

1 Set Theory

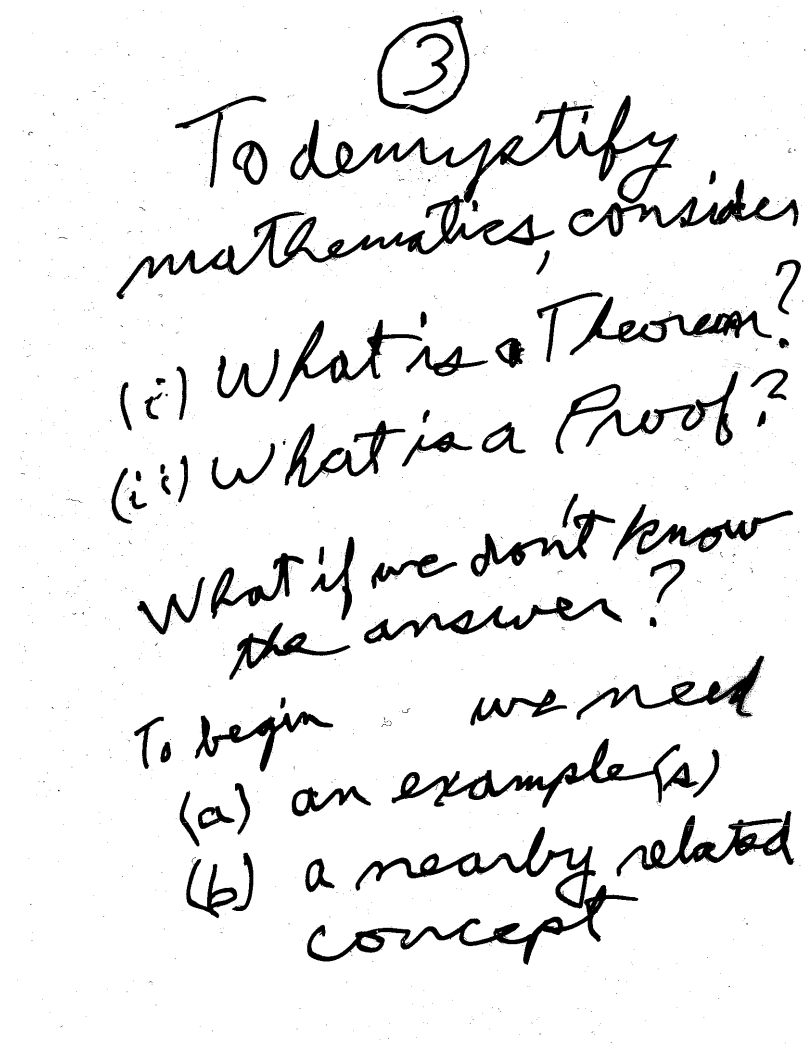
To demystify mathematics consider

- (i) What is a theorem?
- (ii) What is a proof?

What if we don't know the answer?

To begin we need

- (a) an example(s)
- (b) a nearly related concept



Related Concept: Greek Syllogism
example:

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2 Generate \mathbb{N}

3 From \mathbb{Z} to \mathbb{R} via ordering

4 Sequence and Limits

Sequences

Limits

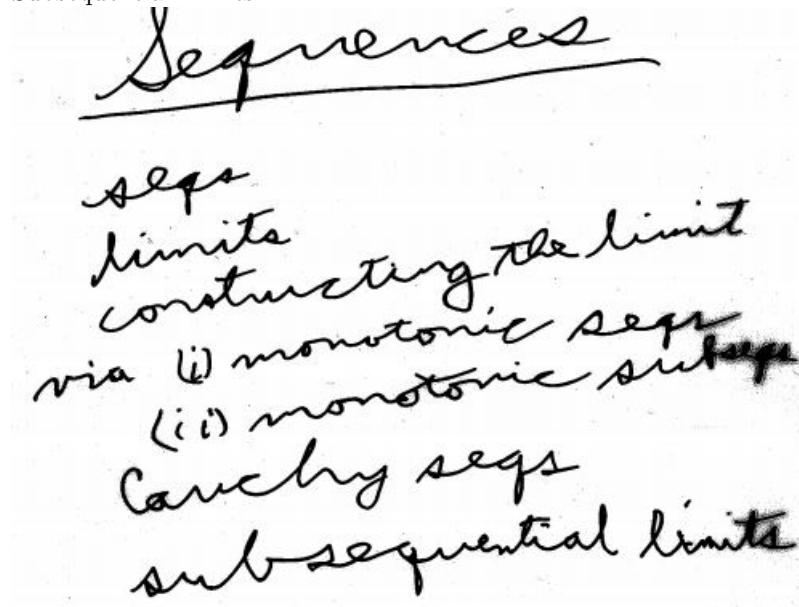
Constructing the limit via:

