

# MATH 521 Lecture Notes

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# 1 Intro to naive set theory

**Definition 1.** We call  $B$  is a **subset** of a set  $A$ ,  $B \subseteq A$  if for every  $x \in B$ ,  $x \in A$ .

We call  $B$  is a **proper subset** of a set  $A$ ,  $B \subsetneq A$  if  $B \subseteq A$  and  $B \neq A$ .

**Definition 2.** empty set denoted as  $\emptyset$

**Definition 3.** Given  $A$ , a set,

$$P(A) = \{B \mid B \subseteq A\}$$

called **power set** of  $A$ .

## 1.1 Cardinality

**Definition 4.** Given a set  $A, B$ , then if there exists bijection from  $A$  to  $B$ , then  $A$  and  $B$  have the same **cardinality**, denoted as  $|A| = |B|$ .

**Definition 5.** If there is an injection from  $A$  to  $B$  then we write  $|A| \leq |B|$ . If  $|A| \leq |B|$  and  $|A| \neq |B|$  then we write  $|A| < |B|$ .

**Theorem 6.** Let  $A$  and  $B$  be two sets, then either  $|A| \leq |B|$ , or  $|B| \leq |A|$ . Furthermore, if  $|A| \leq |B|$  and  $|B| \leq |A|$  then  $|A| = |B|$ .

**Theorem 7.** Let  $A$  be a set, then  $|A| < |P(A)|$ .

### 1.1.1 Finite set and infinite set

**Theorem 8.** Let  $A$  be a set. The followings are equivalent:

1. There is a bijection between  $A$  and a proper subset of  $A$ .
2. There is an injection from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $A$ .
3. There isn't a bijection from  $A$  to  $\{x \in \mathbb{N} \mid x < n\}$ .

**Definition 9.** If a set  $A$  satisfies any of the 3 conditions in the theorem above we call it an **infinite set**. Otherwise we call it a **finite set**.

### 1.1.2 Countable infinite set

**Definition 10.** If  $|A| = |\mathbb{N}|$ , we call  $A$  a **countable infinite set**. If  $|A| > |\mathbb{N}|$  we call  $A$  an **uncountable set**.

## 2 Real Numbers

### 2.1 Ordered fields

**Definition 11.** A set  $F$ ,  $0, 1 \in F$ ,  $+, \times : F \times F \rightarrow F$  and a linear order  $\leq$  called an **ordered field** if it satisfies

- $(F, +)$  is a commutative group with identity 0.
- $(F, \times)$  is a commutative monoid with identity 1.
- for any  $a, b, c \in F$ ,  $a(b + c) = ab + ac$
- if  $a \leq b$  then  $a + c \leq b + c$  for any  $c \in F$ .
- if  $0 \leq a, 0 \leq b$  then  $0 \leq ab$ .

**Lemma 12.** Let  $F$  be an ordered field, for any  $a, b \in F$

- if  $a \leq b$  then  $-b \leq -a$
- if  $a > b > 0$  then  $0 < a^{-1} < b^{-1}$

**Theorem 13.** Let  $F$  be an ordered field,  $a < b$ ,  $a, b \in F$  Then we can define intervals

- $[a, b] = \{x \in F \mid a \leq x \leq b\}$
- $[a, b) = \{x \in F \mid a \leq x < b\}$
- $(a, b] = \{x \in F \mid a < x \leq b\}$
- $(a, b) = \{x \in F \mid a < x < b\}$

The **length** of these intervals are defined as  $b - a$

### 2.2 Least upper bound property

**Definition 14.** least upper bound or supremum of  $A$  denote as  $\sup(A)$ , that satisfies

- for any  $a \in A$ ,  $a \leq \sup(A)$
- if for any  $m \in F$  and for any  $a \in A$ ,  $a \leq m$  then  $\sup(A) \leq m$

## 2.3 Archimedean property of real numbers

**Theorem 15** (Archimedean property). for any  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $a, b > 0$  there exists  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$an > b$$

**Theorem 16.** for any  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  there exists  $n \in \mathbb{Z}, q \in [0, 1)$  such that

$$x = n + q$$

**Theorem 17** ( $\mathbb{Q}$  dense in  $\mathbb{R}$ ). for any  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists  $q \in \mathbb{Q}$  such that

$$q \in (x - \varepsilon, x + \varepsilon)$$

## 2.4 Infinite decimal expansions

**Definition 18.** There is a bijection between  $[0, 1)$  and the set

$$S = \{a \in \{0, 1, \dots, 9\}^{\mathbb{N}} \mid \forall n, \exists m > n, a(m) < 9\}$$

## 3 Metric Spaces

### 3.1 Definition

**Definition 19.**  $(X, d), d : X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is a metric space if:  $\forall x, y, z \in X$

