

Pf of Thm 1.16

(satisfying Lip condition)

Step 1:  $\forall \epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists$  a  $2\pi$ -periodic Lip  $\epsilon$  function  $g$  s.t.

$$\|f - g\|_2 < \epsilon/2$$

Pf: By Lemma 1.3 (and its proof),  $\forall \epsilon_1 > 0$

$\exists$  step function

$$s(x) = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} m_j \chi_{I_j}(x)$$

$$\text{where } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} m_j = \inf\{f(x) : x \in [a_j, a_{j+1}]\} \\ I_j = (a_j, a_{j+1}] \text{ for } j=1, \dots, N-1 \\ I_0 = [a_0, a_1] \end{array} \right.$$

$$\text{such that } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} s \leq f \text{ and} \\ \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f - s < \epsilon_1 \end{array} \right.$$

Since  $f$  is Riemann integrable,  $f$  is bounded.

i.e.  $\exists M > 0$  s.t.  $-M \leq f \leq M$ .

This implies  $-M \leq m_j \leq M$

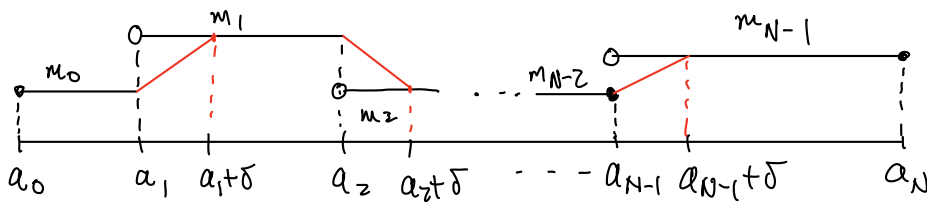
and hence  $-M \leq s \leq M$ .

Note that  $f \geq s$ , we then have  $0 \leq f - s \leq M$ .

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (f-s)^2 \leq M \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f-s < M\epsilon,$$

Then choose  $\delta > 0$  such  $\delta < a_{j+1} - a_j$ ,  $j=1, 2, \dots, N-1$  and define a piecewise linear continuous function by

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{m_j - m_{j-1}}{\delta} (x - a_j) + m_{j-1}, & \text{for } x \in (a_j, a_j + \delta), \quad j=1, \dots, N-1 \\ s(x) & , \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Then clearly,  $g$  satisfies a Lipschitz condition.

And

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (s-g)^2 &= \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \int_{a_j}^{a_j + \delta} \left( s(x) - \frac{m_j - m_{j-1}}{\delta} (x - a_j) - m_{j-1} \right)^2 \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \int_{a_j}^{a_j + \delta} \left( m_j - \frac{m_j - m_{j-1}}{\delta} (x - a_j) - m_{j-1} \right)^2 \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} (m_j - m_{j-1})^2 \int_{a_j}^{a_j + \delta} \left( 1 - \frac{x - a_j}{\delta} \right)^2 \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} (m_j - m_{j-1})^2 \int_{a_j}^{a_j + \delta} \left( \frac{\delta + a_j - x}{\delta} \right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\leq \delta \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} (m_j - m_{j-1})^2$$

$$\leq M^2(N-1)\delta$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (f-g)^2 &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} ((f-s) + (s-g))^2 \\ &\leq 2 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (f-s)^2 + (s-g)^2 \\ &< 2M\varepsilon_1 + 2M^2(N-1)\delta \end{aligned}$$

Now, for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

we first choose  $\varepsilon_1 = \frac{\varepsilon^2}{4M}$

Then find the step as described with  $N$  &  $a_j$  accordingly.

Finally, choose

$$\delta = \min \left\{ \frac{\varepsilon^2}{4M^2(N-1)}, a_{j+1} - a_j \right\}_{j=1, \dots, N}$$

we conclude, the Lip. function  $g$  satisfies

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (f-g)^2 < \frac{\varepsilon^2}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon^2}{2} = \varepsilon^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|f-g\|_2 < \varepsilon \quad \#$$

(In fact, our proof shows that if  $s(x)$  is a step function on  $[a,b]$ ,  
 then  $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists$  Lip function  $g(x)$  s.t.  $\|s-g\|_{\infty} < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$ )

Step 2 Completion of the proof.

