

HW 18: Let  $g: [c, d] \rightarrow [a, b]$  be absolutely continuous and  $F: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be absolutely continuous. Prove that  $F \circ g: [c, d] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is absolutely continuous. **DELETE**

HW 19 Let  $f, g: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be absolutely continuous. Prove that: i)  $f \circ g$  is absolutely continuous

$$\text{ii) } (f \circ g)'(x) = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x) \quad a.e.$$

$$\text{iii) } \int_a^b f'g \, dm = f(b)g(b) - f(a)g(a) - \int_a^b fg' \, dm$$

where  $dm$  denotes Lebesgue measure

HW 20: ~~Set  $F(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \chi_{[r_n, \infty)}(x)$~~  Let  $\{r_n\}$  be an enumeration of the rationals. Set  $F(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \chi_{[r_n, \infty)}(x)$

Show that: i)  $x < y \Rightarrow F(x) < F(y)$

$$\text{ii) } \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} F(x) = 0, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} F(x) = 1$$

iii)  $F$  is continuous from the right

iv) If  $x$  is irrational, then  $F$  is continuous at  $x$

**Theorem (Riesz-Fischer):**

For  $1 \leq p \leq +\infty$ ,  $L^p(X, \mathfrak{A}, \mu)$  is a complete metric space, i.e., a Banach space

Proof: When  $p \neq +\infty$ . Let  $\{[f_n]\}_{n=1}^\infty$  be Cauchy sequence in  $L^p$ .

(We need to show: There exists  $[f] \in L^p$  such that  $\|[f] - [f_n]\|_p = \|f - f_n\|_p \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow +\infty$ .) Inductively define  $N_1 \leq N_2 \leq \dots$  so that for  $n, m \geq N_k$ ,  $\|[f_n] - [f_m]\|_p \leq 1/2^k$ . Define  $g_1 = f_{N_1}$ ,  $g_2 = f_{N_2} - f_{N_1}, \dots, g_k = f_{N_k} - f_{N_{k-1}}$ . Then,  $\|g_k\|_p \leq 1/2^{k-1}$ ,  $k > 1$   
 $\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^\infty \|g_k\|_p < +\infty \Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^\infty \|g_k\|_p < +\infty$ . Let  $\sum_{k=1}^\infty \|g_k\|_p = C$ .

Let  $h_m(x) = \sum_{k=1}^m |g_k(x)|$ . Then,  $h_1(x) \leq h_2(x) \leq \dots \leq h(x)$  where

$$h(x) = \sum_{k=1}^\infty |g_k(x)|, h(x) = \lim_m h_m(x).$$

$$\text{Now, } \|h_m(x)\|_p = \left\| \sum_{k=1}^m |g_k(x)| \right\|_p \leq \sum_{k=1}^m \| |g_k(x)| \|_p \leq C.$$

$$\text{So, } \int_X |h_m(x)|^p d\mu \leq C^p < +\infty.$$

$$\text{Now, } |h_m(x)|^p = h_m(x)^p \nearrow h(x)^p. \text{ So by MCT, } \int_X |h(x)|^p d\mu = \lim_m \int_X |h_m(x)|^p d\mu \leq C^p \Rightarrow \mu(\{x : h(x) = +\infty\}) = 0.$$

So, let  $Y = \{x : h(x) \neq +\infty\}$ . Then,  $\mu(X \setminus Y) = 0$ . So, for  $x \in Y$ ,  $\sum_{k=1}^\infty |g_k(x)| < +\infty$ , and so for  $x \in Y$ ,  $\sum_{k=1}^\infty g_k(x)$  converges.

$$\text{Define } f(x) = \begin{cases} \sum_{k=1}^\infty g_k(x) & \text{if } x \in Y \\ 0 & \text{if } x \notin Y \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Now, } \|f(x) - \sum_{k=1}^m g_k(x)\|_p = \left( \int_X |f(x) - \sum_{k=1}^m g_k(x)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} =$$

$$\left( \int_Y |f(x) - \sum_{k=1}^m g_k(x)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} = \left( \int_Y \left| \sum_{k=m+1}^\infty g_k(x) \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} =$$

$$\left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^\infty g_k(x) \right\|_p \leq \sum_{k=m+1}^\infty \|g_k(x)\|_p \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } m \rightarrow +\infty.$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^m g_k = f_{N_1} + (f_{N_2} - f_{N_1}) + \dots + (f_{N_m} - f_{N_{m-1}}) = f_{N_m}. \text{ So,}$$

$$\|f - f_{N_m}\|_p \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } m \rightarrow +\infty, \text{ and } \|[f] - [f_{N_m}]\|_p \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } m \rightarrow +\infty.$$

Claim:  $\| [f] - [f_n] \|_p \rightarrow 0$  as  $m \rightarrow +\infty$ .

