Mathematical Studies Analysis

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1 Advanced topics in metric space theory

1.1 Baire category

Definition. Let X be a metric space.

- 1. We say that $E \subset X$ is nowhere dense if $(\overline{E})^{\circ} = \emptyset$.
- 2. We say that $E \subset X$ is meager in X if

$$E = \bigcup_{\alpha \in A} E_{\alpha},$$

where A is a countable set and $E_{\alpha} \subset X$ is nowhere dense for every $\alpha \in A$.

Theorem. Prove that the following are equivalent for $E \subset X$:

- 1. E is nowhere dense
- 2. \overline{E} is nowhere dense
- 3. $(\overline{E})^c$ is open and dense in X.

Proof. (1) \Longrightarrow (2). Suppose E is nowhere dense, then $(\overline{E})^{\circ} = \emptyset$. Note that the closure of \overline{E} is just \overline{E} itself. It follows that \overline{E} is also nowhere dense.

(2) \Longrightarrow (3). Suppose \overline{E} is nowhere dense. Note that \overline{E} is closed, so $(\overline{E})^c$ is open. Let $x \in X$ be arbitrary. Since \overline{E} is nowhere dense, $x \notin (\overline{E})^\circ$. This implies that for arbitrary $\varepsilon > 0$, we have $B(x,\varepsilon) \not\subset \overline{E}$. This is equivalent to $B(x,\varepsilon) \cap (\overline{E})^c \neq \emptyset$. Hence, $(\overline{E})^c$ is dense in X.

(3) \Longrightarrow (1). Suppose $(\overline{E})^c$ is dense in X. Let $x \in X$ and $\varepsilon > 0$ be arbitrary. It follows that $B(x,\varepsilon) \cap (\overline{E})^c \neq \emptyset$. This is equivalent to $B(x,\varepsilon) \not\subset \overline{E}$. Therefore, $(\overline{E})^\circ = \emptyset$ and E is nowhere dense.

Theorem (Baire category theorem). Let X be a complete metric space. Suppose that for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $U_n \subset X$ is open and dense in X. Prove that $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} U_n$ is dense in X. Hint: use the shrinking closed set property.

Proof. Consider any $x \in X$ and arbitrary $\varepsilon > 0$, it suffices to show that $U_n \cap B(x, \varepsilon) \neq \emptyset$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Now inductively choosing a sequence $x_i \in X$ and $\varepsilon_i > 0$ such that for each $i \in \mathbb{N}$, $B[x_i, \varepsilon_i] \subset U_i$, $B[x_{i+1}, \varepsilon_i] \subset B[x_i, \varepsilon_i] \subset B(x, \varepsilon)$, and $\varepsilon_i < 2^{-i}\varepsilon$.

Since U_0 is dense in X, $B(x,\varepsilon)\cap U_0\neq\emptyset$. Note that both U_0 and $B(x,\varepsilon)$ are open, so we can choose $x_0\in B(x,\varepsilon)\cap U_0$ and $\varepsilon_0>0$ so small that $B[x_0,\varepsilon_0]\subset B(x,\varepsilon)\cap U_0$ and $\varepsilon_0<\varepsilon$. Now suppose for $0\leq i\leq n$, we have chosen $x_i\in X$ and $\varepsilon_i>0$ such that $B[x_i,\varepsilon_i]\subset U_i$ and $\varepsilon_i<2^{-i}\varepsilon$ for all $0\leq i\leq n$, $B[x_{i+1},\varepsilon_{i+1}]\subset B[x_i,\varepsilon_i]$ for all $0\leq i< n$. Since U_{n+1} is dense in X, $B(x_n,\varepsilon_n)\cap U_{n+1}\neq\emptyset$. Note also both U_{n+1} and $B(x_n,\varepsilon_n)$ are open. Therefore, choose $x_{n+1}\in B(x_n,\varepsilon_n)\cap U_{n+1}$ and $\varepsilon_{n+1}>0$ so small that $B[x_{n+1},\varepsilon_{n+1}]\subset B(x_n,\varepsilon_n)\cap U_{n+1}$ and $\varepsilon_{n+1}<\frac{\varepsilon_n}{2}$. It follows that $B[x_{n+1},\varepsilon_{n+1}]\subset U_{n+1}$ and $B[x_n,\varepsilon_n]\subset B(x_n,\varepsilon_n)$. Also, $\varepsilon<\frac{\varepsilon_n}{2}<2^{-n-1}\varepsilon$. Now we have successfully constructing the desired sequence.

Since X is complete, $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} B[x_n, \varepsilon_n] = \{z\}$ for some $z \in X$. Note that for each n, we have $z \in B[x_n, \varepsilon_n] \subset U_n$. Also, $z \in B[x_n, \varepsilon_n] \subset B(x, \varepsilon)$. Therefore, $z \in U_n \cap B(x, \varepsilon)$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} U_n$ is dense in X.

Remark. An equivalent statement of the theorem is the following:

Let X be a complete metric space and $\{C_n\}$ a countable collection of closed subsets of X such that $X = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} C_n$. Then at least one of the C_n contains an open ball.

1.2 Open mapping theorem

Linear surjections

Theorem (Open mapping theorem). Let X, Y be Banach spaces over a common field and assume that $T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$. Prove that the following are equivalent.

- 1. T is surjective.
- 2. There exists $\delta > 0$ such that $B_Y(0,\delta) \subset \overline{T(B_X(0,1))}$.
- 3. For every $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $B_Y(0, \delta) \subset T(B_X(0, \varepsilon))$.
- 4. T is an open map: if $U \subset X$ is open, then $T(U) \subset Y$ is open.
- 5. There exists $C \geq 0$ such that for each $y \in Y$ there exists $x \in X$ such that Tx = y and

$$||x||_X \le C ||y||_Y.$$

HINT: Prove that $(1) \implies (2) \implies (3) \implies (4) \implies (5) \implies (1)$, keeping in mind the following suggestions.

- 1. For (1) \implies (2): Study the sets $C_n = \overline{T(B_X(0,n))} \subset Y$ for $n \geq 1$.
- 2. For (2) \Longrightarrow (3): Prove that $\overline{T(B_X(0,1))} \subset T(B_X(0,3))$ by considering $y \in \overline{T(B_X(0,1))}$ and inductively constructing $\{x_j\}_{j=0}^{\infty} \subset X$ such that $\|x_j\|_X < 2^{-j}$ and $y \sum_{j=0}^m Tx_j \in B_Y(0, 2^{-m-1}R)$ for all $m \in \mathbb{N}$.

Proof. (1) \Longrightarrow (2). Following the hint, for $n \ge 1$ let $C_n = \overline{T(B_X(0,n))}$. Then each of the C_n are closed. Since T is surjective, $Y = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n$. Suppose for contradiction that each C_n are nowhere dense. It then follows that C_n^c are dense in Y. By Baire Category Theorem, $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n^c$ is dense in Y. However, $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n^c = (\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n)^c = \emptyset$, a contradiction. Therefore, at least one C_n is not nowhere dense. That is, there exists some $n \ge 1$, $\overline{T(B_X(0,n))}$ contains an open ball. However, this is the same set as $n\overline{T(B_X(0,1))}$. Therefore, $\overline{T(B_X(0,1))}$ contains an open ball $B_Y(y_0, 4r)$ for some $y_0 \in Y$ and r > 0.

Let $y_1 = Tx_1$ for some $x_1 \in B_Y(0,1)$ such that $||y_0 - y_1|| < 2r$. It follows that $B_Y(y_1,2r) \subset B_Y(y_0,4r) \subset T(B_X(0,1))$. For any $y \in Y$ such that ||y|| < r, we have

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}y_1 + \frac{1}{2}(2y + y_1) = -T\left(\frac{x_1}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2}(2y + y_1).$$

However, notice that

$$\frac{1}{2}(2y+y_1) \subset \frac{1}{2}B_Y(y_1,2r) \subset \frac{1}{2}\overline{T(B_X(0,1))} = \overline{T(B_X(0,\frac{1}{2}))}.$$

It follows that

$$y = -T\left(\frac{x_1}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2}(2y + y_1) \in -T\left(\frac{x_1}{2}\right) + \overline{T(B_X(0, \frac{1}{2}))}.$$

Note that $-T(\frac{x_1}{2}) \in T(B_X(0,\frac{1}{2}))$. Therefore, $y \in \overline{T(B_X(0,1))}$. Since y is arbitrary with ||y|| < r, we have $B_Y(0,r) \subset \overline{T(B_X(0,1))}$.

(2) \Longrightarrow (3). Following the hint, we first show $\overline{T(B_X(0,1))} \subset T(B_X(0,3))$. By assumption, we have $B_Y(0,R) \subset \overline{T(B_X(0,1))}$ for some R > 0. It follows from homogeneity that for each $m \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$2^{-m}B_Y(0,R) = B_Y(0,2^{-m}R) \subset 2^{-m}\overline{T(B_X(0,1))} = \overline{T(B_X(0,2^{-m}))}.$$

Let $y \in \overline{T(B_X(0,1))}$ and pick $x_0 \in X$ with $\|x\| < 1$ such that $\|y - Tx\| < 2^{-1}R$. Now suppose we have chosen x_j for $0 \le j \le m$ such that $\|x_j\| < 2^{-j}$ and $y - \sum_{j=0}^m Tx_j \in B_Y(0, 2^{-m-1}R)$ for all $m \in \mathbb{N}$. By the inclusion above, we can pick $x_{m+1} \in X$ with $\|x_{m+1}\| < 2^{-m-1}$ such that

$$\left\| y - \sum_{j=0}^{m} Tx_j - Tx_{m+1} \right\| = \left\| y - \sum_{j=0}^{m+1} Tx_j \right\| < 2^{-m-2}R.$$

Therefore, $y - \sum_{j=0}^{m+1} Tx_j \in B_Y(0, 2^{-m-2})R$. This completes the inductive construction, and we have found a sequence $\{x_j\}$ such that $\|x_j\| < 2^{-j}$ and $y - \sum_{j=0}^m Tx_j \in B_Y(0, 2^{-m-1}R)$ for each $m \in \mathbb{N}$. Note that

$$\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} ||x_j|| \le \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{-j} = 2,$$

so $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} x_j$ converges absolutely. Since X is Banach, $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} x_j$ converges to some $x \in X$ with $||x|| \le 2$. Also, since $y - \sum_{j=0}^{m} Tx_j \in B_Y(0, 2^{-m-1}R)$, taking the limit where m approaches infinity we obtain

$$y = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} Tx_j = T\left(\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} x_j\right) = Tx.$$

Therefore, $y \in T(B_X(0,3))$ and thus $\overline{T(B_X(0,1))} \subset T(B_X(0,3))$.

Now for every $\varepsilon > 0$, we have $\frac{\varepsilon}{3}\overline{T(B_X(0,1))} \subset \frac{\varepsilon}{3}T(B_X(0,3)) = T(B_X(0,\varepsilon))$. By assumption, there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $B_Y(0,\delta) \subset \overline{T(B_X(0,1))}$. Therefore,

$$B_Y\left(0,\frac{\delta\varepsilon}{3}\right) = \frac{\varepsilon}{3}B_Y(0,\delta) \subset \frac{\varepsilon}{3}\overline{T(B_X(0,1))} \subset T(B_X(0,\varepsilon)).$$

(3) \Longrightarrow (4). Let $U \subset X$ be open and $y \in T(U)$. There exists $x \in U$ such that Tx = y. Since U is open, there exists $\varepsilon > 0$ such that $B_X(x,\varepsilon) \subset U$. By assumption, there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $B_Y(0,\delta) \subset T(B_X(0,\varepsilon))$. It follows that

$$B_Y(y,\delta) = y + B_Y(0,\delta) \subset Tx + T(B_X(0,\varepsilon)) = T(x + B_X(0,\varepsilon)) \subset T(U).$$

Therefore, T(U) is open and T is an open map.

(4) \Longrightarrow (5). Since T is an open map, $T(B_X(0,1))$ is open. Also, T(0)=0 so there exists r>0 such that $B_Y(0,r)\subset T(B_X(0,1))$. Now let $y\in Y$. Then, $\frac{r}{2\|y\|}y\in B_Y(0,r)$ and there exists $x\in B_X(0,1)$ such that $Tx=\frac{r}{2\|y\|}y$. It follows that

$$T\left(\frac{2\|y\|}{r}x\right) = y,$$

and since $x \in B_X(0,1)$,

$$\left\| \frac{2\|y\|}{r} x \right\| = \frac{2\|y\| \|x\|}{r} < \frac{2}{r} \|y\|.$$

Letting $C = \frac{2}{r}$ completes the proof.

(5) \implies (1). Since for each $y \in Y$ there exists $x \in X$ such that Tx = y, T is surjective.

Linear homeomorphisms, norm equivalence, and closed graphs

Theorem. Let X and Y be Banach spaces and suppose that $T \in \mathcal{L}(X,Y)$ is a bijection. Prove that $T^{-1} \in \mathcal{L}(Y,X)$, and in particular T is a linear (and thus bi-Lipschitz) homeomorphism.

Proof. Since $T \in \mathcal{L}(X,Y)$ is a bijection, T is a surjection. It follows that T is an open map. In particular, for any $U \subset X$ open, $T(U) = (T^{-1})^{-1}(U)$ is open. Therfore, T^{-1} is continuous and thus T is a linear homeomorphism.

Theorem. Let X be a vector space that is complete when equipped with both of the norms $\|\cdot\|_1$ and $\|\cdot\|_2$. Prove that if there exists a constant $C_1 > 0$ such that $\|x\|_2 \le C_1 \|x\|_1$ for all $x \in X$, then there exists a constant $C_0 > 0$ such that $C_0 \|x\|_1 \le \|x\|_2 \le C_1 \|x\|_1$ for all $x \in X$.

Proof. Let $T: X_1 \to X_2$, where X_1 and X_2 are X equipped with norms $\|\cdot\|_1$ and $\|\cdot\|_2$, respectively, be the identity map. Then for any $x \in X$ with $\|x\|_1 = 1$, we have

$$||Tx||_2 = ||x||_2 \le C_1 ||x||_1 = C_1.$$

Therefore, $T \in \mathcal{L}(X_1, X_2)$. T is also surjective. Therefore, there exists a constant $C \geq 0$ such that each $||x||_1 \leq C ||x||_2$. Hence, for each $x \in X$

$$\frac{1}{C} \|x\|_1 \le \|x\|_2 \le C_1 \|x\|_1.$$

Letting $C_0 = \frac{1}{C}$ completes the proof.

