

Section 1 - Limits and Convergence (6 lectures)

Review from N&amp;S

Definition We say  $a_n \rightarrow a$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  if given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists N$  with  $|a_n - a| < \epsilon$  for all  $n > N$ .

Note  $N = N(\epsilon)$

Increasing sequence:  $a_n \leq a_{n+1}$ , decreasing  $a_n \geq a_{n+1}$  } monotone

Strictly increasing:  $a_n < a_{n+1}$ , strictly decreasing  $a_n > a_{n+1}$

Fundamental Axiom of the Real Numbers

If  $a_n \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\forall n \geq 1$ ,  $A \in \mathbb{R}$

and  $a_1 \leq a_2 \leq a_3 \leq \dots$  and  $a_n \leq A$  for all  $n$ , then  $\exists a \in \mathbb{R}$  with  $a_n \rightarrow a$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

(i.e. an increasing sequence of reals bounded above converges)

Equivalently - a decreasing sequence of reals bounded below converges

Equivalently: every nonempty set of real numbers bounded above has a supremum ("least upper bound")

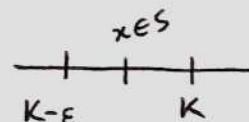
This is the same as the least upper bound axiom (recall from N&S).

Recall: Definition (Supremum) Have  $S \subset \mathbb{R}$ ,  $S \neq \emptyset$ .

$\sup S = K$  if (i)  $x \leq K \quad \forall x \in S$

and (ii) given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists x \in S$  s.t.  $x > K - \epsilon$

Note: supremum is unique.



Also see infimum defined similarly - greatest lower bound.

Lemma 1.1 (i) The limit of a sequence is unique:

$$a_n \rightarrow a \text{ and } a_n \rightarrow b \Rightarrow a = b$$

(ii) If  $a_n \rightarrow a$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $n_1 < n_2 < n_3 < \dots$  ( $\in \mathbb{N}$ )

then  $a_{n_j} \rightarrow a$  as  $j \rightarrow \infty$ . (i.e. subsequences converge to the same limit).

- (iii) If  $a_n = c \quad \forall n$  then  $a_n \rightarrow c$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$
- (iv) If  $a_n \rightarrow a$  and  $b_n \rightarrow b$  then  $a_n + b_n \rightarrow a + b$
- (v) If  $a_n \rightarrow a$  and  $b_n \rightarrow b$  then  $a_n b_n \rightarrow ab$
- (vi) If  $a_n \rightarrow a, \quad a_n \neq 0 \quad \forall n$  and  $a \neq 0$  then  $\frac{1}{a_n} \rightarrow \frac{1}{a}$
- (vii) If  $a_n \leq A \quad \forall n$  and  $a_n \rightarrow a$ , then  $a \leq A$ .

Proof We will do (i), (ii) and (v) and others as exercises.

(i) suppose  $a_n \rightarrow a$  and  $a_n \rightarrow b$ .

Given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists n_1$  s.t.  $|a_n - a| < \epsilon \quad \forall n > n_1$ ,

$\exists n_2$  s.t.  $|a_n - b| < \epsilon \quad \forall n > n_2$

$N := \max \{n_1, n_2\}$ . Then  $\forall n > N$

$$|a - b| \leq |a_n - a| + |a_n - b| < 2\epsilon \quad (\text{first ineq. by } \Delta \text{ ineq})$$

$\uparrow$   
arbitrary

so  $|a - b| \rightarrow 0$ .

Alternatively:  $a \neq b$  lets us take  $\epsilon = \frac{|a - b|}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow |a - b| < \frac{2}{3} |a - b| \quad \times$$

(ii) Given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists N$  s.t.  $|a_n - a| < \epsilon \quad \forall n > N$

Since  $n_j > j$  (can prove by induction if you want...)

$\Rightarrow |a_{n_j} - a| < \epsilon \quad \forall j > N \quad \text{i.e. } a_{n_j} \rightarrow a \text{ as } j \rightarrow \infty$ .

(v)  $|a_n b_n - ab| \leq |a_n b_n - a_n b| + |a_n b - ab| = |a_n| |b_n - b| + |b| |a_n - a|$   
( $\Delta$  ineq)

$a_n \rightarrow a$ : given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists N_1$  s.t.  $|a_n - a| < \epsilon \quad \forall n > N_1$  (\*)

$b_n \rightarrow b$ : given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists N_2$  s.t.  $|b_n - b| < \epsilon \quad \forall n > N_2$

(\*) : If  $n > N_1$  (1) then  $|a_n - a| < 1$  so  $|a_n| \leq |a| + 1$   
 $\uparrow$   
function of  $\epsilon$  (again  $\Delta$  ineq)

$$\Rightarrow |a_n b_n - ab| \leq |a_n| |b_n - b| + |b| |a_n - a| \leq |a_n| \epsilon + |b| \epsilon$$

$\forall n > \max(N_1, N_2)$

and  $\forall n > N_1(\epsilon)$ ,  $|a_n| \leq |a| + 1$  so  $|a_n|\epsilon + |b|\epsilon \leq \epsilon(|a| + 1 + |b|)$

hence  $|a_n b_n - ab| \leq \epsilon(|a| + 1 + |b|)$

$\nearrow$   
constant multiple of  $\epsilon$  - fine

$\forall n > N_3(\epsilon) = \max\{N_1(\epsilon), N_2(\epsilon)\}$ .

□

Lemma 1.2  $\frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

Proof  $\frac{1}{n}$  is a decreasing sequence bounded below by 0. By Fundamental Axiom, it has a limit  $a$ .

Claim  $a = 0$ .

Proof of claim  $\frac{1}{2^n} = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow \frac{a}{2}$  by Lemma 1.1 (v)  
and (iii)

But  $\frac{1}{2^n}$  is a subsequence, so by Lemma 1.1 (ii)

$\frac{1}{2^n} \rightarrow a$ . By uniqueness  $a = \frac{a}{2} \Rightarrow a = 0$ . □

Remark The definition of limit of a sequence makes perfect sense for  $a_n \in \mathbb{C}$ .

Definition  $a_n \rightarrow a$  if given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists N$  s.t.  $\forall n > N$ ,  
 $|a_n - a| < \epsilon$ .

(disc in complex plane)  $\rightarrow$

Can check Lemma 1.1 for  $\mathbb{C}$ .



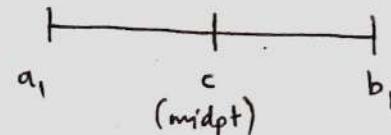
The last one (vii) does not really make sense over  $\mathbb{C}$  as it uses the order of the real numbers.

Theorem 1.3 (Bolzano - Weierstrass Theorem) If  $x_n \in \mathbb{R}$  and there exists  $K$  s.t.  $|x_n| \leq K \quad \forall n$ , then we can find  $n_1 < n_2 < n_3 < \dots$  and  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  s.t.  $x_{n_j} \rightarrow x$  as  $j \rightarrow \infty$ .

"Every bounded sequence has a convergent subsequence"

Remark we say nothing about uniqueness of limit e.g.  $x_n = (-1)^n$   
 $x_{2n+1} \rightarrow -1, \quad x_{2n} \rightarrow 1$

Proof: Set  $[a_1, b_1] = [-K, K]$



Consider the following alternatives:

- (1)  $x_n \in [a_1, c]$  for infinitely many  $n$
  - (2)  $x_n \in [c, b_1]$  for infinitely many  $n$
- ] could hold  
at same time

If (1) holds: set  $a_2 = a_1$  and  $b_2 = c$ . If (1) fails, we have that (2) must hold. Then we set  $a_2 = c$ ,  $b_2 = b_1$ .

Proceed inductively to construct sequences  $a_n, b_n$  s.t.

$x_m \in [a_n, b_n]$  for infinitely many values of  $m$ . (for all  $n$ ).

By construction:  $a_{n-1} \leq a_n \leq b_n \leq b_{n-1}$

$$b_n - a_n = \frac{b_{n-1} - a_{n-1}}{2} \quad (*) \quad (\text{as we did bisection})$$

"lion hunting"

$a_n$  is increasing,  $b_n$  is decreasing

both are bounded above and below

So by fundamental axiom,  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  are convergent sequences

$$a_n \rightarrow a \in [a_1, b_1]$$

$$b_n \rightarrow b \in [a_1, b_1]$$

$$\text{by } (*) : b - a = \frac{b - a}{2} \Rightarrow b - a = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{a = b}$$

so these are actually the same sequence.

Since  $x_m \in [a_n, b_n]$  for infinitely many values of  $m$ , having chosen  $n_j$  s.t.  $x_{n_j} \in [a_j, b_j]$ , there is  $n_{j+1} > n_j$  s.t.  $x_{n_{j+1}} \in [a_{j+1}, b_{j+1}]$   
 (have an "unlimited supply")

Hence  $a_j \leq x_{n_j} \leq b_j \Rightarrow x_{n_j} \rightarrow a$ .  $\square$

### Cauchy Sequences

Definition (Cauchy sequence)  $a_n \in \mathbb{R}$  is a Cauchy sequence if given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists N > 0$  s.t.  $|a_n - a_m| < \epsilon \quad \forall n, m > N$ .

Lemma 1.4 A convergent sequence is a Cauchy sequence. (iff) note:

Proof If  $a_n \rightarrow a$ , given  $\epsilon > 0 \quad \exists N$  s.t.  $\forall n > N, |a_n - a| < \epsilon$   
 Take  $m, n > N$ :

$$|a_n - a_m| \leq |a_n - a| + |a_m - a| < 2\epsilon \quad \square$$

(Aineq)

Now prove opposite direction: prove Cauchy  $\Rightarrow$  convergent.

Theorem 1.5 Every Cauchy sequence is convergent.

Proof first note that if  $a_n$  is Cauchy, then it is bounded.

Take  $\epsilon = 1 : N = N(1)$ , use Cauchy property

$$|a_n - a_m| < 1 \quad \forall n, m > N(1)$$

$\therefore$  Use Aineq:  $|a_m| \leq |a_m - a_N| + |a_N| < 1 + |a_N| \quad \forall m > N$

Let  $K = \max \{1 + |a_n|, |a_n| \text{ with } n = 1, 2, \dots, N-1\}$

we have  $|a_n| \leq K \quad \forall n$ .  $\checkmark$

By Bolzano-Weierstrass theorem,  $a_{n_j} \rightarrow a$  (convergent subseq.)

Claim  $a_n \rightarrow a$ .

Proof of Claim Given  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists j_0$  s.t.  $\forall j \geq j_0$ ,  $|a_{n_j} - a| < \varepsilon$ .  
 (as  $a_{n_j}$  converges)

Also,  $\exists N(\varepsilon)$  s.t.  $|a_m - a_n| < \varepsilon \quad \forall m, n \geq N(\varepsilon)$  (Cauchy).

Take  $j$  s.t.  $n_j \geq \max \{N(\varepsilon), n_{j_0}\}$  Then if  $n \geq N(\varepsilon)$ :

$$|a_n - a| \leq |a_n - a_{n_j}| + |a_{n_j} - a| < 2\varepsilon.$$

$\underbrace{|a_n - a_{n_j}|}_{< \varepsilon} + \underbrace{|a_{n_j} - a|}_{< \varepsilon}$

□

Thus on  $\mathbb{R}$ , a sequence is convergent if and only if it is Cauchy.  
 Sometimes called "general principle of convergence"

Useful property: since we don't need to know what the limit is.

### Series

Definition have  $a_n \in \mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ . We say that  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$  converges to  $S$  if the sequence of partial sums

$$S_N = \sum_{j=1}^N a_j \rightarrow S \text{ as } N \rightarrow \infty. \text{ We write } \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j = S.$$

If  $S_N$  does not converge, then we say  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$  diverges.

Remark Any problem on series can be turned into a problem on sequences by considering partial sums.

Lemma 1.6 (i) If  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$  and  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} b_j$  converge, then so does  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (\lambda a_j + \mu b_j)$  with  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{C}$ .

(ii) Suppose  $\exists N$  s.t.  $a_j = b_j \quad \forall j \geq N$ . Then either

$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$  and  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} b_j$  both converge, or they both diverge.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Proof (i)} \quad S_N &= \sum_{j=1}^N (\lambda a_j + \mu b_j) = \lambda \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^N a_j}_{c_N} + \mu \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^N b_j}_{d_N} \\
 &= \lambda c_N + \mu d_N
 \end{aligned}$$

We know  $c_N \rightarrow c$ ,  $d_N \rightarrow d$  so by Lemma 1.1,  
 $\lambda c_N + \mu d_N \rightarrow \lambda c + \mu d$ .  $\square$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii)} \quad n > N \quad S_n &= \sum_{j=1}^n a_j = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} a_j + \sum_{j=N}^n a_j \\
 d_n &= \sum_{j=1}^n b_j = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} b_j + \sum_{j=N}^n b_j \\
 \text{so } S_n - d_n &= \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} a_j - \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} b_j \quad (a_j = b_j \text{ for } j > N)
 \end{aligned}$$

so  $S_n$  converges iff  $d_n$  does.  $\square$

An important series: the geometric series

$$\text{Set } a_n = x^{n-1} \quad n \geq 1$$

$$S_n = \sum_{j=1}^n a_j = 1 + x + x^2 + \dots + x^{n-1}$$

$$\text{Then } S_n = \begin{cases} \frac{1-x^n}{1-x} & \text{for } x \neq 1 \\ n & \text{for } x=1 \end{cases}$$

$$xS_n = x + x^2 + \dots + x^n = S_n - 1 + x^n \Rightarrow \text{result.}$$

If  $|x| < 1$ , then  $x^n \rightarrow 0$  so  $S_n \rightarrow \frac{1}{1-x}$

If  $x > 1$ ,  $x^n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $S_n \rightarrow \infty$

Definition  $S_n \rightarrow \infty$  if given  $A$ ,  $\exists N$  s.t.  $S_n > A \quad \forall n > N$

$S_n \rightarrow -\infty$  if given  $A$ ,  $\exists N$  s.t.  $S_n < -A \quad \forall n > N$

If  $S_n$  does not converge and does not tend to  $\pm \infty$ , then we say  $S_n$  oscillates.

If we have  $x < -1$  then  $S_n$  oscillates.

$$\text{If } x = -1 : S_n = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n \text{ odd} \\ 0 & \text{if } n \text{ even} \end{cases}$$

Thus the geometric series converges if and only if  $|x| < 1$ .

To see that  $x^n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  if  $|x| < 1$ , consider  $0 < x < 1$  (exercise). Write  $\frac{1}{x} = 1 + \delta$  ( $\delta > 0$ )

$$x^n = \frac{1}{(1+\delta)^n} \leq \frac{1}{1+n\delta} \quad \text{because } (1+\delta)^n > 1+n\delta \quad (\text{binomial exp.})$$

and  $\frac{1}{1+n\delta} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . (can fill in gaps / do  $-1 < x < 0$  as exercise)

Observation:

Lemma 1.7 If  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_j$  converges, then  $\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} a_j = 0$ .