Applying Thm 1.7 to the function  $g$  in Step 1:

$$\exists N > 0 \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \|g - S_N g\|_\infty < \frac{\varepsilon}{2\sqrt{2\pi}}$$

(Not the  $N$  in Step 1)

Thus

$$\|g - S_N g\|_2 = \left[ \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (g - S_N g)^2 \right]^{1/2} \leq \left[ 2\pi \|g - S_N g\|_\infty^2 \right]^{1/2} < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

By Cor 1.15,

→ (Note:  $g$  may not belong to  $E_N$ , but  $S_N g \in E_N$ )

$$\|f - S_N f\|_2 \leq \|f - S_N g\|_2$$

$$\leq \|f - g\|_2 + \|g - S_N g\|_2 \quad (\text{Ex!})$$

$$< \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon \quad (\text{Step 1}).$$

Finally,  $\forall n \geq N$ , set of generators of  $E_N \subset$  set of generators of  $E_n$ ,

$$\therefore E_N \subset E_n.$$

Hence  $\forall n \geq N$ ,  $\|f - S_n f\|_2 \leq \|f - S_N f\|_2 < \varepsilon$

i.e.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|S_n f - f\|_2 = 0 \quad \times$

$\in E_N \subset E_n$   
proj of  $f$  onto  $E_n$

Cor 1.17 (a) Suppose that  $f_1$  &  $f_2$  are  $2\pi$ -periodic integrable functions on  $[\pi, \pi]$  with the same Fourier series. Then  $f_1 = f_2$  almost everywhere.

(i.e.  $f_1 = f_2$  except a set of measure zero.)

(b) Suppose that  $f_1$  &  $f_2$  are  $2\pi$ -periodic continuous functions with the same Fourier series. Then  $f_1 = f_2$

Recall: A set  $E$  is said to be of measure zero if  $\forall \epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists$  countably many intervals  $\{I_k\}$  s.t.

$$E \subset \bigcup_k I_k \quad \& \quad \sum_k |I_k| < \epsilon.$$

Pf: (a) let  $f = f_1 - f_2$ , then  $a_n(f) = b_n(f) = 0 \quad \forall n \geq 0$   
 $\Rightarrow S_n f = 0, \forall n \geq 0$

Hence (Thm 1.16)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|S_n f - f\|_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \|f\|_2 = 0$

By theory of Riemann integral,  $f = 0$  almost everywhere.

(b) We still have  $\|f\|_2 = 0$ . As  $f_1, f_2$  cts  $\Rightarrow f^2$  cts,  $\geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow f^2 \equiv 0. \quad \times$$

### Cor 1.12 (Parseval's Identity)

For every  $2\pi$ -periodic function  $f$  integrable on  $[-\pi, \pi]$

$$\|f\|_2^2 = 2\pi a_0^2 + \pi \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n^2 + b_n^2)$$

where  $a_0, a_n, b_n$  are Fourier coefficients of  $f$ .

Pf: By def of  $a_n, b_n$

$$\begin{cases} \sqrt{2\pi} a_0 = \langle f, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \rangle_2 \\ \sqrt{\pi} a_n = \langle f, \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos nx \rangle_2 \\ \sqrt{\pi} b_n = \langle f, \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin nx \rangle_2 \end{cases} \quad n \geq 1$$

Then  $\langle f, S_N f \rangle_2 = \langle (f - S_N f) + S_N f, S_N f \rangle_2$

By Cor. 1.5,  $S_N f = P_N f$  on  $E_N$ ,

$\therefore f - S_N f$  orthogonal to the subspace  $E_N$  (Ex!)

i.e.  $\langle f - S_N f, S_N f \rangle_2 = 0$

Hence  $\langle f, S_N f \rangle_2 = \langle S_N f, S_N f \rangle_2 = \|S_N f\|_2^2$

$$= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left( a_0 + \sum_{k=1}^N a_k \cos kx + b_k \sin kx \right)^2 dx$$

$$= 2\pi a_0^2 + \pi \sum_{k=1}^N (a_k^2 + b_k^2)$$

Then  $\circ$  Thm 1.16  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \|f - S_N f\|_2^2$

$$= \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} (\|f\|_2^2 - 2\langle f, S_N f \rangle_2 + \|S_N f\|_2^2)$$

$$= \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} (\|f\|_2^2 - \|S_N f\|_2^2)$$

$$\therefore \|f\|_2^2 = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \|S_N f\|_2^2 = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \left[ 2\pi a_0^2 + \pi \sum_{k=1}^N (a_k^2 + b_k^2) \right]$$

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eg: Fourier series of  $f_1(x) = x$  on  $[-\pi, \pi]$

$$f_1(x) = x \sim \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{2}{n} \sin nx \quad (a_n = 0 \quad \forall n = 0, 1, \dots)$$

Hence Parseval's Identity

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x^2 dx = \pi \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ (-1)^{n+1} \frac{2}{n} \right]^2$$

(Ex!)  
 $\Rightarrow$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6} \quad (\text{Euler Formula})$$

## Ch2 Metric Space

In this chapter,  $X$  always denotes a non-empty set.

