Some multipliers on the space consisting of measures of analytic type, II

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§ 0. Introduction

Let G be a LCA group with the dual group \hat{G} . m_G means the Haar measure of G. M(G) and $L^1(G)$ denote the measure algebra and the group algebra respectively. Let $M_s(G)$ be the closed subspace of M(G) consisting of the singular measures on G. For a subset E of \hat{G} , $M_E(G)$ denotes the space of measures in M(G) whose Fourier-Stieltjes transforms vanish off E. We denote by E^0 and E^- the interior and closure of E respectively. "^" and "[~]" denote the Fourier-Stieltjes transform and the inverse Fourier transform respectively. For a subset B of M(G), B[^] means a set { $\hat{\mu}: \mu \in B$ }. Let R be the reals and $H^1(R)$ the Hardy space on R. Then, by the F. and M. Riesz theorem, $H^1(R) = \{\mu \in M(R): \hat{\mu}(x) = 0 \text{ for } x < 0\}$. When there is a nontrivial continuous homomorphism $\psi: \hat{G} \mapsto R$, we define $M^a(G)$ by $M^a(G) = \{\mu \in M(G): \hat{\mu}(\gamma) = 0 \text{ for } \gamma \in \hat{G} \text{ with } \psi(\gamma) < 0\}$. If $\mu \in M^a(G)$, we say that μ is a measure of analytic type.

For compact abelian groups G, Doss proved that each multiplier on $M_s(G)$ is given by convolution with a discrete measure on G ([3]). In [5], Graham and MaLean obtained an analogous result for LCA groups. On the other hand, the author in ([10], Theorem 2.3) proved that $\Phi \circ \phi$ becomes a multiplier on $M^a(G)$ for each multiplier Φ on $L^1_{-s}(R)$ ($\delta > 0$), where $L^1_{-s}(R) = \{f \in L^1(R) : \hat{f}(x) = 0 \text{ for } x < -\delta\}$. However it is natural to consider whether $\Phi \circ \phi$ becomes a multiplier on $M^a(G)$ for each multiplier Φ on $H^1(R)$ or not. There are two purpose in this paper. One is to prove that $\Phi \circ \phi$ becomes a multiplier on $M^a(G)$ for each multiplier Φ on $H^1(R)$. The other is to improve Theorem 2.4 in [10]. We state our results after the following definition.

DEFINITION 0.1 Let E be a aubset of \hat{G} . A function Φ on \hat{G} which is continuous on E^0 is called a multiplier (or multiplier function) on $M_E(G)$ if $\Phi \hat{\mu} \in M_E(G)^{\wedge}$ for each $\mu \in M_E(G)$. By the function Φ , there exists a unique bounded linear operator S on $M_E(G)$ such that $S(\mu)^{\wedge} = \Phi \hat{\mu}$. Thus defined S is called a multiplier operator (or merely multiplier) on $M_E(G)$ induced by the function Φ . We denote a norm $||\Phi||$ by $||\Phi|| = ||S||$.

THEOREM I (cf. Theorem, 2.3 in [10]).

Let G be a LCA group and ψ a nontrivial continuous homomorphism from \hat{G} into R. Suppose $M^{\alpha}(G) \cap M_{s}(G) \neq \{0\}$. Let Φ be a multiplier on $H^{1}(R)$. Then $\Phi \circ \psi$ is a multiplier on $M^{\alpha}(G)$ with the following properties:

 $(\ \mathrm{I}\)\quad S(M^a(G)\cap L^{\mathrm{l}}(G))\subset M^a(G)\cap L^{\mathrm{l}}(G);$

(II) $S(M^a(G) \cap M_s(G)) \subset M^a(G) \cap M_s(G);$

(III) $||\boldsymbol{\Phi} \circ \boldsymbol{\psi}|| \leq |\boldsymbol{\Phi}(0)| + 2||\boldsymbol{\Phi}||$,

where S is the bounded linear operator on $M^{a}(G)$ corresponding to $\Phi \circ \psi$.

THEOREM II (cf. Theorem 2.4 in [10]).

Let G be a LCA group and P a semigroup in \hat{G} such that $P \cup (-P) = \hat{G}$. We assume that P is not dense in \hat{G} and $M_P(G) \cap M_s(G) \neq \{0\}$. Then there exists a multiplier Φ on $M_P(G)$ which satisfies the following:

- $(I) \quad S(M_P(G) \cap L^1(G)) \subset M_P(G) \cap L^1(G);$
- (II) $\{0\} \subsetneq S(M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)) \subset M_P(G) \cap M_s(G);$
- (III) S is not given by convolution with a bounded regular measure on G,

where S is the bounded linear operator on $M_P(G)$ corresponding to Φ .

