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## $L^{1}(\mu)$ as a *n*-Normed Space

Abstract. The concept of a n-norm on the vector space of dimension greater or equal to n, n>1, introduced by A.Misiak ([4]), is a multi-dimensional analogue of the concept of the norm. In [1], [2], [3] and [4] several properties of the normed spaces are proved. In this work we will proved that if  $\mu$  is a positive measure on an arbitrary measurable space X and  $L^1(\mu)$  is the space of real measurable functions f on f such that  $f \mid f \mid d\mu < \infty$ , then in  $f \mid f \mid d\mu$  can be introduced  $f \mid f \mid d\mu$  a n-norm.

Let L be a real vector space with dimension greater of n,  $n \ge 1$  and  $||\bullet,...,\bullet||$  be a real function on  $L^n$  with the following properties:

- i)  $||x_1,...,x_n|| \ge 0$ , for every  $x_1,...,x_n \in L$  and  $||x_1,...,x_n|| = 0$  if and only if the set  $\{x_1,...,x_n\}$  is linearly dependent.
- *ii)*  $||x_1,...,x_n|| = ||\pi(x_1),...,\pi(x_n)||$ , for every  $x_1,...,x_n \in L$  and every bejection  $\pi: \{x_1,...,x_n\} \to \{x_1,...,x_n\}$
- *iii)*  $\|\alpha x_1,...,x_n\| = |\alpha| \cdot \|x_1,...,x_n\|$ , for every  $x_1,...,x_n \in L$  and every  $\alpha \in R$
- $iv) \quad \left\| x_1 + x_1', ..., x_n \right\| \leq \left\| x_1, ..., x_n \right\| + \left\| x_1', ..., x_n \right\|, \text{ for every } x_1, ..., x_n, x_1' \in L.$

The function  $||\bullet,...,\bullet||$  is called a *n*-norm on L, and  $(L^n,||\bullet,...,\bullet||)$  is called *n*-normed space.

Let X be an arbitrary measurable space and  $\mu$  be a positive measure on X. We denote  $L^1(\mu)$  the set of all real  $\mu$  measurable functions f on X, such that  $\int_X |f| d\mu < \infty$ . The set  $L^1(\mu)$  with usual opperations adding of functions and product of a function with a real number is a real vector space (Theorem 1.32, [6]).

**Lemma 1.** Let  $n \ge 2$ . The vectors  $f_1, ..., f_n \in L^1(\mu)$  are linearly dependent if and only if for every measurable sets  $E_1, ..., E_n$  we have:

$$\begin{vmatrix} \int f_1 d\mu & \int f_1 d\mu & \dots & \int f_1 d\mu & \int f_1 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & & E_{n-1} & E_n \\ \int f_2 d\mu & \int f_2 d\mu & \dots & \int f_2 d\mu & \int f_2 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & & E_{n-1} & E_n \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \int f_n d\mu & \int f_n d\mu & \dots & \int f_n d\mu & \int f_n d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & & E_{n-1} & E_n \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$
 (1)

**Proof.** It is clear that if the vectors  $f_1,...,f_n \in L^1(\mu)$  are lineary dependent, then for every measurable sets  $E_1,...,E_n$  (1) is true.

We will prove the converse by induction in n.

Let n=2 . Let for  $f_1,f_2\in L^1(\mu)$  and for every measurable sets  $E_1,E_2$  , it is true

$$\begin{vmatrix} \int f_1 d\mu & \int f_1 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 \\ \int f_2 d\mu & \int f_2 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0,$$

which means

$$\int_{E_1} f_1 d\mu \int_{E_2} f_2 d\mu - \int_{E_2} f_1 d\mu \int_{E_1} f_2 d\mu = 0.$$
 (2)

We will consider two cases:

i) For every measurable set E,  $\int_E f_1 d\mu = 0$ . Then  $f_1 = 0$ , a.e. on X (Theorem 1.39 b), [6]),and so  $f_1 = 0 \cdot f_2$ . This means that  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  are lineary dependent.

ii) There exist measurable set E such that  $\int f_1 d\mu \neq 0$ . Let

$$\alpha = \frac{\int_{E} f_2 d\mu}{\int_{E} f_1 d\mu}.$$

From (2) follows that for every measurable set  $E^{'}$  it is true

$$\int_{F'} (f_2 - \alpha f_1) d\mu = 0,$$

 $\int_E (f_2-\alpha f_1)d\mu=0,$  which means that  $f_1-\alpha\cdot f_2=0$ , a.e. on X and so  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  are lineary dependent

