

A GENERALIZATION OF BERGSTROM AND RADON'S INEQUALITIES IN PSEUDO-HILBERT SPACES

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Abstract. In this note we had presented two generalizations for Bergstrom and Radon's inequalities for seminorms in pseudo-Hilbert spaces and in normed spaces. Some applications are given, as well.

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INTRODUCTION

First we need to recall, see [3, 5], that a locally convex space \mathbf{Z} is called admissible in the Loynes sense if the following conditions are satisfied:

- \mathbf{Z} is complete;
- there is a closed convex cone in \mathbf{Z} , denoted \mathbf{Z}_+ , that defines an order relation on \mathbf{Z} (that is $z_1 \leq z_2$ if $z_1 - z_2 \in \mathbf{Z}_+$);
- there is an involution in \mathbf{Z} , $\mathbf{Z} \ni z \rightarrow z^* \in \mathbf{Z}$ (that is $z^{**} = z$, $(\alpha z)^* = \overline{\alpha} z^*$, $(z_1 + z_2)^* = z_1^* + z_2^*$), such that $z \in \mathbf{Z}_+$ implies $z^* = z$;
- the topology of \mathbf{Z} is compatible with the order (that is, there exists a basis of convex solid neighbourhoods of the origin);
- and any monotonously decreasing sequence in \mathbf{Z}_+ is convergent.

We shall say that a set $C \in \mathbf{Z}$ is called solid if $0 \leq z' \leq z''$ and $z'' \in C$ implies $z' \in C$.

As an easy example we shall consider, $\mathbf{Z} = C$, a C^* -algebra with topology and natural involution.

Let \mathbf{Z} be an admissible space in the Loynes sense. A linear topological space \mathcal{H} is called pre-Loynes \mathbf{Z} -space if it satisfies the following properties:

- \mathcal{H} is endowed with a \mathbf{Z} -valued inner product (gramian), i.e. there exists an application

$\mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{H} \ni (h, k) \rightarrow [h, k] \in \mathbf{Z}$ having the properties: $[h, h] \geq 0$; $[h, h] = 0$ implies $h = 0$;

$[h_1 + h_2, h] = [h_1, h] + [h_2, h]$; $[\lambda h, k] = \lambda [h, k]$; $[h, k]^* = [k, h]$;

for all $h, k, h_1, h_2 \in \mathcal{H}$ and $\lambda \in C$.

- The topology of \mathcal{H} is the weakest locally convex topology on \mathcal{H} for which the application $\mathcal{H} \ni h \rightarrow [h, h] \in \mathbf{Z}$ is continuous. Moreover, if \mathcal{H} is a complete space with this topology, then \mathcal{H} is called Loynes \mathbf{Z} -space.

Now, considering $\mathbf{Z} = C$ as above, \mathbf{Z} with $[z_1, z_2] = z_2^* z_1$ is a Loynes \mathbf{Z} -space.

An important result which can be used below is given in the next statement, and was proved in [5].

Let \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{K} be two Loynes \mathbf{Z} -spaces.

We recall that in [3-5] an operator $T \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{K})$ is called gramian bounded, if there exists a constant $\mu > 0$ such that in the sense of order of \mathbf{Z} holds

$$[Th, Th]_{\mathcal{K}} \leq \mu [h, h]_{\mathcal{H}}, h \in \mathcal{H}. \quad (1)$$

We denote the class of such operators by $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{K})$, and

$$\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{K}) = \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{K}) \cap \mathcal{L}^*(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{K}).$$

We also denote the introduced norm by

$$\|T\| = \inf\{\sqrt{\mu}, \mu > 0 \text{ and satisfies (1)}\}. \quad (2)$$

It is known that the space $\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{K})$ is a Banach space, and its involution

$\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{K})$ in $\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{K}, \mathcal{H})$ satisfies

$$\|T^*T\| = \|T\|^2, T \in \mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{K}).$$

In particular $\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{H})$ is a C^* -algebra.

The following two results were presented in [3].

