

Def (24.7)  $(X, \mathcal{M})$  measurable space

$\mu, \nu$ : signed measures on  $X$

1.  $\mu$  and  $\nu$  are mutually singular (write  $\mu \perp \nu$ )

if  $\exists A \subset X$  measurable s.t.

-  $A$  is  $\mu$ -null ( $\Leftrightarrow \forall B \subset A$  meas.  $\mu(B) = 0$ )

-  $A^c = X \setminus A$  is  $\nu$ -null

2.  $\nu$  is absolutely continuous relative to  $\mu$

(write  $\nu \ll \mu$ ) if  $\mu(A) = 0 \Rightarrow \nu(A) = 0$

Example 1.  $X = \mathbb{R}$   $\mu = m$ ,  $\nu = \delta_0$ . Dirac meas.

$A = \{0\} \subset X$  is  $\mu$ -null ( $B \subset A \Rightarrow B = \{0\}$  or  $B = \emptyset$ )

$A^c = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$  is  $\nu$ -null ( $B \subset A^c \Rightarrow 0 \notin B$ ).

2.  $\mu$  positive (i.e. usual) measure on  $X$ .

$f \in L^1(X, \mu)$ ,  $\nu(A) = \int_A f d\mu \Rightarrow \nu \ll \mu$

Def. (24.9)  $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mu)$  measure space

$\mu$  usual meas.

$\nu$ : signed measure on  $X$

A Lebesgue decomposition of  $\nu$  relative to  $\mu$ :

given by signed measures  $\nu_a, \nu_s$  on  $X$ ,

1.  $\nu(A) = \nu_a(A) + \nu_s(A)$  ...

2.  $\nu_a \ll \mu$ ,  $\nu_s \perp \mu$

Ex.  $X = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mu = m$ ,  $\nu(A) = \underbrace{\int_A e^{-x^2} \sin x d\mu(x)}_{\nu_a(A)} + \underbrace{\delta_0(A)}_{\nu_s(A)}$

Lemma (24.10)  $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mu)$  meas. sp.

$\nu$  signed measure on  $X$

0. Lebesgue dec. of  $\nu$  (rel. to  $\mu$ ) is unique.

1.  $\nu$  pos.  $\Rightarrow \nu_a, \nu_s$  pos.

z.  $\nu \rightarrow \sigma$ -fin.  $\rightarrow \nu_a, \nu_s \rightarrow$  fin.

Proof. Fix  $A \in \mathcal{X}$  meas. set,  $\mu(A) < \infty$  &  $A^c$  is  $\nu_s$ -null

Step 1  $\forall C \in \mathcal{M}$

$$\nu_s(C) = \nu_s(C \cap A) = \nu(C \cap A)$$
$$\nu_a(C) = \nu_a(C \cap A^c) = \nu(C \cap A^c)$$

$\because C = (C \cap A) \sqcup (C \cap A^c)$

-  $\nu_a \ll \mu$ ,  $\mu(C \cap A) < \infty \Rightarrow \nu_a(C \cap A) < \infty$

-  $A^c$  is  $\nu_s$ -null.  $\Rightarrow \nu_s(C \cap A^c) = 0$

$\nu = \nu_a + \nu_s$  implies

$$\nu(C \cap A) = \nu_a(C \cap A) + \nu_s(C \cap A)$$

$$\nu_s(C) = \nu_s(C \cap A) + \nu_s(C \cap A^c)$$

Step 2 uniqueness (claim 0)

take another decomp  $\nu = \nu'_a + \nu'_s$  rel. to  $\mu$ .

Step 1 implies  $\nu'_s(C) = \nu(C \cap A) = \nu_s(C)$

$$\nu'_a(C) = \nu(C \cap A^c) = \nu_a(C)$$

Step 3: positivity (claim 1)

again from Step 1  $\nu_s(C) = \nu(C \cap A) \geq 0$ , etc.

