

# mas540 exercises

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**Exercise (1.4).**

- (a) Let  $I = [0, 1]$ . Then  $I \setminus \hat{C} = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \hat{C}_n^c$  where  $\hat{C}_n$  is  $n$ -th stage of constructing Fat Cantor set. Thus,

$$m(I \setminus \hat{C}) = m(I) - m(\hat{C}) = 1 - m(\hat{C}) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} m(\hat{C}_n^c) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^{n-1} l_n$$

because  $\hat{C}_n^c \uparrow \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \hat{C}_n^c$  and  $\hat{C}$  is closed hence measurable. Therefore  $m(\hat{C}) = 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^{n-1} l_n > 0$ .

- (b)  $\hat{C}_k$  consists of  $2^k$  closed intervals whose length are  $(1 - \sum_{n=1}^k 2^{n-1} l_n)/2^k$ . Let  $x \in \hat{C}$ . Then  $x \in \hat{C}_k$ . So we can find  $x_k \in I_k$  such that

$$|x - x_k| \leq \left(1 - \sum_{n=1}^k 2^{n-1} l_n\right) / 2^k + \varepsilon_k l_k$$

for some  $0 < \varepsilon_k < 1$ . As  $k \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $|x - x_k| \rightarrow 0$  since  $l_k \rightarrow 0$ .

- (c) The result of b tells us that every point of  $\hat{C}$  is a limit point of  $I$ . And we also know that  $\hat{C}$  is closed. Hence  $\hat{C}$  is a perfect set.

Let  $(a, b) \subset \hat{C}$  and  $a < c < d < b$ . For large  $k$ ,  $l_k < d - c$  since  $l_k \rightarrow 0$ . Then, for  $\hat{C}_k$ ,  $c$  and  $d$  must lie in different intervals of  $\hat{C}_k$ . So there is  $e \notin \hat{C}_k$  such that  $c < e < d$ . Then  $[c, d]$  does not belong to  $\hat{C}_k$  which is a contradiction. So  $\hat{C}$  is totally disconnected.

- (d) It is well known fact that a nonempty perfect set is uncountable. We had learned it in an introductory analysis course and topology course.

□

**Exercise (1.7).**

First, we will show that if  $O$  is open, then  $\delta O$  is also open. Let  $\delta x \in \delta O$ . Then  $x \in O$ . By openness, there is  $r > 0$  such that  $Q_r(x) \subset O$  where  $Q_r(x)$  is a cube whose side length is  $r$  and centered at  $x$ . Thus  $\delta Q_r(x) \subset \delta O$  and  $\delta Q_r(x)$  contains  $\delta x$ . But a collection of all open rectangles forms a basis of Euclidean space. So  $\delta O$  is an open set.

Next, let a set  $E$  and a positive number  $\varepsilon$  be given. Choose  $O \supset E$  such that  $m_*(O \setminus E) < \varepsilon/(\delta_1 \cdots \delta_d)$ . Then, there is a union of cube  $\bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} Q_j \supset O \setminus E$  such that  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} m(Q_j) < \varepsilon/(\delta_1 \cdots \delta_d)$ . Then,

$$m_*(\delta O \setminus \delta E) = m_*(\delta(O \setminus E)) \leq m_*\left(\bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} \delta Q_j\right) \leq \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} m(\delta Q_j) < \varepsilon.$$

Thus  $\delta E$  is measurable.

Now let  $E \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} Q_j$ . Then  $\delta E \subset \bigcup \delta Q_j$ , so  $m(\delta E) \leq \delta_1 \cdots \delta_d \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} m(Q_j)$ . Since  $\bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} Q_j$  is arbitrary, we get

$$m(\delta E) \leq \delta_1 \cdots \delta_d m(E).$$

Now let  $\delta E \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} Q'_j$ . Then  $E \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} 1/\delta Q'_j$ . So  $m(E) \leq \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} m(Q'_j)/(\delta_1 \cdots \delta_d)$ . Since  $\bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} Q'_j$  is arbitrary, we get

$$m(E) \leq \frac{m(\delta E)}{\delta_1 \cdots \delta_d}$$

and this finishes the proof. □

**Exercise (1.24).**

Let  $s_n$  be enumeration of  $\mathbb{Q} \cap [-1, 1]$  and  $t_n$  be enumeration of  $\mathbb{Q} \cap [-1, 1]^c$ . When  $n = m^2$ , put  $r_n = t_m$ . When  $n \in (m^2, (m+1)^2)$ , put  $r_n = s_{n-m}$ . Then  $r_n$  is an enumeration of  $\mathbb{Q}$ . Also, we get

$$\begin{aligned} m \left( \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} (r_n - 1/n, r_n + 1/n) \right) &\leq \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} 2/m^2 + m \left( \bigcup_{n \neq m^2} (r_n - 1/n, r_n + 1/n) \right) \\ &\leq \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} 2/m^2 + 2 + 1 < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, finiteness implies nonemptiness of the complement, since the Lebesgue measure of complement is positive. □

**Exercise (1.35).**

First, let's briefly check the idea of constructing  $\varphi$ . Construction can be done by defining a sequence of functions, say  $\varphi_n$ . Put  $\varphi_n(0) = 0$  and  $\varphi_n(1) = 1$ . Let  $C_{ji}$  be the  $i$ -th stage of constructing  $C_j$ . Then  $\varphi_i$  maps the discarded set of stage  $i$  to the discarded set of stage  $i$ , sequentially, and linearly(positive). We can extend  $\varphi_i$  by assigning value on  $C_{1i}$  using linearity and monotonicity. This sequence of functions converges uniformly, thus  $\varphi$  is continuous. The other properties of  $\varphi$  can be checked by this construction.

