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- $H^{1/2}(\Gamma) \simeq \mathcal{H}_0 H^1(\Omega)$

$$H^{1/2}(\Gamma) := \mathcal{H}_0 H^1(\Omega) \simeq H^{1/2}(\Gamma) := \{g \in L_2(\Omega) : |g|_{H^{1/2}(\Gamma)} < \infty\}$$

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$$g = \mathcal{H}_0 u$$

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$$g$$

$$\|g\|_{H^{1/2}(\Gamma)} := \inf_{\substack{u \in H^1(\Omega) \\ \mathcal{H}_0 u = g}} \|u\|_{H^1(\Omega)} \simeq \|g\|_{H^{1/2}(\Gamma)} := \left(\|g\|_{L_2(\Omega)}^2 + |g|_{H^{1/2}(\Gamma)}^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

norm equivalence (see Def. 2.12)

with the $H^{1/2}$ -semi-norm

$$|g|_{H^{1/2}(\Gamma)}^2 := \int_{\Gamma} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{|g(x) - g(y)|^2}{|x - y|^{(d-1)+1}} dy dx$$

- Def. 2.12: $\|\cdot\|_{(1)} \simeq \|\cdot\|_{(2)}$

Two norms $\|\cdot\|_{(1)}$ and $\|\cdot\|_{(2)}$ defined on some linear space X are called equivalent iff

\exists positive, fixed constant \underline{c} and \bar{c} such that

$$\underline{c} \|u\|_{(2)} \leq \|u\|_{(1)} \leq \bar{c} \|u\|_{(2)} \quad \forall u \in X.$$