

# Real Variables II - MATH6321

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# Chapter 1

## Hilbert Spaces (continuation)

**Exercise 1.0.1** (Warm up). Show that if  $f \in \ell^2(X)$ , then utmost countably many values of  $f$  are non-zero.

*Solution* 1.0.1.1. Take the sets

$$E_n = \{x \in X : |f(x)| > 1/n\}$$

and consider their union.

### 1.1 Orthonormal Sets

**Definition 1.1.1.** A orthonormal family in a Hilbert space is a family  $(u_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  such that  $\langle u_\alpha, u_\beta \rangle = 0$  if  $\alpha \neq \beta$  and  $\|u_\alpha\| = 1$  for each  $\alpha, \beta \in A$ .

**Theorem 1.1.1** (Bessel's Inequality). *Given an orthonormal family  $(u_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  in a Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$ , and  $h \in \mathcal{H}$ , then*

$$\|h\|^2 \geq \sum_{\alpha \in A} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2$$

*Proof.* Let  $B \subset A$  be finite, and let

$$g = \sum_{\alpha \in B} \langle h, u_\alpha \rangle u_\alpha$$

We can easily show that,  $\langle h - g, g \rangle = 0$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \|h\|^2 &= \|h - g + g\|^2 \\ &= \langle h - g + g, h - g + g \rangle \\ &= \|h - g\|^2 + \|g\|^2 \\ &\geq \|g\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

Now the inequality follows from the definition of summation as the supremum of finite index sums.  $\square$

**Definition 1.1.2.** Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a Hilbert space. An orthonormal family  $(u_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  is called complete, or an orthonormal basis, if for each  $h \in H$ ,

$$\|h\|^2 = \sum_{\alpha \in A} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2$$

**Definition 1.1.3.** A set  $U = \{u_\alpha : \alpha \in A\}$  is a maximal orthonormal set if for any  $V$  with  $V \supset U$  and  $V$  is orthonormal, then  $V = U$ .

**Theorem 1.1.2.** Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a Hilbert space,  $(u_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  an orthonormal family, then the following are equivalent.

1.  $(u_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  is an orthonormal basis
2.  $\text{span}\{u_\alpha : \alpha \in A\}$  is dense in  $\mathcal{H}$
3.  $\{u_\alpha\}$  is a maximal orthonormal set

*Proof.* (1  $\implies$  2) Let  $h$  be given. Consider for any  $B \subset A$ ,

$$g = \sum_{\alpha \in B} \langle h, u_\alpha \rangle u_\alpha$$

then we recall  $\langle h - g, g \rangle = 0$ . And thus

$$\|h\|^2 = \|h - g\|^2 + \|g\|^2$$

We know from equality in Bessel's inequality that, for given  $\varepsilon > 0$  we can choose  $B$  such that  $\|h\|^2 - \|g\|^2 < \varepsilon^2$ . Hence

$$\|h - g\|^2 = \|h\|^2 - \|g\|^2 < \varepsilon^2$$

Thus, we can find a  $g$  that is arbitrarily close to  $h$ .

( $\neg 3 \implies \neg 2$ ). Assuming 3 is wrong, there exists  $u \in \mathcal{H}$ , such that  $\|u\| = 1$ , and  $\langle u, u_\alpha \rangle = 0$  for each  $\alpha \in A$ . Next, for any finite  $B \subset A$ , and any  $c_\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$ , we look at

$$\begin{aligned} \|u - \sum_{\alpha \in B} c_\alpha u_\alpha\|^2 &= \|u\|^2 + \|\sum_{\alpha \in B} c_\alpha u_\alpha\|^2 \\ &= \|u\|^2 + \sum_{\alpha \in B} |c_\alpha|^2 \\ &\geq \|u\|^2 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $u \notin \overline{\text{span}\{u_\alpha\}}$ .

( $\neg 1 \implies \neg 3$ ). Assume there is  $h \in \mathcal{H}$  such that

$$\|h\|^2 > \sum_{\alpha \in A} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2$$

We know that  $A_o = \{\alpha \in A : \langle h, u_\alpha \rangle \neq 0\}$  is at most countable from **Exercise 1.0.1**. We can find  $A_1 \subset A_2 \subset \dots$  each finite where

$$A_n = \{\alpha \in A_o : |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle| \geq \frac{1}{n}\}$$

and

$$A_o = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$$

Let  $g_n = \sum_{\alpha \in A_n} \langle h, u_\alpha \rangle u_\alpha$ . By monotone convergence theorem, given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$\sum_{\alpha \in A} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2 < \sum_{\alpha \in A_N} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2 + \varepsilon$$

Thus, for  $m \geq n \geq N$

$$\begin{aligned} \|g_m - g_n\|^2 &= \left\| \sum_{\alpha \in A_m \setminus A_n} \langle h, u_\alpha \rangle u_\alpha \right\|^2 \\ &= \sum_{\alpha \in A_m \setminus A_n} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2 \\ &= \sum_{\alpha \in A_m} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2 - \sum_{\alpha \in A_n} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2 \\ &= \sum_{\alpha \in A} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2 - \sum_{\alpha \in A_n} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2 \\ &< \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we conclude that  $(g_n)$  is a Cauchy sequence. By completeness of  $\mathcal{H}$ ,  $g_n \rightarrow g$  for some  $g \in \mathcal{H}$ . Let  $\gamma = h - g$ . If  $\gamma \in A_o$ , then  $\gamma \in A_n$  for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Thus we'll get that

$$\langle h - g, u_\alpha \rangle = 0$$

**verify**

If  $\gamma \notin A_o$ , then  $\langle h, u_\gamma \rangle = 0$  and  $\langle g_n, u_\gamma \rangle = 0$ , so again  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  **verify**

□

**Exercise 1.1.1.** Find an orthonormal basis for  $\ell^2(X)$

*Solution 1.1.1.1.* We want an orthonormal family  $(u_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  such that

$$\|h\|^2 = \sum_{\alpha \in A} |\langle h, u_\alpha \rangle|^2$$

But here  $\|h\|^2 = \sum_{x \in X} |h(x)|^2$ , and

$$\langle h, g \rangle = \sum_{x \in X} h(x) \overline{g(x)}$$

If we choose  $u_x = \chi_x$ , then we see that this satisfy our required properties.