§ 1. Some lemmas

In this section we state lemmas which are needeful for the proofs of Theorems I and II. For a subgroup Λ of \hat{G} , Λ^{\perp} means the annihilator of Λ .

LEMMA 1.1. Let G be a metrizable LCA group and P a semigroup in \hat{G} such that $P \cup (-P) = \hat{G}$. Put $\Lambda = P \cap (-P)$ and $H = \Lambda^{\perp}$. If P is open, we have

$$m_{H^{*}}\left\{M_{P}(G)\cap M_{s}(G)\right\}\subset M_{P}(G)\cap M_{s}(G)$$
.

PROOF. We may assume that $P \subsetneq \hat{G}$. First we consider the case that G is σ -compact metrizable. Let μ be a measure in $M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)$. Put $\eta = \pi(|\eta|)$, where $\pi: G \mapsto G/H$ is the natural homomorphism. Then by the theory of disintegration (cf. [1], Théorème 1, p. 58) there exists a family $\{\xi_{i}\}_{i \in G/H}$ of positive measures in M(G) with the following properties:

- (1) $\dot{x} \mapsto \xi_{\dot{x}}(f)$ is a Borel measurable function for each bounded Borel function f on G;
- (2) $\operatorname{supp}(\xi_{\dot{x}}) \subset \pi^{-1}(\dot{x});$
- $(3) \qquad ||\xi_{\dot{x}}|| \leq 1;$
- (4) $|\mu|(f) = \int_{G/H} \xi_{\dot{x}}(f) d\eta(\dot{x})$ for each bounded Borel f on G.

For $\dot{x} \in G/H$, $m_{\dot{x}}$ denotes the measure on $\pi^{-1}(\dot{x})$ which is given by translating m_H to $\pi^{-1}(\dot{x})$. Let $\xi_{\dot{x}} = \xi_{\dot{x}}^a + \xi_{\dot{x}}^s$ be the Lebesgue's decomposition of $\xi_{\dot{x}}$ with respect to $m_{\dot{x}}$, where $\xi_{\dot{x}}^a \ll m_{\dot{x}}$ and $\xi_{\dot{x}}^s \perp m_{\dot{x}}$. Let h be a unimodular Borel function on G such that $\mu = h|\mu|$. We define measures $\lambda_{\dot{x}}$, $\lambda_{\dot{x}}^a$ and $\lambda_{\dot{x}}^s$ on G as follows:

$$\lambda_{\dot{x}}=h\xi_{\dot{x}}\;,\qquad\lambda^a_{\dot{x}}=h\xi^a_{\dot{x}}\;,\qquad\lambda^s_{\dot{x}}=h\xi^s_{\dot{x}}\;.$$

Then, by (1)-(4) and ([11], Lemma 2.5), we have

- (5) $\dot{x} \mapsto \lambda_{\dot{x}}(f)$ is a Borel measurable function for each bounded Borel function f on G;
- (6) $\operatorname{supp}(\lambda_{\dot{x}}) \subset \pi^{-1}(\dot{x});$
- $(7) \qquad ||\lambda_{\dot{x}}|| \leq 1;$

(8)
$$\mu(f) = \int_{G/H} \lambda_{\dot{x}}(f) d\eta(\dot{x})$$
 for each bounded Borel f on G;

(9)
$$\dot{x} \mapsto \lambda_{\dot{x}}^{a}(f)$$
 and $\dot{x} \mapsto \lambda_{\dot{x}}^{s}(f)$ are Borel measurable functions for each bounded Borel function f on G .

Since P is open, we note that P is closed. Moreover, since $P^c + \Lambda = P^c$, we note that ([11], Lemma 2.4 (5)) is satisfied even if we replace P by P^c . Hence, since $\mu \in M_P(G)$, we have

(10)
$$\hat{\lambda}_{\dot{x}}(\gamma) = 0$$
 on P^c η -a. a. $\dot{x} \in G/H$.

Then, by (6), (10) and ([8], 8.2.3. Theorem (b), p. 200), we have

(11)
$$\lambda_{\dot{x}}^{s^{\wedge}}(\gamma) = 0$$
 on $-P$ η -a. a. $\dot{x} \in G/H$.

