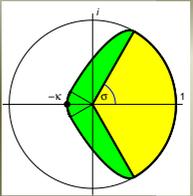


# *Matrix exponentials and normalized numerical range*

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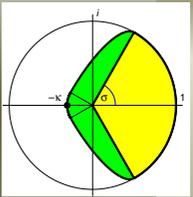
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# Introduction

- ▶ Consider ODE system, constant coefficients

$$u' + Au = f, \quad A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$$

... matrix exponential  $e^{-tA}$

- ▶ Dissipative case:  $-A$  dissipative, i.e.,  $A$  accretive:

$$\operatorname{Re} \langle Au, u \rangle \geq 0 \quad \forall u \in \mathbb{C}^n \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \|e^{-tA}\| \leq 1 \quad \forall t > 0$$

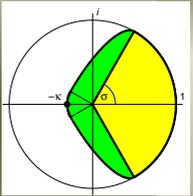
- ▶ ... equivalent to **resolvent condition**

$$\|(zI - A)^{-1}\| \leq \frac{1}{\operatorname{Re} z} \quad \forall z : \operatorname{Re} z < 0$$

- ▶ ? What about

$$\|e^{-tA}\| \leq C \quad \forall t > 0 \quad (C > 1) \quad ?$$

# Kreiss matrix theorem, exponential version



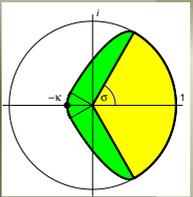
- ▶ Kreiss resolvent condition:

$$\|(zI - A)^{-1}\| \leq \frac{K}{\operatorname{Re} z} \quad \forall z : \operatorname{Re} z < 0,$$

- ▶ with  $K > 1$ , is equivalent to uniformly bounded matrix exponential,

$$\|e^{-tA}\| \leq enK \quad \forall t > 0$$

- ▶ = **quantitative criterion**, similar as in classical KMT (characterization of  $\|A^\nu\| \leq C$ ).
- ▶ Our concern: What is the natural generalization of the notion of accretivity (special case  $K = 1$ ) in the general case  $K > 1$ ?



# Accretivity and [normalized] numerical range $\mathcal{R}_{[N]}(A)$

- ▶ Numerical range  $\mathcal{R}(A)$ :

$$\mathcal{R}(A) := \left\{ \frac{\langle Au, u \rangle}{\langle u, u \rangle} : 0 \neq u \in \mathbb{C}^n \right\}$$

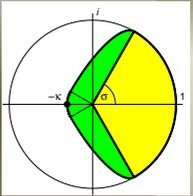
- ▶ Accretivity of  $A$  is equivalent to

$$\mathcal{R}(A) \subseteq \mathbb{C}^+ = \{z : \operatorname{Re} z \geq 0\}$$

- ▶ Now consider **normalized numerical range**  $\mathcal{R}_N(A)$ :

$$\mathcal{R}_N(A) := \left\{ \frac{\langle Au, u \rangle}{\|Au\| \|u\|} : u \in \mathbb{C}^n, Au \neq 0 \right\}$$

... subset of the complex unit circle  
(Cauchy-Schwarz inequality for  $u, Au$ )

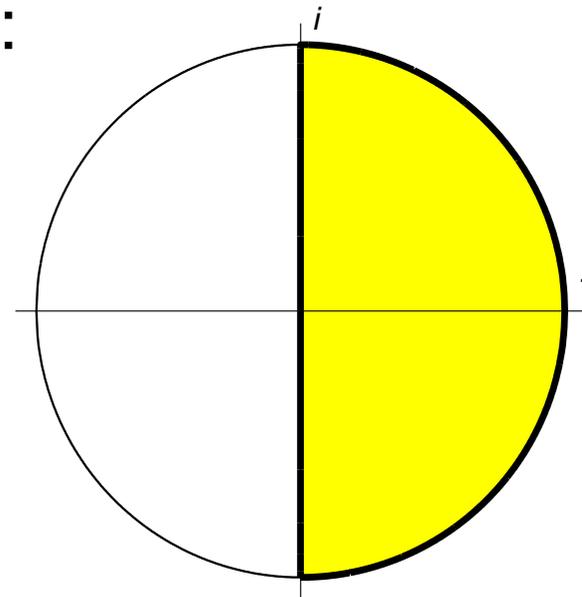


# Accretivity and normalized numerical range $\mathcal{R}_N(A)$

- ▶ Accretivity of  $A$  is equivalent to

$$\mathcal{R}_N(A) \subseteq \mathcal{M}_1 := \{z : |z| \leq 1, \operatorname{Re} z \geq 0\}$$

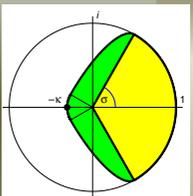
- ▶ The set  $\mathcal{M}_1$  (half moon):



