

MA 509 - Tutorial 11 solutions

①  $\alpha$  increases on  $[a, b]$ ,  $a \leq x_0 \leq b$ .

$\alpha$  is continuous at  $x_0$ .

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x = x_0 \\ 0, & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

To prove: ①  $f \in \mathcal{R}(\alpha)$

②  $\int f d\alpha = 0$ .

Proof: ① follows from Thm. 6.7 (of the previous lecture)

②  $f \in \mathcal{R}(\alpha) \Rightarrow \int f d\alpha$  exists

$$\& \int f d\alpha = \int f d\alpha = \int f d\alpha$$

Consider a partition  $P$  of  $[a, b]$ .

$$L(P, f, \alpha) = \sum_{i=1}^n m_i \Delta \alpha_i, \text{ where}$$

$$m_i = \inf_{x \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]} f(x) = 0 \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq n.$$

$$\Rightarrow L(P, f, \alpha) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sup L(P, f, \alpha) = 0.$$

$P$  is a  
partition  
of  $[a, b]$

$$\Rightarrow \int f d\alpha = 0$$

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②  $f \geq 0$ ,  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ .

$$\Delta \int_a^b f dx = 0.$$

To prove:  $f(x) = 0 \forall x \in [a, b]$ .

Proof: (by contradiction)

Suppose  $\exists x_0 \in [a, b] \ni f(x_0) \neq 0$ , so  $f(x_0) > 0$ .

Since  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ ,

$\exists \delta > 0 \exists x \in [a, b], |x - x_0| < \delta$  implies  $f(x) > \frac{f(x_0)}{2}$  \*

(This is because suppose  $\forall \delta > 0 \exists x \in [a, b] \ni |x - x_0| < \delta$  but  $f(x) \leq \frac{f(x_0)}{2}$ . Then

$$f(x) - f(x_0) \leq -\frac{f(x_0)}{2} < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |f(x) - f(x_0)| = -(f(x) - f(x_0)) \geq \frac{f(x_0)}{2}$$

But then this contradicts the fact that  $f$  is continuous at  $x_0$ .

Consider the interval  $I = [a, b] \cap [x_0 - \delta, x_0 + \delta]$   
Then, of course,  $I = [c, d]$ , where  $a \leq c < d \leq b$ .

Suppose  $c, d$  are elements of a partition  $P$  of  $[a, b]$ , then

$$L(P, f) = \sum_{i=1}^n m_i \Delta x_i \geq \left( \inf_{x \in [c, d]} f(x) \right) \cdot (d - c)$$
$$\geq \frac{f(x_0)}{2} (d - c) > 0$$

↑  
from \*

Thus,  $\sup L(P, f) > 0$  — (\*\*)

( $P$  a partition  
of  $[a, b]$ )

$$\text{But } \sup L(P, f) = \int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

— (\*\*\*)

( $\because f$  continuous  $\Rightarrow$   
 $f$  is Riemann integrable)

$$\text{But } \int_a^b f(x) dx = 0 \text{ (by hypothesis)}$$

$\Rightarrow$  From (\*\*) & (\*\*\*) we have

$0 < 0$ , a contradiction.

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in [a, b].$$



③  $f$  bounded real on  $[a, b]$   
 $f^2 \in \mathcal{R}$  on  $[a, b]$

Does  $f \in \mathcal{R}$ ?

part 1

Ans. No.

Take  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ -1, & x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}$ .

$$U(P, f) = \sum_{i=1}^n \underline{M}_i \Delta x_i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \Delta x_i \quad (\because M_i = 1 \text{ for every } i)$$

$$= x_n - x_0$$

$$= b - a$$

Similarly,

$$L(P, f) = a - b.$$

$$\Rightarrow f \notin \mathcal{R}.$$

But  $f^2(x) = 1$  on  $[a, b]$  & hence  $\in \mathcal{R}$ .

part 2

Suppose  $f^3 \in \mathcal{R}$ .

Take  $\varphi(x) = x^{1/3}$  & then use Thm. 6.8  
with  $h = \varphi \circ f^3$ . Then  $h = f$ .

$$\Rightarrow f \in \mathcal{R}.$$

## \* Equality in Young's inequality

Show that the equality in Young's inequality  $uv \leq \frac{u^p}{p} + \frac{v^q}{q}$  holds iff  $u^p = v^q$ .

