

Relationship of Spanier's  
Quasi-topological Spaces  
to  
k-spaces.

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## INTRODUCTION

Let  $\mathcal{S}$  denote the category of sets and set maps. A cartesian closed category ([4], p.550) is essentially a category  $\mathcal{V}$  with finite products, including a terminal object  $I$ , and an underlying-set functor  $V: \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$  such that

- (i)  $V$  is represented as  $\mathcal{V}(I, -)$ , and
- (ii)  $- \times B: \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathcal{V}$  has a coadjoint, denoted  $(B, -)$ , for each  $B \in \mathcal{V}$ .

Condition (ii) may be written as a natural isomorphism

$$\pi: \mathcal{V}(A \times B, C) \rightarrow \mathcal{V}(A, (B, C)) \text{ for all } A, B, C \in \mathcal{V}.$$

From this we obtain a natural isomorphism

$$p: (A \times B, C) \rightarrow (A, (B, C)) \text{ for all } A, B, C \in \mathcal{V}.$$

with

$$\pi = Vp,$$

as an easy consequence of the associativity of products and the Yoneda representation theorem (see, for example, [4] diagram (3-18), p.480).

The categories considered in this thesis are "simple" in the sense that their objects are sets with structure and their morphisms are set maps selected by these structures; for example  $\mathcal{J}$  = the category of topological spaces and continuous maps between them. The structure on a set may, in turn, be redefinable in terms of a particular set or

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class of objects and morphisms; for example, if  $T$  denotes the topological space of two points  $\{0,1\}$  with  $\{0\}$  open and  $\{1\}$  not open, then the set of open sets of any object  $X \in \mathcal{J}$  is in 1-1 correspondence with the set  $\mathcal{J}(X,T)$ .

The above idea is employed in chapter 1 to construct the category  $\mathcal{P}$  of quasi-topological bases or pre-spaces. The category  $\mathcal{Q}$  of quasi-topological spaces and quasi-continuous maps (Spanier [7], §2) is then determined as a full reflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$ . I have proved the existence of this adjoint functor relationship for two reasons; the first is to demonstrate (chapter 2) the induced quasi-topologies in  $\mathcal{Q}$  ([7], §3) as consequences of the limit structure of  $\mathcal{P}$ , which is particularly simple, and the second is to obtain (chapter 3) the cartesian closure of  $\mathcal{Q}$  ([7], theorem 4.1) as a result of the cartesian closure of  $\mathcal{P}$ . These observations show how Spanier's axioms (2.3) and (2.4) (denoted Q3 and Q4 in chapter 1) play an ancillary rôle in the above mentioned properties of  $\mathcal{Q}$ .

Theorem 3.3 of chapter 3 is a special form of a theorem developed, in collaboration with G.M. Kelly, to provide information on full reflective subcategories of  $\mathcal{P}$  and similar categories. This theorem and the reflectivity of  $\mathcal{Q}$  in  $\mathcal{P}$ , together with its use, are the only original contributions to the first three chapters of this thesis.

On the other hand, any inclusion of published material after chapter 3 is referred to explicitly.

In [3], theorem 3.3, R. Brown shows the category of hausdorff  $k$ -spaces to be a cartesian closed category. It turns out that a category  $\mathcal{K}$  of topological spaces arises naturally from embedding  $\mathcal{J}$  in  $\mathcal{L}$ . Moreover the full subcategory determined by hausdorff spaces in  $\mathcal{K}$  is precisely the category of hausdorff  $k$ -spaces. The definition of non-hausdorff  $k$ -spaces given in Kelley [6], p.230, is different to the definition of non-hausdorff objects in  $\mathcal{K}$  and may not yield the same concept.

One aim of this thesis is to show that  $\mathcal{K}$  does provide a suitable generalisation of the category of hausdorff  $k$ -spaces. In chapter 5, I give the definition of a function space topology which reduces to the ordinary compact-open topology when the domain is a hausdorff  $k$ -space. This definition allows the amount of actual "topological calculation" performed to be restricted to lemma 5.1. The cartesian closure of  $\mathcal{K}$  follows from this lemma and, in turn, an alternative proof of R. Brown's result for hausdorff  $k$ -spaces is obtained.

The fundamental definitions and results of category theory — for example limits, the Yoneda representation theorem, the theory of adjoint functors — are assumed from the outset. The notation employed for categories, functors and limits is sufficiently standard to warrant its

use (see [4], I, §1), however several abbreviations will be noted:

(1) Given categories  $\mathcal{M}$  and  $\mathcal{A}$  with  $\mathcal{M}$  small, and a functor  $K: \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ , the limit of  $K$  in  $\mathcal{A}$  (provided it exists) is denoted by

$$\lim K = \{A \xrightarrow{\alpha_M} KM \mid M \in \mathcal{M}\}.$$

This is abbreviated to  $A \xrightarrow{\alpha_M} KM$  wherever the category  $\mathcal{M}$  is indicated in the context. Similarly the colimit of  $K$  in  $\mathcal{A}$  is denoted by

$$\operatorname{colim} K = KM \xrightarrow{\alpha} A$$

if it exists. For the case when  $\mathcal{M} = \Lambda$  is a discrete category (that is, the only morphisms in  $\mathcal{M}$  are the identity morphisms of objects) we put  $A_\lambda = K(\lambda)$  for each  $\lambda \in \Lambda$  so that  $\operatorname{colim} K$  becomes the coproduct (or sum) in  $\mathcal{A}$  of the set  $\{A_\lambda \mid \lambda \in \Lambda\}$  of objects of  $\mathcal{A}$ , and is written

$$A_\lambda \xrightarrow{\alpha_\lambda} \sum_A A_\lambda.$$

Given a family  $f_\lambda \in \mathcal{A}(A_\lambda, B)$  of morphisms indexed by  $\Lambda$ , the unique (!) morphism  $f \in \mathcal{A}(\sum_A A_\lambda, B)$  such that

$$f\alpha_\lambda = f_\lambda \text{ for each } \lambda \in \Lambda$$

is denoted by the row vector

$$f = (\dots, f_\lambda, \dots)$$

of "length" card  $\Lambda$  whose  $\lambda$ -entry is  $f_\lambda$ . This notation is abbreviated to  $(f_\lambda)$ .

(ii) The letter  $C$  is used to represent an arbitrary compact hausdorff topological space — that is, a proposition (or statement) involving  $C$  is assumed to be valid when  $C$  is any compact hausdorff space — unless stated otherwise.

(iii) Full embedding functors are not named and, in the case of a full reflective embedding  $A \rightarrow B$ , with reflection  $S: B \rightarrow A$ , the symbol "S" is also used to denote the composite  $B \xrightarrow{S} A \rightarrow B$ . It is notationally convenient to avoid naming certain non-full embeddings — especially underlying-set functors — unless their presence needs to be emphasised.

Finally, very little of the theory of monoidal closed categories, as given in [4], is required for the following work. Apart from the definition of a monoidal closed category, one theorem of existence is used together with the section entitled "Cartesian Closed Categories" on page 550 of this reference.



CHAPTER I

Quasi-topological Spaces and Bases.

Let  $\mathcal{L}$  denote the category of compact hausdorff topological spaces and continuous maps between them. The category  $\mathcal{P}$  of quasi-topological bases is defined as follows. An object of  $\mathcal{P}$  is a set  $X$  together with, for each  $C \in \mathcal{L}$ , a set  $P(C, X)$  of set maps  $C \rightarrow X$  satisfying the axioms:

Q1. For all  $C \in \mathcal{L}$ ,  $P(C, X)$  contains all constant maps.

Q2.  $g \in \mathcal{L}(C_1, C_2)$  and  $f \in P(C_2, X) \Rightarrow fg \in P(C_1, X)$ .

A morphism between objects  $X$  and  $Y$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  is a set map  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  such that

$$g \in P(C, X) \Rightarrow fg \in P(C, Y) \text{ for all } C \in \mathcal{L} \quad (1.1)$$

Such maps will be called  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous.

There is a full embedding  $\mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  which sends  $B \in \mathcal{L}$  to its underlying set with  $P(C, B) = \mathcal{L}(C, B)$  and sends  $f \in \mathcal{L}(B, D)$  to itself. This functor is clearly faithful and

$$f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) \Rightarrow f \cdot 1_C \in P(C, X) \text{ by (1.1) because}$$

$$1_C \in \mathcal{L}(C, C) = P(C, C),$$

$$\Rightarrow f \in P(C, X),$$

$$f \in P(C, X) \Rightarrow fg \in P(D, X) \text{ for all } g \in P(D, C) = \mathcal{L}(D, C)$$

$$\text{and } D \in \mathcal{L}, \text{ by Q2.}$$

$$\Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) \text{ by (1.1).}$$

$$\text{Hence } \mathcal{P}(C, X) = P(C, X) \text{ for all } C \in \mathcal{C}, X \in \mathcal{P}. \quad (1.2)$$

In particular, for  $X = B \in \mathcal{C}$ ,

$$\mathcal{P}(C, B) = P(C, B) = \mathcal{C}(C, B) \quad (1.3)$$

If  $C$  and  $B$  have the same underlying set and  $f$  is the identity set map, then  $f$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous iff  $f$  is continuous, hence  $C$  and  $B$  coincide in  $\mathcal{P}$  iff they do in  $\mathcal{C}$ . These remarks show that the embedding  $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  is full and object-injective.

Remark. In view of (1.2) the defining sets for a given  $X \in \mathcal{P}$  will be denoted by  $\mathcal{P}(C, X)$ .

Proposition 1.1. The objects of  $\mathcal{C}$  form a strong generating class for  $\mathcal{P}$  in the sense that  $f \in \mathcal{P}(X, Y)$  is an isomorphism in  $\mathcal{P}$  iff  $\mathcal{P}(1, f): \mathcal{P}(C, X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(C, Y)$  is an isomorphism in  $\mathcal{S}$ , for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ .

Proof.  $\Rightarrow$  is clear.

$\Leftarrow$ . Taking  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  to be the space consisting of one point \* shows that  $f$  is a bijection by Q2. Taking  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  general then shows that  $X$  and  $Y$  have identical  $\mathcal{P}$ -structures.

The category  $\mathcal{Q}$  of quasi-topological spaces and quasi-continuous maps (Spanier [7], §2) is defined as the full subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$  determined by those  $X \in \mathcal{P}$  which satisfy:

Q3. Given a finite (possibly empty) set  $\{c_n | n \in N\}$  of objects  $c_n \in \mathcal{C}$ , with coproduct

$$c_n \xrightarrow{\alpha_n} \sum_N c_n \text{ in } \mathcal{C}, \text{ then}$$

$f \in \mathcal{P}(\sum_N c_n, X) \iff f_n = f \alpha_n \in \mathcal{P}(c_n, X)$  for each  $n \in N$ ,  
and

Q4. Given a surjection  $\eta \in \mathcal{C}(D, C)$ , and  $f \in \mathcal{S}(C, X)$ ,  
then  $f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) \iff f \eta \in \mathcal{P}(D, X)$ .

Remark. For  $N = \emptyset$  (the empty set), Q3 states that the unique set map  $\emptyset \rightarrow X$  is in  $\mathcal{P}(\emptyset, X)$  for each  $X \in \mathcal{L}$ .

Definition. For any  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $X \in \mathcal{P}$  the set map  $f: C \rightarrow X$  is covered if there exist a finite (possibly empty) set  $\{c_n | n \in N\}$  of objects  $c_n \in \mathcal{C}$ , with coproduct  $c_n \xrightarrow{\alpha_n} \sum_N c_n$  in  $\mathcal{C}$ , an  $f_n \in \mathcal{P}(c_n, X)$  for each  $n \in N$ , and a surjection  $\eta \in \mathcal{C}(\sum_N c_n, C)$  such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \sum_N c_n & & \\ \eta \downarrow & \searrow & \\ C & \xrightarrow{f} & X \end{array} \quad (f_n) = (\dots, f_n, \dots)$$

commutes.

Such a covering of  $f$  is denoted by  $(\sum_N c_n, f_n, \eta)$ .

Clearly Q3 and Q4 are, together, equivalent to Q3'.

Q3'.  $f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) \iff f \in \mathcal{S}(C, X)$  is covered.

Remark. On taking  $C = \emptyset$ , the unique set map  $\emptyset \rightarrow X$  is always covered by taking  $N = \emptyset$ .

Observe that any  $D \in \mathcal{C}$  is a quasi-topological space. This follows from

$$f: C \rightarrow D \text{ covered by } (\sum_{N} C_n, f_n, \eta)$$

$$\Rightarrow f_n \in \mathcal{P}(C_n, D) = \mathcal{C}(C_n, D) \text{ for each } n \in N, \text{ by definition of } \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{P},$$

$$\Rightarrow (f_n) = f\eta \in \mathcal{C}(\sum_{N} C_n, D),$$

$\Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{C}(C, D)$  because  $\eta$  is a continuous surjection between compact hausdorff spaces and is consequently a topological identification map,

$$\Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{P}(C, D) \text{ by definition of } \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{P},$$

as required for Q3'.

Proposition 1.2.

$\mathcal{L}$  is a full reflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$ .

