

A theorem on the structure of linear operations

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In a previous paper [1] I proved a general theorem concerning linear operations depending on a parameter¹⁾. This theorem contains as particular cases some theorems of Saks [7], [8] concerning the structure of the sequences of operations with values in the space of measurable functions, *viz.* those which deal with the behaviour of the sequences at individual points. Some new theorems of Saks's type were also obtained in [1] as applications. However, the theorems of Saks, dealing with the behaviour of the sequences in the mean, were not obtainable from the results of [1].

It is the purpose of this paper to generalize the results of [1] so as to fill the above-mentioned gap.

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1. Preliminary definitions

T will denote an abstract set in which a σ -algebra \mathfrak{E} of subsets (Halmos [3], p. 28) is defined. We suppose that μ is a σ -measure in \mathfrak{E} , such that $\mu(T) < \infty$. Under these circumstances the measure space (T, \mathfrak{E}, μ) is defined, namely on introducing the distance of two sets $e_1, e_2 \in \mathfrak{E}$ by the formula

$$\varrho(e_1, e_2) = \mu((e_1 + e_2) - e_1 e_2)$$

we get a pseudometric space. Identifying two sets $e_1, e_2 \in \mathfrak{E}$ if $\varrho(e_1, e_2) = 0$ we get a metric space which is also denoted by (T, \mathfrak{E}, μ) ; this space is complete. We shall suppose in the sequel that the space (T, \mathfrak{E}, μ) is separable (it is usual to call the measure *separable* in this case). By e, h ,

¹⁾ This paper has many points in common with the paper [6] of Orlicz which also aims at deducing some theorems of Saks' type from a general theorem. The methods of Orlicz are different from ours and are suitable for systems of operations depending only on a discrete denumerable parameter. Professor Orlicz has been the first to introduce the operation $U(x|e)$ (see below).

$e_n, h_n, e', e'', e''', h'$ we shall denote sets of \mathfrak{C} . L will denote an arbitrary linear space.

By Y we shall denote an F -space (Banach [2], p. 35) which has the following properties: the elements of Y are functions from T to L , and the addition and multiplication by scalars are defined in the usual way. Denoting by y_e , for every $y \in Y$ and $e \in \mathfrak{C}$, the function defined by the equations

$$y_e(t) = \begin{cases} y(t) & \text{for } t \in e, \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere,} \end{cases}$$

we suppose the following postulates to be satisfied:

- (a₁) $y \in Y, e \in \mathfrak{C}$ implies $y_e \in Y$;
 (a₂) $y \in Y, e \in \mathfrak{C}$ implies $\|y_e\| \leq \|y\|$;
 (a₃) $\mu(e_n) \rightarrow 0$ implies $\|y_{e_n}\| \rightarrow 0$.

These postulates give to the elements of Y a certain character of measurability. We deduce easily

- (a₄) $\mu(e) = 0$ implies $\|y_e\| = 0$,
 (a₅) $y_e \in Y, y_h \in Y$ implies $y_{e+h} \in Y$.

Indeed, (a₄) being trivial, we prove only (a₅). By (a₁) $y_{h-e} = (y_h)_{h-e} \in Y$, hence $y_{e+h} = y_e + y_{h-e}$ belongs to Y as the sum of two elements of the space.

X will denote a separable F -space.

B will stand for an analytic set²⁾ in Y satisfying the following condition:

- (b₁) $y \in B_1, e \in \mathfrak{C}$ implies $y_e \in B$.

In sections 3, 4 we shall postulate that the set B is linear; in this case it will satisfy the following condition:

- (b₂) $y_e \in B, y_h \in B$ implies $y_{e+h} \in B$

(the proof is analogous to this of (a₅)).

In Theorem 2 the following condition will be needed:

- (b₃) $y_{e_n} \in B$ (for $n=1, 2, \dots$), and $e = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e_n$ implies $y_e \in B$.

Let $U(x)$ be an arbitrary linear operation from X to Y . We set

$$U(x|e) = U(x)_e.$$

The main result of this paper (Theorem 1) states that in the case of the operation U being linear the set T may be decomposed, $T = e + h$, in such a manner that for every x the element $U(x|e)$ is "nearly contained" in B and that no set $h' \subset h$ of positive measure has this property, unless x belongs to a set of the first category.

