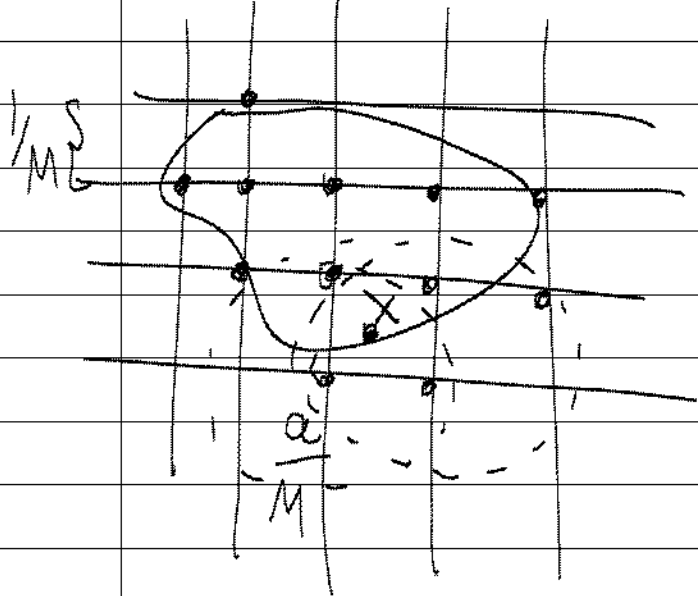


Lemma  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $S$  bounded,  $\Rightarrow \forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists N$

and  $x_1, \dots, x_N$  such that  $S \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^N \{d(x, x_i) \leq \varepsilon\}$

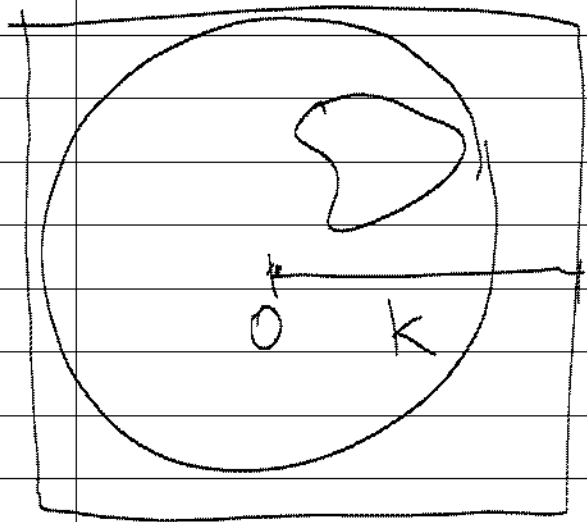


proof:  $M$  positive integer,  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .  $\exists a = (a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \mathbb{Z}^n$  such that

$$\frac{a_i}{M} \leq x_i < \frac{a_i + 1}{M} \Rightarrow d\left(x, \frac{a}{M}\right) = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n \left(x_i - \frac{a_i}{M}\right)^2}$$

$$\leq \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{M}\right)^2} = \frac{\sqrt{n}}{M}. \text{ Pick } M \text{ such that } \frac{\sqrt{n}}{M} < \epsilon$$

$S$  bounded  $\Rightarrow \exists k > 0$  such that  $|x_i| \leq k \quad \forall x \in S$ .



$$[-k, k]^n \supset S$$

$$[-k, k]^n \subset \bigcup_{a \in \mathbb{R}^n} B_{\epsilon} \left( \frac{a}{M} \right)$$

$$|x_i| \leq k$$

$$|a_i| \leq kM + \sqrt{n}$$

$$\left| \frac{a_i}{M} \right| \leq k + \frac{\sqrt{n}}{M}$$

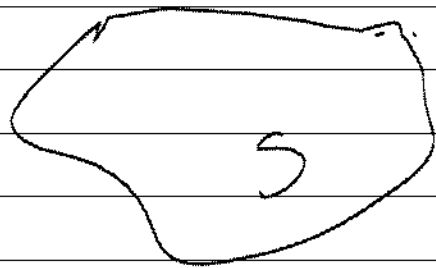
Theorem:  $S \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ .  $S$  closed & bounded  $\Rightarrow S$  compact

proof. Let  $S \subset \bigcup_{i \in I} U_i$   $U_i$  open

We want to show that  $\exists \underbrace{r \text{ positive integer and}}_{r} i_1, i_2, \dots, i_r$  such that

$$S \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^r U_{i_j}$$

Assume this is not true.  $\epsilon_1 = \frac{1}{2}$  apply prev lemma to



get  $S = \bigcup_{i=1}^N (C_{\frac{1}{2}}(x_i) \cap S) \subset \bigcup_{i \in I} U_i$

$$C_{\frac{1}{2}}(x_0) = \{x : d(x, x_0) \leq \frac{1}{2}\}$$

$\exists 1 \leq i \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$S_2 = C_{\frac{1}{2}}(x_i) \cap S$  can not be

covered by a finite number of the  $U_i$ s. Note  $S_2$  is closed

Proceed inductively to get

$$S \supset S_2 \supset S_3 \supset S_4 \supset \dots$$

$$S_j \subset C_{\frac{1}{j}}(z_j) \text{ for some } z_j$$

$S_j$  can not be covered by a finite number of the  $U_i$ s.

Let  $x_j \in S_j$ . Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . If  $n, k \geq N$   $d(x_n, x_k)$

$$\text{Note } x_n \in S_n \subset S_N \subset C_{\frac{1}{N}}(z_N)$$

$$x_k \in S_k \subset S_N \subset C_{\frac{1}{N}}(z_N)$$

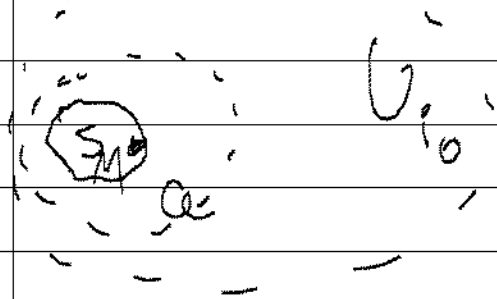
$$d(x_n, x_k) \leq d(x_n, z_N) + d(x_k, z_N) \leq \frac{1}{N} + \frac{1}{N} = \frac{2}{N} < \varepsilon$$

as long as  $N > \frac{2}{\varepsilon}$ .

Thus  $x_n$  is Cauchy. Since  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is complete  $x_n \rightarrow a$

$x_n \in S_n \subset S$  closed  $\Rightarrow a \in S \subset \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{I}} U_i \Rightarrow \exists i_0 \in \mathbb{I}$

such that  $a \in U_{\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow \exists \epsilon > 0$  such that  $B_{\epsilon}(a) \subset U_{\epsilon_0}$



note. Given any  $M$ , if  $n \geq M$

$$x_n \in S_n \subset S_M \quad \forall n \Rightarrow a \in S_M \quad \forall M$$

$$a \in S_M \subset C_{\frac{1}{M}}(z_M) \Rightarrow \text{if } x \in S_M \quad d(x, a) \leq \frac{2}{M} \quad \text{so}$$

$$\text{if } M > \frac{2}{\epsilon} \Rightarrow S_M \subset B_{\epsilon}(a) \subset U_{\epsilon_0} \quad \text{Contradiction}$$