

# lecture 5

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$\Omega$  (open)  $\subset \mathbb{R}^3$ , recall:

$$* \Lambda := \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon & 0 \\ 0 & \mu \end{pmatrix}$$

\*  $A: \overset{\circ}{R} \times R \subset L^2 \times L^2 \rightarrow L^2 \times L^2$  defined by

$$Ax := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\overset{\circ}{\text{rot}}^* \\ \overset{\circ}{\text{rot}} & 0 \end{pmatrix} x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\text{rot} \\ \overset{\circ}{\text{rot}} & 0 \end{pmatrix} x$$

is skew-selfadjoint.

\*  $\mathcal{M}: \overset{\circ}{R} \times R \subset L_{\Lambda}^2 := L_{\varepsilon}^2 \times L_{\mu}^2 \rightarrow L_{\Lambda}^2$  defined by

$$\mathcal{M}x := i \Lambda^{-1} A x = i \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\varepsilon^{-1} \text{rot} \\ \mu^{-1} \overset{\circ}{\text{rot}} & 0 \end{pmatrix} x$$

is selfadjoint.

① time dependent:

$$(\partial_t - \underset{\uparrow}{i\mathcal{M}}) x = f \text{ \& \text{ initial conditions.}}$$

boundary conditions are already included.

$\hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}$  selfadjoint  $\Rightarrow$  solution theory by  
(i) spectral theory

$$x(t) = e^{it\mathcal{M}} x_0 + \int_0^t e^{i(s-t)\mathcal{M}} f(s) ds$$

(ii) semi-group theory

(iii) Picard - theory.

② time-harmonic:

$$(u - w)x = f \leadsto \text{Fredholm Alternative}$$

③ static case:

$$ux = f \text{ \& \text{ div-conditions}}$$

$\leadsto$  Toolbox

For case ③:

Is  $R(u)$  closed? (central point)

for ① we need:

$$D(u) \hookleftrightarrow L_{\Lambda}^2$$

$\Rightarrow R(u) = \overline{R(u)}$  is closed.

$$u: D(u) \subset L_{\Lambda}^2 \rightarrow L_{\Lambda}^2, D(u) = \mathring{R} \times R$$

$$u: D(u) = D(u) \cap \overline{R(u)} \subset \overline{R(u)} \rightarrow \overline{R(u)}$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} D(u) &= (\mathring{R} \times R) \cap \overline{(\varepsilon^{-1} \text{rot } R \times \mu^{-1} \text{rot } \mathring{R})} \\ &= (\mathring{R} \cap \varepsilon^{-1} \text{rot } R) \times (R \cap \mu^{-1} \text{rot } \mathring{R}) \end{aligned}$$

(clearly:  $\overline{\varepsilon^{-1} \text{rot } R} = \varepsilon^{-1} \overline{\text{rot } R}$ )

so what we need to show:

$$D(u_x) = \mathring{R} \cap \varepsilon^{-1} \overline{\text{rot } R} \hookleftrightarrow L_{\varepsilon}^2$$

$\Updownarrow$  cf. exercises

$$D(u_x^*) = R \cap \mu^{-1} \overline{\text{rot } \mathring{R}} \hookleftrightarrow L_{\mu}^2$$

These indeed follow from:

$$\mathring{R} \cap \varepsilon^{-1} \mathring{D} \hookrightarrow L^2_\varepsilon \wedge R \cap \mu^{-1} \mathring{D} \hookrightarrow L^2_\mu$$

(This we will show in the last lecture)

The static problems: "  $n \times E|_\Gamma = 0$  "

(ESP)  $\lambda_1 E = \mathring{\text{rot}} E = F \in R(\mathring{\text{rot}}) = R(\lambda_1)$

$\mu := \lambda$   $\lambda_0^* E = -\text{div} \varepsilon E = F \in R(\text{div}) = R(\lambda_0^*)$

$\pi_1 E = \pi_D E = D \in \mathcal{D}_\varepsilon = \mathcal{K}_1$

(MSP)  $\lambda_1^* H = \text{rot} H = G \in R(\text{rot}) = R(\lambda_1^*)$

$\varepsilon := \lambda$   $\lambda_2 H = \text{div}_\mu H = g \in R(\text{div}) = R(\lambda_2)$

