

INTERVAL HAUSDORFFNESS AND INITIALITY

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ABSTRACT. The geometric realization functor, $|\cdot|_T : S^{\Delta^{op}} \longrightarrow KTop$, is known to commute with finite limits if the reflection of $T[1]$ into the category of T_0 -spaces is a Hausdorff space, where T is a cosimplicial k -space. We have previously shown that for the categories Fco , $ConsFco$, Con , Lim , PsT , $Born$, and $PreOrd$, the initiality of the inclusion of the boundary \dot{Y}_{0n} of Y_{0n} into Y_{0n} guarantees the commutation of finite limits by the geometric realization functor, $|\cdot|_Y : S^{\Delta^{op}} \longrightarrow A$. Here we show that in the above mentioned categories the initiality condition may be viewed as a generalized Hausdorff condition on the interval Y_{01} , as is the case in the classical situation where A is the category $KTop$.

1 Introduction We have shown, in [2], that for certain categories A the geometric realization functor, $|\cdot|_Y : S^{\Delta^{op}} \longrightarrow A$, commutes with finite limits if and only if the collection $\{i_n : \dot{Y}_{0n} \longrightarrow Y_{0n}\}$ is strongly initial, where Y is the domain of a simplex structure, i.e. a discrete fibration, $g : Y \longrightarrow D\Delta^{op}$, in A . We have then applied this result to the categories Fco , $ConsFco$, Con , Lim , PsT , $Born$, and $PreOrd$, and have shown that the initiality of the inclusion of the boundary \dot{Y}_{0n} of Y_{0n} into Y_{0n} guarantees the commutation of finite limits by the geometric realization functor, $|\cdot|_Y : S^{\Delta^{op}} \longrightarrow A$. On the other hand, the geometric realization functor, $|\cdot|_T : S^{\Delta^{op}} \longrightarrow KTop$, is known to commute with finite limits if the reflection of $T[1]$ into the category of T_0 -spaces is a Hausdorff space, where T is a cosimplicial k -space, see [5].

In section 2 of the present article we give the preliminary results and then in section 3 we show that in the categories, Fco , $ConsFco$, Con , Lim , PsT , $Born$, and $PreOrd$, the initiality condition may be viewed as a generalized Hausdorff condition on the interval Y_{01} , as is the case in the classical situation where A is the category $KTop$.

2 Preliminaries. Let A be a category with finite limits and coequalizers of reflexive pairs that is geometric over the category S of sets via the morphism f . Assume that the functor $a \times - : A \longrightarrow A$ preserves extremal epis, and the direct image $f_* : A \longrightarrow S$ of f preserves reflexive coequalizers, and reflects monos and terminals. Let $g : Y \longrightarrow D\Delta^{op}$ be a simplex structure, and let m and n be natural numbers, and $\Delta[n]$ the standard n -simplex, see [2] and [3].

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2.1. **Definition:** Define $O_{mn} : \Delta[m] \times \Delta(m, n) \longrightarrow \Delta[n]$ to be the morphism induced by composition.

2.2. **Definition:** Define the morphisms γ_{mn} and δ_{mn} by the following pullback diagrams.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & & & f^*(i_{mn})pr_2 \\
 & & & & \curvearrowright \\
 Y_{0m} \times f^*\Delta(m, n) & & & & \\
 & \searrow^{\gamma_{mn}} & & & \\
 & Y_1 & \xrightarrow{g_1} & f^*\Delta_1 & \\
 & \downarrow d_1 & & p.b. & \downarrow f^*(d_0) \\
 & Y_0 & \xrightarrow{g_0} & f^*N & \\
 & \swarrow_{i_m pr_1} & & & \\
 & & & &
 \end{array} \\
 \\
 \begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & & & \curvearrowright \\
 Y_{0m} \times f^*\Delta(m, n) & & & & \\
 & \searrow^{\delta_{mn}} & & & \\
 & Y_{1n} & \xrightarrow{d_{0n}} & Y_{0n} & \longrightarrow & 1 \\
 & \downarrow i_{1n} & & p.b. & \downarrow i_{0n} & p.b. & \downarrow f^*(n) \\
 & Y_1 & \xrightarrow{d_0} & Y_0 & \xrightarrow{g_0} & f^*N & \\
 & \swarrow_{\gamma_{mn}} & & & & &
 \end{array}
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where pr_1 , and pr_2 are the projections of the product, and i_{mn} , and i_m are the obvious inclusions. Define λ_{mn} to be the composition $d_{0n}\delta_{mn}$.