Proof: The equality clearly holds if  $u$  or  $v=0$ .  
Now assume  $u, v \neq 0$ .

⇐ "easy". So let  $u^p = v^q$ .

Note that  $\frac{u^p}{p} + \frac{v^q}{q} = v^q \left( \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} \right) = v^2$

So we are done if we show  $u = v^{q-1}$ .

Now  $u^{1/q} = v^{1/p}$  (from the hypotheses  $u^p = v^q$ )

$$= v^{1-1/q} = v^{q-1/q}$$

⇒ Raising both sides to power  $q$ , we have

$$u = v^{q-1}$$

□

⇒ " To prove this direction, we first prove the following lemma:

Lemma: Let  $f: (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined by  $f(x) = (1-x)^{1-p} + (p-1)(1-x)$ , where  $p > 1$ .  
Then  $f(x) = 0$  iff  $x = 1$ .

Proof:

$$f'(x) = -(1-p)x^{-p} + (p-1)$$

$$= (p-1)(x^{-p} - 1)$$

$$f''(x) = -p(p-1)x^{-p-1} < 0$$

So  $f$  has maximum at that  $x$  for which

$f'(x) = 0$ . But this happens at  $x=1$ .  
Thus  $f$  has a maximum at  $x=1$ .

But  $f(1) = 0$ .

So that means at any other point  $x$ ,  $f(x) < 0$   
 $\Rightarrow f(x) = 0$  iff  $x = 1$ .

Now we prove the other direction.

$$\begin{aligned} uv &= \frac{u^p}{p} + \frac{v^q}{q} = \frac{qu^p + pv^q}{p+q} \\ &= \frac{qu^p + pv^q}{p+q} \quad \left( \because \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1 \right. \\ &\quad \left. \text{implies } pq = p+q \right) \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying both sides by  $\frac{(p+q)}{uv}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} p+q &= q \frac{u^{p-1}}{v} + p \frac{v^{q-1}}{u} \\ \Rightarrow q \left( 1 - \frac{u^{p-1}}{v} \right) &= p \left( \frac{v^{q-1}}{u} - 1 \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{u^{p-1}}{v} - 1 = \frac{p}{q} \left( 1 - \frac{v^{q-1}}{u} \right) \quad \text{--- } (**)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Note that } \frac{u^{p-1}}{v} &= \frac{u^{p-1}}{v^{1-p-q+pq}} \quad (\because p+q=pq) \\ &= \frac{u^{p-1}}{v^{(1-p)(1-q)}} = \frac{u^{p-1}}{u^{1-p}} = \left( \frac{v^{q-1}}{u} \right)^{1-p}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, from (\*\*),

$$\left( \frac{v^{q-1}}{u} \right)^{1-p} - 1 = (p-1) \left( 1 - \frac{v^{q-1}}{u} \right)$$

$$\left( \because \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{p}{q} = p-1 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \left(\frac{v^{q-1}}{u}\right)^{1-p} + (p-1) \left(1 - \frac{v^{q-1}}{u}\right) = 0$$

Thus  $\frac{v^{q-1}}{u}$  is a root of the eqn.  $1 - x^{1-p} + (p-1)(1-x) = 0$ .

Then by the above lemma,  $\frac{v^{q-1}}{u} = 1$ , that is,

$$v^{q-1} = u \text{ so that } uv = v^q.$$

But  $uv = \frac{u^p}{p} + \frac{v^q}{q}$  implies

$$v^q = \frac{u^p}{p} + \frac{v^q}{q} \Rightarrow v^q \left(1 - \frac{1}{q}\right) = \frac{u^p}{p}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{v^q}{p} = \frac{u^p}{p}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^p = v^{qp}$$



(6) Suppose  $\alpha$  increases monotonically on  $[a, b]$ ,  $g$  is continuous, and  $g(x) = G'(x)$  for  $a \leq x \leq b$ . Prove that

$$\int_a^b \alpha(x) g(x) dx = G(b) \alpha(b) - G(a) \alpha(a) - \int_a^b G dx.$$

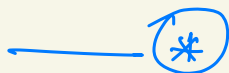
Proof: -

W.l.g., let  $g$  be real. Let  $P = \{x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  be a partition of  $[a, b]$ , where  $x_0 = a$  &  $x_n = b$ .

