

Theorem VI. 26  $T$  ... selfadjoint operator

$E$  := the spectral measure of  $T$ . Since  $\sigma(T) \subset \mathbb{R}$ ,  
we have  $E(\mathbb{C} \setminus \mathbb{R}) = 0$

$$E_\lambda := E((-\infty, \lambda]) , \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$$

(a)  $E_\lambda$  is an OG projection for  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$

[by property (a) of abstract spectral measures]

$$(b) E_\lambda E_\mu = E_\mu E_\lambda = E_{\min\{\lambda, \mu\}}, \lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Using property (c)} : E_\lambda E_\mu &= E((-\infty, \lambda]) E((-\infty, \mu]) = \\ &= E((-\infty, \lambda] \cap (-\infty, \mu]) = \\ &= E((-\infty, \min\{\lambda, \mu\}]) \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) E_\lambda x = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} E_{\lambda+\epsilon} x, x \in H, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\left[ \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} E_{\lambda+\epsilon} x = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} E((-\infty, \lambda]) x \right]$$

$$\|E_\lambda x - E_{\lambda+\epsilon} x\| = \|E((\lambda, \lambda+\epsilon]) x\| = \left\| \left( \int \chi_{(\lambda, \lambda+\epsilon]} d\epsilon \right) x \right\|$$

$$= \left( \int |\chi_{(\lambda, \lambda+\epsilon]}|^2 d\epsilon \right)^{1/2} = \left( E_{\lambda+\epsilon}(\lambda, \lambda+\epsilon]) \right)^{1/2} \xrightarrow{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} (E_{\lambda+\epsilon}(\lambda))^{1/2} = 0$$

$$(d) \lambda \text{ is not an eigenvalue of } T \Rightarrow \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^-} E_{\lambda+\epsilon} x = E_\lambda x$$

[By computation mod (c) we see

$$\|E_\lambda x - E_{\lambda+\epsilon} x\| \rightarrow (E_{\lambda+\epsilon}((\lambda, \lambda+\epsilon]))^{1/2} = 0 \text{ if } \lambda \text{ is not}$$

an eigenvalue of  $T$

[by Prop. 13]

(e)  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue of  $T \Rightarrow \lim_{\mu \rightarrow \lambda^-} E_\mu x = P_\lambda +$  defines an OG projecting s.t.

$$E_\lambda - P_\lambda \text{ is also an OG projection and } R(E_\lambda - P_\lambda) = \ker(\lambda I - T)$$

It is enough to observe that  $P_\lambda = E((-\infty, \lambda])$

$$E_\lambda - P_\lambda = E((\lambda, \infty))$$

and use Prop. 13

Then  $\lim_{\mu \rightarrow \lambda^-} E_{\mu+} = E((-\infty, \lambda])_+$  can be computed similarly as (c)

(f)  $\lim_{\mu \rightarrow -\infty} E_\mu x = 0$ ,  $\lim_{\mu \rightarrow +\infty} E_\mu x = x$

$$\text{As in (c): } \|E_{\mu+}\| = \|E((-\infty, \mu])x\| = \|E_{\mu+}((-\infty, \mu])\|^{1/2} \xrightarrow{\mu \rightarrow -\infty} 0$$

$$\|x - E_{\mu+}\| = \|E((\mu, +\infty))x\| = \|E_{\mu+}((\mu, +\infty))\|^{1/2} \xrightarrow{\mu \rightarrow +\infty} 0$$

(g)  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R} : \lambda \notin \sigma(T) \Leftrightarrow \mu \mapsto E_\mu$  is constant on a neighborhood of  $\lambda$

$\Rightarrow \lambda \notin \sigma(T) \Rightarrow \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \sigma(T), E((\mathbb{R} \setminus \sigma(T))) = 0$

$$\sigma(T) \text{ closed} \Rightarrow \exists \delta > 0 \quad (\lambda - \delta, \lambda + \delta) \subset \sigma(T)$$

$$\text{The } E((\lambda - \delta, \lambda + \delta)) = 0 \Rightarrow E_\mu \text{ is const. on } (\lambda - \delta, \lambda + \delta)$$

$\Leftarrow$  Recall that  $T = \int cd dE$  and  $\sigma(T) = \text{ess-rg}(cd)$

If  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}, \delta > 0$  s.t.  $E_\mu$  is const. on  $(\lambda - \delta, \lambda + \delta)$ .

$$\text{Then } E((-\infty, \lambda - \delta]) = E((-\infty, \lambda + \delta]) \Rightarrow E((\lambda - \delta, \lambda + \delta)) = 0,$$

so,  $\lambda \notin \text{ess-rg}(cd) \Rightarrow \lambda \notin \sigma(T) \Rightarrow \lambda \notin \sigma(T)$