

eg 8.1.2 (d) $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, |F_n(x) - F(x)| \leq \frac{1}{n} < \varepsilon \quad (\Rightarrow n > \frac{1}{\varepsilon})$

Only need to choose $K(\varepsilon) = \lceil \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \rceil + 1$

which is independent of x and works for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

Def 8.1.4 (Uniform Convergence)

A seq. $f_n: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ converges uniformly on $A_0 \subseteq A$ to a function

$$f: A_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

if $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists K(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$ (depends on ε , but not on $x \in A_0$)

s.t. if $n \geq K(\varepsilon)$, then

$$|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \varepsilon, \quad \forall x \in A_0.$$

Remarks: (i) In this case, we say that

(f_n) is uniformly convergent on A_0 , and denoted by

- $f_n \rightrightarrows f$ on A_0 or

- $f_n(x) \rightrightarrows f(x)$ for $x \in A_0$

(Or in some other books, $f_n \rightarrow f$ uniformly on A_0)

(ii) uniform convergence \Rightarrow pointwise convergence

i.e. " $f_n \rightrightarrows f$ on A_0 " \Rightarrow " $f_n \rightarrow f$ on A_0 "

(Easy from the definitions)

Lemma 8.15: $f_n: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ does not converge uniformly on $A_0 \subseteq A$ to

$$f: A_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$\Leftrightarrow \exists$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \bullet \varepsilon_0 > 0, \\ \bullet \text{ a subsequence } (f_{n_k}) \text{ of } (f_n), \text{ and} \\ \bullet \text{ a seq. } x_k \in A_0 \end{array} \right.$

such that $|f_{n_k}(x_k) - f(x_k)| \geq \varepsilon_0, \forall k=1,2,3,\dots$

Pf: Negation of Def. 8.1.4:

$\exists \varepsilon_0 > 0$, such that $\forall k (=K(\varepsilon_0)) \in \mathbb{N}$,

the statement

"if $n \geq k$, then $|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \varepsilon_0, \forall x \in A_0$ "

doesn't hold.

i.e. $\exists n_k (\geq k) \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t.

" $|f_{n_k}(x) - f(x)| < \varepsilon_0, \forall x \in A_0$ " doesn't hold.

$\therefore \exists x_k \in A_0$ s.t. $|f_{n_k}(x_k) - f(x_k)| \geq \varepsilon_0$

All together, $\exists \varepsilon_0 > 0, (f_{n_k})$ subseq & $(x_k) \subset A_0$ s.t.

$$|f_{n_k}(x_k) - f(x_k)| \geq \varepsilon_0. \quad \times$$

Eg 8.1.6

(a) eg 8.1.2 (a) $f_n(x) = \frac{x}{n}$, $f(x) = 0$ ($A_0 = \mathbb{R}$)

Consider $n_k = k$, $x_k = k \in \mathbb{R}$. Then

$$|f_{n_k}(x_k) - f(x_k)| = \left| \frac{x_k}{n_k} - 0 \right| = \left| \frac{k}{k} \right| = 1$$

\therefore Choosing $\epsilon_0 = 1$, then Lemma 8.1.5 $\Rightarrow f_n \not\rightarrow f$ on \mathbb{R}

(b) eg 8.1.2 (b) $g_n(x) = x^n$, $g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & |x| < 1 \\ 1, & x = 1 \end{cases}$, $A_0 = (-1, 1]$

Consider $n_k = k$, $x_k = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{1/k}$ ($|x_k| < 1$)

$$\text{Then } |g_{n_k}(x_k) - g(x_k)| = \left| \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{1/k}\right]^k - 0 \right| = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \forall k$$

Choosing $\epsilon_0 = \frac{1}{2}$, Lemma 8.1.5 $\Rightarrow x^n \not\rightarrow g$ on $(-1, 1]$.

(c) eg 8.1.2 (c) $h_n(x) = \frac{x^2 + nx}{n}$, $h(x) = x$, $A_0 = \mathbb{R}$

Consider $n_k = k$, $x_k = -k$,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } |h_{n_k}(x_k) - h(x_k)| &= \left| \frac{(x_k)^2 + n_k x_k}{n_k} - x_k \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{(-k)^2 + k \cdot (-k)}{k} - (-k) \right| \\ &= k \geq 1 \quad (\rightarrow \infty) \end{aligned}$$

Choosing $\epsilon_0 = 1$, Lemma 8.1.5 $\Rightarrow h_n \not\rightarrow h$ on \mathbb{R} .

