

21-720 Measure Theory Final Part I.

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1. Suppose $\mu(X) > 0$, and $f: X \rightarrow (0, \infty)$ is measurable. Must $\int_X f d\mu > 0$? Prove it, or find a counter example.
2. Let μ, ν be two finite signed Borel measures on $\mathbb{R}^d$, and π be the product measure of μ and ν on $\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}^d$. Let $\varphi: \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ be defined by $\varphi(x, y) = x + y$, and let $\eta = \varphi^*(\pi)$ be the push-forward of π (i.e. for every $A \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\eta(A) = \pi(\varphi^{-1}(A))$). Estimate the total variation of η in terms of the total variations of μ and ν .
3. Suppose $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ and μ is a σ -finite positive Borel measure on $\mathbb{R}^d$ such that $\mu(B(x, r)) \leq |B(x, r)|^\alpha$ for every $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$, $r > 0$. Must μ be absolutely continuous with respect to the Lebesgue measure? Prove it, or find a counter example.
4. True or false: There exists $q \in [1, \infty]$ a bounded linear operator $\mathcal{F}: L^{4/3}(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow L^q(\mathbb{R}^d)$ such that $\mathcal{F}f = \hat{f}$ for all $f \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Prove or disprove it. [HINT: Play with $(f * f)^\wedge$ for $f \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{R}^d)$.]

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1. Suppose $f, f_n: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are measurable functions such that $(f_n) \rightarrow f$ almost everywhere. Suppose further for every $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists $n_\varepsilon \in \mathbb{N}$ and $F_\varepsilon \in \Sigma$ such that $\mu(F_\varepsilon) < \infty$ and for all $n \geq n_\varepsilon$ we have $|f_n - f| \leq \varepsilon$ on F_ε^c . Must $(f_n) \rightarrow f$ in measure? Prove it, or find a counter example.
2. Let $d \geq 2$. Given $x \in \mathbb{R}$ define $R_x = (-\infty, x] \times \mathbb{R}^{d-1} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$. True or false:

If $f \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^d)$, then the function $x \mapsto \int_{R_x} f d\lambda$ is continuous everywhere.

Prove it, or find a counter example.

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If $f \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^d)$, then the function $x \mapsto \int_{R_x} f d\lambda$ is differentiable almost everywhere.

Prove it, or find a counter example.

4. Let μ be a positive finite measure on $\mathbb{R}^d$ which is mutually singular to the Lebesgue measure. Must

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{\mu(B(x, r))}{|B(x, r)|} = \infty, \quad \text{for } \mu\text{-almost every } x \in \mathbb{R}^d.$$

Prove it, or find a counter example.