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Convergence of the FEM in domains with external cusps. *

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Abstract

In [1] the finite element method was applied to a non-homogeneous Neumann problem on a cuspidal domain $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^2$, and using regularity results developed in [2], quasi-optimal order error estimates in the energy norm were obtained for certain graded meshes. In this talk we present similar results for the error in the L^2 norm. Since many classical results in the theory of Sobolev spaces do not apply to the domain under consideration, our estimates require a particular duality treatment working on appropriate weighted spaces. Our talk is based on the recent article [3].

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