

## Indicator Fxns. (Characteristic Fxn.)

•  $E \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  measurable

$$\mathbb{1}_E(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \in E \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Simple fxns. are finite lin. combo. of indicator

$$f(x) = \sum_{i=1}^N c_i \mathbb{1}_{E_i}(x), \quad E_i \subset \mathbb{R}^n, c_i \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \mathbb{1}_E = m(E)$$

$$\int \sum c_i \mathbb{1}_{E_i} = \sum c_i m(E_i)$$

$\Rightarrow$  For measurable fxn. (nonnegative)

① Find simple fxn.  $f_n: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  s.t.  $f_n \nearrow f$  ptwise.

② Define  $\int f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int f_n$

## Thm 7.5: Measurable Fxn.

•  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  measurable if  $\forall V \subset \mathbb{R}$  open,

$f^{-1}(V)$  is measurable.

\* More generally, say  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  a measurable set.  $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , then

$f$  is measurable if  $f^{-1}(\text{open})$  is measurable in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .

**Lemma**: If  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  measurable,  $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  cont. Then  $f$  is measurable.

**Pf**  $\forall V \subset \mathbb{R}$  open, we have  $f^{-1}(V) \subset \Omega$  is open in  $\Omega$ ,

① i.e.  $f^{-1}(V) = W \cap \Omega$ , where  $W \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  is open. Since  $W$  and  $\Omega$  are measurable,  $W \cap \Omega$  are measurable.

**Lemma** If  $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^k$  measurable, and  $g: \mathbb{R}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^L$  cont., then  $g \circ f$  is measurable.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \text{[Pf]} & \Omega & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{R}^k & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{R}^L \\ & f^{-1}(g^{-1}(V)) & \longrightarrow & g^{-1}(V) & \longrightarrow & V \\ & \text{measurable} & & \text{open} & & \text{open} \\ & & & \leftarrow & \text{---} & \text{---} \end{array}$$

**Lemma** A fn.  $f = (f_1, \dots, f_n): \mathbb{R}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  is measurable

$\Leftrightarrow f_1, \dots, f_n: \mathbb{R}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  are measurable

**[Pf]**  $(\Rightarrow)$   $f_i = \pi_i \circ f$ ,  $\pi_i: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  project to  $i$ -th component

$\Rightarrow f_i$  is meas.  $\forall i$

$(\Leftarrow)$  To prove  $f$  is meas., suffice to check if  $f^{-1}(\text{open box})$  is meas.

**[Pf]** (1) Any open set in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is a countable union of open boxes.

$$f^{-1}((a_1, b_1) \times \dots \times (a_n, b_n))$$

$$= \bigcap_{i=1}^n f_i^{-1}((a_i, b_i))$$

$$= \bigcap_{i=1}^n (\text{measurable set})$$

$$= \text{meas.}$$

**Corr** . If  $f$  is measurable  $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , then  $|f|$  is measurable.

$$\text{[Pf]} \quad \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{|\cdot|} \mathbb{R}$$

• If  $f_1, f_2$  are meas.  $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , then  $f_1 + f_2$  is meas.

$$\text{[Pf]} \quad \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{(f_1, f_2)} \mathbb{R}^2 \xrightarrow{+\cdot} \mathbb{R}$$

$$x \mapsto (f_1(x), f_2(x)) \mapsto f_1(x) + f_2(x)$$

## Reconciling Rugh & Tao's def. a measurable fn.

Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$

$U(f)$  measurable  $\Leftrightarrow \forall V$  open in  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $f^{-1}(V)$  meas.

$\Leftrightarrow \forall (a, \infty)$ ,  $a \geq 0$ ,  $f^{-1}((a, \infty))$  is meas.

$\square$  •  $f^{-1}((-\infty, a]) = [f^{-1}((a, \infty))]^c$  meas.

•  $a < b$ , then  $f^{-1}([a, b]) = f^{-1}((a, \infty) \setminus (b, \infty))$   
 $= f^{-1}((a, \infty)) \setminus f^{-1}((b, \infty))$   
 $= \text{meas.}$

•  $\{b\} = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} (b - \frac{1}{n}, b] \Rightarrow f^{-1}(\{b\})$  meas.

or  $(a, b) = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} (a, b - \frac{1}{n}]$

$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(a, b) = \bigcup_n f^{-1}(a, b - \frac{1}{n})$

\* Warning: • If  $E \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  meas., it doesn't mean  $\pi_1(E)$  meas.

