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Selected bibliography

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- S. Abramsky and A. Jung. Domain theory. In S. Abramsky, D. M. Gabbay, and T. S. E. Maibaum, editors, *Semantic Structures*, volume 3 of *Handbook of Logic in Computer Science*, pages 1–168. Clarendon Press, 1994.

A fairly mathematical presentation of domain theory with little or no motivation from application areas. Basic knowledge of Order Theory, Category Theory and Topology is assumed.

- R. Amadio and P.-L. Curien. *Domains and Lambda Calculi*, volume 46 of *Cambridge Tracts in Theoretical Computer Science*. Cambridge University Press, 1998.

Domain Theory is developed alongside various lambda calculi. The only serious reference for stable domain theory.

- B. A. Davey and H. A. Priestley. *Introduction to Lattices and Order*. Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 2nd edition, 2002.

Contains a gentle introduction to Order Theory and also a chapter on Domain Theory. The main part is about Stone Duality (which is also treated in Abramsky & Jung, chapter 7).

- G. D. Plotkin. Post-graduate lecture notes in advanced domain theory (incorporating the “Pisa Notes”). Dept. of Computer Science, Univ. of Edinburgh. Available from <http://www.dcs.ed.ac.uk/home/gdp/publications/>, 1981.

A classic reference. Domain Theory is developed alongside denotational semantics, motivating every definition. A wealth of information and challenging exercises.

- J. Goubault-Larrecq. *Non-Hausdorff Topology and Domain Theory*, volume 22 of *New Mathematical Monographs*. Cambridge University Press, 2013.

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- G. Gierz, K. H. Hofmann, K. Keimel, J. D. Lawson, M. Mislove, and D. S. Scott. *Continuous Lattices and Domains*, volume 93 of *Encyclopedia of Mathematics and its Applications*. Cambridge University Press, 2003.

A compendium of results in domain theory with an emphasis on connections with topology and Stone duality.