

A Caratheodory Extension for Signed Measures

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1 Introduction

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2 The Original Caratheodory Extension

2.1 The Caratheodory Extension Defined Using Outer-Measures

Definition 2.1.1. Given a nonempty set X , we define an **outer measure**

$\mu^* : \mathcal{P}(X) \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ as a function that satisfies the following properties:

(i) (Null Empty Set) $\mu^*(\emptyset) = 0$.

(ii) (*Countable Subadditivity*) If $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ is a collection of disjoint subsets, then

$$\mu_* \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right) \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_*(E_n).$$

%Folland page 28 definition of outer-measure

Examples 2.1.2.

%Folland page 29 1.10 proposition

%TALK ABOUT INDUCED OUTER MEASURE FROM MEASURE AND THE FACT THAT AS A RESULT, A MEASURE HAS COUNTABLE SUBADDITIVITY

(i)

%TALK ABOUT HOW THIS IS A MORE GENERAL CASE OF PART (I)

(ii) Given $\mathcal{E} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ with $\emptyset, X \in \mathcal{E}$, a function $\rho : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ such that $\rho(\emptyset) = 0$, we define the **induced outer measure** ρ^* on ρ to be the function $\mathcal{P}(X) \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ defined by

$$\rho^*(F) := \inf \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \rho(E_n) : \{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{E}, \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \supset F \right\} \quad (2.1.1)$$

We find this is an outer measure since

$$\emptyset \in \mathcal{E} \implies E_n := \emptyset, \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \text{ gives us } \{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \supset \emptyset \text{ such that } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \rho(E_n) = 0,$$

$$\implies \rho^*(\emptyset) \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \rho(\emptyset) = 0,$$

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and given $\{F_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$, we find that

$$\begin{aligned} \rho^* \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} F_n \right) &= \inf \left\{ \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \rho(E_m) : \{E_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{E}, \bigcup_{m \in \mathbb{N}} E_m \supset \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} F_n \right\} \\ &\leq \inf \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \rho(E_{n,m}) : \{E_{n,m}\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{E}, \bigcup_{m \in \mathbb{N}} E_{n,m} \supset F_n \text{ for every } n \in \mathbb{N} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \inf \left\{ \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \rho(E_{n,m}) : \{E_{n,m}\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{E}, \bigcup_{m \in \mathbb{N}} E_{n,m} \supset F_n \right\} \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \rho^*(F_n),
\end{aligned}$$

hence we have countable subadditivity.

%FIND MORE EXAMPLES (INCLUDING LEBESGUE EXAMPLE)

Definition 2.1.3. (*The Caratheodory Criterion for Outer Measures*) Given an outer measure μ^* on X , we state that $F \subset X$ satisfies the **Caratheodory Criterion with respect to μ^*** (or equivalently state that F is **μ^* -measurable**) if for every $E \subset X$, we have

$$\mu^*(E) = \mu^*(E \cap F) + \mu^*(E \cap F^c), \text{ for all } E \subset X. \quad (2.1.2)$$

%Folland page 29 1.10 proposition

%ALSO STATE EQUIVALENT CONDITION TO THE CARTHEODORY CRITERION FOR OUTER MEASURES

%SHOW THAT THE CARTHEODORY CRITERION IS NONEMPTY, CLOSED UNDER COMPLEMENTS, FINITE UNIONS, AND SATISFIES THE DISJOINT FINITE ADDITIVITY PROPERTY

Theorem 2.1.4. (*The Original Caratheodory's Theorem*) Given an outer measure μ^* on X , and the collection \mathcal{M} of all subsets of X satisfying the Caratheodory Criterion (i.e. condition (2.2.2)), we find \mathcal{M} is a σ -algebra, and $\mu : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ defined by $\mu := \mu^*|_{\mathcal{M}}$ is a complete measure.

%Folland page 29 1.11 Theorem

%FINISH THIS PROOF

Proof. To begin, we show \mathcal{M} is a σ -algebra. First, note that for every $E \subset X$, we have

$$\mu^*(E) = 0 + \mu^*(E) = \mu^*(E \cap \emptyset) + \mu^*(E \cap \emptyset^c),$$

hence $\emptyset \in \mathcal{M} \implies \mathcal{M} \neq \emptyset$. Next, observe that if $F \in \mathcal{M}$, then for all $E \subset X$, we have

$$\mu^*(E) = \mu^*(E \cap F) + \mu^*(E \cap F^c) = \mu^*(E \cap F) + \mu^*(E \cap F^{cc}),$$

which shows $F^c \in \mathcal{M}$. Finally, suppose $\{F_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{M}$. Then by countable subadditivity, we have

$$\mu^*(E) \leq \mu^*\left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n\right)\right) + \mu^*\left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n\right)^c\right),$$

and to show that $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \in \mathcal{M}$, it remains to show that

$$\mu^*\left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n\right)\right) + \mu^*\left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n\right)^c\right) \leq \mu^*(E).$$

%DIVIDE IT INTO TWO CASES WITH INFINITY AND FINITE

Observe that for all $E \subset X$ and $N \geq 1$, we have

%MOVE THIS OVER TO THE FIRST ARGUMENT

$$\begin{aligned} \mu^*(E) &= \mu^*(E \cap F_1) + \mu^*(E \cap F_1^c) \\ &= \mu^*(E \cap F_1) + \mu^*\left((E \cap F_1^c) \cap F_2\right) + \mu^*\left((E \cap F_1^c) \cap F_2^c\right) \\ &= \mu^*((E \cap (F_1 \cup F_2)) \cap F_1) + \mu^*((E \cap (F_1 \cup F_2)) \cap F_1^c) + \mu^*(E \cap F_1^c \cap F_2^c) \\ &= \mu^*(E \cap (F_1 \cup F_2)) + \mu^*(E \cap F_1^c \cap F_2^c) \\ &= \mu^*(E \cap (F_1 \cup F_2)) + \mu^*\left((E \cap F_1^c \cap F_2^c) \cap F_3\right) + \mu^*\left((E \cap F_1^c \cap F_2^c) \cap F_3^c\right) \\ &= \mu^*\left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^3 F_n\right)\right) \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^2 F_n\right) + \mu^*\left(E \cap \bigcup_{n=1}^3 F_n \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^2 F_n\right)^c\right) + \mu^*\left(E \cap \bigcap_{n=1}^3 F_n^c\right) \\ &= \mu^*\left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^3 F_n\right)\right) + \mu^*\left(E \cap \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^3 F_n^c\right)\right) \\ &\vdots \quad \quad \quad \vdots \quad \quad \quad \vdots \quad \quad \quad \vdots \\ &= \mu^*\left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^N F_n\right)\right) + \mu^*\left(E \cap \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^N F_n^c\right)\right), \end{aligned}$$

and moreover for all $N_0 \geq 1$ and for all $E \subset X$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu^* \left(E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right] \right) &= \mu^* \left(\left[E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right] \right] \cap F_1 \right) + \mu^* \left(\left[E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right] \right] \cap F_1^c \right) \\
&= \mu^*(E \cap F_1) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \setminus F_1^c \right] \right) \\
&= \mu^*(E \cap F_1) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \setminus F_1^c \right] \cap F_2 \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \setminus F_1 \right] \cap F_2^c \right) \\
&= \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_1 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^0 F_n \right) \right] \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_2 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^1 F_n \right) \right] \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^2 F_n \right) \right] \right) \\
&= \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_1 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^0 F_n \right) \right] \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_2 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^1 F_n \right) \right] \right) \\
&\quad + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^2 F_n \right) \right] \cap F_3 \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^2 F_n \right) \right] \cap F_3^c \right) \\
&= \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_1 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^0 F_n \right) \right] \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_2 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^1 F_n \right) \right] \right) \\
&\quad + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_3 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^2 F_n \right) \right] \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^3 F_n \right) \right] \right) \\
&\quad \vdots \qquad \qquad \qquad \vdots \\
&= \sum_{N=1}^{N_0-1} \left[\mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \right] + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \\
&= \sum_{N=1}^{N_0-1} \left[\mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \right] + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_{N_0} \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \\
&= \sum_{N=1}^{N_0} \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right),
\end{aligned}$$

hence by monotonicity we have

$$\sum_{N=1}^{N_0} \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) = \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) \leq \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \right).$$

