

NOTE: NOT THE ONLY WAY OF DOING IT !!

#28: If $f \in NBV$, let $G(x) = |\mu_f|((-\infty, x])$

Prove $|\mu_f| = \mu_{T_f}$ by showing that $G = T_f$:

(a) $T_f \leq G$:

By Th. 3.28 $f \in NBV \rightarrow \exists!$ complex Borel measure μ_f / $F(x) := \mu_f((-\infty, x])$

For $x \in \mathbb{R}$ and any partition $-\infty < x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_N = x$

$$\sum_{j=1}^N |F(x_j) - F(x_{j-1})| = \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_f((-\infty, x_j]) - \mu_f((-\infty, x_{j-1}])|$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_f((-\infty, x_{j-1}]) + \mu_f((x_{j-1}, x_j]) - \mu_f((-\infty, x_{j-1}])|$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_f((x_{j-1}, x_j])|$$

$$\leq \sum_{j=1}^N |\mu_f|((x_{j-1}, x_j]) \quad \text{Prop 3.13 a)}$$

$$= |\mu_f| \left(\bigcup_{j=1}^N (x_{j-1}, x_j] \right)$$

$$= |\mu_f|((x_0, x])$$

$$\text{Hence } T_f(x) \leq \sup_{-\infty < x_0 < x} |\mu_f|((x_0, x])$$

$$= |\mu_f|((-\infty, x]) = G(x).$$

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(b) For any Borel E $|\mu_F(E)| \leq \mu_{T_F}(E)$

(i) We prove this when $E = (a, b]$, $b < \infty$ first

$$|\mu_F(E)| = \mu_F((a, b]) = |F(b) - F(a)|$$

$$\leq T_F(b) - T_F(a)$$

(same as in proof of Lemma 3.26) \parallel

$$\mu_{T_F}((a, b])$$

(ii) Suppose $E \in \mathcal{B}_{\mathbb{R}}$ then since μ_{T_F} is a positive Borel measure

$$(*) \mu_{T_F}(E) = \inf \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \mu_{T_F}((a_j, b_j]) : \bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} (a_j, b_j] \supset E \right\}$$

Case 1: $F: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ (real valued).

$$\text{Write } F = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2}(T_F + F)}_{=: F^+} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{2}(T_F - F)}_{=: F^-}$$

Each F^+ , F^- is real valued, positive increasing
 \Rightarrow gives rise to μ_{F^+} , μ_{F^-} positive Borel
 Th. 1.16

$$\text{measures } \mu_F = \mu_{F^+} - \mu_{F^-}$$

So consider μ_{F^+} (for example, μ_{F^-} is similar)

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By (*) $\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists \{ (a_j, b_j] \}_{j=1}^{\infty} /$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (**) \quad \mu_{T_{F^+}}(E) + \varepsilon &\geq \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \mu_{T_{F^+}}((a_j, b_j]) \\
 &\geq \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \mu_{F^+}((a_j, b_j]) \quad (\text{by (b i)}) \\
 &\geq \mu_{F^+}\left(\bigcup (a_j, b_j]\right) \\
 &\geq \mu_{F^+}(E) \quad \text{by monotonicity of } \mu_{F^+} \text{ (positive measure)} \\
 &= |\mu_{F^+}(E)|
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu_{T_{F^+}}(E) \geq |\mu_{F^+}(E)| \quad (+)$$

$$\text{Similarly } \mu_{T_{F^-}}(E) \geq \mu_{F^-}(E) = |\mu_{F^-}(E)|$$

On the other hand note that

$$\mu_{T_F}([a, b]) = T_F(b) - T_F(a) \geq T_{F^+}(b) - T_{F^+}(a) = \mu_{T_{F^+}}([a, b])$$

So by (*) and this it essentially follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (++) \quad \mu_{T_F}(E) &\geq \mu_{T_{F^+}}(E) \quad \forall E \text{ Borel.} \\
 &(\text{argue as } (**))
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Similarly for } \mu_{T_F}(E) \geq \mu_{T_{F^-}}(E)$$

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Let P, N be the Hahn decomposition for μ_F
then

$$|\mu_F(E)| = |\mu_{F^+}(E \cap P) - \mu_{F^-}(E \cap N)|$$

$$\leq \mu_{F^+}(E \cap P) + \mu_{F^-}(E \cap N)$$

by previous parts $\leq \mu_{T_{F^+}}(E \cap P) + \mu_{T_{F^-}}(E \cap N)$

$$\leq \mu_{T_F}(E \cap P) + \mu_{T_F}(E \cap N)$$

$$= \mu_{T_F}(E).$$

\therefore When F is real valued we have

$$|\mu_F(E)| \leq \mu_{T_F}(E).$$

Case 2 : $F: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ $F = F_{\text{re}} + i F_{\text{Im}}$

we have $\mu_{T_F}(E) \geq \mu_{T_{F_j}}(E) \quad \forall E \in \mathcal{B}_{\mathbb{R}} \quad j=1,2$
real, Im

(first for intervals, then open, then Borel).

$$\mu_F = \mu_F^{\text{re}} + i \mu_F^{\text{Im}} \quad \mu_F^{\text{re}}, \mu_F^{\text{Im}} \ll \mu_{T_F}$$

$$|\mu_F^{\text{re}}(E)| \leq \mu_{T_F^{\text{re}}}(E) \leq \mu_{T_F}(E)$$

$$|\mu_F^{\text{Im}}(E)| \leq \mu_{T_F^{\text{Im}}}(E) \leq \mu_{T_F}(E)$$

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Since $\mu_F^{\text{re}}, \mu_F^{\text{Im}}$ are finite by Theorem 3.5

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists \delta = \delta(\varepsilon) > 0$$

$$\mu_{T_F}(\bar{E}) < \delta \Rightarrow \begin{cases} |\mu_F^{\text{re}}(\bar{E})| < \varepsilon \\ |\mu_F^{\text{Im}}(\bar{E})| < \varepsilon \end{cases}$$

Given $\delta' < \delta \exists \{(a_j, b_j]\} / \bar{E} \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} (a_j, b_j]$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } \mu_{T_F}(\bar{E}) + \delta' &\geq \sum_j \mu_{T_F}((a_j, b_j]) \\ &\geq \sum_j |\mu_F((a_j, b_j])| \\ &\geq |\mu_F(\bigcup_j (a_j, b_j])| \end{aligned}$$

If we let $A = \bar{E} \setminus \bigcup_j (a_j, b_j]$ then

$$\mu_{T_F}(A) < \delta' \text{ and so } |\mu_F^{\text{re}}(A)|, |\mu_F^{\text{Im}}(A)| < \varepsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow |\mu_F(A)| \leq \sqrt{2} \varepsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow |\mu_F(\bar{E})| \leq \mu_{T_F}(\bar{E}) + \delta' + \sqrt{2} \varepsilon$$

$$(E = \bigcup_j (a_j, b_j] \cup A) \text{ (choose } \delta' \leq \min(\delta, \varepsilon) \text{ and let } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{to get } |\mu_F(E)| \leq \mu_{T_F}(E)$$

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(c) By Exercise 21

$$|\mu_F|(E) = \sup \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^n |\mu_F(E_j)| \mid E_1, \dots, E_n \text{ disjoint}, E = \bigcup E_j \right\}$$

By part (b)

$$|\mu_F(E_j)| \leq \mu_{T_F}(E_j)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{j=1}^n |\mu_F(E_j)| \leq \mu_{T_F}(E)$$

$$\text{by taking sup set } |\mu_F| \leq \mu_{T_F}$$

$$\therefore G \leq T_F$$