

A NOTE ON: DIFFERENTIAL INCLUSIONS ON BANACH SPACES WITH NONLOCAL STATE CONSTRAINTS

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ABSTRACT. In the paper : Differential Inclusions on Banach Spaces with Non-local State Constraints: (see [1]) the choice of the multifunction to prove the existence of solutions of Differential inclusions using Bohnenblast-Karlin fixed point theorem is not appropriate. In this note we give an alternative construction.

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Define the set K , see [1, p404] as follows

$$K \equiv \mathcal{B}_o \equiv \{x \in X \equiv C(I, E) : x(t) \in B_{r_o}(E), t \in I\}$$

where B_{r_o} is the closed ball of radius r_o in E around the origin as in [1, Lemma 5, p403]. Now define the multi function

$$G(x) \equiv L_\xi \hat{F}(x) \cap \mathcal{B}_o$$

where

$$\hat{F}(x) \equiv \{f \in L_1(I, E) : f(t) \in F(t, x(t)) \text{ a.e}\}$$

and the operator L_ξ is as defined in [1, Theorem 2, pp 398]. Note that $x \longrightarrow L_\xi \hat{F}(x)$ maps $X \equiv C(I, E)$ into closed convex subsets of X and it is upper semi continuous. Suppose $G(x) \neq \emptyset$ for $x \in \mathcal{B}_o = K$ (in case it is empty there is no solution). Since X , with the sup norm topology, is a normal topological space it follows from [2, Proposition 2.45, p 53] that

$$G : K \longrightarrow cc(K)$$

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is also upper semi continuous. Clearly $G(K) \subset K$ and, as seen in [1, Theorem 7], $G(K)$ is relatively compact. Thus by BohnenBlast-Karlin Theorem [1, Lemma 6, p 404], G has at least one fixed point in K and hence the differential Inclusion (1-2) has a nonempty set of solutions. This completes the proof. \square

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