2. Properties of the operation $U(x|e)$

LEMMA 1. The operation $U(x|e)$ is continuous in the space $X \times (T, \mathfrak{C}, \mu)$.

Proof. The operation $U(x|e)$ is continuous for fixed x . This follows from (a₃). Let $x_n \rightarrow x_0, e_n \rightarrow e_0$ and write $V_n(x) = U(x|e_n)$. Then $V_n(x)$ is a sequence of linear operations from X to Y , convergent everywhere, whence by a theorem of Mazur and Orlicz ([5], p. 153-154)

$$\|V_n(x_n) - V_n(x_0)\| \rightarrow 0,$$

which implies

$$U(x_n|e_n) \rightarrow U(x_0|e_0).$$

The following condition (B, h, ε) will be needed:

There is a set e such that $\mu(h-e) < \varepsilon$ and $U(x|e) \in B$.

The set of the elements x for which this condition is satisfied will be written $P(B, h, \varepsilon)$.

LEMMA 2. For every h and $\varepsilon > 0$ the set $P(B, h, \varepsilon)$ is analytic.

Proof. The set \mathfrak{H} of the elements $e \in (T, \mathfrak{C}, \mu)$ for which $\mu(h-e) < \varepsilon$, is obviously open. The set Q of the couples (x, e) such that $U(x|e) \in B$ is analytic, for it is the inverse image under U of the analytic set B . Using the symbolical notation (Kuratowski [4], p. 1-13) we can write

$$P(B, h, \varepsilon) = E \left\{ \sum_x \left[(x, e) \in Q(X \times \mathfrak{H}) \right] \right\},$$

that is, $P(B, h, \varepsilon)$ is the projection on X of the analytic set $Q(X \times \mathfrak{H})$; hence it is analytic too.

LEMMA 3. Let the set B be linear. If the set $P(B, h, \varepsilon)$ is of the second category, then the set $P(B, h, 2\varepsilon)$ is residual.

Proof. Since $P(B, h, \varepsilon)$ is an analytic set, it fulfils the condition of Baire; hence it contains a sphere except a set of the first category. Hence the set W of the differences of the elements of $P(B, h, \varepsilon)$ contains a set $S = K - N$ where K is a sphere with centre 0 and N is of the first category. We notice now that $x_1, x_2 \in P(B, h, \varepsilon)$ implies $x_1 - x_2 \in P(B, h, 2\varepsilon)$, for there are sets e_1, e_2 such that $\mu(h-e_1) < \varepsilon, \mu(h-e_2) < \varepsilon, U(x_1|e_1) \in B, U(x_2|e_2) \in B$, hence for the set $e = e_1, e_2$ we have $\mu(h-e) < 2\varepsilon$ and $U(x_1|e) = U(x_1|e_1) \in B$,

²⁾ By an analytic set we mean any set which is the result of the operation A (Kuratowski [4], p. 4) performed upon open sets.

$U(x_2|e) = U(x_2|e_2) \in B$. It follows now that $K - NCP(B, h, 2\varepsilon)$. Finally, it is obvious that $x \in P(B, h, 2\varepsilon)$ implies $\lambda x \in P(B, h, 2\varepsilon)$, whence

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(K - N)CP(B, h, 2\varepsilon), \quad X - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} nNCP(B, h, 2\varepsilon),$$

nA denoting in these formulae the set of the elements na with $a \in A$. The set nN is obviously of the first category.

3. Decomposition theorems

In this paragraph the set B will be supposed to be linear.

THEOREM 1. *There exists a decomposition $T = e + h$ and a residual set R in X such that*

(i) *for every x and every $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists a set e' such that $\mu(e - e') < \varepsilon$ and $U(x|e') \in B$,*

(ii) *for every $x \in R$ and every set $h' \subset h$ of positive measure $U(x|h')$ non $\in B$.*

Proof. Let \mathfrak{F} be the class of the sets h for which the condition (B, h, ε) is satisfied for every x and every $\varepsilon > 0$, and let σ denote the supremum of the measures of the sets in \mathfrak{F} . There exist sets $e_n \in \mathfrak{F}$ such that $\sigma - 1/n \leq \mu(e_n)$. Let us write

$$e = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e_n, \quad h = T - e.$$

The condition (i) is then evidently satisfied.

Now consider the following condition:

(n) there exists a set $h' \subset h$ such that $\mu(h') > 0$ and $U(x|h') \in B$.

