# Classifications of infinite direct sums of Banach spaces with applications to Fourier analysis on compact groups

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, the notion of a direct sum of a family of Banach spaces is introduced and studied. Necessary and sufficient conditions are found that a Banach space can be regarded, in a unique way, as a direct sum of a family of its closed subspaces. A class of direct sums of Banach spaces, that many of the direct sums are in the form of a closed subspace of a member of this class, is introduced. As an application, the direct sums of trigonometric polynomials on a compact group G are introduced and classified. Furthermore, among other results, it is proved that the spaces C(G) and  $L^p(G)$   $(1 \le p < \infty)$  are direct sums of trigonometric polynomials and can be regarded as closed subspaces of the members of that class of direct sums of Banach spaces introduced in this paper.

#### Introduction and preliminaries

The organization of this paper is as follows. In Section 1, the notion of a direct sum of Banach spaces is introduced, and a number of properties of this notion are given along with some examples. The following notations are needed. Let I be a nonempty index set, and  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  a family of Banach spaces. The product of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  is denoted by  $\prod_{i\in I} X_i$ , and consists of all  $\mathfrak{x}=(x_i)_{i\in I}$  for which  $x_i\in X_i$   $(i\in I)$ . For each  $j\in I$ , the j'th canonical projection  $\pi_j:\prod_{i\in I} X_i\to X_j$  is defined by  $\pi_j(\mathfrak{x})=\mathfrak{x}_j$ , where  $\mathfrak{x}=(x_i)_{i\in I}\in\prod_{i\in I} X_i$  and  $\mathfrak{x}_j=x_j$ . The algebraic direct sum  $\bigoplus_{i\in I} X_i$  of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  is defined as the set of all  $\mathfrak{x}\in\prod_{i\in I} X_i$  such that  $\mathfrak{x}_i=0$  for all but finitely many  $i \in I$ . If  $j \in I$ , then the appropriate copy of  $x \in X_j$  in  $\bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i$  is denoted by  $x^j$ , and defined by  $(x^j)_j = x$  and  $(x^j)_i = 0$  for  $i \neq j$ . The j'th canonical injection  $\iota_j: X_j \to \bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i$  is defined by  $\iota_j(x) = x^j$   $(x \in X_j)$ . In the beginning of this section, a direct sum of Banach spaces  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  is defined as a subsapce of the product of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  that contains the appropriate copy of each  $x\in X_i$   $(i\in I)$ , and under some norm is a Banach space with continuous coordinates  $\pi_i$   $(i \in I)$ . The notion of direct sums of Banach spaces is also defined in Definition 2.1 of [7] for a countable family of Banach spaces, which in this paper is defined in a more general and comprehensive way for an arbitrary family of Banach spaces. This notion extends the notion of BK-space (which is, for example, studied in [2], and with the literature of this paper is a direct sum of countable copies of  $\mathbb{C}$ ), and the notions of the  $\ell_p$ -direct sums of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$   $(1 \leq p \leq \infty)$ . Recall that  $\ell_p(X_i)_{i\in I}$  (or simply  $\ell_p(I)$ , where  $X_i = \mathbb{C}$  for all  $i \in I$ , and  $\ell_p$  if furthermore  $I = \mathbb{N}$ ) is the set of all  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ for which  $\sum_{i \in I} \|\mathbf{r}_i\|^p < \infty$  for  $1 \leq p < \infty$ , and  $\sup_{i \in I} \|\mathbf{r}_i\| < \infty$  for  $p = \infty$ . At the final of this section the concept of an internal direct sum is introduced. The Banach space X is called an internal direct sum of a family  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$  of it's closed

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subspaces, if there exists a unique linear map  $\mathcal{P}: X \to \prod_{i \in I} X_i$  that isometrically maps X onto a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , and  $\mathcal{P}x_i = x_i^i$  for each  $i \in I$  and  $x_i \in X_i$ . It is proved that X is an internal direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , if and only if, the linear span of  $\bigcup_{i \in I} X_i$  is dense in X and for each  $i \in I$ , there exists a bounded projection  $p_i$  on X (i.e. a bounded linear map that  $p_i^2 = p_i$ ) with  $p_i(X) = X_i$  ( $i \in I$ ) such that the family  $(p_i)_{i \in I}$  is separating (i.e.  $\cap_{i \in I} \ker p_i = 0$ ) and mutually orthogonal (i.e.  $p_i p_i = 0$ , where  $i, j \in I$  and  $i \neq j$ ).

In Section 2 a wide class of direct sums of Banach spaces is introduced. In this paper, for each finite subset F of I, let  $\mathcal{P}_F := \sum_{i \in F} \iota_i \circ \pi_i$ , i.e. for each  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ ,  $(\mathcal{P}_F \mathfrak{x})_i = \mathfrak{x}_i$  for  $i \in F$ , otherwise  $(\mathcal{P}_F \mathfrak{x})_i = 0$ . It is proved that if  $\Gamma$  is a family of functions  $\gamma$  from  $\prod_{i \in I} X_i$  to a Banach space X such that  $\|\gamma(\mathfrak{x})\| = \|\gamma(\mathcal{P}_{F_\gamma}\mathfrak{x})\|$ , for a finite subset  $F_\gamma$  of I and each  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ , then under some conditions,  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma) := \{\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i : \sup_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|\gamma(\mathfrak{x})\| < \infty\}$ , and  $\mathfrak{bc}(\Gamma)$  in the case that  $\Gamma$  is a net, is defined as the set of all  $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  such that  $\lim_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \gamma(\mathfrak{x})$  exists, are direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ . It is shown that many of the known direct sums of Banach spaces are closed subspaces of a direct sum of the form  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$ . As an example of these direct sums, for a Banach space X and a family of nonzero elements  $\mathfrak{e} = (e_i)_{i \in I}$  of X, the concept of the  $(X,\mathfrak{e})$ -direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , that consisting of all  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$  for which the series  $\sum_{i \in I} \|\mathfrak{x}_i\|e_i$  is unconditionally partially bounded (i.e.  $\sup_{F \in \mathcal{F}} \|\sum_{i \in F} \|\mathfrak{x}_i\|e_i\| < \infty$ , where  $\mathcal{F}$  is the family of all finite subsets of I) is introduced. Finally, an example of a direct sum of Banach spaces that is not a closed subspace of a direct sum of the form  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  is given.

Section 3 is devoted to applications to compact groups. The terminologies and notations of [5] are used here. Let G be a compact group with the dual object  $\Sigma$ . For each  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ , select a fixed member  $U^{(\sigma)}$  of  $\sigma$  with representation space  $H_{\sigma}$ . Recall from [5] that the set of all finite linear combinations of functions of the form  $x \mapsto \langle U_x^{(\sigma)} \xi, \eta \rangle$ , where  $\xi, \eta \in H_{\sigma}$ , is denoted by  $\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$ . Also, the linear span of  $\bigcup_{\sigma \in \Sigma} \mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$  is denoted by  $\mathfrak{T}(G)$ , and functions in  $\mathfrak{T}(G)$  are called trigonometric polynomials on G. An internal direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G))_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$  is called a direct sums of trigonometric polynomials are classified. It is shown that the Banach spaces  $L^p(G)$   $(1 \le p < \infty)$  and C(G) are direct sums of trigonometric polynomials, and can be regarded as direct sums of the form  $\mathfrak{bc}(\Gamma)$ , that introduced in Section 2.

# 1. DIRECT SUM OF BANACH SPACES

Throughout this paper, let I be a nonempty index set, and  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$  a family of Banach spaces.

