

Topology HW4

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1. Let Y be an open subset in the metric space (X,d) and let x_0 be an element of Y .
 - 1a. Prove that the set $Y \setminus \{x_0\}$ is also open.
 - 1b. Deduce that, if we remove finitely many points from Y , the remaining set is also open. Is the above statement still true if we remove infinitely many points? Prove or give a counterexample.

2. Let X be a topological space. A subset of X is called **closed** if it is the complement of an open set in the topology.
 - 2a. Show that \emptyset and X are closed subsets.
 - 2b. Show that the intersection of arbitrarily many closed subsets is closed.
 - 2c. Show that if A and B are closed subsets then $A \cup B$ is closed.
 - 2d. Show that in a topology induced by a metric space, a singleton set is closed. Is this true for an arbitrary topology?
 - 2e. Is it true that union of arbitrarily many closed sets is closed? Prove or give counterexample.

3. Give an example of a subset of \mathbb{R}^2 which is neither open nor closed. Prove your assertion.

4. Show that the closed ball with center $(0,0)$ and radius 1 in the usual (Euclidean) topology on \mathbb{R}^2 is closed.

5. Assume $U = \{\{x\} : x \in X\}$. What are the closed subsets of the topology generated by U ?

6. Let n be a fixed natural number. Assume $U = \{V \subseteq X : |V| = n\}$. What are the closed subsets of the topology generated by U ?

7. Let $U = \{V \subseteq X : X \setminus V \text{ is finite}\}$. What are the closed subsets of the topology generated by U ?

8. Let A be a fixed subset of X and let $U = \{V \subseteq X : A \subseteq V\}$. What are the closed subsets of the topology generated by U ?

9. Let $A \subseteq X$ and let $U = \{V \subseteq X : A \cap V = \emptyset\}$. What are the closed subsets of the topology generated by U ?

10. Let $X = \mathbb{R}$ and $U_2 = \{[a, b) : a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$. Call \mathfrak{S}_2 the topology generated by U_2 . Which of the following subsets are open, closed or neither open nor closed.
 - i) $(-1,1)$ ii) \mathbb{Z} iii) \mathbb{Q} iv) $[0,1) \cup (3,4)$ v) $(0,1]$