

IDENTICAL CLASSES OF MULTIPLIERS FOR WALSH SERIES

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1. Introduction

We shall denote the set of non-negative integers by \mathbf{N} , the set of real numbers by \mathbf{R} , and the set of dyadic rationals in the unit interval $\mathbf{I} = [0, 1)$ by \mathbf{Q} . In particular, each element of \mathbf{Q} has the form $m/2^n$ for some $m, n \in \mathbf{N}$ with $0 \leq m < 2^n$. Sequences are indexed by \mathbf{N} and are written in the form $a = (a_n, n \in \mathbf{N})$. Furthermore, if the limits of a sum are not indicated, then it is taken with respect to \mathbf{N} .

By dyadic interval in \mathbf{I} we mean intervals of the form $[m/2^n, (m+1)/2^n)$ for some $m, n \in \mathbf{N}$ with $0 \leq m < 2^n$. Given $n \in \mathbf{N}$ and $x \in \mathbf{I}$ let $I_n(x)$ denote the dyadic interval of length 2^{-n} that contains x .

For each $n \in \mathbf{N}$ let \mathcal{A}^n represent the σ -algebra generated by the dyadic intervals of length 2^{-n} . Thus every element of \mathcal{A}^n is a finite union of intervals of the form $[k/2^n, (k+1)/2^n)$, where $k \in \mathbf{N}$ and $k < 2^n$. The collection of \mathcal{A}^n -measurable real functions on \mathbf{I} will be denoted by $L(\mathcal{A}^n)$ and the set of dyadic step functions by \mathcal{P} , i.e.

$$\mathcal{P} := \bigcup_n L(\mathcal{A}^n)$$

(see [14], p.75). The set of *W-continuous* functions, i.e. the closure of dyadic step functions in the supremum norm

$$\|f\| := \sup_{t \in \mathbf{I}} |f(t)|$$

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is denoted by $C_W := C_W(\mathbf{I})$. Let $C := C(\mathbf{I})$ denote the Banach space equivalent to $C[0, 1]$, whose elements are received by restricting the functions in $C[0, 1]$ to \mathbf{I} . The space C is a vector subspace of C_W . For details and another characterization of C_W see [14], p.9 and p.50. The Banach space of functions g of bounded variation on \mathbf{I} with $g(0) = 0$ and with the norm $\|g\|_{BV} := \text{var}_{\mathbf{I}}(g)$ is denoted by $BV := BV(\mathbf{I})$ (cf. [11], p.135, [10], p.62).

We denote by $|Y|$ the Lebesgue measure of the measurable subset Y in \mathbf{I} . The $L^p := L^p(\mathbf{I})$ quasi-norm or norm ($0 < p \leq \infty$) of a function $f \in L^p$ will be denoted by $\|f\|_p$. For any subspace $X \subseteq L^1$ let X_0 be the set of functions $f \in X$ whose integral is zero, i.e.

$$X_0 := \{f \in X : \int_{\mathbf{I}} f(t) dt = 0\}.$$

The conditional expectation of a function $f \in L^1$ with respect to \mathcal{A}^n is denoted by $E_n f$ and can be given in the form (see [14], pp.29 and 75)

$$(E_n f)(x) = \frac{1}{|I_n(x)|} \int_{I_n(x)} f(t) dt \quad (x \in \mathbf{I}, n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

For the definition of dyadic Hardy spaces H^p we shall use the *dyadic maximal function* which is defined by

$$f^*(t) := \sup_n |(E_n f)(t)| \quad (f \in L^1, t \in \mathbf{I}).$$

Let $p \geq 1$ and H^p the set of functions $f \in L^1$ for which

$$\|f\|_{H^p} := \|f^*\|_p < \infty.$$

The space H^1 can be identified with a proper subspace of L^1 , but $H^p = L^p$ for $1 < p < \infty$ (see [14], pp.104 and 138).

It is well known that for $1 \leq p < \infty$ the dual of L^p is L^q , where $1/p + 1/q = 1$. The dual of H^1 is the space of functions of *bounded mean oscillation*, in notation BMO (see [14], p.107). A function $f \in L^2_0$ is said to belong to BMO if

$$\|f\|_{BMO} := \sup_n \|(E_n(f - E_n f))^2\|_{\infty}^{1/2} < \infty.$$

The subspace of functions in BMO satisfying

$$\lim_n \|(E_n(f - E_n f))^2\|_{\infty}^{1/2} = 0$$

is denoted by VMO , and it is called the space of functions of *vanishing mean oscillation*. The space VMO is the closure of the set \mathcal{P} of dyadic step functions in BMO -norm and the dual of VMO is H_0^1 (see [14], p.114, Theorem 10).

