21-235 Math Studies Analysis I

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Chapter 1

1.1 Ordered Fields (Review)

Definition 1.1.1: Order

Let E be a set. An *order* on E is a relation $<$ on E such that for all $x, y, z \in E$:

1. (Trichotomy) Exactly one of the following holds: $x < y$, $x = y$, or $x > y$.
2. (Transitivity) If $x < y$ and $y < z$, then $x < z$.

Example 1.1.1 (Examples of Ordered Sets)

1. This definition develops orders on basic number systems: e.g. $\mathbb{Z}$, $\mathbb{Q}$, and $\mathbb{R}$.
2. Define $\lesssim$ on $\mathbb{Z}$ as follows: We say that $m \lesssim n$ for $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ if:
   (a) m is even and n is odd
   (b) m, n are even and $m < n$
   (c) m, n are odd and $m < n$.

Key Concepts:

- upper/lower bounds of sets
- bounded sets
- max/min
- supremum/infimum
- supremum/infimum property: An ordered set E satisfies such a property if every nonempty set $A \subseteq E$ that's bounded above/below has a supremum/infimum in E.
- Fact: sup prop $\implies$ inf prop

Definition 1.1.2: Ordered Field

Let $\mathbb{F}$ be a field with order $<$. We say that $\mathbb{F}$ is an *ordered field* provided that:

1. For all $x, y, z \in \mathbb{F}$, if $x < y$, then $x + z < y + z$.
2. For all $x, y \in \mathbb{F}$, if $0 < x$ and $0 < y$, then $0 < x \cdot y$.

Example 1.1.2
$\mathbb{Q}$ is a field.

Facts of any ordered field:

1. $0 < 1$
2. $\nexists x \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $x^2 = -1$.

Definition 1.1.3: Ordered Subfield, Homomorphism, Isomorphism

Let $\mathbb{F}$ be an ordered field.

1. A set $\mathbb{K} \subseteq \mathbb{F}$ is called an *ordered subfield* if $mathbbK$ is an algeraic subfield and $\mathbb{K}$ is an ordered field equipped with $<$ from $\mathbb{F}$.
2. Let $\mathbb{G}$ be an ordered field and let $f : \mathbb{F} \to \mathbb{G}$. We say that f is an *ordered field homomorphism* if it's a field homomorphism and $f(x) < f(y)$ whenever $x < y$.
3. f is an ordered field isomorphism if f is an ordered field homomorphism and f is bijective.

Note:

1. If $f : \mathbb{F} \to \mathbb{G}$ is an ordered field homomorphism, $f(\mathbb{F})$ is an ordered subfield of $\mathbb{G}$.
2. OF property $\implies$ f is injective.
3. $\therefore$ every ordered field homomorphism $f : \mathbb{F} \to \mathbb{G}$ is such that f induces a bijection $f : \mathbb{F} \to f(\mathbb{F}) \subseteq \mathbb{G}$.

Theorem 1.1.1 $\mathbb{Q}$ is the smallest ordered field. More precisely, if $\mathbb{F}$ is an ordered field, then there exists a canonical ordered field homomorphism $f : \mathbb{Q} \to \mathbb{F}$.

Upshot/notation abuse: We identify $f(\mathbb{Q}) = \mathbb{Q}$ to view $\mathbb{Q} \subseteq \mathbb{F}$. In turn, $\mathbb{N} \subset \mathbb{Z} \subset \mathbb{Q} \subseteq \mathbb{F}$.

1.2 Types of Ordered Fields

Definition 1.2.1: Archimedean, Dedekind complete

Let $\mathbb{F}$ be an ordered field.

1. We say that $\mathbb{F}$ is Archimedean if $\forall 0 < x \in \mathbb{F}$, $\exists n \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $n > x$.
2. We say that $\mathbb{F}$ is Dedekind complete if it satisfies the supremum property.

Facts:

1. $\mathbb{Q}$ is Archimedean.
2. If $\mathbb{F}$ is Dedekind complete, then $\forall 0 < x \in \mathbb{F}$ and $\forall 0 < n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\exists!\ 0 < y \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $y^n = x$.
3. $\mathbb{Q}$ is not Dedekind complete. ($\sqrt{2}$ is a counterexample.)

Theorem 1.2.1
Suppose $\mathbb{F}$ is a Dedekind complete ordered field. Then $\mathbb{F}$ is Archimedean.

Proof. If not, then $\mathbb{N} \subset \mathbb{F}$ is bounded above, and so the supremum property provides $x \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $x = \sup \mathbb{N}$. But then $x - 1$ is an upper bound for $\mathbb{N}$, so there exists $n \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $x - 1 < n$. Hence $x < n + 1$, which contradicts the definition of x as an upper bound. Therefore, $\mathbb{F}$ is Archimedean. 😊

1.3 Dedekind Completion

Throughout this section, let $\mathbb{F}$ be an Archimedean ordered field.

Definition 1.3.1: Dedekind cut

We say a set $C \subseteq \mathbb{F}$ is *Dedekind cut* if:

1. $C \neq \emptyset$ and $C \neq \mathbb{F}$.
2. If $p \in C$ and $q \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $q < p$, then $q \in C$.
3. If $p \in C$, then $\exists r \in C$ such that $p < r$.

We will write $\mathbb{F}^*$ for the set of all Dedekind cuts in $\mathbb{F}$. It is called the *Dedekind completion* of $\mathbb{F}$.

Note:

Let $C \subseteq \mathbb{F}$ be a cut. Then:

1. If $p \in C$, then $q \notin C$, then $p < q$.
2. If $r \notin C$, and $r < s \in \mathbb{F}$, then $s \notin C$.

Example 1.3.1 (Cut examples)

1. Let $q \in \mathbb{F}$ and define $C_q = \{p \in \mathbb{F} \mid p < q\}$. Then C_q is a cut.

   Proof. (a) $q - 1 < q \implies q - 1 \in C_q$. $q \not< q \implies q \notin C_q \implies C_q \neq \mathbb{F}$.

   (b) Let $p \in C_q$. Suppose $s \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $s < p$. Then $s < q \implies s \in C_q$.

   (c) Let $p \in C_q$. Then $p < \frac{p+q}{2} < q \implies \frac{p+q}{2} \in C_q$.

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2. Suppose $\mathbb{F}$ is such that $\nexists x \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $x^2 = 2$. Let $C = \{p \in \mathbb{F} \mid p \leqslant 0 \text{ or } 0 < p^2 < 2\}$. Then C is a cut.

   Proof. (a) $1 \in C$ and $1^2 = 1 < 2$. $2 \notin C$ and $2^2 = 4 > 2$.

   (b) Let $p \in C$ and $q \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $q < p$. If $q \leqslant 0$, then $q \in C$ trivially. Suppose $0 < q < p$. Then $0 < q^2 < p^2 < 2$, so $q \in C$.

   (c) Let $p \in C$. If $p \leqslant 0$, then $1 \in C$ and $p < 1$, so we're done. Suppose $0 < p^2 < 2$. Note, $0 < 2 - p^2$, so $\frac{2p+1}{2-p^2} > 0$. Then we can define $r = 1 + \frac{2p+1}{2-p^2} \geqslant \max(1, \frac{2p+1}{2-p^2})$. Then $(p + 1/r)^2 = p^2 + \frac{2p}{r} + \frac{1}{r^2}$. We have:

   $$\begin{aligned} p^2 + \frac{2p}{r} + \frac{1}{r^2} &< p^2 + \frac{2p}{r} + \frac{1}{r} \\ &= p^2 + \frac{2p+1}{r} \\ &\leqslant p^2 + 2 - p^2 \\ &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

   So, $p < p + 1/r < 2$ and $p + 1/r \in C$.

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1.3.1 Ordering $\mathbb{F}^*$

Lemma 1.3.1

The following hold:

1. If $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$, then exactly one holds:
   - $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{B}$
   - $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{B}$
   - $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{A}$
2. If $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C} \in \mathbb{F}^*$ and $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{B}$ and $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{C}$, then $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{C}$.

Proof. Proof of 2 is trivial, as well as the equality part for 1.

- If $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{B}$, we're done.
- Suppose $\exists b \in \mathcal{B} \setminus \mathcal{A}$. If $a \in \mathcal{A}$, then $a < b$, but $\mathcal{B}$ is a cut so $a \in \mathcal{B}$, so $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{B}$.
- Suppose $\exists a \in \mathcal{A} \setminus \mathcal{B}$. Then $a < b$ for all $b \in \mathcal{B}$, so $a \in \mathcal{B}$, so $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{A}$.

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Definition 1.3.2: Order on cuts

Given $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$, we say that $\mathcal{A} < \mathcal{B}$ if $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{B}$. The lemma above shows that this is infact an order.

Lemma 1.3.2

Let $E \subseteq \mathbb{F}^*$ be nonempty and bounded above. Then $\mathcal{B} = \bigcup_{\mathcal{A} \in E} \mathcal{A}$ is a cut.

Proof.

1. Since $E \neq \emptyset$, there exists $\mathcal{A} \in E$. So $\mathcal{A} \neq \emptyset$, hence $\mathcal{B} \neq \emptyset$.

   Since E is bounded above, there exists $\mathcal{C} \in \mathbb{F}^*$ such that $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{C}$ for all $\mathcal{A} \in E$. Since $\mathcal{C}$ is a cut, there is $q \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $q \notin \mathcal{C}$. Then $q \notin \mathcal{A}$ for all $\mathcal{A} \in E$, so $q \notin \mathcal{B}$.
2. Let $p \in \mathcal{B}$ and $q \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $q < p$. Since $\mathcal{B}$ is a union of cuts, it follows that $p \in \mathcal{A}$ for some $\mathcal{A} \in E$. Since $\mathcal{A}$ is a cut, $q \in \mathcal{A} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$.
3. Let $p \in \mathcal{B}$. Then $p \in \mathcal{A}$ for some $\mathcal{A} \in E$. Since $\mathcal{A}$ is a cut, there exists $r \in \mathcal{A}$ such that $p < r$. Since $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{B}$, we have $r \in \mathcal{B}$.

