

Analysis III

Homework

Exercises (homework) can be found in the script at the end of each Chapter.

Chapter I: # 3 (only for convex sets), # 4 due Th 4-25

Chapter II: # 2,4,5,6 due Th 5-2

Chapter III: # 3c, 4 due Th 5-9

Chapter IV: # 2b, 3, 4, 6 due Th 5-16

Chapter V: # 2,4,6 due Th 5-25

Chapter VI: # 2,3,4 due Th 6-1

Key Dates

Instruction begins: Mo, April 1

Instruction ends: Fr, June 7

Final's week: June 10-13 (Mo-Th)

Holiday: Mo, May 27

April 2, 2024

No class Thursday, April 04.

Makeup class (tentatively) on Friday, April 12 at 10:30.

Discussion sections on Fridays (tentatively) at 11:40.

Topological Vector Spaces

Definition: Vector Spaces

V over a field \mathbb{F} (\mathbb{R} or \mathbb{C}).

Definition: Topological Spaces

(X, τ) where $\tau \subseteq \mathcal{P}(X)$ satisfying

1. $\emptyset, X \in \tau$
2. $A, B \in \tau \implies A \cap B \in \tau$
3. $A_\omega \in \tau \implies \bigcup_\omega A_\omega \in \tau$

Recall: $A \in \tau \iff A$ open $\iff X \setminus A$ closed.

$A^\circ = \bigcup_{\substack{U \subseteq A \\ U \text{ open}}} U$ the set of interior points of A .

$\overline{A} = \bigcap_{\substack{F \supseteq A \\ F \text{ closed}}} F$ the closure of A .

A' limit points of A .

Compact sets.

Locally compact sets.

Recall: X is Hausdorff iff $\forall x, y \in X, \exists U, V \in \tau$ such that $x \in U, y \in V$ and $U \cap V = \emptyset$.

Definition: Bases for Topological Spaces

Definition: Let (X, τ) be a topological space. $\sigma \subseteq \tau$ is called a base for topology τ if $\forall x \in X, \forall U \in \tau, x \in U, \exists W \in \sigma$ such that $x \in W \subseteq U$.

Proposition

$\sigma \subseteq \tau$ is a base for τ if and only if every $U \in \tau$ is the union of certain sets taken from σ .

$$(*) \quad \tau = \left\{ \bigcup_{\omega \in \Omega} W_\omega : \{W_\omega\}_{\omega \in \Omega} \subseteq \sigma, \Omega \right\}$$

Proof

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(\Rightarrow) Take $U \in \tau$ and let $x \in U$, \leadsto find $W_x \in \sigma, x \in W_x \subseteq U$.

$$U = \bigcup_{x \in U} \{x\} \subseteq \bigcup_{x \in U} W_x \subseteq U$$

Therefore $\bigcup_{x \in U} W_x = U$.

Proposition

If σ is a base for some topology τ on X , then

1. $\forall x \in X, \exists W \in \sigma$ such that $x \in W$.
2. $\forall U, V \in \sigma, \forall x \in U \cap V, \exists W \in \sigma$ such that $x \in W \subseteq U \cap V$.

Conversely, if $\sigma \in \mathcal{P}(X)$ ($\emptyset \notin \sigma$) satisfies (1) and (2), then σ is the base for a topology τ (and τ is given by $(*)$).

Note that $U, V \in \tau \implies U \cap V \in \tau$ (requires (2)).

If $U = \bigcup U_\alpha$ and $V = \bigcup V_\beta$, then $U \cap V = \bigcup_{\alpha, \beta} (U_\alpha \cap V_\beta) = \bigcup_{\alpha, \beta} \bigcup_{x \in U_\alpha \cap V_\beta} W_{\alpha, \beta, x}$.

Example: Metric Spaces

(X, d) is a metric space if $d : X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$ satisfies

1. $d(x, y) = 0$ if and only if $x = y$.
2. $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$.
3. $d(x, z) \leq d(x, y) + d(y, z)$ (triangle inequality).

Definition: Epsilon Neighborhoods

$$B_\varepsilon(x) = \{y \in X : d(x, y) < \varepsilon\}$$

$A \subseteq X$ is open if and only if $\forall x \in A, \exists \varepsilon > 0$ such that $B_\varepsilon(x) \subseteq A$. $x \in B_\varepsilon(x)$.
 τ = set of all open sets.

$$\sigma_1 = \{B_\varepsilon(x) : x \in X, \varepsilon > 0\}$$

is a base for the topology τ .

$$\sigma_2 = \{B_{1/n}(x) : x \in X, n \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

is also a base for τ .