Theorem. Let X and Y be Banach spaces and let $T: X \to Y$ be linear (just the algebraic condition). Prove that the following are equivalent

- 1. T is continuous, i.e. $T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$.
- 2. The graph of T, $\Gamma(T) = \{(x, Tx) : x \in X\} \subset X \times Y$, is closed in $X \times Y$, where $X \times Y$ is endowed with any of the usual p-norms.

Proof. (a) \Longrightarrow (b). Let $\{(x_n, Tx_n)\}$ be a convergent sequence in $\Gamma(T)$. Since X is Banach, $x_n \to x$ for some $x \in X$. Since $T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$, we have

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} Tx_n = T\left(\lim_{n \to \infty} x_n\right) = Tx.$$

Therefore, $(x_n, Tx_n) \to (x, Tx) \in \Gamma(T)$, and thus $\Gamma(T)$ is closed.

(b) \Longrightarrow (a). Let $\pi_1: \Gamma(T) \to X$ and $\pi_2: \Gamma(T) \to Y$ by $\pi_1(x, Tx) = x$ and $\pi_2(x, Tx) = Tx$. Since $\Gamma(T)$ is a closed in Banach space Y, $\Gamma(T)$ is Banach space. It is clear that both π_1 and π_2 are bounded linear maps. Moreover, π_1 is a bijection. It follows that $S = \pi_1^{-1}$ is a bounded linear map. Therefore, $T = \pi_2 \circ S$ is a bounded linear map.

Linear injections with closed range

Theorem. Let X and Y be Banach spaces and $T \in \mathcal{L}(X,Y)$. Prove the following are equivalent.

- 1. T is injective and range(T) is closed.
- 2. $T: X \to \operatorname{range}(T)$ is a linear homeomorphism.
- 3. There exists $C \ge 0$ such that $||x||_X \le C ||Tx||_Y$ for all $x \in X$.

HINT: Prove that $(1) \implies (2) \implies (3) \implies (1)$.

Proof. (1) \Longrightarrow (2). If T is injective and range(T) is closed, then $\Gamma(T) = \{(x, Tx) : x \in X\}$ is closed in $X \times Y$. Therefore, $T : X \to \text{range}(T)$ is a bounded linear map. Since T is injective, this map is actually bijective from X to range(T). Therefore, T is a linear homeomorphism.

- (2) \Longrightarrow (3). Since T is a bijective bounded linear map, from X to range(T). There exists a contant $C \ge 0$ such that for each $y \in \text{range}(T)$ there exists a unique $x \in X$ such that Tx = y and $||x|| \le C ||y|| = C ||Tx||$. Since T is a bijection, $||x|| \le C ||Tx||$ for all $x \in X$.
- (3) \Longrightarrow (1). Let $x \in X$ be such that Tx = 0. It follows that $||x|| \le C ||Tx|| = 0$. Therefore, x = 0 and T is injective. To show that range(T) is closed, consider a convergent sequence $\{y_n\} \subset \text{range}(T)$ with $y_n = Tx_n$. Since for any $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ we have

$$||x_n - x_m|| \le C ||T(x_n - x_m)|| = C ||y_n - y_m||,$$

 $\{x_n\}$ is Cauchy. Since X is Banach, $x_n \to x$ for some $x \in X$. Therefore, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we have

$$||y_n - Tx|| = ||T(x_n - x)|| \le ||T|| ||x_n - x||,$$

and $y_n \to Tx$. Hence, range(T) is closed and the proof is complete.

Theorem. Let X and Y be Banach spaces over a common field. Then, the following subsets of $\mathcal{L}(X;Y)$ are open:

- 1. $\{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : T \text{ is surjective}\},\$
- 2. $\{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : T \text{ is injective with closed range}\},\$
- 3. $\mathcal{H}(X;Y) = \{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : T \text{ is a homeomorphism}\}.$

Proof. 1. Let $T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$ be surjective. By open mapping theorem, there is $\delta > 0$ such that $B_Y(0,\delta) \subset TB_X(0,1)$. By homogeneity we have $B_Y(0,r) \subset TB_X(0,\alpha r)$ for all r > 0 where $\alpha = \delta^{-1}$. Now let $S \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$ be such that $||T - S|| < \beta < (2\alpha)^{-1}$. Claim S is surjective.

Let $y \in Y$, inductively construct sequences $\{x_n\}$ and $\{y_n\}$. First let $y_0 = y$. Then, $||y_0|| \in B(0, 2 ||y_0||)$. Select $x_0 \in X$ be such that $Tx_0 = y_0$ and $||x_0|| \le 2\alpha ||y_0||$. Suppose we have selected y_i , x_i for $0 \le i \le n$. Set $y_{n+1} = y_n - Sx_n$ and select x_{n+1} be such that $Tx_{n+1} = y_{n+1}$ and $||x_{n+1}|| \le 2\alpha ||y_{n+1}||$. Then, we have

$$||y_{n+1}|| = ||Tx_n - Sx_n|| \le ||T - S|| \, ||x_n|| < 2\alpha\beta \, ||y_n||$$

and

$$||x_{n+1}|| = 2\alpha ||y_{n+1}|| \le 2\alpha ||T - S|| ||x_n|| < 2\alpha\beta ||x_n||.$$

Note that $2\alpha\beta < 1$ and X is Banach, define

$$x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x_n = \lim_{N \to \infty} \sum_{n=0}^{N} x_n.$$

Also note that $\lim_{n\to\infty} y_n = 0$. It follows that

$$Sx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Sx_n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (y_n - y_{n+1}) = y_0 - \lim_{n \to \infty} y_{n+1} = y.$$

Therefore S is surjective and the set of surjective bounded linear maps are open.

2. Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$ is injective with closed range. Then, closed range theorem gives C > 0 such that $||x|| \leq C ||Tx||$ for all $x \in X$. Now supose $S \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$ is such that $||T - S|| < (2C)^{-1}$. Claim that S is also injective with closed range. Indeed,

$$||x|| \le C ||Tx|| \le C ||Sx|| + C ||(T - S)x||$$

 $\le C ||Sx|| + \frac{1}{2} ||x||.$

This shows that $||x|| \le 2C ||Sx||$ for all $x \in X$. By closed range theorem, S is injective with closed range. This implies that the set of injective bounded linear operator with closed range is open.

3. This directly follows from

$$\mathcal{H}(X;Y) = \{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : T \text{ is surjective}\} \cap \{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : T \text{ is injective with closed range}\}.$$

Theorem. Let X and Y be Banach spaces over a common field. Then the following holds.

1. The sets

$$\mathcal{L}_R(X;Y) = \{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : \text{there exists } S \in \mathcal{L}(Y;X) \text{ such that } ST = I_X\}$$

and

$$\mathcal{L}_L(X;Y) = \{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : \text{there exists } S \in \mathcal{L}(Y;X) \text{ such that } TS = I_Y\}$$

are open.

2. The following inclusion holds:

$$\mathcal{L}_L(X;Y) \subset \{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : T \text{ is surjective}\}$$

and

$$\mathcal{L}_R(X;Y) \subset \{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : T \text{ is injective with closed range}\}.$$

3. The sets $\mathcal{L}_L(X;Y) \setminus \mathcal{L}_R(X;Y)$ and $\mathcal{L}_R(X;Y) \setminus \mathcal{L}_L(X;Y)$ are open.

Proof. 1. Let $T_0 \in \mathcal{L}_R$ and $S_0 \in \mathcal{L}(Y;X)$ be such that $T_0S_0 = I_Y$. Note that $I_X \in \mathcal{H}(X)$ and when $\|P\| < 1$ for $P \in \mathcal{L}(X)$, we have $I_X + P \in \mathcal{H}(X)$. Suppose now $T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$ and $\|T\| < \|S_0\|^{-1}$. It follows that $I_X + S_0T \in \mathcal{H}(X)$. For such T, we then have

$$T_0 + T = T_0(I_X + S_0T).$$

Also,

$$(T_0 + T)(I_X + S_0T)^{-1}S_0 = T_0(I_X + S_0T)(I_X + S_0T)^{-1}S_0 = T_0S_0 = I_Y.$$

Therefore, $T_0 + T \in \mathcal{L}_R$ for $T \in B(T_0, ||S_0||^{-1})$ and \mathcal{L}_R is open.

Now let $T_0 \in \mathcal{L}_L$ and $S_0 \in \mathcal{L}(Y;X)$ be such that $S_0T_0 = I_X$. Again, for $T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$ with $||T|| < ||S_0||^{-1}$, we have

$$T_0 + T = (I_X + TS_0)T_0.$$

and

$$S_0(I_X + TS_0)^{-1}(T_0 + T) = I_X.$$

Therefore, \mathcal{L}_R is also open.

2. Let $T \in \mathcal{L}_R$ and $S \in \mathcal{L}(Y;X)$ be such that $TS = I_Y$. Then for any $y \in Y$ let x = Sy. It follows that Tx = TSy = y. Also, $||x|| \le ||S|| \, ||y||$ so the 4th item in open mapping theorem guarantees that T is surjective. Hence, $\mathcal{L}_L \subset \{T \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y) : T \text{ is surjective}\}$.

Now let $T \in \mathcal{L}_L$ and $S \in \mathcal{L}(Y; X)$ such that $ST = I_X$. Now for any $x \in X$, we have $||x|| = ||STx|| \le ||S|| ||Tx||$. Then the closed range theorem guarantees that T is injective with closed range. Hence, $\mathcal{L}_R \subset \{T \in \mathcal{L}_R(X; Y) : T \text{ is injective with closed range}\}.$

3. *** TO-DO ***

1.3 Hahn-Banach theorem and duality

Theorem (Hahn-Banach theorem in \mathbb{R}). Let X be a real vector space and suppose $p: X \to \mathbb{R}$ is such that

$$p(tx + (1-t)y) \le tp(x) + (1-t)p(y)$$

for all $t \in [0,1]$ and $x, y \in X$.

Suppose Y subspace of X and $l: Y \to \mathbb{R}$ is a linear map such that $l \leq p$ on Y. Then there exists linear map $L: X \to \mathbb{R}$ such that $L \leq p$ on X and L = l on Y.

Proof. Let

$$P = \{(Z, \lambda) : Y \subset Z \subset X, \lambda \text{ linear functional on } Z, \lambda \leq p \text{ on } Z \text{ and } l = \lambda \text{ on } Y\}$$

Define partial order $(Z_1, \lambda_1) \leq (Z_2, \lambda_2)$ if and only if $Z_1 \subset Z_2$ and $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2$ on Z_1 . It is easy to verify that this is a partial order. Towards using Zorn's Lemma, let $C \subset P$ be a chain and define

$$U = \bigcup_{(Z,\lambda) \in C} Z, \qquad \Lambda = \bigcup_{(Z,\lambda) \in C} \lambda.$$

It is easy to verify that (U, Λ) is an upper bound for the chain. By Zorn's Lemma, P has a maximal element (M, L). It remains to show that M = X.

Suppose for contradiction that $M \neq X$. Pick $x_0 \in X \setminus M$. For any $x, y \in M$, we have

$$\begin{split} \beta L(x) + \alpha L(y) &= L(\beta x + \alpha y) \\ &= \frac{1}{\alpha + \beta} L\left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha + \beta} x + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \beta} y\right) \\ &\leq (\alpha + \beta) p\left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha + \beta} x + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \beta} y\right) \\ &= (\alpha + \beta) p\left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha + \beta} (x - \alpha x_0) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \beta} (y + \beta x_0)\right) \\ &\leq \beta p(x - \alpha x_0) + \alpha p(y + \beta x_0). \end{split}$$

This implies that

$$\sup_{\substack{x \in M \\ \alpha > 0}} \frac{1}{\alpha} \left[L(x) - p(x - \alpha x_0) \right] \le \inf_{\substack{y \in M \\ \beta > 0}} \frac{1}{\beta} \left[p(y + \beta x_0) - L(y) \right].$$

Note that $-p(-x_0) \le \text{LHS}$ and $\text{RHS} \le p(x_0)$, so $\text{LHS}, \text{RHS} < \infty$. Now pick $v \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $\text{LHS} \le v \le \text{RHS}$. For $x \in M$ and $0 < t \in \mathbb{R}$ we have

$$L(x) - tv < p(x - tv_0),$$
 $L(x) + tv < p(x + tv_0).$

Now define $\widehat{L}: M \oplus \mathbb{R}x_0 \to \mathbb{R}$ by $\widehat{L}(x + \alpha x_0) = L(x) + \alpha v$. It follows that $(M \oplus \mathbb{R}x_0, \widehat{L}) \in P$. However, $(M, L) \prec (M \oplus \mathbb{R}, \widehat{L})$, a contradiction. Therefore, M = X and the proof is complete.

Theorem (Hahn-Banach theorem in \mathbb{C}). Let X be complex vector space and suppose $p: X \to \mathbb{R}$ is such that

$$p(\alpha x + \beta y) \le |\alpha| p(x) + |\beta| p(y)$$

for all $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $|\alpha| + |\beta| = 1$ and $x, y \in X$.

Suppose Y subspace of X and $l: Y \to \mathbb{C}$ is a linear map such that $|l| \leq p$ on Y. Then there exsits linear map $L: X \to \mathbb{C}$ such that $|L| \leq p$ on X and L = l on Y.

Proof. Define $\lambda: Y \to \mathbb{R}$ by $\lambda(x) = \text{Re}(l(x))$. Note that

$$\lambda(ix) = \operatorname{Re}(il(x)) = -\operatorname{Im}(l(x)).$$

This implies that $l(x) = \lambda(x) - i\lambda(ix)$. Now treat X and Y as vector space over \mathbb{R} and apply Hahn-Banach theorem in \mathbb{R} to extend λ to $\Lambda: X \to \mathbb{R}$ that agrees with λ on Y.

Define $L: X \to \mathbb{C}$ by $L(x) = \Lambda(x) - i\Lambda(ix)$. It remains to show that $|L| \leq p$. For $x \in X$, write $L(x) = |L(x)| e^{i\theta}$ for some $\theta \in \mathbb{R}$. It follows that

$$\begin{split} |L(x)| &= L(x)e^{-i\theta} \\ &= \Lambda(e^{-i\theta}) - i\Lambda(ie^{-i\theta}x) \\ &= \Lambda(e^{-i\theta}x) \\ &\leq p(e^{-i\theta x}) \\ &\leq \left|e^{-i\theta}\right|p(x) \\ &= p(x), \end{split}$$

as desired.

