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Last topic: Riemann (Darboux) Integral (#1)

Defn: A partition  $P$  of  $[a, b]$  is  $\{a = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_n = b\}$



$f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  bounded function,  $\sup|f| < \infty$ ;  $a < b$

$P = \{a = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_n = b\}$  partition of  $[a, b]$

$L_{f,P} = \sum_{k=1}^n (\inf_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x)) (x_k - x_{k-1})$  lower sum

$U_{f,P} = \sum_{k=1}^n (\sup_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x)) (x_k - x_{k-1})$  upper sum

Example 2:  $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ 0 & \text{if } x \notin \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}$

$P = \{0 = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_n = 1\}$

$L_{f,P} = \sum_{k=1}^n (\inf_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x)) (x_k - x_{k-1}) = \sum_{k=1}^n 0 \cdot (x_k - x_{k-1}) = 0$

$U_{f,P} = \sum_{k=1}^n (\sup_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x)) (x_k - x_{k-1}) = \sum_{k=1}^n 1 \cdot (x_k - x_{k-1}) = (x_1 - x_0) + (x_2 - x_1) + \dots + (x_n - x_{n-1}) = x_n - x_0 = 1$

Example 1:  $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f(x) = x$  (#2)

$P_n = \{a = 0 < \frac{1}{n} < \dots < \frac{n}{n} = 1\}$

$L_{f,P_n} = \sum_{k=1}^n (\inf_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x)) (x_k - x_{k-1}) = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{k-1}{n} \cdot \frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{k=1}^n (k-1) = \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot \frac{n(n-1)}{2} = \frac{n-1}{2n}$

$U_{f,P_n} = \sum_{k=1}^n (\sup_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x)) (x_k - x_{k-1}) = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{k}{n} \cdot \frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{k=1}^n k = \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{n+1}{2n}$

$\frac{1}{2} \leq L_{f,P} \leq U_{f,P} \leq \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow L_{f,P} = U_{f,P} = \frac{1}{2}$   
 Defn 3:  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable,  $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2}$

Need to prove Prop: 1 (#2)

Lemma (a)  $(\inf_{x \in [a, b]} f(x)) \cdot (b-a) \leq L_{f,P} \leq U_{f,P} \leq (\sup_{x \in [a, b]} f(x)) \cdot (b-a)$  for every partition  $P$  of  $[a, b]$

(b) if  $P' \supset P$ , then  $L_{f,P} \leq L_{f,P'} \leq U_{f,P'} \leq U_{f,P}$

Pf of (a):  $L_{f,P} = \sum_{k=1}^n (\inf_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x)) (x_k - x_{k-1})$

$\inf_{x \in [a, b]} f(x) \leq \inf_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x) \leq \sup_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x) \leq \sup_{x \in [a, b]} f(x)$

Example 1:  $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f(x) = x$

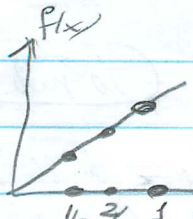
$P = \{a = 0 < \frac{1}{n} < \frac{2}{n} < \dots < \frac{n}{n} = 1\}$

equal spacing  $\Delta x = x_k - x_{k-1} = \frac{1}{n}$

$L_{f,P} = \sum_{k=1}^n (\inf_{x \in [\frac{k-1}{n}, \frac{k}{n}] } f(x)) \frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{k-1}{n} = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{k=1}^n (k-1) = \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot \frac{n(n-1)}{2} = \frac{n-1}{2n}$

$U_{f,P} = \sum_{k=1}^n (\sup_{x \in [\frac{k-1}{n}, \frac{k}{n}] } f(x)) \frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{k}{n} = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{k=1}^n k = \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{n+1}{2n}$

Note:  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-1}{2n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n+1}{2n} = \frac{1}{2} (= \int_0^1 x dx)$



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$f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  bounded,  $a < b$

Defn 2:  $L_f = \sup_P L_{f,P}$ ,  $U_f = \inf_P U_{f,P}$

$P$  all partitions of  $[a, b]$

Prop:  $U_f \leq L_f$

Defn 3: Bounded  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable

if  $U_f = L_f$ . If so,  $\int_a^b f dx = L_f = U_f$

Example 2:  $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ 0 & \text{if } x \notin \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}$

$L_{f,P} = 0$  for every partition  $P$  of  $[0, 1]$  (#3)

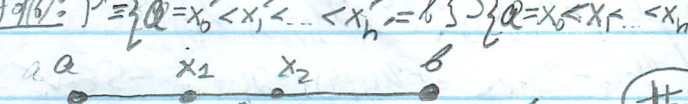
$U_{f,P} = 1$

$\Rightarrow L_f = \sup_P L_{f,P} = 0$ ,  $U_f = \inf_P U_{f,P} = 1$

$\Rightarrow L_f \neq U_f \Rightarrow f$  is not Riemann integrable on  $[0, 1]$

$(\inf_{x \in [a, b]} f(x)) \sum_{k=1}^n (x_k - x_{k-1}) \leq L_{f,P} \leq U_{f,P} \leq (\sup_{x \in [a, b]} f(x)) \sum_{k=1}^n (x_k - x_{k-1})$

