# Notes on induced maps of Moore families

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Let  $\tilde{S}$  and  $\tilde{T}$  be Moore families on S and T respectively. Then a map  $F: S \longrightarrow T$  induces maps  $F_*: \tilde{S} \longrightarrow \tilde{T}$  and  $F^*: \tilde{T} \longrightarrow \tilde{S}$ . We study the lattice theoretic properties of these maps. In the latter half we treat inductive limits which will be applied in [3] to study ideals of germs of functions and their 'zero filters'.

# Lattices of Moore families

A lattice L is called complete if it contains the least upper bound  $\bigvee_{\lambda \in A} a_{\lambda}$  and the greatest lower bound  $\bigwedge_{\lambda \in A} a_{\lambda}$  for any subset  $\{a_{\lambda}\}_{\lambda \in A} \subset L$ . Let  $\mathfrak{m}$  be a cardinal number greater than 1 and let  $\Phi: L \longrightarrow L'$  be a map of complete lattices. We define  $\Phi$  to be an  $(\mathfrak{m} \bigvee)$ -morphism (or to be  $(\mathfrak{m} \vee)$ -continuous) if  $\Phi(\bigvee_{a \in A} a_{a}) = \bigvee_{a \in A} \Phi(a_{a})$  holds for any subset  $\{a_{a}\}_{a \in A} \subset L$  such that  $\#A \leq \mathfrak{m}$ . If L is  $(\mathfrak{m} \vee)$ -continuous for any  $\mathfrak{m} \geq 2$ we define it an  $(\forall \lor)$ -morphism (or  $(\forall \lor)$ -continuous). For the sake of convenience, we call an order preserving map a  $(1 \lor)$ -morphism (or  $(1 \lor)$ -continuous). Dually we can define  $(\mathfrak{m} \land)$ -morphisms. If  $\Phi$  is both  $(\mathfrak{m} \vee)$ -continuous and  $(\mathfrak{n} \wedge)$ -continuous we call it an  $(\mathfrak{m} \vee, \mathfrak{n} \wedge)$ morphism (or  $(\mathfrak{m} \vee, \mathfrak{n} \wedge)$ -continuous).

Let S be a set and  $\tilde{S} = \{X_{\lambda}\}_{\lambda \in A}$  be a subfamily of the family P(S)of all subsets of S.  $\tilde{S}$  is called a Moore family on S if it contains S and  $\bigcap_{i \in K} X_i$  for any  $K \subset \Lambda$  (cf. [1]). A Moore family forms a complete lattice with respect to the order of inclusion. Let  $c: P(S) \longrightarrow \tilde{S}$  be the associated closure operation defined by  $c(X) = \bigcap Y$ . If Y = c(X) $Y \supset X$  $Y \in S$ 

we say that X (or its elements) generates Y. If an element of S is

generated by one point of S, it is called *principal*. Let  $\tilde{S}$  and  $\tilde{T}$  be Moore families on S and T respectively and  $\varphi : S \longrightarrow T$  be a map. We define the *direct induced map* (or ideal map)  $\varphi_* : \tilde{S} \longrightarrow \tilde{T}$  and the *inverse* one  $\varphi^* : \tilde{T} \longrightarrow \tilde{S}$  by  $\varphi^*(X) = c\{\varphi(X)\}, \ \varphi^*(Y) = c\{\varphi^{-1}(Y)\}\}$ . Of course these are order-preserving  $((1 \lor)$ -continuous). Let us consider the following conditions about  $\varphi$ :

(a)  $\varphi^{-1}(Y) \in \tilde{S}$  (*i.e.*  $\varphi^*(Y) = \varphi^{-1}(Y)$  for any  $Y \in \tilde{T}$ ).

(a')  $\varphi(X) \in \tilde{T}$  (i.e.  $\varphi_*(X) = \varphi(X)$  for any  $X \in \tilde{S}$ ).

(b)  $\varphi^* \circ \varphi_*(X) = X \lor \varphi^*(O)$  for any  $X \in S$ , where O denotes the minimal element of  $\tilde{T}$ .

(a) is a fairly natural condition: it is satisfied in many practical cases.

