

### Note on measurability in $C[a,b]$

Claim: Let  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{P})$  be a probability space.

Let  $X$  be a map from  $\Omega$  to  $C[a,b]$

(not necessarily measurable at this stage).

Suppose that, for any fixed  $u$ ,  $X(\omega, u)$  is a measurable map from  $\Omega$  to  $\mathbb{R}$ .

Then  $X$  is measurable.

Pf: For given  $x \in C[a,b]$  and  $\delta > 0$ , consider the closed ball  $\bar{B}(x, \delta)$ . We claim that  $\{X \in \bar{B}(x, \delta)\} \in \mathcal{F}$ .

To see this, note that - since we are dealing with continuous functions - we can write

$$\{X \in \bar{B}(x, \delta)\} = \bigcap_q \{ |X(q) - x(q)| \leq \delta \}$$

where the intersection is over the rational numbers in  $C[a,b]$ .

Since  $X(q)$  is measurable for each  $q$ , we have a countable union of measurable sets, which is measurable.

Now, an open ball can be written as a countable union of closed balls:

$$B(x, \delta) = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \bar{B}(x, \delta - \frac{1}{n})$$

Hence  $\{X \in B(x, \delta)\}$  is measurable.

Next, since  $C[a, b]$  is separable, any open set  $G$  can be written as a countable union of open balls.

Hence

$$\{X \in G\} \in \mathcal{F}$$

for any open  $G$ . Since the open sets generate  $\mathcal{A}$ , it follows that

$$\{X \in A\} \in \mathcal{F}$$

for any  $A \in \mathcal{A}$ .