

### HW #3 - SOLUTIONS

① For  $\mathbb{R}^1$   $(-n, n)$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  is an open cover which does not have any finite subcover. Assume for a contradiction that it has a finite subcover. Then  $\mathbb{R}^1 \subseteq \bigcup_{n=1}^N (-n, n) = (-N, N)$  for some  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  which is clearly not true.

- For  $[0, 1)$   $[0, 1 - \frac{1}{n})$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  is an open cover in topology of  $[0, 1)$

Proof = let  $x \in [0, 1)$ . Even if  $x$  is very close to 1 by Archimedean property there is sufficiently big  $N_x \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $x < 1 - \frac{1}{N_x}$  so  $x \in [0, 1 - \frac{1}{N_x})$ . This is a cover for  $[0, 1)$ .

Now assume for a contradiction that it has a finite subcover.

Then for some  $N \in \mathbb{N}$   $[0, 1) \subseteq [0, 1 - \frac{1}{N})$

But for instance  $1 - \frac{1}{N+1} \in [0, 1)$  but  $\notin [0, 1 - \frac{1}{N})$

- For  $(0, 1)$   $(\frac{1}{n}, 1)$ ,  $n > 1$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  is an open cover.

Proof = let  $x \in (0, 1)$ . By the archimedean property there exists  $N_x \in \mathbb{N}$  st.  $x > \frac{1}{N_x}$  so  $x \in (\frac{1}{N_x}, 1)$ .

Assume for a contradiction that it has a finite subcover.

Then it must be true that  $(0, 1) \subseteq (\frac{1}{N}, 1)$  for some  $N \in \mathbb{N}$ .

But  $\frac{1}{N+1} \in (0, 1)$  which is not in  $(\frac{1}{N}, 1)$ . so it has

no finite subcover.

15) Any compact space  $K$ :

Let  $x \in K$  be a point.  $K$  is a neighborhood of  $x$  which is compact so  $K$  is locally compact.

2)  $\mathbb{E}^n$ : Let  $x \in \mathbb{E}^n$ . Consider the open ball  $B_1(x)$ . Then  $\overline{B_1(x)}$  is a closed neighborhood of  $x$ , which is also bounded. By Heine Borel theorem a closed and bounded subset of  $\mathbb{E}^n$  is compact.

3) Any discrete space: Let  $D$  be a discrete space. For  $x \in D$  consider  $\{x\}$  which is also a compact neighborhood of  $x$ .

4) Any closed subset  $C$  of a locally compact space  $K$ :  
Let  $x \in C$  be a point  $\Rightarrow x \in K$ . Since  $K$  is a locally compact space there exist a compact neighborhood  $N$  of  $x$  in  $K$ .  $N \cap C$  is also a neighborhood of  $x$  which is closed in the subspace topology of  $N$  inherited from  $K$  because  $C$  is a closed set in  $K \Rightarrow N \cap C$  is closed in  $N$ . So closed subset of a compact set is compact  $\Rightarrow N \cap C$  is compact  $\Rightarrow C$  locally compact.

5) Assume for a contradiction that  $\mathbb{Q}$  is locally compact. Then for  $0 \in \mathbb{Q}$  there exist a neighborhood  $N \ni 0$  which is compact. Consider  $(-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) \cap \mathbb{Q} \subseteq N$ . Then for  $r \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$ , there is a sequence of rationals converging to that point. But this sequence constitutes an infinite subset of  $N$  which has no limit point in  $N$ . So by Bolzano Weier. property  $N$  cannot be compact. Result follows.

6) Let  $K_1$  be a locally compact space we need to show that any homeomorphic image  $f(K_1)$  is locally compact. Let  $y \in f(K_1) \Rightarrow y = f(x)$  for some  $x \in K_1$ .  $\exists$  a compact neighborhood  $N$  of  $x$ .  $\Rightarrow f(N)$  is compact since  $f$  is continuous and also it is a neighborhood of  $y = f(x)$ .  $\exists \emptyset$  open  $x \in \emptyset \subseteq N \Rightarrow f(\emptyset)$  open  $y \in f(\emptyset) \subseteq f(N)$

$$(17) X \cup \{\infty\} = X'$$

open sets are the open sets of  $X$  and  $(X-K) \cup \{\infty\}$

(i)  $\phi \subseteq X$  is an open set of  $X$  so it is an open set of  $X'$ .  
 $X \cup \{\infty\} = (X-\phi) \cup \{\infty\}$   $\phi$  is a compact set, so  $X \cup \{\infty\}$  is open in  $X'$

