

Lecture 23

Chapter 9

- $\Lambda = \{x_0 \in [-P_+, P_+], Q_c^n(x_0) \in [-P_+, P_+] \text{ for all } n\}$
 $S(x_0) = (s_0, s_1, s_2, \dots)$ where $s_i = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } Q_c^i(x_0) \in I_0 \\ 1 & \text{if } Q_c^i(x_0) \in I_1 \end{cases}$
 itinerary

- $\Sigma = \{(s_0, s_1, s_2, \dots) : s_i \in \{0, 1\}\}$ sequence space

$$d[s, t] = \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{|s_i - t_i|}{2^i}$$

- $s_i = t_i$ for $i=0, 1, \dots, n \Rightarrow d[s, t] \leq \frac{1}{2^n}$
- $d[s, t] < \frac{1}{2^n} \Rightarrow s_i = t_i$ for $i=0, 1, \dots, n$

$$\sigma: \Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma \quad \sigma(s_0, s_1, s_2, \dots) = (s_1, s_2, s_3, \dots)$$

Theorem: The shift map $\sigma: \Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma$ is continuous in the metric d .
 This means that: for all $\Sigma > 0$, there exists $\delta > 0$ s.t.
 $d[s, t] < \delta \Rightarrow d[\sigma(s), \sigma(t)] < \Sigma$

Proof: consider an arbitrary $\Sigma > 0$, choose $n \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t. $\frac{1}{2^n} < \Sigma$

Then take $\delta > 0$ s.t. $\delta < \frac{1}{2^{n+1}}$

Let $s, t \in \Sigma$ with $d[s, t] < \delta < \frac{1}{2^{n+1}}$

By the proximity thm $s_i = t_i$ for $i=0, \dots, n+1$

And $\sigma(s) = (s_1, s_2, s_3, \dots, s_{n+1}, \dots)$, $\sigma(t) = (t_1, t_2, t_3, \dots, t_{n+1}, \dots)$

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so $\sigma(s)$ and $\sigma(t)$ have the same $n+1$ components $(0, \dots, n)$

By the proximity thm, $d[\sigma(s), \sigma(t)] \leq \frac{1}{2^n} < \Sigma$

we conclude that σ is continuous. ■

§ 9.3 Conjugacy

Thm: if $x \in \Lambda$ then $(S \circ Q_c)(x) = (\sigma \circ S)(x)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Lambda & \xrightarrow{Q_c} & \Lambda \\ \downarrow S & & \downarrow S \\ \Sigma & \xrightarrow{\sigma} & \Sigma \end{array}$$

Proof: Let $x \in \Lambda$ and write $S(x) = (s_0 s_1 s_2 \dots)$

This means that $Q_c^n(x) \in I_{s_n}$
 $S(Q_c(x)) = (s_1 s_2 s_3 \dots) \leftarrow$ SAME
 $Q_c(x) \in I_{s_1}, Q_c^2(x) \in I_{s_2}, \dots$

and $\sigma(S(x)) = \sigma(s_0 s_1 s_2 \dots) = (s_1 s_2 s_3 \dots)$
 So $S \circ Q_c(x) = (\sigma \circ S)(x)$

We can repeat this reasoning

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \Lambda & \xrightarrow{Q_c} & \Lambda & \xrightarrow{Q_c} & \Lambda \\ s \downarrow & & s \downarrow & & s \downarrow \\ \Sigma & \xrightarrow{\sigma} & \Sigma & \xrightarrow{\sigma} & \Sigma \end{array} \Rightarrow (S \circ Q_c^2)(x) = (\sigma^2 \circ S)(x)$$

So if x is a periodic point for Q_c with period 2, then $Q_c^2(x) = x$
 $\Rightarrow S(x) = \sigma^2(S(x))$

In general, $(S \circ Q_c^n)(x) = (\sigma^n \circ S)(x)$

- S connects orbits of x under Q_c to orbits of $S(x)$ under σ .
- orbit of x_0 under Q_c is HARD to calculate.
 $x_0, Q_c(x_0), Q_c^2(x_0), \dots, Q_c^n(x_0)$
- orbit of $S(x_0)$ under σ is EASY to calculate
 $S(x_0), \sigma(S(x_0)), \sigma^2(S(x_0)), \dots, \sigma^n(S(x_0))$

Q: How does S work?

Theorem: let $c \leq -\frac{5+\sqrt{5}}{4}$. The map $S: \Lambda \rightarrow \Sigma$ is a homeomorphism

- ① S is 1-1
- ② S is onto
- ③ S is continuous
- ④ S^{-1} is continuous