Proof  $S_n = \sum_{j=1}^n a_j$  so  $a_n = S_n - S_{n-1}$ . If  $S_n \rightarrow a$

then  $S_{n-1} \rightarrow a \Rightarrow a_n \rightarrow a - a = 0$  so  $\underline{a_n \rightarrow 0}$ .  $\square$

Remark The converse of 1.7 is false e.g.  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$  diverges  
(harmonic series)

$S_n = \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{j}$ , write  $S_{2n} = S_n + \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n+n}$

As  $\frac{1}{n+k} > \frac{1}{2n}$  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , we have

$$\Leftrightarrow S_{2n} = S_n + \frac{1}{n+1} + \dots + \frac{1}{n+n} > S_n + \frac{1}{2} \quad \forall n$$

If  $S_n \rightarrow a$ , then  $S_{2n} \rightarrow a$  also and hence  $a > a + \frac{1}{2}$   $\ast\ast$

So the harmonic series diverges.

Series of non-negative terms (work with  $a_n \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $a_n \geq 0$ )

The following is a basic result:

Theorem 1.8 (Comparison test) Suppose  $0 \leq b_n \leq a_n \quad \forall n$ .

Then if  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} a_n$  converges, so does  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} b_n$ .

Proof Let  $S_N = \sum_{n=1}^N a_n$ ,  $d_N = \sum_{n=1}^N b_n$

$b_n \leq a_n \Rightarrow d_N \leq S_N$  but  $S_N \rightarrow S$ , so

$d_N \leq S_N \leq S \quad \forall N$  and  $d_N$  is increasing, so  $d_N$  converges.

(as monotone)  
d\_N bounded above

$\square$

Example  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2}$  can write  $\frac{1}{n^2} < \frac{1}{n(n-1)} = \frac{1}{n-1} - \frac{1}{n} = a_n$   
 $(n \geq 2)$

$$\sum_2^N a_n = 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{N-1} - \frac{1}{N} = 1 - \frac{1}{N}$$

so  $\frac{1}{n^2}$  sum converges by comparison test.

In fact  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} < 1+1 = 2$  (actual value  $\frac{\pi^2}{6}$ )

Theorem 1-9 (Root test / Cauchy's test for convergence)

Assume  $a_n > 0$  and  $a_n^{1/n} \rightarrow r$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Then if  $r > 1$ ,  $\sum a_n$  diverges and if  $r < 1$  then  $\sum a_n$  converges.

Remark If  $r=1$ , nothing can be said (examples later).

Proof If  $r < 1$ , choose  $\epsilon < r < 1$ . By definition of limit,

$\exists N$  s.t.  $\forall n > N$ ,  $a_n^{1/n} < r$ . (like taking  $\epsilon$  as  $r$ )

(Note: first few terms don't affect convergence)

$a_n^{1/n} < r \Rightarrow a_n < r^n$  but  $r < 1$  so geometric series converges. So by comparison (1.8),  $\sum a_n$  converges.

If  $r > 1$  then for  $n > N$ ,  $a_n^{1/n} > 1 \Rightarrow a_n > 1$ , thus  $\sum a_n$  diverges (since  $a_n \not\rightarrow 0$ ).  $\square$

Theorem 1-10 (Ratio test / D'Alembert's test) Suppose  $a_n > 0$

and  $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \rightarrow L$ . If  $L < 1$ ,  $\sum a_n$  converges. If  $L > 1$ ,

then  $\sum a_n$  diverges. (can't say anything if  $L=1$ )

Proof suppose  $L < 1$  and choose  $r$  with  $L < r < 1$ . Then ~~if~~

$\exists N$  s.t.  $\forall n > N$ ,  $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} < r$  (by limit def;  $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \rightarrow L$ )

$$a_n = \frac{a_n}{a_{n-1}} \frac{a_{n-1}}{a_{n-2}} \cdots \frac{a_{N+1}}{a_N} a_N < a_N r^{n-N}, \quad n > N$$

(by applying  $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} < r$  several times)  $\Rightarrow \frac{a_n}{a_N} < K r^n$  with  $K$  constant

Then by comparison,  $\sum a_n$  converges.

Similarly if  $L > 1$  then choose  $1 < r < L$ . Then  $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} > r \forall n > N$

for some  $N$ . As before:  $a_n = \frac{a_n}{a_{n-1}} \frac{a_{n-1}}{a_{n-2}} \cdots \frac{a_{N+1}}{a_N} a_N > a_N r^{n-N}$

bounded below by divergent series:  $\sum a_n$  diverges.  $\square$

Analysis - Lecture 4

Recall from last time: ratio/root tests.

Examples

1.  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{2^n}$  - try ratio test.  $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = \frac{n+1}{2^{n+1}} \cdot \frac{2^n}{n} = \frac{n+1}{2n}$

$$\frac{n+1}{2n} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} < 1 \text{ so it converges.}$$

2.  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$  diverges. Ratio test gives limit 1:  $\frac{\frac{1}{n+1}}{\frac{1}{n}} = \frac{n}{n+1} \rightarrow 1$

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2}$  converges. Ratio test also gives limit 1: inconclusive.

Also: since  $n^{1/n} \rightarrow 1$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  (will see later), the root test is also inconclusive when limit = 1.  $\downarrow$

Write  $n^{1/n} = 1 + \delta_n$ ,  $\delta_n > 0$

$$\Rightarrow n = (1 + \delta_n)^n > \frac{n(n-1)}{2} \delta_n^2 \quad (\text{by binomial expansion})$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta_n^2 < \frac{2}{n-1} \Rightarrow \delta_n \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow n^{1/n} \rightarrow 1.$$

3.  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{n+1}{3n+5}\right)^n$  root test

Have  $\frac{n+1}{3n+5} \rightarrow \frac{1}{3} < 1$  so it converges.

Another useful test:

Theorem 1.11 (Cauchy's condensation test). Let  $a_n$  be a decreasing sequence of positive terms. Then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  is convergent iff  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2^k a_{2^k}$  converges.

Proof First observe that if  $a_n$  is decreasing:

$$a_{2^k} \leq a_{2^{k-1}+i} \leq a_{2^{k-1}} \quad 1 \leq i \leq 2^{k-1}, k \geq 1$$

$$(*)_1 \qquad (*)_2$$

Assume that the sequence converges  $(\sum_1^{\infty} a_n)$ , to A.

Then  $2^{n-1} a_{2^n} = \underbrace{a_{2^n} + \dots + a_{2^n}}_{2^{n-1} \text{ times}}$

$$(*_1) : \underbrace{a_{2^n} + \dots + a_{2^n}}_{2^{n-1} \text{ times}} \leq a_{2^{n-1}+1} + a_{2^{n-1}+2} + \dots + a_{2^n} \\ = \sum_{m=2^{n-1}+1}^{2^n} a_m$$

Thus  $\sum_{n=1}^N 2^{n-1} a_{2^n} \leq \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{m=2^{n-1}+1}^{2^n} a_m = \sum_{m=2}^{2^N} a_m$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\sum_{n=1}^N 2^n a_{2^n}}_{\text{ }} \leq 2 \sum_{m=2}^{2^N} a_m \leq 2(A - a_1)$$

bounded above and increasing: converges. Proves  $\Rightarrow$  direction.

$\Leftarrow$ : Assume  $\sum_{n=1}^N 2^n a_{2^n}$  converges.

$$\sum_{m=2^{n-1}+1}^{2^n} a_m = a_{2^{n-1}+1} + a_{2^{n-1}+2} + \dots + a_{2^n} \\ \leq a_{2^{n-1}} + a_{2^{n-1}} + \dots + a_{2^{n-1}} = 2^{n-1} a_{2^{n-1}} \\ (\text{by } (*_2))$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{m=2}^{2^N} a_m = \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{m=2^{n-1}+1}^{2^n} a_m \leq \sum_{n=1}^N 2^{n-1} a_{2^{n-1}} \leq B$$

for some B, since this series converges (assumed)

so  $\sum_{m=1}^{2^N} a_m$  is bounded above and increasing: converges.

Proves  $\Leftarrow$  direction.  $\square$

### Example (condensation test)

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^k} \text{ converges iff } k > 1 \quad (k > 0) \quad (\text{Riemann zeta function of } k)$$

The sequence  $a_n = \frac{1}{n^k}$  is decreasing, consists of positive terms.

$$\frac{1}{(n+1)^k} < \frac{1}{n^k} \Leftrightarrow \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^k < 1 \Leftrightarrow \frac{n}{n+1} < 1$$

$$2^n a_{2^n} = 2^n \left(\frac{1}{2^n}\right)^k = 2^{n-k} = \underbrace{\left(2^{1-k}\right)^n}_{=r} \text{ converges iff } |r| < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^k} \text{ converges iff } 2^{1-k} < 1, \text{ iff } k > 1. \quad \square$$

### Alternating Series

Theorem 1.12 (Alternating series test) If  $a_n$  decreases and tends to 0 as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} a_n$  converges.

Example  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n}$  converges.

Proof  $s_n = a_1 - a_2 + \dots + (-1)^{n+1} a_n$  written

$$s_{2n} = (a_1 - a_2) + (a_3 - a_4) + \dots + (a_{2n-1} - a_{2n}) \geq s_{2n-2}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}$   $\underbrace{\hspace{10em}} > 0$   
 $s_{2n-2}$  (a<sub>n</sub> decreasing) ↗

$$\text{Also } s_{2n} = a_1 - (a_2 - a_3) - (a_4 - a_5) - \dots - (a_{2n-2} - a_{2n-1}) - a_{2n}$$

$\leq a_1$  as all the  $a_i - a_{i+1}$  are  $> 0$

so  $s_{2n}$  is increasing and bounded above - converges.

$$s_{2n+1} = s_{2n} + a_{2n+1} \xrightarrow[\substack{\uparrow \\ a_n \rightarrow 0}]{} s + 0 = s \quad \begin{matrix} \text{even and odd terms} \\ \text{converge to same} \\ \text{limit} \end{matrix}$$

Hence  $s_n$  converges to  $s$ :

given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists N_1$  s.t.  $\forall n > N_1$ ,  $|s_{2n} - s| < \epsilon$  and  $\exists N_2$  s.t.  $\forall n > N_2$ ,  $|s_{2n+1} - s| < \epsilon$ . Take  $N = 2 \max\{N_1, N_2\} + 1$ :  $k > N \Rightarrow$

13  $|s_k - s| < \epsilon$  so  $s_k \rightarrow s$ . □

Analysis - Lecture 5Absolute Convergence

Definition Take  $a_n \in \mathbb{C}$ . If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n|$  is convergent, then the series is absolutely convergent.

Note: since  $|a_n| > 0$  can use previous tests to check absolute convergence.

Theorem 1.13 If  $\sum a_n$  is absolutely convergent, then it is convergent.

Proof Suppose first that  $a_n \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$\text{Let } v_n = \begin{cases} a_n & \text{if } a_n \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } a_n < 0 \end{cases} \quad w_n = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } a_n \geq 0 \\ -a_n & \text{if } a_n < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{so } v_n = \frac{|a_n| + a_n}{2}, \quad w_n = \frac{|a_n| - a_n}{2}$$

(Clearly  $v_n, w_n \geq 0 \quad \forall n$ ,  $a_n = v_n - w_n$ ,  $|a_n| = v_n + w_n \geq v_n, w_n$ )

If  $\sum |a_n|$  converges, by comparison  $\sum v_n, \sum w_n$  converge.

$\Rightarrow \sum a_n$  converges as we can write  $a_n$  in terms of  $v_n, w_n$ .

If  $a_n \in \mathbb{C}$ :  $a_n = x_n + iy_n \Rightarrow |x_n, y_n| \leq |a_n|$

$\Rightarrow \sum x_n, \sum y_n$  are absolutely convergent  $\Rightarrow \sum x_n, \sum y_n$  converge.

Since  $a_n = x_n + iy_n$ ,  $\sum a_n$  converges.  $\square$

Examples 1)  $\sum \frac{(-1)^n}{n}$  convergent but not absolutely convergent

2)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{2^n}$ , consider  $\sum \left(\frac{|z|}{2}\right)^n$  converges when  $|z| < 2$   
(\*)

and hence have absolute convergence

If  $|z| \geq 2$ , then general term  $\not\rightarrow 0$  so it diverges.

Terminology: If  $\sum a_n$  converges but not absolutely, then the series is conditionally convergent.

"conditional": sum to which it converges depends on order of terms.  
 (can be made to be anything - see Riemann series thm)

Example sheet: (sheet 1 Q7)

$$1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \dots \quad (\text{I}) \quad s_n \text{ partial sum}$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{7} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{11} - \frac{1}{6} + \dots \quad (\text{II}) \quad t_n \text{ partial sum}$$

Have  $s_n \rightarrow s > 0$ ,  $t_n \rightarrow 3s/2$

Rearrangement Def: let  $\sigma$  be a bijection of positive integers,  
 then  $a'_n = a_{\sigma(n)}$  is a rearrangement.

Theorem 1.14 If  $\sum^{\infty} a_n$  is absolutely convergent, then every  
 series consisting of the same terms in any order has the same sum.

Proof Take  $a_n \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $a'_n$  be a rearrangement.

$$s_n = \sum_1^n a_n, \quad t_n = \sum_1^n a'_n. \quad \text{Suppose first that } a_n > 0 \quad \forall n.$$

Given  $n$ , can find  $q$  s.t.  $s_q$  contains every term of  $t_n$ . Since  
 $a_n > 0$ ,  $t_n \leq s_q \leq s$  so as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $t_n \rightarrow t$  (MTC thm)  
 so  $t \leq s$ . But argument is symmetric so  $s \leq t \Rightarrow \underline{s=t}$ .

If  $a_n$  has any sign, consider  $v_n = \frac{|a_n| + a_n}{2}$ ,  $w_n = \frac{|a_n| - a_n}{2}$

$$\text{Consider } \sum a'_n, \sum v'_n, \sum w'_n$$

Since  $\sum |a_n|$  converges,  $\sum v_n, \sum w_n$  converge (see prev. page)

now can use  $v_n, w_n > 0 \Rightarrow \sum v'_n, \sum w'_n$  converge with

$$\sum v'_n = \sum v_n, \quad \sum w'_n = \sum w_n$$

and the claim follows since  $a_n = \underline{v_n - w_n}$ .

For  $a_n \in \mathbb{C}$ , consider  $a_n = x_n + iy_n$  as before.  $\square$

Section 2: Continuity [3]

Take  $E \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  non-empty,  $f: E \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  any function,  $a \in E$ .  
 (This includes the case in which  $f$  is real-valued and  $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ )

Definition 1  $f$  is continuous at  $a \in E$  if for every sequence  $z_n \in E$  with  $z_n \rightarrow a$ , then we have  $f(z_n) \rightarrow f(a)$ .

Definition 2  $f$  is continuous at  $a \in E$  if given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists \delta > 0$  s.t. if  $|z-a| < \delta$ , then  $|f(z) - f(a)| < \epsilon$ . ( $\epsilon$ - $\delta$  definition)

We prove right away that these are equivalent.

