

$$X = S^1 = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 = 1\}$$



$$Y = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : |x| + |y| = 1\}$$



CLAIM X is homeom. to Y .

Pf Define $f: X \rightarrow Y$

$$(x, y) \mapsto \frac{1}{|x|+|y|} (x, y)$$

, $g: Y \rightarrow X$

$$(x, y) \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} (x, y).$$

f, g are well-defined & cts (b/c calculus).

If $(x, y) \in X$ then

$$g \circ f (x, y) = g \left(\frac{1}{|x|+|y|} (x, y) \right) \stackrel{x^2+y^2=1}{=} (x, y).$$

$$f \circ g (x, y) = f \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} (x, y) \right) \stackrel{|x|+|y|=1}{=} (x, y).$$

So $f = g^{-1}$ & f is a homeom. \parallel

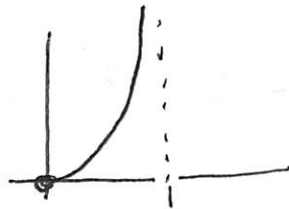
Fact If X, Y are top spaces, $y_0 \in Y$, &

$$f: X \rightarrow Y \quad x \mapsto y_0, \quad f \text{ is cts.} \quad \lceil \quad f^{-1}(U) = \begin{cases} X & y_0 \in U \\ \emptyset & y_0 \notin U. \end{cases} \rceil$$

Fact If $A \subset X$ is a subspace, $L: A \hookrightarrow X$
 $x \mapsto x$

is CTS. $L^{-1}(U) = U \cap A$

Fact $[0, 1) \cong_{\text{homeo.}} \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$.



Why?

$f: [0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$
 $\theta \mapsto \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\theta\right)$

$g: \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \rightarrow [0, 1)$
 $x \mapsto \frac{2}{\pi} \arctan(x)$

f, g are CTS (b/c calculus) & mutually inverse

So f is a homeomorphism. └

Fact • Suppose $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is CTS & $Z \subseteq X$.

Then $f|_Z: Z \rightarrow Y$
 $x \mapsto f(x)$ is CTS.

FACT Suppose $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is CTS & $f(x) \in W \subset Y \hookrightarrow Z$.

Then $X \rightarrow W$, $X \rightarrow Z$
 $x \mapsto f(x)$, $x \mapsto f(x)$ are CTS.

Prop Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a map of top. spaces.
 for any closed set $C \subset Y$,
 f is CTS $\iff f^{-1}(C)$ is closed in X .

Why? $X - f^{-1}(C) = f^{-1}(Y - C)$.

Ex $\text{Mat}_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) = \{ \text{all } n \times n \text{ matrices w/ entries in } \mathbb{R} \} = \mathbb{R}^{n^2}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & \dots & x_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ x_{n1} & \dots & x_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

The determinant $\det: \text{Mat}_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is CTS.

$$A \longmapsto \det A$$

Why? $\det A = \sum_{\sigma \in S_n} (\text{sign } \sigma) a_{1\sigma(1)} \dots a_{n\sigma(n)}$ — a polynomial in entries of A !

$$\text{So } GL_n(\mathbb{R}) = \{ A \in \text{Mat}_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) : \det A \neq 0 \}$$

$$= (\det)^{-1}(\underbrace{\mathbb{R} - \{0\}}_{\text{open in } \mathbb{R}}) \times$$



is open in $\text{Mat}_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R})$!

FACT Let X, Y be top. spaces, $y_0 \in Y$.

Then $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is CTS.
 $x \mapsto y_0$

$$f^{-1}(U) = \begin{cases} X & \text{if } y_0 \in U \\ \emptyset & \text{if } y_0 \notin U \end{cases}$$

both open in X !

Last Time • $GL_n(\mathbb{R}) \subseteq Mat_n(\mathbb{R})$ is open.

• $[] \xrightarrow{\cong} []$ homeo. • $\bigcirc \xrightarrow{\cong} \diamond$ homeo

More on CTS functions

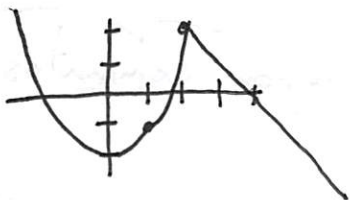
Pasting Lemma Suppose $X = A \cup B$ where A, B are closed sets. Let $f: A \rightarrow Y, g: B \rightarrow Y$ be CTS fcn's s.t. $f(x) = g(x)$ for all $x \in A \cap B$.

