

THE BANACH — STEINHAUS THEOREM FOR MULTIVALUED
M-CONVEX MAPPINGS

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The well-known Banach—Steinhaus Theorem asserts that a family of linear continuous and point bounded mappings from a barrel space into a Hausdorff locally convex space is equicontinuous [1]. More precisely, let X be a barrel space, Y a Hausdorff locally convex space and let $\mathcal{F} = \{f_v, v \in I\}$ be a family of linear continuous mappings from X into Y such that for every $x \in X$ the set $\{f_v(x), v \in I\}$ is bounded in Y . Then for every neighbourhood V of the origin of Y there is a neighbourhood U of the origin of X such that

$$f_v(U) \subset V \text{ for each } v \in I.$$

Our purpose in the present paper is to extend the above mentioned result to multivalued M -convex mappings.

First, let us introduce some notations and definitions. Throughout this paper we shall denote by X a barrel space, by Y a Hausdorff locally convex space and by M a closed convex cone in Y .

Definition 1. A multivalued mappings $F : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be M -convex if for all points x and y of X and for all $\alpha \in [0,1]$

$$F(\alpha x + (1 - \alpha)y) \subset \alpha F(x) + (1 - \alpha)F(y) + M,$$

Definition 2. Given $x_0 \in X$, we say that a family of multivalued mappings $\mathcal{F} = \{F_v, v \in I\}$ from X into Y is (M, x_0) -bounded if for every neighbourhood V of the origin of Y and for every $x \in X$ there exist a positive number ρ and an index $v_0 \in I$ such that

$$F_v(x) \subset \rho V + F_{v_0}(x_0) + M,$$

for each $v \in I$.

Definition 3. We say that a set $A \subset Y$ is M -bounded if for every neighbourhood V of the origin of Y there exists a positive number ρ such that

$$A \subset \rho V + M$$

Definition 4. A family of multivalued mappings $\mathcal{F} = \{F_v, v \in I\}$ from X into Y is said to be M -bounded at $x_0 \in X$, if the set $\bigcup_{v \in I} F_v(x_0)$ is M -bounded.

Proposition 1. Let $\mathcal{F} = \{F_v, v \in I\}$ be a family of multivalued mappings from X into Y .

a) If \mathcal{F} is (M, x_0) -bounded and if for every $v \in I$ the set $F_v(x_0)$ is M -bounded then \mathcal{F} is M -bounded at every point of X .

b) If \mathcal{F} is M -bounded at every point of X then \mathcal{F} is (M, x) -bounded for every point $x \in X$, for which there exists $v_0 \in I$ such that $-F_{v_0}(x)$ is M -bounded.

Proof. a) Suppose that $\mathcal{F} = \{F_v, v \in I\}$ is (M, x_0) -bounded. By definition, for every neighbourhood V of the origin of Y and for every $x \in X$ there exists a positive number ρ and an index $v_0 \in I$ such that

$$F_v(x) \subset \rho V + F_{v_0}(x_0) + M \quad (\text{all } v \in I) \quad (1)$$

If $F_{v_0}(x_0)$ is M -bounded there is a positive number p such that

$$F_{v_0}(x_0) \subset pV + M \quad (2)$$

From (1) and (2) it follows that for every V and for every $x \in X$,

$$F_v(x) \subset \rho^*V + M \quad (\text{all } v \in I)$$

where $\rho^* = \rho + p$. This means that for every $x \in X$, $\bigcup_{v \in I} F_v(x)$ is M -bounded in Y .

b) Suppose now that \mathcal{F} is M -bounded at every point of X and consider an arbitrary point x_0 of X for which there exists $v \in I$ such that $-F_v(x_0)$ is M -bounded in Y . For every neighbourhood V in Y and for every $x \in X$ there is a positive number ρ satisfying

$$F_v(x) \subset \rho V + M \quad (\text{all } v \in I) \quad (3)$$

Since $-F_v(x_0)$ is M -bounded there is a positive number γ such that

$$-F_v(x_0) \subset \gamma V + M. \quad (4)$$

Setting $\rho^* = \rho + \gamma$ we obtain from (3) and (4) that for any $x \in X$, there are $\rho^* > 0$ and $v_0 \in I$ such that:

$$\begin{aligned} F_v(x) &\subset \rho V + M \subset \rho V + F_{v_0}(x_0) + M - F_{v_0}(x_0) \\ &\subset (\rho + \gamma)V + F_{v_0}(x_0) + M = \rho^*V + F_{v_0}(x_0) + M \end{aligned}$$