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Theorem 1.3.1

$\mathbb{F}^*$ equipped with the order $<$ satisfies the supremum property.

Proof. Let $E \subseteq \mathbb{F}$ be a nonempty set that is bounded above. From last time, we know that $\mathcal{B} = \cup_{\mathcal{A} \in E} \mathcal{A}$ is a cut. We claim that $\mathcal{B} = \sup E$.

If $\mathcal{A} \in E$, then $\mathcal{A} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$. And so $\mathcal{A} \leqslant \mathcal{B}$, so $\mathcal{B}$ is an upper bound for E.

Next, suppose that $\mathcal{C} \in \mathbb{F}^*$ is an upper bound of E. This means that $\mathcal{A} \leqslant \mathcal{C}$ for every $\mathcal{A} \in E$, meaning $\mathcal{A} \subseteq \mathcal{C} \forall \mathcal{A} \in E$. So $\mathcal{B} \subseteq \mathcal{C}$. As such, $\mathcal{B} \leqslant \mathcal{C}$, so $\mathcal{B} = \sup E$. ☺

Remark: In none of the results leading up to this theorem did we use that $\mathbb{F}$ is anything other than an ordered set. This shows that the cut construction of Dedekind works in general for ordered sets and yields $\mathbb{F}^*$ that satisfies the supremum property. Also, $\{\mathcal{C}_p \mid p \in \mathbb{F}\} \subseteq \mathbb{F}^*$.

1.3.2 Addition

Idea: $\mathbb{F} \cong \{C_p \mid p \in \mathbb{F}\}$.

Lemma 1.3.3
Let $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$. Then $C = \{a + b \mid a \in \mathcal{A}, b \in \mathcal{B}\}$ is a cut.

Proof. Claim: $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \neq \emptyset \implies C \neq \emptyset$.

$\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}$ are cuts, so $\exists M_1, M_2 \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $a < M_1$ for all $a \in \mathcal{A}$ and $b < M_2$ for all $b \in \mathcal{B}$. Then $a + b < M_1 + M_2$ for all $a \in \mathcal{A}, b \in \mathcal{B}$, so $a + b < M_1 + M_2$, meaning $M_1 + M_2 \notin C$.

Also, let $c = a+b \in C$ for $a \in \mathcal{A}, b \in \mathcal{B}$. Let $q < c \implies q-a < b \implies q-a \in \mathcal{B}$. Hence, $q = a+(q-a) \in C$.

Thirdly, let $c = a + b \in C$ for $a \in \mathcal{A}, b \in \mathcal{B}$. Since $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$, $\exists r_a, r_b$ such that $a < r_a \in \mathcal{A}$, $b < r_b \in \mathcal{B}$. Then $c = a + b < r_a + r_b$, so $r_a + r_b \in C$.

As such, C is a cut. ☺

Before we define addition, we need to define the negative of a cut.

Heuristic: What we want is that $-C_1 = C_{-1}$. The way we do this is by defining $C_{-p} = \{q \in \mathbb{F} \mid \exists p > q : p \in -C_p^C\}$. This is the same as $\{q \in \mathbb{F} \mid \exists p > q : -p \notin C_p\}$.

Now we study $\{q \in \mathbb{F} \mid \exists p > q : -p \notin C\}$.

Lemma 1.3.4
Let $C \in \mathbb{F}^*$. Then $\{q \in \mathbb{F} \mid \exists p > q : -p \notin C\}$ is a cut.

Definition 1.3.3: Addition

For $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$, we define $\mathcal{A} + \mathcal{B} = \{a + b \mid a \in \mathcal{A}, b \in \mathcal{B}\}$ and $-\mathcal{A} = \{q \in \mathbb{F} \mid \exists p > q : -p \notin \mathcal{A}\}$.

Theorem 1.3.2
Define $0 = C_0 \in \mathbb{F}^*$. The following hold:

1. $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^* \implies \mathcal{A} + \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$.
2. $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^* \implies \mathcal{A} + \mathcal{B} = \mathcal{B} + \mathcal{A}$.
3. $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, C \in \mathbb{F}^* \implies (\mathcal{A} + \mathcal{B}) + C = \mathcal{A} + (\mathcal{B} + C)$.
4. $\mathcal{A} \in \mathbb{F}^* \implies \mathcal{A} + 0 = \mathcal{A}$.
5. $\mathcal{A} \in \mathbb{F}^* \implies \mathcal{A} + (-\mathcal{A}) = 0$.

Proof. Easy proof, too lazy to write out. ☺

Also: $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, C \in \mathbb{F}^*$ and $\mathcal{A} < \mathcal{B} \implies \mathcal{A} + C < \mathcal{B} + C$.

Important Remark: The Archimedean property is actually needed for the above theorem in orer to prove the 5th condition.

1.3.3 Multiplication

Lenma 1.3.5

Let $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$ such that $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} > 0$. Then $C = \{p \in \mathbb{F} \mid p \leqslant 0\} \cup \{ab \mid a \in \mathcal{A}, b \in \mathcal{B}, a, b > 0\}$ is a cut.

Lenma 1.3.6

Let $\mathcal{A} \in \mathbb{F}^*$ be such that $\mathcal{A} > 0$. Then $C = \{p \in \mathbb{F}^* \mid p \leqslant 0\} \cup \{0 < q \in \mathbb{F} \mid \exists p > q : p^{-1} \notin \mathcal{A}\}$ is a cut.

Definition 1.3.4: Multiplication

Let $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$. We define multiplication as:

1. If $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} > 0$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B} = \{ab \mid 0 < a \in \mathcal{A}, 0 < b \in \mathcal{B}\}$.
2. If $\mathcal{A} = 0$ or $\mathcal{B} = 0$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B} = 0$.
3. If $\mathcal{A} > 0$ and $\mathcal{B} < 0$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B} = -(\mathcal{A} \cdot (-\mathcal{B}))$.
4. If $\mathcal{A} < 0$ and $\mathcal{B} > 0$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B} = -((-\mathcal{A}) \cdot \mathcal{B})$.
5. If $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} < 0$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B} = (-\mathcal{A}) \cdot (-\mathcal{B})$.

We define multiplication inversion via:

1. If $\mathcal{A} > 0$, then $\mathcal{A}^{-1} = \{q \in \mathbb{F} \mid \exists p > q : p^{-1} \notin \mathcal{A}\}$.
2. If $\mathcal{A} < 0$, then $\mathcal{A}^{-1} = -(-\mathcal{A})^{-1}$.

Theorem 1.3.3

Set $1 = C_1$. The following hold:

1. If $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$.
2. If $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B} = \mathcal{B} \cdot \mathcal{A}$.
3. If $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, C \in \mathbb{F}^*$, then $(\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B}) \cdot C = \mathcal{A} \cdot (\mathcal{B} \cdot C)$.
4. If $\mathcal{A} \in \mathbb{F}^*$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot 1 = \mathcal{A}$.
5. If $\mathcal{A} \in \mathbb{F}^*$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{A}^{-1} = 1$.

Also if $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} \in \mathbb{F}^*$ and $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} > 0$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B} > 0$.

Theorem 1.3.4

If $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, C \in \mathbb{F}^*$, then $\mathcal{A} \cdot (\mathcal{B} + C) = \mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{B} + \mathcal{A} \cdot C$.

We now know that $\mathbb{F}^*$ is an ordered field.

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Theorem 1.4.1

$\mathbb{Q}$ is the smallest ordered field.

Proof. Let $\mathbb{F}$ be any ordered field. Let $1 \in \mathbb{F}$. Let $\iota : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{F}$, $n \mapsto 1 + \cdots + 1$ n times. Then $\iota(-n) = -\iota(n)$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and $-n \in \mathbb{Z}^-$.

Then we say $\iota(p/q) = \iota(p)\iota(q)^{-1}$ for $p/q \in \mathbb{Q}$. ☺

Corollary 1.4.1 Every ordered field is infinite

$\iota[\mathbb{Q}] \subseteq \mathbb{F}$ is infinite.

Roots

Let $\mathbb{F}$ be a Dedekind complete ordered field, $0 < x \in \mathbb{F}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then $\exists! y \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $y > 0$ and $y^n = x$.

Proof. $n = 1$ is silly. Assume $n \geqslant 2$. Let $E = \{z \in \mathbb{F} \mid z > 0 \text{ and } z^n < x\}$. Then E is nonempty and bounded above by x. Let $y = \sup E$. We claim that $y^n = x$.

We want to show that $y^n \not> > x$ and $y^n \not< < x$.

Lemma 1.4.1

In any commutative ring R, $b^n - a^n = (b-a)(b^{n-1} + b^{n-2}a + \cdots + ba^{n-2} + a^{n-1})$.

And hence for $0 < a < b$ in $\mathbb{F}$, we have $0 < b^n - a^n = (b-a)nb^{n-1}$.

Suppose $y^n < x$, so $x - y^n > 0$. We define $h = \frac{1}{2}\min\left(1, \frac{x-y^n}{n(y+1)^{n-1}}\right)$. $0 < h < 1$, also $0 < h < \frac{x-y^n}{n(y+1)^{n-1}}$.

Then, by the inequality below the lemma, we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &< (y+h)^n - y^n \\ &< hn(y+h)^{n-1} \\ &< hn(y+1)^{n-1} \\ &< x - y^n, \end{aligned}$$

so $(y+h)^n < x$, which contradicts the definition of y as the supremum. ☺

Definition 1.4.1: Ring*

A ring is a field where actually we don't care about inverses anymore.

