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# PAIRS OF CLASSES OF TOPOLOGICAL SPACES WITH THE FIXED POINT PROPERTY

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Abstract. There have appeared many generalizations of the Kakutani-Fan-Glicksberg fixed point theorem. Motivated by these generalizations we introduce the concept of fixed point property for a pair  $(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{C})$  of classes of compact Hausdorff topological spaces; section properties and minimax inequalities are given.

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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

A map (or a multifunction)  $T: X \to Y$  is a function from a set X into the power set  $2^Y$  of Y; that is, a function with the values  $T(x) \subset Y$ . Given two maps  $S: X \to Y$ ,  $T: Y \to Z$  the composite  $T \circ S: X \to Z$  is defined by  $(T \circ S)x = T(Sx) = \bigcup \{Ty: y \in Sx\}$ .

Let X and Y be topological spaces. A map  $T : X \to Y$  is said to be *upper* semicontinuous if for each closed set  $F \subset Y$  the *lower inverse* of F under T, that is  $T^{-1}(F) = \{x \in X : T(x) \cap F \neq \emptyset\}$ , is a closed subset of X or, equivalently, if for each open set  $G \subset Y$  the *upper inverse* of G under T, that is  $T^{+1}(G) = \{x \in X : T(x) \subset G\}$ , is an open subset of X. Note that if Y is compact Hausdorff and Tx is closed for each  $x \in X$ , then T is upper semicontinuous if and only if the graph of T, that is  $\{(x, y) \in X \times Y : y \in T(x)\}$ , is closed in  $X \times Y$ . Recall also that the composite and the product of two upper semicontinuous maps are upper semicontinuous too.

For a class of sets  $\mathcal{C}$  and a set X we shall denote by

$$\mathcal{C}(X) = \{ C \in \mathcal{C} : C \subset X \}$$
 and  $\mathcal{C}^*(X) = \{ C \in \mathcal{C} : \emptyset \neq C \subset X \}.$ 

We say that a map  $T: X \to Y$  has  $\mathcal{C}$  (resp.  $\mathcal{C}^*$ ) values if for each  $x \in X$ ,  $T(x) \in \mathcal{C}(X)$  (resp.  $T(x) \in \mathcal{C}^*(X)$ ).

We say that an ordered pair  $(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{C})$  consisting of two classes of compact Hausdorff topological spaces has the *fixed point property* provided:

- (i)  $X, Y \in \mathcal{T} \Rightarrow X \times Y \in \mathcal{T};$
- (ii)  $C \in \mathcal{C}(X), D \in \mathcal{C}(Y) \Rightarrow C \times D \in \mathcal{C}(X \times Y), \text{ for each } X, Y \in \mathcal{T};$

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(iii) for each  $X \in \mathcal{T}$  any upper semicontinuous map  $T: X \to X$  with  $\mathcal{C}^*$  values has a fixed point

Four examples of pairs  $(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{C})$  having the fixed point property will be given in the sequel.

Ex.1.  $\mathcal{T}$  and  $\mathcal{C}$  are both the class of all compact convex subsets of all Hausdorff locally convex topological vector spaces. In this case condition (iii) is satisfied according to the Kakutani-Fan-Glicksberg fixed point theorem (see [1], [2], [3])

Ex.2.  $\mathcal{T}$  is the class of all compact convex subsets of all Hausdorff locally convex topological vector spaces and for each  $X \in \mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathcal{C}(X)$  consists of all compact acyclic subsets of X (recall that a topological space is *acyclic* if all of its reduced Čech homology groups over rationals vanish). The product of two acyclic sets is of course acyclic by the Kunneth formula (see [5]) and condition (iii) is satisfied according to Theorem 7 in [6].

In order to give two other examples of pairs  $(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{C})$  with the fixed point property we shall recollect some definitions introduced by S. Park and H. Kim (see [8] and [4]). For a set X we shall denote by  $\langle X \rangle$  the set of all nonempty finite subsets of X.

A generalized convex space or a G-convex space  $(X, \Gamma)$  consists of a topological space X and a function  $\Gamma : \langle X \rangle \to X$  such that:

(a)  $A, B \in \langle X \rangle, A \subset B \Rightarrow \Gamma_A = \Gamma(A) \subset \Gamma_B$ ; and

(b) for each  $A \in \langle X \rangle$  with |A| = n + 1 there exists a continuous function  $\Phi_A : \Delta_n \to \Gamma_A$  such that  $J \in \langle A \rangle$  implies  $\Phi_A(\Delta_J) \subset \Gamma_J$  (here  $\Delta_n$  denotes the standard *n*-simplex and  $\Delta_J$  denotes the face of  $\Delta_n$  corresponding to  $J \in \langle A \rangle$ ).