Def 2  $\Rightarrow$  def 1: we know that given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists \delta > 0$  s.t.  $|z-a| < \delta$ ,  $z \in E$  then  $|f(z) - f(a)| < \epsilon$ . Let  $z_n \rightarrow a$ , then  $\exists n_0$  s.t.  $\forall n > n_0$ ,  $|z_n - a| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(z_n) - f(a)| < \epsilon$  i.e.  $f(z_n) \rightarrow f(a)$ .  $\checkmark$

Def 1  $\Rightarrow$  Def 2: Assume  $f(z_n) \rightarrow f(a)$  whenever  $z_n \rightarrow a$

Suppose  $f$  is not continuous at  $a$  according to Def 2, i.e.

(\*)  $\exists \epsilon > 0$  s.t.  $\forall \delta > 0$ ,  $\exists z \in E$  s.t.  $|z-a| < \delta$  but  $|f(z) - f(a)| \geq \epsilon$

Let  $\delta = \frac{1}{n}$ , then from (\*) get  $z_n$  s.t.  $|z_n - a| < \frac{1}{n}$  and  $|f(z_n) - f(a)| \geq \epsilon$ . Certainly  $z_n \rightarrow a$  but  $f(z_n) \not\rightarrow f(a)$   $\times$   $\checkmark$

Proposition 2.1  $a \in E$ ,  $g, f: E \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  with  $g, f$  continuous at  $a$ .

Then  $f(z) + g(z)$ ,  $f(z)g(z)$ ,  $\lambda f(z)$  are continuous, and if  $f(z) \neq 0 \quad \forall z \in E$  then  $\frac{1}{f}$  is continuous at  $a$ .

Proof Using Def 1 this is obvious using analogous results for sequences (Lemma 1.1).  $\square$

Note:  $f(z) = z$  continuous  $\Rightarrow$  all polynomials continuous everywhere in  $\mathbb{C}$ .  
 $f$  is continuous on  $E$  if it's continuous at every point in  $E$ .

Exercise prove Prop 2.1 using Def 2.

Next look at compositions.

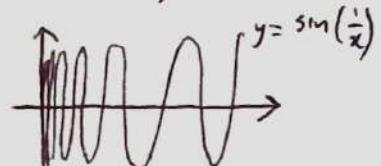
Theorem 2.2 Let ~~f~~  $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $g: B \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(A) \subset B$ . If  $f$  is continuous at  $a \in A$  and  $g$  is continuous at  $f(a)$  then  $g \circ f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is continuous at  $a$ .

Proof Take any sequence  $z_n \rightarrow a$ . By assumption,  $f(z_n) \rightarrow f(a)$ . Set  $w_n = f(z_n)$ . Then  $w_n \in B$  and  $w_n \rightarrow f(a)$ . Hence  $g(w_n) \rightarrow g(f(a))$ .  $\square$

### Examples

$$(1) \quad f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin(1/x) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases} \quad (\text{assume } \sin x \text{ continuous})$$

so  $\sin(\frac{1}{x})$  is continuous at all  $x \neq 0$ .

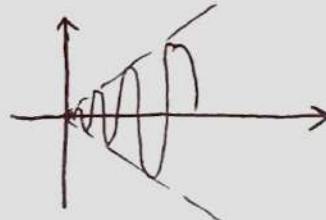


$f$  is discontinuous at 0:

$$\frac{1}{x_n} = (2n + \frac{1}{2})\pi \quad \text{gives } f(x_n) = 1 \quad \text{but } x_n \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

But  $f(0) = 0$  so it's not continuous. ( $x_n \rightarrow 0$  but  $f(x_n) \not\rightarrow f(0)$ )

$$(2) \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin(1/x) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$



$f$  is continuous at 0: take  $x_n \rightarrow 0$ , then

$$|f(x_n)| \leq |x_n| \quad \text{because } |\sin \frac{1}{x}| \leq 1 \quad \Rightarrow f(x_n) \rightarrow 0 = f(0).$$

$$(3) \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ 0 & x \notin \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}$$

Discontinuous at every point: if  $x \in \mathbb{Q}$ , take sequence  $x_n \rightarrow x$  with  ~~$x_n \in \mathbb{Q}$~~   $x_n \notin \mathbb{Q}$ , then  $f(x_n) = 0 \not\rightarrow f(x) = 1$

if  $x \notin \mathbb{Q}$ , take  $x_n \rightarrow x$  with  $x_n \in \mathbb{Q}$  then

$$f(x_n) = 1 \not\rightarrow f(x) = 0.$$

Not continuous anywhere.

Limit of a function

Definition Let  $E \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ ,  $a \in \mathbb{C}$ . Say  $a$  is a limit point of  $E$  if for any  $\delta > 0$ ,  $\exists z \in E$  s.t.  $0 < |z-a| < \delta$  (i.e. can get arbitrarily close to  $a$  while in  $E$ )

Remark  $a$  is a limit point IFF  $\exists$  sequence  $z_n \in E$  s.t.  $z_n \rightarrow a$  and  $z_n \neq a \quad \forall n$  (check equivalence).

Definition Let  $f: E \subseteq \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  and  $a \in \mathbb{C}$  be a limit point of  $E$ .

We say that  $\lim_{z \rightarrow a} f(z) = L$  if given  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists \delta > 0$  s.t.

whenever  $0 < |z-a| < \delta$  and  $z \in E$ , have  $|f(z)-L| < \varepsilon$ .

(equivalently:  $f(z_n) \rightarrow L$  for any  $(z_n) \in E$ ,  $z_n \neq a$  and  $z_n \rightarrow a$ ).

Immediately: if  $a \in E$  is a limit point then  $\lim_{z \rightarrow a} f(z) = f(a) \Leftrightarrow$  continuous at  $a$ .

If  $a \in E$  is isolated (not a limit point): continuity of  $f$  at  $a$  always holds.

Limit of function has similar properties to sequences: uniqueness etc.

$$1) f(z) \rightarrow A, f(z) \rightarrow B \Rightarrow |A-B| \leq |A-f(z)| + |f(z)-B| \quad (\Delta \text{ rule})$$

if  $z \in E$  is s.t.  $0 < |z-a| < \delta_1, \delta_2$  then  $|A-B| < 2\varepsilon \Rightarrow A=B$ .

( $a$  is a limit point  $\Rightarrow$  such a  $z$  exists)

$$2) f(z) + g(z) \rightarrow A+B, \quad 3) f(z)g(z) \rightarrow AB, \quad 4) \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} \rightarrow \frac{A}{B} \quad (B \neq 0)$$

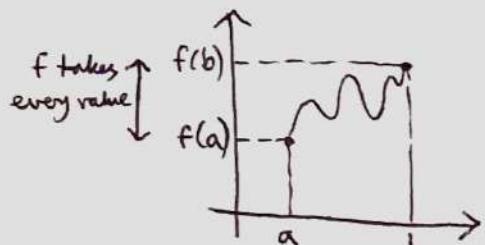
Theorem 2.3 (Intermediate Value Theorem) If  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  with  $f$  continuous and  $f(a) \neq f(b)$ , then  $f$  takes every value between  $f(a)$  and  $f(b)$ .

Proof wlog suppose  $f(a) < f(b)$ .

Take  $f(a) < \eta < f(b)$ .

Let  $S = \{x \in [a, b] : f(x) < \eta\}$

$a \in S$  so  $S$  is nonempty (and bounded above by  $b$ ) so there is a supremum  $c$  where  $c \leq b$ . By defn, given  $n$ ,  $\exists x_n \in S$  s.t.  $c - \frac{1}{n} < x_n \leq c$ .



So  $x_n \rightarrow c$  and since  $x_n \in S$ ,  $f(x_n) < \eta$ . By continuity of  $f$ ,  
 $f(x_n) \rightarrow f(c)$ . Thus have  $\underline{f(c) \leq \eta}$  (\*)

Now observe that  $c \neq b$ , for if  $c = b$  then  $f(b) \leq \eta$  by (\*)  
but we chose  $\eta < f(b)$  earlier.



Then for  $n$  large,  $c + \frac{1}{n} \in [a, b]$  and  $c + \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow c$  so again  
by continuity  $f(c + \frac{1}{n}) \rightarrow f(c)$ . But since  $c + \frac{1}{n} > c$ ,  
 $f(c + \frac{1}{n}) > \eta$ . Thus  $\underline{f(c) \geq \eta}$ , so must have  $\underline{f(c) = \eta}$ . □

Remark Theorem very useful for finding zeros of fixed points.

Example Existence of the  $n^{\text{th}}$  root of positive real number

$$f(x) = x^n \quad x > 0. \quad \text{let } y > 0. \quad f \text{ is continuous on } [0, 1+y] \\ (\text{and } \mathbb{R})$$

$$0 = f(0) < y < (1+y)^n = f(1+y)$$

By I.V.T,  $\exists c \in (0, 1+y)$  s.t.  $f(c) = y$  i.e.  $c^n = y$

( $c$  is positive  $n^{\text{th}}$  root of  $y$ ).

Uniqueness: if  $d^n = y$  with  $d > 0$  and  $d \neq c$ : wlog

suppose  $d < c \Rightarrow d^n < c^n$  (induction on  $N$ )  $\Rightarrow y < y$  \*

Bounds of a continuous function

Theorem 2.4 Let  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous. Then  $\exists K$  s.t.  
 $|f(x)| \leq K \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$ .

Proof By contradiction: suppose false. Then given  $n > 1, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  
 $\exists x_n \in [a, b]$  s.t.  $|f(x_n)| > n$ .

By Bolzano-Weierstrass,  $x_n$  has a convergent subsequence  $x_{n_j} \rightarrow x$ .  
 Since ~~as~~  $a \leq x_{n_j} \leq b$ , have  $x \in [a, b]$ .

By continuity of  $f$ ,  $f(x_{n_j}) \rightarrow f(x)$  but  $|f(x_{n_j})| > n_j \rightarrow \infty \neq$   $\square$

Theorem 2.5  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  continuous. Then  $\exists x_1, x_2 \in [a, b]$   
 s.t.  $f(x_1) \leq f(x) \leq f(x_2) \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$ . (i.e. global max/min)

"A continuous function on a closed bounded interval is bounded and attains its bounds"

Proof Let  $A = \{f(x) : x \in [a, b]\}$ . By Thm 2.4,  $A$  is bounded.

Since it's nonempty,  $\exists \sup A = M$ . By defn, given  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\exists x_n \in [a, b]$   
 s.t.  $M - \frac{1}{n} < f(x_n) \leq M$ .  $(*)$

By Bolzano-Weierstrass,  $\exists x_{n_j} \rightarrow x \in [a, b]$  and since  $f(x_{n_j}) \rightarrow M$  (by  $(*)$ )  
 and  $f$  is continuous, we have  $f(x) = M$  so  $x_2 := x$ .

Similarly for minimum.  $\square$

Second proof  $A = f([a, b])$ ,  $M = \sup A$  as before. Suppose  $\nexists x_2 : f(x_2) = M$ .

Let  $g(x) = \frac{1}{M-f(x)} \quad x \in [a, b]$  is defined and continuous. By (2.4)  
 applied to  $g$ ,  $\exists K > 0$  s.t.  $g(x) \leq K \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$ .

Hence  $f(x) \leq M - \frac{1}{K}$  on  $[a, b]$ : absurd as  $M$  is a L.U.B.  $\neq \square$

Note 2.4 and 2.5 false for <sup>non-closed</sup> open interval e.g.  $(0, 1] \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$

Now consider inverse functions.

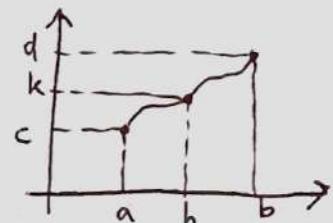
Definition  $f$  is increasing for  $x \in [a, b]$  if  $f(x_1) \leq f(x_2)$  for all  $x_1, x_2$  s.t.  $a \leq x_1 \leq x_2 \leq b$ .

Theorem 2.6  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  continuous and strictly increasing for  $x \in [a, b]$ . Let  $c = f(a)$ ,  $d = f(b)$  then  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow [c, d]$  is bijective and the inverse  $g := f^{-1}: [c, d] \rightarrow [a, b]$  is continuous and str. increasing (similar holds for str. decreasing)

Proof Take  $c < k < d$ . From IVT,  $\exists h$  s.t.  $f(h) = k$ .

Define  $g(k) := h$ . ( $h$  is unique:  $f$  str. increasing)

This gives an inverse  $g: [c, d] \rightarrow [a, b]$  for  $f$ .

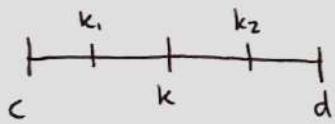


And  $g$  is strictly increasing:  $y_1 < y_2 \quad y_1 = f(x_1), \quad y_2 = f(x_2)$

If  $x_2 \leq x_1$ , since  $f$  is increasing  $\Rightarrow f(x_2) \leq f(x_1) \Rightarrow y_2 \leq y_1$   $\ast\ast$   
so  $x_1 < x_2$ . (as required).

$g$  is continuous: let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Let  $k_1 = f(h-\varepsilon)$ ,  $k_2 = f(h+\varepsilon)$   
 $f$  str. incr.  $\Rightarrow k_1 < k < k_2$

If  $k_1 < y < k_2 \Rightarrow h-\varepsilon < g(y) < h+\varepsilon$



choose  $\delta = \min \{k_2 - k, k - k_1\}$

if we choose  $y$  within  $\delta$  of  $k$  then this

inequality holds. Here  $k \in (c, d)$ . So have  $g$  continuous.

(Similar argument establishes continuity at endpoints).  $\square$

### 3 Differentiability (5)

Let  $f: E \subseteq \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ , most of the time  $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  (interval)

Definition Let  $x \in E$  be a point s.t.  $\exists x_n \in E$  with  $x_n \neq x \ \forall n$  (recall) and  $x_n \rightarrow x$ . Then  $x$  is a limit point.

Definition  $f$  is differentiable at  $x$  with derivative  $f'(x)$  if

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow x} \frac{f(y) - f(x)}{y - x} = f'(x)$$

If  $f$  is differentiable at each  $x \in E$ , we say  $f$  is differentiable on  $E$ .  
(Think of  $E$  as an interval or a disc in case of  $\mathbb{C}$ )

#### Important remarks

1) Other common notations :  $\frac{dy}{dx}, \frac{df}{dx}$

2) often written  $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \quad (y = x+h)$

3) "another important look at defn":

$$\text{Let } \varepsilon(h) := f(x+h) - f(x) - hf'(x)$$

then  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\varepsilon(h)}{h} = 0$  then write

$$f(x+h) = f(x) + \underbrace{hf'(x)}_{\text{linear}} + \varepsilon(h)$$

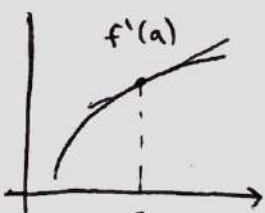
linear:  $h \mapsto hf'(x)$

Alternative definition:  $f$  is differentiable at  $x$  if  $\exists A$  and  $\varepsilon$  s.t.

