

# Chapter 2. Topological Spaces and Continuous Functions

## 12. Topological Spaces, topological operations, separation

**Definition**  $X$  set,  $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$  topology on  $X$  if

- (1)  $\emptyset, X \in \mathcal{A}$
- (2) closed under arbitrary union  
 $\mathcal{A}' \subset \mathcal{A} : \bigcup_{A' \in \mathcal{A}'} A' \in \mathcal{A}$
- (3) closed under simple intersection  
 $A, B \in \mathcal{A} \Rightarrow A \cap B \in \mathcal{A}$

**Remark** (3)  $\Leftrightarrow \forall \mathcal{A}' \subset \mathcal{A} \quad |\mathcal{A}'| < \infty \quad \bigcap \mathcal{A}' \in \mathcal{A}$   
 closed under finite  $\cap$

**Definition**  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  topology call  $A \in \mathcal{A}$  an open set

**Ex.**  $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{P}(X)$  discrete topology write  $(X, \mathcal{P}(X)) = X_{\text{discr}}$   
 $\mathcal{A} = \{\emptyset, X\}$  trivial(indiscrete) topology

**Ex.**  $\mathcal{A} =$  maximal chain in  $(\mathcal{P}(X), \supseteq) \rightarrow \text{HW}$

**Ex.**  $\mathcal{A} = \{A \subset X : |X \setminus A| < \infty\} \cup \{\emptyset\}$   
 finite complement (f.c.) topology  
 similarly: countable complement topology

trivial topology motivates

**Definition**  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  topological space  
 $x_1, x_2 \in X$  are call topologically indistinguishable  
 if  $\forall A \in \mathcal{A} \quad (x_1 \in A \Leftrightarrow x_2 \in A)$   
 $\downarrow$  means  
 $x_1, x_2 \in A$  or  $x_1, x_2 \notin A$   
 topology  $\mathcal{A}$  cannot distinguish  $x_1, x_2$

**Definition** ( $T_0$  Kholmogorov axiom) - (very basic separation axiom)  
 $\mathcal{A}$  is  $T_0$  if  $\nexists$  topologically indistinguishable points  
 $\Leftrightarrow \forall x_1 \neq x_2 \quad \exists A \in \mathcal{A} \quad x_1 \in A \quad x_2 \notin A$  or  $x_1 \notin A \quad x_2 \in A$



Figure 2 - 1

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be a topology on  $X$ . Define an equivalence relation on  $X$  by

$x_1 \sim x_2 \Leftrightarrow x_1$  is topologically indistinguishable from  $x_2$

Then let  $\downarrow$  equivalence class of  $x$  under  $\sim$

$$\tilde{X} = X / \sim = \{[x]_{\sim} : x \in X\}$$

and define a topology  $\tilde{\mathcal{A}}$  on  $\tilde{X}$  by

$$\tilde{\mathcal{A}} = \{ \{ [x]_{\sim} : x \in A \} : A \in \mathcal{A} \}$$

thus topology identifies (and removes) topologically indistinguishable points  
 $(\tilde{X}, \tilde{\mathcal{A}})$  is called Kholmogorov quotient of  $(X, \mathcal{A})$

Trivial topology is not  $T_0$  unless  $|X| = 1$

**Ex.** if  $\mathcal{A} = \{\emptyset, X\}$  then  $\tilde{X} = \{*\}$

often will assume  $T_0$

**Definition**  $(X, \mathcal{A})$   $A \subset X$  is called closed if  $X \setminus A$  is open

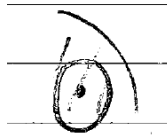
$\{A_i\}_{i \in I}, A_i$  closed,  $\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i$  closed  $A, B$  closed  $A \cup B$  closed

**Definition**  $x \in X$ . An  $O \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $O \ni x$  is called neighborhood of  $x$

**Definition**  $(X, \mathcal{A})$   $A \subset X$  any set

Let  $\text{Int}(A) = \bigcup \{A' \in \mathcal{A} : A' \subset A\}$

the interior of  $A$   $\{x \in X (x \in A) : \exists O \in \mathcal{A} \ x \in O \subset A\}$



$$= \{x \in X : \exists O \in \mathcal{A} \ x \in O \subset A\}$$

**Figure 2 - 2.** interior point

- lemma**
- 1)  $\text{Int}(A) \subset A$
  - 2)  $\text{Int}(A) = A \Leftrightarrow A$  is open ( $\Rightarrow \text{Int}(\emptyset) = \emptyset \ \text{Int}(X) = X$ )
  - 3)  $A \subset B \Rightarrow \text{Int}(A) \subset \text{Int}(B)$
  - 4)  $\text{Int}(\text{Int}(A)) = \text{Int}(A) (\Leftrightarrow \text{Int}(A) \text{ open})$

- pf.
- 1)  $\checkmark$
  - 2) “ $\Leftarrow$ ” open  $A \in \mathcal{A}' = \{A' \in \mathcal{A} : A' \subset A\}$   
 $A \supset \text{Int}(A) = \bigcup \mathcal{A}' \supset A \Rightarrow \text{Int}(A) = A$   
 $\uparrow 1)$   
“ $\Rightarrow$ ”  $\text{Int}(A) = A \quad A = \bigcup \underbrace{\{A' \in \mathcal{A} : A' \subset A\}}_{\mathcal{A}'}$   
 $\mathcal{A}' \subset \mathcal{A} \xrightarrow{\text{top. prop.}} A \in \mathcal{A} \Rightarrow A \text{ open}$
  - 3)  $A \subset B \quad \mathcal{A}' = \{A' \in \mathcal{A} : A' \subset A\}$   
 $\subset \mathcal{B}' = \{B' \in \mathcal{A} : B' \subset B\}$   
 $\text{Int}(B) = \bigcup \mathcal{B}' \supset \bigcup \mathcal{A}' = \text{Int}(A)$
  - 4)  $\text{Int}(A) = \bigcup \mathcal{A}' \quad \text{for } \mathcal{A}' \subset \mathcal{A} \Rightarrow \text{Int}(A) \text{ open}$   
 $\xRightarrow{2)} \text{Int}(\text{Int}(A)) = \text{Int}(A)$

**Definition**  $(X, \mathcal{A})$   $A \subset X$  define the exterior ← try not to use much  
 $\text{Ext}(A) = \text{Int}(X \setminus A)$   
 $= \{x \in X : \exists O \in \mathcal{A} \quad O \cap A = \emptyset\}$



$x \in \text{Ext}(A)$  exterior point

Figure 2 - 3. exterior point

closure

$$\begin{aligned}\overline{A} &= X \setminus \text{Ext}(A) = X \setminus \text{Int}(X \setminus A) \\ &= \{x \in X : \forall O \in \mathcal{A} \quad O \ni x \Rightarrow O \cap A \neq \emptyset\}\end{aligned}$$

**Lemma** Properties of closure

$$\overline{A} \supset A \quad \overline{A} = A \Leftrightarrow A \text{ closed} (\Rightarrow \overline{\emptyset} = \emptyset, \overline{X} = X)$$

$$\overline{\overline{A}} = \overline{A} \text{ (i.e. } \overline{A} \text{ is closed)}$$

$$A \subset B \Rightarrow \overline{A} \subset \overline{B}$$

**Remark**  $V$  VS  $S \subset V$  set span has similar properties:

$$\text{span}(S) \supset S$$

$$S \supset S' \Rightarrow \text{span}(S) \supset \text{span}(S')$$

$$\text{span}(\text{span}(S)) = \text{span}(S)$$

Operations of this sort are called hull operations

[Similar  $\text{conv}(X)$  convex hull]

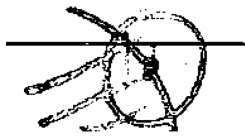
so closure is a hull operation

**Definition**  $A \subset X$   $\text{Bd } A = \overline{A} \cap \overline{X \setminus A} = \overline{A} \setminus \text{Int}(A)$

elsewhere is called (top.) boundary of  $A$

$$(\partial A!) \quad \text{Bd } A = \{x \in X : \forall O \in \mathcal{A} \quad O \ni x \quad O \not\subset A \quad O \cap A \neq \emptyset\}$$

$x \in \text{Bd } A$  is called boundary point



$x \in \text{Bd}(A)$  boundary point

Figure 2 - 4. boundary point

**Ex.**  $\mathcal{A}$  = discrete top. all  $A \subset X$  open  $\Rightarrow$  and closed

$$\overline{A} = \text{Int}(A) = A \quad \text{Bd } A = \overline{A} \setminus \text{Int}(A) = \emptyset$$

**Ex.**  $\mathcal{A}$  = trivial top.  $A \subset X$   $A \neq \emptyset, X$

$$\text{Int}(A) = \emptyset \quad \overline{A} = X \quad \text{Bd } A = X$$

**Definition** we say  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  is  $T_1$  (Fréchet)  
if  $\forall x_1 \neq x_2 \exists O_{1,2} \in \mathcal{A} : O_1 \ni x_1 \ O_1 \not\ni x_2$  and  $O_2 \ni x_2 \ O_2 \not\ni x_1$



Figure 2 - 5.  $T_1$  axiom

**Lemma**  $T_1 \xLeftrightarrow^{(1)} \overline{\{x\}} = \{x\} \xLeftrightarrow^{(2)} \text{finite sets are closed}$

pf. (2) because closedness is invariant under finite union

(1)  $\mathcal{A}$  is  $T_1$  let  $x_1 \in X \ x_2 \neq x_1$   
 $\exists x_2 \ni O_2$  open  $O_2 \not\ni x_1 \ O_2 \cap \{x_1\} = \emptyset$   
 $\Rightarrow x_2 \notin \overline{\{x_1\}} \ \forall x_2 \neq x_1$   
 $\Rightarrow \overline{\{x_1\}} = \{x_1\}$

$T_1 \Rightarrow T_0$  but not converse

**Ex.**  $X = \{1, 2\}$



Figure 2 - 6

$\mathcal{A}$  is  $T_0 \ \overline{\{x_1\}} = \{x_1, x_2\}$

**Ex.** finite complement(f.c.) topology is  $T_1$

**Definition**  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  is  $T_2$  (Hausdorff)  
if  $\forall x_1, x_2 \in X \ x_1 \neq x_2 \exists O_1 \ni x_1 \ O_2 \ni x_2 \ O_i$  open  
 $O_1 \cap O_2 = \emptyset$



Figure 2 - 7

$T_2 \Rightarrow T_1 (\Rightarrow T_0)$  but not converse

**Ex.**  $|X| = \infty, \mathcal{A} = \text{f.c. top on } X$   
 $x_1, x_2 \in X \ x_1 \neq x_2$   
 $O_1 \ni x_1 \ O_2 \ni x_2 \ O_i \in \mathcal{A}$   
 $O_1, O_2 \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow |X \setminus O_1|, |X \setminus O_2| < \infty$   
 $|X \setminus (O_1 \cap O_2)| = |(X \setminus O_1) \cup (X \setminus O_2)| < \infty$   
 $|X| = \infty \Rightarrow O_1 \cap O_2 \neq \emptyset \ \text{f.c. top. is not Hausdorff}$

**Definition**  $(X, \mathcal{A}'), (X, \mathcal{A})$  two topologies on same space  
 we say  $\mathcal{A}'$  is finer than  $\mathcal{A}$  if  $\mathcal{A}' \supset \mathcal{A}$   
 strictly finer than  $\mathcal{A}' \supsetneq \mathcal{A}$   
 coarser than  $\mathcal{A}' \subset \mathcal{A}$   
 strictly coarser than  $\mathcal{A}' \subsetneq \mathcal{A}$   
 ! to usage of “weaker/stronger”, “higher/smaller” elsewhere (try to avoid)

**Remark** of course if  $\mathcal{A}$  is  $T_i$  ( $i = 0, 1, 2$ )  
 $\mathcal{A}'$  finer  $\Rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  is  $T_i$ , too

**Remark**  $\mathcal{A}' \supset \mathcal{A} \quad A \subset X \quad \overline{A}^{\mathcal{A}'} \subset \overline{A}^{\mathcal{A}}$   
 $\text{Int}_{\mathcal{A}'}(A) \supset \text{Int}_{\mathcal{A}}(A)$

**Definition**  $A \subset X$  is dense if  $\overline{A} = X$ .  
 $X$  is separable if  $\exists A \subset X$  dense and countable (p.189-190 in book)

### 13. Basis for Topology

most important topologies. we will work with can be defined through a basis

**Definition**  $X$  set  $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$  is a basis for topology on  $X$  if

- B1)  $\forall x \in X \quad \exists B \in \mathcal{B} \quad x \in B \quad \Leftrightarrow \bigcup \mathcal{B} = X$   
 B2)  $\forall B_1, B_2 \in \mathcal{B} \quad \forall x \in X$   
 $x \in B_1 \cap B_2 \quad \exists B_3 \in \mathcal{B} \quad x \in B_3 \subset B_1 \cap B_2$



Figure 2 - 8

**Definition**  $X = (X, \mathcal{A})$ .  $\mathcal{B}$  is basis for topology  $\mathcal{A}$   
 the topology  $\mathcal{A}$  is generated by  $\mathcal{B} \quad \mathcal{A} = \mathcal{A}(\mathcal{B})$

**Remark**  $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{A} \quad A \in \mathcal{A} \Leftrightarrow \forall x \in A \quad \exists B \in \mathcal{B} \quad x \in B \quad B \subset A \quad (*)$

**Lemma**  $A \in \mathcal{A} \Leftrightarrow A = \bigcup \{B \in \mathcal{B} : B \subset A\}$   
pf.  $\Rightarrow A \supset \bigcup \{B \in \mathcal{B} : B \subset A\} \quad A \subset \bigcup \{B \in \mathcal{B} : B \subset A\}$  by  $(*)$   
 $\Leftarrow A = \bigcup \{B \in \mathcal{B} : B \subset A\}$   
 $\Downarrow$   
 $\forall x \in A \quad \exists B \in \mathcal{B} \quad B \subset A \quad B \ni x$   
 $\Downarrow$   
 $A \in \mathcal{A}$

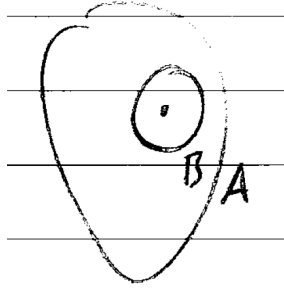


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**Lemma**  $A \in \mathcal{A} \Leftrightarrow \exists \mathcal{B}' \subset \mathcal{B} \quad A = \bigcup \mathcal{B}'$   
 $\Rightarrow \mathcal{B}' = \{B \in \mathcal{B} : B \subset A\}$   
 $\Leftarrow A = \bigcup \mathcal{B}' \quad \forall x \in A \exists B \in \mathcal{B}' \quad x \in B \quad B \subset \bigcup \mathcal{B}' = A$   
 $\Rightarrow A \in \mathcal{A}$

so open sets are unions of basis elements

**Lemma**  $\mathcal{A}(\mathcal{B})$  is a topology  
pf.  $\mathcal{A}(\mathcal{B}) = \{\bigcup \mathcal{B}' : \mathcal{B}' \subset \mathcal{B}\}$   
 $\mathcal{B}' = \emptyset \Rightarrow \emptyset \in \mathcal{A}$   
 $\mathcal{B}' = \mathcal{B}$  use B1)  $\Rightarrow X \in \mathcal{A}$   
 $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in I} \subset \mathcal{A} \quad A_\alpha = \bigcup \mathcal{B}_\alpha \quad \mathcal{B}_\alpha \subset \mathcal{B}$   
 $\bigcup_\alpha A_\alpha = \bigcup_\alpha \bigcup \mathcal{B}_\alpha = \bigcup \underbrace{\bigcup_\alpha \mathcal{B}_\alpha}_{\subset \mathcal{B}} \in \mathcal{A}$   
 assume  $A', A'' \in \mathcal{A}$   
 $A' = \bigcup \mathcal{B}' \quad A'' = \bigcup \mathcal{B}'' \quad \mathcal{B}', \mathcal{B}'' \in \mathcal{B}$   
 let  $x \in A' \cap A'' \Rightarrow \exists B' \in \mathcal{B}' \quad x \in B' \cap B''$   
 $B'' \in \mathcal{B}''$   
 $\cap \quad B' \subset A'$   
 $\mathcal{B} \quad B'' \subset A''$   
 $\xRightarrow{B2)} \exists B''' \in \mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{A} \quad x \in B''' \subset B' \cap B''$   
 $x \in B''' \subset A' \cap A''$   
 $\forall x \in A' \cap A'' \quad \exists B''' \in \mathcal{A} \quad x \in B''' \subset A' \cap A''$   
 $\Rightarrow A' \cap A''$  is open  $\Rightarrow A' \cap A'' \in \mathcal{A}$

