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Recap Sheet 4

This recap sheet aims to self-assess your progress and to recap some of the definitions and concepts introduced in the previous lectures. You do **not** need to hand in solutions, but please try to answer as many questions as you can since this is a very good training in preparation of your final exam. If you should have any problem, please do not hesitate to attend Maria's office hours on Thursdays 2-3 pm in room F408.

- 1) Recall the definitions of relatively compact and precompact sets. In particular, recall the concept of completion for a Hausdorff t.v.s. (introduced in the previous course).
- 2) Recall the definition of bounded subsets of a t.v.s. and give some examples of classes of such sets.
- **3)** How are the terms "bounded", "closed" and "compact" related to each other when referred to a subset of a t.v.s.?
- 4) Provide an example of a t.v.s. where the Heine-Borel property fails to hold.
- 5) Recall the definition of (linear) bounded map and explain why continuous linear maps between t.v.s. are bounded. Does the converse hold? If yes, prove it. If not, do you know any class of t.v.s. in which this holds?
- 6) State and prove a characterization of boundedness for subsets of a t.v.s. in terms of sequences.
- 7) Give a criterion for a Hausdorff l.c.t.v.s. to be normable.
- 8) Characterize bounded subsets of LF-spaces.
- 9) Recall the definition of the algebraic and topological dual space of a t.v.s. and the notion of pairing between a space and its dual.
- 10) Recall the definition of polar of a subset of a t.v.s.. What can you say about the polar of a cone?