We formulate consequences of the characterization of orthonormal bases.

**Theorem 1.1.3.** Let  $(u_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  be an orthonormal basis for a Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$ . Let

$$A_o = \{\alpha : \langle h, \alpha \rangle \neq 0\}$$

Use the connection between inner product and evaluation from above to see that  $A_o$  is at most countable.

Then enumerating  $A_o$  by  $A_o = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots\}$  and considering

$$h_n = \sum_{j=1}^n \langle h, u_{\alpha_j} \rangle u_{\alpha_j}$$

gives  $h_n \rightarrow h$ .

*Proof.* We saw that  $h_n$  forms a cauchy sequence bases on the last oproof and choose

$$A_j = \{\alpha_k : 1 \leq k \leq j\}$$

Let  $g = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} h_n$ . Then the continuity of the inner product gives  $\langle h - g, u_\alpha \rangle = 0$  for each  $\alpha \in A$ . Thus

$$\|h - g\|^2 = \sum_{\alpha \in A} |\langle h - g, u_\alpha \rangle|^2 = 0$$

so  $h = g$ . □

**Corollary 1.1.3.1.** If  $(u_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}}$  is an orthonormal basis for a Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$ , then for each  $h \in \mathcal{H}$ ,

$$h = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \langle h, u_n \rangle u_n$$

Conversely, if  $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} |c_n|^2 < \infty$ , then

$$\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} c_n u_n \in \mathcal{H}$$

*Proof.* **verify**

□

*Remark 1.1.1.* We can also take  $\mathbb{Z}$  instead of  $\mathbb{N}$  in the above cases.

**Example 1.1.1.** Consider  $L^2([-\pi, \pi])$ , then

$$e_n(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{inx}$$

defines an orthonormal basis  $(e_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$  for  $L^2([-\pi, \pi])$

*Proof.* It is clear that the above is an orthonormal family. We show that finite linear combinations of  $e_n$ s are dense in  $L^2([-\pi, \pi])$ . Find a  $g \in C([-\pi, \pi])$ ,  $\varepsilon/3$  away from  $g$ . Now find a  $h$  periodic which is  $\frac{\varepsilon}{3}$  away from  $g$ . Now use Stone-Weierstrass theorem. □

**Corollary 1.1.3.2** (Reisz-Fischer Theorem). *If  $f \in L^2([-\pi, \pi])$ , then*

$$f = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \langle f, e_n \rangle e_n$$

*and  $\|f\|^2 = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} |\langle f, e_n \rangle|^2$ . Moreover, if  $c \in \ell^2(\mathbb{Z})$ , then*

$$g = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} c_n e_n \in L^2([-\pi, \pi])$$

*Remark 1.1.2.* For  $f \in L^2([-\pi, \pi])$ ,  $c_n = \langle f, e_n \rangle$  are called Fourier coefficients.

**Theorem 1.1.4.** *Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a Hilbert space, then  $\mathcal{H}$  has an orthonormal basis.*

*Proof.* We will show this using Zorn's lemma. Let

$$\mathcal{S} = \{U \subset H : U \text{ is an orthonormal set}\}$$

It is easy to see that  $\mathcal{S}$  is nonempty. Order  $\mathcal{S}$  by set inclusion. Let  $\mathcal{C}$  be a chain in  $\mathcal{S}$ , then

$$U_{\mathcal{C}} = \bigcup_{C \in \mathcal{C}} C$$

will be an orthonormal set in  $\mathcal{S}$ . (Use the standard arguments to see this). Therefore  $U_{\mathcal{C}}$  is the upper bound for the chain  $\mathcal{C}$ . Hence we see that  $\mathcal{S}$  has a maximal element by the Zorn's lemma. Hence  $\mathcal{H}$  has an orthonormal basis. □



**Definition 1.1.4.** Let  $\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{K}$  be Hilbert space. A linear map  $V : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}$  is an isometry if

$$\langle Vh, Vg \rangle_{\mathcal{K}} = \langle h, g \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}$$

for each  $h, g \in \mathcal{H}$ . If  $V$  is onto, we say  $V$  is unitary. Then we say  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $\mathcal{K}$  are isomorphic. (From preservation of preservation of norm,  $V$  is one-one).

**Proposition 1.1.1.** A linear map  $V : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}$  is an isometry if and only if for every  $h \in \mathcal{H}$ ,

$$\|Vh\|_{\mathcal{K}} = \|h\|_{\mathcal{H}}$$

*Proof.* One way is easy. That is if the inner product is preserved, then the norm is preserved. Conversely, we use the polarization identity.

$$\langle h, g \rangle = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{j=1}^4 i^j \|h + i^j g\|^2, \quad (i = \sqrt{-1})$$

□

**Example 1.1.2.** Let  $\mathcal{H} = \ell^2(\mathbb{N})$ . Define

$$S : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathcal{H} := (x_1, x_2, \dots) \mapsto (0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

Then  $S$  is clearly an isometry, but not unitary since nothing maps to  $(1, x_1, x_2, \dots)$

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**Example 1.1.3.** Given an infinite dimensional Hilbert space with orthonormal basis  $(u_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ , show that  $\{u_n\}$  is not compact.

*Proof.* Since  $\|u_\alpha - u_\beta\| = \sqrt{2}$ , take  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  radius balls around each  $u_\alpha$  to get a collection of open balls that cover the set with no finite subcover.

