

# Completeness for Saturated L-Quasi-Uniform Limit Spaces

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**Abstract.** We define and study two completeness notions for saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces. The one, that we term Lawvere completeness, is defined using the concept of promodule and lends a lax algebraic interpretation of completeness also for saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces. The other, termed Cauchy completeness, is defined using saturated Cauchy pair prefilters. We show that both concepts coincide with related notions in the case of saturated L-quasi-uniform spaces and that also for saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces, both completeness notions are equivalent.

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## 1 Introduction

Generalizing an approach in [2], completeness has recently been studied from a categorical point of view for different kinds of many-valued quasi-uniform (convergence) spaces, [12, 13, 14]. This paper adds to these investigations by considering many-valued quasi-uniform limit spaces based on saturated L-prefilters. These spaces are a slight generalization of  $\top$ -uniform limit spaces [6, 7, 9] and of probabilistic quasi-uniform spaces [5, 14]. We define a completeness notion using adjoint promodules, thus providing a categorical framework for completeness. Also, we define completeness with the help of saturated pair L-prefilters. The main result of the paper shows that both these approaches are equivalent.

The paper is organized as follows. In the second section we collect the necessary concepts about lattices, L-subsets, saturated L-prefilters and prerelations. The third section studies saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces and promodules. Sections 4 and 5 are devoted to the two concepts of completeness studied in this paper. Finally, we draw some conclusions.

## 2 Preliminaries

In this paper, we will consider *commutative and integral quantales*  $\mathbf{L} = (L, \leq, *)$ . Here,  $(L, \leq)$  is a complete lattice with distinct top and bottom elements  $\top \neq \perp$ ,  $(L, *)$  is a commutative semigroup with the top element of  $L$  as the unit, that is,  $\alpha * \top = \alpha$  for all  $\alpha \in L$ , and  $*$  is distributive over arbitrary joins, that is,  $(\bigvee_{i \in J} \alpha_i) * \beta = \bigvee_{i \in J} (\alpha_i * \beta)$  for all  $\alpha_i, \beta \in L$ ,  $i \in J$ , see for example [4].

The *implication* in a quantale is defined by  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta = \bigvee \{ \delta \in L : \delta * \alpha \leq \beta \}$  and characterized by  $\delta \leq \alpha \rightarrow \beta$  if and only if  $\delta * \alpha \leq \beta$ .

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Typical examples of commutative and integral quantales are  $\mathbf{L} = ([0, 1], \leq, *)$  with a left-continuous  $t$ -norm on  $[0, 1]$  or *Lawvere's quantale*  $\mathbf{L} = ([0, \infty], \geq, +)$ . Another example is given by the *quantale of distance distribution functions*  $\mathbf{L} = (\Delta^+, \leq, *)$ , where  $\Delta^+$  is the set of all distance distribution functions  $\varphi : [0, \infty] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  which are left-continuous in the sense that  $\varphi(x) = \sup_{y < x} \varphi(y)$  for all  $x \in [0, \infty]$  and  $*$  is a *sup-continuous triangle function*, see [3, 11].

An  $L$ -subset of  $X$  is a mapping  $a : X \rightarrow L$  and we denote the set of  $L$ -subsets of  $X$  by  $L^X$ . For  $A \subseteq X$  we define  $\top_A \in L^X$  by  $\top_A(x) = \top$  if  $x \in A$  and  $= \perp$  otherwise. The lattice operations are extended pointwisely from  $L$  to  $L^X$ . For a mapping  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  and  $a \in L^X$  and  $b \in L^Y$  we define  $\varphi(a) \in L^Y$  by  $\varphi(a)(y) = \bigvee_{\varphi(x)=y} a(x)$  for  $y \in Y$  and  $\varphi^{\leftarrow}(b) = b \circ \varphi \in L^X$ .

For  $L$ -subsets  $u \in L^{X \times Y}$  and  $v \in L^{Y \times Z}$ , we define  $v \circ u \in L^{X \times Z}$  by  $v \circ u(x, z) = \bigvee_{y \in Y} u(x, y) * v(y, z)$  for all  $x \in X$  and  $z \in Z$ .

For  $a, b \in L^X$  we denote the *fuzzy inclusion order*  $[a, b] = \bigwedge_{x \in X} (a(x) \rightarrow b(x))$ , [1]. The following properties are well-known.

**Lemma 2.1.** *Let  $a, a', b, b', c \in L^X$ ,  $d \in L^Y$ ,  $u_1, u_2 \in L^{X \times Y}$ ,  $v_1, v_2 \in L^{Y \times Z}$  and let  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. Then*

- (i)  $a \leq b$  if and only if  $[a, b] = \top$ ;
- (ii)  $a \leq a'$  implies  $[a', b] \leq [a, b]$  and  $b \leq b'$  implies  $[a, b] \leq [a, b']$ ;
- (iii)  $[a, c] \wedge [b, c] = [a \vee b, c]$ ;
- (iv)  $[\varphi(a), d] = [a, \varphi^{\leftarrow}(d)]$ ;
- (v)  $[u_1, v_1] * [u_2, v_2] \leq [u_2 \circ u_1, v_2 \circ v_1]$ .

**Definition 2.2.** [5, 14] A subset  $\mathbb{F} \subseteq L^X$  is called a *saturated L-prefilter* (on  $X$ ) if

- (SP1)  $\top_X \in \mathbb{F}$ ;
- (SP2)  $a, b \in \mathbb{F}$  implies  $a \wedge b \in \mathbb{F}$ ;
- (SP3)  $\bigvee_{b \in \mathbb{F}} [b, c] = \top$  implies  $c \in \mathbb{F}$ .

We denote the set of all saturated  $L$ -prefilters on  $X$  by  $\mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$  and we use the subsethood order on  $\mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$ .

The condition (SP3) implies  $a \leq b, a \in \mathbb{F} \implies b \in \mathbb{F}$ . If additionally  $\bigvee_{x \in X} a(x) = \top$  for all  $a \in \mathbb{F}$ , then we speak of a  $\top$ -filter [5, 14].

**Example 2.3.** For  $x \in X$ ,  $[x] = \{a \in L^X : a(x) = \top\}$  is a saturated  $L$ -prefilter, the *saturated point L-prefilter of  $x$* . We note that  $[x]$  is a  $\top$ -filter. More generally, for an  $L$ -set  $a \in L^X$ , then  $[a] = \{b \in L^X : a \leq b\}$  is a saturated  $L$ -prefilter and we have, in particular,  $[x] = [\top_{\{x\}}]$ .

**Definition 2.4.** [5, 14] A subset  $\mathbb{B} \subseteq L^X$  is called a *saturated L-prefilter base* (on  $X$ ) if

- (SPB)  $a, b \in \mathbb{B}$  implies  $\bigvee_{c \in \mathbb{B}} [c, a \wedge b] = \top$ .