- $d(x, y) = 0 \iff x = y$
- $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$
- $d(x, y) \leq d(x, z) + d(z, y)$

**Theorem 20.** Given  $(X, d)$  metric space,  $(X, f \circ d)$  is a metric space if

- $f(x) = 0 \iff x = 0$
- $f(x + y) \leq f(x) + f(y)$
- $f$  is non-decreasing

**Theorem 21.** Let  $(X, d_x)$  and  $(Y, d_y)$  be metric spaces. Then  $(X \times Y, d_{\text{sup}})$  is a metric space where

$$d_{\text{sup}}((x, y), (x', y')) = \max(d_x(x, x'), d_y(y, y'))$$

**Theorem 22.** Given  $(X, d)$  metric space, and  $S$  be non-empty set. Let

$$Y = \{f \in \text{Map}(S, X) \mid \text{diam}(f(S)) < \infty\}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} d_{\text{sup}} : Y \times Y &\rightarrow [0, \infty) \\ f, g &\mapsto \sup\{d(f(s), g(s)) \mid s \in S\} \end{aligned}$$

Then  $(Y, d_{\text{sup}})$  is a metric space.

## 3.2 Open sets and closed sets

### 3.2.1 Definition

**Definition 23** (Open Ball). Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space.

$$B_X(x, r) = \{y \in X \mid d(x, y) < r\}$$

is called an open ball centered at  $x$  with radius  $r$ .

**Definition 24** (Open Set). Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space.  $A \subseteq X$  is called an open set if

$$\forall a \in A, \exists r > 0, B_X(a, r) \subseteq A$$

**Definition 25** (Closed Set). Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space.  $A \subseteq X$  is called a closed set if

$$\forall a \in X \setminus A, \exists r > 0, B_X(a, r) \cap A = \emptyset$$

(or equivalently,  $X \setminus A$  is an open set)

**Theorem 26.** Any open ball is open

**Theorem 27.** Any closed ball is closed. Furthermore any set consisting of a single point is closed.

### 3.2.2 Basic properties

**Theorem 28.** The union of a set of open sets is open.

**Definition 29.** Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space,  $A \subseteq X$ . We define:

- The **closure** of  $A$  as

$$\overline{A} = \bigcap \{V \subseteq X \mid V \text{ closed}, A \subseteq V\}$$

- The **interior** of  $A$  as

$$A^\circ = \bigcup \{U \subseteq X \mid U \text{ open}, U \subseteq A\}$$

- The **boundary set** of  $A$  is

$$\partial A = \overline{A} \setminus A^\circ$$

**Theorem 30.** The intersection of finitely many open sets is open

**Theorem 31.** A non-empty subset of a metric space  $(X, d)$  is open  $\iff$  it is a union of open balls

### 3.2.3 Openness in subspaces

**Theorem 32.** If  $(X, d)$  is a metric space,  $(Y, d|_{Y \times Y})$  a subspace.

- $A \subseteq Y$  is open in  $Y \iff$  there is some open set  $A'$  in  $X$  where  $A = A' \cap Y$
- $A \subseteq Y$  is closed in  $Y \iff$  there is some closed set  $A'$  in  $X$  where  $A = A' \cap Y$

### 3.2.4 Denseness

**Definition 33.** A subset  $A \subseteq X$  is dense if any non-empty open subset of  $X$  has non-empty intersection with  $A$ .

### 3.2.5 Open sets and closed sets in $\mathbb{R}$

**Lemma 34.** Let  $d_e(x, y) = |x - y|$

- Any finite open interval  $(a, b)$ , where  $b > a$ , is open under metric  $d_e$ .
- Any infinite open interval  $(-\infty, a)$ ,  $(a, \infty)$  or  $(-\infty, \infty)$  must be open under metric  $d_e$ .

**Theorem 35.** If  $A \subset \mathbb{R}$  is non-empty and  $\sup(A) < \infty$ . Then

- If  $A$  is open, then  $\sup(A) \notin A$ .
- If  $A$  is closed, then  $\sup(A) \in A$ .

**Theorem 36.**  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ ,  $A \neq \emptyset$ , is open under  $d(x, y) = |x - y| \iff$  it is the disjoint union of finite or countably infinitely many (finite or infinite) open intervals

## 3.3 Continuity

### 3.3.1 Definition

**Definition 37.** Given  $(X, d)$  and  $(Y, d')$  metric spaces, a function  $f : X \rightarrow Y$

- is called continuous if for any open set  $U \subseteq Y$ ,  $f^{-1}(U)$  is open in  $X$
- is called continuous at  $x \in X$  if for any open set  $U \subseteq Y$ ,  $f(x) \in U$ , there is an open set  $V \subseteq X$ ,  $x \in V$  such that  $f(V) \subseteq U$



### 3.3.2 Localness and $\varepsilon - \delta$ characterization

**Theorem 38.**  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is continuous  $\iff$  for any  $x \in X$ ,  $f$  is continuous at  $x$ .

