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Then  $\{a_n\}$  conv in  $\mathbb{R}$  iff  $\{a_n\}$  is Cauchy.

Pf:  $(\Rightarrow)$  Suppose  $a_n \rightarrow a$  in  $\mathbb{R}$ .  
Take any  $\varepsilon > 0$ .  $\exists N_\varepsilon \in \mathbb{N}$   
s.t. for  $n \geq N_\varepsilon$ ,  $|a_n - a| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$

For  $j, k \geq N_\varepsilon$

$$\begin{aligned} |a_j - a_k| &= |a_j - a + a - a_k| \\ &\leq |a_j - a| + |a - a_k| \\ &< \varepsilon/2 + \varepsilon/2 \\ &= \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$