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SOME ANALYTIC PROPERTIES OF THE WEYL FUNCTION OF A CLOSED LINEAR RELATION

Let L and L_0 , where L is an expansion of L_0 , be closed linear relations (multivalued operators) in a Hilbert space H . In terms of abstract boundary operators (i.e. in the form which in the case of differential operators leads immediately to boundary conditions) some analytic properties of the Weyl function $M(\lambda)$ corresponding to a certain boundary pair of the couple (L, L_0) are studied.

In particular, applying Hilbert resolvent identity for relations, the criterion of invertibility in the algebra of bounded linear operators in H for transformation $M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0)$ in certain small punctured neighbourhood of λ_0 is established. It is proved that in this case λ_0 is a first-order pole for the operator-function $(M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0))^{-1}$. The corresponding residue and Laurent series expansion are found.

Under some additional assumptions, the behaviour of so called γ -field Z_λ (being an operator-function closely connected to $M(\lambda)$) as $\lambda \rightarrow -\infty$ is investigated.

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INTRODUCTION

The theory of linear relations (multivalued operators) in Hilbert space was initiated by R. Arens [1]. Various aspects of the extension theory of linear relations (in particular, nondensely defined operators; first of all, Hermitian ones) were studied by a number of authors (see, e.g. [3, 15, 16], [5]– [8], [9], [10], [14]).

Let us explain that under (closed) linear relation in H , where H is a fixed complex Hilbert space equipped with inner product $(\cdot|\cdot)$, we understand a (closed) linear manifold in $H^2 \stackrel{def}{=} H \oplus H$ and that in the theory of linear relations every linear operator is identified with its graph. Each such relation T has the adjoint T^* which is defined as follows:

$$T^* = H^2 \ominus JT \left(= J(H^2 \ominus T) \right)$$

(here and below \oplus and \ominus are the symbols of orthogonal sum and orthogonal complement, respectively; for all $h_1, h_2 \in H$ $J(h_1, h_2) \stackrel{def}{=} (-ih_2, ih_1)$).

In this paper the role of initial object is played by two couples (L, L_0) and (M, M_0) of closed linear relations in H such that

$$L_0 \subset L, \quad M = L_0^*, \quad M_0 = L^*.$$

Let us note that in [13, 15–17] the term “dual pair” was using instead of “couple” in the present paper. The authors of [2] were using the term *adjoint pair*.

The notion of Weyl function had been introduced at first in [4] under the assumption that L_0 is a nonnegative densely defined operator and $M = L$. Later on it was extended onto more wide varieties of operators and relations in some of papers, mentioned above (e.g. [5, 7, 15, 16]). It turned out that this notion is very important in the extension theory, since certain classes of extensions of a given operator or relation may be described by using this notion.

In this article (which can be regarded as a continuation of investigations originated in [20, 21]) we study some analytic properties of the Weyl function of (L, L_0) corresponding to the certain its boundary pair (see Definitions 1, 2).

1 NOTATIONS AND PRELIMINARY RESULTS

Through this paper we use the following notations:

$D(T)$, $R(T)$, $\ker T$ are, respectively, the domain, range, and kernel of a (linear) relation (in partial, operator) T :

$$D(T) = \{y \in H \mid (\exists y' \in H) : (y, y') \in T\}; \quad R(T) = \{y' \in H \mid (\exists y \in H) : (y, y') \in T\};$$

$$\ker T = \{y \in H \mid (y, 0) \in T\};$$

if $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ then $T - \lambda = \{(y, y' - \lambda y) \mid (y, y') \in T\}$, sequently

$$\ker(T - \lambda) = \{y \in H \mid (y, 0) \in T - \lambda\} (= \{y \in H \mid (y, \lambda y) \in T\});$$

$$T^{-1} = \{(y', y) \in H^2 \mid (y, y') \in T\};$$

$$\rho(T) = \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C} \mid \ker(T - \lambda) = \{0\}, R(T - \lambda) = H\} \text{ (the resolvent set of } T\text{);}$$

1_X is the identity in X ;

$+$, $\dot{+}$ are, respectively, the symbols of sum and direct sum in a linear space.

