Notes of Infinite dimensional analysis

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Chapter 1

Odds and ends

1.1 Space of sequences

Definition 1.1. For $1 \le p < \infty$, ℓ_p is defined to be the set of all sequences $x. = (x_1, x_2, \cdots)$ for which $\|x\|_p < \infty$. Where

$$\|x\|_p = (\sum_1^\infty |x_i|^p)^{1/p}$$

is the ℓ_p **norm** of the sequences.

While ℓ_∞ is defined as the set of all $\sup\{|x_n|\} \le \infty$, such norm is called ℓ_∞ **norm**, **supremum norm** or **uniform norm**.

All of these spaces are vector space. And sequence $\{\ell_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ is increasing.

The space of all convergent sequence is denoted c and all sequences convergent to 0 is denoted c_0. Finally, the collection of sequences with finite nonzero terms is φ. One can check that

$$\varphi \subset \ell_p \subset c_0 \subset \ell_\infty \subset \mathbb{R}^n$$

1.2 Spaces of functions

One can think $\mathbb{R}^n$ as

$$\{f : \{1, 2, \cdots, n\} \to \mathbb{R}\} = \mathbb{R}^n = \mathbb{R}^{\{1,2,\cdots,n\}}$$

Replace $\{1, 2, \cdots, n\}$ by an arbitrary X, then $\mathbb{R}^X$ is all functions from X to $\mathbb{R}$.

For $1 \leq p < \infty$, $L_p(\mu)$ is defined to be the set of all μ measurable functions f for which $\|f\|_p < \infty$, where the L_p **norm** is defined as

$$\|f\|_p = (\int_\Omega |f|^p)^{1/p}$$

And the L_∞ **norm**, or **essential supremum** is defined as

$$\|f\|_\infty = \operatorname{ess\,sup} f = \sup\{t : \mu(\{x : |f(x)| \geq t\})0\}$$

1.3   Ordinals

Suppose R is an order relation on Ω, then Ω is said to be **inductivelt ordered** by R if every totally ordered subset has an **supremum**.

Zorn's Lemma states that every inductively ordered set has a maximal element.

Definition 1.2. A set X is **well ordered** by linear $\preceq$ if every nonempty subset has a least element.

Definition 1.3. An **initial segement** of $(X, \preceq)$ is any set of the form $I(x) = \{y \in X : y \leq x\}$.

Definition 1.4. An **ideal** in a well ordered X is a subset A s.t. forall $a \in A$, $I(a) \subset A$.

Theorem 1.1 (Well Ordering Principle). *Every nonempty set can be well ordered.*

Proof. Let X nonempty, and let

$$\mathcal{X} = \{(A, \preceq_A) \text{ is well order} : A \subset X\}$$

all well ordered sets, and define $\preceq$ on $\mathcal{X}$ as $(B, \preceq_B) \preceq (A, \preceq_A)$ if B is an ideal in A and $\preceq_A$ extends $\preceq_B$. Suppose every chain $\mathcal{C}$ in $\mathcal{X}$, $(\cup \mathcal{C}, \cup\{\prec_A : A \in \mathcal{C}\})$ clearly an upper bound of $\mathcal{C}$ and well ordered. By Zorn's lemma, there is a maximal element of $\mathcal{X}$ and it's actually X. $\qquad\square$

Kind of remarkable and useful well ordered set is exist:

Theorem 1.2. *There exist poset $(\Omega, \preceq)$ satisfy*

1. *$(\Omega, \preceq)$ is weel ordered.*
2. *Ω has a greast element ω_1*
3. *$I(x)$ is countable for $x < \omega_1$*
4. *$\{y \in \Omega : x \leq y \leq \omega_1\}$ is uncountable.*

> 5. *Every nonempty subset of Ω has a least upper bound.*
> 6. *A nonempty subset of $\Omega - \{\omega_1\}$ has greatst element iff it's countable. Every uncountable subset has least upper bound ω_1.*

Proof. Let $(X, \preceq)$ be uncountable well ordered set, and let A

$$A = \{x \in X : I(x) \text{is uncountable}\}$$

w.l.o.g we may assume A is nonempty. Then there is a first element and denoted by ω_1. Then we show that $\Omega = I(\omega_1)$ enjoy all the properies.

1-4 is straightforward and 5 follows from all the upper bound is well ordered and thus least upper bound exist. For 6, suppose there is a countable $C \subset \Omega - \{\omega_1\}$, then $\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} I(x_i)$ is countable, so there is some $x < \omega_1 \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} I(x_i)$, that is an upper bound. By 5, least upper bound is exist and belong to C. Conversely, if some subset C has some least upper bound $b < \omega_1$, then $C \subset I(b)$ and must countable. $\square$

The elements of Ω are called **ordinals** and ω_1 is called **first uncountable ordinal**. The elements of $\Omega_0 = \Omega - \{\omega_1\}$ is **countable ordinals**. We treat $\mathbb{N}$ as a subset of Ω. Then the first element of $\Omega - \mathbb{N}$ is **first infinite ordinal**.

Theorem 1.3 (Interlacing Lemma)**.** *Suppose sequence $\{x_n\}$ and $\{y_n\}$ in Ω_0 with $x_n \leq y_n \leq x_{n+1}$. Then they share the same least upper bound.*

Proof. Clearly since $x_n \leq y_n \leq x_{n+1}$.
$\square$

Chapter 2

Topology

2.1 Topological spaces

Let Ω be as space

Definition 2.1. A class of subset τ of Ω is an **topology** if

1. $\emptyset$ and Ω belongs to τ.
2. closed under arbitrary union.
3. closed under finite intersection.

(Ω, τ) called a **topological space** where Ω is called as **uderlying set**. The sets in τ are called **open** while sets with complement in τ is **closed**. Both open and closed set is called **clopen**.