The fcn $h: X \rightarrow Y$ given by $h(x) = \begin{cases} f(x) & x \in A \\ g(x) & x \in B \end{cases}$ is CTS.

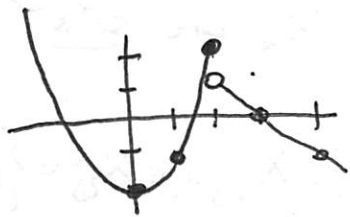
⌈ If $C \subseteq Y$ is closed, $h^{-1}(C) = [f^{-1}(C) \cup g^{-1}(C)]$
 ↑ closed in A, hence X b/c A closed ↑ closed in B, hence X b/c B closed

Ex Consider

$$f(x): \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 2 & x \leq 2 \\ -x + 4 & x \geq 2 \end{cases}$$



Then f is CTS.



$$h(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 2 & x \leq 2 \\ -x + 3 & x > 2 \end{cases}$$

IS NOT CTS

not closed!

Fact If $X \times Y$ is a product, the projs

$$\pi_X: X \times Y \rightarrow X, \quad \pi_Y: X \times Y \rightarrow Y$$

$$(x, y) \mapsto x \quad (x, y) \mapsto y$$

are CTS.

Γ If $U \subset X$, $\pi_X^{-1}(U) = U \times Y$. \perp

Fact Suppose $f: A \rightarrow X$, $g: A \rightarrow Y$
are CTS. Then $h: A \rightarrow X \times Y$

$$a \mapsto (f(a), g(a))$$

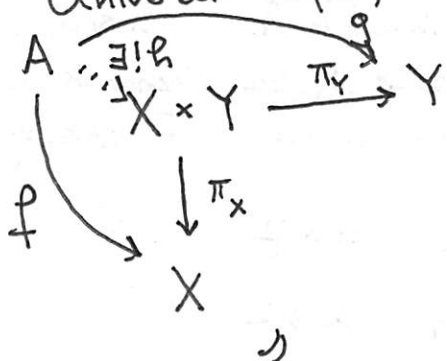
is CTS.

pp Let $U \times V$ be a basis open set in $X \times Y$,

so $U \subset X$ is open & $V \subset Y$ is open. Then

$$h^{-1}(U \times V) = f^{-1}(U) \cap g^{-1}(V) \text{ is open in } A. \quad \blacksquare$$

"Universal Property of $X \times Y$."



if $f: A \rightarrow X$ & $g: A \rightarrow Y$
are CTS, $\exists!$ CTS for

$$h: A \rightarrow X \times Y \text{ st}$$

$$g = \pi_Y \circ h, \quad f = \pi_X \circ h$$

"the diagram commutes."

$\{$ 19. Arbitrary products

Q What is $\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$ if X_α are sets?

$$\text{Well, } X_1 \times X_2 = \{(x_1, x_2) : x_1 \in X_1, x_2 \in X_2\} = \{x : \{1, 2\} \rightarrow X_1 \cup X_2 : \begin{matrix} x(1) \\ x(2) \end{matrix}\}$$

Rmk If J is finite, product & box topologies on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$ are the same.

FACT Fix $\alpha_0 \in J$ & define $\pi_{\alpha_0}: \prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha \rightarrow X_{\alpha_0}$
 $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J} \mapsto x_{\alpha_0}$

Then π_{α_0} is CTS if $\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$ is given the product or box topologies.

Why? If $U_{\alpha_0} \subset X_{\alpha_0}$ then $\pi_{\alpha_0}^{-1}(U_{\alpha_0}) = \prod_{\alpha \in J} V_\alpha$
 where $V_\alpha = \begin{cases} X_\alpha & \alpha \neq \alpha_0 \\ U_{\alpha_0} & \alpha = \alpha_0 \end{cases}$

Ex ~~Theorem~~ $\mathbb{R}^\omega = \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{Z}_{>0}} = \{\text{all real sequences } (a_1, a_2, \dots)\}$.

Define $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\omega$ by
 $t \mapsto (t, t, t, \dots)$

CLAIM f is NOT CTS if \mathbb{R}^ω has the box topology.

Proof The set $U = (-1, 1) \times (-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}) \times (-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}) \times \dots \subset \mathbb{R}^\omega$ is open. We have

$$\begin{aligned} f^{-1}(U) &= (-1, 1) \cap (-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}) \cap (-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}) \cap \dots \\ &= \{0\}, \text{ which is } \underline{\text{NOT}} \end{aligned}$$

open in \mathbb{R} .

