

Let the sequence $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ be a bounded sequence. Let E be the set of limit points of the sequence.

1. $S = \sup\{E\}$ is an element of E .

2. Find S in each of the following cases:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a) } x_n &= \begin{cases} 3 - \frac{1}{n} & \text{if } n = 3k, \text{ for } k \in \mathbb{N} \\ 6 - \frac{1}{n} & \text{if } n = 3k - 1, \text{ for } k \in \mathbb{N} \\ 2 - \frac{1}{n} & \text{if } n = 3k - 2, \text{ for } k \in \mathbb{N} \end{cases} \\ \text{(b) } x_n &= 1 + (-1)^n \end{aligned}$$

3. Show that for every $\epsilon > 0$

- (a) There exists $N > 0$ such that $x_n < S + \epsilon$ for all $n \geq N$.
- (b) For all $N > 0$ there exists $n > N$ such that $S - \epsilon < x_n$.