## **Gastvortrag**

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Numerical analysis for the very weak solution of the Stokes Problem

## Abstract:

The homogeneous Stokes equation with non-smooth Dirichlet boundary data, i.e., when the data belongs only to  $L^2(\Gamma)$ , is studied in both convex and nonconvex domains.

The low regularity of the boundary data poses significant challenges, and a weak solution  $(y,p) \in H^1(\Omega)^2 \times L^2(\Omega)$  cannot, in general, be expected. Instead, a very weak formulation is introduced, and existence and uniqueness results are established.

For the finite element discretization, the regularization method is employed, and the non-smooth boundary data is treated using an  $L^2$ -projection. Optimal discretization error estimates are derived, and numerical experiments are conducted to validate the theoretical findings.