

Due: Monday, April 22, 2019

1. Let H be a Hilbert space and A and B are linear maps from H to H . Suppose that A and B satisfy

$$\langle x, Ay \rangle = \langle x, By \rangle \quad \text{for all } x, y \in H.$$

Prove that $A = B$. If H is a complex Hilbert space and A and B satisfy

$$\langle x, Ax \rangle = \langle x, Bx \rangle \quad \text{for all } x \in H,$$

then prove that $A = B$. What can you say about A and B for real Hilbert spaces?

2. Let $f \in C_0^\infty((0, 1))$. Using the Lax-Milgram theorem to prove that the problem

$$\begin{cases} -v'' + \frac{1}{10}v' + v = f, \\ v(0) = 0, \quad v(1) = 0 \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

has a unique solution $v \in H_0^1((0, 1))$.

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