Another way to see is to use the sequential compactness criterion and see that the sequence  $(u_n)$  does not have any convergent subsequence. Since this is a metric space, sequential compactness is equivalent to compactness. □

**Theorem 1.1.5** (Every Hilbert space is  $\ell^2(A)$ ). Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a Hilbert space,  $(u_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  is an orthonormal basis, then there is a unitary map  $U : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \ell^2(A)$  such that  $U(u_\alpha) = \chi_\alpha$

*Proof.* We first note that by linearity, if  $p \in \text{span}\{u_\alpha : \alpha \in A\}$ , then  $U(p)$  is determined by  $\chi_\alpha$ . Next, by Bessel's inequality,

$$\|U(p)\|_{\ell^2(A)} \leq \|p\|$$

Hence  $U$  is bounded. Hence it can be continuously extended to  $\mathcal{H} = \overline{\text{span}\{u_\alpha\}}$  as a limit of sequences. Also, by the equality in the Bessel's inequality, we get that  $U$  is an isometry, hence one-to-one.

Now it remains to show that  $U$  is onto. Given  $g \in \ell^2(A)$ , we know that there exists at most a countable set  $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots\} = A_0$  such that  $g(\alpha_i) \neq 0$ . Consider

$$h_n = \sum_{j=1}^n g(\alpha_j) u_{\alpha_j}$$

then,

$$u(h_n)(\alpha) = \begin{cases} g(\alpha_j), & \alpha_j \in A_0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Moreover,

$$\|U(h_n) - g\|_{\ell^2(A)}^2 = \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} |g(\alpha_j)|^2 \rightarrow 0$$

Now if

$$h = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} g(\alpha_j) u_{\alpha_j} \in \mathcal{H} \quad (\text{since } g \in \ell^2(A))$$

we get

$$\|h - h_n\|^2 = \|U(h_n) - g\|_{\ell^2(A)}^2 \rightarrow 0$$

and the injectivity of  $U$  shows that  $U(h) = g$ . □

# Chapter 2

## Banach Space Techniques

**Definition 2.0.1.** If  $X$  is a real or complex normed vector space with a norm, and the complete in the topology induced by the norm, it is called a Banach space.

**Definition 2.0.2.** If  $X, Y$  are normed vector spaces over  $\mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ ,  $\Lambda : X \rightarrow Y$  linear, then the norm of the operator

$$\|\Lambda\| = \sup\{\|\Lambda x\| : \|x\| < 1\}$$

If  $\|\Lambda\| < \infty$ , then we say that  $\Lambda$  is bounded.

**Proposition 2.0.1.** *Given  $\Lambda : X \rightarrow Y$ , a linear map between normed linear spaces, the following are equivalent*

- (1)  $\Lambda$  is bounded
- (2)  $\Lambda$  is continuous
- (3)  $\Lambda$  is continuous at some  $x_o \in X$

*Proof.* (1  $\implies$  2)

$$\|\Lambda(x - y)\| \leq \|\Lambda\| \|x - y\|$$

gives  $\|\Lambda\|$ -Lipschitz continuity.

(2  $\implies$  3) Follows from the definition.

(3  $\implies$  1) For each  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there is  $\delta > 0$  such that for each  $x \in X$ , with  $\|x - x_o\| < \delta$ , then  $\|\Lambda x - \Lambda x_o\| < \varepsilon$ . Thus for  $\|y\| < \delta$ , by linearity of  $\Lambda$ , we get

$$\|\Lambda y\| = \|\Lambda(x_o + y) - \Lambda x_o\| < \varepsilon$$

Again using linearity, we get for  $\|y'\| < 1$ ,

$$\|\Lambda y'\| < \frac{\varepsilon}{\delta} < \infty$$

Now since  $\overline{B_1(0)} \subset B_2(0)$ , we see that  $\|\Lambda\| < \frac{2\varepsilon}{\delta} < \infty$ . □

## 2.1 Consequence of Baire category theorem

**Theorem 2.1.1** (Baire Category Theorem). *If  $(X, d)$  is a complete metric space, and  $V_1, V_2, \dots$  are dense subsets, then*

$$\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} V_n$$

*is dense in  $X$ .*

*Proof.* We show that for any non-empty open set  $W \subset X$ ,

$$\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} V_n \cap W \neq \emptyset$$

We write  $B_r(x) = \{y \in X : d(x, y) < r\}$ . Since  $V_1$  is dense and open,  $V_1 \cap W$  is open and dense in  $W$ . Thus we can find an  $r_1 > 0$  such that  $\overline{B_{r_1}(x_1)} \subset W \cap V_1$ . (First find an  $r' > 0$  such that  $B_{r'}(x_1) \subset W \cap V_1$ . Then take  $r_1 = \frac{r'}{2}$ ).

We inductively proceed by taking  $x_n \in V_n \cap B_{r_{n-1}}(x_{n-1})$  such that  $\overline{B_{r_n}(x_n)} \subset V_n \cap B_{r_{n-1}}(x_{n-1})$ . Without loss of generality, choose  $0 < r_n < \frac{1}{n}$ . This gives a sequence which satisfies for  $i, j > n$  that  $x_i, x_j \in \overline{B_{r_n}(x_n)} \implies d(x_i, x_j) < 2r_n < \frac{2}{n}$ . Hence  $x_n$  is Cauchy. By completeness  $x_n \rightarrow x \in \overline{B_{r_n}(x_n)} \subset V_n \cap W$  for all  $n$ . Thus  $x \in W$  and

$$x \in \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} V_n$$

□

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**Corollary 2.1.1.1.** *Let  $G_1, G_2, \dots$  be a sequence of dense  $G_\delta$  subsets, then  $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} G_n$  is dense and  $G_\delta$ .*

**Theorem 2.1.2** (Banach-Steinhaus theorem). *If  $X$  is a Banach space and  $Y$  a normed vector space. Let  $(T_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  be a family of bounded linear maps from  $X \rightarrow Y$ . Then either of the two holds,*

(1)  $\exists M \geq 0$  such that  $\|T_\alpha\| \leq M$  for all  $\alpha \in A$ .

