

ON THE EXTENSION OF STABLE CYLINDRICAL MEASURES

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I - INTRODUCTION

Let  $X$  be a separable Banach space with dual  $X^*$ . Let  $T \in \mathcal{L}(X^*, L^\alpha)$   $0 < \alpha \leq 2$  i.e.  $T$  is a linear continuous operator from  $X^*$  into  $L^\alpha$ . Consider the functional  $\lambda: X^* \rightarrow R$  defined by

$$\lambda(x^*) = \exp \{ - \|Tx\|^\alpha \}$$

It is easy to see that  $\lambda(x^*)$  is a characteristic functional (ch. f.) of a cylindrical measure  $\Lambda^T$  on  $X$ . The set of all operators  $T \in \mathcal{L}(X^*, L^\alpha)$  such that  $\Lambda^T$  can be extended into a Radon measure will be denoted by  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . The problem considered here is that of determining conditions on  $T$  which are necessary and sufficient for  $T$  to belong to the class  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . It is noted that for the case  $\alpha = 2$  this problem has been solved by S. A. Chobanjan and V. I. Tarieladze [3]: If  $X$  is of type 2 then  $T \in \mathcal{C}_2(X^*, L^2)$  if and only if  $T$  is 2-summing.

In this paper we shall try to solve the above mentioned problem for the case  $1 < \alpha < 2$ . Theorem 3.1 gives the necessary condition for  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . This condition is also sufficient when  $X$  is a closed subspace of  $L^p$  ( $1 < p \leq 2$ ) and not sufficient when  $X = L^p$  ( $p > 2$ ). Next, we shall show that the assertion that  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$  if and only if  $T$  is  $\alpha$ -summing holds if and only if  $X$  can be immersed in some  $L^p$  and is of stable-type  $\alpha$ . In this way we obtain a probabilistic description of these spaces. It is interesting to note that here for the case  $\alpha < 2$  there are no analogues of the results in the case  $\alpha = 2$ .

II - PRELIMINARIES

**2.1. Spaces of stable-type  $\alpha$ .** Let  $X$  be a separable Banach space.  $X$  is said to be of stable-type  $\alpha$  ( $0 < \alpha \leq 2$ ) if for each sequence  $(x_n)_{n=1}^\infty \subset X$  with the property  $\sum_{n=1}^\infty \|x_n\|^\alpha < \infty$ , the series  $\sum_{n=1}^\infty x_n \theta_n^{(\alpha)}$  is convergent a.s. where  $(\theta_n^{(\alpha)})_{n=1}^\infty$  are independent

dependent identically distributed real-valued random variables with the ch. f.  $\exp \{-|t|^\alpha\}$ .

A theorem by Maurey, Pisier (1976) [7] gives the following purely geometrical characterization of spaces of stable-type  $\alpha$ :  $X$  is of stable-type  $\alpha$  if and only if  $l^\alpha$  is not finitely representable in  $X$ . Example: Each Banach space is of stable-type  $\alpha$  with  $0 < \alpha < 1$ .  $L^p$  is of stable-type  $\alpha$  ( $1 \leq \alpha < 2$ ) if and only if  $p > \alpha$ .

$X$  is said to be stable-cotype  $\alpha$  if for each sequence  $(x_n)_{n=1}^\infty \subset X$  such that the series  $\sum x_n \theta_n^{(\alpha)}$  is convergent a.s. in  $X$  it follows  $\sum \|x_n\|^\alpha < \infty$ . It is known that each Banach space is of stable-cotype  $\alpha$  with  $0 < \alpha < 2$  (see [7]).

**2.2.  $p$ -summing operators** Let  $X, Y$  be Banach spaces. An operator  $T \in \mathcal{L}(X, Y)$  is said to be  $p$ -summing ( $p > 0$ ) if for each sequence  $(x_n) \subset X_\infty$  such that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\langle x_n, x^* \rangle|^p < \infty \text{ for each } x^* \in X \text{ we have } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|Tx_n\|^p < \infty. \text{ In other words,}$$

$T$  is  $p$ -summing if  $T$  carries each weakly  $p$ -absolutely summable sequence from  $X$  into the strongly  $p$ -absolutely summable sequence in  $Y$ . This definition is equivalent to the following one. There exists a constant  $C > 0$  such that for every finite collection  $(x_n) \subset X$ .

$$(\sum \|Tx_n\|^p)^{1/p} \leq C \sup_{\|x^*\| \leq 1} (\sum |\langle x_n, x^* \rangle|^p)^{1/p}.$$

