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## PEXIDER TYPE OPERATORS AND THEIR NORMS IN $X_{\lambda}$ SPACES

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*Abstract.* In this paper, we introduce Pexiderized generalized operators on certain special spaces introduced by Bielecki-Czerwik and investigate their norms.

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### 1. INTRODUCTION

Let X and Y be complex normed spaces. After Czerwik [1], for a fixed nonnegative real number  $\lambda$ , we denote by  $X_{\lambda}$  the linear space of all functions  $f: X \to Y$ (with pointwise operations) for which there exists a constant  $M_f \ge 0$  with

$$\|f(x)\| \leqslant M_f \mathrm{e}^{\lambda \|x\|}$$

for all  $x \in X$ . It is easy to show that the space  $X_{\lambda}$  with the norm

$$||f|| := \sup_{x \in X} \{ e^{-\lambda ||x||} ||f(x)|| \}$$

is a normed space. Let us we denote by  $X_{\lambda}^{n}$  the linear space of all functions  $\varphi$ :  $\underbrace{X \times \ldots \times X}_{n \text{ times}} \to Y$  (with pointwise operations) for which there exists a constant  $M_{\varphi}^{\varphi} \ge 0$  with

$$\|\varphi(x_1,\ldots,x_n)\| \leqslant M_{\varphi} \mathrm{e}^{\lambda \sum\limits_{i=1}^n \|x_i\|}$$

for all  $x_1, \ldots, x_n \in X$ . It is not difficult to show that the space  $X_{\lambda}^n$  with the norm

$$\|\varphi\| := \sup_{x_1,\ldots,x_n \in X} \left\{ \|\varphi(x_1,\ldots,x_n)\| \mathrm{e}^{-\lambda \sum_{i=1}^n \|x_i\|} \right\}$$

is a normed space.

We denote by  $Z_{\lambda}^{m}$  the normed space  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^{m} X_{\lambda} = \{(f_{1}, \ldots, f_{m}): f_{1}, \ldots, f_{m} \in X_{\lambda}\}$ (with pointwise operations) together with the norm

$$||(f_1,\ldots,f_m)|| := \max\{||f_1||,\ldots,||f_m||\}.$$

The norms of the Pexiderized Cauchy, quadratic and Jensen operators on function spaces  $X_{\lambda}$  have been investigated by Czerwik and Dlutek [1], [2]. In [4] Moslehian *et al.* have extended the results of [2] to the Pexiderized generalized Jensen and Pexiderized generalized quadratic operators on function spaces  $X_{\lambda}$  and provided more general results regarding their norms. In the proofs of our results we apply the ideas contained in the paper [2] (see also [1]).

In [3] S.-M. Jung investigated the norm of the cubic operator on the function spaces  $X_{\lambda}$ . In this paper, we introduce Pexiderized generalized operators and investigate their norms. The results extend the results of [2], [3], [4].

#### 2. Main results

**Definition 2.1.** The operator  $E_P^G \colon Z_\lambda^m \to X_\lambda^n$  defined by

$$E_P^G(f_1,\ldots,f_m)(x_1,\ldots,x_n) = \sum_{i=1}^m \alpha_i f_i\left(\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} x_j\right)$$

where  $\alpha_i \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}, \beta_{ij} \in \mathbb{B}^1 := \{\mu \in \mathbb{C} : |\mu| \leq 1\}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq m$  and all  $1 \leq j \leq n$ , is called Pexiderized generalized operator.

The next theorem gives us the norm of  $E_P^G$ .

**Theorem 2.2.** The operator  $E_P^G$  is a bounded linear operator with

$$||E_P^G|| = \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|.$$

Proof. First, we show that  $||E_P^G|| \leq \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|$ . By the assumption we have

$$\max_{1 \leq i \leq m} \left\{ \left\| \sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{ij} x_j \right\| \right\} \leq \sum_{i=1}^{n} \|x_i\|$$

for all  $x_1, \ldots, x_n \in X$ . Therefore

$$\begin{split} \|E_{P}^{G}(f_{1},\ldots,f_{m})\| &= \sup_{x_{1},\ldots,x_{n}\in X} \left\{ \left\| \sum_{i=1}^{m} \alpha_{i}f_{i}\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{ij}x_{j}\right) \right\| e^{-\lambda \sum_{j=1}^{n} \|x_{j}\|} \right\} \\ &\leqslant \sup_{x_{1},\ldots,x_{n}\in X} \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_{i}| \left\| f_{i}\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{ij}x_{j}\right) \right\| e^{-\lambda \left\| \sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{ij}x_{j} \right\|} \right\} \\ &\leqslant \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_{i}| \|f_{i}\| \leqslant \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_{i}| \max\{\|f_{1}\|,\ldots,\|f_{m}\|\} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_{i}| \|(f_{1},\ldots,f_{m})\| \end{split}$$