Definition 2.2. Countable intersection of open sets is $\mathcal{G}_\sigma$ set and countable union of closed sets is $\mathcal{F}_\delta$ set.

Following is some examples of topological space.

Definition 2.3. (X, ρ) is a **semimetric space**, when ρ defined on $X \times X$ s.t. $\forall x, y, z \in X$:

1. $\rho(x, y) \geq 0$
2. $\rho(x, y) = \rho(y, x)$
3. $\rho(x, y) \leq \rho(x, z) + \rho(z, y)$

ρ is called a **semimetric**.

If $\rho(x, y) = 0 \iff x = y$, ρ become a **metric** and (X, ρ) become **metric space**. $B(a, r) = \{x \in E, d(x, a) < r\}$ is r-**ball** with center a.

U is **open** in (Ω, d) iff $\forall x \in U, \exists r_x 0 \ni B_d(x, r_x) \subseteq U$. Let τ_d be the set of all open subsets of Ω, we call τ_d the **topology generated by** d. A Topological space is **metrizable** if there exist metric d generates it.

Suppose d is discrete, that is, $d(x,y) = 0$ iff $x = y$, otherwise, $d(x,y) = 1$. Then every subset is open hence $\tau_d = \mathcal{P}(\Omega)$ and called **discrete topology**. The zero semimetric, defined by $d(x,y) = 0$ for all $x, y \in \Omega$ generates $\tau_d = \{\emptyset, \Omega\}$ and called **trivial topology**.

Let $\Omega = \mathbb{R}^n$, $l^2 = \sqrt{\sum_1^n (x_i - y_i)^2}$ is called **Euclidean metric**. $l^1 = \sum_1^n |x_i - y_i|$ is called **texi-cab metric** and $l^\infty = \sup\{|x_i - y_i|\}$ is called **sup norm metric**.

Note $d_{l^2}(x,y) \leq d_{l^1}(x,y) \leq \sqrt{n}d_{l^2}(x,y)$ and $d_{l^2}(x,y) \leq \sqrt{n}d_{l^\infty}(x,y) \leq \sqrt{n}d_{l^2}(x,y)$, then d_{l^∞} open $\iff$ d_{l^2} open $\iff$ d_{l^1} open. Hence $\tau_{d_{l^2}} = \tau_{d_{l^1}} = \tau_{d_{l^\infty}}$.

All topologies on Ω is poset with greatest element $\mathcal{P}(\Omega)$ and least $\{\emptyset, \Omega\}$. If $\tau' \subset \tau$, we say τ' **coarser** than τ while τ finer than τ'.

If τ can be form by taking union of families in some $\mathcal{B} \subset \tau$, we call $\mathcal{B}$ the **base** for the topology τ.

Theorem 2.1. *$\mathcal{B}$ is a base in (X,τ) iff $\forall U \in \tau, \forall x \in U, \exists W \in \mathcal{B} \ni x \in W \subset U$.*

Proof. $\implies$: Any U can be written as $U = \cup W_i$ and $x \in U \implies x \in W_i$ for some i and $W_i \in \mathcal{B}$. $\impliedby$: For any $U \in T$, consider arbitrary $x \in U$, then there exist W_x such that $x \in W_x \subset U$, thus we have $U = \cup_x W_x$. $\square$

Let $\mathcal{S} \subset \tau$, suppose all topologies include $\mathcal{S}$. Then the intersection of all of them is again a topology, denoted as $\tau(S) = \cap T$, then $\tau(\mathcal{S})$ is the smallest topology contains $\mathcal{S}$. We call it the topology **generated** by $\mathcal{S}$.

Theorem 2.2. *$\tau(\mathcal{S})$ is unions of families of finite intersections together with Ω, formally:*

$$\{\bigcup(\bigcap_1^N S_i)\} \cup \Omega$$

$\mathcal{S} \subset \tau$ is a **subbase** for τ if all finite intersections of $\mathcal{S}$ is a base. Note that if $\Omega \in \mathcal{S}$, $\mathcal{S}$ is the subbase of $\tau(\mathcal{S})$. (Ω, τ) is **second countable** if τ has countable base. Clearly, a topology is second countable iff it has countable subbase.

For any subset X in (Ω, τ), then

$$\tau_X = \{X \cap V : V \in \tau\}$$

form a topology in X and we call (X, τ_X) a **subspace** or **relative topology**. Sets in τ_X are **relative open**. **Relative closed** sets of the form

$$X - (X \cap V) = X - V = X \cap V^c$$

2.2 Neighborhood

A subset V is called a **neighborhood** of a if there exists a open set $U \subset V$ contains a. Then we called $V' = V - \{a\}$ **punctured(deleted)** neighborhood. A **neighborhood base** is a collection of neighborhood $BN(a)$ s.t. for any neighborhood V of a, there exist a $W \in BN(a)$ and $W \subset V$. Clearly, all the neighborhoods is a neighborhood base and denoted as $\mathcal{N}(x)$, which is called **neighborhood system**.

Lemma 2.1. *A subset U is open iff it's a neighborhood for each of its points.*

Proof. $\implies$ is trival. $\impliedby$ follows from $\cup_x G_x = U$ and unions of open set is still open. ∎ □

This suggest a equivalent definition of finear topology:

Lemma 2.2. $\tau' \subset \tau \iff \tau'$ *neighborhood is a τ neighborhood.*

Proof. $\implies$ any open set G_x satisfy $x \in G_x \subset V$ in T' is still open in T, hence V is T neighborhood. $\impliedby$ Consider any open set $G \in T'$, it's a T' neighborhood for each of its points implies it's a T neighborhood for each of its points and hence G is T open. □

2.3 Closures

The **interior** of A is the union of all open sets which are included A, i.e., the largest open set included in A, we denote it A°. And the **closure** is the intersection of all closed sets which include A and thus the smallest closed set includes A, we denote it $\overline{A}$.

