## Homework 5 of Introduction to Analysis(II)

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- 1. (a) If  $x \in A$ , d(x,A) = ||x-x|| = 0 and d(x,B) = k > 0,  $\phi(x) = \frac{0}{0+k} = 0$ . If  $x \in B$ , d(x,A) = l > 0 and d(x,B) = 0,  $\phi(x) = \frac{l}{l+0} = 1$ . If  $x \notin A \land x \notin B$ , d(x,A) = l and d(x,B) = k,  $\phi(x) = \frac{l}{l+k} < 1$  and is positive. Thus,  $0 \le \phi(x) \le 1$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .
  - (b) Let  $\phi(x) = (b-a) \frac{d(x,A)}{d(x,A) + d(x,B)} + a$ . From (a), we can get  $\phi(x \in A) = (b-a) \cdot 0 + a = a$ ,  $\phi(x \in B) = (b-a) \cdot 1 + a = b$ , and  $a \le phi(x) \le b$  for all  $x \in A$ .
- 2. If f has more than one fixed point, there exists  $x,y \in S$  s.t.  $d(f^n(x),f^n(y))=d(x,y)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  (contradiction to  $a_n \to 0$ ). Then, we want to show that f has fixed point. For any  $x_0 \in S$ , we let  $x_k = f^k(x)$  and we can find a  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  s.t.  $a_n < \varepsilon$  for all n > N. Then,  $d(x_{n+k},x_n) \le a_n d(x_k,x_0) < \varepsilon \cdot d(x_k,x_0)$  for any k and n > N. Thus,  $x_n \to x^* \in S$  by S is complete, and  $x^*$  is a fixed point of f.
- 3. Since  $T(u)(t) = \int_a^t u(s) \ ds$ , assume  $T^m(u)(t) = \int_a^t \frac{(t-s)^{m-1}}{(m-1)!} u(s) \ ds$ . Then,

$$T^{m+1}(u)(t) = T(T^{m}(u))(t)$$

$$= \int_{a}^{t} T^{m}(u)(s) ds$$

$$= \int_{a}^{t} \frac{1}{(m-1)!} \int_{a}^{s} (s-\tau)^{m-1} u(\tau) d\tau ds$$

$$= \int_{a}^{t} \frac{1}{(m-1)!}$$

Thus, 
$$T^m(u) \le \frac{1}{(m-1)!}u$$