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$$S_{n+1} = \frac{S_n^2 + 1}{2}$$

S_0 given, a fixed starting pt.

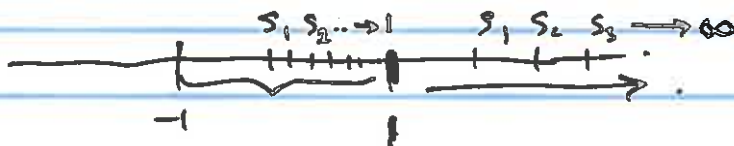
$$S_{n+1} \geq S_n \iff \frac{S_n^2 + 1}{2} \geq S_n$$

$$\iff S_n^2 + 1 \geq 2S_n$$

$$\iff S_n^2 - 2S_n + 1 \geq 0$$

$$\iff (S_n - 1)^2 \geq 0 \quad \text{always true.}$$

Regardless of where we start with $s_1, S_n \uparrow$.



Case (a) If $|s_1| \leq 1$ then

$$s_1^2 \leq 1$$

$$1 \leq s_1^2 + 1 \leq 2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \leq \frac{s_1^2 + 1}{2} \leq 1$$

\downarrow
 s_2

Claim that $|s_n| \leq 1$. Proof by induction. $|s_1| \leq 1$

$p(1)$ is given.

W.o.t $-1 \leq s_k \leq 1 \implies -1 \leq s_{k+1} \leq 1$

$$0 \leq s_k^2 \leq 1$$

$p(k)$

$$0 \leq \frac{1}{2} = \frac{0+1}{2} \leq \frac{s_k^2 + 1}{2} \leq \frac{1+1}{2} = 1$$

\downarrow
 $p(k+1)$.

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If $s_1 \in [-1, 1]$, then (s_n) a bounded sequence $s_n \uparrow$.

Thm. s_n converges, limit L

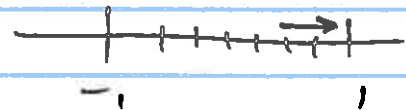
$$L = \lim s_{n+1} = \lim \frac{s_n^2 + 1}{2} = \frac{L^2 + 1}{2}$$

$$2L = L^2 + 1$$

$$0 = L^2 - 2L + 1$$

$$1 = L.$$

$$\boxed{\lim s_n = 1}$$



Case (b) If $s_1 > 1$, then will see that $s_n \rightarrow \infty$.

$$s_1 > 1 \Rightarrow s_1 = 1 + \alpha. \quad \alpha > 0$$

Claim $s_n \geq 1 + \alpha + (n-1) \frac{\alpha^2}{2}$ $\forall n$. $p(n)$

$$p(1) \quad s_1 \geq 1 + \alpha \quad \checkmark$$

To show $p(k) \Rightarrow p(k+1)$:

$$s_k \geq 1 + \alpha + (k-1) \frac{\alpha^2}{2}$$

$$s_{k+1} = \frac{1 + s_k^2}{2} \geq \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + 1 + 2\alpha + \alpha^2 + 2 \cdot (k-1) \frac{\alpha^2}{2} + (\alpha^3 \dots) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (2 + 2\alpha + k\alpha^2 + \dots)$$

$$= 1 + \alpha + \frac{k}{2} \alpha^2 + \underbrace{\dots}_{+ \text{ terms}}$$

$$\geq 1 + \alpha + \frac{k}{2} \alpha^2 \quad p(k+1) \quad \checkmark$$

$$\forall n \quad s_n \geq 1 + \alpha + (n-1) \frac{\alpha^2}{2}$$

s_1 fixed, α is fixed. $\alpha > 0$, $\frac{\alpha^2}{2} > 0$

HW } As $n \rightarrow \infty$ $1 + \alpha + (n-1) \frac{\alpha^2}{2} \rightarrow \infty$.
 $\Rightarrow s_n \rightarrow \infty$
 Thm. 4.2.12 $\lim s_n = +\infty$.

Case (c)

$$s_1 \in (-\infty, -1)$$

$$s_{n+1} = \frac{s_n^2 + 1}{2} \Rightarrow s_2 > 1$$

Hence $s_n \rightarrow +\infty$.