If X, Y are Hilbert spaces then $(\cdot | \cdot)_X$ is the symbol of scalar product in X , $\mathcal{B}(X, Y)$ is the set of linear bounded operators $A : X \rightarrow Y$ such that $D(A) = X$; $\mathcal{B}(X) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathcal{B}(X, X)$.

If $A_i : X \rightarrow Y_i$ ($i = 1, 2$) are linear operators then the notation $A = A_1 \oplus A_2$ means that $Ax = \begin{pmatrix} A_1x \\ A_2x \end{pmatrix}$ for every $x \in X$.

Definition 1 ([18]). *Let G be an (auxiliary) Hilbert space and $\Gamma \in \mathcal{B}(L, G)$. The pair (G, Γ) is called a boundary pair for (L, L_0) if $R(\Gamma) = G$, $\ker \Gamma = L_0$.*

Theorem 1 ([18, 19]). *There exist Hilbert spaces G_1, G_2 and the operators*

$$\Gamma_1 \in \mathcal{B}(L, G_1), \Gamma_2 \in \mathcal{B}(L, G_2), \tilde{\Gamma}_1 \in \mathcal{B}(M, G_2), \tilde{\Gamma}_2 \in \mathcal{B}(M, G_1)$$

such that

i) $(G_1 \oplus G_2, \Gamma_1 \oplus \Gamma_2)$ is a boundary pair for (L, L_0) ;

ii) $(G_2 \oplus G_1, \tilde{\Gamma}_1 \oplus \tilde{\Gamma}_2)$ is a boundary pair for (M, M_0) ;

iii) for all $\hat{y} = (y, y') \in L$, for all $\hat{z} = (z, z') \in M$ $(y'|z) - (y|z') = (\Gamma_1 \hat{y} | \tilde{\Gamma}_2 \hat{z})_{G_1} - (\Gamma_2 \hat{y} | \tilde{\Gamma}_1 \hat{z})_{G_2}$.

We suppose below that the resolvent set $\rho(L_2)$ of the relation $L_2 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \ker \Gamma_2$ is not empty and $\lambda \in \rho(L_2)$. Then $\bar{\lambda} \in \rho(M_2)$, where $M_2 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \ker \tilde{\Gamma}_2 (= L_2^*)$ and

$$L_\lambda \stackrel{def}{=} (L_2 - \lambda)^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(H), \quad M_{\bar{\lambda}} \stackrel{def}{=} (M_2 - \bar{\lambda})^{-1} (= L_\lambda^*) \in \mathcal{B}(H).$$

$$\text{Put for all } y \in H \quad \hat{L}_\lambda y = \begin{pmatrix} L_\lambda y \\ y + \lambda L_\lambda y \end{pmatrix}, \text{ for all } z \in H \quad \hat{M}_{\bar{\lambda}} z = \begin{pmatrix} M_{\bar{\lambda}} z \\ z + \bar{\lambda} M_{\bar{\lambda}} z \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\text{for all } \hat{y} = (y, y') \in H^2 \quad \tilde{L}_\lambda \hat{y} = L_\lambda y + (y' + \lambda L_\lambda y'),$$

$$\text{for all } \hat{z} = (z, z') \in H^2 \quad \tilde{M}_{\bar{\lambda}} \hat{z} = M_{\bar{\lambda}} z + (z' + \bar{\lambda} M_{\bar{\lambda}} z')$$

(it is clear that $\hat{L}_\lambda^* = \tilde{M}_{\bar{\lambda}}$, $\hat{M}_{\bar{\lambda}}^* = \tilde{L}_\lambda$),

$$Z_\lambda = (\tilde{\Gamma}_1 \hat{M}_{\bar{\lambda}})^* (= \tilde{L}_\lambda \tilde{\Gamma}_1^*), \quad \tilde{Z}_{\bar{\lambda}} = (\Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\lambda)^* (= \tilde{M}_{\bar{\lambda}} \Gamma_1^*), \quad \hat{Z}_\lambda = \begin{pmatrix} Z_\lambda \\ \lambda Z_\lambda \end{pmatrix}.$$

Note that in some articles Z_λ is said to be a γ -field.

