# ON CONJUGATIONS FOR BANACH SPACES 

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#### Abstract

In this paper we introduce a conjugation $C$ on a complex Banach space $\mathcal{X}$ and define complex symmetric operators. We show some spectral properties of complex symmetric operators.


## 1 Introduction

Let $\mathcal{H}$ be a complex Hilbert space with the inner product $\langle\cdot, \cdot\rangle$ and $B(\mathcal{H})$ be the set of all bounded linear operators on $\mathcal{H}$. An antilinear operator $C$ is said to be conjugation if $C^{2}=I$ and $\langle C x, C y\rangle=\langle y, x\rangle$ for all $x, y \in \mathcal{H}$. T. Takagi in [14] studied antilinear eigenvalue problem. V.I. Godic and I.E. Lucenko in [9] showed that $U$ is unitary if and only if there exist conjugations $C, J$ such that $U=C J$. S.R. Garcia and M. Putinar showed that, for conjugations $C, J$ on a Hilbert space, $C J$ is both $C$-symmetric and $J$ symmetric. See Lemma 1 of [7]. Now we have many research about conjugations of Hilbert spaces. For examples, see [6], [7], [10] and [8]. In this paper we introduce a conjugation on a Banach space and show some properties concerning with conjugations.

## 2 Conjugations on Banach spaces

Let $\mathcal{X}$ be a complex Banach space, $\|\cdot\|$ be the norm of $\mathcal{X}$ and $B(\mathcal{X})$ be the set of all bounded linear operators on $\mathcal{X}$. For an operator $T \in B(\mathcal{X})$, the spectrum, the point spectrum, the approximate point spectrum and the surjective spectrum of $T$ are denoted by $\sigma(T), \sigma_{p}(T), \sigma_{a}(T), \sigma_{s}(T)$, respectively. It holds $\sigma(T)=\sigma_{a}(T) \bigcup \sigma_{s}(T), \sigma_{s}(T)=\sigma_{a}\left(T^{*}\right)$ and $\sigma_{a}(T)=\sigma_{s}\left(T^{*}\right)$, where $T^{*}$ is the dual operator $T$ on the dual space $\mathcal{X}^{*}$. See [1] for details. $\operatorname{ker}(T)$ and $R(T)$ denote the kernel and the range of $T$, respectively. For a subset $M$ of $\mathbb{C}, M^{*}=\{\bar{z}: z \in M\}$. For an operator $C$ on $\mathcal{X}$, we define a conjugation as follows.

[^0]Definition 2.1 Let $\mathcal{X}$ be a complex Banach space. An operator $C: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$ is said to be a conjugation if $C$ satisfies

$$
\begin{equation*}
C^{2}=I,\|C\| \leq 1, C(x+y)=C x+C y, C(\lambda x)=\bar{\lambda} C x \quad(\forall x, y \in \mathcal{X}, \lambda \in \mathbb{C}) \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $I$ is the identity operator on $\mathcal{X}$ and $\|C\|=\sup _{\|x\| \leq 1}\{\|C x\|: x \in \mathcal{X}\}$.
Next theorem shows that if the space $\mathcal{X}$ is a Hilbert space and $C$ satisfies condition (1), then $C$ is a conjugation as follows.

Theorem 2.2 If C satisfies condition (1) on a complex Hilbert space $\mathcal{H}$, then $\langle C x, C y\rangle=$ $\langle y, x\rangle$ for all $x, y \in \mathcal{H}$, i.e., $C$ is a conjugation on $\mathcal{H}$.

Proof. Let $x, y \in \mathcal{H}, \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ and let $C y=z$. Since

$$
\begin{aligned}
\|C x+\alpha z\| & =\|C(x+\alpha C z)\| \\
& \leq\|x+\alpha C z\|=\|C(C x+\alpha z)\| \leq\|C x+\alpha z\|,
\end{aligned}
$$

we have

$$
\|C x+\alpha z\|=\|x+\alpha C z\| .
$$

By taking square, we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \|C x\|^{2}+\alpha(\langle C x, z\rangle+\langle z, C x\rangle)+\alpha^{2}\|z\|^{2} \\
& =\|x\|^{2}+\alpha(\langle x, C z\rangle+\langle C z, x\rangle)+\alpha^{2}\|C z\|^{2} .
\end{aligned}
$$

