

Measure Theory Homework

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1.3. g_1 is not an algebra. Take $A = (-\infty, -3) \cup (2, +\infty)$ which is in g_1 but $A^c = [-3, 2]$ which is not in g_1 . g_2 is an algebra and g_3 is σ -algebra.

1.7. By definition, \emptyset has to be in the algebra generated by a set X . And by the requirement of closed under complementary, X then has to be too. So the smallest algebra must be $\{\emptyset, X\}$. The largest algebra should be the one contains all possible subsets, which is the power set.

1.10. First of all, $\emptyset \in S_\alpha$ for all α because S_α is a σ -algebra. Suppose $A \in \sigma(g)$ then $A \in S_\alpha$ for all α , then $A^c \in S_\alpha$ for all α by definition. Thus $A^c \in \sigma(g)$. Similarly we could prove it is closed under countable unions.

1.22. Take $C = A^c \cap B$ then as $A \subset B$, $|C| \geq 0$. And we have $\mu(C \cup A) = \mu(B)$ which is $\mu(C) + \mu(A) = \mu(B)$, so $\mu(B) - \mu(A) \geq 0$.

Define $F_n = \cup_{i=1}^n A_i$. It is easy to see that $F_n \subset F_{n+1}$. Therefore F_n is increasing. Also we know that $F_n \uparrow \cup_{i=1}^{+\infty} A_i$. Hence we have

$$\begin{aligned}\mu(\cup_{i=1}^{+\infty} A_i) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu(F_n) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \mu(A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n) \\ &\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \mu(A_i) = \sum_{i=1}^{+\infty} \mu(A_i).\end{aligned}$$

1.23. Let $A = \emptyset$, then $A \cap B = \emptyset$, so $\lambda(A) = \mu(A \cap B) = 0$. Take A_1, A_2, \dots to be mutually exclusive sets, then $\lambda(\cup_i A_i) = \mu((\cup_i A_i) \cap B)$ which is $\mu(\cup_i (A_i \cap B))$

$B)) = \sum_i \mu(A_i \cap B) = \sum_i \lambda(A_i)$. So λ is a measure.

1.26. Note we have $A_i \downarrow \cap_i A_i = X$. We could write $A_{n_0} = X + \sum_{n=n_0}^{+\infty} (A_n - A_{n+1})$. So we have $\mu(A_{n_0}) = \mu(X) + \sum_{n=n_0}^{+\infty} \mu(A_n - A_{n+1})$ which completes the proof.

2.10. Because from the countable subadditivity of the outer measure we know that \geq holds. As \leq holds, the equal sign should also hold.

2.14. We know $\sigma(\mathcal{O}) \subset \mathcal{M}$ from Caratheodory and construction of lebesgue measure as an infinite collection of the form $(a, b]$ and $(-\infty, a]$ we know that $\sigma(\mathcal{A}) \subset \mathcal{M}$. If $o \in \sigma(\mathcal{O})$ then $o \in \sigma(\mathcal{A})$ therefore $o \in \mathcal{M}$.

3.1. Let a_i be a sequence of a countable set A then $A_i = (a_i - 2^{-i-1}\epsilon, a_i + 2^{-i-1}\epsilon)$. So $A \subset \cup A_i$ and $\mu(\cup A_i) \leq 2^{-i}\epsilon = \epsilon$ which completes the proof.

3.7. Because they are complementary to each other so the condition could be replaced.

3.10. Let $F(f(x), g(x)) = f(x) + g(x)$ is countable. Then F is countable. Given condition 4 we know that $f + g$ is measurable. Similarly by taking $F(f(x), g(x)) = f(x)g(x)$ we could prove that fg is measurable. As f and g are measurable, then $\{x \in X : \max(f, g) < a\} = \{x \in X : g < a\} \cap \{x \in X : f < a\}$. M is closed under intersection. Similarly we have $\{x \in X : \min(f, g) > a\} = \{x \in X : g > a\} \cap \{x \in X : f > a\}$. And finally as $\{x \in X : |f| > a\} = \{x \in X : f > a\} \cup \{x \in X : f < -a\}$ we could prove that $|f|$ is measurable.

4.13. We know that $\|f\| = f^+ + f^-$. As $|f| < M$ we have $f^+ \leq M$ and/or $-M < f^-$. Therefore $\int_E f^+ d\mu < \infty$ and $\int_E f^- d\mu < \infty$ which completes the

proof.

4.14. Suppose there exists a subset $A \subset E$ that f is not finite so $f = \infty$ on A . Therefore $\int_E f d\mu > \int_A f d\mu + \infty$ which contradicts.

4.15. Define $s = g - f$ so we have $s \geq 0$ and $\int_E s d\mu \geq 0$. Therefore we have $\int_E (g - f) d\mu \geq 0$ which completes the proof.

4.16. From the question we know that $\int_E f^+ d\mu < \infty$ and $\int_E f^- d\mu < \infty$. As $A \subset E$, we have $\int_A f^+ d\mu < \infty$ and $\int_A f^- d\mu < \infty$. Therefore $f \in L^1(\mu, A)$.

4.21. Without loss, we could write $C = A \cap B^c$. So $\int_A f d\mu = \int_B f d\mu + \int_C f d\mu = \int_B f d\mu$ since $\mu(C) = 0$.