

Proof via "Closure Principle"!

$$W_1^1(\Omega) = \overline{C^1(\bar{\Omega})} \quad \text{II. II } w_1(\Omega) \ni w \xleftarrow[m \rightarrow \infty]{w_m} w_m \in C^1(\bar{\Omega}).$$

Trace Theorem (\rightarrow see (9)_o on T2-07) gives

$$\| w - w_m \|_{L_1(\Gamma)} \leq c \| w - w_m \|_{W_1^1(\Omega)} \xrightarrow[m \rightarrow \infty]{} 0$$

$\downarrow_w \quad \downarrow_{w_m}$

The classical formula yields

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Omega} \partial_i w_m \, dx &= \int_{\Gamma} w_m \cdot n_i \, ds \\ \downarrow &\qquad\qquad\qquad \downarrow \qquad\qquad\qquad m \rightarrow \infty \\ \int_{\Omega} \partial_i w \, dx &= \int_{\Gamma} w \cdot n_i \, ds \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \int_{\Gamma} w \cdot n_i \, ds - \int_{\Gamma} w_m \cdot n_i \, ds \right| &\leq \int_{\Gamma} |w - w_m| \cdot |n_i| \, ds \\ &\leq \underbrace{\|n_i\|_{L^\infty(\Gamma)}}_{\leq 1} \|w - w_m\|_{L_1(\Gamma)} \leq c \|w - w_m\|_{W_1^1(\Omega)} \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} 0 \end{aligned}$$

q.e.d.

■ Gauss' Integration Theorem (balance identity):

Let $w = (w_1, \dots, w_d)^T$ a vector field with $w_i \in W_1^1(\Omega)$.

(14) immediately yields Gauss' Integration Theorem:

$$(16) \int_{\Omega} d \operatorname{div} w \, dx = \sum_{i=1}^d \int_{\Omega} \partial_i w_i \, dx = \sum_{i=1}^d \int_{\Gamma} w_i n_i \, ds = \int_{\Gamma} w \cdot n \, ds$$

