



The inverse along an operator

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- There exist a closed subspace N such that

$$X = N \oplus \mathcal{N}(A).$$

- $\mathcal{R}(A)$ is closed and there exist a closed subspace M such that

$$X = \mathcal{R}(A) \oplus M.$$

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The operator $A : X \rightarrow X$ has the following matrix form:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & 0 \\ 0 & A_2 \end{bmatrix} : \begin{bmatrix} N \\ \mathcal{N}(A) \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mathcal{R}(A) \\ M \end{bmatrix}$$

where $A_1 : N \rightarrow \mathcal{R}(A)$ is 1-1 and onto and $A_2 : \mathcal{N}(A) \rightarrow M$ arbitrary.

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Outer inverses

If B is an outer inverse for A , then from

$$B = BAB$$

we have

- BA is a projection on $R(B)$.
- $I - AB$ is a projection on $N(B)$.

Let $T, S \subset X$, if $R(B) = T$ and $N(B) = S$ then we write

$$B = A_{T,S}^{(2)}.$$

Matrix form:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & 0 \\ 0 & A_2 \end{bmatrix} : \begin{bmatrix} T \\ N(BA) \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} A(T) \\ S \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_{T,S}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} A_1^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} : \begin{bmatrix} A(T) \\ S \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} T \\ N(BA) \end{bmatrix}$$

Prescribed idempotents

Djordjevic and Wei (2005)

Let $a \in \mathcal{R}$ and let $p, q \in \mathcal{R}$ be idempotents, an element $b \in \mathcal{R}$ satisfying

$$bab = b, \quad ba = p \quad \text{and} \quad 1 - ab = q,$$

will be called a (p, q) -inverse of a , and we write $b = a_{p,q}^{(2)}$.

Principal ideals

For an element $a \in \mathcal{R}$, we define the following image ideals

$$a\mathcal{R} := \{ax : x \in \mathcal{R}\}, \quad \mathcal{R}a := \{xa : x \in \mathcal{R}\},$$

and kernel ideals

$$a^0 := \{x \in \mathcal{R} : ax = 0\}, \quad {}^0a := \{x \in \mathcal{R} : xa = 0\}.$$

Prescribed ideals

Kantun-Montiel (2013)

Let $p, q \in \mathcal{R}$ be idempotents and $a \in \mathcal{R}$. An element $b \in \mathcal{R}$ is an image-kernel (p, q) -inverse of a if

$$bab = b, \quad ba\mathcal{R} = p\mathcal{R} \quad \text{and} \quad (1 - ab)\mathcal{R} = q\mathcal{R}.$$

The following are equivalent:

- 1 $ba\mathcal{R} = p\mathcal{R}$;
- 2 $\mathcal{R}(1 - ba) = \mathcal{R}(1 - p)$;
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X. Mary (2011)

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Let S be a semigroup and $a \in S$.

- 1 a is group invertible if and only if it is invertible along a . In this case the inverse along a is inner and coincides with the group inverse.
- 2 a is Drazin invertible if and only if it is invertible along some a^k , $k \in \mathbb{N}$, and in this case the two inverses coincide.
- 3 If S is a $*$ -semigroup, a is Moore-Penrose invertible if and only if it is invertible along a^* . In this case the inverse along a^* is inner and coincides with the Moore-Penrose inverse.

Inverse along an element

Wei (1998)

Let $A \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$ be of rank r , let T be a subspace of \mathbb{C}^n of dimension $s \leq r$, and let S be a subspace of \mathbb{C}^m of dimension $m - s$. In addition, suppose $G \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times m}$ such that $R(G) = T$ and $N(G) = S$. If A has an outer inverse $A_{T,S}^{(2)}$ then AG and GA are group invertible. Further, we have

$$A_{T,S}^{(2)} = G(AG)^{\#} = (GA)^{\#}G.$$

Mary (2011)

Let $a, d \in \mathcal{R}$. The following statements are equivalent:

- a is invertible along d ;
- $\mathcal{R}d = \mathcal{R}ad$ and $(ad)^{\#}$ exists;
- $d\mathcal{R} = da\mathcal{R}$ and $(da)^{\#}$ exists;

In this case, $a^{\parallel d} = d(ad)^{\#} = (da)^{\#}d$.

Inverse along an operator

Kantun-Montiel (2013)

Let $A, T \in B(X)$ be nonzero operators. The following statements are equivalent:

- 1 B is the inverse of A along T .
- 2 B is an outer inverse of A such that $R(B) = R(T)$ and $N(B) = N(T)$.

Invertibility along an operator

Theorem (Kantun-Montiel and Djordjevic)

Let $A, T \in B(X)$ be nonzero operators. The following statements are equivalent.

- 1 A is invertible along T .
- 2 $\mathcal{R}(T)$ is closed and complemented subspace of X , $A(\mathcal{R}(T)) = \mathcal{R}(AT)$ is closed such that $\mathcal{R}(AT) \oplus \mathcal{N}(T) = X$ and the reduction $A|_{\mathcal{R}(T)} : \mathcal{R}(T) \rightarrow \mathcal{R}(AT)$ is invertible.

Spectral projections

Theorem (Cho and Kantun-Montiel, 2013)

Let $A \in B(X)$ and Λ be a spectral set for A . If $0 \notin \Lambda$ then A is invertible along $P_\Lambda(A)$.

Corollary

Let $A \in B(X)$ and Λ be a spectral set for A . If $0 \in \Lambda$ then A is invertible along $I - P_\Lambda(A)$.

More Drazin inverses

Drazin (2012)

Let $x, y \in \mathcal{R}$, an element $a \in \mathcal{R}$ is *Drazin* (x, y) -invertible if there exists $b \in \mathcal{R}$ such that

$$bab = b, \quad b\mathcal{R} = x\mathcal{R} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathcal{R}b = \mathcal{R}y.$$

Drazin(2012)

Let $a, b, x, y \in \mathcal{R}$. We call b an *annihilator* (x, y) -inverse of a if

$$bab = b, \quad {}^0b = {}^0x \quad \text{and} \quad b^0 = y^0.$$

More Drazin inverses

Kantun-Montiel (2013)

Let H be a Hilbert space and $A, B, U, V \in H$. B is an annihilator (U, V) -inverse of A if and only if $R(B) = \overline{R(T)}$ and $N(B) = N(T)$.

Thank you.