



IV Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, June 2015

(RNS)

MATHEMATICS

M-401 : Measure and Integration

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Instruction : 1) Answer any 5 questions, choosing at least two from each Part.

2) All questions carry equal marks.

PART - A

1. a) Define outer measure. Prove that outer measure is translation invariant.
b) For an interval I , show that $m^*(I) = l(I)$. Further, if A is a countable set, prove that $m^*(A) = 0$.
c) Define a measurable set. If A is measurable set and B is any set, then show that $m^*(A \cup B) + m^*(A \cap B) = m^*(A) + m^*(B)$. (4+8+4)
2. a) State and prove countably additive property of Lebesgue measurable sets.
b) Let A be any subset of \mathbb{R} . If E_1, E_2, \dots, E_n are disjoint Lebesgue measurable sets, then prove that $m^*\left(A \cap \left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i\right)\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n m^*(A \cap E_i)$.
c) Prove that a set A is measurable if and only if its complement is also measurable. (6+7+3)
3. a) Prove that every Borel set is Lebesgue measurable.
b) If f and g are two measurable real valued functions defined on the same domain, then prove that $f-g$, cf and f^2 are also measurable.
c) Define a measurable function. Show that the following statements are equivalent for a function $f : E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^*$, where \mathbb{R}^* denotes the extended real number system
 - i) $\{x \in E / f(x) > a\}$ is measurable $\forall a \in \mathbb{R}$
 - ii) $\{x \in E / f(x) \geq a\}$ is measurable $\forall a \in \mathbb{R}$
 - iii) $\{x \in E / f(x) < a\}$ is measurable $\forall a \in \mathbb{R}$

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iv) $\{x \in E / f(x) \leq a\}$ is measurable $\forall a \in \mathbb{R}$

Further, show that the above statement imply that for any $b \in \mathbb{R}^+$,

$\{x \in E / f(x) = b\}$ is measurable.

(6+2+8)

4. a) Let E be a Lebesgue measurable set with finite measure, for a given $\epsilon > 0$, prove that there exists a finite union 'U' of open intervals such that $m(E \Delta U) < \epsilon$, where $E \Delta U = (E - U) \cup (U - E)$.

b) Let f be a measurable function and g be a function defined over a measurable set E , such that $f = g$ a.e. on E . Then prove that g is measurable.

c) If a sequence $\{f_n\}$ converges on measure to f , then prove the following :

i) $\{f_n\}$ converges on measure to every function g which is equivalent to f .

ii) The limit function f is unique a. e.

(7+4+5)

PART - B

5. a) If f is Lebesgue integral over E , then show that $\alpha mE \leq \int_E f \leq \beta mE$.

b) Let f be a bounded function on E with $mE < \infty$. Then show that f is measurable

iff $\inf_{\psi \geq f} \int_E \psi = \sup_{\phi \leq f} \int_E \phi$ for all simple functions ϕ and ψ .

c) Let $\{f_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ be a sequence of measurable functions defined on a set E of finite measure. Suppose $|f_n(x)| \leq M \forall n$ and $\forall x \in E$. If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = f$ for each $x \in E$,

then show that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_E f_n = \int_E f$.

(2+10+4)

6. a) State and prove Fatou's lemma. Deduce Monotone Convergence Theorem, Further, give an example to show that monotone convergence theorem need not hold for a decreasing sequence of functions.

b) Let f be a non-negative measurable function which is integrable over a set E . Then prove that for a given $\epsilon > 0$ there is a $\delta > 0$ such that for every set

$A \subset E$ with $mA < \delta$ are have $\int_A f < \epsilon$.

(10+6)