

Topology Summary

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1 Topology - The Creation

Premises: A, B sets

- **A topology on A** $\stackrel{def}{=}$ a collection \mathcal{T} of subsets of A where:
 - 1) $\emptyset, A \in \mathcal{T}$
 - 2) For arbitrary index set I : $(\forall i \in I : A_i \in \mathcal{T}) \Rightarrow \bigcup_{i \in I} A_i \in \mathcal{T}$
 - 3) For finite index set I : $(\forall i \in I : A_i \in \mathcal{T}) \Rightarrow \bigcap_{i \in I} A_i \in \mathcal{T}$
(p. 76 ∈ [1])
- **A topological space (A, \mathcal{T}) with topology \mathcal{T}** $\stackrel{def}{=}$ a set A for which a topology \mathcal{T} has been specified. (p. 76 ∈ [1])
- For topological space A with topology \mathcal{T} :
 - U is an **open set** of A $\stackrel{def}{=} U \subset A$ and $U \in \mathcal{T}$ (p. 76 ∈ [1])
 - U is a **neighborhood** of x $\stackrel{def}{=} U$ is an open set containing x (i.e. U open and $x \in U$) (p. 96 ∈ [1])
 - Warning:** Some people say that U is a neighborhood of x if U contains an open set V , where $x \in V$ (i.e. $\exists V \subset U : x \in V$) (p. 97 ∈ [1])

1.1 Bases

- **A basis \mathcal{B} for a topology on A** $\stackrel{def}{=}$ a collection \mathcal{B} of subsets of A (called the *basis elements*) such that:
 - 1) $\forall a \in A : \exists B \in \mathcal{B} : a \in B$
 - 2) $\forall B_1, B_2 \in \mathcal{B} : a \in B_1 \cap B_2 \Rightarrow \exists B_3 \in \mathcal{B} : a \in B_3 \subset (B_1 \cap B_2)$
(p. 78 ∈ [1])The *basis* of a given topology is not necessarily unique. (p. 80 ∈ [1])
- **The topology \mathcal{T} generated by the topology basis \mathcal{B} :**
 $\mathcal{T} \stackrel{def}{=} \text{all } U \subset A \text{ such that: } \forall a \in U : \exists B \in \mathcal{B} : a \in B \subset U.$ (p. 78 ∈ [1])
Prooving: Prove each of 1), 2), 3) in def. of topology separately like this: Use definition of generated topology and use the rules 1), 2) from topology basis as needed.
- \mathcal{B} is a *basis* for the topology $\mathcal{T} \Rightarrow$
 \mathcal{T} equals the collection of all unions of elements of \mathcal{B} . (lemma 13.1 p. 80 ∈ [1])
- Let (A, \mathcal{T}) be a given topological space.
If $\mathcal{C} \subset \mathcal{T}$ such that: $\forall U \in \mathcal{T} : \forall x \in U : \exists C \in \mathcal{C} : x \in C \subset U,$
then \mathcal{C} is a *basis* for \mathcal{T} . (lemma 13.2 p. 80 ∈ [1])

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1.2 Subbases

- **A subbasis \mathcal{S} for a topology on A** $\stackrel{def}{=} \equiv$ a collection \mathcal{S} of subsets of A , where $A = \bigcup_{S \in \mathcal{S}} S$ (p. 82 ∈ [1])
(The *subbasis* of a *given topology* is *not necessarily unique*?)
- **The topology \mathcal{T} generated by the topology subbasis \mathcal{S} :**
 $\mathcal{T} \stackrel{def}{=} \equiv$ all unions of finite intersections of elements of \mathcal{S} . (p. 82 ∈ [1])
I.e. all $U \subset A$ such that: $\exists S_{ij} \in \mathcal{S} : U = \bigcup_{i \in I} \bigcap_{j \in J} S_{ij}$ for finite J .

2 Common and Well-Known

2.1 Common Well-Known Topologies

Premises: A, B sets

- **Discrete topology** on $A \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}$ is all subsets of A (ex. 2 p. 77 ∈ [1])
- **Indiscrete / trivial topology** on $A \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T} = \{\emptyset, A\}$ (ex. 2 p. 77 ∈ [1])
- **Finite complement topology** \mathcal{T}_f on $A \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}_f$ is a collection of subsets $U \subset A$ such that $A \setminus U$ is either finite or all of A (ex. 3 p. 77 ∈ [1])
- \mathcal{T}_c on $A \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}_c$ all subsets $U \subset A$ such that $A \setminus U$ is either countable or all of A (ex. 4 p. 77 ∈ [1])
- **Standard topology** on $\mathbb{R} \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}$
 \mathcal{T} = generated by basis consisting of all open intervals on \mathbb{R} ,
 i.e. : all $]a, b[= \{x \mid a < x < b\}$. (p. 81 ∈ [1])
 This is just the *order topology* on \mathbb{R} , with order relation $<$. (ex. 1 p. 85 ∈ [1])
- **Lower limit topology** on $\mathbb{R} \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}$
 \mathcal{T} = generated by basis consisting of all intervals of the form $[a, b[$.
 We call \mathbb{R} with this topology \mathbb{R}_l . (p. 82 ∈ [1])
- **K-topology** on $\mathbb{R} \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}$ Let $K = \{\frac{1}{n} \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}_+\}$, then
 \mathcal{T} = generated by basis consisting of all sets of the forms $]a, b[$ or $]a, b[\setminus K$.
 We call \mathbb{R} with this topology \mathbb{R}_K . (p. 82 ∈ [1])
- **Order topology** $\stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}$ generated by the *order topology basis* (p. 84 ∈ [1])
- **Product topology** on $A \times B \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}$
 the topology generated by the basis \mathcal{B} where
 \mathcal{B} is all sets $U \times V$ such that $U \stackrel{C}{open} A, V \stackrel{C}{open} B$.
 (the basis \mathcal{B} is not a topology though) (p. 86 ∈ [1])
- **Product topology** on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha$, where A_α are *topological spaces* $\stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}_\alpha$
 the topology generated by the *product topology subbasis*. (p. 114 ∈ [1])
 We call $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha$ with this topology a **product space**.
 Can be described as: all sets $\prod_{\alpha \in J} U_\alpha$, where $(\forall \alpha \in J : U_\alpha \stackrel{C}{open} A_\alpha)$ and
 $U_\alpha = A_\alpha$ except for finitely many α (thm. 19.1 p. 115 ∈ [1])
- **Box topology** on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}$
 The topology generated by the *box topology basis* (p. 113, 114 ∈ [1])
 Can be described as: all sets $\prod_{\alpha \in J} U_\alpha$, where $\forall \alpha \in J : U_\alpha \stackrel{C}{open} A_\alpha$ (thm. 19.1 p. 115 ∈ [1])
- **Subspace topology** \mathcal{T}_B on $(A, \mathcal{T}) \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{T}$
 For $B \subset A : \mathcal{T}_B = \{B \cap U \mid U \in \mathcal{T}\}$.
 We have: $(B, \mathcal{T}_B) \stackrel{C}{subspace} (A, \mathcal{T})$ (p. 88 ∈ [1])
 Properties for $(B, \mathcal{T}_B) \stackrel{C}{subspace} (A, \mathcal{T})$:
 1) U open in B a.k.a. U open relative to $B \stackrel{def}{=} U \in \mathcal{T}_B$ (p. 89 ∈ [1])
 2) U open in A a.k.a. U open relative to $A \stackrel{def}{=} U \in \mathcal{T}$ (p. 89 ∈ [1])
 3) U open in B and B open in $A \Rightarrow U$ open in A (lemma 16.2 p. 89 ∈ [1])

- **Ordered square I_0^2 , where $I \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \underset{\text{interval}}{\subset} \mathbb{R}$** with *dictionary order* and *order topology* (ex. 3 p. 90 ∈ [1])

2.2 Very Concrete Well-Known Topologies

- $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ with the *dictionary order*. Possible bases: (ex. 2 p. 85 ∈ [1])
 - 1) The collection of intervals $]a, b), (c, d[$ where $a < c$ or $(a = c \wedge b < d)$
 - 2) The collection of intervals $]a, b), (c, d[$ where $(a = c \wedge b < d)$
- \mathbb{Z}_+ with the *order topology* is the *discrete topology*. (ex. 3 p. 85 ∈ [1])
- The *order topology* for $\{1, 2\} \times \mathbb{Z}_+$ with the *dictionary order* is *not* the *discrete topology* (ex. 4 p. 85 ∈ [1])

2.3 Common Well-Known Topology Bases

Premises: A, B sets

- The collection of *all circular regions* (*interiors* of circles) in \mathbb{R}^2 (ex. 1 p. 78 ∈ [1])
- The collection of *all rectangular regions* (*interiors* of rectangles) in \mathbb{R}^2 (ex. 2 p. 79 ∈ [1])
This is a basis for the *standard topology* on \mathbb{R}^2
(the *product* of 2 *order topologies*: $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$) (ex. 1 p. 87 ∈ [1])
- The collection of *all one-point subsets* of *any set* A .
This is the basis for the *discrete topology* (ex. 3 p. 79 ∈ [1])
- *Topologies* which *also qualify* as *bases*:
standard topology, K-topology, lower limit topology. (p. 82 ∈ [1])
- **Basis for the *order topology* on A , where A is an *ordered set* with *simple order relation* $< \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathcal{B}$ is given by:**
 - 1) *All open intervals* $]a, b[$ in A
 - 2) If A has a *smallest element* a_0 : Then also *all intervals* $[a_0, b[$
 - 3) If A has a *largest element* b_0 : Then also *all intervals* $]a, b_0]$

(p. 84 ∈ [1])
- **Alternative basis \mathcal{B} for the *product topology* on $A \times B$:**
If \mathcal{B} is *basis* for the *topology* on A and \mathcal{C} *basis* for the *topology* on B , then $\mathcal{D} = \{(B, C) \mid B \in \mathcal{B} \wedge C \in \mathcal{C}\}$ is *basis* for the *topology* on $A \times B$ (thm. 15.1 p. 86 ∈ [1])
- **Alternative basis \mathcal{B} for the *product topology* on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha$,**
where each A_α is *given by the basis* $\mathcal{B}_\alpha \stackrel{\text{def}}{=}$
 $\mathcal{B} =$ *all sets* of the form $\prod_{\alpha \in J} B_\alpha$, where for $\forall I \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \underset{\text{finite}}{\subset} J$ we have that:
 $\forall \alpha \in I : B_\alpha \in \mathcal{B}_\alpha$ and $\forall \alpha \in J \setminus I : B_\alpha = A_\alpha$ (thm. 19.2 p. 116 ∈ [1])
I.e. $B_\alpha \in \mathcal{B}_\alpha$ for *finitely many* α and $B_\alpha = A_\alpha$ for the *other* α .
- **Basis \mathcal{B} for the *box topology* on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha \stackrel{\text{def}}{=}$**
Let $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in J}$ be an *indexed family* of *topological spaces*, the *basis* \mathcal{B} on the *product space* $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha$ is given by:
 $\mathcal{B} =$ *all sets* of the form $\prod_{\alpha \in J} U_\alpha$, where $\forall \alpha \in J : U_\alpha \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \underset{\text{open}}{\subset} A_\alpha$ (p. 114 ∈ [1])