With O_{mn} and λ_{mn} as above, we have:

2.3. **Lemma:** $|O_{mn}|_Y = \lambda_{mn}$.

Proof: By Lemma 2.2 of [2], we have $|\Delta[n]|_Y = Y_{0n}$. It can be easily shown that $|\Delta[m] \times \Delta(m, n)|_Y = Y_{0m} \times f^*\Delta(m, n)$. So we have $|O_{mn}|_Y : Y_{0m} \times f^*\Delta(m, n) \longrightarrow Y_{0n}$. The diagram in the proof of [2], Lemma 2.2, together with the definitions of the maps O_{mn} and λ_{mn} show that $|O_{mn}|_Y = \lambda_{mn}$. \square

The boundary $\dot{\Delta}[n]$ of $\Delta[n]$ and the boundary \dot{Y}_{0n} of Y_{0n} are defined in [2], Definition 2.3, and we have:

2.4. **Lemma:** The image of O_{mn} is $Sk^m\Delta[n]$. In particular, the image of $O_{n-1, n}$ is $\dot{\Delta}[n]$.

Proof: The definition of n -skeleton together with that of O_{mn} imply that the epi-mono factorization of O_{mn} is $\Delta[m] \times \Delta(m, n) \xrightarrow{\partial_{mn}} Sk^m\Delta[n] \xrightarrow{i_{mn}} \Delta[n]$

The second assertion of the lemma follows from definition of $\dot{\Delta}[n]$. \square

2.5. **Theorem:** If f_* preserves reflexive coequalizers, reflects monos, and f_*Y is filtered, then \dot{Y}_{0n} in A is the image of the morphism $\lambda_{n-1, n} : Y_{0, n-1} \times f^*\Delta(n-1, n) \longrightarrow Y_{0n}$.

Proof: By Lemma 2.4, $O_{n-1, n}$ is the composition:

$$\Delta[n-1] \times \Delta(n-1, n) \xrightarrow{\partial_n} \dot{\Delta}[n] \xrightarrow{i_n} \Delta[n]$$

Applying the functor $|\cdot|_Y$ to the above diagram, Lemma 1.3, and Lemma 2.2 of [2], give $\lambda_{n-1, n}$ as the composition $Y_{0, n-1} \times f^*\Delta(n-1, n) \xrightarrow{|\partial_n|} \dot{Y}_{0n} \xrightarrow{|i_n|} Y_{0n}$. ∂_n is an epi in S ,

and therefore a coequalizer. Since $|\cdot|_Y$ preserves colimits, $|\partial_n|$ is a coequalizer in A . Since f_* preserves reflexive coequalizers, and reflects monos, $|\partial_n|$ is an e.e..

On the other hand by Lemma 2.5 of [2], and the assumption that f_* reflects monos, it follows that $i_n = |i_n|$ is a mono. Hence \dot{Y}_{0n} is the image of $\lambda_{n-1,n}$. \square

