

Unit - II

Lebesgue Measure

Definition :- Riemann Integral

Let f be a bounded real valued function defined on an interval $[a, b]$ and let $a = \xi_0 < \xi_1 < \xi_2 < \dots < \xi_n = b$ be sub-division on $[a, b]$ then for each sub-division we define the sum as

$$S = \sum_{i=1}^n (\xi_i - \xi_{i-1}) M_i \text{ and}$$

$$s = \sum_{i=1}^n (\xi_i - \xi_{i-1}) m_i$$

where $M_i = \sup_{\xi_{i-1} < x \leq \xi_i} f(x)$

$$m_i = \inf_{\xi_{i-1} < x \leq \xi_i} f(x)$$

Then the upper Riemann integral of f is

$$R \int_a^b f(x) dx = \inf S$$

The lower Riemann integral of f is

$$R \int_a^b f(x) dx = \sup s \text{ where inf and sup taken over all the possible sub-division of } [a, b]$$

The upper integral is always atleast as large as the lower integral.

If $R \int_a^b f(x) dx = R \int_a^b f(x) dx$ then f is Riemann integrable and is denoted by $R \int_a^b f(x) dx$

Step function :-

A function ψ is said to be a step function on $[a, b]$ if $\psi(x) = c_i$ for every $\xi_{i-1} < x \leq \xi_i$ for each sub-division of $[a, b]$ and some constant c_i .

The general definition of an integral of the step function is given by

$$\int_a^b \psi(x) dx = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i (\xi_i - \xi_{i-1})$$

Definition of Riemann Integral in terms of step function :-

$$\mathbb{R} \int_a^b f(x) dx = \inf_{f \leq \psi} \int_a^b \psi(x) dx \text{ and}$$

$$\mathbb{R} \int_a^b f(x) dx = \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_a^b \phi(x) dx$$

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Simple function :-

✓ A linear combination $\phi(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \chi_{E_i}(x)$ is called a simple function if the sets E_i are measurable.

Canonical representation of simple function :-

✓ If ϕ is a simple function and $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$ are the non-zero values of ϕ then $\phi = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \chi_{A_i}$ where $A_i = \{x : \phi(x) = a_i\}$

This representation of ϕ is called canonical representation of ϕ .

In this representation A_i 's are disjoint and a_i 's are disjoint and non-zero.

In this case, if ϕ vanishes outside the set of finite measure, the integral of ϕ is defined by

$$\int \phi(x) dx = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i m(A_i)$$

Note :-

If E is any measurable set then $\int_E \phi = \int \phi \cdot \chi_E$

Lemma :-

Let $\phi = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \chi_{E_i}$, with $E_i \cap E_j = \emptyset$ for $i \neq j$. Suppose each set E_i is a measurable set of finite measure. Then

$$\int \phi = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i m E_i$$

Proof:-

Clearly ϕ is defined on union of $E_i, i=1$ to n

ie) $\phi = \bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i$

Let the canonical representation of ϕ be

$\phi = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \chi_{A_{a_i}}$ where $E_i = A_{a_i}$

$A_{a_i} = \{x : \phi(x) = a_i\}$

ie) $A_a = \bigcup_{a_i=a} E_i$

Now $a m(A_a) = a m\left(\bigcup_{a_i=a} E_i\right)$
 $= \sum_{a_i=a} a_i m(E_i)$

$\int \phi(x) dx = \sum a m(A_a)$
 $= \sum_{a_n} \sum_{a_i=a} a_i m(E_i)$
 $= \sum_{i=1}^n a_i m(E_i)$

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Proposition:- Linearity property

Let ϕ and ψ be simple functions which vanish outside a set of finite measure, then

$\int (a\phi + b\psi) = a \int \phi + b \int \psi$

and if $\phi \geq \psi$ almost everywhere then $\int \phi \geq \int \psi$

Proof:-

The set $\{A_i\}$ and $\{B_i\}$ be the sets occurring in canonical representation of ϕ and ψ . Let A_0 and B_0 be the sets where ϕ and ψ are zero then the sets E_k obtained by taking the intersections of $A_i \cap B_i$ form a finite disjoint collection of measurable set.

So $\phi = \sum_{k=1}^N a_k \chi_{E_k}$ and $\psi = \sum_{k=1}^N b_k \chi_{E_k}$

$a\phi + b\psi = a \sum_{k=1}^N a_k \chi_{E_k} + b \sum_{k=1}^N b_k \chi_{E_k}$
 $= \sum_{k=1}^N (aa_k + bb_k) \chi_{E_k}$

$= \sum_{k=1}^N (aa_k + bb_k) m(E_k)$ [by previous lemma]

$$\begin{aligned}\int (a\phi + b\psi) &= \sum_{k=1}^N a a_k m(E_k) + \sum_{k=1}^N b b_k m(E_k) \\ &= a \sum_{k=1}^N a_k m(E_k) + b \sum_{k=1}^N b_k m(E_k) \\ &= a \int \phi + b \int \psi\end{aligned}$$

Thus linearity property is satisfied.

Also note that if a simple function ϕ , such that $\phi \geq 0$ almost everywhere then $\int \phi \geq 0$

Now $\phi \geq \psi$ almost everywhere

$$\Rightarrow \phi - \psi \geq 0 \text{ almost everywhere}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\phi - \psi) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \phi - \int \psi \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \phi \geq \int \psi \quad 5M(S) + 5M(S)$$

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Proposition :-

Let f be defined and bounded on a measurable set E with $m(E)$ finite in order that $\inf_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi(x) dx = \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi(x) dx$. For all

simple functions ϕ and ψ it is necessary and sufficient that f is measurable. iff

Proof :-

Let f be measurable.

