

SE328:Topology

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Definition

Let X, Y be two topological spaces. The **product topology** on the product $X \times Y$ is the topology generated by the subset of the form

$$\underline{U \times V} = \{(u, v) \mid u \in U, v \in V\},$$

where U, V are open subsets in X, Y respectively.

Theorem

If \mathcal{B} is a basis for the topology of X and \mathcal{C} is a basis for the topology of Y , then the collection

$$\mathcal{D} = \{\underline{B \times C} \mid B \in \mathcal{B}, C \in \mathcal{C}\}$$

is a basis for the topology of $\underline{X} \times \underline{Y}$.

$\stackrel{\text{product top.}}{\wedge}$

Def of prod. top.

NTS $\mathcal{C} = \{u \times v \mid u \subset X, V \subset Y\}$ is a basis.

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{1} \quad \bigcup_{\substack{U \in \mathcal{U}_X \\ V \in \mathcal{V}_Y}} U \times V &= \bigcup_{U \in \mathcal{U}_X} \left(\bigcup_{V \in \mathcal{V}_Y} U \times V \right) = \bigcup_{U \in \mathcal{U}_X} U \times \bigcup_{V \in \mathcal{V}_Y} V = \left(\bigcup_{U \in \mathcal{U}_X} U \right) \times Y \\ &= X \times Y. \end{aligned}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad U_1 \times V_1, U_2 \times V_2 \in \mathcal{C}, (x, y) \in U_1 \times V_1 \cap U_2 \times V_2$$

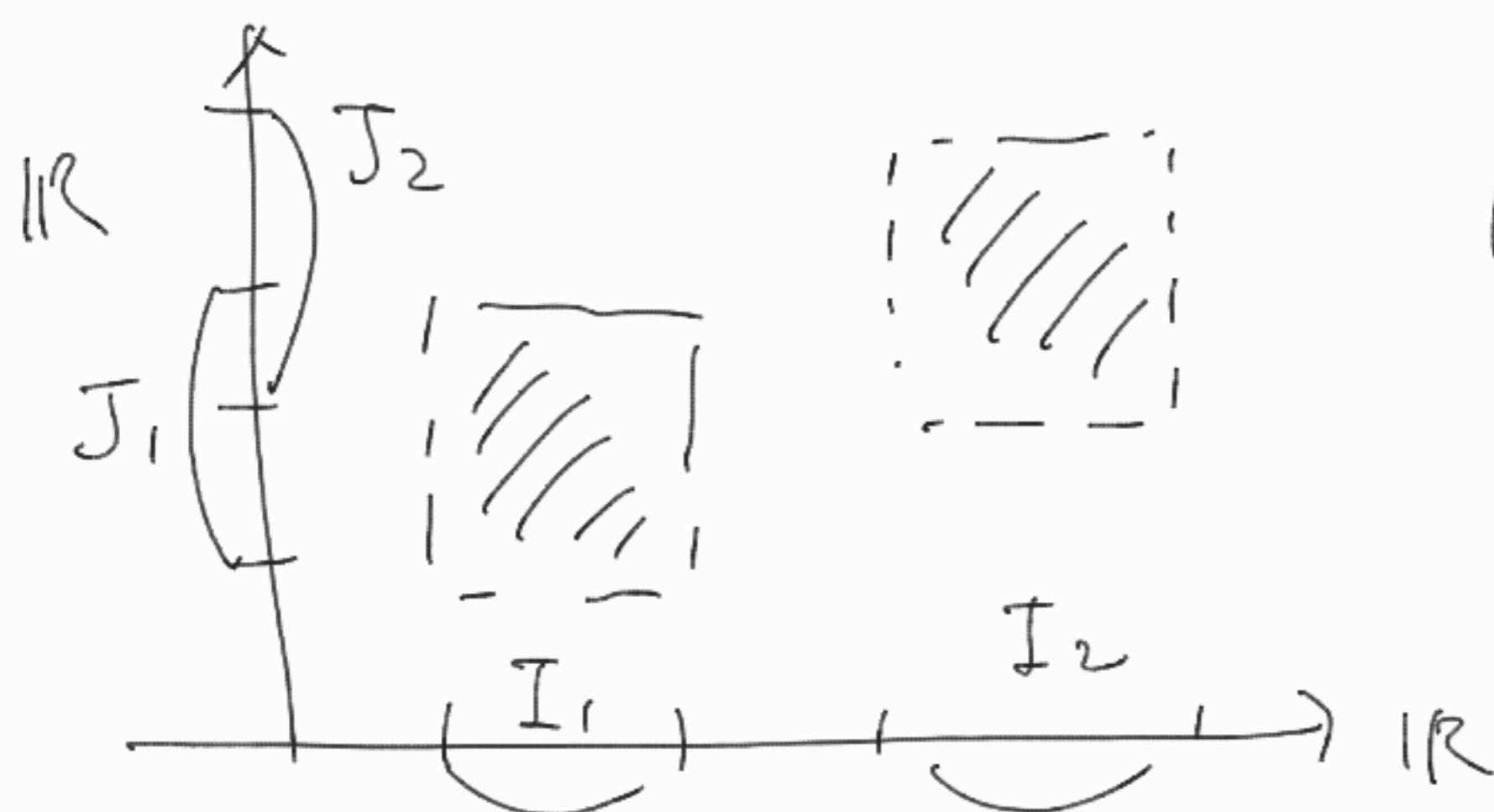
choose $U_3 \in \mathcal{U}_X$ s.t. $x \in U_3 \subset U_1 \cap U_2$

$V_3 \in \mathcal{V}_Y$ s.t. $y \in V_3 \subset V_1 \cap V_2$

Thus $(x, y) \in U_3 \times V_3 \subset U_1 \times V_1 \cap U_2 \times V_2$.

