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ABSTRACT. We give a counterexample to show that the main result of [1] is incorrect.

Following the terminology of [1], we give a counterexample to show that the main result (Theorem 3) of [1] is incorrect.

Counterexample : Let $\rho_1, \rho_2 : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by

$$\rho_1(x) = 1 + x^2 \text{ and } \rho_2(x) = (1 + x^2)^2.$$

For each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $T_n : C_{\rho_1} \rightarrow B_{\rho_2}$ be defined as follows:

$$T_n(f) = \frac{1}{n}f(n) + f.$$

Then for each $i = 0, 1, 2$,

$$\|T_n(F_i) - F_i\|_{\rho_1} \rightarrow 0,$$

but

$$\|T_n(\rho_1) - \rho_1\|_{\rho_2} = \frac{1+n^2}{n} \rightarrow \infty.$$

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