

# REAL ANALYSIS

## Part-1

### • Norm

A "norm"  $\|\cdot\|$  on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is a function that maps a vector  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  to  $\|x\| \in \mathbb{R}$ , i.e.  $\|\cdot\| : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , which satisfies following properties:

(i)  $\|x\| \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,

(ii)  $\|x\| = 0$  if & only if  $x = 0$

(iii)  $\|\alpha x\| = \alpha \|x\|$  for every  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$  &  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

Triangle inequality  $\rightarrow$  (iv)  $\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$ ,  $\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$

### • Two norm of a vector

$$\|x\|_2 := \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 \right]^{1/2} \quad \text{for } x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

### • Pythagorean Theorem

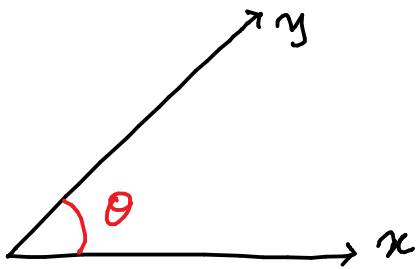
For any two orthogonal vectors  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  &  $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$

We have :

$$\|x+y\|_2^2 = \|x\|_2^2 + \|y\|_2^2$$

- For two non-zero vectors  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  &  $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , the angle between them is:

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{x^T y}{\|x\|_2 \|y\|_2} \right)$$



- $x$  &  $y$  are said to be orthogonal when  $\theta = 90^\circ$

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$$x^T y = 0$$

- Assuming that  $\|x\|_2 = 1$  &  $\|y\|_2 = 1$ , the angle between  $x$  &  $y$  are said to be:

(i) "acute angle" if  $0^\circ < \theta < 90^\circ$

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$$x^T y > 0$$

$$0 < \cos \theta < 1$$

(ii) "Obtuse angle" if  $90^\circ < \theta < 180^\circ$

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$$x^T y < 0$$

$$-1 < \cos \theta < 0$$

- Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality

For any two vectors  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  &  $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$

we have:

$$|x^T y| \leq \|x\|_2 \|y\|_2$$

- Some other vector norms:

(i)  $\infty$ -norm:  $\|x\|_\infty := \max_i |x_i|$

(ii) 1-norm:  
or  
 $l_1$ -norm  $\|x\|_1 := \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|$

→ Sequences:

- A "sequence" in  $\mathbb{R}$  is a series of real numbers, & is represented as:

$$\underbrace{\{x_k \mid k=1, 2, \dots\}}_{\text{Notation: } \{x_k\}} \leftarrow \text{Series of scalars} \quad \text{where } x_k \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- Similarly, a "sequence" in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is a series of vectors:

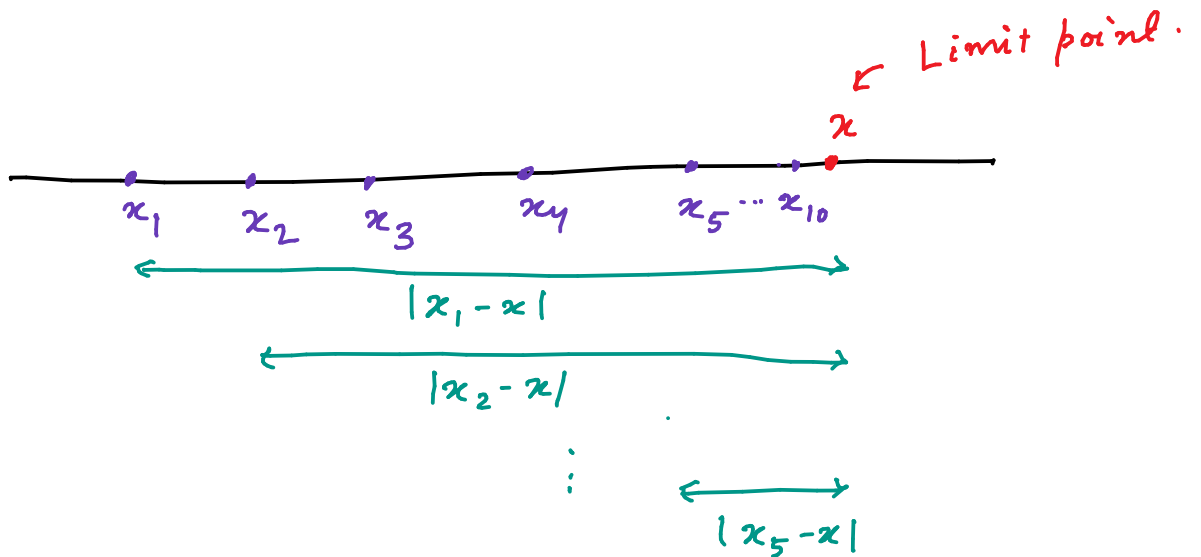
$$\{x_k \mid k=1, 2, \dots\} \quad \text{where } x_k \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

- Convergence of a Sequence:

A sequence  $\{x_k\}$  of scalars is said to be "convergent" if there exists a scalar  $x$  s.t for every given  $\epsilon > 0$ :

$$|x_k - x| < \epsilon \text{ for every } k > N$$

where  $N$  is some integer & it depends on  $\epsilon$ .