(2) The set  $\{x \in X : \sup_\alpha \|T_\alpha x\| = \infty\}$  is a dense  $G_\delta$  set.

**Corollary 2.1.2.1.** *With  $X, Y, T_\alpha$  as above, if for each  $x \in X$ ,  $\sup_{\alpha \in A} \|T_\alpha x\| < \infty$ , then there is a  $M \geq 0$  such that*

$$\sup_{\alpha \in A} \|T_\alpha\| \leq M$$

We study consequences before looking at the proof of **Theorem 2.1.2**.

**Exercise 2.1.1.** Suppose  $(a_n)$  is a sequence such that for each  $(b_n) \in \ell^2(\mathbb{N})$ ,  $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} a_n b_n < \infty$ , then  $a \in \ell^2(\mathbb{N})$ .

*Proof.* To see this, take

$$T_n : \ell^2(\mathbb{N}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C} := T_n(b) \mapsto \sum_{i=1}^n \overline{a_i} b_i$$

and observe

$$\begin{aligned} |T_n(b)| &\leq \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |a_i|^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |b_i|^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\leq \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |a_i|^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \|b\| \end{aligned}$$

Hence each  $T_n$  is linear (by definition) and bounded by the inequality above. Let  $(b_n) \in \ell^2(\mathbb{N})$ , then for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} |T_n(b)| &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n |a_i b_i| \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |a_i b_i| < \infty \end{aligned}$$

Now a direct application of **Theorem 2.1.2** gives that there is a  $M \geq 0$  such that  $|T_n b| \leq M \|b\|$  for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Hence if we consider

$$T : \ell^2(\mathbb{N}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C} := b \mapsto \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i b_i$$

we find that  $\|T\| \leq M$ . By Riesz representation theorem for Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$ , there is a  $c \in \ell^2(\mathbb{N})$  such that  $T(b) = \langle b, c \rangle$ . Choosing  $b = e_m$ , we get  $T(e_m) = \overline{c_m} = a_m$ . We conclude that  $a \in \ell^2(\mathbb{N})$ .  $\square$

*Proof of Banach-Steinhaus Theorem 2.1.2.* Let  $\phi_\alpha : X \rightarrow [0, \infty) := x \mapsto \|T_\alpha x\|$ . Look at

$$\begin{aligned} |\phi_\alpha(x) - \phi_\alpha(y)| &= |||T_\alpha x| - |T_\alpha y||| \\ &\leq \|T_\alpha(x - y)\| \\ &\leq \|T_\alpha\| \|x - y\| \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\phi_\alpha$  is (lower-semi) continuous.

Therefore, we can define a lower semi-continuous function

$$\phi(x) = \sup_{\alpha \in A} \phi_\alpha(x)$$

Thus, for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $V_n = \{x \in X : \phi(x) > n\}$  is open. If each  $V_n$  is dense in  $X$ , then  $G = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} V_n$  is a dense  $G_\delta$  set, and  $\phi(G) = \{\infty\}$ . Otherwise, if for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , one of  $V_n$  is not dense. Then that particular  $V_n^c$  contains a non-empty open set. Choosing a  $B_\delta(y) \subset W$  centered at  $y$ , we get that for  $x \in X$ ,  $\|x - y\| < \delta$ , we have  $\phi_\alpha(x) = \|T_\alpha x\| \leq n$  for each  $\alpha \in A$ . This implies that there is an  $M \geq 0$  for which

$$\sup_{\alpha \in A} \|T_\alpha\| \leq M$$

□

We investigate more consequences of Banach-Steinhaus' theorem.

**Theorem 2.1.3** (Open mapping theorem). *Let  $X, Y$  be Banach spaces,  $T : X \rightarrow Y$  is bounded, linear. If  $T$  is onto and  $U \subset X$  is open, then  $T(U)$  is open.* review this

*Proof.* We claim it is equivalent to show  $T(B_1(0)) \subset B_\delta(0)$  for some  $\delta > 0$ . The statement then follows by choosing for  $U$  open, a vector  $u \in U$  with  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that  $B_\varepsilon(u) \subset U$ . In that case, if  $y \in Y$  satisfies

$$\|y - Tu\| < \varepsilon\delta$$

or

$$\left\| \frac{y - Tu}{\varepsilon} \right\| < \delta$$

By the inclusion, we get  $z \in X$  such that  $\|z\| < 1$  and  $Tz = \frac{y - Tu}{\varepsilon}$ . Solving for  $y$ , gives  $y = T(\varepsilon z + u)$ . Letting  $w = \varepsilon z + u$ , then  $\|w - u\| = \varepsilon\|z\| < \varepsilon$  and  $Tw = y$ . We have found for each  $y$  near  $Tu$  a vector  $w \in U$  which maps to  $y$ . Let  $U \subset X$  be open. Fix  $u \in U$ . Then there is  $\delta > 0$  with  $\{x : \|x - u\| < \delta\} \subset U$ . We also know that if  $y \in Y$