For a saturated  $L$ -prefilter base  $\mathbb{B}$ ,  $[\mathbb{B}] = \{a \in L^X : \bigvee_{b \in \mathbb{B}} [b, a] = \top\}$  is the saturated  $L$ -prefilter generated by  $\mathbb{B}$ .

For a saturated  $L$ -prefilter  $\mathbb{F} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$  and a mapping  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$ , the set  $\mathbb{B} = \{\varphi(a) : a \in \mathbb{F}\}$  is a saturated  $L$ -prefilter base on  $Y$  and we denote  $\varphi(\mathbb{F})$  the generated saturated  $L$ -prefilter on  $Y$ , the *image of  $\mathbb{F}$  under  $\varphi$* , see e.g. [5].

A *prorelation* (from  $X$  to  $Y$ ) is a set of saturated  $L$ -prefilters  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Y)$  which satisfies the axioms

(PR1)  $\mathbb{F} \leq \mathbb{G}, \mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  implies  $\mathbb{G} \in \Phi$ ;

(PR2)  $\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G} \in \Phi$  implies  $\mathbb{F} \wedge \mathbb{G} \in \Phi$ .

For  $\mathbb{F} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Y)$  the set  $[\mathbb{F}] = \{\mathbb{K} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Y) : \mathbb{F} \leq \mathbb{K}\}$  is a prorelation.

We consider now two prorelations  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Y)$  and  $\Psi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(Y \times Z)$  and define

$$\Psi \circ \Phi = \{\mathbb{H} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Z) : \exists \mathbb{F} \in \Phi, \mathbb{G} \in \Psi \text{ s.t. } \mathbb{G} \circ \mathbb{F} \leq \mathbb{H}\}.$$

Here, it is defined  $\mathbb{G} \circ \mathbb{F} = \{[g \circ f : g \in \mathbb{G}, f \in \mathbb{F}]\}$  with  $g \circ f(x, z) = \bigvee_{y \in Y} f(x, y) * g(y, z)$  for all  $x \in X, z \in Z$ . It is straightforward to show that  $\Psi \circ \Phi$  is a prorelation from  $X$  to  $Z$ .

We denote  $\Delta_X = \{(x, x) : x \in X\} \subseteq X \times X$ . Then  $[\top_{\Delta_X}] \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times X)$  and hence  $[[\top_{\Delta_X}]]$  is a prorelation from  $X$  to  $X$ .

**Proposition 2.5.** *For a prorelation  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Y)$ , we have  $\Phi \circ [[\top_{\Delta_X}]] = \Phi$  and  $[[\top_{\Delta_Y}]] \circ \Phi = \Phi$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $\mathbb{H} \in \Phi \circ [[\top_{\Delta_X}]]$ . Then there is  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  such that  $\mathbb{F} \circ [\top_{\Delta_X}] \leq \mathbb{H}$ . For  $f \in \mathbb{F}$  we have  $f \circ \top_{\Delta_X}(x, y) = \bigvee_{z \in X} \top_{\Delta_X}(x, z) * f(z, y) = f(x, y)$  and hence we conclude that  $g \in \mathbb{F} \circ [\top_{\Delta_X}]$  if and only if  $\top = \bigvee_{f \in \mathbb{F}} [f \circ \top_{\Delta_X}, g] = \bigvee_{f \in \mathbb{F}} [f, g]$  if and only if  $g \in \mathbb{F}$ , as  $\mathbb{F}$  is a saturated L-prefilter. Hence,  $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{F} \circ [\top_{\Delta_X}] \leq \mathbb{H}$  and we have  $\mathbb{H} \in \Phi$  by (PR1). Conversely, for  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  we have  $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{F} \circ [\top_{\Delta_X}] \in \Phi \circ [[\top_{\Delta_X}]]$ .

The second equation can be shown in a similar way.  $\square$

For  $f \in L^{X \times Y}, g \in L^{Y \times Z}$  and  $h \in L^{Z \times U}$  it is not difficult to show that  $h \circ (g \circ f) = (h \circ g) \circ f$ . From this we conclude  $\mathbb{H} \circ (\mathbb{G} \circ \mathbb{F}) = (\mathbb{H} \circ \mathbb{G}) \circ \mathbb{F}$  for saturated L-prefilters  $\mathbb{F} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Y), \mathbb{G} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(Y \times Z), \mathbb{H} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(Z \times U)$  and we obtain

**Proposition 2.6.** *For prorelations  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Y), \Psi \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(Y \times Z)$  and  $\Theta \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(Z \times U)$  we have  $(\Phi \circ \Psi) \circ \Theta = \Phi \circ (\Psi \circ \Theta)$ .*

Consider now a mapping  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$ . We define the L-relation (and denote it again by  $\varphi$ ),  $\varphi(x, y) = \top$  if  $y = \varphi(x)$  and  $\varphi(x, y) = \perp$  otherwise. Similarly, the opposite L-relation  $\varphi^\circ$  is defined by  $\varphi^\circ(y, x) = \top$  if  $y = \varphi(x)$  and  $\varphi^\circ(y, x) = \perp$  otherwise. Hence,  $\varphi \in L^{X \times Y}$  and  $\varphi^\circ \in L^{Y \times X}$  and therefore  $[\varphi] \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Y)$  and  $[\varphi^\circ] \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(Y \times X)$  and we obtain prorelations  $[[\varphi]] \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times Y)$  and  $[[\varphi^\circ]] \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(Y \times X)$ .

If  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  and  $\psi : Y \rightarrow Z$ , then it is not difficult to show that  $[\psi \circ \varphi] = [\psi] \circ [\varphi]$ . From this we immediately conclude  $[[\psi]] \circ [[\varphi]] = [[\psi \circ \varphi]]$ .

**Proposition 2.7.** *Let  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$ . Then  $[[\varphi]] \circ [[\varphi^\circ]] \subseteq [[\top_{\Delta_Y}]]$  and  $[[\top_{\Delta_X}]] \subseteq [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ [[\varphi]]$ .*

**Proof.** We have, for  $y, y' \in Y$ ,  $\varphi \circ \varphi^\circ(y, y') = \bigvee_{x \in X} \varphi^\circ(y, x) * \varphi(x, y') = \top$  if  $y' = \varphi(x) = y$  for some  $x \in X$  and  $= \perp$  otherwise. Hence  $\varphi \circ \varphi^\circ \leq \top_{\Delta_Y}$  which implies  $[\top_{\Delta_Y}] \leq [\varphi \circ \varphi^\circ]$  and hence  $[[\varphi]] \circ [[\varphi^\circ]] = [[\varphi \circ \varphi^\circ]] \subseteq [[\top_{\Delta_Y}]]$ .