3 Hausdorffness. Now let A be one of the categories Fco , $ConsFco$, Con , Lim , PsT , $Born$, and $PreOrd$, see [1], and [6]. If $g : Y \longrightarrow D\Delta^{op}$ is a simplex structure, then products are preserved by the functor $|\cdot|_Y : S^{\Delta^{op}} \longrightarrow A$, see Lemma 1.3. of [2]. So by Theorem 2.4 and Proposition 2.2 of [4], we can view Y_{01} as a linearly ordered set with minimum 0 and maximum 1. Furthermore, Y_{0n} can be identified with the set $\{(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n) : 0 \leq y_1 \leq y_2 \leq \dots \leq y_n \leq 1\}$. It is not hard to see under this identification that the image of the morphism $\lambda_{n-1,n} : Y_{0,n-1} \times f^*\Delta(n-1, n) \longrightarrow Y_{0n}$, is the set, $\{(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n) \in Y_{0n} : y_1 = 0, \text{ or } y_{i-1} = y_i \text{ some } 1 < i \leq n, \text{ or } y_n = 1\}$ with the coinduced structure, see Definition 2.2. It then follows from Theorem 2.5 that $\dot{Y}_{0n} \equiv \{(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n) \in Y_{0n} : y_1 = 0, \text{ or } y_{i-1} = y_i \text{ some } 1 < i \leq n, \text{ or } y_n = 1\}$, and we have the commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Y_{0,n-1} \times f^*\Delta(n-1, n) & \xrightarrow{\lambda_{n-1,n}} & Y_{0n} \\ & \searrow \partial_n & \nearrow i_n \\ & & \dot{Y}_{0n} \end{array}$$

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where $\partial_n = |\partial_n|$. Given a map $\mu : n-1 \longrightarrow n$ in Δ , the morphism $\lambda_{n-1,n}$ induces a morphism $\hat{\mu} : Y_{0,n-1} \longrightarrow Y_{0n}$ in A , which factors through \dot{Y}_{0n} . If μ is a mono, (epi), then $\hat{\mu}$ is the restriction of one of the maps δ_i (respectively σ_i) described in [4] p 53. Since the obvious mono $\Delta[n] \longrightarrow \Delta[1]^n$ is a retract, if $|\cdot|_Y$ preserves products, then $Y_{0n} \longrightarrow Y_{01}^n$ is a retract. Hence the structure on Y_{0n} is the induced structure from Y_{01}^n . In what follows a convergence space (X, C) is denoted by X^* , and the structure $C(x)$ by $X(x)$.

3.1. Definition: A convergence space X^* is said to be Hausdorff if $X(x) \cap X(y) = \{\{\phi\}\}$ for all $x \neq y$ in X .

3.2. Theorem: (i) In $Fco, \dot{Y}_{0n} \xrightarrow{i_n} Y_{0n}$ is initial for all n if and only if Y_{01}^* is Hausdorff and $F \in Y_{01}(0), F \neq [0] \rightarrow F \not\subseteq [0]$, and $F \in Y_{01}(1), F \neq [1] \rightarrow F \not\subseteq [1]$.

(ii) In $ConsFco, \dot{Y}_{0n} \xrightarrow{i_n} Y_{0n}$ is initial for all n if and only if Y_{01}^* is discrete.

(iii) In $Con, \dot{Y}_{0n} \xrightarrow{i_n} Y_{0n}$ is initial for all n if and only if Y_{01}^* is Hausdorff and $Y_{01}(0)$ and $Y_{01}(1)$ are discrete.

(iv) In $Lim, \dot{Y}_{0n} \xrightarrow{i_n} Y_{0n}$ is initial for all n if and only if Y_{01}^* is Hausdorff.

(v) In $PsT, \dot{Y}_{0n} \xrightarrow{i_n} Y_{0n}$ is initial for all n if and only if the following condition (I_n) holds for all n :

(I_n) If U is an ultrafilter on Y_{01}^n with U_k , the k th projection of U , in $Y_{01}(y_k)$, and $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n)$ is in \dot{Y}_{0n} , then U contains $\partial_y \cup \dot{Y}_{0n}^c$, where ∂_y is the union of all the faces containing y and \dot{Y}_{0n}^c is the complement of \dot{Y}_{0n} in Y_{01}^n .

Furthermore for i_n to be initial for all n it is sufficient to have Y_{01}^* Hausdorff.

(vi) In $Born, \dot{Y}_{0n} \xrightarrow{i_n} Y_{0n}$ is initial for all n with no further conditions needed.

(vii) In $PreOrd, \dot{Y}_{0n} \xrightarrow{i_n} Y_{0n}$ is initial for all n if and only if the preorder on Y_{01} is symmetric.