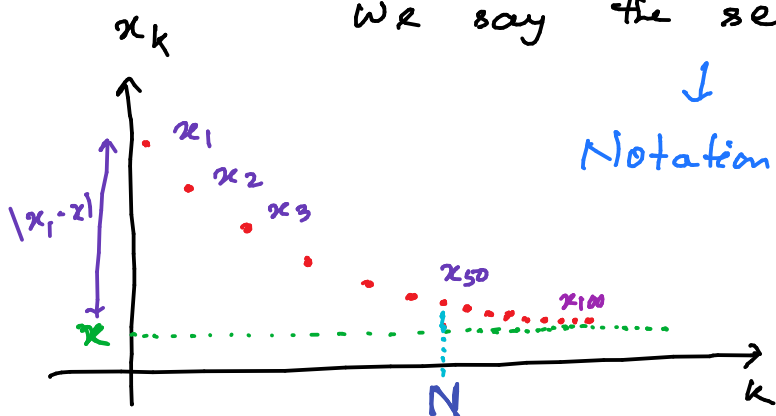
- The point  $x$  is called "limit point" of the sequence  $\{x_k\}$ .



We say the sequence  $\{x_k\}$  converges to  $x$ .



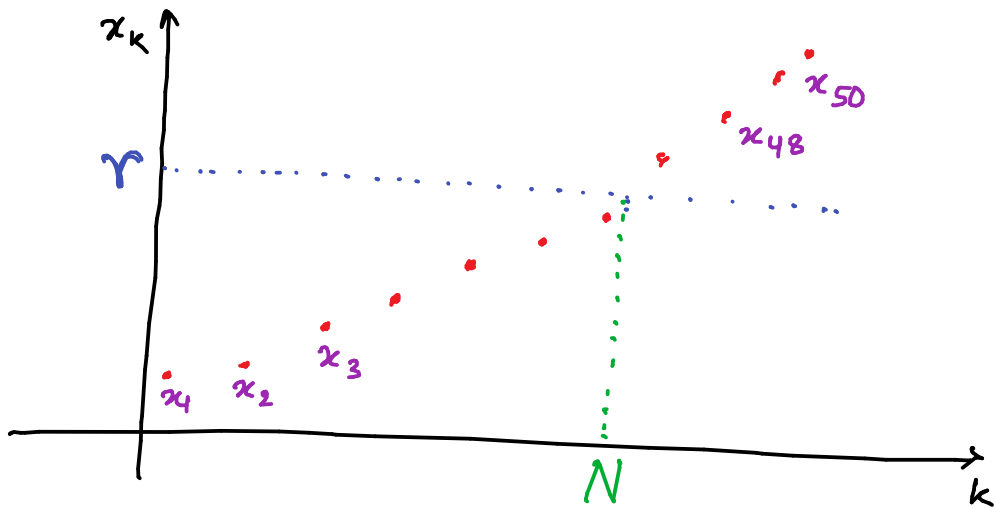
Notation:  $\{x_k\} \rightarrow x$  or  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_k = x$



- Divergence Sequence

A sequence  $\{x_k\}$  of real numbers is said to be "divergent" if for every given scalar  $\gamma$ , there exists some  $N$  (depends on  $\gamma$ ) s.t.

$$x_k \geq \gamma \text{ for all } k \geq N$$



In this case, we say that the sequence  $\{x_k\}$  is divergent  $\exists$

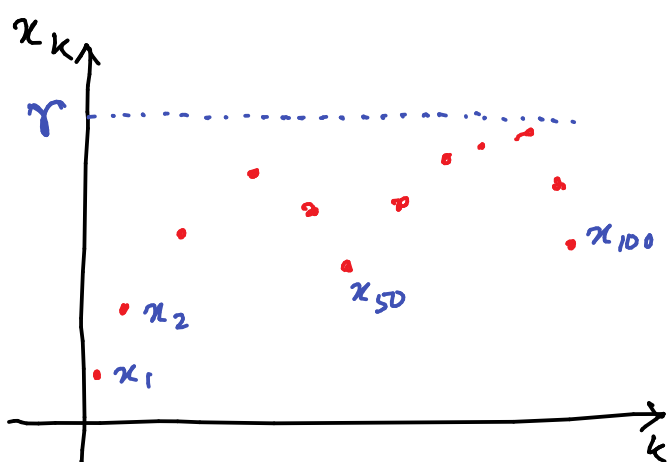
write it as  $\{x_k\} \rightarrow \infty$

or  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_k = \infty$

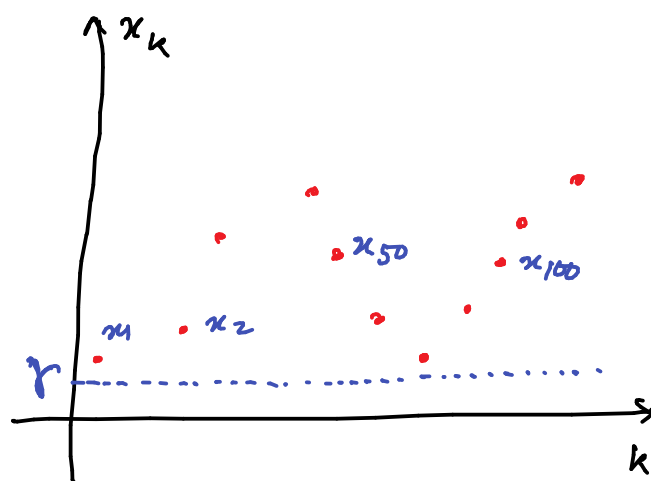
- A sequence is said to be "bounded above" if there exists some scalar  $\gamma$  s.t.  $x_k \leq \gamma$  for all  $k$ .



Similarly  $\{x_k\}$  is "bounded below" if  $x_k \geq \gamma$  for all  $k$ .



