



*(Knowledge for Development)*

**KIBABII UNIVERSITY**  
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**FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**  
**SPECIAL/ SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION**  
**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR SCIENCE**

**COURSE CODE:** MAT 405

**COURSE TITLE:** MEASURE THEORY

**DATE:** 17/02/2021

**TIME:** 2 PM - 4 PM

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer Question One and Any other TWO Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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**QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)( 30 marks)**

a) Show that the measure is additive

$$\text{i.e } \mu(\bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n \mu(E_i) \quad (8\text{mks})$$

b) Let  $A, B \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  with  $\mu^*(A) < \infty, \mu^*(B) < \infty$

$$\text{Prove that } |\mu^*(B) - \mu^*(A)| \leq \mu^*(A \Delta B) \quad (6 \text{ mks})$$

If  $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  and  $\mu^*(E) = 0$  then prove that  $E \in \mathcal{M}$  (6 mks)

a) Define the term measurable space, hence name any two examples of measurable spaces (5mks)

b) Let  $A, B \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  and  $\mu^*(A) = 0$  show that

$$\mu^*(A \cup B) = \mu^*(B) \quad (5\text{mks})$$

**QUESTION TWO ( 20 marks)**

a) State any three properties that are satisfied by the outer measure  $\mu^*$  (6mks)

b) State without proof lebesgue monotone convergent theorem. (4mks)

c) Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be non-empty sets and  $\mathcal{Y}$  be a  $\sigma$ -Algebra of subsets of  $Y$ .

Let  $f: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a function and  $\mathcal{X} = \{f^{-1}(E) : E \in \mathcal{Y}\}$ .

Then show that  $\mathcal{X}$  is a  $\sigma$ -Algebra of subsets of  $X$ . (10 mks)

**QUESTION THREE( 20 marks)**

a) Let  $(X, \mathcal{X}, \mu)$  be a measurable space and  $(f_n)$  a sequence of elements from  $m^+(X, \mathcal{X})$  then prove that ,

$$\int \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n d\mu \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int f_n d\mu \quad (16 \text{ marks})$$

b) Define an algebra (4 marks)

**QUESTION FOUR ( 20 marks)**

a) Let  $(X, \mathfrak{X}, \mu)$  be a measure space  $f, g \in M^+(X, \mathfrak{X})$  and  $c$  a non-negative real constant, show that  $\int (f + g) d\mu = \int f d\mu + \int g d\mu$

(10 mks)

b) Prove that the outer measure is countably sub - additive.

i.e.

$$\mu^* (\cup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n) \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu^* (E_n) \quad \forall n = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots \dots \dots \infty$$

(10 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE ( 20 marks)**

Let  $(X, \mathfrak{X}, \mu)$  be a measure space and  $(f_n)$  a monotone increasing sequence of elements of  $M^+(X, \mathfrak{X})$  converging to  $f$  pointwise on  $X$  . Then prove that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int f_n d\mu = \int f d\mu$$

(20 marks)