

## Doob's Stopping Theorems for Set-Valued (Super, Sub) Martingales with Continuous Time \*

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**Abstract:** In this paper the regularity of set-valued martingales in the sense of  $J_L$  is given first. Then we show some kinds of Doob's stopping theorems for set-valued (super, sub) martingales with continuous time.

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### 1. Introduction and Preliminaries

Doob's stopping theorems and optional sampling theorems for set-valued martingales were first studied by [1]. [10] proved an optional sampling theorem for set-valued martingales by virtue of [8], extending an earlier result of [1]. [13] established Doob's stopping theorems for set-valued (super, sub) martingales in  $\mathcal{L}_{fc}^1(X)$ . [12] established all kinds of (super, sub) martingales, extending and improving results of [10] and [13]. The purpose of the present paper goes on with the study of stopping theorems for multivalued martingales with continuous time.

Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|)$  be a separable Banach space with the dual  $X^*$ , and  $2^X$  the set of all subsets of  $X$ . Put

$$\begin{aligned}P_f(X) &= \{A \in 2^X \setminus \emptyset : A \text{ is closed}\}, \\P_{(b)fc}(X) &= \{A \in P_f(X) : A \text{ is (bounded) convex}\}, \\P_{wkc}(X) &= \{A \in P_{fc}(X) : A \text{ is weakly compact}\}.\end{aligned}$$

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For  $A \in 2^X$ , we denote by  $\text{cl}A$  and  $\overline{\text{co}}A$  the closure and the closed convex hull of  $A$  respectively, and define  $\|A\| = \sup\{\|x\| : x \in A\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} d(x, A) &= \inf\{\|x - y\| : y \in A\}, & d(x, \emptyset) &= \infty, & x &\in X, \\ s(x^*, A) &= \sup\{\langle x^*, y \rangle : y \in A\}, & s(x^*, \emptyset) &= -\infty, & x^* &\in X^*. \end{aligned}$$

$s(x^*, A)$  and  $d(x, A)$  are called the support function and the distance function of  $A$  respectively. For  $A, B \in 2^X$ , put  $h^+(A, B) = \sup\{d(a, B) : a \in A\}$ ,  $h^-(A, B) = \sup\{d(b, A) : b \in B\}$ . The Hausdorff metric  $h$  on  $P_f(X)$  is defined by

$$h(A, B) = \max\{h^+(A, B), h^-(A, B)\}, \quad A, B \in P_f(X).$$

Then  $(P_f(X), h)$  is a complete metric spaces.

Let  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F})$  be a measurable space. The collection of all  $\mathcal{F}$ -measurable random sets is denoted by  $M[\mathcal{F}; P_f(X)]$ . Similarly, the collection of all  $P_{fc}(X)$ -valued ( $P_{wkc}(X)$ -valued) random sets is denoted by  $M[\mathcal{F}; P_{fc}(X)]$  ( $M[\mathcal{F}; P_{wkc}(X)]$ ).

Suppose that  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P)$  is a complete probability space and  $\mathcal{G}$  is a sub- $\sigma$ -field of  $\mathcal{F}$ .  $L^1(\Omega, \mathcal{G}, P; X)$  is the set of all  $\mathcal{G}$ -measurable Bochner integrable random elements. We also simplify  $L^1(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P; X)$  as  $L^1(\Omega; X)$ . For  $F \in M[\mathcal{F}; P_f(X)]$ , set

$$S_F^1(\mathcal{G}) = \{f \in L^1(\Omega, \mathcal{G}, P; X) : f(\omega) \in F(\omega) \text{ a.s.}\},$$

and  $S_F^1(\mathcal{F})$  is often written by  $S_F^1$ . For random set  $F$ , if  $S_F^1 \neq \emptyset$ , then we call  $F$  integrable. It is easy to show that  $S_F^1 \neq \emptyset$  if and only if  $E(0, F) < \infty$ . Put

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_f^1(X) &= \left\{ F \in M[\mathcal{F}; P_f(X)] : \int_{\Omega} \|F\| dP < \infty \right\}, \\ \mathcal{L}_{fc}^1(X) &= \{F \in \mathcal{L}_f^1(X) : F(\omega) \in P_{fc}(X) \text{ a.s.}\}, \\ \mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X) &= \{F \in \mathcal{L}_f^1(X) : F(\omega) \in P_{wkc}(X) \text{ a.s.}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $F \in M[\mathcal{F}; P_f(X)]$ , if  $S_F^1 \neq \emptyset$ , then the integral of  $F$  is defined by

$$\int_{\Omega} F dp = \left\{ \int_{\Omega} f dp : f \in S_F^1 \right\},$$

where  $\int_{\Omega} f dp$  is the Bochner integral. This definition was a natural generalization of point-valued function. For  $A \in \mathcal{F}$ ,  $\int_A F dp$  is the integral of the restriction of  $F$  on  $A$ . The expectation of  $F$  is defined by  $EF = \text{cl} \int_{\Omega} F dp = \text{cl}\{\int_{\Omega} f dp : f \in S_F^1\}$ .

