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FOURIER ANALYSIS ON LOCALLY CONVEX SPACES OF DISTRIBUTIONS, II

Abstract. This is the second in a series of papers, extending the theory of Fourier analysis to locally convex spaces of distributions (*LCD*-spaces). In this paper, *LCD*-spaces admitting conjugation and multiplier operators on *LCD*-spaces are discussed. It is also shown that if E is an *LCD*-space having C^∞ as a dense subset, then E^* , endowed with the topology of precompact convergence, is an *LCD*-space having C^∞ as a dense subset.

1. Introduction

We continue in this paper extending the results of Fourier analysis to locally convex spaces of distributions (*LCD*-spaces) defined in [6].

In Section 3, we show that if (E, \mathcal{T}) is an *LCD*-space having C^∞ as a dense subset, then (E^*, \mathcal{T}^0) is also an *LCD*-space where \mathcal{T}^0 is the topology of precompact convergence on E^* ; further, for each f in E and each F in E^* , $\sigma_n f \rightarrow f$ in E and $\sigma_n F \rightarrow F$ in (E^*, \mathcal{T}^0) as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

In Section 4, we give a necessary and sufficient condition for an *LCD*-space to admit conjugation. In Section 5, we give several representation theorems for multiplier operators.

2. Definitions and notations

All the notations and conventions used in [6] will be continued in this paper. In particular, \mathbf{T} will denote the circle group and D will denote the space of all distributions on \mathbf{T} . For the convenience of the reader, we repeat the following definitions given in [6].

2.1. DEFINITION. A locally convex space E is called an *LCD*-space if it can be continuously embedded into D (D having the weak* topology), and if, regarded as a subset of D , it satisfies the following properties:

- (2.1) $C^\infty \subset E$ and the inclusion map is continuous;
- (2.2) E is translation invariant and $\{T_x \mid x \in \mathbf{T}\}$, the family of all translation operators on E , is equicontinuous on E ;

(2.3) $f \rightarrow f^\vee$ is a continuous operator on E , where $f^\vee(u) = f(u^\vee)$ for every u in C^∞ and $u^\vee(t) = u(-t)$ for all t in T .

2.2. DEFINITION. An *LCD-space* E is said to be *homogeneous* if $x \rightarrow T_x f$ is continuous from T to E for each $f \in E$.

3. Homogeneous LCD-spaces and their duals

In this section we show that if (E, \mathcal{I}) is a homogeneous *LCD-space*, then (E', \mathcal{I}^0) is also a homogeneous *LCD-space*, where (E', \mathcal{I}^0) denotes the space E' with the relative topology induced by \mathcal{I}^0 , and \mathcal{I}^0 is the topology of precompact convergence on E^* (see [7, p. 179]). If C^∞ is dense in E , then $E' = E^*$ by Theorem 5.4 of [6]; in this case, we show that $(E', \mathcal{I}^0) = (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0)$ also has C^∞ as a dense subset.

3.1. LEMMA. *If E is a homogeneous LCD-space and K is a totally bounded set in E , then $\bigcup\{T_a K \mid a \in T\}$ is totally bounded in E .*

Proof. Let V be a neighborhood of 0 in E ; choose another neighborhood of 0, say W , such that

$$(3.1) \quad W + W \subset V.$$

Since $\{T_a \mid a \in T\}$ is an equicontinuous family, there exists a neighborhood U of 0 in E such that

$$(3.2) \quad T_a(U) \subset W \quad \forall a \in T.$$

Since K is totally bounded, there exist $f_1, \dots, f_2, \dots, f_n$ in K such that

$$(3.3) \quad K \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n (f_i + U).$$

Since E is homogeneous, there exists $\delta > 0$ such that, for each f in E ,

$$(3.4) \quad T_a f - T_b f \in W \quad \text{whenever} \quad |a - b| < \delta.$$

Let $\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m\}$ be a δ -net in T . Then, by (3.3), we get

$$\bigcup\{T_a K \mid a \in T\} \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n \bigcup_{j=1}^m \bigcup_{|a-a_j|<\delta} (T_a f_i + T_a U).$$

Using (3.1), (3.2) and (3.4), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \bigcup \{T_a K \mid a \in \mathbf{T}\} &\subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n \bigcup_{j=1}^m \bigcup_{|a-a_j| < \delta} (T_a f_i + W) \\ &\subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n \bigcup_{j=1}^m (T_{a_j} f_i + W + W) \\ &\subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n \bigcup_{j=1}^m (T_{a_j} f_i + V) \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\bigcup \{T_a K \mid a \in \mathbf{T}\}$ is a totally bounded set in \mathbf{E} . ■

3.2. THEOREM. *If $(\mathbf{E}, \mathcal{I})$ is a homogeneous LCD-space, then $(\mathbf{E}', \mathcal{I}^0)$ is also a homogeneous LCD-space.*