for any  $(f_1, \ldots, f_m) \in Z^m_{\lambda}$ . This implies that

$$\|E_P^G\| \leqslant \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|.$$

Now, let  $\nu \in Y$  be such that  $\|\nu\| = 1$  and let  $\{\xi_k\}_k$  be a sequence of positive real numbers decreasing to 0. For each positive integer k, and each  $1 \leq i \leq m$ , we define

$$f_{ik}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\overline{\alpha}_i}{|\alpha_i|} e^{n\lambda\xi_k}\nu & \text{if } \|x\| = \xi_k \Big| \sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} \Big|,\\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

for all  $x \in X$ . Then we have

$$\mathbf{e}^{-\lambda \|x\|} \|f_{ik}(x)\| = \begin{cases} \mathbf{e}^{\lambda \xi_k \left(n - \left|\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij}\right|\right)} & \text{if } \|x\| = \xi_k \left|\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij}\right|, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

for all  $x \in X$ , all positive integers k, and all  $1 \leq i \leq m$ . Thus  $f_{ik} \in X_{\lambda}$  for all positive integers k and all  $1 \leq i \leq m$  with

(2.1) 
$$\|f_{ik}\| = e^{\lambda \xi_k \left(n - \left|\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij}\right|\right)}.$$

Let  $u \in X$  be such that ||u|| = 1 and take  $x_1, \ldots, x_n \in X$  as  $x_1 = \ldots = x_n = \xi_k u$ . Then

(2.2) 
$$\|E_P^G(f_{1k},\ldots,f_{mk})\| = \sup_{x_1,\ldots,x_n \in X} \left\{ \left\| \sum_{i=1}^m \alpha_i f_{ik} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} x_j \right) \right\| e^{-\lambda \sum_{j=1}^n \|x_j\|} \right\}$$
$$\ge e^{-n\lambda\xi_k} \left\| \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i| e^{n\lambda\xi_k} \nu \right\| = \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|.$$

If on the contrary  $\|E_P^G\|<\sum\limits_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|,$  then there exists a  $\delta>0$  such that

(2.3) 
$$||E_P^G(f_{1k},\ldots,f_{mk})|| \leq \left(\sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i| - \delta\right) ||(f_{1k},\ldots,f_{mk})||$$

for all positive integers k. So it follows from (2.1), (2.2) and (2.3) that

(2.4) 
$$\sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_i| \leq \|E_P^G(f_{1k}, \dots, f_{mk})\| \leq \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_i| - \delta\right) \max_{1 \leq i \leq m} \|f_{ik}\|$$

for all positive integers k. Since  $\lim_{k\to\infty} ||f_{ik}|| = 1$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq m$ , the right hand side of (2.4) tends to  $\sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_i| - \delta$  as  $k \to \infty$ , whence  $\sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_i| \leq \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_i| - \delta$ , which is a contradiction. Hence,  $||E_P^G|| = \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_i|$ .

Theorem 2.6 of [4] is an alternative result for the following corollary.

**Corollary 2.3.** The Pexiderized generalized Jensen operator  $J_P^{r,s,t}: Z_{\lambda}^3 \to X_{\lambda}^2$  given by

$$J_P^{r,s,t}(f,g,h)(x,y) := f\left(\frac{sx+ty}{r}\right) - \frac{s}{r}g(x) - \frac{t}{r}h(y)$$

where  $r, s, t \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $r \neq 0$  and  $\max\{|s|, |t|\} \leq |r|$ , is a bounded linear operator such that

$$\|J_P^{r,s,t}\| = \frac{|r| + |s| + |t|}{|r|}$$

**Corollary 2.4** [4]. The Pexiderized quadratic operator  $Q_P^G \colon Z_\lambda^4 \to X_\lambda^2$  given by

$$Q_P^G(f, g, h, k)(x, y) := f(x + y) + g(x) - 2h(x) - 2k(y)$$

is a bounded linear operator with  $||Q_P^G|| = 6$ .

**Corollary 2.5** [3]. The Pexiderized cubic operator  $C_P^G: Z_\lambda^5 \to X_\lambda^2$  given by

$$C_P^G(f,g,h,k,l)(x,y) := f(x+y) + g(x-y) - 2h\left(\frac{1}{2}x+y\right) - 2k\left(\frac{1}{2}x-y\right) - 12l\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right)$$

is a bounded linear operator with  $\|C_P^G\| = 18$ .

