On the attainability of the optimal constants of some Caffarelli-Kohn-Nirenberg inequalities with mixed boundary conditions. Applications.

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Abstract. In this talk, will be presented some results on the optimal constants of Sobolev and Hardy-Sobolev inequalities with weights and their relation with the behavior of some mixed Dirichlet-Neumann boundary conditions. Will be analyzed the attainability of the Sobolev constant

$$S_{\gamma}^{2}(\Omega, \Sigma_{1}) = \inf_{u \in E_{\Sigma_{1}}^{2,\gamma}(\Omega); u \neq 0} \frac{\int_{\Omega} |x|^{-2\gamma} |\nabla u|^{2} dx}{\left(\int_{\Omega} |x|^{-2^{*}\gamma} |u|^{2^{*}} dx\right)^{\frac{2}{2^{*}}}},$$
(1)

and the Hardy-Sobolev constant

$$\Lambda_{N,\gamma}(\Omega,\Sigma_1) = \inf_{\substack{u \in E_{\Sigma_1}^{2,\gamma}(\Omega), u \neq 0}} \frac{\int_{\Omega} |x|^{-2\gamma} |\nabla u|^2 dx}{\int_{\Omega} \frac{|u|^2}{|x|^{2(\gamma+1)}} dx}$$
(2)

where $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^N$, $N \geq 3$, is a smooth bounded domain such that $0 \in \Omega$, $-\infty < \gamma < \frac{N-2}{2}$, $2^* = \frac{2N}{N-2}$, and $E_{\Sigma_1}^{2,\gamma}(\Omega)$ the natural Sobolev space in this framework. The deep relation between the geometry of the domain, the boundary conditions and the attainability of the critical constants will be showed. As a direct consequence, some applications to elliptic problems like

$$\begin{cases} -\operatorname{div}(|x|^{-2\gamma}\nabla u) &= \lambda \frac{u^{q}}{|x|^{2(\gamma+1)}} + \frac{u^{r}}{|x|^{(r+1)\gamma}}, \quad u > 0 \quad \text{in } \Omega, \\ u &= 0 \quad \text{on } \Sigma_{1}, \\ |x|^{-2\gamma} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \nu} &= 0 \quad \text{on } \Sigma_{2}, \end{cases}$$
(3)

will be discussed, where q and r are given real parameters under convenient hypotheses and $\overline{\Sigma}_1, \overline{\Sigma}_2$, provide a smooth partition of $\partial\Omega$.

The main results are contained in the following paper:

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