Let  $\mathcal{N} \subset C_1$  be a non-measurable set. Then  $\varphi(\mathcal{N}) \subset C_2$  so  $\varphi(\mathcal{N})$  is measurable by completeness. If  $\varphi(\mathcal{N})$  is a Borel set, then by continuity,  $\varphi^{-1}(\varphi(\mathcal{N})) = \mathcal{N}$  must be a Borel set, which is a contradiction. So there is a Lebesgue measurable set which is not Borel measurable.

Since  $\varphi(\mathcal{N})$  is measurable,  $f = 1_{\varphi(\mathcal{N})}$  is a measurable map. Then  $f \circ \varphi(x) = 1_{\mathcal{N}}(x)$  is non-measurable map. □

**Problem (1.4).**

- (a)  $A_\varepsilon$  is clearly bounded, so it is enough to show that the complement is open. Let  $c \notin A_\varepsilon$ . Then  $\text{osc}(f, c) < \varepsilon$ , so for some  $r > 0$ ,  $\text{osc}(f, c, r) < \varepsilon$ . Choose any  $d \in I(c, r)$ . We can choose  $r^* > 0$  so that  $I(d, r^*) \subset I(c, r)$ . Then

$$\text{osc}(f, d, r^*) \leq \text{osc}(f, c, r) < \varepsilon$$

so  $\text{osc}(f, d) < \varepsilon$ , which says  $I(c, r) \subset J \setminus A_\varepsilon$ . Therefore  $J \setminus A_\varepsilon$  is open in  $J$ , hence  $A_\varepsilon$  is compact.

- (b) Let  $D_f$  be a set of all discontinuities of  $f$ . Then for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $A_\varepsilon \subset D_f$ . So  $m(A_\varepsilon) \leq m(D_f) = 0$ . By the definition of Lebesgue measure, there is countably many open intervals which cover  $A_\varepsilon$  and have sum of length  $\leq \varepsilon$ . Using compactness, we can choose finite subcover, call them by  $(a_i, b_i)_{i=1}^k$  where  $a_i < a_{i+1}$ . After discarding all of subcovers from  $J$ , we get compact subset of  $J$ , say  $J'$ . For each  $c \in J'$ , we can choose  $r_c$  such that  $\text{osc}(f, c, 2r_c) < \varepsilon$ . Again, using compactness, we can choose finitely many  $c$ 's. Then finitely many closed intervals  $[c - r_c, c + r_c]$  have finite intersections. By taking these endpoints (contain  $a_i, b_i$ 's) as endpoints of our partition (if necessary, consider a refinement), we get

$$U(f, P) - L(f, P) \leq 2M\varepsilon + m(J)\varepsilon$$

where  $M$  is bound of  $f$ . The first term of estimate comes from  $(a_i, b_i)$ 's and the second term comes from  $J'$ .

- (c) Since  $D_f \subset \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_{1/n}$ , so  $m(A_{1/n}) = 0$  leads the conclusion. Assume not, i.e.  $m(A_{1/n}) > \varepsilon$ . Take partition  $P$  such that  $U(f, P) - L(f, P) < \varepsilon/n$ . Let  $[a, b]$  be interval of  $P$  whose interior intersects to  $A_{1/n}$ . Then

$$\sup_{x, y \in [a, b]} |f(x) - f(y)| \geq \frac{1}{n}.$$

But  $m(A_{1/n}) > \varepsilon$ . So

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{[a, b] \cap A_{1/n} \neq \emptyset} \left[ \sup_{x \in [a, b]} f(x) - \inf_{y \in [a, b]} f(y) \right] m(A_{1/n} \cap [a, b]) \\ &= \sum_{[a, b] \cap A_{1/n} \neq \emptyset} \sup_{x, y \in [a, b]} |f(x) - f(y)| m(A_{1/n} \cap [a, b]) \\ &\geq \frac{\varepsilon}{n} \\ &> U(f, P) - L(f, P) \end{aligned}$$

which is a contradiction.