**1 Lemma.** Let  $\varphi: S \longrightarrow T$  and  $\psi: R \longrightarrow S$  be maps of sets with Moore families. Suppose that  $\varphi$  satisfies (a). Then we have the following:

(i)  $c\{\varphi(A)\} = c\{\varphi(c(A))\}$  for any  $A \subseteq S$ .

(ii)  $(\varphi \circ \psi)_* = \varphi_* \circ \psi_*, \quad (\varphi \circ \psi)^* = \psi^* \circ \varphi^*.$ 

(iii)  $\varphi_* \circ \varphi^*(\mathcal{O}) = \mathcal{O}, \ \varphi_*(\mathcal{O}) = \mathcal{O}, \ \psi^* \circ \psi_*(R) = R, \ \psi^*(S) = R.$ 

(iv) If  $\varphi$  is surjective,  $\varphi_*$  is also so.

(v) If  $\varphi_*$  is surjective,  $\varphi_* \circ \varphi^*$  is the identity and hence  $\varphi_*(S) = T$ .

Proof. (i)  $\varphi^{-1}(c \{\varphi(A)\}) = c \{\varphi^{-1}(c \{\varphi(A)\})\} \supset c(A)$ . Hence  $c \{\varphi(A)\} = c \circ c \{\varphi(A)\} \supset c \{\varphi(c(A)\}\} \supset c \{\varphi(A)\}$  and  $c \{\varphi(A)\} = c \{\varphi(c(A))\}$ . (ii), (iii), (iv) We omit the proofs. (v) If  $Y \in \tilde{T}$  there exists  $X \in \tilde{S}$  such that  $\varphi_*(X) = Y$ . Then we have

$$Y \supset c \{\varphi(\varphi^{-1}(Y))\} = \varphi_* \circ \varphi^*(Y) = \varphi_* \circ \varphi^* \circ \varphi_*(X) \supset \varphi_*(X) = Y_*$$

proving that  $\varphi_* \circ \varphi^*$  is the identity,

q. e. d.

**2 Theorem.** Let  $\varphi : S \longrightarrow T$  be a map of sets with Moore families. (i) If  $\varphi$  satisfies (a),  $\varphi_*$  is  $(\forall \lor)$ -continuous and  $\varphi^*$  is  $(\forall \land)$ -continuous.

(ii) If  $\varphi$  satisfies (a), (b) and if  $\varphi_*$  is surjective then  $\varphi^*$  is  $(\forall \lor, \forall \land)$ -continuous.  $\varphi_*$  and  $\varphi^*$  induces mutually inverse  $(\forall \lor, \forall \land)$ -morphisms between  $\tilde{T}$  and  $\tilde{S}/\varphi^*(O) = \{X \lor \varphi^*(O) : X \in \tilde{S}\}$ .

(iii) Suppose that  $\varphi$  satisfies (a) and (b),  $\varphi_*$  is surjective and that  $\varphi^*$ (O) $\lor (\bigwedge X_{\lambda}) = \bigwedge \{\varphi^*(O) \lor X_{\lambda}\}$  holds for any  $\{X_{\lambda}\} \subset \tilde{S}$  such that  $\#\{X_{\lambda}\} \leq \mathfrak{m}$ . Then  $\varphi_*$  is  $(\forall \lor, \mathfrak{m} \land)$ -continuous.

*Remark.* If L is a complete lattice and if  $a \in L$ ,  $L/a = \{x \setminus a : x \in L\}$  is a complete lattice with respect to the induced order. Its  $\forall a_i$  and  $\land a_i$  coincide with those in L.

*Proof.* (i) If  $\{X_i\} \subset \tilde{S}$  and  $\{Y_i\} \subset \tilde{T}$ ,

$$\begin{split} \varphi_*(\bigvee X_{\iota}) \supset & \bigvee \varphi_*(X_{\iota}) \supset \varphi_* \circ \varphi^*(\bigvee \varphi_*(X_{\iota})) \supset \varphi_*(\bigvee \varphi^* \circ \varphi_*(X_{\iota})) \supset \\ \varphi_*(\bigvee X_{\iota}), \\ \varphi^*(\land Y_{\iota}) \subset & \land \varphi^*(Y_{\iota}) \subset \varphi^* \circ \varphi_*(\land \varphi^*(Y_{\iota})) \subset \varphi^* \circ (\land \varphi_* \circ \varphi^*(Y_{\iota})) \subset \\ \varphi^*(\land Y_{\iota}). \end{split}$$

These prove the assertions.

