### Dynamics of Toeplitz operators on weighted Bergman spaces

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 $\mathcal{B}_{\mathbb{D}}^{(\lambda)} : L_2(\mathbb{D}, d\mu_{\lambda}) \to \mathcal{A}_{\lambda}^{-}(\mathbb{D})^{-1}$  is Bergman Projector on unit disk  $T_a^{(\lambda)} = \mathcal{B}_{\mathbb{D}}^{(\lambda)} a \mathcal{B}_{\mathbb{D}}^{(\lambda)} : \mathcal{A}_{\lambda}^2(\mathbb{D}) \to \mathcal{A}_{\lambda}^2(\mathbb{D})^{-1}$  is Toeplitz-Bergman operator with symbol  $a = a(z) (\in L_1(\mathbb{D}))$  The main theme: what happens to properties of Toeplitz-Bergman operators when the weight parameter  $\lambda$  varies, especially if  $\lambda \to \infty$ ?

Motivation (in particular): Berezin quantization procedure

$$T_a = \{T_a^{(h)}\}, \quad h \in (0, 1) \quad \left(h = \frac{1}{\lambda + 2}\right),$$
$$\lim_{h \to 0} \widetilde{a}_h = a \tag{3}$$

where  $\widetilde{a}_h$  is Wick symbol.

Our goals are investigations boundedness, compactness and spectrum of Toeplitz-Bergman operator depending on  $\lambda$ .

#### Classes of symbols

- **1.** Radial symbols on unit disk:  $a = a(|z|), z \in \mathbb{D}$ .
- **2.** Symbols dependent only on y = Im z on upper half-plane:  $a = a(y), z \in \Pi = \{z = x + iy : x \in \mathbb{R}, y > 0\}.$
- **3.** Symbols dependent on  $\theta = \arg z$  on upper half-plane:  $a = a(\theta), z \in \Pi, \theta \in (0, \pi).$

**Theorem 1 (Vasilevski, 2000)**  $C^*$ -algebras generated by Toeplitz-Bergman operators with symbols from 1, 2 or 3 are commutative for each  $\lambda > -1$ . **Theorem 2** Toeplitz-Bergman operators  $T_a$  with radial symbols a = a(|z|) from  $L_1(0,1)$  (acting on  $\mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\mathbb{D})$ ) is unitary equivalent to the multiplication operator  $\gamma_{a,\lambda}I$  (acting on  $l_2(\mathbb{Z}_+)$ ) where sequence  $\gamma_{a,\lambda} = {\gamma_{a,\lambda}(n)}_{n \in \mathbb{Z}_+}$  is given by

$$\gamma_{a,\lambda}(n) = \frac{1}{B(n+1,\lambda+1)} \int_0^1 a(\sqrt{r})(1-r)^{\lambda} r^n dr, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}_+.$$
(4)

**Toeplitz-Bergman Operators on Half-plane** 

$$f \in L_2(\Pi, d\mu_{\lambda}) \iff \|f\|_{L_2(\Pi, d\mu_{\lambda})} = \left(\int_{\Pi} |f(z)|^2 d\mu_{\lambda}(z)\right)^{1/2} < \infty$$

where

$$\mu_{\lambda}(z) = (\lambda + 1)(2\operatorname{Im} z)^{\lambda} \frac{1}{\pi} dx dy.$$
(5)

 $\mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\Pi) (\subset L_2(\Pi, d\mu_{\lambda}))$  is weight Bergman space of analytic functions on half-plane.

$$(\mathcal{B}_{\Pi}f)(z) = \frac{\lambda+1}{\pi} \int_{\Pi} f(\zeta) \left(\frac{\zeta-\overline{\zeta}}{z-\zeta}\right)^{\lambda+1} \frac{dxdy}{(2\operatorname{Im}\zeta)^2} \tag{6}$$