Since f is bounded $\Rightarrow |f(x)| \leq M \quad \forall x \in E$ *

ie) $-M \leq f(x) \leq M$

Divide the interval $[-M, M]$ into $2n$ equal parts

Define $E_k = \{x \in E : \frac{M}{n}(k-1) < f(x) \leq \frac{M}{n}k\}$

Since f is measurable, E_k is measurable.

ie) $E_k = \{x : x \in f^{-1}((\frac{M}{n}(k-1), \frac{M}{n}k])\}$

put $k = k+1$ *

$E_{k+1} = \{x : x \in f^{-1}(\frac{M}{n}k, \frac{M}{n}(k+1)])\}$

Thus E_k 's are disjoint and $E = \bigcup_{k=-n}^n E_k$

$$m(E) = m\left(\bigcup_{k=-n}^n E_k\right) = \sum_{k=-n}^n m(E_k)$$

For each n , define

$$\psi_n(x) = \frac{M}{n} \sum_{k=-n}^n k \chi_{E_k}(x)$$

$$\phi_n(x) = \frac{M}{n} \sum_{k=-n}^n (k-1) \chi_{E_k}(x)$$

Thus ψ_n and ϕ_n are simple functions. Also for each k , $\phi_n(x) \leq f(x) \leq \psi_n(x)$

$$\text{Since } x \in E_k \Rightarrow \psi_n(x) = \frac{M}{n} k$$

$$\phi_n(x) = \frac{M}{n} (k-1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \inf_{f \leq \psi} \int_E \psi(x) dx &\leq \int_E \psi_n(x) dx \\ &= \frac{M}{n} \sum_{k=-n}^n k m(E_k) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi(x) dx &\geq \int_E \phi_n(x) dx \\ &= \frac{M}{n} \sum_{k=-n}^n (k-1) m(E_k) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \inf_{f \leq \psi} \int_E \psi(x) dx - \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi(x) dx &\leq \frac{M}{n} \sum_{k=-n}^n k m(E_k) \\ &\quad - \frac{M}{n} \sum_{k=-n}^n (k-1) m(E_k) \\ &= \frac{M}{n} \sum_{k=-n}^n m(E_k) \\ &= \frac{M}{n} m(E) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore m(E) = m\left(\bigcup_{k=-n}^n E_k\right) = \sum_{k=-n}^n m(E_k)$$

Since n is arbitrary as $n \rightarrow \infty$ $\frac{M}{n} m(E) \rightarrow 0$

$$\inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_E \psi(x) dx - \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi(x) dx \leq 0$$

$$\text{But } \inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_E \psi dx - \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi dx \geq 0$$

[since upper Rf $\geq$ lower Rf]

$$\inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_E \psi dx - \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi dx = 0$$

$$\inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_E \psi dx = \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi dx$$

Converse part :-

$$\text{Suppose } \inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_E \psi dx = \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi dx = I \text{ (say)}$$

Then given 'n' there are simple functions ϕ_n and ψ_n such that $\phi_n(x) \leq f(x) \leq \psi_n(x)$

$$\int_E \psi_n(x) dx < I + \frac{1}{2^n} \text{ and } \int_E \phi_n(x) dx > I - \frac{1}{2^n}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \int_E \psi_n(x) dx - \int_E \phi_n(x) dx &< I + \frac{1}{2^n} - \left(I - \frac{1}{2^n} \right) \\ &< 2 \frac{1}{2^n} \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} < \frac{1}{n} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let } \psi^* = \inf \psi_n \text{ and } \phi^* = \sup \phi_n$$

Since ψ_n and ϕ_n are measurable, ψ^* and ϕ^* are measurable.

$$\text{Also } \phi^* \leq f(x) \leq \psi^*$$

$$\text{Let } \Delta = \{x : \phi^*(x) \leq \psi^*(x)\} \text{ and}$$

$$\Delta_v = \{x \in E : \phi^*(x) < \psi^*(x) - \frac{1}{v}\}$$

$$\text{Then } \Delta = \bigcup_{v=1}^{\infty} \Delta_v$$

$$\text{ie) If } x \in \Delta_v \text{ then } \phi^*(x) < \psi^*(x) - \frac{1}{v} \\ \phi^*(x) < \psi^*(x) \therefore x \in \Delta$$

$$\text{Suppose } x \in \Delta \quad \phi^*(x) \leq \psi^*(x)$$

$$\phi^*(x) < \psi^*(x) - \frac{1}{v}$$

$$\therefore x \in \Delta_v$$

$$\therefore \Delta = \bigcup_{v=1}^{\infty} \Delta_v$$

$$\text{Define } \Delta_{v,n} = \{x \in E : \phi_n(x) < \psi_n(x) - \frac{1}{v}\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{For } x \in \Delta_V &\Rightarrow \phi^*(x) < \psi^*(x) - \frac{1}{V} \\ &\Rightarrow \sup \phi_n(x) < \inf \psi_n(x) - \frac{1}{n} \\ \phi_n(x) &\leq \sup \phi_n(x) < \inf \psi_n(x) - \frac{1}{n} \\ &< \psi_n(x) - \frac{1}{n}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore x \in \Delta_{V,n}$$

$$\therefore \Delta_V \subseteq \Delta_{V,n}$$

To prove that $m(\Delta_{V,n}) < \frac{V}{n}$

$$\text{If } m(\Delta_{V,n}) \geq \frac{V}{n}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{\Delta_{V,n}} \psi_n(x) dx - \int_{\Delta_{V,n}} \phi_n(x) dx &= \int_{\Delta_{V,n}} (\psi_n - \phi_n) dx \\ &> \frac{1}{V} \int_{\Delta_{V,n}} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{V} m(\Delta_{V,n}) \\ &\geq \frac{1}{V} \cdot \frac{V}{n} = \frac{1}{n}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ie) } \int_{\Delta_{V,n}} \psi_n(x) dx - \int_{\Delta_{V,n}} \phi_n(x) dx \geq \frac{1}{n}$$

which is a contradiction.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Since } \int \psi_n(x) dx - \int \phi_n(x) dx &< \frac{1}{n} \\ \therefore m(\Delta_{V,n}) &< \frac{V}{n}\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$ This is true for any 'n' as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$m(\Delta_{V,n}) < 0$$

$$m(\Delta_V) \leq m(\Delta_{V,n}) < 0$$

$$\therefore m(\Delta_V) = 0$$

$$m(\Delta) = 0$$

where $\Delta = \{x \in E : \phi^*(x) \leq \psi^*(x)\}$

$\therefore \phi^* \geq \psi^*$ almost everywhere.

