

## BORSUK'S ANTIPODAL AND FIXED-POINT THEOREMS FOR SET-VALUED MAPS

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**ABSTRACT.** The purpose of this paper is to obtain the extensions of Borsuk's antipodal and fixed-point theorems for set-valued maps.

Borsuk [3] related the following relative results:

**Borsuk's antipodal theorem.** *A single-valued antipodal-preserving continuous map  $f: S^n \rightarrow E^n$  has a zero value.*

**Borsuk's fixed-point theorem.** *Let  $U$  be a bounded symmetric convex open neighborhood of the origin in  $E^n$ , and let  $f: \bar{U} \rightarrow E^n$  be antipodal-preserving on  $\partial U$ , i.e.,  $-f(a) = f(-a)$  for each  $a \in \partial U$ . Then  $f$  has a fixed point.*

In this note we consider the set-valued maps. With a proper definition of antipodality, we prove that Borsuk's antipodal theorem can be extended for set-valued maps on the boundary of a symmetric bounded balanced neighborhood of the origin. Such boundaries are more general than the homeomorphic image of spheres. At the same time we also prove Borsuk's fixed-point theorem on a symmetric balanced set of a locally convex space. The main results are summarized in Theorems 4, 5, 6, and 7. Lemmas 1 and 2 are two approximation properties which play a crucial role in this paper.

Let us first recall some definitions. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be two topological spaces; capital letters  $F: X \rightarrow Y$  denote nonempty set-valued maps while noncapital letters  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  will denote single-valued functions.  $F$  is called *upper semi-continuous* (u.s.c.) if for each open set  $G$  of  $Y$  the set  $\{x \in X | F(x) \subset G\}$  is open in  $X$ .  $F$  is said to *have open lower sections* if, for each  $y \in Y$ ,  $F^{-1}(y) = \{x \in X | y \in F(x)\}$  is open in  $X$ . The set  $\text{Gr} F$  is the graph of  $F$  which is the set  $\{(x, y) | y \in F(x), x \in X\}$ . When  $Y$  is a topological vector space and  $S \subset Y$ ,  $\text{co} S$  denotes the convex hull of  $S$ . A set  $B \subset Y$  is said to be *balanced* if  $rB \subset B$  for every real number  $r$  with  $|r| \leq 1$ .

Let  $E$  be the normed space of all those sequences  $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots)$  of real numbers having at most finitely many  $x_n \neq 0$ , with the norm  $\|x\| = \sum |x_i|$ . The subset  $\{x \in E | x_i = 0 \text{ for all } i > n\}$  is denoted by  $E^n$ ; the unit  $n$ -sphere  $S^n = \{x \in E^{n+1} | \|x\| = 1\}$ . Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be subsets of  $E$ ,  $S \subset X$  be a

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subset which is symmetric with respect to the origin, and  $F: X \rightarrow Y$ . We say that  $F$  is *antipodal* on  $S$  if  $F(x) \cap (-F(-x)) \neq \emptyset$  for all  $x \in S$ . This is a generalization of the original single-valued functions to set-valued maps.

The following lemma is a generalization of a theorem of Cellina (see [1, Lemma 13.1, p. 67]). For different versions of the statement, we refer to [2, Theorem 1, p. 19].

**Lemma 1.** *Let  $X$  be a compact set and  $\mathcal{B}_1$  an open symmetric neighborhood base at 0 in a topological vector space  $E_1$ . Let  $Y$  be a set and  $\mathcal{B}_2$  an open convex neighborhood base at 0 in a locally convex space  $E_2$ . Suppose the correspondence  $F: X \rightarrow Y$  is u.s.c. with convex values. For  $V \in \mathcal{B}_1$  define  $F^V: X + V \rightarrow E_2$  via  $F^V(x) = \text{co} \bigcup_{z \in (x+V) \cap X} F(z)$ . Then for each  $W_1 \in \mathcal{B}_1$  and  $W_2 \in \mathcal{B}_2$  there exists  $V \in \mathcal{B}_1$  such that*

$$\text{Gr } F^V \subset \text{Gr } F + W_1 \times W_2$$

and  $F^V$  has open lower sections.

Furthermore, if  $S \subset X$  is symmetric with the origin and  $F$  is antipodal on  $S$ , then  $F^V$  is antipodal on  $S + V$ .

*Proof.* We choose  $V_1 \in \mathcal{B}_1$  such that  $V_1 + V_1 + V_1 \subset W_1$ . For any  $x \in X$  there exists  $V_x \in \mathcal{B}_1$  such that  $\bigcup_{z \in x+V_x} F(z) \subset F(x) + W_2$ . We choose  $U_x \in \mathcal{B}_1$  such that  $U_x + U_x + U_x \subset V_x$ .