By (5) and (9) we can define measures $\mu_i \in M(G)$ as follows:

$$\mu_1(f) = \int_{G/H} \lambda_{\dot{x}}^a(f) \, d\eta_a(\dot{x}) ,$$
$$\mu_2(f) = \int_{G/H} \lambda_{\dot{x}}^s(f) \, d\eta_a(\dot{x}) ,$$
$$\mu_3(f) = \int_{G/H} \lambda_{\dot{x}}(f) \, d\eta_s(\dot{x})$$

for $f \in C_0(G)$, where $\eta = \eta_a + \eta_s$ is the Lebesgue's decomposition of η with respect to $m_{G/H}$. Then by ([11], Lemma 2.6, Claims 1-3) and the construction of μ_i , we have $\mu_1 \in L^1(G)$ and μ_2 , $\mu_3 \in M_s(G)$. Since $\mu \in M_s(G)$ and $\mu = \mu_1 + \mu_2 + \mu_3$, we get

(12)
$$\mu = \mu_2 + \mu_3$$
.

By (11) and the construction of μ_2 , we have $\hat{\mu}_2 = 0$ on -P, which yields

(13)
$$m_{H}*\mu_{2}=0$$
.

Moreover we have

$$(14) \qquad m_H * \mu_3 \in M_s(G) .$$

Indeed, since $\pi(|\mu_{\mathfrak{s}}|) \leq \eta_{\mathfrak{s}}$, we have $\pi(m_{H}*|\mu_{\mathfrak{s}}|) \in M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G/H)$, hence $m_{H}*|\mu_{\mathfrak{s}}| \in M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G)$ (cf. [11], Lemma 2.3). Thus (14) is obtained. Hence, when G is σ -compact metrizable, the lemma follows from (12)-(14).

Next we consider the case that G is metrizable. Let μ be a measure in $M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)$. Then by ([11], Lemma 3.1) there exists a σ -compact open subgroup G_1 of G such that

(15)
$$\operatorname{supp}(\mu) \subset G_1 \text{ and } G_1^{\perp} \subset \Lambda$$
.

We note that $H \subset G_1$. Let τ be the natural homomorphism from \hat{G} onto \hat{G}/G_1^{\perp} and put $\tilde{P} = \tau(P)$. Then we have

(16)
$$\tilde{A}^{\perp} = H$$
,

where $\tilde{\Lambda} = \tilde{P} \cap (-\tilde{P})$. By (15), we can regard μ as a measure in $M_s(G_1)$. Since $G_1^{\perp} \subset P \cap (-P)$, we have $\tau(P^c) = \tau(P)^c$. Hence μ belongs to $M_{\tilde{P}}(G_1) \cap M_s(G_1)$. Since G_1 is σ -compact metrizable, it follows from (16) and the first half that $m_H * \mu \in M_{\tilde{P}}(G_1) \cap M_s(G_1)$. In particular, $m_H * \mu$ belongs to $M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)$ and the proof is complete.

LEMMA 1.2. Let G be a LCA group and P an open semigroup in \hat{G} such that $P \cup (-P) = \hat{G}$. Then the previous lemma is also satisfied.

PROOF. Let Λ and H be as in the previous lemma. Let μ be a measure in $M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)$. Suppose $m_H*\mu$ does not belong to $M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)$. Then $m_H*\mu=f+\nu$, where $\nu \in M_s(G)$ and f is a nonzero function in $L^1(G)$. Since $\hat{f} \in C_0(\hat{G})$, there exists a σ -compact open subgroup F of \hat{G} such that $\hat{f}(\gamma)=0$ for $\gamma \notin F$. Since μ , $\nu \in M_s(G)$, there exist σ -compact subsets E_{μ} and E_{ν} of G such that $|\mu|(E_{\mu}^c)=0, |\nu|(E_{\nu}^c)=0$ and $m_G(E_{\mu} \cup E_{\nu})=0$. Hence by ([7], Lemma 4) there exists a σ -compact open subgroup Γ of \hat{G} such that (a) $\Gamma \supset F$ and (b) $m_G(\Gamma^{\perp} + E_{\mu} \cup E_{\nu}) = 0$. Let π be the natural homomorphism from G onto G/Γ^{\perp} . Then, by (b), we have

 $(1) \qquad \pi(\mu), \ \pi(\nu) \in M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G/\Gamma^{\perp}) \ .$

Put $P_1 = P \cap \Gamma$. Then P_1 is an open semigroup in Γ such that $P_1 \cup (-P_1) = \Gamma$. Put $\Lambda_1 = P_1 \cap (-P_1)$, and let \tilde{H} be the annihilator of Λ_1 in G/Γ^{\perp} . Then we have $\pi(m_H) = m_{\tilde{H}}$. Since G/Γ^{\perp} is metrizable, it follows from (1) and Lemma 1.1 that

(2)
$$\pi(m_H)*\pi(\mu) = m_{\widetilde{H}}*\pi(\mu) \in M_{P_1}(G/\Gamma^{\perp}) \cap M_s(G/\Gamma^{\perp}).$$

On the other hand, we have

 $\pi(m_H)*\pi(\mu) = \pi(m_H*\mu) = \pi(\mu) + \pi(f)$.

