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This is math 131AH – Honors Real Analysis I taught by Professor Greene, and our TA is Haiyu Huang. We meet weekly on MWF from 1:00pm – 2:00pm for lectures. There are two textbooks used for the class, *Principles of Mathematical Analysis* by *Rudin* and *Metric Spaces* by *Copson*. You can find other lecture notes at my github site, github.com/blackbox2718/LectureNotes. Please let me know through my email if you spot any mathematical errors/typos.

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§1.1 Introduction

<u>functions</u> $\to 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 \ldots$
functions defined on $\mathbb{Q}$ with value in $\mathbb{Q}$

$$f(x) = a_n x^n + a_{n-1}x^{n-1} + \ldots + a_0$$

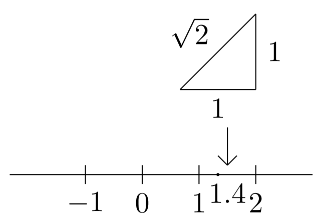
$a_i \in \mathbb{Q}$ $\;f(x) \in \mathbb{Q}$ if $x \in \mathbb{Q}$. Continuity makes sense.

$$x_0, x \quad x\text{close to } x_0 \implies f(x) \text{ close} f(x_0)$$

polynomials are continuous.
Somthing wrong: $\sqrt{2}$ is missing. What are these numbers that are not $\in \mathbb{Q}$? Choice:

1. Assume everything works and isolate what you need about "real numbers" (most of Rudin chap 1).

2. Construct the real numbers from rational numbers.



Classical argument:

$$x^2 \neq 2 \text{ if } x = \frac{p}{q} \in \mathbb{Q}$$

Proof. Suppose $\left(\frac{p}{q}\right)^2 = 2$
 <u>*Note*</u>: wolog(without loss of generality)
can take $\frac{p}{q} > 0$ $\;p > 0$ $q > 0$

$$\left(\frac{p}{q}\right)^2 = 2$$
$$\frac{p^2}{q^2} = 2$$
$$p^2 = 2q^2$$

Now also wolog, can assume p and q are not <u>both</u> even numbers. But $p^2 = 2q^2$ means p has to be even (p^2 odd if p is odd).

$$p = 2n$$
$$p^2 = 2q^2$$
$$4n^2 = 2q^2$$

So $q^2 = 2n^2$, q is even. But it contradicts the initial assumption, p and q not both even $\square$

Related to: Why functions $\mathbb{Q}$ to $\mathbb{Q}$ not ideal for analysis?
– INFINITE DECIMAL

§2 Lec 2: Oct 5, 2020

§2.1 Mathematical Induction and More on Real Numbers

$P(n) \to 1 + 2 + 3 + \ldots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$, where n is positive numbers.
Math induction: Proof by two steps:

1. Check $P(1)$ is true ✓
2. Assume $P(n)$ is true for all $n \le N$. Check that
$$P(N+1) \text{ is true}$$

Assume $1 + \ldots + N = \frac{N(N+1)}{2}$. Check

$$1 + \ldots + N + (N+1) = \frac{(N+1)(N+1+1)}{2}$$

Induction on k :

$$1^k + 2^k + \ldots + n^k$$

2nd illustration:

$$1 + r + r^2 + \ldots + r^n = \frac{1 - r^{n+1}}{1-r} \quad r \neq 1$$

$r = 1 \implies 1 + r = \frac{1-r^2}{1-r}$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 + r + r^2 + \ldots + r^n + r^{n+1} &= \frac{1 - r^{n+1}}{1-r} + r^{n+1} \\ &= \frac{1 - r^{n+1} + r^{n+1} - r^{n+2}}{1-r} \\ &= \frac{1 - r^{n+2}}{1-r} \end{aligned}$$

$$(1-r)(1 + r + \ldots + r^n) = 1 - r^{n+1} \qquad \text{Inspection}$$
$$1 + r + r^2 + \ldots + r^n = \frac{1 - r^{n+1}}{1-r}, \quad r \neq 1$$

$|r| < 1$ get inifite sum $\frac{1}{1-r}$

Example 2.1

Prime factors, prime = positive integers (> 1) with no factors except itself and 1, $p = ab$, $a > 1$, $b > 1$

$$2 \quad 3 \quad 5 \quad 7 \quad 11 \quad 13 \quad 17 \quad 19 \quad \ldots$$

Thin out as go along

Theorem 2.2 (Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic)

Every positive integer > 1 is a product of primes.

Proof. Induction: $P(n)$ $n = 2, 3, \ldots$

$$P(2) = 2\checkmark$$

Assume P(n) $\ldots n \leq N$ $(N > 2)$. Every integer greater than 1 but smaller than or equal to N as a product of primes. We try to prove: $N + 1$ is a product of primes.

1. $N + 1$ is prime: Done $N + 1 = N + 1$

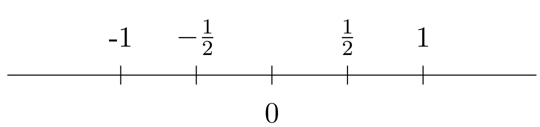
2. $N + 1$ is not a prime
$$N + 1 = a \cdot b \qquad a > 1 \;\; b > 1$$
Induction assumption ($a < N + 1$ since $b > 1$), a is a product of primes $a > 1 \implies b < N + 1$, b also a product of primes. So, $N + 1 = ab$ is a product of primes.

$N + 1 = ab$ is a product of prime. $\square$

Why does induction work? If $P(n)$ not always true, $P(n)$ look at smallest n where $P(n)$ is false.
$n = 1$ not there $P(1)$ is supposed true (checked already). N_0 smallest one where $P(N_0)$ false $N_0 > 1$. Induction step says that $P(n)$ is true for all $n \leq \underbrace{N_0 - 1}_{>0} \implies P(N_0)$ true ($\times$
).
Let's go back to real numbers.

Last time: talked about $\sqrt{2}$ is irrational but $\sqrt{2}$ exists, so we need to enlarge our number system: $\mathbb{Q}$ rational numbers.

$$\frac{p}{q} > \frac{r}{s} \qquad ps > rq \qquad (p, q, r, s > 0)$$



x, y rational $x, y > 0$, $x + y > 0$, $xy > 0$

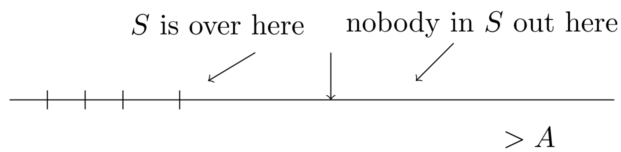
$x^2 = 2$ no answer in $\mathbb{Q}$. Enlarge number system, $\mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{R}$. What should $\mathbb{R}$ be like?

1. $\mathbb{R}$ ought ot have arithmetic like $\mathbb{Q}$

$$x + y \quad xy \quad \frac{x}{y} \quad 0 \quad 1$$

2. $\mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{R}$, arithmetic in $\mathbb{R}$ restricted to $\mathbb{Q}$, $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3}$ in $\mathbb{Q}$ ought to be $\frac{5}{6}$ in $\mathbb{R}$.
3. Order should positive in $\mathbb{Q} \implies$ in $\mathbb{R}$. $\mathbb{R}$ should have an order of its own too, $x \quad y$ positive then $x + y$ pos and xy pos.
4. want to fill in the holes in $\mathbb{Q}$. Want to have Least Upper Bound Property

   $S \subset \mathbb{R}$: An upper bound for S is a number A with property $A \geq x$ if $x \in S$



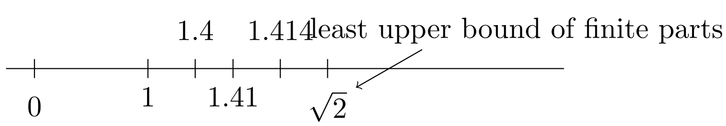
   $1, 2, 3, 4, \ldots$ have no upper bound.

   S is bounded above means that some upper bound A exists.

§2.2 Least Upper Bound Property

If S is bounded above ($S \neq \emptyset$) then it has a "least upper bound" where a number A_0 is called the least upper bound of S if A_0 is an upper bound for S & if A is an upper bound for S then $A_0 \leq A$.

