

HW 6 - 2050B - Oct 2020

1.* Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be additive:

$$f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y) \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Show that

$$f(0) = 0,$$

$$f(-x) = -f(x), \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R};$$

$$f(nx) = nf(x) \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, x \in \mathbb{R};$$

$$f\left(\frac{x}{m}\right) = \frac{f(x)}{m} \quad \forall m \in \mathbb{N};$$

$$f(rx) = rf(x) \quad \forall r \in \mathbb{Q}, x \in \mathbb{R}$$

and that

$\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x)$ exists in \mathbb{R} for some $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$ iff $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$ exists

in \mathbb{R} for any $c \in \mathbb{R}$ (what then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ is?).

Show further that (assuming $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x)$ exists in \mathbb{R}

for some $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$), with $k := f(1)$,

$$f(x) = kx \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

2. The last four questions (Q13-16 of 3rd Ed = Q14-17 of 4th Ed. of Bartle-Shubert).

3.* Use ε - δ definition to check that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{x+5}{2x+3} = 4;$$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x + \operatorname{sgn}(x))$ & $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\sin\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right) \right)$ not exist in \mathbb{R} .

4. Q1, Q3, Q8 - Q11 and the last question (Q14 of 3rd Ed. = Q15 of 4th Ed.) of § 4.2 in Bartle-Sherbert.)