Proof. Since \mathbf{E} is an LCD-space, the inclusion map $i : C^\infty \rightarrow \mathbf{E}$ is continuous. Consider $i' : \mathbf{E}^* \rightarrow D$ defined by,

$$i'(F)(u) = F(u) \quad \text{for all } u \text{ in } C^\infty \text{ and all } F \text{ in } \mathbf{E}^*.$$

Then i' is the operator dual to the map i , so by [7, 11-1-6], i' is continuous from $(\mathbf{E}^*, \sigma(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathbf{E}))$ to $(D, \sigma(D, C^\infty))$, and hence, from $(\mathbf{E}', \mathcal{I}^0)$ to $(D, \sigma(D, C^\infty))$. Also, as shown in the proof of Theorem 5.3 of [6], i' is one to one. Thus $(\mathbf{E}', \mathcal{I}^0)$ is continuously embedded into D . Moreover, $(\mathbf{E}', \mathcal{I}^0)$ satisfies (2.1) because of Lemma 2.4 in [6] and the fact that $C^\infty \subset \mathbf{E}'$ and $\mathcal{I}^0 \subset \beta(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathbf{E})$. Now, let

$$\mathcal{F} = \{T_a \mid T_a : (\mathbf{E}^*, \mathcal{I}^0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{E}^*, \mathcal{I}^0), a \in \mathbf{T}\}.$$

Note that T_a on \mathbf{E}^* is the operator dual to the operator T_{-a} on \mathbf{E} . Let U be a neighborhood of 0 in $(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathcal{I}^0)$. Then there exists a totally bounded set B in \mathbf{E} such that $U \supset B^0$, where B^0 denotes the polar of B . Using 9.9.3(a) and 9.3.7(a) of [2], we obtain

$$\bigcap_{a \in \mathbf{T}} T_a^{-1}(U) \supset \bigcap_{a \in \mathbf{T}} T_a^{-1}(B^0) = \bigcap_{a \in \mathbf{T}} [T_{-a}(B)]^0 = \left[\bigcup_{a \in \mathbf{T}} T_{-a}(B) \right]^0.$$

But $\bigcup_{a \in \mathbf{T}} T_{-a}(B)$ is totally bounded by Lemma 3.1, which entails that $\bigcap_{a \in \mathbf{T}} T_a^{-1}(U)$ is a neighborhood of 0 in $(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathcal{I}^0)$. Therefore \mathcal{F} is an equicontinuous family of operators on $(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathcal{I}^0)$ and hence on $(\mathbf{E}', \mathcal{I}^0)$ as $T_a(\mathbf{E}' \subset \mathbf{E}')$ for each a in \mathbf{T} . Thus $(\mathbf{E}', \mathcal{I}^0)$ satisfies (2.2) of the definition of an LCD-space.

Now, for $F \in \mathbf{E}^*$, define F^\vee by

$$F^\vee(f) = F(f^\vee) \quad \text{for all } f \in \mathbf{E}.$$

If we set $L(f) = f^\vee$ and $L^*(F) = F^\vee$ for f in E and F in E^* , then the map L^* is dual to the map L . Hence, by [7, 11-1-6], L^* is continuous from $(E^*, weak^*)$ to $(E^*, weak^*)$. Let U and B be as before. L is a continuous linear operator on E , so by [7, 6-4-3], $L(B)$ is totally bounded. Hence $[L(B)]^0$ is a neighborhood of 0 in (E^*, \mathcal{T}^0) . Now,

$$\begin{aligned} H \in [L(B)]^0 &\Rightarrow |H(Lf)| \leq 1 \quad \forall f \in B \\ &\Rightarrow |H^\vee(f)| \leq 1 \quad \forall f \in B \\ &\Rightarrow L^*H \in B^0 \subset U. \end{aligned}$$

So L^* is continuous from (E^*, \mathcal{T}^0) to (E^*, \mathcal{T}^0) . Since $L^*(E') \subset E'$, L^* will also be continuous from (E', \mathcal{T}^0) to (E', \mathcal{T}^0) . Thus (E', \mathcal{T}^0) satisfies also (2.3), and hence, (E', \mathcal{T}^0) is an LCD-space.

Now we shall show that (E', \mathcal{T}^0) is homogeneous. Let $F \in E^*$. Define $\psi : \mathbf{T} \rightarrow E^*$ by $\psi(t) = T_t F \forall t \in \mathbf{T}$.

