

# Assignment 1

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## Question 1

i.  $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} | x = \sqrt{2} + k, k \in \mathbb{N}\}$

ii. **Proof:** For any arbitrary  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , we define  $S_k := (\sqrt{2} + k, \sqrt{2} + k + 1)$ .

According to the definition,  $S_k \subset \mathbb{R} \setminus S$ . For arbitrary  $x \in S_k$ , let  $\delta = \min\{x - \sqrt{2} - k, \sqrt{2} + k + 1 - x\}$ ,  $\exists B(x, \delta)$  is an open ball, thus  $S_k$  is an open set. Then the complement of  $S$  in  $\mathbb{R}$   $\bar{S} = \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} S_k$  is an open set. Therefore,  $S$  is a closed set.

iii. **Proof:** Since  $\mathbb{N}$  is unbounded (according to the Archimedes character),  $S$  is an unbounded set.

iv.  $B((0, 0, 4), 1)$

v. **Proof:** Obviously it is an open set since it is an open ball.

vi. **Proof:**  $\forall \vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2 \in B(0, 0, 4), d(\vec{x}_i, (0, 0, 4)) < 1$ . Therefore, according to triangular inequality,  $d(\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2) \leq d(\vec{x}_1, (0, 0, 4)) + d(\vec{x}_2, (0, 0, 4)) < 2$ . Thus, this open ball is bounded.

vii.  $\text{diam}(B) = 2$ .

**Proof:** For arbitrary points  $\vec{p}, \vec{q} \in B(\vec{x}, 1), d(\vec{x}, \vec{p}) < 1, d(\vec{x}, \vec{q}) < 1$ , thus  $d(\vec{p}, \vec{q}) < 2$

according to the triangular inequality. Now consider two point sequences:

$$A_k = \{(0, 0, 3 + \frac{1}{2^k}) | k \in \mathbb{N}\}, B_k = \{(0, 0, 5 - \frac{1}{2^k}) | k \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

Obviously  $A_k, B_k \subset B(\vec{x}, 1)$ . Then we can tell

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} d(A_k, B_k) = 2$$

Which means  $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists N > 0$ , when  $k > N, d(A_k, B_k) > 2 - \varepsilon$ . Then we can tell  $\sup(\vec{p}, \vec{q}) = 2$ , which means  $\text{diam}(B) = 2$ .

## Question 2

i.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (3,5)} (\frac{\sin(y-x)}{y-x}, \sqrt{y^2-x^2})$$

exists

**Proof:** Both  $\frac{\sin(y-x)}{y-x}$  and  $\sqrt{y^2-x^2}$  are continuous at point  $(3,5)$ , thus the limit is equal to  $(\frac{\sin 2}{2}, 4)$ .

ii.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^4 - y^3}{x^3 - y^4}$$

doesn't exist.

**Proof:** Replace  $y$  with  $kx (k \in \mathbb{R})$ , then the original formula is equal to

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^4 - k^3 x^3}{x^3 - k^4 x^4} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x - k^3}{1 - k^4 x} \\ &= -k^3 \end{aligned}$$

which is uncertain. Therefore, the limit doesn't exist.

iii.

$$\lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow +\infty \\ y \rightarrow +\infty}} \frac{x^3 - y^3}{x^4 - y^4}$$

exists.

**Proof:** The original formula is equal to

$$\lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow +\infty \\ y \rightarrow +\infty}} \frac{x^2 + xy + y^2}{x^3 + x^2y + xy^2 + y^3}$$

which is obviously no less than zero. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow +\infty \\ y \rightarrow +\infty}} \frac{x^2 + xy + y^2}{x^3 + x^2y + xy^2 + y^3} &= \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow +\infty \\ y \rightarrow +\infty}} \frac{x^2 + xy + y^2 + \frac{y^3}{x} - \frac{y^3}{x}}{x^3 + x^2y + xy^2 + y^3} \\ &= \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow +\infty \\ y \rightarrow +\infty}} \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{y^3}{x^4 + x^3y + x^2y^2 + xy^3} \right) \\ &\leq \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1}{x} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

As a result,

$$0 \leq \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow +\infty \\ y \rightarrow +\infty}} \frac{x^3 - y^3}{x^4 - y^4} \leq 0$$

Therefore, the limit is equal to 0.

iv.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \lim_{y \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x^3 - y^3}{x^4 - y^4}$$

exists.

