



IV Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, June 2016
(CBCS)
MATHEMATICS
M401 T : Measure and Integration

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instructions : i) Answer any five full questions.
ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. a) Show that the Lebesgue outer measure of an interval is its length. 7
b) Let $\{E_n\}$ be a countable collection of sets. Then prove that
$$m^*\left(\bigcup_n E_n\right) \leq \sum_n m^*(E_n).$$
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2. a) Define G_δ -sets. Let E be any set. Then prove that
i) Given $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists an open set $O \supset E$ such that $m^*(O) < m^*(E) + \varepsilon$.
ii) There exists a G_δ -set $G \supset E$ such that $m^*(E) = m^*(G)$. 7
b) Define Lebesgue measurable set. If E has the outer measure zero, then prove that E is measurable, hence show that every subset of E is measurable. 7
3. a) If f and g are two measurable functions defined on the same domain then prove that $f + g$, fg , f^2 and $|f|$ are measurable. 8
b) Let f and g be two functions defined on the same domain E such that $f = g$ a.e. and g is measurable, then prove that f is measurable. 6
4. a) State and prove Egoroff's theorem. 8
b) Let $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of measurable functions which converges to f a.e. on E , then prove that $\{f_n\} \rightarrow f$ on E . 6



5. a) Define a simple function. Let ϕ and ψ be simple functions which vanish outside a set of finite measure. Then prove the following :
- $\int (a\phi + b\psi) = a \int \phi + b \int \psi$, $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$.
 - If $\phi \geq \psi$ a.e. then $\int \phi \geq \int \psi$. 4
- b) Prove that a bounded function defined on a measurable set E of finite measure is Lebesgue integrable if and only if it is measurable. 6
- c) If f and g are non-negative measurable functions then prove :
- $\int_E cf = c \int_E f$, $c \in \mathbb{R}$.
 - $\int_E (f+g) = \int_E f + \int_E g$ 4
6. a) If f is an integrable function on a measurable set E , then prove that $|f|$ is also integrable. 4
- b) State and prove Lebesgue's dominated convergence theorem. 6
- c) Define a function of bounded variation. Prove that a monotonic function on $[a, b]$ is of bounded variation. 4
7. a) Define a Vitali cover. Establish the Vitali covering lemma. 8
- b) Let f be an increasing real-valued function defined on $[a, b]$. Then prove that f is differentiable a.e. Also prove that f' is measurable and $\int_a^b f'(x) dx \leq f(b) - f(a)$. 6
8. a) Prove that L^p spaces are normed linear spaces for $1 \leq p < \infty$. 7
- b) State and prove Riesz-Fischer theorem. 7