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Thm 2.41 The following are equivalent for subsets  $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ , wrt standard metric

- (a)  $E$  is closed & bounded
- (b)  $E$  is compact
- (c) Every infinite subset of  $E$  has a limit pt in  $E$ .

Proof  $a \Leftrightarrow b$  Done (Feb 21, 2020)

$b \Rightarrow c$  Thm 2.37. (Feb 19, 2020)

To show:  $c \Rightarrow a$

Assume (c), to show (i)  $E$  is bounded

(ii)  $E$  is closed.

(i) Suppose  $E$  is not bounded.

$$\text{not } (\exists R > 0, E \subseteq B_R(0))$$

$$\forall R > 0, E \not\subseteq B_R(0)$$

Take  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $R = n \quad \exists z_n \text{ s.t. } z_n \in E \quad |z_n| \geq n$

Let  $S = \{z_n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$

Suppose  $S$  is finite, that is  $z_n$  repeats some values over & over.

$\{|z_n| \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$  is finite, hence there

is a largest value, say  $l = \max \{|z_n| \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$

By Archimedean Principle  $\exists m \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $m > l$ .

$$m \leq |z_m| \leq l < m \quad \text{X. contradiction}$$

So  $S \cap \mathbb{B}$  an infinite set.

By hypothesis (c),  $S' \neq \emptyset$ .  $S' \cap E \neq \emptyset$ .

$$\exists q \in S' \cap E.$$

$N_1(q)$  would contain infinitely many elements  $z_{n_k}$  of  $S$ . (prop 2.20)  $k=1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$\forall z_{n_k} \in N_1(q) \cap S \quad |z_{n_k} - q| < 1$$

$$n_k \leq |z_{n_k}| \leq \underbrace{|q| + 1}_{\text{fixed value}}$$

$\downarrow$   
 $\infty$

Contradiction.

Hence  $E$  is bounded. (P.T.) for (ii)

To prove (ii)  $E$  is closed.

Suppose not, i.e.  $E$  is not closed:  $E' \neq E$   
 $\exists p_0 \in E', p_0 \notin E$

$\forall n \in \mathbb{N} \quad N_{\frac{1}{n}}(p_0) \cap (E - \{p_0\}) \neq \emptyset.$

$\forall n \in \mathbb{N} \exists y_n \in E, \quad 0 < |y_n - p_0| < \frac{1}{n}$

Let  $S_0 = \{y_n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\} \subseteq E$

Suppose  $S_0$  is a finite set.

$\{|y_n - p_0| \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$  would be a finite set of positive real #'s

Let  $c_0 = \min \{|y_n - p_0| \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$   
 $c_0 > 0$

$$0 < c_0 \leq |y_n - p_0| < \frac{1}{n} \quad \rightarrow n \rightarrow \infty$$

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fixed

Contradicts Archimedean Principle.

Hence  $S_0$  is an infinite set.

Recall Hypothesis: (c)

Every infinite subset of  $E$  has an accumulation/limit pt in  $E$ .

$S_0$  is infinite

(c)  $\Rightarrow S_0' \cap E \neq \emptyset$ .

actually  $y_n \in S_0$

$p_0 \in S_0'$  since  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N} \exists y_n \in E, 0 < |y_n - p_0| < \frac{1}{n}$

Suppose  $S_0'$  has other points in it, say  $p_1$

Is it possible to have  $p_1 \in S_0', p_1 \in E, p_1 \neq p_0, p_0 \notin E$ ?

$$|p_1 - y_n| \geq |p_1 - p_0| - |p_0 - y_n|$$

$$\geq |p_1 - p_0| - \frac{1}{n} \geq (|p_1 - p_0|) - \frac{|p_0 - p_1|}{2}$$

If I choose  $n > \frac{2}{|p_0 - p_1|}$

$$= \frac{|p_0 - p_1|}{2}$$

$N_{\frac{|p_1 - p_0|}{2}}(p_1)$  contains at most finitely many of  $y_n$ .  
 $\# \leq \frac{2}{|p_0 - p_1|}$

$S_0 = \{y_n | n \in \mathbb{N}\} \Rightarrow p_1 \notin S_0'$  (pry 2.20)

