

## Artin-Whaples approximations

**Theorem 1** (Artin-Whaples approximations). Let  $K$  be a field, and let  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  be pairwise inequivalent nontrivial absolute values on  $K$ . For any  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in K$  and any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists an element  $x \in K$  such that

$$|x - a_i|_{v_i} < \varepsilon$$

for all  $1 \leq i \leq n$ . Yang: To be checked.

## Appendix

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