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We will learn about : Basics of functions of several variables. In this lecture:

## 1.1 A sequence in the Euclidean space and its application

Using these notation:

- $\mathbb{N}$ : set of natural number  $(\mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\})$
- $\mathbb{Z}$ : set of integers  $(\mathbb{Z} = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots\})$
- $\mathbb{Q}$  : set of rational number  $(\mathbb{Q}=\{0,\pm 1,\pm 2,\frac{2}{3},\dots\})$
- $\mathbb{R}$ : set of real number
- $\bullet~\mathbb{C}$  : set of complex number

**Definition 1.** A sequence  $(x_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is an assignment of (real) number  $x_n \in \mathbb{R}$  to natural number  $n \in \mathbb{N}$   $(x_n \in \mathbb{R})$ .  $Example: x_n = \frac{1}{n}. \ x_1 = 1, x_2 = \frac{1}{2}, \dots$ 

**Definition 2.** A subsequence of a sequence  $(x_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a sequence  $(y_j)_{j=1}^{\infty}$