## THE NEARLY $H_1$ -STIELTJES REPRESENTABLE OPERATORS

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we define the  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable, nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable for vector-valued function, which is the generalization of Bochner representable and then study some properties of these operators.

### 1. Introduction and Preliminaries

It is well-known though not easily found in the literature that the Riemann integral can be defined by the Moore-Smith limit using divisions. Then many properties of the Riemann integral will have straightforward proofs. Garces, Lee and Zhao [2] defined the  $H_1$ -integral by means of the Moore-Smith limit involving  $\delta$ -fine divisions for the Henstock integral and studied the properties of this integral.

The Bochner representable operator and the Pettis representable operator on the Banach space studied by many authors (cf. Bourgain [1]; Garces, Lee and Zhao [2]).

In this paper, we introduce the  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable operator, nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable operator and investigate some properties of these operators. Throughout this paper, X and Y are a Banach spaces and  $\alpha$  is an increasing function on [a, b] unless otherwise stated.

A division D of [a,b] is a finite set of point-interval pairs (x,[c,d]) such that the intervals [c,d] are non-overlapping and their union is [a,b], and  $x \in [c,d]$ . Let  $D_1 = \{(x,[c,d])\}$  and  $D_2 = \{(y,[s,t])\}$  be two divisions of [a,b]. Then  $D_2$  is said to be finer than  $D_1$  in the Riemann sense, or in symbols,  $D_2 \supseteq D_1$  if for each  $(y,[s,t]) \in D_2$  we have  $[s,t] \subset [c,d]$  for some  $(x,[c,d]) \in D_1$  and when [s,t] = [c,d] we have x = y.

Now, let  $\mathcal{D}$  be the family of divisions of [a, b]. Then  $(\mathcal{D}, \supseteq)$  is a directed set of divisions D of [a, b]. More precisely, the following conditions are satisfied:

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- (1)  $D \supseteq D$  for all  $D \in \mathcal{D}$ .
- (2) If  $D_1, D_2, D_3 \in \mathcal{D}$  with  $D_1 \supseteq D_2$  and  $D_2 \supseteq D_3$ , then  $D_1 \supseteq D_3$ .
- (3) For every  $D_1, D_2 \in \mathcal{D}$ , there exists  $D_3 \in \mathcal{D}$  such that  $D_3 \supseteq D_1$  and  $D_3 \supseteq D_2$ .

Hence the Riemann integral of f on [a, b] is the Moore-Smith limit of Riemann sums using  $(\mathcal{D}, \supseteq)$ . In symbols

$$\int_{a}^{b} f = \lim_{D \in \mathcal{D}} (D) \sum f(x) (d - c).$$

A division D of [a,b] is  $\delta$ -fine if  $x \in [c,d] \subset (x-\delta(x),x+\delta(x))$  for each  $(x,[c,d]) \in D$ .

We recall that a function f is Henstock integrable to A on [a,b] if for every  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists  $\delta(x) > 0$  such that for any  $\delta$ -fine division D of [a,b] we have

$$|(D)\sum f(x)(d-c)-A|<\varepsilon.$$

Now let  $\mathcal{D}$  be the family of  $\delta$ -fine divisions of [a,b] for some given  $\delta(x) > 0$ . For  $D_1, D_2 \in \mathcal{D}$ , we write  $D_2 \geq D_1$  and say that  $D_2$  is finer than  $D_1$  in the Henstock sense using  $\delta$  if for every  $(y, [s,t]) \in D_2$  we have

$$[s,t] \subset [c,d]$$
 for some  $(x,[c,d]) \in D_1$ ,

and

$$\{x: (x,[c,d]) \in D_1\} \subset \{y: (y,[s,t]) \in D_2\}.$$

Then  $(\mathcal{D}, \geq)$  is a directed set.

A function  $f:[a,b]\to X$  is said to be  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable to  $z\in X$  with respect to  $\alpha$  on [a,b] if z is the Moore-Smith limit of the Riemann sums using the directed set  $(\mathcal{D},\geq)$ . More precisely, there exists  $\delta(x)>0$  such that for every  $\varepsilon>0$  there exists a  $\delta$ -fine division  $D_0$  such that for every  $\delta$ -fine division  $D\geq D_0$  we have

$$||(D)\sum f(x)(\alpha(d)-\alpha(c))-z||<\varepsilon.$$

We say that z is the  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integral of f on [a,b] and that f is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable on [a,b] with respect to  $\alpha$  using  $\delta$ . We say that f is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable on a measurable set  $X \subset [a,b]$  with respect to  $\alpha$  if  $f\chi_X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable with respect to  $\alpha$  on [a,b].