$\{x_k\}$  bounded above

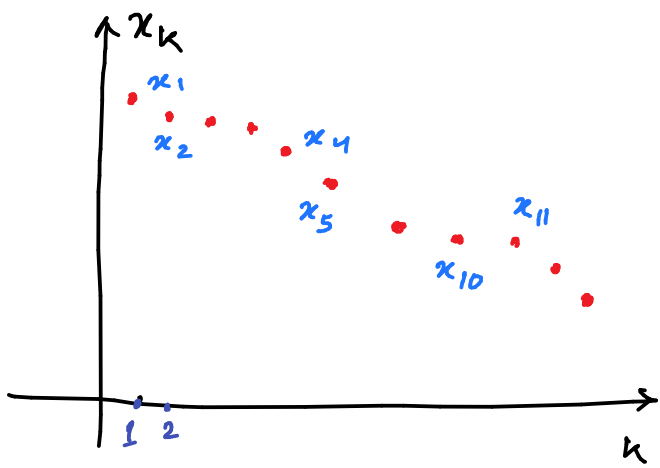


$\{x_k\}$  bounded below

- A sequence  $\{x_k\}$  of scalars is said to be "monotonically non-increasing" sequence if  $x_{k+1} \leq x_k$  for all  $k$ .

Similarly,  $\{x_k\}$  is "monotonically nondecreasing" sequence if

$$x_{k+1} \geq x_k \text{ for all } k.$$



Monotonically  
Nonincreasing  $\{x_k\}$

$$x_{k+1} \leq x_k$$



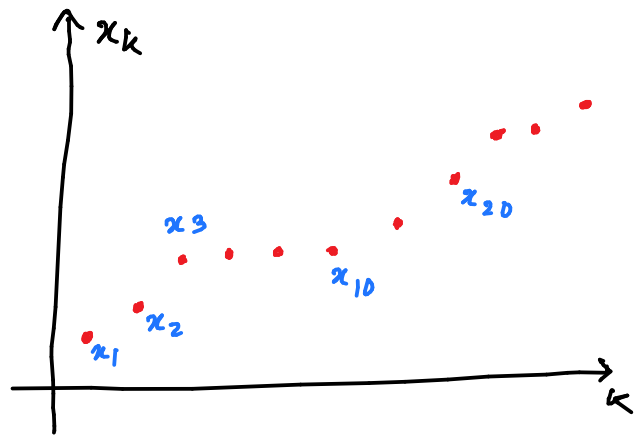
Notation for a sequence

$\{x_k\}$  converging to  $x$

i.e.  $\{x_k\} \rightarrow x$  &  $\{x_k\}$

is monotonically  
nonincreasing sequence:

$$\underline{\{x_k\} \downarrow x}$$



Monotonically

nondecreasing  $\{x_k\}$

$$x_{k+1} \geq x_k$$



$\{x_k\} \uparrow x$  for

$$\{x_k\} \rightarrow x$$

&  $\{x_k\}$  is

monotonically  
nondecreasing.

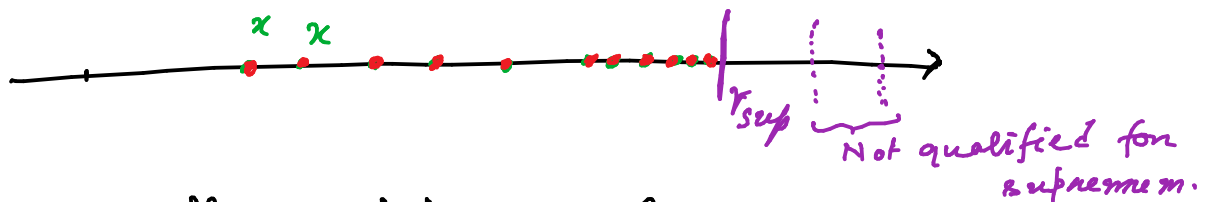
→ Result

Every non-increasing or non-decreasing  
sequence  $\{x_k\}$  converges, possibly to  
infinite. If  $\{x_k\}$  is also bounded, then  
it converges to a finite real number.

- Supremum of a set

Consider a set  $S$  of scalars. Then, the "supremum" of  $S$  is the smallest scalar  $\gamma_{\text{sup}}$  such that

$$\boxed{x \leq \gamma_{\text{sup}}, \quad \forall x \in S} \quad \dots *$$



If no  $\gamma_{\text{sup}}$  exists s.t.  $*$  holds, then

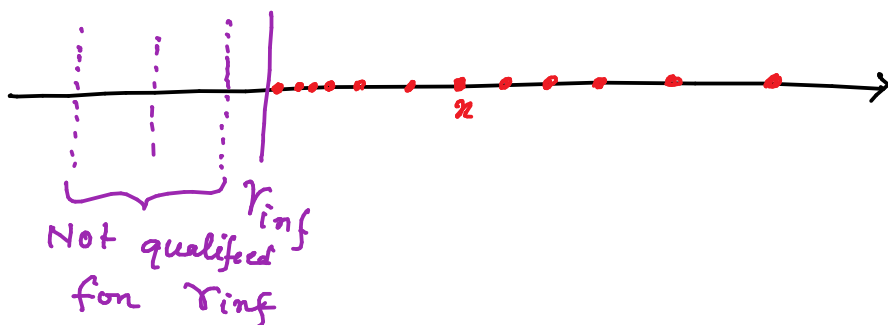
we say that supremum of  $S$  is  $\infty$ .

- Infimum of set

The "infimum" of a set  $S$  of scalars, is the largest scalar  $\gamma_{\text{inf}}$  such that:

$$\boxed{x \geq \gamma_{\text{inf}}, \quad \forall x \in S.}$$

If no such  $\gamma_{\text{inf}}$  exists, then inf  $S = \infty$ .