But $\phi^* \leq \psi^*$

$\therefore \phi^*(x) = \psi^*(x)$ almost everywhere.

$\phi^*(x) = f(x) = \psi^*(x)$ almost everywhere.

Since ϕ^* and ψ^* are measurable

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Definition :- Lebesgue Integral of f

If f is a bounded measurable function defined on a measurable set E with mE finite we define the Lebesgue integral of f over E by

$$\int_E f(x) dx = \inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_E \psi(x) dx \text{ for all simple functions } \psi \geq f. \quad]^{2M(S)}$$

Note :-

i) If $E = [a, b]$, we write $\int_{[a, b]} f = \int_a^b f$

ii) If f is a bounded measurable function that vanishes outside a set E of finite measure, we write $\int f$ for $\int_E f$ and $\int f = \int f \chi_E$

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Proposition :-

Let f be a bounded function defined on $[a, b]$ and if f is Riemann integrable on $[a, b]$ then it is measurable and $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx$

Proof :-

$$\inf_{\substack{\psi \geq f \\ f \leq \psi}} \int \psi dx = R \int_a^b f(x) dx = R \int_a^b f(x) dx = \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int \phi dx$$

where ϕ and ψ are step functions with $\psi \geq f$ and $\phi \leq f$

Since the step function is also a simple function the set $\{\phi: \phi \leq f\} \subseteq \{\phi_1: \phi_1 \leq f\}$ and $\{\psi: \psi \geq f\} \subseteq \{\psi_1: \psi_1 \geq f\}$

where ϕ_1 and ψ_1 are simple functions.

Then $\sup \{\phi: \phi \leq f\} \leq \sup \{\phi_1: \phi_1 \leq f\}$ and

$\inf \{\psi: \psi \geq f\} \geq \inf \{\psi_1: \psi_1 \geq f\}$

$\therefore$ Lower Riemann integrable

$$\begin{aligned} R \int_a^b f(x) dx &= \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_a^b \phi \leq \sup_{\phi_1 \leq f} \int_a^b \phi_1 \\ &\leq \inf_{\psi_1 \geq f} \int_a^b \psi_1 \leq \inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_a^b \psi \end{aligned}$$

Since f is Riemann integrable

$$R \int_a^b f(x) dx = R \int_a^b f(x) dx = \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_a^b \phi dx$$

$\therefore$ The above inequalities become equalities

$$R \int_a^b f(x) dx = R \int_a^b f(x) dx = \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_a^b \phi dx$$

$$\therefore \sup_{\phi_1 \leq f} \int_a^b \phi_1 = \inf_{\psi_1 \geq f} \int_a^b \psi_1 = R \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

$\Rightarrow f$ is measurable.

$$\therefore \int_a^b f(x) dx = R \int_a^b f(x) dx \quad] \text{ SM(S) }$$

Note :-

The above proposition shows that Lebesgue integral is in fact a generalisation of the Riemann integral.

Proposition :-

If f and g are bounded measurable functions defined on a set E of finite measure, then

- i) $\int_E (af + bg) = a \int_E f + b \int_E g$
- ii) If $f = g$ almost everywhere $\int_E f = \int_E g$
- iii) If $f \leq g$ almost everywhere $\int_E f \leq \int_E g$

$$\text{Also } |\int_E f| \leq \int_E |f|$$

- iv) If $A \leq f(x) \leq B$, then $A \cdot mE \leq \int_E f(x) \leq B \cdot mE$
- v) If A and B are disjoint measurable sets of finite measure then $\int_{A \cup B} f = \int_A f + \int_B f$

Proof :-

i) If ψ is a simple function, $a\psi$ is also a simple function, first let us prove

$$\int_E f(x) = \inf_E \int_E \psi(x) dx$$

$$\int_E af = a \int_E f$$

a) If $a = 0$ then $a\psi = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \int_E a\psi = 0 \Rightarrow \inf_{a\psi \geq af} \int_E a\psi = 0$$

$$\psi \geq f$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_E af = 0 \Rightarrow \int_E af = a \int_E f = 0$$

b) If $a > 0$, then $\int_E af = \inf_{a\psi \geq af} \int_E a\psi = a \inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_E \psi = a \int_E f$

c) If $a < 0$, then $\int_E af = \inf_{a\psi \geq af} \int_E a\psi = \inf_{\psi \leq f} \int_E -(-a)\psi$

$$= \inf_{\psi \leq f} - \int_E (-a)\psi$$

$$= -a \inf_{\psi \leq f} - \int_E \psi$$

$$\because -\inf(-f) = \sup f$$

$$= a \sup_{\psi \leq f} \int_E \psi$$

$$= a \int_E f$$

$$\therefore \forall a \int_E af = a \int_E f$$

To prove :- $\int_E f+g = \int_E f + \int_E g$

Consider all simple functions ϕ and ψ such that $\psi \geq f$ and $\phi \geq g$

$$\int_E (\psi + \phi) \geq \int_E (f+g)$$

$$\int_E \psi + \int_E \phi \geq \int_E (f+g)$$

$$\inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_E \psi + \inf_{\phi \geq g} \int_E \phi \geq \int_E (f+g)$$

