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Abstract

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ON SOME PROPERTIES OF CONSTRUCTIVE GENERALIZED FUNCTIONS

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1. The present note is a continuation of the author's work ⁽⁵⁾. In this note all special terms and notations not explained are understood in the same way as in ⁽²⁻⁵⁾. In ⁽⁵⁾ the notion of a constructive generalized function was defined; it is a constructive analogue of the classical notion of a generalized function defined in ^(6, 7).

Let us introduce some further notions and notations: let Φ_1, Φ_2 be constructive generalized functions and let a, b be real duplexes, $a < b$. Take a fixed natural number k such that $k \geq \max(|a| \square |b|)$. We shall say that Φ_1 is equal to Φ_2 in the interval $a \nabla b$, if there exists a word P of type \rightarrow such that $L(P) < l^*$ and

$$\forall x (a < x < b \supset I(k \square l - m \square \{\Phi_1\}_k)(x) -$$

$$- I(k \square l - n \square \{\Phi_2\}_k)(x) = G(P)(x)),$$

where $m \rightleftharpoons |\Phi_1|_k$, $n \rightleftharpoons |\Phi_2|_k$, $l \rightleftharpoons \max(m \square n)$, and G is the algorithm defined in Sec. 1 of ⁽⁵⁾.

It is not difficult to prove that in the indicated definition, instead of k one may take any natural number greater than or equal to $\max(|a| \square |b|)$.

We shall say that Φ_1 is equal to Φ_2 in the interval $a \nabla \infty$, if there exists an algorithm \mathfrak{P} of type (\rightarrow) possessing the following properties:

- 1) $\forall k (k > a \supset \mathfrak{P}(k))$;
- 2) $\forall k (k > a \supset L(\mathfrak{P}(k)) < l_k)$;
- 3) $\forall k x (a < x \leq k \supset I(k \square l_k - m_k \square \{\Phi_1\}_k)(x) -$

$$- I(k \square l_k - n_k \square \{\Phi_2\}_k)(x) = G(\mathfrak{P}(k))(x)),$$

where $m_k \Leftrightarrow |\Phi_1|_k$, $n_k \Leftrightarrow |\Phi_2|_k$, $l_k \Leftrightarrow \max(m_k \square n_k)$.

In an analogous way one may define the notion that Φ_1 is equal to Φ_2 in the interval $-\infty \nabla a$.

Theorem 1. *There exists an algorithm that transforms every word of the form $a \nabla b \square \Phi_1$, where a, b are real duplexes, $a < b$, and Φ_1 is a constructive generalized function, into a word of the form $n \square \mathbf{m}_1$ such that Φ_1 is equal to $\mathfrak{D}(n \square R(\mathbf{m}_1))$ in the interval $a \nabla b$.*

In other words, in every finite interval every constructive generalized function is equal to a derivative of some order of an almost uniformly continuous function.

* The notation $<$ is understood in the same way as in (5).

We shall say that the segment $a \triangle b$ is a **carrier** of the constructive generalized function Φ_1 , and shall write

$$(a \triangle b \text{ carries } \Phi_1),$$

if Φ_1 is equal to zero in the intervals $-\infty \nabla a$ and $b \nabla \infty$.

Let Φ_1 be a constructive generalized function. We shall say that Φ_1 is a **constructive generalized function with bounded carrier** if

$$\exists k (-k \triangle k \text{ carries } \Phi_1).$$

Theorem 2. *There is no algorithm that transforms each constructive generalized function Φ_1 with bounded carrier into a natural number k such that $(-k \triangle k \text{ carries } \Phi_1)$.*

Theorem 3. a) *Every constructive generalized function with bounded carrier is a constructive generalized function of finite order; b) there is no algorithm that transforms each constructive generalized function with bounded carrier Φ_1 into a natural number n such that Φ_1 is a constructive generalized function of order $\leq n$.*

2. Passing to the consideration of sequences of constructive generalized functions and of the limits of such sequences, we first introduce some notation: let \mathbf{m}_1 be a word of type \mathbf{m} , i.e. the complete code of an almost uniformly continuous function. We shall denote $\mathfrak{D}(n \square R(\mathbf{m}_1))$ by $\mathbf{m}_1^{(n)}$. If two constructive generalized functions Φ_1 and Φ_2 are equal in the interval $-k \nabla k$, we shall write $\Phi_1 \underset{k}{=} \Phi_2$.

Let λ_1 be an algorithm of type $(\mathbf{n} \rightarrow \mathbf{m})$ and X a word of type \mathbf{m} . We shall write $(X \text{ pred}_{C_k} \lambda_1)$ if $\xi(k \square X)$ is the limit of the sequence defined by the algorithm $(\tilde{\xi}_k \square \circ \lambda_1)$ in the space C_k .