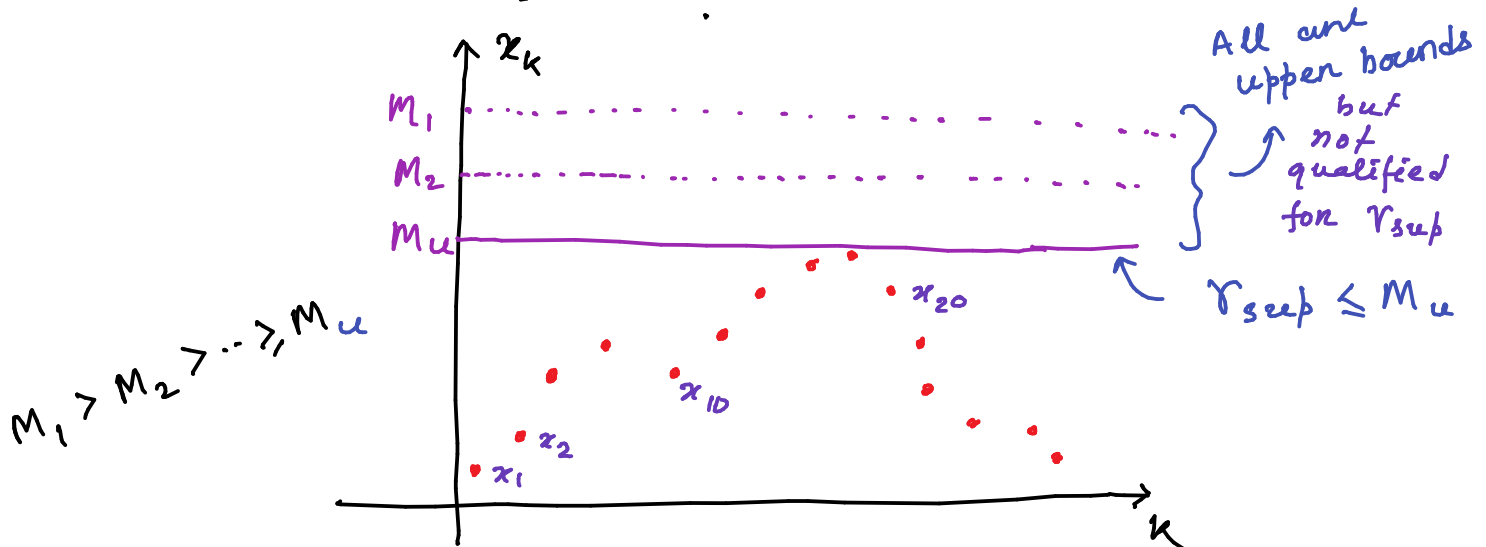


• Supremum of a sequence:

Let  $\{x_k\}$  be a sequence in  $\mathbb{R}$ . Assume that  $\{x_k\}$  is bounded above. Then, the "supremum" of  $\{x_k\}$  is an upper bound  $\gamma_{\text{sup}}$  such that:

$$\underline{\gamma_{\text{sup}} \leq M_u}$$

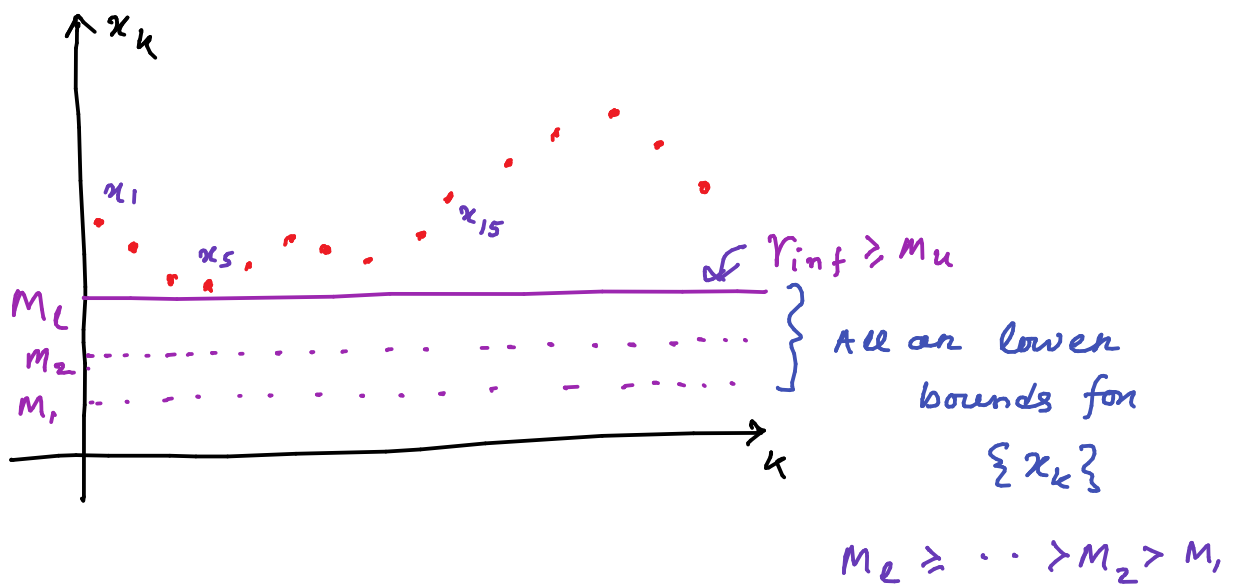
when  $M_u$  is the least upper bound of  $\{x_k\}$ .



