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Fundamentals of Analysis for EE

Homework 4

Question 1. Let X be any non-empty set and \mathcal{F} be an σ -algebra of its subsets.

Prove that a function $f(x): X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is measurable if and only if $f^{-1}(-\infty, q) \in \mathcal{F}$ for every rational number $q \in \mathbb{Q}$.

Question 2. Let X be any non-empty set and \mathcal{F} be an σ -algebra of its subsets.

Assume that 2 functions $f(x): X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g(x): X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are measurable.

Let $\varphi(x): \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a continuous function of two real variables.

Prove that the function $h(x) = \varphi(f(x), g(x)): X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is measurable.

Question 3. Let $f(x): \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a monotone real function. Prove that $f(x)$ is a Borel measurable function, i.e. $f^{-1}(U)$ is a Borel set for every Borel set $U \subseteq \mathbb{R}$.

Question 4. Let X be any non-empty set and \mathcal{F} be an σ -algebra of its subsets.

Assume that $f_n(x): X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a measurable function for every natural n .

Denote by A the set of those $x \in X$ such that there exists a finite limit $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x)$.

Prove that A is a measurable set, i.e. $A \in \mathcal{F}$.

Question 5. Let $f(x): [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a Lebesgue measurable function. Assume that

$\int_{[a, c]} f(x) d\mu = 0$ for every $c \in [a, b]$. Prove that $f(x) \sim 0$, i.e.

if $A = \{x \in X : f(x) \neq 0\}$, then $\mu(A) = 0$.

Question 6. Let $E \subset \mathbb{R}$ be a Lebesgue measurable set and $\mu(E) < \infty$. Assume that $f(x): E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a measurable function. Prove that there exists a measurable function

$\varphi(x): E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that $\varphi(x) > 0$ for each $x \in E$ and $\int_E \varphi(x) f(x) d\mu < \infty$.

Question 7. Let $f_n(x): [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a Lebesgue measurable function for every natural n . Assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = f(x)$ almost for all $x \in [a, b]$.

(a) Prove that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_{[a, b]} \cos(f_n(x)) d\mu = \int_{[a, b]} \cos(f(x)) d\mu$.

(b) Does it hold necessarily that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_{[a, b]} f_n(x) d\mu = \int_{[a, b]} f(x) d\mu$?

Question 8. Let $C \subset [0, 1]$ denote the standard ternary Cantor set.

Define the following function $f(x) : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$: if $x \in C$, then $f(x) = x$; and

for every $x \notin C$, if x belongs to a removed interval of the length $\frac{1}{3^n}$, then $f(x) = \frac{1}{2^n}$.

(For instance, $f|_{\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)} = \frac{1}{2}$, $f|_{\left(\frac{1}{9}, \frac{2}{9}\right) \cup \left(\frac{7}{9}, \frac{8}{9}\right)} = \frac{1}{4}$).

(a) Find the value of $\int_{[0,1]} f(x) d\mu$ in the sense of Lebesgue.

(b) Is $f(x)$ a Riemann integrable function? If yes what is $\int_0^1 f(x) dx$?

Question 9. Let μ denote the Lebesgue measure in the real line \mathbb{R} and $1 \leq p < \infty$ is a number. Let $E \subset \mathbb{R}$ be a Lebesgue measurable set with $0 < \mu(E) < \infty$. Denote by $L_p(E)$

the linear space of measurable functions $f(x) : E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that $\int_E |f(x)|^p d\mu < \infty$.

(Recall that we identify two functions $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ if $E(f \neq g)$ is a null-set).

Prove that $L_p(E)$ is a normed space with the norm $\|f\|_p = \left[\int_E |f(x)|^p d\mu \right]^{\frac{1}{p}}$.

Question 10. Let $E \subset \mathbb{R}$ be a Lebesgue measurable set with $0 < \mu(E) < \infty$.

(a) Prove that if $f(x) \in L_2(E)$, then also $f(x) \in L_1(E)$.

(b) Is it true that if $[f(x)]^2$ is a bounded Lebesgue integrable function, then always $f(x)$ is also a Lebesgue integrable function?