

# ON THE SEMIGROUP OF HADAMARD DIFFERENTIABLE MAPPINGS

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The main purpose of this paper is to prove that every automorphism of the semigroup of all Hadamard-differentiable mappings of a separable real Banach space into itself is inner. This generalizes the result of [7] which is a generalization of a result proved by Magill, Jr. [5].

We start with a brief account on the Hadamard differentiation.

## 1. The Hadamard differentiation

The following method of defining derivatives has been given by Averbukh and Smolyanov [1, 2], where it was also proved that the Hadamard differentiability defined below is equivalent to the quasi-differentiability defined by Dieudonné [3, p. 151].

Let  $E$  be a real Banach space, and let  $M$  be a class of some subsets of  $E$ . We denote by  $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}(E)$  the Banach algebra of all continuous linear mappings of  $E$  into itself with the usual algebraic structure and the upper bound norm. Then, a mapping  $f: E \rightarrow E$  is said to be  $M$ -differentiable at  $a \in E$  if there exists  $u \in \mathcal{L}$  such that, for any  $M \in M$ ,

$$\sup_{x \in M} \|\varepsilon^{-1}r(f, a, \varepsilon x)\| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{if } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0,$$

where

$$r(f, a, x) = f(a + x) - f(a) - u(x).$$

We denote by  $\mathcal{D}_M$  the set of all  $f: E \rightarrow E$  which are  $M$ -differentiable at every point of  $E$ .

(1) If  $M$  is the class of all single point sets, then  $f \in \mathcal{D}_M$  is said to be *Gâteaux-differentiable*. In this case, we denote  $\mathcal{D}_M$  by  $\mathcal{D}_G$ .

(2) If  $M$  is the class of all compact subsets, then  $f \in \mathcal{D}_M$  is said to be *Hadamard-differentiable*. In this case, we denote  $\mathcal{D}_M$  by  $\mathcal{D}_H$ .

(3) If  $M$  is the class of all bounded subsets, then  $f \in \mathcal{D}_M$  is said to be *Fréchet-differentiable*. In this case, we denote  $\mathcal{D}_M$  by  $\mathcal{D}_F$ .

In each of these cases, the continuous linear mapping  $u$  is determined uniquely and is denoted by  $f'(a)$ . It is called the *Gâteaux*-, the *Hadmarad*- or the *Fréchet-derivative of  $f$  at  $a$*  respectively.

Obviously,

$$\mathcal{L} \subset \mathcal{D}_F \subset \mathcal{D}_H \subset \mathcal{D}_G,$$

and the inclusions are generally strict. If  $E$  is finite-dimensional, we have  $\mathcal{D}_F = \mathcal{D}_G$ , and if  $E$  is one dimensional we have  $\mathcal{D}_F = \mathcal{D}_H = \mathcal{D}_G$ .

The following theorem will be used in the following section. We shall denote by  $\mathcal{K}$  the set of all completely continuous (i.e., continuous and compact) mapping of  $E$  into itself. We also denote by  $\mathcal{K}_1$  the set of all  $f: E \rightarrow E$  such that

$$f(x) = \mu(\langle x, \bar{a} \rangle) \text{ for every } x \in E,$$

where  $\mu$  is any differentiable  $E$ -valued function of a real variable,  $\bar{a} \in \bar{E}$  (the conjugate space of  $E$  and  $\langle x, \bar{a} \rangle$  is the value of  $\bar{a}$  at  $x$ ). Obviously,  $\mathcal{K}_1 \subset \mathcal{K}$ .

In the sequel, the composition of two mappings  $f, g: E \rightarrow E$  is denoted by  $fg$  that is,

$$(fg)(x) = f(g(x)) \text{ for every } x \in E.$$

**THEOREM 1.** 1) If  $f \in \mathcal{D}_H$ , then  $fk \in \mathcal{D}_F$  for any  $k \in \mathcal{D}_F \cap \mathcal{K}$  and

$$(*) \quad (fk)'(a) = f'(k(a))k'(a) \text{ for any } a \in E.$$

2) If  $f \in \mathcal{D}_G$ , and if for every  $k \in \mathcal{D}_F \cap \mathcal{K}_1$  it is true that  $fk \in \mathcal{D}_G$  and (\*) is satisfied, then  $f \in \mathcal{D}_H$ .