Similarly, we have, for  $x, x' \in X$  that  $\varphi^\circ \circ \varphi(x, x') = \bigvee_{y \in Y} \varphi(x, y) * \varphi^\circ(y, x') = \top$  if  $\varphi(x') = \varphi(x)$  and  $= \perp$  otherwise. Hence  $\top_{\Delta_X} \leq \varphi^\circ \circ \varphi$ , implying  $[\top_{\Delta_X}] \geq [\varphi^\circ \circ \varphi]$ . From this we conclude  $[[\top_{\Delta_X}]] \subseteq [[\varphi^\circ \circ \varphi]] = [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ [[\varphi]]$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 2.8.** *Let  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  and  $b \in L^{X \times X}$ . Then  $(\varphi \times \varphi)^{\leftarrow}(b) = \varphi^\circ \circ b \circ \varphi$ .*

**Proof.** For all  $x, x' \in X$  we have  $(\varphi^\circ \circ b) \circ \varphi(x, x') = \bigvee_{y \in Y} (\varphi^\circ \circ b)(y, x') * \varphi(x, y) = \bigvee_{y \in Y} \bigvee_{x: \varphi(x)=y} \varphi^\circ \circ b(y, x') = \bigvee_{x \in X} \varphi^\circ \circ b(\varphi(x), x') = \bigvee_{y \in Y} \varphi^\circ(y, x') * b(\varphi(x), y) = b(\varphi(x), \varphi(x')) = (\varphi \times \varphi)^{\leftarrow}(b)(x, x')$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 2.9.** *Let  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  and  $\mathbb{H} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times X)$ . Then we have, for  $b \in L^{X \times Y}$ , that  $b \in [\varphi] \circ \mathbb{H}$  if, and only if,  $\varphi^\circ \circ b \in \mathbb{H}$ .*

**Proof.** We have with Lemma 2.1 (v), noting  $[\varphi^\circ, \varphi^\circ] = \top = [\varphi, \varphi]$ , for  $h \in \mathbb{H}$ ,

$$[\varphi \circ h, b] \leq [\varphi^\circ \circ \varphi \circ h, \varphi^\circ \circ b] \leq [h, \varphi^\circ \circ b] \leq [\varphi \circ h, \varphi \circ \varphi^\circ \circ b] \leq [\varphi \circ h, b].$$

We conclude that  $b \in [\varphi] \circ \mathbb{H}$  if, and only if,  $\top = \bigvee_{h \in \mathbb{H}} [\varphi \circ h, b] = \bigvee_{h \in \mathbb{H}} [h, \varphi^\circ \circ b]$  if, and only if,  $\varphi^\circ \circ b \in \mathbb{H}$ .  
□

**Lemma 2.10.** *Let  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  and  $\mathbb{H} \in \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times X)$ . Then we have, for  $a \in L^{Y \times X}$ , that  $a \in \mathbb{H} \circ [\varphi^\circ]$  if, and only if,  $a \circ \varphi \in \mathbb{H}$ .*

**Proof.** Similar as in the last proof, we have, for  $h \in \mathbb{H}$ ,

$$[h \circ \varphi^\circ, a] \leq [h \circ \varphi^\circ \circ \varphi, a \circ \varphi] \leq [h, a \circ \varphi] \leq [h \circ \varphi^\circ, a \circ \varphi \circ \varphi^\circ] \leq [h \circ \varphi^\circ, a].$$

We conclude that  $a \in \mathbb{G} \circ [\varphi^\circ]$  if, and only if,  $\top = \bigvee_{h \in \mathbb{H}} [h \circ \varphi^\circ, a] = \bigvee_{h \in \mathbb{H}} [h, a \circ \varphi]$  if, and only if,  $a \circ \varphi \in \mathbb{H}$ .  
□

**Proposition 2.11.** *For  $\mathbb{H} \in \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times X)$  and  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  we have  $(\varphi \times \varphi)(\mathbb{H}) = [\varphi] \circ \mathbb{H} \circ [\varphi^\circ]$ .*

**Proof.** We have  $b \in [\varphi] \circ \mathbb{H} \circ [\varphi^\circ]$  if, and only if,  $\varphi^\circ \circ b \in \mathbb{H} \circ [\varphi^\circ]$  if, and only if,  $(\varphi \times \varphi)^\leftarrow(b) = \varphi^\circ \circ b \circ \varphi \in \mathbb{H}$  if, and only if,  $b \in (\varphi \times \varphi)(\mathbb{H})$ . □

### 3 Saturated L-Quasi-Uniform Limit Spaces and Promodules

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $X$  be a set and let  $\Lambda \subseteq \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times X)$ . The pair  $(X, \Lambda)$  is called a *saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space* if

(SLUL1)  $[\top_{\Delta_X}] \in \Lambda$ ;

(SLUL2)  $\mathbb{H} \in \Lambda, \mathbb{H} \leq \mathbb{K}$  implies  $\mathbb{K} \in \Lambda$ ;

(SLUL3)  $\mathbb{H}, \mathbb{K} \in \Lambda$  implies  $\mathbb{H} \wedge \mathbb{K} \in \Lambda$ ;

(SLUL4)  $\mathbb{H}, \mathbb{K} \in \Lambda$  implies  $\mathbb{H} \circ \mathbb{K} \in \Lambda$ .

A mapping  $\varphi : (X, \Lambda) \rightarrow (X', \Lambda')$  is called *uniformly continuous* if  $(\varphi \times \varphi)(\mathbb{H}) \in \Lambda'$  whenever  $\mathbb{H} \in \Lambda$ .

The axioms (SLUL2) and (SLUL3) show that  $\Lambda$  is a prorelation from  $X$  to  $X$  that satisfies, via (SLUL1) and (SLUL4), the additional axioms

$$[[\top_{\Delta_X}]] \subseteq \Lambda \quad \text{and} \quad \Lambda \circ \Lambda \subseteq \Lambda.$$

Uniform continuity of a mapping can be characterized as follows.

**Proposition 3.2.** *Let  $(X, \Lambda)$  and  $(X', \Lambda')$  be saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces and  $\varphi : X \rightarrow X'$  be a mapping. The following statements are equivalent.*

(1)  $\varphi$  is uniformly continuous.

(2)  $[[\varphi]] \circ \Lambda \subseteq \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]]$ .

(3)  $\Lambda \circ [[\varphi^\circ]] \subseteq [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ \Lambda'$ .

**Proof.** We first show that (1) implies (2). Let  $\varphi$  be uniformly continuous and let  $\mathbb{K} \in [[\varphi]] \circ \Lambda$ . Then  $\mathbb{K} \geq [\varphi] \circ \mathbb{H}$  for some  $\mathbb{H} \in \Lambda$  and hence  $\mathbb{K} \circ [\varphi^\circ] \geq [\varphi] \circ \mathbb{H} \circ [\varphi^\circ] = (\varphi \times \varphi)(\mathbb{H}) \in \Lambda'$ . We conclude  $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{K} \circ [\top_{\Delta_X}] \geq \mathbb{K} \circ [\varphi^\circ] \circ [\varphi] \in \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]]$  and we have  $\mathbb{K} \in \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]]$ .