It is easy to see that every  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable function on [a, b] is also Henstock-Stieltjes integrable there.

# 2. $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable operators

**Definition 2.1** (Petrakis [7]). A bounded linear operator  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is the Bochner (resp. Pettis, Henstock) representable operator if there exists an essentially bounded Bochner integrable (resp. Pettis integrable, scalarly essentially bounded Henstock integrable) function  $g: [a,b] \to X$  such that

$$T(f)=\int_a^b fg d\mu \quad ({
m resp.} \quad T(f)=(P)\int_a^b fg d\mu, \quad T(f)=(H)\int_a^b fg d\mu )$$
 for all  $f\in L_1[a,b].$ 

We define the  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable operator, which is the generalization of Pettis representable operator.

**Definition 2.2.** A bounded linear operator  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  if there exists a scalarly essentially bounded  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable function  $g:[a,b] \to X$  with respect to  $\alpha$  such that

$$T(f) = \int_a^b fg d\alpha$$

for all  $f \in L_1[a,b]$ .

**Theorm 2.3.** If  $f:[a,b] \to X$  is a  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable function with respect to  $\alpha$  and if  $T:X \to Y$  is a bounded linear operator, then the composition  $T \circ f:[a,b] \to Y$  is a  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable function with respect to  $\alpha$  and

$$T(\int_a^b f dlpha) = \int_a^b T \circ f dlpha.$$

*Proof.* If T=0, then it is clear. Suppose that  $T\neq 0$ . Let  $\int_a^b f d\alpha = z$ . Then there exists a positive function  $\delta$  on [a,b] such that for  $\varepsilon>0$  there exists a  $\delta$ -fine division  $D_0$  such that  $\|z-f_\alpha(\mathcal{P})\|<\varepsilon/\|T\|$  whenever every  $\delta$ -fine division  $D\geq D_0$ . Hence

$$||T(z) - (T \circ f)_{\alpha}(\mathcal{P})|| \le ||T|| \, ||z - f_{\alpha}(\mathcal{P})|| < \varepsilon$$

for every  $\delta$ -fine division  $D \geq D_0$ . Therefore  $T \circ f : [a,b] \to Y$  is a  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable function with respect to  $\alpha$  and

$$\int_{a}^{b} T \circ f d\alpha = Tz = T(\int_{a}^{b} f d\alpha).$$

**Theorm 2.4.** If  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  and  $S: X \to Y$  is any bounded linear operator, then the composition  $S \circ T: L_1[a,b] \to Y$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ .

*Proof.* Suppose that  $T: L_1[a,b] \to Y$  is a bounded linear operator and there exists a scalarly essentially bounded  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable function  $g: [a,b] \to X$  with respect to  $\alpha$  such that

$$T(f) = \int_a^b fg dlpha \quad ext{for all } f \in L_1[a,b].$$

By Theorem 2.3,  $S \circ g : [a, b] \to Y$  is also scalarly essentially bounded  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable with respect to  $\alpha$ . For each  $f \in L_1[a, b]$ ,

$$(S \circ T)(f) = S\left(\int_a^b fg d\alpha\right) = \int_a^b f(S \circ g) d\alpha.$$

 $S \circ g$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Therefore  $S \circ T : L_1[a,b] \to Y$  is Henstock-Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ .

**Theorm 2.5.** If a bounded linear operator  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  and  $G: L_1[a,b] \to X$  are  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ , then  $k_1T + k_2G: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  for all  $k_1$ ,  $k_2$  in  $\mathbb{R}$ .

*Proof.* We will show that kT and T+G are  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Suppose that a bounded linear operator  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ , then there exists a scalarly essentially bounded  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable function  $g:[a,b] \to X$  with respect to  $\alpha$  such that

$$T(f) = \int_a^b fg dlpha \quad ext{for all } f \in L_1[a,b].$$

Since  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is bounded linear operator,  $kT: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is a bounded linear operator for all k in R and  $kG: [a,b] \to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Hence

$$(kT)(f) = kT(f) = k \int_a^b fg d\alpha = \int_a^b k(fg) d\alpha = \int_a^b f(kg) d\alpha.$$

Thus  $kT: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ .

To show that T+G is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Suppose that bounded linear operators  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  and  $G: L_1[a,b] \to X$  are  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Then there exist scalarly essentially bounded  $H_1$ -Stieltjes integrable functions  $g: [a,b] \to X$  and  $h: [a,b] \to X$  with respect to  $\alpha$  such

that

$$T(f)=\int_a^b fgdlpha,\,\,G(f)=\int_a^b fhdlpha$$

for all  $f \in L_1[a,b]$ . Since  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  and  $G: L_1[a,b] \to X$  are bounded linear operators, so  $T+G: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is also a bounded linear operator and  $g+h: [a,b] \to X$  is scalarly essentially bounded  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Hence

$$(T+G)(f)=T(f)+G(f)=\int_a^b fgd\alpha+\int_a^b fhd\alpha=\int_a^b f(g+h)d\alpha.$$

Thus  $T+G:L_1[a,b]\to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Therefore  $k_1T+k_2G:L_1[a,b]\to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ .

## 3. Nearly $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable operators

**Definition 3.1** (Petrakis [7]). A bounded linear operator  $T: X \to Y$  is nearly Pettis representable if the composition  $T \circ D: L_1[a,b] \to Y$  is the Pettis representable for every Dunford-Pettis operator  $D: L_1[a,b] \to X$ .

We now give the definition of the nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable operator, which is the generalization of the  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable operator.

**Definition 3.2.** A bounded linear operator  $T: X \to Y$  is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable if the composition  $T \circ D: L_1[a,b] \to Y$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  for every Dunford-Pettis operator  $D: L_1[a,b] \to X$ .

**Theorm 3.3.** If  $T: X \to Y$  is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  and  $U: Y \to Z$  (or  $V: Z \to X$ ) is any bounded linear operator, then  $U \circ T$  (or  $T \circ V$ ) is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ .

*Proof.* Assume that  $T: X \to Y$  is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  and  $U: Y \to Z$  is any bounded linear operator. Let  $D: L_1[a,b] \to X$ . be Dunford-Pettis operator. Then  $T \circ D: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ .

By Theorem 2.4,  $U \circ T \circ D : L_1[a,b] \to Z$  is also  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ , and hence  $U \circ T : X \to Z$  is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ .

Let  $V:Z\to X$  be any bounded linear operator. Let  $D:L_1[a,b]\to Z$  be a Dunford-Pettis operator. Then  $V\circ D:L_1[a,b]\to X$  is the Dunford-Pettis operator.

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Since  $T: X \to Y$  is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ ,  $T \circ V \circ D$ :  $L_1[a,b] \to Y$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Therefore  $T \circ V: Z \to Y$  is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ .

Note that a bounded linear operator  $T: L_1[a,b] \to L_1[a,b]$  is said to be positive if  $T(f) \geq 0$  whenever  $f \in L_1[a,b]$  and  $f \geq 0$ . This gives a lattice ordering of the class  $L(L_1[a,b], L_1[a,b])$  of all bounded linear operators from  $L_1[a,b]$  to  $L_1[a,b]$ . Define

$$T^+(f) = \sup\{T(g) : 0 \le g \le f\}$$

for  $f \in L_1[a, b]$  and  $f \geq 0$ .

Bourgain [1] showed that if  $T: L_1[a,b] \to L_1[a,b]$  is Dunford-Pettis operator, then the positive part  $T^+$  of T is also a Dunford-Pettis operator.

By Gordon [3], a bounded linear operator  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is nearly representable if and only if  $T \circ D: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is representable for all positive Dunford-Pettis operators  $D: L_1[a,b] \to L_1[a,b]$ .

**Theorm 3.4.** A bounded linear operator  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is nearly Henstock-Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  if and if only  $T \circ D: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  for all positive Dunford-Pettis operator  $D: L_1[a,b] \to L_1[a,b]$ .

*Proof.* Suppose that a bounded linear operator  $T:L_1[a,b]\to X$  is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Then it is clear that the composition  $T\circ D:L_1[a,b]\to Y$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  for all positive Dunford-Pettis operators  $D:L_1[a,b]\to L_1[a,b]$ .

Conversely, assume that  $T \circ D : L_1[a,b] \to X$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$  for all positive Dunford-Pettis operators  $D : L_1[a,b] \to L_1[a,b]$ . Let  $S : L_1[a,b] \to L_1[a,b]$  be any Dunford-Pettis operator.

By Bourgain[1], the positive part  $S^+$  of S and the negative part  $S^-$  of S are both Dunford-Pettis operators. Hence  $T \circ S^+$  and  $T \circ S^-$  are both  $H_1$ -Stieltjes operators with respect to  $\alpha$  and  $T \circ S = T \circ (S^+ - S^-) = T \circ S^+ - T \circ S^-$  is  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ . Therefore  $T: L_1[a,b] \to X$  is nearly  $H_1$ -Stieltjes representable with respect to  $\alpha$ .

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