

Difference–restriction algebras with operators

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'base':

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I: The algebras

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$$a \leq b \iff a \cdot b = a \quad (\text{same})$$

meet semilattice

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Category **DRA**

objects: difference–restriction algebras

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compatible: $a \triangleright b = b \triangleright a$

... but join does not have to exist!

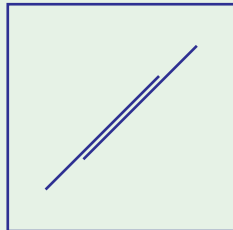
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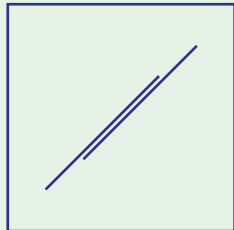
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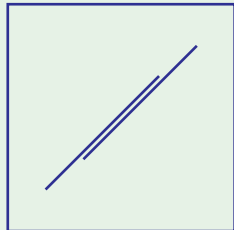
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II: From algebras to spaces

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$$F: \mathbf{DRA} \dashv ?^{\text{op}} \text{ (topological)}$$

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Example: functor F on objects

Example

- X, Y finite $|X| = |Y| = n$
- $|X \multimap Y| = (n+1)^n = 2^{n \log(n+1)}$
- μ prime: $\mu = \{f \mid (x, y) \in f\} \text{ some } (x, y) \in X \times Y$
- $\pi : X \times Y \twoheadrightarrow X$
 $(x, y) \mapsto x$
- $|\text{Prime}| = n^2$



III: The spaces

Hausdorff étale spaces

spaces X, X_0

Definition

Local homeomorphism: $\pi: X \rightarrow X_0$

$\forall x \in X \exists$ open neighbourhood $U \ni x$

- $\pi(U)$ open
- $\pi: U \rightarrow \pi(U)$ homeomorphism

Étale space: $\pi: X \rightarrow X_0$ **surjective** local homeomorphism

Hausdorff étale space: X (thus X_0) Hausdorff



Category of Hausdorff étale spaces

Category **HausEt**

object: Hausdorff étale space

morphism:

- continuous
- proper

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \longrightarrow & Y \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X_0 & \longrightarrow & Y_0 \end{array}$$

- preserves equivalence
- fibrewise injective
- fibrewise surjective

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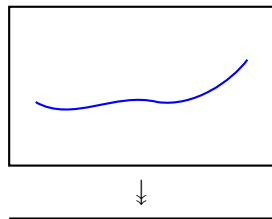
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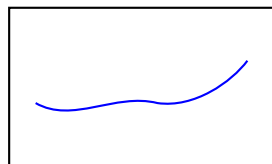
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G : compact open partial sections

Main result: Adjunction

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F and G on **morphisms** : “inverse image”

Theorem (Borlido, Kudryavtseva, McLean)

The functors $F: \mathbf{DRA} \rightarrow \mathbf{HausEt}^{\text{op}}$ and $G: \mathbf{HausEt}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathbf{DRA}$ form an adjunction.

That is

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every element of $G(F(\mathcal{A}))$ join of a finite compatible subset of (image)
of \mathcal{A}
finite join dense

1 + 2: $G(F(\mathcal{A}))$ is **finitary compatible completion** of \mathcal{A}

Restriction to a duality

$$F : \mathbf{C_{fin}DRA} \rightleftharpoons \mathbf{Stone^+Et^{op}} : G$$

C_{fin}DRA: finitarily compatibly complete

Stone⁺Et: locally compact + 0-dimensional

Theorem (Borlido, Kudryavtseva, McLean)

*There is a duality between **C_{fin}DRA** and **Stone⁺Et***

V: “with operators”

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Many natural examples: [composition](#), [domain](#), [range](#), ...

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