

Certain Invariant Subspace Structure of Analytic Crossed Products II

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1. Introduction

Let M be a finite von Neumann algebra on a separable Hilbert space H . Let α be a $*$ -automorphism of M . Suppose that there is an α -invariant faithful normal semi-finite trace ϕ of M . Let \mathfrak{L}_+ be an analytic crossed product on L^2 determined by M and α (see the definition to § 2). We have an interest in the invariant subspace structure of L^2 with respect to \mathfrak{L}_+ . In [3, 5], McAsey introduced the notion of canonical models for invariant subspaces of L^2 . That is, a family of left-pure, left-full, left-invariant subspaces $\{\mathfrak{M}_i\}_{i \in I}$ constitutes a complete set of canonical models for all invariant subspaces of L^2 in case (a) for no two distinct indices i and j , $P\mathfrak{M}_i$ is unitary equivalent to $P\mathfrak{M}_j$ by a unitary operator in $\mathfrak{K}(=\mathfrak{L}')$; and (b) for every left-pure, left-invariant subspace of L^2 , there is an i in I and a partial isometry V in \mathfrak{K} such that $VP\mathfrak{M}_iV^*=P\mathfrak{M}$, so that $\mathfrak{M}=V\mathfrak{M}_i$. McAsey found the canonical model in case that $M=\ell^\infty(X)$, where X is a finite set with elements t_0, t_1, \dots, t_{K-1} , and the automorphism of M induced by a permutation of X . Further, in [9, 18, 19], we studied the canonical models of invariant subspaces in case that ϕ is a finite trace. On the other hand, in [2], we studied the canonical models when $M=L^\infty(X, \mu)$, $\mu(X)=\infty$ and α is an ergodic automorphism of M . That is, we constructed a left-pure, left-full, left-invariant subspace \mathfrak{M}_∞ of L^2 with the multiplicity function m of \mathfrak{M}_∞ which is $m(t)=\infty$ for almost all t in X . Thus, for every left-pure, left-invariant subspace \mathfrak{M} of L^2 , there exists a partial isometry V in $\mathfrak{K}(=\mathfrak{L}')$ such that $\mathfrak{M}=V\mathfrak{M}_\infty$. That is, the canonical model in this case is the singletone $\{\mathfrak{M}_\infty\}$.

Our aim in this note is to extend the results in [2]. That is, suppose that $\phi(1)=\infty$ and that α is ergodic on the center Z of M . Then we will construct a left-pure, left-full, left-invariant subspace \mathfrak{M}_∞ of L^2 with the multiplicity function m of \mathfrak{M}_∞ which is $m(t)=\infty$ for almost everywhere t in X . Therefore, we prove that for every left-pure, left-invariant subspace \mathfrak{M} of L^2 , there exists a partial isometry V in $\mathfrak{K}(=\mathfrak{L}')$ such that $\mathfrak{M}=V\mathfrak{M}_\infty$.

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