

# Riesz Representation Theorem

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$m$  = Lebesgue measure in  $\mathbb{R}^n$

$$(L^2(m))^* = L^2(m)$$

$$\forall \psi \in (L^2(m))^*$$

$$\psi: L^2(m) \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \text{bdd linear functional}$$

$$\exists f_0 \in L^2(m)$$

$$\psi(g) = \langle g, f_0 \rangle = \int f_0 g \, dm$$

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$$1 \leq p < \infty$$

$$(L^p(m))^* = L^q(m)$$

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

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for each compact set  $K \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ .

Then there exist a Radon measure  $\mu$  on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and a  $\mu$ -measurable function  $\sigma: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  s.t

$$(i) \quad |\sigma(x)| = 1 \quad \mu\text{-a.e. } x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$(ii) \quad L(f) = \int f \cdot \sigma \, d\mu \quad \forall f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m)$$

Divergence  
theorem

$$F: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$F = (F_1, F_2, F_3)$$

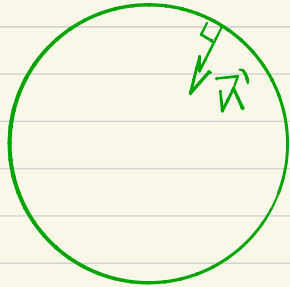
$$F \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{R}^3, \mathbb{R}^3)$$

$$L(F) = \int_B \operatorname{div} F \, dx$$

$$\int_B \operatorname{div} F \, dx = \int \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x_1} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x_2} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x_3} \right) dx = \int_{\partial B} F \cdot \vec{n} \, d\sigma$$

$$LF = \int_B \operatorname{div} F \, dx = \int_{\partial B} F \cdot \bar{n}' \, d\sigma \leq |\partial B|$$

unit normal  
 $|F| \leq 1$   
 $|\bar{n}'| \leq 1$



Does this say anything about  $(L^\infty)^*$  ?  $\mathbb{R}^n$

$$L \in (L^\infty(m))^* \quad f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}) \subset L^\infty(m)$$

$$|f| \leq 1$$

$$|L(f)| \leq \|L\|$$

$$\hat{L} = L|_{C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R})}$$

$\exists \mu$  measure  $\sigma : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad |\sigma(x)| = 1$

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Definition: We call  $\mu$  the **variation measure** associated with  $L$ . It is defined as follows: for each open set  $V \subset \mathbb{R}^n$

$$(*) \quad \mu(V) := \sup \{ L(f) : f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m) : |f| \leq 1, \text{spt } f \subseteq V \}$$

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Pf let  $A \subset \mathbb{R}^n$

$$\mu A = \inf \{ \mu U : A \subset U \quad U \text{ open} \}$$

Claim 1:  $\mu$  is a measure

Claim 2:  $\mu$  is a Radon measure

Claim 3: there is an associated non-negative linear functional  $\lambda$ .

Claim 4:  $\lambda$  can be represented as an integral w.r.t  $\mu$

Claim 5:  $\exists \sigma: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$   $\mu$ -measurable satisfying

$$Lf = \int f \cdot \sigma d\mu \quad \forall f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m)$$

Claim 6:  $|\sigma| = 1$   $\mu$  a. e.  $x$ .

Claim 1 :  $\mu$  is a measure : i)  $\mu(\emptyset) = 0$  ( $L_0 = 0$ )

ii) subadditivity : a) for open sets

b) for general sets

a)  $\{V_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$  open sets  $V \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} V_i$   
↑  
open

$$\mu(V) := \sup \{ L(f) : f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m) : |f| \leq 1, \text{spt } f \subset V \}$$

choose  $g \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m)$   $|g| \leq 1$   $\text{spt } g \subset V \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} V_i$

$\{\xi_j\}_{j=1}^M$  partition of unity subordinate to  $\{V_i\}$

$$\text{spt } \xi_j \subset V_j \quad 0 \leq \xi_j \leq 1 \quad \sum_{j=1}^M \xi_j = 1 \quad \text{on } \text{spt } g$$

since  $\text{spt } g$  compact  
 $\text{spt } g \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^M V_i$