Since  $X$  is compact, there exists a finite cover  $x_1 + (U_{x_1} \cap V_1), \dots, x_n + (U_{x_n} \cap V_1)$  of  $X$ . Let  $V = (\bigcap_{i=1}^n U_{x_i}) \cap V_1$ . Fix  $x \in X + V$ . Then  $x \in x_i + (U_{x_i} \cap V_1) + V$  for some  $i$ . Hence  $x + V \subset x_i + (U_{x_i} \cap V_1) + V + V \subset x_i + (V_{x_i} \cap W_1)$ . Thus  $\bigcup_{z \in (x+V) \cap X} F(z) \subset \bigcup_{z \in (x_i+V_{x_i})} F(z) \subset F(x_i) + W_2$ . Since  $F$  has convex values and  $W_2$  is convex,  $\text{co} \bigcup_{z \in (x+V) \cap X} F(z) \subset F(x_i) + W_2$ , and then  $\{x\} \times F^V(x) \subset (\{x_i\} + W_1) \times (F(x_i) + W_2)$  for such  $i$ . Thus  $\text{Gr } F^V \subset \text{Gr } F + W_1 \times W_2$ .

Let  $\text{Gr } H = \text{Gr } F + V \times \{0\}$ . Then  $H: X + V \rightarrow E_2$  has open lower sections obviously, and hence  $\text{co } H: X + V \rightarrow E_2$  has open lower sections where  $(\text{co } H)(x) = \text{co}(H(x))$  for each  $x \in X + V$ . For each  $x \in X + V$ ,  $\text{co}(H(x)) = \text{co} \bigcup_{z \in (x+V) \cap X} F(z) = F^V(x)$ . This implies that  $F^V$  has open lower sections.

For any  $x \in S + V$  there exist  $x' \in S, v \in V$  such that  $x = x' + v$ . Since  $S$  and  $V$  are symmetric with the origin,  $-x = -x' + (-v) \in (S + V)$ . Since  $F$  is antipodal on  $S$ ,  $\emptyset \neq F(x') \cap (-F(-x')) \subset F^V(x) \cap (-F^V(-x))$ . Hence  $F^V$  is antipodal on  $S + V$ . This completes the proof.

**Lemma 2.** *Let  $U$  be an open symmetric balanced neighborhood of the origin in  $E^{n+1}$ . Define  $g: U \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow E^{n+1}$  by  $g(x) = d(x, \partial U)x / \|x\| + x$ . Then  $g$  is continuous and symmetric; i.e.,  $g(-x) = -g(x)$ . Furthermore, for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists  $k$  such that*

$$d(g^k(U \setminus \{0\}), \partial U) = \sup\{d(g^k(x), \partial U) \mid x \in U \setminus \{0\}\} < \varepsilon.$$

*Proof.* By the property of  $U$ ,  $d(x, \partial U)$  is continuous and  $d(x, \partial U) = d(-x, \partial U)$  in  $U \setminus \{0\}$ . Thus  $g$  is continuous, and  $g(-x) = -g(x)$  for all  $x \in U \setminus \{0\}$ ; i.e.,  $g$  is symmetric.

Let  $r_1 = \inf\{\|x\| \mid x \in \partial U\}$  and  $r_2 = \sup\{\|x\| \mid x \in \partial U\}$ . For every  $x \in U \setminus \{0\}$  let  $x_I = r_1 x / \|x\|, x_T = r_x x$ , where  $r_x = \inf\{r \mid r x / \|x\| \in \partial U\}$ . Then

$r_1 \leq \|g(x)\| = d(x, \partial U) + \|x\| \leq r_x$ , and hence  $g(x) = \|g(x)\|x/\|x\| \in \overline{x_I x_T}$ , where  $\overline{x_I x_T}$  denotes the line segment from  $x_I$  to  $x_T$ . Since  $g^j(x) = d(g^{j-1}(x), \partial U)x/\|x\| + \|g^{j-1}(x)\|x/\|x\|$ , it follows that  $\|g^{j-1}(x)\| \leq \|g^j(x)\| = d(g^{j-1}(x), \partial U) + \|g^{j-1}(x)\| \leq r_{g^{j-1}(x)} = r_x$  and  $g^j(x) \in \overline{g^{j-1}(x)x_T} \subset \overline{x_I x_T}$  for each  $j = 2, 3, \dots$ .

