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Abstract

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ON SOME SYSTEMS OF FUNCTIONS FORMING QUASI-POWER BASES IN SPACES OF ANALYTIC FUNCTIONS IN A DISC

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In the present paper we derive criteria for quasi-power bases ⁽¹⁾ in the spaces $\mathfrak{A}(C_n)$ of analytic functions in the disc $C_r : |z| < r, 1 < r \leq R$. For the systems under consideration such criteria were formulated by Yu. A. Kaz' min in ⁽²⁾ on the basis of the theory of infinite systems of linear equations. Using the representation of $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$ in the form of a projective limit of Banach spaces $\mathfrak{B}_n = \mathfrak{B}(C_n)$ ⁽³⁾ and operators satisfying Fredholm theory, we obtain criteria that reveal a broader class of bases than those obtained in ⁽²⁾.

Consider the system of functions

$$f_k(z) = z^k + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_{nk} z^n = (E + A)z^k \quad (k = 0, 1, \dots), \quad (1)$$

where A is a linear operator defined on the basis elements:

$$Az^k = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_{nk} z^n \quad (k = 0, 1, \dots). \quad (2)$$

Let S be some subset of the set of all possible pairs of indices $\{(n, k)\}$ ($n, k = 0, 1, \dots$), and

$$q_{np} = \max_{k \geq p, (n, k) \notin S} a_{nk}. \quad (3)$$

Theorem 1. If the system (1) satisfies the conditions:

$$1) f_k(z) \in \mathfrak{A}(C_R) \ (k \geq 0), \quad 2) \overline{\lim}_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{\substack{n=0 \\ (n,k) \in S}}^{\infty} |a_{nk}| r^{n-k} < 1, \quad 1 < r < R;$$

$$3) \lim_{p \rightarrow \infty} \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[p]{q_{np}} \leq \frac{1}{R},$$

then it forms a quasi-power basis in each space $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$ for $1 < r \leq R$ if and only if it satisfies one of the conditions: a) $\{f_k(z)\}$ is complete in $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$ for some r , $1 < r \leq R$; b) $f_k(z)$ are ω -linearly independent over the coefficient space $\mathfrak{B}(C_r)$ for some r , $1 < r < R$.

Proof. Let r be arbitrary, $1 < r < R$. Choose δ so that $r < R - \delta < R$. From 3) it follows that there exists such a ρ_0 that

$$\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[p]{q_{n\rho_0}} < \frac{1}{R - \delta_0},$$

whence

$$|a_{nk}| \leq \frac{C}{(R - \delta)^n} \quad (n = 0, 1, \dots; (n, k) \notin S, k \geq \rho_0; C \text{ is constant}). \quad (4)$$

By virtue of 2), for some $\rho > 0$ and $k \geq k_1$,

$$\sum_{\substack{n=0 \\ (n,k) \in S}}^{\infty} |a_{nk}| r^{n-k} < 1 - 2\rho.$$

Choose $k_0, k_0 \geq \max(k_1, \rho_0)$, so that

$$Cr^{-k_0} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} [r(R - \delta)^{-1}]^n < \rho.$$

Represent the operator A in the form $A = A_1 + A_2$, where $A_2 = \|a_{nk}^{(2)}\|$, $a_{nk}^{(2)} = a_{nk}$ for $k \geq k_0$; $a_{nk} = 0$ for $k < k_0$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \|A_2\|_{\mathfrak{B}(C_r)} &= \sup_{k \geq k_0} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |a_{nk}| r^{n-k} \\ &= \sup_{k \geq k_0} \left\{ \sum_{\substack{n=0 \\ (n,k) \in S}}^{\infty} |a_{nk}| r^{n-k} + \sum_{\substack{n=0 \\ (n,k) \notin S}}^{\infty} |a_{nk}| r^{n-k} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\leq 1 - 2\rho + \sup_{k \geq k_0} \sum_n \frac{C}{(R - \delta)^n} \frac{r^n}{r^k} \leq 1 - 2\rho + \frac{C}{r^{k_0}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{r}{R - \delta} \right)^n \leq 1 - \rho < 1.$$

By virtue of 1), A_1 is a bounded finite-dimensional operator in $\mathfrak{B}(C_r)$. The operator $E + A = A_1 + (E + A_2)$ is the sum of a finite-dimensional and a continuously invertible operator and therefore satisfies ⁽⁴⁾ the Fredholm theory. Conditions a) and b) follow from the Fredholm theory and the mutual relation between the spaces $\mathfrak{B}(C_r)$ and $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$ ⁽³⁾.

Remark. In conditions a) and b) one may replace $f_k(z)$ by

$$f_k^*(z) = z^k - \sum_n a_{nk} z^n,$$

which means passing to the adjoint operator A' .