Lemma 2.3. *Following is some useful truth:*

1. $(A \cap B)^\circ = A^\circ \cap B^\circ$
2. $\overline{A \cup B} = \overline{A} \cup \overline{B}$
3. $A \subset \overline{B} \implies \overline{A} \subset \overline{B}$
4. $A^\circ \subset B \implies A^\circ \subset B^\circ$
5. $\overline{A^c} = (A^\circ)^c$
6. $(\overline{A})^c = (A^c)^\circ$

Proof. We only prove **5**, note $(A^\circ)^c$ is closed and

$$A^\circ \subset A \implies (A^c) \subset (A^\circ)^c$$

we have $\overline{A^c} \subset (A^\circ)^c$. On the other hand

$$\overline{A^c} \supset (A^\circ)^c \impliedby (\overline{A^c})^c \subset A^\circ \impliedby (\overline{A^c})^c \subset A \impliedby \overline{A^c} \supset A^c$$

$\square$

The **frontier** of A is $\partial A = \overline{A} \cap \overline{A^c} = \overline{A} \cap (A^\circ)^c = \overline{A} - A^\circ$.

x is said to be an **interior point** of A if A is neighborhood of x.

x is said to be an **adherent point** if it's every neighborhood meets A, an ω **accumulation point** of A if every neighborhood of x contains **infinitely** many points of A and is a **condensation point** of A if every neighborhood of x contains **uncountable** many points of A.

x is a **cluster point** or **accumulation point** if every deleted neighborhood of x meets A and is **isolated point** if x is not cluster point. That is, $\{x\}$ is relative open in A. We denoted all the cluster points as A' and called **derived set**.

x is **frontier point** or **boundary point** if every neighborhood of x meets both A and A^c.

It's east to show that the points of A° are precisely all the interior points of A and $\overline{A}$ are precisely all the adherent points. ∂A is precisely points of frontier. We claim that

$$\overline{A} = A^\circ \cup \partial A = A \cup A'$$

A subset A is called **perfect** if it's closed while point in A is cluster points in A, that is $A' = A = \overline{A}$.

2.4   Dense

A is said **dense** if $\overline{A} = \Omega$ and **nowhere dense** if $(\overline{A})^\circ = \emptyset$ ($\mathbb{Q}$ is dense in $\mathbb{R}$ while $\mathbb{Z}$ is nowhere dense.) A is said to be **meagre** or **set of the first category** if it's countable union of nowhere dense. Sets which are not meagre is **set of the second** category set.

Space (Ω, τ) is **first countable** if every point of Ω has countable neighborhood base. The space is said **separable** if Ω has a countable dense subset.

Lemma 2.4. *Second countable space is separable*

Proof. Suppose $\mathcal{B} = (B_i)_{i \in I}$ is a countable base, by axiom of choice, we may take x_i in I, let $X = \{x_i\}_{i \in I} \subset \Omega$. Then we show that X is dense. For any $x \in \Omega$, it's neighborhood must contain some open G which is unions of $\mathcal{B}$ and thus contains at least one element in X, that is, G meet X. Hence $\overline{X} = \Omega$. $\square$

Lemma 2.5. *Second countable space is first countable*

Proof. Suppose $\mathcal{B} = (B_i)_{i \in I}$ is a countable base, for each point $x \in \Omega$, one may take all the sets in $\mathcal{B}$ which contains x as a neighborhood base. To verify it's neighborhood base, if there is a neighborhood N of x, then there is a open G contains x. By the definition of base, G is the union of sets of $\mathcal{B}$ and those sets must at least one contains x and these sets is subset to G. □

2.5 Mappings

Suppose (Ω, τ) and (Ω', τ') are two spaces and f is a mapping from Ω to Ω' in the following.

Lemma 2.6. *Follwing is some useful truth for mappings.*

1. *$ff^{-1}(A) \subset A$*
2. *$f^{-1}f(A) \supset A$*
3. *$f^{-1}(U \cap N) = f^{-1}(U) \cap f^{-1}(N)$*
4. *$f^{-1}(U \cup N) = f^{-1}(U) \cup f^{-1}(N)$*
5. *$f^{-1}(A^c) = (f^{-1}(A))^c$*
6. *$f^{-1}f(A) = A$ always holds if f is injection while $ff^{-1}(A) = A$ always holds if g is surjection.*
7. *If f is bijection, $(f^{-1})^{-1}(A) = f(A)$ always hold.*
8. *$(f \circ g)^{-1}(A) = g^{-1}f^{-1}(A)$*
9. *$f^{-1}(A) \subset f^{-1}(B) \iff A \subset B$*
10. *$f(A) \subset f(B) \iff A \subset B$*

Definition 2.4. f is **continuous** at x if for every neighborhood N' of $f(x)$, there is a neighborhood N of x s.t. $f(N) \subset N'$. It's continuous if it's continuous at every points $x \in \Omega$.

Theorem 2.3. *f is continuous iff*

1. *$f^{-1}(G')$ is open for every open subset G' of Ω'.*
2. *$f^{-1}(F')$ is closed for every closed subset F' of Ω'.*
3. *If $A \subset \Omega'$, then $f^{-1}(A^\circ) \subset (f^{-1}(A))^\circ$*
4. *If $A \subset \Omega$, then $f(\overline{A} \subset \overline{f(A)})$*

Proof. We only prove 1 and 3.

$1 \implies$: For any $x \in f^{-1}(G')$, it's sufficient to show that $f^{-1}(G')$ is its neighborhood. By definition, there is a neighborhood N s.t. $f(N) \subset G'$, and

$$x \in N \subset f^{-1}f(N) \subset f^{-1}(G')$$

$\impliedby$: For every neighborhood N', there is some open G' contain $f(x)$, and $f^{-1}(G')$ is neighborhood of x and $ff^{-1}(G') \subset G'$.