□

**Exercise (2.2).**

Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Choose  $g \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^d)$  such that  $\|f - g\|_1 < \varepsilon$ . Let the domain of  $g$  is contained in  $B_r(0)$ . For  $x \in B_r(0)$ ,

$$|x - \delta x| = |1 - \delta||x| \leq r|1 - \delta| < \xi$$

if  $|1 - \delta|$  is small. Let  $\xi > 0$  be a number which satisfies  $|x - y| < \xi \Rightarrow |g(x) - g(y)| < \varepsilon$ . Then, for enough small  $|1 - \delta|$ , we get  $|x - \delta x| < \xi \Rightarrow |g(\delta x) - g(x)| < \varepsilon$ . Thus we get  $\|g_\delta - g\| \leq \varepsilon m(B_r(0))$ ,  $\|f - g\| < \varepsilon$ ,  $\|f_\delta - g_\delta\| < K\varepsilon$ . Therefore

$$\|f - f_\delta\| \leq \|f - g\| + \|g - g_\delta\| + \|g_\delta - f_\delta\| \leq (m(B_r(0)) + 1 + K)\varepsilon.$$

This says as  $\delta \rightarrow 1$ ,  $\|f_\delta - f\| \rightarrow 0$ .

□

**Exercise (2.6).**

(a) Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . On  $[n, n+1]$ , define

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} n & \text{if } n \leq x \leq n + 1/n^3 \\ 1/n^3 & \text{if } n + 2/n^3 \leq x \leq n + 1 - 1/n^3 \\ \text{linear} & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Then

$$\int_{[n, n+1]} f(x) dx \leq \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{n^3} n \frac{1}{2} + \left(1 - \frac{3}{n^3}\right) \frac{1}{n^3} + \frac{1}{n^3} (n+1) \frac{1}{2} = \frac{2n+3}{2n^3} + \frac{1}{n^2} - \frac{3}{n^6}.$$

Now, reflect  $f$  to the  $y$ -axis. Define  $f$  on  $(-1, 1)$  by 1. Then

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} f dm \leq 2 + 2 \left( \sum_{n \geq 1} \left( \frac{4n+2}{2n^3} - \frac{3}{n^6} \right) \right) < \infty.$$

But clearly  $\limsup_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty$ .

(b) By same manipulation used in #2.24.b, the result follows. See after If  $\varphi$  does not vanish  $\sim$ .

□

**Exercise (2.19).**

Let  $g(x, \alpha) = 1_{E_\alpha}(x) 1_{(0, \infty)}(\alpha)$ . Since  $g$  is nonnegative, Tonelli's theorem can be applied.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}} g dm &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}} g_x d\alpha dx = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |f(x)| dx \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} g^\alpha dx d\alpha = \int_{(0, \infty)} m(E_\alpha) d\alpha. \end{aligned}$$

Because  $g_x(\alpha) = 1_{(0 < \alpha < |f(x)|)}(\alpha)$  and  $g^\alpha(x) = 1_{(0 < \alpha < |f(x)|)}(x)$ .

□

**Exercise (2.24).**

Let  $\varphi = f * g$ .

(a) Choose  $h > 0$  small so that  $\|f_h - f\|_1 < \varepsilon$ . Then

$$|\varphi(x+h) - \varphi(x)| \leq \int |f(x+h-y) - f(x-y)| |g(y)| dy \leq B \|f_h - f\|_1 < B\varepsilon.$$

Thus  $\varphi$  is uniformly continuous.

(b) By Tonelli's theorem,

$$\|\varphi\|_1 \leq \iint |f(x-y)| |g(y)| dy dx \leq \|f\|_1 \int |g(y)| dy = \|f\|_1 \|g\|_1 < \infty.$$

So  $\varphi \in L^1$ . Note that  $\varphi$  is uniformly continuous by (a).

If  $\varphi$  does not vanish at infinity, then there exists  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that for all  $M > 0$ , there is  $|x_M| \geq M : |\varphi(x_M)| > 2\varepsilon$ . By uniform continuity, there is  $\delta > 0$  such that  $|x - y| < \delta \Rightarrow |\varphi(x) - \varphi(y)| < \varepsilon$ . We can get strictly increasing sequence  $y_i \in \{x_M : M > 0\}$  such that  $B_\delta(y_i) \cap B_\delta(y_j) = \emptyset$  whenever  $i \neq j$ .

Note that for  $x \in B_\delta(y_i)$ ,  $|\varphi(x)| > \varepsilon$ . Thus

$$\int |\varphi| dx \geq \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \varepsilon m(B_\delta(y_i)) = \infty.$$

But the above contradicts to  $\varphi \in L^1$ .

□

**Problem (2.3).**

Let  $E_k = \{|f_k - f| > \varepsilon\}$ . By the Markov inequality,

$$m(E_k) \leq \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int |f_k - f| dm.$$

Since  $f_k \rightarrow f$  in  $L^1$ , we get  $m(E_k) \rightarrow 0$ . Thus  $L^1$  convergence implies the convergence in measure.

For counterexample, consider  $f_k = k 1_{(0, 1/k)}$ . Then  $\int f_k dm = 1$ . But  $m(|f_k| > \varepsilon) \leq 1/k$  so  $f_k \rightarrow 0$  in measure. But, as we seen,  $f_k$  does not converge to 0 in  $L^1$ . Thus the converse of the previous result is not true. □

**Exercise (3.2).**

Let  $\{L_\delta\}$  be any approximation to the identity. Then, by triangle inequality,  $\{K_\delta + L_\delta\}$  is also approximation to the identity because of the third condition. Therefore

$$f * (K_\delta + L_\delta)(x) \rightarrow f(x) \text{ a.e. } x$$

as  $\delta \rightarrow 0$  by theorem 2.1.

