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1. There is a fatal gap in the proof of Theorem 3.5 “If an operator  $T$  has the property (II), then  $T$  also has Bishop’s property ( $\beta$ )” in Bishop’s property ( $\beta$ ) for paranormal operators, Operators and Matrices 3 (2009) 517–524.

Let  $D \subset \mathbb{C}$  be an open subset and  $f_n : D \rightarrow \mathcal{H}$  be a sequence of analytic functions such that  $(T - z)f_n(z)$  converges uniformly to 0 on every compact subset of  $D$ . We have to prove that  $f_n(z)$  converges uniformly to 0 on every compact subset of  $D$ .

Our (mistaken) plan is showing that “for any  $0 < \varepsilon < 1$  and any  $z_0 \in D$  there exist  $r > 0$  and  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\overline{B(z_0; r)} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - z_0| < r\} \subset D$  and  $\|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; r)}} \leq \varepsilon$  for all  $n \geq N$ ”.

Let  $0 < \varepsilon < 1$  and  $z_0 \in D$  be given.

(Case 1). Assume there exists  $R > 0$  such that  $\overline{B(z_0; R)} \subset D$  and  $\sup_n \|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; R)}} < \infty$ . Then we have such  $r > 0$  and  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  by using the argument from line 3 to 18 of page 523.

(Case 2). Assume  $\sup_n \|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; R)}} = \infty$  for any  $R > 0$  with  $\overline{B(z_0; R)} \subset D$ . We choose some  $R_1 > 0$  such that  $\overline{B(z_0; R_1)} \subset D$  and consider a sequence  $g_n = f_n / (1 + \|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; R_1)}}) : \overline{B(z_0; R_1)} \rightarrow \mathcal{H}$ . Then  $\sup_n \|g_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; R_1)}} \leq 1$  and  $(T - z)g_n(z)$  converges uniformly to 0 on every compact subsets of  $\overline{B(z_0; R_1)}$ . Then there exist  $0 < r_1 < R_1$  and  $N_1 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\|g_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; r_1)}} \leq \varepsilon$  for all  $n \geq N_1$  by the argument of case 1. We mistook that “this means  $\sup_n \|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; r_1)}} < \infty$  and this contradicts to the assumption of case 2”. But this is not right.

We regret the following mistakes in the above referenced paper.

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EXAMPLE. Let  $f_n(z) = z^n$  for  $z \in \{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w - 2| < 1\} = B(2; 1)$ . Let  $z_0 \in B(2; 1)$  be given. If  $0 < r < 1 - |2 - z_0|$ , we have  $\|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; r)}} = (r + |z_0|)^n$  and  $\sup_n \|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; r)}} = \infty$ . Let  $R_1 = (1 - |z_0 - 2|)/2$  and  $g_n = f_n/(1 + \|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; R_1)}})$ . Let  $r_1 = R_1/2$ . Then  $\|g_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; r_1)}} \rightarrow 0$ , but  $\sup_n \|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; r_1)}} = \infty$ . Hence “ $\|g_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; r_1)}} \rightarrow 0$ ” says nothing about  $\|f_n\|_{\overline{B(z_0; r_1)}}$ .

2. Corollary 3.6 “Every paranormal operator on a complex Hilbert space has Bishop’s property  $(\beta)$ ” should be deleted. This is still an open problem.

3. Theorem 1 “ $k^*$ -paranormal operators have Bishop’s property  $(\beta)$ ” in SVEP and Bishop’s property  $(\beta)$  for  $k^*$ -paranormal operators, Operators and Matrices 5 (2011) 469–472, should be changed as follows “ $k^*$ -paranormal operators have the property (II)”.

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