Similarly,

$$X_1 \times \dots \times X_n = \left\{ \text{all fns } x: \{1, \dots, n\} \rightarrow X_1 \cup \dots \cup X_n : x(i) \in X_i \right\}.$$

If J is any "index" set & X_α is a set $\forall \alpha \in J$,

then

$$\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha = \left\{ \text{all fns } x: J \rightarrow \bigcup_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha : \begin{array}{l} \text{for all } \alpha \in J, \\ x(\alpha) \in X_\alpha \end{array} \right\}.$$

↑
"tuple" notation $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J}$.

Important Special Case $X_\alpha = X$ for all α :

$$\prod_{\alpha \in J} X \equiv X^J = \{ \text{all fns } J \rightarrow X \}$$

eg $\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{R}} = \{ \text{all fns } f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \}$

$$\mathbb{R}^{\omega} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{Z}_{>0}} = \{ \text{all sequences } (x_1, x_2, \dots) \text{ in } \mathbb{R} \}$$

$$\{0, 1\}^{\mathbb{Z}_{>0}} = \{ \text{all infinite binary sequences } (b_1, b_2, \dots) \}.$$

Q If the X_α are spaces, how to put a topology on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$?

Bad Answer The box topology on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$ has basis

$$\left\{ \prod_{\alpha \in J} U_\alpha : U_\alpha \subset X_\alpha \text{ open for all } \alpha \in J \right\}.$$

Good Answer The product topology on $\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$ has

$$\text{basis } \left\{ \prod_{\alpha \in J} U_\alpha : \begin{array}{l} U_\alpha \subset X_\alpha \text{ open } \forall \alpha \in J \text{ \& } \\ U_\alpha = X_\alpha \text{ for all but finitely many } \alpha \end{array} \right\}.$$

Last Time

If X_α is a set for all $\alpha \in I$, $\prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{all fns } \\ x: I \rightarrow \bigcup_{\alpha} X_\alpha \end{array} \right\}$ $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{all } x(\alpha) \\ \text{all } x_\alpha \in X_\alpha \\ \forall \alpha \in I \end{array} \right\}$

If X_α is a space for all $\alpha \in I$,

- box topology on $\prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha$ has basis $\left\{ \prod_{\alpha \in I} U_\alpha : \begin{array}{l} U_\alpha \subset X_\alpha \text{ open} \\ \text{for all } \alpha \in I \end{array} \right\}$

- product topology on $\prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha$ has basis $\left\{ \prod_{\alpha \in I} U_\alpha : \begin{array}{l} U_\alpha \subset X_\alpha \text{ open } \forall \alpha \in I \\ U_\alpha = X_\alpha \text{ for all but finitely} \\ \text{many } \alpha \end{array} \right\}$

Recall \mathbb{R}^w is a basis

Fact For any $\alpha_0 \in I$, let $\prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha \xrightarrow{\pi_{\alpha_0}} X_{\alpha_0}$
 $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in I} \mapsto x_{\alpha_0}$ be

the proj. Then π_{α_0} is CTS whenever $\prod_{\alpha} X_\alpha$ is given the product or box topologies.

If $U_{\alpha_0} \subset X_{\alpha_0}$ is open, $\pi_{\alpha_0}^{-1}(U_{\alpha_0}) = \prod_{\alpha \in I} V_\alpha$ where

$V_\alpha = \begin{cases} X_\alpha & \alpha \neq \alpha_0 \\ U_{\alpha_0} & \alpha = \alpha_0 \end{cases}$, so $\prod_{\alpha} V_\alpha$ is a basic open

set in either prod. or box top on $\prod_{\alpha} X_\alpha$.

Recall If $\mathbb{R}^w = \{ (a_1, a_2, \dots) : a_n \in \mathbb{R} \}$ ($= \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{Z}_{>0}}$)

is given box topology, $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^w$
 $t \mapsto (t, t, \dots)$

is NOT CTS. $f^{-1} \left((-1, 1) \times (-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}) \times (-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}) \times \dots \right)$
 $= \bigcap_{n \geq 1} (-\frac{1}{n}, \frac{1}{n}) = \{0\}$.

