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**Abstract**

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**MATHEMATICS**

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## **ON VECTOR COUNTABLY ADDITIVE MEASURES**

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**1. Introduction.** Consider: 1) the class  $\mathcal{P}$  of all subsets of a set  $U$  with the usual ring structure, order, and  $so$ -topology  $S$  ( $(^1, \S 2)$ ); 2) a ring  $\mathcal{R}$  in  $\mathcal{P}$ ; 3) the system  $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{K}(\mathcal{R})$  ( $\mathbf{D} = \mathbf{D}(\mathcal{R})$ ) of all finite (countable) disjoint parts of  $\mathcal{R}$  ( $\mathbf{K} \subseteq \mathbf{D}$ ); 4) a complete separable real locally convex space  $G$ .

**Definition 1.** We shall call a mapping  $a$  of the ring  $\mathcal{R}$  into  $G$  **countably additive in  $\mathcal{R}$**  if, for every  $\mathcal{D} \in \mathbf{D}$  for which  $\sum \mathcal{D} \in \mathcal{R}$ , the family  $a\mathcal{D}$  is summable and  $\sum a\mathcal{D} = a \sum \mathcal{D}$ .

Denote by  $A = A(\mathcal{R}, G)$  the set of all mappings of  $\mathcal{R}$  into  $G$  that are countably additive in  $\mathcal{R}$ .

**Definition 2.** We shall call a mapping  $a \in A$  **countably additive** if, for every  $\mathcal{D} \in \mathbf{D}$ , the family  $a\mathcal{D}$  is summable.

Denote by  $C = C(\mathcal{R}, G)$  the set of all  $a \in A$  that are countably additive mappings.

Denote by  $\Gamma$  the set of seminorms on  $G$  defining the topology in  $G$ . For each  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ,  $a \in A$ ,  $X \in \mathcal{R}$ , define

$$v_{\gamma a} X = \sup \left\{ \sum \gamma a \mathcal{K} : \mathcal{K} \in \mathbf{K}, \sum \mathcal{K} \subseteq X \right\};$$

we shall call the mappings  $v_{\gamma a} : X \rightarrow v_{\gamma a} X$  the **variations** for  $a$ .

Denote by  $V = V(\mathcal{R}, G)$  the set of all  $a \in A$  having **bounded variations**;  $S = S(\mathcal{R}, G)$ —those that are continuous mappings of  $\mathcal{R}$  into  $G$ ;  $B = B(\mathcal{R}, G)$ —those that are bounded mappings of  $\mathcal{R}$  into  $G$ ;  $E = E(\mathcal{R}, G)$ —those having an extension  $\bar{a} \in A(\bar{\mathcal{R}}, G)$  ( $\bar{\mathcal{R}}$  is the closure of the ring  $\mathcal{R}$  in  $\mathcal{P}$ ).

The note is devoted to describing the connection between the distinguished classes of countably additive mappings. The main result is expressed as follows:

**Theorem 1.**  $V \subseteq S(E) \subseteq C \subseteq B$ .

**2. The topology  $V_a$ .** For each  $a \in V$ ,  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ,  $K \in \mathcal{K}$  ( $\mathcal{K}$  is the class of all finite subsets of the set  $\Gamma$ ),  $\varepsilon > 0$ , define

$$\mathfrak{U}(\gamma, \varepsilon) = \{X \in \mathcal{P} : X \subseteq \sum \mathcal{D}_0 (\mathcal{D}_0 \in \mathbf{D}), \sum v_{\gamma a} \mathcal{D}_0 < \varepsilon\}; \quad \mathfrak{U}(K, \varepsilon) = \bigcap_{\gamma \in K} \mathfrak{U}(\gamma, \varepsilon).$$

For every  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ,  $a \in V$ , the variation  $v_{\gamma a} \in B(\mathcal{R}, R)$ . Consequently, there exists a topology  $V_{\gamma a}$  in  $\mathcal{P}$ , compatible with the ring structure in  $\mathcal{P}$ , for which  $\{\mathfrak{U}(\gamma, \varepsilon)\}_\varepsilon$  is a fundamental system of neighborhoods of zero ((<sup>2</sup>, § 1). Consider the topology  $V_a$  in  $\mathcal{P}$  generated by the union  $\bigcup (V_{\gamma a})_\gamma$ . The following propositions describe some general properties of  $V_a$ .

**Proposition 1.** The topology  $V_a$  is compatible with the ring structure in  $\mathcal{P}$ , and  $\{\mathfrak{U}(K, \varepsilon)\}_{K, \varepsilon}$  is a fundamental system of neighborhoods of zero.

**Proposition 2.** Every class  $\mathcal{D} \in \mathbf{D}(\bar{\mathcal{R}})$  is summable, and its sum is equal to the union  $\sum \mathcal{D}$ .

Denote by  $\bar{\mathcal{R}}_a$  the closure of the ring  $\mathcal{R}$  in the topology  $V_a$ .

**Proposition 3.**  $\bar{\mathcal{R}} \subseteq \bar{\mathcal{R}}_a$ .

**Proposition 4.** Every  $a \in V$  is uniformly continuous ( $V_a$ ).

**3. Scheme of the proof of Theorem 1.** Theorem 1 is the union of the following propositions.

**Proposition 5.**  $V \subseteq S$ .

For every  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ,  $a \in V$ ,  $v_{\gamma a} \in B(\mathcal{R}, R)$ . Hence  $v_{\gamma a} \in S(\mathcal{R}, R)$  ((<sup>1</sup>, § 3, Theorem 3). Hence the continuity of  $a$  in  $O(S)$  and the continuity of  $a$ .