Hence $\|C x\|=\|x\|$ and

$$
\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{Re}\langle C x, C y\rangle & =\operatorname{Re}\langle C x, z\rangle \\
& =\operatorname{Re}\langle C z, x\rangle=\operatorname{Re}\left\langle C^{2} y, x\right\rangle=\operatorname{Re}\langle y, x\rangle .
\end{aligned}
$$

By taking $i x$ instead of $x$, we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{Re}\{-i\langle C x, C y\rangle\} & =\operatorname{Re}\langle C i x, C y\rangle \\
& =\operatorname{Re}\langle y, i x\rangle=\operatorname{Re}\{-i\langle y, x\rangle\}
\end{aligned}
$$

Hence

$$
\operatorname{Im}\langle C x, C y\rangle=\operatorname{Im}\langle y, x\rangle .
$$

Thus $\langle C x, C y\rangle=\langle y, x\rangle$.
Theorem 2.3 Let $C$ be a conjugation on a complex Banach space $\mathcal{X}$. Then $\|C x\|=\|x\|$ for all $x \in \mathcal{X}$.

Proof. Since $\|C\| \leq 1$, it holds $\|x\|=\left\|C^{2} x\right\| \leq\|C\|\|C x\| \leq\|C x\|$. Hence $\|x\| \leq\|C x\|$. Therefore $\|C x\| \leq\left\|C^{2} x\right\|=\|x\|$ and $\|C x\|=\|x\|$.

Example 2.4 For a complex Hilbert space $\mathcal{H}$, let $\mathcal{X}=B(\mathcal{H})$ and $C$, $J$ be conjugations on $\mathcal{H}$. Let $M_{C J}$ is defined by

$$
M_{C J}(T)=C T J .
$$

Then $M_{C J}$ is a conjugation on $\mathcal{X}$.

Proof. It is clear that $M_{C J}: B(\mathcal{H}) \longrightarrow B(\mathcal{H})$. Since $C^{2}=J^{2}=I$, it holds $M_{C J}^{2}(T)=T$ for all $T \in B(\mathcal{X})$. Next it holds

$$
M_{C J}(\lambda T)=C(\lambda T) J=\bar{\lambda} C T J=\bar{\lambda} M_{C J}(T)
$$

Since $\left\|M_{C J}(T)\right\| \leq\|T\|$ for all $T \in B(\mathcal{X}),\left\|M_{C J}\right\| \leq 1$. Since $C J$ is in $B(\mathcal{X})$ and $\|C J\|=1$, we have $M_{C J}(C J)=I$. Hence, $\left\|M_{C J}\right\|=1$ and $M_{C J}$ is a conjugation on $\mathcal{X}$.

For a complex Banach space $\mathcal{X}$, let $\mathcal{X}^{*}$ be the dual space of $\mathcal{X}$ and the dual operator of $T \in B(\mathcal{X})$ is denoted by $T^{*}$.

Definition 2.5 For a conjugation $C$ on a Banach space $\mathcal{X}$, the dual operator $C^{*}: \mathcal{X}^{*} \rightarrow$ $\mathcal{X}^{*}$ of $C$ is defined by

$$
\left(C^{*}(f)\right)(x)=\overline{f(C x)} \quad\left(x \in \mathcal{X}, f \in \mathcal{X}^{*}\right)
$$

Then we have following result.
Theorem 2.6 Let $C$ be a conjugation on a complex Banach space $\mathcal{X}$. Then $C^{*}$ is a conjugation on $\mathcal{X}^{*}$.

Proof. It is clear that $C^{* 2}=I^{*}, C^{*}(f+g)=C^{*}(f)+C^{*}(g)\left(\forall f, g \in \mathcal{X}^{*}\right)$. For $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}, x \in$ $\mathcal{X}$, it holds

$$
\left(C^{*}(\lambda f)\right)(x)=\bar{\lambda} \overline{f(C x)}=\bar{\lambda}\left(C^{*} f\right)(x)
$$

Hence $C^{*}(\lambda f)=\bar{\lambda} C^{*}(f)$. Let $f \in \mathcal{X}^{*}$. Then $\left|\left(C^{*} f\right)(x)\right|=|\overline{f(C x)}| \leq\|f\|\|C x\| \leq$ $\|f\|\|x\|$. Hence $\left\|C^{*} f\right\| \leq\|f\|$ and $\left\|C^{*}\right\| \leq 1$.