$\pi_2 H = \pi_\nu \hat{H} = N \in \mathcal{N}_\mu = \mathcal{K}_2$

"  $n \cdot H|_\Gamma = 0$  "

Remember:

$A_0 = \mathring{\nabla} : H^1 \subset L^2 \rightarrow L^2_\varepsilon, u \mapsto \mathring{\nabla} u$

$\lambda_1 = \mu^{-1} \mathring{\text{rot}} : \mathring{R} \subset L^2_\varepsilon \rightarrow L^2_\mu, E \mapsto \mu^{-1} \mathring{\text{rot}} E$

$\lambda_2 = \text{div}_\mu : \mu^{-1} \mathring{D} \subset L^2_\mu \rightarrow L^2, H \mapsto \text{div}_\mu H$

$\lambda_0^* = -\text{div} \varepsilon : \varepsilon^{-1} \mathring{D} \subset L^2_\varepsilon \rightarrow L^2, H \mapsto -\text{div} \varepsilon H$

$\lambda_1^* = \varepsilon^{-1} \text{rot} : R \subset L^2_\mu \rightarrow L^2_\varepsilon, E \mapsto \varepsilon^{-1} \text{rot} E$

$\lambda_2^* = -\nabla : H^1 \subset L^2 \rightarrow L^2_\mu, u \mapsto -\nabla u$

Theorem 8:

Let  $T_i, T_{i+1}$  be linear, densely defined, closed and  $T_{i+1} T_i \subset 0$ . Assume  $R(T_i), R(T_{i+1})$  are closed, then

$$A_{i+1}x = f, \quad A_i^*x = g, \quad \Pi_{i+1}x = h$$

is uniquely solvable in  $D_{i+1} := D(A_{i+1}) \cap D(A_i^*)$ ,  
iff  $f \in R(A_{i+1})$ ,  $g \in R(A_i^*)$ ,  $h \in U_{i+1}$ . The  
unique solution is given by

$$x = x_f + x_g + h \in D(A_{i+1}) \oplus D(A_i^*) \oplus U_{i+1},$$

where

$$x_f = A_{i+1}^{-1} f \in D(A_{i+1}) = D(A_{i+1}) \cap R(A_{i+1}^*),$$

$$x_g = (A_i^*)^{-1} g \in D(A_i^*) = D(A_i^*) \cap R(A_i),$$

depends continuously on the data, i.e.

$$\|x\|_{H_{i+1}}^2 \leq c_{i+1}^2 \|x_f\|_{H_{i+1}}^2 + c_i^2 \|x_g\|_{H_{i+1}}^2 + \|h\|_{H_i}^2$$

and

$$x_f = \Pi_{A_{i+1}} x, \quad x_g = \Pi_{A_i} x.$$

Remark:

①  $x_f, x_g$  solve

$$A_{i+1} x_f = f$$

$$A_i^* x_f = 0$$

$$\Pi_{i+1} x_f = 0$$

$$A_{i+1} x_g = 0$$

$$A_i^* x_g = g$$

$$\Pi_{i+1} x_g = 0$$

②  $D_{i+1} = D(A_{i+1}) \cap D(A_i^*) \iff H_{i+1}$

$\Rightarrow R(A_i), R(A_{i+1})$  are closed.

&  $U_{i+1} = N(A_{i+1}) \cap N(A_i^*)$  is finite

dimensional  
 & ... Poincaré-type estimates,  
 $\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^{-1}$  is continuous / compact ...

③ In (ESP):  $i=0$ ; in (USP):  $i=1$ .

Proof of Theorem 8:

" $\Rightarrow$ ": clear!

" $\Leftarrow$ ":  $f \in R(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}) = R(\mathcal{A}_{i+1})$  closed  
 $\stackrel{\text{toolbox}}{\Rightarrow} \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^{-1}: R(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}) \rightarrow D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1})$   
 is continuous.

