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Real Analysis I  
Exercise 7  
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1. Let  $E \subset \mathbb{R}$  be Lebesgue-measurable and  $m(E) > 0$ . Show that

$$E - E = \{a - b : a, b \in E\}$$

contains an interval.

2. (a) Let  $G \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be an open set. Show that every point in  $G$  is a density point of  $G$ .  
(b) Demonstrate with the help of an example that a point in the complement of an open set  $G$  can be a density point of  $G$ .  
(c) Construct a subset  $A$  of  $\mathbb{R}$ , such that  $A$  is not open, even though every point  $x \in A$  is a density point of  $A$ .
3. Let  $\mathbb{Q} = \{q_k : k \in \mathbb{N}\}$  be the set of all rational numbers. Define

$$f(x) = \sum_{\substack{k \in \mathbb{N} \\ q_k \leq x}} 2^{-k}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Prove:

- (a)  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (0, 1)$  is strictly increasing.  
(b)  $f$  is continuous at  $x \iff x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$ .
4. (a) Exhibit a (simple) example of a function  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , which has bounded variation, but is not continuous.  
(b) Let  $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } 0 < x \leq 1, \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0. \end{cases}$$

Show that  $f$  is continuous, but that  $f$  does not have bounded variation.

5. The function  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a Lipschitz-function, if there is a constant  $L < \infty$ , so that  $|f(x) - f(y)| \leq L|x - y|$  for all  $x, y \in [a, b]$ . Show:  
(a) every continuously differentiable function  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Lipschitz,  
(b) every Lipschitz-function has bounded variation,  
(c) every Lipschitz-function is differentiable a.e.
6. Let  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be of bounded variation. Denote  $V(x) = V_f(a, x)$ . Prove that  $f$  is continuous  $\iff V$  is continuous.