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Abstract: We provide representations for the generalized Drazin inverse of an anti-triangular matrix of the form $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ in a Banach algebra \mathcal{A} , under the condition that $ab = ba$. Specifically, we present the representation of Drazin inverse for these types of anti-triangular matrices in Banach algebras.

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1. Introduction

Let \mathcal{A} be an is a Banach algebra with identity 1. An element $a \in \mathcal{A}$ has generalized Drazin inverse (g-Drazin inverse) if there exists $x \in \mathcal{A}$ such that

$$ax^2 = x, ax = xa, a - xa^2 \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}.$$

If such an x exists, it is unique and is denoted by a^d . Here, $\mathcal{A}^{qnil} = \{x \in \mathcal{A} \mid 1 + \lambda x \in \mathcal{A} \text{ is invertible for all } \lambda \in \mathbb{C}\}$. It is well known that $x \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}$ if and only if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x^n\|^{\frac{1}{n}} = 0$. If we replace the quasinilpotent set \mathcal{A}^{qnil} with the set of all nilpotent elements in \mathcal{A} , we refer to the unique x as the Drazin inverse of a , and denote it by a^D . Both the Drazin and g-Drazin inverses play significant roles in ring and matrix theory (see [5]).

It is intriguing to investigate the Drazin and g-Drazin inverses of the anti-triangular matrix $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{A})$. One motivation for exploring this problem is the quest for a closed-form solution to systems of second-order linear differential equations, which can be expressed in the following vector-valued form: $Ax(t) + Bx(t) + Cx(t) = 0$ where $A, B, C \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ (with A being potentially singular) and x is an \mathbb{C}^n -valued function. Clearly, the solutions to singular systems of differential equations are determined by the Drazin inverse of the aforementioned anti-triangular matrix M (see [2,3]). Although the Drazin and g-Drazin inverses of anti-triangular matrices are valuable tools in the context of differential equations, finding representations for such generalized inverses remains a challenging task.

In 2005, Castro-González and Dopazo gave the representations of the Drazin inverse for a class of complex matrix $\begin{pmatrix} I & F \\ I & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ (see [9] [Theorem 3.3]).

In 2011, Bu et al. investigated the Drazin inverse of the complex matrix $\begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ I & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ under the condition $EF = FE$ (see [2] [Theorem 3.3]).

In 2013, Xu, Song and Zhang studied an expression of the Drazin inverse of the operator matrix $\begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ I & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{B}(X))$ under the same condition, where $\mathcal{B}(X)$ is the Banach algebra of bounded linear operators on a complex Banach space X (see [16] [Theorem 3.8]).

In 2016, Yu, Wang and Deng characterized the Drazin invertibility of the anti-triangular operator matrix $\begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ I & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H}))$ under the conditions $F^\pi EF^D = 0$, $F^\pi EF = F^\pi FE$, where $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H})$ is the Banach algebra of bounded linear operators on a complex Hilbert space \mathcal{H} (see [18] [Theorem 4.1]).

Recently, many authors have explored various conditions under which representations of the Drazin (g-Drazin) inverse of such anti-triangular matrices can be established. For additional references, we direct the reader to [10,11,19–21,23].

The motivation of this paper is to further investigate the representation of the g-Drazin inverse of the anti-triangular matrix $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ in a Banach algebra \mathcal{A} . We begin by examining the solvability of a quadratic equation in the Banach algebra \mathcal{A} using Catalan numbers C_n . Next, we study the representation of M under the conditions $ab = ba$, $a \in \mathcal{A}$ is invertible, $b \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}$. We then employ the ring of Morita context and the Pierce representation of a Banach algebra element as tools to extend the previous special case to the more general condition $ab = ba$, $a, b \in \mathcal{A}^d$. Consequently, the known results are extended to a broader context within a Banach algebra.

Throughout this paper, all Banach algebras are considered to be complex and possess an identity element. Let $M_2(\mathcal{A})$ be the Banach algebra of all 2×2 matrices over the Banach algebra \mathcal{A} . We use \mathcal{A}^{-1} , \mathcal{A}^D and \mathcal{A}^d to stand for the sets of all invertible, Drazin invertible and g-Drazin invertible elements in \mathcal{A} , respectively. For $a \in \mathcal{A}^d$, we define $a^\pi = 1 - aa^d$. Let $a, p^2 = p \in \mathcal{A}$. Then a has the Pierce decomposition given by $pap + pap^\pi + p^\pi ap + p^\pi ap^\pi$, which we denote in matrix form as $\begin{pmatrix} pap & pap^\pi \\ p^\pi ap & p^\pi ap^\pi \end{pmatrix}_p$.

