

Remind me to record!

Assignment 1 marks are finally out!

Assignment 3 is in on Thursday

= Assignment 4 out Friday

Riemann integration vs Lebesgue integration

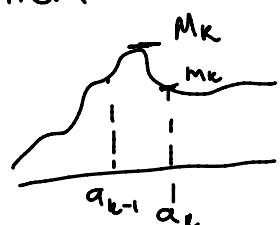
Def" Let  $[a, b]$  be an interval then a finite collection of real numbers  $\{a_k\}_{k=1}^n$  is a partition of  $[a, b]$  if  $a = a_0 < a_1 < a_2 < \dots < a_n = b$ .

I will denote partitions  $p$  or  $q$  but you might have seen  $\mathcal{P}$  or  $\pi$ .  
not going to use this

Def" Given a function  $f$  and a partition

define  $m_k = \inf \{f(x) : x \in [a_{k-1}, a_k]\}$

$$M_k = \sup \{f(x) : x \in [a_{k-1}, a_k]\}$$



we use these to define

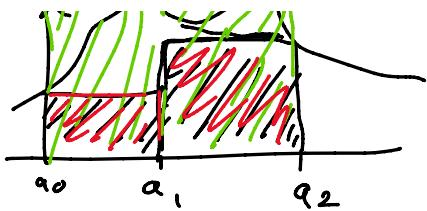
$$l(f, p) = \sum_{k=1}^n m_k (a_k - a_{k-1}) \leftarrow \text{lower sum}$$

$$u(f, p) = \sum_{k=1}^n M_k (a_k - a_{k-1}) \leftarrow \text{upper sum}$$

lower sum is sum of the red rectangles

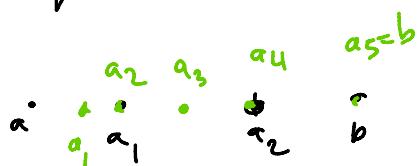
upper sum is sum of





the area under  
upper sum is sum of  
green rectangles

We say a partition  $q$  is a refinement of another partition  $P$  if every element of  $P$  is contained in  $q$ .

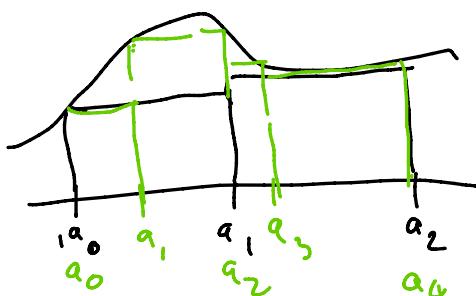


We call a sequence of partitions  $\{p_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  nested if  $p_n$  is a refinement of  $p_{n-1}$

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If  $q$  is a refinement of  $P$  then

$$l(f, P) \leq l(f, q) \leq u(f, q) \leq u(f, P)$$



the lower sum will be larger  
on a refined partition

Def'n A function

$f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann

integrable if  $\sup_P l(f, P) = \inf_q u(f, q)$ .

then we call this the Riemann integral of  $f$ .

You might also have seen a definition looking  
..... whole max interval size

| You might also have seen a sequence of nested sequences of partitions whose max interval size goes to 0 |

Before we prove our main theorem need 2 lemmas

Lemma Another characterisation of Riemann integrability:

$f: [a,b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable iff for every  $\epsilon > 0 \exists p$  a partition with  $u(f,p) - l(f,p) < \epsilon$ .

~~Pf~~ First suppose  $\forall \epsilon \exists p$  s.t.  $u(f,p) - l(f,p) < \epsilon$

then as for this  $p$

$$l(f,p) \leq \sup_q l(f,q) \leq \inf_{q \neq p} u(f,q) \leq u(f,p)$$

$$\text{so } \inf_q u(f,q) - \sup_q l(f,q) < \epsilon$$

Since  $\epsilon$  is arbitrary

$$\inf_q u(f,q) = \sup_q l(f,q) \text{ so } f \text{ is RI}$$

Suppose  $f$  is Riemann integrable

$$\inf_q u(f,q) = \sup_q l(f,q) = \int_a^b f(x)dx$$

Therefore for any  $\epsilon > 0 \exists p_1 \text{ and } p_2 \dots p_n$  such that  $\int_a^b f(x)dx - \epsilon$

Therefore for any  $\epsilon > 0 \exists P_1$  and  $\int_a^b f(x)dx + \frac{\epsilon}{2}$   
 $u(f, P_1) \leq \int_a^b f(x)dx + \frac{\epsilon}{2}$  and  $l(f, P_2) \geq \int_a^b f(x)dx - \frac{\epsilon}{2}$

now if we take  $P = P_1 \cup P_2$

then  $P$  is a refinement of both  $P_1$  and  $P_2$

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx - \frac{\epsilon}{2} \leq l(f, P_2) \leq l(f, P) \leq u(f, P) \leq u(f, P_1) \leq \int_a^b f(x)dx + \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

$$\therefore u(f, P) - l(f, P) \leq \epsilon.$$

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Lemma Suppose  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Lebesgue measurable  
(measurable wrt  $\mathcal{M}$  the  $\sigma$ -algebra of Lebesgue meas  
sets) and suppose  $g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is equal to  
 $g=f$  Lebesgue almost everywhere, then  $g$  is also  
Lebesgue measurable.