• Infimum of a sequence:

Consider a sequence  $\{x_k\}$  of real numbers. Assume that  $\{x_k\}$  is bounded below. Then, the "infimum" of  $\{x_k\}$  is a lower bound  $\gamma_{\text{inf}}$  such that:  $\gamma_{\text{inf}} \geq M_l$

where  $M_l$  is the greatest lower bound of  $\{x_k\}$



- The infimum and supremum of  $\{x_k\}$ , if they exist, then they are unique.

Notations :  $\inf \{x_k\} \leftarrow$  infimum of  $\{x_k\}$   
 $\sup \{x_k\} \leftarrow$  supremum of  $\{x_k\}$

→ For a given sequence  $\{x_k\}$ , define the following quantities :

$$y_m := \sup \{ x_k \mid k \geq m \}$$

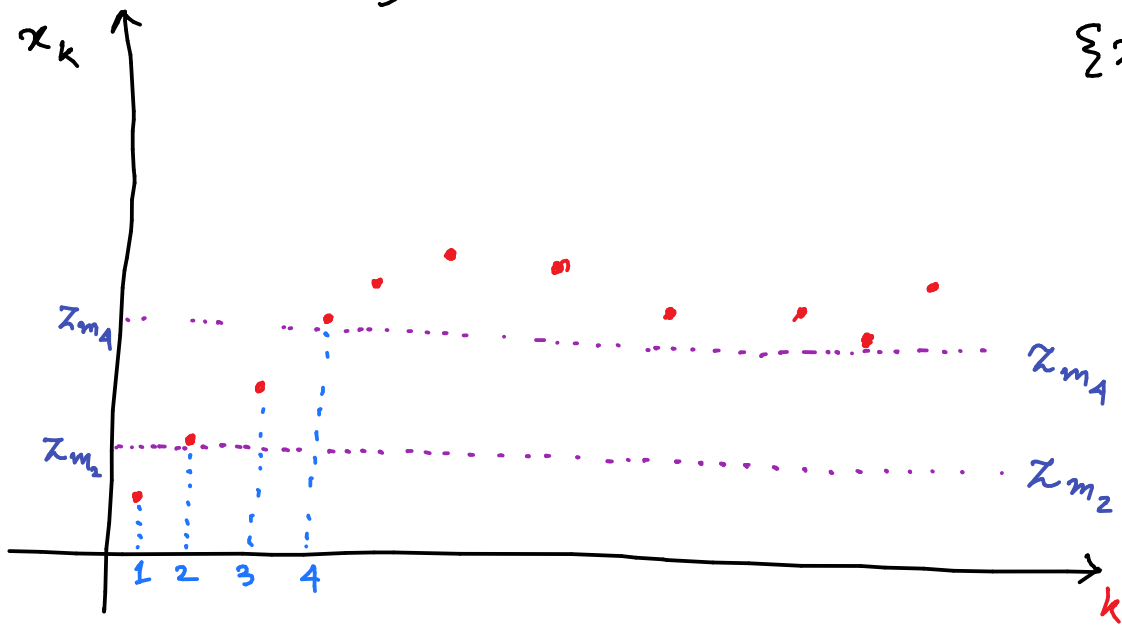
$$x_m := \inf \{ x_k \mid k \geq m \}$$

For each given  $m$ , note that

$y_m$  is  $x_m$  are some scalars.

Hence, we can form sequences:

$\{y_m\}$  &  $\{z_m\}$  for every sequence  $\{x_k\}$ .



$$z_{m_2} = \inf \{x_k \mid k \geq 2\}$$

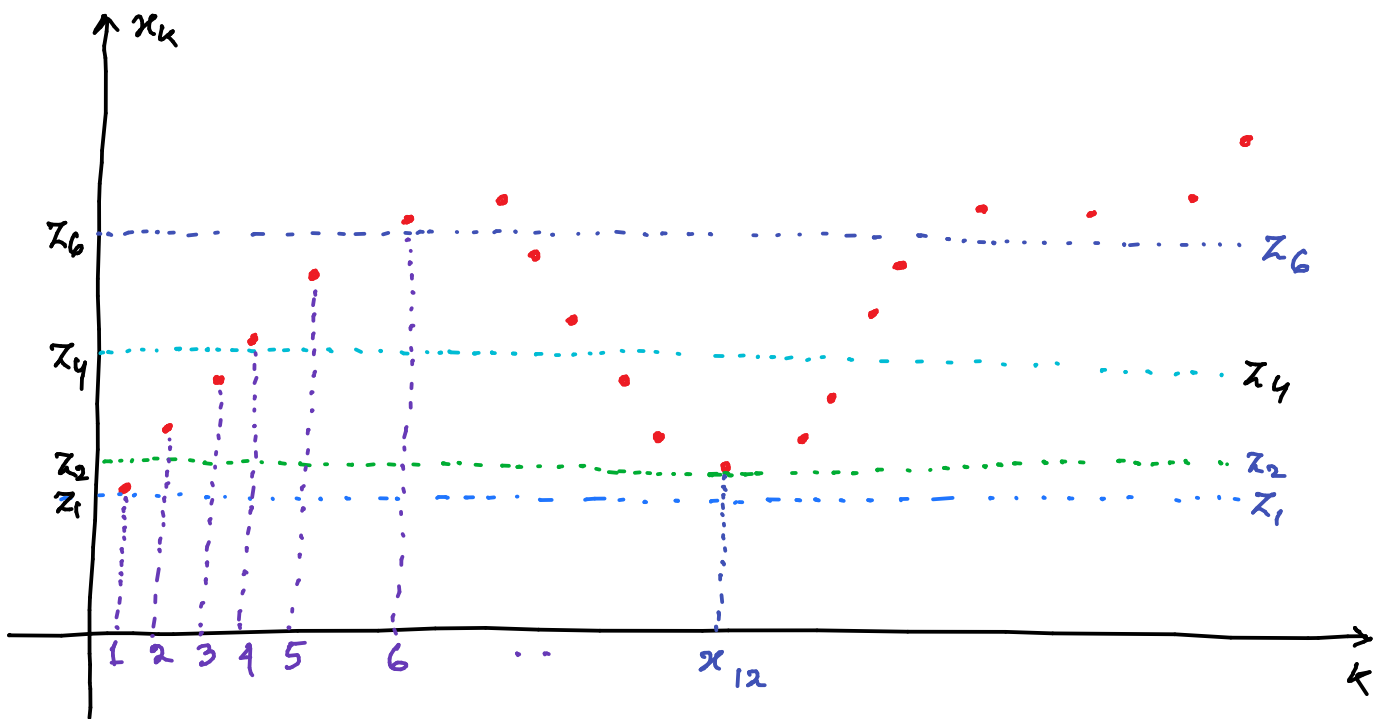
$$z_{m_4} = \inf \{x_k \mid k \geq 4\}$$

