

2.2 Hilbert-Adjoint Operator.

2.1 Definition (Hilbert adjoint operator)

Let $T: H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a bounded linear operator, where H_1, H_2 are Hilbert spaces. Then the Hilbert-adjoint operator T^* of T is the operator $T^*: H_2 \rightarrow H_1$ such that for $x \in H_1$ and $y \in H_2$.

$$\langle Tx / y \rangle = \langle x / T^*y \rangle.$$

Example ① ~~Let $T = I$ be the identity operator~~

operator we define ~~$T: \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$~~ $T: \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$

such that $T(x) = ix$ where $x \in \mathbb{C}^2$

Find T^* operator T is bounded linear

Solution $T^*: \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$ such that

operator explain in page 5

$$\langle T(x) / y \rangle = \langle x / T^*(y) \rangle$$

$$\langle ix / y \rangle = \langle x / T^*(y) \rangle$$

$$i \langle x / y \rangle = \langle x / T^*(y) \rangle$$

$$\langle x / i y \rangle = \langle x / T^*(y) \rangle$$

$$\langle x / -iy \rangle = \langle x / T^*(y) \rangle$$

$\therefore T^*(y) = -iy$ is adjoint operator of T

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~~Example 2~~ Let $T: \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$ such that

$$T(x) = T(x_1, x_2) = \sqrt{2} i (x_2, x_1)$$

~~Find T^*~~

~~Solution~~

Theorem (Existence) The Hilbert-adjoint operator

T^* of T exists, is unique and is a bounded linear operator with norm

$$\|T^*\| = \|T\|$$

Proof: we define a sesquilinear form on $H \times H$,

$$h(y, x) = \langle y, T(x) \rangle$$

such that $h(y, x) = \langle y, T(x) \rangle$ — (1)

because the inner product it is sesquilinear and T is linear. It is conjugate linear in sesquilinear form.

$$\begin{aligned} h(y, \alpha x_1 + \beta x_2) &= \langle y, T(\alpha x_1 + \beta x_2) \rangle \\ &= \langle y, \alpha T(x_1) + \beta T(x_2) \rangle \\ &= \bar{\alpha} \langle y, T(x_1) \rangle + \bar{\beta} \langle y, T(x_2) \rangle \\ &= \bar{\alpha} h(y, x_1) + \bar{\beta} h(y, x_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} h(\alpha y_1 + \beta y_2, x) &= \langle \alpha y_1 + \beta y_2, T(x) \rangle \\ &= \alpha \langle y_1, T(x) \rangle + \beta \langle y_2, T(x) \rangle \\ &= \alpha h(y_1, x) + \beta h(y_2, x) \end{aligned}$$

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this proof that h is sesquilinear form
to show h is bounded

$$|h(y, x)| = |\langle y, T(x) \rangle|$$

$$\leq \|y\| \|T(x)\|$$

by using ~~the~~ Schwarz inequality

$$= \|y\| \|T\| \|x\|$$

Since T is bounded.

$\therefore h$ is bounded and

$$\|h\| = \sup_{\substack{0 \neq y \in H_2 \\ 0 \neq x \in H_1}} \left\{ \frac{|h(y, x)|}{\|x\| \|y\|} \right\}$$

$$\leq \sup_{\substack{0 \neq y \in H_2 \\ 0 \neq x \in H_1}} \left\{ \frac{\|y\| \|T\| \|x\|}{\|y\| \|x\|} \right\}$$

$$\therefore \|h\| \leq \|T\|$$

now take $y = T(x)$ we get

$$\|h\| \leq \sup_{\substack{0 \neq y \in H_2 \\ 0 \neq x \in H_1}} \left\{ \frac{|h(y, x)|}{\|x\| \|y\|} \right\}$$

$$\geq \sup_{0 \neq x \in H_1} \left\{ \frac{|h(T(x), x)|}{\|x\| \|T(x)\|} \right\}$$

$$= \sup_{0 \neq x \in H_1} \left\{ \frac{|\langle T(x), T(x) \rangle|}{\|x\| \|T(x)\|} \right\}$$

$$= \sup_{0 \neq x \in H_1} \left\{ \frac{\|T(x)\|^2}{\|x\| \|T(x)\|} \right\}$$

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$$\|h\| \geq \sup_{0 \neq x \in H_1} \left\{ \frac{\|Tx\|}{\|x\|} \right\}$$

$$= \|T\|$$

we get that $\|h\| = \|T\|$

we ~~can write~~ define $h(y, x) = \langle T^*(y) / x \rangle$ — (2)

From the (Theorem Riesz representation)

we get that $T^*: H_2 \rightarrow H_1$ is uniquely determined and bounded linear operator with norm $\|h\| = \|T^*\|$

now $\|T^*\| = \|h\| \leq \|T\|$

So $\|T\| \leq \|T^*\|$

from the equality (1) and (2)

$$h(y, x) = \langle x / T(y) \rangle$$

$$h(y, x) = \langle T^*(x) / y \rangle$$

we get that $\langle x / T(y) \rangle = \langle T^*(x) / y \rangle$
take the conjugate for both side

$$\overline{\langle T(y) / x \rangle} = \overline{\langle x / T(y) \rangle} = \overline{\langle T^*(x) / y \rangle}$$

$$= \langle y / T^*(x) \rangle$$

$$= \langle T(y) / x \rangle = \langle y / T^*(x) \rangle$$

$\therefore T^*$ is the adjoint operator of T

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Example we see in example (1)

for $T: \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$ $T(x) = ix$
the adjoint operator $T^*: \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$ is
exists $T^*(x) = -ix$

where T is bounded linear operator, for $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$
 $x, y \in \mathbb{C}^2$

$$\begin{aligned} T(\alpha x + \beta y) &= i(\alpha x + \beta y) \\ &= \alpha(ix) + \beta(iy) \\ &= \alpha T(x) + \beta T(y) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore T$ is linear

$$\begin{aligned} \|T(x)\| &\leq \|ix\| \\ &= \|i\| \|x\| \\ &= \|x\| \end{aligned}$$

