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# MEASURABLE OR CONDENSING MULTIVALUED MAPPINGS AND RANDOM FIXED POINT THEOREMS

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## 0. Introduction

Various results on random fixed point theorems were given by many authors (cf. Bharucha-Reid [1, 2], Itoh [7, 8], Engl [3, 4] and their references). In [8] almost all known fixed point theorems (e.g. for nonexpansive or condensing mappings) were extended to random cases (except for contraction mappings that is due to Špaček [16] and Hanš [5]) on general measurable spaces. Similar results were obtained by Bharucha-Reid [2] and Engl [3, 4] on measure spaces.

For multivalued mappings, a random fixed point theorem for contraction mappings was proved in [7]. Then in [8], theorems for multivalued condensing or nonexpansive mappings on measurable spaces were treated, where in the former case lower semicontinuity as well as upper semicontinuity are assumed. On measure spaces, Engl [3, 4] gave a theorem which makes possible to derive random fixed point theorems from fixed point theorems for multivalued continuous (in Hausdorff metric) mappings. Moreover, he obtained a complete result of Bohnenblust and Karlin type for upper semicontinuous compact multivalued mappings.

Other results on random equations were treated by Kannan and Salehi [11] and Itoh [9, 10].

In this paper, by adopting the method of Engl [3, 4] we prove random fixed point theorems for upper semicontinuous condensing multivalued mappings. In sections 1 and 2, some results on upper semicontinuity and measurability of multivalued mappings are presented. Then in section 3 random fixed point theorems are given.

## 1. Upper Semicontinuous Multivalued Mappings

Let X be a metric space. For any  $B \subset X$  and p > 0, let cl(B) be the closure of B and  $B_p = \{x \in X : d(x, B) < p\}$ , where  $d(x, B) = \inf\{d(x, y) : y \in B\}$ . Let  $2^x$  be the family of all subsets of X, CD(X) all nonempty closed subsets, and K(X)all nonempty compact subsets of X respectively. If X is a subset of a Banach

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space, denote by  $\operatorname{clco}(X)$  the closed convex hull of X and by CK(X) the family of all nonempty compact convex subsets of X. Let Y be another metric space. A mapping  $F: X \rightarrow CD(Y)$  is said to be *upper semicontinuous* (u.s.c.) if for any closed subset C of Y,  $F^{-1}(C) = \{x \in X: F(x) \cap C \neq \emptyset\}$  is a closed subset of X. It is obvious that F is u.s.c. if and only if given  $x \in X$ , for each open subset V of Y with  $V \supset F(x)$ , there exists a neighborhood U of x such that  $F(y) \subset V$ whenever  $y \in U$ .

LEMMA 1.1. Let X be a separable metric space with  $\{x_k\}$  a countable dense subset of X and Y be a Banach space. Let  $F: X \rightarrow CK(Y)$  be an u.s.c. mapping, then the mapping  $G: X \rightarrow 2^Y$  defined by

$$G(x) = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \operatorname{clco}(\bigcup \{F(x_k) : d(x_k, x) < 1/n\}) \qquad (x \in X)$$

satisfies the conditions:

- (i) For any  $x \in X$ ,  $F(x) \supset G(x) \neq \emptyset$ .
- (ii) G is u. s. c.

*Proof.* For each *n*, define  $G_n: X \rightarrow CD(Y)$  by

$$G_n(x) = \operatorname{clco}(\cup \{F(x_k): d(x_k, x) < 1/n\}) \quad (x \in X),$$

then

$$G(x) = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} G_n(x) \, .$$

We first show that G(x) is nonempty for every  $x \in X$ . For any *n*, take  $k_n$  such that  $d(x_{k_n}, x) < 1/n$ . Then

$$G_n(x) \supset \operatorname{clco}(\bigcup_{i \ge n} F(x_{k_i}))$$
.