Def 8.1.7 (Uniform Norm) (supnorm in some other books)

If $\varphi: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is bounded on A (i.e. $\varphi(A)$ is a bounded subset of \mathbb{R}),

then we define the uniform norm of φ on A by

$$\|\varphi\|_A = \sup \{ |\varphi(x)| : x \in A \}.$$

Remark: $\|\varphi\|_A \leq \varepsilon \Leftrightarrow |\varphi(x)| \leq \varepsilon, \forall x \in A$.

Lemma 8.1.8: $f_n \Rightarrow f$ on $A \Leftrightarrow \|f_n - f\|_A \rightarrow 0$.

Pf: (\Rightarrow) $f_n \Rightarrow f$ on A .

By Def 8.1.4, $\forall \varepsilon > 0$, $\exists K(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}) \in \mathbb{N}$

s.t. if $n \geq K(\frac{\varepsilon}{2})$, then

$$|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}, \forall x \in A$$

$\therefore \forall \varepsilon > 0$, $\exists N(\varepsilon) = K(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}) \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t. if $n \geq N(\varepsilon)$

$$\|f_n - f\|_A \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2} < \varepsilon \quad (\text{by remark above})$$

i.e. $\|f_n - f\|_A \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

(\Leftarrow) If $\|f_n - f\|_A \rightarrow 0$. Then $\forall \varepsilon > 0$, $\exists K(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t.

if $n \geq K(\varepsilon)$, $\|f_n - f\|_A < \varepsilon$.

$$\Rightarrow |f_n(x) - f(x)| < \varepsilon, \forall x \in A.$$

$\therefore f_n \Rightarrow f$ on A . ~~✗~~

Eg 8.1.9

(a) eg 8.1.2(a), $f_n(x) = \frac{x}{n}$ on \mathbb{R} , $f(x) = 0$, on \mathbb{R} .

$f_n(x) - f(x) = \frac{x}{n}$ is unbounded, $\|f_n - f\|_{\mathbb{R}}$ is not defined.

However, if one considers only on the interval $A = [0, 1]$.

Then $f_n(x) - f(x) = \frac{x}{n}$ is bounded on $[0, 1]$,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } \|f_n - f\|_{[0,1]} &= \sup \left\{ \left| \frac{x}{n} \right| : x \in [0, 1] \right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \quad (\rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore f_n|_{[0,1]} \Rightarrow \underset{f}{0} \text{ on } [0, 1]$$

(in fact $f_n \Rightarrow f$ on any bounded subset, but $\not\Rightarrow$ on unbounded subset)

(b) eg 8.1.2(b), consider only on $[0, 1] \subseteq A_0$. $A_0 = (-1, 1]$

Then $g_n(x) = x^n$, $g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 1, & x = 1 \end{cases}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \|g_n - g\|_{[0,1]} &= \sup \left\{ |g_n(x) - g(x)| : x \in [0, 1] \right\} \\ &= \sup \left\{ |x^n - g(x)| = \begin{cases} x^n, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 0, & x = 1 \end{cases} \right\} \\ &= 1 \quad (\text{since } x^n \rightarrow 1 \text{ as } x \rightarrow 1^-) \end{aligned}$$

$\|g_n - g\|_{[0,1]} \not\rightarrow 0$, $\therefore g_n \not\Rightarrow g$ on $[0, 1]$.

(c) eg 8.1.2 (c). $f_n(x) = \frac{x^2 + nx}{n}$, $f(x) = x$ on \mathbb{R}

But $f_n(x) - f(x) = \frac{x^2}{n}$ is not bounded on \mathbb{R} .