Suppose that the statement is true for some  $n \ge 2$  and that the vectors  $f_1,...,f_n,f_{n+1}\in L^1(\mu)$  and that for every measurable sets  $E_1,...,E_n,E_{n+1}$  it is true

$$\begin{vmatrix} \int f_1 d\mu & \int f_1 d\mu & \dots & \int f_1 d\mu & \int f_1 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & E_n & E_{n+1} \\ \int f_2 d\mu & \int f_2 d\mu & \dots & \int f_2 d\mu & \int f_2 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & E_n & E_{n+1} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \int f_{n+1} d\mu & \int f_{n+1} d\mu & \dots & \int f_{n+1} d\mu & \int f_{n+1} d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & E_n & E_{n+1} \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$

which means

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (-1)^{n+1+i} \int_{E_{n+1}} f_i d\mu \begin{vmatrix} \int_{E_1} f_1 d\mu & \int_{E_2} f_1 d\mu & \dots & \int_{E_n} f_1 d\mu \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \int_{E_1} f_{i-1} d\mu & \int_{E_2} f_{i-1} d\mu & \dots & \int_{E_n} f_{i-1} d\mu \\ \int_{E_1} f_{i+1} d\mu & \int_{E_2} f_{i+1} d\mu & \dots & \int_{E_n} f_{i+1} d\mu \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \int_{E_1} f_{n+1} d\mu & \int_{E_2} f_{n+1} d\mu & \dots & \int_{E_n} f_{n+1} d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & \dots & E_n \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$
 (3)

We will consider two cases:

i) For every measurable sets  $E_1,...,E_n,E_{n+1}$  all determinants in (3) are equal to zero. Then for every subset of  $\{f_1,...,f_n,f_{n+1}\}$  with n-elements the condition (1) is satisfied. By the inductive assumptation this subsets are lineary dependent and hence the set  $\{f_1,...,f_n,f_{n+1}\}$  is lineary dependent.

ii) There exist measurable sets  $E_1,...,E_n,E_{n+1}$  such that one of the determinants in (3) is different of zero. Without loosing the generality we may assume that

Put for i = 1,...,n

Fix the sets  $E_1,...,E_n$ . Then for every measurable set E it is true:

$$\begin{vmatrix} \int f_1 d\mu & \int f_1 d\mu & \dots & \int f_1 d\mu & \int f_1 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & E_n & E \\ \int f_2 d\mu & \int f_2 d\mu & \dots & \int f_2 d\mu & \int f_2 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & E_n & E \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \int f_{n+1} d\mu & \int f_{n+1} d\mu & \dots & \int f_{n+1} d\mu & \int f_{n+1} d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & E_n & E \end{vmatrix} = 0,$$

which implies

$$\int_{F} (f_{n+1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \alpha_{i} f_{i}) d\mu = 0,$$

where  $\alpha_i$  i = 1,...,n are defined as in (4). Hence,  $f_{n+1} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \alpha_i f_i$ , a.e. on X.

Define a function  $\|\bullet,...,\bullet\|$ :  $L^1(\mu) h ... h L^1(\mu) \to R$  by

$$||f_{1},...,f_{n}|| = \sup_{E_{1},...E_{n}} \begin{vmatrix} \int f_{1}d\mu & \int f_{1}d\mu & ... & \int f_{1}d\mu & \int f_{1}d\mu \\ E_{1} & E_{2} & & E_{n-1} & E_{n} \\ \int f_{2}d\mu & \int f_{2}d\mu & ... & \int f_{2}d\mu & \int f_{2}d\mu \\ E_{1} & E_{2} & & E_{n-1} & E_{n} \\ ... & ... & ... & ... & ... \\ \int f_{n}d\mu & \int f_{n}d\mu & ... & \int f_{n}d\mu & \int f_{n}d\mu \\ E_{1} & E_{2} & & E_{n-1} & E_{n} \end{vmatrix}.$$
(5)

By Theorem 1.33, [6], for every measurable set E it is true

$$|\int\limits_E f_i d\mathbf{\mu}| \leq \int\limits_E |f_i| d\mathbf{\mu} \leq \int\limits_X |f_i| d\mathbf{\mu} = M_i < \infty, \text{ za } i = 1, \dots, n\,,$$

which implies  $||f_1,...,f_n|| \le n! \prod_{i=1}^n M_i$ . Hence, the function  $||\bullet,...,\bullet||$  is good defined.

Lemma 2.  $(L^1(\mu), \|\bullet, ..., \bullet\|)$  is a real *n*-normed space.

**Proof.** Since the function  $\|\bullet,...,\bullet\|$  is good defined, it is enough to prove that it is satisfy the axioms of the *n*-norm. We have:

i) By the definition of  $\|\bullet,...,\bullet\|$ :  $L^1(\mu) h ... h L^1(\mu) \to R$  follows that  $\|f_1,...,f_n\| \ge 0$ . It is clear that  $\|f_1,...,f_n\| = 0$  if and only if

$$\begin{vmatrix} \int f_1 d\mu & \int f_1 d\mu & \dots & \int f_1 d\mu & \int f_1 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & & E_{n-1} & E_n \\ \int f_2 d\mu & \int f_2 d\mu & \dots & \int f_2 d\mu & \int f_2 d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & & E_{n-1} & E_n \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \int f_n d\mu & \int f_n d\mu & \dots & \int f_n d\mu & \int f_n d\mu \\ E_1 & E_2 & & E_{n-1} & E_n \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

for every measurable sets  $E_1,...,E_n$ . By Lemma 1  $||f_1,...,f_n|| = 0$  if and only if the vectors  $f_1,...,f_n$  are lineary dependent.