- **Alternative basis \mathcal{B} for the box topology on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha$,**
 where each A_α is given by the basis $\mathcal{B}_\alpha \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{B}$
 $\mathcal{B} =$ all sets of the form $\prod_{\alpha \in J} B_\alpha$, where $\forall \alpha \in J : B_\alpha \in \mathcal{B}_\alpha$ (thm. 19.2 p. 116
 ∈ [1])
- **A basis \mathcal{B}_B for the subspace topology on (A, \mathcal{T}) :**
 For $B \subset A$, and \mathcal{B} a basis for (A, \mathcal{T}) , then
 $\mathcal{B}_B = \{B \cap Y \mid Y \in \mathcal{B}\}$. (lemma 16.1 p. 89 ∈ [1])

2.4 Common Well-Known Topology Subbases

Premises: A, B sets

- **Subbasis for the order topology on $A \stackrel{def}{=} \mathbb{R}$**
 The open rays on A : $]a, +\infty[= \{x \mid x > a\}$ and $] - \infty, a[= \{x \mid x < a\}$ (p. 86 ∈ [1])
- **Subbasis for the product topology on $A \times B \stackrel{def}{=} A \times B$**
 $\mathcal{S} = \{\pi_1^{-1}(U) \mid U \text{ open in } A\} \cup \{\pi_2^{-1}(V) \mid V \text{ open in } B\}$, where
 $\pi_1 : A \times B \rightarrow A, \pi_2 : A \times B \rightarrow B$ are the projections (thm. 15.2 p. 88 ∈ [1])
- **Subbasis \mathcal{S} for the product topology on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha \stackrel{def}{=} \prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha$**
 Let $\mathcal{S}_\alpha = \{\pi_\alpha^{-1}(U_\alpha) \mid U_\alpha \stackrel{C}{\subset} A_\alpha\}$, then
 $\mathcal{S} = \cup_{\alpha \in J} \mathcal{S}_\alpha$, where $\pi_\alpha : (\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha) \rightarrow A_\alpha$ are the projections (p. 114 ∈ [1])

2.5 Theorems About Well-Known Topologies

- Let $B_\alpha \stackrel{C}{\subset} A_\alpha$ for all $\alpha \in J$. Then $(\prod B_\alpha) \stackrel{C}{\subset} (\prod A_\alpha)$ if:
 either both have the product topology or both have the box topology. (thm.
 19.3 p. 116 ∈ [1])

3 Comparison of Topologies

A, B sets, $\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{T}'$ topologies on A

- For $\mathcal{T} \subset \mathcal{T}'$ we define:
 \mathcal{T} *coarser* / *smaller than* \mathcal{T}'
 \mathcal{T}' *finer* / *larger than* \mathcal{T}
 Beware of the terms *weaker* / *stronger*! (some people have incompatible meanings for these terms)
(p. 77 ∈ [1])
- For $\mathcal{T} \subsetneq \mathcal{T}'$ we define:
 \mathcal{T} *strictly coarser* / *strictly smaller than* \mathcal{T}'
 \mathcal{T}' *strictly finer* / *strictly larger than* \mathcal{T}
(p. 77 ∈ [1])
- \mathcal{T} *comparable with* $\mathcal{T}' \stackrel{def}{=} \text{either } \mathcal{T} \subset \mathcal{T}' \text{ or } \mathcal{T}' \subset \mathcal{T}$ (p. 77 ∈ [1])
- Let \mathcal{B} and \mathcal{B}' be *bases* for the *topologies* \mathcal{T} and \mathcal{T}' , respectively, on A .
 Then the following are *equivalent*:
 1) \mathcal{T}' is *finer* than \mathcal{T}
 2) $\forall a \in A : \forall B \in \mathcal{B}, a \in B : \exists B' \in \mathcal{B}' : a \in B' \subset B$
(lemma 13.3 p. 81 ∈ [1])

3.1 Comparison of Well-Known Topologies

Premises: A, B sets

- If A *subspace* of X and B *subspace* of Y , then
 the *product topology* on $A \times B$ is the *same as*
 the topology $A \times B$ *inherits* as a *subspace* of $X \times Y$. (lemma 16.3 p. 89 ∈ [1])
- **Warning:** Let A be an *ordered set* with *order topology*, and let $B \subset A$.
 The *order relation* on A *restricted to* B makes B an *ordered set*. However:
 The *resulting order topology* on B *in general* \neq the *topology that* B *inherits*
 as a *subspace* of A . (p. 90 ∈ [1])
 Examples:
 1) The *topology of* $[0, 1]$ as a *subspace* of $\mathbb{R} = \text{order topology on } [0, 1]$ (ex. 1 p. 90 ∈ [1])
 2) The *topology of* $B = [0, 1] \cup \{2\}$ as a *subspace* of $\mathbb{R} \neq \text{order topology on } B$ (ex. 2 p. 90 ∈ [1])
 3) The *topology of* $B = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ with *dictionary order* as a *subspace* of $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \neq$
order topology on $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ (ex. 3 p. 90 ∈ [1])

To avoid ambiguity: When A is an *ordered set* in *order topology* and $B \subset A$, we *assume* that B is *given* the *subspace topology* (unless otherwise stated). (p. 91 ∈ [1])

- If A is an *ordered set* with *order topology* and $B \stackrel{C}{\text{convex subset}} B$, then
order topology on $B = \text{topology } B \text{ inherited as a subspace of } A$. (thm. 16.4 p. 91 ∈ [1])
- *standard topology* \subset *lower limit topology* (lemma 13.4 p. 82 ∈ [1])
- *standard topology* \subset *K-topology* (lemma 13.4 p. 82 ∈ [1])
- *lower limit topology* is *not comparable* to *K-topology* (lemma 13.4 p. 82 ∈ [1])
- *Product topology on* $\mathbb{R}^J \subset$ *uniform topology on* $\mathbb{R}^J \subset$ *box topology on* \mathbb{R}^J .
 If J is *infinite*, they are *all different*. (thm. 20.4 p. 124 ∈ [1])

4 Topological Properties

- **Topological property** $\stackrel{def}{=}$ property expressed *only via open sets* (p. 105 ∈ [1])

4.1 Closed Sets

Premises: (A, \mathcal{T}) *topological space*

- **A subset U of A is closed** $\stackrel{def}{=} U \setminus A$ *open*. (p. 93 ∈ [1])
- The following hold:
 - 1) \emptyset and A are *closed*
 - 2) *Arbitrary intersections of closed sets are closed*
 - 3) *Finite unions of closed sets are closed*
- For $(B, \mathcal{T}_B) \stackrel{\subset}{\text{subspace}} (A, \mathcal{T})$ then the following hold:
 - 1) U *closed* in $B \Leftrightarrow \exists V \stackrel{\subset}{\text{closed}} A : U = B \cap V$ (thm. 17.2 p. 94 ∈ [1])
 - 2) U *closed* in B and B *closed* in $A \Rightarrow U$ *closed* in A (thm. 17.3 p. 95 ∈ [1])

4.2 Closure, Interior

Premises: (A, \mathcal{T}) *topological space*

- **Interior of $B \subset A$** $\equiv \text{Int } B \stackrel{def}{=} \bigcup_{B_i \stackrel{\subset}{\text{open}} A, B_i \subset B} B_i$ (p. 95 ∈ [1])
- **Closure of $B \subset A$** $\equiv \text{Cl } B$ w.r.t. $A \equiv \text{Cl}_A B \equiv \overline{B} \stackrel{def}{=} \bigcap_{B \subset B_i \stackrel{\subset}{\text{closed}} A} B_i$ (p. 95 ∈ [1])
- $\text{Int } A \subset A \subset \overline{A}$ (p. 95 ∈ [1])
- A *open* $\Rightarrow A = \text{Int } A$ (p. 95 ∈ [1])
- A *closed* $\Rightarrow A = \overline{A}$ (p. 95 ∈ [1])
- For $(B, \mathcal{T}_B) \stackrel{\subset}{\text{subspace}} (A, \mathcal{T})$ and $U \subset B$, we have:
 - 1) **Warning:** $\text{Cl}_B U \stackrel{\neq}{\text{in general}} \text{Cl}_A U$. In such cases *we assume* $\text{Cl } U = \text{Cl}_A U$ (p. 95 ∈ [1])
 - 2) $\text{Cl}_B U = (\text{Cl}_A U) \cap B$ (thm. 17.4 p. 95 ∈ [1])
- For $U \subset A$, we have:

$$x \in \text{Cl}_A U \Leftrightarrow \forall V \in \mathcal{T}, x \in V : U \cap V \neq \emptyset$$
 (i.e. *every neighborhood of x intersects A*) (thm. 17.5 p. 96 ∈ [1])
- If \mathcal{T} is given by a basis \mathcal{B} , then:

$$x \in \text{Cl}_A U \Leftrightarrow \forall B \in \mathcal{B}, x \in B : B \cap U \neq \emptyset$$
 (thm. 17.5 p. 96 ∈ [1])

4.2.1 Examples

- In the *finite complement topology* on A , the *closed sets* are:
The set A itself and *all finite subsets* of A . (ex. 3 p. 93 ∈ [1])
- In the *discrete topology* on A :
All sets are open, so all sets are closed as well. (ex. 4 p. 93 ∈ [1])
- Consider the *subspace* $A =]0, 1]$ of \mathbb{R} . The set $U =]0, \frac{1}{2}[$ is a *subset* of A .
 $\text{Cl}_{\mathbb{R}} U = [0, \frac{1}{2}] \neq \text{Cl}_A U = [0, \frac{1}{2}] \cap A =]0, \frac{1}{2}]$ (ex. 7 p. 97 ∈ [1])

4.3 Limit Points

Premises: (A, \mathcal{T}) *topological space*

- **Limit point / cluster point / point of accumulation x of A** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
Every neighborhood of x intersects A in some other point $y \neq x \equiv$
 $x \in (\text{Cl}_A(A \setminus \{x\}))$ (p. 97 ∈ [1])
- **Notation:** When x_n is sequence of points in A converging to $x \in A$,
we write $x_n \rightarrow x$, x is the *limit* of x_n . (p. 100 ∈ [1])
- For a subset $U \subset A$:
 1. Let B' be the set of all limit points of B , then $\text{Cl}_A B = B \cup B'$ (thm. 17.6 p. 97 ∈ [1])
 2. B closed \Leftrightarrow (all limit points of B) $\stackrel{\subset}{\text{subset}} B$ (cor. 17.7 p. 98 ∈ [1])
- For $\{A_\alpha\}$ an indexed family of spaces, let $B_\alpha \subset A_\alpha$ for each α .
If $\prod A_\alpha$ has either *product topology* or *box topology*, then
 $\overline{\prod B_\alpha} = \prod \overline{B_\alpha}$. (thm. 19.5 p. 116 ∈ [1])

