

# Domination in Krein Spaces

M. Wojtylak

Let the operator  $A$  be symmetric in a Krein space  $\mathcal{K}$ , and let  $(S_n)_{n=0}^\infty \subseteq \mathbf{B}(\mathcal{K})$  be a sequence tending to  $I_{\mathcal{K}}$  in the weak operator topology. Our main result says that if the operators  $S_n A - A S_n$  and  $A S_n^+$  are densely defined for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \|A S_n - S_n A\| < +\infty$$

then  $A$  is selfadjoint in  $\mathcal{K}$ . We consider various examples of the sequence  $(S_n)_{n=0}^\infty$ . For instance, we take  $S_n = (-z_n)^m (S - z_n)^{-m}$ , where  $S$  is a selfadjoint operator such that  $S^m$  dominates  $A$ , i.e.  $\mathcal{D}(S^m) \subseteq \mathcal{D}(A)$ . In this way we generalize some results from [1] onto Krein spaces and also obtain a new criteria for selfadjointness in a Hilbert spaces.

[1] D. Cichoń, J. Stochel, F.H. Szafraniec, Noncommuting domination, *Oper. Theory Adv. Appl.* 154 (2004), 19-33 .

[2] M. Wojtylak, Noncommuting domination in Krein spaces via commutators of block operator matrices, (to appear).