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Geometric duality of cones

Let X be a real Banach space pre-ordered by a closed cone C in X .

Definition Let $\varphi > 0$.

X is said to be φ -max normal if, for any $y, z, x \in X$ such that $z \leq y$ implies $\|x\| \leq \varphi \max\{\|z\|, \|y\|\}$.

X is said to be φ -sum conormal if, for any $x \in X$, there exists $x_1, x_2 \in C$ such that $x = x_1 - x_2$ and $\|x_1\| + \|x_2\| \leq \varphi \|x\|$.

Theorem

For $\varphi > 0$.

X is φ -max normal
iff
 X' is φ -sum conormal

Note 1. X is φ -max normal
iff

for $Y = X \oplus_\infty X$, the subsets

$$A = C \oplus (-C)$$

$$D = \{(x, y) \in Y : x = y\}$$

$$B_1 = \{(x, y) \in D : \|x\| \leq \varphi\}$$

$$B_2 = \{(x, y) \in Y : \max\{\|x\|, \|y\|\} \leq 1\} \text{ satisfy } (B_2 + A) \cap D \subseteq B_1$$

Note 2

X is φ -sum conormal
iff

for $Y = X \oplus_\infty X$ the subsets

$$A = C \oplus (-C)$$

$$D = \{(x, y) \in Y : x + y = 0\}$$

$$B_1 = \{(x, y) \in Y : \|x + y\| \leq 1\}$$

$$B_2 = \{(x, y) \in Y : \|x\| + \|y\| \leq \varphi\}$$

satisfy $B_1 \subseteq (B_2 \cap A) + D$.

Definition (Dual pair)

A dual (Y, Z) is a pair of vector spaces Y and Z together with a bilinear map $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : Y \times Z \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

($\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ is linear in each variable separately such that

$$\langle x, y \rangle = 0 \quad \forall y \in Y, \text{ then } z = 0$$

$$\langle x, y \rangle = 0 \quad \forall z \in Z, \text{ then } y = 0.$$

$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ is called the duality of (Y, Z)

Example

(X, X') locally convex space.

Then (X, X') is a dual pair under $\langle x, x' \rangle = x'(x)$

$$y \in Y \quad \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : Z \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$z \mapsto \langle y, z \rangle$$

$$Y \subseteq Z^* \subseteq \mathbb{R}^Z$$

$$y \mapsto \langle \cdot, y \rangle$$

Consider $(Y, \sigma(Y, Z))$

$(Z, \sigma(Z, Y))$

Thm

$$(Y, \sigma(Y, Z))' = Z$$

$$(Z, \sigma(Z, Y))' = Y$$

(One-sided polar calculated)

Consider a dual (Y, Z) and $A \subseteq Y$ and $B \subseteq Z$

Then one-sided polar of A , denoted by A° ,

is defined by

$$A^\circ = \{z \in Z : \langle a, z \rangle \leq 1 \quad \forall a \in A\}$$

Similarly, the one-sided polar of B , denoted by B° , is defined by

$$B^\circ = \{y \in Y : \langle y, b \rangle \leq 1 \quad \forall b \in B\}$$

Lemma

Let (Y, Z) be a dual pair, A a non-empty subset of Y , C a cone in A , $\{A_i\}_{i \in I}$ a collection of subsets of A .

Then

- 1) A° contains zero, is convex and $\sigma(Z, Y)$ -closed
- 2) If $A \subseteq B$, then $B^\circ \subseteq A^\circ$
- 3) If $\lambda > 0$, then $(\lambda A)^\circ = \frac{1}{\lambda} A^\circ$
- 4) $(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i)^\circ = \bigcap_{i \in I} A_i^\circ$
- 5) C° closed cone $C^\circ = -C^\circ$

(6) If A is a (Y, Z) -closed convex set which contains zero, then

$$(A \cap C)^{\circ} = \overline{(A^{\circ} + C^{\circ})}$$

(7) If A is convex and contains zero, then

$$(A + C)^{\circ} = A^{\circ} \cap C^{\circ}$$

(Section 4 in Mink's paper for $\Omega = \mathbb{N}$)

Assumptions: For a real Banach space, the map $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : X \times X' \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ will mean $\langle x, x' \rangle = x'(x)$

$$B_X = \{x \in X : \|x\| \leq 1\}$$

For subspaces $Y \subseteq X^{\mathbb{N}}$ and $Z \subseteq X'^{\mathbb{N}}$, if $Y \times Z \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$,

$((y_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}, (z_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}) \mapsto \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \langle y_n, z_n \rangle$ defines a duality, then we will denote it by $\langle \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle \rangle$.

