Math 44500 (Cowen)

Homework 4

- **A.** (1) Prove that if S is a subset of \mathbb{R} such that S is a set of measure zero (a null set) and T is a subset of S, then T is a set of measure zero also.
 - (2) Let S be a non-empty subset of \mathbb{R} such that S is a set of measure zero. Prove that every connected subset of S is $\{p\}$ where p is a point of S.
- **B.** Let a and b be real numbers with a < b and suppose f is a continuous real-valued function on [a, b]. Define F on [a, b] by $F(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{x} f(t) dt$.

$$[a,b]$$
. Define F on $[a,b]$ by $F'(x) = \int_a f(t) dt$.

- (1) For c with a < c < b, let $G(x) = \int_{c}^{\infty} f(t) dt$. Write G in terms of F.
- (2) Find G'(x) for c < x < b.
- (3) For c with a < c < b, let $H(x) = \int_{x}^{c} f(t) dt$. Write H in terms of F.
- (4) Find H'(x) for a < x < c.

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Sections 11.3 and 11.4 are related to things covered in class relevant to these problems.

- C. Let S and T be sets and let f be a function on S with values in T, that is, f : S → T, or for each s in S, f(s) is a point of T.
 Find an example of sets S and T and a function f : S → T and subsets P and Q of S, such that f(P) ∩ f(Q) ≠ f(P ∩ Q)
- **D.** Let S and T be sets and let f be a function on S with values in T, that is, $f: S \mapsto T$: Prove, for subsets U and V of T, that $f^{-1}(U) \cap f^{-1}(V) = f^{-1}(U \cap V)$
- **E.** Let X be a metric space with metric d and suppose f is a function mapping X into itself, that is, for each x in X, $f(x) \in X$. Recall that we defined the function f is continuous on X if, for each open set U in X, the set $f^{-1}(U)$ is also open in X.
 - Prove: The function f is continuous on X if and only if for each point a in X and each sequence (x_n) such that $\lim_{n \to \infty} x_n = a$, we have $\lim_{n \to \infty} f(x_n) = f(a)$.