4.3.1 Hausdorff Spaces

Premises: (A, \mathcal{T}) *Hausdorff space*

- (A, \mathcal{T}) **Hausdorff space** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $\forall x, y \in A, x \neq y$: there exists disjoint neighborhoods U_1 and U_2 of x and y respectively. (p. 98 ∈ [1])
- Every finite point set in any Hausdorff space is closed. (thm. 17.8 p. 99 ∈ [1])
- A sequence of points of A converges to at most one point of A . (thm. 17.10 p. 99 ∈ [1])
- (A, \mathcal{T}) Hausdorff \Leftrightarrow the diagonal $\Delta = \{(a, a) \mid a \in A\}$ is closed in $A \times A$.
(exc. 17; 13 p. 101 ∈ [1])
- Well-known Hausdorff spaces:
 - The order topology of any simply ordered set (exc. 17;10 p. 101 ∈ [1])
 - A subspace of a Hausdorff space (exc. 17;12 p. 101 ∈ [1])
- If $\forall \alpha \in J : A_\alpha$ Hausdorff, then $\prod A_\alpha$ is Hausdorff
in both the product topology and the box topology. (thm. 19.4 p. 116 ∈ [1])

4.3.2 The T_1 axiom

Premises: (A, \mathcal{T}) *topological space satisfying the T_1 axiom*

- **The T_1 axiom** $\stackrel{def}{=}$ finite point sets are closed (weaker than Hausdorff property) (p. 99 ∈ [1])
- Let $B \stackrel{\subset}{\text{subset}} A$. Then the point x is a limit point of $B \Leftrightarrow$
every neighborhood of x contains infinitely many points of B (thm. 17.9 p. 99 ∈ [1])

5 Continuous Functions

5.1 Well-Known Functions

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*

- $f : A \rightarrow B$ **open map** $\stackrel{def}{=} U \underset{open}{\subset} A \Rightarrow f(U) \underset{open}{\subset} B$ (exc. 4 p.92 ∈ [1])
- If $U \underset{open}{\subset} X_i$ then,
 $\pi_i^{-1}(U) = (X_1 \times X_2 \times \cdots \times U \times \cdots \times X_n) \underset{open}{\subset} (X_1 \times X_2 \times \cdots \times X_i \times \cdots \times X_n)$
 (p. 87 ∈ [1])

5.2 Continuous Functions

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*

- $f : A \rightarrow B$ **continuous** (relative to the topologies on A and B) $\stackrel{def}{=} \forall V \underset{open}{\subset} B : f^{-1}(V) \underset{open}{\subset} A$. (p. 102 ∈ [1])
 So *continuity depends both on function and topologies for A and B .*
 Example (lower limit topology and identity function):
 $id : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_l$ is *not continuous*, but $id : \mathbb{R}_l \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is *continuous*.
- $f : A \rightarrow B$ **continuous at $a \in A$** $\stackrel{def}{=} \forall V$ neighborhood of $f(a) : \exists U$ neighborhood of $a : f(U) \subset V$ (p. 104 ∈ [1])
- If *topology of B is given by the topology BASIS \mathcal{B}* , then:
 $(\forall B_i \in \mathcal{B} : f^{-1}(B_i) \underset{open}{\subset} A) \Rightarrow f : A \rightarrow B$ *continuous* (p. 103 ∈ [1])
 Proving: Any open set V (a union of basis elements): $V = \cup_{\alpha \in J} B_\alpha$. So $f^{-1}(V) = \cup_{\alpha \in J} (f^{-1}(B_\alpha))$
- If *topology of B is given by the topology SUBBASIS \mathcal{S}* , then:
 $(\forall S_i \in \mathcal{S} : f^{-1}(S_i) \underset{open}{\subset} A) \Rightarrow f : A \rightarrow B$ *continuous* (p. 103 ∈ [1])
- For *top. spaces (A, \mathcal{T}) , (B, \mathcal{T}')* and $f : A \rightarrow B$, the following are *equiv.*:
 1. f *continuous* (thm. 18.1 p. 104 ∈ [1])
 2. $\forall U \subset A : f(\overline{U}) = \overline{f(U)}$ (thm. 18.1 p. 104 ∈ [1])
 3. $\forall V \underset{closed}{\subset} B : f^{-1}(V) \underset{closed}{\subset} A$ (thm. 18.1 p. 104 ∈ [1])
 4. $\forall a \in A : \forall V$ neighborhood of $f(a) : \exists U$ neighborhood of $a : f(U) \subset V$
 (thm. 18.1 . 104 ∈ [1])
- Let $f : A \rightarrow (\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha)$ be given by $f(a) = (f_\alpha(a))_{\alpha \in J}$, where $f_\alpha : A \rightarrow A_\alpha$ for each α . Let $\prod A_\alpha$ have the *product topology*. Then:
 f *continuous* $\Leftrightarrow \forall \alpha \in J : f_\alpha$ *continuous* (thm. 19.6 p. 117 ∈ [1])
 Warning: Does *not* hold for *box topology*!

5.3 Constructing Continuous Functions

Premises: $(A, \mathcal{T}), (B, \mathcal{T}'), (C, \mathcal{T}'')$ *topological spaces*

- If one of the following holds, then $f : A \rightarrow B$ is *continuous*:
 1. *Constant function*: If $f : A \rightarrow B$ maps *all* of A into a *single point* $y_0 \in B$ (thm. 18.2 p. 108 ∈ [1])
 2. *Inclusion*: If B is a *subspace* of A and the *inclusion function* $f : B \rightarrow A$ is *continuous* (thm. 18.2 p. 108 ∈ [1])
 3. *Composites*: $g : A \rightarrow C$ *continuous*, $h : C \rightarrow B$ *continuous* and $f = h \circ g$ (thm. 18.2 p. 108 ∈ [1])
 4. *Restricting the domain*: If $g : C \rightarrow B$ *continuous* and A *subspace* of C and $f = g|_A$ (thm. 18.2 p. 108 ∈ [1])
 5. *Restricting range*: If $g : A \rightarrow C$ *continuous* and B is a *subspace* of C *containing* $g(A)$ and f is g with *restricted range* (thm. 18.2 p. 108 ∈ [1])
 6. *Expanding range*: If $g : A \rightarrow C$ *continuous* and C is a *subspace* of B f is g with *expanded range* (thm. 18.2 p. 108 ∈ [1])
 7. *Local continuity*: If A *can be written* as the *union of open sets* U_α , such that $\forall \alpha : f|_{U_\alpha}$ is *continuous* (thm. 18.2 p. 108 ∈ [1])
 8. *Pasting lemma*: Let $A = S \cup T$ and $S \cap T \neq \emptyset$, for $S \overset{C}{\subset} A, T \overset{C}{\subset} A$ (or $S \overset{C}{\subset}_{open} A, T \overset{C}{\subset}_{open} A$). If $g : S \rightarrow B$ *continuous*, $h : T \rightarrow B$ *continuous* and $\forall x \in S \cup T : g(x) = h(x)$ and $f(x) = \begin{cases} g(x), & x \in S \\ h(x), & x \in T \end{cases}$ (thm. 18.3 p.108 ∈ [1])
- Let $f : A \rightarrow B \times C$ be given by $f(a) = (f_1(a), f_2(a))$, then f *continuous* $\Leftrightarrow f_1, f_2$ *continuous* (thm. 18.4 p. 110 ∈ [1])

5.4 Homeomorphisms

Premises: $(A, \mathcal{T}), (B, \mathcal{T}')$ *topological spaces*

- $f : A \rightarrow B$ *homeomorphism* $\stackrel{def}{=} f$ *bijective* and f and f^{-1} *both continuous* (p. 105 ∈ [1])
- $f : A \rightarrow B$ *homeomorphism* $\equiv f$ *bijective*, $f(U) \overset{C}{\subset}_{open} B \Leftrightarrow U \overset{C}{\subset}_{open} A$ (p. 105 ∈ [1])
- *Homeomorphisms preserve topological properties* (p. 105 ∈ [1])
(*Homeomorphisms* is the *topology's equivalent* of *isomorphisms* in algebra)
- $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a *topological imbedding* $\stackrel{def}{=} f : A \rightarrow B$ *injective, continuous* and $f : A \rightarrow C$ *homeomorphism*, where $C = f(A)$ is considered a *subspace* of B (p. 105 ∈ [1])
- Example: *Order preserving* and *bijective* \Rightarrow *homeomorphic* in the *order topology* (p. 106 ∈ [1])

6 Metric Topology

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*, (M, d) *metric space*, d *metric of M*

- **Basis for the metric topology** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 Basis \mathcal{B} = all *open spheres* $K_d(x, r)$ for $x \in A, r > 0$, where
 $K_d(x, r) = \{y \mid d(x, y) < r\}$ (p. 119 ∈ [1])
 From this we can get the usual definition of "open" using open spheres.
 Proving: Use sphere lemma
- For *topological space* A , A is **metrizable** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 There *exists* a *metric* d on A that *induces* the *topology* of A .
 A **metric space** is a *metrizable space* A together with a *specific metric* d
 that gives the *topology* of A . (p. 120 ∈ [1])
- A set $U \subset M$ is **bounded** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $\exists m \in \mathbb{R} : \forall x_1, x_2 \in U : d(x_1, x_2) < m$. (p. 121 ∈ [1])
 Boundedness is *not* a *topological property*, since it depends on d .
- For $U \subset M$, U *bounded* and $U \neq \emptyset$, the *diameter* of U $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $\text{diam } U = \sup\{d(x_1, x_2) \mid x_1, x_2 \in U\}$ (p. 121 ∈ [1])
- **Standard bounded metric** $\bar{d} : M \times M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ *corresponding to* d $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $\bar{d}(x, y) = \min\{d(x, y), 1\}$.
 \bar{d} is a *metric* that *induces* the *same topology* as d . (thm. 20.1 p. 121 ∈ [1])
- **Misc. definitions** for $\vec{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n$: (p. 121 ∈ [1])
 - **The norm** of \vec{x} : $\|\vec{x}\| = \sqrt{x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2}$
 - **The euclidean metric** d on \mathbb{R}^n : $d(\vec{x}, \vec{y}) = \|\vec{x} - \vec{y}\| = \sqrt{(x_1 - y_1)^2 + \dots + (x_n - y_n)^2}$
 - **The square metric** ρ on \mathbb{R}^n : $\rho(\vec{x}, \vec{y}) = \max\{|x_1 - y_1|, \dots, |x_n - y_n|\}$
- Let d and d' be *two metrics* on A , and let \mathcal{T} and \mathcal{T}' be the *topologies* they *induce*.
 \mathcal{T}' *finer than* \mathcal{T} (i.e. $\mathcal{T} \subset \mathcal{T}'$) \Leftrightarrow
 $\forall x \in A : \forall \epsilon > 0 : \exists \delta > 0 : K_{d'}(x, \delta) \subset K_d(x, \epsilon)$ (lemma 20.2 p. 122 ∈ [1])
- The *topologies* on \mathbb{R}^n *induced* by the *euclidean metric* d and the *square metric* ρ are the *same* as the *product topology* on \mathbb{R}^n . (thm. 20.3 p. 123 ∈ [1])
- In \mathbb{R}^ω , $d(\vec{x}, \vec{y}) = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (x_i - y_i)^2}$ and $\rho(\vec{x}, \vec{y}) = \sup\{|x_n - y_n|\}$ does *not always converge*, and does thus *not always* define a *metric* of \mathbb{R}^ω . (p. 124 ∈ [1])
- **The uniform metric** $\bar{\rho}$ on \mathbb{R}^J for *arbitrary index set* J $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $\bar{\rho}(\vec{x}, \vec{y}) = \sup\{\bar{d}(x_\alpha, y_\alpha) \mid \alpha \in J\}$, where \bar{d} is *standard bounded metric* on \mathbb{R}^J and $\vec{x} = (x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J}$, $\vec{y} = (y_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J}$. (p. 124 ∈ [1])
- **The uniform topology** on \mathbb{R}^J for *arbitrary index set* J $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 The *topology induced* by the *uniform metric* on \mathbb{R}^J . (p. 124 ∈ [1])
- We define $D(\vec{x}, \vec{y}) = \sup\{\frac{\bar{d}(x_i, y_i)}{i}\}$ on \mathbb{R}^ω for $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^\omega$,
 where \bar{d} is the *standard bounded metric*.
 D *induces* the *product topology* on \mathbb{R}^ω (thm. 20.5 p. 125 ∈ [1])