An operator  $T \in \mathcal{L}(X, Y)$  is said to be completely summing if  $T$  is  $p$ -summing for each  $p > 0$ . We denote the class of all  $p$ -summing operators from  $X$  into  $Y$  by  $\pi_p(X, Y)$  and denote the class of all completely summing operators from  $X$  into  $Y$  by  $\pi_\infty(X, Y)$ . If  $0 < p < q$  then  $\pi_p(X, Y) \subset \pi_q(X, Y)$ . For more information about  $p$ -summing operators see [9], [10]. The connection between spaces of stable-type  $\alpha$  and  $\alpha$ -summing operators is established by the following theorem.

**2.2.1. Maurey — Pisier's Theorem** [7]  $X$  is of stable-type  $\alpha$  if and only if for every quotient space  $G$  of the dual space  $X^*$  and for any Banach space  $Y$  we have  $\pi_\alpha(G, Y) \equiv \pi_0(G, Y)$ .

In particular, if  $X^*$  is of stable-type  $\alpha$  then  $\pi_\alpha(X, Y) \equiv \pi_0(X, Y)$ .

**2.3.  $p$ -Radonifying operators.** Let  $\Lambda$  be a cylindrical (probability) measure on  $X$ . The characteristic functional (ch. f.) of a cylindrical measure is defined as follows

$$\widehat{\Lambda}(x^*) = \int_R e^{i\langle x, x^* \rangle} \Lambda_{x^*}(du),$$

where  $\Lambda_{x^*}$  is the measure on  $R$  given by

$$\Lambda_{x^*}(B) = \Lambda \{x : \langle x, x^* \rangle \in B\}.$$

$\Lambda$  is said to be of type  $p$  if

$$\sup_{\|x^*\| \leq 1} \left[ \int_R |u|^p \Lambda_{x^*}(du) \right]^{1/p} < \infty.$$

We say that  $\Lambda$  is a Radon measure if  $\Lambda$  can be extended into a Radon measure on  $X$ . Then its extension is also denoted by  $\Lambda$ .

A Radon measure  $\mu$  is said to be of order  $p$  if

$$\int_X \|x\|^p \mu(dx) < \infty.$$

Let  $X, Y$  be Banach spaces. An operator  $T \in \mathcal{L}(X, Y)$  is said to be  $p$ -Radonnifying ( $p > 0$ ) if for each cylindrical measure  $\Lambda$  of type  $p$  on  $X$ ,  $T(\Lambda)$  is a Radon measure of order  $p$  on  $Y$ . The following theorem which will be repeatedly used in this paper establishes the relationship between  $p$ -summing and  $p$ -Radonnifying operators:

### 2.3.1. Chwartz's Theorem [10], [11]

- i) If the operator  $T$  is  $p$ -Radonnifying then it is also  $p$ -summing.
- ii) Conversely, if  $T$  is  $p$ -summing and  $1 < p < \infty$  then  $T$  is  $p$ -Radonnifying.

**2.4. Stable measures.** A measure  $\mu$  on  $X$  is called (symmetric) stable if for any  $a, b > 0$  there exists  $c > 0$  such that the ch. f.  $\widehat{\mu}$  of  $\mu$  satisfies the equality

$$\widehat{\mu}(ax^*) \widehat{\mu}(bx^*) = \widehat{\mu}(cx^*) \text{ for all } x^* \in X^*.$$

Below we shall list some properties of stable measures which will be used in this paper.

### 2.4.1. Theorem [12] (The representation of the ch.f. of stable measures)

If  $\mu$  is a symmetric stable measure on  $X$  then there exist a constant  $\alpha$  ( $0 < \alpha \leq 2$ ) and a finite measure  $\gamma$  on the unit sphere  $S$  of  $X$  such that

$$\widehat{\mu}(x^*) = \exp \left\{ - \int_S |\langle x, x^* \rangle|^\alpha \gamma(dx) \right\}.$$

The constant  $\alpha$  will be called the index of  $\mu$ . The measure  $\gamma$  will be called the spectral measure of  $\mu$ .

**2.4.2. Theorem [1]** Every stable measure of index  $\alpha$  ( $0 < \alpha < 2$ ) is of order  $p$  for each  $p < \alpha$  and not of order  $\alpha$ .