But,

$$\begin{aligned} f * (K_\delta + L_\delta)(x) &= \int f(x-y)(K_\delta(y) + L_\delta(y))dy \\ &= f * K_\delta(x) + f * L_\delta(x). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $f * L_\delta(x) \rightarrow f(x)$  for a.e.  $x$ ,  $f * K_\delta(x) \rightarrow 0$  for a.e.  $x$  necessarily. □

**Exercise (3.5).**

(a) By the change of variable formula( $\log x = t$ ),

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}} |f(x)|dx &= \int_{-1/2}^{1/2} f(x)dx \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{-\log 2} \frac{1}{t^2} dt = \frac{1}{\log 2} < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

(b) Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} f^*(x) &\geq \frac{1}{2|x| + 2\varepsilon} \int_{-|x|-\varepsilon}^{|x|+\varepsilon} \frac{dt}{t(\log t)^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{|x| + \varepsilon} \int_0^{|x|+\varepsilon} \frac{dt}{t(\log t)^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{-\log(|x| + \varepsilon)(|x| + \varepsilon)}. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\varepsilon > 0$  is arbitrary, by taking  $\varepsilon \downarrow 0$ , we obtain

$$f^*(x) \geq \frac{1}{|x| \log \frac{1}{|x|}}.$$

But  $1/(-|x| \log |x|)$  is clearly non-locally integrable function. This is by integrating on the interval containing 0 and the change of variable formula, used above. □

**Exercise (3.12).**

By chain rule,  $F'$  exists for all  $x \neq 0$ . But,

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{F(h)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \sin(1/h^2) = 0$$

Thus  $F'$  exists for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

For  $1/\sqrt{2n\pi + \pi/6} \leq x \leq 1/\sqrt{2n\pi - \pi/6}$ ,  $2n\pi - \pi/6 \leq 1/x^2 \leq 2n\pi + \pi/6$ , thus  $\cos 1/x^2 \geq \sqrt{3}/2$  and  $|\sin 1/x^2| \leq 1/2$ . So  $|F'| \geq 2/x \cos 1/x^2 - 2x |\sin 1/x^2| \geq \sqrt{3}\sqrt{2n\pi - \pi/6} - 1/\sqrt{2n\pi - \pi/6}$ .

By using the above,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 |F'| dm &\geq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( 1/\sqrt{2n\pi - \pi/6} - 1/\sqrt{2n\pi + \pi/6} \right) \left( \sqrt{3}\sqrt{2n\pi - \pi/6} - 1/\sqrt{2n\pi - \pi/6} \right) \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\pi/\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2n\pi + \pi/6} \left( \sqrt{2n\pi + \pi/6} + \sqrt{2n\pi - \pi/6} \right)} \\ &\quad - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\pi/3}{(2n\pi - \pi/6) \sqrt{2n\pi + \pi/6} \left( \sqrt{2n\pi + \pi/6} + \sqrt{2n\pi - \pi/6} \right)} \end{aligned}$$

where the last sum converges and previous one diverges (by p-test.) Thus  $F'$  is non-integrable. □

**Exercise (3.23).**

(a) Follow the hint.

$$(D^+ G_\varepsilon)(x_0) = (D^+ F)(x_0) + \varepsilon > 0.$$

This means, for sufficiently small  $h > 0$ ,

$$G_\varepsilon(x_0 + h) > G_\varepsilon(x_0) \geq 0.$$

This contradicts to our choice of  $x_0$ .

(b) Use the Mean value theorem. □

**Exercise (3.25).**

(a) Let  $f$  be the function given in the hint. Note that all of points in any open set  $O$  is a point of Lebesgue density. This is because, we can only consider small ball  $B_x$  contained in  $O$ . Thus

$$\liminf \frac{m(O_n \cap B)}{m(B)} = 1$$



for all  $x \in E$ . Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \liminf \frac{1}{m(B)} \int_B f dm &= \liminf \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{m(O_n \cap B)}{m(B)} \\ &\geq \sum_{n \geq 1} \liminf \frac{m(O_n \cap B)}{m(B)} = \sum_{n \geq 1} 1 = \infty. \end{aligned}$$

(b) Let  $F(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f(t)dt$  where  $f$  is the function found in a. Then  $F$  satisfies the given condition.

□

**Exercise (3.32).**

Assume the Lipschitz condition. Take  $\delta = \varepsilon/M$  when  $\varepsilon > 0$  is given. For  $(a_i, b_i)$  such that  $\sum_i (b_i - a_i) < \delta$ , then  $\sum_i |f(b_i) - f(a_i)| \leq M \sum_i (b_i - a_i) < M\delta = \varepsilon$ . Thus  $f$  is absolutely continuous. So  $f'$  exists a.e. Now consider the following:

$$|f'(x)| = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|f(x+h) - f(x)|}{|h|} \leq M$$

Thus  $|f'| \leq M$  a.e.  $x$ .