- *Metrics vs. topologies:* (p. 129 ∈ [1])
 - $B \stackrel{\subset}{\text{subspace}} A$, d is a *metric* for the *topology* on $A \Rightarrow d|_{B \times B}$ is a *metric* for the *topology* on B
 - *Some order topologies* are *metrizable* (e.g. \mathbb{Z}_+, \mathbb{R}) and *others are not*
 - *Hausdorff axiom* holds for every *metric topology*
 - *Countable products* of *metrizable spaces* are *metrizable*
- Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ and A, B be *metrizable topological spaces* with *metrics* d_A, d_B respectively, then: f *continuous* $\Leftrightarrow \forall x \in A : \forall \epsilon > 0 : \exists \delta > 0 : (d_A(x, y) < \delta) \Rightarrow (d_B(f(x), f(y)) < \epsilon)$ (thm. 21.1 p. 129 ∈ [1])
- Let $U \subset A$. There is a *sequence of points* of U converging to $x \Rightarrow x \in \overline{U}$. The *converse* hold if A is *metrizable* (or just satisfies the *first countability axiom*). Called the *sequence lemma*. (lemma 21.2 p. 130 ∈ [1])
- Let $f : A \rightarrow B$. If f is *continuous*, then for *every convergent sequence* $x_n \rightarrow x$, $f(x_n)$ *converges* to $f(x)$. The *converse* hold if A is *metrizable* (or just satisfies the *first countability axiom*). (lemma 21.3 p. 130 ∈ [1])
- The *topological space* A has a *countable basis* at $x \in A \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{There exists a countable collection of neighborhoods of } x, \text{ such that any neighborhood } U \text{ of } x \text{ contains at least one of the } U_n.$ (p. 130 ∈ [1])
- The *topological space* A satisfies the *first countability axiom* $\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \forall x \in A : x \text{ has a countable basis}$ (p. 131 ∈ [1])
- Let U be a *set* and $f_n : U \rightarrow M$ a *sequence of functions*, then: f_n **converges uniformly to** $f : U \rightarrow M \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \forall \epsilon > 0 : \exists N \in \mathbb{N} : \forall n > N : \forall x \in U : d(f_n(x), f(x)) < \epsilon$ (p. 131 ∈ [1])
- *Uniform limit theorem:* Let U be a *set* and $f_n : U \rightarrow M$ a *sequence of continuous functions*. If (f_n) *converges uniformly* to f , then f is *continuous* (thm. 21.6 p. 132 ∈ [1])
- In the space \mathbb{R}^X of *functions* $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ with the *uniform metric* $\bar{\rho}$: A *sequence* (f_n) *converges uniformly* to $f \Leftrightarrow f_n$ *converges* to f w.r.t. $\bar{\rho}$. (p. 132 ∈ [1])

6.1 Well-Known Facts

- The *discrete topology* is *induced* as a *metric topology* by the *discrete metric*.
(ex. 1 p. 120 ∈ [1])
- The *order topology* on \mathbb{R} is *induced* as a *metric topology* by the *standard metric* on $\mathbb{R} : d(x, y) = |x - y|$. (ex. 2 p. 120 ∈ [1])
- *Non-metrizable spaces*:
 - \mathbb{R}^J , where J is *uncountable* with *product topology*, *box topology* or *uniform topology* (p. 125 ∈ [1])
 - \mathbb{R}^J , where J is *countable* with *box topology* or *uniform topology* (p. 125 ∈ [1])
- *Continuous functions*, where f, g are *continuous*:
 - $(f + g), (f - g)$ and $(f \cdot g)$ are *continuous*
 - If $\forall x : g(x) \neq 0$, then (f/g) is *continuous*
 - On $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} : +, -, \cdot$ *operations* (lemma 21.4 p. 131 ∈ [1])
 - On $\mathbb{R} \times (\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}) : /$, the *divide operation* (lemma 21.4 p. 131 ∈ [1])

7 Quotient Topology

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*

- Let $p : A \rightarrow B$ be *surjective*.
 p is a **quotient map** / has **strong continuity** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $\forall U \subset B : (U \text{ open} \Leftrightarrow p^{-1}(U) \text{ open}) \equiv$
 $\forall U \subset B : (U \text{ closed} \Leftrightarrow p^{-1}(U) \text{ closed})$ (p. 137 ∈ [1])
- $U \subset A$ is a **saturated subset** of A w.r.t. *surjective map* $p : A \rightarrow B \stackrel{def}{=}$
 $\forall y \in A : (p^{-1}(\{y\}) \text{ intersects } U \Rightarrow p^{-1}(\{y\}) \subset U)$ (p. 137 ∈ [1])
 Thus U is *saturated* if it equals the *complete inverse image* of a *subset* of B .
- Let $p : A \rightarrow B$ be *surjective*. $p : A \rightarrow B$ is a **quotient map** \equiv (p. 137 ∈ [1])
 p *continuous* and maps *saturated open sets* of A into *open sets* of $B \equiv$
 p *continuous* and maps *saturated closed sets* of A into *closed sets* of B
- **Open quotient map** $p : A \rightarrow B \stackrel{def}{=} \equiv$ (p. 137 ∈ [1])
 p *quotient map* and p *open map* (I.e.: $\forall U \stackrel{C}{\text{open}} A : p(U) \text{ open in } B$)
- **Closed quotient map** $p : A \rightarrow B \stackrel{def}{=} \equiv$ (p. 137 ∈ [1])
 p *quotient map* and p *closed map* (I.e.: $\forall U \stackrel{C}{\text{closed}} A : p(U) \text{ closed in } B$)
- $p : A \rightarrow B$ *continuous, surjective* and *either open or closed* \Rightarrow
 p *quotient map*. (p. 137 ∈ [1])
 There exists quotient maps that are *neither open nor closed*.
- Let X be a *set* and $p : A \rightarrow X$ a *surjective map*.
The quotient topology \mathcal{T} (which is *unique!*) **on** X **induced by** $p \stackrel{def}{=}$
 The *topology* \mathcal{T} on X relative to which p is a *quotient map*. (p. 138 ∈ [1])
 \mathcal{T} is *defined* as the *subsets* U of X , such that $p^{-1}(U)$ are *open* in A .
- Let A^* be a *partition* of A into *disjoint subsets* whose union is A .
 Let $p : A \rightarrow A^*$ be the *surjective map* that *carries each point* of A to the *element* of A^* that *contains* it. In the *quotient topology induced* by p , A^* is called the **quotient space of** A . (p. 179 ∈ [1])
 Often called an **identification space of** A or a **decomposition space of** A .

7.1 Quotient maps vs. quotient space

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*

- Warning: If $p : A \rightarrow B$ is a *quotient map* and $C \stackrel{\subset}{\text{subspace}} A$, then $q : C \rightarrow p(C)$ obtained by *restricting* p need not be a *quotient map*! (p. 140 ∈ [1])
- Let $p : A \rightarrow B$ be a *quotient map* and $C \stackrel{\subset}{\text{subspace}} A$, where C is *saturated* w.r.t. p . Let $q : C \rightarrow p(C)$ be p restricted to C , then q is a *quotient map* if one of the following holds:
 1. If C is either *open* or *closed*. (thm. 22.1 p. 140 ∈ [1])
 2. If p is either an *open map* or a *closed map*. (thm. 22.1 p. 140 ∈ [1])
- p, q *quotient maps* $\Rightarrow p \circ q$ *quotient map* (p. 141 ∈ [1])
- If p, q are *quotient maps*, then (p, q) is a *quotient map* if one of the following holds (but not in general!):
 1. If the *spaces* have *local compactness* (p. 141 ∈ [1])
 2. If p and q are *open maps* (p. 141 ∈ [1])
- If A is a *Hausdorff space*, then:
 1. If each element of A^* is a *closed subset* of A , then the *quotient space* A^* satisfies the T_1 -*axiom* (p. 141 ∈ [1])
 2. For A^* to be *Hausdorff*, it's *harder* to find conditions (p. 141 ∈ [1])
- Let A, B, C be *topological spaces* and $p : A \rightarrow B$ be a *quotient map*. Let $g : A \rightarrow C$ be a map which is *constant* on each set $p^{-1}(\{b\})$, for $b \in B$. Then g induces the map $f : B \rightarrow C$, such that $f \circ p = g$, and we have:
 1. f *continuous* $\Leftrightarrow g$ *continuous* (thm. 22.2 p. 142 ∈ [1])
 2. f *quotient* $\Leftrightarrow g$ *quotient* (thm. 22.2 p. 142 ∈ [1])
- Let $g : A \rightarrow B$ be a *surjective continuous map*. Let A^* be the following *collection* of subsets of A : $A^* = \{g^{-1}(\{b\}) \mid b \in B\}$. Give A^* the *quotient topology*, then we have:
 1. g induces a *bijective continuous map* $f : A^* \rightarrow B$, which is a *homeomorphism* if and only if g is a *quotient map*. (cor. 22.3 p. 142 ∈ [1])
 2. B *Hausdorff* $\Rightarrow A^*$ *Hausdorff* (cor. 22.3 p. 142 ∈ [1])
- Warning: The *product* of 2 *quotient maps* need not be a *quotient map* (ex. 7 p. 143 ∈ [1])
- A **retraction** of A into U , where $U \subset A \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} a$ a *continuous map* $r : A \rightarrow U$, where $\forall a \in U : r(a) = a$ (exc. 22;2 p. 144 ∈ [1])
- f is a *retraction* $\Rightarrow f$ is a *quotient map* (exc. 22;2 p. 144 ∈ [1])

8 Connectedness and Compactness

8.1 Fundamental Calculus Theorems depending on Compactness and Connectedness

- *Intermediate value theorem:* If $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ *continuous* and $r \in \mathbb{R}$ and $f(a) < r < f(b)$, then $\exists c \in [a, b] : f(c) = r$.
Depends on the *connectedness* of $[a, b]$. (p. 147 ∈ [1])
- *Maximum value theorem:* If $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ *continuous*, then $\exists c \in [a, b] : \forall x \in [a, b] : f(x) \leq f(c)$.
Depends on the *compactness* of $[a, b]$. (p. 147 ∈ [1])
- *Uniform continuity theorem:* If $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ *continuous*, then $\forall \epsilon > 0 : \exists \delta > 0 : \forall x_1, x_2 \in [a, b] : |x_1 - x_2| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x_1) - f(x_2)| < \epsilon$.
Depends on the *compactness* of $[a, b]$. (p. 147 ∈ [1])