Lemma 1 ([19]). *i) $R(\hat{L}_\lambda) = L_2$, $R(\hat{M}_{\bar{\lambda}}) = M_2$;*

ii) $Z_\lambda \in \mathcal{B}(G_2, H)$ and $R(Z_\lambda) = \ker(L - \lambda)$,

$\tilde{Z}_{\bar{\lambda}} \in \mathcal{B}(G_1, H)$ and $R(\tilde{Z}_{\bar{\lambda}}) = \ker(M - \bar{\lambda})$;

iii) $R(\hat{Z}_\lambda) \subset L$ and $\Gamma_2 \hat{Z}_\lambda = 1_{G_2}$.

Proposition 1 ([1,3,6]). *Let S be closed linear nonnegative, in symbols $S \geq 0$ (that is $(z|y) \geq 0$ for all $(y, z) \in S$), selfadjoint relation in H and $\lambda < 0$. Then*

i)

$$\lambda \in \rho(S), \quad \left\| (S - \lambda)^{-1} \right\| \leq \frac{1}{|\lambda|}. \quad (1)$$

ii) Put $S(0) = \{y \in H : (0, y) \in S\}$, $S_s = S \ominus (\{0\} \oplus S(0))$. S_s is the graph of selfadjoint operator $S_{op} : S(0)^\perp \rightarrow S(0)^\perp (\equiv \overline{D(S)})$ (which is said to be an operator part of S) with $D(S_{op}) = D(S)$ and $R((S - \lambda)_{op}) = S(0)^\perp$.

It is clear that (1) implies

$$\text{for all } f \in H \quad \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow -\infty} (S - \lambda)^{-1} f = 0. \quad (2)$$

Moreover, if S is an operator, then

$$\text{for all } f \in H \quad \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow -\infty} [\lambda (S - \lambda)^{-1} f + f] = 0. \quad (3)$$

Indeed, for each $g \in D(S)$ we have $\lambda (S - \lambda)^{-1} g + g = (S - \lambda)^{-1} Sg \xrightarrow{\lambda \rightarrow -\infty} 0$ (see (2)). Further, in view of (1) for all $\lambda \in (-\infty, 0)$ $\left\| \lambda (S - \lambda)^{-1} + 1_H \right\| \leq 2$.

Since $\overline{D(S)} = H$, two latter relations guarantee that (3) is true. It follows from the well known criterion of the strong convergence for the operator sequences (see [12, p. 59]).

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Remark 1. *Applying Hilbert resolvent identity for relations (see [6]) it is easy to prove that*

$$\text{for all } \lambda, \mu \in \rho(L_2) \quad \tilde{L}_\lambda - \tilde{L}_\mu = (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda \tilde{L}_\mu (= (\lambda - \mu) L_\mu \tilde{L}_\lambda). \quad (4)$$

Indeed,

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{L}_\lambda - \tilde{L}_\mu &= (L_\lambda - L_\mu, \lambda L_\lambda - \mu L_\mu) = (L_\lambda - L_\mu, (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda + \mu (L_\lambda - L_\mu)) \\ &= ((\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda L_\mu, (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda + \mu (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda L_\mu) \\ &= (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda (L_\mu, 1_H + \mu L_\mu) = (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda \tilde{L}_\mu.\end{aligned}$$

Similar arguments show that

$$\text{for all } \lambda, \mu \in \rho(L_2) \quad \hat{L}_\lambda - \hat{L}_\mu = (\lambda - \mu) \hat{L}_\lambda L_\mu (= (\lambda - \mu) \hat{L}_\mu L_\lambda).$$

