

# MAT4400: Notes on Linear analysis

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## 3 $\sigma$ -Algebras

**Definition 3.0.1** (Borel). The  $\sigma$ -algebra  $\sigma(\mathcal{O})$  generated by the open sets  $\mathcal{O} = \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{R}^n}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is called **Borel  $\sigma$ -algebra**, and its members are called **Borel sets** or **Borel measurable sets**.

## 5 Uniqueness of Measures

**Lemma 5.1.** A Dynkin system  $D$  is a  $\sigma$ -algebra iff it is stable under finite intersections, i.e.  $A, B \in D \Rightarrow A \cap B \in D$ .

**Theorem 5.2** (Dynkin). Assume  $X$  is a set,  $S$  is a collection of subsets of  $X$  closed under finite intersections, that is, if  $A, B \in S \Rightarrow A \cap B \in S$ . Then  $D(S) = \sigma(S)$ .

**Theorem 5.3** (uniqueness of measures). Let  $(X, B)$  be a measurable space, and  $S \subset P(X)$  be the generator of  $B$ , i.e.  $B = \sigma(S)$ . If  $S$  satisfies the following conditions:

1.  $S$  is stable under finite intersections ( $\cap$ -stable), i.e.  $A, C \in S \Rightarrow A \cap C \in S$ .
2. There exists an exhausting sequence  $(G_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset S$  with  $G_n \uparrow X$ . Assume also that there are two measures  $\mu, \nu$  satisfying:
3.  $\mu(A) = \nu(A), \forall A \in S$ .
4.  $\mu(G_n) = \nu(G_n) < \infty$ .

Then  $\mu = \nu$ .

## 6 Existence of Measures

**Theorem 6.1** (Carathéodory). Let  $S \subset P(X)$  be a semi-ring and  $\mu : S \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  a pre-measure. Then  $\mu$  has an extension to a measure  $\mu^*$  on  $\sigma(S)$ , i.e. that  $\mu(s) = \mu^*(s), \forall s \in \sigma(S)$ .

Also, if  $S$  contains an exhausting sequence,  $S_n \uparrow X$ , s.t.  $\mu(S_n) < \infty$ , then the extension is unique.

## 7 Measurable Mappings

We consider maps  $T : X \rightarrow X'$  between two measurable spaces  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  and  $(X', \mathcal{A}')$  which respects the measurable structures, the  $\sigma$ -algebras on  $X$  and  $X'$ . These maps are useful as we can transport a measure  $\mu$ , defined on  $(X, \mathcal{A})$ , to  $(X', \mathcal{A}')$ .

**Definition 7.0.1.** Let  $(X, \mathcal{A})$ ,  $(X', \mathcal{A}')$  be measurable spaces. A map  $T : X \rightarrow X'$  is called  $\mathcal{A}/\mathcal{A}'$ -measurable if the pre-image of every measurable set is a measurable set:

$$T^{-1}(A') \in \mathcal{A}, \quad \forall A' \in \mathcal{A}'. \quad (1)$$

- A  $\mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^n)/\mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^m)$  measurable map is often called a Borel map.
- The notation  $T : (X, \mathcal{A}) \rightarrow (X', \mathcal{A}')$  is often used to indicate measurability of the map  $T$ .

**Lemma 7.1.** Let  $(X, \mathcal{A})$ ,  $(X', \mathcal{A}')$  be measurable spaces and let  $\mathcal{A}' = \sigma(\mathcal{G}')$ . Then  $T : X \rightarrow X'$  is  $\mathcal{A}/\mathcal{A}'$ -measurable iff  $T^{-1}(\mathcal{G}') \subset \mathcal{A}$ , i.e. if

$$T^{-1}(G') \in \mathcal{A}, \quad \forall G' \in \mathcal{G}'. \quad (2)$$

**Theorem 7.2.** Let  $(X_i, \mathcal{A}_i)$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$ , be measurable spaces and  $T : X_1 \rightarrow X_2$ ,  $S : X_2 \rightarrow X_3$  be  $\mathcal{A}_1/\mathcal{A}_2$  and  $\mathcal{A}_2/\mathcal{A}_3$ -measurable maps respectively. Then  $S \circ T : X_1 \rightarrow X_3$  is  $\mathcal{A}_1/\mathcal{A}_3$ -measurable.