⋮

→ The sequence

$\{y_m\}$  : Non-increasing sequence

$\{z_m\}$  : Non-decreasing sequence



Since  $x_m = \inf \{x_k \mid k \geq m\}$ , it can be seen from the above fig. that

$$\begin{array}{cccccccc}
 x_1 & \leq & x_2 & \leq & x_3 & \leq & x_4 & \leq & x_5 & \leq & x_6 & \leq & \dots \\
 \downarrow & & & & & & \downarrow & & & & & & \\
 \{x_k \mid k \geq 1\} & & & & & & \{x_k \mid k \geq 4\} & & & & & & 
 \end{array}$$

Hence the sequence  $\{x_m\}$  satisfies:

$$x_{m+1} \geq x_m$$

↓

$\{x_m\}$  is a non-decreasing sequence.

Similarly  $\{y_m\}$  is a non-increasing sequence.

- Since the sequences  $\{y_m\}$  &  $\{z_m\}$  are non-increasing & non-decreasing, respectively, they have a limit point (possibly  $\infty$ ).



This follows due to the previous result on non-increasing & non-decreasing sequences.

Notations (for given sequence  $\{x_k\}$ )

limit point of  $\{y_m\}$

limit point of  $\{z_m\}$

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$$\limsup_{m \rightarrow \infty} x_m$$

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$$\liminf_{m \rightarrow \infty} x_m$$

Defn<sup>n</sup>

$$\limsup_{m \rightarrow \infty} x_m := \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \left( \sup_{k \geq m} x_k \right)$$

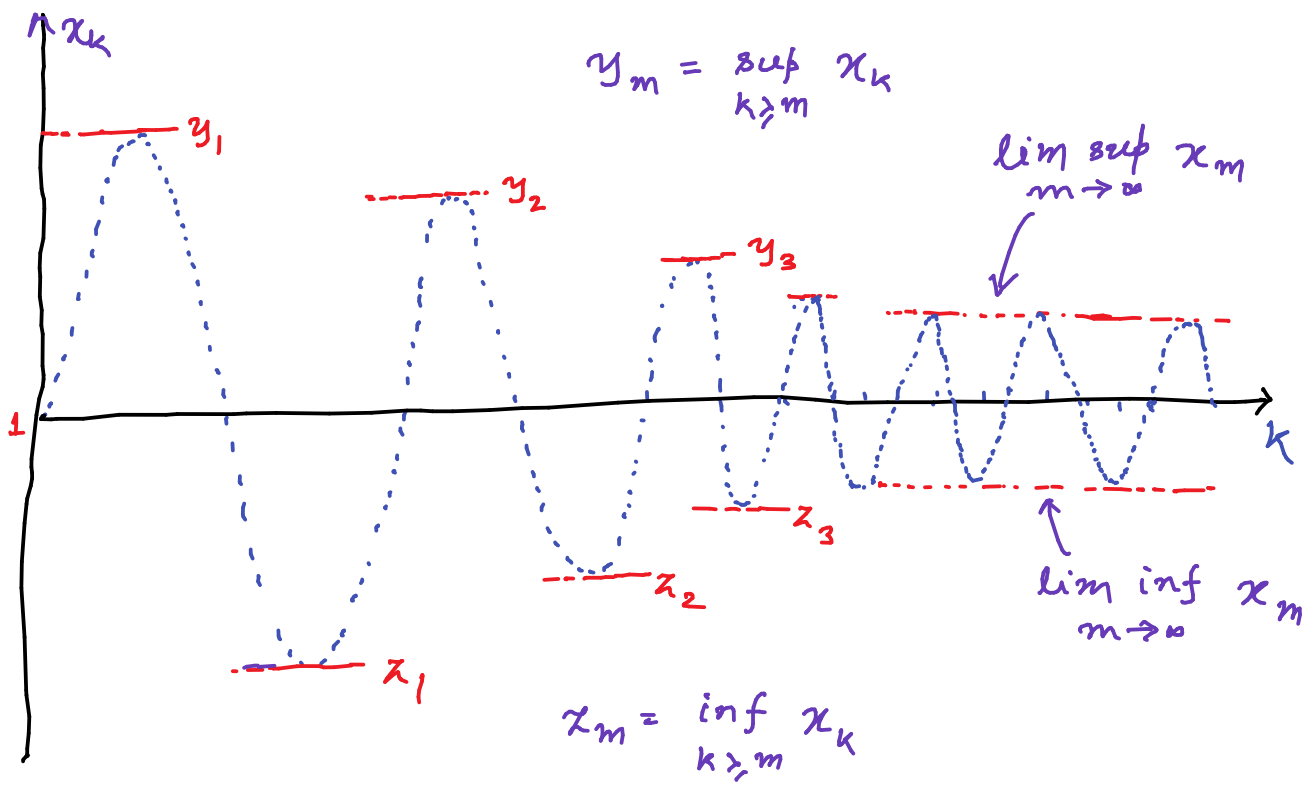
$$\liminf_{m \rightarrow \infty} x_m := \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \left( \inf_{k \geq m} x_k \right)$$

