

ON SUMMING MAPS

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**Abstract:** In the present paper, we show that a bounded linear map  $T$  from a Hilbert space  $H$  into a reflexive Banach space  $F$  is an absolutely 2-summing map iff it is a 2-quasi-nuclear map. Also, for a nuclear  $G_\infty$ -spaces  $\lambda(P)$  and  $\lambda(Q)$ , we show that a bounded linear map  $T$  between normed spaces is 2-quasi- $\lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$  iff it is quasi- $\lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$ -nuclear. Then we introduce an example to show that the nuclearity of  $\lambda(P)$  and  $\lambda(Q)$  are necessary.

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1. Basic Concepts

The concept of 2-quasi-nuclear map is introduced by Pitsich in 1967. While Dubinsiky introduced quasi- $\lambda$  nuclear map. In 2005, Shatanawi introduced the concept of 2-quasi- $\lambda$ -nuclear map. In this paper, we study the relation between 2-quasi-nuclear maps and absolutely 2-summing maps from a Hilbert space  $H$  into a reflexive Banach space  $F$ . Also we study some properties of 2-quasi- $\lambda$ -nuclear map.

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In the sequel  $E'$  denotes to the set of all bounded linear functional. For two sequences of real numbers  $x = (x_n)$  and  $y = (y_n)$  we write  $x_n = O(y_n)$  if there is a positive real number  $\rho$  such that  $x_n \leq \rho y_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N}$ .

A set  $A$  of sequences of non-negative real numbers is called a *Köthe set*, if it satisfies the following conditions:

1. For each pair of elements  $a = (a_n), b = (b_n) \in A$  there is  $c = (c_n) \in A$  with  $a_n = O(c_n)$  and  $b_n = O(c_n)$ .

2. For every  $r \in \mathbf{N}$  there exists  $a = (a_n) \in A$  with  $a_r > 0$ .

The space of all sequences  $x = (x_n)$  such that

$$p_a(x) := \sum_n |x_n| a_n < +\infty$$

for all  $a \in A$ , is called the *Köthe space*,  $\lambda(A)$ , generated by  $A$ , see [6].

A Köthe set  $P$  will be called a *power set of infinite type* if it satisfies the following conditions:

1. For each  $a = (a_n) \in P$ ,  $1 \leq a_n \leq a_{n+1}$  for all  $n$ .

2. For each  $a = (a_n) \in P$ , there exists  $b = (b_n) \in P$  such that  $a_n^2 = O(b_n)$ .

A Köthe space of the form  $\lambda(P)$ , where  $P$  is a power set of infinite type is called a  $G_\infty$ -space or a *smooth sequence space of infinite type*, see [6].

Let  $\alpha = (\alpha_n)$  be an unbounded non-decreasing sequence of positive real numbers. Then  $P_\infty = \{(k^{\alpha_n}) : k \in \mathbf{N}\}$  is a countable Köthe set. The corresponding Köthe space  $\Lambda_\infty(\alpha) = \lambda(P_\infty)$  is called the *power series of infinite type*.

A linear map  $T$  from a normed space  $E$  into a normed space  $F$  is called a *2-quasi-nuclear map*, if there is a sequence  $(a_n)$  in  $E'$  with

$$\sum_n \|a_n\|^2 < +\infty \quad \text{such that} \quad \|Tx\| \leq \left( \sum_n |\langle x, a_n \rangle|^2 \right)^{1/2}, \text{ see [3],}$$

and *absolutely 2-summing*, if there is a positive constant  $c$  such that for an arbitrary sequence  $(x_n)$  in  $E$  we have

$$\left( \sum_n \|Tx_n\|^2 \right)^{1/2} \leq c \sup \left\{ \left( \sum_n |\langle x_n, a \rangle|^2 \right)^{1/2} : a \in E', \|a\| \leq 1 \right\}, \text{ see [2].}$$

A linear map  $T$  of a normed space  $E$  into a normed space  $F$  is called a *quasi- $\lambda$ -nuclear map* if there exist a sequence  $(\alpha_n)$  in  $\lambda$  and a bounded sequence  $(a_n)$  in  $E'$  such that  $\|Tx\| \leq \sum_n |\alpha_n| |\langle x, a_n \rangle|$ , for all  $x \in E$ , see [1], [4], and a *2-quasi- $\lambda$ -nuclear map*, if there exist a sequence  $(\alpha_n)$  in  $\lambda$  and a bounded

sequence  $(a_n)$  in  $E'$  such that

$$\|Tx\| \leq \left(\sum_n |\alpha_n| |\langle x, a_n \rangle|^2\right)^{1/2},$$

for all  $x$  in  $E$ , see [5].