$f(x+h) = f(x) + hA + \varepsilon(h)$  where  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\varepsilon(h)}{h} = 0$  and

if  $A$  exists then it's unique, since

$$A = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \quad (\text{unique}).$$



think of as first linear approximation

4) If  $f$  is differentiable at  $x$ , then  $f$  is continuous at  $x$ :

since  $\epsilon(h) \rightarrow 0$ , then  $f(x+h) \rightarrow f(x)$  as  $h \rightarrow 0$   
so  $f$  must be continuous.

5) Alternatively:

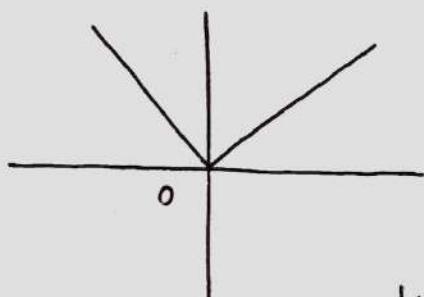
$$f(x+h) = f(x) + h f'(x) + h \epsilon_f(h)$$

with  $\epsilon_f(h) \rightarrow 0$  as  $h \rightarrow 0$ .

$$\text{or } f(x) = f(a) + (x-a) f'(a) + (x-a) \epsilon_f(x)$$

where  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \epsilon_f(x) = 0$ .

Example  $f(x) = |x|, f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$



$$f'(x) = 1 \text{ if } x > 0$$

$$f'(x) = -1 \text{ if } x < 0$$

Take  $h_n$  decreasing,  $\rightarrow 0$ :

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(h_n) - f(0)}{h_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{h_n}{h_n} = 1$$

$$\text{take } h_n \rightarrow 0 \text{ increasing: } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(h_n) - f(0)}{h_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{h_n}{h_n} = -1$$

so not differentiable, at  $x=0$ .

Differentiation of sums, products, etc

Proposition 3.1 (i)  $f(x) = c \quad \forall x \in E \Rightarrow f$  differentiable,  $f'(x) = 0$

(ii)  $f, g$  differentiable at  $x$ : so is  $f+g$  and  $(f+g)'(x) = f'(x) + g'(x)$

(iii)  $f, g$  differentiable at  $x$ : so is  $fg$  and

$$(fg)'(x) = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$$

(iv)  $f$  differentiable at  $x$ ,  $f(x) \neq 0 \quad \forall x \in E$ , then  $\left(\frac{1}{f}\right)'(x) = -\frac{f'(x)}{(f(x))^2}$   
( $\frac{1}{f}$  differentiable).

Proof

$$(i) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{c-c}{h} = 0$$

$$(ii) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) + g(x+h) - f(x) - g(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} + \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h} = f'(x) + g'(x)$$

by limit properties

$$(iii) \phi(x) = f(x)g(x)$$

$$\frac{\phi(x+h) - \phi(x)}{h} = \frac{f(x+h)g(x+h) - f(x)g(x)}{h}$$

$$= f(x+h) \left( \frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h} \right) + g(x) \left( \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \right)$$

$\downarrow$        $\downarrow$        $\downarrow$

$\rightarrow f(x)$        $\rightarrow g'(x)$        $\rightarrow g(x) f'(x)$

by standard properties : let  $h \rightarrow 0$  to give  $f(x)g'(x) + g(x)f'(x)$

$$(iv) \phi(x) = \frac{1}{f(x)}$$

$$\frac{\phi(x+h) - \phi(x)}{h} = \frac{\frac{1}{f(x+h)} - \frac{1}{f(x)}}{h} = \frac{f(x) - f(x+h)}{h(f(x)f(x+h))}$$

$$\rightarrow -\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)^2} \quad \text{by properties of limits and continuity}$$

as claimed.

□

Remark from (iii) and (iv) we get

$$\left( \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right)' = \frac{f'(x)g(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{g(x)^2}$$

Example  $f(x) = x^n, n \in \mathbb{Z}, n > 0$

$$n=1, f(x) = x, f'(x) = 1$$

Claim  $f'(x) = nx^{n-1}$

Proof Induction : true for  $n=1$

$$\text{Suppose true: } f(x) = x x^n \Rightarrow f'(x) = x^n + x(n x^{n-1}) \\ = \underline{(n+1)x^n} \quad \square$$

$$f(x) = x^{-n} = \frac{1}{x^n} \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}, n > 0$$

$$\text{Use Prop 3.1 (iv) : } f'(x) = \frac{-(x^n)'}{x^{2n}} = \underline{-nx^{n-1}}$$

Theorem 3.2 (Chain rule) Let  $f: U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  s.t.  $f(x) \in V \forall x \in U$ .

If  $f$  is differentiable at  $a \in U$  and  $g: V \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is differentiable at  $f(a)$ , then  $g \circ f$  is differentiable at  $a$  with

$$(g \circ f)'(a) = f'(a) g'(f(a))$$

$$\text{Proof } f(x) = f(a) + (x-a) f'(a) + \varepsilon_f(x)(x-a) \quad \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \varepsilon_f(x) = 0 \right)$$

$$g(y) = g(b) + (y-b) g'(b) + \varepsilon_g(y)(y-b) \quad \left( \lim_{y \rightarrow b} \varepsilon_g(y) = 0 \right)$$

$$b = f(a)$$

Set  $\varepsilon_f(a) = 0, \varepsilon_g(b) = 0$  to make them continuous at  $x=a, y=b$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } y = f(x) \text{ gives } g(f(x)) &= g(b) + (f(x)-b) g'(b) + \varepsilon_g(f(x))(f(x)-b) \\ &= g(f(a)) + \left[ (x-a) f'(a) + \varepsilon_f(x)(x-a) \right] (g'(b) + \varepsilon_g(f(x))) \end{aligned}$$

$$= g(f(a)) + (x-a) f'(a) g'(b) + (x-a) \underbrace{\left[ \varepsilon_f(x) g'(b) + \varepsilon_g(f(x)) (f'(a) + \varepsilon_f(x)) \right]}_{\sigma(x) \text{ error term}}$$

$$\sigma(x) = \varepsilon_f(x) g'(b) + \varepsilon_g(f(x)) (f'(a) + \varepsilon_f(x))$$

want  $\sigma(x) \rightarrow 0$  as  $x \rightarrow a$   $\downarrow f'(a)$  so  $\rightarrow 0$  as required.

then certainly  $(g(f(x)))'$  evaluated at  $x=a$  gives

$$f'(a) g'(f(a)). \quad \square$$

Examples 1)  $f(x) = \sin(x^2)$

(will later prove  $(\sin x)' = \cos x$ )

$$f'(x) = 2x \cos(x^2)$$

2)  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin(\frac{1}{x}) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x=0 \end{cases}$  — (continuous at every  $x$ )  
 Differentiable at every  $x \neq 0$   
 by previous theorem

At  $x=0$ ,  $\frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x-0} = \frac{x \sin(\frac{1}{x})}{x} = \sin(\frac{1}{x})$

but  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin(\frac{1}{x})$  does not exist, so not differentiable at  $x=0$ .

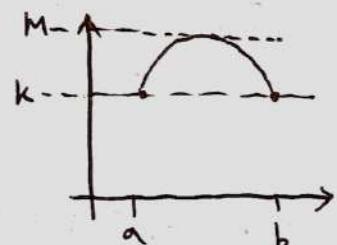
### The Mean Value Theorem

Theorem 3.3 (Rolle's Theorem)

$f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  continuous and differentiable on  $[a, b]$ .

If  $f(a) = f(b)$ , then  $\exists c \in (a, b)$  s.t.  $f'(c) = 0$ .

Proof Let  $M = \max_{x \in [a, b]} f(x)$ ,  $m = \min_{x \in [a, b]} f(x)$



Recall (Thm 2.5) these exist.

Let  $k = f(a)$ . If  $M = m = k$  then  $f$  is constant and hence  $f'(c) = 0 \quad \forall c \in (a, b)$ .

Otherwise, either  $M > k$  or  $m < k$ .

Suppose  $M > k$ . By Thm 2.5,  $\exists c \in (a, b)$  s.t.  $f(c) = M$

If  $f'(c) > 0$ , then there are values to the right of  $c$  for which  $f(x) > f(c)$  since  $f(c+h) = hf$

$f(h+c) - f(c) = h(f'(c) + \varepsilon(h)) > 0$  since  $\varepsilon(h) \rightarrow 0$  as  $h \rightarrow 0$   
 and thus  $f'(c) + \varepsilon(h) > 0$  for  $h$  small.  $\star M$  being max.

Similarly if  $f'(c) < 0$ ,  $\exists x$  to the left of  $c$  with  $f(x) > f(c)$   
 $\Rightarrow \underline{f'(c)} = 0$  as required.

(A similar argument holds for a minimum).  $\square$

A simple tweak gives

Theorem 3.4 (Mean value theorem) Let  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous, and differentiable on  $(a, b)$ . Then  $\exists c \in (a, b)$  with  $f(b) - f(a) = f'(c)(b-a)$ .

Proof Write  $\phi(x) = f(x) - kx$  with  $k$  chosen s.t.  $\phi(a) = \phi(b)$ .

$$\text{Then } f(b) - bk = f(a) - \overset{a}{bk} \Rightarrow k = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b-a}$$

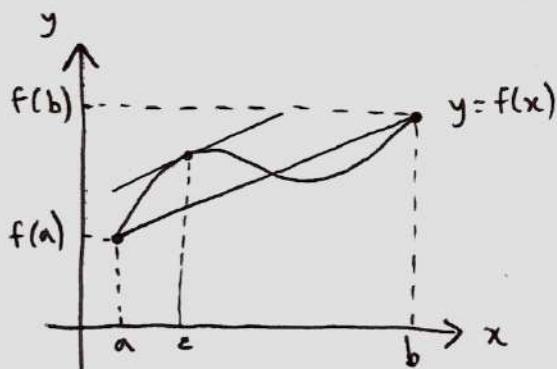
by Rolle's theorem on  $\phi$  (differentiable)

$$\exists c \in (a, b) \text{ s.t. } \phi'(c) = 0 \text{ i.e. } f'(c) = k$$

$$\text{i.e. } f(b) - f(a) = f'(c)(b-a).$$

$\square$

(Additional note: what this is saying is that if we draw a line joining  $(a, f(a))$  and  $(b, f(b))$ , then there is some point in  $(a, b)$  at which the slope is the same as the line's slope)



Analysis - Lecture 11

Remark on MVT: often write MVT in form  $f(a+h) = f(a) + h f'(a+\theta h)$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{a} \xrightarrow{\quad} \text{a} + \theta h \\ \hline \text{a} \qquad \qquad \qquad \text{a} + h \end{array} \quad \theta \in (0, 1)$$

Careful:  $\theta = \theta(h)$

Corollary 3.5  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  continuous, differentiable on  $(a, b)$ .

- Then (i) If  $f'(x) > 0 \quad \forall x \in (a, b)$  then  $f$  is strictly increasing on  $[a, b]$ .  
(ii) If  $f'(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in (a, b)$  then  $f$  is increasing on  $[a, b]$   
(iii) If  $f'(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in (a, b)$  then  $f$  is constant on  $[a, b]$

Proof (i)  $f(y) - f(x) = f'(c)(y-x) \quad c \in (x, y)$

Hence  $f'(c) > 0 \Rightarrow f(y) > f(x)$

(ii) proof same as above but  $f'(c) \geq 0 \Rightarrow f(y) \geq f(x)$

(iii) Take  $x \in [a, b]$  then use MVT in  $[a, x]$  to get  $c \in (a, x)$   
with  $f(x) - f(a) = f'(c)(x-a) = 0 \Rightarrow f(x) = f(a) \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$ .  $\square$

Inverse rule / inverse function theorem (see also Analysis & Topology, 1B)

Theorem 3.6  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  continuous, differentiable on  $(a, b)$  with  
 $f'(x) > 0 \quad \forall x \in (a, b)$ . Then let  $f(a) = c$  and  $f(b) = d$ .

Then  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow [c, d]$  is bijective and  $f^{-1}$  is differentiable  
on  $(c, d)$  with  $(f^{-1})'(x) = \frac{1}{f'(f^{-1}(x))}$

Proof By Corollary 3.5,  $f$  is strictly increasing on  $[a, b]$ . By  
Theorem 2.6  $\exists g: [c, d] \rightarrow [a, b]$  continuous, str. increasing inverse off.  
Need  $g'(y) = \frac{1}{f'(x)}$ ,  $y = f(x)$

$k \neq 0$  given: let  $h$  be given by  $y+k = f(x+h)$  or  $g(y+k) = x+h$

Then  $\frac{g(y+k) - g(y)}{k} = \frac{x+h-x}{f(x+h)-f(x)}$  let  $k \rightarrow 0$ , then  $h \rightarrow 0$   
(continuity)

Then  $g'(y) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{f(x+h)-f(x)} = \frac{1}{f'(x)}$  as required.  $\square$

Example  $g(x) = x^{1/q}$  ( $x > 0, q \in \mathbb{N}$ )

$$f(x) = x^q \quad (g(f(x)) = x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= qx^{q-1}. \text{ Since } f \text{ is differentiable, so is } g: g'(x) = \frac{1}{q(x^{1/q})^{q-1}} \\ &= \frac{1}{q} x^{(1/q)-1} \quad (\text{as expected!}) \end{aligned}$$

Generally if  $g(x) = x^{p/q}$   $p \in \mathbb{Z}, q \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  can find  $g'$  by chain rule:  $g(x) = (x^p)^{1/q} = (x^{1/q})^p$ .

So if  $g(x) = x^r$   $r \in \mathbb{Q}$ : have  $\underline{g'(x) = rx^{r-1}}$ .

Suppose  $f, g: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ : continuous, and differentiable on  $(a, b)$  and  $g(a) \neq g(b)$ . Then MVT on each gives  $s, t \in (a, b)$  s.t.

$$\frac{f(b) - f(a)}{g(b) - g(a)} = \frac{(b-a)f'(s)}{(b-a)g'(t)} = \frac{f'(s)}{g'(t)}$$

Cauchy showed one can take  $s = t$ .

Theorem 3.7 (Cauchy's mean value theorem) Let  $f, g: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous, differentiable on  $(a, b)$ . Then  $\exists t \in (a, b)$  s.t.

$$(f(b) - f(a)) g'(t) = f'(t) (g(b) - g(a))$$

(We recover the MVT if we take  $g(x) = x$ ).

Proved next lecture (12).

Theorem 3.7 (Cauchy's MVT) Let  $f, g : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous, differentiable on  $(a, b)$ . Then  $\exists t \in (a, b)$  s.t.

$$(f(b) - f(a)) g'(t) = f'(t)(g(b) - g(a)) \quad (*)$$

Proof Let  $\phi(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ f(a) & f(x) & f(b) \\ g(a) & g(x) & g(b) \end{vmatrix}$   $t$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ , differentiable on  $(a, b)$ .

$$\text{Also } \phi(a) = \phi(b) = 0$$

By Rolle's theorem  $\exists t \in (a, b)$  s.t.  $\phi'(t) = 0$

Expanding  $\phi(x)$  gives  $(*)$  immediately.  $\square$

Application L'Hôpital's Rule

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{\sin x} = ? \quad \text{Have } \frac{e^x - e^0}{\sin x - \sin 0} = \frac{e^t}{\cos t} \quad \text{for some } t \in (0, x) \text{ by 3.7}$$

As  $x \rightarrow 0$ ,  $t \rightarrow 0$  so  $\frac{e^t}{\cos t} \rightarrow 1$ .

