



IV Semester M.Sc. Examination, June 2017
(RNS – Repeaters) (2011-12 and Onwards)
MATHEMATICS
M 401 : Measure and Integration

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

- Instructions:** i) Answer **any five** questions choosing **at least two** from **each** Part.
ii) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

PART – A

1. a) Prove that in any algebra \mathcal{A} over a set X , a countable union can be expressed as a countable disjoint union.
b) Define σ -algebra. Prove that every algebra on a set X is contained in the smallest σ -algebra on X .
c) Define an outer measure. Prove that outer measure is translation invariant. **(6+6+4)**

2. a) Show that the Lebesgue measure of an interval is equal to its length. Hence prove that, if A is a countable set then $m^*A = 0$.
b) Define G_σ -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 exist a G_σ -set $G \supset E$ such that $m^*(E) = m^*(G)$. **(8+8)**

3. a) Let $\{E_n\}$ be a decreasing sequence of measurable sets with $mE_1 < \infty$. Then prove that
$$m\left(\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} E_i\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} mE_n$$
Give an example to show that the condition $mE_1 < \infty$ can not be released in the above case.
b) Let $\{E_i\}$ be an infinite increasing sequence of measurable sets. Then prove that
$$m\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} mE_n. \quad \text{(8+8)}$$

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4. a) 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, $\forall a \in \mathbb{R}$

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

Further show that the above statements imply that for any $b \in \mathbb{R}^*$, $\{x \in E / f(x) = b\}$ is measurable.

- b) Let f be an extended real valued function defined on a measurable set E . Then prove that f is measurable if and only if for every open set G in \mathbb{R} , the set $f^{-1}(G)$ is measurable. **(8+8)**

PART – B

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 :

i) $\int a\phi + b\psi = a\int\phi + b\int\psi$ $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$

ii) If $\phi \geq \psi$ a.e then $\int\phi \geq \int\psi$.

- 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. **(8+8)**

6. a) Let f and g be two non-negative measurable functions. If f is integrable over E and $g(x) \leq f(x)$ on E . Then prove that g is integrable on E and

$$\int_E f - g \leq \int_E f - \int_E g.$$

- b) State and prove bounded convergence theorem.

- c) Define Dini derivatives of a function. Let $f(x)$ be a function defined by $f(0) = 0$

and $f(x) = x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$ for $x \neq 0$. Find $D^+f(0)$, $D_+f(0)$, $D^-f(0)$, $D_-f(0)$. **(5+6+5)**



7. a) If f is integrable on $[a, b]$ and $\int_a^x f(t).dt = 0$ for all $x \in [a, b]$ then prove that $f(t) = 0$ a.e on $[a, b]$.
- b) Define absolute continuous function. If $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are absolutely continuous functions then prove that $f \pm g, f.g, \frac{f}{g} (g \neq 0)$ are also absolutely continuous.
- c) Show that a monotonic function on $[a, b]$ is of bounded variation. **(6+6+4)**
8. a) Establish Minkowski's inequality.
- b) Prove that a normal linear space is complete if and only if every absolutely summable series is summable. **(8+8)**
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