**PROOF.** 1) For  $f \in \mathcal{D}_H$  and  $k \in \mathcal{D}_F \cap \mathcal{K}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} &fk(a + x) - fk(a) - f'(k(a))k'(a)(x) \\ &= f'(k(a)) [k(a + x) - k(a)] + r(f, k(a), k(a + x) - k(a)) - \\ &\quad - f'(k(a))k'(a)(x) \\ &= f'(k(a))r(k, a, x) + r(f, k(a), k(a + x) - k(a)). \end{aligned}$$

Then, for a bounded set  $B$ , since  $k \in \mathcal{D}_F$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} &\sup_{x \in B} \|\varepsilon^{-1}f'(k(a))r(k, a, \varepsilon x)\| \\ &\leq \|f'(k(a))\| \sup_{x \in B} \|\varepsilon^{-1}r(k, a, \varepsilon x)\| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{if } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} &\sup_{x \in B} \|\varepsilon^{-1}r(f, k(a), k(a + \varepsilon x) - k(a))\| \\ &= \sup_{x \in B} \|\varepsilon^{-1}r(f, k(a), \varepsilon[\varepsilon^{-1}(k(a + \varepsilon x) - k(a))])\| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{if } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0, \end{aligned}$$

because, since  $k \in \mathcal{K}$ , for any  $\varepsilon_n \rightarrow 0$ , the set

$$\{\varepsilon_n^{-1}(k(a + \varepsilon_n x) - k(a)) \mid x \in B, n = 1, 2, \dots\}$$

is contained in a compact set. In fact, since

$$\varepsilon_n^{-1}(k(a + \varepsilon_n x) - k(a)) = k'(a)(x) + \varepsilon_n^{-1}r(k, a, \varepsilon_n x),$$

the fact that  $k'(a) \in \mathcal{X}$  ([6, p. 27]) implies that  $\{k'(a)(x) \mid x \in B\}$  is contained in a compact set and the fact that  $k \in \mathcal{D}_F$  implies that the second term converges to 0 as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Therefore,

$$fk \in \mathcal{D}_F \text{ and } (fk)'(a) = f'(k(a))k'(a).$$

2) Let us assume that  $f \notin \mathcal{D}_H$ . Then, there exist  $\varepsilon_n \downarrow 0, a \in E$  and  $x_n \rightarrow x_0$  such that

$$\varepsilon_n^{-1}r(f, a, \varepsilon_n x_n) \not\rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Now, the method used in [2, p. 92] supplies a differentiable  $E$ -valued function  $\mu(\xi)$  of a real variable such that

$$\mu(0) = a, \quad \mu(\varepsilon_n) = a + \varepsilon_n x_n \text{ and } \mu'(0) = x_0.$$

Then, consider the mapping  $k \in \mathcal{X}_1$  defined by

$$k(x) = \mu(\langle x, \bar{a} \rangle),$$

where  $\bar{a} \in \bar{E}$  and  $\langle a, \bar{a} \rangle = 1$ . By the assumption,

$$fk \in \mathcal{D}_G \text{ and } (fk)'(0) = f'(k(0))k'(0).$$

On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned} k'(0)(a) &= \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon^{-1}[k(\varepsilon a) - k(0)] \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon^{-1}[\mu(\varepsilon) - \mu(0)] = \mu'(0) = x_0, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} &\varepsilon_n^{-1}r(f, a, \varepsilon_n x_n) \\ &= \varepsilon_n^{-1}[f(a + \varepsilon_n x_n) - f(a) - f'(a)(\varepsilon_n x_n)] \\ &= \varepsilon_n^{-1}[fk(\varepsilon_n a) - fk(0) - (fk)'(0)(\varepsilon_n a)] + (fk)'(0)(a) - f'(a)(x_n) \\ &= \varepsilon_n^{-1}r(fk, 0, \varepsilon_n a) + f'(a)(x_0 - x_n) \rightarrow 0 \text{ if } n \rightarrow \infty, \end{aligned}$$

which is a contradiction.