$A \subset X \times Y$ is open if and only if

$\forall x \in A, \exists \underset{\text{open}}{U} \subset X, \underset{\text{open}}{V} \subset Y$ s.t. $x \in U \times V \subset A$.



$$A = I_1 \times J_1 \cup I_2 \times J_2,$$

This tells us that it suffices to choose U, V from the basis.

pf of this NTS : $\forall u \subset X \times Y \quad \forall x \in u, \exists \underset{\text{open}}{B \times C} \subset D$ s.t. $x \in B \times C \subset u$.

$x = (a, b) \quad \exists \underset{\text{open}}{V} \subset X, \underset{\text{open}}{W} \subset Y$ s.t. $a \in V, b \in W$.

$\exists B \in \mathcal{B}, C \in \mathcal{C}$ s.t. $a \in B \cap V, b \in C \cap W$.

$$\mathcal{Z} = \{(a, b) \in \mathcal{B} \times \mathcal{C} \subset \mathcal{V} \times \mathcal{W} \subset \mathcal{U}\}. \quad \square$$

Definition

Let $\pi_1 : X \times Y \rightarrow X$ and $\pi_2 : X \times Y \rightarrow Y$ be defined by

$$\underline{\pi_1(x, y) = x}, \quad \underline{\pi_2(x, y) = y}.$$

The maps π_1, π_2 are called the projections of $X \times Y$ onto its factors.

Theorem

The collection

$$\mathcal{S} = \{\underline{\pi_1^{-1}(U)} \mid U \text{ is open in } X\} \cup \{\underline{\pi_2^{-1}(V)} \mid V \text{ is open in } X\}$$

is a subbasis for the topology $X \times Y$.

\wedge
pwd.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bigcup_{u \in \gamma_X} \pi_1^{-1}(u) \cup \bigcup_{v \in \gamma_Y} \pi_2^{-1}(v) &= \bigcup_{u \in \gamma_X} u \times Y \cup \bigcup_{v \in \gamma_Y} X \times v \\
 &= (X \times Y) \cup (X \times Y) = X \times Y.
 \end{aligned}$$

Suffices to show.

① $\forall u \times v \subset X \times Y$, $u \times v = \bigcap_{i=1}^n S_i$ (finite intersect of $S_i \in \mathcal{S}$)

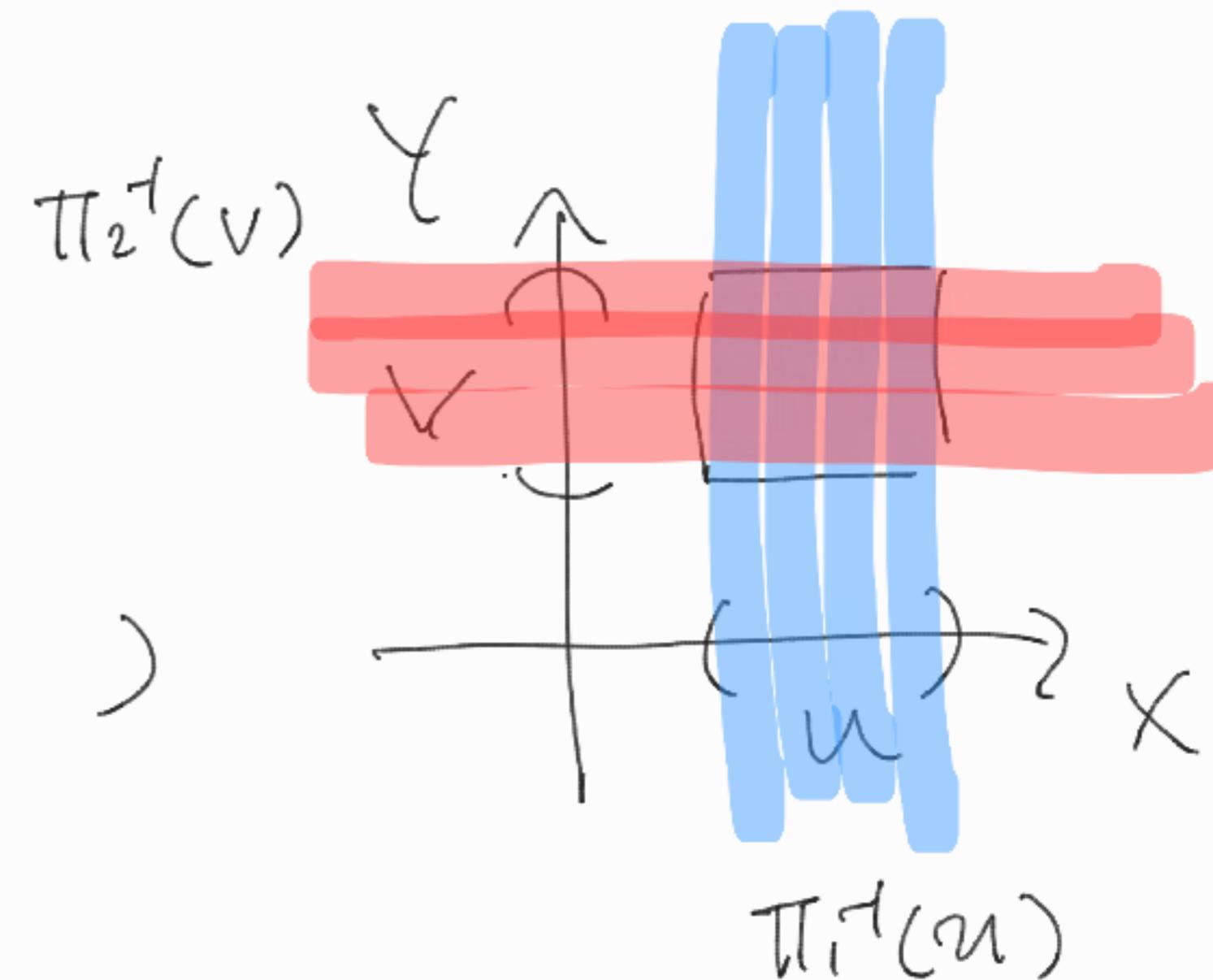
② $\forall S \in \mathcal{S}$ is open in $X \times Y$

