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Let X be a compact spaces, A a real unital Banach algebra and $C(X, A)$ the Banach algebra of all continuous A -valued functions on X . Assume further that \mathcal{B} is a subalgebra of $C(X, A)$ such that

- for any $x_1 \neq x_2 \in X$ there is $f \in \mathcal{B}$ with $f(x_1) \neq f(x_2) = 0$.

The classical Stone-Weierstrass Theorem states that for $A = \mathbb{R}$ the only algebra \mathcal{B} satisfying the condition above is the whole $C(X, A)$. For bigger algebras A , in order to make the same conclusion we obviously have to make an additional assumption

- for any $x \in X$ we have $\{f(x) : f \in \mathcal{B}\} = A$.

We investigate for which real Banach algebras A the conditions above imply $\mathcal{B} = C(X, A)$.

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