Denote by $w = (w_n, n \in \mathbf{N})$ the Walsh system in Paley's ordering. The values of the Walsh functions at $x \in \mathbf{I}$ can be expressed by the bits of x in the binary expansion $x = \sum x_k 2^{-(k+1)}$, where each $x_k = 0$ or 1. If $x \in \mathbf{I} \setminus \mathbf{Q}$, then this expansion is uniquely determined. By the dyadic expansion of an $x \in \mathbf{Q}$, we shall always mean the one which terminates in 0's.

There is a direct connection between dyadic expansions and Walsh functions. Namely,

$$w_n(x) = (-1)^{[n,x]},$$

where

$$[n, x] := \sum n_k x_k \pmod{2} \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}, x \in \mathbf{I}),$$

and $n_k \in \{0, 1\}$ are the binary coefficients of $n \in \mathbf{N}$, i.e. $n = \sum n_k 2^k$. This implies that the Walsh functions behave almost like characters with respect to dyadic addition. Namely, for almost every $x, y \in \mathbf{I}$ we have

$$(1.1) \quad w_n(x \dot{+} y) = w_n(x) w_n(y) \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}),$$

where the dyadic sum of x and y is defined (cf. [14], p.10) by

$$x \dot{+} y = \sum |x_k - y_k| 2^{-(k+1)}.$$

Using the concept of dyadic addition we can introduce for an arbitrary function f defined on \mathbf{I} the *dyadic translation operator* τ_y (cf. [14], p.13) by

$$(\tau_y f)(x) := f(x \dot{+} y) \quad (x, y \in \mathbf{I}).$$

The *dyadic convolution* of $f, g \in L^1$ is defined by

$$(1.2) \quad (f * g)(x) := \int_{\mathbf{I}} f(x \dot{+} y) g(y) dy \quad (x \in \mathbf{I}).$$

The Banach subspaces of L^1 mentioned before are homogeneous with respect to the dyadic translation. A Banach space $X \subseteq L^1$ with the norm $\|\cdot\|_X$ is called a *homogeneous Banach space* if the set \mathcal{P} of dyadic step functions is dense in X , $\|f\|_1 \leq \|f\|_X$ for all $f \in X$ and its norm is translation invariant, i.e.

$$\text{if } f \in X \text{ and } y \in \mathbf{I} \text{ then } \tau_y f \in X \text{ and } \|\tau_y f\|_X = \|f\|_X.$$

For $1 \leq p < \infty$ the L^p and H^p spaces, the spaces C_W and VMO are homogeneous Banach spaces (see [14], pp.155, 9 and 107).

The Orlicz spaces L_Φ with the complementary Young function Ψ (see, for example, [3], p.291) satisfying $\Psi(1) \leq 1$ are also homogeneous Banach spaces. Indeed, since Φ satisfies Δ_2 -condition, we have that \mathcal{P} is dense in L_Φ (see [20], p.86, Example 15). The inequality $\|f\|_1 \leq \|f\|_\Phi$ follows from the definition of the norms. At the end translation invariance of the integral yields that L_Φ is a homogeneous Banach space.

Furthermore the spaces L^∞ , L_Ψ and BMO are duals of homogeneous Banach spaces (see [20], pp.138 and 150, and [14], p.114).

2. Walsh coefficients and Walsh series

Walsh series are closely connected to quasi-measures. Denote by \mathfrak{R} the algebra of sets generated by the dyadic intervals in \mathbf{I} . By a quasi-measure we shall mean a real-valued set-function which is finitely additive on \mathfrak{R} . The restriction of every finite Borel-measure on \mathbf{I} to \mathfrak{R} is a quasi-measure, but not conversely (see [14], p.30).

We shall denote the collection of quasi-measures on \mathfrak{R} by QM . Let VM be the set of quasi-measures with finite total variation, and let BM be the set of finite Borel-measures on \mathbf{I} . Moreover, denote by AM the set of absolutely continuous measures in BM . We recall (cf. [14], p.266) that the map $f \mapsto \nu^f$ defined by

$$(2.1) \quad \nu^f(J) := \int_J f(t) dt \quad (J \in \mathfrak{R})$$

is a 1-1 transformation from L^1 onto AM . Moreover, if $\|\nu\|$ denotes the total variation of $\nu \in VM$ then $\|\nu^f\| = \|f\|_1$, i.e. the map in (2.1) is isometric.

For any $\nu \in QM$ and $f \in \mathcal{P}$ the map

$$f \rightarrow \int_{\mathbf{I}} f(t) d\nu(t)$$

is a linear functional on \mathcal{P} . Moreover every linear functional on \mathcal{P} is of this form .

