

Last time

- Countable additivity:  $f \in L^1(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) \Rightarrow \int_{\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n} f dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_{A_n} f dx$   
 $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_A |f_n| dx < \infty \Rightarrow \int_A \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_A f_n dx$
- Riemann integral: A bounded function  $f$  on  $[a, b]$  is Riemann integrable  
 $\Leftrightarrow m(\{x: f \text{ is discontinuous at } x\}) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow f \in L^1([a, b])$ , and  $\int_{[a, b]} f dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx$
- Integral with parameter: Under very weak assumptions (natural assumption in  $t$ , ~~rather~~ weak assumption in  $x$  dominate by  $g \in L^1(A)$ )  
 $F(t, x) = \int_A f(t, x) dx$   
 is continuous ~~and~~ / differentiable in  $t$ .
- Fubini's Theorem: Suppose  $f \in L^1(A \times B)$ . Then
  - (1) For a.e.  $y \in B$ ,  $f(\cdot, y) \in L^1(A)$
  - (2) The function  $F(y) = \int_A f(x, y) dx \rightarrow F \in L^1(B)$
  - (3)  $\int_{A \times B} f(x, y) dx dy = \int_B \left( \int_A f(x, y) dx \right) dy = \int_A \left( \int_B f(x, y) dy \right) dx$

Today: More on Lebesgue integral

## 1. Consequences of Fubini's Theorem

We have the following non-negative version of Fubini's theorem.

Thm (Tonelli) Suppose  $f = f(x, y)$  is non-negative and measurable on  $A \times B$ . Then

- (1) For a.e.  $y \in B$ ,  $f(\cdot, y)$  is measurable on  $A$ .
- (2) The function  $F(y) = \int_A f(x, y) dx$  is measurable on  $B$ .
- (3)  $\int_{A \times B} f(x, y) dx dy = \int_B \left( \int_A f(x, y) dx \right) dy = \int_A \left( \int_B f(x, y) dy \right) dx$  [Maybe  $+\infty$ !]

Proof: [Idea: To apply Fubini's theorem, we need to approximate  $f$  by integrable functions.]

- We can try to approximate by an increasing sequence so that we can use MCT.
- Given a non-negative function, how to get an integrable one? cut both the domain and the range of the function!

• Consider the truncated functions

$$f_k(x, y) = \begin{cases} f(x, y) & \text{if } (x, y) \in B(0, k) \cap (A \times B) \text{ AND } f(x, y) < k \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Then each  $f_k \in L^1(A \times B)$ , and  $f_1 \leq f_2 \leq f_3 \leq \dots \rightarrow f$ .

- By Fubini (1),  $\exists B_k \subset B$  with  $m(B_k) = 0$ , s.t.  $f_k(\cdot, y) \in L^1(A)$  for  $y \in B \setminus B_k$ .

It follows that for  $y \in B \setminus \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} B_k$ , i.e. for a.e.  $y$  (since  $m(\bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} B_k) = 0$ ), the function  $f(\cdot, y) = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} f_k(\cdot, y)$  is measurable.

- Since  $f_k(\cdot, y) \rightarrow f(\cdot, y)$ , the MCT gives

$$F_k(y) = \int_A f_k(x, y) dx \rightarrow \int_A f(x, y) dy =: F(y)$$

By Fubini (2), the function  $F_k$  is measurable. So  $F$  is measurable on  $B$ .

- Applying MCT again, we get

$$\int_B \left( \int_A f_k(x, y) dx \right) dy \rightarrow \int_B \left( \int_A f(x, y) dx \right) dy$$

By Fubini (3), we know

$$\int_B \left( \int_A f_k(x, y) dx \right) dy = \int_{A \times B} f_k(x, y) dx dy$$

So we must have

$$\int_{A \times B} f(x, y) dx dy = \int_B \left( \int_A f(x, y) dx \right) dy$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{MCT again!}} \int_{A \times B} f(x, y) dx dy$$

□

Rmk. In applications, to evaluate a multiple integral, one may combine Tonelli and Fubini:  
 - First apply Tonelli to  $|f|$ , so that one can compute the multiple integral <sup>of  $|f|$</sup>  via iterated integrals. Try to show that the result is NOT infinite.  
 - As a consequence,  $f$  is integrable. Then apply Fubini to the multiple integral of  $f$ , i.e. evaluate the integral of  $f$  via iterated integrals.