Hence we say $C^{*}$ the dual conjugation of $C$.
First we show spectral properties of complex symmetric operators.
Theorem 2.7 Let $C$ be a conjugation on a complex Banach space $\mathcal{X}$. Then $\sigma_{a}(C T C)=$ $\sigma_{a}(T)^{*}, \sigma_{p}(C T C)=\sigma_{p}(T)^{*}, \sigma_{s}(C T C)=\sigma_{s}(T)^{*}$ and $\sigma(C T C)=\sigma(T)^{*}$.

Proof. Let $z \in \sigma_{a}(C T C)$ and $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$ be a sequence of unit vectors such that (CTC $z) x_{n} \rightarrow 0$. Then since $C(T-\bar{z}) C x_{n} \quad \rightarrow \quad 0$ and $\left\|C x_{n}\right\|=1$, we have $\bar{z} \in \sigma_{a}(T)$. Hence $\sigma_{a}(C T C) \subset \sigma_{a}(T)^{*}$. Therefore, $\sigma_{a}(T)=\sigma_{a}\left(C^{2} T C^{2}\right) \subset \sigma_{a}(C T C)^{*}$ and $\sigma_{a}(C T C)=$ $\sigma_{a}(T)^{*}$. Similarly, we have $\sigma_{p}(C T C)=\sigma_{p}(T)^{*}$. Let $z \notin \sigma_{s}(C T C)$ and $x \in \mathcal{X}$. Then there exists $y \in \mathcal{X}$ such that $(C T C-z) y=C x$. Hence $(T-\bar{z}) C y=C(C T C-z) y=C^{2} x=x$. Hence $\sigma_{s}(C T C) \subset \sigma_{s}(T)^{*}$ The converse is similar. Hence $\sigma_{s}(C T C)=\sigma_{s}(T)^{*}$. Also, $\sigma(C T C)=\sigma_{a}(C T C) \cup \sigma_{s}(C T C)=\sigma_{a}(T)^{*} \cup \sigma_{s}(T)^{*}=\sigma(T)^{*}$.

Next we introduce numerical range of Banach space operator.
Definition 2.8 Let $\Pi$ be the set

$$
\Pi:=\left\{(x, f) \in \mathcal{X} \times \mathcal{X}^{*}:\|f\|=f(x)=\|x\|=1\right\}
$$

For an operator $T \in B(\mathcal{X})$, the numerical range $V(T)$ of $T$ is given by

$$
V(T)=\{f(T x):(x, f) \in \Pi\} .
$$

Hence, normal and hyponormal are defined as follows.
(1) $T$ is called Hermitian and positive (denoted by $T \geq 0$ ) if $V(T) \subset \mathbb{R}$ and $V(T) \subset[0, \infty)$, respectively.
(2) $T$ is called normal if there exist Hermitian operators $H, K$ such that $H K=K H$, $T=H+i K$.
(3) $T$ is called hyponormal if there exist Hermitian operators $H, K$ such that $T=H+i K, i(H K-K H) \geq 0$.

Let $T \in B(\mathcal{X})$. If $T=H+i K$ for some Hermitian $H$ and $K$, then $H$ and $K$ are unique. Hence we denote $H-i K$ by $\bar{T}$. Let $T^{*} \in B\left(\mathcal{X}^{*}\right)$ be the dual operator of $T$. Hence if $T=H+i K$, then $T^{*}=H^{*}+i K^{*}$.

Definition 2.9 Let $T \in B(\mathcal{X})$ be $T=H+i K$ for some Hermitian $H$ and $K$. Let $C$ be a conjugation on $\mathcal{X}$. Then $T$ is said to be $C$-symmetric if $C T C=T$.

Theorem 2.10 Let $T=H+i K$ for some Hermitian $H$ and $K$. Let $C$ be a conjugation on $\mathcal{X}$ and $T$ is $C$-symmetric. Then $T$ is invertible if and only if $T$ is invertible.

