

# Topological Vistas from Considering Spaces as Small Categories

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- Preliminaries on small categories
- From preordered sets to metric spaces to small quantale-enriched categories
- A step-by-step approach to the ultrafilter convergence axiomatization of a topology
- Small (monad, quantale)-enriched categories
- A fundamental adjunction
- Equationally defined topological properties for objects and morphisms
- Trading convergence relations for closure operations
- Comparison with the internal-category approach
- Problems, projects, references

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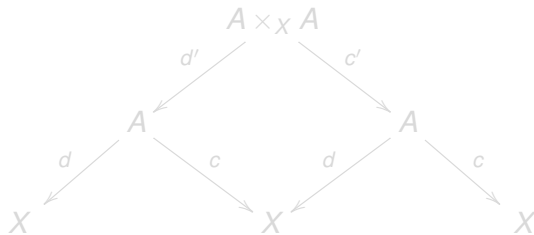
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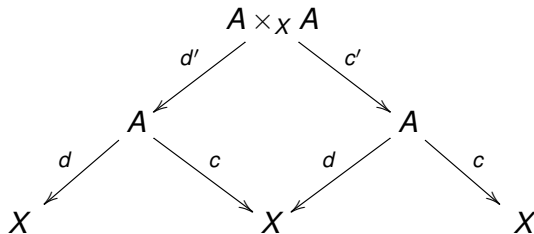


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# Lawvere 1973: From ordered sets to metric spaces

**Ord**  $a : X \times X \rightarrow 2 = (\{\perp, \top\}, \Rightarrow, \&, \top)$   $\top \Rightarrow a(x, x)$   
 $f : (X, a) \rightarrow (Y, b)$   $a(x, y \& a(y, z) \Rightarrow a(x, z)$   
 $a(x, x') \Rightarrow b(fx, fx')$

**Met**  $d : X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty] = ([0, \infty], \geq, +, 0)$   $0 \geq d(x, x)$   
 $f : (X, d) \rightarrow (Y, e)$   $d(x, y) + d(y, z) \geq d(x, z)$   
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Note:  $(2, \&, \top) \in \mathbf{CMon}(\mathbf{Ord})$       Actually:  $(2, \&, \top) \in \mathbf{CMon}(\mathbf{Sup})$   
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where **Sup** is the *monoidal* category of complete lattices and  $\bigvee$ -preserving maps, since the above structure maps  $a$  and  $d$  actually preserve  $\bigvee$  in each variable.

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# Some examples

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2	<b>Ord</b>	(pre)ordered sets $(X, \leq)$
$[0, \infty]$ $\cong [0, 1]$	<b>Met</b> $\cong$ <b>ProbOrd</b>	(generalized) metric spaces $(X, d)$ probabilistic (pre)ordered sets $(X, p : X \times X \rightarrow [0, 1])$ (think $p(x, y) =$ probability of $x \leq y$ , with $\leq$ a random order on $X$ )
$2^M$	<b>M-Ord</b>	$M$ -scaled (pre)ordered sets $(X, (\leq_\alpha)_{\alpha \in M})$ $x \leq_\eta x$ ( $\eta$ neutral in $M$ ); $x \leq_\alpha y, y \leq_\beta z \Rightarrow x \leq_{\alpha \cdot \beta} z$
$\Delta$	<b>ProbMet</b>	probabilistic (generalized) metric spaces $(X, (p_\alpha)_{\alpha \geq 0})$ (think $p_\alpha(x, y) =$ prob'ty of $d(x, y) < \alpha$ , with $d$ a random metric) $p_0(x, x) = 0, \quad (\alpha > 0 \Rightarrow p_\alpha(x, x) = 1)$ $\alpha + \beta \leq \gamma \Rightarrow p_\alpha(x, y) \cdot p_\beta(y, z) \leq p_\gamma(x, z)$

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Pictured as sequences:

