

Rudin (7.16) FTC

$$f(x) - f(a) = \int_a^x f'(t) dt \quad - (1)$$

• When does this hold? $f' \in L^1$: No, see Devil's staircase.

• * Note: f' need not be L^1 for (1) to hold

$$f(x) = x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right) \quad \int_0^1 |f'| = +\infty. \quad \text{But } f(x) - f(0) = \lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \int_0^x f'(t) dt.$$

Very similar to midterm question.

Absolute continuity: $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta < \epsilon \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

$$I = \bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i \quad \text{st} \quad m(I) < \delta$$

$$\sum |f(b_i) - f(a_i)| < \epsilon$$

TFAE: Let $f: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous & nondecreasing.

1) f is AC

2) $m(E) = 0 \Rightarrow m(f(E)) = 0$ (Maps null sets to null sets)

3) f is diff a.e. on I $f' \in L^1$ and $f(x) - f(a) = \int_a^x f'(t) dt$

what a good example of a fn that doesn't.

Pf: 3) \Rightarrow 1) (was on midterm)

1) \Rightarrow 2) Take any $m(E) = 0 \exists 0 < \epsilon < \delta$ (think outer measure) $E \subset [0, \delta]$ $m(E) < \delta$

Let $0 = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} I_i$ Then by AC $\sum_{i=1}^n |f(b_i) - f(a_i)| < \epsilon \forall n$. Take $n \rightarrow \infty$

But $f(E) \subset f([0, \delta])$ and $f([0, \delta]) = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} f(I_i)$ From above $m(f(E)) \leq \epsilon$.

2) \Rightarrow 3)

The idea is to define $\mu(E) = m(f(E))$. Then μ is countably additive if

$\mu\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} E_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} m(f(E_i))$ But for this $f(E_i) \cap f(E_j) = \emptyset$. But what if f is constant? Then this won't happen.

Let $g = x + f(x)$ Then g is strictly increasing and 1-1.

NEXT: Have to show $g(E)$ is meas. to find $m(g(E))$! Will use 2) for this!

g also satisfies 2) since for any I $m(g(I)) = m(f(I)) + |I|$.

g is continuous & strictly increasing. So by intermediate value theorem g maps I to a segment.

Then $g(b) - g(a) = f(b) - f(a) + b - a$

Then suppose $E \subset I$ is meas; $E = E_6 \cup E_0$ where $E_6 \in \mathcal{F}_6$

\Rightarrow countable union of closed (and bounded) sets.

If E is meas $m(E) = \sup \{m(F) : F \subset E, F \text{ closed}\}$.

\mathcal{G}_6 - countable union of open sets
 $\mathcal{F}_6 =$ " union of closed

$m(I \setminus E) = \inf \{m(O) : O \supset E^c\}$

$m(I) - m(E) \leq m(O) = m(I) - m(O^c) \Rightarrow m(E) \geq m(O^c)$.

So take a sequence of F_n st $m(F_n) \uparrow m(E)$ and $O_n \downarrow m(O_n) \downarrow m(E)$

$m(E \setminus F_n) \leq m(O_n \setminus F_n) \rightarrow 0$. Etc.

SKIP.

So $E = E_6 \cup E_0$ where $E_6 \in \mathcal{F}_6$ and E_0 is null.

$g(E_6) = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} g(F_i)$ and each $g(F_i)$ is compact as well.

If $x \in g(E_6)$ Then $\exists y \in F_n$ $x = g(y)$. So $g(E_6)$ is measurable. since it's a countable union of closed sets.

Then $g(E) = g(E_6) \cup \underbrace{g(E_0)}_{\text{null}}$ is meas.

$\mu \ll m$ by 2) (g is AC)

By Radon-Nikodym we have $\exists h$ st

$$\mu(E) = \int_E h \, dx \quad \mu((0, x)) = m(g(0, x)) = g(x) - g(0) = \int_0^x h \, dx$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) + x - f(0) - 0 = \int_0^x h \, dx \quad \Rightarrow f(x) = \int_0^x (h-1) \, dx$$

By Lebesgue differentiation $f'(x) = h-1$ a.e. m.

Now to remove f is nondecreasing restriction.

Theorem: Let $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Then let

$$F(x) = \sup_{P_{ab}} \sum_{i=1}^n |f(t_i) - f(t_{i-1})| \quad P_{ab} \text{ partition}$$

be its total variation function. If f is AC, so are F , $F+f$ and $F-f$ and moreover they're nondecreasing.

If $F(b) < \infty$ we say f has bounded variation.

Pf: Let $x < y$ $F(y) \geq |f(y) - f(x)| + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} |f(t_i) - f(t_{i-1})|$

The diagram shows a horizontal line representing the interval [a, y]. Tick marks are placed at a, t_0, t_1, ..., t_{n-1}, t_n, and y. The point x is located between t_{n-1} and t_n.

$$\Rightarrow F(y) \geq |f(y) - f(x)| + F(x) \quad \text{taking sup over } P_{ax}$$

$$\Rightarrow F(y) + f(y) \geq F(x) + f(x)$$

$$F(y) - f(y) \geq F(x) - f(x)$$

$$\text{If } (\alpha, \beta) \subset I \quad F(\beta) - F(\alpha) = \sup_{\mathcal{P}_{\alpha\beta}} \sum |f(t_i) - f(t_{i-1})|$$

Take any partition of $[a, \beta]$ and augment it to include α . Etc.

Now pick $\epsilon > 0 \exists \delta$ st $\forall \{I_j\}_{j=1}^n$ st $m(\cup_j I_j) < \delta \implies \sum |f(b_i) - f(a_i)| < \epsilon$

Then take any partition of $\{I_j\}$ and

$$\sum_j \sum_{\mathcal{P}_j} |f(t_{ij}) - f(t_{i-1,j})| \leq \epsilon$$

Now take a sup and get $\sum_j F(b_i) - F(a_i) \leq \epsilon$.

Theorem: If f is AC on I then f is differentiable on I , $f' \in L^1$ and

$$f(x) - f(a) = \int_a^x f' dt \quad \text{a.e. } x \in I = [a, b].$$

Pf: let $f_1 = \frac{1}{2}(F + f)$ $f_2 = \frac{1}{2}(F - f)$. Apply previous theorem to f_1 or f_2 are AC and nondecreasing.

Then $f = f_1 - f_2$.

$$f(x) - f(a) = \int_a^x f_1' dt - \int_a^x f_2' dt$$

Remark: If $f(x) - f(a) = \int_a^x g$ for $g \in L^1$ then f is AC. (Proved on midterm)

Thm: If f' exists EVERYWHERE and $f' \in L^1$ then $f(x) - f(a) = \int_a^x f' dt$

Not worth proving since requires 7.21