
NOTES FOR ANALYSIS AND PDES

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1.1 Sobolev Spaces

Definiton 1.1.1. Denote $\mathcal{D}(U)$ to be the test functions. Let $u \in \mathcal{D}'(U)$, where $U \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ is open. The k -th order L^p -based Sobolev norm of u is

$$\|u\|_{W^{k,p}(U)} := \sum_{|\alpha| \leq k} \|D^\alpha u\|_{L^p}, \quad 1 \leq p < \infty$$

where we are using the distributional derivative and assume that $D^\alpha u$ is an L^p function.