**Proof:** Replace  $y$  with  $u = \frac{1}{y}$ , then

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x^3 - y^3}{x^4 - y^4} = \lim_{u \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{x^3 - \frac{1}{u^3}}{x^4 - \frac{1}{u^4}} = \lim_{u \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{(u^3x^3 - 1)u}{u^4x^4 - 1} = 0$$

Therefore,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \lim_{y \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x^3 - y^3}{x^4 - y^4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} 0 = 0$$

v.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (e,0)} (1+2020y)^{\frac{1}{y-x^2y^2}}$$

exists.

**Proof:** Consider

$$\mathbf{f} : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, \mathbf{f}(x,y) = ((1+2020y)^{\frac{1}{2020y}}, \frac{2020y}{y-x^2y^2})$$

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, Therefore,

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (e,0)} \mathbf{f}(x,y) = (e, 2020)$$

$$\mathbf{g} : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R} : \mathbf{g}(u,v) = u^v$$

Then invoke the composition rule:

$$\lim_{(u,v) \rightarrow (e,2020)} \mathbf{g}(u,v) = e^{2020}$$

vi.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (3,+\infty)} \frac{\log(x+y)}{x^2+y^2}$$

exists.

**Proof:** According to the fundamental inequality,  $x^2 + y^2 \geq \frac{x^2+y^2}{2}$ , then

$$\frac{\log(x+y)}{x^2+y^2} \leq \frac{\log(x+y)}{\frac{(x+y)^2}{2}}$$

Replace  $x^2 + y^2$  with  $u$ . When  $(x^2 + y^2) \rightarrow (3, \infty), u \rightarrow \infty$ . Then

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (3,\infty)} \frac{\log(x+y)}{\frac{(x+y)^2}{2}} = \lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \log u}{u^2} = 0$$

Meanwhile, the original formula is no less than zero, which means

$$0 \leq \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (3,+\infty)} \frac{\log(x+y)}{x^2+y^2} \leq 0$$

Therefore, the limit is equal to 0.

### Question 3

**i. Proof:** Denote  $\vec{h}$  as  $\begin{bmatrix} h_x \\ h_y \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\vec{t}$  as  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$ . Take the linear function  $\mathbf{L}(\vec{h})$  as  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} h_x \\ h_y \end{bmatrix}$ .

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{f}(\vec{t} + \vec{h}) - \mathbf{f}(\vec{t}) - \mathbf{L}(\vec{h}) &= \begin{bmatrix} 2(x+h_x) + 3 - (2x+3) - 2h_x \\ (x+h_x)^2 + (y+h_y)^2 - (x^2+y^2) - 2h_y \\ (y+h_y)e^{2(x+h_x)} - ye^{2x} - (2h_x+h_y) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ h_x^2 + 2xh_x + 2h_y(y-1) + h_y^2 \\ ye^{2x}(e^{2h_x}-1) + h_y(e^{2(x+h_x)}-1) - 2h_x \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

When  $\vec{t} = (0, 1)$ ,

$$\mathbf{f}(\vec{t} + \vec{h}) - \mathbf{f}(\vec{t}) - \mathbf{L}(\vec{h}) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ h_x^2 + 2xh_x + 2h_y(y-1) + h_y^2 \\ e^{2h_x} - 1 + h_y(e^{2h_x}-1) - 2h_x \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lim_{\vec{h} \rightarrow 0} \frac{\|\mathbf{f}(\vec{t} + \vec{h}) - \mathbf{f}(\vec{t}) - \mathbf{L}(\vec{h})\|}{\|\vec{h}\|}$$

=

$$\lim_{\vec{h} \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{\frac{(h_x^2 + 2xh_x + 2h_y(y-1) + h_y^2)^2 + (e^{2h_x} - 1 + h_y(e^{2h_x}-1) - 2h_x)^2}{h_x^2 + h_y^2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \\
&\quad \lim_{\vec{h} \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{\frac{(h_x^2 + h_y^2)^2 + (2h_x h_y)^2}{h_x^2 + h_y^2}} (\vec{h} \rightarrow 0, 2h_x = e^{2h_x} - 1 + o(2h_x)) \\
&= \\
&\quad \lim_{\vec{h} \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{h_x^2 + h_y^2 + \frac{4}{\frac{1}{h_y^2} + \frac{1}{h_x^2}}} = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\mathbf{f}$  is differentiable at  $(0, 1)$ .

ii. At  $(x, y) = (0, 1)$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} &= 2, \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} = 0 \\
\frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} &= 2x = 0, \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} = 2y = 2 \\
\frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x} &= 2ye^{2x} = 2, \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial y} = e^{2x} = 1
\end{aligned}$$

iii.

$$[\mathbf{d}\mathbf{f}]_{(0,1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$