(all $v \in I$). Therefore \mathcal{F} is (M, x_0) -bounded. The proof is complete.

Definition 5. A family $\mathcal{F} = \{F_v, v \in I\}$ of multivalued mappings from X into Y is said to be M -equicontinuous at $x_0 \in X$ if for every neighbourhood V of the origin of Y there exists a neighbourhood U of the origin of X such that $F_v(x_0 + U) \subset V + F_v(x_0) + M$ for all $v \in I$.

Definition 6. A family $\mathcal{F} = \{F_v, v \in I\}$ of multivalued mappings from X into Y is said to be (M, x_0) -equicontinuous if for every neighbourhood V of the origin of Y , there exists a neighbourhood U of the origin of X such that

$$F_v(x_0 + U) \subset V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(x_0) \right) + M,$$

for all $v \in I$.

Clearly, if \mathcal{F} is M -equicontinuous at x_0 then it is also (M, x_0) -equicontinuous. Conversely, we have the following

Proposition 2. Let $\mathcal{F} = \{F_\nu, \nu \in I\}$ be a family of M -convex, multivalued mappings which are (M, x_0) -equicontinuous, and satisfy the following conditions:

- i) $F_\nu(x_0)$ is a convex set for every $\nu \in I$,
- ii) \mathcal{F} and $-\mathcal{F}$ are M -bounded at x_0 .

Then \mathcal{F} is M -equicontinuous at the point x_0 .

(Here $-\mathcal{F}$ denote: the family $\{-F \mid F \in \mathcal{F}\}$)

Proof. Without loss of generality it can be assumed that $x_0 = 0$ (otherwise one could use the family of mappings

$$\mathcal{F} = \{\bar{F}_\nu, \nu \in I\} \quad \text{where} \quad \bar{F}_\nu(x) = F_\nu(x_0 + x).$$

Since \mathcal{F} is $(M, 0)$ -equicontinuous, for every neighbourhood V (which we can assume to be convex) of the origin of Y , there exists a neighbourhood U in X such that

$$F_\nu(U) \subset V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(0) \right) + M, \quad (5)$$

(all $\nu \in I$).

By Condition (ii), one can find a positive number ρ_0 such that

$$F_\nu(0) \cup -F_\nu(0) \subset \rho_0 V + M \quad (6)$$

(all $\nu \in I$).

Therefore

$$\text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(0) \right) \subset \text{conv}(\rho_0 V + M) = \rho_0 V + M. \quad (7)$$

From (5) and (7) we deduce

$$F_\nu(U) \subset (1 + \rho_0)V + M \quad (\text{all } \nu \in I). \quad (8)$$

This together with (6) yields

$$\begin{aligned} F_\nu(U) &\subset (1 + \rho_0)V + M \subset (1 + \rho_0)V + M - F_\nu(0) + F_\nu(0) \\ &\subset (1 + 2\rho_0)V + F_\nu(0) + M \quad (\text{all } \nu \in I). \end{aligned}$$

Setting $U' = \frac{1}{1+2\rho_0} U$ we have for each $x' \in U'$ $x = (1 + 2\rho_0)x' \in U$, hence:

$$F_\nu(x') = F_\nu \left(\frac{1+2\rho_0}{1+2\rho_0} x' \right) = F_\nu \left(\frac{1}{1+2\rho_0} x + \left(1 - \frac{1}{1+2\rho_0} \right) 0 \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&< \frac{1}{1+2\rho_0} F_v(x) + \left(1 - \frac{1}{1+2\rho_0}\right) F_v(O) + M \\
&< \frac{1}{1+2\rho_0} ((1+2\rho_0)V + F_v(O) + M) + \left(1 - \frac{1}{1+2\rho_0}\right) F_v(O) + M. \\
&< V + F_v(O) + M \quad (\text{all } v \in I)
\end{aligned}$$

This shows that \mathcal{F} is M -equicontinuous at O and so concludes the proof.

