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<b>Course ID</b> MAC3309	<b>Course Name</b> Mathematical Analysis	<b>Test Time</b> 5pm - 8pm Mon 6 Feb 2023	<b>Full Scores</b> 100 marks 25%
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10. **(10 marks)** Let  $f$  and  $g$  be real functions from a set  $E$  to  $\mathbb{R}$ . Assume that there are  $\delta_0 > 0$  and  $K > 0$  such that

$$|g(x)| \leq K \quad \text{for all } x \in (a - \delta_0, a + \delta_0) \subseteq E.$$

Let  $a$  be a limit point of  $E$  and  $f(x) > 0$  on  $E$ . Prove that if  $f(x) \rightarrow \infty$  as  $x \rightarrow a$ , then

$$\frac{g(x)}{f(x)} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } x \rightarrow a.$$



## Solution Midterm Exam. 2/2022 MAC3309 Mathematical Analysis

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1. (10 marks) Let  $a$  and  $b$  be real numbers. Prove that

$$(a + b + 1)^2 \leq 3(a^2 + b^2 + 1).$$

**Proof.** Let  $a$  and  $b$  be real numbers. By the fact that

$$(a - b)^2 \geq 0, (a - 1)^2 \geq 0 \text{ and } (b - 1)^2 \geq 0.$$

We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq (a - b)^2 + (a - 1)^2 + (b - 1)^2 \\ 0 &\leq (a^2 - 2ab + b^2) + (a^2 - 2a + 1) + (b^2 - 2b + 1) \\ 2ab + 2a + 2b &\leq 2a^2 + 2b^2 + 2 \\ (a^2 + b^2 + 1) + 2ab + 2a + 2b &\leq 2a^2 + 2b^2 + 2 + (a^2 + b^2 + 1) \\ (a + b + 1)^2 &\leq 3(a^2 + b^2 + 1) \end{aligned}$$

□

2. (10 marks) Let  $x$  be a real numbers. Prove that

$$|1 - x| = 1 + |x| \quad \text{if and only if} \quad |x| + x = 0.$$

**Proof.** Let  $x$  be a real numbers.

Assume that  $|1 - x| = 1 + |x|$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} |1 - x|^2 &= (1 + |x|)^2 \\ (1 - x)^2 &= 1 + 2|x| + |x|^2 \\ 1 - 2x + x^2 &= 1 + 2|x| + x^2 \\ -x &= |x|. \end{aligned}$$

So,  $|x| + x = 0$ .

Conversely, we assume that  $|x| + x = 0$ . We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} -x &= |x| \\ 1 - x &= 1 + |x| \end{aligned}$$

Since  $|x| \geq 0$ ,  $1 + |x| \geq 1 > 0$ . So,  $1 - x > 0$ . Thus,

$$1 - x = |1 - x| = 1 + |x|.$$

□

3. (10 marks) Define the set

$$A = \left\{ 1 + \frac{2n}{n+1} : n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}.$$

Find  $\sup A$  and  $\inf A$  with proving them.

**Claim that**  $\inf A = 2$  and  $\sup A = 3$

**Proof.**  $\inf A = 2$

Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $1 \leq n$ . So,  $1 + n \leq n + n = 2n$ . It's clear that  $1 \leq \frac{2n}{n+1}$ . We obtain

$$2 = 1 + 1 \leq 1 + \frac{2n}{n+1}.$$

Thus, 2 is a lower bound of  $A$ .

Let  $\ell$  be a lower bound of  $A$ . For  $n = 1$ , we get

$$2 = 1 + \frac{2(1)}{1+1} \in A.$$

So,  $\ell \leq 2$ . Hence,  $\inf A = 2$ .

$\sup A = 3$

Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . It is easy to see that  $2n < 2 + 2n = 2(1 + n)$ . Then  $\frac{2n}{n+1} < 2$ . We have

$$1 + \frac{2n}{n+1} < 1 + 2 = 3.$$

Thus, 3 is an upper bound of  $A$ .

