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**Problem 1.** Let  $-\infty < a < b < \infty$  and suppose  $\mathcal{B}$  is a countable collection of closed subintervals of  $(a, b)$ . Give the proof that there is a countable pairwise-disjoint subcollection  $\mathcal{B}' \subset \mathcal{B}$  such that

$$\bigcup_{I \in \mathcal{B}} I \subset \bigcup_{I \in \mathcal{B}'} \tilde{I},$$

where  $\tilde{I}$  denotes the 5-times enlargement of  $I$ ; thus if  $I = [x - \rho, x + \rho]$  then  $\tilde{I} = [x - 5\rho, x + 5\rho]$ .

Let  $E_n := \{I$

$$\begin{array}{lcl} \hline b-a & & \\ \hline 1/2(b-a) & & \{E_1 \\ \hline 1/4(b-a) & & \{E_2 \\ \hline 1/8(b-a) & & \{E_3 \\ \hline & & \{E_4 \\ & & \vdots \end{array}$$

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**Problem 2.** Assume that  $f$  is absolutely continuous on  $[0, 1]$ , and assume that  $f' = g$  a.e., where  $g$  is a continuous function. Prove that  $f$  is continuously differentiable on  $[0, 1]$ .

Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $x \in [0, 1]$ .  $g$  continuous  $\Rightarrow \exists \delta > 0$  s.t.

$\forall y \in (x - \delta, x + \delta) \cap [0, 1]$ ,  $|g(y) - g(x)| < \varepsilon$ .

$f$  absolutely continuous and  $g = f'$  a.e.  $\Rightarrow$  on any closed interval  $[a, b] \subset [0, 1]$ , we have  $\int_a^b g \, dm = f(b) - f(a)$ .

$$\text{We have } f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \int_x^{x+h} g \, dm$$

Thus as the sequence  $h_n \rightarrow 0$ ,  $\exists N \in \mathbb{N}$  s.t.

$\forall n \geq N$ ,  $|h_n| < \delta \Rightarrow |g(x+h_n) - g(x)| < \varepsilon \quad \forall n \geq N$ .

$$\Rightarrow (g(x) - \varepsilon)h = \int_x^{x+h} g(x) - \varepsilon \, dm \leq \int_x^{x+h} g \, dm \leq \int_x^{x+h} g(x) + \varepsilon \, dm = (g(x) + \varepsilon)h$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) - \varepsilon \leq f'(x) \leq g(x) + \varepsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = g(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f' = g \quad \forall x \Rightarrow f' \text{ continuous} \Rightarrow f \text{ cont. diff.}$$

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**Problem 3.** Let  $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mu)$  be a measure space such that  $\mu(X) = 1$ . Let  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_{50} \in \mathcal{M}$ . Assume that almost every point in  $X$  belongs to at least 10 of these sets. Prove that at least one of the sets has measure greater than or equal to  $1/5$ .

$$\text{Consider } \int_X \sum_{i=1}^{50} \chi_{A_i} d\mu = \sum_{i=1}^{50} \mu(A_i) \quad \text{since } \sum_{i=1}^{50} \chi_{A_i} \in L^+$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{50} \chi_{A_i}(x) \geq 10 \quad \text{a.e.} \Rightarrow \int_X \sum_{i=1}^{50} \chi_{A_i} d\mu \geq \int_X 10 d\mu = 10.$$

$$\text{Thus, } \sum_{i=1}^{50} \mu(A_i) \geq 10$$

$$\text{If } \mu(A_i) < \frac{1}{5} \quad \forall i, \text{ then } \sum_{i=1}^{50} \mu(A_i) < \sum_{i=1}^{50} \frac{1}{5} = 10 \Rightarrow \Leftarrow$$

$$\text{Hence } \mu(A_i) \geq \frac{1}{5} \text{ for some } i.$$

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**Problem 4.** Let  $f : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be absolutely continuous on every closed subinterval of  $[0, \infty)$  and

$$f(x) = f(0) - \int_0^x g(t) dt, \quad \text{for } x \geq 0,$$

where  $g \in \mathcal{L}^1([0, \infty))$ . Show that

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{f(2x) - f(x)}{x} dx = (\log 2) \int_0^\infty g(t) dt.$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty \frac{f(2x) - f(x)}{x} dx &= \int_0^\infty \frac{f(0) - \int_0^{2x} g(t) dt - f(0) + \int_0^x g(t) dt}{x} dx \\ &= \int_0^\infty \frac{-\int_x^{2x} g(t) dt}{x} dx \\ &= \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty -\frac{1}{x} g(t) \chi_{[x, 2x]}(t) dt dx \\ &= \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty -\frac{1}{x} g(t) \chi_{[t/2, t]}(x) dt dx \\ &= \int_0^\infty -g(t) \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{x} \chi_{[t/2, t]}(x) dx dt \quad * \\ &= \int_0^\infty -g(t) [h(t) - h(t/2)] dt \\ &= h(2) \int_0^\infty g(t) dt. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} * \text{ Tonelli } &\Rightarrow \int \left| -\frac{1}{x} g(t) \chi_{[t/2, t]}(x) \right| (dm(t) \times dm(x)) \\ &= \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \left| -\frac{1}{x} g(t) \chi_{[t/2, t]}(x) \right| dx dt \\ &= \int_0^\infty |g(t)| \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{x} \chi_{[t/2, t]}(x) dx dt \\ &= h(2) \int_0^\infty |g(t)| dt < \infty \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{x} g(t) \chi_{[t/2, t]}(x) \in L^1(m(t) \times m(x))$$

$\Rightarrow$  Fubini may be used.