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## EXTENSION AND REGULARITY OF $l$ -GROUP VALUED MEASURES

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In his paper [4] J. D. Maitland Wright considered measures which take their values in a boundedly  $\sigma$ -complete vector lattice  $V$ . He studied the measure extension property of  $V$  and proved the main theorem which characterizes this quality of  $V$  through the property of the regularity of the  $V$ -valued Baire measure on a compact Hausdorff space.

In the first part of this paper we consider the extension theorem for  $l$ -group valued measures. We extend the measure  $\mu$  from the algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  to the  $\sigma$ -algebra  $\mathcal{C}$  containing  $\mathcal{A}$ . In the second part the sufficient condition for the regularity of the  $l$ -group valued measure  $\mu$  defined on the  $\sigma$ -algebra  $\mathcal{S}$  of Borel sets of the topological space is given.

Let us introduce some notation first.  $x \vee y$ ,  $x \wedge y$  will denote lattice operations.  $x_n \nearrow x$  ( $x_n \searrow x$ ) will be written iff  $x_n \leq x_{n+1}$  ( $x_n \geq x_{n+1}$ ) for every  $n$  and  $\bigvee_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n = x$  ( $\bigwedge_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n = x$ ). A similar notation is used for sequences of sets.

Let  $X$  be a nonempty set and  $\mathcal{A}$  be an algebra of subsets of  $X$ . Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be a commutative  $l$ -group.

**Definition 1.** *The set function  $\mu: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$  is a measure iff*

- (i)  $\mu(A) \geq 0$  for every  $A \in \mathcal{A}$  ( $0$  is a zero element of  $\mathcal{L}$ )
- (ii)  $\mu$  is finitely additive, i.e. if  $A_i \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , and  $A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset$  for  $i \neq j$ , then

$$\mu\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n \mu(A_i)$$

- (iii)  $\mu$  is continuous from above at  $\emptyset$ , i.e. if  $A_i \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $A_i \searrow \emptyset$ , then  $\mu(A_i) \searrow 0$ .

Observe that the measure  $\mu$  has the following properties:

- (1)  $\mu(\emptyset) = 0$

- (2)  $\mu$  is monotone, i.e. if  $A, B \in \mathcal{I}$ ,  $A \subset B$ , then  $\mu(A) \leq \mu(B)$   
(3)  $\mu$  is subtractive, i.e. if  $A, B \in \mathcal{I}$ ,  $A \subset B$ , then  $\mu(B - A) = \mu(B) - \mu(A)$   
(4)  $\mu$  is countable additive, i.e. if  $A_i \in \mathcal{I}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset$ ,  $i \neq j$ ,  
 $\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i \in \mathcal{I}$ , then  $\mu\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \mu(A_i)$   
(5)  $\mu$  is continuous from below at any set  $A \in \mathcal{I}$ , i.e. for every sequence  $\{A_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ ,  
 $A_i \in \mathcal{I}$ , for which  $A_i \nearrow A$  we have  $\mu(A) = \vee \mu(A_i)$ .

**Definition 2.** A  $l$ -group  $\mathcal{L}$  has a countable type if the following holds:  
if  $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathcal{L}$  and  $c = \sup \mathcal{M}$ , then there exists a countable chain  $\mathcal{K}$ ,  $\mathcal{K} \subset \mathcal{M}$ , such that  
 $c = \sup \mathcal{K}$ . The  $l$ -group  $\mathcal{L}$  is regular  
if there holds:

if  $a_k^i \in \mathcal{L}$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ , are such that  $a_k^i \searrow 0$  ( $i \nearrow \infty$ ) for  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  
and  $b \in \mathcal{L}$  is such that for every sequence  $\{i_1, i_2, i_3, \dots\}$  of positive integers  
 $b \leq \bigvee_n \left( \sum_{k=1}^n a_k^{i_k} \right)$ , then  $b \leq 0$ .

**Lemma.** Every  $l$ -group is a distributive lattice. Every complete  $l$ -group is a commutative group. (See Birkhoff G. [1])

Let us denote

$$\mathcal{B} = \left\{ A \subset X: A = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i, A_i \in \mathcal{I}, A_i \subset A_{i+1}, i = 1, 2, \dots \right\}.$$

Let  $\mu$  be a measure defined on  $\mathcal{I}$  with values in  $\mathcal{L}$ . If  $\mathcal{L}$  is a complete  $l$ -group, we define a set function  $\vartheta: \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$  by

$$(a) \quad \vartheta(A) = \vee \mu(A_i), \quad \text{where } A_i \in \mathcal{I}, A_i \nearrow A.$$

**Proposition 1.** The set function  $\vartheta$  is unambiguously defined.

Proof. Let  $A_n \nearrow A$ ,  $B_n \nearrow A$ ,  $A_n, B_n \in \mathcal{I}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ . We have to show that  
 $\vee \mu(A_n) = \vee \mu(B_n)$ . But  $A_k = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} (A_k \cap B_n)$  and  $\mu$  is continuous from below at a set  
 $A_k$ .

