

Hermite-Birkhoff interpolation on scattered data in Banach spaces by cardinal basis operators

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Abstract

We consider a generalization to Banach spaces of Hermite-Birkhoff interpolation on arbitrarily distributed data, where the interpolation conditions involve Fréchet derivatives. The problem is not only interesting in itself, but it is also relevant since it allows to introduce interpolants with approximation order higher than in Lagrange interpolation. After giving a constructive characterization of a class of cardinal basis functions in Banach spaces, the interpolation problem is solved by a suitable combination of Taylor-Fréchet expansions and cardinal basis functions. The numerical performances of the interpolants can be furtherly improved by applying a localizing scheme and the corresponding approximation error is estimated. The theoretical results are supported by a noteworthy example in Hilbert spaces and numerical tests of the constructed methods.

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