

# Notes

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if  $\liminf x_n = L$  then there exists  $\{x_{n_k}\}$  such that  $\lim x_{n_k} = L$

$$l = \liminf x_n = \lim(\inf \underbrace{\{x_{n_1}, x_{n_2}, x_{n_3}, \dots\}}_{c_n})$$

why not just let  $c_n$  be the subsequence? because  $c_n$  may not be equal to any of the  $x_k$  in the sequence

$c_n = \inf\{x_{n_1}, x_{n_2}, \dots\}$  give  $\varepsilon = 2^{-n}$  there exists  $x_{n_k} \in \{x_{n_1}, x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, \dots\}$  such that  $|c_n - x_{n_k}| < 2^{-n}$   
by def of infimum

we have a sequence  $\{c_n\}$  given  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists  $N$  such that  $|c_n - L| < \varepsilon$  if  $n \geq N$ . we approximate each  $c_n$  by some  $x_{n_k}$  from the original sequence such that ....

## convergence test for series

first we talk about series with positive terms  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k$ ,  $s_n = \sum_{k=1}^n a_k$ . So if  $s_n$  is bounded above then the series is convergent. and if not, it is divergent.

geometric series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} r^n$  is convergent if  $|r| < 1$ .  $s_n = \sum_{k=0}^n nr^k = 1 + r + r^2 + \dots + r^n$ ,  $rs_n = r + r^2 + r^3 + \dots$ ,  $s_n - rs_n = 1 - r^{n+1}$   
 $s_n = \frac{1-r^{n+1}}{1-r} \rightarrow \frac{1}{1-r}$

## comparison test

if  $\forall n, |a_n| \leq b_n$

- if  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$  is convergent then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  is convergent,
- if  $\sum a_n$  is divergent, so is  $\sum b_n$ .

## 3.2.b

show that if  $(|a_n|)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is summable then so is  $(a_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$ .

$$\sum_{k=n+1}^m |a_k| < \varepsilon \text{ for all } N \leq n \leq m \text{ because } (|a_n|)_{n=1}^{\infty} \text{ is summable}$$
$$\left| \sum_{k=n+1}^m a_k \right| \leq \sum_{k=n+1}^m |a_k| < \varepsilon$$

so then  $\sum a_k$  is also cauchy and summable

## cauchy-schwartz inequality

$$\sum_{k=1}^n a_k b_k \leq \left( \sum_{k=1}^n a_k^2 \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{k=1}^n b_k^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

### 3.2.f

## leibniz test for alternating series

if  $\{a_n\}$  is a monotone decreasing sequence of positive terms with the  $\lim a_n = 0$  then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n$  is convergent

### note!

a sequence may have the property  $\lim |a_n - a_{n+1}| = 0$  but not be cauchy

### 3.2.h

Show that if  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$  are series with  $b_n \geq 0$  such that  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n < \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n < \infty$ , then the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n b_n$  converges.

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \left( \sup_{k \geq n} \frac{|a_k|}{b_k} \right) - L \right| &< \varepsilon \\ \left( \sup_{k \geq n} \frac{|a_k|}{b_k} \right) &< L + \varepsilon \\ \frac{|a_k|}{b_k} &< L\varepsilon \\ |a_k| &< (L + \varepsilon)b_k \end{aligned}$$

### 3.2.j

$$\liminf \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \leq \liminf a_n^{\frac{1}{n}} \leq \limsup a_n^{\frac{1}{n}} \leq \limsup \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n}.$$

#### step 1

if  $x \geq r$  for all  $r > b$  then  $x$  is a lower bound for the set  $\{r \in \mathbb{R} : r > b\}$ ,  $x \leq \inf\{r \in \mathbb{R} : r > b\} = b$

we will show that if  $\limsup \frac{a_n}{b_n} < r$  then  $\limsup a_n^{\frac{1}{n}} \leq r$  and then apply step one.

let  $r > \limsup \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n}$  then  $\exists N$  such that  $r > \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \forall n \geq N$

$$\begin{aligned} a_{N+1} &< r a_N \\ a_{N+2} &< r a_{N+1} \leq r^2 a_N \\ a_{N+K} &< r^K a_N \\ a_{N+K}^{\frac{1}{N+K}} &< (r^K a_N)^{\frac{1}{N+K}} \end{aligned}$$

## quiz from 10/1/2014

$L_k \rightarrow L$  then  $\{x_n\}$  such that  $\forall k, \exists$  a subsequence of  $\{x_n\}$  converging to  $L_k$ . prove that  $\{x_n\}$  has a subsequence converging to  $L$ .