Proof.  $\mathcal{L}$  is full in  $\mathcal{P}$  by definition. Define the reflecting functor  $F: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  on objects as

$FX = \text{set } X \text{ with } f \in \mathcal{P}(C, FX) \text{ iff } f \text{ is covered.}$

$$f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) \Rightarrow f \text{ covered by } (C, f, 1) \Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{P}(C, FX),$$

$$\text{i.e. } \mathcal{P}(C, X) \subset \mathcal{P}(C, FX) \text{ for all } C \in \mathcal{C}, X \in \mathcal{P}. \quad (1.4)$$

We require (a)  $FX \in \mathcal{L}$ , and

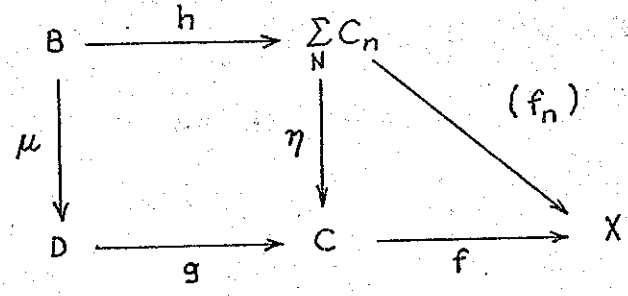
(b)  $\mathcal{P}(FX, Y) = \mathcal{P}(X, Y)$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{P}, Y \in \mathcal{L}$ , to hold.

(a) Q1. is satisfied by (1.4).

Q2. Given  $g \in \mathcal{L}(D, C)$  and  $(\sum_N C_n, f_n, \eta)$  covering  $f: C \rightarrow X$ , let

$(h, \mu, B) = \text{pull-back } (g, \eta) \text{ in } \mathcal{L}$

(this limit exists by the completeness of  $\mathcal{L}$ ).

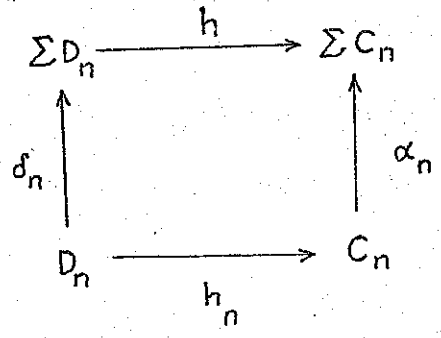


Then  $\mu$  is a continuous surjection. Also  $B$  may be represented as a sum in  $\mathcal{L}$ ; let  $D_n = h^{-1}(C_n)$  with the subspace topology in  $B$ , then

$$B = \sum_N D_n \text{ in } \mathcal{L}.$$

Because  $h$  is continuous, each  $h^{-1}(C_n)$  is open and closed in  $B$  whence  $B = \sum_N D_n$  in  $\mathcal{L}$ . For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$

let  $h_n \in \mathcal{L}$  be the map defined by



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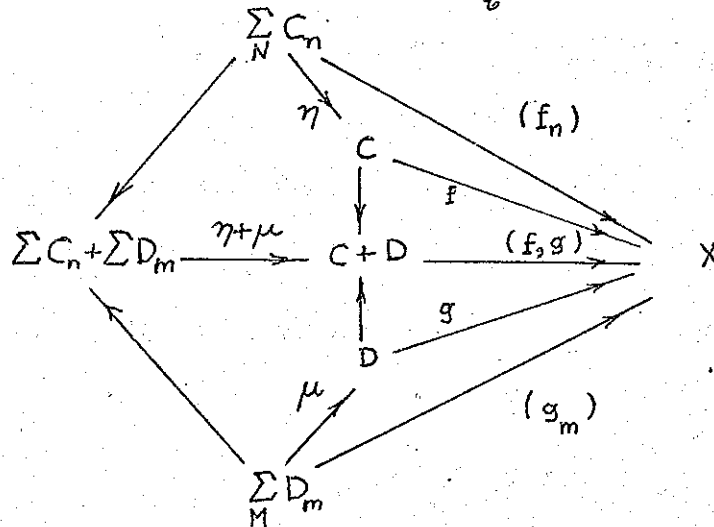
( $\alpha_n, \delta_n$  denote coproduct inclusions). Then, by Q2. for  $X$ ,

$f_n h_n \in \mathcal{P}(D_n, X)$  for all  $n \in N$ , so  $(\sum_N D_n, f_n h_n, \mu)$  covers  $fg$  as required for

$$fg \in \mathcal{P}(D, FX) .$$

Q3. Given a cover  $(\sum_N C_n, f_n, \eta)$  of  $f: C \rightarrow X$  and  
 a cover  $(\sum_M D_m, g_m, \mu)$  of  $g: D \rightarrow X$  and

we obtain a cover for  $(fg): C + D \rightarrow X$  from the diagram



where  $\eta + \mu$  is a continuous surjection since both  $\eta$  and  $\mu$  are (unmarked arrows denote coproduct inclusions in  $\mathcal{C}$ ).

Also

$$(f, g)(\eta + \mu) = (f\eta, g\mu) = (\dots, f_n, \dots, g_m, \dots)$$

as required for  $(f, g) \in \mathcal{P}(C + D, FX)$ .

This verifies Q3 for the case of an indexing set of cardinal two which, together with the fact that  $\emptyset \rightarrow X$  is always covered, clearly suffices for the general case.

Q4. Suppose  $f\eta$  is covered by  $(\sum_N C_n, f_n, \mu)$  where  $\eta \in \mathcal{C}(C, D)$  is a surjection and  $f: D \rightarrow X$  is any set map. Then  $f$  is covered by  $(\sum_N C_n, f_n, \eta\mu)$  and so is in  $\mathcal{P}(D, FX)$ .

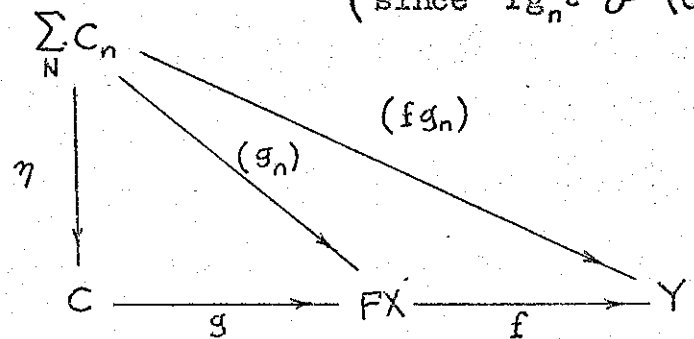
(b)  $\mathcal{P}(FX, Y) = \mathcal{P}(X, Y)$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{P}, Y \in \mathcal{Q}$ .

$f \in \mathcal{P}(FX, Y) \Rightarrow fg \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y)$  for all  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, FX)$  by (1.1)  
 $\Rightarrow fg \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y)$  for all  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, X)$  by (1.4)  
 $\Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{P}(X, Y)$  by (1.1).

$f \in \mathcal{P}(X, Y) \Rightarrow fh \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y)$  for all  $h \in \mathcal{P}(C, X)$  by (1.1)  
 $\Rightarrow fg \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y)$  for all  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, FX)$ ,

because  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, FX) \Rightarrow g$  is covered by  $(\sum_N C_n, g_n, \eta)$   
 $\Rightarrow fg$  covered by  $(\sum_N C_n, fg_n, \eta)$

(since  $fg_n \in \mathcal{P}(C_n, Y)$  for all  $n \in N$ )



hence  $fg \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y)$  by Q3' for  $Y \in \mathcal{Q}$ , as required by (1.1) for  $f \in \mathcal{P}(FX, Y)$ .

By (b),  $F$  is necessarily given on morphisms by

$$F_{XY} = \mathcal{P}(X, Y) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}(1, \beta_Y)} \mathcal{P}(X, FY) = \mathcal{P}(FX, FY) \text{ where}$$

$$\beta_Y \in \mathcal{P}(Y, FY) = \mathcal{P}(FY, FY) \text{ corresponds to } 1_{FY}.$$

That is,  $\beta_Y$  is the identity set map for all  $Y \in \mathcal{P}$ . (1.5)

By Q1 there exists a unique  $\mathcal{P}$ -structure on a single point  $*$  and this corresponds to the generator of  $\mathcal{C}$  under the inclusion  $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$ . We may thus denote this object of  $\mathcal{P}$  by  $*$ .

Proposition 1.3. The underlying-set functor  $U: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$

- (a) is faithful,
- (b) has an adjoint and a coadjoint and
- (c) is represented by  $*$ .

Proof. (a) is trivial.

(b) An adjoint  $D: \mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  to  $U$  is given by

$$DX = \text{set } X \text{ with } \mathcal{P}(C, X) = \text{all constant maps } C \rightarrow X, \text{ for all } C \in \mathcal{C}.$$

Clearly  $DX \in \mathcal{P}$  and  $\mathcal{P}(DX, Y) = \mathcal{S}(X, UY)$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{S}$  and  $Y \in \mathcal{P}$ .

A coadjoint  $T: \mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  to  $U$  is given by  $TX = \text{set } X$  with  $\mathcal{P}(C, X) = \mathcal{S}(C, X)$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ . Again it is clear that  $TX \in \mathcal{P}$  and  $\mathcal{S}(UY, X) = \mathcal{P}(Y, TX)$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{S}$ ,  $Y \in \mathcal{P}$ .

(c) A natural isomorphism  $\iota: U \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(*, -)$  is provided by

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{P}(*, Y) &= \mathcal{P}(D*, Y) \text{ by definition of } * \text{ in } \mathcal{P}. \\ &= \mathcal{S}(*, UY) \text{ on taking } X = * \in \mathcal{S} \text{ in (b)}. \\ &\cong UY \text{ for all } Y \in \mathcal{P}. \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 1.4.

The properties (a), (b), and (c) also hold for the composite  $\mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{U} \mathcal{S}$ .



Proof. (a) and (c) are obvious from (a) and (c) for  $U$  and the fact that  $*$   $\in$   $\mathcal{P}$  is an object of  $\mathcal{Q}$ .

(b) By proposition 1.2 and (b) for  $U$  we have that  $\mathcal{S} \xrightarrow{D} \mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{F} \mathcal{Q}$  is adjoint to  $\mathcal{Q} \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{U} \mathcal{S}$ . Because  $TX \in \mathcal{Q}$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{S}$  the coadjoint of  $\mathcal{Q} \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{U} \mathcal{S}$  is given simply as the factorisation of  $\mathcal{S} \xrightarrow{T} \mathcal{P}$  through  $\mathcal{Q} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$ .

Remark. There are two  $\mathcal{P}$ -structures on the empty set  $\emptyset$ .

They are

$$\beta_0 = D\emptyset \text{ given by } \mathcal{P}(C, \beta_0) = \emptyset \text{ for all } C \in \mathcal{C},$$

and

$$\beta_1 \text{ given by } \mathcal{P}(C, \beta_1) = \emptyset \text{ for all } C \neq \emptyset \text{ in } \mathcal{C},$$

$$= 1_\emptyset \text{ for } C = \emptyset \text{ in } \mathcal{C}.$$

However  $F\beta_0 = \beta_1$  because  $\emptyset \rightarrow X$  is covered for all  $X \in \mathcal{P}$ , as previously remarked.

No confusion will arise if we resume the omission of the symbol  $U$ .

## CHAPTER 2.

### Limits and Colimits.

Limits and colimits in the category  $\mathcal{P}$  are described by the following propositions.

#### Proposition 2.1

For an arbitrary small category  $\mathcal{A}$  and functor  $K: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  let  $X \xrightarrow{\alpha_A} KA$  be the limit of the composite  $\mathcal{A} \xrightarrow{K} \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$ . Then  $X \xrightarrow{\alpha_A} KA$  is the limit of  $K: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  if  $X$  is given in  $\mathcal{P}$  by  $f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) \iff \alpha_A \cdot f \in \mathcal{P}(C, KA)$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $A \in \mathcal{A}$  (2.1)

Proof. Clearly  $X, \alpha_A \in \mathcal{P}$  for all  $A \in \mathcal{A}$ . Suppose  $Y \xrightarrow{\beta_A} KA$  is a family of morphisms in  $\mathcal{P}$ , indexed by  $\text{obj } \mathcal{A}$ , such that  $Kf \cdot \beta_A = \beta_B$  for all  $A, B \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $f \in \mathcal{A}(AB)$ . Then, because  $X$  is the limit of  $\mathcal{A} \xrightarrow{K} \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$ ,  $\exists! g \in \mathcal{S}(Y, X)$  such that

$$\alpha_A \cdot g = \beta_A \text{ for all } A \in \mathcal{A}.$$

Moreover  $g \in \mathcal{P}(Y, X)$  because  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $h \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y)$   
 $\Rightarrow \beta_A \cdot h \in \mathcal{P}(C, KA)$  all  $A \in \mathcal{A}$  since  $\beta_A \in \mathcal{P}$   
 $\Rightarrow \alpha_A \cdot gh \in \mathcal{P}(C, KA)$  since  $\alpha_A \cdot g = \beta_A$  for all  $A \in \mathcal{A}$ .  
 $\Rightarrow gh \in \mathcal{P}(C, X)$  by (2.1).

