

On two ways of generating topological spaces from Grzegorzczuk mereological structures

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1 Grzegorzczuk connection structures

The first way was first described in [4] and was later presented and analyzed in [2] and [3]. It is a theory of triples $\langle M, \sqsubseteq, \mathbb{C} \rangle$ (with \sqsubseteq being called *part of* relation and \mathbb{C} – *connection* relation) such that $\langle M, \sqsubseteq \rangle$ is a poset with unity which satisfies the following axioms:

$$x \not\sqsubseteq y \longrightarrow \exists z \in M (z \sqsubseteq x \wedge z \perp y \wedge \forall u \in M (u \sqsubseteq x \wedge u \perp y \longrightarrow u \sqsubseteq z)), \quad (\text{SSP+})$$

$$\forall x, y \in M \exists u \in M u \text{ Sup } \{x, y\}, \quad (\exists \text{Sup})$$

$$\forall x, y \in M (x \circ y \longrightarrow \exists u \in M u \text{ Inf } \{x, y\}). \quad (\exists \text{Inf})$$

where:

$$x \sqsubset y \stackrel{\text{df}}{\longleftrightarrow} x \sqsubseteq y \wedge x \neq y, \quad (\text{df } \sqsubset)$$

$$x \circ y \stackrel{\text{df}}{\longleftrightarrow} \exists z \in M (z \sqsubseteq x \wedge z \sqsubseteq y), \quad (\text{df } \circ)$$

$$x \perp y \stackrel{\text{df}}{\longleftrightarrow} \neg \exists z \in M (z \sqsubseteq x \wedge z \sqsubseteq y). \quad (\text{df } \perp)$$

The above relations are called, respectively, *proper part*, *compatibility* and *incompatibility* relation. Sup and Inf are the standard *supremum* and *infimum* relations in posets. Every triple $\langle M, \sqsubseteq, \mathbb{C} \rangle$ satisfying the above set of postulates will be called *Grzegorzczuk mereological structure*.¹

The connection relation \mathbb{C} is to satisfy the following three postulates:

$$\forall x, y \in R (x \sqsubseteq y \longrightarrow x \mathbb{C} y), \quad (\text{C1})$$

$$\forall x, y \in R (x \mathbb{C} y \longrightarrow y \mathbb{C} x), \quad (\text{C2})$$

$$\forall x, y, z \in R (x \sqsubseteq y \wedge z \mathbb{C} x \longrightarrow z \mathbb{C} y). \quad (\text{C3})$$

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¹ The system was first presented in [5] in slightly different form. For a full presentation and analysis see [6].

In $\langle M, \sqsubseteq, \mathbb{C} \rangle$ we introduce binary relation of *non-tangential part*:

$$x \ll y \stackrel{\text{df}}{\longleftrightarrow} \forall z \in M (z \perp y \longrightarrow \neg z \mathbb{C} x). \quad (\text{df } \ll)$$

By means of the auxiliary relation we define a *representative of a point*² as a set $\emptyset \neq Q \subseteq M$ such that:

$$\forall u, v \in Q (u \neq v \longrightarrow u \ll v \vee v \ll u), \quad (\text{R1})$$

$$\forall u \in Q \exists v \in X v \ll u, \quad (\text{R2})$$

$$\forall u, v \in R (\forall z \in Q (z \circ u \wedge z \circ v) \longrightarrow u \mathbb{C} v). \quad (\text{R3})$$

The set of representatives of points will be denoted by ' \mathbf{Q} '. We now introduce the so called *Grzegorzcyk axiom*:

$$x \mathbb{C} y \longrightarrow \exists Q \in \mathbf{Q} ((x \circ y \longrightarrow \exists z \in Q z \sqsubseteq x \sqcap y) \wedge \forall z \in Q (z \circ x \wedge z \circ y)), \quad (\text{G})$$

and call every Grzegorzcyk mereological structure satisfying axioms (C1)–(C3), (G) *Grzegorzcyk connection structure*. The class of all such structures will be denoted by ' \mathbf{G} '.

