

Paradiff. Operators (Métivier)

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Want to consider symbols with $a(x, \zeta)$ with limited spatial smoothness.

$\Gamma_p^m = \{ a(x, \zeta) : \text{locally bdd, } C^\alpha \text{ wrt } \zeta \text{ for } \zeta \neq 0. \}$

$$\forall \alpha \in \mathbb{N} \quad x \mapsto \partial_\zeta^\alpha a(x, \zeta) \text{ in } C^0 \text{ (or } W^{p, \alpha}).$$

and $\forall |\zeta| \geq \frac{1}{2}$,

$$\| \partial_\zeta^\alpha a(x, \zeta) \|_{C^0} \lesssim C(1+|\zeta|)^{m-|\alpha|} \quad \text{order of operator.}$$

Will smooth out $a(x, \zeta)$, i.e. consider spectral cutoff $\chi \in C^\infty$.

$$\begin{aligned} \exists 0 < \varepsilon_1 < \varepsilon_2 \quad \chi(\theta, \zeta) &= 1 & |\theta| \leq \varepsilon_1 |\zeta| \\ \chi(\theta, \zeta) &= 0 & |\theta| \geq \varepsilon_2 |\zeta| \end{aligned}$$

So consider

$$a(\cdot, \zeta) \mapsto \chi(\cdot, \zeta) * a(\cdot, \zeta)$$

i.e.

$$\vec{a}(\eta, \zeta) \mapsto \chi(\eta, \zeta) \vec{a}(\eta, \zeta).$$

with associated operator

$$\widehat{T_a u}(\eta) = \frac{1}{(\sqrt{2\pi})^d} \int \chi(\eta - \zeta, \zeta) \vec{a}(\eta - \zeta, \zeta) \vec{u}(\zeta) d\zeta$$

Further, need to consider $a(x, \xi)$ not smooth at $\xi = 0$, (e.g. DN operator)

so introduce $\chi \in C^\infty$, s.t.

$$\chi(\xi) = 0 \quad |\xi| \leq 1$$

$$\chi(\xi) = 1 \quad |\xi| \geq 2.$$

and

$$\widehat{T_a u}(y) = \frac{1}{(\sqrt{2\pi})^d} \int \chi(y-\xi, \xi) \frac{\widehat{a}(y-\xi, \xi)}{\widehat{a}(y-\xi, \xi)} \chi(\xi) \widehat{u}(\xi) d\xi$$

Defn. $\text{ord}(T) \leq m$ if $T: H^{s+m} \rightarrow H^s$ bdd.

Thm. $a \in \mathcal{P}_0^m \Rightarrow T_a$ order $\leq m$.

Composition. $a \in \mathcal{P}_p^m, b \in \mathcal{P}_{p'}^{m'}$, then

$$T_a T_b = T_{a \# b} \quad \text{order } m+m'-p$$

where

$$a \# b = \sum_{|\alpha| < p} \frac{1}{i^\alpha \alpha!} \partial_\xi^\alpha a(x, \xi) \partial_x^\alpha b(x, \xi) \in \sum_{j < p} \mathcal{P}_{p-j}^{m+m'-j}$$

Taylor expansion,
and $D_x \rightarrow i\xi_x$

Note the leading term is just ab .

Special Cases: Fourier multiplier ($a(\xi)$ indep. of x)
 Paraproduct ($a(x)$ indep. of ξ).

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For our purposes, we use paraproducts. e.g., $\sigma(x) \mapsto T\sigma$.

One easy lemma:

Lemma. $a, b \in H^\alpha$, $\alpha > d/2$, $\alpha - d/2 \notin \mathbb{N}$. Then

$$T_a T_b - T_{ab} \text{ order } \leq -\lfloor \alpha - \frac{d}{2} \rfloor$$

Pf: By Sobolev embedding, a, b bounded, $a, b \in C^{\lfloor \alpha - \frac{d}{2} \rfloor}$.

$$s.o. \quad a, b \in \Gamma^0_{\lfloor \alpha - \frac{d}{2} \rfloor}$$

By composition lemma,

$$T_a T_b - T_{a \# b} = T_a T_b - T_{a \# b}$$

$$\text{order } 0 + 0 - \lfloor \alpha - \frac{d}{2} \rfloor.$$

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More involved, have paraproductization lemma:

Lemma. $a \in H^\alpha$, $\alpha > d/2$, $F \in C^\infty$.

$$F(a) - T_{F'(a)} a \in H^{2\alpha - d/2}$$

$a \in H^\alpha$, $b \in H^\beta$, $\alpha + \beta > 0$,

$$ab - T_{ab} - T_b a \in H^{\alpha + \beta - d/2}$$

Lemma. $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}, \beta < d/2,$
 $a \in H^\alpha, b \in H^\beta \Rightarrow T_b a \in H^{\alpha+\beta-d/2}$

We also need:

Lemma. $a \in H^\alpha, b \in H^\beta \Rightarrow ab \in H^\gamma$ for $\gamma \in (\alpha+\beta-d/2) \cap (\alpha+\beta-d/2) \geq \gamma$

and the following result on regularity for heat eqn:

Lemma. $\xi \in [0, 1), a \in \mathcal{P}'_{1+\xi}, b \in \mathcal{P}^0_0, \exists c > 0$ s.t.
 $\forall (x, \zeta), \operatorname{Re} a(x, \zeta) \geq c|\zeta|.$

Then if $u \in C^1([-1, 0]; H^{-\infty})$ solves
 $\partial_\tau u + T_a u = T_b u + f$

for $f \in C^0([-1, 0]; H^s),$ then
 $u(0) \in H^{s+\xi}$

maybe mention later