Proof: (i) Since \dot{Y}_{0n} has the coinduced structure, by 3.2.3. of [6], which holds for Fco as well, we have $\dot{Y}_{0n}(y) = \{F \in F(\dot{Y}_{0n}) : \exists x \in Y_{0,n-1}, \mu \in \Delta(n-1, n), G \in Y_{0,n-1}(x) \text{ such that } \hat{\mu}(x) = y, \text{ and } \hat{\mu}(G) \subseteq F\}$. Some computation shows that i_n is initial if and only if the following condition holds:

(I_n) For all $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n) \in \dot{Y}_{0n}$ and all $F_k \in Y_{01}(y_k)$, $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$, there is $x \in Y_{0,n-1}$, $\mu \in \Delta(n-1, n)$, and $G \in Y_{0,n-1}(x)$ such that $\hat{\mu}(x) = y$ and $\hat{\mu}(G) \subseteq [(F_1 \otimes F_2 \otimes \dots \otimes F_n) \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}]$. Now suppose i_n is initial for all n and so (I_n) holds for all n . Therefore (I_3) holds. Given $x < y$, $F \in Y_{01}(x)$, $F' \in Y_{01}(y)$, let $y_1 = y_2 = x$, $y_3 = y$, $F_1 = F_2 = F$, $F_3 = F'$ and note that $(y_1, y_2, y_3) \in \dot{Y}_{03}$, $F_k \in Y_{01}(y_k)$, and $\hat{\delta}_2(y_1, y_2) = (y_1, y_2, y_3)$. (I_3) implies the existence of a G in $Y_{02}(y_1, y_3)$ such that $\hat{\delta}_2(G) \subseteq [(F_1 \otimes F_2 \otimes F_3) \wedge \dot{Y}_{03}]$. $M \in G$ implies there are A_k in F_k such that $\hat{\delta}_2(M)$ contains $(A_1 \times A_2 \times A_3) \cap \dot{Y}_{03}$ which contains $\{(a, b, b) : a \in A_1, b \in A_2 \cap A_3, a \leq b\}$. It follows that $a \in A_1, b \in A_2 \cap A_3, a \leq b$ implies $a = b$, or equivalently (*) $a \in A_1, b \in A_2 \cap A_3 \rightarrow a \geq b$. Let $A = A_1 \cap A_2 \in F_1 \wedge F_2 = F \wedge F = F$. By (*) we have (**) $a \in A, b \in A \cap A_3 \rightarrow a \geq b$. From (**) it follows that if b_1 and b_2 are in $A \cap A_3$ then $b_1 = b_2$, hence $A \cap A_3 \subseteq \{z_0\}$ for some z_0 . This implies $F \wedge F' = [\{\phi\}]$ or otherwise $F \wedge F' = [z_0]$, in which case by (*) it follows that $[z_0, 1] \in F$, where $[z_0, 1] = \{x \in Y_{01} : z_0 \leq x \leq 1\}$. Now let $y_1 = x$, $y_2 = y_3 = y$, $F_1 = F$, $F_2 = F_3 = F'$. A similar argument shows that either $F \wedge F' = [\{\phi\}]$ or $F \wedge F' = [z_1]$ and $[0, z_1] \in F'$. Combining the above results we conclude that for $x < y$, $F \in Y_{01}(x)$, $F' \in Y_{01}(y)$ we have either $F \wedge F' = [\{\phi\}]$ or $(F \wedge F' = [z_0], [z_0, 1] \in F$ and $[0, z_0] \in F')$. Assume $F \wedge F' \neq [\{\phi\}]$. Let $y_1 = y_2 = x$, $y_3 = y$, $F_1 = [x]$, $F_2 = F$, and $F_3 = F'$, then $(y_1, y_2, y_3) \in \dot{Y}_{03}$, $F_k \in Y_{01}(y_k)$ for $k = 1, 2, 3$. Apply (I_3) to get a filter $G \in