Theorem (Hahn-Banach theorem for bounded linear functionals). Let X be a normed vector space over \mathbb{F} and Y a subspace of X. If $\lambda \in Y^*$ then there exists $\Lambda \in X^*$ such that $\Lambda = \lambda$ on Y and the operator norm $\|\lambda\|_{Y^*} = \|\Lambda\|_{X^*}$.

Proof. Consider $p: X \to \mathbb{R}$ where $p(x) = \|\lambda\|_{Y^*} \|x\|$. Apply Hahn-Banach theorem.

Next we show some useful implications of Hahn-Banach theorem.

Theorem. Let X be a normed vector space and fix $x \in X$. Then the following holds:

1. There exists $\lambda \in X^*$ such that $\|\lambda\| = \|x\|$ and

$$\lambda(x) = \|\lambda\| \|x\| = \|x\|^2$$
.

2. We have

$$||x|| = \max_{\substack{w \in X^* \\ ||w|| = 1}} |w(x)|.$$

3. x = 0 if and only if w(x) = 0 for all $w \in X^*$.

Proof. 1. Let $Y = \mathbb{F}x$ and define $\lambda \in Y^*$ by $\lambda(ax) = a \|x\|^2$. Apply Hahn-Banach theorem.

- 2. Suppose $x \neq 0$. Define $w = \frac{\lambda}{\|x\|}$ then it follows that $|w(x)| = \|x\|$.
- 3. Follows directly from (2).

Proposition. Let X be normed vector space. Then the mapping $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : X^* \times X \to \mathbb{F}$ by $(w, x) \mapsto w(x)$ is a bilinear map. That is, $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle \in \mathcal{L}(X^*, X; \mathbb{F})$. Moreover, if $X \neq \{0\}$, then $\|\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle\| = 1$.

Proof. It is easy to see that $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ is bilinear. For boundedness,

$$|\langle w, x \rangle| = |w(x)| \le ||w|| \, ||x||.$$

Hence, $\|\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle\| \leq 1$. Meanwhile, pick some $x \in X$ with $\|x\| = 1$. It follows that

$$1 = ||x|| = \max_{\substack{w \in X^* \\ ||w|| = 1}} |w(x)| \le ||\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle||.$$

Therefore, $\|\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle\| = 1$.

Definition (Norming set). Let X be normed vector space and $E \subset X$, $W \subset X^*$. Say W is a **norming** set for E if

$$||x|| = \sup_{\substack{w \in W \\ ||w|| = 1}} |\langle w, x \rangle|$$

for all $x \in E$.

Proposition. Let X be normed vector space and $S \subset X$ be a separable set. Let W be a norming set for S. Then, there exists $\{w_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset W$ such that $||w_n|| = 1$, and the sequence is norming for S. That is,

$$||x|| = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} |\langle w_n, x \rangle|.$$

Proof. Let $\{v_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset S$ be dense. For any $n, k \in \mathbb{N}$, choose $w_{n,k} \in W$ with $||w_{n,k}|| = 1$ such that

$$(1-2^{-k})\|v_n\| \le |w_{n,k},v_n|$$
.

Let $x \in S$ and $0 < \varepsilon < 1$ be arbitrary. Pick $v_n \in S$ such that $||v_n - x|| < \varepsilon$ and pick $j \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $2^{-j} < \varepsilon$. Then,

$$(1 - \varepsilon) ||x|| \le (1 - 2^{-j}) ||x||$$

$$\le (1 - 2^{-j}) ||v_n|| + (1 - 2^{-j}) ||v_n - x||$$

$$\le |\langle w_{n,j}, v_j \rangle| + \varepsilon$$

$$\le |\langle w_{n,j}, x \rangle| + |\langle w_{n,j}, x - v_n \rangle| + \varepsilon$$

$$\le |\langle w_{n,j}, x \rangle| + 2\varepsilon.$$

This shows that $\{w_{n,k}\}_{n,k=0}^{\infty}$ is a norming sequence.

Theorem. Let X be normed vector space and define $J: X \to X^{**}$ by $\langle Jx, w \rangle = \langle w, x \rangle = w(x)$. Then the following holds:

- 1. $J \in \mathcal{L}(X, X^{**})$.
- $2. \ J$ is an isometric embedding. In particular, it is injective.
- 3. range(J) $\subset X^{**}$ is a norming set for X^* .
- 4. X is Banach if and only if range(J) is closed.

Proof. Note that we have

$$\begin{split} \|Jx\|_{X^{**}} &= \sup \left\{ |\langle Jx, w \rangle| : w \in X^* \text{ and } \|w\| \leq 1 \right\} \\ &= \sup \left\{ |\langle w, x \rangle| : w \in X^* \text{ and } \|w\| \leq 1 \right\} \\ &= \|x\| \,, \end{split}$$

where the last step is by a previous theorem that shows the existence of $w \in X^*$ such that ||w|| = 1 and |w(x)| = ||x||. This implies (1) and (2). Now we know X is isometrically isomorphic to range(J) $\subset X^{**}$. Therefore, X is Banach if and only if range(J) is Banach. However, $X^{**} = \mathcal{L}(X^*, \mathbb{F})$ is Banach, so range(J) is Banach if and only if range(J) is closed. This implies (4).

To show (3), note that we have

$$\begin{split} \|w\|_{X^*} &= \sup \left\{ |\langle w, x \rangle| : x \in X \text{ and } \|x\| \leq 1 \right\} \\ &= \sup \left\{ |\langle Jx, w \rangle| : x \in X \text{ and } \|x\| \leq 1 \right\} \\ &= \sup \left\{ |\langle v, w \rangle| : v \in \operatorname{range}(J) \text{ and } \|v\|_{X^{**}} \leq 1 \right\}. \end{split}$$

This shows (3), completing the proof.

2 Differential Calculus

2.1 Inverse and implicit function theorem

Theorem (Local injectivity theorem). Let X and Y be Banach spaces, $z \in U \subset X$ with U open. Let $f: U \to Y$ differentiable with Df continuous at z. Suppose $Df(z) \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$ injective with closed range. Then for any $0 < \varepsilon < 1$, there exists r > 0 such that

- 1. $B[z,r] \subset U$.
- 2. Df(x) injective with closed range for all $x \in B[z, r]$.
- 3. If $x, y \in B(z, r)$, then

$$(1-\varepsilon) \|Df(z)(x-y)\| \le \|f(x)-f(y)\| \le (1+\varepsilon) \|Df(z)(x-y)\|.$$

4. The restriction $f: B(z,r) \to f(B(z,r))$ is bi-Lipschitz homeomorphism.

Proof. Since Df(z) injective with closed range, there exists $\theta > 0$ such that

$$\theta \|h\| \le \|Df(z)h\|$$

for all $h \in X$. Since the set of bounded linear operator that is injective with closed range is open, there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $||Df(z) - T|| < \delta$ implies T is injective with closed range.

Now let $0 < \varepsilon < 1$. Note that Df is continuous at z, so we can select r > 0 so small that $B[z, r] \subset U$, and $x \in B[z, r]$ implies

$$||Df(x) - Df(z)|| < \min \{\delta, \theta \varepsilon\}.$$

In particular, Df(x) is injective with closed range for all $x \in B[z, r]$. By the mean value theorem, for any $x, y \in B(x, r)$

$$||f(x) - f(y) - Df(z)(x - y)|| \le \sup_{w \in B(z,r)} ||Df(w) - Df(z)|| ||x - y||$$

$$\le \theta \varepsilon ||x - y||$$

$$< \varepsilon ||Df(z)(x - y)||.$$

It follows that

$$(1-\varepsilon) \|Df(z)(x-y)\| \le \|f(x) - f(y)\| \le (1+\varepsilon) \|Df(z)(x-y)\|,$$

as desired.

This also implies that

$$(1 - \varepsilon)\theta \|x - y\| \le \|f(x) - f(y)\| \le (1 + \varepsilon) \|Df(z)\| \|x - y\|,$$

so the restriction of f on B(z,r) is a bi-Lipschitz homeomorphism.

Theorem (Local surjectivity theorem). Let X and Y be Banach spaces, $z \in U \subset X$ with U open. Let $f: U \to Y$ differentiable with Df continuous at z. Suppose $Df(z) \in \mathcal{L}(X;Y)$ surjective. Then there exists $r_0, \gamma > 0$ such that

- 1. $B_X[z,r_0] \subset U$.
- 2. Df(x) surjective for all $x \in B_X[z, r_0]$.
- 3. $B_Y[f(z), \gamma r] \subset f(B_X[z, r])$ for all $0 \le r \le r_0$.

Proof. *** TO-DO ***

Definition (diffeomorphism). Let X and Y be normed vector spaces and suppose that $\emptyset \neq U \subset X$ is open. Let $f: U \to Y$. For $k \geq 1$, say f is a C^k diffeomorphism if

- 1. $f: U \to f(U)$ homeomorphism with $f(U) \subset Y$ open.
- 2. $f \in C^k(U;Y)$.
- 3. $f^{-1} \in C^k(f(U); X)$.

If f is a C^k diffeomorphism for all $k \ge 1$, say f is a smooth diffeomorphism.

Theorem (Inverse function theorem). Let X and Y be Banach spaces, $U \subset X$ open and $x_0 \in U$. Suppose $f: U \to Y$ differentiable, Df continuous at x_0 , $Df(x_0)$ linear homeomorphism. Then there exists bounded and open $V \subset U$ with $x_0 \in V$ such that

1. $f: V \to f(V)$ is bi-Lipschitz homeomorphism, Df(x) linear homeomorphism for all $x \in V$, $f(V) \subset Y$ bounded and open, $f^{-1}: f(V) \to V$ differentiable with

$$Df^{-1}(y) = [Df(f^{-1}(y))]^{-1}$$

for all $y \in f(V)$ and Df^{-1} is continuous at $f(x_0)$. Also, there exists C_0 , $C_1 > 0$ such that

$$C_0 \le ||Df(x)|| \le C_1$$

for all $x \in V$, and

$$\frac{1}{C_1} \le ||Df^{-1}(y)|| \le \frac{1}{C_0}$$

for all $y \in f(V)$.

- 2. If $f \in C^k(U;Y)$ for some $1 \le k \le \infty$, then $f^{-1} \in C^k(f(V);X)$. In particular, f is a local C^k diffeomorphism at x_0 .
- 3. If $f \in C^k(U;Y)$ for $1 \le k \in \mathbb{N}$, then there exists open $V_k \subset V$ such that $x_0 \in V_k$, $f \in C_b^k(V_k;Y)$ and $f^{-1} \in C_b^k(f(V_k);X)$.

Theorem (Implicit function theorem). Let X and Y be Banach spaces, $U \subset X \times Y$ be open with $(x_0, y_0) \in U$, and suppose $f: U \to Z$ is differentiable in U with Df continuous at (x_0, y_0) . Further suppose $z_0 = f(x_0, y_0)$ and $D_2 f(x_0, y_0) \in \mathcal{L}(Y; Z)$ is an isomorphism. Then there exists open sets $x_0 \in V \subset X$, $z_0 \in W \subset Z$, $y_0 \in S \subset Y$, and $g \in C_b^{0,1}(V \times W; Y)$ such that the following holds:

- 1. $g(x_0, z_0) = y_0$ and $(x, g(x, z)) \in V \times S \subset U$ for all $(x, z) \in V \times W$. Also, g is differentiable on $V \times W$ and Dg continuous at (x_0, z_0) .
- 2. f(x, g(x, z)) = z for all $(x, z) \in V \times W$. Moreover, if $(x, y) \in V \times S$ such that f(x, y) = z for some $z \in W$, then y = g(x, z).
- 3. $D_2 f(x, g(x, z))$ is an isomorphism for all $(x, z) \in V \times W$, and

$$D_1 g(x,z) = -\left[D_2 f(x, g(x,z))\right]^{-1} D_1 f(x, g(x,z)),$$

$$D_2 g(x,z) = \left[D_2 f(x, g(x,z))\right]^{-1}.$$

4. If $f \in C^k$ then $g \in C^k$ too for $1 \le k \le \infty$. If k finite and $f \in C_b^k$ then the sets can be picked such that $g \in C_b^k$.

3 Measure and integration

3.1 Introduction to abstrct measure theory

3.1.1 Basic definitions

Definition. Let X be a set.

- 1. An **algebra** on X is $\mathfrak{A} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ such that
 - (a) $\emptyset \in \mathfrak{A}$.
 - (b) $E \in \mathfrak{A}$ implies $E^c \in \mathfrak{A}$.
 - (c) $E, F \in \mathfrak{A}$ implies $E \cup F \in \mathfrak{A}$.
- 2. A σ -algebra is an algebra $\mathfrak{M} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ such that if $E_k \in \mathfrak{M}$ for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$, then $\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} E_k \in \mathfrak{M}$.
- 3. A pair (X,\mathfrak{M}) with \mathfrak{M} a σ -algebra on X is called a **measurable space**.

Theorem. Let X be a set.

- 1. Suppose $A \neq \emptyset$ is a set and \mathfrak{M}_{α} is σ -algebra for each $\alpha \in A$, then $\mathfrak{M} = \bigcap_{\alpha \in A} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$ is a σ -algebra on X.
- 2. Suppose $F \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$, there is unique smallest σ -algebra \mathfrak{M} on X such that $F \subset \mathfrak{M}$. Write $\mathfrak{M} = \sigma(F)$ and call this the σ -algebra generated by F.

Theorem. Let X and Y be sets and $f: X \to Y$.

1. Suppose \mathfrak{M} is a σ -algebra on X and set

$$\mathfrak{N} = \left\{ E \subset Y : f^{-1}(E) \in \mathfrak{M} \right\}.$$

Then, \mathfrak{N} is a σ -algebra on Y. Call this the **push-forward** of \mathfrak{M} by f.

2. Suppose $\mathfrak N$ is a σ -algebra on Y and set

$$\mathfrak{M} = \{ f^{-1}(E) : E \in \mathfrak{N} \} .$$

Then, \mathfrak{M} is a σ -algebra on X. Call this the **pull-back** of \mathfrak{N} by f.