Since  $G$  is differentiable (and hence continuous) on  $[a, b]$ , by mean value theorem,  $\exists t_i \in (x_{i-1}, x_i) \ni$

$$G'(t_i) = \frac{G(x_i) - G(x_{i-1})}{x_i - x_{i-1}}$$

Since  $G' = g$ , this gives  $g(t_i) \Delta x_i = G(x_i) - G(x_{i-1})$ .



$$\text{Claim: } \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(x_i) g(t_i) \Delta x_i = G(b) \alpha(b) - G(a) \alpha(a) - \sum_{i=1}^n G(x_{i-1}) \Delta \alpha_i.$$

To that end, note that, using  $(*)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(x_i) g(t_i) \Delta x_i &= \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(x_i) (G(x_i) - G(x_{i-1})) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(x_i) G(x_i) - \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \alpha(x_{i+1}) G(x_i) \\ &= -\alpha(x_n) G(x_n) + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (\alpha(x_i) - \alpha(x_{i+1})) G(x_i) \\ &\quad - \alpha(x_0) G(x_0) \\ &= G(b) \alpha(b) - G(a) \alpha(a) + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (\alpha(x_i) - \alpha(x_{i+1})) G(x_i) \\ &\quad - (\alpha(x_0) - \alpha(x_1)) G(x_0) \\ &= G(b) \alpha(b) - G(a) \alpha(a) - \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} G(x_i) \Delta \alpha_{i+1} \\ &= G(b) \alpha(b) - G(a) \alpha(a) - \sum_{i=1}^n G(x_{i-1}) \Delta \alpha_i. \end{aligned}$$

This proves the claim.

Next, note that  $\int_a^b G d\alpha$  exists since  $G$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$  (being differentiable on  $[a, b]$ ) and  $\alpha$  is monotonic on  $[a, b]$ .

Thus, given an  $\varepsilon > 0$ , we can sufficiently refine the partition  $P$  to get a partition  $P^*$  satisfying  $U(P^*, G, \alpha) - L(P^*, G, \alpha) < \varepsilon$ .



Thus from Thm. 6.4,

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^n G(x_{i-1}) \Delta x_i - \int_a^b G d\alpha \right| < \varepsilon,$$

in particular,

$$\sum_{i=1}^n G(x_{i-1}) \Delta x_i > -\varepsilon + \int_a^b G d\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(x_i) g(t_i) \Delta x_i$$

$$< G(b)\alpha(b) - G(a)\alpha(a) - \int_a^b G d\alpha + \varepsilon \quad \text{--- (A)}$$

Hence,

$$L(P, \alpha g) = \sum_{i=1}^n m_i \Delta x_i \quad (\text{where } m_i = \inf_{x \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]} \alpha(x) g(x))$$

$$\leq \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(t_i) g(t_i) \Delta x_i$$

$$\leq \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(x_i) g(t_i) \Delta x_i$$

( $\because \alpha$  increases monotonically on  $[a, b]$  in part on  $[x_{i-1}, x_i]$ , we have  $\alpha(t_i) \leq \alpha(x_i)$ )

From (A) & (B),

$$\Rightarrow L(P, \alpha g) < G(b)\alpha(b) - G(a)\alpha(a) - \int_a^b G d\alpha + \varepsilon$$

Taking supremum over all partitions  $P$  of  $[a, b]$ ,

$$\text{we see that } \int_a^b \alpha(x) g(x) dx \leq G(b)\alpha(b) - G(a)\alpha(a) - \int_a^b G d\alpha + \varepsilon. \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Also, note that

$$G(b)\alpha(b) - G(a)\alpha(a) - \int_a^b G d\alpha$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(x_i) g(t_i) \Delta x_i$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(x_i) g(x_i) \Delta x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(x_i) (g(x_i) - g(t_i)) \Delta x_i \\
&\leq \sum_{i=1}^n M_i^* \Delta x_i + \varepsilon \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{using continuity of } \\ g \text{ on } [a, b] \end{array} \right) \\
&= U(P, \alpha g) + \varepsilon
\end{aligned}$$

Taking infimum on both sides, we see that

$$G(b)\alpha(b) - G(a)\alpha(a) - \int_a^b G d\alpha - \varepsilon \leq \int_a^b \alpha(x) g(x) dx$$

→ (2)

Next, we prove the claim.

