Topology IB: Exam 9.5.2023

Length of exam: 2h 30min. Aiding material (including calculators) is NOT allowed in the exam.

Problem 1

- (a) State the definition of a homeomorphism. (2p.)
- (b) Find a homeomorphism $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \to H$, where

$$H := \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x > 0\}$$

is the right-hand-side half plane. Use the standard Euclidean metric in both \mathbb{R}^2 and H. (4p.)

Problem 2

- (a) State the definition of a complete metric space. (2p.)
- (b) Let (X,d) and (Y,d') be nonempty metric spaces and $f: X \to Y$ be a bijective bilipschitz map. Suppose that X is complete. Show that also Y is complete. (4p.)

Problem 3

- (a) State the definition of a compact metric space. (2p.)
- (b) Is the space

$$X = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + 3y^2 < 1\}$$

compact, when X is equipped with the standard Euclidean metric? Please explain your argument carefully. (4p.)

Problem 4

- (a) State the definition of a connected metric space. (2p.)
- (b) Consider the metric space (\mathbb{R}, d) , where d is the discrete metric

$$d(x,y) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = y; \\ 1 & \text{if } x \neq y. \end{cases}$$

Is (\mathbb{R},d) connected? Please explain your argument carefully. (4p.)