

**8.22.** We integrate by parts:

$$\begin{aligned}\|\xi\|_p^p &= p \int_0^\infty \lambda^{p-1} \mathbf{P}\{\xi > \lambda\} d\lambda \leq p \int_0^\infty \lambda^{p-2} \mathbf{E}[\zeta; \xi > \lambda] d\lambda \\ &= p \mathbf{E} \left[ \zeta \int_0^\xi \lambda^{p-2} d\lambda \right] = \frac{p}{p-1} \mathbf{E}[\zeta \xi^{p-1}],\end{aligned}$$

by Fubini–Tonelli. Let  $a > 1$  be fixed, and define  $b$  by  $a^{-1} + b^{-1} = 1$ . Then, Hölder’s inequality shows us that

$$\|\xi\|_p^p \leq \frac{p}{p-1} (\mathbf{E}[\zeta^a])^{1/a} \left( \mathbf{E}[\xi^{b(p-1)}] \right)^{1/b}.$$

Apply this with  $a := p$ , so that  $b = p/(p-1)$ , and we get

$$\|\xi\|_p^p \leq \frac{p}{p-1} \|\zeta\|_p^p \cdot \|\xi\|_p^{(1/p)-1}.$$

If  $\|\xi\|_p = 0$  then there is nothing to prove. Else,  $\|\xi\|_p > 0$ , and we can divide the preceding by  $\|\xi\|_p$  and solve to finish the first portion.

Apply the said result with  $\xi := \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} X_i$  and  $\zeta := X_n$  to obtain Doob’s maximal inequality (8.70). Finally, apply this to the proof of Theorem 8.20 to finish.