Definition. Let $A \neq \emptyset$ be a set.

1. Let Y be a set and X_{α} be sets with σ -algebra \mathfrak{M}_{α} for all $\alpha \in A$. Suppose $g_{\alpha}: X_{\alpha} \to Y$ for all $\alpha \in A$. Define

$$\sigma\left(\left\{E\subset Y:g_\alpha^{-1}(E)\in\mathfrak{M}_\alpha\text{ for all }\alpha\in A\right\}\right)$$

to be the **push-forward** of $\{g_{\alpha}\}_{{\alpha}\in A}$.

2. Let X be a set and Y_{α} be sets with σ -algebra \mathfrak{N}_{α} for all $\alpha \in A$. Suppose $f_{\alpha}: X \to Y_{\alpha}$ for all $\alpha \in A$. Define

$$\sigma\left(\left\{f_{\alpha}^{-1}(E): E\in\mathfrak{N}_{\alpha} \text{ for some } \alpha\in A\right\}\right)$$

to be the **pull-back** of $\{f_{\alpha}\}_{{\alpha}\in A}$.

Definition. Let $A \neq \emptyset$ be a set and X_{α} be sets with σ -algebra \mathfrak{M}_{α} for all $\alpha \in A$. Then on the set $X = \prod_{\alpha} X_{\alpha}$ we define the **product** σ -algebra $\bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$ to be the pull-back of projection maps $\pi_{\alpha} : X \to X_{\alpha}$.

Theorem. Let $A \neq \emptyset$ be a set and X_{α} with σ -algebra \mathfrak{M}_{α} for all $\alpha \in A$. Let $X = \prod_{\alpha} X_{\alpha}$ and define

$$\mathcal{R} = \left\{ \prod_{\alpha} M_{\alpha} : M_{\alpha} \in \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha} \right\}.$$

Then,

1. $\bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha} \subset \sigma(\mathcal{R})$. If A countable then $\sigma(\mathcal{R}) = \bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$.

2. Suppose $\mathfrak{M}_{\alpha} = \sigma(\mathcal{E}_{\alpha})$ for all $\alpha \in A$ and let

$$\mathcal{E} = \{\pi_{\alpha}^{-1}(E) : E \in \mathcal{E}_{\alpha} \text{ for some } \mathcal{E}_{\alpha}\}.$$

Then $\bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha} = \sigma(\mathcal{E})$. Moreover, if A is countable and $X_{\alpha} \in \mathcal{E}_{\alpha}$ for all $\alpha \in A$, then $\bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$ is generated by $\mathcal{F} = \{\prod_{\alpha} E_{\alpha} : E_{\alpha} \in \mathcal{E}_{\alpha}\}$

Proof. 1. For $E \in \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$, we have $\pi_{\alpha}^{-1}(E) = \prod_{\beta} S_{\beta}$, where

$$S_{\beta} = \begin{cases} E & (\beta = \alpha), \\ X_{\beta} & (\beta \neq \alpha). \end{cases}$$

Then,

$$\left\{\pi_{\alpha}^{-1}(M_{\alpha}): M_{\alpha} \in \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}\right\} \subset \left\{\prod_{\beta} M_{\beta}: M_{\beta} \in \mathfrak{M}_{\beta}\right\} = \mathcal{R}.$$

This implies that $\bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha} \subset \sigma(\mathcal{R})$.

On the other hand, if A is countable, then

$$\prod_{\alpha} M_{\alpha} = \bigcap_{\alpha} \pi_{\alpha}^{-1}(M_{\alpha}) \in \bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$$

whenever $M_{\alpha} \in \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$ for all $\alpha \in A$. This implies that $\sigma(\mathcal{R}) \subset \bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$.

2. It is clear that $\sigma(\mathcal{E}) \subset \bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$. On the other hand, for each $\alpha \in A$, let

$$\mathfrak{N}_{\alpha} = \left\{ E \subset X_{\alpha} : \pi_{\alpha}^{-1}(E) \in \sigma(\mathcal{E}) \right\}$$

be the push-forward of $\sigma(\mathcal{E})$ to X_{α} by π_{α} . It is clear that $\mathcal{E}_{\alpha} \subset \mathfrak{N}_{\alpha}$. This implies $\mathfrak{M}_{\alpha} = \sigma(\mathcal{E}) \subset \mathfrak{N}_{\alpha}$. In particular, $\pi_{\alpha}^{-1}(E) \in \sigma(\mathcal{E})$ for all $E \in \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$. This implies that $\bigoplus_{\alpha} \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha} \subset \sigma(\mathcal{E})$.

Now, assume A countable and $X_{\alpha} \in \mathcal{E}_{\alpha}$ for all $\alpha \in A$. Then let $E \in \mathfrak{M}_{\alpha}$ for some $\alpha \in A$. We have $\pi_{\alpha}^{-1}(E) = \prod_{\beta} S_{\beta}$, where

$$S_{\beta} = \begin{cases} E & (\beta = \alpha), \\ X_{\beta} & (\beta \neq \alpha). \end{cases}$$

Therefore, $\sigma(\mathcal{E}) \subset \sigma(\mathcal{F})$.

On the other hand, since A is countable, we have

$$\prod_{\alpha} E_{\alpha} = \bigcap_{\alpha} \pi_{\alpha}^{-1}(E_{\alpha}) \in \sigma(\mathcal{E}).$$

This implies that $\sigma(\mathcal{F}) \subset \sigma(\mathcal{E})$ and the proof is complete.

Corollary. If \mathfrak{M}_i is σ -algebra for i = 1, 2, 3, then

$$\mathfrak{M}_1 \oplus (\mathfrak{M}_2 \oplus \mathfrak{M}_3) = (\mathfrak{M}_1 \oplus \mathfrak{M}_2) \oplus \mathfrak{M}_3 = \mathfrak{M}_1 \oplus \mathfrak{M}_2 \oplus \mathfrak{M}_3,$$

since they are all generated by

$$\{M_1 \times (M_2 \times M_3)\} = \{(M_1 \times M_2) \times M_3\} = \{M_1 \times M_2 \times M_3\}.$$

Theorem. Let X_1, \ldots, X_n be metric spaces and $X = \prod_{i=1}^n X_i$ be equipped with the ususal metric. Then, $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathfrak{B}_{X_i} \subset \mathfrak{B}_X$. However, if each X_i is separable, then $\mathfrak{B}_X = \bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathfrak{B}_{X_i}$.

Proof. We know by the previous theorem that $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathfrak{B}_{X_i}$ is generated by $\{\prod_i U_i : U_i \subset X_i \text{ open}\}$. However, $\prod_i U_i$ is open in X. Therefore, $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathfrak{B}_{X_i} \subset \mathfrak{B}_X$.

Suppose now each X_i is separable and let $D_i \subset X_i$ be countable and dense. Consider

$$\mathcal{E}_i = \{ B(x_i, r) : X_i \in D_i, r = \infty \text{ or } r \in \mathbb{Q}^+ \},$$

which is countable and $\sigma(\mathcal{E}_i) = \mathfrak{B}_{X_i}$ since every open set in X_i is countable union of elements in \mathcal{E}_i . Similarly, \mathfrak{B}_X is generated by $\{\prod_i E_i : E_i \in \mathcal{E}_i\}$. But item 2 from the previous theorem implies that $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathfrak{B}_{X_i}$ is generated by the same set. Therefore, $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathfrak{B}_{X_i} = \mathfrak{B}_X$.

Remark. The above theorem is not true in general if X_i is not separable for some i.

Definition. Let X be a metric space. Define

$$F_{\sigma}(X) = \left\{ \bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} C_k : C_k \subset X \text{ closed} \right\},$$

$$G_{\delta}(X) = \left\{ \bigcap_{k=0}^{\infty} U_k : U_k \subset X \text{ open} \right\}.$$

Note that $F_{\sigma}(X) \subset \mathfrak{B}_X$ and $G_{\delta}(X) \subset \mathfrak{B}_X$.

Theorem. Let X be a metric space. Then the following holds:

- 1. F_{σ} and G_{δ} are both closed under finite union and intersection.
- 2. If $C \subset X$ is closed, then $C \in G_{\delta}$. If $U \subset X$ is open, then $U \in F_{\sigma}$.
- 3. Suppose X is σ -compact, that is, $X = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} K_n$ for $K_n \subset X$ compact, then each $F \in F_{\sigma}$ is also σ -compact. In particular, all open sets are σ -compact.

Theorem. Let X and Y be metric spaces and $f: X \to Y$ be continuous. Then the following holds:

- 1. $E \in F_{\sigma}(Y)$ implies that $f^{-1}(E) \in F_{\sigma}(X)$, and $E \in G_{\delta}(Y)$ implies that $f^{-1}(E) \in G_{\delta}(X)$.
- 2. If $E \in \mathfrak{B}(Y)$, then $f^{-1}(E) \in \mathfrak{B}(X)$.

Theorem. Let X and Y be metric spaces with X σ -compact. Then,

- 1. If $E \in F_{\sigma}(X)$ and $f: E \to Y$ is continuous, then $f(E) \in F_{\sigma}(Y)$ and σ -compact.
- 2. If $f: X \to Y$ is a continuous injection, then $E \in \mathfrak{B}(X)$ implies $f(E) \in \mathfrak{B}(Y)$.

Corollary. Let $\emptyset \neq X \subset Y$ for Y a metric space. Then $\mathfrak{B}(X) = \mathfrak{B}(Y)_X := \{X \cap E : E \in \mathfrak{B}(Y)\}.$

Proof. We know $V \subset X$ open if and only if $V = X \cap U$ for some U open in Y. Therefore,

$${V \subset X : V \text{ open in } X} \subset \mathfrak{B}(Y)_X.$$

This implies that $\mathfrak{B}(X) \subset \mathfrak{B}(Y)_X$.

On the other hand, the inclusion map $I: X \to Y$ is a continuous injection, so if $E \in \mathfrak{B}(Y)$, then $I^{-1}(E) \in \mathfrak{B}(X)$. However, $I^{-1}(E) = E \cap X$. Therefore, $\mathfrak{B}(Y)_X \subset \mathfrak{B}(X)$.

3.1.2 Measures

Definition (Measure). Let X be a set with \mathfrak{M} a σ -algebra on X. A **measure** is a map $\mu:\mathfrak{N}\to[0,\infty]$ such that

- 1. $\mu(\emptyset) = 0$.
- 2. If $\{E_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathfrak{M}$ pairwise disjoint, then $\mu(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} E_k) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \mu(E_k)$.

Such a triple (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) is a **measure space**.

Definition. We say (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) is **finite** if $\mu(X) < \infty$. We say (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) is σ -finite if $X = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} X_n$ for $X_n \in \mathfrak{M}$ and $\mu(X_n) < \infty$.

Theorem. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space. Then the following holds:

- 1. If E and F is measurable and $E \subset F$, then $\mu(E) \leq \mu(F)$.
- 2. If $E_k \in \mathfrak{M}$ for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$, then $\mu(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} E_k) \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \mu(E_k)$.

3.1.3 Outer measures and Carathéodory construction

Definition (Outer measure). Let X be a set. An **outer measure** is a map $\mu^* : \mathcal{P}(X) \to [0, \infty]$ such that

- 1. $\mu^*(\emptyset) = 0$.
- 2. $E \subset F$ implies $\mu^*(E) \leq \mu^*(F)$.
- 3. If $E_k \subset X$ for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$, then $\mu^* \left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} E_k \right) \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \mu^*(E_k)$.

Proposition. Let $\mu_{\alpha}^* : \mathcal{P}(X) \to [0, \infty]$ be an outer measure for all $\alpha \in A \neq \emptyset$. Then $\lambda : \mathcal{P}(X) \to [0, \infty]$ defined by $\lambda(E) = \sup_{\alpha \in A} \mu_{\alpha}^*(E)$ is an outer measure.

Proof. 1. $\mu_{\alpha}^*(\emptyset) = 0$ for all $\alpha \in A$ implies that $\lambda(\emptyset) = 0$.

- 2. Suppose $E \subset F$, then $\mu_{\alpha}^*(E) \leq \mu_{\alpha}^*(F) \leq \lambda(F)$ for all $\alpha \in A$. Take the sup and we obtain $\lambda(E) \leq \lambda(F)$.
- 3. Let $E_k \subset X$ for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Then,

$$\mu_{\alpha}^* \left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} E_k \right) \le \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \mu_{\alpha}^*(E_k) \le \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \lambda(E_k)$$

This implies that $\lambda(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} E_k) \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \lambda(E_k)$.

Definition. Let X be a set with outer measure μ^* . Say a set $E \subset X$ is measurable with respect to μ^* if

$$\mu^*(A) = \mu^*(A \cap E) + \mu^*(A \cap E^c)$$

for all $A \subset X$.

Theorem (Carathéodory construction). Let X be a set with outer measure μ^* , the following holds.

- 1. The collection $\mathfrak{M} = \{E \subset X : E \text{ measurable}\}\$ is a σ -algebra.
- 2. If $E \subset X$ is such that $\mu^*(E) = 0$, then $E \in \mathfrak{M}$.
- 3. The restriction $\mu = \mu^*|_{\mathfrak{M}}$ is a measure, and (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) is a complete measure space.

Definition (Cover regular). Let μ^* be an outer measure on X. Say μ^* is cover-regular if for any $A \subset X$, there exists $E \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that $A \subset E$ and $\mu^*(A) = \mu(E)$.

Proposition. Let μ^* be an outer measure on X. Then μ^* is outer-regular if and only if for any $A \subset X$, $\mu^*(A) = \inf \{ \mu(E) : A \subset E \in \mathfrak{M} \}$. In either case, the inf is a min.

Proposition. Let X be a set with cover-regular outer measure μ^* . Suppose for $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have $A_n \subset A_{n+1}$. Then,

$$\mu^* \left(\bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n \right) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \mu^*(A_n).$$

Proof. First note that $\mu^*(A_n) \leq \mu^*(A_{n+1}) \leq \mu^*(A)$, where $A = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n$. Therefore,

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \mu^*(A_n) \le \mu^*(A).$$

On the other hand, by cover regularity, there exists $A_n \subset E_n \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that $\mu^*(A_n) = \mu(E_n)$. In particular, $\lim_{n\to\infty} \mu^*(A_n) = \lim_{n\to\infty} \mu(E_n)$. Then,

$$A = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} \bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k \subset \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} \bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} E_k \in \mathfrak{M},$$

and

$$\mu^*(A) \le \mu\left(\bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} \bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} E_k\right) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \mu\left(\bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} E_k\right) \le \lim_{n \to \infty} \mu(E_n) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \mu(A_n),$$

where we have used monotone continuity of **measure**. Therefore, $\lim_{n\to\infty} \mu^*(A_n) = \mu^*(\bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n)$.

