

Problems

Problem 3.1. (1 point)

Show that the space $C([0, 1])$ of continuous functions on the interval $[0, 1]$ equipped with the L^2 -norm is not a Banach space.

Hint: The L^2 -norm is the norm

$$\|f\|_{L^2(0,1)} = \left(\int_0^1 f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2}.$$

It is enough to find a sequence of functions which is a Cauchy sequence in this L^2 -norm and which converges to a discontinuous function.

Problem 3.2. (1 point)

Show using Hölder's inequality that the following relation holds:

$$p \leq q \quad \Rightarrow \quad L^q(0, 1) \subset L^p(0, 1) \quad \text{for any } p, q > 0.$$