Mathematics 4790H – Analysis II: Topology and Measure

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Assignment #10 Basic Bounds and Cute (?) Convergence

Due on Friday, 28 March.*

1. Suppose $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ is Lebesgue-measurable and bounded, and $E \subset \mathbb{R}$ is a Lebesque-measurable set with $|E| < \infty$. Verify that

$$|E| \cdot \inf \{ f(x) \mid x \in E \} \le \int_{E} f(x) \, dx \le |E| \cdot \sup \{ f(x) \mid x \in E \}.$$
 [4]

2. Give an example of a sequence $\{f_i\}$ of simple and Lebesgue-measurable functions $f_i: \mathbb{R} \to [0, \infty)$ such that $\lim_{i \to \infty} f_i(x) = 0$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$, but $\lim_{i \to \infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}} f_i(x) \, dx = 1$. [6]

^{*} Please submit your solutions, preferably as a single pdf, via Blackboard's Assignments module. If that fails, please submit them to the instructor on paper or via email to sbilaniuk@trentu.ca as soon as you can.