Definition: Direct Product - Product Topology

Let (X_1, τ_1) and (X_2, τ_2) be topological spaces.

Consider $X = X_1 \times X_2$. The product topology τ on X is given by the base

$$\sigma = \{U_1 \times U_2 : U_1 \in \tau_1, U_2 \in \tau_2\}$$

More explicitly,

$$\tau = \left\{ \bigcup_{\omega} U_{1,\omega} \times U_{2,\omega} : U_{i,\omega} \in \tau_i \right\}$$

(X_ω, τ_ω) topological spaces $(\omega \in \Omega)$

$$X = \prod_{\omega \in \Omega} X_\omega = \{(x_\omega)_{\omega \in \Omega} : x_\omega \in X_\omega\}$$

Formally, $f \cong (x_\omega)_{\omega \in \Omega}$, $x_\omega = f(\omega)$, $f : \Omega \rightarrow \bigcup_{\omega \in \Omega} X_\omega$ such that $f(\omega) \in X_\omega$.
 $[x \neq \emptyset \iff X_\omega \neq \emptyset \text{ axiom of choice}]$

$$\sigma = \left\{ \prod_{\omega \in \Omega} U_\omega : U_\omega \in \tau_\omega \text{ and all but finitely many } U_\omega = X_\omega \right\}$$

Definition: Subspace Topology

Given (X, τ) and $Y \subseteq X$, then (Y, τ_Y) is also a topological space where

$$\tau_Y \{U \cap Y : U \in \tau\}$$

Definition: Local Bases for Topological Spaces

A collection $\gamma \subseteq \tau$ is called a local base at $x \in X$ if

1. $\forall U \in \tau, x \in U, \exists W \in \gamma$ such that $x \in W \subseteq U$.

2. $\forall W \in \gamma, x \in W$

Example

Let (X, d) be a metric space.

$$\gamma_x = \{B_\varepsilon(x) : \varepsilon > 0\}$$

is a local base at x . Similarly,

$$\tilde{\gamma}_x = \{B_{1/n} : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

is a countable local base.

Proposition

If γ_x ($x \in X$) are local bases for τ at X , then

$$\sigma = \bigcup_{x \in X} \gamma_x$$

is a bse for τ .

Proposition

$\{\gamma_x\}_{x \in X}$ are local bases at x for some topology τ if and only if

1. $\forall x \in X$, γ_x is a non-empty collection of subsets containing x .
2. If $U \in \gamma_x$, $V \in \gamma_y$, and $z \in U \cap V$, then $\exists W \in \gamma_z$ such that $z \in W \subseteq U \cap V$.

Definition: Topological Vector Spaces

Suppose V is a vector space over $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}$ and let τ be a topology on V . Then V is a topological vector space (TVS) if

1. $\forall x \in V$, $\{x\}$ is closed.
2. The functions f, g (i.e. algebraic operations) are continuous.

$$\begin{aligned} f : V \times V &\rightarrow V, f(x, y) = x + y \\ g : \mathbb{F} \times V &\rightarrow V, g(\lambda, x) = \lambda \cdot x \end{aligned}$$

Notation

For $A_1, A_2 \subseteq V$ and $B \subseteq \mathbb{F}$,

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 + A_2 &= \{a_1 + a_2 : a_1 \in A_1, a_2 \in A_2\} \\ a + A_1 &= \{a + \alpha : \alpha \in A_1\} \\ B \cdot A &= \{\beta \cdot a : \beta \in B, a \in A\} \\ \alpha \cdot A &= \{\alpha \cdot a : a \in A\} \end{aligned}$$

Lemma

Let V be a TVS. Then

1. $\forall x, y \in V, \forall \text{ open } U_{x+y} \ni x + y, \exists \text{ open } U_x \ni x, \text{ open } U_y \ni y \text{ such that } U_x + U_y \subseteq U_{x+y}.$
2. $\forall x \in V, \alpha \in \mathbb{F}, \forall \text{ open } U_{\alpha x} \ni \alpha x, \exists \text{ open } U_x \ni x, U_\alpha \ni \alpha \text{ such that } U_\alpha \cdot U_x \subseteq U_{\alpha x}.$

Proof of 1

Given $x, y \in X, x + y \in U_{x+y}$ open.

$$f(x, y) = x + y \in U_{x+y}$$

and $(x, y) \in f^{-1}(U_{x+y})$ open. In the product topology

$$(x, y) \in U_x \times U_y \subseteq f^{-1}(U_{x+y})$$

which implies $x \in U_x$ and $y \in U_y$, both open, and $U_x + U_y \subseteq U_{x+y}$.