$$\int_E f + \int_E g \geq \int_E (f+g) \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Now consider all simple functions ψ_1 and ϕ_1 such that $\psi_1 \leq f$ and $\phi_1 \leq g$

$$\text{Then } \psi_1 + \phi_1 \leq f+g$$

$$\int_E (\psi_1 + \phi_1) \leq \int_E (f+g)$$

$$\int_E \psi_1 + \int_E \phi_1 \leq \int_E (f+g)$$

$$\sup_{\psi_1 \leq f} \int_E \psi_1 + \sup_{\phi_1 \leq g} \int_E \phi_1 \leq \int_E (f+g)$$

$$\int_E f + \int_E g \leq \int_E (f+g) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\text{From (1) and (2) } \int_E (f+g) = \int_E f + \int_E g$$

Hence proved.

$$\text{Also } \int_E (af + bg) = a \int_E f + b \int_E g$$

Hence proved.

ii) Let $f = g$ almost everywhere then
 $f - g = 0$ almost everywhere.

Consider the simple function ψ such that

$$\psi \geq f - g$$

$$\therefore \psi \geq 0 \text{ almost everywhere}$$

$$\therefore \int_E \psi \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \inf_{\psi \geq f-g} \int_E \psi \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_E (f-g) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_E f - \int_E g \geq 0 \Rightarrow \int_E f \geq \int_E g \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Also since $f = g$ almost everywhere

$$\Rightarrow g - f = 0 \text{ almost everywhere}$$

$$\text{we have } \int_E g \geq \int_E f \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\text{By (1) and (2) } \int_E f = \int_E g$$

iii) Let $f \leq g$ almost everywhere then
 $f - g \leq 0$ almost everywhere

$$\text{let } \psi \leq f - g$$

$$\Rightarrow \psi \leq 0 \text{ almost everywhere}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_E \psi \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sup_{\psi \leq f-g} \int_E \psi \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_E f - g \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_E f - \int_E g \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_E f \leq \int_E g$$

Also since $|f| \geq f$

$$|f| - f \geq 0$$

$$\int_E (|f| - f) \geq 0$$

$$\int_E |f| - \int_E f \geq 0$$

$$\int_E |f| \geq \int_E f$$

Also,

$$\int_E |f| \geq -\int_E f$$

$$\int_E |f| \geq \left| \int_E f \right|$$

$$\text{ie) } \left| \int_E f \right| \leq \int_E |f|$$

iv) Let $A \leq f(x) \leq B$

To prove:- $A \cdot mE \leq \int_E f \leq B \cdot mE$

given:- $A \leq f(x) \leq B$

$$\int_E A \leq \int_E f(x) \leq \int_E B$$

$$\int_E A dx \Rightarrow \int_E A \chi_E dx \Rightarrow A \int_E \chi_E dx = A mE$$

$$\text{Similarly } \int_E B dx \Rightarrow \int_E B \chi_E dx \Rightarrow B \int_E \chi_E dx \Rightarrow B mE$$

$$\therefore A mE \leq \int_E f \leq B mE$$

Hence proved.

$$\text{v) } \int_{A \cup B} f = \int_A f + \int_B f \quad (\text{To prove})$$

If A and B are disjoint measurable sets.

$$\chi_{A \cup B} = \chi_A + \chi_B - \chi_{A \cap B} = \chi_A + \chi_B$$

Since A and B are disjoint sets

$$A \cap B = \emptyset \text{ and } \chi_{A \cap B} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{A \cup B} f dx &= \int f \chi_{A \cup B} dx \\ &= \int f (\chi_A + \chi_B) dx \\ &= \int f \chi_A dx + \int f \chi_B dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{A \cup B} f dx = \int_A f dx + \int_B f dx$$

Hence proved.

5M15) Proposition :- Bounded convergence theorem ^{able functions}

Let $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of measurable ~~functions~~ defined on a set E of finite measure and suppose that there is a real number M such that $|f_n(x)| \leq M \quad \forall n \text{ and } \forall x$

If $f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x)$ for each x in E then $\int_E f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n$

Proof :-

Since f_n is measurable ^{for} every n and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n$ are measurable.

Also $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n = f$ is measurable.

$$|f(x)| = \left| \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) \right|$$

$$\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |f_n(x)|$$

$$\leq M \quad (\because f \text{ is bounded})$$

Thus f_n is a sequence of bounded measurable function converging pointwise to the bounded measurable function f on E .

So, by Littlewood's third principle given $\epsilon > 0$ there exist $A \subseteq E$ such that $m A < \delta$

(taking $\delta = \frac{\epsilon}{4M}$) and positive integer N such that

for $n \geq N$ and $x \in E - A$.

$$|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \frac{\epsilon}{2M}$$

$$\text{Now, } |f_n(x) - f(x)| \leq |f_n(x)| + |f(x)| \quad (\because |f_n(x)| \leq M) \\ x \in A \quad \leq 2M \quad \forall x \in A$$

$$\left| \int_E f_n(x) - \int_E f \right| = \left| \int_E f_n - f \right|$$

$$\leq \int_E |f_n - f|$$

$$= \int_{E-A} |f_n - f| + \int_A |f_n - f|$$

$$< \int_{E-A} \frac{\epsilon_1}{2ME} + \int_A 2M dx$$

$$\leq \frac{\epsilon_1}{2ME} \int_{E-A} 1 + 2M \int_A 1$$

$$= \frac{\epsilon_1}{2ME} m(E-A) + 2M m(A)$$

$$\leq \frac{\epsilon_1}{2ME} m(E) + 2M \delta$$

$$= \frac{\epsilon_1}{2ME} mE - \frac{\epsilon_1}{2ME} m(A) + 2M m(A)$$

$$= \frac{\epsilon_1}{2} - \left(\frac{\epsilon_1}{2ME} - 2M \right) m(A) \leq \frac{\epsilon_1}{2} + 2M \left(\frac{\epsilon_1}{4M} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\epsilon_1}{2} + \frac{\epsilon_1}{2}$$

$$\because E-A \subseteq E$$

$$m(E-A) \leq mE$$

$$= \epsilon_1$$

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$$\therefore \left| \int_E f_n - f \right| < \epsilon_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \int f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int f_n$$