**Definition 7.2.1. (and lemma)** Let  $(T_i)_{i \in I}$ ,  $T_i : X \rightarrow X_i$ , be arbitrarily many mappings from the same space  $X$  into measurable spaces  $(X_i, \mathcal{A}_i)$ . The smallest  $\sigma$ -algebra on  $X$  that makes all  $T_i$  simultaneously measurable is

$$\sigma(T_i : i \in I) := \sigma \left( \bigcup_{i \in I} T_i^{-1}(\mathcal{A}_i) \right) \quad (3)$$

**Theorem 7.3.** Let  $(X, \mathcal{A})$ ,  $(X', \mathcal{A}')$  be measurable spaces and  $T : X \rightarrow X'$  be an  $\mathcal{A}/\mathcal{A}'$ -measurable map. For every measurable  $\mu$  on  $(X, \mathcal{A})$ ,

$$\mu'(A') := \mu(T^{-1}(A')), \quad A' \in \mathcal{A}', \quad (4)$$

defines a measure on  $(X', \mathcal{A}')$ .

**Definition 7.3.1.** The measure  $\mu'(\cdot)$  in the above theorem is called the push forward or image measure of  $\mu$  under  $T$  and it is denoted as  $T(\mu)(\cdot)$ ,  $T_{*\mu}(\cdot)$  or  $\mu \circ T^{-1}(\cdot)$ .

**Theorem 7.4.** If  $T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is an orthogonal matrix, then  $\lambda^n = T(\lambda^n)$ .

**Theorem 7.5.** Let  $S \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  be an invertible matrix. Then

$$S(\lambda^n) = |\det S|^{-1} \lambda^n. \quad (5)$$

**Corollary 7.6.** Lebesgue measure is invariant under motions:  $\lambda^n = M(\lambda^n)$  for all motions  $M$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . In particular, congruent sets have the same measure. Two sets of points are called congruent if, and only if, one can be transformed into the other by an isometry

## 8 Measurable Functions

A *measurable function* is a measurable map  $u : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  from some measurable space  $(X, \mathcal{A})$  to  $(\mathbb{R}, \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^1))$ . They play central roles in the theory of integration.

We recall that  $u : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is  $\mathcal{A}/\mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^1)$ -measurable if

$$u^{-1}(B) \in \mathcal{A}, \quad \forall B \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^1). \quad (6)$$

Moreover from a lemma from chapter 7, we actually only need to show that

$$u^{-1}(G) \in \mathcal{A}, \quad \forall G \in \mathcal{G} \text{ where } \mathcal{G} \text{ generates } \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^1). \quad (7)$$

## 10 Integrals of Measurable Functions

We have defined our integral for positive measurable functions, i.e. functions in  $\mathcal{M}^+(\mathcal{A})$ . To extend our integral to not only functions in  $\mathcal{M}^+(\mathcal{A})$  we first notice that

$$u \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}}(\mathcal{A}) \Leftrightarrow u = u^+ - u^-, \quad u^+, u^- \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}}^+, \quad (8)$$

i.e. that every measurable function can be written as a sum of **positive** measurable functions.

**Definition 10.0.1** ( $\mu$ -integrable). A function  $u : X \rightarrow \overline{\mathbb{R}}$  on  $(X, \mathcal{A}, \mu)$  is  $\mu$ -integrable, if it is  $\mathcal{A}/\mathcal{B}(\overline{\mathbb{R}})$ -measurable and if  $\int u^+ d\mu, \int u^- d\mu < \infty$  (recall the definition for the integral of positive measurable functions). Then

$$\int u d\mu := \int u^+ d\mu - \int u^- d\mu \in (-\infty, \infty) \quad (9)$$

is the  $(\mu)$ -integral of  $u$ . We write  $\mathcal{L}^1(\mu)$  for the set of all real-valued  $\mu$ -integrable functions <sup>1</sup>.

**Theorem 10.1.** Let  $u \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}}(\mathcal{A})$ , then the following conditions are equivalent:

- (i)  $u \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu)$ .
- (ii)  $u^+, u^- \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu)$ .
- (iii)  $|u| \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu)$ .
- (iv)  $\exists w \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu)$  with  $w \geq 0$  s.t.  $|u| \leq w$ .