**2.4.3. Lemma [4]** For each  $p < \alpha$  there exists a universal constant  $C_p$  such that for each stable measure  $\mu$  of index  $\alpha$  on  $R$  with the ch. f.  $e^{-|bt|^\alpha}$  we have

$$\left( \int_R |t|^p \mu(dt) \right)^{1/p} = b C_p.$$

III — THE PROBLEM OF EXTENDING STABLE CYLINDRICAL MEASURES

Let  $X$  be a Banach space and let  $T \in \mathcal{L}(X^*, L^\alpha)$  ( $0 < \alpha \leq 2$ ). Consider the functional  $\lambda : X^* \rightarrow R$  defined by

$$\lambda(x^*) = \exp \{ - \|Tx^*\|^\alpha \}. \tag{3-1}$$

It is easy to check that  $\lambda(x^*)$  is positive definite, continuous with  $\lambda(0) = 1$ . Therefore  $\lambda(x^*)$  is a ch. f. of some cylindrical measure on  $X$ , say  $\wedge T$ . Let  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$  denote the class of all operators  $T \in \mathcal{L}(X^*, L^\alpha)$  such that  $\wedge T$  is a Radon measure. It is easily seen that if  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$  then (3-1) is the ch. f. of a symmetric stable measure of index  $\alpha$ . Conversely, the ch. f. of every symmetric stable measure of index  $\alpha$  may be represented in this way, indeed, by Theorem 2.4.1 the ch. f. of a symmetric stable measure of index  $\alpha$  has the form

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{\mu}(x^*) &= \exp \left\{ - \int_S |\langle x, x^* \rangle|^\alpha \gamma(dx) \right\} \\ &= \exp \{ - \|Tx^*\|^\alpha \}, \end{aligned}$$

where the operator  $T : X^* \rightarrow L^\alpha(S, \gamma)$  is defined by

$$Tx^* = \langle \cdot, x^* \rangle.$$

Our aim is to give a description of the class  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ , where the space  $L^\alpha$  is infinitely dimensional. In what follows we shall only consider the case  $1 < \alpha < 2$ . We begin by proving the assertion which gives a necessary condition for  $T$  to belong to the class  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ .

**3. 1. Theorem** Let  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . Then

- i)  $T$  is a compact operator
- ii)  $T$  is completely summing

**Proof.** 1) Suppose that  $B^*$  is the unit ball of  $X^*$  and  $(Tx_n^*)$  is an arbitrary sequence in  $TB^*$ . We have to show that  $(Tx_n^*)$  contains a subsequence which converges in  $L^\alpha$ . Since  $B^*$  is  $\sigma(X^*, X)$ -compact  $(x_n)$  has a subsequence  $(x_{n_k}^*)$  such that  $(x_{n_k}^*)$  is convergent in  $\sigma(X^*, X)$ -topology to some  $x^*$  in  $B^*$ . So

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \exp \{ - \|Tx_{n_k}^* - Tx^*\|^\alpha \} &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \exp \{ - \|T(x_{n_k}^* - x^*)\|^\alpha \} = \\ &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \int_X e^{i \langle x, x_{n_k}^* - x^* \rangle} \wedge T(dx) = 1 \text{ by virtue of Lebesgue's dominated convergence} \\ &\text{theorem.} \end{aligned}$$

This implies  $\|Tx_{n_k}^* - Tx^*\| \rightarrow 0$  i.e.  $Tx_{n_k}^* \rightarrow Tx^*$  in  $L^\alpha$ .

ii) It is sufficient to show that  $T$  is  $p$ -summing for each  $0 < p < \alpha$ . Since  $x^*$  considered as a random variable on  $(X, \mathcal{P}(X), \wedge T)$  presents itself as a stable random variable of index  $\alpha$  with the ch.  $f(t) = \exp \{ - \|Tx^*\|^\alpha |t|^\alpha \}$ , by Lemma 2.4.3 we have

$$\|Tx^*\|^p = C_p^p \int_X |\langle x, x^* \rangle|^p \wedge^T(dx).$$

For each finite collection  $(x_n) \subset X^*$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum \|Tx_n^*\|^p &= C_p^{-p} \int_X \sum |\langle x, x_n^* \rangle|^p \wedge^T(dx) \leq \\ &C_p^{-p} \int_X \|x\|^p \wedge^T(dx) \left\{ \sup_{\|x\| \leq 1} \sum |\langle x, x_n^* \rangle|^p \right\} \\ &= C \sup_{\|x\| \leq 1} \sum |\langle x, x_n^* \rangle|^p \end{aligned}$$

where we put  $C = C_p^{-p} \int_X \|x\|^p \wedge^T(dx)$ .  $C < \infty$  because  $\int_X \|x\|^p \wedge^T(dx) < \infty$ .

by Theorem 2.4.2.

