

59. A Remark on Baire's Theorem in Ranked Spaces

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The Baire's theorem in ranked spaces was studied by Prof. K. Kunugi in 1954. He showed then that in a topological space which is at the same time a complete ranked space the Baire's theorem holds ([1] p. 556). To be exact;

Theorem. *If a topological space E is a complete ranked space with indicator θ , then, for any well-ordered sequence*

$$G_0, G_1, \dots, G_\alpha, \dots; 0 \leq \alpha < \theta$$

of open¹⁾ and everywhere dense¹⁾ subsets in E , $\bigcap_\alpha G_\alpha$ is also everywhere dense¹⁾ in E .

This theorem is a generalization of Baire's theorem which states that every complete metric space, or every locally compact regular space is a Baire space ([1] p. 912).

In this note we shall show the existence of a complete ranked space in which Baire's theorem does not hold.

One of such spaces is the space \mathcal{D} , defined by L. Schwartz, consisting of all infinitely differentiable function φ with compact carrier ([3], [4] p. 587). We shall treat the case in which φ is of one variable, and use the same notation as that in the note [4].

First, we shall show the completeness of the ranked space \mathcal{D} . Let $\{\varphi_\nu + v(n_\nu, K_\nu; 0)\}_{\nu=0,1,2,\dots}$ be a fundamental sequence of neighbourhoods in \mathcal{D} ([6] p. 251). Then we have:

- (i) $K_0 \geq K_1 \geq K_2 \geq \dots \geq K_\nu \geq \dots$;
- (ii) $\text{car. } \varphi_{\nu+1} \subseteq \text{car. } \varphi_\nu \cup [-K_\nu, K_\nu]$;
- (iii) for each fixed non-negative integer n , $\{\varphi^{(n)}(x)\}_{\nu=0,1,2,\dots}$ ²⁾ converges uniformly to a continuous function $\varphi_n(x)$ on $(-\infty, \infty)$.

Therefore, there is a function φ in \mathcal{D} of which $\varphi^{(n)}(x) = \varphi_n(x)$ ($n=0, 1, 2, \dots$). It is easily seen that

$$\varphi \in \bigcap_\nu (\varphi_\nu + v(n_\nu, K_\nu; 0)).$$

Hence, \mathcal{D} is complete.

Next, for any non-negative integer K , let \mathcal{D}_K be the totality of φ in \mathcal{D} of which the carrier is contained in interval $[-K, K]$, and \mathcal{C}_K be the compliment of \mathcal{D}_K in \mathcal{D} . Then \mathcal{D}_K is r -closed ([5] p. 69) and

1) In the topological sense.

2) $\varphi^{(n)}$ denotes the n -th derivative of φ , and $\varphi^{(0)}$ means φ .