

Mixed Variational Problems (MVP)

Find $u \in X$ and $\lambda \in \Lambda$:

$$(MVP) \quad \begin{aligned} a(u, v) + b(v, \lambda) &= \langle F, v \rangle \quad \forall v \in X \\ b(u, \mu) - c(\lambda, \mu) &= \langle G, \mu \rangle \quad \forall \mu \in \Lambda \end{aligned}$$

$$A u + B^T \lambda = F$$

$$B u - C \lambda = G$$

Theorem B.4 (Brezzi, 1974)

Ass.: (B.4.1) $F \in X^*$, $G \in \Lambda^*$

$$(B.4.2) \quad |a(u, v)| \leq \alpha_2 \|u\|_X \|v\|_X \quad \forall u, v \in X$$

$$|b(u, \lambda)| \leq \beta_2 \|u\|_X \|\lambda\|_\Lambda \quad \forall u \in X \quad \forall \lambda \in \Lambda$$

(B.4.3) LBB-condition:

$$\sup_{v \in X} \frac{b(v, \lambda)}{\|v\|_X} \geq \beta_1 \|\lambda\|_\Lambda \quad \forall \lambda \in \Lambda$$

(B.4.4) Ker B-ellipticity of $a(\cdot, \cdot)$:

$$a(v, v) \geq \alpha_1 \|v\|_X^2 \quad \forall v \in \text{Ker } B$$

St.: $\exists! (u, \lambda) \in X \times \Lambda$: (MVP)

$$\|u\|_X \leq \frac{1}{\alpha_1} \|F\|_{X^*} + \frac{1}{\beta_1} \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_2}{\alpha_1}\right) \|G\|_{\Lambda^*}$$

$$\|\lambda\|_\Lambda \leq \frac{1}{\beta_1} \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_2}{\alpha_1}\right) \|F\|_{X^*} + \frac{\alpha_2}{\beta_1} \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_2}{\alpha_1}\right) \|G\|_{\Lambda^*}$$

Proof see Lecture on CM!