

For an $m \times m$ real matrix A , e^A is defined as $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} A^n$. (The sum is convergent for all matrices.) Prove or disprove, that for all real polynomials p and $m \times m$ real matrices A and B , $p(e^{AB})$ is nilpotent if and only if $p(e^{BA})$ is nilpotent. (A matrix A is nilpotent if $A^k = 0$ for some positive integer k .)