**Proposition 6.**  $S \subseteq C$ .

For each  $a \in C'$ , inductively, using the Cauchy criterion ((<sup>3</sup>), Ch. 3, § 4, item 2, Theorem 1), a sequence  $(D_n)$  is defined such that  $\{D_n\} \in \mathbf{D}$  and  $(aD_n) \rightarrow 0$ .

**Proposition 7.**  $V \subseteq E$ .

For each  $a \in V$  there exists a uniformly continuous extension  $\bar{a}$  (Proposition 4; (<sup>3</sup>), Ch. 2, § 3, item 4, Theorem 1).  $\bar{a}$  is finitely additive (cf. (<sup>2</sup>), § 2, Lemma 5). For each  $\mathcal{D} \in \mathbf{D}(\mathcal{R})$ , by Proposition 2,  $\sum \mathcal{D} \subseteq \bar{\mathcal{F}}_a$ . Consequently,  $\bar{a} \in \mathbf{A}(\mathcal{R}_a, G)$  and  $a \in E$  (Proposition 3).

**Proposition 8.**  $E \subseteq C$ .

This follows directly from the definitions.

**Proposition 9.**  $C \subseteq B$ .

This follows from the particular case for numerical mappings; Proposition 5, item 5, § 4, Ch. 3 (<sup>3</sup>) and the corollary of Theorem 3, item 4, § 2, Ch. 4 (<sup>4</sup>).

## 4. Some corollaries

**Corollary 1.** *If  $G$  is finite-dimensional, then  $V = E = S = C = B$ .*

It is enough to prove that  $B \subseteq V$  and to consider the case  $G = R^n$  (Theorem 1; <sup>(4)</sup>, Ch. 1, § 2, item 3, Theorem 2). The proof reduces to estimating the variation with the aid of inequality (1), item 1, § 3, Ch. 7 <sup>(5)</sup>.

**Corollary 2.** *If  $G$  is Montel, then  $C = B$ .*

It is enough to prove that  $B \subseteq C$  (Theorem 1). For every  $a \in B$ ,  $\mathcal{D} \in \mathbf{D}$ , the family  $a\mathcal{D}$  is summable in the weakened topology (<sup>(5)</sup>, Ch. 4, § 6, Theorem 1, corollary; § 7, item 2, Theorem 3, corollary) and, consequently, summable (<sup>(4)</sup>, Ch. 4, § 3, item 4, Proposition 6).

**Corollary 3.** *If  $G$  is a weakly sequentially complete Banach space, then  $C = B$ .*

It is enough to prove that  $B \subseteq C$ . For every  $a \in B$ ,  $\mathcal{D} \in \mathbf{D}$ , the family  $a\mathcal{D}$  is summable in the weakened topology. Every sequence  $(aD_n)$ , for which  $\{aD_n\} = a\mathcal{D}$ , converges by subsequences in the weakened topology (<sup>(3)</sup>, Ch. 3, § 4, item 7, Proposition 9; <sup>(6)</sup>, Ch. 4, § 1, item 1d) and, consequently, converges by subsequences (<sup>(6)</sup>, Ch. 4, § 1, Theorem 1). Consequently,  $a\mathcal{D}$  is summable (<sup>(3)</sup>, Ch. 3, § 4, item 7, Proposition 9; <sup>(6)</sup>, Ch. 4, § 1, item 1c).

**Corollary 4.** *If  $\mathcal{R}$  is closed ( $S$ ), then  $C = B = A$ .*

This follows directly from the definitions, Theorem 1 and the corollary to Proposition 5, § 2, <sup>(1)</sup>.

## 5. Remarks

**Remark 1.** There exist  $\mathcal{R}, G$  such that  $V \neq C$ .

Let  $U$  be the set of all natural numbers,  $\mathcal{R}$  the class of all subsets of the set  $U$ , and  $G$  an infinite-dimensional Banach space. Consider the mapping  $a' : n \rightarrow a'n$ , where  $|a'n| = 1/n$  and  $(a'n)_{n \in U}$  is summable (<sup>(6)</sup>, Ch. 4, § 1, Theorem 2). For each  $X \in \mathcal{R}$  define

$$aX = \sum (a'n)_{n \in X} \quad (\text{<sup>(3)</sup>, Ch. 3, § 4, item 3, Proposition 2}).$$

Then  $a \in C$ ,  $a \notin V$ .

**Remark 2.** There exist  $\mathcal{R}, G$  such that  $C \neq B$ .

The following example was proposed by S. V. Nagaev. Let  $U$  be the set of natural numbers,  $\mathcal{R}$  the class of all finite subsets of the set  $U$ , and  $G$  the Banach space of all continuous functions on the interval  $[0, 1]$ . Consider the mapping  $a' : a'n = \{X \rightarrow X^n - X^{n+1}\}$ . For each  $X \in \mathcal{R}$  define

$$aX = \sum (a'n)_{n \in X};$$

then  $a \in B$ ,  $a \notin C$ .

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