

## Functional Analysis (contd...) :

A special Banach space  $L_2[0, T] = \{f: [0, T] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d \text{ st. } \int_{[0, T]} \|f(t)\|^2 dt < \infty\}$ .



∴ we can define an inner product:

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \int_{[0, T]} \langle f(t), g(t) \rangle dt$$

$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  is an inner product if (i) symmetric

(ii) linear in first argument

(iii)  $\langle f, f \rangle \geq 0$ , with equality iff  $f=0$  a.e.

Metric:  $\sqrt{\langle f-g, f-g \rangle}$ . This norm makes  $L_2[0, T]$  a complete space.

Linear functionals on  $L_2[0, T]$ .

$T: L_2[0, T] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$f \mapsto T(f) \text{ st. } T(f+g) = T(f) + T(g)$$

$$T(\alpha f) = \alpha T(f)$$

$T$  is continuous if  $T^{-1}O$  is open in  $L_2[0, T]$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  open in  $\mathbb{R}$ .

Examples :  $d=1$

$$1. T_1(f) = \int_{[0, T]} f(t) dt$$

$$2. T_2(f) = \int_{[0, T_b]} f(t) dt = \int_{[0, T]} f(t) \mathbf{1}_{[0, T_b]}(t) dt$$

$$3. T_a(f) = \int f(t) g(t) dt, \text{ let } a \in L_2[0, T]$$

$$0' \quad [0,T] \quad 0 \quad \cdots \quad 0 \quad \cdots$$

Can check that these functionals are continuous.

Thm: (Riesz representation theorem).

Any continuous linear functional  $T$  on  $L_2[0,T]$  can be written as  $a_T g$ , where  $g \in L_2[0,T]$ .

(Counter example : Consider the following  $g \notin L_2[0,T]$ )

$$g(t) = \begin{cases} 1/t, & 0 < t \leq T \\ 0, & t=0 \end{cases}$$

Check that  $T_g$  with this  $g$  is not continuous.

Instead of functions on  $[0,T]$ , consider functions on  $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ .

$L_2(\{1, 2, \dots, n\})$  is just  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . (Can view it as vectors).

$$T_g(f) = [g_1 \ g_2 \ \dots \ g_n] \begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \\ \vdots \\ f_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Linear transformations  $T: L_2(\{1, 2, \dots, n\}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ .

$$T_g(f) = \begin{bmatrix} g_{11} & g_{12} & \dots & g_{1n} \\ g_{21} & g_{22} & \dots & g_{2n} \\ \vdots & & & \\ g_{m1} & \dots & & g_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \\ \vdots \\ f_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{(Matrix)} \\ \text{product} \end{array}$$

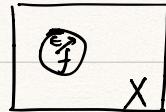
Topology in a Banach Space:

$$(X, \|\cdot\|)$$

$\|\cdot\|$  defines a metric  $d(f, g) = \|f - g\|$ .

In  $L_2[0, T]$ ,  $d(f, g) = \sqrt{\langle f - g, f - g \rangle}$

Open balls in this metric space define a topology. (Include  $X, \emptyset, B_\epsilon(f)$ )  
 $\forall f, \forall \epsilon > 0$ . Arbitrary unions, finite intersections).



Strong topology ( $\tau$ )

When we say  $T$  is continuous, one has verified that  $T^{-1}O \in \tau$  for every  $O$  open in  $\mathbb{R}$ .

As an aside, consider  $T_T$  (top. generated by a cont.  $T$ ).

$$\text{Base}(T_T) = \{T^{-1}O : O \text{ is open in } \mathbb{R}\}.$$

This is the smallest topology that makes  $T$  a continuous function.

$\tau_w$ : Weak Topology :

Topology generated by  $T_g^{-1}O$  for  $O$  open in  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $g \in L_2[0, T]$ . This is the "coarsest" topology that every such  $T_g$  continuous.

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(Convergence in this topology : We say  $f_n \xrightarrow{w.} f$  if  $T_g(f_n) \rightarrow T_g(f)$  for every  $g$  in  $L_2[0, T]$ .

This is a weaker notion of convergence. Suppose  $f \rightarrow f$  in  $L_2[0, T]$ , then by the usual def<sup>n</sup>,

$$d(f_n, f) = \sqrt{\langle f_n - f, f_n - f \rangle} = \left( \int_{[0, T]} |f_n(t) - f(t)|^2 dt \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0.$$

Claim: If so, Then  $f_n \xrightarrow{w.} f$ .

Pf:

Take any  $g \in L_2[0, T]$ . We have to show  $T_g(f_n) \rightarrow T_g(f)$ .

$$T_g(f_n) = \langle g, f_n \rangle.$$

$$|T_g(f_n) - T_g(f)| = |\langle g, f_n - f \rangle| \leq \|g\|_{L_2[0, T]} \|f_n - f\|_{L_2[0, T]}$$

$$\xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$$

But  $f_n \xrightarrow{w.} f$  for more sequences!

Example:  $f_n(t) = \frac{\sin 2\pi nt}{T}, t \in [0, T]$

$$f_n \not\rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{since } d(f_n, f) = \|f_n\|^2 = T \not\rightarrow 0.$$

for every  $g \in L_2[0, T]$ ,  $T_g(f_n) = C \int_0^T g(t) \sin \frac{2\pi n t}{T} dt \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$ ,

since  $g$  has a Fourier series :  $a_g(0)$ ,  $\underbrace{a_g(n)}_{\text{cosines}}$ ,  $\underbrace{b_g(n)}_{\text{sines}}$  ;

$$a_g(0)^2 + \sum_{n \geq 1} (a_g^2(n) + b_g^2(n)) < \infty$$

so  $a_g(n) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$  !!

$\Leftarrow f_n \xrightarrow{\omega} f$  !!