

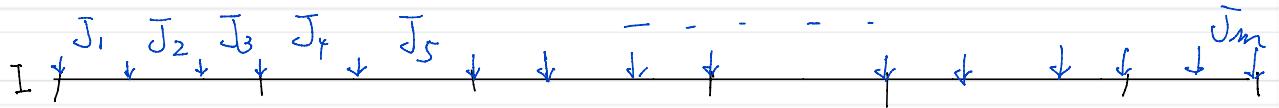
5/6 Refinement of partitions

Def 1.8 $Q = \{J_1, \dots, J_m\}$, $P = \{I_1, \dots, I_n\}$: partitions of I

Q is a refinement of P ($n \leq m$)

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{def } I_k = \bigcup_{l=1}^{L_k} J_{i_{k,l}}, \quad 1 \leq i_{k,l} \leq m$$

for some $\{J_{i_{k,l}}\}_{l=1}^{L_k}$ for each $k=1, \dots, m$



$\{J_j\}$: almost disjoint $\bigcup_{j=1}^m J_j = \bigcup_{i=1}^n I_i = I$

* Each I_i is divided by several intervals.

$$I = \{\[a_{i-1}, a_i]\}_{i=1}^m, \quad J = \{\[b_{j-1}, b_j]\}_{j=1}^m$$

$$= \{a_i\}_{i=0}^m \quad = \{b_j\}_{j=0}^m$$

(These can be expressed by all start and end points.)

Increasing sequences of positive integers

J is a refinement of $I \Leftrightarrow \{a_i\} \subset \{b_j\}$

Example 1.9, 1.10

$$P = \{0, \frac{1}{2}, 1\}, \quad Q = \{0, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, 1\}, \quad R = \{0, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{2}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, 1\}$$

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R is a refinement of P .

Q is not a refinement of P .

$$S = P \cup Q = \{0, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, 1\}$$

S is a refinement of P and Q .

In general, $P \cup Q$ is a refinement of both P and Q , for any partitions P and Q .

$$T = \{0, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{4}, 1\} \text{ is a refinement of } P, Q, R, S$$

Theorem 1.11 $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ bounded.

P, Q : partitions of $[a, b]$, Q is a refinement of P .

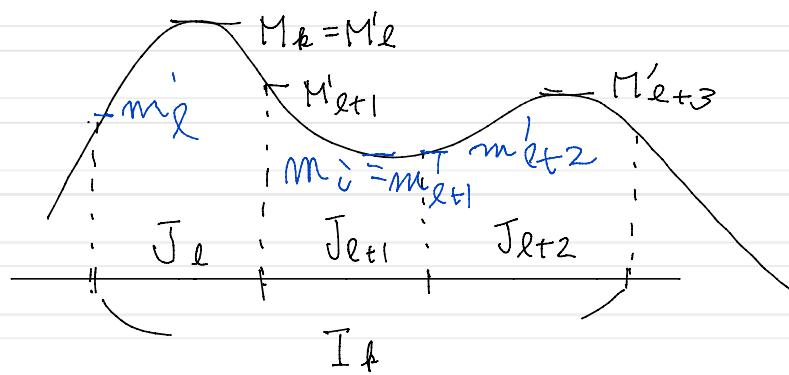
$$L(f, P) \leq L(f, Q), U(f, Q) \leq U(f, P)$$

(Proof) Assume that the two partition P, Q are expressed by.

$$P = \{I_i\}_{i=1}^n, Q = \{\bar{J}_j\}_{j=1}^m$$

and That $I_k = \bigcup_{l=p_k}^{q_k} J_l$. ($q_k+1 = p_{k+1}$)

$$\sup_{x \in I_k} f(x) \geq \sup_{x \in \bar{J}_l} f(x) \quad \text{for } l = p_k, \dots, q_k$$



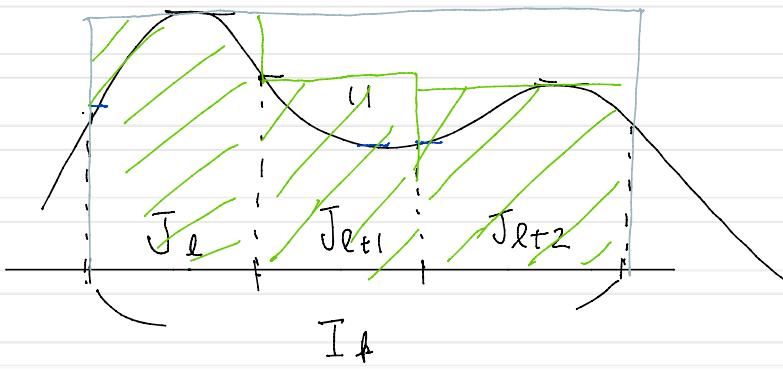
$$m_k = \inf_{x \in I_k} f(x), \quad m'_l = \inf_{x \in \bar{J}_l} f(x)$$

$$U(f, P) = \sum_{k=1}^n \sup_{x \in I_k} f(x) |I_k|$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{l=p_k}^{q_k} \sup_{x \in I_k} f(x) |J_l|$$

$$\geq \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{l=p_k}^{q_k} \sup_{x \in \bar{J}_l} f(x) |J_l|$$

$$= \sum_{l=1}^m \sup_{x \in \bar{J}_l} f(x) |\bar{J}_l| = U(f, Q)$$



Using the same arguments we have:

$$L(f, P) = \sum_{k=1}^n \inf_{x \in I_k} f(x) |I_k|$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n \inf_{x \in I_k} f(x) \sum_{\ell=1}^{q_k} |J_\ell|$$

$$\leq \sum_{k=1}^n \inf_{x \in J_k} f(x) |J_k| = M(f, Q)$$

$$\text{Prop. 1.12} \quad L(f, P) \leq U(f, P)$$

$$(\text{Proof}) \quad L(f, P) = \sum_{k=1}^n \inf_{x \in I_k} f(x) |I_k|$$

$$\leq \sum_{k=1}^n \sup_{x \in I_k} f(x) |I_k| = U(f, P)$$

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