## MAT 319: HOMEWORK 6 DUE TUESDAY, MARCH 6

1. We say that a sequence  $(x_n)$  converges to A very well if there exists  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  such that for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $|x_n - A| < \varepsilon$  for all  $n \ge k$ . (That is, the number k in the definition of limit does not depend on  $\varepsilon$ .) Describe all sequences that converge very well to A = 1 and prove your answer.

2. Let 
$$x_n = (-1)^n \frac{n+1}{n^4+2}$$
 for  $n = 1, 2, 3, ...$   
(a) Find  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $|x_n| < \frac{1}{100}$  for all  $n \ge k$ . (You don't have to find the best possible  $k$ .)

(b) Prove that the sequence  $(x_n)$  converges to 0.

**3.** Consider the sequence  $(x_n)$ , where  $x_n = \begin{cases} 1, & n = 1, 4, 7, \dots \\ 2, & n = 2, 5, 8, \dots \\ 3, & n = 3, 6, 9, \dots \end{cases}$ 

- (a) Prove that  $(x_n)$  does not converge to 2.
- (b) Prove that  $(x_n)$  does not converge to any  $A \in \mathbb{R}$ .