If $\nu \in QM$ then the *Walsh-Fourier-Stieltjes coefficients* (shortly *Walsh coefficients*) of ν are defined by

$$(2.2) \quad \hat{\nu}(n) := \int_{\mathbf{I}} w_n(t) d\nu(t) \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

Since each Walsh function is constant on sufficiently small dyadic intervals, this definition makes sense. It turns out (in contrary with the trigonometric case) that the map $\nu \mapsto \hat{\nu}$ is a 1-1 function from QM onto the space of sequences

$$\mathbf{s} := \{x : x = (x_n, n \in \mathbf{N}), x_n \in \mathbf{R}\}$$

(see [14], p.30).

For $f \in L^1$ the n -th Walsh-Fourier coefficient of f will be denoted by

$$(2.3) \quad \hat{f}(n) := \int_{\mathbf{I}} f(t) w_n(t) dt \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

From (2.1), (2.2) and (2.3) it follows that

$$(2.4) \quad \widehat{\nu f} = \hat{f} \quad (f \in L^1).$$

The dyadic convolution of $f, g \in L^1$ satisfies (see [14], p.25)

$$(\widehat{f * g})(n) = \hat{f}(n) \cdot \hat{g}(n) \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

The convolution (1.2) can be extended for $\nu \in QM$ and $f \in \mathcal{P}$ by

$$(2.5) \quad (f * \nu)(x) := \int_{\mathbf{I}} f(x \dot{+} t) d\nu(t) \quad (x \in \mathbf{I}).$$

The Walsh series of $\nu \in QM$ is defined by

$$(2.6) \quad S\nu := \sum \hat{\nu}(n) w_n,$$

and the set of Walsh series will be denoted by \mathcal{W} . The Walsh series of $f \in L^1$ is defined as

$$(2.7) \quad Sf := S\nu^f.$$

By (2.6), (2.4) and (2.7) we have

$$Sf = \sum \hat{f}(n) w_n.$$

The partial sums of $S\nu$ are defined (cf. [14], p.27) by

$$(2.8) \quad S_0\nu = 0, \quad S_n\nu = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \hat{\nu}(k) w_k \quad (n \in \mathbf{N} \setminus \{0\}).$$

We shall investigate linear subspaces U, V, \dots of the space of quasi-measures QM and denote the corresponding space of the Walsh coefficients by \hat{U}, \hat{V}, \dots , i.e.

$$\hat{U} := \{\hat{\nu} : \nu \in U\}.$$

Since L^1 by (2.1) can be identified with the subspace AM of QM , subspaces of L^1 can also be identified in this way.

A sequence $\lambda = (\lambda_n, n \in \mathbf{N})$ is called a *multiplier of the class* (U, V) if for every $\nu \in U$ we have

$$(\lambda_n \hat{\nu}(n), n \in \mathbf{N}) \in \hat{V},$$

that is $T\nu \in V$ for every $\nu \in U$, where the multiplier operator $T : U \rightarrow V$ generated by the multiplier λ is given by

$$\widehat{T\nu}(n) := \lambda_n \hat{\nu}(n) \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

The aim of this paper is to find relations between several classes of multipliers, using the notions of complementary spaces and summability factors.

Let $A = (\alpha_{nk})$ be a triangular matrix summability method which maps series into sequences. The A -means of the Walsh series $S\nu$ are denoted by $\sigma_n\nu$, i.e.

$$(2.9) \quad \sigma_n\nu := \sum_{k=0}^n \alpha_{nk} \hat{\nu}(k) w_k \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

The operator σ_n is a linear map from QM to the set \mathcal{W} . The corresponding operator from \mathbf{s} to \mathbf{s} will also be denoted by σ_n , i.e.

$$\sigma_n \hat{\nu} := (\alpha_{nk} \hat{\nu}(k), k \in \mathbf{N}) \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

By the definition (2.2) of Walsh coefficients, (2.9) and by (1.1) we have

$$\begin{aligned} (\sigma_n \nu)(x) &= \sum_{k=0}^n \alpha_{nk} w_k(x) \int_{\mathbf{I}} w_k(t) d\nu(t) = \\ &= \int_{\mathbf{I}} \sum_{k=0}^n \alpha_{nk} w_k(x) w_k(t) d\nu(t) = \\ &= \int_{\mathbf{I}} \sum_{k=0}^n \alpha_{nk} w_k(x \dot{+} t) d\nu(t). \end{aligned}$$

Denote K_n the kernels of the summability method A . In this case the kernels can be expressed by a one-variable function, i.e.

$$K_n := \sum_{k=0}^n \alpha_{nk} w_k.$$

Thus $\sigma_n \nu$ can be written in the form

$$(\sigma_n \nu)(x) = \int_{\mathbf{I}} K_n(x \dot{+} t) d\nu(t)$$

and by (2.5) we have

$$\sigma_n \nu = K_n * \nu \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

If $\nu \in AM$, i.e. $\nu = \nu^f$ for some $f \in L^1$ then analogously to (2.7) we introduce the notation

$$\sigma_n f := \sigma_n \nu^f$$

and by (2.4), (2.3) and (1.2) we obtain

$$\sigma_n f = K_n * f \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

The numbers

$$L_n := \|K_n\|_1 \quad (n \in \mathbf{N})$$

are called the *Lebesgue constants* of the summability method A .