Now for the rest, follow the same logic as in functional analysis last semester to see that  $T(B_1^X(0))$  is not nowhere dense, and thus  $\exists y \in Y, r > 0$  such that

$$B_{4r}(y_0) \subset \overline{T(B_1^X(0))}$$

Choose  $y' \in B_{2r}(y_0) \cap T(B_1(0))$ . (The fact that this is non-empty follows from the fact that every open ball in the closure must intersect the original set pre-closure). Then there is  $x' \in B_1^X(0)$  such that  $y' = T(x')$ . Now using triangle inequality

$$B_{2r}(y') \subset B_{4r}(y_0) \subset \overline{T(B_1^X(0))}$$

Thus for  $y \in B_{2r}(0)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} y &= -y' + (y + y') \\ &\in -y' + B_{2r}(y') \\ &\subset -y' + \overline{T(B_1(0))} \\ &= \overline{T(-x' + B_1(0))} \\ &\subset \overline{T(B_2^X(0))} \end{aligned}$$

Now by rescaling with 2, we see that

$$B_r(0) \subset \overline{T(B_1^X(0))}$$

Again by further scaling we see that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$B_{r2^{-n}}(0) \subset \overline{T(B_{2^{-n}}(0))}$$

For  $y \in B_{\frac{r}{2}}(0)$ , there is a  $x_1 \in B_{2^{-1}}(0)$  such that

$$\|y - T(x_1)\| < r2^{-1}$$

Now let  $y_1 = y - T(x_1)$  and repeat the same procedure to get  $x_2 \in B_{2^{-2}}(0)$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} y_2 &:= y_1 - T(x_2) \\ &= y - T(x_1 + x_2) \\ &\in B_{r2^{-3}}(0) \end{aligned}$$

Proceeding inductively, we get  $x_n \in B_{2^{-n}}(0)$  such that  $y_n = y - T(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i) \in B_{r2^{-n-1}}(0)$ . That is

$$\|y_n\| = \left\| y - T\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i\right) \right\| < \frac{r}{2^{n+1}}$$

verify

□

**Corollary 2.1.3.1.** *If  $T$  is one-one and onto, then  $T^{-1}$  is bounded.*

*Proof.*

□

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**Definition 2.1.1.** A set  $E \subset X$  is called **nowhere dense** if  $\overline{E}$  does not contain a non-empty open set in  $X$ . A set is called **first category** if it is a union of nowhere dense sets, otherwise the set is called **second category**.

**Theorem 2.1.4** (Baire category theorem, version II). *Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space. Then  $X$  is not of first category.*

*Proof.* Let  $E_1, E_2, \dots$  be a sequence of nowhere dense sets. Then  $\overline{E_n}$  has an empty interior for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Thus  $\overline{E_n}^c$  is open and dense. Then by **Theorem 2.1.1**  $\cap_{n=1}^{\infty} \overline{E_n}^c$  is a dense  $G_\delta$  set. Thus  $\cap_{n=1}^{\infty} \overline{E_n}^c \neq \emptyset$ . Thus taking complements, we get

$$\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n \subset \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \overline{E_n} \neq X$$

□

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**Corollary 2.1.4.1.** *Let  $X, Y$  be Banach spaces. If  $T : X \rightarrow Y$  is linear, bounded map and  $T$  is one-to-one and onto, then  $T^{-1}$  is bounded.*

*Proof.* Use the fact the open mapping theorem gives that  $T^{-1}$  is continuous, and that continuity is boundedness in linear spaces. □

**Theorem 2.1.5** (Closed graph theorem). *Let  $X, Y$  be Banach spaces, then the graph of  $T$ , defined as  $G(T) = \{(x, Tx) : x \in X\} \subset X \times Y$ , under the norm  $\|(x, y)\| = \|x\|_X + \|y\|_Y$  is closed if and only if  $T$  is bounded.*

*Proof.* Refer back to functional analysis notes. □

## 2.2 Applications of Banach-Steinhaus

Let  $C_{per}([-\pi, \pi])$  denote continuous functions  $f : [-\pi, \pi] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  such that  $f(\pi) = f(-\pi)$ . Since each  $C_{per}([-\pi, \pi]) \subset L^2([-\pi, \pi])$ , each such  $f$  has a Fourier series. Let

$$c_n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) e^{int} dt$$

and

$$s_n(t) = \sum_{j=-n}^n c_j e^{ijt}$$

We know that  $s_n \rightarrow f$  in  $L^2$ .



But what about pointwise convergence. Let

$$D_n = \sum_{j=-n}^n e^{ijt} = \frac{\sin((n + \frac{1}{2})t)}{\sin(\frac{t}{2})}$$

Observe that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f_n(t) D_n(x-t) dx &= \sum_{j=-n}^n \left( \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) e^{-ijt} dt \right) e^{ijx} \\ &= \sum_{j=-n}^n c_j e^{ijx} = s_n(x) \end{aligned}$$

Choose linear functionals  $\Lambda_n : C_{per}([-\pi, \pi]) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  defined as

$$\Lambda_n(f) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) D_n(-t) dt = s_n(0)$$

Putting sup norm on  $C_{per}([-\pi, \pi])$ , we get that  $\Lambda_n$  is linear, bounded, with

$$\begin{aligned} |\Lambda_n(f)| &= \left| \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) D_n(-t) dt \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \|f\|_{\infty} \|D_n\|_1 \end{aligned}$$

Read the rest from Rudin

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**Exercise 2.2.1.** Show that for  $L^p(\mu)$ , and a bounded linear functional  $\Lambda$  and letting

$$\mathcal{M} = \{f \in L^p(\mu) : \Lambda(f) = 1\}$$

If  $1 < p < \infty$ , then  $M$  has at most one norm minimizer.

*Solution 2.2.1.1.* Assume we have two minimizers for the norm,  $f, g \in M$ , then we know from Problem 1 in Assignment 2, if  $f \neq g$ , then

$$\|(f+g)/2\| < \frac{1}{2}\|f\| + \frac{1}{2}\|g\| = \|f\|$$

This contradicts our assumption that  $f$  is a norm minimizer.

