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UNIT-V: Countability and Separation Axiom: The Countability Axioms – The separation Axioms – Normal spaces – The Urysohn Lemma – The Urysohn metrization Theorem – The Tietz extension theorem.
Learning Objectives: To study Countability and Separation Axiom: The Countability Axioms – The separation Axioms – Normal spaces – The Urysohn Lemma – The Urysohn metrization Theorem – The Tietz extension theorem.
Course Outcome: Understanding first and second countability, which help in defining sequences and bases in topology. Learning different levels of separation (T_0 , T_1 , T_2 , etc.) to distinguish points and sets in a space. Exploring spaces where disjoint closed sets can be separated by disjoint open sets. Understanding how a continuous function can separate closed sets in a normal space. Studying conditions under which a topological space can be given a metric. Learning how a continuous function defined on a closed subset can extend to the whole space.

Overview:

Countability Axioms – These define conditions for a space to have a countable base (first and second countability).

Separation Axioms – These describe how well a space separates points and sets (T_0 , T_1 , T_2 , etc.).

Normal Spaces – Spaces where two disjoint closed sets can be separated by disjoint open sets.

Urysohn Lemma – States that in a normal space, a continuous function can separate two closed sets.

Urysohn Metrization Theorem – Provides conditions under which a topological space can be turned into a metric space.

Tietze Extension Theorem – Ensures that a continuous function defined on a closed subset can extend to the whole space.

These concepts help classify spaces and understand their properties in topology.

UNIT-V

COUNTABILITY AND SEPARATION AXIOM

Sec 30: The Countability Axioms.

Def: 1st Countability Axiom:

A Space X is said to have a countable basis at x if there is a countable collection \mathcal{B} of nbd of x such that each nbd of x contains atleast one of the element of \mathcal{B} .

A Space that has a countable basis at each of its pts is said to satisfy the 1st Countability Axiom or to be 1st Countable.

Thm: 30.1.

Let X be a topological Space.

a): Let A be a subset of X , if there is a ^{Sequence} seq of p_i of A ^{Converging} cgs to x then $x \in \bar{A}$, the converse holds if X is 1st Countable.

b): Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$. If f is cb then for every cgt seq $x_n \rightarrow x$ in X , then seq $f(x_n) \rightarrow f(x)$. The converse holds if X is 1st Countable.

Proof:

(a): Let A be a subset of X .

If $x_n \rightarrow x$ where $x_n \in A$ then every nbd U of x contains a pt of A .

By thm, "Let A be a subset of the topological space. Then $x \in \bar{A}$ iff every open set U containing x intersects A ."

$$\therefore x \in \bar{A}$$

Conversely,

Let X be a 1st Countable Space & $A \subset X$.

Let $x \in \bar{A}$, we have to find a sequence $\{x_n\}$ in A converging to x .

$\therefore X$ is 1st Countable \exists a countable basis at x .

Let it be B_x

$$\therefore B_x = \{B_n / n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \text{ \& } B_n \text{ is a nbd of } x\}$$

$$\text{Let } C_1 = B_1$$

$$C_2 = B_1 \cap B_2$$

\vdots

$$C_n = B_1 \cap B_2 \cap \dots \cap B_n = \bigcap_{i=1}^n B_i$$

$\therefore C_1, C_2, \dots$ are nbd of x .

$$\text{Also } C_1 \supset C_2 \supset C_3 \supset \dots \supset C_n \supset \dots$$

$$\text{Let } B' = \{C_n / n \in \mathbb{Z}_+\}$$

Then B' is countable and each C_n is non empty.

Also B' is a basis at x .

For let U be any open set containing x .

$\therefore \exists$ a basis element $B_n \in B_x$ such that

$$x \in B_n \subset U.$$

$$\text{Also } B_n \supset C_m$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in C_m \subset U, \text{ where } C_m \in B'$$

Given $x \in \bar{A}$,

$$\therefore C_n \cap A \neq \emptyset, \forall n.$$

$$\text{Let } x_n \in C_n \cap A, \forall n.$$

Then (x_n) is the required seq of pts of A .

CLAIM: $(x_n) \rightarrow x$

let v be any nbd of x .

$\therefore \mathcal{B}'$ is a basis at x , $\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ such that

$x \in C_{n_0} \subset v$.

But $C_m \subset C_{n_0}$, $\forall m \geq n_0$

$\therefore x_m \in C_{n_0}$, $\forall m \geq n_0$

$\therefore x_m \in v$, $\forall m \geq n_0$

$\therefore (x_n) \rightarrow x$.

b). Assume that f is continuous.

$G_n: x_n \rightarrow x$.

T.P: $f(x_n) \rightarrow f(x)$.

let v be a nbd of $f(x)$.

Then $f^{-1}(v)$ is a nbd of x ($\because f$ is cb)

$\therefore x_n \rightarrow x$, there is an N such that

$x_n \in f^{-1}(v)$ for $n \geq N$

$\Rightarrow f(x_n) \in v$ for $n \geq N$

$\therefore f(x_n) \rightarrow f(x)$.

Conversely, $G_n: (x_n) \rightarrow x$ in X

$\Rightarrow f(x_n) \rightarrow f(x)$ in Y

T.P: $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is cb.

let A be a subset of X .

It is enough to P.T $f(\bar{A}) \subset \overline{f(A)}$.

let $f(x) \in f(\bar{A})$

$\therefore x \in \bar{A}$

part of result (a)

$\therefore \exists$ a seq (x_n) in A converging to x .

By hypothesis $f(x_n) \rightarrow f(x)$ in $f(A)$.

Again by result (a),

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \in \overline{f(A)}$$

$$\therefore f(A) \subset \overline{f(A)}$$

$$\Rightarrow f: X \rightarrow Y \text{ is clm}$$

Def: 2nd Countability Axiom:

If a space X has a countable basis for its topology then X is said to satisfy the second countability axiom or to be 2nd countable.

Thm 30.2.

A subspace of a 1st countable space is 1st countable and a countable product of 1st countable space is 1st countable. A subspace of a 2nd countable space is 2nd countable and a countable product of 2nd countable space is 2nd countable.

Proof:

T.P: A subspace of a 1st countable space is 1st countable

Let X be a 1st countable space.

Let Y be a subspace of X .

T.P: Y is 1st countable.

Let $y \in Y$, then $y \in X$.

$\therefore X$ is 1st countable \exists a countable basis at y in X .

let it be \mathcal{B} where

$\mathcal{B} = \{B_n / n \in \mathbb{Z}_+\}$ and each B_n is a nbhd of y in X .

let $\mathcal{B}_y = \{B_n \cap Y / n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \text{ and } B_n \in \mathcal{B}\}$

Clearly \mathcal{B}_y is countable.

CLAIM:

\mathcal{B}_y is a countable basis at y in Y .

let V be any open set in Y containing y .

$\therefore V = U \cap Y$ where U is open in X .

$\therefore y \in U$ and U is open in X and \mathcal{B} is a basis at y in X .

$\therefore \exists B_m \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $y \in B_m \subset U$.

$\therefore y \in B_m \cap Y \subset V$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}_y$ is a countable basis at y in Y .

$\therefore Y$ has a countable basis element at each of its points.

$\therefore Y$ is 1st Countable.

T.P: A countable product of 1st Countable space is 1st Countable.

Let $\{X_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ be a countable collection of 1st Countable space.

T.P: $\prod_{i=1}^n X_i$ is 1st Countable.

Let $x = (x_i)_{i=1}^{\infty} \in \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} X_i$, then $x_i \in X_i, \forall i$.

$\therefore X_i$ is 1st Countable \exists a countable basis

\mathcal{B}_{x_i} at x_i in X_i .

$\therefore \mathcal{B}_{x_i} = \{B_{x_i,j} / B_{x_i,j} \text{ is a nbd of } x_i \text{ (n.b.d. of } x_i \text{ in } X_i, i=1, \dots, \infty)\}$

let $\mathcal{B}_x = \{\prod_{j=1}^{\infty} B_{x_i,j} / B_{x_i,j} \text{ is a nbd of } x_i \text{ in } X_i, i=1, \dots, \infty\}$

CLAIM:

\mathcal{B}_x is a countable basis of x in $\prod_{i=1}^n X_i$.

let U be any open set in $\prod_{i=1}^{\infty} X_i$ containing x .

$\therefore U = \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} U_i$, where $U_i = U_i$ for $i=1, 2, \dots, n$,
 $= X_i$ for $i \neq 1, 2, \dots, n$.

$\therefore x_i \in U_i$ if $i=1, 2, \dots, n$.

(or) $x_i \in X_i$ if $i \neq 1, 2, \dots, n$.

Then $\therefore \mathcal{B}_{x_i}$ is a countable basis at x_i in X_i .

$\exists B_{x_i,k} \in \mathcal{B}_{x_i}$ such that $x_i \in B_{x_i,k} \subset U_i, i=1, 2, \dots, n$

for some k .

$\therefore x \in \prod B_{x_i,k} \subset \prod U_i$

i.e. $x \in \prod B_{x_i,k} \subset U$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}_x$ is a countable basis at x .

$\therefore \prod X_i$ is 1st countable.

$y \in U$ and U is open in X and \mathcal{B} is a basis at

y in X .

$\therefore \exists B_m \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $y \in B_m \subset U$.

$\therefore y \in B_m \cap Y \subset U \cap Y$

i.e. $y \in B_m \cap Y \subset U$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}_y$ is a countable basis at y in Y .

$\therefore Y$ has a countable basis element at each of its points.

T.P: A subspace of a 2nd Countable space is 2nd countable
Let Y be a subspace of X .

T.P: Y is 2nd Countable.

$\therefore X$ is 2nd Countable.

X has a Countable basis for its topology.