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Lemma 1

Let V be a TVS

1. $\forall x, y \in V, \forall U_{x+y} \ni x + y \text{ open}, \exists U_x \ni x, U_y \ni y \text{ such that } U_x + U_y \subseteq U_{x+y}.$
2. $\forall \alpha \in F, \forall U_{\alpha x} \ni \alpha x \text{ open}, \exists U_\alpha \ni \alpha \text{ open in } F, U_x \ni x \text{ such that } U_\alpha \cdot U_x \subseteq U_{\alpha x}.$

For 2. with $\alpha = 0, \forall x \in X, \forall U \ni 0 \text{ open}, \exists \delta > 0, U_\delta \ni x \text{ open such that } B_\delta(0) \cdot U_x \subseteq U. \text{ That is, } \beta U_x \subseteq U, \forall |\beta| < \delta.$

Proposition

In a TVS, the maps

1. Translation: $T_a : x \in V \mapsto x + a \in V \ (a \in V)$
2. Multiplication: $M_\lambda : x \in V \mapsto \lambda \cdot x \in V \ (\lambda \in \mathbb{F}, \lambda \neq 0)$

are continuous (in fact, homeomorphic).

Proof

We know $(x, y) \mapsto x + y$ and $(\lambda, x) \mapsto \lambda \cdot x$ are continuous.

Inversions

$T_a \circ T_{-a} = \text{id}$, $T_{-a} \circ T_a = \text{id}$, $M_\lambda \circ M_{1/\lambda} = \text{id}$, and $M_{1/\lambda} \circ M_\lambda = \text{id}$.
Therefore they are bijective and the inverses are continuous.

Remark

If U is open, then $a + U$ is also open.

If γ_0 is a local base at 0, then $\gamma_x = \{x + U : U \in \gamma_0\} = x + \gamma_0$ is a local base at x .

Recall that γ_x is a local base at x if $\forall W \ni x$ open, $\exists U \in \gamma_x$ such that $x \in U \subseteq W$.

That is, in a TVS only local bses at 0 are needed. We may interpret “local base” as “local base at 0”.

$$\sigma = \bigcup_{x \in V} (x + \gamma_0)$$

is a base for the TVS.

Types of Topological Vector Spaces

Normed Spaces / Banach Spaces

A normed space is a vector space over \mathbb{F} together with a norm $|| \cdot ||$, i.e. a map $|| \cdot || : x \in V \mapsto ||x|| \in [0, \infty)$ such that

1. $||x|| = 0 \iff x = 0$.
2. $||x + y|| \leq ||x|| + ||y||$.
3. $||\lambda x|| = |\lambda| \cdot ||x||$.

Remarks

A normed space is a metric space with $d(x, y) = ||x - y||$.

A local base (at 0) is given by ε -neighborhoods:

$$\gamma_0 = \{B_\varepsilon(0) : \varepsilon > 0\}$$

where

$$B_\varepsilon(0) = \{x \in V : ||x|| < \varepsilon\}$$

(open ball with radius $\varepsilon > 0$).

Convergence in Normed Space

A sequence $\{x_n\}$ ($x_n \in V$) converges to $\lambda \in V$ if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} ||x_n - \lambda|| = 0$.

A sequence $\{x_n\}$ is Cauchy if $\forall \varepsilon > 0$, $\exists N$ such that $\forall j, k \geq N$, $||x_j - x_k|| < \varepsilon$.

A normed space is complete if $\{x_n\}$ Cauchy implies $\exists x \in V$ such that $x_n \rightarrow x$.

Complete normed spaces are called Banach spaces.

Example 1

$\ell^p(\mathbb{N})$, $1 \leq p < \infty$, the set of all sequences $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^\infty = x$ such that

$$||x|| = \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |x_n|^p \right)^{1/p} < +\infty$$

Recall $\{x_n\} + \{y_n\} = \{x_n + y_n\}$ and $\lambda\{x_n\} = \{\lambda x_n\}$.

