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Last time:

In analysis, you learned about limits and continuity in terms of ϵ 's and δ 's - all these can be stated in terms of open sets, and we can use ~~sets~~ that to generalize to topological spaces.

Def: A topological space is a set X equipped with a topology \mathcal{T} .
A topology on X is a set of subsets $\mathcal{T} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ such that:
- $\emptyset, X \in \mathcal{T}$
- \mathcal{T} is closed under finite intersections
- \mathcal{T} is closed under arbitrary unions

Ex: Metric space topology: Let (X, d) be a metric space. ~~$U \subset X$~~
is open in the metric space topology if $\forall u \in U, \exists r > 0$ s.t.
Let $\mathcal{T} = \{U \mid \forall u \in U, \exists r > 0 \text{ s.t. } B(u, r) \subset U\}$
This is a topology called the metric space topology on X .
(And in the problem set, you showed that ~~general~~ limits in this topology are ~~the~~ limits in the ϵ - δ def.)

Today: Construct ~~more~~ topologies, examples of topological spaces.

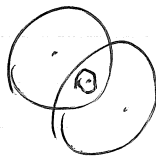
Problem: It's generally hard to list all open sets in a topology - we need a criterion (like the one for metric spaces). That characterizes metric space top. in terms of balls. Is there a generalization?

Def: A basis is a set $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ such that:

① $\forall x \in X, \exists B \in \mathcal{B}$ s.t. $x \in B$

② If $B_1, B_2 \in \mathcal{B}$, then $\forall x \in B_1 \cap B_2, \exists B_3 \in \mathcal{B}$ s.t. $x \in B_3 \subset B_1 \cap B_2$.

like balls.



Def: The topology generated by \mathcal{B} is the set $\mathcal{T} = \{U \subset X \mid \forall u \in U, \exists B \in \mathcal{B} \text{ s.t. } u \in B \subset U\}$

Ex: $\mathcal{B} = \{B(x, r) \mid x \in X, r > 0\}$ generates the metric space topology on \mathbb{R} .

Prop: \mathcal{T} is a topology.

Pf: $\emptyset \in \mathcal{T}$ vacuously. $X \in \mathcal{T}$ because ~~$\forall x \in X, \exists B \in \mathcal{B}$ s.t.~~ because of ①.

Let $\mathcal{A} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$, $B_\alpha \in \mathcal{B} \forall \alpha \in \mathcal{A}$, let $U = \bigcup B_\alpha$.

Let $x \in U$. Then $x \in B_\alpha$ for some $\alpha \in \mathcal{A}$.

Then $x \in B_\alpha \subset U$. ~~Since~~ This is true for all $x \in U$, so U is open.

Let $U, V \in \mathcal{T}$ ~~to~~ Claim: $U \cap V \in \mathcal{T}$

Let $x \in U \cap V$. Then $\exists B_1, B_2$ s.t. $x \in B_1 \subset U, x \in B_2 \subset V$.

Therefore $x \in B_1 \cap B_2$, so $\exists C$ s.t. $x \in C \subset B_1 \cap B_2 \subset U \cap V$

By induction, if $U_1, \dots, U_k \in \mathcal{T}$, then $\bigcap_{i=1}^k U_i \in \mathcal{T}$

In fact,

Lemma: $\mathcal{T} = \{ \text{unions of elements of } \mathcal{B} \}$

Pf: ~~On one hand, if $U \in \mathcal{B}$~~ Note that.

~~First, $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{T}$~~ If $B \in \mathcal{B}$ then $B \in \mathcal{T}$ by ~~definition~~

Therefore, if $B_\alpha \in \mathcal{B} \forall \alpha \in A$, then

$\bigcup B_\alpha$ is a union of open sets
 $\alpha \Rightarrow \bigcup B_\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$

So unions $\subset \mathcal{T}$

On the other hand, suppose $U \in \mathcal{T}$

Then $\forall x \in U$, let $B_x \in \mathcal{B}$ be ~~such~~ s.t. $x \in B_x \subset U$.

