

Math 501 HW 10 Spring 2025. Due Friday, April 18. Exam 3 Friday, April 25: a change from the original syllabus.  
Final Tuesday, May 6, 8-10AM.

Exam 2 and 3 reviews may be useful.

1) Suppose  $f \geq 0$  is nonnegative. Find  $f^+$  and  $f^-$ .

(Your result can be used to show that the definitions for integrability and for the integral for general functions agrees with the definitions for nonnegative functions when  $f$  is nonnegative.)

2) Suppose the function  $f$  satisfies  $f(x) = 4$  for  $x < 0$  and  $f(x) = x^2$  for  $x \geq 0$ . Let  $a = -4 = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_k = 4 = b$  be a partition  $\pi$  of  $[a, b] = [-4, 4]$ . Let  $x_j$  be the smallest  $x_i \geq 0$ . Then  $t = V_a^b(f, \pi) = \sum_{i=1}^k |f(x_i) - f(x_{i-1})| =$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{j-1} |f(x_i) - f(x_{i-1})| + |f(x_j) - f(x_{j-1})| + \sum_{i=j+1}^k |f(x_i) - f(x_{i-1})| = A + B + C.$$

Then  $C = f(4) - f(x_j) = 16 - x_j^2$  since  $C$  is equal to the sum of the heights of an increasing step function from  $x = x_j$  to  $x = 4$ . (You may want to sketch  $f$ .)

a) If  $2 \leq x_j \leq 4$ , find  $B$ .

b) If  $0 \leq x_j < 2$ , find  $B$ .

c) If  $2 \leq x_j \leq 4$ , find  $A + B + C$ .

d) If  $0 \leq x_j < 2$ , find  $A + B + C$ .

e) Which value of  $x_j$  maximizes  $A + B + C$ ?

f) The  $t = A + B + C$  corresponding to that  $x_j$  is equal to  $T = \sup_{\pi} t$ . What is  $T$ ?

g) Is  $f$  of bounded variation on  $[-4, 4]$ ?

3) Prove the Cauchy Schwarz Inequality using Holder's Inequality.

Hint the proof should be 1 sentence: The Cauchy Schwarz Inequality follows from Holder's Inequality with  $p = q = \cdot$ .

4) Prove that measure  $\mu$  is finitely subadditive using the fact that  $\mu$  is countably subadditive. So let  $E_1, \dots, E_N$  be measurable sets, and prove  $\mu(\cup_{i=1}^N E_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^N \mu(E_i)$ .

5) Let  $A$  and  $B$  be measurable sets.

a) Prove  $\mu(A) = \mu(A - B) + \mu(A \cap B)$ .

b) Prove  $\mu(A \cup B) = \mu(A - B) + \mu(A \cap B) + \mu(B - A)$ .

Hint: Use the proof from HW 5 with  $m$  replaced by  $\mu$ . A Venn diagram with disjoint sets may be useful. Avoid  $\infty - \infty$ .

6) Let  $\mu(X) = 10$ . Let  $A, B \in \mathcal{F}$ ,  $\mu(A) = 3$ , and  $\mu(A \cap B) = 1$ . Let  $\phi = 2\chi_A$ . Let  $\int f d\mu = 8$ . For a) - d) calculate

a)  $\int \chi_A d\mu$

b)  $\int \phi d\mu$

c)  $\int (2f + 4\phi) d\mu$

d)  $\mu(A - B)$ .

e) Show  $\mu(B) \geq 1$ .

Hint: the answers are almost the same as for HW7 with  $\int f = \int f d\mu$ , so replace  $m$  by  $\mu$ .