## 2.3 Application of open mapping theorem

Let  $\mathbb{T} = [-\pi, \pi]$ , and  $f \in L^1(\mathbb{T})$ . Then

$$c_n := \hat{f}(n) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} f \bar{e}_n \, dm$$

where  $e_n(t) = e^{int}$ .  $c_n$  are called the  $n$ -th Fourier coefficient of  $f$ .

**Theorem 2.3.1** (Riemann - Lebesgue lemma). *If  $f \in L^1(\mathbb{T})$ , then*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \pm\infty} \hat{f}(n) = 0$$

*Proof.* Let  $\epsilon > 0$  be given. Take trigonometric polynomials

$$P = \left\{ p(t) = \sum_{k=-m}^m p_k e^{ikt} : m \in \mathbb{N} \right\}$$

which are dense in  $L^1(\mathbb{T})$ , so we can choose  $p \in P$  such that  $\|f - p\|_1 < \epsilon$ . For sufficiently large  $|n|$ , that is  $|n| > m$ , we also have

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} (f - p) \bar{e}_n \, dm - \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} f \bar{e}_n \, dm = \hat{f}(n)$$

We also observe that for any  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,

$$|\hat{f}(n) - \hat{p}(n)| = \left| \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} (f - p) \bar{e}_n \, dm \right| \leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \|f - p\|_1 < \frac{\epsilon}{2\pi} < \epsilon$$

By comparing  $\hat{p}(n) \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , with  $\hat{f}(n)$ , we get that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \pm\infty} \sup |\hat{f}(n)| < \epsilon$$

Since  $\epsilon > 0$ , we get our proof. □

Let  $c_0 = \{\phi : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} : \lim_{n \rightarrow \pm\infty} \phi(n) = 0\}$ . We conclude that computing the Fourier coefficients gives us a linear map  $\Lambda : L^1(\mathbb{T}) \rightarrow c_0$ , such that

$$\Lambda(f)(n) = \hat{f}(n)$$

We know  $\Lambda$  is continuous by

$$\begin{aligned} |\Lambda(f)(n)| &= \left| \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} f \bar{e}_n \, dm \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} |f| \, dm \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \|f\|_1 \end{aligned}$$

Now taking supremums over  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ , we get  $\|\Lambda(f)\|_\infty \leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \|f\|_1$ . Again by the usual trick, we see that  $\|\Lambda\| \leq \frac{1}{2\pi}$ .

**Theorem 2.3.2.**  $\Lambda$  as defined above is not onto.

*Proof.* We establish that  $\Lambda$  is one to one. This follows easily from Weierstrass and Lusin by using trigonometric polynomials, and then continuous functions to approximate  $L^1(\mathbb{T})$ .

Now assume that  $\Lambda^{-1}$  is bounded, then for each  $\hat{f} \in c_0$ ,

$$\|\Lambda^{-1}(\hat{f})\| \leq \|f\|$$

If we choose

$$\hat{f}(m) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2\pi}, & \|m\| \leq n \\ 0, & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

the coefficients corresponding to the  $n$ -th Dirichlet's kernel. Then since  $\Lambda$  is one-to-one, we get  $\Lambda^{-1}(\hat{D}_n) = D_n$ . But we know that  $\|D_n\|_1 \rightarrow \infty$ , as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , while  $\|\hat{D}_n\|_\infty = 1$ . Thus we see that  $\Lambda^{-1}$  is unbounded. We conclude by the open mapping theorem that  $\Lambda$  is not onto.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.3.2.1.** We see that the range of  $\Lambda$  is not a closed subspace of  $c_0$ , by the same proof.

## 2.4 Hahn-Banach Theorem

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**Example 2.4.1.** Kadison Singer problem.

## 2.5 Applications of Hahn-Banach Theorem

For the god given Hahn-Banach theorem, refer Chapter 1 of last semester's functional notes.

**Proposition 2.5.1.** Let  $D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ , and let  $\bar{D} = S^1$ . Now, if  $p(z) = \sum_{j=1}^n p_j z^j$ , then

$$\max\{|p(z)| : z \in \bar{D}\} = \max\{|p(z)| : z \in S^1\}$$

*Proof.* Since  $p$  is continuous and  $\bar{D}$  is compact, the maximum is attained at  $\bar{D}$ . Assume  $z_0 \in D$  is where the maximum is achieved. Then if we rewrite  $p(z) = \sum_{j=1}^n q_j (z - z_0)^j$ , for  $0 < r < 1$  such that  $z_0 + re^{i\theta} \in D$  for any  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi)$ ,

$$\int_0^{2\pi} p(z_0 + re^{i\theta}) \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} = \sum_{j=0}^n \int_0^{2\pi} q_j (re^{i\theta}) \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} = q_0 = p(z_0)$$

This using the max property (abs value of integral is  $\leq$  integral of abs value) of the integral forces  $p(z_0) = p(z_0 + re^{i\theta})$  for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ . Use again the fact that  $p(z)$  is a polynomial and see. Then  $p$  will be take a constant value  $q_0$  in  $D$ .  $\square$

**Example 2.5.1.** Let  $A \subset C(\bar{D})$  be a subspace containing all polynomials, and all such functions for which maximum modulus holds.

For example, let  $A(\mathbb{D})$  be the closure of the space of polynomials with  $\|\cdot\|_\infty$  on  $S^1$ . Then for any  $f \in A(\mathbb{D})$ , there exist a sequence of polynomials  $p_n$  such that  $p_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly, and then  $\|p_n\|_\infty \rightarrow \|f\|_\infty$  by uniform convergence.

