

Re: Local Homeomorphisms

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On 20.04.2008 10:48, William Elliot wrote:

On Fri, 18 Apr 2008, Jannick Asmus wrote:

On 18.04.2008 12:13, William Elliot wrote:

What's the trace topology?

.... the induced topology on a subset, cf., e.g., http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Subspace_topology.

Google might become your friend one day. ;)

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a continuous bijection, X locally compact, Y Hausdorff.

Is f a local homeomorphism? Well clearly for all x , some open U neighborhood x with U homeomorphic $f(U)$, but is $f(U)$ open?

Certainly not: identity map $(\mathbb{R}, \text{discrete topology}) \rightarrow (\mathbb{R}, \text{norm topology})$.

Another counter example is $f: [0,1) \rightarrow S^1$.

Right.

It appears that in the notion of covering map, that the local homeomorphism has $f(U)$ being open, not by the definition of local homeomorphism, but by the definition of covering map.

In other words
covering map \rightarrow local homeomorphism with open local images.

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This is just convention – as I said already.

Some compact K with x in $\text{int } K$
 $f: \text{int } K \rightarrow Y$ closed continuous bijection.
 $\text{int } K$ homeomorphic $f(\text{int } K)$

Why is $f(\text{int } K)$ open, or is it?

HTH.

HTH ?

Convention – like "nhood". I do not want to argue about something like this. ;)

What's the definition of HTH?

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Best wishes,

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