

2018

MATHEMATICS

MAT 301

MEASURE THEORY

Full Marks: 80

Time: 3 hours.

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Answer any *four* questions: 5X4
- (a) For any sequence of sets $\{E_i\}$ show that
- $$m^*(\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} E_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} m^*(E_i).$$
- (b) Prove that- The class M is a σ algebra.
- (c) Show that- any set A is measurable if and only if an open set $G \supseteq A$ and a closed set $H \subseteq A$ such that $|G| - |H| < \epsilon$.
- (d) Establish the existence of a non measurable set.
- (e) Show that- A is measurable if and only if A^c is measurable.
2. (a) Answer any *two* questions: 6X2
- (i) If $f(x) = K$ a. e., is a constant function on a measurable set E then show that $\int_a^b f(x)dx = K \cdot m(E)$.

- (ii) Verify bounded convergence theorem for the sequence of functions

$$f_n(x) = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{x}{n}\right)^n}, x \in [0,1], n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

- (iii) Let $f(x) = 1$, if x is an irrational number in $[a, b]$ and $f(x) = 2$, if x is a rational number in $[a, b]$. Evaluate $\int_a^b f(x) dx$.

- (b) Answer any *two* questions:

4X2

- (i) Show that the set $E \subseteq [a, b]$ and its characteristic function φ_E are both measurable and non measurable.

- (ii) If $f = g$ a.e. and f is measurable function then show that g is also measurable function.

- (iii) Show that the function f on $[a, b]$ is measurable if and only if any one of the following conditions hold: $\{x: f(x) > \alpha\}$; $\{x: f(x) \geq \alpha\}$; $\{x: f(x) < \alpha\}$ and $\{x: f(x) \leq \alpha\}$ are measurable sets for every real α respectively.

- (a) Answer any *two* questions:

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- (i) Let $\mu(X) < \infty$, $\{f_n\}$ is uniformly integrable, $f_n \rightarrow f$ a. e., and $|f(x)| < \infty$ a. e., then show that $f \in L^1(\mu)$ and $f_n \rightarrow f$ in $L^1(\mu)$.

8X2

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- (ii) Let A be any measurable subset of $[a, b]$ with finite measure. Let $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of measurable functions such that for $x \in A$

$$0 \leq f_1(x) \leq \dots \leq f_n(x) \leq \dots$$

If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = f(x)$, then show that f is Lebesgue integrable and

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^b f_n(x) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx.$$

- (iii) State and prove- Fatou's Lemma. Deduce Lebesgue monotone convergence theorem from it.

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- (b) If f is Riemann integrable and bounded over the finite interval $[a, b]$, then show that f is integrable and

$$R \int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx.$$

- (a) Answer any *two* questions:

8 x 2

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- (i) Show that- Every Cauchy sequence $\{f_n\}$ in the L^p space converges to a function in L^p space.

- (ii) If f is a bounded measurable function defined on $[a, b]$, then for given $\epsilon > 0$, show that there exists a continuous function g on $[a, b]$, such that

$$\|f - g\|_2 < \epsilon.$$

- (iii) Let $[X, S, \mu]$ be a σ -finite measure space and let G be a bounded linear functional on $L^1(X, \mu)$. Then show that there exists a unique $g \in L^\infty(X, \mu)$ such that $G(f) = \int f g d\mu$ for each $f \in L^1(\mu)$.

$$\text{Also } \|G\| = \|g\|_\infty.$$

- (b) Let $p \geq 1$ and let $f, g \in L^p(\mu)$ then show that

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$$\left(\int |f + g|^p d\mu \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq \left(\int |f|^p d\mu \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + \left(\int |g|^p d\mu \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$
