

Kuratowski Mrowka Theorem for internal preneighbourhood spaces

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Compactness in classical topology

Theorem 1.1 (Classical Kuratowski-Mrowka Theorem)

The following are equivalent for a topological space X :

- (a) X is compact (i.e., every open cover has a finite subcover).*
- (b) Every filter \mathcal{F} on X cluster (i.e., $\bigcap_{T \in \mathcal{F}} \text{cl}_X T \neq \emptyset$)*
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The present approach is by *internalising* the notion of a neighbourhood, which can be done in a wide variety of categories, e.g., in all small complete and small cocomplete and well powered categories, see Ghosh, “[Internal neighbourhood structures](#)”.

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- (k) if $(\mathbb{A}, \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{M})$ is a context then for any object B , then $((\mathbb{A} \downarrow B), (\mathbf{E} \downarrow B), (\mathbf{M} \downarrow B))$ is also a context (see Clementino, Giuli, and Tholen, “A functional approach to general topology”)
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Adjunction between filters

Definition 2.2 (Filters)

Given any object X , a *filter* F on X is a subset of $\text{Sub}_M(X)$ such that

$$(a) \ x \geq y \in F \Rightarrow x \in F,$$

and

$$(b) \ x, y \in F \Rightarrow x \wedge y \in F$$

The set of all filters on X is $\text{Fil}X$.

Adjunction between filters

$\text{Fil}X$ is a complete algebraic lattice, with compact elements being

$$\uparrow x = \{p \in \text{Sub}_M(X) : x \leq p\}.$$

$\text{Fil}X$ is distributive if and only if $\text{Sub}_M(X)$ is distributive (see Iberkleid and McGovern, “A natural equivalence for the category of coherent frames”, Theorem 1.2).

Internal neighbourhoods of three kinds

Definition 2.2 (Neighbourhoods, see Ghosh, “Internal neighbourhood structures”, Definition 3.1)

Let X be an object of \mathbb{A} .

- (a) A *preneighbourhood system* on X is an order preserving function $\text{Sub}_{\mathbb{M}}(X)^{\text{op}} \xrightarrow{\mu} \text{Fil}X$ such that for each $x \in \text{Sub}_{\mathbb{M}}(X)$

$$p \in \mu(x) \Rightarrow x \leq p.$$

The pair (X, μ) is called an *internal preneighbourhood space* of \mathbb{A} .

- (b) A preneighbourhood system μ on X is a *weak neighbourhood system* if

$$p \in \mu(x) \Rightarrow (\exists q \in \mu(x))(p \in \mu(q)).$$

The pair (X, μ) is called an *internal weak neighbourhood space* of \mathbb{A} .

- (c) A weak neighbourhood system μ on X is a *neighbourhood system* on X if

$$\mu\left(\bigvee_{i \in I} p_i\right) = \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu(p_i).$$

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Morphisms of neighbourhoods

Definition 2.3 (Morphisms of Neighbourhoods, see Ghosh, “**Internal neighbourhood structures**”, Definition 3.39)

Let (X, μ) , (Y, ϕ) be internal preneighbourhood spaces of \mathbb{A} and $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$ be a morphism of \mathbb{A} .

- (a) The morphism f is a **preneighbourhood morphism**, written $(X, \mu) \xrightarrow{f} (Y, \phi)$, if for each $y \in \text{Sub}_M(Y)$

$$p \in \phi(y) \Rightarrow f^{-1}p \in \mu(f^{-1}y).$$

- (b) If (X, μ) and (Y, ϕ) are internal neighbourhoods of \mathbb{A} then a preneighbourhood morphism $(X, \mu) \xrightarrow{f} (Y, \phi)$ is a **neighbourhood morphism** if for any family $\langle y_i : i \in I \rangle$ of admissible subobjects of Y

$$f^{-1}\left(\bigvee_{i \in I} y_i\right) = \bigvee_{i \in I} f^{-1}y_i.$$

Categories of neighbourhoods

Definition 2.4 (Categories of Neighbourhoods, see Ghosh, “Internal neighbourhood structures”, Definition 4.1)

- (a) $\mathbf{pNbd}[\mathbb{A}]$ is the category of all internal preneighbourhood spaces of \mathbb{A} and preneighbourhood morphisms.
- (b) $\mathbf{wNbd}[\mathbb{A}]$ is the category of all internal weak neighbourhood spaces of \mathbb{A} and preneighbourhood morphisms.
- (c) $\mathbf{Nbd}[\mathbb{A}]$ is the category of all internal neighbourhood spaces of \mathbb{A} and neighbourhood morphisms.

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In the context (FinSet, Surjections, Injections) Φ is an isomorphism; in (Set, Surjections, Injections) Φ is an embedding.

Thus grounded monotone extensional operators are dually coreflective inside preneighbourhood systems.

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Closure et al...

Definition 3.1 (Definition of closure, closed subobject and closed morphism, see Ghosh, “Internal neighbourhood structures II: Closure and Closed Morphisms”, definitions in §3)

Let (X, μ) be an internal preneighbourhood space and $p \in \text{Sub}_M(X)$. The admissible subobject:

$$\text{cl}_\mu p = \bigvee \left\{ u \in \text{Sub}_M(X)_{\neq 1} : x \in \mu(u) \Rightarrow x \wedge p \neq \sigma_X \right\} \quad (1)$$

is called the μ -closure of p .

The subobject p is μ -closed if $\text{cl}_\mu p = p$.

For any internal preneighbourhood space (X, μ) , $\mathfrak{C}_\mu = \{p \in \text{Sub}_M(X) : p = \text{cl}_\mu p\}$.