Hence the proof.] 5M(S)

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Integral of non-negative function :-

If f is a non-negative measurable function defined on a measurable set E , we define

$\int_E f = \sup_{h \leq f} \int_E h$ where h is a bounded measurable function such that $m\{x: h(x) \neq 0\}$ is finite.

Proposition :-

If f and g are non-negative measurable function, then

$$(i) \int_E cf = c \int_E f \quad c > 0$$

$$(ii) \int_E f + g = \int_E f + \int_E g$$

$$(iii) \text{ If } f \leq g \text{ almost everywhere } \int_E f \leq \int_E g$$

Proof :-

i) To prove :-

$$\int_E cf = c \int_E f \quad c > 0$$

Let h be a bounded measurable function which vanishes outside the finite set and $h \leq f$

$$\text{Now } \int_E cf = \sup_{ch \leq cf} \int_E ch$$

$$= c \sup_{h \leq f} \int_E h$$

$$= c \int_E f$$

ii) To prove :-

$$\int_E (f+g) = \int_E f + \int_E g$$

Let h and k be two bounded measurable functions vanishes outside a set of finite measure

And $h \leq f$ and $k \leq g$

Also $m\{x: h(x) \neq 0\} < \infty$ and

$m\{x: k(x) \neq 0\} < \infty$

$$\therefore h+k \leq f+g$$

$$\int_E (h+k) \leq \int_E (f+g)$$

$$\int_E h + \int_E k \leq \int_E (f+g)$$

$$\sup_{h \leq f} \int_E h + \sup_{k \leq g} \int_E k \leq \int_E (f+g)$$

$$\int_E f + \int_E g \leq \int_E (f+g) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Let l be a bounded measurable function which vanishes outside the set of finite measure and $l \leq (f+g)$

Also $m\{x: l(x) \neq 0\} < \infty$

Define $h(x) = \min\{l(x), f(x)\}$

$$k(x) = l(x) - h(x) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

h and k are measurable functions

Also $h(x) \leq f(x)$ and $k(x) \leq g(x)$

$$h(x) + k(x) \leq f(x) + g(x)$$

Also from (2) $h(x) + k(x) = l(x)$

If $h(x) = f(x)$, $k(x) \leq g(x)$

If $h(x) = l(x)$ then $k(x) = 0$

$$\text{ii) } k(x) \leq g(x)$$

Since g is non negative we have $k(x) \leq g(x)$

$$\int_E l(x) = \int_E (h(x) + k(x))$$

$$= \int_E h(x) + \int_E k(x)$$

$$\sup_{l \leq (f+g)} \int_E l = \sup_{h \leq f} \int_E h + \sup_{k \leq g} \int_E k$$

$$\int_E (f+g) \leq \int_E f + \int_E g$$

$$\int_E f + \int_E g \geq \int_E (f+g) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\text{From (1) and (3), } \int_E (f+g) = \int_E f + \int_E g$$

iii) Since $f \leq g$ almost everywhere and the integral over a set of measure zero is zero. We can assume $f \leq g$ everywhere*.

Let h be a bounded measurable function which vanishes outside a set of measure zero

Also $h \leq f$ and $f \leq g \Rightarrow h \leq g$

$$\therefore \sup_{h \leq f} \int_E h \leq \sup_{h \leq g} \int_E h \Rightarrow \int_E f \leq \int_E g$$

Hence proved.

Theorem :- Fatou's lemma

[If $\{f_n\}$ is a sequence of non-negative measurable functions and $f_n(x) \rightarrow f(x)$ almost everywhere on a set E , then

$$\int_E f \leq \liminf_E \int f_n]$$

Proof :-

Since the integral over a set of measure zero is zero, we may assume that $f_n \rightarrow f$ everywhere

$$\therefore m\{x : f_n(x) \not\rightarrow f(x)\} = 0$$

Let h be a bounded measurable function defined on E which is not greater than f and which vanishes outside a set E of finite measure.

$$\text{ie) } h \leq f$$

$$\text{and } mE = m\{x \in E : h(x) \neq 0\} < \infty$$

$$\text{Define } h_n(x) = \min\{h(x), f_n(x)\}$$

clearly $h_n(x)$ is measurable and $h_n(x) \leq h(x)$ for every n .

Also ' h_n ' is bounded and vanishes outside E .

$$\text{Also } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} h_n(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \min\{h(x), f_n(x)\}$$

$$= \min\{h(x), \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x)\}$$

$$= \min\{h(x), f(x)\}$$

$$= h(x)$$

$$\therefore h_n(x) \rightarrow h(x)$$

Thus the sequence $\{h_n\}$ is a sequence of bounded measurable functions converging to the bounded measurable function ' h ' and vanishes outside E .

$\therefore$ By Bounded convergence theorem

$$\int_E h = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E h_n$$

$$\int_E h = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E h_n \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n \quad \because h_n \leq f_n$$

and outside E , h vanishes

$$\text{Thus } \int_E h \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n$$

$$\sup_{h \leq f} \int_E h \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n \Rightarrow \int_E f \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n$$

Hence proved.]

