

① Let $X = \{0, 1, 2\}$ and $M = \{\emptyset, \{0\}, \{1\}, \{0, 1\}\}$.

Is the function $\mu: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ a measure on M , where μ is defined as

- a) $\mu(\emptyset) = 0$, $\mu(\{0\}) = -1$, $\mu(\{1\}) = 2$ and $\mu(\{0, 1\}) = 1$;
 b) $\mu(\emptyset) = 0$, $\mu(\{0\}) = 1$, $\mu(\{1\}) = 2$ and $\mu(\{0, 1\}) = 3$;
 c) $\mu(\emptyset) = 0$, $\mu(\{0\}) = 1$, $\mu(\{1\}) = 2$ and $\mu(\{0, 1\}) = 1$?

► If μ is a measure on M then

1) $\mu(\emptyset) = 0$;

2) $\mu(A) \geq 0 \quad \forall A \in M$;

3) $\mu\left(\bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} A_k\right) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_k)$, $\forall A_k \in M$, $A_k \cap A_j = \emptyset, k \neq j$.

a) $\mu(\{0\}) = -1 < 0 \Rightarrow \mu$ is not a measure.

b) Check the conditions 1)-3).

1) and 2) are obvious

3) $\mu(\{0, 1\}) = \mu(\{0\}) + \mu(\{1\}) = 1 + 2 = 3$

3) It is enough for 3)

$\Rightarrow \mu$ is a measure.

c) 1) and 2) are obvious

3) $\mu(\{0, 1\}) = \mu(\{0\}) + \mu(\{1\}) = 1 + 2 = \underline{3} \Rightarrow$

$\Rightarrow \mu(\{0, 1\}) \neq \mu(\{0\}) + \mu(\{1\})$

μ is not a measure.

②. Show that a nonnegative, additive and continuous below function μ on a ring M is a measure on M .
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A function μ defined on a ring M is called continuous below, if for every increasing family $\{A_n: n \geq 1\} \subset M$ one has $\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(A_n)$.

► We have that M is a ring,

1) $\mu(A) \geq 0, A \in M;$

2) $\mu(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k) = \sum_{k=1}^n \mu(A_k), \forall A_k \in M, k=1, \dots, n, A_k \cap A_j = \emptyset, k \neq j;$

3) for every increasing family $\{A_n: n \geq 1\} \subset M$
 $\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(A_n).$

We need to show that μ is a measure on M .

Check that

a) $\mu(A) \geq 0 \quad \forall A \in M;$

b) $\forall A_n \in M, n \geq 1, A_k \cap A_n = \emptyset, k \neq n$

$\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n).$

a) $\mu(A) \geq 0$ by 1)!

b) Let $B_n = \bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k$: $B_1 = A_1$
 $B_2 = A_1 \cup A_2$

$B_n = A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n$

Then $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} (\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k) = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$

and $\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) = \mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n) \stackrel{\text{by 3)}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(B_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k) \stackrel{2)}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \mu(A_k) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_k) !$

μ is a measure on M .

(3) Let μ be a measure on a σ -algebra $H \subset 2^X$ and $\mu(X) = 1$. For a family of sets $\{A_n : n \geq 1\} \subset H$ satisfying $\mu(A_n) = 1, n \geq 1$, show that $\mu(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) = 1$.

► μ is a measure on H . Then

1) μ is monotone: $\forall A, B \in H$ s.t. $A \subset B \Rightarrow \mu(A) \leq \mu(B)$;

2) $\forall A, B \in H$ s.t. $A \subset B \Rightarrow \mu(B \setminus A) = \mu(B) - \mu(A)$

3) μ is σ -semiadditive:

$\forall A_1, A_2, \dots \in H$ s.t. $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \in H \Rightarrow$

$$\Rightarrow \mu\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n\right) \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n).$$

We know that

$$\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n = X \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n^c\right)$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \mu\left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n\right) &= \mu\left(X \setminus \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n^c\right)\right) \stackrel{2), \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n^c \subset X\right)}{=} \mu(X) - \mu\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n^c\right) \stackrel{3) \sigma\text{-semiadd.}}{\geq} \\ &\geq \mu(X) - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n^c). \end{aligned}$$

Show that $\mu(A_n^c) = 0$. Indeed, $\mu(A_n^c) = \mu(X \setminus A_n) = \mu(X) - \mu(A_n) = 1 - 1 = 0$

We obtain that

$$1 = \mu(X) \stackrel{1)}{\geq} \mu\left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n\right) \geq \mu(X) - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n^c) = 1 - 0 = 1.$$

Hence, $\mu\left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n\right) = 1$.

(4) Let μ be a measure on an algebra $H \subset 2^X$ and $\mu(X) = 1$. Let a family of sets $\{A_1, \dots, A_n\} \subset H$ satisfy the following property

$$\mu(A_1) + \dots + \mu(A_n) > n-1.$$

show that $\mu\left(\bigcap_{k=1}^n A_k\right) > 0$.

$$\bigcap_{k=1}^n A_k = X \setminus \left(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k^c\right)$$

Then $\mu\left(\bigcap_{k=1}^n A_k\right) = \mu\left(X \setminus \left(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k^c\right)\right) \stackrel{\text{monot.}}{=} \mu(X) - \mu\left(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k^c\right)$. (*)

Show that $\mu\left(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k^c\right) < 1$.