(ii) By (1; v),  $\varphi_*$  and  $\varphi^*$  induce mutually inverse order isomorphisms between T and  $S/\varphi^*(O)$ . It is easy to see that order isomorphisms are  $(\forall \lor, \forall \land)$ -continuous. (iii) If  $\#\{X_i\} \leq \mathfrak{m}$ ,

$$\varphi^*(\bigwedge \varphi_*(X_{\lambda})) = \bigwedge \varphi^* \circ \varphi_*(X_{\lambda}) = \bigwedge (X_{\lambda} \lor \varphi^*(\mathcal{O}))$$
$$= (\bigwedge X_{\lambda}) \lor \varphi^*(\mathcal{O}) = \varphi^* \circ \varphi_*(\bigwedge X_{\lambda}).$$

Hence  $\wedge \varphi_*(X_i) = \varphi_*(\wedge X_i)$  by (1; v) *i.e.*  $\varphi$  is  $(\mathfrak{m} \wedge)$ -continuous, q. e. d.

Let us call a Moore family  $\tilde{S}$  finitary if its associated closure operation c is finitary *i.e.*  $X \subset S$  belongs to  $\tilde{S}$  if  $c(Y) \subset X$  for any finite subset Y of X. The following is known (cf. [1, VIII, §4]):

**3 Lemma.** (i) If  $\tilde{S}$  is finitary and if  $\{X_{\lambda}\} \subset \tilde{S}$  is a directed subset,  $\bigcup X_{\lambda} \in \tilde{S}$ .

(ii) If  $\tilde{S}$  is finitary and if  $x \in c(A)$  there exists a finite subset F of A such that  $x \in c(F)$ .

**4.** Proposition. Let  $\varphi: S \longrightarrow T$  satisfy (a) and (a'). (i) If  $\varphi$  is surjective and if  $\tilde{S}$  is finitary,  $\tilde{T}$  is finitary. (ii) If  $\varphi$  is injective and if  $\tilde{T}$  is finitary,  $\tilde{S}$  is finitary.

The proof is easy.

*Example* 1. Let  $\tilde{E}$  be the set of ideals of a commutative ring E with unity 1.  $\tilde{E}$  is a finitary Moore family. Suppose that  $\varphi: E \longrightarrow F$  is a unitary  $(\varphi(1)=1)$  ring homomorphism. Then we have the following. (i)  $\varphi$  satisfies (a).

(ii) If  $\varphi$  is surjective it satisfies (a), (a') and (b).

(iii) If F is flat over E,  $\varphi_*$  is  $(\forall \lor, 2 \land)$ -continuous (cf. [2]).

*Example* 2. The set  $\tilde{L}$  of ideals of a lattice L is a finitary Moore family.  $A(2 \lor)$ -morphism of lattices  $\varphi: L \longrightarrow K$  satisfies (a). A surjective  $(2 \land)$ -morphism satisfies (a').

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*Example* 3. Let  $\tilde{P}(A)$  be the family of nonvoid dual ideals of the complete Boolean lattice P(A) of A (cf. [1]). Of course this is a finitary Moore family on P(A). It is just the family of filters on A except the maximal element  $P(A) \in \tilde{P}(A)$ . If  $f: B \longrightarrow A$  is a map we can define a map  $\varphi = \varphi_f: P(A) \longrightarrow P(B)$  by  $\varphi(\cdot) = f^{-1}(\cdot)$ .  $\varphi$  satisfies (a) and (b). If  $c\{x\}$  is a principal dual ideal of P(A) we have  $\bigwedge_{A} (c\{x\} \bigvee X_{\lambda}) = c\{x\} \bigvee (\bigwedge_{A} X_{\lambda})$  for any  $\{X_{\lambda}\} \subset \tilde{P}(A)$ . Since  $O_{P(B)} = \{B\}$  and  $\varphi^*(O_{P(B)}) = c\{f(B)\}$  is principal,  $\bigwedge_{A} \{\varphi^*(O_{P(B)}) \lor X_{\lambda}\} = \varphi^*(O_{P(B)}) \lor (\bigwedge_{A} X_{\lambda})$ . Then  $\varphi$  is surjective (and satisfies (a') also). Hence  $\varphi_*$  and  $\varphi^*$  are  $(\forall \bigvee, \forall \wedge)$ -continuous in this case.