Theorem 2. *If the system*

$$f_k(z) = z^k + f^{(k)}z \quad (k = 0, 1, \dots), \quad (5)$$

where

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{n!} z^n \quad (6)$$

satisfies the condition: for every $r > 1$ there exists a constant $C(r)$ such that

$$|a_n| \leq C(r)r^n \quad (n = 0, 1, \dots), \quad (7)$$

then it forms a quasipower basis in each $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$, $r > 1$, if and only if it satisfies one of conditions a), b) of Theorem 1.

Proof. In this case we have $a_{nk} = a_{n+k}(n!)^{-1}$. Let S be the set of all pairs $\{(n, k)\}$ ($n, k = 0, 1, \dots$). Only condition 2) of Theorem 1 needs to be verified. Fixing r , $r > 1$, and choosing ρ , $1 < \rho < r$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_n |a_{nk}| r^{n-k} &= \sum_n \frac{|a_{n+k}|}{n!} r^{n-k} \leq \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{C(\rho)\rho^{n+k}}{n!} r^{n-k} = \\ &= C(\rho) \left(\frac{\rho}{r} \right)^k \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(r\rho)^k}{n!} = C(\rho) \left(\frac{\rho}{r} \right)^k e^{r\rho} \rightarrow 0 \quad (k \rightarrow \infty). \end{aligned}$$

The operator A is completely continuous in each space $\mathfrak{B}(C_r)$, $r > 1$.

Remark. Condition (7) is satisfied, for example, by the sequences $a_n = C_n^s$, where s is any positive number, and $a_n = \varphi(n)$, where $\varphi(z)$ is an entire function of exponential order of growth and of zero type. Indeed, in the second case we have $|\varphi(n)| \leq C(\alpha)e^{n\alpha}$ ($\alpha > 0$, $n \geq 0$). Choosing $\alpha = \log r$, $r > 1$, we arrive at inequality (7).

Example. Let s be an arbitrary natural number. We shall show that the system of functions (5), where

$$f(z) = z^s e^z, \quad (8)$$

is a quasipower basis in each space $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$, $r > 1$.

In this case $a_n = n(n+1) \cdots (n-s+1)$ ($n = s, s+1, \dots$) and $a_n = 0$ for $n < s$. Condition (7) is fulfilled; therefore it is enough to verify that in some space $\mathfrak{B}(C_r)$, $r > 1$, the value -1 is not an eigenvalue of the operator A . Suppose that $\varphi(z) = \sum_k b_k z^k$ satisfies the equation

$$A\varphi(z) = A \sum_k b_k z^k = \sum_k b_k (z^s e^z)^{(k)} = -\varphi(z).$$

Applying Leibniz' formula and summing, we obtain

$$-\varphi(z) = e^z [C_s^0 \varphi(1) z^s + C_s^2 \varphi'(1) z^{s-1} + \dots + C_s^s \varphi^{(s)}(1) z^{s-s}]. \quad (9)$$

Differentiating k times ($k = 0, 1, \dots, s$) and replacing z by 1, we obtain a homogeneous linear system of $s+1$ equations with unknowns $\varphi(1), \varphi'(1), \dots, \varphi^{(s)}(1)$. The determinant of this system has the form $|\beta_{ij} e + \delta_{ij}|$, where β_{ij} are natural numbers and δ_{ij} is the Kronecker symbol. On replacing e by x , it is not identically equal to zero and therefore, taking into account the transcendence of the number e , is nonzero. The system has only the trivial solution $\varphi^{(k)}(1) = 0$ ($k = 0, 1, \dots, s$). On the basis of representation (9) we conclude that $\varphi(z) \equiv 0$.

Theorem 3. *The system of functions*

$$f_k(z) = z^k f^{(k)}(\zeta_k z) \quad (k = 0, 1, \dots), \quad (10)$$

where

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{n!} z^n,$$

forms a quasi-power basis in every $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$, $0 < r \leq R$, if: 1) $a_n \neq 0$, $n = 0, 1, \dots$; 2) there exist a sequence $\{\beta_n\}_0^{\infty}$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\beta_n| = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\beta_n|^{-1} = 0$, and a number θ , $0 < \theta \leq 1/2$, such that

$$\overline{\lim}_{k \rightarrow \infty} |\beta_k a_k - 1| = 1 - 2\theta, \quad \overline{\lim}_{k \rightarrow \infty} |\zeta_k| < \frac{1}{R} \ln \frac{2}{2 - \theta}. \quad (11)$$

Proof. We have

$$a_{nk} = 0, \quad n < k; \quad a_{nk} = a_k - 1, \quad n = k; \quad a_{nk} = \frac{a_n}{(n-k)!} \zeta_k^{n-k}, \quad n > k.$$

