

Contraction Mapping Theorem

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$f : X^{\text{complete metric space}} \rightarrow X \Rightarrow f$ has a unique fixed point.

We define $T_{\vec{y}} : \vec{x} \mapsto \vec{x} + \vec{y}$.

From Monday:

Lemma: Given $\vec{0} \in \mathcal{U}^{\text{open}} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$

$g : \mathcal{U} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is at least C^1

$g(\vec{0}) = \vec{0}$

$Dg(\vec{0}) = \text{Id}$

$0 < \varepsilon < 1$

Then $\exists \delta > 0$ s.t. $h = g - \text{Id}$ satisfies (1) $\|h(\vec{y}) - h(\vec{x})\| \leq \varepsilon \|\vec{y} - \vec{x}\|$ for $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in \mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \delta)$
 (2) $(1 - \varepsilon) \|\vec{y} - \vec{x}\| \leq \|g(\vec{y}) - g(\vec{x})\| \leq (1 + \varepsilon) \|\vec{y} - \vec{x}\|$
 (3) g is injective on $\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \delta)$.

Let $f : A^{\text{t.s.}} \rightarrow B^{\text{t.s.}}$.

Defn: f is continuous $\leftrightarrow f^{-1}(\mathcal{U})$ open in A when \mathcal{U} open in B .

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Suppose f is a bijection.

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f is a homeomorphism $\leftrightarrow f$ is open and continuous.

Let $\psi_{\vec{y}} : \vec{x} \mapsto \vec{y} - h(\vec{x})$ ($\vec{x} \in \mathcal{U}$). Pick $0 < \tilde{\delta} < \delta$.

Then $\vec{y} \in \mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, (1 - \varepsilon)\tilde{\delta})$, $\vec{x} \in \overline{\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \tilde{\delta})} \Rightarrow \|\psi_{\vec{y}}(\vec{x})\| \leq \|\vec{y}\| + \|h(\vec{x})\| \leq (1 - \varepsilon)\tilde{\delta} + \varepsilon\tilde{\delta} = \tilde{\delta}$.

So $\psi_{\vec{y}} : \overline{\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \tilde{\delta})} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \tilde{\delta})}$ with $\|\psi_{\vec{y}}(\vec{x}_1) - \psi_{\vec{y}}(\vec{x}_2)\| = \|h(\vec{x}_2) - h(\vec{x}_1)\| \leq \varepsilon \|\vec{x}_2 - \vec{x}_1\|$.

Therefore, $\psi_{\vec{y}} : \overline{\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \tilde{\delta})} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \tilde{\delta})}$ is a contraction. (We use the closure because $\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \tilde{\delta})$ is not a complete metric space, but $\overline{\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \tilde{\delta})}$ is.)

And so, by the contraction mapping theorem, $\exists \vec{x} \in \overline{\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \tilde{\delta})}$ s.t. $\psi_{\vec{y}}(\vec{x}) = \vec{x}$. But $\psi_{\vec{y}}(\vec{x}) = \vec{y} - h(\vec{x}) = \vec{y} - g(\vec{x}) + \vec{x}$. So $\vec{y} - g(\vec{x}) + \vec{x} = \vec{x}$. So $\vec{y} = g(\vec{x})$. And thus, $g(\mathcal{U}) \supset g(\overline{\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \tilde{\delta})}) \supset \mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, (1 - \varepsilon)\tilde{\delta})$.

Ex: Upgrade to $g(\mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, \delta)) \supset \mathcal{U}(\vec{0}, (1 - \varepsilon)\delta)$.

Conclude: Add $g(\mathcal{U}) \supset g(\vec{0}, (1 - \varepsilon)\delta)$ to the lemma. In particular, $\vec{0} \in \text{Int } g(\vec{u})$.

