

WEEK 4
LINEAR TRANSFORMATIONS
CH. 4.6 - 4.7 FROM AVNER FRIEDMAN
FOUNDATIONS OF MORDERN ANALYSIS

Definition. Let T be a one-to-one linear operator $T : X \rightarrow Y$. Then the inverse operator T^{-1} is defined as

$$T^{-1}y = x \quad \text{iff} \quad Tx = y.$$

Note that domain T^{-1} is a linear subspace of Y .

Theorem 4.1. (AFr 4.6.2)

Let X and Y be Banach spaces and let T be a one-to-one bounded linear map from X onto Y . Then T^{-1} is a bounded map.

Corollary 4.2. (AFr 4.6.3)

Let X be Banach spaces equipped with either $\|\cdot\|_1$ or $\|\cdot\|_2$. Suppose that there exists a constant K s.t.

$$\|x\|_1 \leq K \|x\|_2 \quad \text{for all} \quad x \in X.$$

Then there exists a constant K' s.t.

$$\|x\|_2 \leq K' \|x\|_1 \quad \text{for all} \quad x \in X.$$

Definition. Let X and Y be linear vector spaces and let $T : X \rightarrow Y$, where T is defined on D_T . Then

$$G_T = \{(x, Tx) : x \in D_T\} \subset X \times Y$$

is called the graph of T .

If G_T is a closed set in $X \times Y$ then we say that T is a closed operator.

Note that T is closed *iff*

$$x_n \in D_T \quad x_n \rightarrow x, \quad Tx_n \rightarrow y \implies x \in D_T, \quad Tx = y.$$

Theorem 4.3. (AFr 4.6.4) (Closed graph theorem)

Let X and Y be Banach spaces and let $T : X \rightarrow Y$ be a linear operator with $D_T = X$. If T is closed then T is continuous.

Definition. Let X and Y be linear vector spaces and let $T : X \rightarrow Y$ defined on D_T . A linear operator $S : X \rightarrow Y$ is called an extension of T if $D_T \subset D_S$ and $Tx = Sx$ for all $x \in D_T$.

Definition. Let X be a linear vector space and Y be a normed space. Let $T : X \rightarrow Y$ defined on D_T . Suppose that there exists S such that

- (i) S is a closed linear operator
- (ii) S is an extension of T
- (iii) If S' satisfies (i) and (ii), then S' is an extension of S .

Then we say that S is a closure of T . The closure of T is denoted by \bar{T} .

Theorem 4.4. (AFr 4.6.4) (Closed graph theorem)

Let X and Y be Banach spaces. T has a closure \bar{T} iff

$$x_n \in D_T, \quad x_n \rightarrow 0, \quad Tx_n \rightarrow y \implies y = 0.$$

Example 1. Let $X = L^2(0, 1)$ and let $Tf(x) = f(0)$ with $D_T = C^1[0, 1]$.

We show that T cannot be closed.

Indeed, let $f_n(x) = (1 - x)^n$. Then $f_n \in D_T$, $\|f_n\|_{L^2(0,1)} \rightarrow 0$, $n \rightarrow \infty$, but $Tf_n = 1$.

Note that in this case $G_T = \{(f, f(0)) : f \in D_T\}$ and $\|(f, Tf)\| = \|f\|_{L^2} + |f(0)|$.

Example 2. Let $X = L^2(0, 1)$, $Tf(x) = f'(x)$ and $D_T = C^1[0, 1]$.

We show that T can be closed.

