# THE REMARK on THE SELF-SIMILAR SETS -자기 동형 집합에 관하여-

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## 요 지

먼저 Cantor dust 의 성질 및 유사성, 축소인자, 불변집합,  $\delta$  - covering, Box counting 차원 등에 대한 정의를 하였다,  $\{f_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ 를  $\mathbb{R}^n$ 상에서 개집합 조건을 만족시키는 축소인자  $C_i$ 에 대한 유사성 이라하자.  $F_i$ 를  $\{f_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ 에 대한  $\mathbb{R}^n$ 상의 불변집합, 즉,  $F_i$  =  $\bigcup_{i=1}^\infty f_i(F)$ 를 만족시키는 집합이라 하자. 이때,  $\sum_{i=1}^\infty C_i^2 = 1$ ,  $0 < C_i < 1$  일 때, dim  $G_i$   $G_i$  F = dim  $G_i$  F =  $G_i$  임을 보임으로서, 자기동형집합의 후랙탈 차원에 대하여 논의 하고자 한다.

## 1. Introduction and preliminaries

Mandelbrot observed the study of the fractal from the existence of a "Geometry of Nature". His studies have led us to think in a new scientific way about the edge of clouds. Fractal is to study the method of representation of many natural phenomena and provide the general framework for non-smooth and irregulars. The purpose of this paper

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is to prove some properties of fractals and study its dimension. The triadic Cantor set is the limit C of the sequence  $C_k$  of sets. We will define the limit to be the intersections  $C = \bigcap_{k \in \mathbb{N}} C_k$  is an official fractal. These are several properties of Cantor set ([1], [2], [10], [12]).

- [1] Cantor set contains no intervals.
- [2] Cantor set has no isolated points.
- [3] Cantor set is closed; that is, if  $a \in \mathbb{R}$  has the property that every interval of the form  $(a-\varepsilon \ a+\varepsilon)$  intersects C, then  $a \in \mathbb{C}$ .

We think functions as the following. Let (X,d) be a metric space. A self-map  $f: X \to X$  is called contraction mapping on X if there is a constant 0 < c < 1 such that  $d(f(x), f(y)) \le cd(x,y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ . Such number c is called a contractivity factor for f.

(1-1) If d(f(x), f(y)) = cd(x,y), then f is called a similarity. Now let  $\{f_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$  be contractions on X. We call a subset A of X invariant for  $\{f_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$  if  $A = \bigcup_{i=1}^{n} f_i(A)$ . Such invariant sets are often fractals ([1],[11]). Let  $A \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  and  $\delta > 0$ . A covering  $\mu = \{U_a\}_{a \in A}$  of A is called a  $\delta$ -cover if each  $U_a$  is a set of diameter  $r_a$  ( $0 < r_a < \delta$ ). For s > 0, define  $H_{\delta}^s(A) = \inf \{\sum_{a \in A} |U_a|^s; \mu = \{U_a\}_{a \in A} \text{ is a } \delta$ -covering of A. Clearly,  $H_{\delta}^s \leq H_{\delta}^k$ , if  $0 < \delta < \delta$ . Therefore,  $\lim_{\delta \to 0} H_{\delta}^k(A)$  exist in the extended real number system.

- 1°. Let  $\mu$  be a mass distribution on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and let  $F \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a bounded subset. For some  $s \ge 0$ , assume that there are numbers c > 0 and  $\delta > 0$  such that  $\mu(U) \le c |U|^s$  for each set U with and  $|U| \le \delta$ , then  $H^s(F) \ge \frac{\mu(F)}{c}$  and  $s \le \dim_H F \le \dim_H F \le \dim_H F \le \dim_H F \le \dim_H F$ .
- $2^{0}$ . Let  $\{V_{a}\} \in \Lambda$  be a collection of disjoint open subsets of  $\mathbb{R}^{n}$  for which each  $V_{a}$  contains a ball of radius ar and is containd in a ball of radius br. Then any ball B of radius r intersects at most  $(1+2b)^{n} a^{n}$  of the closures  $\overline{V_{i}}$ .
- $3^{\circ}$ . If  $J_{\circ} = [a, b]$ , for  $o \in \{0, 1\}$ , then set  $J_{\sigma * \circ} = [a, a + x (b-a)]$  and  $J_{\sigma * 1} = [a + y(b-a), b]$ , where the point x, y is chosen from the triangular region  $\triangle = \{(s,t)| 0 \le s \le t \le 1\}$  according to the uniform distribution.

