

22.) [3 points] Let  $(\Omega, \mathcal{A}, \mathbb{P}) = ([0, 1], \mathcal{B}_{[0,1]}, \lambda)$  be the Lebesgue probability space, and let

$$(\Omega^*, \mathcal{A}^*, \mathbb{P}^*) = (\{0, 1\}^{\mathbb{N}}, \mathcal{P}(\{0, 1\}^{\mathbb{N}}), B(1, \frac{1}{2}))^{\mathbb{N}}$$

be the product space of countably many copies of the standard Bernoulli space (i.e.,  $B(1, \frac{1}{2})$  is Bernoulli distribution with  $\theta = \frac{1}{2}$ ).

Consider the mapping  $\tau : [0, 1) \rightarrow \Omega^*$ ,

$$\tau(\omega) = (X_n(\omega))_{n \in \mathbb{N}},$$

where  $X_n$  is as in Exercise 18.

Show that  $\tau$  is measurable and injective. Determine  $\mathbb{P}^*(\Omega^* \setminus \tau(\Omega))$ . Show that  $\tau$  is measure preserving, that is,  $\mathbb{P}(\tau^{-1}A) = \mathbb{P}^*(A)$  for every  $A \in \mathcal{A}^*$ .

23.) [3 points] Let  $T : [0, 1) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  be the mapping  $T(\omega) = 2\omega - \lfloor 2\omega \rfloor$  on the Lebesgue probability space.

Prove that  $T$  is measure preserving and ergodic.

Hint: you can combine Exercise 22 with the Kolmogorov 0-1 Law.

24.) Let  $(X_n)_{n \geq 1}$  be a sequence of independent, real random variables defined on a probability space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{A}, \mathbb{P})$ .

a) [3 points] Show that the  $\sigma$ -algebras  $\mathcal{A}(X_1, \dots, X_k)$  and  $\mathcal{A}(X_{k+1}, \dots, X_n)$  are independent for any choice of  $k, n$  with  $1 \leq k < n$ .

Hint: recall that  $\mathcal{A}(X_{k+1}, \dots, X_n)$  consists of all events  $[(X_1, \dots, X_k) \in B]$ , where  $B$  is in the Borel  $\sigma$ -algebra of  $\mathbb{R}^k$ . Use the fact that the latter is generated by the semialgebra of all sets  $B_1 \times \dots \times B_k$ , where  $B_j$  is a Borel set in  $\mathbb{R}$ , and analogously for  $\mathbb{R}^{n-k}$ .

b) [3 points] Show that the  $\sigma$ -algebras  $\mathcal{A}(X_1, \dots, X_k)$  and  $\mathcal{A}(X_{k+1}, X_{k+2}, \dots)$  are independent.

Deduce that if  $f(X_1, \dots, X_k)$  and  $g(X_{k+1}, X_{k+2}, \dots)$  are measurable (real) functions of the respective sequences, then they are also independent.

Remark: “measurable” means that  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Borel measurable, and that  $g : \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is well defined and Borel measurable with respect to the infinite product Borel  $\sigma$ -algebra restricted to the range of  $(X_{k+1}, X_{k+2}, \dots)$ .

Example:  $|X_n| \leq 1$  for all  $n$ , and  $g(X_{k+1}, X_{k+2}, \dots) = \sum_{n=k+1}^{\infty} 2^{-n} X_n$ .

c) [2pt] Now let  $(Y_n)_{n \geq 1}$  be a second sequence of independent random variables, independent of  $(X_n)_{n \geq 1}$ . [That is, the random variables  $X_1, Y_1, X_2, Y_2, \dots$  are all independent.]

Show that  $\mathcal{A}(X_1, X_2, \dots)$  and  $\mathcal{A}(Y_1, Y_2, \dots)$  are independent.

Deduce that, as an example, if  $|X_n|, |Y_n| \leq 1$  for all  $n$ , then

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^{-n} X_n \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^{-n} Y_n \quad \text{are independent.}$$

For a complex-valued random variable  $U + \mathbf{i}V$ , the expectation is defined as  $\mathbb{E}(U + \mathbf{i}V) = \mathbb{E}(U) + \mathbf{i}\mathbb{E}(V)$ , if both  $U$  and  $V$  are integrable ( $\iff \mathbb{E}(|U + \mathbf{i}V|) < \infty$ ).

The *characteristic function*  $\varphi_X : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  of a real random variable  $X$  is defined as

$$\varphi_X(t) = \mathbb{E}(e^{\mathbf{i}tX}).$$

25.) [3 points]

a) Determine the characterisitic function of  $X$ , if  $X$  has Bernoulli distribution  $B(1, \theta)$

b) Let  $X, Y$  be two independent random variables. Express the characteristic function of  $X + Y$  in terms of the characteristic functions of  $X$  and of  $Y$ .

c) Determine the characteristic function of  $X$ , if  $X$  has binomial distribution  $B(n, \theta)$ .

Use parts *a* and *b* for solving *c*!

26.) [3 points] Determine the characteristic function of  $X$ , if  $X$  is

a) Poisson distributed with parameter  $\xi > 0$ ,

b) uniformly distributed on  $[0, 1]$ ,

c) exponentially distributed with parameter  $\lambda > 0$ .