

Measure Theory: 3rd week hw

Due on February 12, 2014 at 3:10pm



Chapter 2

Problem 1

- a. • if f is infinite on a set E with positive measure then

$$\int f d\mu \geq \int N \chi_E d\mu = N \cdot \mu(E)$$

for any integer N and simply letting $N \rightarrow +\infty$ gives us what we want.

- if f is simple then the theorem is trivial. For the general, due to p case there must exist an increasing sequence of simple functions $\{\phi_n\}_0^\infty$ that converge to f pointwise. Let \mathcal{E}_n be the collection of sets where ϕ_n is positive, note that \mathcal{E}_n is a finite collection of sets with finite measure. And it's obvious that f is positive on $\bigcup_{i=0}^\infty \bigcup_{E \in \mathcal{E}_n} E$ and hence we're done.
- b. it's literally the same proof):<. f is measurable by proposition 2.11 and 2.12, and since for each x , $|f_n(x)| \rightarrow |f(x)|$ and $g_n(x) \rightarrow g(x)$ and since $|f_n(x)| \leq g_n(x)$ then $|f(x)| \leq g(x)$ then we have $|f| \leq g$ which means $f \in L^1$. By taking real and imaginary parts it suffices to assume f_n and f are real valued. And since $f_n - g_n \geq 0$ and $f_n + g_n \geq 0$ we can use Fatou's lemma:

$$\begin{aligned} \int g + \int f &\leq \liminf \int (g_n - f_n) \leq \liminf \int g_n + \liminf \int f_n \\ \int g - \int f &\leq \liminf \int (g_n - f_n) \leq \liminf \int g_n - \limsup \int f_n \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $\limsup \int f_n \leq \int f \leq \liminf \int f_n$ and the result follows.

- c. • as $n \rightarrow \infty$ we see that $\frac{\sin(\frac{x}{n})}{(1+\frac{x}{n})^n} \rightarrow 0$, $\frac{1}{(1+\frac{x}{n})^n} \rightarrow e^{-x}$ and we have

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{1}{(1+\frac{x}{n})^n} dx = \frac{n}{n-1} \rightarrow 1 = \int_0^\infty e^{-x} dx$$

and since $\left| \frac{\sin(\frac{x}{n})}{(1+\frac{x}{n})^n} \right| \leq \frac{1}{(1+\frac{x}{n})^n}$ we can use the generalized DCT to conclude that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\frac{x}{n})}{(1+\frac{x}{n})^n} dx = \int_0^\infty 0 dx = 0$$

- due to bernoulli's inequality, $\frac{1+nx^2}{(1+x^2)^n} < 1$ and we also have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1+nx^2}{(1+x^2)^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{(1+x^2)^{n-1}} - \frac{n-1}{(1+x^2)^n} = 0$$

(see baby rudin theorem 3.20) and hence we can use the DCT to get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 \frac{1+nx^2}{(1+x^2)^n} dx = \int_0^1 0 dx = 0$$

- since $\sin(x) < x$ we see that $\left| \frac{\sin(\frac{x}{n})}{\frac{x}{n}} \cdot \frac{1}{1+x^2} \right| < \frac{1}{1+x^2}$ and we know that

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = [\arctan(x)]_0^\infty = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

and as $n \rightarrow \infty$ we see that $\frac{\sin(\frac{x}{n})}{\frac{x}{n}} \cdot \frac{1}{1+x^2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{1+x^2}$ so by using DCT we see that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\frac{x}{n})}{\frac{x}{n}} \cdot \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

- a simple $u = nx$ substitution would show us that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^\infty \frac{n}{1+n^2x^2} dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\pi}{2} - \arctan(na)$$

which is equal to

- 0 if $a > 0$
- $\frac{\pi}{2}$ if $a = 0$
- π if $a < 0$

Problem 2

- a. Let $E_{n,k} = \{x \mid |f(x) - f_n(x)| \geq \frac{1}{k}\}$. First, if you fix k and let $n \rightarrow \infty$ note that $\mu(E_{n,k}) \rightarrow 0$ since $\int |f - f_n| \rightarrow 0$.

