

MATH255 - Honours Analysis 2

Summary of Results

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1 POINT-SET TOPOLOGY

Topology is about abstracting openness. It can typically suffice to consider open, closed sets in \mathbb{R} for intuition, but is obviously not all-general.

Definition 1 (Metric Space). A space X equipped with a function $d : X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ is called a metric space and d a metric or distance if

- $d(x, y) = d(y, x) \geq 0$
- $d(x, y) = 0 \iff x = y$
- $d(x, y) + d(y, z) \geq d(x, z)$

for any $x, y, z \in X$.

Definition 2 (Normed Vector Space). A function $\|\cdot\| : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined on a vector space X over \mathbb{R} is a norm if

- $\|x\| \geq 0$
- $\|x\| = 0 \iff x = 0$
- $\|c \cdot x\| = |c| \|x\|$
- $\|x + y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$,

for any $x, y \in X, c \in \mathbb{R}$.

Remark 1. We can naturally extend this to arbitrary fields, but seeing as this is a course in Real Analysis, we won't.

Proposition 1. For a normed vector space $(X, \|\cdot\|)$, $d(x, y) := \|x - y\|$ is a metric on X . We call such a metric the one "induced" by the norm.

Definition 3 (Topological Set). A set X is a topological set if we have a collection τ of subsets of X , called open sets, such that

- $\emptyset \in \tau, X \in \tau$
- For $A_\alpha \in \tau$ for α in any I (potentially infinite), $\bigcup_{\alpha \in I} A_\alpha \in \tau$
- For $A_\alpha \in \tau$ for $\alpha \in J$ where J finite, then $\bigcap_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha \in \tau$

ie, arbitrary unions of open sets are open, and finite intersections of open sets are open.

Remark 2. Keep \mathbb{R} in mind when initially working with these definitions; for instance, the set $A_n := (0, \frac{1}{n})$ open in \mathbb{R} for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$, but $\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_n = \{0\}$ which is closed.

Remark 3. Complemented each of these requirements gives similar definitions for closed sets of X .

Definition 4 (Topology on a Metric Space). A subset $A \subseteq X$ open iff $\forall x \in A, \exists r = r(x) \in \mathbb{R}$, where $r(x) > 0$, such that $B(x, r(x)) := \{y \in X : d(x, y) < r(x)\} \subseteq A$. We call such a B an open ball, and \bar{B} a closed ball with the same definition replacing the strict inequality with \leq .

Remark 4. While many of the spaces we look at are metric spaces that induce a topology as such, **not all topological spaces are metric spaces**. Indeed, "metrizable" (ie, equipping a topological space X with a metric that respects the open sets) is not a trivial activity.

Definition 5 (Equivalence of Metrics). We say two metrics on X are equivalent if they admit the same topology; a sufficient condition is that, $\forall x \neq y \in X, \exists 1 < C < \infty$ such that $\frac{1}{C} < \frac{d_1(x, y)}{d_2(x, y)} < C$, then d_1, d_2 equivalent, where C independent of x, y .

Definition 6 (Interior, Boundary, Closure). Let X -topological space, $A \subseteq X, x \in X$.

- If $\exists U$ -open s.t. $x \in U \subseteq A$, then we write $x \in \text{Int}(A)$, the interior of A .
- If $\exists V$ -open s.t. $x \in V \subseteq A^c$, then $x \in \text{Int}(A^c)$.
- If $\forall U$ -open s.t. $x \in U, U \cap A \neq \emptyset$ and $U \cap A^c \neq \emptyset$, then $x \in \partial A$, the boundary of A .

We put $\bar{A} := \text{Int}(A) \cup \partial A$, the closure of A . Equivalently, $x \in \bar{A} \iff$ for every open set $U : x \in U, U \cap A \neq \emptyset$. We call $x \in \bar{A}$ the limit points of A .

Remark 5. The limit point interpretation of the closure can be more intuitive; the points that we can get "arbitrary close to" are the closure. For instance, $\overline{(a, b)} = [a, b] \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ with the standard topology.

Proposition 2. Let $A \subseteq X$ -topological space. Then, $\text{Int}(A)$ is open, the largest open set contained in A , the union of all open sets contained in A , and $\text{Int}(\text{Int}(A)) = \text{Int}(A)$. Also, \bar{A} closed, the smallest closed set that contains A , \bar{A} the intersection of all closed sets that A is contained in, and $\overline{\bar{A}} = \bar{A}$.

Corollary 1. A open $\iff A = \text{Int}(A)$ and A closed $\iff A = \bar{A}$

Remark 6. Remark that these are not exclusive, nor indeed the only possibilities.

Definition 7 (Basis). A basis for a topology X with open sets τ is a collection $B \subseteq \tau$ such that every $U \in \tau$ a union of sets in B .

Remark 7. Don't think about bases for vector spaces in this regard - there is no "minimality" requirement.

Keep in mind $\{(a, b) : -\infty < a < b < \infty\}$, a basis of topology on \mathbb{R} .

Proposition 3. For a metric space (X, d) , $\{B(x, r) : x \in X, r > 0\}$ a basis of topology.

Definition 8 (Subspace Topology). For a subset $Y \subseteq X$ -topological space, we define the subspace topology on Y as $\tau_Y := \{Y \cap U : U \in \tau\}$.

Definition 9 (Continuous). For X, Y -topological spaces, a function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is continuous iff $\forall V$ -open in Y , $f^{-1}(V)$ -open in X .

Remark 8. One can verify that this is consistent with the $\varepsilon - \delta$ definition of continuity for functions on \mathbb{R} .