Y_{02}(y_1, y_3)$ such that $\hat{\delta}_2(G) \subseteq [(F_1 \otimes F_2 \otimes F_3) \wedge \dot{Y}_{03}]$. $M \in G$ implies $\hat{\delta}_2(M)$ contains $(A_1 \times A_2 \times A_3) \cap \dot{Y}_{03}$ for some $A_k \in F_k$. It follows that $\{(a, b, b) : a \in A_1, b \in A_2 \cap A_3, a \leq b\} \subseteq \hat{\delta}_2(M)$. Therefore $a \in A_1, b \in A_2 \cap A_3 \rightarrow a \geq b$. $A_1 \in F_1 = [x]$, so $x \in A_1$, hence we have: (***) $b \in A_2 \cap A_3 \rightarrow x \geq b$. Let $A'_2 = A_2 \cap [z_0, 1] \in F$ and $A'_3 = A_3 \cap [0, z_0] \in F'$. So $A'_2 \cap A'_3 \in F \wedge F' \neq [\{\phi\}]$. This implies $A'_2 \cap A'_3 \neq \phi$. On the other hand $A'_2 \cap A'_3 \subseteq [0, z_0] \cap [z_0, 1] = \{z_0\}$, therefore $\{z_0\} = A'_2 \cap A'_3 \subseteq A_2 \cap A_3$, that is $z_0 \in A_2 \cap A_3$ and so by (***) we have $x \geq z_0$. Finally by letting $y_1 = x$, $y_2 = y_3 = y$, $F_1 = F$, $F_2 = F'$, and $F_3 = [y]$ and applying (I_3) we conclude $y \leq z_0$. It follows that $y \leq z_0 \leq x$, that is $y \leq x$ a contradiction. Hence $F \wedge F' = [\{\phi\}]$ and we have proved for $x \neq y$, $F \in Y_{01}(x)$, $G \in Y_{01}(y)$ implies $F \wedge G = [\{\phi\}]$. It is easy to see that this is just the Hausdorffness defined in Definition 1.6. This proves that Y_{01}^* is Hausdorff. To show $F \in Y_{01}(0)$, $F \neq [0]$ implies $F \not\subseteq [0]$, we use the fact that (I_2) holds. Let $y_1 = y_2 = 0$ and take $F \in Y_{01}(0)$ and assume that $F \subseteq [0]$. Then $x = 0$ and $\mu = \delta_1$ or δ_2 and there is a filter G in $Y_{01}(0)$ such that $\hat{\delta}_1(G) \subseteq [(F \otimes F) \wedge \dot{Y}_{02}]$ or $\hat{\delta}_2(G) \subseteq [(F \otimes F) \wedge \dot{Y}_{02}]$. If $\hat{\delta}_1(G) \subseteq [(F \otimes F) \wedge \dot{Y}_{02}]$, then $M \in G$ implies $\hat{\delta}_1(M)$ contains $(A \times B) \cap \dot{Y}_{02}$ for some A and B in F . $0 \in A$ since $F \subseteq [0]$. Therefore $0 \times A \subseteq \hat{\delta}_1(M) = \Delta M$. Thus $A \subseteq \{0\}$ and so F contains $[0]$. It follows that $F = [0]$. If $\hat{\delta}_2(G) \subseteq [(F \otimes F) \wedge \dot{Y}_{02}]$, then $M \in G$ implies $\hat{\delta}_2(M)$ contains $(A \times B) \cap \dot{Y}_{02}$ for some A and B in F . $\Delta(A \cap B) \subseteq (A \times B) \cap \dot{Y}_{02}$, therefore $\Delta(A \cap B) \subseteq 0 \times M$. It follows that $A \cap B \subseteq \{0\}$. $A \cap B \in F$ so F contains $[0]$ and thus $F = [0]$. A similar argument shows that $F \in Y_{01}(1)$ and $F \neq [1]$ implies $F \not\subseteq [1]$. To prove the sufficiency, we need to show (I_n) holds for all n . We show (I_3) holds, the rest is similar.

