On Preserving Essential Spectra and Nullities of Special Expressions in a Weighted Space

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Abstract

Special expressions M_0 are differential operators of the form

$$M_0 = \sum_{k=0}^r c_k t^{\alpha_k} D_t^{\rho_k}$$

where the constants c_k , α_k and ρ_k satisfy certain conditions. We studied the admissible perturbations of these operators, and showed that linear combinations of such perturbations are indeed admissible perturbations of M_0 . This property gives way to a more interesting result on preserving the essential spectrum and nullity of M_0 in the weighted space of measurable functions on the interval $[1, +\infty)$. The study is restricted to the case where $\alpha_1 < \rho_1$.

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