↑  
compact set

$$g = g \sum_{i=1}^M \xi_i$$

$$L(g) \neq \sum_{i=1}^M L(g \xi_i)$$

infinite sum  
an issue

$$g = \sum_{i=1}^M g \xi_i$$

$$\text{spt}(g \xi_i) \subset V_i$$

$$|g \xi_i| \leq 1$$

$$Lg = \sum_{i=1}^M L(g \xi_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^M \mu V_i \leq \sum_{i=1}^S \mu V_i$$

$$\forall g \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m)$$

$$|g| \leq 1$$

sup over  $g$

$$\mu V \leq \sum_{i=1}^S \mu V_i$$

$$\text{let } \{A_i\}_{i=1}^S$$

$$A \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^S A_i$$

sets

open  
 $V_i \supset A_i$

$$\mu V_i \geq \mu A_i \geq \mu V_i - \varepsilon/2^i$$

$$\mu A \leq \mu \left( \bigcup_{i=1}^S V_i \right) \leq \sum_{i=1}^S \mu V_i \leq \sum_{i=1}^S \mu A_i + \varepsilon$$

$\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$



Claim 2 :  $\mu$  is Radon :  $\checkmark$  Borel regular & finite on compact sets.  $\checkmark$

① Caratheodory criteria :  $\mu(A_1 \cup A_2) = \mu A_1 + \mu A_2$  if  $d(A_1, A_2) > 0$

② measures of all Balls finite  $\Rightarrow$  Borel measure  
! enough to show  $\mu(\underbrace{B(0, R)}_{\text{open}})$  is finite

$$\mu(B(0, R)) = \sup \{ \int Lg : \text{spt } g \subset B(0, R) : |g| \leq 1 \} < \infty$$

Regular A find Borel set B  $A \subset B$

$$\mu A = \mu B$$

$$\mu A = \inf \{ \mu U : U \text{ open } U \supset A \} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{open} \\ V_k \supset A \end{array}$$

$$\mu V_k - \frac{1}{2^k} \leq \mu A \leq \mu V_k \quad V = \bigcap_{k=1}^{\infty} V_k \supset A$$

check  $\rightarrow \mu A = \mu V$

$$C_c^+(\mathbb{R}^n) = \{ f \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n) : f \geq 0 \} \quad \text{for } f \in C_c^+(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

$$\lambda(f) = \sup \{ |Lg| : g \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m) : |g| \leq f \}$$

Properties : 1)  $f_1, f_2 \in C_c^+(\mathbb{R}^n) \quad f_1 \leq f_2$

$$\lambda(f_1) \leq \lambda(f_2)$$

2)  $c \geq 0$

$$\lambda(cf) = c\lambda(f)$$

Claim 3 : for  $f_1, f_2 \in C_c^+(\mathbb{R}^n) \quad \lambda(f_1 + f_2) = \lambda f_1 + \lambda f_2$

Proof :  $g_1, g_2 \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m) \quad |g_i| \leq f_i$

$$|g_1 + g_2| \leq f_1 + f_2 \quad Lg_i \geq 0$$

$$|Lg_1| + |Lg_2| = Lg_1 + Lg_2 = L(g_1 + g_2) \leq |L(g_1 + g_2)| \leq$$

sup over  $\downarrow g_1, g_2 / \lambda(f_1) + \lambda(f_2) \leq \lambda(f_1 + f_2)$

$$g \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m) \quad |g| \leq f_1 + f_2$$

$$g_i = \begin{cases} f_i g / (f_1 + f_2) & \text{if } f_1 + f_2 > 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } f_1 + f_2 = 0 \end{cases} \quad i=1, 2$$

$$g_1, g_2 \in C_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m)$$

$$g = g_1 + g_2 \quad (\text{because } |g| \leq f_1 + f_2)$$

$$|g_i| \leq \frac{f_i |g|}{f_1 + f_2} \leq f_i$$

$$|Lg| = |Lg_1 + Lg_2| \leq |Lg_1 + Lg_2| \leq \lambda(f_1) + \lambda(f_2)$$

take sup on  $g$

$$\lambda(f_1 + f_2) \leq \lambda(f_1) + \lambda(f_2)$$

## Problem 2

$$u \in L^p(B)$$

$$\left( \int_{B_r(x)} |u - u_{x,r}|^p dy \right)^{1/p} \leq K r^\alpha$$

Claim 1  $\{ u_{x, r 2^{-j}} \}_{j=1}^{\infty} \quad x \in B$

$$\bar{u}(x) = \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} u_{x, r 2^{-j}} \quad \text{exists}$$

Claim 2  $\{ \underbrace{u_{x, r 2^{-j}}}_{r_j} \}_{j=1}^{\infty}$  Cauchy with bounds

$j \rightarrow \infty \hookrightarrow$

$$|u_{x, r_{j+1}} - u_{x, r_j}| \leq C(n, p) K r^\alpha 2^{-j\alpha}$$

hint  $|x - y| \sim \underline{r} 2^{-j} \quad | \bar{u}(x) - \bar{u}(y) |$  using

$$| \bar{u}_{x, r_j} - \bar{u}_{y, r_j} |$$

