

MATH 6101 - HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT 1

DUE THURSDAY, JANUARY 26TH BY 6:00PM

Exercise 0.1 (The Lebesgue density topology on \mathbb{R}). For a Lebesgue measurable set $A \subset \mathbb{R}$, set

$$D(A) = \left\{ x \in \mathbb{R} \mid \lim_{x \in I, \text{diam}(I) \rightarrow 0} \frac{\lambda(A \cap I)}{\lambda(I)} = 1 \right\}.$$

We define a topology on \mathbb{R} by letting a base for the topology be given by all measurable sets A such that $A \subset D(A)$. Give a description of meager sets and use this to show that \mathbb{R} with the Lebesgue density topology is a Baire space.

Exercise 0.2. There is a continuous function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ which is not of bounded variation on any interval of positive length.

Exercise 0.3. There is a function of bounded variation $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ which is not monotone on any interval of positive length.

Exercise 0.4. The sum and product of two absolutely continuous function on a compact interval remains absolutely continuous.

Exercise 0.5. Let μ be a complex Borel measure on \mathbb{R} and set $f(x) = \mu((-\infty, x])$. Then f is absolutely continuous if and only if $\mu \ll \lambda$, and f is singular if and only if $\mu \perp \lambda$.