In this paper, we study the relationship between absolutely 2-summing map and 2-quasi-nuclear map  $T$  from a Hilbert space  $H$  into a reflexive Banach space  $F$ . Also, for nuclear  $G_\infty$ -spaces  $\lambda(P)$  and  $\lambda(Q)$ , we study the relation between a 2-quasi- $\lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$  map and a quasi- $\lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$ -nuclear map.

### 2. Main Results

We start our work by giving a characterization of an absolutely 2-summing map between a Hilbert space  $H$  and a reflexive Banach space  $F$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** *Suppose that  $H$  is a Hilbert space and  $F$  is a reflexive Banach space. A bounded linear map  $T$  from  $H$  into  $F$  is 2-quasi nuclear iff it is absolutely 2-summing.*

*Proof.* From the definitions of a 2-quasi-nuclear map and absolutely 2-summing we can show that if  $T$  is 2-quasi-nuclear, then  $T$  is absolutely 2-summing. For the other reverse, assume that  $T$  is absolutely 2-summing. Then there exists a compact Hausdorff space  $K$  and a positive radon measure  $\mu$  on  $K$  with  $\|\mu\| = 1$  such that  $T$  can be factored through the identity map  $I : C(K) \rightarrow L_2(K, \mu)$  such that  $I$  is absolutely 2-summing; that is, there is a bounded linear maps  $P : H \rightarrow C(K)$  and  $Q : L_2(K, \mu) \rightarrow F$  such that  $T = QIP$ . As  $I$  is an absolutely 2-summing map, then  $IP$  is absolutely 2-summing. Since  $H$  and  $L_2(K, \mu)$  are Hilbert spaces, we have  $IP$  is 2-quasi-nuclear, and therefore  $(IP)'$  is 2-quasi-nuclear. Since  $T' = (IP)'Q'$ , it follows that  $T'$  is 2-quasi-nuclear. Since  $F$  is reflexive, we get the 2-quasi- $\lambda$ -nuclearity of  $T$ . □

For nuclear Köthe spaces  $\lambda(A)$  and  $\lambda(B)$ , it is known that  $\lambda(A) * \lambda(B) = \lambda(A) \times \lambda(B)$ , where

$$\lambda(A) * \lambda(B) := \{(x_n) : (x_{2n-1}) \in \lambda(A), (x_{2n}) \in \lambda(B)\}.$$

For nuclear  $G_\infty$  spaces  $\lambda(P)$  and  $\lambda(Q)$ , our next result indicates the relation between a 2-quasi- $\lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$ -nuclear map and a quasi- $\lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$ -nuclear map

**Theorem 2.2.** Suppose that  $\lambda = \lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$ , where  $\lambda(P)$  and  $\lambda(Q)$  are nuclear  $G_\infty$ -spaces, a bounded linear map between normed spaces is 2-quasi- $\lambda$ -nuclear iff it is quasi- $\lambda$ -nuclear.

*Proof.* The proof follows from [5, Theorem 2.1] and the fact that for nuclear  $G_\infty$  space  $\lambda(P)$  and  $\lambda(Q)$ , we have  $(\sqrt{\alpha_n}) \in \lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$  for all  $(\alpha_n) \in \lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$ .  $\square$

Now let us arise the following question.

**Question.** Suppose that  $\lambda(P)$  and  $\lambda(Q)$  are  $G_\infty$ -spaces. Does Theorem 2.2 still valid for the sequence space  $\lambda = \lambda(P) * \lambda(Q)$  in case  $\lambda(P)$  or  $\lambda(Q)$  is not nuclear?

The answer of this question is given by the following example.

