

Pf of (4)

Let $\delta > 0$ (with $\delta < \frac{\pi}{2}$).

Then $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, \exists N \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t.

$$N < \frac{(n+\frac{1}{2})\delta}{\pi} \leq N+1.$$

Clearly, $N \rightarrow +\infty$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$.

Now

$$\int_0^\delta |D_n(z)| dz = \int_0^\delta \frac{|\sin(n+\frac{1}{2})z|}{2\pi |\sin \frac{z}{2}|} dz$$

$$= \int_0^{(n+\frac{1}{2})\delta} \frac{|\sin t|}{2\pi |\sin \frac{t}{2n+1}|} \frac{2dt}{2n+1} \quad \left(t = (n+\frac{1}{2})z \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{(n+\frac{1}{2})\delta} \frac{|\sin t|}{t} \cdot \frac{(\frac{t}{2n+1})}{|\sin \frac{t}{2n+1}|} dt$$

$$\geq \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{(n+\frac{1}{2})\delta} \frac{|\sin t|}{t} dt \quad \left(\text{Using } \frac{|\sin x|}{x} < 1 \right. \\ \left. \text{for } 0 < x \right)$$

$$\geq \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi N} \frac{|\sin t|}{t} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^N \int_{(k-1)\pi}^{k\pi} \frac{|\sin t|}{t} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^N \int_0^\pi \frac{|\sin s|}{s+(k-1)\pi} ds \quad \left(s = t - (k-1)\pi \right)$$

$$\geq \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^N \int_0^{\pi} \frac{|\sin s|}{k\pi} ds$$

$$s + (k-1)\pi = t \leq k\pi$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi^2} \left(\int_0^{\pi} |\sin s| ds \right) \cdot \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{1}{k}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi^2} \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{1}{k}$$

Since $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k}$ diverges, and $N \rightarrow \infty$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$,

we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\delta} |D_n(z)| dz = +\infty$. ~~✗~~

Step 3 Splitting $(S_n f)(x_0) - f(x_0) = I + II$
 into integrals concentrated in $[-\delta, \delta]$ &
 (essential) outside $[-\delta, \delta]$.

By (1) in Step 2,

$$f(x_0) = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} D_n(z) f(x_0) dz$$

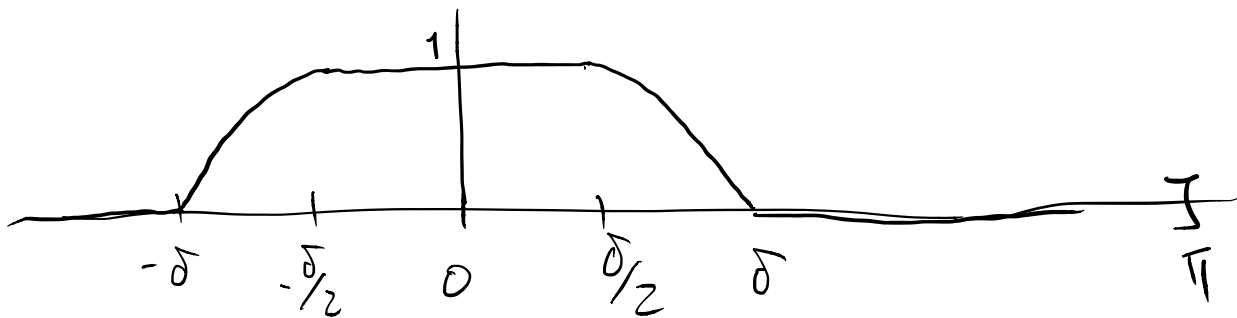
$$\therefore (S_n f)(x_0) - f(x_0) = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} D_n(z) [f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)] dz$$

Let Φ_δ be a "cut-off" function s.t.

(i) Φ_δ is even & $0 \leq \Phi_\delta \leq 1$

(ii) $\Phi_\delta(t) \equiv 1$ for $|t| \leq \frac{\delta}{2}$

(iii) $\Phi_\delta(t) \equiv 0$ for $|t| \geq \delta$.



Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (S_n f)(x_0) - f(x_0) \\
 &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} D_n(z) [f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)] dz \\
 &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \Phi_\delta(z) D_n(z) [f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)] dz \\
 &\quad + \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (1 - \Phi_\delta(z)) D_n(z) [f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)] dz \\
 &= I + II
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 I &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \Phi_\delta(z) D_n(z) [f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)] dz \\
 &= \int_{-\delta}^{\delta} \Phi_\delta(z) D_n(z) [f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)] dz
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \text{II} &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (1 - \Phi_{\delta}(z)) D_n(z) [f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)] dz \\ &= \left(\int_{-\pi}^{-\delta/2} + \int_{\delta/2}^{\pi} \right) (1 - \Phi_{\delta}(z)) D_n(z) [f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)] dz \end{aligned}$$

Step 4: $\exists L > 0$ and $\delta_2 > 0$ such that

$$|\text{II}| \leq \frac{4\delta L}{\pi}, \quad \forall 0 < \delta < \delta_2.$$

Pf: By Lip cb at x_0 , $\exists L > 0$ & $\delta_0 > 0$ s.t.

$$|f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)| \leq L|z|, \quad \forall |z| < \delta_0$$

Since $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = 1$, $\exists \delta_1 > 0$ s.t.

$$\left| \frac{\sin \frac{z}{\delta_1}}{\frac{z}{\delta_1}} \right| > \frac{1}{2}, \quad \forall |z| < \delta_1$$

Therefore, for $\delta_2 = \min\{\delta_0, \delta_1\} > 0$,

$$\frac{|f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)|}{\left| \frac{\sin \frac{z}{\delta_1}}{\frac{z}{\delta_1}} \right|} \leq \frac{L|z|}{\frac{1}{2} \left| \frac{z}{\delta_1} \right|} = 4L, \quad \forall |z| < \delta_2$$

Hence $\forall 0 < \delta < \delta_2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 |I| &\leq \int_{-\delta}^{\delta} |\Phi_{\delta}(z)| |D_n(z)| |f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)| dz \\
 &= \int_{-\delta}^{\delta} |\Phi_{\delta}(z)| \frac{|\sin(n+\frac{1}{2})z|}{2\pi |\sin \frac{z}{2}|} |f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)| dz \\
 &\leq \int_{-\delta}^{\delta} 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot 4L dz = \frac{4\delta L}{\pi} \quad \#
 \end{aligned}$$

Step 5: $\forall \varepsilon > 0$, $\exists \delta > 0$ & $n_0 > 0$ s.t.

$$\frac{4\delta L}{\pi} < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad |II| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}, \quad \forall n \geq n_0$$

Pf: $\forall \varepsilon > 0$, we take

$$\delta = \min \left\{ \frac{\varepsilon \pi}{8L}, \delta_2 \right\} > 0 \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} L \text{ \& } \delta_2 \text{ as} \\ \text{in step 4} \end{array} \right)$$

Then $\frac{4\delta L}{\pi} < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$,

and for this fixed $\delta > 0$,

$$II = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (1 - \Phi_{\delta}(z)) \frac{\sin(n+\frac{1}{2})z}{\sin \frac{z}{2}} [f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)] dz$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{(1 - \Phi_{\delta}(z)) [f(x_0 + z) - f(x_0)]}{\sin \frac{z}{2}} \left[\sin n z \cos \frac{z}{2} + \cos n z \sin \frac{z}{2} \right] dz$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left[\frac{(1 - \Phi_{\delta}(z)) [f(x_0 + z) - f(x_0)] \cos \frac{z}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{z}{2}} \right] \sin n z dz$$

$$+ \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left[\frac{(1 - \Phi_{\delta}(z)) [f(x_0 + z) - f(x_0)]}{2} \right] \cos n z dz$$

$$= b_n(F_1) + a_n(F_2)$$

where $F_1(z) = \frac{[1 - \Phi_{\delta}(z)] [f(x_0 + z) - f(x_0)] \cos \frac{z}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{z}{2}}$

$$F_2(z) = \frac{(1 - \Phi_{\delta}(z)) [f(x_0 + z) - f(x_0)]}{2}$$

$F_2(z)$ is clearly integrable on $[-\pi, \pi]$

For $F_1(z)$, note that $1 - \Phi_{\delta}(z) = 0$ on $[-\frac{\delta}{2}, \frac{\delta}{2}]$ &

$$|\sin \frac{z}{2}| \geq \sin \frac{\delta}{4} > 0 \quad \text{for } \frac{\delta}{2} \leq |z| \leq \pi.$$

$\Rightarrow F_1(z)$ is also integrable on $[-\pi, \pi]$.