To prove (ii) it suffices to show that the set Z of the elements x satisfying the condition (n) is of the first category. Suppose the contrary, and denote by Q_n the set of the elements x for which there exists a set $h' \subset h$ such that

$$\mu(h') > 1/n \quad \text{and} \quad U(x|h') \in B.$$

Clearly

$$Z = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} Q_n,$$

whence one of the sets Q_n , say Q_r , must also be of the second category. In the class \mathfrak{G} of the sets $h' \subset h$ of measure not less than $\alpha = 1/r$ there exists a sequence k_n composing a dense set. Let us write $X_{mn} = P(B, k_n, 2^{-m})$, then

$$Q_r \subset \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_{mn},$$

hence for every m there is an n_m such that the set $X_{m n_m}$ is of the second category. By Lemma 3 the set $P(B, k_{n_m}, 2^{-m+1})$ is residual. Now write

$$W = \prod_{m=1}^{\infty} P(B, k_{n_m}, 2^{-m+1}), \quad e' = \overline{\lim}_{m \rightarrow \infty} k_{n_m}.$$

Then the set W is residual, and

$$\mu(e') \geq \overline{\lim}_{m \rightarrow \infty} \mu(k_{n_m}) \geq \alpha.$$

Let $x \in W$, then for every m there exists a set $e_m(x)$ such that

$$\mu(k_{n_m} - e_m(x)) < 2^{-m+1} \quad \text{and} \quad U(x|e_m(x)) \in B.$$

We may suppose freely that $e_1(x) \subset e_2(x) \subset \dots$. Then

$$\mu(e' - e_m(x)) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \mu(e' - e_m(x)) = 0,$$

for we have

$$\mu(e' - e_m(x)) \leq \mu\left(\sum_{n=p}^{\infty} k_{n_m} - e_m(x)\right) \leq \sum_{n=p}^{\infty} \mu(k_{n_m} - e_m(x)) \leq 2^{-p+2}.$$

Thus $W \subset P(B, e', \varepsilon)$ for every $\varepsilon > 0$, whence

$$W \subset \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} P(B, e', 1/n) = V.$$

The set V is evidently linear, it satisfies the condition of Baire (being analytic) and is residual since it includes the set W . This implies $X = V$.

Now for every $x \in V$, $\varepsilon > 0$ the condition (B, e', ε) is satisfied, hence $e' \in \mathfrak{F}$. This, however, leads to a contradiction, since $(e' + e) \in \mathfrak{F}$ and $\mu(e + e') = \mu(e) + \mu(e') = \sigma + \alpha > \sigma$, contrarily to the definition of the number σ .

Now the question arises whether or not the set e' in the assertion (i) of Theorem 1 might be chosen independently of x , i. e. whether (i) might be replaced by the following assertion:

(i') for every $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists a set e' such that $\mu(e - e') < \varepsilon$ and $U(x|e') \in B$ for every x .

We shall show by a counterexample that the answer is negative. Let $X = Y$ be the well-known space L of the Lebesgue measurable functions in $[a, b]$, $U(x) = x$. By B we shall denote the subset of Y composed of essentially bounded functions. This set is linear and of F_σ type. By well-known theorems (i) is true with $e = [a, b]$; however, a set of positive measure on which all functions of L are simultaneously essentially bounded, does not exist.

THEOREM 2. Let the set B satisfy the condition (b_3) . Then there exists a decomposition $T=e+h$ and a residual set $RC X$ such that

- (i') $U(x|e) \in B$ for every x ,
(ii') $U(x|h')$ non $\in B$ for every $x \in R$ and every set $h' \subset h$ of positive measure.

The proof is obvious.

4. Applications

Now we shall present some applications of the above theorems.