Def: A metric on  $X$  is a function

$$d: X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty) \text{ such that}$$

$$\forall x, y, z \in X$$

$$(M1) \quad d(x, y) \geq 0 \text{ \& "equality holds"} \Leftrightarrow x = y \text{ "}$$

$$(M2) \quad d(x, y) = d(y, x)$$

$$(M3) \quad d(x, y) \leq d(x, z) + d(z, y)$$

The pair  $(X, d)$  is called a metric space.

Note: Condition (M3) is called the triangle inequality.

eg. 2.1  $(X = \mathbb{R}, d(x, y) = |x - y|)$  is a metric space.

eg. 2.2 Let  $X = \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $d_2(x, y) = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - y_i)^2}$  (Euclidean metric)

for  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$  &  $y = (y_1, \dots, y_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .

Then  $(\mathbb{R}^n, d_2)$  is a metric space. (Proof omitted, Ex!)



eg. 2.3 Let  $X = \mathbb{R}^n$ , defines

$$\begin{cases} d_1(x, y) = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i - y_i| \\ d_\infty(x, y) = \max_{i=1, \dots, n} |x_i - y_i| \end{cases}$$

Then  $(\mathbb{R}^n, d_1)$  &  $(\mathbb{R}^n, d_\infty)$  are metric spaces.

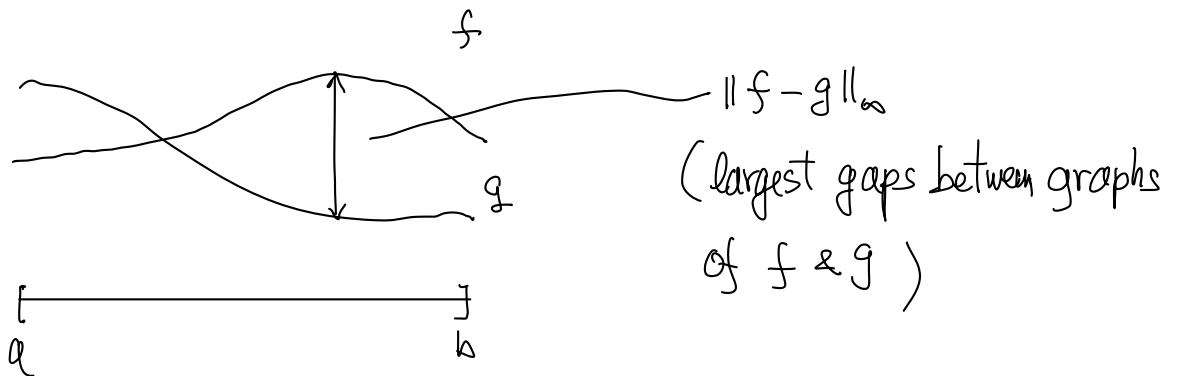
Generalization of egs 2.2 & 2.3 to function spaces:

eg 2.4 Let  $C[a, b] = \{ \text{(real) continuous functions on } [a, b] \}$

$\forall f, g \in C[a, b]$ , define

$$d_\infty(f, g) = \|f - g\|_\infty = \max \{ |f(x) - g(x)| : x \in [a, b] \}$$

Then  $(C[a, b], d_\infty)$  is a metric space (Ex!)



Similarly, one can define

$$d_1(f, g) = \int_a^b |f(x) - g(x)| dx$$

It is also easy to verify that  $(C[a, b], d_1)$  is a metric space. (Ex!)

The natural generalization of the Euclidean metric to  $C[a, b]$  is

$$d_2(f, g) = \sqrt{\int_a^b |f - g|^2}$$

Note that  $d_2(f, g) = \|f - g\|_2$  (as in Fourier series)

(M1) & (M2) are clear for  $d_2$  (because  $f, g$  cts.).

An Cauchy-Schwarz  $\Rightarrow \|f + g\|_2 \leq \|f\|_2 + \|g\|_2$  (Ex!)

$\Rightarrow d_2$  satisfies (M3)

$\therefore (C[a, b], d_2)$  is a metric space.

Note: We are restricted to the space  $C[a, b]$  of continuous functions, not the bigger space  $R[a, b]$  of Riemann integrable functions.

eg 2.5 On  $\mathcal{X} = R[a, b] = \{ \text{Riemann integrable functions on } [a, b] \}$ .