Proof. Let, for a conjugation $C, C \bar{T} C=T$ and $\underline{T}$ be invertible. Then we have $\bar{T} C T^{-1} C=$ $C T C C T{ }^{-1} C=C T T^{-1} C=C^{2}=I=C T^{-1} C T$. Hence $T$ is invertible. Converse is clear.

Theorem 2.11 Let $\mathcal{X}$ be a complex Banach space. If an operator $T=H+i K$ is complex symmetric, then $\sigma_{p}(T)=\sigma_{p}(\bar{T})^{*}, \sigma_{a}(T)=\sigma_{a}(\bar{T})^{*}, \sigma_{s}(T)=\sigma_{s}(\bar{T})^{*}$ and $\sigma(T)=\sigma(\bar{T})^{*}$.

Proof. By Theorem 2.7, we have $\sigma_{p}(C \bar{T} C)=\sigma_{p}(\bar{T})^{*}$. Since $C \bar{T} C=T$ for some conjugation, we have $\sigma_{p}(T)=\sigma_{p}(T)^{*}$. Others are similar.

Definition 2.12 An operator $T=H+i K \in B(\mathcal{X})$ is said to be an ExB-operator if there exists $M>0$ such that

$$
\left\|e^{z \bar{T}} \cdot e^{-\bar{z} T}\right\| \leq M \quad \text { for all } z \in \mathbb{C}
$$

We have $\left\|e^{\bar{T}} \cdot e^{-\bar{z} T}\right\| \leq M(\forall z \in \mathbb{C})$ if and only if $\left\|e^{\bar{T}} x\right\| \leq M\left\|e^{\bar{z} T} x\right\|(\forall x \in \mathcal{X}, \forall z \in \mathbb{C})$. For $T=H+i K \in B(\mathcal{H})$ (Hilbert space operator case), $T$ is an ExB-operator if and only if $\left\|\left(e^{z T}\right)^{*} x\right\| \leq M\left\|e^{z T} x\right\|(\forall x \in \mathcal{H}, \forall z \in \mathbb{C})$. It is easy to see that if $T$ is an ExB-operator, then so is $a T+b$ for all $a, b \in \mathbb{C}$. When $M=1, \mathrm{~K}$. Mattila in [13] called ${ }^{*}$-hyponormal.

Proposition 2.13 (Lemma 2 of [5]).
If $T=H+i K$ is an ExB-operator and $T x=0$, then $\bar{T} x=0$.
Since $\left(e^{z \bar{T}} \cdot e^{-\bar{z} T}\right)^{*}=e^{-\bar{z} T^{*}} \cdot e^{z \bar{T}^{*}}$, if $T$ is an ExB-operator, then so is $\bar{T}^{*}$.
Theorem 2.14 Let $\mathcal{X}$ be a complex Banach space and $C$ be a conjugation on $\mathcal{X}$. If $T$ is an ExB-operator on $\mathcal{X}$ and $C$-symmetric, then $\operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda)=C \operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda)$ for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$.

Proof. Let $T x=\lambda x$. Since $a T+b$ is an ExB-operator for all $a, b \in \mathbb{C}$ and $(T-\lambda) x=0$, by Proposition 2.13 it holds $\bar{T} x=\bar{\lambda} x$. Hence $\bar{\lambda} x=\bar{T} x=(C T C) x=C(T C x)$ and it holds $T(C x)=C^{2} T(C x)=C(\bar{\lambda} x)=\lambda C x$. Hence $C \operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda) \subset \operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda)$. Also, we have $\operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda)=C^{2} \operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda) \subset C \operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda)$. Hence $\operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda)=C \operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda)$.

For a study of properties of a complex symmetric ExB-operator, we recall from [2] and [3] the construction of a larger space $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$ from a given Banach space $\mathcal{X}$. Then the mapping $T \rightarrow T^{\circ}$ is an isometric isomorphism of $B(\mathcal{X})$ onto a closed subalgebra of $B\left(\mathcal{X}^{\circ}\right)$ as follows: Let Lim be fixed Banach limit on the space of all bounded sequences of complex numbers with the norm $\left\|\left\{\lambda_{n}\right\}\right\|=\sup \left\{\left|\lambda_{n}\right|: n \in \mathbb{N}\right\}$. Let $\tilde{\mathcal{X}}$ be the space of all bounded sequences $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$ of $\mathcal{X}$. Let $N$ be the subspace of $\mathcal{X}$ consisting of all bounded sequences $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$ with Lim $\left\|x_{n}\right\|^{2}=0$. The space $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$ is defined as the completion of the quotient space $\tilde{\mathcal{X}} / N$ with respect to the norm $\left\|\left\{x_{n}\right\}+N\right\|=\left(\operatorname{Lim}\left\|x_{n}\right\|^{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$. Operator $T^{\prime}$ is defined by $T^{\prime}\left(\left\{x_{n}\right\}+N\right)=\left\{T x_{n}\right\}+N$ on $\mathcal{X} / N$. The operator $T^{\circ}$ is defined by the unique extension of $T^{\prime}$ on $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$. Then the following results hold:

$$
\sigma(T)=\sigma\left(T^{\circ}\right), \sigma_{a}(T)=\sigma_{a}\left(T^{\circ}\right)=\sigma_{p}\left(T^{\circ}\right) \text { and } \overline{\operatorname{co}} V(T)=V\left(T^{\circ}\right),
$$

where $\overline{\operatorname{co}} V(T)$ is the closed convex hull of $V(T)$. See [2] and [3] for details. Therefore, if $T$ is Hermitian, normal or hyponormal, then so is $T^{\circ}$, respectively. Since the mapping $T \rightarrow T^{\circ}$ is an isometric isomorphism of $B(\mathcal{X})$ onto a closed subalgebra of $B\left(\mathcal{X}^{\circ}\right)$, if $T$ is an ExB-operator, then so is $T^{\circ}$.

Let $C$ be a conjugation on $\mathcal{X}$. The operator $C^{\prime}$ is defined by $C^{\prime}\left(\left\{x_{n}\right\}+N\right)=\left\{C x_{n}\right\}+N$ on $\tilde{\mathcal{X}} / N$ and we define $C^{\circ}$ as the unique extension of $C^{\prime}$ on $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$. Then it is easy to see that
$C^{\circ 2}=I^{\circ},\left\|C^{\circ}\right\|=1, C^{\circ}\left(x^{\circ}+y^{\circ}\right)=C^{\circ} x^{\circ}+C^{\circ} y^{\circ}, C^{\circ}\left(\lambda x^{\circ}\right)=\bar{\lambda} C^{\circ} x^{\circ}\left(\forall x^{\circ}, y^{\circ} \in \mathcal{X}^{\circ}, \lambda \in \mathbb{C}\right)$.

Theorem 2.15 With the above assertion, if $C$ is a conjugation, then so is $C^{\circ}$ on $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$.
Since $(C T C)^{\prime}\left(\left\{x_{n}\right\}+N\right)=\left\{C T C x_{n}\right\}+N=C^{\prime}\left(\left\{T C x_{n}\right\}+N\right)=C^{\prime} T^{\prime} C^{\prime}\left(\left\{x_{n}\right\}+N\right)$, it holds $(C T C)^{\circ}=C^{\circ} T^{\circ} C^{\circ}$. Hence the following result holds.

Theorem 2.16 With the above assertion, if $T$ is $C$-symmetric on $\mathcal{X}$, then $T^{\circ}$ is $C^{\circ}$ symmetric on $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$.

For the final result, we introduce orthogonality of Banach space as follows.

Definition 2.17 Let $M$ be a subspace of $\mathcal{X}$. A vector $x$ is orthogonal to $M$ if

$$
\|m\| \leq\|m+x\| \quad(\text { for all } m \in M)
$$

Then we denote by $M \perp x$.
For a subspace $M \subset \mathcal{X}$, let $M^{\perp}$ be the set $\{x \in \mathcal{X}: M \perp x\}$. Let $M, N$ be subspaces of $\mathcal{X}$. If, for all $n \in N, M \perp n$, then we denote $M \perp N$.

Theorem 2.18 If a subspace $M$ is invariant for a conjugation $C$, then $M^{\perp}$ is invariant for $C$.

Proof. Let $x \in M^{\perp}$ and $m \in M$ be arbitrary. Then

$$
\|m\|=\|C m\| \leq\|C m+x\|=\|C(C m+x)\|=\|m+C x\| .
$$

Hence $C x \in M^{\perp}$.
Hence we have following corollary.
Corollary 2.19 Let $T=H+i K$ be an ExB-operator. If $T$ is $C$-symmetric, then $\operatorname{ker}(T)^{\perp}$ is invariant for $C$.

