

Recall: $Q = \prod_{i=1}^n [a_i, b_i]$ rectangle

$$\begin{aligned} \cdot \int_Q f &= \sup_{P \text{ partition}} L(f, P) = \\ & \quad \swarrow \int_{\mathbb{R}} f \\ &= \sup_P \sum_{R \text{ subrectangle}} m_R(f) \text{Vol}(R) \\ & \quad \swarrow \sup_R f \end{aligned}$$

$$\cdot \int_Q f = \inf_T \sum_{R} M_R(f) \text{Vol}(R)$$

$$\cdot f \text{ integrable if } \int_Q f = \overline{\int}_Q f.$$

Def. Let $A \subset \mathbb{R}^n$. We say that A has measure zero if $\forall \epsilon > 0$ if there are rectangles $\{Q_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ such that $A \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} Q_i$ and

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{Vol}(Q_i) < \epsilon.$$

If A has measure zero we will write $\mu(A) = 0$.

Lma: (a) If $B \subset A$, then $\mu(A) = 0 \Rightarrow \mu(B) = 0$.

(b) If $A = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i$ and $\mu(A_i) = 0 \forall i \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$ then $\mu(A) = 0$.

(c) $\mu(A) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0$, there are open rectangles $\{\overset{\circ}{Q}_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$

: $A \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} \overset{\circ}{Q}_i$ and $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{Vol}(\overset{\circ}{Q}_i) < \epsilon$.

(d) If Q is a rectangle, then

$\mu(\partial Q) = 0$ but $\mu(Q) \neq 0 \rightarrow$

(Q does not have measure zero)

Proof: (a) Clear from def.

(b) Since $\mu(A_i) = 0$, then $\forall i$

$\forall \varepsilon_i > 0 : \{Q_{ij}\}_{j=1}^{\infty}$

$$A_i \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} Q_{ij}$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \text{Vol}(Q_{ij}) < \varepsilon_i.$$

so $A \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} Q_{ij}$. Let $\varepsilon > 0$

be arbitrary. Then

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \text{Vol}(Q_{ij}) < \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \varepsilon_i \quad (*)$$

Since each $\varepsilon_i > 0$ is arbitrary we can assume $\varepsilon_i = \frac{\varepsilon}{2^i}$. Then

(*) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{\varepsilon}{2^i} &= \varepsilon \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^i} = \varepsilon \left(1 - \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{2}}\right) \\ &= \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

so $\sum_{i,j} Q_{ij} < \epsilon$. This shows $\mu(A) < \epsilon$.

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Thm: Let Q be a rectangle in \mathbb{R}^n , and let $f: Q \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be bounded.

Let $D = \{x \in Q \mid f \text{ not continuous}\}$.

Then $\int_Q f$ exists $\Leftrightarrow \mu(D) = 0$.

Proof: f bounded so, choose $M > 0$
: $|f(x)| \leq M \forall x \in Q$.

□ \Leftarrow Assume $\mu(D) = 0$. We will show that $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists$ partition P of Q :

$$U(f, P) - L(f, P) < \epsilon.$$

To that end, let $\epsilon > 0$.

By the assumption that $\mu(D) = 0$
We can cover D w/ open rects

$\{\overset{\circ}{Q}_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$, $D \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} \overset{\circ}{Q}_i$, so that

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{Vol}(\overset{\circ}{Q}_i) < \varepsilon.$$

For all $\vec{a} \in Q - D$, we can choose
an open rectangle $\overset{\circ}{Q}_a \ni \vec{a}$ so that

$$|f(\vec{x}) - f(\vec{a})| < \varepsilon \quad \forall \vec{x} \in \overset{\circ}{Q}_a \cap Q$$

(by continuity of f at a).

Then $\{\overset{\circ}{Q}_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty} \cup \{\overset{\circ}{Q}_a\}_{a \in Q - D}$

is an open cover of Q .

Compactness of Q means that
we can find a finite subcover.

$\{\overset{\circ}{Q}_{i_j}\}_{j=1}^k \cup \{\overset{\circ}{Q}_{a_j}\}_{j=1}^l$ that still cover Q .

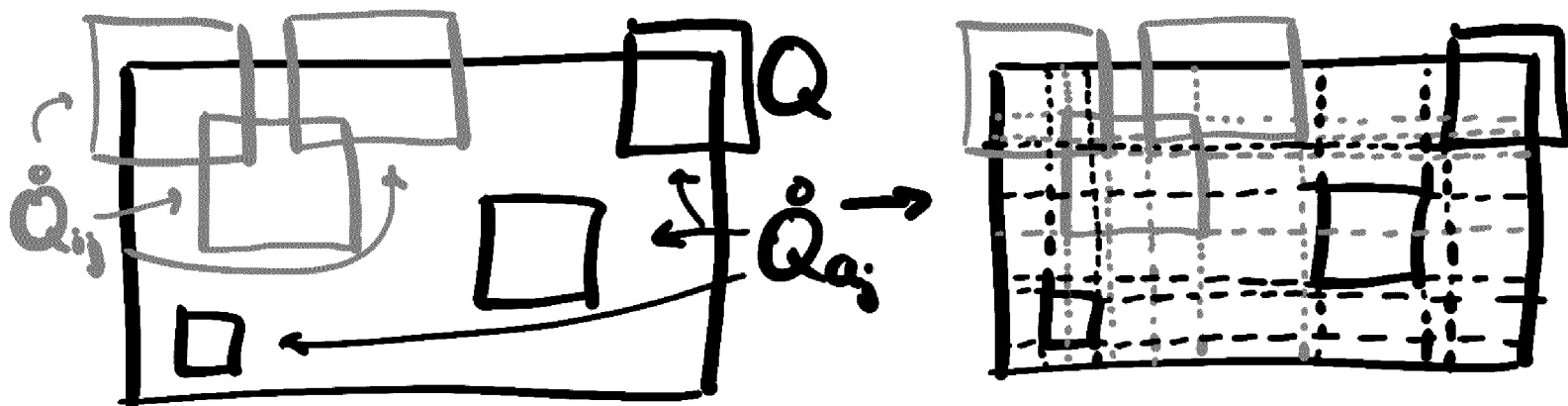
Note that $\forall \vec{x}, \vec{y} \in \overset{\circ}{Q}_{a_j} \cap Q$

