

## 5/13 Cauchy criterion for integrability.

$\{a_n\}$  : a sequence of real numbers

$$a_n \rightarrow \alpha \quad (\alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \left( \forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists N \in \mathbb{N} \text{ s.t.} \right. \\ \left. n \geq m \Rightarrow |a_n - a_m| < \varepsilon \right)$$

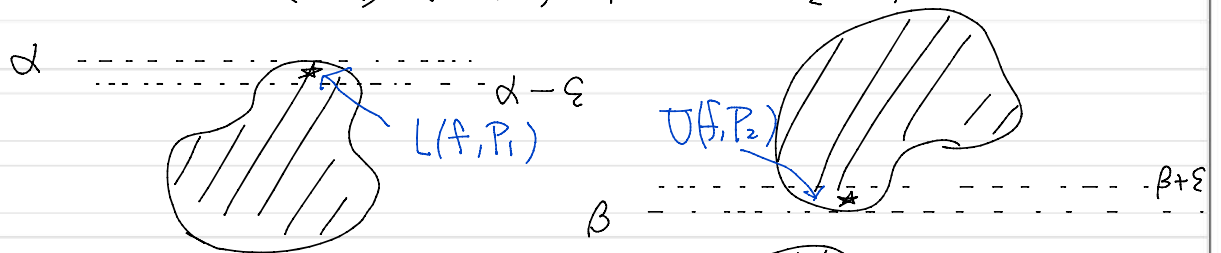
(For any difference (error)  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  
 $|a_n - a_m|$  are less than  $\varepsilon$  for large enough  $n$ .)

$$\alpha = \sup_{P \in \Pi} L(f, P) \quad , \quad \beta = \inf_{P \in \Pi} U(f, P) \quad \left( \Pi \text{ is the set of all partitions} \right)$$

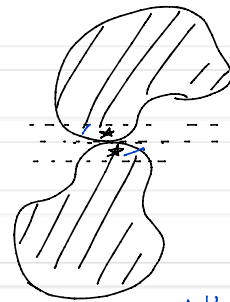
( $P$  is an arbitrary partition of a given interval  $I$ .)

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0 \quad , \quad \exists P_1, P_2 \in \Pi$$

$$\alpha - \varepsilon < L(f, P_1) \leq \alpha \quad , \quad \beta \leq U(f, P_2) < \beta + \varepsilon$$



$$* : f \text{ is integrable} \Leftrightarrow \alpha = \beta$$



All partitions of  $I = [a, b]$

Theorem 1.14

$$f \text{ is Riemann integrable on } I = [a, b] \Leftrightarrow \left( \forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists P \in \Pi \text{ s.t.} \right. \\ \left. U(f, P) - L(f, P) < \varepsilon \right)$$

(Proof)

$\Rightarrow$   $f$  is Riemann integrable,

$$\sup_P L(f, P) = \inf_P U(f, P) \quad (\text{definition})$$

Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be an any positive number. We consider that  $\frac{\varepsilon}{2}$  is an arbitrary number. Then,  $\exists P_1, P_2 \in \mathcal{P}$ , s.t.

$$\alpha - \frac{\varepsilon}{2} < L(f, P_1), \quad U(f, P_2) < \alpha + \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

Let  $P_3 = P_1 \cup P_2$  ( $P_3$  is a refinement of  $P_1, P_2$ )

By Th. 1.11,  $L(f, P) \leq L(f, P_3), U(f, P_2) \geq U(f, P_3)$

Then, we have:

$$\alpha - \frac{\varepsilon}{2} < L(f, P_1) \leq L(f, P_3), \quad U(f, P_3) \leq U(f, P_2) < \alpha + \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

$$\alpha = \sup_P L(f, P) = \inf_P U(f, P)$$

$$\text{Then } |L(f, P_3) - U(f, P_3)| < \varepsilon$$

By Prop. 1.12,  $L(f, P_3) \leq U(f, P_3)$

$$0 \leq U(f, P_3) - L(f, P_3) < \varepsilon$$

( $\Leftarrow$ )

By Prop. 1.12, for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists P_0 \in \mathcal{P}$  s.t.

$$U(f, P_0) - L(f, P_0) < \varepsilon, \quad U(f, P_0) < L(f, P_0) + \varepsilon$$

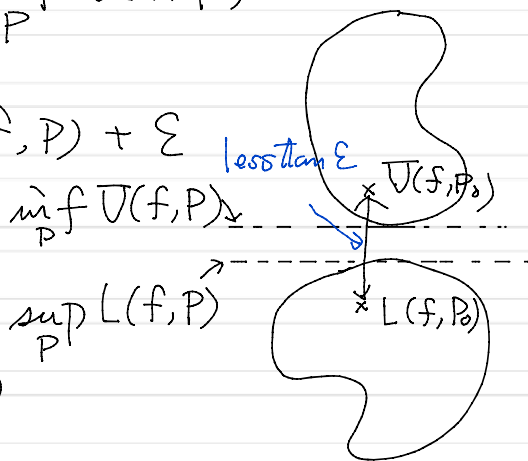
$$\text{Since } \sup_P L(f, P) \leq \inf_P U(f, P)$$

$$\inf_P U(f, P) \leq \sup_P L(f, P) + \varepsilon$$

Since  $\varepsilon$  is any positive number,

$$\inf_P U(f, P) = \sup_P L(f, P)$$

Thus,  $f$  is Riemann integrable. ///



Definition 1.15  $\text{osc}_A f = \sup_{x \in A} f(x) - \inf_{x \in A} f(x)$

$P = \{I_1, I_2, \dots, I_n\}$  : partition.

$$\begin{aligned} U(f, P) - L(f, P) &= \sum_{k=1}^n \sup_{I_k} f |I_k| - \sum_{k=1}^n \inf_{I_k} f |I_k| \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n (\sup_{I_k} f - \inf_{I_k} f) |I_k| \\ &= \sum_k \operatorname{osc}_f |I_k| \end{aligned}$$

Proposition 1.16,  $f, g : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  bounded

$g$  : integrable

$$\exists C > 0 \text{ s.t. } \operatorname{osc}_I f \leq C \operatorname{osc}_I g \quad \forall I = [a', b'] \subset [a, b]$$

Then

$f$  is integrable.

(proof)

$$P = \{I_1, \dots, I_n\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} U(f, P) - L(f, P) &= \sum_{k=1}^n (\sup_{I_k} f - \inf_{I_k} f) |I_k| \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n \operatorname{osc}_f |I_k| \\ &\leq \sum_{k=1}^n \operatorname{osc}_g |I_k| \end{aligned}$$

(Using Th 1.14)

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Theorem 1.17  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is integrable

$\Leftrightarrow \exists \{P_n\}$  : sequence of partitions

$$\text{s.t. } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |U(f, P_n) - L(f, P_n)| = 0$$

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$$d_m = \bar{U}(f, P_m) - L(f, P_m) \rightarrow 0$$

