

Proof. Let us fix $\mathbf{x} \in R$.

We proceed by induction. Let us show that if

$$F^\ell \in \text{Robust}_{\prod_{\lambda \leq \ell} \alpha^\lambda}(\mathbf{R}, r) ,$$

then

$$F^{\ell+1} \in \text{Robust}_{\prod_{\lambda \leq \ell+1} \alpha^\lambda}(\mathbf{R}, r) .$$

Indeed, let us fix ε s.t. $\|\varepsilon\| < r$, then:

$$\begin{aligned} & \|F^{\ell+1}(\mathbf{x} + \varepsilon) - F^{\ell+1}(\mathbf{x})\| \\ = & \|f^{\ell+1}(F^\ell(\mathbf{x} + \varepsilon)) - f^{\ell+1}(F^\ell(\mathbf{x}))\| . \end{aligned}$$

Note that as $F^\ell \in \text{Robust}_{\prod_{\lambda \leq \ell} \alpha^\lambda}(\mathbf{R}, r)$, it holds that:

$$\|F^\ell(\mathbf{x} + \varepsilon) - F^\ell(\mathbf{x})\| \leq \prod_{\lambda \leq \ell} (\alpha^\lambda) \|\varepsilon\| .$$

So we can write $F^\ell(\mathbf{x} + \varepsilon) = F^\ell(\mathbf{x}) + \varepsilon'$, where $\|\varepsilon'\| \leq \prod_{\lambda \leq \ell} (\alpha^\lambda) \|\varepsilon\| \leq r \prod_{\lambda \leq \ell} (\alpha^\lambda)$.

So, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} & \|F^{\ell+1}(\mathbf{x} + \varepsilon) - F^{\ell+1}(\mathbf{x})\| \\ = & \|f^{\ell+1}(F^\ell(\mathbf{x}) + \varepsilon') - f^{\ell+1}(F^\ell(\mathbf{x}))\| \\ \leq & \alpha^{\ell+1} \|\varepsilon'\| \leq \prod_{\lambda \leq \ell+1} (\alpha^\lambda) \|\varepsilon\| . \end{aligned}$$

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