

MIXED C -COSINE OF CONTINUOUS LINEAR OPERATORS ON COMPLEX p -BANACH SPACES

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ABSTRACT. In the present work, we define and examine the mixed C -cosine families of continuous linear operators on complex p -Banach spaces where $0 < p < 1$. Finally, we will demonstrate several results on the mixed C -cosine families of continuous linear operators on complex p -Banach spaces where $0 < p < 1$. Finally, we give an application related to the second order abstract Cauchy problem.

1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

S. G. Gal and J. A. Goldstein [3] started the study of semigroups of continuous linear operators on complex p -Banach spaces where $0 < p < 1$. They presented several applications of the results in [3]. There are numerous studies on p -Banach spaces, see, e.g., [1, -9, 11].

In this article, we define and study the mixed C -cosine families of continuous linear operators on p -Banach spaces where p is a real number such that $0 < p < 1$. We prove several results related to this class of operators. We recall a few preliminaries.

Definition 1.1. [1, 7, 11] Let \mathcal{F} be a vector space over \mathbb{K} ($=\mathbb{R}$ or \mathbb{C}) and $0 < q \leq 1$ be a fixed real number. A q -norm on \mathcal{F} is a function $\|\cdot\|_q : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$ such that

- (i) For all $u \in \mathcal{F}$, $\|u\|_q = 0$ if and only if $u = 0$;
- (ii) For any $u \in \mathcal{F}$ and $b \in \mathbb{K}$, $\|bu\|_q = |b|^q \|u\|_q$;
- (iii) For each $u, w \in \mathcal{F}$, $\|u + w\|_q \leq \|u\|_q + \|w\|_q$.

The pair $(\mathcal{F}, \|\cdot\|_q)$ is called q -normed space.

Definition 1.2. [1] A complete q -normed space will be called a q -Banach space.

Definition 1.3. [1] Let $(\mathcal{F}, \|\cdot\|_q)$ be a q -Banach space.

- (i) A sequence $(u_n) \subset \mathcal{F}$ is called converge to $u \in \mathcal{F}$, designated by $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = u$, if $\|u_n - u\|_q \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.
- (ii) A sequence $(u_n) \subset \mathcal{F}$ is called Cauchy sequence, if $\|u_n - u_m\|_q \rightarrow 0$ as $m, n \rightarrow \infty$.
- (iii) A subset $M \subseteq \mathcal{F}$ is called complete if all Cauchy sequence in M converges in M .
- (iv) A subset $M \subseteq \mathcal{F}$ is called bounded if there exists a real number $k > 0$ such that $\|u\|_q \leq k$ for any $u \in M$.

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Definition 1.4. [8] Let $(\mathcal{F}, \|\cdot\|_q)$ be a q -normed space and let S be a linear operator on \mathcal{F} . The operator S is continuous if and only if there exists a constant $M > 0$ such that

$$(1.1) \quad \|Su\|_q \leq M\|u\|_q,$$

for all $u \in \mathcal{F}$. The collection $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ denotes the set of any continuous linear operators on \mathcal{F} .

Definition 1.5. [8] Let $(\mathcal{F}, \|\cdot\|_q)$ be a q -normed space. Let $S \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$, we define

$$\|S\|_q = \sup_{u \in \mathcal{F} \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\|Su\|_q}{\|u\|_q}.$$

So, $(\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F}), \|\cdot\|_q)$ is a quasi-normed space.

Remark 1.6. [8] Let $(\mathcal{F}, \|\cdot\|_q)$ be a q -normed space. If $S \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$, then

$$\|S\|_q = \sup_{u \in \mathcal{F}: \|u\|_q=1} \|Su\|_q.$$

Definition 1.7. Let $(\mathcal{F}, \|\cdot\|_q)$ be a q -normed space. Let $S \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$, we have

- (i) S is called one-to-one if $N(S) = \{0\}$.
- (ii) S is called onto if $R(S) = \mathcal{F}$.
- (iii) S is called invertible if S is one-to-one and onto.

Definition 1.8. Let $(\mathcal{F}, \|\cdot\|_q)$ be a q -normed space and $S \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$. If S is invertible, then there exists a unique continuous linear operator denoted $S^{-1} : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ called the inverse of S such that $SS^{-1} = S^{-1}S = I_{\mathcal{F}}$, where $I_{\mathcal{F}} : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ is the identity operator.

Proposition 1.9. Let $(\mathcal{F}, \|\cdot\|_q)$ be a complex q -normed space.