Lemma 2. *Let $\lambda, \mu \in \rho(L_2)$. Then*

$$Z_\lambda - Z_\mu = (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda Z_\mu (= (\lambda - \mu) L_\mu Z_\lambda), \quad (5)$$

$$\tilde{Z}_\lambda^* - \tilde{Z}_\mu^* = (\lambda - \mu) \tilde{Z}_\mu^* L_\lambda (= (\lambda - \mu) \tilde{Z}_\lambda^* L_\mu), \quad (6)$$

$$\hat{Z}_\lambda - \hat{Z}_\mu = (\lambda - \mu) \hat{L}_\lambda Z_\mu (= (\lambda - \mu) \hat{L}_\mu Z_\lambda). \quad (7)$$

Proof. Taking into account (4) we obtain

$$Z_\lambda - Z_\mu = (\tilde{L}_\lambda - \tilde{L}_\mu) \tilde{\Gamma}_1^* = (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda \tilde{L}_\mu \tilde{\Gamma}_1^* = (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda Z_\mu.$$

The equality (5) is proved. The proof of (6) is analogous. Furthermore,

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda Z_\lambda - \mu Z_\mu &= \lambda (Z_\lambda - Z_\mu) + (\lambda - \mu) Z_\mu \\ &= \lambda (\lambda - \mu) L_\lambda Z_\mu + (\lambda - \mu) Z_\mu = (\lambda - \mu) (1_H + \lambda L_\lambda) Z_\mu.\end{aligned}$$

The latter identity together (5) implies (7). □

Corollary 1. *For arbitrary $\lambda \in \rho(L_2)$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we have*

$$Z_\lambda^{(n)} = n! L_\lambda^n Z_\lambda, \quad (8)$$

$$(\tilde{Z}_\lambda^*)^{(n)} = n! \tilde{Z}_\lambda^* L_\lambda^n, \quad (9)$$

$$\hat{Z}_\lambda^{(n)} = n! \hat{L}_\lambda L_\lambda^{n-1} Z_\lambda. \quad (10)$$

Proof. First of all, note that

$$L_\lambda^{(n)} = n! L_\lambda^{n+1}, \quad \tilde{L}_\lambda^{(n)} = n! L_\lambda^n \tilde{L}_\lambda, \quad \hat{L}_\lambda^{(n)} = n! \hat{L}_\lambda L_\lambda^n. \quad (11)$$

In the case $n = 1$ these equalities follow immediately from the Hilbert resolvent identity. In the general case induction should be applied. The equalities (11) imply (8), (9). In order to prove (10) note that $(\lambda Z_\lambda)^{(n)} = n Z_\lambda^{(n-1)} + \lambda Z_\lambda^{(n)}$ (it can be shown by induction). The latter identity together with (9) imply (11). □

Lemma 3. *Suppose that $\lambda, \mu \in \rho(L_2)$. Then*

$$\left(\tilde{Z}_\mu^* Z_\lambda \right)^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(G_1, G_2) \Leftrightarrow R(L_0 - \mu) + \ker(L - \lambda) = H. \quad (12)$$

Proof. It is sufficient to verify the next implications:

- i) $R(L_0 - \mu) \cap \ker(L - \lambda) = \{0\} \Rightarrow \ker(\tilde{Z}_\mu^* Z_\lambda) = \{0\}$,
- ii) $R(L_0 - \mu) + \ker(L - \lambda) = H \Rightarrow R(\tilde{Z}_\mu^* Z_\lambda) = G_1$,
- iii) $\ker(\tilde{Z}_\mu^* Z_\lambda) = \{0\} \Rightarrow R(L_0 - \mu) \cap \ker(L - \lambda) = \{0\}$,
- iv) $R(\tilde{Z}_\mu^* Z_\lambda) = G_1 \Rightarrow R(L_0 - \mu) + \ker(L - \lambda) = H$.