Let it be $\mathcal{B} = \{B_n \cap Y / n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \text{ and } B_n \in \mathcal{B}\}$

$\therefore \mathcal{B}_Y$ is countable.

CLAIM:

\mathcal{B}_Y is a basis for the topology on Y .

Let $y \in Y$ and let V be an open set in Y containing y .

$\therefore V = \bigcup U$ where U is open in Y .

$\therefore y \in U$ and both U is open in X and \mathcal{B} is a basis

for the topology of X .

$\therefore \exists B_m \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $y \in B_m \subset U$.

$\therefore y \in B_m \cap Y \subset U \cap Y$.

i.e. $y \in B_m \cap Y \subset V$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}_Y$ is a basis for the topology on Y .

$\therefore Y$ is 2nd countable.

T.P: A countable product of 2nd Countable Space
is 2nd Countable.

Let $\{X_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ be countable collection of 2nd
Countable Space.

T.P: $\prod_{i=1}^{\infty} X_i$ is 2nd countable.

\therefore each X_i is 2nd countable.

\exists a countable basis \mathcal{B}_i for the topology on X_i

where $\mathcal{B} = \{B_{i,j} / j=1, 2, \dots, \infty \text{ \& } B_{i,j} \text{ is an open set in } X_i\}$

Let $\mathcal{B} = \left\{ \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} B_{i,j} / B_{i,j} \in \mathcal{B}_i, B_{i,j} \neq \emptyset \text{ for finitely many } i \right\}$

clearly \mathcal{B} is countable.

CLAIM:

\mathcal{B} is a basis for the topology on $\prod X_i$.

Let $x = (x_i)_{i=1}^{\infty} \in \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} X_i$

Let $\prod_{i=1}^{\infty} U_i$ be any open set containing x then

$U_i = U_i$ for $i=1, 2, \dots, n$

$= X_i$ for $i \neq 1, 2, \dots, n$

$\therefore x_i \in U_i$ for $i=1, 2, \dots, n$ (or)

$x_i \in X_i$ for $i \neq 1, 2, \dots, n$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}_i$ is the basis for X_i , $\exists B_{i,j} \in \mathcal{B}_i$ such that $x_i \in B_{i,j} \subset U_i$ for some j .

Let $W = \prod N_i$ where $N_i = B_{i,j}$ if $i=1, 2, \dots, n$

$= X_i$ if $i \neq 1, 2, \dots, n$.

Then W is a nbd of x and $x \in W \subset \prod U_i$

where $W \in \mathcal{B}$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}$ is a basis for the topology on $\prod X_i$.

$\therefore \prod X_i$ is a 2nd Countable.

Result:

Let X be a second countable space is 1st Countable
but converse is not true.

i.e. 2^{nd} Countable $\Rightarrow 1^{\text{st}}$ Countable.

But 1^{st} Countable $\nRightarrow 2^{\text{nd}}$ Countable.

Proof:

Let X be a second countable space.

T.P: X is 1^{st} Countable.

i.e. T.P: X has a Countable nbhd of each of its pts.

Let $x \in X$.

$\because X$ is second countable, X has a countable basis

for its topology.

Let it be $\mathcal{B} = \{B_n / n \in \mathbb{Z}_+, \text{ and } B_n \text{ is open in } X\}$

Consider, $\mathcal{B}_x = \{B_{x,i} / B_{x,i} \text{ is a nbhd of } x \text{ and } B_{x,i} \in \mathcal{B}\}$

Then \mathcal{B}_x is countable ($\because \mathcal{B}$ is countable).

CLAIM:

\mathcal{B}_x is a basis at x .

Let U be any open set containing x .

$\because \mathcal{B}$ is a basis for the topology on X \exists a basis element

$B_m \in \mathcal{B}$

$x \in B_m \subset U$.

Now $B_m \in \mathcal{B}$ and B_m is a nbhd of x .

$\therefore B_m \in \mathcal{B}_x$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}_x$ is a basis at x .

$\therefore X$ is 1^{st} Countable.

But the converse is not true.

i.e. any 1^{st} Countable space need not be 2^{nd} Countable.

R_1 .

Real line
T.P: R_1 is 1^{st} Countable.

Let $x \in R_1$

Let $\mathcal{B}_x = \{[x, x + \frac{1}{n}] / n \in \mathbb{Z}_+\}$

Then \mathcal{B}_x is a countable basis at $x \forall x \in X$.

$\therefore R_1$ is 1st countable.

Now we shall show that R_1 has no countable base for this topology.

Suppose \mathcal{B} is a countable base for its topology. Choose for each x ,

A basic element $B_x \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $x \in B_x \subset (x, x+1)$.

If $x \neq y$ then $B_x \neq B_y$.

Thus for each $x \in R_1$, \exists a basic element $B_x \in \mathcal{B}$.

$\therefore R_1$ is uncountable, \mathcal{B} is uncountable.

Which is a ~~contradiction~~ to our assumption.

$\therefore R_1$ has no countable base.

$\therefore R_1$ is not 1st countable.

Def: DENSE.

A subset A of a space X is said to be dense in X if $\bar{A} = X$.

Thm: 30.3.

Suppose that X has a countable base then,

1100 a) Every open covering of X contains a countable subcollection covering X .

b) \exists a countable subset of X that is dense in X .

Proof:

Given that X has a countable base.

Let $\mathcal{B} = \{B_n / n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ be the countable basis for the topology on X .

Let \mathcal{A} be an arbitrary open covering of X .

We have to find a countable subcover for \mathcal{A} .

Let $x \in X$.

$\therefore A$ is an open cover. \exists an open set $A \in \mathcal{A}$ such that $x \in A$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}$ is a basis \exists a basis element $B_n \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $x \in B_n \subset A$.

Thus for each $n \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and for $B_n \in \mathcal{B}$ $\exists A \in \mathcal{A}$ such that $B_n \subset A$.

Denote this A by A_n

Let $A' = \{A_n / A_n \in \mathcal{A} \text{ and } B_n \subset A_n\}$

clearly A' is a countable and it is a subcollection of \mathcal{A} .

CLAIM:

A' is a covering for X .

Let $y \in X$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}$ is a basis $\exists B_m \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $y \in B_m$

corresponding to this B_m , $\exists A_m \in \mathcal{A}$ such that

$$B_m \subset A_m$$

$$\therefore y \in B_m \subset A_m$$

$$\therefore y \in A_m$$

$\therefore A'$ is a covering for X .

Thus \mathcal{A} has a countable subcover A' covering X .

Hence result (a)

T.P: (b)

Let X has a countable sub basis

T.P: \exists a countable dense subset for X .

Let $\mathcal{B} = \{B_n / n \in \mathbb{Z}_+\}$ be the countable basis for

Each $n \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, choose $x_n \in B_n$

Let $A = \{x_n / x_n \in B_n \text{ and } B_n \in \mathcal{B}\}$

Then A is countable.

$$\text{Let } T: \bar{A} = X.$$

Let U be any nbd of x where $x \in X$.

$\therefore \mathcal{B}$ is a basis \exists a basis element $B_n \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $x \in B_n \subset U$.

But $x_n \in U$ ($\because x_n \in B_n$)

Also $x_n \in A$.

$\therefore U \cap A \neq \emptyset$ where U is a nbd of x .

$$\therefore x \in \bar{A}$$

$$\therefore x \in X \Rightarrow x \in \bar{A}$$

$$\therefore \bar{A} = X$$

$\therefore A$ is dense in X

Def:

A space having a countable dense subset is said to be separable.

Note:

i) 2nd Countable \Rightarrow Lindelof

ii) 2nd Countable \Rightarrow Separable

iii) 2nd Countable \Rightarrow 1st Countable.

Def: Lindelof:

A space for which every open covering contains a countable subcover is called Lindelof space.

Eg:

1) The space R_1 satisfies all the countability axioms but the second.

Soln:

R_1 is separable.

$\therefore \bar{Q} = R = R_1$, Q is the required countable dense subset of R_1 .

$\therefore R_1$ is separable.

To show that R_1 is Lindelof.

Let $A = \{ [a_\alpha, b_\alpha] / \alpha \in J \text{ and } a_\alpha, b_\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \}$ be an open cover for \mathbb{R}_1 .

We have to find a countable subcover for A covering \mathbb{R}_1 .

$$\text{Let } C = \bigcup (a_\alpha, b_\alpha)$$

$$\alpha \in J \text{ \& } [a_\alpha, b_\alpha] \in A$$

Then C is a subspace of \mathbb{R} .

$\therefore C$ is a 2nd Countable ($\because \mathbb{R}$ is 2nd Countable).

[Subspace of a 2nd Countable Space is 2nd Countable]

$\therefore C$ is Lindelöf (\because 2nd Countable \Rightarrow Lindelöf).

\therefore \exists a countable subcover $\{ (a_{\alpha_i}, b_{\alpha_i}) : (i=1, 2, \dots, \infty) \}$ covering C .

$\therefore \{ [a_{\alpha_i}, b_{\alpha_i}] : i=1, 2, \dots, \infty \}$ is countable subcovering for C in $\mathbb{R}_1 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

Next we shall show that $\mathbb{R} - C$ is countable.

Let $x \in \mathbb{R} - C$ then $x = a_\beta$ for some $\beta \in J$.

Choose a rational no. $q_x \in (a_\beta, b_\beta)$

$\therefore (a_\beta, b_\beta) \subset C$, (a_β, q_x) & (q_x, b_β) are also contained in C and $(a_\beta, q_x) = (x, q_x)$.

It follows that if x and $y \in \mathbb{R} - C$ with $x < y$ then $q_x < q_y$.

\therefore For each $x \in \mathbb{R} - C$ we can find a rational q_x .

\therefore The map $\mathbb{R} - C \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}$ is 1-1

$\therefore \mathbb{R} - C$ is countable.

