

Metric Space (Examples):

① $X = \mathbb{R}$ or \mathbb{C} with usual metric $d(x, y) = |x - y|$

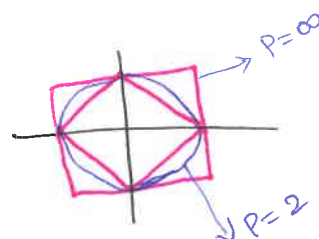
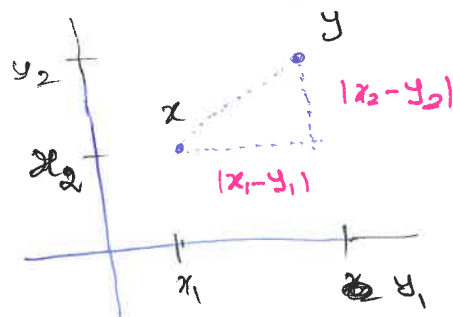
② $X = \mathbb{R}^2$ $x = (x_1, x_2)$ $y = (y_1, y_2)$

$$d_1(x, y) = |x_1 - y_1| + |x_2 - y_2|$$

$$d_2(x, y) = \sqrt{|x_1 - y_1|^2 + |x_2 - y_2|^2}$$

$$d_\infty(x, y) = \max \{ |x_1 - y_1|, |x_2 - y_2| \}$$

$$d_p(x, y) = \left(|x_1 - y_1|^p + |x_2 - y_2|^p \right)^{1/p}$$



③ $X = \mathbb{R}^n$, $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n)$

$$d_p(x, y) = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i - y_i|^p \right)^{1/p}, \quad 1 \leq p < \infty$$

$$d_\infty(x, y) = \max \{ |x_1 - y_1|, |x_2 - y_2|, \dots, |x_n - y_n| \}$$

④ $X = \mathbb{R}^\omega = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \dots$, $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots)$, $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots)$

$$d_p(x, y) = \left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |x_i - y_i|^p \right)^{1/p} \text{ is meaningless}$$

$$\therefore d_p \left(\left(\frac{1}{n} \right), (0) \right) = \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{p/2}} \right)^{1/p} \text{ may not be}$$

convergent sequence.

For each $p \in [1, \infty)$, $\ell^p := \{ x \in \mathbb{R}^\omega : \left(\sum |x_n|^p \right)^{1/p} < \infty \}$

$$\ell^\infty = \{ x \in \mathbb{R}^\omega : \sup \{ |x_1|, |x_2|, \dots \} < \infty \}$$

$$d_p(x, y) := \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |x_n - y_n|^p \right)^{1/p}, \quad x, y \in \ell^p$$

$$d_\infty(x, y) := \sup \{ |x_1 - y_1|, |x_2 - y_2|, \dots \}, \quad x, y \in \ell^\infty.$$

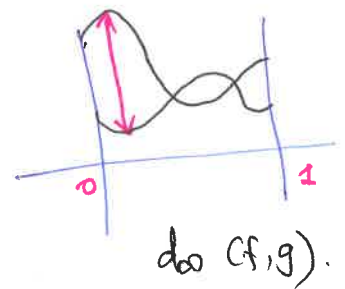
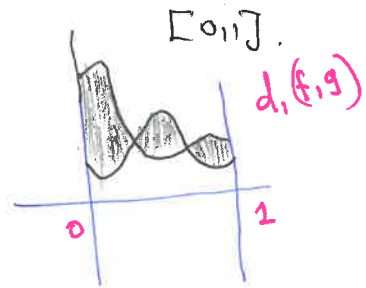
① $X = C[0,1]$ = The set of all (real valued) continuous functions on $[0,1]$.

$$d_1(f,g) = \int_0^1 |f(x) - g(x)| dx$$

$$d_2(f,g) = \left(\int_0^1 |f(x) - g(x)|^2 dx \right)^{1/2}$$

$$d_p(f,g) = \left(\int_0^1 |f(x) - g(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p}$$

$$d_\infty(f,g) = \sup_{x \in [0,1]} |f(x) - g(x)|$$



- ② Hamming metric in computer science
- ③ Helly metric in Game theory
- ④ Edge counting metric in Graph theory
- ⑤ Aeroplane distance in Heisenberg group
- ⑥ Mahalanobis distance in Statistics
- ⑦ Expectation in Probability
- ⑧ Rank in Matrix theory
- ⑨ stereographic projection in complex analysis.
- ⑩ operator norm in Functional analysis.

