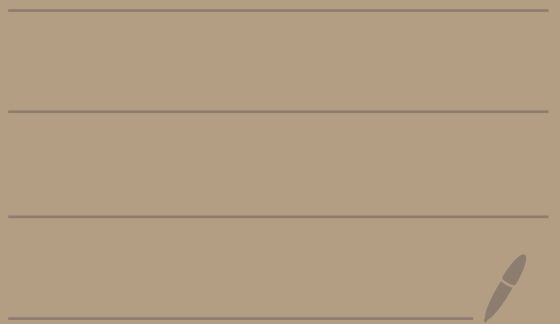


Math 5800

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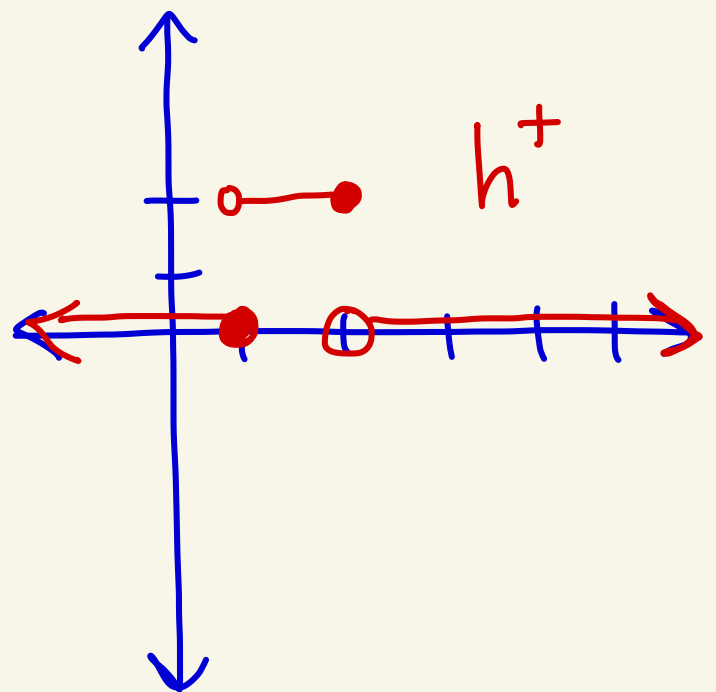
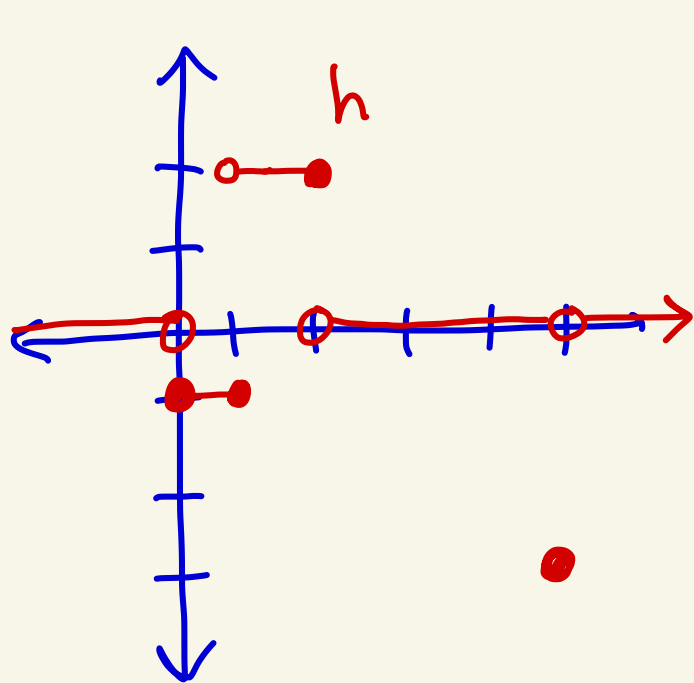
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Def: Let  $h: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Define  $h^+: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  as

$$h^+(x) = \begin{cases} h(x) & \text{if } h(x) \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } h(x) < 0 \end{cases}$$

Ex:  $h = 2 \cdot \chi_{[1,2]} - 3 \cdot \chi_{[5,5]} - 1 \cdot \chi_{[0,1]}$



Theorem: If  $h$  is a step function, then  $h^+$  is a step function.

proof: HW 4 

Lemma: Let  $f, g \in L^0$ .