ℓ^p spaces are complete and therefore Banach.

If $\{x_n\} \in \ell^p$ and $\{y_n\} \in \ell^q$, then $\{x_n y_n\} \in \ell^r$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{r} \in [0, 1]$ (e.g. $\ell^2 \cdot \ell^2 \leq \ell^1$)

Example 2

$\ell^\infty(\mathbb{N})$, the set of all bounded sequences

$$||x|| = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} |x_n| < +\infty$$

Example 3

$C_0(\mathbb{N}) \subseteq \ell^p(\mathbb{N})$, the set of all sequences $\{x_n\}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = 0$$

C_0 is a closed subspace, and both are Banach.

Example 4

$L^p(\Omega)$, $1 \leq p < \infty$, $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$ a Lebesgue measurable set with $m(\Omega) > 0$, the space of all equivalence classes of Lebesgue measurable functions $f : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$ such that

$$||f|| = \left(\int_{\Omega} |f(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} < +\infty$$

Example 5

$L^\infty(\Omega)$, the measurable and essentially bounded functions

$$\begin{aligned} ||f|| &= \inf_{\substack{N \subseteq \Omega \\ m(N)=0}} \sup_{x \in \Omega \setminus N} |f(x)| < +\infty \\ &= \text{ess sup}_{x \in \Omega} |f(x)| \end{aligned}$$

$L^p(\Omega)$ spaces, $1 \leq p \leq \infty$, are Banach.

Example 6

For $\Omega \neq \emptyset$, let $B(\Omega)$ the set of all bounded functions $f : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$ with

$$||f|| = \sup_{x \in \Omega} |f(x)|$$

is a Banach space.

$f_n \rightarrow f$ in $B(\Omega)$ if and only if f_n converges uniformly on Ω to f .

Example 7

Let Ω be a topological space and $BC(\Omega)$ the set of all bounded, continuous functions $f : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$. Then $BC(\Omega) \subseteq B(\Omega)$ is a closed Banach subspace under the same norm. That is, the uniform limit of continuous functions is a continuous function.

$$\lim_{f_n \in BC(\Omega)} f_n \rightarrow f \implies f \in BC(\Omega)$$

Example 8

Let K be a compact, Hausdorff space.

Then $C(K)$ is the set of all continuous functions $f : K \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$ and $C(K) = BC(K)$.

F Spaces / pre-F Spaces

A pre- F -space is a TVS where the topology is given by some invariant metric $d(x+z, y+z) = d(x, y)$ or $d(x, y) = d(x-y, 0)$.

An F -space is a complete pre- F -space.

A local base (at 0) is given by

$$\gamma_0 = \{B_\varepsilon(0) : \varepsilon > 0\}, \quad B_\varepsilon(x) = \{y \in V : d(x, y) < \varepsilon\}$$

Example 1

$\ell^p(\mathbb{N})$, $0 < p < 1$, the set of all $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ such that

$$\sum_{n=1}^\infty |x_n|^p < +\infty$$

with

$$d(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^\infty |x_n - y_n|^p$$

Note that this obeys the triangle inequality specifically because it has not been raised to $1/p$.

$$d(\lambda x, \lambda y) = |\lambda|^p \cdot d(x, y)$$

means that $d(z, 0)$ is not a norm.

Here, $B_\varepsilon(x)$ are not convex sets.

Side Remark

Given \mathbb{R}^2 , the ℓ^p norm for $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ is given by

$$|| (x_1, x_2) || = (|x_1|^p + |x_2|^p)^{1/p}$$

and the distance for $0 < p < 1$ by

$$d((x_1, x_2)) = |x_1|^p + |x_2|^p$$

The ε neighborhoods for $p = 1$ are diamonds, $p = 2$ circles, $p = \infty$ squares with smooth transition between them. However, for $0 < p < 1$, we have concave diamond shapes. These norms and metrics are all equivalent on \mathbb{R}^2 in the sense that they give the same topology.

Locally Convex TVS

A TVS which has a local base γ at 0 consisting of open neighborhoods of 0 which are all convex.

Definition: Convex Set

A set $A \subseteq V$ is convex if $\forall x, y \in A, \lambda \in [0, 1]$, then $\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y \in A$.
Alternatively, the line segment between x and y is contained in A ($[x, y] \subseteq A$).