Motivation: Think about $\sqrt{2}$



Denote: l.u.b(or supremum)(sequence) $= \sqrt{2}$
Means can define an infinite decimals: least upper bound of successive truncations

$$0.99999\ldots \to 1.0$$

§3 Lec 3: Oct 7, 2020

§3.1 Cauchy Sequence

$\{x_n\}\, x_1, x_2, x_3, \ldots$ values $x_j \in \mathbb{Q} \quad x_j \in \mathbb{R}$
$S \quad x_1, x_i \ldots x_j \in S$

Definition 3.1 (Sequence) — A sequence with values in a set S is a function from positive integers $\{1, 2, 3 \ldots\}$ into S.

Definition 3.2 (Cauchy Sequence) — A Cauchy sequence is ($\mathbb{Q}$ valued or $\mathbb{R}$ valued) $\{x_i\}$ is sequence s.t. for every $\epsilon > 0$ there is a positive integer N_ϵ s.t.

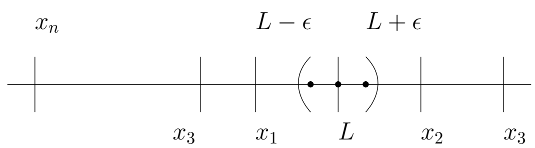
$$|x_i - x_j| < \epsilon \quad \text{if} \quad i, j > N_\epsilon$$

ϵ rational or real (same idea).

Lemma 3.3

If $\{x_j\}$ has a finite limit then it's a Cauchy sequence.

$\{x_i\}$ has L as a limit $\lim x_j = L$ means for every $\epsilon > 0$ then there is an N_ϵ such that $j \geq N_\epsilon, \quad |x_j - L| < \epsilon$

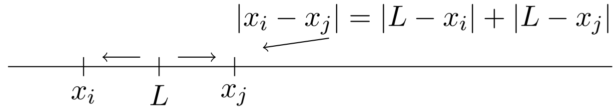


Everybody in $(L - \epsilon, L + \epsilon)$ except a finite number

Proof. Given $\epsilon > 0$, want to find N so that $i, j \geq N \implies |x_i - x_j| < \epsilon$
$|x_i - L|$ small, $|x_j - L|$ small and $\lim x_j = L$.

$$|x_i - x_j| \leq |x_i - L| + |x_j - L|$$

$$|x_i - x_j| = |L - x_i| + |L - x_j|$$



$i, j \geq N_{\frac{\epsilon}{2}}$:

$$|x_i - x_j| \leq \underbrace{|x_i - L|}_{<\frac{\epsilon}{2}} + \underbrace{|x_j - L|}_{<\frac{\epsilon}{2}}$$

Because $\lim x_n = L$, there is an $N_{\frac{\epsilon}{2}}$ s.t. $|L - x_n| < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ if $n \geq N_{\frac{\epsilon}{2}}$
Get $|x_i - x_j| < \frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2} = \epsilon$ if $i, j \geq N$. Cauchy sequence: there exists number N s.t.

$$|x_i - x_j| < \epsilon \quad \text{if} \quad i, j \geq N$$ □

Cauchy sequence $\implies$ the existence of limit? Yes, for $\mathbb{R}$ valued sequences but NO for $\mathbb{Q}$ valued things.

$$\underbrace{\{x_n\}}_{\text{rational numbers}} \quad \text{can be Cauchy seq without there being a rationl number } L \quad \text{such that } \lim x_j = L$$

But allow real L then $\exists L$ s.t. $\lim x_j = L$ if $\{x_j\}$ is Cauchy sequence(no rational limit – since $\sqrt{2}$ is irrational). Because $\mathbb{Q}$ has holes in it! (intuitive idea).

Example 3.4

$1, 1.4, 1.41, 1.414, 1.4142\ldots$ (decimal approx of $\sqrt{2}$) – Cauchy sequence. No – since $\sqrt{2}$ is irrational.

§3.2 Cauchy Completeness of $\mathbb{R}$

If $\{x_j\}, x_j \in \mathbb{R}$ is Cauchy sequence, then $\exists L \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t. $\lim x_j = L$.
"$\mathbb{Q}$ is not Cauchy complete" but $\mathbb{R}$ is. Why does this work?
Need: Least upper bound property. Assume L.U.B Property proof.

Proof. (Cauchy completeness from L.U.B Property)
Hypothesis: $\{x_i\}$ Cauchy seq

1. Prove that $\{x_i\}$ bounded $\Longleftarrow$ $\exists M > 0$ s.t. $|x_i| \leq M$ all i.

   Clear if take $\epsilon = 1$ in def. of Cauchy seq $\exists N$ s.t. $|x_i - x_j| < 1$ if $i, j \geq N \implies |x_N - x_j| < 1$ if $j \geq N \implies \quad |x_j| \leq |x_N| + 1 \quad j \geq N$

   So, $M = \max(|x_N| + 1, |x_1|, \ldots, |x_{N-1}|$ then $|x_j| \leq M$ all j !

   Next stage is to show that a bounded sequence always has a subsequence(tricky!) with a limit. Then if a Cauchy seq has a subseq with limit L, then L is limit of whole seq. (Bolzano – Weierstrass Theorem)

□

§4 Lec 4: Oct 9, 2020

§4.1 Bolzano – Weierstrass Theorem

– implied by Least Upper Bound Property

Theorem 4.1 (Bolzano – Weierstrass)

If $\{x_n\}$ sequence $(x_1, x_2, x_3 \ldots)$ that is bounded (means: $\exists M > 0 \ni |x_n| \leq M \forall\ n$), then $\exists L$ and a subsequence $\{x_{n_i}\}$ s.t. $\lim x_{n_i} = L$.

Slogan: Every bounded sequence has a convergent subsequence.

Example 4.2

$$1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, \ldots$$

The subsequence of the above sequence has either 1 or 2 as the limit.

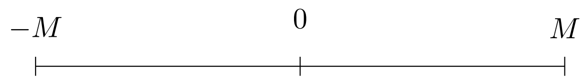
$$1, 1, 2, 1, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3, 4, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, \ldots$$

Unbounded sequence – subsequence (limit 1, limit 2, limit 3. . .)

No claim of uniquneness of anything.

Proof – Summer 2008 Analysis Lec 4

Proof. So either $[-M, 0]$ or $[0, M]$ (maybe both) contains x_n for infinitely many n values. If each contained x_n for only finitely many n values X.

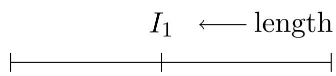


Every x_n is in $[-M, M]$ – $\{x_n\}$ is bounded

$$[-M, M] = [-M, 0] \cup [0, M]$$
$$I_1 = [-M, 0] \quad \text{or} \quad [0, M]$$

where chosen intervalhas x_n for infinitely many n values.
Do this again!

$$I_1 = [a_1, b_1] \qquad |b_1 - a_1| = M$$



left half of I_1, right half of I. Let $I_2 =$ one of halves that contains x_n for infinitely many n values.

$$I_2 = [a_2, b_2] \qquad a_2 < b_2, \quad b_2 - a_2 = \frac{M}{2}$$

Continue

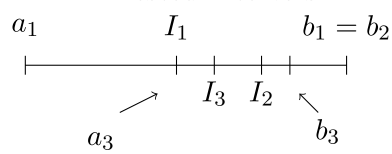
$$I_3 = [a_3, b_3] \qquad a_3 < b_3, \quad b_3 - a_3 = \frac{M}{4}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$I_k = [a_k, b_k] \qquad b_k - a_k = \frac{M}{2^{k-1}}$$

Each I_k contains x_n for infinitely many n values.

Nested Intervals



$$I_{k+1} \subset I_k \subset \ldots \subset I_1 \subset [-M, M]$$
$$a_{k+1} \geq a_k \ldots \qquad b_{k+1} \leq b_k \ldots$$

Claim $\bigcap_{k=1}^{\infty} I_k \neq \emptyset$

Reason: $\sup a_k \in \bigcap_{k=1}^{\infty} I_k$ where sup = sup of left hand endpoint(=greatest lower bound of bs). l.u.b of a's $\leq b_k$, b_k bigger than or $\geq$ all a's.

$$\alpha = \text{lub a's}$$
$$\alpha \geq a_k \quad \forall k$$
$$\alpha \leq b_k \quad \forall k$$
$$\alpha \in [a_k, b_k]$$

Goal: $\alpha \in \bigcap_{k=1}^{\infty}$. Find a subsequence of $\{x_n\}$ converges to α.