Claim:  $\alpha g \in \mathcal{R}$  on  $[a, b]$ .

Note that  $\alpha$  is monotonically increasing on  $[a, b]$ . Hence by corollary to Thm. 4.18,  $\alpha$  cannot have discontinuities of the second kind.

Hence its only discontinuities are of the first kind, i.e., jumps.

Also, by Thm. 4.19,  $\alpha_\wedge$  being monotonic on  $[a, b]$  has at most countably many discontinuities on  $[a, b]$ , hence  $\alpha g$  also has at most countably many discontinuities.

But a function with at most countably many discontinuities is Riemann integrable.

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Hence } \int_a^b \alpha(x) g(x) dx &= \int_a^b \alpha(x) g(x) dx \\
&= \int_a^b \alpha(x) g(x) dx \quad \text{→ (3)}
\end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$  From ①, ② & ③,

$$-\varepsilon \leq \int_a^b \alpha(x)g(x) dx - \left( G(b)\alpha(b) - G(a)\alpha(a) - \int_a^b G d\alpha \right)$$

$$\leq \varepsilon,$$

that is,

$$\left| \int_a^b \alpha(x)g(x) dx - \left( G(b)\alpha(b) - G(a)\alpha(a) - \int_a^b G d\alpha \right) \right| \leq \varepsilon$$

Since  $\varepsilon$  is arbitrary, we see that

$$\int_a^b \alpha(x)g(x) dx = G(b)\alpha(b) - G(a)\alpha(a) - \int_a^b G d\alpha.$$



10] Let  $p$  and  $q$  be positive real numbers such that  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$

a) Prove that if  $u > 0, v > 0$ , then  
 $uv \leq \frac{u^p}{p} + \frac{v^q}{q}$

Proof: Let  $f(u) = uv - \frac{u^p}{p}$

Differentiating w.r.t.  $u$ ,

$$f'(u) = v - pu^{p-1}$$

$$\therefore f'(u) = v - pu^{p-1}$$

$$\text{and } f''(u) = -(p-1)u^{p-2}$$

Now since  $p > 0, q > 0$ , and  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ , we

must have  $p > 1$ , (because for eg. suppose  $p = \frac{1}{2}$ , then  $\frac{1}{q} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$ ; So  $q$  becomes negative)

Hence we must have

This can also be said as follows:-

if  $0 < p \leq 1$ , then  $\frac{1}{q} \geq 1$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} \leq 1$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{1}{q} \leq 0$$

Now  $\frac{1}{q} \neq 0$  because  $q$  is positive. (1)

Also  $\frac{1}{q} \neq \infty$  because then  $q \neq 0$

Hence we cannot have  $0 < p \leq 1$

Thus  $p > 1$  (since  $p$  is given to be positive)

$$\therefore f''(u) = -(p-1)u^{p-2} < 0 \quad (\because p > 1)$$

This means that  $f(u)$  has maximum at  $u$  where  $f'(u) = 0$

$$\text{and } f'(u) = 0 \Rightarrow u^p = 1$$

$$u = 1^{1/p} = 1$$

$$\text{i.e. } u = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

Thus  $f$  has maximum at  $u = 1$

$$\frac{u^p}{p} \leq \frac{1}{p} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{p} \leq \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{p} \leq \frac{1}{p}$$

$$= \frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{p}$$

$$= \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}\right) \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$$

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$$\therefore \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$$

$$\text{and also } \frac{p}{p-1} = q$$

$1 \geq \log p^d$

$$\therefore uv - \frac{u^p}{p} \leq \frac{1}{q} v^q$$

Hence proved

$$\therefore \boxed{uv \leq \frac{u^p}{p} + \frac{v^q}{q}}$$



Hence proved.

