

ASSIGNMENT 7

Reading Assignment: Text: Chapter 6

Recommended Reading: Curtain & Pritchard: pp. 65-67, and Chapter 12;
Balakrishnan: pp. 62-80, and Chapter 2.

Advance Reading: Text: Chapter 7

Problems (to be handed in): Due Date: **Thursday, April 11.**

To be returned to Mr. Sayin (TA), by 11 am.

- 51.** Let X be a Banach space, and Q a linear bounded operator mapping X into itself. **Show** that if the norm of Q is less than 1, the operator $(I - Q)$ is invertible, and its inverse admits the infinite series representation

$$(I - Q)^{-1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Q^n$$

[This is known as the *Neumann* series.]

Hint : Use the Banach Contraction Mapping Theorem and the Proposition on page 147 of the text.

- 52.** Let X be a Banach space, and $\|\cdot\|_1$ and $\|\cdot\|_2$ be two different norms on it. Suppose that there exists a constant α such that $\|x\|_1 \leq \alpha \|x\|_2$ for all $x \in X$. **Show** that there exists another constant, β , such that $\|x\|_2 \leq \beta \|x\|_1$ for all $x \in X$.

Hint : Use the Banach Inverse Theorem on page 149 of the text.

- 53.** Let $X = L_p[0, 2]$, $1 < p < \infty$, $Y = L_q[0, 2]$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$. Let $A \in B(X, Y)$ be defined by

$$A(x)(t) = \int_0^2 K(t, s) x(s) ds$$

where

$$\int_0^2 \int_0^2 |K(t, s)|^q dt ds < \infty$$

Find A^* , the adjoint of A .

- 54.** Let x and y be two scalar second-order random variables on a common probability space $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{P})$, admitting a joint probability density function (with respect to the Lebesgue measure) $f_{x,y}(\xi, \eta)$. Let the marginals for y and x be defined by

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{x,y}(\xi, \eta) d\xi =: f_2(\eta) ; \quad \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{x,y}(\xi, \eta) d\eta =: f_1(\xi) .$$

Let H_i be the space of all Lebesgue-measurable mappings γ , with finite norm, where the norm is defined as follows:

$$\|\gamma\|_i := \left\{ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |\gamma(s)|^2 f_i(s) ds \right\}^{1/2}, \quad i = 1, 2.$$

Introduce a transformation $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ by

$$A(\gamma)(\eta) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma(\xi) [f_{x,y}(\xi, \eta) / f_2(\eta)] d\xi.$$

- i) **Show** that A is linear and bounded.
- ii) **Find** the norm of A .
- iii) **Obtain** an expression for the adjoint of A , if the inner product on H_i is defined by

$$(\gamma, \beta)_i := \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma(\xi) \beta(\xi) f_i(\xi) d\xi, \quad i = 1, 2.$$

- 55.** Let H and G be two real Hilbert spaces, and $A : H \rightarrow G$ be a linear bounded operator. Let A^* denote the adjoint of A . **Prove or disprove** the following two statements:
- i) “The operator norm of A^*A is equal to the square of the operator norm of A .”
 - ii) “The operator norms of A^*A and AA^* are the same.”
- 56.** Read section 6.11 of the text on “Pseudoinverse Operators” (also discussed in class), and solve the following problem: **Find** the pseudoinverse of the operator A on \mathbf{R}^3 defined by the matrix representation:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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