

### Class4

Thm.  $u^*$  outer measure

Let  $\mathfrak{a} = \{u^* \text{-measurable subsets}\}$

Then(i)  $\mathfrak{a}$  is  $\sigma$ -algebra;

(ii)  $u^*|_{\mathfrak{a}}$  is measure.

Ex.  $X$  set. (Ex.1.3.2)

Define  $u^*(E) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } E = \phi \\ 1 & \text{if } E \neq \phi \end{cases}$  for  $E \subseteq X$ .

Then  $u^*$  outer measure

$\mathfrak{a} = \{\phi, X\}$

$u^*|_{\mathfrak{a}}$  is  $\ni u^*(\phi) = 0$

$u^*(X) = 1$ .

Pf. of Thm.

(1)  $\phi \in \mathfrak{a}$

Check:  $u^*(A) = u^*(A \cap \phi) + u^*(A \setminus \phi) \quad \forall A \subseteq X$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \parallel & & \parallel \\ u^*(\phi) & & u^*(A) \\ \parallel & & \\ 0 & & \end{array}$$

(2)  $E \in \mathfrak{a} \Rightarrow E^c \in \mathfrak{a}$

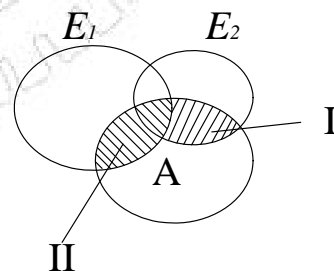
Check:  $u^*(A) = u^*(A \cap E^c) + u^*(A \setminus E^c)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \parallel & & \parallel \\ u^*(A \setminus E) & & u^*(A \cap E). \end{array}$$

(3)  $E_1, E_2 \in \mathfrak{a} \Rightarrow E_1 \cup E_2 \in \mathfrak{a}$ .

Check:  $u^*(A) \geq u^*(A \cap (E_1 \cup E_2)) + u^*(A \setminus (E_1 \cup E_2))$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \parallel & & \parallel \\ u^*(\underbrace{(A \setminus E_1) \cap E_2}_{\text{I}} \cup \underbrace{(A \cap E_1)}_{\text{II}}) & & u^*((A \setminus E_1) \setminus E_2). \end{array}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &\leq \underbrace{u^*((A \setminus E_1) \cap E_2)} + u^*(A \cap E_1) + \underbrace{u^*((A \setminus E_1) \setminus E_2)} \\ &= \underbrace{u^*(A \setminus E_1)} + u^*(A \cap E_1) && (\because E_2 \in \mathfrak{a}) \\ &= u^*(A). && (\because E_1 \in \mathfrak{a}) \end{aligned}$$

From Sec.1.1,  $\mathfrak{a}$  is an algebra.

$\mathfrak{a}$   $\sigma$ -algebra.  
 &  
 countable  
 addition

$\{E_k\} \subseteq \mathfrak{a}$ , mutually disjoint,

(4)  $S_n = \bigcup_{k=1}^n E_k$

$$\Rightarrow u^*(A \cap S_n) = \sum_{k=1}^n u^*(A \cap E_k) \quad \forall A.$$

Pf: Trivial for  $n=1$ .

Assume true for  $\leq n$ .

$$u^*(A \cap S_{n+1}) = u^*((A \cap S_{n+1}) \cap S_n) + u^*((A \cap S_{n+1}) \setminus S_n) \quad (\because S_n = \bigcup_{k=1}^n E_k \in \mathfrak{a} \text{ by (3)})$$

$$= u^*(A \cap S_n) + u^*(A \cap E_{n+1})$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n u^*(A \cap E_k) + u^*(A \cap E_{n+1}) \quad (\text{by induction})$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} u^*(A \cap E_k).$$

(5) Let  $S = \bigcup_n E_n$ . Then  $u^*(A \cap S) = \sum_n u^*(A \cap E_n) \quad \forall A$ .

Pf: " $\leq$ ":  $u^*(A \cap S) = u^*(A \cap (\bigcup_n E_n)) = u^*(\bigcup_n (A \cap E_n)) \leq \sum_n u^*(A \cap E_n)$ .