Hence  $\lim K = X \xrightarrow{\alpha_A} KA$ .

Proposition 2.2.

For an arbitrary small category  $\mathcal{A}$  and functor  $K: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  let  $KA \xrightarrow{\alpha_A} X$  be the colimit of the composite  $\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$ . Then  $KA \xrightarrow{\alpha_A} X$  is the colimit of  $K: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  if  $X$  is defined in  $\mathcal{P}$  by

$$f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) \iff f \text{ is constant or } \exists A \in \mathcal{A}, g \in \mathcal{P}(C, KA),$$

$$\text{such that } f = \alpha_A \cdot g, \quad (2 \cdot 2)$$

for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ .

Proof. Clearly  $X \in \mathcal{P}$  and  $\alpha_A \in \mathcal{P}$  for all  $A \in \mathcal{A}$ . If  $KA \xrightarrow{\beta_A} Y$  is a family of morphisms in  $\mathcal{P}$ , indexed by  $\text{obj } \mathcal{A}$  and such that  $\beta_B \cdot Kf = \beta_A$  for all  $A, B \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $f \in \mathcal{A}(A, B)$ , then  $\exists! h \in \mathcal{S}(X, Y)$  such that  $h \cdot \alpha_A = \beta_A$

for each  $A \in \mathcal{A}$  because  $X$  is the colimit of  $\mathcal{A} \xrightarrow{K} \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$ . Moreover  $h \in \mathcal{P}(X, Y)$  because

$$\begin{aligned} f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) &\implies f \text{ is constant or } \exists A \in \mathcal{A}, g \in \mathcal{P}(C, KA) \\ &\text{with } \alpha_A \cdot g = f, \text{ by } (2 \cdot 2), \\ &\implies hf \text{ is constant or } hf = h\alpha_A \cdot g \\ &= \beta_A \cdot g \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y) \\ &\text{since } \beta_A \in \mathcal{P}(KA, Y), \\ &\implies hf \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y), \text{ for all } C \in \mathcal{C}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $KA \xrightarrow{\alpha_A} X$  becomes the colimit of  $K$ .

The following general theorem of category theory is recorded (without proof) for future reference.

Theorem 2.3

Suppose  $\mathcal{A}$  is a full reflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{B}$  (the inclusion  $\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  having adjoint  $S$  with corresponding natural transformation

$$\beta: 1 \rightarrow S: \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}) \text{ and}$$

$K: \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  is a functor with  $\mathcal{M}$  a small category. Then

(a)  $\mathcal{B}$  complete  $\Rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  complete, with

$$\lim K \text{ in } \mathcal{A} = \lim K \text{ in } \mathcal{B}, \text{ and}$$

(b)  $\mathcal{B}$  cocomplete  $\Rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  cocomplete, with

$$\operatorname{colim} K \text{ in } \mathcal{A} = \operatorname{KM} \xrightarrow{\alpha_M} X \xrightarrow{\beta_X} SX$$

where  $\operatorname{KM} \xrightarrow{\alpha_M} X = \operatorname{colim} K \text{ in } \mathcal{B}$ .

This theorem will now be employed to describe two types of colimit in  $\mathcal{L}$ . By proposition 2.2 the coproduct in  $\mathcal{P}$  of a set  $\{X_\lambda | \lambda \in A\}$  of  $\mathcal{P}$ -objects is  $X_\lambda \xrightarrow{\alpha_\lambda} \Sigma X_\lambda$ , where

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \Sigma X_\lambda &= \text{the disjoint union of the sets } X_\lambda \\ \alpha_\lambda &= \text{the } \lambda\text{-inclusion map,} \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (2.3)$$

together with  $f \in \mathcal{P}(C, \Sigma X_\lambda) \iff f = \alpha_\lambda g$  for some  $\lambda \in A$  and  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, X_\lambda)$  (2.4)

(this condition includes the case where  $f$  is constant).

In this manner  $\Sigma X_\lambda$  becomes a  $\mathcal{P}$ -object which we denote by  $\Sigma_{\mathcal{P}} X_\lambda$ .

By theorem 2.3(b) the coproduct in  $\mathcal{L}$  of a set  $\{X_\lambda | \lambda \in \Lambda\}$  of  $\mathcal{L}$ -objects is given by  $X_\lambda \xrightarrow{\alpha_\lambda} \Sigma X_\lambda$ , with  $\Sigma X_\lambda$  and  $\alpha_\lambda$  as in (2.3), together with

$$f \in \mathcal{L}(C, \Sigma_{\mathcal{P}} X_\lambda) \iff \exists \text{ a cover } (\Sigma_{\mathcal{N}} C_n, f_n, \eta) \text{ of } f \text{ with } f_n \in \mathcal{P}(C_n, \Sigma_{\mathcal{P}} X_\lambda) \text{ for each } n \in \mathcal{N}.$$

Hence  $\Sigma_{\mathcal{P}} X_\lambda$  becomes a  $\mathcal{L}$ -object which we denote by  $\Sigma_{\mathcal{L}} X_\lambda$ .

Proposition 2.4.

$$f \in \mathcal{L}(C, \Sigma_{\mathcal{L}} X_\lambda) \iff \exists \text{ a cover } (\Sigma_{\mathcal{N}} C_n, \alpha_n f_n, l_C) \text{ of } f \text{ with } \mathcal{N} = \Lambda \text{ and } f_n \in \mathcal{L}(C_n, X_n) \text{ for each } n \in \mathcal{N}.$$

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned} \Leftarrow & \text{ is clear because } f_n \in \mathcal{L}(C_n, X_n) = \mathcal{P}(C_n, X_n) \text{ hence} \\ & \alpha_n \in \mathcal{P}(X_n, \Sigma_{\mathcal{P}} X_\lambda) \Rightarrow \alpha_n f_n \in \mathcal{P}(C_n, \Sigma_{\mathcal{P}} X_\lambda) \text{ by (1.1), for each } n \in \mathcal{N}, \\ & \Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{L}(C, \Sigma_{\mathcal{L}} X_\lambda) \text{ by Q3'.} \\ \Rightarrow & f \in \mathcal{L}(C, \Sigma_{\mathcal{L}} X_\lambda) \Rightarrow \exists \text{ a cover } (\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}} D_m, h_m, \eta) \text{ of } f \text{ with} \\ & h_m \in \mathcal{P}(D_m, \Sigma_{\mathcal{P}} X_\lambda) \text{ for each } m \in \mathcal{M}. \end{aligned}$$

To reduce this cover to the given form, let  $B_n = \Sigma_{\mathcal{L}} D_l$  summed in  $\mathcal{L}$  over all  $l \in \mathcal{M}$  for which

$$h_l = D_l \xrightarrow{h_{ln}} X_n \xrightarrow{\alpha_n} \Sigma_{\mathcal{P}} X_\lambda \quad (2.5)$$

for some  $h_{ln} \in \mathcal{L}(D_l, X_n)$  — by (2.4), any  $h_l \in \mathcal{P}(D_l, \Sigma_{\mathcal{P}} X_\lambda)$  has such a factorisation for a unique  $n \in \Lambda$ .  $\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}} D_m$  can now be

written as  $\sum_N B_n$  for a finite range  $N \subset A$ .

Let  $C_n = \eta(B_n)$ , with the subspace topology in  $C$ , and  $\eta_n: B_n \rightarrow C_n$  be the corresponding surjection induced by  $\eta$ . Then  $C = \sum_N C_n$  in  $\mathcal{C}$  because

(i)  $\eta$  is a surjection so  $C = \bigcup_N \eta(B_n)$ ,

(ii) the  $\eta(B_n)$  are disjoint in  $C$  for,

$$x \in \eta(B_n) \cap \eta(B_r), \quad r \neq n \in N$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \eta(b_n) = \eta(b_r) \text{ for some } b_n \in B_n, b_r \in B_r,$$

$$\Rightarrow f\eta(b_n) = f\eta(b_r) \text{ in } \sum_A X_\lambda$$

contrary to the definition of  $B_n$  in (2.5) because

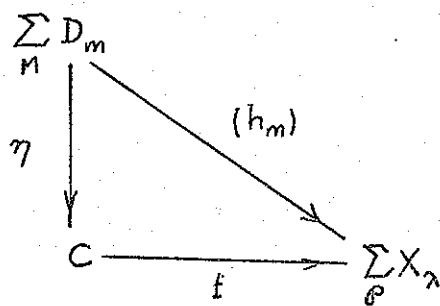
$$X_n \cap X_r = \emptyset \text{ for } n \neq r \in N \subset A,$$

(iii)  $\eta(B_n)$  is closed in  $C$  for each  $n \in N$ , since  $B_n$  compact,  $\eta$  continuous

$$\Rightarrow \eta(B_n) \text{ compact in } C,$$

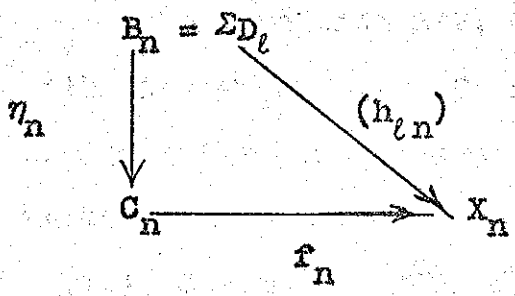
$$\Rightarrow \eta(B_n) \text{ closed in } C \text{ since } C \text{ is hausdorff.}$$

Again,  $f(C_n) = f\eta(B_n) \subset X_n$  by (2.5) and



commutes by definition of cover,

so  $f$  induces a set map  $f_n: C_n \rightarrow X_n$  such that



commutes for each  $n \in N$ .

This means  $f_n$  is covered by  $(\Sigma D_\ell, h_{\ell n}, \eta_n)$  whence  $f_n \in \mathcal{Q}(C_n, X_n)$  by Q3' for  $X_n \in \mathcal{Q}$ . Moreover

$f = (\alpha_n f_n) : C = \Sigma C_n \rightarrow \Sigma X_n$  by definition of  $f_n$ , so

$(\Sigma C_n, \alpha_n f_n, 1)$  is a cover of the required form,

The covers needed to describe  $\Sigma X_n$  may thus be reduced to a canonical form. This is also true for coequalisers in  $\mathcal{Q}$ .

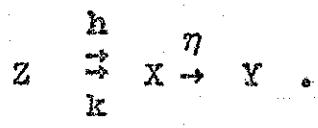
Proposition 2.5.

A map  $\eta \in \mathcal{P}(X, Y)$  is a coequaliser in  $\mathcal{P}$  iff

- (a) it is a surjection, and
- (b)  $f \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y) \iff f = \eta g$  for some  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, X)$ .

Proof.

(i) Given  $h, k \in \mathcal{P}(Z, X)$ , let  $Y = \text{coequ.}(h, k)$  in  $\mathcal{S}$ , then  $\eta$  is a surjection.



By proposition 2\*2, coequ.  $(h,k)$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  is the set  $Y$  with  $f \in \mathcal{P}(C,Y) \iff f$  factors in  $\mathcal{P}$  through  $\eta$  (this includes the cases where  $f$  is constant and where  $f$  factors in  $\mathcal{P}$  through  $\eta h = \eta k$ ).

(ii) Given  $\eta \in \mathcal{P}(X,Y)$  satisfying (a) and (b), let  $(Z,h,k)$  be the discriminant of  $\eta$  in  $\mathcal{P}$ . By proposition 2\*1 this discriminant both exists and is the discriminant of  $\eta$  in  $\mathcal{S}$ , hence

$$\eta = \text{coequ. } (h,k) \text{ in } \mathcal{S} \text{ by (a)}$$

which implies  $\eta = \text{coequ. } (h,k)$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  by (b), together with part (i) of this proof.

Coequalisers in  $\mathcal{Q}$  may thus be described, using theorem 2\*3(b), as maps  $\eta \in \mathcal{Q}(X,Y)$  such that

(a)  $\eta$  is a surjection, and

(b)  $f \in \mathcal{Q}(C,Y) \iff \exists$  a cover  $(\sum_{N} C_n, f_n, \mu)$  of  $f$  with  $f_n = \eta g_n$  for some  $g_n \in \mathcal{Q}(C_n, X)$  and each  $n \in N$ .

The latter condition entails the commutativity of both triangles in

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \sum C & \xrightarrow{(g_n)} & X \\
 \mu \downarrow & \searrow (f_n) & \downarrow \eta \\
 C & \xrightarrow{f} & Y
 \end{array}$$

consequently (b) becomes:



$f \in \mathcal{L}(C, Y) \iff \exists$  a  $D \in \mathcal{C}$ , a surjection  $\mu \in \mathcal{C}(D, C)$ ,  
and a  $g \in \mathcal{L}(D, X)$  such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & g & \\
 & D \longrightarrow X & \\
 \mu \downarrow & & \downarrow \eta \\
 & C \xrightarrow{f} Y & \\
 & f & 
 \end{array}
 \quad \text{commutes.}$$

This means that a map  $\eta \in \mathcal{L}(X, Y)$  is a coequaliser in  $\mathcal{L}$  iff  $\eta$  is a surjection and  $Y$  has the quotient quasi-topology induced by  $\eta$  (Spanier [7], §3).