Thm: (Cousin of Inverse Function Theorem) Given $E^{\text{open}} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$, $f \in C^1(E, \mathbb{R}^n)$, and $\det Df \neq 0$ on E , then the following are true:

1. $\vec{a} \in E \rightarrow f(\vec{a}) \in \text{Int } f[E]$.
2. $f[E]$ is open in \mathbb{R}^n .
3. $f : E \rightarrow f[E]$ is an open map.

Cor: f as above and injective $\rightarrow f : E \rightarrow f[E]$, is a homeomorphism.

Proof:

(1) Apply lemma to $g = Df(\vec{a})^{-1} \circ T_{-f(\vec{a})} \circ f \circ T_{\vec{a}}$. We get $\vec{0} \in \text{Int}(\text{im}(g))$. $\vec{0} = Df(\vec{a})(\vec{0}) \in \text{im}(T_{-\vec{a}} \circ f \circ T_{\vec{a}})$.

We ignore $T_{\vec{a}}$ because it's bijective.

Apply $T_{f(\vec{a})}$. Then $f(\vec{a}) \in \text{Int}(\text{im}(f))$, so $f(\vec{a}) \in \text{Int}(f[E])$.

(2) Since all $f(\vec{a}) \in \text{Int}(f[E])$, $f[E]$ is open.

(3) For $\mathcal{U}^{\text{open}} \subset E$, apply (2) to $f|_{\mathcal{U}}$.

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Prop: f as in cor and $f \in C^r \Rightarrow f^{-1} \in C^r$.

The inverse function theorem follows from the lemma, the corollary, and the proposition.

Proof: For $r = 1$, $g = f^{-1}$, $\vec{b} = f(\vec{a})$, $M = Df(\vec{a})$, we need $\frac{g(\vec{b} + \vec{k}) - g(\vec{b}) - M^{-1}\vec{k}}{\|\vec{k}\|} \rightarrow \vec{0}$ as $\vec{k} \rightarrow \vec{0}$.

$$\frac{g(\vec{b} + \vec{k}) - g(\vec{b}) - M^{-1}\vec{k}}{\|\vec{k}\|} = \frac{\vec{h} - M^{-1}\vec{k}}{\|\vec{k}\|} = -M^{-1} \left(\frac{\vec{k} - M\vec{h}}{\|\vec{k}\|} \right) = -M^{-1} \left(\frac{f(\vec{a} + \vec{h}) - f(\vec{a}) - M\vec{h}}{\|\vec{h}\|} \right) \left(\frac{\|\vec{h}\|}{\|\vec{k}\|} \right).$$

$\left(\frac{\|\vec{h}\|}{\|\vec{k}\|} \right)$ is bounded for $\|\vec{k}\| < \delta$ by lemma (2). So it follows that $\vec{k} \rightarrow \vec{0}$ as $\vec{h} \rightarrow \vec{0}$. So $\frac{f(\vec{a} + \vec{h}) - f(\vec{a}) - M\vec{h}}{\|\vec{h}\|} \rightarrow \vec{0}$. So $M^{-1}\vec{0} = \vec{0}$. Thus, as $\vec{k} \rightarrow \vec{0}$, the other thing goes to $\vec{0}$.

We've now shown that g is differentiable. $Dg(\vec{b}) = Df(g(\vec{b}))^{-1}$. Still need Dg continuous.

$$f[\mathcal{U}] \xrightarrow[\text{cts}]{g} \mathcal{U} \xrightarrow[\text{cts}]{Df} \text{GL}(n, \mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow[\text{Thm 2.14}]{\text{inversion}} \text{GL}(n, \mathbb{R})$$

So Dg is the composition of continuous maps, and is therefore continuous. So Dg is continuous, and we're done for $r = 1$. For $r > 1$, recall that $g \in C^r \Leftrightarrow Dg \in C^{r-1}$.

Lemma: C^{r-1} mapping closed under composition.

Proof: Will be done on Friday.

Induction on r . Assume that prop holds for C^{r-1} . Then

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So $Dg \in C^{r-1}$. □