Therefore Riemann-Lebesgue lemma implies

$$\begin{aligned} b_n(F_1) &\longrightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \\ a_n(F_2) & \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \exists n_0 > 0 \text{ s.t. } \begin{aligned} |b_n(F_1)| &< \frac{\varepsilon}{4} \\ |a_n(F_2)| &< \frac{\varepsilon}{4} \end{aligned} \quad \text{for } n \geq n_0$$

$$\therefore |II| \leq |b_n(F_1)| + |a_n(F_2)| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \quad *$$

Final step: By Steps 3, 4, & 5, we have

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists n_0 > 0 \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |S_n f(x_0) - f(x_0)| &= |I + II| \\ &\leq |I| + |II| \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \\ &< \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon, \quad \forall n > n_0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore S_n f(x_0) \rightarrow f(x_0) \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \quad *$$

§1.4 Weierstrass Approximation Theorem

(Application of Thm 1.7)

Recall: A cts function defined on $[a, b]$ is piecewise linear if \exists a partition $a = a_0 < a_1 < \dots < a_n = b$ st. f is linear on each subinterval $[a_j, a_{j+1}]$.

Prop 1.11 Let f be a cts function on $[a, b]$. Then $\forall \varepsilon > 0$, \exists a cts, piecewise linear g with $g(a) = f(a)$, $g(b) = f(b)$ such that

$$\|f - g\|_{\infty} < \varepsilon$$

$$\left(\|f - g\|_{\infty} = \sup_{[a, b]} |f(x) - g(x)| \right)$$

Pf: f cts on closed interval $[a, b]$

$\Rightarrow f$ uniformly cts $[a, b]$

$\Rightarrow \forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0$ st.

$$|f(x) - f(y)| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}, \quad \forall |x - y| < \delta \quad (x, y \in [a, b])$$

Partition $[a, b]$ into subintervals $I_j = [a_j, a_{j+1}]$

st. $|I_j| = a_{j+1} - a_j < \delta, \quad \forall j.$

Define

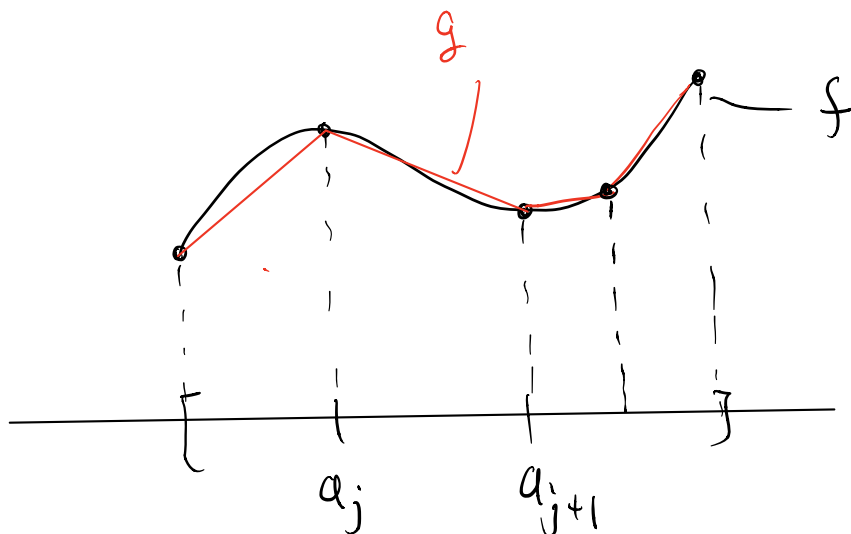
$$g(x) = \frac{f(a_{j+1}) - f(a_j)}{a_{j+1} - a_j} (x - a_j) + f(a_j), \quad \forall x \in I_j$$