Fréchet Spaces and pre-Fréchet Spaces

A pre-Fréchet space is locally convex.
A Fréchet space is a locally convex F -space.

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Fréchet Spaces

Example

$\mathcal{S} = \{\{x_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \mid \text{the space of all sequences } x_n \in \mathbb{F}\}$.

$$d(\{x_n\}, \{y_n\}) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \cdot \frac{|x_n - y_n|}{1 + |x_n - y_n|} < +\infty$$

Triangle inequality:

$$\frac{a+b}{1+a+b} \leq \frac{a}{1+a} + \frac{b}{1+b}, \quad a, b \geq 0$$

invariant metric, complete.

$\gamma_0 = \{B_\varepsilon(0) : \varepsilon > 0\}$ is a local base.

$\hat{\gamma}_0 = \{U_{\varepsilon, N} : \varepsilon > 0, N \in \mathbb{N}\}$.

$U_{\varepsilon, N} = \{\{x_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} : |x_n| < \varepsilon, \forall n = 1, \dots, N\}$.

$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists \hat{\varepsilon} > 0, N$ such that $U_{\hat{\varepsilon}, N} \subseteq B_\varepsilon(0)$.

$\forall \hat{\varepsilon} > 0, N, \exists \varepsilon > 0$ such that $B_\varepsilon(0) \subseteq U_{\hat{\varepsilon}, N}$.

$x^{(m)} \rightarrow x$ in metric of \mathcal{S} as $m \rightarrow \infty$.

$x^{(m)} = \{x_n^{(m)}\}_{n=1}^{\infty}, x = \{x_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ if and only if $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, x_n^{(m)} \rightarrow x_n$ as $m \rightarrow \infty$ (pointwise, componentwise convergence).

Example

$C(\mathbb{R}^d)$, the set of continuous functions $f : \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$.

$$|||f|||_N = \sup_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{R}^d \\ ||x|| \leq N}} |f(x)|$$

$$d(f, g) = \sum_{N=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^N} \cdot \frac{|||f - g|||_N}{1 + |||f - g|||_N}$$

Complete Fréchet space.

“Locally uniform convergence” such that $f_n \rightarrow f$ in metric of $C(\mathbb{R}^d)$ if and only if \forall compact set $K \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$, f_n converges to f uniformly on K .

Example

$C^\infty[0,1]$ the set of infinitely differentiable functions $f : [0,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$.

$$|||f|||_n = \sup_{x \in [0,1]} |f^{(n)}(x)|$$

$$d(f, g) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \cdot \frac{|||f-g|||_n}{1 + |||f-g|||_n}$$

Fréchet space.

$f_m \rightarrow f$ in $C^\infty[0,1]$ as $m \rightarrow \infty$ if and only if for every $m \in \{0,1,\dots\}$, $f_m^{(n)} \rightarrow f^{(n)}$ uniformly on $[0,1]$ as $m \rightarrow \infty$.

Proposition

Every TVS is Hausdorff.

Proof

Let $x, y \in V$, $x \neq y$.

For $U = V \setminus \{0\}$, and open set, $x - y \in U$.

Using the continuity of $(x^2, y^2) \mapsto x^2 - y^2$ and Lemma 1, there exist $U_x \ni x$ and $U_y \ni y$ open such that $U_x - U_y \subseteq U$.

Note that $U_x \cap U_y = \emptyset$, otherwise there would exist $z \in U_x \cap U_y$ such that $0 = z - z \in U_x - U_y \subseteq U$ a contradiction.

Definition: Balancedness

A subset U of a vector space V is called balanced if $\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{F}$, $|\lambda| \leq 1$, $\lambda U \subseteq U$.

Example

For $V = \mathbb{R}^2$, $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{R}$, an ellipse is convex and balanced.

Note that since $\lambda = 0$ is a valid choice, 0 is always in a balanced set.

A rectangle, offset from the origin, is convex but not balanced.

A concave diamond centered at 0 may be balanced.

An annulus is neither.

Exercise

Show that for $V = \mathbb{C}$, $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{C}$, the balanced, convex sets are the open and closed disks along with the entire plane.

Proposition

1. Every TVS has a balanced, local base.
2. Every locally convex TVS has a balanced and convex local base.

Proof of A

e.g. $\gamma = \{U : U \text{ open}, 0 \in U\}$.

For every $U \in \gamma$, construct another \hat{U} open, $0 \in \hat{U} \subseteq U$ balanced.