Proposition 2.20 (Theorem 20.7, [4]).
Let $\mathcal{X}$ be a reflexive Banach space and $x \in \mathcal{X}$ be $\|x\|=1$. Then there exists $f \in \mathcal{X}^{*}$ such that $\|f\|=f(x)=1$ and $H^{*} f=0$ for all Hermitian operators $H$ for which $H x=0$.

Proposition 2.21 (Lemma 20.3, [4]).
It holds that $\operatorname{ker}(T) \perp R(T)$ if and only if for any unit vector $x \in \operatorname{ker}(T)$ there exists $f \in \mathcal{X}^{*}$ such that $\|f\|=f(x)=1$ and $T^{*} f=0$.

Theorem 2.22 Let Let $\mathcal{X}$ be a reflexive Banach space and $T=H+i K$ be an ExBoperator. Then $\operatorname{ker}(T) \perp R(T)$.

Proof. Let $x \in \operatorname{ker}(T)$ be a unit vector. Since $T=H+i K$ is an ExB-operator, by Proposition 2.13 we have $H x=K x=0$. Since $\mathcal{X}$ is reflexive, by Proposition 2.20 there exists $f \in \mathcal{X}^{*}$ such that $\|f\|=f(x)=1$ and $T^{*} f=0$. Hence by Proposition 2.21 it holds $\operatorname{ker}(T) \perp R(T)$.

In [11], K. Mattila proved the following result for a normal operator.
Proposition 2.23 (Propositions 3.7 and 3.9, Corollary 3.8, [11]).
Let $T$ be normal and $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{C}$ be $\lambda \neq \mu$.
(1) If $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$ is a sequence of unit vectors such that $T x_{n} \rightarrow 0$, then $1 \leq \lim \inf \left\|x_{n}+T y_{n}\right\|$, for any bounded sequence $\left\{y_{n}\right\}$ of $\mathcal{X}$.
(2) If $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$ is a sequence of unit vectors such that $(T-\lambda) x_{n} \rightarrow 0$, then $1 \leq \liminf \left\|x_{n}+y_{n}\right\|$, for any bounded sequence $\left\{y_{n}\right\}$ such that $(T-\mu) y_{n} \rightarrow 0$. In particular, $\operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda) \perp \operatorname{ker}(T-\mu)$.
(3) For a bounded sequence $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$, if $T^{2} x_{n} \rightarrow 0$, then $T x_{n} \rightarrow 0$.

We show the similar result. For the completeness, we give a proof. We need the following definition and result.

Definition 2.24 A Banach space $\mathcal{X}$ is said to be uniformly convex if, for every $\epsilon>0$, there exists a number $\delta>0$ such that, for all $x, y \in \mathcal{X}$, the conditions

$$
\|x\|=\|y\|=1, \quad\|x-y\| \geq \epsilon \quad \text { imply } \quad\left\|\frac{x+y}{2}\right\| \leq 1-\delta .
$$

It's well known that $\mathcal{X}$ is uniformly convex, then $\mathcal{X}$ is reflexive, i.e., $\mathcal{X}^{* *}=\mathcal{X}$. Then we have the following result.

Proposition 2.25 (Theorem 4, [3]).
$\mathcal{X}$ is uniformly convex if and only if $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$ is uniformly convex.
Theorem 2.26 Let $T$ be an ExB-operator on a uniformly convex Banach space $\mathcal{X}$ and $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{C}$ be $\lambda \neq \mu$.
(1) If $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$ is a sequence of unit vectors such that $T x_{n} \rightarrow 0$, then $1 \leq \liminf \left\|x_{n}+T y_{n}\right\|$, for any bounded sequence $\left\{y_{n}\right\}$ of $\mathcal{X}$.
(2) If $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$ is a sequence of unit vectors such that $(T-\lambda) x_{n} \rightarrow 0$, then $1 \leq \liminf \left\|x_{n}+y_{n}\right\|$, for any bounded sequence $\left\{y_{n}\right\}$ such that $(T-\mu) y_{n} \rightarrow 0$.
In particular, $\operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda) \perp \operatorname{ker}(T-\mu)$.
(3) For a bounded sequence $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$, if $T^{2} x_{n} \rightarrow 0$, then $T x_{n} \rightarrow 0$.