(ii) When we take arbitrary union of open sets of  $X'$

$$\bigcup_{\alpha \in I} (X-K_\alpha) \cup \{\infty\} \cup \bigcup_{\beta \in I} O_\beta = \bigcup_{\alpha \in I} (X-K_\alpha) \cup O \cup \{\infty\}$$

(since  $X$  is a topological space arbitrary union of open sets)  
of  $X$  is also open.  $\bigcup_{\beta \in I} O_\beta = O$

$$= X - \bigcap_{\alpha \in I} (K_\alpha \cap O^c) \cup \{\infty\}$$

$K_\alpha \cap O^c$  is compact since  $O^c$  is closed, being closed subset of a compact set  
and  $X$  is Hausdorff  $\Rightarrow K_\alpha$  is closed

$\Rightarrow \bigcap K_\alpha \cap O^c \subseteq K_\alpha$  is also closed and so compact.

$\therefore$  Arbitrary union of open sets is open.

(iii) Let  $(X-K_1) \cup \{\infty\}$  and  $(X-K_2) \cup \{\infty\}$  be two open sets  
 $\Rightarrow [(X-K_1) \cup \{\infty\}] \cap [(X-K_2) \cup \{\infty\}]$

$$= (X - K_1 \cup K_2) \cup \{\infty\}$$

finite union of compact sets is compact so this set is open.

also  $[(X-K) \cup \{\infty\}] \cap O = (X-K) \cap O$  open in  $X$  where  $O$  is open in  $X$ .

also open. And finite intersection of  $O_1, O_2$  which is open in  $X$  so result follows by induction.

- Let  $x, y \in X \cup \{\infty\}$ . If  $x, y \in X$  then we can find  $O_x, O_y$  open in  $X$  such that  $x \in O_x$  and  $y \in O_y$  and  $O_x \cap O_y = \emptyset$  since  $X$  is Hausdorff.

If  $x = \{\infty\}$  and  $y \in X$ ,  $X$  locally compact means we can find some compact neighborhood  $K$  of  $y$  so that  $y \in K$  and

$x \in (X - K) \cup \{\infty\}$  open. And  $K$  is neighborhood means we can find  $U \subseteq K$  open and  $y \in U$ .

$\Rightarrow O \cap (X - K) \cup \{\infty\} = \emptyset \Rightarrow X \cup \{\infty\}$  is Hausdorff.

- Claim =  $X$  is dense in  $X \cup \{\infty\}$ .

Let  $x \in X \cup \{\infty\}$  and  $U \subseteq X \cup \{\infty\}$  open.

If  $x \in X$  then clearly  $U \cap X \neq \emptyset$

If  $x = \{\infty\}$  and  $U = (X - K) \cup \{\infty\}$  be an open neighborhood of  $\{\infty\}$ .  $\Rightarrow (X - K) \cup \{\infty\} \cap X \neq \emptyset$  since  $X$  is not compact.

Result follows.

- Claim =  $X \cup \{\infty\}$  is compact =

Let  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in I} O_\alpha$  be an open cover of  $X \cup \{\infty\}$ .

Then  $\{\infty\} \in O_{\alpha_0}$  for some  $O_{\alpha_0}$  open in  $X \cup \{\infty\}$ . Then

$O_{\alpha_0}$  is in the form of  $(X - K) \cup \{\infty\}$

$\Rightarrow X \cup \{\infty\} \subseteq (X - K) \cup \{\infty\} \cup K$

compact  $N$   
 $K \subseteq \bigcup_{n=1}^N O_n$

$X \cup \{\infty\} \subseteq O_{\alpha_0} \cup \bigcup_{n=1}^N O_n$

so  $X \cup \{\infty\}$  is covered finitely many open sets which means it is compact