For the other direction, without loss of generality, assume  $x \leq y$ . Since  $f$  is absolutely continuous,  $f'$  exists a.e., and  $\int_x^y f' dm = f(y) - f(x)$ . Thus,  $|f(x) - f(y)| = |\int_x^y f' dm| \leq \int_x^y |f'| dm \leq (y - x)M = |x - y|M$ .

□

**Problem (3.5).**

First, assume that  $F' \geq 0$  a.e. Let  $E$  be the set,  $F'(x) < 0$ . According to exercise 25, we can find  $\Phi$  which is increasing, absolutely continuous, and  $D_{\pm}\Phi(x) = \infty$  for all  $x \in E$ . Note that  $\infty = D_+\Phi(x) \leq D^+\Phi(x)$ . Now, for  $\delta > 0$ , consider  $F + \delta\Phi$ . On  $E$ ,  $D^+(F + \delta\Phi) = \infty > 0$ . On  $E^c$ ,  $D^+(F + \delta\Phi) = F' + \delta\Phi' \geq 0$ . Therefore, by exercise 23,  $F + \delta\Phi$  is an increasing function. So

$$F(x) - F(a) + \delta(\Phi(x) - \Phi(a)) \geq 0.$$

Since  $\delta > 0$  is arbitrary, we can assert  $F(x) \geq F(a)$  whenever  $x \geq a$ .

Now we'll solve the problem using the above. Let  $G(x) = \int_a^x F' dm$ . Then  $G'(x) = F'(x)$  a.e. by Lebesgue differentiation theorem. Thus  $G'(x) - F'(x) \geq 0$  a.e. Then, the above implies  $G(x) - G(a) - F(x) + F(a) \geq 0$ . Since we can say that  $G'(x) - F'(x) \leq 0$  a.e. also, we obtain  $G(x) - G(a) - F(x) + F(a) \leq 0$ . But  $G(a) = 0$ . Therefore  $F(x) - F(a) = G(x) = \int_a^x F' dm$ . Since  $F'$  is integrable,  $\nu(B) = \int_B F' dm$  is absolutely continuous with respect to  $m$  so  $F$  is absolutely continuous.

□

**Exercise (4.4).**

First, let's show the completeness. Let  $\{f_n\} \subset l^2(\mathbb{Z})$  be a Cauchy sequence. Choose  $n_k$  such that  $\|f_{n_{k+1}} - f_{n_k}\| < 2^{-k+1}$ . Define  $f = f_{n_1} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (f_{n_{k+1}} - f_{n_k})$  and  $g = |f_{n_1}| + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |f_{n_{k+1}} - f_{n_k}|$ . Note that  $\|g\| \leq \|f_{n_1}\| + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \|f_{n_{k+1}} - f_{n_k}\| \leq \|f_{n_1}\| + 2 < \infty$ . Because, for each  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $|f(i)| \leq g(i) \leq \|g\| < \infty$ , we can observe that  $f(i)$  is absolutely converges. Thus  $f$  is well defined function, also in  $l^2$  ( $\because \|f\| \leq \|g\| < \infty$ ). Now let's show that  $f_{n_k} \rightarrow f$ .

$$\|f - f_{n_k}\| \leq \sum_{m=k}^{\infty} \|f_{n_{m+1}} - f_{n_m}\| \leq 2^{-k}.$$

So  $f_{n_k} \rightarrow f$  as  $k \rightarrow \infty$  in  $l^2$ . Therefore  $l^2(\mathbb{Z})$  is complete.

Now let's show the separability. Let  $\mathcal{B}$  be the set of all rational sequence in  $l^2(\mathbb{Z})$ . Clearly, it is nonempty since the zero sequence is in  $\mathcal{B}$ . Let  $f \in l^2$ . Fix  $\varepsilon > 0$ . For each  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ , choose  $q_i$  such that

$$|f(i) - q_i|^2 < \frac{\varepsilon^2}{2^{|i|}}.$$

Let  $q : i \mapsto q_i$ . Then  $\|q\| \leq \|q - f\| + \|f\|$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} \|q - f\| &= \left( \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} |q_i - f(i)|^2 \right)^{1/2} \\ &\leq \left( \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\varepsilon^2}{2^{|i|}} \right)^{1/2} \\ &= \sqrt{3}\varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\|f\| < \infty$ , we can see that  $q \in l^2$  and  $\|f - q\| \leq \sqrt{3}\varepsilon$ . Note that  $q \in l^2$  implies  $q \in \mathcal{B}$ . So  $\mathcal{B}$  is dense in  $l^2$ , and clearly  $\mathcal{B}$  is countable set.  $\square$

**Exercise (4.15).**

Let  $\{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\}$  be an orthonormal basis of  $\mathcal{H}_1$ . Let  $f \in \mathcal{H}_1$ ,  $\|f\| = 1$ . Then  $f = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i e_i$ , where  $\sqrt{\sum |c_i|^2} = 1$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \|Tf\| &= \|c_1 T e_1 + \dots + c_n T e_n\| \\ &\leq |c_1| \|T e_1\| + \dots + |c_n| \|T e_n\| \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i| M \\ &\leq M \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^2 \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n 1 \right)^{1/2} \\ &= \sqrt{n} M < \infty \end{aligned}$$

where  $M = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \|Te_i\|$ . Since  $n$  is fixed, the above says that  $T$  is bounded operator.

