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Topic: Theorems based on the Hilbert Spaces.

Theorem:

(Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality or Schwarz Inequality)

Let E be an inner product space or a Hilbert space.

Then for all $x, y \in E$, $|(x, y)| \leq \|x\| \cdot \|y\|$

Equality holds iff x and y are linearly dependent.

Proof: we have for any scalar a ,

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq (x - ay, x - ay) \\ &= (x, x) - \bar{a}(x, y) - a(y, x) + a\bar{a}(y, y) \\ &= \|x\|^2 - \bar{a}(x, y) - a(y, x) + |a|^2\|y\|^2 \dots (1) \end{aligned}$$

If $(y, x) = 0$ then $|(x, y)| = |\overline{(y, x)}| = |\bar{0}| = |0| = 0$

and $0 \leq \|x\| \cdot \|y\|$ so $|(x, y)| \leq \|x\| \cdot \|y\|$.

If $(y, x) \neq 0$ then putting $a = \frac{\|x\|^2}{(y, x)}$ in (1) we get

$$0 \leq \|x\|^2 - \|x\|^2 - \|x\|^2 + \frac{\|x\|^4}{|(y, x)|^2} \|y\|^2$$

Hence $|(y, x)|^2 \leq \|x\|^2 \cdot \|y\|^2$

$$\Rightarrow |(x, y)| \leq \|x\| \cdot \|y\|$$

Now $|(x, y)| = \|x\| \cdot \|y\| \Leftrightarrow 0 = (x - ay, x - ay)$

$$\Leftrightarrow 0 = x - ay \Leftrightarrow x = ay$$

$\Leftrightarrow x$ and y are linearly dependent.

Theorem:

(Continuity of inner product function in a Hilbert space)

Let $x_n \rightarrow x$ and $y_n \rightarrow y$ in an inner product space E or in a Hilbert space E . Then $(x_n, y_n) \rightarrow (x, y)$ i.e. the inner product function is jointly continuous in an inner product Space or in a Hilbert space .

Proof: Let $x_n \rightarrow x$ and $y_n \rightarrow y$ in an inner product space E .

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Then } |(x_n, y_n) - (x, y)| &= |(x_n, y_n) - (x, y_n) + (x, y_n) - (x, y)| \\
&= |(x_n - x, y_n) + (x, y_n - y)| \\
&\leq |(x_n - x, y_n)| + |(x, y_n - y)| \\
&\leq \|x_n - x\| \|y_n\| + \|x\| \|y_n - y\| \dots (1)
\end{aligned}$$

Since $x_n \rightarrow x$ and $y_n \rightarrow y$ so we have

$$\|x_n - x\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ and } \|y_n - y\| \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{So } \|x_n - x\| \|y_n\| + \|x\| \|y_n - y\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\text{Hence } |(x_n, y_n) - (x, y)| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\text{Therefore } (x_n, y_n) \rightarrow (x, y).$$

So the inner product function is a continuous function.

Theorem (Parallelogram law): For any two elements x and y in an inner product space E or in a Hilbert space E we have

$$\|x+y\|^2 + \|x-y\|^2 = 2\|x\|^2 + 2\|y\|^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Proof: } \text{since } \|x+y\|^2 &= (x+y, x+y) \\
&= (x, x) + (x, y) + (y, x) + (y, y)
\end{aligned}$$

$$= \|x\|^2 + (x, y) + (y, x) + \|y\|^2 \dots (1)$$

Again $\|x-y\|^2 = (x-y, x-y)$

$$= (x, x) - (x, y) - (y, x) + (y, y)$$

$$= \|x\|^2 - (x, y) - (y, x) + \|y\|^2 \dots (2)$$

Adding (1) and (2) we get

$$\|x+y\|^2 + \|x-y\|^2 = 2\|x\|^2 + 2\|y\|^2.$$

End .