It follows that we take $N_0 \rightarrow +\infty$ and find that for any $E \subset X$, we find by countable subadditivity that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{N=1}^{\infty} \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) &\leq \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \right) \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{N=N_0+1}^{\infty} \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) &= 0. \\ \Rightarrow \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \right) &= \mu^* \left(\bigcup_{N=1}^{\infty} \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \right) \\ &\leq \sum_{N=1}^{\infty} \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \\ &= \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \left[\sum_{N=1}^{N_0} \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) + \sum_{N=N_0+1}^{\infty} \mu^* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \right] \\ &= \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right), \end{aligned}$$

and we conclude that

$$\begin{aligned} \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right)^c \right) &\leq \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \left[\mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n^c \right) \right) \right] \\ &= \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \left[\mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n^c \right) \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \left[\mu^* \left(E \cap \bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) + \mu^* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right)^c \right) \right] \\
&= \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu^*(E)] \\
&= \mu^*(E).
\end{aligned}$$

Next, we want to show that $\mu := \mu^*|_{\mathcal{M}}$ is a complete measure. First, observe that $\mu(\emptyset) = \mu^*(\emptyset) = 0$ by definition and for disjoint additivity, we find for disjoint $\{F_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{M}$, we have

$$\mu^* \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu^*(F_n),$$

by countable subadditivity, and by finite disjoint subadditivity and monotonicity we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{N_0} \mu^*(F_n) = \mu^* \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \leq \mu^* \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \implies \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu^*(F_n) \leq \mu^* \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right).$$

Finally, to show completeness of the measure, given $N \in \mathcal{M}$ such that $\mu^*(N) = 0$ and $S \subset N$, we find that given $E \subset X$, we by find countable subadditivity that

$$\mu^*(E) \leq \mu^*(E \cap S) + \mu^*(E \cap S^c),$$

and since $E \cap S \subset S \subset N$ and $E \cap S^c \subset E$, we find by monotonicity that

$$\mu^*(E \cap S) + \mu^*(E \cap S^c) \leq \mu^*(N) + \mu^*(E) = \mu^*(E) \implies S \in \mathcal{M}. \quad \square$$

2.2 Applying the Definition to Premeasures

Definition 2.2.1. Given an **algebra** $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ we define a premeasure to be a function $\mu_0 : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ such that

(i) $\mu_0(\emptyset) = 0$.

(ii) Given a countable family $\mathcal{F} \subset \mathcal{A}$ of pairwise disjoint sets such that $\bigcup \mathcal{F} \in \mathcal{A}$, we have

$$\mu_0(\cup \mathcal{F}) = \sum_{F \in \mathcal{F}} \mu_0(F).$$

%Folland page 30 definition of premeasure

Definition 2.2.2.

(i) We state that an outer measure $(\mu_0)^*$ (as defined in **Definition 2.1.1**) is σ -finite if there exists a sequence $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ such that $X = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n$ and $(\mu_0)^*(E_n) < +\infty$, for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

(ii) We state that a premeasure μ_0 (as defined in **Definition 2.2.1**) is σ -finite if there exists a sequence $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ of sets such that $X = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n$ and $\mu_0(E_n) < +\infty$, for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

%define σ -finite premeasure

%MAKE NOTE ABOUT HOW THIS WAS NOT MENTIONED IN FOLLAND

Proposition 2.2.3. Suppose μ_0 is a premeasure $(\mu_0)^*$ is the induced outer measure on μ_0 , as defined in (2.1.1) and in **Examples 2.1.2 (i)**. Then the following are equivalent:

(i) μ_0 is σ -finite (as a premeasure).

(ii) The measure $\mu := (\mu_0)^*|_{\mathcal{M}}$ defined (and proved to be a measure) in **Theorem 2.1.4** is σ -finite.

(iii) $(\mu_0)^*$ is σ -finite (as an outer measure).

%show that these definitions of σ -finite are equivalent

%PROVE IT

Theorem 2.2.4. (*Caratheodory Extension for the Induced Outer-Measure*) Let $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ be an algebra, $\mathcal{M} := \sigma(\mathcal{A})$, and μ_0 is a premeasure on \mathcal{A} . Then there exists a measure μ on \mathcal{M} that extends μ_0 , namely, $\mu = \mu^*|_{\mathcal{M}}$.

Moreover, if ν is another measure that extends μ_0 , then $\nu(E) \leq \mu(E)$ for all $E \in \mathcal{M}$, with equality when $\mu(E) < +\infty$. If μ_0 is σ -finite, then μ is the unique extension of μ_0 to a

measure on \mathcal{M} .

%Folland page 31 1.14 Theorem

%FINISH THIS PROOF

Proof. First, note that for all $A \in \mathcal{A}$, we have

$$\mu(A) = \mu_0(A),$$

since by definition we have $\mu(A) = \mu^*(A) \leq \mu_0(A)$ and for all $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that

$\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_n \supset A$, we have by countable subadditivity and monotonicity

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu^*(A_n) \geq \mu^*\left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_n\right) \geq \mu^*(A) = \mu(A),$$

giving us $\mu(A) \geq \mu_0(A)$.

%POSSIBLY OUTSOURCE THIS AS A PROPERTY OF OUTER-MEASURE

Next, we find that \mathcal{M} satisfies the Caratheodory Criterion, since \mathcal{M} is the intersection of all σ -algebras containing \mathcal{A} and we showed using **Theorem 2.1.4** that the set of all subsets of X satisfying the Caratheodory Criterion is a σ -algebra.

Note that given any other ν extending μ_0 , we have

$$\nu(A) = \mu_0(A) = \mu(A), \text{ for all } A \in \mathcal{A}, \quad (2.2.1)$$

and it follows that for any $E \in \mathcal{M}$ and $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_n \supset E$, we have by

countable subadditivity of the induced outer measure ν^* on ν , we have

$$\nu(E) = \nu^*(E) \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \nu^*(A_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \nu(A_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n),$$

hence we have

$$\nu(E) \leq \inf \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n) : \{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A} \text{ and } \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_n \supset E \right\} = \mu^*(E) = \mu(E). \quad (2.2.2)$$

%INSTEAD USE LEMMA 3.3.3 AND DELETE THIS PART OF PROOF

Suppose $\mu(E) < +\infty$. Since we can choose a sequence $\{A_{j,n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_{j,n}) \searrow \mu(E) \text{ as } j \rightarrow +\infty,$$

note that since we have

$$\mu(E) \leq \mu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_{j,n}), \text{ for all } j \geq 1,$$

we have

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow +\infty} \mu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) = \inf_{j \geq 1} \mu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) = \mu(E),$$

and to show $\nu(E) = \mu(E)$, it remains to show that

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow +\infty} \left| \mu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) - \nu(E) \right| = 0. \quad (2.2.3)$$

Since for each $j \geq 1$, we have $\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_{j,n} \in \mathcal{A}$ and $\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_{j,n} \nearrow \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n}$ we find by (2.2.1) that

$$\nu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) = \lim_{N \rightarrow +\infty} \nu \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_{j,n} \right) = \lim_{N \rightarrow +\infty} \mu \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_{j,n} \right) = \mu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right),$$

hence we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{j \rightarrow +\infty} \nu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) &= \lim_{j \rightarrow +\infty} \mu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) = \mu(E) < +\infty \\
\Rightarrow \nu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) &< +\infty, \text{ e.v., for } j \geq 1, \\
\Rightarrow \nu(E) &\leq \inf_{j \geq 1} \nu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) < +\infty,
\end{aligned}$$

and we conclude by (2.2.2) that

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{j \rightarrow +\infty} \left| \mu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) - \nu(E) \right| &= \lim_{j \rightarrow +\infty} \left| \nu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) - \nu(E) \right| \\
&\leq \lim_{j \rightarrow +\infty} \left| \mu \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_{j,n} \right) - \mu(E) \right| \\
&= 0,
\end{aligned}$$

which shows (2.2.3).

It then follows from the fact that $\mu(E) < +\infty \Rightarrow \nu(E) = \mu(E)$ that if μ_0 is σ -finite, then we can choose $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $A_n \nearrow X$ and $\mu(A_n) < +\infty$, and we conclude uniqueness of μ from the fact that for all $E \in \mathcal{M}$, we find that since $E \cap A_n \nearrow E$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu(E \cap A_n) \leq \mu(A_n) < +\infty &\Rightarrow \nu(E \cap A_n) = \mu(E \cap A_n), \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N}, \\
&\Rightarrow \nu(E) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \nu(E \cap A_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu(E \cap A_n) = \mu(E). \quad \square
\end{aligned}$$

2.3 The Caratheodory Extension Defined Using Inner-Measures

Definition 2.3.1. Given a nonempty set X , we define an **inner measure** on $\mu_* : \mathcal{P}(X) \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ as a function that satisfies the following properties:

(i) (Null Empty Set) $\mu_*(\emptyset) = 0$.