Assume that there is an upper bound  $u_0$  of  $A$  such that

$$u_0 < 3.$$

By definition,

$$1 + \frac{2n}{n+1} \leq u_0 \quad \text{for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \quad (*)$$

Since  $u_0 < 3$ ,  $\frac{3 - u_0}{2} > 0$ . By Archimedeian property, there is an  $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$\frac{1}{n_0} < \frac{3 - u_0}{2}.$$

By the fact that  $n_0 + 1 > n_0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{n_0 + 1} &< \frac{1}{n_0} < \frac{3 - u_0}{2} \\ u_0 &< 3 - \frac{2}{n_0 + 1} = \frac{3n_0 + 1}{n_0 + 1} = 1 + \frac{2n_0}{n_0 + 1}. \end{aligned}$$

This is contradiction to  $(*)$ . Therefore,  $\sup A = 3$ . □

4. (10 marks) Use Definition to prove that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n(n+1)}{n^2+1} = 1.$$

**Proof.** Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . By Archimedean property, there is an  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\frac{1}{N} < \varepsilon$ . Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n \geq N$ . We obtain  $\frac{1}{n} \leq \frac{1}{N}$ . Since  $n^2 + 1 > n^2$ ,  $\frac{1}{n^2+1} < \frac{1}{n^2}$ . From  $n \geq 1$ , we have  $|n-1| = n-1 > n$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{n(n+1)}{n^2+1} - 1 \right| &= \left| \frac{n(n+1) - (n^2+1)}{n^2+1} \right| \\ &= |n-1| \cdot \frac{1}{n^2+1} < n \cdot \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{1}{n} \leq \frac{1}{N} < \varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n(n+1)}{n^2+1} = 1$ . □

5. (10 marks) Assume that  $x_n \rightarrow 1$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Show that

$$\frac{x_n}{n^2} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

**Proof.** Assume that  $x_n \rightarrow 1$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

Given  $\varepsilon = 1$ . There is an  $N_1 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n \geq N_1$  implies  $|x_n - 1| < 1$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} |x_n| - 1 &\leq |x_n - 1| \leq 1 \\ |x_n| &\leq 2. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . By Archimedean property, there is an  $N_2 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\frac{1}{N_2} < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$ .

Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Choose  $N = \max\{N_1, N_2\}$ . For each  $n \geq N$ , we obtain  $n^2 > N^2$ . So,  $\frac{1}{n^2} \leq \frac{1}{N^2}$ .

Since  $N \geq N_1 > 0$ ,  $N^2 \geq N_1^2$ . We have  $\frac{1}{N^2} < \frac{1}{N_1^2}$ . Use  $N_1^2 \geq N_1$  to obtain  $\frac{1}{N_1^2} \leq \frac{1}{N_1}$ .

It follows that

$$\left| \frac{x_n}{n^2} - 0 \right| = |x_n| \cdot \frac{1}{n^2} \leq 2 \cdot \frac{1}{N^2} \leq 2 \cdot \frac{1}{N_1^2} \leq 2 \cdot \frac{1}{N_1} = \varepsilon.$$

Thus,  $\frac{x_n}{n^2} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . □

6. (10 marks) Use definition to prove that

$\{\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}\}$  is a Cauchy sequence.

**Proof.** Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . By Archimedean property, there is an  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\frac{1}{N} < \frac{\varepsilon^2}{4}$ .

Let  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n, m \geq N$ . Then  $\sqrt{n} > \sqrt{N}$  and  $\sqrt{m} > \sqrt{N}$ .

We obtain  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$  and  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{m}} \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} |(\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}) - (\sqrt{m+1} - \sqrt{m})| &= \left| (\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}) \cdot \frac{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}} - (\sqrt{m+1} - \sqrt{m}) \cdot \frac{\sqrt{m+1} + \sqrt{m}}{\sqrt{m+1} + \sqrt{m}} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{m+1} + \sqrt{m}} \right| \\ &\leq \left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}} \right| + \left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{m+1} + \sqrt{m}} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{m}} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{N}} < \varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $\{\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}\}$  is Cauchy.