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Monotone convergence Theorem :-

Let $\{f_n\}$ be an increasing sequence of non-negative measurable functions and let $f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n$ almost everywhere, then

$$\int_E f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n \quad] \quad 2M(S)$$

Proof :-

Since $\{f_n\}$ is a sequence of non-negative measurable function converging to f , we have by Fatou's lemma

$$\int_E f \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n \quad \text{--- ①}$$

As $\{f_n\}$ is a increasing sequence of non-negative measurable functions converging to f , we have $f_n \leq f \quad \forall n$

$$\int_E f_n \leq \int_E f$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n \leq \int_E f \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$\text{From ① and ②} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n \leq \int_E f \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n$$

$$\text{But } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n = \int_E f \quad] \quad 5M(S)$$

Corollary :-

Let $\{u_n\}$ be a sequence of non-negative measurable functions and let $f = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$, then $\int_E f = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_E u_n$

Proof :-

$$\text{Let } f_n = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i$$

Since u_i 's are measurable, f_n is measurable.

Also f_n is non-negative since each u_i is non-negative.

$$\text{Also } f_n \leq f_{n+1}$$

$$\text{ie) } f_n = u_1 + u_2 + \dots + u_n \leq u_1 + u_2 + \dots + u_n + u_{n+1} = f_{n+1}$$

$\therefore \{f_n\}$ is an increasing sequence.

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n = f$ (by monotone convergence Theorem)

$$\text{ie) } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$$

$$\int_E f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E \sum_{i=1}^n u_i$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \int_E u_i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \int_E u_i$$

Hence the proof.

Proposition :-

Let f be a non-negative function and $\{E_i\}$ a disjoint sequence of measurable sets. Let

$$E = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} E_i. \text{ Then } \int_E f = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \int_{E_i} f$$

Proof :-

$$\text{Let } f_i = f \chi_{E_i}$$

Since each E_i is measurable f_i is measurable.

Since f is non-negative, each f_i is non-negative.
 Now $f \chi_E = f \chi_{\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} E_i}$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} f \chi_{E_i}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} f_i$$

By above corollary

$$\int_E f \chi_E = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \int_E f_i$$

$$\int_E f \chi_E = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \int_E f \chi_{E_i} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \int_{E_i} f \chi_{E_i}$$

$$\int_E f = \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{E_i} f$$

Hence the proof.

Definition :- Integrable

A non-negative measurable function f is called integrable over the measurable set E if $\int_E f < \infty$

Proposition :-

Let f and g be two non-negative measurable functions. If f is integrable over E and $g(x) < f(x)$ on E , then g is also integrable on E and

$$\int_E (f - g) = \int_E f - \int_E g$$

Proof :-

$$\text{Let } f = (f - g) + g$$

$f - g$ and g are non-negative

$$\int_E f = \int_E ((f - g) + g)$$

$$= \int_E (f - g) + \int_E g$$

$$\text{Since } \int_E f < \infty, \int_E (f - g) + \int_E g < \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_E g < \infty$$

$\therefore g$ is integrable.
Hence proved.

Proposition :-

Let f be a non-negative function which is integrable over a set E . Then given $\epsilon > 0$ there is a $\delta > 0$ such that for every set $A \subseteq E$ with $m A < \delta$ we have $\int_A f < \epsilon$

Proof :-

Case (i) :- ' f ' is bounded

As f is bounded, let $|f| \leq M$

Then given $\epsilon > 0$ if $\delta = \frac{\epsilon}{M}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \int_A f dx &\leq M \int_A dx = M \cdot m A < M \delta \\ &< \cancel{M} \cdot \frac{\epsilon}{\cancel{M}} \\ &< \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_A f dx < \epsilon$$

Hence proved.

Case (ii) :- If ' f ' is unbounded

$$\text{Let } f_n(x) = \min(f(x), n)$$

$$\text{ie) } f_n(x) = \begin{cases} f(x) & \text{if } f(x) \leq n \\ n & \text{if } f(x) > n \end{cases}$$

Then each f_n is measurable

If $f(x) < n$

$$f_n(x) = f(x)$$

$$\leq f_{n+1}(x) \quad [\text{As } f(x) < n < n+1]$$

If $f(x) > n$

$$f_n(x) = n$$

And $f_{n+1}(x) = n+1$ (if $f(x) > n+1$)

$$f_n(x) = n < n+1 = f_{n+1}(x)$$

$$\text{Thus } f_n(x) \leq f_{n+1}(x) \quad \forall n$$

$$f_n(x) \leq f(x) \quad \forall n$$

$$(\because f_n(x) = n \text{ and } f(x) > n)$$

Thus $\{f_n\}$ is a sequence of non-negative measurable functions converging to f . Also f_n is a increasing sequence.

By Monotone converging theorem

$$\int_E f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n.$$

There exist a positive integer N such that

$$\left| \int_E f - \int_E f_n \right| < \frac{\epsilon}{2} \text{ for } n \geq N. \text{ In particular}$$

$$\left| \int_E f - \int_E f_n \right| < \frac{\epsilon}{2} \Rightarrow \left| \int_E (f - f_n) \right| < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

Since f is integrable and $f_n \leq f$ on E $\int_E (f - f_n) < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$

Let $A \subseteq E$ with $m A < \delta = \frac{\epsilon}{2N}$. Now

$$\begin{aligned} \int_A f &= \int_A (f - f_n) + \int_A f_n = \int_A (f - f_n) + \int_A f_n \leq \frac{\epsilon}{2} + N \int_A dx \\ &\leq \frac{\epsilon}{2} + N m A < \frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2} < \epsilon \\ \therefore \int_A f &< \epsilon \text{ Hence proved.} \end{aligned}$$