(ii) (Disjoint Superadditivity) If $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ is a collection of disjoint subsets, then

$$\mu_* \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right) \geq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_*(E_n).$$

(iii)

%POSSIBLY MENTION THE MONOTONIC PROPERTY, THE LIMIT PROPERTIES, \SIGMA-FINITE PROPERTY, AND/OR SHOW THAT THESE PROPERTIES ARE IMPLIED BY THE PRIOR PROPERTIES IN LEMMA 2.3.2

Examples 2.3.3.

(i) Given a premeasure $\mu_0 : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$, we define the **induced inner measure** $(\mu_0)_*$ on $\mathcal{P}(X)$ to be the function $\mathcal{P}(X) \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ defined by

$$(\mu_0)_*(E) := \sup\{\mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\}. \quad (2.3.1)$$

We find this is an inner measure since

$$A \subset \emptyset \implies A = \emptyset \implies \mu_0(A) = 0 \text{ for all } A \subset \emptyset \implies (\mu_0)_*(\emptyset) = 0,$$

and for disjoint $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$, we find that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\mu_0)_*(E_n) = \sup \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) : \{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}, A_n \subset E_n \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \right\},$$

so it suffices to show that given $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $A_n \subset E_n$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) \leq (\mu_0)_* \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right).$$

Given $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $A_n \subset E_n$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, note that $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is disjoint. For

every $N \geq 1$, we find $\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_n \in \mathcal{A}$, and $\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_n \subset \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n$, so we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^N \mu_0(A_n) = \mu_0 \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_n \right) \leq (\mu_0)_* \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right),$$

hence

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) = \sup_{N \geq 1} \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^N \mu_0(A_n) \right\} \leq (\mu_0)_* \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right).$$

Definition 2.3.4. (*The Caratheodory Criterion for Inner Measures*) Given an inner measure μ_* on X , we state that $F \subset X$ satisfies the **Caratheodory Criterion** with respect to μ_* (or equivalently state that F is **μ_* -measurable**) if for every $E \subset X$, we have

$$\mu_*(E) = \mu_*(E \cap F) + \mu_*(E \cap F^c), \text{ for all } E \subset X. \quad (2.3.2)$$

%MAKE REMARKS AND BETTER ORGANIZE THESE DERIVATIONS

Note that given $F \subset X$ since disjoint superadditivity automatically gives us

$$\mu_*(E) \geq \mu_*(E \cap F) + \mu_*(E \cap F^c), \text{ for all } E \subset X,$$

we find the Caratheodory criterion for inner measures is equivalent to showing that

$$\mu_*(E) \leq \mu_*(E \cap F) + \mu_*(E \cap F^c), \text{ for all } E \subset X. \quad (2.3.3)$$

Moreover, we find that given disjoint $\{F_1, \dots, F_{N_0}\}$ satisfying Caratheodory's Criterion, we find by repeated use of (2.3.2), we find for all $E \subset X$ that

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) &= \mu_* \left(\left[E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right] \cap F_1 \right) + \mu_* \left(\left[E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right] \cap F_1^c \right) \\ &= \mu_*(E \cap F_1) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=2}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) \\ &= \mu_*(E \cap F_1) + \mu_* \left(\left[E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=2}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right] \cap F_2 \right) + \mu_* \left(\left[E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=2}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right] \cap F_2^c \right) \\ &= \mu_*(E \cap F_1) + \mu_*(E \cap F_2) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=3}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \vdots \\
& = \sum_{n=1}^{N_0-1} \mu_*(E \cap F_n) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=N_0}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) \\
& = \sum_{n=1}^{N_0-1} \mu_*(E \cap F_n) + \mu_*(E \cap F_{N_0}) \\
& = \sum_{n=1}^{N_0-1} \mu_*(E \cap F_{N_0}),
\end{aligned}$$

and it follows that for arbitrary (not necessarily disjoint) $\{F_1, \dots, F_{N_0}\}$ satisfying Cartheodory's Criterion, we find that

$$\left\{ F_1 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^0 F_n \right), F_2 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^1 F_n \right), \dots, F_{N_0} \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0-1} F_n \right) \right\},$$

forms a disjoint partition of $\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n$, hence

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu_*(E) &= \mu_*(E \cap F_1) + \mu_*(E \cap F_1^c) \\
&= \mu_*(E \cap F_1) + \mu_*([E \cap F_1^c] \cap F_2) + \mu_*([E \cap F_1^c] \cap F_2^c) \\
&= \mu_*(E \cap F_1) + \mu_*(E \cap [(F_1 \cup F_2) \setminus F_1]) + \mu_*(E \cap (F_1^c \cap F_2^c)) \\
&= \mu_*(E \cap F_1) + \mu_*(E \cap (F_2 \setminus F_1)) + \mu_*([E \cap (F_1^c \cap F_2^c)] \cap F_3) + \mu_*([E \cap (F_1^c \cap F_2^c)] \cap F_3^c) \\
&= \mu_* \left(E \cap \left[F_1 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^0 F_n \right) \right] \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left[F_2 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^1 F_n \right) \right] \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left[F_3 \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^2 F_n \right) \right] \right) \\
&\quad + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^3 F_1^c \right) \right) \\
&\vdots \\
&= \sum_{N=1}^{N_0} \left[\mu_* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \right] + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n^c \right) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{N=1}^{N_0} \left[\mu_* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \right] + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right)^c \right) \\
&= \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right)^c \right).
\end{aligned}$$

%SHOW COUNTEREXAMPLE OF FAILURE WITHOUT INNER-MEASURE σ -FINITE CONDITION

Theorem 2.3.5. (*A Caratheodory Theorem for Inner Measures*) Given a σ -finite inner measure μ_* on X , and the collection \mathcal{M} of all subsets of X satisfying the Caratheodory Criterion (i.e. condition (2.2.2)), we find μ_* is a σ -algebra, and $\mu : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ defined by $\mu := \mu_*|_{\mathcal{M}}$ is a complete measure.

%Analogue of Folland page 29 1.11 Theorem for Inner-Measures

Proof. To begin, we show \mathcal{M} is a σ -algebra. First, note that for every $E \subset X$, we have

$$\mu_*(E) = 0 + \mu_*(E) = \mu_*(E \cap \emptyset) + \mu_*(E \cap \emptyset^c),$$

hence $\emptyset \in \mathcal{M} \implies \mathcal{M} \neq \emptyset$. Next, observe that if $F \in \mathcal{M}$, then for all $E \subset X$, we have

$$\mu_*(E) = \mu_*(E \cap F) + \mu_*(E \cap F^c) = \mu_*(E \cap F) + \mu_*(E \cap F^{cc}),$$

which shows $F^c \in \mathcal{M}$. Finally, suppose $\{F_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{M}$. Given $E \subset X$, first, note that for all $N_0 \geq 1$, we have

$$\mu_*(E) = \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right)^c \right),$$

hence

$$\mu_*(E) = \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_*(E)] = \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \left[\mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right)^c \right) \right].$$

In the case where $\mu_*(E) < +\infty$, we find by Disjoint Superadditivity that

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu_*(E) &= \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \left[\mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right)^c \right) \right] \\
&= \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{N=1}^{N_0} \left[\mu_* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \right] + \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_* \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{N_0} [E \cap F_n^c] \right) \\
&= \sum_{N=1}^{\infty} \left[\mu_* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \right] + \mu_* \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} [E \cap F_n^c] \right) \\
&\leq \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right)^c \right),
\end{aligned}$$

%COMPLETE THIS CASE USING σ -FINITE CONDITION

In the case where $\mu_*(E) = +\infty$, we find that

$$\lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \left[\mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right)^c \right) \right] = +\infty,$$

hence either

$$\lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{N=1}^{N_0} \left[\mu_* \left(E \cap \left[F_N \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N-1} F_n \right) \right] \right) \right] = \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right) \right) = +\infty \text{ or}$$

$$\lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{N_0} F_n \right)^c \right) = +\infty$$

$$\mu_*(E), \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right)^c \right) \geq \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \right) = +\infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu_*(E) = +\infty = \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right) \right) + \mu_* \left(E \cap \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \right)^c \right).$$

In both cases, we have shown that condition (2.3.2) holds for $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n$, and $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \in \mathcal{M}$ immediately follows.

