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## [7] 1. Operator and its properties

Let the operator  $L: L^2((0,1)) \to L^2((0,1))$  be defined through

$$(Lu)(x) := \int_0^x u(s) \,\mathrm{d}s$$

- 1. Show that for every  $u \in L^2((0,1))$ , the function Lu is Hölder continuous; in fact you should show that  $u \in C^{0,\frac{1}{2}}((0,1))$ . Is then  $L \in \mathcal{L}(L^2((0,1)))$ ?
- 2. Show that  $L: L^2((0,1)) \to L^2((0,1))$  is compact.
- 3. Find the adjoint operator  $L^*$  to L.
- 4. Does the equation u-Lu = g have a unique solution for a given  $g \in L^2((0,1))$ ? Explain in detail. If g is differentiable, what ODE is satisfied by such a solution?

## [7] 2. Spectrum

Consider  $L: \ell^{\infty} \to \ell^{\infty}$  defined through

$$L: (x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) \mapsto (x_2, x_3, \dots).$$
(1)

- 1. Show that  $L \in \mathcal{L}(\ell^{\infty})$  and its norm equals to 1. Is L onto? Is L one-to-one?
- 2. Define the definition of spectrum, point spectrum, essential spectrum, continuous spectrum and residual spectrum (for any  $L \in \mathcal{L}(X)$ , X being a Banach space). Give definition of spectral radius, its characterization and the upper bound.
- 3. Determine all these spectra for the operator L from (1).

## [10] 3. Weakly converging sequence

Let X be a Banach space.

- 1. Define  $X^*$  and explain why  $X^*$  is a Banach space.
- 2. Give the definitions of  $\{x_n\}$  converges to x (i) strongly, (ii) in the norm, (iii) weakly, (iv) \*-weakly.
- 3. Explain correctness of the concept of weak convergence.
- 4. Show that if  $\{\Phi_n\}$  converges to  $\Phi$  in  $X^*$ , then  $\{\Phi_n\}$  converges to  $\Phi^*$ -weakly.
- 5. Show that weakly converging sequence is bounded.
- 6. Give an explicit description of  $\{f_n\}$  converges to f weakly in  $L^p(\Omega)$ .
- 7. Is  $\{\sin(nx)\}\$  converging weakly in  $L^2((0,1))$ ? If so, what is the (weak) limit?
- 8. Is  $\{\sqrt{n}\sin(nx)\}\$  converging weakly in  $L^2((0,1))$ ?

## [6] 4. Weak formulation

Consider the problem: given  $f \in L^2(\Omega)$  and two functions  $a, c \in L^{\infty}(\Omega)$ , find  $u : \Omega \to \mathbb{R}$  satisfying

$$-\operatorname{div}(a(x)\nabla u) + c(x)u = f \quad \text{in } \Omega,$$
  
$$u = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial\Omega.$$
 (2)

- 1. Give the definition of weak solution to (2).
- 2. Find sufficient (but general) conditions on a and c so that you can guarantee the existence and uniqueness of weak solution. Provide the explanation.
- 3. What conditions on u guarantee that weak solution satisfies the first equation in (2) almost everywhere (pointwise)? Give explanation.