$S_0' = \{p_0\}, p_0 \notin E$

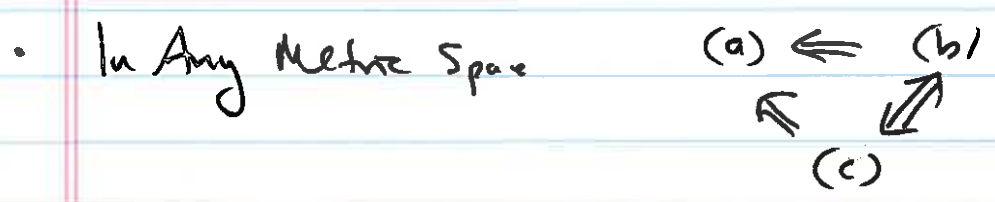
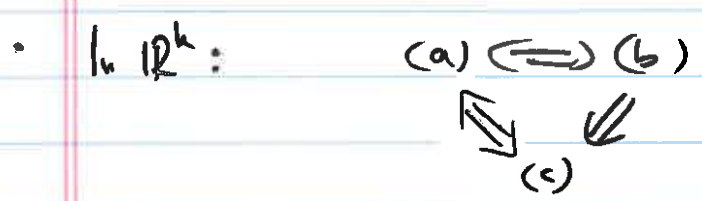
$\Rightarrow S_0' \cap E = \emptyset$ . which contradicts (c).

Hence:  $E$  is closed



### Big picture:

- (a)  $E$  is closed and bounded
- (b)  $E$  is compact
- (c) Every infinite subset of  $E$  has a limit pt in  $E$

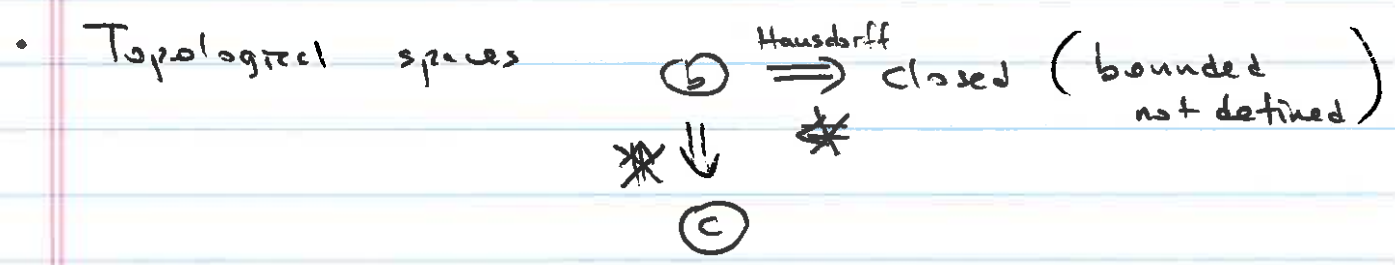


(a)  $\not\Rightarrow$  (b)

1)  $(\mathbb{Q}, \|\cdot\|)$   $[0,1] \cap \mathbb{Q}$  is closed in  $\mathbb{Q}$   
 bdd in  $\mathbb{Q}$   
 but  $[0,1] \cap \mathbb{Q}$  is not compact.

2)  $\left\{ f: [a,b] \xrightarrow{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{R} \mid f \text{ continuous} \right\}$   
 $d_\infty(f,g) = \sup_{x \in [a,b]} |f(x) - g(x)|$

(Chap 7) closed & bounded  $\not\Rightarrow$  compactness.



However

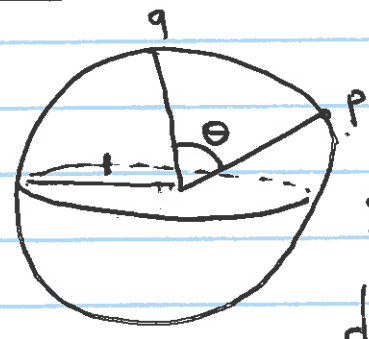
Let  $M, A$  be given fixed numbers.

$$\left\{ f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid \forall x, y \quad |f(x) - f(y)| \leq M|x - y| \right. \\ \left. \forall x \quad |f(x)| \leq A \right\}$$

Compact wrt  $d_\infty(f, g) = \sup_{x \in [a, b]} |f(x) - g(x)|$

Other Examples of metric spaces:

