

WHAT TO KNOW FOR QUIZZES AND EXAMS

DEFINITIONS

- (1) Rational number
- (2) Contrapositive
- (3) Converse
- (4) Irrational number
- (5) Upper bound / lower bound
- (6) Bounded above / bounded below
- (7) Supremum / infimum
- (8) Absolute value
- (9) (sequence) converges to L
- (10) (sequence) is convergent
- (11) (sequence) is divergent
- (12) increasing / decreasing sequence
- (13) strictly increasing / decreasing sequence
- (14) monotone sequence

AXIOMS/THEOREMS

- (1) Well-ordering axiom
- (2) Completeness axiom
- (3) Theorem 7.1 (large natural numbers)
- (4) Archimedean principle
- (5) Density of rational numbers/ irrational numbers
- (6) Triangle inequality
- (7) Theorem 12.2 (limits and algebra)
- (8) Squeeze Theorem

KEY SKILLS

- (1) Proving “if-then” statements, “for every” statements, “there exists” statements, “is unique” statements
- (2) Proofs by contradiction
- (3) Finding the negation of a statement
- (4) Finding the contrapositive of a statement
- (5) Using examples to prove/disprove statements
- (6) Proving that a number is the supremum of a set
- (7) Proving that a sequence converges to some value using the definition
- (8) Algebra with limits of sequences: using these to determine if a sequence converges, and to what
- (9) Using squeeze theorem to show sequences converge