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EXERCISES

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12.1 For $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots) \in l^2$ ($\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{C}$), define

$$Sx := \left(x_2, \frac{x_3}{2}, \frac{x_4}{3}, \dots \right), \quad Tx = \left(0, x_1, \frac{x_2}{2}, \frac{x_3}{3}, \dots \right).$$

Clearly, $S, T \in \mathcal{L}(l^2, l^2)$. Determine:

$$1) \sigma(S), \sigma_p(S); \tag{2 P}$$

$$2) \sigma(T), \sigma_p(T). \tag{2 P}$$

[Hint First show: S and T are compact operators.]

12.2 Let $a \in L^{p'}(0, 1)$ ($\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{R}$; $p' = \frac{p}{p-1}$, $1 < p < +\infty$) be fixed. For $u \in L^p(0, 1)$, define

$$(Tu)(t) := \int_0^t a(s)u(s)ds, \quad t \in [0, 1].$$

Prove: $T \in \mathcal{K}(L^p(0, 1), C([0, 1]))$. (2 P)

12.3 DEFINITION Let $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{R}$. Define

$$H^1(0, 1) := \left\{ u \in L^2(0, 1); \exists w \in L^2(0, 1) \text{ s. t. } \int_0^1 u\varphi' dt = - \int_0^1 w\varphi dt \quad \forall \varphi \in C_c^\infty([0, 1]) \right\}.$$

$H^1(0, 1)$ is called **Sobolev space**. Clearly,

- w is uniquely determined by u . Notation: $u' := w$ = weak derivative of u ;
- $C^1([0, 1])$ can be identified with a subspace of $H^1(0, 1)$;

- the mapping $Tu := u'$, $u \in H^1(0, 1)$ is unbounded in $L^2(0, 1)$, i. e. $\exists u_n \in H^1(0, 1)$ s. t. $\|u_n\|_{L^2} \leq 1$ and $\|Tu_n\|_{L^2} \rightarrow +\infty$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Prove:

1) $H^1(0, 1)$ is a Hilbert space w. r. to the scalar product

$$(u, v)_{H^1} := \int_0^1 (uv + u'v') dt. \quad (\mathbf{2 P})$$

[*Remark.* It suffices to prove the completeness of $H^1(0, 1)$.]

2) If $(u_n) \subset H^1(0, 1)$ s. t.

$$u_n \rightharpoonup u, \quad Tu_n \rightharpoonup z \text{ in } L^2(0, 1),$$

then: $u \in H^1(0, 1)$, $Tu = z$. (1 P)

The following is known. *For every* $u \in H^1(0, 1)$ $\exists \tilde{u} \in C([0, 1])$, $\gamma = \gamma_u = \text{const}$ s. t.

$$\tilde{u} \in u, \quad \tilde{u}(t) = \gamma + \int_0^t u'(s) ds \quad \forall t \in [0, 1].$$

Use this to prove: 3) For $(u_n) \subset H^1(0, 1)$ s. t. $u_n \rightharpoonup u$ in $H^1(0, 1)$, there exists a subsequence (u_{n_k}) s. t. $(\tilde{u}_{n_k}) \subset C([0, 1])$, $\tilde{u}_{n_k} \rightarrow \tilde{u}$ in $C([0, 1])$ and $\tilde{u} \in u$. (5 P)

Hand in solutions: **January 29, 2009; first lecture.**