(B) If  $f \in \mathcal{R}(a, b)$ ,  $g \in \mathcal{R}(a, b)$ ,  $f \geq 0$ ,  $g \geq 0$  and  
 $\int_a^b f^p dx = 1 = \int_a^b g^q dx$ .

then  $\int_a^b fg dx \leq 1$

Proof - Since  $f \geq 0$ ,  $g \geq 0$  and  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$  (where  $p, q$  are positive real nos.)  
 from part (a), we have,

$$fg \leq \frac{f^p}{p} + \frac{g^q}{q}$$



$$\therefore \int_a^b fg dx \leq \int_a^b \left( \frac{f^p}{p} + \frac{g^q}{q} \right) dx \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{from Thm. 6.12 part (b)} \\ \text{If } f_1(x) \leq f_2(x) \text{ then} \\ \int_a^b f_1(x) dx \leq \int_a^b f_2(x) dx \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \int_a^b fg dx &\leq \frac{1}{p} \int_a^b f^p dx + \frac{1}{q} \int_a^b g^q dx \\ &= \frac{1}{p} (1) + \frac{1}{q} (1) \quad \left( \because \int_a^b f^p dx = \int_a^b g^q dx = 1 \right) \end{aligned}$$



$$= \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

$$\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1 \quad \therefore$$

$$= 1 \quad p = \frac{1}{1-q}$$

$$\therefore \int_a^b fg \, d\alpha \leq 1$$

Hence proved

$$\left[ \frac{u}{p} + \frac{v}{q} \geq uv \right] \therefore$$

Hence proved

① If  $f \in R(\alpha)$ ,  $g \in R(\alpha)$ ,  $f \geq 0, g \geq 0$  and  $\int_a^b f^p \, d\alpha = 1 = \int_a^b g^q \, d\alpha$

then  $\int_a^b fg \, d\alpha \leq 1$

Proof - Give  $f \geq 0, g \geq 0$  and  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$   
 from part (a) we have

$$fg \leq \frac{f^p}{p} + \frac{g^q}{q}$$

$$\int_a^b fg \, d\alpha \leq \int_a^b \left( \frac{f^p}{p} + \frac{g^q}{q} \right) d\alpha$$

(from Th. 2.13.6) and if  $f \geq 0, g \geq 0$  then

$$\int_a^b fg \, d\alpha \leq \frac{1}{p} \int_a^b f^p \, d\alpha + \frac{1}{q} \int_a^b g^q \, d\alpha$$

$$= \frac{1}{p} (1) + \frac{1}{q} (1) = 1 \quad \therefore \int_a^b fg \, d\alpha \leq 1$$

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Holder's inequality\* If  $f$  and  $g$  are complex functions

$$\left| \int_a^b fg d\alpha \right| \leq \left\{ \int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha \right\}^{1/p} \left\{ \int_a^b |g|^q d\alpha \right\}^{1/q}$$

Proof: We know that

$$\left| \int_a^b fg d\alpha \right| \leq \int_a^b |f||g| d\alpha$$

Now we have to prove that

$$\int_a^b |f||g| d\alpha \leq \left\{ \int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha \right\}^{1/p} \left\{ \int_a^b |g|^q d\alpha \right\}^{1/q}$$

(Then we will be done)

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{\int_a^b |f||g| d\alpha}{\left\{ \int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha \right\}^{1/p} \left\{ \int_a^b |g|^q d\alpha \right\}^{1/q}} \leq 1$$

$$\left\{ \int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha \right\}^{1/p} \left\{ \int_a^b |g|^q d\alpha \right\}^{1/q}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \int_a^b \left\{ \frac{(|f|^p)^{1/p}}{\left( \int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha \right)^{1/p}} \right\} \left\{ \frac{(|g|^q)^{1/q}}{\left( \int_a^b |g|^q d\alpha \right)^{1/q}} \right\} d\alpha \leq 1$$

- (A)



Let Now from part (b) (prob. 10) (Rudin),  
we have that if  $f \geq 0, g \geq 0$  and

$$\int_a^b f^p d\alpha = 1 = \int_a^b g^q d\alpha \quad (\text{A}), \text{ then,}$$

$$\int_a^b fg \leq 1 \quad \text{--- (I)}$$

$$\text{Here let } F = \left( \frac{|f|^p}{\int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha} \right)^{1/p} \text{ and } G = \left( \frac{|g|^q}{\int_a^b |g|^q d\alpha} \right)^{1/q}$$

$$\text{Then } \int_a^b F^p d\alpha = \int_a^b \left( \frac{|f|^p}{\int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha} \right)^{1/p} d\alpha$$

$$= \int_a^b \frac{|f|^p}{\int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha} d\alpha$$

$$= \frac{1}{\int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha} \cdot \int_a^b |f|^p d\alpha$$

$$= 1$$

$$\therefore \int_a^b F^p d\alpha = 1$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \int_a^b G^q d\alpha = 1$$

$$\therefore \int_a^b F^p d\alpha = 1 = \int_a^b G^q d\alpha$$

Hence (I) implies  $\int_a^b FG dx \leq 1$

Hence (A) is proved.

