

Spectral Theory

2nd Exercise Sheet

Exercise 6:

Let A be a closed linear operator in X .

1. Let X be reflexive, $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $\mathcal{D}(A)$ such that $x_n \rightarrow x$ in X and $\sup_n \|Ax_n\| < \infty$. Show that $x \in \mathcal{D}(A)$.
2. This is false, in general, if X is not reflexive. Show this for the following:
Let $X = C([0, 1])$ and $A = \frac{d}{dx}$ with the domain $\mathcal{D}(A) = C^1([0, 1])$.

Exercise 7:

Let A be a linear operator from X to Y . Show that the following are equivalent:

1. The operator A is closable,
2. $\overline{\text{gr}(A)}$ is a graph of a linear operator from X to Y ,
3. if x_n is a sequence in $\mathcal{D}(A)$ such that $x_n \rightarrow 0$ in X and $Ax_n \rightarrow y$ in Y then $y = 0$.

Exercise 8:

Let X be a Banach space and $\Phi : \mathcal{D}(\Phi) \subseteq X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be linear and $\mathcal{D}(\Phi)$ be dense in X . Then

$$\Phi \text{ closable} \Leftrightarrow \Phi \text{ bounded}.$$

Exercise 9:

1. Let $m \in L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ be fixed. We define the operator $(Sf)(t) := m(t)f(t+1)$ for $f \in L^1(\mathbb{R})$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$ a.e. Show that the operator S is bounded and determine $S' \in \mathcal{L}(L^\infty(\mathbb{R}))$.
2. Let $T : L^1(0, 1) \rightarrow c_0$ be defined as $(Tf)_n = \int_0^1 f(t)t^n dt$. Show that the operator T is linear, bounded and determine T' .
3. Let $X = L^2(0, 1)$ and $A = \frac{d^2}{dx^2}$ with the domain $\mathcal{D}(A) = C_c^\infty(0, 1)$. Show that $W^{2,2}(0, 1) \subseteq \mathcal{D}(A)$, $A'g = g''$ for $g \in W^{2,2}(0, 1)$ and that A is closable.