

Day 5 HW due day 10.

① [Grad. only] Prove that if \mathcal{S}_X and \mathcal{S}_Y are subbases for topologies \mathcal{T}_X and \mathcal{T}_Y on X and Y , and $A \subset X \times Y$, then $\{A \cap \pi_1^{-1}(U) \mid U \in \mathcal{S}_X\} \cup \{A \cap \pi_2^{-1}(V) \mid V \in \mathcal{S}_Y\}$ is a subbase for the subspace topology A inherits from the product space.

② Let $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ and let $\mathcal{B}_X = \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{2, 3, 4\}\}$ be a base for topology \mathcal{T}_X on X . Find a base for the subspace $A = \{(x, y) \in X^2 \mid x \leq y\}$ of the product space X^2 .

③ Let \mathbb{R}_ℓ be \mathbb{R} with the lower limit topology, which has base $\{[a, b) \mid a < b \text{ in } \mathbb{R}\}$. Prove that the subspace $D = \{(x, y) \mid x + y = 0\}$ of \mathbb{R}_ℓ^2 is discrete, Hint: prove that $\forall d \in D$ $\{d\}$ is open in D .

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Prove that if X has an order topology and A is a subset of X , then the order topology on A is coarser than the subspace topology on A . Hint: Prove that the order top. on A has a subbase that is a subset of a subbase of the subspace top. (Do not assume A is convex.)