**Lemma (B.2)**  $(X, \mathcal{A}) \quad \mathcal{C} \subset \mathcal{A}$   
 how to identify  $\forall O \in \mathcal{A} \quad x \in O \quad \exists U \in \mathcal{C} \quad x \in U \subset O$   
 a basis  $\Rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  is a basis

**Lemma**  $(X, \mathcal{A}), (X, \mathcal{A}')$   
 $\mathcal{A}' \supset \mathcal{A} \Leftrightarrow \forall x \in X \quad \forall B \in \mathcal{B}$   
 $\mathcal{A}'$  finer  $x \in B \Rightarrow \exists B' \in \mathcal{B}' \quad x \in B' \subset B$

**Definition**  $(\mathbb{R}, <)$   $\mathcal{B} = \{(a, b) : a < b\}$   $(a, b) = \{x : a < x < b\}$   
topology generated by  $\mathcal{B}$  is called standard (Euclidean) topology on  $\mathbb{R}$   
assumed below by default

**Definition**  $\mathcal{B}' = \{[a, b) : a < b\}$   
 $\mathbb{R}_\ell = (\mathbb{R}, \mathcal{A}(\mathcal{B}'))$  lower limit topology

**Lemma**  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  basis  $\mathcal{B}$   $\text{Int}(A) = \bigcup \{B \in \mathcal{B} : B \subset A\}$

**Ex.** 1)  $A = (0, 1)$   $A \subset \mathbb{R}$   
 $\overline{A} = [0, 1]$   $\text{Int}(A) = A = (0, 1)$  ( $A$  open)  
2)  $A = \{1\}$   $\overline{A} = A$   $\text{Int}(A) = \emptyset$   
 $\text{Bd } A = A$   
3)  $A = [0, 1)$   $\overline{A} = [0, 1]$   $\text{Int}(A) = (0, 1)$   
 $\text{Bd } A = \{0, 1\}$   
4)  $A = \mathbb{Q}$   $\exists a', a'' \in (a, b)$   $a' \in \mathbb{Q}$   $a'' \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$   
 $\overline{A} = \mathbb{R}$   $\text{Int}(A) = \emptyset$   
 $\text{Bd}(A) = \mathbb{R}$  rational and irrational numbers are dense

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}_\ell$   
1)  $A = [0, 1]$   $\text{Int}(A) = [0, 1)$   
 $\overline{A} = A$   $\text{Bd } A = \{1\}$   
2)  $A = [0, 1)$   $\text{Int } A = A = [0, 1)$   $A$  open and closed!  
 $\overline{A} = A$   $\text{Bd } A = \emptyset$   
3)  $A = \{1\}$   $\text{Int } A = \emptyset$   
 $\overline{A} = A$   $\text{Bd } A = \{1\}$   
4)  $A = \mathbb{Q}$  like previous example

**Definition**  $X$  set  $\mathcal{S}$  subbasis  $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$   
topology of  $X$  is the topology with basis  $\bigcup \mathcal{S} = X$   
 $\mathcal{B} = \{\bigcap \mathcal{S}' : \mathcal{S}' \subset \mathcal{S} \mid |\mathcal{S}'| < \infty\}$   
finite intersections of elements in  $\mathcal{S}$   
 $\mathcal{A} =$  unions of finite intersections of elements in  $\mathcal{S}$

## 14. The Order Topology

First major source of important topologies!

**Definition**  $(X, <)$  ordered set  $a < b$   
 $(a, b) = \{x : a < x < b\}$   
 $[a, b) = \{x : a \leq x < b\}$  etc. (had before)

**Definition**  $(X, <)$  ordered set. the order topology  $\mathcal{A}$  on  $X$   
is the one with basis  $\mathcal{B}$  consisting of  
1) all open intervals  $(a, b)$   $a < b$   
2)  $[a_0, b)$   $a_0$  smallest element  $b > a_0$  (if  $\exists a_0$ !)  
 $(a, b_0]$   $b_0$  largest element  $a < b_0$  (if  $\exists b_0$ !)

**Ex.**  $|X| < \infty$   $X$  ordered  $\Rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  discrete topology  
similarly  $(\mathbb{Z}_+, <)$

**Ex.**  $(\mathbb{R}, <)$   $\mathcal{A}$  = Euclidean topology on  $\mathbb{R}$

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$  with dictionary order

**Recall**  $a \times b > c \times d \Leftrightarrow a > c$  or  $(a = c \text{ and } b > d)$   
no smallest or largest element

$$(c \times d, a \times b) = \begin{cases} \{c\} \times (d, b) & a = c \\ \{c\} \times (d, \infty) \cup (c, a) \times \mathbb{R} \cup \{a\} \times (-\infty, b) & c < a \end{cases}$$

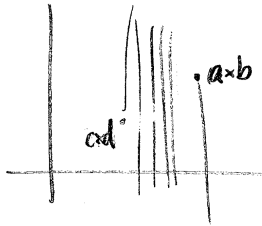


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**Ex.**  $\{1, 2\} \times \mathbb{Z}_+$  dictionary order  
 $1 \times n = a_n$   $2 \times n = b_n$   $X = a_1 \dots a_n \dots b_1 b_2 \dots$   
 $(b_1, b_3) = \{b_2\}$   $\{b_2\}$  open  
 $\{a_1\} = [a_1, a_2)$   $\{a_1\}$  open  
 $\uparrow$  nearest element  
similarly  $\{a_i\}$  open  $i > 1$   
 $\{b_j\}$  open  $j > 2$   
but  $\{b_1\}$  is not open

if  $b_1 \in B$  open  $\exists b_1 \in (a, b) \subset B$   $b > b_1$   
 $a < b_1$   $a = a_n$  for some  $n$   
 $B \supset (a, b) \supset \{a_{n+1}, a_{n+2}, \dots\}$   
 $|B| = \infty$

**Definition**  $(X, <)$   $a \in X$  define  $(a, +\infty) = (a, \infty) = \{x : x > a\}$   
 $[a, \infty) = \{x : x \geq a\}$   
 $(-\infty, a)$   $(-\infty, a]$  rays  
 $(a, \infty)$   $(-\infty, a)$  open rays (open sets)  
 $[a, \infty)$   $(-\infty, a]$  closed rays (closed sets)

## 15. The Product Topology

**Definition**  $(X, \mathcal{A}), (Y, \mathcal{B})$  define a topology  
 $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B} = \mathcal{C}$  on  $X \times Y$  by the basis  
 $\{A \times B : A \in \mathcal{A}, B \in \mathcal{B}\}$   
 $\mathcal{C}$  is called the product topology on  $X \times Y$



**Theorem** if  $\mathcal{A}' \subset \mathcal{A}$  is a basis for  $\mathcal{A}$   
 $\mathcal{B}' \subset \mathcal{B}$  is a basis for  $\mathcal{B}$   
 $\Rightarrow \{A' \times B' : A' \in \mathcal{A}', B' \in \mathcal{B}'\}$   
is a basis for  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$

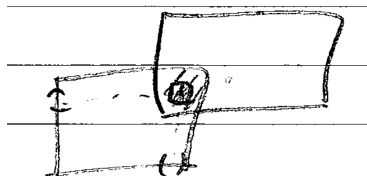


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**Definition**  $\pi_1 : X \times Y \rightarrow X$        $\pi_1(x \times y) = x$   
 $\pi_2 : X \times Y \rightarrow Y$        $\pi_2(x \times y) = y$   
projection

**Theorem**  $\mathcal{S} = \{\pi_1^{-1}(U) : U \subseteq X \text{ open}\} \cup \{\pi_2^{-1}(U) : U \subseteq Y \text{ open}\}$   
 $(\pi_1^{-1}(U) = U \times Y, \pi_2^{-1}(U) = X \times U)$   
is a subbasis for  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$

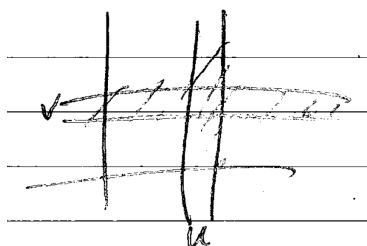


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## 16. The Subspace Topology

$(X, \mathcal{A})$  topological space  $Y \subset X$        $\downarrow$  my notation  
 $(Y, \mathcal{A}')$  with  $\mathcal{A}' = \{A \cap Y : A \in \mathcal{A}\} = \mathcal{A}_Y$  is called subspace topology

**Lemma**  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  basis  $\mathcal{B}$      $Y \subset X$   
 $\{B \cap Y : B \in \mathcal{B}\}$  is a basis of  $(Y, \mathcal{A}_Y)$

**Definition** if  $X \supset Y \supset U$   
we can say     $U$  open in  $Y$  if  $U \in \mathcal{A}_Y$   
 $U$  closed in  $Y$  if  $Y \setminus U \in \mathcal{A}_Y$

**Ex.**  $X = \mathbb{R}$      $Y = [0, 1]$      $U = (0, 1]$   
 $U = Y$  is open in  $Y$   
 $Y$  is not open (in  $X$ )  
 $U$  is not open in  $X$

**Lemma**  $X \supset Y \supset U$  is open in  $Y$ ,  $Y$  open in  $X$   
 $\Rightarrow U$  open in  $X$

**Theorem**  $A \subset X \quad B \subset Y \quad (X \times Y, \mathcal{C}) \quad \mathcal{C} = \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$   
 $\mathcal{A} \quad \mathcal{B} \quad \text{product topology} \quad \mathcal{A}_A \times \mathcal{B}_B = \mathcal{C}_{A \times B}$

**Ex.**  $I = [0, 1]$   
 $I_0^2 = I \times I$  with dictionary order topology will be called the ordered square  
 $I_0^2 = I \times I \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  but topology on  $I_0^2$  is different from subspace topology of  $\mathbb{R}^2$

**Ex.**  $A = \{1/2\} \times (0, 1) = (1/2 \times 0, 1/2 \times 1)$  is open in  $I_0^2$   
Now consider topology related to  $\mathbb{R}^2$   
Let  $p = 1/2 \times 1/2 \in A$   
assume  $\exists B \ni 1/2 \times 1/2 \quad B \in \mathcal{B}$   
 $\{(a, b) \times (c, d) : \cap [0, 1]^2\}$  basis of relative top.  
 $\Rightarrow a < 1/2 < b \Rightarrow B \notin \mathcal{A} \Rightarrow p \notin \text{Int}(A)$   
In fact, similarly you see  $\text{Int}(A) = \emptyset$

**Definition**  $(X, <) \quad Y \subset X$  convex  
 $\Leftrightarrow \forall a, b \in Y \quad a < b$   
 $\forall x \in X \quad a < x < b \Rightarrow x \in Y$

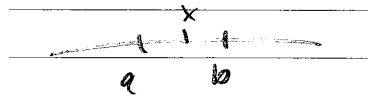


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(Distinguish from  $A \subset V$  convex  $V$  VS over  $\mathbb{R}$ )

**Remark** Intervals and rays are convex  
but not the other way around.

**Ex.**  $X = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$   
 $Y = (-\infty, 0)$   
this is convex subset in  $X$   
but one can't make  $Y = (-\infty, a) \quad (-\infty, b] \quad (a, b) \dots$   
for  $a, b$  in  $X$  (not in  $\mathbb{R}$ !)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & (<' := <|_{Y \times Y}) & \\ (X, <) & \xrightarrow[\text{restricted order}]{Y \subset X} & (Y, <|_{Y \times Y}) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ (X, \mathcal{O}_{<}) & \xrightarrow[\text{relative topology}]{} & (Y, \mathcal{O}_{<'}) \\ \text{order topology} & & \end{array}$$

**Theorem** if  $Y \subset X$  convex, then  $\mathcal{O}_{<|_{Y \times Y}} = (\mathcal{O}_{<})_Y$

**Convention**  $(X, <) \quad Y \subset X$  assumed with subspace topology  $(\mathcal{O}_{<})_Y$   
 $(= \mathcal{O}_{<|_{Y \times Y}} \text{ if } Y \text{ convex!})$  (see pg. 25)

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{R}$  subspace topology from  $(\mathbb{R}, <)$   
 has a basis  $\mathcal{B}_1 = \{(a, b) \cap \mathbb{Q} : a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$   
 order topology from  $(\mathbb{R}, <)$  has a basis  
 $\mathcal{B}_2 = \{(a, b) : a, b \in \mathbb{Q}\}$

These bases are not the same (e.g.  $\mathbb{Q} \cap (0, \pi) \in \mathcal{B}_1 \setminus \mathcal{B}_2$ ) of course  $\mathcal{B}_2 \subset \mathcal{B}_1$

and you can show all sets in  $\mathcal{B}_1$  are unions of sets in  $\mathcal{B}_2$ , so the topology of  $\mathcal{B}_1, \mathcal{B}_2$  are the same

but this shows for general ordered sets be careful (we will see later examples that top's different)

## 17. Closed sets, Accumulation points and Limit points

already defined closed sets

**Theorem**  $\emptyset, X$  closed  
 $A, B$  closed  $\Rightarrow A \cup B$  closed  
 $\{A_i\}_{i \in I}$  closed  $\Rightarrow \bigcap_i A_i$  closed

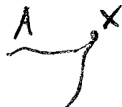
**Theorem**  $X \supset Y \supset A$   $A$  closed in  $Y \Leftrightarrow \exists A' \subset Y$  closed  $A = A' \cap Y$

**Theorem**  $X \supset Y \supset Z$   $Y$  closed in  $X$ ,  $Z$  closed in  $Y$   
 $\Rightarrow Z$  closed in  $X$

$$\begin{array}{lcl} A \subset X & \overline{A} = \overline{A}^{\mathcal{A}} & = \{x \in X \mid \forall O \in \mathcal{A} : O \ni x \Rightarrow O \cap A \neq \emptyset\} \\ & ! & = \{x \in X \mid \forall O \in \mathcal{B} : O \ni x \Rightarrow O \cap A \neq \emptyset\} \\ & & \mathcal{B} \text{ basis of } \mathcal{A} \end{array}$$

**Theorem**  $Y \subset X \quad A \subset Y \quad (Y, \mathcal{A}_Y) \text{ relative topology}$   
 $\overline{A}^{\mathcal{A}_Y} = \overline{A}^{\mathcal{A}} \cap Y$

**Definition**  $A \subset X$   $x \in X$  if  $x \in \overline{A \setminus \{x\}}$   
 $(\Leftrightarrow \forall O \subset \mathcal{A} \ O \ni x \Rightarrow O \cap (A \setminus \{x\}) \neq \emptyset)$   
 call  $x$  an accumulation point(적립점) of  $A$   
 if  $x \in A$  and  $x$  is not an accumulation point of  $A$   
 call  $x$  an isolated point(고립점) of  $A$   
 $A$  is discrete(이산집합) if all its points are isolated

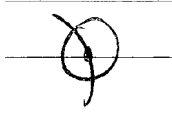


**Figure 2 - 14:**  
accumulation point



**Figure 2 - 15:** isolated point

**Definition**  $A_{\text{acc}} = \{\text{acc. points of } A\}$



**Figure 2 - 16:**  
accumulation point  
set

**Theorem**  $\overline{A} = A \cup A_{\text{acc}}$

**Theorem**  $X$  is  $T_1$ . Then  $x \in X$  is accumulation point of  $A$   
 $\Leftrightarrow$  for every neighborhood  $O \ni x$   $|O \cap A| = \infty$

**Convergence** care is needed with limit and convergence

**Definition**  $X \ni x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \dots$   
 we say  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = x$   $x_n \rightarrow x$   
 if  $\forall O \ni x$   $O \in \mathcal{A} \exists N_0 \forall n > N_0 x_n \in O$



**Figure 2 - 17**

**Remark**  $(X, \mathcal{A}), (X, \mathcal{A}'), \mathcal{A}' \supset \mathcal{A} \quad x_n \rightarrow_{\mathcal{A}'} x \Rightarrow x_n \rightarrow_{\mathcal{A}} x$