3.1.4 Constructing outer measures

Definition. Let X be a set. A gauge on X is a pair (\mathcal{E}, γ) where $\mathcal{E} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ is such that $\emptyset \in \mathcal{E}$ and $\gamma : \mathcal{E} \to [0, \infty]$ is such that $\gamma(\emptyset) = 0$.

Theorem. Let X be a set and (\mathcal{E}, γ) be a gauge on X. Define $\mu^* : \mathcal{P}(X) \to [0, \infty]$ via

$$\mu^*(E) = \inf \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \gamma(E_n) : E \subset \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} E_n \text{ and } \{E_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathcal{E} \right\}.$$

Then μ^* is an outer measure on X and hence generates (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) , a complete measure space thorugh Carathéodory construction.

Theorem. Let (X, d) be a metric space with gauge (\mathcal{E}, γ) and outer measures $\mu_{\delta}^* : \mathcal{P}(X) \to [0, \infty]$ produced by $(\mathcal{E}_{\delta}, \gamma_{\delta})$ for $\delta > 0$. Define $\mu_{d}^* : \mathcal{P}(X) \to [0, \infty]$ by

$$\mu_d^*(A) = \sup_{\delta > 0} \mu_d^*(A).$$

Then μ_d^* is a metric outer measure. Moreover, $\mu_d^*(A) = \lim_{\delta \to 0} \mu_\delta^*(A)$ for $A \subset X$.

Definition. We call μ_d^* the metric outer measure generated by (\mathcal{E}, γ) .

Lemma. Let X be a set with gauge (\mathcal{E}, γ) that covers X. Let $A \subset X$, then the following holds:

- 1. Let μ^* be the outer measure generated by (\mathcal{E}, γ) . Then there exists collection $\{E_{m,n}\}_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathcal{E}$ such that $E = \bigcap_{m=0}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} E_{m,n}$ such that $A \subset E$ and $\mu^*(A) = \mu^*(E)$.
- 2. Suppose (X,d) is metric space and the gauge is fine. Let μ_d^* be the metric outer measure. Then there exists collection $\{E_{m,n}\}_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathcal{E}$ such that $E = \bigcap_{m=0}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} E_{m,n}$ such that $A \subset E$ and $\mu^*(A) = \mu^*(E)$.

Proof. The proof for (1) is very similar to the proof for (2), so we only show (2) as follows. Since the gauge is fine, $(\mathcal{E}_{\delta}, \gamma_{\delta})$ covers X for all $\delta > 0$. Then, for any $m \in \mathbb{N}$, there exists $\{E_{m,n}\}_n \subset \mathcal{E}_{2^{-m}}$ such that $A \subset \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} E_{m,n}$ and $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \gamma(E_{m,n}) \leq \mu_{2^{-m}}^*(A) + 2^{-m}$. Now let $E = \bigcap_{m=0}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} E_{m,n}$. Note that $A \subset E$ and for any $m \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\mu_{2^{-m}}^*(E) \le \mu_{2^{-m}}^* \left(\bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} E_{m,n} \right) \le \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \gamma(E_{m,n}) \le \mu_{2^{-m}}^*(A) + 2^{-m}.$$

Taking the limit as $m \to \infty$, we have

$$\mu_d^*(E) \le \mu_d^*(A) \le \mu_d^*(E),$$

as desired.

Theorem. Let (X,d) be metric space with (\mathcal{E},γ) such that all sets in \mathcal{E} are open. Assume that μ^* is a metric outer measure on X such that either

- 1. μ^* is generated by (\mathcal{E}, γ) , or
- 2. $\mu^* = \mu_d^*$ is generated by $(\mathcal{E}_{\delta}, \gamma_{\delta})$.

Further suppose that $X = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n$ where $A_n \subset X$ is such that $\mu^*(A_n) < \infty$. Then the following holds:

- 1. The gauge covers X in case 1 and is fine in case 2.
- 2. In both cases, μ^* is cover-regular. More precisely, for each $A \subset X$, there is $G \in G_{\delta}(X) \subset \mathfrak{B}(X) \subset \mathfrak{M}$ such that $A \subset G$ and $\mu^*(A) = \mu^*(G)$.
- 3. In both cases, the following are equivalent for $E \subset X$:
 - (a) $E \in \mathfrak{M}$, i.e. E is measurable.
 - (b) there exists $G \in G_{\delta}(X)$ such that $E \subset G$ and $\mu^*(G \setminus E) = 0$.
 - (c) there exists $F \in F_{\sigma}(X)$ such that $F \subset E$ and $\mu^*(E \setminus F) = 0$.

Proof. Step 0: proof for (1) and (2).

We know $X = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n$ for some $\mu^*(A_n) < \infty$. For case (1), we can pick $\{E_{n,m}\} \subset \mathcal{E}$ such that $A_n \subset \bigcup_{m=0}^{\infty} E_{n,m}$. Then $X = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n = \bigcup_{n,m} E_{n,m}$. Therefore, \mathcal{E} covers X. For case (2), note that $\mu_d^*(A_n) < \infty$ and $\mu_d^*(A_n) \ge \mu_\delta^*(A_n)$ for each $\delta > 0$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then for each $\delta > 0$, there exists $\{E_{n,m}\} \subset \mathcal{E}_\delta$ such that $A_n \subset \bigcup_{m=0}^{\infty} E_{n,m}$. It follows that $X = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n = \bigcup_{n,m} E_{n,m}$. Therefore, (\mathcal{E}, γ) is fine

We have the following observations:

- 1. μ^* is a metric outer measure. This implies that $\mathfrak{B}(X) \subset \mathfrak{M}$.
- 2. $G_{\delta}(X) \cup F_{\sigma}(X) \subset \mathfrak{B}(X) \subset \mathfrak{M}$ and $\mu^*(A) = 0$ implies $A \in \mathfrak{M}$.
- 3. By previous lemma and all sets in \mathcal{E} are open, we know for each $A \subset X$ there is $E \in G_{\delta}(X)$ such that $A \subset E$ and $\mu^*(A) = \mu^*(E)$. In particular, μ^* is cover regular.

Step 1: starting on (3).

For (b) \implies (a), suppose (b) holds for $E \subset X$. Then $E = G \setminus (G \setminus E) \in \mathfrak{M}$ since $\mu^*(G \setminus E) = 0$.

For (c) \implies (a), suppose (c) holds for $E \subset X$. Then $E = F \cup (E \setminus F) \in \mathfrak{M}$ since $\mu^*(E \setminus F) = 0$.

Next we show "(a) \Longrightarrow (c)" implies "(a) \Longrightarrow (b)". Suppose $E \in \mathfrak{M}$, then $E^c \in \mathfrak{M}$. By (a) \Longrightarrow (b) we know there exists $F \in F_{\sigma}$ such that $F \subset E^c$ and $\mu^*(E^c \setminus F) = 0$. Let $G = F^c \in G_{\delta}$ then $E \subset G$ and $G \subset E = E^c \subset F$.

Therefore, it remains to show (a) \implies (c) to complete the proof for the theorem.

Step 2: reduction for (a) \implies (c).

Claim it suffices to show it for E such that $\mu^*(E) < \infty$. Suppose we did this and $\mu^*(E) = \infty$. Using observation there exists $B_n \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that $A_n \subset B_n$ and $\mu^*(B_n) = \mu^*(A_n) < \infty$. Then $E_n = E \cap B_n \in \mathfrak{M}$ and $\mu^*(E_n) < \infty$. Then by special case there is $F_n \in F_{\sigma}(X)$ such that $F_n \subset E_n$ and $\mu^*(F_n \setminus E_n) = 0$. Let $F = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} F_n \in F_{\sigma}$ then $F \subset \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} E_n = E$ and

$$\mu^*(E \setminus F) \le \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mu^*(E_n \setminus F_n) = 0.$$

Step 3: further reduction.

Claim it suffices to show it for the case where $\mu^*(E) < \infty$ and $E \in G_{\delta}(X)$. Suppose we have proved this and consider $E \subset X$ such that $\mu^*(E) < \infty$. Observation 3 allows us to pick $G \in G_{\delta}(X)$ such that $E \subset G$ and $\mu^*(E) = \mu^*(G)$. Now pick $H \in G_{\delta}$ such that $G \setminus E \subset H$ and $\mu^*(H) = \mu^*(G \setminus E)$.

Now apply special case. This gives $F \in F_{\sigma}$ such that $F \subset G$ and $\mu^*(G \setminus F) = 0$. Let $K = F \setminus H = F \cap H^c \in F_{\sigma}$ and $K = F \cap H^c \subset G \cap (G \setminus E)^c \subset E$.

Note that $E, F, G, H, K \in \mathfrak{M}$, so

$$\mu^{*}(E \setminus K) = \mu^{*}(E) - \mu^{*}(K)$$

$$= \mu^{*}(G) - \mu^{*}(F \setminus H)$$

$$= \mu^{*}(G) - \mu^{*}(F) + \mu^{*}(F \cap H)$$

$$\leq \mu^{*}(G) - \mu^{*}(F) + \mu^{*}(H)$$

$$= \mu^{*}(G \setminus F) + \mu^{*}(H)$$

$$= \mu^{*}(G \setminus E)$$

$$= \mu^{*}(G) - \mu^{*}(E)$$

$$= 0.$$

Therefore, K is the desired F_{σ} set.

Step 4: finishing (a) \implies (c).

Suppose $E \in G_{\delta}(X)$ and $\mu^*(E) < \infty$. Write $E = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} V_n$ where $V_n \subset X$ open. For $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, let

$$C_{n,m} = \{x \in V_n : \text{dist}(x, V_n^c) \ge 2^{-m}\} \subset V_n.$$

Note that $C_{n,m}$ is closed, $C_{n,m} \subset C_{n,m+1}$, $V_n = \bigcup_m C_{n,m}$. Since $E, C_{n,m}, V_n \in \mathfrak{M}$, we have

$$\mu^*(E) = \mu^*(E \cap V_n) = \lim_{m \to \infty} \mu^*(E \cap C_{n,m}).$$

Thus, there exists M(n,k) such that $\mu^*(E \setminus C_{n,M(n,k)}) < 2^{-n-k}$. Now let $D_k = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} C_{n,M(n,k)}$ closed. Also, $D_k \subset \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} V_n = E$ and

$$\mu^*(E) - \mu^*(D_k) = \mu^*(E \setminus D_k) \le \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mu^*(E \setminus C_{n,M(n,k)}) \le 2^{-k+1}.$$

Let $F = \bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} D_k \subset E$ and note that $F \in F_{\sigma}$. Then

$$\mu^*(E \setminus F) = \mu^*(E) - \mu^*(F) \le \mu^*(E) - \mu^*(D_k) < 2^{-k+1}$$

for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Therefore, $\mu^*(E \setminus F) = 0$.

Lemma. Suppose (X,d) metric space with metric outer measure μ^* . Suppose $X = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} V_n$ for $V_n \subset X$ open and $\mu^*(V_n) < \infty$. Suppose $E \subset G \in G_{\delta}(X)$ such that $\mu^*(G \setminus E) = 0$. Then for each $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists open $U \subset X$ such that $E \subset U$ and $\mu^*(U \setminus E) < \varepsilon$.

Proof. Let $E_n = E \cap V_n$ and $G = G \cap V_n$. Write $G = \bigcap_{j=0}^{\infty} W_j$ where W_j open. Now set

$$Z_{n,m} = V_n \cap \bigcap_{j=0}^m W_j,$$

which are open for all $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$. Now notice that $G_n \subset Z_{n,m+1} \subset Z_{n,m} \subset V_n$. Note that $\mu^*(V_n) < \infty$, so $\mu^*(G_n) = \lim_{m \to \infty} \mu^*(Z_{n,m})$. Therefore, for all $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists M(n) such that

$$\mu^*(Z_{n,M(n)} \setminus G_n) < \varepsilon 2^{-n-2}.$$

Then set $U = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} Z_{n,M(n)} \supset \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} G_n = G \supset E$ open, then we have

$$\mu^*(U \setminus E) = \mu^*(U \setminus G) + \mu^*(G \setminus E)$$

$$= \mu^* \left(\bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} Z_{n,M(n)} \cap \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} G_n^c \right)$$

$$\leq \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mu^*(Z_{n,M(n)} \setminus G_n)$$

$$< \varepsilon,$$

as desired.

Definition (Outer-regular). Let X be a metric space, \mathfrak{M} a σ -algebra with $\mathfrak{B}(X) \subset \mathfrak{M}$ and suppose $\mu: \mathfrak{M} \to [0, \infty]$ is a measure. Say μ is outer-regular if

$$\mu(E) = \inf \left\{ \mu(U) : E \subset U \text{ open} \right\}.$$

3.2 Lebesgue and Hausdorff measure

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3.3 Measurable and μ -measurable functions

Definition (Measurable functions). Let (X, \mathfrak{M}) and (Y, \mathfrak{N}) be measurable sets. A map $f: X \to Y$ is called $(\mathfrak{M}, \mathfrak{N})$ measurable if $f^{-1}(E) \in \mathfrak{M}$ for all $E \in \mathfrak{N}$.

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Definition (Simple functions). Let (X, \mathfrak{M}) and (Y, \mathfrak{N}) be measurable sets. A map $f: X \to Y$ is called simple if it is measurable and f(X) is finite. Write the set of all simple functions from X to Y as S(X, Y).

Theorem (Characterization of $\overline{\mathbb{R}}$ measurablility). Let (X,\mathfrak{M}) be measure space and $f:X\to\overline{\mathbb{R}}$. The following are equivalent:

- 1. f is measurable.
- 2. There exists $\{\varphi_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \subset S(X; \overline{\mathbb{R}})$ such that $\varphi_k \to f$ pointwise as $k \to \infty$.

Moreover, if f is measurable, the sequence can be built such that

- On the set $\{f \geq 0\}$, we have $0 \leq \varphi_k \leq \varphi_{k+1} \leq f$.
- On the set $\{f < 0\}$, we have $f \le \varphi_{k+1} \le \varphi_k \le 0$.
- If f is actually from X to \mathbb{R} and is bounded, then $\varphi_k \to f$ uniformly.