Let U and B be as before. Now $V = \{F\}^0$ is a neighborhood of 0 in $(E, \sigma(E, E^*))$ and hence in (E, \mathcal{I}) . There exists a neighborhood V_1 of 0 in (E, \mathcal{I}) such that $V_1 + V_1 + V_1 \subset V$. Since $\{T_t \mid t \in \mathbf{T}\}$ is an equicontinuous family, there exists a neighborhood W of 0 in (E, \mathcal{I}) such that

$$f \in W \Rightarrow T_t f \in V_1 \quad \forall t \in \mathbf{T}.$$

We may suppose that $W \subset V_1$. Since B is totally bounded, there exists a finite set $\mathcal{A} = \{f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n\} \subset E$ such that

$$B \subset \mathcal{A} + W.$$

As E is homogeneous, there exists $\delta > 0$ such that

$$|t| < \delta \Rightarrow f_i - T_t f_i \in W \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

Using the above relations, we can claim that, for $|t| < \delta$,

$$\begin{aligned} f \in B &\Rightarrow f = f_i + w \quad \text{for some } f_i \in \mathcal{A} \text{ and some } w \in W \\ &\Rightarrow f - T_t f = f_i - T_t f_i + w - T_t w \in W + W + V_1 \subset V \\ &\Rightarrow |(F - T_{-t}F)(f)| = |F(f - T_t f)| \leq 1. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $(F - T_{-t}F) \in B^0 \subset U$ for $|t| < \delta$; i.e., ψ is continuous on \mathbf{T} . Hence (E^*, \mathcal{T}^0) is homogeneous. Since E' is translation invariant, (E', \mathcal{T}^0) is homogeneous as well. ■

The following theorem generalizes Theorem 3.2 of [4].

3.3. THEOREM. *Let (E, \mathcal{I}) be a homogeneous LCD-space. For f in E , F in E^* and $t \in \mathbf{T}$, define*

$$U(f, F)(t) = F(T_t f^\vee).$$

Then,

- (i) $f \rightarrow U(f, F)$ is a continuous operator from E to C for each $F \in E^*$.
(ii) $F \rightarrow U(f, F)$ is a continuous operator from (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) to C for each $f \in E$.

Further, if C^∞ is dense in E , $U(f, F) = F * f$ for each $f \in E$ and $F \in E^*$.

Proof. (i) $U(f, F)$ is in C as E is homogeneous, $F \in E^*$ and $f \rightarrow f^\vee$ is continuous on E . Fix $F \in E^*$ and define

$$H_t(f) = F(T_t f^\vee) \quad \text{for } t \in T \quad \text{and} \quad f \in E.$$

Since $\{T_t \mid t \in T\}$ is an equicontinuous family of operators on E , $\{H_t \mid t \in T\}$ is also equicontinuous on E . By [2, 9.5.3], there exists a continuous seminorm p_F on E such that

$$|F(T_t f^\vee)| \leq p_F(f) \quad \text{for all } t \in T \text{ and all } f \in E,$$

that is,

$$(3.5) \quad \|U(f, F)\|_\infty \leq p_F(f) \quad \text{for all } f \text{ in } E.$$

Hence, $f \rightarrow U(f, F)$ is a continuous operator from E to C for each F in E^* .

(ii) Fix f in E . Since E is a homogeneous LCD-space, the set $A_f = \{T_t f^\vee \mid t \in T\}$ is totally bounded by 3.1. Hence the polar A_f^0 of A_f is a neighborhood of 0 in (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) .

Now, for $0 < \varepsilon' < \varepsilon$,

$$\begin{aligned} F \in \varepsilon' A_f^0 &\Rightarrow |F(T_t f^\vee)| \leq \varepsilon' < \varepsilon \quad \forall t \in T \\ &\Rightarrow \|U(f, F)\|_\infty < \varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $F \rightarrow U(f, F)$ is a continuous operator from (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) to C .

Now suppose C^∞ is dense in E . Then, by Theorem 2.5 of [6], $(E^*, \beta(E^*, E))$ is an LCD-space. Let $f \in E$ and $F \in E^*$. Find $\{u_n\} \subset C^\infty$ such that $u_n \rightarrow f$ in E as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Then, by (i), $F * u_n = U(u_n, F) \rightarrow U(f, F)$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. But $F * u_n \rightarrow F * f$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Hence $U(f, F) = F * f$. ■

3.4. THEOREM. Let (E, \mathcal{I}) be an LCD-space having C^∞ as a dense subset. Then (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) is a homogeneous LCD-space having C^∞ as a dense subset. Moreover, for each F in E^* , $\sigma_n F \rightarrow F$ in (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) as $n \rightarrow \infty$; and, for each f in E , $\sigma_n f \rightarrow f$ in E as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Proof. Since C^∞ is dense in E , $E' = E^*$ by Theorem 5.4 of [6]. Hence (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) is a homogeneous LCD-space by Theorem 3.2.

Fix $F \in E^*$. By Theorem 3.3, $f \rightarrow F * f$ is continuous from E to C . So, in view of (2.3), there exists a neighborhood W of 0 in E such that

$$(3.6) \quad x \in W \Rightarrow \|F * u^\vee\|_\infty < 1/5 \Rightarrow |\sigma_n F(u)| < 1/5$$

for every nonnegative integer n .