Theorem ~~(miss)~~

Suppose X_α is a top space $\forall \alpha \in I$ & give $\prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha$ the product topology. If $f_\alpha: A \rightarrow X_\alpha$ is a CTS for $\forall \alpha \in I$, then

$$f: A \longrightarrow \prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha$$

$$a \longmapsto (f_\alpha(a))_{\alpha \in I} \text{ is CTS.}$$

PF Let $\prod_{\alpha \in I} U_\alpha$ be a basic open set in $\prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha$, so $U_\alpha \subset X_\alpha$ is open $\forall \alpha$.

Then $\exists J \subset I$ FINITE st $U_\alpha = X_\alpha$ unless $\alpha \in J$. We have

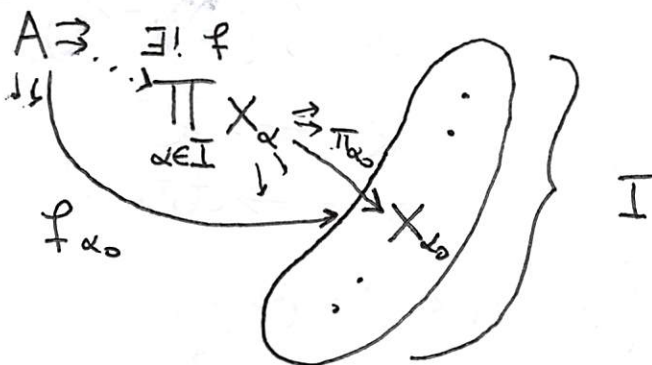
$$f^{-1}\left(\prod_{\alpha \in I} U_\alpha\right) = \bigcap_{\alpha \in I} f_\alpha^{-1}(U_\alpha) = \bigcap_{\alpha \in J} f_\alpha^{-1}(U_\alpha)$$

open, b/c f_α CTS

which is open in A b/c J is finite. ▣

So $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\omega$
 $t \mapsto (t, t, \dots)$ is CTS $\nRightarrow \mathbb{R}^\omega$ has prod top.

Universal Property of P.T



Fact If X_α is Hausdorff for all $\alpha \in I$, so is $\prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha$ in box or product topologies.

\lceil If $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in I} \neq (y_\alpha)_{\alpha \in I}$ in $\prod_{\alpha} X_\alpha$, $\exists \alpha_0$ st $x_{\alpha_0} \neq y_{\alpha_0}$. B/c X_{α_0} is Hausdorff, $\exists U, V \subset X_{\alpha_0}$ open st $x_{\alpha_0} \in U$, $y_{\alpha_0} \in V$, and $U \cap V = \emptyset$.

~~Now~~ Now $\prod_{\alpha} U_\alpha$ is a nbhd of $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in I}$, $\prod_{\alpha} V_\alpha$ is a nbhd of $(y_\alpha)_{\alpha \in I}$, where

$$U_\alpha = \begin{cases} X_\alpha & \alpha \neq \alpha_0 \\ U & \alpha = \alpha_0 \end{cases}, \quad V_\alpha = \begin{cases} X_\alpha & \alpha \neq \alpha_0 \\ V & \alpha = \alpha_0 \end{cases} \quad \&$$

$$\left(\prod_{\alpha} U_\alpha \right) \cap \left(\prod_{\alpha} V_\alpha \right) = \emptyset. \quad \blacksquare \quad \lrcorner$$

Ex Give $\mathbb{R}^\omega = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \dots$ the Box topology.

Consider the sequence

$$\vec{x}_1 = (1, 1, 1, 1, \dots)$$

$$\vec{x}_2 = (\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \dots)$$

$$\vec{x}_3 = (\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots)$$

CLAIM $\vec{x}_n \not\rightarrow \vec{0} \equiv (0, 0, 0, \dots)$ in \mathbb{R}^ω .

PF Consider the nbhd $U = (-1, 1) \times (-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}) \times (-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}) \times \dots$ of $\vec{0}$ in \mathbb{R}^ω . We have $\vec{x}_n \notin U$ for all

$n \geq 1$, so $\vec{x}_n \not\rightarrow \vec{0}$. \neq

\lceil \vec{x}_n does not converge in \mathbb{R}^ω . \lrcorner
in box top.

Fact If $A_\alpha \subset X_\alpha$ for all $\alpha \in I$,

$$\overline{\prod_{\alpha \in I} A_\alpha} = \prod_{\alpha \in I} \overline{A_\alpha} \text{ in product or box topologies.}$$

Why? Let $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in I}$ be a point in $\prod_{\alpha} X_\alpha$.