(i) Monotonic Sequences

(ii) Monotonic Sub-sequences

Cauchy Sequences

Subsequential Limits



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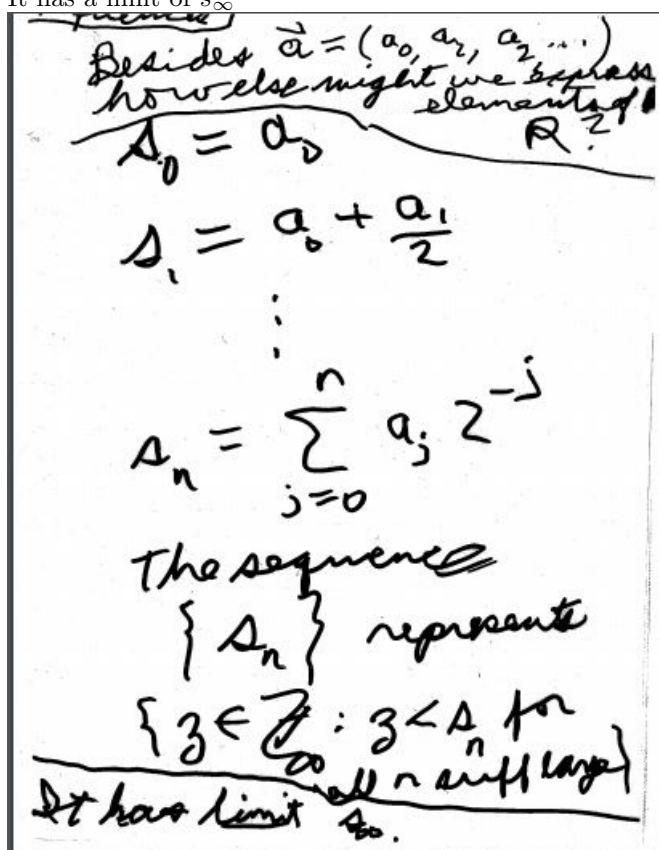
Besides $\vec{a} = (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots)$, how else might we harness elements of \mathbb{R}^2 ?

$$s_0 = a_0$$

$$s_1 = a_0 + \frac{a_1}{2}$$

$$s_n = \sum_{j=0}^n a_j 2^{-j}$$

The sequence $\{s_n\}$ represents $\{z \in \mathbb{Z}_\infty : z < s_n \text{ for all } n \text{ sufficiently large}\}$
 It has a limit of s_∞



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for all $n \geq N$, $|a_n - a| < \epsilon$

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$$a = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n$$

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(i) \forall real $b > a_\infty$

$\exists N_b < \infty$: for all

$n \geq N_b, a_n < b$

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Finding Limits and Proving Convergence

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Example 2: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n+1}{7n-4} = \frac{3}{7}$

Example 3: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 + \frac{1}{n})^n = e$

Homework: Suppose $a_n \rightarrow a > 0$

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Hence the sum of this infinite collection of numbers $1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \dots$ must be two. How can we generalize this? Generalization 1: Geometric Series How large is $1 + r + r^2 + \dots$ If $|r| < 1$? Solution: Let $S_n = 1 + r + \dots + r^n$ For $r \leq 0$, $S_1 \leq S_2 \leq \dots$ and we expect $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} r^j$

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Theorem 2 (The Integral Test)

Suppose $a_1 \geq a_2 \geq \dots \geq 0$.

Extend a_n to $a(x)$ where $a(x)$ is continuous, $a(n) = a_n$ and $a(x)$ decreases,
Then $\sum_n a_n < \infty$ if and only if $\int_1^\infty a(x) dx < \infty$

Proof

$$\begin{aligned}\int_1^\infty a(x) dx &= \sum_{n=1}^\infty \int_n^{n+1} a(x) dx \\ &\leq \sum_{n=1}^\infty \int_n^{n+1} a_n dx \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^\infty a_n\end{aligned}$$

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$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j \in F_n} a_j$$

Proof: Take away

$$s < S_{\infty} \equiv \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$$

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 $\{1, 2, \dots, N\} \subseteq F_{N'}$
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$$\sum_{j \in F_n} a_j \geq \sum_{j=1}^N a_j > s$$

Moreover, since F_n is finite,

$$\exists n^* \geq \max\{j \in F_n\}$$

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Proof: Suppose $|A_n| < A^* < \infty$.

Fix any $\epsilon > 0$. Take any $\delta > 0$ to be chosen later $\exists N$ such that for $n \geq N$

$0 \leq b_n < \delta_\epsilon$

For $n \geq N$ and $p \geq 0$,

$$\sum_{j=n}^{n+p} A_j b_j = \sum_{j=n-1}^{n+p} (A_j - A_{j-1}) b_j$$

$$= \sum_{j=n}^{n+p} A_j b_j - \sum_{j=n-1}^{n+p-1} A_j b_{j+1}$$

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 &= |A_{n+p} b_{n+p} - A_{n-1} b_n + \sum_{j=n}^{n+p-1} A_j (b_j - b_{j+1})| \\
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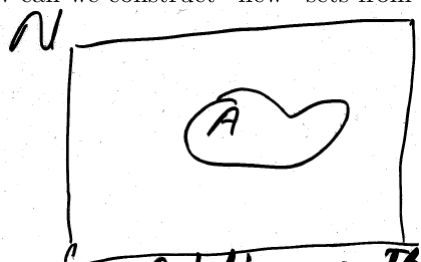
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7 Metric Spaces Part 1

8 Metric Spaces Part 2