2. key Lemmas

In this section, we present some necessary lemmas which will be used in the sequel. We start by

Lemma 2.1. Let $a, b \in \mathcal{A}^d$. If $ab = 0$, then $a + b \in \mathcal{A}^d$ and

$$(a + b)^d = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (a^d)^{i+1} b^i b^\pi + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a^i a^\pi (b^d)^{i+1}.$$

Proof. See [5] [Lemma 15.2.2]. \square

Lemma 2.2. Let $a, b \in \mathcal{A}^d$. If $ab^2 = 0$ and $aba = 0$, then $a + b \in \mathcal{A}^d$ and

$$\begin{aligned} (a + b)^d &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (b^d)^{i+1} a^i a^\pi + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} b^i b^\pi (a^d)^{i+1} + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} b^i b^\pi (a^d)^{i+2} b \\ &+ \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (b^d)^{i+3} a^{i+1} a^\pi b - b^d a^d b - (b^d)^2 a a^d b. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. See [17] [Theorem 2.1] and [5] [Corollary 15.2.4]. \square

Lemma 2.3. Let

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ c & b \end{pmatrix} \text{ or } \begin{pmatrix} b & c \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

Then

$$x^d = \begin{pmatrix} a^d & 0 \\ z & b^d \end{pmatrix}, \text{ or } \begin{pmatrix} b^d & z \\ 0 & a^d \end{pmatrix},$$

where $z = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (b^d)^{i+2} c a^i a^\pi + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} b^i b^\pi c (a^d)^{i+2} - b^d c a^d$.

Proof. See [5] [Lemma 15.2.1]. \square

Lemma 2.4. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $a \in \mathcal{A}^{-1}, b \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}$. If $ab = ba$, then the equation $ax + x^2 = b$ has a solution x such that $a + bx \in \mathcal{A}^{-1}, x \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}$.

Proof. Let $x = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c_i a^{\alpha_i} b^{i+1}$, where $c_i \in \mathbb{C}, \alpha_i \in \mathbb{Z}$. Choose $\alpha_i = -(2i+1)$, Since $ab = ba$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} ax + x^2 &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c_i a^{\alpha_i+1} b^{i+1} + \left[\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c_i a^{\alpha_i} b^{i+1} \right] \left[\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c_i a^{\alpha_i} b^{i+1} \right] \\ &= c_0 a^{\alpha_0+1} b + [c_1 a^{\alpha_1+1} + c_0^2 a^{2\alpha_0}] b^2 \\ &\quad + [c_2 a^{\alpha_2+1} + c_0 c_1 a^{\alpha_0+\alpha_1} + c_1 c_0 a^{\alpha_1+\alpha_0}] b^3 \\ &\quad + [c_3 a^{\alpha_3+1} + c_0 c_2 a^{\alpha_0+\alpha_2} + c_1 c_1 a^{\alpha_1+\alpha_1} + c_2 c_0 a^{\alpha_2+\alpha_0}] b^4 \\ &\quad + \dots \\ &= c_0 b + [c_1 + c_0^2] a^{-2} b^2 + [c_2 + c_0 c_1 + c_1 c_0] a^{-4} b^3 \\ &\quad + [c_3 + c_0 c_2 + c_1 c_1 + c_2 c_0] a^{-6} b^4 + \dots \\ &= b, \end{aligned}$$

hence, we choose

$$\begin{aligned} c_0 &= 1, c_1 = -1, c_2 = 2, c_3 = -5, c_4 = 14, c_5 = -42, \dots \\ c_i &= -(c_0 c_{i-1} + c_1 c_{i-2} + \dots + c_{i-1} c_0) (i \in \mathbb{N}). \end{aligned}$$

Let $\{C_n\}$ be the series of Catalan numbers, i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} C_0 &= 1, C_1 = 1, c_2 = 2, c_3 = 5, c_4 = 14, c_5 = 42, \dots, \\ C_n &= C_0 C_{n-1} + \dots + C_{n-1} C_0 (n \in \mathbb{N}). \end{aligned}$$