□

**Exercise (4.22).**

(a) *Polarization identity:*

$$(f, g) = \frac{1}{4} [\|f + g\|^2 - \|f - g\|^2 + i\|f + ig\|^2 - i\|f - ig\|^2].$$

*This can be shown by using the hint. (Actually, we have seen it in the lecture.)*

*Put  $Tf, Tg$  in the place of  $f, g$  respectively. Since  $T$  is linear and  $\|Tf\| = \|f\|$ , we can easily see that  $(f, g) = (Tf, Tg)$ .*

*Now fix  $g \in \mathcal{H}$ . Then  $(f, T^*Tg) = (Tf, Tg)$  by the definition of adjoint, and  $(Tf, Tg) = (f, g)$  by isometric property of  $T$ . Thus*

$$(f, T^*Tg - g) = 0$$

*for all  $f \in \mathcal{H}$ . Therefore  $T^*T = I$  by taking  $f = T^*Tg - g$ .*

(b) *Let's show the injectivity. Let  $Tf = Tg$ . Then*

$$0 = \|Tf - Tg\| = \|f - g\| \Rightarrow f = g.$$

*Thus  $T$  is bijective isometry. Therefore it is an unitary operator.*

*Now fix  $g \in \mathcal{H}$ . For each  $f \in \mathcal{H}$ , there is  $h$  such that  $f = Th$  because of the surjectivity. Then*

$$\begin{aligned} (f, TT^*g) &= (Th, TT^*g) \\ &= (h, T^*TT^*g) \\ &= (h, T^*g) \\ &= (Th, g) \\ &= (f, g) \end{aligned}$$

*by the definition of the adjoint and  $T^*T = I$  because  $T$  is an isometry. Therefore*

$$(f, TT^*g - g) = 0$$

*for all  $f \in \mathcal{H}$ . By taking  $f = TT^*g - g$ , we can conclude that  $TT^* = I$ .*

(c) *Let  $\mathcal{H} = l^2(\mathbb{N})$ . Let  $f = (f(1), f(2), \dots) \in \mathcal{H}$ . Define  $T : (f(1), f(2), \dots) \mapsto (0, f(1), f(2), \dots)$ . Clearly  $T$  is a linear operator, but non-surjective. If we show that  $T$  is isometry, then we are done.*

$$\|Tf\|^2 = 0 + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |f(i)|^2 = \|f\|^2.$$

*So  $T$  is an isometry, which is not unitary.*

(d) Note that unitary operator is isometry. So, by (a) and Cauchy Schwartz inequality,

$$(Tf, Tf) = (f, T^*Tf) \leq \|f\| \|T^*Tf\| = \|f\|^2.$$

Thus  $\|Tf\| \leq \|f\|$ .

For the other direction,

$$\begin{aligned} (f, f) &= (T^*Tf, T^*Tf) \\ &= (Tf, TT^*Tf) \\ &\leq \|Tf\| \|TT^*Tf\|. \end{aligned}$$

But  $\|TT^*Tf\|^2 = (TT^*Tf, TT^*Tf) = (Tf, TT^*TT^*Tf) = (Tf, Tf) = \|Tf\|^2$  since  $(T^*T)^*(T^*T) = T^*TT^*T = I$  by (a). Therefore  $(f, f) \leq (Tf, Tf)$ , which completes the proof.

□

**Exercise (4.32).**

(a)  $T(cf + dg)(t) = t(cf + dg)(t) = ct f(t) + dt g(t) = cT(f)(t) + dT(g)(t)$  so  $T$  is linear. Note that  $t^2 \leq 1$  on  $[0, 1]$ . So

$$\|Tf\|^2 = \int_0^1 t^2 |f(t)|^2 dt \leq \int_0^1 |f(t)|^2 dt = \|f\|^2$$

which says that  $\|T\| \leq 1$ .

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} (Tf, g) &= \int_0^1 t f(t) \overline{g(t)} dt \\ &= \int_0^1 f(t) \overline{t g(t)} dt = (f, Tg) \end{aligned}$$

hence  $Tg = T^*g$  for all  $g \in L^2[0, 1]$  by same argument used in exercise 22. Thus  $T$  is a bounded linear operator with  $T = T^*$ .

Let  $f_n(t) = \sqrt{2n+1} t^n$ . Then  $\|f_n\|^2 = \int_0^1 (2n+1) t^{2n} dt = 1$  for all  $n$ . Thus  $f_n \in$  the unit ball of  $L^2[0, 1]$ . For any subsequence  $f_{n_k}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} &\|Tf_{n_k} - Tf_{n_l}\|^2 \\ &= \int_0^1 (2n_k+1)t^{2n_k+2} + (2n_l+1)t^{2n_l+2} - 2\sqrt{(n_k+1)(n_l+1)}t^{(n_k+1)(n_l+1)} dt \\ &= \frac{2n_k+1}{2n_k+3} + \frac{2n_l+1}{2n_l+3} - \frac{2\sqrt{(n_k+1)(n_l+1)}}{(n_k+1)(n_l+1)+1}. \end{aligned}$$

As  $n_k, n_l \rightarrow \infty$ , the first two terms go to 1 respectively, but the last term go to 0. So the sequence does not converge. Hence  $T$  is non-compact.