Then $(x_\alpha) \in \overline{\prod_{\alpha \in I} A_\alpha} \Leftrightarrow$ every nbhd U of (x_α) has $\prod_{\alpha \in I} A_\alpha \cap U \neq \emptyset$.

\Leftrightarrow every basic open nbhd $\prod_{\alpha} U_\alpha$ of (x_α) has $(\prod_{\alpha} A_\alpha) \cap (\prod_{\alpha} U_\alpha) \neq \emptyset$

\Leftrightarrow for every $\alpha \in I$, every nbhd U_α of x_α in X_α has $U_\alpha \cap A_\alpha \neq \emptyset$

\Leftrightarrow for every $\alpha \in I$, $x_\alpha \in \overline{A_\alpha}$

$\Leftrightarrow (x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in I} \in \prod_{\alpha \in I} \overline{A_\alpha}$. \square

§ 20 The Metric Topology

Def Let X be a set. A metric on X is a fun

$$d: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\cdot d(x, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = y$$

$$\cdot d(x, y) = d(y, x) \text{ for all } x, y \in X,$$

$$\cdot d(x, z) \leq d(x, y) + d(y, z) \text{ for all } x, y, z \in X.$$

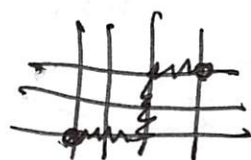
"Triangle inequality"

Eg

$$X = \mathbb{R}^n$$

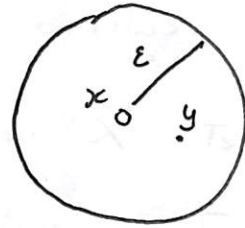
$$\text{Standard metric: } d(x, y) = \left[\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - y_i)^2 \right]^{1/2}$$

$$\text{Manhattan metric } d(x, y) = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i - y_i|$$



* If $d: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$ is a metric, $x \in X$, $\epsilon > 0$, the open ball is

$$B_d(x, \epsilon) := \{y \in X : d(x, y) < \epsilon\}.$$



Def Let d be a metric on a set X . The metric topology on (X, d) has basis $\{B_d(x, \epsilon) : x \in X, \epsilon > 0\}$.

Ex ① $X \equiv$ any set. The discrete metric $d: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$

$$d(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \neq y \\ 0 & x = y. \end{cases}$$

So $B_d(x, 1) = \{x\}$ for all $x \in X$ &

metric top. on $(X, d) =$ discrete top. on X .

② $X = \mathbb{R}^n$

metric top on $(\mathbb{R}^n, d_{\text{standard}}) =$ Euclidean top on $\mathbb{R}^n =$ metric top. on $(\mathbb{R}^n, d_{\text{Manhattan}})$.

FACT Let (X, d) be a metric space.

(i.e. d is a Metric on X , X has metric topology.)

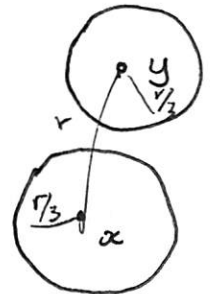
Then X is Hausdorff.

Pf Let $x \neq y$ in X & let $r = d(x, y) > 0$.

If $\epsilon = \frac{r}{3}$, we claim $B(x, \epsilon) \cap B(y, \epsilon) = \emptyset$.

If $z \in B(x, \epsilon) \cap B(y, \epsilon)$, then

$$r = d(x, y) \leq d(x, z) + d(z, y) < \epsilon + \epsilon = 2\epsilon = \frac{2r}{3}. \quad *$$



\Rightarrow If $|X| \geq 2$, indisc. topology on X can never be realized with a metric.

Def Let X be a topological space. X is metrizable if \exists a metric d on the set X s.t.

metric topology on (X, d) = given topology on X

Metrizable \Rightarrow Hausdorff

Metrizable

Euclidean top. on \mathbb{R}^n ,

Discrete top. on any set X (disc. metric)

Not metrizable

Indisc. top.

finite comp. top.

on X if $|X| \geq 2$, or X for $|X| = \infty$

(not Hausdorff)

Q Does Hausdorff \Rightarrow Metrizable? No.

Last Time • A metric on X is a fun $d: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$

st - $d(x,y) = 0 \iff x=y$,

- $d(x,y) = d(y,x)$

- $d(x,y) \leq d(x,z) + d(z,y)$ (Δ inequality)

$\forall x,y,z \in X$.

