

Lecture - 13

MTL 122 - Real and Complex  
Analysis .

$(X, d_X)$      $(Y, d_Y)$

Theo.

$f: X \rightarrow Y$  is continuous at

' $a$ '  $\Leftrightarrow$  it is seq. cont.  
at ' $a$ '.

[

$f: X \rightarrow Y$  seq. cont. at ' $a$ '

$\Rightarrow \underbrace{(x_n \rightarrow a)}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \Rightarrow f(x_n) \rightarrow f(a)$  ]

Pf. '  $\Rightarrow$  '

$f$  is continuous at ' $a$ '.

$a \in X$ .

$\epsilon > 0 \quad \exists \delta(\epsilon, a) > 0$  s.t -

$d_Y(f(x), f(a)) < \epsilon$  for

$d_X(x, a) < \delta$ . — (1)

Let  $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in X$  s.t

-  $\underbrace{x_n \rightarrow a}_{\text{as } n \rightarrow \infty}$

Now for  $\epsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N}$

s.t

$$\underline{d(x_n, a) < \epsilon} \quad \forall n \geq N \quad (2)$$

From (1) we get:

$$d_y(f(x_n) - f(a)) < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq N.$$

$\Rightarrow f(x_n) \rightarrow f(a)$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

Converse

Suppose  $f$  is not continuous at 'a'.

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \forall \epsilon \exists s \text{ s.t } d(x, a) < s \\ \Rightarrow d(f(x), f(a)) \geq \epsilon \end{array} \right)$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \exists \epsilon \forall s \text{ s.t } d(x, a) < s \text{ but} \\ d(f(x), f(a)) \geq \epsilon \end{array} \right)$$

$\exists \epsilon_0 > 0$  s.t for every  
 $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\exists x_n$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} d(x_n, a) < \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0 \\ \text{but } \underline{\underline{J(f(x_n), f(a))}} > \epsilon_0. \end{array} \right.$$

Then  $x_n \rightarrow a$  but

$$f(x_n) \not\rightarrow f(a)$$

$\Rightarrow f$  is not seq  
cont.

$\Rightarrow$  this gives

$f$  is seq cont  $\Rightarrow f$  is  
cont at ' $a$ '

$$0 \leq d(x_n, a) < \frac{1}{n}$$

$$U \subseteq Y$$

$$\underset{=}{{f: X \rightarrow Y}}$$

$$\underline{f^{-1}(U)} = \{x : f(x) \in U\}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Set of preimage.

Theo.:  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  is continuous

iff for every open (closed)  
set  $U \subseteq Y$ , the set

$f^{-1}(U)$  is open (closed)  
in  $X$ .

$$\boxed{f(B_\delta(a)) \subset B_\epsilon(f(a))}$$



Pf.! The inverse image under  $f$  of every open set is open. (Assume)

Show:  $f$  is continuous.

•  $\overset{\leftarrow}{U} \subset Y \Rightarrow f^{-1}(U) \subset X$   
~~is open~~ — — — open.

• Aim:  $f(B_\delta(x_0)) \subseteq B_\epsilon(f(x_0))$

Let  $y_0 \in Y$ ,  $f(x_0) = y_0$

$\epsilon > 0$  •  $U = \underbrace{B_\epsilon(f(x_0))}_{\text{open}}$   
 $\Rightarrow f^{-1}(B_\epsilon(f(x_0)))$  is open.

$$\exists \underline{x_0} \in \underline{f^{-1}(B_\epsilon(f(x_0)))}$$

$\Rightarrow \exists \delta > 0$  s.t

$$B_\delta(x_0) \subset f^{-1}(B_\epsilon(f(x_0)))$$

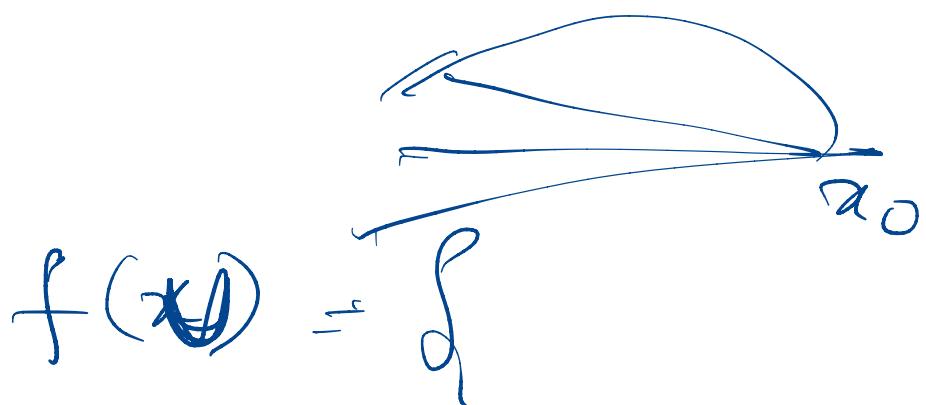
$$\Rightarrow f(B_\delta(x_0)) \subset B_\epsilon(f(x_0))$$

