

SPECTRAL THEORY IN HILBERT SPACE

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ABSTRACT:

We now proceed to give a more abstract form of the spectral theorem, based on the representation theorem for commutative B^* -algebras. A spectral measure on a Hilbert space H is a mapping from the σ -algebra of Borel measurable subsets of \mathbb{C} into $L(H)$. There are types of Hilbert spaces: the finite dimensional and the infinite dimensional. A normed algebra is a normed vector space and an algebra. The spectral theorem of the continuous functional calculus for normal operators.

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INTRODUCTION:

The spectral theory of operators on a Hilbert space. The diagonalization of asymmetric metric may be given several interpretations. Our approach to the spectral theorem will be by way of the study of C^* -algebras. A spectral measure on a Hilbert space H is a mapping from the σ -algebra of Borel measurable subsets of \mathbb{C} into $L(H)$. In this notes we provide an introduction to compact linear operators on Banach and Hilbert spaces. The construction of the measure is particularly simple when the algebra of operators has a so called cyclic vector.

There are really three types of Hilbert spaces: the finite dimensional ones, essentially just \mathbb{C}^n and two infinite dimensional cases corresponding to being separable having a countable dense subset or not. The basic vocabulary and fundamental results of general spectral theory of Banach algebras over \mathbb{C} .

The results concerning the spectrum of compact operators on a Hilbert space and add a few important facts, such as the definition and standard properties of trace-class operators.

As a general rule, we can not expect even for self-adjoint operators to have a spectral theory built entirely on eigenvalues. The case of operators for which the eigenvalues essentially suffice to describe the spectrum those are compact operators.

The compact operators form a class of normal bounded operators $T \in L(H)$. It may not have sufficiently many eigenvalues to use only the point spectrum to describe it up to equivalence. The spectrum represents an operator σ and its action on vectors $\xi \in H$.

The spectral theorem and the continuous functional calculus to normal operators. There is a class of bounded linear transformation on a Hilbert space H that is clearly analogous to linear transformation between finite dimensional the compact operators. A Banach algebra is a normed algebra which is complete as a normed space. A normed algebra is a normed vector space and an algebra.

BASIC DEFINITIONS:

HILBERT SPACE:

A complex inner product space is a complex vector space X together with an inner product space: a function from $X \times X$ into \mathbb{C} satisfying:

1. $(\forall x \in X) \langle x, x \rangle \geq 0; \langle x, x \rangle = 0$ iff $x = 0$.
2. $(\forall \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C})(\forall x, y, z \in X), \langle \alpha x + \beta y, z \rangle = \alpha \langle x, z \rangle + \beta \langle y, z \rangle$.
3. $(\forall x, y \in X) \langle y, x \rangle = \overline{\langle x, y \rangle}$

INNER PRODUCT SPACE:

Suppose V is an inner product space. A linear transformation $S \in L(V)$ is self adjoint if $\langle S_v, w \rangle = \langle v, S_w \rangle$ ($v, w \in V$).

The point of these notes is to explain a proof.

CYCLIC:

Let A be a set of operators in $L(H)$. A vector $x \in H$ is cyclic for A if $Ax := \{T_x; T \in A\}$ is dense in H .

SPECTRAL MEASURE:

BANACH ALGEBRA:

A spectral measure on a Hilbert space H is a mapping ϵ from the σ -algebra of Borel measurable subsets of \mathbb{C} into $L(H)$ so that,

- a) ϵ is a finitely additive, multiplication measure with values in $L(H)$.
- i.e) $\epsilon(A \cup B) = L(H)$, if $A \cap B = \emptyset$ and $\epsilon(A \cup B) = \epsilon(A)\epsilon(B)$ for Borel sets A, B .
- b) $\epsilon(A)$ is an orthogonal projection for each Borel set A .
- c) ϵ is strongly σ -additive. i.e) for each $y \in H$, the measure $\epsilon_A(\dagger) = \epsilon(A)(\dagger)$ with values in H is σ -additive.
- i.e) if A is the disjoint union of the measurable sets A_n then $\epsilon(\cup A_i) \dagger = \sum \epsilon(A_i)(\dagger)$.

Definition:

A normal algebra is a normal space A_0 , with the following additional structure, there exist a well-defined multiplication in A_0 , meaning a map $A_0 \times A_0 \rightarrow A_0$, denoted by $(x, y) \rightarrow xy$, which satisfying the following conditions, for all $x, y, z \in A_0, \alpha \in \mathbb{C}$:

1. (associativity) $(xy)z = x(yz)$.
2. (distributivity) $(\alpha x + y)z = \alpha xz + yz, z(\alpha x + y) = \alpha zx + zy$.
3. (sub-multiplicativity of norm) $\|xy\| \leq \|x\| \|y\|$.

