

## ON THE RANGE KERNEL ORTHOGONALITY AND P-SYMMETRIC OPERATORS

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*Abstract.* Let  $H$  be a separable infinite dimensional complex Hilbert space, and let  $L(H)$  denote the algebra of all bounded linear operators on  $H$ . For given  $A \in L(H)$ , we define the derivation  $\delta_A : L(H) \rightarrow L(H)$  by  $\delta_A(X) = AX - XA$ . In this paper we establish the orthogonality of the range  $R(\delta_A)$  and the kernel  $\ker(\delta_A)$  of a derivation  $\delta_A$  induced by a cyclic subnormal operator  $A$ , in the usual sense. We give a version of the Putnam - Fuglede theorem. We establish a short proof of the principal result of F. Wenyng and J. Guoxing in [10]. Related results for P-symmetric operators are also given.

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