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Metric spaces:-

①

① Let (X, d) be a metric space such that

$$d(x, y) \leq \max \{ d(x, z), d(z, y) \} \quad \forall x, y, z \in X.$$

② Prove that for every $x, y, z \in X$, at least any two of the three quantities $d(x, y)$, $d(y, z)$, $d(z, x)$ will be same.

③ Let $b \in B(a, r) := \{ x \in X : d(a, x) < r \}$.

Show that b is also a centre for $B(a, r)$

$$\text{i.e. } B(b, r) = B(a, r)$$

④ Prove that $B(a, r)$ is closed.

Sol:-

① Suppose $d(x, z) = d(z, y)$, then we are through.

$$\text{w.l.o.g. } d(x, z) < d(y, z).$$

$$\circ d(x, y) \leq \max \{ d(x, z), d(y, z) \} = d(y, z)$$

$$\circ d(y, z) \leq \max \{ d(x, y), d(x, z) \} \\ = d(x, y) \quad (\because d(x, z) < d(y, z))$$

$$\therefore d(x, y) = d(y, z)$$

② Fix $b \in B(a, r)$. Let $x \in B(a, r)$.

$$d(b, x) \leq \max \{ d(a, b), d(a, x) \} < \max \{ r, r \} = r$$

$$\therefore x \in B(b, r) \Rightarrow B(a, r) \subseteq B(b, r)$$

$$\text{Let } x \in B(b, r). \text{ Then } d(a, x) \leq \max \{ d(a, b), d(b, x) \} < r$$

$$\therefore x \in B(a, r) \Rightarrow B(b, r) \subseteq B(a, r)$$

③ Claim: $B(a, r)$ is closed.

Let $x \notin B(a, r)$. Claim: $B(x, r) \cap B(a, r) = \emptyset$

suppose $y \in B(x, r) \cap B(a, r)$.

Then $B(x, r) = B(y, r) = B(a, r) \Rightarrow x \in B(a, r)$.

which is contradiction. $\therefore B(x, r) \cap B(a, r) = \emptyset$

$\Rightarrow x \in B(x, r) \subseteq B(a, r)^c \quad \therefore B(a, r)^c$ is open

Hence $B(a, r)$ is closed.

② Let A be a subgroup of \mathbb{R} under addition.
Then prove that A is discrete or A is dense in \mathbb{R} .

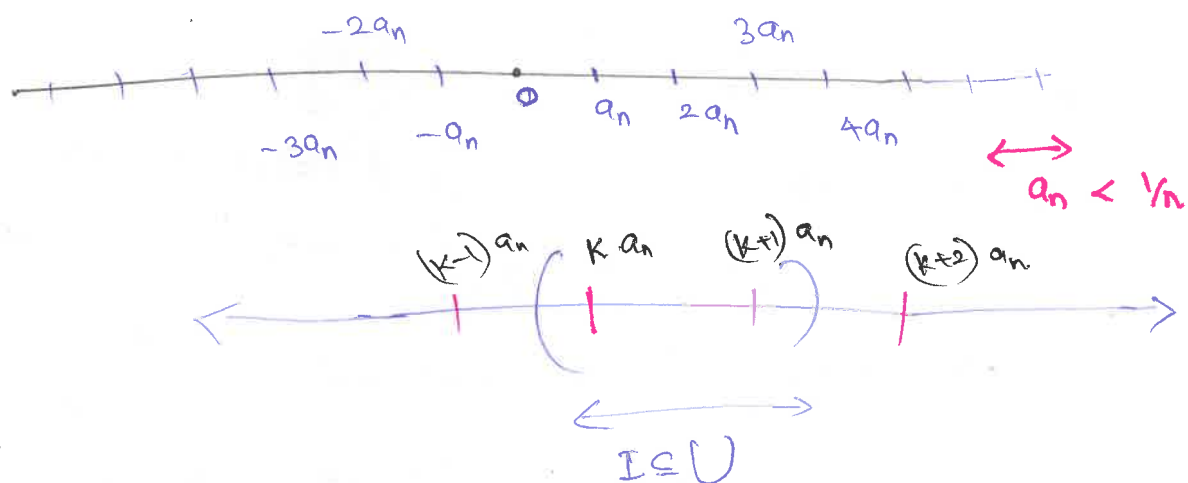
Sol:

Hint:

consider $b := \inf \{a > 0 : a \in A\}$

case-I

If $b = 0$ then $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$, we can choose $a_n \in A \cap (0, 1/n)$



Let U be a nonempty open set in \mathbb{R} .

$\Rightarrow U$ contains some interval $(I \subseteq U)$ with $l(I) > 0$.

choose $n \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t. $1/n < l(I)$.

Since $l(0, a_n) < 1/n < l(I)$, $\exists k \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t.

$$k \cdot a_n \in I \subseteq U. \quad \therefore k \cdot a_n \in A \cap U = \emptyset.$$

i.e.) A intersects every open set of \mathbb{R} .

Hence A is dense in \mathbb{R} i.e.) $\bar{A} = \mathbb{R}$.

case-II

$$b = \inf \{a > 0 : a \in A\} > 0.$$

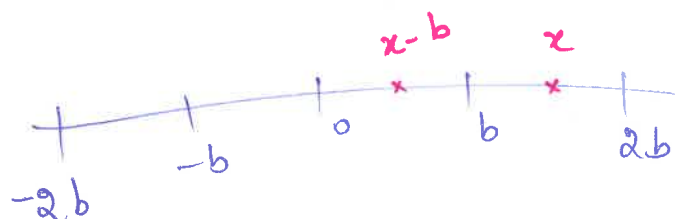
• $b \in A$ (why?)

• $b\mathbb{Z} \subseteq A$.

• on $(0, b)$, $(-b, 0)$, A has no element.

$$\text{i.e.) } A \cap (0, b) = \emptyset, \quad A \cap (-b, 0) = \emptyset.$$

$$\bullet \quad A \cap (-2b, -b) = \emptyset \quad \& \quad A \cap (b, 2b) = \emptyset.$$



$$\bullet \quad A \cap (-nb, -(n-1)b) = \emptyset \quad \& \quad A \cap ((n-1)b, nb) = \emptyset.$$

$$\forall n = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$\bullet \quad \boxed{A = b\mathbb{Z}} \quad \therefore A \text{ is discrete subgroup of } \mathbb{R}.$$

③ a) Give all continuous functions from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{R}_ℓ ,

b) Give all cts fns from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{Q} .

Soln:

Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_\ell$ be a constant map.
 $f = c$

$$f^{-1}(U) = \begin{cases} \emptyset & \text{if } c \notin U \\ \mathbb{R} & \text{if } c \in U \end{cases}$$

$\therefore f$ is continuous.

o Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_\ell$ is not constant map.

\Rightarrow choose $a_1 < a_2$ and $a_1, a_2 \in \text{Range}(f)$.

Take ~~such~~ $a \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $a_1 < a < a_2$

$(-\infty, a)$ & $[a, \infty)$ are open sets in \mathbb{R}_ℓ

$\Rightarrow U_1 = f^{-1}((-\infty, a))$ & $U_2 = f^{-1}([a, \infty))$ are

open sets in \mathbb{R} .

o $U_1, U_2 \neq \emptyset$

o $U_1 \cap U_2 = \emptyset$

Note that $U_1 \cup U_2 = \mathbb{R}$ (why?)

$\Rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is union of two non-empty disjoint open sets. which gives contradiction.

\therefore constants functions are only cts fns from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{R}_ℓ .

⑥ $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}$

$f(\mathbb{R}) = \text{connected}$ ($\because f$ is cts)

$\Rightarrow f(\mathbb{R})$ is singleton in \mathbb{Q} .

\therefore only constant fns are cts ^{maps} from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{Q} .

④ (i) Give a bijection between $(0,1)$ & $[0,1]$.

