

Functional Analysis

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Due: Tuesday 19 June 2012 by 6 pm in the designated “FA” box on the 1st floor

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|| *Each exercise is worth a full mark of 10 points. Correct answers without proofs are not accepted. Each step should be justified. You can hand in your solutions either in German or in English.* ||

Exercise 33. (Every separable Banach space is a quotient of ℓ^1)

Let X be a separable Banach space over $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{R}$ or \mathbb{C} . Consider ℓ^1 over the same field \mathbb{K} .

- (i) Produce a bounded linear map from ℓ^1 onto X (“onto” = surjective).
- (ii) Show that there exists a closed linear subspace $Y \subset \ell^1$ such that $X \cong \ell^1/Y$, where \cong is a linear isometric isomorphism. (The quotient Banach space was introduced in Problem 28).

Exercise 34. (The non-separable Hilbert space of Besicovitch quasi-periodic functions)

Let $X := \left\{ f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \text{ of the form } f(x) = \sum_{k=1}^n c_k e^{i\alpha_k x} \mid n \in \mathbb{N}, c_k \in \mathbb{C}, \alpha_k \in \mathbb{R} \text{ all distinct} \right\}$, equipped with the natural structure of complex vector space.

- (i) Show that $\langle g, f \rangle := \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2R} \int_{-R}^R \overline{g(x)} f(x) dx$, $f, g \in X$, defines a scalar product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ on X .
- (ii) Show that X is non complete.
- (iii) Show that the completion of X is a non-separable Hilbert space.

Exercise 35. (Quadratically close orthonormal bases)

Let $\{\phi_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ be an orthonormal basis of a Hilbert space \mathcal{H} and let $\{\psi_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ be an orthonormal system. Prove that if

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|\phi_n - \psi_n\|^2 < \infty$$

then $\{\psi_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ too is an orthonormal basis of \mathcal{H} .

Exercise 36. (Schur's test. Hilbert's matrix. Hankel's matrix.)

Let \mathcal{H} be a separable Hilbert space and let $\{e_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ be an orthonormal basis of \mathcal{H} .

(i) Let $T : \text{Span}(\{e_n\}_{n=1}^\infty) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}$ be a linear operator such that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n |\langle e_m, T e_n \rangle| \leq A a_m \quad \forall m \in \mathbb{N} \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} |\langle e_m, T e_n \rangle| a_m \leq B b_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

for some $A, a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots > 0$ and some $B, b_1, b_2, b_3, \dots > 0$. Show that T extend uniquely to a bounded linear operator over the whole \mathcal{H} with $\|T\| \leq \sqrt{AB}$.

(ii) Let $T : \text{Span}(\{e_n\}_{n=1}^\infty) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}$ be a linear operator such that $\langle e_m, T e_n \rangle = (n + m - 1)^{-1} \forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}$. Show that T extend uniquely to a bounded linear operator over the whole \mathcal{H} with $\|T\| \leq \pi$.

(iii) Let $T : \text{Span}(\{e_n\}_{n=1}^\infty) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}$ be a linear operator such that $\langle e_m, T e_n \rangle = \frac{1}{2^{n+m-1}} \forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}$. Show that T extend uniquely to a bounded linear operator over the whole \mathcal{H} and compute $\|T\|$.