Let U be a neighborhood of 0 in (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) and B be a totally bounded set in E such that $B^0 \subset U$. There exists a finite set $\mathcal{A} = \{f_1, f_2, \dots, f_k\} \subset E$ such that

$$B \subset \mathcal{A} + W.$$

For $1 \leq i \leq k$, there exists $g_i \in C^\infty$ such that

$$(3.7) \quad f_i - g_i \in W.$$

Now, for $1 \leq i \leq k$,

$$g_i \in C^\infty \Rightarrow \sigma_n g_i \rightarrow g_i \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

So, there exists N such that

$$(3.8) \quad n \geq N \Rightarrow g_i - \sigma_n g_i \in W \quad \text{for } 1 \leq i \leq k.$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} f \in B &\Rightarrow f = f_i + u \quad \text{for some } f_i \in \mathcal{A} \text{ and some } u \in W \\ &\Rightarrow f - \sigma_n f = f_i - g_i + g_i - \sigma_n g_i + \sigma_n g_i - \sigma_n f_i + u - \sigma_n u. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, for $f \in B$ and $n \geq N$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |F(f - \sigma_n f)| &\leq |F(f_i - g_i)| + |Fg_i - \sigma_n g_i| + |\sigma_n F(f_i - g_i)| \\ &\quad + |F(u)| + |\sigma_n F(u)| \leq 1 \end{aligned}$$

using (3.6) to (3.8). Hence $\sigma_n F - F \in B^0 \subset U$ for each $n \geq N$. Therefore $\sigma_n F \rightarrow F$ in (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) as $n \rightarrow \infty$, and hence C^∞ is dense in (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) . Applying this result to (E^*, \mathcal{I}^0) in place of (E, \mathcal{I}) we obtain that, for each f in $(E^*, \mathcal{I}^0)^*$, $\sigma_n f \rightarrow f$ in $((E^*, \mathcal{I}^0)^*, \mathcal{I}^{0*})$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, where \mathcal{I}^{0*} is the topology of precompact convergence on $(E^*, \mathcal{I}^0)^*$. Now $(E^*, \mathcal{I}^0)^* \supset E$ and the restriction of \mathcal{I}^{0*} on E is \mathcal{I}^{00} , moreover, $\mathcal{I}^{00} \supset \mathcal{I}$ (see [7, 12-1-10]). Therefore, for each f in E , $\sigma_n f \rightarrow f$ in E as $n \rightarrow \infty$. ■

4. LCD-spaces admitting conjugation

Let f be in L^1 , $0 < \varepsilon < \pi$, and

$$(4.1) \quad \tilde{f}_\varepsilon(x) = -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\pi} \frac{f(x+u) - f(x-u)}{2 \tan u/2} du.$$

Then

$$(4.2) \quad \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \tilde{f}_\varepsilon(x) = \tilde{f}(x) \quad (\text{say})$$

exists for almost every x [9, Vol. I; Theorem 1.4, p. 252]. Also the series $\tilde{S}[f]$, conjugate to the Fourier series $S[f]$ of f , is $(C, 1)$ -summable to sum $\tilde{f}(x)$ almost everywhere [9, Vol. I; Theorem 1.5, p. 253]. So if $\tilde{f} \in L^1$, the series $\tilde{S}[f]$ is the Fourier series of \tilde{f} [1, Vol. I, 6.1.3, p. 88].

When f is in L^1 , a necessary and sufficient condition for \tilde{f} to be in L^1 is given in [8] and in [9, Vol. I; Exercise 5(b), p. 180], which states as follows.

4.1. If $f \in L^1$, then $\tilde{f} \in L^1$ if and only if $\tilde{f}_\varepsilon(x)$ tends to a limit in L^1 as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0^+$.

A similar result for a continuous function is also known [9, Vol. I; Exercise 5(a), p. 180], which is as follows.

4.2. Let f be a continuous and periodic function. Then a necessary and sufficient condition for \tilde{f} to be (equivalent to) a continuous function is that $\tilde{f}_\varepsilon(x)$ converges uniformly (in x) as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+$.

If \tilde{f} is continuous at every point in $[-\pi, \pi]$, then, by (4.2) and the above result,

$$(4.3) \quad \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+} \tilde{f}_\varepsilon(x) = \tilde{f}(x) \quad \text{for every } x.$$

These results are generalized to homogeneous BD -spaces in [5] and to homogeneous FD -spaces in [3].

4.3. If f is a distribution, then its conjugate distribution, denoted by \tilde{f} , is defined ([1, Vol. II; p. 91]) as

$$\tilde{f} = H * f,$$

where the distribution H is given by

$$H \equiv \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} -i(\operatorname{sgn} n) e_n.$$

It is easy to see that the series conjugate to the Fourier series of a distribution f is the Fourier series of its conjugate distribution \tilde{f} . If, for $0 < \varepsilon \leq \pi$, H_ε is defined on \mathbf{T} as follows

$$\begin{aligned} H_\varepsilon(x) &= \cot x/2 & \text{for } \varepsilon \leq |x| \leq \pi \\ &= 0 & \text{for } 0 \leq |x| \leq \varepsilon, \end{aligned}$$

then $H_\varepsilon \in \mathcal{B}$ (the class of all complex valued bounded Borel functions on \mathbf{T}); and, for $f \in \mathcal{C}$,

$$H_\varepsilon * f(x) = \tilde{f}_\varepsilon(x).$$

If \tilde{f} , $f \in \mathcal{C}$, then, by 4.2,

$$(4.4) \quad \tilde{f}_\varepsilon \rightarrow \tilde{f} \quad \text{in } \mathcal{C} \text{ as } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+.$$