Then $\hat{\gamma} = \{\hat{U} : U \text{ taken from } \gamma\}$ is a local base.

Use Lemma 1 again and the continuity of $(\lambda, x') \mapsto \lambda \cdot x'$ at $\lambda = 0, x' = 0$.

Given open $U \ni 0$, find $\delta > 0$ and open $U_0 \ni 0$ such that $B_{2\delta}(0) \cdot U_0 \subseteq U$.

Then for $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}, |\alpha| \leq \delta, \alpha \cdot U_0 \subseteq U$. Take

$$\hat{U} = \bigcup_{\substack{\alpha \in \mathbb{F} \\ |\alpha| \leq \delta}} \alpha \cdot U_0$$

Therefore \hat{U} is a union of open sets and $0 \in \hat{U} \subseteq U$. Finally, for $|\lambda| \leq 1$,

$$\lambda \cdot \hat{U} = \bigcup_{\substack{\alpha \in \mathbb{F} \\ |\alpha| < \delta}} \lambda \cdot \alpha \cdot U_0 = \bigcup_{\substack{\beta \\ |\beta| \leq |\lambda| \cdot \delta \leq \delta}} \beta U_0 = \hat{U}$$

Proof of B

We have a local base $\gamma = \{U_\omega\}$, $U_\omega \ni 0$ open and convex.

We want to construct $\hat{\gamma} = \{\hat{U}_\omega\}$, $\hat{U}_\omega \ni 0$ open, convex and balanced.

Given U convex, define

$$\hat{U} = \bigcap_{|\alpha| \leq \delta} \alpha U$$

convex and balanced.

Need to show that $\hat{U} \ni 0$ is an open neighborhood.

Rest of the owl left to the reader.

Recall

The intrinsic characterization of a base for a topological space or a local base for a topological space X , $\{\gamma_x\}_{x \in X}$.

- $\forall x \in X, U \in \gamma_x, x \in U$
- $\forall x, y \in X, U \in \gamma_x, V \in \gamma_y, z \in U \cap V, \exists W \in \gamma_z, W \subseteq U \cap V$.

Proposition

A balanced, local base γ (at 0) of a TVS V has the following properties:

1. γ is a nonempty collection of subsets of V containing 0.
2. $\forall U_1, U_2 \in \gamma, \exists U \in \gamma$ such that $U \subseteq U_1 \cap U_2$.
3. $\forall U \in \gamma, x \in U, \exists W \in \gamma$ such that $x + W \subseteq U$.

4. $\forall U \in \gamma, \exists W \in \gamma$ such that $W + W \subseteq U$ (continuity of $(x, y) \mapsto x + y$ at $(x = y = 0)$).
 5. $\forall U \in \gamma, \forall x \in V, \exists t > 0, x \in t \cdot U$ (continuity of scalar multiplication $(\lambda, x') \mapsto \lambda x'$ at $\lambda = 0, x' = x$).
- $$\frac{1}{t} \cdot x \in U, \frac{\delta}{2} \cdot x \subset B_\delta(0) \cdot \hat{U} \subseteq U.$$
6. $\forall x \in V, x \neq 0, \exists U \in \gamma, x \notin U$ ($\{x\}$ closed; $0 \in V \setminus \{x\}$ open; $0 \in U \subseteq V \setminus \{x\}$). (Hausdorff)

Converse

Conversely, if γ satisfies properties 1-6, then there exists a unique topology on V such that γ is a balanced, local base for V and V with this topology is a TVS.

Theorem:

Any two TVS of finite dimension d (over $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{R}$ or $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{C}$) are homeomorphic to each other.

Proof

Let V be a TVS with $\dim(V) = d$.

We want to show that $V \cong \mathbb{F}^d$. We have

$$V = \text{lin}\{v_1, \dots, v_d\}$$

a basis and

$$f : (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n) \in \mathbb{F}^d \mapsto \sum_{i=1}^d \lambda_i v_i \in V$$

an isomorphism between \mathbb{F}^d and V as vector spaces. Further, f is continuous. Consider \mathbb{F}^d equipped with the product topology and the continuity of addition and scalar multiplication.

We need only that f^{-1} is continuous at 0 which is equivalent to $\forall U \ni 0$ open in $\mathbb{F}^d, \exists W \ni 0$ open in V such that $W \subseteq f(U) ((f^{-1})^{-1}(U))$.