In every structure from \mathbf{G} we define *points* as filters generated by representatives of points:

$$\Pi := \{X \subseteq M \mid \exists Q \in \mathbf{Q} X = \{x \in M \mid \exists y \in Q y \sqsubseteq x\}\}. \quad (\text{df } \Pi)$$

Elements of Π will be denoted by small Greek letters: ' α ', ' β ', ' γ ', ' δ '. With every element of the domain of a structure from the class \mathbf{G} we associate the set of its *internal points*:

$$\text{Int}(x) := \{\alpha \in \Pi \mid x \in \alpha\}. \quad (\text{df } \text{Int})$$

The set $\{\text{Int}(x) \mid x \in M\}$ is a basis, therefore the pair $\langle \Pi, \mathcal{O} \rangle$ where:

$$A \in \mathcal{O} \longleftrightarrow \exists \mathcal{A} \subseteq \Pi A = \bigcup \mathcal{A}$$

is a topological space.

2 Roeper connection structures

The second way of constructing points and topological spaces originates from the ideas presented in [7]. This time structures we focus upon are of the form $\langle M, \mathbb{L}, \sqsubseteq, \mathbb{C} \rangle$ where:

- $\langle M, \sqsubseteq \rangle$ is a Grzegorzcyk mereological structure,
- \mathbb{C} satisfies (C1)–(C3) plus the following:

$$\forall x, y, z \in R (x \mathbb{C} y \sqcup z \longrightarrow x \mathbb{C} z \vee x \mathbb{C} y), \quad (\text{C4})$$

² Grzegorzcyk's representative of points are very similar to Whitehead's more known abstractive sets from [8].

- \mathbb{L} is a subset of M whose elements are called *limited regions* and satisfy the following postulates:

$$x \in \mathbb{L} \wedge y \sqsubseteq x \longrightarrow y \in \mathbb{L}, \quad (\text{L1})$$

$$x \in \mathbb{L} \vee y \in \mathbb{L} \longrightarrow x \sqcup y \in \mathbb{L}, \quad (\text{L2})$$

$$x \mathbb{C} y \longrightarrow \exists z \in \mathbb{L} (z \sqsubseteq y \wedge x \mathbb{C} z), \quad (\text{L3})$$

$$x \in \mathbb{L} \wedge x \ll y \longrightarrow \exists z \in \mathbb{L} x \ll z \ll y. \quad (\text{L4})$$

The class of the aforementioned structures will be denoted by ‘ \mathbf{R} ’ and its elements will be called *Roeper connection structures*.

In every structure from \mathbf{R} a filter \mathcal{F} is *limited* iff $\mathcal{F} \cap \mathbb{L} \neq \emptyset$. Two filters are connected ($\mathcal{F}_1 \infty \mathcal{F}_2$) iff $\forall x \in \mathcal{F}_1 \forall y \in \mathcal{F}_2 x \mathbb{C} y$. As it is proven in [7] the relation ∞ is equivalence relation in the set of all limited ultrafilters of a given Roeper connection structure. This time points are defined as equivalence classes of ∞ in the set $\text{Ult}_\ell(\mathfrak{M})$ of all limited ultrafilters of a structure $\mathfrak{M} \in \mathbf{R}$:

$$\Pi_{\mathbf{R}} := [\text{Ult}_\ell(\mathfrak{M})]_\infty. \quad (\text{df } \Pi_{\mathbf{R}})$$

Internal points of regions are defined in the following way:

$$\text{lr}_{\mathbf{R}}(x) := \{\alpha \in \Pi_{\mathbf{R}} \mid x \in \bigcap \alpha\}. \quad (\text{df } \text{lr}_{\mathbf{R}})$$

Similarly as in case of structures from \mathbf{G} , the set $\{\text{lr}_{\mathbf{R}}(x) \mid x \in M\}$ for a structure $\mathfrak{M} \in \mathbf{R}$ is a basis, and thus $\langle \Pi_{\mathbf{R}}, \mathcal{O} \rangle$ with \mathcal{O} defined in the standard way is a topological space.

3 Comparison

In our talk we aim at:

- comparing both constructions of points
- comparing properties of topological spaces generated by means of structures from \mathbf{G} and \mathbf{R} .

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