Proof. (2) \implies (1). Pointwise limit of measurable functions are measurable.

(1) \Longrightarrow (2). Suppose $f: X \to [0, \infty]$ is measurable. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$, define $\varphi_k: [0, \infty)$ by

$$\varphi_k(x) = \begin{cases} (j-1)2^{-k} & \text{if } (j-1)2^{-k} \le f(x) < j2^{-k} \text{ for } 1 \le j \le k2^k, \\ k & \text{if } f(x) > k. \end{cases}$$

Because f is measurable, φ_k is simple for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$.

Note that $0 \le \varphi_k \le \varphi_{k+1} \le f$. Also, if $f(x) < \infty$, then $0 \le f(x) - \varphi_k(x) \le 2^{-k}$. If $f(x) = \infty$, then $\varphi_k(x) = k$. This shows that $\varphi_k \to f$. Moreover, if f is bounded then $\varphi_k \to f$ uniformly.

In the general case, apply the special case to f on $\{f \ge 0\}$ and -f on $\{f < 0\}$.

Definition (Separably-valued). Let X be a set and Y a metric space. A map $f: X \to Y$ is **separably-valued** if $f(X) \subset Y$ is separable.

Theorem. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}) be measure space and Y be metric space, $f: X \to Y$. The following are equivalent for $f: X \to Y$:

- 1. f is $(\mathfrak{M}, \mathfrak{B}(Y))$ measurable and separably valued.
- 2. There exists $\{\varphi_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \in S(X;Y)$ such that $\varphi_k \to f$ pointwise.

Proof. (2) \Longrightarrow (1). The pointwise limit of measurable function is measurable. On the other hand, $f(X) = \overline{\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} \varphi_k(X)}$, which is separable since $\varphi_k(X)$ finite for any $k \in \mathbb{N}$.

 $(1) \implies (2). \text{ Assume initially that } Y \text{ is totally bounded. Then for each } n \in \mathbb{N} \text{ there exists } y_0^n, \dots, y_{K(n)}^n \in Y \text{ such that } Y = \bigcup_{k=0}^{K(n)} B(y_k^n, 2^{-n}). \text{ Let } V_0^n = B(y_0^n, 2^{-n}) \text{ and for } k \geq 1 \text{ define } V_k^n = B(y_k^n, 2^{-n}) \setminus \bigcup_{j=0}^{k-1} B(y_j^n, 2^{-n}). \text{ Then, } Y = \bigcup_{k=0}^{M(n)} V_k^n \text{ where } V_k^n = \emptyset \text{ for } M(n) < k \leq K(n).$

Define $\varphi_n: Y \to \{y_0^n, \dots, y_{M(n)}^n\}$ via $\varphi_n(y) = y_k^n$ if $y \in V_k^n$. Clearly φ_n is simple and $d(\varphi_n(y), y) < 2^{-n}$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $y \in Y$. Therefore, $\varphi_n(y) \to (y)$ pointwise. Then $f_n = \varphi_n \circ f$ are simple functions from X to Y. Also, since $\varphi_n \to \text{id}$ pointwise, $f_n \to f$ pointwise.

Now consider the general case in which f(X) is a separable subset of Y. Then there exists a homeomorphism $h: f(X) \to Z$ for Z a totally bounded metric space, for example take Z a subset of Hilbert cube H^{∞} since all separable metric space is homeomorphism to a subset of the Hilbert cube. Thus $h \circ f: X \to Z$ is measurable with Z totally bounded, so the special case provides a sequence $\{\varphi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset S(X;Z)$ such that $\varphi_n \to h \circ f$ pointwise. Then, $h^{-1} \circ \varphi_n \in S(X;Y)$ is such that $h^{-1} \circ \varphi_n \to h^{-1} \circ h \circ f = f$ pointwise, using continuity of h and h^{-1} .

Definition (Almost everywhere). Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and let P(x) be a proposition for every $x \in X$. Say P is true **almost everywhere** (a.e.) if there exists a set $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that $\mu(N) = 0$ and P(x) is true for all $x \in N^c$.

Theorem. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space. Let Y be a metric space, $f: X \to Y$. The following are equivalent:

- 1. There exists $\{\psi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset S(X;Y)$ such that $\psi_n \to f$ pointwise a.e. in X.
- 2. There exists a measurable and separably valued $F: X \to Y$ such that f = F a.e.
- 3. There exists a null set $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ and a measurable $F: X \to Y$ such that f = F on N^c and $f(N^c)$ is separable in Y.

Proof. (1) \Longrightarrow (2). There exists $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ null such that $\psi_n \to f$ pointwise in N^c . Thus, $f: N^c \to Y$ is measurable and separably valued by the previous theorem. Note the constant map $N \ni x \mapsto y \in Y$ for $y \in Y$ fixed is measurable. Thus we can define $F: X \to Y$ by

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} f(x) & (x \in N^c), \\ y & (x \in N). \end{cases}$$

Then F is measurable. It is also separably valued since $F(X) = f(N^c) \cup \{y\}$.

- $(2) \implies (3)$. Trivial.
- (3) \Longrightarrow (1). Note that $F: N^c \to Y$ is measurable and $F(N^c) = f(N^c)$ is separable. By previous theorem, there exists $\{\varphi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \in S(N^c; Y)$ such that $\varphi_n \to F = f$ pointwise on N^c . Now let $\psi_n \in S(X; Y)$ be φ_n in N^c and $y \in Y$ fixed in N. Then $\psi_n \to f$ pointwise in N^c .

Definition. Let (X,\mathfrak{M}) be measurable, Y be either a normed vector space or $\overline{\mathbb{R}}$. Let $\psi \in S(X;Y)$.

- 1. A **representation** of ψ is a finite and well-defined sum $\psi = \sum_{k=1}^{K} v_k \chi_{E_k}$ for $v_k \in Y$ and $E_k \in \mathfrak{M}$.
- 2. A canonical representation is $\psi = \sum_{v \in \psi(X)} v \chi_{\psi^{-1}(\{v\})}$
- 3. Now suppose μ is a measure. We say a representation $\psi = \sum_{k=1}^K v_k \chi_{E_k}$ is **finite** if $\mu(E_k) < \infty$ for all k such that $v_k \neq 0$. We say ψ is a **finite simple function** if it has a finite representation.

We write $S_{\text{fin}}(X;Y) = \{ f \in S(X;Y) : f \text{ is finite} \}$. Note that it is clear ψ is finite if and only if the canonical representation is finite if and only if $\mu(\text{supp}(\psi)) < \infty$ where $\text{supp}(\psi) = \{ x \in X : \psi(x) \neq 0 \}$ is the support of ψ .

Definition. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and Y be a metric space.

- 1. We say $f: X \to Y$ is almost measurable if f = F a.e. with $F: X \to Y$ is measurable.
- 2. We say $f: X \to Y$ is almost separably valued if there exists a null set $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that $f(N^c)$ is separable.
- 3. We say $f: X \to Y$ is μ -measurable if it is almost measurable and almost separably valued. Equivalently, f is the a.e. limit of simple functions.
- 4. Suppose Y is a normed vector space or $\overline{\mathbb{R}}$. We say $f: X \to Y$ is **strongly** μ -measurable if there exists $\{\psi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset S_{\text{fin}}(X;Y)$ such that $\psi_n \to f$ a.e. as $n \to \infty$.

Example. Let $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and $\mathfrak{M} = \{\emptyset, \{1, 2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}$. Let $f, g : X \to \mathbb{R}$ via f(x) = x and g(x) = 3. Then f is not measure since $f^{-1}(\{1\}) = \{1\} \notin \mathfrak{M}$ but g is measurable.

Now equip (X, \mathfrak{M}) with the measure δ_3 . Then, f = g a.e. This shows that equality almost everywhere does not preserve measurablility. The problem is that $(X, \mathfrak{M}, \delta_3)$ is not **complete**.

This brings us to the next theorem.

Theorem. Let (X,\mathfrak{M},μ) be a measure space. Then the following are equivalent:

- 1. (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) is complete.
- 2. If (Y,\mathfrak{N}) is a measure space, $f,g:X\to Y$, f is measurable and f=g a.e., then g is measurable.
- 3. If Y is a metric space with card $Y=2, f, g: X \to Y, f$ measurable, f=g a.e., then g is measurable.

Proof. (1) \Longrightarrow (2). Suppose $f, g: X \to Y$, f is measurable, f = g a.e. Pick null set $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that f = g on N^c . Take $E \in \mathfrak{N}$, then

$$g^{-1}(E) = (g^{-1}(E) \cap N) \cup (g^{-1}(E) \cap N^c)$$

= $(g^{-1}(E) \cap N) \cup (f^{-1}(E) \cap N^c)$.

Note that $f^{-1}(E) \cap N^c$ is measurable, and $g^{-1}(E) \cap N \subset N$ null, so it is also measurable. Therefore, $g^{-1}(E)$ is measurable and g is measurable.

- $(2) \implies (3)$. Clear.
- (3) \Longrightarrow (1). Prove the contrapositive. Suppse (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) is not complete and $Y = \{y, z\}$ a metric space. Find $\emptyset \neq A \subsetneq B$ such that $\mu(B) = 0$ and $A \notin \mathfrak{M}$. Define $f, g : X \to Y$ by

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} y & (x \notin A), \\ z & (x \in A). \end{cases}$$

and f(x) = y be constant. Then f = g a.e., f is measurable, and g is not measurable.

Corollary. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a complete measurable space, Y a separable metric space, and $f: X \to Y$. Then, f is μ -measurable if and only if f is measurable.

Proposition. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and Y be a metric space. The following holds:

- 1. Let $f, g: X \to Y$. If f is μ -measurable and f = g a.e., then g is μ -measurable.
- 2. Suppose Y is a normed vector space or $\overline{\mathbb{R}}$. If $f,g:X\to Y,\,f$ is strongly μ -measurable, f=g a.e., then g is strong μ -measurable.
- Proof. 1. Let $\{\varphi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset S(X;Y)$ be such that $\varphi_n \to g$ pointwise a.e. Pick null set $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that f = g on N^c . Pick null set $Z \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that $f = \lim_{n \to \infty} \varphi_n$. This implies that $g = \lim_{n \to \infty} \varphi_n$ on $(N \cup Z)^c$.
 - 2. Same proof as the first item but let $\{\varphi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \in S_{\text{fin}}(X;Y)$.

Theorem. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and Y be a normed vector space with $V \neq \{0\}$. Then the following are equivalent:

- 1. (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) is σ -finite.
- 2. If $f: X \to Y$ is μ -measurable, then f is strongly μ -measurable.
- 3. Let $f: X \to Y$, then f is μ -measurable if and only if f is strongly μ -measurable.
- 4. If $y \in Y \setminus \{0\}$, then $f: X \to Y$ via f(x) = y strongly μ -measurable.

Proof. (1) \Longrightarrow (2). Suppose (X,\mathfrak{M},μ) is σ -finite. We can find $\{X_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}\subset\mathfrak{M}$ such that $X_n\subset X_{n+1}$, $\mu(X_n)<\infty$ and $\bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty}X_n=X$. Let $f:X\to Y$ be μ -measurable. Pick $\{\psi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}\subset S(X;Y)$ such that $\psi_n\to f$ pointwise a.e. Define $\varphi_n=\chi_{X_n}\psi_n$. This shows that f is strongly μ -measurable.

- (2) \iff (3). Trivial since strongly μ -measurablility implies μ -measurablility.
- (2) \Longrightarrow (4). Constant function are μ -measurable.
- (4) \Longrightarrow (1). Let $y \in Y \setminus \{0\}$ and define $f: X \to Y$ via f(x) = y. This is strongly μ -measurable by assumption. Then there exists $\{\varphi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset S_{\text{fin}}(X;Y)$ such that $\varphi_n \to f$ pointwise on N^c where N is null.

Pick $\varepsilon > 0$ such that $\{0\} \cap B(y, \varepsilon) = \emptyset$. Set $X_n = \varphi_n^{-1}(B(y, \varepsilon))$. Then we have $\mu(X_n) < \infty$. For any $x \in N^c$ and n sufficiently large, $\varphi_n(x) \in B(y, \varepsilon)$. Therefore, $N^c \subset \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} X_n$ and the proof we are complete.

Finally, we present a useful characterization of μ -measurablility of Banach-valued maps.

Theorem (Pettis). Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and V be a Banach space over \mathbb{F} . Suppose $W \subset V^*$ is a norming subspace. Let $f: X \to V$. Then the following are equivalent:

- 1. f is μ -measurable.
- 2. f is almost separably valued, and $w \circ f : X \to \mathbb{F}$ is μ -measurable for each $w \in V^*$.
- 3. f is almost separably valued, and $w \circ f : X \to \mathbb{F}$ is μ -measurable for each $w \in W$.

In any case, there exists $\{\varphi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset S(X;V)$ such that $\|\varphi_n\| \leq 2 \|f\|$ on X such that $\varphi_n \to f$ pointwise a.e. as $n \to \infty$. Moreover, the same equivalence holds with μ -measurablility and $\{\varphi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ replaced by $\{\varphi_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset S_{\text{fin}}(X;V)$.

Proof. (1) \Longrightarrow (2). Suppose f is μ -measurable, which means it is almost separably valued. Each $w \in V^*$ is also continuous so $w \circ f$ is μ -measurable.

- (2) \implies (3). Trivial since $W \subset V^*$.
- (3) \Longrightarrow (1). Suppose f is almost separably valued. Then there exists null set $N_* \subset X$ such that $f(X \setminus N_*) \subset V$ separable. Define the subspace

$$M = \operatorname{span}(f(X \setminus N_*)) \subset V,$$

which is separable by construction. Pick a dense set $\{v_n\}_{m=0}^{\infty} \subset M$ such that $v_0 = 0$. Then by a previous theorem, we know there exists a norming sequence $\{w_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset W$ for M.