**Definition 1.1.** A subspace  $\mathfrak{X}$  of  $\prod_{i \in I} X_i$  that contains  $\bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i$ , is called a *direct sum of*  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , if there exists a complete norm on  $\mathfrak{X}$  with continuous coordinates (i.e. the restrictions of the projections  $\pi_i$   $(i \in I)$  to  $\mathfrak{X}$  is continuous).

**Proposition 1.2.** Let X be a Banach space,  $\mathcal{P}: X \to \prod_{i \in I} X_i$  a linear map such that the maps  $p_i := \pi_i \circ \mathcal{P}$   $(i \in I)$  are continuous, and  $\mathfrak{X}$  a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$  under the norm  $\|.\|_{\mathfrak{X}}$  such that  $\mathcal{P}X \subseteq \mathfrak{X}$ . Then,

- (i)  $\|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\mathcal{P}} := \inf_{x \in \mathcal{P}^{-1}\mathfrak{x}} \|x\|_X$  ( $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathcal{P}X$ ) is a well defined complete norm on  $\mathcal{P}X$  for which the projections  $\pi_i|_{\mathcal{P}X}$  ( $i \in I$ ) are continuous;
  - (ii) PX is s direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$  if and only if for each  $i \in I$ ,  $X_i = p_i(\cap_{j \neq i} \ker p_j)$ ;
  - (iii) for some c > 0,  $\|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\mathfrak{X}} \leq c \|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\mathfrak{P}}$  ( $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{P}X$ );

(iv)  $\mathcal{P}: X \to \mathfrak{X}$  is continuous.

Proof. (i): If  $x \in \overline{\ker \mathcal{P}}$ , then for each  $i \in I$ , by continuity of  $p_i$ ,  $\pi_i(\mathcal{P}x) = p_i(x) \in p_i(\overline{\ker \mathcal{P}}) \subseteq \overline{p_i(\ker \mathcal{P})} = \{0\}$ , that implies  $\mathcal{P}x = 0$ . Thus  $\ker \mathcal{P}$  is a closed subspace of the Banach space X, and so  $\frac{X}{\ker \mathcal{P}}$  is a Banach space with respect to the quotient norm  $\|.\|_q$ . But, the map  $\mathcal{P}_0: \frac{X}{\ker \mathcal{P}} \to \mathcal{P}X$  through  $\mathcal{P}_0(x + \ker \mathcal{P}) = \mathcal{P}x$   $(x \in X)$  is a bijection. Thus  $\mathcal{P}X$  is a Banach space with respect to the norm  $\|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\mathcal{P}} := \|\mathcal{P}_0^{-1}\mathfrak{x}\|_q = \inf_{x \in \mathcal{P}^{-1}\mathfrak{x}} \|x\|_X$ , where  $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathcal{P}X$ . Now let  $i \in I$ . Since for each  $x \in X$  and  $y \in \ker \mathcal{P}X$ ,  $\pi_i(\mathcal{P}x) = p_i x = p_i(x + y)$ , so  $\|\pi_i(\mathcal{P}x)\| \leq \|p_i\| \|\mathcal{P}X\|_{\mathcal{P}}$ , that implies  $\pi_i|_{\mathcal{P}X}$  is continuous.

(ii): Suppose  $\mathfrak{P}X$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$ . Let  $i\in I$  and  $x_i\in X_i$ . Since  $x_i^i\in \mathfrak{P}X$ , so there exists  $x\in X$  such that  $\mathfrak{P}x=x_i^i$ , equivalently,  $p_i(x)=x_i$  and  $p_j(x)=0$   $(j\neq i)$ , that implies  $x_i\in p_i$   $(\cap_{j\neq i}\ker p_j)$ . Thus  $X_i=p_i$   $(\cap_{j\neq i}\ker p_j)$ .

Conversely, suppose for each  $i \in I$ ,  $X_i = p_i (\cap_{j \neq i} \ker p_j)$ . Let  $i \in I$  and  $x_i \in X_i$ . Since  $x_i \in p_i (\cap_{j \neq i} \ker p_j)$ , so there exists  $x \in \cap_{j \neq i} \ker p_j$  such that  $p_i(x) = x_i$ . Thus  $x_i^i = \mathcal{P}x \in \mathcal{P}X$ . It follows that  $\bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i \subseteq \mathcal{P}X$ , that together (i) implies that  $\mathcal{P}X$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ .

(iii): Let  $(\mathfrak{x}_n)_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$  be a sequence in  $\mathfrak{P}X$  which  $\|.\|_{\mathfrak{P}}$ -converges to 0 and  $\|.\|_{\mathfrak{X}}$  converges to a point  $\mathfrak{x}\in\mathfrak{X}$ . For each  $i\in I$ , by continuity of the maps  $\pi_i|_{\mathfrak{X}}$  and  $\pi_i|_{\mathfrak{P}X}$  (by (i)),

$$\pi_i(\mathfrak{x}) = \pi_i(\|.\|_{\mathfrak{X}} - \lim_{n \to \infty} \mathfrak{x}_n) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \pi_i(\mathfrak{x}_n) = \pi_i(\|.\|_{\mathfrak{P}} - \lim_{n \to \infty} \mathfrak{x}_n) = \pi_i(0) = 0,$$

and so  $\mathfrak{x}=0$ . Thus, by Closed graph theorem, the inclusion map  $\iota: \mathfrak{P}X \to \mathfrak{X}: \mathfrak{x} \mapsto \mathfrak{x}$  is continuous. It completes the proof.

(iv): Note that for each 
$$x\in X$$
, by (iii) and (i),  $\|\Re x\|_{\mathfrak{X}}\leq c\|\Re x\|_{\mathcal{P}}=c\|x\|_q\leq c\|x\|_X$ 

The following result, as a direct consequence of the above corollary, shows that there is no ambiguity to define the norm of direct sums of Banach spaces, and each direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  contains appropriate copies of  $X_i$ , where  $i\in I$ .

Corollary 1.3. Let  $\mathfrak{X}$  be a direct sum of Banach spaces  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$ . Then

- (i) all norms that makes the space  $\mathfrak{X}$  into a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$ , are equivalent;
- (ii) the canonical injections  $\iota_i: X_i \to \mathfrak{X} \ (i \in I)$  are continuous.

*Proof.* (i) is a direct consequence of Proposition 1.2(iv).

(ii) is a consequence of Proposition 1.2(iv), and the fact that for each  $i, j \in I$  with  $j \neq i$ ,  $\pi_i \circ \iota_i$  is the identity map on  $X_i$  and  $\pi_j \circ \iota_i = 0$ .

The following result shows that, in general, the product and algebraic direct sum of a family of Banach spaces are not direct sums of that family.

**Proposition 1.4.** If there are infinitely many  $i \in I$  with  $X_i \neq 0$  and  $\mathfrak{X}$  is a direct sum of Banach spaces  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , then  $\mathfrak{X} \neq \bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i, \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ .

Proof. Choose a sequence  $(i_n)_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$  of distinct elements of I with  $X_{i_n}\neq 0$ . Thus for each  $n\in\mathbb{N}$ , there exists  $x_{i_n}\in X_{i_n}$  with  $x_{i_n}\neq 0$ . Suppose the norm  $\|.\|$  makes  $\mathfrak X$  into a direct sum. If  $\mathfrak x_n:=\frac{\iota_{i_n}(x_{i_n})}{\|\iota_{i_n}(x_{i_n})\|}$   $(n\in\mathbb{N})$ , then the absolutely convergent series  $\sum_{n=1}^\infty \frac{1}{2^n} \mathfrak x_n$  converges to some  $\mathfrak a\in\mathfrak X$  (by the completeness of  $\mathfrak X$ ). For each  $n\in\mathbb{N}$ , the continuity of  $\pi_{i_n}$  implies that  $\pi_{i_n}(\mathfrak a)=\frac{1}{2^n}\pi_{i_n}(\mathfrak x_n)\neq 0$ , and so  $\mathfrak a\notin\bigoplus_{i\in I} X_i$ . Hence,  $\bigoplus_{i\in I} X_i\neq \mathfrak X$ . Now, suppose  $\mathfrak b$  is an element of  $\prod_{i\in I} X_i$  with

 $\mathfrak{b}_{i_n} = \frac{n\|\pi_{i_n}\|x_{i_n}\|}{\|x_{i_n}\|}$   $(n \in \mathbb{N})$ . If  $\mathfrak{b} \in \mathfrak{X}$ , then for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , by continuity of  $\pi_{i_n}$ ,  $n\|\pi_{i_n}\| = \|\mathfrak{b}_{i_n}\| = \|\pi_{i_n}(\mathfrak{b})\| \leq \|\pi_{i_n}\|\|\mathfrak{b}\|$ , and so  $\|\mathfrak{b}\| \geq n$ , that's a contradiction. Thus  $\mathfrak{b} \notin \mathfrak{X}$ , and so  $\mathfrak{X} \neq \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ .

- **Remark 1.5.** Suppose there are finitely many  $i \in I$  with  $X_i \neq 0$ . It is easy to see that, if  $\mathfrak{X}$  is a direct sum of Banach spaces  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , then  $\mathfrak{X} = \prod_{i \in I} X_i = \bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i$  and it is a direct sum under the absolute norm  $\|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\infty} := \sup_{1 \leq i \leq m} \|\mathfrak{x}_i\|$  (see also Corollary 1.3(i)).
- **Example 1.6.** (a) Since  $c_{00} := \bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \mathbb{C}$  has a countable basis, so by the Baer's category theorem it is not a Banach space under any norm. But, there exists a complete norm on  $s := \mathbb{C}^{\mathbb{N}}$ . To see this, note that dim  $s = \dim \ell_1$  (see for example Theorem I.1 of [8]). Thus, there exists a vector space isomorphism  $I : s \to \ell_1$ . Clearly s with respect to the norm  $\|\mathfrak{x}\| := \|I(x)\|_1$   $(x \in s)$  is a Banach space.
- (b) If B is a basis for  $\ell_1$  that contains  $e_m = (\delta_m^n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$   $(m \in \mathbb{N})$ , where  $\delta_m^n$  is the Kronecker's delta symbol, and  $e_0 = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{e_n}{2^n}$ , then  $\bigoplus_{b \in B} \mathbb{C}$  with respect to the norm  $\|\alpha\| := \sum_{b \in B} |\alpha_b|$   $(\alpha \in \bigoplus_{b \in B} \mathbb{C})$  is a Banach space that is isometrically isomorphic with  $\ell_1$ . Since  $\pi_{e_0}(e_0) = 1$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \pi_{e_0}(e_n) = 0$ , so the projection  $\pi_{e_0}$  is not continuous.

The remainder of this section is devoted to internal direct sum that defined as the following.

- **Definition 1.7.** Let X be a Banach space, and  $(X_i)$  a family of its closed subspaces. Then X is called an internal direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , if there exists a unique linear map  $\mathcal{P}: X \to \prod_{i \in I} X_i$  that maps X isometrically isomorphic onto a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$  and  $\mathcal{P}x_i = x_i^i$ , where  $i \in I$  and  $x_i \in X_i$ .
- **Lemma 1.8.** Let X be a Banach space,  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  a family of its closed subspaces, and  $\Re x = (p_i x)_{i\in I}$   $(x \in X)$  a linear map from X into  $\prod_{i\in I} X_i$ . The following assertions are equivalent:
- (i)  $\mathcal{P}$  maps X isometrically isomorphic onto a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$  and  $\mathcal{P}x_i = x_i^i$ , where  $i \in I$  and  $x_i \in X_i$ ;
- (ii)  $(p_i)_{i\in I}$  is a family of separating mutually orthogonal bounded projections in X with  $p_i(X) = X_i$   $(i \in I)$ .
- Proof. (i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii): Let  $i, j \in I$ . Since the *i*'th projection of  $\mathcal{P}X$ , that is denoted by  $\pi_i$ , is bounded, so  $p_i = \pi_i \circ \mathcal{P}$  is bounded. If  $i, j \in I$  and  $x \in X$ , then  $p_j x \in X_j$ , and so  $p_i p_j(x) = \pi_i(\mathcal{P}p_j(x)) = \pi_i((p_j x)^j)$ , that follows  $p_i p_j = 0$   $(j \neq i)$  and  $p_i^2 = p_i$ . But, if  $x_i \in X_i$ , then  $p_i x_i = \pi_i(\mathcal{P}x_i) = \pi_i(x_i^i) = x_i$ , and so  $p_i$  is a projection onto  $X_i$ . Since  $\mathcal{P}$  is injective and  $\ker \mathcal{P} = \cap_{i \in I} \ker p_i$ , so  $\cap_{i \in I} \ker p_i = \{0\}$ , i.e.  $(p_i)_{i \in I}$  is a separating family.
- (ii) $\Rightarrow$ (i): Let  $i \in I$  and  $x_i \in X_i$ . Since  $p_i x_i = x_i$  and  $p_j x_i = 0$  for  $j \neq i$ , so  $x_i \in p_i (\cap_{j \neq i} \ker p_j)$ . Hence, by Proposition 1.2(ii),  $\mathcal{P}X$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ . But,  $(p_i)_{i \in I}$  is a separating family, and so  $\ker \mathcal{P} = \{0\}$ . Now, by Proposition 1.2(i),  $\mathcal{P}$  maps X isometrically isomorphism onto  $\mathcal{P}X$  that equipped with the norm  $\|.\|_{\mathcal{P}}$ .
- **Proposition 1.9.** Let X be a Banach space, and  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  a family of its closed subspaces such that there exists a family  $(p_i)_{i\in I}$  of separating mutually orthogonal bounded projections in X with  $p_i(X) = X_i$   $(i \in I)$ . Then X is an internal direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$ , if and only if, the linear span of  $\bigcup_{i\in I} X_i$  is dense in X. Furthermore,

the linear span of  $\bigcup_{i \in I} X_i$  is equal to X, if and only if, there are finitely many  $i \in I$  with  $X_i \neq 0$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\Re x := (p_i x)_{i \in I} \ (x \in X) \text{ and } I_0 = \{i \in I : X_i \neq 0\}.$ 

Suppose the linear span of  $\cup_{i\in I} X_i$  is dense in X. Let  $\Omega x = (q_i x)_{i\in I}$   $(x \in X)$  be a linear map from X into  $\prod_{i\in I} X_i$  that maps X isometrically isomorphic onto a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  and  $\Omega x_i = x_i^i$ , where  $i \in I$  and  $x_i \in X_i$ . Let  $i, j \in I$  and  $j \neq i$ . Then, by Lemma 1.8, for each  $x_i \in X_i$ ,  $q_i x_i = x_i = p_i x_i$ , and for each  $x_j \in X_j$ ,  $q_i x_j = q_i q_j x_j = 0 = p_i p_j x_j = p_i x_j$ . It, together the continuity of  $p_i$  and  $q_i$  and the fact that  $\cup_{i \in I} X_i$  is dense in X, implies  $q_i = p_i$ . Hence  $\Omega = \mathcal{P}$ . Now, by Lemma 1.8 and Definition 1.7, X is an internal direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ .

Conversely, suppose X is an internal direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$ . Firstly, suppose  $I_0$  is infinite. By Proposition 1.4 there exists  $\mathfrak{a}\in\prod_{i\in i}X_i$  that  $\mathfrak{a}\notin\mathfrak{P}X$ . Suppose  $f\in\mathfrak{X}^*$  and  $f(\cup_{i\in I}X_i)=0$ . Let  $\mathfrak{Q}=(q_i)_{i\in I}$  be the map from X into  $\prod_{i\in I}X_i$  given by  $\mathfrak{Q}x=\mathfrak{P}x+f(x)\mathfrak{a}$  ( $x\in X$ ). Let  $i,j\in I$  and  $j\neq i$ . Then,  $q_ix=p_ix+f(x)\mathfrak{a}_i$  ( $x\in X$ ). Thus, by the properties of  $f,q_i$  is continuous and  $q_ix_i=p_ix_i+f(x_i)\mathfrak{a}_i=x_i$  for all  $x_i\in X_i$ , that implies  $q_i$  is a bounded projection with  $q_i(X)=X_i$ . Also, if  $x\in X$ , then  $q_jx\in X_j$ , and so  $p_iq_jx=p_i(p_jq_jx)=0$ , that together the fact  $f(\cup_{i\in I}X_i)=0$ , implies  $q_iq_j(x)=p_i(q_jx)+f(q_jx)\mathfrak{a}_i=0$ . On the other hand, if  $x\in\ker\mathfrak{Q}$ , then  $\mathfrak{P}x+f(x)\mathfrak{a}=0$ . But,  $\mathfrak{a}$  doesn't belong to the vector space  $\mathfrak{P}X$ , and so  $\mathfrak{P}x=0$ , that implies x=0. By Lemma 1.8 and uniqueness of  $\mathfrak{P},\mathfrak{Q}=\mathfrak{P}$ , and so f=0. Hence by Hahn-Banach Theorem, the linear span of  $\cup_{i\in I}X_i$  is dense in X.

Now, suppose  $I_0$  is finite. Then  $\mathfrak{P}X \subseteq \prod_{i \in I} X_i = \bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i$ , and so by injectivity of  $\mathfrak{P}$ , X is equal to the linear span of  $\bigcup_{i \in I} X_i$ .

Finally, if X is equal to the linear span of  $\bigcup_{i\in I} X_i$ , then  $\bigoplus_{i\in I} X_i = \mathcal{P}X$ . But,  $\mathcal{P}X$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$ , so by Proposition 1.4,  $I_0$  is finite.

# 2. A CLASS OF DIRECT SUMS OF BANACH SPACES

In this section, a class of direct sums of Banach spaces is introduced, which, as mentioned in the rest of the paper, many direct sums are in the form of a closed subspace of a member of this class. Recall that  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$  is a family of Banach spaces.

**Definition 2.1.** Let X be a Banach space, and  $\Gamma$  a family of functions  $\gamma: \prod_{i \in I} X_i \to X$  such that  $\|\gamma(\mathfrak{x})\| = \|\gamma(\mathcal{P}_{F_{\gamma}}\mathfrak{x})\|$ , for a finite subset  $F_{\gamma}$  of I and each  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ . Then  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  is defined as the set of all  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$  for which  $\|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\Gamma} := \sup_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|\gamma(\mathfrak{x})\| < \infty$ , and if  $\Gamma$  is also a net, then  $\mathfrak{bc}(\Gamma)$  is defined as the set of all  $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  such that  $\lim_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \gamma(\mathfrak{x})$  exists.

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $\Gamma$  be a family of functions  $\gamma$  from  $\prod_{i \in I} X_i$  into a Banach space X such that  $\|\gamma(\mathfrak{x})\| = \|\gamma(\mathcal{P}_{F_{\gamma}}\mathfrak{x})\|$ , for a finite subset  $F_{\gamma}$  of I and each  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ . If

- (a) for each  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ,  $q_{\gamma}(\mathfrak{x}) := ||\gamma(\mathfrak{x})|| \ (\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i)$  is a seminorm,
- (b) for each  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  and  $i \in I$ ,  $q_{\gamma} \circ \iota_i$   $(i \in I)$  is lower semicontinuous,
- (c) for each  $i \in I$  and  $x_i \in X_i$ ,  $\|\iota_i(x_i)\|_{\Gamma} < \infty$ ,
- (d) for each  $i \in I$ , there exists  $\alpha_i > 0$  such that for each  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ ,  $\|\mathfrak{x}_i\| \le \alpha_i \|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\Gamma}$ ,

then  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$ . Furthermore, if  $\Gamma$  is a net of linear maps, then  $\mathfrak{bc}(\Gamma)$  is a closed subspace of  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$ , and is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  if  $\lim_{\gamma\in\Gamma}(\gamma\circ\iota_i)(x_i)$  exists for each  $i\in I$  and  $x_i\in X_i$ .

Proof. By (a),  $\|.\|_{\Gamma}$  is a seminorm on  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$ . Since by (d), for each  $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  and  $i \in I$ ,  $\|\pi_i(\mathfrak{x})\| \leq \alpha_i \|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\Gamma}$ , so  $(\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)\|.\|_{\Gamma})$  not only is a normed space, but also its projections are continuous. By (c),  $\bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i \subseteq \mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$ . Thus,  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , provided that the completeness of  $\|.\|_{\Gamma}$  is proved. To see this, firstly note that by (a) and (b), for each  $i \in I$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ,  $q_{\gamma} \circ \iota_i$  is a lower semicontinuous seminorm. It, together (c), Banach-Steinhauss Theorem (Theorem11 on Page 122 of [9]), and the definition of  $\|.\|_{\Gamma}$ , implies that for some  $\beta_i \geq 0$ ,  $\|\iota_i(x_i)\|_{\Gamma} \leq \beta_i \|x_i\|$   $(x_i \in X_i)$ . Now, suppose  $(\mathfrak{a}_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$ . For each  $i \in I$ ,  $(\pi_i(\mathfrak{a}_n))_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $X_i$  (by the continuity of  $\pi_i$ ), and so converges to some  $a_i \in X_i$ . Let  $\mathfrak{a} = (a_i)_{i \in I}$ . Thus, for each  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  (note that  $q_{\gamma} = q_{\gamma} \circ \mathcal{P}_{F_{\gamma}}$ ),

$$\begin{split} q_{\gamma}(\mathfrak{a}_{n}-\mathfrak{a}) & \leq & \underline{\lim}_{m\to\infty} \left(q_{\gamma}(\mathfrak{a}_{n}-\mathfrak{a}_{m})+q_{\gamma}(\mathfrak{a}_{m}-\mathfrak{a})\right) \\ & = & \underline{\lim}_{m\to\infty} \left(q_{\gamma}(\mathfrak{a}_{n}-\mathfrak{a}_{m})+q_{\gamma}\left(\mathcal{P}_{F_{\gamma}}(\mathfrak{a}_{m}-\mathfrak{a})\right)\right) \\ & \leq & \underline{\lim}_{m\to\infty} \left(\|\mathfrak{a}_{n}-\mathfrak{a}_{m}\|_{\Gamma}+\left\|\sum_{i\in F_{\gamma}}\iota_{i}(\pi_{i}(\mathfrak{a}_{m})-a_{i})\right\|_{\Gamma}\right) \\ & \leq & \underline{\lim}_{m\to\infty} \|\mathfrak{a}_{n}-\mathfrak{a}_{m}\|_{\Gamma}+\overline{\lim}_{m\to\infty} \sum_{i\in F_{\gamma}} \beta_{i}\|\pi_{i}(\mathfrak{a}_{m})-a_{i}\| \\ & = & \underline{\lim}_{m\to\infty} \|\mathfrak{a}_{n}-\mathfrak{a}_{m}\|_{\Gamma}, \end{split}$$

and so for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\|\mathfrak{a}_n - \mathfrak{a}\|_{\Gamma} \leq \underline{\lim}_{m \to \infty} \|\mathfrak{a}_n - \mathfrak{a}_m\|_{\Gamma}$ . It, together the Cauchyness of  $(\mathfrak{a}_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$ , implies that  $\mathfrak{a} \in \mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  and  $(\mathfrak{a}_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  converges to  $\mathfrak{a}$ .

