x \leq y \wedge y \leq z) \Rightarrow (x \leq z)$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{proof: } (x < y \wedge y < z) \Leftrightarrow ((x < y) \wedge (x \neq y) \wedge (y < z)) \\ \Rightarrow ((x < y) \wedge (y < z))$$

transitivity
ordering

$$\Rightarrow x < z$$

antisymmetric
ordering

$$\text{Suppose } x = z : (x \leq y) \wedge (y < z) \Leftrightarrow (z \leq y) \wedge (y < z) \Leftrightarrow (z \leq y) \wedge (y < z) \wedge (y = z) \\ \Leftrightarrow (z = y) \wedge (y \neq z) \quad \downarrow$$

$$3) \cdot x < y, z \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow x + z < y + z$$

$$\cdot 0 < x \Rightarrow -x < 0$$

$$\cdot (x \leq y) \wedge (z \leq w) \Rightarrow x + z \leq y + w$$

$$4) 0 < x \wedge 0 < y \Rightarrow 0 < x \cdot y$$

$$\cdot x < 0 \wedge y < 0 \Rightarrow 0 < x \cdot y$$

$$x < 0 \wedge y > 0 \Rightarrow x \cdot y < 0$$

$$x < y \wedge 0 < z \Rightarrow xz < yz$$

$$x < y \wedge z < 0 \Rightarrow yz < xz$$

$$5) 0 < 1$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{proof: } 1 \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\} \Leftrightarrow 1 \neq 0$$

$$\text{if } 1 < 0 \stackrel{!}{\Rightarrow} ((1 < 0) \wedge (1 < 0)) \Rightarrow 0 < 1 \cdot 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{So } \Rightarrow 0 < 1$$

$$6) 0 < x \Rightarrow 0 < x^{-1}$$

$$(0 < x) \wedge (x < y) \Rightarrow 0 < y^{-1} \wedge y^{-1} < x^{-1}$$

Completeness axiom & consequences

1.8 \Rightarrow **Definition**: A subset x of \mathbb{R} is called **bounded above**

if $\exists c \in \mathbb{R} : \forall x \in X : x \leq c$ and **bounded below** if

$$\exists c \in \mathbb{R} : \forall x \in X : x \geq c$$

Any such c is called an **upper/lower bound** of x

\hookrightarrow An upper/lower bound of x is called **maximal/minimal**

if it is an element of x

\hookrightarrow maximal and minimal element may not exist

1.9 \Rightarrow **Definition:** (sup/inf) let x be a subset of \mathbb{R} . The smallest upperbound of x is called **supremum** of x denoted by **sup** x . Similarly, the greatest lower bound of x is called **infimum** denoted by **inf** x .

- $\hookrightarrow x$ is bounded if bounded above and below
- \hookrightarrow If x is not bounded of above/below we set up

$$\text{Sup } x = \infty$$

$$\text{inf } x = -\infty$$

\Rightarrow **Theorem:** Any bounded above subset of \mathbb{R} has a Supremum (supreme axiom)

Completeness axiom:

$\forall x, y$ non-empty subsets of \mathbb{R} with:
 $\forall x \in X, \forall y \in Y : x \leq y \Rightarrow \exists c \in \mathbb{R} : \forall x \in X \wedge \forall y \in Y : x \leq c \leq y$ ($x \leq c \wedge c \leq y$)

\Rightarrow **Definition:** (sup/inf) let M be a subset of \mathbb{R} , then the smallest upperbound of M is called the **supremum** of M , the greatest lower bound of M is called the **infimum**.

\hookrightarrow **Note:** $\text{sup } M = \min \{ c \in \mathbb{R} \mid c \text{ is upper bound of } M \}$
 $\forall x \in M : x \leq c$

$\text{inf } M = \max \{ c \in \mathbb{R} \mid \forall x \in M, c \leq x \}$

\hookrightarrow minimal/maximal elements, if they exist, are unique:

Let x, y be minimal in $M \Rightarrow (\forall z \in M : x \leq z \wedge y \leq z) \wedge x \in M \wedge y \in M$

$(z=x, z=y) \Rightarrow x \leq y \wedge y \leq x$

(\leq antisym.) $\Rightarrow x = y$

\hookrightarrow If min/max exist, they equal sup/inf

If x minimal in $M \Rightarrow x = \text{inf } M$

1.10 \Rightarrow **Theorem:** any non-empty bounded $\begin{cases} \text{above} \\ \text{below} \end{cases}$ set has a unique $\begin{cases} \text{supremum} \\ \text{infimum} \end{cases}$

\hookrightarrow **proof:** Since minimal/maximal elements are unique it is enough to show their existence.

Consider a non-empty bounded set X and
 $Y: \{c \in \mathbb{R} : \forall x \in X, x \leq c\}$ (Y is non-empty because X is bounded above)
 let $x \in X, y \in Y: x \leq y$ because by definition of Y, Y is an upper
 bound of X ($c = y$)

complete axiom $\Rightarrow \exists c \in \mathbb{R} : \forall x \in X, \forall y \in Y: x \leq c \leq y$

claim: This c is the sup of X

By '1' c is an upper bound of X

and by '2' any upper bound y of X satisfies $c \leq y$

$\Rightarrow C = \min Y = \sup X$

\uparrow Facts

\hookrightarrow proof inf is analogously

1.11 \Rightarrow Remark: The implication of the theorem implies the completeness-axiom (see Hw/Ex)

1.12 \Rightarrow Example $M = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : 0 \leq x < 1\}$

M is bounded (0 lower bound, 1 upper bound)

$0 = \min M$

$0 \in M, \forall x \in M, 0 \leq x$

$\Rightarrow 0 = \inf M$

claim: $\sup M = 1$: It's clear that $\sup M \leq 1$ (Facts)

\hookrightarrow We need to show that $\forall x \in M, \exists q \in M: x < q < 1$

(this means $\forall x < 1: x$ is not an upper bound)

How to show *? Construct q

claim: $q = z^{-1} \cdot (x+1)$ satisfies *

($z := \frac{\mathbb{R}}{1+1}$)

proof to show $x < q \wedge q < 1$

\Downarrow

$x < z^{-1} \cdot (x+1)$

$\stackrel{\text{def.}}{\Leftrightarrow} x < (1+1) \cdot (x+1)$

$\stackrel{\text{order facts}}{\Leftrightarrow} (1+1)x < x+1$

$\stackrel{\mathbb{R} \text{ field}}{\Leftrightarrow} 1 \cdot x + 1 \cdot x < x+1$

$\stackrel{+(-x)}{\Leftrightarrow} x < 1$, this is true since $x \in M$

$q < 1$: $1 = \sup M$, but 1 is not maximal since

$1 \notin M$

1.13 \Rightarrow Example existence of square root

\hookrightarrow claim: $\forall y \in \mathbb{R} (y \geq 0) \Rightarrow (\exists x \in \mathbb{R} : x \cdot x = y \wedge x > 0)$

Moreover such x is unique for y

Such x is denoted by \sqrt{y} or $y^{\frac{1}{2}}$

\hookrightarrow strategy: Define a set M in \mathbb{R} , such that $x = \sup M$

\hookrightarrow candidate: $M = \{z \in \mathbb{R} : 0 \leq z^2 \leq y\} = [0, \sqrt{y}]$

\hookrightarrow claim: $x := \sup M$ satisfies $\overline{x} \cdot \overline{x} = y$

As M is bounded and non-empty $\Rightarrow x$ exists

We can assume that $0 \leq y < 1$

^{Facts order}
 $\Rightarrow 0 \leq z^2 \leq z < 1$ for all $z \in M$

By ordering facts: $x^2 < y \vee x^2 = y \vee x^2 > y$

\hookrightarrow Case 1: $x^2 < y$: (we show that then $x \neq \sup M$)

Let $\epsilon := \min \{(2x+1)^{-1}(y-x^2)\}$ since $x^2 < y \Rightarrow \epsilon > 0$

$\Rightarrow z := x + \epsilon > x$ show that $z \in M \Rightarrow$ contradiction to $x = \sup M$

$z \in M \Rightarrow$ ^{order facts} $0 \leq z^2 \leq y \Leftrightarrow z^2 \leq y$

$$z^2 = (x+\epsilon)(x+\epsilon) = (x+\epsilon)x + (x+\epsilon)\epsilon$$

$$= x^2 + (1+\epsilon)\epsilon + \epsilon^2$$

$$= x^2 + (2x+\epsilon)\epsilon \stackrel{\text{Facts order}}{\leq} x^2 + (2x+1)\epsilon \leq x^2 + y - x^2 = y$$

\hookrightarrow case 2: $x^2 > y$

\Rightarrow Uniqueness: let $x, \tilde{x} \in \mathbb{R}, x \geq 0 \wedge \tilde{x} \geq 0 \wedge x^2 = y, \tilde{x}^2 = y$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \tilde{x}^2$$

$$(\tilde{x} \geq x \wedge x \geq \tilde{x}^2 \Rightarrow x = \tilde{x})$$

1.14 \Rightarrow lemma: $\forall y \in \mathbb{R}, n \in \mathbb{N} (y \geq 0) \Rightarrow \exists x \in \mathbb{R} : (x \geq 0, \underbrace{x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot \dots \cdot x}_{n\text{-times}} = y)$

\hookrightarrow proof: similar to example 'existence of square root' \heartsuit

$\mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q}$ in \mathbb{R}

\Rightarrow Recall Tom: we constructed \mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z} and \mathbb{Q}

inclusion: $\text{rat}(\text{int}(\mathbb{N})) \subseteq \mathbb{Q}$

$\text{int } \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} : n \mapsto (n, 0)$

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Define $f: \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}: [(m,n)] \mapsto \begin{cases} s^{m-n-1}(1_{\mathbb{R}}) & \text{if } m > n \\ -s^{n-m-1}(1_{\mathbb{R}}) & \text{if } n > m \\ 0_{\mathbb{R}} & \text{if } m = n \end{cases}$ where

$S: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad (S^0: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R})$
 $x \mapsto x + 1_{\mathbb{R}} \quad (x \mapsto x)$
 \hookrightarrow e.g. $[-1,0] \mapsto S^{1-0-1}(1_{\mathbb{R}}) = 1_{\mathbb{R}}$

$g: \underbrace{\mathbb{Q}}_{\substack{\mathbb{N} \\ \mathbb{Z} \\ \mathbb{R}}} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}: [(p,q)] \mapsto P(p) \cdot P(q)^{-1}$

"g sends $\mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q}$ to the conomical elements in \mathbb{R} "

1.15 \Rightarrow Lemma: The function $g: \mathbb{Q} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is well-defined and

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{Q} \begin{cases} g(x \oplus y) = g(x) + g(y) \\ g(x \odot y) = g(x) \cdot g(y) \end{cases}$$

and g is injective

\hookrightarrow proof: δ

1.16 \Rightarrow Definition: • $g(\mathbb{N}^*)$ is called the natural numbers in \mathbb{R}

$$\{x \in \mathbb{R} : \exists n \in \mathbb{N}^* : g(n) = x\}$$

\hookrightarrow we write \mathbb{N}^* for $g(\mathbb{N}^*)$

• $g(\mathbb{N})$ is called the natural numbers with 0 in \mathbb{R}

\hookrightarrow we write \mathbb{N} for $g(\mathbb{N})$

• $g(\mathbb{Z})$ is called the integers in \mathbb{R}

\hookrightarrow we write \mathbb{Z} for $g(\mathbb{Z})$

• $g(\mathbb{Q})$ is called the rationals in \mathbb{R}

\hookrightarrow we write \mathbb{Q} for $g(\mathbb{Q})$

1.17 \Rightarrow Definition: (Zorich's definition of \mathbb{N}) A subset of \mathbb{R} with the property that $\forall x \in M: x + 1_{\mathbb{R}} \in M$ is called **inductive**