Indeed,
$$\begin{aligned} \mu\left(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k^c\right) &\leq \sum_{\sigma\text{-add. } k=1}^n \mu(A_k^c) = \sum_{k=1}^n \mu(X \setminus A_k) = \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n (\underbrace{\mu(X)}_1 - \underbrace{\mu(A_k)}_{> n-1 \text{ (given)}}) < \\ &< n - (n-1) = 1. \end{aligned}$$

Then
$$\mu\left(\bigcap_{k=1}^n A_k\right) \stackrel{(*)}{=} \underbrace{\mu(X)}_1 - \underbrace{\mu\left(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k^c\right)}_{< 1} > 1 - 1 = 0,$$

$$\mu\left(\bigcap_{k=1}^n A_k\right) > 0!$$

5) For a sequence $\{A_n: n \geq 1\}$ of subsets of X define

$$\underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n := \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k, \quad \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n := \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k.$$

Let μ be a measure on a σ -algebra $M \subset 2^X$ and $\{A_n: n \geq 1\} \subset M$.

a) Prove that $\mu(\underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n) \leq \underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(A_n)$.

b) Let additionally $\mu(\bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} A_k) < +\infty$. Show that $\mu(\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n) \geq \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(A_n)$.

a) $\underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \underbrace{\bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k}_{B_n}$.

Let $B_n = \bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k$. Then $B_1 \subseteq B_2 \subseteq \dots \subseteq B_n \subseteq \dots$ and

$$\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(B_n) \quad (\text{by Th. 3.9 (continuity from below)})$$

$$\mu(\underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n) = \mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n) \stackrel{\text{Th. 3.9}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(B_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(\bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k). \quad (*)$$

We know that

$$\mu(\bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k) \leq \mu(A_k), \quad \forall k \geq n, \quad \text{because for every } k \geq n \quad \bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k \subseteq A_k.$$

$$\text{Then } \mu(\bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k) \leq \inf_{k \geq n} \mu(A_k). \quad (**)$$

$$\underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(A_n) \stackrel{(*)}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(\bigcap_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k) \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{k \geq n} \mu(A_k) = \underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(A_n). \quad !$$

$$b) \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \underbrace{\bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k}_{B_n}.$$

Let $B_n = \bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k$. Then $B_1 \supseteq B_2 \supseteq \dots$, $\mu(B_1) = \mu(\bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} A_k) \leq \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_k) < +\infty$ and $\mu(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(B_n)$ (by Th 3.10)

$$\mu(\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n) = \mu(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n) \stackrel{\text{Th 3.10}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(B_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(\bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k). \quad (*)$$

We know that

$$\mu(\bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k) \geq \mu(A_k), \quad \forall k \geq n, \text{ because } A_k \subseteq \bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k, \quad \forall k \geq n.$$

$$\text{Then } \mu(\bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k) \geq \sup_{k \geq n} \mu(A_k). \quad (**)$$

$$\mu(\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n) \stackrel{(*)}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(\bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k) \stackrel{(**)}{\geq} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{k \geq n} \mu(A_k) = \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(A_n). !$$

(6) Show that a nonnegative, additive and σ -semiadditive funktion μ on a ring R is a measure on R .
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► We have that H is a ring and

1) $\mu(A) \geq 0, \forall A \in H;$

2) $\mu(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k) = \sum_{k=1}^n \mu(A_k), \forall A_k \in H, k=1, \dots, n, A_k \cap A_j = \emptyset, k \neq j;$

3) μ is σ -semiadditive, that is,

$\forall A_1, A_2, \dots \in H$ s.t. $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \in H \Rightarrow$

$\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n).$

We need to show that μ is a measure on H .
 Check that

a) $\mu(A) \geq 0, \forall A \in H;$

b) $\forall A_n \in H, n \geq 1, A_k \cap A_n = \emptyset, k \neq n,$

$\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n).$

a) $\mu(A) \geq 0$ by 1).

b) $\Rightarrow \mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) \stackrel{\text{by 3)}}{\leq} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n).$

\Leftrightarrow Show that $\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) \geq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n) ?$

$\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) \stackrel{\text{by mon.}}{\geq} \mu(\bigcup_{k=1}^n A_k) \stackrel{\text{by 2)}}{=} \sum_{k=1}^n \mu(A_k), \forall n.$

$\mu(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n) \geq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \mu(A_k) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_k) !$

μ is a measure on H .

(7) Let μ be a measure on a σ -algebra $H \subset 2^X$ and $\mu(X) = 1$. Show that for every sequence $\{A_n; n \geq 1\} \subset H$ the equality $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n) < +\infty$ implies $\mu(\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n) = 0$.

► We have that

1) μ is a measure on a σ -alg. H ;

2) $\mu(X) = 1$;

3) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_n) < +\infty, \forall A_n \in H, n \geq 1$.

We need to show that $\mu(\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n) = 0$.

We know that

$$\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k$$

Let $B_n = \bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k$. Then $\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n \subseteq B_n$ because $\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n$.

$$0 \leq \mu(\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n) \stackrel{\text{by monot.}}{\leq} \mu(B_n) = \mu(\bigcup_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k) \stackrel{\sigma\text{-semiadd.}}{\leq} \sum_{k=n}^{\infty} \mu(A_k) \rightarrow 0$$

because $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_k)$ converges.

Hence, $\mu(\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n) = 0$!