For an  $(X; \Gamma)$  a subset C of X is said to be G-convex if  $A \in \langle C \rangle$  implies  $\Gamma_A \subset C$ . A G-convex space  $(X; \Gamma)$  is called:

- (a) locally G-convex uniform space if it satisfies the following conditions: (a<sub>1</sub>) X is a Hausdorff uniform space with the basis  $\mathcal{V}$ ;
  - (a<sub>2</sub>) for each  $V \in \mathcal{V}$  and  $x \in X$  the set  $\{x' \in X : (x, x') \in V\}$  is G-convex.
- (b) of type II if it is separated and satisfies the following conditions:
  - (b<sub>1</sub>) for each  $x \in X$ ,  $\{x\}$  is G-convex;
  - (b<sub>2</sub>) for any compact G-convex subset Y of X and each open neighborhood V of Y there exists an open neighborhood U of Y such that  $\cap \{Z : U \subset Z \subset X \text{ and } Z \text{ is } G\text{-convex } \} \subset V$

Ex.3.  $\mathcal{T}$  is the class of all compact locally *G*-convex uniform spaces and for each  $X \in \mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathcal{C}(X)$  consists of all compact *G*-convex subsets of *X*. In this case condition (iii) is satisfied according to Lemma 4 and Theorem 4 in [7].

Ex.4.  $\mathcal{T}$  is the class of all compact *G*-convex spaces of type II and for each  $X \in \mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathcal{C}(X)$  consists of all compact *G*-convex subsets of *X*. In this case condition (iii) is satisfied according to Theorem 2 in [4].

### 2. Section properties

In the sequel let us fix a pair  $(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{C})$  having the fixed point property.

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $X, Y \in \mathcal{T}$ . Then for every two maps  $S : X \to Y$ ,  $T : Y \to X$  with  $\mathcal{C}^*$  values the composite  $T \circ S$  has a fixed point.

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*Proof.* Consider the diagram

$$X \times Y \xrightarrow{p} Y \times X \xrightarrow{T \times S} X \times Y$$

where p(x,y) = (y,x) and  $(T \times S)(y,x) = T(y) \times S(x)$ . The map  $(T \times S) \circ p$  is upper semicontinuous and by (ii) it takes  $\mathcal{C}^*$  values. By (iii)  $(T \times S) \circ p$  has a fixed point, i.e. for some  $(x_0, y_0) \in X \times Y$  we have  $(x_0, y_0) \in (T \times S)(y_0, x_0)$ . Hence  $x_0 \in T(y_0)$ ,  $y_0 \in S(x_0)$  and consequently  $x_0 \in (T \circ S)(x_0)$ .  $\square$ 

As a direct consequence of Theorem 2.1 we have

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $X, Y \in \mathcal{T}$  and M, N be two open subsets of  $X \times Y$  such that  $M \cup N = X \times Y$ . Suppose that the following conditions are satisfied:

(2.1) For each  $x \in X$ ,  $\{y \in Y : (x, y) \notin M\} \in \mathcal{C}(Y)$ .

(2.2) For each  $y \in Y$ ,  $\{x \in X : (x, y) \notin N\} \in \mathcal{C}(X)$ .

Then at least one of the following assertions holds:

- (a) There exists a point  $x_0 \in X$  such that  $\{x_0\} \times Y \subset M$ .
- (b) There exists a point  $y_0 \in Y$  such that  $X \times \{y_0\} \subset N$ .

*Proof.* Let  $M' = (X \times Y) \setminus M$  and  $N' = (X \times Y) \setminus N$ . Define  $S: X \to Y, T: Y \to X$ by putting

$$S(x) = \{ y \in Y : (x, y) \in M' \}, \ T(y) = \{ x \in X : (x, y) \in N' \}.$$

Since M' is closed in  $X \times Y$ , each S(x) is closed in Y and the graph of S is closed in  $X \times Y$ . Hence S is upper semicontinuous and by (2.1) it follows that S takes C values. Similarly we can prove that T is upper semicontinuous and takes  $\mathcal{C}$  values.

Suppose that both assertions (a) and (b) are not true. Then for each  $x \in X$ there exists  $y \in Y$  such that  $(x, y) \in M'$ , that is S has  $\mathcal{C}^*$  values and similarly T has  $\mathcal{C}^*$  values. By Theorem 2.1,  $T \circ S$  has a fixed point, or equivalently there exists  $(x_0, y_0) \in X \times Y$  such that  $y_0 \in S(x_0)$  and  $x_0 \in T(x_0)$ . Then  $(x_0, y_0) \in M' \cap N'$ which contradicts  $M \cup N = X \times Y$ . 

**Corollary 2.3.** Let  $X, Y \in \mathcal{T}$  and N be an open subset of  $X \times Y$  satisfying:

- (2.3) There exists a upper semicontinuous map  $T: X \to Y$  with  $\mathcal{C}^*$  values such that  $graphT \subset N$ .
- (2.4) For each  $y \in Y$ ,  $\{x \in X : (x, y) \notin N\} \in \mathcal{C}(X)$ .

Then there exists a point  $y_0 \in Y$  such that  $X \times \{y_0\} \subset N$ .

