

**Math 165: Honors Calculus I**  
**Assignment 9** *Sept. 15, 1999*

1. Problem 13 on p. 45.
2. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be non-empty sets of real numbers bounded above and below, respectively.
  - a) Show that for any  $k < \sup A$  there exists a number  $a \in A$  such that  $k < a$ .
  - b) Show that for any  $h > \inf B$  there exists a number  $b \in B$  such that  $b < h$ .
3. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be sets of real numbers with  $A \neq \emptyset$  and  $A \subset B$ . Prove:
  - a) If  $A$  and  $B$  are bounded above, then  $\sup A \leq \sup B$ .
  - b) If  $A$  and  $B$  are bounded below, then  $\inf B \leq \inf A$ .
4. For  $0 \leq x \leq 1$  define

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ 0 & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$

Prove:

- a) If  $s$  and  $t$  are step functions satisfying  $s(x) \leq f(x) \leq t(x)$  for all  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ , then  $s(x) \leq 0$  and  $t(x) \geq 1$ , except possibly at partition points.
- b)  $\underline{I}(f) = 0$ ,  $\bar{I}(f) = 1$ , and  $f$  is not integrable.