

A Problem of Measure

Next, we prove: There exists a finite additive

"measure" (set func. actually), satisfies:

- i) It defines on $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}^d)$.
- ii) It agrees with Lebesgue measure on measurable sets.
- iii) It's translation invariant.

Remark: It can't be σ -additive: Use Vitali set V .

$(Q_k) = [0,1] \cap \mathbb{Q}$. $V_k = V + Q_k$. Then (V_k) disjoint.

Since $V \subset (0,1)$. $\therefore \bigcup_k V_k \subset (0,2)$

$\tilde{m}(\bigcup_k V_k) = \sum_k \tilde{m}(V_k) \in (0,2)$. It's absurd!

(1) Thm: There's a LF $I: f \mapsto I(f)$, defined on $V =$

$\{f: \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}' \mid |f| < \infty\}$, st.

i) $I(f) \geq 0$, if $f \geq 0$.

ii) $I(\alpha f_1 + \beta f_2) = \alpha I(f_1) + \beta I(f_2)$, $\forall \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}'$.

iii) $I(f) = \int_0^1 f(x) dx$, if f is $\mathbb{L}$ -measurable.

iv) $I(f_h) = I(f)$, $\forall h \in \mathbb{R}'$.

Pf: For applying Hahn-Banach Thm:

consider $V_0 = \{f \mid f \text{ is measurable}\}$.

Define $I_0(f) = \int_0^1 f$, $\forall f \in V_0$.

Next, find p , Minkovskian: $I_0(f) \leq p(f)$.

$$1^{\circ}) \text{ Set } M_A(f) = \sup_x \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N f(x + \lambda_k) \right).$$

$$\text{where } A = \{\lambda_k\}_1^N, \quad N = |A|.$$

$$\text{Set } p(f) = \inf \{ M_A(f) \mid |A| < \infty \}. \text{ Well-def. (if } f \in \infty)$$

$$2^{\circ}) \quad p(cf) = c p(f) \text{ is obvious. For } p(f_1 + f_2) \leq p(f_1) + p(f_2):$$

$$\text{Find } A, B \text{ st. } \begin{cases} M_A(f_1) \leq p(f_1) + \varepsilon & A = (\lambda_i)_1^N \\ M_B(f_2) \leq p(f_2) + \varepsilon & B = (\lambda_j)_1^M \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Set } C = \{\lambda_i + \lambda_j\}_{i,j} \quad |C| = NM. \quad M_C(f_1 + f_2) \geq p(f_1 + f_2)$$

$$\text{Check } \begin{cases} M_C(f_1 + f_2) \leq M_C(f_1) + M_C(f_2). \end{cases}$$

$$M_A(f) = M_{A+h}(f_h) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} M_C(f_1) \leq M_A(f_1) \\ M_C(f_2) \leq M_B(f_2) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Sum over: } p(f_1 + f_2) \leq p(f_1) + p(f_2) + 2\varepsilon$$

$$3^{\circ}) \text{ Note } I_0(f) = \int_0^1 f(x) = \frac{1}{N} \int_0^1 \sum_{k=1}^N f(x + \lambda_k) \text{ (periodic)}$$

$$\leq \int_0^1 M_A(f) = M_A(f).$$

$$\Rightarrow I_0(f) \leq p(f). \text{ Then extend to } I \text{ on } V.$$

$$4^{\circ}) \text{ Note that } p(f) \leq 0, \text{ when } f \leq 0.$$

$$\therefore I(f) \leq 0. \text{ Then } I \text{ satisfies i)}$$

$$5^{\circ}) \text{ For iv):}$$

$$\text{Set } A_r = \{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_r\}.$$

Then $|M_{An}(f-f_h)| \leq 2^m/N \rightarrow 0$ ($N \rightarrow \infty$).

Since $p(f-f_h) \leq M_{An}(f-f_h) \rightarrow 0$.

$\therefore p(f-f_h) \leq 0$. $I(f-f_h) \leq 0$.

By symmetry: $I(f) = I(f_h)$

Cor. $\exists \tilde{m}: p(\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+ \cup \{0\}$ st.

i) $\tilde{m}(E) = m(E)$. m is Lebesgue measure.

ii) $\tilde{m}(E_1 \cup E_2) = \tilde{m}(E_1) + \tilde{m}(E_2)$. if $E_1 \cap E_2 = \emptyset$.

iii) $\tilde{m}(E+h) = \tilde{m}(E)$. $\forall h \in \mathbb{R}'$.

Pf: Let $\tilde{m}(E) = I(\chi_E)$.

(2) $d=1$ case:

Thm. $\exists \tilde{m}: p(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+ \cup \{0\}$ satisfies i), ii), iii) above.

Pf: Denote $\tilde{m}_0$ for the measure in Cor. above.

We want to extend it to $\tilde{m}$:

Set $I_j = (j, j+1]$. $\mathbb{R} = \bigcup_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} I_j$

Define: $\tilde{m}(E) = \tilde{m}_0(E)$. if $E \subseteq I_0$

$\tilde{m}(E) = \tilde{m}_0(E-j)$ if $E \subseteq I_j$

So we can define:

$$\tilde{m}(E) = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{m}(E \cap I_j) = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{m}_0(E \cap I_j - j)$$

Then i), ii) are from $\hat{m}_0$.

For iii):

If $h = k \in \mathbb{Z}$. It's trivial.

If $h \in (0, 1)$. Define: $E'_j = E \cap [j, j+1-h]$

$$E''_j = E \cap [j+1-h, j+1]$$

$\therefore E = (\cup E'_j) \cup (\cup E''_j)$. Disjoint union.

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{m}(E) &= \sum (\hat{m}(E'_j) + \hat{m}(E''_j)) \\ &= \sum (\hat{m}(E'_j + h) + \hat{m}(E''_j + h)) = \hat{m}(E + h)\end{aligned}$$

Since $E'_j + h \subset I_j$, $E''_j + h \subset I_{j+1}$.

$\Rightarrow$ For $h \in \mathbb{R}'$, $h = [h] + h - [h]$.

(3) General: $h = k \in \mathbb{Z}'$:

We can parallelly extend the proof of "d=1":

$$M_A(f) = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^k} \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum f(x + \vec{a}_i) \right), \quad A = \{\vec{a}_i\}_1^N$$

$$f: \mathbb{R}^k / \mathbb{Z}^k \simeq \prod_{i=1}^k [0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}'$$

Decompose $\mathbb{R}^k = \bigcup_{j \in \mathbb{Z}^k} \left(\prod_{i=1}^k I_{j_i} \right)$. We obtain $\hat{m}$.