For each $x \in \mathbb{R} - C$ we can find an open set from A containing x .

\therefore For $\mathbb{R} - C$ \exists a countable subcover from $A \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

From ① & ②

R_1 has a countable subcover.

$\therefore R_1$ is Lindelöf.

Q. 27 The product of 2 Lindelöf spaces need not be Lindelöf.

The space R_1 is Lindelöf.

We shall prove that R_1^2 is not Lindelöf.

The basis of R_1^2 is \mathcal{B} where,

$$\mathcal{B} = \{ [a, b) \times [c, d) \mid a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

Consider L to be the $\{ (x, -x) \mid x \in \mathbb{R} \}$ then

L is a subspace of \mathbb{R}_1^2 .

L is closed in \mathbb{R}_1^2 .

($\because L$ is the diagonal of the Hausdorff space \mathbb{R}_1^2)

Consider $(\mathbb{R}_1^2 - L) \cup \{ [a, b) \times [-a, d) \mid a, b, d \in \mathbb{R} \} \rightarrow (*)$

which is an open cover for \mathbb{R}_1^2 .

All basis element of the form $[a, b) \times [-a, d)$ intersect L in at most one pt namely $(a, -a)$.

$\therefore L$ is uncountable.

No countable subcollection covers L .

Here there is no countable subcover,

for the cover given in $(*)$ & covering \mathbb{R}_1^2 .

$\therefore \mathbb{R}_1^2$ is not Lindelöf.

Note:

Subspace of a Lindelöf space need not be Lindelöf.

Eg.:

The space $I \times I$ under dictionary order is called an ordered square and is denoted by I_o^2 where $I = [0, 1]$.

soln:

$\therefore I_0^2$ is compact, I_0^2 is Lindelöf.

But $A = I \times (0, 1)$ is not Lindelöf for $A = \bigcup U_\alpha$ where $U_\alpha = \{x \in I \times (0, 1) \mid x = (\alpha, y) \text{ for some } y \in (0, 1)\}$ which is open in A .

$\{U_\alpha \mid \alpha \in I\}$ is uncountable and no proper subcollection covers A .

Sec 31: The Separation Axioms

Regular Space: $\{U_\alpha\}$ closed, $C \subset X$

Let X be a space with one pt sets are closed in X . Then X is said to be regular if for each pair consisting of a pt x and a closed set B disjoint from x there exist disjoint open sets containing x and B respectively.

Normal Space:

Let X be a space with one pt sets are closed in X . Then X is said to be normal, if A and B are disjoint closed sets in X then there exist disjoint open sets containing A and B respectively.

Thm:

Every regular space is Hausdorff space.

Proof:

Let X be a regular space.

T.P: X is Hausdorff.

Let $x, y \in X$ such that $x \neq y$.

$\therefore X$ is regular and $y \in X$.

We have $\{y\}$ is closed in X .

$\therefore y \neq x, x \notin \{y\}$.

i.e. $x \in X$ and $\{y\}$ is a closed set in X not containing x and X is regular.

$\Rightarrow \exists$ disjoint open sets U and V such that $x \in U$
and $\{y\} \subseteq V$ i.e. $y \in V$.

Thus we have found out two disjoint open sets
 U & V such that $x \in U$ and $y \in V$.

$\therefore X$ is Hausdorff space.

Note:

But the converse is not true.

i.e. Hausdorff space need not be regular.

Q. Every normal space is regular.

Proof:

Let X be a normal space.

T.P: X is regular.

i.e. To prove for every pair consisting of a pt x &
a closed set not containing x .

\exists disjoint open set containing x & B respectively.

Let $x \in X$ and let B be a closed set in X not
containing x .

Now $\{x\}$ is a closed set in X ($\because X$ is normal).

Now $\{x\}$ and B are 2 disjoint closed sets.

$\because X$ is normal \exists disjoint open sets U and V
such that $\{x\} \subseteq U$ and $B \subseteq V$.

$\therefore x \in U$ and $B \subseteq V$.

$\therefore X$ is regular.

Note:

But the converse is not true.

i.e. Regular space need not be normal space.

Proof: The three separation axioms are illustrated
in below.

Lemma 81.1

Let X be a topological space. Let one point sets in X be closed.

a) X is regular \Leftrightarrow Given $p \in X$ of X and a nbd U of x there is a nbd V of x such that $\bar{V} \subset U$.

b) X is normal \Leftrightarrow Given, a closed set A and an open set U containing A , such that $\bar{V} \subset U$.

Proof: There is a open set V containing A

a). Let X be regular.

\Rightarrow One pt sets are closed.

Let $x \in X$ and U be an open set s.t. $x \in U$.

$\therefore x \notin X - U$.

$\therefore U$ is an open set, $X - U$ is a closed set

not containing x .

Let $B = X - U$ which is closed set not containing x .

Now $x \in X$ and B is a closed set not containing x .

$\therefore X$ is regular. \exists a disjoint open sets V

containing x and W containing $B \rightarrow$ ①.

CLAIM: $\bar{V} \subset U$.

$V = X - W$.

Now $V \cap W = \emptyset$ (by ①)

$\Rightarrow V \subset X - W$ and $X - W$ is closed.

($\because W$ is an open set containing B).

$\Rightarrow \bar{V} \subset X - W$ ($\because \bar{V}$ is the smallest closed set containing V)

Now $B \subset W \rightarrow$ ②

$\Rightarrow X - W \subset X - B$

We have $\bar{V} \subset X - W$ and $X - W \subset X - B$

$$\text{i.e.} \bar{V} \subset X - W \subset X - B$$

$$\text{i.e.} \bar{V} \subset X - B$$

$$\text{i.e.} \bar{V} \subset V.$$

\therefore If a open set V of X . Such that $x \in V$ and $\bar{V} \subset V$
conversely,

Suppose one point sets are closed and U is a open set containing x then \exists a nbd V of x such that, $x \in V$ & $\bar{V} \subset U$.

T.p.:

X is regular.

We have one pt are closed.

let $x \in X$ and B be a closed set not containing

$$\text{let } U = X - B$$

$\Rightarrow U$ is an open set containing x .

\therefore If an open set V st $x \in V$ & $\bar{V} \subset U$.

(By hypothesis).

Now V and $X - \bar{V}$ are disjoint open sets

$$\text{s.t. } x \in V \text{ & } B \subseteq X - \bar{V}.$$

$$(\because \bar{V} \subset U \Rightarrow X - U \subset X - \bar{V} \Rightarrow B \subseteq X - \bar{V})$$

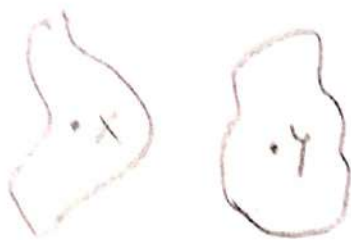
(Hence X is regular.)

T.p. (b).

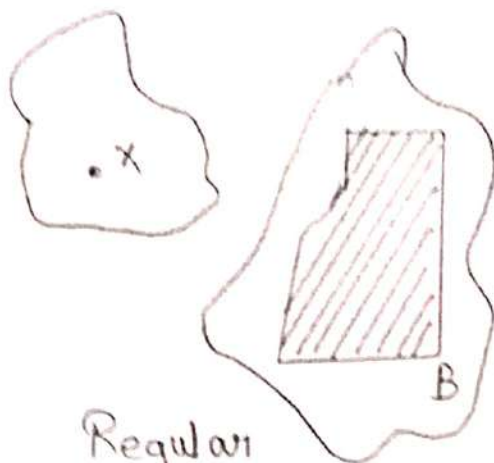
Let X be normal.

\Rightarrow one pt sets are closed.

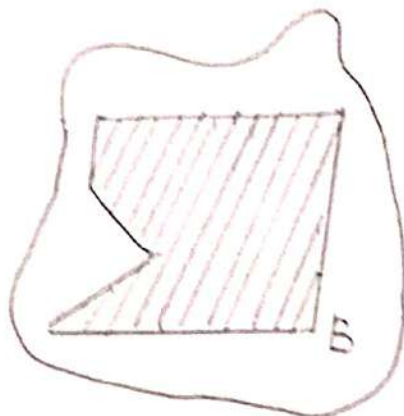
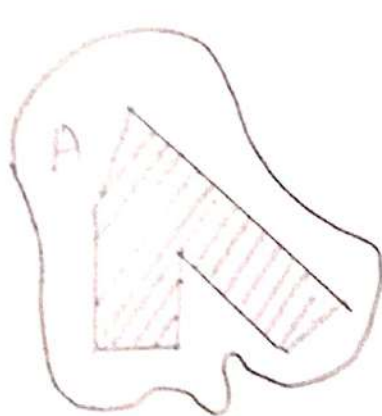
Let A be a closed set in X & U be an open set containing A



Hausdorff



Regular



Normal.

$$\therefore A \subseteq U.$$

$\therefore X$ is normal.

If A and B are disjoint closed sets in X then \exists disjoint open set V containing A and W containing B respectively, where $B = X - U$.

Claim: $\bar{V} \subseteq U$.

$$\text{Now } V \cap W = \emptyset$$

$$\Rightarrow V \subseteq X - W \text{ and } X - W \text{ is closed.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{V} \subseteq X - W \text{ [} \bar{V} \text{ is the smallest closed set containing } V \text{].}$$

Now $B \subseteq W$

$$\Rightarrow X - W \subseteq X - B$$

We have, $\bar{V} \subseteq X - W$ & $X - W \subseteq X - B$

$$\text{i.e., } \bar{V} \subseteq X - W \subseteq X - B$$

$$\text{i.e., } \bar{V} \subseteq X - B$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{V} \subseteq U.$$

Conversely,

Suppose given a closed set A , U is an open set containing A then \exists a nbd V of A such that $A \subseteq V$ and $\bar{V} \subseteq U$.

