

Real Analysis

Chapter 20. The Construction of Particular Measures

20.1. Product Measures: Fubini and Tonelli Theorems—Proofs

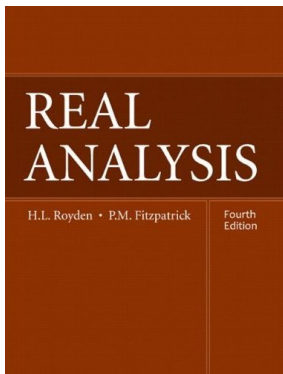


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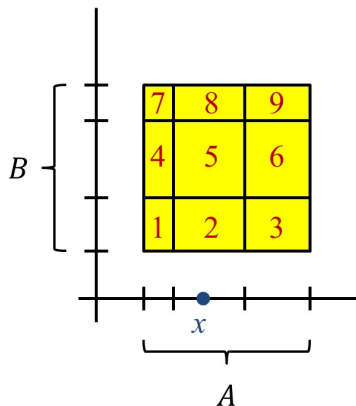
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Equivalently, we have $\nu(B) = \sum_{x \in A_k} \nu(B) \chi_{A_k}(x)$ for $x \in A$. So both for $x \in A$ and $x \notin A$ we have $\nu(B) \chi_A(x) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \nu(B_k) \chi_{A_k}(x)$ for all $x \in X$.

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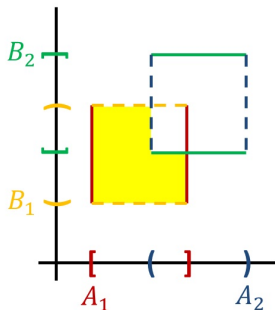
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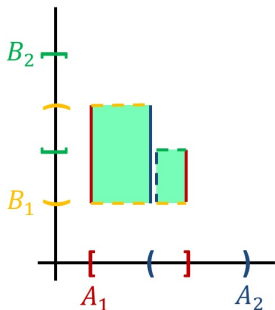
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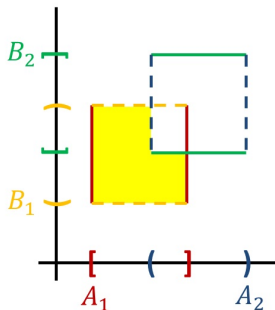
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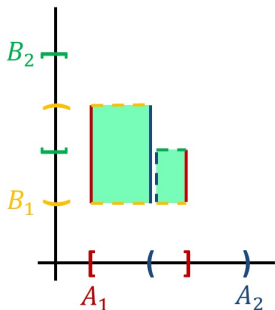
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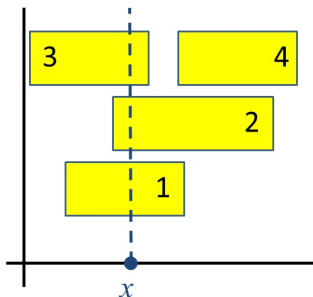
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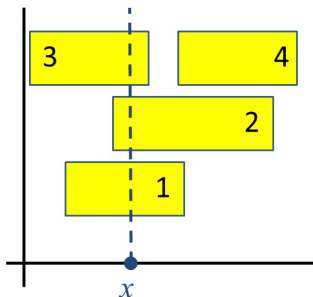
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$$x \mapsto \left(\text{the integral of } f(x, \cdot) \text{ over } Y \text{ with respect to } \nu \right)$$

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Proof. Since both measure spaces are σ -finite and ν is complete, Tonelli's Theorem implies that the x -section of f is ν -measurable for almost all $x \in X$ and $x \mapsto \int_Y f(x, y) d\nu(y)$ is μ -measurable.

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