Many of the methods A satisfy the conditions

$$(2.10) \quad \sup_{n,k} |\alpha_{nk}| < \infty, \quad \lim_n \alpha_{nk} = 1$$

and

$$(2.11) \quad L_n = O(1).$$

We give the following two examples.

If for $2^j \leq n < 2^{j+1}$ we set $\alpha_{nk} = 1$ if $k \leq 2^j$ and $\alpha_{nk} = 0$ if $k > 2^j$, then $\sigma_n \nu = S_{2^j} \nu$ and the conditions (2.10) and (2.11) are satisfied (see also [14], p.7 and p.48). Thus results with respect to the subsequences of partial sums $(S_{2^j} \nu, j \in \mathbf{N})$ can be obtained in this way.

For the Cesàro method, i.e. if

$$\alpha_{nk} = A_{n-k}^\alpha / A_n^\alpha \quad \text{with} \quad A_n^\alpha := \binom{n+\alpha}{n}$$

the conditions (2.10) are satisfied. The claim (2.11) is known for $\alpha > 0$. For $\alpha = 1$ see [4], p.396, Lemma 2 and 3, and [14], p.46. For $0 < \alpha < 1$ see [19], p.966. The case $\alpha > 1$ follows from a result of Tandori (see [15], p.89; cf. [1], p.66 and 175). For $\alpha = 0$ condition (2.11) is not satisfied (see [12], p.104, and [14], p.34).

3. Some topological properties of A -complementary spaces

Let $\mathbf{x} \subset \mathbf{s}$ be a normed sequence space. The space \mathbf{x} is called a *BK-space*, if \mathbf{x} is complete and the coordinate wise convergence of a sequence follows from its convergence in norm (cf. [21], p.466). This implies that the coordinate functionals

$$(3.1) \quad \ell_k(x) := x_k \quad (x = (x_n, n \in \mathbf{N}) \in \mathbf{s}, k \in \mathbf{N})$$

are bounded for every $k \in \mathbf{N}$.

Denote $A = (\alpha_{nk})$ a triangular matrix summability method, satisfying (2.10). The collection of sequences $y = (y_n, n \in \mathbf{N}) \in \mathbf{s}$ for which the series

$$\sum_n x_n y_n$$

is A -summable for all $x \in \mathbf{x}$, is a vector subspace of \mathbf{s} . This space is called the *A -complementary space* of \mathbf{x} and will be denoted by $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$. Thus $y \in (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ if and only if the sequence $(F_n(x, y), n \in \mathbf{N})$ converges for all $x \in \mathbf{x}$, where

$$(3.2) \quad F_n(x, y) := \sum_{m=0}^n \alpha_{nm} x_m y_m \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}).$$

The space $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ is not empty. Moreover in view of (2.10) the set

$$\mathbf{s}_0 := \{x = (x_n, n \in \mathbf{N}) : \exists N_x \in \mathbf{N} \text{ such that } x_n = 0 \quad \forall n \geq N_x\}$$

generated by the unite sequences

$$e^{(k)} := (\delta_{kn}, n \in \mathbf{N}) \quad (k \in \mathbf{N})$$

is a subspace of $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$.

We prove

Theorem 3.1. *Let $\mathbf{s}_0 \subset \mathbf{x} \subset \mathbf{s}$ be a BK-space and suppose that A satisfies (2.10). Then $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ is also a BK-space with the norm*

$$(3.3) \quad \|y\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} := \sup_n \sup_{\|x\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq 1} |F_n(x, y)|.$$

Proof. The set $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ is a vector space. We prove, that if $y \in (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$, then $\|y\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} < \infty$ in (3.3). In fact, let for $x \in \mathbf{x}$

$$(3.4) \quad G_n x := F_n(x, y) \quad (x \in \mathbf{x})$$

and by (3.1)

$$G_n x = \sum_{m=0}^n \alpha_{nm} y_m \ell_m(x).$$

Since \mathbf{x} is a BK-space we have that $(G_n, n \in \mathbf{N})$ is a sequence of continuous linear functionals on \mathbf{x} (compare [21], p.471, Satz 4.4a). If $y \in (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$, then according to the definition of the space $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$, the sequence $(G_n, n \in \mathbf{N})$ converges for each $x \in \mathbf{x}$, and by the Banach-Steinhaus theorem (see [9], p.41, [13], p.63, [10], p.204) we obtain

$$\|G_n\| = O(1) \quad (n \in \mathbf{N})$$

and therefore (3.3) and (3.4) implies

$$\|y\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} = \sup_n \|G_n\| < \infty.$$

It is clear that (3.3) satisfies the axioms of a norm. In fact, let $\|y\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} = 0$. If there exists a number k with $y_k \neq 0$, then by (2.10) and (3.2) we obtain $|F_n(e^{(k)}, y)| = |\alpha_{nk} y_k| > 0$ for large n . Therefore, $\|y\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} > 0$.