(① implies that $\gamma_{\text{prod}} \subset \gamma_S$)

② " $\gamma_S \subset \gamma_{\text{prod.}}$)

$$① u \times v = \pi_1^{-1}(u) \cap \pi_2^{-1}(v)$$

$$② \pi_1^{-1}(u) = u \times Y \underset{\text{open}}{\subset} X \times Y. \quad \pi_2^{-1}(v) = X \times v \underset{\text{open}}{\subset} X \times Y.$$



Rule $A \subset Y$ is open in the subspace top

if $\exists u \subset X$ s.t. $A = Y \cap u$.

Definition

Let X be a topological space with the topology \mathcal{T} . Let $Y \subset X$ be a subset. The collection

$$\mathcal{T}' = \{Y \cap U \mid U \in \mathcal{T}\}$$

is a topology of Y , called the subspace topology. With this topology, Y is called a subspace of X .

Lemma

If \mathcal{B} is a basis for the topology of X , then the collection

$$\mathcal{B}_Y = \{B \cap Y \mid B \in \mathcal{B}\}$$

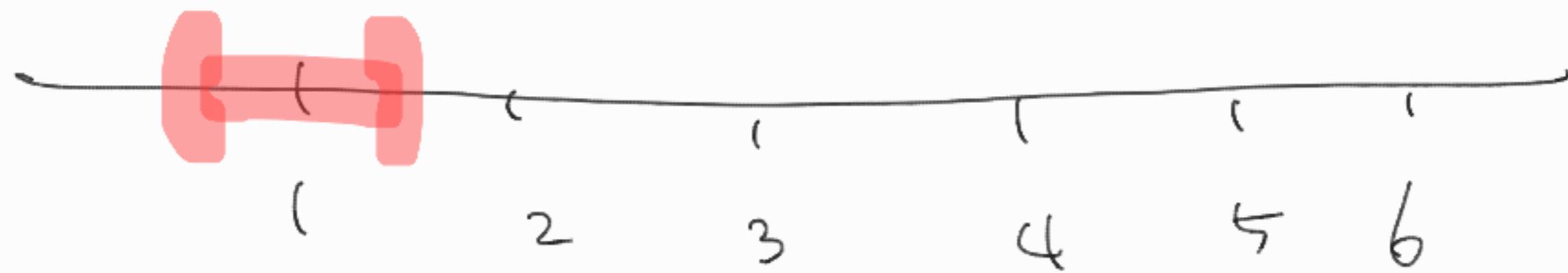
$\overset{\text{a}}{\sim}$
is a basis for the subspace topology of Y .

Ex \mathbb{R} : standard top.

$$Y = \mathbb{Z}_+ = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} \subset \mathbb{R}$$

\Rightarrow the subspace top on \mathbb{Z}_+ is the discrete top.

$$I = (-\frac{1}{2}, 1 + \frac{1}{2})$$



$$x \in I, \quad Y \cap I = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} : \text{open in } Y = \mathbb{Z}_+.$$

pf of lem.

$$U \subset Y \quad (\text{i.e. } U = Y \cap V, \quad V \subset X^{\text{open}}) \quad x \in U.$$

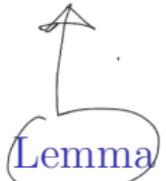
$$x \in V \Rightarrow \exists B \in \mathcal{B} \text{ s.t. } x \in B \subset V.$$

$$x \in B \cap Y \subset V \cap Y = U.$$

$$\equiv$$

$B \cap Y$ is open in Y . ($\because B \in \mathcal{B}$ is open in X)

$$U = \bigcap_{V \subset X} V, \quad V \subset \underset{\text{open}}{X}, \quad Y \subset \underset{\text{open}}{X} \Rightarrow n \subset \underset{\text{open}}{X}.$$



Let Y be a subspace of X . If U is open in Y and Y is open in X , then U is open in X .

* Theorem

If \underline{A} is a subspace of X and \underline{B} is a subspace of Y , then the product topology on $\underline{A} \times \underline{B}$ is the same topology $\underline{A} \times \underline{B}$ inherits as a subspace of $\underline{X} \times \underline{Y}$.