Fix  $x \in U \setminus \{0\}$ , where  $\|x\| \geq r_1$ . If  $d(x, \partial U) = \delta$ , then there is  $p_x \in \partial U$  such that  $\|x - p_x\| = \delta$ . If  $p_x = x_T$ , then for each  $x' \in \overline{x x_T}$ ,  $d(x', \partial U) < \delta$ . If  $p_x \neq x_T$ , then each  $x' \in \overline{x x_T}$ , the line  $l$  passing through  $x'$  and parallel to  $\overline{x p_x}$ , intersects  $\overline{p_x x_T}$  at  $p_{x'}$ . Then  $p_{x'} \notin U$  and  $d(x', \partial U) \leq \|x' - p_{x'}\| = \|x'\|\delta/\|x\| \leq r_2\delta/r_1$ . Hence, if  $\|x\| \geq r_1$  and  $d(x, \partial U) < r_1\epsilon/r_2$ , then  $d(\overline{x x_T}, \partial U) < \epsilon$ . Then  $d(g^j(x), \partial U) < \epsilon$  for  $j = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ .

Fix  $y \in U \setminus \{0\}$ . Then  $\|g(y)\| \geq r_1$ , and

$$\begin{aligned} g^k(y) &= d(g^{k-1}(y), \partial U)y/\|y\| + g^{k-1}(y) \\ &= [d(g^{k-1}(y), \partial U) + d(g^{k-2}(y), \partial U) + \dots + d(g(y), \partial U)]y/\|y\| + g(y) \\ &= [d(g^{k-1}(y), \partial U) + \dots + d(g(y), \partial U) + \|g(y)\|]y/\|y\|. \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\|g^k(y)\| = d(g^{k-1}(y), \partial U) + \dots + d(g(y), \partial U) + \|g(y)\| \leq r_2$$

and  $\|g(y)\| \geq r_1$ ,  $d(g^{k-1}(y), \partial U) + \dots + d(g(y), \partial U) \leq r_2 - r_1$ , and hence there is some  $i$  where  $1 \leq i \leq k - 1$  such that  $d(g^i(y), \partial U) \leq (r_2 - r_1)/(k - 1)$ . If  $k > (r_2 - r_1)r_2/r_1\epsilon + 2$ , then  $d(g^i(y), \partial U) < (r_2 - r_1)r_1\epsilon/[(r_2 - r_1)r_2] = r_1\epsilon/r_2 < \epsilon$ , and hence

$$d(g^k(y), \partial U) = d(g^{k-i}(g^i(y)), \partial U) < \epsilon.$$

This completes the proof.

**Lemma 3.** Let  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  be two topological vector spaces. Let  $S \subset E_1$  and  $S$  be compact and symmetric with respect to 0. Let  $F: S \rightarrow E_2$  be antipodal-preserving, convex-valued, and with open lower sections. Then  $F$  has a single-valued continuous antipodal selection  $f: S \rightarrow E_2$ .

*Proof.* By definition,  $\{F^{-1}(y) \cap [-F^{-1}(-y)] \mid y \in E_2\}$  is an open cover of  $S$ ; hence, there is a finite subcover  $\Gamma = \{F^{-1}(y_i) \cap [-F^{-1}(-y_i)] \mid i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$ . Let  $\{\varphi_i\}_{i=1}^n$  be a partition of unity of  $S$  with respect to  $\Gamma$ . It implies that each  $\varphi_i$  is nonnegative continuous on  $S$ ,  $\sum \varphi_i(x) = 1$ , and  $\varphi_i(x) > 0 \Rightarrow x \in F^{-1}(y_i) \cap [-F^{-1}(-y_i)]$ . Define  $p: S \rightarrow E_2$  by

$$p(x) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \varphi_i(x)y_i - \sum_{i=1}^n \varphi_i(-x)y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n \varphi_i(x) + \sum_{i=1}^n \varphi_i(-x)}.$$

Then  $p$  is continuous, and  $-p(-x) = p(x)$  for all  $x \in S$ . If  $\varphi_i(x) \neq 0$ , then  $x \in F^{-1}(y_i)$ , and hence  $y_i \in F(x)$ . If  $\varphi_i(-x) \neq 0$ , then  $-x \in -F^{-1}(-y_i)$ , and hence  $-y_i \in F(x)$ . Since  $F$  is convex-valued,  $p(x) \in F(x)$  for all  $x \in S$ .

Borsuk antipodal and Borsuk-Ulam theorems [3, §4, Theorem 5.2, p. 44] can be generalized to the following two theorems.