Now, given any $v \in V$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$, define the function $\Phi_{n,v}: X \to [0,\infty)$ by

$$\Phi_{n,v}(x) = |\langle w_n, f(x) - v \rangle| = |w_n(f(x) - v)|.$$

Note that $X \ni x \mapsto \langle w_n, v \rangle \in \mathbb{F}$ is μ -measurable and the map $X \ni x \mapsto \langle w_n, f(x) \rangle \in \mathbb{F}$ is also μ -measurable by assumption. It follows that $\Phi_{n,v}$ is μ -measurable. Therefore, there exists null set $N_{n,v} \subset X$ and a measurable map $\Psi_{n,v}: X \to [0,\infty)$ such that $\Psi_{n,v} = \Phi_{n,v}$ on $X \setminus N_{n,v}$. For each $v \in V$ define null set

$$N(v) = N_* \cup \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} N_{n,v} \subset X,$$

with $\Psi_{n,v} = \Phi_{n,v}$ on $X \setminus N(v)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

For $v \in M$ define the map $\Phi_v : X \to [0, \infty]$ by $\Phi_v(x) = ||f(x) - v||$ and note that $\{w_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ is norming sequence for M. This implies that

$$\Phi_v(x) = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} |\langle w_n, f(x) - v \rangle|$$

for all $x \in X \setminus N_*$. We also have that

$$\Phi_v(x) = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \Phi_{n,v}(x) = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \Psi_{n,v}(x)$$

for all $x \in X \setminus N(v)$, so Φ_v is measurable when restricted to $X \setminus N(v)$. We can then define the set

$$N = \bigcup_{m=0}^{\infty} N(v_m) \subset X,$$

which is null. By construction, each Φ_{v_m} is measurable when restricted to N^c . In particular, $\Phi_0 = \Phi_{v_0} = ||f||$ is measurable when restricted to N^c .

For $u \in M$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$, define

$$k(n, u) = \min \left\{ 0 \le k \le n : ||u - v_k|| = \min_{0 \le j \le n} ||u - v_j|| \right\}.$$

By construction,

$$||v_{k(n,u)}|| \le ||u - v_{k(n,m)}|| + ||u|| \le ||u - v_0|| + ||u|| = 2 ||u||.$$

We then define $S_n: M \to \{v_0, \dots, v_n\}$ via $S_n(u) = v_{k(n,u)}$. Note that $||S_n(u)|| \le 2 ||u||$. Also, $\{v_m\}_{m=0}^{\infty}$ dense in M implies $S_n(u) \to u$ as $n \to \infty$.

Finally, for $n \in \mathbb{N}$, define $\psi_n : N^c \to \{v_0, \dots, v_n\} \subset V$ via $\psi_n = S_n \circ f$. For $0 \le k \le n$, we compute

$$\{x \in N^c : \psi_n(x) = v_k\}$$

$$= \left\{ x \in N^c : \|f(x) - v_k\| = \min_j \|f(x) - v_j\| \right\} \cap \bigcap_{j=0}^{k-1} \left\{ x \in N^c : \|f(x) - v_k\| < \|f(x) - v_j\| \right\}$$

This set is measurable since Φ_{v_m} measurable on N^c for each $m \in \mathbb{N}$. It follows that ψ_n is measurable on N^c . Let $\varphi_n \in S(X; V)$ by

$$\varphi_n(x) = \begin{cases} \psi_n(x) & (x \in N^c), \\ 0 & (x \in N). \end{cases}$$

Then, $\|\varphi_n\| \leq 2 \|f\|$ and $\varphi_n(x) = \psi_n(x) \to f(x)$ as $n \to \infty$ for $x \in \mathbb{N}^c$. Therefore, $\varphi_n \to f$ a.e. and thus f is μ -measurable.

3.4 Lebesgue-Bochner Integral

Lemma. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and $Y \in \{V, [0, \infty]\}$. Let $\psi : X \to Y$ be simple such that

$$\psi = \sum_{i=1}^{I} \alpha_i \chi_{E_i} = \sum_{j=1}^{J} \beta_j \chi_{F_j}.$$

Additionally, if Y = V suppose both representation are finite. Then,

$$\sum_{i=1}^{I} \alpha_i \mu(E_i) = \sum_{j=1}^{J} \beta_j \mu(F_j).$$

Based on this lemma, we can define

$$\int_X \psi \ d\mu = \sum_{i=1}^I \alpha_i \mu(E_i).$$

This induces maps $\int_X \cdot d\mu : S(X; [0, \infty]) \to [0, \infty]$ and $\int_X \cdot d\mu : S_{\mathrm{fin}}(X; V) \to V$.

Proposition. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and $Y \in \{V, [0, \infty]\}$. Then the following holds:

1. If Y = V, then

$$\int_{X} (\alpha f + \beta g) \ d\mu = \alpha \int_{X} f \ d\mu + \beta \int_{X} g \ d\mu$$

for all $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{F}$ and $f, g \in S_{\text{fin}}(X; V)$. If $Y = [0, \infty]$, the same equality holds for any $\alpha, \beta > 0$ and $f, g \in S(X; V)$.

2. If Y = V, then $||f|| \in S_{\text{fin}}(X; [0, \infty))$ and

$$\left\| \int_X f \ d\mu \right\| \le \int_X \|f\| \ d\mu.$$

3. If $E \in \mathfrak{M}$, then

$$\int_{E} f \ d\mu = \int_{X} f \chi_{E} \ d\mu.$$

4. If $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ is a null set, then

$$\int_{N} f \ d\mu = 0.$$

5. If $A, B \in \mathfrak{M}$ is such that $A \cap B = \emptyset$, then

$$\int_{A \cup B} f \ d\mu = \int_A f \ d\mu + \int_B f \ d\mu.$$

6. Suppose $\{X_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathfrak{M}$ is such that $X_n \subset X_{n+1}$ and $\mu(X_n) < \infty$. Then

$$\int_X f \ d\mu = \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_{X_n} f \ d\mu.$$

Proof. Write $f = \sum_k f_k \chi_{E_k}$ be the canonical representation. We then have

$$\int_{X_n} f \ d\mu = \sum_k f_k \mu(X_n \cap E_k).$$

For each k, we have $X_n \cap E_k \subset X_{n+1} \cap E_k$ and $\bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} (X_n \cap E_k) = E_k$. It follows that

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}\mu(X_n\cap E_k)=\mu(E_k).$$

Therefore,

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \int_{X_n} f \ d\mu = \sum_k f_k \mu(E_k) = \int_X f \ d\mu.$$

7. If $Y = \mathbb{R}$ or $Y = [0, \infty]$ and $f \leq g$ a.e., then

$$\int_X f \ d\mu \le \int_X g \ d\mu.$$

Integral of $\overline{\mathbb{R}}$ -valued functions

Note that if (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) is a measure space and $\varphi \in S(X; [0, \infty])$, then

$$\int_X \varphi \; d\mu = \sup \left\{ \int_X \psi \; d\mu : \psi \in S(X; [0, \infty]) \text{ and } \psi \leq \varphi \text{ a.e.} \right\}.$$

Definition. Let (X,\mathfrak{M},μ) be a measure space. Let $f:X\to [0,\infty]$ be μ -measurable. We define

$$\int_X f \ d\mu = \sup \left\{ \int_X \psi \ d\mu : \psi \in S(X; [0, \infty]) \text{ and } \psi \le f \text{ a.e.} \right\} \in [0, \infty].$$

We say f is **integrable** if $\int_X f \ d\mu < \infty$.

Remark. There are two remarks with regard to the definition above.

- 1. In principle we do not need f to be μ -measurable here. We build this into the definition because the resulting integral is more-or-less useless without this assumption.
- 2. $[0, \infty]$ is a separable metric space, so for $f: X \to [0, \infty]$, f is measurable implies f is μ -measurable, and f almost measurable implies f is μ -measurable.

Theorem. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space, $f, g: X \to [0, \infty]$ be μ -measurable functions. The following holds:

1. For $\alpha \in [0, \infty)$, we have

$$\int_X \alpha f \ d\mu = \alpha \int_X f \ d\mu.$$

2. If $f \leq g$ a.e., then

$$\int_{X} f \ d\mu \le \int_{X} g \ d\mu.$$

3. If f = g a.e., then

$$\int_X f \ d\mu = \int_X g \ d\mu.$$

4. For $E \in \mathfrak{M}$, we have

$$\int_E f \ d\mu = \int_X f \chi_E \ d\mu.$$

5. If $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ is null, then

$$\int_{N} f \ d\mu = 0.$$

Proof. Follow directly from corresponding results in $S(X;[0,\infty])$ and the definition of $\int_X f \ d\mu$.

Theorem (Monotone convergence theorem, basic version). Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and suppose for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have $f_n : X \to [0, \infty]$ measurable. Further suppose that $f_n \leq f_{n+1}$ on X and $f : X \to [0, \infty]$ is given by $f = \lim_{n \to \infty} f_n$. Then f is measurable and

$$\int_X f \ d\mu = \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_X f_n \ d\mu = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \int_X f_n \ d\mu.$$

Proof. We already know f is measurable. Also, $f_n \leq f_{n+1} \leq f$ on X, so

$$\int_X f_n \ d\mu \le \int_X f_{n+1} \ d\mu \le \int_X f \ d\mu.$$

It follows that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \int_X f_n \ d\mu \le \int_X f \ d\mu.$$

To show the opposite inequality, let $\varphi \in S(X; [0, \infty])$ such that $\varphi \leq f$ a.e. and $\alpha \in (0, 1)$. Let $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ be a null set and $\varphi \leq f$ on N^c . Also, for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, let $E_n = \{x \in X : f_n(x) \geq \alpha \varphi(x)\}$. Note the following:

- 1. Since $f_n \leq f_{n+1}$, we have $E_n \subset E_{n+1}$.
- 2. Since $f_n \to f$ pointwise, we have $X = N \cup \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} E_n$.
- 3. We have

$$\alpha \int_{N \cup E_n} \varphi \ d\mu = \int_{E_n} \alpha \varphi \ d\mu \le \int_{E_n} f_n \ d\mu \le \int_X f_n \ d\mu$$

4. We have

$$\int_X \varphi \ d\mu = \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_{N \cap E_n} \varphi \ d\mu.$$

Therefore,

$$\alpha \int_{X} \varphi \ d\mu = \lim_{n \to \infty} \alpha \int_{N \cup E} \varphi \ d\mu \le \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_{X} f_n \ d\mu.$$

Since the above inequality holds for all $\alpha \in (0,1)$, we knnw $\int_X \varphi \ d\mu \le \lim_{n\to\infty} \int_X f_n \ d\mu$. This is then true for all simple function φ such that $\varphi \le f$ a.e. Taking the sup gives

$$\int_X f \ d\mu \le \lim_{n \to \infty} f_n \ d\mu.$$

The proof is then complete.

Theorem. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be measure space, $f, g: X \to [0, \infty]$ be μ -measurable. Then

$$\int_X (f+g) \ d\mu = \int_X f \ d\mu + \int_X g \ d\mu.$$

Proof. Recall that μ -measurable functions are almost measurable. Choose measurable functions $F,G:X\to [0,\infty]$ such that f=F and g=G a.e. We may then choose $\{\varphi_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$, $\{\psi_n\}_{n=0}^\infty\subset S(X;[0,\infty])$ such that $\lim_{n\to\infty}\varphi_n=F$ and $\lim_{n\to\infty}\psi_n=G$, $0\le\varphi_n\le\varphi_{n+1}\le F$ and $0\le\psi_n\le\psi_{n+1}\le G$. Then

$$0 \le \varphi_n + \psi_n \le \varphi_{n+1} + \psi_{n+1} \le F + G = \lim_{n \to \infty} (\varphi_n + \psi_n).$$

It follows then from monotone convergence theorem that

$$\int_X (F+G) d\mu = \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_X (\varphi_n + \psi_n) d\mu$$

$$= \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_X \varphi_n d\mu + \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_X \psi_n d\mu$$

$$= \int_X F d\mu + \int_X G d\mu.$$

Since f = F and g = G a.e., we have

$$\int_X (f+g) \ d\mu = \int_X f \ d\mu + \int_X g \ d\mu.$$

Recall: given $f: X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$, we write $f^{\pm}: X \to [0, \infty]$ via

$$f^+ = \max\{0, f\}, \quad f^- = \max\{0, -f\}.$$

Then we have $f = f^+ - f^-$ and $|f| = f^+ + f^-$. Also, if f is measurable or μ -measurable, then f^{\pm} is also measurable or μ -measurable since they are composition of a continuous function (namely $x \mapsto \max\{0, x\}$) with a measurable or μ -measurable function.

Definition. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be measure space and $f: X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$ be μ -measurable. If either f^+ or f^- is integrable, we say f is **extended integrable** and set

$$\int_X f \ d\mu = \int_X f^+ \ d\mu - \int_X f^- \ d\mu \in \overline{\mathbb{R}}.$$

We say f is **integrable** if f^{\pm} are both integrable.

Proposition (absolute integrability). Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space, $f: X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$ be μ -measurable. Then f is integrable if and only if |f| is integrable.

Proof. We know f is integrable if and only if f^{\pm} are both integrable, but $|f| = f^{+} + f^{-}$. Therefore, f integrable implies |f| is integrable. Conversely, if |f| is integrable, then $0 \le f^{\pm} \le |f|$, so f^{\pm} are both integrable.

Theorem. Let (X,\mathfrak{M},μ) be a measure space, $f,g:X\to\overline{\mathbb{R}}$ are extended integrable. The following holds:

- 1. For all $E \in \mathfrak{M}$, we have $\int_E f \ d\mu = \int_X f \chi_E \ d\mu$.
- 2. For all $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$, we have $\alpha \int_{Y} f d\mu = \int_{Y} \alpha f d\mu$.
- 3. $\int_X (f+g) d\mu = \int_X f d\mu + \int_X g d\mu$, provided that all operations are well-defined.
- 4. $\int_{A\cup B} f\ d\mu = \int_A f\ d\mu + \int_B f\ d\mu$ for all $A,B\in\mathfrak{M}$ such that $A\cap B=\emptyset$.
- 5. If $f \leq g$ a.e. then $\int_X f \ d\mu \leq \int_X g \ d\mu$.

6. $\left| \int_X f \ d\mu \right| \le \int_X |f| \ d\mu$.

7. If $|f| \leq g$ a.e. and g integrable, then f is integrable.

Theorem (Chebyshev inequality). If f is measurable, then

$$\mu\left(\left\{x \in X : |f(x)| \ge \alpha\right\}\right) \le \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_{Y} |f| \ d\mu$$

for all $\alpha \in (0, \infty)$.

