

Math 114, Problem Set 6 (due Monday, October 28)

October 21, 2013

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 - (b) For any pair of convergent subsequences $\{x_{i_0}, x_{i_1}, x_{i_2}, \dots\}$, $\{x_{j_0}, x_{j_1}, x_{j_2}, \dots\}$ of $\{x_n\}_{n \geq 0}$, the limits $\lim\{x_{i_n}\}$ and $\lim\{x_{j_n}\}$ are the same.

Show that the sequence $\{x_n\}_{n \geq 0}$ converges.

- (2) Let E be a measurable subset of $\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}^n$. For each $x \in \mathbb{R}^m$, let $E_x = \{y \in \mathbb{R}^n : (x, y) \in E\}$. Show that E has measure zero if and only if the sets E_x have measure zero for almost every x .
- (3) Let $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be the function given by

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are integrable, and compute their integrals (in other words, compute the double integrals $\int(\int f(x, y)dx)dy$ and $\int(\int f(x, y)dy)dx$.) Why does the result not contradict Fubini's theorem?

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By (b), $\exists x$ s.t. if $\lim\{x_{i_n}\}$ exists, then $\lim x_{i_n} = x$

Suppose $\{x_n\}$ does not converge to x .

For $\varepsilon > 0$, $\forall k$, $\exists n_k$ s.t. $n_k > k$ & $|x_{n_k} - x| > \varepsilon$
($n_1 < n_2 < n_3 < \dots$)

$\therefore \forall k \geq 0$, $|x_{n_k} - x| > \varepsilon$

By (a), there exists a further subsequence of $\{x_{n_k}\}_{k \geq 0}$ which converges to x .

$\Rightarrow \{x_{n_{k_0}}, x_{n_{k_1}}, \dots\} \subseteq \{x_{n_k}\}$, $\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} x_{n_{k_j}} = x$

However, for every j , $|x_{n_{k_j}} - x| > \varepsilon$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} x_{n_{k_j}} \neq x$

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$$f_x(y) = \begin{cases} 1. & x \geq 0 \text{ and } [x] \leq y < [x] + 1 \\ -1. & x \geq 0 \text{ and } [x] + 1 \leq y < [x] + 2 \\ 0. & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$f_y(x) = \begin{cases} 1. & y \geq 0 \text{ and } [y] \leq x < [y] + 1 \\ -1. & y \geq 1 \text{ and } [y] - 1 \leq x < [y] \\ 0. & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\mathbb{R}} f_x = \int f_x(y) dy = 0.$$

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} f_y = \int f_y(x) dx = \begin{cases} 1. & y \in [0, 1) \\ 0. & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \left(\int f(x, y) dx \right) dy = 1. \quad \int \left(\int f(x, y) dy \right) dx = 0$$

Since $f(x, y)$ is not integrable, it does not contradict Fubini's Theorem.

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$$|f| \geq \chi_{\mathcal{F}} \quad \text{where} \quad \mathcal{F} = \{(x, y) : n \leq x, y < n+1, n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}\}$$

$$\mathcal{F} = \bigsqcup_{n=0}^{\infty} \underbrace{\{(x, y) : n \leq x, y < n+1\}}_{\text{measure} = 1} \Rightarrow \mu(\mathcal{F}) = \infty$$

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① Prove when $\lambda = \alpha/2^i \in [0, 1]$ by induction.

Let $\alpha = 2\beta + 1$ (odd number)

$$\phi\left(\frac{\alpha}{2^{i+1}}x + \left(1 - \frac{\alpha}{2^{i+1}}\right)y\right)$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\phi\left(\left(\frac{\beta}{2^i}\right)x + \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{2^i}\right)y\right) + \phi\left(\left(\frac{\beta+1}{2^i}\right)x + \left(1 - \frac{\beta+1}{2^i}\right)y\right) \right)$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\left(\frac{\beta}{2^i} + \frac{\beta+1}{2^i}\right) \phi(x) + \left(2 - \frac{\beta}{2^i} - \frac{\beta+1}{2^i}\right) \phi(y) \right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{\alpha}{2^{i+1}}\right) \phi(x) + \left(1 - \frac{\alpha}{2^{i+1}}\right) \phi(y)$$

② Generally $\lambda \in [0, 1]$

select a convergent sequence $\{\alpha_i/2^i\} \rightarrow \lambda$.

Fix $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ and let $\varepsilon > 0$.

$$f(z) := \phi(zx + (1-z)y)$$

By continuity and convergence.

$$\exists n > 0 \text{ s.t. } \left| \frac{\alpha_n}{2^n} - \lambda \right| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2 \max(|\phi(x)|, |\phi(y)|)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| f\left(\frac{\alpha_n}{2^n}\right) - f(\lambda) \right| \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

$$\therefore f(\lambda) \leq f\left(\frac{\alpha_n}{2^n}\right) + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \leq \frac{\alpha_n}{2^n} \phi(x) + \left(1 - \frac{\alpha_n}{2^n}\right) \phi(y) + \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

$$\leq \lambda \phi(x) + (1 - \lambda) \phi(y) + \frac{3}{2} \varepsilon$$

Since ε is arbitrarily chosen

$$f(\lambda) \leq \lambda \phi(x) + (1 - \lambda) \phi(y)$$