Finally, let  $\Gamma$  be a net of linear maps. Suppose  $(\mathfrak{x}_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a sequence in  $\mathfrak{bc}(\Gamma)$  that converges to some  $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$ . For  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $n_{\epsilon} \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\|\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}} - \mathfrak{x}\|_{\Gamma} < \frac{1}{3}\epsilon$ . Thus, for each  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in \Gamma$ ,

$$\begin{split} \|\gamma_{1}(\mathfrak{x}) - \gamma_{2}(\mathfrak{x})\| & \leq \|\gamma_{1}(\mathfrak{x}) - \gamma_{1}(\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}})\| + \|\gamma_{1}(\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}}) - \gamma_{2}(\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}})\| + \|\gamma_{2}(\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}}) - \gamma_{2}(\mathfrak{x})\| \\ & \leq 2\|\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}} - \mathfrak{x}\|_{\Gamma} + \|\gamma_{1}(\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}}) - \gamma_{2}(\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}})\| < \frac{2}{3}\epsilon + \|\gamma_{1}(\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}}) - \gamma_{2}(\mathfrak{x}_{n_{\epsilon}})\|, \end{split}$$

that together the convergence of  $(\gamma(x_{n_{\epsilon}}))_{\gamma \in \Gamma}$ , implies that  $(\gamma(\mathfrak{x}))_{\gamma \in \Gamma}$  is a Cauchy net in the Banach space X, and so is convergent (see Proposition 2.1.49 of [10]). But,  $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$ , and so  $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{bc}(\Gamma)$ . It follows that  $\mathfrak{bc}(\Gamma)$  is a closed subspace of  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$ .

In the rest of this section, let  $\mathcal{F}$  be the net of all finite subsets of I with the inclusion order. In the following example, the notion of  $\ell_p$ -sums of Banach spaces is extended.

**Example 2.3.** (a) Let X be a Banach space,  $\mathbf{e} = (e_i)_{i \in I}$  be a family of nonzero elements of X, and  $\Gamma$  the family of all functions  $\gamma_F(\mathfrak{x}) = \sum_{i \in F} \|x_i\| e_i$  ( $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ ), where  $F \in \mathcal{F}$ . Clearly,  $q_{\gamma_F} \circ \iota_i$  is continuous and  $q_{\gamma_F} = q_{\gamma_F} \circ \mathcal{P}_F$ . Let  $i \in I$ . For each  $x_i \in X_i$ ,  $\|\iota_i(x_i)\|_{\Gamma} = \|x_i\| \|e_i\|$ , and for each  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ ,  $\|\mathfrak{x}_i\| \leq \frac{1}{\|e_i\|} \|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\Gamma}$ . Hence by Theorem 2.2,  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ . In this case,  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  is called the  $(X, \mathbf{e})$ -direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , denoted by  $(X, \mathbf{e}) - \bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i$ , and the norm  $\|.\|_{\Gamma}$  denoted by  $\|.\|_{(X, \mathbf{e})}$ .

(b) Let  $e_j := (\delta_i^j)_{i \in I}$ , where  $j \in I$  and  $\delta_i^j$  is the Kronecker's delta symbol. If  $e = (e_i)_{i \in I}$ , and  $1 \le p \le \infty$ , then  $(\ell_p(I), e) - \bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i = \ell_p(X_i)_{i \in I}$ .

(c) An unusual example of a (X, e)-direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$  is now given. If  $e = (1)_{i \in I}$ , then one can prove easily that  $(\mathbb{C}, e) - \bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i = \ell_1(X_i)_{i \in I}$ .

(d) Let  $P = (p_F)_{F \in \mathcal{F}}$ , where  $p_F : \prod_{i \in I} X_i \to \ell^{\infty}(X_i)_{i \in I}$  is given by  $p_F(\mathfrak{x}) := \mathcal{P}_F \mathfrak{x}$  for each  $F \in \mathcal{F}$  and  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in I} X_i$ . By Theorem 2.2,  $\mathfrak{bc}(P)$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ . Clearly,  $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{bc}(P)$ , if and only if,  $(\mathcal{P}_F \mathfrak{x})_{F \in \mathcal{F}}$  is a Cauchy net in  $\ell^{\infty}(X_i)_{i \in I}$  that is equivalent with  $\{i \in I : ||\mathfrak{x}_i|| > \epsilon\} \in \mathcal{F}$  for all  $\epsilon > 0$ . Recall that in this case,  $\mathfrak{bc}(P)$  is called the  $c_0$ -direct sums of  $(X_i)_{i \in I}$ , and denoted by  $c_0(X_i)_{i \in I}$ .

## **Example 2.4.** Let X be a Banach space.

(a) Let  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  be a family of closed subspaces of X. The space  $ucs(X_i)_{i\in I}$  consists of  $\mathfrak{x}\in\prod_{i\in I}X_i$  for which the series  $\sum_{i\in I}\mathfrak{x}_i$  is unconditionally convergent (i.e. the net  $(s_F\mathfrak{x})_{F\in\mathcal{F}}$  is convergent in X, where  $s_F\mathfrak{x}:=\sum_{i\in F}\mathfrak{x}_i$   $(F\in\mathcal{F})$ ). If  $\mathfrak{x}\in ucs(X_i)_{i\in I}$ , then there exists  $F_0\in\mathcal{F}$  such that for all  $F\in\mathcal{F}$ ,  $\|s_{F\cup F_0}\mathfrak{x}-s_{F_0}\mathfrak{x}\|<1$ . But,  $s_F\mathfrak{x}=(s_{F\cup F_0}\mathfrak{x}-s_{F_0}\mathfrak{x})+s_{F\cap F_0}\mathfrak{x}$  for all  $F\in\mathcal{F}$ . Hence,  $\sup_{F\in\mathcal{F}}\|s_F\mathfrak{x}\|<1+\sum_{i\in F_0}\|\mathfrak{x}_i\|<\infty$ . It follows that  $ucs(X_i)_{i\in I}=\mathfrak{bc}((s_F)_{F\in\mathcal{F}})$ , and so by Theorem 2.2,  $ucs(X_i)_{i\in I}$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i\in I}$  under the norm  $\|\mathfrak{x}\|_{ucs}:=\sup_{F\in\mathcal{F}}\|s_F\mathfrak{x}\|$ . (b) Let  $(X_i)_{i\in \mathbb{N}}$  be a sequence of closed subspaces of X. The space  $cs(X_i)_{i\in \mathbb{N}}$  consists of  $\mathfrak{x}\in\prod_{i\in \mathbb{N}}X_i$  for which the series  $\sum_{i=1}^\infty\mathfrak{x}_i$  is convergent. Clearly,  $cs(X_i)_{i\in \mathbb{N}}=1$ 

sists of  $\mathfrak{x} \in \prod_{i \in \mathbb{N}} X_i$  for which the series  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{x}_i$  is convergent. Clearly,  $cs(X_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} = \mathfrak{bc}((s_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}})$ , where  $s_i x := \sum_{j=1}^{i} \mathfrak{x}_j$   $(i \in \mathbb{N})$ , and so by Theorem 2.2,  $cs(X_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a direct sum of  $(X_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  under the norm  $\|\mathfrak{x}\|_{cs} := \sup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \|s_i\mathfrak{x}\|$ .

