

# Equicontinuity criteria for metric-valued sets of continuous functions

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Let  $X$  and  $(M, d)$  be a topological space and a metric space respectively, and let  $G \subseteq C(X, M)$ .

### Definition

- 1 A point  $x \in X$  is an **equicontinuity point** of  $G$  when for every  $\epsilon > 0$  there is a neighborhood  $U$  of  $x$  such that  $\text{diam}(g(U)) < \epsilon$  for all  $g \in G$ .
- 2  $G$  is **almost equicontinuous (AE)** when the subset of equicontinuity points of  $G$  is dense in  $X$ .
- 3  $G$  is **hereditarily almost equicontinuous (HAE)** when  $G|_A$  is almost equicontinuous for every subset  $A$  of  $X$ .

## Lemma

Consider the following two properties:

- (a)  $G$  is almost equicontinuous.
- (b) For every nonempty open subset  $U$  of  $X$  and  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists a nonempty open subset  $V \subseteq U$  such that  $\text{diam}(g(V)) < \epsilon$  for all  $g \in G$ .

Then (a) implies (b).

If  $X$  is a **Baire space**, then (a) and (b) are equivalent.

**Proof:**

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- Since  $X$  is Baire, taking  $W := \bigcap_{n \in \omega} O_{\frac{1}{n}} \neq \emptyset$ , we obtain a dense  $G_\delta$  subset which is the subset of equicontinuity points of  $G$ .



### Example

Let  $X = 2^\omega$  be the Cantor space and let  $G = \{\pi_n\}_{n \in \omega}$  be the set of all projections of  $X$  onto  $\{0, 1\}$ .

Then  $G$  is not AE.

### Example

Let  $X = \mathbb{R}$  and let  $G = \{\arctan(nx)\}_{n \in \omega}$

Then  $G$  is HAE.

Recall that a ***dynamical system***, or a ***G-space***, is a Hausdorff space  $X$  on which a topological group  $G$  acts continuously. For each  $g \in G$  we have the self-homeomorphism  $x \mapsto gx$  of  $X$  that we call  $g$ -translation.

### Example (Glasner and Megrelishvili)

There are dynamical systems AE which are not HAE.

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## Theorem A

Let  $X$  and  $(M, d)$  be a Čech-complete space and a **separable** metric space, respectively, and let  $G \subseteq C(X, M)$  such that  $\overline{G}^{M^X}$  is compact. Consider the following three properties:

- (a)  $G$  is almost equicontinuous.
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- (c) There exists a dense  $G_\delta$  subset  $F \subseteq X$  such that  $(F, t_p(\overline{G}^{M^X}))$  is Lindelöf.

Then  $(b) \Rightarrow (c) \Rightarrow (a)$ . If  $X$  is also a **hereditarily Lindelöf** space, then all conditions are equivalent.

## Theorem B

Let  $X$  and  $(M, d)$  be a Čech-complete space and a metric space, respectively, and let  $G \subseteq C(X, M)$  such that  $\overline{G}^{M^X}$  is compact. Then the following conditions are equivalent:

- (a)  $G$  is hereditary almost equicontinuous.
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## Definition

$X$  is said to be ***hemicompact*** if there exists a sequence of compact sets  $\{X_n\}_{n \in \omega}$  such that  $X = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} X_n$  and for every compact subset  $C$  of  $X$  there is  $n \in \omega$  such that  $C \subseteq X_n$ .



## Lemma 1

Let  $X$  and  $(M, d)$  be a Čech-complete space and a **hemicompact** metric space, respectively, and let  $G$  be a subset of  $C(X, M)$  such that  $\overline{G}^{M^X}$  is compact. If  $G$  is not almost equicontinuous, then for every  $G_\delta$  and dense subset  $F$  of  $X$  there exists a countable subset  $L$  in  $G$ , a compact separable subset  $K_F \subseteq F$ , a compact subset  $N \subseteq M$  and a continuous and surjective map  $\Psi$  of  $K_F$  onto the Cantor set  $2^\omega$  such that if the maps  $I^*$  are defined to make the following diagram commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 K_F & \xrightarrow{\Psi} & 2^\omega \\
 & \searrow I|_{K_F} & \swarrow I^* \\
 & & N
 \end{array}$$

then the subset  $L^* := \{I^* : I \in L\} \subseteq C(2^\omega, N)$  is not almost equicontinuous on  $2^\omega$ .

## Remark

Let  $X$  be a topological space,  $(M, d)$  be a metric space and  $G$  be a subset of  $C(X, M)$ .

Set

$$K := \{\alpha : M \rightarrow [-1, 1] : |\alpha(m_1) - \alpha(m_2)| \leq d(m_1, m_2), \quad \forall m_1, m_2 \in M\}.$$

$K$  is a compact subspace of  $[-1, 1]^M$ .