Let us prove that $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ is a complete space. Let $(y^{(i)}, i \in \mathbf{N})$ be a Cauchy sequence in $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$, where

$$y^{(i)} = (y_k^{(i)}, k \in \mathbf{N}) \in \mathbf{s}.$$

Then by (3.2) and (3.3) for any $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists a number $N = N(\varepsilon)$ such that for any $i \geq N$ and any natural number j the inequality

$$(3.5) \quad \|y^{(i)} - y^{(i+j)}\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} = \sup_n \sup_{\|x\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq 1} |F_n(x, y^{(i)} - y^{(i+j)})| < \varepsilon$$

holds. If in (3.5) we put $x = e^{(k)}/\|e^{(k)}\|_{\mathbf{x}}$, then by (3.3) we obtain

$$(3.6) \quad |\alpha_{nk}(y_k^{(i)} - y_k^{(i+j)})|/\|e^{(k)}\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq \|y^{(i)} - y^{(i+j)}\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} < \varepsilon$$

for $i \geq N$ and any j . Therefore, by (2.10) from (3.6) we get

$$|y_k^{(i)} - y_k^{(i+j)}| \leq \|y^{(i)} - y^{(i+j)}\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} \|e^{(k)}\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq \varepsilon \|e^{(k)}\|_{\mathbf{x}}.$$

Consequently there exists a $y \in \mathbf{s}$ with

$$y_k^{(i)} \rightarrow y_k \quad \text{as } i \rightarrow \infty$$

for all $k \in \mathbf{N}$. Recall that $F_n(x, y^{(i)} - y^{(i+j)})$ is a finite sum for any fixed n , and the inequality (3.5) is valid for any j . Hence taking the limit as $j \rightarrow \infty$ we have

$$(3.7) \quad \sup_{\|x\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq 1} |F_n(x, y^{(i)} - y)| \leq \varepsilon$$

for every $i \geq N$ independently on n . Taking sup over n in (3.7), by (3.3) we obtain

$$(3.8) \quad \|y^{(i)} - y\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} \leq \varepsilon$$

for all $i \geq N$. From (3.8) it follows, that $y \in (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$. Indeed, let $x' \in \mathbf{x}$ with $\|x'\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq 1$ and $i \geq N$. Then by (3.2) and (3.7) we have for any $n \in \mathbf{N}$ that

$$\begin{aligned} |F_n(x', y^{(i)}) - F_n(x', y)| &= |F_n(x', y^{(i)} - y)| \leq \\ &\leq \sup\{|F_n(x, y^{(i)} - y)| : \|x\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq 1\} \leq \varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Since $y^{(i)} \in (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$, therefore $(F_n(x', y^{(i)}), n \in \mathbf{N})$ converges for every $i \in \mathbf{N}$. Consequently, $(F_n(x', y), n \in \mathbf{N})$ is also convergent, i.e. $y \in (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ by definition.

It remains now to prove the coordinate-wise convergence in the Banach space $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$. In fact, if we take $\tilde{x} := e^{(k)}/\|e^{(k)}\|_{\mathbf{x}}$, we obtain from (3.2) and (3.3) that

$$|y_k^{(i)} - y_k| |\alpha_{nk}| = |F_n(\tilde{x}, y^{(i)} - y)| \|e^{(k)}\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq \|y^{(i)} - y\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} \|e^{(k)}\|_{\mathbf{x}},$$

whence by (2.10)

$$(3.9) \quad |y_k^{(i)} - y_k| \leq \|y^{(i)} - y\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} \|e^{(k)}\|_{\mathbf{x}}$$

and (3.9) yields that $y_k^{(i)} \rightarrow y_k$ as $i \rightarrow \infty$. Consequently $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ is a *BK*-space.