- (i) If $S, B \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ and $b \in \mathbb{C}$, then $S + bB \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$.
- (ii) If $(\mathcal{F}, \|\cdot\|_q)$ is complete, then $(\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F}), \|\cdot\|_q)$ is a complete quasi-normed space.

Definition 1.10. [3] Let \mathcal{F} be a q -Banach space. A family $(J(t))_{t \geq 0}$ of continuous linear operators on \mathcal{F} is said to be semigroup if

- (i) $J(0) = I$,
- (ii) For any $t, s \geq 0$, $J(t+s) = J(t)J(s)$.

The semigroup $(J(t))_{t \geq 0}$ is said to C_0 -semigroup if for any $x \in \mathcal{F}$, $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \|J(t)x - x\| = 0$. The semigroup $(J(t))_{t \geq 0}$ is said to be strongly continuous if for each $x \in \mathcal{F}$, $J(\cdot)x : \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ is continuous.

A semigroup of continuous linear operators $(J(t))_{t \geq 0}$ is uniformly continuous if $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \|J(t) - I\| = 0$. The linear operator S defined by

$$D(S) = \{x \in \mathcal{F} : \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(t)x - x}{t} \text{ exists}\}$$

and

$$Sx = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(t)x - x}{t}, \text{ for any } x \in D(S)$$

is called the infinitesimal generator of the semigroup $(J(t))_{t \geq 0}$.

Theorem 1.11. [3] Let \mathcal{F} be a q -Banach space where $0 < q < 1$ and let $S \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$. If we define $J_m(t)(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{t^k S^k(x)}{k!}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $x \in X$, $t \in \mathbb{R}$, then $(J_m(t)(x))_m$ is a Cauchy sequence in X , that is convergent.

Corollary 1.12. [3] The sequence $J_m(t)(x) : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$, $J_m(t)(x) \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$, $m \in \mathbb{N}$ is a Cauchy sequence and therefore it is convergent in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$. Its limit is denoted by

$$e^{tS}x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^k S^k(x)}{k!}.$$

Theorem 1.13. [3] If we denote $J(t) = e^{tS}$, $t \in \mathbb{R}$, then the following properties hold:

- (i) $J(t) \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$, for any $t \in \mathbb{R}$ and $J(t+s) = J(t)J(s)$ for any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$.
- (ii) The limit

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left\| \frac{J(h)(x) - x}{h} - S(x) \right\| = 0$$

exists for any $x \in \mathcal{F}$.

- (iii) $J(t)$ is continuous as a function of $t \in \mathbb{R}$ to $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ and $J(0) = I$. Also, $J(t)$ is differentiable and

$$\frac{dJ(t)}{dt}x = SJ(t)x = J(t)Sx$$

for any $t \in \mathbb{R}$.

2. MAIN RESULTS

Definition 2.1. Let \mathcal{F} be a q -Banach space. A family $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ of continuous linear operators on \mathcal{F} is said to be C_0 -cosine family if

- (i) $J(0) = I$,
- (ii) For any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(t+s) + J(t-s) = 2J(t)J(s)$,
- (iii) For each $x \in \mathcal{F}$, $J(\cdot)x : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ is continuous.

The linear operator S defined by

$$D(S) = \{x \in \mathcal{F} : \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(t)x - x}{t^2} \text{ exists in } X\}$$

and

$$Sx = 2 \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(t)x - x}{t^2}, \text{ for any } x \in D(S)$$

is called the infinitesimal generator of the C_0 -cosine family $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$.

2.1. Mixed C -cosine families of operators in p -Banach space. In this paper, $C \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ is an injective bounded operator. We have:

Definition 2.2. A family $(L(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}} \subset \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ on the p -Banach space \mathcal{F} is called a C -cosine family if

- (i) $L(0) = C$;
- (ii) For all $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $C((L(t+s) + L(t-s))) = 2L(t)L(s)$;
- (iii) For each $x \in \mathcal{F}$, $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow L(t)x$ is continuous on \mathbb{R} .

The linear operator L defined by

$$D(L) = \{x \in \mathcal{F} : \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} 2 \frac{L(t)x - Cx}{t^2} \text{ exists in } R(C)\},$$

and

$$\text{for any } x \in D(L), Lx = C^{-1} \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} 2 \frac{L(t)x - Cx}{t^2},$$

is called the infinitesimal generator of $(L(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$.