Lemma 1. If p is a continuous and monotonous seminorm on \mathbf{Z} , then:

$$q_p(h) = (p([h, h]))^{\frac{1}{2}} \text{ is a continuous seminorm on } \mathcal{H}.$$

Proposition 1. If \mathcal{H} is a pre-Loynes \mathbf{Z} -space and \mathcal{P} is a set of monotonous (increasing) seminorms defining the topology of \mathbf{Z} , then the topology of \mathcal{H} is defined by the sufficient and directed set of seminorms $\mathcal{Q}_{\mathcal{P}} = \{q_p \mid p \in \mathcal{P}\}$.

We suppose that $m q_{p_2}(x) \leq q_{p_1}(x) \leq M q_{p_2}(x)$, $(\forall) x \in \mathcal{H}$, with p_1, p_2 continuous and increasing seminorms on \mathbf{Z} and M finite, $M \geq m > 0$. Because p_2 is increasing, we have:

$$\frac{M^2}{m^2} \left\{ 2 + \frac{p_1([x, y] + [y, x])}{q_{p_1}(x)q_{p_1}(y)} \right\} \geq q_{p_2}^2 \left(\frac{x}{q_{p_2}(x)} + \frac{y}{q_{p_2}(y)} \right) \geq 2 \frac{p_2([x, y] + [y, x])}{q_{p_2}(x)q_{p_2}(y)}$$

Thus, for example,

$$\frac{p_2([x, y] + [y, x])}{q_{p_2}(x)q_{p_2}(y)} \leq \frac{M^2}{m^2} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{p_1([x, y] + [y, x])}{q_{p_1}(x)q_{p_1}(y)} \right\}.$$

Let \mathbf{Z} be an admissible space in the Loynes sense and \mathcal{H} is a pre-Loynes \mathbf{Z} -space. Using the Radon's inequality we can state:

Remark 1. If $h_k \in \mathcal{H}$, $a_k > 0$ with $q_p(h_k) > 0$, $r > 0$, $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ then we shall have:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_p(h_k)^{r+1}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{\left(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k) \right)^{r+1}}{\left(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k \right)^r}$$

When we take $r = 1$ a variant of Bergstrom's inequality with seminorm is obtained.

2. THE MAIN RESULTS

The proofs of the Theorems 1 and 4 will use the same techniques as in [6].

Theorem 1. For $a_k, h_k \in \mathcal{H}$ with $q_p(h_k) > 0$, $r \geq 1$, $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, $n \geq 2$, $n \in \mathbf{N}$ the following inequality takes place:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_p(h_k)^{r+1}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k))^{r+1}}{\left(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k\right)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{q_p(h_i)^{r+1}}{a_i^r} + \frac{q_p(h_j)^{r+1}}{a_j^r} - \frac{q_p(h_i + h_j)^{r+1}}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right)$$

Proof: We shall consider the sequence,

$$d_n = \frac{q_p(h_1)^{r+1}}{a_1^r} + \dots + \frac{q_p(h_n)^{r+1}}{a_n^r} - \frac{q_p(h_1 + \dots + h_n)^{r+1}}{(a_1 + \dots + a_n)^r}$$

and we shall prove that $(d_n)_n$ is an increasing monotonous sequence.

This fact it indeed true if consider

$$d_{n+1} - d_n = \frac{q_p(h_{n+1})^{r+1}}{a_{n+1}^r} - \frac{q_p(h_1 + \dots + h_n + h_{n+1})^{r+1}}{(a_1 + \dots + a_n + a_{n+1})^r} + \frac{q_p(h_1 + \dots + h_n)^{r+1}}{(a_1 + \dots + a_n)^r}$$

because q_p is seminorm which implies,

$$q_p(h_1 + \dots + h_n + h_{n+1}) \leq q_p(h_1 + \dots + h_n) + q_p(h_{n+1})$$

and also:

$$\frac{(q_p(h_1 + \dots + h_n + h_{n+1}))^{r+1}}{((a_1 + \dots + a_n) + a_{n+1})^r} \leq \frac{(q_p(h_1 + \dots + h_n) + q_p(h_{n+1}))^{r+1}}{((a_1 + \dots + a_n) + a_{n+1})^r} \leq \frac{q_p(h_1 + \dots + h_n)^{r+1}}{(a_1 + \dots + a_n)^r} + \frac{q_p(h_{n+1})^{r+1}}{a_{n+1}^r}.$$

We used before the Radon's inequality applied for $n=2$, see [1, 6],

$$\frac{\alpha^{r+1}}{a^r} + \frac{\beta^{r+1}}{b^r} \geq \frac{(\alpha + \beta)^{r+1}}{(a + b)^r}, \quad (3)$$

and we took $\alpha = q_p(h_1 + \dots + h_n)$, $\beta = q_p(h_{n+1})$, $a = a_1 + \dots + a_n$ and $b = a_{n+1}$

Another proof for inequality (3), can be found in [1].