1.18 \Rightarrow Lemma: $g(\mathbb{N})$ is the smallest inductive set in \mathbb{R} containing $0_{\mathbb{R}}$
 $g(\mathbb{N}^*)$ is the smallest inductive set in \mathbb{R} containing $1_{\mathbb{R}}$

\forall inductive set M containing $0_{\mathbb{R}}/1_{\mathbb{R}} \Rightarrow g(\mathbb{N}) \subseteq M$
 $\Leftrightarrow g(\mathbb{N})$ is the intersection of all inductive sets containing $0_{\mathbb{R}}/1_{\mathbb{R}}$

↳ proof: $g(\mathbb{N})$ is inductive and contains $0_{\mathbb{R}}$ (by def. of g)

Let M be inductive and containing $0_{\mathbb{R}}$

Consider $S = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : g(n) \in M\}$

S contains 0 ($0 \in \mathbb{N}$)

Furthermore $\forall n \in S$ the successor also lies in S (by def. of g)

by def. \mathbb{N}
 $\Rightarrow S = \mathbb{N}$

by def. S
 $\Rightarrow g(\mathbb{N}) \subseteq M$ □

"Zorich defines \mathbb{N}^* as the smallest inductive set containing $1_{\mathbb{R}}$ "

1.19 \Rightarrow Remark: • Since g is injective: no ambiguity in our notation $g(\mathbb{N}^*) = \mathbb{N}^*$, $g(\mathbb{Z}) = \mathbb{Z}$, $g(\mathbb{Q}) = \mathbb{Q}$
• In analysis the natural numbers are \mathbb{N}^* (excluding $0_{\mathbb{R}}$)
• Zorich's approach is in line with ours by lemma above

1.20 \Rightarrow Corollary: Principle of math induction

Any subset of \mathbb{N}^* which is inductive and contains $1_{\mathbb{R}}$ equals \mathbb{N}^* ($\forall E \subseteq \mathbb{N}^* : (1_{\mathbb{R}} \in E \wedge E \text{ inductive}) \Rightarrow E = \mathbb{N}^*$)

1.21 \hookrightarrow Example "The sum of the first n natural numbers equals $n \cdot (n+1) \cdot 2^{-1} = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$ " (Gauss)

Let's define $\tilde{S}(n) = n \cdot (n+1) \cdot 2^{-1}$ $\tilde{S} : \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and

$S(n) = n \cdot (n+1) \cdot 2^{-1}$ $S : \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ sum of the first n natural numbers

We need to show $S = \tilde{S}$. To do so, consider

$M = \{n \in \mathbb{N}^* : S(n) = \tilde{S}(n)\}$

We want to show that $1 \in M \wedge M \text{ inductive} \stackrel{\text{Coro}}{\Rightarrow} M = \mathbb{N}^*$

$1 \in M : \Leftrightarrow S(1) = \tilde{S}(1) = 1 \cdot (1+1) \cdot 2^{-1} = 1$ \forall (induction beginning)

Minductive: if $n \in M \Rightarrow n+1 \in M \quad \forall n \in M$

$\Leftrightarrow S(n) = \tilde{S}(n) \Leftrightarrow S(n+1) = \tilde{S}(n+1)$

$$S(n+1) \stackrel{\text{def. } S}{=} S(n) + n+1$$

$$\stackrel{IB}{=} \tilde{S}(n) + n+1$$

$$= n(n+1) \cdot 2^{-1} + (n+1) = \tilde{S}(n+1)$$

1.22 => Definition: The irrational numbers

Every element in \mathbb{R} , which is not in \mathbb{Q} ($g(\mathbb{Q})$) is called irrational (irrational numbers = $\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$)

1.23 => Theorem: irrational numbers

The squareroot of 2 is irrational

↳ proof: by "existence of the square root" the square root of 2 exist uniquely as positive unit

$$(\forall y \in \mathbb{R} : y > 0 \Rightarrow \exists! x \in \mathbb{R} : (x > 0 \wedge x \cdot x = y))$$

We need to show that $x = \sqrt{2} = 2^{\frac{1}{2}}$ is not in \mathbb{Q}

Suppose $x = p \cdot q^{-1}$ for $p \in \mathbb{Z}, q \in \mathbb{Z}^*$

without loss of generality (wlog) we assume that $p, q \geq 0$

Moreover assume that exactly one of p and q is even and the other odd

(if both were odd, by $(p \cdot q^{-1})^2 = 2 \Rightarrow p^2 = 2q^2 \Rightarrow p^2$ even $\Rightarrow p$ even)

$\Rightarrow p^2 = 2q^2$: case 1 p even: p^2 is divisible by 4, while $2q^2$ is not

Case 2 q even: p^2 must be even \rightarrow contradiction \square

1.24 => Facts:

1) $\forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}^* : n+m \in \mathbb{N}^*$ (by prop. of \mathbb{P} , lemm. 1.15)

$$g(n) \cdot g(m)$$

$$f(n) + f(m) = f(n+m)$$

(note difference to book)

2) $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* : n \neq 1 \Rightarrow n-1 \in \mathbb{N}^*$

3) $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* : \min \{x \in \mathbb{N}^* : n < x\} = n+1$

4) $\forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}^* : n < m \Rightarrow n+1 \leq m$

5) $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \exists x \in \mathbb{N}^* : n < x \leq n+1$

6) $n-1$ is the immediate predecessor of n for every $n \in \mathbb{N}^*, n+1$

7) Every subset of \mathbb{N} has a minimal element

5. The Archimedean Principle

1.25 => Facts: non-empty

1) Every bounded above subset of \mathbb{N}^* has a maximal element

↳ proof: by sup-'axiom' $\exists s = \sup M$

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\text{sup}} \exists n \in M^* : s-1 < n \leq s \Rightarrow n \leq s < n+1 \stackrel{\text{Facts } \mathbb{N}^*}{\Rightarrow} s = n \Rightarrow \text{Max } M = \sup M = s$

2) \mathbb{N}^* is not bounded above

↳ proof: Suppose $c \in \mathbb{R}$ was an upper bound, $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* : n < c$
 \mathbb{N}^* is inductive $\Rightarrow n+1 \in \mathbb{N}^*$
Using (1) $n+1 > c$, which contradicts that c is an upper bound.

3) \mathbb{Z} is neither bounded below or above

4) Any non-empty bounded below subset subset of \mathbb{Z} (or \mathbb{N}) has a minimal element

1.26 \Rightarrow proposition: Principle of Archimedes

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \forall h > 0, \exists! k \in \mathbb{Z} : (k-1)h \leq x < kh$

↳ proof: consider $M = \{n \in \mathbb{Z} : x < nh\}$

non-empty because bounded below ($n \in \mathbb{Z} : \frac{x}{h} < n$)

$\stackrel{\text{Fact 1}}{\Rightarrow} \exists! k = \min(M)$

$k = \min(M) \stackrel{\text{def } M}{\Leftrightarrow} k \in M \wedge (k-1) \notin M$

$\Downarrow x < kh \Leftrightarrow (k-1)h \leq x$

Since minima are unique, such k is unique

1.27 \Rightarrow Facts

1) $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists n \in \mathbb{N}^* : 0 < \frac{1}{n} < \epsilon$

↳ proof: $0 < \frac{1}{n} < \epsilon \Leftrightarrow 0 < \frac{1}{n} < \frac{n \cdot \epsilon}{n} \stackrel{=: x}{=} \frac{1}{n} < \frac{n \cdot \epsilon}{n} \stackrel{=: h}{=}$

apply archimedes $\Rightarrow \exists! n \in \mathbb{Z} : 1 < n \cdot \epsilon$

Since $\epsilon > 0 \wedge 0 < 1 \Rightarrow n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

2) $\forall x \in \mathbb{R} : (x \geq 0 \wedge \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* x > \frac{1}{n}) \Leftrightarrow x = 0$ [$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* : 0 \leq x < \frac{1}{n} \Rightarrow x = 0$]

↳ proof: Suppose $x > 0$. By first point $\exists n \in \mathbb{N}^* : \frac{1}{n} < x$ \nexists

3) $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{R} : (a < b) \Rightarrow \exists r \in \mathbb{Q} : a < r < b$

↳ proof: let $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $a < b$. By the first fact, $\exists n \in \mathbb{N}^* : \frac{1}{n} < b - a$

By the Archimedean principle (with $h = \frac{1}{n}$) there exists $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ s.t.

$\frac{k-1}{n} \leq a < \frac{k}{n}$

$\stackrel{\text{above}}{\Rightarrow} a < \frac{k}{n} < b$

$$4) \forall x \in \mathbb{R} \exists! z \in \mathbb{Z} : z \leq x < z+1$$

"We call this z the integer part of x "

" $\lfloor \cdot \rfloor : x \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ floor function"

6. The completeness axiom & consequences II

1.28 \Rightarrow **Definition**: A **sequence**, let X be a set. A function $A: \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(X)$ such a function is called a sequence of sets

\hookrightarrow We use the short-hand notation $A_1, A_2, \dots \hat{=} A$
Subsets of X

1.29 \Rightarrow **Definition**: A sequence of sets A_1, A_2, \dots is called **nested** if $A: \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(X)$ is decreasing with respect to the natural inclusion ordering of $\mathcal{P}(X)$. That is $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* : A_n \supseteq A_{n+1}$

\hookrightarrow short-hand notation: $A_1 \supseteq A_2 \supseteq A_3 \supseteq \dots$

\Rightarrow **Theorem**: Nested intervals principle

For every nested sequence I_n of closed intervals in \mathbb{R} there exists $c \in \mathbb{R}$ which lies in every interval of the sequence

Given I_1, I_2, \dots nested closed intervals $\Rightarrow \bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} I_n$ is not empty

If, additionally $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists n \in \mathbb{N}^* : \text{length of } I_n < \epsilon$ ($|I_n| < \epsilon$).

Then such c is unique

\hookrightarrow proof: plan: use completeness axiom (directly)

Define the sets $A = \{a_n : n \in \mathbb{N}^*\}$, $B = \{b_n : n \in \mathbb{N}^*\}$

(say $I_n = [a_n, b_n]$ for some $a_n, b_n \in \mathbb{R} : a_n \leq b_n$)

\Rightarrow because we have closed intervals A, B are non-empty

\Rightarrow because we have nested intervals $\forall a \in A, b \in B : a \leq b$

$\stackrel{\text{complete axiom}}{\Rightarrow} \exists c \in \mathbb{R} : \forall a \in A, \forall b \in B : a \leq c \leq b$

$\Rightarrow \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* : a_n \leq c \leq b_n$

$\Leftrightarrow c \in I_n \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

$\Leftrightarrow c \in \bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} I_n$

$\Leftrightarrow \bigcap I_n \neq \emptyset$

Under the additional assumption, suppose that c_1 and c_2 are different elements in the intersection of all I_n 's.