Hence proved.

(I)

Here let  $F = \left( \int_a^x |f|^p dx \right)^{1/p}$  and  $G = \left( \int_a^x |g|^q dx \right)^{1/q}$

then  $\int_a^b FG dx = \int_a^b \left( \int_a^x |f|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_a^x |g|^q dx \right)^{1/q} dx$

$= \int_a^b \frac{\left( \int_a^x |f|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_a^x |g|^q dx \right)^{1/q}}{\left( \int_a^x |f|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_a^x |g|^q dx \right)^{1/q}} dx$

$= \int_a^b 1 dx = b - a$

$\int_a^b FG dx = 1$

Similarly  $\int_a^b G^p dx = 1$

$\therefore \int_a^b F^p dx = 1 = \int_a^b G^q dx$

8] Suppose  $f \in \mathbb{R}$  on  $[a, b]$  for every  $b > a$ , where  $a$  is fixed. Define  $\int_a^\infty f(x) dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^b f(x) dx$  if this limit exists (and is finite). In that case, we say that the integral on the left converges.

(I) — If it also converges after  $f$  has been replaced by  $|f|$ , it is said to converge absolutely.

(II) — Assume  $f(x) \geq 0$  and that  $f$  decreases monotonically on  $[1, \infty)$ . Prove that  $\int_1^\infty f(x) dx$  converges iff  $\sum_{n=1}^\infty f(n)$  converges.

Proof: — (i) Given: —  $\int_1^\infty f(x) dx$  converges

To prove: —  $\sum_{k=1}^\infty f(k)$  converges

Proof: — Since  $f$  is non-increasing, whenever  $n \leq x \leq n+1$  ( $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ )

we have,  $f(n) \geq f(x) \geq f(n+1)$

Now from 6.12 Thm. (b),

$$\int_n^{n+1} f(n) dx \geq \int_n^{n+1} f(x) dx \geq \int_n^{n+1} f(n+1) dx$$

$$f(n) \int_n^{n+1} 1 dx \geq \int_n^{n+1} f(x) dx \geq f(n+1) \int_n^{n+1} dx$$

$$\therefore f(n) (1) \geq \int_n^{n+1} f(x) dx \geq f(n+1) (1)$$

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Thus for  $N \in \mathbb{Z}$ , we have,

$$\sum_{n=1}^{N+1} f(n) \geq \int_1^{N+1} f(x) dx \geq \sum_{n=1}^N f(n+1) \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{i.e. } \sum_{n=1}^{N-1} f(n) \geq \int_1^N f(x) dx \geq \sum_{k=2}^N f(k) \quad \leftarrow \textcircled{I}$$

Now if  $\int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx$  converges to  $A$ , then by  $\textcircled{I}$ ,

$$\sum_{k=2}^N f(k) \leq \int_1^N f(x) dx \leq \int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx = A.$$

$$\text{i.e. } \sum_{k=2}^N f(k) \leq A$$

which means that partial sums of  $\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} f(k)$  are bounded above.

But  $\left\{ \sum_{k=2}^N f(k) \right\}$  is a monotonically increasing sequence.

But a bounded monotonic sequence converges.

Hence  $\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} f(k)$  converges.  $\checkmark$

Hence  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} f(k)$  converges too. ( $\because f$  is bounded,  $f(1)$  is finite (and positive because  $f(x) \geq 0$ )

(1) Hence proved.  $\checkmark$

(ii) To prove: if  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n)$  converges, then  $\int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx$  converges.

Thus by contrapositive, if  $\int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx$  diverges, then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n)$  diverges.

Proof: - from (i),

$$\int_1^N f(x) dx \leq \sum_{n=1}^{N-1} f(n) \quad \checkmark$$

Letting  $N \rightarrow \infty$ , we have,

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^N f(x) dx \leq \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=1}^{N-1} f(n) \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{i.e. } \int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n) \quad \checkmark$$

But  $\int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx$  diverges,

hence  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n)$  also diverges.

Hence proved  $\checkmark$