Let us consider each of them.

i) Assume that for some $a \in G_2$ the equality $\tilde{Z}_\mu^* Z_\lambda a \equiv \Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\mu Z_\lambda a = 0$ holds. Then $\hat{L}_\mu Z_\lambda a \in \ker \Gamma_1$. But $\hat{L}_\mu Z_\lambda a \in L_2 = \ker \Gamma_2$, hence $\hat{L}_\mu Z_\lambda a \in L_0$. In other words, $\begin{pmatrix} L_\mu Z_\lambda a \\ Z_\lambda a + \mu L_\mu Z_\lambda a \end{pmatrix} \in L_0$. Consequently $\begin{pmatrix} L_\mu Z_\lambda a \\ Z_\lambda a \end{pmatrix} \in L_0 - \mu$, in particular $Z_\lambda a \in R(L_0 - \mu)$. But (see Lemma 1) $Z_\lambda a \in \ker(L - \lambda)$, therefore $Z_\lambda a = 0$, $\hat{Z}_\lambda a = 0$. Thus $a = \Gamma_2 \hat{Z}_\lambda a = 0$.

ii) For arbitrary $h \in G_1$ there exists $\hat{y} = \begin{pmatrix} y \\ y' \end{pmatrix} \in L_2 = \ker \Gamma_2$ satisfying the equality $\Gamma_1 \hat{y} = h$. We have: $\begin{pmatrix} y \\ y' - \mu y \end{pmatrix} \in L_2 - \mu$, in particular, $y = L_\mu(y' - \mu y)$. Further, there exist $u \in R(L_0 - \mu)$, $a \in G_2$ such that $y' - \mu y = u + Z_\lambda a$. It means that for some $\hat{y}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} y_0 \\ y'_0 \end{pmatrix} \in H^2$ the equalities $u = y'_0 - \mu y_0$, $y_0 = L_\mu(y'_0 - \mu y_0)$ are fulfilled. Whence using these equalities we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{L}_\mu Z_\lambda a &= \hat{L}_\mu(y' - \mu y - u) = \hat{L}_\mu((y' - \mu y) - (y'_0 - \mu y_0)) = \hat{L}_\mu(y' - \mu y) - \hat{L}_\mu(y'_0 - \mu y_0) \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} L_\mu(y' - \mu y) \\ y' - \mu y + \mu L_\mu(y' - \mu y) \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} L_\mu(y'_0 - \mu y_0) \\ y'_0 - \mu y_0 + \mu L_\mu(y'_0 - \mu y_0) \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} y \\ y' - \mu y + \mu y \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} y_0 \\ y'_0 - \mu y_0 + \mu y_0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} y \\ y' \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} y_0 \\ y'_0 \end{pmatrix} = \hat{y} - \hat{y}_0, \end{aligned}$$

consequently

$$\tilde{Z}_\mu^* Z_\lambda a = \Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\mu Z_\lambda a = \Gamma_1(\hat{y} - \hat{y}_0) = \Gamma_1 \hat{y} = h.$$

iii) Assume that $y \in R(L_0 - \mu) \cap \ker(L - \lambda)$. Then $y = Z_\lambda a$ for some $a \in G_2$ and

$$y \in R(L_0 - \mu). \quad (13)$$

The inclusion (13) implies $y \in R(L_2 - \mu)$. It is easy to see that

$$(L_\mu y, y) \in L_2 - \mu. \quad (14)$$

Taking into account (13), (14) and the equality $\ker(L_2 - \lambda) = \{0\}$, we obtain $(L_\mu y, y) \in L_0 - \mu$. The latter inclusion yields $\hat{L}_\mu y = \begin{pmatrix} L_\mu y \\ y + \mu L_\mu y \end{pmatrix} \in L_0$, therefore $\Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\mu y = \Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\mu Z_\lambda a = 0$.