Then $\bigcup_{x \in U} B_x = U$

Lemma: ~~\mathcal{T} is the~~ Let \mathcal{B} and \mathcal{B}' be bases s.t. \mathcal{B} generates \mathcal{T} , \mathcal{B}' generates \mathcal{T}' . If $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{T}'$ then $\mathcal{T} \subset \mathcal{T}'$

Pf: Exercise. Lemma: If \mathcal{B} generates \mathcal{T} and $\mathcal{T}' \supset \mathcal{B}$, then $\mathcal{T}' \supset \mathcal{T}$.

Pf: Exercise

Ex: $X = \mathbb{R}, \mathcal{B} = \{ (a, b) \mid a < b \}$

Generates the standard

Ex: (X, d) a metric space, $\mathcal{B} = \{ B(x, r) \mid x \in X, r > 0 \}$

generates them

Ex: $X = \mathbb{R}, \mathcal{B} = \{ [a, b) \mid a < b \}$. This is a basis.

Is: $[a, b)$ open? $[a, b]$? $(a, b]$? (a, b) ?

How does this differ from standard topology? Finer

Does $\frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0$? Does $-\frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0$?

(Lower limit topology).

(Lower limit topology - an unusual space. If you're (break).

Order topology: Let S be a set. A

total ordering on S is a relation \leq s.t. with the

that satisfies: reflexivity: $\forall x \in S, x \leq x$.
antisymmetric: $\forall x, y \in S$, if $x \leq y$ and $y \leq x$, then $x = y$.

transitivity: $\forall x, y, z$ if $x \leq y$ and $y \leq z$, then $x \leq z$.

total: $\forall x, y \in S, x \leq y$ or $y \leq x$.

We write $x < y$ if $x \leq y$ and $x \neq y$. We write

$(x, y) = \{ z \mid x < z < y \}$, $[x, y] = \{ z \mid x \leq z \leq y \}$

Let $\mathcal{B} = \{ (x, y) \mid x < y \}$. Suppose X is totally ordered and has ≥ 2 elts.

Let $\mathcal{B} = \{ (x, y) \mid x < y \} \cup \{ [x, y) \mid x < y \}$

\mathcal{B} be the set of :- open intervals: (a, b) where $a, b \in X$, and $b > a$.

- half-open rays $\{ z \mid x < z \} \forall x \in X$.
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Then: \mathcal{B} is a basis, and the topology τ generated by \mathcal{B} is called the order topology.

Ex: $X = (\mathbb{R}, \leq)$. $\mathcal{B} = \{ (a, b) \mid a < b \} \cup \{ (a, \infty) \mid a \in \mathbb{R} \} \cup \{ (-\infty, a) \mid a \in \mathbb{R} \}$
 $\tau = \text{standard topology}$ generates τ_{ord} .

Claim: $\tau_{\text{ord}} = \tau_{\text{met}}$. (where τ_{met} is gen by $\mathcal{B}_{\text{met}} = \{ (a, b) \mid a < b \}$)

Pf: \subseteq Since $\mathcal{B}_{\text{met}} \subset \mathcal{B}_{\text{ord}}$, $\tau_{\text{met}} \subset \tau_{\text{ord}}$.

On the other hand every element of \mathcal{B}

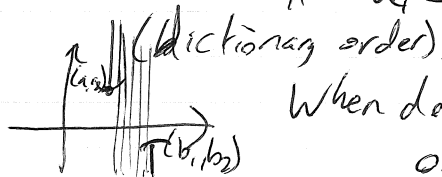
is a union of elements of \mathcal{B}_{met} . We call this the 'standard topology on \mathbb{R} ' unless otherwise spec.

But also: $X = \mathbb{R} \cup \{ \pm \infty \}$. $\mathcal{B}_{\text{ord}} = \{ (a, b) \mid a < b, a, b \in \mathbb{R} \}$ top on \mathbb{R} is std.
 $\cup \{ (a, \infty) \mid a \in \mathbb{R} \}$
 $\cup \{ (-\infty, a) \mid a \in \mathbb{R} \}$.

Does (a, ∞) converge to ∞ ?

$n \rightarrow \infty$? If $U \ni \infty$, then $U \supset (a, \infty]$ for some a .
 $\Rightarrow n \in U$ when n is sufficiently large.

Ex: $(\mathbb{R}^2, \text{lexicographic order})$. That is, $(a_1, a_2) < (b_1, b_2)$ if $a_1 < b_1$ or $a_1 = b_1$ and $a_2 < b_2$.