In the following, an example of a direct sum that can not be expressed as a closed subspace of a direct sum in the form of  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  is given.

**Example 2.5.** Let  $\mathfrak{X}$  be the set of all  $x \in \ell_{\infty}$ , for which  $\lim_{j \to \infty} \mathfrak{x}_{(2j-1)2^{i-1}}$  exists for all  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ , and  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left| \lim_{j \to \infty} \mathfrak{x}_{(2j-1)2^{i-1}} \right| < \infty$ . It is easy to see that  $\mathfrak{X}$  is a direct sum of countable copies of  $\mathbb{C}$  under the norm  $\|\mathfrak{x}\| = \|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\infty} + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left| \lim_{j \to \infty} \mathfrak{x}_{(2j-1)2^{i-1}} \right| (\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{X})$ . The space  $\mathfrak{X}$  is not a closed subspace of a direct sum of the form  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  that introduced in Definition 2.1. Suppose to the contrary,  $\mathfrak{X}$  is a closed subspace of  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$ , where  $\Gamma$  satisfies the conditions of Definition 2.1. Thus, there exists  $c_1, c_2 > 0$  such that  $c_1 \|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\Gamma} \leq \|\mathfrak{x}\| \leq c_2 \|\mathfrak{x}\|_{\Gamma}$  ( $\mathfrak{x} \in \mathfrak{X}$ ). Let  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ , and  $\mathfrak{x}(m)$  is the sequence given by  $\mathfrak{x}(m)_{(2j-1)2^{i-1}} := 1$ , for  $1 \leq i \leq m$  and  $j \in \mathbb{N}$ , otherwise  $\mathfrak{x}(m)_{(2j-1)2^{i-1}} := 0$ . Then for each  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$1 + m = \|\mathfrak{x}(m)\| \le c_2 \|\mathfrak{x}(m)\|_{\Gamma} = c_2 \sup_{\gamma \in \Gamma} q_{\gamma}(\mathfrak{x}(m)) = c_2 \sup_{\gamma \in \Gamma} q_{\gamma}(\mathcal{P}_{F_{\gamma}}(\mathfrak{x}(m)))$$

$$\le c_2 \sup_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|\mathcal{P}_{F_{\gamma}}(\mathfrak{x}(m))\|_{\Gamma} \le \frac{c_2}{c_1} \sup_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|\mathcal{P}_{F_{\gamma}}(\mathfrak{x}(m))\| = \frac{c_2}{c_1},$$

that's a contradiction.

# 3. Applications to compact groups

Throughout this section let G be a compact group with the normalized Haar measure  $\lambda$  and the dual object  $\Sigma$ . For each  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ , select a fixed member  $U^{(\sigma)}$  of  $\sigma$  with representation space  $H_{\sigma}$ . Recall that for each  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ ,  $d_{\sigma} = \dim H_{\sigma} < \infty$  (Theorem 22.13 of [4]). Thus for each  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ ,  $\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$  is finite dimensional, and so is a closed subspace of each normed space X that contains  $\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$  as a subspace.

**Definition 3.1.** An internal direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G))_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$  that is also a subspace of M(G) is called a direct sum of trigonometric polynomials on G.

For classifying the direct sums of trigonometric polynomials the following definition is needed.

**Definition 3.2.** The map  $\mathcal{F}: M(G) \to \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma} \mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$  is defined by  $\mathcal{F}\mu := (\mathcal{F}_{\sigma}\mu)_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$ , where  $\mathcal{F}_{\sigma}\mu := \mu * u_{\sigma}$  and  $u_{\sigma}(x) := d_{\sigma}\mathrm{tr}(U_{x}^{(\sigma)})$   $(x \in G)$  for all  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ .

By Definition 34.2, Remark 34.3 Lemma 34.1 of [5], it is easy to see that  $\mathcal{F}_{\sigma}\mu(x)=d_{\sigma}\mathrm{tr}(A_{\sigma}U_{x}^{(\sigma)})$   $(x\in G)$ , where  $A_{\sigma}$  is the  $\sigma$ 's Fourier coefficient operator of  $\mu$  that defined by  $A_{\sigma}=\int_{G}U_{x^{-1}}^{(\sigma)}d\mu(x)$ . Note that the formal expression  $\sum_{\sigma\in\Sigma}\mathcal{F}_{\sigma}\mu$  is the Fourier series of  $\mu$ 

**Proposition 3.3.** Let  $(X, \|.\|_X)$  be a Banach space which is also a subspace of M(G). Then,  $\mathfrak{F}$  maps X isometrically isomorphic onto a direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G))_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$  if and only if  $\mathfrak{T}(G) \subseteq X$  and there exists a positive constant c such that  $\|\mu\| \leq c\|\mu\|_X$   $(\mu \in X)$ .

Proof. Suppose there exists a positive constant c such that for each  $\mu \in X$ ,  $\|\mu\| \le c\|\mu\|_X$ . On one hand, by Lemma 34.1(iv) of [5] all Fourier operators of  $u_\sigma$  is 0 excepts the  $\sigma$ 's Fourier operator that is equal to  $I_{d_\sigma}$ . Hence, by Remark 34.3(c) of [5] and Definition 3.2,  $(\mathcal{F}_\sigma)_{\sigma\in\Sigma}$  is a family of mutually orthogonal projections with  $\mathcal{F}_\sigma(M(G)) = \mathfrak{T}_\sigma(G)$  ( $\sigma \in \Sigma$ ), and also is separating by Remark 34.3(b) of [5]. On the other hand, for each  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ , there exists  $c_\sigma > 0$  such that  $\|t\|_X \le c_\sigma \|t\|_1$  for all  $t \in \mathfrak{T}_\sigma(G)$  (note that  $\mathfrak{T}_\sigma(G)$  is finite dimensional, and so all norms on it is equivalent), so by Theorem 20.12 of [4] for each  $\mu \in X$ ,  $\|\mathcal{F}_\sigma\mu\|_X \le c_\sigma \|\mathcal{F}_\sigma\mu\|_1 \le c_\sigma \|u_\sigma\|_1 \|\mu\| \le cc_\sigma \|u_\sigma\|_1 \|\mu\|_X$ , that implies  $\mathcal{F}_\sigma$  is continuous. Hence by Proposition 1.8,  $\mathcal{F}$  maps X isometrically isomorphic onto a direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_\sigma(G))_{\sigma\in\Sigma}$ .

Conversely, suppose  $\mathcal{F}$  maps X isometrically isomorphic onto a direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G))_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$ . Since for each  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ ,  $\mathfrak{F}_{\sigma} = \pi_{\sigma} \circ \mathcal{F}$ , where  $\pi_{\sigma}$  is the  $\sigma$ 's projection of  $\mathfrak{F}X$ , so  $\mathfrak{F}_{\sigma}$  is continuous. Hence by Proposition 1.2(i),  $\|\mathfrak{F}\mu\|_{\mathcal{F}} = \|\mu\|_{X}$  ( $\mu \in X$ ). But, by the first paragraph of the proof,  $\mathfrak{F}M(G)$  is a direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G))_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$  under the norm  $\|\mathfrak{F}\mu\| = \|\mu\|$  ( $\mu \in M(G)$ ). Now, by Proposition 1.2(iii) there exists c > 0 such that for each  $\mu \in X$ ,  $\|\mathfrak{F}\mu\| \le c\|\mathfrak{F}\mu\|_{\mathcal{F}}$ , and so  $\|\mu\| \le c\|\mu\|_{X}$ .  $\square$ 

**Example 3.4.** Let G be an infinite compact group. Then M(G) is infinite dimensional, and so by Theorem 4.2 of [1], there exists a complete norm  $\|.\|'$  on M(G) that is not equivalent to  $\|.\|_1$ . Thus by Proposition 3.3,  $\mathcal{F}$  does not map  $X = (M(G), \|.\|')$  isometrically isomorphic onto a direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G))_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$ .