In concluding this chapter we emphasise a type of limit in  $\mathcal{P}$  which is of importance in the sequel. The product of two objects  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  is, by proposition 2.1, the set (or cartesian) product

$$X_1 \xleftarrow{\alpha_1} X_1 \times X_2 \xrightarrow{\alpha_2} X_2$$

of the underlying sets, together with

$$f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X_1 \times X_2) \iff \alpha_1 f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X_1) \text{ and } \alpha_2 f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X_2).$$

Putting  $f_1 = \alpha_1 f$  and  $f_2 = \alpha_2 f$ , this can be expressed

as

$$f = \begin{pmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{P}(C, X_1 \times X_2) \iff f_1 \in \mathcal{P}(C, X_1) \text{ and } f_2 \in \mathcal{P}(C, X_2).$$

CHAPTER 3.

Cartesian Closure of the Category of Bases.

Given  $X \in \mathcal{S}$  and  $Y, Z \in \mathcal{P}$ , define the component

$$\kappa_{XYZ}: \mathcal{S}(X, \mathcal{P}(Y, Z)) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}(X \times Y, Z)$$

of a natural transformation  $\kappa$  by

$$\kappa_{XYZ}(f) = X \times Y \xrightarrow{f \times 1} \mathcal{P}(Y, Z) \times Y \xrightarrow{e_{YZ}} Z$$

for all  $f \in \mathcal{S}(X, \mathcal{P}(Y, Z))$ , where the evaluation map  $e_{YZ}$  is given as  $e_{YZ}(h, y) = h(y)$  for all  $h \in \mathcal{P}(Y, Z)$  and  $y \in Y$  and is natural in each variable.

Definition. An internal hom-functor

$$(-, -): \mathcal{P}^* \times \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$$

is defined for  $\mathcal{P}$  as follows. Given objects  $X, Y \in \mathcal{P}$  let  $(X, Y)$  be the set  $\mathcal{P}(X, Y)$  together with

$$f \in \mathcal{P}(C, (X, Y)) \iff \kappa(f) \in \mathcal{P}(C \times X, Y) \text{ for all } C \in \mathcal{C} \quad (3.1)$$

and for morphisms  $f \in \mathcal{P}^*(X, X')$  and  $g \in \mathcal{P}(Y, Y')$  let  $(f, g) = \mathcal{P}(f, g): (X, Y) \rightarrow (X', Y')$  as a set map. Then

(1) we obtain  $(X, Y) \in \mathcal{P}$  from

Q2. given any  $g \in \mathcal{C}(C, D)$  and  $f \in \mathcal{P}(D, (X, Y))$  then

$fg \in \mathcal{P}(C, (X, Y))$  since

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa(fg) &= C \times X \xrightarrow{g \times 1} D \times X \xrightarrow{f \times 1} \mathcal{P}(X, Y) \times Y \xrightarrow{e} Y \\ &= C \times X \xrightarrow{g \times 1} D \times X \xrightarrow{\kappa(f)} Y \text{ is in } \mathcal{P}(C \times X, Y) \end{aligned}$$

because  $\kappa(f) \in \mathcal{P}(D \times X, Y)$ , and

Q1. for any  $f: * \rightarrow (X, Y)$ ,  $\kappa(f) \in \mathcal{P}(* \times X, Y)$  corresponds to  $f(*) \in \mathcal{P}(X, Y)$ , under the obvious bijection. This, together with Q2., gives Q1.

(ii)  $(f, g): (X, Y) \rightarrow (X', Y')$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous because  
 $h \in \mathcal{P}(C, (X, Y)) \Rightarrow \kappa(h)$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous by (3.1)

$$\Rightarrow \kappa((f, g) \cdot h) = C \times X' \xrightarrow{1 \times f} C \times X \xrightarrow{\kappa(h)} Y \xrightarrow{g} Y'$$

is  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous.

$$\Rightarrow (f, g) \cdot h \in \mathcal{P}(C, (X', Y')) \text{ by (3.1),}$$

for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ .

Proposition 3.1.  $\mathcal{P}$  is a cartesian closed category, as defined by Eilenberg and Kelly in [4], IV, §2.

Proof. The evaluation map  $e: \mathcal{P}(X, Y) \times X \rightarrow Y$  is a  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous map  $e: (X, Y) \times X \rightarrow Y$  (3.2)

because, for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{pmatrix} f \\ g \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{P}(C, (X, Y) \times X) &\Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{P}(C, (X, Y)) \text{ and } g \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) \\ &\Rightarrow \kappa(f) \in \mathcal{P}(C \times X, Y), \text{ by (3.1), and} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow \kappa(f) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ g \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{P}(C, C \times X) \\ &\Rightarrow \kappa(f) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ g \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow e \begin{pmatrix} f \\ g \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{P}(C, Y) \text{ because}$$

$$e \begin{pmatrix} f \\ g \end{pmatrix} = \kappa(f) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ g \end{pmatrix} \text{ by definition of } \kappa.$$

The map  $r : X \rightarrow (Y, X \times Y)$  defined by  $r(x)(y) = (x, y)$  for all  $x \in X, y \in Y$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous. (3.3)

This follows from

$$\begin{aligned} f \in \mathcal{P}(C, X) &\Rightarrow \kappa(rf) = f \times 1 \in \mathcal{P}(C \times Y, X \times Y) \text{ for all } C \in \mathcal{C} \\ &\Rightarrow rf \text{ is } \mathcal{P}\text{-continuous by (3.1)}. \end{aligned}$$

Results (3.2) and (3.3) allow a natural isomorphism

$$\pi : \mathcal{P}(X \times Y, Z) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(X, (Y, Z)) \quad (3.4)$$

to be defined as

$$\pi(h) = X \xrightarrow{r} (Y, X \times Y) \xrightarrow{(1, h)} (Y, Z) \text{ for all } h \in \mathcal{P}(X \times Y, Z)$$

$$\text{with inverse } \pi^{-1}(f) = X \times Y \xrightarrow{f \times 1} (Y, Z) \times Y \xrightarrow{e} Z \text{ for all } f \in \mathcal{P}(X, (Y, Z)).$$

$$\pi(\pi^{-1}(f)) = f : X \rightarrow (Y, Z) \text{ because}$$

$$(\pi(\pi^{-1}(f)))(x)(y) = ((1, \pi^{-1}(f)) \circ r)(x)(y)$$

$$= (\pi^{-1}(f) \circ r(x))(y)$$

$$= \pi^{-1}(f)(x, y)$$

$$= f(x)(y) \text{ for all } x \in X, y \in Y.$$

Similarly  $\pi^{-1}\pi = 1$ .

Because  $\mathcal{P}$  is complete, it has a cartesian monoidal structure ([4], IV, §2) which is normalised ([4], p.491) by  $U : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$  together with the natural isomorphism

$\iota : U \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(*, -)$  given in proposition 1.3(c). The final result may now be obtained from [4], theorem II.5.5.

A natural isomorphism

$$p: (X \times Y, Z) \cong (X, (Y, Z)) \quad (3.5)$$

is given by [4], II, (3.18) such that  $\pi = \text{Up}$ .

Corollary 3.2.

If  $\mathcal{A}$  is a full subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$  such that

$(AB) \in \mathcal{A}$  for all  $A, B \in \mathcal{A}$ .

$*$   $\in \mathcal{A}$

$A \times_B B = A \times_B B$  in  $\mathcal{P}$ , for all  $A, B \in \mathcal{A}$ ,

then  $\mathcal{A}$  has a directly induced cartesian closed structure from  $\mathcal{P}$ .

Proof. The above data may be completed by the full embedding of  $\mathcal{A}$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  together with proposition 3.1. Any faithful functor reflects commuting diagrams so the axioms for  $\mathcal{A}$  follow from those for  $\mathcal{P}$ .

Theorem 3.3. Suppose  $\mathcal{A}$  is a full reflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$ , with reflecting functor  $S: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$ , and with corresponding  $\beta_X \in \mathcal{P}(X, SX)$  the identity set map for all  $X \in \mathcal{P}$  (hence  $\mathcal{P}(SX, A) = \mathcal{P}(X, A)$  for all  $A \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $X \in \mathcal{P}$ ). Then the following are equivalent:

- (i)  $X \in \mathcal{P}, A \in \mathcal{A} \Rightarrow (X, A) \in \mathcal{A}$ .
- (ii)  $C \in \mathcal{C}, A \in \mathcal{A} \Rightarrow (C, A) \in \mathcal{A}$ .
- (iii)  $X \in \mathcal{P}, A \in \mathcal{A} \Rightarrow (SX, A) = (X, A)$ .

$$(iv) \quad X, Y \in \mathcal{P} \Rightarrow S(X \times Y) = SX \times SY.$$

$$(v) \quad C \in \mathcal{C}, X \in \mathcal{P} \Rightarrow S(C \times X) = C \times SX.$$

Proof.

$$(i) \Rightarrow (ii) \text{ trivially.}$$

$$(ii) \Rightarrow (iii). \text{ For all } C \in \mathcal{C}, A \in \mathcal{A}, X \in \mathcal{P},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{P}(C, (SX, A)) &\cong \mathcal{P}(SX, (C, A)) \text{ by proposition 3.1} \\ &= \mathcal{P}(X, (C, A)) \text{ because } (C, A) \in \mathcal{A}. \\ &\cong \mathcal{P}(C, (XA)) \text{ by proposition 3.1.} \end{aligned}$$

This composite is clearly the identity set map so  
 $(SX, A) = (X, A)$  by proposition 1.1.

$$(iii) \Rightarrow (iv). \text{ For all } X, Y \in \mathcal{P} \text{ and } A \in \mathcal{A}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{P}(S(X \times Y), A) &= \mathcal{P}(X \times Y, A) \\ &\cong \mathcal{P}(X, (Y, A)) \text{ by (3.4)} \\ &= \mathcal{P}(X, (SY, A)) \text{ by (iii)} \\ &\cong \mathcal{P}(SY, (XA)) \text{ by proposition 3.1} \\ &= \mathcal{P}(SY, (SX, A)) \text{ by (iii)} \\ &\cong \mathcal{P}(SX, (SY, A)) \text{ by proposition 3.1} \\ &\cong \mathcal{P}(SX \times SY, A) \text{ by (3.4)}. \end{aligned}$$

Because  $\beta_X: X \rightarrow SX$  is the identity set map, for all  $X \in \mathcal{P}$ , it is again obvious that the above composite of isomorphisms is the identity map. Hence

$$\mathcal{A}(S(X \times Y), A) = \mathcal{A}(SX \times SY, A) \text{ for all } A \in \mathcal{A}$$

because  $\mathcal{A}$  is a full reflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$ . By the representation theorem, the canonical map

$S(X \times Y) \rightarrow SX \times SY$  is thus an isomorphism in  $\mathcal{A}$ , hence in  $\mathcal{P}$ .

(iv)  $\Rightarrow$  (i). For all  $X \in \mathcal{P}$  and  $A \in \mathcal{A}$

$\beta_{(X,A)} : (X,A) \rightarrow S(X,A)$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous.

Its inverse  $\beta_{(X,A)}^{-1}$  is also  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous because, being the identity set map, it is the image of  $1_{(X,A)}$  under the following composition of isomorphisms:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{P}((X,A), (X,A)) &\cong \mathcal{P}((X,A) \times X, A) \text{ by (3.4)} \\ &= \mathcal{P}(S((X,A) \times X), A) \\ &= \mathcal{P}(S(X,A) \times SX, A) \text{ by (iv)} \\ &= \mathcal{P}(S^2(X,A) \times SX, A) \text{ because } S^2 = S \end{aligned}$$

for a full reflective embedding,

$$\begin{aligned} &= \mathcal{P}(S(S(X,A) \times X), A) \text{ by (iv)} \\ &= \mathcal{P}(S(X,A) \times X, A) \\ &\cong \mathcal{P}(S(X,A), (X,A)) \text{ by (3.4)}. \end{aligned}$$

Finally (iv)  $\Rightarrow$  (v) trivially, and

$$\begin{aligned} (v) &\Rightarrow (iii). \text{ For all } C \in \mathcal{C}, A \in \mathcal{A}, X \in \mathcal{P}, \\ \mathcal{P}(C, (SX, A)) &\cong \mathcal{P}(C \times SX, A) \text{ by (3.4)} \\ &= \mathcal{P}(S(C \times X), A) \text{ by (v)} \\ &= \mathcal{P}(C \times X, A) \\ &\cong \mathcal{P}(C, (X, A)) \text{ by (3.4)}. \end{aligned}$$

This composite is the identity set map again. Hence

$$(SX, A) = (X, A) \text{ by proposition 1.1.}$$

Proposition 3.4.

The category  $\mathcal{A}$  of theorem 3.3 is, a fortiori, a cartesian closed category if it satisfies condition (i).