**Ex.**  $x_n = n$  in  $\mathbb{R}$  with finite complement topology  $\mathcal{O}$   
 Let  $a \in \mathbb{R} \quad O \ni a \quad O \neq \emptyset$   
 $\Rightarrow |R \setminus O| < \infty \quad \exists N \forall n \geq N x_n \in O$   
 $x_n \rightarrow a$  so  $x_n = n \rightarrow a \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{R}$

**Theorem**  $X$  is  $T_2$  (Hausdorff)  
 $\Rightarrow$  limit(if it exists!) is unique  $\downarrow$  unique limit property  
 i.e. every sequence of points converges to at most one point

**Remark** Converse is false, see following Ex.

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**Ex.** of a non-Hausdorff space with unique limit property  $X = \underbrace{S_\Omega \cup \{\Omega\}}_{\overline{S}_\Omega} \cup \{\Omega'\}$  “duplicate”  $\Omega$

$\mathcal{A}$  with top basis  $\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} [a_0, b) & \\ (a, \Omega] & a, b \in \overline{S}_\Omega \\ (a, b) & a < b \end{array} \right\} \cup \{(a, \Omega) \cup \{\Omega'\} : a \in S_\Omega\}$



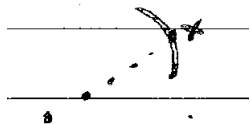


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**Theorem**  $(x_n, y_n) \rightarrow (x, y) \Leftrightarrow$  in  $X$   $x_n \rightarrow x$  in  $\mathcal{A}$   
and in  $Y$   $y_n \rightarrow y$  in  $\mathcal{B}$  (separation axiom, section 31)

**Definition** A space  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  is regular if (p. 194)  
 $x_1 \quad A = \overline{A} \not\ni x \quad \exists O_1 \ni x \quad O_i \in \mathcal{A}$   
 $O_2 \supset A \quad O_1 \cap O_2 = \emptyset$

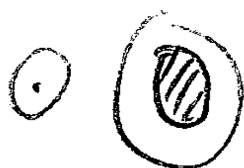


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**Definition** A space  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  is normal if  
 $\forall A_1, A_2 \quad A_1 = \overline{A_2} \quad A_2 = \overline{A_1} \quad A_1 \cap A_2 = \emptyset$   
 $\exists O_1, O_2 \in \mathcal{A} \quad O_1 \cap O_2 = \emptyset \quad O_i \supset A_i$



Figure 2 - 21

If points are closed, then normal  $\Rightarrow$  regular  $\Rightarrow T_2$

$\Updownarrow$   
 $T_1$  but not always otherwise!

So we have a diagram

(! In other books,  $T_3$  = normal,  $T_4$  = regular)

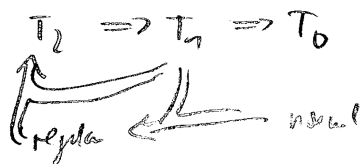


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**Definition**  $T_3$  is regular Hausdorff (=regular Fréchet)  
 $T_4$  is normal Hausdorff (=normal Fréchet)



**Remark** You can consider as well

$$X = \overline{S}_\Omega \quad \mathcal{A} = \mathcal{A}(\tilde{\mathcal{B}})$$

$$\mathcal{A}' = \mathcal{A}(\tilde{\mathcal{B}} \cup \{\{\Omega\}\})$$

Then  $\mathcal{A} \neq \mathcal{A}'$  but  $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{A}) = \mathcal{C}(\mathcal{A}')$

however in this case obviously both  $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{A}'$  are  $T_2$

and I don't know if  $\nexists$  self-transformation  $h$  on  $\overline{S}_\Omega$  with  $h(\mathcal{A}) = \mathcal{A}'$

likely not, but it requires some argument to prove

while in our way we get this +  $T_2$  - independence readily

for example,  $\mathcal{A} \ni \{x\}$  one element set

$\Leftrightarrow x$  has no immediate predecessor

or  $x = a_0$

( $x$  has always an immediate successor or  $x = \Omega$ )

but  $\mathcal{A}$  contains uncountably many 1-element sets (old exercise)

so then one cannot argue with number of 1-element sets that  $\nexists h$ , etc....)

## ② Limit points

**Exercise** let  $X$  be a topological space

$x_1 \in \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{Z}_+, X)$  a sequence

let  $h : \mathbb{Z}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_+$  bijective

then  $x_n \rightarrow x$  in  $X \Leftrightarrow x_{h(n)} \rightarrow x$  in  $X$

This means ordering a sequence is not relevant for its limit(s)

Then the limit points of a sequence  $\{x \in X : x_n \rightarrow x\}$

can in fact be defined on the set  $\{x_n\}$

**Definition**  $X$  topological space  $A \subset X$   $|A| = \omega$

define  $A^{\lim} = \{x \in X : \exists h : \mathbb{Z}_+ \rightarrow A \text{ bijective } h(n) \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} x\}$

Note, however, that  $A^{\lim} \neq A_{\lim}$

the set of limit points of  $A$  as a set, as defined in the closure section

In fact,  $A_{\lim} = \bigcup_{A' \subset A, |A'| = \omega} (A')^{\lim}$  (if  $X$  is  $T_1$ )

also for any subset  $A \subset X$  (not necessarily of cardinality  $\omega$ )

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## 20. The metric Topology

most important and fundamental source of topology

**Definition**  $X$  set  $d(x, y) > 0$   $x \neq y$  distance if

$$d(x, x) = 0 \quad d(x, y) > 0 \quad x \neq y$$

$$d(x, y) = d(y, x)$$

$$d(x, y) + d(y, z) \geq d(x, z)$$

$$d(x, y) \text{ distance between } x \text{ and } y$$



**Definition**  $B_\epsilon(x) = \{y \in X : d(x, y) < \epsilon\}$   $\epsilon > 0, x \in X$   
 (open) ball  $\epsilon$ -ball centered at  $x$

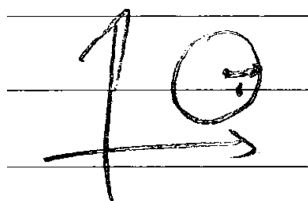


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**Definition** The metric topology  $\mathcal{A}_d$  on  $(X, d)$  induced by  $d$  is the one with basis  $\{B_\epsilon(x) : x \in X, \epsilon > 0\}$

To check: balls form a basis

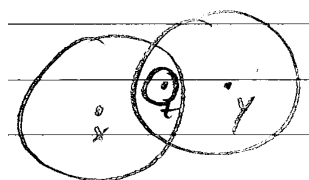


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$$B1) X \supset \bigcup_{x \in X} B_\epsilon(x) \supset \bigcup_{x \in X} \{x\} = X$$

$$B2) \exists \epsilon(x) \cap B_{\epsilon'}(y) \\ B_{\epsilon''}(z) \subset B_\epsilon(x) \cap B_{\epsilon'}(y) \\ \text{for } \epsilon'' = \min(\epsilon - d(x, z), \epsilon' - d(y, z)) > 0$$

**Definition**  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  metrizable  $\Leftrightarrow \exists d$  on  $X$   
 with  $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{A}_d$  induced by  $d$

**Ex.**  $X, \delta(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0 & x = y \\ 1 & x \neq y \end{cases}$

discrete distance  $B_1(x) = \{x\}$  so

it induces the discrete topology  $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{P}(X)$

↑ explains the name

$A \subset X$  every  $a \in A$  is discrete point, every set is discrete  
 so the discrete topology is metrizable

**Ex.** Standard metric on  $\mathbb{R}$   $d(x, y) = |x - y|$   
 induces the usual (Euclidean) topology  
 because  $(a, b) = B_\epsilon(x)$  for  $x = \frac{a+b}{2}$   $\epsilon = \frac{b-a}{2}$

Euclidean topology is metrizable

$\Rightarrow$  non-uniquely  $\hat{d}(x, y) = 2|x - y|$  induces the same topology.

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}$  finite complement topology not metrizable

if were  $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \underbrace{B_{y_n}(x)}_{\text{open}} = \{x\}$

$$\underbrace{\mathbb{R} \setminus \{x\}}_{\text{uncountable}} = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \underbrace{(\mathbb{R} \setminus B_{y_n}(x))}_{\text{finite}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{countable}}$$

**Definition**  $V$  Vector Space over  $\mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$

a norm  $\|\cdot\| : V \rightarrow [0, \infty)$

satisfies  $\|\mathbf{v}\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{0}_V$

$\|\lambda \mathbf{v}\| = |\lambda| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\| \quad \lambda \in \mathbb{R}(\mathbb{C}) \quad \mathbf{v} \in V$

$\|\mathbf{v}\| + \|\mathbf{w}\| \geq \|\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}\| \quad \text{e.g. } \|\mathbf{v}\| = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle} \text{ if } \exists \langle, \rangle$

$\|\cdot\|$  induces a metric by  $d(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|$

$\{\text{inner product space}\} \subset \{\text{normed space}\} \subset \{\text{metric space}\} \subset \{\text{topological space}\}$  all  $\subsetneq$   
we see here later  $\uparrow$

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}^n$  with Euclidean norm

$$\|\mathbf{x}\| = \|(x_1, \dots, x_n)\| = \sqrt{x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2}$$

induces the product topology on  $\mathbb{R}^n = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}$

basis are  $\{(a_1, b_1) \times \dots \times (a_n, b_n) : a_i < b_i\}$

**Ex.** The Hölder  $p$ -norm

$$\|\mathbf{x}\|_p = \sqrt[p]{|x_1|^p + \dots + |x_n|^p} \text{ for } p \in [1, \infty)$$

are not multiples of  $\|\cdot\| = \|\cdot\|_2$  for  $p \neq 2$

but all induce the same topology on  $\mathbb{R}^n$

**Definition**  $(X, d)$  metric space  $A \subset X \quad x \in X \quad \text{dist}(x, A) = \inf\{d(x, a) : a \in A\}$

**Lemma**  $\text{dist}(x, A) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x \in \overline{A}$

**Definition**  $(X, d)$  metric space  $A \subset X$

$\text{diam } A = \sup\{d(a, a') : a, a' \in A\}$

**Ex.**  $\text{diam } B_\epsilon(x) \leq 2\epsilon$  (not always “=”!)

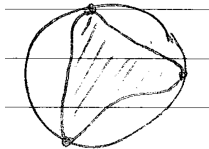


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$\text{diam}$  can be  $\infty$  if  $d$  is unbounded

**Ex.**  $\text{diam } (\mathbb{Z}_+) = \infty \quad \mathbb{Z}_+ \subset \mathbb{R}$  with Euclidean metric

**Research Problem**  $A \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \quad \text{diam } (A) \leq 1 \quad A \subset \overline{B}_{1/\sqrt{3}}(x)$  for some  $x$ ?

$1/\sqrt{3}$  smallest possible?

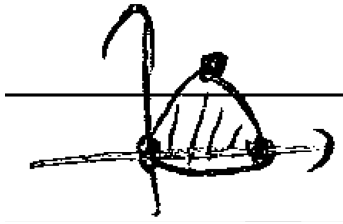


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sometimes it is useful to bound  $d$

**Theorem** Let  $(X, d)$  metric space  
 Define  $\bar{d}: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  by  $\bar{d} = \max(d, 1)$   
 standard bounded metric

$\bar{d}$  induces  $\mathcal{A}_{\bar{d}} = \mathcal{A}_d$ , same topology

**Lemma**  $(X, d), (X, d')$   $\mathcal{A}_{d'} \supset \mathcal{A}_d$   
 $\Leftrightarrow \forall x \in X \ \epsilon > 0 \ \exists \delta \ B_{d', \delta}(x) \subset B_{d, \epsilon}(x)$

**Lemma**  $A \subset (X, d)$   $\mathcal{A}_{d|_{A \times A}}$  is the relative topology of  $d$  of  $A$

if  $\mathcal{A}$  is metrizable  $\Rightarrow \mathcal{A}_A$  is metrizable

**Theorem**  $(X, d)$  topological space  
 $x_n \rightarrow x \Leftrightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \ \exists N \ \forall n > N \ d(x_n, x) < \epsilon \ x_n \in B_\epsilon(x)$

**Theorem** metric spaces are Hausdorff and normal (so anything else in chart p.14)  
pf. mostly the idea for order topologies (exercise)

**Theorem**  $(X, d)$  metric  $x \in \bar{A} \Leftrightarrow \exists x_n \in A \ x_n \rightarrow x$

Sequence Lemma

i.e. trouble at p.14 does not occur for metrizable spaces

**Remark:** if  $X, Y$  metrizable with  $d_X, d_Y$ , then  $X \times Y$  is also metrizable (e.g.) with  $d(x_1 \times y_1, x_2 \times y_2) = d_X(x_1, x_2) + d_Y(y_1, y_2)$ .

## 18. Continuous Maps

$(X, \mathcal{A}) \ (Y, \mathcal{B})$

**Definition**  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  topological space continuous  
 if and only if  $\forall O \in \mathcal{B}$  open in  $Y \ f^{-1}(O)$  open in  $X$   
 continuous relative to the topologies  $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{B}$

**Ex.**  $(X, \mathcal{A}) \ (X, \mathcal{B})$   
 $\mathcal{A}$  finer than  $\mathcal{B} \Leftrightarrow \text{id}_X: (X, \mathcal{A}) \rightarrow (X, \mathcal{B})$  is continuous

**Remark** (book p.90) if  $\forall O \in \mathcal{A} f(O) \in \mathcal{B}$ , call  $f$  open

**Lemma** Let  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  have basis  $\mathcal{A}'$ ,  $(Y, \mathcal{B})$  have basis  $\mathcal{B}'$   
 $f$  continuous  $\Leftrightarrow \forall B' \in \mathcal{B}' f^{-1}(B') \in \mathcal{A}$   
 $\Leftrightarrow \forall B' \in \mathcal{B} \forall x \in f^{-1}(B') \exists A' \in \mathcal{A}' x \in A' \subset f^{-1}(B')$

(“ $\epsilon - \delta$ ” and sequence condition)

**Lemma** if  $(X, d)$   $(X, d')$  are metric spaces can take balls as bases  
 $f : X \rightarrow Y$  continuous  $\Leftrightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 B_\delta(x) \subset f^{-1}(B_\epsilon(f(x)))$   
 $\Leftrightarrow \forall x_n \rightarrow x$  in  $X$   $f(x_n) \rightarrow f(x)$  in  $Y$

**Theorem**  $X, Y$  topological spaces  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  The following are equivalent

- 1)  $f$  continuous
- 2)  $\forall A \subset X \quad f(\overline{A}) \subset \overline{f(A)}$
- 3)  $\forall B \subset Y$  closed  $f^{-1}(B) \subset X$  closed
- 4)  $\forall x \in X \quad \forall U \ni f(x)$  open  $\exists V \ni x$  open  
 $V \subset f^{-1}(U)$  ( $\Leftrightarrow f(V) \subset U$ )

**Definition**  $f$  homeomorphism if  
 $f : X \rightarrow Y$  bijective,  $f, f^{-1}$  continuous  
 $(X, \mathcal{A}) (Y, \mathcal{B})$

$\mathcal{A} = \{f^{-1}(B) : B \in \mathcal{B}\}$   $\mathcal{B}$  determines  $\mathcal{A}$

$X \simeq Y$  topologically equivalent  
if  $\exists f : X \rightarrow Y$  homeomorphism

**Definition**  $f : X \hookrightarrow Y$  continuous, injective  
if  $f^{-1} : f(X) \rightarrow X$  continuous,  
call  $f$  a (topological) embedding

**Ex.**  $f : [0, 2\pi) \rightarrow S^1 = \{(x, y) : x^2 + y^2 = 1\}$   $f(t) = (\cos t, \sin t)$   
with relative topology to  $\mathbb{R}^2$   
is bijective and continuous  
but its inverse is not continuous  $\Leftrightarrow f$  is not open  
 $[0, \alpha) \quad T = f([0, \alpha)) \subset S^1$  is not open  $1 \in S^1$  but  $\forall \epsilon > 0 \quad S^1 \cap B_\epsilon(1) \not\subset T$   
 $\cap$   
 $[0, 2\pi)$  open



Figure 2 - 27

## Constructing Continuous Functions

see p.105, 106 in the book

### Pasting lemma

$X = A \cup B$   $A, B$  closed in  $X$   
 $f : X \rightarrow Y$   $f|_A : A \rightarrow Y$   
 $f|_B : B \rightarrow Y$  continuous  $\Rightarrow f : X \rightarrow Y$  continuous

### Maps into product

**Theorem**  $f : A \rightarrow X \times Y$  (with product topology) is continuous  $\Leftrightarrow$   
coordinate functions  $f_1 : A \rightarrow X$   $f_1 = \text{pr}_X \circ f$   
 $f_2 : A \rightarrow Y$   $f_2 = \text{pr}_Y \circ f$   
are continuous. ( $\text{pr}_X(x, y) = x$ ,  $\text{pr}_Y(x, y) = y$ )

## 19. Product Topology II

**Motivation:**  $X_1 \times \dots \times X_n$  with topology  $\mathcal{A}_1 \dots \mathcal{A}_n$

defined product topology by

(1) subbasis / for  $n = 2$  but finite  $n$  is same story

$$\bigcup_{k=1}^n \{\text{pr}_k^{-1}(U) : U \subset X_k \text{ open}\}$$

$$U = X_1 \times \dots \times X_{k-1} \times U \times X_k \times \dots \times X_n$$

or

(2) basis

$$\{U_1 \times \dots \times U_k : U_i \subset X_i \text{ open}\}$$

gives (same) product topology

But what if  $\infty$  product? There's a difference!

