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MEASURE AND INTEGRATION

(For those who joined in July 2017 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — ($10 \times 1 = 10$ marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answers :

1. Which one of the following is not true
 - (a) outer measure is defined for all sets of real numbers
 - (b) the outer measure of an interval is its length
 - (c) outer measure is countably additive
 - (d) outer measure is translation in variant

2. If A is a measurable set of finite outer measure that is contained in B then $m^*(B \setminus A) - m^*(B)$ is
- (a) $-m^*(A)$ (b) $m^*(A)$
- (c) $m^*(A \cup B)$ (d) zero
3. For a function f defined on E , $f^-(x)$ is defined by
- (a) $\max\{f(x), 0\}$ (b) $\max\{f(x), -f(x)\}$
- (c) $\max\{-f(x), 0\}$ (d) $-\max\{f(x), 0\}$
4. Let A and B be any sets, then $\chi_{A \cup B}$ is
- (a) $\chi_A + \chi_B - \chi_A \cdot \chi_B$
- (b) $\chi_A + \chi_B$
- (c) $\chi_A + \chi_B + \chi_{A \cap B}$
- (d) $\chi_A \cdot \chi_B$
5. The set E of rational number in $[0, 1]$ is a measurable set of measure
- (a) 1 (b) 0
- (c) ∞ (d) $\sqrt{2}$

6. Let f be a bounded measurable function on a set of finite measure E , suppose A, B are disjoint measurable subsets of E , then $\int_{A \cup B} f$ is

(a) $\int_A f$ (b) $\int_B f$

(c) $\int_A f + \int_B f$ (d) $\int_A f - \int_B f$

7. The average value function $Av_h f$ of $[a, b]$ is defined by

(a) $Av_h f(x) = \frac{1}{h} \int_x^{x+h} f \forall x \in [a, b]$

(b) $Av_h f(x) = \frac{\left(\int_x^{x+h} f \right)}{x} \forall x \in [a, b]$

(c) $Av_h f(x) = \frac{\left(\int_x^{x+h} f \right)}{l-a} \forall x \in [a, b]$

(d) $Av_h f(x) = \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \forall x \in [a, b]$

8. If the function f is monotone on the open interval (a, b) then it is differentiable *a.e.* on (a, b) this result is known as
- (a) Jordan's theorem
 - (b) Lebesgue's theorem
 - (c) Mean value theorem
 - (d) Vital's theorem
9. Which one of the following is not true
- (a) Absolutely continuous functions are continuous
 - (b) Sum of two absolutely continuous functions is absolutely continuous
 - (c) Composition of absolutely continuous functions is absolutely continuous
 - (d) Linear combination of absolutely continuous functions is absolutely continuous
10. The function f defined on $[0, 1]$ by $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ for $0 \leq x \leq 1$ is
- (a) both absolutely continuous and Lipschitz
 - (b) neither absolutely continuous nor Lipschitz
 - (c) absolute continuous but not Lipschitz
 - (d) Lipschitz but not absolutely continuous

PART B — ($5 \times 5 = 25$ marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)

Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) Prove that outer measure is countably subadditive.

Or

- (b) State and prove the Borel – Cantelli lemma.

12. (a) Prove that f is measurable if and only if for each open set O , the inverse image of O under f , $f^{-1}(O)$, is measurable.

Or

- (b) Let $\{f_n\}$ be a sequence of measurable functions on E that converges point wise a.e. on E to the function f . Prove that f is measurable.

13. (a) Let f be a bounded measurable function on a set of finite measure E . Prove that f is integrable over E

Or

- (b) Let f be a non negative measurable function on E . Prove that $\int_E f = 0$ if and only if $f = 0$ a.e. on E .

14. (a) Let f be integrable over E and $\{E_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ a disjoint countable collection of measurable subsets of E whose union is E . Prove that

$$\int_E f = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_{E_n} f.$$

Or

- (b) Let C be a countable subset of the open interval (a,b) . Prove that there is an increasing function on (a,b) that is continuous only at points in $(a,b) \sim C$.

15. (a) Let f be integrable over $[a,b]$. Prove that

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_a^x f \right) = f(x) \text{ for almost all } x \in (a,b).$$

Or

- (b) Let μ be a measure. Explain the method of obtaining the outer measure induced by μ .

PART C — ($5 \times 8 = 40$ marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)

Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Prove that the outer measure of an interval is its length.

Or

- (b) State the two continuity properties of the Lebesgue measure and prove them.

17. (a) Let f and g be measurable functions on E that are finite a.e. on E . Prove that $\alpha f + \beta g$ and f/g are measurable on E for any α and β .

Or

- (b) State and prove Egoroff's theorem.

18. (a) Let f and g be bounded measurable functions on a set of finite measure E . Prove that $\int_E \alpha f + \beta g = \alpha \int_E f + \beta \int_E g$ for any α and β and show that if $f \leq g$ on E then $\int_E f \leq \int_E g$.

Or

- (b) State and prove the boundary convergence theorem.

19. (a) State and prove the Lebesgue dominated convergence theorem.

Or

- (b) If the function f is monotone on the open interval (a,b) , prove that it is differentiable almost everywhere on (a,b) .
20. (a) Let the function f be absolutely continuous on $[a,b]$. Prove that f is the difference of increasing absolutely continuous functions and is of bounded variation.

Or

- (b) State Hahn's lemma without proof and deduce the Hahn Decomposition theorem with proof.
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