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Let X be any set, and let (Y,d) be a metric space. A sequence f_1, f_2, \ldots of functions mapping X to Y is said to be uniformly convergent to another function f if, for each $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists N such that, for all x and all n > N, we have $d(f_n(x), f(x)) < \varepsilon$. This is denoted by $f_n \stackrel{u}{\to} f$, or " $f_n \to f$ uniformly" or, less frequently, by $f_n \rightrightarrows f$.