Choose $x_k = x_n$ that belongs to I_k. Can also arrange successively:

$$n_1 < n_2 < n_3 < n_4$$

$x_{n_1} \in I_1 \quad x_{n_2} \in I_2$ can make $n_2 > n_1$ because infinitely possible $x_n's$ in I_2 n value. Continue to get subsequence, $\{x_{n_k}\}$ subsequence. Claim:

$$\lim_{k\to\infty} x_{n_k} = \infty$$

Reason:

$$\text{dis}(x_{n_k}, \alpha) \le \text{length of } I_k \quad \alpha \in I_k, \quad x_{n_k} \in I_k$$

which is equivalent to

$$|x_{n_k} - \alpha| \le \frac{M}{2^{k-1}} \quad \text{given } \epsilon > 0$$

When k is large,

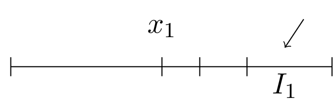
$$\frac{M}{2^{k-1}} < \epsilon$$

So $|x_{n_k} - \alpha| < \epsilon$ $\square$

This argument (or a variant) shows something else:
If $\{x_n\}$ sequence in $[0,1]$ then there's an $\alpha \in [0,1]$ with it never happening that

$$x_n = \alpha$$

"The real numbers in $[0,1]$ are uncountable." (come from the least upper bound property)



I_1 one of $[0, \frac{1}{3}]$ $[\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}]$ $[\frac{2}{3}, 1]$ such that $x_1 \notin I_1$,

$$[0, \frac{1}{3}] \cap [\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}] \cap [\frac{2}{3}, 1] = \emptyset$$

$x_1 \notin I_2 \quad I_2 \subset I_1, \quad \& x_1 \notin I_1$. Continue. Get

$$I_1 \supset I_2 \supset I_3 \supset \dots$$

length $I_k = \frac{1}{3^k}$ and I_k is such that $x_1, x_2, x_3 \dots x_k$ are none of the ?n? in I_k. Same as before

$$\exists \alpha \in \bigcap_{\infty}^{k=1} I_k$$

$\alpha =$ sup of set of left hand endpoints of I_k. Claim α cannot be an x_N value. Clear: $x_N \notin I_N$ but $\alpha \in I_n \qquad \alpha \in \bigcap_{\infty}^{n=1} I_n$. But contrast:

There is a list of rational numbers in $[0,1]$

$\frac{p}{q}$ $p < q$

	2	3	4	5	6	$\cdots$
1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{4}$			
2	-	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{2}{4}$			
3	-	-	$\frac{3}{4}$			
$\vdots$	-	-	$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \in [0,1] \to$ irrational - no exist			

$[0,1]$ not countable

Q is countable

§5 Lec 5: Oct 12, 2020

§5.1 Equivalence Relation

(p.10, Copson – Metric Space)
R set, relation of A and B $(A \times B)$ $\quad (a,b) \in R \quad aRb$
Functions: one b given a – exact one. $(A \to B)$

Example 5.1

$A = B = Q$

aRb or $(a,b) \in R$ if $a > b$

(mother,child)

- (Sara, Sebastian) $\in R$
- (Sara, Alita) $\in R$

Equivalence is a special kind of relation: (on a set $A; B \quad A = B$)

Properties:

1. $aRa \qquad A = Q$
2. $aRb \implies bRa$
3. $aRb \;\; \& \;\; bRc$ then aRc

   Example: $\mathbb{Z} \quad a \sim b$ means $a - b$ is divisible by 5

$$1 \sim 6 \quad 0 \sim 5 \ldots$$

$a \sim a \quad a - b$ div $\implies b - a$ div. by 5.

If $a - b$ div. by 5, and $b - c$ div by 5, then is $a - c$ div. by 5 true?

Sure, $a - b = 5k, \quad b - c = 5l \implies a - c = 5(k + l)$

"Equivalence classes": set $[a] = \{$ all b such that $aRb\}$

In the example above, $[a] = \{$ all b such that $a - b$ div. by 5$\}$

$$[2] = \{2, 7, -3, 12, -8, \dots\}$$

$\mathbb{Z}_5$: integer mod 5.

1. $[a]$ $[p]$ either equal or have nothing in common.
2. $a \in [a]$ so is in some equivalence class.

A equivalence relation $\sim$ on $A \leftrightarrow$ a partition of A into subsets which are pairwise disjoint.
Q Cauchy seq. of rational numbers

$$\{x_n\} \sim \{y_n\}$$

means $\lim_{n\to\infty} |x_n - y_n| = 0$. Equivalence relation:

1. $\{x_n\} \sim \{x_n\}$ $(\lim(x_n - x_n) = 0)$
2. $\{x_n\} \sim \{y_n\} \implies \{y_n\} \sim \{x_n\}$
3. $\{x_n\} \sim \{y_n\} \,\&\, \{y_n\} \sim \{z_n\} \implies \{x_n\} \sim \{z_n\}$

Idea: Define a real number to be a (Cauchy seq. of rationals) equivalence class.
Homework: want to check that arithmetic extends to "real numbers"

$$[\{x_n\}] + [\{z_n\}] = [\{x_n + z_n\}]$$

Check that

1. $\{x_n + z_n\}$ is a Cauchy seq.
2. Only depends on equivalence classes.

Want

$$\{x_n\} \sim \{y_n\} \qquad \{z_n\} \sim \{w_n\}$$

then $\{x_n + z_n\} \sim \{y_n + w_n\}$. So,

$$[\{x_n + z_n\}] = [\{y_n + w_n\}]$$

Example 5.2

$$[2] + [11] = [2 + 11] = [13]$$

So, $[2+1] \sim [13]([11] = [1])$. Arithmetic (addition) in $\mathbb{Z}_5$ thus makes sense. How about multiplication? $\frac{[1]}{[a]} \leftarrow$ exists $[a] \neq 0$.

$$\frac{[1]}{[2]} = [3] \qquad [2][3] = [6] = [1]$$

Thus, $\mathbb{Z}_5$ is a field.

$\frac{p}{q} \sim \frac{r}{s}$, $\quad q, s \neq 0$ means $ps = rq$ (when talking about fractions – associate it with equivalence relation). $Q =$ set of equivalences classes. $(\frac{p}{q})$: equivalence classes).
Last time, we proved that Cauchy seq. of real numbers have limits (lub property). Also, no sequence $\{x_n\}$ such that it hits all real numbers in $[0, 1]$ – this is important. Contrast with $Q \cap [0, 1]$, then there is a sequence that hits them all. Refer to the last figure in Lec 4 or math.ucla.edu/~greene – Summer 2008.

§6 Lec 6: Oct 14, 2020

Bolzano - Weierstrass:
Every bounded sequence has a convergent subsequence.
And we know about the Least Upper Bound Prop.

§6.1 Continuous Functions on Closed Interval

$f : S \to \mathbb{R}, \quad S \subset \mathbb{R}$

Example 6.1

$$S = [a, b]$$
$$S = \mathbb{R}$$

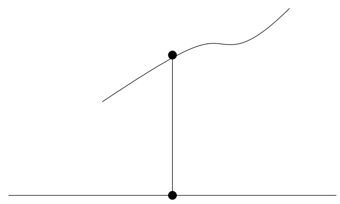
Definition 6.2 (Continuity) — $s_0 \in S, f$ is continuous at s_0 if given $\epsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0$ s.t.