Step 4  $\sigma$ -finiteness (claim 2)

Take  $A_1 \subset A_2 \subset \dots \subset \mathcal{X}$  meas,  $X = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i$

$$|\nu(A_i)| < \infty$$

Then  $\nu(A_i) = \nu_a(A_i) + \nu_s(A_i)$  implies

$$\nu_a(A_i), \nu_s(A_i) \in \mathbb{R}$$

Thm (existence of Lebesgue decomp  
& "the" Radon-Nikodym thm 24.13)

$(X, \mathcal{M}) = \text{meas. sp.}$ ,  $\mu, \nu : \sigma\text{-finite measures.}$

1.  $\exists$  Lebesgue dec.  $\nu = \nu_a + \nu_s$  rel. to  $\mu$ .

2.  $\exists p : X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  meas. s.t.  $d\nu_a = p d\mu$

Idea: reduce to the case when  $\mu, \nu$  finite.

then take  $\lambda = \mu + \nu$ , use "baby Radon-Nikodym"  
for  $\lambda$  and  $\nu$ .  $\Rightarrow d\nu = h d\lambda$  for  $0 \leq h \leq 1$ .

$\Rightarrow A = \{x : h(x) = 1\}$  is invisible from  $\mu$ .  
"d\nu(x) = d\lambda(x)"

$p = 1_{A^c} \cdot \frac{h}{1-h}$  will satisfy

$d\nu_a = p d\mu$ . ("h(d\nu\_a + d\mu) = \frac{h}{1-h} d\mu")

$\nu_s(C) = \nu(C \cap A)$ .

Proof Step 1. The case  $\mu(X), \nu(X) < \infty$ .

Take  $\lambda, h, A, p$  as above.

-  $\mu(A) = 0$  :

$$\nu(A) = \int_A d\nu = \int_A h d\lambda = \mu(A) + \nu(A)$$

-  $\nu_s(C) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \nu(C \cap A) \Rightarrow \mu + \nu_s$

$\nu_a(C) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \nu(C \cap A^c)$

$$\int_C (1-h) d\nu_a = \int_C h d\mu$$

$$(H): \nu_a(C) = \int_{C \cap A^c} 1 d\nu = \int_{C \cap A^c} h d\lambda = \int_{C \cap A^c} h d\nu + \int_C h d\mu$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_C (1-h) d\nu_a = \int_{C \cap A^c} (1-h) d\nu = \int_C h d\mu$$

Step 2. " $\int f(1-h) d\nu_a = \int f h d\mu$ " ( $\Rightarrow d\nu_a = \frac{h}{1-h} d\mu$ )  
for  $f \geq 0$  meas. ( $\Rightarrow \nu_a \ll \mu$ )

$\therefore$  Step 1  $\Rightarrow$  claim for simple  $f \geq 0$ .  
 $\Rightarrow$  all  $f \geq 0$ .  
 ptwise approx.

Step 3  $\sigma$ -finite case: reduction to Steps 1, 2

$$Y_1 \subset Y_2 \subset \dots \quad \mu(Y_n) < \infty, \quad X = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} Y_n$$

$$Z_1 \subset Z_2 \subset \dots \quad \nu(Z_n) < \infty, \quad X = \bigcup Z_n$$

$$\Rightarrow X'_n = Y_n \cap Z_n \quad \text{satisfies} \quad \mu(X'_n), \nu(X'_n) < \infty,$$

$$X = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} X'_n$$

$\Rightarrow X_n = X'_n \setminus X'_{n-1}$  gives mut. disj. with same prop.

$$\mu^n(E) = \mu(E \cap X_n), \quad \nu^n(E) = \nu(E \cap X_n)$$

are finite measures,  $\mu = \sum \mu^n$ , etc.

Steps 1 & 2 give  $\nu^n = \nu_a^n + \nu_c^n$  rel. to  $\mu^n$   
 $\uparrow$   $\uparrow$  "supported" on  $X_n$

$$\nu_a = \sum \nu_a^n, \quad \nu_s = \sum \nu_s^n \quad \text{will do} \quad \square$$