- (b) Suppose  $T\varphi = \lambda\varphi$ . Then  $t\varphi(t) = \lambda\varphi(t)$  for all  $t \in [0, 1]$ . Then  $t\varphi(t)1_{\varphi \neq 0}(t) = \lambda\varphi(t)1_{\varphi \neq 0}(t)$ , so  $1_{\varphi \neq 0}(t) = 0$ , which means  $\varphi = 0$ . But the zero vector cannot be an eigenvector, hence there is no eigenvector.

□

**Problem (4.1).**

Let  $X$  be a collection of linearly independent subsets of  $\mathcal{H}$ . Impose partial order by the inclusion. Note that  $X$  is nonempty since the empty set is in  $X$ .

We'll use Zorn's lemma which is equivalent to the AC. Let  $Y$  be any totally ordered subset of  $X$ .  $L_Y = \bigcup_{w \in Y} w$ . Then every finite subset of  $L_Y$  is in  $Y$ , since  $Y$  is totally ordered. Hence  $L_Y$  is linearly independent, so  $L_Y \in X$ . But, note that  $L_Y$  is an upperbound of  $Y$  in  $X$ . So Zorn's lemma gives  $L_m$  which is maximal element of  $X$ .

Now assert that  $L_m$  is an algebraic basis of  $\mathcal{H}$ . Since  $L_m \in X$ ,  $L_m$  is linearly independent. If  $L_m$  does not span  $\mathcal{H}$ , then there is  $f \in \mathcal{H}$  outside of  $\text{span } L_m$ . Define  $L_f = L_m \cup \{f\}$ . Then  $L_f$  is strictly larger than  $L_m$ . But,  $L_f$  is linearly independent, since  $f$  is outside of  $\text{span } L_m$ . Thus  $L_f \in X$ , which contradicts to the maximality of  $L_m$ . Hence  $L_m$  spans  $\mathcal{H}$  algebraically, so  $L_m$  is an algebraic basis.

Now  $L_m = \{a_\alpha : \alpha \in I\}$ . Let  $B = \left\{e_\alpha = \frac{a_\alpha}{\|a_\alpha\|} : \alpha \in I\right\}$ . Then  $B$  is an algebraic basis, consists of unit vectors.

Choose  $\{e_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ . For  $f \in \mathcal{H}$ ,

$$f = \sum_{\alpha \in F} c_\alpha e_\alpha = \sum_{\alpha \in F \setminus \mathbb{N}} c_\alpha e_\alpha + \sum_{i=1}^N c_i e_i$$

where  $F$  is finite set. Define  $l(f) = \sum_{i=1}^N i c_i$ . Note that  $N$  depends on  $f$ . Clearly,  $l$  is linear:  $l(cf + dg) = c \sum_{i=1}^N i c_i + d \sum_{i=1}^N i d_i = cl(f) + dl(g)$ . Also  $l(e_i) = i$ . But,  $|l(e_i)| = i \rightarrow \infty$  as  $i \rightarrow \infty$ , even though  $\|e_i\| = 1$ . This says  $l$  is unbounded linear functional.

□

**Exercise (7.1).**

Assume that  $m_\alpha$  is sigma finite. Then there is  $\bigcup E_i = \mathbb{R}^d$  such that  $E_i$ 's are mutually disjoint and have finite Hausdorff measure. Since  $\alpha < d$ , we have  $m_d(E_i) = 0$ . Then countable additivity of  $m_d$  implies

$$m_d(\mathbb{R}^d) = \sum_i m_d(E_i) = 0$$

which contradicts to  $m_d(\mathbb{R}^d) = \infty$ . □

**Exercise (7.3).**

Since  $|x - y| \leq 1$ , we have

$$|f(x) - f(y)| \leq M|x - y|^\gamma \leq M|x - y|.$$

Then

$$\left| \frac{f(x) - f(y)}{x - y} \right| \leq M|x - y|^{\gamma-1}.$$

By taking  $y \rightarrow x$ , we have  $|f'(x)| = 0$  for all  $x \in (0, 1)$ . Note that  $f$  is lipschitz continuous.

For any  $[\alpha, \beta] \subset (0, 1)$ ,  $f = c$  on  $[\alpha, \beta]$  since its derivative vanishes on  $[\alpha, \beta]$ . Since  $[\alpha, \beta]$  is arbitrary,  $f = c$  on  $(0, 1)$ . Since  $f$  is continuous on  $[0, 1]$ ,  $f$  is constant on  $[0, 1]$ . □

**Exercise (7.7).**

Let  $\delta > 0$  be given. To show the result, we have to show that for any  $F_i$  with  $|F_i| \leq \delta$  and  $C \subset \bigcup F_i$ , we have  $\sum |F_i|^\alpha \geq 1$ .

