

Intro. Due, no later than **11AM, Monday, 14Dec**, slid completely under my office door, LIT402.

A family $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ is an **algebra** if \mathcal{A} is sealed under complement, pairwise union and pairwise intersection.

For a map $f: X \rightarrow X$, use f^n for $f^{\circ n} = f \circ f \circ \dots \circ f$.

B1: Exhibit an $(S: Y, \mathcal{Y}, \nu)$, where Y is a nv-cpt metric space with Borel field \mathcal{Y} and non-atomic prob.meas ν , and S is a bi-mpt homeomorphism. Construct S so that $S \times S$ is both topologically conjugate, and isomorphic, to S .

Produce an example where S is ergodic; you may quote theorems from class. [Hint: What are the ergodic multipliers? What properties are sealed under projective limits?]

B2: Voila $f: X \circlearrowright$, an isometry of a complete metric space $(X, [\cdot, \cdot])$. Suppose we have a point $\mathbf{z} \in X$ whose orbit $\{\mathbf{z}_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$ is dense, where $\mathbf{z}_n := f^n(\mathbf{z})$.

a Construct (with proof, natch') an abelian group operation \boxplus on X and element $\boldsymbol{\alpha} \in X$ so that \mathbf{z} is the \boxplus -identity and: $\forall x \in X: f(x) = x \boxplus \boldsymbol{\alpha}$.

[Hint: Use Cauchy seqs to define the addition. Show that your defn is indep of the Cauchy seqs used. Note: Without completeness, the result can fail. Would you be so kind as to give me such an example?]

[Sugg: For $x, y \in X$ define " $x \boxplus y$ " by establishing: There exist sequences \vec{k} and $\vec{\ell}$ with $T^{k_j}(\mathbf{z}) \rightarrow x$ and $T^{\ell_j}(\mathbf{z}) \rightarrow y$, as $j \nearrow \infty$, and $T^{k_j + \ell_j}(\mathbf{z})$ converges to some point, s . Argue that s is independent of \vec{k} and $\vec{\ell}$. What is $\boxplus y$? Etc.]

b (If you wish, YMAssume X cpt.) No longer an isometry, suppose now that f is **equicontinuous**. This means that the family $\{f^n \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ is an equicontinuous family, i.e given $x \in X$ and ε there exists $\delta = \delta(x, \varepsilon)$ such that

$$\forall y \in X, \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}: [x, y] < \delta \Rightarrow [f^n x, f^n y] < \varepsilon.$$

Show that the conclusion of part (a) holds nonetheless. [Hint: Reduce to part (a). Does your reduction preserve: Density of $\mathcal{O}_f(\mathbf{z})$? Completeness?]

B3: Let $X := \mathbb{Z}$. A set $E \subset \mathbb{Z}$ has “[upper/lower] density β ” if the limsup/liminf limit as $n \nearrow \infty$ of $\frac{1}{n} \#(E \cap [1..n])$ equals β . The set is “**eventually-periodic** with period p ” if for all large positive n :

$$n \in E \implies n + p \in E.$$

i Prove that \mathcal{A} , the collection of eventually-periodic sets, is an **algebra** of sets, and that $\mu := \text{Density}$ is a **finitely-additive probability “measure”** (a **FAMe**) on \mathcal{A} .

ii Produce a bijection $T: \mathbb{Z} \circlearrowright$ that preserves both \mathcal{A} and $\mu()$, and produce a positive-mass set $B \in \mathcal{A}$ so that: $\forall x \in X$, the Cesàro averages

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i \in [0..N]} \mathbf{1}_B(T^i x)$$

have $\text{limsup} \neq \text{liminf}$. Conclude that the conclusion of Birkhoff's thm can *fail* for **FAMes**.

Bonus For each $E \in \mathcal{A}$, its mass $\mu(E)$ is rational. Can you produce a CEX space and map, but where the measure takes on all values in $[0, 1]$?

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B1: _____ 95pts

B2: _____ 115pts

B3: _____ 115pts

Total: _____ 325pts

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