

## Lecture 1.

### Problem 13

Suppose  $A$  and  $u_0$  are given numbers and we want to solve the differential equation

$$\frac{du}{dt} = Au, \quad t > 0$$

with the initial condition

$$u(0) = u_0.$$

We know the answer is  $u(t) = u_0 e^{tA}$ .

We want to put the problem in a more general framework. Let  $X$  be a Banach space.

We can define functions of a real variable  $t$  with values in  $X$ . Such a function  $u(t)$  is continuous at  $t_0$  if for <sup>any</sup>  $\epsilon > 0$  given there is a corresponding  $\delta > 0$  so that  $|t - t_0| < \delta$

$\Rightarrow \|u(t) - u(t_0)\| < \epsilon$ . Likewise  $u(t)$  is differentiable at  $t_0$  if there is an element  $v \in X$

so that given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there is a  $\delta > 0$  so that

$$|t - t_0| < \delta \Rightarrow \left\| \frac{u(t) - u(t_0)}{t - t_0} - v \right\| < \varepsilon.$$

In such a case we denote  $v$  by  $u'(t_0)$  or

$\frac{du}{dt}(t_0)$ . Of course, when  $u$  is differentiable

at  $t_0$ , we have  $\|u(t) - u(t_0)\|$

$$= \left\| \frac{u(t) - u(t_0)}{t - t_0} (t - t_0) \right\| \leq (\|v\| + \varepsilon) \|t - t_0\|$$

whenever  $|t - t_0| < \delta$ . So  $u$  differentiable at  $t_0$

$\Rightarrow u$  is continuous at  $t_0$ .

Now let  $A$  be an operator in  $B(X)$ ,  
and let  $u_0 \in X$ . Then the equations

$$u'(t) = Au, \quad t > 0$$

$$u(0) = u_0$$

make sense. So we have an initial value problem

in a Banach space  $X$ . Does it have a solution?

Our guess should be that it is an appropriate analogue to  $u_0 e^{tA}$  (which of course is the same as  $e^{tA} u_0$  for real numbers).

What should  $e^{tA}$  mean?

For  $A \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$e^{tA} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} t^k A^k,$$

which converges for all  $A$ .

But now if  $A \in \mathcal{B}(X)$ ,  $\sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{k!} t^k A^k \in \mathcal{B}(X)$

for all  $n$ . Moreover, if  $n > m$ ,

$$\left\| \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{k!} t^k A^k - \sum_{k=0}^m \frac{1}{k!} t^k A^k \right\| = \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^n \frac{1}{k!} t^k A^k \right\|$$

$$\leq \sum_{k=m+1}^n \frac{1}{k!} t^k \|A\|^k \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } m \rightarrow \infty \text{ (and hence } n)$$

$\rightarrow \infty$ . So  $\sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{k!} t^k A^k$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathcal{B}(X)$  and so it makes sense to define

$$e^{tA} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} t^k A^k.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Moreover, } \left\| \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{k!} t^k A^k \right\| &\leq \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{k!} |t|^k \|A\|^k \\
 &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} |t|^k \|A\|^k \\
 &= e^{|t| \|A\|} \quad \forall t.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \|e^{tA}\| \leq e^{|t| \|A\|}$$

Now we have  $e^{tA} u_0$  well defined as a map from  $[0, \infty) \rightarrow X$ . Does  $e^{tA} u_0$  give a solution to the equation at hand?

$$\text{Set } u(t) = e^{tA} u_0$$

$$\frac{u(t+h) - u(t)}{h} = \frac{e^{(t+h)A} u_0 - e^{tA} u_0}{h}$$

$$= \frac{e^{tA+hA} u_0 - e^{tA} u_0}{h}$$

$$= \frac{e^{tA} e^{hA} u_0 - e^{tA} u_0}{h} = e^{tA} \left( \frac{e^{hA} u_0 - u_0}{h} \right)$$

$$= e^{tA} \left[ \frac{e^{hA} - I}{h} \right] u_0$$

provided  $e^{tA+hA} = e^{tA} \cdot e^{hA}$  (note: since

$$e^{tA+hA} = e^{hA+tA}, \text{ we would automatically have } e^{hA} \cdot e^{tA} = e^{tA} \cdot e^{hA} )$$

We'll see about this shortly.

