# MATH 251 Advanced Calculus Lecture Notes of Y. Week 1

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## 1 Topological Terminology

### 1.1 Distance between p and q

**Definition 1.1:** Let 
$$p = (x_1, \ldots, x_n), p = (y_1, \ldots, y_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

Then the distance between p and q, denoted ||p-q||, is given by

$$||p-q|| = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i - y_i)^2}$$

### 1.2 Open Ball

**Definition 1.2:** Let  $p_0 \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and r > 0. The open ball of radius r centered at  $p_0$  is the set

$$B(p_0, r) = \{ p \in \mathbb{R}^n : ||p - p_0|| < r \}$$

### 1.3 Interior of S

**Definition 1.3:** Let  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ . The interior of S, denoted int(S), is the set  $int(S) = \{p \in S : \exists r > 0, B(p,r) \subseteq S\}$ 

- 1.3.1 Open Set
- 1.4 Exterior of S
- 1.4.1 Closed Set
- 1.5 Boundary of S
- 1.6 Closure of S
- 1.7 Bounded and Unbounded sets

 ${\bf Theorem}$ 

Proposition