Suppose  $(\varphi_n)_{n=1}^\infty$  and  $(\psi_n)_{n=1}^\infty$  are non-decreasing sequences of step functions where  $\varphi_n \rightarrow f$  almost everywhere and  $\psi_n \rightarrow g$  almost everywhere. Suppose

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \psi_n$  exist.

Suppose  $f \geq g$  almost everywhere  
[ie  $f(x) \geq g(x)$  for almost all  $x$ ]

Then,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n \geq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \psi_n$

proof: Fix some integer  $m \geq 1$ .

Consider the sequence of step functions  $(\psi_m - \varphi_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$ ,

that is

$$\psi_m - \varphi_1, \psi_m - \varphi_2, \psi_m - \varphi_3, \dots$$

Note that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\psi_m - \varphi_n)(x) &= \psi_m(x) - \varphi_n(x) \\
 &\geq \psi_m(x) - \varphi_{n+1}(x) \\
 &= (\psi_m - \varphi_{n+1})(x)
 \end{aligned}$$

$(\varphi_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is non-decreasing  
 $\varphi_n(x) \leq \varphi_{n+1}(x)$   
 $-\varphi_n(x) \geq -\varphi_{n+1}(x)$

for all  $n \geq 1$   
and  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

So,  $(\psi_m - \varphi_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is non-increasing [in  $n$ ].

Let

$$S_1 = \left\{ x \mid \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varphi_n(x) \neq f(x) \right\}$$

$$S_2 = \left\{ x \mid f(x) \not\geq g(x) \right\}$$

ie  
 $f(x) < g(x)$

$$S_3 = \left\{ x \mid \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \psi_m(x) \neq g(x) \right\}$$

By assumption,  $S_1, S_2, S_3$  all have measure zero.

$$\text{Let } S = S_1 \cup S_2 \cup S_3.$$

Then  $S$  has measure zero.

And,

$$\mathbb{R} - S = \left\{ x \mid \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varphi_n(x) = f(x), f(x) \geq g(x), \right. \\ \left. \text{and } \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \psi_m(x) = g(x) \right\}$$

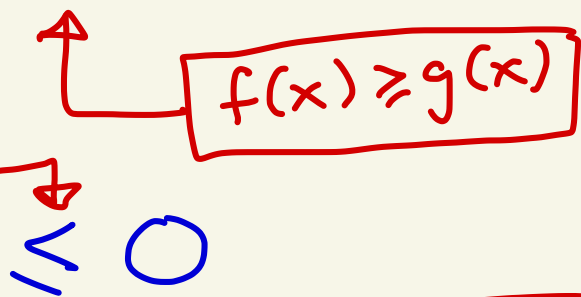
$\mathbb{R} - S$  is an almost everywhere set.

Let  $x \in \mathbb{R} - S$ .

