## Operator equalities as means for the study of singular integral operators with Carleman shift

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In the article [1,2] we obtained a direct relation between singular integral operators A with a model involution and matrix characteristic singular integral operators: for an orientation-preserving shift it is a similarity transform  $\mathcal{F}A\mathcal{F}^{-1}$  and for an orientation-reversing shift it is a transform by two invertible operators  $\mathcal{H}A\mathcal{E}$ . We will refer to the formulas as operator equalities.

Different applications of operator equalities to singular integral operators and to boundary value problems are considered.

In particular, in the space  $L_2(\Gamma)$  we study a structure of the kernel of singular integral operators with involution

$$A_{\Gamma} = a_{\Gamma} I_{\Gamma} + c_{\Gamma} S_{\Gamma} + b_{\Gamma} W_{\Gamma} + d_{\Gamma} S_{\Gamma} W_{\Gamma},$$

where  $\Gamma$  is the unit circle  $\mathbb{T}$  o the real axis  $\mathbb{R}$ , coefficients are bounded measurable functions on  $\Gamma$ ;  $(W_{\Gamma}\varphi)(t) = \varphi(-t)$ ,  $(I_{\Gamma}\varphi)(t) = \varphi(t)$ ,  $S_{\Gamma}$  is the Cauchy singular integral operator.

[1] A. A. Karelin, On a relation between singular integral operators with a Carleman linear-fractional shift and matrix characteristic operators without s hift, Boletin Soc. Mat. Mexicana Vol. 7 No. 12 (2001), pp. 235–246.

[2] A. Karelin, Aplications of operator equalities to singular integral operators and to Riemann boundary value problems, Math. Nachr. Vol. 280 No. 9-10 (2007), pp. 1108–1117.

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