$$\begin{aligned} |f(\vec{x}) - f(\vec{y})| &= |f(\vec{x}) - f(\vec{a}) + f(\vec{a}) - f(\vec{y})| \\ &\leq \underbrace{|f(\vec{x}) - f(\vec{a})|}_{< \varepsilon} + \underbrace{|f(\vec{a}) - f(\vec{y})|}_{< \varepsilon} < 2\varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases} Q_j^a := \overset{\circ}{Q}_{a_j} \cap Q & \forall j \in \{1, \dots, l\} \\ Q_j^D := \overset{\circ}{Q}_{i_j} \cap Q & \forall j \in \{1, \dots, k\} \end{cases}$$

Each Q_j^a, Q_j^D is a rectangle that is a subset of Q .

the endpoints of the component intervals of Q_j^a and Q_j^D determine a partition of Q :



By construction each Q_i^a and Q_i^b is a union of subrectangles of P .

$\bar{R} = \{\text{subrectangles } R \text{ of } P\}$.

Write $\bar{R} = \bar{R}^D \cup \bar{R}^a$

$\bar{R}^D = \{R \in \bar{R} \mid R \subset Q_i^D \text{ for some } i\}$

$\bar{R}^a = \{R \in \bar{R} \mid R \subset Q_i^a \text{ for some } i\}$.

Then because

$$|f(\vec{x}) - f(\vec{y})| \leq |f(\vec{x})| + |f(\vec{y})| \leq 2M$$

$$\forall \vec{x}, \vec{y} \in Q$$

We have

$$M_R(f) - m_R(f) \leq 2M$$

for any
subrect
 R of P .

Similarly, $|f(\vec{x}) - f(\vec{y})| \leq 2\epsilon'$
 $\forall \vec{x}, \vec{y} \in Q - D$

implies $M_R(f) - m_R(f) \leq 2\epsilon'$ for
any subrectangle $R \in \bar{R}^a$.

Therefore

$$U(f, P) - L(f, P) = \sum_R (M_R(f) - m_R(f)) \text{Vol}(R)$$

$$= \sum_{R \in \bar{R}^D} (M_R(f) - m_R(f)) \text{Vol}(R)$$

$$+ \sum_{R \in \bar{R}^a} (M_R(f) - m_R(f)) \text{Vol}(R)$$

$$\leq 2M \sum_{R \in \bar{R}^D} \text{Vol}(R) + 2\epsilon \underbrace{\sum_{R \in \bar{R}^a} \text{Vol}(R)}_{\leq \text{Vol}(Q)}$$

$$\leq 2M \sum_{j=1}^k \underbrace{\sum_{R \subset Q_j^D} \text{Vol}(R)}_{\leq \text{Vol}(Q_j^D)} + 2\epsilon \text{Vol}(Q)$$

$$\leq 2M \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^k \text{Vol}(Q_i^p)}_{< \varepsilon} + 2\varepsilon \text{Vol}(Q)$$

$$< 2\varepsilon (M + \text{Vol}(Q))$$

Can be made arbitrarily small by choosing $\varepsilon > 0$ small enough.

This shows

$$\mu(D) = 0 \Rightarrow \int_Q f \text{ exists.}$$

\Rightarrow See the book

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Def: If a function $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ satisfies a property on all of A except on a set of measure zero, we say that the property holds "almost everywhere" in A .
(a.e.)

Thm: Let Q be a rectangle and let $f: Q \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be integrable.

(a) If $f=0$ a.e. then $\int_Q f = 0$

(b) If $f \geq 0$ and $\int_Q f = 0$, then

$f=0$ a.e.

Proof: (a) Let P be a partition of Q . Let $E = \{\vec{x} \in Q \mid f(\vec{x}) \neq 0\}$. We know $\mu(E) = 0$. If R is a subrect determined by P then $R \not\subset E$, meaning $\exists \vec{x} \in R : f(\vec{x}) = 0$.

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} m_R(f) \leq 0 \\ M_R(f) \geq 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} L(f, P) \leq 0 \\ U(f, P) \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_Q f \leq 0 \text{ and } \int_Q f \geq 0.$$

$\int_Q f$ exists by hypothesis so

$$\int_Q f = \int_{-Q} f = \overline{\int_Q f} \Rightarrow \int_Q f = 0$$