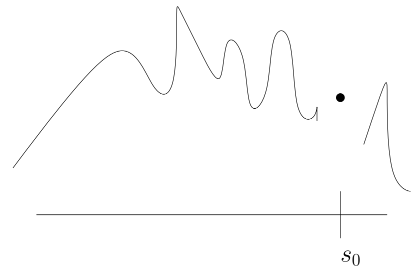
$$|s - s_0| < \delta_\epsilon \implies |f(s) - f(s_0)| < \epsilon$$

Three properties:

$$f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{R}$$
$$f \text{continuous}$$

1. f is bounded on $[a, b]$ means $\exists M$ s.t. for all $x \in [a, b], \quad |f(x)| \leq M$





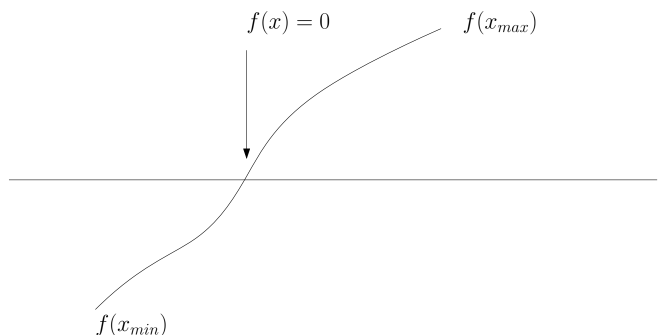
not continuous at s_0

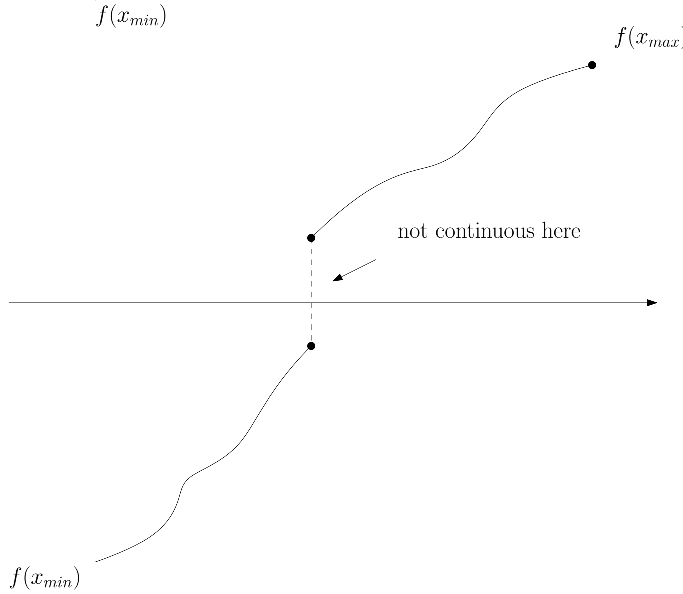
2. There exists $x_{\min}, x_{\max} \in [a,b]$ such that for all $x \in [a,b]$

$$f(x_{\min}) \le f(x) \le f(x_{\max})$$

   Slogan: f attains its maximum and minimum.

3. If $\alpha, f(x_{\min}) < \alpha < f(x_{\max})$, then $\exists x \in S = [a,b]$ s.t. $f(X) = \alpha$.
   "Intermediate Value Theorem" Need the least upper bound prop – "completeness of





   real numbers"

Exercise: def of continuity $\{s_n\}$ converges to $s_0 \iff$ if $s_n \to s_0, \quad s_n \in S, s_0 \in S$ then $\{f(s_n)\}$ converges to $f(s_0)$.

Example 6.3

For (3),

$$f(x) = x^2 - 2 \quad \text{on} \quad Q \cap [1, 2]$$

Then $f(1) = -1$, $f(2) = 2$, but no rational $x \in [1, 2]$ s.t. $f(x) = 0$.

Back to the properties:

1. f is bounded – Think about $|f| \leftarrow$ continuous if f is (exercise).

   $\exists M$ such $|f(x)| \leq M$ all $x \in [a, b]$. Suppose no such M exists.

   Try $M = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, \ldots$. So $\exists x_1 \quad |f(x_1)| > 1$

   $$|f(x_2)| > 2$$
   $$\vdots$$
   $$|f(x_n)| > n$$

   But Bolzano – Weierstrass: subsequence $\{x_{n_j}\}$ that converges to x_0 say $|f(x_0)| \leftarrow$

   finite number. So $\exists N \ni \quad |f(x_0)| \leq N$.

   Now for j large enough

   $$\left|f(x_{n_j}) - f(x_0)\right| < 1$$

   x_{n_j} converges to x_0

   $$\left|f(x_{n_j})\right| < |f(x_0)| + \left|f(x_{n_j} - f(x_0)\right|$$

   So j is large enough that

   $$\underbrace{\left|f(x_{n_j})\right|}_{\geq |n_j| = n_j} \leq N + \text{ something less than 1 } \leq N$$

2. Attains max and min

   Similar: $\{f(x) : x \in [a, b]\}$ bounded set, has sup where

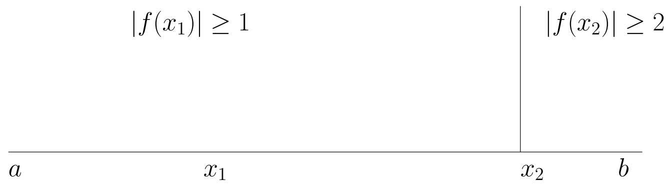
   $$\sup \{f(x) : x \in [a, b]\}$$

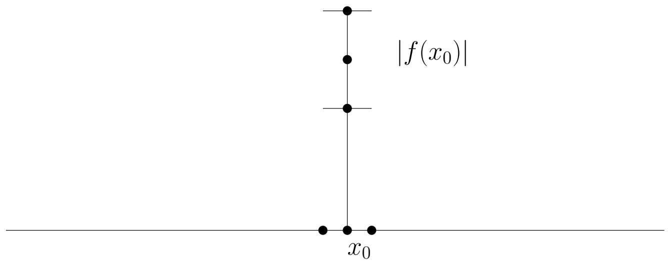
   either in the set of f-values (done if that's true), $\sup f = f(x_0)$.

   OR: $\sup f$ acutally not in the set $\{f(x) : x \in [a, b]\}$

   Now $\{x_{n_j}\}$ converges to $x_0 \in [a, b]$

   Claim 6.1. $f(x_0) = \sup \{f(x) : x \in [a, b]\}$

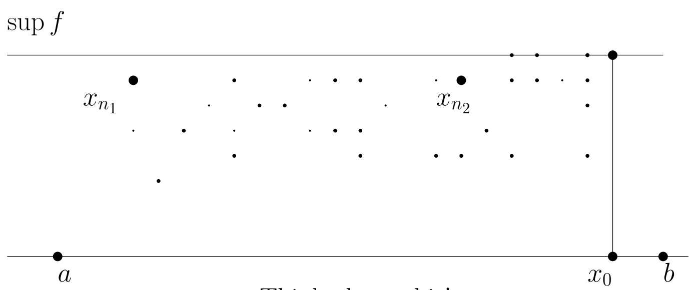




$$f(x_{n_j}) \leq \sup \{f(x) : x \in [a, b]\}$$

and $\lim f(x_{n_j}) = f(x_0) = f(\lim x_{n_j})$. So

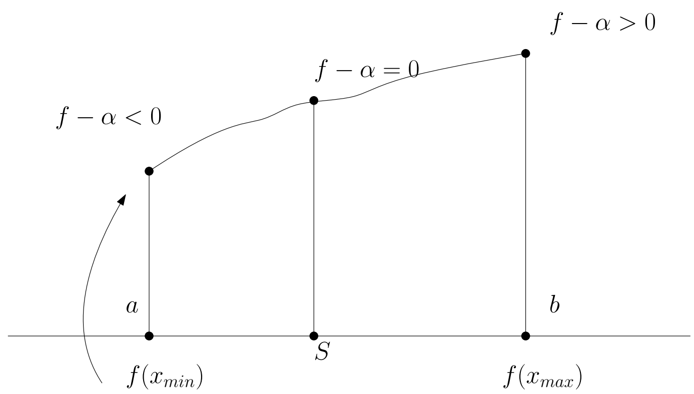
$$f(x_0) = \sup f$$



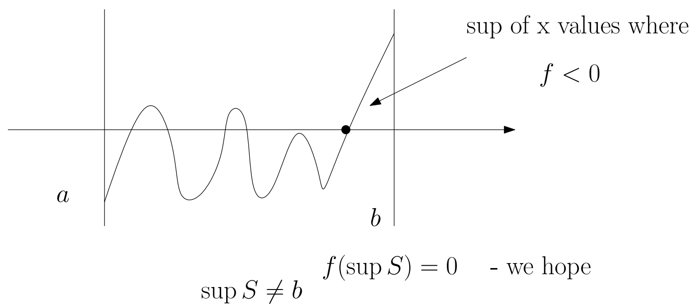
Think about this!

