

# Workshop 3

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## 1 Goal

The goal of this workshop is to practice proving some properties of sequences of real numbers.

## 2 Sequences

1. In this problem, we explore what happens if we reverse the order of the quantifiers in our definition of converges of a sequence.

**Definition 2.1.** A sequence  $(x_n)$  **verconges** to  $x$  if there exists an  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that for all  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  it is true that  $n \geq N$  implies  $|x_n - x| < \varepsilon$ .

- (a) Give an example of a vercongent sequence.
  - (b) Is there an example of a vercongent sequence that is divergent?
  - (c) Can a sequence verconge to two different values?
  - (d) What exactly is being described in this strange denition?
2. **Squeeze Theorem:** Suppose  $\{a_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ ,  $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ , and  $\{c_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  are sequences of real numbers such that for some  $A \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = A \text{ and } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = A.$$

Suppose further that for all  $n$ ,  $a_n \leq c_n \leq b_n$ . Prove that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n = A.$$

3. Prove that if  $\{s_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a convergence sequence of real numbers, then  $\{|s_n|\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  also converges. Is the converse true? Prove or find a counterexample.
4. Suppose  $\{a_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  and  $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  are two sequences of real numbers such that for some  $A, B \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = A \text{ and } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = B.$$

Prove that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_n b_n) = AB.$$