Also, by [1, Vol. II, (12.8.4), p. 92],

$$H(u) = \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+} H_\varepsilon(u) \quad \forall u \in \mathcal{C}^\infty.$$

That is,

$$(4.5) \quad H_\varepsilon \rightarrow H \quad \text{in } (D, \sigma(D, C^\infty)) \text{ as } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+.$$

4.4. DEFINITION. An *LCD-space* E is said to admit conjugation if $\tilde{f} \in E$ for every f in E .

4.5. THEOREM. Let E be a barrelled homogenous *LCD-space* having the convex compactness property. Then E admits conjugation if and only if, for every f in E ,

$$(4.6) \quad \tilde{f}_\varepsilon = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\pi} \frac{T_t f - T_{-t} f}{2 \tan t/2} dt$$

converges in E as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+$.

Proof. Necessary part: Suppose E admits conjugation. Fix f in E and take H_ε as defined in 4.3.

Since E is homogeneous having the convex compactness property and $H_\varepsilon \in M$, then $H_\varepsilon * f \in E$ by Theorem 3.4 of [6]. Moreover, by (3.1) of [6],

$$\begin{aligned} H_\varepsilon * f &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int H_\varepsilon(t) T_t f dt \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\pi} \frac{T_t f - T_{-t} f}{2 \tan t/2} dt \\ &= \tilde{f}_\varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Define $U_\varepsilon f = H_\varepsilon * f$ and $Uf = \tilde{f}$. Let F be in E^* . Since E is a barrelled homogeneous *LCD-space* having the convex compactness property, C^∞ is dense in E by Theorem 3.2 of [6]. Moreover, since $\tilde{f} \in E$, $F * (\tilde{f})^\vee \in C$ by Theorem 2.6 of [6]. Now

$$(F * \tilde{f})^\vee = F * (\tilde{f})^\vee = -F * (\tilde{f})^\vee \in C.$$

Hence, by (4.3),

$$\begin{aligned} (F * \tilde{f})^\vee(0) &= \frac{1}{\pi} \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\pi} \frac{(F * \tilde{f})^\vee(-t) - (F * \tilde{f})^\vee(t)}{2 \tan t/2} dt \\ &= - \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+} F(H_\varepsilon * f). \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+} F(H_\varepsilon * f) = -(F * \tilde{f})^\vee(0) = (F * (\tilde{f})^\vee)(0) = F(\tilde{f}).$$

Hence,

$$(4.7) \quad U_\varepsilon f \rightarrow Uf \quad \text{weakly in } E \text{ as } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+.$$

Fix $F \in E^*$. Given $\eta > 0$, there exists ε_0 such that

$$|F(U_\varepsilon f) - F(Uf)| < \eta \quad \text{for } 0 < \varepsilon < \varepsilon_0.$$

So,

$$|F(U_\varepsilon f)| < |F(Uf)| + \eta \quad \text{for } 0 < \varepsilon < \varepsilon_0.$$

For $\varepsilon \geq \varepsilon_0$,

$$|F(U_\varepsilon f)| = |F(H_\varepsilon * f)| \leq p(H_\varepsilon * f)$$

for some continuous seminorm p on E . But,

$$\begin{aligned} p(H_\varepsilon * f) &= p\left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \int T_t f H_\varepsilon(t) dt\right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int p(T_t f) |H_\varepsilon(t)| dt. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\{T_t \mid t \in \mathbf{T}\}$ is an equicontinuous family of operators on E , there exists a continuous seminorm q on E (see [2, 9.5.3]) such that

$$p(T_t f) \leq q(f) \quad \forall t \in \mathbf{T}.$$

Therefore, for $\varepsilon \geq \varepsilon_0$,

$$|F(U_\varepsilon f)| \leq q(f) \|H_\varepsilon\|_1 \leq q(f) \cot(\varepsilon_0/2).$$

Hence the set $\{U_\varepsilon f \mid 0 < \varepsilon < \pi\}$ is weakly bounded in E for each f in E ; and, since E is barrelled, $\{U_\varepsilon \mid 0 < \varepsilon < \pi\}$ is an equicontinuous set by [7, 9-3-4]. Since U is linear and (4.7) holds, U is continuous by [7, Lemma 9-3-6, p. 137] and, therefore, is bounded.

Let $t^{(m)}$ denote the m -th derivative of a trigonometric polynomial t . Then $(\widetilde{t^{(m)}}) \in C$ for every nonnegative integer m . Therefore, by 4.2,

$$U_\varepsilon t^{(m)} \rightarrow U t^{(m)} \quad \text{in } C,$$

for every m . Hence

$$(4.8) \quad U_\varepsilon t \rightarrow U t \quad \text{in } C^\infty, \text{ and hence, in } E \text{ as } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+.$$

Let W be a neighborhood of 0 in E and W' be another neighborhood of 0 such that $W' + W' + W' \subset W$. Since U is continuous and $\{U_\varepsilon f \mid 0 < \varepsilon < \pi\}$ is equicontinuous, there exists an absolutely convex neighborhood V of 0 such that $UV \subset W'$ and $U_\varepsilon V \subset W'$ for $0 < \varepsilon < \pi$.