Let $\epsilon = |c_1 - c_2| > 0$, then $\exists l \in \mathbb{N}^*$ such that $|I_l| < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$
 $\Rightarrow |I_l| = \max I_l - \min I_l \geq |c_1 - c_2| = \epsilon \quad \text{!}$

7. Countable v.s. uncountable

1.30 \Rightarrow **Definition**: Let M be a set. We say that:

- M is **finite** if there exist a bounded above subset N of \mathbb{N}^* and a bijection $f: N \rightarrow M$
- M is **countable**, if there exist a bijection $f: \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow M$
- M is **at most countable**, if M is either finite or countable

\hookrightarrow Clearly \mathbb{N}^* is countable (as f can be chosen to be the identity mapping), \mathbb{Z} is also countable ($f: \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$), \mathbb{Q} turns out to be countable too (counter).

1.31 \Rightarrow **proposition**: Any infinite subset of a countable set is countable

1) The finite or countable union of finite or countable sets is at most countable

\hookrightarrow example: $\mathbb{Z} = \mathbb{N}^* \cup \{0\} \cup \{-k : k \in \mathbb{N}^*\}$

\hookrightarrow proof Zorich 75

1.32 \Rightarrow **Theorem**: The real numbers are not countable

\hookrightarrow proof: Suppose \mathbb{R} was countable

\Rightarrow a sequence p_1, p_2, \dots in \mathbb{R} such that $f: \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is bijective

Goal: find element in \mathbb{R} which is not in the image of the sequence.

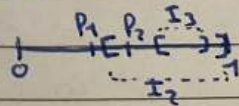
It's enough to show that $[0, 1]$ is uncountable

Assume $p_1, p_2, \dots \in [0, 1]$

Consider p_1 and choose an closed interval not containing p_1 , I_1

In I_1 choose a subinterval not containing p_2

Call this $I_2 \dots \stackrel{1,29}{\Rightarrow} \exists c \in \bigcap_{l \in \mathbb{N}^*} I_l \wedge c \notin P(\mathbb{N}^*)$



Chapter 2: Sequences

2.1 \Rightarrow **Definition**: Let X be a set. A function $x: \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow X$ is called a **sequence in X** . We use the notation $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ (or short-hand (x_n))
 \hookrightarrow The set of sequences in X is denoted by $X^{\mathbb{N}^*}$
 \hookrightarrow In the case $X = \mathbb{R}$, we also say " x is a **sequence of real numbers**" (Zorich: "**numerical sequences**")

2.2 \Rightarrow **Definition**: A **general distance function**
Let X be a set. Then a function $d: X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ is called a **distance function or metric on X** if:
i) $\forall x, y \in X: d(x, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = y$
ii) $\forall x, y \in X: d(x, y) = d(y, x)$ (symmetric)
iii) $\forall x, y, z \in X: d(x, z) \leq d(x, y) + d(y, z)$ (triangle inequality)

The pair (X, d) is called a **metric space**

2.3 \Rightarrow **Examples**:

a) most important: $X = \mathbb{R}, d(x, y) := |x - y|$

\hookrightarrow proof: ∇

b) the simplest: "discrete metric"

$$\text{let } X \neq \emptyset, d(x, y) = d_0(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \neq y \quad \forall x, y \in X \\ 0 & \text{if } x = y \quad \forall x, y \in X \end{cases}$$

\hookrightarrow proof: ∇

c) abstract example:

let (X, d) be a metric space and $Y \subset X$ and

$$d|_{Y \times Y}: Y \times Y \rightarrow [0, \infty)$$

$$(x, y) \mapsto d(x, y)$$

$\Rightarrow (Y, d|_{Y \times Y})$ metric space

\hookrightarrow proof: ∇

d) most important (general): $X = \mathbb{R}^d = \overbrace{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}}^{d\text{-times}}$

$$d_2(x, y) = \left(\sum_{i=1}^d |x_i - y_i|^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

$\Rightarrow (\mathbb{R}^d, d_2)$ metric space

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_d \end{pmatrix}, y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_d \end{pmatrix}$$

\hookrightarrow proof: ∇

\Rightarrow Recall: for $z \in \mathbb{R}$: $|z| = \begin{cases} z & \text{if } z \geq 0 \\ -z & \text{if } z < 0 \end{cases}$

$$\forall a, b \in \mathbb{R}: |a+b| \leq |a| + |b|$$

$$|a| = 0 \Leftrightarrow a = 0$$

$$|a-b| = |b-a| \Leftrightarrow |a| = |-a|$$

\Rightarrow Note: the differences of general sets X (belonging to (X, d) metric) and special cases like $X = \mathbb{R}$ $d = d_2$ (from example) this has consequences for the structure of $X^{\mathbb{N}^*}$

\hookrightarrow e.g. Sequences in \mathbb{R} can be added or multiplied

$$x, y \in \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}^*} \text{ define } x+y \in \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}^*}$$

$$x \cdot y \in \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}^*}$$

$$\text{by } (x+y)(n) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} x(n) + y(n)$$

$$(x \cdot y)(n) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} x(n) \cdot y(n)$$

2.4 \Rightarrow Example:

$$X = \mathbb{R}, d(x, y) = |x - y|$$

$$X_n = n^2, n \in \mathbb{N}^* \quad (x: \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad n \mapsto n^2)$$

$$\rightarrow (n^2)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$$

$$\bullet) X_n = \frac{1}{n} \quad n \in \mathbb{N}^*$$

$$\bullet) (X, d) = (\mathbb{R}, d_0)$$

$$X_n = n^2 \rightarrow (n^2)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$$

$$X_n = \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$$

2.5 \Rightarrow Definitions (convergent, Cauchy, bounded sequences)

let (X, d) be a metric space.

Then a sequence $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in X is called:

1) Convergent if:

$$\exists x \in X \forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* (n \geq N \Rightarrow d(x_n, x) < \varepsilon)$$

2) a Cauchy sequence if:

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}^* (n, m \geq N \Rightarrow d(x_n, x_m) < \varepsilon)$$

3) bounded if:

$$\exists c \in X, M > 0 : \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* d(c, x_n) < M$$

2.6 => Remark: (What does convergent mean?)

The sequence $(\frac{1}{n})_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ converges in \mathbb{R}

$x=0 \Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq N: \epsilon$

$$d(\frac{1}{n}, 0) = |\frac{1}{n} - 0| < \epsilon \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{n} < \epsilon \Leftrightarrow n > \frac{1}{\epsilon}$$

Choose: $N_\epsilon = \min \{n \in \mathbb{N}^* : n > \frac{1}{\epsilon}\}$ exist by fact: ... (or floor function)

Addition to definition 2.5:

If a sequence (x_n) converges, then "the x " is called the limit.

We then also say/write " (x_n) converges to x ", $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$

(" x_n tends to x as n goes to infinity")

If $(X, d) = (\mathbb{R}, d_2)$, then we make no further references ($d_2(x, y) = |x - y|$)

2.7 => proposition: let (X, d) be a metric space. let $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ be a sequence in X

Then (x_n) convergent $\Rightarrow (x_n)$ Cauchy sequence $\Rightarrow (x_n)$ bounded

Furthermore: • "limits are unique", that means

$$(x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x \wedge x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} y) \Rightarrow x = y$$

$$\bullet x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x \text{ in } (X, d) \Leftrightarrow (d(x_n, x))_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0 \text{ in } (\mathbb{R}, d_2)$$

↳ proof: let $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$ in (X, d) , we want to show that $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ is Cauchy Δ -inequal.

$$\text{Consider } d(x_n, x_m) \leq d(x_n, x) + d(x, x_m)$$

Since $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$ by assumption $\forall \frac{\epsilon}{2} > 0 \exists N_\epsilon \in \mathbb{N}^* : \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

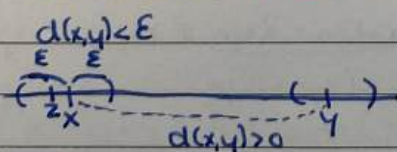
$$n \geq N \Rightarrow d(x_n, x) < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow n \geq N \wedge m \geq N \Rightarrow d(x_n, x) < \frac{\epsilon}{2} \wedge d(x, x_m) < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}^* : n \geq N \wedge m \geq N \Rightarrow d(x_n, x) + d(x, x_m) < \frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow d(x_n, x_m) < \epsilon$$

C.S. \Rightarrow hold hw



(2.7) => Recall: (X, d) metric space $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ sequence in X

1) $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$ convergent $\Rightarrow (x_n)$ Cauchy \Rightarrow ^{2017th} (x_n) bounded

2) $(x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x \wedge x_m \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} y) \Rightarrow x = y$

3) $(x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x) \Leftrightarrow (d(x_n, x))_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ converge to 0 in \mathbb{R} (\mathbb{R}, d_2)

$x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x \stackrel{\text{def}}{\Leftrightarrow} \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq N : d(x_n, x) < \epsilon$

$d = d_2 \quad d_2(x, y) = |x - y| \quad x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

↳ proof (3): $z_n = d(x_n, x)$, consider $(z_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$
 $z_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$ in (\mathbb{R}, d_2) $\dots = d_2(z_n, 0)$
 $\stackrel{\text{def.}}{\Leftrightarrow} \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq N \underbrace{|z_n - 0|}_{\stackrel{\text{def. } z_n}{=} d(x_n, x)} < \epsilon$
 $\stackrel{\text{def. conv.}}{\Leftrightarrow} x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$ in (X, d)

↳ proof (2): use (3) to show (2)
 let x, y be limits of $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$
 $x = y \Leftrightarrow 0 = d(x, y) \stackrel{\Delta}{\leq} d(x, x_n) + d(x_n, y)$
by 3) \downarrow \downarrow as $n \rightarrow \infty$
 $\Rightarrow d(x, y) = 0 \Rightarrow x = y$

\Rightarrow Example: $X = \mathbb{R}, d = d_2, x_n = \frac{1}{n}, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ (N)
 (convergent to 0 because $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N: N > \frac{1}{\epsilon}$
 (Archimedean principle))

2.8 \Rightarrow Facts on sequences in \mathbb{R} ((\mathbb{R}, d_2))

1. let $(x_n), (y_n)$ be sequences in $\mathbb{R}, x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

a) $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x \wedge y_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} y \Rightarrow (x_n + y_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ converges to $x + y$

↳ proof: $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x \Leftrightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq N: |x_n - x| < \epsilon$

$y_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} y \Leftrightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \tilde{N} \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq \tilde{N}: |y_n - y| < \epsilon$

$\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N' = \max\{N, \tilde{N}\} \forall n \geq N'$:

$$|(x_n + y_n) - (x + y)| \leq |x_n - x| + |y_n - y| < 2\epsilon$$

b) $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x \wedge y_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} y \Rightarrow (x_n \cdot y_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ converges to $x \cdot y$

↳ proof: one addition step needed

Assume $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N, \tilde{N} \in \mathbb{N}^*: \forall n \geq N: |x_n - x| < \epsilon$

$n \geq \tilde{N}: |y_n - y| < \epsilon$

$$|x_n \cdot y_n - x \cdot y| + x y_n - x y_n = \underbrace{|x_n y_n - x y_n|}_{=(x_n - x)y_n} + \underbrace{x y_n - x \cdot y}_{=x(y_n - y)}$$

$$\stackrel{\Delta}{\leq} |y_n| |x_n - x| + |x| |y_n - y| = (*)$$

$$\leq \sup_{n \geq N} |y_n| \epsilon + |x| \epsilon \quad (\text{if } n \geq \tilde{N})$$

want: $\forall \tilde{\epsilon} > 0 \exists N' \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq N': |x_n y_n - x y| < \tilde{\epsilon}$

How to choose N' (depending on $\tilde{\epsilon}$)?