Let $0 \neq x < y \neq 1$, $F_1, F_2 \in Y_{01}(x)$ and $F_3 \in Y_{01}(y)$. Define $G = [(F_1 \wedge F_2) \otimes F_3] \wedge Y_{02} \in Y_{02}(x, y)$. Note that $\hat{\delta}_2(x, y) = (x, x, y)$. We need to show that $\hat{\delta}_2(G) \subseteq [(F_1 \otimes F_2 \otimes F_3) \wedge \dot{Y}_{03}]$. $M \in G$ implies M contains $((A \cap B) \times C) \cap Y_{02}$ for some $A \in F_1$, $B \in F_2$, and $C \in F_2$. So

$\hat{\delta}_2(M)$ contains $(\Delta(A \cap B) \times C) \cap \dot{Y}_{03}$. Since F_1 and F_2 are in $Y_{01}(x)$, $x \neq 0, 1$, Hausdorffness implies $F_1 \wedge [0] = [\{\phi\}]$, $F_1 \wedge [1] = [\{\phi\}]$, etc. So we can assume without loss of generality that $0 \notin A$, $1 \notin B$. It follows that $\Delta(A \cap B) = (A \times B) \cap \dot{Y}_{02}$, and therefore we have $\hat{\delta}_2(M)$ contains $(A \times B \times C) \cap \dot{Y}_{03} \in [(F_1 \otimes F_2 \otimes F_3) \wedge \dot{Y}_{03}]$, and so $\hat{\delta}_2(M) \in [(F_1 \otimes F_2 \otimes F_3) \wedge \dot{Y}_{03}]$ as desired. The cases for (y_1, y_2, y_3) on the remaining faces of \dot{Y}_{03} follow similarly.

(ii) Let C denote the constant structure on Y_{01} . It is not hard to check that i_n is initial for all n , if and only if given F_k in C , $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$, there is G in $Y_{0,n-1}^*$ such that $\hat{\delta}_k(G) \subseteq [(F_1 \otimes F_2 \otimes \dots \otimes F_n) \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}]$ for some k . Suppose i_n is initial for all n . Let $F \in C$, it follows that there is $G \in Y_{02}^*$ such that $\hat{\delta}_k(G) \subseteq [F \otimes F \otimes F \wedge \dot{Y}_{03}]$. $M \in G$ implies $\hat{\delta}_k(M)$ contains $(A_1 \times A_2 \times A_3) \cap \dot{Y}_{03}$, for some A_1, A_2, A_3 in F . Let $A = A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3$, then we have (*) $(A \times A \times A) \cap \dot{Y}_{03} \subseteq \hat{\delta}_k(M)$. It follows that (**) if x and y are in A and $x \leq y$, then both (x, x, y) and (x, y, y) are in $\hat{\delta}_k(M)$. If $k = 0$, then $\hat{\delta}_0(M) = M \times 1$ and (*) implies $A \subseteq \{1\}$, thus F contains $[1]$. If $k = 1$, then $\hat{\delta}_1(M) = \{(a, b, b) : (a, b) \in M\}$ and (**) implies $x, y \in A$ and $x \leq y \rightarrow x = y$ or equivalently $x, y \in A \rightarrow x \geq y$. It follows that $A \subseteq \{z_0\}$ for some z_0 and therefore $[z_0] \subseteq F$. If $k = 2$, it follows similarly that $[z_0] \subseteq F$ for some z_0 . If $k = 3$, it follows that $[0] \subseteq F$. Hence in either case F in C implies $[z] \subseteq F$ for some z , that is, C is discrete. The sufficiency is trivial.

(iii) The proof is similar to that of Fco . In this case since $[x] \cap F$ is in $Y_{01}(x)$ for all F in $Y_{01}(x)$, it follows that for $x = 0$ or 1 , $Y_{01}(x)$ is discrete.

(iv) In Lim , i_n is initial for all n if and only if $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n) \in \dot{Y}_{0n}$ and $F_k \in Y_{01}(y_k)$, $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$, implies there is a finite number of (x_i, μ_i) in $Y_{0,n-1} \times \Delta(n-1, n)$, and G_i in $Y_{0,n-1}(x_i)$ such that $\hat{\mu}_i(x_i) = y$ and $\bigcap_i [\hat{\mu}_i(G_i)] \subseteq [(F_1 \otimes F_2 \otimes \dots \otimes F_n) \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}]$. The rest is similar to the proof for Fco .