Since  $\{x_{k_n}\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \cup \{x\}$  is compact and F is u.s.c.,  $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F(x_{k_n}) \cup F(x)$  is compact, hence  $\operatorname{clco}(\bigcup_{i \ge n} F(x_{k_i}))$  is compact. Thus

$$G(x) = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} G_n(x) \supset \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \operatorname{clco}(\bigcup_{i \ge n} F(x_{k_i})) \neq \emptyset.$$

The relation  $F(x) \supset G(x)$  is an easy consequence of F being u.s.c. Indeed, for any p>0, take n for sufficiently large, then  $d(x_k, x) < 1/n$  implies  $F(x_k) \subset (F(x))_p$ . Since  $(F(x))_p$  is convex,  $G(x) \subset G_n(x) \subset \operatorname{cl}((F(x))_p)$ , which yields  $G(x) \subset F(x)$ . Now we prove that G is u.s.c. Let C be any closed subset of Y and  $\{z_i\}$  be a sequence of  $G^{-1}(C)$  converging to some  $z \in X$ . For each n, choose  $z_i$  such that  $d(z_i, z) < 1/2n$ . If  $d(x_k, z_i) < 1/2n$ , then  $d(x_k, z) < 1/n$ , hence  $G_{2n}(z_i) \subset G_n(z)$  and  $G_n(z) \cap C \supset G_{2n}(z_i) \cap C \neq \emptyset$ . Since F is u.s.c., there exists  $j_n > n$  for which  $d(x_k, z)$  $< 1/j_n$  implies  $F(x_k) \subset (F(z))_{1/n}$ . Thus  $\emptyset \neq G_{j_n}(z) \cap C \subset \operatorname{cl}((F(z))_{1/n})$ . There exists  $y_n \in G_{j_n}(z) \cap C$  such that  $d(y_n, F(z)) \leq 1/n$ . Since F(z) is compact, some subsequence  $\{y_m\}$  of  $\{y_n\}$  converges to an element y of C. If  $j_m > n$ , then  $y_m \in$   $G_{j_m}(z) \cap C \subset G_n(z) \cap C$ . It follows that  $y \in G_n(z) \cap C$  for all n. This implies

$$y \in igcap_{n=1}^{\infty} G_n(z) \cap C = G(z) \cap C$$
 ,

and  $z \in G^{-1}(C)$ . Hence  $G^{-1}(C)$  is closed and G is u.s.c.

Remark 1.2. Almost the same proof as above also establishes the following: Let X be a separable metric space with  $\{x_k\}$  a countable dense subset of X, Y be a metric space, and  $F: X \rightarrow K(Y)$  be u.s.c. Then the mapping  $G: X \rightarrow 2^Y$  by

$$G(x) = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \operatorname{cl}(\bigcup \{F(x_k) : d(x_k, x) < 1/n\}) \qquad (x \in X)$$

has the properties:

(i) For any  $x \in X$ ,  $F(x) \supset G(x) \neq \emptyset$ .

(ii) G is upper semicontinuous.

#### §2. Measurable Multivalued Mappings

In the sequel, let  $(T, \mathcal{A})$  be a measurable space. A mapping  $F: T \rightarrow 2^X$  is said to be  $(\mathcal{A})$ -measurable if for each closed subset C of X,  $F^{-1}(C) = \{t \in T : F(t) \cap C \neq \emptyset\} \in \mathcal{A}$ . F is said to be  $(\mathcal{A})$ -weakly measurable if for each open subset Bof  $X, F^{-1}(B) \in \mathcal{A}$ . It is obvious that if F is measurable, then F is weakly measurable. If  $F(t) \in K(X)$  for all  $t \in T$ , then the converse is valid by Himmelberg [6, Theorem 3.1]. See also Wagner [17]. Denote by  $\mathcal{B}$  the Borel field of X and by  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$  the product  $\sigma$ -algebra of  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  on  $T \times X$ .

**PROPOSITION 2.1.** Let X be a separable metric space with  $\{x_k\}$  a countable dense subset of X and Y be a separable Banach space. Let  $F: T \times X \rightarrow CK(Y)$  be a mapping having the properties:

(a) For each  $t \in T$ ,  $F(t, \cdot)$  is u.s. c.

(b) For each  $x \in X$ ,  $F(\cdot, x)$  is weakly measurable.

Then the mapping  $G: T \times X \rightarrow 2^Y$  defined by

$$G(t, x) = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \operatorname{clco}(\bigcup \{F(t, x_k) : d(x_k, x) < 1/n\})$$

 $(t \in T, x \in X)$  satisfies the following conditions:

(i) For each  $t \in T$  and  $x \in X$ ,  $F(t, x) \supset G(t, x) \neq \emptyset$ .

(ii) For each  $t \in T$ ,  $G(t, \cdot)$  is u.s. c.

(iii) G is  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$ -measurable.

*Proof.* (i) and (ii) is clear from Lemma 1.1.