3. $\alpha \in [f(x_{\min}), f(x_{\max})]$ then x such that $f(x) = \alpha$.

   Proof. Wolog:
   $$f(a) < 0 \quad \text{and} \quad f(b) > 0$$
   then $\exists x \in [a, b]$ with $f(x) = 0$.

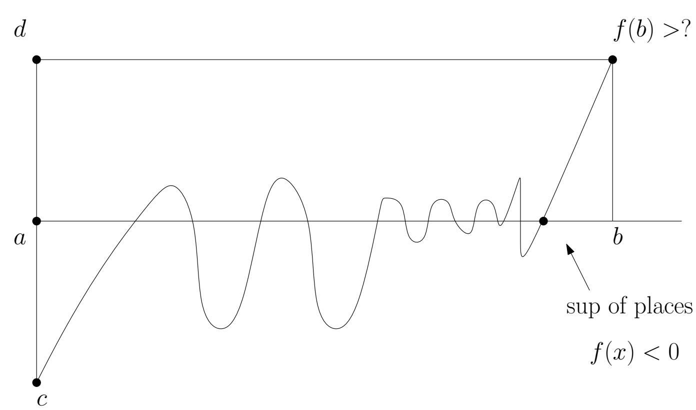


Use l.u.b: Look at $S: \{x : f(x) < 0\}$ and $S \neq \emptyset$ because $f(a) \in S$. Also, S is bounded above – $\exists$ l.u.b for S, $\sup S \in [a, b]$. Hope that $f(\sup S) = 0$.



$\sup S \neq b$ is clear because $f(b) > 0$ so $f(b - \epsilon) > 0$ for small ϵ.

So $\sup S = x_0, \quad a < x_0 < b$. What is $f(x_0)$? If it's negative, then there are slightly bigger $x \in [a_0, b] \ni f(x) < 0$ (continuity). In addition, x_0 cannot be a limit of x with $f(x) < 0$ – $x_0 =$ sup places where $f < 0$. $\square$



f continuous on $[a, b]$ if it is

1. bounded.
2. attains max and min.
3. attains every value between max value and min value.

$f([a, b]) = [c, d]$ where c is min of f and d is max of f.

§7 Lec 7: Oct 16, 2020

§7.1 Uniform Continuity

Definition 7.1 (Uniform Continuity) — $S \subset \mathbb{R}$, $f : S \to \mathbb{R}$. f is uniformly continuous on S if given $\epsilon > 0$ there is a $\delta > 0$ s.t. $|f(x) - f(y)| < \epsilon$ if $x, y \in S$ and $|x - y| < \delta_\epsilon$

Example 7.2

$f : S \to \mathbb{R}$, $S = \mathbb{R}$, $f(x) = x^2$. Continuous on $\mathbb{R}$ but it is not uniformly continuous on $\mathbb{R}$.

Continuity: Given fixed x, and $\epsilon > 0$ want δ so that

$$|x - y| < \delta \implies |f(x) - f(y)| < \epsilon$$

$|x^2 - y^2| = |x - y||x + y|$ and want it smaller than ϵ. Assume $\delta \le 1$.

$$\begin{gathered} |x + y| \le |x| + |y| \\ |y| < |x| + 1 \text{ if } |x - y| < \delta (\le 1) \end{gathered}$$

So, if $|x - y| < \delta(\le 1)$,

$$\begin{aligned} \left|x^2 - y^2\right| &= |x - y||x + y| \\ &\le |x - y|(2|x| + 1) \end{aligned}$$

Choose $\delta < \frac{\epsilon}{2|x|+1}$ (ok since x is fixed)

$$\begin{aligned} |x^2 - y^2| &< \frac{\epsilon}{2|x| + 1}(2|x| + 1) \\ &= \epsilon \text{ if } |x - y| < \min\left\{1, \frac{1}{2|x| + 1}\right\} \end{aligned}$$

Uniform continuity does not work on $\mathbb{R}$.

Claim 7.1. $\epsilon = 1 > 0$, there is no $\delta > 0$ s.t. $\left|x^2 - y^2\right| < 1 = \epsilon$ for all x, y with $|x - y| < \delta$.

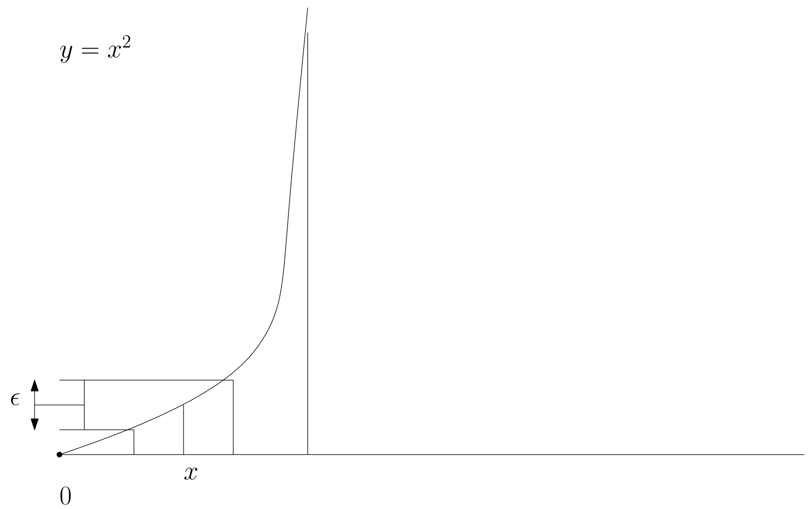
Why? Look at for $\delta > 0$, consider $y = \frac{1}{\delta} + \frac{\delta}{2}$, $\quad x = \frac{1}{\delta}$

$$|x - y| < \delta$$

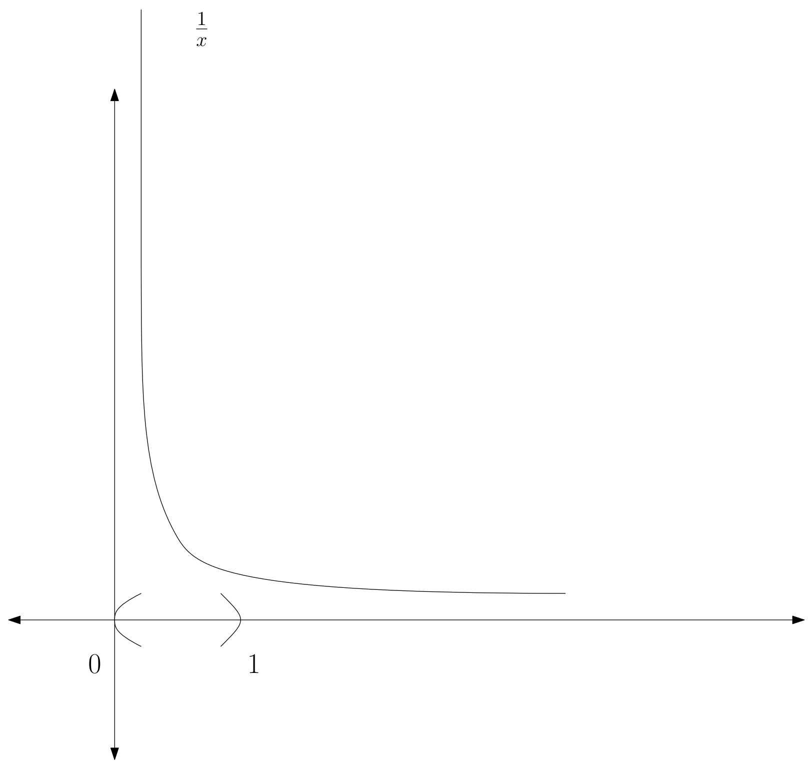
Also,

$$\begin{aligned} &\left|\left(\frac{1}{\delta} + \frac{\delta}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{\delta}\right)^2\right| \\ &= \left|\frac{1}{\delta^2} + 2\left(\frac{1}{\delta}\right)\left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{\delta^2}\right| \\ &= 1 + \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^2 > 1 \end{aligned}$$

which is a contradiction.