□

7. (10 marks) Define a set

$$E = \left\{ \frac{1}{n} : n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}.$$

Determine whether 0 is a **limit point** of  $E$ . Verify your answer.

**Answer :** 0 is a limit point of  $E$ .

**Proof.** Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . By Archimedean property, there is an  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\frac{1}{N} < \varepsilon$ .

So,  $0 < \frac{1}{N} < \varepsilon$ . We see that

$$\frac{1}{N} \in (0, \varepsilon) \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{N} \in E.$$

It implies that

$$[(-\varepsilon, 0) \cup (0, \varepsilon)] \cap E \neq \emptyset.$$

Therefore, 0 is a limit point of  $E$ .

□

8. (10 marks) Use definition to prove that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{2x}{x-3} = -4.$$

**Proof.** Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Choose  $\delta = \min \left\{ 0.5, \frac{\varepsilon}{12} \right\}$ . Suppose that  $0 < |x - 2| < \delta$ .  
Then  $0 < |x - 2| < 0.5$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} -0.5 &< x - 2 < 0.5 \\ -1.5 &< x - 3 < -0.5 \\ 0.5 &< |x - 3| < 1.5. \end{aligned}$$

We get  $\frac{1}{|x-3|} < 2$ . Then,

$$\left| \frac{2x}{x-3} + 4 \right| = \left| \frac{6x-12}{x-3} \right| = \left| \frac{6(x-2)}{x-3} \right| = 6 \cdot |x-2| \cdot \frac{1}{|x-3|} < 6\delta \cdot 2 < \varepsilon.$$

Therefore,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{2x}{x-3} = -4$ . □

9. (10 marks) Use definition to prove that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{1}{x^2 - 1} = -\infty.$$

**Proof.** Let  $M < 0$ . Choose  $\delta = \min \left\{ 1, -\frac{1}{M} \right\}$ . Then  $\delta > 0$ ,  $\delta \leq 1$  and  $\delta \leq -\frac{1}{M}$ .  
Let  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $-\delta < x - 1 < 0$ . Then  $-1 < x - 1 < 0$ . So,  $1 < x + 1 < 2$ .

We obtain

$$\frac{1}{x-1} < -\frac{1}{\delta} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{2} < \frac{1}{x+1} < 1$$

$$\frac{1}{x^2 - 1} = \frac{1}{(x-1)(x+1)} < -\frac{1}{\delta} \cdot 1 < M$$

Thus,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{1}{x^2 - 1} = -\infty$ . □

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Let  $a$  be a limit point of  $E$  and  $f(x) > 0$  on  $E$ . Suppose that  $f(x) \rightarrow \infty$  as  $x \rightarrow a$ .

Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Then  $M := \frac{K}{\varepsilon} > 0$ . There is a  $\delta_1 > 0$  such that

$$0 < |x - a| < \delta_1 \quad \text{implies} \quad f(x) > M = \frac{K}{\varepsilon}.$$

Choose  $\delta = \min\{\delta_0, \delta_1\}$ . Let  $x \in E$  such that  $0 < |x - a| < \delta$ .

We obtain  $x \in (a - \delta_0, a + \delta_0)$  and  $0 < |x - a| < \delta_1$ . So,

$$|g(x)| \leq K \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{f(x)} < \frac{\varepsilon}{K}.$$

It follows that

$$\left| \frac{g(x)}{f(x)} - 0 \right| = |g(x)| \cdot \frac{1}{f(x)} < K \cdot \frac{\varepsilon}{K} = \varepsilon.$$

Thus,  $\frac{g(x)}{f(x)} \rightarrow 0$  as  $x \rightarrow a$ .

□