The sequence $(d_n)_n$ being increasing, we obtain that,

$$d_n \geq d_{n-1} \geq \dots \geq d_2 \geq d_1 = 0$$

and that also means that

$$d_n \geq d_2 = \frac{q_p(h_1)^{r+1}}{a_1^r} + \frac{q_p(h_2)^{r+1}}{a_2^r} - \frac{q_p(h_1 + h_2)^{r+1}}{(a_1 + a_2)^r}, \quad (\forall) n \in \mathbb{N}, \quad n \geq 2.$$

The symmetry of d_n relatively to the variables a_i and h_j , $i, j \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ allows us to notice that:

$$d_n \geq \frac{q_p(h_i)^{r+1}}{a_i^r} + \frac{q_p(h_j)^{r+1}}{a_j^r} - \frac{q_p(h_i + h_j)^{r+1}}{(a_i + a_j)^r}, \quad (\forall) n \in \mathbb{N}, \quad n \geq 2, i, j \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}.$$

For $r=1$ is obtained below a refinement of Bergstrom's inequality.

Corollary 1. For $a_k > 0$, $h_k \in \mathcal{H}$, $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, $n \geq 2$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we shall obtain the following inequality:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_p(h_k)^2}{a_k} \geq \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k))^2}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \frac{(a_i + a_j)(a_j q_p^2(h_i) + a_i q_p^2(h_j)) - a_i a_j q_p^2(h_i + h_j)}{a_i a_j (a_i + a_j)}$$

Theorem 2. For $a_k > 0$, $x_k \in X$, $r \geq 0$, $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, $n \geq 2$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and every arbitrary seminorm p , $p: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$ we have:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{p(x_k)^{r+1}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n p(x_k))^{r+1}}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{p(x_i)^{r+1}}{a_i^r} + \frac{p(x_j)^{r+1}}{a_j^r} - \frac{p(x_i + x_j)^{r+1}}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right).$$

Corollary 2. In fact with the above conditions, the Corollary 1 remains true for every seminorm p from a family of seminorms which defines the topology of the linear space considered instead of q_p .

Theorem 3. If we consider a normed space \mathcal{H} , $x_k \in \mathcal{H}$, $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ and with the above conditions of the Theorem 1, then we have the following inequality:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\|x_k\|^{r+1}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k\|)^{r+1}}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{\|x_i\|^{r+1}}{a_i^r} + \frac{\|x_j\|^{r+1}}{a_j^r} - \frac{\|x_i + x_j\|^{r+1}}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right).$$

Proof:

It will be as the proof of the Theorem 1, we shall only take

$$d_n = \frac{\|x_1\|^{r+1}}{a_1^r} + \dots + \frac{\|x_n\|^{r+1}}{a_n^r} - \frac{\|x_1 + \dots + x_n\|^{r+1}}{(a_1 + \dots + a_n)^r}$$

and $\alpha = \|x_1 + \dots + x_n\|$, $\beta = \|x_{n+1}\|$, $a = a_1 + \dots + a_n$ and $b = a_{n+1}$ in relation (3).

Remark 2. We can consider instead of seminorm p , a norm $\|\cdot\|$, in a normed space \mathcal{H} , $x_i \in \mathcal{H}$ and then under conditions of the above corollary we shall have,

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\|x_k\|^2}{a_k} \geq \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k\|)^2}{\sum_{k=1}^n a_k} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \frac{(a_i + a_j)(a_j \|x_i\|^2 + a_i \|x_j\|^2) - a_i a_j \|x_i + x_j\|^2}{a_i a_j (a_i + a_j)}.$$

In what follows we shall present a generalizations of the Remark 1 concerning the Radon's inequality for seminorms q_p .