 $\mathcal{B}_{\Pi} : L_2(\Pi, d\mu_{\lambda}) \to \mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\Pi)$  is Bergman Projector on half-plane.  $T_a^{(\lambda)} := \mathcal{B}_{\Pi}^{(\lambda)} a \mathcal{B}_{\Pi}^{(\lambda)} : \mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\Pi) \to \mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\Pi)$  is Bergman-Toeplitz operator. **Theorem 3** Toeplitz-Bergman operator  $T_a$  with symbol a = a(y) from  $L_1(\mathbb{R}_+, 0)$  (acting on  $\mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\Pi)$ ) is unitary equivalent to the multiplication operator  $\gamma_{a,\lambda}I$  (acting on  $L_2(\mathbb{R}_+)$ ) where function  $\gamma_{a,\lambda} = \gamma_{a,\lambda}(x)$  is given by

$$\gamma_{a,\lambda}(x) = \frac{x^{\lambda+1}}{\Gamma(\lambda+1)} \int_0^\infty a(t/2) t^\lambda e^{-xt} dt.$$
(7)

$$(a(y) \in L_1(\mathbb{R}_+, 0) \iff a(y)e^{-\varepsilon y} \in L_1(\mathbb{R}_+) \text{ for any } \varepsilon > 0)$$

**Theorem 4** Toeplitz-Bergman operator  $T_a$  with symbol  $a = a(\theta)$  from  $L_1(0,\pi)$  (acting on  $\mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\Pi)$ ) is unitary equivalent to multiplication operator  $\gamma_{a,\lambda}I$  (acting on  $L_2(\mathbb{R})$ ) where function  $\gamma_{a,\lambda}(\xi)$  is given by

$$\gamma_{a,\lambda}(\xi) = \frac{(\lambda+1)2^{\lambda}e^{\pi\xi}}{\pi} \cdot \frac{\left|\Gamma\left(\frac{\lambda+2}{2}+i\xi\right)\right|^2}{\Gamma(\lambda+2)} \int_0^{\pi} a(\theta)e^{-2\xi\theta}\sin^{\lambda}\theta d\theta, \ \xi \in \mathbb{R}$$
(8)

### Boundedness and Compactness Properties (Radial case)

$$B_{a,\lambda_0}^{(1)}(s) = \int_s^1 a(\sqrt{r})(1-r)^{\lambda_0} dr; \quad B_{a,\lambda_0}^{(j)}(s) = \int_s^1 B_{a,\lambda_0}^{(j-1)}(r) dr,$$
(9)

 $j=2,3,\ldots, \lambda_0\geq 0$ 

**Theorem 5** If there exist  $j \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\lambda_0 \geq 0$  such that

$$B_{a,\lambda_0}^{(j)}(r) = O((1-r)^{j+\lambda_0}), \quad r \to 1,$$
(10)

then the Toeplitz-Bergman operator  $T_a^{(\lambda)}$  is bounded on each  $\mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\mathbb{D})$  with  $\lambda \geq 0$ .

If for some  $j \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\lambda_0 \geq 0$ 

$$B_{a,\lambda_0}^{(j)}(r) = o((1-r)^{j+\lambda_0}), \quad r \to 1,$$
(11)

then the operator  $T_a^{(\lambda)}$  is compact on each  $\mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\mathbb{D})$  with  $\lambda \geq 0$ .

Example 1 Unbounded symbol

$$a(r) = (1 - r^2)^{-\beta} \sin(1 - r^2)^{-\alpha}$$
(12)

where  $\alpha > 0$  and  $\beta \in (0, 1)$ .

Theorem 5  $\implies$   $T_a^{(\lambda)}$  is bounded and compact for  $\lambda \ge 0$ .

**Theorem 6** Let either  $a(r) \ge 0$ , or  $B_{a,\lambda_0}^{(j)}(r) \ge 0$  for a certain  $j \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\lambda_0$ . Then the conditions (10), (11) are also necessary for the boundedness and compactness of the corresponding Toeplitz operator  $T_a^{(\lambda)}$  on  $\mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\mathbb{D})$  with  $\lambda \ge 0$ , respectively.

**Corollary 1** If  $a(r) \geq 0$ , and  $\lim_{\varepsilon \to 0} \inf_{r \in [1-\varepsilon,1]} a(r) = +\infty$ then the Toeplitz operator  $T_a^{(\lambda)}$  is unbounded on each  $\mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\mathbb{D})$ ,  $\lambda \geq 0$ .