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The general Lebesgue Integral :-

Definition :-

Let f be any real function. Then the positive part f^+ of the function f is defined by $f^+ = \max(f, 0)$ and negative part f^- of f is defined by $f^- = \max(-f, 0)$
 $= -\min(f, 0)$

If f is measurable, then f^+ and f^- are also measurable and $f = f^+ - f^-$.

$$\text{Also } |f| = f^+ + f^-$$

Definition :-

A measurable function f is said to be integrable if f^+ and f^- are both integrable over E . In this case, we define

$$\int_E f = \int_E f^+ - \int_E f^-$$

Proposition :-

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Let f and g be integrable over E , then
i) the function ' cf ' is integrable over E
and $\int_E cf = c \int_E f$

ii) the function $(f+g)$ is integrable over E
and $\int_E (f+g) = \int_E f + \int_E g$

iii) if $f \leq g$ almost everywhere $\int_E f \leq \int_E g$

iv) if A and B are disjoint measurable sets contained in E then $\int_{A \cup B} f = \int_A f + \int_B f$

Proof :-

i) Suppose $c = 0$ then $cf = 0$ and hence $\int cf = 0$

$$\text{Also } c \int f = 0 \Rightarrow \int_E cf = c \int_E f$$

Suppose $c > 0$

$$(cf)^+ = \max(cf, 0) = c \max(f, 0) = cf^+$$

$$(cf)^- = \max(-cf, 0) = c \max(-f, 0) = cf^-$$

$$\int_E cf = \int_E (cf)^+ - \int_E (cf)^-$$

$$= c \int_E f^+ - c \int_E f^-$$

$$= c \left[\int_E f^+ - \int_E f^- \right]$$

$$= c \int_E f$$

Suppose $c < 0$

$$(cf)^+ = \max(cf, 0) = -c \max(-f, 0) = (-c)(f^-)$$

$$(cf)^- = \max(-cf, 0) = -c \max(f, 0) = (-c)(f^+)$$

$$\int_E cf = \int_E (cf)^+ - \int_E (cf)^-$$

$$= -c \int_E f^- - \int_E (-c) f^+$$

$$= -c \int_E f^- + c \int_E f^+$$

$$\int_E cf = c \left[\int_E f^+ - \int_E f^- \right] = c \int_E f$$

$$\therefore \int (cf) = c \int f \quad \forall c$$

ii) If f_1 and f_2 are any two non-negative integrable functions such that $f = f_1 - f_2$ then $\int f = \int f_1 - \int f_2$

Proof :-

$$\text{Given } f = f_1 - f_2$$

$$\text{But } f = f^+ - f^-$$

$$\therefore f_1 - f_2 = f^+ - f^-$$

$$f_1 + f^- = f_2 + f^+$$

Taking integral on both sides

$$\int f_2 + \int f^- = \int f_1 + \int f^+$$

Since f^+, f^-, f_1 and f_2 are non-negative functions

$$\int f_2 + \int f^- = \int f_1 + \int f^+$$

$$\therefore \int f^+ - \int f^- = \int f_1 - \int f_2$$

$$\therefore \int f = \int f_1 - \int f_2 = \int f^+ - \int f^-$$

Now since f and g are integrable $f = f^+ - f^-$
 $g = g^+ - g^-$

$$\therefore f + g = (f^+ - f^-) + (g^+ - g^-)$$

$$= (f^+ + g^+) - (f^- + g^-)$$

Here f^+, f^-, g^+ and g^- are all non-negative and integrable.

$(f^+ + g^+), (f^- + g^-)$ are also non-negative and integrable.

$$\text{put } f^+ + g^+ = f_1 \quad f^- + g^- = f_2$$

$$\therefore f + g = f_1 - f_2$$

By previous result

$$\int (f + g) = \int f_1 - \int f_2$$

$$= \int (f^+ + g^+) - \int (f^- + g^-)$$

$$= \int f^+ + \int g^+ - \int f^- - \int g^-$$

$$= \int f^+ - \int f^- + \int g^+ - \int g^-$$

$$\int (f + g) = \int f + \int g$$

iii) If $f \leq g$ almost everywhere
 $\Rightarrow f - g \leq 0$ almost everywhere
 $\Rightarrow g - f \geq 0$ almost everywhere
 $\int_E (g - f) \geq 0$ almost everywhere

By the above property $\int_E g - \int_E f \geq 0$
 $\int g \geq \int f$
 $\Rightarrow \int f \leq \int g$

iv) $\int_{A \cup B} f = \int f \chi_{A \cup B} = \int f(\chi_A + \chi_B) = \int f \chi_A + \int f \chi_B$
 $= \int_A f + \int_B f$

Result :-

f is integrable iff $|f|$ is integrable.

Proof :-

If f is integrable then both f^+ and f^- are integrable and $|f| = f^+ + f^-$

$\therefore |f|$ is integrable.

Similarly converse part is also true.

Dominated Lebesgue convergence Theorem :-

Let g be integrable over E and let $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of measurable functions such that $|f_n| \leq g$ on E and for almost all x in E we have $f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x)$.

Then $\int_E f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n$

Proof :-

Since g is integrable and $|f_n| \leq g$ we have $|f_n|$ is integrable.

Hence f_n is integrable.

Now $|f(x)| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |f_n(x)|$ almost everywhere
 $\leq g(x)$ almost everywhere.