First let's define general tuple indexed by an arbitrary set.

**Convention** write  $\mathcal{F}(X, Y)$  for  $\{f : X \rightarrow Y\}$   
Recall  $\{f : \mathbb{Z}_+ \rightarrow X\} \simeq X^\omega = \{(a_1, a_2, \dots) : a_i \in X\}$   
 $(= \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{Z}_+, X) \uparrow f(n) = a_n)$   
 $= \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} X$

$$\prod_{i=1}^{\infty} X_i = \{f : \mathbb{Z}_+ \rightarrow \bigcup X_i : f(n) \in X_n \forall n\}$$

For  $J$  index set,  $X$  set, define  $J$ -tuple of elements in  $X$  to be a function  $x : J \rightarrow X$

$$x = (x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J} \quad x(\alpha) = x_\alpha$$

$$X^J = \{x : x(\alpha) \in X \forall \alpha \in J\} \simeq \{f : J \rightarrow X\}$$

**Definition**  $\mathcal{A} = \{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in J}$   
 $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha = \{f : J \rightarrow \bigcup_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha : f(\alpha) \in A_\alpha \forall \alpha \in J\}$   
 $J$  - indexed product

**Definition**  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in J}$  ( $A_\alpha, \mathcal{A}_\alpha$ ) topological space  
the box topology on  $A = \prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha$  is defined by the basis  
 $\{U = \prod_{\alpha \in J} U_\alpha : U_\alpha \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha \forall \alpha \in J\}$   
“ $U$  is a box” generalization of (2) above

**Definition**  $(A_\alpha, \mathcal{A}_\alpha)$  topological space  
the product topology on  $A = \prod A_\alpha$  is defined by the subbasis  
 $\bigcup_{\alpha \in J} \bigcup_{U_\alpha \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha} \text{pr}_\alpha^{-1}(U_\alpha)$   
with  $\text{pr}_\alpha : A \rightarrow A_\alpha$  being the projection on the  
 $\alpha$ -th coordinate  $\text{pr}_\alpha((a_\beta)_{\beta \in J}) = a_\alpha$  generalization of (1)

The product topology will be assumed by default!

Obviously, box topology  $\supset$  product topology.

but box topology is quite strong and often good for counterexamples, while product topology is used in many theorems.

For metric spaces  $(A_\alpha, d_\alpha)$ , there is one more important topology on  $\prod A_\alpha$ , the uniform topology. It has basis being boxes of “equal length”

$$\mathcal{B} = \left\{ \prod_{\alpha \in J} B_\epsilon(x_\alpha) : x_\alpha \in A_\alpha, \epsilon > 0 \right\}$$

$\epsilon$  does not depend on  $\alpha$ !

**Theorem** the uniform topology is induced by the uniform metric  
 $d((a_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J}, (b_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J}) = \sup\{\bar{d}_\alpha(a_\alpha, b_\alpha) : \alpha \in J\}$   
 $\uparrow$  bounded metric

## Convergence

**Notation** write  $\mathcal{F}(X, Y)_{\text{prod}}$   $\mathcal{F}(X, Y)_{\text{box}}$   $\mathcal{F}(X, Y)_{\text{uni}}$

**Theorem** Convergence in the product topology is pointwise convergence

**Definition**  $f_n \rightarrow f : \Leftrightarrow \begin{array}{l} \forall \alpha \in J \quad f_n(\alpha) \rightarrow f(\alpha) \text{ in } A_\alpha \\ \forall \alpha \in J \quad \forall O \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha \quad O \ni f(\alpha) \quad \exists N \quad \forall n \geq N \quad f_n(\alpha) \in O \end{array}$

**Th./Def.** Convergence in the uniform topology is the uniform convergence

$$f_n \rightrightarrows f : \Leftrightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \quad \exists N \quad \forall n \geq N \quad \forall \alpha \in J \quad d_\alpha(f_n(\alpha), f(\alpha)) < \epsilon$$

remark:  $f \rightarrow f \quad \forall \alpha \in J \quad \forall \epsilon > 0 \quad \exists N \quad \forall n \geq N \quad d_\alpha(f_n(\alpha), f(\alpha)) < \epsilon$

What is convergence in the box topology?

**Ex.** Consider  $\{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$  with box topology. When  $f_n \rightarrow 0$ ?

assume  $f_{n_1}(x_1) \neq 0$  choose  $U_{x_1}(-f_{n_1}(x_1), f_{n_1}(x_1)) \quad f_1 \notin U = \prod_{x \in \mathbb{R}} U_x$

assume  $\exists x_2 \neq x_1 \quad n_2 > n_1 \quad f_{n_2}(x_2) \neq 0 \quad U_{x_2}(-f_{n_2}(x_2), f_{n_2}(x_2)) \quad f_2 \notin U = \prod_{x \in \mathbb{R}} U_x$

$\leadsto$  find  $(f_{n_1}, f_{n_2}, \dots) \notin U \ni 0$  open.  $\rightarrow f_n \not\rightarrow 0$

etc. when does this fail?

$$f_n \rightarrow 0 \Leftrightarrow \exists N \quad S_N := \bigcup_{n \geq N} \{x : f_n(x) \neq 0\} \text{ finite}$$

and  $\forall x \in S_N \quad f_n(x) \rightarrow 0$

$$(\Leftrightarrow f|_{S_N} \rightarrow 0|_{S_N} \Leftrightarrow f_n|_{S_N} \rightarrow 0|_{S_N})$$

**Ex.**  $f_n(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \neq n \\ 1/n & x = n \end{cases}$  (so box convergence  $\Rightarrow$  pointwise and uniform convergence)

of course  $f_n \rightarrow 0$  and even  $f_n \rightrightarrows 0$

also  $|\{x : f_n(x) \neq 0\}| = 1 < \infty \forall n$

but  $\bigcup_{n \geq N} \{x : f_n(x) \neq 0\} = \mathbb{Z}_+ \cap [N, \infty)$  infinite

so  $f_n \not\rightrightarrows 0$  (and not to any other limit) in box topology

The box topology is easily seen to be Hausdorff and I can prove regular. It is not known about normal see Ex.5 p.203

**Theorem** In product or box topology of  $\mathcal{F}(J, X)$   
 (and hence in the uniform topology as well, if  $X_\alpha$  metric)  
 for  $A_\alpha \subset X_\alpha$   $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha = \prod_{\alpha \in J} \overline{A_\alpha}$

**Ex.** Consider  $\mathcal{F} = \{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$  in box topology.  $\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R})_{\text{box}}$

Let  $A = \prod_{\alpha \in \mathbb{R}} (0, 1) = \{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} : \text{image}(\mathbb{R}) \subset (0, 1)\}$

Then  $\overline{A} = \prod_{\alpha \in \mathbb{R}} [0, 1] = \{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} : \text{image}(\mathbb{R}) \subset [0, 1]\}$

but consider  $A_{\text{lim}} = \{f \in \mathcal{F} : \exists f_n \in A \setminus \{f\} : f_n \rightarrow f\}$

$$A_{\text{lim}} = \bigcup_{\substack{S \subset \mathbb{R} \\ |S| < \infty}} \prod_{\alpha \in \mathbb{R}} \begin{cases} [0, 1) & \alpha \notin S \\ [0, 1] & \alpha \in S \end{cases}$$

$$= \{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} : \text{image}(f) \subset [0, 1], \exists S \subset \mathbb{R} \text{ } |S| < \infty \text{ } \text{image}(f|_{\mathbb{R} \setminus S}) \subset (0, 1)\}$$

E.g.  $0 \in A_{\text{acc}}$   $0 \notin A_{\text{lim}}$  ( $0$  = zero function)

$A_{\text{lim}} \subsetneq A_{\text{acc}} \Rightarrow$  sequence lemma fails  $\Rightarrow$  box topology not metrizable

$\Rightarrow (\mathcal{A}' \supset \mathcal{A} \quad \mathcal{A} \text{ metrizable} \not\Rightarrow \mathcal{A}' \text{ metrizable})$

$\uparrow$  box  $\uparrow$  uniform while  $T_i$   $i \leq 2$

It took me some to give an example of  $A \subset X$  with

$$\overline{A} \setminus A \neq \emptyset \text{ but } A_{\text{lim}} = \emptyset, \text{ i.e.}$$

$A$  not closed ( $\Rightarrow$  has accumulation point  $A_{\text{acc}} \neq \emptyset$ ) but no converging sequence (except constant)

**Ex.** (may skip, not very good)

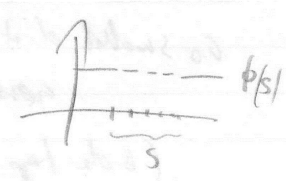
Consider  $X = \{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_{\text{discr}}\}$  with range  $\mathbb{R}$  with discrete topology and pointwise convergence topology  $X = \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}_{\text{discr}})_{\text{prod}}$  (product discrete topology) i.e.  $f_n \rightarrow f \Leftrightarrow \forall x \in \mathbb{R} \exists N \forall n \geq N f_n(x) = f(x)$   
the basis of the topology

$$\{U_{S, y_1, \dots, y_n} = \prod_{x \in \mathbb{R}} \begin{cases} \{y_i\} & x = x_i \\ \mathbb{R} & x \neq x_1, \dots, x_n \end{cases} : S = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\} \subset \mathbb{R} \text{ finite } (x_i \neq x_j), \quad y_1, \dots, y_n \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

Fix a bijection  $\Phi : \{\text{finite subsets of } \mathbb{R}\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$

Consider the family

$$f_S(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \in S \\ \Phi(S) & x \notin S \end{cases}$$



**Figure 2 - 28**

$$A = \{f_S : S \subset \mathbb{R} \text{ finite}\} \subset X$$

$\downarrow$  function  $(f(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R})$

$0 \in \overline{A} \setminus A$   $A$  has accumulation point 0

If  $0 \in U$  open  $U$  basis element

$$U = U_{S, \underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_{y_i=0}} \text{ for some } S \subset \mathbb{R} \quad |S| < \infty$$

$f_S \in U \cap A \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow 0 \in \overline{A}$ , obviously  $0 \notin A$

Now take sequence  $f_{S_1}, f_{S_2}, \dots$  in  $A$   $f_{S_i} \neq f_{S_j} \quad i \neq j$

$\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} S_i$  is countable, take  $x_0 \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} S_i$

$$f_{S_n}(x_0) = \Phi(S_n) \quad f_{S_n}(x_0) \neq f_{S_m}(x_0) \quad \forall n, m \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \quad n \neq m$$

$f_{S_n}(x_0)$  does not converge in discrete topology

$$\Rightarrow f_{S_n} \not\rightarrow f$$

So  $A$  contains no converging sequence! (except eventually constant)

( $\Rightarrow X$  not metrizable etc.)  $A_{\text{acc}} \ni 0, A_{\text{lim}} = \emptyset$  End Ex.

**Note:**  $A_{\text{lim}} = \emptyset$  means  $A$  has no limit point in  $X$ , not in  $A$ .

$A$  has no limit point in  $A$  just means  $A$  is discrete,

and I can find you discrete non-closed sets in

simple spaces like  $A = \{\frac{1}{n} : n \in \mathbb{Z}_+\} \subset \mathbb{R} = X$

## Order topologies II

**Theorem**  $(X, <)$  ordered set  $\Rightarrow$  order topology is normal



**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$  with dictionary order is metrizable  
 $\simeq (0, 1) \times (0, 1)$  HW Ex. 2.20.2 p. 124  
ordered square  $I_0^2 = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$  is not, proof later! see pg. 30  
in particular, restricting the order topology of  
 $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$  to  $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$  does not give the  
same topology as the topology from restricting  
dictionary order on  $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$  see pg. 10

(My) pf. Let  $(X, <)$  be ordered.

$A, B \subset X$  closed disjoint fixed.

idea.  $\forall a \in A$  construct  $(x_a, y_a) \ni a$   $(x_a, y_a) \cap B = \emptyset$   
 $\forall b \in B$   $(\overline{x_b}, \overline{y_b}) \ni b$   $(\overline{x_b}, \overline{y_b}) \cap A = \emptyset$   
 $\forall a, b$   $(x_a, y_a) \cap (\overline{x_b}, \overline{y_b}) = \emptyset$  (\*) see pg. 27

Let then  $O_1 = \bigcup_{a \in A} (x_a, y_a)$   $O_2 = \bigcup_{b \in B} (\overline{x_b}, \overline{y_b})$

$O_1 \supset A$   $O_2 \supset B$   $O_1 \cap O_2 = \emptyset$

Need to define  $x_a, y_a, \overline{x_b}, \overline{y_b}$

First, need to take care of blank intervals

**Definition** a) (recall)  $I \subset X$  convex if  
 $\forall a, b \in I$   $a < b$   $\forall x \in X$   $a < x < b \Rightarrow x \in I$

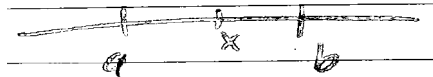


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- b)  $I \subset X$  is called blank interval(BI) if  
 $I$  convex and  $I \cap (A \cup B) = \emptyset$   
c)  $I \subset X$  is maximal b.i.(MBI) if  
 $I$  is BI  $\forall$  BI  $I' \supset I \Rightarrow I' = I$

**Lemma** each BI  $I \subset!$  one MBI  $\tilde{I} = M_I$

pf.  $\exists$  max BI  $\tilde{I} \supset I$  by maximum principle

unique because if  $\tilde{I}, \tilde{I}' \supset I$   $\hat{I} = \tilde{I} \cup \tilde{I}' \supset I$

MBI also defines BI  $\supset I$

by max  $\hat{I} \supset \tilde{I}$   $\tilde{I} \text{ max} \Rightarrow \hat{I} = \tilde{I}$   
 $\hat{I} \supset \tilde{I}'$   $\tilde{I}' \text{ max} \Rightarrow \hat{I} = \tilde{I}' \Rightarrow \tilde{I} = \tilde{I}'$

In particular,  $\forall x \notin A \cup B$   $\{x\}$  is BI

$\exists!$  MBI  $\supset \{x\}$  write it  $M_x$

**Lemma**  $\forall x, y \in X \quad [x, y] \text{ BI} \Leftrightarrow M_x = M_y$

pf.  $\Leftarrow M_x = M_y \ni \{x, y\} \text{ BI}$

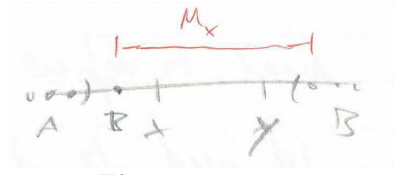


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$[x, y] \subset M_x \Rightarrow [x, y] \cap (A \cup B) = \emptyset \Rightarrow [x, y] \text{ BI}$   
 $\Rightarrow x \notin A \cup B \quad \text{Let } I \text{ BI} \quad I \ni x$   
 $I \subset M_{BI} M_I$   
 $x \in M_{BI} M_I$   
 by uniqueness  $M_I = M_x$   
 now  $x, y \in [x, y] \text{ BI}$ ; by  $\uparrow$  above argument  
 $M_{[x, y]} = M_x = M_y$

**Convention**  $(X, <)$  For each MBI  $\Delta \subset X$  fix an element,  $\alpha_\Delta \in \Delta$ . (AC!)  
 Return to definition of  $y_a$  (namely  $M_{\alpha_\Delta} = \Delta$ )

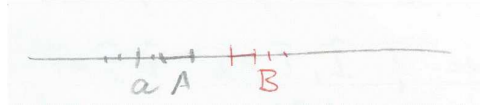


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Assume  $a \in A$ , So  $a \notin B = \overline{B}$   
 if  $a = \max X$  set  $y_a = \infty$  ( $y_a = \infty$  (formally) with  $(x_\alpha, y_\alpha) = (x_\alpha, \infty) = (x_\alpha, a]$ )  
 otherwise  $\exists a'' > a$   $a''$  is lower bound for  $B \cap [a, \infty)$   $B \cap (a, a'') = \emptyset$   
 $[0]$   $a''$  is immediate successor of  $a$  set  $y_a = a''$   
 Otherwise,  $\exists a' \in (a, a'')$  (need to avoid  $a' \in B$ )

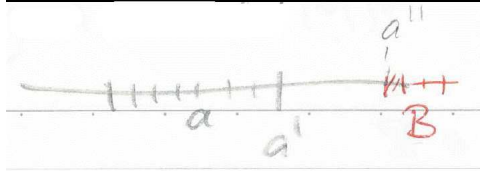


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[1] if  $a' \in A$  set  $y_a = a'$

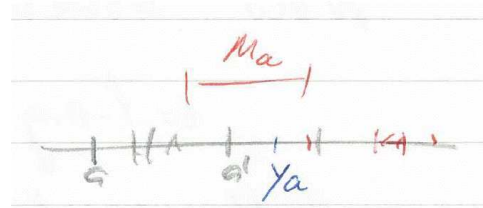


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[2] if  $a' \notin A \Rightarrow a' \notin A \cup B$  set  $y_a = \alpha_{M_{a'}}$

Then  $y_a$  has the following properties



## Chapter 3. Compactness, Connectedness, Completeness

### 26. Compact Spaces

I try to discuss this first exclusively for metric spaces and say later how/what to generalize to topological spaces.