8.2 Connected Spaces

Premises: A, B, C *topological spaces*

- **A separation of A** $\stackrel{def}{=} U, V \overset{\subset}{\underset{open}{\subset}} A$, where $U, V \neq \emptyset$ and $U \cap V = \emptyset$ and $U \cup V = A$. (p. 148 ∈ [1])
- A is **connected** $\stackrel{def}{=} \text{there does not exist any separation of } A$. (p. 148 ∈ [1])
- A is **connected** \Leftrightarrow the *only subsets* of A that are *both open and closed* are \emptyset and A . (p. 148 ∈ [1])
- For $B \overset{\subset}{\underset{subspace}{\subset}} A$, a **separation of B** $\stackrel{def}{=} U, V \overset{\subset}{\underset{subset}{\subset}} B$, where U, V *nonempty and disjoint* and $U \cup V = B$ and *neither U nor V contains a limit point of the other set*. (thm. 23.1 p. 148 ∈ [1])
- For $B \overset{\subset}{\underset{subspace}{\subset}} A$, B is **connected** $\stackrel{def}{=} \text{there does not exist any separation of } B$. (thm 23.1 p. 148 ∈ [1])
- Examples of *separations*:
 1. $] - 1, 0[\cup] 0, 1[$ as a *subspace* of \mathbb{R} . (ex. 2 p. 149 ∈ [1])
 2. Any *subspace* of \mathbb{Q} bigger than a *one-element set*. (ex. 4 p. 149 ∈ [1])
- Examples of *connected spaces*:
 1. A *2-point set* with *indiscrete topology* (ex. 1. p. 149 ∈ [1])
 2. $[-1, 1]$ (ex. 3. p. 149 ∈ [1])
- If U, V form a *separation* of A and B is a *connected subspace* of A , then: B lies *entirely within either U or V* (lemma 23.2 p. 149 ∈ [1])
- A *collection A_α of connected subspaces* of A with a *point in common* $\Rightarrow \bigcup A_\alpha$ is *connected* (thm. 23.3 p. 159 ∈ [1])
- Let B be a *connected subspace* of A . If $B \subset C \subset \overline{B}$, then C is *also connected*. (thm. 23.4 p. 150 ∈ [1])
I.e. if C is formed by *adding some or all of B 's limit points* to B , then C is *connected*.
- The *image* of a *connected space* under *continuous map* is *connected*. (thm. 23.5 p. 150 ∈ [1])
- *Finite cartesian products of connected spaces* are *connected*. (thm. 23.6 p. 150 ∈ [1])
E.g.: 1) \mathbb{R}^ω is *not connected* in the *box topology*. (ex. 6 p. 151 ∈ [1])
2) \mathbb{R}^ω is *connected* in the *product topology*. (ex. 7 p. 151 ∈ [1])
- For an *arbitrarily indexed family* $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in J}$ of *connected spaces*, the *product space* $\prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha$ is *connected*. (exc. 23;10 p. 152 ∈ [1])
- A *space A* is **totally disconnected** $\stackrel{def}{=} \text{the only connected subspaces are one-point sets}$. (exc. 23;5 p. 152 ∈ [1])

8.3 Connected Subspaces of the Real Line

- **A linear continuum** $L \stackrel{def}{=} \langle p. 153 \in [1] \rangle$
a set L with the ordering properties of \mathbb{R} . I.e.:
 1. L is simply ordered
 2. L has more than one element
 3. L has the least upper bound property
 4. $\forall x, y \in L : x < y \Rightarrow \exists z \in L : x < z < y$
- If L is a linear continuum in the order topology, then L is connected and so are rays and intervals in L . $\langle thm. 24.1 p. 153 \in [1] \rangle$
- For $B \stackrel{\subset}{subspace} A$, B is a **convex subspace of A** $\stackrel{def}{=} \forall a, b \in B, a < b : [a, b] \subset B$. $\langle p. 153 \in [1] \rangle$
- \mathbb{R} is connected and so are intervals and rays in \mathbb{R} . $\langle cor. 24.2 p. 154 \in [1] \rangle$
- **Intermediate value theorem:** Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a continuous map, where A is connected and B is an ordered set in the order topology. If $a, b \in A, r \in B$ and $f(a) < r < f(b)$, then $\exists c \in A : f(c) = r$. $\langle thm. 24.3 p. 154 \in [1] \rangle$
- Examples of linear continua: $\langle ex. 1, 2 p. 155 \in [1] \rangle$
 1. The ordered square is a linear continuum.
 2. If A is a well-ordered set, then: $A \times [0, 1[$ is a linear continuum.
- **A path in A from $x \in A$ to $y \in A$** $\stackrel{def}{=} \text{a continuous map } f : [a, b] \rightarrow A$, where $a, b \in \mathbb{R}, [a, b] \subset \mathbb{R}, f(a) = x, f(b) = y$. $\langle p. 155 \in [1] \rangle$
- **A space A is path connected** $\stackrel{def}{=} \forall a, b \in A : \text{there exists a path in } A \text{ from } a \text{ to } b$. $\langle p. 155 \in [1] \rangle$
- A space A is path connected $\Rightarrow A$ is connected (but the converse does not hold in general). $\langle p. 155 \in [1] \rangle$
- The image of a path connected space under a continuous map is path connected. $\langle ex. 5 p. 156 \in [1] \rangle$
- Examples of path connected spaces:
 1. Open and closed balls in \mathbb{R}^n are path connected. $\langle ex. 3 p. 156 \in [1] \rangle$
 2. The punctured euclidean plane $\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{\vec{0}\}$ is path connected for $n > 1$. $\langle ex. p. 156 \in [1] \rangle$
 3. The unit sphere surface S^{n-1} in \mathbb{R}^n defined by $S^{n-1} = \{\vec{x} \mid \|\vec{x}\| = 1\}$ for $n > 1$ is path connected. $\langle ex. 5 p. 156 \in [1] \rangle$
- Examples of non-path connected spaces:
 1. The ordered square I_o^2 is connected but not path connected. $\langle ex. 6 p. 156 \in [1] \rangle$
 2. The closure \bar{S} of the Topologist's Sine Curve $S = \{(x, \sin(1/x)) \mid 0 < x \leq 1\}$ is connected but not path connected. $\langle ex. 7 p. 156-157 \in [1] \rangle$

8.4 Components and Local Connectedness

- The **components** / **connected components** of a top. space $A \stackrel{def}{=} \underline{\underline{\quad}}$ the equivalence classes of the equivalence relation \sim where $x \sim y$ means that there exists a connected subspace of A containing x and y . (p. 159 ∈ [1])
- The **components** of a topological space $A \equiv$ **connected disjoint subspaces** of A whose **union** is A , such that **each non-empty connected subspace** of A **intersects only one** of them. (thm. 25.1 p. 159 ∈ [1])
- The **path components** of a topological space $A \stackrel{def}{=} \underline{\underline{\quad}}$ the equivalence classes of the equivalence relation \sim where $x \sim y$ means that there exists a **path** in A from x to y . (p. 160 ∈ [1])
- The **path components** of a topological space $A \equiv$ **path connected disjoint subspaces** of A whose **union** is A , such that **each non-empty path connected subspace** of A **intersects only one** of them. (thm. 25.2 p. 160 ∈ [1])
- Each **component** is **closed** in a topological space A . (p. 160 ∈ [1])
- If a topological space A only has **finitely many components**, then **each component** is **open** in A . (p. 160 ∈ [1])
- Warning: **Path components** need **neither be open nor closed**. (p. 160 ∈ [1])
- A topological space A is **locally connected at** $x \in A \stackrel{def}{=} \underline{\underline{\quad}}$ for every neighborhood U of x , there is a **connected neighborhood** V of x , where $V \subset U$. (p. 161 ∈ [1])
- A topological space is **locally connected** $\stackrel{def}{=} \underline{\underline{\quad}}$ $\forall x \in A : A$ is **locally connected at** x . (p. 161 ∈ [1])
- A topological space A is **locally path connected at** $x \in A \stackrel{def}{=} \underline{\underline{\quad}}$ for every neighborhood U of x , there is a **path connected neighborhood** V of x , where $V \subset U$. (p. 161 ∈ [1])
- A topological space is **locally path connected** $\stackrel{def}{=} \underline{\underline{\quad}}$ $\forall x \in A : A$ is **locally path connected at** x . (p. 161 ∈ [1])
- A topological space A is **locally connected** \Leftrightarrow (thm. 25.3 p. 161 ∈ [1]) for every open set U of A , each **component** of U is **open** in A .
- A topological space A is **locally path connected** \Leftrightarrow (thm. 25.4 p. 161 ∈ [1]) for every open set U of A , each **path component** of U is **open** in A .
- For topological space A :
Each **path component** of A **lies in a component** of A . (thm. 25.5 p. 161 ∈ [1])
- For topological space A : If A is **locally path connected**, then the **components** and the **path components** of A are the **same**. (thm. 25.5 p. 161 ∈ [1])

9 Compact Spaces

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*

- A *collection \mathcal{A} of subsets of A covers A / is a covering of A* $\stackrel{def}{=}$ the union of the elements of \mathcal{A} is equal to A (i.e. $\cup \mathcal{A} = A$). (p. 164 \in [1])
- A *collection \mathcal{A} of subsets of A is an open covering of A* $\stackrel{def}{=}$ A covers A and $\forall A_i \in \mathcal{A} : A_i \stackrel{C}{\underset{open}{\subset}} A$. (p. 164 \in [1])
- A is *compact* $\stackrel{def}{=}$ (p. 164 \in [1]) every open covering \mathcal{A} of A has a finite subcollection that also covers A .
- For $B \stackrel{C}{\underset{subspace}{\subset}} A$: A *collection \mathcal{A} of subsets of A covers B* $\stackrel{def}{=}$ $B \subset \cup \mathcal{A}$. (p. 164 \in [1])
- For $B \stackrel{C}{\underset{subspace}{\subset}} A$: B is *compact* \Leftrightarrow every covering of B by sets open in A has a *finite subcollection covering B* . (lemma 26.1 p. 164 \in [1])
- For $B \stackrel{C}{\underset{subspace}{\subset}} A$: If A *compact* and $B \stackrel{C}{\underset{closed\ subspace}{\subset}} A$, then B *compact*. (thm. 26.2 p. 165 \in [1])
- For $B \stackrel{C}{\underset{subspace}{\subset}} A$: If A *Hausdorff* and B *compact*, then B *closed*. (thm. 26.3 p. 165 \in [1])
- For $B \stackrel{C}{\underset{subspace}{\subset}} A$: If A *Hausdorff* and B *compact* and $x_0 \notin B$, then there *exist disjoint open sets U and V of A containing x_0 and B respectively*. (lemma 26.4 p. 166 \in [1])

9.1 Compact Spaces as Tables

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*, \mathcal{A} is a *collection of subsets of A*.