By the construction of Γ , $\pi(f)$ is a nonzero function in $L^1(G/\Gamma^{\perp})$. Hence by (1) and (2) we have a contradiction. Thus $m_H*\mu$ belongs to $M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)$ and the proof is complete.

PROPOSITION 1.3. Let G be a LCA group and P a semigroup in \hat{G} such that $P \cup (-P) = \hat{G}$. Put $\Lambda = P^- \cap (-P)^-$ and $H = \Lambda^{\perp}$. If Λ is open, we have $m_H * \{M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)\} \subset M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)\}.$

PROOF. If Λ is open, P^- is an open semigroup in \hat{G} such that $P^- \cup (-P)^- = \hat{G}$. Hence by Lemma 1.2 and the fact that $M_P(G) \subset M_{P^-}(G)$, the proposition is obtained.

§ 2. Proof of Theorem I.

In this section we prove Theorem I.

DEFINITION 2.1. Let G be a LCA group and $\psi: \hat{G} \mapsto R$ a nontrivial continuous homomorphism. Let δ be a positive real number. We define $M_{\delta}(G)$ as follows:

$$M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G) = \left\{ \mu \in M(G) : \hat{\mu}(\gamma) = 0 \quad for \quad \gamma \in \hat{G} \quad with \quad \phi(\gamma) < \delta \right\}.$$

Let Φ be a multiplier on $H^1(R)$. Then $\Phi_{\delta}(x) = \Phi(x+\delta)$ becomes a multiplier on $L^1_{-\delta}(R)$. Hence the following lemma is obtained from ([10, Theorem 2.3).

LEMMA 2.2. Let G be a LCA group and $\psi: \hat{G} \mapsto R$ a nontrivial continuous homomorphism. Let δ be a positive real number and γ_{δ} an element in \hat{G} such that $\psi(\gamma_{\delta}) = \delta$. Let Φ be a multiplier on $H^1(R)$. Then $\Phi \circ \psi$ is a multiplier on $M_{\delta}(G)$ satisfying the following:

- (I) $S(M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G) \cap L^1(G)) \subset M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G) \subset L^1(G);$
- (II) $S(M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G) \cap M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G)) \subset M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G) \cap M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G);$
- (III) $|| \boldsymbol{\Phi} \circ \boldsymbol{\psi} || \leq || \boldsymbol{\Phi} ||,$

where S is the bounded linear operator on $M_{\mathfrak{s}}(G)$ corresponding to $\Phi \circ \psi$.

LEMMA 2.3. Let G be a LCA group and $\psi: \hat{G} \mapsto R$ a nontrivial continuous homomorphism. Put $Q = \{\gamma \in \hat{G}: \psi(\gamma) > 0\}$. Let Φ be a multiplier on $H^1(R)$. Then $\Phi \circ \psi$ is a multiplier on $M_Q(G)$ with the following properties:

- $(I) \quad S(M_Q(G) \cap L^1(G)) \subset M_Q(G) \cap L^1(G);$
- (II) $S(M_Q(G) \cap M_s(G)) \subset M_Q(G) \subset M_s(G);$
- (III) $|| \boldsymbol{\Phi} \circ \boldsymbol{\psi} || \leq || \boldsymbol{\Phi} ||,$

where S is the bounded linear operator on $M_{\varrho}(G)$ corresponding to $\Phi \circ \phi$.

PROOF. By Lemma 2.2, we may assume that $\psi(\hat{G})$ is dense in R. Then we have

 $(*) \qquad \Phi \circ \psi \hat{\mu} \in M_Q(G)^{\wedge} \text{ and } || \Phi \circ \psi \hat{\mu} || \leq || \Phi || || \mu || \text{ for } \mu \in M_Q(G) .$

We can easily verify that $\Phi \circ \psi \hat{\mu}$ is continuous. Put $\Lambda = \ker(\psi)$, and let $p(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_i(-x, \gamma_i)$ be a trigonometric polynomial on G. We consider (*) by dividing two cases that Λ is open or not.

Case 1. Λ is open.