- ▶ ... equivalent to resolvent condition

$$\|(zI - A)^{-1}\| \leq \frac{1}{\operatorname{Re} z} \quad \forall z : \operatorname{Re} z < 0$$

# Kreiss resolvent condition expressed via $\mathcal{R}_N(A)$

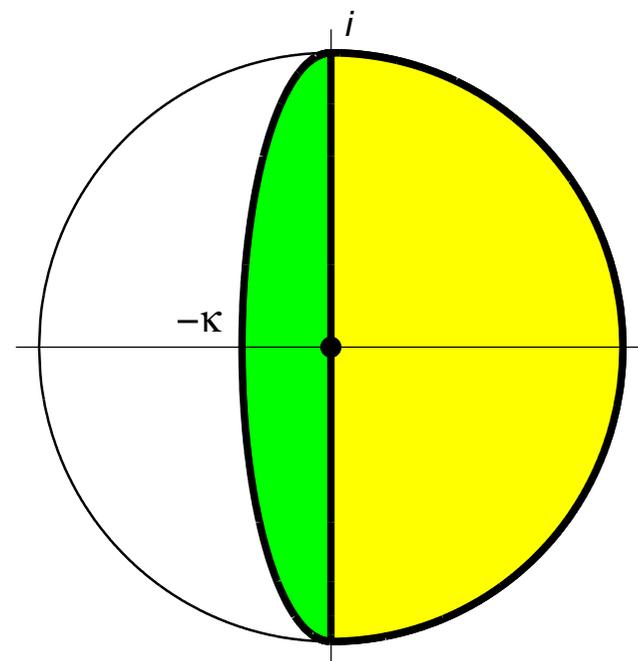


- ▶ Proposition 'M':  
Resolvent estimate in exponential KMT,

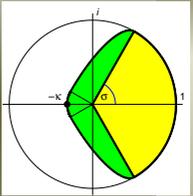
$$\|(zI - A)^{-1}\| \leq \frac{K}{\operatorname{Re} z} \quad \forall z : \operatorname{Re} z < 0,$$

with  $K > 1$ , is equivalent to  $\mathcal{R}_N(A) \subseteq \mathcal{M}_K$

- ▶ The moon-shaped set  $\mathcal{M}_K$ :



- ▶ Note:  $\kappa = \kappa(K) = \sqrt{1 - K^{-2}}$



# Proof of Proposition 'M': Auzinger & Kirlinger (1995)

Idea of proof:

- ▶ Rewrite resolvent condition as

$$\|zu - Au\|^2 \geq \frac{(\operatorname{Re} z)^2}{K^2} \quad \forall z : \operatorname{Re} z < 0, \quad \forall u \in \mathbb{C}^n$$

- ▶ For arbitrary (fixed)  $u \in \mathbb{C}^n$ : Determine

$$z^* := \arg \min_{\operatorname{Re} z < 0} \phi(z; u)$$

where

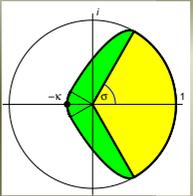
$$\phi(z; u) := \|zu - Au\|^2 - \frac{(\operatorname{Re} z)^2}{K^2}$$

- ▶ Evaluate the inequality  $\phi(z^*; u) \geq 0$

- ▶  $\Rightarrow$  'moon condition' involving  $\mathcal{R}_N(A)$

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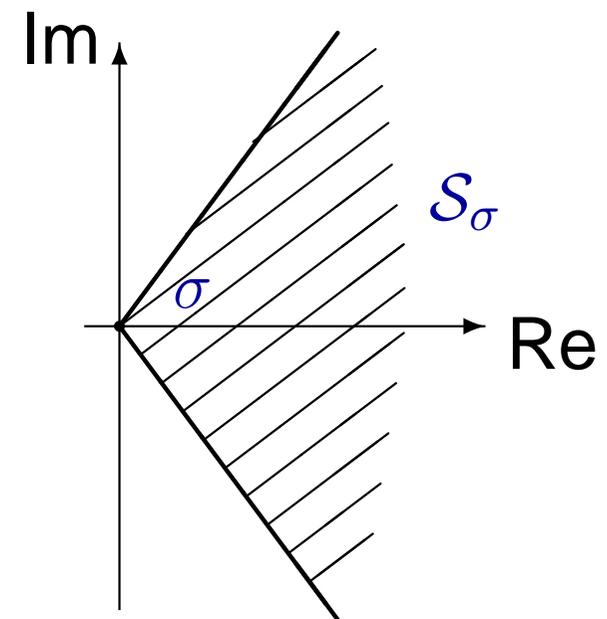
# Sectorial operators