**Theorem 2.6.** The generalized operator  $E^G: X_{\lambda} \to X_{\lambda}^n$  given by

$$E^G(f)(x_1,\ldots,x_n) = \sum_{i=1}^m \alpha_i f\left(\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} x_j\right)$$

where  $\alpha_i \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}, \beta_{ij} \in \mathbb{B}^1 := \{\mu \in \mathbb{C} : |\mu| \leq 1\}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq m$  and all  $1 \leq j \leq n$ , is a bounded linear operator. Moreover, if  $(\beta_{i1}, \ldots, \beta_{in}) \neq (\beta_{k1}, \ldots, \beta_{kn})$  and there exist  $x_1^*, \ldots, x_n^* \in X$  such that  $\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} x_j^* \neq \sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{kj} x_j^*$  for all  $1 \leq i, k \leq m$  with  $i \neq k$ , then

$$||E^G|| = \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|.$$

Proof. Similarly to the proof of Theorem 2.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |E^{G}(f)| &= \sup_{x_{1},\dots,x_{n}\in X} \left\{ \left\| \sum_{i=1}^{m} \alpha_{i} f\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{ij} x_{j}\right) \right\| e^{-\lambda \sum_{j=1}^{n} ||x_{j}||} \right\} \\ &\leqslant \sup_{x_{1},\dots,x_{n}\in X} \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_{i}| \left\| f\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{ij} x_{j}\right) \right\| e^{-\lambda \sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{ij} x_{j}||} \right\} \\ &\leqslant \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_{i}| \|f\| \end{aligned}$$

for any  $f \in X_{\lambda}$ . So we have

$$||E^G|| \leqslant \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|.$$

Now, suppose that  $\sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{ij} x_j^* \neq \sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{kj} x_j^*$  for all  $1 \leq i, k \leq m$  with  $i \neq k$ . Let  $\nu \in Y$  be such that  $\|\nu\| = 1$  and let  $\{\xi_k\}_k$  be a sequence of positive real numbers decreasing to 0. For each positive integer k, we define

$$f_k(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\overline{\alpha}_i}{|\alpha_i|} e^{\lambda \theta \xi_k} \nu & \text{if } x = \xi_k \sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} x_j^* & \text{for } 1 \leqslant i \leqslant m, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

for all  $x \in X$ , where  $\theta := \sum_{j=1}^{n} \|x_{j}^{*}\|$ . Hence we have

$$\mathbf{e}^{-\lambda \|x\|} \|f_k(x)\| = \begin{cases} \mathbf{e}^{\lambda \xi_k \left(\theta - \left\|\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} x_j^*\right\|\right)} & \text{if } x = \xi_k \sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} x_j^* & \text{for } 1 \leqslant i \leqslant m, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

for all  $x \in X$  and all positive integers k. So that  $f_k \in X_\lambda$  for all positive integers k with

(2.5) 
$$||f_k|| = \max_{1 \le i \le m} e^{\lambda \xi_k \left(\theta - \left\|\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} x_j^*\right\|\right)}$$

Similarly to the proof of Theorem 2.2, take  $x_1, \ldots, x_n \in X$  as  $x_j = \xi_k x_j^*$  for all  $1 \leq j \leq n$ . Then we have

$$\|E^{G}(f_{k})\| = \sup_{x_{1},\dots,x_{n}\in X} \left\{ \left\| \sum_{i=1}^{m} \alpha_{i}f_{k}\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} \beta_{ij}x_{j}\right) \right\| e^{-\lambda \sum_{j=1}^{n} \|x_{j}\|} \right\}$$
$$\geqslant e^{-\lambda\theta\xi_{k}} \left\| \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_{i}| e^{\lambda\theta\xi_{k}} \nu \right\| = \sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_{i}|.$$

If on the contrary  $\|E^G\| < \sum\limits_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|,$  then there exists a  $\delta > 0$  such that

$$||E^G(f_k)|| \leq \left(\sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i| - \delta\right) ||f_k||$$

for all positive integers k. Similarly to the proof of Theorem 2.2, we have

(2.6) 
$$\sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_i| \leq ||E^G(f_k)|| \leq \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m} |\alpha_i| - \delta\right) ||f_k||$$

for all positive integers k. Since  $\lim_{k\to\infty} \xi_k = 0$ , it follows from (2.5) that  $\lim_{k\to\infty} ||f_k|| = 1$ . Then the right hand side of (2.6) tends to  $\sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i| - \delta$  as  $k \to \infty$ , whence  $\sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i| \leq \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i| - \delta$ , which is a contradiction. Hence,  $||E^G|| = \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|$ .