Want to extend MVT to higher order derivatives

Theorem 3.8 (Taylor's theorem with Lagrange's remainder)

Suppose  $f$  and its derivatives up to order  $n-1$  are continuous in  $[a, a+h]$  and  $f^{(n)}$  exists for  $x \in (a, a+h)$ . Then

$$f(a+h) = f(a) + h f'(a) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(a) + \dots + \frac{h^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} f^{(n-1)}(a) + \frac{h^n}{n!} f^{(n)}(a+\theta h) \text{ where } \theta \in (0, 1).$$

Note: 1) for  $n=1$  get back the MVT so this is an " $n^{\text{th}}$  order MVT"

2)  $R_n = \frac{h^n}{n!} f^{(n)}(a+\theta h)$  is known as Lagrange's form of the remainder

Proof Define for  $0 \leq t \leq h$

$$\phi(t) = f(a+t) - f(a) - tf'(a) - \dots - \frac{t^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} f^{(n-1)}(a) - \frac{t^n}{n!} B,$$

where  $B$  is a constant s.t.  $\phi(h) = 0$ . (similar idea to MVT proof)

We see:  $\phi(0) = \phi'(0) = \dots = \phi^{(n-1)}(0) = 0$

Use Rolle's theorem  $n$  times:  $\phi(0) = \phi(h) = 0 \Rightarrow \phi'(h_1) = 0 \quad 0 < h_1 < h$

$$\phi'(0) = \phi'(h_1) = 0 \Rightarrow \phi''(h_2) = 0, \quad 0 < h_2 < h_1$$

$$\text{Finally } \phi^{(n-1)}(0) = \phi^{(n-1)}(h_{n-1}) = 0 \Rightarrow \phi^{(n)}(h_n) = 0.$$

$$0 < h_n < h_{n-1} < \dots < h \text{ so } h_n = \theta h \quad (0 < \theta < 1)$$

$$\text{Now } \phi^{(n)}(t) = f^{(n)}(a+t) - B \Rightarrow B = f^{(n)}(a+\theta h)$$

Set  $t = h$ ,  $\phi(h) = 0$  and put this value of  $B$  in the second line. This gives the result.  $\square$

Theorem 3.9 (Taylor's theorem with Cauchy's form of remainder)

With same hypothesis as Thm 3.8,  $a=0$  we have

$$f(h) = f(0) + hf'(0) + \dots + \frac{h^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} f^{(n-1)}(0) + R_n \quad \text{with}$$

$$R_n = \frac{(1-\theta)^{n-1} f^{(n)}(\theta h)}{(n-1)!} \quad \theta \in (0, 1)$$

$$\text{Proof } F(t) = f(h) - f(t) - (h-t)f'(t) - \dots - \frac{(h-t)^{n-1} f^{(n-1)}(t)}{(n-1)!} \quad t \in [0, h]$$

$$F'(t) = -f'(t) + f'(t) - (h-t)f''(t) + (h-t)f'''(t) + \dots - \frac{(h-t)^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} f^{(n)}(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow F'(t) = -\frac{(h-t)^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} f^{(n)}(t)$$

$$\text{Set } \phi(t) = F(t) - \left[ \frac{h-t}{h} \right]^p F(0) \quad p \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad 1 \leq p \leq n$$

Then  $\phi(0) = \phi(h) = 0$ . By Rolle's theorem  $\exists \theta \in (0, 1)$  s.t.  $\phi'(\theta h) = 0$ .

$$\text{But } \phi'(\theta h) = F'(\theta h) + p \frac{(1-\theta)^{p-1}}{h} F(0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = -\frac{h^{n-1} (1-\theta)^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} f^{(n)}(\theta h) + p \frac{(1-\theta)^{p-1}}{h} \left[ f(h) - f(0) - hf'(0) - \dots - \frac{h^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} f^{(n-1)}(0) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(h) = f(0) + hf'(0) + \dots + \frac{h^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} f^{(n-1)}(0) + \frac{h^n (1-\theta)^{n-1}}{(n-1)! p (1-\theta)^{p-1}} f^{(n)}(\theta h)$$

If  $p=n$  we get Lagrange, if  $p=1$  we get Cauchy  
(have choice of  $p$ )

To get a Taylor series for  $f$ , need to show  $R_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .  
 This requires "estimates" and "effort"

$$R_n = \frac{h^n f^{(n)}(\theta h)}{n!} \text{ Lagrange, } R_n = \frac{(1-\theta)^{n-1} h^n f^{(n)}(\theta h)}{(n-1)!} \text{ Cauchy}$$

Remark Theorems 3.8, 3.9 work equally well in an interval  $[a+h, a]$  with  $h < 0$ .

Example Binomial series

$$f(x) = (1+x)^r \quad r \in \mathbb{Q}$$

Claim: If  $|x| < 1$  then

$$(1+x)^r = 1 + \binom{r}{1} x + \dots + \binom{r}{n} x^n + \dots \text{ where } \binom{r}{n} = \frac{r(r-1)\dots(r-n+1)}{n!}$$

Proof Clearly:  $f^{(n)}(x) = r(r-1)\dots(r-n+1)(1+x)^{r-n}$

If  $r \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $r > 0$  then  $f^{(r+1)} \equiv 0$  - we have a deg.  $r$  polynomial

$$\text{In general (Lagrange)} \quad R_n = \frac{x^n}{n!} f^{(n)}(\theta x) = \binom{r}{n} \frac{x^n}{(1+\theta x)^{r-n}} \quad \theta \in (0, 1)$$

Note: in principle  $\theta$  depends on both  $x$  and  $n$ .

For  $0 < x < 1$ ,  $(1+\theta x)^{n-r} > 1$  for  $n > r$

Now observe that the series  $\sum \binom{r}{n} x^n$  is absolutely convergent for  $|x| < 1$ . By ratio test:  $a_n = \binom{r}{n} x^n$  then

$$\left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \left| \frac{r(r-1)\dots(r-n+1)(r-n)x^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \right| \left| \frac{n!}{r(r-1)\dots(r-n+1)x^n} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{(r-n)x}{n+1} \right| \rightarrow |x| \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \text{ as required, so converges absolutely for } |x| < 1. \text{ Then } \binom{r}{n} x^n \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Hence for  $n > r$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ , have

$$|R_n| \leq \left| \binom{r}{n} x^n \right| = |a_n| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \text{ so proved for } 0 < x < 1.$$

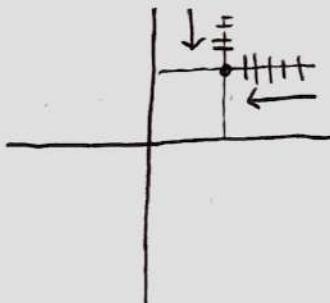
Breaks down for  $-1 < x < 0$ , but Cauchy's form of  $R_n$  works:

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_n &= \frac{(1-\theta)^{n-1} r(r-1)\dots(r-n+1)(1+\theta x)^{r-n} x^n}{(n-1)!} && \leftarrow \text{for } x \in (-1, 1) \\
 &= \frac{r(r-1)\dots(r-n+1)}{(n-1)!} \frac{(1-\theta)^{n-1}}{(1+\theta x)^{n-r}} x^n = r \binom{r-1}{n-1} x^n (1+\theta x)^{r-1} \left(\frac{1-\theta}{1+\theta x}\right)^{n-1} \\
 \Rightarrow |R_n| &\leq \left| r \binom{r-1}{n-1} x^n \right| (1+\theta x)^{r-1} \cdot \frac{\text{Check:}}{(1+\theta x)^{r-1} < \max\{1, (1+x)^{r-1}\}} \\
 K_r &= r \max\{1, (1+x)^{r-1}\} \text{ independent of } n \\
 \text{so } |R_n| &\leq K_r \left| \binom{r-1}{n-1} x^n \right| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } a_n \rightarrow 0. \text{ Thus } R_n \rightarrow 0. \quad \square
 \end{aligned}$$

### Remarks on complex differentiation

Formally we have the properties regarding sums, products, chain rule etc. But it is much more restrictive than differentiability of functions on the real ~~line~~ line.

Example  $f(z) = \bar{z}$  is nowhere  $\mathbb{C}$ -differentiable.



$$\begin{aligned}
 z_n &= z + \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow z \\
 \frac{f(z_n) - f(z)}{z_n - z} &= \frac{\bar{z} + \frac{1}{n} - \bar{z}}{z + \frac{1}{n} - z} = 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$z_n = z + \frac{i}{n} \rightarrow z, \quad \frac{f(z_n) - f(z)}{z_n - z} = \frac{\bar{z} - \frac{i}{n} - \bar{z}}{z + \frac{i}{n} - z} = -1$$

so  $\lim_{w \rightarrow z} \frac{f(w) - f(z)}{w - z}$  does not exist.

On the other hand  $f(x, y) = z = x + iy$  "super-differentiable"

$\nabla (x, y)$

see 1B Complex Analysis

4 Power series (4-5)

We want to look at  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n \quad z \in \mathbb{C} \quad a_n \in \mathbb{C}$

(The case  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z - z_0)^n$ ,  $z_0$  fixed follows from this by translation)

Lemma 4.1 If  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z_1^n$  converges and  $|z| < |z_1|$  then

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n \text{ converges absolutely.}$$

Proof Since  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z_1^n$  converges,  $a_n z_1^n \rightarrow 0$ . Thus  $\exists K > 0$

$$\text{s.t. } |a_n z_1^n| < K \quad \forall n. \quad \text{Then } |a_n z^n| \leq K \left| \frac{z}{z_1} \right|^n$$

geometric series converges

so follows by comparison.  $\square$

Using this lemma, we'll prove that every power series has a radius of convergence.

Theorem 4.2 A power series either (1) converges absolutely  $\forall z$  or (2) converges absolutely  $\forall z$  inside circle  $|z| = R$  and diverges for all  $z$  outside it, or (3) converges for  $R = 0$  only.

Definition The circle  $|z| = R$  is called the circle of convergence and  $R$  is the radius of convergence. (1) :  $R = \infty$ , (3) :  $R = 0$

Proof Let  $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x > 0 \text{ and } \sum a_n x^n \text{ converges}\}$ . Have  $0 \in S$ .

By 4.1:  $x_1 \in S \Rightarrow [0, x_1] \in S$ .

If  $S = [0, \infty)$  then have case (1)

If not, there exists a finite supremum  $R > 0$  :  $R = \sup S < \infty$

If  $R > 0$ , we'll prove that if  $|z_1| < R$ , then  $\sum a_n z_1^n$  converges absolutely:

Choose  $R_0$  s.t.  $|z_1| < R_0 < R$ . Then  $R_0 \in S$  and series converges for  $z = R_0$ . By 4.1,  $\sum |a_n z_1^n|$  converges.

Finally show:

$|z_2| > R > 0 \Rightarrow$  series does not converge for  $z_2$ . Take  $R_0$  s.t.  $R < R_0 < |z_2|$ . If  $\sum a_n z_2^n$  converges, by 4.1,  $\sum a_n R_0^n$  would be convergent, contradicting  $R = \sup S$ .  $\square$

The following lemma is useful:

Lemma 4.3 If  $\left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| \rightarrow l$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , then  $R = \frac{1}{l}$ .

Proof By ratio test: have absolute convergence if

$$\lim \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \frac{z^{n+1}}{z^n} \right| < 1 \Rightarrow \text{if } |z| < \frac{1}{l} \text{ we have absolute convergence.}$$

If  $|z| > \frac{1}{l}$  the series diverges, again by ratio test.  $\square$

Remark / Exercise One can also use root test to get that if

$$|a_n|^{1/n} \rightarrow l, \text{ then } R = \frac{1}{l}.$$

Examples 1)  $\sum_0^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!} \quad \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \frac{n!}{(n+1)!} = \frac{1}{n+1} \rightarrow 0 = l \Rightarrow R = \infty$

2) Geometric series  $\sum_0^{\infty} z^n$

$R = 1$ . Note that at  $|z| = 1$  have divergence

3)  $\sum_0^{\infty} n! z^n$  has  $R = 0$   $\left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \frac{(n+1)!}{n!} = n+1 \rightarrow \infty$

Only converges at  $z = 0$

4)  $\sum_1^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n}$  has  $R = 1$  (ratio test) but diverges for  $|z| = 1$  (HS)

What if  $|z| = 1$  and  $z \neq 1$ ?

Consider  $\sum_1^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n}(1-z)$  (see ES 1)

$$\begin{aligned} S_N &= \sum_1^N \left[ \frac{z^n - z^{n+1}}{n} \right] = \sum_1^N \frac{z^n}{n} - \sum_1^N \frac{z^{n+1}}{n} \\ &= \sum_1^N \frac{z^n}{n} - \sum_2^{N+1} \frac{z^n}{n-1} = z - \frac{z^{N+1}}{N} + \sum_2^{N+1} \frac{-z^n}{n(n-1)} \end{aligned}$$

If  $|z| = 1$ ,  $\frac{z^{N+1}}{N} \rightarrow 0$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$  and  $\sum_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n-1)}$  converges,  
so  $S_N$  converges  $\Rightarrow \sum_1^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n}$  converges for all  $z$  with  $|z| = 1$ ,  $z \neq 1$ .

5)  $\sum_1^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n^2}$ ,  $R = 1$  and converges  $\forall z$  with  $|z| = 1$

6)  $\sum_0^{\infty} nz^n$ ,  $R = 1$  but diverges for all  $|z| = 1$

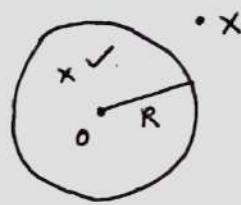
Conclusion In principle nothing can be said about  $|z| = R$  and each case must be discussed separately.

Within the radius of convergence, "life is great": power series behave as if they were polynomials.

Analysis - Lecture 15

From last time  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$

Radius of convergence  $R$



Theorem 4.4  $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$  has radius of convergence  $R$ .

