

# Homework 3

## Question 1

Consider  $y \in (X \setminus \bar{B}_\varepsilon(x))$ . Since  $d(x, y) > \varepsilon$ , Then  $\delta = d(x, y) - \varepsilon > 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 0 < \delta - d(y, m) \\ &= d(x, y) - \varepsilon - d(y, m) \\ &\leq d(x, m) - \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

$\forall m \in B_\delta(y)$  there will have  $B_\delta(y) \subseteq X \setminus \bar{B}_\varepsilon(x)$ . Then we can know  $m \in (X \setminus \bar{B}_\varepsilon(x))$ . Then  $X \setminus \bar{B}_\varepsilon(x)$  is open. Then  $\bar{B}_\varepsilon(x)$  is closed.

## Question 2

Consider  $x_m \in \text{Lim}(x_n)$ , we can know there exists  $n_j, x_m = \text{Lim}_j x_{n_j}$ . Since  $(x_{n_j})$  is convergent subsequence. When  $x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_m$ , There exists  $m, x = \text{Lim}_j x_m$ . We can conclude that  $x \in \text{Lim}(x_n)$ . Thus  $\text{Lim}(x_n)$  is closed.

## Question 3

### Idea From Tianyue Cao

Consider  $\{(x_n, y_n)\}_1^\infty$  be an arbitrary Cauchy sequence that converges to a point  $(x, y)$ . There will be two cases, when  $f(x) < 0$  or  $g(y) < f(x)$ .

- Case 1: When  $f(x) < 0$ .

Consider  $\varepsilon = -f(x) > 0$ . We can know  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(x_n) = f(x)$ . By definition of limit, There will exists  $N$  such that  $\forall n > N$ .

$$\begin{aligned} |f(x_n) - f(x)| &< \varepsilon \\ f(x_n) &< f(x) + \varepsilon = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $(x_n, y_n) \in \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq f(x) \leq g(y)\}$ , we have  $f(x_n) \leq 0$ , which is a contradiction.

- Case 2: When  $g(y) < f(x)$ .

Since both  $f$  and  $g$  are continuous, we can know  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(x_n) = f(x)$  and the  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g(y_n) = g(y)$ . By the definition of limit,

- There will exists  $N_x$  such that for all  $m > N_x$ , We can know  $|f(x_m) - f(x)| < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ . Then we can know  $f(x_m) < f(x) + \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ .
- There will exists  $N_y$  such that for all  $m > N_y$ , We can know  $|g(y_m) - g(y)| < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ . Then we can know  $g(y_m) > g(y) - \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ .

Then we can know  $g(y_m) > g(y) - \frac{\epsilon}{2} = f(x) + \epsilon - \frac{\epsilon}{2} = f(x) + \frac{\epsilon}{2} > f(x_n)$ . Since  $m > \max\{N_x, N_y\}$ .

Then there will have a contradiction. Since,

$(x_m, y_m) \in \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq f(x) \leq g(y)\}$ , We will have  $f(x_n) \leq g(x_n)$ .

Then we can know  $0 \leq f(x) \leq g(y)$  implies that

$(x, y) \in \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq f(x) \leq g(y)\}$ . We show all cauchy sequences in  $\{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq f(x) \leq g(y)\}$  converge to a point in  $\{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq f(x) \leq g(y)\}$ . Thus it is closed.

## Question 4

( $\Rightarrow$ ) We know that  $S$  is open under  $d(x, y)$ , Thus it will also open under  $d_f(x, y)$ . and the  $f$  is strictly increasing. Consider  $\forall x \in S, B_\varepsilon(x) \subseteq S$ .

$$\begin{aligned} d(x, y) < \varepsilon &\Rightarrow y \in S \\ x - \varepsilon < y < x + \varepsilon &\Rightarrow y \in S \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

$$a < b \Leftrightarrow f(a) < f(b) \tag{2}$$

Since we know that  $S$  is also open under  $d_f(x, y)$ . we can combine two equation.

$$f(x - \varepsilon) < f(y) < f(x + \varepsilon) \Rightarrow y \in S$$

Consider  $m = f(x + \varepsilon) - f(x) > 0$ , and  $n = f(x) - f(x - \varepsilon) > 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} d_f(x, y) < \min\{m, n\} \\ \Rightarrow -m < f(x) - f(y) < n \\ \Rightarrow f(x) - f(x + \varepsilon) < f(x) - f(y) < f(x) - f(x - \varepsilon) \\ \Rightarrow f(x - \varepsilon) < f(y) < f(x + \varepsilon) \\ \Rightarrow y \in S \end{aligned}$$

( $\Leftarrow$ ): We know  $f^{-1}$  is also increasing and continuous. By the prove above we can know  $S$  is open under  $d_f(x, y) = |f(x) - f(y)|$ , Then  $S$  is open under  $(d_f)_{f^{-1}}(x, y) = |f^{-1}(f(x)) - f^{-1}(f(y))| = d(x, y)$ .

Thus by conclusion, we know the statement is true.