# THE PATCH FRAME AND ITS RELATIONS WITH SEPARATION IN POINT-FREE TOPOLOGY

ABSTRACT.

## 1. Introduction

Aquí va la introducción.

#### 2. Preliminaries

## 3. Hausdorff properties implies patch triviality

Gadgets:

A the base frame

Its point space S = pt(A).

NA is the assembly of nucleus of A.

The compact saturated sets of S,

Q(S).

The preframe of open filters of A,

 $A^{\wedge}$ .

The preframe of open filters of  $\Omega(S)$ .

$$\Omega(S)^{\wedge}$$
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The set of compact quotients

$$KA = \{j \in NA \mid A_j \text{ is compact}\}.$$

First we recall that every open filter  $F \in A^{\wedge}$  has three faces, that is, determines (and its determine) by :

- The compact saturated  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}S$ .
- $\nabla \in \Omega(S)^{\wedge}$ .
- The compact quotient  $A \to A_F$ .
- The fitted nucleus  $v_F$ .

Hoffman-Mislove can be rephrase:

There is a bijection between compact quotients of A and compact saturated sets of S

Also, if  $j^* \colon A \to B$  is a monotone morphism and  $F \subseteq A$ ,  $G \subseteq B$  filters in A, B, respectively, we can produce new filters as follows

(1) 
$$b \in j^*F \Leftrightarrow j_*(b) \in F$$
 and  $a \in j_*G \Leftrightarrow j^*(a) \in G$ 

where  $a \in A, b \in B$  and  $j_*$  is the right adjoint of  $j^*$ . Here  $j^*F \subseteq B$  and  $j_*G \subseteq A$  are filters on B and A, respectively.

**Proposition 3.1.** For  $j = j^* \colon A \to B$  a monotone morphism and  $G \in B^{\wedge}$ , then  $j_*G \in A^{\wedge}$ .

*Proof.* By (1),  $j_*G$  is a filter on A. We need  $j_*G$  to satisfy the open filter condition. Let  $X \subseteq A$  be such that  $\bigvee X \in j_*G$ , with X directed. Then

$$Y = \{j(x) \mid x \in X\}$$

is directed and  $j(\bigvee X) = \bigvee j[X] = \bigvee Y \in G$ . Since G is a open filter, exists  $y = j(x) \in Y$  such that  $y \in G$ . Thus  $x \in j_*G$ , so that,  $j_*G \in A^{\wedge}$ .

**Definition 3.2.** A frame has KC if every compact quotient of A is a closed one. In other words every compact sublocale is closed.

Denote by  $\Re rm$  the subcategory of Frm of Hausdorff frames in the sense of Johnstone and Shu.

In (citar el artículo) Sexton says that  $A \in \mathbf{Frm}$  is *tidy* if for all  $F \in A^{\wedge}$ 

$$x \in F \Rightarrow u_d(x) = d \lor x = 1$$

where  $d = d(\alpha) = f^{\alpha}(0)$ ,  $f = \dot{\nabla}\{v_y \mid y \in F\}$ ,  $v_y \in NA$  and  $0 = 0_A$  (the reason for the last two clarifications will be understood later).

We want translate this same notion, but for  $A_j$  when  $j \in NA$ , so that, for all  $F \in A_j^{\wedge}$ , if  $x \in F$  then  $d \vee x = 1$ , with d similar to before, because for this case we have that  $v_y \in NA_j$  and  $0_{A_j} = j(0)$ .

Let's note that we need open filters F in A and in  $A_j$ , prenuclei f in A and  $A_j$  and elements d in A and in  $A_j$ . To make writing easier, we will denote by  $\hat{F}$ ,  $\hat{f}$  and  $\hat{d}$ , to the open filter, prenuclei and element associated with the prenucleus, respectively, in the frame A. In the frame  $A_j$  we use the usual notation, so that, F, f and d for the open filter, prenuclei and element associated to the prenucleus.

Simmons proves in (citar el Vietoris y los resultados) that the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
A & \xrightarrow{f^{\infty}} & A \\
U_A \downarrow & & \downarrow U_A \\
\mathcal{O}S & \xrightarrow{F^{\infty}} & \mathcal{O}S
\end{array}$$

commutes laxly, so that,  $U_A \circ f^{\infty} \leq F^{\infty} \circ U_A$ .

In this diagram  $U_A$  is the spatial reflection morphism,  $f^{\infty}$  and  $F^{\infty}$  represent the associated nuclei associatos to the filters  $F \in A^{\wedge}$  and  $\nabla \in \mathcal{O}S^{\wedge}$ .

