

**244. Representations of Linear Continuous Functionals  
on the Space  $C(X, Y)$  of Continuous Functions from  
Compact  $X$  into Locally Convex  $Y^*$ )**

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Let  $R$  be the space of reals and  $Y, Z, W$  be real Banach spaces. Denote by  $U$  the space of all bilinear continuous operators  $u$  from the space  $Y \times Z$  into  $W$ . Norms of elements in the spaces  $Y, Y', Z, W, U$  will be denoted by  $|\cdot|$ .

A nonempty family of sets  $V$  of an abstract space  $X$  is called a prering if the following conditions are satisfied: (a) if  $A_1, A_2 \in V$ , then  $A_1 \cap A_2 \in V$ , (b) if  $A_1, A_2 \in V$ , then there exist disjoint sets  $B_1, \dots, B_k \in V$  such that  $A_1 \setminus A_2 = B_1 \cup \dots \cup B_k$ . A function  $\mu$  from a prering  $V$  into a Banach space  $Z$  is called a volume if it satisfies the following condition: for every countable family of disjoint sets  $A_t \in V (t \in T)$  such that (c)  $A = \bigcup_{t \in T} A_t \in V$ , we have  $\mu(A) = \sum_{t \in T} \mu(A_t)$ , where the last sum is convergent absolutely and  $|\mu|(A) = \sup \{ \sum |\mu(A_t)| \} < \infty$  for any  $A \in V$ , where the supremum is taken over all possible decompositions of the set  $A$  into the form (c).

A volume is called positive if it takes on only nonnegative values. If  $\mu$  is a volume, then its variation  $|\mu|$  is a positive volume.

The triple  $(X, V, v)$ , where  $v$  is a fixed positive volume will be called a volume space.

In [1] has been developed the theory of the integral of the form  $\int u(f, d\mu)$  defined for  $f \in L(|\mu|, Y)$  and  $u \in U$ , and the theory of the space  $L(|\mu|, Y)$  of Lebesgue-Bochner summable functions. For the case of locally compact Hausdorff spaces this integral essentially generates the same operator on the space of summable functions as the integral developed in a different way by Bourbaki [4], Ch. VI, p. 48-49.

The main advantage of the construction of the Lebesgue-Bochner-Stieltjes integration presented in [1] is that one may integrate with respect to any volume  $\mu$  defined on a prering  $V$  without extending it first to a measure.

In this paper by the integral  $\int u(f, d\mu)$  we shall understand the integral developed in [1] considered on the space  $L(|\mu|, Y)$ .

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The rest of the terminology and notation is the same as in [2] where has been presented an approach to the theory of integration generated by positive linear functionals defined on the space  $C_0$  of real-valued continuous functions with compact support defined on a locally compact space  $X$ .

**§ 1. Linear continuous functionals on the space  $C(X, Y)$  for compact  $X$  and a Banach space  $Y$ .** Let  $X$  be a compact Hausdorff space and  $Y$  be a Banach space.

Let  $C(X, Y)$  denote the Banach space of all continuous functions on  $X$  to  $Y$ . The norm in this space is defined as usual.

Let  $M(V, Y)$  denote the space of all volumes  $\mu$  on  $V$  to  $Y$  such that their variation  $|\mu|$  is regular on the prepring  $V$ . The space  $M(V, Y)$  is linear.

If  $V$  is the Baire prepring, then, according to Th. 5, § 4 [13] (cf. also [11]), every positive volume on  $V$  is regular and therefore the variation  $|\mu|$  of any volume  $\mu$  is also regular.

The norm in the space  $M(V, Y)$  is defined by  $\|\mu\| = |\mu|(X)$ . In the following theorem  $u$  denotes the operator  $u(y, y') = y'(y)$  for  $y \in Y, y' \in Y'$ .

**Theorem 1.** (cf. [2], [8]) *Let  $X$  be a compact Hausdorff space and  $V$  its Baire prepring. Let  $C = C(X, Y)$  and  $M = M(V, Y')$ . To every linear continuous functional  $h$  on the space  $C$  corresponds a unique volume  $\mu \in M$  such that  $h(f) = \int u(f, d\mu)$  for all  $f \in C$ . This correspondence establishes an isomorphism and isometry of the space  $C'$  and  $M$ .*

The proof makes use of the results of [2] and some simple properties of the Baire prepring.

**§ 2. Extensions of vector-valued volumes from the Baire prepring onto the Borel ring.** Let  $B$  be the Borel ring and  $V$  be the Baire prepring of  $X$ . Consider the mapping  $\bar{\mu} = T\mu$  of the space  $M(B, Y')$  into the space  $M(V, Y')$  defined by the formula  $\bar{\mu}(A) = \mu(A)$  for  $A \in V$ .