Now we show that (2) implies (3). Let  $\mathbb{K} \in \Lambda \circ [[\varphi^\circ]]$ . Then  $\mathbb{K} \geq \mathbb{H} \circ [\varphi^\circ]$  for some  $\mathbb{H} \in \Lambda$ . Hence  $[\varphi] \circ \mathbb{K} \geq [\varphi] \circ \mathbb{H} \circ [\varphi^\circ] \in \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]] \circ [[\varphi^\circ]] \subseteq \Lambda' \circ [[\top_{\Delta_Y}]] = \Lambda'$  and we have that  $[\varphi] \circ \mathbb{K} \in \Lambda'$ . We conclude  $\mathbb{K} = [\top_{\Delta_X}] \circ \mathbb{K} \geq [\varphi^\circ] \circ [\varphi] \circ \mathbb{K} \in [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ \Lambda'$  and we have  $\mathbb{K} \in [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ \Lambda'$ .

Finally we show that (3) implies (1). Let  $\mathbb{H} \in \Lambda$ . Then  $(\varphi \times \varphi)(\mathbb{H}) = [\varphi] \circ \mathbb{H} \circ [\varphi^\circ] \in [[\varphi]] \circ \Lambda \circ [[\varphi^\circ]] \subseteq [[\varphi]] \circ [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ \Lambda' \subseteq [[\top_{\Delta_Y}]] \circ \Lambda' = \Lambda'$  and  $\varphi$  is uniformly continuous.  $\square$

**Example 3.3** ([13]). Let  $X$  be a set. A saturated L-prefilter  $\mathcal{U} \in \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times X)$  is called a *saturated L-quasi-uniformity* if

(U0) for all  $x \in X$  and  $u \in \mathcal{U}$  we have  $u(x, x) = \top$ ;

(UC) for all  $u \in \mathcal{U}$  we have  $\bigvee_{v \in \mathcal{U}} [v \circ v, u] = \top$ .

The pair  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  is called a *saturated L-quasi-uniform space*. A mapping  $\varphi : (X, \mathcal{U}) \rightarrow (X', \mathcal{U}')$  between the saturated L-quasi-uniform spaces  $(X, \mathcal{U}), (X', \mathcal{U}')$  is called *uniformly continuous* if  $(\varphi \times \varphi)^{\leftarrow}(v) \in \mathcal{U}$  for all  $v \in \mathcal{U}'$ .

We note that the conditions (U0) and (UC) are equivalent to (U0')  $\mathcal{U} \leq [\top_{\Delta_X}]$  and (UC')  $\mathcal{U} \leq \mathcal{U} \circ \mathcal{U}$ . Uniform continuity of a mapping  $\varphi : (X, \mathcal{U}) \rightarrow (X', \mathcal{U}')$  can equivalently be expressed by  $[\varphi] \circ \mathcal{U} \geq \mathcal{U}' \circ [\varphi]$ .

Wang and Yue [13] call a saturated L-quasi-uniform space a fuzzy quasi-uniform space. Also, they use as order on the set of saturated L-prefilters the opposite order of the subethood order.

For a saturated L-quasi-uniform space  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  then  $(X, [\mathcal{U}])$  is a saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space and a uniformly continuous mapping  $\varphi : (X, \mathcal{U}) \rightarrow (X', \mathcal{U}')$  is also uniformly continuous as a mapping  $\varphi : (X, [\mathcal{U}]) \rightarrow (X', [\mathcal{U}'])$ .

**Definition 3.4.** Let  $(X, \Lambda)$  and  $(X', \Lambda')$  be saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces. A prerelation from  $X$  to  $X'$ ,  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times X')$ , is called a *promodule* (from  $(X, \Lambda)$  to  $(X', \Lambda')$ ) if  $\Phi \circ \Lambda \subseteq \Phi$  and  $\Lambda' \circ \Phi \subseteq \Phi$ .

We note that for a promodule  $\Phi = \Phi \circ [[\top_{\Delta_X}]] \subseteq \Phi \circ \Lambda$  and hence we even have  $\Phi \circ \Lambda = \Phi$ . Similarly we can see also that  $\Lambda' \circ \Phi = \Phi$ . Also, from (SLUL4) we see that  $\Lambda$  is a promodule from  $(X, \Lambda)$  to  $(X, \Lambda)$ .

**Example 3.5.** Let  $\varphi : (X, \Lambda) \rightarrow (X', \Lambda')$  be uniformly continuous. Then  $\varphi_* = \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]]$  is a promodule from  $(X, \Lambda)$  to  $(X', \Lambda')$  and  $\varphi^* = [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ \Lambda'$  is a promodule from  $(X', \Lambda')$  to  $(X, \Lambda)$ . It is easy to see that  $\varphi_*$  and  $\varphi^*$  are prerelations. Furthermore  $\varphi_* \circ \Lambda = \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]] \circ \Lambda \subseteq \Lambda' \circ \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]] \subseteq \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]] = \varphi_*$  and, similarly,  $\Lambda' \circ [[\varphi_*]] = \Lambda' \circ \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]] \subseteq \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]] = \varphi^*$ . The proof that  $\varphi^*$  is a promodule is similar and not shown.

**Definition 3.6.** Let  $(X, \Lambda)$  and  $(X', \Lambda')$  be saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces, let  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X, X')$  be a promodule from  $(X, \Lambda)$  to  $(X', \Lambda')$  and let  $\Psi \subseteq \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X' \times X)$  be a promodule from  $(X', \Lambda')$  to  $(X, \Lambda)$ .  $\Phi$  is called *left-adjoint* for  $\Psi$  (and  $\Psi$  is called *right-adjoint* for  $\Phi$ ) if  $\Lambda \subseteq \Psi \circ \Phi$  and  $\Phi \circ \Psi \subseteq \Lambda'$ . In this case we write  $\Phi \dashv \Psi$ .

**Example 3.7.** For a uniformly continuous mapping  $\varphi : (X, \Lambda) \rightarrow (X', \Lambda')$  we have  $\varphi_* \dashv \varphi^*$ . In fact, we have  $\Lambda = \Lambda \circ [[\top_{\Delta_X}]] = \Lambda \circ [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ [[\varphi]] \subseteq [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]] = [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ \Lambda' \circ \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]] = \varphi^* \circ \varphi_*$  and also  $\varphi_* \circ \varphi^* = \Lambda' \circ [[\varphi]] \circ [[\varphi^\circ]] \circ \Lambda' \subseteq \Lambda' \circ [[\top_{\Delta_Y}]] \circ \Lambda' = \Lambda' \circ \Lambda' = \Lambda'$ .

We note that for a promodule  $\Psi \subseteq \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X' \times X)$  its left-adjoint  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X, X')$  is unique. In fact, if we have  $\Phi_1 \dashv \Psi$  and  $\Phi_2 \dashv \Psi$ , then  $\Phi_1 = \Phi_1 \circ \Lambda \subseteq \Phi_1 \circ (\Psi \circ \Psi_2) = (\Phi_1 \circ \Psi) \circ \Phi_2 \subseteq \Lambda' \circ \Phi_2 = \Phi_2$ . Similarly we see that  $\Phi_2 \subseteq \Phi_1$  and hence  $\Phi_1 = \Phi_2$ . In the same way, also for a promodule  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X, X')$  its right-adjoint  $\Psi \subseteq \mathbf{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X' \times X)$  is unique.