Definition 1.4.2: Domain

R is a domain when $xy = 0 \implies x = 0 \wedge y = 0$.

Let R be a ring. For $(r,s) \in R \times R \setminus \{0\}$, we say $(r,s) \sim (r',s')$ if $rs' = r's$.

The field of fractions, $\mathrm{Frac}(R)$ is the set of equivalence classes of $R \times R \setminus \{0\}$ under $\sim$ equipped with the operations $[(r,s)] + [(r',s')] = [(rs' + r's, ss')]$ and $[(r,s)] \cdot [(r',s')] = (rr', ss')$.

We check that $[(r,s)] \cdot [(s,r)] = [(rs, sr)] = [(1,1)]$.

Let $\mathbb{F}$ a field, $\mathbb{F}^x$ its polynomial ring. Let $\mathbb{F}(x)$ be the field of fractions of $\mathbb{F}^x$. Then $\mathbb{F}(x) := \mathrm{Frac}(\mathbb{F}^x)$ is the field of rational functions in x with coefficients in $\mathbb{F}$.

Given $p, q \in \mathbb{F}^x$, say $p/q > 0$ if p and q have the same sign. Say $f, g \in \mathbb{F}(x)$, that $f > g$ when $f - g > 0$.

Theorem 1.4.2

$\mathbb{F}(x)$ is never Archimedean.

Proof. x is an upper bound for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. ☺

Note:

If $\mathbb{F}$ is Archimedean, $|\mathbb{F}| \leqslant 2^{\aleph_0}$.

Theorem 1.4.3
Let λ be an infinite cardinal. Then there is an ordered field of cardinality λ.

Corollary 1.4.2
The Archimedean property is not a first-order property.

1.5 Completeness

Lenma 1.5.1
Suppose $\mathbb{F}$ is an ordered field that is not Dedekind complete. Then $\exists$ and infinite $E \subseteq \mathbb{F}$ such that:

1. E bounded above, $\emptyset \neq U(E)$ is open, $\emptyset \neq U(E)^C$ is open.
2. $a \in U(E)^C$, $b \in U(E) \implies a < b$.
3. $f : \mathbb{F} \to \mathbb{F}$ with $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \in U(E) \\ 0 & x \in U(E)^C \end{cases}$ is differentiable with $f' = 0$.

Theorem 1.5.1 Characteristics of Dedekind Completeness
Let $\mathbb{F}$ be an ordered field. The following are equivalent:

1. $\mathbb{F}$ is Dedekind complete.
2. $\mathbb{F}$ has the intermediate value property: If $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ is continuous and $\min(f(a), f(b)) < c < \max(f(a), f(b))$, then $\exists x \in [a, b]$ such that $f(x) = c$.
3. $\mathbb{F}$ satisfies the mean value property: If $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ is continuous and differentiable on (a, b), then $\exists x \in (a, b)$ such that $f'(x) = \frac{f(b)-f(a)}{b-a}$.
4. $\mathbb{F}$ satisfies Cauchy mean value property: If $f, g : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ are both continuous and differentiable on (a, b), then $\exists x \in (a, b)$ such that $\frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} = \frac{f(b)-f(a)}{g(b)-g(a)}$.
5. $\mathbb{F}$ satisfies the extreme value property: If $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ is continuous, then f attains a maximum and minimum on $[a, b]$.

Proof. $1 \implies 2$: Let $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ and continuous. WLOG, assume $f(a) < c < f(b)$. Define $E = \{x \in [a, b] \mid f(x) < c\}$. E is nonempty and bounded above by b. Let $x = \sup E$. We claim that $f(x) = c$. Since f is continuous, $\exists \kappa > 0$ such that $f(t) < c \, \forall t \in [a, a + \kappa]$ and $f(t) > c \, \forall t \in [b - \kappa, b]$. So, $a + \frac{\kappa}{2} < x < b - \frac{\kappa}{2}$.

Suppose BWOC $f(x) < c$. Again by continuity, $\exists \delta > 0$ such that $f(t) < c$ for all $t \in B(x, \delta) \subseteq [a, b]$. Then $x + \frac{\delta}{2} \in E$, contradiction.

Then suppose BWOC $f(x) > c$. Again, $\exists \delta > 0$ such that $f(t) > c$ for all $t \in B(x, \delta) \subseteq [a, b]$. Then $\exists z \in E$ such that $x - \frac{\delta}{2} < z \leqslant x$ and $f(z) < c$. But then $c < f(z) < c$, contradiction.

So $f(x) = c$ by trichotomy.

$2 \implies 1$: We'll show $\neg 1 \implies \neg 2$. Suppose $\mathbb{F}$ is not Dedekind complete. Then we can let $f : \mathbb{F} \to \mathbb{F}$ be the strange function from the lemma, and we can pick $a < b$ with $a \in U(E)^C$ and $b \in U(E)$. Then f is continuous on $[a, b]$, $f(a) - < 1 = f(b)$, but there is not $x \in [a, b]$ with $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}$, by construction.

$1 \implies 5$: First we claim that if $\mathbb{F}$ is Dedekind and $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ is continuous, then $f([a, b]) \subseteq \mathbb{F}$ is a bounded set. We prove the claim.

Consider $E = \{x \in [a, b] \mid f([a, x]) \text{ is bounded}\}$. $a \in E$ and E is bounded, so we can let $s = \sup E$. Next note that by continuity, if $[c, d] \subseteq [a, b]$ such that $f([c, d])$ is bounded, then $\exists \delta > 0$ such that $f([a, b] \cap [c - \delta, d + \delta])$ is bounded. Using this, deduce in turn that $a < s$, $s = \max E$, and $s = b$.

So now suppose $\mathbb{F}$ is Dedekind complete and let $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ be continuous. The claim establishes that $f([a, b]) \subseteq \mathbb{F}$ is a bounded set, so we can let $\begin{cases} \mu = \inf f([a, b]) \\ \lambda = \sup f([a, b]) \end{cases}$. Suppose BWOC that $f(x) < \lambda$ for all $x \in [a, b]$. Then teh function $g : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ defined by $g(x) = \frac{1}{\lambda - f(x)}$ is continuous and positive. So by the claim, there is $k > 0$ such that $g(x) \leqslant k$ for all $x \in [a, b]$. But then

$$\frac{1}{\lambda - f(x)} \leqslant k \implies \frac{1}{k} \leqslant \lambda - f(x) \implies f(x) \leqslant \lambda - \frac{1}{k},$$

for all $x \in [a, b]$. But this contradicts the definition of λ, as we just found a better upper bound.

Therefore, there does exists $M \in [a, b]$ such that $f(M) = \lambda$, which is $\max f([a, b])$.

The min follows from a similar argument.

$5 \implies 4$: Let $f, g : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ be continuous and differentiable on (a, b). Let $h : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$ via $h(x) = f(x)(g(b) - g(a)) - g(x)(f(b) - f(a))$. It suffices to show $\exists x \in (a, b)$ such that $h'(x) = 0$.

By construction, $h(a) = h(b)$. If $h(x) = h(a)$ for all $x \in [a, b]$, then $h' = 0$ and we're done. Suppose then that h is not constant. Then EVT shows that f attains its maximal/minimum values, and at least one must occur at the point $x \in (a, b)$, therefore $h'(x) = 0$.

$4 \implies 3$: Let $g(x) = x$. Done.

$3 \implies 1$. We'll show $\neg 1 \implies \neg 3$. Suppose $\mathbb{F}$ is not Dedekind complete. Then we can let $f : \mathbb{F} \to \mathbb{F}$ be the function from the lemma, and we can pick $a < b$ with $a \in U(E)^C$ and $b \in U(E)$. Then consider the restriction $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{F}$. Then $1 = 1 - 0 = f(b) - f(a)$. Then, $f'(x)(b - a) = 0 \cdot (b - a) = 0$ for all $x \in \mathbb{F}$. $0 \neq 1$ so $\neg 3$ as desired. 😄

Chapter 2

$\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}, \bar{\mathbb{R}}$

Theorem 2.0.1

$\mathbb{R}$ is uncountable.

Proof. $\mathbb{Q} \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, so $\mathbb{R}$ is definitely infinite. Suppose BWOC that there was a bijection $f : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{R}$. Set $I_0 = [f(0)+1, f(0)+2]$ and not that $f(0) \notin I_0$. Suppose we are given closed, nested, non-singleton intervals $I_n \subseteq I_{n-1} \subseteq \cdots \subseteq I_0$ such that $f(k) \notin I_k$ for $0 \leqslant k \leqslant n$. If $f(n+1) \notin I_n$, then set $I_{n+1} = I_n$. Otherwise, set I_{n+1} to some non-singleton closed interval contained in I_n such that $f(n+1) \notin I_{n+1}$.

Since $\mathbb{R}$ is Dedekind complete, we have that $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} I_n \neq \emptyset$. So, there is an x such that $x \in I_n$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. But then $x \neq f(n)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, contradiction since f is a bijection. 😊

Note:

Upshot: Most of $\mathbb{R}$ is transcendental over $\mathbb{Q}$.

2.1 Extended Reals: $\bar{\mathbb{R}}$

Definition 2.1.1: Extended Reals

$\bar{\mathbb{R}} = \mathbb{R} \cup \{-\infty, \infty\}$. We endow $\bar{\mathbb{R}}$ with the following order: We write $x < y$ for $x, y \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$ if:

1. $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ and $x < y$.
2. $x = -\infty$ and $y \in \bar{\mathbb{R}} \setminus \{-\infty\}$.
3. $x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}} \setminus \{\infty\}$ and $y = \infty$.

