Herein we will outline some review content for the exam.

**Definition 1.** Let  $\{X_i\}_{i\in I}$  be a collection of sets indexed by I. A set P together with functions  $\pi_i: P \to X_i$  for each  $i \in I$  is said to have the **universal property of the product** if, for any set Z and functions  $f_i: Z \to X_i$  for each  $i \in I$ . Then there exists a unique function  $f: Z \to P$  such that

$$Z \downarrow f \qquad f_i \downarrow f \qquad X_i$$

$$P \xrightarrow{\pi_i} X_i$$

**Example 1.** A standard sort of product: Take  $X_1 = \mathbb{R}, X_2 = \mathbb{R}, P = \mathbb{R}^2$ , and  $\pi_1 : P \to X_1$ ,  $(x, y) \mapsto x$ , and  $\pi_2 : P \to X_2$  taking  $(x, y) \mapsto y$ . then

$$X_{1} \xleftarrow{f_{1}} P \xrightarrow{\pi_{2}} X_{2}$$

And in fact we can see that such an f does exist, as  $z \mapsto (f_1(z), f_2(z))$ .

**Example 2.** Here's a bit of a weirder one.  $X_1 = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $X_2 = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $P' = \mathbb{R}^2$ , and the functions  $\pi'_1: P' \to X$  a projection on the first coordinate, and  $\pi'_2: P' \to X_2$  takes  $(x, y) \mapsto x + y$ .

$$X_1 \xleftarrow{f_1} P' \xrightarrow{\pi_2'} X_2$$

Notice that to get the f that we desire, we require that  $f(z) = (f_1(z), f_2(z) - f_1(z))$ 

**Theorem 1.** If  $(P, \pi_i)$  has the universal property of the product and  $(P', \pi'_i)$  has universal property of the product, then there exists a unique bijection  $f: P \to P'$  such that  $\pi_i = \pi'_i$  for all  $i \in I$ 

$$P \downarrow f \xrightarrow{\pi_i} P' \xrightarrow{\pi'_i} X_i$$

This theorem was proved in class, so we omit the proof here.

**Definition 2.** Let X be a set,  $\sim$  be an equivalence relation on X. A function  $f: X \to Y$  is said to **respect the equivalence relation** if  $x_1 \sim x_2 \Rightarrow f(x_1) = f(x_2)$  for  $x_1, x_2 \in X$ . A set  $\overline{X}$  together with a function  $\pi: X \to \overline{X}$  is said to have the universal property of quotients if:

- 1.  $\pi: X \to \overline{X}$  respects the equivalence relation.
- 2. For any function  $f:X\to Y$  such that f respects the equivalence relation,  $\exists !\overline{f}:\overline{X}\to Y$  such that

$$X \xrightarrow{f} Y$$

$$\downarrow^{\pi} \overline{f}$$

$$X$$

**Example 3.** in general,  $\pi: X \to X/\sim$  taking  $x \mapsto [x]$  has the universal property.

**Example 4.**  $X = \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $a \sim b \Leftrightarrow a - b \equiv 0 \pmod{6}$ . Then  $X/\sim$  is called the integers modulo 6, written  $\mathbb{Z}/6$  (or more commonly  $\mathbb{Z}/6\mathbb{Z}$ ).

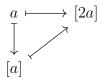
Let's define "multiplying by 2".

$$\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\times 2} \mathbb{Z}/6$$

$$\downarrow^{\pi}$$

$$\mathbb{Z}/6$$

well notice that what we really need here is



So the thing that we really want is  $\mathbb{Z} \to \mathbb{Z}/6$  that takes  $a \mapsto [2a]$ . Does this respect the equivalence relation?

If  $a \sim b$ , is it true that [2a] = [2b]?

$$a \sim b \Rightarrow a - b \equiv 0 \pmod{6}$$
  
 $\Rightarrow a - b = 6n \ (n \in \mathbb{Z})$   
 $\Rightarrow 2a - 2b = 6(2n)$   
 $\Rightarrow 2a \sim 2b$   
 $\Rightarrow [2a] = [2b].$ 

So we have what we want.

**Definition 3.** Let  $Z \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ . A point  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}6n$  is a **limit point of** Z if for all  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

$$(B(\mathbf{x}, \varepsilon) - {\mathbf{x}}) \cap Z \neq \emptyset.$$

A point  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is said to be an **adherent point of** Z if for all  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

$$B(\mathbf{x}, \varepsilon) \cap Z \neq \emptyset$$
.

Equivalently,  $\mathbf{x}$  is adherent if  $\mathbf{x}$  is a limit point or  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

## Example 5. Let

$$f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$$
$$x \mapsto \begin{cases} 0 & x < 0 \\ 20 & x \ge 0 \end{cases}.$$

Obviously, this should not be continuous. Recall that the definition of continuity. Namely that  $\forall \varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\forall x \ \exists \delta > 0 \ \forall y | x - y | < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - f(y)| < \varepsilon$ . Furthermore, non-continuity entails that  $\exists > 0 \ \exists x \ \forall \delta > 0 \ \exists y | x - y | < \delta \ \text{and} \ |f(x) - f(y)| \ge \varepsilon$ .

So let  $x=0, \varepsilon=0$ . now let  $\delta>0$ . Let  $y=\frac{-\delta}{2}$ . Then  $|x-y|=\frac{\delta}{2}<\delta$ , but  $|f(x)-f(y)|=|20-0|=20>10=\varepsilon$ 

Now let's take  $\frac{g:\mathbb{R}\to\mathbb{R}}{x\mapsto 3x}$ . So we can get  $\forall \varepsilon>0 \ \forall x>0, \ \exists \delta>0, \ \forall y|x-y|<\delta\Rightarrow |g(x)-g(y)|<\varepsilon$ . Now let  $\varepsilon>0$ , and  $x\in\mathbb{R}$ . Take  $\delta=\frac{\varepsilon}{3}$ . Then for all  $y\in\mathbb{R}$  with  $|x-y|<\frac{\varepsilon}{3}$ ,

$$|g(x) - g(y)| = |3x - 3y|$$

$$= 3|x - y|$$

$$< 3\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{3}\right)$$

$$= \varepsilon.$$

So g is continuous.