Hence  $\mu(A_k) = \vee_n \mu(A_k \cap B_n) \leq \vee \mu(B_n)$  and  $\vee_k \mu(A_k) \leq \vee_n \mu(B_n)$ . We can reverse the roles of  $\{A_n\}$  and  $\{B_n\}$  in the argument and show that  $\vee_k \mu(A_k) = \vee_n \mu(B_n)$ .

**Theorem 1.** Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be a complete  $l$ -group and  $\vartheta$  be a function defined on  $\mathcal{B}$  by  
(a). Then  $\vartheta$  has the following properties:

$$(i) \quad \mathcal{I} \subset \mathcal{B} \text{ and } \vartheta|_{\mathcal{I}} = \mu$$

(ii) if  $A_n \in \mathcal{B}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ , then  $A_1 \cap A_2 \in \mathcal{B}$  and  $\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i \in \mathcal{B}$

(iii) if  $A, B \in \mathcal{B}$ , then  $\vartheta(A \cup B) + \vartheta(A \cap B) = \vartheta(A) + \vartheta(B)$

(iv) if  $A_n \in \mathcal{B}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$  and  $A_n \nearrow A$ , then  $\vartheta(A_1) \leq \vartheta(A_2)$  and  $\vartheta(A) = \vee \vartheta(A_n)$ .

Proof. (i) is trivial. Clearly (ii) will hold if we prove that if  $A_n \nearrow A$ ,  $A_n \in \mathcal{B}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ , then  $A \in \mathcal{B}$ . Let  $A_{ni} \nearrow A_n$  if  $i \nearrow \infty$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ . Denote  $B_i = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_{ni}$ .

Then  $B_i$  is monotone,  $B_i \in \mathcal{I}$ , and  $\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} B_i = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n = A$ . (iii) holds since for any  $A, B \in \mathcal{I}$  we have  $\mu(A \cup B) + \mu(A \cap B) = \mu(A) + \mu(B)$ .  $\mathcal{L}$  is a complete  $l$ -group and if  $a_n \in \mathcal{L}$ ,  $b_n \in \mathcal{L}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $a_n \nearrow$ ,  $b_n \nearrow$ , then  $\vee a_n + \vee b_n = \vee (a_n + b_n)$ . According to Proposition 1 we prove only the second part of (iv). We use the notation from above. Then  $A_m \subset B_n \subset A_n$  for  $i \leq n$ , hence  $\mu(A_{im}) \leq \mu(B_n) \leq \vartheta(A_n)$  and  $\vartheta(A_i) = \vee \mu(A_{im}) \leq \vee \mu(B_n) \leq \vee \vartheta(A_n)$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ . Thus we have  $\vee \vartheta(A_i) \leq \vee \mu(B_n) \leq \vee \vartheta(A_n)$  and  $\vartheta(A) = \vee \mu(B_n) = \vee \vartheta(A_n)$ .

**Theorem 2.** Let the symbols  $\mu$ ,  $\mathcal{I}$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$ ,  $\vartheta$  denote the same as in the Theorem 1 and let  $\mathcal{L}$  be a complete, regular  $l$ -group which has a countable type. Then a function  $\mu^*$  defined on  $2^X$  by

$$(b) \quad \mu^*(C) = \wedge \{ \vartheta(B) : C \subset B \in \mathcal{B} \}$$

has the following properties:

(i)  $\mu^*/\mathcal{B} = \vartheta$ ,  $\mu^*(C) \geq 0$  for all  $C \subset X$

(ii)  $\mu^*(C_1 \cup C_2) + \mu^*(C_1 \cap C_2) \leq \mu^*(C_1) + \mu^*(C_2)$  for all  $C_1, C_2$

(iii) if  $C_1, C_2 \subset X$  and  $C_1 \subset C_2$ , then  $\mu^*(C_1) \leq \mu^*(C_2)$

(iv) if  $C_n \subset X$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $C_n \nearrow C$  ( $n \nearrow \infty$ ), then  $\mu^*(C_n) \nearrow \mu^*(C)$ .