**Corollary 3.5.** The Banach spaces C(G) and  $L^p(G)$   $(1 \le p < \infty)$  are direct sums of trigonometric polynomials on G.

*Proof.* For each  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$  and  $f \in L^p(G)$ ,  $||f||_1 \leq ||f||_p$ , and  $\mathfrak{T}(G)$  is dense in C(G) and  $L^p(G)$   $(1 \leq p < \infty)$  (see for example Page 110 of [3]). By using Proposition 3.3, Lemma 1.8, and Proposition 1.9, the proof is completed.

In the remainder of this section, it is proved that  $L^p$ -spaces on G is of the form  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  or  $\mathfrak{bc}(\Gamma)$  that introduced in Definition 2.1. In the proof of the following proposition, the fact that  $||f * \mu||_p, ||\mu * f||_p \leq ||f||_p ||\mu||$  for each  $\mu \in M(G)$  and  $f \in L^p(G)$  (Theorem 20.12 of [4]) is used frequently.

**Proposition 3.6.** Let  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ ,  $(h_{\alpha})$  be a net in  $\mathfrak{T}(G)$ , and  $H_p := (h_{\alpha}^p)_{\alpha}$ , where  $h_{\alpha}^p$  maps  $\mathfrak{t} \in \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma} \mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$  to  $\sum_{\sigma \in \Sigma} h_{\alpha} * \mathfrak{t}_{\sigma} \in L^p(G)$  for each  $\alpha$ . If  $\lim_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha} * u_{\sigma} - u_{\sigma}\|_p = 0$ , then

- (i)  $\mathfrak{b}(H_p) \subseteq \mathfrak{F}L^p(G)$  for  $1 , and <math>\mathfrak{b}(H_1) \subseteq \mathfrak{F}M(G)$ .
- (ii) if  $\sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha} * u_{\sigma}\|_p < \infty$  ( $\sigma \in \Sigma$ ), then  $\mathfrak{b}(H_p)$  and  $\mathfrak{bc}(H_p)$  are direct sums of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G))_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$ ,
- (iii) if  $\sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha}\|_{1} < \infty$ , then  $\mathfrak{b}(H_{p}) = \mathfrak{bc}(H_{p}) = \mathfrak{F}L^{p}(G)$   $(1 , <math>\mathfrak{b}(H_{1}) = \mathfrak{F}M(G)$ ,  $\mathfrak{bc}(H_{1}) = \mathfrak{F}L^{1}(G)$ ,  $\mathfrak{b}(H_{\infty}) = \mathfrak{F}L^{\infty}(G)$ , and  $\mathfrak{bc}(H_{\infty}) = \mathfrak{F}C(G)$ .

Proof. (i): Suppose  $1 and <math>\mathfrak{t} \in \mathfrak{b}(H_p)$ . Then,  $(h_{\alpha,p}(\mathfrak{t}))_{\alpha}$  is a  $\|.\|_p$ -bounded net in  $\mathfrak{T}(G) \subseteq L^p(G) = L^q(G)^*$ , where  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ , and so by Banach-Alaoglu Theorem, it has a subnet  $(h_{\beta}^p(\mathfrak{t}))_{\beta}$  that weak\*-converges to some  $f \in L^p(G) = L^q(G)^*$ . Let  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ . By a simple calculation, one can proved that the net  $(h_{\beta}^p(\mathfrak{t}) * u_{\sigma})_{\beta}$  is weak\*-convergent to  $f * u_{\sigma} = \mathcal{F}_{\sigma}f$ . It, together the facts that  $(h_{\beta}^p(\mathfrak{t}) * u_{\sigma})_{\beta}$  is a net in the finite dimensional space  $\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$  and on a finite dimensional space all Hausdorff vector topologies are equivalent, implies that  $(h_{\beta}^p(\mathfrak{t}) * u_{\sigma})_{\beta}$  is  $\|.\|_p$ -convergent to  $f * u_{\sigma} = \mathcal{F}_{\sigma}f$ . On the other hand,  $\lim_{\beta} \|h_{\beta} * u_{\sigma} - u_{\sigma}\|_p = 0$  and  $u_{\sigma} * \mathfrak{t}_{\sigma} = \mathfrak{t}_{\sigma}$ . It follows that

$$\mathcal{F}_{\sigma}f = \lim_{\beta} h_{\beta}^{p}(\mathfrak{t}) * u_{\sigma} = \lim_{\beta} \sum_{\eta \in \Sigma} ((h_{\beta} * \mathfrak{t}_{\eta}) * u_{\sigma}) = \lim_{\beta} h_{\beta} * \mathfrak{t}_{\sigma}$$
$$= \lim_{\beta} h_{\beta} * (u_{\sigma} * \mathfrak{t}_{\sigma}) = \lim_{\beta} (h_{\beta} * u_{\sigma}) * \mathfrak{t}_{\sigma} = u_{\sigma} * \mathfrak{t}_{\sigma} = \mathfrak{t}_{\sigma}.$$

Hence,  $\mathfrak{t} = \mathfrak{F}f \in \mathfrak{F}L^p(G)$ . Thus,  $\mathfrak{b}(H_p) \subseteq \mathfrak{F}L^p(G)$ . A similar method yields  $\mathfrak{b}(H_1) \subseteq \mathfrak{F}M(G)$  (note that  $\mathfrak{T}(G) \subseteq M(G) = L^1(G)^*$ ).

(ii): Let  $\sigma \in \Sigma$  and  $t_{\sigma} \in \mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$ . Then,

$$\sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha} * t_{\sigma}\|_{p} = \sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha} * (u_{\sigma} * t_{\sigma})\|_{p} \le \sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha} * u_{\sigma}\|_{p} \|t_{\sigma}\|_{1} < \infty,$$

and  $t_{\sigma} = u_{\sigma} * t_{\sigma} = \lim_{\alpha} (h_{\alpha} * u_{\sigma}) * t_{\sigma} = \lim_{\alpha} h_{\alpha} * t_{\sigma}$ , that implies not only  $\iota_{\sigma}(t_{\sigma}) \in \mathfrak{bc}(H_p)$ , but also for each  $\mathfrak{t} \in \prod_{\sigma \in \Sigma} \mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$ ,

$$\|\mathfrak{t}_{\sigma}\|_{p} = \lim_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha} * \mathfrak{t}_{\sigma}\|_{p} = \lim_{\alpha} \left\| \sum_{\eta \in \Sigma} h_{\alpha} * (\mathfrak{t}_{\eta} * u_{\sigma}) \right\|_{p}$$
$$= \lim_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha}^{p}(\mathfrak{t}) * u_{\sigma}\|_{p} \leq \|u_{\sigma}\|_{1} \sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha}^{p}(\mathfrak{t})\|_{p} \leq \|u_{\sigma}\|_{1} \|\mathfrak{t}\|_{H_{p}}.$$

Hence by using Theorem 2.2, the proof is completed.

