

SPRING 1998 ANALYSIS QUALIFYING EXAM  
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DIRECTIONS. Do any seven of the following eight problems, using the paper and pens provided. Start each problem on a *fresh* sheet of paper. When you have completed the exam, be sure your name is printed on each page; sign the envelope, and return the exam papers in the envelope. You may keep this printed page.

*Problem 1.* Suppose  $f \in L^1(d\mu)$ . Prove: for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that for each measurable set  $A$  with  $\mu(A) < \delta$ , there holds

$$\left| \int_A f d\mu \right| < \varepsilon.$$

*Problem 2.* Let  $f$  be an entire function which is real on the real axis, not identically zero, and for which  $f(0) = 0$ . Prove: if  $f$  maps the imaginary axis into a straight line, then that straight line must be either the real axis or the imaginary axis.

*Problem 3.* Suppose  $\{f_n\}$  is a sequence of continuously differentiable functions on  $[0, 1]$  which converges in the  $L^1$  sense to 0, and whose derivatives  $\{f'_n\}$  also converge to 0 in the  $L^1$  sense. Prove:  $\{f_n\}$  converges to zero uniformly.

*Problem 4.* Suppose  $D$  is the open unit disk in  $\mathbb{C}$ , and  $f : D \rightarrow D$  satisfies  $f(1/2) = 1/2$ . Show that  $|f'(1/2)| \leq 3/4$ .

*Problem 5.* Let  $(X, \mathcal{T})$  be a topological space which has the property that every closed set  $F$  is the intersection of a *countable* family of open sets. Prove: any finite measure  $\mu$  on the Borel field of  $(X, \mathcal{T})$  is *regular*: for each Borel set  $E$  and each  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exist an open set  $G \supset E$  and a closed set  $F \subset E$  such that  $\mu(G \setminus F) < \varepsilon$ . (Hint: consider the collection of Borel sets  $E$  for which this condition is true.)

*Problem 6.* Let  $D$  be the open unit disk in  $\mathbb{C}$ , and let  $f : D \rightarrow D$  be analytic with  $f(0) = 0$ . Suppose

$$|f(z)| \geq \frac{1}{6} \quad \text{for all } |z| = \frac{1}{4}.$$

Show that  $f$  assumes every value in the disk  $|w| < \frac{1}{6}$ .

*Problem 7.* Let  $g : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be Lebesgue measurable, and suppose  $f(x, y) := g(x) - g(y)$  is Lebesgue integrable on  $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ . Prove:  $g$  is Lebesgue integrable.

*Problem 8.* Evaluate:  $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sqrt{x}}{1+x^3} dx$ .

Q4 : ...  $f$  analytic ... Show that  $|f'(1/2)| \leq 1$   
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