

The density of irrational number

If $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t $a < b$ then there is κ irrational number s.t $a < \kappa < b$.

proof :- Suppose that the theorem is not true.

$\therefore \forall \kappa \in \mathbb{R}$ and $a < \kappa < b$, κ is rational number.

$\therefore a + \sqrt{2} < \kappa + \sqrt{2} < b + \sqrt{2}$ $\sqrt{2}$ is irrat.

$\therefore \kappa + \sqrt{2}$ is irrational number

Then there is no rational number between $a + \sqrt{2}$ and $b + \sqrt{2}$

which is contradiction with density of rational numbers.

$\therefore a < \kappa < b$ and κ is irrational number.

corollary :-

if $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ and $a < b$, the set of irrational numbers between a and b is infinite.

proof :- (Exc).