Facts:

- $(\bar{\mathbb{R}}, <)$ is an ordered set that satisfies the supremum property.
- All sets in $\bar{\mathbb{R}}$ are bounded above.
- All sets in $\bar{\mathbb{R}}$ admit a sup/inf, i.e.
  - $\sup : \mathcal{P}(\bar{\mathbb{R}}) \to \bar{\mathbb{R}}$.
  - $\inf : \mathcal{P}(\bar{\mathbb{R}}) \to \bar{\mathbb{R}}$.

  Note: $\sup \emptyset = -\infty$ and $\inf \emptyset = \infty$. Also, $A \subseteq B \subseteq \bar{\mathbb{R}}$ implies $\sup A \leqslant \sup B$ and $\inf A \geqslant \inf B$. And if $E \neq \emptyset$, then $\inf E \leqslant \sup E$.

Note:

$\bar{\mathbb{R}}$ isn't an OF because if it were, then it would be Dedekind complete and then there would exists an ordered field isomorphism $f : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ such that $f(x) = \infty$ for some $x \in \mathbb{R}$. but then $f(x+1) = f(x)+f(1) = \infty+1 = \infty$, which is not a true statement.

Definition 2.1.2

We endow $\bar{\mathbb{R}}$ with the following "algebra."

1. If $x \in \mathbb{R}$, we set $x + \infty = \infty + x = \infty$.
2. If $x \in \mathbb{R}$, we set $x + (-\infty) = (-\infty) + x = -\infty$.
3. $\infty + \infty = \infty$.
4. $-\infty + (-\infty) = -\infty$.
5. If $0 < x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$, we set $x \cdot \infty = \infty \cdot x = \infty$.
6. If $0 < x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$, we set $x \cdot (-\infty) = (-\infty) \cdot x = -\infty$.
7. If $0 > x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$, we set $x \cdot \infty = \infty \cdot x = -\infty$.
8. If $0 > x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$, we set $x \cdot (-\infty) = (-\infty) \cdot x = \infty$.
9. If $x \in \mathbb{R}$, we set $\frac{x}{\infty} = \frac{x}{-\infty} = 0$.
10. $\infty^{-1} = 0 = (-\infty)^{-1}$.
11. If $0 < x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$, we set $\frac{x}{0} = \infty$.
12. If $0 > x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$, we set $\frac{x}{0} = -\infty$.

Forbidden/undefined: $\infty + (-\infty)$, $\infty \cdot 0$, $\frac{0}{0}$, $\frac{\pm\infty}{\pm\infty}$, $\frac{\pm\infty}{\mp\infty}$.

2.1.1 Sequences in $\bar{\mathbb{R}}$

Definition 2.1.3: Sequence

A sequence in $\bar{\mathbb{R}}$ is $\{x_n\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq \bar{\mathbb{R}}$ for $\ell \in \mathbb{Z}$.

In turn, we define new sequences $\{a_N\}_{N=\ell}^{\infty}, \{b_N\}_{N=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq \bar{\mathbb{R}}$:

- $a_N = \inf\{x_n \mid n \geqslant N\}$.
- $b_N = \sup\{x_n \mid n \geqslant N\}$.

We then set $\liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n = \sup_{N\geqslant \ell} \inf_{n\geqslant N} x_n = \sup_{N\geqslant \ell} a_N$ and $\limsup_{n\to\infty} x_n = \inf_{N\geqslant\ell} \sup_{n\geqslant N} x_n = \inf_{N\geqslant\ell} b_N$.

Example 2.1.1

Let $x_n = \begin{cases} (-1)^n & n \equiv 0 \mod 2 \\ n & n \equiv 1 \mod 2 \end{cases}$. Then, $\limsup_{n\to\infty} x_n = \infty$ and $\liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n = 1$.

Proposition 2.1.1

Let $\{x_n\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq \bar{\mathbb{R}}$. Then $\liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n \leqslant \limsup_{n\to\infty} x_n$.

Proof. Let $M, N \geqslant \ell$ and $K = \max(M, N)$. Then, $\inf_{n>N} x_n \leqslant \inf_{n>K} x_n \leqslant \sup_{n\geqslant K} x_n \leqslant \sup_{n\geqslant M} x_n$.

Thus, $\liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n = \sup_{N\geqslant \ell} \inf_{n\geqslant N} x_n \leqslant \sup_{n\geqslant M} x_n$ for all $M \geqslant \ell$. So, $\liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n \leqslant \limsup_{n\to\infty} x_n$. 😄

Proposition 2.1.2

Let $a_n, b_n \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$ and suppose $\exists K \geqslant \ell$ such that $a_n \leqslant b_n$ for all $n \geqslant K$. Then, $\liminf_{n\to\infty} a_n \leqslant \liminf_{n\to\infty} b_n$ and $\limsup_{n\to\infty} a_n \leqslant \limsup_{n\to\infty} b_n$.

Proof. We can claim that if $k \geqslant K$, then

$$\inf\{a_n \mid n \geqslant k\} \leqslant \inf\{b_n \mid n \geqslant k\}$$
$$\sup\{b_n \mid n \geqslant k\} \leqslant \sup\{a_n \mid n \geqslant k\}.$$

Indeed, if $\exists k \geqslant K$ such that $\inf\{a_n \mid n \geqslant k\} > \inf\{b_n \mid n \geqslant k\}$, then $\exists m \geqslant k$ such that $b_m < \inf\{a_n \mid n \geqslant k\} \leqslant a_m \leqslant b_m$, contradiction. Ditto for sup.

Now define for $N \geqslant \ell$, $C_N = \inf_{n\geqslant N} a_n$, $D_N = \inf_{n\geqslant N} b_N$, $E_N = \sup_{n\geqslant N} a_n$, and $F_N = \sup_{n\geqslant N} b_n$.

The above claims show that $N \geqslant K$ then $C_N \leqslant D_N$ and $E_N \leqslant F_N$. Then we iterate to learn:

$$\liminf_{n\to\infty} a_n = \sup_{N\geqslant\ell} C_N \leqslant \sup_{N\geqslant\ell} D_N = \liminf_{n\to\infty} b_n$$
$$\limsup_{n\to\infty} a_n = \inf_{N\geqslant\ell} E_N \leqslant \inf_{N\geqslant\ell} F_N = \limsup_{n\to\infty} b_n.$$

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Theorem 2.1.1

Suppose $a_n, b_n \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$. The following hold:

1. If $\limsup_{n\to\infty} a_n < x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$, then $\exists N \geqslant \ell$ such that $a_n < x$ for all $n \geqslant N$.
2. If $\liminf_{n\to\infty} a_n > x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$, then $\exists N \geqslant \ell$ such that $a_n > x$ for all $n \geqslant N$.
3. $\liminf_{n\to\infty} a_n = -\limsup_{n\to\infty} -a_n$.
4. $\limsup_{n\to\infty} a_n = -\liminf_{n\to\infty} -a_n$.
5. $\limsup_{n\to\infty} a_n + b_n \leqslant \limsup_{n\to\infty} a_n + \limsup_{n\to\infty} b_n$, provided that all arithmetic operations are well-defined.
6. $\liminf_{n\to\infty} a_n + \liminf_{n\to\infty} b_n \leqslant \liminf_{n\to\infty} a_n + b_n$, provided that all arithmetic operations are well-defined.

Proof.
1. Suppose $\limsup_{n\to\infty} a_n = \inf_{N\geqslant\ell} \sup_{n\geqslant N} a_n < x$. This implies that $\exists N \geqslant \ell$ such that $\sup_{n\geqslant N} a_n < x$, meaning $a_n < x$ for all $n \geqslant N$.
2. Similar as above.
3. For any $\emptyset \neq X \subseteq \mathbb{F}$, we have that $-\sup(-X) = \inf X$ and $-\inf(-X) = \sup X$. So the result follows.
4. Same as above.
5. We break into cases:
   (a) $\limsup a_n = \infty$ or $\limsup b_n = \infty$. Then $\limsup a_n + b_n = \infty \geqslant \limsup a_n + \limsup b_n$.
   (b) Suppose either $\limsup a_n = -\infty$ or $\limsup b_n = -\infty$. WLOG consider the first option. Since $\limsup b_n < \infty$, then there eixsts $N_1 \geqslant \ell$ and $K \geqslant \mathbb{R}$ such that $b_n < K$ for $n \geqslant N_1$. Now let $m \in \mathbb{N}$ and note that $-\infty < -m - K$. We can use the first result of the theorem to pick $N_2 \geqslant \ell$ such that $n \geqslant N_2 \implies a_n < -m - K$. Then, if $n \geqslant \max(N_1, N_2)$, we have $a_n + b_n < -m$, so $\limsup a_n + b_n = -\infty \leqslant \limsup a_n + \limsup b_n$.

(c) $\limsup a_n, \limsup b_n \in \mathbb{R}$. Let $\epsilon > 0$, then $\exists N_1, N_2 \geqslant \ell$ such that $n \geqslant N_1 \implies a_n < \limsup a_n + \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ and $n \geqslant N_2 \implies b_n < \limsup b_n + \frac{\epsilon}{2}$. Then, $n \geqslant \max(N_1, N_2) \implies a_n + b_n < \limsup a_n + \limsup b_n + \epsilon$, so $\limsup a_n + b_n \leqslant \limsup a_n + \limsup b_n + \epsilon$ for all ϵ.

6. Same as above.

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Lemma 2.1.1

Let $x_n \subseteq \mathbb{R}$. The following are equivalent for $x \in \mathbb{R}$:

1. $x_n \to x$ as $n \to \infty$.
2. $\liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n = \limsup_{n\to\infty} x_n = x$.