(want $(*) < \tilde{\epsilon}$) this is achieved by

$$(*) < M\epsilon + |x|\epsilon \text{ for } n \geq \max\{N_\epsilon, \tilde{N}_\epsilon\}$$

take instead of $N_\epsilon, \tilde{N}_\epsilon$: $N_{\tilde{\epsilon}/(M+|x|)}, N_{\tilde{\epsilon}/|x|}$ if $x \neq 0$
 $N_{\tilde{\epsilon}}$ if $x = 0$

c) if $y_n \neq 0 \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

$x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x \wedge y_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} y \Rightarrow (\frac{x_n}{y_n})_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ converges to $\frac{x}{y}$

↳ proof: check that $y_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} y \wedge \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*: y_n \neq 0 \Rightarrow (\frac{1}{y_n} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{y})$
rest is clear from b) ☹

2. Let $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x, y_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} y$ in \mathbb{R}

If $\exists N \in \mathbb{N}^*: \forall n \geq N, x_n < y_n$, then $x < y$

(the same for $x_n > y_n \rightarrow x > y$) (never remains strict)

(Ex: $x=0 \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*, y_n = \frac{1}{n}, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$)

↳ proof: zorich

3. Sandwich squeeze theorem

If $x_n \leq y_n \leq z_n$ for every $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ (for some index N all $n \geq N$)

and $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x, z_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$ then $y_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$

(ex: $x_n = 0 \forall n, z_n = \frac{1}{n} \forall n, y_n = \frac{1}{n^2} \forall n$)

↳ proof: Suppose that $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x, z_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$ and let $\epsilon > 0$

$\Rightarrow \exists N' \in \mathbb{N}^*: x - \epsilon < x_n$ for $n \geq N'$

$z_n < x + \epsilon$

$- \epsilon < y_n - x < \epsilon$

$x - \epsilon < y_n < x + \epsilon$ for all $n \geq N'$

$x, xxx \quad x, xxx$

$|x_n - x| < \epsilon \quad n \geq N'$

$\Leftrightarrow -\epsilon < x_n - x < \epsilon$

$\Leftrightarrow x - \epsilon < x_n < x + \epsilon$

4. Let $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x, y_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} y$. Suppose $\exists N \in \mathbb{N}^*$ such that:

a) $x_n > y_n \Rightarrow x > y \quad \forall n \geq N$

b) $x_n > y_n \Rightarrow x \geq y \quad \forall n \geq N$

c) $x_n > y_n \Rightarrow x \geq y \quad \forall n \geq N$

d) $x_n \geq y_n \Rightarrow x \geq y \quad \forall n \geq N$

\Rightarrow Difference between (x_n) convergent and (x_n) Cauchy set

(x_n) is a Cauchy set (in \mathbb{R}) $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\Leftrightarrow} \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n, m \geq N: |x_n - x_m| < \epsilon$

(x_n) convergent $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\Leftrightarrow} \exists x \in \mathbb{R} \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq N: |x_n - x| < \epsilon$

2. Characterisations of convergence

2.9 \Rightarrow Theorem: Cauchy criteria

Any Cauchy sequence in \mathbb{R} converges

\Leftrightarrow A sequence in (\mathbb{R}, d_1) converges if and only if it is a Cauchy set

\hookrightarrow proof: by prop 2.6 (con \Rightarrow Cauch) we only need to show that:

(x_n) Cauchy $\Rightarrow (x_n)$ converges

Challenge is to find the limit

By prop 2.6: (x_n) Cauchy $\Rightarrow (x_n)$ bounded explicitly

Given $\varepsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* : \forall n, m \geq N : |x_n - x_m| < \varepsilon$

$(m=N) \Leftrightarrow x_N - \varepsilon < x_n < x_N + \varepsilon \quad \forall n \geq N$

This shows that (x_n) is bounded

Define $a_n = \inf_{k \geq n} x_k \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \inf \{x_k : k \geq n\}$

$$b_n = \sup_{k \geq n} x_k \quad \text{for all } n \in \mathbb{N}^*$$

Note by construction: $a_n \leq a_{n+1} \leq b_{n+1} \leq b_n$

$I_n := [a_n, b_n], n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

$\Rightarrow I_n$ are nested intervals

$\stackrel{1.29}{\Rightarrow} \exists x \in \mathbb{R} : x \in I_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

To show: $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$

Since $a_n = \inf_{k \geq n} x_k \leq x \leq b_n = \sup_{k \geq n} x_k$ (by def. inf & sup)

$$\Rightarrow |x - x_n| \leq b_n - a_n$$

Moreover $|x - x_n| \leq b_n - a_n \quad \forall n \geq N$

$$x_n - \varepsilon \leq \inf_{k \geq n} x_k \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} a_n \leq b_n \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \sup_{k \geq n} x_k \leq x_n + \varepsilon \quad (n \geq N)$$

$$\Rightarrow b_n - a_n < 2\varepsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* : \forall n \geq N : |x - x_n| < 2\varepsilon$$

2.10 \Rightarrow Example:

"The statement of theorem 2.9 is not true if $X = \mathbb{Q}$, $d_1 = d_2$ (\mathbb{Q}, d_2)

By Archimedean principle (Facts):

\forall irrational number x (e.g. $\sqrt{2}$) \exists seq. (x_n) in $\mathbb{Q} : x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$

$x \notin \mathbb{Q}$, it does not converge in (\mathbb{Q}, d_2)

⇒ Example:

Let $x_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n}$ $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in $\mathbb{R} (= (\mathbb{R}, d_2) \text{ } d_2(x, y) = |x - y|)$

↳ Does this sequence converge?

By theorem 2.9 (con ⇒ cauchy), it's enough to show that (x_n) is not a cauchy set.

To see that (x_n) is not cauchy. Consider

$$|x_{2n} - x_n| = \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n}$$
$$\geq n \cdot \frac{1}{2n} = \frac{1}{2}$$

⇒ (x_n) is not a cauchy sequence ($\epsilon = \frac{1}{2}$)

3. Monotonic sequences & Euler's number

2.11 ⇒ **Definitions**: A sequence $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in \mathbb{R} is called

1a) **non-decreasing** if $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \ x_n \leq x_{n+1}$

b) **non-increasing** if $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \ x_n \geq x_{n+1}$

2a) **increasing** if $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \ x_n < x_{n+1}$

b) **decreasing** if $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \ x_n > x_{n+1}$

3a) **bounded above** if $\{x_n : n \in \mathbb{N}^*\}$ is bounded above

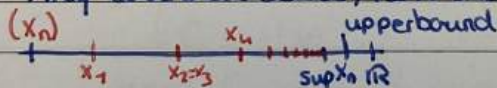
bounded below if $\{x_n : n \in \mathbb{N}^*\}$ is bounded below

4) **monotonic** if (x_n) is either (non)-increasing or (non)-decreasing

2.12 ⇒ **Theorem**: Weierstraß/monotonic convergence

Any bounded above, non-decreasing seq. in \mathbb{R} converges to $\sup\{x_n : n \in \mathbb{N}^*\}$

Any bounded below, non-increasing seq. in \mathbb{R} converges to $\inf\{x_n : n \in \mathbb{N}^*\}$



↳ proof: let (x_n) is non-decreasing and bounded above.

Let S be the supremum (exists by ass. of boundedness)

By def. of sup: $\forall \epsilon > 0 \ \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* : S - \epsilon \leq x_N$

Since (x_n) is non-decreasing: $\forall n \geq N : x_N \leq x_n$

Since S is an upperbound: $\forall n \geq N : x_n \leq S + \epsilon$

$\left. \begin{array}{l} \forall n \geq N: \\ S - \epsilon \leq x_n \leq S + \epsilon \end{array} \right\} \Leftrightarrow \forall n \geq N: |S - x_n| < \epsilon$

2.13 \Rightarrow Example: (Euler's number)

$$\text{Let } y_n = \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^{n+1}, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$$

Then $(y_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ is decreasing in \mathbb{R}

Also (y_n) is bounded below, because by using Bernoulli's

inequality: $\forall x > -1, n \in \mathbb{N}^*: (1+x)^n \geq 1+nx$

$$\text{By } x = \frac{1}{n}: y_n \geq 1 + (n+1)\frac{1}{n} = 1 + \frac{n+1}{n} \geq 2 \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$$

$\stackrel{2.12}{\Rightarrow} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n$ exists

$$\text{Define } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n =: e \quad \circ \circ \circ$$

$$\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) = y_n = x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 1$$

2.14 \Rightarrow Examples:

a) Let $q > 1$. The sequence $\left(\frac{n}{q^n}\right)$ converges to 0.

\hookrightarrow proof: Theorem 2.12 can not be applied directly

$$x_n = \frac{n}{q^n}, \quad x_{n+1} = \frac{n+1}{q^{n+1}} = \frac{n+1}{nq} x_n, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}^*$$

If $\frac{n+1}{nq} < 1$, then (x_n) is decreasing

$$\Leftrightarrow 1 + \frac{1}{n} < q \quad \text{Therefore } \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^*: \frac{n+1}{nq} < 1 \quad \forall n \geq N$$

$$\text{Define } y_n = x_{n+N}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}^*$$

$\Rightarrow (y_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ is decreasing and bounded below as $y_n > 0 \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

$$\stackrel{2.12}{\Rightarrow} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n \text{ exists } =: x$$

$$x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_{n+1} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n+1}{nq} x_n\right) = \frac{1}{q} \cdot x$$
$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n+1}{n} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{1}{q}\right) \cdot x = 0 \quad \stackrel{q \neq 1}{\Rightarrow} x = 0$$

b) $\sqrt[n]{n}$ (see 1.14) This follows from $\frac{n}{q^n} \rightarrow 0 \quad (q > 1)$

$$\downarrow n \rightarrow \infty$$

$$1$$

$$\text{c) } \forall a > 0: \sqrt[n]{a} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 1$$

4. Subsequences & \liminf / \limsup

2.15 \Rightarrow Definition: let (x_n) be a sequence in the metric space (X, d)

and $k: \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{N}^*$ increasing, that is $k(n) < k(n+1) \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

("k is an increasing sequence in \mathbb{N}^* ")

The function $x \circ k$ is called a subsequence of x

$$n \mapsto (k(n)) = x_{k(n)} = x_{n_n}$$

=> Example: $x_n = (-1)^n, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ $(-1, 1, -1, 1, \dots)$

$h(n) = 2n, n \in \mathbb{N}^* \Rightarrow x_{o_h} = (1, 1, 1, 1, \dots)$

$h(n) = 2n+1, n \in \mathbb{N}^* \Rightarrow x_{o_h} = (-1, -1, -1, -1, \dots)$

2.16 => Definition: A sequence in \mathbb{R} is said to converge to:

$\begin{cases} +\infty & \text{if for } \forall c \in \mathbb{R} \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* : \forall n \geq N, x_n > c \\ -\infty & \text{if for } \forall c \in \mathbb{R} \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* : \forall n \geq N, x_n < c \end{cases}$

↳ Tutorial: (x_n) converges to $+\infty$ \Leftrightarrow every subsequence is not bounded above

2.17 => Lemma: Every sequence in \mathbb{R} either has a convergent subsequence or a subsequence converging to $+\infty$ or $-\infty$

↳ proof: Tutorial, hints in notebook

2.18 => Facts:

a) Any bounded sequence has a convergent subsequence (Bolzano-Weierstrass)

↳ proof: follows from 2.17. By showing that no subsequence converging to $\pm\infty$ exists

b) (x_n) convergent in $(x_d) \Leftrightarrow (x_{h(n)})_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ converges a subsequence $x_{h(n)}$ and limits are the same

c) For a sequence to converge "it doesn't matter what finitely sequence components do"

This means: Given $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in \mathbb{R} and define

$y_n \begin{cases} x_n & \text{for } n \text{ in a sequence, } S \subseteq \mathbb{N}^* \text{ with } \mathbb{N}^* \setminus S \text{ finite} \\ c_n & \text{else} \end{cases}$

where $c_n, n \in \mathbb{N}^* \setminus S$ is arbitrary. Then (x_n) converges $\Leftrightarrow (y_n)$ converges and limits (if exists) are the same.

d) Given a sequence $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in \mathbb{R} ,

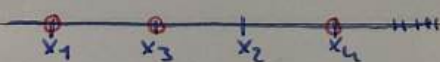
define $z_n = \inf\{x_u : u \geq n\} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \inf_{u \geq n} x_u$ (recall proof of 2.g)

Then $(z_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ is non-decreasing.