Definition 7. A multivalued mapping F from X into Y is said to be M -closed if for every closed set A in Y , the set

$$F^-(A) = \{x \in X, F(x) \subset A + M\}$$

is closed in X .

Theorem I. Let $\mathcal{F} = \{F_v, v \in I\}$ be a family of M -convex, M -closed multivalued mappings from X into Y . Let $x_0 \in X$. If \mathcal{F} is (M, x_0) -bounded then it is also (M, x_0) -equicontinuous.

Proof. We shall assume $x_0 = 0$. Let V be a convex balanced and closed neighbourhood of the origin of Y .

Set:

$$\begin{aligned}
A &= \bigcap_{v \in I} \overline{F_v \left(\frac{1}{2}V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(O) \right) + M \right)} \\
&= \bigcap_{v \in I} \left\{ x \in X, F_v(x) \subset \overline{\left(\frac{1}{2}V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(O) \right) + M \right)} \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

where the bar denotes the topological closure.

Obviously $A \neq \emptyset$ (at least $O \in A$). For any two elements x_1, x_2 of A and for any $\alpha \in [0, 1]$ we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&F_v(\alpha x_1 + (1-\alpha)x_2) \subset \alpha F_v(x_1) + (1-\alpha)F_v(x_2) + M \\
&< \alpha \overline{\left(\frac{1}{2}V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(O) \right) + M \right)} + (1-\alpha) \overline{\left(\frac{1}{2}V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(O) \right) + M \right)} + M \\
&= \overline{\left(\frac{1}{2}V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(O) \right) + M \right)} \quad (\text{all } v \in I).
\end{aligned}$$

Consequently $\alpha x_1 + (1-\alpha)x_2 \in A$ which shows the convexity of A . Since F_v is M -closed, A is closed in X .

Let x be an arbitrary point of X . As \mathcal{F} is M -bounded relatively to O , for $\frac{1}{2}V$ there exists positive numbers ρ_1, ρ_2 and indices $v_1 \in I, v_2 \in I$ such that:

$$F_v(x) \subset \frac{1}{2} \rho_1 V + F_{v_1}(O) + M \quad (\text{all } v \in I).$$

$$F_v(-x) \subset \frac{1}{2} \rho_2 V + F_{v_2}(O) + M$$

Without loss of generality we may suppose $\rho_1 \geq 1$, $\rho_2 \geq 1$. Then we have:

$$\begin{aligned} F_v\left(\frac{1}{\rho_1} x\right) &= F_v\left(\frac{1}{\rho_1} x + \left(1 - \frac{1}{\rho_1}\right) O\right) \subset \frac{1}{\rho_1} F_v(x) + \left(1 - \frac{1}{\rho_1}\right) F_v(O) + M \\ &\subset \frac{1}{\rho_1} \left(\frac{1}{2} \rho_1 V + F_v(O) + M\right) + \left(1 - \frac{1}{\rho_1}\right) F_v(O) + M \\ &\subset \overline{\left(\frac{1}{2} V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(O)\right) + M\right)} \end{aligned}$$

(all $v \in I$). Consequently $\frac{1}{\rho_1} x \in A$. Similarly $-\frac{x}{\rho_1} \in A$. Put $\rho_0 = \max\{\rho_1, \rho_2\}$ we

have $\frac{x}{\rho_0} \in A \cap (-A)$ i.e. $A \cap -A$ is an absorbing set in X . Then $U = A \cap (-A)$

is a non-empty convex balanced and absorbing set. Remembering that X is a barrel space, we conclude that U is a neighbourhood of the origin of X . We have:

$$\begin{aligned} F_v(U) &\subset \overline{\left(\frac{1}{2} V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(O)\right) + M\right)} + M \\ &\subset \frac{1}{2} V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(O)\right) + M + M + \frac{1}{2} V \\ &= V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{\mu \in I} F_\mu(O)\right) + M. \quad (\text{all } v \in I). \end{aligned}$$

Thus \mathcal{F} is (M, O) -equicontinuous, which concludes the proof.