So assuming  $e^{tA+hA} = e^{tA} \cdot e^{hA}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{u(t+h) - u(t)}{h} &= \left[ \frac{e^{hA} - I}{h} \right] e^{tA} u_0 \\ &= \left[ \frac{e^{hA} - I}{h} \right] u(t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } \frac{u(t+h) - u(t)}{h} - A u(t)$$

$$= \left[ \frac{e^{hA} - I}{h} - A \right] u(t)$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{e^{hA} - I}{h} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} h^{k-1} A^k$$

$$\therefore \left\| \frac{e^{hA} - I}{h} - A \right\| = \left\| \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} h^{k-1} A^k \right\|$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} |h| \|A\|^k \\
&= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} |h|^{k-1} \|A\|^k - \|A\| \\
&= \frac{1}{|h|} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} |h|^k \|A\|^k - \|A\| \\
&= \frac{1}{|h|} \left( \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} |h|^k \|A\|^k - 1 \right) - \|A\| \\
&= \frac{e^{|h|\|A\|} - 1}{|h|} - \|A\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } |h| \rightarrow 0.
\end{aligned}$$

So we need only show that  $e^{B+C} = e^B \cdot e^C$ .

This holds if  $BC = CB$  (which clearly  $tA$  and  $hA$  do)

We need to establish that  $e^{B+C} = e^B e^C$  if  $BC = CB$ .

Note that since  $BC = CB$ ,  $(B+C)^k = \sum_{m=0}^k \frac{k!}{m!(k-m)!} B^m C^{k-m}$

$$\text{So } \sum_{k=0}^N \frac{1}{k!} (B+C)^k = \sum_{k=0}^N \sum_{m=0}^k \frac{1}{m!(k-m)!} B^m C^{k-m}$$

$$= \sum_{m+n \leq N} \frac{1}{m!n!} B^m C^n$$

$$\text{So } \sum_{m=0}^N \frac{1}{m!} B^m \cdot \sum_{n=0}^N \frac{1}{n!} C^n - \sum_{k=0}^N \frac{1}{k!} (B+C)^k$$

$$= \sum_{\substack{m, n \leq N \\ m+n > N}} \frac{1}{m!n!} B^m C^n$$

$$\text{So } \left\| \sum_{m=0}^N \frac{1}{m!} B^m \cdot \sum_{n=0}^N \frac{1}{n!} C^n - \sum_{k=0}^N \frac{1}{k!} (B+C)^k \right\|$$

$$= \left\| \sum_{\substack{m, n \leq N \\ m+n > N}} \frac{1}{m!n!} B^m C^n \right\|$$

$$\leq \sum_{\substack{m, n \leq N \\ m+n > N}} \frac{1}{m!n!} \|B\|^m \|C\|^n = \sum_{m=0}^N \frac{1}{m!} \|B\|^m \cdot \sum_{n=0}^N \frac{1}{n!} \|C\|^n$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^N \frac{1}{k!} (\|B\| + \|C\|)^k$$

$$\rightarrow e^{\|B\|} \cdot e^{\|C\|} - e^{\|B\| + \|C\|} = 0$$

as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ .



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Is the solution  $u(t) = e^{tA} u_0$  of  $u' = Au$   
from last time unique?

Suppose there were two solutions.

call it  $w$

Their difference  $\uparrow$  would satisfy

$$w' = Aw$$

$$w(0) = 0.$$

So it would be the case that

$$e^{-tA} (w' - Aw) = 0$$

(in the real number case this equation is

$$\frac{d}{dt} (e^{-tA} w) = 0.$$

Here we must be careful.

$$\text{Set } v(t) = e^{-tA} u(t)$$

$$\text{Then } \frac{v(t+h) - v(t)}{h} = \frac{e^{-(t+h)A} u(t+h) - e^{-tA} u(t)}{h}$$

$$= e^{-(t+h)A} \left[ \frac{u(t+h) - u(t)}{h} \right] + \frac{e^{-(t+h)A} u(t) - e^{-tA} u(t)}{h}$$

$$= e^{-(t+h)A} \left[ \frac{u(t+h) - u(t)}{h} \right] + \left[ \frac{e^{-hA} - I}{h} \right] (e^{-tA} u(t))$$

$$= e^{-(t+h)A} \left[ \frac{u(t+h) - u(t)}{h} \right] + \left[ \frac{e^{-hA} - I}{h} \right] v(t)$$

$$\rightarrow e^{-tA} u'(t) + (-A) e^{-tA} u(t)$$

as  $h \rightarrow 0$ .

