

The spectral decomposition for G on $L^2(T)$ is just Fourier series.

$$\Gamma \quad G(e^{i\langle \beta, x \rangle}) = \frac{1}{\|\beta\|^2} e^{i\langle \beta, x \rangle} \quad \text{for } \beta \neq 0.$$

$e^{i\langle \beta, x \rangle}$ is an eigenfunction for G whose eigenvalue is $\|\beta\|^2$. \rceil

At this juncture, the observations of the preceding paragraph more than establish the Hodge theorem for zero-forms on a torus. The essential point is this:

The operator $I + \Delta_d : H_s \rightarrow H_{s-2}$ is trivially bounded, since Δ is second order. More importantly, the identity

$$\|(I + \Delta_d) \varphi\|_{s-2}^2 = \|\varphi\|_s^2 \quad \text{allows us to}$$

invert $I + \Delta_d$ on $L^2(T)$ using the closed graph theorem.

$$\Gamma \quad \|(I + \Delta_d) \varphi\|_{s-2}^2 = \sum (1 + \|\beta\|^2)^{s-2} |((I + \Delta_d) \varphi)_\beta|^2.$$

$$\text{but since } ((I + \Delta_d) \varphi)_\beta = \varphi_\beta + \|\beta\|^2 \varphi_\beta = (1 + \|\beta\|^2) \varphi_\beta,$$

$$= \sum (1 + \|\beta\|^2)^s |\varphi_\beta|^2 = \|\varphi\|_s^2 \quad \rceil$$

$I + \Delta_d$ has a closed image \Rightarrow By P.294. \exists an orthogonal complement. (See Rudin Functional Analysis)

This inverse is a compact smoothing operator and contains the information of the Green's operator.

If, on a general compact manifold M , we carry over the Sobolev-space formalism and can prove the basic estimate

$$\|(I + \Delta_d) \varphi\|_{s-2}^2 \geq C_s \|\varphi\|_s^2 \quad \text{by calculus,}$$