

*The assignment is due at the beginning of class on March 8, 2011.*

**Problem 1 (15 points)** A sequence  $(a_n)$  is called *proper*, if  $a_n \neq a_m$  for all  $n \neq m$ .

1. Let  $(a_n)$  be a proper bounded sequence. Show: if  $\{a_n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$  has **exactly one** accumulation point, then  $(a_n)$  converges.
2. Show that 1. fails if we omit the hypothesis that the sequence is bounded.
3. Show that 1. fails if we omit the hypothesis that the sequence is proper.

**Problem 2 (10 points)** Let  $(a_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  be a Cauchy sequence, and let  $\varphi : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  be a one-to-one function. Show that the sequence  $(a_{\varphi(n)})_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is Cauchy.

**Problem 3 (10 points)** Let  $A$  be a non-empty set that is bounded from below, and let  $m$  denote its infimum. Show:  $m \in A$  or  $m$  is an accumulation point of  $A$ .

**Problem 4 (15 points)** Problem 31 on page 56.

**Extra Credit Problem 5 (15 points)** Consider the following two properties:

- (1) Every non-empty set that is bounded from above has a supremum.
- (2) Every Cauchy sequence converges.

Show that (2) $\Rightarrow$ (1).