Abanach algebra is a normed algebra which is complete as a normed space .A normed algebra is said to be unital if it has a multiplicative identity.

i.e)If there exists an element which we shall denote simply by,1,

such that,

$$|x=x|=x \quad \forall x.$$

DEFINITION:

Let A be a unit banach algebra ,and let $x \in A$.

Then, the spectrum of x is the set, denoted by $\sigma(x)$, defined by $\sigma(x) = \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C} : (x-\lambda) \text{ is not invertible}\}$ and the spectral radius of x is defined by,

$$r(x) = \sup \{|\lambda| : \lambda \in \sigma(x)\}.$$

DEFINITION:

Let X and Y be banach spaces. A linear operator $C: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be compact if for each bounded sequence $\{x_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$.

There is a subsequence of $\{Cx_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ that is convergent.

EX:

Let $a < b$ and $c < d$.

If $c: [c,d] \times [a,b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is continuous, then the integral operator

$$(cf)(y) = \int_a^b c(y,x)f(x)dx$$

is compact as an operator from $X = C[a,b]$ to $Y = C[c,d]$. The space of continuous functions on $[a,b]$ with supremum norm to $Y = C[c,d]$.

I BANACH ALGEBRA AND COMPACT OPERATORS.

THEOREM: SPECTRAL THEOREM FOR COMPACT OPERATORS.

Let H be an infinite dimensional Hilbert space, and let $T \in K(H)$ be a compact operator.

(1) Except for the possible value 0, the spectrum of T is entirely point spectrum; in other words

$$\sigma(T) - \{0\} = \sigma_p(T) - \{0\}.$$

(2) We have $0 \in \sigma(T)$, and $0 \in \sigma_p(T)$ if and only if T is not injective.

(3) The point spectrum outside of 0 is countable and has finite multiplicity: for each $\lambda \in \sigma_p(T) - \{0\}$, we have

$$\dim \text{Ker}(\lambda - T) < +\infty.$$

(4) Assume T is normal. Let $H_0 = \text{Ker}(T)$, and $H_1 = \text{Ker}(T)^\perp$. Then T maps H_0 to H_0 and H_1 to H_1 ; on H_1 , which is separable, there exist an orthonormal basis $(e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n, \dots)$ and $\lambda_n \in \sigma_p(T) - \{0\}$. Such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \lambda_n = 0, \quad \text{and}$$

$$T(e_n) = \lambda_n e_n \quad \text{for all } n \geq 1.$$

In particular, if $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{I}}$ is an arbitrary basis of H_0 , which may not be separable, we have

$$T(\sum_{i \in I} \alpha_i f_i + \sum_{n \geq 1} \alpha_n e_n) = \sum_{n \geq 1} \lambda_n \alpha_n e_n$$

For all scalars $\alpha_i, \alpha_n \in \mathbb{C}$ for which the vector on the left-hand side lies in H , and the series on the right convergent in H . This can be expressed also as

$$T(v) = \sum_{n \geq 1} \lambda_n \langle v, e_n \rangle e_n.$$

In example, We will prove the self-adjoint case using the general spectral theorem for bounded self-adjoint operators.

Will be the most commonly used version of this statement for T a normal compact operator, where the (e_n) form an orthonormal basis of $\text{Ker}(T)^\perp$ and $T(e_n) = \lambda_n e_n$.

II SPECTRAL THEORY FOR BOUNDED OPERATORS.

THEOREM: Let H be a separable Hilbert space and $T \in \mathcal{L}(H)$ a continuous normal operator. There exists a finite measure space (X, μ) , a unitary operator

$$U: H \rightarrow L^2(X, \mu)$$

And a bounded function $g \in L^\infty(X, \mu)$, such that

$$M_g \circ U = U \circ T,$$

Or in other words, for all $f \in L^2(X, \mu)$, we have

$$(UTU^{-1})f(x) = g(x)f(x),$$

For (almost) all $x \in X$.

THEOREM: CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONAL CALCULUS.

Let H be a Hilbert space and $T \in \mathcal{L}(H)$ a self-adjoint bounded operator. There exists a unique linear map

$$\Phi = \varphi_T: C(\sigma(T)) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}(H),$$

Also denoted $f \rightarrow f(T)$, with the following properties:

(0) This extends naturally the definition above for polynomials, i.e., for any $p \in \mathbb{C}[X]$ as before, we have

$$\Phi(p) = p(T) = \sum_{j=0}^d \alpha_j T^j.$$

(1) This map is a Banach-algebra isometric homomorphism, i.e., we have

$$\Phi(f_1 f_2) = \Phi(f_1) \Phi(f_2) \text{ for all } f_i \in C(\sigma(T)), \quad \Phi(\text{Id}) = \text{Id}, \text{ and}$$

$$\|\Phi(f)\| = \|f\|_{C(\sigma(T))}.$$

In addition, this homomorphism has the following properties:

(2) For any $f \in C(\sigma(T))$, we have $\Phi(f)^* = \Phi(\bar{f})$, i.e., $f(T)^* = \bar{f}(T)$, and in particular $f(T)$ is normal for all $f \in C(\sigma(T))$. In addition

$$f \geq 0 \implies \Phi(f) \geq 0.$$

(3) If $\lambda \in \sigma(T)$ is in the point spectrum and $v \in \text{Ker}(\lambda - T)$, then $v \in \text{Ker}(f(\lambda) - f(T))$.