T.p: X is normal.

We have one pt sets are closed.

Let A & B are two disjoint closed set in X .

$$\text{let } U = X - B.$$

$$\Rightarrow U \text{ is an open set containing } A.$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists \text{ an open set } V, \text{ s.t. } A \subseteq V, \text{ and } \bar{V} \subseteq U \text{ (by hypothesis).}$$

$$\therefore X - V \subseteq X - \bar{V}$$

i.e. $B \subseteq X - \bar{V}$, which is open

$\therefore V$ & $X - \bar{V}$ are the required disjoint open sets containing A & B respectively.

$\therefore X$ is normal.

Thm 31.9.

a). A subspace of a Hausdorff space is Hausdorff, a product of HVS is Hausdorff.

b). A subspace of a regular space is regular, a product of a regular space is regular.

T.P: i). Subspace of a regular space is regular.

Let X be a regular space.

Let Y be a subspace of X .

T.P: Y is regular.

$\therefore X$ is regular, X is Hausdorff & hence one pt sets are closed in Y .

Let $y \in Y$.

$\therefore y \in X$.

$\therefore \{y\}$ is closed in X .

$\therefore \{y\} \cap Y$ is closed in Y .

but $\{y\} \cap Y = \{y\}$

$\therefore \{y\}$ is closed in Y .

\therefore one pt sets are closed in Y .

Let $x \in Y$ and B be a closed set in Y .

s.t. $x \notin B$.

$$x \in Y \Rightarrow x \in X \quad (\because Y \subset X).$$

B is a closed set in $Y \Rightarrow B = \bar{B} \cap Y$. where \bar{B} is a closure of B in X .

$x \notin B \Rightarrow x \notin \bar{B}$ where \bar{B} is a closed set in X .

$\because X$ is regular, \exists open sets U & V in X .

s.t. $x \in U$ & $\bar{B} \subseteq V$ & $U \cap V = \emptyset$.

i.e. $U \cap V$ and $V \cap Y$ are two disjoint open set in Y .

Such that $x \in U \cap Y$ and $B \subseteq V \cap Y$.

$\therefore Y$ is regular.

(ii) T.P: product of a regular space is regular.

Let $X = \prod X_\alpha$, where each X_α is regular.

T.P: X is regular.

Let $x \in X$.

Let $x = (x_\alpha)_{\alpha \in I} \in \prod_{\alpha \in I} X_\alpha \Rightarrow x_\alpha \in X_\alpha \quad \forall \alpha \in I$.

Let U be a nbd of x in X .

\exists a basis element $\prod U_\alpha$, where U_α is open in $X_\alpha \neq \alpha$ and $U_\alpha = X_\alpha$ except for finitely many values of α and $\prod U_\alpha \subseteq U$.

$\therefore (x_\alpha) \in \prod U_\alpha$.

$\Rightarrow x_\alpha \in U_\alpha \quad \forall \alpha$.

i.e. $x_\alpha \in U_\alpha$ and U_α is an open set containing x_α and x_α is regular.

$\Rightarrow \exists$ a nbd V_α of x_α in X_α s.t. $\bar{V}_\alpha \subseteq U_\alpha$.

(31.1) $\therefore \bar{V}_\alpha \subseteq U_\alpha$ for finitely many values of α .

$$\Rightarrow \pi \bar{V}_\alpha \subseteq \pi U_\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi \bar{V}_\alpha \subseteq \pi U_\alpha \subseteq U$$

$$[\because \pi A_\alpha = \overline{\pi A_\alpha}]$$

Let $V = \pi V_\alpha$ where V_α is an open set containing x_α for finitely many values of α and hence V is a basic open set containing x .

$$\text{i.e. } x \in V.$$

Let V is a nbd of x s.t. $V \subseteq U$ and hence X is regular.

$\therefore \pi X_\alpha$ is regular.

Eg:

The space \mathbb{R}_1 is normal

Let A, B be two disjoint closed sets in \mathbb{R}_1 .

Let $a \in A$

$\Rightarrow a \in \mathbb{R}_1 - B$ and \mathbb{R}_1 is open.

\Rightarrow \exists a basic open set $[a, x_a]$ such that

$$a \in [a, x_a) \subseteq \mathbb{R}_1 - B.$$

i.e. For each $a \in A$, we can find a basic open set $[a, x_a)$ which is disjoint from B .

$$\text{i.e. } [a, x_a) \cap B = \emptyset \longrightarrow (1)$$

Similarly, For each $b \in B$, we can find a basic open set $[b, x_b)$ which is disjoint from A .

$$\text{i.e. } [b, x_b) \cap A = \emptyset \longrightarrow (2)$$

$$\text{Let } U = \bigcup_{a \in A} [a, x_a) \text{ and } V = \bigcup_{b \in B} [b, x_b)$$

clearly U and V are open sets w.t.

$$A \subseteq U \text{ \& } B \subseteq V.$$

claim:

$$U \cap V = \emptyset \quad \text{Suppose } U \cap V \neq \emptyset$$

$$\text{Let } x \in U \cap V \Rightarrow x \in U \text{ and } x \in V.$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in [a, x_a) \text{ and } x \in [b, x_b) \text{ for some } a \in A, b \in B$$

$$\text{If } x \in [a, x_a) \Rightarrow x \notin B.$$

$$x \in [b, x_b) \Rightarrow x \notin A.$$

$$x \in [a, x_a) \cap [b, x_b).$$

Without the loss of generality, we assume that

$$a < b.$$

$$\therefore a < b < x < x_a$$

$$\Rightarrow b \in [a, x_a)$$

$$\text{Which is a } \Rightarrow \Leftarrow b \in (1) (\because b \in B, [a, x_a) \cap B = \emptyset)$$

$$\text{i.e. } U \cap V = \emptyset$$

$$\therefore R_1 \text{ is normal.}$$

Sec 32: Normal Spaces.

Thm: 32.1

Every regular space with a countable basis is normal.

Let X be a regular space with a countable basis \mathcal{B} .

$\therefore X$ is regular, singleton sets are closed in X .

Let A and B be two disjoint non-empty closed subsets of X .

$$\text{Let } x \in A$$

$$\Rightarrow x \notin B \quad (\because A \cap B = \emptyset)$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in X - B \text{ which is open } (\because B \text{ is closed}).$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists \text{ a nbd } v \text{ of } x, \text{ s.t. } x \in v \text{ and } \bar{v} \subset X - B$$

$\therefore X$ is regular and by thm [81.1 (a)]

i.e. $x \in V$ & V is open.

$\Rightarrow \exists$ a basis open set U of \mathcal{B} . Such that

$x \in U \subset V$ and $\bar{U} \subset V \subset X - B$.

$\Rightarrow \bar{U} \cap B = \emptyset$ ($\because \bar{U} \subset X - B$).

i.e. for each $x \in A$ \exists a basis open set, $U \in \mathcal{B}$
s.t. $x \in U$ & \bar{U} doesn't intersect B .

i.e. \exists a countable open cover $\{U_n\}$ for A
with each \bar{U}_n not intersecting B .

likewise, \exists a countable open cover $\{V_n\}$ for B
with each \bar{V}_n not intersects A .

Given: n , define $U_n' = U_n - \bigcup_{i=1}^n \bar{V}_i$ and

$$V_n' = V_n - \bigcup_{i=1}^n \bar{U}_i$$

Each set U_n' is open being the difference of an
open set U_n and a closed set $\bigcup_{i=1}^n \bar{V}_i$.

likewise each set V_n is open.

$$\text{Let } U' = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n' \text{ and } V' = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} V_n'$$

$\therefore U'$ and V' are open sets.

Claim: $U' \cap V' = \emptyset$

Suppose $x \in U' \cap V'$

$\Rightarrow x \in U_j'$ for some j and $x \in V_k'$ for some k .

Suppose that $j \leq k$.

By the def of V_k' .

$$V_k' = V_k - (\bar{U}_1 \cup \bar{U}_2 \cup \dots \cup \bar{U}_k)$$

i.e. $x \in V_k$ & $x \notin \bar{U}_1 \cup \bar{U}_2 \cup \dots \cup \bar{U}_k$

$\Rightarrow x \in V_k$ but $x \notin \bar{U}_j$ for any j ($\because j \leq k$)

$\Rightarrow x \notin U_j$ for any j

$\Rightarrow x \notin U_j'$ for any j .

which is a $\Rightarrow \Leftarrow$ to ①

A similar contradiction arises if $j > k$

$$\therefore U' \cap V' = \emptyset$$

i.e. U' & V' are open set s.t. $A \subset U'$ & $B \subset V'$

and $U' \cap V' = \emptyset$

$\therefore X$ is normal.

Thm 32.2

Every metrizable space is Normal.

Let X be a metrizable with metric d .

Let A and B be two non-empty disjoint closed subset of X .

Let $a \in A \Rightarrow a \notin B$ ($\because A \cap B = \emptyset$)

$\Rightarrow a \in X - B$ which is open.

$\Rightarrow \exists \epsilon_a > 0$ s.t. $B(a, \epsilon_a) \subset (X - B)$. for each

$a \in A$, doesn't intersect B .

III^{ly}, for each $b \in B$ choose $\epsilon_b > 0$.

We can find an open ball $B(b, \epsilon_b)$ doesn't intersect A .

Let $U = \bigcup_{a \in A} B(a, \epsilon_a/2)$ and

$V = \bigcup_{b \in B} B(b, \epsilon_b/2)$

Clearly U and V are open sets containing A & B respectively.