Exercise 7.1. $\frac{1}{x}$ on $(0, 1)$ is continuous but <u>not</u> uniformly continuous. Sugges plausibly f



continuous on $[a, b]$ then it's uniformly continuous on $[a, b]$ where a, b are finite.

> **Theorem 7.3** (Heine – Cantor (Uniformly Continuous))
> A continuous function f on a closed interval is uniformly continuous.

Proof. (By contradiction) Suppose not. Then $\epsilon > 0$ s.t. no δ "works". In particular, $\exists \epsilon > 0$

s.t. $\delta = 1$ fails, $\delta = \frac{1}{2}$ fails, etc. So $x, y \in [a, b]$ with $|f(x_1) - (fy_1)| \geq \epsilon$ but $|x_1 - y_1| < 1$. $x_n, y_n \in [a, b]$ with $|f(x_n) - f(y_n)| \geq \epsilon$ but $|x_n - y_n| < \frac{1}{n}$. Hope this is impossible. Bolzano - Weierstrass $\implies$ $\{n_j\}$ s.t. $\left\{x_{n_j}\right\}$ has a limit

$$x_0 = \lim, \qquad x_0 \in [a, b]$$

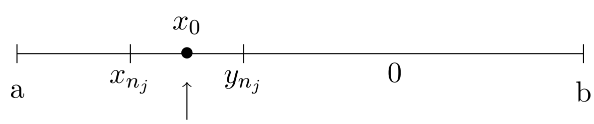
Now, claim $\left\{y_{n_j}\right\}$ also has limit x_0.

$$\left|x_{n_j} - y_{n_j}\right| < \frac{1}{n_j}$$

small when n_j large (j large).

$$\begin{aligned} \lim x_{n_j} &= x_0 \\ \lim y_{n_j} &= x_0 \\ \lim f(x_{n_j}) &= f(x_0) \\ \lim f(y_{n_j}) &= f(x_0) \end{aligned}$$

So, $\lim f(x_{n_j}) - f(y_{n_j}) = 0$, but it contradicts $\left|f(x_{n_j} - f(y_{n_j}) \geq \epsilon\right|$ for all j. $\square$



$$f(x_0) \leq \left|f(x_{n_j}) - f(x_0)\right| + \left|f(x_0) - f(y_{n_j})\right| \to 0$$

Ideas of continuity and uniform continuity and Bolzano - Weierstrass Theorem – all have reasons in metric spaces.

§8 Lec 8: Oct 19, 2020

§8.1 Convergence of Series

Series is "formal sum", an infinite sum

$$a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + \ldots = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$$

A series $\iff$ sequence $a_1, a_2, a_3, \ldots$ add together. Associated to $a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + a_4 \ldots$ is a sequence of partial sum

$$S_N = \sum_{n=1}^{N} a_n, \qquad N = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, \ldots$$

number valued sequence.

Definition 8.1 (Convergence of Series) — Series converges if sequence associated $\{S_N\}$ converges (has a limit).

Lots of things are defined by series such as ($x \in \mathbb{R}$),

$$e^x = \lim_{N\to\infty}\left(1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \ldots + \frac{x^N}{N!}\right)$$

Given series $a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + \ldots$, when does it converge?

$$1 - 2 + 3 - 4 + 5 - 6 + 7 \ldots$$
$$S_1 = 1, \quad S_2 = -1, \quad S_3 = 2 \ldots$$

<u>NO LIMIT!</u> Series do not necessarily have to converge then it's okay to write

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = \lim_{N\to\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{N} a_n$$

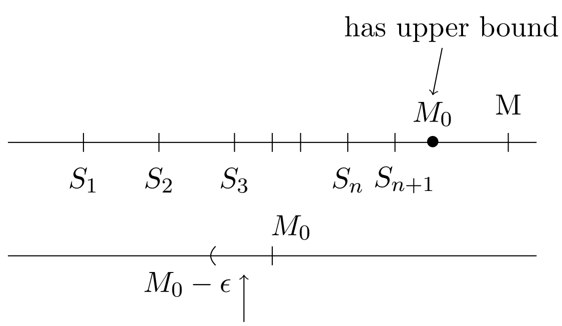
First thing to look at – Case where $a_j \geq 0$

$$S_N \leq S_{N+1}, \quad N = 1, 2, 3, \ldots$$

$S_{N+1} = S_N + a_{N+1}$ so $a_{N+1} \geq 0$ means $S_{N+1} \geq S_N$. Two cases:
Case 1: $\{S_n\}$ not bounded above.

$\lim S_N$ does not exist $\to$ Series diverges (sequences with limits are always bounded above and below).
Case 2: $\{S_n\}$ bounded above.

$\lim_{n\to\infty} S_n$ always exists. Namely, it is the least upper bound of set of values of S_n.



There is an S_{n_0} in this interval $(M_0 - \epsilon, M_0]$, M_0 is lub

From that n_0 on,

$$S_n \geq S_{n_0}, \quad S_n \leq M$$

S_n satisfies $|S_n - M_0| < \epsilon$ if $n \geq n_0$. So $\lim S_n = M_0$. This implies that S_n is a Cauchy sequence (it has a limit). Given $\epsilon > 0, \exists N_\epsilon$ s.t. $\left|\underbrace{\sum_1^{n_1} a_n}_{S_{n_1}} - \underbrace{\sum_1^{n_2} a_n}_{S_{n_2}}\right| < \epsilon$ if $n_1, n_2 \geq N_\epsilon$.

Suppose $n_1 > n_2 \geq N_\epsilon$

$$\sum_1^{n_1} a_n - \sum_1^{n_2} a_n = \sum_{n_2+1}^{n_1} a_n$$

Note: $S_7 - S_5 = a_6 + a_7$ which explains the above expression.

$$1 - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} - \frac{1}{6^2} \dots$$

converges, but so does the following series

$$\frac{\pi^2}{6} = 1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{4^2} + \dots < 2$$

This works for arbitrary choices of $+$ or $-$.

Theorem 8.2 (Basic)
If $|b_1| + |b_2| + |b_3| + \dots$ converges, then

$$b_1 + b_2 + b_3 + \dots \quad \text{converges}$$

"Absolute convergence" $\implies$ convergence (but not necessarily the same limit).

Proof. Assume $\underbrace{\{S_n^A\}}_{A \text{ for absolute}}$ for absoluted series has limit. So

$$\sum_1^\infty |b_n| \quad \text{converges}$$

$\implies \{S_n^A\}$ Cauchy sequence.
We hope it $\implies \{S_n\} = \left\{\sum_{j=1}^n b_j\right\}$ is a Cauchy sequence.

$$S_{n_1}^A - S_{n_2}^A = |b_{n_2+1}| + |b_{n_2+2}| + \dots + |b_n|$$

But

$$|b_{n_2+1} + \dots + b_n| \le |b_{n_2+1}| + \dots + |b_n| (= S_{n_1}^A - S_{n_2}^A)$$

So,

$$|S_{n_1} - S_{n_2}| \le S_{n_1}^A - S_{n_2}^A < \epsilon \quad \text{for } n_1, n_2 \ge N_\epsilon$$

Then $|S_{n_1} - S_{n_2}| < \epsilon$ for $n_1, n_2 \ge N_\epsilon$. ☐

This is IMPORTANT – Better understand it thoroughly.

Corollary 8.3 (Root Test)
$|b_n| \le Cr^n, 0 < r < 1$, C, r fixed, then $\sum b_n$ converges.

Reason: $\sum_{n=0}^\infty Cr^n = C\frac{1}{1-r}$ (geometric series).

Exercise 8.1. $\sum_{n=0}^N Cr^n = C\frac{r^{N+1}-1}{r-1}, 0 < r < 1$ has limit $\frac{C}{1-r}$. Prove by induction.

<u>Detail</u>: Hypothesis:

$$|b_n| \le Cr^n$$
$$\sum_1^\infty |b_n| \le \sum_1^\infty Cr^n < \infty$$
$$\sum_b^N |b_n| \le \sum_0^N Cr^n \le M < \infty$$

So $\sum_0^N |b_n|$ converges and bounded by Cr, and $b_1 + b_2 + \dots$ converges absolutely.

