

Riddle Along.  $\mathcal{E}(\text{zigzag}) = ?$   $\mathcal{E}(\text{square}) = ?$

Read Along. Munkres 35, 43, 45  $\mathcal{E}(\text{square}) = ?$

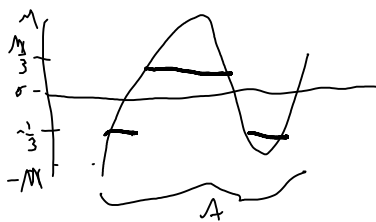
HW. HV6 returned, HW7 due, HW8 assigned.

Goal. Tietze, compactness in metric spaces.

**Tietze's Theorem.** If  $X$  is  $T_4$ ,  $A \subset X$  closed, and  $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is cont., then there is a cont. extension  $\tilde{f}$  of  $f$  to all of  $X$ . (So  $\tilde{f}|_A = f$ )

Remark. Tietze  $\Rightarrow$  Urysohn.

Pf. of Tietze. Assume first that  $f$  is bndd.



Lemma Suppose  $\tilde{f}_0: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is such

that  $|f - \tilde{f}_0| \leq \epsilon$  on  $A$ ; then

$\exists \tilde{f}_1: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  s.t.  $|\tilde{f}_0 - \tilde{f}_1| \leq \epsilon$  everywhere

&  $|f - \tilde{f}_1| \leq \frac{2\epsilon}{3}$  on  $A$ .

So construct  $\tilde{f}_0 = 0, \tilde{f}_1, \tilde{f}_2 \dots$  s.t.

$$|f - \tilde{f}_n| < \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n M \text{ on } A$$

$$|\tilde{f}_n - \tilde{f}_{n+1}| < \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{n+1} \text{ on } X$$

Let  $\tilde{f}(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{f}_n(x)$  (limit exists as  $\tilde{f}_n(x)$  is Cauchy)

Lemma A uniformly convergent sequence of cont.

functions converges to a cont. limit.

Proof - - -

Now do the unbounded case - - -