Called limit superior

Called limit inferior

$\parallel$   
 $y_m$

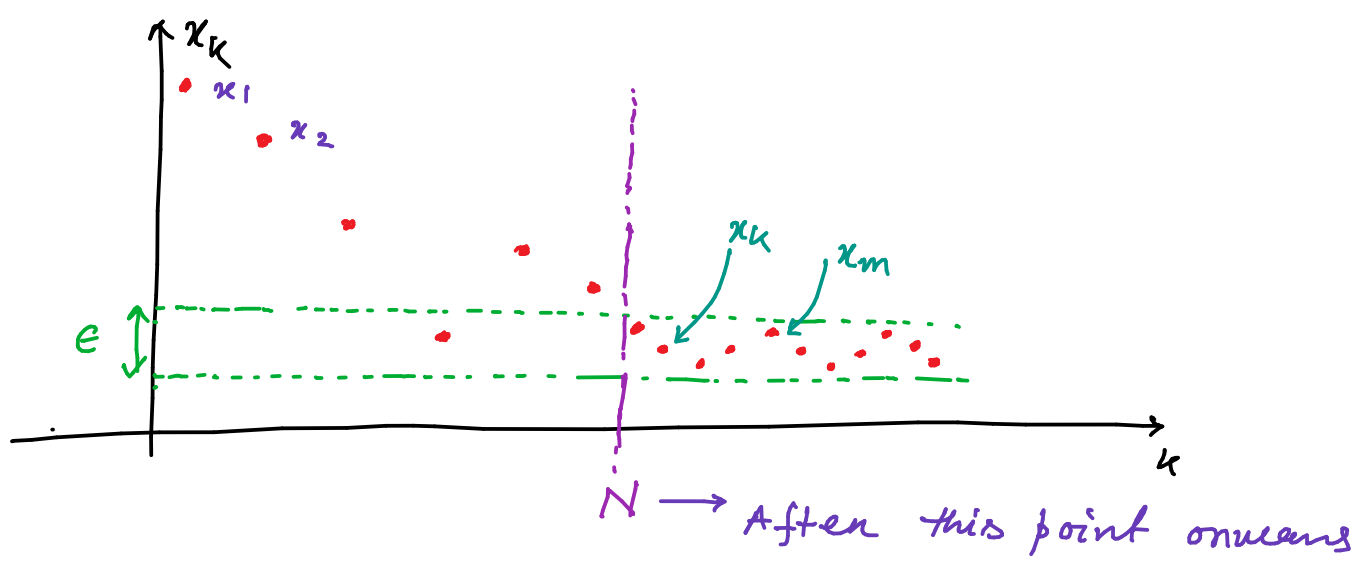
$\parallel$   
 $z_m$



→ Cauchy Sequence :

A sequence  $\{x_k\}$  of scalars is called Cauchy sequence if for every given  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists some  $N$  (depends on  $\epsilon$ ) such that

$$|x_k - x_m| < \epsilon \quad \text{for all } k \geq N \text{ \& } m \geq N$$



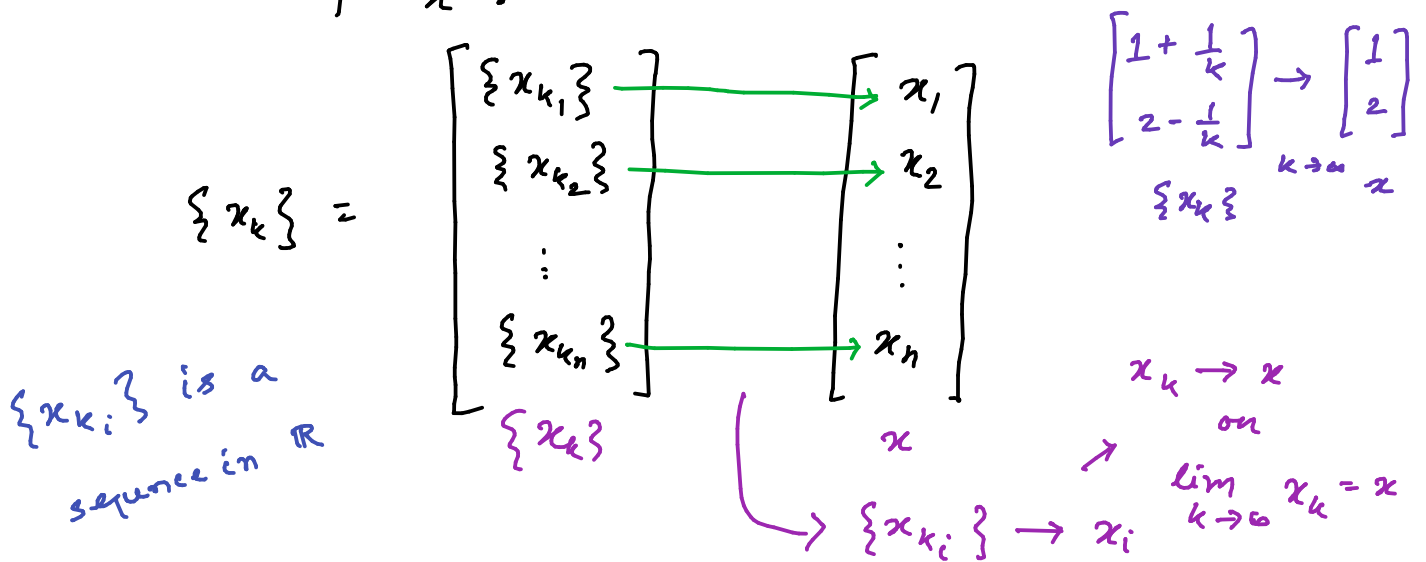
$$|x_k - x_m| < \epsilon \quad \forall k \geq N \\ \text{ \& } m \geq N$$