Definition 2.3. A family $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}} \subset \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ is said to satisfy H - C -generalized cosine family on the p -Banach space \mathcal{F} if

$$\text{for all } t, s \in \mathbb{R}, C(J(s+t) + J(s-t)) = H(J(s), J(t)),$$

where $H : \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F}) \times \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F}) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ is a function.

Remark 2.4. If $H(J(s), J(t)) = 2J(s)J(t)$ and $J(0) = C$, $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family of continuous linear operators on \mathcal{F} .

We have the following definition.

Definition 2.5. A family $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}} \subset \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ is called H - C -cosine family or generalized C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} if

- (i) $J(0) = C$,
- (ii) For any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\begin{aligned} C(J(s+t) + J(s-t)) &= H(J(s), J(t)) \\ &= 2J(s)J(t) + 2D(J(s) - L(s))(J(t) - L(t)) \end{aligned}$$

where $(L(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family of infinitesimal generator L_0 and $D \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$.

- (iii) For all $x \in \mathcal{F}$, $S(\cdot)x : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ is continuous on \mathbb{R} .

The linear operator J defined by

$$D(J) = \{x \in \mathcal{F} : 2C^{-1} \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(t)x - Cx}{t^2} \text{ exists in } R(C)\}$$

and

$$\text{for any } x \in D(J), Jx = 2C^{-1} \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(t)x - Cx}{t^2},$$

is called the infinitesimal generator of the H - C -cosine family $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$.

Remark 2.6. Let $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be a generalized C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} , if $D = 0$, then $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} .

Utilizing Definition 2.5, when $D = \alpha I$ for $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$, we have.

Definition 2.7. A family $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is called mixed C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} if

- (i) $J(0) = C$;
- (ii) For any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\begin{aligned} C(J(s+t) + J(s-t)) &= H(J(s), J(t)) \\ &= 2J(s)J(t) + 2\alpha(J(s) - L(s))(J(t) - L(t)) \end{aligned}$$

where $(L(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family with the infinitesimal generator L_0 and $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$.

- (iii) For each $x \in \mathcal{F}$, $J(\cdot)x : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ is continuous on \mathbb{R} .

The linear operator J defined by

$$D(J) = \{x \in \mathcal{F} : 2C^{-1} \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(t)x - Cx}{t^2} \text{ exists}\}$$

and

$$\text{for any } x \in D(J), Jx = 2C^{-1} \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(t)x - Cx}{t^2},$$

is called the infinitesimal generator of the H - C -cosine family $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$.

2.2. Question. Can we characterize the infinitesimal generator of a mixed C -cosine family of continuous linear operators on complex p -Banach space?

Remark 2.8. Let $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be a mixed C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} , if $\alpha = 0$, then $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} .

Example 2.9. Let $J_0, J, C \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ such that $J_0 J = J J_0$, $J_0 C = C J_0$ and $C J = J C$. Put

$$\text{for any } t \in \mathbb{R}, J(t) = C \cosh(tJ) + t(J_0 - J)C \sinh(tJ),$$

where $\cosh(tJ) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{t^{2n}}{(2n)!} J^{2n}$ and $\sinh(tJ) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{t^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} J^{2n+1}$. It is easy to see that the following statements hold:

- (i) If $\alpha = -1$, then $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a mixed C -cosine family with $C(t) = C \cosh(tJ)$.
- (ii) If $\alpha = -1$, then for each $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(s)J(t) = J(t)J(s)$.

We have the following lemma.

Lemma 2.10. Let $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be an H - C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} , then for any $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(-t) = J(t)$.

Proof. Obvious. □

The following proposition gives a condition for which an H - C -cosine family commute.

Proposition 2.11. Let $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be an H - C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} such that $I + D$ is injective and for any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $L(s)J(t) = J(t)L(s)$, then for each $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(s)J(t) = J(t)J(s)$.

Proof. Presume that $I + D$ is injective and for any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $L(s)J(t) = J(t)L(s)$, then for any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\begin{aligned} 2J(s)J(t) + 2D\left(J(s) - L(s)\right)\left(J(t) - L(t)\right) &= C(J(s+t) + J(s-t)) \\ &= C(J(t+s) + J(t-s)) \\ &= 2J(t)J(s) \\ &\quad + 2D\left(J(t) - L(t)\right) \\ &\quad \times \left(J(s) - L(s)\right). \end{aligned}$$

Hence $(I + D)\left(J(t)J(s) - J(s)J(t)\right) = 0$, thus for any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(s)J(t) = J(t)J(s)$. □

We have the following theorem.