$3 \implies :$ $f^{-1}(A^\circ)$ is open and th claim follows from $f^{-1}(A\circ) \subset f^{-1}(A)$. $\impliedby :$ Suppose A is open, then $A^\circ = A$ and hence $f^{-1}(A) \subset (f^{-1}(A))^\circ$. Which suggets $f^{-1}(A)$ is open. $\qquad\square$

Lemma 2.7. *Suppose $f : \Omega_1 \to \Omega_2$ and $g : \Omega_2 \to \Omega_3$, $f \circ g$ is continuous if f and g are continuous.*

Proof. Suppose G_3 is open and the claims follows from $(f \circ g)^{-1}(G_3) = f^{-1}(g^{-1}(G_3))$. $\qquad\square$

Lemma 2.8. *Suppose $f : (\Omega, \tau), (\Omega', \tau(\mathcal{S}))$, f is continous iff $f^{-1}(S) \in \tau$ for any $S \in \mathcal{S}$.*

(Ω, τ) and (Ω', τ') are said to be **homeomorphic** if there exist continuous bijection f, s.t f^{-1} is continuous and such f is called **homeomorphism**. In particular, f is an **embedding** if $f : (\Omega, \tau) \to (f(\Omega), \tau|f(\Omega))$ ia a homeomorphism.

f is **open** if $f(G)$ is open for all open set $G \in \tau$ and is **closed** if $f(F)$ is closed for all closed set $f(F)^c \in \tau$.

Lemma 2.9. *Suppose f is bijection, then it's homeomorphism iff it's continuous and either open or closed.*

Proof. By the continuity of f^{-1}, since $(f^{-1})^{-1}(G) = f(G)$ for all open set G.

$$f^{-1} \text{ is continuous} \iff f(G) \text{ is open} \iff f \text{ is open} .$$

$\qquad\square$

Lemma 2.10. *Suppose f is bijection, it's a homeomorphism iff τ' is the finest topology where f continuous.*

Proof. Suppose f is homeomorphism, T_0 is another topology where f is continuous. For any $G \in \tau_0$, $f^{-1}(G) \in \tau$ by the continuity of f^{-1},

$$G = (f^{-1})^{-1}(f^{-1}(G)) \in \tau'$$

That is τ' is finer than any τ_0. $\qquad\square$

Note that $\mathcal{P}(\Omega)$ let all f continuous and $\{\emptyset, \Omega\}$ let all $g : \Omega' \to \Omega$ continuous.

2.6 Filter

Definition 2.5. A **filter** is a non-empty collection $\mathcal{F}$ of subset in Ω s.t.

1. $A \in \mathcal{F}, A \subset \mathcal{B} \implies \mathcal{B} \in \mathcal{F}$
2. Closed under finite intersection.
3. $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{F}$

Note the definition of $\mathcal{F}$ is independent with topology τ. A **free filter** is filter with $\ker \mathcal{F} = \emptyset$. Not free filters are called **fixed**.

Filter can be formed by take upward closure of a filter base.

Definition 2.6. A collection $\mathcal{B}$ of subset in Ω is a **fiter base** of or **prefilter** if

1. $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{F}$
2. $\forall N \in \mathcal{F}, \exists W \in \mathcal{B} \ni W \subset N$

We say $\mathcal{B}$ generates $\mathcal{F}$, where

$$\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{B}^{\uparrow} = \left\{ X \in \mathcal{P}(\Omega) : \exists A \in \mathcal{B} \ni X \supset A \right\}$$

For example,

- Suppose $x \in \Omega$ then

$$\mathcal{N}(x) = \{\text{All neighbourhoods of } x\}$$

  is a filter on Ω, that is, **neighbourhood filter**, while each neighborhood base is a base for this filter. Note

$$\tau(x) = \{X \in \tau : x \in X\}$$

  is a base for $\mathcal{N}(x)$ and thus $\mathcal{N}(x) = \tau(x)^{\uparrow}$.

- Suppose Ω is infinite, the collection of all **cofinite** subsets(subset s with finite complement) is a filter on Ω, such filter is free and called **Frechet filter**.

To assert a collection is a base, we have

Theorem 2.4. *Let $\mathcal{B}$ be a collection of nonempty subsets. Then $\mathcal{B}$ is a filter base, that is, $\mathcal{B}$ may generates a filter iff*

1. *The intersection of each finite family of sets in $\mathcal{B}$ inclueds a set in $\mathcal{B}$*
2. *$\mathcal{B}$ is non-empty and $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{B}$.*

Proof. We claim that

$$\mathcal{F} = \{X \in \mathcal{P}(\Omega) : \exists A \in \mathcal{B} \ni X \supset A\}$$

$\mathcal{F}$ is the filter generated by $\mathcal{B}$. $\square$

A filter $\mathcal{F}$ is **finer** than anoter $\mathcal{G}$ if $\mathcal{F} \subset \mathcal{G}$.

Lemma 2.11. *The set of all filters on Ω is inductively ordered by inclusion.*

By Zorn's lemma, the set of all filters has maximal filters and we call such fliters **ultrafilters**.

Lemma 2.12. *Every fixed ultrafilter of the form*

$$\mathcal{U}(x) = \{x\}^{\uparrow}$$

for any $x \in \Omega$. And every free ultrafilter contains no finite subsets.

To assert a filter is ultra, we have:

Theorem 2.5. *Let A be a collection of subsets and $\mathcal{F}$ the filter generates by A. If*

$$\forall X \subset \Omega, \text{ either } X \in A \text{ or } X^c \in A$$

then A is an ultrafilter on Ω.