$$\text{So we get } \frac{d}{dt} (e^{-tA} u(t))$$

$$= e^{-tA} (u'(t) - Au(t))$$

$$= 0$$

Now let  $f \in X'$ .

Set  $F(t) = f(e^{-tA} u)$ .

$$\frac{F(t+h) - F(t)}{h} = \frac{f(e^{-(t+h)A} u(t+h)) - f(e^{-tA} u(t))}{h}$$

$$= f \left( \frac{e^{-(t+h)A} u(t+h) - e^{-tA} u(t)}{h} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow f(e^{-tA} (u'(t) - Au(t))) = f(0) = 0$$

for  $t > 0$ .

So  $F(t)$  is differentiable for  $t > 0$ ,

$F'(t) = 0$ ,  $F$  is continuous for  $t \geq 0$

and  $F(0) = F(e^{0 \cdot A} u(0)) = F(0) = 0$ .

So  $F \equiv 0$ .  $\therefore f(e^{-tA} u(t)) \equiv 0$  for

all  $f \in X'$ .  $\therefore e^{-tA} u(t) = 0$  in  $X$ .

$\therefore u(t) = e^{tA} e^{-tA} u(t) = e^{tA} (0) = 0$ .

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Suppose now that  $A$  is not bounded, but rather a closed linear operator on  $X$  with domain  $D(A)$  that is dense in  $X$ .

The equation  $u'(t) = Au(t)$  continuous

to make sense now so long as we stipulate

that  $u(t) \in D(A)$  for  $t > 0$ .

**Theorem 10.1**: Let  $A$  be a closed linear operator with dense domain  $D(A)$  on  $X$  having the interval

$[b, \infty)$  in its resolvent set  $\rho(A)$ , where  $b \geq 0$ , and such that there is a constant  $a$  satisfying

$$\|(\lambda - A)^{-1}\| \leq \frac{1}{a + \lambda}, \quad \lambda \geq b.$$

Then there is a family  $\{E_t\}$  of operators in  $B(X)$ ,  $t \geq 0$  so that:

(a)  $E_s E_t = E_{s+t}$ ,  $s \geq 0$ ,  $t \geq 0$

(b)  $E_0 = I$

(c)  $\|E_t\| \leq e^{-at}$ ,  $t \geq 0$

(d)  $E_t x$  is continuous in  $t \geq 0$  for each  $x \in X$

(e)  $E_t x$  is differentiable in  $t \geq 0$  for each

$$x \in D(A) \text{ and } \frac{dE_t x}{dt} = A E_t x$$

(f)  $E_t (\lambda - A)^{-1} = (\lambda - A)^{-1} E_t$ ,  $\lambda \geq b$ ,  $t \geq 0$ .

Suppose  $u_0 \in D(A)$ . Set  $u(t) = E_t u_0$ .

(Claim:  $u(t) \in D(A)$ .  $(E_t u_0 = E_t (b - A)^{-1} (b - A) u_0$

$$= (b-A)^{-1} E_t (b-A) u_0 \in D(A) \quad (\text{since } (b-A)^{-1}: X$$

$$\Rightarrow D(A)) \quad \text{Then } \frac{dE_t u_0}{dt} = A E_t u_0 \Rightarrow \frac{d(u(t))}{dt} = A u(t)$$

$$\text{by (e). } (b) \Rightarrow E_0 u_0 = I u_0 = u_0.$$

A one-parameter family  $\{E_t\}$  of operators satisfying (a) and (b) is called a semi-group.

The operator  $A$  is called its infinitesimal generator.

Before proving Theorem 10.1, we establish

Lemma 10.2. Let  $D$  be dense in  $X$ , and let

$\{B_\lambda\}$  be a family of operators in  $B(X)$

satisfying  $\|B_\lambda\| \leq M, \lambda \geq K$ .

