

Corollary 6.21. *[20K] (Solved on 2022-11-24) Having fixed a set $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ not empty, then $\sup A$ is the only number $\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \cup \{+\infty\}$ which satisfies these two properties*

$$\forall x \in A, x \leq \alpha$$

$$\forall h < \alpha, \exists x \in A, x > h$$

as already seen in [22S] for the more general case of totally ordered sets.