Let us denote by \mathfrak{S} the space of the sequences $y = \{\eta_n(t)\}$ of real valued μ -measurable functions defined on T . The elements of this space may be considered as functions defined in T , with values in the space \mathfrak{s} of the sequences of real numbers (Banach [2], p. 10). We define the addition and multiplication by scalars in \mathfrak{S} as usual, and the norm as

$$\|y\| = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \int_T \frac{|\eta_n(t)|}{1+|\eta_n(t)|} dt;$$

then \mathfrak{S} becomes an F -space. Upon setting $L = \mathfrak{s}$, $Y = \mathfrak{S}$ we see that the conditions (a_1) - (a_3) are satisfied. A sequence $y_k = \{\eta_{nk}(t)\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$ of elements of \mathfrak{S} converges to $y = \{\eta_n(t)\}$ if and only if

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \eta_{nk}(t) = \eta_n(t) \quad \text{for } n=1,2,\dots$$

Denote by B_1, \dots, B_5 the sets of the elements $y = \{\eta_n(t)\}$ of \mathfrak{S} for which the following conditions are satisfied respectively:

- (1) the sequence $\{\eta_n(t)\}$ is asymptotically bounded (i.e. $\lambda_n \rightarrow 0$ implies $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \eta_n(t) = 0$); this is equivalent to the following condition: for every $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists a K such that for any n

$$\mu\{E\{|\eta_n(t)| > K\}\} < \varepsilon,$$

- (2) the sequence $\{\eta_n(t)\}$ converges asymptotically,
(3) the sequence $\{\eta_n(t)\}$ is bounded a. e. (almost everywhere);
(4) the sequence $\{\eta_n(t)\}$ converges a. e.,
(5) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\eta_n(t)|^{\alpha} < \infty$ a. e. ($\alpha > 0$),
(6) $\sup_n \int_T |\eta_n(t)|^{\alpha} dt < \infty$ ($\alpha > 0$),
(7) the sequence $\{\eta_n(t)\}$ converges in L^{α} ($\alpha > 0$),
(8) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_T |\eta_n(t)|^{\alpha} dt < \infty$ ($\alpha > 0$).

These sets are obviously linear; we shall prove that they are measurable (B).

Ad B_1 . The set

$$A_{nmp} = E\{y = \{\eta_i(t)\}, \mu\{E\{|\eta_n(t)| > m\}\} \leq 1/p\}$$

is evidently closed and

$$B_1 = \prod_{p=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} A_{nmp}.$$

Ad B_2 . The sets

$$B_{nmpq} = E\{y = \{\eta_i(t)\}, \mu\{E\{|\eta_m(t) - \eta_n(t)| > 1/p\}\} \leq 1/q\}$$

are closed and

$$B_2 = \prod_{p=1}^{\infty} \prod_{q=1}^{\infty} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \prod_{m=r}^{\infty} \prod_{n=r}^{\infty} B_{nmpq}.$$

Ad B_3 . Given any element $y = \{\eta_n(t)\}$ let us write

$$\omega_n(y) = \omega_n(y, t) = \max_{i=1, \dots, n} |\eta_i(t)|.$$

Then $\|y_n - y\| \rightarrow 0$ implies

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \omega_s(y_s, t) = \omega_n(y_s, t) \quad \text{for every } n.$$

The sequence $\{\eta_n(t)\}$ is bounded if and only if the sequence $\{\omega_n(y, t)\}$ is asymptotically bounded, hence

$$B_3 = \prod_{p=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} A_{nmp}^*$$

where

$$A_{nmp}^* = E\{\mu\{E\{\omega_n(y, t) > m\}\} \leq 1/p\}.$$

We shall prove that the sets A_{nmp}^* are closed. Let $y_k \in A_{nmp}^*$, $y_k \rightarrow y$, and write

$$e_k = E\{\omega_n(y_k, t) > m\},$$

then $\mu(e_k) \leq 1/p$. Since

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \omega_n(y_k, t) = \omega_n(y, t),$$

there exists a sequence $\{k_i\}$ such that $\omega_n(y_{k_i}, t) \rightarrow \omega_n(y, t)$ a. e.

Let us write

$$e_0 = \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} e_{k_i},$$

then $\mu(e_0) \leq 1/p$ and $teT - e_0$ implies $teT - e_{k_i}$ (the sequence $\{k_i\}$ being extracted from $\{k_i\}$) whence $\omega_n(y_{k_i}, t) \leq m$. It follows that $\omega_n(y, t) \leq m$ a. e. in $T - e_0$, thus

$$E \left[\omega_n(y, t) > m \right] \subset e_0$$

and $y \in A_{nmp}^*$.