Then $c_0 = C_0, c_1 = -C_1$. By induction, we claim that $c_{2n} = C_{2n}, c_{2n+1} = -C_{2n+1} (n \geq 0)$. Hence, $|c_n| = C_n (n \geq 1)$. By using the asymptotic expression of the Catalan numbers C_n , we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} C_n / \left(\frac{4^n}{\sqrt{\pi(n)}^{\frac{3}{2}}} \right) = 1.$$

Therefore

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{|c_n|} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4}{\pi^{\frac{1}{2n}} \left(\sqrt[n]{n} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}}} = 4.$$

Since $b \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}$, we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|b^n\|^{\frac{1}{n}} = 0$. Since

$$\sqrt[n]{\|c_n a^{-(2n+1)} b^{n+1}\|} \leq \sqrt[n]{|c_n|} \|a^{-1}\|^{2+\frac{1}{n}} \sqrt[n]{\|b\|} \|b^n\|^{\frac{1}{n}},$$

we deduce that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{\|c_n a^{-(2n+1)} b^{n+1}\|} = 0.$$

This implies that $\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c_i a^{-(2i+1)} b^{i+1}$ absolutely converges.

Accordingly, the equation $ax + x^2 = b$ has a solution $x = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c_i a^{-(2i+1)} b^{i+1}$, where $c_0 = 1, c_{k+1} = -\sum_{i=0}^k c_i c_{k-i} (k \geq 0)$. Moreover, we verify that

$$\begin{aligned} c_n &= (-1)^n C_n = (-1)^n \frac{(2n)!}{n!(n+1)!}, \\ x &= \left[\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c_i a^{-(2i+1)} b^i \right] b \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}, \\ a + x &= a[1 - a^{-1}x] \in \mathcal{A}^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. \square

Lemma 2.5. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ with $a \in \mathcal{A}^{-1}, b \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}$. If $ab = ba$, then $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^d$ and

$$M^d = \begin{pmatrix} (a+x)^{-1} - xy & (a+x)^{-1}x - yx \\ y & yx \end{pmatrix},$$

where $x = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-(2i+1)} b^{i+1}, y = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i (a+x)^{-i-2} x^i$.

Proof. In view of Lemma 2.4, the equation $ax + x^2 = b$ has a solution x such that $a+x \in \mathcal{A}^{-1}, x \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}$. Here,

$$x = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-(2i+1)} b^{i+1}.$$

It is easy to verify that

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -x \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a+x & 0 \\ 1 & -x \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Since $x \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}$ and $a+x \in \mathcal{A}^{-1}$. Then $\begin{pmatrix} a+x & 0 \\ 1 & x \end{pmatrix}$ has g-Drazin inverse. Therefore M has g-Drazin inverse. Exactly, we have

$$\begin{aligned} M^d &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -x \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a+x & 0 \\ 1 & -x \end{pmatrix}^d \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -x \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (a+x)^{-1} & 0 \\ y & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} (a+x)^{-1} - xy & (a+x)^{-1}x - yx \\ y & yx \end{pmatrix}, \end{aligned}$$

where $y = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i (a+x)^{-i-2} x^i$. \square

Lemma 2.6. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ with $a \in \mathcal{A}, b \in \mathcal{A}^{-1}$. Then $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^{-1}$ and

$$M^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ b^{-1} & -b^{-1}a \end{pmatrix}.$$

Proof. Straightforward. \square

Let $p^2 = p \in \mathcal{A}$ and let $\mathcal{A}_1 = p\mathcal{A}p, \mathcal{A}_2 = p^\pi\mathcal{A}p^\pi$. Let T be the ring of Morita context $(\mathcal{A}_1, \mathcal{A}_2, \varphi, \psi)$, i.e.,

$$T = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{A}_1 & M_2(p\mathcal{A}p^\pi) \\ M_2(p^\pi\mathcal{A}p) & \mathcal{A}_2 \end{pmatrix}_{(\varphi, \psi)}$$

with the bimodule homomorphisms of the form

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi : M_2(p\mathcal{A}p^\pi) \times M_2(p^\pi\mathcal{A}p) &\rightarrow \mathcal{A}_1, \\ \psi : M_2(p^\pi\mathcal{A}p) \times M_2(p\mathcal{A}p^\pi) &\rightarrow \mathcal{A}_2. \end{aligned}$$