(iii): Suppose  $1 , <math>f \in L^p(G)$  and  $\mathfrak{t} = \mathfrak{F}f$ . For each  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $t_{\epsilon} \in \mathfrak{T}(G)$  such that  $\|f - t_{\epsilon}\|_p < \epsilon_1$ , where  $\epsilon_1 = \frac{\epsilon}{\sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha}\|_{1}+1}$  (see also Corollary 3.5). Since for each  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ ,  $\sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha} * u_{\sigma}\|_p \le \|u_{\sigma}\|_p \sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha}\|_1 < \infty$ , so by (ii),  $\mathfrak{bc}(H_p)$  is a direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G))_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$ . But,  $(u_{\sigma} * t_{\epsilon})_{\sigma \in \Sigma} \in \bigoplus_{\sigma \in \Sigma} \mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$ . Thus  $(u_{\sigma} * t_{\epsilon})_{\sigma \in \Sigma} \in \mathfrak{bc}(H_p)$ , and so  $\lim_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha} * t_{\epsilon} - t_{\epsilon}\|_p = 0$ . It follows that,

$$\begin{split} \overline{\lim}_{\alpha} \|\mathbf{h}_{\alpha}^{p}(\mathfrak{t}) - f\|_{p} &= \overline{\lim}_{\alpha} \|\mathbf{h}_{\alpha}^{p}(\mathcal{F}f) - f\|_{p} = \overline{\lim}_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha} * f - f\|_{p} \\ &\leq \overline{\lim}_{\alpha} (\|h_{\alpha} * f - h_{\alpha} * t_{\epsilon}\|_{p} + \|h_{\alpha} * t_{\epsilon} - t_{\epsilon}\|_{p} + \|t_{\epsilon} - f\|_{p}) \\ &= \overline{\lim}_{\alpha} (\|h_{\alpha} * f - h_{\alpha} * t_{\epsilon}\|_{p} + \|t_{\epsilon} - f\|_{p}) \\ &\leq (\sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha}\|_{1}) \|f - t_{\epsilon}\|_{p} + \|t_{\epsilon} - f\|_{p} < \epsilon, \end{split}$$

that implies  $\lim_{\alpha} \|\mathbf{h}_{\alpha,p}(\mathfrak{t}) - f\|_p = 0$ , and so  $\mathfrak{t} \in \mathfrak{bc}(\mathbf{H}_p) \subseteq \mathfrak{b}(\mathbf{H}_p)$ . It together (i) implies that  $\mathfrak{b}(\mathbf{H}_p) = \mathfrak{bc}(\mathbf{H}_p) = \mathfrak{F}L^p(G)$  (1 .

Let p=1. If  $\mu \in M(G)$ , then  $\sup_{\alpha} \|\mathbf{h}_{\alpha}^{1}(\mathcal{F}\mu)\| = \sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha}*\mu\|_{1} \leq (\sup_{\alpha} \|h_{\alpha}\|_{1})\|\mu\| < \infty$ , and so  $\mathcal{F}\mu \in \mathfrak{b}(\mathbf{H}_{1})$ . Hence by (i),  $\mathfrak{b}(\mathbf{H}_{1}) = \mathcal{F}M(G)$ . Since  $\mathfrak{T}(G)$  is  $\|.\|_{1}$ -dense in  $L^{1}(G)$ , so  $\mathfrak{bc}(\mathbf{H}_{1}) \subseteq \mathcal{F}L^{1}(G)$ . Applying a method exactly as the previous paragraph yields  $\mathcal{F}L^{1}(G) \subseteq \mathfrak{bc}(\mathbf{H}_{1})$ , and so  $\mathfrak{bc}(\mathbf{H}_{1}) = \mathcal{F}L^{1}(G)$ . Exactly the same proof, shows that  $\mathfrak{b}(\mathbf{H}_{\infty}) = \mathcal{F}L^{\infty}(G)$ , and  $\mathfrak{bc}(\mathbf{H}_{\infty}) = \mathcal{F}C(G)$  (note that  $\mathfrak{T}(G)$  is  $\|.\|_{\infty}$ -dense in C(G)).

**Example 3.7.** Let  $\mathbb{T}$  be the multiplicative group of all complex numbers with absolute value 1. Then,  $\Sigma:=\{e_m:m\in\mathbb{Z}\}$ , where  $e_m(z)=z^m$  for  $m\in\mathbb{Z}$  and  $z\in\mathbb{T}$ . Suppose for each  $n\in\mathbb{N}$ ,  $h_n=D_n$ , where  $D_n$  is the Dirchlet kernel (i.e.  $D_n=\sum_{m=-n}^n e_m$ ). Let  $H_p:=(h_n^p)_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$ , where  $1\leq p\leq\infty$ . Clearly, if  $m\in\mathbb{N}$ ,  $n\in\mathbb{N}$ , and  $n\geq |m|$ , then  $h_n*e_m=e_m$ . Thus, by Proposition 3.6(ii),  $\mathfrak{b}(H_1)$  is a direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{e_m}(\mathbb{T}))_{m\in\mathbb{Z}}$ , and by Proposition 3.6(i),  $\mathfrak{b}(H_1)\subseteq \mathcal{F}M(\mathbb{T})$ . But,  $\mathfrak{b}(H_1)\neq\mathcal{F}M(\mathbb{T})$ . To see this, note that if  $\mathfrak{b}(H_1)=\mathcal{F}M(\mathbb{T})$ , then  $\mathcal{F}L^1(\mathbb{T})\subseteq\mathfrak{b}(H_1)$  and so  $\sup_{n\in\mathbb{N}}\|D_n*f\|_1<\infty$  for all  $f\in L^1(\mathbb{T})$ . It, together Banach Steinhauss' Theorem and the last paragraph on Page 56 of [6], implies that  $\sup_{n\in\mathbb{N}}\|D_n\|_1<\infty$ , that's a contradiction (see also Exersice 1 on Page 59 of [6]). By a similar method, it is shown that  $\mathfrak{b}(H_\infty)$  is a direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{e_m}(\mathbb{T}))_{m\in\mathbb{Z}}, \mathcal{F}C(\mathbb{T})\subsetneq \mathfrak{b}(H_\infty)$ , and  $\mathfrak{b}(H_\infty)\subsetneq \mathcal{F}L^\infty(\mathbb{T})$ . Also, by Theorem 1.5 of [6], for each  $1< p<\infty$ ,  $\mathcal{F}L^p(\mathbb{T})\subseteq \mathfrak{bc}(H_p)$  (note that by Corollary 1.9 of [6], for each  $f\in L^1(\mathbb{T})$  and  $n\in\mathbb{N}$ ,  $h_{n,p}(\mathcal{F}f)=S_n f$ , where  $S_n f$  is the n'th partial sum of the Fourier series of f), and so by Proposition 3.6(ii),  $\mathfrak{b}(H_p)=\mathfrak{bc}(H_p)=\mathcal{F}L^p(\mathbb{T})$ .

Corollary 3.8. Let X be any of spaces  $L^p(G)$   $(1 \le p \le \infty)$ , C(G) and M(G). Then  $\mathfrak{F}X$ , as a direct sum of  $(\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G))_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$ , is a closed subspace of a direct sum of the form  $\mathfrak{b}(\Gamma)$  that is introduced in Definition 2.1.

*Proof.* By Theorem 28.53 of [5], there exists a net  $(h_{\alpha})_{\alpha}$  in  $\mathfrak{T}(G)$  such that for each  $\alpha$ ,  $||h_{\alpha}||_1 = 1$  and  $\lim_{\alpha} ||h_{\alpha} * f - f||_1 = 0$ , where  $f \in L^1(G)$ . Thus, if  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ , then  $(h_{\alpha} * u_{\sigma})_{\alpha}$  is a net in  $\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$  that  $||.||_1$ -converges to  $u_{\sigma}$ , and so  $||.||_p$ -converges to  $u_{\sigma}$  for each  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$  (note that  $\mathfrak{T}_{\sigma}(G)$  is finite dimensional). Using Proposition 3.6(iii) completes the proof.

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