Ad B_4 . Write

$$\omega_{pq}(y, t) = \max_{p \leq i < j \leq q} |\eta_i(t) - \eta_j(t)|$$

and

$$D_{pqmn} = E \left\{ \mu \left(E \left[\omega_{pq}(y, t) > 1/m \right] \right) \leq 1/n \right\}.$$

We can prove, as above, that the sets D_{pqmn} are closed; then we apply the formula

$$B_4 = \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \prod_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \prod_{p=k}^{\infty} \prod_{q=k}^{\infty} D_{pqmn}.$$

Ad B_5 . We write

$$E_{nm} = E \left\{ y = \{ \eta_i(t) \}, \int_T |\eta_i(t)|^a dt \leq m \right\}.$$

This set is closed. For, if $y_k = \{ \eta_{kp} \}_{p=1,2,\dots} \in E_{nm}$, $y_k \rightarrow y$, then there exists a sequence $\{k_i\}$ such that $\eta_{k_i p}(t) \rightarrow \eta_p(t)$ a. e., whence by Fatou's lemma

$$\int_T |\eta_p(t)|^a dt \leq \liminf_{i \rightarrow \infty} \int_T |\eta_{k_i p}(t)|^a dt,$$

i. e. $y \in E_{nm}$. (B)-measurability of the set B_5 follows by formula

$$B_5 = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} E_{nm}.$$

The proofs in the remaining cases are similar.

All the sets $B_1 - B_5$ have the properties (b₁) and (b₂). The sets B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4, B_5 have also the property (b₃).

Let us denote by \mathfrak{S} the space of measurable functions $\eta = \eta(t)$ defined in T , with the norm

$$\|\eta\| = \int_T \frac{|\eta(t)|}{1 + |\eta(t)|} dt.$$

It is an F -space (Banach [2], p. 9). An operation $V(x) = V(x, t)$ from X to \mathfrak{S} is linear if it is additive and $x_n \rightarrow 0$ implies

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} V(x_n, t) = 0.$$

We shall consider any sequence $\{V_n(x, t)\}$ of linear operations from X to \mathfrak{S} as an operation $U(x, t) = \{V_n(x, t)\}$ from X to \mathfrak{S} . Taking as Y the space \mathfrak{S} we derive from Theorems 1 and 2 the

THEOREM 3. Given any sequence $\{V_n(x, t)\}$ of linear operations from X to \mathfrak{S} there exist decompositions $T = e_1 + h_1 = \dots = e_s + h_s$ and a residual set R such that³⁾:

- (i₁) $V_n(x, t)$ is asymptotically bounded on e_1 for every x ,
- (ii₁) $V_n(x, t)$ is not asymptotically bounded on every set $h \subset h_1$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$,
- (i₂) $V_n(x, t)$ converges asymptotically on e_2 for every x ,
- (ii₂) $V_n(x, t)$ does not converge asymptotically on every set $h \subset h_2$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$,
- (i₃) $V_n(x, t)$ is bounded a. e. in e_3 for every x ,
- (ii₃) $V_n(x, t)$ is unbounded a. e. in h_3 for every $x \in R$,
- (i₄) $V_n(x, t)$ converges a. e. in e_4 for every x ,
- (ii₄) $V_n(x, t)$ diverges a. e. in h_4 for every $x \in R$,
- (i₅) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |V_n(x, t)|^a < \infty$ a. e. in e_5 for every x ,
- (ii₅) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |V_n(x, t)|^a = \infty$ a. e. in h_5 for every $x \in R$.

Moreover, for every x and $\varepsilon > 0$ there exist sets e', e'', e''' such that $\mu(e_6 - e') < \varepsilon$, $\mu(e_7 - e'') < \varepsilon$, $\mu(e_8 - e''') < \varepsilon$ and

- (i₆) $\sup_n \int_{e'} |V_n(x, t)|^a dt < \infty$,
- (ii₆) $\sup_n \int_h |V_n(x, t)|^a dt = \infty$ for every set $h \subset h_6$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$,
- (i₇) $\lim_{n, m \rightarrow \infty} \int_{e''} |V_n(x, t) - V_m(x, t)|^a dt = 0$,
- (ii₇) $\overline{\lim}_{n, m \rightarrow \infty} \int_h |V_n(x, t) - V_m(x, t)|^a dt > 0$ for every set $h \subset h_7$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$,
- (i₈) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_{e'''} |V_n(x, t)|^a dt < \infty$,
- (ii₈) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_h |V_n(x, t)|^a dt = \infty$ for every set $h \subset h_8$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$.