Let $\varepsilon > 0$ be any positive real number. Then by ([8], Theorem 2.6.8) there exists $\nu \in L^1(G)$ with the following properties :

- $(1) \qquad \hat{v}(\gamma_i) = 1 \qquad (1 \leq i \leq n);$
- (2) \hat{v} has a compact support;

$$(3) \qquad ||\mathbf{v}|| \leq 1 + \varepsilon.$$

Then, since Λ is open, it follows from (2) that $\mu * \nu \in M_{\delta}(G)$ for some $\delta > 0$. Hence by Lemma 2.2 and (3) we have $\Phi \circ \psi \hat{\mu} \hat{\nu} \in M_Q(G)^{\uparrow}$ and $||\Phi \circ \psi \hat{\mu} \hat{\nu}|| \leq (1+\varepsilon)||\Phi|| ||\mu||$. Thus it follows from (1) that

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{i} \boldsymbol{\Phi} \circ \boldsymbol{\psi}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \right| &= \left| \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{i} \boldsymbol{\Phi} \circ \boldsymbol{\psi}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \, \hat{\boldsymbol{\nu}}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \right| \\ &\leq (1+\varepsilon) \, ||\boldsymbol{\rho}||_{\infty} ||\boldsymbol{\Phi}|| \, ||\boldsymbol{\mu}|| \, . \end{aligned}$$

Hence if Λ is open, (*) follows from ([8], 1.9.1 Theorem) since ε is any positive real number.

Case 2. Λ is not open.

In this case, we note $\hat{G}/\Lambda \cong R$. For any $\varepsilon > 0$, we choose $\nu \in L^1(G)$ which satisfies (1)-(3). Then $\mu * \nu \in L^1(G)$ and $\mu * \nu = 0$ on Λ . Hence by ([8], Theorem 2.7.5) there exists $\xi \in M(\Lambda^{\perp})$ with the following properties:

- (4) $\hat{\xi}=1$ on an open set containing Λ ;
- (5) $||\mu*\nu*\xi|| < \varepsilon$.

Then by (4) we have $\mu *\nu - \mu *\nu * \xi \in M_{\delta}(G)$ for some $\delta > 0$. Hence by (5) and Lemma 2.2 we have

$$\begin{split} \left| \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{i} \boldsymbol{\Phi} \circ \boldsymbol{\psi}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \right| &= \left| \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{i} \boldsymbol{\Phi} \circ \boldsymbol{\psi}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \, (\boldsymbol{\mu} \ast \boldsymbol{\nu})^{\wedge}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \right| \\ &\leq \left| \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{i} \boldsymbol{\Phi} \circ \boldsymbol{\psi}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \, (\boldsymbol{\mu} \ast \boldsymbol{\nu} - \boldsymbol{\mu} \ast \boldsymbol{\nu} \ast \boldsymbol{\xi})^{\wedge}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \right| \\ &+ \left| \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{i} \boldsymbol{\Phi} \circ \boldsymbol{\psi}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \, (\boldsymbol{\mu} \ast \boldsymbol{\nu} \ast \boldsymbol{\xi})^{\wedge}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}_{i}) \right| \end{split}$$

$$\leq ||\Phi|| ||\mu * \nu - \mu * \nu * \xi|| ||p||_{\infty} + (\sum_{i=1}^{n} |c_i|) ||\Phi|| ||\mu * \nu * \xi||$$

$$\leq ||\Phi|| ||p||_{\infty} \{(1+\varepsilon) ||\mu|| + \varepsilon\} + \varepsilon (\sum_{i=1}^{n} |c_i|) ||\Phi|| .$$

Letting $\varepsilon \downarrow 0$, then (*) follows from ([8], 1.9.1 Theorem). Thus our claim is satisfied. By (*), $\oint \circ \phi$ is a multiplier on $M_Q(G)$ and (III) is obtained. (I) follows from ([10], Lemma (E), p. 175). Finally we prove (II). For each $n \in N$, let u_n be a function in $L^1(R)$ such that $\hat{u}_n(x)=1$ for $|x| \leq \frac{1}{n}$ and $\hat{u}_n(x)=0$ for $|x| \geq \frac{2}{n}$. Let $\phi: R \mapsto G$ be the dual homomorphism of ϕ , and put $\xi_n = \phi(u_n)$. We define bounded linear operators U_n on $M_Q(G)$ by

$$(5) \qquad U_n(\eta) = \eta - \eta * \xi_n$$

Let $\mu \in M_Q(G) \cap M_s(G)$. We note

$$(6) \qquad U_n((\boldsymbol{\Phi}\circ\boldsymbol{\psi}\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}))) = (\boldsymbol{\Phi}\circ\boldsymbol{\psi}U_n(\boldsymbol{\mu}))^{(n)} \qquad (n=1, 2, 3, \cdots).$$