If  $B_\lambda x$  converges as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ , for each  $x \in D$ ,

then there is a  $B$  in  $B(X)$  such that

$$\|B\| \leq M,$$

and  $B_\lambda x \rightarrow Bx$  as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ .

Proof: Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given. Let  $x \in X$ .  $\exists \tilde{x} \in V$

$$\Rightarrow \|x - \tilde{x}\| < \frac{\varepsilon}{3M}$$

$$\text{Then } \|B_\lambda x - B_\mu x\| \leq \|B_\lambda(x - \tilde{x})\|$$

$$\rightarrow \|B_\lambda \tilde{x} - B_\mu \tilde{x}\| + \|B_\mu(\tilde{x} - x)\|$$

$$< \frac{2\varepsilon}{3} + \|B_\lambda \tilde{x} - B_\mu \tilde{x}\|$$

We now take  $\lambda, \mu$  large enough so that

$$\|B_\lambda \tilde{x} - B_\mu \tilde{x}\| < \varepsilon/3.$$

So  $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} B_\lambda x$  exists for all  $x \in X$ .

$\therefore$  Let  $B$  be defined by  $Bx = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} B_\lambda x$

$B$  is linear on  $X$ .

Let  $x \in X$  be fixed.

Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given.  $\exists \bar{\lambda} \Rightarrow \lambda \geq \bar{\lambda} \Rightarrow \|Bx - B_\lambda x\| < \varepsilon$ .

$$\text{So } \|Bx\| \leq \|Bx - B_\lambda x\| + \|B_\lambda x\| < \varepsilon + M\|x\|.$$

$$\varepsilon \text{ arbitrary} \Rightarrow \|Bx\| \leq M\|x\| \Rightarrow B$$

is bounded and  $\|B\| \leq M$ .

Proof of Theorem 10.1. Assume first that  $a > 0$ .

$$\text{Set } A_\lambda = \lambda A (\lambda - A)^{-1}, \quad \lambda \geq b.$$

Claim: (1)  $A_\lambda \in B(X)$ ,  $\lambda \geq b$ .

$$(2) \|e^{tA_\lambda}\| \leq \exp\left(\frac{-at + \lambda}{a + \lambda}\right), \quad t \geq 0, \lambda \geq b$$

$$(3) A_\lambda x \rightarrow Ax \quad \text{as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty, \quad x \in D(A)$$

$$(4) e^{tA_\lambda} x \rightarrow E_t x \quad \text{as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty, \quad x \in X, t \geq 0.$$

(The last assertion states for  $t \geq 0$  and  $x \in X$ ,

$e^{tA_\lambda} x$  converges to a limit in  $X$  as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ .)

We define this limit to be  $E_t x$ .  $E_t$  is a linear

operator. (2) and Lemma 10.2  $\Rightarrow E_t \in B(X)$ .

$$\text{Moreover, } \|E_t x\| \leq \|e^{tA_\lambda} x\| + \|(E_t - e^{tA_\lambda})x\|$$

$$\leq \exp\left(\frac{-at + \lambda}{a + \lambda}\right) \|x\| + \|(E_t - e^{tA_\lambda})x\|$$

Letting  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ , by (4) we get  $\|E_t x\| \leq \exp(-at) \|x\|$

$\Rightarrow$  (c)

We show the remainder of (a) - (f).

$$(a): \| E_{s+t} x - E_s E_t x \|$$

$$\leq \| (E_{s+t} - e^{(s+t)A_\lambda}) x \| + \dots$$

$$+ \| (e^{(s+t)A_\lambda} - e^{sA_\lambda} E_t) x \|$$

$$+ \| (e^{sA_\lambda} - E_s) E_t x \|$$

$$= \| (E_{s+t} - e^{(s+t)A_\lambda}) x \|$$

$$+ \| e^{sA_\lambda} (e^{tA_\lambda} - E_t) x \|$$

$$+ \| (e^{sA_\lambda} - E_s) E_t x \|$$

$$\leq \| (E_{s+t} - e^{(s+t)A_\lambda}) x \|$$

$$\leq \exp\left(\frac{-as\lambda}{a+\lambda}\right) \| (e^{tA_\lambda} - E_t) x \|$$