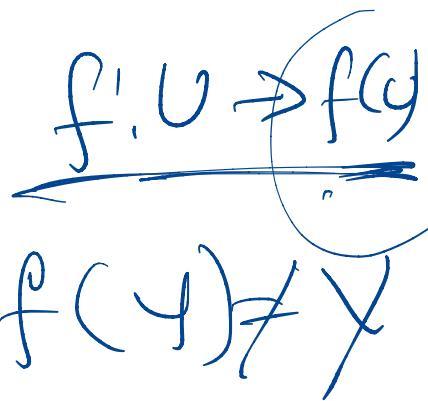
$\Rightarrow$  f is continuous.

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$$J = \bigcup_{x \in U} B_\epsilon(x)$$

$f^{-1}$  is not a inverse.


$$f(\underline{x}) = \underline{y}$$


$$f: U \rightarrow f(U)$$
$$f(Y) \neq Y$$

Converse.

$f: X \rightarrow Y$  continuous.

$\cup \subset Y$ .

$f^{-1}(\cup)$  is open.

$x_0 \in f^{-1}(\cup)$ :

$\Rightarrow \{x \in X \mid f(x) \in \cup\}$

$\Rightarrow f(x_0) \in \cup$

$\Rightarrow \exists \epsilon > 0$  s.t  
 $B_\epsilon(f(x_0)) \subset \cup$

$\exists \delta > 0$  s.t

$$\underline{f(B_\delta(x_0)) \subset B_{\epsilon}(f(x_0))}$$

$$\Rightarrow B_\delta(x_0) \subseteq f^{-1}(\overline{B_\epsilon(f(x_0))}) \\ \subseteq f^{-1}(U)$$

$\Rightarrow x_0$  is an int. pt.

$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(U)$  is open.

Ex.  $X, Y$ ,  $f: X \rightarrow Y$   
 $(X, d_{dis})$

Claim:  $f$  is continuous  
 wrt of the metric  $Y$ .

$(\mathbb{N}, d) \rightarrow \text{---}$   
is always continuous.

Ex. cont.

~~Claim~~ → Open set criteria →  
 $\Leftrightarrow$  Open ball  
 $\Leftarrow ?$  Criteria.

Hint: Every open  
is arbitrary union  
of open balls).

The: Composition of  
continuous fns are  
conti

Pf.  $f: X \xrightarrow{\text{cont}} Y$ ,  $g: Y \xrightarrow{\text{cont}} Z$ .

•  $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ .

$\Rightarrow W \subset Z$   
open

Show,  $(g \circ f)^{-1}(W)$  is open  
in  $X$ .

•  $V = g^{-1}(W)$  open in  $Y$ .

•  $U = f^{-1}(V)$  open in  $X$ .

$U = f^{-1}(g^{-1}(W))$

& also,  $g \circ f(U) = W$ .  
(Set inclusion)

$\Rightarrow g \circ f$  is continuous.

## Uniform Continuity

$f: X \rightarrow Y$  is uniformly continuous.

$$\epsilon > 0 \quad \exists S(\epsilon) \text{ s.t.} \\ d_X(x, y) < S \Rightarrow d_Y(f(x), f(y)) < \epsilon \\ \forall x, y \in X.$$

•  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ ,  $(0, 1)$  not u.c.

Suppose we take  $S > 0$

$\forall x, y \in (0, 1)$

$$|x - y| < S \quad \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y} \right) \leq 1$$

$x \in (0, 1)$ ,  $x < S$ ,  $y = \frac{x}{2}$

$$|x - y| < S \Rightarrow \frac{x}{2} < \frac{|x-y|}{S} < S$$

but  $\left| \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y} \right| = \left| \frac{1}{xy} \right| \geq 1$

$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$  is not  
u. c.

$\_ x \_$

$(X, d_X)$   $(Y, d_Y)$   $z \in X$ .

$f : X \rightarrow Y$

1)  $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0$  s.t  
 $\forall x \in X$ .

$d_X(x, z) < \delta$ ,

$d_Y(f(x), f(z)) < \epsilon$ .

2)  $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0$  s.t

$$f(B_s(z)) \subseteq B_\epsilon(f(z))$$

$\xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}}$

3) Each open ball  $\in Y$  that contains  $f(z)$  includes the image under  $f$  of open ball of  $X$  that contain  $z$ .

4) For each open  $\subseteq$  subset  $V$  of  $Y$  with  $f(z) \in V$  if there is an open set  $U \subset X$  with  $z \in U$  s.t  $f(U) \subseteq V$ .

5) For every seq  
 $(x_n)$  if  $x$  that converges  
to  $z$  the seq  
 $f(x_n)$  of  $Y$  converges  
to  $f(z)$ .