

## Statistics 330b/600b, Math 330b spring 2011

Homework # 5

Due: Thursday 17 February

*Please attempt at least the starred problems.*

- \*[1] Let  $\mu$  be a countably additive measure on  $(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{A})$ . Prove that  $\mu$  is sigma-finite if and only if there exists some  $\mathcal{A}$ -measurable function  $g$  taking values in  $(0, \infty)$  (that is,  $g$  is strictly positive and real valued) for which  $\mu g < \infty$ .
- \*[2] In class I sketched a proof of the Tonelli theorem (UGMTP Theorem 4.25) for the case of finite measures,  $\mu$  on  $(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{A})$  and  $\nu$  on  $(\mathcal{Y}, \mathcal{B})$ .
  - (i) Give a complete, rigorous proof of this version of the Theorem, using lambda-space results as on the handout *lambda-space.pdf*. Do not use  $\lambda$ -cones, and do not prove the corresponding theorem with  $\nu$  replaced by a kernel, as in UGMTP §4.3.
  - (ii) Extend the result from part (i) to the case of sigma-finite  $\mu$  and  $\nu$  by the following method. From Problem [1] there exist strictly positive, measurable functions  $g$  on  $\mathcal{X}$  and  $h$  on  $\mathcal{Y}$  for which  $\mu g < \infty$  and  $\nu h < \infty$ . Define finite measures by  $d\mu_0/d\mu = g$  and  $d\nu_0/d\nu = h$ . Deduce all necessary facts for  $\mu$  and  $\nu$  from the corresponding facts for  $\mu_0$  and  $\nu_0$ .
- [3] Homework Problem 3.2 asked you to prove facts about the Orlicz norm:  $\|f\|_\Psi = \inf\{c > 0 : \mu\Psi(|f|/c) \leq 1\}$ . Many of you assumed that  $\mu\Psi(|f|/c) \leq 1$  when  $c = \|f\|_\Psi$ , that is, that the infimum is achieved. Prove (rigorously) that the assumption is correct, at least when  $0 < \|f\|_\Psi < \infty$ .
- [4] The integrability assumption for Fubini and the sigma-finiteness for Tonelli are needed:
  - (i) UGMTP Problem 4.12
  - (ii) UGMTP Problem 4.13
- [5] (Hellinger distance between product measures) UGMTP Problem 4.18.