Proof. Let  $X = B \in \mathcal{A}$  in (i), then  $(B, A) \in \mathcal{A}$  for all  $B, A \in \mathcal{A}$ . By theorem 2.3 (a) we have

$$A \times_{\mathcal{A}} B = A \times_{\mathcal{P}} B \text{ for all } A, B \in \mathcal{A} \text{ and}$$

$$* = \text{the terminal object of } \mathcal{P}, \text{ in } \mathcal{A}.$$

The result follows from corollary 3.2.

Corollary 3.5.

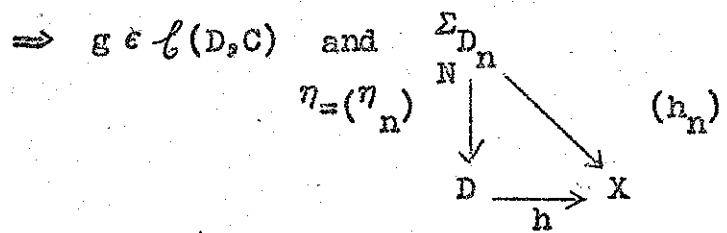
$\mathcal{L}$  is a cartesian closed category.

Proof. Taking  $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{L}$  and  $S = F$  in theorem 3.3, it suffices by proposition 3.4 to verify condition (v).

The canonical map

$F(C \times X) \rightarrow C \times FX$  is trivially  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous by definition of  $C \times FX$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  (proposition 2.1). This map is the identity on sets, and its inverse is  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous

because  $\begin{pmatrix} g \\ h \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{P}(D, C \times FX) \Rightarrow g \in \mathcal{L}(D, C) \text{ and } h \in \mathcal{P}(D, FX)$



commutes for some cover  $(\Sigma_D, h_n, \eta)$  of  $h$ .



$\Rightarrow g \in \mathcal{C}(D, C)$  and

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \Sigma(C \times D_n) & & \\
 \downarrow & \searrow & \\
 C \times D & \xrightarrow{1 \times h} & C \times X
 \end{array}
 \begin{array}{l}
 (1 \times \eta_n) \\
 \\
 (1 \times h_n)
 \end{array}$$

commutes, where  $(1 \times \eta_n)$  is a continuous surjection because  $C \times - : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  preserves finite coproducts and all epimorphisms in  $\mathcal{C}$ ,

$\Rightarrow g \in \mathcal{C}(D, C)$  and  $1 \times h \in \mathcal{P}(C \times D, F(C \times X))$

since  $1 \times h$  is covered,

$\Rightarrow (1 \times h) \begin{pmatrix} g \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} g \\ h \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{P}(D, F(C \times X))$ , for all  $D \in \mathcal{C}$ ,

as required by (1.1). This completes the proof.

CHAPTER 4.

$\mathcal{K}$ -spaces.

Henceforth  $\mathcal{J}$  will denote the category of topological spaces  $X, Y, Z, \dots$  and continuous maps, while general objects of  $\mathcal{P}$  will be denoted by letters  $P, Q, \dots$ . The letter  $T$  will denote the set  $\{0,1\}$  of two points with the non-extremal topology —  $\{0\}$  open and  $\{1\}$  not open. Clearly

$$f \in \mathcal{J}(X,Y) \iff hf \in \mathcal{J}(X,T) \text{ for all } h \in \mathcal{J}(Y,T) \quad (4.1)$$

$\mathcal{J}$  can be embedded (non-fully) in  $\mathcal{Q}$ , hence in  $\mathcal{P}$ , by taking  $X \in \mathcal{J}$  to the set  $X$  with

$$\mathcal{P}(C,X) = \mathcal{J}(C,X) \text{ for all } C \in \mathcal{C} \quad (4.2)$$

and  $f \in \mathcal{J}(X,Y)$  to the set map  $f$  which is clearly  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous (as in Spanier [7], §2).

Definition. A full subcategory  $\mathcal{K}$  of  $\mathcal{J}$  is defined by the topological spaces  $K$  for which

$$\mathcal{P}(K,T) = \mathcal{J}(K,T) \quad (4.3)$$

Such topological spaces will be called  $\mathcal{K}$ -spaces.

By (4.2) the category  $\mathcal{C}$  of compact hausdorff spaces forms a full subcategory of  $\mathcal{K}$ . Using the obvious correspondence between the open (respt. closed) sets of a topological space  $X$  and the elements of  $\mathcal{J}(X,T)$ , we can rephrase (4.3) as: a topological space  $K$  is a  $\mathcal{K}$ -space iff

$V \subset K$  is open (respt. closed) in  $K \iff$   
 for each  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{J}(C, K)$ , the set  $g^{-1}(V)$  is open (respt. closed) in  $C$ . (4.3)'

Proposition 4.1.

$\mathcal{K} \in \mathcal{J}$  is a  $\mathcal{K}$ -space iff  $\mathcal{P}(\mathcal{K}, \mathcal{K}) = \mathcal{J}(\mathcal{K}, \mathcal{K})$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ .

Proof.

$\Leftarrow$  • Take  $X = T$ .

$\Rightarrow$  • For all  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ ,  $\mathcal{J}(\mathcal{K}, X) \subset \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{K}, X)$  by the embedding  $\mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$ , and

$f \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{K}, X) \Rightarrow hf \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{K}, T)$  by (1.1), for all  $h \in \mathcal{J}(X, T) \subset \mathcal{P}(X, T)$

$\Rightarrow hf \in \mathcal{J}(\mathcal{K}, T)$  by (4.3), for all  $h \in \mathcal{J}(X, T)$

$\Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{J}(\mathcal{K}, X)$  by (4.1), as required.

Theorem 4.2.

$\mathcal{K}$  is a full reflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$ .

Proof. Take  $X = L \in \mathcal{K}$  in proposition 4.1. Then  $\mathcal{P}(\mathcal{K}, L) = \mathcal{J}(\mathcal{K}, L) = \mathcal{K}(\mathcal{K}, L)$ , so  $\mathcal{K}$  is a full subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$ .

Given  $P \in \mathcal{P}$  define a topological space  $SP$ , with the same underlying set as  $P$ , by

$$\mathcal{J}(SP, T) = \mathcal{P}(P, T). \quad (4.4)$$

This simply states that  $V \subset SP$  is open iff  $g^{-1}(V)$  is open in  $C$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P)$ .  $SP$  is a topological space because  $\emptyset$  and  $SP$  are clearly open and if  $\{V_n | n \in \mathbb{N}\}$  is a finite set of open sets  $V_n \subset SP$  then

$$g^{-1}\left(\bigcap_N V_n\right) = \bigcap_N g^{-1}(V_n)$$

is open in  $C$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P)$ . Similarly arbitrary unions of open sets are open in  $SP$ .

$$\mathcal{J}(SP, X) = \mathcal{P}(P, X) \text{ for all } P \in \mathcal{P} \text{ and } X \in \mathcal{J} \quad (4.5)$$

because

$$f \in \mathcal{J}(SP, X), C \in \mathcal{C}, g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P) \text{ and } h \in \mathcal{J}(X, T)$$

$$\Rightarrow hf \in \mathcal{J}(SP, T)$$

$$\Rightarrow hf \in \mathcal{P}(P, T) \text{ by (4.4)}$$

$$\Rightarrow hfg \in \mathcal{P}(C, T) \text{ by (1.1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow hfg \in \mathcal{J}(C, T) \text{ by (4.2).}$$

Hence  $fg \in \mathcal{J}(C, X) = \mathcal{P}(C, X)$  by (4.1) and (4.2), for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P)$ . This implies  $f \in \mathcal{P}(P, X)$  by (1.1).

Conversely  $f \in \mathcal{P}(P, X)$  and  $h \in \mathcal{J}(X, T)$

$$\Rightarrow hf \in \mathcal{P}(P, T) \text{ by (1.1), because } \mathcal{J}(X, T) \subset \mathcal{P}(X, T)$$

$$\Rightarrow hf \in \mathcal{J}(SP, T) \text{ by (4.4).}$$

Hence  $f \in \mathcal{J}(SP, X)$  by (4.1).

By (4.5),  $S: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{J}$  is adjoint to the embedding  $\mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  with  $\beta_P \in \mathcal{P}(P, SP)$  the identity set map obtained from

$$1_{SP} \in \mathcal{J}(SP, SP) = \mathcal{P}(P, SP) \quad (4.6)$$

on putting  $X = SP$  in (4.5). This means

$$\mathcal{P}(SP, Q) \subset \mathcal{P}(P, Q) \text{ for all } P, Q \in \mathcal{P}.$$

In particular, for  $Q = X$  in  $\mathcal{J}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{P}(P, X) &= \mathcal{J}(SP, X) \text{ by (4.5)} \\ &\subset \mathcal{P}(SP, X) \\ &\subset \mathcal{P}(P, X) \text{ so that} \end{aligned}$$

$P \in \mathcal{P}, X \in \mathcal{J} \Rightarrow \mathcal{P}(P, X) = \mathcal{P}(SP, X) = \mathcal{J}(SP, X)$ . It follows from Proposition 4.1 that

$$SP \in \mathcal{K} \text{ for all } P \in \mathcal{P} \quad (4.7)$$

whence, by (4.5),  $\mathcal{K}$  is a full reflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$ . By (4.6) the associated natural transformation  $\beta: 1 \rightarrow S: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  is the identity set map in each component.

The class of objects and morphisms in  $\mathcal{P}$  arising from the above embedding of  $\mathcal{K}$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  will be identified with  $\mathcal{K}$ . If a symbol had been assigned to the non-full embedding

$$\mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$$

the notation of the theory would be cumbersome. However, because this symbol was omitted, care must be taken to state whether an equality (or, more generally, an isomorphism)

of objects  $X, Y \in \mathcal{J}$  occurs in  $\mathcal{J}$  or in  $\mathcal{P}$ . For example,  $SX = X$  in  $\mathcal{J}$  iff  $X \in \mathcal{K}$  (see Proposition 4.3). On the other hand,  $1_X \in \mathcal{P}(X, X) = \mathcal{J}(SX, X)$  on taking  $P = X \in \mathcal{J}$  in (4.5) and  $\beta_X \in \mathcal{P}(X, SX)$  is, by (4.6), the identity set map hence

$$SX = X \text{ in } \mathcal{P} \text{ for all } X \in \mathcal{J}. \quad (4.8)$$

This means, in addition, that the category  $\mathcal{K}$  considered in  $\mathcal{P}$  is precisely the full subcategory determined by embedding  $\mathcal{J}$  in  $\mathcal{P}$ .

Proposition 4.3.

$\mathcal{K}$  is a full coreflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{J}$ .

Proof. By (4.8)

$$\mathcal{P}(P, SX) = \mathcal{P}(P, X) \text{ for all } P \in \mathcal{P}, X \in \mathcal{J} \quad (4.9)$$

Letting  $P = K \in \mathcal{K}$

$$\mathcal{K}(K, SX) = \mathcal{P}(K, SX) \text{ since } SX \in \mathcal{K} \text{ by (4.7)}$$

and  $\mathcal{K}$  is a full subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$ .

$$= \mathcal{P}(K, X) \text{ by (4.9)}$$

$$= \mathcal{J}(K, X) \text{ by Proposition 4.1, for}$$

all  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ . Hence

$$\mathcal{K}(K, SX) = \mathcal{J}(K, X) \text{ for all } K \in \mathcal{K} \text{ and } X \in \mathcal{J}. \quad (4.10)$$

In other words, the composite  $\mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{S} \mathcal{K}$  is the required coreflection.

For the moment the composite

$$\mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{S} \mathcal{K}$$

will be denoted by  $R$  to enable (4.10) to be written as

$$\mathcal{K}(K, RX) = \mathcal{J}(K, X) \quad \text{for all } K \in \mathcal{K} \text{ and } X \in \mathcal{J}.$$

Putting  $K = RX$  we see that

$$1_{RX} \in \mathcal{K}(RX, RX) = \mathcal{J}(RX, X)$$

yields the component  $\alpha_X \in \mathcal{J}(RX, X)$  of a natural transformation  $\alpha: R \rightarrow 1: \mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{J}$ . Equivalently, using the usual notation for duals ([4], p.424),  $\mathcal{K}^*$  is a full reflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{J}^*$  with reflector  $R^*$  and corresponding natural transformation  $\alpha^*: 1 \rightarrow R^*: \mathcal{J}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{J}^*$ . Applying theorem 2.3(a) to this result shows that the sum in  $\mathcal{K}$  (= product in  $\mathcal{K}^*$ ) of a set-indexed collection of  $\mathcal{K}$ -spaces is their sum in  $\mathcal{J}$ , while the coequaliser of a pair of morphisms in  $\mathcal{K}$  is obtained by forming their coequaliser in  $\mathcal{J}$ . It is well-known that a map is a coequaliser in  $\mathcal{J}$  iff it is a topological identification map. The consequent closure of  $\mathcal{K}$  in  $\mathcal{J}$  under topological identification means that we can speak of an identification map in  $\mathcal{K}$  whenever the domain of the map is a  $\mathcal{K}$ -space.