Suppose $(\Phi \circ \psi \hat{\mu})^{\sim} = \omega + f$, where $\omega \in M_s(G)$ and f is a nonzero function in $L^1(G)$. Then by ([10], Theorem 4.1) and Lemma 1.2 we have $\omega, f \in M_Q(G)$. Hence there exists a positive integer m such that $U_m(f) \neq 0$. By ([10], Theorem 2.3), we note U_m maps $M_Q(G) \cap M_s(G)$ into itself. Hence we have

(8)
$$U_m((\varPhi \circ \psi \hat{\mu})^{\checkmark}) = U_m(\omega) + U_m(f)$$
$$\notin M_s(G).$$

On the other hand, since $U_m(\mu) \in M_{\frac{1}{m}}(G) \cap M_s(G)$, it follows from Lemma 2.2 that $\Phi \circ \psi U_m(\mu)^{\wedge} \in M_s(G)^{\wedge}$. This contradicts (7) and (8), and the proof is complete.

Now we prove Theorem I. First we consider the case that ker (ϕ) is not open. In this case, we note $M^a(G) = M_Q(G)$, where $Q = \phi^{-1}((0, \infty))$. Hence the theorem follows from Lemma 2.3. Next we consider the case that ker (ϕ) is open. Let $H = \text{ker}(\phi)^{\perp}$, and we define a bounded linear operator $U: M^a(G) \mapsto M_Q(G)$ by $U(\mu) = \mu - \mu * m_H$. Then, for $\mu \in M^a(G)$, we have

(1)
$$\Phi \circ \psi(\gamma) \ \hat{\mu}(\gamma) = \Phi(0) \ (\mu * m_H)^{\wedge}(\gamma) + \Phi \circ \psi(\gamma) \ U(\mu)^{\wedge}(\gamma) \ .$$

Hence, by Lemmas 1.2 and 2.3, we can verify that $\Phi \circ \psi$ is a multiplier on $M^{\alpha}(G)$ which satisfies (I) and (II). Moreover, by (1), Lemma 2.3 and the construction of U, we have $||\Phi \circ \psi|| \leq |\Phi(0)| + 2 ||\Phi||$, hence (III) is obtained. This completes the proof.

§ 3. Proof of Theorem II

In this section we prove Theorem II.

LEMMA 3.1. Let Γ be a LCA group with dual G. Suppose P is a proper closed semigroup in Γ such that (i) $P \cup (-P) = \Gamma$, (ii) $P \cap (-P) = \{0\}$ and (iii) P induces a nonarchimedean order on Γ . Then there exists an open subgroup Λ of Γ with the following properties:

- (I) $\Lambda = (\Lambda + P) \cap (\Lambda P);$
- (II) $M_{P \cap A}(G/\Lambda^{\perp}) \cap M_{s}(G/\Lambda^{\perp}) \neq \{0\};$
- (III) there exists a nontrivial continuous homomorphism $\psi \colon \Lambda \mapsto R$ such that $\psi^{-1}([0, \infty)) \supset P \cap \Lambda$.

PROOF. We consider the lemma by dividing two cases that Γ is discrete or not.

Case 1. Γ is discrete.

In this case, there exist γ_1 , $\gamma_2 \in P \setminus \{0\}$ such that $n\gamma_1 < \gamma_2$ for all $n \in Z$ (the integers). We define S_1 and S_2 as follows:

$$S_{1} = \{ \gamma \in P : n\gamma < \gamma_{2} \text{ for all } n \in Z \} ;$$

$$S_{2} = \{ \begin{array}{c} \gamma \in P : n\gamma > \gamma_{2} \text{ for some } n \in N \text{ and} \\ \gamma < m\gamma_{2} \text{ for some } m \in N \end{array} \} \cup \{0\} .$$

Put $\Lambda_1 = S_1 \cup (-S_1)$ and $\Lambda = (\Lambda_1 + S_2) \cup (\Lambda_1 - S_2)$. Then it is easy to see that Λ_1 and Λ are subgroups of Γ . We show that Λ is the desired one. First we prove (I). Let γ be an element in $(\Lambda + P) \cap (\Lambda - P)$. We may assume that $\gamma \in P$. Suppose $\gamma \notin \Lambda$. Then we have

(1)
$$\gamma > n\gamma_2$$
 for all $n \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Since $\gamma \in \Lambda - P$, there exist $\xi \in \Lambda$ and $p \in P$ such that $\gamma = \xi - p$. Then $\xi \geq \gamma$. Since $\xi \in \Lambda$, there exists a positive integer *m* such that $m\gamma_2 > \xi \geq \gamma$. This contradicts (1). Thus we have $(\Lambda + P) \cap (\Lambda - P) \subset \Lambda$. The converse inclusion is easily obtained. (II) is easily obtained from the construction of Λ . Next we prove (III). Let $\pi : \Lambda \mapsto \Lambda / \Lambda_1$ be the natural homomorphism. Then

(2) $\pi(P \cap \Lambda)$ induced an archimedean order on Λ/Λ_1 .