Proof. (i) is trivial. Let  $B_1^n \in \mathcal{B}$ ,  $B_2^n \in \mathcal{B}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$  such that  $\vartheta(B_1^n) \searrow \mu^*(C_1)$  and  $\vartheta(B_2^n) \searrow \mu^*(C_2)$ . According to (iii) Theorem 1  $\vartheta(B_1^n) + \vartheta(B_2^n) = \vartheta(B_1^n \cap B_2^n) + \vartheta(B_1^n \cup B_2^n) \geq \mu^*(C_1 \cap C_2) + \mu^*(C_1 \cup C_2)$ , hence  $\mu^*(C_1) + \mu^*(C_2) \geq \mu^*(C_1 \cap C_2) + \mu^*(C_1 \cup C_2)$ . (iii) is trivial. Let  $C_n \subset X$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $C_n \nearrow C$ .  $\mathcal{L}$  has a countable type and hence there exist  $B_n^i \in \mathcal{B}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ , such that for every  $n$   $\vartheta(B_n^i) \searrow \mu^*(C_n)$  ( $i \nearrow \infty$ ). Denote  $a_n^i = \vartheta(B_n^i) - \mu^*(C_n)$  and  $b = \mu^*(C) - \vee \mu^*(C_n)$ . For any sequence  $\{i_1, i_2, \dots\}$  of positive integers we have  $b \leq \mu^*\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n^{i_n}\right) - \vee \mu^*(C_n) \leq \vartheta\left(\bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=1}^k B_n^{i_n}\right) - \vee \mu^*(C_n) \leq \vee_k \vartheta\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^k B_n^{i_n}\right) - \vee \mu^*(C_n) \leq \vee_k \left[ \vartheta\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^k B_n^{i_n}\right) - \mu^*(C_k) \right]$ . The difference  $\vartheta\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^k B_n^{i_n}\right) - \mu^*(C_k)$  can be bounded by  $\vartheta(B_1^{i_1} \cup \dots \cup B_k^{i_k}) \leq \sum_{j=1}^k \vartheta(B_j^{i_j}) - \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \mu^*(C_i)$ . This inequality may be verified using

mathematical induction. Hence  $b \leq \bigvee_k \left| \sum_{n=1}^k (\vartheta(B'_n) - \mu^*(C_n)) \right| = \bigvee_k \left( \sum_{n=1}^k a'_n \right)$ . With respect to regularity of  $\mathcal{L}$  we have  $b \leq 0$  and  $\mu^*(C) = \bigvee \mu^*(C_n)$ .

**Theorem 3.** *Let the symbols and assumptions of Theorem 2 hold. Denote  $\mathcal{C} = \{C \subset X: \mu^*(C) + \mu^*(C^c) = \mu(X)\}$ . Then  $\mathcal{C}$  is the  $\sigma$ -algebra of the subsets of  $X$  and  $\bar{\mu} = \mu^*/\mathcal{C}$  is the complete measure (if  $A \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $\mu(A) = 0$  and  $B \subset A$ , then  $B \in \mathcal{C}$ ).*

*Proof.* Observe that  $\emptyset, X \in \mathcal{C}$  and  $\mathcal{C}$  is closed with respect to the complementation. Let  $B_1, B_2 \in \mathcal{C}$ . Then  $\mu^*(B_1 \cup B_2) + \mu^*(B_1^c \cap B_2^c) \leq \mu^*(B_1) + \mu^*(B_2) - \mu^*(B_1 \cap B_2) + \mu^*(B_1^c) + \mu^*(B_2^c) - \mu^*(B_1^c \cup B_2^c) \leq \mu(X) + \mu(X) - \mu^*(B_1 \cap B_2) - \mu^*(B_1 \cap B_2)^c \leq \mu(X)$ . We have just proved that  $\mathcal{C}$  is closed under formation of finite unions. Let  $B_n \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $B_n \nearrow \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n$ , then  $\mu^*(B_m) + \mu^*(B_m^c) \leq \mu(X)$ ,  $m = 1, 2, \dots$ , and  $\mu^*\left(\left(\bigcup_{m=1}^{\infty} B_m\right)^c\right) \leq \mu^*(B_m^c)$  for all  $m$  and  $\mu^*(B_m) + \mu^*\left(\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n\right)^c\right) \leq \mu(X)$  for all  $m$ . We have  $\bigvee \mu^*(B_m) + \mu^*\left(\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n\right)^c\right) \leq \mu(X)$  and  $\mathcal{C}$  is a  $\sigma$ -algebra. According to (iv) Theorem 2  $\mu^*$  is a measure if we show that  $\mu^*$  is additive. Let  $B_1, B_2 \in \mathcal{C}$ , then  $\mu^*(B_1 \cup B_2) + \mu^*(B_1 \cap B_2) \leq \mu^*(B_1) + \mu^*(B_2)$  according to (ii) Theorem 2. Also  $\mu^*((B_1 \cup B_2)^c) + \mu^*((B_1 \cap B_2)^c) \leq \mu^*(B_1^c) + \mu^*(B_2^c)$  and the sum on the right-hand sides of the two last equalities is equal to  $2\mu(X)$ . On the other hand  $\mu^*(B_1 \cup B_2) + \mu^*(B_1 \cap B_2)^c \leq \mu(X)$  and  $\mu^*(B_1 \cap B_2) + \mu^*(B_1 \cap B_2)^c \leq \mu(X)$ , hence there is equality in each of these inequalities and  $\mu^*$  is additive.  $\mu^*$  is complete since if  $A \in \mathcal{C}$ ,  $\mu^*(A) = 0$  and  $B \subset A$ ,  $\mu^*(B) + \mu^*(B^c) \leq \mu^*(A) + \mu(X) = \mu(X)$  holds and  $B \in \mathcal{C}$ .