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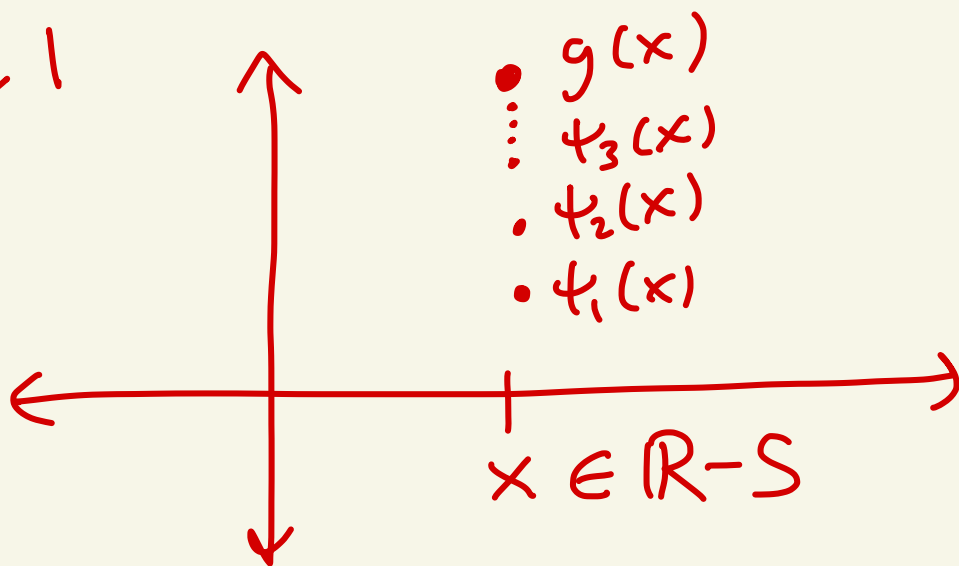
Then,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\psi_n(x) - \varphi_n(x)) = \psi_n(x) - f(x) \leq \psi_n(x) - g(x)$$



We know  $\psi_m(x) - g(x) \leq 0$  because  $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \psi_m(x) = g(x)$  and  $(\psi_m(x))_{m=1}^{\infty}$  is non-decreasing. So,  $\psi_m(x) \leq g(x)$

for all  $m \geq 1$





Thus,  $(\psi_n - \varphi_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a non-increasing sequence of step functions where

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\psi_n(x) - \varphi_n(x)) \leq 0 \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathbb{R} - S \text{ [ie almost all } x \text{].}$$

Consider the sequence  $((\psi_n - \varphi_n)^+)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  that is,

$$(\psi_n - \varphi_n)^+, (\psi_n - \varphi_n)^+, \dots$$

This is a non-increasing sequence of step functions which are all non-negative.

$$\text{Since } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\psi_n(x) - \varphi_n(x)) \leq 0$$

for all  $x \in \mathbb{R} - S$ , we know that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\psi_n(x) - \varphi_n(x))^+ = 0 \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathbb{R} - S.$$

Thus,  $(\psi_m - \varphi_n)^+$  is a non-increasing Pg  
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non-negative sequence of step  
functions where  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\psi_m - \varphi_n)^+(x) = 0$

for almost all  $x$ .

By Monday's lemma,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int (\psi_m - \varphi_n)^+ = 0$$

But  $(\psi_m - \varphi_n)(x) \leq (\psi_m - \varphi_n)^+(x)$   
for all  $x$ .

Thus,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int (\psi_m - \varphi_n) \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int (\psi_m - \varphi_n)^+ = 0$$

$$\text{So, } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int (\psi_m - \varphi_n) \leq 0.$$

Thus, for any fixed  $m \geq 1$  we have p9  
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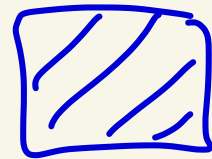
$$\int \psi_m - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int (\psi_m - \varphi_n) \leq 0$$

Now take the limit as  $m \rightarrow \infty$  to get

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \int \psi_m - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n \leq 0$$

So,

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \int \psi_m \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n$$



Theorem: Let  $f \in L^0$ .

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Then,  $\int f$  is well-defined.

pf: Suppose  $(\varphi_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  and  $(\psi_m)_{m=1}^{\infty}$  are two non-decreasing sequences of step functions with  $\varphi_n \rightarrow f$  almost everywhere and  $\psi_m \rightarrow f$  almost everywhere and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n$  exists and  $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \int \psi_m$  exists.

If you apply the previous lemma twice using  $g = f$  we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n \leq \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \int \psi_m$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \int \psi_m \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n.$$

Hence  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \psi_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n$ .

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So,  $\int f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \psi_n$  and

$\int f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \varphi_n$  are equal

and  $\int f$  is well-defined. 

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Corollary: Let  $f, g \in L^0$ .  
If  $f(x) \geq g(x)$  for almost all  $x$ ,  
then  $\int f \geq \int g$ .

proof: This is the previous  
lemma before the theorem. 