Then  $f$  is differentiable at all points with  $|z| < R$  with

$$f'(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-1} \quad (\text{i.e. can differentiate term by term})$$

Proof (non-examinable)

Lemma 4.5 If  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$  has radius of convergence  $R$ , then so do  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-1}$  and  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n z^{n-2}$

Lemma 4.6 (i)  $\binom{n}{r} \leq n(n-1) \binom{n-2}{r-2}$   $\forall 2 \leq r \leq n$

(ii)  $| (z+h)^n - z^n - nhz^{n-1} | \leq n(n-1)(|z|+|h|)^{n-2} |h|^2 \quad \forall z, h \in \mathbb{C}$

Proof of 4.4

By Lemma 4.5 may define  $f'(z) := \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-1}$ ,  $|z| < R$

$$\text{RTP: } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z+h) - f(z) - hf'(z)}{h} = 0.$$

$$\text{Define } I := \frac{f(z+h) - f(z) - hf'(z)}{h} = \frac{1}{h} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n ((z+h)^n - z^n - nhz^{n-1})$$

$$|I| = \frac{1}{|h|} \left| \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=0}^N a_n ((z+h)^n - z^n - nhz^{n-1}) \right|$$

$$\text{continuity: } = \frac{1}{|h|} \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \left| \sum_{n=0}^N a_n ((z+h)^n - z^n - nhz^{n-1}) \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{|h|} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |a_n| |(z+h)^n - z^n - nhz^{n-1}|$$

by 4.6 (ii)

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{1}{|h|} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| n(n-1) (|z| + |h|)^{n-1} |h|^2 \\ &= |h| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| n(n-1) (|z| + |h|)^{n-2} \end{aligned}$$

By Lemma 4.5, for  $|h|$  small enough,  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| n(n-1) (|z| + |h|)^{n-2}$  converges to  $A(h)$ , but  $A(h) \leq A_r$  for  $|h| < r$  and  $|z| + r < R$

$$\Rightarrow |I| \leq |h| A(h) \leq |h| A(r) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } h \rightarrow 0. \quad \square$$

Proof of 4.5 Take  $z$  and  $R_0$  s.t.  $0 < |z| < R_0 < R$ . Since

$$a_n R_0^n \rightarrow 0, \exists K \text{ s.t. } |a_n R_0^n| \leq K \quad \forall n > 0$$

$$\text{thus } |a_n n z^{n-1}| = \frac{n}{|z|} |a_n R_0^n| \left| \frac{z}{R_0} \right|^n \leq \frac{Kn}{|z|} \left| \frac{z}{R_0} \right|^n$$

But  $\sum_n \left| \frac{z}{R_0} \right|^n$  converges by ratio test:

$$\frac{n+1}{n} \left| \frac{z}{R_0} \right|^{n+1} \left| \frac{R_0}{z} \right|^n = \frac{n+1}{n} \left| \frac{z}{R_0} \right| \rightarrow \text{const.} |z/R_0| < 1$$

If  $|z| > K$ , series diverges as  $|a_n z^n|$  is unbounded, hence so is  $n |a_n z^n|$ .

The same proof applies to  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n z^{n-2}$ .  $\square$

Proof of 4.6

$$(i) \binom{n}{r} / \binom{n-2}{r-2} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!} \cdot \frac{(r-2)!(n-r)!}{(n-2)!} = \frac{n(n-1)}{r(r-1)} \leq n(n-1) \quad \checkmark$$

$$(ii) (z+h)^n - z^n - nhz^{n-1} = \sum_{r=2}^n \binom{n}{r} z^{n-r} h^r$$

$$\text{Thus } |(z+h)^n - z^n - nhz^{n-1}| \leq \sum_{r=2}^n \binom{n}{r} |z|^{n-r} |h|^r$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \stackrel{(i)}{\leq} n(n-1) \left( \underbrace{\sum_{r=2}^n \binom{n-2}{r-2} |z|^{n-r} |h|^{r-2}}_{(|z|+|h|)^{n-2}} \right) |h|^2 \\ & = \cancel{n(n-1)} \cancel{(|z|+|h|)^{n-2}} \\ & = n(n-1) (|z| + |h|)^{n-2} \end{aligned}$$

□

### The standard functions

We have already seen that  $\sum_0^\infty \frac{z^n}{n!}$  has  $R = \infty$

Define  $e: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  by  $e(z) = \sum_0^\infty \frac{z^n}{n!}$

Straight from 4.4:  $e$  is differentiable and  $e'(z) = e(z)$ .

Observation: If  $F: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  has  $F'(z) = 0 \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{C}$  then  $F$  is const.

Proof in  $\mathbb{C}$  consider  $g(t) = F(tz) = u(t) + iv(t)$

By chain rule:  $g'(t) = F'(tz) z = 0$

$$= u'(t) + iv'(t) \quad (\text{check})$$

$\Rightarrow u' = v' = 0$  real-valued so by Corollary 3.5 it's constant. □

Now let  $a, b \in \mathbb{C}$  and consider  $F(z) = e(a+b-z) e(z)$

$$F'(z) = -e(a+b-z) e(z) + e(a+b-z) e(z) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow F$  is constant  $\Rightarrow e(a+b-z) e(z) = F(0) = e(a+b)$

$$\text{Set } z=b: \underline{e(a) e(b) = e(a+b)}.$$

$$e(z) = \sum_0^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!}, \quad R = \infty, \quad e: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

Last time: 1)  $e'(z) = e(z)$       2)  $e(a+b) = e(a)e(b)$

Now restrict our function  $e: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Theorem 4.7 (i)  $e: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  everywhere differentiable

$$(ii) \quad e(x+y) = e(x)e(y) \quad (iii) \quad e(x) > 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

(iv)  $e$  is strictly increasing      (v)  $e(x) \rightarrow \infty$  as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  
 $e(x) \rightarrow 0$  as  $x \rightarrow -\infty$

(vi)  $e: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  is a bijection

Proof (i) and (ii) done last time.

(iii) Clearly  $e(x) > 0 \quad \forall x > 0$  and  $e(0) = 1$

Also  $e(0) = e(x-x)$  so by (2)  $e(0) = 1 = e(x)e(-x)$

$$\Rightarrow e(-x) = \frac{1}{e(x)} \Rightarrow e(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x < 0.$$

(iv)  $e'(x) = e(x) > 0 \quad \forall x$

(v)  $e(x) > 1+x$  for  $x > 0$ , so if  $x \rightarrow \infty$  then  $e(x) \rightarrow \infty$

For  $x > 0$ , since  $e(-x) = \frac{1}{e(x)}$ ,  $e(x) \rightarrow 0$  as  $x \rightarrow -\infty$

(vi) Strictly increasing  $\Rightarrow$  injective.

Surjectivity: Take  $y \in (0, \infty)$ .

Since  $e(x) \rightarrow \infty$  as  $x \rightarrow \infty$  and  $e(x) \rightarrow 0$  as  $x \rightarrow -\infty$

$\Rightarrow \exists a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  s.t.  $e(a) < y < e(b)$

so by IVT ( $e(x)$  continuous)  $\exists c \in (a, b)$  with  $e(c) = y$ .

So  $e$  is bijective. □

Remark  $e: (\mathbb{R}, +) \rightarrow ((0, \infty), \times)$  is a group isomorphism

$e$  is a bijection: consider inverse function  $\ell: (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Theorem 4.8 (i)  $\ell : (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a bijection and

$$\ell(e(x)) = x \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad e(\ell(t)) = t \quad \forall t \in (0, \infty)$$

(ii)  $\ell$  is differentiable and  $\ell'(t) = \frac{1}{t}$

$$(iii) \ell(xy) = \ell(x) + \ell(y) \quad \forall x, y \in (0, \infty)$$

Proof (i) obvious from definition

(ii) Inverse rule (Thm 3.6) :  $\ell$  is differentiable with

$$\ell'(t) = \frac{1}{e(\ell(t))} = \frac{1}{t}$$

(iii) From IA groups: if  $e$  is an isomorphism, so is its inverse  $\square$

Now define for  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $x > 0$ :

$$r_\alpha(x) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} e(x\ell(x))$$

Theorem 4.9 Suppose  $x, y > 0$ ,  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then

$$(i) r_\alpha(xy) = r_\alpha(x)r_\alpha(y)$$

$$(ii) r_{\alpha+\beta}(x) = r_\alpha(x)r_\beta(x)$$

$$(iii) r_\alpha(r_\beta(x)) = r_{\alpha\beta}(x)$$

$$(iv) r_1(x) = x, \quad r_0(x) = 1$$

Proof (i)  $r_\alpha(xy) = e(\alpha\ell(xy)) = e(\alpha\ell(x) + \alpha\ell(y))$   
 $= e(\alpha\ell(x))e(\alpha\ell(y)) = r_\alpha(x)r_\alpha(y)$

$$(ii) r_{\alpha+\beta}(x) = e((\alpha+\beta)\ell(x)) = e(\alpha\ell(x))e(\beta\ell(x)) = r_\alpha(x)r_\beta(x)$$

$$(iii) r_\alpha(r_\beta(x)) = r_\alpha(e(\beta\ell(x))) = e(\alpha\ell(e(\beta\ell(x)))) = e(\alpha\beta\ell(x)) = r_{\alpha\beta}(x)$$

$$(iv) \quad r_1(x) = e(l(x)) = x$$

$$r_0(x) = e(0) = 1$$

□

$r_n(x)$      $n > 1, n \in \mathbb{Z} :$

$$r_n(x) = \underbrace{r_{1+1+\dots+1}}_n(x) = \underbrace{x \cdot x \cdot x \cdots x}_n = x^n$$

$$r_1(x) r_{-1}(x) = r_0(x) = 1, \quad r_{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{x}, \quad r_{-n}(x) = \frac{1}{x^n}$$

$q \in \mathbb{Z}, q > 1 :$

$$(r_{1/q}(x))^q = r_1(x) = x \Rightarrow r_{1/q}(x) = x^{1/q}$$

$$\text{Similarly } r_{p/q}(x) = (r_{1/q}(x))^p = \underline{x^{p/q}}$$

Then  $r_\alpha(x)$  agrees with  $x^\alpha$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{Q}$  as previously defined.

$$\begin{array}{lll} \exp(x) = e(x) & \log(x) = l(x) & x^\alpha = r_\alpha(x) \\ x \in \mathbb{R} & x \in (0, \infty) & x \in \mathbb{R}, x \in (0, \infty) \end{array}$$

$e(x) = e(x \log e) = r_x(e) = e^x$  if we define

$$e := \sum_0^\infty \frac{1}{n!} = e(1) \quad \text{so } \exp(x) \text{ is also a power. } (e^x)$$

Finally we compute  $(x^\alpha)'$

$$(x^\alpha)' = (e^{\alpha \log x})' = e^{\alpha \log x} \cdot \frac{\alpha}{x} = x^\alpha \frac{\alpha}{x} = \underline{\alpha x^{\alpha-1}}$$

Also note: if  $f(x) = a^x$ ,  $a > 0$  then

$$f'(x) = (e^{x \log a})' = e^{x \log a} \log a = \underline{a^x \log a}$$

Remark "Exponentials beat polynomials"

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{x^k} \quad (k > 0) : \rightarrow \infty$$

$$e^x = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^j}{j!} > \frac{x^n}{n!} \quad \text{for } x > 0 \text{ and pick } n > k$$

$$\text{Then } \frac{e^x}{x^k} > \frac{x^{n-k}}{n!} \quad ((n-k) > 0) \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } x \rightarrow \infty.$$

### Trigonometric functions

$$\text{Define: } \cos z = 1 - \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^4}{4!} - \dots = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k z^{2k}}{(2k)!}$$

$$\sin z = z - \frac{z^3}{3!} + \frac{z^5}{5!} - \dots = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k z^{2k+1}}{(2k+1)!}$$

Use ratio test: check both have infinite radius of convergence

By Thm 4.4 they're differentiable:  $(\sin z)' = \cos z$ ,  $(\cos z)' = -\sin z$

By power series:  $e^{iz} = \cos z + i \sin z$ , similarly  $e^{-iz} = \cos z - i \sin z$

$$\text{so } \cos z = \frac{1}{2} (e^{iz} + e^{-iz}), \quad \sin z = \frac{1}{2i} (e^{iz} - e^{-iz}) \quad (\star)$$

(Addition formulas follow from these - use  $e^a e^b = e^{a+b}$ )  
as does  $\cos^2 z + \sin^2 z = 1$

Now if  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  then  $\sin x, \cos x \in \mathbb{R}$

and  $(\star) \Rightarrow |\sin x|, |\cos x| \leq 1$  only always true in  $\mathbb{R}$

### Periodicity

Proposition 4.10 There is a smallest  $\omega > 0$  ( $\sqrt{2} < \frac{\omega}{2} < \sqrt{3}$ )

$$\text{s.t. } \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{2}\right) = 0$$

Proof If  $0 < x < 2$ :  $\sin x = \underbrace{\left(x - \frac{x^3}{3!}\right)}_{>0} + \underbrace{\left(\frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!}\right)}_{>0} + \dots > 0$

So for  $0 < x < \pi$ ,  $(\cos x)' = -\sin x < 0 \Rightarrow \cos x$  is strictly decreasing

We'll show  $\cos \sqrt{2} > 0$ ,  $\cos \sqrt{3} < 0$ : sufficient by IVT.

$$\cos(\sqrt{2}) = \left( \frac{(\sqrt{2})^4}{4!} - \frac{(\sqrt{2})^6}{6!} \right) + \underset{>0}{\left( \right)} + \underset{>0}{\left( \right)} + \dots > 0$$

$$\cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \left( \frac{x^6}{6!} - \frac{x^8}{8!} \right) \leftarrow > 0$$

$$x = \sqrt{3} \quad \cos(\sqrt{3}) = 1 - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{9}{4 \times 3 \times 2} + \dots = 1 - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{8} + \dots$$

$$= -\frac{1}{8} - (>0) < 0$$

Corollary 4.11  $\sin \frac{\omega}{2} = 1$

Proof  $\underbrace{\sin^2 \frac{\omega}{2} + \cos^2 \frac{\omega}{2}}_0 = 1, \quad \sin \frac{\omega}{2} > 0 \text{ so } \sin \frac{\omega}{2} = 1. \quad \square$

Define  $\underline{\pi = \omega}$

Theorem 4.12 (1)  $\sin(z + \frac{\pi}{2}) = \cos z, \quad \cos(z + \frac{\pi}{2}) = -\sin z$

(2)  $\sin(z + \pi) = -\sin z, \quad \cos(z + \pi) = -\cos z$

(3)  $\sin(z + 2\pi) = \sin z, \quad \cos(z + 2\pi) = \cos z$

Immediate from addition formulas.  $\square$

This implies  $e^{iz+2\pi i} = \cos(z+2\pi) + i\sin(z+2\pi)$   
 $= \cos(z) + i\sin(z) = e^{iz}$

so  $e^z$  is periodic with period  $2\pi i$ .