Pf Let's us take any  $B \in \mathcal{M}$  we want to show

$$g^{-1}(B) \in \mathcal{M}.$$

$$\text{We can write } g^{-1}(B) = (f^{-1}(B) \cup \{x: g(x) \in B, f(x) \notin B\}) \\ \cap \{x: g(x) \in B, f(x) \in B\}$$

$$\{x: g(x) \in B, f(x) \notin B\}, \{x: g(x) \notin B, f(x) \in B\} \subseteq \{x: f(x) \neq g(x)\}$$

we said  $f(x) = g(x)$   $\lambda$  - almost everywhere

$$\lambda(\{x: f(x) \neq g(x)\}) = 0$$

$\{x: f(x) \in B, g(x) \notin B\}, \{x: g(x) \in B, f(x) \notin B\}$  are both

so  $\{x : f(x) \in B\}$  are both null sets. This means they are in  $\mathcal{M}$ .

$$g^{-1}(B) = \underbrace{f^{-1}(B)}_{\in \mathcal{M}} \cup \{x : g(x) \in B, f(x) \notin B\} \setminus \{x : g(x) \notin B, f(x) \in B\} \in \mathcal{M}$$

as  $f$  is measurable

so we can form  $g^{-1}(B)$  by a countable (2) number of set operations on sets in  $\mathcal{M}$

$$\text{so } g^{-1}(B) \in \mathcal{M}.$$

Theorem let  $[a, b]$  be an interval. Suppose  $f$  is bounded and Riemann integrable, then it is also Lebesgue measurable, Lebesgue integrable and the two integrals agree.

Pf The important part of proving integrability is proving measurability.

Key idea is to approximate by simple functions related to the upper and lower sum.

By the first lemma we can produce a nested sequence of partitions  $p_n$  s.t.

$$U(f, p_n) - L(f, p_n) \leq \frac{1}{n}$$

( $\exists$   $q_n$  s.t.  $U(f, q_n) - L(f, q_n) \leq \frac{1}{n}$  then take  
 $p_n = q_1 \cup q_2 \cup \dots \cup q_n$  such as  $p_n$  is a refinement  
of  $q_n$        $U(f, p_n) - L(f, p_n) \leq \frac{1}{n}$  and we've constructed  
the  $p_n$  to be nested)

lets write  $p_n = \{a_k^n\}_{k=0}^{N_n}$

Two sequences of simple functions

$$g_n = \sum_{k=1}^{N_n} m_k^n \mathbf{1}_{[a_{k-1}^n, a_k^n)}(x) \quad h_n = \sum_{k=1}^{N_n} M_k^n \mathbf{1}_{[a_{k-1}^n, a_k^n)}(x)$$

we can see that  $\gamma(g_n) = L(f, p_n)$

$$\gamma(h_n) = U(f, p_n)$$

Since the  $p_n$ s are nested  $g_n$  is non-decreasing  
and  $h_n$  is non-increasing.

So  $g(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g_n(x)$  exists as does  $h(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} h_n(x)$

we also have  $g_n(x) \leq h_n(x) \leq \sup_{y \in [a, b]} f(y)$

so  $g_n$  and  $h_n$  are measurable for each  $n$   
so  $g$  and  $h$  are also Lebesgue measurable as  
they are the limit of Lebesgue measurable  
functions and they are bounded by  $\sup_{[a, b]} f$

so they are integrable.

So by dominated convergence with  $\sup_{[a, b]} f$  as

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a dominating function

$$\gamma(g) \stackrel{\text{DOM}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma(g_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ell(f, p_n) =$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u(f, p_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma(h_n) \stackrel{\text{DOM}}{=} \gamma(h)$$

so  $\gamma(g) = \gamma(h)$  we also have  $h_n \geq g_n$

for every  $n$  and  $h_n \geq f \geq g_n$  for every  $n$

so  $\gamma(h-g) = 0$  and  $h-g \geq 0$

so  $h-g = 0$  almost everywhere

$$h-f \leq h-g \quad \text{and} \quad h-f \geq 0$$

so  $h-f = 0$  almost everywhere

so  $h=f$  a.e. so  $f$  is Lebesgue measurable

$\gamma(f) = \gamma(h) = \lim_n u(f, p_n) = \text{Riemann integral}$   
of  $f$ .