When does $\{a_n\}$ a sequence converge in order topology?

So we can construct std topology on \mathbb{R}^n with only orderings, but let's see? Same for \mathbb{R}^n ? Next: \mathbb{R}^n .

Product topology. Let X, Y be sets. Then

$$X \times Y = \{ (x, y) \mid x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

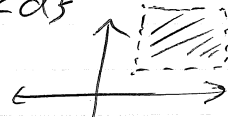
ordered pairs

with topologies $\mathcal{T}_1, \mathcal{T}_2$,
 If X, Y are topological spaces, \mathcal{B}_X is a basis for topology of X ,
 \mathcal{C} is a basis for the topology of Y , the
product topology $\mathcal{T}_{\text{prod}}$ on $X \times Y$ is the topology generated by

$$\mathcal{D} = \{ B \times C \mid B \in \mathcal{B}, C \in \mathcal{C} \}$$

If \mathcal{B}_1 is a basis for \mathcal{T}_1 , \mathcal{B}_2 is a basis for \mathcal{T}_2 , then $\mathcal{T}_{\text{prod}}$ is also gen
 Ex: $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ where \mathbb{R} has standard top. by $\{ B_1 \times B_2 \mid B_1 \in \mathcal{B}_1, B_2 \in \mathcal{B}_2 \}$

Then $\mathcal{D} = \{ (a,b) \times (c,d) \mid a < b, c < d \}$
 $= \{ \text{open rectangles} \}$



More generally,

$$\mathbb{R}^n = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \dots \times \mathbb{R} \quad \mathcal{D} = \{ (a_1, b_1) \times (a_2, b_2) \times \dots \times (a_n, b_n) \}$$

Claim: $\mathcal{T}_{\text{prod}}$ on \mathbb{R}^2 is equal to \mathcal{T}_{met} on \mathbb{R}^2 .

Pf: Let $\mathcal{B}_{\text{met}} = \{ B(x,r) \mid x \in \mathbb{R}^2, r > 0 \}$

$$\mathcal{B}_{\text{prod}} = \{ (a,b) \times (c,d) \}$$

On one hand, if $(a,b) \times (c,d) \in \mathcal{B}_{\text{prod}}$, then $(a,b) \times (c,d) \in \mathcal{T}_{\text{met}}$.

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{T}_{\text{prod}} \subset \mathcal{T}_{\text{met}}$$

OTOH, if $B(x,r) \in \mathcal{B}_{\text{met}}$, then $B(x,r) \in \mathcal{T}_{\text{prod}}$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{T}_{\text{met}} \subset \mathcal{T}_{\text{prod}}. \text{ So } \mathcal{T}_{\text{met}} = \mathcal{T}_{\text{prod}}. \quad \square$$

So we can construct

We call this the standard topology on \mathbb{R}^2 .

More generally, for $\mathbb{R}^n = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}$, let

$$\mathcal{D} = \{ (a_1, b_1) \times (a_2, b_2) \times \dots \times (a_n, b_n) \}$$

and the topology generated by \mathcal{D} is equal to the
 metric space topology on \mathbb{R}^n . We call it the standard
 topology on \mathbb{R}^n . ~~Ex: What.~~

Sub-basis: Let $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$. \mathcal{S} is a sub-basis if

$$\forall x \in X, \exists C \in \mathcal{S} \text{ s.t. } x \in C$$

Then $\mathcal{B} = \{ \text{finite intersections of elements of } \mathcal{S} \}$

The topology generated by \mathcal{S} is the set of arbitrary unions of

$$\text{finite} \quad = \{ \bigcup_{i \in I} C_1 \cap C_2 \cap \dots \cap C_k \mid C_i \in \mathcal{S} \}$$

Let $\mathcal{T} = \{ \text{arbitrary unions of finite intersections of elements of } \mathcal{S} \}$

This is the topology generated by \mathcal{S} .

Let \mathcal{T} be the topology generated by \mathcal{B} . I.e.

$$\mathcal{T} = \{ \text{arbitrary unions of finite intersections of } \mathcal{B} \}$$

This is the topology generated by \mathcal{S}

Defn: prod top as
 top gen by \mathcal{S} .