

Ann:

- ▷ Project prop.
- ▷ HW4

Goals:

- ▷ Sets of functions (A-A) compact?
- ▷ Int. op. compact
- ▷ Second-kind $\Rightarrow \exists$ soln.

Review:

$$(I-A)\varphi = \varphi - \underbrace{A\varphi}_{\text{compact}} = 0 \iff \textcircled{1} \rightarrow \int_{\Omega} \varphi = 0$$

$$g(x) = \int_G k(x,y) f(y) dy$$

Fred.

$$g(x) = \int_{G \cup \Omega} \dots$$

Volb.

$U \subseteq X$ precompact (ϵ)

$\forall (\varphi_n) \subseteq U \Rightarrow \exists n(k)$ so that $(\varphi_{n(k)})_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ conv. in X
(Bolzano-Weierstraß)

A pre \Rightarrow bound

\hookrightarrow pre \Leftrightarrow bound

\hookrightarrow pre \Leftrightarrow bound (dim $X < \infty$)
 \hookrightarrow not true

compact \Leftrightarrow every open cover has finite subcover
(Heine-Borel)

Arzelà-Ascoli

Let $G \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ be compact.

Theorem (Arzelà-Ascoli [Kress LIE 3rd ed. Thm. 1.18])

$U \subset C(G)$ is precompact iff it is bounded and equicontinuous.

Equicontinuous means \leftarrow

$$\forall x, y \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0 \quad \exists \delta > 0 \quad \text{so that} \quad \forall f \in U \\ |x - y| < \delta \quad \Rightarrow \quad |f(x) - f(y)| < \varepsilon.$$

Continuous means:

$$\forall x, y \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0 \quad \exists \delta > 0 \quad \text{so that} \\ |x - y| < \delta \quad \Rightarrow \quad |f(x) - f(y)| < \varepsilon.$$

Arzelà-Ascoli: Proof Sketch for $(b) \wedge (e) \Rightarrow$ precompact

Let $U \subset C(G)$ equicont. and **bounded**. Let $(\varphi_n) \subset U$.

To show: $\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists K \forall k, l \geq L \|\varphi_{n(k)} - \varphi_{n(l)}\|_\infty < \varepsilon$.

Let $\varepsilon > 0$. From equi cont., there exists a $\delta > 0$. Use that.

$n: \mathbb{N}_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{N}_0$

Consider cover $\{B(x, \delta) : x \in G\}$

G compact: There exists an M so that

$$G \subseteq B(x_1, \delta) \cup B(x_2, \delta) \cup \dots \cup B(x_M, \delta)$$



$\{\varphi_n(x) : n \in \mathbb{N}_0\}$

is bounded \Rightarrow precompact $(\varphi_n(x))_n$
 \Rightarrow can pick conv. subseq out of

Azelà-Ascoli: Proof Sketch for $b \wedge e \Rightarrow$ precompact

By taking subseq. of subseq., get $(\varphi_{n(k)})_k$ that converges on all of them.
 Let $x \in G$. There exists an i so that $\|x_i - x\| < \delta$.

$$\|\varphi_{n(k)}(x) - \varphi_{n(e)}(x)\|$$

$$\leq \|\varphi_{n(k)}(x) - \varphi_{n(k)}(x_i)\|$$

$$+ \|\varphi_{n(k)}(x_i) - \varphi_{n(e)}(x_i)\|$$

$$+ \|\varphi_{n(e)}(x_i) - \varphi_{n(e)}(x)\|$$

$$< 3\epsilon$$

equicont.

$< \epsilon$

$(\varphi_{n(k)})_k$
is pw.
Candy

$< \epsilon$

equicont.

$\exists N$
 $> \epsilon$

Arzelà-Ascoli (II)

Intuition?

"prevents function values from running away"

"Uniformly continuous"?

When does *uniform continuity* happen?

continuous func on a compact

(Note: Kress LIE 2nd ed. defines 'uniform equicontinuity' in one go.)

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Integral Operators are Compact

Theorem (**Continuous kernel** \Rightarrow compact [Kress LIE 3rd ed. Thm. 2.28])

$G \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ compact, $K \in C(G^2)$. Then

$$(A\phi)(x) := \int_G K(x,y)\phi(y)dy.$$

is compact on $C(G)$.

Use A-A. (a statement about compact sets) What is there to show?

Pick $U \subset C(G)$. $A(U)$ bounded?

\leftarrow bounded
 $\forall \phi \|\phi\|_\infty \leq C.$

$$\|A\phi(x)\| \leq \left\| \int K(x,y)\phi(y)dy \right\|$$

$A(U)$ equicontinuous?

$$\leq \int |K(x,y)| |\phi(y)| dy$$

$$\leq \int |K(x,y)| dy \|\phi\|_\infty$$

$$\leq \max_x |K| \cdot |G| \cdot \|\phi\|_\infty$$

For $\epsilon > 0$:

To show $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \forall \varphi$

Let $\epsilon > 0$. $|x - y| < \delta \Rightarrow |A\varphi(x) - A\varphi(y)| < \epsilon$.

$A(u) = \{ A\varphi : \|\varphi\|_\infty \leq c \}$ ~~$|\varphi(x) - \varphi(y)| < \epsilon$~~

$|A\varphi(x) - A\varphi(y)| = \left| \int_G (k(x, z) - k(y, z)) \varphi(z) dz \right|$
 k is unif. cont. Ask it for the δ that works
for all x .
 $\leq \int_G \epsilon |\varphi(z)| dz \leq \epsilon |G| \|\varphi\|_\infty$.

$\Rightarrow A(u)$ equicont.

Weakly singular

$G \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ compact

Definition (Weakly singular kernel)

- ▶ K defined, continuous everywhere except at $x = y$
- ▶ There exist $C > 0$, $\alpha \in (0, n]$ such that

$$|K(x, y)| \leq C|x - y|^{\alpha - n} \quad (x \neq y)$$

$\frac{1}{r^{1.999\dots}}$
Ok in \mathbb{R}^2

Theorem (Weakly singular kernel \Rightarrow compact [Kress LIE 3rd ed. Thm. 2.29])

K weakly singular. Then

$$(A\phi)(x) := \int_G K(x, y)\phi(y)dy.$$

is compact on $C(G)$, where $\text{cl}(G^\circ) = G$.

Weakly singular: Proof Outline

Outline the proof of 'Weakly singular kernel \Rightarrow compact'.



Weakly singular (on surfaces)

$\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ bounded, open, $\partial\Omega$ is C^1 (what does that mean?)

Definition (Weakly singular kernel (on a surface))

- ▶ K defined, continuous everywhere except at $x = y$
- ▶ There exist $C > 0$, $\alpha \in (0, n - 1]$ such that

$$|K(x, y)| \leq C|x - y|^{\alpha - n + 1} \quad (x, y \in \partial\Omega, x \neq y)$$

$\frac{1}{r^{0.993}}$
Ok in \mathbb{R}^2

Theorem (Weakly singular kernel \Rightarrow compact [Kress LIE 3rd ed. Thm. 2.30])

K weakly singular on $\partial\Omega$. Then $(A\phi)(x) := \int_{\partial\Omega} K(x, y)\phi(y)dy$ is compact on $C(\partial\Omega)$.

Q: Has this estimate gotten worse or better?

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