Proof. Let $\epsilon > 0$. Then $\exists N \geqslant \ell$ such that $n \geqslant N \implies x - \epsilon < x_n < x + \epsilon$. Thus, $x - \epsilon \leqslant \liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n \leqslant \limsup_{n\to\infty} x_n \leqslant x + \epsilon$ for all $\epsilon > 0$. This implies that $\liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n = \limsup_{n\to\infty} x_n = x$.

Now let $\epsilon > 0$. Then by the previous theorem, there exists $N_1, N_2 \geqslant \ell$ such that $\begin{cases} x - \epsilon < x_n & n \geqslant N_1 \\ x_n < x + \epsilon & n \geqslant N_2 \end{cases}$. Thus, $n \geqslant \max(N_1, N_2) \implies x - \epsilon < x_n < x + \epsilon$, so $x_n \to x$ as $n \to \infty$. 😃

Definition 2.1.4

Let $x_n \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$ and $x \in \bar{\mathbb{R}}$. We say that $x_n \to x$ as $n \to \infty$ if $\liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n = \limsup_{n\to\infty} x$.

Remarks:

1. The lemma shows this extends the notion of convergence in $\mathbb{R}$.
2. Limits are unique, when they exist.

Example 2.1.2

1. $\lim_{n\to\infty} n = \infty$ $(n \to \infty$ as $n \to \infty)$.
2. Version of squeeze lemma
3. TFAE:
   - $x_n \to \infty$ as $n \to \infty$.
   - $\liminf_{n\to\infty} x_n = \infty$.
   - $\forall M \in \mathbb{N}$, there exists $N \geqslant \ell$ such that $n \geqslant N \implies M \leqslant x_N$.

Chapter 3

Metric Spaces

Definition 3.0.1: Metric

Let X be a nonempty set. A metric on X is a function $d : X \times X \to \mathbb{R}$ such that:

1. $d(x, y) \geqslant 0$ for all $x, y \in X$, and $d(x, y) = 0 \iff x = y$.
2. $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$ for all $x, y \in X$.
3. $d(x, y) \leqslant d(x, z) + d(z, y)$ for all $x, y, z \in X$.

Definition 3.0.2

A metric space is (X, d) for $X \neq \emptyset$ and d a metric on X.

Example 3.0.1

1. $\mathbb{R}$ with $d(x, y) = |x - y|$.
2. $\mathbb{C}$ with $d(x, y) = |x - y|$.
3. (Discrete Metric) Let $X \neq \emptyset$ be any set. Then $d : X \times X \to \{0, 1\}$ defined by $d(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0 & x = y \\ 1 & x \neq y \end{cases}$ is a metric on X.
4. Let V be a normed metric space with norm $\|\cdot\|$. Then $d(x, y) = \|x - y\|$ is a metric on V.
5. Suppose (Y, d) is a metric space and suppose $f : X \to Y$ is an injection where $X \neq \emptyset$ is a set. Then $\sigma : X \times X \to \mathbb{R}$ defined by $\sigma(x, y) = d(f(x), f(y))$ is a metric on X.

   Proof. We need to show that σ satisfies the three properties of a metric.

   (a) $\sigma(x, y) \geqslant 0$ because $d \geqslant 0$ and $\sigma(x, y) = 0 \iff d(f(x), f(y)) = 0 \iff f(x) = f(y) \iff x = y$.

   (b) The other two are very trivial.

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6. Let Y be a metric space and $\emptyset \neq X \subseteq Y$. Then $d : X \times X \to \mathbb{R}$ defined by $d(x, y) = d_Y(x, y)$ is a metric on X.

7. Consider $f : (0, \infty) \to \mathbb{R}$ and $g : (0, \infty) \to \mathbb{R}$ with $f(x) = \log x$ and $g(x) = \frac{1}{x}$. Then $d_f(x, y) = \left|\log \frac{x}{y}\right|$ and $d_g(x, y) = \left|\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y}\right| = \frac{|x-y|}{|x||y|}$ are metrics on $(0, \infty)$.

8. Let V, W be finite dimensional vector spaces over $\mathbb{F} \in \{\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}\}$. Let $L(V, W) = \{T : V \to W : T \text{ linear}\}$. Then define $\operatorname{rk}(T) = \dim \operatorname{ran} T$ for $T \in L(V, W)$. Note that $\operatorname{ran}(T+S) = \{Tx+Sx \mid x \in \mathbb{F}\} \subseteq \{Tx+Sy \mid x, y \in \mathbb{F}\} = \operatorname{ran} T + \operatorname{ran} S$. Then, $\operatorname{rk}(T + S) \leqslant \operatorname{rk}(T) + \operatorname{rk}(S)$.

   Define $d(T, S) = \operatorname{rk}(T - S) \in \mathbb{N} \subseteq [0, \infty]$.

   - $d(T, S) = 0 \iff \operatorname{rk}(T - S) = 0 \iff T - S = 0$.
   - Has symmetry.
   - Triangle inequality: $d(T - S) = \operatorname{rk}(T - R + R - S) \leqslant \operatorname{rk}(T - R) + \operatorname{rk}(R - S) = d(T, R) + d(R, S)$.

9. Let $f : \bar{R}R \to [-1, 1]$ via $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x = \infty \\ -1 & x = -\infty \\ \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} & x \in \mathbb{R} \end{cases}$. Then $d(x, y) = |f(x) - f(y)|$ is a metric on $\bar{\mathbb{R}}$.

Definition 3.0.3

Let X be a metric space.

1. For $x \in X$ and $r \geqslant 0$, we define $B(x, r) = \{y \in X \mid d(x, y) < r\}$. And $B[x, r] = \{y \in X \mid d(x, y) \leqslant r\}$.

2. A set $E \subseteq XX$ is bounded if $\exists(R \geqslant 0)$ such that $E \subseteq B(x, R)$ for some $x \in X$.

3. Let Y be any set and $f : Y \to X$. We say f is a bounded function if $f(Y) \subseteq X$ is bounded. We write $\mathcal{B}(Y; X) = \{g : Y \to X \mid g \text{ is bounded}\}$.

Example 3.0.2

1. $f : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{C}$ via $f(t) = e^{it} \implies f(t) = 1 \implies f(\mathbb{R}) \subseteq B[0, 1]$ is bounded. So, $f \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}; \mathbb{C})$.

2. $f : (0, \infty) \to \mathbb{R}$ via $f(t) = \frac{\log t}{\sqrt{1+(\log t)^2}}$. So, $f \in \mathcal{B}((0, \infty); \mathbb{R})$.

3. Let X be a metric space and Y a nonempty set. Consider $\mathcal{B}(X; Y)$. If $f \in \mathcal{B}(X; Y)$, then $\exists y \in Y$ and $R \geqslant 0$ such that $d(f(x), y) \leqslant R$ for all x. Thus, $\sup_{x \in X} d(f(x), y) := \sup\{d(f(x), y) \mid x \in X\} \in [0, R]$.

   Similarly, if $f, g \in \mathcal{B}(X; Y)$, then exists $R \geqslant 0$ and $y_1, y_2 \in Y$ such that $d(f(x), y_1) \leqslant R$ and $d(g(x), y_2) \leqslant R$ for all $x \in X$. Then, $d(f(x), g(x)) \leqslant d(f(x), y_1) + d(y_1, y_2) + d(y_2, g(x)) \leqslant 2R + d(y_1, y_2) < \infty$ for all $x \in X$. So, $\sup_{x \in X} d(f(x), g(x)) < \infty$. We now define

$$\begin{aligned} d : \mathcal{B}(X; Y) \times \mathcal{B}(X; Y) &\to [0, \infty) \\ (f, g) &\mapsto \sup_{x \in X} d(f(x), g(x)). \end{aligned}$$

   Proof. Consider the properties of a metric:

   - $d(f, g) = 0 \iff \sup_{x \in X} d(f(x), g(x)) = 0 \iff d(f(x), g(x)) = 0 \iff f(x) = g(x)$ for all $x \in X \iff f = g$.
   - Symmetry is trivial.
   - Let $f, g, h \in \mathcal{B}(X; Y)$. Then, $d(f, h) = \sup_{x \in X} d(f(x), h(x)) \leqslant \sup_{x \in X} d(f(x), g(x)) + d(g(x), h(x)) \leqslant d(f, g) + d(g, h)$.

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Definition 3.0.4

Let X and Y be metric spaces:

1. A map $f : X \to Y$ is an isometric embedding if $d_Y(f(x), f(y)) = d_X(x, y)$ for all $x, y \in X$. Note, such an f is injective.
2. f is an isometry if it's an isometric embedding and surjective.
3. X and Y are isometric if there exists an isometry $f : X \to Y$.

Example 3.0.3

1. Consider $\mathbb{R}^n$ with $|\cdot| = \|\cdot\|_2$, that is, 2-norm.
2. Recall $O(n) = \{\mathcal{M} \in \mathbb{R}^{n\times n} \mid \mathcal{M}^T\mathcal{M} = I\}$ and $R \in O(n) \implies |Rx| = |x|$.
   Let $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $R \in O(n)$, and set $f : \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^n$ via $f(x) = a + Rx$. Then,
   $$|f(x) - f(y)| = |a + Rx - (a + Ry)| = |Rx - Ry| = |R(x - y)|.$$
   Also, $y = f(x) = a + Rx \iff y - a = Rx$. So, f is an isometry.
3. Consider $x \mapsto ix \in \mathbb{C}$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}$. This is an isometric embedding but obviously not an isometry for it is not surjective.

The next example is so important that we call it a theorem. Recall $\mathcal{B}(X) = \mathcal{B}(X; \mathbb{R})$ for $X \neq \emptyset$ is a set. Note that if V is a normed vector space, then $\mathcal{B}(X; V)$ is too: $\|f\|_{\mathcal{B}} = \sup_{x\in X} \|f(x)\|_V$ is a norm (exercise) and $d_{\mathcal{B}}(f, g) = \|f - g\|_{\mathcal{B}}$.