§9 Dis 1: Oct 1, 2020

Notation:

$$\mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$
$$\mathbb{Z} = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots\}$$
$$\mathbb{Q} = \left\{\frac{p}{q} | p, q \in \mathbb{Z}, q \ne 0\right\}$$
$$\mathbb{R} = \text{real numbers}$$
$$\mathbb{C} = \{a + bi, \quad a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

Set theory:

- $A \subset B$ (or $A \subseteq B$) means $x \in A \implies x \in B$
- $x \in A \cap B$ means $x \in A$ and $x \in B$
- $x \in A \cup B$ means $x \in A$ or $x \in B$
- $x \in A \setminus B \iff x \in A$ and $x \notin B$
- $A = B \iff A \subset B$ and $B \subset A$

§9.1 Induction

Given a sequence of mathematical statement $P(n)$ indexed by $\mathbb{N}$. If $P(1)$ is true and $P(k) \implies P(k+1)$ is true $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}$, then $P(n)$ is true $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Example 9.1

Prove $\sum_{k=1}^n (2k-1) = n^2$ (*) using induction.
Base case $n = 1 : 1 = 1^2$ ✓
Induction step: assume as induction hypothesis that (*) holds

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{k=1}^{n+1} (2k-1) &= \sum_{k=1}^{n} (2k-1) + 2(n+1) - 1 \\ &= n^2 + 2n + 1 \\ &= (n+1)^2\end{aligned}$$

Or we can prove it the following way

$$\begin{aligned} S &= 1+3+5+\ldots+(2n-1) \\ S &= (2n-1)+(2n-3)+\ldots+3+1 \\ 2S &= 2n \cdot n \\ S &= n^2 \end{aligned}$$

Example 9.2

$a_{n+1} = \sqrt{2+a_n}, \quad a_1 = 1$. Prove $a_n > 0$ and a_n increasing.
$a_1 > 0$ assume $a_n > 0$, $a_{n+1} = \sqrt{2+a_n} > 0$

$$a_2 = \sqrt{3} \approx 1.732 > 1 = a_1$$

Assume $a_n \le a_{n+1}$, want to show $a_{n+1} \le a_{n+2} \impliedby \sqrt{a_n+2} \le \sqrt{a_{n+1}+2} \impliedby a_n \le a_{n+1}$

Example 9.3

$(1+x)^n \ge 1+nx$: Bernoulli Inequality
$x \ge -1, \quad n \ge 0$
base case $1 \ge 1$
Assume $(1+x)^n \ge 1+nx$

$$\begin{aligned} (1+x)^{n+1} = (1+x)^n(1+x) \ge (1+nx)(1+x) &= 1+(n+1)x+nx^2 \\ &= 1+(n+1)x \end{aligned}$$

Strong Induction:
If $P(1)$ true and $P(1), P(2), \ldots P(k) \implies P(k+1)$ true $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}$ then $P(n)$ holds for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$

Remark 9.4. Induction $\iff$ strong induction

Example 9.5

Every integer greater than 1 is a product of primes.
Assume $2, 3, \ldots, n$ is a product of primes. n+1 is either a prime or a composite, in which case $n+1 = ab, \quad 1 < a, b < n+1$.
By strong induction hypothesis, both a and b are product of primes, hence so is $n+1 = ab$.

Exercise 9.1. Every integer greater than 1 has a prime divisior.

Proof of infinitude of primes by Euclid:

Proof. Assume on the contrary there are finitely many primes $\{p_1, p_2, \ldots, p_k\}$. Define $N = p_1 \ldots p_k + 1 > 1$ and (by above exercise) let p be a prime divisior of N but $p \ne p_j$ for any $1 \le j \le k$ otherwise if $p = p_j$ then $p|p_2 \dots p_k$ also $p|N \implies p|N - p_1 \dots p_k \implies p|1$,a contradiction. (no primes divide 1) $\square$

§10 Dis 2: Oct 8, 2020

§10.1 Number System

- $(\mathbb{N}, +, \cdot, <)$: $+ : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} = \mathbb{N}^2 \to \mathbb{N}$ satisfies commutativity and associativity. Note that 0 is the identity with respect to addition, but $\mathbb{N}$ has no additive inverse.

- $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot, <)$: $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$ is a commutative group (associativity, identity, inverse). $(\mathbb{Z}, \cdot)$ satisfies commutativity, associativity with 1 as mult identity but 2 has no mult inverse.

- $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot, <)$: $(\mathbb{Q}, +)$ and $(\mathbb{Q}, \cdot)$ are commutative group(i). $+$ and $\cdot$ are compatible with distributive law: $a(b + c) = ab + ac$ (ii). Both (i) and (ii) mean $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot)$ is a FIELD. $(Q, <)$ is an ordered set with $<$ satisfying trichotomy and transitivity. $+, \cdot$ are compatible : $y < z \implies x + y < x + z \forall x$, $x > 0, y > 0 \implies xy > 0$. With the above compatibility, $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot, <)$ is an ordered field. Even though $\mathbb{Q}$ is additivity adn multiplicatively complete, $\mathbb{Q}$ is not satisfying in that

  1. $\mathbb{Q}$ is not algebraically closed, $x^2 - 2$ is a polynomial with no root in $\mathbb{Q}$.
  2. $\mathbb{Q}$ is not complete in a metric space: there exists subsets of $\mathbb{Q}$ bounded above but with no least upper bound (supremum), e.g. $A := \left\{p \in \mathbb{Q} : p < 0 \text{ or } p^2 < 2\right\}$ and $B = \mathbb{Q} \setminus A$. A contains no largest number and B contains no smallest.

     $$\forall p \in A \exists q \in A \quad q > p$$

     Let $p \in A$. Define $q := p - \frac{p^2-2}{p+2} > p$

     $$q^2 - 2 = \left(\frac{2p + 2}{p + 2}\right)^2 - 2 = \frac{2(p^2 - 2)}{(p + 2)^2} < 0 \implies q^2 < 2$$

     If A has an upper bound α, $\alpha \notin A$: then $\alpha \in B$. It follows that B is the set of all upper bounds for A. Since B contains no smallest number, A has no least upper bound in $\mathbb{Q}$.

Definition 10.1 (Least Upper Bound Property) — S has the least-upper-bound property if $\forall E \subset S$ nonempty, bounded above $\sup E \in S$.

Remark 10.2. $\mathbb{Q}$ does not satisfy the least-upper-bound property.

$(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot, <)$ there exists an ordered field with the l.u.b property that contains an isomorphic copy of $\mathbb{Q}$.

§10.2 Equivalence Relation

An equivalence relation given $\sim$ on $A \times A$ satisfies

- $x \sim x$ reflexity
- $x \sim y \iff y \sim x$ symmetry
- $x \sim y \cdot y \sim z \implies x \sim z$ transitivy

Example 10.3

$\mathbb{Q}$ Define $\sim$ on $\{(a,b) : a, b \in \mathbb{Z}, b \neq 0\}$ by $(a,b) \sim (c,d)$ if $ad = bc$

$$A = \mathbb{Z}^2 \setminus \{(a,0) : a \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{Q} = & \text{ the set of all equivalence classes of A write } \sim \\ & = A/\sim = \{[x] : x \in A\}\end{aligned}$$

In this construction, $\quad \mathbb{Z} \to \mathbb{Q}, \quad n \to [(n,1)]$
$+ \setminus \cdot : \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q} \to \mathbb{Q}$: note that $+$ and $\cdot$ need to be well-defined on $\mathbb{Q}^2$. (need to show $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{a'}{b'} + \frac{c'}{d'}$ if $\frac{a}{b} \sim \frac{a'}{b'}$ and $\frac{c}{d} \sim \frac{c'}{d'}$.