**Theorem 4.** *If  $\mu$  is a measure on the algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  with values in the complete, regular  $l$ -group  $\mathcal{L}$  which has a countable type, then  $\mu$  has the unique extension  $\bar{\mu}$  on the  $\sigma$ -algebra  $\mathcal{D}$  generated by the algebra  $\mathcal{A}$ .*

*Proof.* According to Theorem 3 the system  $\mathcal{C}$  from Theorem 3 is the  $\sigma$ -algebra containing  $\mathcal{A}$  and hence  $\mathcal{C} \supset \mathcal{D}$ .  $\bar{\mu}$  defined by  $\bar{\mu}(A) = \mu^*(A)$  for every  $A \in \mathcal{D}$  is the extension of the measure  $\mu$ . Let there exist a measure  $q$  on  $\mathcal{D}$  such that  $q/\mathcal{A} = \mu$ . With respect to the definition  $\mu^*$ ,  $q \leq \mu^*$  on  $\mathcal{B}$  (observe that  $q = \vartheta$  on  $\mathcal{B}$ ). Let  $A_0 \in \mathcal{D}$  be such that  $q(A_0) < \mu^*(A_0)$ . With respect to the last inequalities we have  $q(X) = q(A_0) + q(A_0^c) < \mu^*(A_0) + \mu^*(A_0^c) = \mu(X)$ , which is impossible since  $q = \mu^*$  on  $\mathcal{A}$ .

## 2.

Let  $X$  be a topological space with a topology  $\mathcal{T}$ . It is known (see Halmos P. [2]) that in the locally compact spaces the real measure is regular if every compact set is

outer regular. Let us investigate the analogy quality of a  $l$ -group valued measure. Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be a complete, regular  $l$ -group which has a countable type. Let  $X$  be a topological space with a topology  $\mathcal{T}$ , let  $\mathcal{B}$  be a  $\sigma$ -algebra of Borel sets in  $X$ . Denote by  $\mathcal{Z}$  the system of all closed sets in  $X$  and  $\mu$  a measure on  $\mathcal{B}$  with values in  $\mathcal{L}$ .

**Definition 3.** The set  $E \in \mathcal{B}$  is outer regular, if  $\mu(E) = \wedge \{\mu(U) : E \subset U \in \mathcal{T}\}$ . The set  $E \in \mathcal{B}$  is inner regular, if  $\mu(E) = \vee \{\mu(Z) : E \supset Z \in \mathcal{Z}\}$ . The set  $E \in \mathcal{B}$  is regular if it is both inner and outer regular. A measure  $\mu$  is regular if every set  $E \in \mathcal{B}$  is regular.

Let  $\mathcal{R}$  be a system of all regular subsets of  $X$ .