→ Properties of Cauchy Sequence:

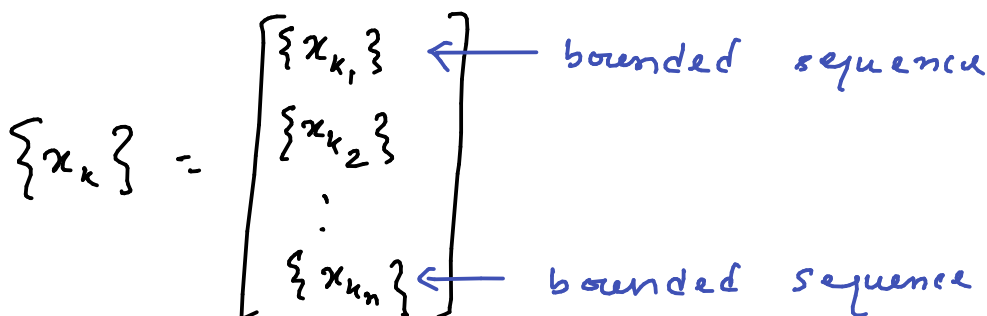
- Every Cauchy sequence is bounded.
- Every convergent sequence is  
Cauchy sequence.
- Every real Cauchy sequence is  
convergent.

→ Sequence of Vectors:

- A sequence of vectors  $\{x_k\}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  i.e.  $x_k \in \mathbb{R}^n$  for any  $k$ , is said to be convergent to a point  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  if for every  $i$ , the  $i$ th component of  $\{x_k\}$  converges to the  $i$ th component of  $x$ .



- A sequence  $\{x_k\}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is bounded if each of its component sequence is bounded.





- The sequence  $\{x_k\}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is bounded if and only if there exists a scalar  $\gamma$  such that

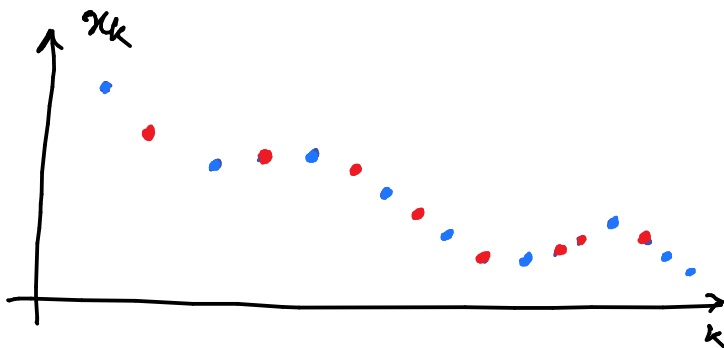
$$\|x_k\| \leq \gamma \text{ for all } k$$

- Subsequence:

An infinite subset of a sequence  $\{x_k\}$  is called subsequence of  $\{x_k\}$ .

$\Downarrow$

A subsequence itself can be viewed as a sequence.



← Sequence with blue dots. Its subsequence is only considering the red dots, which are also the elements of the sequence.

A sequence  $\{x_k\} = \left\{ 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{10}, \dots \right\}$

↓ subsequence

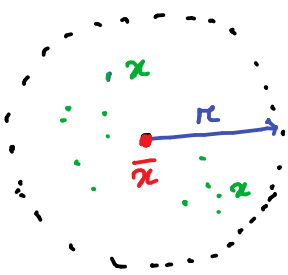
$$\left\{ 1, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{12}, \dots \right\}$$

↑

The subsequence itself is a sequence.

→ For a given point  $\bar{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  &  $r \in \mathbb{R}_+$ , we define the "open ball" as follows:

$$B(\bar{x}, r) := \{x \mid \|x - \bar{x}\| < r\}$$



- A sequence  $\{x_k\}$  of vectors is "convergent" & has a "limit point":  $\bar{x}$  i.e.  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_k = \bar{x}$  if for every given  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists some  $N$  such that each  $x_k \in B(\bar{x}, \epsilon)$  i.e.

$$\|x_k - \bar{x}\| < \epsilon \quad \text{for all } k > N$$

Note that the points  $x_k$  which are inside the ball  $B(\bar{x}, \epsilon)$  is a subsequence of sequence  $\{x_k\}$ . Hence, the limit point of a sequence can also be defined as follows.

→ A vector  $\bar{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is said to be a "limit point" of a sequence  $\{x_k\}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  if there exists a subsequence of  $\{x_k\}$  (consider the subsequence inside the ball) that converges to the vector  $\bar{x}$ .

## → Some Results

- A bounded sequence of vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is convergent if and only if it has a unique limit point.
- A sequence in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is convergent if and only if it is a Cauchy sequence.
- Every bounded sequence in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  has at least one limit point.

Bolzano-Weierstrass  
Theorem