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$[0, 1] \times [0, 1)$

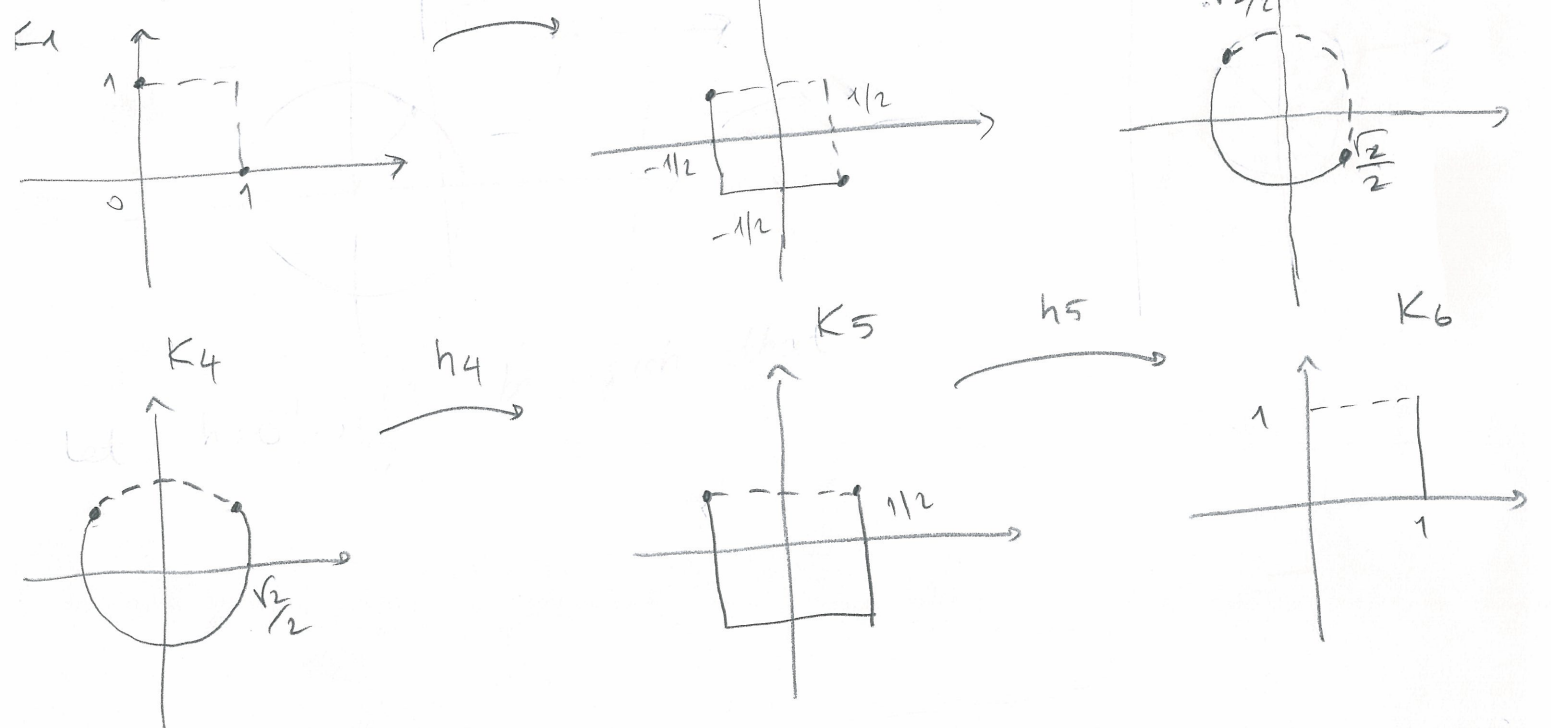
For the solution of this problem we will use the gluing lemma

The Gluing Lemma: Let  $X = A \cup B$  where  $A$  &  $B$  are closed

in  $X$ . Let  $f: A \rightarrow Y$  and  $g: B \rightarrow Y$  be continuous. If  $f(x) = g(x)$   $\forall x \in A \cap B$  then  $f$  and  $g$  combine to give a continuous function  $h: X \rightarrow Y$  defined by setting  $h(x) = f(x)$  if  $x \in A$  and  $h(x) = g(x)$  if  $x \in B$ .

Proof: Let  $C$  be a closed subset of  $Y$ . Then  $h^{-1}(C) = f^{-1}(C) \cup g^{-1}(C)$ . Since  $f$  is continuous  $f^{-1}(C)$  is closed in  $A$ , so it is closed in  $X$ , similarly  $g^{-1}(C)$  is closed in  $B$  so it is closed in  $X$  so their union is also closed in  $X$ .

Now we can write the homeomorphism as the composition of five homeomorphisms.

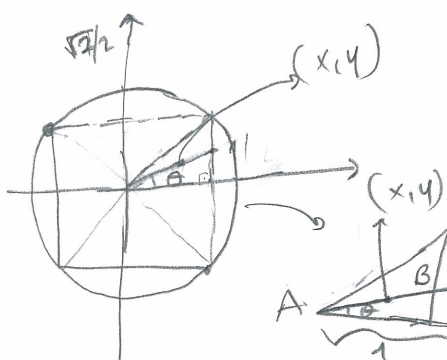


for  $h_1 : K_1 \rightarrow K_2$

$h_1(x,y) = \left(x - \frac{1}{2}, y - \frac{1}{2}\right)$  is clearly a homeomorphism.

