

# Analysis Prelim

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SOLVE ANY 5 OF THE NEXT 8 PROBLEMS

1. Suppose that  $f$  is a function of bounded variation on  $[0, 1]$ , and let  $V(x)$  be the total variation function for  $f$ , i.e., for any  $x \in [0, 1]$ ,  $V(x)$  is the total variation of  $f$  on the interval  $[0, x]$ . Prove that, if  $V$  is absolutely continuous on  $[0, 1]$ , then so is  $f$ .
2. Let  $(X, \beta, \mu)$  be a finite measure space and let  $f \in L^1(\mu) \cap L^\infty(\mu)$ . Show that  $\lim_{p \rightarrow \infty} \|f\|_p = \|f\|_\infty$ .
3. (a) State the Riesz Representation Theorem for the Dual of  $L^p(E)$ .  
(b) Let  $E$  be a measurable set, let  $p$  and  $q$  be positive numbers such that  $1/p + 1/q = 1$ , and let  $S$  be a dense subset of  $L^q(E)$ . Show that if  $g \in L^p(E)$  and  $\int_E fg = 0$  for all  $f \in S$ , then  $g = 0$ .
4. Suppose that  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  are  $\sigma$ -finite measures on the same  $\sigma$ -algebra  $\mathcal{M}$ , and that  $\lambda$  is absolutely continuous with respect to  $\mu$ . Define  $\nu$  on  $\mathcal{M}$  by  $\nu(E) = \lambda(B \cap E)$  where  $B$  is a fixed member of  $\mathcal{M}$ .
  - (a) Prove that  $\nu$  is a measure on  $\mathcal{M}$ .
  - (b) Prove that  $\nu$  is absolutely continuous with respect to  $\mu$ .
  - (c) Find the Radon-Nikodym derivative of  $\nu$  with respect to  $\mu$ .
5. (a) State the Uniform Boundedness Principle.  
(b) Prove that every weakly convergent sequence in Hilbert space must be bounded.

6. Let  $(X, \mu)$  be a  $\sigma$ -finite complete measure space and let  $f : X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be measurable. Prove that

$$\int_X f d\mu = \int_0^\infty \mu(\{x \in X : f(x) \geq t\}) dt.$$

7. (a) Give the definition of a measurable space  $(X, \beta)$ .
- (b) Define what it means for a real valued function  $f$  to be measurable on a measurable space  $(X, \beta)$ .
- (c) Suppose that  $f$  is measurable on a measurable space  $(X, \beta)$  and  $B$  is a Borel set in the real line. Prove or disprove:  $f^{-1}(B) \in \beta$ .
8. Find a sequence of real valued nonnegative function  $f_n$  on  $[0, 1]$  so that

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow +\infty} f_n(x) = +\infty, \quad \forall x \in [0, 1]$$

and

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \int_{[0,1]} f_n(x) dx = 0.$$