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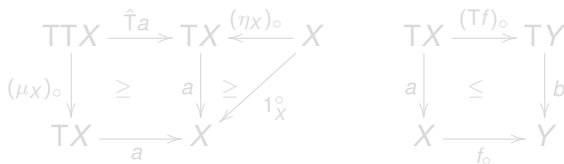
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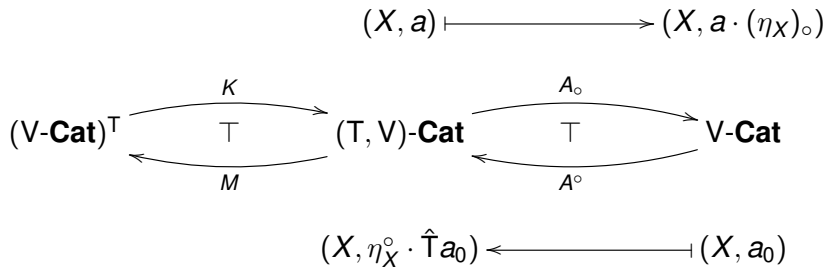
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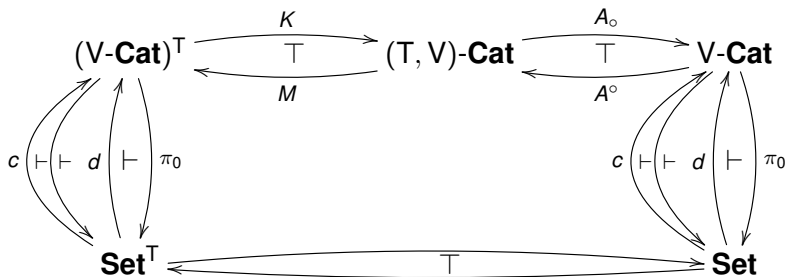
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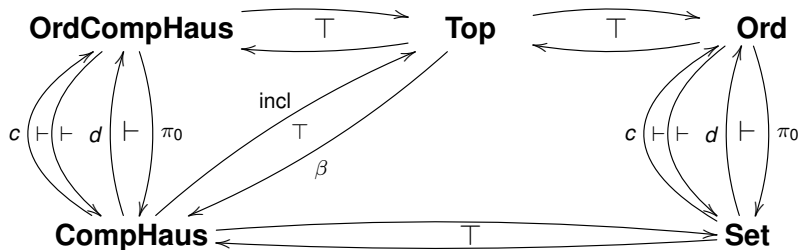
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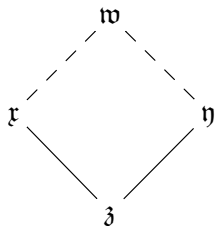
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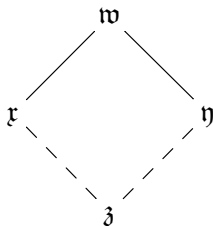
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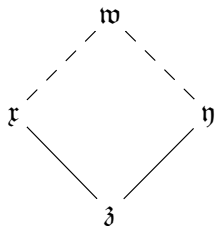
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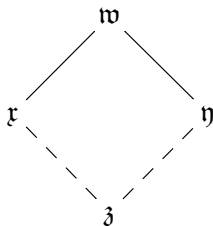
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$$A_\varepsilon : (U, V)\text{-Cat} \rightarrow (P, V)\text{-Cat}, \quad (X, a) \mapsto (X, c_a = a \circ \varepsilon_X)$$

$$(c_a A)(y) = \bigvee_{\mathfrak{x} \ni A} a(\mathfrak{x}, y)$$

$A_\varepsilon$  has a right adjoint  $(X, c) \mapsto (X, a_c)$ , with

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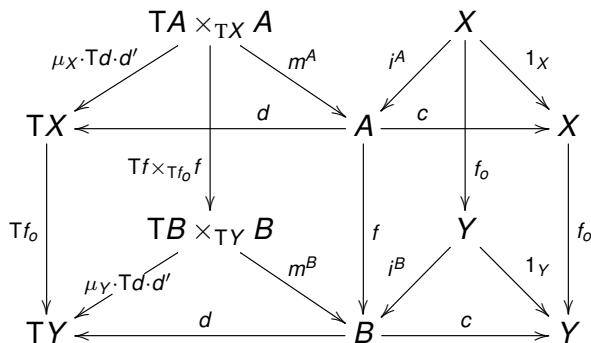
Objects are (small)  $T$ -categories which are monoids in a bicategory of  $T$ -spans in  $\mathcal{C}$ ; explicitly, they have an “object of objects”  $X$  and an “object of arrows”  $A$ , plus