Now it is clear that $a = 0$, $y = 0$.

iv) For any $h \in H$ we have $\hat{L}_\mu h \in L_2$ (see Lemma 1). Put $\Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\mu h = g$. There exists $u \in \ker(L - \lambda) = R(Z_\lambda)$ such that $\Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\mu u = g$, consequently $\Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\mu(h - u) = 0$. Moreover, $\hat{L}_\mu(h - u) \in L_0$, i.e. $\begin{pmatrix} L_\mu(h - u) \\ h - u \end{pmatrix} \in L_0 - \mu$. Thus $h = u + (h - u) \in \ker(L - \lambda) + R(L_0 - \mu)$. \square

Remark 2. Assume that $\lambda_0 \in \rho(L_2)$, $(\tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0})^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(G_1, G_2)$, and

$$0 < |\lambda - \lambda_0| < \min \left\{ \frac{1}{2 \|L_{\lambda_0}\|}, \frac{1}{2 \|\tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^*\| \cdot \|Z_{\lambda_0}\| \cdot \|L_{\lambda_0}^{-1}\| \cdot \|\tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0}\|} \right\}. \tag{15}$$

Then $(\tilde{Z}_{\lambda}^* Z_{\lambda_0})^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(G_1, G_2)$ (here and below $\|T\|$ is the norm of operator T).

Indeed, let $|\lambda - \lambda_0| < \frac{1}{2 \|L_{\lambda_0}\|}$. Applying the theorem on perturbation of invertible in $\mathcal{B}(H)$ operator (see [11, pp. 228–229]) we see that $(1_H + (\lambda - \lambda_0) L_{\lambda_0})^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(H)$ and

$$\left\| (1_H + (\lambda - \lambda_0) L_{\lambda_0})^{-1} - 1_H \right\| < 2 |\lambda - \lambda_0| \|L_{\lambda_0}\|. \tag{16}$$

Further, taking into account (6) in which μ is replaced by λ_0 we conclude that

$$\tilde{Z}_{\lambda}^* Z_{\lambda_0} - \tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0} = \tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* \left[(1_H + (\lambda - \lambda_0) L_{\lambda_0})^{-1} - 1_H \right] Z_{\lambda_0}.$$

Whence using above-mentioned theorem and (16) we obtain the following: (12) implies $(\tilde{Z}_{\lambda}^* Z_{\lambda_0})^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(G_1, G_2)$.

Proposition 2. Suppose that $M_0 = L_0 \geq 0$, $M = L$, $G_1 = G_2 \stackrel{def}{=} \mathcal{H}$, $\tilde{\Gamma}_1 = \Gamma_1$, $\tilde{\Gamma}_2 = \Gamma_2$ (in other words, $(\mathcal{H}, \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2)$ is a boundary triple (boundary value space) of L [5, 9, 10, 15]). Let $L_2 \stackrel{def}{=} \ker \Gamma_2$ be a (selfadjoint) nonnegative extension of L_0 , and L_{λ} , \tilde{L}_{λ} , Z_{λ} be as above.

Under these assumptions

$$s - \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow -\infty} Z_{\lambda}^* = \Gamma_1 (0 \oplus Q), \quad w - \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow -\infty} Z_{\lambda} = Q \pi_2 \Gamma_1^*, \tag{17}$$

where $s - \lim$ and $w - \lim$ are respectively the symbols of strong and weak limits for operator-functions, while Q and π_2 are the orthoprojections $H \rightarrow L_2(0)$ and $H^2 \rightarrow \{0\} \oplus H$.