Corollary 1. Let $\mathcal{F} = \{F_v, v \in I\}$ be family of M -convex, M -closed multi-valued mappings from X into Y . Assume that for some $x_0 \in X$:

(i) $F_v(x_0)$ is convex for each $v \in I$,

(ii) \mathcal{F} and $-\mathcal{F}$ are M -bounded at every point of X . Then \mathcal{F} is M -equicontinuous at x_0 .

Proof. This follows at once from Proposition 2, since in view of part b) of Proposition 1, the family \mathcal{F} is (M, x_0) -bounded.

Corollary 2. Let $\mathcal{F} = \{f_v, v \in I\}$ be a family of M -convex, M -closed single-valued mappings. Assume that \mathcal{F} and $-\mathcal{F}$ are M -bounded at x_0 . Then \mathcal{F} is M -equicontinuous at x_0 .

Proof. Obvious.

Definition 8. A multivalued mapping F from X into Y is said to be M -upper semicontinuous at $x_0 \in X$ if for any neighbourhood V of the origin of Y there exists a neighbourhood U of the origin of X such that

$$F(x_0 + U) \subset V + F(x_0) + M$$

Definition 9. A family $\mathcal{F} = \{F_v, v \in I\}$ of multivalued mappings from X into Y is said to be M -converging to the multivalued mapping F at $x_0 \in X$ if for any neighbourhood V of the origin in Y there exists $v_0 \in I$ such that

$$F_v(x_0) \subset F(x_0) + V + M$$

and $F(x_0) \subset F_v(x_0) + V + M$ whenever $v \geq v_0$.

Theorem 2. Let $\{F_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ be a sequence of M -convex, M -closed, multivalued mappings from X into Y which are (M, x_0) -bounded.

Assume:

- i) $F_n(x_0)$ is M -bounded in Y for every n ,
- ii) $\{F_n\}$ is M -converging to F at every point of X ,
- iii) $F(x)$ is compact for all $x \in X$ and $F(x_0)$ is convex.

Then F is M -convex, M -upper semi-continuous at x_0 .

Proof. It is clear that F is a M -convex mapping. So we have only to prove the M -upper semicontinuity of F at x_0 . Without loss of generality we may assume $x_0 = 0$. By Theorem 1, for any neighbourhood V (which we may assume to be convex) of the origin of Y there exists a neighbourhood U in X such that

$$F_n(U) \subset V + \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{m=1}^{\infty} F_m(O) \right) + M, \text{ for every } n. \quad (9)$$

Since $\{F_m\}$ is M -converging to F at O there exists m_0 with

$$F_m(O) \subset F(O) + V + M \text{ for all } m \geq m_0. \quad (10)$$

But by hypothesis $F_m(O)$ is M -bounded in Y , therefore one can find a number $\rho_0 > 0$ such that

$$\bigcup_{m=1}^{m_0} F_m(O) \subset \rho_0 V + M. \quad (11)$$

From (10) and (11) we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{conv} \left(\bigcup_{m=1}^{\infty} F_m(O) \right) &= \text{conv} \left(\left(\bigcup_{m=1}^{m_0} F_m(O) \right) \cup \left(\bigcup_{m=m_0}^{\infty} F_m(O) \right) \right) \\ &\subset (1 + \rho_0) V + F(O) + M. \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

Relations (9) and (12) imply :

$$F_n(U) \subset (2 + \rho_0)V + F(O) + M \quad (\text{all } n),$$

Let x be an arbitrary point in U . Since $\{F_n\}$ is M -convergent to F at x , there exists a number $n_0 \geq m_0$ such that :

$$F(x) \subset F_n(x) + V + M \subset (3 + \rho_0)V + F(O) + M,$$

for all $n \geq n_0$.