**Theorem 39.**  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is continuous at  $x \in X \iff$  for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that

$$f(B_X(x, \delta)) \subseteq B_Y(f(x), \varepsilon)$$

**Theorem 40.** A map  $f$  from  $(X, d)$  to  $(Y, d')$  is continuous if for any  $x, y \in X$ , for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that

$$d(x, y) < \delta \implies d'(f(x), f(y)) < \varepsilon$$

**Definition 41.** If a bijection between two metric space and its inverse are both continuous, we call it a **homeomorphism**

### 3.3.3 Real valued continuous functions

**Theorem 42** (Intermediate Value Theorem). if  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous map,  $m \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $(f(a) - m)(f(b) - m) < 0$  then there is some  $c \in (a, b)$  such that  $f(c) = m$

## 3.4 Compactness

**Definition 43.** A metric space  $X$  is called **compact**, if for every set of open subset  $C$  that  $\bigcup C = X$ , there is a finite subset  $C'$  such that  $\bigcup C' = X$

**Theorem 44.**  $(X, d)$  is compact  $\iff \forall C \subseteq \{B_X(x, r) \mid x \in X, r \in (0, \infty)\}, \bigcup C = X \implies \exists C' \subseteq C$  such that  $\bigcup C' = X$  and  $C'$  is finite

**Theorem 45.** Any compact metric space has finite diameter ( $\text{diam}(X) < \infty$ )

**Theorem 46.** If  $(X, d)$  is a metric space,  $Y \subseteq X$ , a non-empty subset, with subspace metric. Then,  $(Y, d|_{Y \times Y})$  is compact  $\implies Y$  is closed.

**Theorem 47.** If  $(X, d)$  is a compact metric space  $V \subseteq X$  is closed, then  $V$  under subspace metric is also compact

**Theorem 48.**  $f : (X, d) \rightarrow (Y, d')$  is continuous and surjection. If  $X$  is compact, then  $Y$  is compact.

**Theorem 49.** If  $(X, d), (Y, d')$  are both compact metric spaces, then  $(X, Y, d_{\text{sup}})$  is also compact

**Theorem 50.** A subset of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is compact  $\iff$  it is bounded and closed

## 4 Limits

**Definition 51.**  $(X, d)$  a metric space, a sequence in  $X$  is a function  $a : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow X$ . We often denote  $a(n)$  as  $a_n$  and write the sequence as  $\{a_n\}$ .

**Definition 52.** We say that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = a$$

for  $a \in X$  if for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $N$  such that

$$n > N \implies a_n \in B_X(a, \varepsilon)$$

**Theorem 53.** If  $\{a_n\}$  converges, the limit is unique

**Theorem 54.** If  $\{a_n\}$  and  $\{b_n\}$  are 2 sequences on  $X$ .  $\exists M \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $a_n = b_n$  if  $n > M$  ( $a_n = b_n$  for all but finitely many  $n$ ) Then

1.  $\{a_n\}$  converges  $\iff \{b_n\}$  converges
2. If  $\{a_n\}, \{b_n\}$  converge, then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n$

### 4.1 Limit, open sets and closed sets

**Theorem 55.** If  $(X, d)$  is a metric space,  $\{a_n\}$  a sequence, If  $U \subseteq X$  open and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \in U$ , then  $\exists N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n > N \implies a_n \in U$

**Theorem 56.** If  $(X, d)$  is a metric space,  $\{a_n\}$  a sequence,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = b$ ,  $V \subseteq X$  closed then  $a_n \in V \forall n \implies b \in V$ .

**Definition 57** (isolated point). Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space,  $p \in X$ , if  $\exists r > 0$ ,  $B_X(p, r) = \{p\}$  we call  $p$  an **isolated point**

**Theorem 58.** if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = p$ ,  $p$  isolated,  $\exists N, n > N \implies a_n = p$  ( $a_n = p$  for all but finitely many  $n$ )

**Theorem 59.**  $(X, d)$  metric space,  $U \subseteq X$ , if for any sequence  $\{a_n\}$  in  $X$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \in U \implies a_n \in U \text{ for all but finitely many } n$$

then  $U$  is open

**Theorem 60.**  $(X, d)$  metric space,  $V \subseteq X$ , If for any is converged sequence  $\{a_n\}$ ,

$$a_n \in V \ \forall n \in \mathbb{N} \implies \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \in V$$

then  $V$  is closed

**Theorem 61.**  $f : (X, d) \rightarrow (X, d')$  a funciton, for  $x \in X$ , the following one equivalent.

1.  $f$  is continuous at  $x$
2. if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = x$  then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(a_n) = f(x)$
3. if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = x$  then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(a_n)$  exists