For $f \in E$, we can find $t \in C^\infty$ (as C^∞ is dense in E) such that $t \in f + V$. Now, in view of (4.8),

$$U_\varepsilon f - Uf = U_\varepsilon(f - t) + U_\varepsilon t - Ut + U(t - f) \in W' + W' + W' \subset W$$

for sufficiently small $\varepsilon > 0$. So, for each f in \mathbf{E} ,

$$U_\varepsilon f \rightarrow Uf \quad \text{as } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+.$$

Sufficient part: Suppose $f \in \mathbf{E}$ and $\lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+} \tilde{f}_\varepsilon$ exists in \mathbf{E} . We shall prove that $\tilde{f}_\varepsilon \rightarrow \tilde{f}$ in \mathbf{E} as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+$.

Let $\tilde{f}_\varepsilon \rightarrow g$ in \mathbf{E} as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+$. This implies that $\tilde{f}_\varepsilon \rightarrow g$ in \mathbf{D} as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+$. Therefore, for every $k \in \mathbf{Z}$,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{g}(k) &= \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+} (H_\varepsilon * f)^\wedge(k) \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0_+} \hat{H}_\varepsilon(k) \hat{f}(k) \\ &= \hat{H}(k) \hat{f}(k) \end{aligned}$$

using (4.5). Therefore, $g = H * f = \tilde{f}$ is in \mathbf{E} . Hence \mathbf{E} admits conjugation. ■

In the above proof we have also shown that the operator U is continuous. Hence the following is also true.

4.6. COROLLARY. *If \mathbf{E} is a barrelled homogeneous LCD-space having the convex compactness property and \mathbf{E} admits conjugation, then the mapping $f \rightarrow \tilde{f}$ is a continuous linear operator on \mathbf{E} .*

5. Multiplier operators

Throughout this section it will be assumed that each of \mathbf{F} and \mathbf{G} is an LCD-space.

Multiplier functions φ of type (\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G}) and associated multiplier operators U_φ are defined in [1, Vol. II, p. 279]. \mathcal{FG} will denote the set of transforms \hat{g} of elements g of \mathbf{G} .

Theorem 16.2.1 of [1, Vol. II; p. 281] can be generalized to the form posed below by noting the fact that any sequentially closed linear map from an ultrabornological space to a webbed space is continuous (see [2, p. 325]).

5.1. LEMMA. *Let \mathbf{F} and \mathbf{G} be LCD-spaces and φ a multiplier of type (\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G}) ; let U_φ be the associated multiplier operator. Then, (a) U_φ is linear, (b) U_φ commutes with translations, (c) U_φ commutes with convolution by trigonometric polynomials and (d) U_φ is continuous whenever \mathbf{F} is ultrabornological and \mathbf{G} is webbed.*

The proof of the following lemma is exactly the same as that one given for 16.2.3(1) in [1, Vol. II].

5.2. LEMMA. *If U is a linear operator mapping \mathbf{F} into \mathbf{G} (\mathbf{F} and \mathbf{G} are LCD-spaces) such that*

$$(5.1) \quad U(t * f) = t * Uf$$

for each trigonometric polynomial t and each $f \in \mathbf{F}$, then there exists a function $\varphi \in (\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$ such that

$$(5.2) \quad Uf = U_\varphi f \quad \text{for all } f \in \mathbf{F}.$$

5.3. DEFINITIONS. By an m -operator of type (\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G}) we shall mean a linear operator U from \mathbf{F} to \mathbf{G} , which satisfies the equation (5.1) for each trigonometric polynomial t and each $f \in \mathbf{F}$. By $m(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$ we shall denote the set of all m -operators of type (\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G}) . By 5.1 and 5.2, $m(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$ if and only if there exists $\varphi \in (\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$ such that $U = U_\varphi$. By $m_C(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$ we shall denote the class of all continuous operators in $m(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$.

5.4. REMARK. Our definition of m -operators is different from that one given in [1, Vol. II, p. 285]—there m -operators are assumed to be continuous what may fail in our case.

5.5. THEOREM. (a) Let $U \in m(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$, \mathbf{F} be ultrabornological and \mathbf{G} be webbed. Then U commutes with translations and is continuous from \mathbf{F} to \mathbf{G} . Hence

$$m(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G}) = m_C(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G}).$$

(b) To any $U \in m(C^\infty, \mathbf{D})$ corresponds a distribution $A \in \mathbf{D}$ such that

$$(5.3) \quad Uf = A * f$$

for each f in C^∞ . Conversely, if $A \in \mathbf{D}$, the equation (5.3) defines U as a member of $m(C^\infty, \mathbf{D})$.