Next, we want to show that $\mu := \mu_*|_{\mathcal{M}}$ is a complete measure. First, observe that $\mu(\emptyset) = \mu_*(\emptyset) = 0$ by definition and for disjoint additivity, we find for disjoint $\{F_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{M}$, in the case where

$$\mu_*\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n\right) < +\infty,$$

we have for all $N_0 \geq 1$, we find by finite disjoint additivity that

$$\mu\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n\right) = \mu_*\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n\right) = \sum_{n=1}^{N_0} \mu_*(F_n) + \mu_*\left(\bigcup_{n=N_0+1}^{\infty} F_n\right),$$

hence we have

%MENTION MONOTONIC PROPERTY USED TO JUSTIFY THIS

$$\begin{aligned} \mu\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n\right) &= \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \left[\sum_{n=1}^{N_0} \mu_*(F_n) + \mu_*\left(\bigcup_{n=N_0+1}^{\infty} F_n\right) \right] \\ &= \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{N_0} \mu_*(F_n) + \lim_{N_0 \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_*\left(\bigcup_{n=N_0+1}^{\infty} F_n\right) \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_*(F_n) + \mu_*\left(\bigcap_{N_0=1}^{\infty} \left[\bigcup_{n=N_0+1}^{\infty} F_n \right]\right) \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_*(F_n) + \mu_*(\emptyset) \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(F_n). \end{aligned}$$

In the case where

$$\mu_*\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n\right) = +\infty,$$

we find that

%FINISH THIS ARGUMENT

Next, to show completeness of the measure, given $N \in \mathcal{M}$ such that $\mu_*(N) = 0$ and $S \subset N$, we that for all $E \subset X$, we find by monotonicity that since $E \cap S \subset E \cap N \subset N$, we have

$$0 \leq \mu_*(E \cap N), \mu_*(E \cap S) \leq \mu_*(N) = 0 \implies \mu_*(E \cap N) = \mu_*(E \cap S) = 0,$$

hence (2.2.3) is satisfied, and we conclude that $S \in \mathcal{M}$.

%SHOW THAT σ -FINITE CONDITION IS SATISFIED (OR COME UP WITH A COUNTEREXAMPLE WHERE IT'S NOT SATISFIED POSSIBLY USING SOME KIND OF WEIRD INNER SUM CONDITION)

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%SHOW THAT σ -FINITENESS OF PREMEASURES IS EQUIVALENT TO σ -FINITENESS OF INDUCED INNER MEASURES

%TRY THIS EXAMPLE AND TRY TO SHOW THAT ONLY INFINITE AND MEASURE ZERO SETS SATISFY THE CRITERION, AND HENCE THE MEASURE FAILS TO BE σ -FINITE

$$\mu_*(A) := \sup \left\{ \int \phi dm : \phi \text{ is of the form } \sum_{k=1}^N a_k \mathbb{1}_{I_k} \leq \mathbb{1}_A \text{ for intervals } I_1, \dots, I_k \right\}$$

%WORK OUT THIS EXAMPLE DURING THE NEXT DRAFT

Theorem 2.3.6. (*A Caratheodory Extension for the Induced Inner-Measure*) Let $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ be an algebra, $\mathcal{M} := \sigma(\mathcal{A})$, and μ_0 is a σ -finite premeasure on \mathcal{A} . Then $\mu := \mu_*|_{\mathcal{M}}$ defines a uniquely determined σ -finite measure that extends μ_0 .

%POSSIBLY FINISH THIS THEOREM HERE AND FIGURE OUT IF MORE NEEDS TO BE SAID

%Analogue of Folland page 31 1.14 Theorem for Inner-Measures

Proof. First, given $A \in \mathcal{A}$, we find for all $B \in \mathcal{A}$ such that $B \subset A$ we have by monotonicity

$$\mu_0(B) = \mu_*(B) \leq \mu_*(A) = \mu_0(A) \implies \mu_*(A) \leq \mu_0(A).$$

It follows that since A itself is in \mathcal{A} and $A \subset A$, we have $\mu_*(A) \geq \mu_0(A)$, hence

$$\mu(A) = \mu_*(A) = \mu_0(A),$$

and we've shown $\mu_*|_{\mathcal{M}}$ is an extension of μ_0 .

Next, we find that \mathcal{M} satisfies the Caratheodory Criterion (for inner measures), since \mathcal{M} is the intersection of all σ -algebras containing \mathcal{A} and we showed using **Theorem 2.3.5** that the set \mathcal{M}' of all subsets of X satisfying the Caratheodory Criterion is a σ -algebra and μ (and more generally $\mu_*|_{\mathcal{M}'}$) is a measure.

%ACTUALLY SHOW THAT ALL \mathcal{A} SATISFIES THE CARATHEODORY CRITERION

Uniqueness follows immediately from **Theorem 2.2.4** and the fact that μ_0 is σ -finite, since in that situation μ must agree with the outer measure $(\mu_0)^*$ induced by μ_0 . \square

%MAKE COROLLARY ABOUT JORDAN DECOMPOSITION

3 Inner and Outer Single Dimension Signed Measures

3.1 Some Properties of the Jordan Decomposition

Assume that μ, ν are signed (\mathbb{R} -valued) measures on a nonempty σ -algebra $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$.

Definition 3.1.1.

- (i) We state that μ is **positive** if $\mu(E) \geq 0$, for every $E \in \mathcal{M}$.
- (ii) We state that a set $E \in \mathcal{M}$ is a **μ -null set** if $\mu(E') = 0$ for every $E' \in \mathcal{M}$ such that $E' \subset E$.
- (iii) We state that two measures μ, ν on a σ -algebra \mathcal{M} are **mutually singular** (and write $\mu \perp \nu$) if there exists disjoint sets $E, F \in \mathcal{M}$ such that $E \cup F = X$ and E is μ -null and F is ν -null.

%DEFINE σ -FINITE IN SIGNED MEASURE SETTING AND MAKE REMARK ABOUT HOW FOLLAND DOESN'T CLARIFY THAT

Theorem 3.1.2. (Jordan Decomposition Theorem) Given a (signed \mathbb{R} -valued) measure μ , there exists two unique positive measures μ^+, μ^- such that $\mu^+ \perp \mu^-$ and $\mu = \mu^+ - \mu^-$.

%TALK ABOUT HOW PROOF IS DONE IN FOLLAND BUT AN ALTERNATIVE PROOF WILL BE PROVIDED BY SHOWING THAT CARATHEODORY EXTENSION IS IN FACT A MORE GENERAL RESULT

Definition 3.1.3. Define the **total variation** $|\mu|$ of a (signed \mathbb{R} -valued measure) μ to be

$$|\mu| := \mu^+ + \mu^-.$$

Proposition 3.1.4. (*Properties of the Jordan Decomposition*) If μ^+, μ^- are Jordan decompositions of $\mu := \mu^+ - \mu^-$, then:

(i) $E \in \mathcal{M}$ is μ -null iff $|\mu|(E) = 0$

(ii) $\mu \perp \nu$ iff $|\mu| \perp \nu$ iff $\mu^+ \perp \nu$ and $\mu^- \perp \nu$.

(iii) For all $E \in \mathcal{M}$, we have

$$\mu^+(E) = \sup\{\mu(F) : F \in \mathcal{M}, F \subset E\},$$

$$\mu^-(E) = -\inf\{\mu(F) : F \in \mathcal{M}, F \subset E\},$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\mu|(E) &= \sup \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |\mu(E_j)| : E_1, \dots, E_n \in \mathcal{M} \text{ are disjoint and } \bigcup_{j=1}^n E_j = E \right\} \\ &= \sup \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |\mu(E_j)| : E_1, \dots, E_n \in \mathcal{M} \text{ are disjoint and } \bigcup_{j=1}^n E_j \subset E \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

%PROVE THIS PROPOSITION IN NEXT DRAFT

%DISCUSS/EXPLORE CHANGE FROM $\bigcup_{j=1}^n E_j = E$ TO $\bigcup_{j=1}^n E_j \subset E$, AND JUSTIFY WHY

THIS CHANGE IS A GOOD IDEA

%CITE HAHN BANACH DECOMPOSITION OF FOLLAND

%STATE AND PROVE PROPERTIES GIVEN FOLLAND 3.1 EXERCISE 7 ON PAGE 88

3.2 Single Dimension Signed Premeasures and the Induced Jordan Decomposition

Definition 3.2.1. Given an algebra (E, \mathcal{P}) , we define a **signed (\mathbb{R} -valued) premeasure** $\mu_0 : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow [-\infty, +\infty]$ to be a function such that

(i) $\mu_0(\emptyset) = 0$.

(ii) μ_0 assumes at most one of the values $\pm\infty$.

(iii) given a countable family $\mathcal{F} \subset \mathcal{A}$ of pairwise disjoint sets, we have $\sum_{F \in \mathcal{F}} \mu_0(F)$ either converging absolutely or diverging to $\pm\infty$. Moreover, if $\cup \mathcal{F} \in \mathcal{A}$, we have

$$\mu_0(\cup \mathcal{F}) = \sum_{F \in \mathcal{F}} \mu_0(F).$$

%SHOW THAT THIS DEFINITION AGREES WITH THE GENERAL DEFINITION OF PREMEASURES

%GIVE SOME EXAMPLES IN NEXT DRAFT

%IN PARTICULAR, GIVE FUNCTIONS OF BOUNDED VARIATION AND CADLAG FUNCTIONS AS EXAMPLES

Definition 3.2.2. Let μ_0 be a (signed \mathbb{R} -valued) premeasure μ_0 .