Let first $\beta_n = 1$, $n = 0, 1, \dots$. There exist $k_0 > 0$ and $0 < \delta < \frac{2}{2-\theta}$ such that for $k \geq k_0$ we have $|a_k| \leq 2 - \theta$, $|a_k - 1| \leq 1 - \theta$, and

$$|\zeta_k| \leq \frac{1}{R} \ln \left(\frac{2}{2-\theta} - \delta \right).$$

Then, for $k \geq k_0$ and $r < R$,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_n |a_{nk}| r^{n-k} &= |a_k - 1| + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{|a_{n+k}|}{n!} |\zeta_k|^n r^n \leq \\ &\leq 1 - \theta + (2 - \theta) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \left[\frac{1}{R} \ln \left(\frac{2}{2 - \theta} - \delta \right) \right]^n r^n \leq \\ &\leq 1 - \theta + (2 - \theta) \left[\frac{2}{2 - \theta} - \delta - 1 \right] = 1 - (2 - \theta)\delta < 1. \end{aligned}$$

By virtue of the triangular form of the system and condition 1), the system $\{f_k(z)\}$ is ω -linearly independent. The passage from a_k to $\beta_k a_k$ is carried out by the continuously invertible operator $Bz^k = \beta_k z^k$ ($k = 0, 1, \dots$).

Theorem 4. *Let*

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n \in \mathfrak{A}(C_R), \quad R > 1.$$

In order that the system

$$f_k(z) = z^k + \int_0^z \int_0^z \dots \int_0^z f(z) (dz)^k \quad (k = 0, 1, \dots) \quad (12)$$

form a quasi-power basis in every $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$, $1 < r \leq R$, it is necessary and sufficient that $a_0 \neq -k$ ($k = 0, 1, \dots$).

The sufficiency of this condition is indicated in (2) (Theorem 5). In the present case

$$\sum_n |a_{nk}| r^{n-k} \leq \frac{1}{k!} f_0(r) \rightarrow 0, \quad \text{where } f_0(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n.$$

The operator A is completely continuous in $\mathfrak{B}(C_n)$. If $a_0 = -k!$, then the adjoint operator $E + A'$ has a nontrivial zero of the form $\sum_{i=0}^k \alpha_i \frac{1}{\xi^{i+1}}$, and the system is not a basis.

Theorem 5. Let $f(z) = \sum_n a_n z^n \in \mathfrak{A}(C_r)$. If $\alpha = \max_k |\zeta_k|$, $\alpha < R$, then the system

$$f_k(z) = z^k + \zeta_k f(\zeta_k z) \quad (k = 0, 1, \dots) \quad (13)$$

is a quasi-power basis in every $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$, $1 < r \leq \frac{R}{\alpha}$, provided one of the conditions a), b) of Theorem 1 is satisfied.

Proof. In this case

$$\sum_n |a_{nk}| r^{n-k} = \sum_n |a_n| |\zeta_k|^{n+1} r^{n-k} \leq \alpha \frac{1}{r^k} f_0(\alpha r) \rightarrow 0 \quad (1 < r < \frac{R}{\alpha}).$$

Theorem 6. The system

$$f_k(z) = z^k + \sum_{i=1}^s \varepsilon_i^{(k)} \varphi_i(z) \quad (14)$$

is a quasi-power basis in every $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$ for $1 < r \leq R$, if:

- 1) $\varphi_i(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k^{(i)} z^k \in \mathfrak{A}(C_R)$ ($i = 0, 1, \dots$),
- 2) $\sup_k \sum_m \left| \sum_{i=1}^s \varepsilon_i^{(k)} a_m^{(i)} \right| r^{m-k} < \infty$ for all r , $1 < r < R$;
- 3) $\det \left| \sum_k a_k^{(i)} \varepsilon_j^{(k)} + \delta_{ij}^s \right| \neq 0$.

The operator A in this case is finite-dimensional and bounded in $\mathfrak{B}(C_r)$, $1 < r < R$, and by condition 3) -1 is not its eigenvalue.

In conclusion, let us note that in some cases it is impossible to formulate necessary and sufficient conditions for quasi-power bases in the spaces $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$, $1 < r \leq R$, in terms only of conditions on the absolute values of the elements of the matrix $\|a_{ik}\|$. What has been said applies, for example, to a system of the form $f_k(z) = z^k f(\zeta_k z)$. Indeed, the system $\{z^k e^{az}\}_{k=0}^{\infty}$ is a quasi-power basis in every space $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$ for $r > 0$, whereas the system $\{z^k e^{(-1)^k az}\}_{k=0}^{\infty}$ is a quasi-power basis in the space $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$ for $r \leq \pi/4a$ and is not a basis in $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$ for $r > \pi/4a$.

Let us also note that in cases where conditions a), b) of Theorem 1 are not satisfied, for all the systems considered

$$f_k(z) = z^k + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_{nk} z^n$$

one can assert that the systems

$$z^k + \lambda \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_{nk} z^n, \quad \lambda \text{ complex,}$$

form quasi-power bases in $\mathfrak{A}(C_r)$ for all λ except for a discrete set.

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