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## Development Project: Continuity on Topological Partial Algebras

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#### 1 Introduction

While-Computability is a fundamental model for imperative programming on any data type. Continuous data types are modeled by topological manysorted algebras. The topology defines a concept of closeness and hence the process of approximation for data.

#### 1.1 What is a Topological Partial Algebra?

**Definition 1.1** A Topological Partial Algebra  $\mathbb{A} = (A, (f_i)_{i \in I})$  is a partial algebra with topologies on carriers such that each of the basic functions  $f_i$  is continuous on the product topology.

**Definition 1.2** A function  $f: X \to Y$  is continuous if the pre-image of every open set in Y is open in X.

**Definition 1.3** a function f is open if  $\forall V: Y \rightarrow o \cdot V \in \mathsf{ISOPEN} \Rightarrow (\mathsf{PREIMAGE}(f))(V) \in \mathit{ISOPEN}.$ 

Theory Definition 1.4 (Topological partial algebra)

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Base types: I, A

Constants:  $(f_i: A^{\alpha_i} \to A^{\beta_i})_{i \in I}$ , PREIMAGE $_{(A \to A) \to \{A\} \to \{A\}}$ .

**Axioms:** 

- 1.  $\emptyset_{\{A\}} \in \mathsf{ISOPEN}$  (Empty set is in the collection of open sets).
- 2.  $U_{\{A\}} \in \mathsf{ISOPEN}$  (The base set itself is in the collection of open sets).
- 3. Any (finite or infinite) union of sets that are open is itself open
- 4. Any finite intersection of sets that are open is itself open
- 5.  $\forall V : A \rightarrow o \cdot V \in \mathsf{ISOPEN} \Rightarrow \mathsf{PREIMAGE}(\mathsf{V}) \in \mathsf{ISOPEN}$  (Continuity).
- 6.  $\forall i: I \ \mathsf{PREIMAGE}(i, \alpha_i, \beta_i) \downarrow$
- 7. PREIMAGE =  $\lambda i : I\lambda\alpha_i, \beta_i : N \cdot \lambda f : A^{\alpha_i} \to A^{\beta_i} \cdot \lambda V : A^{\beta_i} \to o \cdot I \ K : A^{\alpha_i} \to o \cdot V$   $\forall x \in K \ f(x) \downarrow \wedge \cup_{x \in K} f(x) = V$

Corollary 1.5 Note that since ISOPEN is defined as a predicate, it is total, and hence is defined for any subset of the base set.

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