**Theorem 10.2** (Properties the  $\mu$ -integral). The  $\mu$ -integral has the following properties: **homogeneous**, **additive**, and:

<sup>1</sup>In words, we extend our integral to ~~positive~~ measurable functions by noticing that we can write every measurable function as a sum of positive measurable functions, something that we do know how to integrate. We don't want to run into the problem of  $\infty - \infty$ , thus we require the integral of the positive and negative parts to both (separately) be less than infinity.

$$(i) \min \{u, v\}, \max \{u, v\} \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu) \quad (\text{lattice property})$$

$$(ii) u \leq v \Rightarrow \int u d\mu \leq \int v d\mu \quad (\text{monotone})$$

$$(iii) \left| \int u d\mu \right| \leq \int |u| d\mu \quad (\text{triangle inequality})$$

**Remark.** If  $u(x) \pm v(x)$  is defined in  $\overline{\mathbb{R}}$  for all  $x \in X$  then we can exclude  $\infty - \infty$  and the theorem above just says that the integral is linear:

$$\int (au + bv) d\mu = a \int u d\mu + b \int v d\mu. \quad (10)$$

This is always true for real-valued  $u, v \in \mathcal{L}^1(\mu) = \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu)$ , making  $\mathcal{L}^1(\mu)$  a vector space with addition and scalar multiplication defined by

$$(u + v)(x) := u(x) + v(x), \quad (a \cdot u)(x) := a \cdot u(x), \quad (11)$$

and

$$\int \dots d\mu : \mathcal{L}^1(\mu) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \quad u \mapsto \int u d\mu, \quad (12)$$

is a **positive linear functional**.

## 11 Null sets and the "Almost Everywhere"

**Definition 11.0.1.** A  $(\mu)$ -null set  $N \in \mathcal{N}_{\mu}$  is a measurable set  $N \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfying

$$N \in \mu \Leftrightarrow N \in \mathcal{A} \text{ and } \mu(N) = 0. \quad (13)$$

This can be used generally about a 'statement' or 'property', but we will be interested in questions like 'when is  $u(x)$  equal to  $v(x)$ ', and we answer this by saying

$$u = v \text{ a.e.} \Leftrightarrow \{x : u(x) \neq v(x)\} \text{ is (contained in) a } \mu\text{-null set.}, \quad (14)$$

i.e.

$$u = v \quad \mu\text{-a.e.} \Leftrightarrow \mu(\{x : u(x) \neq v(x)\}) = 0. \quad (15)$$

The last phrasing should of course include that the set  $\{x : u(x) \neq v(x)\}$  is in  $\mathcal{A}$ , but this can be trivially seen.

**Theorem 11.1.** Let  $u \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}}(\mathcal{A})$ , then:

$$(i) \int |u| d\mu = 0 \Leftrightarrow |u| = 0 \text{ a.e.} \Leftrightarrow \mu\{u \neq 0\} = 0,$$

$$(ii) \mathbb{1}_N u \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu) \quad \forall N \in \mathcal{N}_{\mu},$$

$$(iii) \quad \int_N u d\mu = 0.$$

**Corollary 11.2.** *Let  $u = v$   $\mu$ -a.e. Then*

$$(i) \quad u, v \geq 0 \Rightarrow \int u d\mu = \int v d\mu,$$

$$(ii) \quad u \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu) \Rightarrow v \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu) \text{ and } \int u d\mu = \int v d\mu.$$

**Corollary 11.3.** *If  $u \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}}(\mathcal{A})$ ,  $v \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu)$  and  $v \geq 0$  then*

$$|u| \leq v \text{ a.e.} \Rightarrow u \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu). \quad (16)$$

**Proposition 11.4** (Markow inequality). *For all  $u \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu)$ ,  $A \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $c > 0$*

$$u(\{|u| \geq c\} \cap A) \leq \frac{1}{c} \int_A |u| d\mu, \quad (17)$$

*if  $A = X$ , then (obviously)*

$$u\{|u| \geq c\} \leq \frac{1}{c} \int |u| d\mu. \quad (18)$$

**Corollary 11.5.** *If  $u \in \mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{R}}^1(\mu)$ , then  $\mu$  is a.e.  $\mathbb{R}$ -valued. In particular, we can find a version  $\tilde{u} \in \mathcal{L}^1(\mu)$  s.t.  $\tilde{u} = u$  a.e. and  $\int \tilde{u} d\mu = \int u d\mu$*