The "canonical" top. on $A \times B$ is well-defined.

Thm $\mathcal{M}_{\text{prod}} = \mathcal{M}_{\text{subspace}}$

pf) " $>$ " $U \subset A \times B$ $\Leftrightarrow U = A \times B \cap V$. $V \subset X \times Y$.

open

lt $x \in U$ ($x \in V$). $\exists U_i \subset X$ $V_i \subset Y$ s.t.

open

open

$$x \in \underline{U_i} \times \underline{V_i} \subset V.$$

$$x \in (\underbrace{U_i \cap A}_{\text{open in } A}) \times (\underbrace{V_i \cap B}_{\text{open in } B}) \subset A \times B \cap V = U.$$

$\underbrace{\quad}_{\text{basis of prod top. of } A \times B}$

" $<$ " $U \subset A \times B$ i.e. $\forall x \in U$. $\exists \underline{U_i \subset A}$, $\underline{V_i \subset B}$ s.t.

open

open

$$x \in U_i \times V_i \subset U.$$

NTS $\exists V \subset X \times Y$ s.t. $x \in \underline{(A \times B) \cap V} \subset U$.

open

$$U_1 = A \cap U_2, \quad \underline{U_2 \subset X} \quad V_1 = B \cap V_2, \quad \underline{V_2 \subset Y}.$$

open

$$\underline{V = U_2 \times V_2} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \underline{(A \times B) \cap (U_2 \times V_2)} = (A \cap U_2) \times (B \cap V_2)$$

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$$= U_1 \times V_1 \subset \underline{U}.$$

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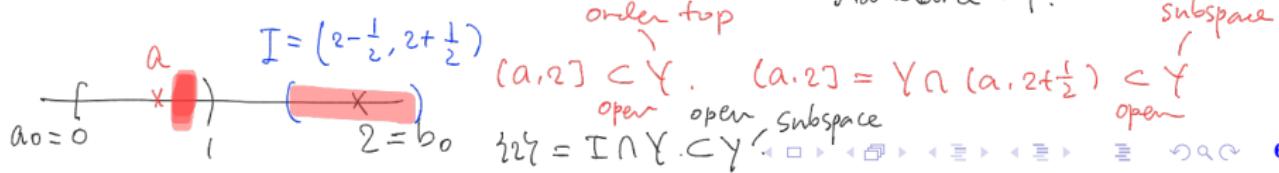
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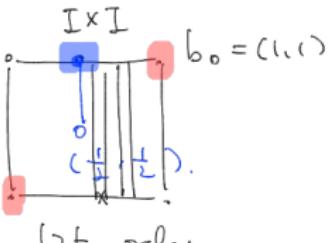
Let X be a set with order relation. Assume $|X| > 1$. Let \mathcal{B} a collection of subsets of the following types:

1. all open intervals (a, b) in X ;
2. all half-intervals $[a_0, b)$ where a_0 is the smallest element (if any) of X ;
3. all half-interval $(a, b_0]$ where b_0 is the largest element (if any) of X .

Then the collection \mathcal{B} is a basis for a topology of X , called the order topology.

Suppose that $Y = [0, 1] \cup \{2\}$. Show that the one-point set $\{2\}$ is open in the subspace topology $Y \subset \mathbb{R}$, while it is not open in the order topology, $\{2\}$ is not open.





Example

Let $I = [0, 1]$. The **dictionary order** on $I \times I$ is the restriction of dictionary order on $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$. Show that dictionary order topology on $I \times I$ is not the same as the subspace topology obtained from dictionary order topology on $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$.

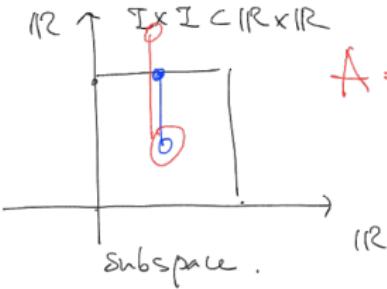
$$A = \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \right\} \times \left[\frac{1}{2}, 1 \right] \subset I \times I \text{ NOT open in order top.}$$

(If it is open, at $(\frac{1}{2}, 1) \in A$, \exists basis elt B s.t.

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) \in B \subset A. \quad B = \underbrace{(a, b)}_{\text{open interval}}. \quad a = (a_1, a_2), \quad b = (b_1, b_2)$$

$$b_1 > \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow B \not\subset A.)$$

$A \subset I \times I$ as subspace top of $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$



$$A = I \times I \cap \left(\underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right)}_{\text{open int.}}, \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \right) \right)$$

Definition

Given an **ordered** set X , a subset $Y \subset X$ is called **convex** if for each pair of points $a < b$, the interval (a, b) lies in Y .

* Theorem

Let X be an ordered set in the order topology. Let Y be a subset of X that is convex in X . Then the order topology on Y is the same as the topology Y as the subspace of X .

(Explain $\mathbb{I} \times \mathbb{I} \subset \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ in dict order is NOT convex! why).