Proof. Suppose $\mathcal{F}'$ is an ultrafilter include $\mathcal{F}$, we have $\mathcal{F}' \supset A$ clearly. Consider any $X \in \mathcal{F}'$, we claim that $X \in A$ since if $X^c \in A$ then $X^c \in \mathcal{F}'$ as $\mathcal{F}' \supset \mathcal{F} \supset A$ and $X \cap X^c = \emptyset \in \mathcal{F}'$ results in a contradiction. It follows that $A \supset \mathcal{F}'$ and thus $A = \mathcal{F}'$. $\square$

Theorem 2.6. *Every filter $\mathcal{F}$ is the intersection of all the ultrafilter which include $\mathcal{F}$.*

Proof. We claim that

$$\mathcal{F} = \cap\{\text{ultrafilter generates by } \{x\} : x \in \cap\mathcal{F}\}$$

                                      $\square$

Suppose mappings on a filter:

Theorem 2.7. *Let f be a mapping from Ω to Ω' and $\mathcal{B}$ a base for a fliter $\mathcal{F}$ on Ω. Then $f(\mathcal{B}) = \{f(X)\}_{X \in B}$ is also a base on Ω'. Moreover, if $\mathcal{F}$ is ultra then $f(\mathcal{B})$ also generates an ultrafilter.*

Proof. First assertion is straightforward and the second follows from $\mathcal{B}$ is collection of supset for some $\{x\}$, then $f(\mathcal{B})$ generates the fliter that generates by $\{f(x)\}$. $\square$

Theorem 2.8. *In the same situation as previous theorem. If $\mathcal{B}'$ is a base on Ω', then $f^{-1}(\mathcal{B}')$ is a base on Ω iff every set in $\mathcal{B}'$ meets $f(\Omega)$*

Proof. We have

$$\Omega \in f^{-1}(\mathcal{B}') \implies f(\Omega) \subset X'$$

for some $X' \in f^{-1}(\mathcal{B}')$, by definition, $\implies$ is immediately.

For $\impliedby$, suppose any finite family $X_i \in \mathcal{B}'$, then

$$\bigcap_{i=1} f^{-1}(X_i) = f^{-1}(\bigcap_i X_i) \in f^{-1}(\mathcal{B}')$$

Then the claim follows from theorem 2.4. $\square$

A point $x \in \Omega$ is said to be a **limit** or a **limit point** of the fliter $\mathcal{F}$ and $\mathcal{F}$ is said to **converge** to x, or $\mathcal{F} \to x$, if the neighborhood filter $\mathcal{N}(x) \subset \mathcal{F}$. For filter base $\mathcal{B}$, we define on the filter generated by $\mathcal{B}$, that is, if $\mathcal{N}(x) \subset \mathcal{B}^{\uparrow}$.

This implies a equivalent definition of finer topology:

$$\tau \supset \tau' \iff \mathcal{N}_{\tau}(x) \supset \mathcal{N}_{\tau'}(x) \iff \mathcal{F} \to a \implies \mathcal{F}' \to a$$

also, an equivalent definition of continuity as follows:

Theorem 2.9. $f : (\Omega, \tau) \to (\Omega', \tau')$ *is continous at x iff*

$$\forall \mathcal{F} \to x, f(\mathcal{F}) \to f(x)$$

Proof. By definition, $f(\mathcal{F}) \to f(x)$ if

$$\mathcal{N}(f(x)) \subset f(\mathcal{F})^{\uparrow}$$

That is, for any neighbourhood $N' \in \mathcal{N}(f(x))$, there exist some $A \in \mathcal{F}$ s.t. $f(A) \subset N'$, as $\mathcal{N}(x) \subset \mathcal{F}$ and f is continous at x, such A is always exists. Conversely, take $\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{N}(x)$ then the claim is follows $\square$

A point $x \in \Omega$ is said to be an **adherent point** of $\mathcal{F}$ if x is an adherent point of every set in $\mathcal{F}$. The **adherence** of $\mathcal{F}$, $\mathrm{Adh}_\tau(\mathcal{F})$ or $\overline{\mathcal{F}}$ is the set of all adherent points, thus

$$\overline{\mathcal{F}} = \bigcap_{X \in F} \overline{X}$$

Define similarly on filter base $\mathcal{B}$ by the filter generated. By definition, we have

$$\overline{\mathcal{B}} = \bigcap_{X \in B} \overline{X}$$

Lemma 2.13. *Suppose A be a subset of Ω, then $x \in \overline{A}$ iff there is a filter $\mathcal{F}$ s.t. $A \in \mathcal{F}$ and $\mathcal{F}$ converges to x.*

Theorem 2.10. *Suppose $BN(x)$ a neighbourhood base of x, then*

1. *$\mathcal{B}$ converges to x iff every set in $BN(x)$ includes a set in $\mathcal{B}$.*
2. *$x \in \overline{\mathcal{B}}$ iff every set in $BN(x)$ meets every set in $\mathcal{B}$.*

As consequence, we have

Corollary 2.1. *x is adherent to a filter $\mathcal{F}$ iff there is $\mathcal{F}' \supset \mathcal{F}$ and converges to x*

Proof. $\implies$ follows from taking $\mathcal{F} = BN(x)$. Conversely, $\forall N \in BN(x)$, we have $X' \subset N$ for some $X' \in \mathcal{F}'$, thus for any $X \in \mathcal{F}$, $N \cap X \subset X' \cap X \neq \emptyset$ as $X', X \in \mathcal{F}'$. $\qquad\square$

Corollary 2.2. *Every limit point of $\mathcal{F}$ is adherent to $\mathcal{F}$*

Proof. Clearly holds by applying theorem 2.10.1 and 2.10.2. $\qquad\square$

Corollary 2.3. *Every adherent point of an ultra-filter is a limit point of it.*

Proof. Clearly as kernal of ultrafilter is a one point set. $\qquad\square$

Suppose $f : (\Omega, \tau) \to (\Omega', \tau')$, a point $x' \in \Omega'$ is called

1. a **limit point** of f relative to $\mathcal{F}$ if $f(\mathcal{F}) \to x$.
2. an **adherent point** of f relative $\mathcal{F}$ if it's adherent point of $f(\mathcal{F})$.