Put

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_f^{d1}(X) &= \{F \in M[\mathcal{F}; P_f(X)] : Ed(0, F) < \infty\}, \\ \mathcal{L}_{fc}^{d1}(X) &= \{F \in M[\mathcal{F}; P_{fc}(X)] : Ed(0, F) < \infty\}. \end{aligned}$$

Then  $\mathcal{L}_f^{d1}(X)$  is the collection of all integrable random sets. The conditional expectation of  $F \in \mathcal{L}_f^{d1}(X)$  with respect to  $\mathcal{A}$ ,  $E(F|\mathcal{A})$ , is the unique (up to a  $P$ -null set)  $\mathcal{A}$ -measurable

random set in  $\mathcal{L}_f^{dl}$  such that  $S_{E(F|\mathcal{A})}^1(\mathcal{A}) = \text{cl}\{E(f|\mathcal{A}) : f \in S_F^1\}$ , the closure taken in  $L^1(\Omega; X)$  (see [7] Theorem 5.17). Note that if  $\mathcal{A}$  is trivial, i.e.,  $\mathcal{A} = \{\emptyset, \Omega\}$ , then

$$E(F|\mathcal{A}) = EF = \text{cl} \int_{\Omega} F dp.$$

The conditional expectation of a random closed set behaves much like the traditional single-valued conditional expectation, for more details we may refer to [7]. Put

$$P_{Rwkc}(X) = \{A \in P_{fc}(X) : A \hat{\cap} B(0, r) \in P_{wkc}(X), r > 0\},$$

where  $B(0, r)$  is the closed ball of radius  $r$ , centered at 0.

The rest of this paper is organized as follows: In section 2 the regularity of multivalued martingales is proved in the sense of  $J_L$ . Doob's stopping theorems are discussed in section 3.

## 2. Regularity of Set-valued martingales in the sense of $J_L$ .

In this section, let  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P)$  be a complete probability space, a filtration with continuous time  $(\mathcal{F}_t, t \geq 0)$  is given. Also  $(\mathcal{F}_t, t \geq 0)$  satisfies the usual conditions,  $\mathcal{F}_{\infty} = \bigvee_{t \geq 0} \mathcal{F}_t$ . By  $\bar{T}$  (resp.  $T_f, T$ ) we will denote the set of all  $(\mathcal{F}_t)$ -(resp. finite, bounded) stopping times. Before we set up a theorem concerned with the regularity of continuous parameter set-valued martingales, we introduce some notions of convergence of a family of sets in  $P_f(X)$ . Let  $(A, A_r, r \geq 0) \subset P_f(X)$ , put

$$\begin{aligned} w - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r &= \{x \in X : \exists x_r \in A_r, r \geq 0, \text{ s.t. } x_r \xrightarrow{w} x, r \rightarrow t\}, \\ w - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r &= \{x \in X : \exists x_{r_n} \in A_{r_n}, n \geq 1, r_n \rightarrow t, n \rightarrow \infty, \text{ s.t. } x_{r_n} \xrightarrow{w} x, n \rightarrow \infty\}, \\ s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r &= \{x \in X : \exists x_r \in A_r, \text{ s.t. } x_r \xrightarrow{s} x, r \rightarrow t\}, \\ s - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r &= \{x \in X : \exists x_{r_n} \in A_{r_n}, n \geq 1, r_n \rightarrow t, n \rightarrow \infty, \text{ s.t. } x_{r_n} \xrightarrow{s} x, n \rightarrow \infty\}. \end{aligned}$$

Here  $s$ -denotes the strong topology on  $X$  and  $w$ -the weak topology. Note that we always have

$$s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r \subset s - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r \subset w - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r, \quad s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r \subset w - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r \subset w - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r.$$

**Definition 2.1** (1) If  $\lim_{r \rightarrow t} h(A_r, A) = 0$ , then we say  $(A_r)$  convergent to  $A$  at  $t$  in the Hausdorff metric and denote by  $(h) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ ;