Remark Given two vectors  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^2$ , define  $x \cdot y$  as in V&M:

$$x \cdot y = x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2 \quad \text{where } x = (x_1, x_2), y = (y_1, y_2)$$

By Cauchy-Schwarz  $|x \cdot y| \leq \|x\| \|y\|$  where  $\|x\|^2 = x_1^2 + x_2^2$

Hence for  $x \neq 0, y \neq 0$ ,  $-1 \leq \frac{x \cdot y}{\|x\| \|y\|} \leq 1$  so we define angle between  $x, y$  as the unique  $\theta$  s.t.  $\cos \theta = \frac{x \cdot y}{\|x\| \|y\|}$

Definition  $\cosh z = \frac{1}{2}(e^z + e^{-z})$ ,  $\sinh z = \frac{1}{2}(e^z - e^{-z})$

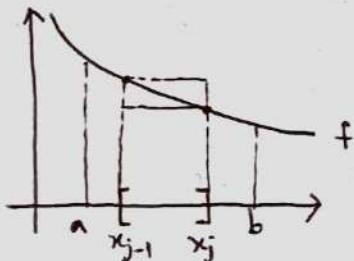
$$\Rightarrow \cosh z = \cos(i z), \sinh z = -i \sin(i z) \quad \text{check std. properties}$$

## 5 Integration

$f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  bounded :  $\exists k \text{ s.t. } |f(x)| \leq k, \forall x \in [a, b]$

Definition A dissection or partition of  $[a, b]$ ,  $D$ , is a finite subset of  $[a, b]$  containing endpoints  $a, b$ . Write

$$D = \{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n\} \text{ with } a = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_{n-1} < x_n = b$$



Definition Define upper sum and lower sum associated with  $D$  by

$$S(f, D) = \sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - x_{j-1}) \sup_{x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) \quad (\text{upper})$$

$$s(f, D) = \sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - x_{j-1}) \inf_{x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) \quad (\text{lower})$$

$$s(f, D) \leq S(f, D) \quad \forall D$$

Lemma 5.1 If  $D$  and  $D'$  are dissections with  $D' \supseteq D$ , then

$$S(f, D) >, S(f, D') >, s(f, D') >, s(f, D)$$

Proof  $S(f, D') >, s(f, D')$  is obvious

Suppose  $D'$  contains an extra point than  $D$ , say  $y \in (x_{r-1}, x_r)$

(Clearly :  $\sup_{x \in [x_{r-1}, y]} f(x)$ ,  $\sup_{x \in [y, x_r]} f(x) \leq \sup_{x \in [x_{r-1}, x_r]} f(x)$ )

$$\Rightarrow (x_r - x_{r-1}) \sup_{x \in [x_{r-1}, x_r]} f(x) \geq (y - x_{r-1}) \sup_{x \in [x_{r-1}, y]} f(x) + (x_r - y) \sup_{x \in [y, x_r]} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow S(f, D) \geq s(f, D')$$

The same for  $s$  and the same if  $D'$  has more extra points.  $\square$

Lemma 5.2  $D_1, D_2$  two arbitrary dissections - Then

$$S(f, D_1) \geq S(f, D_1 \cup D_2) \geq s(f, D_1 \cup D_2) \geq s(f, D_2)$$

$$\text{so } S(f, D_1) \geq s(f, D_2)$$

Proof Take  $D' = D_1 \cup D_2$ , apply Lemma 5.1  $\square$

Definition The upper integral of  $f$  is

$$I^*(f) = \inf_D S(f, D) \quad (\text{always exists - bounded below by (lower sum)})$$

and the lower integral of  $f$  is

$$I_*(f) = \sup_D s(f, D)$$

By Lemma 5.2,  $I^*(f) \geq I_*(f)$  as  $S(f, D_1) \geq s(f, D_2)$

$$I^*(f) = \inf_{D_1} S(f, D_1) \geq s(f, D_2), \quad I^*(f) \geq \sup_{D_2} s(f, D_2) = I_*(f)$$

Definition A bounded function  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is said to be (Riemann) integrable if  $I^*(f) = I_*(f)$  and we set

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = I^*(f) = I_*(f) = \int_a^b f$$

$$\text{Example } f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \in \mathbb{Q} \cap [0, 1] \\ 0 & x \notin \mathbb{Q} \cap [0, 1] \end{cases}$$

$f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ;  $f$  is not Riemann integrable

$$\sup_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) = 1, \quad \inf_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S(f, D) = 1, \quad s(f, D) = 0 \quad \forall D \quad \text{so} \quad I^*(f) = 1, \quad I_*(f) = 0$$

not Riemann integrable.

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A useful criterion for integrability:

Theorem 5.3 A bounded function  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable iff given  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists D$  s.t.  $S(f, D) - s(f, D) < \varepsilon$ .

Proof For every dissection  $D$  we have  $0 \leq I^*(f) - I_*(f) \leq S(f, D) - s(f, D)$  so if given condition holds, then

$$0 \leq I^*(f) - I_*(f) \leq S(f, D) - s(f, D) < \varepsilon \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0 \Rightarrow I^*(f) = I_*(f).$$

Conversely if  $f$  is integrable, by defn of sup, inf, there are partitions  $D_1$  and  $D_2$  s.t  $\int_a^b f - \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = I_*(f) - \frac{\varepsilon}{2} < s(f, D_1)$

$$\text{and } S(f, D_2) < I^*(f) + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \int_a^b f + \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{By Lemma 5.1, } S(f, D_1 \cup D_2) - s(f, D_1 \cup D_2) &\leq S(f, D_2) - s(f, D_1) \\ &< \int_a^b f + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} - \int_a^b f + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon. \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

We use this to show that monotonic or continuous functions are R. integrable.

Theorem 5.4  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  monotonic. Then  $f$  is integrable.

Proof Suppose wlog that  $f$  is increasing.

$$\text{Then } \sup_{x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) = f(x_j) \quad \inf_{x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) = f(x_{j-1})$$

$$\text{Thus } S(f, D) - s(f, D) = \sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - x_{j-1}) [f(x_j) - f(x_{j-1})] \quad (*)$$

$$\text{Now choose } D = \left\{ a, a + \frac{b-a}{n}, a + \frac{2(b-a)}{n}, \dots, b \right\}$$

$$x_j = a + \frac{(b-a)j}{n}, \quad 0 \leq j \leq n$$

$$S(f, D) - s(f, D) = \frac{b-a}{n} (f(b) - f(a)) \quad \text{by } (*) : x_j - x_{j-1} = \frac{b-a}{n} \quad \forall j$$

$$\text{Take } n \text{ large enough that } \frac{b-a}{n} (f(b) - f(a)) < \varepsilon$$

then use Thm 5.3.  $\square$

## Continuous functions

Lemma 5.5  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  continuous. Given  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists \delta > 0$  s.t.

$$|x-y| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - f(y)| < \varepsilon \quad (\forall x \in [a, b]) \text{ uniform continuity}$$

Point is: this  $\delta$  works  $\forall x, y$  with  $|x-y| < \delta$  (not same as regular continuity)

Proof Suppose false. Then  $\exists \varepsilon > 0$  s.t.  $\forall \delta > 0$ , we can find

$x, y \in [a, b]$  s.t.  $|x-y| < \delta$  but  $|f(x) - f(y)| > \varepsilon$ .

Take  $\delta = \frac{1}{n}$ , to get  $(x_n), (y_n)$  with  $|x_n - y_n| < \frac{1}{n}$  but

$$|f(x_n) - f(y_n)| > \varepsilon$$

By Bolzano-Weierstrass,  $\exists x_{n_k} \rightarrow c$

$$|y_{n_k} - c| \leq |y_{n_k} - x_{n_k}| + |x_{n_k} - c| \rightarrow 0$$

But  $|f(x_{n_k}) - f(y_{n_k})| > \varepsilon$ . Let  $k \rightarrow \infty$ , by continuity of  $f$

$$\cancel{|f(x)|} \rightarrow f \quad |f(c) - f(c)| > \varepsilon \Rightarrow 0 > \varepsilon \quad \# \quad \square$$

Theorem 5.6 If  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous, then  $f$  is Riemann integrable.

Proof Given  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists \delta > 0$  s.t.  $|x-y| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - f(y)| < \varepsilon$

$$\text{let } D = \left\{ a + \frac{(b-a)}{n} j, j = 0, 1, \dots, n \right\}$$

Choose  $n$  large enough that  $\frac{b-a}{n} < \delta$ . Then for any  $x, y \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$ ,  $|f(x) - f(y)| < \varepsilon$  since  $|x-y| < |x_j - x_{j-1}| = \frac{b-a}{n} < \delta$

This means:  $\max_{x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) - \min_{x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) = f(p) - f(q) \quad p, q \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$   
 max/min exist (cts)

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow S(f, D) - s(f, D) &= \sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - x_{j-1}) \left[ \max_{x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) - \min_{x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]} f(x) \right] \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{(b-a)}{n} \underbrace{(f(p_j) - f(q_j))}_{< \varepsilon} < \varepsilon(b-a) \quad \text{and use Thm 5.3.} \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

More complicated functions can be Riemann integrable.

Example  $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1/q & x = p/q \in (0, 1] \text{ lowest form} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

Clearly  $S(f, D) = 0 \quad \forall D$ . We'll show that given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists D$  s.t.

$$\underline{S}(f, D) < \epsilon \Rightarrow f \text{ integrable with } \int_0^1 f = 0.$$

Take  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  s.t.  $\frac{1}{N} < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ . Consider set  $\{x \in [0, 1] : f(x) > \frac{1}{N}\}$   
 $= \{p/q : 1 \leq q \leq N \text{ and } 1 \leq p \leq q\}$  finite with  $0 < t_1 < t_2 < \dots < t_R = 1$

Consider dissection  $D$  of  $[a, b]$  s.t.

(1) each  $t_k$ ,  $1 \leq k \leq R$  is in some  $[x_{j-1}, x_j]$

(2)  $\forall k$ , the unique interval containing  $t_k$  has length at most  $\frac{\epsilon}{2R}$



Note  $f \leq 1$  everywhere

$$\underline{S}(f, D) \leq \frac{1}{N} + \frac{\epsilon}{2} < \epsilon$$

□

### Elementary properties of integral

$f, g$  bounded, integrable on  $[a, b]$

(1) If  $f \leq g$  on  $[a, b]$  then  $\int_a^b f \leq \int_a^b g$

(2)  $f+g$  integrable on  $[a, b]$ :  $\int_a^b f+g = \int_a^b f + \int_a^b g$

(3)  $kf$  integrable for any  $k$  constant:  $\int_a^b kf = k \int_a^b f$

(4)  $|f|$  is integrable and  $\left| \int_a^b f \right| \leq \int_a^b |f|$

(5) product  $fg$  is integrable

Proofs (1) if  $f \leq g$ , then  $\int_a^b f = I^*(f) \leq S(f, D) \leq S(g, D)$

hence  $\int_a^b f = I^*(f) \leq I^*(g) = \int_a^b g$

(2)  $\sup_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} (f+g) \leq \sup_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f + \sup_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} g \Rightarrow S(f+g, D) \leq S(f, D) + S(g, D)$

Take 2 dissections  $D_1, D_2$ :

$$I^*(f+g) \leq S(f+g, D_1 \cup D_2) \leq S(f, D_1 \cup D_2) + S(g, D_1 \cup D_2)$$

Lemma 5.1

$$= S(F, D_1) + S(g, D_2)$$

Fix  $D_1$  and inf over  $D_2$  to get  $I^*(f+g) \leq S(F, D_1) + I^*(g)$

Now take inf over all  $D_1$  to get  $I^*(f+g) \leq I^*(f) + I^*(g)$

Similarly  $\int_a^b f + \int_a^b g \leq I^*(f+g) \Rightarrow f+g$  is integrable with integral equal to the sum of the integrals.

(3) exercise

(4) Consider  $f_+(x) = \max(f(x), 0)$ .  $\sup_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f_+ - \inf_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f_+ \leq \sup_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f - \inf_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f$

We know: given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists D$  s.t.  $S(f, D) - S(F, D) < \epsilon$

$\Rightarrow S(f_+, D) - S(f_+, D) < \epsilon \Rightarrow f_+$  is integrable.

But  $|f| = 2f_+ - f$  so by linearity result follows.

Since  $-|f| \leq f \leq |f|$ , property (1)  $\Rightarrow \left| \int_a^b f \right| \leq \int_a^b |f|$ .  $\square$

(5) Take  $f$  integrable and  $> 0$

$$\text{Then } \sup_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f^2 = \left( \underbrace{\sup_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f}_{M_j} \right)^2, \quad \inf_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f^2 = \left( \underbrace{\inf_{[x_{j-1}, x_j]} f}_{m_j} \right)^2$$

$$\text{Thus } S(f^2, D) - S(f^2, D)$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - x_{j-1}) (M_j^2 - m_j^2) = \sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - x_{j-1}) (M_j + m_j)(M_j - m_j)$$

bounded:

$$|f(x)| \leq K \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$$

$$\text{so } \leq 2K (S(F, D))$$

$$\text{so } \leq 2K (S(F, D) - S(f, D))$$

Using 5.3,  $f^2$  is integrable.

Now take any  $f$ , then  $|f| > 0$ , integrable. Since  $f^2 = |f|^2$ , have  $f^2$  integrable  $\forall F$ .

Finally for  $fg$ , note:  $4fg = (f+g)^2 - (f-g)^2$

$\Rightarrow fg$  integrable.  $\square$

Property (6)  $f$  integrable on  $[a, b]$ . If  $a < c < b$ , then  $f$  is integrable on  $[a, c]$  and  $[c, b]$  and  $\int_a^b f = \int_a^c f + \int_c^b f$ .

Conversely if  $f$  is integrable over  $[a, c]$  and  $[c, b]$ , then  $f$  is integrable over  $[a, b]$  and  $\int_a^b f = \int_a^c f + \int_c^b f$

Proof First observe: (1) IF  $D_1$  is a dissection of  $[a, c]$  and  $D_2$  is a dissection of  $[b, c]$  then  $D = D_1 \cup D_2$  is a dissection of  $[a, b]$  and  $S(f, D_1 \cup D_2) = S(f|_{[a,c]}, D_1) + S(f|_{[c,b]}, D_2)$  (\*<sub>1</sub>)

(2) IF  $D$  is a dissection of  $[a, b]$ , then

$$S(f, D) \geq S(f, D \cup \{c\}) = S(f|_{[a,c]}, D_1) + S(f|_{[c,b]}, D_2) \quad (*_{2})$$

where  $D_1$  dissects  $[a, c]$ ,  $D_2$  dissects  $[c, b]$

$$(*)_{2} \Rightarrow I^*(f) \leq I^*(f|_{[a,c]}) + I^*(f|_{[c,b]})$$

$$(*)_{2} \Rightarrow I^*(f) \geq I^*(f|_{[a,c]}) + I^*(f|_{[c,b]})$$

so combining, we have equality.

$$\text{Similarly: } I_*(f) = I_*(f|_{[a,c]}) + I_*(f|_{[c,b]})$$

$$\text{Thus } 0 \leq I^*(f) - I_*(f) = \underbrace{I^*(f|_{[a,c]}) - I_*(f|_{[a,c]})}_{\geq 0} + \underbrace{I^*(f|_{[c,b]}) - I_*(f|_{[c,b]})}_{\geq 0}$$

from which result follows.  $\square$

### Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

$f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  bounded and integrable. Write  $F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$

Theorem 5.7  $F$  is continuous.

$$\text{Proof } F(x+h) - F(x) = \int_x^{x+h} f(t) dt$$

$$|F(x+h) - F(x)| = \left| \int_x^{x+h} f(t) dt \right| \leq \begin{matrix} \text{bound for } f \text{ on this interval} \\ k|h| : \text{let } h \rightarrow 0. \end{matrix}$$

$\downarrow$  by (\*) on next page  $\square$

Theorem 5.8 (FTC) If  $f$  is continuous at  $x$ , then  $F$  is differentiable at  $x$  and  $F'(x) = f(x)$ .