Definition

Let X be a Banach space

We recall the ℓ_1 -direct sum of countably many copies of X

$$\ell^1(\mathbb{N}, X) = \{(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} : x_n \in X, \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|x_n\| < \infty\}$$

The ℓ^{∞} -direct sum of countably many copies of

$$\ell^{\infty}(\mathbb{N}, X) = \{(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} : x_n \in X, \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \|x_n\| < \infty\}$$

$c(\mathbb{N}, X)$ closed subspace of $\ell^{\infty}(\mathbb{N}, X)$, where

$$c(\mathbb{N}, X) = \{(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in \ell^{\infty}(\mathbb{N}, X) : \exists x \in X \text{ s.t. } \|x_n - x\| \rightarrow 0\}$$

Remark

The duals of $c(\mathbb{N}, X)$, $\ell^1(\mathbb{N}, X)$ and $\ell^p(\mathbb{N}, X)$ can be identified by

$$\ell^1(\mathbb{N}, X'), \ell^{\infty}(\mathbb{N}, X') \text{ and } \ell^2(\mathbb{N}, X') \left(\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1 \right)$$

Definition

Let X be a Banach space
 We define the canonical summation of operator $\Sigma: X^{\mathbb{N}} \rightarrow X \cup \{\infty\}$ as follows

$$\Sigma(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} = \begin{cases} \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} x_i & \text{if } \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \|x_i\| < \infty \\ \infty & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

We call $D(\Sigma) = \Sigma^{-1}(X)$ the domain of Σ

We define the constant part operator $\text{const}: X^{\mathbb{N}} \rightarrow X \cup \{\infty\}$ as follows

$$\text{const}(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x\| = 0 \\ \infty & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

We call $D(\text{const}) = \text{const}^{-1}(X)$ the domain of const .

Definition

Let X be a Banach space and $\{C_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a collection of cones in X . For $Y \subseteq X^{\mathbb{N}}$, we define

$$(\oplus C)(Y) = \{(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in Y : \forall n, x_n \in C_n\}$$

$$\Sigma_0(Y) = \{(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in Y \cap D(\Sigma) : \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \|x_i\| < \infty\}$$

$$\Sigma_1(Y) = \{(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in Y \cap D(\Sigma) : \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \|x_i\| \leq 1\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \equiv_{\infty}(Y) &= \{(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in Y \cap D(\text{const}) : \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x\| = 0\} \\ \equiv_1(Y) &= \equiv_{\infty}(Y) \cap \{(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in Y \cap D(\text{const}) : \|\text{const}(x_n)\| \leq 1\} \\ &= \{(x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} : \|x_n\| \leq 1\} \end{aligned}$$



Lemma

Let X be a Banach space and $\{C_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a collection of closed cones in X . In the dual pair $(C(\mathbb{N}, X), \ell'(\mathbb{N}, X'))$

we have

$$(i) \left(\bigoplus C(C(\mathbb{N}, X)) \right)^{\odot} = \bigoplus C^{\odot}(\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X'))$$

$$(ii) \left(\bigcap_{\infty} (C(\mathbb{N}, X)) \right)^{\odot} = \sum_0 (\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X'))$$

$$(iii) \left(\bigcap_1 (C(\mathbb{N}, X)) \right)^{\odot} = \sum_1 (\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X'))$$

$$(iv) B_{C(\mathbb{N}, X)}^{\odot} = B_{\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X')}$$

$$(ii) \left(\bigcap_{\infty} (C(\mathbb{N}, X)) \right)^{\odot}$$

$$\left\{ (x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \mid x_n \in X \right\}^{\odot}$$

$$= \left\{ (x'_n) \in \ell'(\mathbb{N}, X') : \right.$$

$$\left. \langle (x_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}, (x'_n) \rangle \leq 1 \text{ where } x_n \in X \right\}$$

$$\sum_0 (\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X')) = \left\{ (x'_n) \in \ell'(\mathbb{N}, X') : \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x'_n(x) \leq 1, \text{ where } x \in X \right\}$$

Clearly $\sum_0 (\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X'))$



Clearly $\sum_0(\ell'(N, X')) \subseteq \left(\sum_{\omega} \ell(N) \right)$

Let $(x'_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in \left(\sum_{\omega} \ell(N) \right)$

and suppose

$$(x'_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \notin \sum_{\omega} \ell(N)$$

$(x'_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in \ell'(N, X')$:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x'_n(x) \leq 1, \quad \text{where } x \in X$$



Definition (General notions of normality and conormality)

Let X be a vector space
Let $C, D \subseteq X$ be cones and

$B_1, B_2 \subseteq X$ convex sets containing zero

X is said to be normal w.r.t (C, D, B_1, B_2)
if $(B_2 + C) \cap D \subseteq B_1$

X is said to be conormal w.r.t (C, D, B_1, B_2)
if

$$B_1 \subseteq (B_2 \cap C) + D$$

Theorem

Let $\gamma \geq 1$.

X real Banach space
and

$\{C_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a collection of closed
cones in X

The space $C(\mathbb{N}, X)$ is normal
w.r.t $(\oplus C(\mathbb{N}, X), \Xi(\mathbb{N}, X), \gamma \Xi(\mathbb{N}, X), B_{\gamma(\mathbb{N}, X)})$

iff
the space $\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X')$ is conormal
w.r.t $(\oplus C'(\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X')), \Sigma(\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X')), \Sigma(\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X')), B_{\ell'(\mathbb{N}, X')})$



Proof

Suppose X is α -max normal.