Let φ be an algorithm of type $(\mathbf{n} \rightarrow \Phi)$, i.e. a sequence of constructive generalized functions. We shall say that the constructive generalized function Φ_1 is the **limit of the sequence φ in the interval $-k\nabla k$** if

$$\exists i \mathbf{m}_1 \lambda_1 (\Phi_1 =_{\bar{k}} \mathbf{m}_1^{(i)} \ \& \ \forall_n (\varphi(n) =_{\bar{k}} \lambda_1(n)^{(i)}) \ \& \ (\mathbf{m}_1 \text{ pred}_{C_k} \lambda_1)),$$

where λ_1 is a variable for algorithms of type $(\mathbf{n} \rightarrow \mathbf{m})$.

We shall call Φ_1 the **limit of the sequence φ** , if for every k , Φ_1 is the limit of the sequence φ in the interval $-k\nabla k$.

Theorem 4. a) *Every constructive generalized function is the limit of a sequence of regular constructive generalized functions;* b) *every constructive generalized function is the limit of a sequence of constructive generalized functions with bounded carriers.*

It is not difficult to prove the following assertions:

- 1) If \mathbf{m}_1 is the limit in the space \mathcal{C} of a sequence λ of words of type \mathbf{m} (i.e. for every k , $\xi(k \square \mathbf{m}_1)$ is the limit in C_k of the sequence defined by the algorithm $(\tilde{\xi}_k \square \circ \lambda)$), then $R(\mathbf{m}_1)$ is the limit of a sequence of constructive generalized functions defined by the algorithm $(R \circ \lambda)$.
- 2) If Φ_1 is the limit of the sequence φ of constructive generalized functions, then for whatever natural number m , $\mathfrak{D}(m \square \Phi_1)$ is the limit of the sequence of constructive generalized functions defined by the algorithm $(\mathfrak{D}_m \square \circ \varphi)$.

Let a real duplex α_0 be given. Let k be a natural number, \mathbf{m}_1^k a word of type \mathbf{m}^k , and λ an algorithm of type $(\mathfrak{d} \rightarrow \mathbf{m}^k)$, applicable to any-

to any duplex $\alpha \neq \alpha_0$. We shall say that \mathbf{m}_1^k is the **limit** of λ as $\alpha \rightarrow \alpha_0$ in the space C_k , if

$$\forall i \exists j \forall \alpha (-k \leq x \leq k \ \& \ 0 < |\alpha - \alpha_0| < 2^{-j} \supset |\mathbf{m}_1^k(x) - \lambda(\alpha)(x)| < 2^{-i}).$$

Let \mathbf{m}_1 be a word of type \mathbf{m} , and let λ be an algorithm of type $(\mathfrak{d} \rightarrow \mathbf{m})$, applicable to every duplex $\alpha \neq \alpha_0$. We shall say that \mathbf{m}_1 is the **limit** of λ as $\alpha \rightarrow \alpha_0$ in the space C_k , and shall write

$$(\mathbf{m}_1 \text{ pred}_{C_k(\alpha \rightarrow \alpha_0)} \lambda),$$

if $\xi(k \square \mathbf{m}_1)$ is the limit of $(\tilde{\xi}_k \square \circ \lambda)$ as $\alpha \rightarrow \alpha_0$ in the space C_k .

Now let φ be an algorithm of type $(\mathfrak{d} \rightarrow \Phi)$, applicable to every duplex $\alpha \neq \alpha_0$. We shall say that the constructive generalized function Φ_1 is the **limit** of φ as $\alpha \rightarrow \alpha_0$, if for every natural number k the following holds:

$$\exists i j \mathbf{m}_1 \lambda_1 (\Phi_1 = \mathbf{m}_1^{(i)} \ \& \ \forall \alpha (0 < |\alpha - \alpha_0| < 2^{-j} \supset$$

$$\supset \varphi(\alpha) = \lambda_1(\alpha)^{(i)} \ \& \ (\mathbf{m}_1 \text{ pred}_{C_k(\alpha \rightarrow \alpha_0)} \lambda_1)),$$

where λ_1 is a variable for algorithms of type $(\mathfrak{d} \rightarrow \mathfrak{m})$, applicable to any duplex $\alpha \neq \alpha_0$.

