

TMA026/MMA430 Partial differential equations II
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Inga hjälpmedel. Kalkylator ej tillåten. No aids or electronic calculators are permitted.

You may get up to 10 points for each problem plus points for the hand-in problems.

Grades: 3: 20–29p, 4: 30–39p, 5: 40– (Chalmers) G: 20–34p, VG: 35– (GU).

1.

- (a) The weak derivative of $|x|$ is -1 for $-1 < x < 0$ and 1 for $0 < x < 1$.
(b) We use polar coordinates and note that $v'(r) = \frac{2}{r \log(r^2)} = \frac{1}{r \log(r)}$. We change variables $y = \log(r)$ to get,

$$|v|_{H^1(\Omega)}^2 = 2\pi \int_0^{1/2} \frac{1}{r \log(r)^2} dr = 2\pi \int_{-\infty}^{-\log(2)} y^{-2} e^{-y} e^y dy = 2\pi \int_{-\infty}^{-\log(2)} y^{-2} dy < \infty.$$

In $L^2(\Omega)$ norm the singularity is weaker so it is also bounded by similar calculation.

- (c) $\| |x|^\lambda \|_{L^2(\Omega)}^2 = C_d \int_0^1 r^{2\lambda} r^{d-1} dr < \infty$ if $2\lambda + d - 1 > -1$ i.e. $\lambda > -\frac{d}{2}$.

2.

- (a) Find $u \in H_0^1(\Omega)$ such that, $(\nabla u, \nabla v) = (f, v)$, for all $v \in H_0^1(\Omega)$. Let $V_h \subset H_0^1(\Omega)$ be the space of continuous piecewise linear functions defined on a triangulation of Ω . The finite element method reads: find $u_h \in V_h$ such that, $(\nabla u_h, \nabla v) = (f, v)$, $\forall v \in V_h$.
(b) Let $w \in H_0^1(\Omega)$ be arbitrary. We get $J(u+w) = J(u) + \int_\Omega |\nabla w|^2 dx + \int_\Omega \nabla u \cdot \nabla w dx - \int_\Omega f w dx = J(u) + \int_\Omega |\nabla w|^2 dx \geq J(u)$.

3.

- (a) Let $-\Delta \phi_i = \lambda_i \phi_i$ with $\phi_i|_\Gamma = 0$. Then we insert $u = \sum_{i=1}^\infty \alpha_i(t) \phi_i$ into the equation to get

$$\sum_{i=1}^\infty (\alpha_i'(t) - \lambda_i \alpha_i(t)) \phi_i = 0.$$

Orthogonality gives $\alpha_i(t) = \alpha_i(0) e^{-\lambda_i t}$ and initial value that $\alpha_i(0) = (v, \phi_i)$. We get $u(t) = \sum_{i=1}^\infty (v, \phi_i) e^{-\lambda_i t} \phi_i$.

- (b) $\|u\|_{L^2(\Omega)}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^\infty (v, \phi_i)^2 e^{-2\lambda_i t} \leq e^{-2\lambda_1 t} \|v\|_{L^2(\Omega)}^2$.
(c) Let $V_h \subset H_0^1(\Omega)$ be the space of continuous piecewise linear functions defined on a triangulation of Ω . The BE-FEM approximation fulfills: find $u_h^n \in V_h$ such that,

$$(u_h^n - u_h^{n-1}, v) + k(\nabla u_h^n, \nabla v) = 0, \quad \forall v \in V_h,$$

with k being the time-step, $u_h^0 = P_h v$ and $P_h : L^2(\Omega) \rightarrow V_h$ is the L^2 -projection.

4.

- (a) We have $\|f(u) - f(w)\|_{L^2(\Omega)} \leq \|u - w\|_{L^2(\Omega)} + \|u^2 + uv + v^2\|_{L^3(\Omega)} \|u - w\|_{L^6(\Omega)} \leq (1 + C2R^2) \|u - w\|_{H^1(\Omega)}$.
(b) We have

$$\begin{aligned} \|Su(t)\|_{H^1(\Omega)} &\leq \|v\|_{H^1(\Omega)} + \int_0^t (t-s)^{-1/2} \|f(u(s))\|_{L^2(\Omega)} ds \\ &\leq R_0 + C\tau^{1/2}R, \end{aligned}$$

since $\|f(u)\|_{L^2(\Omega)} \leq \|f(u) - f(0)\|_{L^2(\Omega)} \leq C\|u\|_{H^1(\Omega)} \leq C \cdot R$. Let $R = 2R_0$ and τ be small enough for $C\tau^{1/2}R \leq R_0$.

(c) We have,

$$\begin{aligned}\|Su - Sw\|_{H^1(\Omega)} &\leq \int_0^t (t-s)^{-1/2} \|f(u(s)) - f(w(s))\|_{L^2(\Omega)} ds \\ &\leq C(R)\tau^{1/2} \max_{0 \leq t \leq \tau} \|u(t) - w(t)\|_{H^1(\Omega)}.\end{aligned}$$

By taking $\max_{0 \leq t \leq \tau}$ and choosing τ small enough for $\tau^{1/2}C(R) < 1$ we prove that S is a contraction.

5. See the proof of Theorem 5.4 in *Partial differential equations with numerical methods* by Thomée and Larsson.

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