(ii) Give a continuous bijection b/w $(0,1)$ & $[0,1]$.

Sol:-

- $f: [0,1] \rightarrow (0,1)$ cmt non-cmt
 cts + bijective.

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- $f: (0,1) \rightarrow [0,1]$

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cts + bijective. w.l.o.g. $a < b$

$$\begin{aligned} a &\mapsto 0 \\ b &\mapsto 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$[a,b] \leftrightarrow [0,1]$$

(by Intermediate Value theorem)

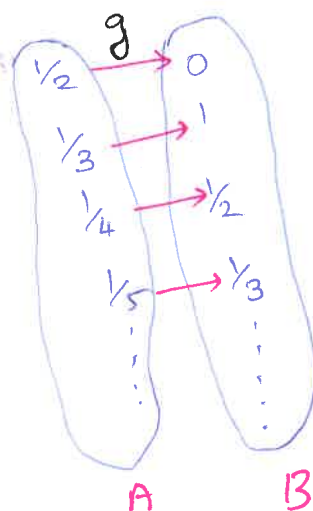
$\Rightarrow f: (0,1) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is not bijective.

- $A = \{1/2, 1/3, 1/4, 1/5, \dots\}$
 $B = \{0, 1/2, 1/3, 1/4, \dots\}$
 $C = (0,1) \setminus A = [0,1] \setminus B$

$$f: (0,1) \rightarrow [0,1]$$

$$f: A \cup C \rightarrow B \cup C.$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & , x \in C \\ g(x) & , x \in A \end{cases}$$



thus f is a bijective map b/w $(0,1)$ & $[0,1]$.

• $M_2(\mathbb{R}) = \left\{ A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} : a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \simeq \mathbb{R}^4$

$$GL_2(\mathbb{R}) = \{ A \in M_2(\mathbb{R}) : A \text{ is an invertible matrix} \}$$

$$SL_2(\mathbb{R}) = \{ A \in M_2(\mathbb{R}) : \det(A) = 1 \}$$

Qn: (i) Is $GL_2(\mathbb{R})$ open? Is it closed?

(ii) what about $SL_2(\mathbb{R})$?

soln

$$T: M_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$A \mapsto |A| = \det(A) = ad - bc$$

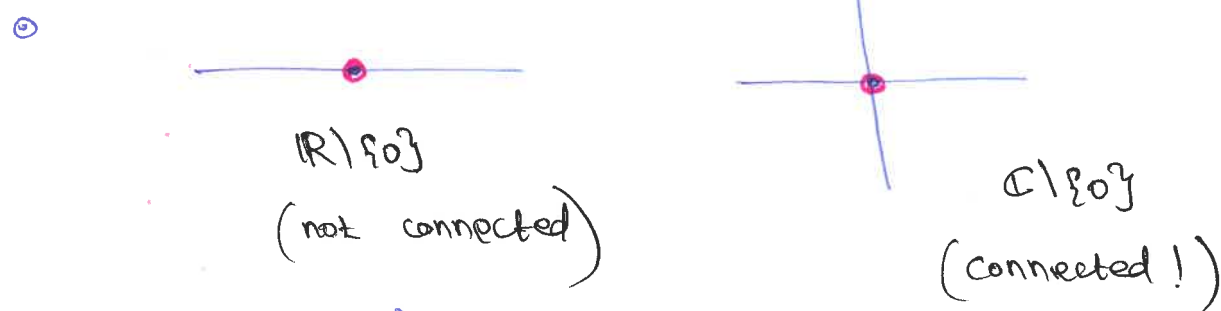
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- $T^{-1}(\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}) = GL_2(\mathbb{R}) = \text{open}$

- $T^{-1}\{0\} = \text{set of singular matrices} = \text{closed}$

- $T^{-1}\{1\} = SL_2(\mathbb{R}) = \text{closed.}$

- $GL_2(\mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow{T} \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\} = \text{not connected.}$
 $\hookrightarrow \text{not connected.}$



Note: $GL_2(\mathbb{C})$ is connected.

• As $\mathbb{R}^4 \approx M_2(\mathbb{R})$ is connected, there is no nontrivial proper set which is both open & closed.

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