

Solutions to Problem Set 3

6.5.8 Denote π_t as the coordinate projections $x \mapsto x(t)$ on $C[a, b]$, then $\pi_t(x) = x(t)$;

First prove that π_t is continuous: $\forall \{x_\alpha\} \subset C[a, b], x_\alpha \rightarrow x, |\pi_t x_\alpha - \pi_t x| = |x_\alpha(t) - x(t)| \leq \sup |x_\alpha(t) - x(t)| = \|x_\alpha(t) - x(t)\|$, Hence π_t is continuous.

Therefore \forall open set O_α in $\mathfrak{R}, \pi_t^{-1}(O_\alpha)$ is open; Since the open sets generate the Borel σ -field, $\pi_t^{-1}(O_\alpha)$ is contained in the Borel σ -field;

Therefore, $\pi_t^{-1}(O_\alpha)$ is contained in the Borel σ -field generated by the uniform norm, $\sigma_p \subset \sigma_c$.

Now we are trying to prove $\sigma_c \subset \sigma_p$:

Denote $B(x, r) = \{z : \|z - x\| \leq r\}$, i.e $B(x, r)$ is closed balls in σ_c , we can prove that $B(x, r) = \bigcap_t \{z : |\pi_t x - \pi_t z| \leq r\}$, where t is rational number, $t \in [a, b]$;

If $z \in \bigcap_{t \in Q \cap [a, b]} \{z : |\pi_t x - \pi_t z| \leq r\}$, here Q is the set of all rational numbers, then $|\pi_t x - \pi_t z| \leq r$ for all $t \in Q \cap [a, b]$; Since Q is dense in \mathfrak{R} , then $\forall t' \in [a, b], \forall \epsilon > 0, \exists t \in Q \cap [a, b], \text{s.t } |t - t'| < \epsilon$, since $x, z \in C[a, b]$, then $\forall \delta > 0, \exists t \in Q \cap [a, b], |t - t'| < \epsilon, \text{ s.t } |x(t') - x(t)| < \delta, |z(t') - z(t)| < \delta$; Therefore, $|x(t') - z(t')| \leq |x(t') - x(t)| + |x(t) - z(t)| + |z(t) - z(t')| < r + 2\delta$, then $\sup_{t' \in [a, b]} |x(t') - z(t')| \leq r, \|x - z\| \leq r$, we can get $z \in B(x, r)$. Hence $B(x, r) \supset \bigcap_t \{z : |\pi_t x - \pi_t z| \leq r\}$;

If $z \in B(x, r)$ i.e $\|z - x\| \leq r, \forall t \in [a, b], |z(t) - x(t)| \leq \sup_{t \in [a, b]} |x(t) - z(t)| = \|z - x\| \leq r$, thus we have $|\pi_t z - \pi_t x| \leq r$ for all $t \in [a, b]$, so $z \in \bigcap_t \{z : |\pi_t x - \pi_t z| \leq r\}, t \in Q \cap [a, b]$, Hence $B(x, r) \subset \bigcap_{t \in Q \cap [a, b]} \{z : |\pi_t x - \pi_t z| \leq r\}$;

Therefore, we have proved that $B(x, r) = \bigcap_{t \in Q \cap [a, b]} \{z : |\pi_t x - \pi_t z| \leq r\}$.

Notice that closed balls can generate open balls, therefore closed balls can generate Borel σ -field. Clearly, each open ball is contained in a closed ball, and each closed ball $B(x, r) = \{z : \|z - x\| \leq r\}$ is contained in the open ball $B(x, r + \epsilon) = \{z : \|z - x\| < r + \epsilon, \epsilon > 0\}$.

Then we get $\sigma_p \supset \sigma_c$, and the desired result $\sigma_p = \sigma_c$ follows.

6.5.13 (a). $|S^* - T_*| = |S^* - T^* + T^* - T_*| \leq |S^* - T^*| + |T^* - T_*| \leq |S - T|^* + T^* - T_*$;

$|S^* - T_*| = |S^* - S_* + S_* - T_*| \leq |S_* - T_*| + |S^* - S_*| = |(-T)^* - (-S)^*| + S^* - S_* \leq |-T - (-S)|^* + S^* - S_* \leq |S - T|^* + S^* - S_*$;

$$\begin{aligned}
&\Rightarrow |S^* - T_*| \leq |S - T|^* + (S^* - S_*) \wedge (T^* - T_*) \\
&\text{(b). } |S - T|^* = (S - T)^* \vee (T - S)^* \leq [S^* + (-T)^*] \vee [T^* + (-S)^*] = \\
&\quad (S^* - T_*) \vee (T^* - S_*); \\
&\text{From (a), we know } S^* - T_* \leq |S - T|^* + (S^* - S_*) \wedge (T^* - T_*), T^* - S_* \leq \\
&\quad |T - S|^* + (T^* - T_*) \wedge (S^* - S_*) \\
&\Rightarrow (S^* - T_*) \vee (T^* - S_*) \leq |S - T|^* + (S^* - S_*) \wedge (T^* - T_*) \\
&\text{Therefore, } |S - T|^* \leq (S^* - T_*) \vee (T^* - S_*) \leq |S - T|^* + (S^* - S_*) \wedge (T^* - T_*)
\end{aligned}$$