(iii) For each *n*, define  $H_n: T \times X \to 2^Y$  by  $H_n(t, x) = \bigcup \{F(t, x_k): d(x_k, x) < 1/n\}$  $(t \in T, x \in X)$ , then  $H_n$  is  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$ -weakly measurable. Indeed, for any open subset *B* of *Y*,

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$$H_n^{-1}(B) = \{(t, x) \in T \times X : H_n(t, x) \cap B \neq \emptyset\}$$
$$= \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} \{t \in T : F(t, x_k) \cap B \neq \emptyset\} \times \{x \in X : d(x, x_k) < 1/n\} \in \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}.$$

Then the mapping  $G_n: T \times X \rightarrow CD(Y)$  defined by  $G_n(t, x) = \operatorname{clco}(H_n(t, x))$  is  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$ -weakly measurable by Himmelberg [6, Theorem 9.1]. If we show that

$$G^{-1}(C) = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} G_n^{-1}(C_{1/n})$$

for every closed subset C of Y, then we can conclude that G is  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$ -measurable. It is obvious that

$$G^{-1}(C) \subset \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} G_n^{-1}(C_{1/n}).$$

Conversely, if

$$(t, x) \in \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} G_n^{-1}(C_{1/n}),$$

then  $G_n(t, x) \cap C_{1/n} \neq \emptyset$  for all *n*. Since  $F(t, \cdot)$  is u.s.c., by the same way as in the proof of Lemma 1.1 we have

$$\emptyset \neq \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} G_n(t, x) \cap \operatorname{cl}(C_{1/n}) = G(t, x) \cap C.$$

Hence

$$\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} G_n^{-1}(C_{1/n}) \subset G^{-1}(C) \,.$$

*Remark* 2.2. Let F be as in Proposition 2.1, then F itself is not necessarily  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$ -measurable (cf. Engl [3, 4]).

*Remark* 2.3. By a slight modification of the above proof we can prove the following: Let X be a separable metric space with  $\{x_k\}$  a countable dense subset of X and Y be a metric space. Let  $F: T \times X \rightarrow K(Y)$  be a mapping with the properties:

(a) For each  $t \in T$ ,  $F(t, \cdot)$  is u.s.c.

(b) For each  $x \in X$ ,  $F(\cdot, x)$  is weakly measurable. Define  $G: T \times X \rightarrow K(Y)$  by

$$G(t, x) = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \operatorname{cl}(\bigcup \{F(t, x_k) : d(x_k, x) < 1/n\})$$

 $(t \in T, x \in X)$ , then G fulfills the conditions:

(i) For each  $t \in T$ ,  $x \in X$ ,  $F(t, x) \supset G(t, x) \neq \emptyset$ .

- (ii) For each  $t \in T$ ,  $G(t, \cdot)$  is u.s.c.
- (iii) G is  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$ -measurable.

If X is also complete, the proof of the following lemma is essentially contained in [7, Proposition 4]. If X is a separable Banach space, the same is

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obtained in Engl [4] by a different method.

LEMMA 2.4. Let X be a separable metric space,  $F: T \rightarrow CD(X)$  be a weakly measurable mapping, and  $u: T \rightarrow X$  be a measurable mapping. Then  $d(u(\cdot), F(\cdot))$  is a measurable function on T.

*Proof.* Define  $f: T \times X \rightarrow R$  (the real numbers) by f(t, x) = d(x, F(t))  $(t \in T, x \in X)$ , then f is measurable in t by Himmelberg [6, Theorem 3.3] and continuous in x. Hence the function  $f(\cdot, u(\cdot)) = d(u(\cdot), F(\cdot))$  on T is measurable (cf. Himmelberg [6, Theorem 6.5]).

#### §3. Random Fixed Point Theorems

Let  $\Sigma$  and  $\Sigma^*$  be the respective sets of infinite and finite sequences of positive integers. For  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ , denote  $(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n)$  by  $\sigma \mid n$  and let  $A: \Sigma^* \to \mathcal{A}$ . Then

$$\bigcup_{\sigma\in\varSigma}\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty}A_{\sigma\mid n}$$

is said to be obtained from  $\mathcal{A}$  by the Souslin operation.  $\mathcal{A}$  is called a *Souslin* family if every set obtained from  $\mathcal{A}$  in this way is also in  $\mathcal{A}$ . If there exists a complete  $\sigma$ -finite measure on  $(T, \mathcal{A})$ , then  $\mathcal{A}$  is a Souslin family (cf. Wagner [17, p. 864] and the references cited there).

