

## Miniproject 2

Introduction to semigroup theory.

The target is to solve PDEs by formulating them as ODEs in Banach spaces. For instance, heat equation  $\partial_t u - \Delta u = 0$  can be written as  $\partial_t u = Au$ ,  $A$  is an operator. The main difficulty is that  $A$  is not bounded in general.

We follow Evans - section 7.4.

- ① Introduce theory of unbounded operators (Brezis) → Bartek Szczęsny.
- ② Introduction to semigroups, generators, its domain and motivations → Kuba.
- ③ State and prove Theorem 1 [differential properties of semigroups] [normal, 1 person]
- ④ State and prove Theorem 2 [properties of generators] [normal, 1 person]

④ Define resolvent operator and sets. Prove Theorem 3 on their properties.

[normal, 2 people]

⑤ Prove Hille-Yosida Theorem [HARD, 2 people]

⑥ Present example in 7.4.3 (a) (Theorem 5) but in the special case  $L = -\Delta$  so we solve heat equation on a bounded domain.

[~HARD, 1 person].