given  $\varepsilon > 0 \exists N_0$  such that  $|L_k - L| < \varepsilon$  if  $k \geq N_0$

$$|x_{N_k} - L| \leq |x_{N_k} - L_k| + |L_k - L| < 2\varepsilon$$

## example

let  $A, B \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ , prove that  $\sup A \leq \inf B$ , if  $\forall a \in A, b \in B, a \leq b$

## 3.3.5

any rearrangement of an absolutely convergent series converges to the same limit

### proof

let  $\sum a_n = L < \infty$ . We know  $\sum |a_n|$  is convergent (not necessarily to  $L$ ). by the Cauchy criterion for series  $\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists N$  such that  $\left( \sum_{n=N+1}^{\infty} |a_n| \right) < \varepsilon$

$\pi : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  is bijective, the rearranged series is  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{\pi(n)}$  and  $\{a_1 \dots a_N\} \subseteq \{a_{\pi(1)} \dots a_{\pi(M)}\}$

## 3.3.7 rearrangement theorem

let  $\sum a_n = L < \infty$  and define  $b_n = (a_n \geq 0) ? a_n : 0$  and  $c_n = (a_n < 0) ? a_n : 0$   
consider the series  $\sum b_n$  and  $\sum |c_n|$

### case 1

both convergent

$\sum |a_n| = \sum b_n + \sum |c_n|$  which is convergent, which contradicts the fact that  $a_n$  is conditionally convergent

### case 2

one convergent, one divergent

assume  $\sum |c_n| = A < \infty$  and  $\sum b_n$  is divergent to  $+\infty$

given any  $R \in \mathbb{N}$  big,  $\exists N$  such that  $\sum_{n=1}^N b_n > R + A$ , then we pick  $M$  big enough so that  $\{b_1, \dots, b_N\} \subseteq \{b_1, \dots, b_M\}$

$\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_M\}$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^M a_n \geq \sum_{n=1}^M b_n - \sum_{n=1}^M |c_n| > R$  so  $\sum a_n$  is divergent, which is a contradiction.

### case 3

both divergent

## chapter 4

$\mathbb{R}^n = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n), x_i \in \mathbb{R}\}$ , vector space (or point in  $n$ -space).  
with the coordinate wise sum and the product by real numbers (scalars).

$$\begin{aligned}(x_1, \dots, x_n) + (y_1, \dots, y_n) &= (x_1 + y_1, \dots, x_n + y_n) \\ \lambda(x_1, \dots, x_n) &= (\lambda x_1, \dots, \lambda x_n) \\ x^{\rightarrow} &= (x_1, \dots, x_n) = x\end{aligned}$$

euclidean norm

$$||x|| = \sqrt{x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2}$$

distance from  $x$  to  $y$

$$||x - y||$$

**cauchy-schwarz**

$$\left| \sum_{j=1}^n a_j b_j \right| \leq \left( \sum_{j=1}^n a_j^2 \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n b_j^2 \right)^{1/2}$$
$$|a \cdot b| \leq ||a|| ||b||$$

**dot product**

$$a \cdot b = \sum a_i b_i$$

**triangle inequality**

$$||x + y|| \leq ||x|| + ||y||$$

**proof**

$$\begin{aligned}||x + y||^2 &= \sum (x_i + y_i)^2 \\ &= (x + y) \cdot (x + y) \\ &= x \cdot x + 2x \cdot y + y \cdot y \\ &= ||x||^2 + 2x \cdot y + ||y||^2 \\ &\leq ||x||^2 + 2||x|| ||y|| + ||y||^2 \\ &= (||x|| + ||y||)^2\end{aligned}$$

**standard orthogonal base of  $\mathbb{R}^n$**

$$\begin{aligned}e_1 &= \langle 1, 0, \dots, 0 \rangle \\ e_2 &= \langle 0, 1, \dots, 0 \rangle \\ &\vdots \\ e_n &= \langle 0, 0, \dots, 1 \rangle\end{aligned}$$

## 4.2 convergence in $\mathbb{R}^n$

definition: a sequence  $\{x^i\}$  of points in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  converge to  $c \in \mathbb{R}^n$  if  $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N = N(\epsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that  $\|x^i - c\| < \epsilon$  if  $i \geq N$  we say  $\lim x^i = c$ .

### 4.2.2 lemma

$\lim x^i = a$  if and only if  $\lim \|x^i - a\| = 0$ .

### 4.2.3 lemma

$\lim x^i = a$  if and only if  $\forall j = 1, \dots, n, \lim x_j^i = a_j$