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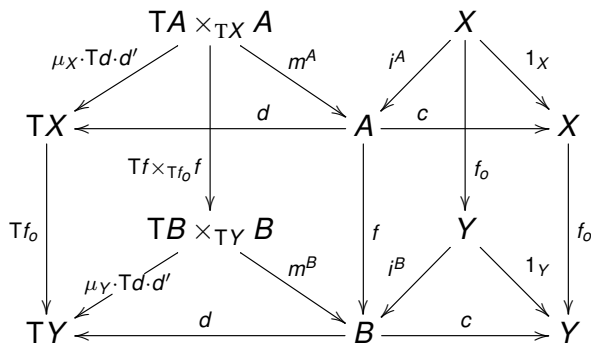
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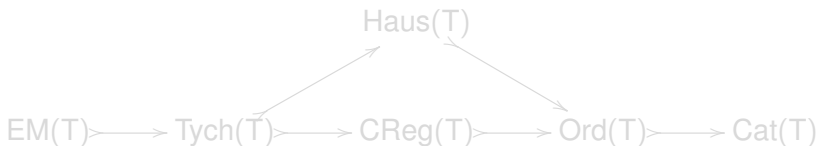
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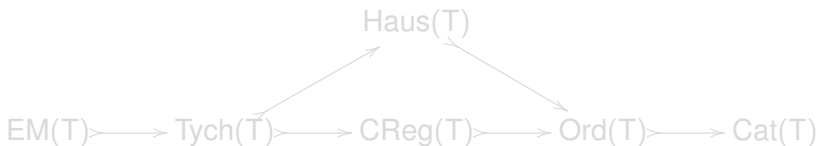


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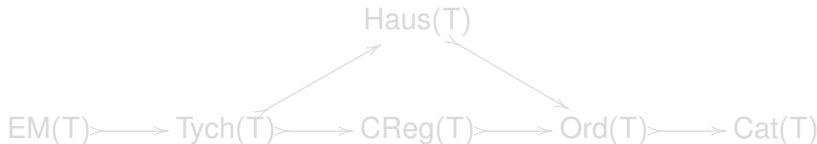


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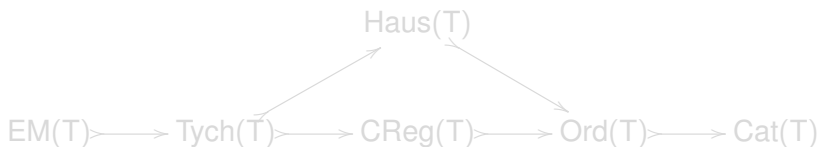


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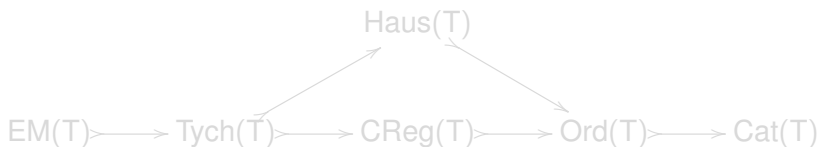


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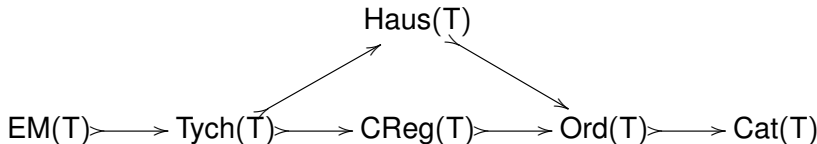


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*discrete cofibration* in  $\text{Cat}(\mathbb{T}) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \textit{perfect} (as in [T 1999])$

Consequently:

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