We can replace  $F_i$  to open set  $G_i$ .

Since  $G_i$  can be expressed as disjoint union of open intervals, we can replace  $G_i$  to  $I_i$ .

Since  $C$  is compact, by choosing finite open cover, we can only consider finite family of  $I_i$ 's. Also, we can replace  $I_i$  to its closure  $T_i$ .

Now we can remove  $T_i$  from its family if  $T_i$  does not contain any point of  $C$ .

If  $J, J' \subset T_i$ , where  $J, J'$  are closed intervals which appear in construction procedure of Cantor ternary set and may be in the different stage, then choose largest such  $J, J'$ . By their construction,  $J \cup K \cup J' \subset T_i$  where  $K \subset C^c$  and  $|J|, |J'| \leq |K|$ . By concavity,

$$(|J| + |K| + |J'|)^\alpha \geq (3/2(|J| + |J'|))^\alpha = 2((|J| + |J'|)/2)^\alpha \geq |J|^\alpha + |J'|^\alpha.$$

Thus we can replace  $T_i$  to  $J, J'$  since this replacement reduces the sum.

Among all  $J, J'$ , choose the shortest one. Then it has length  $3^{-k}$ .

Now consider  $C_k$  where  $C = \bigcap_k C_k$ . Then

$$\sum |T_i|^\alpha \geq \sum_{i=1}^{2^k} (3^{-k})^\alpha = 1$$

which leads the conclusion. □

**Exercise (7.10).**

Let  $S_k = 1 - \sum_{j=1}^k 2^{j-1} l_j$ . We want  $S_1 = 2/3$ ,  $S_2 = 2/3 \times 3/4$ , ...,  $S_k = 2/(k+1)$ . Then  $S_k \rightarrow 0$  as  $k$  goes to infinity.

By the definition of  $S_k$ , we can earn the closed form of  $l_k$ . Since  $S_k = S_{k-1} - 2^{k-1} l_k$ ,

$$l_k = \frac{1}{2^{k-1}} (S_{k-1} - S_k) = \frac{1}{2^{k-2}} \frac{1}{(k+1)(k+2)}.$$

Let  $\hat{C}$  be our fat Cantor set and  $\hat{C} = \cap_k \hat{C}_k$ . Then every  $\hat{C}_k$  consists of  $2^k$  disjoint closed intervals, whose total length is  $2/(k+2) = S_k$ . Thus  $\hat{C}_k$  is disjoint union of  $1/(2^{k-1}(k+2))$  length intervals.

Since  $\hat{C} \subset \hat{C}_k$ , given  $\delta > 0$ ,

$$H_\alpha^\delta(\hat{C}) \leq \sum_{i=1}^{2^k} \left( \frac{2}{2^k(k+2)} \right)^\alpha = \frac{2^\alpha}{2^{k(\alpha-1)}} \frac{1}{(k+2)^\alpha}.$$

If  $\alpha \geq 1$ , then the last term goes to 0 as  $k$  goes to infinity. Note that if  $k$  is sufficiently large, then length of each interval in  $\hat{C}_k$  is shorter than  $\delta$ . So  $H_\alpha^\delta(\hat{C}) = 0$  for all  $\delta$ . So Hausdorff dimension of  $\hat{C} \leq 1$ .

Now we will show  $\dim \hat{C} \geq 1$ . For  $\alpha < 1$ , similar to exercise 7, it is enough to show that  $\sum |T_i|^\alpha \geq 1$  and there is  $\hat{C}_k \subset \bigcup T_i$ . Thus

$$\sum |T_i|^\alpha \geq \frac{1}{(k+2)^\alpha} \frac{2^\alpha}{2^{k(\alpha-1)}}.$$

Note that if  $n \geq k$ , then  $\hat{C}_n \subset \bigcup T_i$ . So we can let  $k \rightarrow \infty$ . Since  $\alpha < 1$ , by letting  $k \rightarrow \infty$ , we have

$$\sum |T_i|^\alpha = \infty.$$

This says  $m_\alpha(\hat{C}) = \infty$  for  $\alpha < 1$ . And this says  $\dim \hat{C} \geq 1$ . □

**Exercise (7.16).**

Continuity can be proven by same reasoning written in page 338 of our textbook.

Assume differentiability and take  $u_n = k/4^n$  and  $v_n = (k+1)/4^n$  so that  $u_n \leq t \leq v_n$ . Note that  $K^l(u_n) = K_n^l(u_n)$ , and  $K^l(v_n) = K_n^l(v_n)$ . This says  $|K^l(u_n) - K^l(v_n)| \leq l^n$ , because they are directly adjoined vertices of  $n$ -th stage construction.

Thus

$$\left| \frac{K^l(u_n) - K^l(v_n)}{u_n - v_n} \right| = \frac{l^n}{1/4^n} = (4l)^n.$$

By letting  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , the limit goes to  $\infty$ . Thus modulus of derivative at  $t$  does not exists, which is contradiction. □