A	B	property		equivalent
		\mathcal{A} covers A a.k.a. \mathcal{A} is a <i>covering</i> of A	$\stackrel{def}{=}$	$\cup \mathcal{A} = A$ (p. 164 ∈ [1])
		\mathcal{A} is a <i>open covering</i> of A	$\stackrel{def}{=}$	\mathcal{A} covers A and all elements in \mathcal{A} are open (p. 164 ∈ [1])
	$B \overset{\subset}{\text{subspace}} A$	\mathcal{A} covers B	$\stackrel{def}{=}$	$B \subset \cup \mathcal{A}$ (p. 164 ∈ [1])
		A <i>compact</i>	$\stackrel{def}{=}$	every open covering \mathcal{A} of A has a <i>finite subcollection</i> that also covers A (p. 164 ∈ [1])
<i>compact</i>	$B \overset{\subset}{\text{subspace}} A$		\Leftrightarrow	every covering of B by sets open in A has a <i>finite subcollection covering B</i> (lemma 26.1 p. 164 ∈ [1])

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*, $B \overset{\subset}{\text{subspace}} A$.

B	$\overset{\subset}{\text{subspace}}$	A	Misc.	\Rightarrow
	$\overset{\subset}{\text{closed subspace}}$	<i>compact</i>		B <i>compact</i> (thm. 26.2 p. 165 ∈ [1])
<i>compact</i>		<i>Hausdorff</i>		B <i>closed</i> (thm. 26.3 p. 165 ∈ [1])
<i>compact</i>		<i>Hausdorff</i>	$x_0 \notin B$	there exist disjoint open sets U and V of A containing x_0 and B respectively (thm. 26.4 p. 165 ∈ [1])

9.2 Compact Spaces Continued

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*

- If A *compact* and f *continuous*, then $f(A)$ *compact*. (thm. 26.5 p. 166 ∈ [1])
- If A *compact*, B *Hausdorff* and $f : A \rightarrow B$ *bijective* and *continuous*, then f *homeomorphism*. (thm. 26.6 p. 167 ∈ [1])
- *Tychonoff theorem*:
For $\{A_i\}_{i \in J}$ for *arbitrary* index set J , where $\forall i \in J : A_i$ *compact*:
 $\prod_{i \in J} A_i$ *compact*. (thm. 26.7 p. 167, thm. 37.3 p. 224 ∈ [1])
- The *tube lemma*: For *product space* $A \times B$, where B *compact*:
If $N \stackrel{c}{\subset} A \times B$, where $x_0 \in A$ and the *slice* $x_0 \times B \subset N$, then N *contains some tube* $W \times B$ about $x_0 \times B$,
where W is a *neighborhood* of x_0 in A . (lemma 26.8 p. 168 ∈ [1])
- *Warning*: The *tube lemma* does *not hold* if B is *not compact*!
Example: B the y -axis of \mathbb{R}^2 and $N = \{(x, y) \mid |x| < \frac{1}{y^2+1}\}$ and $x_0 = 0$.
Then N is *open*, $0 \times \mathbb{R} \subset N$, but N does *not contain any tube* about $0 \times \mathbb{R}$.
(ex. 7 p. 168 ∈ [1])
- The *collection* \mathcal{C} of *subsets* of the *topological space* A has
the *finite intersection property* $\stackrel{def}{=} (p. 169 \in [1])$
for *every finite subcollection* $\{C_1, \dots, C_n\}$ of \mathcal{C} : $(C_1 \cap \dots \cap C_n) \neq \emptyset$.
- For *topological space* A : A *compact* \Leftrightarrow
for *every subcollection* \mathcal{C} of *closed sets* in A having the *finite intersection property*: $\bigcap_{C \in \mathcal{C}} C \neq \emptyset$ (i.e. the *intersection* of *all* $C \in \mathcal{C}$ is *non-empty*).
(thm. 26.9 p. 169 ∈ [1])
- For *compact topological space* A :
A *nested sequence* $C_1 \supset C_2 \supset \dots \supset C_n \supset C_{n+1} \supset \dots$ of *closed sets* in A ,
where each $C_n \neq \emptyset$ automatically has the *finite intersection property*,
so $\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{Z}_+} C_n \neq \emptyset$. (p. 170 ∈ [1])

9.3 Basic Metric Stuff (Distance and Diameter)

- For (M, d) *metric space*, $C \subset M$, $C \neq \emptyset$:
For each $x \in M$, **the *distance from* x to A** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $d(x, A) = \inf\{d(x, a) \mid a \in A\}$.
(p. 175 ∈ [1])
- $d(x, A)$ is a *continuous function* of x . (p. 175 ∈ [1])
- For (M, d) *metric space*:
The *diameter* $diam(C)$ of a *bounded subset* C of M $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $diam(C) = \sup\{d(x_1, x_2) \mid x_1, x_2 \in C\}$.
(p. 175 ∈ [1])

9.4 Compact Subspaces of the Real Line

- For *simply ordered set* A having the *least upper bound property*:
In the *order topology*, each *closed interval* in A is *compact*.
(thm. 27.1 p. 127 ∈ [1])
- *Every closed interval* in \mathbb{R} is *compact*. (cor. 27.2 p. 173 ∈ [1])
- For $A \stackrel{C}{\text{subspace}} \mathbb{R}^2$: A *compact* \Leftrightarrow
 A *closed and bounded* in the *euclidean metric* d or the *square metric* ρ .
(thm. 27.3 p. 173 ∈ [1])
- *Extreme Value Theorem*:
For B *ordered set* in *order topology* and $f : A \rightarrow B$ *continuous*:
If A *compact*, then there *exists points* $c, d \in A$ such that
 $\forall x \in B : f(c) \leq f(x) \leq f(d)$.
I.e.: A *compact* $\Rightarrow \exists c, d \in A : \forall x \in B : f(c) \leq f(x) \leq f(d)$.
(thm. 27.4 p. 174 ∈ [1])
- The *Lebesgue Number Lemma*:
Let \mathcal{A} be an *open covering* of the *metric space* (M, d) .
If M is *compact*, there is a $\delta > 0$ such that for *each subset* C of M having
a *diameter less than* δ , there *exists an element of* \mathcal{A} *containing* C .
I.e.: M *compact* $\Rightarrow \exists \delta > 0 : \forall C \subset M, \text{diam}(C) < \delta : \exists A \in \mathcal{A} : C \subset A$.
 δ is a *Lebesgue number* for the *covering* \mathcal{A} . (lemma 27.5 p. 175 ∈ [1])
- For *metric spaces* $(A, d_A), (B, d_B)$:
 $f : A \rightarrow B$ is **uniformly continuous** $\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \forall \epsilon > 0 : \exists \delta > 0 : \forall x_1, x_2 \in M : d_A(x_1, x_2) < \delta \Rightarrow d_B(f(x_1), f(x_2)) < \epsilon$.
(p. 176 ∈ [1])
- *Uniform continuity theorem*: For $(A, d_A), (B, d_B)$ *metric spaces*:
 $f : A \rightarrow B$ *continuous* and A *compact* $\Rightarrow f$ *uniformly continuous*.
(thm. 27.6 p. 176 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A : $x \in A$ is an **isolated point of** $A \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{x\}$ *is open* in A . (p. 176 ∈ [1])
- For *compact Hausdorff space* $A \neq \emptyset$:
If A has *no isolated points*, then A is *uncountable*. (thm. 27.7 p. 176 ∈ [1])
- \mathbb{R} is *uncountable*. (p. 176-177 ∈ [1])
- *Every closed interval* of \mathbb{R} is *uncountable*. (cor. 27.8 p. 177 ∈ [1])

9.5 Limit Point Compactness

- For *topological space* A : A is **limit point compact** a.k.a. **Fréchet compact** a.k.a. **has the Bolzano-Weierstrass property** $\stackrel{def}{=}$ every infinite subset of A has a *limit point*. (p. 178 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A : A compact \Rightarrow A *limit point compact* (but not conversely) (thm. 28.1 p. 179 ∈ [1])
- For set C , (x_n) a *sequence of points* in C :
 (x_{n_i}) is a **subsequence** of (x_n) $\stackrel{def}{=}$ $n_1 \leq n_2 \leq \dots n_i \leq \dots$ is an *increasing sequence of integers*. (p. 179 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A : A is **sequentially compact** $\stackrel{def}{=}$ every *sequence of points* of A has a *convergent subsequence*. (p. 179 ∈ [1])
- For *metrizable topological space* A , the following are equivalent:
 - A is *compact*
 - A is *limit point compact*
 - A is *sequentially compact*

(thm. 28.2 p. 179 ∈ [1])

9.6 Local Compactness

- For *topological space* A : A is **locally compact at** $x \in A \stackrel{def}{=} \text{there exists a } C \underset{\text{compact subspace}}{\subset} A$, where C contains a *neighborhood* of x .
(p. 182 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A : A is **locally compact** $\stackrel{def}{=} \forall x \in A : A$ is locally compact at x . (p. 182 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A : A compact $\Rightarrow A$ locally compact. (p. 182 ∈ [1])
- \mathbb{R}^n is *locally compact*, but \mathbb{R}^ω is *not*. (ex. 2 p. 182-183 ∈ [1])
- Every *simply ordered set* A with the *least upper bound property* is *locally compact*. (ex. 3 p. 183 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A : A is *locally compact* and *Hausdorff* \Leftrightarrow there exists a *topological space* B where:
 1. $A \underset{\text{subspace}}{\subset} B$.
 2. $B \setminus A$ consist of a *single point*.
 3. B is a *compact Hausdorff space*.