$\therefore |f|$ is integrable and f is integrable.

$$\text{Now } g \geq |f_n| = \begin{cases} f_n & \text{if } f_n \geq 0 \\ -f_n & \text{if } f_n \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

consider $g - f_n$, then $g - f_n \geq 0$
 $g - f_n \xrightarrow{\rightarrow} g - f$ almost everywhere

$$\begin{aligned} |f_n| &\leq g \\ 0 &\leq g - |f_n| \\ g - |f_n| &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

By Fatou's lemma

$$\begin{aligned} \int g - f &\leq \liminf \int g - f_n \\ &\leq \liminf (\int g - \int f_n) \end{aligned}$$

$$\int g - \int f \leq \int g - \liminf \int f_n$$

Since g is integrable

$$\int f \geq \liminf \int f_n \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Consider $g + f_n$ then $g + f_n \geq 0$ and
 $g + f_n \rightarrow g + f$ almost everywhere.

Again by Fatou's lemma

$$\int g + f \leq \liminf \int (g + f_n)$$

$$\int g + \int f \leq \liminf (\int g + \int f_n)$$

$$\leq \int g + \liminf \int f_n \quad (\text{since } g \text{ is integrable})$$

$$\therefore \int f \leq \liminf \int f_n \quad \text{--- ②}$$

From ① and ②

$$\liminf \int f_n \leq \int f \leq \liminf \int f_n$$

$$\text{But } \liminf \int f_n \geq \liminf \int f_n$$

$$\therefore \liminf \int f_n = \int f = \liminf \int f_n$$

$$\therefore \int f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int f_n$$

Hence proved.] 10M (5)

Generalisation of Lebesgue convergence Theorem :-

Let $\{g_n\}$ be a sequence of integrable functions which converges almost everywhere to an integrable function g . Let $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of measurable functions such that

$|f_n| \leq g_n$ and $\{f_n\}$ converges to f almost everywhere. If $\int g = \lim \int g_n$.

Then $\int f = \lim \int f_n$

Proof :-

Clearly ' f_n ' is integrable, since g_n are integrable.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Also } |f| &= |\lim f_n| \text{ almost everywhere} \\ &= \lim |f_n| \\ &\leq \lim g_n \\ &= g \text{ almost everywhere}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore |f| \leq g \text{ almost everywhere.}$$

$\therefore |f|$ is integrable.

Hence f is integrable.

$$\text{Now } g_n \geq |f_n| = \begin{cases} f_n & \text{if } f_n \geq 0 \\ -f_n & \text{if } f_n \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

Consider $g_n - f_n$. If $f_n \geq 0$ then $g_n - f_n \geq 0$

$$\text{Also } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (g_n - f_n) = g - f \text{ almost everywhere.}$$

By Fatou's lemma

$$\begin{aligned}\int g - f &\leq \underline{\lim} \int (g_n - f_n) \\ &\leq \underline{\lim} \int g_n + \underline{\lim} (-\int f_n) \\ &\leq \underline{\lim} \int g_n - \overline{\lim} \int f_n \\ -\int f &\leq -\overline{\lim} \int f_n \\ \int f &\geq \underline{\lim} \int f_n \quad \text{--- ①}\end{aligned}$$

Consider $g_n + f_n$ for $f_n \leq 0$

$$g_n + f_n \geq 0$$

$$g_n + f_n \rightarrow g + f \text{ almost everywhere}$$

By Fatou's lemma

$$\begin{aligned}\int (g + f) &\leq \underline{\lim} \int (g_n + f_n) \\ &\leq \underline{\lim} \int g_n + \underline{\lim} \int f_n\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \int f \leq \underline{\lim} \int f_n \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$\underline{\lim} \int f_n \leq \int f \leq \underline{\lim} \int f_n$$

$$\text{But } \underline{\lim} \int f_n \geq \underline{\lim} \int f_n$$

$$\underline{\lim} \int f_n = \int f = \underline{\lim} \int f_n$$

$$\therefore \int f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int f_n$$

Hence proved.

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Convergence in Measure :-

Definition :-

A sequence $\{f_n\}$ of measurable functions defined on a measurable set E is said to converge in measure to a measurable function f , if given $\epsilon > 0$, there exists a positive integer N such that for $n \geq N$ we have

$$m\{x : |f(x) - f_n(x)| \geq \epsilon\} \leq \epsilon \quad [2M(S)]$$

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Proposition :-

Let $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of measurable functions defined on E that converges in measure to f , then there is a subsequence $\{f_{n_k}\}$ of f_n which converges to f almost everywhere in E .

Proof :-

For each positive v , find an n such that

$$m\{x : |f_n(x) - f(x)| \geq \frac{1}{2^v}\} < \frac{1}{2^v} \quad \epsilon = \frac{1}{2^v}$$

$$\text{Let } E_v = \{x : |f_{n_v}(x) - f(x)| \geq \frac{1}{2^v}\}$$

Since f_n and f are measurable, we have E_v as measurable set

$$\text{Let } f_k = \bigcup_{v=k}^{\infty} E_v$$

$$\text{If } x \notin f_k, x \notin E_v \quad \forall v \geq k$$

$$\text{If } x \notin f_k \text{ then } \forall n \geq k$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_{n_v} = f \quad \text{if } x \notin f_k \quad m\{x : |f(x) - f_n(x)| \geq \epsilon\} < \epsilon$$

$$\text{Let } A = \bigcap_{k=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{v=k}^{\infty} E_v \quad m\{x : |f_{n_k}(x) - f(x)| \geq \epsilon\} < \epsilon$$

$$A \subset \bigcup_{v=k}^{\infty} E_v$$

$$m A \leq m\left(\bigcup_{v=k}^{\infty} E_v\right) \leq \sum_{v=k}^{\infty} m E_v$$

$$< \sum_{v=k}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^v} \quad \text{if } x \in A$$

$$< \frac{1}{2^{k-1}} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } k \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\therefore m A = 0 \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_{n_k} = f \text{ almost everywhere.}$$

Hence proved.] ^{5M(S)}