#### Inductive limits of sets with Moore families.

In the first section we have studied the importance of the condition (a). Here we treat inductive systems in the category  $\mathscr{M}$  whose objects are sets with Moore families and whose morphisms are maps satisfying (a). It is easy to see that a morphism is an epimorphism (resp. a monomorphism) if it is set-theoretically so. By (1; ii) the correspondences  $(S, \varphi) \longrightarrow (\tilde{S}, \varphi_*)$  and  $(S, \varphi) \longrightarrow (\tilde{S}, \varphi^*)$  are respectively a covariant and a contravariant functor from  $\mathscr{M}$  into the category of ordered sets (suitably defined). We always assume that the index set  $\Lambda$  of an inductive system is a directed set.

**5.** Theorem.  $\ddagger$  An inductive system  $\{S_{\lambda}, \varphi_{\mu\lambda}\}$  in  $\mathscr{M}$  has an inductive limit  $\lim S_{\mu}$  unique up to isomorphism. That is, if  $\varphi_{\lambda}: S_{\lambda} \longrightarrow \lim S_{\mu}$  are the set-theoretical inductive maps, there exists a Moore family  $(\lim S_{\mu})^{\sim}$  on  $\lim S_{\mu}$  such that:

(i)  $\varphi_{\lambda}$  are morphisms.

(ii) There exists a unique morphism  $\lim \psi_{\mu} \colon \lim S_{\mu} \longrightarrow T$  with  $\lim \psi_{\mu} \circ \varphi_{\mu} = \psi_{\lambda}$  for any given system  $\{\psi_{\mu} : S_{\mu} \longrightarrow T\}$  of morphisms satisfying  $\psi_{\mu} \circ \varphi_{\mu\lambda} = \psi_{\lambda}$ .

Proof. We have only to put

 $(\lim S_{\mu})^{\sim} = \{X \in P(\lim S_{\mu}) : \varphi_{\lambda}^{-1}(X) \in \tilde{S}_{\lambda} \text{ for any } \lambda \in \Lambda\}.$ 

Remark. If  $M \subset \Lambda$  is a cofinal set,

 $(\lim S_{\mu})^{\sim} = \{x \in P(\lim S_{\mu}) : \varphi_{\lambda}^{-1}(X) \in \tilde{S}_{\lambda} \text{ for any } \lambda \in M\}.$ 

**6** Proposition. Suppose that all  $\tilde{S}_{\lambda}$  are finitary. Then we have the following:

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(i)  $\varphi_{\lambda*}(X) = \bigcup_{\mu \ge \lambda} \varphi_{\mu}(\varphi_{\mu\lambda*}(X)).$ (ii)  $\varphi_{\lambda'}^{*} \circ \varphi_{\lambda*}(X) = \bigcup_{\mu \ge \lambda, \lambda'} \varphi_{\mu\lambda'}^{-1}(\varphi_{\mu\lambda*}(X)).$ (iii) If all  $\varphi_{\mu\lambda}$  satisfy (b),  $\varphi_{\lambda}$  do also so. Proof. (i) Let us put  $\bigcup_{\mu \ge \lambda} \varphi_{\mu}(\varphi_{\mu\lambda*}(X)) = A.$  Then  $\varphi_{\lambda'}^{-1}(A) = \bigcup_{\mu \ge \lambda} \varphi_{\lambda'}^{-1} \circ \varphi_{\mu}(\varphi_{\mu\lambda*}(X)) = \bigcup_{\mu \ge \lambda} \bigcup_{\nu \ge \mu, \lambda'} \varphi_{\nu\lambda'}^{-1} \circ \varphi_{\nu\mu}(\varphi_{\mu\lambda*}(X))$   $\subset \bigcup_{\nu \ge \lambda, \lambda'} \varphi_{\nu\lambda'}^{-1} \circ \varphi_{\nu}(\varphi_{\nu\lambda*}(X)) \subset \bigcup_{\nu \ge \lambda, \lambda'} \varphi_{\lambda'}^{-1} \circ \varphi_{\nu}(\varphi_{\nu\lambda*}(X)) \subset \varphi_{\lambda'}^{-1}(\varphi_{\nu\lambda*}(X))$   $\subset \bigcup_{\nu \ge \lambda, \lambda'} \varphi_{\nu\lambda'}^{-1} \circ \varphi_{\nu}(\varphi_{\nu\lambda*}(X)) = \varphi_{\lambda'}^{-1}(\bigcup_{\nu \ge \lambda, \lambda'} \varphi_{\nu}(\varphi_{\nu\lambda*}(X))) \subset \varphi_{\lambda'}^{-1}(A).$ Hence  $\varphi_{\lambda'}^{-1}(A) = \bigcup_{\nu \ge \lambda, \lambda'} \varphi_{\nu\lambda'}^{-1}(\varphi_{\nu\lambda*}(X)) \in \tilde{S}_{\lambda'}$  by (3). Then  $A \in (\lim S_{\mu})^{\sim}.$ 