For  $h_2 : K_2 \rightarrow K_3$

for  $0 < y < x$



$(x,y) \mapsto \left( \frac{\sqrt{x^2+y^2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}{\frac{1}{\cos(\tan^{-1}(\frac{y}{x}))}}, \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) \right)$

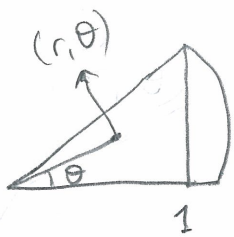
$\left( \frac{\sqrt{x^2+y^2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2} \cos(\tan^{-1}(\frac{y}{x}))}{2}}{\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)} \right)$

(we will map  $AB$  to  $AC$ )  $|AB| = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$

Similarly we can map all 8 pieces of the square to the 8 pieces of circle. By the gluing lemma it is continuous and clearly 1-1 and onto.

For the inverse

$h_2^{-1} : K_3 \rightarrow K_2$



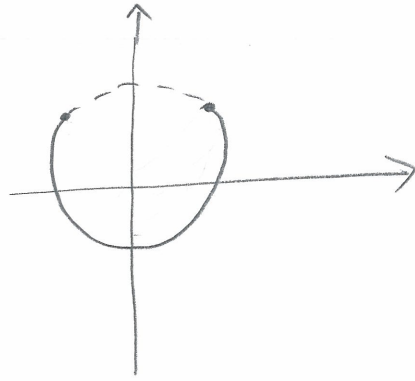
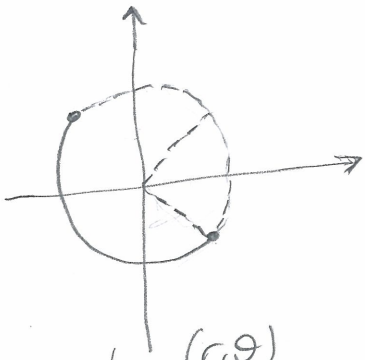
$(r, \theta) \mapsto \left( \frac{r}{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}, \cos \theta, \theta \right)$

(in cartesian coordinates  $x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta$ )

$h_2^{-1} = (r, \theta) \mapsto \left( \sqrt{2} r \cos \theta, \cos \theta, \sqrt{2} r \cos \theta \sin \theta \right)$

Similarly all 8 pieces will be sent. Again by gluing lemma it is continuous.

$$h_3: K_3 \rightarrow K_4$$



① send  $(r, \theta)$   
 $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq -\frac{\pi}{4}$

to  $(r, \theta)$   $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$  and

② send  $(r, \theta)$   
 $-\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$

to  $(r, \theta)$   $\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$

send other points with identity map. This again this will be continuous by doing lemma.

①  $(r, \theta) \mapsto (r, 3\theta + \pi)$

②  $(r, \theta) \mapsto (r, \frac{\theta}{3} + \frac{\pi}{3})$

similarly inverse map can be found.

$h_4, h_5$  are also can be found similarly.

(27) For  $U_i \subseteq X_i$  we should have  $\pi_i^{-1}(U_i) \in \tau$  where  $\tau$  is the smallest topology for which all projection maps is continuous.

We know that countably many union and finitely many intersections should also be in the topology.

so  $\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} \pi_i^{-1}(U_i) = \prod X_i \in \tau$  and  $\bigcap \pi_i^{-1}(U_i)$  is also in the

topology.  $\bigcap \pi_i^{-1}(U_i)$  for finitely many  $n$  gives us sets of the form  $Y_1 \times Y_2 \times \dots$  where  $Y_j = X_j$  for all but finitely many  $j$  and for finitely many  $Y_j = U_j$

Claim:  $\mathcal{B} = \{ Y_1 \times Y_2 \times Y_3 \dots, Y_j = U_j \text{ where } U_j \subseteq X_j \text{ is an open set, for finitely many } j \text{ and } Y_j = X_j \text{ for infinitely many } j \}$

is a base for this product topology  $\tau$

- This claim follows directly because by construction in  $\tau$  there exists countable union of sets of the form  $\bigcap \pi_i^{-1}(U_i)$  where intersection is taken over finitely many numbers.

Claim 2: This is the smallest topology satisfying these conditions

Let  $\tau'$  be another topology for which all projections are continuous.

Proof: Let  $O \in \tau$  be an open set. Then  $O$  is countable union of finite intersections

or  $O$  is the finite intersections of the sets  $\pi_i^{-1}(U_i)$ . since  $U_i$  open  $\pi_i^{-1}(U_i) \in \tau'$  and finite intersections also in  $\tau'$  and Also any countable union of finite intersections is also in  $\tau'$  since it is a topology.