Theorem 2.11. *Suppose $f : (\Omega, \tau) \to (\Omega', \tau')$*

1. *x' is a limit point of f relative to $\mathcal{F}$ iff for any τ' neighbourhood $N' \in \mathcal{N}(x')$, we have $f^{-1}(N') \in \mathcal{F}$.*
2. *x' is an adherent point of f relative to $\mathcal{F}$ iff for any τ' neighbourhood $N' \in \mathcal{N}(x')$, it meets $f(X)$ for any $X \in \mathcal{F}$.*

Proof. x' is limit is equivalent to

$$\mathcal{N}(x') \subset f(\mathcal{F})^{\uparrow}$$

That is, there exist some $A = f(X) \subset N'$ for any N', followed by $X \subset f^{-1}f(X) \subset f^{-1}(N')$, then the claim follows from the definition of filter.

By theorem 2.10, x' is adherent to $f(\mathcal{F})$ iff

$$\forall N' \in BN(x'), \forall X \in \mathcal{F}, f(X) \cap N' \neq \emptyset$$

note for any $N' \in N'(x')$, there exist $N' \in BN(x') \ni N' \subset N'$, thus $f(X) \cap N' \neq \emptyset$ also holds. Conversely, making use of $BN(x') \subset N'(x')$. $\qquad\square$

For example, suppose $f : (\mathbb{N}, \tau) \to (\Omega', \tau')$ and $\mathcal{F}$ the frechet filter on $\mathbb{N}$. Then x' is limit of f relative to $\mathcal{F}$ iff for all $N' \in N'(x')$, $f^{-1}(N') \in \mathcal{F} \iff f^{-1}(N')^c \subset [0, k] \iff f^{-1}(N') \supset \{n \in \mathbb{N} : n \geq k\}$ for some k, that is, $f(n) \in N'$ for any $n \geq k$.

Theorem 2.12. *Suppose $f : (\Omega, \tau) \to (\Omega', \tau')$ and let $\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{N}(x)$. By theorm 9, x' is limit of f relative to $\mathcal{N}(x)$ iff for all $N' \in \mathcal{N}(x')$, $f^{-1}(N') \in \mathcal{N}(x) \iff N \subset f^{-1}(N') \iff f(N) \subset N'$ for some $N \in \mathcal{N}(x)$. That is, iff $x' = f(x)$, f is continous at x. Such limit points also called limit points of f at x.*

2.7   Net

$(D, \preceq)$ is called a **directed set** if every couple $\{x, y\}$ in which has an upper bound.

If $\{D_i\}_{i \in I}$ is family of directed set then $D = \prod_{i \in I} D_i$ is also directed under **product direction** defined by $(a_i)_{i \in I} \succeq (b_i)_{i \in I}$ for all $i \in I$.

Definition 2.7. Let $(D, \preceq)$ be a directed set, $\nu : D \to \Omega$ is called a **net** in Ω with domain D. The directed set is called **index set** of the net and members of D are **indexes**. We often write ν as $x.$ or $\{x_\alpha\}$.

Suppose A a subset of Ω, we say $x.$ **eventually in** A if there exist some $k \in D$ s.t. $x_n \in A$ for all $n \succeq k$. And we say ν is **frequently** in A if for all $n \in D$, there exist an $n' \succeq n$ s.t. $x_{n'} \in A$.

Lemma 2.14. *If $x.$ not frequently in A, then $x.$ eventually in A^c. Thus, for any $X \in \Omega$, $x.$ frequently in either X or X^c.*

Suppose $x \in \Omega$, then $x.$ is said **converge** to x, or $x. \to x$ if $x.$ eventually in N for all $N \in \mathcal{N}(x)$, i.e., $\mathcal{N}(x) \subset \mathcal{F}(x.)$. The point x is **adherent** to $x.$ if $x.$ frequently in N for all $N \in \mathcal{N}(x)$.

Theorem 2.13. *Suppose $A \in (\Omega, \tau)$, then $x \in \overline{A}$ iff it's the limit of some net in the set.*

Proof. $\Longleftarrow$ is clear. $\Longrightarrow$ follows from we may find a associated net taking value in A(since each neighborhood meets A) and such net converges to x. $\square$

As with sequence, if $x.$ is bounded, there is

$$\liminf x. = \sup\inf x. \preceq \limsup x. = \inf\sup x$$

Subnet generalizes subsequence.

Definition 2.8. Suppose D is directed, a subset B of D is called **cofinal** if for any $a \in D$, there exist $b \in B$ s.t. $a \preceq b$. A map $f : D \to A$ is **final** if $f(D)$ is cofinal of A.

Let $x.$ and $x.'$ are two nets in Ω with domains D and D' respectively. We say that $x.'$ is a **subnet** of $x.$ if there exists a final mapping $\varphi : D' \to D$ s.t. $x'_\alpha = x_{\varphi(\alpha)}$.

Theorem 2.14. *Let $\mathcal{A}$ be a collection of subsets that $x.$ is frequently in. If $\mathcal{A}$ is closed under finite intersection, then there exists a subnet $x'.$ of $x.$ and $x.'$ eventually in every member of $\mathcal{A}$*

Lemma 2.15. *Suppose $x.'$ is subnet of $x.$, we have*

1. *$x. \to x \implies x.' \to x$*
2. *x adherent to $x.' \implies x$ adherent to $x..$*

Theorem 2.15. *A point x is adherent to $x.$ iff there is a subnet converges to $x.$ While $x. \to x$ iff every subnet converges to $x.$*

Proof. $\Longrightarrow$ is clear by lemma2.15. Conversely, suppose a is not adherent to x, there exist a neighborhood N that $x.$ not frequently in, i.e., exist k s.t. $x_n \notin N$ for any $n \geq k$, thus there is no subnet eventually in N.