By max-modulus property of the polynomials and uniform convergence,

$$\|f\|_{\infty, \partial\mathbb{D}} = \|f\|_{\infty, \mathbb{D}}$$

Moreover if  $\|f\|_{\infty, \partial\mathbb{D}} = 0$  for some  $f \in A(\mathbb{D})$ , then the maximum modulus principle forces  $\|f\|_{\infty, \mathbb{D}} = 0$ . Hence we see that the restriction of  $f$  to the circle is a injective linear map. Thus we can identify  $A(\mathbb{D})$  with a closed subspace of  $C(\partial\mathbb{D})$ . 18/02/2025

**Example 2.5.2.** Consider  $M : \ell^2(\mathbb{N}) \rightarrow \ell^2(\mathbb{N}) := (x_n) \mapsto (\frac{x_n}{n})$ . Show that  $M$  is not onto.

*Proof.* If  $Mx = 0$ , this forces  $x = 0$ . Thus we see that  $M$  is injective. If  $M$  were onto, then  $M$  would have a bounded inverse by open mapping theorem. Then working with the orthonormal basis  $\{e_n\}$ , we see that  $M^{-1}(e_n) = ne_n$ , which shows that  $\|M^{-1}\| = \infty$ , a contradiction.  $\square$

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# Chapter 3

## Complex Measures

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### 3.1 Consequence of Radon-Nikodym Theorem

**Theorem 3.1.1.** *If  $\mu, \nu$  are positive  $\sigma$ -finite measures such that  $\nu \ll \mu$ , then there is a positive measurable function  $h$  such that  $d\nu = h\mu$*

**Theorem 3.1.2** (Hahn-Decomposition Theorem). *Let  $\mu$  be a real-valued complex measure (signed measure) on a measurable space  $(X, \mathcal{M})$ . Then there are two sets  $A, B$  such that  $A \cup B = X, A \cap B = \emptyset$  and*

$$\mu_+(E) := \mu(E \cap A), \quad \mu_-(E) = \mu(E \cap B)$$

*with  $\mu_+ \perp \mu_-$  and  $\mu_+ + \mu_- = \mu$ , and  $\mu_+ + \mu_- = |\mu|$ .*

*Moreover, if  $\mu = \mu_1 - \mu_2$  with  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  being positive measures, then for any  $E \in \mathcal{M}$  we have  $\mu_1(E) \geq \mu_+(E), \mu_2(E) \geq \mu_-(E)$*

*Proof.* Since  $\mu$  is a complex measure,  $\mu \ll |\mu|$  and by Radon-Nikodym, there is a  $h \in L^1(\mu)$  with  $h(x) \in \{1, 2\}$  (polar decomposition) such that  $d\mu = h d|\mu|$ .

Let  $A = h^{-1}(1), B = X \setminus A$ . We find that  $d\mu_+ = \frac{1}{2}(d|\mu| + d\mu) = \frac{1}{2}(|h|d|\mu| + h d|\mu|) = h_+ d|\mu|$ , and similarly  $\mu_- = h_- d|\mu|$ . The rest follows easily.  $\square$

### 3.2 Bounded linear functionals on $L^p$

*Note.* Let  $\mu$  be a positive measure,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$  and  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ . Fixing  $g \in L^1(\mu)$ . Holder's inequality gives that for any  $f \in L^p(\mu)$ ,

$$\left| \int f g d\mu \right| \leq \|f\|_p \|g\|_q$$

So that  $\Lambda_g : L^p(\mu) \rightarrow \mathbb{C} : f \mapsto \int f g d\mu$  is a bounded linear functional. Thus, we have a map  $\Lambda : L^q(\mu) \rightarrow L^p(\mu)^* : g \mapsto \Lambda_g$ .

For  $1 \leq p < \infty$ , the converse is true, too

**Lemma 3.2.1.** *If  $\mu$  is  $\sigma$ -finite on  $(X, \mathcal{M})$ , then there is a  $\omega \in L^1(\mu)$  such that  $\forall x \in X : 0 < \omega(x) < 1$ .*

*Proof.* Choose a partition  $E_j$  of  $X$  such that  $\mu(E_j) < \infty$  for each  $j \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let

$$\omega = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{1}{2^n} \frac{1}{1 + \mu(E_n)} \chi_{E_n}$$

Since  $E_j$  is a partition, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} \int |\omega| \, d\mu &= \int \omega \, d\mu \\ &= \int \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{1}{2^n} \frac{1}{1 + \mu(E_n)} \chi_{E_n} \, d\mu \\ &= \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{1}{2^n} \frac{1}{1 + \mu(E_n)} \mu(E_n) \\ &\leq \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{1}{2^n} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\omega \in L^1(\mu)$  is the required function. □

**Corollary 3.2.0.1.** *If  $\mu$  is  $\sigma$ -finite, then  $\tilde{\mu}$  given by  $d\tilde{\mu} = \omega d\mu$  is finite.*

**Theorem 3.2.1.** *Let  $\mu$  be a  $\sigma$ -finite measure,  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ,  $q$  as usual. If  $\Lambda \in L^p(\mu)^*$ , then there is  $g \in L^q(\mu)$  such that*

$$\Lambda = \Lambda_g$$

and  $\|\Lambda\| = \|g\|_q$

*Proof.* Begin by assuming  $\mu$  is finite. Let  $\Lambda : L^p(\mu) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a bounded linear functional. Notice that  $\chi_E \in L^p(\mu)$  for each  $E \in \mathcal{M}$ . Consider  $\lambda(E) = \Lambda(\chi_E)$ . Let  $\{E_j\}_{n=1}^\infty$  be a partition of  $E$ . We find

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda\left(\bigcup_{j=1}^n E_j\right) &= \Lambda\left(\sum_{j=1}^n \chi_{E_j}\right) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n \Lambda(\chi_{E_j}) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n \lambda(E_j) \end{aligned}$$

We conclude  $\lambda$  is finitely additive. Note

$$\left\| \chi_E - \chi_{\cup_{j=1}^n E_j} \right\|_p = \left( \mu \left( \bigcup_{j=n+1}^{\infty} E_j \right) \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

Using monotone convergence and boundedness of  $\Lambda$ , we get

$$\Lambda(\chi_{\cup_{j=1}^n E_j}) \rightarrow \Lambda(\chi_E)$$

Thus  $\lambda$  is a measure and  $\lambda \ll \mu$  by the definition of  $\lambda$ . By Radon-Nikodym, we have  $g \in L^1(\mu)$  with  $d\lambda = g d\mu$ .