The validity of the other axioms of the *n*-norm follows from the properties of the determinant and the supremum.

In the end of this work we will give several notes for the space  $\,\mathit{L}^{1}(\mu)$  .

- 1. In [1] is proved that in every *n*-normed space can by define a topology  $\tau$  which make the space into a local convex space and in this topology the *n*-norm is continuous in each variable. We have the question: if in  $L^1(\mu)$  we introduce a topology  $\tau$  as above described way, what properties has the space  $(L^1(\mu), \tau)$ .
- 2. Let L be a real vector space and  $x_1, x_2, ..., x_{n-1} \in L$ . Denote by  $P(x_1, x_2, ..., x_{n-1})$  the subspace generated by vectors  $x_1, x_2, ..., x_{n-1}$ . The following definition of a strong convex n-normed space was introduced in [2]: the n-normed vector space  $(L, \| \bullet, ..., \bullet \|)$  we call strong convex if

$$||a+b,x_1,x_2,...,x_{n-1}|| = ||a,x_1,x_2,...,x_{n-1}|| + ||b,x_1,x_2,...,x_{n-1}||;$$

$$||a,x_1,x_2,...,x_{n-1}|| = ||b,x_1,x_2,...,x_{n-1}|| = 1 \text{ and}$$

$$P(a,b) \cap P(x_1,x_2,...,x_{n-1}) = \{0\}$$

implies a = b.

Let  $X = (-\infty, \infty)$  and  $\mu$  be the Lebeswue measure on X. The functions

$$a(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \in (-\infty, 0) \\ 1 - \frac{1}{2^{j}}, & t \in [j - 1, j), j = 1, 2, 3, 4 \dots \end{cases}$$

$$b(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \in (-\infty, 1) \\ 1 - \frac{1}{2^{j}}, & t \in [j, j + 1), j = 1, 2, 3, 4 \dots \end{cases}$$
 and
$$x_{i}(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & t \in [i - 1, i) \\ 0, & t \in (-\infty, +\infty) \setminus [i - 1, i) \end{cases}$$
  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n - 1$ 

belongs to the space  $L^1(\mu)$ . It is easy to see that

$$P(a,b) \cap P(x_1,...,x_{n-1}) = \{0\}, ||a,x_1,...,x_{n-1}|| = ||b,x_1,...,x_{n-1}|| = 1,$$
  
 $||a+b,x_1,x_2,...,x_{n-1}|| = 2 = ||a,x_1,x_2,...,x_{n-1}|| + ||b,x_1,x_2,...,x_{n-1}||,$ 

but  $a \neq b$ , which means that  $(L^1(\mu), \|\bullet, ..., \bullet\|)$  is not strong convex.

3. In [3] was given the following definition of a strong *n*-convex *n*-normed space: we call the *n*-normed space  $(L, || \bullet, ..., \bullet ||)$  a strong *n*-convex if for every vectors  $x_1, ..., x_{n+1} \in L$  which satisfies the conditions:

$$||x_1,...,x_{i-1},x_{i+1},...,x_n,x_{n+1}|| = \frac{1}{n+1} ||x_1 + x_{n+1},x_2 + x_{n+1},...,x_n + x_{n+1}|| = 1, \text{ for } i = 1,2,...,n+1$$

it is true that  $x_{n+1} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i$ .

In the same work it is proved that every strong convex n-normed space is strong n-convex. The converse is not true. Namely, if n = 2 in [5] was given an example of a strong n-convex n-normed space which is not strong convex. It is naturally to ask does  $(L^1(\mu), \| \bullet, \dots, \bullet \|)$  is a strong n-convex n-normed space.

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# $L^{1}(\mu)$ КАКО n-НОРМИРАН ПРОСТОР

#### Резиме

Концептот за n-норма на векторски простор со димензија поголема или еднаква на n, n>1, воведен од A.Misiak ([4]), е повеќедимензионална аналогија на концептот за норма. Во [1], [2], [3] и [4] се докажани повеќе својства на n-нормираните простори. Во оваа работа ќе докажеме дека, ако  $\mu$  е позитивна мера во произволен измерлив простор X и  $L^1(\mu)$  е просторот реални измерливи функции f во X, тогаш во  $L^1(\mu)$  може да се воведе n-норма.