

Definitions to know: Suppose  $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  and  $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .

1. We say  $f$  is **continuous at**  $x_0 \in D$  iff...

(a) sequential def  $\forall \{x_n\} \subseteq D$ , if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = x_0$ , then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(x_n) = f(x_0)$ .

(b)  $\epsilon - \delta$  def  $\forall \epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists \delta > 0$  such that  $\forall x \in D$ , if  $|x - x_0| < \delta$ , then  $|f(x) - f(x_0)| < \epsilon$ .

remark: we say  $f$  is **continuous on**  $D$  or simply  $f$  is **continuous** iff  $\forall x_0 \in D$ , the function  $f$  is continuous at  $x_0$ .

2. We say  $f$  is **uniformly continuous on**  $D$  iff...

(a) sequential def  
 $\forall \{u_n\}, \{v_n\} \subseteq D$ , if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n - v_n) = 0$ , then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (f(u_n) - f(v_n)) = 0$ .

(b)  $\epsilon - \delta$  def  
 $\forall \epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists \delta > 0$  such that  $\forall x_0, x \in D$ , if  $|x - x_0| < \delta$ , then  $|f(x) - f(x_0)| < \epsilon$ .

3. We say that  $x_0 \in \text{br}$  is a **limit point of**  $D$  iff  $\exists x_n \subseteq D \setminus \{x_0\}$  such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = x_0$ .

4. Suppose  $x_0$  is a limit point of  $D$  and  $L \in \mathbb{R}$ . We say the **limit of  $f$  as  $x$  approaches  $x_0$  is  $L$**  and write  $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) = L$  iff...

(a) sequential def  $\forall \{x_n\} \subseteq D \setminus \{x_0\}$ , if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = x_0$ , then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(x_n) = L$ .

(b)  $\epsilon - \delta$  def  $\forall \epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists \delta > 0$  such that  $\forall x \in D$ , if  $0 < |x - x_0| < \delta$ , then  $|f(x) - L| < \epsilon$ .

Results to know:

1. Algebra of Continuous Functions: 3.4, 3.5, 3.6

2. Extreme Value Theorem (3.9): Suppose  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous. Then  $f$  attains maximum and minimum values.

*I.e.*  $\exists x_1, x_2 \in [a, b]$  such that  $\forall x \in [a, b]$ , we have  $f(x_1) \leq f(x) \leq f(x_2)$

3. Intermediate Value Theorem(3.11): Suppose  $f[a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous. If  $c$  is strictly between  $f(a)$  and  $f(b)$ , then  $\exists x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$a < x_0 < b \quad \text{and} \quad f(x_0) = c$$

4. Theorem 3.17. Suppose  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . If  $f$  is continuous, then  $f$  is uniformly continuous.