

Math 105
Homework 2

1. (3-1-7) Universal Mapping Property for completions Let L be a field complete with respect to a valuation $|\cdot|_L$ and K a field with valuation $|\cdot|_K$, and \widehat{K} its completion under the valuation. Assume that there is an isometry $\lambda : K \rightarrow L$. Show there is a unique isometric field embedding $\rho : \widehat{K} \rightarrow L$ making the diagram below commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \widehat{K} & \xrightarrow{\rho} & L \\
 \uparrow & \nearrow \lambda & \\
 K & &
 \end{array}
 \tag{1}$$

2. (3-1-18) Let K be a field with valuation $|\cdot|_K$. Show that $|\cdot|_K$ is non-archimedean iff there exists $C > 0$ with $|m|_K \leq C$ for all $m \in \mathbb{Z}$.
3. We showed in class that a number field K embeds as a discrete subring of its adèle ring, \mathbb{A}_K .
- (a) Show that \mathbb{A}_K has a Hausdorff topology, so that it is a locally compact topological ring with a Hausdorff topology.
 - (b) Show the K embeds as a closed subset of \mathbb{A}_K .
4. Let G be a topological group, i.e., G has a topology with respect to which the group operations are continuous.
- (a) Show that every open subgroup of G is closed, and every closed subgroup of G of finite index is open.
 - (b) Show that every subgroup $H \leq G$ which contains a neighborhood of the identity is open.
 - (c) Show that if H is a subgroup of G , the coset space G/H is discrete if and only if H is open.