By theorem 2.3(b) the product in  $\mathcal{K}$  of a set-indexed collection  $\{K_\lambda \mid \lambda \in A\}$  of  $\mathcal{K}$ -spaces is

$$RX \xrightarrow{\alpha_X} X \xrightarrow{p_\lambda} K_\lambda \quad (4.11)$$

where  $X \rightarrow_{p_\lambda} K_\lambda$  is their product in  $\mathcal{J}$ . The equaliser in  $\mathcal{K}$  of a pair of morphisms  $f, g \in \mathcal{K}(K, L)$  is

$$RA \begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{\alpha} \\ \downarrow \\ A \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} \rightarrow \\ \downarrow \\ i \end{matrix} K$$

where  $A \rightarrow K$  is their equaliser in  $\mathcal{J}$ . Equalisers in  $\mathcal{J}$  correspond to subspace maps, so  $i$  is an injection and  $A$  has the subspace topology in  $K$ . The topology on  $RA$  is strictly finer than the subspace topology unless  $A \in \mathcal{K}$ .

Proposition 4.4.

A closed subspace of a  $\mathcal{K}$ -space is a  $\mathcal{K}$ -space.

Proof. Given  $K \in \mathcal{K}$  and  $A < K$  closed, with the subspace topology, we require by (4.3)' that  $V < A$  be open in  $A$  whenever (1)  $g^{-1}(V)$  is open in  $C$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{J}(C, A)$ .

Suppose  $V < A$  satisfies (1) and  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $f \in \mathcal{J}(C, K)$  are arbitrary.  $f^{-1}(A)$  is closed in  $C$  because  $A$  is closed in  $K$  and  $f$  is continuous so  $f^{-1}(A)$ , with the subspace topology in  $C$ , is a compact hausdorff space.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C & \xrightarrow{f} & K \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ V & & V \\ f^{-1}(A) & \xrightarrow{g} & A \end{array}$$

$f \in \mathcal{J}(C, K)$  induces a continuous map  $g: f^{-1}(A) \rightarrow A$ , hence  $g^{-1}(V) = f^{-1}(V)$  is open in  $f^{-1}(A)$  by (1).



Because  $f^{-1}(A)$  has the subspace topology in  $C$ ,  
 $f^{-1}(V) = f^{-1}(A) \cap W$  for some open set  $W < C$ ,  
 consequently

$$\begin{aligned} f^{-1}(V \cup \bar{A}) &= f^{-1}(V) \cup f^{-1}(\bar{A}) \\ &= f^{-1}(V) \cup \widetilde{f^{-1}(A)} \\ &= (f^{-1}(A) \cap W) \cup \widetilde{f^{-1}(A)} \\ &= W \cup \widetilde{f^{-1}(A)} \end{aligned}$$

(where  $\bar{\cdot}$  denotes complements in  $K$  and in  $C$ )  
 is open in  $C$  since  $f^{-1}(A)$  is closed in  $C$ . But  $K$   
 is a  $\mathcal{K}$ -space and  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $f \in \mathcal{J}(C, K)$  are arbitrary so  
 $V \cup \bar{A}$  is open in  $K$  by (4.3)'. Hence  $V = A \cap (V \cup \bar{A})$   
 is open in  $A$  by definition of subspace topology, as  
 required.

Having completed the topological description of the  
 colimit and limit structure of  $\mathcal{K}$ , we omit the symbol  $R$ .  
 The effect of  $R$  on a topological space  $X$  is again  
 denoted by  $SX$  and is called the  $\mathcal{K}$ -space associated with  $X$ .  
 The following two propositions point out that a variety of  
 topological spaces are  $\mathcal{K}$ -spaces.

Proposition 4.5.

A hausdorff topological space  $K$  is a  $\mathcal{K}$ -space iff

$$\begin{aligned} V < K \text{ is open (respt. closed) in } K &\iff & (4.12) \\ C \cap V \text{ is open (respt. closed) in } C &\text{ for} \\ \text{all compact subspaces } C &\text{ of } K. \end{aligned}$$

Proof.  $(4.12) \Rightarrow (4.3)'$ . Let  $V < K$  be such that  $g^{-1}(V)$  is open in  $C$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{J}(C, K)$ . This is so, in particular, whenever  $g$  is a subspace map in which case  $g^{-1}(V) = C \cap V$ . Because  $K$  is hausdorff all the compact subspaces of  $K$  are hausdorff, whence  $V$  is open in  $K$  by  $(4.12)$ . This verifies  $(4.3)'$ .

$(4.3)' \Rightarrow (4.12)$ . Suppose  $V < K$  is such that  $C \cap V$  is open in  $C$  for all compact subspaces  $C$  in  $K$ . Given any  $D \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{J}(D, K)$  there exists a canonical factorisation of  $g$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D & \xrightarrow{g} & K \\ & \searrow \eta & \nearrow i \\ & C & \end{array}$$

in  $\mathcal{J}$  with  $i$  a subspace map and  $\eta$  a surjection, which implies that  $C$  is a compact subspace of  $K$ .  $i^{-1}(V) = C \cap V$  is then open in  $C$  by hypothesis, so  $g^{-1}(V) = \eta^{-1}i^{-1}(V)$  is open in  $D$  by the continuity of  $\eta$ . Because  $D \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{J}(D, K)$  are arbitrary we have that  $V$  is open in  $K$  by  $(4.3)'$ . Hence  $(4.12)$  is established. The argument is exactly the same for 'closed' replacing 'open'.

This means that hausdorff  $\mathcal{K}$ -spaces are precisely (hausdorff)  $k$ -spaces as defined by R. Brown in [2], §2. Consequently  $\mathcal{K}$  contains the examples of this reference:

hausdorff topological spaces which are either locally compact, first countable or CW-complexes. Also, by Proposition 4.5 and [2], Proposition 2.5, there exist topological spaces which are not  $\mathcal{K}$ -spaces.

Proposition 4.6.

Any trivial topological space  $X$  — the only open sets are  $\emptyset$  and  $X$  — is a  $\mathcal{K}$ -space.

Proof. If  $V \subset X$  is neither  $\emptyset$  nor  $X$  let  $C$  be the closed interval of real numbers (usual topology) from 0 to 2,

$A = [0,1[$  be the interval 0 to 1, closed at 0 and open at 1,

$B = [1,2]$  be the interval 1 to 2, closed at both ends, and

$g : C \rightarrow X$  be defined by

$$g(A) = x \in X - V, \quad g(B) = y \in V.$$

Then  $g$  is continuous because  $X \in \mathcal{J}$  is trivial, and  $g^{-1}(V) = B$  is not open in  $C$ . Hence  $g^{-1}(V)$  open in  $C$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{J}(C, X)$  implies  $V = \emptyset$  or  $X$ , as required.

Similarly  $T = \{0,1\}$  is a  $\mathcal{K}$ -space — take  $C, A, B$  as above, with  $g : C \rightarrow T$  given by  $g(A) = 0, g(B) = 1$ . Then  $g$  is continuous and  $g^{-1}(1) = B$  is not open in  $C$ .

Note 4.7. Let  $\mathcal{J}_2$  and  $\mathcal{K}_2$  denote the full subcategories determined by the hausdorff objects in  $\mathcal{J}$  and in  $\mathcal{K}$  respectively. It is well-known that the "forgetful" embedding  $\mathcal{J}_2 \rightarrow \mathcal{J}$  has an adjoint  $H$  (see, for example, Freyd [5], Chapter 3, exercise K) and it can be shown that, for each  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ ,  $HX$  is obtained by making an identification in  $X$  (pointed out by G.M. Kelly in lectures on the existence of adjoints, 1966). Assuming this result we obtain a natural isomorphism

$$\mathcal{K}_2(HX, Y) \cong \mathcal{K}(X, Y) \text{ for all } X \in \mathcal{K}, Y \in \mathcal{K}_2 \quad (4.13)$$

by the fullness of the embedding  $\mathcal{K} \rightarrow \mathcal{J}$  and the closure of  $\mathcal{K}$  in  $\mathcal{J}$  under identification.

Note 4.8. In [7], lemma 5.5, E. Spanier shows that there exists a quasi-topological space  $\mathcal{P}$  with  $\mathcal{P} \not\cong \mathcal{X}$  in  $\mathcal{Q}$  for any  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ ; this implies that  $\mathcal{P} \not\cong \mathcal{X}$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  for any  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ . Because  $X = SX$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  by (4.8),  $\mathcal{K} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  is not a dense functor and thus is not a category equivalence.

## CHAPTER 5.

### Cartesian Closure of $\mathcal{K}$ .

For any quasi-topological base  $P$  and topological space  $X$  a function space topology is definable on  $\mathcal{P}(P, X)$  which enables theorem 3.3(1) to be established when  $A = \mathcal{K}$ .

Definition. Given  $P \in \mathcal{P}$ ,  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ ,  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P)$ ,  $h \in \mathcal{J}(X, T)$  let

$$V(g, h) = \{f \in \mathcal{P}(P, X) \mid hfg(C) = 0\} \quad (5.1)$$

The topology generated on  $\mathcal{P}(P, X)$  by the open subbase consisting of all these sets defines an object  $[P, X] \in \mathcal{J}$ .

Remark. When  $P = K$  is a hausdorff  $\mathcal{K}$ -space,  $[K, X]$  is clearly the set  $\mathcal{P}(K, X)$  ( $= \mathcal{J}(K, X)$ ) by proposition 4.1) together with the ordinary compact-open topology (as defined in Kelley [6] p.221); for each  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ , every  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, K)$  is continuous by (4.2) and factors canonically in  $\mathcal{J}$  through a unique compact hausdorff image in  $K$ . In particular, when  $K = C \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $[C, T]$  is the set  $\mathcal{J}(C, T)$  ( $\cong$  the set of closed sets of  $C$ ) with the topology generated by an open subbase comprising all subsets

$$V_A = \{f \in \mathcal{J}(C, T) \mid f(A) = 0\} \quad (5.2)$$

where  $A$  is a compact (= closed) subset of  $C$ .

Lemma 5.1  $(C, T) = [C, T]$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ .

Proof. We first show

$$\mathcal{I}(D \times C, T) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathcal{I}(D, [C, T]) \text{ for all } D \in \mathcal{C} \quad (5.3)$$

under the map  $G \mapsto g$  given by

$$g(b)(c) = G(b, c) \text{ for all } b \in D \text{ and } c \in C.$$

By (5.2), (5.3) is proved by showing that  $W = G^{-1}(0)$  is open in  $D \times C$  (that is,  $G$  is continuous) iff

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad \text{given any } b \in D, \text{ the set } g(b)^{-1}(0) &= \{c \in C \mid g(b)(c) = 0\} \\ &= \{c \in C \mid (b, c) \in W\} \end{aligned}$$

is open in  $C$  (that is,  $g(D) \subset \mathcal{I}(C, T)$ ), and

(b) given any compact  $A \subset C$ , the set

$$\begin{aligned} g^{-1}(V_A) &= \{b \in D \mid g(b) \in V_A\} \\ &= \{b \in D \mid g(b)(A) = 0\} \\ &= \{b \in D \mid G(b \times A) = 0\} \\ &= \{b \in D \mid b \times A \subset W\} \end{aligned}$$

is open in  $D$  (that is,  $g$  is continuous).

$\Rightarrow$ . (a) follows immediately from the continuity of the map  $c \mapsto (b, c)$  for each  $b \in D$ . Any point  $b_0 \in D$  is compact. Kelley [6], theorem 5.12 states that there then exist  $U = D$  open and  $V \subset C$  open such that  $b_0 \times A \subset U \times V \subset W$ , because  $A$  is compact and  $W$  is open. So  $b_0 \in U \subset \{b \in D \mid b \times A \subset W\}$  with  $U$  open in  $D$ , whence (b).

$\Leftarrow$  . For all  $(b_0, c_0) \in W$  the set  $\{c \in C \mid (b_0, c) \in W\}$  is open in  $C$  by (a) and contains  $c_0$ . Because  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $C$  is a regular topological space so there exist  $V$  open and  $A$  closed (hence compact) in  $C$  such that

$$c_0 \in V \subset A \subset \{c \in C \mid (b_0, c) \in W\} .$$

Thus  $b_0 \in U = \{b \in D \mid b \times A \subset W\}$ , which is open by (b). This means  $(b_0, c_0) \in U \times V \subset W$  whence  $W$  is open as required.

$$\mathcal{J}(D \times C, T) = \mathcal{P}(D \times C, T) \quad \text{and}$$

$$\mathcal{J}(D, [C, T]) = \mathcal{P}(D, [C, T]) \quad \text{by (4*2) hence,}$$

by definition of  $\mathcal{P}(D, (C, T))$  (see (3\*1)),

$$\mathcal{P}(D, (C, T)) = \mathcal{P}(D, [C, T]) \quad \text{for all } D \in \mathcal{C} .$$

The result follows from proposition 1\*1.

Lemma 5\*2. For each  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P)$  and  $h \in \mathcal{J}(X, T)$  the map  $\mathcal{P}(g, h) : [P, X] \rightarrow [C, T]$  is continuous.

