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Robert D. Bates* (rdbates@math.hawaii.edu), Department of Mathematics, 874 Dillingham Blvd, Honolulu, HI 96817. *Operator Diagonalizations of Multiplier Sequences.*

We consider hyperbolicity preserving operators with respect to a new linear operator representation on $\mathbb{R}[x]$. In essence, we demonstrate that every Hermite and Laguerre multiplier sequence can be diagonalized into a sum of hyperbolicity preserving operators, where each of the summands forms a classical multiplier sequence. Interestingly, this does not work for other orthogonal bases; for example, this property fails for the Legendre basis. We establish many new formulas concerning the Q_k 's of Peetre's 1959 differential representation for linear operators in the specific case of Hermite and Laguerre diagonal differential operators. Additionally, we provide a new algebraic characterization of the Hermite multiplier sequences and also extend a recent result of T. Forgács and A. Piotrowski on hyperbolicity properties of the polynomial coefficients in hyperbolicity preserving Hermite diagonal differential operators. (Received September 08, 2015)