**Example 2.1.** Define a map  $D : c_0 \rightarrow \ell_2$  by putting

$$Dx = \left( \frac{x_1}{1}, \frac{x_2}{2^2}, \frac{x_3}{3}, \frac{x_4}{4^4}, \dots \right).$$

Then  $D$  is 2-quasi- $\ell_1 * \Lambda_\infty(n)$ -nuclear which is not quasi- $\ell_1 * \Lambda_\infty(n)$ -nuclear.

*Proof.* Note that

$$\|Dx\|_2^2 = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{x_{2n-1}}{(2n-1)} \right|^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{x_{2n}}{(2n)^{2n}} \right|^2.$$

Let  $a_n = e_n$  and

$$(\beta_n) = \left( 1, \frac{1}{2^4}, \frac{1}{3^2}, \frac{1}{4^8}, \frac{1}{5^2}, \frac{1}{6^{12}}, \frac{1}{7^2}, \dots \right).$$

As  $(e_n)$  is a bounded sequence in  $c_0$ ,  $(\beta_n) \in \ell_1 * \Lambda_\infty(n)$  and

$$\|Dx\|_2^2 = \sum_n |\beta_n| |\langle x, e_n \rangle|^2,$$

we have  $D$  is 2-quasi- $\ell_1 * \Lambda_\infty(n)$ -nuclear. Suppose that  $D$  is quasi- $\ell_1 * \Lambda_\infty(n)$ -nuclear. Then there are a sequence  $(\alpha_n)$  in  $\ell_1 * \Lambda_\infty(n)$  and a bounded sequence  $(a_n := (a_1^{(n)}, a_2^{(n)}, a_3^{(n)}, \dots))_{n=1}^{\infty}$  in  $\ell_1$  such that

$$\|Tx\| \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n| |\langle a, a_n \rangle|.$$

For  $m \in N$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{2m-1} \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_{n=1}| |\langle e_{2m-1}, a_n \rangle|,$$

and

$$\frac{1}{2m} \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n| |\langle e_{2m}, a_n \rangle|.$$

Since  $\langle e_{2m-1}, a_n \rangle = a_{2m-1}^{(n)}$  and  $\langle e_{2m}, a_n \rangle = a_{2m}^{(n)}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2m-1} + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2m)^{2m}} &\leq \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n| |a_m^{(n)}| \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n| \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} |a_m^{(n)}| \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_n| \|a_n\|. \end{aligned}$$

Which is a contradiction, hence  $D$  is not quasi- $\ell_1 * \Lambda_{\infty}(n)$ -nuclear, this complete the proof.  $\square$

We follow the same arguments in proving Example 2.1 to prove our next example.

**Example 2.2.** Define a map  $D : c_0 \leftarrow \ell_2$  by putting  $Dx = (\frac{x_1}{1}, \frac{x_2}{2}, \frac{x_3}{3}, \frac{x_4}{4}, \dots)$ . Then  $D$  is 2-quasi- $\ell_1$ -nuclear which is not quasi- $\ell_1$ -nuclear.

**Remark.** Since  $\ell_1$  is a non nuclear  $G_{\infty}$ -space, Example 2.2 is a solution for the question appeared in [5].

As a consequence result of Theorem 2.2, we have the following result.

**Corollary 2.1.** Suppose that  $\lambda = \lambda(P)$  is a nuclear  $G_{\infty}$ -space and  $T$  is a bounded linear map from a normed space  $E$  into a normed space  $F$ . Then the following are equivalent:

1.  $T$  is 2-quasi- $\lambda\lambda^{\times}$ -nuclear.
2.  $T$  is 2-quasi- $\lambda$ -nuclear.
3.  $T$  is quasi- $\lambda$ -nuclear.
4.  $T$  is quasi- $\lambda\lambda^{\times}$ -nuclear.

*Proof.* Follows from Theorem 2.2, Theorem 2.1, see [5], and noting that for a nuclear  $G_{\infty}$ -space  $\lambda(P)$ , we have  $\lambda(P)\lambda(P)^{\times} = \lambda(P)$ , where  $\lambda(P)^{\times} := \{(x_n) : (x_n y_n) \in \ell_1 \ \forall \ y = (y_n) \in \lambda(P)\}$ .  $\square$

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