## Indian Statistical Institute, Bangalore Centre J.R.F. (I Year): 2016-2017 Semester I: Final Examination Analysis - I

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Time: 3 hours.

Maximum Marks: 60

*Note:* Notation and terminology are understood to be as used in class. State clearly the results you are using in your answers.

- 1. (  $3 \times 5 = 15$  marks ) Prove or disprove the following:
  - (i) Let  $(\Omega, \mathcal{B}, \mu)$  be a  $\sigma$ -finite measure space. Let  $A_n \in \mathcal{B}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \cdots$ . Then  $\mu(\limsup_{n \to \infty} A_n) = \limsup_{n \to \infty} \mu(A_n)$ .

(ii) Let  $f_n$ ,  $n=1,2,\cdots$ , f be real valued Borel measurable functions on a  $\sigma$ -finite measure space  $(\Omega,\mathcal{B},\mu)$ . If  $f_n\to f$ ,  $\mu$ -a.e., then  $f_n\to f$  in  $\mu$ -measure.

(iii) Let  $\mu$  be a finite measure on  $(\mathbb{R}^2, \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^2))$  such that  $\mu \pi_1^{-1}$ ,  $\mu \pi_2^{-1}$  are both absolutely continuous with respect to the Lebesgue measure on  $\mathbb{R}$ ; (here  $\pi_1, \pi_2$  denote the coordinate projections on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ). Then  $\mu$  is absolutely continuous with respect to the Lebesgue measure on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .

2. (10 marks) For  $\alpha > 0$ , define

$$\Gamma(\alpha) = \int_{(0,\infty)} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x} dx,$$

where dx denotes integration w.r.t. the Lebesgue measure on  $\mathbb{R}$ . Show that  $\alpha \mapsto \Gamma(\alpha)$  is continuous on  $(0, \infty)$ .

3. (15 marks) Let  $\mu, \nu$  be finite measures on a measurable space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{B})$ . Put  $\lambda = \mu - \nu$ ; let  $|\lambda|$  denote the total variation measure of  $\lambda$ . For any bounded Borel measurable function f on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{B})$ , show that

$$|\int_{\Omega} f(\omega) d\lambda(\omega)| \leq \int_{\Omega} |f(\omega)| d|\lambda|(\omega)$$
  
$$\leq \int_{\Omega} |f(\omega)| d\mu(\omega) + \int_{\Omega} |f(\omega)| d\nu(\omega).$$

4. (10 marks) Let  $p, q \ge 1$  such that (1/p) + (1/q) = 1. Let  $\mu$  denote the Lebesgue measure on  $(\mathbb{R}, \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}))$ . Let  $f \in L^p(\mu), g \in L^q(\mu)$ . Show that  $||f * g||_{\infty} \le ||f||_p ||g||_q$ .

5. ( 10 marks ) Let  $\mu, \nu$  be  $\sigma$ -finite measures on a measurable space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{B})$  such that  $\mu \ll \nu$ ,  $\nu \ll \mu$ . Show that  $(L^1(\mu))^* = (L^1(\nu))^*$ . Is  $L^1(\mu) = L^1(\nu)$ ?