**Theorem 4.** Let  $U$  be an open bounded symmetric neighborhood of the origin in  $E^{n+1}$ , and let  $F: \partial U \rightarrow E^n$  be u.s.c., closed, convex-valued, and antipodal-preserving. Then  $F$  has a zero.

*Proof.* Let  $\mathbf{0}$  denote the zero map from  $\partial U$  into  $\{0\}$ . Suppose that  $F$  does not have zero. Then by [4, Theorem 1] there are open convex neighborhoods  $W$  of  $0$  in  $E^n$  and  $W_1$  of  $0$  in  $E^{n+1}$  such that  $[\text{Gr } F + W_1 \times W] \cap \text{Gr } \mathbf{0} = \emptyset$ . By Lemma 1 there is an open neighborhood  $V$  of  $0$  in  $E^{n+1}$  such that  $\text{Gr } F^V \subset \text{Gr } F + W_1 \times W$  and the domain of  $F^V$  is  $\partial U + V$ . Let  $V_1$  be a closed bounded symmetric balanced neighborhood of  $0$  in  $E^{n+1}$  such that  $V_1 + V_1 \subset V$  and  $F^V|_{\partial U + V_1}$  denote the restriction of  $F^V$  on  $\partial U + V_1$ . Choose  $\lambda$ ,  $0 < \lambda < 1$ , such that  $\lambda S_n \subset U$ . Define  $g$  on  $U \setminus \{0\}$  as Lemma 2. Then there exists a positive integer  $k$  such that  $g^k(x) \in \partial U + V_1$  for all  $x \in \lambda S_n$ . Let  $K = g^k(\lambda S_n)$ . By Lemma 1,  $F^V|_{\partial U + V_1}$  is antipodal and has open lower sections. By Lemma 3,  $F^V|_K$  has a single-valued continuous antipodal selection  $h$ . Define  $f: S_n \rightarrow E^n$  by  $f(x) = h(g^k(\lambda x))$ . Then  $f$  is a single-valued continuous antipodal map with zero free. This is a contradiction to Borsuk's antipodal theorem. This completes the proof.

**Theorem 5.** *Let  $U$  be an open bounded symmetric neighborhood of the origin in  $E^{n+1}$ . Then every u.s.c. closed convex-valued map  $F: \partial U \rightarrow E^n$  has an intersection point for at least one pair of antipodal points.*

*Proof.* Define  $G: \partial U \rightarrow E^n$  by  $G(x) = F(x) - F(-x)$ . Then  $G$  is a u.s.c. closed convex-valued antipodal-preserving map. By Theorem 4,  $0 \in F(x) - F(-x)$ , and hence  $F(x) \cap F(-x) \neq \emptyset$  for some  $x \in \partial U$ . This completes the proof.

**Theorem 6.** *Let  $U$  be an open bounded symmetric balanced neighborhood of the origin in  $E^{n+1}$ . Let  $F: \bar{U} \rightarrow E^{n+1}$  be u.s.c., closed, convex-valued, and antipodal on  $\partial U$ ; i.e.,  $F(a) \cap [-F(-a)] \neq \emptyset$  for each  $a \in \partial U$ . Then  $F$  has a zero value and a fixed point on  $\bar{U}$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose that  $F$  has no zero value. Let  $\mathbf{0}$  denote the zero map from  $\bar{U}$  into  $\{0\}$ . Then  $\text{Gr } F \cap \text{Gr } \mathbf{0} = \emptyset$ . By [4, Theorem 1] there is a closed convex neighborhood  $W$  of  $0$  in  $E^{n+1}$  such that  $[\text{Gr } F + W \times W] \cap [\text{Gr } \mathbf{0} + W \times W] = \emptyset$ . By Lemma 1 there exists a symmetric neighborhood  $V$  of  $0$  such that  $\text{Gr}(F^V) \subset \text{Gr } F + W \times W$ . Hence  $0 \notin F^V(x)$  for all  $x \in \bar{U} + V$ . By Lemma 3,  $F^V|_{\bar{U}}$  has a single-valued selection  $f$  such that  $f$  is antipodal on  $\partial U$ .

Define  $J: \bar{U} \rightarrow E^{n+2}$  by  $J(x) = x + d(x, \partial U)\vec{e}_{n+2}$ . Then  $J$  is one-to-one continuous, and  $J(x) = x$  on  $\partial U$ . Let  $V = \{x + u\vec{e}_{n+2} | x \in U, |u| < d(x, \partial U)\}$ . Then  $V$  is open, bounded, symmetric, and balanced in  $E^{n+2}$  and  $\partial V = J(\bar{U}) \cup \{-J(\bar{U})\}$ .