**Corollary 2** Let  $a(\sqrt{r}) \in L_1(0,1)$ , and let  $a(r) \ge 0$ , or  $B_{a,\lambda_0}^{(j)}(r) \ge 0$  for some  $j \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then the Toeplitz operator  $T_a^{(\lambda)}$ is bounded (compact), or unbounded (not compact) on each  $\mathcal{A}^2_{\lambda}(\mathbb{D})$  simultaneously.

# Boundedness and Compactness in Dependence on $\lambda \in [0, \infty)$

### **Theorem 7** The following statements hold:

- (i) if for any  $\lambda_0 > 0$ , the sequence  $\gamma_{a,\lambda_0}$  is bounded, then the sequence  $\gamma_{a,\lambda}$  is bounded for all  $\lambda \in [0, \lambda_0)$ ;
- (ii) if for any  $\lambda_0 > 0$ ,  $\lim_{n \to \infty} \gamma_{a,\lambda_0}(n) = 0$ , then  $\lim_{n \to \infty} \gamma_{a,\lambda}(n) = 0$ for all  $\lambda \in [0, \lambda_0)$ .

$$B(a) = \{\lambda \in [0, \infty) : T_a^{(\lambda)} \text{ is bounded}\}\$$

$$K(a) = \{\lambda \in [0, \infty) : T_a^{(\lambda)} \text{ is compact}\}\$$

(i)  $[0, \infty)$  (ii)  $[0, \lambda_0)$  (iii)  $[0, \lambda_0]$ 

$$\gamma(n) = e^{\frac{i}{5\pi}\ln^2(n+1)}\ln^{-\nu}(n+1)\ln^\beta\ln(n+1)$$
(13)

There exists  $a_{\nu,\beta}(r) \ (\in L_1(0,1))$  such that  $\gamma_{a_{\nu,\beta}}(r) = \gamma(n)$ .

## Theorem 8 Let $0 < \nu < 1$ . Then a) $B(a_{\nu,0}) = [0,\nu],$ $K(a_{\nu,0}) = [0,\nu),$ $\beta = 0,$ b) $B(a_{\nu,\beta}) = [0,\nu),$ $K(a_{\nu,\beta}) = [0,\nu),$ $\beta > 0,$ c) $B(a_{\nu,\beta}) = [0,\nu],$ $K(a_{\nu,\beta}) = [0,\nu],$ $\beta < 0.$

## **Algebra of Continuous Operators Functions**

**Case 3.** Symbols dependent on  $\theta = \arg z$ on upper half-plane  $a = a(\theta), z \in \Pi$ ,  $\theta \in (0, \pi)$ .

**Question.** What are conditions on symbols such that

 $\gamma_{a,\lambda}(\xi) \in C(\bar{R})?$ 

 $\lim_{\xi \to +\infty} \gamma_{a,\lambda}(\xi) = c_+ \quad and \quad \lim_{\xi \to -\infty} \gamma_{a,\lambda}(\xi) = c_- \ (!)$ 

Let  $f \in C[0,1]$ , then there exists symbol  $a(\theta)$  such that

$$f\left(T_{\chi(0,\frac{\pi}{2})}\right) = T_a?$$
  
$$\gamma_{\chi(0,\frac{\pi}{2}),0} = \frac{1}{e^{-\pi\lambda} + 1} \Longrightarrow f\left(\frac{1}{e^{-\pi\lambda} + 1}\right) = \gamma_{a,0}(\lambda)$$

For any  $L_1$ -symbol  $a(\theta)$  we define the following averaging functions, which correspond to the endpoints of  $[0, \pi]$ ,

$$C_a^{(1)}(\theta) = \int_0^\theta a(u)du, \qquad D_a^{(1)}(\theta) = \int_{\pi-\theta}^\pi a(u)du$$

and

$$C_a^{(p)}(\theta) = \int_0^\theta C_a^{(p-1)}(u) du,$$
$$D_a^{(p)}(\theta) = \int_{\pi-\theta}^\pi D_a^{(p-1)}(u) du$$

for each p = 2, 3, ....

