

# Lecture 1

# Measure Theory & Integration

Book: ① Measure Theory & Integration  
by G. de Barra.

② Real Analysis: Measure Theory,  
Integration & Hilbert Space.  
by E. M. Stein & Rami Shakarchi.

$X \neq \emptyset$  set.

$$A, B \subseteq X.$$

$$A \setminus B := \{x \in A \mid x \notin B\} \\ = A \cap B^c.$$

$$A \Delta B := (A \setminus B) \cup (B \setminus A)$$

the symmetric difference of  $A$  &  $B$ .

Properties.

$$① \quad A \Delta B = B \Delta A.$$

$$② \quad (A \Delta B) \Delta C = A \Delta (B \Delta C)$$

$$③ \quad (A \Delta B) \Delta (C \Delta D) = (A \Delta C) \Delta (B \Delta D)$$

$$④ \quad \left( \bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i \right) \Delta \left( \bigcup_{i=1}^n F_i \right) = \bigcup_{i=1}^n (E_i \Delta F_i).$$

$A$

$B$

proof:-

$$\begin{aligned} A \Delta B &= (A \setminus B) \cup (B \setminus A) \\ &= (A \cap B^c) \cup (B \cap A^c). \end{aligned}$$



$$A^c = X \setminus A.$$

②

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} (A \Delta B)^c &= ((A \cap B^c) \cup (B \cap A^c))^c \\ &= (A^c \cup B) \cap (B^c \cup A) \\ &= (A^c \cap B^c) \cup (A \cap B). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (A \Delta B) \Delta C &= ((A \Delta B) \cap C^c) \cup ((A \Delta B)^c \cap C) \\ &\quad \text{(by def.)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left( ((A \cap B^c) \cup (B \cap A^c)) \cap C^c \right) \cup \\ &\quad \left( ((A^c \cap B^c) \cup (A \cap B)) \cap C \right). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \underbrace{(A \cap B^c \cap C^c)} \cup \underbrace{(A^c \cap B \cap C^c)} \cup \underbrace{(A^c \cap B^c \cap C)} \\ &\quad \cup \underbrace{(A \cap B \cap C)}. \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  By symmetry this is equal to  $A \Delta (B \Delta C)$ .

$$\stackrel{||}{(B \Delta C) \Delta A}.$$

$$\therefore (A \Delta B) \Delta C = A \Delta (B \Delta C).$$

③  $(A \Delta B) \Delta (C \Delta D) = ((A \Delta B) \Delta C) \Delta D$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (A \Delta (B \Delta C)) \Delta D \\
&\quad \text{(by (2))} \\
&= ((B \Delta C) \Delta A) \Delta D \\
&= (B \Delta C) \Delta (A \Delta D) \\
&= (A \Delta D) \Delta (B \Delta C).
\end{aligned}$$

④ EXERCISE.

$$\begin{array}{c}
B \subset A \\
\hline
A \Delta B = (A \setminus B) \cup \underbrace{(B \setminus A)}_{\text{"}\emptyset\text{"}} \\
\hline
= A \setminus B
\end{array}$$

Recall:- Let  $E_1 \supseteq E_2 \supseteq \dots$  Then

$$\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} (E_1 \setminus E_i) = E_1 \setminus \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} E_i$$

Pf:- EXERCISE.

Defn An equivalence relation  $R$  on a set  $E$  is a subset of  $E \times E$  with the following properties.

(i)  $(x, x) \in R$  for any  $x \in E$ . (reflexive)

- (ii)  $(x, y) \in R \Rightarrow (y, x) \in R$  (Symmetric).
- (iii) if  $(x, y), (y, z) \in R$ , then  $(x, z) \in R$ .  
(transitive).

We also write  $x \sim y$  if  $(x, y) \in R$ .

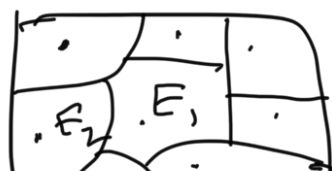
Then  $R$  partitions  $E$  into disjoint equivalence classes such that  $x \sim y$  are in the same class if and only if  $x \sim y$ .

$$[x] = \{y \in E \mid y \sim x\}$$

$$\cup [x] = E.$$

Axiom of choice :-

If  $\{E_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in A}$  is a non-empty collection of non-empty disjoint subsets of a set  $X$ , then there exists a set  $V \subseteq X$  containing just one element from each  $E_\alpha$ .



Recall metric spaces.

Let  $X$  be a non-empty set.