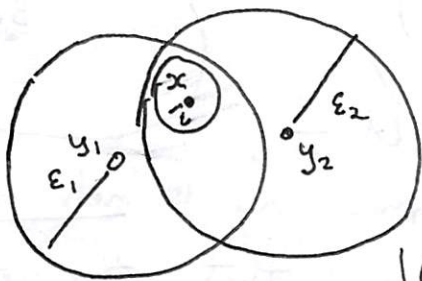
• $B_d(x,\epsilon) = \{y \in X : d(x,y) < \epsilon\}$ "open ball"

Def/Thm Let d be a metric on X . The set $\{B_d(x,\epsilon) : x \in X, \epsilon > 0\}$ of all open balls forms a basis for a topology on X . This topology is the metric topology on X .

Pf • $x \in B_d(x,1)$, so $\bigcup_{x \in X, \epsilon > 0} B_d(x,\epsilon) = X$.

• If $x \in B_d(y_1, \epsilon_1) \cap B_d(y_2, \epsilon_2)$, set

$$\epsilon := \min(\epsilon_1 - d(x, y_1), \epsilon_2 - d(x, y_2)) > 0.$$



If $d(x,z) < \epsilon$ then

$$d(z, y_1) \leq d(z, x) + d(x, y_1)$$

$$< \epsilon + d(x, y_1)$$

$$\leq \epsilon_1 - d(x, y_1) + d(x, y_1) < \epsilon_1$$

$\therefore B_d(x, \epsilon) \subset B_d(y_1, \epsilon_1)$. Similarly $B_d(x, \epsilon) \subset B_d(y_2, \epsilon_2)$.

Ex • Metric top on $(\mathbb{R}^n, d_{\text{standard}})$ = Euclidean top. on \mathbb{R}^n

• Metric top on $(\mathbb{R}^n, d_{\text{Manhattan}})$ = Euclidean top on \mathbb{R}^n

different metrics can generate same topology!

$$d_M(x, y) = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i - y_i|$$

If d is the discrete metric $d(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \neq y \\ 0 & x = y \end{cases}$ on X , Metric

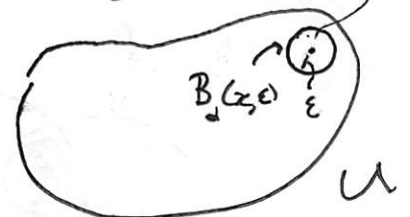
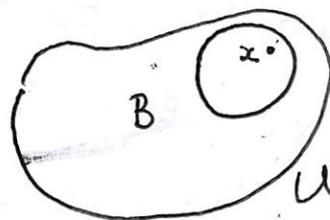
$$(B_d(x, 1) = \{x\}.)$$

Metric top on (X, d) = Discrete top. on X

Rmk Let (X, d) be a metric space (ie d a metric on X , X has metric topology). Then

$U \subset X$ is open $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \exists$ some open ball B st $x \in B \subset U$

\iff for all $x \in U$, $\exists \epsilon > 0$ st $B_d(x, \epsilon) \subset U$.



Def Let X be a topological space. X is metrizable $\iff \exists$ a metric d on X such that the metric topology on (X, d) coincides with the given topology on X .

eg discrete top. on X is metrizable (use discrete metric!)

Q// When is X metrizable?

Fact Any metric space X is Hausdorff.

Pf Let $x \neq y \in X$, so $d(x, y) > 0$. Let $\epsilon = \frac{d(x, y)}{2}$.

Let $U = B_d(x, \epsilon)$, $V = B_d(y, \epsilon)$. If $z \in U \cap V$

then $d(x, y) \leq d(x, z) + d(z, y) < \epsilon + \epsilon = d(x, y)$. \ast


So $U \cap V = \emptyset$. \square

So $|X| \geq 2 \Rightarrow$ indiscrete top on X not metrizable

$|X| = \infty \Rightarrow$ finite complement top. on X not metrizable

Zariski top. on \mathbb{R}^n (or \mathbb{C}^n) not metrizable.

(closed sets) \Leftrightarrow (zero loci of families of polynomials)

eg $n=2$, $x - y^2 \leftrightarrow$  closed set!

Fact Let (X, d_X) & (Y, d_Y) be metric spaces.