### 2. $\mathcal{D}_H$ as a semigroup

It is well-known that if  $f, g \in \mathcal{D}_F$  then  $fg \in \mathcal{D}_F$ . In other words,  $\mathcal{D}_F$  is a semigroup with respect to the composition. For any semigroup  $\mathcal{D}$ , a one-to-one mapping  $\phi$  of  $\mathcal{D}$  onto itself is called an *automorphism* if

$$\phi(fg) = \phi(f)\phi(g) \text{ for } f, g \in \mathcal{D}.$$

If there exists  $h \in \mathcal{D}$  such that it has the two-sided inverse  $h^{-1}$  in  $\mathcal{D}$  and

$$\phi(f) = hf h^{-1} \text{ for every } f \in \mathcal{D}$$

then the automorphism is said to be *inner*.

Eidelheit [4] has proved that every continuous automorphism of the semigroup  $\mathcal{L}$  is inner.

On the other hand, Magill, Jr. [5] has proved that, if  $E$  is one-dimensional, every automorphism of the semigroup  $\mathcal{D}_F$  ( $= \mathcal{D}_H = \mathcal{D}_G$ ) is inner.

These two results take us naturally to the question whether every automorphism of the semigroup  $\mathcal{D}_F$  on a general Banach space is inner.

Eidelheit's result suggests that we may need some continuity assumptions. In fact, in [9], we have shown that, in the semigroup of all boundedly and continuously differentiable mappings, where the topology is defined by

$$\|f\|_n = \sup_{\|x\| \leq n} \{\|f(x)\| + \|f'(x)\|\}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots,$$

an automorphism is inner if and only if it is continuous.

On the other hand, in [8] we have given a necessary and sufficient condition for an automorphism  $\phi$  of  $\mathcal{D}_F$  to be inner. The method used there has been refined in [7], where we have generalized the Magill's result mentioned above to arbitrary finite-dimensional Banach spaces.

Now, we turn to the set  $\mathcal{D}_H$ . As Averbukh and Smolyanov [1, 2] have pointed out, the Hadamard differentiation is, in a sense, the weakest differentiation which has the composition property: if  $f, g \in \mathcal{D}_H$ , then  $fg \in \mathcal{D}_H$  and

$$(fg)'(a) = f'(g(a))g'(a) \text{ for every } a \in E.$$

Moreover, if  $E$  is finite-dimensional, then  $\mathcal{D}_F = \mathcal{D}_H$ . Therefore, the following result is a generalization of that of [7]:

**THEOREM 2.** *Let  $E$  be separable. Then, every automorphism of the semigroup  $\mathcal{D}_H$  is inner.*

**PROOF.** Let  $\phi$  be an automorphism. Exactly the same argument as in [7], if  $\mathcal{D}_F$  there is replaced by  $\mathcal{D}_H$ , gives the following facts:

(1) there exists a unique one-to-one mapping  $h$  of  $E$  onto  $E$  such that

$$\phi(f) = hf h^{-1} \text{ for every } f \in \mathcal{D}_H.$$

(2)  $h \in \mathcal{D}_G$  and  $h^{-1} \in \mathcal{D}_G$ ;

(3)  $(a \otimes \bar{a})h \in \mathcal{D}_H$  for any  $a \in E$  and  $\bar{a} \in \bar{E}$ , where  $a \otimes \bar{a}$  is an element of  $\mathcal{L}$  defined by

$$(a \otimes \bar{a})(x) = \langle x, \bar{a} \rangle a \text{ for every } x \in E;$$

and

$$(4) ((a \otimes \bar{a})h)'(x)(y) = \langle h'(x)(y), \bar{a} \rangle a$$

We shall prove that  $h \in \mathcal{D}_H$ . Since we may start with  $\phi^{-1}$  instead of  $\phi$ , we use the fact that any result containing  $h$  remains true if we replace  $h$  by  $h^{-1}$ .