$\therefore \|f_n - f\|_{\mathbb{R}}$ doesn't define

But $f_n(x) - f(x) = \frac{x^2}{n}$ is bounded on $[0, 8]$, and

$$\|f_n - f\|_{[0, 8]} = \sup \left\{ \left| \frac{x^2}{n} \right|, x \in [0, 8] \right\} = \frac{64}{n}$$

$\rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$\therefore f_n \Rightarrow f$ on $[0, 8]$ (but not on \mathbb{R})

(d) eg 8.1.2 (d) $F_n(x) = \frac{1}{n} \sin(n(x+1))$, $F(x) = 0$ on \mathbb{R} .

$$|F_n(x) - F(x)| \leq \frac{1}{n}, \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|F_n - F\|_{\mathbb{R}} \leq \frac{1}{n} \quad (\text{in fact } \|F_n - F\| = \frac{1}{n} \text{ (Ex!)})$$

$\rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$\therefore F_n \Rightarrow F$ on \mathbb{R} .

(e) $A = [0, 1]$, $G_n(x) = x^n(1-x)$.

Clearly $G_n(x) \rightarrow 0 \quad \forall x \in [0, 1]$ (Ex!)

$\therefore G_n$ converges pointwisely to $G(x) \equiv 0$ on $A = [0, 1]$.

To see whether G_n converges uniformly to G on $[0, 1]$,

we calculate $\|G_n - G\|_{[0, 1]}$:

$$\forall x \in [0,1], \quad |G_n(x) - G(x)| = x^n(1-x) \geq 0$$

which is 0 at $x=0,1$.

\therefore For interior max: $x \neq 0,1$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= (x^n(1-x))' = nx^{n-1}(1-x) - x^n \\ &= x^{n-1}(n - (n+1)x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{n}{n+1} \quad (\text{only critical pt, hence "maximum"})$$

$G(x) \geq 0$ on $[0,1]$
& $G(0)=G(1)=0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } \|G_n - G\|_{[0,1]} &= \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^n \left(1 - \frac{n}{n+1}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n} \cdot \frac{1}{n+1} \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = e$, we have

$$\|G_n - G\|_{[0,1]} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

$\therefore G_n$ converges uniformly to G on $[0,1]$. #

Thm 8.1.10 (Cauchy Criterion for Uniform Convergence)

Let f_n be a seq. of bounded functions on A . Then

f_n converges uniformly to a bounded function f on A

$$\iff \forall \epsilon > 0, \exists H(\epsilon) \in \mathbb{N} \text{ s.t. } \forall m, n \geq H(\epsilon),$$

$$\|f_m - f_n\|_A < \epsilon.$$

Pf: (\Rightarrow) f_n converges uniformly to f on A (both f_n, f bdd)

$$\Rightarrow \|f_n - f\|_A \rightarrow 0 \quad (\text{Lemma 8.1.8})$$

$\therefore \forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists K(\varepsilon/2) \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t.

if $n \geq K(\varepsilon/2)$, then $\|f_n - f\|_A < \varepsilon/2$.

Hence letting $H(\varepsilon) = K(\varepsilon/2)$, we have

$$\forall m, n \geq H(\varepsilon), \quad \|f_n - f\|_A < \varepsilon/2 \approx \|f_m - f\|_A < \varepsilon/2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|f_m - f_n\|_A = \sup\{|f_m(x) - f_n(x)| : x \in A\}$$

$$\leq \sup\{|f_m(x) - f(x)| + |f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in A\}$$

$$\leq \sup\{|f_m(x) - f(x)| : x \in A\}$$

$$+ \sup\{|f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in A\}$$

$$= \|f_m - f\|_A + \|f_n - f\|_A < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon$$

(\Leftarrow) Conversely, if $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists H(\varepsilon) > 0$ s.t.

$$\forall m, n \geq H(\varepsilon), \quad \|f_m - f_n\|_A < \varepsilon.$$

$$\text{Then } \forall x \in A, \quad |f_m(x) - f_n(x)| \leq \|f_m - f_n\|_A < \varepsilon \quad (*)$$

$\Rightarrow (f_n(x))$ is a Cauchy sequence.

By completeness of \mathbb{R} (Thm 3.5.5), $f_n(x)$ is convergent.