4°. Let  $\mathbb{R}^m$  is a Euclidean space and a nonempty compact subset J is the closure of its interior in  $\mathbb{R}^m$  and  $(\mathcal{Q}, \Sigma, P)$  is a probability space  $J = \{J_\sigma \mid \sigma \in N' = \bigcup_{n=0}^\infty N^n\}$  satisfying three properties. (1)  $J_\phi(\omega) = J$  for almost all  $\omega \in \mathcal{Q}$ ,  $\forall \sigma \in N'$ , for allmost  $\omega$ , if  $J_\sigma(\omega)$  is nonempty, then  $J_\sigma(\omega)$  is geometrically similar to J. (2) w: a point, for all  $\sigma \in N'$ ,  $J_{\sigma *1}(w)$ ,  $J_{\sigma *2}(w)$ ,  $J_{\sigma *3}(w)$ ,  $\cdots$  is a sequence of nonoverlapping subsets of  $J_\sigma(\omega)$ . (3) The random vectors  $\mathfrak{T}_\sigma = \{T_{\sigma *1}, T_{\sigma *2}, T_{\sigma *3}, \cdots > \}$ ,  $\sigma \in N^*$ , are i.i.d., where  $T_{\sigma *n}(\omega)$  equals the ratio of the diameter of  $T_{\sigma *n}(\omega)$  to the diameter of  $J_\sigma(w)$  if  $J_\sigma(w)$  is nonempty.

## 2. Examples of Fractal Dimensions

First, we will show the dimension the triadic Cantor set. This example is known as the Cantor set. Mandelbrot has called it the Cantor set. Let  $C_0$  be the closed unit interval [0, 1]. Then the set  $C_1$  is obtained by removing the middle second from [0, 1] leaving  $[0, \frac{1}{4}] \cup [\frac{3}{4}, 1]$ . The next set  $C_2$  is defined by removing the middle second of the two intervals of  $C_1$ . This leaves  $C_2 = [0, \frac{1}{16}] \cup [\frac{3}{16}, \frac{4}{16}] \cup [\frac{12}{16}, \frac{13}{16}] \cup [\frac{15}{16}, 1]$  and so on. Here, dimension of sets  $C_n$  using definition of similarity, is near to real number 0.5 and the dimension of the Sierpinski gasket is similarly. The example of the above become to fractals.

## 3. The Self-Similar Sets

Proposition 3.1. Let  $c_i$  be constants satisfying  $0 < c_i < 1$  ( $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$ ), and inf  $c_i$  is not zero. Then there is a unique nonnegative number  $s_i$  such that  $\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_i^s = 1$  further, the number  $s_i$  is 0 if and only if  $1 \le i < \infty$ .

Proof. [22] pp 248 - 253.

Theorem 3.2. Let  $\{f_i\}_{i=1}$  be the similarities on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  with contractivity factors  $c_i$  which satisfy the open set condition on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . If F is an invariant subset of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ 

with respect to  $\{f_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ . i.e.,  $F = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} f_i(F)$ . Then  $\dim_B F = \dim_B F = s$ , where  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} c_i^s = 1, \quad 0 < c_i < 1.$ 

Proof. Assume that (3-1) holds. Put A( $i_1, i_2, \dots, i_k$ ) = ( $f_{i_1} \circ f_{i_2} \circ \dots \circ f_{i_k}$ )(A) for any subset A  $\subset \mathbb{R}^n$ . Let  $J_k$  be the set of all k-term sequences ( $i_1, i_2, \dots, i_k$ ) with  $1 \le i_j < \infty$ . Then  $F = \bigcup_k F(i_1, i_2, \dots, i_k)$ . Therefore

$$\begin{split} \sum_{f_{k}} & | \mathbf{F}(i_{1}, i_{2}, \cdots, i_{k}) | |^{s} = \sum_{f_{k}} (|c_{i_{1}} \cdots c_{i_{k}}|)^{s} |F|^{s} \\ & = (\sum_{i} c_{i_{i}}^{s}) \cdots ((\sum_{i} c_{i_{k}}^{s}) |F|^{s} = |F|^{s}. \end{split}$$

Choose k such that

$$| F(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k) | \leq (\sup c_i)^k \leq \delta$$

for any  $\delta > 0$ , then  $H^{s}_{\delta}(F) \leq |F|^{s}$  and so  $H^{s}(F) \leq |F|^{s}$ . Let us consider the lower bound. Let I be the set of all infinite sequences  $I = \{ (i_{1}, i_{2}, \cdots) : 1 \leq i_{j} < \infty \}$ , and let  $I_{i_{1}, \dots, i_{k}} = \{ (i_{1}, \cdots, i_{k}, q_{k+1}, \cdots) : 1 \leq q_{j} < \infty \}$  be the cylinder consisting of those sequences in I with initial terms  $(i_{1}, i_{2}, \cdots, i_{k})$ . We define a mass distribution  $\mu$  on I by  $\mu$   $(I_{i_{1}, \dots, i_{k}}) = (c_{i_{1}} \cdots c_{i_{k}})^{s}$ . Then since

$$(c_{i_1} \cdots c_{i_k})^s = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (c_{i_1} \cdots c_{i_k} c_i)^s,$$

$$\mu (I_{i_1}, \dots, i_k) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \mu (I_{i_1, i_2}, \dots, i_{k,t}).$$

