

## HIGHER-RANK NUMERICAL RANGE IN INFINITE-DIMENSIONAL HILBERT SPACE

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*Abstract.* In this paper we calculate the higher-rank numerical range, as defined by Choi, Kribs and Życzkowski, of selfadjoint operators and of nonunitary isometries on infinite-dimensional Hilbert space.

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