A map  $d: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that

- $d(x, y) \geq 0 \quad \forall x, y \in X$
- $d(x, y) = 0 \iff x = y.$
- $d(x, y) = d(y, x) \quad \forall x, y \in X.$
- $d(x, z) \leq d(x, y) + d(y, z)$   
 $\forall x, y, z \in X.$

$d$  is called a metric on  $X$ .

$(X, d)$  is called a metric space.

(also a topological space).

Ex: ①  $(\mathbb{R}, d)$ ,  $d(x, y) = |x - y| \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}.$   
metric space.

②  $(\mathbb{R}^n, d)$ ,  $d(\underline{x}, \underline{y}) = \sqrt{|x_1 - y_1|^2 + \dots + |x_n - y_n|^2}$   
 $\forall \underline{x}, \underline{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n.$

metric space.

③  $X \neq \emptyset$  set. Define  $d: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$d(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = y \\ 1 & \text{if } x \neq y. \end{cases}$$

$\forall x, y \in X.$

$(X, d)$  is a metric space  
called "discrete space".

Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space.

Define a ball in  $X$  with centre at  $x \in X$  & radius  $r > 0$   
is  $B(x, r) := \{y \in X \mid d(x, y) < r\}$

Also called an open ball in  $X$ .

closed ball  $\overline{B(x, r)} = \{y \in X \mid d(x, y) \leq r\}$ .

Examples ①  $(\mathbb{R}, d)$ ,  $d(x, y) = |x - y|$ . usual metric.

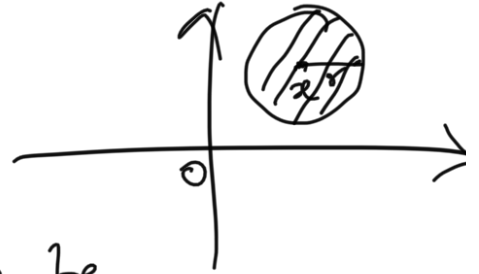
$$\begin{aligned} B(x, r) &= \{y \in \mathbb{R} \mid |x - y| < r\} \\ &= (x - r, x + r) \text{ open interval.} \end{aligned}$$

②  $(\mathbb{R}^2, d)$ ,  $d(x, y) = \sqrt{|x_1 - y_1|^2 + |x_2 - y_2|^2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{x} &= (x_1, x_2) \\ \underline{y} &= (y_1, y_2). \end{aligned}$$

$$B(\underline{x}, r) = \left\{ \underline{y} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \sqrt{|x_1 - y_1|^2 + |x_2 - y_2|^2} < r \right\}$$

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Def:- A subset  $A \subseteq X$  is said to be an open set if given any  $x \in A$ , there exists  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that the open ball around  $x$   $B(x, \varepsilon) \subseteq A$ .



Def:- A subset  $A \subseteq X$  is called a closed set if its complement is an open set i.e.,  $A^c$  is an open set.

Def:- the closure of a set  $A \subseteq X$  is defined as  $\overline{A} = \bigcap$  all closed sets containing  $A$ .

$$= \bigcap_{\substack{V \supseteq A \\ V \subseteq X \\ \text{closed set}}} V$$



Def:- A point  $x \in X$  is called a limit point of a subset  $A$  of  $X$ , if given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $y \in A$ ,  $y \neq x$  such that  $d(x, y) < \varepsilon$ .

i.e.  $(B(x, \varepsilon) \setminus \{x\}) \cap A \neq \emptyset$ .



Def:- A subset  $A \subseteq X$  is said to be dense if  $\overline{A} = X$ .

Def:- A subset  $A \subseteq X$  is called nowhere dense if  $\overline{A}$  contains no non-empty open set.

Def:- A subset  $A$  is said to be a perfect set if  $\{x \in X \mid x \text{ is a limit pt. of } A\} = A$ .

Eg:-  $[a, b] \subset \mathbb{R}$  is perfect.

Result:- ①  $\overline{A} = A \cup \{\text{the set of all limit points of } A\}$ .

$$\underline{\tau_j} \rightarrow [a, b] \neq [a, b]$$

② Arbitrary union of open sets is open.

is, if  $\{U_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in I}$  is a collection of open sets in  $X$ , then  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in I} U_\alpha$  is also an open set.

② Arbitrary intersection of closed sets is

also closed. if  $\{V_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in I}$  is a collection of closed sets in  $X$ , then  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in I} V_\alpha$  is also closed.

③ Finite intersection of open sets is open.

④ Finite union of closed sets is closed.

Example:-

Example:

①  $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{n}, \frac{1}{n}\right) = \{0\}$

open sets  $\quad$  closed set

open sets

closed set

②  $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} [-1 + \frac{1}{n}, 1 - \frac{1}{n}] = (-1, 1)$

closed                      open

closed

open.