• Cor. If  $A \subset \mathbb{R}^{d_1}$ ,  $B \subset \mathbb{R}^{d_2}$  are measurable, then  $A \times B \subset \mathbb{R}^{d_1} \times \mathbb{R}^{d_2}$  is measurable, and  $m(A \times B) = m(A) \times m(B)$ .

Proof. We can write  $A = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n$ , where  $m(A_0) = 0$ , and each  $A_n$  ( $n \geq 1$ ) is closed in  $\mathbb{R}^{d_1}$ .  
 $B = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} B_n$ ,  $\dots m(B_0) = 0, \dots B_n \dots$  in  $\mathbb{R}^{d_2}$ .

(Note: By replacing  $A_n$  or  $B_n$  with  $(\bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i) \cap B(0, n)$ , or  $(\bigcup_{i=1}^n B_i) \cap B(0, n)$ , we may assume that each  $A_n/B_n$  is bounded and closed.)

Then each  $A_n \times B_m$  ( $n, m \geq 1$ ) is closed, and thus measurable.

each  $A_0 \times B_n$  is measurable ~~with~~ with measure 0, since  $\exists$  boxes  $C_i, D_j^{(n)}$  s.t.  
 $A_0 \subset \bigcup_i C_i, B_n \subset \bigcup_j D_j^{(n)}$ , with  $\sum_i m(C_i) < \varepsilon, \sum_j m(D_j^{(n)}) < m(B_n) + \varepsilon < \infty$

$\Rightarrow m^*(A_0 \times B_n) \leq m^*\left(\bigcup_{i,j} C_i \times D_j^{(n)}\right) < \varepsilon \cdot (m(B_n) + \varepsilon) \rightarrow 0$

each  $A_n \times B_0$  is measurable, by the same reason.

$\Rightarrow A \times B$  is measurable

• By Tonelli,

$$m(A \times B) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d_1} \times \mathbb{R}^{d_2}} \chi_A(x) \chi_B(y) dx dy = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d_1}} \chi_A(x) \cdot m(B) dx = m(A) \times m(B). \quad \square$$

In lecture 10 we showed that if  $f$  is non-negative, measurable and a.e. finite, defined on a measurable set  $A$  with  $m(A) < +\infty$ , then

$$\int_A f(x) dx = \int_0^\infty m(\{x: f(x) \geq t\}) dt.$$

Now we prove

Prop: Suppose  $f$  is a measurable function on a measurable set  $A$ . Then for  $\forall 1 \leq p < \infty$ ,

$$\int_A |f(x)|^p dx = p \int_0^\infty t^{p-1} \cdot m(\{x: |f(x)| > t\}) dt.$$

Proof: Let  $F(t, x) = \chi_{\{x: |f(x)| > t\}}$ . Then by Tonelli theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_A |f(x)|^p dx &= \int_A \left( \int_0^{|f(x)|} p t^{p-1} dt \right) dx \\ &= \int_A \left( \int_0^\infty p t^{p-1} \cdot F(t, x) dt \right) dx \\ &= \int_0^\infty p \cdot t^{p-1} \left( \int_A F(t, x) dx \right) dt = p \int_0^\infty t^{p-1} \cdot m(\{x: |f(x)| > t\}) dt \quad \square. \end{aligned}$$

As another application, we consider the convolution.

Def: Given any two measurable functions  $f$  and  $g$  on  $\mathbb{R}^d$ , we define their convolution to be the function

$$(f * g)(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x-y) g(y) dy \quad (= \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(y) g(x-y) dy = (g * f)(x))$$

Rmk: The function  $f(x-y)$  is measurable as a function on  $\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}^d$ .  
To see this

Prop: Suppose  $f, g \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^d)$ . Then (1) for a.e.  $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$ , the convolution  $f * g(x)$  exists.  
(2)  $f * g \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^d)$

$$(3) \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |(f * g)(x)| dx \leq \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |f(x)| dx \cdot \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |g(x)| dx.$$

Proof: We first assume  $f \geq 0, g \geq 0$ . Then by Tonelli theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x-y) g(y) dy \right) dx &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x-y) g(y) dx \right) dy \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} g(y) \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x-y) dx \right) dy \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} g(y) \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x) dx \right) dy = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x) dx \cdot \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} g(y) dy. \end{aligned}$$

This proves (3) and implies (2) and (1).