(2) If  $s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = w - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ , then we call  $(A_r)$  convergent to  $A$  at  $t$  in the Kuratowski Mosco sense and denote by  $(K - M) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ ;

(3) If  $s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = s - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ , then we call  $(A_r)$  convergent to  $A$  at  $t$  in the Kuratowski sense and denote by  $(K) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ ;

(4) If  $w - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = w - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ , then we say  $(A_r)$  convergent to  $A$  at  $t$  in the  $\tau_w$  sense and denote by  $(\tau_w) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ ;

(5) If for each  $x^* \in X^*$ ,  $\lim_{r \rightarrow t} s(x^*, A_r) = s(x^*, A)$ , then we say  $(A_r)$  weakly convergent to  $A$  at  $t$  and denote by  $(w) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ ;

(6) If for each  $x \in X$ ,  $\lim_{r \rightarrow t} d(x, A_r) = d(x, A)$ , then we call  $(A_r)$  convergent to  $A$  at  $t$  in the Wijsman sense and denote by  $(Wijs) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ ;

(7) If  $(w) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ ,  $(Wijs) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ , then we say  $(A_r)$  convergent to  $A$  at  $t$  in the  $J_L$ -sense and denote by  $(J_L) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ .

Obviously, the notations of  $K - M$  and weak convergence of sets are in general disjoint and are both implied by convergence in the Hausdorff metric. Also

$$(K - M) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A \rightarrow (k) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A; (K - M) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A \rightarrow (\tau_w) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A.$$

**Lemma 2.2** Let  $(A_r, r \geq 0) \subset P_f(X)$ . Then

$$s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = \{x \in X : \lim_{r \rightarrow t} d(x, A_r) = 0\}.$$

**Proof** Take  $x \in s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r$ . There exist  $x_r \in A_r, r \geq 0$  such that  $\|x_r - x\| \rightarrow 0, r \rightarrow t$ . Thus  $d(x, A_r) \leq \|x_r - x\| \rightarrow 0, r \rightarrow t$ . Hence  $\lim_{r \rightarrow t} d(x, A_r) = 0$ . Conversely, take  $x \in \{x \in X : \lim_{r \rightarrow t} d(x, A_r) = 0\}$ . For  $r \geq 0$ , there exists  $x_r \in A_r$  such that  $\|x - x_r\| \leq d(x, A_r) + |r - t|$ . Letting  $r \rightarrow t$  gives  $\|x - x_r\| \rightarrow 0$ . Therefore,  $x \in s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r$ . The desired conclusion is proved.

The proofs of following two lemmas are completely similar to those of analogous theorems in [2] [13], and are omitted.

**Lemma 2.3** Let  $\{A, A_r, r \geq 0\} \subset P_f(X), A_r \subset G \in P_{wk}(X), r \geq 0$ . If  $(K - M) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ , then  $(Wijs) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ .

**Lemma 2.4** Let  $\{A, A_r, r \geq 0\} \subset P_f(X), A_r \subset G \in P_{wk}(X), r \geq 0, A \subset G$ . If  $(\tau_w) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ , then  $(w) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ .

**Proposition 2.5** Let  $(A, A_r, r \geq 0) \subset P_{fc}(X), A_r \subset G \in P_{wk}(X), r \geq 0$ . Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (1)  $(J_L) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ ;
- (2)  $(K - M) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ .

**Proof** (1)  $\rightarrow$  (2): For  $x \in A$ , (1) implies  $\lim_{r \rightarrow t} d(x, A_r) = d(x, A) = 0$ . Applying Lemma 2.2 we have  $x \in s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r$ . This means  $A \subset s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r$ . Furthermore, by Proposition 1.2 of [11] and (1) we deduce that  $w - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r \subset A$ . Hence  $A \subset s - \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r \subset w - \overline{\lim}_{r \rightarrow t} A_r \subset A$ . This yields (2) holds.

(2)  $\rightarrow$  (1): (2) and Lemma 2.3 imply  $(Wij)s \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ . On the other hand, since  $(K - M) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ , we obtain  $(\tau_w) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ . Using Lemma 2.4 we get  $(w) \lim_{r \rightarrow t} A_r = A$ . Hence (2) holds.  $\square$

Immediately from Proposition 2.5 and Theorem 5.3 of [3], we can easily prove the following theorem concerned with the regularity of continuous parameter multivalued martingales in the sense of  $J_L$ .

