

Last Time

Theorem 44(v) states “complete+totally bounded” $\Leftrightarrow$ compact. This generalizes Heine–Borel.

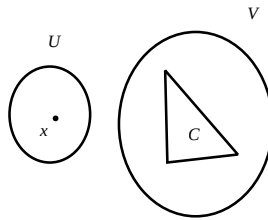
$X \subset \mathbb{R}^n$, X bounded in Euclidean metric $\Leftrightarrow$ totally bounded
 X closed $\Leftrightarrow X$ complete, since $\mathbb{R}^n$ complete

Any compact metric space is continuous image of Cantor set! (proof will be linked on course website)

Separation Axioms

T_1 is equivalent of "points are closed", T_2 = Hausdorff. $T_2 \Rightarrow T_1$.
 T_2 does not imply T_1 , example : finite complement topology.

Definition X is **regular** or **T_3** if X is T_1 and for any closed subset $C \subset X$ and any $x \notin C$, $\exists$ disjoint open sets U containing x and, $V \supset C$.



Remark $T_3 \Rightarrow T_2$ because T_3 space is T_1 , so we can take $C = \{y\}$.

Definition X is **normal** or **T_4** if X is T_1 and for any disjoint closed subsets $C, D \exists$ disjoint open subsets $U \supset C, V \supset D$.

Remark $T_4 \Rightarrow T_3 \Rightarrow T_2 \Rightarrow T_1$

T_2 does not imply T_3 . Take $X = \mathbb{R}_K$, with basis (a, b) , $(a, b) \setminus K$, where $K = \{\frac{1}{n} : n \geq 1\}$.
Finer top. than $\mathbb{R} \Rightarrow \mathbb{R}_K$ is $T_2(\Rightarrow T_1)$

Take $C = K$ closed, and choose $x = 0$. Suppose $\exists U, V$ disjoint open, such that $0 \in U, V \supset K$.
So $0 \in (-\epsilon, \epsilon) \setminus K(\text{basis}) \subset U$ for some $\epsilon > 0$. Pick n , such that $\frac{1}{n} < \epsilon$. Since $\frac{1}{n} \in V \Rightarrow (\frac{1}{n} - \delta, \frac{1}{n} + \delta) \subset V$ some $\delta > 0$.
Then points close enough to $\frac{1}{n}$ will be in $U \cap V$. contradiction. $\square$

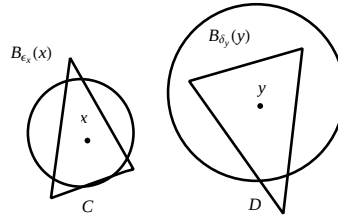
Also, T_3 does not imply T_4 . For example: $\mathbb{R}_I^2$. We will see next time that is T_3 . It is not T_4 , see book pg.198.

Theorem 47

If X is a metrizable topological space, then X is T_4 .

Proof:

We know X is $T_2 \Rightarrow T_1$. Say topology comes from the metric d and $C, D \subset X$ disjoint closed.



For $x \in C$, $\exists \epsilon_x > 0$ such that $B_{\epsilon_x}(x) \cap D = \emptyset$ (since D^c is open)

For $y \in D$, $\exists \delta_y > 0$ such that $B_{\delta_y}(y) \cap C = \emptyset$.

Let $U := \bigcup_{x \in C} B_{\epsilon_x/2}(x)$ open, contains C . $V := \bigcup_{y \in D} B_{\delta_y/2}(y)$ open, contains D .

U, V disjoint: if not, $\exists x \in C, y \in D$ such that $B_{\epsilon_x/2}(x) \cap B_{\delta_y/2}(y) \neq \emptyset$. So $d(x, y) < \frac{\epsilon_x + \delta_y}{2} \leq \max(\epsilon_x, \delta_y)$.

Say $\epsilon_x \geq \delta_y$: then $d(x, y) < \epsilon_x$, $y \in B_{\epsilon_x}(x) \cap D = \emptyset$. Contradiction. $\square$

Theorem 48

If X is compact T_2 , then X is T_4 .

In Corollary 39, we saw that X is T_3 .

$C, D \subset X$ disjoint + closed. $\Rightarrow C, D$ compact as X is compact.

$\forall x \in C$, $\exists U_x$ containing x , $V_x \supset D$ open + disjoint since X is T_3 . (note: $x \notin D$). As in corollary 39 (as C is compact).

$C \subset U_{x_1} \cup \dots \cup U_{x_n}$ (some $x_i \in C$), $D \subset V_{x_1} \cap \dots \cap V_{x_n}$. Clearly disjoint. $\square$