It is enough to P.T $U \cap V = \emptyset$

Suppose $U \cap V \neq \emptyset$

Let $z \in U \cap V$.

i.e., $z \in B\left(a, \frac{\epsilon_a}{2}\right) \cap B\left(b, \frac{\epsilon_b}{2}\right)$ for some

$a \in A$ and for some $b \in B$.

i.e., $z \in B\left(a, \epsilon_a/2\right)$ for some $a \in A$

$z \in B\left(b, \epsilon_b/2\right)$ for some $b \in B$.

$\Rightarrow d(z, a) < \epsilon_a/2$ and $d(z, b) < \epsilon_b/2$

Without the loss of generality we assume

$\epsilon_b \leq \epsilon_a$.

By Δ^b inequality.

$$d(a, b) \leq (\epsilon_a + \epsilon_b) / 2$$

$$\leq \epsilon_a/2 + \epsilon_b/2$$

$$< \epsilon_a/2 + \frac{\epsilon_a}{2}$$

$$\leq \epsilon_a$$

$$d(a, b) < \epsilon_a$$

$$\text{i.e., } b \in B(a, \epsilon_a)$$

Which is a $\Rightarrow b \in B$ and $b \in B(a, \epsilon_a)$

Which doesn't intersect B .

$$\therefore U \cap V = \emptyset$$

i.e., If disjoint open set U and V , $\forall a \in A, \forall b \in B$

$\therefore X$ is normal.

Thm 32.3.

Every compact Hausdorff space is Normal.

Let X be a compact H.S.

$\therefore X$ is Hausdorff, singleton sets are closed.

Let A, B be two disjoint closed subset of X .

$\therefore A$ & B are closed and X is compact.

A and B are compact.

\therefore closed subset of a compact subspace is compact.

Let $x \in A$

For each $y \in B$ \exists disjoint nbds of x and y respectively.

$\{V_y / y \in B\}$ is an open cover for B .

$\therefore B$ is compact \exists a finite sub-collection.

$\{V_{y_1}, V_{y_2}, \dots, V_{y_n}\}$ of $\{V_y / y \in B\}$ that covers B .

Let $U = U_{y_1} \cap U_{y_2} \cap \dots \cap U_{y_n}$.

$V = V_{y_1} \cup V_{y_2} \cup \dots \cup V_{y_n}$.

$\therefore U$ & V are disjoint open sets s.t. $A \subset U$ and $B \subset V$.

For each $x \in A$ \exists disjoint open U_x and V_x

Containing x & B , respectively.

$\{U_x / x \in A\}$ is an open cover for A .

$\therefore A$ is compact \exists a finite subcollection

$\{U_{x_1}, U_{x_2}, \dots, U_{x_n}\}$ of $\{U_x / x \in A\}$ that covers A .

Let $U = U_{x_1} \cup U_{x_2} \cup \dots \cup U_{x_n}$

$V = V_{x_1} \cap V_{x_2} \cap \dots \cap V_{x_n}$

then U & V are disjoint open sets

s.t. $A \subset U$ and $B \subset V$ and $U \cap V = \emptyset$

$\therefore X$ is normal.

Thm 32.4

Every well ordered set is normal in the order topology.

Let X be a well ordered set with order topology.

We assume that every interval of the form $[x, y]$ is open in X .

$[x, y] = \begin{cases} [x, y] & \text{if } y \text{ is the largest element of } X \\ [x, y') & \text{if } y \text{ is the immediate successor of } y \text{ in } X. \end{cases}$

Let A and B be two non-empty disjoint closed subsets of X .

Case (i):

Assume that neither A nor B contains the smallest element a_0 of X .

(In a well ordered set every non-empty set has smallest element).

Let $a \in A$

$\Rightarrow a \notin B$ ($\because A \cap B = \emptyset$)

$\Rightarrow a \in X - B$ which is open.

$\Rightarrow \exists$ a basis element $[x, a]$ such that

$a \in [x, a] \subset X - B$.

$\Rightarrow [x, a] \cap B = \emptyset$

For each $a \in A$, \exists a basis element $[x_a, a]$ such that

$[x_a, a] \subset X - B$.

i.e. $[x_a, a] \cap B = \emptyset \quad \forall a \in A$.

iii^u for each $b \in B$ \exists an open set $(y_b, b]$ such that $(y_b, b] \subset X - A$.

$$\text{i.e. } (y_b, b] \cap A = \emptyset.$$

$$\text{Let } U = \bigcup_{a \in A} (x_a, a]$$

$$V = \bigcup_{b \in B} (y_b, b]$$

Then clearly U and V are open sets containing A & B respectively. (i.e. $A \subset U$ & $B \subset V$).

$$\text{Claim: } U \cap V = \emptyset.$$

Suppose $z \in U \cap V$

Then $z \in (x_a, a]$ for some $a \in A$ and $z \in (y_b, b]$.

If $y_b < a$, then $a \in (y_b, b]$

Which is a $\Rightarrow \Leftarrow$ to $(y_b, b] \cap A = \emptyset$

iii^y a contradiction occurs if $b < a$.

$$\therefore U \cap V = \emptyset.$$

Case (ii):

Let a be the smallest element in X and

Let $a_0 \in A$.

$\{a_0\}$ is both open and closed in X

($\because X$ with order topology is Hausdorff)

Consider $A_1 = A - \{a_0\}$ then A_1 is closed.

$\therefore \{a_0\}$ is closed.

$\therefore A$ and B are disjoint closed sets in X .

By case (i) \exists disjoint open sets U and V

$$\text{s.t. } A_1 \subset U \text{ \& } B \subset V.$$

Let $U_1 = U \cup \{a\}$. ($\because a$ is open). Then U_1 and V are disjoint open sets containing A & B resly.

$\therefore X$ is normal!

Sec: 33 The Urysohn Lemma

Thm: 33.1 (Urysohn Lemma).

Let X be a normal space. Let A and B be disjoint closed subsets of X .

Let $[a, b]$ be a closed interval in the real line. Then There exists a map $f: X \rightarrow [a, b]$ s.t. $f(x) = a$ for every x in A and $f(x) = b$ for every x in B .

We shall prove the result for $[0, 1]$ bcz $[a, b]$ is homeomorphic to $[0, 1]$.

STEP: 1

Let P be the set of all rational no. in the interval $[0, 1]$.

We shall define an open set U_p of X for each $p \in [0, 1]$ s.t. $\overline{U_p} \subset U_q$ whenever $p < q$.

$\because P$ is countable, we can use induction to define the set U_p .

Arrange the elements of P in some order.

Let 1 & 0 be the 1st two element in the arrangement.

Now we define the set U_p as follows 1st define $U_1 = X - B$ which is open such A is closed set contained in the open set U_1 and since X is normal

There is an open set U_0 such that

$$A \subset U_0 \subset \overline{U_0} \subset U_1$$

In general, let P_n denote the set consisting of the j^{th} n -rational numbers in the arrangement.

Suppose that U_p is defined for all rational no. p , belonging to the set in satisfying the condition

$$p < q \Rightarrow \overline{U_p} \subset \overline{U_q} \longrightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Let r denote the next rational number the arrangement we wish to define U_r .

Consider the set $P_{n+1} = P_n \cup \{r\}$ then P_{n+1} is a finite subset of the interval $[0, 1]$.

which is a simply ordered set.

$\therefore P_{n+1}$ is also an simply ordered.

In a finite ordered set every element other than the smallest and largest has an immediate predecessor and an immediate successor.

The no. '0' is the smallest element and '1' is the largest element of the simply ordered set P_{n+1} but r is neither 0 nor 1.

$\therefore r$ has an immediate predecessor p and an immediate successor q in P_{n+1} .

$$\text{i.e. } p < r < q.$$

The sets U_p & U_q are already defined and $\overline{U_p} \subset U_q$ by the induction hypothesis.

$\therefore X$ is normal.

It is an open set U_r of X , s.t.

$$\overline{U_p} \subset U_r \subset \overline{U_r} \subset U_q.$$

Next we assert that eqn ① holds for every pair of element of P_{n+1} .
 i.e. If both element lie in the ① holds by the induction hypothesis.

ii) If one of them is r & the other point is s of P_n . Then either $s \leq r$.

In which case $\bar{U}_s \subset U_p \subset \bar{U}_p \subset U_r$.

$\therefore \bar{U}_s \in U_r$.

Or $s \geq r$. In which case $\bar{U}_r \subset U_q \subset \bar{U}_q \subset U_s$.

$\therefore \bar{U}_r \subset U_s$.

Thus, for every pair of element of P_{n+1} eqn ① holds by induction we have defined U_p for every $p \in P$.

STEP 2:

Now we shall define open set U_p to all rational no. p in \mathbb{R} by defining $U_p = \emptyset$ if $p < 0$ and $U_p = X$ if $p > 1$.

Claim: If p and q are any two rational numbers s.t. $p < q$ then $\bar{U}_p \subset U_q$.

Case (i)

If p and q are < 0 then

$$U_p = U_q = \emptyset$$

$$\therefore \bar{U}_p = \emptyset = \emptyset \subset \emptyset = U_q$$

$$\text{i.e. } \bar{U}_p \subset U_q.$$

Case (ii):

$\nexists P < 0$ and $q \in [0, 1]$ then $U_p = \emptyset$

$$\therefore \overline{U_p} = \overline{\emptyset} = \emptyset \subset U_q.$$

$$\text{i.e. } \overline{U_p} \subset U_q.$$

Case (iii)

$P \geq q \in [0, 1]$ then by step 1 $\overline{U_p} \subset U_q$.

Case iv):

$\nexists P \in [0, 1]$ & $q > 1$ then $U_q = X$ and

$$\overline{U_p} \subset X = U_q$$

$$\therefore \overline{U_p} \subset U_q.$$

Case v):

$\nexists P$ and $q > 1$ then $U_p = U_q = X$

$$\overline{U_p} = \overline{X} = X \subset X = U_q$$

$$\therefore \overline{U_p} \subset U_q.$$

From the above 5 cases it is true that for any pair of rational no. P & q

$$P < q \Rightarrow \overline{U_p} \subset U_q.$$

STEP : 3.

