

Recall:

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$$L^p = \{ f \text{ is Leb measurable fct : } \int |f|^p d\lambda < \infty \}$$

For any $f \in (L^p)^*$, there exists a fct $y \in L^q$,
st

$$f(x) = \int x(t) y(t) dt, \forall x \in L^p$$

We denote $f = y^*$ and write $\langle y^*, x \rangle = y^*(x)$

Examples of adjoint operators on Banach space.

Eg 1: Let $X = Y = L^2[0,1]$ and define

$$Ax = \int_0^1 k(t,s) x(s) ds, \quad t \in [0,1]$$

where $\iint_0^1 |k(t,s)|^2 ds dt < \infty$

Compute A^*

• check $A \in B(X, Y)$

$$\int_0^1 |Ax|^2 dt = \int_0^1 \left| \int_0^1 k(t,s) x(s) ds \right|^2 dt$$

$$(\|fg\|_1 \leq \|f\|_p \|g\|_q) \rightarrow \leq \int_0^1 \left[\left(\int_0^1 |k(t,s)|^2 ds \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \left(\int_0^1 |x(s)|^2 ds \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right]^2 dt$$

Here $p=q=2$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 |k(t,s)|^2 ds \cdot \|x\|_2^2 dt$$

$$= \|x\|_2^2 \cdot \iint_0^1 |k(t,s)|^2 ds dt \\ < \infty$$

$Ax \in Y$.

Compute $A^* y^*$ (Since $A^* \subset B(Y^*, X^*) = B(L^2, L^2)$).

$$\underline{\langle A^* y^*, x \rangle} = \langle y^*, Ax \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned}\langle y^*, Ax \rangle &= \int_0^1 y(t) (Ax(t)) dt \\ &= \int_0^1 y(t) \left(\int_0^1 k(t,s) x(s) ds \right) dt \\ &= \int_0^1 x(s) \left(\int_0^1 k(t,s) y(t) dt \right) ds\end{aligned}$$

By interchanging the roles of s and t ,

$$\begin{aligned}\langle y^*, Ax \rangle &= \int_0^1 x(t) \underbrace{\left[\int_0^1 k(s,t) y(s) ds \right]}_{\text{green box}} dt \\ \langle A^* y^*, x \rangle &\quad \downarrow\end{aligned}$$

$$A^* y = A^* y^* \equiv \int_0^1 k(s,t) y(s) ds$$

The adjoint of A is obtained by interchanging s and t in K .

Eg 2 Again Let $X = Y = L_2[0,1]$ and define

$$Ax(t) = \int_0^t k(t,s) x(s) ds, \quad t \in [0,1]$$

with $\iint_0^1 |k(t,s)|^2 dt ds < \infty$.

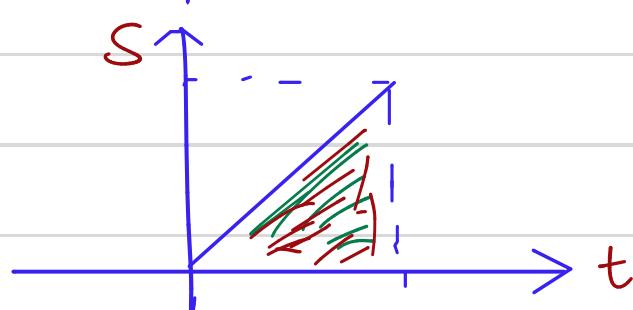
Compute A^* .

• Check $Ax \in L^2$. \checkmark

$$\langle y^*, Ax \rangle = \int_0^1 y(t) \int_0^t k(t,s) x(s) ds dt$$

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The double integration represents integration over the triangular region



Change the order of integration,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle y^*, Ax \rangle &= \int_0^1 \int_s^1 y(t) k(t,s) x(s) dt ds \\ &\quad // \\ &= \int_0^1 x(s) \left(\int_s^1 y(t) k(t,s) dt \right) ds \\ \langle A^* y^*, x \rangle &\equiv \int_0^1 x(t) \underbrace{\left(\int_t^1 y(s) k(s,t) ds \right)}_{\text{purple box}} dt \\ \Rightarrow A^* y &= \int_t^1 y(s) k(s,t) ds \end{aligned}$$

Remark: $A^* y \in L^2$ ($\int |A^* y|^2 ds < \infty$)

Eg3: Let $X = L_p[0,1]$, $1/p < \infty$. $Y = L_q[0,1]$,
with $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$.

Let $T \in B(X, Y)$ be defined by

$$TX = \int_0^1 k(t,s) x(s) ds$$

where $\int_0^1 \int_0^1 |k(t,s)|^q dt ds < \infty$

Find A^* .

(for any $f \in L^q$, $\exists y \in L^p$,

$$f(x) = \int_0^1 x(t) y(t) dt, \quad \forall x \in L^q,$$

$$y^* := f.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle T^* y^*, x \rangle &= \langle y^*, Tx \rangle \\ &= \int_0^1 x(s) \left(\int_0^1 k(t,s) y(t) dt \right) ds \\ &= \int_0^1 x(t) \left(\int_0^1 k(s,t) y(s) ds \right) dt \end{aligned}$$

$$T^* y = \int_0^1 k(s,t) y(s) ds$$

claim: $T^* y \in L^q$

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_0^1 \left(\int_0^1 k(s,t) y(s) ds \right)^q dt \\ &\leq \int_0^1 \left[\left(\int_0^1 |k(s,t)|^q ds \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \cdot \left(\int_0^1 |y(s)|^p ds \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \right]^q dt \\ &\leq \left(\int_0^1 |k(s,t)|^q ds \right)^q \cdot \|y\|_p^q \\ &< \infty \end{aligned}$$

4. Show that for any sphere $S(0, r)$ in a normed space X and point $x_0 \in S(0, r)$ there is a hyperplane H_0 through x_0 such that the ball

$\bar{B}(0, r)$ lies entirely in one of the two half planes determined by H_0 .

Pf (Application of Hahn-Banach Thm.)

There exists $\hat{f} \in X^*$ such that $\hat{f}(x_0) = \|x_0\|$,
 $\|\hat{f}\| = 1$.

Define $H_0 = \{x : \hat{f}(x) = r\}$

Then we have $x_0 \in H_0$

Moreover, for any $x \in \bar{B}(0, r)$, it follows that

$$|\hat{f}(x)| \leq \|\hat{f}\| \cdot \|x\| = \|x\| \leq r$$

($A = \{x : \hat{f}(x) < r\}$, $B = \{x : \hat{f}(x) > r\}$,

Remark: Let X be a real normed space and let A, B be two non-empty disjoint convex subset of X .

(i) If A is open, then \exists a bounded linear fct f on X and $c \in \mathbb{R}$, such that $f(a) < c \leq f(b)$ for any $a \in A$, $b \in B$.

(ii) If A is compact and B is closed, then \exists a bounded linear fct f on X and $c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$, st

$$f(a) \leq c_1 < c_2 \leq f(b), \quad \forall a \in A, b \in B$$