

$$|\alpha| < 0$$

### Main Theorem

Let  $\varphi: \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$   $|\alpha| < 1$ . Let  $C_\varphi$  be operator on  $H^2$

McCluer & C  
1994

- ① If  $\varphi$  is univalent, not an automorphism  
or

Kamowitz  
1975

- ②  $\varphi$  is analytic in a neighborhood of  $\overline{\mathbb{D}}$

$$\text{Then } \sigma(C_\varphi) = \{ \lambda : |\lambda| \leq \rho \} \cup \{ \varphi'(a)^k : k=1, 2, \dots \} \cup \{ 1 \}$$

where  $\rho$  is the essential spectral radius of  $C_\varphi$ .

Thm If  $\varphi$  is a univalent map of  $\mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$   
then the essential norm of  $C_\varphi$ ,  $\|C_\varphi\|_e$  is

$$\|C_\varphi\|_e = \liminf_{|w| \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{\|K_{\varphi(w)}\|}{\|K_w\|}$$

$$\text{and } \rho = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \liminf_{|w| \rightarrow 1^-} \left( \frac{\|K_{\varphi_n(w)}\|}{\|K_w\|} \right)^{1/n} \right)$$

Proof idea As  $|w| \rightarrow 1^-$   $\langle f, \frac{K_w}{\|K_w\|} \rangle \rightarrow 0$   $\forall f$

Thm  $\varphi: \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$  and  $b \in \mathbb{D}$   
 $\varphi$  is a point for which  $|\varphi(b)| = 1$

$$\text{then } \rho \geq \frac{1}{\|\varphi'(b)\|}$$

Thm If  $\varphi: D \rightarrow D$  and  $|a| < 1$

~~if  $\varphi$  is an automorphism~~  
then  $\sigma(C_\varphi) = \{1\} \cup \{\varphi'(a)^n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ .

Prof matrix for  $C_\varphi^*$  after  $\varphi$  adjusted  
to make  $a=0$ .

Thm If  $\varphi: D \rightarrow D$  and  $|a| < 1$

and  $|\varphi'(a)|^k > \rho = \text{essential spectral radius of } C_\varphi$

then ①  $\varphi'(a)^k$  is an eigenvalue of  $C_\varphi$  of multiplicity 1  
and has eigenvector  $\sigma^{(k)}$

②  $\overline{\varphi'(a)}^k$  is an eigenvalue of  $C_\varphi^*$  of multiplicity 1

③ 0 is not an eigenvalue of  $C_\varphi$  for  $\varphi$  non-constant

and ④ if  $\varphi$  is not univalent then 0 is an  
eigenvalue of  $C_\varphi^*$  of infinite multiplicity.

Prof ① follows from König's Theorem and the general  
fact that for  $\lambda \in \sigma(A)$   $|\lambda| >$  es. spec rad  $\Rightarrow$   
 $\lambda$  is eigenvalue of  $A$  of  $A^*$   
 $\lambda$  is eigenvalue of  $A^*$   
& both have same finite multiplicity

②

③  $\varphi$  non-constant  $\Rightarrow \varphi(D)$  is open in  $D$   
and  $f \notin \varphi^{-1}(0) \Rightarrow f(\varphi(D)) = 0 \Rightarrow f \equiv 0$

④ Suppose  $\alpha, \beta \in D$  and  $\varphi(\alpha) = \varphi(\beta)$

then  $C_\varphi^*(K_\alpha - K_\beta) = K_{\varphi(\alpha)} - K_{\varphi(\beta)} = 0$

but because  $\varphi$  is open mapping  $\varphi(\alpha) = \varphi(\beta) \Rightarrow \varphi(\alpha) \cap \varphi(\beta)$  is open  
for a neighborhoods of  $\alpha, \beta$  respectively so infinitely many pairs

Example  $\varphi(z) = \frac{z}{z-z}$   $a=0$   $\varphi'(0) = \frac{1}{2}$

$\varphi$  univalent

$$\sigma(C_\varphi) = \{\lambda : |\lambda| \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\} \cup \{1\}$$

$$\|C_\varphi|_{\mathbb{Z}H^2}\| = \|C_\varphi|_{\mathbb{Z}H^2}\|_e = \rho = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

so theorem gives result in this case (as expected)

Moreover, we know in this case  $(C_\varphi|_{\mathbb{Z}H^2})^* \cong \frac{1}{z} C_{\frac{1}{2}z + \frac{1}{2}}$

and this means every point of  $\{\lambda : 0 < |\lambda| < \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\}$   
is an eigenvalue of  $C_\varphi^*$  of infinite multiplicity.

In fact this is not, I think uncommon!

Conjecture: MacCluer-Cassin (v1994)

If the spectrum of  $C_\varphi$  has circular symmetry  
in some part, there is an invariant subspace  
for  $C_\varphi$  or  $C_\varphi^*$  on which the restriction is similar to  
a weighted shift.

Not proved ~~by~~ but proved in some special cases;  
no hints as to an example on which it might be false.

Wahl (1997)  $\varphi(z) = \frac{z^2(1-z)}{1-2cz}$   $c$  such that  $\varphi(D) \rightarrow D$

then  $\varphi(0) = \varphi'(0) = 0$  and  $\varphi(1) = 1, 1 < \varphi'(1) < \infty$

so  $C_\varphi$  not compact.  $\rho = \sqrt{\varphi'(1)} = \|C_\varphi\|_e$

Then ( $M$  Neophytou (2011))

Suppose  $\varphi(z) = a_j z^j + a_{j+1} z^{j+1} + \dots$   $j \geq 2$   $a_j \neq 0$ ,  
and  $\varphi: \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$ .

If there is  $b$  with  $|b|=1$  so that  $b$  is a fixed point of  $\varphi$  with  $\varphi'(b) < \infty$  and [arithmetic hypothesis]  
then  $\{\lambda : |\lambda| < 1/\sqrt{\varphi'(b)}\} \subset \sigma(C_\varphi)$   
and each number in this set is an eigenvalue of infinite multiplicity for  $C_\varphi^*$ .