

## Math 624: Problem set 4

1. Exercise 2, p.380
2. Exercise 4, p.381.
3. Exercise 8, p. 381
4. Suppose  $f$  is a convex function on an open interval  $I$ . Show that if  $[a, b] \subset I$  then we have

$$f(b) - f(a) = \int_{[a,b]} f'(x+) dx = \int_{[a,b]} f'(x-) dx .$$

5. Prove that  $L^\infty(X, \mathcal{M}, \mu)$  is a Banach space.
6. Suppose  $1 \leq p < q < r \leq \infty$ .
  - (a) Show that  $L^p \cap L^r$  is a Banach space with with norm  $\|f\| \equiv \|f\|_p + \|f\|_r$  and that the inclusion  $L^p \cap L^r \rightarrow L^q$  is a continuous map.
  - (b) Show that  $L^p + L^r$  is a Banach space with with norm  $\|f\| \equiv \inf\{\|g\|_p + \|h\|_r; f = g + h\}$  and that the inclusion  $L^q \rightarrow L^p + L^r \rightarrow L^q$  is a continuous map.
7. Let  $m$  be Lebesgue measure on  $\mathbf{R}^d$ .
  - (a) Show that  $L^p(\mathbf{R}^d, m)$  and  $l^p$  are separable if  $1 \leq p < \infty$ .
  - (b) Show that  $L^\infty(\mathbf{R}^d, m)$  and  $l^\infty$  are *not* separable.
8. **Generalized Hölder's inequality.** Let  $1 \leq p_j \leq \infty$  for  $j = 1, \dots, n$  and suppose

$$\sum_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{p_j} = \frac{1}{r} \leq 1 .$$

Show that if  $f_j \in L^{p_j}$  then  $\prod_{j=1}^n f_j \in L^r$  and

$$\left\| \prod_{j=1}^n f_{p_j} \right\|_r \leq \prod_{j=1}^n \|f_j\|_{p_j} .$$

9. Let  $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mu)$  be a measure space and let  $f, g$  be nonnegative functions. Suppose that  $0 < p < 1$  and  $q$  is such that  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ . Show that

$$\int f g d\mu \geq \left( \int f^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int g^q d\mu \right)^{1/q} .$$

*Hint:* use Hölder's inequality for suitable functions.

10. Let  $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mu)$  and suppose that  $f \in L^1(\mu) \cap L^2(\mu)$ . Prove that

$$\lim_{p \rightarrow 1+} \|f\|_p = \|f\|_1.$$

11. (Hölder's inequality should be called Roger's inequality or Hölder-Roger's inequality). Let  $f, g$  be positive measurable functions on a measure space  $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mu)$ . Let  $0 < t < r < m < \infty$ .

(a) Show that if the integrals on the right are finite then the following holds (Roger's inequality)

$$\left( \int f g^r d\mu \right)^{m-t} \leq \left( \int f g^t d\mu \right)^{m-r} \left( \int f g^m d\mu \right)^{r-t}$$

*Hint:* Use Hölder's inequality.

(b) Show conversely how the Hölder inequality follows from the Roger's inequality.

*Hint:* let  $t = 1$  and  $m = 2$ .