The following lemma will come in handy later.

**Lemma 3.8.** *Let  $(X, \Lambda)$  and  $(X', \Lambda')$  be saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces, let  $\Phi, \Phi' \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X, X')$  be promodules from  $(X, \Lambda)$  to  $(X', \Lambda')$  and let  $\Psi, \Psi' \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X' \times X)$  be promodules from  $(X', \Lambda')$  to  $(X, \Lambda)$ . If  $\Phi' \subseteq \Phi$  and  $\Psi' \subseteq \Psi$ , then  $\Phi' = \Phi$  and  $\Psi' = \Psi$ .*

**Proof.** We have  $\Phi' = \Lambda' \circ \Phi' \supseteq (\Phi \circ \Psi) \circ \Phi' \supseteq (\Phi \circ \Psi') \circ \Phi' = \Phi \circ (\Psi' \circ \Phi') \supseteq \Phi \circ \Lambda = \Phi$ . Similarly we can show  $\Psi \subseteq \Psi'$ .  $\square$

## 4 Lawvere Completeness of Saturated L-Quasi-Uniform Limit Spaces

We consider a one-point set  $1 = \{\bullet\}$  and the unique saturated L-quasi-uniform limit structure  $\Pi = [[\top_{\{(\bullet, \bullet)\}}]]$ . A mapping  $\varphi : 1 \rightarrow X$ ,  $\varphi(\bullet) = x$  will be identified with  $x \in X$  and we shall write  $x : 1 \rightarrow X$  for it. We note that  $x : (1, \Pi) \rightarrow (X, \Lambda)$  is uniformly continuous: For  $\mathbb{H} \geq [\top_{\{(\bullet, \bullet)\}}]$  we find  $(\varphi \times \varphi)(\mathbb{H}) \geq (\varphi \times \varphi)([\top_{\{(\bullet, \bullet)\}}]) = [\top_{\{(\varphi(\bullet), \varphi(\bullet))\}}] = [\top_{\{(x, x)\}}] \geq [\top_{\Delta_X}] \in \Lambda$  and hence  $(\varphi \times \varphi)(\mathbb{H}) \in \Lambda$ .

**Definition 4.1.** A saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space  $(X, \Lambda)$  is called *Lawvere complete* if for all promodules  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(1 \times X)$  from  $(1, \Pi)$  to  $(X, \Lambda)$ ,  $\Psi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times 1)$  from  $(X, \Lambda)$  to  $(1, \Pi)$  with  $\Phi \dashv \Psi$  there is  $x \in X$  such that  $\Phi = x_*$  and  $\Psi = x^*$ .

In the sequel, we want to identify  $X \times 1$  and  $1 \times X$  with  $X$ . This leads to some adaptation in the concepts and definitions. For a mapping  $x : 1 \rightarrow X$  we note that  $x(\bullet, y) = \top$  if and only if  $x = x(\bullet) = y$  and  $x(\bullet, y) = \perp$  otherwise. Hence,  $x(\bullet, y) = \top_{\{x\}}(y)$  and we can write  $x_* = \Lambda \circ [[x]]$  with the saturated point L-prefilter  $[x]$ . Similarly,  $x^\circ(y, \bullet) = \top$  if  $x = x(\bullet) = y$  and  $x^\circ(y, \bullet) = \perp$  otherwise, so that also  $x^* = [[x]] \circ \Lambda$ .

More generally, for  $\mathbb{F} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times 1)$  (or, similarly, for  $\mathbb{F} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(1 \times X)$ ) we identify  $f \in \mathbb{F}$  with an L-subset of  $X$  (denoted again by  $f$ ) via  $f(x) = f(x, \bullet)$ . In this sense, we define for  $\mathbb{H} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times X)$  and  $\mathbb{F} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$

$$\mathbb{H} \circ \mathbb{F} = \{[h \circ f : h \in \mathbb{H}, f \in \mathbb{F}]\}$$

with  $h \circ f(x) = h \circ f(\bullet, x) = h \circ f(\bullet, x) = \bigvee_{y \in X} f(\bullet, y) * h(y, x) = \bigvee_{y \in X} f(y) * h(y, x)$  for all  $x \in X$ . Similarly, we define

$$\mathbb{F} \circ \mathbb{H} = \{[f \circ h : f \in \mathbb{F}, h \in \mathbb{H}]\}$$

with  $f \circ h(x) = f \circ h(x, \bullet) = \bigvee_{y \in X} h(x, y) * f(y, \bullet) = \bigvee_{y \in X} h(x, y) * f(y)$ .

A promodule  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(1 \times X)$  from  $(1, \Pi)$  to  $(X, \Lambda)$  then satisfies the conditions  $\Phi \circ \Pi \subseteq \Phi$  and  $\Lambda \circ \Phi \subseteq \Phi$ . We note that the first of these conditions is always satisfied:  $\Phi \circ \Pi = \Phi \circ [[\top_{\{(\bullet, \bullet)\}}]] = \Phi \circ [[\top_{\Delta_1}]] = \Phi$ . Hence it is sufficient to demand the condition  $\Lambda \circ \Phi \subseteq \Phi$  in this case. Identifying  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(1 \times X)$  with  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$ , we call a prorelation  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$  a *left- $\Lambda$ -promodule* if  $\Lambda \circ \Phi \subseteq \Phi$ . If the saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space  $(X, \Lambda)$  is clear from the context, we simply speak of a *left-promodule* in this case.

Similarly, for a promodule  $\Psi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X \times 1)$  from  $(X, \Lambda)$  to  $(1, \Pi)$  we have the conditions  $\Psi \circ \Lambda \subseteq \Psi$  and  $\Pi \circ \Psi \subseteq \Psi$  and again the second of these conditions will be always satisfied. We therefore call a prorelation  $\Psi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$  a *right- $\Lambda$ -promodule* if  $\Psi \circ \Lambda \subseteq \Psi$ . Again, if the saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space  $(X, \Lambda)$  is clear from the context, we simply speak of a *right-promodule*.

For adjoint promodules, we consider prorelations  $\Phi, \Psi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$  as promodules (from  $(1, \Pi)$  to  $(X, \Lambda)$  for  $\Phi$  and from  $(X, \Lambda)$  to  $(1, \Pi)$  for  $\Psi$ ). Then, by definition,  $\Phi \dashv \Psi$  if and only if  $\Phi \circ \Psi \subseteq \Lambda$  and  $\Pi \subseteq \Psi \circ \Phi$ . The first condition,  $\Phi \circ \Psi \subseteq \Lambda$ , means that for all  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  and all  $\mathbb{G} \in \Psi$  we have  $\mathbb{F} \circ \mathbb{G} \in \Lambda$ . Now we note that for  $f \in \mathbb{F}$  and  $g \in \mathbb{G}$  we have

$$f \circ g(x, y) = \bigvee_{z \in 1} g(x, z) * f(z, y) = f(\bullet, y) * g(x, \bullet) = f(y) * g(x) = g \otimes f(x, y)$$

and hence,  $\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$  for all  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  and all  $\mathbb{G} \in \Psi$ .