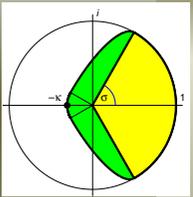
- ▶ Classical definition (Hilbert space setting):

$$A \text{ sectorial} : \iff \mathcal{R}(A) \subseteq \mathcal{S}_\sigma$$

where  $\mathcal{S}_\sigma =$  sector in  $\mathbb{C}^+$ :



- ▶ Typical example:  
[Spatial discretization of] parabolic PDE

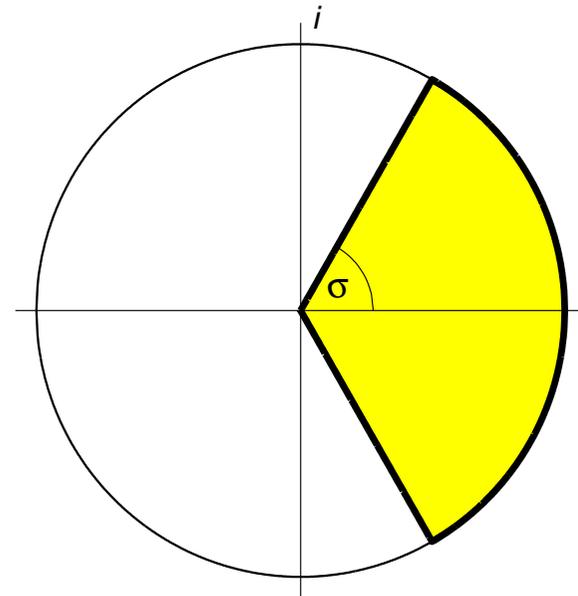


# Sectorial property and $\mathcal{R}_N(A)$

- ▶ Sectorial property of  $A$  is equivalent to

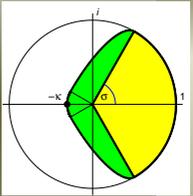
$$\mathcal{R}_N(A) \subseteq \mathcal{A}_{\sigma,1} := \{z : |z| \leq 1, |\text{Arg } z| \leq \sigma\}$$

- ▶ The set  $\mathcal{A}_{\sigma,1}$ :



- ▶ ... equivalent to **resolvent condition**

$$\|(zI - A)^{-1}\| \leq \frac{1}{\text{dist}(z, \mathcal{S}_{\sigma})} \quad \forall z \notin \mathcal{S}_{\sigma},$$



## Sectorial operators (2)

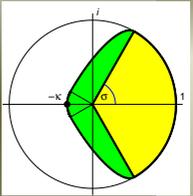
- ▶ Consider linear operators  $A$  satisfying resolvent estimate

$$\|(zI - A)^{-1}\| \leq \frac{K}{\text{dist}(z, \mathcal{S}_\sigma)} \quad \forall z \notin \mathcal{S}_\sigma,$$

with  $K > 1$

- ▶ ... = general sector condition
- ▶ ...  $A$  not accretive in general, but shares most properties of conventional sectorial operators (smoothing behavior)
- ▶ Numerical analysis of time integration methods for  $u' + Au = f$  is strongly based on resolvent estimate  
... value of  $K$  not essential

# General sector condition expressed via $\mathcal{R}_N(A)$

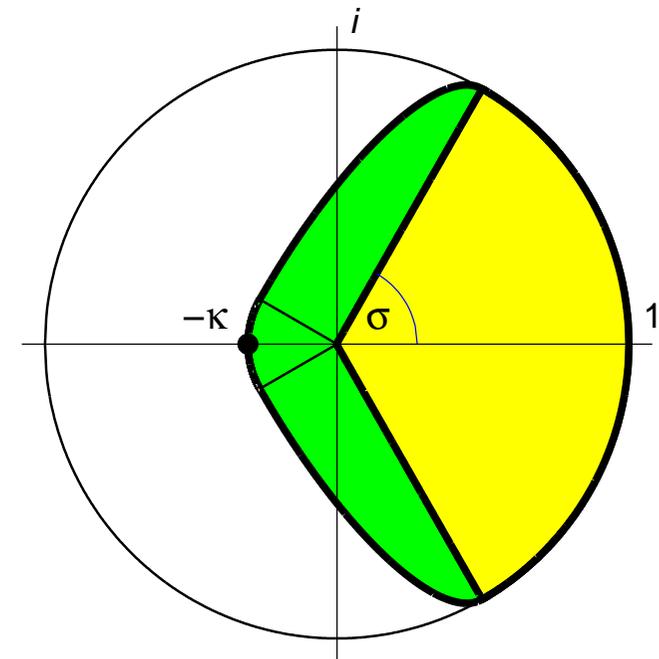


- ▶ Proposition 'A':  
Resolvent estimate in general sectorial property,

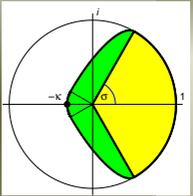
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with  $K > 1$ , is equivalent to  $\mathcal{R}_N(A) \subseteq \mathcal{A}_{\sigma, K}$