The operator T is not closed as it is defined on $C^1[0, 1]$ which is not a closed set in $L^2(0, 1)$. In order to show that T can be closed it is enough to show that

$$f_n \in D_T, \quad f_n \rightarrow 0, \quad Tf_n \rightarrow g \implies g = 0.$$

Let $\|f_n\|_{L^2} \rightarrow 0$, $f_n \in C^1[0, 1]$ and let

$$\int_0^1 |f'_n(x) - g(x)|^2 dx \rightarrow 0.$$

For any $\varphi \in C_0^1[0, 1]$ ($\varphi(0) = \varphi(1) = 0$) we have

$$\left| \int_0^1 (f'_n(x) - g(x))\varphi(x) dx \right| \leq \left(\int_0^1 |f'_n(x) - g(x)|^2 dx \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_0^1 |\varphi(x)|^2 dx \right)^{1/2} \rightarrow 0,$$

which implies

$$\int_0^1 f'_n(x)\varphi(x) dx \rightarrow \int_0^1 g(x)\varphi(x) dx.$$

On the other hand

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \int_0^1 f'_n(x) \varphi(x) dx \right| &= \left| \int_0^1 f_n(x) \varphi'(x) dx \right| \\ &\leq \left(\int_0^1 |f_n(x)|^2 dx \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_0^1 |\varphi'(x)|^2 dx \right)^{1/2} \rightarrow 0, \quad n \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\left| \int_0^1 g(x) \varphi(x) dx \right| = 0$$

for any $\varphi \in C_0^1[0, 1]$ which means that $g = 0$ as an L^2 function.

Linear Functionals.

Definition. Let X be a linear vector space and let $p : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}(\mathbb{C})$ be a linear operator. Then p is called a real(complex) linear functional.

Examples.

- $p : f(x) \rightarrow f(0), f \in C(-1, 1)$.
- Let $f \in L^2(0, 2\pi)$ and let

$$f(x) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} a_n e^{-inx} / \sqrt{2\pi}$$

be its Fourier series.

Then $p_n(f) = a_n$ is a complex linear functional on $L^2(0, 2\pi)$.

- Let $g \in L^2(0, 1)$. We define $p = p_g$ such that

$$p_g(f) = \int_0^1 f(x) g(x) dx.$$

Definition. A partially ordered set S is a non-empty set with a relation " \leq " satisfying the properties:

- $x \leq x$.
- $x \leq y, y \leq z \implies x \leq z$.

If for any $x, y \in S$ either $x \leq y$ or $y \leq x$ then S is called totally ordered.

Definition. Let $T \subset S$, and S be partially ordered. The element $x \in S$ is called an upper bound if for any $y \in T$, we have $y \leq x$.

Definition. Let S be partially ordered. The element $x \in S$ is called maximal if for any $y \in S$ the relation $x \leq y$ implies $y \leq x$.

Theorem. (Zorn's lemma)

If S is a partially ordered set s.t. every totally ordered subset has an upper bound, then S has a maximal element.

Home exercises.

1. Let X be a Banach space. Show that if $T, S, T^{-1}, S^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(X, X)$ then $(TS)^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(X, X)$ and $(TS)^{-1} = S^{-1}T^{-1}$.

2. (ex. 4.6.2 from AFr)

Let X be a Banach space and let $A \in \mathcal{B}(X, X)$, $\|A\| < 1$. Show that $(I + A)^{-1}$ exists and

$$(I + A)^{-1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n A^n.$$

3. (ex. 4.6.3 from AFr)

Let X be a Banach space and let T and T^{-1} belong to $\mathcal{B}(X, X)$. Show that if $S \in \mathcal{B}(X, X)$ and $\|S - T\| < 1/\|T^{-1}\|$, then S^{-1} exists and

$$\|S^{-1} - T^{-1}\| < \frac{\|T^{-1}\|}{1 - \|S - T\|\|T^{-1}\|}.$$

4. Let $X = L^2(0, 2\pi)$,

$$\varphi_n = \left\{ \frac{e^{inx}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right\}_{n=-\infty}^{\infty}.$$

Let $\psi \in X$ be an element which is not a finite linear combination of φ_n and let D be a set of all finite linear combinations of $\{\varphi_n\}$. Denote by T the operator

$$T\left(b\psi + \sum_{i=-M}^N c_i \varphi_i\right) = b\psi,$$

defined on $D_T = \{b\psi + \alpha\varphi, \varphi \in D\}$. Show that \overline{G}_T is not a graph. (Namely, show that $(\psi, \psi) \in \overline{G}_T$ and $(\psi, 0) \in \overline{G}_T$.)