$$+ \| (e^{sA_\lambda} - E_s) E_t x \|$$

$$\rightarrow 0 \text{ as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty.$$

$$\text{So } E_{s+t} x = E_s E_t x \quad \forall x.$$

$$\therefore E_{s+t} = E_s E_t$$

$$(d): e^{tA_\lambda} x - e^{t_0 A_\lambda} x = \int_{t_0}^t (e^{sA_\lambda} x)' ds \quad (\text{FTC})$$

$$= \int_{t_0}^t e^{sA_\lambda} A_\lambda x ds$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 & S_0 \quad \| e^{tA_\lambda} x - e^{t_0 A_\lambda} x \| \\
 & \leq \int_{t_0}^t \| e^{sA_\lambda} A_\lambda x \| ds \leq \int_{t_0}^t \| A_\lambda x \| ds = (t - t_0) \| A_\lambda x \|
 \end{aligned}$$

Assume now that  $x \in D(A)$ .

Let  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ . (3) + (4)  $\Rightarrow$

$$\| E_t x - E_{t_0} x \| \leq (t - t_0) \| A x \|$$

$\therefore E_t x \rightarrow E_{t_0} x$  as  $t \rightarrow t_0$ , for  $x \in D(A)$

(Now let  $x \in X$  be arbitrary.)

Let  $\hat{x} \in D(A) \rightarrow \| x - \hat{x} \| < \delta$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Then } \| E_t x - E_{t_0} x \| & \leq \| E_t x - E_t \hat{x} \| + \| E_t \hat{x} - E_{t_0} \hat{x} \| \\
 & + \| E_{t_0} \hat{x} - E_{t_0} x \| \leq e^{-at} \| x - \hat{x} \| + \| E_t \hat{x} - E_{t_0} \hat{x} \| + e^{-at_0} \| x - \hat{x} \| \\
 & \leq 2 \| x - \hat{x} \| + \| E_t \hat{x} - E_{t_0} \hat{x} \|
 \end{aligned}$$

So  $E_t x$  is continuous in  $t$  for  $x \in X$ .

We have

$$e^{tA_\lambda} x - e^{t_0 A_\lambda} x = \int_{t_0}^t e^{sA_\lambda} A_\lambda x ds$$

If  $x \in D(A)$ , *consequently*  $e^{tA_\lambda} x \rightarrow E_t x$  and  $e^{t_0 A_\lambda} x \rightarrow E_{t_0} x$

as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } & \left\| \int_{t_0}^t e^{sA_\lambda} A_\lambda x \, ds - \int_{t_0}^t E_s A x \, ds \right\| \\ & \leq \int_{t_0}^t \left\| e^{sA_\lambda} A_\lambda x - E_s A x \right\| ds \\ & = \int_{t_0}^t \left\| e^{sA_\lambda} A_\lambda x - e^{sA_\lambda} A x \right\| ds \\ & \quad + \int_{t_0}^t \left\| e^{sA_\lambda} A x - E_s A x \right\| ds \\ & \leq \int_{t_0}^t \exp\left(\frac{-as\lambda}{a+\lambda}\right) \|A_\lambda x - A x\| ds \\ & \quad + \int_{t_0}^t \left\| e^{sA_\lambda} A x - E_s A x \right\| ds. \end{aligned}$$

The first integral clearly  $\rightarrow 0$  as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ .

For the second, we have for each  $s \in [t_0, t]$

$$\|e^{sA_\lambda} A x - E_s A x\| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\text{But now } \|e^{sA_\lambda} A_\lambda x - E_s A x\|$$

$$\leq \left[ e^{-\left(\frac{as\lambda}{a+\lambda}\right)} + e^{-as} \right] \|A x\| \leq 2 \|A x\|$$

$\forall s \in [t_0, t]$ . So the Dominated Convergence

Theorem gives that the second integral tends to zero.