This proves that  $T$  is  $p$ -summing.

**3.2. Theorem.** Suppose that  $T \in \mathcal{L}(X^*, L^\alpha)$  such that the adjoint operator  $T^*$  operates from  $L^p$  ( $\beta^{-1} + \alpha^{-1} = 1$ ) into  $X$ . If  $T^*$  is  $p$ -summing for some  $0 < p < \alpha$  then  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ .

**Proof.** Let  $m^{(\alpha)}$  be a cylindrical measure on  $L^p$  with the ch. f.  $\exp\{-\|x^*\|^\alpha\}$  ( $x^* \in L^\alpha$ ).  $m^{(\alpha)}$  is the cylindrical measure of type  $p$  for each  $p < \alpha$ . Indeed, by Lemma 2.4.3 we have

$$\left( \int_R |u|^p m_{x^*}^{(\alpha)}(du) \right)^{1/p} = C_p \|x^*\|.$$

Thus

$$\sup_{\|x^*\| \leq 1} \left( \int_R |u|^p m_{x^*}^{(\alpha)}(du) \right)^{1/p} = C_p < \infty$$

Consequently, from the above assumption and from Schwartz's theorem it follows that  $T^*(m^{(\alpha)})$  is a Radon measure on  $X$ . Evidently,  $T^*(m^{(\alpha)})$  is the Radon extension of the cylindrical measure  $\wedge^T$ .

**3.3. Theorem.** i) Suppose that  $X$  can be immersed in some  $L^p$  ( $1 < p \leq 2$ ) ( $X \hookrightarrow L^p$  in short). Then, the class  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$  coincides with the class  $\pi_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$  of all completely summing operators from  $X^*$  into  $L^\alpha$ .

ii) In the case  $X = L^p$  ( $p > 2$ ), however, the class  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$  is strictly included in the class  $\pi_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ .

**Proof.** i) In view of Theorem 3-1 it remains for us to prove the inclusion  $\pi_0(X^*, L^\alpha) \subset \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . The assumption that  $X \hookrightarrow L^p (1 < p \leq 2)$  implies that the function  $\exp \{ -\|x\|_X^p \} (x \in X)$  is positive definite. Let  $m^{(p)}$  denote a cylindrical measure on  $X^*$  with the ch. f.  $\exp \{ -\|x\|_X^p \} (x \in X)$ . Suppose that  $T \in \pi_0(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . Since  $m^{(p)}$  is of type  $q$  for each  $q < p$ , then by Schwartz's theorem  $T(m^{(p)})$  is a Radon measure on  $L^\alpha$ .  $T(m^{(p)})$  has the ch. f.  $\exp \{ -\|T^*x\|^p \} (x \in L^\alpha)$ . According to theorem 3.1  $T^*$  is completely summing (i.e.  $T^*$  is  $p$ -summing for each  $p > 0$ ). From this, by Theorem 3.2 it follows that  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ .

ii) We shall show that there exists an operator  $T$  such that  $T \in \pi_0(X^*, L^\alpha)$  but  $T \notin \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . Indeed, because  $L^p (p > 2)$  cannot be immersed in any  $L^\alpha$ , by Lindenstrauss—Pełczyński's theorem [6] there exist two sequences  $\{x_n\} \subset X$  and  $\{y_n\} \subset X$  satisfying

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\langle y_n, x^* \rangle|^\alpha \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\langle x_n, x^* \rangle|^\alpha \quad (3-2)$$

for all  $x^* \in X^*$  and such that  $\sum \|x_n\|^\alpha < \infty$   $\sum \|y_n\|^\alpha = \infty$ .