Proof. Take a subbasic open set  $V_A$  of  $[C, T]$  for some compact  $A \subset C$ . Then

$$\mathcal{P}(g, h)^{-1}(V_A) = \{f \in \mathcal{P}(P, X) \mid \mathcal{P}(g, h)f = hfg \in V_A\}$$

$$= \{f \in \mathcal{P}(P, X) \mid hfg|_A = 0\} \quad \text{where}$$

$i: A \rightarrow C$  denotes the inclusion  $A \subset C$

$$= V(gi, h) \quad \text{by (5*1). Consequently}$$

$\mathcal{P}(g, h)^{-1}(V_A)$  is open in  $[P, X]$  by definition.

Theorem 5.3.

$(P, X) = [P, X]$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  for all  $P \in \mathcal{P}$ ,  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ .

Proof. For all  $C, D \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P)$ ,  $h \in \mathcal{J}(X, T)$  and  $f \in \mathcal{S}(D, \mathcal{P}(P, X))$  the diagrams

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 D \times C & \xrightarrow{f \times 1} & [P, X] \times C & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}(g, h) \times 1} & [C, T] \times C \\
 \downarrow 1 \times g & & \downarrow \mathcal{P} & & \downarrow e \\
 D \times P & \xrightarrow{f \times 1} & \mathcal{P}(P, X) \times P & \xrightarrow{e} & X \\
 & & & & \uparrow h \\
 & & & & T
 \end{array}$$

commute,

where  $e$  denotes the relevant evaluation map. (5.4)

Moreover  $e: [C, T] \times C \rightarrow T$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous (5.5)

by lemma 5.1 which states that  $[C, T] = (C, T)$ , and (3.2) which states that  $e: (C, T) \times C \rightarrow T$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -continuous.

Hence, for each  $C, D \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P)$ ,  $h \in \mathcal{J}(X, T)$  and  $f \in \mathcal{P}(D, \mathcal{P}(P, X))$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \kappa(f) &= D \times P \xrightarrow{f \times 1} \mathcal{P}(P, X) \times P \xrightarrow{e} X \in \mathcal{P}(D \times P, X) \text{ by (3.1)} \\
 \Rightarrow \kappa(\mathcal{P}(g, h)f) &= e(\mathcal{P}(g, h) \times 1)(f \times 1) \in \mathcal{P}(D \times C, T) \text{ by (5.4)} \\
 \Rightarrow \mathcal{P}(g, h)f &\in \mathcal{P}(D, (C, T)) \text{ by (3.1)} \\
 \Rightarrow \mathcal{P}(g, h)f &\in \mathcal{J}(D, [C, T]) \text{ by lemma 5.1 and (4.2)} \\
 \Rightarrow f^{-1}(V(g, h)) &\text{ is open in } D \text{ because}
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 (1) \quad \mathcal{P}(g,h)^{-1}(V_C) &= \{f \in \mathcal{P}(P,X) \mid \mathcal{P}(g,h)f \in V_C\} \\
 &= \{f \in \mathcal{P}(P,X) \mid hf g(C) = 0\} \quad \text{by (5.2)} \\
 &= V(g,h) \quad \text{by (5.1), and}
 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) the point  $V_C$  is open in  $[C,T]$  by definition.

Hence  $f \in \mathcal{I}(D,[P,X])$  by definition of  $[P,X]$ .

Conversely  $f \in \mathcal{I}(D,[P,X])$

$$\Rightarrow e(\mathcal{P}(g,h) \times 1)(f \times 1) \in \mathcal{P}(D \times C, T) = \mathcal{I}(D \times C, T) \quad \text{for all } C \in \mathcal{C}, g \in \mathcal{P}(C,P) \text{ and } h \in \mathcal{I}(X,T), \text{ because}$$

(i)  $e \in \mathcal{P}([C,T] \times C, T)$  by (5.5), and

(ii)  $\mathcal{P}(g,h) \in \mathcal{I}([P,X],[C,T])$  by lemma 5.2.

$$\Rightarrow he(f \times 1)(1 \times g) \in \mathcal{I}(D \times C, T) \quad \text{for all } C \in \mathcal{C}, g \in \mathcal{P}(C,P) \text{ and } h \in \mathcal{I}(X,T) \text{ by (5.4)}$$

$$\Rightarrow e(f \times 1)(1 \times g) \in \mathcal{I}(D \times C, X) \quad \text{for all } C \in \mathcal{C} \text{ and } g \in \mathcal{P}(C,P) \text{ by (4.1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow e(f \times 1)(1 \times g) \begin{pmatrix} l \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = e(f \times 1) \begin{pmatrix} l \\ g \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{I}(C, X) \quad \text{for all } C \in \mathcal{C}, g \in \mathcal{P}(C,P) \text{ and } l \in \mathcal{C}(C,D)$$

$$\Rightarrow \kappa(f) = e(f \times 1) \in \mathcal{P}(D \times P, X) \quad \text{by (1.1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{P}(D, (P,X)) \quad \text{by (3.1)}.$$

$$\text{Thus } \mathcal{P}(D, (P,X)) = \mathcal{I}(D, [P,X])$$

$$= \mathcal{P}(D, [P,X]) \quad \text{by (4.2), for}$$

all  $D \in \mathcal{C}$ , whence

$$(P,X) = [P,X] \quad \text{by proposition 1.1.}$$

Proposition 5.4.

$\mathcal{K}$  is a cartesian closed category.

Proof. By theorem 4.2 and proposition 3.4, it suffices to verify:

$$(i) \quad P \in \mathcal{P}, L \in \mathcal{K} \Rightarrow (P, L) \in \mathcal{K}.$$

Taking  $X = L \in \mathcal{K}$  in theorem 5.3, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} (P, L) &= [P, L] \text{ in } \mathcal{P} \\ &= S[P, L] \text{ in } \mathcal{P} \text{ by (4.8)} \\ &\in \mathcal{K} \text{ by (4.7), for all } P \in \mathcal{P}, \text{ as} \end{aligned}$$

required.

Alternative proof. The result also follows directly from lemma 5.1; by theorems 3.3 and 4.2, together with proposition 3.4, it suffices to verify:

$$(v) \quad C \in \mathcal{C}, P \in \mathcal{P} \Rightarrow C \underset{\mathcal{P}}{\times} SP = S(C \underset{\mathcal{P}}{\times} P) \text{ in } \mathcal{P}.$$

By definition of  $S$  (see (4.4)),  $C \underset{\mathcal{P}}{\times} SP$  and  $S(C \underset{\mathcal{P}}{\times} P)$  have identical underlying sets and

$$\mathcal{I}(S(C \underset{\mathcal{P}}{\times} P), T) = \mathcal{P}(C \underset{\mathcal{P}}{\times} P, T).$$

Also  $\mathcal{P}(C \underset{\mathcal{P}}{\times} P, T) \cong \mathcal{P}(P \underset{\mathcal{P}}{\times} C, T)$  by the natural commutativity of products

$$\cong \mathcal{P}(P, (C, T)) \text{ by proposition 3.1}$$

$$= \mathcal{P}(P, [C, T]) \text{ by lemma 5.1}$$

$$= \mathcal{I}(SP, [C, T]) \text{ by (4.5)}$$

$$= \mathcal{P}(SP, [C, T]) \text{ by proposition 4.1 since } SP \in \mathcal{K}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \mathcal{P}(SP, (C, T)) && \text{by lemma 5.1} \\
&\cong \mathcal{P}(SP \times_{\rho} C, T) && \text{by proposition 3.1} \\
&\cong \mathcal{P}(C \times_{\rho} SP, T) && \text{by the natural commutativity of} \\
&&& \text{products} \\
&= \mathcal{J}(C \times_{\rho} SP, T) && \text{by (4.3) because } C \times_{\rho} SP \in \mathcal{K} \\
&&& \text{by theorem 2.3(a).}
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\mathcal{J}(S(C \times_{\rho} P), T) = \mathcal{J}(C \times_{\rho} SP, T)$  which means that  $S(C \times_{\rho} P)$  and  $C \times_{\rho} SP$  have the same open sets, as required.

The reason for introducing  $[P, X]$  for each  $P \in \mathcal{P}$  and  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ , and then proving theorem 5.3, is to demonstrate the relationship of  $(P, X) \in \mathcal{P}$  to the compact-open topology when  $P = K \in \mathcal{K}_2$ .

Proposition 5.5.

$\mathcal{K}_2$  is a cartesian closed category.

Proof. For each  $Y \in \mathcal{J}$  we have

- (i)  $SY \in \mathcal{K}$  by (4.7), and
- (ii)  $1_Y \in \mathcal{J}(SY, Y)$  on taking  $P = Y$  in (4.5).

$$\text{Hence } Y \in \mathcal{J}_2 \Rightarrow SY \in \mathcal{K}_2 \quad (5.6)$$

Let  $P = K \in \mathcal{K}_2$  in  $[P, X]$ . It has already been remarked that  $[K, X]$  is the ordinary compact-open topology on the set  $\mathcal{J}(K, X)$ . Kelley [6], theorem 7.4, states, among other things, that  $[K, X]$  is hausdorff whenever the range space  $X$  is hausdorff. Hence, on taking  $X = L \in \mathcal{K}_2$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 (K, L) &= [K, L] \text{ in } \mathcal{P} \text{ by theorem 5.3} \\
 &= S[K, L] \text{ in } \mathcal{P} \text{ by (4.8)} \\
 &\in \mathcal{K}_2 \text{ by (5.6)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

It follows from theorem 4.2 and (4.13) that  $\mathcal{K}_2$  is a full reflective subcategory of  $\mathcal{P}$  hence, by theorem 2.3(a),  $K \times_{\mathcal{P}} L \in \mathcal{K}_2$  for all  $K, L \in \mathcal{K}_2$  and  $*$   $\in \mathcal{K}_2$ . Thus  $\mathcal{K}_2$  is a cartesian closed category by corollary 3.2.

Proposition 5.5 is obtained by R. Brown in [3], theorem 3.3, by direct topological calculation. This chapter is concluded with a useful consequence of proposition 5.4.

Corollary 5.6. The product in  $\mathcal{K}$  of two identification maps  $\eta \in \mathcal{K}(K, A)$  and  $\mu \in \mathcal{K}(L, B)$  is an identification map.

Proof. Products in any category are commutative (provided they exist); that is, we have natural isomorphisms

$$c_{AL}: A \times L \rightarrow L \times A$$

$$\text{and } c_{BA}: B \times A \rightarrow A \times B \text{ in } \mathcal{K}.$$

Each of the functors  $- \times L$  and  $- \times A: \mathcal{K} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}$  has a coadjoint, by proposition 5.4, hence preserves coequalisers in  $\mathcal{K}$  = identification maps in  $\mathcal{K}$  (see chapter 4).  $\eta \times \mu$  is thus the composite

$$K \times L \xrightarrow{\eta \times 1} A \times L \xrightarrow{c_{AL}} L \times A \xrightarrow{\mu \times 1} B \times A \xrightarrow{c_{BA}} A \times B$$

of identification maps. Since this is again an identification map, the result follows.

## CHAPTER 6.

### Concluding Remarks.

#### 1. $\mathcal{K}$ -space Groups.

The aim of the preceding chapters was to demonstrate the cartesian closure of the subcategories  $\mathcal{K}_2$ ,  $\mathcal{K}$  and  $\mathcal{L}$  of  $\mathcal{P}$  and, for  $\mathcal{K}$  and  $\mathcal{L}$ , this was achieved by establishing the results of theorem 3.3. The stronger consequences of this theorem will be indicated briefly below, for the category  $\mathcal{K}$ .

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  denote any one of the categories  $\mathcal{P}$ ,  $\mathcal{L}$ ,  $\mathcal{K}$ ,  $\mathcal{K}_2$ ,  $\mathcal{I}$ . An  $\mathcal{A}$ -group is defined to be an object  $A \in \mathcal{A}$  together with a group structure  $\mu$  in the ordinary sense on the underlying set of  $A$  such that the maps

- (i) multiplication  $\mu_A : A \times_A A \rightarrow A$ ,
- (ii) inversion  $\iota_A : A \rightarrow A$ , and
- (iii) identity  $\varepsilon_A : * \rightarrow A$ ,

determined by this group structure, are morphisms in  $\mathcal{A}$ . Given  $\mathcal{A}$ -groups  $A$  and  $B$ , an  $\mathcal{A}$ -group homomorphism from  $A$  to  $B$  is a map  $f \in \mathcal{A}(A, B)$  such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A \times_A A & \xrightarrow{\mu_A} & A \\
 \downarrow f \times f & & \downarrow f \\
 B \times_A B & \xrightarrow{\mu_B} & B
 \end{array}$$

commutes.

$\mathcal{A}$ -groups and  $\mathcal{A}$ -group homomorphisms form a subcategory  $\text{Gp } \mathcal{A}$  of  $\mathcal{A}$ ; for example,  $\text{Gp } \mathcal{J}$  is the category of topological groups and continuous homomorphisms between them. There may exist many  $\mathcal{A}$ -group structures on a given object  $A \in \mathcal{A}$ , hence the "forgetful" embedding  $\text{Gp } \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  is not object-injective.