So we get

$$E_t x - E_{t_0} x = \int_{t_0}^t E_s A x ds, \quad x \in D(A)$$

$$\text{So now } \frac{E_t x - E_{t_0} x}{t - t_0} - E_{t_0} A x = \frac{1}{t - t_0} \int_{t_0}^t (E_s A x - E_{t_0} A x) ds$$

$$\text{So } \left\| \frac{E_t x - E_{t_0} x}{t - t_0} - E_{t_0} A x \right\| \leq \frac{1}{t - t_0} \int_{t_0}^t \|E_s A x - E_{t_0} A x\| ds$$

Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given.  $\exists \delta > 0 \Rightarrow$  if  $|t - t_0| < \delta$ ,

$$\|E_s A x - E_{t_0} A x\| < \varepsilon. \quad \text{Let } t < t_0 + \delta.$$

$$\text{Then } \left\| \frac{E_t x - E_{t_0} x}{t - t_0} - E_{t_0} A x \right\| < \varepsilon.$$

$$\text{So } \frac{d}{dt} E_t x = E_t A x, \quad x \in D(A)$$

So, now assuming (F), we get

$$A E_t x = (b - (b - A)) E_t x$$

$$= (b E_t x) - (b - A) E_t (b - A)^{-1} (b - A) x$$

$$= b E_t x - (b - A) (b - A)^{-1} E_t (b - A) x$$

$$= bE_t x - E_t (b-A)x$$

$$= bE_t x - bE_t x + E_t Ax = E_t Ax$$

$$\text{So } \frac{d}{dt}(E_t x) = E_t Ax = AE_t x$$

To see (f), note that if  $x \in D(A)$  and  $\lambda \geq b$

$$\begin{aligned} A(A-\lambda)^{-1}x &= (A-\lambda + \lambda)(A-\lambda)^{-1}x \\ &= (A-\lambda)(A-\lambda)^{-1}x + \lambda(A-\lambda)^{-1}x \\ &= x + (A-\lambda)^{-1}\lambda x \\ &= (A-\lambda)^{-1}[(A-\lambda)x + \lambda x] \\ &= (A-\lambda)^{-1}Ax \end{aligned}$$

Let  $\underline{\mu \geq b}$ . So  $A_\lambda (A-\mu)^{-1}x = \lambda A (A-\lambda)^{-1} (A-\mu)^{-1}x$

or for  $x \in X$ .

$$= \lambda A (A-\mu)^{-1} (A-\lambda)^{-1}x$$

$$= (A-\mu)^{-1} \lambda A (A-\lambda)^{-1}x$$

$$= (A-\mu)^{-1} A_\lambda x$$

Likewise  $A_\lambda^2 (A-\mu)^{-1}x = \lambda A (A-\lambda)^{-1} \lambda A (A-\lambda)^{-1} (A-\mu)^{-1}x$

$$= \lambda A (A-\lambda)^{-1} \lambda A (A-\mu)^{-1} (A-\lambda)^{-1}x$$

$$= \lambda A (A - \lambda)^{-1} (A - \mu)^{-1} \lambda A (A - \lambda)^{-1} x$$

$$= \lambda A (A - \mu)^{-1} (A - \lambda)^{-1} A_\lambda x$$

$$= (A - \mu)^{-1} \lambda A (A - \lambda)^{-1} A_\lambda x = (A - \mu)^{-1} A_\lambda^2 x$$

So we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^N \frac{1}{k!} t^k A_\lambda^k (A - \mu)^{-1} x = (A - \mu)^{-1} \sum_{k=0}^N \frac{1}{k!} t^k A_\lambda^k x$$

for  $\lambda, \mu \geq b, x \in X$ .

$$\therefore e^{tA_\lambda} (A - \mu)^{-1} x = (A - \mu)^{-1} e^{tA_\lambda} x, \quad \lambda, \mu \geq b, x \in X.$$

Let  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ .

$$E_t (A - \mu)^{-1} x = (A - \mu)^{-1} E_t x, \quad x \in X,$$

giving (f).

Finally,  $e^{0 \cdot A_\lambda} = I$  for all  $\lambda$ . Hence  $E_0 = I$ .

