

Class 8

Def. $L = \{\text{Lebesgue measurable subsets of } \mathbb{R}\}$ (\rightarrow from measure theory)

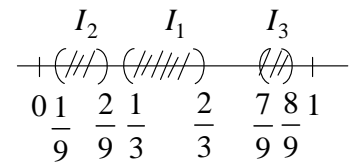
$B = \{\text{Borel subsets of } \mathbb{R}\}$ (\rightarrow from topology)

$m = \text{Lebesgue measurable on } \mathbb{R}$

Relations between L & B :

Def. $C = [0,1] \setminus (I_1 \cup I_2 \cup I_3 \cup \dots)$ (cf. Ex. 1.9.12)

Cantor set



Properties:

(1) C bdd & closed \Rightarrow compact & Borel

(\because intersection of closed sets)

(2) $m(C) = 0$ Pf: $\because m(C) = 1 - \frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{9} - \frac{4}{27} - \dots = 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^{n-1}}{3^n} = 0$

Set Theory: study number of elements of infinite set

cardinality

G. Cantor (1845-1918)

A, B sets

Def. $\#A = \#B$ if $\exists f : A \rightarrow B$ 1-1 & onto

$\#A \leq \#B$ if $\exists f : A \rightarrow B$ 1-1

Def. $(\#A) + (\#B) = \#(A \cup B)$ (disjoint union of A & B)

$(\#A) \cdot (\#B) = \#(A \times B)$

$\#A^{\#B} = \#\{f : B \rightarrow A\}$

$\aleph_0 = \#\mathbb{N}$

$\aleph_1 = \#\mathbb{R}$

Thm. 1. $\#\wp(A) = 2^{\#A}$

Thm. 2. $\#A \leq \#B$ & $\#B \leq \#A \Rightarrow \#A = \#B$ (Schröder-Bernstein)

Thm. 3. $\#A < 2^{\#A}$

Thm. 4. A infinite set $\Leftrightarrow A$ has a subset $C \ni \#A = \#C$

Thm. 5. A infinite set $\Leftrightarrow A$ has a subset $B \ni \#B = \#\mathbb{N}$

Thm. 6. $\aleph_1 = 2^{\aleph_0}$

Note: 1. specific sets in $L \setminus B$ difficult to give. (typical for modern analysis)

2. $m \upharpoonright B$ not complete. Reason: \exists subsets of C , not in B . ($\because \#2^C = 2^{\aleph_1} > \aleph_1 = \#B$)

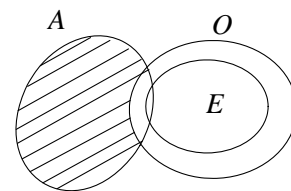
3. m is the completion of $m \upharpoonright B$. (see below)

Thm 1. $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ (cf. Royden, p. 62)

Then $E \in L \Leftrightarrow \forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists$ open $O \supseteq E \ni m^*(O \setminus E) < \varepsilon$

Pf. " \Rightarrow " (Ex. 1.9.7)

" \Leftarrow " Check: $m^*(A) \geq m^*(A \cap E) + m^*(A \setminus E) \quad \forall A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$



$$\therefore O \in L$$

$$\therefore m^*(A) = m^*(A \cap O) + m^*(A \setminus O)$$

$$m^*(A \cap E) \quad \swarrow \quad \searrow \quad m^*(A \setminus E) - m^*(O \setminus E) \geq m^*(A \setminus E) - \varepsilon$$

$$\therefore A \setminus E \subseteq (A \setminus O) \cup (O \setminus E)$$

$$\therefore m^*(A \setminus E) \leq m^*(A \setminus O) + m^*(O \setminus E)$$

$$\Rightarrow m^*(A) \geq m^*(A \cap E) + m^*(A \setminus E) - \varepsilon$$

Let $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$

Thm 2. $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}$

Then $E \in L \Leftrightarrow \forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists$ closed $F \subseteq E \ni m^*(E \setminus F) < \varepsilon$

Pf. " \Rightarrow " $E \in L \Rightarrow E^c \in L$

Apply Thm 3 to $E^c \Rightarrow \exists$ open $O \supseteq E^c \ni m^*(O \setminus E^c) < \varepsilon$

$$E \supseteq O^c \ni m^*(E \setminus F) = m^*(E \setminus O^c) = m^*(O \setminus E^c) < \varepsilon$$

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F
closed

$$E \cap O = O \cap (E^c)^c$$

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" \Leftarrow " Check: $E^c \in L$ by reversing above arguments.

Thm 3. $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$

Then $A \in L \Leftrightarrow A = C \cup N$, where $C \in B, N \in L$ & $m(N) = 0$

Pf. " \Leftarrow " trivial

" \Rightarrow " (Ex. 1.9.8)

Thm 2. $\Rightarrow \forall n \geq 1, \exists$ closed $F_n \ni F_n \subseteq A$ & $m^*(A \setminus F_n) < \frac{1}{n}$

Let $C = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n \in B, C \subseteq A$

Let $N = A \setminus C \in L$

$$m(N) = m(A \setminus C) \leq m(A \setminus F_n) < \frac{1}{n} \quad \forall n \geq 1$$

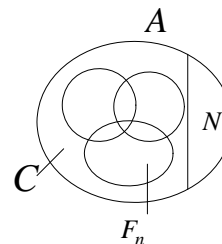
$$\Rightarrow m(N) = 0$$

Note.1. m is the completion of $m|B$ & $\overline{B}=L$

2. Thm's 1-3 true for \mathbb{R}^n

Littlewood principles (Royden, p. 72, Sec. 3.6)

Principle I: $A \in L \Leftrightarrow A \sim \bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i$



Thm 4. $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, $m^*(E) < \infty$. (Royden, p. 63)

Then $E \in L \Leftrightarrow \forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists$ finite open intervals $\{I_i\}_{i=1}^n \ni m^*(E \Delta (\bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i)) < \varepsilon$

Pf. " \Rightarrow ":

Thm 1 $\Rightarrow \forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists$ open $O \supseteq E \ni m(O \setminus E) < \varepsilon$

Note: $O \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, O open $\Leftrightarrow O = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} I_n$, where $\{I_n\}$ disjoint open intervals.

Pf. " \Leftarrow ": trivial

" \Rightarrow ":

Define $x \sim y$ if $\overline{xy} \subseteq O$ for $x, y \in O$.

Then " \sim " equivalence relation.

Each equivalence class is an open interval

$\Rightarrow O = \bigcup_{\alpha} I_{\alpha}$

\therefore Correspond each I_{α} to different rational no. in I_{α} .

$\Rightarrow \{I_{\alpha}\}$ countably many

$\therefore O = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} I_n$.

$\therefore O \setminus \bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i \downarrow \phi$

$\Rightarrow m(O \setminus (\bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i)) < \varepsilon$ for large n

$\Rightarrow m(E \Delta (\bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i)) \leq m(E \setminus (\bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i)) + m((\bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i) \setminus E)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \wedge & & \wedge \\ m(O \setminus (\bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i)) & & m(O \setminus E) \\ \wedge & & \wedge \\ \varepsilon & & \varepsilon \end{array}$$

" \Leftarrow " as in Thm 1.

Homework: Ex 1.9.7, 1.9.14, 1.9.15