

**Measure and Integration: Solutions Retake Exam 2020-21**

- (1) Consider the measure space  $(\mathbb{R}, \mathcal{B}, \lambda)$ , where  $\mathcal{B}$  is the Borel  $\sigma$ -algebra and  $\lambda$  is Lebesgue measure. For  $n \geq 1$ , let  $u_n(x) = \mathbb{I}_{[0, 1-2^{-n}]}(x) \cos(e^{-x/n}) x^2$ .

- (a) Prove that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int u_n d\lambda = \frac{1}{3} \cos(1)$ . (1 pt)
- (b) Let  $1 < p < \infty$ , prove that  $\left| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{n} \right)^p \right| < \infty$   $\lambda$  a.e. (1.5 pts)

**Proof (a)** Let  $u(x) = \mathbb{I}_{[0, 1]} x^2 \cos(1)$ , since  $u$  is Riemann integrable, then  $u \in \mathcal{L}^1(\lambda)$  and

$$\int u d\lambda = (R) \int_0^1 x^2 \cos(1) dx = \frac{1}{3} \cos(1).$$

We have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n(x) = \mathbb{I}_{[0, 1]}(x) x^2 \cos(1) = \mathbb{I}_{[0, 1]}(x) x^2 = u(x)$  and  $|u_n(x)| \leq u(x)$ . Thus, by Lebesgue Dominated Convergence Theorem,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int u_n d\lambda = \int \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n d\lambda = \int u d\lambda = \frac{1}{3} \cos(1).$$

**Proof (b)** For  $1 < p < \infty$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int |u_n|^p d\lambda &= \int \mathbb{I}_{[0, 1-2^{-n}]}(x) |\cos(e^{-x/n})|^p x^{2p} d\lambda(x) \\ &\leq \int \mathbb{I}_{[0, 1]}(x) x^{2p} d\lambda(x) \\ &= (R) \int_0^1 x^{2p} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2p+1}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, by Corollary 9.9 and the fact that  $1 < p < \infty$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{|u_n|}{n} \right)^p d\lambda &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int \frac{|u_n|^p}{n^p} d\lambda \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2p+1} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p} \\ &< \infty. \end{aligned}$$

By Corollary 11.6,  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{|u_n|}{n} \right)^p < \infty$   $\lambda$  a.e. Since

$$\left| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{n} \right)^p \right| \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{|u_n|}{n} \right)^p,$$

it follows that  $\left| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{n} \right)^p \right| < \infty$   $\lambda$  a.e.

- (2) Let  $(X, \mathcal{F}, \mu)$  be a measure space, and  $1 < p, q < \infty$  conjugate numbers, i.e.  $1/p + 1/q = 1$  and  $u \in \mathcal{L}^p(\mu)$  with  $\|u\|_p > 0$ .

- (a) Define

$$v(x) = \left( \frac{u(x)}{\|u\|_p} \right)^{p-1}$$

Prove that  $v \in \mathcal{L}^q(\mu)$  and  $\|v\|_q = 1$ . (1 pt)

- (b) Prove that  $\int |uv| d\mu = \|u\|_p$ . (1 pt)

**Proof (a):** Note that  $q(p-1) = p$ , hence  $|v(x)|^q = \frac{|u(x)|^p}{\|u\|_p^p}$ . We have,

$$\int |v|^q d\mu = \int \frac{|u|^p}{\|u\|_p^p} d\mu = 1.$$

So  $\|v\|_q = 1$  and  $v \in \mathcal{L}^q(\mu)$ .

**Proof (b):** Note that

$$|uv(x)| = \frac{|u(x)|^p}{\|u\|_p^{p-1}}$$

Thus,

$$\int |uv| d\mu = \int \frac{|u|^p}{\|u\|_p^{p-1}} d\mu = \|u\|_p.$$

(3) Consider the measure space  $(\mathbb{R}, \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}), \lambda)$ , where  $\mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R})$  is the Borel  $\sigma$ -algebra and  $\lambda$  is Lebesgue measure. Let  $u \in \mathcal{L}^1(\lambda)$  and define for  $h > 0$ , the function  $u_h(x) = \frac{1}{h} \int_{[x, x+h]} u(t) d\lambda(t)$ .