Then we have a natural isomorphism of rings given by

$$\begin{aligned} \rho : M_2(\mathcal{A}) &\cong T, \\ \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} &\mapsto \begin{pmatrix} pa_{11}p & pa_{12}p & \vdots & pa_{11}p^\pi & pa_{12}p^\pi \\ pa_{21}p & pa_{22}p & \vdots & pa_{21}p^\pi & pa_{22}p^\pi \\ \hline p^\pi a_{11}p & p^\pi a_{12}p & \vdots & p^\pi a_{11}p^\pi & p^\pi a_{12}p^\pi \\ p^\pi a_{21}p & p^\pi a_{22}p & \vdots & p^\pi a_{21}p^\pi & p^\pi a_{22}p^\pi \end{pmatrix}_{(\varphi, \psi)}. \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2.7. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ with $a \in \mathcal{A}^{-1}, b \in \mathcal{A}^d$. If $ab = ba$, then $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^d$ and

$$M^d = \begin{pmatrix} z_{11} & z_{12} \\ z_{21} & z_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

with z_{ij} are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned} z_{11} &= (ab^\pi + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ z_{12} &= bb^d + (ab^\pi + x)^{-1}x - xyx, \\ z_{21} &= b^d, \\ z_{22} &= -ab^d + y + yx, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-(2i+1)} b^{i+1} b^\pi, \\ y &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i (ab^\pi + x)^{-i-2} x^i. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Let $p = bb^d$. Since $ab = ba$, we have

$$a = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 \end{pmatrix}_p, b = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 & 0 \\ 0 & b_2 \end{pmatrix}_p \in \mathcal{A}.$$

Then

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & 0 & \vdots & b_1 & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 & \vdots & 0 & b_2 \\ \hline p & 0 & \vdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & p^\pi & \vdots & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{A}).$$

Hence, we have

$$\rho(M) = \begin{pmatrix} M_1 & 0 \\ 0 & M_2 \end{pmatrix}_{(\varphi, \psi)},$$

where

$$M_1 = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ p & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{A}_1), M_2 = \begin{pmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ p^\pi & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{A}_2).$$

Claim 1. $M_1 \in M_2(\mathcal{A}_1)^d$. Clearly, $a_1 = abb^d, b_1 = b^2b^d \in \mathcal{A}_1^{-1}$. By Lemma 2.6, we have

$$M_1^d = M_1^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & bb^d \\ b_1^{-1} & -b_1^{-1}a_1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Claim 2. $M_2 \in M_2(\mathcal{A}_2)^d$. Clearly, $a_2 = ab^\pi \in \mathcal{A}_1^{-1}, b_2 = bb^\pi \in \mathcal{A}_2^{qnil}$. By virtue of Lemma 2.5, we have

$$M_2^d = \begin{pmatrix} (a_2 + x)^{-1} - xy & (a_2 + x)^{-1}x - xyx \\ y & yx \end{pmatrix},$$

where $x = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a_2^{-(2i+1)} b_2^{i+1}, y = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i (a_2 + x)^{-i-2} x^i$. Therefore $\rho(M) \in T^d$ and

$$[\rho(M)]^d = \left(\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & bb^d & 0 & 0 \\ b_1^{-1} & -b_1^{-1}a_1 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & (a_2 + x)^{-1} - xy & (a_2 + x)^{-1}x - xyx \\ 0 & 0 & y & yx \end{array} \right)_{(\varphi, \psi)}.$$

Therefore $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^d$. Furthermore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} M^d &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & bb^d & 0 \\ 0 & (a_2 + x)^{-1} - xy & 0 & (a_2 + x)^{-1}x - xyx \\ \hline b_1^{-1} & 0 & -b_1^{-1}a_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & y & yx \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} z_{11} & z_{12} \\ z_{21} & z_{22} \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

with z_{ij} are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned} z_{11} &= (ab^\pi + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ z_{12} &= bb^d + (ab^\pi + x)^{-1}x - xyx, \\ z_{21} &= b^d, \\ z_{22} &= -ab^d + y + yx, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-(2i+1)} b^{i+1} b^\pi, \\ y &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i (ab^\pi + x)^{-i-2} x^i. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. \square

Lemma 2.8. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ with $a \in \mathcal{A}^{qnil}, b \in \mathcal{A}^d$. If $ab = ba$, then $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^d$ and

$$M^d = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & bb^d \\ b^d & -ab^d \end{pmatrix}.$$