(i) We define the **induced Jordan decomposition** $(\mu_0)^+, (\mu_0)^- : \mathcal{P}(X) \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ of μ_0 as so:

$$(\mu_0)^+(E) := \sup\{\mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\}, \quad (3.2.1)$$

$$(\mu_0)^-(E) := -\inf\{\mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\}.$$

(ii) We define the **induced total variation** $|\mu_0|$ of μ_0 as so:

$$|\mu_0|(E) = \sup \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_0(A_j)| : A_1, \dots, A_N \in \mathcal{A} \text{ are disjoint and } \bigcup_{j=1}^N A_j \subset E \right\}.$$

Lemma 3.2.3.

%GIVE THE IMPORTANT PROPERTIES OF THE INNER JORDAN DECOMPOSITION
%POSSIBLY DELETE THIS

Lemma 3.2.4. For every signed (\mathbb{R} -valued) premeasure μ_0 , we find that the induced Jordan decomposition $(\mu_0)^+$, $(\mu_0)^-$ and inner total variation $|\mu_0|$ are inner measures.
 %LEMMA ABOUT INNER JORDAN AND INNER TOTAL VARIATIONS BEING PREMEASURES

Proof. Note that since $\emptyset \in \mathcal{A}$, we have

$$(\mu_0)^+(\emptyset) = (\mu_0)^-(\emptyset) = |\mu_0|(\emptyset) = 0,$$

%SHOW THIS IN MORE DETAIL

and it remains to show that $(\mu_0)^+$, $(\mu_0)^-$, $|\mu_0|$ satisfy the properties of disjoint superadditivity. For disjoint $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$, we find that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\mu_0)^+(E_n) &= \sup \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) : \{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}, A_n \subset E_n \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}, \\ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\mu_0)^-(E_n) &= -\inf \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) : \{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}, A_n \subset E_n \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}, \\ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\mu_0|(E_n) &= \sup \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{N_n} |\mu_0(A_{n,j})| : \{A_{n,1}, \dots, A_{n,N_n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}, A_{n,1}, \dots, A_{n,N_n} \text{ are disjoint,} \right. \\ &\quad \left. \bigcup_{j=1}^{N_n} A_{n,j} \subset E_n \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

so it suffices to show that:

(i) For all $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $A_n \subset E_n$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) &\leq (\mu_0)^+ \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right), \\ -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) &\leq (\mu_0)^- \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right). \end{aligned}$$

(ii) For all $\{A_{n,1}, \dots, A_{n,N_n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $\bigcup_{j=1}^{N_n} A_{n,j} \subset E_n$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{N_n} |\mu_0(A_{n,j})| \leq |\mu_0| \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right).$$

To show (i), given $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $A_n \subset E_n$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, note that $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is disjoint. It follows that for every $N \geq 1$, we find $\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_n \in \mathcal{A}$, and $\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_n \subset \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n$, so we have

$$\begin{aligned} \inf \left\{ \mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right\} &\leq \mu_0 \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^N A_n \right) = \sum_{n=1}^N \mu_0(A_n) \\ &\leq \sup \left\{ \mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right\}, \\ \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N \mu_0(A_n) &\leq (\mu_0)^+ \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right), \\ -\sum_{n=1}^N \mu_0(A_n) &\leq \sup \left\{ -\mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right\} = (\mu_0)^- \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right), \end{aligned}$$

hence

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) &= \lim_{N \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{n=1}^N \mu_0(A_n) \leq (\mu_0)^+ \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right), \\ -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A_n) &= \lim_{N \rightarrow +\infty} -\sum_{n=1}^N \mu_0(A_n) \leq (\mu_0)^- \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right), \end{aligned}$$

completing our verification that (i) holds.

To show (ii), given $\{A_{n,1}, \dots, A_{n,N_n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $A_{n,1}, \dots, A_{n,N_n}$ are disjoint and

$\bigcup_{j=1}^{N_n} A_{n,j} \subset E_n$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, note that $\left\{ \bigcup_{j=1}^{N_n} A_{n,j} \right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is disjoint. It follows that for every

$N \geq 1$, we find $\bigcup_{n=1}^N \bigcup_{j=1}^{N_n} A_{n,j} \subset \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n$, and $\bigcup_{n=1}^N \{A_{n,1}, \dots, A_{n,N_n}\}$ is a finite disjoint collection, so we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N_n} |\mu_0(A_{n,j})| &\leq \sup \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_0(A_j)| : A_1, \dots, A_N \in \mathcal{A} \text{ are disjoint and } \bigcup_{j=1}^N A_j \subset \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right\} \\ &= |\mu_0| \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right), \end{aligned}$$

hence we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{N_n} |\mu_0(A_{n,j})| = \sup_{N \geq 1} \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N_n} |\mu_0(A_{n,j})| \right\} \leq |\mu_0| \left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n \right),$$

completing our verification that (ii) holds. \square

%IN NEXT DRAFT DEFINE A COMPLEX-VALUED PREMEASURE AND ITS INNER JORDAN DECOMPOSITIONS AND INNER TOTAL VARIATION

3.3 The Caratheodory Extension for \mathbb{R} -valued Premeasures

In this section, we assume that all premeasures are \mathbb{R} -valued signed premeasures.

Definition 3.3.1. (*The Caratheodory Criterion for the Induced Jordan Decomposition*) Given a premeasure μ_0 , we state that $F \subset X$ satisfies the **Caratheodory criterion for the induced Jordan decomposition** $(\mu_0)^+, (\mu_0)^-$ if it satisfies the Caratheodory criterion for both $(\mu_0)^+$ and $(\mu_0)^-$ as inner measures (see **Definition 2.3.4**), i.e., for every $E \subset X$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (\mu_0)^+(E) &= (\mu_0)^+(E \cap F) + (\mu_0)^+(E \cap F^c), \\ (\mu_0)^-(E) &= (\mu_0)^-(E \cap F) + (\mu_0)^-(E \cap F^c), \end{aligned}$$

or equivalently (2.3.3) holds for both $(\mu_0)^+$ and $(\mu_0)^-$.

%MAKE REMARKS ABOUT OTHER WAYS TO FORMULATE THIS CRITERION IN NEXT DRAFT (IN PARTICULAR LOOK AT THE CARATHEODORY CRITEREON FOR $|\mu_0|$)

Theorem 3.3.2. (*A Caratheodory Theorem for the Induced Jordan Decomposition*) For every σ -finite premeasure μ_0 on an algebra \mathcal{A} , there exists a σ -algebra $\mathcal{M} \supset \mathcal{A}$ such that the induced Jordan decompositions $(\mu_0)^+$, $(\mu_0)^-$ and induced total variation $|\mu_0|$, restricted to \mathcal{M} all form the complete measures $\mu_+ := (\mu_0)^+|_{\mathcal{M}}$, $\mu_- := (\mu_0)^-|_{\mathcal{M}}$, and $\mu_{tot.} := |\mu_0| |_{\mathcal{M}}$.

%ADD FINISHING TOUCHES BY SHOWING COMPLETENESS

Proof. Let \mathcal{M} be the set of all $F \subset X$ that satisfy both the Caratheodory criterion for the inner Jordan decomposition and the Caratheodory criterion of $|\mu_0|$ as an inner measure.