Proof.

$$\mathrm{LHS} = \int_{\{|f| \geq \alpha\}} 1 \ d\mu = \int_{\{|f| \geq \alpha\}} \frac{|f|}{\alpha} \ d\mu = \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_X |f| \ d\mu = \mathrm{RHS} \,.$$

Corollary. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and $f: X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$.

- 1. If f is integrable, then there exists a null set $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ and a σ -finite set $E \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that $\{|f| = \infty\} \subset N \text{ and } \operatorname{supp}(f) \subset E.$
- 2. If f is extended integrable, then there exsits a null set $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ such that either $\{f = \infty\} \subset N$ or $\{f = -\infty\} \subset N$.

Proof. 1. Suppose initially that f is measurable and integrable, then Chebyshev inequality implies that

$$\mu(\{|f| = \infty\}) \le \mu(\{|f| > 2^k\}) \le 2^{-k} \int_X |f| \ d\mu$$

for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. It follows that $\mu\{|f| = \infty\}$ is null.

On the other hand, supp $(f) = \bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} \{|f| > 2^{-k}\}$, but

$$\mu\left(\left\{|f|>2^{-k}\right\}\right)\leq 2^k\int_X|f|\ d\mu<\infty.$$

It follows that supp(f) is σ -finite.

In general, if f is integrable and μ -measurable, pick F = f a.e. for F measurable and integrable and apply the argument above.

2. Next, if f is extended integrable but not integrable, then either f^+ is integrable or f^- is integrable. If f^+ is integrable, then $\{f = +\infty\}$ is contained in some null set. If f^- is integrable, $\{f = -\infty\}$ is contained in a null set.

Theorem (Monotone convergence theorem, general form). Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and suppose $f_k : X \to \mathbb{R}$ is μ -measurable for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Suppose that $f : X \to \mathbb{R}$ is such that $f_k \to f$ a.e. Then, f is μ -measurable and the following holds:

1. Suppose that $\{f_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty}$ is almost everywhere nondecreasing, that is, $f_k \leq f_{k+1}$ a.e. Suppose also that there exists an integrable function $g: X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$ such that $g \leq f_k$ for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, f and f_k are extended integrable for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$, and

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} \int_X f_k \ d\mu = \int_X f \ d\mu.$$

2. Suppose that $\{f_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty}$ is almost everywhere nonincreasing, that is, $f_k \geq f_{k+1}$ a.e. Suppose also that there exists an integrable function $g: X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$ such that $g \geq f_k$ for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, f and f_k are extended integrable for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$, and

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} \int_X f_k \ d\mu = \int_X f \ d\mu.$$

Proof. Homework. \Box

Corollary. 1. Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space, $f_k : X \to (-\infty, \infty]$ be μ -measurable for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $f_k \geq 0$ a.e. Then,

$$\int_X \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} f_k \ d\mu = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \int_X f_k \ d\mu.$$

2. Suppose (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) is a measure space, $X = \bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} E_k$ such that $\{E_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathfrak{M}$ and $\mu(E_k \cap E_j) = 0$ for all $k \neq j$. Given $f: X \to [0, \infty]$ μ -measurable, we then have

$$\int_X f \ d\mu = \sum_{k=0}^\infty \int_{E_k} f \ d\mu.$$

Proof. 1. Note that $\operatorname{supp}(f_k^-)$ is in a null set, so each f_k is extended integrable. The same holds for $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} f_k : X \to [-\infty, \infty]$. On the other hand, the partial sums $\sum_{k=0}^{m} f_k \leq \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} f_k$ a.e. Apply monotone convergence theorem gives the desired equality.

2. Use the first claim on $f_k = f\chi_{E_k}$.

Theorem (Fatou's lemma). Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space, and suppose that $f_k : X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$ are μ -measurable for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Suppose that $g : X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$ is extended integrable, $\int_X g \ d\mu > -\infty$, and $g \le f_k$ a.e. for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Then the following holds:

- 1. For each $k \in \mathbb{N}$, f_k is extended integrable.
- 2. The function $\liminf_{k\to\infty} f_k$ is extended integrable.
- 3. We have

$$\int_X g \ d\mu \le \int_X \liminf_{k \to \infty} f_k \ d\mu \le \liminf_{k \to \infty} \int_X f_k \ d\mu.$$

Proof. Note that $\int_X g \ d\mu > -\infty$ implies g^- is integrable. Write

$$f = \liminf_{k \to \infty} f_k$$

which is a μ -measurable function. Then, $g \leq f_k$ a.e. implies $g \leq f$ a.e. as well. It follows that $-f_k \leq -g$ and $-f \leq -g$. Therefore, $f_k^- \leq g^-$ and $f^- \leq g^-$. This shows that f_k , f are extended-integrable. Next, note that

$$\int_X g \ d\mu \le \int_X \inf_{j \ge k} f_j \ d\mu \le \int_X f_k \ d\mu.$$

By monotone convergence theorem, we know the middle term converges when k approaches infinity. Taking the liminf, we have

$$\int_X g \ d\mu \le \lim_{k \to \infty} \int_X \inf_{j \ge k} f_j \ d\mu = \liminf_{k \to \infty} f_k \ d\mu \le \liminf_{k \to \infty} \int_X f_k \ d\mu.$$

Theorem (Dominated convergence theorem). Let (X, \mathfrak{M}, μ) be a measure space and suppose $f_k, g_k : X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$ μ -measurable for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Suppose that $f, g : X \to \overline{\mathbb{R}}$ are such that $f_k \to f$ a.e. and $g_k \to g$ a.e. Suppose further that g_k is integrable and $|f_k| \leq g_k$ a.e. for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Suppose also g is integrable and that

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} \int_{Y} g_k \ d\mu = \lim_{k \to \infty} \int_{Y} g \ d\mu.$$

Then, f_k is integrable for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$, f is integrable, and

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} \int_X f_k \ d\mu = \int_X f \ d\mu.$$

Moreover, $f_k - f$ is well-defined for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$ outside a null set $N \subset X$, and

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} \int_{Nc} |f_k - f| \ d\mu = 0$$

Proof. We know $|f_k| \leq g_k$ a.e., $g_k \to g$ a.e., and $f_k \to f$ a.e. Then, $|f| \leq g$ a.e., so f_k and f are integrable. In turn, we can use a previous corollary to pick $N \in \mathfrak{M}$ null such that f_k, f, g_k, g are all \mathbb{R} -valued and all assumed inequalities hold on N^c . Then, $|f - f_k| \leq g + g_k$ on N^c , and so

$$0 \le g + g_k - |f - f_k|.$$

Apply Fatou's lemma, we then have

$$\int_{N^{c}} 2g \ d\mu = \int_{N^{c}} \liminf_{k \to \infty} (g + g_{k} - |f - f_{k}|) \ d\mu$$

$$\leq \liminf_{k \to \infty} \int_{N^{c}} (g + g_{k} - |f - f_{k}|) \ d\mu$$

$$= \liminf_{k \to \infty} \int_{N^{c}} -|f - f_{k}| \ d\mu + \int_{N^{c}} 2g \ d\mu.$$

It follows that

$$0 \le \limsup_{k \to \infty} \int_{N^c} |f - f_k| \ d\mu = -\liminf_{k \to \infty} \int_{N^c} -|f - f_k| \ d\mu \le 0.$$

Therefore,

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} \int_{N^c} |f - f_k| \ d\mu = 0.$$

This then implies

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} \int_X f_k \ d\mu = \int_X f \ d\mu.$$

3.5 Constructing product measures

Definition (Pre-measure). Let X be a set and \mathfrak{A} be an algebra on X. A map $\gamma: \mathfrak{A} \to [0, \infty]$ is a **pre-measure** if the following is satisfied:

- 1. $\gamma(\emptyset) = 0$.
- 2. If $\{A_i\}_{i=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathfrak{A}$ is disjoint and $\bigcup_{i=0}^{\infty} A_i$, then $\gamma(\bigcup_{i=0}^{\infty} A_i) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \gamma(A_i)$.

Theorem (Pre-measure extension theorem). Let X be a set, \mathfrak{A} is an algebra on X, and γ a pre-measure. Let $\mu^* : \mathcal{P}(X) \to [0, \infty]$ be the outer measure constructed from (X, γ) . Denote \mathfrak{M} as the the measurable space and $\mu : \mathfrak{M} \to [0, \infty]$ the corresponding measure. Then the following holds:

- 1. $\mathfrak{A} \subset \mathfrak{M}$ and $\mu = \gamma$ on \mathfrak{A} .
- 2. Suppose $\mathfrak N$ is a σ -algebra on X such that $\mathfrak A \subset \mathfrak N \subset \mathfrak M$, and $\nu : \mathfrak N \to [0, \infty]$ is a measure such that $\nu = \gamma$ on $\mathfrak A$. Then $\nu \leq \mu$ on $\mathfrak N$ and $\nu(E) = \mu(E)$ whenever E is σ -finite w.r.t. μ .

In particular, if X is " γ σ -finite", then $\mu = \nu$ on \mathfrak{N} .

Proof. First show $\mu = \gamma$ on \mathfrak{A} . It suffices to show that $\mu^* = \gamma$ on \mathfrak{A} .

For any $E \in \mathfrak{A}$, we know E is covered by E, so $\mu^* = \gamma$. On the other hand, let $E \subset \mathfrak{A}$ and $\{A_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathfrak{A}$ be a cover of E. Define $B_0 = E \cap A_0 \in \mathfrak{A}$ and $B_k = E \cap (A_k \setminus \bigcup_{i=0}^{k-1} A_k) \in \mathfrak{A}$. Then $\{B_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty}$ is pairwise disjoint and $\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} B_k = E$. It follows that

$$\gamma(E) = \gamma\left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} B_k\right) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \gamma(B_k) \le \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \gamma(A_k).$$

Therefore, $\mu^* = \gamma$ on \mathfrak{A} .

Next we show $\mathfrak{A} \subset \mathfrak{M}$. Let $E \in \mathfrak{A}$ be arbitrary and we want to show $\mu^*(A) = \mu^*(A \cap E) + \mu^*(A \cap E^c)$ for all $A \subset X$. Fix arbitrary $A \subset X$ and $\varepsilon > 0$. Pick $\{A_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathfrak{A}$ covering A such that

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \gamma(A_k) < \mu^*(A) + \varepsilon.$$

It follows that

$$\mu^*(A \cap E) + \mu^*(A \cap E^c) \le \mu^* \left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k \cap E \right) + \mu^* \left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k \cap E^c \right)$$
$$\le \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \mu^*(A_k \cap E) + \mu^*(A_k \cap E^c)$$
$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \gamma(A_k \cap E) + \gamma(A_k \cap E^c)$$
$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \gamma(A_k).$$

This implies that E is measurable, completing the proof for the first item.

For the second item, we first show that $\nu \leq \mu$. Let $E \in \mathfrak{N} \subset \mathfrak{M}$ and $\{A_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathfrak{A}$ that covers E. It follows that

$$\nu(E) \le \nu\left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k\right) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \nu\left(\bigcup_{i=0}^{n} A_i\right).$$

Note that $\bigcup_{i=0}^n A_i \in \mathfrak{A}$, so $\nu(\bigcup_{i=0}^n A_i) = \mu(\bigcup_{i=0}^n A_i)$. This implies that

$$\nu(E) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \mu\left(\bigcup_{i=0}^{n} A_i\right) = \mu\left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k\right) \le \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \gamma(A_k).$$

Therefore, $\nu \leq \mu$.

Next we show $\nu(E) = \mu(E)$ for $\mu(E) < \infty$. Let $\varepsilon > 0$ and select $\{A_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathfrak{A}$ covering E such that

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \gamma(A_k) < \mu^*(E) + \varepsilon = \mu(E) + \varepsilon.$$

Then,

$$\mu\left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty}A_{k}\right)\leq\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}\gamma(A_{k})<\mu(E)+\varepsilon.$$

It follows that $\mu(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k \setminus E) < \varepsilon$ and thus

$$\mu(E) \le \mu\left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k\right) = \nu\left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k\right) = \nu(E) + \nu\left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k \setminus E\right) \le \nu(E) + \varepsilon,$$

where for $\mu(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k) = \nu(\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k)$ we used the same limit argument as the previous part.

For the case where E is σ -finite, it follows from a similar argument.

Theorem (Product measures). Let $2 \le n \in \mathbb{N}$ and suppose $(X_i, \mathfrak{M}_i, \mu_i)$ is measure space for $1 \le i \le n$. Let $X = \prod_i X_i$ and

$$\mathcal{E} = \left\{ E = \prod_{i} E_i : E_i \in \mathfrak{M}_i \text{ for } 1 \le i \le n \right\}.$$

The following holds:

- 1. $\mathfrak{A} = \left\{ \bigcup_{k=0}^K A^k : \left\{ A^k \right\}_k \subset \mathcal{E} \text{ and disjoint} \right\}$ is an algebra.
- 2. Suppose $\{E^k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}$ and $\{F^k\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \subset \mathcal{E}$ are both pairwise disjoint sequences of sets and $\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} E^k = \bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} F^k$, then

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^{n} \mu_i(E_i^k) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^{n} \mu_i(F_i^k).$$

3. The map $\gamma: \mathfrak{A} \to [0, \infty]$ defined by

$$\gamma\left(\bigcup_{k=0}^{K}\prod_{i=1}^{n}E_{i}^{k}\right)=\sum_{k=0}^{K}\prod_{i=1}^{n}\mu_{i}(E_{i}^{k})$$

is a well-defined pre-measure.

Proof. 1. It is easy to check that \mathfrak{A} is indeed an algebra.

2. Suppose $\bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} E^k = \bigcup_{k=0}^{\infty} F^k$, then we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^{n} \chi_{E_{i}^{k}}(x_{i}) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^{n} \chi_{F_{i}^{k}}(x_{i})$$

for all $x = (x_1, \ldots, x_n) \in X$. Now fix (x_2, \ldots, x_n) , we then have

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \chi_{E_1^k}(x_1) \alpha_1^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \chi_{F_1^k}(x_1) \beta_1^k,$$

where $\alpha_1^k = \prod_{i=2}^n \chi_{E_i^k}(x_i)$ and $\beta_1^k = \prod_{i=2}^n \chi_{F_i^k}(x_i)$. Using the monotone convergence theorem and integrate both sides, we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \mu_1(E_1)\alpha_1^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \mu_1(F_1)\beta_1^k.$$

Iterate this argument gives the desired equality.