Proof. Let $X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & bb^d \\ b^d & -ab^d \end{pmatrix}$. One directly verify that

$$\begin{aligned} MX &= \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & bb^d \\ b^d & -ab^d \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} bb^d & 0 \\ 0 & bb^d \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & bb^d \\ b^d & -ab^d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= XM, \\ MX^2 &= (MX)X = X, \\ M - (MX)M &= \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} bb^d & 0 \\ 0 & bb^d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} a(1 - bb^d) & b - b^2b^d \\ 1 - bb^d & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^{qnil}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore M has g -Drazin inverse and $M^d = X$, as desired. \square

3. Main Results

We now present the main results of this paper, which extend [16] [Theorem 3.8] and [18] [Theorem 4.1] to anti-triangular matrices in Banach algebras.

Theorem 3.1. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ with $a, b \in \mathcal{A}^d$. If $ab = ba$, then $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^d$ and

$$M^d = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix}$$

with $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= (a^2a^db^\pi + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ \beta &= aa^dbb^d + (a^2a^db^\pi + x)^{-1}x - xyx + a^\pi bb^d, \\ \gamma &= aa^db^d + a^\pi b^d, \\ \delta &= -a^2a^db^d + y + yx - aa^\pi b^d, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-2i} a^d b^{i+1} b^\pi, \\ y &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i (a^2a^db^\pi + x)^{-i-2} x^i. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Let $q = aa^d$. Since $ab = ba$, we have

$$a = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 \end{pmatrix}_q, b = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 & 0 \\ 0 & b_2 \end{pmatrix}_q.$$

Then

$$M = \left(\begin{array}{cc|cc} a_1 & 0 & b_1 & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 & 0 & b_2 \\ \hline p & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & p^\pi & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \in M_2(\mathcal{A}).$$

By using the isomorphism ρ between the matrix ring $M_2(\mathcal{A})$ and the the ring of Morita context $(\mathcal{A}_1, \mathcal{A}_2, \varphi, \psi)$ mentioned above, we have

$$\rho(M) = \begin{pmatrix} M_1 & 0 \\ 0 & M_2 \end{pmatrix}_{(\varphi, \psi)},$$

where

$$M_1 = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ q & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{A}_1), M_2 = \begin{pmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ q^\pi & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{A}_2).$$

Claim 1. $M_1 \in M_2(\mathcal{A}_1)^d$. Obviously, $a_1 \in \mathcal{A}_1^{-1}, b_1 \in \mathcal{A}_1^d$. In view of Lemma 2.7, we have

$$M_1^d = \begin{pmatrix} z_{11} & z_{12} \\ z_{21} & z_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

with z_{ij} are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned} z_{11} &= (a^2 a^d b^\pi + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ z_{12} &= aa^d b b^d + (a^2 a^d b^\pi + x)^{-1} x - xyx, \\ z_{21} &= aa^d b^d, \\ z_{22} &= -a^2 a^d b^d + y + yx, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-2i} a^d b^{i+1} b^\pi, \\ y &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i (a^2 a^d b^\pi + x)^{-i-2} x^i. \end{aligned}$$

Claim 2. $M_2 \in M_2(\mathcal{A}_2)^d$. Obviously, $a_2 \in \mathcal{A}_2^{qnil}, b_2 \in \mathcal{A}_2^d$. By virtue of Lemma 2.8, we derive that

$$M_2^d = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & b_2 b_2^d \\ b_2^d & -a_2 b_2^d \end{pmatrix}.$$

Therefore $\rho(M) \in T^d$ and

$$[\rho(M)]^d = \begin{pmatrix} M_1^d & 0 \\ 0 & M_2^d \end{pmatrix}_{(\varphi, \psi)}.$$

Therefore

$$M^d = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix} \in M_2(\mathcal{A}),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= \begin{pmatrix} z_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}_p = z_{11}, \\ \beta &= \begin{pmatrix} z_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & b_2 b_2^d \end{pmatrix}_p = z_{12} + a^\pi b b^d, \\ \gamma &= \begin{pmatrix} z_{21} & 0 \\ 0 & b_2^d \end{pmatrix}_p = z_{21} + a^\pi b^d, \\ \delta &= \begin{pmatrix} z_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & -a_2 b_2^d \end{pmatrix}_p = z_{22} - aa^\pi b^d. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. \square