Since the limit depends on x , we denote it by

$$f(x) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x). \quad (f(x) \text{ is the pointwise limit of } f_n(x))$$

Then letting $n \rightarrow \infty$ $\bar{m}(x)$, we have

$$|f(x) - f_n(x)| \leq \varepsilon, \quad \forall x \in A.$$

i.e. $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists H(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t.

$$\text{if } n \geq H(\varepsilon), |f(x) - f_n(x)| \leq \varepsilon, \quad \forall x \in A.$$

Since $\varepsilon > 0$ is arbitrary, this shows that f_n converges

uniformly to f on A . ~~✗~~

§ 8.2 Interchange of Limits

Eg 8.2.1

(a) (Eg 8.1.2(b)) $g_n(x) = x^n$ on $[0, 1]$

$$g_n(x) \rightarrow g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 1, & x = 1 \end{cases} \quad \text{pointwise}$$

↑
discontinuous

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow 1 \\ (x \neq 1)}} g_n(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow 1 \\ (x \neq 1)}} x^n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 1 = 1$$

$$\lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow 1 \\ (x \neq 1)}} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g_n(x) = \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow 1 \\ (x \neq 1)}} g(x) = 0 \quad (\text{since } g(x) = 0, \forall x < 1)$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow 1 \\ (x \neq 1)}} g_n(x) \neq \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow 1 \\ (x \neq 1)}} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g_n(x)$$

\therefore Can't change limits for "pointwise convergence".

(b) (same example) $g'_n(x) = n x^{n-1}$

$$g'(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ \text{doesn't exist}, & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

\therefore "Pointwise limit" of sequence of differentiable functions

may not be differentiable.

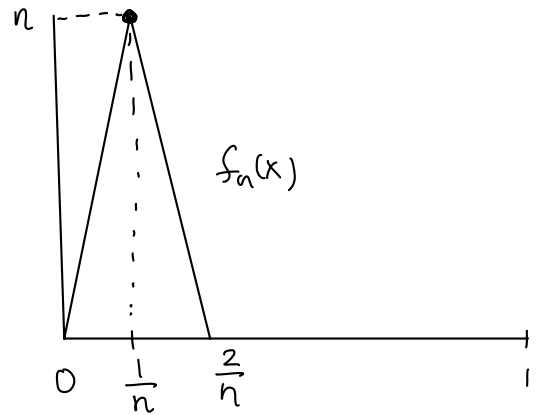
$$(c) \quad f_n(x) = \begin{cases} n^2 x & , 0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{n} \\ -n^2(x - \frac{2}{n}) & , \frac{1}{n} \leq x \leq \frac{2}{n} \\ 0 & , \frac{2}{n} \leq x \leq 1 \end{cases} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{well-defined} \\ \text{at } x = \frac{1}{n} \text{ and} \\ x = \frac{2}{n} \end{array} \right)$$

$(n \geq 2)$

It is easy to prove

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = 0, \quad \forall x \in [0, 1]$$

$\therefore f_n \rightarrow 0$ pointwisely



As f_n is cts, f_n is Riemann integrable and

$$\int_0^1 f_n = 1, \quad \forall n \geq 2.$$

$$\therefore 1 = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 f_n \neq \int_0^1 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n = 0.$$

\therefore Integral of pointwise limit \neq limit of integrals.

(d) Let $f_n(x) = 2nx e^{-nx^2}$, $x \in [0, 1]$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \int_0^1 f_n &= \int_0^1 2nx e^{-nx^2} dx = \int_0^1 (-e^{-nx^2})' dx \\ &= -e^{-nx^2} \Big|_0^1 = 1 - e^{-n} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 f_n = 1$$

$$\text{But } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 2nx e^{-nx^2} = 0 \quad \forall x \in [0, 1] \text{ (Ex!)}$$

$$\therefore \int_0^1 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n = 0 \neq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 f_n$$

Interchange of Limit and Continuity

Thm 8.2.2 Let

- $f_n = A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ seq of continuous functions
- $f = A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
- $f_n \Rightarrow f$ on A (converges uniformly)

Then f is continuous on A .