The second condition,  $\Pi \subseteq \Psi \circ \Phi$ , means that there are  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  and  $\mathbb{G} \in \Psi$  such that  $\mathbb{G} \circ \mathbb{F} \leq [\top_{\{\bullet, \bullet\}}]$ , that is, that there are  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  and  $\mathbb{G} \in \Psi$  such that  $\top = g \circ f(\bullet, \bullet) = \bigvee_{x \in X} f(\bullet, x) * g(x, \bullet) = \bigvee_{x \in X} f(x) * g(x)$  for all  $f \in \mathbb{F}, g \in \mathbb{G}$ . So we arrive at the following characterization.

**Proposition 4.2.** *Let  $(X, \Lambda)$  be a saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space and let  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$  be a left-promodule and  $\Psi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$  be a right-promodule. Then  $\Phi$  is left-adjoint to  $\Psi$ ,  $\Phi \dashv \Psi$ , if, and only if,*

- (1)  $\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$  for all  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  and all  $\mathbb{G} \in \Psi$ ; and
- (2) there are  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  and  $\mathbb{G} \in \Psi$  such that for all  $f \in \mathbb{F}$  and all  $g \in \mathbb{G}$  we have  $\bigvee_{x \in X} f(x) * g(x) = \top$ .

**Proposition 4.3.** *The saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space  $(X, \Lambda)$  is Lawvere complete if, and only if, for all left-promodules  $\Phi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$  and all right-promodules  $\Psi \subseteq \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$  with  $\Phi \dashv \Psi$  there is  $x \in X$  such that  $\Phi = \Lambda \circ [[x]]$  and  $\Psi = [[x]] \circ \Lambda$ .*

In [6, 13, 14], for a saturated L-quasi-uniform space  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  a prerelation is defined to be a saturated prefilter  $\mathbb{H} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$ . A prerelation  $\mathbb{H}$  is a *left- $\mathcal{U}$ -promodule* if  $\mathbb{H} \leq \mathcal{U} \circ \mathbb{H}$  and a prerelation  $\mathbb{K}$  is a *right- $\mathcal{U}$ -promodule* if  $\mathbb{K} \leq \mathbb{K} \circ \mathcal{U}$ . (Note that in [6] the composition was defined in a different order.) A left- $\mathcal{U}$ -promodule  $\mathbb{H}$  is *left-adjoint* to the right- $\mathcal{U}$ -promodule  $\mathbb{K}$ ,  $\mathbb{H} \dashv \mathbb{K}$ , if  $\mathcal{U} \leq \mathbb{K} \otimes \mathbb{H}$  and  $\bigvee_{x \in X} h(x) * k(x) = \top$  for all  $h \in \mathbb{H}$  and all  $k \in \mathbb{K}$ . Then  $\mathbb{H}$  is a left- $\mathcal{U}$ -promodule if and only if  $[\mathbb{H}]$  is a left- $[\mathcal{U}]$ -promodule. In fact, if  $\mathbb{H}$  is a left- $\mathcal{U}$ -promodule and  $\mathbb{F} \in [\mathcal{U}] \circ [\mathbb{H}]$ , then  $\mathbb{H} \leq \mathcal{U} \circ \mathbb{H} \leq \mathbb{F}$  and hence,  $\mathbb{F} \in [\mathbb{H}]$ . Conversely, if  $[\mathbb{H}]$  is a left- $[\mathcal{U}]$ -promodule, then  $\mathcal{U} \circ \mathbb{H} \in [\mathcal{U}] \circ [\mathbb{H}] \subseteq [\mathbb{H}]$ , so that  $\mathbb{H} \leq \mathcal{U} \circ \mathbb{H}$ . In a similar way, we see that  $\mathbb{K}$  is a right- $\mathcal{U}$ -promodule if and only if  $[\mathbb{K}]$  is a right- $[\mathcal{U}]$ -promodule.

Furthermore, it is not difficult to show that  $\mathbb{H} \dashv \mathbb{K}$  (in  $(X, \mathcal{U})$ ) if and only if  $[\mathbb{H}] \dashv [\mathbb{K}]$  (in  $(X, [\mathcal{U}])$ ).

A saturated L-quasi-uniform space  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  is called *Lawvere complete* [13] (see also [6]) if for all left- $\mathcal{U}$ -promodules  $\mathbb{H}$  and all right- $\mathcal{U}$ -promodules  $\mathbb{K}$  with  $\mathbb{H} \dashv \mathbb{K}$  there is  $x \in X$  such that  $\mathbb{H} = \mathcal{U}(x, \cdot) = \{u(x, \cdot) : u \in \mathcal{U}\}$  and  $\mathbb{K} = \mathcal{U}(\cdot, x) = \{u(\cdot, x) : u \in \mathcal{U}\}$ .

**Proposition 4.4.** *A saturated L-quasi-uniform space  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  is Lawvere complete if, and only if,  $(X, [\mathcal{U}])$  is Lawvere complete.*

**Proof.** Let first  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  be Lawvere complete and let  $\Phi \dashv \Psi$ . From Proposition 4.2 we see that there are  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  and  $\mathbb{G} \in \Psi$  such that  $\mathbb{F} \dashv \mathbb{G}$ . By Lawvere completeness, there is  $x \in X$  such that  $\mathbb{F} = \mathcal{U}(x, \cdot)$  and  $\mathbb{G} = \mathcal{U}(\cdot, x)$ . For  $u \in L^{X \times X}$  we have  $u \circ \top_{\{x\}}(y) = \bigvee_{z \in X} \top_{\{x\}}(z) * u(z, y) = u(x, y)$  for all  $y \in X$  and hence  $\mathcal{U} \circ [x] = \mathcal{U}(x, \cdot)$ . Similarly we can show  $[x] \circ \mathcal{U} = \mathcal{U}(\cdot, x)$ . We conclude  $[\mathbb{F}] = [\mathcal{U}] \circ [[x]]$  and  $[\mathbb{G}] = [[x]] \circ [\mathcal{U}]$ . Clearly, we have  $[\mathbb{F}] \dashv [\mathbb{G}]$  and  $[\mathbb{F}] \subseteq \Phi$  and  $[\mathbb{G}] \subseteq \Psi$ . Lemma 3.8 implies  $\Phi = [\mathbb{F}] = [\mathcal{U}] \circ [[x]] = x_*$  and  $\Psi = [\mathbb{G}] = [[x]] \circ [\mathcal{U}] = x^*$  and hence  $(X, [\mathcal{U}])$  is Lawvere complete.