Corollary 3.2. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ with $a, b \in \mathcal{A}^D$. If $ab = ba$, then $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^D$ and

$$M^D = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix}$$

with $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= (a^2 a^D b^\pi + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ \beta &= aa^D bb^D + (a^2 a^D b^\pi + x)^{-1} x - xyx + a^\pi bb^D, \\ \gamma &= aa^D b^D + a^\pi b^D, \\ \delta &= -a^2 a^D b^D + y + yx - aa^\pi b^D, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sum_{i=0}^{ind(b)-1} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-2i} a^D b^{i+1} b^\pi, \\ y &= \sum_{i=0}^{ind(b)-1} (-1)^i (a^2 a^D b^\pi + x)^{-i-2} x^i. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Evidently, $z \in \mathcal{A}^D$ if and only if $z \in \mathcal{A}^d$ and $a - a^2 a^d \in \mathcal{A}$ is nilpotent. In this case, $z^D = z^d$. Therefore we complete the proof by Theorem 3.1. \square

We are now ready to prove:

Theorem 3.3. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ with $a, b, b^\pi a \in \mathcal{A}^d$. If $b^\pi a b^d = 0$ and $b^\pi(ab) = b^\pi(ba)$, then $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^d$ and

$$M^d = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} P^i [I - PP^d] (Q^d)^{i+1},$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} P &= \begin{pmatrix} b^\pi a & b^\pi b \\ b^\pi & 0 \end{pmatrix}, P^d = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix}, \\ Q &= \begin{pmatrix} bb^d a & b^2 b^d \\ bb^d & 0 \end{pmatrix}, Q^d = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & bb^d \\ b^d & -b^d a \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

with $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= (b^\pi a^2 a^d + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ \beta &= (b^\pi a^2 a^d + x)^{-1} x - xyx, \\ \gamma &= 0, \\ \delta &= y + yx, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-2i} b^\pi a^d b^{i+1}, \\ y &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i (b^\pi a^2 a^d + x)^{-i-2} x^i. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Write $M = P + Q$, where

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} b^\pi a & b^\pi b \\ b^\pi & 0 \end{pmatrix}, Q = \begin{pmatrix} bb^d a & b^2 b^d \\ bb^d & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Step 1. P has g-Drazin inverse. By hypothesis, we verify that

$$(b^\pi a)(b^\pi b) = b^\pi(ab) = b^\pi(ba) = (b^\pi b)(b^\pi a).$$

In light of Theorem 3.1, we have

$$P^d = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix}$$

with $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= (b^\pi a^2 a^d + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ \beta &= (b^\pi a^2 a^d + x)^{-1} x - xyx, \\ \gamma &= 0, \\ \delta &= y + yx, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-2i} b^\pi a^d b^{i+1}, \\ y &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i (b^\pi a^2 a^d + x)^{-i-2} x^i. \end{aligned}$$

Step 2. Q has g-Drazin inverse. By virtue of Lemma 2.6,

$$Q^d = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & bb^d \\ b^d & -b^d a \end{pmatrix}.$$

Step 3. Since $PQ = 0$, it follows by Lemma 2.1 that

$$\begin{aligned} M^d &= (P + Q)^d \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (P^d)^{i+1} Q^i Q^\pi + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} P^i P^\pi (Q^d)^{i+1} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} P^i P^\pi (Q^d)^{i+1}. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. \square

Corollary 3.4. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ with $a, b, b^\pi a \in \mathcal{A}^D$. If $b^\pi ab^D = 0$ and $b^\pi(ab) = b^\pi(ba)$, then $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^D$ and

$$M^D = \sum_{i=0}^{ind(P)} P^i [I - PP^D] (Q^D)^{i+1},$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} P &= \begin{pmatrix} b^\pi a & b^\pi b \\ b^\pi & 0 \end{pmatrix}, P^D = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix}, \\ Q &= \begin{pmatrix} bb^D a & b^2 b^D \\ bb^D & 0 \end{pmatrix}, Q^D = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & bb^D \\ b^D & -b^D a \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

with $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= (b^\pi a^2 a^D + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ \beta &= (b^\pi a^2 a^D + x)^{-1} x - xyx, \\ \gamma &= 0, \\ \delta &= y + yx, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}x &= \sum_{i=0}^{\text{ind}(b)-1} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-2i} b^\pi a^D b^{i+1}, \\y &= \sum_{i=0}^{\text{ind}(b)-1} (-1)^i (b^\pi a^2 a^D + x)^{-i-2} x^i.\end{aligned}$$