**Definition**  $x_n \subset (X, d)$  sequence,  $x_{n_m}$  is a subsequence if  
 $n_m > n_{m-1} \quad n_m \in \mathbb{Z}_+$

**Definition** (sequence) compactness / limit point compactness ( see warning (!!Def.) page. 30)  
 $(X, d)$  is called compact if  
 $\forall (x_n) \subset X$  sequence,  $\exists (x_{n_m}) \subset (x_n)$  subsequence  
converging in  $X \quad \exists x \in X : x_{n_m} \rightarrow x$  limit point

**Remark**  $(X, d)$  compact  $\Rightarrow \text{diam}(X) < \infty$   
and must be attained  
 $\exists x, y \in X \quad d(x, y) = \text{diam}(X)$

**ex.**  $\mathbb{R}$  is not compact  
 $(0, 1)$  is not compact (with Euclidean distance)

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}, \bar{d} = \min(d, 1)$  bounded, is not compact

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}$  with discrete distance is bounded and attains diameter but not compact  
(every converging sequence must be eventually constant)

But  $[0, 1]$  is compact (with Euclidean distance) prove now!

**Lemma**  $x_n \subset \mathbb{R}$  increasing  $x_n \geq x_{n-1}$   
strictly increasing  $x_n > x_{n-1}$   
decreasing  $x_n \leq x_{n-1}$   
strictly decreasing  $x_n < x_{n-1}$   
monotonous = increasing or decreasing

**Lemma**  $x_n$  increasing and bounded (above)  
 $x_n \rightarrow \sup\{x_n\}$   
similarly decreasing

**Lemma**  $(x_n)$  bounded  $\Rightarrow \exists (x_{n_m})$  monotonous

pf. Assume  $\nexists (x_{n_m})$  increasing will show lemma  
by finding one decreasing sequence.

$$n_0 = 0, k = 0$$

Let  $x = \sup\{x_n : n > n_k\}$

if infinitely many  $x_n = x$   $\exists$  constant subsequence  $\Rightarrow$  increasing  $\nexists$

if exists no  $x_n = x$

$$\exists n_1 \quad x_{n_1} > x - 1 \quad x_{n_1} < x$$

$$\max\{x_1, \dots, x_{n_1}\} < x$$

$$\exists n_2 > n_1 \quad x_{n_2} > x_{n_1} \quad x_{n_2} < x$$

$x_{n_i}$  increasing  $\nexists$

So  $\exists$  finitely many  $x_n = x$

$$\text{Let } n_{k+1} = \max\{k : x_k = x\} \quad x_{n'} < x_{n_{k+1}} (= x) \quad n' > n_{k+1}$$

$x_{n_k}$  decreasing

**Theorem** (Bolzano-Weierstrass)

Every bounded sequence in  $\mathbb{R}$   $\supset$  converging subsequence

**Ex.**  $[0, 1]$   $(x_n) \subset [0, 1]$

$$x_n \subset \mathbb{R} \text{ bounded} \Rightarrow x_{n_m} \rightarrow x$$

$$[0, 1] \text{ closed} \Rightarrow x \in [0, 1]$$

$$x_{n_m} \rightarrow x \in [0, 1] \text{ in relative topology}$$

$$\Rightarrow [0, 1] \text{ compact}$$

**Theorem**  $(X_1, d_1), (X_2, d_2)$  compact

$$\Rightarrow (X_1 \times X_2, d_1 + d_2) \text{ compact}$$

$$\uparrow \text{ or any } d \text{ inducing product topology } \sqrt{d_1^2 + d_2^2} \dots$$

**Theorem**  $(X, d)$  compact  $A \subset X$  compact (in relative topology)

$$\Leftrightarrow A = \overline{A} \quad d|_{A \times A}$$

**Theorem**  $(X, d)$  any metric space  $A \subset X$  compact

$$\Rightarrow A \text{ closed and bounded}$$

**Theorem** (Heine-Borel)  $X = \mathbb{R}^n$  with Euclidean metric

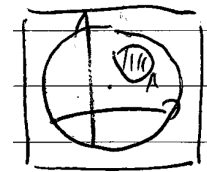


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$$A \text{ closed and bounded} \Leftrightarrow \text{compact}$$

$$A \subset B \subset I \times I'$$

**Ex.**  $[0, 1]^\omega \subset \mathbb{R}^\omega$  with uniform metric closed and bounded

$$\text{but } \exists f_n = \begin{cases} 1 & x = n \\ 0 & x \neq n \end{cases} \quad \nexists g : f_{n_m} \rightrightarrows g \text{ uniformly}$$

**Theorem**  $f : (X, d) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  continuous  $X$  compact  
 $f$  bounded and  $f$  attains maximum value  
p.f. if  $\exists f(x_n) \rightarrow \infty \quad x_n \in X$   
 $\exists x_{n_m} \subset x_n$  converging  $x_{n_m} \rightarrow x$   
 $f$  continuous  $f(x_{n_m}) \rightarrow f(x) \in \mathbb{R}$   $\nexists$   
so assume  $f(x_n)$  bounded  
 $\forall \epsilon > 0 \quad \exists x_\epsilon \in x \quad f(x_\epsilon) > \sup(f(x)) - \epsilon$   
 $(x_{1/n})$  has converging subsequence  $x_{n_m} \rightarrow x \in X$   
 $f(x_{n_m}) \rightarrow f(x)$   
 $\hookrightarrow \sup f \quad f(x) = \sup f = \max f$

**Corollary**  $(X, d)$  compact  $\Rightarrow X$  attains diam  $< \infty$   
p.f.  $d : \underbrace{X \times X}_{\text{compact}} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  continuous

$\downarrow$  I use; not to confuse with my use of “limit point” (pg. 28)

**!! Definition**  $(X, d)$  is acc. point compact  
 $\Leftrightarrow \forall S \subset X \quad |S| = \infty \quad S$  has acc. point  $A_{\text{acc}} \neq \emptyset$

**Lemma**  $(X, d)$  acc. point compact  $\Leftrightarrow$  sequentially compact  
p.f.  $\Leftarrow \quad |S| = \infty \quad \exists s_1, s_2, \dots \in S \quad s_i \neq s_j$

$\Downarrow$   
 $\exists s_{n_m} \rightarrow X$  at most one  $S_{n_m} = X$   
 $X$  acc. point of  $S$   
 $\Rightarrow (x_n) \subset X$  sequence, if set  $\{x_n\}$  finite  
then  $\exists$  finitely many equal  $x_{n_m} \rightarrow$  done  
so  $|\{x_n\}| = \infty$   
 $\Rightarrow$  it has accumulation point  $x$   
choose  $x_{n_m} \in B_{1/m}(x) \quad x_{n_m} \rightarrow x$

**Theorem** The ordered square  $[0, 1]^2$  with the  
(see pg. 25) order topology of the lexicographical order is not metrizable  
(but it is  $T_4$  like any order topology; it is also linear continuum)  
(promised this theorem as an application of compactness)

p.f. assume  $[0, 1]^2$  were metrizable  
define  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  by  $f(x) = \text{diam}(\{x\} \times [0, 1]) > 0$   
(w.l.o.g. bound the metric to avoid infinite)  
 $\text{diam}(A) = \sup\{d(x, y) : y \in A\}$   
Consider  $x_0 \in [0, 1]$ . Let  $x_n \searrow x_0$  Then  $(x_n, 1) \rightarrow (x_0, 1)$   
and in fact for any sequence  $x'_n \in \underbrace{[(x_0, 1), (x_n, 1)]}_{D_n}$

$x'_n \rightarrow (x_0, 1)$   
Thus  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \bar{d}((x_0, 1), D_n) = 0$   
 $\bar{d}(x, A) = \sup\{d(x, y) : y \in A\}$   
 $\text{diam}(D_n) \leq 2\bar{d}((x_0, 1), D_n)$  by triangle inequality  
So  $\text{diam}(D_n) \rightarrow 0$  and  $D_n \supset \{x_n\} \times [0, 1]$   
 $\Rightarrow f(x_n) = \text{diam}(\{x_n\} \times [0, 1]) \rightarrow 0$

So  $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0^+} f(x) = 0$

Similarly let  $x_n \nearrow x_0$  argue with  $(x_0, 0) \leftarrow (x_n, 0)$   
that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0^-} f(x) = 0$ . Thus now

$\forall x_0 \in [0, 1] \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) = 0$ , but  $f(x_0) > 0$

Claim  $\nexists$  such  $f \Rightarrow \blacksquare$

pf. Let  $\epsilon > 0$

If exist infinitely many  $x \in [0, 1]$  with  $f(x) \geq \epsilon$   
then by compactness they have an accumulation point

$\exists x_n \rightarrow x_0 \in [0, 1] \quad x_0 \neq x_n$   
 $f(x_n) \geq \epsilon \not\rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) = 0$

So  $\forall \epsilon \quad S_\epsilon = |\{x : f(x) \geq \epsilon\}| < \infty$

Then  $S = |\{x : f(x) > 0\}| = \bigcup_{i=1}^n S_{1/n}$  is countable,

but we wanted  $S = [0, 1]$ , which is uncountable  $\nexists \blacksquare$

HW do it for  $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ ; similar proof for  $\{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$  product topology

but  $\{f : \mathbb{Z}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\} = \mathbb{R}^\omega$  with product topology is metrizable Th. 20.5 p.123

## Covering Compactness (sec. 26)

Definition  $(X, d)$  metric space

$\mathcal{O} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$  is an open cover(ing) of  $X$  if

$\bigcup \mathcal{O} = X$  and  $\forall O \in \mathcal{O} \quad O$  open in  $X$

$\mathcal{O}' \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$  is called a subcover of  $\mathcal{O}$  if  $\mathcal{O}' \subset \mathcal{O}$  and  $\mathcal{O}'$  cover of  $X$

Definition  $X$  is covering compact if every open  
cover of  $X$  contains a finite subcover

Theorem (the Borel-Lebesgue Covering Theorem)  
 $(X, d)$  metric space  $X$  sequentially compact  $\Leftrightarrow X$  covering is compact  
for the proof, we need lemmas

Lemma  $(X, d)$  compact space  $\Rightarrow \forall X_1 \supset X_2 \supset X_3 \supset \dots$  filtration with  
nonempty closed sets, we have  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} X_i \neq \emptyset$

pf. Take  $x_i \in X_i \quad \exists x_{n_i} \rightarrow x \quad X_i$  closed  $x \in X_i \quad \forall i \quad \blacksquare$

Remark  $\Leftarrow$  also true. See last part of B-L proof below

Ex.  $X = \mathbb{R} \quad x_i = (-\infty, -i]$  closed filtration  $\bigcap X_i = \emptyset$

Lemma (HW)  $x_n \rightarrow x$  in  $(X, d) \quad \forall \epsilon > 0 \quad \exists N \quad \forall n, m \geq N$   
 $d(x_n, x_m) < \epsilon$  (Cauchy-property)  $\blacksquare$

**Pf of B-L** “ $\Rightarrow$ ” Prof. Friedrich 2.11.90

Step.1  $X$  sequentially compact  $\Rightarrow \exists$  finite  $\epsilon$ -net

Step.2  $\Rightarrow X$  separable (HW)

Step.3  $\Rightarrow X$  is Lindelöf (every cover has countable subcover)

Step.4  $\Rightarrow X$  covering compact

Step.1  $X$  compact  $\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \quad \exists p_1, \dots, p_k \in X$

$$\bigcup_{i=1}^k B_\epsilon(p_i) = X \quad \because \{p_1, \dots, p_k\} \text{ is } \underline{\epsilon\text{-net}}$$

pf. by  $\nexists$  assume  $\exists \epsilon > 0 \quad \forall p_1, \dots, p_k \quad \forall k \quad \{p_1, \dots, p_k\}$  not  $\epsilon$ -net

take  $p_0 \in X \quad B_\epsilon(p_0) \subsetneq X \quad \exists p_1 \notin B_\epsilon(p_0)$

$B_\epsilon(p_0) \cup B_\epsilon(p_1) \subsetneq X \quad \exists p_2 \notin B_\epsilon(p_0) \cup B_\epsilon(p_1)$

So find a sequence  $p_i \in X$  with  $d(p_i, p_j) > \epsilon \quad \forall i, j$

any subsequence gives  $\nexists$  to Cauchy-property  $\Rightarrow$  does not converge.

Step.2  $X$  compact (sequentially)  $\Rightarrow \exists A \subset X \quad |A| \leq \omega \quad \overline{A} = X \quad X$  separable

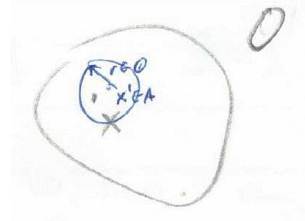
$A = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \{\text{finite } 1/n\text{-net}\} \quad (\text{think about it!})$  used  $d(x, A)$  lemma

Step.3  $X$  separable,  $\mathcal{O}$  open cover

to show  $\exists \mathcal{O} \supset \mathcal{O}'$  countable subcover

Let  $A \subset X, |A| \leq \omega, \overline{A} = X$

$\Lambda = \{(a, r) \in A \times \mathbb{Q} : \exists O \in \mathcal{O} \quad B_r(a) \subset O\}$



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$\Lambda$  countable

for each  $(a, r) \in \Lambda$  choose an  $O = O(a, r) \in \mathcal{O}$  with  $B_r(a) \subset O$  (AC!)



