## **On** *G*-quotient Mappings and Networks Defined by *G*-convergence

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**Abstract.** Let  $G_1, G_2$  be methods on topological spaces X and Y respectively,  $f: X \to Y$  be a mapping,  $\mathscr{P}$  be a cover of X. f is said to be a  $(G_1, G_2)$ -quotient mapping provided  $f^{-1}(U)$  is  $G_1$ -open in X, then U is  $G_2$ -open in Y.  $\mathscr{P}$  is called a G-cs'-network of X if whenever  $x = \{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in c_G(X)$  and  $G(x) = x \in U$  with U open in X, then there exists some  $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\{x, x_{n_0}\} \subset P \subset U$  for some  $P \in \mathscr{P}$ .  $\mathscr{P}$  is called a G-kernel cover of X if  $\{(U)_G : U \in \mathscr{P}\}$  is a cover of X. In this paper, we introduce the concepts of  $(G_1, G_2)$ -quotient mappings, G-cs'-networks and G-kernel covers of X. In particular, we obtain that if G is a subsequential method and X is a G-Fréchet space with a point-countable G-cs'-network, then X is a meta-Lindelöf space.

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## 1 Introduction

Convergence of sequences in a topological space is a basic and important concept in mathematics. In addition to the usual convergence of sequences, statistical convergence, ideal convergence and even the general *G*-convergence have attracted extensive attention [1–3]. Based on several kinds of convergence properties in real analysis, Connor and Grosse-Erdmann [1] introduced *G*-methods defined on a linear subspace of the vector space of all real sequences, *G*-convergence on real spaces and *G*-continuity for real functions, studied the relationship among *G*-continuous functions, linear functions and continuous functions, established the dichotomy theorem of *G*-continuity and extended several known results in the literature. Çakallı [4–6] extended the concepts to topological

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groups satisfying the first axiom of countability, and defined *G*-sequential compactness and *G*-sequential connectedness. At the same time, he also discussed *G*-sequential continuity by means of *G*-sequential closures and *G*-sequentially closed sets.

As we know, mappings and networks are important concepts in investigating topological spaces. Continuous mappings, quotient mappings, pseudo-open mappings, *cs*networks, *sn*-networks, *k*-networks and so on are the most important tools for studying convergence, sequential spaces, Fréchet-Urysohn spaces and generalized metric spaces [7]. For this reason, this paper draws into  $(G_1, G_2)$ -quotient mappings,  $(G_1, G_2)$ -covering mappings, *G-cs'*-networks and *G*-kernel covers, and discusses some basic properties of them.

Recently, Mucuk and Şahan [8] have introduced the notions of *G*-sequentially open sets and *G*-sequential neighborhoods of first-countable topological groups and investigated *G*-sequential continuity in topological groups. Liu [9, 10] gave some properties of *G*-neighborhoods, *G*-continuity at a point, *G*-derived sets and *G*-boundaries of a set. Mucuk and Çakallı [11] have introduced the *G*-Connectedness in topological groups. Wu and Lin [12] have introduced the properties of *G*-connectedness and *G*-topological groups. Ping and Liu [13] have introduced the properties of *G*-connectedness in generalized topology spaces.

Let *X* be a set, s(X) denote the set of all *X*-valued sequences, i.e.,  $x \in s(X)$  if and only if  $\mathbf{x} = \{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a sequence with each  $x_n \in X$ . If  $f : X \to Y$  is a mapping, then  $f(\mathbf{x}) = \{f(x_n)\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  for each  $\mathbf{x} = \{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in s(X)$ . If *X* is a topological space, the set of all *X*-valued convergent sequences is denoted by c(X), and we put  $\lim \mathbf{x} = \lim_{n \to \infty} x_n$  for any  $\mathbf{x} \in c(X)$ .  $\langle x_n \rangle$  denotes the subset  $\{x_n : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$  of *X*. In this paper, all topological spaces are assumed to satisfy the  $T_2$  separation property and all mappings are surjection. The readers may refer to [7, 14] for notation and terminology not explicitly given here.

## 2 Preliminaries

**Definition 2.1.** Let X be a set. (1) A method on X is a function  $G: c_G(X) \to X$  defined on a subset  $c_G(X)$  of s(X). A sequence  $\mathbf{x} = \{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  in X is said to be G-convergent to  $l \in X$  if  $\mathbf{x} \in c_G(X)$  and  $G(\mathbf{x}) = l$ .

(2) Let X be a topological space.

(2.1) A method  $G: c_G(X) \to X$  is called regular if  $c(X) \subset c_G(X)$  and  $G(\mathbf{x}) = \lim \mathbf{x}$  for each  $\mathbf{x} \in c(X)$ .

(2.2) A method  $G:c_G(X) \to X$  is called subsequential if, whenever  $\mathbf{x} \in c_G(X)$  is G-convergent to  $l \in X$ , then there exists a subsequence  $\mathbf{x}' \in c(X)$  of  $\mathbf{x}$  with  $\lim \mathbf{x}' = l$ .

(2.3) A method  $G : c_G(X) \to X$  is called point if, whenever the constant sequence  $\mathbf{x} = \{x, x, x, \dots\} \in c_G(X)$  with  $G(\mathbf{x}) = x$  for each  $x \in X$ .

By Definition 2.1, we see that the definitions of *G*-methods and *G*-convergence do not involve a topology of a set *X*. Obviously, statistical convergence [2] method in topological spaces is a regular method; admissible ideal convergence [3] method in topological