An immediate consequence of the above Theorem is

Corollary 3.2. *If the space \mathbf{x} of sequences is a BK-space, A satisfies (2.10) and \mathbf{s}_0 is dense in \mathbf{x} , then $y \in (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ if and only if*

$$(3.10) \quad \|y\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} < \infty.$$

Proof. The fact that $y \in (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ implies (3.10) is shown in the proof of Theorem 3.1. We shall prove the converse. Assume that (3.10) holds. Then for the sequence $(G_n, n \in \mathbf{N})$ of continuous linear functionals, defined by (3.4) we have $\|G_n\| = O(1)$. By the Banach–Steinhaus theorem it remains to prove that the sequence $(G_n x, n \in \mathbf{N})$ converges on a dense set in \mathbf{x} . If $x = e^{(k)}$ for some $k \in \mathbf{N}$, then

$$F_n(e^{(k)}, y) = \alpha_{nk} y_k \rightarrow y_k \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

in view of (2.10). Since the linear hull of $\{e^{(k)} : k \in \mathbf{N}\}$ is \mathbf{s}_0 and \mathbf{s}_0 is dense in \mathbf{x} , it follows that $(G_n x, n \in \mathbf{N})$ converges for any $x \in \mathbf{x}$, that is $y \in (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$.

If the space X of quasi-measures ν is a Banach space, then the space $\mathbf{x} = \hat{X}$ of Walsh coefficients $x = \hat{\nu}$ is also a Banach space with the norm $\|x\|_{\mathbf{x}}$, defined by

$$(3.11) \quad \|\hat{\nu}\|_{\hat{X}} := \|\nu\|_X.$$

The Walsh polynomials in QM correspond to the set \mathbf{s}_0 by this map, i.e. $\hat{\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{s}_0$. Let $X \subset QM$ be a Banach space. Set $\mathbf{x} = \hat{X}$ and denote $(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$ the complementary space of \mathbf{x} . The space $Y \subset QM$ of quasi measures satisfying

$$\hat{Y} = (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$$

is called the *complementary space of X* and will be denoted by $(X \rightarrow A)$ (cf. [3], p.299). Hence

$$(X \rightarrow A) = \{\mu : \mu \in QM, (F_n(\hat{\nu}, \hat{\mu}), n \in \mathbf{N}) \in \mathbf{c} \quad \forall \nu \in X\},$$

where \mathbf{c} is the space of all convergent sequences. By Theorem 3.1 the norm of $\mu \in (X \rightarrow A)$ is defined by

$$(3.12) \quad \|\mu\|_{(X \rightarrow A)} := \sup_n \sup_{\|\nu\|_X \leq 1} |F_n(\hat{\nu}, \hat{\mu})|,$$

where the functionals F_n are introduced in (3.2), that is

$$F_n(\hat{\nu}, \hat{\mu}) = \sum_{m=0}^n \alpha_{nm} \hat{\nu}(m) \hat{\mu}(m).$$

We will suppose that $X \subset QM$ is a Banach space and X contains the Walsh polynomials and consequently $\mathbf{s}_0 \subset \hat{X}$. Applying Theorem 3.1 to special subsets of QM we get

Corollary 3.3. *If X is any of the spaces C, C_W, L^p ($p \geq 1$), $L_\Phi, L_\Psi, H^1, BMO, VMO$ or BV and the summability method A satisfies condition (2.10), then the complementary space $(X \rightarrow A)$ is a BK -space with the norm (3.12).*

Proof. Let X one of these spaces. Then X is a Banach space. Moreover we have by (2.2) and (3.11) that

$$|\hat{\mu}(k)| \leq \|\mu\|_{L^1} \leq \|\mu\|_X = \|\hat{\mu}\|_{\hat{X}}.$$

Consequently, \hat{X} is a BK -space. Now by Theorem 3.1 the A -complementary spaces $(X \rightarrow A)$ are BK -spaces with the norm (3.12). In the case if $X = BV$ we get immediately

$$(3.13) \quad |\hat{\mu}(k)| \leq \|\mu\|_{BV}$$

for all $k \in \mathbf{N}$.

The analogue of these results for trigonometric series can be found in [5], Satz 2.1 and Satz 2.3, [6], p.373, [7], Satz 3', [17], Theorem 12 and Theorem 13.

4. Identical classes of multipliers

We shall need the following definition (see [9], p.34, [16], p.202).

Let X be a normed space with the dual space denoted by X' . A closed subset $\Gamma \subset X'$ is called a *norm-determining manifold for X* if for any $x \in X$ we have

$$\sup\{|\varphi(x)| : \|\varphi\|_{X'} \leq 1, \varphi \in \Gamma\} = \|x\|_X.$$

For example, the dual X' itself is a norm determining manifold for X . This follows from the Theorem of sufficiently many continuous linear functionals (see [16], p.186, Theorem 4.3-B, [10], p.117, Theorem 2).

In our investigations we consider sequence spaces $\mathbf{y} \subset \mathbf{s}$ such that the subspace \mathbf{s}_0 is dense in \mathbf{y} . In this case the linear functionals on \mathbf{y} are of the form $\varphi(x) = \langle x, y \rangle$, where

$$\langle x, y \rangle := \sum_k x_k y_k \quad (x \in \mathbf{s}_0).$$

The uniquely determined sequence $y = (y_k, k \in \mathbf{N})$ is called the *generating sequence of the functional φ* .

