

**Extra:** Make each  $\tau_n$  ergodic.

End of Home-C

**Intro.** Due, no later than 4PM, Friday, 23Apr2010, slid completely under my office door, LIT402.

Below,  $(X, \mathcal{X}, \mu)$  is a non-atomic Lebesgue probability space.

**C1:** i Suppose  $(T: X, \mathcal{X}, \mu)$  is weak-mixing, and  $S \in C(T)$ . If  $S$  ergodic, prove that  $S$  itself is weak-mixing.

ii Construct a weak-mixing  $(T: X, \mathcal{X}, \mu)$  and non-ergodic  $S \in C(T)$  st.  $S \neq Id$ .

**C2:** Let  $G$  be the semigroup of mpts on  $(X, \mu)$ . Given a  $B \in \mathcal{X}$ , define a pseudo-metric  $d_B$  on  $G$  by

$$d_B(S, T) := \mu(S^{-1}(B) \Delta T^{-1}(B)).$$

Let  $\vec{B} = (B_k)_{k=1}^\infty$  be a  $\mu$ -dense family of sets. With  $d_k := d_{B_k}$ , define

$$1: \quad m(S, T) := \sum_{k=1}^\infty \frac{1}{2^k} \cdot d_k(S, T),$$

which perforce is a pseudo-metric.

a Prove: **PROPOSITION.** *If  $m(S, T) = 0$ , then  $\forall E \in \mathcal{X}: d_E(S, T) = 0$ . If  $\tau_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} T$  in  $(G, m)$ , then  $\forall E \in \mathcal{X}: d_E(\tau_n, T) \rightarrow 0$ .*

Here is a: **FACT.** *If  $S \not\stackrel{a.e}{=} T$ , then  $\exists E \in \mathcal{X}$  st.  $d_E(S, T) > 0$ .* This fact shows that  $m$  separates points in  $G$ , hence is a metric on  $G$ . (Optional: Prove the above FACT.)

b Fix sequences  $\sigma_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} S$  and  $\tau_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} T$  in  $(G, m)$ . Our goal: **THM.**  $m(\sigma_n \tau_n, ST) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$ .

First show that ISTFix a  $B \in \vec{B}$  and establish

$$2: \quad d_B(\sigma_n \tau_n, ST) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0.$$

Now prove (??) by using the triangle inequality and the above PROPOSITION.

c Produce an example of convergence

$$\tau_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} T \text{ in } (G, m),$$

where each  $\tau_n$  is invertible, but  $T$  is not. [*Hint:* This is the “creativity” part of the project. Necessarily, you can *not* have that  $[\forall n, \ell: \tau_n \Leftrightarrow \tau_\ell]$ , since that would force the limit transformation to be invertible.]

**C1:** \_\_\_\_\_ 85pts

**C2:** \_\_\_\_\_ 180pts

**Total:** \_\_\_\_\_ 265pts

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