

Introduction to Entropy

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Abstract

This seminar paper provides a foundational overview of Dual-/Adjunct-Operators in functional analysis.

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1 Revision

Definition 1. The following basic definitions:

- i) Banach Space
- ii) Hilbert Space

Definition 2. Let $(X, \|\cdot\|_X)$ and $(Y, \|\cdot\|_Y)$ be normed vector spaces on \mathbb{R} or \mathbb{C} . Let $T : X \rightarrow Y$ be linear. T is a *linear operator*. T is *bounded*, if $\exists C > 0, \forall x \in X : \|Tx\|_Y \leq C\|x\|_X$.

Definition 3. i) Algebraic dual space: $X' := \mathcal{L}$.
ii) (Topological) Dual space: $X^* := \mathcal{L}$.

Theorem 1. *The topological dual space $\mathcal{L}(X, Y)$ is a Banach space.*

Proof Idea. □

Theorem 2. *For linear operators, continuous and bounded are equivalent.*

Proof Idea. TOOD □

Theorem 3. *Let $p \in [1, \infty)$.*

Proof Idea. TOOD □

Theorem 4.

Proof. See functional analysis lecture of SS/25. □

2 The adjunct operator

Definition 4.

Theorem 5.