We prove something more general here, since we consider the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
A & \xrightarrow{\hat{f}^{\infty}} & A \\
\downarrow j & & \downarrow j \\
A_j & \xrightarrow{f^{\infty}} & A_j
\end{array}$$

**Lemma 3.3.** For j, f and  $\hat{f}$  as before, it holds that  $j \circ \hat{f} \leq f \circ j$ .

*Proof.* By (1) is true that

$$\hat{f} = \bigvee^{\cdot} \{v_y \mid y \in j_* F\} \quad \text{ and } \quad f = \bigvee^{\cdot} \{v_{j(y)} \mid j(y) \in F\}.$$

then, for  $a \in A$  it is hold

$$v_y(a) = (y \succ a) \le \hat{f}(a) \le j(\hat{f}(a)).$$

Also, for all  $a, y \in A$ ,  $(y \succ a) \land y = y \land a$  and

$$j((y \succ a) \land y) \le j(a) \Leftrightarrow j(y \succ a) \land j(y) \le j(a)$$
$$\Leftrightarrow j(y \succ a) \le (j(y) \succ j(a)).$$

Thus

$$v_y(a) \le j(\hat{f}(a)) \le (j(y) > j(a)) = v_{j(y)}(j(a)) \le f(j(a)).$$

Therefore 
$$j \circ \hat{f} \leq f \circ j$$
.

For  $\hat{f}$  and f be nuclei, we need their idempotent closeds.

**Corollary 3.4.** For j, f and  $\hat{f}$  as before, it is hold that  $j \circ \hat{f}^{\infty} \leq f^{\infty} \circ j$ 

*Proof.* For an ordinal  $\alpha$  we will check that  $j \circ \hat{f}^{\alpha} \leq f^{\alpha} \circ j$ . We will do it by transfinite induction.

If  $\alpha = 0$ , it is trivial.

For the induction step, we assume that for  $\alpha$  it holds. Then

$$j\circ \hat{f}^{\alpha+1}=j\circ \hat{f}\circ \hat{f}^{\alpha}\leq f\circ j\circ \hat{f}^{\alpha}\leq f\circ f^{\alpha}\circ j=f^{\alpha+1}\circ j,$$

where the first inequality is Lemma 3 and the second is true by the induction hypothesis.

If  $\lambda$  is a limit ordinal, then

$$\hat{f}^{\lambda} = \bigvee \{ \hat{f}^{\alpha} \mid \alpha < \lambda \}, \quad f^{\lambda} = \bigvee \{ f^{\alpha} \mid \alpha < \lambda \}$$

and

$$j \circ \hat{f}^{\lambda} = j \circ \bigvee_{\alpha < \lambda} \hat{f}^{\alpha} \le \bigvee_{\alpha < \lambda} j \circ \hat{f}^{\alpha}.$$

Thus, by the induction hypothesis, we have that

$$j \circ \hat{f}^{\alpha} \leq f^{\alpha} \circ j \Rightarrow \bigvee_{\alpha < \lambda} j \circ \hat{f}^{\alpha} \leq \bigvee_{\alpha < \lambda} f^{\alpha} \circ j.$$

Therefore  $j \circ \hat{f}^{\lambda} \leq f^{\lambda} \circ j$ .

We now have the tools to prove the following:

**Proposition 3.5.** If A is a tidy frame, then  $A_i$  is tidy.

*Proof.* It is easy to prove that  $F \subseteq j_*F$ . Since A is tidy and  $F \in A^{\wedge}$ , it is true that  $x \in F \Rightarrow \hat{d} \lor x = 1$ .

where 
$$\hat{d} = d(\alpha) = f^{\alpha}(0)$$
.

If  $\hat{d} \leq d$ , then  $d \vee x = 1$ , for  $d = d(\alpha) = f^{\alpha}(j(0))$ .

Thus, for Corollary 3.4

$$\hat{d} = \hat{d}(\alpha) \le j(\hat{d}(\alpha)) = j(\hat{f}^{\alpha}(0)) \le f^{\alpha}(j(0)) = d(\alpha) = d.$$

Therefore if  $x \in F$ , then  $d \vee x = 1$  and  $A_i$  is tidy.

**Proposition 3.6.** If A has KC, then  $A_i$  has KC for every  $j \in N(A)$ .

The block structure on a frame is an important problem and its related with some separation properties of frames.

**Proposition 3.7.** For  $F \in A^{\wedge}$  and  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}S$ , if  $j \in [v_Q, w_Q]$ , then  $U_*jU^* \in [v_F, w_F]$ , where  $U^*$  is the morfism spatial reflection  $U_*$  is the right adjoint.

*Proof.* Since N is a functor, we have

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
A & NA \\
U & & \downarrow \\
OS & NOS
\end{array}$$

and  $N(U)_*$  is the right adjoint of  $N(U)^{\wedge}$ . Note the following:

- (1)  $N(U)(j) < k \Leftrightarrow j < N(U)_*k$ .
- (2) If  $k \in NOS$  then  $N(U)(j) \le k \Leftrightarrow Uj \le kU$ .
- (3)  $N(U)_*k = U_*kU^*$  and  $UN(U)_*k = k(U)$ .