Thm $\mathcal{M}_{\text{ord}} = \mathcal{M}_{\text{subspace}}$

" \subset " $(a, b) \in \mathcal{M}_{\text{ord}}, \quad a, b \in X \Rightarrow (a, b) \subset Y.$

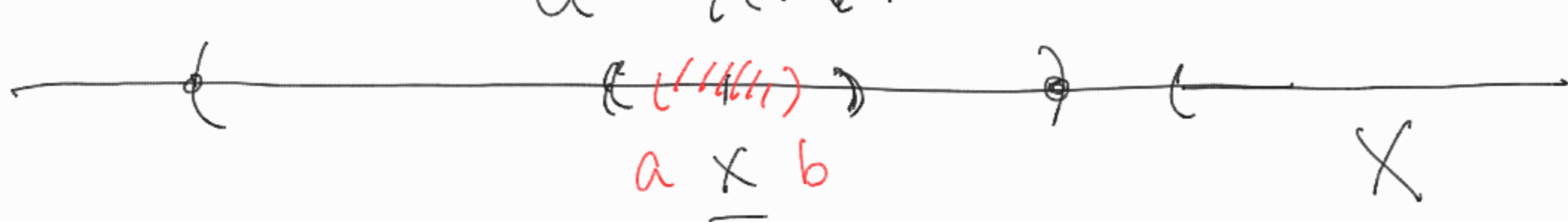
$\frac{(a, b) = Y \cap (a, b)}{\nwarrow \quad \searrow}$ by convexity of Y
 $\text{intv. in } Y \quad \text{intv. in } X$

Do same with $(a, b_0], [a_0, b) \in \mathcal{M}_{\text{ord}}$,
(if such a_0, b_0 exist).

" \supset " $U \in \mathcal{M}_{\text{subspace}} \Rightarrow U = Y \cap V, \quad V \subset X$
open

$x \in U \Rightarrow x \in V \Rightarrow \exists (a, b), [a_0, b), (a, b_0] = B$
s.t. $x \in B \subset V$. intv. in X

V :
 $U = Y \cap V.$



$\exists a_1, b_1 \in Y$. s.t. $x \in (a_1, b_1) \subset U$.

Divide the case of x

- x lies "interior" of $(a, b) \cap Y$.
- x is the max./min. of $(a, b) \cap Y$
- x could be " " of X .

topological spaces

Example ↗ ↘

A map $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is an **open map** if for every open set $U \subset X$ the image $f(U)$ is open in Y . Show that $\pi_1 : X \times Y \rightarrow X$ and $\pi_2 : X \times Y \rightarrow Y$ are open maps.

pfs. $A \subset X \times Y$. $\pi_1(A) = \{x \in X \mid \exists y \in Y \text{ s.t. } (x, y) \in A\}$.

Let $x \in \pi_1(A)$. Need to find $U \subset X$ ^{open} s.t. $x \in U \subset \pi_1(A)$.

Let $y \in Y$ s.t. $(x, y) \in A$. Then exists $U \subset X$, $V \subset Y$ ^{open}

s.t. $(x, y) \in U \times V \subset A$. Then $x \in U \subset A$

Therefore $\pi_1(A) \subset X$.

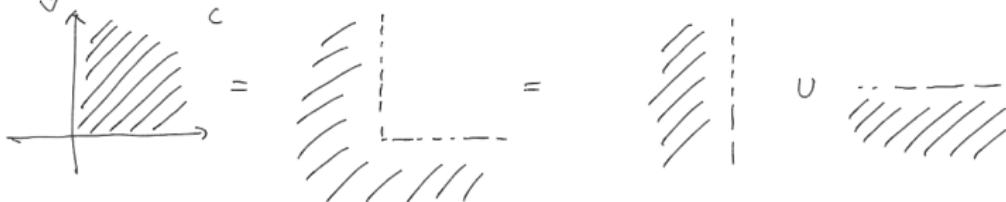
Similar for $\pi_2(A)$. 

Definition

A subset A of a topological space X is **close** if $X - A$ is **open**.

Example $\int \downarrow \text{closed boundary} \quad [a,b] = \mathbb{R} \setminus ((-\infty, a) \cup (b, \infty))$.

1. A subset $[a, b] \subset \mathbb{R}$ is closed in the standard topology.
2. A subset $\{(x, y) \mid x, y \geq 0\} \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ is closed in the standard topology.
3. In the finite complement topology of X , every closed set is either X itself or finite subset.



Ex 3.① If $C \subset X$ closed, then $|C| < +\infty$. $\Rightarrow C = X$.

$X \setminus C$ open $\Rightarrow (X \setminus C)^c = C$ is either X or finite.

② $C = X \cap \{ |C| < +\infty \} \Rightarrow C \subset X$ closed.

NTS: $X \setminus C \subset X$ open $\Rightarrow (X \setminus C)^c = C$ finite or X .

