## **Continuous BA- finitely set function**

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## **Abstract**

Let  $\mu$  be an BA- finitly additive set function on a measurable space  $(\Omega, F)$ . In this paper, we proved the following statement

- (1) If  $\mu$  is BA- countably additive, then  $\mu$  is continuous at A for all  $A \in F$ .
- (2) If  $\mu$  is continuous from below at every set  $A \in F$ , then  $\mu$  is BA- countably additive.
- (3) If  $\mu$  is, finitly and continuous from above at  $\phi$ , then  $\mu$  is BA- countably additive.

#### **1.preliminaries**

[1] introduced the notations of Banach algebra valued- measure.

#### **Definition** (1.1)

Let X be a real vector space. A partial order relation  $\leq$  on X is called vector order if the following axioms are satisfied

(1)  $x \le y \implies x + z \le y + z \qquad \forall x, y, z \in X$ (2)  $x \le y \implies \lambda x \le \lambda y \qquad \forall x, y \in X$  $\forall x, y \in X \quad and \quad \lambda \geq 0$ 

A real vector space endowed with a vector order is called an ordered vector space. An element x of an ordered vector space X is said to be **positive** if  $x \ge 0$ , and negative if  $x \le 0$ . The set of all positive elements of an ordered vector space X will be denoted by  $X_+$ , i.e.  $X_+ = \{x \in X : x \ge 0\}$ ,  $X_+$  is called the **positive cone** of X. It is easy to show that

(1)  $X_+$  is a convex cone of X, i.e.  $X_+ + X_+ \subseteq X_+$  and  $\lambda X_+ \subseteq X_+$ (2)  $X_{+} \cap (-X_{+}) = \{0\}$ 

### **Definition** (1.2)

Let X be a real vector space. A function  $\| \cdot \| : X \to R$  is said to be norm on X if the following axioms are satisfied

- $(1) \|x\| \ge 0 \qquad \forall x \in X$
- (2) ||x|| = 0 iff x = 0
- (3)  $\|\lambda x\| = |\lambda| \|x\|$   $\forall x \in X, \lambda \in \Re$ (4)  $\|x + y\| \le \|x\| + \|y\|$   $\forall x, y \in X$

A normed space is the pair  $(X, \|\cdot\|)$  where X is a real vector space and  $\|\cdot\|$  a norm on X. A Banach space is a normed space which is complete in the metric defined is by its norm.

## **Definition** (1.3)

An algebra is a vector space in which a multiplication is defined that satisfies

- (1) x(yz) = (xy)z,  $\forall x, y, z \in X$
- (2) x(y+z) = xy+xz, (x+y)z = xz+yz,  $\forall x, y, z \in X$
- (3)  $\lambda(x y) = (\lambda x)y = x(\lambda y)$ ,  $\forall x, y, z \in X$ ,  $\lambda \in R$

## **Definition (1.4)**

A real vector space X is called Banach algebra if the following axioms are satisfied

- (1) X is a Banach space
- (2) X is algebra
- (3)  $\exists e \in X \text{ s.t } ex = xe = x \quad \forall x \in X \text{ and } \|e\| = 1$
- (4)  $||x y|| \le ||x|| ||y|| \quad \forall x, y \in X$

A commutative algebra is an algebra where the multiplication satisfies the condition: xy = yx,  $\forall x, y \in X$ 

An algebra with identity is an algebra with the following property. There exists a non – zero element in the algebra, denoted by 1 and called the multiplication identity element, such that  $1 \cdot x = x \cdot 1 = x$ , for all x.

A normed algebra X, is a normed space, also an algebra over F and  $||xy|| \le ||x|| ||y||$ 

 $\forall x, y \in X .$ 

## Example (1.5)

Let X be a Banach space, and let B(X) denote the set of all bounded (or continuous ) linear function of X into itself then B(X) is a Banach algebra with the algebra operation (1) (f + g)(x) = f(x) + g(x)(2) (fg)(x) = f(g(x))(3)  $(\lambda f)(x) = \lambda f(x)$ and the operator norm  $||f|| = \sup\{||f(x)||: x \in X, ||x|| \le 1\}$ 

## Remark

If  $X \neq \{0\}$ , then the identity linear function I is the identity element of B(X) such that  $\|I\| = 1$ .