Theorem 1 (Continuity of Composition). If $f : X \rightarrow Y$, $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ continuous, $g \circ f$ continuous.

Remark 9. Note how much easier this is to prove via topological spaces than the $\varepsilon - \delta$ definition.

Definition 10 (Product Space). For an index set I and $X_\alpha, \alpha \in I$, we define $\prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha$ as a product space; I may be finite or infinite.

Proposition 4. A basis for the product space is given by cylinders of the form $A = \prod_{\alpha \in J} A_\alpha \times \prod_{\alpha \notin J} X_\alpha$ for A_α -open in X_α , where $J \subseteq I$ -finite.

Definition 11 (Compact). A set $A \subseteq X$ is compact if every cover has a finite subcover, that is

$$A \subseteq \bigcup_{\alpha \in I} U_\alpha\text{-open} \implies \exists \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n\} \subseteq I \text{ s.t. } A \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n U_{\alpha_i}.$$

Proposition 5. *Closed intervals $[a, b]$ compact in \mathbb{R} .*

Proposition 6. *$A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ compact \iff closed and bounded.*

Definition 12 (Connected). X is said to not be connected if $X = U \cup V$ for U, V open, nonempty, disjoint. If X cannot be written as such, X is said to be connected.

Theorem 2. *If X connected and $f : X \rightarrow Y$, then $f(X)$ connected in Y .*

Proposition 7. *Intervals in \mathbb{R} are connected.*

Theorem 3 (Intermediate Value Theorem). *If X connected, $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ continuous, then f takes intermediate value; if $a = f(x), b = f(y)$ for $x, y \in X$ with $a < b$, then for any $a < c < b$ $\exists z \in X$ s.t. $f(z) = c$.*

Theorem 4. *For X compact, $f : X \rightarrow Y$ continuous, $f(X)$ compact in Y .*

Proposition 8. *For X compact and $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, f attains both max and min on X .*

Definition 13 (Path Connected). A set $A \subseteq X$ is path connected if for any $x, y \in A$, $\exists f : [a, b] \rightarrow X$ continuous such that $f(a) = x, f(b) = y$ and $f([a, b]) \subseteq A$.

Theorem 5. *Path connected \implies connected.*

For open sets in \mathbb{R}^n , the converse holds too.

Definition 14 (Connected Component, Path Component). For $x \in X$, the connected component of x is the largest connected subset of X containing x and the path component of x is the largest path connected subset of X containing x .

2 METRIC SPACES

We discuss mostly the metric on ℓ_p space and notions of completeness, as well as some topological results specific to metric spaces, namely compactness.

Definition 15 (ℓ_p). For $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $1 \leq p \leq +\infty$, we define

$$\|x\|_p := \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \quad \|x\|_\infty := \max_{i=1}^n |x_i|,$$

and similarly, for sequences $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n, \dots)$,

$$\|x\|_p := \left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |x_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \quad \|x\|_\infty := \sup_{i=1}^{\infty} |x_i|,$$

and define $\ell_p := \{x : \|x\|_p < +\infty\}$. It can be shown that these are well-defined norms on their respective spaces.

Theorem 6 (Holder, Minkowski's Inequalities). For $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n), y = (y_1, \dots, y_n)$ and p, q such that $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, then

$$\text{Holder's:} \quad \langle x, y \rangle = \left| \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i \right| \leq \|x\|_p \|y\|_q$$

and

$$\text{Minkowski's:} \quad \|x + y\|_p \leq \|x\|_p + \|y\|_p.$$

The identical inequalities hold for infinite sequences.

Definition 16 (Completeness). We say a metric space is complete if every Cauchy sequence converges to a limit point in the space.

Proposition 9. For $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, ℓ_p complete for any $1 \leq p \leq +\infty$.

Proposition 10. If $p < q$, $\ell_p \subseteq \ell_q$.

Definition 17 (Contraction Mapping). For a metric space (X, d) , a function $f : X \rightarrow X$ is a contraction mapping if there exists $0 < c < 1$ such that

$$d(f(x), f(y)) \leq c \cdot d(x, y)$$

for any $x, y \in X$.

Theorem 7. Let (X, d) be a complete metric space, $f : X \rightarrow X$ a contraction. Then, there exist a unique fixed point z of f such that $f(z) = z$; ie $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f^n(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f \circ f \circ \dots \circ f(x) = z$ for any $x \in X$.

Theorem 8. ℓ_p complete.

Remark 10. It can be kind of funky to work with sequences in ℓ_p , since the elements of ℓ_p themselves sequences so we have "sequences of sequences".

Definition 18 (Totally bounded). A metric space X is said to be totally bounded if $\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists x_1, \dots, x_n \in X, n = n(\varepsilon)$ such that $\bigcup_{i=1}^n B(x_i, \varepsilon) = X$.

Definition 19 (Sequentially compact). A metric space X is said to be sequentially compact if every sequence has a convergent subsequence.

Theorem 9 (★ Equivalent Notions of Compactness in Metric Spaces). Let (X, d) a metric space. TFAE:

- X compact
- X complete and totally bounded
- X sequentially compact

Remark 11. This is for a metric space, not a general topological space! Hopefully this is clear because some of the requirements necessitate a distance.

3 DIFFERENTIATION

Definition 20 (Differentiable). $f(x)$ differentiable at c if $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c}$ exists, and if so we denote the limit $f'(c)$.

Theorem 10. Differentiable \implies continuous.

4 INTEGRATION

5 SEQUENCES OF FUNCTIONS

6 INFINITE SERIES