Given the internal preneighbourhood spaces (X, μ) and (Y, ϕ) , a morphism $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$ is said to be μ - ϕ closed or simply closed if it preserves closed subobjects, i.e., $p \in \mathfrak{C}_\mu \Rightarrow \exists_f p \in \mathfrak{C}_\phi$.

\mathbb{A}_{cl} is the (possibly large) set of all closed morphisms of \mathbb{A} .

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Several contexts are admissibly quasi-pointed — e.g., sets and functions, topological spaces and continuous maps, locales and localic maps, where this unique morphism is a regular monomorphism and hence admissible; however the context of rings and their homomorphisms (*rings with identity and homomorphisms preserving identity*) is **not** quasi-pointed even, although the context for $\mathbf{CRing}^{\text{op}}$, and likewise \mathbb{A}^{op} (for \mathbb{A} a Zariski category), is still quasi-pointed.

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See Ern , “**Prime and maximal ideals of partially ordered sets**” for details.

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- The closure operation is **hereditary**, i.e., given $A \xrightarrow{a} M \xrightarrow{m} X$,

$$\text{cl}(\mu|_m)^a = m^{-1}(\text{cl}_\mu(m \circ a));$$

hence a and m closed imply $m \circ a$ closed.

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Examples

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$$o_X(S) = \{ T \in \text{Sub}_{\text{RegMon}}(X) : (\exists a \in X)(S \subseteq \mathfrak{O}[a] \subseteq T) \}.$$

It is a neighbourhood system on X , and the functor with object function $X \mapsto (X, o_X)$ is right inverse to the forgetful functor $\text{pNbd}[\text{Loc}] \xrightarrow{U} \text{Loc}$ (see Ghosh, “Internal neighbourhood structures”, Theorem 3.38).

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- The category $\mathbf{K}[\mathbb{A}]$ is finitely productive and closed hereditary.

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A lattice L is *pseudocomplemented* if for each $a \in L$ the set $\{x \in L : x \wedge a = 0\}$ has a maximum element, denoted a^* , called *pseudocomplement of a* (see Blyth, *Lattices and ordered algebraic structures*, §7.1).

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Definition 6.1 (see Ghosh, “Internal neighbourhood structures”, §3.1.3)

Let (X, μ) be a preneighbourhood space, $p \in \text{Sub}_M(X)$; p is μ -open if $p \in \mu(p)$, \mathfrak{O}_μ is the set of all μ -open sets and $\text{int}_\mu p = \bigvee \{x \in \mathfrak{O}_\mu : x \leq p\}$ is the μ -interior of p .

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The assignment $p \mapsto \text{int}_\mu p$ is monotone, idempotent and intensional, fixing every μ -open set; $\sigma_X \in \mathfrak{D}_\mu$, \mathfrak{D}_μ closed under finite meets; \mathfrak{D}_μ is closed under arbitrary joins if and only if for each $p \in \text{Sub}_M(X)$, $\text{int}_\mu p \in \mathfrak{D}_\mu$.

Furthermore, in such a case:

$$\mu(m) = \{p \in \text{Sub}_M(X) : m \leq \text{int}_\mu p\} \Leftrightarrow \mu(m) = \bigcup \{\uparrow q : m \leq q \in \mathfrak{D}_\mu\}.$$

(see Ghosh, “Internal neighbourhood structures”, Theorem 3.20).

In particular, neighbourhood systems have this property.

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- (a) *(X, μ) is compact.*
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- (c) *Every set of $*$ -closed subobjects of X with finite intersection property has a nonempty intersection.*
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since: If (X, μ) and (Y, ϕ) are preneighbourhood spaces in a context with finite product projections in \mathbf{E} , $X \times Y \xrightarrow{p_2} Y$ the product projection, $a \in \mathfrak{C}_{\mu \times \phi}$ then for any $y \in \text{Sub}_M(Y)$:
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 \downarrow u_X & & \downarrow u_X + u_Z & & \downarrow u_Z \\
 X & \xrightarrow{\iota_X} & X + Z & \xleftarrow{\iota_Z} & Z
 \end{array}$$

In fact, under these conditions: $\text{Sub}_M(X) \xrightleftharpoons[\iota_X^{-1}]{\exists \iota_X} \text{Sub}_M(X + Z) \xrightleftharpoons[\iota_Z^{-1}]{\exists \iota_Z} \text{Sub}_M(Z)$ is a

biprodut in $\mathcal{V}\text{-SemLat}$, (see Ghosh, “[Internal neighbourhood structures III: Finite sum of subobjects](#)”, Theorem 8.1); in general: $\text{Sub}_M(X + Z) \subseteq \text{Sub}_M(X) + \text{Sub}_M(Z)$.

In particular, $u_X + u_Z \in \text{Sub}_M(X) \Leftrightarrow u_Z = i_Z$.

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 $i_X \neq \exists_{p_1}(x, y) \leq \text{cl}_\mu k = k \in \hat{A} \Rightarrow i_X \neq \exists_{p_1}(x, y) \leq \bigwedge \hat{A} \leq \bigwedge A.$

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Theorem 6.1 (Filters cluster imply compactness)

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Theorem 6.2 (Compactness imply filters cluster)








In a lexensive context $\mathcal{A} = (\mathbb{A}, E, M)$ with finite product projections in E , if (X, μ) is compact then every filter cluster.







Theorem 6.3 (The Kuratowski-Mrowka Theorem)









In any lexensive context with finite product projections in E , if (X, μ) is a preneighbourhood space with μ -interiors μ -open and $\text{Sub}_M(X)$ is pseudocomplemented then the following are equivalent:



- (a) *(X, μ) is compact.*
- (b) *Every filter cluster.*
- (c) *Every set of $*$ -closed subobjects of X with finite intersection property has a nonempty intersection.*
- (d) *Every $*$ -open cover has a finite subcover.*

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