*Proof.* Consider the set  $M = X \times Y \setminus \text{graph}T$ . From hypothesis it readily follows that:

- $\begin{cases} M \text{ is an open subset of } X \times Y; \\ \text{for each } x \in X, \ \{y \in Y : (x, y) \notin M\} \in \mathcal{C}(Y); \\ \text{for each } x \in X, \ \{x\} \times Y \not \subset M. \end{cases}$

Moreover  $M \cup N = X \times Y$ . The conclusion follows from Theorem 2.2

**Corollary 2.4.** Let  $X \in \mathcal{T}$  and M be an open subset of  $X \times X$  satisfying:

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(2.5)  $\Delta = \{(x, x) : x \in X\} \subset M.$ 

(2.6) For each  $x \in X$ ,  $\{y \in X : (x, y) \notin M\} \in \mathcal{C}(X)$ .

Then there exists a point  $x_0 \in X$  such that  $\{x_0\} \times X \subset M$ .

*Proof.* Apply Theorem 2.2 in the case Y = X,  $N = X \times X \setminus \Delta$  and observe that the assertion (b) in the conclusion of this theorem cannot take place.

#### 3. MINIMAX INEQUALITIES

Let  $X \in \mathcal{T}$ . A function  $f: X \to \mathbb{R}$  will be called *C*-quasiconcave if for each  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$  the set  $\{x \in X : f(x) \ge \lambda\} \in \mathcal{C}(X)$  and *C*-quasiconvex if -f is *C*-quasiconcave.

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $X, Y \in \mathcal{T}$  and  $f, g : X \times Y \to \mathbb{R}$  two real valued functions satisfying:

(3.1)  $f \leq g$ .

(3.2) f is upper semicontinuous and g is lower semicontinuous on  $X \times Y$ .

(3.3) For each  $x \in X$ ,  $f(x, \cdot)$  is C-quasiconcave on Y.

(3.4) For each  $y \in Y$ ,  $g(\cdot, y)$  is C-quasiconvex on X.

Then, given any  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$   $\beta < \alpha$ , at least one of the following assertions holds:

(a) There exists  $x_0 \in X$  such that  $f(x_0, y) < \alpha$  for each  $y \in Y$ .

(b) There exists  $y_0 \in Y$  such that  $g(x, y_0) > \beta$  for each  $x \in X$ .

*Proof.* Apply Theorem 2.2 to the sets:

$$M = \{ (x, y) \in X \times Y : f(x, y) < \alpha \}, \ N = \{ (x, y) \in X \times Y : g(x, y) > \beta \}.$$

From the hypothesis (3.1)-(3.4) it follows readily that M, N are open in  $X \times Y$ ,  $M \cup N = X$  and assumptions (2.1)-(2.2) of Theorem 2.2 are verified. The desired result follows now from Theorem 2.2.

**Corollary 3.2.** Under the hypothesis of Theorem 3.1 the following inequality holds

$$\inf_{x \in X} \max_{y \in Y} f(x, y) \le \sup_{y \in Y} \max_{x \in X} g(x, y)$$

*Proof.* First let us observe that if f is upper semicontinuous on  $X \times Y$ , then for each  $x \in X$ ,  $f(x, \cdot)$  is also an upper semicontinuous function of y on Y and therefore its maximum  $\max_{y \in Y} f(x, y)$  on the compact set Y exists. Similarly  $\inf_{x \in X} g(x, y)$  can be replaced by  $\min_{x \in X} g(x, y)$ .

Suppose the conclusion were false and choose two real numbers  $\alpha, \beta$  such that  $\underset{y \in Y^{x \in X}}{\operatorname{supmin}} g(x, y) < \beta < \alpha < \inf_{x \in X} \max_{y \in Y} f(x, y).$ 

We prove that neither the assertion (a) nor the assertion (b) of the conclusion of Theorem 3.1 cannot take place.

If (a) happens, then

$$\inf_{x \in X} \max_{y \in Y} f(x, y) \le \max_{y \in Y} f(x_0, y) \le \alpha; \text{ a contradiction.}$$

If (b) happens, then

$$\sup_{y \in Y} \min_{x \in X} g(x, y) \ge \min_{x \in X} g(x, y_0) \ge \beta; \text{ a contradiction again.}$$

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**Corollary 3.3.** Let  $X \in \mathcal{T}$  and  $f, g : X \times X \to \mathbb{R}$  two real-valued functions satisfying conditions (3.1)-(3.4) of Theorem 3.1. Then we have

$$\inf_{x \in X} f(x, x) \le \sup_{y \in X} \min_{x \in X} g(x, y).$$

*Proof.* We may assume that  $\sup_{x \in X} f(x, x) > -\infty$ . Apply Theorem 3.1 in the case Y = X,  $\alpha = \inf_{x \in X} f(x, x)$ ,  $\beta = \inf_{x \in X} f(x, x) - \varepsilon$ , where  $\varepsilon > 0$  is arbitrarily fixed. Since the assertion (a) of the conclusion of Theorem 3.1 cannot take place, it follows that there exists  $y_0 \in X$  such that

$$\min_{x \in X} g(x, y_0) > \inf_{x \in X} f(x, y) - \varepsilon.$$

Clearly this implies the desired minimax inequality.

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