**Theorem 2.6** Suppose that  $\{F_t, \mathcal{F}_t, t \in R_+\}$  is a set-valued martingale in  $\mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X)$ , and there exists  $H \in \mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X)$  such that  $F_t(\omega) \subset H(\omega), \omega \in \Omega, t \geq 0$ ,  $S$  is a countable dense subset of  $R_+$  containing 0. Then there exists an adapted process  $\{\tilde{F}_t, \mathcal{F}_t, t \in R_+\}$  in  $\mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X)$  such that

(1)  $\{\tilde{F}_t, t \in R_+\}$  is  $J_L$ -right continuous and for almost all  $\omega$

$$\tilde{F}_t(\omega) = (J_L) \lim_{r \uparrow t, r \in S} F_r(\omega), \quad t \geq 0;$$

(2) For almost all  $\omega$ ,  $\tilde{F}_{t-}(\omega) = (J_L) \lim_{r \uparrow t, r \in R_+} \tilde{F}_r(\omega)$  exists for each  $t > 0$  and

$$\tilde{F}_{t-}(\omega) = (J_L) \lim_{r \uparrow t, r \in S} F_r(\omega);$$

(3) For each  $t \geq 0$ ,  $\tilde{F}_t = F_t$  a.s.;

(4)  $\{\tilde{F}_t, \mathcal{F}_t, t \in R_+\}$  is a multivalued martingale.

### 3. Doob's stopping theorem for set-valued (super, sub)martingales with continuous time

**Definition 3.1** A  $P_{fc}(X)$ -valued (super, sub) martingale  $(F_t, t \in R_+)$  is called right-closable, if there exists an integrable  $P_{fc}(X)$ -valued random set  $F_\infty \in \mathcal{F}_\infty$  such that for each  $t \in R_+$ ,  $E(F_\infty | \mathcal{F}_t) = (\subset, \supset) F_t$  a.s.. In this case  $(F_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is called a right-closed set-valued (super, sub) martingale, and  $F_\infty$  is the right-closing element of  $(F_t, t \in R_+)$ .

When  $(F_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is a martingale in  $L_{fc}^1(X)$ ; or when  $X^*$  is separable and  $(F_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is a martingale in  $\mathcal{L}_{fc}^1(X)$ ; or when  $(F_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is a martingale in  $\mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X)$ , immediately from [7], [6] we see that for a right-closed set-valued martingale the right-closing element is uniquely determined. By virtue of properties of support function one can easily prove the following theorem, and so is omitted.

**Theorem 3.2** Suppose that  $(F_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is a  $P_{fc}(X)$ -valued  $w$ -right continuous martingale. If there exists a  $H \in \mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X)$  such that  $F_t(\omega) \subset H(\omega), \omega \in \Omega, t \in \bar{R}_+$ , then for  $S, \tau \in \bar{T}, S \leq \tau$  we have

$$E(F_\tau | \mathcal{F}_S) = F_S \quad \text{a.s..} \quad (3.2.1)$$

The following theorem is a strengthened form of above Theorem 3.2.

**Theorem 3.3** Suppose that  $(F_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is a  $P_{fc}(X)$ -valued  $w$ -right continuous martingale. If there exists a  $H \in \mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X)$  such that  $F_t(\omega) \subset H(\omega), \omega \in \Omega, t \in \bar{R}_+$ , then for

$S, \tau \in \bar{T}$ , we have  $E(F_\tau | \mathcal{F}_S) = F_{S \wedge \tau}$  a.s..

**Proof** By Theorem 3.2 we know  $F_\tau \in \mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X)$ . Since  $F_\tau = F_\tau I_{[\tau \leq S]} \dot{+} F_{\tau \vee S} I_{[\tau > S]}$ , using Theorem 3.2 we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} E(F_\tau | \mathcal{F}_S) &= E(F_\tau I_{[\tau \leq S]} \dot{+} F_{\tau \vee S} I_{[\tau > S]} | \mathcal{F}_S) \\ &= E(F_\tau I_{[\tau \leq S]} | \mathcal{F}_S) \dot{+} E(F_{\tau \vee S} I_{[\tau > S]} | \mathcal{F}_S) \\ &= F_\tau I_{[\tau \leq S]} \dot{+} E(F_{\tau \vee S} | \mathcal{F}_S) I_{[\tau > S]} \\ &= F_\tau I_{[\tau \leq S]} \dot{+} F_S I_{[\tau > S]} = F_{S \wedge \tau} \quad \text{a.s..} \end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 3.4** Let  $F \in \mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X)$ . Then for  $S, \tau \in \bar{T}$  we have

$$E(E(F | \mathcal{F}_S) | \mathcal{F}_\tau) = E(E(F | \mathcal{F}_\tau) | \mathcal{F}_S) = E(F | \mathcal{F}_{S \wedge \tau}) \quad \text{a.s..} \quad (3.4.1)$$

**Proof** Using Theorem 2.6 and Corollary 2.60<sup>[4]</sup> we can prove it easily.  $\square$

Next we discuss Doob's stopping Theorem for unbounded set-valued supermartingale with continuous time. To this end, we give the following two definitions.