Similarly $\tilde{z}_n = \sup_{u \geq n} x_u$ defines a non-increasing sequence $(\tilde{z}_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$

$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} (z_n) \text{ converges (to its sup) or } (z_n) \text{ to } +\infty \\ (\tilde{z}_n) \text{ converges (to its inf) or } (\tilde{z}_n) \text{ to } -\infty \end{cases}$

$z_1 \quad z_2 = z_3 \quad z_4$



2.19 => **Definition**: Given $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in \mathbb{R} , we call
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{k \geq n} x_k = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n$ the **limit inferior** of (x_n) and
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{k \geq n} x_k = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n$ the **limit superior** of (x_n)

2.20 => **Examples**:

a) $x_n = \frac{1}{n}, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = 0 = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n$
 \Downarrow
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{k \geq n} x_k = 0$
 \Uparrow
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{k \geq n} x_k = 0$

by the monotone converge theorem and fact
 finitely many components doesn't matter

b) $x_n = (-1)^n, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = -1$
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = +1$
 $(-1, 1, -1, 1, -1, 1, -1, \dots)$
 remove $\inf = -1, \sup = 1$

c) $x_n = n, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = +\infty$
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = -\infty$
 def $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{k \geq n} k = +\infty$
 $= n$

2.21 => **Definition**: Given a sequence $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in some metric space (X, d) , we call the limit of a subsequence of $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ a **partial limit** (accumulation point) of $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$

2.22 => **Proposition**: The limit $\left\{ \begin{matrix} \text{inferior} \\ \text{superior} \end{matrix} \right\}$ of a sequence in \mathbb{R} is the $\left\{ \begin{matrix} \text{smallest} \\ \text{largest} \end{matrix} \right\}$ partial limit of the sequence

↳ proof: we prove the statement for $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n$ for a given sequence $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$

Define $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{k \geq n} x_k$
 monotone conv. (z_n) non-decreasing

$i = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} z_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n$

Suppose $i \in \mathbb{R}$ (sequence (x_n) bounded below)

How to find a subsequence with limit i :

Choose indices (k_n) inductively such that:

• $k_n < k_{n+1}$ • $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n = i$ (definition of inf and definition of int)

• $z_{k_n} \leq x_{k_n} \leq z_{k_n} + \frac{1}{n}$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_{k_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (z_{k_n} + \frac{1}{n})$

ii. Squeeze $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_{k_n} = i$

($\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty}$ in the same way)

So we have found a subsequence $(x_{k_n})_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ which converges to the $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n$

Why is this the smallest:

$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq N |i - x_n| < \epsilon$

know: $z_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} i$

$\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* : i - \epsilon < z_n \stackrel{\text{def inf}}{=} \inf_{k \geq n} x_k \leq x_n \quad \forall n \geq N$

$\Rightarrow i - \epsilon < x_n \quad \forall n \geq N$

\Rightarrow no subsequence of $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ can converge to a limit strictly less than i

5. Series (infinite sums)

7.23 \Rightarrow Definition: let $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ be a sequence in \mathbb{R} .

Then the sequence defined by

$S_n = x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n$

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

is called the sequence of partial sums of the series

$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x_k$

We say that the series $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x_k$ converges if $(s_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ converges.

Let $(a_j)_{j \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ be a sequence in \mathbb{R} . The sequence $(s_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$

$s_n := \sum_{j=1}^n a_j, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ is called a series (of real numbers).

\hookrightarrow We write $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ for both the series as well as its limits (if they exist)

\hookrightarrow If $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ does not converge, we say it diverges. This includes

$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges to infinity ($+\infty$)

\hookrightarrow The a_j 's are called "terms of the series"

2.24 \Rightarrow Facts:

1) If $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges, then $a_j \xrightarrow{j \rightarrow \infty} 0$ (divergence test).
($a_j \not\rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ diverges)

2) Let $(a_n)_n, (\tilde{a}_n)_n$ be sequences in \mathbb{R} such that $\{k \in \mathbb{N}^+ : a_k \neq \tilde{a}_k\}$ is finite. Then $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges if and only if $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \tilde{a}_j$ converges. However in that case limit's need not be the same.

\hookrightarrow proof: Define $k := \max \{k \in \mathbb{N}^+ : a_k \neq \tilde{a}_k\} \in \mathbb{N}^+$

$$\forall n \geq k : \sum_{j=1}^n a_j = \sum_{j=1}^k a_j + \sum_{j=k+1}^n a_j = \sum_{j=1}^k \tilde{a}_j + \sum_{j=k+1}^n a_j$$
$$= \sum_{j=1}^k (a_j - \tilde{a}_j) + \sum_{j=1}^n \tilde{a}_j \quad (\text{Fact 2.8})$$

3) A series $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ of real numbers converges if and only if:

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^+ \forall n, m \geq N (m \geq n \Rightarrow |\sum_{j=n}^m a_j| < \epsilon)$$

\hookrightarrow proof: (Cauchy seq. \Leftrightarrow conv. seq in \mathbb{R}) statement follows from $(S_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^+}$ is a Cauchy sequence.

"Cauchy criteria for series"

def. partial sums

$$S_m = S_{n-1} + \sum_{j=n}^m a_j = \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} a_j + \sum_{j=n}^m a_j, m \geq n \geq 2$$
$$= \sum_{j=n}^m a_j$$

4) Let $(a_j)_{j \in \mathbb{N}^+}$ be a sequence of non-negative numbers ($j \geq 0, j \in \mathbb{N}^+$). Then $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges if and only if $(\sum_{j=1}^n a_j)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^+}$ is bounded above.
 $= S_n$

\hookrightarrow proof: This follows from monotone convergence (Weierstrass) theorem, because $(\sum_{j=1}^n a_j)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^+}$ is non-decreasing ($S_{n+1} = S_n + a_{n+1} \geq S_n \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^+$)

5) Comparison lemma/test:

Let $(a_j)_j$ and $(b_j)_j$ be real sequences, such that $0 \leq a_j \leq b_j$ for all but finitely many $j \in \mathbb{N}^+$.

i) If $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} b_j$ converges, then $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges

\hookrightarrow proof: By fact (2) we can assume that $\forall j \in \mathbb{N}^+ 0 \leq a_j \leq b_j$

if $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} b_j$ convergent $\stackrel{(1)}{\Rightarrow} (\sum_{j=1}^n b_j)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^+}$ bounded above \Rightarrow

$(\sum_{j=1}^n a_j)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^+}$ bounded above $\stackrel{(1)}{\Rightarrow} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges

ii) If $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ diverges, then $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} b_j$ diverges (write: $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} b_j = \infty$)
 \hookrightarrow proof analogously by fact 4.

2.26 \Rightarrow Examples:

1) Let $q \setminus \{0\} \in \mathbb{R}$ by the formula $\sum_{j=0}^n q^j = 1 + q + q^2 + \dots + q^n$
 $= \begin{cases} \frac{1-q^{n+1}}{1-q} & \text{if } q \neq 1 \\ n+1 & \text{if } q=1 \end{cases}$
 $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} q^j$ converges $\Leftrightarrow |q| < 1$ (see tutorial, $\sum_{j=m}^{\infty} q^j = \frac{q^m}{1-q}$, $m \in \mathbb{N}^*$)

2) $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{j}$ diverges because of fact (3), by noting that
 $S_{2n} - S_{n-1} = \sum_{j=n}^{2n} \frac{1}{j} \geq n \cdot \frac{1}{2n} \quad n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ (see 2.10) (Harmonic series)

3) $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{j^2}$ converges, because $\forall j \in \mathbb{N}^*, j > 1 \quad \frac{1}{j^2} < \frac{1}{j-1} - \frac{1}{j}$
 and since $\sum_{j=2}^n \frac{1}{(j-1)j} = \sum_{j=2}^n \left(\frac{1}{j-1} - \frac{1}{j} \right) = \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \right) + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{n-1} - \frac{1}{n} \right)$
 $= 1 - \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow \infty \quad (n \rightarrow \infty)$

By facts 2 and 5 $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{j^2}$ converges (with limit ≤ 1)

2.26 \Rightarrow Definition: A series $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ of real (or complex) numbers is called absolutely convergent if $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |a_j|$ converges

2.27 \Rightarrow proposition: If $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges absolutely, it converges

\hookrightarrow proof: $\stackrel{\text{conv.}}{\Rightarrow} \forall \varepsilon > 0 \quad \forall m, n \geq N \quad m \geq n \Rightarrow \sum_{j=n}^m |a_j| < \varepsilon$

$\stackrel{\text{triangle}}{\Rightarrow} \forall \varepsilon > 0 \quad \forall m, n \geq N \quad m \geq n \Rightarrow \left| \sum_{j=n}^m a_j \right| < \varepsilon$

$\stackrel{2.24(3)}{\Rightarrow} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges

\hookrightarrow note that the opposite fails in general

(e.g. $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (-1)^j \frac{1}{j}$ converges, but not absolutely)

2.28 \Rightarrow Theorem: root test for absolute convergence

Let $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ be a real or complex series

Let $L := \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[j]{|a_j|} = |a_j|^{\frac{1}{j}} \in \mathbb{R} \cup \{+\infty\}$

Then 1) if $L < 1$, then $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges absolutely

2) if $L > 1$, then $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ diverges

3) $L = 1$ can have both cases

note that: $L < 1 \Leftrightarrow \exists q \in (0, 1)$ and $N \in \mathbb{N}^* : (|a_j|)^{\frac{1}{j}} \leq q$ for all $j > N$

$L > 1 \Leftrightarrow \exists$ subsequence $(a_{j_k})_{k \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ of (a_j) such that