3. We define the operator of a linear change of variable for constructive generalized functions.

Let $\alpha \neq 0$ and β be real duplexes, and let $\Phi_1 \simeq X\tau Y\tau Z\tau T$ be a constructive generalized function. Construct an algorithm η of type $(\mathfrak{n} \rightarrow \mathfrak{n})$ such that

$$\forall k (\eta(k) > |\alpha|k + |\beta|).$$

Construct algorithms λ of type $(\mathfrak{n} \rightarrow \mathfrak{m})$, N of type $(\mathfrak{n} \rightarrow \mathfrak{n})$, Q of type $(\mathfrak{nn} \rightarrow \mathfrak{n})$, such that

$$\forall n x (\lambda(n)(x) \simeq \langle X \rangle(n)(\alpha x + \beta));$$

$$\forall k (N(k) \simeq \langle Y \rangle(\eta(k)));$$

$$\forall k m (Q(k \square m) \simeq \langle T \rangle(\eta(k) \square m)).$$

It is possible to construct an algorithm P of type $(\mathfrak{nn} \rightarrow \mathfrak{n})$ such that, for any k and n , $L(P(k \square n)) < p$ ($p \simeq N(k)$), and for every x in $-k \triangle k$:

$$\mathfrak{S}(p \square \lambda(n))(x) + G(P(k \square n))(x) =$$

$$= \frac{1}{\alpha^p} \cdot \mathfrak{S}(p \square \langle X \rangle(n)) + G(\langle Z \rangle(\eta(k) \square n))(\alpha x + \beta).$$

It is not difficult to prove that the word $\xi\lambda 3\tau\xi N 3\tau\xi P 3\tau\xi Q 3$ represents a constructive generalized function. One can construct an algorithm which transforms each word of the form $\alpha \square \beta \square \Phi_1$ into the corresponding word $\xi\lambda 3\tau\xi N 3\tau\xi P 3\tau\xi Q 3$. We shall denote this algorithm by \mathcal{L} .

Let c be a real duplex. Denote by \tilde{c} a word of type \mathfrak{m} such that

$$\forall x (\tilde{c}(x) = c),$$

and then denote $R(\tilde{c})$ by \bar{c} . Then \bar{c} is a constructive generalized function.

A constructive generalized function Φ_1 is called **constant** if there exists a real duplex c such that $\Phi_1 = \bar{c}$.

Let a constructive generalized function Φ_1 and a real duplex x_0 be given. We construct an algorithm φ of type $(D \rightarrow \Phi)$, such that for any $a \neq 0$:

$$\varphi(a) \simeq \mathcal{L}(a \square x_0 \square \Phi_1). \quad (1)$$

Copying the classical proof (see ⁽⁶⁾, § 16), we can prove the following assertion: if there exists such a constructive generalized function Φ_2 that Φ_2 is the limit of φ as $a \rightarrow 0$, then Φ_2 is constant.

We shall say that a real duplex c is a **value** of the constructive generalized function Φ_1 at the point x_0 , and shall write

$$(c \underline{\text{val}}_{x_0} \Phi_1),$$

if \bar{c} is the limit of the algorithm φ , defined by formula (1), as $a \rightarrow 0$.

The point x_0 is called a **regular point** of the constructive generalized function Φ_1 if $\exists c(c \underline{\text{val}}_{x_0} \Phi_1)$; it is called a **singular point** of Φ_1 if it is not a regular point of Φ_1 .

It is easy to prove that if Φ_1 is equal to $R(\mathfrak{sh}_1)$ in some interval $a \nabla b$, where \mathfrak{sh}_1 is a word of type \mathfrak{sh} , then every point x_0 in $a \nabla b$ is a regular point of Φ_1 , and whatever the point x_0 in $a \nabla b$, $(\mathfrak{sh}_1(x_0) \underline{\text{val}}_{x_0} \Phi_1)$.

Łojasiewicz's theorem (Theorem 2.3 ⁽⁸⁾) is transferred into constructive mathematics in the following way.

Let Φ_1 be a constructive generalized function and x_0 a real duplex. Let $k > |x_0|$. The real duplex c is a value of Φ_1 at the point x_0 if and only if there exist a number n and a word \mathfrak{sh}_1 such that Φ_1 is equal to $\mathfrak{sh}_1^{(n)}$ in $-k \nabla k$, and $c/n!$ is the limit of the function f , defined by the formula

$$\forall x (f(x) \simeq \mathfrak{sh}_1(x) : (x - x_0)^n),$$

as $x \rightarrow x_0$.

Theorem 5. *One can construct a constructive generalized function Φ_1 possessing the property: there is no function f of a real variable, defined at all regular points of Φ_1 , and such that at every regular point x_0 of Φ_1 one has $(f(x_0) \underline{\text{val}}_{x_0} \Phi_1)$.*

The proof of this theorem is based on Theorem 5.1 from ⁽¹⁾ and the lemma of § 1, Chapter III from ⁽⁴⁾.

Theorem 6. *There exists such a constructive everywhere-defined function f of a real variable that there is no constructive generalized function Φ_1 satisfying the condition:*

$$\forall x (f(x) \underline{\text{val}}_x \Phi_1).$$

The question of a constructive analogue of the concept of generalized function, based on the concept of a linear continuous functional in the space of finite infinitely differentiable functions, will be considered in another communication.

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