Proof. It is immediate from Theorem 3.3. \square

It is convenient at this stage to derive the following:

Theorem 3.5. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ with $a, d, bc \in \mathcal{A}^d$. If $abc = bca$, $bdc = 0$ and $bd^2 = 0$, then $M \in M_2(\mathcal{A})^d$ and

$$\begin{aligned}M^d &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (Q^d)^{i+1} P^i (I - PP^d) + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} Q^i Q^\pi (P^d)^{i+1} + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} Q^i (I - QQ^d) (P^d)^{i+2} Q \\&+ \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (Q^d)^{i+3} P^{i+1} (I - PP^d) Q - Q^d P^d Q - (Q^d)^2 P P^d Q,\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}P &= \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & 0 \end{pmatrix}, P^d = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^2 a + \alpha\beta + \beta\gamma a + \beta\delta & \alpha^2 b + \beta\gamma b \\ c\gamma\alpha a + c\gamma\beta + c\delta\gamma a + c\delta\delta & c\gamma\alpha b + c\delta\gamma b \end{pmatrix}; \\Q &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix}, Q^d = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d^d \end{pmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

with $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha &= (a^2 a^d (bc)^\pi + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ \beta &= aa^d bc (bc)^d + (a^2 a^d (bc)^\pi + x)^{-1} x - xyx + a^\pi bc (bc)^d, \\ \gamma &= aa^d (bc)^d + a^\pi (bc)^d, \\ \delta &= -a^2 a^d (bc)^d + y + yx - aa^\pi (bc)^d,\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}x &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-2i} a^d (bc)^{i+1} (bc)^\pi, \\y &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i [a^2 a^d (bc)^\pi + x]^{-i-2} x^i.\end{aligned}$$

Proof. Let $P = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $Q = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix}$. In view of Theorem 3.1, we have

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & bc \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^d = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix}$$

with $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are formulated by

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha &= (a^2 a^d (bc)^\pi + x)^{-1} - xy, \\ \beta &= aa^d bc (bc)^d + (a^2 a^d (bc)^\pi + x)^{-1} x - xyx + a^\pi bc (bc)^d, \\ \gamma &= aa^d (bc)^d + a^\pi (bc)^d, \\ \delta &= -a^2 a^d (bc)^d + y + yx - aa^\pi (bc)^d,\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}x &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \frac{(2i)!}{i!(i+1)!} a^{-2i} a^d (bc)^{i+1} (bc)^{\pi}, \\y &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i [a^2 a^d (bc)^{\pi} + x]^{-i-2} x^i.\end{aligned}$$

One easily verifies that

$$\begin{aligned}\begin{pmatrix} a & bc \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix}, \\ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & 0 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.\end{aligned}$$

By using Cline's formula (see [14] [Theorem 2.2]), P has g-Drazin inverse and

$$\begin{aligned}P^d &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix} \left[\begin{pmatrix} a & bc \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^d \right]^2 \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix}^2 \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ c\gamma & c\delta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha a + \beta & \alpha b \\ \gamma a + \delta & \gamma b \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^2 a + \alpha\beta + \beta\gamma a + \beta\delta & \alpha^2 b + \beta\gamma b \\ c\gamma\alpha a + c\gamma\beta + c\delta\gamma a + c\delta\delta & c\gamma\alpha b + c\delta\gamma b \end{pmatrix}.\end{aligned}$$

Obviously, we have

$$Q^d = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d^d \end{pmatrix}, Q^{\pi} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & d^{\pi} \end{pmatrix}.$$

One easily checks that

$$\begin{aligned}PQ^2 &= \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & bd^2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0, \\ PQP &= \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} bdc & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0.\end{aligned}$$

According to Lemma 2.2, we derive that

$$\begin{aligned}M^d &= (P + Q)^d \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (Q^d)^{i+1} P^i P^{\pi} + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} Q^i Q^{\pi} (P^d)^{i+1} + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} Q^i Q^{\pi} (P^d)^{i+2} Q \\ &\quad + \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (Q^d)^{i+3} P^{i+1} P^{\pi} Q - Q^d P^d Q - (Q^d)^2 P P^d Q,\end{aligned}$$

as asserted. \square

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