

connected subspaces

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In[1]:= SetDirectory["1:"]; << goedel.14mar19a
      :Package Title: goedel.14mar19a          2014 March 20 at 6:30 a.m.
      Loading takes about seventeen minutes, half that time due to builtin pauses.
      It is now: 2014 Mar 20 at 14:36
      Loading Simplification Rules
      TOOLS.M is now incorporated in the GOEDEL program as of 2010 September 3
      weightlimit = 40
      Loading completed.
      It is now: 2014 Mar 20 at 14:53
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summary

If x is a connected subspace and if y is an open and closed subspace of a topological space, then $x \subset y$ or $x \cap y = \mathbf{0}$. In fact, no topology axioms are needed for this result.

reference

The result derived in this notebook is Lemma 1.2 on page 149 in the following reference.

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In[53]:= "James Raymond Munkres, Topology,
          Prentice-Hall, Inc., Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey, 1975.";
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derivation

Lemma.

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In[3]:= SubstTest[or, equal[0, w], equal[x, w], not[member[w, image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]],
  not[member[image[IMAGE[id[x]], t], CONNECTED]],
  not[member[intersection[x, complement[w]], image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]]],
  not[subclass[x, U[t]]], w → intersection[x, y]] // Reverse
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Out[3]= or[equal[0, intersection[x, y]], not[member[image[IMAGE[id[x]], t], CONNECTED]],
  not[member[intersection[x, y], image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]]],
  not[member[intersection[x, complement[y]], image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]]],
  not[subclass[x, U[t]]], subclass[x, y]] = True
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In[4]:= or[equal[0, intersection[x_, y_]], not[member[image[IMAGE[id[x_]], t_], CONNECTED]],
  not[member[intersection[complement[y_], x_], image[IMAGE[id[x_]], t_]]],
  not[member[intersection[x_, y_], image[IMAGE[id[x_]], t_]]],
  not[subclass[x_, U[t_]]], subclass[x_, y_] := True
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Theorem. If x is a connected subspace, and if y is an open and closed subspace of a space with topology t , then $x \subset y$ or $x \cap y = \emptyset$.

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In[14]:= Map[not, SubstTest[and, implies[p1, p5],
  implies[and[p3, p4], p6], implies[p1, p7], implies[and[p1, p2, p3, p5], p8],
  (*implies[and[p3, p4, p7, p8], p9], *) not[implies[and[p1, p2, p3, p4], p9]],
  {p1 -> member[y, t], p2 -> member[dif[U[t], y], t], p3 -> subclass[x, U[t]],
  p4 -> member[image[IMAGE[id[x]], t], CONNECTED], p5 -> subclass[y, U[t]],
  p6 -> member[x, V], p7 -> member[intersection[x, y], image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]],
  p8 -> member[intersection[x, complement[y]], image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]],
  p9 -> or[equal[0, intersection[x, y]], subclass[x, y]]}] // Reverse
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Out[14]= or[equal[0, intersection[x, y]],
  not[member[y, t]], not[member[image[IMAGE[id[x]], t], CONNECTED]],
  not[member[intersection[complement[y], U[t]], t]],
  not[subclass[x, U[t]]], subclass[x, y]] = True
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In[16]:= or[equal[0, intersection[x_, y_]], not[member[image[IMAGE[id[x_]], t_], CONNECTED]],
  not[member[intersection[complement[y_], U[t_]], t_]],
  not[member[y_, t_]], not[subclass[x_, U[t_]]], subclass[x_, y_] := True
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Lemma. Eliminate the variable y .

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In[20]:= Map[equal[domain[#], V] &,
  SubstTest[reify, y, case[or[equal[0, intersection[x, y]], not[member[y, s]],
  not[member[u, v]], not[subclass[x, U[t]]], subclass[x, y]],
  {s → intersection[t, image[RC[U[t]], t]}, u -> image[IMAGE[id[x]], t], v -> CONNECTED}]]
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Out[20]= or[not[equal[intersection[image[IMAGE[id[x]], t], image[RC[intersection[x, U[t]]],
  image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]]], set[0, intersection[x, U[t]]]],
  not[member[intersection[x, U[t]], V]], not[subclass[x, U[t]]],
  subclass[intersection[t, image[RC[U[t]], t]],
  union[image[S, set[x]], P[complement[x]]]] = True
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In[26]:= (% /. {t → t_, x → x_, y → y_}) /. Equal → SetDelayed
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Lemma.

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In[27]:= SubstTest[implies, equal[w, intersection[x, U[t]]],
  or[not[equal[intersection[image[IMAGE[id[x]], t],
    image[RC[w], image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]]], set[0, w]]], not[member[w, V]],
  not[subclass[x, U[t]]], subclass[intersection[t, image[RC[U[t]], t]],
    union[image[S, set[x]], P[complement[x]]]]], w -> x] // Reverse
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Out[27]= or[
  not[equal[intersection[image[IMAGE[id[x]], t], image[RC[x], image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]]],
    set[0, x]]], not[member[x, V]],
  not[subclass[x, U[t]]], subclass[intersection[t, image[RC[U[t]], t]],
    union[image[S, set[x]], P[complement[x]]]]] == True
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In[28]:= (% /. {t -> t_, x -> x_, y -> y_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
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Corollary. (Restatement of the theorem with one less variable.)

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In[32]:= Map[or[not[#], not[subclass[x, U[t]]], subclass[
  intersection[t, image[RC[U[t]], t]], union[image[S, set[x]], P[complement[x]]]]] &,
  (member[s, CONNECTED] // AssertTest) /. s -> image[IMAGE[id[x]], t]]
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Out[32]= or[not[member[image[IMAGE[id[x]], t], CONNECTED]],
  not[subclass[x, U[t]]], subclass[intersection[t, image[RC[U[t]], t]],
    union[image[S, set[x]], P[complement[x]]]]] == True
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In[33]:= or[not[member[image[IMAGE[id[x_]], t_], CONNECTED]],
  not[subclass[x_, U[t_]]], subclass[intersection[t_, image[RC[U[t_]], t_]],
    union[image[S, set[x_]], P[complement[x_]]]]] := True
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