For the converse, let  $(X, [\mathcal{U}])$  be Lawvere complete and let  $\mathbb{H} \dashv \mathbb{G}$ . Then  $[\mathbb{H}] \dashv [\mathbb{G}]$  and hence there is  $x \in X$  such that  $[\mathbb{H}] = [\mathcal{U}] \circ [[x]]$  and  $[\mathbb{G}] = [[x]] \circ [\mathcal{U}]$ . We conclude  $\mathbb{H} \geq \mathcal{U} \circ [x] = \mathcal{U}(x, \cdot)$  and  $\mathbb{K} \geq [x] \circ \mathcal{U} = \mathcal{U}(\cdot, x)$ . As  $\mathcal{U}(x, \cdot) \dashv \mathcal{U}(\cdot, x)$ , see [6], we obtain  $\mathbb{H} = \mathcal{U}(x, \cdot)$  and  $\mathbb{K} = \mathcal{U}(\cdot, x)$  and  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  is Lawvere complete.  $\square$

## 5 Cauchy Completeness of Saturated L-Quasi-Uniform Limit Spaces

Let  $(X, \Lambda)$  be a saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space and let  $\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G} \in \mathbb{F}_L^{\text{sat}}(X)$ . The following concepts were introduced in [13].

- (1)  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  are called a *saturated pair L-prefilter* if for all  $f \in \mathbb{F}$  and all  $g \in \mathbb{G}$  we have  $\bigvee_{x \in X} f(x) * g(x) = \top$ .
- (2) A saturated pair L-prefilter  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  is called a *Cauchy pair* if  $\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$ .
- (3) A saturated pair L-prefilter  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  converges to  $x \in X$ ,  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G}) \rightarrow x$ , if  $[x] \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$  and  $\mathbb{G} \otimes [x] \in \Lambda$ .

We note that if a saturated pair L-prefilter  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  converges to  $x$ , then  $([x] \otimes \mathbb{F}) \circ (\mathbb{G} \otimes [x]) = \mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$ , that is,  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  is a Cauchy pair.



**Proposition 5.1** (see also [6]). *Let  $(X, \Lambda)$  be a saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space and let  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G}), (\mathbb{F}', \mathbb{G}')$  be saturated pair L-prefilters on  $X$ .*

(SCP1)  $([x], [x])$  is a Cauchy pair for all  $x \in X$ ;

(SCP2) If  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  is a Cauchy pair and if  $\mathbb{F}' \geq \mathbb{F}$  and  $\mathbb{G}' \geq \mathbb{G}$ , then  $(\mathbb{F}', \mathbb{G}')$  is a Cauchy pair.

(SCP3) If  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G}), (\mathbb{F}', \mathbb{G}')$  are Cauchy pairs and if  $\bigvee_{x \in X} f(x) * g'(x) = \top$  for all  $f \in \mathbb{F}$  and all  $g' \in \mathbb{G}'$  and also  $\bigvee_{x \in X} f'(x) * g(x) = \top$  for all  $f' \in \mathbb{F}'$  and all  $g \in \mathbb{G}$ , then  $(\mathbb{F} \wedge \mathbb{F}', \mathbb{G} \wedge \mathbb{G}')$  is a Cauchy pair.

**Proof.** We show only (SCP3). Obviously,  $(\mathbb{F} \wedge \mathbb{F}', \mathbb{G} \wedge \mathbb{G}')$  is a pair L-prefilter.  $\bigvee_{x \in X} f(x) * g'(x) = \top$  for all  $f \in \mathbb{F}$  and all  $g' \in \mathbb{G}'$ , we conclude  $(\mathbb{G}' \otimes \mathbb{F}') \circ (\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F}) = \mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F}'$ , see [7]. Similarly, we have  $(\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F}) \circ (\mathbb{G}' \otimes \mathbb{F}') = \mathbb{G}' \otimes \mathbb{F}$ . By (SLUL2) then  $\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F}' \in \Lambda$  and  $\mathbb{G}' \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$ . Hence, using Proposition 3.10 [7], we obtain  $\Lambda \ni (\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F}) \wedge (\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F}') \wedge (\mathbb{G}' \otimes \mathbb{F}) \wedge (\mathbb{G}' \otimes \mathbb{F}') = (\mathbb{G} \wedge \mathbb{G}') \otimes (\mathbb{F} \wedge \mathbb{F}')$ .  $\square$

This proposition shows that a saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space has an underlying  $\top$ -quasi-Cauchy space. These spaces were introduced in [8].

**Definition 5.2.** A saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space  $(X, \Lambda)$  is called *Cauchy complete* if for all Cauchy pairs  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  there is  $x \in X$  such that  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G}) \rightarrow x$ .

For a saturated L-quasi-uniform space  $(X, \mathcal{U})$ , a saturated pair L-prefilter  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  is called a *Cauchy pair* [13] if  $\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F} \geq \mathcal{U}$ , that is, if  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  is a Cauchy pair in  $(X, [\mathcal{U}])$ . The saturated pair L-prefilter  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  is called *convergent* to  $x \in X$  if  $\mathbb{F} \geq \mathcal{U}(x, \cdot)$  and  $\mathbb{G} \geq \mathcal{U}(\cdot, x)$ . From  $([x] \otimes \mathbb{F}) \circ [x] = \mathbb{F}$  we obtain  $[x] \otimes \mathbb{F} \geq \mathcal{U}$  if, and only if,  $\mathbb{F} \geq \mathcal{U} \circ [x] = \mathcal{U}(x, \cdot)$  and similarly we have  $\mathbb{G} \otimes [x] \geq \mathcal{U}$  if, and only if,  $\mathbb{G} \geq [x] \circ \mathcal{U} = \mathcal{U}(\cdot, x)$ . Hence we have  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G}) \rightarrow x$  in  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  if, and only if,  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G}) \rightarrow x$  in  $(X, [\mathcal{U}])$ . From these observations we immediately obtain the following result.

**Proposition 5.3.** *A saturated L-quasi-uniform space  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  is Cauchy complete if, and only if,  $(X, [\mathcal{U}])$  is Cauchy complete.*

It is shown in [13, 14] that a saturated L-quasi-uniform space is Cauchy complete if, and only if, it is Lawvere complete. Hence, by Propositions 4.4 and 5.3, for a saturated L-quasi-uniform space  $(X, \mathcal{U})$ , the saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space  $(X, [\mathcal{U}])$  is Cauchy complete if, and only if, it is Lawvere complete. This is also true for arbitrary saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces. We first show the following Lemma.

**Lemma 5.4.** *Let  $(X, \Lambda)$  be a saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space,  $x \in X$  and  $\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G} \in \mathbb{F}_{\perp}^{\text{sat}}(X)$ . Then*

(1)  $[x] \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$  if, and only if,  $\mathbb{F} \in \Lambda \circ [[x]]$ .

(2)  $\mathbb{G} \otimes [x] \in \Lambda$  if, and only if,  $\mathbb{G} \in [[x]] \circ \Lambda$ .

**Proof.** (1) Let first  $[x] \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$ . Then  $\mathbb{F} = ([x] \otimes \mathbb{F}) \circ [x] \in \Lambda \circ [[x]]$ . (We have  $(\top_{\{x\}} \otimes f) \circ \top_{\{x\}}(y) = \bigvee_{z \in X} \top_{\{x\}}(z) * (\top_{\{x\}} \otimes f)(z, y) = \top_{\{x\}} \otimes f(x, y) = f(y)$ .)