Given a pt $x \in X$ define $Q(x) = \{P \in \mathbb{Q} / x \in U_p\}$

be the set of rational number.

$$\text{i.e. } x \in U_p \Rightarrow P \in Q$$

For every $p > 1$, $x \in X = U_p$

$$\therefore \text{Every } p > 1 \in Q(x)$$

For every $P < 0$, $x \notin \emptyset = U_p$

$$\therefore \text{Every } P < 0 \notin Q(x)$$

$\therefore Q(x)$ is bounded below and its greatest lower bound (glb) is a pt of $[0, 1]$.

Define $f(x) = \inf Q(x)$ then f is a fun from $f: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$.

STEP 4:

We shall show that f is the desired fun.

Claim:

$$f(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in A \quad \text{and} \quad f(x) = 1 \quad \forall x \in B$$

$$\text{let } x \in A$$

$$\therefore x \in U_p \quad \forall p \geq 0$$

$$\therefore p \in Q(x) \quad \forall p \geq 0$$

$$\therefore \text{glb of } Q(x) = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } f(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in A$$

$$\text{let } x \in B \quad \text{then } x \notin U_p \quad \forall p \leq 1.$$

$$\therefore p \notin Q(x) \quad \forall p \leq 1$$

$$\therefore \text{glb of } Q(x) = 1$$

$$\text{i.e. } f(x) = 1 \quad \forall x \in B$$

Hence the claim.

STEP 5:

Next we shall s.t $S: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is cts for this purpose we first prove the following result.

$$\text{i) } x \in \overline{U_\gamma} \Rightarrow f(x) \leq \gamma$$

$$\text{ii) } x \notin U_\gamma \Rightarrow f(x) \geq \gamma.$$

$$x \in \overline{U_\gamma} \Rightarrow x \in U_\delta \quad \forall \delta > \gamma$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta \in Q(x) \quad \forall \delta > \gamma$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{glb of } Q(x) \leq \gamma.$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \leq r$$

Hence result (i)

$$x \notin U_r \Rightarrow x \notin U_s \quad \forall s < r$$

$$\Rightarrow s \notin Q(x) \quad \forall s < r$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{glb of } Q(x) \geq r$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \geq r$$

Hence result (ii)

Finally we prove $f: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is cb.

Let $x_0 \in X$

let B be any nbd of $f(x_0)$ in $[0, 1]$.

$\therefore \exists$ a basis element (c, d) s.t. $f(x_0) \in (c, d) \subset B$

$$\therefore c < f(x_0) < d.$$

Choose 2 rational pts p & q s.t.

$$c < p < f(x_0) < q < d.$$

$$\text{Let } U = U_q - \overline{U_p}$$

$\therefore U$ is open.

Claim:

$$x_0 \in U$$

For if $x_0 \notin U$ then $x_0 \notin U_q - \overline{U_p}$

$$\therefore x_0 \notin U_q \text{ (or) } x_0 \in \overline{U_p}$$

$$x_0 \notin U_q \Rightarrow f(x_0) \geq q \quad (\text{by ii})$$

which is a $\Rightarrow \Leftarrow$ to $f(x_0) < q$.

$$x_0 \in \overline{U_p} \Rightarrow f(x_0) \leq p \quad (\text{by (i)})$$

which is a $\Rightarrow \Leftarrow$ to the fact that $f(x_0) > p$

$$\therefore x_0 \in U$$

i.e., U is a nbd of x_0

Claim:

$$f(U) \subset V$$

$$\text{Let } f(x) \in f(U)$$

$$\therefore x \in U$$

$$\text{i.e. } x \in U_q - \overline{U_p}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in U_q \text{ and } x \notin \overline{U_p}$$

$$x \in U_q \Rightarrow x \in \overline{U_q}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \leq q \quad (\text{by (i)})$$

$$x \notin \overline{U_p} \Rightarrow x \notin U_p$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \geq p \quad (\text{by (ii)})$$

$$\therefore p \leq f(x) < q$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \in [p, q]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \in [c, d]$$

$$\therefore f(x) \in V$$

$$\therefore f(x) \in f(U) \Rightarrow f(x) \in V$$

$$\therefore f(U) \subset V$$

$\therefore x_0$ is arbitrary

$f: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is cts.

Hence: Urysohn lemma.

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Portion.

Def:

If A and B are two subsets of the topological space X if there is a cts fun $f: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ s.t. $f(A) = \{0\}$, $f(B) = \{1\}$. We say that A & B can be separated by a cts fun.

Def: Completely Regular

A Space X is Completely regular if one pt set are closed in X and if for each pt x_0 and each closed set A not containing x_0 there is a cts fun

$f: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ such that $f(x_0) = 1$ and $f(A) = \{0\}$

Results (or) eg:

1. Any normal space is completely regular.

Let X be a normal space.

T.P: X is completely regular

Let $a \in X$.

Let B be any closed set in X such that $a \notin B$.

In a normal space one pt set are closed.

$\therefore \{a\}$ is closed.

$\therefore a \notin B$, $\{a\}$ & B are disjoint closed sets in X .

By applying Urysohn lemma,

\exists a cts fun $f: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ such that

$$f(\{a\}) = \{1\} \text{ \& \& } f(B) = \{0\}$$

$$\text{i.e. } f(a) = 1 \text{ and } f(B) = 0$$

$\therefore X$ is completely regular.

2. Any completely regular space is regular,

Let X be a completely regular space.

T.P: X is regular.

Let $a \in X$ & B be any closed set in X such that $a \notin B$.

$\because X$ is completely regular, \exists a cts fun $f: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$.

$$\text{s.t. } f(a) = 1 \text{ and } f(B) = \{0\}$$

$$\text{Let } U = f^{-1}([0, \frac{1}{2})) \text{ and } V = f^{-1}((\frac{1}{2}, 1])$$

$\because [0, \frac{1}{2})$ & $(\frac{1}{2}, 1]$ are open in $[0, 1]$ in X .

i.e. U & V are open in X .

Also, U & V are disjoint, $b \in [0, \frac{1}{2}]$, $x \in (\frac{1}{2}, 1]$
are disjoint.

$\therefore U$ & V are the required disjoint open sets.

$\therefore X$ is regular.

\therefore Any completely regular space is regular.

Ex. 1. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z\}$
be a set of 26 elements. Define a topology τ on X by

Thm 33.2

i) A subspace of a completely regular space is completely regular and

ii) Product of completely regular space is completely regular.

Proof:

i) Let X be a completely regular space.

Let Y be a subspace of X .

T.P: Y is completely regular.

One pt set in Y are closed in Y .

for let $y \in Y$ then closure of $\{y\}$ in $Y = \{y\} \cap Y$
 $= \{y\} \cap X$

\because One pt sets are closed in X .

$\therefore \{\bar{y}\} = \{y\}$

$\therefore \{y\}$ is closed in Y .

Let $y_0 \in Y$ and let B be a closed set in Y

s.t. $y_0 \notin B$.

$B = C \cap Y$ where C is closed in X

$y_0 \in B \Rightarrow y_0 \in C$

$\therefore X$ is completely regular.

Then a cts function $f: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ such that
 $f(B) = \{0\}$ and $f(y_0) = 1$.

Now $f|_Y$ is the required cts fun. from
 Y to $[0, 1]$ s.t.

$(f|_Y)(B) = \{0\}$ and $(f|_Y)(y_0) = 1$

$\therefore Y$ is completely regular.

ii). Let $\{X_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in J}$ be a collection of completely regular spaces.

T.P: $\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$ is completely regular.

\therefore each X_α is completely regular.

i.e. X_α is regular.

\therefore One pt set in $\prod X_\alpha$ is closed.

Let $b = (b_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J} \in \prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$.

Let B be any closed set in $\prod X_\alpha$. s.t. $b \notin B$

Let $U = X - B$ then U is an open set containing the point b .

\therefore \exists a basis element $\prod_{\alpha \in J} U_\alpha$ s.t. $b \in \prod U_\alpha \subset U$.

where, $U_\alpha = U_{\alpha_i}$ for $\alpha = \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$
 $= X_\alpha$ for $\alpha \neq \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$ for $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$,
 $b_{\alpha_i} \in U_{\alpha_i}$.

$\therefore b_{\alpha_i} \notin X_{\alpha_i} - U_{\alpha_i}$ which is

$\therefore X_{\alpha_i}$ is completely regular \exists a cts fun.

$f_i: X_{\alpha_i} \rightarrow [0, 1]$ s.t. $f_i: (X - U_{\alpha_i}) = \{0\}$ and

$f_i(b_{\alpha_i}) = 1$

Let $\phi_i(x) = f_i(\pi_{\alpha_i}(x))$ if $x \in B$ then

$x_{\alpha_i} \in X_{\alpha_i} - U_{\alpha_i} \implies \phi_i(x) = f_i(x_{\alpha_i})$

$\pi_{\alpha_i}(x) = x_{\alpha_i} \implies \phi_i(x) = 0$

Then ϕ_i maps $\prod X_\alpha$ continuously into \mathbb{R} .

Def $\phi: \prod X_\alpha \rightarrow [0, 1]$ s.t.

$\phi(x) = \phi_1(x) \times \phi_2(x) \times \dots$

Then ϕ is cts.

$\prod_{\alpha \in B} \phi(\alpha) = \phi(\alpha_1) \times \phi(\alpha_2) \times \dots \times \phi(\alpha_n)$
 $= 1$

$\forall x = b$ then $\phi(x) = \phi(b_1) \times \phi(b_2) \times \dots \times \phi(b_n)$
 $= |x| \times \dots \times |x| = 1$

$\therefore \phi$ is the required cb function.