For general case, we only need the fact

$$|f| * |g|(x) \geq |(f * g)(x)|. \quad \square$$

## 2. Overall continuity

Let  $f \in L^p(\mathbb{R}^d)$ . Then  $f$  could be "very discontinuous". However, we always have

Thm. Suppose  $f \in L^p(\mathbb{R}^d)$ . Then  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |f(x+h) - f(x)|^p dx = 0$ .

Proof: Idea: To show an integral is small, you can split it into several pieces, and prove that each piece is either small by choice, or small as an integral with a bounded domain and small integrand or small bounded domain. See Lec 12, the explanation for the proof of LDCT (in measure version).

Proof: First choose  $K$  large enough s.t.  $\int_{\mathbb{R}^d \setminus B(0, K)} |f(x)|^p dx < \frac{\varepsilon}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2^p}$ .

Second find a continuous function  $g \in L^p(\mathbb{R}^d)$  s.t.  $\|f - g\|_{L^p(\mathbb{R}^d)}^p < \frac{\varepsilon}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2^p}$  [We did this for  $p=1$  in Prob 6, part 1, Prob 12. The case  $p \geq 1$  over the same.]

Since  $g$  is continuous, it is uniformly continuous on the ball  $B(0, K+2)$ . i.e.  $\exists \delta > 0$  s.t.  $\forall h < \delta, |g(x+h) - g(x)| < \frac{\varepsilon}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2^p} \cdot \frac{1}{\text{Vol}(B(0, K+2))}$ .

$\Rightarrow \forall |h| < \delta$  (can assume  $\delta < \frac{1}{2}$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |f(x+h) - f(x)|^p dx &\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}^d \setminus B(0, K+1)} |f(x+h) - f(x)|^p dx + \int_{B(0, K+1)} |f(x+h) - f(x)|^p dx \\ &\leq 2^p \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} (|f(x+h)|^p + |f(x)|^p) dx + \int_{B(0, K+1)} \left[ 2^p |g(x+h) - g(x)|^p + 4^p |f(x+h) - g(x+h)|^p + 4^p |g(x) - f(x)|^p \right] dx \\ &< \frac{\varepsilon}{4} + \frac{\varepsilon}{4} + \frac{\varepsilon}{8} + \frac{\varepsilon}{8} + \frac{\varepsilon}{4} = \varepsilon. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

Cor. Suppose  $f \in L^p(\mathbb{R}^d)$ ,  $g$  is a bounded measurable function on  $\mathbb{R}^d$ . Then the convolution  $F(x) := (f * g)(x)$  is a uniformly continuous function.

Proof: Let  $M = \sup_{\mathbb{R}^d} |g(u)| < +\infty$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} |F(x+h) - F(x)| &= \left| \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x+h-t) g(t) dt - \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x-t) g(t) dt \right| \\ &\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |f(x+h-t) - f(x-t)| \cdot |g(t)| dt \\ &\leq M \cdot \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |f(x+h-t) - f(x-t)| dt \rightarrow 0 \text{ uniformly.} \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

Cor. Suppose  $f \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^d)$ ,  $g \in C^k(\mathbb{R}^d)$  and suppose  $g$  is compactly supported. Then  $f * g \in C^k(\mathbb{R}^d)$ .

Proof:  $\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} (f * g)(x) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(y) g(x-y) dy = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(y) \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} g(x-y) dy = (f * \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} g)(x)$  (admits  $k^{\text{th}}$  derivatives which are continuous).  
Induction.  $\square$   
Use the proposition we proved last time.  
 $\{g \text{ is compactly support} \Rightarrow g \text{ is bounded} \Rightarrow |f(y) \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} g(x-y)| \leq M|f| \in L^1\}$