

LOCALISATION TECHNIQUES FOR DIVISION IN DOUGLAS ALGEBRAS

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ABSTRACT

In this paper we use uniform algebra techniques and recent results on separation properties to prove several division theorems for closed subalgebras of L^∞ containing H^∞ . We also study ideals having the local approximation property and we show that not every ideal in such algebras is local.