So we need to establish (1)-(4).

$$(1): A_\lambda = \lambda A (\lambda - A)^{-1} \in B(X).$$

$$\lambda(\lambda - A)^{-1} = (\lambda - A + A)(\lambda - A)^{-1}$$

$$= (\lambda - A)(\lambda - A)^{-1} + A(\lambda - A)^{-1}$$

$$= I + A(A - \lambda)^{-1}$$

$$\therefore A(A - \lambda)^{-1} = -I + \lambda(\lambda - A)^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda A(A - \lambda)^{-1} = -\lambda + \lambda^2(\lambda - A)^{-1} \in B(X_\lambda).$$

$$(2): \|e^{tA_\lambda}\| \leq \exp\left(\frac{-at + \lambda}{a + \lambda}\right), \quad t \geq 0, \lambda \geq b.$$

$$A_\lambda = -\lambda + \lambda^2(\lambda - A)^{-1}$$

$$tA_\lambda = -t\lambda + t\lambda^2(\lambda - A)^{-1}$$

$$\text{So } e^{tA_\lambda} = e^{-t\lambda I} e^{t\lambda^2(\lambda - A)^{-1}}$$

$$= e^{-t\lambda} e^{t\lambda^2(\lambda - A)^{-1}}$$

$$\therefore \|e^{tA_\lambda}\| \leq e^{-t\lambda} e^{t\lambda^2\|(\lambda - A)^{-1}\|}$$

$$= e^{-t\lambda} e^{t\lambda^2/a + \lambda}$$

$$= e^{-t\lambda + \frac{t\lambda^2}{a + \lambda}}$$

$$= e^{\left[\frac{-at + \lambda - t\lambda^2 + t\lambda^2}{a + \lambda}\right]} = e^{\frac{-at + \lambda}{a + \lambda}} \leq 1.$$

(3):  $A_\lambda x \rightarrow Ax$  as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$  for  $x \in D(A)$ .

$$\text{Now } A(\lambda - A)^{-1} = -I + \lambda(\lambda - A)^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|A(\lambda - A)^{-1}\| \leq \| -I \| + \lambda \|(\lambda - A)^{-1}\|$$

$$\leq 1 + \frac{\lambda}{a + \lambda} \leq 2.$$

Now for  $x \in D(A)$ ,

$$\|A(\lambda - A)^{-1}x\| = \|(\lambda - A)^{-1}Ax\| \leq \frac{\|Ax\|}{a + \lambda} \rightarrow 0$$

as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ .

So  $A(\lambda - A)^{-1}x \rightarrow 0$  for  $x \in D(A)$  and

$$\|A(\lambda - A)^{-1}\| \leq 2 \quad \forall \lambda \geq b.$$

$\therefore A(\lambda - A)^{-1}x \rightarrow 0 \quad \forall x \in X$  by Lemma 10.2.

$$\text{So } \lambda(\lambda - A)^{-1}x = x + A(\lambda - A)^{-1}x$$

$$\rightarrow x + 0 \quad \text{as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty$$

for all  $x \in X$ .

So  $\lambda(\lambda - A)^{-1}Ax \rightarrow Ax$  as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$

for  $x \in D(A) \therefore \lambda A(\lambda - A)^{-1}x \rightarrow Ax$  for  $x \in D(A)$

$$(4) : e^{tA_\lambda} x \rightarrow E_t x \text{ as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty, x \in X, t \geq 0$$

Let  $\lambda, \mu$  be any two numbers  $\geq b$ .

$$A_\lambda = -\lambda + \lambda^2(\lambda - A)^{-1}$$

$$A_\mu = -\mu + \mu^2(\mu - A)^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow A_\lambda A_\mu = A_\mu A_\lambda$$

$$\text{Set } V_s = \exp[st A_\lambda + (1-s)t A_\mu], s \in [0, 1]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } v(s) &= V_s x = \exp[t A_\mu] \exp[st(A_\lambda - A_\mu)] x \\ &= \exp[st(A_\lambda - A_\mu)] \exp[t A_\mu] x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } v'(s) &= t(A_\lambda - A_\mu) \exp[st(A_\lambda - A_\mu)] \exp[t A_\mu] x \\ &= t(A_\lambda - A_\mu) V_s x = t(A_\lambda - A_\mu) v(s) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hence } [\exp(t A_\lambda) - \exp(t A_\mu)] x$$