Then ③. C_α , $\alpha \in J$, closed. $\Leftrightarrow C_\alpha^c = X - C_\alpha \subset X$ open.

$$(\bigcap_{\alpha} C_\alpha)^c = \bigcup_{\alpha} C_\alpha^c = \bigcup_{\alpha} X - C_\alpha \subset X \text{ open.}$$

④ C_i , $i=1, \dots, n$, closed.

$$\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n C_i \right)^c = \bigcap_{i=1}^n C_i^c = \bigcap_{i=1}^n X - C_i \subset X \text{ open.}$$

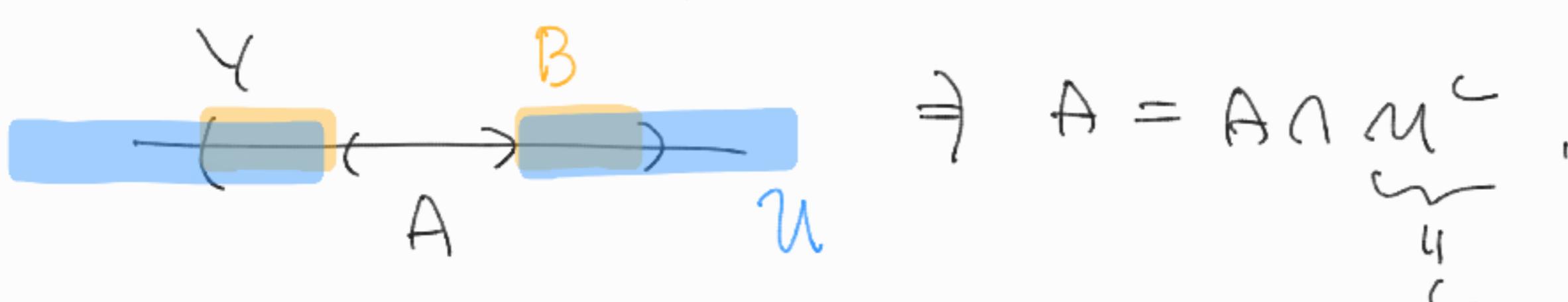
Ex $\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} [0, (-\frac{1}{n})] = [0, 1)$ NOT closed.

closed in the standard topology of \mathbb{R}

$$\begin{aligned} (0, 1)^c &= \overline{(-\infty, 0) \cup (1, \infty)} \supseteq 1 \\ 1 \in (a, b) &\Rightarrow a < 1 \quad \Rightarrow \exists \delta_0 \in (a, b) \text{ s.t. } x < 1. \\ (a, b) &\not\subseteq (-\infty, 0) \cup (1, \infty). \end{aligned}$$

Then $A \subset Y$ closed $\Leftrightarrow A = A \cap C$, $C \subset X$ closed

pf "=". $Y \setminus A = B \subset Y$ open $\Rightarrow B = B \cap U$, $U \subset X$ open.



" \Leftarrow " NTS: $Y \setminus A \subset Y$ open i.e. $\exists U \subset X$ open s.t. $Y \setminus A = (Y \setminus A) \cap U$.

Let $U = X \setminus C$, $(Y \setminus A) \cap U = Y \setminus A$ \square

Theorem

Let X be a topological space. Then

1. \emptyset and X are closed. $\rightarrow \emptyset, X$ are both open and closed.
2. Arbitrary intersection of closed sets is closed.
3. Finite union of closed sets is closed.

Theorem

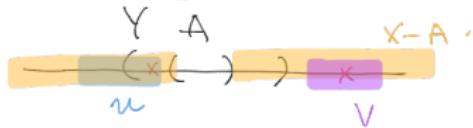
Let Y be a subspace of X . A subset $A \subset Y$ is closed (in Y) if and only if $A = \underset{\text{as a subset of } X}{\underbrace{A \cap C}}$ for some closed subset $C \subset X$.

Theorem

Let Y be a subspace of X . If $A \subset Y$ is closed in Y and Y is closed in X , then A is closed in X .

$$\text{pf. } \underline{Y \setminus A} = (\underline{Y \setminus A}) \cap u, \quad u \subset X \text{ open.}$$

NTS: $\underline{X \setminus A} \subset X$. Let $x \in X \setminus A$. Then $x \in Y$ or $x \in Y^c$



If $x \in Y$, then $x \in Y \setminus A$ some $U \subset Y \setminus A$ and $x \in U$,
 therefore $x \in U \subset X \setminus A$.

\square

If $x \notin Y$, some $Y \subset X$, $\underset{\text{closed}}{\exists} V \subset X$ s.t. $x \in V \subset Y^c$

then $x \in V \subset X \setminus A$. \square

Then $\text{cl}_Y(A) = \text{cl}_X(A) \cap Y$.

pf). " \subset " $\text{cl}_Y(A) =$ the smallest closed set in Y containing A .
 i.e. $\forall C \subset Y$, $A \subset C \Rightarrow \text{cl}_Y(A) \subset C$.

Let $C' \subset X$ s.t. $C = Y \cap C'$, $A \subset C'$

$\text{cl}_X(A)$ is a closed set in X containing A .

Choose $C' = \text{cl}_X(A)$. Then define $C = Y \cap \text{cl}_X(A)$

Thus $\text{cl}_Y(A) \subset C = Y \cap \text{cl}_X(A)$

" \supset " $\text{cl}_X(A) =$ the smallest closed set in X containing A .

i.e. $\forall C \subset X$ s.t. $A \subset C$, then $\text{cl}_X(A) \subset C$.

NTS: $\forall C' \subset Y$ s.t. $A \subset C'$, then $\text{cl}_X(A) \cap Y \subset C'$.

$\Downarrow \exists C \subset X$ s.t. $C' = C \cap Y$.

Since $\text{cl}_X(A) \subset C$, $\text{cl}_X(A) \cap Y \subset C \cap Y = C'$ \square

$\text{Int}(A) \subset A \subset \overline{A} = \text{cl}(A)$ The largest open set contained in A

Definition

Let A be a subset of topological space X . The interior of A is the union of all open sets contained in A . The closure of A is the intersection of all closed sets containing A . The interior of A is denoted by $\text{Int } A$. The closure of A is denoted by \overline{A} .