Pf of (b):  $P' = \{a = x'_0 < x'_1 < \dots < x'_n = b\} \supset \{a = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_n = b\} = P$



possibly more  $x'_k$ 's in here

$\{x'_0 = x_0 < x'_1 < x'_2 < \dots < x'_n = x_n\}$  is a partition of  $[x_i, x_{i+1}]$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Q} \Rightarrow (\inf_{x \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]} f(x)) (x_i - x_{i-1}) &\leq \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} f(x) dx \leq (\sup_{x \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]} f(x)) (x_i - x_{i-1}) \\ \sum_i &\Rightarrow L_{f,P} \leq \int_{a,b} f(x) dx \leq U_{f,P} \end{aligned}$$

Calc:  $\int f, \int f' \leq U_{f,P}$   $\forall$  partitions  $P, P'$  of  $[a, b]$  #2

Pf:  $P \cup P' =$  partition of  $[a, b]$ , combines all  $P, P'$  "break pts" of  $P$  and  $P'$

$$\text{lemma (b)} \Rightarrow \int f, \int f' \leq \int_{P \cup P'} f \leq U_{f, P \cup P'} \leq U_{f, P} \Rightarrow \int f, \int f' \leq U_{f, P}$$

standard trick:  $P, P' \rightarrow$  common refinement  $P \cup P'$

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Pf of Prop:  $\int f = \sup_{P'} L_{f,P'} \leq \inf_P U_{f,P} = \int f$   
 $P'$  all partitions of  $[a, b]$

lemma:  $\int f, \int f' \leq \int_{P \cup P'} f \leq U_{f, P \cup P'} \leq U_{f, P}$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \int f - \int_{P \cup P'} f < \epsilon \quad 0 \leq U_{f, P \cup P'} - \int f < \epsilon$$

$$0 \leq (U_{f, P \cup P'} - \int_{P \cup P'} f) - (U_{f, P} - \int f) < 2\epsilon$$

Thm 1: Bounded  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable iff

f is integrable  $\Leftrightarrow U_f = L_f \Rightarrow 0 \leq U_{f, P \cup P'} - \int_{P \cup P'} f < 2\epsilon \Rightarrow \text{Q}$

$\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists$  a partition  $P$  of  $[a, b]$  s.t.  $U_{f,P} - L_{f,P} < \epsilon$  \*

Pf: let  $\epsilon > 0, L_f = \sup_P L_{f,P}, U_f = \inf_{P'} U_{f,P'}$   
 $\Rightarrow \exists$  partitions  $P, P'$  of  $[a, b]$  s.t.  $(0 \leq) U_{f,P} - L_{f,P} < \epsilon$  (\*)  
 $(0 \leq) U_{f,P'} - U_f < \epsilon$

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Thm 2: Bounded  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is integrable iff

Suppose  $f$  is integrable and  $\epsilon > 0$ . Let  $M = \sup |f| \in \mathbb{R}^+$

$\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0$  s.t. for every  $P = \{a = x_0 < \dots < x_n = b\}$  with  $|x_i - x_{i-1}| < \delta \forall i=1, \dots, n, U_{f,P} - L_{f,P} < \epsilon$  \*

Thm 1  $\Rightarrow \exists$  partition  $P^* = \{a = x_0^* < \dots < x_{n^*}^* = b\}$  of  $[a, b]$  s.t.  $U_{f,P^*} - L_{f,P^*} < \epsilon$  \*

Pf:  $\epsilon$ - $\delta$  condition  $\Rightarrow$  \* (just need  $\delta$  s.t. that \* holds)  
 $\Rightarrow f$  is integrable

Take  $\delta = \frac{\epsilon}{M n^*}$ . Given  $P = \{a = x_0 < \dots < x_n = b\}$  with  $|x_i - x_{i-1}| < \delta \forall i=1, \dots, n$ , show  $U_{f,P} - L_{f,P} < 5\epsilon$

lemma (b)  $\Rightarrow \int f, \int f' \leq \int_{P \cup P'} f \leq U_{f, P \cup P'} \leq U_{f, P}$   
 $+ \text{Q} \Rightarrow U_{f, P \cup P'} - \int_{P \cup P'} f < \epsilon$

at most  $n^*$  of these are different

$$\begin{aligned} U_{f,P} - U_{f,P \cup P^*} &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sup_{x \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]} f(x) \cdot (x_i - x_{i-1}) - \sum_{k=k_{i-1}^*+1}^{k_i} \sup_{x \in [x_{k-1}^*, x_k^*]} f(x) \cdot (x_k^* - x_{k-1}^*) \right) \\ &\leq M(x_i - x_{i-1}) + M \sum_{k=k_{i-1}^*+1}^{k_i} (x_k^* - x_{k-1}^*) < \delta \\ &\leq 2M\delta \leq \frac{2\epsilon}{n^*} \cdot n \end{aligned}$$

Show  $U_{f,P} - U_{f,P \cup P^*} < 2\epsilon, L_{f,P \cup P^*} - L_{f,P} < 2\epsilon$   
 $\Rightarrow U_{f,P} - L_{f,P} < 4\epsilon + U_{f,P \cup P^*} - L_{f,P \cup P^*} < 5\epsilon$  ✓

$P \cup P^* = \{a, x_{k_1}^*, x_{k_2}^*, \dots, x_{k_i}^*, b\}$   
possibly more from  $P^*$