In fact, it is easy to see that $\pi(P \cap A)$ is a semigroup in A/A_1 such that $\pi(P \cap A)$ induces a total order on A/A_1 . Let $\pi(\xi_1)$ and $\pi(\xi_2)$ be nonzero elements in $\pi(P \cap A)$. We may assume $\xi_1, \xi_2 \in S_2 \setminus \{0\}$. Then there exist positive integers n_1 and n_2 such that $n_1\gamma_2 > \xi_1$ and $n_2\xi_2 > \gamma_2$. Hence we have

$$2n_1n_2\xi_2 = n_1n_2\xi_2 + n_1n_2\xi_2 \ > n_1\gamma_2 + n_1n_2\xi_2 \ > \xi_1 + \gamma_2 \,.$$

Thus we have $2n_1n_2\pi(\xi_2) > \pi(\xi_1)$, and (2) is obtained. By (2), there exists an order preserving isomorphism α from Λ/Λ_1 into R. We define $\psi: \Lambda \mapsto R$ by $\psi = \alpha \circ \pi$. Then we can verify that ψ satisfies (III).

Case 2. Γ is not discrete.

By ([8], 8.1.5 Theorem), we have

 $(3) \qquad \Gamma \cong R \oplus D,$

where D is a nontrivial discrete ordered group. We note

$$(4) \qquad P \cong \left\{ (x, d) \in R \oplus D : d > 0, \text{ or } d = 0 \text{ and } x \ge 0 \right\}.$$

Let d>0 be an element in D, and put $\gamma_2 = (0, d)$. For this $\gamma_2 \in P \setminus \{0\}$, we construct subgroups Λ_1 and Λ of Γ as in Case 1. Then Λ is an open subgroup of Γ which satisfies (I) and (II). Moreover, by the similar argument in Case 1, we can verify that (III) is satisfied. This completes the proof.

LEMMA 3.2. Let G be a LCA group and P a semigroup in \hat{G} such that $P \cup (-P) = \hat{G}$ and $M_P(G) \cap M_s(G) \neq \{0\}$. If there exists a nontrivial continuous homomorphism $\psi : \hat{G} \mapsto R$ such that $\psi^{-1}([0, \infty)) \supset P$. Then there exists a multiplier Φ on $M_P(G)$ with the following properties:

- (1) $\{0\} \subseteq S(M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)) \subset M_P(G) \cap M_s(G);$
- (2) S is not given by convolution with a bounded regular measure on G,

where S is the bounded linear operator on $M_P(G)$ corresponding to Φ .

PROOF. This follows from ([8], Theorem 2.4) and its proof.

Now we prove Theorem II. Put $F = P^- \cap (-F)^-$. Let $\pi: \hat{G} \mapsto \hat{G}/F$ be the natural homomorphism. Then $\pi(P^-)$ is a proper closed semigroup in \hat{G}/F such that (i) $\pi(P^-) \cup (-\pi(P^-)) = \hat{G}/F$ and (ii) $\pi(P^-) \cap (-\pi(P^-)) = \{0\}$. We consider the theorem by dividing two cases that $\pi(P^-)$ induces an archimedean order on \hat{G}/F or not.

Case 1. $\pi(P^{-})$ induces an archimedean order on \hat{G}/F . In this case, by ([8], Theorems 8.1.2 and 8.1.6, p. 194 and 196), there exists exists a nontrivial continuous homomorphism $\psi_1: \hat{G}/F \mapsto R$ such that $\psi^{-1}([0,\infty)) = \pi(P^{-})$. Put $\psi = \psi_1 \circ \pi$. Then $\psi: \hat{G} \mapsto R$ is a nontrivial continuous homomorphism such that $\psi^{-1}([0,\infty)) \supset P$. Hence by Lemma 3.2 there exists a multiplier Φ on $M_P(G)$ which satisfies (II) and (III) of the theorem. (I) follows from ([10], Lemma (E), p. 175). Case 2. $\pi(P^{-})$ induces a nonarchimedean order on \hat{G}/F .