Since  $\varphi_{\iota}(X) \subset A \subset \varphi_{\iota*}(X)$ , we have  $A = \varphi_{\iota*}(X)$ .

(ii) is obvious from the above calculation.

(iii) Since  $\varphi_{\mu\lambda*}(O_{\lambda}) = O_{\mu}$  and  $\varphi_{\lambda*}(O_{\lambda}) = O$ , we have

$$\begin{split} \varphi_{\lambda}^{*} \circ \varphi_{\lambda*} \left( X \right) &= \bigvee_{\mu \geq \lambda} \varphi_{\mu\lambda}^{*} \circ \varphi_{\mu\lambda*} \left( X \right) = \bigvee_{\mu \geq \lambda} \left( X \lor \varphi_{\mu\lambda}^{*} \left( \mathcal{O}_{\mu} \right) \right) \\ &= X \lor \left( \bigvee_{\mu \geq \lambda} \varphi_{\mu\lambda}^{*} \left( \mathcal{O}_{\mu} \right) \right) = X \lor \left( \bigvee_{\mu \geq \lambda} \varphi_{\mu\lambda}^{*} \circ \varphi_{\mu\lambda*} \left( \mathcal{O}_{\lambda} \right) \right) \\ &= X \lor \varphi_{\lambda}^{*} \left( \mathcal{O} \right), \end{split}$$
q. e. d.

For the application in [3], we consider the following condition: (C) (i)  $\varphi_{\mu\lambda*}(S_{\lambda}) = S_{\mu}$  for any  $\mu \ge \lambda$ .

- (ii)  $\varphi_{\lambda}(X) = \varphi_{\mu}(\varphi_{\mu\lambda*}(X))$  for any  $\mu \ge \lambda$  and  $X \in \tilde{S}_{\lambda}$ .
- (ii) is equivalent to the following: (ii)' If  $X \in \tilde{S}_{\lambda}$  and  $b \in \varphi_{\mu\lambda}(X)$ , there exist  $\nu \ge \mu$  and  $a \in X$  such that  $\varphi_{\nu\lambda}(a) = \varphi_{\nu\mu}(b)$ .

**7 Proposition.** If  $\{S_{\lambda}, \varphi_{\mu\lambda}\}$  satisfies (C) and if all  $\tilde{S}_{\lambda}$  are finitary, then  $\varphi_{\lambda}$  are epimorphisms,  $\varphi_{\lambda}$  satisfy (a') and (lim  $S_{\mu}$ )<sup>~</sup> is also finitary.

Proof. Obvious from (6; i) and (4; i).

Let  $\{S_{\lambda}, \varphi_{\mu\lambda}\}$  and  $\{T_{\lambda}, \psi_{\mu\lambda}\}$  be inductive systems in  $\mathscr{M}$  and  $\zeta_{\lambda}: S_{\lambda} \longrightarrow T_{\lambda}$  be morphisms satisfying  $\zeta_{\mu} \circ \varphi_{\mu} = \psi_{\lambda\mu} \circ \zeta_{\lambda}$  for any  $\mu \ge \lambda$ .