(c) $m(C^\infty, \mathbf{D}) = m(C^\infty, C^\infty)$.

(d) If $U \in m(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$ then there exists $A \in \mathbf{D}$ such that $Uf = A * f$ for each $f \in \mathbf{F}$.

Proof. If $U \in m(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$ then (5.2) shows that U is an associated multiplier operator. Hence, by 5.1(b) and (d), U commutes with translations and is continuous. Thus our definition of m -operators coincides with that one given in [1, Vol. II, p. 285] whenever \mathbf{F} is an ultrabornological space and \mathbf{G} is a webbed space. This proves (a). Since C^∞ is a Frechet space (hence ultrabornological) and \mathbf{D} is a webbed space, the statements (b) and (c) are equivalent to the first two parts of 16.3.1 of [1, Vol. II, p. 287]. The proof of the part (d) is the same as the proof of the fourth part of 16.3.1 of [1, Vol. II, p. 287]. ■

The following two theorems generalize Theorems 16.3.5 and 16.3.6 of [1, Vol. II, p. 290-291].

5.6. THEOREM. Let \mathbf{E} be a barrelled LCD-space having C^∞ as a dense subset and $U \in m(\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{C})$. Then there exists F in \mathbf{E}^* such that

$$Uf = F * f$$

for each $f \in \mathbf{E}$. Conversely, if $F \in \mathbf{E}^*$ and U is defined by the above relation, then $U \in m_C(\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{C})$. Hence $(\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{C}) = \mathcal{F}\mathbf{E}^*$. Moreover $m(\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{C}) = m_C(\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{C})$.

Proof. The converse part can obviously follow from Theorem 2.6 of [6]. To prove the direct assertion, we first observe that $U (= U_\varphi$ for some $\varphi \in (\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{C}))$ is closed (see the proof of 16.2.1(4) of [1, Vol. II]). Hence, by the V. Ptak's closed graph theorem [7, 12-5-7, p. 201], U is continuous. Therefore $m(\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{C}) = m_C(\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{C})$.

Define the linear functional F on \mathbf{E} by

$$(5.4) \quad F(f) = U \overset{\vee}{f}(0) \quad \forall f \in \mathbf{E}.$$

Since \mathbf{E} is an *LCD-space* and U is continuous then $F \in \mathbf{E}^*$. Replacing f by $T_{-x}f$ in (5.4) and using the fact that U commutes with translations we find that

$$Uf(x) = F(T_x \overset{\vee}{f}) \quad \text{for every } x \in \mathbf{T}.$$

Hence, by Theorem 2.6 of [6],

$$Uf = F * f \quad \forall f \in \mathbf{E},$$

which proves the direct part. ■

5.7. THEOREM. Let \mathbf{E} be a weakly sequentially complete *LCD-space* having \mathbf{C}^∞ as a dense subset, and let U be in $m(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathbf{C})$. Then there exists a distribution f in \mathbf{E} such that

$$UF = F * f$$

for all $F \in \mathbf{E}^*$. Conversely, if $f \in \mathbf{E}$ and U is defined by the above relation, then $U \in m_C(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathbf{C})$, where \mathbf{E}^* is endowed with the strong* topology. Hence, $(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathbf{C}) = \mathcal{F}\mathbf{E}$. Moreover, $m(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathbf{C}) = m_C(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathbf{C})$.

Proof. Let $U \in m(\mathbf{E}^*, \mathbf{C})$. Since \mathbf{C}^∞ is dense in \mathbf{E} then $(\mathbf{E}^*, \text{strong}^*)$ is an *LCD-space*, by Theorem 2.5 of [6]. By Theorem 5.5(d), there exists a distribution A in \mathbf{D} such that

$$UF = A * F \quad \text{for all } F \in \mathbf{E}^*.$$

Now take an approximate identity $\{f_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ consisting of trigonometric polynomials. Then $\{f_i\} \subset \mathbf{E}^*$. Set $h_i = Uf_i$ for each i . Then

$$h_i = A * f_i \in \mathbf{E} \quad \text{for each } i.$$

Notice that also

$$F(\overset{\vee}{h_i}) = h_i * F(0) = f_i * UF(0) \rightarrow UF(0) \quad \text{as } i \rightarrow \infty$$

for each $F \in E^*$ as $UF \in C$. Since E is weakly sequentially complete, then there exists $f \in E$ such that

$$F(\check{h}_i) \rightarrow F(\check{f}) = f * F(0) \quad \text{as } i \rightarrow \infty$$

for each $F \in E^*$. Hence

$$UF(0) = f * F(0) \quad \text{for all } F \in E^*.$$

Now, just as in the proof of Theorem 5.6, replacing F by $T_{-x}F$, we can show that

$$UF(x) = f * F(x) \quad \text{for all } x \in T.$$

This proves the direct part of the theorem.