**Definition 3.5** Let  $(A_t, t \geq 0) \subset P_f(X)$ .  $\{A_t, t \geq 0\}$  is called *RW continuous* at  $t_0$ , if for each  $r > \sup_{t \geq 0} d(0, A_t)$  we have

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} s(x^*, A_t \cap B(0, r)) = s(x^*, A_{t_0} \cap B(0, r)), \quad x^* \in X^*.$$

If  $\{A_t, t \geq 0\}$  is *RW-continuous* for all  $t \in R_+$ , then we say  $\{A_t, t \geq 0\}$  *RW-continuous*. Similarly, we can define *RW right continuous*.

Obviously, when  $\{A_t, t \geq 0\}$  is bounded, (namely, there exists  $r > 0$  such that  $\sup_{t \geq 0} \|A_t\| < r$ )  $\{A_t, t \geq 0\}$  *RW-(right) continuous*  $\rightarrow$   $\{A_t, t \geq 0\}$  *w-(right) continuous*.

**Definition 3.6** If  $\{A_t, t \geq 0\} \subset P_f(X)$  is both *Wijs-right continuous* and *RW-right continuous*, then we call  $\{A_t, t \geq 0\}$   *$J_L^*$ -right continuous*. Let  $\{F_t, t \geq 0\}$  be a set-valued process, if for each  $\omega \in \Omega$ ,  $\{F_t(\omega), t \geq 0\}$  is  *$J_L^*$ -right continuous*, then we say  $\{F_t, t \geq 0\}$   *$J_L^*$ -right continuous*.

**Lemma 3.7** Let  $(F_t, \mathcal{F}_t; t \in \bar{R}_+)$  be a  $P_{fc}(X)$ -valued  $J_L$ -right continuous supermartingale. Then for  $S \in \bar{T}$ , we have  $F_S \in \mathcal{L}_{fc}^{d_1}(X)$ . In addition, for  $S, \tau \in \bar{T}, S \leq \tau$ , if one of the following conditions is satisfied:

(i)  $\{F_t, t \in \bar{R}_+\} \subset \mathcal{L}_{fc}^1(X), E\|F_\tau\| < \infty, E\|F_S\| < \infty, X^*$  is separable;

(ii)  $\{F_t, t \in \bar{R}_+\} \subset \mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X), E\|F_\tau\| < \infty, E\|F_S\| < \infty,$

then we have  $E(F_\tau | \mathcal{F}_S) \subset F_S$  a.s..

**Proof** It is completely similar to those of Proposition 3.15 in [12] and Theorem 3.2, and so is omitted.  $\square$

Now we turn our attention to Doob's stopping theorem for set-valued right-closed supermartingale whose values may be unbounded.

**Theorem 3.8** Assume that  $(F_t, \mathcal{F}_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is a  *$J_L^*$ -right continuous*  $P_{fc}(X)$ -valued

right-closed supermartingale. Then for  $S \in \bar{T}$ , we have  $F_S \in \mathcal{L}_{fc}^{d_1}(X)$ . In addition, if  $X^*$  is separable, or  $F_t(\omega) \in P_{Rwkc}(X), \omega \in \Omega, t \in \bar{R}_+$ , then for  $S, \tau \in \bar{T}, S \leq \tau$  we have

$$E(F_\tau | \mathcal{F}_S) \subset F_S \quad \text{a.s..} \quad (3.8.1)$$

**Proof** Assume  $(F_t, \mathcal{F}_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is  $J_L^*$ -right continuous, by Definition 3.6 we deduce  $\{d(x, F_t), t \in \bar{R}_+\}$  is a right continuous adapted process for each  $x \in X$ . Thus  $\{d(x, F_t), t \in \bar{R}_+\}$  is a progressive process by [4] Theorem 3.11. Using [4] Theorem 3.12 we conclude  $d(x, F_S) \in \mathcal{F}_S$  for each  $x \in X$ . Thus  $F_S$  is measurable w.r.t.  $\mathcal{F}_S$ . Because  $(F_t, \mathcal{F}_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is a right-closed supermartingale, using [5] we know  $\{d(0, F_t), \mathcal{F}_t, t \in \bar{R}_+\}$  is a non-negative right -closed submartingale. In particular  $E(d(0, F_\infty) | \mathcal{F}_t) \geq d(0, F_t)$  a.s.,  $t \geq 0$ . Set