Consider the operator  $T: X^* \rightarrow L^\alpha$  defined by

$$Tx^* = (\langle y_n, x^* \rangle)_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

$T$  can be considered as an operator from  $X^*$  into  $L^\alpha$  because  $L^\alpha \hookrightarrow L^\alpha$ . We shall show that  $T \in \pi_0(X^*, L^\alpha)$  but  $T \notin \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ .

a)  $T \in \pi_0(X^*, L^\alpha)$ : Since  $X$  is of stable-type 2, by Maurey—Pisier's Theorem it is sufficient to show that  $T \in \pi_0(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . Consider an arbitrary sequence  $(x_n^*) \subset X$  such that  $\sum |\langle x, x_n^* \rangle|^\alpha < \infty$  for each  $x \in X$ . Then, by the principle of uniform boundedness  $\sum |\langle x, x_n^* \rangle|^\alpha \leq C \|x\|^\alpha$  for some  $C > 0$  and all  $x$ . Thus, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|Tx_n^*\|^\alpha &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |\langle y_k, x_n^* \rangle|^\alpha = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\langle y_k, x_n^* \rangle|^\alpha \leq \\ &\leq \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\langle x_k, x_n^* \rangle|^\alpha \leq C \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \|x_k\|^\alpha < \infty \end{aligned}$$

That is

$$T \in \pi_0(X^*, L^\alpha)$$

b)  $T \notin \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ : Consider the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n \theta_n^{(\alpha)}$  where  $(\theta_n^{(\alpha)})$  are i. i. d.

realvalued random variables with the ch. f.  $\exp \{ -|t|^\alpha \}$ . Let  $\varphi_n(x^*)$  be the ch.f.

of the partial sum  $\sum_{k=1}^n y_k \theta_k^{(\alpha)}$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varphi_n(x^*) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \exp \left\{ - \sum_{k=1}^n | \langle y_k, x^* \rangle |^\alpha \right\} = \exp \left\{ - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} | \langle y_k, x^* \rangle |^\alpha \right\} = \\ &= \exp \left\{ - \|Tx^*\|^\alpha \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Assume  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . This means that  $\exp \{ - \|Tx^*\|^\alpha \}$  is a ch. f. of some

Radon measure. Therefore, by Ito - Nisio's theorem  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n \theta_n^{(\alpha)}$  converges a. s.

Since  $X$  is of stable-cotype  $\alpha$  (Every Banach space being of stable-cotype  $\alpha$  with

$0 < \alpha < 2$ ) the convergence of  $\sum y_n \theta_n^{(\alpha)}$  implies  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|y_n\|^\alpha < \infty$ . This contra-

dicts (3-2).

Theorem 3.3 allows us to obtain the general form of characteristic functionals of symmetric stable measures of index  $\alpha$  in space which can be immersed in some  $L^p$  with  $1 < p \leq 2$ .

**3.4. Corollary.** Let  $X$  be immersed in some  $L^p$  ( $1 < p \leq 2$ ).

A functional  $\lambda: X^* \rightarrow R$  is a ch. f. of a symmetric stable measure of index  $\alpha$  ( $1 < \alpha \leq 2$ ) if and only if it may be represented in the form

$$\lambda(x^*) = \exp \left\{ - \|Tx^*\|_{L^\alpha}^\alpha \right\},$$

where  $T: X^* \rightarrow L^\alpha$  is a completely summing operator.

It is known that [3], in the case  $\alpha = 2$  the equality  $\mathcal{C}_2(X^*, L^2) \equiv \pi_2(X^*, L^2)$  holds if and only if  $X$  is of type 2. The following theorem characterizes those spaces for which the equality  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha) \equiv \pi_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$  holds.

**3.5. Theorem.** Let  $X$  be a Banach space. Then the following assertions are equivalent:

- i)  $X$  can be immersed in some  $L^\alpha$  and is of stable-type  $\alpha$ .
- ii)  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha) \equiv \pi_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ .

**Proof.** i)  $\rightarrow$  ii) Since  $X \hookrightarrow L^\alpha$ , by theorem 3.3 we have  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha) \equiv \pi_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . On the other hand, since  $X$  is of stable-type  $\alpha$  it follows from Maurey-Pisier's theorem that  $\pi_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha) \equiv \pi_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . Therefore  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha) \equiv \pi_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ .

ii)  $\rightarrow$  i) As we have shown in the proof of the part ii) of theorem 3.3 if  $X$  cannot be immersed in any  $L^\alpha$  then there exists an operator  $T$  such that  $T \in \pi_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$  but  $T \notin \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^*, L^\alpha)$ . Consequently,  $X$  can be immersed in some  $L^\alpha$ .

Next, we show that  $X$  is of stable-type  $\alpha$ . Let  $(x_n) \subset X$ ,  $\sum \|x_n\|^\alpha < \infty$ .