(a) Show that  $u_h$  is Borel measurable for all  $h > 0$ . (1 pt)

(b) Show that  $u_h \in \mathcal{L}^1(\lambda)$  and  $\|u_h\|_1 = \|u\|_1$ . (1.5 pt)

**Proof (a):** For  $h > 0$ , define  $v_h(t, x) = \frac{1}{h} \mathbb{I}_{[x, x+h]}(t)u(t)$ , then  $v_h$  is  $\mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}) \otimes \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R})$  measurable. Applying Tonelli's Theorem 14.8 (edition 1, Theorem 13.8(ii)) to the positive and negative parts of the function  $v_h$ , we have that the functions

$$x \rightarrow \int v^+(t, x) d\lambda(t) = u_h^+(x), \text{ and } x \rightarrow \int v^-(t, x) d\lambda(t) = u_h^-(x)$$

are  $\mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R})$  measurable. Hence,  $u_h$  is Borel measurable for all  $h > 0$ .

**Proof (b):** By Tonelli's Theorem, we have

$$\int \int \frac{1}{h} \mathbb{I}_{[x, x+h]}(t)|u(t)| d\lambda(t) d\lambda(x) = \int \int \frac{1}{h} \mathbb{I}_{[t-h, t]}(x)|u(t)| d\lambda(x) d\lambda(t) = \int |u(t)| d\lambda(t) < \infty.$$

Thus,

$$\|u_h\|_1 = \int |u_h(x)| d\lambda(x) = \int \int \frac{1}{h} \mathbb{I}_{[x, x+h]}(t)|u(t)| d\lambda(x) d\lambda(t) = \int |u(x)| d\lambda(x) = \|u\|_1.$$

This shows that  $u_h \in \mathcal{L}^1(\lambda)$  and  $\|u_h\|_1 = \|u\|_1$ .

(4) Let  $(X, \mathcal{A}, \mu)$  be a measure space, and  $(u_n)_n \subset \mathcal{M}^+(\mathcal{A})$  a sequence of non-negative real-valued measurable functions such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = u$ , where  $u$  is non-negative measurable function. Assume that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_X u_n d\mu = \int_X u d\mu < \infty,$$

and let  $A \in \mathcal{A}$ .

(a) Prove that

$$\int_A u d\mu \geq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_A u_n d\mu.$$

(Hint: apply Fatou's lemma to the sequence  $v_n = u_n - \mathbb{I}_A u_n$ .) (2 pts)

(b) Prove that

$$\int_A u d\mu = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_A u_n d\mu.$$

(1 pt)

**Proof (a)** Let  $v_n = u_n - \mathbb{I}_A u_n$ , then by hypothesis

$$u - \mathbb{I}_A u = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} v_n = \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} v_n.$$

By Fatou's Lemma, and the linearity of the integrals we have

$$\int u d\mu - \int \mathbb{I}_A u d\mu \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int v_n d\mu \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \int u_n d\mu - \int \mathbb{I}_A u_n d\mu \right).$$

Since

$$\int u \, d\mu = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int u_n \, d\mu = \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int u_n \, d\mu,$$

one has that

$$\begin{aligned} \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \int u_n \, d\mu - \int \mathbb{I}_A u_n \, d\mu \right) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int u_n \, d\mu + \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( - \int \mathbb{I}_A u_n \, d\mu \right) \\ &= \int u \, d\mu - \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \mathbb{I}_A u_n \, d\mu. \end{aligned}$$

The above gives

$$\int u \, d\mu - \int \mathbb{I}_A u \, d\mu \leq \int u \, d\mu - \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \mathbb{I}_A u_n \, d\mu.$$

Subtracting  $\int u \, d\mu < \infty$  from both sides leads to

$$\int \mathbb{I}_A u \, d\mu \geq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \mathbb{I}_A u_n \, d\mu.$$

Equivalently,

$$\int_A u \, d\mu \geq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_A u_n \, d\mu.$$

**Proof (b)** By Fatou's Lemma, we have

$$\int \mathbb{I}_A u \, d\mu = \int \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{I}_A u_n \, d\mu \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \mathbb{I}_A u_n \, d\mu.$$

Combining with part (a), we have

$$\int \mathbb{I}_A u \, d\mu = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int \mathbb{I}_A u_n \, d\mu.$$