Let $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \subset \mathbf{s}$. The sequence $\lambda = (\lambda_n, n \in \mathbf{N})$ is called a *multiplier of the class (\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v})* if for every sequence $x = (x_n, n \in \mathbf{N}) \in \mathbf{u}$ we have

$$\lambda x = (\lambda_n x_n, n \in \mathbf{N}) \in \mathbf{v}.$$

We prove the following

Theorem 4.1. *Let the summability method A satisfy (2.10). Let \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{y}' be BK-spaces of sequences and suppose that the set \mathbf{s}_0 is dense in \mathbf{x} and $\mathbf{s}_0 \subset \mathbf{y}$. Let Γ and Λ be norm-determining manifolds for \mathbf{y} . Then*

$$(4.1) \quad (\Gamma, (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)) = (\Lambda, (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)).$$

Proof. By the definition of multiplier and Corollary 3.2 it follows that λ is a multiplier of the class $(\Gamma, (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A))$ if and only if the operator

$$T : \Gamma \rightarrow (\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)$$

defined by

$$(Ty)_n := \lambda_n y_n \quad (n \in \mathbf{N})$$

is bounded, i.e.

$$\|Ty\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} < \infty \quad \forall y \in \Gamma$$

and this is satisfied if $\|T\| < \infty$. From (3.3) we have

$$(4.2) \quad \|Ty\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} = \sup\{|F_n(x, Ty)| : x \in \mathbf{x}, \quad \|x\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq 1, \quad n \in \mathbf{N}\}.$$

Observe that

$$(4.3) \quad F_n(x, Ty) = F_n(Tx, y) \quad (x, y \in \mathbf{s}),$$

i.e. the operator T is self-adjoint with respect to the bilinear functional F_n (cf. [16], p.214).

We show that the supremum of the norms in (4.2) with respect to $y \in \Gamma$ is the same for any norm-determining manifold of \mathbf{y} . To this end we introduce the multiplier operators T_n defined by

$$(T_n x)_k := \alpha_{nk} \lambda_k x_k \quad (k, n \in \mathbf{N}, x \in \mathbf{s}).$$

Then

$$F_n(x, Ty) = \langle T_n x, y \rangle \quad (n \in \mathbf{N}, x, y \in \mathbf{s}).$$

Since the map $u \rightarrow \langle u, y \rangle$ is a linear functional on \mathbf{y} , therefore for any norm-determining manifold $\Gamma \subseteq \mathbf{y}'$ we have

$$\sup\{|\langle u, y \rangle| : y \in \Gamma, \quad \|y\|_{\mathbf{y}'} \leq 1\} = \|u\|_{\mathbf{y}}.$$

Applying this for $u = T_n x$ we get

$$\sup\{|F_n(x, Ty)| : y \in \Gamma, \quad \|y\|_{\mathbf{y}'} \leq 1\} = \|T_n x\|_{\mathbf{y}}.$$

Consequently taking the supremum with respect to x we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \sup\{|F_n(x, Ty)| : y \in \Gamma, \quad \|y\|_{\mathbf{y}'} \leq 1, \quad x \in \mathbf{x}, \quad \|x\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq 1\} = \\ & = \sup\{\|T_n x\|_{\mathbf{y}} : x \in \mathbf{x}, \quad \|x\|_{\mathbf{x}} \leq 1\} = \|T_n\|_{\mathcal{L}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})}. \end{aligned}$$

This and (4.2) implies that the norm of T can be expressed by

$$\|T\| = \sup\{\|Ty\|_{(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A)} : y \in \Gamma, \quad \|y\|_{\mathbf{y}'} \leq 1\} = \sup_n \|T_n\|_{\mathcal{L}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})},$$

and the right hand side is the same for any norm-determining manifold for \mathbf{y} , in particular also for Λ .

If \mathcal{P} is dense in X , then $\hat{\mathcal{P}}$ is dense in \hat{X} , since the convergence in norm implies the weak convergence. Therefore applying Theorem 4.1 for Walsh coefficients we obtain the following Corollaries (cf. [8], p.141, [18], p.92).

