

Dyadic BMO and the Hardy Space

BMO and the John-Nirenberg inequality

We define BMO on $[0, 1]$ with respect to dyadic intervals.

$$f^\#(x) = \sup_{x \in Q \in \mathcal{D}} \int_Q |f(y) - f_Q|$$

$$f \in \text{BMO}_{\text{dyad}}([0, 1]) \iff f^\# \in L^\infty.$$

Thm: (John-Nirenberg Inequality)

Let $f \in \text{BMO}_{\text{dyad}}([0, 1])$. Then for any $Q \in \mathcal{D}$

$$|\{x \in Q \mid |f(x) - f_Q| > \lambda\}| \leq C|Q| \exp\left(-c \frac{\lambda}{\|f\|_{\text{BMO}}}\right).$$

For some universal $c, C > 0$.

Pf:

It suffices to prove that for $M \in \mathbb{Z}_+$,

$$|\{x \in \mathbb{Q} \mid |f(x) - f_Q| > 10M \|f\|_{B_{M0}}\}| \leq C |Q| 2^{-M}$$

We will induct on $m = 1, 2, \dots, M$.
For the base case. For any $Q \in \mathcal{D}$

$$|\{x \in Q \mid |f(x) - f_Q| > 10 \|f\|_{B_{M0}}\}|$$

$$\leq |Q|$$

Suppose that for each $Q \in \mathcal{D}$

$$|\{x \in Q \mid |f(x) - f_Q| > 10^m \|f\|_{B_{M0}}\}|$$

$$\leq C |Q| 2^{-m}.$$

Fix $Q \in \mathcal{D}$ and perform a C - \mathbb{Z} decomposition at height $2\|f\|_{B_{M0}}$, with $f - f_Q = g + b = \tilde{f}$

and

$$b = \sum_{Q' \in \mathcal{B}} \chi_{Q'} (\tilde{f} - f_{Q'})$$

$$g = \tilde{f} - \sum_{Q' \in \mathcal{B}} \chi_{Q'} (\tilde{f} - f_{Q'})$$

Then

$$\sum |Q'| \leq \frac{\sum |\tilde{f}|}{2 \|f\|_{B_{m_0}}} \leq \frac{|Q|}{2}.$$

and $|Q| \leq 4 \|\tilde{f}\|_{B_{m_0}} \leq 10 \|f\|_{B_{m_0}}.$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \{x \in Q \mid |f(x) - F_Q| > 10(m+1)\|f\|_{B_{m_0}}\} \right| \\ &= \left| \{x \in Q \mid |a+b| > 10(m+1)\|f\|_{B_{m_0}}\} \right| \\ &\leq \left| \{x \in Q \mid |b| > 10m\|f\|_{B_{m_0}}\} \right| \\ &= \sum_{Q' \in \mathcal{B}} \left| \{x \in Q' \mid |b| > 10m\|f\|_{B_{m_0}}\} \right| \\ &= \sum_{Q' \in \mathcal{B}} \left| \{x \in Q' \mid |\tilde{f}(x) - F_{Q'}| > 10m\|f\|_{B_{m_0}}\} \right| \\ &\leq \sum |Q'| 2^{-m} \\ &\leq \frac{|Q|}{2} 2^{-m}. \end{aligned}$$

□.

Corollary 3

For every $p \in [1, \infty)$ $\exists C = C(p)$ s.t.

$$\sup_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} \left(\int |f - f_Q|^p \right)^{1/p} \leq C \left[\sup_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} \left(\int |f - f_Q| \right) \right]$$

PF:

Fix $Q \in \mathcal{D}$

Note that

$$\sup_Q \left(\int |f - f_Q| \right) = \|f\|_{BMO}.$$

Then for any $Q \in \mathcal{D}$

$$\frac{1}{|Q|} \int |f - f_Q|^p \leq \|f\|_{BMO}^p$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_0^\infty p \lambda^{p-1} \left| \{ |f - f_Q| > \lambda \|f\|_{BMO} \} \right|$$

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-Nirenberg \rightarrow

$$\leq \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_0^\infty p \lambda^{p-1} C|Q| \exp(-c\lambda)$$

$$\leq C'(p)$$

\square .

Def: (Dyadic Square Function)

For any $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R})$ with

$\int_{\mathbb{R}} f = 0$ we define

$$Sf(x) = \left(\sum_{I \in \mathcal{D}} |a_I|^2 h_I^2(x) \right)^{1/2}.$$

for $f = \sum_{I \in \mathcal{D}} a_I h_I$

Def: (Dyadic BMO and Dyadic Hardy)

The dyadic Hardy space is defined as

$$\mathcal{H}^2(\mathbb{R}) = \left\{ f \in L^2(\mathbb{R}) \mid \begin{array}{l} \int_{\mathbb{R}} f = 0 \\ Sf \in L^2(\mathbb{R}) \end{array} \right\}.$$

The dyadic BMO space is defined as the space of all $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R})$

with

$$\|f\|_{\text{BMO}} := \sup_{I \in \mathcal{D}} \left(\int_I |f(x) - f_I|^2 dx \right)^{1/2} < \infty.$$