MAXIMAL REGULARITY FOR LOCAL MINIMIZERS OF NON-AUTONOMOUS FUNCTIONALS

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ABSTRACT. Establishment of regularity theory for partial differential equations and variational problems with (p, q)-growth condition has been an open issue since the 1980s. In this talk we introduce recent results of $C^{1,\alpha}$ -regularity for some $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ and C^{α} -regularity for any $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ of local minimizers of the functional

$$v \mapsto \int_{\Omega} \varphi(x, |Dv|) \, dx,$$

where φ satisfies a (p,q)-growth condition and sharp regularity conditions. In addition, we introduce regularity results for bounded or Hölder continuous minimizers of the above functional, or weak solutions of PDEs with a generalized Orlicz growth condition.

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