We put:

$$x_f := \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^{-1} f \in D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}) = D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}) \cap R(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*) \\ \subset N(\mathcal{A}_i^*) \cap \mathcal{U}_{i+1}^\perp$$

┌ Helmholtz-decomposition:

$$H_{i+1} = R(\mathcal{A}_i) \oplus \mathcal{U}_{i+1} \oplus R(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*) \\ \Rightarrow N(\mathcal{A}_i^*) = R(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*) \oplus \mathcal{U}_{i+1} \quad \lrcorner$$

Then:  $\mathcal{A}_{i+1} x_f = f$ ,  $x_f \in N(\mathcal{A}_i^*) \cap \mathcal{U}_{i+1}^\perp$

$g \in R(\mathcal{A}_i^*) = R(\mathcal{A}_i^*)$  is closed

$\stackrel{\text{toolbox}}{\Rightarrow} (\mathcal{A}_i^*)^{-1}: R(\mathcal{A}_i^*) \rightarrow D(\mathcal{A}_i^*)$   
 is continuous.

We put:

$$x_g := (\mathcal{A}_i^*)^{-1} g \in D(\mathcal{A}_i^*) = D(\mathcal{A}_i^*) \cap R(\mathcal{A}_i) \\ \subset N(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}) \cap \mathcal{U}_{i+1}^\perp$$

Then:  $\mathcal{A}_i^* x_g = g$ ,  $x_g \in N(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}) \cap \mathcal{U}_{i+1}^\perp$

Furthermore:  $x := x_f + x_g + h$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow |x|^2 &= |x_f|^2 + |x_g|^2 + |h|^2 \\ &\leq c_{i+1}^2 |f|^2 + c_i^2 |g|^2 + |h|^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\forall y \in D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}) : |y| \leq c_{i+1} |\mathcal{A}_{i+1} y|$$

$$\forall z \in D(\mathcal{A}_i^*) : |z| \leq c_i |\mathcal{A}_i^* z|$$

□

Numerical application:

"Variational formulations" to find  $x_{g=1} = x_f = ?$

(interested in second order formulations;  
good for coercivity, symmetry, ...)

$$x_f := \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^{-1} f \in D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}) = D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}) \cap R(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*)$$

(first order potential for  $f$ )

$$y_f := (\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*)^{-1} x_f = (\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*)^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^{-1} f$$

(second order potential for  $f$ )

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^* y_f = x_f$$

Let  $\phi \in D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*)$ :  $\leftarrow$  ( $\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*$  for coercivity)

$$\langle \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^* y_f, \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^* \phi \rangle = \langle x_f, \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^* \phi \rangle = \langle f, \phi \rangle$$

Observe:

- \*  $\varphi \mapsto \langle f, \varphi \rangle \in D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*)' / H_{i+2}' \cong H_{i+2}$
- \*  $(\varphi, \psi) \mapsto \langle \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^* \varphi, \mathcal{A}_{i+1}^* \psi \rangle$  is a continuous bilinear form on  $D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*)^*$  and coercive, since:

$$\forall \varphi \in D(\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^*) : |\varphi| \leq c_{i+1} |\mathcal{A}_{i+1}^* \varphi|$$

Formulation of the problem:

(\*) Find  $\tilde{y}_f \in D(A_{i+1}^*)$  such that  $\forall \phi \in D(A_{i+1}^*)$

$$\langle A_{i+1}^* \tilde{y}_f, A_{i+1}^* \phi \rangle = \langle f, \phi \rangle$$

Riesz / Lax-Milgram  $\Rightarrow \exists! \tilde{y}_f \in D(A_{i+1}^*)$

still unclear:  $x_f \stackrel{?}{=} A_{i+1}^* y_f$

$\hookrightarrow$  numerically the space  $D(A_{i+1}^*)$  is ugly and should be replaced:

1. observation: (\*) holds for all  $\phi \in D(A_{i+1}^*)$ , since

$$D(A_{i+1}^*) = N(A_{i+1}^*) \oplus D(A_{i+1}^*)$$
$$\Downarrow$$
$$\phi = \phi_N + \hat{\phi}$$

$\Rightarrow$  for  $\phi \in D(A_{i+1}^*)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \langle A_{i+1}^* \tilde{y}_f, A_{i+1}^* \phi \rangle &= \langle A_{i+1}^* \tilde{y}_f, A_{i+1}^* \hat{\phi} \rangle \\ &= \langle f, \hat{\phi} \rangle \\ &= \langle f, \phi \rangle - \underbrace{\langle f, \phi_N \rangle}_{=0, \text{ since}} = \langle f, \phi \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$f \in R(A_{i+1}) = N(A_{i+1}^*)^\perp$$

2. observation:

$$D(A_{i+1}^*) = D(A_{i+1}^*) \cap R(A_{i+1});$$

put the second condition in a second equation.