For the second part, $\Longrightarrow$ is also clear by lemma2.15 and $\Longleftarrow$ comes from taking subnet as itself. $\square$

A net $x.$ is called **ultranet** or **universal net** if for all $X \in \Omega$, we have either $x.$ eventually in X or $x.$ eventually in X^c. Clearly, subnet of ultranet is ultra and

Lemma 2.16. *Every net has a ultra subnet.*

Proof. Consider collection of $\mathcal{Q}$ s.t. $x.$ is frequently in every member and closed under finite intersection. By Zorn's Lemma, there is a maximal $\mathcal{Q}_0$. By theorem 11, $x.$ has a subnet $x.'$ which eventually in every member of $\mathcal{Q}_0$. We claim that this subnet is ultra since, $\mathcal{Q}_0$ is maximal and thus either $X \in \mathcal{Q}_0$ or $X^c \in \mathcal{Q}_0$. $\square$

2.8 Nets and filters

Let

$$\mathcal{F}(x.) = \{X \in \mathcal{P}(\Omega) : x. \text{ is eventually in } X\}$$

Then $\mathcal{F}(x.)$ is a filter and we call it the **filter associated with the net** $x.$.

Theorem 2.16. *Associated filter is the upward closure of the net's tail, that is*

$$\mathcal{F}(x.) = \{\{x_b : b \succeq a\} : a \in D\}$$

Motivated by the definition of filter that filter is closed under pairwise intersection, let $X \preceq Y \iff X \supset Y$, then any mapping $\nu : \mathcal{F} \to \Omega$ s.t. $\nu(X) \in X$ is a **net associated with the filter** $\mathcal{F}$.

By definition, we claim that $\mathcal{F}$ is the associated filter of every associated net and $x.$ is an associted net of the associated fiter.

Theorem 2.17. *Filter $\mathcal{F} \to x$ iff $x. \to x$ for any $x.$ associated with $\mathcal{F}$.*

Proof. Note

$$\forall N \in \mathcal{N}(x), x. \text{ eventually in } N \iff \mathcal{N}(x) \subset \mathcal{F}(x.)$$

Then is sufficient to show that $\mathcal{F}(x.) = \mathcal{F}$. It's follows from for any $X \in \mathcal{F}$, $x.$ eventually in X. $\qquad \square$

Theorem 2.18.
$$x. \to x \iff \mathcal{F}(x.) \to x$$

Proof. Both side is equivalent to $\mathcal{N}(x) \subset \mathcal{F}(x.)$ $\qquad \square$

Theorem 2.19. *Suppose $f : (\Omega, \tau) \to (\Omega, \tau)$, then f is continous at x iff $\forall x. \to x$, $f(x.) \to f(x)$.*

Proof. By theorem 2.18,2.17 and 2.12. $\qquad \square$

By above theorems, we have

$$\mathrm{Adh}(\mathcal{F}(x.)) = \mathrm{Adh}(x.), \mathrm{Lim}(\mathcal{F}(x.)) = \mathrm{Lim}(x.)$$

and similarly results holds for any filter and one of associated nets.

Lemma 2.17. *If $x.$ is ultra then the associated filter $\mathcal{F}(x.)$ is also ultra and if $\mathcal{F}$ is ultra, every associated net is ultra.*

Proof. Directly from theorm 2.5. $\qquad \square$

2.9   Separation

Definition 2.9. Space (Ω, τ) is said to be T_0 or **kolmogorov** if for every pair $(x, y) \in \Omega^2$, either there exist $N \in \mathcal{N}(x)$ s.t. $y \notin N$ or $N \in \mathcal{N}(y)$ s.t. $x \notin N$.

Lemma 2.18. τ *isn't* T_0 *iff there exist pair* (x, y), *s.t:*

1. $\mathcal{N}(x) = \mathcal{N}(y)$.
2. $\overline{\{x\}} = \overline{\{y\}}$.

Proof. 1 If every $N \in \mathcal{N}(x)$ contains y, then $N \in \mathcal{N}(y) \implies \mathcal{N}(x) \subset \mathcal{N}(y)$, thus $\mathcal{N}(x) = \mathcal{N}(y)$.

2 If some point $a \in \overline{\{x\}}$, then every $N \in \mathcal{N}(a)$ also is neighborhood of x and thus neighborhood of y, hence $a \in \overline{\{y\}}$. □

Definition 2.10. Space (Ω, τ) is said to be T_1 or **Frechet** if for every pair $(x, y) \in \Omega^2$, there exist $N \in \mathcal{N}(x)$ s.t. $y \notin N$ and $N \in \mathcal{N}(y)$ s.t. $x \notin N$.

Theorem 2.20. *Following statements are equivalent:*

1. τ *is* T_1.
2. *Singetons are closed.*
3. $\ker \mathcal{N}(x) = \{x\}$ *holds for any* $x \in \Omega$.

Proof. 1 $\implies$ 2 If there exist a singeton $\{x\}$ not closed, there is $y \in \overline{\{x\}}$, hence every neighborhood of y contains x, contradiction.

2 $\implies$ 3 Suppose $\ker \mathcal{N}(x)$ contains y diifer x, that implies any neighborhood contains x and contradict 2.

3 $\implies$ 1 is straightforward. □

Lemma 2.19. *Suppose* (Ω, τ) *with a finite base is* T_1, *then* Ω *is finite and* τ *is discrete.*

Definition 2.11. A topology (Ω, τ) is T_2, or **Hausdorff** or **separated** if every pair $(x, y) \in \Omega^2$, there exist $U \in \mathcal{N}(x)$ and $V \in \mathcal{N}(y)$ s.t. $U \cap V = \emptyset$.

Theorem 2.21. *Following statements are equivalent:*

1. τ *is* T_2.
2. *Intersection of family of closed neighborhoods of* x *is* x.
3. *If a filter(net) converges to some point* x, *then* $Adh(\mathcal{F}) = \{x\}$
4. *Every net(filter) converges to at most one point.*

Proof. 1 $\implies$ 2 For any pair (x, y), by definition, there is $y \notin \overline{U}$, hence intersection of family of closed neighborhoods of x can only contains x.