Let $Y := X \oplus_{\infty} X$ and $Z = X' \oplus X'$

and the duality $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : Y \times Z \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is given

by $\langle (a, b), (\phi, \psi) \rangle = \phi(a) + \psi(b)$ \forall $a, b \in X$ $\phi, \psi \in X'$

Let $D = C \oplus C$

$\Xi_{\infty} = \{(a, b) \in Y : a = b\}$

$\Xi_1 = \{(a, b) \in \Xi_{\infty} : \|a\| \leq 1\}$

$B_Y = \{(a, b) \in Y : \max\{\|a\|, \|b\|\} \leq 1\}$

Also, $E = -C' \oplus C'$

$\Sigma_0 = \{(\phi, \psi) \in Z : \phi + \psi = 0\}$

$\Sigma_1 = \{(\phi, \psi) \in Z : \|\phi + \psi\| \leq 1\}$, $B_Z = \{(\phi, \psi) \in Z : \|\phi\| + \|\psi\| \leq 1\}$

We showed that the one-sided
 polars of D, Ξ_∞, Ξ_1 , and B_Y in Y
 is given by

E, Σ_0, Σ_1 , and B_Z in Z

By Note 1 $(B_Y + D) \cap \Xi_\infty \subseteq \eta \Xi_1$

(Hence Y is ^{normal w.r.t} $(D, \Xi_\infty, \tau \Xi_1, B_Y)$)

By Thm we have that Z

is conormal w.r.t $(E, \Sigma_0, \Sigma_1, \eta B_Z)$

in Z . By note 2 X' is

α sum conormal.

The converse follow similarly. \square

Proof

Suppose X

Let $Y :=$

and the

by

Let $D =$

$\Xi_\infty =$

$\Xi_1 =$

$B_Y =$

Also, E

Σ_0

Σ_1

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Lemma

Let (Y, Z) be a dual pair.

Assume that $C, D \subseteq Y$ are $\sigma(Y, Z)$ -closed cones and B_1, B_2 be $\sigma(Y, Z)$ -closed convex sets containing zero.

Then

(1) If Y is normal w.r.t (C, D, B_1, B_2) , then $B_1^\circ \subseteq (B_2^\circ \cap C^\circ) + D^\circ$

(2) If Y is conormal w.r.t (C, D, B_1, B_2) , then $(B_2^\circ + C^\circ) \cap D^\circ \subseteq B_1^\circ$

(3) If Z is normal w.r.t $(C^\circ, D^\circ, B_1^\circ, B_2^\circ)$, then $B_1 \subseteq \overline{(B_2 \cap C) + D}$

(4) If Z is conormal w.r.t $(C^\circ, D^\circ, B_1^\circ, B_2^\circ)$, then $(B_2 + C) \cap D \subseteq B_1$.

Proof

Suppose Y is normal w.r.t (C, D, B_1, B_2) . Then $(B_2 + C) \cap D \subseteq B_1$ and hence $B_1^\circ \subseteq (B_2^\circ + C^\circ) \cap D^\circ$

$$= \overline{(B_2 + C)^{\circ}} + D^{\circ}$$

$$= \overline{(B_1^{\circ} \cap C^{\circ})} + D^{\circ}$$

(2) Suppose that Y is conormal w.r.t (C, D, B_1, B_2) . Then

$$B_1 \subseteq \overline{(B_2 \cap C) + D}. \text{ Then } (B_2 + C)^{\circ} \cap D^{\circ} \subseteq \overline{B_2^{\circ} + C^{\circ} \cap D^{\circ}} = \overline{(B_2 \cap C)^{\circ} \cap D^{\circ}} = \overline{(B_2 \cap C + D)^{\circ}} \subseteq B_1^{\circ}$$

Thm (General duality between normality and conormality)

* (i) Z conormal w.r.t

$$(C^{\circ}, D^{\circ}, B_1^{\circ}, B_2^{\circ}) \Rightarrow$$

Y normal w.r.t (C, D, B_1, B_2)

(ii) Y normal w.r.t (C, D, B_1, B_2)

and

$(B_2^{\circ} \cap C^{\circ}) + D^{\circ}$ is $\sigma(Z, Y)$ -closed implies Z conormal w.r.t $(C^{\circ}, D^{\circ}, B_1^{\circ}, B_2^{\circ})$

Theorem

Let $\tau \geq 1$.

X real Banach space

and

$\{C_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \mathcal{A}}$ be a collection of closed cones in X

The space $C(\mathbb{N}, X)$ is normal

w.r.t $(\oplus_{\alpha \in \mathcal{A}} C_\alpha, X) \equiv (\sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{A}} C_\alpha, X) \equiv (\sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{A}} C_\alpha, X)_{\text{sup}}$

iff

the space $\ell^{\tau}(\mathbb{N}, X)$ is conormal

w.r.t $(\oplus_{\alpha \in \mathcal{A}} \ell^{\tau}(C_\alpha, X), \sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{A}} \ell^{\tau}(C_\alpha, X)) \equiv (\sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{A}} \ell^{\tau}(C_\alpha, X), \sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{A}} \ell^{\tau}(C_\alpha, X))$

$\equiv \ell^{\tau}(\sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{A}} C_\alpha, X)$