Proof of Claim: Given  $\epsilon > 0$ , pick  $m_1$  such that  $m > m_1 \Rightarrow \| [f] - [f_{N_m}] \|_p < \epsilon/2$ , and pick  $m_2$  such that  $1/2^{m_2} < \epsilon/2$ .

Let  $N = \max\{N_{m_1}, N_{m_2}\}$ . Let  $m \geq m_1, m_2; n, N_m \geq N_{m_2}$ . Then, for  $n \geq N$ ,  $\| [f] - [f_n] \|_p \leq \| [f] - [f_{N_m}] \|_p + \| [f_{N_m}] - [f_n] \|_p < \epsilon/2 + 1/2^{m_2} < \epsilon$ .

### Special Examples of $L^p$

(1) Let  $X = [0, 1]$ ,  $\mathfrak{A} = \mathfrak{M}$ ,  $\mu = \lambda$

We usually write  $L^p([0, 1], \mathfrak{M}, \lambda) \equiv L^p[0, 1]$ .

(2) Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\mathfrak{A} =$  all subsets,  $\mu =$  counting measure

$f = g$  a.e.  $\mu \Leftrightarrow f(x) = g(x)$  for all  $x$

$f \longleftrightarrow (f(1), f(2), \dots, f(n)) \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$\left( \int_X |f(x)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} = \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |f(j)|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

$f \longleftrightarrow (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)$

$$\|f\|_p = \|(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)\|_p = \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |\alpha_j|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

$$L^p(\{1, 2, \dots, n\}, \mathfrak{A}, \mu) \longleftrightarrow l^p_n$$

$$l^p_n = \left\{ (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n : \|(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)\|_p = \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |\alpha_j|^p \right)^{1/p} \right\}$$

So, if we take  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , define  $\|\cdot\|_p$  as above, then that is a norm on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .

$$\text{That is } \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |\alpha_j + \beta_j|^p \right)^{1/p} \leq \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |\alpha_j|^p \right)^{1/p} + \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |\beta_j|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

In particular, when  $p = 2$ , note that this is the usual **Euclidean norm**

$$\|(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)\| = \sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n |\alpha_j|^2}$$

Consider  $f \in L^p(\{1, 2, \dots, n\}, \mathfrak{A}, \mu)$ ,  $g \in L^q(\{1, 2, \dots, n\}, \mathfrak{A}, \mu)$

$$\int_X f g d\mu = \sum_{j=1}^n f(j) g(j)$$

$f \longleftrightarrow (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)$ ,  $g \longleftrightarrow (\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n)$

$$\left| \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \beta_j \right| \leq \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |\alpha_j|^p \right)^{1/p} + \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |\beta_j|^q \right)^{1/q} \quad 1/p + 1/q = 1$$

(3) Let  $X = \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ ,  $\mathfrak{A} =$  all subsets,  $\mu =$  counting measure

$f = g$  a.e.  $\mu \Leftrightarrow f(n) = g(n)$  for all  $n$

$f \longmapsto (f(1), f(2), f(3), \dots)$   $\infty$ -tuple

$$f \in L^p(\mathbb{N}, \mathfrak{A}, \mu) \Leftrightarrow \int_{\mathbb{N}} |f(x)|^p d\mu = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |f(n)|^p < +\infty$$

$$L^p(\mathbb{N}, \mathfrak{A}, \mu) \longleftrightarrow l^p = \{(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots) : \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_j|^p < +\infty\}$$

Minkowski: If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n|^p < +\infty$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\beta_n|^p < +\infty$ , then

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n + \beta_n|^p < +\infty \text{ and } \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n + \beta_n|^p \right)^{1/p} \leq \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n|^p \right)^{1/p} + \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\beta_n|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

Holder: If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n|^p < +\infty$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\beta_n|^q < +\infty$ , then

$$\left| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n \beta_n \right| \leq \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n|^p \right)^{1/p} + \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\beta_n|^q \right)^{1/q}$$

Riesz-Fisher:  $l^p$  together with  $\|(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots)\|_p = \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n|^p \right)^{1/p}$

is a **norm** and the **metric** that it induces is **complete**.

When  $p = +\infty$ ,  $L^\infty(\mathbb{N}, \mathfrak{A}, \mu)$ ,  $\|f\|_\infty = \sup\{f(n) : n = 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$

So,  $L^\infty(\mathbb{N}, \mathfrak{A}, \mu) \longleftrightarrow l^\infty = \{(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots) : \sup |\alpha_n| < +\infty\}$ ,

$$\|(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots)\|_\infty = \sup_n |\alpha_n|$$