Theorem 3.0.1

Let X be a metric space and fix an arbitrary element $a \in X$. For $x \in X$, we'll define $\varphi_x : X \to \mathbb{R}$ via $\varphi_x(y) = d(x, y) - d(y, a)$. The following hold:

1. $\varphi_x \in \mathcal{B}(X)$ for all $x \in X$.
2. Define $\Phi : X \to \mathcal{B}(X)$ via $\Phi(x) = \varphi_x$. Then, Φ is an isometric embedding.

Proof. First note, $|\varphi_x(y)| = |d(x, y) - d(y, a)| \leqslant d(x, a)$ by the triangle inequality. So, $\|\varphi_X\|_{\mathcal{B}} = \sup_{y\in X} |\varphi_x(y)| \leqslant d(x, a) < \infty$. This shows the first result.

Next, fix $x, z \in X$ and consider $\varphi_x(y) - \varphi_z(y) = d(x, y) - d(y, a) - d(z, y) + d(y, a)$. So,

$$|\varphi_x(y) - \varphi_z(y)| = |d(x, y) - d(y, z)| \leqslant d(x, z).$$

Thus, $d_{\mathcal{B}}(\varphi_x, \varphi_y) = \|\varphi_x - \varphi_y\|_{\mathcal{B}} = \sup_{y\in X} |\varphi_x(y) - \varphi_z(y)| \leqslant d(x, z)$.

On the other hand, $|\varphi_x(z) - \varphi_z(z)| = |d(x, z) - \cancelto{0}{d(z, z)}| = d(x, z)$. So, $d_{\mathcal{B}}(\varphi_x, \varphi_z) = d(x, z)$. 😊

Chapter 4

Basic Metric Space Topology

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Proposition 4.0.1

Let $Y_1, \ldots, Y_n$ be metric spaces and consider $Y = \prod_{i=1}^n Y_i$, endowed with a p-metric from Homework 3. That is,

$$d_p(x, y) = \begin{cases} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n d_{Y_i}^p(x_i, y_i)\right)^{1/p} & 1 \leqslant p < \infty \\ \max_{1 \leqslant i \leqslant n} d_{Y_i}^p(x_i, y_i) & p = \infty \end{cases}.$$

Suppose $\{y_k\}_{k=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq Y$ is given by $y_k = (y_{k,1}, \ldots, y_{k,n})$. The following hold:

1. Let $y = (y_1, \ldots, y_n) \in Y$. Then $y_k \to y$ in Y as $n \to \infty \iff y_{k,i} \to y_i$ in Y_i as $k \to \infty$ for all $1 \leqslant i \leqslant n$.

2. $\{y_k\}_{k=\ell}^{\infty}$ is Cauchy in Y if and only if $\{y_{k,i}\}_{k=\ell}^{\infty}$ is Cauchy in Y_i for all $1 \leqslant i \leqslant n$.

Proof. We'll only prove 1. as 2. is very similar. Suppose $y_k \to y$ as $k \to \infty$. Note that for $1 \leqslant i \leqslant n$, $d_i(y_{k,i}, y_i) \leqslant d_Y(y_k, y)$. Thus, for $\epsilon > 0$, we pick $K \geqslant \ell$ such that if $k \geqslant K$, then $d_Y(y_k, y) \leqslant \epsilon$. But then $k \geqslant K \implies d_i(y_{k,i}) \leqslant d_Y(y_k, y) \leqslant \epsilon$ for all $1 \leqslant i \leqslant n$, meaning $y_{k,i} \to y_i$ as $k \to \infty$ for $1 \leqslant i \leqslant n$.

Now suppose $y_{k,i} \to y_i$ as $k \to \infty$ for all $1 \leqslant i \leqslant n$. Let $\epsilon > 0$ and pick $K_i \geqslant \ell$ such that $k \geqslant K_i \implies d_i(y_{k,i}, y_i) < \frac{\epsilon}{n^{1/p}}$. Let $K = \max K_i \geqslant \ell$, and note $k \geqslant K \implies d_i(y_{k,i}, y_i) < \frac{\epsilon}{n^{1/p}}$ for all $1 \leqslant i \leqslant n$. This means

$$\begin{cases} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n d_i^p(y_{k,i}, y_i)\right)^{1/p} \leqslant \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\epsilon^p}{n}\right)^{1/p} = \epsilon & 1 \leqslant p < \infty \\ \max_i d_i(y_{k,i}, y_i) < \epsilon & p = \infty \end{cases}$$

So, $y_k \to y$ as $k \to \infty$. 😃

Definition 4.0.1

Let $X \neq \emptyset$ be a set and d_1, d_2 be metrics on X. We say d_1 and d_2 are equivalent if $\exists c_1, c_2 > 0$ such that $c_1 d_1(x, y) \leqslant d_2(x, y) \leqslant c_2 d_1(x, y)$ for all $x, y \in X$.

The point is that equivalent metrics give the same notions of convergence, Cauchyness, and boundedness.

Example 4.0.1 (Equivalent Norms)

1. All norms on $\mathbb{F}^n$ are equivalent.
2. From recitation, $\|\cdot\|_p$ are all equivalent on $\mathbb{F}^n$ for $1 \leqslant p \leqslant \infty$.
3. Let $Y_1, \dots, Y_n$ be metric spaces and form $Y = \prod_{i=1}^n Y_i$. Then

$$d_p(x,y) = \|(d_1(x,y), \dots, d_n(x,y))\|_p \asymp \|(d_1(x,y), \dots, d_n(x,y))\|_q = d_q(x,y)$$

   Therefore, $d_p \asymp d_q$ in Y.

   Note: This does not mean all metrics on Y are equivalent.

Example 4.0.2

Let $V_1, \dots, V_n, W$ be normed vector sapces over $\mathbb{F}$. We define $\mathcal{L}(V_1, \dots, V_n; W)$ is the set of $\{T \in L(V_1, \dots, V_n; W) \mid \|T\|_{\mathcal{L}} < \infty\}$ where $\|T\|_{\mathcal{L}} := \sup\{\|T(v_1, \dots, v_n)\|_W \mid v_i \in V_i : \|v_i\|_{V_i} < 1\} \in [0, \infty]$. Facts:

1. This is indeed a norm.
2. $T \in \mathcal{L} \iff \|T(v_1, \dots, v_n)\|_W \leqslant c \prod_{i=1}^n \|v_i\|_{V_i}$ for all $v_i \in V_i$ for some $0 \leqslant c < \infty$. $c = \|T\|_{\mathcal{L}}$ is the best constant.

Theorem 4.0.1 Algebra of Sequences

Let $V_1, \dots, V_n, W$ be normed vector spaces over a common field $\mathbb{F}$. The following hold:

1. Let $\{v_{k,i}\}_{k=\ell}^\infty \subseteq V_i$ for $1 \leqslant i \leqslant n$ be such that $v_{k,i} \to v_i$ in V_i as $k \to \infty$. Let $\{T_k\}_{k=\ell}^\infty \subseteq \mathcal{L}(V_1, \dots, V_n; W)$ be such that $T_k \to T$ as $k \to \infty$. Then $T_k(v_{k,1}, \dots, v_{k,n}) \to T(v_1, \dots, v_n)$ in W as $k \to \infty$.
2. If $\{u_k\}, \{v_k\} \subseteq V_1$ are such that $u_k \to u$, $v_k \to v$ then $u_k + v_k \to u + v$ as $k \to \infty$.

Proof. We'll only do 1 because 2 is easy. We start with $n = 2$ for simplicity. Suppose $\{x_k\} \subseteq V_1$, $\{y_k\} \subseteq V_w$ such taht $x_k \to x$ and $y_k \to y$ as $k \to \infty$. Then let $\sup_{k \geqslant \ell} \max\{\|x_k\|_{V_1}, \|y_k\|_{V_2}, \|T_k\|_{\mathcal{L}}\} = M < \infty$. Then,

$$T_k(x_k, y_k) - T(x,y) = T_k(x_k, y_k - y) + T_k(x_k, y) - T(x,y)$$
$$T_k(x_k, y_k + y) + T(x_k - x, y) + T_k(x,y) - T(x,y).$$

This shows that

$$\|T_k(x_k, y_k) - T(x,y)\|_W \leqslant \|T_k\|_{\mathcal{L}} \|x_k\|_{V_1} \|y - y_k\|_{V_2} + \|T_k\|_{\mathcal{L}} \|x - x_k\|_{V_1} \|y_k\|_{V_2} + \|T - T_k\|_{\mathcal{L}} \|x_k\|_{V_1} \|$$
$$\leqslant M^2 \|y - y_k\|_{V_2} + M^2 \|x - x_k\|_{V_1} + M^2 \|T - T_k\|_{\mathcal{L}} \to 0$$

as $k \to \infty$. 😄

Definition 4.0.2

1. We say a metric space X is complete if every Cauchy sequence in X is convergent in X.
2. We say a normed vector space is Banach if it's complete.
3. We say an inner product space is a Hilbert space if it's Banach.

Example 4.0.3

1. $(\mathbb{R}, |\cdot|)$ is complete.
2. $X = \prod_{i=1}^{n} X_i$ with p-metric is complete if and only if each X_i is complete. In particular, $(\mathbb{R}^n, \|\cdot\|)$ is complete.
3. $\mathbb{F}^n$ is complete with any more.
4. $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ is not complete with $|\cdot|$ as the metric.
5. $\mathbb{Q}^n$ with $|\cdot|$ is not complete.