Conversely, let $UF = f * F \forall F \in E^*$. Then $U \in m_C(E^*, C)$ by Theorem 2.6(ii) of [6]. This together with the direct part also shows that $m(E^*, C) = m_C(E^*, C)$. ■

The following theorem generalizes Theorem 16.3.4 of [1, Vol. II, p. 289].

5.8. THEOREM. *Let E be a barrelled LCD-space having C^∞ as a dense subset and let $U \in m(M, E^*)$. Then there exists a distribution $A \in E^*$ such that*

$$U\mu = A * \mu$$

for all $\mu \in M$. Conversely, if $A \in E^$ and U is defined by the above relation, then $U \in m_C(M, E^*)$, where E^* is endowed with the strong* topology. Hence, $(M, E^*) = \mathcal{FE}^*$. Moreover, $m(M, E^*) = m_C(M, E^*)$.*

Proof. Since M and E^* are LCD-spaces, the direct assertion follows from 5.5(d) and replacing f by ε_0 (the Dirac measure at the point 0) in the relation $Uf = A * f$ given therein.

Conversely, let U be defined by

$$U\mu = A * \mu \quad \forall \mu \in M,$$

where $A \in E^*$. Since C^∞ is dense in E then $E' = E^*$ (see [6, Th. 5.4]). By Theorem 5.8 of [6], there exists a continuous seminorm p on E such that

$$|U\mu(f)| = |A * \mu(f)| \leq \|\mu\|_1 p(f) \quad \text{for all } f \in E \text{ and } \mu \in M.$$

Let $\{\mu_n\}$ be a sequence converging to μ in M and B be a bounded subset of E . Then there exists a constant k such that $p(f) \leq k$ for all f in B . Hence

$$|(U\mu_n - U\mu)(f)| \leq \|\mu_n - \mu\|_1 p(f) \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{uniformly on } B \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Therefore, by [7, 8-5-7, p. 120], $U\mu_n \rightarrow U\mu$ in (E^*, strong^*) as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Hence $U \in m_C(M, E^*)$. This together with the direct assertion also shows that $m(M, E^*) = m_C(M, E^*)$. ■

In [1, Vol. II, 16.4.1], it is shown that $(L^p, L^p) = (L^q, L^q)$, where $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ and $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$. Now we extend this result to $(C, 1)$ -perfect barrelled LCD-spaces as follows.

5.9. THEOREM. *Let E be a $(C, 1)$ -perfect barrelled LCD-space. Then*

$$(E, E) = (E', E').$$

Proof. Let $\{\varphi(n)\}_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \in (E, E)$ and U_φ be the associated multiplier operator. Then $U_\varphi \in m(E, E)$ and, by 5.5(b), there exists a distribution A in D such that $U_\varphi f = A * f$ for every f in E . Hence $\hat{A}(n) = \varphi(n)$ for each $n \in \mathbb{Z}$. Now the series

$$(5.5) \quad \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} (A * F)^{\wedge}(n) \hat{f}(-n) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{F}(n) ((A * \check{f})^{\vee})^{\wedge}(-n)$$

is $(C, 1)$ -summable for all $f \in E$ and $F \in E'$ since

$$f \in E \Rightarrow f^{\vee} \in E \Rightarrow A * f^{\vee} \in E \Rightarrow (A * f^{\vee})^{\vee} \in E.$$

So, by Theorem 5.10 of [6], $A * F \in E'$ for every F in E' ; that is, $\{\varphi(n)\}_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \in (E', E')$. Hence

$$(5.6) \quad (E, E) \subset (E', E').$$

For the reverse inclusion, let $\{\varphi(n)\}_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \in (E', E')$. Then again the series (5.5) is $(C, 1)$ -summable for all $f \in E$ and $F \in E'$. Hence, by the definition of E' , $A * \check{f} \in E'' = E$ for all f (and hence \check{f}) in E ; that is, $\{\varphi(n)\}_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \in (E, E)$. Thus

$$(E', E') \subset (E, E),$$

which together with (5.6) yields the desired result. ■

The following theorem generalizes Theorem 4.3 of [6].

5.10. THEOREM. *Let E be a homogeneous LCD-space having the convex compactness property. Then each $U \in m(E, E)$ leaves stable on every closed invariant subspace of E . Equivalently, for each $f \in E$, Uf is a limit in E of the set of all finite linear combinations of translates of f .*

Proof. Let $U \in m(E, E)$. Since E is an LCD-space, then for some A in D , $Uf = A * f$ for each f in E (see 5.5(d)). Now suppose that V is a closed invariant subspace of E and $f \in V$. Then

$$n \in Z_V \Rightarrow \hat{f}(n) = 0 \Rightarrow (Uf)^{\wedge}(n) = 0.$$

Hence $Z_V \subset Z_{Uf}$. So, by Theorem 4.2 of [6], $Uf \in V$. Thus the first assertion is true.

For the second assertion, take \overline{V}_f as the closure in E of the set of all finite linear combinations of translates of f . Clearly, \overline{V}_f is a closed invariant subspace of E . Now the application of the first assertion yields the desired result. ■

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