Define  $H: \partial V \rightarrow E^{n+1}$  by

$$H(x) = \begin{cases} f(J^{-1}(x)) & \text{if } x \in J(\bar{U}), \\ -f(J^{-1}(-x)) & \text{if } x \in -J(\bar{U}). \end{cases}$$

Then  $H$  is a continuous antipodal single-valued function with zero free. This is a contradiction to Theorem 4. Thus  $F$  has a zero value.

By the above conclusion,  $F - I$  has a zero value; i.e., there exists  $x \in \bar{U}$  such that  $0 \in F(x) - \{x\}$ . Hence  $x \in F(x)$  for some  $x \in \bar{U}$ . This proves the theorem.

The following theorem is a generalization of a result of Borsuk [3, §4, Theorem 3.3, p. 57].

**Theorem 7.** *Let  $M$  be a closed bounded symmetric balance set at 0 in a locally convex space  $E$ . Let  $F: M \rightarrow E$  be a u.s.c. closed convex-valued map such that the closure of  $F(M)$  is compact and  $F$  is antipodal on the boundary of  $M$ . Then  $F$  has at least one fixed point.*

*Proof.* Let  $\mathcal{B}$  denote a closed bounded symmetric convex neighborhood base at 0 in  $E$ . For each  $V \in \mathcal{B}$  there is a finite subset  $S$  of  $F(M)$  such that  $(y+V) \cap S \neq \emptyset$  for each  $y \in F(M)$ . Let  $S_V$  be a finite subset of  $E$  such that  $S \subset S_V$ . Let  $H_{S_V}$  denote the finite-dimensional space spanned by  $S_V$ .

Define  $G_V: M \cap H_{S_V} \rightarrow H_{S_V}$  by  $G_V(x) = (F(x) + V) \cap H_{S_V}$ . Then  $G_V$  is u.s.c. with nonempty compact convex values. Since  $F(a) \cap -F(-a) \neq \emptyset$  for all  $a \in \partial(M \cap H_{S_V})$ ,  $\emptyset \neq \{[F(a) \cap -F(-a)] + V\} \cap H_{S_V}$  for all  $a \in \partial(M \cap H_{S_V})$ ; i.e.,  $G_V$  is antipodal on its boundary. If 0 is a relative interior point of  $M \cap H_{S_V}$ , then by Theorem 6 there is  $x_V$  such that  $x_V \in G_V(x_V)$ ; i.e.,  $x_V \in F(x_V) + V$ . On the other hand, if  $0 \in \partial(M \cap H_{S_V})$ , then  $M \cap H_{S_V} = \partial(M \cap H_{S_V})$ . Since  $G_V$  is antipodal on  $M \cap H_{S_V}$ , we have  $G_V(0) = -G_V(0)$ . Since  $G_V(0)$  is convex, we have  $0 \in G_V(0)$ .

From the above argument, we get that in any situation for each  $V \in \mathcal{B}$  there exist  $x_V \in M$  such that  $x_V = y_V + v$ , where  $y_V \in F(x_V)$  and  $v \in V$ . Since the closure of  $F(M)$  is compact, there is a subnet of  $\{y_V\}$  that converges to  $x_0$ . Then  $x_0 \in F(x_0)$ . This completes the proof.

Now we give the following application of Theorem 4 which is a result of Krein, Krasnoselsky, and Milman [3, §5, Theorem 5.4, p. 80].

**Theorem 8.** *Let  $M, N$  be linear subspaces of a Banach space  $(E, \|\cdot\|)$ . If  $\dim M > \dim N$ , then there is a  $x_0 \in M$  such that  $d(x_0, N) = \|x_0\| > 0$ .*

*Proof.* For each  $x \in E$  let  $F(x) = \{y \in N \mid d(y, x) = d(x, N)\}$ . Then  $F(x)$  is compact convex and  $x \rightarrow F(x)$  is of closed graph. Furthermore, the map  $F: E \rightarrow N$  has the property  $F(-x) = -F(x)$  for all  $x \in E$ . Let  $S_M$  denote the unit sphere in  $M$ . Consequently, applying Theorem 4 to  $F|_{S_M}: S_M \rightarrow N$ , we obtain a point  $x_0 \in S_M$  such that  $0 \in F(x_0)$ . Clearly,  $x_0$  is the required point. This proves the theorem.

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