

Notes of

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Parte I Introduction

Course structure

This course is splitted in two parts:

- 1. Real Analysis \rightarrow measure and integration theory, in particular:
 - Collections and sequences of sets
 - Measurable space, measure, outer measure
 - Generation of an outer measure
 - Carathéodory's condition, measure induced by an outer measure
 - Lebesgue's measure on \mathbb{R}^n
 - Measurable functions
 - The Lebesgue integral
 - Abstract integration
 - Monotone convergence theorem, Fatou's Lemma, Lebesgue's dominated convergence theorem
 - Comparison between the Lebesgue and Riemann integrals
 - Different types of convergence
 - Derivative of a measure and the Radon-Nikodym theorem
 - Product measures and the Fubini-Tonelli theorem
 - Functions of bounded variation and absolutely continuous functions
- 2. Functional Analysis \sim infinte dimensional linear algebra, in particular:
 - Metric spaces, completeness, separability, compactness
 - Normed spaces and Banach spaces
 - Spaces of integrable functions
 - Linear operators
 - Uniform boundedness theorem, open mapping theorem, closed graph theorem
 - Dual spaces and the Hahn-Banach theorem
 - Reflexivity
 - \bullet Weak and weak* convergences
 - Banach-Alaoglu theorem
 - Compact operators
 - Hilbert spaces
 - Projection theorem, Riesz representation theorem
 - Orthonormal basis, abstract Fourier series
 - Spectral theorem for compact symmetric operators

• Fredholm alternativ

The foundation of this theory is the $Set\ Theory$, that is going to be explained in the next chapter. Enjoy!

 ${f NB}$: this page will be updated with more details and maybe the list of proofs.

Set Theory

1.1 Equipotent, finite/infinite, countable/uncountable sets, cardinality of continuum

Let X, Y be sets.

Def — Equipotent sets.

X,Y are equipotent if there exists a bijection $f:X\to Y$ (1-1 injective + onto surjective).

If X, Y are equipotent, then they have the same cardinality. On the other hand, X has cardinality \geq than Y if there exists $f: X \to Y$ onto. For example, for

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \qquad Y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

exists $f: X \to Y$ s.t. $\forall y \in Y \exists x \in X$ s.t. f(x) = y (f takes all the elements of the codomain), but doesn't exist $g: Y \to X$ s.t. $\forall x \in X \exists y \in Y$ s.t. g(y) = x (g doesn't take all the elements of the codomain).

Def — Finite/infinite sets.

X is finite if it is equipotent to $Y = \{1, 2, ..., k\}$ for some $k \in \mathbb{N}$. X is infinite otherwise.

Prop. X is infinite iff it is equipotent to a proper subset, i.e. if exists a bijection between X and one of his subsets.

For example, between the integers set $\mathbb{Z} = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, ...\}$ and the even integers set $\{0, \pm 2, \pm 4, ...\}$ there exists f s.t. f(z) = 2z which is a bijection.

Def — Countable/uncountable (infinite) sets.

X inifinite is countable if it is equipotent to \mathbb{N} . It is uncountable otherwise, in which case is more than countable (countable sets are the "smallest" among infinite sets).

Def — Cardinality of continoum.

X has the cardinality of continuum if it is equipotent to \mathbb{R} . Any such set is uncountable.

For example:

- $\mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q}$ are countable
- $\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}^N, (0,1), (0,1)^N$ have the cardinality of continuum
- countable unions of countable sets are countable

1.2 Families of subsets

Let X be a set.

Def — Power set.

The power set of X, i.e. the set of all subsets of X, is

$$\mathcal{P}(X) = \{Y : Y \subset X\}$$

It is sometimes denoted as 2^X .

The power set has cardinality strictly bigger than X. For example, $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N})$ has the cardinality of continuum.

Def — Family of subsets.

A family, or collection, of subsets of X is just $\mathcal{C} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$. Tipically, a family of subsets (induced by $I \subset \mathbb{R}$ set of indexes) is $\mathcal{C} = \{E_i\}_{i \in I}$ where $E_i \subset X \ \forall i \in I$.

For example, $\{E_1, E_2, E_3\}$ is a family of subsets.

Def — Union and intersection.

Given a family of sets $\{E_i\}_{i\in I}\subset \mathcal{P}(X)$, will often be considered

$$\bigcup_{i \in I} E_i = \{x \in X : \exists i \in I \text{ s.t. } x \in E_i\}$$
$$\bigcap_{i \in I} E_i = \{x \in X : x \in E_i \ \forall i \in I\}$$

 ${E_i}$ is said to be (pairwise) disjoint if $E_i \cap E_j = \emptyset \ \forall i \neq j$.

$\mathbf{E}\mathbf{x}$ — Standard topology of \mathbb{R} .

Given $X = \mathbb{R}$ (or \mathbb{R}^N), the standard/euclidian topology of \mathbb{R} (or \mathbb{R}^N) is $\mathcal{T} = \{E \subset X : E \text{ is open}\}$, i.e. it is the family of all open subsets of X.

More generally, this can be defined in metric spaces (X, d) where X is a set and d a distance between $x, y \in X$. Some properties of \mathcal{T} :

- $\varnothing, X \in \mathcal{T}$
- finite intersection of open sets is open [*]
- any (finite/infinite, countable/uncountable, ...) union of open sets is open [⊚]

Def — Covering and subcovering.

 $\{E_i\}_{i\in I}$ is a covering of X if $X=\bigcup_{i\in I}E_i$. Any subfamily $\{E_i\}_{i\in J,J\subset I}$ is a subcovering if it is a covering.

1.3 Sequences of sets

A sequence is just a family of subsets where $I \equiv \mathbb{N}$, e.g. $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$.

Def — Monotone sequences.

 $\{E_n\}$ is increasing (not decreasing), $\{E_n\} \nearrow$, if $E_n \subset E_{n+1} \ \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$. On the other hand, $\{E_n\}$ is decreasing (not increasing), $\{E_n\} \searrow$, if $E_{n+1} \subset E_n \ \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$. If $\{E_n\}$ is increasing/decreasing then it is monotone.

For example, given $X = \mathbb{R}$ and $E_n = \left(-\frac{1}{n}, 1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)$ for $n \geq 1$, we can say that E_n is a monotone decreasing sequence:

$$\frac{1}{-\frac{1}{n}}\begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & 0 & & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{n}$$

But what is $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n$? We know that

$$\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n = [0,1]$$

and this is an infinite intersection of open sets (this does not disagree with the prop \circledast). This type of intersection is called "G δ -set": a countable intersection of open sets.

Similarly, $E_n = \left[a + \frac{1}{n}, b - \frac{1}{n} \right]$, a<b, is increasing and

$$\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n = (a, b)$$

is called "F σ -set": a countable union of closed sets (doesn't disagree with \odot).

Def — lim sup and lim inf.

Let $\{E_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}\subset \mathcal{P}$. We define

$$\limsup_{n} E_{n} := \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} E_{k} \right) \qquad \liminf_{n} E_{n} := \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} E_{k} \right)$$

If these two sets are equal

$$\limsup_{n} E_n = \liminf_{n} E_n = \lim_{n} E_n = F$$

then F is the limit of the succession.

Take note that $\{E_n\} \nearrow (\searrow) \Rightarrow \exists \lim_n E_n = \bigcup_n E_n (\bigcap_n E_n).$

Parte II Real Analysis

Parte III Functional Analysis

Parte IV Esercitazioni