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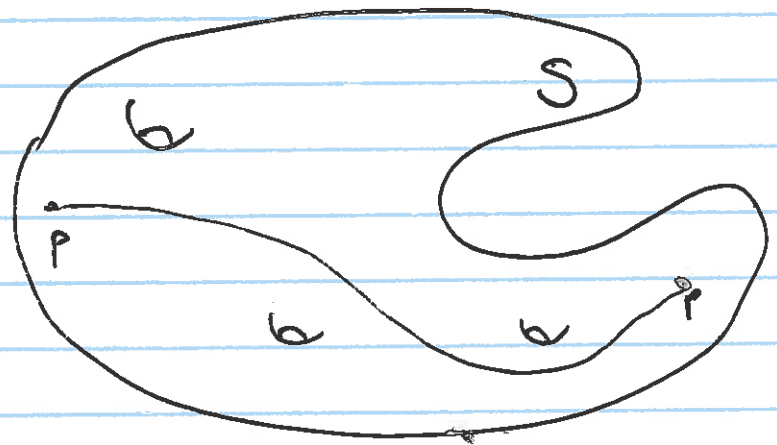
unit sphere

$$S^2 = \{(x, y, z) \mid x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$d_{S^2}(p, q) = \theta = \cos^{-1}(p \cdot q)$$

$(S^2, d_{S^2})$  compact metric space

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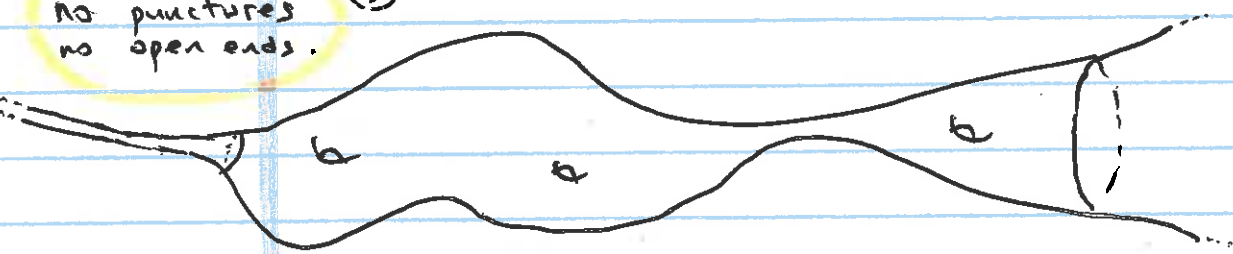
(no punctures!)  
compact metric space

A donut with 3 holes

$$d(p, q) = \inf \left\{ \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{length}}}{\ell(\sigma)} \mid \sigma \text{ is a piecewise } C^1 \text{ curve on } S \text{ connecting } p \text{ to } q \right\}$$

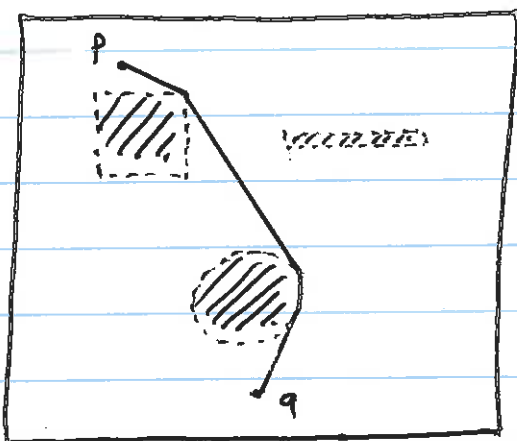
no punctures  
no open ends.

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Complete metric space

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A yard/garden with some obstructions

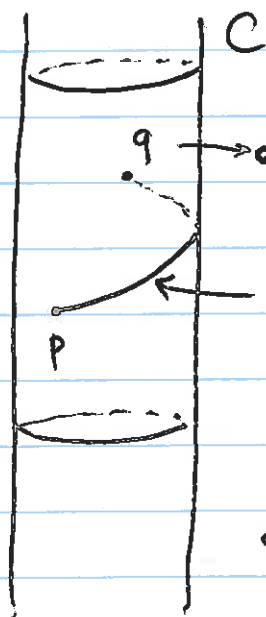
$d^L(p, q) =$  infimum of lengths of curves from  $p$  to  $q$ , in the yard avoiding obstructions

This is a length-space. A compact metric space with respect to  $d^L$ .

(yard = obstructions need to be closed & bounded and path connected wrt standard metric of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ :  $d(p, q) = \|p - q\|$ .)  
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⑤ Infinite cylinder

$$\{(x, y, z) \mid x^2 + y^2 = 1\} = G$$



q → on the back.

shortest curve on  $G$  from  $p$  to  $q$  is a part of a helix.

$d(p, q) =$  length of this curve (geodesic)

This is a complete metric