

WAI

If $\alpha, y \in B, B'$ and $\alpha \in C(B), y \in C(B')$, then $\alpha \in C(B')$.

x^* is optimal

$$\Leftrightarrow p y \geq p x^* = w, \forall y \in X^*$$

(budget hyperplane supports $\{x^*\}$ at x^* , $p x^* = w$ and $p y \geq w, \forall y \in X^*$)

Weak law
 $p x = w$

LNS

strictly increasing

V is strictly inc. in y

strictly convex

V is strictly quasi concave

continuous

U conti.

Q is upper semi-con.

Q is usc & ξ is conti

Q is single-valued. \Rightarrow WAI holds

$\partial p(x) = \{ \lambda p, w \}$

If $p y^0 \leq w, p y^1 > w^0$

WAI = (CD) (stronger)

given $w^1 = p^1 y^0$, $p^1 \cdot p^1 / (y^1 - y^0) \leq 0$.

$w^1 < w^0$

\tilde{u} on X
A continuous utility representation

Q is a convex set

Q is non-empty

V is continuous. (well-defined)

$$x \succsim y \Rightarrow U$$

$$C \Rightarrow \tilde{u}$$

If $C(\cdot)$ satisfies WAI and $C(B)$ is non-empty.

$C(\cdot)$ is rationalizable & unique \tilde{u} ckt.

$$C(C) = C(-)$$

\tilde{u} ckt on a finite X

\tilde{u} ckt on a countably infinite X

or

\tilde{u} ckt, anti. on a uncountably infinite X

(\Rightarrow continuous U)