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ABSTRACT. Notes before and then after lecture.

Read: I will add some of this to the notes when I get a chance.

- (1) Hilbert-Schmidt operators as a Hilbert space $||A|| \leq ||A||_{\text{HS}} ||BA||_{\text{HS}} \leq ||B|| ||A||_{\text{HS}}$. Density of finite ranke operators.
- (2) Trace class operators, the trace, $||T|| \le ||T||_{\text{Tr}}, ||BT||_{\text{Tr}} \le ||B|| ||T||_{\text{Tr}}, \text{ density, } \text{Tr}([B,T]) = 0. \text{ Tr}(\Pi_N) = N.$
- (3) Index of Fredholm operators, left and right parametrices, Calderón's formula.
- (4) Fredholm operators form an open set.
- (5) Constancy of the index on components.
- (6) Spectrum of a bounded operator.
- (7) Self-adjoint operators, $||A|| = \sup_{||u||=1} |\langle Au, u \rangle|$.
- (8) P(A) for a polynomial P and Spec(P(A)).
- (9) The functional calculus
- (10) Spectral theorem for compact operators
- (11) Spectral projections.

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