³⁾ Orlicz [6] deduces also all the cases considered here from a general theorem.

Now denote by \mathfrak{S}_1 the space of the functions $y = \eta_\lambda(t)$ depending on the parameter $\lambda \in [a, b]$, which are continuous in λ for fixed t , and μ -measurable for fixed λ . The norm is defined as

$$\|y\| = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \int_a^b \frac{\max_{a \leq \lambda \leq a_n} |\eta_\lambda(t)|}{1 + \max_{a \leq \lambda \leq a_n} |\eta_\lambda(t)|} dt,$$

where $a_n \rightarrow b^-$; this space is complete. The elements of \mathfrak{S}_1 will be regarded as sequences depending on the continuous parameter λ . Choosing as L the space of the functions which are continuous in $[a, b]$ we easily see that we can consider \mathfrak{S}_1 as the space Y of type described in section 1. Denote by B_1, \dots, B_5 the sets of the elements of \mathfrak{S}_1 for which respectively

- (1) the sequence $\eta_\lambda(t)$ is asymptotically bounded when $\lambda \rightarrow b^-$,
- (2) the sequence $\eta_\lambda(t)$ converges asymptotically when $\lambda \rightarrow b^-$,
- (3) $\int_a^b d\lambda \int_a^b \eta_\lambda(t) dt$ exists,
- (4) $\lim_{\lambda, \mu \rightarrow b^-} \int_a^b |\eta_\lambda(t) - \eta_\mu(t)|^a dt = 0$ ($a > 0$),
- (5) $\int_a^b [\text{var}_{a \leq \lambda < b} \eta_\lambda(t)]^a dt < \infty$ ($a > 0$).

All these sets are linear, measurable (B), and satisfy the conditions (b_1) , (b_2) ; the sets B_1, B_2 satisfy also the condition (b_3) .

Similarly to Theorem 3 we can deduce now

THEOREM 4. Let $V_\lambda(x, t)$ denote for fixed $\lambda \in [a, b]$ a linear operation from X to S ; suppose it to be continuous in λ for fixed x and t . Then there exist decompositions $T = e_1 + h_1 = \dots = e_5 + h_5$ and a residual set R such that

- (i₁) the sequence $V_\lambda(x, t)$ is asymptotically bounded on e_1 for every x , as $\lambda \rightarrow b^-$,
- (ii₁) for every set $h \subset h_1$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$ the sequence $V_\lambda(x, t)$ is not asymptotically bounded on h , as $\lambda \rightarrow b^-$,
- (i₂) $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow b^-} \text{var}_{a \leq \lambda < b} V_\lambda(x, t)$ exists on e_2 for every x ,
- (ii₂) $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow b^-} \text{var}_{a \leq \lambda < b} V_\lambda(x, t)$ does not exist on every set $h \subset h_2$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$.

Moreover, for every x and $\varepsilon > 0$ there exist sets e', e'', e''' such that $\mu(e_3 - e') < \varepsilon$, $\mu(e_4 - e'') < \varepsilon$, $\mu(e_5 - e''') < \varepsilon$ and

$$^4) \int_a^b \varphi(\lambda) d\lambda = \lim_{t \rightarrow b^-} \int_a^t \varphi(\lambda) d\lambda.$$

$$^5) \text{var } \varphi_2 = \sup_{a \leq \lambda < b} \text{var}_{a \leq \lambda < b} \varphi_\mu.$$

$$(i_3) \int_a^b d\lambda \int_a^b V_\lambda(x, t) dt \text{ exists,}$$

(ii₃) $\int_a^b d\lambda \int_a^b V_\lambda(x, t) dt$ does not exist for every set $h \subset h_3$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$,

$$(i_4) \lim_{\lambda, \mu \rightarrow b^-} \int_a^b |V_\lambda(x, t) - V_\mu(x, t)|^a dt = 0,$$

(ii₄) $\lim_{\lambda, \mu \rightarrow b^-} \int_a^b |V_\lambda(x, t) - V_\mu(x, t)|^a dt > 0$ for every set $h \subset h_4$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$,

$$(i_5) \int_a^b [\text{var}_{a \leq \lambda < b} V_\lambda(x, t)]^a dt < \infty,$$

(ii₅) $\int_a^b [\text{var}_{a \leq \lambda < b} V_\lambda(x, t)]^a dt = \infty$ for every set $h \subset h_5$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$.