Theorem

The smallest closed set containing A

Let Y be a subspace of X . Let A be a subset of Y . Let \overline{A} is the closure of A in X . Then the closure of A in Y equals $\overline{A} \cap Y$.

Some properties of subset in the ambient space
are not preserved in the subspace top.

Theorem

Let A be a subset of a topological space X .

1. $x \in \overline{A}$ if and only if every open set U containing x intersects A . ($\because U \cap A \neq \emptyset$)
- * 2. Let \mathcal{B} be a basis of X . $x \in \overline{A}$ if and only if $x \in B \in \mathcal{B}$ implies $B \cap A \neq \emptyset$

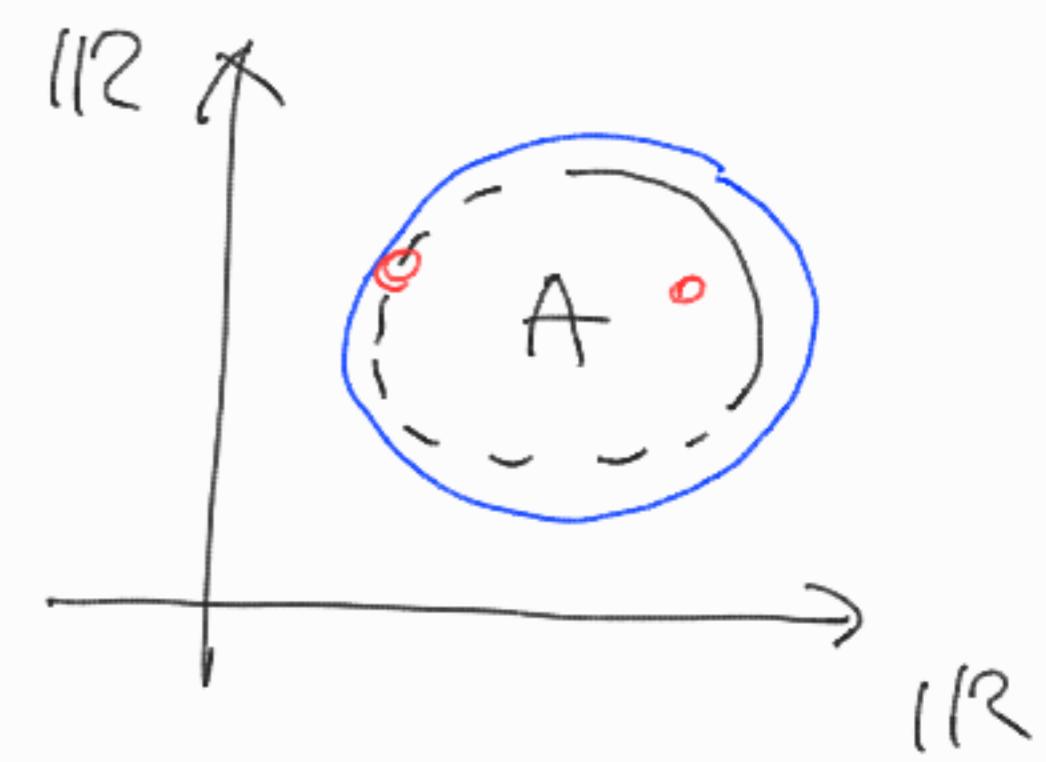
Remark

The phrase “ U is open set containing x ” equal to the statement “ U is (open) neighborhood of x .”

Thm ① $x \in \overline{A} \Leftrightarrow "x \in \underset{\text{open}}{U} \subset X \Rightarrow U \cap A \neq \emptyset"$

" \Rightarrow " Suppose $\exists U \subset X$ s.t. $\underline{x \in U}$.

but $\underline{U \cap A} = \emptyset$.



$C = X \cup U \subset X$, $A \subset C \Rightarrow \overline{A} \subset C$. contradiction

" \Leftarrow ". Suppose $x \notin \overline{A}$. (implies $x \notin A$).

$\exists C \subset X$ s.t. $A \subset C$ but $\underline{x \notin C}$.

$U = X \cup C \subset X$, $x \in U \Rightarrow \underline{U \cap A} \neq \emptyset$. contradiction

$\Rightarrow x \in \overline{A}$. \square

Thm $\overline{A} = A \cup A'$.

" \supset " $A \subset \overline{A}$, NTS: $A' \subset \overline{A}$.

$x \in A'$. $\forall U \ni x$ w.h.d. $U \cap A \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow x \in \overline{A}$.

" \subset " $x \in \overline{A}$ if $x \in A$ done

if $x \notin A$. then $\forall U \ni x$ $\underline{U \cap A} \neq \emptyset$.