Example 10.4

$S' = [0,1]/0_m$

Definition 10.5 (Convergent Sequences) — $\{a_n\}_{n \geq 1} \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ is said to be convergent to l if $\forall \epsilon > 0 \quad \exists N(\epsilon) > 0$ s.t. $\forall n \geq N, \quad |a_n - l| < \epsilon$

§11 Dis 3: Oct 13, 2020

§11.1 Equivalence Relation (Cont'd)

Example 11.1

Define $\sim p$ on $\mathbb{Z}$ by $a \sim pb$ if $a - b \in p\mathbb{Z}(p|a-b)$.
$\forall a \exists! b \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad 0 \leq r < p$ s.t. $a = bp + r$.

$$F_p = \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z} = \mathbb{Z}/\sim p = \{[0]_p, [1]_p, [2]_p, \ldots, [p-1]_p\}$$

$[a]_p + [b]_p = [a+b]_p \quad \& \quad [a]_p[b]_p = [ab]_p$

Remark 11.2. $(F_p, +, \cdot)$ is a finite field. F_p cannot be ordered: $1 > 0, 1+1 > 0, \ldots, p-1 > 0$ but $p - 1 = -1$

Example 11.3

$T = \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z} \quad a \sim b$ if $ab \in \mathbb{Z}$

$[0,1]/0 \sim 1$

$\forall a \in \mathbb{R}, \quad \exists b = \underbrace{\{a\}}_{\text{fractional part of } a} \in [0,1)$ s.t. $a \sim b$

§11.2 Construction of $\mathbb{R}$ via Cauchy Sequences(Cantor)

$S =$ set of rational Cauchy sequences.
$\sim$ on $S : \{x_n\} - \{y_n\}$ if $\lim(x_n - y_n) = 0$ (Q3 – Homework 2)
$Q = S/\sim = \{[\{x_n\}] : \{x_n\} \in S\}$. First we need to define arithmetic on Q.

$$[\{p_n\}] + [\{q_n\}] = [\{p_n + q_n\}]$$
$$[\{p_n\}] - [\{q_n\}] = [\{p_n - q_n\}]$$
$$[\{p_n\}] \cdot [\{q_n\}] = [\{p_n q_n\}]$$
$$[\{p_n\}] \,/\, [\{p_n/q_n\}] = [\{p_n/q_n\}]\,, \quad [\{q_n\}] \neq 0, = [\{0,0,0,\ldots\}]$$

$+ : Q \times Q \to Q$. Check well-defined

- $\{x_n\} \cdot \{y_n\}$ cauchy then so is $\{x_n + y_n\}$(Q4)
- $\{x_n\} \sim \{y_n\} \quad \& \quad \{z_n\} \sim \{w_n\}$ then $\{x_n + z_n\} \sim \{y_n + w_n\}$ (Q5)
  Commutativity, assoc, identity, $(0 = [\{0,0,0,\ldots\}]$, inverse.
- Well-defined: $\{x_n\}, \{y_n\}$ so is $\{x_n y_n\}$ (Q4).
- $\{x_n\} \sim \{y_n\}$ & $\{z_n\} \sim \{w_n\}$ (Q6, Q7)
  comm, assoc, iden, $(1 = [\{1,1,\ldots,1\}]$
  mult. inverse (Q9,Q10).
  $<$: trichotomy (Q11), transitivity
  various compatibility (distributivity, etc)
  l.u.b property (Q12)

Note:All the Q used above is assumed to be Q^{hat}

Remark 11.4.

$$Q \to Q^{\text{hat}}$$
$$q \mapsto [q^*]$$
$$p < q \iff [p^*] < [q^*]$$

Sequences:

- Cauchy seq. are bounded.
- Convergent seq. is Cauchy.
  Theorem: in $\mathbb{R}$, every Cauchy seq. is convergent.

Example 11.5

$a_n = \frac{1}{n}$

$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N$ s.t. $\epsilon N > 1$.

$\forall n \geq N \quad \left|\frac{1}{n} - 0\right| = \frac{1}{n} \leq \frac{1}{N} < \epsilon$. □

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§12.1 Least Upper Bound and Its Applications

Remark 12.1 (ϵ – Principle). $a, b \in \mathbb{R}, \forall \epsilon > 0,\ a \leq b + \epsilon \implies a \leq b$.

- $x, y \in \mathbb{R} \quad \forall \epsilon > 0,\ |x - y| \leq \epsilon \implies x = y$.

Supremum: $E \subset S$ bounded above. Suppose $\sup E \in S$

- $e \leq \sup E \forall e \in E$.
- $\forall \beta < \sup E, \quad \exists e \in E$ s.t. $\beta < e < \sup E$
  OR
  $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists e \in E$ s.t. $\sup E - \epsilon < e \leq \sup E$.

Example 12.2

$\sup \left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n \geq 1} = 1, \quad \inf \left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\} = 0$.

- $0 \leq \frac{1}{n} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$.
- $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t. $0 \leq \frac{1}{n} < \epsilon$ by Archimedean Prop.

Theorem 12.3 (Nested Interval)

$\{I_n = [a_n, b_n]\}_{n \geq 1} \subset \mathbb{R},\ I_n \supset I_{n+1} \implies \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} I_n \neq \emptyset$. Moreover, if $|I_n| \to 0$, then $\bigcap I_n$ is a singleton (a set with exactly one element).

Proof. $\sup a_n \in \bigcap I_n$. □

Theorem 12.4 ((4.1))

(Bolzano – Weierstrass): Every bounded sequence in $\mathbb{R}$ has a convergent subsequence.

Proof. $I_0 = [-M, M] \supset I_1 \supset I_2 \supset \ldots$.

$$|I_n| = (2M) \cdot 2^{-n} \to 0 \quad \text{as } n \to \infty$$

From Nested Interval Thm, $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} I_n = \{x\}$. Choose $x_{n_k} \in I_k, x_{n_k} \to x$. □

Remark 12.5. l.u.b property of $\mathbb{R} \implies$ Nested Interval $\implies$ Bolzano – Weierstrass $\overset{(*)}{\implies}$ Cauchy Completeness.

(*) Exercise: $\{x_n\}$ Cauchy. $x_{n_k} \to x \implies x_n \to x$.

Remark 12.6. In $\mathbb{R}$, to check convergence, it suffices to check Cauchyness. Useful especially when you don't have a candidate for the limit. Cauchy criterion for TBA: $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges $(\lim_{n\to\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{n} a_k)$ exists. $\iff \sum a_n$ Cauchy $(\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \, |\sum_{k=n}^{m} a_k| < \epsilon \quad \forall m \geq n \geq N)$.

Corollary 12.7

Absolute convergence $\implies$ convergence. $(\sum |a_n|$ converges $\implies \sum a_n$ converges).

Monotone convergence theorem, $\{a_n\}$ monotone. Then $\{a_n\}$ bounded $\iff \{a_n\}$ convergent. (HW 3 – Q1).

Definition 12.8 (Monotone) — $\{a_n\}$ monotone if $a_n \leq a_{n+1} \forall n$ or $a_n \geq a_{n+1} \forall n$.

Corollary 12.9

$\sum |a_n| < \infty \iff \sum |a_n|$ converges.

§12.2 Continuity

Definition 12.10 ((6.2)) — $f : X \to \mathbb{R}$ is continuous at x (local prop) if

1. $(\epsilon - \delta$ def) $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta(\epsilon, x) > 0$ s.t. $\forall y \in X$, $|x + y| < \delta \implies |f(x) - f(y)| < \epsilon$.
2. (Sequential def) $\forall \{x_n\} \subset X, x_n \to x \implies f(x_n) - f(x)$ (f preserves sequential convergence).

$f : X \to \mathbb{R}$ is continuous if f is continuous at all $x \in X$.

Definition 12.11 ((7.1)) — f is uniformly continuous on X (global prop) if

1. $(\epsilon - \delta)$ $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta(\epsilon) > 0$ s.t. $\forall x, y \in X$ $|x - y| < \delta \implies |f(x) - f(y)| < \epsilon$.
2. (Sequential) $\forall \{x_n\} \subset X$, $\{x_n\}_{n\geq 1}$ Cauchy $\implies \{f(x_n)\}_{n\geq 1}$ Cauchy. (f preserves Cauchy seq).

Remark 12.12. Uniform continuity $\implies$ continuity.

Example 12.13

$f : (0, \infty) \to \mathbb{R}$, $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ is continuous.

$$\left|\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y}\right| = \frac{|x-y|}{xy} < \frac{|x-y|}{x \cdot \frac{x}{2}} = |x-y| \cdot 2x^{-2} < \epsilon$$

$\delta = \min\left\{\frac{x}{2}, \frac{\epsilon x^2}{2}\right\}$.