Accordingly,  $\mu$  is a mass distribution on subsets of I with  $\mu$  (I) = 1. Let us transfer  $\mu$  to  $\overline{\mu}$  on F by putting  $\overline{\mu}$  (A) =  $\mu$  { (  $i_1$ ,  $i_2$ ,  $\cdots$  );  $x_{i_1, i_2, \cdots} \in A$  } for each subset A of F, where  $x_{i_1, i_2, \cdots} = \bigcap_{k=1}^{\infty} F$  (  $i_1$ ,  $i_2$ ,  $\cdots$  ,  $i_k$ ). Thus  $\overline{\mu}$  (F) = 1.

The mass distribution  $\mu$  satisfies  $1^0$ . By assumption, let  $V \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a nonempty bounded open subset which satisfies the open set condition for  $\{f_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ . Since

$$\overline{V} \supset \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} f_i(\overline{V}), f^k(\overline{V})$$

converges to F. Here  $f^k$  denote the k-times composition of f and the map f is defined by  $f(A) = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} f_i(A)$ . In particular,  $\overline{V} \supset F$  and

$$\overline{V}(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k) \supset F(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k)$$

for each finite sequence  $(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k)$ . Let B={ B, is any open ball | r is radious of 0 < r < 1}. We shall estimate  $\overline{\mu}$  (B) by considering the sets V  $(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k)$  with diameter comparable with that of B and with closure intersecting  $F \cap B$ . We are define the random set

$$K(\omega) = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{\sigma \in \mathcal{N}^{i}} J_{\sigma}(\omega) = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{\sigma \in \mathcal{N}^{i}} J_{\sigma}(\omega).$$

If K is nonempty with positive probability, K has Hausdorff dimension a, where a is the least  $\beta > 0$ . i.e. E (  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} T_i^{\beta}$ )  $\leq 1$ . Let  $\lambda$  be m-dimensional Lebesgue measure and define a function  $\psi : [0, \infty] \Rightarrow [0, \infty]$  by

$$\psi$$
 ( $\beta$ ) = E ( $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} T_i^{\beta}$ ) = E ( $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} T_{\sigma*_i}^{\beta}$ ), where  $\sigma \in N$ .

The sets  $J_o$  satisfies  $4^0$ .

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \bigwedge(\inf(c_n)) \leq \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda(\inf(J_i))$$

$$\leq \lambda \pmod{J_i} \leq J_{i_1} J_{i_2} \cdots J_{i_k} \cdots \leq cr$$
, for all  $c > 1$ .

Let Q denote the finite set of all sequences obtained in this way. Then there is exactly one value of k with  $(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k) \in Q$ . Since  $V(1), \cdots, V(m)$  are disjoint,  $\{V(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k, \iota): 1 \le l \le m\}$  are disjoint for each  $(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k) \in Q$  and so  $\{V(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k, \iota): (i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k) \in Q \text{ and } 1 \le l \le m\}$ . Similarly,  $F \subset \bigcup_{Q} F(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k) \subset \bigcup_{Q} \overline{V}(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k)$ . Choose  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  so that V contains a ball of radius  $d_1$  and is contained in a ball of radius  $d_2$ . Then, for each  $(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k) \in Q$ , the set  $V(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k)$  contains a ball of radius  $c_{i_1} c_{i_2} \cdots c_{i_k} d_1$  and therefore a ball of radius  $(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k)$  contains a ball of radius  $(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k)$  denote the set of those sequences  $(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k)$  in Q such that P intersects P in P in P sequences in P in P sequences in P in P in P in P sequences in P in P in P in P in P sequences in P in P in P in P in P sequences in P in

$$\overline{\mu}$$
 (B) =  $\overline{\mu}$  (F  $\cap$  B)  $\leq \mu$  { ( $i_1, i_2, \dots$ );  $x_{i_1, i_2, \dots} \subset F \cap B$  }  $\leq \mu$  {  $\bigcup_{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_i}$  }.