$d_1$  is still defined

$$d_1(f, g) = \int_a^b |f - g|$$

However, (M1) is not satisfied:

$$d_1(f, g) = 0 \iff f = g \text{ almost everywhere}$$

$$\not\Rightarrow f = g \text{ (at every point)}$$

$\therefore d_1$  is not a metric on  $R[a, b]$ .

To overcome this, we consider  $\mathcal{X} = R[a, b] / \sim$

where " $\sim$ " is an equivalent relation on  $R[a, b]$

defined by  $f \sim g \iff f = g$  almost everywhere.

(Check: " $\sim$ " is an equivalent relation.)

Then elements of  $R[a, b] / \sim$  can be represented as  $(f \in R[a, b])$

$$[f] \text{ or } \bar{f} = \{ g \in R[a, b] : g = f \text{ almost everywhere} \}$$

Now define  $\hat{d}_1$  on  $R[a, b] / \sim$  by  $\hat{d}_1(\bar{f}, \bar{g}) = d_1(f, g)$

check:  $\tilde{d}_1$  is well-defined

ie. indep. of the choice of representatives  $f$  &  $g$ :

$\forall f_1 \in \bar{f}, g_1 \in \bar{g}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}d_1(f_1, g_1) &= \int_a^b |f_1 - g_1| \\ &\leq \int_a^b \cancel{|f_1 - f|} + \int_a^b |f - g| + \int_a^b \cancel{|g - g_1|} \\ &= d_1(f, g)\end{aligned}$$

Similarly  $d_1(f, g) \leq d_1(f_1, g_1)$

$$\therefore d_1(f, g) = d_1(f_1, g_1).$$

Then it is straight forward to verify that  $(\mathbb{R}[a, b] / \sim, \tilde{d}_1)$

is a metric space.

Similarly for  $(\mathbb{R}[a, b] / \sim, \tilde{d}_2)$  is a metric space &

note that  $\tilde{d}_2$  is the  $L^2$ -distance defined before:

$$\tilde{d}_2(\bar{f}, \bar{g}) = \left( \int_a^b |f - g|^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

Def: A norm  $\|\cdot\|$  is a function on a real vector space  $X$

to  $[0, \infty)$  s.t.  $\forall x, y \in X$  &  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$

$$(N1) \quad \|x\| \geq 0 \quad \& \quad " \|x\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0 "$$

$$(N2) \quad \|\alpha x\| = |\alpha| \|x\|$$

$$(N3) \quad \|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$$

The pair  $(X, \|\cdot\|)$  is called a normed space.

And  $d(x, y) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \|x-y\|$  is called the metric induced by the norm  $\|\cdot\|$ .

(Ex: Show that  $d(x, y) = \|x-y\|$  is a metric with the property  
 $d(\alpha x, \alpha y) = |\alpha| d(x, y), \forall \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ )

egs: (a)  $\|x\|_2 = (\sum x_i^2)^{1/2}$

$$\|x\|_1 = \sum |x_i|$$

$$\|x\|_\infty = \max\{|x_1|, \dots, |x_n|\}$$

} are norms on  $\mathbb{R}^n$

(b)  $\|f\|_2 = (\int_a^b |f|^2)^{1/2}$

$$\|f\|_1 = \int_a^b |f|$$

$$\|f\|_\infty = \sup\{|f(x)| : x \in [a, b]\}$$

} are norms on  $C[a, b]$

Note. We've seen "norm" induces "metric" already. However,  
a "metric" may not induced from a "norm".

eg.  $X = \text{non-empty set}$

$$d(x,y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \neq y \\ 0 & \text{if } x = y \end{cases}$$

discrete metric on  $X$

(Ex: check this is a metric)

- $X$  not necessary a vector space, so  $d$  is not induced by norm.
- Even  $X$  is a vector space :

$$\begin{cases} 1 \\ 0 \end{cases} = d(\alpha x, \alpha y) = |\alpha| d(x,y) = \begin{cases} |\alpha| \\ 0 \end{cases}$$

Contradiction for  $|\alpha| \neq 1$  (for  $x \neq y$ )

Def: Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. Then for any non-empty  $Y \subset X$ ,  $(Y, d|_{Y \times Y})$  is called a metric subspace of  $(X, d)$ .

Notes: (i) metric subspace is a metric space.

(ii) We simply write  $(Y, d)$  for  $(Y, d|_{Y \times Y})$

(iii) A metric subspace of a normed space needs not be a normed space, unless it is a vector subspace.

eg:  $(\mathbb{R}^3, d_2)$  is a normed space (3-dim. Euclidean sp.)

$S^2 \subset \mathbb{R}^3$  with induced metric is clearly not a normed space.