$$\xi_t = E(d(0, F_\infty) | \mathcal{F}_t) + 1, t \in \bar{R}_+.$$

Since the filtration  $(\mathcal{F}_t, t \geq 0)$  satisfies the usual conditions,  $\{\xi_t, t \in \bar{R}_+\}$  has a right-continuous adapted modification. For simplicity, we still denote it by  $(\xi_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$ . Put  $G_t^k = B(0, k\xi_t), t \in \bar{R}_+, k \geq 1$ . Evidently, the above argument shows  $F_t \cap G_t^k \neq \emptyset, k \geq 1, t \in \bar{R}_+$ . For  $s < t, k \geq 1$ , using [5] Lemma 4.2 we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} E(F_t \cap G_t^k | \mathcal{F}_s) &\subset E(F_t | \mathcal{F}_s) \cap E(G_t^k | \mathcal{F}_s) \\ &\subset F_s \cap E(B(0, k\xi_t) | \mathcal{F}_s) \\ &= F_s \cap B(0, E(k\xi_t | \mathcal{F}_s)) \\ &= F_s \cap B(0, k\xi_s) = F_s \cap G_s^k \quad \text{a.s..} \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,  $E(F_\infty \cap G_\infty^k | \mathcal{F}_s) \subset F_s \cap G_s^k$ . Hence  $(F_t \cap G_t^k, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is a  $P_{fc}(X)$ -valued  $J_L$ -right continuous supermartingale. On the other hand, since

$$\begin{aligned} \|F_\tau \cap G_\tau^k\| &\leq \|G_\tau^k\| \leq k\xi_\tau = k(E[d(0, F_\infty) | \mathcal{F}_\tau] + 1), \\ \|F_S \cap G_S^k\| &\leq k(E[d(0, F_\infty) | \mathcal{F}_S] + 1), \quad k \geq 1, \end{aligned}$$

we get  $E\|F_\tau \cap G_\tau^k\| < \infty, E\|F_S \cap G_S^k\| < \infty$ . Therefore, by the monotone convergence theorem of conditional expectation [6] and Lemma 3.7 we get

$$\begin{aligned} E(F_\tau | \mathcal{F}_S) &= E\left[\bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} (F_\tau \cap G_\tau^k) | \mathcal{F}_S\right] \\ &= \text{cl}\left[\bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} E(F_\tau \cap G_\tau^k | \mathcal{F}_S)\right] \\ &\subset \text{cl}\left[\bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} (F_S \cap G_S^k)\right] = F_S. \end{aligned}$$

Thus (3.8.1) is established.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.9** Assume that  $(F_t, \mathcal{F}_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  is a  $J_L^*$ -right continuous  $P_{fc}(X)$ -valued right-closed supermartingale. If  $X^*$  is separable or  $F_t(\omega) \in P_{Rwkc}(X), \omega \in \Omega, t \in \bar{R}_+$ , then for  $S, \tau \in \bar{T}$ , we have

$$E(F_\tau | \mathcal{F}_S) \subset F_{S \wedge \tau} \quad \text{a.s..}$$

Finally, we give the Doob's stopping theorem for right-closed set-valued submartingale to end this section. The proof of it is totally similar to that of Theorem 3.2, and is omitted.

**Theorem 3.10** Let  $(F_t, t \in \bar{R}_+)$  be a  $w$ -right continuous right-closed submartingale, and there exists  $H \in \mathcal{L}_{wkc}^1(X)$  such that  $F_t(\omega) \subset H(\omega), \omega \in \Omega, t \in \bar{R}_+$ . Then for  $S, \tau \in \bar{T}, S \leq \tau$  we have

$$E(F_\tau | \mathcal{F}_S) \supset F_S \quad a.s..$$

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## 连续时间集值 (上、下) 鞅 Doob- 停时定理

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**摘 要:** 本文首先给出了  $J_L$  意义下的集值鞅的正则性, 然后证明了几种连续时间集值 (上、下) 鞅 Doob- 停时定理.