Clearly $g(a_j) = f(a_j)$, $\forall j$. In particular $g(a) = f(a)$
& $g(b) = f(b)$, and $g(x)$ is piecewise linear on $[a, b]$.
(and cts)

Then $\forall x \in I_j \subset [a, b]$

$$\begin{aligned} |f(x) - g(x)| &= \left| f(x) - \frac{f(a_{j+1}) - f(a_j)}{a_{j+1} - a_j} (x - a_j) - f(a_j) \right| \\ &\leq |f(x) - f(a_j)| + \frac{|f(a_{j+1}) - f(a_j)|}{a_{j+1} - a_j} (x - a_j) \\ &< \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \sup_{x \in I_j} |f(x) - g(x)| < \varepsilon \quad \text{i.e. } \|f - g\|_\infty < \varepsilon. \quad \#$



Terminology: A trigonometric polynomial is of the form $P(\cos x, \sin x)$, where $P(x, y)$ is a polynomial of 2 variables.

Note that a trigonometric polynomial is a finite Fourier series and vice-versa. (EX!)

[finite Fourier series: $a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^N (a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx)$, $N < \infty$]

Prop 1.12 Let f be cts function on $[0, \pi]$. Then $\forall \varepsilon > 0$,
 \exists a trigonometric polynomial h s.t. $\|f - h\|_{\infty} < \varepsilon$

Pf: Extend f to $[-\pi, \pi]$ by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} f(x), & x \in [0, \pi] \\ f(-x), & x \in [-\pi, 0] \end{cases} \quad (\text{even extension})$$

Then this extension is cts on $[-\pi, \pi]$ & $f(\pi) = f(-\pi)$,

hence extends to a 2π -periodically cts function on \mathbb{R} .

By Prop. 1.1, $\forall \varepsilon > 0$, \exists piecewise linear (etc)

g on $[-\pi, \pi]$ s.t. $\|f - g\|_{\infty} < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$ &

$$g(\pi) = f(\pi) = f(-\pi) = g(-\pi)$$

$\Rightarrow g$ extends to a piecewise linear 2π -periodic function \tilde{g} on \mathbb{R} .

Clearly \tilde{g} satisfies a Lip condition. (why?)

Then Thm. 7 $\Rightarrow \exists N > 0$ s.t.

$$\|g - S_N g\|_{\infty} < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} S_N g \rightarrow g \\ \text{uniformly} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore } \|f - S_N g\|_{\infty} &\leq \|f - g\|_{\infty} + \|g - S_N g\|_{\infty} \\ &< \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon, \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore h = S_N g$ is the required trigonometric polynomial ~~✗~~

Thm 1.13 (Weierstrass Approximate Theorem)

Let $f \in C[a, b]$ Then $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists$ a polynomial g s.t.

$$\|f - g\|_{\infty} < \epsilon.$$

PF: Consider $[a, b] = [0, \pi]$ first.

Extend f to $[-\pi, \pi]$ as in prop 1.12

$\forall \epsilon > 0$, choose trigonometric polynomial

$$h = p(\cos x, \sin x) \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\|f - h\|_{\infty} < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

Using the fact that

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \cos x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!} \\ \sin x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1} x^{2n-1}}{(2n-1)!} \end{array} \right.$$

converge uniformly.

$\exists N > 0$ s.t.

$$\left\| h(x) - p \left(\sum_{n=0}^N \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!}, \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{(-1)^{n-1} x^{2n-1}}{(2n-1)!} \right) \right\|_{\infty} < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

Clearly $g(x) = p \left(\sum_{n=1}^N \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!}, \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n-1}}{(2n-1)!} \right)$

is the required polynomial s.t. $\|f - g\|_{\infty} < \varepsilon$.

For general $[a, b]$, $\varphi(x) = f\left(\frac{b-a}{\pi}x + a\right) \in C[0, \pi]$

$\Rightarrow \exists g(x)$ polynomial s.t.

$$\|\varphi(x) - g(x)\|_{\infty} < \varepsilon \text{ on } [0, \pi]$$

$\Rightarrow g\left(\frac{\pi}{b-a}(x-a)\right)$ is the polynomial s.t.

$$\|f(x) - g\left(\frac{\pi}{b-a}(x-a)\right)\|_{\infty} < \varepsilon$$