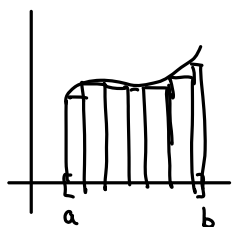
$(\pi_1: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R})$

• If  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  cont. fn.,  $E \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  meas.,  $f^{-1}(E) \subset \mathbb{R}$   
may not be meas.

## Integration

Riemann Integral:

$f: [a, b] \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  cont.



boxes are  
the basic  
object

Lebesgue Integral

•  $E \subset \mathbb{R}$  be a meas. set

$$\mathbb{1}_E(x) \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{|||||} \\ \hline E \end{array}$$

• Def:  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a meas. fn. and  
 $f(\mathbb{R})$  is a finite set, then  $f$  is  
called a simple fn.

**Lemma** If  $f$  is a simple fn., then  $\exists E_1, \dots, E_n$  disjoint meas. subsets of  $\mathbb{R}$ ,

$$c_1, \dots, c_n \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ s.t. } f(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i \mathbb{1}_{E_i}(x)$$

**PF** Let  $f(\mathbb{R}) = \{c_1, \dots, c_n\}$ .  $\forall c_i$ , choose  $\varepsilon_i > 0$  small enough s.t.

$$(c_i - \varepsilon_i, c_i + \varepsilon_i) \cap f(\mathbb{R}) = \{c_i\}, \text{ then}$$

$$f^{-1}(c_i) = f^{-1}((c_i - \varepsilon_i, c_i + \varepsilon_i)) = E_i. \text{ Thus } f(x) = \sum c_i \mathbb{1}_{E_i}(x)$$

**Prop**: The set of simple fn.s. form a vector space. I.e.,

- $\forall c \in \mathbb{R}, \forall f$  simple fn.,  $cf$  is simple
- $\forall f, g$  simple fn.,  $f+g$  is simple

Let  $f$  be a simple fn.,  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ , then

$$\int f = \sum_{\substack{\lambda \in f(\mathbb{R}) \\ \lambda > 0}} \lambda \cdot \underbrace{m(f^{-1}(\lambda))}_{\text{base width}}$$

height

**Lemma** ①  $\forall c > 0, f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  simple,  $\int c \cdot f = c \int f$

② If  $f, g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  simple,  $\int f+g = \int f + \int g$

③ Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be meas., then  $\exists f_n$  seq. of non-neg. simple fn. of bounded support, s.t.  $f_n \rightarrow f$  ptwise.

**PF** ③ Suffice to show,  $\forall E_i$  meas. (may not be disjoint)

$$\int \sum c_i \mathbb{1}_{E_i}(x) = \sum c_i m(E_i)$$

Let  $E_{ij} = E_i \cap E_j, c_{ij} = c_i + c_j$ , then

$$\sum c_i \mathbb{1}_{E_i}(x) = \sum_{i \leq i < j \leq n} c_{ij} \mathbb{1}_{E_{ij}}(x)$$

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$\text{supp}(f) = \{x \mid f(x) \neq 0\}$

③ Let  $f_n(x) = \sup\{\frac{j}{2^n} \mid \frac{j}{2^n} \leq \min(f(x), 2^n), j \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}\}$   $f_n(x) = \mathbb{1}_{[-n, n]}(x)$

(1)  $f_n(\mathbb{R}) \subset \{\frac{j}{2^n} : \frac{j}{2^n} \leq 2^n, j \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}\}$  finite set

(2)  $f_n(x) = \frac{j}{2^n}, \frac{j}{2^n} \neq 2^n \Leftrightarrow \frac{j}{2^n} \leq f(x) < \frac{j+1}{2^n}$

$$\Leftrightarrow x \in f^{-1}([\frac{j}{2^n}, \frac{j+1}{2^n}))$$

$$f_n(x) = 2^n \Leftrightarrow f(x) \geq 2^n$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x \in f^{-1}([2^n, \infty))$$

Prop:  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is meas.  $\Leftrightarrow f$  is a ptwise limit of a seq. of simple fns.

[PF] ( $\Rightarrow$ ) by above construction

( $\Leftarrow$ ) Show: If  $f_n$  is a seq. of non-neg. meas. fns.,  $f_n \rightarrow f$  ptwise.,

then  $f$  is meas.

$$\underline{f}_n \rightarrow f \quad \widehat{f}_n \rightarrow f \quad f_n \rightarrow f \text{ ptwise.}$$

$$\text{check: } f^{-1}([a, \infty)) = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \underline{f}_n^{-1}([a, \infty))$$