(4) More generally, we have the spectral mapping theorem:

$$\Sigma(f(T)) = f(\sigma(T)) = \sigma(f), \text{ where } \sigma(f) \text{ is computed for } f \in C(\sigma(T)).$$

SPECTRAL MEASURES

PROPOSITION: Let H be a Hilbert space, let $T \in \mathcal{L}(H)$ be a self-adjoint operator and let $v \in H$ be a fixed vector. There exists a unique positive Radon measure μ on $\sigma(T)$, depending on T and v , such that

$$\int_{\sigma(T)} f(x) d\mu(x) = \langle f(T)v, v \rangle$$

for all $f \in C(\sigma(T))$. In particular, we have

$$\mu(\sigma(T)) = \|v\|^2,$$

So μ is a finite measure.

This measure is called the spectral measure associated to v and T .

PROOF:

This is a direct application of the Riesz-Markoc Theorem; indeed, we have the linear functional

$$\ell: C(\sigma(T)) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, f \mapsto \langle f(T)v, v \rangle$$

This is well-defined and positive, since if $f \geq 0$, we have $f(T) \geq 0$, hence $\langle f(T)v, v \rangle \geq 0$ by definition. By the Riesz-Markoc theorem, therefore, there exists a unique Radon measure μ on $\sigma(T)$ such that

$$\ell(f) = \langle f(T)v, v \rangle = \int_{\sigma(T)} f(x) d\mu(x)$$

for all $f \in C(\sigma(T))$.

Moreover, taking $f(x) = 1$ for all x .

III .SPECTRAL THEOREM FOR NORMAL OPERATORS

LEMMA:

Let H be a Hilbert space and $T \in \mathcal{L}(H)$ a normal bounded operator. There exist two self-adjoint operators $T_1, T_2 \in \mathcal{L}(H)$ such that $T = T_1 + iT_2$, and $T_1 T_2 = T_2 T_1$.

PROOF:

$$\text{Write } T_1 = \frac{T+T^*}{2}, \quad T_2 = \frac{T-T^*}{2i},$$

So that $T = T_1 + iT_2$, and observe first that both are obviously self-adjoint, and then that

$$T_1 T_2 = T_2 T_1 = T^2 - (T^*)^2 / 4i$$

Because T is normal.

PROPOSITION:

Let H be a separable Hilbert space and let $T \in \mathcal{L}(H)$ be a normal bounded operator. There exist a finite measure space (X, μ) , a bounded measurable function $g \in L^\infty(X, \mu)$ and a unitary isomorphism

$$U: H \rightarrow L^2(X, \mu)$$

Such that $M_g \circ U = U \circ T$.

PROOF:

Write $T=T_1+iT_2$ with T_1, T_2 both self-adjoint bounded operators which commute, as in the lemma. Let Π denote the projection valued measure for T_1 . The idea will be to first construct a suitable projection valued measure associated with T , which must be defined on C since $\sigma(T)$ is not a subset of R .

We first claim that all projection $\Pi_{1,A}$ and $\Pi_{2,B}$ commute; this is because T_1 and T_2 commute. This allows us to define

$$\check{Y}_{AXB} = \Pi_{1,A} \Pi_{2,B} = \Pi_{2,B} \Pi_{1,A},$$

Which are orthogonal projections. By basic limiting procedures, one shows that the mapping

$$AXB \rightarrow \check{Y}_{AXB}$$

Extends to a map

$$\beta(C) \rightarrow P(H)$$

Which is a projection valued measure defined on the Borel subsets of C , the definition of which is obvious. Repeating section allows us to define normal operators

$$\int_C f(\lambda) d\check{Y}(\lambda) \in L(H),$$

for f bounded and measurable defined on C . In particular, one finds again that

$$T = \int_C \lambda d\check{Y}(\lambda),$$

Where the integral is again defined by truncating outside a sufficiently large compact set.

So we get the spectral theorem for T , expressed in the language of projection-valued measure.

Next one gets, for $f \in C(\sigma(T))$ and $v \in H$, the fundamental relation

$$\| (f d\check{Y})_v \| = \| f | v \|_{d\mu_v}$$

Where μ_v is the associated spectral measure. This allows, again, to show when T has a cyclic vector v (defined now as a vector for which the span of the vectors $T^n v, (T^*)^m v$, is dense), the unitary map

$$L^2(\sigma(T), \mu_v) \rightarrow H$$

Represents T as a multiplication operator M_z on $L^2(\sigma(T), \mu_v)$. And then Zorn's lemma allows us to get the general case.

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