

# Eigenvalues and entropy numbers of powers of operators

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## A refined Riesz theory

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- $\sigma(T)$  is not empty and  $\rho(T) = \mathbb{C} \setminus \sigma(T)$  is open
- Gelfand's spectral radius formula

$$r(T) := \sup_{\lambda \in \sigma(T)} |\lambda| = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \|T^m\|^{1/m}$$

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- $S \in L(X)$  is a Fredholm operator  $\iff$  its equivalence class  $\bar{S}$  is invertible in the Calkin algebra  $L(X)/K(X)$ .

$$\sigma_{\text{ess}}(T) = \sigma(\bar{T})$$

- The essential spectral radius

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- The Riesz part of the spectrum

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is at most countable and consists of isolated eigenvalues of finite algebraic multiplicity.

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We assign an eigenvalue sequence  $\{\lambda_n(T)\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  for  $T \in L(X)$  from the elements of the set  $\Lambda(T) \cup \{r_{\text{ess}}(T)\}$  as follows:

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- Every eigenvalue  $\lambda \in \Lambda(T)$  is counted according to its algebraic multiplicity.
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Remark

$$r(T) = |\lambda_1(T)| \quad \text{and} \quad r_{\text{ess}}(T) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\lambda_n(T)|$$

## Entropy numbers

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- Entropy numbers are: monotone

$$0 \leq \dots \leq \varepsilon_3(T) \leq \varepsilon_2(T) \leq \varepsilon_1(T) = \|T\|$$

- sub-multiplicative

$$\varepsilon_{kl}(RS) \leq \varepsilon_k(R) \varepsilon_l(S) \quad \text{for } S \in L(X, Z) \quad \text{and} \quad R \in L(Z, Y)$$

- sub-additive

$$\varepsilon_{kl}(T_1 + T_2) \leq \varepsilon_k(T_1) + \varepsilon_l(T_2) \quad \text{for } T_1, T_2 \in L(X, Y).$$

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Theorem (1970, Nussbaum)

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$$r_{\text{ess}}(T) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \beta(T^m)^{1/m}$$



R. D. Nussbaum

The radius of the essential spectrum

Duke Math. J. 37 (1970), 473–478.

## Carl-Triebel's inequality (1980)

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- Zemánek proved the inequality for arbitrary  $T \in L(X)$



J. Zemánek

The essential spectral radius and the Riesz part of the spectrum  
Functions, series, operators, Vol. I, II (Budapest, 1980), Colloq.  
Math. Soc. János Bolyai 35 (1983), 1275–1289.

# Interpolation

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For a given Banach couple  $\vec{A}$ , we define spaces

- intersection  $A_0 \cap A_1$  with the norm

$$\|a\|_{A_0 \cap A_1} = \max\{\|a\|_{A_0}, \|a\|_{A_1}\}$$

- sum  $A_0 + A_1$  with the norm

$$\|a\|_{A_0 + A_1} = \inf_{a=a_0+a_1} \{\|a_0\|_{A_0} + \|a_1\|_{A_1}\}$$



- By  $T: \vec{A} \rightarrow \vec{B}$  we denote an operator  $T: A_0 + A_1 \rightarrow B_0 + B_1$ , such that

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By an interpolation functor we mean a mapping  $\mathcal{F}: \vec{\mathcal{B}} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$

- $A_0 \cap A_1 \subset \mathcal{F}(\vec{A}) \subset A_0 + A_1$  for any  $\vec{A} \in \vec{\mathcal{B}}$
- $T(\mathcal{F}(\vec{A})) \subset \mathcal{F}(\vec{B})$  for any  $\vec{A}, \vec{B} \in \vec{\mathcal{B}}$  and  $T: \vec{A} \rightarrow \vec{B}$

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If in addition there exists  $\theta \in (0, 1)$  such that

$$\|T\|_{\mathcal{F}(\vec{A}) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(\vec{B})} \leq C \|T\|_{A_0 \rightarrow B_0}^{1-\theta} \|T\|_{A_1 \rightarrow B_1}^{\theta},$$

then  $\mathcal{F}$  is called of exponential type of  $\theta$ .

- The real  $\mathcal{F}(\cdot) = (\cdot)_{\theta, q}$  and complex  $\mathcal{F}(\cdot) = [\cdot]_{\theta}$  interpolation functors are of exponential type of  $\theta$ .

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## A delicate problem

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$$\beta(T: \mathcal{F}(\vec{A}) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(\vec{B})) \leq C \beta(T: A_0 \rightarrow B_0)^{1-\theta} \beta(T: A_1 \rightarrow B_1)^\theta ?$$

## Interpolation of the measure of non-compactness $\beta$ (cont.)

- This question was answered positively for the real interpolation functor  $\mathcal{F}(\cdot) = (\cdot)_{\theta,q}$



F. Cobos, P. Fernández-Martínez and A. Martínez

Interpolation of the measure of non-compactness by the real method  
Studia Math. 135 (1999), 25–38.



P. Fernández-Martínez

Interpolation of the measure of non-compactness between  
quasi-Banach spaces  
Rev. Mat. Complut. 19 (2006), 477–498.



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Measure of non-compactness of operators interpolated by the real  
method  
Studia Math. 175 (2006), 157–174.

- This question was answered positively for the complex interpolation functor  $\mathcal{F}(\cdot) = [\cdot]_{\theta}$  in the case where  $\vec{B}$  satisfies an approximation condition



F. Teixeira and D. E. Edmunds

Interpolation theory and measures of noncompactness

Math. Nachr. 104 (1981), 129–135.