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$$\begin{aligned}\varphi^* : X \times (G \times K) &\longrightarrow [-1, 1] \\ (x, (g, \alpha)) &\longmapsto \alpha(g(x))\end{aligned}$$

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Set

$$\begin{aligned}\nu : \overline{G}^{M^X} \times K &\longrightarrow [-1, 1]^X \\ (h, \alpha) &\longmapsto \alpha \circ h\end{aligned}$$

Since  $G \subseteq C(X, M)$ , we have that  $\nu(G \times K) \subseteq C(X, [-1, 1])$ .

$\bar{d} : M \times M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by  $\bar{d}(m_1, m_2) := \min\{d(m_1, m_2), 1\} \forall m_1, m_2 \in M$

## Lemma 2

Let  $X$  and  $(M, d)$  be a topological and a metric space, respectively. If  $G$  is a subset of  $C(X, M)$ , then  $G$  is equicontinuous at a point  $x_0 \in X$  if and only if  $\nu(G \times K)$  is equicontinuous at it.

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**Proof:**

( $\Rightarrow$ ) Given  $\epsilon > 0$ , there is an open neighbourhood  $U$  of  $x_0$  such that  $d(g(x_0), g(x)) < \epsilon$  for all  $x \in U$  and  $g \in G$ .

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Let  $\alpha \in K$ ,  $x \in U$  and  $g \in G$ , then we have

$$|\nu(g, \alpha)(x_0) - \nu(g, \alpha)(x)| = |\alpha(g(x_0)) - \alpha(g(x))| \leq d(g(x_0), g(x)) < \epsilon.$$



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Set  $\alpha_0 \in [-1, 1]^M$  defined by  $\alpha_0(m) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} d(m, g(x_0))$  for all  $m \in M$ . It is easy to check that  $\alpha_0 \in K$ .

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It suffices to observe that

$$|\alpha_0(g(x_0)) - \alpha_0(g(x))| = d(g(x), g(x_0))$$

for all  $x \in U$  and  $g \in G$ .

### Corollary 1

Let  $X$  and  $(M, d)$  be a topological and a metric space, respectively. If  $G$  is a subset of  $C(X, M)$ , then  $G$  is almost equicontinuous if and only if  $\nu(G \times K)$  is almost equicontinuous.

### Theorem (Cascales, Namioka and Vera)

Let  $X$  be a **compact space**,  $(M, d)$  be a **compact metric space** and let  $G$  be a subset of  $C(X, M)$ . If  $(X, t_p(\overline{G}^{M^X}))$  is Lindelöf, then  $G$  is hereditarily almost equicontinuous.

### Theorem 1

Let  $X$  be a Čech-complete space,  $(M, d)$  be a metric space and let  $G$  be a subset of  $C(X, M)$  such that  $\overline{G}^{M^X}$  is compact. If there exists a dense  $G_\delta$  subset  $F \subseteq X$  such that  $(F, t_p(\overline{G}^{M^X}))$  is Lindelöf, then  $G$  is almost equicontinuous.



### Proposition 1

Let  $X$  be a Čech-complete space,  $(M, d)$  be a **hemicompact metric space** and  $G \subseteq C(X, M)$  such that  $\overline{G}^{M^X}$  is compact. Then the following conditions are equivalent:

- (a)  $G$  is hereditary almost equicontinuous.
- (b)  $L$  is almost equicontinuous on  $F$ , for all  $L \in [G]^{\leq \omega}$  and  $F$  a separable and compact subset of  $X$ .



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By **Lemma GM**  $L$  is not AE on  $F$ . *Contradiction*

## Corollary 2

Let  $X$  be a Čech-complete space,  $(M, d)$  be a **metric space** and  $G \subseteq C(X, M)$  such that  $\overline{G}^{M^X}$  is compact. Then the following conditions are equivalent:

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(a)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (b) **Corollary 2.**

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Each  $l \in L$  has associated a map  $\tilde{l} \in C(\tilde{F}, M)$  defined as  $\tilde{l}(\tilde{x}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} l(x)$  for any  $x \in F$  with  $p(x) = \tilde{x}$ .

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$\bar{L}^{M^F}$  is canonically homeomorphic to  $\bar{\tilde{L}}^{M^{\tilde{F}}} \Rightarrow \bar{L}^{M^F}$  is metrizable.

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- (c)  $(\bar{L}^{M^X})|_F$  is metrizable, for all  $L \in [G]^{\leq \omega}$  and  $F$  a separable and compact subset of  $X$ .
- (d)  $(F, t_p(\bar{L}^{M^X}))$  is Lindelöf, for all  $L \in [G]^{\leq \omega}$  and  $F$  a separable and compact subset of  $X$ .
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Set  $\hat{F} := \{\hat{x} : x \in F\}$ .