Proof. Let $f \in H$, P be the orthoprojection $H \rightarrow R((L_2 - \lambda)_{op}) (= L_2(0)^{\perp})$, and Q be the orthoprojection $H \rightarrow (L_2 - \lambda)(0) (= L_2(0))$. Then $f = Pf + Qf$. We obtain

$$L_{\lambda} f = L_{\lambda} P f + L_{\lambda} Q f = \left((L_2 - \lambda)_{op} \right)^{-1} P f.$$

But $(L_2 - \lambda)_{op} = L_{2,op} - \lambda$ (indeed,

for all $f \in D((L_2 - \lambda)_{op}) = D(L_{2,op} - \lambda) (= D(L_2))$ $(L_{2,op} - \lambda) f - (L_2 - \lambda)_{op} f \in L_2(0)^{\perp}$;

on the other hand, the inclusions $(f, (L_{2,op} - \lambda) f), (f, (L_2 - \lambda)_{op} f) \in L_2 - \lambda$ imply $(L_2 - \lambda)_{op} f - (L_{2,op} - \lambda) f \in (L_2 - \lambda)(0) = L_2(0)$, therefore

$$\lambda L_{\lambda} f + f = \lambda (L_{2,op} - \lambda)^{-1} P f + P f + Q f.$$

Taking into account (3) with $S = L_{2,op}$ we see that $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow -\infty} (\lambda L_{\lambda} f + f) = Q f$, whence using (2) with $S = L_2$ we obtain $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow -\infty} \hat{L}_{\lambda} f = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ Q f \end{pmatrix}$, therefore $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow -\infty} Z_{\lambda}^* f = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow -\infty} \Gamma_1 \hat{L}_{\lambda} f = \Gamma_1 (0 \oplus Q) f$. The first of the equalities (17) has been proved. The second equality is an immediate consequence from the first one. \square

3 MAIN RESULT

Definition 2 ([16]). An operator-function $M(\lambda) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \Gamma_1 \hat{Z}_\lambda$ ($\lambda \in \rho(L_2)$) is called the Weyl function of the couple (L, L_0) corresponding to its boundary pair $(G_1 \oplus G_2, \Gamma_1 \oplus \Gamma_2)$.

Lemma 4. For any $\lambda, \mu \in \rho(L_2)$, the equality

$$M(\lambda) - M(\mu) = (\lambda - \mu) \tilde{Z}_\mu^* Z_\lambda \left(= (\lambda - \mu) \tilde{Z}_\lambda^* Z_\mu \right)$$

is true.

Proof. In view of (10) we obtain

$$M(\lambda) - M(\mu) = \Gamma_1 (\hat{Z}_\lambda - \hat{Z}_\mu) = (\lambda - \mu) \Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\lambda Z_\mu = (\lambda - \mu) \tilde{Z}_\mu^* Z_\lambda \left(= (\lambda - \mu) \tilde{Z}_\lambda^* Z_\mu \right).$$

□

Consider some analytic properties of the operator-function $M(\lambda)$.

Lemma 5. $M(\lambda)$ is analytic $\mathcal{B}(G_1, G_2)$ -valued function on $\rho(L_2)$. Moreover, for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$

$$M^{(n)}(\lambda) = n! \tilde{Z}_\lambda^* L_\lambda^{n-1} Z_\lambda, \tag{18}$$

in particular $M'(\lambda) = \tilde{Z}_\lambda^* Z_\lambda$.

Proof. Since L_λ is a $\mathcal{B}(H)$ -valued analytic function on $\rho(L_2)$, we conclude that

$$\hat{Z}_\lambda = \begin{pmatrix} L_\lambda & 1_H + \lambda L_\lambda \\ \lambda L_\lambda & \lambda 1_H + \lambda^2 L_\lambda \end{pmatrix} \tilde{\Gamma}_1^*$$

is an analytic $\mathcal{B}(G_2, H^2)$ -valued function. But by virtue of Lemma 1 $R(\hat{Z}_\lambda) \subset L$, sequently \hat{Z}_λ is a $\mathcal{B}(G_2, L)$ -valued analytic function. Moreover (see (10)) $\hat{Z}_\lambda^{(n)} = n! \hat{L}_\lambda L_\lambda^{n-1} Z_\lambda$, therefore

$$M^{(n)}(\lambda) = \Gamma_1 \hat{Z}_\lambda^{(n)} = n! \Gamma_1 \hat{L}_\lambda L_\lambda^{n-1} Z_\lambda.$$