$\mathcal{O}' = \{O(a, r) : (a, r) \in \Lambda\} \quad |\mathcal{O}'| \leq \omega$   
claim  $\mathcal{O}'$  is open cover of  $X$  (subcover of  $\mathcal{O}$ ), i.e.  $\bigcup \mathcal{O}' = X$   
pf.  $x \in X \quad \mathcal{O}$  cover  $\exists O \in \mathcal{O} \quad x \in O \quad \exists \epsilon > 0 \quad B_\epsilon(x) \subset O$

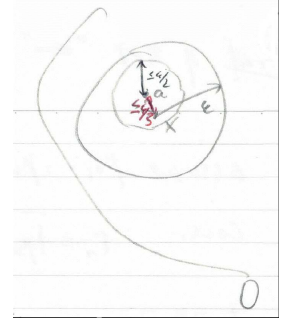


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Since  $A$  is dense,  $\exists a \in A \quad d(x, a) < \epsilon/3$   
 $\Rightarrow$  take  $r \in \mathbb{Q} \cap (\epsilon/3, \epsilon/2)$   
 $r > \epsilon/3 \quad B_r(a) \ni x$   
 $r < \epsilon/2 \quad B_r(a) \subset B_{\epsilon/3+\epsilon/2}(x) \subset B_\epsilon(x) \subset O$   
 $\exists O \in \mathcal{O} \quad B_r(a) \subset O$   
 $(a, r) \in \Lambda \quad x \in B_r(a) \subset O' := O(a, r) \in \mathcal{O}'$   
 $\forall x \in X \exists O' \in \mathcal{O}' : \quad x \in O' \quad \blacksquare$

Step.4 (final)  $\mathcal{O}$  open cover  
 $\exists \mathcal{O}'$  countable subcover  $X = O_1 \cup O_2 \cup \dots \cup \dots$

Consider  $F_n = X \setminus \bigcup_{i=1}^n O_i$   
 $F_1 \supset F_2 \supset \dots \quad F_i$  closed  
if  $\forall i F_i \neq \emptyset \xRightarrow{\text{Lemma}} \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F_i \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} O_i \neq X \nmid$

So some  $F_n = \emptyset \Rightarrow X = \bigcup_{i=1}^n O_i$   
 $\mathcal{O}' = \{O_i\}_{i=1}^n$  is finite subcover of  $\mathcal{O} \quad \blacksquare$  (end of “ $\Rightarrow$ ”)

Pf of B-L “ $\Leftarrow$ ”  $X$  converging compact  $\Rightarrow X$  sequentially compact.

assume  $p_1, \dots, p_n, \dots$  sequence in  $X$

Consider  $F_n = \overline{\{p_{n+1}, p_{n+2}, \dots\}} \quad U_n = X \setminus F_n$   
 $F_1 \supset F_2 \supset F_3$  closed  $U_1 \subset U_2 \subset U_3$  open

if  $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n = X \xRightarrow{\text{covering property}} \bigcup_{n=1}^N U_n = X \Rightarrow F_N = \emptyset \nmid$

Thus  $\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} U_i \subsetneq X \Rightarrow \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F_i \neq \emptyset$

$p \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F_i \quad p \in F_1 = \overline{\{p_2, p_3, \dots\}} \quad \epsilon = 1 \quad \exists n_1 > 1 \quad d(p_{n_1}, p) < 1$

$p \in F_{n_1} = \overline{\{p_{n_1+1}, \dots\}} \quad \epsilon = 1/2 \quad \exists n_2 > n_1 \quad d(p_{n_2}, p) < 1/2$

$p \in F_{n_2} = \overline{\{p_{n_2+1}, \dots\}} \quad \epsilon = 1/3 \quad \exists n_3 > n_2 \quad d(p_{n_3}, p) < 1/3$

$\dots p_{n_i} \rightarrow p$  subsequence of  $(p_n) \quad \blacksquare$

(Do Heine's Theorem; 27.6, p.174)

## Now to general topological spaces

Covering Compactness Section. 26 Limit point Compactness Section. 28

	X, Th. 28.1 p.177( $S_\Omega$ )	
Covering	$\neq$	Accumulation point
Compactness	$\Rightarrow$	Compactness

X, p.34(\*1)  $\nleftrightarrow$   $X, S_\Omega$   $\nearrow$  works as above  $\nleftrightarrow$  X p. 34(\*1)

Sequence  
Compactness

**Lemma** order topology is covering compact  $\Rightarrow \exists$  smallest and largest element.

**Rem** The converse is true if LUBP; see Th 27.1 in book

**Theorem** order topology s.t.  $\exists$  smallest, largest element and Least upper bound property,  
 $\Rightarrow$  Sequence compact (Generalization of Bolzano-Weierstrass theorem)

**Ex.**  $S_\Omega = \overline{S_\Omega} \setminus \{\Omega\}$  “smallest uncountable ordered set”  
but no largest element  $\Rightarrow$  not covering compact  
but  $S_\Omega$  is sequentially (and hence accumulation point) compact  $\Rightarrow$  not metrizable!  
 $x_1, x_2, \dots \subset S_\Omega \quad \{x_i\} \subset S_\Omega \quad |\{x_i\}| \leq \omega \Rightarrow \{x_i\}$  bounded  
 $a_0$  smallest element of  $S_\Omega \quad \exists b \in S_\Omega \quad \{x_i\} \subset [a_0, b]$  sequentially compact.  
Generalization of Bolzano-Weierstrass  $\Rightarrow \exists$  converging subsequence in  $[a_o, b]$   
also converging in  $S_\Omega$   
(order topology of interval = relative topology)

**Remark** This example shows also if  $x \in \overline{A}$  (pg.13)  $A = S_\Omega$   
then not necessarily  $x \in A_{\text{lim}}$   $\Leftarrow x \in \overline{S_\Omega} \quad x = \Omega$   
like in pg. 23  
 $\overline{A} = \overline{S_\Omega}$  but  $\Omega \notin (S_\Omega)_{\text{lim}}$   
 $\uparrow$  explains the notation  $\overline{S_\Omega}$

(\*1)

**Theorem** Tychonoff's Theorem (Section 37, p. 167)  
The product topology of (any number of) (covering) compact spaces is  
(covering) compact

**Ex.**  $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}^{\mathbb{Z}^+} = \{\text{sequence of } 0, 1\} (\{0, 1\} \text{ discrete topology})$   
 $X = \{0, 1\}_{\text{prod}}^\Sigma$  is (c.) compact by Tychonoff's theorem  
( $\Rightarrow$  also accumulation point compact) ( $X$  is  $T_2$  etc.)  
but  $X$  is not sequentially compact.

**Pf.**

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \varinjlim f_n & \rightarrow & \varinjlim g \\ \{0,1\}^\Sigma & & \{0,1\}^\Sigma \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \forall \sigma \in \Sigma \quad \exists n \quad f_i(\sigma) = g(\sigma) \quad i \geq n \\ \text{pointwise convergence} \end{array}$$

$\Rightarrow \{(f_n)\text{converge} \Leftrightarrow \forall \sigma \in \Sigma \quad \{f_n(\sigma)\} \text{ is eventually constant}\}$

Consider  $(f_n) \subset \{0,1\}^\Sigma$  given by  $f_n(\sigma) = \sigma(n)$   
 $f_n : \Sigma \rightarrow \{0,1\} \quad f_n((0,1,0,\dots,0,1,\underset{n}{1},0,\dots)) = 1$

Let  $(f_{n_k}) \subset (f_n)$ ; choose  $\hat{\sigma} \in \Sigma$  with  $\hat{\sigma}(n_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & i \text{ even} \\ 0 & i \text{ odd} \end{cases}$

$f_{n_k}(\hat{\sigma}) = \hat{\sigma}(n_k) = \begin{cases} 1 & k \text{ even} \\ 0 & k \text{ odd} \end{cases}$  is not eventually constant

$f_{n_k} \not\rightarrow g$

**Remark** There are simpler examples for ‘acc. point compact  $\nrightarrow$  sequentially compact’  
 like  $X_{\text{disc}} \times \{0,1\}_{\text{indisc}}$ ,  $|X| = \infty$ , but not even  $T_0$

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Above (\*1) has an example of a space that is covering (and accumulation point) compact, but not sequentially compact, but this example uses Tychonoff’s theorem

**Pb.** Prove that  $I_0^2$  ordered space is covering compact

sol.  $\mathcal{O}$  open cover

Let  $x_0 \in [0, 1]$   $I(x_0) = x_0 \times [0, 1]$

$\mathcal{O}$  induces covering of  $I(x_0)$   $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_{x_0} = \{O \cap I(x_0) : O \in \mathcal{O}\}$

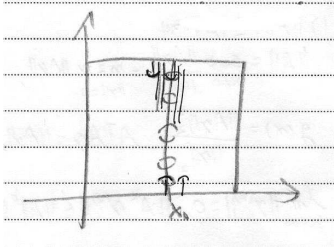


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$I(x_0) \cong [0, 1]$  (covering) compact

$\exists \tilde{\mathcal{O}}'_{x_0} \subset \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_{x_0} \quad |\tilde{\mathcal{O}}'_{x_0}| < \infty \quad \cup \tilde{\mathcal{O}}'_{x_0} = I(x_0)$

for each  $\tilde{O}' \in \tilde{\mathcal{O}}'_{x_0}$  choose an  $\hat{O}_{\tilde{O}'} \in \mathcal{O}$  with  $\hat{O}_{\tilde{O}'} \cap I(x_0) = \tilde{O}'$

$\mathcal{O}_{x_0} = \{\hat{O}_{\tilde{O}'} : \tilde{O}' \in \tilde{\mathcal{O}}'_{x_0}\} \quad |\mathcal{O}_{x_0}| < \infty$

$\Rightarrow \exists \mathcal{O}_{x_0} \subset \mathcal{O} \quad |\mathcal{O}_{x_0}| < \infty \quad (\Lambda_{x_0} :=) \cup \mathcal{O}_{x_0} \supset I(x_0)$

$\Lambda_{x_0} \ni x_0 \times 0$  open  $\Rightarrow \Lambda_{x_0} \supset (x'_0 \times y'_0, x_0 \times 0] \quad x'_0 < x_0 \quad (x_0 \neq 0)$

$\Rightarrow \Lambda_{x_0} \supset (x'_0, x_0) \times [0, 1]$

Similarly if  $x_0 \neq 1$   $\Lambda_{x_0} \ni x_0 \times 1$

$\Rightarrow \Lambda_{x_0} \supset (x_0, x''_0) \times [0, 1] \quad x''_0 > x_0$

$\Rightarrow \Lambda_{x_0} \supset (x'_0, x''_0) \times [0, 1]$

so for each  $x_0 \in [0, 1]$   $\exists$  finite subfamily of  $\mathcal{O}, \mathcal{O}_{x_0}$  and

$\exists x'_0 < x_0 < x''_0 \quad \cup \mathcal{O}_{x_0} \supset (x'_0, x''_0) \times [0, 1]$

with  $(x'_0, x''_0) = (x'_0, 1] \quad x_0 = 1$

$= [0, x''_0) \quad x_0 = 0$

Now  $\{(x'_0, x''_0) : x_0 \in [0, 1]\}$  is an open cover of  $[0, 1]$

$\xrightarrow{[0,1] \text{ compact}} \exists x_1, \dots, x_n : (x'_1, x''_1) \cup \dots \cup (x'_n, x''_n) = [0, 1]$

then  $\bigcup_{i=1}^n \mathcal{O}_{x_i}$  is a finite subcover of  $\mathcal{O}$

**Pb.** Prove that  $I_0^2$  is sequentially compact

sol. Let  $(x_n \times y_n) \subset I_0^2$

$(x_n) \subset [0, 1]$  sequence  $\exists x_{n_k} \rightarrow x$

w.l.o.g. (1)  $x_{n_k} \equiv x$  (2)  $x_{n_k} \nearrow x$  (3)  $x_{n_k} \searrow x$

go over to subsequence

(2)  $(x_{n_k}, y_{n_k}) \rightarrow (x, 0)$  (3)  $(x_{n_k}, y_{n_k}) \rightarrow (x, 1)$

(1)  $\exists (y_{n_{k_l}}) \subset (y_{n_k})$   $y_{n_{k_l}} \rightarrow y$   $(x_{n_{k_l}}, y_{n_{k_l}}) \rightarrow (x, y)$

The  $I_0^2$  is sequentially compact

generalize that argument to prove the  $[0, 1]^\omega$  is sequentially compact with the dictionary order.

↳ (solution below)

(It is also covering compact but this needs Th 27.1 in book and HW 10.)

Sol. Assume  $(f_k)_{k=1}^\infty \in \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{Z}_+, [0, 1]) \simeq [0, 1]^\omega$

does not have converging subsequence in dictionary order. We give ↯.

We construct for each  $n \in \mathbb{Z}_+$  a subsequence  $(f_{k,n})_{k=1}^\infty$  of  $f_k$

and a sequence  $(C_k)_{k=1}^\infty$  such that  $(f_{k,n+1}) \subset (f_{k,n})$  is a subsequence

and  $f_{k,n}|_{\{1, \dots, n-1\}} = C_l|_{\{1, \dots, n-1\}}$ .

We prove by induction,  $i = 1$  is ok  $f_{k,1} = f_k$

Assume  $(f_{k,n})_{k=1}^\infty$  constructed as well as  $C_1, \dots, C_{n-1}$

Consider  $(f_{k,n}(n))_{k=1}^\infty$  w.l.o.g.  $\exists (f_{k,n+1}) \subset (f_k)$

(1)  $f_{k,n+1}(n) \equiv C_n$  ( $k \rightarrow \infty$ )

$f_{k,n+1}(n) \rightarrow C_n$  w.l.o.g. either (2)  $f_{k,n+1}(n) \nearrow C_n$  ( $k \rightarrow \infty$ )

(3)  $f_{k,n+1}(n) \searrow C_n$  ( $k \rightarrow \infty$ )

(2)  $f_{k,n+1} \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} f(l) = \begin{cases} C_l & l \leq n \\ 0 & l > n \end{cases}$  ↯

(3)  $f_{k,n+1} \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} f(l) = \begin{cases} C_l & l \leq n \\ 1 & l > n \end{cases}$  ↯

(1) constructed  $f_{k,n+1}$  and  $C_n$  Induction complete

So now  $\exists (f_{k,n}) \subset (f_k)$   $(C_1, C_2, \dots)$  as needed.

Consider  $(f_{k,k})_{k=1}^\infty$  diagonalization

$f_{k,k}(n) = C_n$   $k > n$

$f_{k,k} \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} (C_1, C_2, C_3, \dots) \simeq (f(n) = C_n)$  ↯

Thus for non-metrizable spaces, ‘(any sort of) compact  $\Rightarrow$  separable’ is false!

## 23. Connected Spaces

Definition  $X$  topological space. A separation (I write (disjoint) decomposition)

$U, V$   $U, V \subset X$  open  $U, V \neq \emptyset$

$U \cup V = X$   $U \cap V = \emptyset$

$X$  connected  $\Leftrightarrow X$  has no separation

$X$  disconnected  $\Leftrightarrow \exists$  separation

Remark  $X$  is connected  $\Leftrightarrow \forall A \subset X$   $A$  open and closed

$\Rightarrow A = \emptyset$  or  $A = X$

**Remark** do not use “separable” in this context ( $\exists$  separation)  $\exists A \subset X : \overline{A} = X, |A| \leq \omega$   
for disconnected pg. 32 step 2. in B-L proof

**Definition**  $A \subset X$  separation of  $A$  in  $X$   
 $U, V \quad U, V \neq \emptyset \quad U, V$  not necessarily open  
 $A = U \cup V \quad U \cap \overline{V} = \emptyset$   
 $\quad \quad \quad \overline{U} \cap V = \emptyset$

$U, V$  disjoint and none containing an accumulation point of the other

**Lemma**  $A$  is connected (in relative topology)  $\Leftrightarrow A$  has no separation

**Ex.**  $X = \mathbb{R} \quad A = [-1, 0) \cup (0, 1], (U = [-1, 0), V = (0, 1])$   
 $(0, 1] \cap [-1, 0) = [0, 1] \cap [-1, 0) = \emptyset$   
 $(0, 1] \cap \overline{[-1, 0)} = (0, 1] \cap [-1, 0] = \emptyset$   
 $A$  disconnected

**Remark**  $\overline{U} \cap \overline{V} = \{0\} \neq \emptyset$  but this is not forbidden!  
 $\uparrow U, V$  have common accumulation point

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}^2$

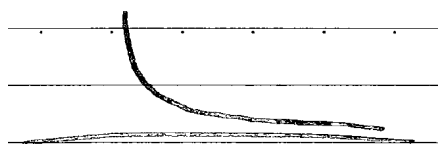


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$U \quad V$   
 $\{(x, 0) : x \in \mathbb{R}\} \cup \{(x, 1/x) : x > 0\}$   
separation  
 $U \cap V = \overline{U} \cap \overline{V} = \emptyset$

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}^2$

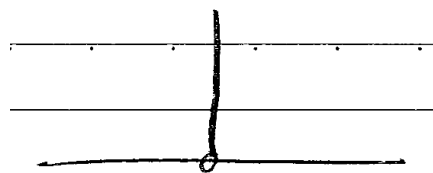


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$U \quad V$   
 $\{(x, 0) : x \in \mathbb{R}\} \cup \{(0, 1/x) : x > 0\}$   
no separation  
 $\overline{V} \cap U \neq \emptyset$

**Lemma**  $C, D$  separation of  $X \quad Y \subset X$  connected  
 $\Rightarrow Y \subset C$  or  $Y \subset D$

**(!)Theorem**  $X \ni x \quad \mathcal{Y} \subset \mathcal{P}(X) \quad \forall Y \in \mathcal{Y} \quad Y$  connected,  $Y \ni x$   
 $\Rightarrow \bigcup \mathcal{Y}$  connected

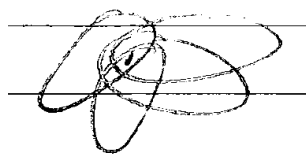


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**(\*)Theorem** If  $A \subset X$  connected and  $A \subset B \subset \overline{A} \Rightarrow B$  connected.