Let now  $\mathbb{F} \in \Lambda \circ [[x]]$ . Then there is  $\mathbb{L} \in \Lambda$  such that  $\mathbb{L} \circ [x] \leq \mathbb{F}$ . We conclude  $\mathbb{L} \leq [x] \otimes (\mathbb{L} \circ [x]) \leq [x] \otimes \mathbb{F}$  and hence  $[x] \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$ . (We have  $\top_{\{x\}} \otimes (l \circ \top_{\{x\}})(s, t) = \top_{\{x\}}(s) * \bigvee_{y \in X} \top_{\{x\}}(y) * l(y, t) = \top_{\{x\}}(s) * l(x, t) \leq l(s, t)$ .)

(2) can be shown in a similar way.  $\square$

**Theorem 5.5.** *A saturated L-quasi-uniform limit space  $(X, \Lambda)$  is Cauchy complete if, and only if, it is Lawvere complete.*

**Proof.** Let first  $(X, \Lambda)$  be Lawvere complete and let  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  be a Cauchy pair. We define  $\Phi = \Lambda \circ [\mathbb{F}]$  and  $\Psi = [\mathbb{G}] \circ \Lambda$ . It is not difficult to see that  $\Phi, \Psi$  are prerelations. As  $\Lambda \circ \Phi = \Lambda \circ \Lambda \circ [\mathbb{F}] \subseteq \Lambda \circ \mathbb{F} = \Phi$ ,  $\Phi$  is a left-promodule. Similarly,  $\Psi \circ \Lambda = [\mathbb{G}] \circ \Lambda \circ \Lambda \subseteq [\mathbb{G}] \circ \Lambda = \Psi$ , that is,  $\Psi$  is a right promodule. We show  $\Phi \dashv \Psi$ . Let  $\mathbb{H} \in \Phi$  and  $\mathbb{K} \in \Psi$ . Then there are  $\mathbb{L}_1, \mathbb{L}_2 \in \Lambda$  such that  $\mathbb{H} \geq \mathbb{L}_1 \circ \mathbb{F}$  and  $\mathbb{K} \geq \mathbb{G} \circ \mathbb{L}_2$ . A straightforward



calculation shows that for  $l_1, l_2 \in L^{X \times X}$  and  $f, g \in L^X$  we have  $l_1 \circ (g \otimes f) \circ l_2 = (g \circ l_2) \otimes (l_1 \circ f)$ . Hence  $\mathbb{K} \otimes \mathbb{H} \geq (\mathbb{G} \circ \mathbb{L}_2) \otimes (\mathbb{L}_1 \circ \mathbb{F}) = \mathbb{L}_1 \circ (\mathbb{G} \otimes \mathbb{F}) \circ \mathbb{L}_2 \in \Lambda$  by (SLUL4). Furthermore, we have  $\mathbb{F} = [\top_{\Delta_X}] \circ \mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  and  $\mathbb{G} = \mathbb{G} \circ [\top_{\Delta_X}] \in \Psi$  and therefore  $\Phi \dashv \Psi$ . As  $(X, \Lambda)$  is Lawvere complete, there is  $x \in X$  such that  $\Phi = x_*$  and  $\Psi = x^*$ , that is,  $\Lambda \circ [\mathbb{F}] = \Lambda \circ [[x]]$  and  $[\mathbb{G}] \circ \Lambda = [[x]] \circ \Lambda$ . As  $\mathbb{F} = [\top_{\Delta_X}] \circ \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda \circ [\mathbb{F}] = \Lambda \circ [[x]]$  we conclude with Lemma 5.4 that  $[x] \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$ . In a similar way we see that  $\mathbb{G} \otimes [x] \in \Lambda$  and hence  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G}) \rightarrow x$  and  $(X, \Lambda)$  is Cauchy complete.

Let now  $(X, \Lambda)$  be a Cauchy complete. Let  $\Phi \dashv \Psi$ . From Proposition 4.2 we see that there is a Cauchy pair  $(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{G})$  with  $\mathbb{F} \in \Phi$  and  $\mathbb{G} \in \Psi$ . By Cauchy completeness there is  $x \in X$  such that  $[x] \otimes \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda$  and  $\mathbb{G} \otimes [x] \in \Lambda$ , that is,  $\mathbb{F} \in \Lambda \circ [[x]]$  and  $\mathbb{G} \in [[x]] \circ \Lambda$ . We define  $\bar{\Phi} = \Lambda \circ [\mathbb{F}]$  and  $\bar{\Psi} = [\mathbb{G}] \circ \Lambda$ . Then, as in the first part of the proof,  $\bar{\Phi} \dashv \bar{\Psi}$ . We have  $\bar{\Phi} = \Lambda \circ [\mathbb{F}] \subseteq \Lambda \circ \Phi \subseteq \Phi$ . In a similar way we conclude  $\bar{\Psi} \subseteq \Psi$  and hence, by Lemma 3.8,  $\bar{\Phi} = \Lambda \circ [\mathbb{F}]$ . From  $\mathbb{F} \in \Lambda \circ [[x]]$  we conclude  $[\mathbb{F}] \subseteq \Lambda \circ [[x]]$  and hence  $\bar{\Phi} = \Lambda \circ [\mathbb{F}] \subseteq \Lambda \circ \Lambda \circ [[x]] \subseteq \Lambda \circ [[x]] = x_*$ .

Let  $\bar{\mathbb{F}} \in x_* = \Lambda \circ [[x]]$ . Then there is  $\mathbb{L} \in \Lambda$  such that  $\mathbb{L} \circ [x] \leq \bar{\mathbb{F}}$ . We note that for  $f \in \mathbb{F}, g \in \mathbb{G}$  we have  $\bigvee_{x \in X} f(x) * g(x) = \top$  and therefore  $(g \otimes \top_{\{x\}}) \circ f = \top_{\{x\}}$ . Hence we have  $[x] = (\mathbb{G} \otimes [x]) \circ \mathbb{F} \in \Lambda \circ \Phi = \bar{\Phi}$ . It follows that  $\bar{\mathbb{F}} \geq \mathbb{L} \circ [x] \in \Lambda \circ \Phi = \bar{\Phi}$  and we have  $\bar{\mathbb{F}} \in \bar{\Phi}$ , that is  $x_* \subseteq \bar{\Phi}$ . Similar arguments show that  $\bar{\Psi} = x^*$  and  $(X, \Lambda)$  is Lawvere complete.  $\square$

## 6 Conclusion

We studied two completeness notions for saturated L-quasi-uniform limit spaces. The one is based on the concept of adjoint promodules and generalizes an approach of Clementino and Hofmann [2]. The other uses the concept of the Cauchy pair and generalizes a classical approach due to Lindgren and Fletcher [10]. We show that both approaches are equivalent.

An open problem is the construction of a completion based on either of the two completeness notions. This will still deserve more work.

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