$\therefore \prod_{\alpha \in I} x_\alpha$ is completely regular.

Sec 34 The Urysohn Metrization Thm

Thm 34.1 [UNT]

Every regular space X with a countable basis \mathcal{B} is

reg metrizable.

Proof:

STEP 1

We prove the following \exists a countable collection of the fun $f_n: X \rightarrow [0,1]$ having the property that given any pt x_0 of X and any nbd U of x_0 \exists an index n such that f_n is +ve at x_0 and Vanish outside U .

Let $B = \{B_n / n \in \mathbb{Z}_+\}$

$\therefore X$ is regular and has countable basis

X is normal.

$\therefore \forall B_n \in B; \exists B_m \in B$ s.t. $\overline{B_n} \subset B_m$

$\therefore B_n$ and $X - B_m$ are disjoint closed set in X

$\therefore X$ is normal by Urysohn lemma.

\exists a cb fun $1 - g_{n,m}: X \rightarrow [0,1]$

Such that,

$g_{n,m}(x) = 1$ if $x \in \overline{B_n}$

$= 0$ if $x \in X - B_m$

Let $x_0 \in X$ and let U be a nbd of x_0

$\therefore B$ is a basis for X , \exists a basis element $B_m \in \mathcal{B}$
s.t. $x_0 \in B_m \subset U$.

$\therefore X$ is normal, \exists a basis element B_n such that
 $x_0 \in B_n \subset \overline{B_n} \subset B_m \subset U$.

$\therefore \exists$ a cb fun $g_{n,m}: X \rightarrow [0,1]$ s.t.

$$g_{n,m}(x) = 1 \text{ if } x \in \overline{B_n} \\ = 0 \text{ if } x \in X - B_m.$$

$$\therefore g_{n,m}(x_0) = 1 > 0 \quad (\because x_0 \in B_n \subset \overline{B_n})$$

$$\text{i.e. } g_{n,m}(x_0) > 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } g_{n,m} \text{ is +ve at } x_0$$

$$\text{If } x \notin U \text{ then } x \in X - U$$

$$x \in X - B_m$$

$$\therefore g_{n,m}(x) = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } g_{n,m} \text{ vanishes outside } U.$$

$$\text{Let } g_{n,m} = f_n$$

The collection $\{f_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{Z}_+}$ is the required Countable collection of cb fun the "above" pts.

STEP 2:

From step 1 we get a countable collection $\{f_n\}$ of cb f_n satisfy the above pts.

Consider the $\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$ in the product topology.

Def the map $F: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$ by

$$F(x) = (f_1(x), f_2(x), \dots, f_n(x), \dots)$$

We assert that F is an imbedding.

F is cb because each f_n is countable and $\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$ has the product topology.

$\therefore F$ is 1-1.

Let $x \neq y \in X$

$\therefore x$ is regular, $\{y\}$ is closed.

Let $U = X - \{y\}$ then $x \in U$.

By Step 1, \exists a cb function f_N for s.t. $f_N(x) > 0$ and $f_N(y) = 0$

$$f_N(x) \neq f_N(y)$$

$$\therefore F(x) \neq F(y)$$

$$\therefore x \neq y \Rightarrow F(x) \neq F(y)$$

$\therefore F$ is 1-1

$F: X \rightarrow F(X)$ is onto.

$\therefore F$ is bijection.

Next we shall prove F is an open map.

Let U be an open in X .

T.P: $F(U)$ is open in $F(X)$.

Let $F(X) = Z$

Let $z_0 \in F(U)$ then $z_0 = F(x_0)$ for some $x_0 \in U$.

$\therefore \exists$ a cb fun $f_N: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ such that

$f_N(x_0) > 0$ and $f_N(x) = 0 \forall x \in X - U$

Let $V = \pi_N^{-1}(0, \infty)$ then V is an open subset of X .

Let $W = V \cap Z$ then W is open in $F(X)$.

CLAIM:

$z_0 \in W$ and $W \subset F(U)$

$x_0 \in U$ and $f_N(x_0) > 0$

$f_N(x_0) \in (0, \infty)$

$\pi_N^{-1}(f_N(x_0)) \in \pi_N^{-1}(0, \infty)$ ($\because \pi_N \circ F = f_N$)

i.e. $F(x_0) \in \pi_N^{-1}(0, \infty) = V$

$\Rightarrow F(x_0) \in W$

i.e., $z_0 \in V$

Also $z_0 \in F(X) = Z$

$\therefore z_0 \in V \cap Z$

i.e., $z_0 \in W$

Let $y \in W$

$\therefore y \in V \cap Z = V \cap F(X)$

$\therefore y \in V$ and $y \in F(X)$

$y \in V \Rightarrow y \in \pi_N^{-1}(0, \infty)$

$y \in F(X) \Rightarrow y = F(x)$ where $x \in X$.

$y \in \pi_N^{-1}(0, \infty) \Rightarrow F(x) \in \pi_N^{-1}(0, \infty)$

$\Rightarrow \pi_N \circ F(x) \in (0, \infty)$

$\Rightarrow f_N(x) \in (0, \infty)$

$\Rightarrow f_N(x) > 0$

$\therefore x \notin X \cup$

$\therefore x \in U$

$\therefore F(x) \in F(U)$

$\Rightarrow y \in F(U)$

$\therefore y \in W \Rightarrow y \in F(U)$

$\therefore W \subset F(U)$

$\therefore F(U)$ is open

$\therefore F$ is an open map.

$\therefore F$ is an imbedding of X in \mathbb{R}^N but

\mathbb{R}^N is metrizable

$\therefore F$ is metrizable.

Thm : 34.2 (Imbedding thm).

Let X be a space in which one-point sets are closed. Suppose that $(f_\alpha)_{\alpha \in J}$ is an indexed family of cts fns $f_\alpha: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ satisfying the

requirement that for each pt x_0 of X and each ngd U of x_0 . There is an index of \mathbb{N} such that f_α is +ve at x_0 and vanishes outside U , then the function $F: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$ defined by $F(x) = (f_\alpha(x))_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}}$ is an wedding of X in $\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$. If f_α maps for each α then F imbeds X in $[\text{con}]^{\mathbb{N}}$.

Proof.

A countable collection,

Consider $\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$ with the product topology.

Def a map $F: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$ by $F(x) = (f_\alpha(x))_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}}$

We assert that, F is an imbedding.

F is cb because each f_α is cb and $\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$ is the product topology, F is 1-1

For let $x \neq y \in X$

$\therefore X$ is regular, $\{y\}$ is closed.

Let $U = X - \{y\}$ then $x \in U$.

By hypothesis, \exists a cb then f_α s.t $f_\alpha(x) > 0$ and $f_\alpha(y) = 0$.

$$f_\alpha(x) \neq f_\alpha(y)$$

$$\therefore F(x) \neq F(y)$$

$$\therefore x \neq y \Rightarrow F(x) \neq F(y)$$

$$\therefore F \text{ is 1-1}$$

$F: X \rightarrow F(X)$ is onto.

$\therefore F$ is a bijection.

Next we shall prove that F is an open map

Let U be open in X

T.P: $F(U)$ is open in $F(X)$

$$\text{let } F(X) = Z$$

Let $z_0 \in F(U)$ then $z_0 = F(x_0)$ for some $x_0 \in U$

$\therefore \exists$ a cts. function $f_\alpha: X \rightarrow [0, \infty]$ s.t.

$$F_\alpha(x_0) > 0 \text{ \& } f_\alpha(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in X - U$$

Let $V = \pi_\alpha^{-1}(0, \infty)$ then V is an open subset of \mathbb{R}^n .

Let $W = V \cap Z$, then W is open in $F(X)$.

Claim: $z_0 \in W \subset F(U)$

$$x_0 \in U \Rightarrow \therefore F_\alpha(x_0) > 0$$

$$f_\alpha(x_0) \in (0, \infty)$$

$$\pi_\alpha^{-1}(f_\alpha(x_0)) \in \pi_\alpha^{-1}(0, \infty)$$

$$\text{i.e. } F(x_0) \in \pi_\alpha^{-1}(0, \infty) = V$$

$$\Rightarrow F(x_0) \in V$$

$$\Rightarrow z_0 \in V$$

$$\text{Also } z_0 \in F(X) = Z$$

$$z_0 \in V \cap Z$$

$$\Rightarrow z_0 \in W$$

Let $y \in W$.

$$y \in V \cap Z \Rightarrow y \in V \cap F(X)$$

$$y \in V \Rightarrow y \in \pi_\alpha^{-1}(0, \infty)$$

$$y \in F(X) \Rightarrow y = F(x) \text{ where } x \in X.$$

$$y \in \pi_\alpha^{-1}(0, \infty) \Rightarrow F(x) \in \pi_\alpha^{-1}(0, \infty)$$

$$\Rightarrow (\pi_\alpha \circ F)(x) \in (0, \infty)$$

$$\Rightarrow f_\alpha(x) \in (0, \infty)$$

$$f_\alpha(x) > 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } x \notin X - U$$

$$\therefore x \in U$$

$$\therefore F(x) \in F(U)$$

$$\text{i.e. } y \in F(U)$$

$$F \in U \Rightarrow y \in F(U)$$

$$\therefore W \subset F(U)$$

$$\therefore F(U) \text{ is open}$$

$$\therefore F \text{ is an open map}$$

$$\therefore F \text{ is an imbedding of } X \text{ into } \mathbb{R}^J.$$

Thm 34.3

A space X is completely regular iff it is homeomorphic to a subspace of $[0, 1]^J$ for some J .

The Tietze Extension Thm:-

Stt:-

Let X be a normal space. Let A be a closed subspace of X .

a) Any cts map of A into the closed interval $[a, b]$ of \mathbb{R} may be extended to a cts map of all of X into $[a, b]$.

b) Any cts map of A into \mathbb{R} may be extended to the cts map of all of X into \mathbb{R} .