If B and B' satisfies these properties, then there is a *homeomorphism* of B with B' that *equals the identity* map on A . (thm. 29.1 p. 183 ∈ [1])
 If A is *compact*: Then B is A with a *single isolated point added*.
 If A is *not compact*: Then $B \setminus A$ is a *limit point* of A so that $\bar{A} = B$.
 (p. 184 ∈ [1])
- For *topological spaces* A, B : B is a **compactification of** $A \stackrel{def}{=} B$ is a *compact Hausdorff space* and $A \underset{\text{subspace}}{\subset} B$ and $\bar{A} = B$. (p. 185 ∈ [1])
- B is the **one-point compactification of** $A \stackrel{def}{=} B$ is a *compactification* of A and $B \setminus A$ is a *single point*. (p. 185 ∈ [1])
- The *one-point compactification* of \mathbb{R} is *homeomorphic* to a *circle*.
(ex. 4 p. 185 ∈ [1])
- The *one-point compactification* of \mathbb{R}^2 is *homeomorphic* to the *sphere* S^2 .
(ex. 4 p. 185 ∈ [1])
- **The Riemann Sphere** a.k.a. the **extended plane** $\stackrel{def}{=} \mathbb{C} \cup \{\infty\}$, when \mathbb{R}^2 is seen as \mathbb{C} . (ex. 4 p. 185 ∈ [1])
- For *Hausdorff space* A : A is *locally compact* $\Leftrightarrow \forall x \in A : \forall U$ neighborhood of $x : \exists V$ neighborhood of $x : \bar{V}$ is *compact* and $\bar{V} \subset U$. (thm. 29.2 p. 185 ∈ [1])
- For A *locally compact Hausdorff*, $B \underset{\text{subspace}}{\subset} A$:
 $B \underset{\text{open}}{\subset} A$ or $B \underset{\text{closed}}{\subset} A \Rightarrow B$ *locally compact*. (cor. 29.3 p. 185 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A :
 A is *homeomorphic* to an *open subspace* of a *compact Hausdorff space* $\Leftrightarrow A$ *locally compact Hausdorff*. (cor. 29.4 p. 185 ∈ [1])

10 Nets

- Note: Nets do for *general topological spaces* what *sequences* do for *metrizable spaces*. (p. 187 ∈ [1])
- A **directed set** $J \stackrel{def}{=} J$ is a set with partial order \preceq such that $\forall \alpha, \beta \in J : \exists \gamma \in J : \alpha \preceq \gamma$ and $\beta \preceq \gamma$. (p. 187 ∈ [1])
That \preceq is a *partial order* means that the following hold:

1. $\forall \alpha : \alpha \preceq \alpha$
2. $\alpha \preceq \beta \wedge \beta \preceq \alpha \Rightarrow \alpha = \beta$
3. $\alpha \preceq \beta \wedge \beta \preceq \gamma \Rightarrow \alpha \preceq \gamma$

However all theorems here also hold if we only require the following of \preceq :

1. $\forall \alpha : \alpha \preceq \alpha$
2. $\alpha \preceq \beta \wedge \beta \preceq \gamma \Rightarrow \alpha \preceq \gamma$

Many mathematicians use the term *directed set* in this more general case.

(exc. 29;12 p. 188 ∈ [1])

- Some *directed sets*: (exc. 29;1 p. 187 ∈ [1])
 1. Any *simply ordered set* with relation \leq .
 2. The *collection of all subsets* of a set S , *partially ordered by inclusion* (i.e.: $A \preceq B$ when $A \subset B$).
 3. The *collection \mathcal{A} of subsets* of a set S which is *closed under finite intersections, partially ordered by reverse inclusion* (i.e.: $A \preceq B$ when $A \supset B$).
 4. The *collection of all closed subsets* of a *topological space A* , *partially ordered by inclusion*.
- For *directed set* J and $K \subset J$: K is **confinal in J** $\stackrel{def}{=} \forall \alpha \in J$, there exists $\beta \in K$ such that $\alpha \preceq \beta$. (exc. 29;2 p. 187 ∈ [1])
- For *directed set* J and $K \subset J$: K is *confinal in J* \Rightarrow K *directed set*. (exc. 29;2 p. 187 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space A* : A **net in A** $\stackrel{def}{=} \text{a function } f : J \rightarrow A$ from a *directed set* J into A .
If $\alpha \in J$, we usually *denote* $f(\alpha)$ by a_α .
We *denote* the *net* f itself by $(a_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J}$ or merely (a_α) if the index is understood. (exc. 29;3 p. 187 ∈ [1])
- **The net (a_α) converges to $a \in A$** (written $a_\alpha \rightarrow a$) $\stackrel{def}{=} \text{for each neighborhood } U$ of a , there exists $\alpha \in J$ such that $\alpha \preceq \beta \Rightarrow a_\beta \in U$. (exc. 29;3 p. 187 ∈ [1])
- For *topological spaces A, B* : If $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J} \rightarrow x$ in A and $(y_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J} \rightarrow y$ in B , then $(x_\alpha \times y_\alpha) \rightarrow x \times y$ in $A \times B$. (exc. 29;4 p. 187 ∈ [1])
- For *Hausdorff space A* : A *net in A* *converges to at most one point*. (exc. 29;5 p. 187 ∈ [1])

- For *topological space* A , (Error: $S \in A$?) $S \subset A$: $x \in \overline{S} \Leftrightarrow$
there *exists a net of points* of S *converging to* x . (exc. 29;6 p. 187 ∈ [1])
- For *topological spaces* A, B , $f : A \rightarrow B$: f *continuous* \Leftrightarrow
for *every convergent net* (x_α) in A *converging to*, say x ,
the net $(f(x_\alpha))$ *converges to* $f(x)$. (exc. 29;7 p. 188 ∈ [1])
- For *net* $f : J \rightarrow A$ in *topological space* A and $f(\alpha) = x_\alpha$:
A subnet $f \circ g$ **of** (x_α) $\stackrel{def}{=}$
the *composite function* $f \circ g : K \rightarrow A$, where
 K is a *directed set* and $g : K \rightarrow J$ is a *function* such that:
 1. $i \preceq j \Rightarrow g(i) \preceq g(j)$
 2. $g(K)$ is *confinal* in J

(exc. 29;8 p. 188 ∈ [1])
- If (x_α) *converges to* x , then so does *any subnet*. (exc. 29;8 p. 188 ∈ [1])
- For a *net* $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J}$ in A :
 x is an **accumulation point of the net** (x_α) $\stackrel{def}{=}$
for *each neighborhood* U of x , the set of those α for which $x_\alpha \in U$ is
confinal in J . (exc. 29; 9 p. 188 ∈ [1])
- The *net* (x_α) has x as an *accumulation point* \Leftrightarrow
some subnet of (x_α) *converges to* x . (exc. 29;9 p. 188 ∈ [1])
- A is *compact* \Leftrightarrow *every net* in A has a *convergent subnet*. (exc. 29;10 p. 188 ∈ [1])
- For *topological group* G , $A, B \stackrel{\subset}{\subset} G$:
If $A \stackrel{\subset}{\subset} G$ *closed* and B *compact*, then $A \cdot B$ is *closed* in G . (exc. 29;11 p. 188 ∈ [1])

11 Countability and Separation Axioms

11.1 Needed Definitions for Countability

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*.

- A has a **countable basis** at $x \in A$ $\stackrel{def}{=}$
there *exists* a *countable collection* \mathcal{B} of *neighborhoods* of x such that *each neighborhood* of x *contains at least one* of the elements of \mathcal{B} . (p. 190 ∈ [1])
- $B \subset A$ is **dense** in A $\stackrel{def}{=} \overline{B} = A$. (p. 191 ∈ [1])

11.2 Countability Axioms

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*.

- A **Satisfies the first countability axiom**
a.k.a. A **is first countable** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $\forall x \in A : A$ has a *countable basis* at x . (p. 190 ∈ [1])
- A **Satisfies the second countability axiom**
a.k.a. A **is second countable** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 A has a *countable basis* for its *topology*. (p. 190 ∈ [1])
- A is a **Lindelöf space** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
Every open covering of A has a *countable subcollection covering* A .
(p. 192 ∈ [1])
- A is **isseparable** (which has nothing to do with a *separation* of A) $\stackrel{def}{=}$
There *exists* a *countable subset* of A which is *dense* in A .
(p. 192 ∈ [1])

11.3 Theorems About Countability Axioms

Premises: A, B *topological spaces*.

- Every *metrizable space* satisfies the *first countability axiom*. (p. 190 ∈ [1])
- For $B \subset A$:
If there *exist* a *sequence of points* in B *converging* to x , then $x \in \overline{B}$.
The *converse holds* if A is *first-countable*. (thm. 30.1 a) p. 190 ∈ [1])
- For $f : A \rightarrow B$: If f is *continuous*, then for *every convergent sequence* $x_n \rightarrow x$ in A , the sequence $f(x_n)$ *converges* to $f(x)$.
The *converse holds* if A is *first-countable*. (thm. 30.1 b) p. 190 ∈ [1])
- A *first countable* \Rightarrow A *second countable*. (p. 190 ∈ [1])
- A *metrizable space* is *not necessarily second countable*. (p. 190 ∈ [1])
- \mathbb{R}^ω and \mathbb{R}^n are *second countable*. (ex. 1 p. 190 ∈ [1])
- \mathbb{R}^ω with the *uniform topology* is *first countable* but *not second countable*. (p. 190 ∈ [1])
- A *subspace* of a *first countable space* is *first countable*. (thm. 30.2 p. 191 ∈ [1])
- A *subspace* of a *second countable space* is *second countable*. (thm. 30.2 p. 191 ∈ [1])
- A *countable product* of *first countable spaces* is *first countable*. (thm. 30.2 p. 191 ∈ [1])
- A *countable product* of *second countable spaces* is *second countable*. (thm. 30.2 p. 191 ∈ [1])
- A is a *second countable topological space* $\Rightarrow A$ is *Lindelöf*. (thm. 30.3 a) p. 191 ∈ [1])
- A is a *second countable topological space* $\Rightarrow A$ is *separable*. (thm. 30.3 b) p. 191 ∈ [1])
- For *metrizable space* A : A *Lindelöf* $\Leftrightarrow A$ *second countable* $\Leftrightarrow A$ *separable*. (p. 192 ∈ [1])
- \mathbb{R}_l is *first countable*, *Lindelöf* and *separable* but *not second countable*.
I.e. \mathbb{R}_l satisfies *all countability axioms except second countability*. (ex. 3 p. 192 ∈ [1])
- A *product space* of 2 *Lindelöf spaces* need *not* be *Lindelöf*. (ex. 4 p. 193 ∈ [1])
- A *subspace* of a *Lindelöf space* need *not* be *Lindelöf*. (ex. 5 p. 193 ∈ [1])
- **The Sorgenfrey plane** $\mathbb{R}_l^2 \stackrel{def}{=} \mathbb{R}_l \times \mathbb{R}_l$.
 \mathbb{R}_l^2 is *not Lindelöf*. (ex. 5 p. 193 ∈ [1])

11.4 Separation Axioms

Premises: A *topological space*.

- (T_2) A is **Hausdorff** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 $\forall x, y \in A, x \neq y$: there exist disjoint open sets containing x and y
 respectively. (p. 195 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A where *one-point sets* are closed in A :
 (T_3) A is **regular** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 for each pair consisting of a point x and a closed set B disjoint from x ,
 there exist disjoint open sets containing x and B , respectively. (p. 195 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A where *one-point sets* are closed in A :
 (T_4) A is **normal** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 for each pair B, C of disjoint closed sets in A ,
 there exist disjoint open sets containing B and C , respectively. (p. 195 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A where *one-point sets* are closed in A :
 A is *regular* \Leftrightarrow
 $\forall x \in A : \forall U$ neighborhood of x : $\exists V$ neighborhood of x : $\overline{V} \subset U$.
 (lemma 31.1a p. 196 ∈ [1])
- For *topological space* A where *one-point sets* are closed in A :
 A is *normal* \Leftrightarrow
 $\forall B \stackrel{C}{\subset} A : \forall U \stackrel{C}{\subset} A$, where $B \subset U$: $\exists V \stackrel{C}{\subset} A$, where $B \subset V$: $\overline{V} \subset U$.
 (lemma 31.1b p. 196 ∈ [1])
- A *normal* $\Rightarrow A$ *regular*. (p. 195 ∈ [1])
- A *regular* $\Rightarrow A$ *Hausdorff*. (p. 195 ∈ [1])
- A *subspace* of a *Hausdorff space* is *Hausdorff*. (thm. 31. 2a p. 196 ∈ [1])
- A *product space* of *Hausdorff spaces* is *Hausdorff*. (thm. 31. 2a p. 196 ∈ [1])
- A *subspace* of a *regular space* is *regular*. (thm. 31. 2a p. 196 ∈ [1])
- A *product space* of *regular spaces* is *regular*. (thm. 31. 2a p. 196 ∈ [1])
- Warning: *Subspaces* or *products* of *normal spaces* need *not* be *normal*.
 (p. 196 ∈ [1])
- \mathbb{R}_K is *Hausdorff* but *not regular*. (ex. 1 p. 197 ∈ [1])
- \mathbb{R}_l is *normal*. (ex. 2 p. 198 ∈ [1])
- The *Sorgenfrey plane* \mathbb{R}_l^2 is *not normal*. (ex. 3 p. 198 ∈ [1])

12 Normal Spaces

Premises: A *topological space*.