Corollary 4.2. *Let the summability method A satisfy (2.10). Let \hat{X} and \hat{Y}' be BK-spaces of Walsh coefficients and suppose that the set \mathcal{P} of dyadic step functions is dense in X . Let Γ and Λ be norm-determining manifolds for Y . Then*

$$(\Gamma, (X \rightarrow A)) = (\Lambda, (X \rightarrow A)).$$

Corollary 4.3. *If A satisfies (2.10) and X is a homogeneous Banach space, then*

$$(C_W, (X \rightarrow A)) = (L^\infty, (X \rightarrow A)).$$

Proof. Since $(L^1)' = L^\infty$, then L^∞ is a norm-determining manifold for the Banach space L^1 . Now we have to prove that the Banach space C_W is also a norm-determining manifold for L^1 . In fact, for each $f \in C_W \subset L^\infty$ there exists a functional $\varphi \in (L^1)'$ such that

$$\varphi(x) = \int_{\mathbf{I}} x(t)f(t)dt$$

for all $x \in L^1$ (see [20], p.142, [10], p.173-174), whence $\sigma \leq \|x\|_{L^1}$, where

$$\sigma = \sup\{|\varphi(x)| : \|\varphi\|_{L^\infty} \leq 1, \quad f \in C_W\}.$$

On the other hand for each $x \in L^1$ there exists a sequence of functions $f_n \in C_W$ such that

$$\|f_n\|_{L^\infty} \leq 1, \quad \lim_n f_n(t) = \operatorname{sgn} x(t) \quad (\text{a.e. in } t \in \mathbf{I}),$$

and consequently

$$\sigma \geq |\varphi_n(x)| := \left| \int_{\mathbf{I}} x(t)f_n(t)dt \right| \rightarrow \int_{\mathbf{I}} |x(t)|dt = \|x\|_{L^1},$$

i.e. we obtain $\sigma = \|x\|_{L^1}$.

Now the set \mathcal{P} is dense in each homogeneous Banach space, then it remains to use Corollary 4.2 for the case $Y = L^1$, $\Gamma = C_W$ and $\Lambda = L^\infty$.

Corollary 4.4. *If A satisfies (2.10) and X is a homogeneous Banach space, then*

$$(L^1, (X \rightarrow A)) = (BV, (X \rightarrow A)).$$

Proof. Since $C' = BV$ (see [11], p.135, [10], p.182), then BV is a norm-determining manifold for the Banach space C . But the Banach space L^1 is also a norm-determining manifold for C (cf. [2], p.217). Since \mathcal{P} is dense in X , then it remains to use Corollary 4.2 for the case $Y = C$, $\Gamma = L^1$ and $\Lambda = BV$. We remark that \widehat{BV} is by (3.13) also a BK -space.

From the Corollaries 4.3 and 4.4 with the help of Theorem 4.1 i) from [3] we obtain the next corollary, since we can suppose that A satisfies (2.10) and (2.11).

Corollary 4.5. *If X is a homogeneous Banach space, then the following identities between classes of multipliers hold:*

$$1) \quad (C_W, X') = (L^\infty, X'),$$

$$2) \quad (L^1, X') = (BV, X').$$

Theorem 4.6. *For any summability method A and arbitrary spaces X and Y , the inclusion*

$$(X, Y) \subseteq ((Y \rightarrow A), (X \rightarrow A))$$

holds.

Proof. Let λ be a multiplier of the class (X, Y) , that is $\widehat{T}\mu \in \widehat{Y}$ for any $\mu \in X$. Let $\nu \in (Y \rightarrow A)$. Since

$$(Y \rightarrow A) = \{\nu \in QM : (F_n(\hat{\pi}, \hat{\nu}), n \in \mathbf{N}) \in \mathbf{c} \quad \forall \pi \in Y\}$$

and $\pi = T\mu \in Y$, it follows that $\langle \hat{\nu}, \widehat{T}\mu \rangle$ is A -summable for any $\mu \in X$. By (4.3)

$$\langle \hat{\nu}, \widehat{T}\mu \rangle = \langle \widehat{T}\nu, \hat{\mu} \rangle$$

and we obtain that $\langle \widehat{T}\nu, \hat{\mu} \rangle$ is A -summable for any $\mu \in X$. This is $\widehat{T}\nu \in (X \rightarrow A)$.

Corollary 4.7. *For any homogeneous Banach spaces X and Y the following identities between classes of multipliers hold:*

$$1) \quad (X, Y) = (Y', X'),$$

$$2) \quad (X, Y') = (Y, X'),$$

$$3) \quad (X', Y) = (Y', X).$$

Proof. From Theorem 4.6 using Theorems 4.1 i) and 4.1 ii) from [3] we obtain, for example, if A satisfies (2.10) and (2.11), that

$$\begin{aligned} (X', Y) &\subseteq ((Y \rightarrow A), (X' \rightarrow A)) = (Y', X) \subseteq \\ &\subseteq ((X \rightarrow A), (Y' \rightarrow A)) = \\ &= (X', Y). \end{aligned}$$

In the Corollaries 4.5 and 4.7 the spaces X' and Y' are L_Ψ if $\Psi(1) \leq 1$, L^p if $p > 1$, L^∞ , BMO and others.

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