(v) Using 3.2.9. of [6], one can show $\dot{Y}_{0n}(y) = \{F \in F(\dot{Y}_{0n}) : U \text{ an ultrafilter } \supseteq F \rightarrow \exists x \in Y_{0,n-1}, \mu \in \Delta(n-1, n), \text{ and ultrafilter } E \in Y_{0,n-1}(x) \text{ such that } \hat{\mu}(x) = y \text{ and } [\hat{\mu}(E) = U]\}$ for each n . It is easy to show that i_n is initial if and only if given $y \in \dot{Y}_{0n}$, $F \in Y_{01}^n(y)$, we have $[F \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}]$ is in $\dot{Y}_{0n}(y)$. Being in PsT , it then follows that i_n is initial if and only if for any $y \in \dot{Y}_{0n}$ and U an ultrafilter in $Y_{01}^n(y)$, $[U \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}] \in \dot{Y}_{0n}(y)$. On the other hand $[U \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}] \in \dot{Y}_{0n}(y)$, if and only if either $[U \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}] = [\{\phi\}]$ or there is $x \in Y_{0,n-1}$, $\mu \in \Delta(n-1, n)$, and an ultrafilter $E \in Y_{0,n-1}(x)$ such that $[U \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}] = [\hat{\mu}(E)]$. Using the fact that U is an ultrafilter, and so for a given set either the set or its complement is in U , it is easy to show that $[U \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}] = [\{\phi\}]$ exactly when U contains \dot{Y}_{0n}^c and that $[U \wedge \dot{Y}_{0n}] = [\hat{\mu}(E)]$ exactly when U contains ∂_y .

Combining the above facts yields the statement (I_n) as required. To prove the other assertion, suppose Y_{01}^* is Hausdorff. To show (I_1) holds, let $y = 0$ in \dot{Y}_{01} , and U an ultrafilter in $Y_{01}(0)$. Y_{01}^* Hausdorff implies $U \neq [1]$, therefore $\{1\} \notin U$. Since U is an ultrafilter, it follows that $\{1\}^c = [0, 1] \in U$. If $\{0\} \in U$, then $U = [0]$, otherwise $(0, 1) \in U$, hence $(0, 1) = [0, 1] \cap (0, 1) \in U$, that is $U = [0]$ or $(0, 1) = \dot{Y}_{01}^c \in U$. For $y = 1$, a similar argument shows if U is an ultrafilter in $Y_{01}(1)$, then $U = [1]$ or $\dot{Y}_{01}^c \in U$. Hence (I_1) holds. To show (I_2) holds, let $y = (x, x)$, $x \neq 0, 1$, U an ultrafilter in $Y_{01}^2(x, x)$. It follows that U_1 and U_2 are in $Y_{01}(x)$. $x \neq 0$ and Y_{01}^* Hausdorff imply $U_1 \neq [0]$ and so there is $A \in U_1$ such that $0 \notin A$. Similarly there is $B \in U_2$ such that $1 \notin B$. If U does not contain \dot{Y}_{02}^c , then $\dot{Y}_{02} \in U$. Also $A \times B \in U_1 \otimes U_2 \subseteq U$, therefore $(A \times B) \cap \dot{Y}_{02} \in U$. $(A \times B) \cap \dot{Y}_{02} = \Delta(A \cap B) \subseteq \partial_y$. It follows that $\partial_y \in U$. For $y = (0, x)$, $x \neq 0, 1$, a similar argument shows that \dot{Y}_{02}^c is in U , etc. To show (I_3) holds, let $y = (y_1, y_2, y_3)$, $0 \neq y_1 = y_2 < y_3 \neq 1$, and U an ultrafilter in $Y_{01}^3(y)$. Since $y_1 \neq 0$, $y_2 \neq y_3$, $y_3 \neq 1$, and Y_{01}^* is Hausdorff, it follows that there are sets $A \in U_1$, $B \in U_2$, $C \in U_3$ such that $0 \notin A$, $1 \notin C$, and $B \cap C = \phi$. If $\dot{Y}_{03}^c \notin U$, then $\dot{Y}_{03} \in U$ and so $(A \times B \times C) \cap \dot{Y}_{03} \in U$. But $(A \times B \times C) \cap \dot{Y}_{03} \subseteq \partial_y$, hence $\partial_y \in U$. Other cases

follow similarly. Same argument holds for (I_n) , $n > 3$.