**Ex.** not true for interior!

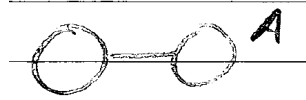


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**Theorem** The image of a connected set under continuous map is connected

**Theorem**  $X, Y$  connected  $\Rightarrow X \times Y$  connected  
 $\Rightarrow$  true for finite products

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}^\omega$  box topology or uniform topology  
 $\mathbb{R}$  connected (prove later)  
 $\mathbb{R}^\omega = \{\text{bounded sequences}\} \cup \{\text{unbounded sequences}\}$   
both open and disjoint non-empty  
 $\Rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\omega$  disconnected with uniform or box topology

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}^\omega$  with product topology  
 $\mathbb{R}^n \simeq \{(x_1, \dots, x_n, 0, \dots, 0)\} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^\omega$  connected  
 $\bigcap \mathbb{R}^n = 0 \quad R = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{R}^n$  connected  
 $\mathbb{R}^\omega = \overline{R} \quad f: \mathbb{Z}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \in \mathbb{R}^\omega$   
 $R$  dense  $f_n(x) = \begin{cases} f(x) & x \leq n \\ 0 & x > n \end{cases} \rightarrow f$  pointwise  
 $\mathbb{R}^\omega$  connected

## 24. Connected Subspaces of $\mathbb{R}$

**Definition** (recall)  $(X, <)$  ordered set is a linear continuum if

- 0)  $|X| > 1$
- 1) Least Upper Bound Property (LUBP)
- 2)  $\forall x, y \in X \quad x < y \Rightarrow \exists z \in X \quad x < z < y$   
Intermediate Element Property (IEP)

**(!)Theorem**  $L$  is linear continuum with order topology,  $Y \subset L$  convex  
 $\Rightarrow Y$  connected  
in particular,  $L$  connected, and so are intervals and rays in  $L$   
recall:  $Y \subset L$  convex  $\forall x, y \in Y \quad x < y \quad \forall z \in L$   
 $x < z < y \Rightarrow z \in Y$

pf. By contradiction

Assume  $Y = A \cup B$   $A \cap B = \emptyset$   $A, B \neq \emptyset$   $A, B$  open (in  $Y$ )

$a \in A$   $b \in B$  assume w.l.o.g.  $a < b$

$I = [a, b] = \underbrace{A \cap [a, b]}_{A_0} \cup \underbrace{B \cap [a, b]}_{B_0}$   $A_0, B_0$  open in  $I$

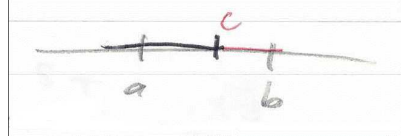
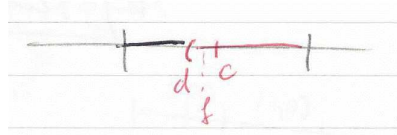


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$$c = \sup \underbrace{A \cap [a, b]}_{A_0}$$

$$\exists d < c$$

1) If  $c \in B_0 \Rightarrow c \neq a \Rightarrow (d, c] \subset B_0$   $B_0$  open in  $I$



$$\exists d < f < c \quad [f, c] \subset B_0$$

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$$[f, c] \cap A_0 = \emptyset \quad \text{to } c = \sup A_0$$

2) If  $c \in A_0 \Rightarrow c \neq b \Rightarrow \exists [c, d) \subset A_0$   $A_0$  open in  $I$

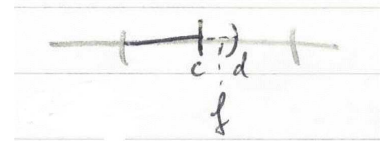


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$$\exists c < f < d \quad f \in A_0 \quad \text{to } c = \sup A_0 \quad \blacksquare$$

**Corollary**  $\mathbb{R}$  connected and intervals and rays in it.

**Remark** Converse of this Theorem also true:

$(X, \mathcal{A}_<)$  connected  $\Rightarrow (X, <)$  is linear continuum

**Theorem** Intermediate value theorem

$(X, \mathcal{A})$  connected  $(Y, <)$  order topology

$f : X \rightarrow Y$  continuous  $\Rightarrow \forall x, y \in X \quad \forall c \in [f(x), f(y)]$

$$\exists d \in X \quad f(d) = c$$

pf. by contradiction if  $\exists r \in (f(x), f(y)) \quad r \notin f(X)$

Consider  $X = f^{-1}((-\infty, r)) \cup f^{-1}((r, \infty))$

separation of  $X$

**Remark** take  $X' = [x, y] \rightarrow d \in [x, y]$  “Darboux property”

**Ex.**  $I_0^2$  ordered square with dictionary order is a linear continuum  
different from  $\mathbb{R}$

**Ex.**  $X$  well ordered  $\Rightarrow X \times [0, 1)$  with dictionary order is a linear continuum



Important case:

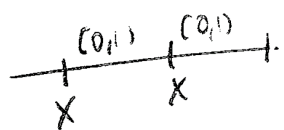


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$$X = S_\Omega (= \overline{S_\Omega} \setminus \{\Omega\})$$

consider  $S_\Omega \times [0, 1] \setminus \{a_0 \times 0\} =: \Lambda$

with dictionary order

topologist's long line

$\Lambda$  is locally homeomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}$  (every point has a neighborhood homeomorphic to an interval)

but not embeddable in  $\mathbb{R}$ ; it is not separable

## 25. Components

**Definition**  $X$  topological space define equivalence relation on  $X$  by  $x, y \in X$

$x \sim y \iff \exists$  connected subspace  $W$  of  $X$   $W \ni x, y$

equivalence class

**Definition**  $[x]_\sim$  is the connected component of  $x \in X$

$C_x = [x]_\sim = \bigcup \{C \subset X \text{ connected, } C \ni x\}$  connected by pg.38 (!)

maximal connected set containing  $x$

**Remark**  $C_x$  closed as  $\overline{C_x}(\ni x)$  is connected  $\Rightarrow \overline{C_x} \subset C_x$

**Definition**  $X$  satisfies the connected neighborhood condition (CNC) (resp. at  $x \in X$ )

if every point (resp. the point  $x \in X$ ) has a connected neighborhood

**Lemma**  $y \in C_x \Rightarrow \forall (U, V)$  separation of  $X$   $x \in U \Rightarrow y \in U$

$\Leftarrow$  if CNC see Ex. 3.26.10

pf.  $\Rightarrow \exists$  connected subspace  $W \ni x, y$

assume by contradiction  $\exists (U, V)$   $x \in U$   $y \in V$

$(U \cap W, V \cap W)$  separation of  $W$

$W$  connected  $\Rightarrow U \cap W(\ni x) = \emptyset$  or  $V \cap W(\ni y) = \emptyset$   $\nmid$

$\Leftarrow$  by contraposition  $\exists x \not\sim y$

$\forall W \ni x$  connected  $W \not\ni y$

$C_x = \bigcup \{W \ni x \text{ connected}\} \not\ni y$

connected neighborhood condition  $\Rightarrow C_x$  open (and closed)

(1) (2) or Remark above

$\Rightarrow C_x \cup (X \setminus C_x)$  is a separation

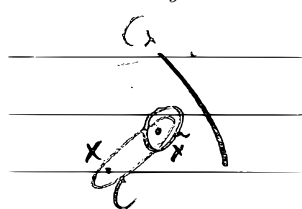


Figure 2 - 48: (1)

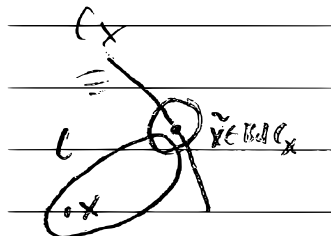


Figure 2 - 49: (2)

**Note** If  $A \subset X$ , connected components of  $A$  are meant with respect to relative topology

**Definition**  $X$  is totally disconnected if all its connected components are points

**Example** If  $|S| = n < \infty$

$\mathcal{F}(S, \mathbb{R}_{\text{discr}})_{\text{prod}} \simeq \mathbb{R}_{\text{discr}}^n$  totally disconnected

$\mathcal{F}(\mathbb{Z}_+, \mathbb{R}_{\text{discr}})_{\text{prod}} = (\mathbb{R}_{\text{discr}})^\omega \stackrel{\text{why?}}{\cong} (\mathbb{R}^\omega, \text{dictionary order})$  also totally disconnected

**Remark**  $A \subset X$  discrete  $\Rightarrow A$  totally disconnected (in relative topology)  
converse is false

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{R}$  is totally disconnected (but surely not discrete)

$x < y \quad \exists r \in (x, y)$  irrational

$\mathbb{Q} = (\underbrace{\mathbb{Q} \cap (-\infty, r)}_{\text{open in } \mathbb{Q}}) \cup (\underbrace{\mathbb{Q} \cap (r, \infty)}_{\text{open in } \mathbb{Q}})$

I can separate points by open sets

(whose union is the whole space unlike in  $T_2$ !)

**Remark**  $\mathbb{Q}$  does not satisfy the CNC, but “ $\Leftarrow$ ” of lemma is still true

**Remark**  $\text{CNC} \xrightarrow{(1),(2)}$  every union of connected components is open and closed  
(which is false for  $\mathbb{Q}$ )

**Definition**  $X$  locally connected at  $x$

$\forall U \ni x$  neighborhood  $\exists U' \subset U \quad U' \ni x$  neighborhood connected

$X$  locally connected if locally connected at  $x \quad \forall x \in X$

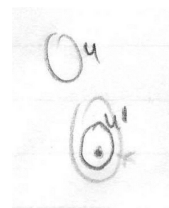


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**Remark**  $X$  locally connected (at  $x$ )  $\Rightarrow$  CNC (at  $x$ ) (set  $U = X$ )

**Theorem**  $X$  is locally connected  $\Leftrightarrow \forall U \subset X$  open

$\forall C_x \subset U$  component of  $U$  (in relative topology)

$C_x \subset X$  open

**Ex.**  $\{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$  with uniform topology  $\mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R})_{\text{uni}}$

$f(x) = x \in \{f : \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{x} = 1\} = \Lambda_1$  open and closed

$0 \in \{f : \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{x} = 0\} = \Lambda_0$

disconnected! every behavior  $\rightarrow \infty$  gives a separation

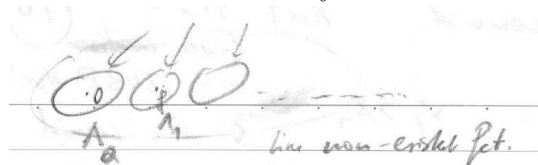


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connected components  $[f]_{\sim}$

$f \sim g \Leftrightarrow f - g$  bounded

## Path Connectedness and Path Components

**Definition** path:  $[a, b] \rightarrow X$  from  $x \in X$  to  $y \in X$   
is continuous  $f(a) = x, f(b) = y$

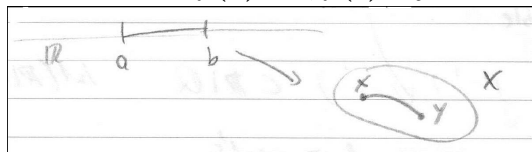


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$X$  is path connected if  
 $\forall x, y \in X \quad \exists \text{ path in } X \text{ from } x \text{ to } y$   
 write " $x \leftrightarrow y$ "

**Remark** path-connected  $\Rightarrow$  connected

**Ex.**  $V, \|\cdot\|$  norm, whose unit ball  $B = \{x \in V : \|x\| \leq 1\}$   
 $B$  is convex  $\forall x, y \in B, t \in [0, 1], tx + (1-t)y \in B$ . Then  
 $t \mapsto tx + (1-t)y$  continuous in  $t$  (in norm topology)  
 $B$  is path connected

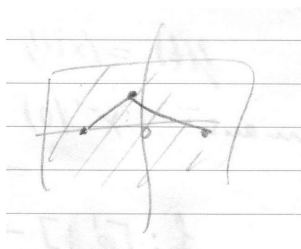
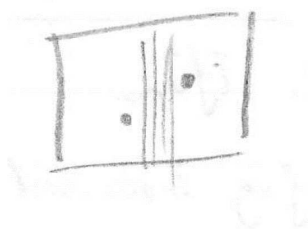


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**Ex.**  $\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$  path connected

**Ex.**  $I_0^2$  is not path connected, but it's a linear continuum (LUBP HW!) So it's connected



$$a = (x_1, y_1) \quad b = (x_2, y_2) \quad x_2 > x_1$$

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$f : [0, 1] \rightarrow X$  continuous image must be connected  
 if image  $\ni a, b \Rightarrow \text{image} \supset [a, b] \supset \underbrace{(x_1, x_2)}_{\text{uncountable}} \times [0, 1]$

$$\exists x_0 \in (x_1, x_2) \quad f(\underbrace{\mathbb{Q} \cap [0, 1]}_{\text{countable}}) \cap (\underbrace{\{x_0\} \times (0, 1)}_{\text{open}}) = \emptyset$$

$f^{-1}(\{x_0\} \times (0, 1)) \subset \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$ , but  $\text{Int}(\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}) = \emptyset \nmid$   
 non-empty open as  $f$  is continuous

**Ex.**  $A = \{x \times \sin \frac{1}{x} : 0 < x < \frac{1}{\pi}\} \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  topologist's sine curve

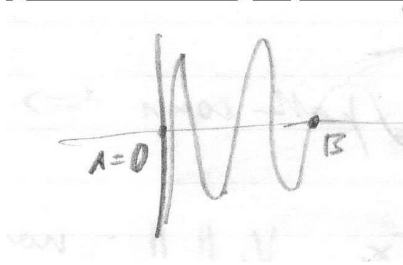


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$$\overline{A} = A \cup (\{0\} \times [-1, 1])$$

$A$  connected  $\Rightarrow \overline{A}$  connected but  $\overline{A}$  is not path connected

Let there be a path  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \overline{A} \subset \mathbb{R}^2$

$$f(t) = (x(t), y(t)) \text{ with } f(0) = \underset{=A}{(0, 0)} \quad f(1) = \underset{=B}{(\frac{1}{\pi}, 0)}$$

$$x \text{ continuous } x^{-1}(0) \subset [0, 1] \text{ closed} \Rightarrow \exists \max x^{-1}(0) =: a'$$

$$\text{w.l.o.g. } f : [a', 1] \rightarrow \overline{A} \quad x(t) > 0 \quad t > a' \Rightarrow \text{img}(f|_{[a', 1]}) \subset A$$

$$x(a') = 0, x(1) = \frac{1}{\pi} \Rightarrow \text{by Intermediate Value Theorem}$$

$$\forall x \in (0, \frac{1}{\pi}] \quad \exists t \quad x(t) = x \Rightarrow y(t) = \sin(\frac{1}{x}) \quad \text{Image}(f) = A \cup \{0 \times y(a')\}$$

$$[a', 1] \text{ (sequentially) compact, } f \text{ continuous} \Rightarrow \text{Img}(f) \text{ closed}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Img}(f) = \overline{A \cup \{0 \times y(a')\}} = \overline{A} \neq A \cup \{0 \times y(a')\} \quad \nexists$$

This means the closure of a path-connected set is not path-connected!