Example 4.0.4

1. V is a finite dimensional normed vector spaces. $\varphi : \mathbb{F}^n \to V$ isomorphism. Then $\mathbb{F}^n \ni x \mapsto \|\varphi(x)\|_V \in [0, \infty)$ defines a norm on $\mathbb{F}^N$, which we call $|||x|||$. Then $(\mathbb{F}^n, |||\cdot|||)$ is isometric to $(V, \|\cdot\|_V)$, and hence V is complete.
2. Let $\emptyset \neq X$ be a set endowed with the discrete metric. Suppose $\{x_n\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq X$ is Cauchy and pick $N \geqslant \ell$ such that $n, m \geqslant N \implies d(x_n, x_m) < 1$. Then $x_n = x_m = x_N$. So $x_n \to x_N$ as $n \to \infty$. Therefore X is complete.

Note that $Y = \prod Y_i$ is complete iff each individual Y_i is complete.

Theorem 4.0.2

Let $V_1, \ldots, V_k, W$ be normed vector spaces over $\mathbb{F}$. If W is Banach, then so is $\mathcal{L}(V_1, \ldots, V_k)$.

Proof. Suppose $\{T_n\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq \mathcal{L}(V_1, \ldots, V_k; W$ is Cauchy. For fixed $v_1, \ldots, v_k) \in \prod_{i=1}^{k} V_i$, we bound

$$\|T_n(v_1, \ldots, v_k) - T_m(v_1, \ldots, v_k)\|_W \leqslant \|T_n - T_m\|_{\mathcal{L}} \prod_{i=1}^{k} \|v_i\|_{V_i}.$$

Therefore, $\{T_n(v_1, \ldots, v_k)\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq W$ is Cauchy and hence convergent. We may thus define $T : V_1 \times \cdots \times V_k \to W$ via $T(v_1, \ldots, v_k) = \lim_{n\to\infty} T_n(v_1, \ldots, v_k)$.

1. $T \in L(V_1, \ldots, V_k; W)$:

$$T_n(\alpha x + \beta y, v_2, \ldots, v_k) = \alpha T_n(x, v_2, \ldots, v_k) + \beta T_n(y, v_2, \ldots, v_k)$$

   As $n \to \infty$, we get:

$$T(\alpha x + \beta y, v_2, \ldots, v_k) = \alpha T(x, v_2, \ldots, v_k) + \beta T(y, v_2, \ldots, v_k).$$

   Repeat in other slots if $k \geqslant 2$. As such, it is multilinear.

2. $T \in \mathcal{L}(V_1, \ldots, V_k; W)$: Fix $v_i \in V_i$ with $\|v_i\|_{V_i} \leqslant 1$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}\|T(v_1, \ldots, v_k)\|_W &= \lim_{n\to\infty} \|T_n(v_1, \ldots, v_k)\|_W \\ &\leqslant \left(\limsup_{n\to\infty} \|T_n\|_{\mathcal{L}}\right) \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \|v_i\|_{V_i} \leqslant \limsup_{n\to\infty} \|T_n\|_{\mathcal{L}} < \infty.\end{aligned}$$

3. $T_n \to T$ in $\mathcal{L}$ as $n \to \infty$: Let $\epsilon > 0$ and pick $N \geqslant \ell$ such that $n, m \geqslant N \implies \|T_n - T_m\|_{\mathcal{L}} < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$. Then let $v_i \in V_i$ with $\|v_i\|_{V_i} \leqslant 1$. Then,

$$\|T(v_1, \ldots, v_k) - T_n(v_1, \ldots, v_k)\|_W = \lim_{m\to\infty} \|T_m(v_1, \ldots, v_k) - T_n(v_1, \ldots, v_k)\|_W \leqslant \lim_{m\to\infty} \|T_m - T_n\|_{\mathcal{L}} < \frac{\epsilon}{2}.$$

But this implies

$$\|T(v_1, \ldots, v_k) - T_n(v_1, \ldots, v_k)\|_W \leqslant \frac{\epsilon}{2}.$$

By taking the supremum, we get that $\|T - T_n\|_{\mathcal{L}} \leqslant \frac{\epsilon}{2} < \epsilon$.

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Corollary 4.0.1

$V^* = \mathcal{L}(V; \mathbb{F})$ is always Banach.

Definition 4.0.3

Let X be a metric space, $E \subseteq X$.

1. $x \in E$ is an interior point if $\exists \epsilon > 0$ such that $B(x, \epsilon) \subseteq E$. $E^\circ = \{x \in E \mid x \text{ is an interior point}\}$. E is open iff $E = E^\circ$. E is closed iff E^c is open.
2. $x \in X$ is a boundary point of E if $\forall \epsilon > 0$, $B(x, \epsilon) \cap E \neq \emptyset$ and $B(x, \epsilon) \cap E^c = \emptyset$. We write $\partial E = \{x \in X \mid x \text{ is a boundary point of } E\}$. $\bar{E} = E^\circ \cup \partial E$.
3. We say $x \in X$ is a limit point (accumulation point) of E if $\forall \epsilon > 0$ $(B(x, \epsilon) \cap E) \setminus \{x\} \neq \emptyset$. We write $E' = \{x \in X \mid x \text{ is a limit point of } E\}$. If $x \in E \setminus E'$, then x is an isolated point.

Example 4.0.5

Let $(X, disc)$ be given. Claim: all subsets of X are both open and closed.

Proof. $B(x, 1) = \{x\} \implies E \subseteq X$ can be written as

$$E = \cup_{x \in E} B(x, 1),$$

which is open. Therefore $E = (E^c)^c$ is also closed. ☺

Any metric space in which all sets are open and closed is called a discrete space.

Theorem 4.0.3

Let X be a metric space and $C \subseteq X$. The following are equivalent:

1. C is closed.
2. C is sequentially closed; If $\{x_n\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq C$ is such that $x_n \to x$ in X as $n \to \infty$, then $x \in C$.

Proof. $1 \to 2$. Let $\{x_n\} \subseteq C$ be such that $x_n \to x \in X$. Suppose BWOC that $x \in C^c$, which is open. Then $\exists N \geqslant \ell$ such that $n \geqslant N \implies x_n \in C^c \cup C$, which is a contradiction.

$2 \to 1$. BWOC, suppose that C is not closed, which emans C^c is not open. Then $\exists x \in C^c$ such that we can pick $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subseteq C$ such that $x_n \in B(x, 2^{-n}) \cap C$. This means that $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subseteq C$ and $x_n \to x$ as $n \to \infty$. But $x \notin C$, so we have a contradiction. ☺

Corollary 4.0.2

Let X be a complete metric space, and $\emptyset \neq C \subseteq X$. Then C is closed in X iff C is a complete metric space with the metric from X.

Proof. $\implies$: Let $\{x_n\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq C$ be Cauchy. Then $x_n \to x \in X$ as $n \to \infty$ because X is complete. By since C is closed, $x \in C$.

$\impliedby$: Let $\{x_n\} \subseteq C$ be such that $x_n \to x$ in X as $n \to \infty$. Then $\{x_n\}$ is cauchy in C, meaning it's convergent in C, so $x \in C$, so C is sequentially closed. ☺

Definition 4.0.4

Let X be a metric space and $A \subseteq B \subseteq X$. We say A is dense in B if $\forall b \in B$, $\exists \{a_n\} \subseteq A$ such that $a_n \to b$ as $n \to \infty$.

Example 4.0.6

1. $\mathbb{Q}$ is dense in $\mathbb{R}$. $\mathbb{Q}^n$ is dense in $\mathbb{R}^n$. $(\mathbb{Q}^n + i\mathbb{Q}^n) \subseteq \mathbb{C}^n$ is dense.
2. $B(x, r) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ is dense in $B[x, r]$.
3. Let X be given the discrete metric. $B(x, 1) = \{x\}$, but $B[x, 1] = X$, so as long as $X \neq \{x\}$, we do not have $B(x, 1) \subseteq B[x, 1]$ is dense.

Proposition 4.0.2

Let X be a metrid space, $A \subseteq B \subseteq X$. The following are equivalent:

1. A is dense in B.
2. $B \subseteq \bar{A}$.
3. $\forall x \in B$ and $\epsilon > 0$, $\exists a \in A$ such that $d(x, a) < \epsilon$.
4. $\forall x \in B$ and $\epsilon > 0$, $B(x, \epsilon) \cap A \neq \emptyset$.

Proof. Recall $\bar{A} = A \cup A'$.

1 $\implies$ 2. Let $b \in B$. If $b \in A$, we're done. Otherwise $b \notin A$, but by density $\exists \{a_n\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq A \setminus \{b\}$ such that $a_n \to b$ as $n \to \infty$. Thus, $b \in A'$.

2 $\implies$ 1. Suppose $B \subseteq A \cup A' = \bar{A}$. Let $b \in B$. If $b \in A$, let $\{a\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} = b$ then we're done.

So suppose $b \in A' \setminus A$. By definition of limit point, we can pick a sequence $\{a_n\}$ such that $a_n \to b$ as $n \to \infty$. So A is dense in B.

3 $\iff$ 4 is trivial.

2 $\iff$ 3. Again, use $\bar{A} = A \cup A'$. ☺

Corollary 4.0.3

Let X be a metric space and $A \subseteq B \subseteq X$. If A is dense in B, then A is also dense in $\bar{B}$.

Proof. $A \subseteq B$ is dense $\implies$ $A \subseteq B \subseteq \bar{A}$. So $\bar{B} \subseteq \bar{A}$, meaning A is dense is $\bar{B}$ as desired. ☺

Definition 4.0.5

Let X be a metric space. We say X is separable if X has a countable dense subset.