Therefore

$$F(U) \subset (3 + \rho_0)V + F(O) + M.$$

Taking $U' = \frac{1}{3 + \rho_0} U$, we have for every $x' \in U'$, an $x \in U$ such that $x' =$

$\frac{1}{3 + \rho_0} x$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} F(x') &= F\left(\frac{1}{3 + \rho_0} x\right) = F\left(\frac{1}{3 + \rho_0} x + \left(1 - \frac{1}{3 + \rho_0}\right) O\right) \\ &\subset \frac{1}{3 + \rho_0} F(x) + \left(1 - \frac{1}{3 + \rho_0}\right) F(O) + M \\ &\subset \frac{1}{3 + \rho_0} (3 + \rho_0)V + F(O) + M + \left(1 - \frac{1}{3 + \rho_0}\right) F(O) + M \\ &= V + F(O) + M \end{aligned}$$

Consequently

$$F(U') \subset V + F(O) + M,$$

so that F is M -upper semicontinuous at O , as was to be proved.

Proposition 3. Let $\{F_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ be a sequence of multivalued mappings from X into Y . Suppose that $\{F_n\}$ is M -converging to F at x_0 and $F_n(x_0)$ is M -bounded for every n . Then the sequence $\{F_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ is M -bounded at x_0 .

Proof. Let V be an arbitrary neighbourhood of the origin of Y . By the M -convergence of $\{F_n\}$ to F , there is a number n_0 such that

$$F_n(x_0) \subset F(x_0) + V + M \quad (\text{all } n \geq n_0) \text{ and} \quad (13)$$

$$F(x_0) \subset F_n(x_0) + V + M. \quad (14)$$

From the M -boundedness of $F_n(x_0)$ and from (14) it follows that $F(x_0)$ is M -Bounded i.e. there exists a number $\rho_1 > 0$ with

$$F(x_0) \subset \rho_1 V + M. \quad (15)$$

Furthermore, $F_n(x_0)$ is M -bounded for every n . Thus we have :

$$\bigcup_{n=1}^{n_0} F_n(x_0) \subset \rho_2 V + M \quad (16)$$

for some $\rho_2 > 0$. Relations (13) and (15) give

$$F_n(x_0) \subset \rho_0 V + M \quad (\text{all } n)$$

with $\rho_0 = \max(1 + \rho_1, \rho_2)$. This proves the Proposition.

Theorem 5. Let $\{F_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ be a sequence of M -convex, M -closed multivalued mappings from X into Y .

Suppose :

- i) $\{F_n\}$ is M -converging to F at every point of X .
- ii) for some $x_0 \in X$ $F_n(x_0)$ is M -bounded and convex in Y for every n .
- iii) $F(x)$ is compact for every $x \in X$. Then F is M -upper semicontinuous at x_0 .

Proof. Proposition 2 and Proposition 3 imply the M -equicontinuity of the family $\{F_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ at x_0 (assuming $x_0 = 0$). Thus, for any neighbourhood of the origin V of Y there is a neighbourhood U of the origin of X such that

$$F_n(U) \subset V + F_n(O) + M \quad (\text{all } n) \quad (17)$$

By Theorem 2, F is M -convex. For every $x \in U$, from the M -convergence of $\{F_n\}$ to F at x and at O , there exists n_0 such that

$$F_n(O) \subset F(O) + V + M \quad \text{and} \quad (18)$$

$$F(x) \subset F_n(x) + V + M \quad \text{for every } n \geq n_0. \quad (19)$$

Relations (17) and (19) imply :

$$F(x) \subset V + V + F_n(O) + M \quad (\text{all } n \geq n_0)$$

and hence, by taking (18) into account :

$$F(x) \subset 3V + F(O) + M$$

for very $x \in U$

Taking $U' = \frac{1}{3} \cdot U$ we conclude

$$F(U') \subset V + F(O) + M$$

i.e. F is M -upper semicontinuous at O .

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