(Compare theorem(\*) on pg. 38)

**Definition**  $X$  topological space, define equivalence relation by

$$x \sim y \quad \exists \text{ path in } X \text{ from } x \text{ to } y$$

$$[x]_{\sim} \text{ is } x\text{'s path component}$$

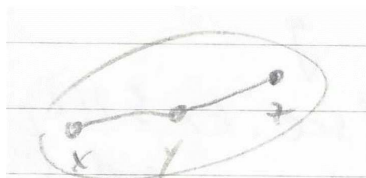


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**Theorem** path components of  $X$  are  
disjoint path connected subspaces  
whose union is  $X$   
each path-connected subspace of  $X$  is  
contained in exactly one path component

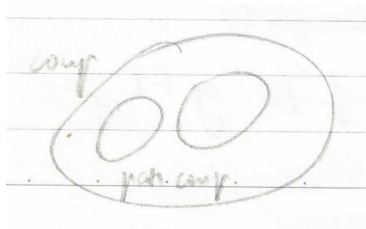


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**Ex.**  $\mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{R}$

all components trivial  $\Rightarrow$  all path components are trivial

**Ex.** from pg.44 topologist's sine curve is connected but not path-connected!

$A$  has one component,  $\overline{A}$ , and

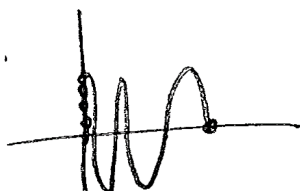
two path components  $A \setminus \{0 \times 0\}$  and  $\{0\} \times [-1, 1]$   
 $\quad \quad \quad = A_1 \quad \quad \quad = A_2$

note that in  $A$ ,

$A_1$  is open but not closed  $\Rightarrow$  unlike components, path

$A_2$  is closed but not open components need not be closed

**Ex.** connected take  $A \setminus \{0 \times 0\} \cup \{0\} \times ([-1, 1] \setminus \mathbb{Q})$



this is still connected (= one component)  
 but has uncountably many path components!

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**Ex.** Consider  $\{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$  with uniform topology

connected component  $C_f$  of  $f$  is the set of maps  $g$

with  $|g - f|$  bounded. (see Ex. 3.26.2 p.160 in book, p. 38 in note)

This is path connected in fact it is convex (as  $\subset \text{VS}/\mathbb{R}$ )

$tf + (1 - t)g$  gives a (straight) path from  $f$  to  $g \in C_f$

Similarly you can do in box topology with

$C_f = \{g : |\{x : g(x) \neq f(x)\}| < \infty\}$  (is also convex)

Again there is a local version

**Definition**  $X$  is locally path connected if

$\forall U \ni x \text{ open } \exists U' \supset U' \ni x \quad U' \text{ path connected}$

**Remark** locally path connected  $\Rightarrow$  locally connected

**Ex.**  $(0, 1) \times [0, 1)$  with dictionary order is not connected, not locally connected  
 ( $\Rightarrow$  not path connected and not locally path connected.)

**Ex.**  $[0, 1] \times (0, 1)$  with dictionary order is not connected but locally connected  
 not path connected, but locally path connected

**Ex.** every set with the discrete topology is locally connected  
 and locally path connected since  $U = \{x\} \ni x$  is open  
 (but, of course, totally disconnected and path-disconnected)

**Theorem**  $X$  locally (path) connected  $\Leftrightarrow \forall U \subset X$  open

$\forall U' \text{ (path) component of } U \quad U' \subset X \text{ open}$

**Theorem** each path component of  $X$  lies (entirely) within a component of  $X$

if  $X$  is locally path connected, then components and path components are the same

**Corollary** connected and locally path connected  $\Rightarrow$  path connected

**Ex.**  $I_0^2 = [0, 1]^2$  has LUBP(HW1) (See Pb.3. p.160 in book)

Intermediate Element Property (IEP)  $\Rightarrow$  Linear continuum

Th.(!) p.39

$\Rightarrow$  connected and locally connected

path connected?

$(a, b) \leftrightarrow (c, d)$  if  $a = c$

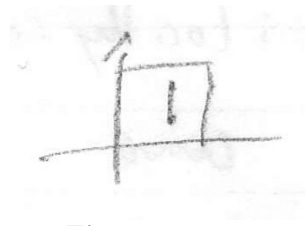


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but  $(a, b) \not\leftrightarrow (c, d)$  if  $a \neq c$

assume  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow I_0^2$   $f(0) = (a, b) = a \times b$

$f(1) = (c, d) = c \times d$

$f([0, 1]) \supset [a \times b, c \times d]$

$A = \mathbb{Q} \cap [0, 1] \subset [0, 1]$  dense, countable

$f$  continuous  $\Rightarrow \overline{f(A)} \supset f(\overline{A}) = f([0, 1]) \supset [a \times b, c \times d]$

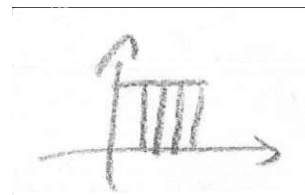
$B := f(A) \cap (a \times b, c \times d)$  dense in  $(a \times b, c \times d)$ , countable

but  $(a \times b, c \times d) \supset \bigcup_{a < x < b} \{x\} \times [0, 1] \Rightarrow \exists s \in (a, b)$

uncountable, disjoint union

$B \cap (\{s\} \times [0, 1]) = \emptyset$   $(a \times b, c \times d) \supset \{s\} \times [0, 1] \supset \{s\} \times (0, 1)$  open

$\overline{B} \not\subset (a \times b, c \times d)$   $\nmid$



so path components of  $I_0^2$  are  $\{s\} \times [0, 1]$

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### 43. Complete metric spaces

Assume  $(X, d)$  metric space

Recall (proof of Borel-Lebesgue)  $(X, d) \supset (x_n)$

$$x_n \rightarrow x \Rightarrow \forall \epsilon \exists N \forall m, n \geq N \quad d(x_m, x_n) < \epsilon \quad (\cdot)$$

**Definition** We say  $(x_n)$  is Cauchy-sequence if  $(x_n)$  satisfies  $(\cdot)$

**Lemma**  $(x_n)$  converges  $\Rightarrow (x_n)$  Cauchy-sequence

**Definition** We say  $(X, d)$  is complete if every Cauchy sequence converges  
(i.e. converse of lemma holds)

**Lemma** Let  $(x_n)$  be a Cauchy-sequence, if  $(x_n)$  has a convergent subsequence, then  $(x_n)$  converges

**Corollary**  $X$  complete  $\Leftrightarrow$  every Cauchy sequence has a convergent subsequence

**(‡)Comment**  $(0,1) \underset{\substack{\text{Eucl.} \\ \text{non-complete}}}{\simeq} \mathbb{R} \underset{\substack{\text{Eucl.} \\ \text{complete}}}{\text{homeomorphic}}$   
 so  $\exists$  metric on  $(0,1)$  giving Euclidean topology  
 with respect to which  $(0,1)$  is complete  
 Thus completeness depends on metric (not only on metrizability)

**Corollary**  $X$  compact  $\Rightarrow X$  complete  
 topological property  $\Rightarrow$  metric property  
 metrizable topology  $\Rightarrow$  complete with respect to every metric  
 space compact  $\Rightarrow$  inducing the topology

**Theorem**  $\mathbb{R}^k$  complete. (with Euclidean metric)  
pf. let  $(x_n)$  be Cauchy-sequence  
 $\Rightarrow (x_n)$  bounded  $\Rightarrow (x_n) \supset [-M, M]^k$  compact  
 $\Rightarrow (x_n)$  has convergent subsequence  $\Rightarrow (x_n)$  converges

For  $\mathbb{R}^\omega$  recall the following lemma

**Lemma** let  $X = \prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha$  with product topology, and  
 for  $\alpha_0 \in I$  let  $\pi_{\alpha_0} : X \rightarrow X_{\alpha_0}$   
 be the projection  $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in I} \mapsto x_{\alpha_0}$   
 Then  $\overline{x_n} \rightarrow \overline{x}$  in  $X \Leftrightarrow \forall \alpha \in I \pi_\alpha(\overline{x_n}) \rightarrow \pi_\alpha(\overline{x})$  in  $X_\alpha$   
 (i.e. convergence in the product topology is pointwise convergence)

**Theorem** The product topology on  $\mathbb{R}^\omega$  has a metric with respect to which it is complete

pf.  $d(\overline{x}, \overline{y}) = \sup_{i>0} \left\{ \frac{\overline{d}(x_i, y_i)}{i} \right\}$   $\overline{d}(a, b) = \min(|a - b|, 1)$   
 $d$  gives product space  
 assume  $(\overline{x_n})$  Cauchy-sequence in  $(X = \mathbb{R}^\omega, d)$   
 $\forall i \pi_i(\overline{x_n})$  is  $\mathbb{R}$  is Cauchy-sequence because  
 $|\pi_i(\overline{a}) - \pi_i(\overline{b})| \leq i \cdot d(\overline{a}, \overline{b})$   $i$ -fixed  
 so  $\pi_i(\overline{x_n}) \rightarrow a_i$  convergent in  $\mathbb{R} \forall i$  Then,  
 $\overline{x_n} \rightarrow (a_i)_{i=1}^\infty$  in  $X$

**Remark**  $(x_n)$  Cauchy-sequence, with respect to  $d$   
 $\Leftrightarrow (x_n)$  Cauchy sequence with respect to  $\overline{d}$   
 $(X, d)$  complete  $\Leftrightarrow (X, \overline{d})$  complete

**Ex.**  $\mathbb{Q}, (-1, 1)$  with Euclidean metric not complete  
 consider  $x_n \in \mathbb{Q} \quad x_n \rightarrow \sqrt{2}$  in  $\mathbb{R}$  (for  $\mathbb{Q}$ )  
 $-1 + \frac{1}{n} \in (-1, 1) \rightarrow -1$  (for  $(-1, 1)$ )

**Remark**  $(-1, 1) \simeq \mathbb{R}$  homeomorphic  
not complete      complete  
 so  $\exists \bar{d}$  on  $(-1, 1)$  giving Euclidean topology  
 with respect to which is complete  $\rightarrow$  completeness  
 pg.47 (§)Comment  $\Leftarrow$  depends on metric(not only on metrizable)

**Theorem** Let  $(X, d)$  complete.  
 $A \subset X$  closed  $\Rightarrow (A, d|_{A \times A})$  complete  
pf.  $(x_n) \subset A$   $(x_n) \subset X$  Cauchy-sequence  $(x_n) \rightarrow x$  in  $X$   
 Cauchy-sequence  $A$  closed  $\Rightarrow x \in A \Rightarrow$   
 $(x_n) \rightarrow x$  in  $A$

**Remark**  $\Leftarrow$  also true:  $A \subset X$  complete  $\Rightarrow A$  closed

**Remark**  $\mathbb{R}^J = \mathcal{F}(J, \mathbb{R})_{\text{prod}}$  is in general not metrizable,  
 so completeness makes no sense  
 but  $\mathbb{R}_{\text{uni}}^J$  is metrizable. Recall uniform metric

**Definition** Let  $(Y_\alpha, d_\alpha)$  metric space.  
 Let  $\bar{d}_\alpha = \min(d_\alpha, 1)$   
 For  $Y = \prod_{\alpha \in J} Y_\alpha$  define the uniform metric on  $Y$  by  

$$\bar{\varrho}(\bar{x}, \bar{y}) := \sup_{\alpha \in J} \{\bar{d}_\alpha(\pi_\alpha(\bar{x}), \pi_\alpha(\bar{y}))\} \quad \pi_\alpha : Y \rightarrow Y_\alpha$$

**Theorem**  $(Y, d)$  complete  $\Rightarrow Y^J = \prod_{\alpha \in J} Y_\alpha \quad Y_\alpha = Y$   
 is complete with uniform metric  $\uparrow$  index the copy  
pf. let  $(f_n) \subset Y^J$  Cauchy-sequence with respect to  $\bar{\varrho}$   
 then  $(\pi_\alpha(f_n)) \subset Y_\alpha$  Cauchy-sequence in  $(Y_\alpha, \bar{d}_\alpha)$   
 $\Rightarrow$  Cauchy sequence in  $(Y_\alpha, d_\alpha)$   
 $\pi_\alpha(\bar{f}_n) \rightarrow y_\alpha$  in  $Y_\alpha$   
 Let  $f : \alpha \mapsto y_\alpha$   
 We claim  $f_n \rightarrow f$  in  $(Y^J, \bar{\varrho})$   
 Given  $\epsilon > 0$  choose  $N$  with  $\forall n, m \geq N$   

$$\bar{d}(f_n(\alpha), f_m(\alpha)) < \epsilon/2 \quad \forall \alpha \in J (\Leftarrow \bar{\varrho}(f_m, f_n) < \epsilon/2)$$
  

$$\xrightarrow{m \rightarrow \infty} \bar{d}(f_n(\alpha), f(\alpha)) \leq \epsilon/2$$
  
 $\bar{d}$  continuous  
 This holds  $\forall \alpha \in J \quad \forall n \geq N$   

$$\bar{\varrho}(f_n, f) = \sup_{\alpha} \bar{d}(f_n(\alpha), f(\alpha)) \leq \epsilon/2 < \epsilon$$
  
 $\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists N \forall n \geq N \bar{\varrho}(f_n, f) < \epsilon \Rightarrow f_n \rightarrow f$

**Definition** Now assume  $X$  is topological space  
 $C(X, Y) \subset \mathcal{F}(X, Y) = Y^X$   
 $\parallel$   
 is  $\{f \in Y^X : f \text{ continuous}\}$

**Definition**  $f : X \rightarrow (Y, d)$  bounded if  $f(X) \subset Y$   
 is a bounded set  $\text{diam}(f(X)) < \infty$   
 $B(X, Y) \subset Y^X$   
 $\parallel$   
 $\{f : X \rightarrow Y \text{ } f \text{ bounded}\}$



**Theorem**  $(Y, d)$  metric space  
 $B(X, Y)$  and  $C(X, Y)$  ( $X$  topological space)  
are closed in  $(Y^X, \overline{\rho})$  and therefore complete

**Ex.**  $C(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}) \subset \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R})_{\text{uni}}$  closed (but not discrete)  
 $\downarrow$   
 $C(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}) \subset \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R})_{\text{box}}$  (closed and) discrete  $\Leftarrow$  HW  
 $C(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}) \subset \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R})_{\text{prod}}$  is dense (and not closed)  
 $\bigcup$   
 $\mathbb{R}[z]$  dense (Lagrange Interpolation)

## Completion

**Definition**  $(X, d), (Y, \tilde{d})$  metric spaces  
we say  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is isometry if  
 $\forall x, \tilde{x} \in X \quad d(x, \tilde{x}) = \tilde{d}(f(x), f(\tilde{x}))$

**Remark**  $f$  isometry  $\Rightarrow$  injective  
so  $f$  is also called an “isometric embedding”

**Theorem** (Existence of completion)  
 $(X, d)$  metric space  $\exists (Y, \tilde{d})$  complete metric space  
 $f : X \rightarrow Y$  isometric embedding

**Definition** If  $(X, d)$  metric space  $(Y, \tilde{d})$  complete metric space  
 $f : X \rightarrow Y$  isometric embedding  
call  $\overline{f(X)} \subset Y$  the completion of  $X$

**Remark** completion is unique up to isometry

**Construction**  $U(X^\omega) = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) \in X^\omega \mid \text{Cauchy sequence}\} \subset X^\omega$   
Let  $\sim$  be equivalence relation on  $U(X^\omega)$   
 $(x_i) \sim (x'_i) :\Leftrightarrow d(x_i, x'_i) \rightarrow 0$   
Then  $Y = \Gamma(X) := U(X^\omega) / \sim$   
 $\tilde{d}([(x_i)], [(x'_i)]) = \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} d(x_i, x'_i)$   
 $f : X \hookrightarrow Y$  is given by  $x \mapsto [(x, x, x, \dots)]$

**Ex.**  $X = \mathbb{Q}$  with Euclidean metric  $\Gamma(\mathbb{Q}) = \mathbb{R}$  construction of real numbers