$\Rightarrow \exists y \neq x$ s.t. $y \in U \cap A$. \square

Definition

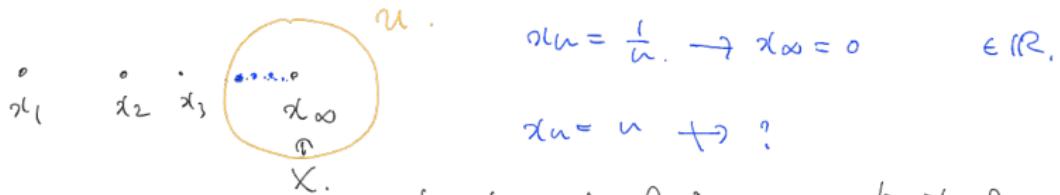
Let A be a subset of a topological space X . An element $x \in X$ is a **limit point** of A if every neighborhood of x intersects A in some point other than x itself.

Theorem

$\exists \{i\} = A \subset \mathbb{R}$, i is NOT a limit point of A .

Let A be a subset of a topological space X . Let A' be the set of all limit points of A . Then

$$\overline{A} = A \cup A'$$



Definition a limit point of a sequence $x_1, \dots, x_n, \dots \in A$.

Given a topological space X , a sequence x_1, x_2, \dots converges to $x_\infty \in X$ if for each neighborhood U of x_∞ , there exists an integer $N > 0$ such that $x_i \in U$ for all $i > N$.

Definition $x_n = (-)^{\frac{n-1}{2n}} \rightarrow 0$. (0 is NOT a limit point of $\{-1, 1\}$)

A topological space X is **Hausdorff** if for each pair x_1, x_2 of distinct points of X , there exist neighborhoods U_1, U_2 of x_1, x_2 respectively which are disjoint.

* Theorem

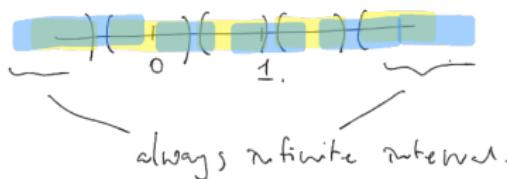
Every finite set in a Hausdorff space is closed.

Definition

A topological space X has the **T_1 axiom** if finite point set is closed.

* Example

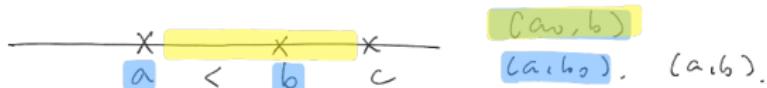
The finite complement topology on \mathbb{R} has the T_1 axiom but it is not Hausdorff.



* Theorem

Every sequence in a Hausdorff space converges at most one point.

Example

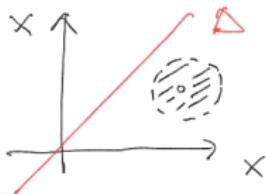


1. Every ordered set is Hausdorff in the order topology.
2. The product of two Hausdorff space is Hausdorff.
3. A subspace of Hausdorff space is Hausdorff.

$$Y \subset X. \quad y_1, y_2 \in Y. \quad u_i \ni y_i, u_i \subset X. \quad \Rightarrow \quad v_i = u_i \cap Y \subset Y. \quad u_1 \cap u_2 = \emptyset \quad v_1 \cap v_2 = \emptyset.$$

Example

X is Hausdorff if and only if the diagonal $\Delta = \{(x, x) \mid x \in X\}$ is closed in $X \times X$.



If $\Delta \subset X \times X$ is closed, then X is Hausdorff.

p.f. $(x, y) \notin \Delta$ i.e. $x \neq y$. $\exists U \subset X \times X$ open s.t. $(x, y) \in U \subset (X \times X) \setminus \Delta$.

$\exists U_1, U_2 \subset X \times X$ open s.t. $(x, y) \in U_1 \times U_2 \subset U$
 $\Rightarrow x \in U_1, y \in U_2$, $U_1 \cap U_2 = \emptyset$.

Thm X : Hausdorff. $A \subset X$. (A closed \Leftrightarrow A^c closed)

pf) PFS: $X - A \subset X$. i.e. $x \in X - A$, $\exists U \subset X$ open $x \in U \subset X - A$.



For $i = 1, \dots, n$, pick U'_i s.t.

$$\min_i U'_i = \emptyset.$$

by the def. of Hausdorff.

Then $m' = \bigcap_{i=1}^n U'_i \subset X$. $m' \cap m_i = \emptyset$.

$x \in m' \subset X - A \Rightarrow X - A$ closed.

Thm. $x_1, \dots, x_m \in X$: Hausdorff space

"convergence" is well-defined.

pf) Suppose NOT, i.e. \exists convergent seq x_1, \dots, x_n, \dots

which has two limits x_∞, x'_∞ .

Let $U_1 \ni x_\infty, U_2 \ni x'_\infty, U_1 \cap U_2 = \emptyset$.

$\exists N_1, N_2$ s.t. $i > N_i \Rightarrow x_i \in U_i$

$N = \max\{N_1, N_2\} \Rightarrow i > N \Rightarrow x_i \in U_1 \cap U_2 = \emptyset$ cont.

Example

The **boundary** of a subset $A \subset X$, denoted by $\text{Bd}A$ or ∂A , is defined by

$$\partial A = \overline{A} \cap \overline{X - A}$$

1. Show that $\overline{A} \cap \partial A = \emptyset$.
2. Show that $\overline{A} = \partial A \cup \text{Int}A$
3. Show that $\partial A = \emptyset$ if and only if A is both open and closed.
4. Show that U is open if and only If $\partial U = \overline{U} - U$.
5. Prove or disprove: $U = \text{Int}(\overline{U})$.