So T is bounded linear operator

$$\|T\| \leq \sup_{0 \neq x \in \mathbb{C}^2} \left\{ \frac{\|T(x)\|}{\|x\|} \right\} = \sup_{0 \neq x \in \mathbb{C}^2} \left\{ \frac{\|x\|}{\|x\|} \right\} = 1$$

$$\therefore \|T\| = 1$$

T^* is also bounded linear operator $u, w \in \mathbb{C}^2$
 $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned} T^*(\alpha u + \beta w) &= -i(\alpha u + \beta w) \\ &= -i\alpha u - i\beta w \\ &= \alpha(-iu) + \beta(-iw) \\ &= \alpha T^*(u) + \beta T^*(w) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore T^*$ is linear operator

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To show that T^* is bounded

$$\begin{aligned}\|T^*(w)\| &\leq \| -i w \| \\ &\leq |-i| \|w\| \\ &\leq \|w\|\end{aligned}$$

~~$\|T\| \leq$~~

$$\|T^*\| \leq \sup_{\|w\|=1} \left\{ \frac{\|T^*(w)\|}{\|w\|} \right\} \leq \sup_{\|w\|=1} \left\{ \frac{\|w\|}{\|w\|} \right\} = 1$$

$$\text{So } \|T\| \leq 1 = \|T^*\|$$

Lemma (zero operator)

Let X and Y be pre Hilbert space and

$T: X \rightarrow Y$ be a bounded linear operator. Then

① $T=0$ if and only if $(T(x)/y) = 0$
zero operator $\forall x \in X, y \in Y$.

② if $T: X \rightarrow X$ where X is complex vector space
 and $\langle T(x)/x \rangle = 0 \forall x \in X$ then $T=0$

proof, (1)

Let $T=0$ this implies that $T(x)=0$
 $\forall x \in X$

$$\text{so } \langle T(x)/y \rangle = \langle 0/y \rangle = \langle 0/w \rangle = 0 \langle w/y \rangle = 0$$

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conversely

$$\text{Let } \langle T(x)/y \rangle = 0 \quad \forall x \in \hat{X}, y \in \hat{Y}$$

Let $y = T(x)$, then we get

$$\langle T(x)/T(x) \rangle = 0, \text{ so}$$

$$\|T(x)\|^2 = 0$$

$$\|T(x)\| = 0$$

$$T(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in \hat{X}$$

$$\therefore T = 0.$$

② $\Rightarrow$ ~~②~~ $T: X \rightarrow X$ such that

$$\langle T(v)/v \rangle = 0 \quad \forall v \in X$$
$$\langle T(v)/v \rangle = 0$$

Let $v = \alpha x + y \in X$ where $x, y \in X$
 $\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$

now

$$0 = \langle T(v)/v \rangle = \langle T(\alpha x + y)/\alpha x + y \rangle$$
$$= \langle \alpha T(x) + T(y)/\alpha x + y \rangle$$

$$= \langle \alpha T(x)/\alpha x \rangle + \langle \alpha T(x)/y \rangle + \langle T(y)/\alpha x \rangle + \langle T(y)/y \rangle$$
$$= \alpha \langle T(x)/x \rangle + \alpha \langle T(x)/y \rangle + \bar{\alpha} \langle T(y)/x \rangle + \langle T(y)/y \rangle$$

$$\stackrel{\Rightarrow 0}{=} \alpha \langle T(x)/y \rangle + \bar{\alpha} \langle T(y)/x \rangle = 0$$

set $\alpha = 1$ we get

$$\langle T(x)/y \rangle + \langle T(y)/x \rangle = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

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now set $25i$, $\neq 25-i$

$$i \langle T(x)/y \rangle - i \langle T(y)/x \rangle = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

we get that

$$\langle T(x)/y \rangle + \langle T(y)/x \rangle = 0$$

$$i \langle T(x)/y \rangle - i \langle T(y)/x \rangle = 0$$

$$i \langle T(x)/y \rangle + i \langle T(y)/x \rangle = 0$$

$$i \langle T(x)/y \rangle - i \langle T(y)/x \rangle = 0$$

$$\frac{2i \langle T(x)/y \rangle}{2i} = \frac{0}{2i}$$

$$\langle T(x)/y \rangle = 0 \quad \forall x \in \underline{X} \\ y \in \underline{X}$$

~~Set $y \in \underline{X}$~~

From the first part (i) we get that

$$T = 0.$$

Note The second prove is true when

$\underline{X}$ is vector space over complex number
and it is not true when $\underline{X}$ is vector
space over field of real number