Proposition 2.12. Let $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be an H - C -cosine commuting family on \mathcal{F} of infinitesimal generator J with $(L(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be a C -cosine family such that for any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $L(s)J(t) = J(t)L(s)$. If $x \in D(J)$, then for any $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(t)x, L(t)x \in D(J)$ and $JJ(t)x = J(t)Jx$ and $JL(t)x = L(t)Jx$.

Proof. Let $x \in D(J)$ and let $s \in \mathbb{R}^*$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$. It is easy to see that

$$(2.1) \quad 2\left(\frac{J(s)J(t)x - CJ(t)x}{s^2}\right) = 2J(t)\left(\frac{J(s)x - Cx}{s^2}\right) \rightarrow CJ(t)Jx \text{ as } s \rightarrow 0.$$

Consequently, for any $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(t)x \in D(J)$ and $JJ(t)x = J(t)Jx$.

Let $x \in D(J)$ and let $s \in \mathbb{R}^*$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$. Then

$$(2.2) \quad 2\left(\frac{J(s)L(t)x - CL(t)x}{s^2}\right) = 2L(t)\left(\frac{J(s)x - Cx}{s^2}\right) \rightarrow CL(t)Jx \text{ as } s \rightarrow 0.$$

Consequently, for any $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $L(t)x \in D(J)$ and $JL(t)x = L(t)Jx$. □

For $\alpha \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{-1\}$, put $J_1 = (1 + \alpha)J - \alpha J_0$ where J_0 is the infinitesimal generator of the C -cosine family $(L(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ and J is the infinitesimal generator of the mixed C -cosine family $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$.

Theorem 2.13. Let $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be a mixed C -cosine family of infinitesimal generator J on \mathcal{F} with $(L(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family of infinitesimal generator J_0 and $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}_p \setminus \{-1\}$. Set $L_1(t)x = (1 + \alpha)J(t)x - \alpha L(t)x$, $x \in \mathcal{F}$, then $\{L_1(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family whose infinitesimal generator is an extension of J_1 . Furthermore, for any $x \in \mathcal{F}$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$J(t)x = \frac{1}{1 + \alpha}L_1(t)x + \frac{\alpha}{1 + \alpha}L(t)x.$$

Proof.

(i) We get $L_1(0)x = (1 + \alpha)S(0)x - \alpha C(0)x = C$.

(ii) For any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $x \in \mathcal{F}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} CL_1(s+t)x + CL_1(s-t)x &= (1 + \alpha)C(J(s+t) + J(s-t))x \\ &\quad - \alpha C(L(s+t) + L(s-t))x \\ &= (1 + \alpha)(2J(s)J(t) + 2\alpha(J(s) - L(s)) \times \\ &\quad (J(t) - L(t)))x - 2\alpha L(s)L(t)x \\ &= 2(1 + \alpha)J(s)J(t)x + 2\alpha(1 + \alpha)J(s)J(t)x \\ &\quad - 2\alpha(1 + \alpha)J(s)L(t)x - 2\alpha(1 + \alpha)L(s)J(t)x \\ &\quad + 2\alpha(1 + \alpha)L(s)L(t)x - 2\alpha L(s)L(t)x \\ &= 2(1 + \alpha)^2 J(s)J(t)x - 2\alpha(1 + \alpha)J(s)L(t)x \\ &\quad - 2\alpha(1 + \alpha)L(s)J(t)x + 2\alpha(1 + \alpha)L(s)L(t)x \\ &\quad - 2\alpha L(s)L(t)x \\ &= 2((1 + \alpha)J(s) - \alpha L(s))((1 + \alpha)J(t) - \alpha L(t))x \\ &= 2L_1(s)L_1(t)x. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, $L_1(0)x = (1 + \alpha)Cx - \alpha Cx = Cx$. Then $(L_1(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} . Utilizing $(L(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ and $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ are continuous, hence $(L_1(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is continuous. So, $(L_1(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} .

