

GENERAL TOPOLOGY
EXERCISES FOR SESSION 12 (WED 10.4)

In class: Feel free to also look at exercises from previous sets that you did not have time to do before.

Exercise 1. Let $X = \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ with $X_i \neq \emptyset$ for all i . Suppose that X is compact. Prove that X_i is compact for all $i \in I$.

Exercise 2. Let X be a topological vector space. Show that if $F, G \subset X$ are compact, then $F + G$ is compact.

Exercise 3. A space is called σ -**compact** if it is the countable union of compact sets. Show that a σ -compact space is Lindelöf.

Exercise 4. Prove that a locally compact Hausdorff space which is Lindelöf is also σ -compact.

Exercise 5. Show that if X is Lindelöf and Y is compact, then $X \times Y$ is Lindelöf.

Exercise 6. Show that if X and Y are locally compact, then $X \times Y$ is locally compact.

Exercise 7. Let $[0, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}$ be the Hilbert cube. Points in this space can be interpreted also as sequences (x_0, x_1, \dots) with $x_i \in [0, 1]$ for all $i \in \mathbb{N}$. If $A \subset [0, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}$ denotes the subset of all converging sequences, is A closed in the product topology?

Exercise 8. Suppose that X is compact. Prove that for every other topological space Y the projection $\text{proj}_Y : X \times Y \rightarrow Y$ is a closed map.

Note: The converse of this statement is also true, but it is very challenging to prove (feel free to try).