2 $\implies$ 3 follows from a point adherent to a filter converges to x must be in every closed neighborhood of x.

$3 \implies 4$ is clearly.

$4 \implies 1$ If there is a net $x.$ converges to both x and y, then $\mathcal{N}(x) \subset \mathcal{F}(x.)$ and $\mathcal{N}(y) \subset \mathcal{F}(x.)$, that is, U and V meets for any $U \in \mathcal{N}(x)$ and $V \in \mathcal{N}(y)$. $\quad\square$

Definition 2.12. Space (Ω, τ) is said to be $T_{2.5}$ or **Completely Hausdorff** if for every pair $(x, y) \in \Omega^2$, there exist $U \in \mathcal{N}(x)$ and $V \in \mathcal{N}(y)$ s.t. $\overline{U} \cap \overline{V} = \emptyset$.

Two nonempty sets are caled **separated by open sets** if they are included in disjoint open sets, and they are **separated by continous functions** if there is continos f taking values in $[0, 1]$ and assign 0 on one set and 1 on the other.

Space (Ω, τ) are said to be **regular** if every singeton and any closed A disjoint from it can be separated by open sets.

Definition 2.13. Space (Ω, τ) is said to be T_3 if it's T_0 and regular.

Space (Ω, τ) are said to **Completely regular** if every singeton and any closed A disjoint from it can be separated by continous function.

Definition 2.14. Space (Ω, τ) is said to be $T_{3.5}$ or **Tychonoff space** if it's T_1 and completely regular.

Theorem 2.22 (Tychonoff's Embedding Theorem)**.** *Space (Ω, τ) is $T_{3.5}$ iff it's homeomorphic to a subspace of $([0, 1]^n, \tau_{d_{l1}})$.*

Space (Ω, τ) is said to be **normal** if two disjoint closed subsets can be separated by open sets.

Definition 2.15. Space (Ω, τ) is said to be T_4 if it's normal and T_1.

Theorem 2.23 (Urysohn's Lemma)**.** *Following statements are equivalent:*

1. *(Ω, τ) is normal.*
2. *For any $U \in \tau$ and any closed $A \subset U$, there is a $U' \in \tau$ s.t. $A \subset U'$ and $\overline{U'} \subset U$.*
3. *Every two disjoint closed subsets can be separated by continous function.*

Proof. $1 \implies 2$ Apply normal property to A and U^c, there is a U' include A and V include U^c, as $U' \cap V = \emptyset \implies U' \subset V^c \implies \overline{U'} \subset V^c \subset U$.

$2 \implies 3$ Suppose A and B are two disjoint closed subset, apply 2 to A and $U_1 = B^c$ we have $A \subset U_0$ and $\overline{U_0} \subset U_1$. Apply again for $\overline{U_0}$ and U_1 to generates $U_0 \subset U_{\frac{1}{2}}$ and $\overline{U_{\frac{1}{2}}} \subset U_1$, repeat such process, that is, apply 2 to $\overline{U_{\frac{j}{2^k}}}$ and $U_{\frac{j+1}{2^k}}$ to generates $U_{\frac{2j+1}{2^{k+1}}}$. Finally, we construct a open strictly increasing squence $\overline{U_r}$. where r is any dyadic rational in $[0, 1]$, i.e., $r \in DR \cap [0, 1]$.

Then define f as

$$f = \begin{cases} 1 & x \in B \\ \inf\{r : x \in U_r\} & x \in B^c \end{cases}$$

Then it's sufficient to show that f is continous. Note subspace $[0, 1]$ of $\mathbb{R}$ can be generated by collection of $[0, s)$ and $(t, 1]$ and

$$f^{-1}[0, s) = \bigcup_{r \in DR \cap [0,s)} U_r$$

$$f^{-1}(t, 1] = \bigcup_{r \in DR \cap (t,1]} \overline{U_r}^c$$

Then the claim follows from lemma 2.8.

$3 \implies 1$ By taking any disjoint open set A contains 0 and B contains 1 and looking $f^{-1}(A)$ and $f^{-1}(B)$. $\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\square$

Theorem 2.24 (Tietze's Extension Theorem)**.** *Let (Ω, τ) be normal, F any closed subset and I any bounded closed interval of $\mathbb{R}$. Then any continous $f : F \to I$ can be extended to $f' : \Omega \to I$ and remain continous.*

Suppose $I = [-1, 1]$, then $A = f^{-1}[-1, -\frac{1}{3}]$ and $f^{-1}[\frac{1}{3}, 1]$ are disjoint and closed. By Urysohn's Lemma, there is $g : \Omega \to [-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}]$ s.t. $g(A) = \{-\frac{1}{3}\}$ and $g(B) = \frac{1}{3}$. Set $f_0 = f, g_0 = g, f_1 = f - g|_F$. Then we can show that $|f_1|$ is bounded by $\frac{2}{3}$.

Repeat such process, we have series of

$$f_n : F \to [-(\frac{2}{3})^n, (\frac{2}{3})^n]$$

$$g_n : E \to [-\frac{1}{3}(\frac{2}{3})^n, \frac{1}{3}(\frac{2}{3})^n]$$

$$f_{n+1} = (f_n - g_n)|_F$$

Then we show that $\sum g_n$ is the extension of f.

2.10   Compatness

A **cover** of a set K is collection of sets whose union includes K. A **subcover** is subcollection of a cover and also covers K. K is **compact** if every open cover has a finite subcover. A topology (Ω, τ) is **locally compact** if every point $x \in \Omega$ has a compact neighborhood. A topology (Ω, τ) is **compact** if Ω is compact. A subset $A \in \Omega$ is called **relatively compact** if it's closure is comapct.