**Theorem 0.1.** Let  $a(\theta) \in L_1(0, \pi)$  and for some  $p, q \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

 $\lim_{\theta \to 0} \theta^{-p} C_a^{(p)}(\theta) = c_p \ (\in \mathbb{C}) \qquad \text{and}$ 

$$\lim_{\theta \to \pi} \theta^{-q} D_a^{(q)}(\theta) = d_q \ (\in \mathbb{C}).$$
 (0.1)

Then  $\gamma_a(\lambda) \in C(\overline{\mathbb{R}}).$ 

EXAMPLE 0.2. Let  

$$a(\theta) = \theta^{-\beta} \sin \theta^{-\alpha}$$
, where  $0 \le \beta < 1$ ,  $\alpha > 0$ .  
(0.2)

This symbol oscillates near 0, is bounded when  $\beta = 0$ , is unbounded for all  $\beta \in (0, 1)$ . According to asymptotics calculations we have that

$$C_a^{(1)}(\theta) = \frac{\theta^{\alpha - \beta + 1}}{\alpha} \cos \theta^{-\alpha} + O(\theta^{2\alpha - \beta + 1}),$$

when  $\theta \to 0.$  (0.3) Thus, if  $\alpha > \beta$  then

$$\lim_{\theta \to 0} \theta^{-1} C_a^{(1)}(\theta) = 0,$$

and the first condition in (0.1) is satisfied for p = 1.

Further, if  $\alpha \leq \beta$  we need to consider the averages of the higher order. Indeed, formula (0.3) implies that

$$C_a^{(2)}(\theta) = O(\theta^{2\alpha - \beta + 2}), \quad \text{when} \quad \theta \to 0$$

and, more generally, that

$$C_a^{(p)}(\theta) = O(\theta^{p\alpha - \beta + p}), \quad \text{when} \quad \theta \to 0.$$

Thus for each  $\alpha \leq \beta$  there is  $p_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $p_0 \alpha > \beta$ , and thus the first condition in (0.1) is satisfied for  $p = p_0$ .

That is, the Toeplitz operator  $T_a$  with symbol (0.2) satisfies of the conditions (!) for all admissible values of the parameters.

Given any  $a(\theta) \in L_{\infty}(0, \pi)$ , we introduce now two modified averaging functions which correspond to the endpoints of  $[0, \pi]$ 

$$C'_{a}(\theta) = \frac{2}{1 - e^{-2\theta}} \int_{0}^{\theta} a(u) \, du \qquad \text{and}$$

$$D'_{a}(\theta) = \frac{2}{1 - e^{-2\theta}} \int_{\pi - \theta}^{\pi} a(u) \, du. \qquad (0.4)$$

We note that these functions are connected with the old averaging ones as follows

$$C'_{a}(\theta) = \frac{2}{1 - e^{-2\theta}} C^{(1)}_{a}(\theta)$$
 and

$$D'_{a}(\theta) = \frac{2}{1 - e^{-2\theta}} D^{(1)}_{a}(\theta).$$

**Theorem 0.3.** Let  $a(\theta) \in L_{\infty}(0, \pi)$ . Then  $\gamma_a(\lambda) \in C(\overline{\mathbb{R}})$  if and only if  $\gamma_{C'_a}(\lambda) \in C(\overline{\mathbb{R}})$  and  $\gamma_{D'_a}(\lambda) \in C(\overline{\mathbb{R}})$ . (0.5)

### Shatten Classes

$$T_a^{(\lambda)} \in K_p(\lambda) \iff \|T_a^\lambda\|_{p,\lambda} = \left(\sum_{n=1}^\infty |\gamma_{a,\lambda}(n)|^p\right)^{1/p} < \infty, \ p \ge 1$$
(14)

**Theorem 9** Let  $a(\sqrt{r}) \in L_1(0,1)$  and let for some j = 0, 1, ...,the function  $B_{a,\lambda}^{(j)}(r)$  satisfy one of the following conditions

$$\int_{0}^{1} |B_{a,\lambda}^{(j)}(r)| (1-r)^{-(1+j+\frac{1}{p})} dr < \infty, \qquad p \ge 1,$$
  
$$\int_{0}^{1} |B_{a,\lambda}^{(j)}(r)|^{p} (1-r)^{-(2+j-\varepsilon)} dr < \infty, \qquad p > 1,$$

where  $\varepsilon > 0$  can be arbitrarily small. Then  $T_a^{(\lambda)} \in K_p(\lambda)$ .