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- (d)  $\Rightarrow$  (b) Apply **Theorem 1**.

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# Topological Groups

## Corollary 3

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# Topological Groups

## Definition

A topological group  $G$  is said to be  $\omega$ -**narrow** if for every neighborhood  $V$  of the neutral element, there exists a countable subset  $E$  of  $G$  such that  $G = EV$ .

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# Dynamical Systems

## Corollary 5

Let  $X$  be a Polish  $G$ -space such that  $\overline{G}^{X^X}$  is compact. The following properties are equivalent:


- (a)  $X$  is almost equicontinuous.
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- (c) There exists a dense  $G_\delta$  subset  $F \subseteq X$  such that  $(F, t_p(\overline{G}^{X^X}))$  is Lindelöf.


# Dynamical Systems


## Corollary 5


Let  $X$  be a complete metrizable  $G$ -space such that  $\overline{G}^{X^X}$  is compact. Then the following conditions are equivalent:


- (a)  $X$  is hereditary almost equicontinuous.
- (b)  $L$  is almost equicontinuous on  $F$ , for all  $L \in [G]^{\leq \omega}$  and  $F$  a separable and compact subset of  $X$ .
- (c)  $((\overline{L}^{M^X})|_F, t_p(F))$  is metrizable, for all  $L \in [G]^{\leq \omega}$  and  $F$  a separable and compact subset of  $X$ .
- (d)  $(F, t_p(\overline{L}^{M^X}))$  is Lindelöf, for all  $L \in [G]^{\leq \omega}$  and  $F$  a separable and compact subset of  $X$ .

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By **Lemma 1** there exists a compact and separable subset  $K_F$  of  $F$ , an onto and continuous map  $\Psi : K_F \rightarrow 2^\omega$ , and a countable subset  $L$  of  $\nu(G \times K)$  such that the subset  $L^* \subseteq C(2^\omega, [-1, 1])$  defined by  $l^*(\Psi(x)) = l(x)$  for all  $x \in K_F$  is not AE.

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By **Corollary 1**,  $G$  is AE.



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Let  $L$  be a countable subset of  $G \subseteq C(X, M)$ . We denote by  $X_L$  the topological space  $(\tilde{X}, t_p(\tilde{L}))$ , which is metrizable because  $\tilde{L}$  is countable. Consider the map  $p^* : (M^{\tilde{X}}, t_p(\tilde{X})) \rightarrow (M^X, t_p(X))$  defined by  $p^*(\tilde{f}) = \tilde{f} \circ p$ , for each  $\tilde{f} \in M^{\tilde{X}}$ .

### Proposition

$p^*$  is a homeomorphism of  $\overline{\tilde{L}^{M^{\tilde{X}}}}$  onto  $\overline{L}^{M^X}$ .

#### Proof:

We observe that  $p^*$  is continuous, since a net  $\{\tilde{f}_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in A}$   $t_p(\tilde{X})$ -converges to  $\tilde{f}$  in  $\tilde{L}^{M^{\tilde{X}}}$  if and only if  $\{\tilde{f}_\alpha \circ p\}_{\alpha \in A}$   $t_p(X)$ -converges to  $\tilde{f} \circ p$  in  $\overline{L}^{M^X}$ .

Let's see that  $p^*(\overline{\tilde{L}^{M^{\tilde{X}}}}) = \overline{L}^{M^X}$ . Indeed, since  $p^*$  is continuous we have that  $p^*(\overline{\tilde{L}^{M^{\tilde{X}}}}) \subseteq \overline{p^*(\tilde{L}^{M^{\tilde{X}}})} = \overline{L}^{M^X}$ . We have the other inclusion because  $\overline{L}^{M^X}$  is the smaller closed set that contains  $L$  and  $L \subseteq p^*(\overline{\tilde{L}^{M^{\tilde{X}}}})$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $\tilde{f}, \tilde{g} \in \tilde{L}^{M^{\tilde{X}}}$  such that  $\tilde{f} \neq \tilde{g}$ , then there exist  $\tilde{x} \in \tilde{X}$  such that  $\tilde{f}(\tilde{x}) \neq \tilde{g}(\tilde{x})$ . Let  $x \in X$  an element such that  $\tilde{x} = p(x)$ , then  $(\tilde{f} \circ p)(x) \neq (\tilde{g} \circ p)(x)$ . So,  $p^*$  is injective because  $\tilde{f} \circ p \neq \tilde{g} \circ p$ . Finally, we arrive to the conclusion that  $p^*|_{\tilde{L}^{M^{\tilde{X}}}}$  is a homeomorphism because it is defined between compact spaces.