For any bounded subset B of X, let  $\gamma(B) = \inf \{c > 0 : B \text{ can be covered by a finite number of subsets of diameters less than or equal to <math>c\}$ . A mapping  $F: X \rightarrow CD(X)$  is said to be *condensing* if for any bounded subset B of X with  $\gamma(B) > 0$ ,  $\gamma(F(B)) < \gamma(B)$ , where  $F(B) = \bigcup \{F(x) : x \in B\}$ .

Now we prove the following random fixed point theorem by using the results in section 2.

THEOREM 3.1. Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be a Souslin family and X be a nonempty closed convex subset of a separable Banach space Y. Let  $F: T \times X \rightarrow CK(Y)$  be a mapping satisfying the conditions.

(i) For any  $t \in T$ , F(t, X) is bounded and  $F(t, bdX) \subset X$ , where bdX is the boundary of X.

(ii) For any  $t \in T$ ,  $F(t, \cdot)$  is u.s. c. and condensing.

(iii) For any  $x \in X$ ,  $F(\cdot, x)$  is weakly measurable.

Then there exists a measurable mapping  $u: T \rightarrow X$  such that  $u(t) \in F(t, u(t))$  for all  $t \in T$ .

*Proof.* Choose countable dense elements  $\{x_k\}$  of X and define  $G: T \times X \rightarrow CK(Y)$  as in Proposition 2.1, then G is  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$ -measurable. The mapping  $v: T \times X \rightarrow X$  by v(t, x) = x  $(t \in T, x \in X)$  is  $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$ -measurable. By Lemma 1.3, f(t, x) = d(v(t, x), G(t, x))  $(t \in T, x \in X)$  is a  $(\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B})$ -measurable function on  $T \times X$ . Define  $H: T \rightarrow 2^x$  by  $H(t) = \{x \in X: x \in G(t, x)\}$   $(t \in T)$ , then for any  $t \in T$ , H(t) is

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nonempty and compact by Petryshyn and Fitzpatrick [14] and the method of the proof of Smart [15, Theorem 9.2.4]. Moreover we have

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$$H = \{(t, x) \in T \times X : x \in H(t)\}$$
  
=  $\{(t, x) \in T \times X : f(t, x) = 0\}$   
 $\in \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B}$ .

By Leese [12] (cf. Wagner [17, Theorem 4.2]) there exists a measurable mapping  $u: T \rightarrow X$  such that for each  $t \in T$ ,  $u(t) \in H(t)$ , hence  $u(t) \in G(t, u(t)) \subset F(t, u(t))$ .

COROLLARY 3.2. Let  $(T, \mathcal{A}, m)$  be a (complete)  $\sigma$ -finite measure space and Y, X, and  $F: T \times X \rightarrow CK(Y)$  be as in Theorem 3.1. Then there exists a measurable mapping  $u: T \rightarrow X$  such that  $u(t) \in F(t, u(t))$  for m-a.e. (all)  $t \in T$ .

*Proof.* If m is complete, then  $\mathcal{A}$  is a Souslin family and the conclusion follows from Theorem 3.1.

If *m* is not complete, the usual method of considering the completion of  $(T, \mathcal{A}, m)$  easily yields the conclusion. We include the proof for completeness. Let  $(T, \mathcal{A}^*, m^*)$  be the completion of  $(T, \mathcal{A}, m)$ . Then by Theorem 3.1 there exists a  $\mathcal{A}^*$ -measurable mapping  $v: T \to X$  for which  $v(t) \in F(t, v(t))$  for all  $t \in T$ . Since X is separable, we may take a countable open base  $\{B_n\}$  of X. For each  $n, v^{-1}(B_n) = A_n \cup N_n$ , where  $A_n \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $N_n$  is contained in some  $D_n \in \mathcal{A}$  with  $m(D_n) = 0$ . Then

$$D = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} D_n \in \mathcal{A}$$

and m(D)=0. Let  $u: T \rightarrow X$  be a mapping defined by

$$u(t) = \begin{cases} v(t) & \text{if } t \in T - D, \text{ or} \\ y & \text{if } t \in D, \end{cases}$$

where y is any fixed element of X. It is easy to observe that u is  $\mathcal{A}$ -measurable and  $u(t) \in F(t, u(t))$  for every  $t \in T-D$ .

Remark 3.3. We can also state and prove similar results as above in the case that the domain of  $F(t, \cdot)$  is dependent on  $t \in T$  as in Engl [3, 4]. The proofs are almost the same as those given above. We omit the details.

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