

ADAPTIVE PROJECTIONS IN DUAL NORMS: AN OVERVIEW OF THE STATE OF THE ART

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ABSTRACT. In [1], we proposed an adaptive projection method in negative Sobolev spaces $W^{-m,p}(\Omega)$ to regularize continuous linear functionals acting on regular Sobolev spaces such as $W^{m,q}(\Omega)$, where $m \geq 1$; $p^{-1} + q^{-1} = 1$; $1 < p < +\infty$; and Ω being a Lipschitz domain. In this context, regularization means to find an optimal piecewise polynomial function $\ell_H : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, such that the action of a functional ℓ over any test function v , can be approximated by $\langle \ell, v \rangle \approx \int_{\Omega} \ell_H v$. In this talk, we provide a state of the art of the method, including extensions/adaptations to nonconforming settings, new compatible pairs, projection of rougher linear functionals, duality-map localization features, and averaging operators, together with some numerical validations.

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