In 3), if j = k,  $N(U)_*(j) = U_*jU^*$  and  $UN(U)_*j = jU$ . For  $x \in F$ 

$$x \in A \xrightarrow{U^*} \mathcal{O}S \xrightarrow{j} \mathcal{O}S \xrightarrow{U_*} A$$

and  $U_*(j(U(x))) = \bigwedge(S \setminus j(U(x)))$ . Note that  $U_*(j(U^*(x))) \subseteq \operatorname{pt} A$ . Thus

$$x \in F \Leftrightarrow Q \subseteq U(x) \Leftrightarrow U(x) \in \nabla(j) = \nabla(Q) \Leftrightarrow S \setminus j(U(x)) = \emptyset$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \bigwedge (S \setminus j(U(x))) = 1 = (U_*jU^*)(x)$$
$$\Leftrightarrow x \in \nabla(U_*jU^*)$$

Therefor 
$$F = \nabla (U_* j U^*)$$
.

In this way we have a function

$$\mho: [V_Q, W_Q] \to [V_F, W_F]$$

**Proposition 3.8.** For every  $A \in \mathcal{H}rm$  the interval corresponding to the block determined by a open filter  $F \in A^{\wedge}$  is trivial, that is,

$$[v_F, w_F] = \{*\}$$

*Proof.* We know that for all  $F \in A^{\wedge}$  the following holds:  $v_F \leq w_F$ . As a contradition, suppose that exists  $F \in A^{\wedge}$  such that  $w_F \nleq v_F$ , that is, exists  $a \in A$  such that  $w_F(a) \nleq v_F(a)$ .

Note that  $w_F(a) \neq 1$ , otherwise

$$1 = w_F(a) = \bigwedge \{ p \in M \mid a \le p \} \le p$$

and this is a contradition because  $p \neq 1$ .

Then  $1 \neq w_F(a) \nleq v_F(a)$  and for the property (H), exists  $u \in A$  such that

(2) 
$$u \not\leq w_F(a)$$
 and  $\neg u \not\leq v_F(a)$ 

Due to monotony,  $w_F(0) \leq w_F(a)$  and  $v_F(0) \leq v_F(a)$ - Thus, for 2 we have that

(3) 
$$i) u \nleq w_F(0)$$
 and  $ii) \neg u \nleq v_F(0)$ .

For 3-(i) is true that  $u \nleq \bigwedge M$ , in particular,  $u \nleq p$  for all  $p \in M$ . Therefore,  $\neg u \leq p$  and  $\neg u \leq w_F(0)$ . If 3-(ii) is true, then  $u \notin F$ , in otherwise

$$u \in F \Rightarrow v_u \le f \Rightarrow v_u(0) = \neg u \le f(0)$$

and this is a contradition. Thus, for the Birkhoff's separation lemma, exists a completely prime filter G such that  $u \notin G \supseteq F$ . We take

$$q = \bigvee \{ y \in A \mid y \notin G \}$$

the point corresponding to G. Thus,  $u \notin G$ ,  $u \leq q$ . If  $q \notin F$ , then  $q \in M$  and  $u \nleq q$ . Hence  $u \leq q$ ,  $u \nleq q$  and this is a contradition.  $\square$ 

A consequence of the Proposition 3.8 is that  $v_F = w_F$ , so that,  $A_{v_F} = A_{w_F}$  and  $A_{w_F} \simeq \mathcal{O}M \simeq \mathcal{O}Q$ . Thus, for all  $j \in KA$  we have that  $j = v_F$ . Then in the Huasdorff case

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
A & \longrightarrow & A_F \\
\downarrow & & \downarrow^g \\
\mathcal{O}S & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{O}S_{\nabla}
\end{array}$$

where g is an isomorphism and  $A_F \simeq \mathcal{O}Q \simeq \mathcal{O}S_{\nabla}$ .

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On the other hand,  $U_*u_{Q'}U^*=v_F$  if and only if  $u_{Q'}U^*=U^*v_F$ , for the adjuntion properties and  $U^*$  the spatial reflection morphism. Therefore

$$A \xrightarrow{v_F} A$$

$$U_* \uparrow \downarrow U \qquad U \downarrow \uparrow U_*$$

$$\mathcal{O}S \xrightarrow{v_\nabla} \mathcal{O}S$$

so that, if  $A \in \mathcal{H}rm$  then patch trivial implies KC.

The above is the proof of the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.9.** If  $A \in \mathcal{H}rm$ . then every compact quotient is isomrphic to a closed quotient of the topology of a Hausdorff space.

**Corollary 3.10.** *If*  $A \in \mathcal{H}rm$ .

$$Q(S) \cong \operatorname{pt}(V(A))$$

**Proposition 3.11.** Every Hausdorff frame A (in the sense of Johnstone and Shou) is tidy, that is, A is patch trivial.

Proof.

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