$|a_{j_k}| \geq 1 \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N}^*$

$q = L + \varepsilon$
 for ε sufficient small

↳ proof: by the above consideration, we have
 $|a_j|^{-1/j} = q \quad \forall j > N \Leftrightarrow |a_j| \leq q^j$
 $\stackrel{2.25}{\Rightarrow} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |a_j|$ converges

↳ If $L > 0$, by above consideration:
 $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ can not converge

2.29 \Rightarrow Theorem: Ratio test

Let a_j be a sequence of non-zero numbers

Let L be the $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$

1) If $L < 1$ then $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ converges absolutely (root test)

2) If $L > 1$, then $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$ diverges

\Rightarrow Recall: $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges absolutely $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\Leftrightarrow} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n|$ converges
 $\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges

We shall see that $\exists (a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in \mathbb{R} : $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges, but $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n|$ diverges

↳ Candidate example: $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{n}$, because $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| (-1)^n \frac{1}{n} \right|$ diverges

2.30 \Rightarrow Lemma: Let $a_1, \dots, a_m, b_1, \dots, b_m$ be real numbers, then for every

$n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ $1 \leq n \leq m$:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n a_k b_k = a_m \sum_{k=1}^n b_k - \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} (a_{j+1} - a_j) \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \quad (\text{sum by parts})$$

↳ proof: $n=1$; Set $b_0=0$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=1}^m (a_{j+1} - a_j) \sum_{k=1}^n b_k &= \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} a_{j+1} \sum_{k=1}^n b_k - \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} a_j \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \\ &= \sum_{j=2}^m a_j \sum_{k=1}^n b_k - \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} a_j \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \\ &= \sum_{j=2}^m a_j \sum_{k=1}^n b_k - \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} a_j \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \end{aligned}$$

$$= -\frac{a_1 \sum_{k=1}^n b_k}{-a_1 b_1} + a_m \sum_{k=1}^n b_k - \sum_{j=2}^m a_j b_j$$

$$= a_m \sum_{k=1}^n b_k - \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} a_j b_j \Rightarrow \text{Statement for } n=1$$

for general $n \leq m$: set $a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_{n-1} = b_1 = \dots = b_{n-1} = 0$

2.31 \Rightarrow Theorem: Dirichlet

Let $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ be a non-increasing sequence in \mathbb{R} , which converges to 0, and let $(b_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ be a sequence in \mathbb{R} such that:
 $\exists c > 0: \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \left| \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \right| < c$ (partial sums of $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k$ are bounded)
 ex. $(-1)^k$ (not per se convergent)

Then $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_n b_n$ converges (does not directly mean that abs. conv.)
 \hookrightarrow proof: let $\epsilon > 0$, since $a_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$ and (a_n) non-decreasing
 $\exists n \in \mathbb{N}^*: \forall k > n \ a_k < \epsilon/c$, where c is the bound from the assumption on $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k$ *

2.32 \Rightarrow Example: The alternating harmonic series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n}$ converges because setting $a_n = \frac{1}{n}$, $b_n = (-1)^n$, $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ and apply theorem 2.31
 Since a_n non-increasing and $\left| \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \right| < 2 \ \forall n$

* by triangle ineq. $\left| \sum_{k=n}^m a_k b_k \right| \leq \left| \sum_{k=n}^m b_k \right| + \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} (a_{j+1} - a_j) \sum_{k=n}^j b_k$
 for every $m \geq n \geq 1$

(Goal: $\dots < \epsilon$ for $m \geq n \geq \tilde{N}$)

Note that by assumption on $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k$, we have that

$$\sum_{k=n}^m b_k = \sum_{k=1}^m b_k - \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} b_k \quad m \geq n > 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \sum_{k=n}^m b_k \right| < c + c = 2c$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=n}^m a_k b_k &\leq a_n \left| \sum_{k=n}^m b_k \right| + \sum_{j=1}^{m-1} (a_j - a_{j+1}) \left| \sum_{k=n}^j b_k \right| \\ &\leq a_n \left| \sum_{k=n}^m b_k \right| - a_m \sum_{k=n}^{m-1} b_k + c \cdot a_n \end{aligned}$$

$$\sum_{k=n}^{m-1} (a_j - a_{j+1}) c = (a_n - a_m) c = a_n c - a_m c$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=n}^{m-1} (a_j - a_{j+1}) \left| \sum_{k=n}^j b_k \right| &\stackrel{\geq 0}{\leq} \sum_{j=n}^{m-1} (a_j - a_{j+1}) \left| \sum_{k=n}^j b_k \right| + (a_{m-1} - a_m) \sum_{k=n}^{m-1} b_k \\ &\stackrel{< 2c}{\leq} \sum_{j=n}^{m-1} (a_j - a_{j+1}) \left| \sum_{k=n}^j b_k \right| + (a_{m-1} - a_m) \sum_{k=n}^{m-1} b_k \\ &\leq a_n 2c - a_m 2c + (a_{m-1} - a_m) 2c \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \sum_{k=n}^m a_k b_k \right| < a_n \sum_{k=n}^m \left| \sum_{k=n}^j b_k \right| + 2a_n c - 2a_m c$$

$$< a_n 2c + 2a_n c - 2a_m c = 2a_n c$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{for } m \geq n \geq N: 2a_n c < 2c/c \cdot \epsilon \Rightarrow 2\epsilon$$

$\Rightarrow (a_n \sum_{k=1}^n a_k b_k)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ is Cauchy

Facts $\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_n b_n$ converges

2.33 \Rightarrow Corollary: Alternating series (Leibniz)

Let $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ be a monotonic sequence converging to 0,
then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n$ converges

\hookrightarrow proof: $b_n = (-1)^n$ satisfies the condition of bounded partial sums in 2.31 $\sum_{k=1}^n b_k = \begin{cases} -1 & n \text{ odd} \\ 0 & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$

$\stackrel{2.31}{\Rightarrow}$ assertion, if (a_n) non-increasing

For (a_n) non-decreasing: consider $\tilde{a}_n = -a_n, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$,
 $\tilde{b}_n = -b_n = (-1)^{n+1}, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ and apply other case

2.35 \Rightarrow Theorem: Density test, Cauchy

Let a_n be non-increasing and non-negative

Then the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges if and only if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^n a_{2^n} = (2 \cdot a^2, 4 \cdot a^4, 8 \cdot a^8, \dots)$

\hookrightarrow proof: Zornich

2.34 \Rightarrow Example: $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$, where $p > 1$ (we have already seen $p=1, p=2$)

Since $(\frac{1}{n^p})_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ is non-increasing and positive. By 2.35

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$ converges (absolutely) $\Leftrightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{np}} \cdot 2^n$ converges

$= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2^{-kp+k} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2^{k(1-p)}$ converges $\Leftrightarrow p > 1$
(by ex. 2.20(1))

Chapter 3: Continuous functions

1. Limits of function " $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t)$

3.1 \Rightarrow Definition: (X, d) is a metric space, $D \subseteq X$
We call $x \in X$ a limit point of D (accumulation point) if:
 $\exists (x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset D \setminus \{x\}$ such that $x_n \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} x$
 $\Leftrightarrow (x_n) \in (D \setminus \{x\})^{\mathbb{N}}$ $\Leftrightarrow d(x_n, x) \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} 0$ (in \mathbb{R}, d_2)

3.2 \Rightarrow Fact: Note that x is a limit point of $D \Leftrightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0$ the set
 $\{y \in D \setminus \{x\} \text{ such that } d(x, y) < \epsilon\}$ is non-empty
 $\Leftrightarrow \{y \in D \setminus \{x\} \text{ such that } d(x, y) < \epsilon\}$ is infinite

3.3 \Rightarrow Examples:

i) let $X = \mathbb{R}, d = d_2, D = (a, b), a < b$
 $\Rightarrow [a, b] = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \text{ is limit point of } D\} \circ \circ$
 \hookrightarrow proof: given $x \in [a, b]$ define $x_n = x + \frac{1}{n}$ or
 $x_n = x - \frac{1}{n}$ such that $x_n \in D$, for large enough n

ii) let (X, d) be any metric space, X non-empty.
Every finite set $D \subseteq X$ has no limit point.
 \hookrightarrow proof: Since x is limit point $\Leftrightarrow \exists (x_n) \text{ in } D \setminus \{x\}$:
 $x_n \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} x$, by finiteness of D , the only convergent sequences
in $D \setminus \{x\}$ are eventually constant ($\exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* : x_n = c \forall n > N, c \in D \setminus \{x\}$)
 $\Rightarrow D$ has no limit point.
($X = \mathbb{R}, D = \{1, 2\}$ has no limit point)

iii) X non-empty, $d = d_0$ discrete metric (see begin chapter 2):
No subset $D \subseteq X$ has a limit point
 \hookrightarrow proof: tutorial

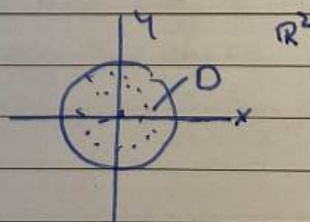
iii) $X = \mathbb{R}^p, p \in \mathbb{N}^*, d = d_2, (x, y) = \left(\sum_{i=1}^p |x_i - y_i|^2\right)^{1/2}$,

$D = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^p : d(x, 0) < 1\}$

\hookrightarrow for $p = 2$:

limit point of D :

$D = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^2 : d(x, 0) < 1\}$



3.4 => Definition: Let $(X, d_x), (Y, d_y)$ be metric spaces, $D \subseteq X$ and $f: D \rightarrow Y$

Then for a limit point $x \in X$ of D , an element $L \in Y$ is called "the limit of $f(t)$ as t goes to x " if:

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0: \forall y \in D: (0 < d_x(x, y) < \delta \Rightarrow d_y(L, f(y)) < \epsilon)$$

Denoted by $L = \lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t)$ ($\Leftrightarrow \forall y \in D \setminus \{x\} (d_x(x, y) < \delta \Rightarrow d_y(L, f(y)) < \epsilon)$)

↳ If $X = \mathbb{R}, d_x = d_2$ we define the following variants of the above:

- for a limit point $x \in \mathbb{R}$ of $D \cap (x, \infty)$, the limit $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f|_{D \cap (x, \infty)}(t)$, if exists, is called the right-sided limit of $f(t)$ as t goes to x , with symbol $\lim_{t \rightarrow x^+} f(t)$ (or $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t)$)

$$f: D \rightarrow Y$$

$$f|_{D \cap (x, \infty)} \rightarrow y, z \rightarrow f(z)$$

- for a limit point $x \in \mathbb{R}$ of $D \cap (-\infty, x)$ the limit $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f|_{D \cap (-\infty, x)}(t)$, if exist, is called the left-sided limit of $f(t)$ as t goes to x , with symbol $\lim_{t \rightarrow x^-}$

- If D is not bounded above/below. We call $L \in Y$ the limit of $f(t)$ as t goes to $+\infty/-\infty$, if

$$\exists l \in \mathbb{R}: (l, \infty) \subseteq D \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists c \in \mathbb{R} \forall y > c d_y(L, f(y)) < \epsilon$$

$$\exists l \in \mathbb{R}: (-\infty, l) \subseteq D \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists c \in \mathbb{R} \forall y < c d_y(L, f(y)) < \epsilon$$

- If $Y = \mathbb{R}, d_y = d_2$ we can define $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) = \pm \infty$

↳ proof: tutorial (ex. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} = \infty$)

3.5 => Facts: let $(X, d_x), (Y, d_y)$ be metric spaces, $D \subseteq X, f: D \rightarrow Y$

1) If x limit point of $D: \lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) = L \in Y$

$\Leftrightarrow \forall$ sequences $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in $D \setminus \{x\}$ converging to x holds that $(f(x_n))_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ converges to L (in Y).