(i.e. uniform limit of continuous functions is continuous)

Pf: $f_n \Rightarrow f$ on A

$$\Leftrightarrow \|f_n - f\|_A \rightarrow 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists H = H(\frac{\varepsilon}{3}) > 0 \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\text{if } n \geq H, \|f_n - f\|_A < \frac{\varepsilon}{3}$$

" $\sup\{|f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in A\}$

Now if $c \in A$, then $\forall x \in A$

$$\begin{aligned} |f(x) - f(c)| &\leq |f(x) - f_H(x)| + |f_H(x) - f_H(c)| + |f_H(c) - f(c)| \\ &\leq \|f_H - f\|_A + |f_H(x) - f_H(c)| + \|f_H - f\|_A \\ &< \frac{2\varepsilon}{3} + |f_H(x) - f_H(c)| \end{aligned}$$

Since f_H is continuous, $\exists \delta_\varepsilon(c) > 0$ such that

$$\text{if } |x - c| < \delta_\varepsilon, \text{ then } |f_H(x) - f_H(c)| < \frac{\varepsilon}{3}.$$

Therefore, we have proved that

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists \delta_\varepsilon(c) > 0 \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\text{if } |x - c| < \delta_\varepsilon,$$

$$|f(x) - f(c)| < \frac{2\varepsilon}{3} + \frac{\varepsilon}{3} = \varepsilon$$

$\therefore f$ is continuous at c .

Since $c \in A$ is arbitrary, f is continuous on A . $\#$

Interchange of Limit and Derivative

Thm 8.23 Let

- I be a bounded interval $(a < b \text{ finite numbers, } [a, b], (a, b], [a, b), (a, b))$
- $f_n: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ seq. of functions
- $\exists x_0 \in I$ such that $f_n(x_0)$ converges as $n \rightarrow +\infty$.
- f'_n exists on I (f'_n may not be continuous)
- $f'_n \Rightarrow g$ on I for some function g (uniform convergent)

Then \exists differentiable $f: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

such that

- $f_n \Rightarrow f$ on I , and
- $f' = g \quad \left(\left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n \right)' = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f'_n \right)$

Remark: Since f'_n is not assumed to be continuous, f'_n may not be integrable and hence the Fundamental Thm of Calculus may not be applicable.

Pf: Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, f'_m & f'_n exist
 $\Rightarrow f_m - f_n$ is differentiable

Mean Value Thm \Rightarrow if $x \in I$, then

$$(f_m - f_n)(x) - (f_m - f_n)(x_0) = (f'_m - f'_n)(y)(x - x_0)$$

for some y between x & x_0 ,

where x_0 is the pt such that $(f_n(x_0))$ converges.

$$\therefore f_m(x) - f_n(x) = f_m(x_0) - f_n(x_0) + (f'_m(y) - f'_n(y))(x - x_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow |f_m(x) - f_n(x)| \leq |f_m(x_0) - f_n(x_0)| + |f'_m(y) - f'_n(y)| |x - x_0|$$

$$\leq |f_m(x_0) - f_n(x_0)| + \|f'_m - f'_n\|_I (b - a),$$

where $a < b$ are the endpoints of I .

Taking sup over $x \in I$, we have

$$\|f_m - f_n\|_I \leq |f_m(x_0) - f_n(x_0)| + \|f'_m - f'_n\|_I (b - a) \quad (*)$$

Since $f'_n \Rightarrow g$, Cauchy criterion for uniform convergence (Thm 8.1.10) implies

$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists H_1 = H\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2(b-a)}\right) \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$\|f'_m - f'_n\|_I < \frac{\varepsilon}{2(b-a)}, \quad \forall m, n \geq H_1$$

Since $(f'_n(x_0))$ converges, Cauchy criterion for convergence of sequence (Thm 3.5.5) implies

$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists H_2 = H\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right) \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$|f'_m(x_0) - f'_n(x_0)| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}, \quad \forall m, n \geq H_2$$

Hence using $(*)_1$,

$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists H = \max\{H_1, H_2\} \in \mathbb{N}$ such that if $m, n \geq H$,

$$\|f'_m - f'_n\|_I < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2(b-a)}(b-a) = \varepsilon$$

Then Cauchy Criterion for uniform convergence again implies

$$f'_m \Rightarrow f' \quad \text{for some function } f' : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

(converges uniformly to some f')

Next, we need to show that f is differentiable and

$$f' = g.$$

(To be cont'd next time)