Proof Consider  $\left| \frac{F(x+h) - F(x)}{h} - f(x) \right|$  with  $x+h \in [a, b]$ ,  $h \neq 0$

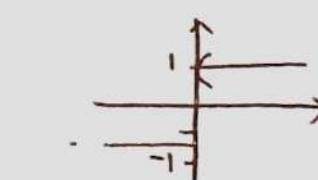
$$= \frac{1}{|h|} \left| \int_x^{x+h} f(t) dt - h f(x) \right| = \frac{1}{|h|} \left| \int_x^{x+h} [f(t) - f(x)] dt \right|$$

$\blacksquare$   $f$  continuous at  $x$ : given  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists s > 0$  s.t. if  $|t-x| < s$  then  $|f(t) - f(x)| < \varepsilon$ . If  $|h| < s$ , we can write

$$\frac{1}{|h|} \left| \int_x^{x+h} [f(t) - f(x)] dt \right| \leq \frac{1}{|h|} \varepsilon |h| = \varepsilon$$

$$\text{so } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{F(x+h) - F(x)}{h} = f(x).$$

□

Example  $f(x) = \begin{cases} -1 & x \in [-1, 0] \\ 1 & x \in [0, 1] \end{cases}$    $\Rightarrow$  monotone  $\Rightarrow$  integrable

Then  $F(x) = -1 + |x|$  continuous :  $F(x) = \begin{cases} -x-1 & x \leq 0 \\ x-1 & x > 0 \end{cases}$

Corollary 5.9 "integration is inverse of differentiation":

$f = g'$  continuous on  $[a, b]$ , then  $\int_a^x f(t) dt = g(x) - g(a)$

Proof From 5.8,  $F-g$  has zero derivative in  $[a, b]$   $\forall x \in [a, b]$

$\Rightarrow F-g$  is constant and since  $F(a) = 0$ ,  $F(x) = g(x) - g(a)$ . □

Every continuous function has an antiderivative  $\int f(x) dx$  determined up to a constant.

Remark Have solved ODE  $y'(x) = f(x)$ ,  $y(a) = y_0$  uniquely

Important property: (†)

If  $|f| \leq K$  on  $[a, b]$ , then  $\left| \int_a^b f \right| \leq K(b-a)$

using property (4) from last lecture (20).

Analysis - Lecture 22Corollary 5.10 (Integration by parts)

Suppose  $f'$ ,  $g'$  exist, continuous on  $[a, b]$ . Then

$$\int_a^b f' g = f(b)g(b) - f(a)g(a) - \int_a^b f g'$$

Proof By product rule,  $(fg)'' = f'g + fg''$ . By 5.9,

$$f(b)g(b) - f(a)g(a) = \int_a^b f'g + \int_a^b fg''$$

□

Corollary 5.11 (Integration by substitution)

Let  $g: [a, \beta] \rightarrow [a, b]$  with  $g(a) = a$  and  $g(\beta) = b$ ,  $g'$  exists and continuous on  $[a, \beta]$ . Let  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous.

Then  $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^\beta f(g(t)) g'(t) dt$

Proof  $f(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$  as before. Let  $h(t) = F(g(t))$

- defined as  $g$  takes values in  $[a, b]$

Then  $\int_a^\beta f(g(t)) g'(t) dt = \int_a^\beta F'(g(t)) g'(t) dt$

chain rule  $= \int_a^\beta h'(t) dt = h(\beta) - h(a) = F(b) - F(a) = \int_a^b f(x) dx$ . □

Theorem 5.12 (Taylor's theorem, integral remainder)

$f^{(n)}(x)$  continuous for  $x \in [0, h]$

Then  $f(h) = f(0) + \dots + \frac{h^{n-1} f^{(n-1)}(0)}{(n-1)!} + R_n$ ,  $R_n = \frac{h^n}{(n-1)!} \int_0^1 (1-t)^{n-1} f^{(n)}(th) dt$

Proof  $u = th$ :  $R_n = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \int_0^h (h-u)^{n-1} f^{(n)}(u) du$

|BP:  $R_n = -\frac{h^{n-1} f^{(n-1)}(0)}{(n-1)!} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{(n-2)!} \int_0^h (h-u)^{n-2} f^{(n-1)}(u) du}_{R_{n-1}}$  recurrence relation

|BP  $n-1$  times:  $R_n = -\frac{h^{n-1} f^{(n-1)}(0)}{(n-1)!} - \dots - hf'(0) + \underbrace{\int_0^h f'(u) du}_{f(h)-f(0)}$  □

Can get Cauchy and Lagrange form from this.

However, note that above proof uses continuity of  $f^{(n)}$ .

Theorem 5.13  $f, g: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  continuous,  $g(x) \neq 0 \forall x \in (a, b)$

Then  $\exists c \in (a, b)$  s.t.  $\int_a^b f(x) g(x) dx = f(c) \int_a^b g(x) dx$

Note:  $g(x) = 1 \Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx = f(c)(b-a)$  (like MVT for integrals)

Proof Let  $F(x) = \int_a^x fg$ ,  $G(x) = \int_a^x g$  satisfy CMVT (3.7)

so  $\exists c \in (a, b)$  s.t.  $(F(b) - F(a))G'(c) = F'(c)(G(b) - G(a))$   
 $\left(\int_a^b fg\right) g(c) = f(c)g(c) \left(\int_a^b g\right)$  by FTC

If  $g(c) \neq 0$  we simplify and we're done.  $\square$

$$R_n = \frac{h^n}{(n-1)!} \int_0^1 (1-t)^{n-1} f^{(n)}(th) dt \quad - \text{use Thm 5.13 with } g \equiv 1$$

$$\text{to get } R_n = \frac{h^n}{(n-1)!} (1-\theta)^{n-1} f^{(n)}(\theta h), \theta \in (0, 1)$$

precisely Cauchy's form of remainder.

To get Lagrange, use Thm 5.13,  $g(t) = (1-t)^{n-1}$  which is  $> 0$  for  $(0, 1)$   $\Rightarrow \exists \theta \in (0, 1)$  s.t.

$$R_n = \frac{h^n}{(n-1)!} f^{(n)}(\theta h) \left[ \int_0^1 (1-t)^{n-1} dt \right] \\ \downarrow - \frac{(1-t)^n}{n} \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\text{so } R_n = \frac{h^n}{n!} f^{(n)}(\theta h) \quad - \text{Lagrange's form of remainder.}$$

Analysis - Lecture 23Improper Integrals

Definition Suppose  $f: [a, \infty] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is integrable (and bounded) on every interval  $[a, R]$  and as  $R \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\int_a^R f(x) dx \rightarrow l$

Then we say that  $\int_a^\infty f(x) dx$  exists/converges and has value  $l$ .

If the limit does not exist, we say the integral diverges.

If  $\int_a^\infty f = l_1$ ,  $\int_{-\infty}^a f = l_2$  then say  $\int_{-\infty}^\infty f = l_1 + l_2$  (indep. of  $a$ ).

Careful: not the same as  $\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-R}^R f(x) dx$  - it is stronger e.g.  $\int_{-R}^R x dx = 0$

Example  $\int_1^\infty \frac{dx}{x^k}$  converges iff  $k > 1$ . If  $k \neq 1$ ,  $\int_1^R \frac{dx}{x^k} = \left[ \frac{x^{1-k}}{1-k} \right]_1^R$   
 $= \frac{R^{1-k}-1}{k-1}$  and as  $R \rightarrow \infty$ , this is finite iff  $k > 1$ .  
If  $k=1$ ,  $\int_1^R \frac{dx}{x} = \log R \rightarrow \infty$ .

Remarks 1)  $1/\sqrt{x}$  continuous on  $[s, 1]$  for any  $s > 0$  and have  $\int_s^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}} = \left[ 2\sqrt{x} \right]_s^1 = 2 - 2\sqrt{s} \rightarrow 2$  as  $s \rightarrow 0$

but  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$  is unbounded on  $(0, 1]$ :  $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \int_s^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}} = 2$

2) If  $f > 0$  and  $g > 0$  for  $x > a$

and  $f(x) \leq K g(x)$ ,  $K$  constant,  $x > a$ ,

then if  $\int_a^\infty g$  converges then  $\int_a^\infty f$  converges and

$\int_a^\infty f \leq K \int_a^\infty g$ . Just note  $\int_a^R f \leq K \int_a^R g$  and the function is increasing and bounded above -

take  $l = \sup_{R > a} \int_a^R f < \infty$  and check  $\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^R f = l$ .

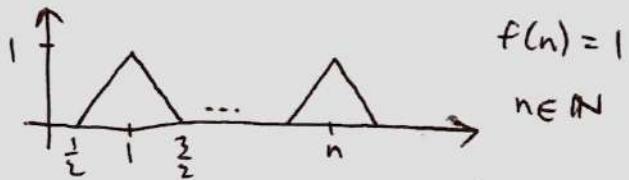
Example  $\int_0^\infty e^{-x^2/2} dx = I$

$e^{-x^2/2} \leq e^{-x/2}$ ,  $x > 1$  and  $\int_1^R e^{-x/2} dx \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} e^{-1/2}$  as  $R \rightarrow \infty$   
 $\Rightarrow I$  converges

3) We know if  $\sum a_n$  converges, then  $a_n \rightarrow 0$ . But

$\int_a^\infty f$  converges  $\not\Rightarrow f \rightarrow 0$

Area of  $\Delta = \frac{2}{(n+1)^2}$  Counterexample?



### The integral test

Theorem 5.14 Let  $f(x)$  be a positive decreasing function,  $x > 1$ . Then

(1)  $\int_1^\infty f(x) dx$  and  $\sum_1^\infty f(n)$  both either converge or diverge.

(2) As  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\sum_{r=1}^n f(r) - \int_1^n f(x) dx \rightarrow l$  with  $0 \leq l \leq f(1)$

Proof



If  $n-1 \leq x \leq n$ , then  $f(n-1) > f(x) > f(n)$   
 $\Rightarrow f(n-1) > \int_{n-1}^n f(x) dx > f(n)$  (\*)

Adding:  $\sum_1^{n-1} f(r) > \int_1^n f(x) dx > \sum_2^n f(r)$  (\*\*\*)

From this (1) follows immediately.

For proof of (2) set  $\phi(n) = \sum_1^n f(r) - \int_1^n f(x) dx$

then  $\phi(n) - \phi(n-1) = f(n) - \int_{n-1}^n f(x) dx \leq 0$  by (\*)

Also from (\*\*),  $0 \leq \phi(n) \leq f(1)$  so by ~~MCT~~ MCT (2) follows.

Analysis - Lecture 24

Examples 1)  $\sum_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^k}$  converges iff  $k > 1$ . In L23, saw  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^k}$  converges iff  $k > 1$ . Use integral test

$$2) \sum_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \log n} \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{x \log x}, \quad x > 2 \quad \text{and} \quad \left[ \int_2^R \frac{dx}{x \log x} = \log(\log x) \right]_2^R \\ = \log(\log R) - \log(\log 2) \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } R \rightarrow \infty \text{ - series diverges.}$$

Corollary 5.15 (Euler's constant) - as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n} - \log n \rightarrow \gamma$  where  $0 < \gamma \leq 1$ :

Proof  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ , use Thm 5.14.  $\square$

Definition A function  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is piecewise continuous if there is a dissection  $D = \{x_0 = a, x_1, \dots, x_n = b\}$  s.t.

- 1)  $f$  is continuous on  $(x_{j-1}, x_j) \forall j$
- (2) one-sided limits  $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_{j-1}^+} f(x), \lim_{x \rightarrow x_{j-1}^-} f(x)$  exist.

Exercise Check that piecewise continuous functions are Riemann integrable.

Q: How large can discontinuity set be while  $f$  is still Riemann integrable?

$$\text{Recall } f(x) = \begin{cases} 1/q & x = p/q \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Non-examitable

$f$  bounded,  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .  $f$  is Riemann integrable iff the set of discontinuity points has measure zero.

Definition  $l((I)) :=$  length of interval  $I$

$A \subset \mathbb{R}$  has measure zero if  $\forall \varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists$  a countable family of intervals s.t. ~~An~~  $A \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} I_j$  and  $\sum_j l(I_j) < \varepsilon$

Lemma (1) Every countable set has measure zero.

(2) If  $B$  has measure zero and  $A \subset B$ , then  $A$  has measure zero.

(3) If  $A_k$  has measure zero  $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $\bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} A_k$  has measure zero.

Proof of criterion uses the concept of oscillation of  $f$ :

$$\text{I interval: } w_f(I) = \sup_I f - \inf_I f$$

$$\text{Oscillation at a point: } w_f(x) = \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} w_f(x-\varepsilon, x+\varepsilon)$$

Lemma  $f$  is continuous at  $x$  iff  $w_f(x) = 0$ . (Check)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sketch proof of Lebesgue criterion} \quad D &= \{x \in [a, b] : f \text{ discontinuous at } x\} \\ &= \{x : w_f(x) > 0\} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$  RTP:  $D$  has measure zero.

$$N(\alpha) = \{x : w_f(x) > \alpha\} \text{ and } D = \bigcup_1^{\infty} N(1/k)$$

We'll show that for fixed  $\alpha$ ,  $N(\alpha)$  has measure zero.

Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Then  $\exists D$  s.t.  $S(f, D) - s(f, D) < \varepsilon$

$$S(f, D) - s(f, D) = \sum_{j=1}^n w_f([x_{j-1}, x_j])(x_j - x_{j-1})$$

$$F = \{j : (x_{j-1}, x_j) \cap N(\alpha) \neq \emptyset\} \quad \text{then for each } j \in F, \quad w_f([x_{j-1}, x_j]) > \alpha$$

$$\times \sum_{j \in F} (x_j - x_{j-1}) \leq \sum_{j \in F} w_f([x_{j-1}, x_j])(x_j - x_{j-1}) < \frac{\varepsilon \alpha}{2}$$

$$\text{so } \sum_{j \in F} (x_j - x_{j-1}) < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}. \quad \text{These cover } N(\alpha) \text{ except perhaps at finitely many endpoints. } \checkmark$$

$\Leftarrow$  Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given.  $N(\varepsilon) \subset D$  so  $N(\varepsilon)$  has measure zero.

It is closed and bounded, so can be covered with finitely many open sets of total length  $< \varepsilon$ :  $N(\varepsilon) \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^m U_i$ , let  $I_i = \overline{U}_i$  (closure = adding endpts)

WLOG  $I_i$ 's do not overlap.

The complement  $K = [a, b] \setminus \bigcup_{i=1}^m U_i$  is compact so it can be covered by finitely many disjoint closed intervals  $T_j$  s.t.

$$\# w_f(T_j) < \varepsilon$$

Now the  $I_i$ 's and  $T_j$ 's give a dissection of  $[a, b]$  s.t.

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_1^n w_f([x_{j-1}, x_j])(x_j - x_{j-1}) &= \sum_{i=1}^m w_f(I_i)l(I_i) + \sum_{j=1}^k w_f(T_j)l(T_j) \\ &\leq 2K \sum_{i=1}^m l(I_i) + \varepsilon(b-a) \\ &\stackrel{l \leq K}{\leq} 2K\varepsilon + \varepsilon(b-a). \end{aligned}$$

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