**Theorem 2.** *The mapping  $T$  establishes an isometry and isomorphism between the spaces  $M(B, Y')$  and  $M(V, Y')$ . If  $\bar{\mu} = T\mu$  then  $|\bar{\mu}| \subset |\mu|$ , where  $|\mu|$  denotes the variation of  $\mu$ .*

Let  $N(v, Y)$  denote the set of all functions  $f$  from  $X$  into  $Y$  equal to zero  $v$ -almost everywhere.

Denote by  $L_v(Y)$  the quotient space  $L(v, Y)/N(v, Y)$ . For an element  $f \in L_v(Y)$  define  $\int u(f, d\mu) = \int u(g, d\mu)$  and  $\|f\|_v = \|g\|_v$ , where the function  $g$  belongs to the class  $f$  and  $v = |\mu|$ .

Notice that this definition is correct, that is it does not depend on the choice of the representative  $g \in f$ .

Assume that  $\bar{\mu} = T\mu$ ,  $\mu \in M(B, Y')$ . Put  $v = |\mu|$  and  $w = |\bar{\mu}|$ . Let  $i$  denote a mapping of the space  $L_v(Y)$  into the space  $L_w(Y)$  defined as follows: for any two classes  $f \in L_v(Y)$  and  $g \in L_w(Y)$  we have  $f = i(g)$  if and only if the classes  $f, g$  have at least one common element. Using the fact that in every class there exists a representative belonging to the second Baire class  $C_2(Y)$  it is easy to prove that this mapping is well defined. For more details see [2].

**Theorem 3.** *The mapping  $i$  establishes an isometric isomorphism of the space  $L_v(Y)$  with the space  $L_w(Y)$  preserving the integral, that is the map  $i$  is linear and onto,  $\|f\|_v = \|if\|_w$  and  $\int u(f, d\mu) = \int u(if, d\bar{\mu})$  for all  $f \in L_v(Y)$ . (Cf. Th. 4, [2]).*

Using Theorems 2 and 3 we easily get Singer's theorem [10] (Cf. also [7]):

**Theorem 4.** *To every linear continuous functional  $h$  on the space  $C = C(X, Y)$  corresponds a unique vector measure  $\mu \in M = M(B, Y')$  such that*

$$h(f) = \int u(f, d\mu) \quad \text{for all } f \in C.$$

*This correspondence establishes an isometry and isomorphism between the spaces  $C'$  and  $M$ .*

**§ 3. Weak convergence in the space  $C(X, Y)$ .** Let the Banach space  $Y$  be such that for every  $\mu \in M(V, Y')$  there exists a function  $g$  weakly summable on every set  $A \in V$  and such that  $\mu(A) = \int_A g d|\mu|$  for  $A \in V$ , where  $g(x) \in Y'$  and  $|g(x)| \leq 1$   $|\mu|$ -almost everywhere.

The space  $Y$  satisfies the above conditions, for example, if either one of the spaces  $Y$  or  $Y'$  is separable [5], [6] or if the space  $Y$  is reflexive [9].

**Theorem 5.** *Let  $f, f_n \in C = C(X, Y)$ . Then the sequence  $f_n$  converges weakly to the function  $f$  in the space  $C$  if and only if the sequence is bounded and  $y'f_n(x)$  converges to  $y'f(x)$  for all  $y' \in Y'$  and  $x \in X$ .*

The proof makes use of the following:

**Lemma 1.** *If fixed  $\mu, g$  satisfy the above condition and  $u$  is any bilinear continuous functional on  $Y \times Y'$  then for every  $f \in L(|\mu|, Y)$  the function  $u(f, g)$  belongs to  $L(|\mu|, R)$  and  $\int u(f, d\mu) = \int u(f, g) d|\mu|$ .*

**§ 4. Weak convergence of functionals on the space  $C(X, Y)$ .**

**Theorem 6.** *Let  $h, h_n$  be linear continuous functionals on  $C = C(X, Y)$  and  $\mu, \mu_n \in M(V, Y')$  corresponding volumes generated by them. The sequence  $h_n(f)$  converges to the value  $h(f)$  for every*

$f \in C$  if and only if the sequence  $\mu_n$  is bounded and  $\int f d\mu_n(\cdot, y) \rightarrow \int f d\mu(\cdot, y)$  for every  $f \in C(X, R)$  and  $y \in Y$ .

This theorem follows immediately from the fact that the functions of the form  $f = f_1 y_1 + \dots + f_n y_n, f_i \in C(X, R), y_i \in Y$  lie densely in the space  $C(X, Y)$ .