Proof:

STEP: 1

Let $f: A \rightarrow [-r, r]$ be a cts fun.

We assert that \exists a cts fun $g: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ s.t.

$$|g(x)| \leq r/3 \text{ } \forall x \in X \text{ and } |f(a) + g(a)| \leq r/3 \text{ } \forall a \in A.$$

Divide the interval $[-r, r]$ into 3 equal subinterval of length $2r/3$.

$$I_1 = [-r, -r/3]$$

$$I_2 = [-r/3, r/3]$$

$$I_3 = [r/3, r]$$

$$\text{Let } B = f^{-1}(I_1) \text{ and } C = f^{-1}(I_3)$$

$\therefore I_1$ and I_3 are disjoint closed intervals and

$\therefore f: A \rightarrow [-r, r]$ is cb.

$f^{-1}(I_1)$ and $f^{-1}(I_3)$ are disjoint closed sets in A .

i.e. B and C are disjoint closed sets in

A but A is closed in X .

$\therefore B$ and C are closed in X which are disjoint.

By the Urysohn Lemma,

\exists a cb fun $g: X \rightarrow [-r/3, r/3]$ s.t

$$g(B) = \{-r/3\} \text{ and } g(C) = \{r/3\}$$

$$\therefore g(x) \in \{-r/3, r/3\}$$

$$\therefore g(x) \in [-r/3, r/3]$$

$$\therefore |g(x)| \leq \frac{r}{3} \quad \forall x \in X \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Next we assert that $|f(a) - g(a)| \leq \frac{2r}{3} \quad \forall a \in A$.

There are 3 cases.

Case i):

If $a \in B$ then $f(a)$ and $g(a) \in I_1$,

$|f(a) - g(a)| \leq$ the width of $I_1 = \frac{2r}{3}$

$$\therefore |f(a) - g(a)| \leq \frac{2r}{3}.$$

Case (ii)

If $a \in C$ then $f(a)$ and $g(a) \in I_3$

$$|f(a) - g(a)| \leq \text{width of } I_3 = \frac{2r}{3}$$

$$\therefore |f(a) - g(a)| \leq \frac{2r}{3}$$

Case (iii)

If $a \notin B \cup C$ then $f(a)$ and $g(a) \in I_2$

$$\therefore |f(a) - g(a)| \leq \text{width of } I_2 = \frac{2r}{3}$$

$$\therefore |f(a) - g(a)| \leq \frac{2r}{3}$$

$$\therefore |f(a) - g(a)| \leq \frac{2r}{3} \quad \forall a \in A.$$

Hence step ① (from ① & ②)

STEP 2:

Next we prove result (a) of Tietz extension thm. without the loss of generality we can replace the arbitrary closed interval $[a, b]$ the closed interval $[-1, 1]$ because any 2 closed intervals are homeomorphic.

Let $f: A \rightarrow [-1, 1]$ be a cts function.

Then by step ①

∃ a cts func. $g_1: X \rightarrow [-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}]$ s.t

$$|g_1(x)| \leq \frac{1}{3} \quad \forall x \in X$$

$$|f(a) - g_1(a)| \leq \frac{2}{3} \quad \forall a \in A.$$

Now consider the function,

$$f - g_1: A \rightarrow [-\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}]$$

Applying step ① again & letting $r = \frac{2}{3}$.

We obtain a cts fn $g_2: X \rightarrow [-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}]$

Such that $|g_2(x)| \leq \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \forall x \in X$ and

$$|f(a) - g_1(a) - g_2(a)| \leq \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 \forall a \in A.$$

Then we apply step ① to the fun $f - g_1 - g_2$.

And so on.

At the general step we have real-value fun g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n defined on all of X such that

$$|f(a) - g_1(a) - \dots - g_n(a)| \leq \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n \forall a \in A.$$

Applying step ① to the function $f - g_1 - \dots - g_n$ with

$r = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n$ we obtain a real value function g_{n+1}

defined on all X such that

$$|g_{n+1}(x)| \leq \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n \text{ for } x \in X$$

$$|f(a) - g_1(a) - \dots - g_{n+1}(a)| \leq \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{n+1} \text{ for } a \in A.$$

By induction, the fun g_n are defined for all n .

Now we define,

$$g(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} g_n(x)$$

For all x in X of course we have to know this infinite series Cgs.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{n-1} \right)$$

To show that g is cts, we must the sequence S_n Cgs to g uniformly.

If $k > n$ then

$$\begin{aligned}
 |S_k(x) - S_n(x)| &= \left| \sum_{i=n+1}^k g_i(x) \right| \\
 &\leq \frac{1}{3} \sum_{i=n+1}^k \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{i-1} \\
 &\leq \frac{1}{3} \sum_{i=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{i-1} \\
 &\leq \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n
 \end{aligned}$$

Holding n fixed and letting $k \rightarrow \infty$
 we see that

$$|g(x) - S_n(x)| \leq \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n \quad \forall x \in X$$

$\therefore S_n$ converges to g uniformly.

We show that $g(a) = f(a)$ for $a \in A$.

Let $S_n(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n g_i(x)$ the n^{th} partial sum of the series. Then $g(x)$ is by definition the limit of the infinite seq. $S_n(x)$ of partial sums

$$\therefore \left| f(a) - \sum_{i=1}^n g_i(a) \right| = |f(a) - S_n(a)| \leq \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n$$

$\forall a \in A$. It follows that

$$S_n(a) \rightarrow f(a) \quad \forall a \in A.$$

\therefore We have $f(a) = g(a)$ for $a \in A$.

Finally we show that g maps X into the interval $[-1, 1]$. This condition is in fact satisfied automatically since the series

$$\frac{1}{3} \leq \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n \text{ converges to } 1.$$

STEP: 3:

We now prove part (b) of the thm in which f maps A into \mathbb{R} . We can replace \mathbb{R} by the open interval $(-1, 1)$.

\therefore this interval is homeomorphic to \mathbb{R} .

So let f be a cts map from A into $(-1, 1)$.

The half of the Tietz thm already proved show that we can extend f to X a cts map $g: X \rightarrow [-1, 1]$ mapping X into the closed interval.

Given g , let us define a subset D of X by the eqn.

$$D = g^{-1}(\{-1\} \cup g^{-1}\{1\})$$

$\therefore g$ is cts, D is a closed subset of X .

Because $g(A) = f(A)$ which is contained in $(-1, 1)$, the set A is disjoint from D .

By the Urysohn Lemma,

there is a cts fn $\phi: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ such that

$\phi(D) = \{0\}$ and $\phi(A) = \{1\}$. Define

$$h(x) = \phi(x) g(x)$$

Then h is cts, being the product of two cts functions. Also, h is an extension of f ,

\therefore for a in A .

$$h(a) = \phi(a) g(a) = 1, \quad g(a) = f(a).$$

Finally, h maps all of X into the open interval $(-1, 1)$. For if $x \in D$, then $h(x) = 0$, $g(x) = 0$.

And, if $x \notin D$, then $|g(x)| < 1$.

It follows that $|h(x)| \leq 1$, $|g(x)| \leq 1$.

Additional Resource :

<http://mathforum.org>

<http://ocw.mit.edu/ocwweb/Mathematics>

<http://www.opensource.org>

<http://en.wikipedia.org>

Practice Questions:

Question Bank

Section – A

1. Define Countability axiom
2. Define First countability axiom
3. Define Second countability axioms
4. Define Regular.
5. Define normal Space.
6. State Urysohn Lemma.
7. Define completely regular.
8. State Imbedding theorem
9. State Urysohn metrization theorem
10. State Tietze extension theorem.

Section – B

1. P.T a subspace of a regular space is regular ; a product of regular spaces is regular.
2. Let X be a topological space. Let one-point sets in X be closed . Prove that X is regular if and only if given a point x of X and a neighbourhood U of x , there is a neighbourhood V of x such that $\bar{V} \subset U$
3. Prove that a subspace of a completely regular space is completely regular.
4. Prove that every compact Hausdorff space is normal
5. Prove that a subspace of a Hausdorff space is Hausdorff and a product of Hausdorff space is Hausdorff.
6. State the second countability axiom. Prove that it is well behaved with respect to the operations of taking subspaces or countable product.
7. Prove that every metrizable space is normal.

8. Show that a closed subspace of normal space is normal.
9. Suppose that X has a countable basis. Then;
 - (a) every open covering of X contains a countable subcollection covering X
 - (b) There exists a countable subset of X that is dense in X
10. Define Lindelof space and prove that the product of two Lindelof spaces need not be Lindelof.
11. P.T a subspace of a Lindelof space need not be Lindelof
12. P.T if X is normal if and only if given a closed set A and an open set U containing A , there is an open set V containing A such that $\bar{V} \subset U$
13. Prove that the space \mathbb{R}_k is Hausdorff but not regular.
14. P.T every well-ordered set X is normal in the order topology.

Section – C

1. P.T every regular space with a countable basis is normal
2. State and prove Urysohn lemma.
3. State and Prove Urysohn metrization theorem
4. State and Prove Imbedding theorem.
5. State and prove Tietze extension theorem.
6. Prove that the following
 - (a) A subspace of a first countable space is first countable
 - (b) Countable product of first –countable spaces is first countable.
 - (c) A Subspace of a second countable space is second countable and a product of second countable spaces is second countable.
7. Let X be a topological space,
 - (a) Let A be a subset of X . If there is a sequence of points of A converging to x , Then $x \in \bar{A}$, The converse holds if X is first countable.
 - (b) Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ if f is continuous, then for every convergent sequence $x_n \rightarrow x$ in X , the sequence $f(x_n)$ converges to $f(x)$. The converse holds if X is first countable.

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