

Topology (Math 3281)

Problem Class 1

27.10.14

This set of problems will be discussed in the Problem Class on 27.10.14, along with old homework problems.

1. Let (M, d) be a metric space and $A \subset M$. Let d_A be the metric on A obtained by restricting d to $A \times A$. Show that the topology of A coming from the metric d_A agrees with the topology coming from the subspace topology.
2. Let X be a set, and let $\tau = \{\emptyset\} \cup \{U \subset X \mid X - U \text{ is finite.}\}$. Show that X is Hausdorff if and only if X is finite.
3. Let X be a finite set. Show that a topology τ on X is Hausdorff if and only if it is discrete.
4. Show that \mathbb{R} with the standard topology is not homeomorphic to \mathbb{R} with the discrete topology.