## 2. The main results

### **Definition** (2.1)

Let  $(\Omega, F)$  be a measurable space, and let X be an ordered Banach algebra. A set function  $\mu: F \longrightarrow X$  is said to be

(1) BA- finitely additive if  $\mu(\bigcup_{k=1}^{n} A_k) = \sum_{k=1}^{n} \mu(A_k)$ , whenever  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$  disjoint sets in F.

(2) BA-countably additive if  $\mu(\bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} A_k) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_k)$ , wherever  $\{A_k\}$  is a sequence of disjoint sets in F.

(3) BA- measure if  $\mu$  is BA- countably additive and  $\mu(A) \ge 0 \quad \forall A \in F$ 

#### **Definition** (2.2)

Let  $\mu$  be an BA- finitly additive set function on a measurable space  $(\Omega, F)$ , for all  $A \in F$ . We say that  $\mu$  is

- (1) Continuous from below at  $A \in F$ , if  $\mu(A_n) \longrightarrow \mu(A)$  wherever  $\{A_n\}$  is a sequence of sets in F with  $A_n \uparrow A$
- (2) Continuous from above at  $A \in F$ , if  $\mu(A_n) \longrightarrow \mu(A)$  wherever  $\{A_n\}$  is a sequence of sets in F with  $A_n \downarrow A$
- (3) Continuous at  $A \in F$ , if it is continuous both from below and from above at A.

#### Theorem (2.3)

Let  $\mu$  be an BA- finitly additive set function on a measurable space  $(\Omega, F)$ , for all  $A \in F$ .

- (1) If  $\mu$  is BA- countably additive, then  $\mu$  is continuous at A for all  $A \in F$ .
- (2) If  $\mu$  is continuous from below at every set  $A \in F$ , then  $\mu$  is BA- countably additive.

(3) If  $\mu$  is, finitly and continuous from above at  $\phi$ , then  $\mu$  is BA- countably additive.

#### Proof

Let  $\{A_n\}$  be a sequence of sets in F with  $A_n \uparrow A$ 

$$\Rightarrow \{A_n\} \text{ is an increasing sequence and } \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n = A$$

 $A = A_1 \cup (\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} (A_{n+1} | A_n))$  is a disjoint decomposition and

$$\mu(A) = \mu(A_1) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_{n+1} \mid A_n) = \mu(A_1) + \lim_{k \to \infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_{n+1} \mid A_n) = \lim_{k \to \infty} \mu(A_n)$$

Since  $\mu$  is BA - finitly additive on F. Thus  $\mu$  is continuous from below at A

Now suppose  $\{A_n\}$  be decreases sequence and  $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n = A$ 

Put  $B_n = A_k | A_n$  for  $n \ge k$  $\Rightarrow \{B_n\}$  is increasing to  $A_k | A$ . Hence, as  $n \longrightarrow \infty$ , we have

$$\mu(B_n) \longrightarrow \mu(A_k \mid A) = \mu(A_k) - \mu(A)$$

But

 $\mu(B_n) = \mu(A_k) \longrightarrow \mu(A_n)$  so that  $\mu(A_n) \longrightarrow \mu(A)$  as  $n \longrightarrow \infty$  since  $\mu(A_n)$  is finite, and  $\mu$  is also continuous from above at A.

(2)

Suppose  $A \in F$ ,  $A_n \in F$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \cdots$  are such that  $A = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$  and the sets  $A_n$  are

disjoint. Put  $B_n = \bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i \in F$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \cdots$ , and  $\{B_n\}$  is a monotone sequence of sets in F which converges to  $A \in F$ . If  $\mu$  is continuous from below at A.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \mu(A_i) = \mu(B_n) \to \mu(A) \text{ as } n \to \infty$$

So that again  $\mu(A) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_i)$  and  $\mu$  is BA-countably additive.

#### (3)

In the notation of (2), put  $G_n = A - B_n \in F$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ . Then  $\{G_n\}$  is a monotone decreasing sequence converging to  $\phi$  and, for  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ 

$$\mu(A) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \mu(A_i) + \mu(G_n)$$

If  $\mu$  is finite and continuous from above at  $\phi$  we must have  $\mu(G_n) \to 0$  as  $n \to \infty$ . So that again  $\mu(A) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_i)$ .

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