8 Theorem. (i)  $(\lim \zeta_{\mu})_* \circ \varphi_{i*} = \psi_{i*} \circ \zeta_{i*}, \quad \varphi_i^* \circ (\lim \zeta_{\mu})^* = \zeta_i^* \circ \psi_i^*.$ (ii) If  $\varphi_{i*}$  is surjective,

$$(\lim \zeta_{\mu})_{*} = \psi_{i*} \circ \zeta_{i*} \circ \varphi_{i}^{*}, \quad (\lim \zeta_{\mu})^{*} = \varphi_{i*} \circ \zeta_{i}^{*} \circ \psi_{i}^{*}.$$

(iii) Suppose that all  $\tilde{T}_{\mu}$  are finitary,  $\psi_{\lambda}$  satisfies (b),  $\varphi_{\lambda*}$  is surjective and that  $\zeta_{*}^{*} \circ \psi_{\nu \lambda*}(Y) \subset \varphi_{\nu \lambda*} \circ \zeta_{\lambda}^{*}(Y)$  for all  $\nu \geq \lambda$  (or for all  $\nu \geq \lambda$  of a cofinal subset of A). Then  $(\lim \zeta_{\mu})^* \circ \psi_{\lambda*} = \varphi_{\lambda*} \circ \zeta_{\lambda}^*$ . (iv) Suppose that all  $\tilde{S}_{\mu}$  and  $\tilde{T}_{\mu}$  are finitary,  $\varphi_{\lambda}$  and  $\psi_{\lambda}$  satisfy (b) and that  $\varphi_{\lambda*}$  and  $\psi_{\lambda*}$  are surjective. If  $\zeta_{\lambda*} \circ \varphi_{\nu\lambda}^*(O_{\nu}) \supset \psi_{\nu\lambda}^*(O_{\nu})$  holds for any  $\nu \geq \lambda$  we have  $\psi_{\lambda}^* \circ (\lim \zeta_{\mu})_* = \zeta_{\lambda*} \circ \varphi_{\lambda}^*$ . Moreover if  $\zeta_{\lambda*}$  is  $(\mathfrak{m} \bigvee, \mathfrak{n} \bigwedge)$ continuous,  $(\lim \zeta_{\mu})_*$  is also so.

(v) Suppose the same as the first sentence of (iv) and that  $\zeta_{\lambda}^* \circ \psi_{\lambda}^*(O_{\nu}) \supset \varphi_{\nu\lambda}^*(O_{\nu})$  holds for any  $\nu \geq \lambda$ . If  $\zeta_{\lambda}^*$  is  $(\mathfrak{m} \bigvee, \mathfrak{n} \wedge)$ -continuous,  $(\lim \zeta_{\mu})^*$  is also so.

*Proof.* (i) is obvious from (1; ii).

(ii)  $(\lim \zeta_{\mu})_{*} = (\lim \zeta_{\mu})_{*} \circ \varphi_{\lambda} \circ \varphi_{\lambda}^{*} = \psi_{\lambda} \circ \zeta_{\lambda} \circ \varphi_{\lambda}^{*}.$  $(\lim \zeta_{\mu})^{*} = \varphi_{\lambda} \circ \varphi_{\lambda}^{*} \circ (\lim \zeta_{\mu})^{*} = \varphi_{\lambda} \circ \zeta_{\lambda}^{*} \circ \psi_{\lambda}^{*}.$ 

(iii) 
$$(\lim \zeta_{\mu})^{*} \circ \psi_{\lambda*}(Y) = \psi_{\lambda*} \circ \zeta_{\lambda}^{*}(Y \setminus \psi_{\lambda}^{*}(O)) = c \{ \varphi_{\lambda} \circ \zeta_{\lambda}^{-1}(c \{Y \cup \psi_{\lambda}^{-1}(O)\}) \}.$$

If  $x \in \varphi_{\lambda} \circ \zeta_{\lambda}^{-1}(c \{Y \cup \psi_{\lambda}^{-1}(O)\})$ ,  $x \in \varphi_{\lambda} \circ \zeta_{\lambda}^{-1}(c \{Y \cup F\})$  for some finite subset  $F \subset \psi_{\lambda}^{-1}(O)$  by (3). Then

$$x \in \varphi_{\nu} \circ \varphi_{\nu\lambda} \circ \zeta_{\lambda}^{-1}(c\{Y \cup F\}) \subset \varphi_{\nu} \circ \zeta_{\nu}^{-1} \circ \psi_{\nu\lambda}(c\{Y \cup F\})$$
$$\subset \varphi_{\nu,\nu} \circ \zeta_{\nu}^{*} \circ c\{\psi_{\nu\lambda}(Y \cup F)\}.$$