(vi) By 3.3.3. of [6], we have the structure \dot{B}_{0n} on \dot{Y}_{0n} is $\dot{B}_{0n} = \{B \subseteq \dot{Y}_{0n} : B \subseteq \partial_n(M), \text{ for some } M \in B(Y_{0,n-1} \times \Delta(n-1, n))\}$. Some computation shows that $\dot{B}_{0n} = \{B \subseteq \dot{Y}_{0n} : B \subseteq \dot{\mu}_i(N_i), \mu_i \in \Delta(n-1, n), N_i \in B_{0,n-1}\}$. To show i_n is initial, we show if $B \subseteq \dot{Y}_{0n}$, and $B \in B_{0n}$, then $B \in \dot{B}_{0n}$. Given such a set B , we have $B \subseteq B_1 \times B_2 \times \dots \times B_n$, where B_i is the i th projection of B . We then have $B = B \cap \dot{Y}_{0n} \subseteq (B_1 \times B_2 \times \dots \times B_n) \cap \dot{Y}_{0n} \subseteq \hat{\delta}_0(B_1 \times B_2 \times \dots \times B_{n-1} \cap Y_{0,n-1}) \cup \hat{\delta}_1(B_1 \times B_2 \times \dots \times B_{n-2} \times (B_{n-1} \cap B_n) \cap Y_{0,n-1}) \cup \dots \cup \hat{\delta}_{n-1}((B_1 \cap B_2) \times B_3 \times \dots \times B_n \cap Y_{0,n-1}) \cup \hat{\delta}_n(B_2 \times \dots \times B_n \cap Y_{0,n-1})$. Hence B is contained in a finite union of sets of the form $\hat{\mu}_i(N_i)$, and each N_i is in $B_{0,n-1}$. Therefore B is in \dot{B}_{0n} as required.

(vii) Suppose i_n is initial for all n . Consider $Y_{0,n-1} \times \Delta(n-1, n) \xrightarrow{\partial_n} \dot{Y}_{0n}$. By 3.1.3. of [6], $y \leq y'$ in \dot{Y}_{0n} if and only if there is a ∂_n -chain from y to y' , that is, a finite chain $y = \omega_0 \leq \omega_1 \leq \dots \leq \omega_m = y'$ such that for each $k = 0, 1, \dots, m-1$, there is a pair $(b_k, \mu_k) \leq (b'_k, \mu'_k)$ in $Y_{0,n-1} \times \Delta(n-1, n)$ such that $\hat{\mu}_k(b_k) = \omega_k$ and $\hat{\mu}'_k(b'_k) = \omega_{k+1}$. Since $\Delta(n-1, n)$ has the discrete structure, it follows that $\mu_k = \mu'_k$ for each k . $0 \not\sim 1$ in \dot{Y}_{01} , that is 0 and 1 are not related in \dot{Y}_{01} , since otherwise the existence of the chain implies $0=1$. Since i_1 is initial, it follows that $0 \not\sim 1$ in Y_{01} . In fact this is sufficient for i_1 to be initial. Suppose $x \neq 0$ and $0 \leq x$ in Y_{01} . It follows that $(0, x) \leq (x, x)$ in Y_{02} . Since i_2 is initial we conclude that $(0, x) \leq (x, x)$ in \dot{Y}_{02} . The existence of the chain will imply $x \leq 0$ in Y_{01} . One can similarly show that if $x \leq 0$ then $0 \leq x$, and that the same holds with 0 replaced by 1. In fact i_1 and i_2 are initial if and only if $0 \not\sim 1, x \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow 0 \leq x$, and $x \leq 1 \Leftrightarrow 1 \leq x$. Similar computation shows i_1, i_2 and i_3 are initial if and only if $x_1 \leq x_2 \Leftrightarrow x_2 \leq x_1$. It thus follows that if i_n is initial for all n , then the preorder on Y_{01} is symmetric. The converse can easily be proved. \square

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