For  $f$  simple,

$$\Lambda(f) = \int f d\lambda = \int f g d\mu := \Lambda_g(f)$$

Now, consider  $p = 1$ . Then

$$\left| \int f d\lambda \right| = \left| \int f g d\mu \right| \leq \|\Lambda\| \|f\|_1$$

□

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**Lemma 3.2.2.** *Let  $X$  be locally compact Hausdorff and  $\lambda : C_c(X) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be bounded linear functional. Then there are positive bounded linear functionals  $\lambda_+, \lambda_-$  such that  $\lambda = \lambda_+ - \lambda_-$ .*

*Proof.* For this, we find bounded linear functional  $\rho$ ,

$$|\lambda(f)| \leq \rho(|f|) \leq C \|f\|_{\infty}$$

and then let  $\lambda_+ = \frac{1}{2}(\lambda + \rho)$  and  $\lambda_- = \frac{1}{2}(\rho - \lambda)$

We define the map  $\rho : C_c(X)^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{C} := f \mapsto \sup\{|\lambda(h)| \mid h \in C_c(X), |h| \leq f\}$ , where  $C_c(X)^+$  is the set of non-negative real valued functions in  $C_c(X)$ . Let  $f, g \in C_c(X)^+$ , then there is a  $h_1, h_2 \in C_c(X)$  such that  $|h_1| \leq f, |h_2| \leq g$  with  $\rho(f) \leq |\lambda(h_1)| + \varepsilon$  and  $\rho(g) \leq |\lambda(h_2)| + \varepsilon$ . So,  $\rho(f) + \rho(g) \leq |\lambda(h_1)| + |\lambda(h_2)| + 2\varepsilon$ . Let  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \{\pm 1\}$  such that  $\lambda(\alpha_i h_i) = \alpha_i \lambda(h_i) \geq 0$ . Then,

$$|\lambda(\alpha_1 h_1)| + |\lambda(\alpha_2 h_2)| = \lambda(\alpha_1 h_1) + \lambda(\alpha_2 h_2) = \lambda(\alpha_1 h_1 + \alpha_2 h_2)$$

So,

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(f) + \rho(g) &\leq \lambda(\alpha_1 h_1 + \alpha_2 h_2) + \varepsilon \\ &\leq \rho(|\alpha_1 h_1 + \alpha_2 h_2|) + 2\varepsilon \quad \text{since } \alpha_1 h_1 + \alpha_2 h_2 \leq |\alpha_1 h_1 + \alpha_2 h_2| \\ &\leq \rho(|h_1| + |h_2|) + 2\varepsilon \quad \text{since } \rho \text{ is order preserving} \\ &\leq \rho(f + g) + 2\varepsilon \quad \text{since } \rho \text{ is order preserving} \end{aligned}$$

Since this holds for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , we get  $\rho(f + g) \geq \rho(f) + \rho(g)$ .

To show the reverse inequality, let  $f, g \in C_c(X)^+$ , and  $h \in C_c(X)$  be such that  $|h| \leq f + g$ . We define

$$h_1(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{f(x)}{f(x)+g(x)}h(x), & f(x) + g(x) > 0 \\ 0, & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

and  $h_2(x) = h(x) - h_1(x)$ . Then  $|h_1| \leq f, |h_2| \leq g$ . Moreover,  $h_1, h_2$  are continuous where  $f(x) + g(x) \geq 0$ . Next,

$$\begin{aligned} |\lambda(x)| &= |\lambda(h_1 + h_2)| \\ &\leq |\lambda(h_1)| + |\lambda(h_2)| \\ &\leq \rho(f) + \rho(g) \end{aligned}$$

Taking supremum over  $h$ , we get  $\rho(f + g) \leq \rho(f) + \rho(g)$ . We have established additivity of  $\rho$  for  $f, g \geq 0$ . For general  $f, g \in C_c(X)$ , split  $f, g, h$  into differences of positive and negative parts and rearrange to apply  $\rho$  with linearity. Thus we'll get  $\rho(f + g) = \rho(f) + \rho(g)$ .

Now to show homogeneity, let  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $f \in C_c(X)$ . If  $c < 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(cf^+) &= -\rho((cf^+)^-) \\ &= -\rho(|c|f^+) \\ &= -|c|\rho(f^+) \\ &= c\rho(f^+) \end{aligned}$$

Again by splitting  $f = f^+ - f^-$ , we get the homogeneity. Thus we get  $\rho$  is linear.  $\square$

**Lemma 3.2.3.** *If  $\nu$  is a  $\sigma$ -finite regular positive measure on a locally compact Hausdorff space, and  $\mu$  is a complex measure with  $|\mu| \ll \nu$ , then  $\mu$  is regular.*

*Proof.* Using Radon-Nikodym theorem, for a measurable set  $E$ , we have

$$\mu(E) = \int_E h \, d\nu$$

with  $h \in L^1(\mu)$ . Considering that  $\mu$  is regular, there are sequences of open sets  $V_j \supset E$ ,  $\nu(V_j \setminus E) \xrightarrow{j \rightarrow \infty} 0$  and compact sets  $K_j \subset E$ , such that  $\nu(E \setminus K_j) \xrightarrow{j \rightarrow \infty} 0$ .

Next, by dominated convergence theorem,  $\square$