(iii) Now, we show an extension of J_1 is the infinitesimal generator of $\{L_1(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$. Let B be the infinitesimal generator of $\{L_1(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$. For $x \in D(L_1) = D(J) \cap D(J_0)$. Utilizing definition of $D(J)$ and $D(J_0)$, we get

$$2 \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{J(t)x - Cx}{t^2} \right) = CJx \text{ and } 2 \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{L(t)x - Cx}{t^2} \right) = CJ_0x. \text{ So}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{L_1(t)x - Cx}{t^2} \right) &= 2 \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{(1 + \alpha)J(t)x - \alpha L(t)x - Cx}{t^2} \right) \\ &= 2(1 + \alpha) \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{J(t)x - Cx}{t^2} \right) - 2\alpha \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{L(t)x - Cx}{t^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

exists in $R(C)$. It follows that $x \in D(B)$ and $J_1(x) = Bx$. Then an extension of J_1 is the infinitesimal generator of $(L_1(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$. \square

Proposition 2.14. Let $(J(t))_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be a mixed C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} with $\alpha \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{-1\}$ such that for any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $C(s)J(t) = J(t)C(s)$, then for all $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(s)J(t) = J(t)J(s)$.

Proof. Presume that for any $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $C(s)J(t) = J(t)C(s)$, then for all $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\begin{aligned} 2J(s)J(t) + 2\alpha(J(s) - C(s))(J(t) - C(t)) &= C(J(s+t) + J(s-t)) \\ &= J(t+s) + J(t-s) \\ &= 2J(t)J(s) \end{aligned}$$

$$+2\alpha(J(t) - C(t)) \times \\ (J(s) - C(s)).$$

Thus, $(1 + \alpha)(J(t)J(s) - J(s)J(t)) = 0$. Then, for all $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(s)J(t) = J(t)J(s)$. □

Let $\{J(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be a mixed C -cosine family of infinitesimal generator J with $\{L(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family of infinitesimal generator J_0 with $\alpha \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{-1\}$.

Theorem 2.15. Let $\{J(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be a mixed C -cosine family of infinitesimal generator J with $\{L(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be a C -cosine family with $\alpha \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{-1\}$ such that for all $t, s \in \mathbb{R}$, $L(s)J(t) = J(t)L(s)$. If $x \in D(J)$, then for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(t)x, L(t)x \in D(J)$, $JJ(t)x = J(t)Jx$ and $JL(t)x = L(t)Jx$.

Proof. Let $x \in D(J)$ and let $s \in \mathbb{R}^*$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$. Utilizing Proposition 2.14, $J(t)J(s) = J(s)J(t)$ so

$$2 \left(\frac{J(s)J(t)x - CJ(t)x}{s^2} \right) = 2J(t) \left(\frac{J(s)x - Cx}{s^2} \right) \rightarrow CJ(t)Jx \text{ as } s \rightarrow 0.$$

Consequently, $J(t)Jx \in D(J)$ and $JJ(t)x = J(t)Jx$.

Let $x \in D(J)$ and let $s \in \mathbb{R}_+^*$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$. So

$$2 \left(\frac{J(s)L(t)x - CL(t)x}{s^2} \right) = 2L(t) \left(\frac{J(s)x - Cx}{s^2} \right) \rightarrow CL(t)Jx \text{ as } s \rightarrow 0.$$

Consequently, $L(t)x \in D(J)$ and $JL(t)x = L(t)Jx$. □

Put $L_1 = (1 + D)J - DL_0$, where $D \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ and L_0 is the infinitesimal generator of the C -cosine family $\{L(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ and J is the infinitesimal generator of an H - C -cosine family $\{J(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$, analogous the proof of Theorem 2.13, we get with the next theorem.

Theorem 2.16. Let $\{J(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ be a commuting H - C -cosine family on \mathcal{F} with for any $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $DL(s) = L(s)D$ and $DJ(s) = J(s)D$. Put for any $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $L_1(t) = (I + D)J(t) - DL(t)$, we have

- (i) $\{L_1(t)\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a C -cosine family whose infinitesimal generator is an extension of L_1 .
- (ii) If $I + D$ is invertible, then for any $x \in \mathcal{F}$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$J(t)x = (1 + D)^{-1}L_1(t)x + D(I + D)^{-1}L(t)x.$$

We finish with an application related to the following second order abstract Cauchy problem in a p -Banach space.

Application. Set for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $J(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^{2n}}{(2n)!} CJ_0^n$ where $J_0, C \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{F})$ such that C is injective and $J_0C = CJ_0$, then $u(t) = J(t)x$ is a solution of the homogeneous second differential equation given by

$$\frac{d^2u(t)}{dt^2} = J_0u(t), u'(0) = 0, t \in \mathbb{R},$$

and $u(0) = x$ and $x \in \mathcal{F}$.

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