**Theorem 7.** Let  $\mu, \mu_n \in M(V, Z)$  and  $u \in U$ . If  $\|\mu_n\| \leq c$  for  $n = 1, 2, \dots$  and  $\mu_n(A) \rightarrow \mu(A)$  for all  $A \in V$  then  $\|\mu\| \leq c$ , and

$$\int u(f, d\mu_n) \rightarrow \int u(f, \mu)$$

for all  $f \in C(X, Y)$ .

The following corollary follows immediately from Theorems 6 and 7.

**Corollary 1.** If  $\mu, \mu_n \in M(V, Y')$  are such that  $\mu_n(A, y) \rightarrow \mu(A, y)$  for all  $A \in V$  and  $y \in Y$  then the corresponding functionals  $h_n(f)$  converge to the value  $h(f)$  for every  $f \in C(X, Y)$ .

**§ 5. Integration of locally-convex—space-valued functions with respect to some vector measures.** Let  $Y$  be a locally convex space (not necessarily complete or Hausdorff) and let  $P$  denote the family of all continuous seminorms on it. If  $p \in P$  then the set  $N_p = \{y \in Y: p(y) = 0\}$  is linear. Consider the quotient space  $Y/N_p$  with the norm defined by the formula  $\|y + N_p\|_p = p(y)$ . Denote the completion of the space  $Y$  by  $Y_p$ .

Let  $T_p$  be the natural mapping of the space  $Y$  into the space  $Y_p$ . We have  $\|T_p y\|_p = p(y)$  for all  $y \in Y$ . Let  $T'_p$  be the conjugate mapping of the space  $Y'_p$  into the space  $Y'$ . That is we have

$$u(y, T'_p z) = u_p(T_p y, z)$$

for all  $y \in Y, z \in Y'_p$ , where  $u(y, y') = y'(y)$  for all  $y' \in Y', y \in Y$ , and  $u_p(y, y') = y'(y)$  for all  $y' \in Y'_p, y \in Y_p$ .

Let  $X$  be as before, a compact Hausdorff space. Denote by  $C(X, Y) = C$  the space of all continuous functions  $f$  from the set  $X$  into  $Y$ . In this space we introduce locally convex topology by means of the seminorms

$$p(f) = \sup \{p(f(x)): x \in X\}, p \in P.$$

Let  $V$  be the Baire prering of the space  $X$ . Consider the set of all measures of the form  $\mu = T'_p \circ \mu_p$ , that is  $\mu(A) = T'_p(\mu_p(A))$  for all  $A \in V$ , where  $\mu_p \in M(V, Y'_p)$ . This set will be denoted by  $M_p$ . Put  $M = \bigcup_{p \in P} M_p$ .

Now take any  $\mu \in M$ . There exists a seminorm  $p \in P$  such that  $\mu \in M_p$ . That is we have  $\mu = T'_p \circ \mu_p, \mu_p \in M(V, Y'_p)$ . Take any  $f \in C$  and define

$$\int u(f, d\mu) = \int u_p(T_p \circ f, d\mu_p).$$

**Theorem 8.** (1) *The operator  $\int u(f, d\mu)$  is well defined and represents a bilinear functional on the space  $C \times M$ . (2) If  $f, f_n \in C$  and  $f_n \rightarrow f$  in the topology of  $C$  then*

$$\int u(f_n, d\mu) \rightarrow \int u(f, d\mu) \text{ for every } \mu \in M.$$

**§ 6. Representations of linear continuous functionals on the space  $C(X, Y)$  for compact Hausdorff  $X$  and locally convex  $Y$ .**

Let  $X, Y, C, M$  be as before.

**Theorem 9.** (1) *To every linear continuous functional  $h$  on the space  $C = C(X, Y)$  corresponds a unique vector valued measure  $\mu \in M = U_p M_p (p \in P)$ , where  $M_p = T'_p \circ M(V, Y'_p)$ , such that  $h(f) = \int u(f, d\mu)$  for all  $f \in C$ , and conversely. (2) If  $|h(f)| \leq cp(f)$  for all  $f \in C$  then the corresponding measure  $\mu$  is of the form  $\mu = T'_p \circ \mu_p$ ,  $\mu_p \in M(V, Y'_p)$ , and the least constant  $c$  satisfying the above inequality can be found by the formula*

$$c_p = \|\mu_p\| = \sup |\sum_k u(y_k, \mu(A_k))|,$$

where the supremum is taken over all finite systems of disjoint sets  $A_k \in V$  and all  $y_k \in Y$  such that  $p(y_k) \leq 1$ .

The above result represents a generalization of one of the results of Swong [12] who has found a similar representation by means of a Riemann-Stieltjes type integral for the case when  $Y$  is a complete locally convex Hausdorff space. He has proven that one may use to represent the functionals the measures of the form  $\mu = T'_p \circ \mu_p$ , where  $\mu_p$  are weakly regular with finite semivariation defined on the Borel ring.

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