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Tutorial Classwork 6

1. Let (X, \mathfrak{T}) be a topological space. Let $Z \subset Y \subset X$. Show that Z is compact in $(Y, \mathfrak{T}|_Y)$ if and only if Z is compact in (X, \mathfrak{T}) .
2. Let X be a Hausdorff space and $C_1, C_2 \subset X$ be compact. Show that $C_1 \cap C_2$ is also compact.
3. * Show that every compact metric space X is separable.

(Hint: For each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, consider the open covering $\{B(x, \frac{1}{n}) \mid x \in X\}$. Apply compactness to get a finite set of points. Then show that the union of the finite sets form a countable dense subset of X .)

(Remark: Actually every compact metric space X is second countable.)