We have to prove that the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n \theta_n^{(\alpha)}$  converges a.s. Consider the operator

$T: X^* \rightarrow l^\alpha$  defined by  $Tx^* = \{ \langle x_n, x^* \rangle \}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ .  $T$  can be considered as an opera-

or from  $X^\alpha$  into  $L^\alpha$  because  $L^\alpha \hookrightarrow L^\alpha$ . From Ho-Nisio's theorem it easily follows that the series  $\sum x_n \theta_n^{(\alpha)}$  will converge a.s. if we show that  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$  i.e.

$T \in \pi_\alpha(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$  by our assumption. Consider an arbitrary sequence  $(x_n^\alpha) \subset X^\alpha$  such that  $\sum |\langle x, x_n^\alpha \rangle|^\alpha < \infty$  for each  $x \in X$ . By the uniform boundedness principle  $\sum |\langle x, x_n^\alpha \rangle|^\alpha \leq C \|x\|^\alpha$  for some  $C > 0$  and all  $x \in X$ . Thus we have

$$\sum_k \|Tx_k^\alpha\|^\alpha = \sum_k \sum_n |\langle x_n, x_k^\alpha \rangle|^\alpha = \sum_n \sum_k |\langle x_n, x_k^\alpha \rangle|^\alpha \leq C \sum_n \|x_n\|^\alpha < \infty.$$

That is  $T \in \pi_\alpha(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$ .

**Remark.** Taking into account theorems 3.4 and 3.5 the following problem arises quite naturally: Characterize those Banach spaces in which the class  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$  coincides with the class  $\pi_\alpha(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$  of all completely summing operators from  $X^\alpha$  into  $L^\alpha$ .

Let  $\Gamma_\alpha(X)$  denote the class of all spectral measures corresponding to symmetric stable measures on  $X$  with index  $\alpha$ . It is known that if  $X$  is of stable-type  $\alpha$  then  $\Gamma_\alpha(X)$  consists of all finite measures on the unit sphere  $S$  (see [3]). In particular, we get the description of  $\Gamma_\alpha(X)$  for the case  $X = l^p$  ( $p > \alpha$ ). Here, as an application of above-obtained results, we shall prove the following theorem which gives a description of the class  $\Gamma_\alpha(X)$  for the case  $X = l^p$  ( $1 < p < \alpha$ ) (Note that for arbitrary  $X$  the problem of determining  $\Gamma_\alpha(X)$  still remains open).

**3.7. Theorem.** Let  $X = l^p$  ( $1 < p < \alpha$ ). Then the class  $\Gamma_\alpha(X)$  consists of finite measures  $\gamma$  on  $S$  satisfying the condition

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \int_S |\langle x, e_n \rangle|^\alpha \gamma(dx) \right]^{p/\alpha} < \infty,$$

where  $(e_n)$  is the sequence of unit vectors in  $X^\alpha = l^q$ .

**Proof.** We let  $L^\alpha = L^\alpha(S, \gamma)$ . Consider the operator  $T: X^\alpha \rightarrow L^\alpha$  defined by  $Tx^\alpha = \langle \cdot, x^\alpha \rangle$ . Then the fact that  $\gamma \in \Gamma_\alpha(X)$  is equivalent to the fact that  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$ . Therefore the theorem will be proved as soon as we show that  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$  if and only if  $\sum \|Te_n\|^p < \infty$ . Suppose that  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$ . By theorem 3.1  $T \in \pi_p(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$ . From this it follows that  $\sum \|Te_n\|^p < \infty$  since  $(e_n)$  is a weakly  $p$ -absolutely summable sequence in  $X^\alpha = l^q$ . Conversely, suppose that  $\sum \|Te_n\|^p < \infty$ . Consider the series  $\sum_n T(e_n)\theta_n^{(p)}$  where  $(\theta_n^{(p)})$  are i.i.d. real-valued random variables with the ch. f.  $\exp\{-|t|^p\}$ . Because  $L^\alpha$  is of stable-type  $p$  ( $p < \alpha$ ),  $\sum \|Te_n\|^p < \infty$  implies that the series  $\sum T(e_n)\theta_n^{(p)}$  converges a.s. in  $L^\alpha$ . This fact implies that  $\exp\{-\|T^\alpha x^\alpha\|_X^p\}$  is the ch. f. of a Radon measure on  $L^\alpha$ . According to theorem 3.1,  $T^\alpha \in \pi_\alpha(L^\alpha, X)$  and, consequently,  $T \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha(X^\alpha, L^\alpha)$  by theorem 3.2.

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