**Corollary 2.7.** Let  $E^G \colon X_{\lambda} \to X_{\lambda}^n$  be an operator given by

$$E^G(f)(x_1,\ldots,x_n) = \sum_{i=1}^m \alpha_i f\left(\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} x_j\right)$$

where  $\alpha_i \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}, \beta_{ij} \in \mathbb{B}^1 := \{\mu \in \mathbb{C} : |\mu| \leq 1\}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq m$  and all  $1 \leq j \leq n$ . If  $(\beta_{i1}, \ldots, \beta_{in}) \neq (\beta_{k1}, \ldots, \beta_{kn})$  and  $\sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{ij} \neq \sum_{j=1}^n \beta_{kj}$  for all  $1 \leq i, k \leq m$  with  $i \neq k$ , then

$$\|E^G\| = \sum_{i=1}^m |\alpha_i|$$

**Corollary 2.8.** The cubic operator  $C^G \colon X_\lambda \to X_\lambda^2$  given by

$$C^{G}(f)(x,y) := f(x+y) + f(x-y) - 2f\left(\frac{1}{2}x+y\right) - 2f\left(\frac{1}{2}x-y\right) - 12f\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right)$$

is a bounded linear operator with  $||C_P^G|| = 18$ .

**Theorem 2.9.** Let  $\alpha_i, \beta_i \in \mathbb{B}^1 := \{\mu \in \mathbb{C} : |\mu| \leq 1\}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq 4$  such that  $\alpha_4 = \beta_3 = 0$  and  $(\alpha_i, \beta_i) \neq (\alpha_j, \beta_j)$  for all  $1 \leq i < j \leq 4$ . Let  $\Lambda : X_\lambda \to X_\lambda^2$  be an operator given by

$$\Lambda(f)(x,y) = \sum_{i=1}^{4} \gamma_i f(\alpha_i x + \beta_i y)$$

where  $\gamma_i \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq 4$ . Then

$$\|\Lambda\| = \sum_{i=1}^4 |\gamma_i|.$$

Proof. Similarly to the proof of Theorem 2.6, we have

$$\|\Lambda\| \leqslant \sum_{i=1}^4 |\gamma_i|.$$

Let  $\eta \in \mathbb{C}$  be such that  $\eta(\beta_i - \beta_j) \neq \alpha_j - \alpha_i$  for all  $1 \leq i, j \leq 4$  with  $i \neq j$ . Let  $u \in X, \nu \in Y$  be such that  $||u|| = ||\nu|| = 1$  and let  $\{\xi_k\}_k$  be a sequence of positive real numbers decreasing to 0. For each positive integer k, we define

$$f_k(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\overline{\gamma}_i}{|\gamma_i|} \mathrm{e}^{\lambda(1+|\eta|)\xi_k}\nu & \text{if } x = \xi_k(\alpha_i + \eta\beta_i)u \text{ for } 1 \leqslant i \leqslant 4, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

for all  $x \in X$ . Therefore we have

$$e^{-\lambda \|x\|} \|f_k(x)\| = \begin{cases} e^{\lambda \xi_k (1+|\eta|-|\alpha_i+\eta\beta_i|)} & \text{if } x = \xi_k (\alpha_i+\eta\beta_i) u \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq 4, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

for all  $x \in X$  and all positive integers k. Thus  $f_k \in X_\lambda$  for all positive integers k with

(2.7) 
$$||f_k|| = \max_{1 \le i \le 4} e^{\lambda \xi_k (1+|\eta|-|\alpha_i+\eta\beta_i|)}.$$

Similarly to the proof of Theorem 2.6, take  $x, y \in X$  as  $x = \xi_k u$  and  $y = \xi_k \eta u$ . Then it is clear that

$$\|\Lambda(f_k)\| \ge \sum_{i=1}^4 |\gamma_i|$$

for all positive integers k. The rest of the proof is similar to the proof of Theorem 2.6.

**Corollary 2.10.** The generalized Jensen operator  $J^{r,s,t}$ :  $X_{\lambda} \to X_{\lambda}^2$  given by

$$J^{r,s,t}(f)(x,y) := f\left(\frac{sx+ty}{r}\right) - \frac{s}{r}f(x) - \frac{t}{r}f(y)$$

where  $r, s, t \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $r \neq 0$  and  $\max\{|s|, |t|\} \leq |r|$ , is a bounded linear operator such that

$$||J^{r,s,t}|| = \frac{|r| + |s| + |t|}{|r|}$$

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