$$= v(1) - v(0)$$

$$= \int_0^1 v'(s) ds = t(A_\lambda - A_\mu) \int_0^1 v(s) ds$$

$$= t \int_0^1 V_s (A_\lambda - A_\mu) x ds$$

$$\text{Now } st A_\lambda + (1-s)t A_\mu =$$



$$= st(-\lambda + \lambda^2(\lambda - A)^{-1}) + (1-s)t(-\mu + \mu^2(\mu - A)^{-1})$$

$$= -st\lambda - (1-s)t\mu + st\lambda^2(\lambda - A)^{-1} + (1-s)t\mu^2(\mu - A)^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_s = \exp(-st\lambda - (1-s)t\mu) \exp[st\lambda^2(\lambda - A)^{-1} + (1-s)t\mu^2(\mu - A)^{-1}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \|V_s\| \leq \exp(-st\lambda - (1-s)t\mu)$$

$$\times \exp\left[\left(\frac{st\lambda^2}{a+\lambda}\right) + \left(\frac{(1-s)t\mu^2}{a+\mu}\right)\right]$$

$$= \exp\left[\frac{-st\lambda(a+\lambda) + st\lambda^2}{a+\lambda} + \frac{-(1-s)t\mu(a+\mu) + (1-s)t\mu^2}{a+\mu}\right]$$

$$= \exp\left[\frac{-ast\lambda}{a+\lambda} + \frac{-a(1-s)t\mu}{a+\mu}\right] \leq 1$$

$$\text{So } \|(e^{tA_\lambda} - e^{tA_\mu})x\| \leq t \int_0^1 ds \|(A_\lambda - A_\mu)x\|, \quad x \in X.$$

$$\text{If } x \in D(A), \quad A_\lambda x \rightarrow Ax \Rightarrow$$

$$(e^{tA_\lambda} - e^{tA_\mu})x \rightarrow 0$$

as  $\lambda, \mu \rightarrow \infty$ . So  $e^{tA_\lambda}x$  approaches a limit

as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$  for each  $x \in D(A)$ . Let  $E_t x =$

$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} e^{tA_\lambda} x$ . Now apply Lemma 10.2.

Suppose  $a \leq 0$ .

$$\text{Let } B = A + a - I$$

$$\lambda \in \rho(B) \Leftrightarrow \lambda - a + 1 \in \rho(A)$$

So long as  $\lambda - a + 1 \geq b$ ,  $\lambda \in \rho(B)$

So there is a  $b_1 > 0$  so that  $[b_1, \infty) \subseteq \rho(B)$

and for  $\lambda \geq b_1$ ,  $\lambda - a + 1 \geq b$

$$\|(\lambda - B)^{-1}\| = \|(\lambda - a + 1 - A)^{-1}\|$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{a + (\lambda - a + 1)} = \frac{1}{1 + \lambda}$$

So we get a family  $\{E_t\}_{t \geq 0}$  of bounded operators

so that (a)  $E_s E_t = E_{t+s}$ ,  $\forall t \geq 0, s \geq 0$ ,

(b)  $E(0) = I$ , (c)  $E_t x$  is continuous in  $t$  for

each  $x \in X$ , (d)  $E_t (\lambda - A)^{-1} = (\lambda - A)^{-1} E_t$ ,

$\lambda \geq b_1, t \geq 0$ ,

$$\|E_t\| \leq e^{-t}$$

and  $\frac{dE_t x}{dt} = B E_t x$ ,  $x \in D(A)$ ,  $t \geq 0$

Now let  $F_t = e^{t-at} E_t$ ,  $t \geq 0$ .

Clearly (a), (b), (d) and (f) obtain for  $F_t$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \|F_t\| &= \|e^{t-at} E_t\| = e^{t-at} \|E_t\| \\ &\leq e^{t-at} e^{-t} = e^{-at} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dF_t x}{dt} &= \frac{d}{dt} (e^{t-at} E_t x) \\ &= (1-a)e^{t-at} E_t x + e^{t-at} \frac{d}{dt} E_t x \\ &= (1-a)e^{t-at} E_t x + e^{t-at} B E_t x \\ &= (1-a+B) e^{t-at} E_t x \\ &= (1-a+B) F_t x \\ &= (1-a+A+a-1) F_t x \\ &= A F_t x \end{aligned}$$