Thm

Let (s_n) be monotone, increasing, unbounded,
 Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s_n = +\infty$.

Proof

$$s_1 \leq s_2 \leq s_3 \leq \dots$$

bounded below.

unbounded \Rightarrow not bounded above.

$$\text{not } (\exists M \forall n \in \mathbb{N} \quad s_n \leq M)$$

$$\forall M \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N} \quad s_{n_0} > M.$$

$$\forall k \in \mathbb{N} \quad s_{n_0+k} \geq \dots \geq s_{n_0+1} \geq s_{n_0} > M$$

$\forall M \exists n_0 \forall k \geq 0 \quad k+n_0 \geq n_0 \Rightarrow s_{n_0+k} > M$
 $\lim s_n = +\infty$. by Defn 4.2.9

(B) Cauchy sequences

Defn A sequence (s_n) is called Cauchy,

$$\text{if } \forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N} \forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$(n, m \geq N \Rightarrow |s_n - s_m| < \varepsilon)$$

Recall

Defn A sequence (s_n) is called convergent if

$$\exists L \in \mathbb{R}, \forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N} \forall n \in \mathbb{N} (n \geq N \Rightarrow |s_n - L| < \varepsilon)$$

Prop Every convergent sequence is Cauchy

Proof

$$\text{Let } \varepsilon > 0 \text{ be given. Since } \lim s_n = L \\ \exists N \forall n \in \mathbb{N} (n \geq N \Rightarrow |s_n - L| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2})$$

Then $\forall n, m \geq N$

$$|s_n - s_m| = |s_n - L + L - s_m| \leq |s_n - L| + |L - s_m|$$

$$< \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon \quad \#$$

(*) Converse: Big question

In \mathbb{Q} , converse is false Cauchy ~~is~~ convergent

*** Thm: In \mathbb{R} , every Cauchy sequence converges.
(that is completeness.)

Ex $S_n =$ truncation of $\sqrt{2}$ at n^{th} decimal place
The decimal expansion of

$$S_0 = 1 \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$$S_1 = 1.4 = \frac{14}{10} \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$$S_2 = 1.41 = \frac{141}{100} \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$$S_3 = 1.414 = \frac{1414}{1000} \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$$\vdots$$

$S_n \rightarrow \sqrt{2}$ in \mathbb{R} .

S_n doesn't converge to anything in \mathbb{Q} .

Is (S_n) Cauchy? YES. in \mathbb{Q}
YES in \mathbb{R}

$|S_n - S_m|$ Estimation

$m > n$.

Ex $S_2 = 1.41$

$S_5 = 1.41421$

$S_5 - S_2 = 0.00421 \leq 0.01$

$|S_5 - S_2| \leq 10^{-2}$

$|S_n - S_m| \leq 10^{-n} < \epsilon$ if we choose $m > n$

$N > -\log_{10} \epsilon > 0$
if $0 < \epsilon < 1$

$\forall n, m \geq N \quad |S_n - S_m| < \epsilon.$

Ex $n \in \mathbb{N}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{n} \notin \mathbb{Q}. \quad \frac{\sqrt{2}}{n} \rightarrow 0 \in \mathbb{Q}.$

S_n above $S_n \in \mathbb{Q}. \quad \lim S_n = \sqrt{2} \notin \mathbb{Q}.$

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Lemma: Every Cauchy sequence is bounded.

Proof: Let $\epsilon = 1$ be given
 $\exists N \in \mathbb{N} \quad \forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}$

$$(n, m \geq N \implies |s_n - s_m| < 1).$$

$$\text{particularly } \forall m \geq N \quad |s_N - s_m| < 1.$$

$$\forall m \geq N \quad |s_m| \leq |s_N| + 1$$

$$\text{Let } M = \max(|s_1|, |s_2|, |s_3|, \dots, |s_{N-1}|, |s_N| + 1)$$

$$\forall m \in \mathbb{N} \quad |s_m| \leq M$$

since

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{when } m < N & \text{then } |s_m| \leq |s_m| \leq M \\ \text{when } m \geq N & |s_m| \leq |s_N| + 1 \end{array}$$