First, we shall show that $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{M}$ by showing that given $A \in \mathcal{A}$, we find (2.3.3) holds for $(\mu_0)^+$, $(\mu_0)^-$, $|\mu_0|$. To show that (2.3.3) holds for $(\mu_0)^+$, $(\mu_0)^-$, we find that given $E \subset X$, we find that for all $A_0 \in \mathcal{A}$ such that $A_0 \subset E$, we have $A_0 \cap A, A_0 \cap A^c \in \mathcal{A}$, such that $A_0 \cap A \subset E \cap A, A_0 \cap A^c \subset E \cap A^c$, hence

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_0(A_0) &= \mu_0(A_0 \cap A) + \mu_0(A_0 \cap A^c) \leq (\mu_0)^+(E \cap A) + (\mu_0)^+(E \cap A^c), \\ \implies (\mu_0)^+(E) &\leq (\mu_0)^+(E \cap A) + (\mu_0)^+(E \cap A^c), \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_0(A_0) &= \mu_0(A_0 \cap A) + \mu_0(A_0 \cap A^c) \\ &\geq \inf\{\mu_0(A_1) : A_1 \in \mathcal{A}, A_1 \subset E \cap A\} + \inf\{\mu_0(A_2) : A_2 \in \mathcal{A}, A_2 \subset E \cap A^c\}, \\ \implies \inf\{\mu_0(A_0) : A_0 \in \mathcal{A}, A_0 \subset E\} & \\ &\geq \inf\{\mu_0(A_1) : A_1 \in \mathcal{A}, A_1 \subset E \cap A\} + \inf\{\mu_0(A_2) : A_2 \in \mathcal{A}, A_2 \subset E \cap A^c\}, \\ \implies (\mu_0)^-(E) &\leq (\mu_0)^-(E \cap A) + (\mu_0)^-(E \cap A^c). \end{aligned}$$

To show that (2.3.3) holds for $|\mu_0|$, for all $E \subset X$, we find that for all disjoint

$A_1, \dots, A_N \in \mathcal{A}$ such that $\bigcup_{j=1}^N A_j \subset E$, we have disjoint collections

$$\{A_1 \cap A, A_2 \cap A, \dots, A_N \cap A\}, \{A_1 \cap A^c, A_2 \cap A^c, \dots, A_N \cap A^c\} \subset \mathcal{A},$$

such that

$$\bigcup_{j=1}^N [A_j \cap A] \subset E \cap A, \quad \bigcup_{j=1}^N [A_j \cap A^c] \subset E \cap A^c,$$

hence we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_0(A_j)| &= \sum_{j=1}^N \left| \mu_0(A_j \cap A) + \mu_0(A_j \cap A^c) \right| \\ &\leq \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_0(A_j \cap A)| + \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_0(A_j \cap A^c)| \\ &\leq |\mu_0|(E \cap A) + |\mu_0|(E \cap A^c), \\ \Rightarrow |\mu_0|(E) &\leq |\mu_0|(E \cap A) + |\mu_0|(E \cap A^c). \end{aligned}$$

Next, take $\mathcal{M}_+, \mathcal{M}_-, \mathcal{M}_{tot.}$ to each be the set of all $F \subset X$ that satisfy the Caratheodory criterion for $(\mu_0)^+, (\mu_0)^-, |\mu_0|$ as inner measures (see **Definition 2.3.4**), respectively. We find by **Theorem 2.3.5** that $\mathcal{M}_+, \mathcal{M}_-, \mathcal{M}_{tot.}$ are all σ -algebras and that $(\mu_0)^+|_{\mathcal{M}_+}, (\mu_0)^-|_{\mathcal{M}_-}, |\mu_0||_{\mathcal{M}_{tot.}}$ are measures. Then since

$$\mathcal{M} = \mathcal{M}_+ \cap \mathcal{M}_- \cap \mathcal{M}_{tot.},$$

we find \mathcal{M} , as an intersection of σ -algebras, is itself a σ -algebra; so follows that the further restriction of $(\mu_0)^+, (\mu_0)^-, |\mu_0|$ to $\mu_+, \mu_-, \mu_{tot.}$, respectively, are all measures; and it remains to show that $\mu_+, \mu_-, \mu_{tot.}$ are all complete measures in \mathcal{M} .

%FINISH PROOF BY SHOWING COMPLETENESS \square

Lemma 3.3.3. (Uniqueness of measures extending signed premeasure) For every σ -finite signed (\mathbb{R} -valued) premeasure μ_0 on an algebra \mathcal{A} , any (\mathbb{R} -valued) signed measure $\mu : \sigma(\mathcal{A}) \rightarrow [-\infty, +\infty]$ extending μ_0 (if it exists) is uniquely determined.

%SHOW IN REMARK THAT IF $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ IS A \subset -INCREASING SEQUENCE, THEN

$$\mu\left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu(E_n),$$

AND IF $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ IS A \subset -DECREASING SEQUENCE SUCH THAT $|\mu(E_1)| < +\infty$, THEN

$$\mu\left(\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu(E_n),$$

Proof. Let $\mu, \nu : \sigma(\mathcal{A}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be measures extending μ_0 . First, we shall prove this in the case where μ_0 is finite. Let \mathcal{M}_0 be the set of all $E \in \sigma(\mathcal{A})$ such that $\mu(E) = \nu(E)$, and note that it shall suffice by the *Monotone Class Lemma* to show that \mathcal{M}_0 is a monotone class containing \mathcal{A} , since we'd have $\sigma(\mathcal{A}) = \mathcal{M}_0$ (as a result of $\sigma(\mathcal{A}) \supset \mathcal{M}_0$ by construction and $\sigma(\mathcal{A}) \subset \mathcal{M}_0$ since $\sigma(\mathcal{A})$ is the smallest monotone class) and uniqueness would immediately follow.

First, observe that $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{M}_0$ is immediate by μ, ν both extending μ_0 . Next, we want to show \mathcal{M}_0 is closed under monotone unions and intersections. Let $\{E_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{M}_0$ be a \subset -increasing sequence and $\{F_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{M}_0$ be a \supset -decreasing sequence and observe that since

$$\mu(E_n) = \nu(E_n) \text{ and } \mu(F_n) = \nu(F_n), \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N},$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} |\mu(F_1) + \mu(F_1^c)| &= |\mu(X)| = |\mu_0(X)| < +\infty, \\ \implies |\mu(F_1)| &= |\nu(F_1)| < +\infty, \end{aligned}$$

we find that

$$\begin{aligned} \mu\left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n\right) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu(E_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \nu(E_n) = \nu\left(\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} E_n\right), \\ \mu\left(\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} F_n\right) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu(F_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \nu(F_n) = \nu\left(\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} F_n\right), \end{aligned}$$

and our conclusion is reached.

Now we shall prove this lemma in the general case. Using σ -finiteness of μ_0 , choose a \subset -increasing sequence $\{X_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $|\mu_0(X_n)| < +\infty$ and $X_n \nearrow X$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$. Note that for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we find $\mu_{n,0} : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow [-\infty, +\infty]$ defined by $\mu_{n,0} := \mu_0((-) \cap X_n)$ is a finite premeasure such that $\mu_n, \nu_n : \sigma(\mathcal{A}) \rightarrow [-\infty, +\infty]$ defined by $\mu_n := \mu((-) \cap X_n), \nu_n((-) \cap X_n)$ are finite measures that extend $\mu_{n,0}$, since for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we have

$$|\mu_n(X)| = |\mu(X \cap X_n)| = |\nu(X \cap X_n)| = |\nu_n(X)| = |\mu_{0,n}(X)| = |\mu_0(X \cap X_n)| = |\mu(X_n)| < +\infty,$$

and for all $A \in \mathcal{A}$, we have

$$\mu_n(A) = \mu(A \cap X_n) = \mu_0(A \cap X_n) = \mu_{0,n}(A) = \mu_0(A \cap X_n) = \nu(A \cap X_n) = \nu_n(A).$$

Then for every $E \in \sigma(\mathcal{A})$, noting that $\{E \cap X_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is a \subset -increasing sequence such that $E \cap X_n \nearrow E$, we have

$$\mu(E) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu(E \cap X_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \nu(E \cap X_n) = \nu(E). \quad \square$$

Theorem 3.3.4. (*A Caratheodory Extension for the Induced Jordan Decomposition*) Let $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{P}(X)$ be an algebra, $\mathcal{M} := \sigma(\mathcal{A})$, and μ_0 is a σ -finite premeasure on \mathcal{A} . Define

$$\mu_+ := (\mu_0)^+|_{\mathcal{M}}, \mu_- := (\mu_0)^-|_{\mathcal{M}}, \text{ and } \mu_{tot.} := |\mu_0| |_{\mathcal{M}}.$$

Then $\mu_+ \perp \mu_-$, and there exists a uniquely determined σ -finite measure on \mathcal{M} that extends μ_0 defined by $\mu := \mu_+ - \mu_-$, with its Jordan decomposition uniquely determined by $\mu^+ = \mu_+$ and $\mu^- = \mu_-$. Moreover, we have

$$\mu^+ + \mu^- = |\mu| = \mu_{tot.} = \mu_+ + \mu_-. \quad (3.3.1)$$

Proof. First, we shall prove that μ_+, μ_- forms a decomposition such that $\mu := \mu_+ - \mu_-$ extends μ_0 . To do this, we have two cases.

