

# Assignment 9 of Math 5302

**Due Date: April 27, 2022 at 11:59pm**

1. a) Write down all possible  $\sigma$ -algebras on  $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  which contains the element  $\{1\}$ .  
b) Let  $\mathcal{A} = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2, 3\}, X\}$  and  $\mathcal{B} = \{\emptyset, \{2\}, \{1, 3\}, X\}$ .  
Find  $\mathcal{A} \cup \mathcal{B}$ . Is  $\mathcal{A} \cup \mathcal{B}$  a  $\sigma$ -algebra?  
c) Find  $\mathcal{A} \cap \mathcal{B}$ . Is  $\mathcal{A} \cap \mathcal{B}$  a  $\sigma$ -algebra?
2. Prove that the intersection of any family of  $\sigma$ -algebras on  $X$  is a  $\sigma$ -algebra.
3. Prove that if  $N$  is a null set in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , then there exists a Borel null set  $N'$  such that  $N' \subseteq N$ . Prove that  $N'$  may be chosen to be a “ $G_\delta$ ” set, a countable intersection of open sets.
4. Prove Property MF2: If  $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is  $\mathcal{M}$ -measurable, and  $f \neq 0$ , then  $\frac{1}{f}$  is  $\mathcal{M}$ -measurable.
5. Let  $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  be a set which is not Lebesgue measurable. Let
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} e^x & \text{if } x \in E; \\ -e^x & \text{if } x \in E^c. \end{cases}$$
  - (a) Prove that  $f$  is not Lebesgue measurable.
  - (b) Prove that for all  $t$ ,  $f^{-1}(\{t\})$  is Lebesgue measurable.
6. Let  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be differentiable. Prove that the derivative  $f'$  is Borel measurable. (Be careful that  $f'$  may not be continuous.)