**Example 2** Let a > 0,  $b > 2 + \frac{1}{p}$ ,  $\varepsilon_n = \frac{n^{-b}}{2}$ .

$$a(\sqrt{r}) = \begin{cases} n^a, \ r \in I_n = \left[1 - \frac{1}{n}, 1 - \frac{1}{n} + \varepsilon_n\right], \\ 0, \ r \in [0, 1] \setminus \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} I_n. \end{cases}$$

Then  $T_a \in K_p(\lambda) \ (\lambda \ge 0)$ .

### Spectra of Toeplitz Operators with Continuous Symbols

 $(a = a(\theta), \theta \in (0, \pi))$ 

Let E be a subset of  $\mathbb{R}$  having  $+\infty$  as a limit point (normally  $E = (0, +\infty)$ ), and let for each  $\lambda \in E$  there is a set  $M_{\lambda} \subset \mathbb{C}$ . Define the set  $M_{\infty}$  as the set of all  $z \in \mathbb{C}$  for which there exists a sequence of complex numbers  $\{z_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$  such that

(i) for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  there exists  $\lambda_n \in E$  such that  $z_n \in M_{\lambda_n}$ ,

(ii) 
$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \lambda_n = +\infty$$
,

(iii) 
$$z = \lim_{n \to \infty} z_n$$
.

We will write

$$M_{\infty} = \lim_{\lambda \to +\infty} M_{\lambda},$$

and call  $M_{\infty}$  the (partial) limit set of a family  $\{M_{\lambda}\}_{\lambda \in E}$  when  $\lambda \to +\infty$ .

 $T_a^{(\lambda)}$  :  $\mathcal{A}_{\lambda}^2(\Pi) \rightarrow \mathcal{A}_{\lambda}^2(\Pi)$  is unitary equivalent to

 $\gamma_{a,\lambda}I$  :  $L_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow L_2(\mathbb{R})$ 

Thus sp  $T_a^{\lambda} = \overline{M_{\lambda}}(a)$  where  $M_{\lambda}(a) := \text{Range } \gamma_{a,\lambda}(\xi) \ (\xi \in \mathbb{R}).$ 

**Theorem 10** Let  $a = a(\theta) \in C[0, \pi]$ . Then

 $\lim_{\lambda \to \infty} \operatorname{sp} T_a^{(\lambda)} = \operatorname{Range} a.$ 

### Example 3 (Hypocycloid)





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### Piecewise Continuous symbols $a = a(\theta), \ \theta \in [0, \pi)$ )

Let  $a(\theta)$  be a piecewise continuous function having jumps on a finite set of points  $\{\theta_j\}_{j=1}^m$  where

 $\theta_0 = 0 < \theta_1 < \theta_2 < \ldots < \theta_m < \pi = \theta_{m+1},$ 

and  $a(\theta_j \pm 0), j = 1, \ldots, m$ , exist. Introduce the sets

$$J_j(a) := \{ z \in \mathbb{C} : z = a(\theta), \ \theta \in (\theta_j, \theta_{j+1}) \}$$

where j = 0, ..., m, and let  $I_j(a)$  be the segment with the endpoints  $a(\theta_j - 0)$  and  $a(\theta_j + 0), j = 1, 2, ..., m$ . We set

$$\widetilde{R}(a) = \left(\bigcup_{j=0}^{m} J_j(a)\right) \cup \left(\bigcup_{j=1}^{m} I_j(a)\right).$$

**Theorem 11** Let  $a(\theta)$  be a piecewise continuous function. Then  $\lim_{\lambda \to \infty} \operatorname{sp} T_a^{(\lambda)} = M_{\infty}(a) = \widetilde{R}(a).$ 

