

## Outline: Week 10

### 8.4 Series of Functions

1. Cauchy implies uniform: Cauchy completeness of reals gives pointwise  $S_n(x_0) \rightarrow S(x_0)$ .

Then uniform gives:

$$|S(x) - S_k(x)| \leq |S(x) - S_n(x)| + |S_n(x) - S_k(x)| \leq \varepsilon_n + \varepsilon.$$

So taking limit in  $n$  gives

$$|S(x) - S_k(x)| \leq \varepsilon.$$

2. pointwise versus uniform:

- For  $\sum \frac{x^n}{n!}$  we have pointwise and uniform in  $[-R, R]$

$$\left\| \sum_{k=n}^{n+m} \frac{x^k}{k!} \right\| \leq \sum_{k=n}^{n+m} \frac{R^k}{k!} \rightarrow 0$$

as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

- For  $\sum \frac{x^2}{n(n+x^2)}$  we have pointwise. Suppose we have uniform, then  $\left\| \sum_{k=n}^{n+m} \frac{x^2}{k(k+x^2)} \right\| \leq \varepsilon$ , which is a contradiction by taking  $x$  large enough in order to give  $\frac{x^2}{k(k+x^2)} \sim \frac{1}{k}$  the harmonic series.

3. Weierstrass M-test:  $\|S_n - S_{n+m}\| \leq \sum_{k=n+1}^{n+m} M_k \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .
4. example uniform in  $[-r, r]$ :  $\sum (-x^2)^k = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$ . Not uniform in  $(-1, 1)$  because for any  $n \geq N$  and  $n+m$  being even we have

$$\sup_{x \in [-1, 1]} \left| \sum_{k=n}^{n+m} (-x^2)^k \right| \geq \frac{1}{2} \left| \sum_{k=n}^{n+m} (-1)^k \right| = \frac{1}{2},$$

where we used that  $(\frac{1}{2})^{\frac{1}{2N}} \in [-1, 1]$ . In  $[-r, r]$  we have bound by  $M_k = r^{2k}$  and so we get uniform by M-test.

5. Swap integral and sum: If  $S_n \Rightarrow S$ , then by ICT  $\int \sum f_k = \sum \int f_k$ .

6. Example: in  $[-r, r]$  we integrate to get

$$\arctan(x) = \int_0^x \frac{1}{1+s^2} ds = \sum \frac{(-1)^n}{2n+1} x^{2n+1}.$$

We in fact have uniform convergence in  $[-1, 1]$ . For alternating series  $\sum_{k \geq n} (-1)^k a_k$  with decreasing  $a_k \geq a_{k+1} > 0$ , we have

$$\left| \sum_{k \geq n} (-1)^k a_k \right| \leq a_n.$$

Therefore,

$$\sup_{x \in [-1, 1]} \left| \sum_{k=n}^{n+m} \frac{(-1)^k}{2k+1} x^{2k+1} \right| \leq \frac{1}{2n+1}.$$

7. Swap derivative and sum:  $\frac{d}{dx} \sum f_k = \sum \frac{d}{dx} f_k$  when both  $S_k \Rightarrow S$  and  $\frac{d}{dx} S_k \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} S$ . By FTC and ICT

$$f_n = c_n + \int f'_n \rightarrow f = c + \int g ds$$

then  $f' = g$ .

## 8.5 Power Series

1. Ratio test to  $\sum \frac{x^n}{n!}$  and  $\sum \frac{x^n}{n}$ . We have  $\frac{|x|}{n+1} \rightarrow 0$  and  $|x| \frac{n}{n+1} \rightarrow |x|$ . So we get  $(-\infty, \infty)$  and  $[-1, 1)$  respectively.

2. HADAMARD'S THEOREM:

- we have  $L = |x| \frac{1}{R}$ .
- we have  $[a, b] \subset [-c, c]$  and so we apply M-test for  $M_k := a_k c^k$  to get uniform convergence.

3. if ratio test limit is defined then

$$\lim \frac{|a_{n+1}|}{|a_n|} = \frac{1}{R}.$$

4. Examples:

- for  $\sum \frac{x^n}{n!}$  we have  $\frac{1}{R} = 0$ .
- given two series  $f(x) = \sum a_k x^k$  and  $g(x) = \sum b_k x^k$ , their sum  $f + g$  and product  $fg = \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{k=0}^n a_k b_{n-k} x^n$  have

$$\sqrt[n]{|a_n + b_n|} \leq \frac{1}{R_f} + \frac{1}{R_g}$$

and

$$\sqrt[n]{\sum_{k=0}^n a_k b_{n-k}} \geq \max\left(\frac{1}{R_f}, \frac{1}{R_g}\right).$$

Proof: Suppose wlog that  $R_f \geq R_g$ . Then use that

$$|a_n| \leq M\left(\frac{1}{R_f} + \varepsilon\right)^n \text{ and } |b_n| \leq M\left(\frac{1}{R_g} + \varepsilon\right)^n$$

for  $n \geq 0$  and  $M$  and small  $\varepsilon > 0$ .

- for  $\sum \frac{2^{2n}}{n^2} x^n$  we have  $R = \frac{1}{4}$ . Next we check the endpoints: we get  $\sum \frac{1}{n^2}$  and  $\sum \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2}$ .
- for  $\sum \frac{(-1)^n}{\sqrt{n}} (x-5)^2$  we get  $R = 1$  and so  $|x-5| < 1 \Rightarrow (4, 6)$ . Next we check the endpoints: we get  $\sum \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = \infty$  and  $\sum \frac{(-1)^n}{\sqrt{n}} < \infty$ .

5. Swap derivative and sum: the coefficient  $na_n$  has same radius  $R$ . So we have u.c. and so

$$S_k(x) = \int_0^x S'_k(s) ds \rightarrow \int_0^x g(s) = S(x) \Rightarrow S'(x) = g(x).$$

6. in fact we have smooth inside  $(-R, R)$ : by the ratio test we get  $\frac{n+1}{n-k} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \rightarrow \frac{1}{R}$ .

7. Swap integral and sum: the coefficient  $\frac{a_n}{n+1}$  has same radius  $R$ . So by ICT we can swap.

8. Examples:

- for  $\sum_{n \geq 1} n(n-1)t^{2n}$

$$\sum_{n \geq 1} n(n-1)t^n = t^2 \frac{d}{dt}^2 \sum_{n \geq 0} t^n = t^2 \frac{d}{dt}^2 \frac{1}{1-t} = t^2 \frac{2}{(1-t)^3}.$$

- for  $\ln(1+x)$  for  $|x| < 1$  we have

$$\ln(1+x) = \int_0^x \frac{1}{1+t} dt = \sum \frac{(-1)^k}{k} x^k.$$