By Lemma 3.1 there exist an open subgroup \tilde{A} of \hat{G}/F and a nontrivial continuous homomorphism $\tilde{\phi}: \tilde{A} \mapsto R$ with the following properties:

(1)
$$\tilde{\Lambda} = \left(\tilde{\Lambda} + \pi(P^{-})\right) \cap \left(\tilde{\Lambda} - \pi(P^{-})\right);$$

$$(2) \qquad M_{\pi(P^{-})\cap\tilde{\lambda}}(\widehat{\tilde{A}})\cap M_{s}(\widehat{\tilde{A}})\neq \{0\};$$

 $(3) \qquad \tilde{\psi}^{-1}([0,\infty)) \supset \pi(P^{-}) \cap \tilde{A}.$

Put $\Lambda = \pi^{-1}(\tilde{\Lambda})$ and $\psi = \tilde{\psi} \circ \pi$. Then $\psi : \Lambda \mapsto R$ is a nontrivial continuous homomorphism, and it follows from (1)-(3) that

 $(4) \qquad \Lambda = (\Lambda + P^{-}) \cap (\Lambda - P^{-});$

$$(5) M_{P^- \cap A}(G/H) \cap M_{s}(G/H) \neq \{0\};$$

 $(6) \qquad \qquad \psi^{-1}([0,\infty)) \supset P^- \cap \Lambda,$

where H is the annihilator of Λ . We note $P^- \cap \Lambda \subsetneq \Lambda$. Put $P_{\Lambda} \stackrel{>}{=} P \cap \Lambda$. Then by (5) we have

$$(7) M_{P_A}(G/H) \cap M_{s}(G/H) \neq \{0\}.$$

We define a bounded linear operator $S_1: M_P(G) \mapsto M_{P_A}(G)$ by $S_1(\mu) = \mu * m_H$. Then, since $\Lambda + P$ is an open semigroup in \hat{G} with $(\Lambda + P) \cup (\Lambda - P) = \hat{G}$, it follows from (4) and Lemma 1.2 that

$$(8) \qquad S_1(M_P(G) \cap M_s(G)) = M_{P_A}(G) \cap M_s(G) .$$

By (6), (7) and Lemma 3.2, there exists a multiplier Φ_0 on $M_{P_A}(G/H)$ with the following properties:

$$(9) \qquad \{0\} \subsetneq S_{\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\mathbf{0}}} \Big(M_{\boldsymbol{P}_{\mathbf{A}}}(G/H) \cap M_{\boldsymbol{s}}(G) \Big) \subset M_{\boldsymbol{P}_{\mathbf{A}}}(G/H) \cap M_{\boldsymbol{s}}(G/H) ;$$

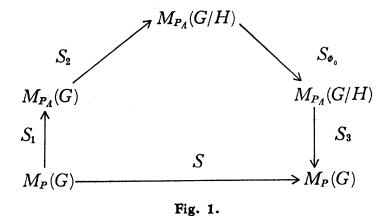
(10) S_{σ_0} is not given convolution with a bounded regular measure on G/H,

where S_{φ_0} is the bounded linear operator on $M_{P_A}(G/H)$ corresponding to φ_0 . We define bounded linear operators $S_2: M_A(G) \mapsto M(G/H)$ and $S_3: M(G/H) \mapsto M(G)$ as follows:

$$S_{2}(\mu)^{\wedge}(\gamma) = \hat{\mu}(\gamma) \quad \text{for} \quad \gamma \in \Lambda;$$

$$S_{3}(\nu)^{\wedge}(\gamma) = \begin{cases} \hat{\nu}(\gamma) & \text{for} \quad \gamma \in \Lambda \\ 0 & \text{for} \quad \gamma \notin \Lambda. \end{cases}$$

Now we define a bounded linear operator S on $M_P(G)$ by $S = S_3 \circ S_{\sigma_0} \circ S_2 \circ S_1$ (see Figure I).



Then we have $S(\mu)^{(\gamma)} = \Phi(\gamma) \hat{\mu}(\gamma)$ for $\mu \in M_P(G)$, where Φ is a function on \hat{G} such that $\Phi(\gamma) = \Phi_0(\gamma)$ for $\gamma \in \Lambda$ and $\Phi(\gamma) = 0$ for $\gamma \notin \Lambda$. Hence Φ is a multiplier on $M_P(G)$ corresponding to S. (I) of the theorem follows from ([10], Lemma (E)). By (7)-(9) and ([10], Lemmas (B) and (C), p. 174), we can verify that (II) is satisfied. Moreover (III) follows from (10). This completes the proof.

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