Example 4.0.7 (Separable Vector Spaces)

1. $\mathbb{R}^n$ is separable, ditto for $\mathbb{C}^n$.
2. Let V be a finite dimensional normed vector space. Let $\varphi : \mathbb{F}^n \to V$ be an isomorphism. Endow $\mathbb{F}^n$ with norm $|||x||| = \|\varphi(x)\|_V$, which is equivalent to $|\cdot|$ on $\mathbb{F}^n$. Then V is separable with $\varphi(\mathbb{Q}^n)$ as a countable dense subset.
3. $\ell^\infty(\mathbb{N};\mathbb{F})$ is not separable, but $\ell^p(\mathbb{N};\mathbb{F})$ is for $1 \leqslant p < \infty$.

Definition 4.0.6

Let X, X^* be metric spaces. We say that X^* completes X if:

1. X^* is complete.
2. $\exists f : X \to X^*$ an isometric embedding.
3. $f(x) \subseteq X^*$ is dense.

Theorem 4.0.4 Uniqueness of completions

Let X, Y, Z be metric spaces. Suppose Y and Z both complete X. Then Y and Z are isometric.

Proof. Let $g : X \to Y$ and $h : X \to Z$ be isometric embeddings. We will construct an isometric $f : Y \to Z$. Let $y \in Y$. Since $g(X) \subseteq Y$ is dense, $\exists \{y_n\}_{n=\ell}^\infty \subseteq g(X)$ such that $y_n \to y$ as $n \to \infty$.

Then $\exists! \{x_n\}_{n=\ell}^\infty \subseteq X$ such that $g(x_n) = y_n$ for all $n \geqslant \ell$. Then upon setting $z_n = h(x_n) = h \circ g^{-1}(y_n)$, we have

$$d_Z(z_n, z_m) = d_X(x_n, x_m) = d_Y(y_n, y_m).$$

This means $\{z_n\}$ is Cauchy, and therefore convergent as Z is complete.

Suppose $\{y'_n\}_{n=\ell}^\infty$ is another sequence such that $y'_n \to y$ as $n \to \infty$. Note

$$d_Y(y_n, y'_n) = d_X(g^{-1}(y_n), g^{-1}(y'_n)) = d_Z(h(g^{-1}(y_n)), h(g^{-1}(y'_n))) = d_Z(z_n, z'_n).$$

Therefore, $\lim_{n\to\infty} z_n = \lim_{n\to\infty} z'_n$. So, we can define $f : Y \to Z$ as $f(y) = \lim_{n\to\infty} h(g^{-1}(y_n))$ for any sequence $\{y_n\} \subseteq g(X)$ such that $y_n \to y$ as $n \to \infty$.

We claim that f is an isometric embedding. Let $y, y' \in Y$ and pick $\{y_n\}_{n=\ell}^\infty$ and $\{y'_n\}_{n=\ell}^\infty$ such that $y_n \to y$ and $y'_n \to y'$ as $n \to \infty$. Then,

$$d_Y(y_n, y'_n) = d_X(g^{-1}(y_n), g^{-1}(y'_n)) = d_Z(h(g^{-1}(y_n)), h(g^{-1}(y'_n))) \to d_Z(f(y), f(y')) = d_Y(y, y'),$$

so f is an isometric embedding.

We claim that f is surjective. Let $z \in Z$ and pick $\{x_n\}_{n=\ell}^\infty$ such that $h(x_n) = z_n \to z$ as $n \to \infty$. Then let $y_n = g(x_n)$. Then $\{y_n\}_{n=\ell}^\infty \subseteq Y$ are Cauchy and hence convergent to $y \in Y$. Then $f(y) = \lim_{n\to\infty} h \circ g^{-1}(y_n) = \lim_{n\to\infty} z_n = z$. So $f : Y \to Z$ is an isometry! 😊

Note:

This is analogous to the uniqueness of Dedekind complete ordered fields. In principal, there can be different techniques for finding /constructing completions of a given metric space, but in the end they're isometric.

Theorem 4.0.5

Let $X \neq \emptyset$ be a set and Y be a metric space. Then $\mathcal{B}(X;Y)$ is complete if and only if Y is complete.

Proof. HW5 ☺

Corollary 4.0.4

Let $X \neq \emptyset$ be a set. Then $\mathcal{B}(X) = \mathcal{B}(X;\mathbb{R})$ is a Banach space.

Proof. $\mathbb{R}$ is complete. ☺

Theorem 4.0.6

Let X be a metric space. Then X has a completion.

Proof. Let $\Phi : X \to \mathcal{B}(X)$ be the isometric embedding we previously constructed. Let $X^* = \overline{\Phi(X)}$, which is closed in (B) and hence a complete metric space. By construction, $\Phi(X)$ is dense in X^*. So, X^* is complete. ☺

Remarks:

1. Why not just set $\mathbb{R} = \bar{\mathbb{Q}}$? It's cyclic!
2. $\exists$ another construction of X^* which is more "direct" and proceeds through Cauchy(X) from HW4. This idea has room to play. It can be hacked to yield an alternate construction of $\bar{\mathbb{R}}$ from $\mathbb{Q}$ or any other Archimedean ordered field.

4.1 Limits and Continuity

Definition 4.1.1

Let X, Y be metric spaces, $E \subseteq X$, $z \in E'$, $f : E \to Y$. We say that f has limit $y \in Y$ as $x \to z$, written as $f(x) \to y$ as $x \to z$ or $\lim_{x \to z} f(x) = y$ if for all $\epsilon > 0$, there exists $\delta > 0$, such that $x \in E$ and $0 < d_X(x,z) < \delta \implies d_Y(f(x), y) < \epsilon$.

Remarks:

1. limits are unique when they exist
2. the definition only requires $z \in E'$, not $z \in E$. that is, $f(z)$ doesn't need to be defined and even if it is, the defintion doesn't care what it is.

Theorem 4.1.1 Sequential characterization of limits

Let X, Y be metric spaces, $E \subseteq X$, $f : E \to Y$, $z \in E'$, $y \in Y$. The following are equivalent:

1. $f(x) \to y$ as $x \to z$.
2. $\forall \epsilon > 0$, $\exists \delta > 0$ such that $f(B(z, \delta) \setminus \{z\}) \subseteq B_Y(y, \epsilon)$.
3. If $\{x_n\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq E \setminus \{x\}$ is such that $x_n \to z$ as $n \to \infty$, then $f(x_n) \to y$ as $n \to \infty$.

Proof. 1 $\iff$ 2 is a triviality. Now we show 1 $\implies$ 3. Let $\{x_n\}_{n=\ell}^{\infty} \subseteq E \setminus \{z\}$ be such that $x_n \to z$ as $n \to \infty$. Let $\epsilon > 0$ and pick $\delta > 0$ such that $x \in E$ and $0 < d_X(x, z) < \delta \implies d_Y(f(x), y) < \epsilon$. Pick $N \geqslant \ell$ such that $n \geqslant N$ implies $0 < d_X(x_n, z) < \delta$. So, $d_Y(f(x_n), y) < \epsilon$. Therefore, $f(x_n) \to y$ as $n \to \infty$.

Now for 3 $\implies$ 1. Suppose BWOC $\neg 1$. Then $\exists \epsilon > 0$ such that $\forall \delta > 0$, $\exists x \in E$ such that $0 < d(x, z) < \delta$, $d(f(x), y) \geqslant \epsilon$.

For $\delta = 2^{-n}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we then get $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subseteq E \setminus \{z\}$ such that $d(x_n, z) < 2^{-n}$, but $d(f(x_n), y) \geqslant \epsilon$. Now we use 3: $x_n \to z$ as $n \to \infty$, so $f(x_n) \to y$ as $n \to \infty$. In particular, $\exists N \geqslant 0$ such that $n \geqslant N \implies d(f(x_n), y) < \epsilon$. This is a contradiction. 😄

Theorem 4.1.2 Limits and components

Let $X, Y_1, \ldots, Y_n$ be metric spaces, and let $Y = \prod Y_i$ endowed with usual p-metric. Let $E \subseteq X$, $z \in E'$, $f : E \to Y$. Write $f = (f_1, \ldots, f_n)$ where $f_i : E \to Y_i$. The following are equivalent for $y = (y_1, \ldots, y_n) \in Y$:

1. $f(x) \to y$ as $x \to z$.
2. $f_i(x) \to y_i$ as $x \to z$ for $1 \leqslant i \leqslant n$.

Proof. This follows from the sequential characterization of limits combined with the characterization of limits of sequences in the product space Y. 😄

Theorem 4.1.3 Algebra of limits

Let X be a metric space, $E \subseteq ZX$, $z \in E'$. The following hold:

1. Let V be a normed vector space and suppose $f, g : E \to V$, $\alpha : E \to \mathbb{F}$ are such that $f(x) \to v_1$, $g(x) \to v_2$, and $\alpha(x) \to \beta$ as $x \to z$. Then:
   (a) $f(x) + g(x) \to v_1 + v_2$ as $x \to z$.
   (b) $\alpha(x) f(x) \to \beta v_1$ as $x \to z$.
2. Let $V_1, \ldots, V_k, W$ be normed vector spaces over $\mathbb{F}$. Suppose $f_i : E \to V_i$ and $T : E \to \mathcal{L}(V_1, \ldots, V_k; W)$ are such that $f_i(x) \to v_i$ as $x \to z$ and $T(x) \to M$ as $x \to z$. Then,

$$E \ni x \mapsto T(x)(f_1(x), \ldots, f_k(x)) \in W$$

   satisfies $T(x)(f_1(x), \ldots, f_k(x)) \to M(v_1, \ldots, v_k)$ as $x \to z$.

Proof. Use characterization of limits via sequences together with algebra of sequential limits. 😄

Definition 4.1.2

Let X, Y be metric spaces, $E \subseteq X$, $z \in E$, and $f : E \to Y$. We say f is continuous at z if for every $\epsilon > 0$ there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $x \in E$ and $d(x, z) < \delta \implies d(f(x), f(z)) < \epsilon$. We say f is continuous on E if f is continuous at every point of E.