Now let us denote by X a separable F -space composed of functions $x = x(\zeta)$ of the complex variable ζ , defined for $|\zeta| < 1$, continuous on every radius $\arg \zeta = \text{const}$, and measurable for $|\zeta| = \text{const}$. Suppose further that $\|x_n\| \rightarrow 0$ implies $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n(re^{it}) = 0$ for fixed r . Suppose that the addition and multiplication are defined in X as usual and that $x(\zeta) \in X$, $h \in \mathfrak{E}$ implies $e_h(\varphi) x(re^{it}) \in X$, where $e_h(\varphi)$ stands for the characteristic function (of the variable φ) of the set h . Then setting $V_\lambda(x, t) = x(\lambda e^{it})$ we deduce immediately from Theorem 4 the

THEOREM 5. There exist decompositions $T = e_1 + h_1 = e_2 + h_2$ and a residual set R such that

- (i₁) the sequence $x(\lambda e^{it})$ is asymptotically bounded on e_1 as $\lambda \rightarrow 1^-$,
- (ii₁) the sequence $x(\lambda e^{it})$ is not asymptotically bounded on every set $h \subset h_1$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$,
- (i₂) $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 1^-} \text{var}_{a \leq \lambda < b} x(\lambda e^{it})$ exists on e_2 for every x ,
- (ii₂) $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 1^-} \text{var}_{a \leq \lambda < b} x(\lambda e^{it})$ does not exist on every set $h \subset h_2$ of positive measure and every $x \in R$.

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Sur les fonctionnelles multiplicatives

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Introduction

Ce travail est une continuation de mon article précédent [2]. Nous y considérons un sous-espace linéaire fermé \mathcal{E} de l'espace \bar{X} conjugué à un espace X du type B ; un espace linéaire fermé \mathcal{R} d'opérations linéaires de \mathcal{E} à \mathcal{E} ; enfin un espace linéaire \mathcal{M} de fonctionnelles linéaires dans \mathcal{R} , qui satisfont à l'axiome qui était désigné dans [2] par (F) . Cet axiome sera cité plus loin sous la condition (12). A toute fonctionnelle F qui appartient à \mathcal{M} , nous faisons correspondre une opération T_F linéaire de \mathcal{E} à \mathcal{E} , notamment

$$T_F \varphi x = \frac{d}{df} F_{\varphi f} \{ \psi x \cdot \varphi y \} \quad (\varphi \in \mathcal{E}, x \in X)$$

(voir [2], Introduction).

Nous étudions ensuite l'équation $\varphi + T_F \varphi = \psi$ ($\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{E}$), en faisant correspondre à l'opération $I + T_F$ un nombre $D(F)$ qu'on appelle le *déterminant* de cette équation.

En général, on ne peut pas demander que le nombre correspondant à l'équation $(I + T_{F_1})(I + T_{F_2})\varphi = \psi$ soit égal à $D(F_1) \cdot D(F_2)$, vu que la fonctionnelle F et, par conséquent, $D(F)$ ne sont pas déterminées par T_F .

Nous introduisons ici une sorte de „multiplication” des éléments de \mathcal{M} , de manière que l'on ait

$$T_{(F^{(1)}, F^{(2)})} = T_{F^{(1)}} \cdot T_{F^{(2)}} \quad \text{pour } F^{(i)} \in \mathcal{M} \quad (i=1, 2);$$

nous démontrerons que la fonctionnelle $D(F)$ vérifie l'équation

$$D(F^{(1)}) \cdot D(F^{(2)}) = D(F^{(1)} + F^{(2)} + F^{(1)}F^{(2)})$$

pour tout couple $F^{(1)}, F^{(2)}$ d'éléments permutablement de \mathcal{M}^1 .

I. Considérations générales

Soit \mathcal{A} un anneau du type (B) , c'est-à-dire un anneau linéaire avec une norme homogène $\|A\|$ satisfaisant à l'inégalité $\|A \cdot B\| \leq \|A\| \cdot \|B\|$ pour $A \in \mathcal{A}, B \in \mathcal{A}$; regardé comme espace linéaire, cet anneau est un es-

¹⁾ M. R. Sikorski a remplacé la condition de permutablement d'éléments $F^{(1)}, F^{(2)}$ par une autre, moins restrictive.