This statement remains true for right-left-sided limits, limits to $\pm \infty$ with the corresponding definitions for sequences

\Rightarrow we can use a lot of the properties of limits of the sequences from chapter 2

2) if $Y = \mathbb{R}$, $d_Y = d_Z$ and $g: D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ then

$$0 \leq f(t) \leq g(t) \quad \forall t \in D$$

(1) $\Rightarrow 0 \leq \lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) \leq \lim_{t \rightarrow x} g(t)$, if limits exist

if $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} g(t) = 0$, then $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t)$ exists and equals 0 (1), squeeze theorem

3) if $Y = \mathbb{R}$, $d_Y = d_Z$, if $g: D \rightarrow Y$ and $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t)$, $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} g(t)$ exists, then also

$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} (f+g)(t)$ exists and equals $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) + \lim_{t \rightarrow x} g(t)$

$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} (f \cdot g)(t)$ exists and equals $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) \cdot \lim_{t \rightarrow x} g(t)$

$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t)}{g(t)}$ exists and equals $\frac{\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t)}{\lim_{t \rightarrow x} g(t)}$ (if $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} g(t) \neq 0$)

(in the case $Y = \mathbb{R}^p$, at least the "+" case can be recovered)

4) The above statements have analogous meaning for one-sided limits and limits involving $+\infty$

3.6 \Rightarrow Definition: (X, d) metric space, $D \subseteq X$. We call $x \in D$ an isolated point of D if x is not a limit point

3.7 \Rightarrow Examples:

$(\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R})$

i) $X = Y = \mathbb{R}$, $d_X = d_Y = d_Z$, $f: X \rightarrow Y$, $f(x) = x^k + m$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $k, m \in \mathbb{R}$

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$: $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) = x^k + m (= f(x))$ because by definition of limit.

$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta = \epsilon/|k| > 0$: $\forall y \in \mathbb{R}$ $0 < |x - y| < \delta \Rightarrow |x^k - y^k| < \epsilon$

"L" "f(y)"

ii) $X = Y$ is non-empty, $d_X = d_Y = d_Z$, $f: X \rightarrow X$

$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) = ?$ tutorial

2. Continuous Functions

3.8 \Rightarrow Definition: let (X, d_X) , (Y, d_Y) be metric spaces. Then f is called continuous at $x \in X$, if

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \forall y \in X (d_X(x, y) < \delta \Rightarrow d_Y(f(x), f(y)) < \epsilon) \quad (\delta \text{ depends on } x)$$

\hookrightarrow We call f continuous if f is continuous at $x \quad \forall x \in X$

$$\forall x \in X \quad \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \forall y \in X (d_X(x, y) < \delta \Rightarrow d_Y(f(x), f(y)) < \epsilon)$$

\hookrightarrow if $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0$: $\forall x \in X \quad \forall y \in X (d_X(x, y) < \delta \Rightarrow d_Y(f(x), f(y)) < \epsilon)$ then

f is called uniformly continuous on X (δ does not depend on x)

3.9 \Rightarrow Facts:

1) How does continuity relate to limits?

If $D \subseteq X$, $x \in X$ limit point of D , we define $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t)$
in the case that f is continuous at $x \stackrel{\text{def}}{\Rightarrow} \lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) = f(x)$

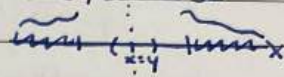
Conversely if x limit point of D and $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) = f(x)$, then also
 f is continuous at x

2) For x not limit point of X : f is always continuous, because

\nexists sequence in $X \setminus \{x\}$ converging to x

$\Rightarrow \exists \delta > 0: \{y \in X: 0 < d(x, y) < \delta\}$ is empty-set

$\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta d(x, y) < \delta \Rightarrow d_y(f(x), f(y)) < \epsilon$ is always true



3) f is continuous at $x \Leftrightarrow \forall (x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ in X converging to x
it follows that $(f(x_n))_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ converges to $f(x)$

4) "D vs X" we can also define continuity for function $f: D \rightarrow Y$
where $D \subseteq X$. This can be done by recalling that $(D, d|_D)$
metric space (and replace (X, d_X) by $(D, d|_D)$ in def 3.8)

\Rightarrow continuity is a local property

\Leftrightarrow if $\exists r > 0, g: \{y \in X: d(x, y) < r\} \rightarrow Y: f$ continuous at x

$\Leftrightarrow g$ continuous at $x, f(y) = g(y) \forall y \in M$

5) If $(Y, d_Y) = (\mathbb{R}, d_2)$ $f: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are continuous at $x \in X$
 $\Rightarrow f \pm g, f \cdot g$ are continuous at x

6) if $g(y) \neq 0 \forall y \in X \Rightarrow \frac{f}{g}$ continuous at x

7) $f: D \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, x \mapsto x^m, m \in \mathbb{N}$ are continuous

Every polynomial (with coefficients in \mathbb{R}) continuous

For polynomials p, q the function $f = \frac{p}{q}$ is continuous on
 $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ for function q having no zero in D

3.10 \Rightarrow proposition: Composition of continuous functions

Let $(X, d_X), (Y, d_Y), (Z, d_Z)$ be metric spaces and

$f: X \rightarrow Y, g: Y \rightarrow Z$ such that f is continuous at $x \in X$, and

g is continuous at $f(x)$

Then $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is continuous at x

\hookrightarrow proof:

Option 1: use sequences

To show $\forall (x_n)$ in X converges to $x \Rightarrow (g \circ f)(x_n)$ converges to $(g \circ f)(x)$

Since f is continuous at x , by facts 3, $f(x_n) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} f(x)$

and again using this fact and g is continuous at $f(x)$

$\Rightarrow g(f(x_n)) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} g(f(x))$

Option 2: By definition of continuity (Tutorial)

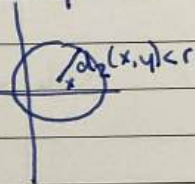
3.11 \Rightarrow Definitions: Let (X, d) be metric space, $M \subseteq X$. We call

• M **closed** if M contains all its limit points

• M **compact** if every sequence in M has a convergent subsequence with limits in M

• M is **bounded** if $\exists x \in X, \exists r > 0: M \subseteq \{y \in X: d(x, y) < r\}$

(recall how we defined bounded sequences in metric space def. 2.5)



3.12 \Rightarrow Examples:

1) $X = \mathbb{R}, d_X = d_2, M = [a, b]$ for $a < b \in \mathbb{R}$ is closed

Let (x_n) in $[a, b] \Leftrightarrow \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^+, a \leq x_n \leq b$ if $x_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} x$ then

$a \leq x \leq b$ (by facts limits on sequences)

2) Same as (1), $M = (a, b)$ is not closed

Take $x_n = \begin{cases} a + \frac{1}{n} & n > N \text{ (since } \frac{1}{n} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^+ : a + \frac{1}{n} < b \forall n > N) \\ \frac{a+b}{2} & n \leq N \end{cases}$

$\Rightarrow x_n \in (a, b) \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^+$ but $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = a \notin (a, b) \Rightarrow (a, b)$ not closed

3) Same as (1), $M = [a, \infty)$ is closed (as in (1) but M is not bounded)

$\Rightarrow M$ is not compact, because $x_n = a + n, n \in \mathbb{N}^+$ has no convergent

subsequence ($x_n - x_m \geq 1 \forall n \neq m \Rightarrow$ no subsequence is Cauchy)

3.13 \Rightarrow Theorem: let (X, d) be a metric space and $M \subseteq X$. Then

1) M compact $\Rightarrow M$ is closed and bounded

\hookrightarrow proof: If M is compact every (convergent) sequence in M has a convergent subsequence with limits in M .
But since the limit of a subsequence equals the limit of the sequence (facts on subsequences)

\Rightarrow Every limit point lies in M

Bounded: Hint: suppose M is not bounded and conclude M is not compact

2) If $X = \mathbb{R}^p$, $d = d_2$, the converse also holds ($p \in \mathbb{N}^*$)
(Bolzano-Weierstrass)

\hookrightarrow Given $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ in M , need to find convergent subsequence (with limit in M)

Since M is bounded, the sequence is bounded

$\stackrel{\text{Bolz. Weierstr.}}{\Rightarrow} \exists$ subsequence that converges to limit $x \in M$
 $\stackrel{M \text{ closed}}{\Rightarrow} x \in M$

3.14 \Rightarrow Theorem: let (X, d_x) , (Y, d_y) be metric spaces $f: X \rightarrow Y$ continuous.
Then $M \subseteq X$ compact $\Rightarrow f(M)$ is compact too (in Y)

\hookrightarrow proof: tutorial

3.15 \Rightarrow Corollary: let (X, d) be a metric space, $f: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ continuous,
where $\mathbb{R} = (\mathbb{R}, d_2)$, $K \subseteq X$ compact

$\Rightarrow f(K) = \{z \in \mathbb{R} : \exists x \in K, f(x) = z\}$ has a maximum and minimum

In particular, $\exists x_{\min} \in K, x_{\max} \in K, f(x_{\min}) = \min f(K), f(x_{\max}) = \max f(K)$

\hookrightarrow proof: By previous theorem: $f(K)$ is compact. Since $f(K) \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, $f(K)$ has a sup and inf which are finite, by boundedness of $f(K)$

For S being the sup $f(K)$, \exists seq (y_n) in $f(K)$ such that $y_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} S$

$\Rightarrow \exists (x_n)$ in $K, f(x_n) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} S$

$\stackrel{K \text{ compact}}{\Rightarrow} (x_n)$ has a convergent subsequence with limit in K , call it x
 $\stackrel{f \text{ cont.}}{\Rightarrow} f(x_n) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = S$ Let $x_{\max} = x$

Similarly for infimum

3.16 \Rightarrow Theorem: Intermediate value theorem I

Let $I = [a, b]$, with $a < b$ real numbers

and $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ continuous

If $f(a) \cdot f(b) < 0$, then $\exists c \in [a, b]: f(c) = 0$

\hookrightarrow proof: Consider $\frac{a+b}{2} \in (a, b)$ (by $a < b$)

If $f(\frac{a+b}{2}) = 0$, done let $c = \frac{a+b}{2}$

Otherwise define $a' = \frac{a+b}{2}$ or $b' = \frac{a+b}{2}$ depending on whether

(2) $f(a) f(\frac{a+b}{2}) < 0$ \vee (1) $f(b) f(\frac{a+b}{2}) < 0$, because $f(a) f(b) < 0$

and $\begin{cases} b' = b, 1 \\ a' = a, 2 \end{cases}$ now repeat

\hookrightarrow There are 2 cases:

1) Computer scientist case:

$\exists c$ being the midpoint of the previous interval such that $f(c) = 0$

2) Mathematicians case:

We don't have the above case. Then we constructed a sequence

of nested intervals $[a_n, b_n]_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ with $b_n - a_n \rightarrow 0$ ($n \rightarrow \infty$)

(because $b_{n+1} - a_{n+1} = \frac{b_n - a_n}{2} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$)

$\stackrel{\text{nested interval}}{\Rightarrow} \exists! c \in [a, b]: c \in \bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} [a_n, b_n]$