" $\geq$ ":  $u^*(A \cap S) \geq u^*(A \cap S_n) = \sum_{k=1}^n u^*(A \cap E_k) \quad \forall n$ . (by (4))

$$\downarrow$$

$$\sum_k u^*(A \cap E_k).$$

(6)  $S \in \mathfrak{a}$

Pf: Check:  $u^*(A) \geq u^*(A \cap S) + u^*(A \setminus S) \quad \forall A$ .

Pf: LHS =  $u^*(A \cap S_n) + u^*(A \setminus S_n) \quad (\because S_n \in \mathfrak{a} \text{ by (3)})$

$\parallel \leftarrow (4) \quad \forall$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n u^*(A \cap E_k) + u^*(A \setminus S).$$

Let  $n \rightarrow \infty \quad \downarrow$

$$\sum_n u^*(A \cap E_n) + u^*(A \setminus S) \stackrel{(5)}{=} u^*(A \cap S) + u^*(A \setminus S).$$

(7)  $\{E_n\} \subseteq \mathfrak{a} \Rightarrow \bigcup_n E_n \in \mathfrak{a}$

Pf: Let  $F_1 = E_1, F_2 = E_2 \setminus E_1, F_3 = E_3 \setminus (E_1 \cup E_2), \dots$

Then  $\{F_n\} \subseteq \mathfrak{a}$ , disjoint

$\therefore \bigcup_n E_n = \bigcup_n F_n \in \mathfrak{a}$  by (b)

$\Rightarrow \mathfrak{a}$   $\sigma$ -algebra.

$\therefore u^* | \mathfrak{a}$  satisfies  $u^*(\emptyset) = 0$  & countable additivity (letting  $A=X$  in (5))  $\Rightarrow u^* | \mathfrak{a}$  measure.

Homework: Ex.1.3.1, 1.3.3 & 1.3.6

**Sec.1.4. Constructing outer measure.**

$X$  set

$$K \subseteq \wp(X)$$

Def.  $K$ : sequential covering class if

$$(1) \phi \in K;$$

$$(2) \forall A \subseteq X, \exists \{E_n\} \subseteq K \ni A \subseteq \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n.$$

Ex.  $X = \mathbb{R}$   
 $K = \{\text{bdd open intervals}\} \cup \{\phi\}$   
 or  $= \{\text{open intervals}\} \cup \{\phi\}$   
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 or  $= \{\text{closed intervals}\} \cup \{\phi\}.$

Let  $\lambda : K \rightarrow [0, \infty]$  &  $\lambda(\phi) = 0$

Ex.  $\lambda$  (interval) = its length

For  $A \subseteq X$ , let  $u^*(A) = \inf \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda(E_n) : E_n \in K, A \subseteq \bigcup_n E_n \right\} : \wp(X) \rightarrow [0, \infty].$

Note: In general,  $u^*$  may not be extension of  $\lambda$  (cf. p.14)

(Reason:  $u^*$  monotone, but  $\lambda$  may not be)

Thm.  $u^*$  is an outer measure.

Pf: (1)  $u^*(\phi) = 0$

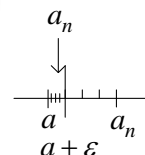
(2)  $u^*(A) \leq u^*(B)$  if  $A \subseteq B$ .

(3) Check: countable subadditivity

Let:  $\{A_n\} \subseteq \wp(X)$ .

Check:  $u^*(\bigcup_n A_n) \leq \sum_n u^*(A_n)$ .

$$(\because a = \inf a_n \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} a \leq a_n \\ \forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists a_n \ni a_n \leq a + \varepsilon \end{cases})$$



For  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists \{E_{nk}\} \subseteq K \rightarrow A_n \subseteq \bigcup_k E_{nk}$  &  $\sum_k \lambda(E_{nk}) \leq u^*(A_n) + \frac{\varepsilon}{2^n}$

$$\because \bigcup_n A_n \subseteq \bigcup_{n,k} E_{nk}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^*(\bigcup_n A_n) \leq \sum_{n,k} \lambda(E_{n,k}) \leq \sum_n (u^*(A_n) + \frac{\varepsilon}{2^n}) \leq \sum_n u^*(A_n) + \varepsilon$$

Let  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$