Case 1. Suppose $|\mu_0(X)| < +\infty$, i.e. we look at the case where μ_0 is finite. To prove that $\mu := \mu_+ - \mu_-$ extending μ_0 , it shall suffice to show that μ_0 satisfies the property

$$\mu_0(F) = \mu_+(F) - \mu_-(F), \text{ for every } F \in \mathcal{A}.$$

Let $F \in \mathcal{A}$. Choose $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}, \{B_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that

$$\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_n, \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} B_n \subset F, \text{ and} \quad (3.3.2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \mu_0(A_n) \nearrow \mu_+(F), \\ 0 &\leq -\mu_0(B_n) \nearrow \mu_-(F), \text{ as } n \rightarrow +\infty. \end{aligned}$$

Note that since for each $n \geq 1$, we have

$$\mu_0(A_n) \leq \mu_+(A_n), \quad -\mu_0(B_n) \leq \mu_-(B_n),$$

we find that

$$\mu_+(A_n) \nearrow \mu_+(F), \quad \mu_-(B_n) \nearrow \mu_-(F), \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow +\infty,$$

and it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_+(F \setminus A_n) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_+(F) - \mu_+(A_n)] = \mu_+(F) - \mu_+(F) = 0, \\ \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_-(F \setminus B_n) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_-(F) - \mu_-(B_n)] = \mu_-(F) - \mu_-(F) = 0, \end{aligned}$$

hence

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_+(F \setminus (A_n \cup B_n)) &\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_+(F \setminus A_n) = 0, \\ \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_-(F \setminus (A_n \cup B_n)) &\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_-(F \setminus B_n) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Then we have

$$-\mu_-(F \setminus (A_n \cup B_n)) \leq \mu_0(F \setminus (A_n \cup B_n)) \leq \mu_+(F \setminus (A_n \cup B_n)), \quad \text{for all } n \geq 1,$$

$$\implies \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_0(F \setminus (A_n \cup B_n)) = 0,$$

and it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_0(F) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cup B_n) + \mu_0(F \setminus (A_n \cup B_n))] \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cup B_n)]; \end{aligned} \tag{3.3.3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_0(A_n \cap B_n^c) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cup B_n) - \mu_0(B_n)] \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cup B_n)] + \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [-\mu_0(B_n)] \\ &= \mu_0(F) + \mu_-(F); \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_0(A_n^c \cap B_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cup B_n) - \mu_0(A_n)]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cup B_n)] - \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n)] \\
&= \mu_0(F) - \mu_+(F);
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_0(A_n \triangle B_n) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cap B_n^c)] + \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n^c \cap B_n)] \\
&= 2\mu_0(F) - [\mu_+(F) - \mu_-(F)];
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_0(A_n \cap B_n) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cup B_n) - \mu_0(A_n \triangle B_n)] \\
&= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cup B_n)] - \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \triangle B_n)] \quad (3.3.4) \\
&= [\mu_+(F) - \mu_-(F)] - \mu_0(F).
\end{aligned}$$

Then by (3.3.2), (3.3.3), and (3.3.4), we conclude that

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu_0(F) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cup B_n)] \\
&= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n)] + \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(B_n)] - 2 \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_0(A_n \cap B_n)] \\
&= [\mu_+(F) - \mu_-(F)] - 2 \cdot ([\mu_+(F) - \mu_-(F)] - \mu_0(F)) \\
&= 2\mu_0(F) - [\mu_+(F) - \mu_-(F)],
\end{aligned}$$

$$\implies \mu_0(F) = \mu_+(F) - \mu_-(F).$$

Next, to prove $\mu_+ \perp \mu_-$ (and more generally that μ_+, μ_- is the Jordan decomposition of μ) that since

$$\mu_0(X) = \mu_+(X) - \mu_-(X), \quad (3.3.5)$$

and

$$|\mu_+(X) - \mu_-(X)| = |\mu_0(X)| < +\infty,$$

we find μ_+, μ_- are finite. Next, choose a sequence $\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu_+(X) &\leq \mu_0(A_n) + 2^{-n}, \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N}, \text{ and} \quad (3.3.6) \\
\mu_0(A_n) &\nearrow \mu_+(X) \text{ as } n \rightarrow +\infty,
\end{aligned}$$

and note that since for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\mu_0(A_n) = \mu_+(A_n) - \mu_-(A_n), \quad (3.3.7)$$

$$0 \leq \mu_0(A_n) \leq \mu_+(A_n) \leq \mu_+(X),$$

we find by (3.3.6) and (3.3.7) that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_+(A_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_0(A_n) = \mu_+(X),$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_+(A_n^c) = \mu_+(X) - \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\mu_+(A_n)] = 0.$$

Define

$$P := \limsup_n A_n = \bigcap_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \bigcup_{n \geq N} A_n, \quad (3.3.8)$$

$$N := P^c.$$

We want to show that P, N make up a Hahn Decomposition, i.e., noting that P, N partition X , it remains to show that N is μ_+ -null and P is μ_- -null. First, note that

$$N = \liminf_n A_n^c = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \bigcap_{n \geq N} A_n^c.$$

Then since μ_+ is finite, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_+(N) &= \sup_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \mu_+ \left(\bigcap_{n \geq N} A_n^c \right) = \sup_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \left[\inf_{n \geq N} \mu_+ (A_N^c \cap A_{N+1}^c \cap \cdots \cap A_n^c) \right] \\ &\leq \sup_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \left[\inf_{n \geq N} \mu_+ (A_n^c) \right] = \sup_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \left[\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu_+ (A_n^c) \right] = 0, \end{aligned}$$

and hence N is μ_+ -null. Next, observe by (3.3.5), (3.3.6) and (3.3.7) we find that for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\mu_+(X) \leq \mu_0(A_n) + 2^{-n} \leq \mu_+(A_n) + 2^{-n},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \implies \mu_+(X) - \mu_0(A_n) &\leq 2^{-n} \\ \mu_+(A_n^c) &= \mu_+(X) - \mu_+(A_n) \leq 2^{-n}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\implies \mu_-(A_n) = \mu_-(X) - \mu_-(A_n^c)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \mu_-(X) - [\mu_+(A_n^c) - \mu_0(A_n^c)] \\
&= \mu_-(X) - \mu_+(A_n^c) + \mu_0(X) - \mu_0(A_n) \\
&= [\mu_+(X) - \mu_0(A_n)] - \mu_+(A_n^c) \\
&= O(2^{-n}),
\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_-(A_n) < +\infty,$$

and it immediately follows that we have $\mu_-(P) = 0$ by applying (3.3.8) to the *First Borel-Cantelli Lemma*, and our conclusion that P is μ_- -null is reached, finishing *Case 1*.

Case 2. Suppose $|\mu_0(X)| = +\infty$, i.e., we look at the case where μ_0 is infinite. Choose disjoint $\{X_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{A}$ such that $\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} X_n = X$, and note that $\mu_{n,0} := \mu_0((-) \cap X_n)$ are finite premeasures. It follows by *Case 1* that for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we find

$$\mu_{n,+} := (\mu_{n,0})^+|_{\mathcal{M}}, \quad \mu_{n,-} := (\mu_{n,0})^-|_{\mathcal{M}},$$

is such that $\mu_{n,+}, \mu_{n,-}$ form a uniquely determined Jordan Decomposition of

$$\mu_n := \mu_{n,+} - \mu_{n,-} \quad (3.3.9)$$

extending $\mu_{n,0}$, i.e., we have

$$\mu_{n,0}(A) = \mu_{n,+}(A) - \mu_{n,-}(A), \text{ for all } A \in \mathcal{A}. \quad (3.3.10)$$

We shall start by proving the following claims:

Claim 1. For every $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu_{n,+} &= \mu_+((-) \cap X_n), \quad (3.3.11) \\
\mu_{n,-} &= \mu_-((-) \cap X_n).
\end{aligned}$$

Proof. Note that for every $n \in \mathbb{N}$, and $E \in \sigma(\mathcal{A})$, we find since

$$\mu_0(A \cap X_n) \in \{\mu_0(A \cap X_n) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\} \iff A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Leftrightarrow A' = A \cap X_n \in \mathcal{A}, A' \subset E \cap X_n \\ &\Leftrightarrow \mu_0(A') \in \{\mu_0(A') : A' \in \mathcal{A}, A' \subset E \cap X_n\}, \end{aligned}$$

we have

$$\{\mu_0(A \cap X_n) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\} = \{\mu_0(A') : A' \in \mathcal{A}, A' \subset E \cap X_n\},$$

and it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{n,+}(E) &= \sup\{\mu_{n,0}(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\} \\ &= \sup\{\mu_0(A \cap X_n) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\} \\ &= \sup\{\mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E \cap X_n\} \\ &= \mu_+(E \cap X_n), \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{n,-}(E) &= -\inf\{\mu_{n,0}(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\} \\ &= -\inf\{\mu_0(A \cap X_n) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\} \\ &= -\inf\{\mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E \cap X_n\} \\ &= \mu_-(E \cap X_n). \end{aligned}$$

□

Claim 2. We have

$$\mu_+ = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_{n,+}, \mu_- = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_{n,-}. \quad (3.3.12)$$

Proof. Observe that for all $E \in \sigma(\mathcal{A})$, we find by (3.3.11) (proved by *Claim 1*), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_+(E) &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_+(E \cap X_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_{n,+}(E), \\ \mu_-(E) &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_-(E \cap X_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_{n,-}(E). \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

Now, we shall proceed to prove the rest of the theorem in this case. To show that μ is an extension of μ_0 , observe by (3.3.10), (3.3.11) (proved in *Claim 1*), and (3.3.12) (proved in *Claim 2*) that for all $A \in \mathcal{A}$, we have

$$\mu_0(A) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_0(A \cap X_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_{n,0}(A) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [\mu_{n,+}(A) - \mu_{n,-}(A)] = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [\mu_{n,+}(A)] - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [\mu_{n,-}(A)]$$

$$= \mu_+(A) - \mu_-(A) = \mu(A).$$

Next, we show that $\mu_+ \perp \mu_-$, showing that μ_+, μ_- forms a Jordan Decomposition of μ .