- ▶ The axe-shaped set  $\mathcal{A}_{\sigma, K}$ :



- ▶ Note:  $\kappa = \kappa(K) = \sqrt{1 - K^{-2}}$



# Remarks

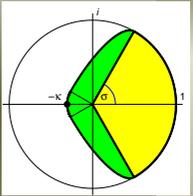
- ▶ Proof of Proposition 'A' (Auzinger (2003)) : extension of above proof for Proposition 'M'
- ▶ ... **strengthened Cauchy-Schwarz inequality** valid for all pairs  $u, Au$  ( $u \in \mathbb{C}^n$ )
- ▶ Numerical calculation of  $\mathcal{R}_N(A)$  (Auzinger (2003)) : generalization of the procedure given in Gustafson & Rao (1991) for  $\mathcal{R}(A)$  (scan boundary); more expensive in general
- ▶ Results extend to general Hilbert space context
- ▶ Example to follow: Spatial discretization of convection/diffusion operator

$$-u'' - \beta u'$$

with downstream BDF2 formula for first derivative

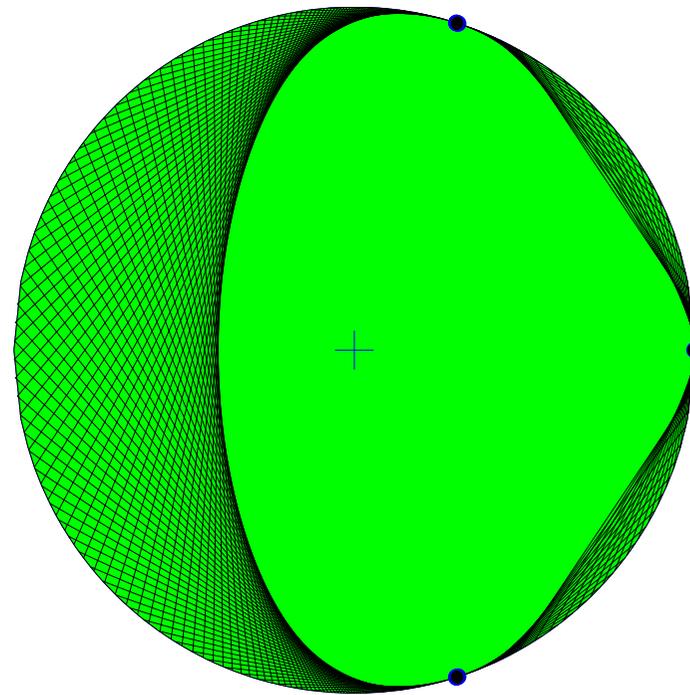




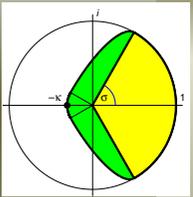


## Example 2 (continued)

Inclusion for  $\mathcal{R}_{\mathcal{N}}(A_2)$ :

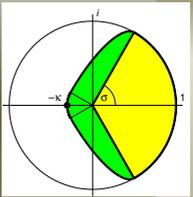


$\Rightarrow A_2$  is sectorial,  $K > 1$



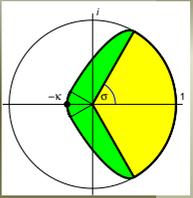
# Conclusion (1)

- ▶ **Numerical range**  $\mathcal{R}(A)$ :  
Important object in stability theory for matrix exponentials, matrix powers, . . .
- ▶ Criteria involving  $\mathcal{R}(A)$  are usually equivalent to certain **resolvent estimates** valid outside  $\mathcal{R}(A)$
- ▶ (Generalized) resolvent estimates can be rewritten as certain **strengthened Cauchy-Schwarz inequalities** valid for all pairs  $u, Au$  ( $u \in \mathbb{C}^n$ )
- ▶ These involve  $\langle Au, u \rangle / \langle u, u \rangle$  as well as  $\|Au\| / \|u\|$
- ▶ This talk: Consider  $\mathcal{R}_{\mathcal{N}}(A)$  instead of  $\mathcal{R}(A)$



## Conclusion (2)

- ▶ Other example: Classical **Kreiss Matrix Theorem** characterizing bounded matrix powers,  $\|A^\nu\| \leq C$ :  
Kreiss resolvent condition is again equivalent to a strengthened Cauchy-Schwarz inequality (Auzinger & Kirlinger (1995))
- ▶ ... useful for numerical investigations
- ▶ ? useful ? for theoretical investigations (?)
- ▶ Questions worth studying:
  - Other resolvent conditions
  - Connection with pseudospectra



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