Remark 3. If $h_k \in \mathcal{H}$, $a_k > 0$, $r > 0$, $s \geq 1$, $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, $m \geq 1$, then the following inequalities take place:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_p(h_k)^{r+s}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{1}{n^{s-1}} \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k))^{r+s}}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r}, \quad \sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k)^m \geq \frac{1}{n^{m-1}} \left(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k) \right)^m.$$

Now we shall be able to give a generalization of Theorem 1, Radon's inequality for seminorms q_p .

Theorem 4. For a_k , $h_k \in \mathcal{H}$ with $q_p(h_k) > 0$, $r \geq 0$, $s \geq 1$, $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, $n \geq 2$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ the following inequality takes place:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_p(h_k)^{r+s}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{1}{n^{s-1}} \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k))^{r+s}}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{q_p(h_i)^{r+s}}{a_i^r} + \frac{q_p(h_j)^{r+s}}{a_j^r} - \frac{q_p(h_i + h_j)^{r+s}}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right). \quad (4)$$

Proof: We shall write:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_p(h_k)^{r+s}}{a_k^r} \geq \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{(q_p(h_k)^{\frac{r+s}{r+1}})^{r+1}}{a_k^r}.$$

and then applying the inequality from Theorem 1, we shall obtain,

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{(q_p(h_k)^{\frac{r+s}{r+1}})^{r+1}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{\left(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k)^{\frac{r+s}{r+1}} \right)^{r+1}}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{(q_p(h_i)^{\frac{r+s}{r+1}})^{r+1}}{a_i^r} + \frac{(q_p(h_j)^{\frac{r+s}{r+1}})^{r+1}}{a_j^r} - \frac{(q_p(h_i + h_j)^{\frac{r+s}{r+1}})^{r+1}}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right).$$

This inequality becomes,

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{(q_p(h_k)^{\frac{r+s}{r+1}})^{r+1}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{\left(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k)^{\frac{r+s}{r+1}} \right)^{r+1}}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{q_p(h_i)^{r+s}}{a_i^r} + \frac{q_p(h_j)^{r+s}}{a_j^r} - \frac{q_p(h_i + h_j)^{r+s}}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right).$$

Now, using the inequality from Remark 3, we shall obtain:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_p(h_k)^{r+s}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{1}{n^{s-1}} \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k))^{r+s}}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{q_p(h_i)^{r+s}}{a_i^r} + \frac{q_p(h_j)^{r+s}}{a_j^r} - \frac{q_p(h_i + h_j)^{r+s}}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right).$$

Remark 4.

- In fact under the above conditions, the above theorem remains true for every seminorm p from a family of seminorms which defines the topology of the linear space considered instead of q_p :

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{p(x_k)^{r+s}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{1}{n^{s-1}} \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n p(x_k))^{r+s}}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{p(x_i)^{r+s}}{a_i^r} + \frac{p(x_j)^{r+s}}{a_j^r} - \frac{p(x_i + x_j)^{r+s}}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right), \quad (5)$$

$(\forall) x_k \in X$, with $p(x_k) > 0$.

- Moreover, in every normed space X , we have under above conditions,

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\|x_k\|^{r+s}}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{1}{n^{s-1}} \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k\|)^{r+s}}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{\|x_i\|^{r+s}}{a_i^r} + \frac{\|x_j\|^{r+s}}{a_j^r} - \frac{\|x_i + x_j\|^{r+s}}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right), \quad (6)$$

$(\forall) x_k \in X$.

- Finally, for $a_k, h_k \in \mathcal{H}$ with $q_p(h_k) > 0$, $r \geq 0$, $s \geq r+1$, $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, $n \geq 2$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ a variant of Radon's inequality takes place:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{q_p(h_k)^s}{a_k^r} \geq \frac{1}{n^{s-r-1}} \frac{(\sum_{k=1}^n q_p(h_k))^s}{(\sum_{k=1}^n a_k)^r} + \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \left(\frac{q_p(h_i)^s}{a_i^r} + \frac{q_p(h_j)^s}{a_j^r} - \frac{q_p(h_i + h_j)^s}{(a_i + a_j)^r} \right). \quad (7)$$

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