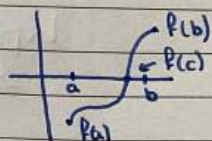
$\Rightarrow f(c) = 0$ because $f(a_n) \cdot f(b_n) < 0 \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ and $\begin{cases} a_n \rightarrow c \\ b_n \rightarrow c \end{cases} (n \rightarrow \infty)$

$\stackrel{\text{cont.}}{\Rightarrow} f(a_n) \rightarrow f(c) \Rightarrow \underbrace{f(a_n) \cdot f(b_n)}_{< 0} \rightarrow f(c)^2 \geq 0$

$f(b_n) \rightarrow f(c)$

$\Rightarrow f(c)^2 \geq 0 \wedge f(c)^2 \leq 0$

$\Rightarrow f(c) = 0$



3.17 \Rightarrow Corollary: Intermediate value theorem II

Let $I = [a, b]$, with $a < b$ real numbers and $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ continuous

$\forall d \in [f(a), f(b)]: \exists c \in [a, b]: f(c) = d$

(where $[f(a), f(b)]$ refers to $[f(b), f(a)]$ if $f(b) < f(a)$)

3.18 \Rightarrow Example: Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}: t \rightarrow t^n, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ then $f([0, \infty)) = [0, \infty)$

by corollary 3.17 (applied on $[m-1, m] m \in \mathbb{N}^*$)

3.19 \Rightarrow Theorem: Uniform continuity for functions on compact sets

Let X, Y be metric spaces $f: X \rightarrow Y$ continuous. If X compact, then f is uniformly continuous

↳ proof: Suppose f is not uniformly continuous

$$\Rightarrow \exists \epsilon > 0 \forall \delta > 0 \exists x, y \in X: d_X(x, y) < \delta \not\Rightarrow d_Y(f(x), f(y)) < \epsilon$$

$$\Leftrightarrow d_X(x, y) < \delta \Rightarrow d_Y(f(x), f(y)) \geq \epsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists \epsilon > 0: \exists \text{ seq } (x_n), (y_n) \text{ in } X: d_X(x_n, y_n) < \frac{1}{n} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \wedge d_Y(f(x_n), f(y_n)) \geq \epsilon$$

Since X is compact $\exists (x_{n_k})_{k \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ Subsequence of $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$

such that $x_{n_k} \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} x$. Again since X is compact the

sequence $(y_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ has a convergent subsequence $(y_{n_{k'}})_{k' \in \mathbb{N}^*}$

$\Rightarrow (x_{n_{k'}})_{k' \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ and $(y_{n_{k'}})_{k' \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ both converge to x and y respec.

$$\Rightarrow d_X(x, y) = 0 \text{ (}\Delta\text{-inequality)} \Leftrightarrow x = y \Rightarrow d_Y(f(x), f(y)) = 0 \not\geq \epsilon$$

$$= d_Y(f(x), f(x))$$

3. Sequence of Functions

\Rightarrow Recall: Definition of sequences

function mapping \mathbb{N}^* to X , where (X, d) is a metric space

↳ So far mostly $X = \mathbb{R}$, $d = d_2$

↳ Now choose $X = \{f: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid f \text{ is continuous / bounded}\}$ $I \in \mathbb{R}$ intervals

$$\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} C(I)$$

3.20 \Rightarrow proposition: The function $d_\infty: C(I) \times C(I) \rightarrow [0, \infty]$,

$$d_\infty(f, g) = \sup_{t \in I} |f(t) - g(t)| \text{ defines a metric on } C(I)$$

$(C(I), d_\infty)$ is a metric space

↳ proof: check conditions of a metric

$$1) d_\infty(f, f) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \sup_{t \in I} |f(t) - f(t)| = 0$$

$$\text{and } d_\infty(f, g) = 0 \text{ for } f, g \in C(I) \Rightarrow \sup_{t \in I} |f(t) - g(t)| = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |f(t) - g(t)| \leq 0 \forall t \in I \Rightarrow f(t) = g(t) \forall t \in I \Leftrightarrow f = g$$

$$2) d_\infty(f, g) = d_\infty(g, f) \forall f, g \in C(I)$$

$$3) d_\infty(f, g) + d_\infty(g, h) = \sup_{t \in I} |f(t) - g(t)| + \sup_{t \in I} |g(t) - h(t)| \geq \sup_{t \in I} |f(t) - h(t)| = d_\infty(f, h)$$

\Rightarrow let $h: X \rightarrow Y$ be continuous and $K \subset X$ compact

$\Rightarrow h(K)$ is compact

If $K \subset X$ is closed $\Rightarrow h(K)$ is closed

3.21 => Facts

• If I compact then $d_{\infty}(f, g) = \max_{t \in I} |f(t) - g(t)|$

$h: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ continuous $\circ \circ \circ$

As consequence: $h(t)$ compact

$\Rightarrow \sup_{t \in I} = \max_{t \in I} h(t)$

as composition of continuous functions

• $\|\cdot\|: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, X -vector space such that $\forall x, y \in X, c \in \mathbb{R}$

1 $\|x\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0 \in X$

2 $\|cx\| = |c| \|x\|$

3 $\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$

$\|\cdot\|$ is called a norm on X

The pair $(X, \|\cdot\|)$ defines a metric space $(X, d_{\|\cdot\|})$ where

$d_{\|\cdot\|}(x, y) = \|x - y\| \quad \forall x, y \in X$

$(X = \mathbb{R}, \|\cdot\| = |\cdot| \Rightarrow d_{\|\cdot\|} = d_2)$ "normed spaces are special metric spaces"

By facts on continuous functions, $C(I)$ is a vector space

For $\|f\|_{\infty} = \sup_{t \in I} |f(t)|$ we have a norm such that

$d_{\infty}(f, g) = \|f - g\|_{\infty} \Rightarrow (C(I), \|\cdot\|_{\infty})$ is a normed space

• We could more generally define $C_b(X)$ where (X, d) is a metric space, $C_b(X) = \{f: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid f \text{ continuous and bounded}\}$

Then $(C_b(X), d_{\infty})$, with $d_{\infty}(f, g) = \sup_{x \in X} |f(x) - g(x)|$ is a metric space (proposition 3.20 generalized)

3.22 => Definition: Uniform convergence & pointwise convergence

Let E be a set, $f_n: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, $f: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, then we say that $(f_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$

i) Converges uniformly to f if:

$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall x \in E, n \geq N: |f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon$

n does not depend on x

ii) Converges pointwise to f if:

$\forall x \in E \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq N |f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon$

n does depend on x

3.23 => Facts:

• (f_n) converges uniformly to $f \Leftrightarrow \sup_{x \in E} |f_n(x) - f(x)| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$

if $f_n, f \in C(E) \Leftrightarrow d_{\infty}(f_n, f) \rightarrow 0 \quad (n \rightarrow \infty)$

$\Leftrightarrow f_n \rightarrow f$ in $(C(E), d_{\infty})$

\Rightarrow For continuous and bounded functions on $E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, uniform convergence is the same to say that the sequence converges in $(C(E), d_{\infty})$

- Uniform convergence \Rightarrow pointwise convergence
The converse is not true in general

• In examples/applications/exam questions we typically know more about the f_n 's and would like to conclude something on the limit f (uniform convergence)

For example: Suppose f_n continuous for all n , and $f_n \rightarrow f$ uniformly. Is f continuous?

3.24 \Rightarrow Theorem: Let $I \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, $(f_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ be a sequence of continuous functions from I to \mathbb{R} .

If (f_n) converges uniformly to $f: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, then f is continuous

\hookrightarrow proof: Let $x \in I, y \in I$

$$\begin{aligned} |f(x) - f(y)| &= \left| \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(y) \right| \\ &= |f(x) - f_n(x) + f_n(x) - f_n(y) + f_n(y) - f(y)| \\ \triangle\text{-inequal} &\leq \underbrace{|f(x) - f_n(x)|}_{< \epsilon/3} + \underbrace{|f_n(x) - f_n(y)|}_{< \epsilon/3} + \underbrace{|f_n(y) - f(y)|}_{< \epsilon/3} \end{aligned}$$

by uniform convergence: $< \epsilon/3$

Let $\epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n \geq N$

(f_n) continuous at $x \in I \Rightarrow \exists \delta > 0: \forall y \in I: d_2(x, y) < \delta$

\Rightarrow let $x \in I$ and $\epsilon > 0: (\exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall y \in I |f(y) - f_n(y)| < \epsilon/3)$

$\exists \delta > 0$ (from f_n): $(\forall y \in I: d_2(x, y) < \delta \Rightarrow |f_n(x) - f_n(y)| < \epsilon/3)$

$\forall y \in I: d_2(x, y) < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - f(y)| < \epsilon (= \epsilon/3 + \epsilon/3 + \epsilon/3)$

3.25 \Rightarrow Example: Let $f_n: [0, q] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, q > 0, f_n(x) = x^n, x \in [0, q]$

for $x \in [0, q]$ $f_n(x) \rightarrow \begin{cases} 0, & q < 1 \\ 1, & q = 1 \\ +\infty, & q > 1 \end{cases}$ (f_n) converges pointwise on $[0, 1]$

Uniform convergence by fact 3.23 (f_n) uniformly converges to

$$f(x) \begin{cases} 0, & x \in [0, 1) \\ 1, & x = 1 \end{cases} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sup_{x \in [0, 1)} |f_n(x) - f(x)| \rightarrow 0 \quad (n \rightarrow \infty) \\ \sup_{x \in [0, 1)} |f_n(x)| = \sup_{x \in [0, 1)} |x^n| = 1 \quad \forall n \end{array} \right.$$

$\Rightarrow (f_n)$ does not converge uniformly on $[0, 1]$

let's now consider (f_n) on $[0, q]$ for $q < 1$

Claim: (f_n) converges uniformly to 0 on $[0, q]$

\hookrightarrow proof: $\sup_{x \in [0, q]} |f(x) - 0| = \sup_{x \in [0, q]} x^n = q^n \rightarrow 0 \quad (n \rightarrow \infty)$

3.26 \Rightarrow proposition: let $I \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ interval, $(f_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$
 Then $(f_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ converges in $(C(I), d_{\infty})$ (uniformly)
 $\Leftrightarrow (f_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ is a Cauchy sequence in $(C(I), d_{\infty})$

\hookrightarrow proof:

$$(f_n) \text{ Cauchy in } (C(I), d_{\infty}) \Leftrightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}^* \forall n, m \geq N \quad d_{\infty}(f_n, f_m) < \epsilon$$

$$= \sup_{t \in I} |f_n(t) - f_m(t)| < \epsilon$$

$$\Leftrightarrow |f_n(t) - f_m(t)| < \epsilon$$

$\Rightarrow \forall t \in I (f_n(t))_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ is Cauchy in (\mathbb{R}, d_2) call the limit $f(t)$.

Rest of the proof in the lecture notes

3.27 \Rightarrow proposition: let (f_n) be a sequence of functions from $E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ (E set)
 then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n$ converges to $f: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ uniformly
 $\Leftrightarrow (\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n)$ converges to f uniformly?

If $(f_n) \in C(E)$, $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ then

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|f_n\|_{\infty} < \infty$ (converges) $\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n$ converges uniformly on E
 (even $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|f_n\|$ converges uniformly)

\hookrightarrow proof: See p55 (Weierstrass test)