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On interpolation of the measure of non-compactness by the complex method

Q. J. Math. 66 (2015), 323–332.



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D. E. Edmunds and Yu. Netrusov  
Entropy numbers and interpolation  
Math. Ann. 351 (2011), 963–977.

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- Carl's inequality

$$|\lambda_n(T)| \leq \sqrt{2} e_n(T) \quad \text{where} \quad e_n(T) := \varepsilon_{2^{n-1}}(T)$$

- Carl-Triebel's inequality

$$\left( \prod_{i=1}^n |\lambda_i(T)| \right)^{1/n} \leq \inf_{k \in \mathbb{N}} k^{1/(2n)} \varepsilon_k(T)$$

Theorem (2017, Mastyo, Szwedek)

Suppose that  $\mathcal{F}$  is an interpolation functor of exponential type of  $\theta$ . If  $T: \vec{A} \rightarrow \vec{A}$ , then

$$\left| \lambda_n \left( T|_{\mathcal{F}(\vec{A})} \right) \right| \leq 2e_n(T|_{A_0})^{1-\theta} e_n(T|_{A_1})^\theta$$

and

$$\left( \prod_{i=1}^n \left| \lambda_i \left( T|_{\mathcal{F}(\vec{A})} \right) \right| \right)^{1/n} \leq \inf_{k_0, k_1 \in \mathbb{N}} (k_0 k_1)^{1/2n} \varepsilon_{k_0}(T|_{A_0})^{1-\theta} \varepsilon_{k_1}(T|_{A_1})^\theta$$

Stay motivated !

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Given  $T \in L(X)$ , the  $n$ -th *approximation number* is defined by

$$a_n(T) := \inf \left\{ \|T - S\| : S \in L(E, F) \text{ with } \text{rank}(S) < n \right\}$$

- König's (1978) formula; a generalization for higher eigenvalues

$$|\lambda_n(T)| = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} a_n(T^m)^{1/m}$$



H. König

A formula for the eigenvalues of a compact operators

Studia Math. 65 (1979), 141–146.



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E. Jr. Makai and J. Zemánek

Geometrical means of eigenvalues

J. Operator Theory 7 (1982), 173–178.

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Define the *spectral entropy map*  $t \mapsto \mathcal{E}_t(T)$  of  $T$  as follows

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## Spectral entropy numbers (3)

Proposition (2017, Mastyło, Szvedek)

Let  $X$  be a complex Banach space and  $T \in L(X)$ . If  $\{\lambda_n(T)\}$  is an eigenvalue sequence of  $T$ , then

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \varepsilon_n(T^m)^{1/m} = \mathcal{E}_1(T) = r(T) \text{ for each } n \in \mathbb{N}$$

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$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} e_m(T^m)^{1/m} = \mathcal{E}_2(T) = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left( \frac{\prod_{i=1}^n |\lambda_i(T)|}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^{1/n}$$

$$\mathcal{E}_\infty(T) := \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{E}_t(T) = r_{\text{ess}}(T)$$

## Spectral entropy numbers (4)

Proposition (2017, Mastyło, Szwedek)

Let  $X, Y$  be a complex Banach space.

- If  $R, S \in L(X)$  are commuting operators, then

$$\mathcal{E}_{tu}(RS) \leq \mathcal{E}_t(R) \mathcal{E}_u(S), \quad t, u \in [1, \infty].$$

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$$\mathcal{E}_{t^n}(R^n) = \mathcal{E}_t(R)^n, \quad t \in [1, \infty], n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

- If  $T \in L(X, Y)$  and  $U \in L(Y, X)$ , then

$$\mathcal{E}_t(TU) = \mathcal{E}_t(UT), \quad t \in [1, \infty].$$

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- Denote by  $\tilde{\varphi}$  the function on  $[0, \infty)$  given by

$$\tilde{\varphi}(u) := \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \varphi(u^m)^{1/m}, \quad u \geq 0$$

- $\tilde{\varphi}$  is sub-multiplicative and  $\tilde{\varphi} \leq \varphi$

Theorem (2017, Mastyło, Szwedek)

*Let  $X$  be an arbitrary complex Banach space and  $T \in L(X)$ . Assume that  $\varphi: [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is a nondecreasing, sub-multiplicative and right-continuous function. Then*

$$\inf_{t \in [1, \infty)} t^{1/(2s)} \tilde{\varphi}(\mathcal{E}_t(T)) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} g_{s, \varphi}(T^m)^{1/m}, \quad s \in (0, \infty)$$

Theorem (2017, Mastyło, Szwedek)

Let  $X$  be an arbitrary complex Banach space and  $T \in L(X)$ . Assume that  $\varphi: [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is a nondecreasing, sub-multiplicative and right-continuous function. Then

$$\inf_{t \in [1, \infty)} t^{1/(2s)} \tilde{\varphi}(\mathcal{E}_t(T)) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} g_{s, \varphi}(T^m)^{1/m}, \quad s \in (0, \infty)$$

In particular,

$$\inf_{t \in [1, \infty)} t^{1/(2n)} \mathcal{E}_t(T) = \left( \prod_{i=1}^n |\lambda_i(T)| \right)^{1/n}$$



Theorem (2017, Mastysłó, Szwedek)

*If  $\mathcal{F}$  be an interpolation functor of exponential type of  $\theta$ , then for any  $T: \vec{A} \rightarrow \vec{A}$*

$$\mathcal{E}_{k_0 k_1}(T: \mathcal{F}(\vec{A}) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(\vec{A})) \leq \mathcal{E}_{k_0}(T: A_0 \rightarrow A_0)^{1-\theta} \mathcal{E}_{k_1}(T: A_1 \rightarrow A_1)^\theta$$

Thank you for your attention!

Any questions?



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