

## EXAMINATION 4

(1) Let  $K \subset H$  closed, convex and non empty,  $P_K : H \mapsto H$  be the projection operator on  $K$ .

- Show that  $\forall z \in K$

$$(x - P_K x, z - P_K x) \leq 0.$$

- Prove that if  $y \in K$  and

$$(x - y, z - y) \leq 0 \quad \forall z \in K,$$

then  $y = P_K x$ .

- Deduce that for all  $x, w \in H$

$$\|P_K x - P_K w\| \leq \|x - w\|.$$

- Fix  $H = \ell^2$  and

$$K = \left\{ u \in \ell^2, u_{2n-1} = 2^n u_{2n} \right\}.$$

Prove that  $K$  is closed, convex, find  $K^\perp$  and write the projector  $P_K$ . Is  $P_K$  linear?

- Show that for  $\ell^p$ ,  $p \neq 2$ , it can happen that  $\|P_K x - P_K w\|_{\ell^p} > \|x - w\|_{\ell^p}$ .

(2) Consider the space  $\ell^2$  and the space

$$h^1 = \left\{ u : \mathbb{N} \mapsto \mathbb{C} : \{nu(n)\} \in \ell^2 \right\},$$

with the scalar products

$$(u, v)_{\ell^2} = \sum_n u_n \bar{v}_n, \quad (u, v)_{h^1} = \sum_n n^2 u_n \bar{v}_n.$$

- Show that  $h^1$  is an Hilbert space, which can be embedded into  $\ell^2$ .
- Prove that  $h^1 \hookrightarrow \ell^2$ , i.e. the embedding is compact.
- Let  $v \in \ell^2$ , and consider the linear functional on  $h^1$  defined by

$$(u, v) = \sum_n u(n) \bar{v}(n).$$

Find the Riesz-Fréchet representation  $v_{h^1}$  of  $v$  in  $h^1$ . Show that the above representation of linear functionals is meaningful if  $u \in h^1$  and  $\{v_n/n\}_n \in \ell^2$ . Thus  $(\ell^2)^* h^1$ .

- Prove conversely that every  $w \in h^1$  can be extended to a linear functional over  $\ell^2$  by

$$wu = \sum_n u(n) w(n),$$

i.e.  $(h^1)^* \subset \ell^2$ .

(3) Let  $H$  be a separable Hilbert space with base  $\{e_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ . Let  $\mathbf{M} : H \mapsto H$  be such that

$$\sum_n \|\mathbf{M}e_n\|^2 < \infty.$$

- Show that  $\mathbf{M}$  is compact.
- Prove that the quantity

$$\|\mathbf{M}\|_{\text{HS}} = \left( \sum_n \|Te_n\|^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

is independent on the choice of the base  $\{e_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ .

- Show that the subspace of  $\mathcal{L}(H)$

$$\mathcal{H} = \left\{ \mathbf{M} : H \mapsto H : \|\mathbf{M}\|_{\text{HS}} < \infty \right\}$$

is a closed subspace w.r.t.  $\|\cdot\|_{\text{HS}}$ .

(4) Let  $\mathbf{M} \in \mathcal{L}(X, Y)$ ,  $X, Y$  Banach, with finite index. We will denote this set by  $\mathcal{F}(X, Y)$ .

- Show that from the fact that  $R_{\mathbf{M}}$  has finite codimension, then  $R_{\mathbf{M}}$  is closed.
- Show that the pseudo inverse belongs to  $\mathcal{L}(Y, X)$ .
- Assume that there is  $\mathbf{L}$  such that

$$\mathbf{M} \circ \mathbf{L} - \mathbf{I}_Y \in \mathcal{K}(Y), \quad \mathbf{L} \circ \mathbf{M} - \mathbf{I}_X \in \mathcal{K}(X).$$

Prove that  $\mathbf{M} \in \mathcal{F}(X, Y)$ .

- Deduce that  $\mathcal{F}(X, Y)$  is open w.r.t. the operator norm.
  - Using the stability of the index, prove that  $\text{Ind}\mathbf{M}$  is constant w.r.t. the operator norm, hence is constant on every connected component of  $\mathcal{F}(X, Y)$ .
- (5) Consider the linear operator

$$\mathbf{M} : C([0, 1]; \mathbb{C}) \mapsto C([0, 1]; \mathbb{C}), \quad \mathbf{M}(u)(t) = \int_0^t h(s)u(s)ds,$$

with  $h \in C([0, 1], \mathbb{C})$ .

- Show that  $\mathbf{M}$  is compact, and find its spectrum.
- Is  $\mathbf{M} : L^2(0, 1) \mapsto L^2(0, 1)$  self adjoint?
- Assume that  $h(s) = 1$ . Find explicitly the solutions to

$$u - \mathbf{M}u = f$$

for  $f \in C([0, 1], \mathbb{C})$ .