Definition 13.27. [162] Let $A \subset \mathbb{R}$. A function $f : A \to \mathbb{R}$ is said Lipschitz continuous if there exists L > 0 such that $\forall x, y \in A$,

$$|f(x) - f(y)| \le L|x - y| .$$

A function $f : A \to \mathbb{R}$ is said **Hölder continuous** if L > 0 and $\alpha \in (0, 1]$ exist such that $\forall x, y \in A$,

$$|f(x) - f(y)| \le L|x - y|^{\alpha} .$$

The constant α is called the order.