

MATH 471

INTRODUCTION TO ANALYSIS I

SESSION no. 2

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l.u.b & g.l.b.

$$(a, b) = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } a < x < b\}$$



$$\text{l.u.b} = b$$

$$\text{g.l.b} = a$$

$$[a, b) = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } a \leq x < b\}$$

$$\text{l.u.b} = b ; \text{ g.l.b.} = a$$

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$$(a, b] = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : a < x \leq b\}$$
$$[a, b] = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : a \leq x \leq b\}$$

l.u.b is ^{also} _↑ called supremum ^{sup}

g.l.b is also called infimum ^{inf}

$$f : \underset{\subseteq R}{A} \longrightarrow \underset{\subseteq R}{B}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{range}(f) = f(A) = \\ \{ b \in B : f(a) = b \\ \text{for some } a \in A \} \end{aligned}$$

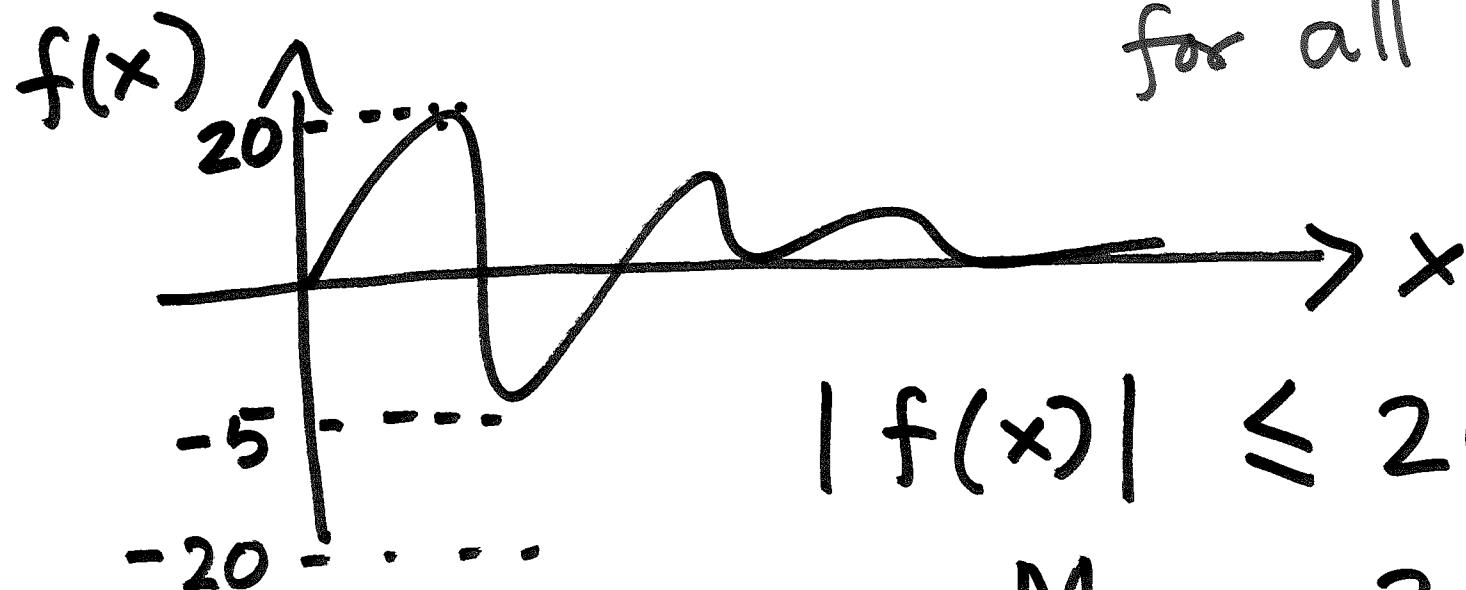
Think of $f(A)$ as a set

Def

f is bounded if $\exists M, \in \mathbb{R}$

s.t. $|f(x)| \leq M, \forall x \in A$.

for all



$$|f(x)| \leq 20$$

$$M_1 = 20$$

also

$$M_1 = 25$$

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 $f: A \rightarrow B$ Def

f is bounded above if

$$\exists M_2 \in \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } f(x) \leq M_2 \quad \forall x \in A.$$
Def

f is bounded below if

$$\exists M_3 \in \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } f(x) \geq M_3 \quad \forall x \in A.$$

$\inf f := \text{g.l.b } f(A)$

$\sup f := \text{l.u.b } f(A)$

Example 1 : $f(x) = \sin x$

$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [-1, 1]$

$|f(x)| \leq 1$; f is bounded

$M_2 = 1, 5, 1000$ etc.; f is bounded above

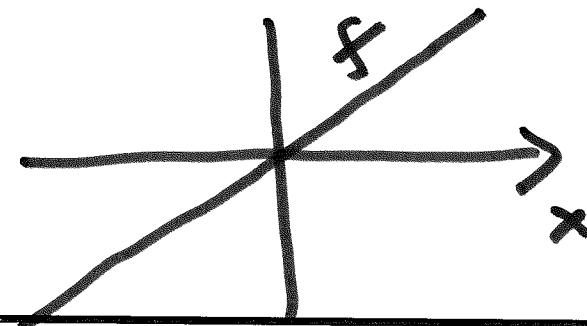
$$M_3 = -1, -20, \dots$$

~~$f(x) \geq M_3$~~ ; f is bounded below

~~$f(x) \geq M_3$~~

$$\inf f = -1 \quad \sup f = 1$$

Example 2: $f(x) = x$



$$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

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~~$\exists M, \text{ s.t. } |f(x)| \leq M, \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$~~

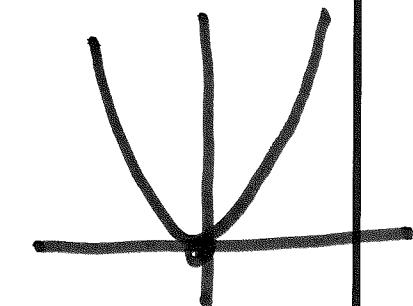
f is unbounded. f is
neither bounded above or
below

Example 3 : $f(x) = x^2$

$$f : \mathbb{R} \longrightarrow [0, \infty)$$

f is not bounded, but

$$f(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}.$$



M_3

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Therefore f is bounded below.

$$\inf f = \text{g.l.b } f = 0.$$

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Def: A sequence $S = \{a_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$

of real numbers is a function from \mathbb{N} to \mathbb{R} .

$$S = \{a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} S : \mathbb{N} &\longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \\ 1 &\mapsto a_1, 2 \mapsto a_2 \\ 3 &\mapsto a_3, \dots, n \mapsto a_n \dots \end{aligned}$$

Example :

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{n} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty} = \left\{ 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots \right\}$$

$$\left\{ \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty} = \left\{ \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{16}, \dots \right\}$$

$$|5| = 5$$

$$|-19| = 19 = -(-19)$$

$$|a| = \begin{cases} a & \text{if } a \geq 0 \\ -a & \text{if } a < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$[a, \infty) = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq a\}$$


$$(a, \infty) = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x > a\}$$


$$(-\infty, b] = \{x : x \leq b\}$$


$$(-\infty, b) = \{x : x < b\}$$