Now, by Theorem 1, we have only to prove that

$$hk_1 \in \mathcal{D}_G \text{ for any } k_1 \in \mathcal{X}_1 \cap \mathcal{D}_F$$

and

$$(hk_1)'(x) = h'(k_1(x))k_1'(x).$$

Let us take an arbitrary  $k_1 \in \mathcal{X}_1$ :

$$k_1(x) = \mu(\langle x, \bar{a} \rangle),$$

and let  $a \in E$  be such that  $\langle a, \bar{a} \rangle = 1$ . Then, we have  $k_1 = k_1(a \otimes \bar{a})$ . Since  $a \otimes \bar{a} \in \mathcal{L} \subset \mathcal{D}_H$ , there exists  $k \in \mathcal{D}_H$  such that

$$\phi(k) = a \otimes \bar{a}.$$

Since

$$k(x) = h^{-1}(\langle h(x), \bar{a} \rangle a),$$

where  $\langle h(x), \bar{a} \rangle$  is continuous by [8, p. 506] and  $h^{-1}(\xi a)$  is continuous with respect to  $\xi$  by (2) above, we see that  $k \in \mathcal{X}$ . Therefore, from (3) it follows that

$$(a \otimes \bar{a})hk \in \mathcal{D}_H.$$

Since

$$(a \otimes \bar{a})hk(x) = \langle hk(x), \bar{a} \rangle a,$$

the mapping  $\langle hk(x), \bar{a} \rangle$  of  $E$  into the set of real numbers is Hadamard-differentiable. Therefore, the mapping  $\mu(\langle hk(x), \bar{a} \rangle)$  of  $E$  into  $E$  is Hadamard-differentiable and obviously,

$$\mu(\langle hk(x), \bar{a} \rangle) = k_1hk(x) \text{ for every } x \in E.$$

In other words,

$$k_1hk \in \mathcal{D}_H.$$

Therefore,

$$\phi(k_1hk) \in \mathcal{D}_H$$

and

$$\phi(k_1hk) = hk_1hkh^{-1} = hk_1\phi(k) = hk_1(a \otimes \bar{a}) = hk_1,$$

from which it follows that

$$hk_1 \in \mathcal{D}_H.$$

Thus, it only remains to prove the equality (\*) of Theorem 1. First, since  $a \otimes \bar{a} \in \mathcal{D}_H$  and  $hk_1 \in \mathcal{D}_H$ , we have

$$(a \otimes \bar{a})hk_1 \in \mathcal{D}_H \quad \text{and} \quad ((a \otimes \bar{a})hk_1)'(x)(y) = \langle (hk_1)'(x)(y), \bar{a} \rangle a.$$

Also, by applying Theorem 1, 1) to  $(a \otimes \bar{a})h$  and  $k_1$  we have

$$((a \otimes \bar{a})hk_1)'(x)(y) = ((a \otimes \bar{a})h)'(k_1(x))k_1'(x)(y)$$

and by (3) and (4) the right hand side here is  $\langle h'(k_1(x))k_1'(x)(y), \bar{a} \rangle a$ . Therefore,

$$\langle (hk_1)'(x)(y), \bar{a} \rangle a = \langle h'(k_1(x))k_1'(x)(y), \bar{a} \rangle a.$$

Since  $\bar{a}$  is arbitrary, (\*) follows. Thus,  $h \in \mathcal{D}_H$  and hence  $\phi$  is inner.

REMARK. With the product defined above and the addition  $f + g$  defined by

$$(f + g)(x) = f(x) + g(x) \quad \text{for every } x \in E,$$

$\mathcal{D}_H$  is a near-ring. The fact that every near-ring automorphism of  $\mathcal{D}_H$  is inner can be proved in the same way as in [9]. In this case,  $h$  is in  $\mathcal{L}$ .

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