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a fn.

f is cts \Leftrightarrow for all $x \in X$, for all $\epsilon > 0$, $\exists \delta > 0$
st $d_X(x, x') < \delta \Rightarrow d_Y(f(x), f(x')) < \epsilon$.
(see HW...)

Q Hausdorff $\stackrel{?}{\Rightarrow}$ Metrizable $\not\equiv$ NO ...

Fact Let X be a top. space & let $A \subset X$. Let $x \in X$.

If \exists a sequence x_n in A st $x_n \rightarrow x$ then $x \in \overline{A}$.
The converse holds if X is metrizable.

Pf Suppose $x_n \rightarrow x$. Let U be a nbhd of x in X . $\exists N$ st $n \geq N \Rightarrow x_n \in U$.

So $x_N \in U \cap A$ & $x \in \bar{A}$.

Suppose $X = (X, d)$ is a metric space & $x \in \bar{A}$.

For all $n \geq 1$, $\exists x_n \in A \cap B_d(x, \frac{1}{n})$. We

claim that $x_n \rightarrow x$. Indeed, $\forall U$ is a

nbhd of x , $\exists \epsilon > 0$ st $x \in B_d(x, \epsilon) \subset U$.

If $N > \frac{1}{\epsilon}$, we have $n \geq N \Rightarrow$

$x_n \in B_d(x, \epsilon) \subset U$. So $x_n \rightarrow x$. ▣ largest element

Ex Let $S_\Omega =$ minimal uncountable well ordered set, $\bar{S}_\Omega = S_\Omega \cup \{\Omega\}$

Recall. If $A \subset S_\Omega$ is countable, $\exists z \in S_\Omega$ st

$z > a$ for all $a \in A$.

S_Ω does not have a largest elt

(If M were largest, $\{x \in S_\Omega : x < M\} = S_\Omega - \{M\}$ would be uncountable b/c S_Ω is.)

CLAIM Let X be any ordered set. The order top. on X is Hausdorff.

Pf Let $x < y$ in X . CASE I $\exists c \in X$ st $x < c < y$.

- If $x' < x$ & $y < y'$ then $(x', c) \cap (c, y') = \emptyset$.

- If x is smallest & $y < y'$ then $[x, c) \cap (c, y') = \emptyset$.

- If $x' < x$ & y is largest then $(x', c) \cap (c, y] = \emptyset$.

- If x is smallest & y is largest then $[x, c) \cap (c, y] = \emptyset$.

CASE II $\nexists c \in X$ st $x < c < y \dots$ \square

X_{Ω}

CLAIM Consider the (Hausdorff) order top. $\overline{S_{\Omega}} = S_{\Omega} \cup \{\Omega\}$.

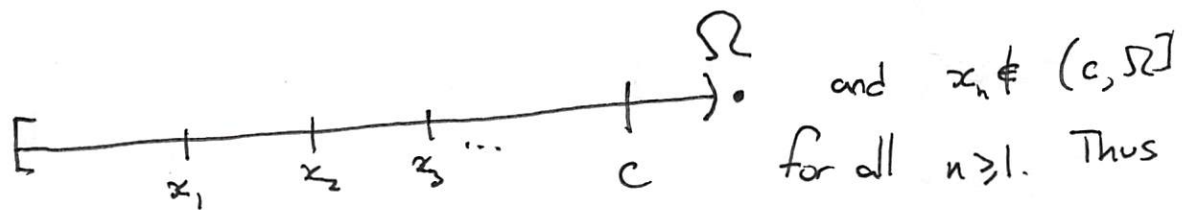
$\Omega \in$ closure of S_{Ω} in X ,

but \nexists a sequence x_n in S_{Ω} st $x_n \rightarrow \Omega$.

Pf Let $(c, \Omega]$ be any basic open nbhd of Ω (for $c \in S_{\Omega}$)

in X . Since S_{Ω} does not have a largest element, $(c, \Omega] \neq \{\Omega\}$ & $\Omega \in$ closure of S_{Ω} in X .

Let x_n be any sequence in S_{Ω} . Then $\{x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots\} \subset S_{\Omega}$ is countable, so $\exists c \in S_{\Omega}$ st $x_n < c$ for all $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$. Now $(c, \Omega]$ is a nbhd of Ω in X



$x_n \not\rightarrow \Omega$. \square

COR $\overline{S_{\Omega}} = S_{\Omega} \cup \{\Omega\}$ is not metrizable (but it is Hausdorff.)