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Pseudospectra of special operators and Pseudosectrum preservers

Denote by  $\mathcal{B}(H)$  the Banach algebra of all bounded linear operators on a complex Hilbert space H. Let  $A \in \mathcal{B}(H)$ , and denote by  $\sigma(A)$  the spectrum of A. For  $\varepsilon > 0$ , define the  $\varepsilon$ -pseudospectrum  $\sigma_{\varepsilon}(A)$  of A as

$$\sigma_{\varepsilon}(A) = \{ z \in \sigma(A+E) : E \in \mathcal{B}(H), \|E\| < \varepsilon \}.$$

In this talk, the pseudospectra of several special classes of operators are characterized. As an application, complete descriptions are given of the maps of  $\mathcal{B}(H)$  leaving invariant the pseudospectra of  $A \bullet B$  for different kind of binary operations  $\bullet$  on operators such as the difference A - B, the operator product AB, and the Jordan product AB + BA.