Since, if  $x_{i_1, i_2, \dots} \in F \cap B \subset \bigcup_{Q_i} \overline{V}(i_1, i_2, \dots, i_k)$  then there is an integer k such that  $(i_1, i_2, \dots, i_k) \in Q_1$ . Thus

$$\overline{\mu}(B) \leq \sum_{Q_1} \mu(\|I\|_{i_1, |i_2| + \cdots + |i_s|}) = \sum_{Q_1} (\|c\|_{i_1} + \cdots + c\|_{i_s})^s \leq \sum_{Q_1} r^s \leq r^s q.$$

Since any set U is contained in a ball of radius |U|,  $\overline{\mu}$  (U)  $\leq |U|^s q$ . Therefore,  $H^s(F) \geq q^{-1} > 0$  by  $2^0$ , and  $\dim_H F = s$ . Inductively,  $\sum_Q (c_{i_1} \cdot \cdot \cdot \cdot c_{i_k})^s = 1$  by (3-1). If Q satisfying the condition of the Hausdorff metric, then Q contains at most  $(\min_1 c_1)^{-s} r^{-s}$  sequences. For each sequence  $(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k) \in Q$ ,

$$|\overline{V}(i_1, i_2, \cdots, i_k)| = c_{i_1} \cdots c_{i_k} |\overline{V}| \leq r |\overline{V}|$$

and so A is covered by  $(\inf_i c_i)^{-s} r^{-s}$  sets of diameter  $r \mid \overline{V} \mid$  for each r < 1. By largest number of disjoint balls of radius  $\delta$  with center in F,  $\overline{\dim}_B F \leq s$ , where s is the Hausdorff dimension.

## 4. Non-Integral Dimension of Irregular Sets

## [ \* 1] Fractal Dimension

Definition 4.1. Let (X, d) be a complete metric space and let  $A \subset X$  be a nonempty compact subset. For each  $\varepsilon > 0$ , let  $N(A, \varepsilon)$  denote the smallest number of closed balls of radius  $\varepsilon > 0$  needed to cover A. If  $D_A = \lim_{\varepsilon \to 0} \frac{\ln(N(A, \varepsilon))}{\ln(\frac{1}{\varepsilon})}$  exists, then

 $D_A$  is called the box counting dimension of A. And we will also say "A has fractal dimension  $D_A$ ". The intuitive idea behind fractal dimension is that a set A has fractal dimension  $D_A$  if N(A,  $\varepsilon$ ) =  $c \cdot \varepsilon^{-D_A}$  for some positive constant c. From this we obtain the following ([2], [12]);

$$D_A = \lim_{\varepsilon \to 0} \frac{\ln(N(A, \varepsilon)) - \ln c}{\ln(\frac{1}{\varepsilon})}.$$

## [ \* 2] Hausdorff Dimension

Definition 3.3.  $\dim_H F = \inf \{ s : H^s(F) = 0 \} = \sup \{ s : H^s(F) = \infty \}$   $H^s(F) = \{ \begin{array}{ccc} \infty & \text{if} & s & \leq & \dim_H F \\ 0 & \text{if} & s & > & \dim_H F \end{array} \}$ 

For box counting dimension we know that

$$\lim \inf_{\varepsilon \to 0} \operatorname{N}(A, \varepsilon) \varepsilon^{s} = \{ \begin{array}{ccc} \infty & \text{if} & 0 & \leq & s & \leq & \dim_{B}(A) \\ 0 & \text{if} & \dim_{B}A & \zeta & s & \zeta & \infty \end{array} \right..$$

The box counting dimension is also defined like this.

Proposition 3.4. Let  $A \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  and let constants c > 0 and a > 0 are given. Then if  $f: A \to \mathbb{R}^m$  is a mapping for which  $|f(x) - f(y)| \le c |x - y|^a$  for all x,  $y \in A$ . Then for each s,  $H^{\frac{s}{a}}(f(A)) \le c^{\frac{s}{a}} H^s(A)$ .

Proof. Let  $\{U_i\}$  be a  $\delta$  - cover of A. Then  $\{f(A \cap U_i)\}$  is an  $\epsilon$  - cover of f(A) since  $|f(A \cap U_i)| \le c |U_i|^a$  where  $\epsilon = c \delta^a$ . Then

$$\sum_{i} |f(A \cap U_{i})|^{\frac{s}{\alpha}} \leq c^{\frac{s}{\alpha}} \sum_{i} |U_{i}|^{s}$$

and so  $H_{\delta}^{\frac{s}{a}}(f(A)) \leq c^{\frac{s}{a}} H_{\delta}^{s}(F).$ 

Therefore, taking  $\delta \rightarrow 0$ , we have  $H^{\frac{s}{\alpha}}(f(A)) \le c^{\frac{-s}{\alpha}} H^{s}(A)$ .

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