

- (1) Let  $\mu_i, \nu_i$  be  $\sigma$ -finite positive measures on  $X$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ . Suppose  $\nu_1 \ll \mu_1$  and  $\nu_2 \ll \mu_2$ . Prove that

$$\nu_1 \times \nu_2 \ll \mu_1 \times \mu_2,$$

and

$$\frac{d(\nu_1 \times \nu_2)}{d(\mu_1 \times \mu_2)}(x, y) = \frac{d\nu_1}{d\mu_1}(x) \frac{d\nu_2}{d\mu_2}(y) \quad a.e.$$

- (2) Prove that if  $f \in BV[a, b]$ , then  $|f| \in BV[a, b]$ , and  $V_a^b(|f|) \leq V_a^b(f)$ .  
 (3) Suppose  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is differentiable at every point in  $[a, b]$ . Prove that  $f$  is absolutely continuous on  $[a, b]$  if and only if  $f \in BV[a, b]$ .  
 (4) Let  $f \in BV[a, b]$ . Define

$$V(x) = V_a^x(f) \quad (x \in [a, b]).$$

Prove that:

- (i)  $|f'(x)| \leq V'(x)$  a.e.  $x \in [a, b]$ .  
 (ii)  $\int_a^b |f'| \leq V_a^b(f)$ .  
 (iii)  $\int_a^b |f'| = V_a^b(f)$  if and only if  $f$  is absolutely continuous.  
 (5) Let  $(X, \mathcal{A}, \mu)$  be a measure space, and let  $1 \leq p < \infty$ . Suppose  $\{f_n\}_n \subseteq L^p$ . (i) If

$$\sum_n \|f_n\|_p < \infty,$$

then prove that there exists  $f \in L^p$  such that

$$f(x) = \sum_n f_n(x) \quad (x \in X \text{ a.e.})$$

and

$$f = \sum_n f_n.$$

- (ii) Prove that if  $f_n \rightarrow f$  in  $L^p$ , then  $\{f_n\}_n$  has a subsequence which converges pointwise a.e. to  $f$ .  
 (6) Let  $(X, \mathcal{A}, \mu)$  be a measure space, and let  $\{f_n\}_n \subseteq L^p$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . Suppose  $f_n \rightarrow f$  in  $L^p$  and  $f_n \rightarrow \tilde{f}$  pointwise a.e. for some  $f, \tilde{f} \in L^p$ . Does that mean  $f = \tilde{f}$  a.e?  
 (7) Suppose  $f \in L^1(\mathbb{R})$  satisfies

$$\limsup_{h \rightarrow 0} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left| \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \right| dm(x) = 0.$$

Prove that  $f = 0$  a.e.

- (8) Let  $(X, \mathcal{A}, \mu)$  be a measure space. Prove that every  $L^\infty$  Cauchy sequence of measurable functions converges uniformly almost everywhere.  
 (9) Let  $(X, \mathcal{A}, \mu)$  be a measure space. Prove that  $L^\infty$  norm convergence implies pointwise convergence. What about  $L^p$ ,  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ?  
 (10) Let  $(X, \mathcal{A}, \mu)$  be a measure space, and let  $1 \leq p_1 < p_2 < \infty$ . Prove the following assertions:  
 (i) If  $\mu(X) < \infty$ , then  $L^{p_2} \subset L^{p_1}$ .  
 (ii) If  $\mu(X) = 1$ , then  $\|f\|_{p_1} \leq \|f\|_{p_2}$  for all  $f \in L^{p_2}$ .

(iii) Give an example to show that if  $\mu(X) = \infty$ , then the conclusion in (i) need not be true.

(11) Define  $f : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  by

$$f(x) = e^{-x} \quad (x \in \mathbb{R}).$$

For what values of  $p$  is  $f$  an  $L^p$  function?

(12) For what values of  $p$  is

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{n} \log n} \right\} \in l^p?$$

(13) Prove that  $L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$  is not separable. Here,  $\mathbb{R}$  is equipped with the Lebesgue measure.