

1.8.1 | Let  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  be compact. Then the open covering  $S = \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} B(0, k) \cap S$  has a finite subcovering, say with indices  $k_1, \dots, k_r$ . Setting  $K := \max\{k_1, \dots, k_r\}$  gives  $S = B(0, K) \cap S$ , so  $S$  is bounded.

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1.8.2 | Let  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  be compact. If  $S$  is not closed then  $\exists p \in \overline{S} \setminus S$ . Hence, the open covering  $S = \bigcup_{\varepsilon > 0} S - \overline{B(p, \varepsilon)}$  can not have a finite subcovering by definition of a cluster point. Therefore,  $S = \overline{S}$ .

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1.8.3 | Let  $S$  be compact and  $T \subset S$  closed. If  $T = \bigcup_{i \in I} U_i$  is an open covering of  $T$  then  $U_i = V_i \cap T$  for some  $V_i \subset S$  open and  $S = S \setminus T \cup \bigcup_{i \in I} V_i$  is an open covering of  $S$ . By compactness of  $S$ ,  $\exists$  finite  $J \subset I$  s.t.  $S = S \setminus T \cup \bigcup_{j \in J} V_j$  and hence  $T = \bigcup_{j \in J} U_j$  by intersecting with  $T$ .

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1.8.5 | ( $\Rightarrow$ ) Let  $S \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be compact, i.e. closed and bounded, and let  $\{p_n\} \subset S$  be a sequence in  $S$ . By Bolzano-Weierstrass, there is a convergent subsequence  $\{p_{n_k}\}$ . Then  $p = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} p_{n_k}$  is a limit point of

$\{p_n\}$  by Theorem 1.6.6., and hence a limit point of  $S$ . By closedness of  $S$ , we have  $p \in \bar{S} \subset S$ .

( $\Leftarrow$ ) Assume that any sequence in  $S$  has a limit point in  $S$ .

If  $S$  is not closed, pick  $p \in \bar{S} \setminus S$  and, for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , a point  $p_n \in S \cap B(p, 1/n)$ . Then  $p_n \rightarrow p \notin S$ .  $\nexists$

If  $S$  is not bounded, there is, for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , a point  $p_n \in S - B(0, n)$ . Then  $\{p_n\}$  has no limit point  $\nexists$  (indeed, for any  $q \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and  $\varepsilon > 0$ , pick  $N > |q| + \varepsilon$ . Then, for all  $n \geq N$ ,  $|p_n - q| \geq |p_n| - |q| \geq n - N + \varepsilon \geq \varepsilon$ .)

Thus,  $S$  is closed and bounded and hence compact by Heine-Borel.

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