Proof. Let $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$ be the larger Banach space of $\mathcal{X}$ and $T^{\circ}$ be the extension of $T$ on $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$ as a previous way. Then $\mathcal{X}^{\circ}$ is uniformly convex and $T^{\circ}$ is an ExB-operator. And by Theorem 2.22 it holds $\operatorname{ker}\left(T^{\circ}\right) \perp R\left(T^{\circ}\right)$. We may assume that all vectors $x_{n}$ and $y_{n}$ of (1), (2) and
(3) are unit. Put $x^{\circ}=\left\{x_{n}\right\}+N$. Then $\left\|x^{\circ}\right\|=1$ and $x^{\circ} \in \operatorname{ker}\left(T^{\circ}\right)$.
(1) Since it holds $\operatorname{ker}\left(T^{\circ}\right) \perp R\left(T^{\circ}\right)$ by Theorem 2.22, we have $1=\left\|x^{\circ}\right\| \leq\left\|x^{\circ}+T^{\circ} y^{\circ}\right\|$.

Assume that $\lim \inf \left\|x_{n}+T y_{n}\right\|<1$. Then there exist subsequences $\left\{x_{n_{j}}\right\},\left\{y_{n_{j}}\right\}$ such that $\lim _{j \rightarrow \infty}\left\|x_{n_{j}}+T y_{n_{j}}\right\|=\alpha<1$. Let $x_{1}^{\circ}=\left\{x_{n_{j}}\right\}+N, y_{1}^{\circ}=\left\{y_{n_{j}}\right\}+N$. Then we have $\left\|x_{1}^{\circ}\right\|=1, T^{\circ}\left(x_{1}^{\circ}\right)=0$ and $\left\|x_{1}^{\circ}+T^{\circ} y_{1}^{\circ}\right\|=\alpha<1=\left\|x_{1}^{\circ}\right\|$. It's a contradiction. Hence $\lim \inf \left\|x_{n}+T y_{n}\right\| \geq 1$ and it completes (1).
(2) Since $\lambda \neq \mu,\left\{(\mu-\lambda)^{-1} y_{n}\right\}$ is a bounded sequence, by (1) we have

$$
\begin{gathered}
1 \leq \liminf \left\|x_{n}+(\mu-\lambda)^{-1}(T-\lambda) y_{n}\right\| \\
=\liminf \left\|x_{n}+y_{n}+(\mu-\lambda)^{-1}(T-\mu) y_{n}\right\|=\liminf \left\|x_{n}+y_{n}\right\| .
\end{gathered}
$$

By previous result, it is easy to see $\operatorname{ker}(T-\lambda) \perp \operatorname{ker}(T-\mu)$ and it completes (2).
(3) Let $T^{2} x_{n} \rightarrow 0$. Assume $T x_{n} \nrightarrow 0$. Then there exist $\epsilon>0$ and a subsequence $\left\{x_{n_{k}}\right\}$ of $\left\{x_{n}\right\}$ such that $\left\|T x_{n_{k}}\right\| \geq \epsilon(k \in \mathbb{N})$. Let $w_{k}=\left\|T x_{n_{k}}\right\|^{-1} T x_{n_{k}}$. Then $\left\|T w_{k}\right\| \leq \epsilon^{-1}\left\|T^{2} x_{n_{k}}\right\|$. Hence $T w_{k} \rightarrow 0$ and by (1) it holds $1 \leq \liminf \left\|w_{k}+T u_{k}\right\|$ for any bounded sequence $\left\{u_{k}\right\}$. Taking $u_{k}=-\left\|T x_{n_{k}}\right\|^{-1} x_{n_{k}}$, it's a contradiction. Hence we have $T x_{n} \rightarrow 0$ and it completes (3).

Remark 2.27 In the case of conjugations $C, J$ on a Hilbert space $\mathcal{H}, U=C J$ is a unitary operator. Hence $U^{*}=U^{-1}$ and it holds $C U C=J C=U^{-1}=U^{*}=J U J$. In the case of conjugations $C, J$ on a Banach space $\mathcal{X}$, we have only $C U C=J C=U^{-1}=J U J$.

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