□

Theorem 2. Suppose that $\lambda_0 \in \rho(L_2)$, $R(L_0 - \lambda_0) \dot{+} \ker(L - \lambda) = H$, and (15) holds. Then

- i) $(\tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0})^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(G_1, G_2)$, $(M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0))^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(G_1, G_2)$;
- ii) λ_0 is a first-order pole for the function $(M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0))^{-1}$ and

$$\text{res}_{|\lambda=\lambda_0} (M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0))^{-1} = (\tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0})^{-1}.$$

Proof. i) This statement is a direct consequence of Lemma 3, Remark 2 and Lemma 4.

ii) Put

$$\Pi(\lambda) = \begin{cases} (\lambda - \lambda_0)^{-1} (M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0)), & \lambda \neq \lambda_0 \\ M'(\lambda_0) = \tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0}, & \lambda = \lambda_0 \end{cases}.$$

It is clear that $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_0} \Pi(\lambda) = M'(\lambda_0) = \tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0}$ (with respect to uniform operator convergence). Hence, $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_0} [(\lambda - \lambda_0)(M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0))^{-1}] = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_0} \Pi(\lambda)^{-1} = (\tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0})^{-1}$. The theorem is proved. □

Remark 3. *Theorem 2 yields that in some neighbourhood of the point $\lambda_0 \in \rho(L_2)$ such that $R(L_0 - \lambda_0) + \ker(L - \lambda) = H$, the following expansion takes place:*

$$(M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0))^{-1} = \frac{1}{\lambda - \lambda_0} \left(\tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0} \right)^{-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (\lambda - \lambda_0)^n R^{(n)}, \quad (19)$$

where $R^{(n)} \in \mathcal{B}(G_1, G_2)$, $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$. On the other hand, in view of (18) we obtain

$$M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\lambda - \lambda_0)^n \cdot \tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* L_{\lambda_0}^{n-1} Z_{\lambda_0}.$$

Multiplying both sides of two latter equalities we obtain the recurrent relations for the coefficients $R^{(n)}$ in (19):

$$\sum_{m=0}^n \tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* L_{\lambda_0}^m Z_{\lambda_0} \cdot R^{(n-m-1)} = 0 \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}), \quad R^{(-1)} = (\tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* Z_{\lambda_0})^{-1}.$$

In particular, $R^{(0)} = -R^{(-1)} \cdot \tilde{Z}_{\lambda_0}^* L_{\lambda_0} Z_{\lambda_0} \cdot R^{(-1)}$.

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Нехай L та L_0 , де $L_0 \subset L$, — замкнені лінійні відношення (багатозначні оператори) у комплексному гільбертовому просторі H . У термінах абстрактних граничних операторів (тобто у вигляді, який у випадку диференціальних операторів приводить безпосередньо до граничних умов) досліджуються деякі аналітичні властивості функції Вейля $M(\lambda)$, яка відповідає деякій граничній парі (L, L_0) .

Зокрема, застосовуючи резольвентну тотожність Гільберта для відношень, встановлено критерій оборотності у алгебрі обмежених лінійних операторів, діючих у H , для відображення $M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0)$ у деякому достатньо малому проколеному околі точки λ_0 . Доведено, що в цьому випадку λ_0 є полюсом першого порядку для оператор-функції $(M(\lambda) - M(\lambda_0))^{-1}$. Знайдено відповідні лишок та розвинення у ряд Лорана.

При деяких додаткових припущеннях досліджується поведінка при $\lambda \rightarrow -\infty$ так званого γ -поля Z_λ , яке являє собою оператор-функцію, тісно пов'язану з $M(\lambda)$.

Ключові слова і фрази: гільбертів простір, відношення, оператор, розширення, полюс.