Example 4

$$a(\theta) = \begin{cases} \exp i \left[ -\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi}{3} \cdot \frac{7\theta}{\pi} \right], & \theta \in \left[ 0, \frac{\pi}{7} \right) \\ \frac{1}{3} \exp i \left[ \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi}{3} \cdot \left( \frac{7\theta}{\pi} - 1 \right) \right], & \theta \in \left[ \frac{\pi}{7}, \frac{2\pi}{7} \right) \\ \exp i \left[ -\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi}{3} \cdot \left( \frac{7\theta}{\pi} - 2 \right) \right], & \theta \in \left[ \frac{2\pi}{7}, \frac{3\pi}{7} \right) \\ \frac{1}{3} \exp i \left[ -\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi}{3} \cdot \left( \frac{7\theta}{\pi} - 3 \right) \right], & \theta \in \left[ \frac{3\pi}{7}, \frac{4\pi}{7} \right) \\ \exp i \left[ -\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi}{3} \cdot \left( \frac{7\theta}{\pi} - 4 \right) \right], & \theta \in \left[ \frac{4\pi}{7}, \frac{5\pi}{7} \right) \\ \frac{1}{3} \exp i \left[ -\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi}{3} \cdot \left( \frac{7\theta}{\pi} - 5 \right) \right], & \theta \in \left[ \frac{5\pi}{7}, \frac{6\pi}{7} \right) \\ \exp \left( -i\frac{\pi}{6} \right), & \theta \in \left[ \frac{6\pi}{7}, \pi \right] \end{cases}$$



The symbol  $a(\theta)$  and the function  $\gamma_{a,\lambda}$  for  $\lambda = 1$ .



The function  $\gamma_{a,\lambda}$  for  $\lambda = 10$  and  $\lambda = 100$ .



The function  $\gamma_{a,\lambda}$  for  $\lambda = 1000$  and the limit set  $M_{\infty}(a)$ .

# Oscillating Symbols (a = a(y), y > 0)

**Theorem 12 (Strong oscillation)** Let  $a(y) = e^{2iy}$ , then Range  $a = \mathbb{T}$  and  $M_{\infty}(a) = \mathbb{D}$ .

Theorem 13 (Slow oscillation) Let  $a(y) = (2y)^i$ , then Range  $a = \mathbb{T}$  and  $M_{\infty}(a) = \mathbb{T}$ .

Example 5

 $a_1(y) = (1+2y)^i$  and  $a_2(y) = e^{i2y}$ ,  $y \in [0,\infty)$ .

 $\lambda = 0; 10; 1000$ 



### Unbounded Symbol (Radial Case)

Theorem 14 Let  $a(\sqrt{r}) \in L_1(0,1) \cap C[0,1)$ . Then Range  $a \subset M_{\infty}(a)$ .

Theorem 15 Let  $a(\sqrt{r}) \in L_1(0, 1)$ . Then  $M_{\infty}(a) \subset \operatorname{conv}(\operatorname{essRange} a).$ 

**Example 6** Let  $I_j := [1 - j^{-1} - j^{-3}, 1 - j^{-1}]$  and sequence  $\{\theta_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \subset (0, 2\pi)$  with  $\overline{\{\theta_j\}}_{j \in \mathbb{Z}_+} = [0, 2\pi]$ . Consider

$$a(\sqrt{r}) = \begin{cases} j e^{i\theta_j}, \ r \in I_j, \\ 0, \ r \in [0, 1] \setminus \bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} I_j. \end{cases}$$

$$M_{\infty}(a) = \mathbb{C}$$

Example 7

$$a(\sqrt{r}) = r^{i-\alpha}, \qquad \alpha \in (0,1)$$
  
 $M_{\infty}(a) = \text{Range } a$ 

$$a(r) = r^{i-0.1}, \quad \lambda = 10^5$$



The sequence  $\gamma_{a,\lambda} = \{\gamma_{a,\lambda}(n)\}$  for  $\lambda = 100000$  and the limit set  $M_{\infty}(a)$ .