Math F651: Homework 4

These problems from Munkres:

• Page 145 #4 (no rigor here, just answers)

As well as:

1.

Let Z be the subspace $(\mathbb{R} \times 0) \cup (0 \times \mathbb{R})$ of \mathbb{R}^2 . Define $g : \mathbb{R}^2 \to Z$ by the equations

$$g(x, y) = (x, 0)$$
 if $x \neq 0$
 $g(0, y) = (0, y).$

- **a.** Is g a quotient map?
- **b.** Show that in the quotient topology induced by g, the space Z is not Hausdorff.

2.

Let X be the line with two zeros. That is, X is the quotient space of $\{0,1\} \times \mathbb{R}$ given by the equivalence relation $(0,x) \sim (1,x)$ if $x \neq 0$. We showed in class that X is not Hausdorff. Give a careful proof that X is locally Euclidean. Also show that X is second countable.

3.

Suppose a topological group G acts continuously on a topological space X. Show that the quotient map $\pi : X \to X/G$ is an open map.

4.

Suppose G is a topological group and H is a subgroup of G. Show that if H is a normal subgroup of G, then G/H is a topological group. You will find your result from problem 3 to be useful.