

Exercise 17

Let X be a Banach Space, $\mathcal{F} \subset X$

Assume for any $\varepsilon > 0 \exists \mathcal{B}_\varepsilon(x_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$ s.t.

$$\mathcal{F} \subset \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{B}_\varepsilon(x_n).$$

Let $(u_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in X . For a sequence $(\varepsilon_k)_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ with $\varepsilon_k \rightarrow 0$ ($k \rightarrow \infty$) choose

$$(x_{n,k})_{n=1}^{\infty} \text{ s.t. } \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{B}_{\varepsilon_k}(x_{n,k}) \supset \mathcal{F}. \text{ For } k=0$$

there is n_0^0 s.t. $u_n \in \mathcal{B}_{\varepsilon_0}(x_{n_0^0})$ for infinitely many

n . Choose a subsequence u_n^0 s.t. $(u_n^0)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in \mathcal{B}_{\varepsilon_0}(x_{n_0^0})$

$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$. Next choose n_1^0 s.t. $u_n^0 \in \mathcal{B}_{\varepsilon_1}(x_{n_1^0})$ for infinitely many n and again choose a subsequence

$(u_n^1)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ of u_n^0 with $u_n^1 \in \mathcal{B}_{\varepsilon_1}(x_{n_1^1})$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Proceed inductively. Note that $x_{n_m^0} \in \mathcal{B}_{2\varepsilon_{m-1}}(x_{n_{m-1}^0})$

$\forall m \geq 1$ as $\varepsilon_m < \varepsilon_{m-1}$, otherwise $\mathcal{B}_{\varepsilon_m}(x_{n_m^0}) \cap \mathcal{B}_{\varepsilon_{m-1}}(x_{n_{m-1}^0}) = \emptyset$

$\Rightarrow x_{n_m^0}$ is a Cauchy sequence and hence

converges to some x . Then $u_n^m \rightarrow x$ as

for any $\varepsilon > 0$ choose n s.t. $\varepsilon_n + \varepsilon_{n-1} < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$

$$\text{and } |u_n^m - x| \leq |u_n^m - x_{n_m^0}| + |x_{n_m^0} - x|$$

$$\leq \varepsilon_n + \varepsilon_{n-1} < \varepsilon$$

Assume now there is a sequence $(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ in X without a converging subsequence.

Then there is $\epsilon > 0$ and a subsequence $(x_n)_n$ s.t. $\|x_n - x_m\| \geq \epsilon \quad \forall m \neq n$

\Rightarrow Any finite cover of \mathcal{F} with radii $\frac{\epsilon}{2}$ cannot cover $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{F}$.

Exercise 11

$\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ bounded, open, connected $\Gamma_0 \subset \partial\Omega$ with $\partial(\Gamma_0) > 0$.

(a) Claim: $\forall u \in H_{\Gamma_0}^1(\Omega): \int_{\Gamma_0} u \, d\sigma = 0$

Proof: Take $(u_n) \in C_{\Gamma_0}^\infty(\Omega)$ approximating u in H^1 .

Then $\left| \int_{\Gamma_0} u \, d\sigma \right| \stackrel{\text{def of trace}}{=} \int_{\Gamma_0} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |u_n| \, d\sigma \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\Gamma_0} |u_n| \, d\sigma = 0$ on Γ_0 .

(b) Assume $\sup_{u \in H_{\Gamma_0}^1(\Omega) \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|u\|_{L^2}}{\|\nabla u\|_{L^2}} = \inf_{u \in H_{\Gamma_0}^1(\Omega) \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|\nabla u\|_{L^2}}{\|u\|_{L^2}} = 0$. Then

there is a sequence (u_n) in $H_{\Gamma_0}^1(\Omega)$ s.t. $\|u_n\|_{L^2} = 1$ and $\|\nabla u_n\|_{L^2} \rightarrow 0$. As $H_{\Gamma_0}^1(\Omega) \subset L^2(\Omega)$ is cpt there is a $u \in H_{\Gamma_0}^1(\Omega)$

with $\Delta u = 0$ and $\|u\|_{L^2} = 1$. (as $(u_n) \rightrightarrows$ bdd implies $u_n \xrightarrow{H_{\Gamma_0}^1} u$ for some u . $\xrightarrow{k-R} u_n \rightarrow u$ in L^2)

$\Rightarrow u$ is constant $\Rightarrow u = u|_{\Gamma_0} = 0 \nless \|u\|_{L^2} = 1$

(c) Define $M: H_{\partial\Omega}^1(\Omega) \times H_{\Gamma_0}^1(\Omega) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, M(u,v) = \int \nabla u \cdot \nabla v$

Then: $|M(u,v)| \leq \|u\|_{H_{\partial\Omega}^1} \cdot \|v\|_{H_{\Gamma_0}^1}$

$M(u,u) = \int |\nabla u|^2 \geq \frac{1}{C} \|u\|_{H_{\partial\Omega}^1}^2$

and $\int f \cdot u \leq \|f\| \cdot \|u\| \leq C \|f\| \cdot \|\nabla u\| = C \|f\| \cdot \|u\|_{H_{\partial\Omega}^1}$

(Lax-Milgram \Rightarrow)

The bvp
$$\begin{cases} \Delta u = f & \text{in } \Omega \\ u = 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega \end{cases}$$

has a unique weak solution