Since $\mu_{n,+} \perp \mu_{n,-}$, we can choose a Hahn-Decomposition P_n, N_n such that N_n is $\mu_{n,+}$ -null and P_n is $\mu_{n,-}$ -null. Set

$$P := \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} [P_n \cap X_n], N := \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} [N_n \cap X_n],$$

and note that for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (P_n \cap X_n) \cup (N_n \cap X_n) &= X_n \cap (P_n \cup N_n) = X_n \cap X = X_n, \\ (P_n \cap X_n) \cap (N_n \cap X_n) &= X_n \cap (P_n \cap N_n) = \emptyset, \end{aligned}$$

hence

$$\begin{aligned} P \cup N &= \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} [(P_n \cap X_n) \cup (N_n \cap X_n)] \\ &= \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} [(P_n \cup N_n) \cap X_n] \\ &= \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} [X \cap X_n] \\ &= \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} X_n \\ &= X, \\ P \cap N &= \bigcup_{m, n \in \mathbb{N}} [(P_m \cap X_m) \cap (N_n \cap X_n)] \\ &= \bigcup_{m \neq n \in \mathbb{N}} [P_m \cap N_n \cap (X_m \cap X_n)] \cup \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} [X_n \cap (P_n \cap N_n)] \\ &= \bigcup_{m \neq n \in \mathbb{N}} [P_m \cap N_n \cap \emptyset] \cup \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} [X_n \cap \emptyset] \\ &= \emptyset, \end{aligned}$$

and by (3.3.11) we have

$$\mu_+(N) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_+(N_n \cap X_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_{n,+}(N_n) = 0,$$

$$\mu_-(P) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_+(P_n \cap X_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_{n,+}(P_n) = 0,$$

and our conclusion that P, N form a Hahn-decomposition has been reached, finishing **Case 2**.

Next, to show uniqueness of μ extending μ_0 , as well as the Jordan Decomposition μ_-, μ_+ , note that **Lemma 3.3.3** shows that the extension μ of μ_0 (in this case where μ_0 is finite) is uniquely determined. Then given a Jordan Decomposition μ^+, μ^- of μ , we choose a Hahn Decomposition P', N' of μ^+, μ^- and observe that

$$\mu^+ = \mu((-) \cap P'), \mu^- = \mu((-) \cap N'). \quad (3.3.13)$$

Next, since for all $E \subset X$, we have

$$\{\mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\} \subset \{\mu(F) : F \in \mathcal{M}, F \subset E\},$$

by (3.2.1) and **Proposition 3.1.4 (iii)** that since

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_+(N') &= (\mu_0)^+(N') = \sup\{\mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset N'\} \\ &\leq \sup\{\mu(F) : F \in \sigma(\mathcal{A}), F \subset N'\} = \mu^+(N') = 0, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_-(P') &= (\mu_0)^-(P') = -\inf\{\mu_0(A) : A \in \mathcal{A}, A \subset E\} \\ &\leq -\inf\{\mu(F) : F \in \sigma(\mathcal{A}), F \subset P'\} = \mu^-(P') = 0, \end{aligned}$$

we conclude by (3.3.13) that for every $E \in \sigma(\mathcal{A})$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_-(E \cap P') &\leq \mu_-(P') = 0, \\ \mu_+(E \cap N') &\leq \mu_+(N') = 0, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \implies \mu_+(E) &= \mu_+(E \cap P') + \mu_+(E \cap N') = \mu_+(E \cap P') + 0 = \mu_+(E \cap P') + \mu_-(E \cap P') = \mu(E \cap P') \\ &= \mu^+(E), \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_-(E) &= \mu_-(E \cap P') + \mu_-(E \cap N') = 0 + \mu_-(E \cap N') = \mu_+(E \cap P') + \mu_-(E \cap P') = \mu(E \cap P') \\ &= \mu^-(E), \end{aligned}$$

and our conclusion is met.

Finally, show that (3.3.1) holds, note from showing that μ_+, μ_- is in fact the Jordan Decomposition of μ , with P, N (as before) defined to be the Hahn decomposition of μ_+, μ_- , we have shown that $|\mu| = \mu_+ + \mu_-$, and it remains to show that $|\mu| = \mu_{tot.}$. First, observe by **Proposition 3.1.4 (iii)** that for all $E \in \mathcal{M}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_{tot.}(E) &= \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_0(A_j)| : A_1, \dots, A_N \in \mathcal{A} \text{ are disjoint and } \bigcup_{j=1}^N A_j \subset E \right\} \\ &\leq \sup \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |\mu(E_j)| : E_1, \dots, E_n \in \mathcal{M} \text{ are disjoint and } \bigcup_{j=1}^n E_j \subset E \right\} \\ &= |\mu|(E),\end{aligned}$$

so $|\mu| \leq \mu_{tot.}$. Next, we find that since P, N are disjoint, we have

$$\begin{aligned}&\{\mu_0(A_1) - \mu_0(A_2) : A_1, A_2 \in \mathcal{A}, A_1 \subset A \cap P, A_2 \subset E \cap N\} \\ &\subset \{|\mu_0(A_1)| + |\mu_0(A_2)| : A_1, A_2 \in \mathcal{A}, A_1 \subset A \cap P, A_2 \subset E \cap N\} \\ &\subset \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_0(A_j)| : A_1, \dots, A_N \in \mathcal{A} \text{ are disjoint and } \bigcup_{j=1}^N A_j \subset A \right\},\end{aligned}$$

and since N is μ_+ -null and P is μ_- -null, find that for all $E \in \mathcal{M}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}|\mu|(E) &= \mu_+(E) + \mu_-(E) \\ &= \mu_+(E \cap P) + \mu_+(E \cap N) + \mu_-(E \cap P) + \mu_-(E \cap N) \\ &= \mu_+(E \cap P) + \mu_-(E \cap N) \\ &= \sup\{\mu_0(A_1) - \mu_0(A_2) : A_1, A_2 \in \mathcal{A}, A_1 \subset A \cap P, A_2 \subset E \cap N\} \\ &\leq \sup\{|\mu_0(A_1)| + |\mu_0(A_2)| : A_1, A_2 \in \mathcal{A}, A_1 \subset A \cap P, A_2 \subset E \cap N\} \\ &\leq \sup \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_0(A_j)| : A_1, \dots, A_N \in \mathcal{A} \text{ are disjoint and } \bigcup_{j=1}^N A_j \subset E \right\} \\ &= \mu_{tot.}(E),\end{aligned}$$

showing that $|\mu| \geq \mu_{tot.}$, and our conclusion of $|\mu| = \mu_{tot.}$ is met. \square

3.4 The Caratheodory Extension for \mathbb{C} -valued Premeasures

%SHOW THIS IN THE NEXT DRAFT

%SHOW THAT ONE CAN FORM AN ANALOGOUS EXTENSION FOR \mathbb{C} -VALUED MEASURES

3.5 Single Dimension Outer Signed Measures

%SHOW THIS IN THE NEXT DRAFT

%CONSIDER MOVING THIS SECTION TO THE FIRST PART

%TALK ABOUT WHY YOU CAN'T DO SUCH AN EXTENSION WITH OUTER SIGNED MEASURES

%FORMAT BELOW PARTS WHEN READY

%PUT LAST CHAPTER ON HOLD UNTIL THE NEXT DRAFT

4. The Cartheodory Extension for Vector-Valued Measures

4.1 Definitions and Properties of Vector-Valued Measures

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4.2 Vector-Valued Premeasure Definition and Examples

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4.3 The Cartheodory Extension in the Vector Valued Case

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5. Conclusion