Since  $F \subset \phi_{\lambda}^* \circ \phi_{\lambda*}(O_{\lambda}) = \bigcup_{\nu \geq \lambda} \phi_{\nu\lambda}^*(O_{\nu}), \quad F \subset \phi_{\nu\lambda}^*(O) \text{ for some } \nu.$  Then  $\phi_{\nu\lambda}(F) \subset \phi_{\nu\lambda*} \circ \phi_{\nu\lambda}^*(O_{\nu}) = O_{\nu} \subset \phi_{\nu\lambda*}(Y).$  Hence

$$x \in \varphi_{*} \circ \zeta_{*}^{*} \circ \psi_{*} \circ (Y) \subset \varphi_{*} \circ \varphi_{*} \circ \varphi_{*} \circ \zeta_{*}^{*} (Y) = \varphi_{*} \circ \zeta_{*}^{*} (Y).$$

This proves that  $(\lim \zeta_{\mu})^* \circ \psi_{i*}(Y) \subset \varphi_{i*} \circ \zeta_i^*(Y)$ . The converse inclusion is obvious.

(iv) Since

$$\zeta_{\lambda*} \circ \varphi_{\lambda}^{*}(X) \supset \zeta_{\lambda*} \circ \varphi_{\lambda}^{*}(O) = \zeta_{\lambda*} (\bigcup_{\nu \geq \lambda} \varphi_{\nu\lambda}^{-1}(O_{\nu})) \supset \bigcup_{\nu \geq \lambda} \zeta_{\lambda*} \circ \varphi_{\lambda\nu}^{*}(O_{\nu})$$
$$\supset \bigcup_{\nu \geq \lambda} \varphi_{\nu\lambda}^{*}(O_{\nu}) = \varphi_{\lambda}^{*}(O)$$

by (6), we have

$$\psi_{\lambda}^{*} \circ (\lim \zeta_{\mu})_{*} (X) = \psi_{\lambda}^{*} \circ \psi_{\lambda} \circ \zeta_{\lambda} \circ \varphi_{\lambda}^{*} (X) = \zeta_{\lambda} \circ \varphi_{\lambda}^{*} (X) \vee \psi_{\lambda}^{*} (O)$$
  
=  $\zeta_{\lambda} \circ \varphi_{\lambda}^{*} (X).$ 

The second assertion follows from (2; ii) and (8; ii). (v) is quite similar to (iv), q. e. d.

9 Corollary. Suppose that  $\varphi_{\lambda}$  is an epimorphism and  $\zeta_{\lambda}$  and  $\psi_{\lambda}$  satisfy (a'). Then  $\lim \zeta_{\mu}$  satisfies (a') also.

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- † If a finitary Moore family forms a distributive lattice, it is Brouwerian (a generalization of the theorem of M. H. Stone, cf. [1; (V, 10)]). Hence  $Y \vee (X_1 \wedge X_2) = (Y \vee X_1) \wedge (Y \vee X_2)$ ,  $Y \wedge (\bigvee X_1) = \bigvee (Y \wedge X_1)$  for any  $Y, X_1, X_2, X_1 \in \tilde{P}(A)$ .
- <sup>‡</sup> Let  $\mathfrak{m}$  be a cardinal and  $C(\mathfrak{m}\vee)$  be the category of  $(\mathfrak{m}\vee)$ -semilattice : the objects are ordered sets having  $\vee a_1$  for any subset  $\{a_1\}$  satisfying  $\sharp\{a_1\}\leq\mathfrak{m}$  and the morphisms are  $(\mathfrak{m}\vee)$ continuous maps. Any inductive system in  $C(2\vee)$  has an inductive limit in it (false for infinite  $\mathfrak{m}$ ). In our case lim  $\tilde{S}_{\mu}$  has the canonical structure of  $(2\vee)$ -semilattice and the canonical map  $\theta$ : lim  $\tilde{S}_{\mu} \longrightarrow (\lim S_{\mu})^{\sim}$  is  $(2\vee)$ -continuous.

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