Choose m_k such that $\mu(E_{N,k}) < 2^{-k}$ for all $N \geq m_k$ and $m_{k-1} < m_k$; we claim $\{f_{m_k}\}_{k=0}^\infty$ converges to f a.e. Indeed, suppose the sequence *doesn't* converge pointwise at x , that means there exists an $\varepsilon > 0$ such that $|f(x) - f_n(x)| \geq \varepsilon$ for infinitely many $n \in \mathbb{N}$ but that would mean $x \in \limsup E_{m_k}$. Now we'll be done if we prove $\mu(\limsup E_{m_k}) = 0$:

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(\limsup E_{m_k}) &= \mu\left(\bigcap_{i=0}^\infty \bigcup_{k=i}^\infty E_{m_k}\right) \\ &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \mu\left(\bigcup_{k=i}^\infty E_{m_k}\right) \\ &\leq \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=k}^\infty \mu(E_{m_k}) \\ &< \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=k}^\infty \frac{1}{2^i} \\ &< \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2^{k-1}} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

bonus: the typewriter sequence (I coincidentally came up with this on my own and I don't know if I should type it out ;-)

- b. We're gonna prove b, c and d in one go. Pick m_k such that $\int |f_n - f_m| < 2^{-k}$ for all $n > m \geq m_k$ and $m_{k-1} < m_k$. Put $f = f_{m_1} + \sum_{i=1}^\infty f_{m_{k+1}} - f_{m_k}$, since $\sum_{i=1}^\infty \int |f_{m_{k+1}} - f_{m_k}| < \sum_{i=1}^\infty 2^{-k} < \infty$, due to the DCT, $f \in L^1(X)$ and

$$\begin{aligned} f &= f_{m_1} + \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^j (f_{m_{k+1}} - f_{m_k}) \\ &= f_{m_1} + \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} f_{m_{j+1}} - f_{m_1} \\ &= \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} f_{m_{j+1}} \end{aligned}$$

now choose a N such that $\varepsilon > 2^{-N}$. So for all $m > n > m_N$ we have

$$\int |f_m - f_n| < \varepsilon$$

and

$$|f - f_n| = \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} |f_{m_{j+1}} - f_n|$$

and by using Fatou's lemma we have

$$\int |f - f_n| \leq \liminf_{j \rightarrow \infty} \int |f_{m_{j+1}} - f_n| < \varepsilon$$

which would prove the sequence converges to f in $L^1(X)$ which would give us d, and by using a that would give us both b and c.

Problem 3

Since simple functions are dense in $L^1(X)$ it suffices to prove that for all $\varepsilon > 0$ and all simple functions $\phi \in L^1(X)$ there exists a function $f \in C_c(X)$ such that $\int |f - \phi| < \varepsilon$.

Let $\sum z_j \chi_{E_j}$ be the standard representation of ϕ . For each j , we can find sets $K_j \subset E_j \subset O_j$ where $\mu(O_j \setminus E_j) < \frac{\varepsilon}{3 \cdot 2^j |z_j|}$ and $\mu(E_j \setminus K_j) < \frac{\varepsilon}{3 \cdot 2^j |z_j|}$ and using Urysohn's lemma there must exist a continuous function f_j such that $\chi_{K_j} < f_j < \chi_{O_j}$ and hence we have

$$\begin{aligned} |f_j - \chi_{E_j}| &\leq |\chi_{O_j} - f_j| + |\chi_{O_j} - \chi_{E_j}| \\ |f_j - \chi_{E_j}| &< (\chi_{O_j} - \chi_{K_j}) + (\chi_{O_j} - \chi_{E_j}) \\ |f_j - \chi_{E_j}| &< (\chi_{O_j} - \chi_{E_j}) + (\chi_{E_j} - \chi_{K_j}) + (\chi_{O_j} - \chi_{E_j}) \\ \int |z_j f_j - z_j \chi_{E_j}| &< |z_j| \int (\chi_{O_j} - \chi_{E_j}) + |z_j| \int (\chi_{E_j} - \chi_{K_j}) + |z_j| \int (\chi_{O_j} - \chi_{E_j}) \\ &\int |z_j f_j - z_j \chi_{E_j}| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2^j} \end{aligned}$$

and now just put $f = \sum z_j f_j$ and hence we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int |f - \phi| &\leq \sum \int |z_j f_j - z_j \chi_{E_j}| \\ &< \sum \frac{\varepsilon}{2^j} \\ &< \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

and we are done.