If any functor  $\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  between two of the categories  $\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{Q}, \mathcal{K}, \mathcal{K}_2, \mathcal{J}$ , preserves all finite products (including the empty product  $*$ ) of objects in  $\mathcal{A}$  then it induces an obvious functor  $\text{Gp } \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \text{Gp } \mathcal{B}$ . In particular, the full embedding functors  $\mathcal{K}_2 \rightarrow \mathcal{K}$  and  $\mathcal{K} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  of chapter 4 are reflective, hence induce full embeddings  $\text{Gp } \mathcal{K}_2 \rightarrow \text{Gp } \mathcal{K}$  and  $\text{Gp } \mathcal{K} \rightarrow \text{Gp } \mathcal{P}$  respectively.

Proposition 6.1.

The full embedding  $\text{Gp } \mathcal{K} \rightarrow \text{Gp } \mathcal{P}$  is reflective.

Proof.  $\mathcal{K}$  was shown to be cartesian closed (see proposition 5.4) by verifying that  $\mathcal{K}$ , together with the adjoint functor  $S: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}$  and natural transformation  $\beta: 1 \rightarrow S$ , satisfied the conditions of theorem 3.3. Condition (iv) of this theorem states that  $S$  preserves all finite products of objects in  $\mathcal{P}$  (clearly  $S$  preserves the terminal object  $*$  of  $\mathcal{P}$  since it already lies in  $\mathcal{K}$ ) hence  $S$  induces a functor  $S': \text{Gp } \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \text{Gp } \mathcal{K}$ .

Moreover  $\beta_P: P \rightarrow SP$  is a  $\mathcal{P}$ -group homomorphism for each  $P \in \text{Gp } \mathcal{P}$ , because it is the identity set map by (4.6).

Thus

$$\text{Gp } \mathcal{P}(S'P, L) = \text{Gp } \mathcal{P}(P, L)$$

is immediate from

$$\mathcal{P}(\beta_P, 1): \mathcal{P}(SP, L) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathcal{P}(P, L),$$

for all  $P \in \text{Gp } \mathcal{P}$  and  $L \in \text{Gp } \mathcal{K}$ , as required for  $S'$  to be adjoint to  $\text{Gp } \mathcal{K} \rightarrow \text{Gp } \mathcal{P}$ .

This result is useful because several concepts of group theory can be simply imitated in  $\text{Gp } \mathcal{P}$ . For a  $\mathcal{K}$ -group  $K$  to be a topological group, it is clearly sufficient that

$$K \times_{\mathcal{K}} K = K \times_{\mathcal{J}} K \text{ in } \mathcal{J}.$$

We thus obtain, as examples of  $\mathcal{K}$ -groups, topological groups which are hausdorff and either locally compact or first countable (by [2], theorem 2.11, where R. Brown denotes  $K \times_{\mathcal{J}} K$  by  $K \times_c K$ ) and groups with the trivial topology.

## 2. A Representation of $\mathcal{P}$ .

$\mathcal{P}$  admits a representation as a category of functors. Let  $[\mathcal{C}^*, \mathcal{S}]$  denote the "category" whose objects are functors from  $\mathcal{C}^*$  to  $\mathcal{S}$  and whose morphisms are natural transformations between such functors (this is not a proper category in our sense of the word, because the

natural transformations between two functors may not form a set). For convenience, axiom Q1 will be used to identify  $\mathcal{P}(*, P)$  with the set  $P$  for each  $P \in \mathcal{P}$ .

An embedding  $E: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow [\mathcal{C}^*, \mathcal{S}]$  is given by

$$EP(C) = \mathcal{P}(C, P),$$

$$EP(g) = \mathcal{P}(g, 1): \mathcal{P}(D, P) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(C, P), \text{ and}$$

$$Ef(C) = \mathcal{P}(1, f): \mathcal{P}(C, P) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(C, Q), \text{ for}$$

all  $C, D \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $P, Q \in \mathcal{P}$ ,  $g \in \mathcal{C}(C, D)$  and  $f \in \mathcal{P}(P, Q)$ .

$E$  is faithful by axiom Q1. Moreover  $E$  is full: let  $\alpha: EP \rightarrow EQ$  be a natural transformation for some  $P$  and  $Q \in \mathcal{P}$ , and  $f = \alpha_*: P \rightarrow Q$  as a set map. Then, for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $a \in C = \mathcal{P}(*, C)$ , and  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P)$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} fg(a) &= \alpha_* g(a) \\ &= \alpha_* \mathcal{P}(a, 1)(g) \\ &= \mathcal{P}(a, 1) \alpha_C(g) \text{ by the naturality of } \alpha \\ &= \alpha_C(g)(a). \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $fg = \alpha_C(g) \in \mathcal{P}(C, Q)$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{P}(C, P)$ , whence  $f \in \mathcal{P}(P, Q)$  by (1.1) and  $\alpha_C = \mathcal{P}(1_C, f)$  for all  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ , as required.

The symbol  $E$  will now be omitted. The trivial base on a set  $X$  is defined to be  $TX$  where  $T$  is the coadjoint of  $U: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$  (see proposition 1.3(b)).



Proposition 6.2. A functor  $S \in [\mathcal{C}^*, \mathcal{S}]$  is a quasi-topological base iff it is a subfunctor of a trivial base.

Proof. Clearly any base  $P$  is a subfunctor of the associated trivial base TUP.

Conversely, let  $S: \mathcal{C}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$  be a functor,  $P$  a trivial base, and

$$\alpha: S \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(-, P) = \mathcal{S}(-, P)$$

be a natural transformation with all components  $\alpha_C$  injections.

In the natural map

$$S_{CD}: \mathcal{C}(D, C) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}(SC, SD),$$

which defines the functor  $S$  on morphisms, take  $D = * \in \mathcal{C}$  and define

$$s_C: SC \rightarrow \mathcal{S}(C, S^*)$$

as  $s_C(f)(a) = S_{C^*}(a)(f)$  for all  $f \in SC$  and  $a \in C$ .

It follows from the naturality of  $S_{CD}$  in each variable that  $s_C$  is natural in  $C$ . By the naturality of  $\alpha$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 SC & \xrightarrow{C} & \mathcal{S}(C, P) \\
 S_{C^*}(a) \downarrow & & \downarrow \mathcal{S}(a, I) \\
 S^* & \xrightarrow{\alpha_*} & \mathcal{S}(*, P)
 \end{array}$$

commutes for all  $a \in C$ .

(6.1)

For all  $f \in SC$  and  $a \in C$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\mathcal{S}(1, \alpha_*)_{S_C}(f))(a) &= \alpha_*(s_C(f)(a)) \\
 &= \alpha_*(S_{C^*}(a)(f)) \text{ by}
 \end{aligned}$$

definition of  $s_C$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (\alpha_* \circ s_{C^*}(a))(f) \\
 &= \mathcal{S}(a, 1)\alpha_C(f) \text{ by (6.1)} \\
 &= \alpha_C(f)(a) .
 \end{aligned}$$

In other words

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 SC & \xrightarrow{\alpha_C} & \mathcal{S}(C, P) \\
 & \searrow s_C & \uparrow \mathcal{S}(1, \alpha_*) \\
 & & \mathcal{S}(C, S^*)
 \end{array}$$

commutes, whence  $s_C$  is an injection for each  $C \in \mathcal{C}$  because each  $\alpha_C$  is an injection by hypothesis.

A quasi-topological base is now defined to be the set  $S^*$  together with  $\mathcal{P}(C, S^*) = SC = \mathcal{S}(C, S^*)$  for each  $C \in \mathcal{C}$ .

Axiom Q2. holds because, given any  $f \in \mathcal{C}(C, D)$  and  $g \in SD = \mathcal{P}(D, S^*)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 SD & \xrightarrow{s_D} & \mathcal{S}(D, P) \\
 \downarrow sf & & \downarrow \mathcal{S}(f, 1) \\
 SC & \xrightarrow{s_C} & \mathcal{S}(C, P)
 \end{array}$$

commutes by the naturality of  $s$ , hence  $gf \in SC = \mathcal{P}(C, S^*)$  by definition.

Q1. follows from Q2. since

$$\mathcal{S}(*, S^*) = S^* = \mathcal{P}(*, S^*) \text{ by definition.}$$

By definition of  $\mathcal{P} \rightarrow [\mathcal{C}^*, \mathcal{S}]$ ,  $S^*$  with this  $\mathcal{P}$ -structure is the required base.

It follows that the functors from  $\mathcal{C}^*$  to  $\mathcal{S}$  which represent quasi-topological spaces are those which

- (i) are subfunctors of trivial bases, and
- (ii) preserve all finite limits in  $\mathcal{C}^*$ .

### 3. Topological Spaces.

It is apparent from §2 that the process by which  $\mathcal{P}$  is constructed from  $\mathcal{C}$  depends to a very limited extent on special properties of the category  $\mathcal{C}$ . A similar process could be applied to any category which, like  $\mathcal{C}$ ,

(i) is a category of sets-with-structure and morphisms which are set maps, and

(ii) has a terminal generator which represents the underlying-set functor.

Two additional examples will be described.

Let  $\mathcal{F}$  denote the category of finite sets and set maps and  $\bar{\mathcal{F}}$  denote the category of simplicial complexes and simplicial maps ([4], IV, §7).  $\bar{\mathcal{F}}$  may be defined as follows. An object of  $\bar{\mathcal{F}}$  is a set  $U$  together with a selected set  $\bar{F}(n,U)$  of set maps  $n \rightarrow U$  for each  $n \in \mathcal{F}$ , satisfying:

$$\bar{F}1. \quad \bar{F}(*,U) = \mathcal{S}(*,U)$$

$$\bar{F}2. \quad f \in \mathcal{F}(m,n) \text{ and } g \in \bar{F}(n,U) \Rightarrow gf \in \bar{F}(m,U).$$

An element of  $\bar{\mathcal{F}}(U,V)$  is a set map  $f:U \rightarrow V$  such that  $g \in \bar{F}(n,U) \Rightarrow fg \in \bar{F}(n,V)$  for all  $n \in \mathcal{F}$ .  $\bar{\mathcal{F}}$  is then

cartesian closed in precisely the same manner in which  $\mathcal{P}$  is.

A second example -- suggested by G.M. Kelly -- arises from two deficiencies, the first of which is well-known.

Proposition 6.3.

$\mathcal{J}$  is not a cartesian closed category.

Proof. Let  $\mathbb{Q}$  be the rational numbers as a subspace of the real line (with the usual topology).  $- \times \mathbb{Q} : \mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{J}$  does not preserve the coequaliser (identification map)  $\mathbb{Q} \xrightarrow{2} \mathbb{Q}$  induced by identifying the integers  $\mathbb{Z}$  to a single point in  $\mathbb{Q}$  (Bourbaki [1], p.151, exercise 6). Thus  $- \times \mathbb{Q}$  does not have a coadjoint.

Secondly the embedding  $\mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$  is seen (chapter 4) to be of no value in applications where a space  $X \in \mathcal{J}$  is not allowed to be identified with its associated  $\mathcal{K}$ -space  $SX$ .

Suppose  $\mathcal{C}$  is replaced by  $\mathcal{J}$  itself and  $\bar{\mathcal{J}}$  is constructed in place of  $\mathcal{P}$ . Denote the sets defining an object  $A \in \bar{\mathcal{J}}$ , and satisfying the analogues of axioms Q1 and Q2, by  $\bar{T}(X, A)$  for each  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ . Then  $\mathcal{J}$  is fully embedded in a natural way in  $\bar{\mathcal{J}}$  which, like  $\mathcal{P}$ , is cartesian closed.

Can a smaller cartesian closed category  $\mathcal{V}$ , in which  $\mathcal{J}$  has a full limit preserving embedding, be obtained from  $\bar{\mathcal{J}}$ ? A suitable process for selecting such a full subcategory of  $\bar{\mathcal{J}}$  may be based on the way  $\mathcal{Q}$  is obtained

from  $\mathcal{P}$ . Consider the class of those colimits in  $\mathcal{J}$  which are preserved by  $- \times X : \mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{J}$  for each  $X \in \mathcal{J}$ . This contains all the set indexed coproducts in  $\mathcal{J}$ , together with a class  $\mathcal{E}$  of identification maps in  $\mathcal{J}$ . Take  $\mathcal{V}$  to be the full subcategory of  $\bar{\mathcal{J}}$  determined by those  $A \in \bar{\mathcal{J}}$  which satisfy:

V3. If  $X_\lambda \xrightarrow{\alpha_\lambda} \sum_A X_\lambda$  is a set indexed coproduct in  $\mathcal{J}$  then

$$f \in \bar{\mathcal{T}}(\sum_A X_\lambda, A) \iff f\alpha_\lambda \in \bar{\mathcal{T}}(X_\lambda, A) \text{ for each } \lambda \in A.$$

V4. If  $\eta \in \mathcal{J}(X, Y)$  belongs to  $\mathcal{E}$  then

$$f \in \bar{\mathcal{T}}(Y, A) \iff f\eta \in \bar{\mathcal{T}}(X, A).$$

The reflectivity of  $\mathcal{V}$  in  $\bar{\mathcal{J}}$  and the consequent cartesian closure of  $\mathcal{V}$  have recently been proved in a more general setting. The reflecting functor is not however given explicitly, as it is for the case  $F: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{Q}$  in chapter 1, and the proof of existence will not be given here.

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