↳ Reformulate (\*):

$$\begin{aligned}
 (*) &\Leftrightarrow \text{Find } \tilde{y}_F \in D(A_{i+1}^*) \text{ such that} \\
 &\forall \phi \in D(A_{i+1}^*): \\
 &\langle A_{i+1}^* \tilde{y}_F, A_{i+1}^* \phi \rangle = \langle f, \phi \rangle \\
 y_F \in R(A_{i+1}) &\quad \parallel \\
 N(A_{i+1})^\perp &\quad \searrow \\
 &\forall \psi \in N(A_{i+1}^*): \\
 &\langle \tilde{y}_F, \psi \rangle = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Now:  $N(A_{i+1}^*) = R(A_{i+2}^*) \oplus K_{i+2}$ , so  
 if we assume:  $K_{i+2} = \{0\}$ , we get  
 $N(A_{i+1}^*) = R(A_{i+2}^*) = R(A_{i+2}^*)$

↳ Reformulate (\*):

$$\begin{aligned}
 (*) &\Leftrightarrow \text{Find } \tilde{y}_F \in D(A_{i+1}^*) \text{ such that} \\
 &\forall \phi \in D(A_{i+1}^*): \\
 &\langle A_{i+1}^* \tilde{y}_F, A_{i+1}^* \phi \rangle = \langle f, \phi \rangle \\
 (*) &\quad \forall \theta \in D(A_{i+2}^*): \\
 &\langle \tilde{y}_F, A_{i+2}^* \theta \rangle = 0 \quad \text{Here it has to be } A_{i+2}^*.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (*) &\Leftrightarrow \text{Find } (\tilde{y}_F, v_F) \in D(A_{i+1}^*) \times D(A_{i+2}^*) \text{ s.t.} \\
 &\forall \phi \in D(A_{i+1}^*): \\
 &\langle A_{i+1}^* \tilde{y}_F, A_{i+1}^* \phi \rangle \\
 (*) &\quad + \langle \phi, A_{i+2}^* v_F \rangle = \langle f, \phi \rangle \\
 &\forall \theta \in D(A_{i+2}^*): \quad \leftarrow \text{Here we can also put } A_{i+2}^* \\
 &\langle \tilde{y}_F, A_{i+2}^* \theta \rangle = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Remark:

$\tilde{y}_F$  solution to  $(*)_2 \Rightarrow (\tilde{y}_F, 0)$  solution to  $(*)_3$



We will show:

If  $(\tilde{y}_F, v_F)$  is a solution to  $(*_3)$ , then:

$$v_F = 0$$

Proof:

$$\text{Put } \phi := A_{i+2}^* v_F$$

$$\Rightarrow \|A_{i+2}^* v_F\|^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A_{i+2}^* v_F = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v_F = 0$$

(Here you see why  $D(A_{i+2}^*)$  is needed)

$v_F \in D(A_{i+2}^*)$ ,  
 $A_{i+2}^*$  is injective

□

For numerics one additionally needs

① coercivity:

$\langle A_{i+1}^* \cdot, A_{i+1}^* \cdot \rangle$  is coercive on

$$\underbrace{N(A_{i+2}) \cap D(A_{i+1}^*)}_{= R(A_{i+1}) \oplus U_{i+2}} = D(A_{i+1}^*)$$

$$= R(A_{i+1}) \oplus U_{i+2} = R(A_{i+1}) \oplus \{0\}$$

$\leadsto$  clear, according to our formulations.

② inf-sup-condition:

$$\inf_{0 \neq \gamma \in D(A_{i+2}^*)} \sup_{0 \neq \phi \in D(A_{i+1}^*)} \frac{\langle \phi, A_{i+2}^* \gamma \rangle}{|\phi|_{D(A_{i+1}^*)} |\gamma|_{D(A_{i+2}^*)}}$$

$$\geq \inf_{0 \neq \gamma \in D(A_{i+2}^*)} \frac{|A_{i+2} \gamma|}{|\gamma|_{D(A_{i+2}^*)}} \geq (\lambda + c_{i+2}^2)^{-1/2}$$

$$\phi := A_{i+2}^* \gamma \in N(A_{i+1}^*)$$