- Every *regular space* with a *countable basis* is *normal*. (thm. 32.1 p. 200 ∈ [1])
- Every *metrizable space* is *normal*. (thm. 32.2 p. 202 ∈ [1])
- Every *compact Hausdorff space* is *normal*. (thm. 32.3 p. 202 ∈ [1])
- Every *order topology* is *normal*. (thm. 32.4, ex. 39 p. 202 ∈ [1])
- If J is *uncountable*, the *product space* \mathbb{R}^J is *not normal*. (ex. 1 p. 203 ∈ [1])
- $S_\Omega \times \overline{S_\Omega}$ is *not normal* (ex. 2 p. 203 ∈ [1])
but is *completely regular*. (ex. 1 p. 212 ∈ [1])
- (T_5) A is **completely normal** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
every subspace of A is normal. (exc. 32;6 p. 205 ∈ [1])
- *The Urysohn Lemma:*
For *normal topological space* A and B, C *disjoint closed subsets of A :*
If $[a, b]$ is a *closed interval of the real line*, then
there exists a continuous map $f : A \rightarrow [a, b]$ such that
 $(\forall x \in B : f(x) = b)$ and $(\forall x \in C : f(x) = a)$. (thm. 33.1 p. 207 ∈ [1])
- The *converse of the Urysohn Lemma* is *trivial*. (p. 211 ∈ [1])
- For $B, C \subset A$:
 A and B can be **separated by a continuous function** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
there exist a continuous function $f : A \rightarrow [0, 1]$ such that
 $f(A) = \{0\}$ and $f(B) = \{1\}$. (p. 211 ∈ [1])
- $(T_{3\frac{1}{2}})$ A is **completely regular** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
one-point sets are closed in A and
for each point x_0 and each closed set C where $x_0 \notin C$, then
there exists a continuous function $f : A \rightarrow [0, 1]$ such that
 $f(x_0) = 1$ and $f(C) = \{0\}$. (p. 211 ∈ [1])
- A *normal* \Rightarrow A *completely regular*. (p. 211 ∈ [1])
- A *completely regular* \Rightarrow A *regular*. (p. 211 ∈ [1])
- *Subspaces of completely regular spaces are completely regular.*
(thm. 33.2 p. 211 ∈ [1])
- *Products of completely regular spaces are completely regular.*
(thm. 33.2 p. 211 ∈ [1])
- A is **perfectly normal** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 A is *normal* and *every closed set in A is a G_δ -set in A* . (exc. 33;6 p. 213 ∈ [1])
- *Urysohn metrization theorem:*
Every *regular space* A with a *countable basis* is *metrizable*.
(thm. 34.1 p. 215 ∈ [1])

- **Imbedding Theorem:**

For *topological space* A where *one-point sets* are *closed*:

If $\{f_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in J}$ is an *indexed family* of *continuous functions* $f_\alpha : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ *satisfying* that for *each point* $x_0 \in A$ and *each neighborhood* U of x_0 , there is an *index* α such that f_α is *positive* at x_0 and *vanishes outside* U . Then the *function* $F : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^J$ defined by $F(x) = (f_\alpha(x))_{\alpha \in J}$ is an *embedding* of A into \mathbb{R}^J .

If f_α maps into $[0, 1]$ for each α , then F *imbeds* A in $[0, 1]^J$.

(thm. 34.2 p. 217 \in [1])

$\{f_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in J}$ is said to *separate points from closed sets* in A . (p. 218 \in [1])

- A is *completely regular* \Leftrightarrow

A is *homeomorphic* to a *subspace* of $[0, 1]^J$ for *some* J .

(thm. 34.3 p. 218 \in [1])

12.1 Tietze Extension Theorem

Premises: A *normal space*, B *closed subspace* A .

- Any *continuous map* $f : B \rightarrow [a, b]$ may be *extended* to a *continuous map* $f' : A \rightarrow [a, b]$, where $[a, b]$ is a *closed interval* of \mathbb{R} .

(thm. 35.1a p. 219 \in [1])

- *Tietze extension theorem:* Any *continuous map* $f : B \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ may be *extended* to a *continuous map* $f' : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. (thm. 35.1b p. 219 \in [1])

13 Imbeddings of Manifolds

Premises: A *topological space*.

- **An m -manifold** $A \stackrel{def}{=} \overline{\text{a Hausdorff space } A \text{ with a countable basis such that each point } x \in A \text{ has a neighborhood that is homeomorphic with an open subset of } \mathbb{R}^m}$.
(p. 225 ∈ [1])
 Note: A *1-manifold* is often called a *curve* and a *2-manifold* is often called a *surface*. (p. 225 ∈ [1])
- **The support of a function** $\phi : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \stackrel{def}{=} \overline{\phi^{-1}(\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\})}$. Thus if $x \notin \text{support of } \phi$, there is *some neighborhood* of x where ϕ *vanishes*. (p. 225 ∈ [1])
- For *finite indexed open covering* $\{U_1, \dots, U_n\}$ of A :
 An *indexed family of continuous functions* $\phi_i : A \rightarrow [0, 1]$ where $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ is a **partition of unity dominated by $\{U_i\}$** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
 1. $\forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\} : (\text{support } \phi_i) \subset U_i$
 2. $\forall x \in A : \sum_{i=1}^n \phi_i(x) = 1$(p. 225 ∈ [1])
- *Existence of finite partitions of unity for normal topological space A* :
 If $\{U_1, \dots, U_n\}$ is a *finite open covering* of A , then there *exists a partition of unity dominated by $\{U_i\}$* . (thm. 36.1 p. 225 ∈ [1])
- If A is a *compact m -manifold*, then A can be *imbedded* in \mathbb{R}^N for *some positive integer N* . (thm. 36.2 p. 226 ∈ [1])
- For *set S* : If \mathcal{A} is a *collection of subsets* of S with the *finite intersection property*, then there *exists* a *collection \mathcal{D} of subsets* of S such that \mathcal{D} *contains \mathcal{A}* , and \mathcal{D} has the *finite intersection property* and *no other collection of subsets* of S that *properly contains \mathcal{D}* has this property.
 I.e.: \mathcal{D} is *maximal* w.r.t. the *finite intersection property*.
(lemma 37.1 p. 233 ∈ [1])
- For a *set S* and a *collection \mathcal{D} of subsets* of S that is *maximal* w.r.t. the *finite intersection property*:
 1. Any *finite intersection of elements* of \mathcal{D} is an *element* of \mathcal{D}
 2. If C is a *subset* of S that *intersects every element* of \mathcal{D} , then C is an *element* of \mathcal{D} .(lemma 37.2 p. 234 ∈ [1])

14 Stone-Čech Compactification

Premises: A *topological space*.

- **A compactification B of A** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
a *compact Hausdorff space* B having A as a *subspace* such that $\overline{A} = B$.
(p. 237 ∈ [1])
- **Two compactifications B_1 and B_2 of A are equivalent** $\stackrel{def}{=}$
there *exists* a *homeomorphism* $h : B_1 \rightarrow B_2$ such that $\forall x \in A : h(x) = x$.
(p. 237 ∈ [1])
- A has a compactification $B \Leftrightarrow A$ is *completely regular*. (p. 237 ∈ [1])
- For *Hausdorff space* C : If $h : A \rightarrow C$ is an *embedding* of A in C , then there *exists* a *corresponding compactification* B of A .
 B has the *property* that there *exists* an *embedding* $H : B \rightarrow C$ that *equals* h on A .
The *compactification* B is *uniquely determined* up to *equivalence*.
 B is called the **compactification induced by the imbedding h** .
(lemma 38.1 p. 237 ∈ [1])
- General note: There are *many compactifications*.
Stone-Čech is in some sense the *maximal compactification* while the *one-point compactification* is in some sense the *minimal compactification*.
(p. 237-238 ∈ [1])
- Compactification examples:
 - $[0, 1]$ is a *compactification* of $]0, 1[$,
obtained by *adding one point* to *each end* of $]0, 1[$. (ex. 2 p. 238 ∈ [1])
 - The *unit circle* S^1 is *equivalent* to
the *one-point compactification* of $]0, 1[$. (ex. 1 p. 238 ∈ [1])
 - Let $h :]0, 1[\rightarrow [-1, 1]^2$ be the map $h(x) = (x, \sin(1/x))$.
The space $Y_0 = h(]0, 1[)$ is the *Topologist's Sine Curve*.
(see (ex. 7 paragraph 24 ∈ [1])).
The *imbedding* h gives a *compactification* of $]0, 1[$
by *adding a point* and a *line segment* to $]0, 1[$. (ex. 3 p. 238 ∈ [1])
- **Compactification with extension condition:**
For *completely regular space* A :
There *exists* a *compactification* B of A having the *property* that *every bounded continuous map* $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ *extends uniquely* to a *continuous map* of B into \mathbb{R} . (thm. 38.2 p. 239 ∈ [1])
- For *completely regular space* A , $S \subset A$,
Hausdorff space C , $f : S \rightarrow C$ *continuous*:
There is *at most one* extension of f to a *continuous function* $g : \overline{S} \rightarrow C$.
(lemma 38.3 p. 240 ∈ [1])
- For *completely regular space* A , *compactification* B of A satisfying the *extension condition*, *compact Hausdorff space* C :
Given *any continuous map* $f : A \rightarrow C$, the map f *extends uniquely* to a *continuous map* $g : B \rightarrow C$. (thm. 38.4 p. 240 ∈ [1])

- For *completely regular space* A :
If B_1 and B_2 are *two compactifications* of A satisfying the *extension theorem*, then B_1 and B_2 are *equivalent*. (thm. 38.5 p. 240 ∈ [1])
- For *completely regular space* A :
The Stone-Čech compactification $\beta(A)$ of $A \stackrel{def}{=} \underline{\quad}$
the *compactification* of A satisfying the *extension condition*.
 $\beta(A)$ is *characterized* by the fact that *any continuous map* $f : A \rightarrow C$
into a *compact Hausdorff space* C *extends uniquely* to a *continuous map*
 $g : \beta(A) \rightarrow C$. (p. 241 ∈ [1])

15 Questions

- Why does $]a, +\infty[\cup B$ and $] - \infty, a[\cup B$ form a *subbasis* for the *subspace topology* on B ? (proof of thm. 16.4)

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