**Proposition 2.**

- (i)  $\mathcal{Z}$  is a lattice of sets .
- (ii) if  $\mathcal{A}$  is a system of subsets of  $X$ , denote by  $\mathcal{P}\mathcal{A}$  the system  $\{A : A = B - C, C \subset B, C, B \in \mathcal{A}\}$ .  $\mathcal{P}\mathcal{Z}$  is a semiring.
- (iii) if  $\mathcal{A}$  is a system of subsets of  $X$ , let  $\mathcal{N}\mathcal{A}$  be a normal system generated by  $\mathcal{A}$ . Then  $\mathcal{N}\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}$ , where  $\mathcal{P}$  is a semiring and  $\mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}$  is a  $\sigma$ -ring generated by  $\mathcal{P}$ . (See Halmos P. [2] §5.6)

**Theorem 5.** If every set in  $\mathcal{Z}$  is outer regular, then  $\mathcal{P}\mathcal{Z} \subset \mathcal{R}$ .

Proof. Let  $C, D \in \mathcal{Z}$  and  $C \subset D$ . A set  $D - C$  is inner regular since  $\mu(D) - \mu(C) = \mu(D) - \wedge \{\mu(U) : C \subset U \in \mathcal{T}\} = \vee \{\mu(D) - \mu(U) : C \subset U \in \mathcal{T}\} = \vee \{\mu(D - U) : D - C \supset D - U \in \mathcal{Z}\} \cong \vee \{\mu(Z) : D - C \supset Z \in \mathcal{Z}\}$ . But  $\mu(D - C) = \mu(D) - \mu(C) = \wedge \{\mu(U) : D \subset U \in \mathcal{T}\} - \mu(C) = \wedge \{\mu(U - C) : D - C \subset U - C \in \mathcal{T}\} \cong \wedge \{\mu(U) : D - C \subset U \in \mathcal{T}\}$  and the set  $D - C$  is outer regular.

**Theorem 6.** The system  $\mathcal{R}$  is closed with respect to finite disjoint unions and with respect to the complementation.

Proof.  $\mu(A \cup B) = \mu(A) + \mu(B) = \vee \{\mu(A_k) : A \supset A_k \in \mathcal{Z}, k = 1, 2, \dots\} + \vee \{\mu(B_k) : B \supset B_k \in \mathcal{Z}, k = 1, 2, \dots\} = \vee \{\mu(A_k) + \mu(B_k) : A \supset A_k \in \mathcal{Z}, B \supset B_k \in \mathcal{Z}, k = 1, 2, \dots\} = \vee \{\mu(A_k \cup B_k) : A \cup B \supset A_k \cup B_k \in \mathcal{Z}, k = 1, 2, \dots\} \cong \vee \{\mu(Z) : A \cup B \supset Z \in \mathcal{Z}\}$ , the reverse inequality is trivial. Let us prove the outer regularity of  $A \cup B$ .  $\mu(A \cup B) = \mu(A) + \mu(B) = \wedge \{\mu(A_k) : A \subset A_k \in \mathcal{T}, k = 1, 2, \dots\} + \wedge \{\mu(B_k) : B \subset B_k \in \mathcal{T}, k = 1, 2, \dots\} \cong \wedge \{\mu(A_k \cup B_k) : A \cup B \subset A_k \cup B_k \in \mathcal{T}\} \cong \wedge \{\mu(U) : A \cup B \subset U \in \mathcal{T}\}$ . At last if  $A \in \mathcal{R}$ , then  $A^\circ$  is inner regular since  $\mu(A^\circ) = \mu(X) - \mu(A) = \mu(X) - \wedge \{\mu(U) : A \subset U \in \mathcal{T}\} = \vee \{\mu(X - U) : A \subset U \in \mathcal{T}\} = \vee \{\mu(X - U) : A^\circ \supset X - U, X - U \in \mathcal{Z}\} = \vee \{\mu(Z) : A^\circ \supset Z \in \mathcal{Z}\}$ , and outer regular in the dual way.

**Theorem 7.** If every set in  $\mathcal{Z}$  is outer regular then a system  $\mathcal{R}$  is a normal system containing  $\mathcal{P}\mathcal{Z}$ .

Proof. According to Theorem 5 and 6 we have to prove (1) and (2):

(1) if  $A_i \in \mathcal{R}$ ,  $A_i \searrow \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i$ , then  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i$  is outer regular

(2) if  $A_i \in \mathcal{R}$ ,  $A_i \nearrow \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i$ , then  $\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i$  is outer regular.

(1) We have to show that  $\mu\left(\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i\right) \cong \wedge \left\{ \mu(B) : \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i \subset B \in \mathcal{T} \right\}$ , since the reverse inequality is trivial.  $\mathcal{L}$  has a countable type and for any  $i = 1, 2, \dots$  we have  $\mu(A_i) = \wedge_k \left\{ \mu(B_{ik}) : A_i \subset B_{ik} \in \mathcal{T}, k = 1, 2, \dots \right\}$  and  $\mu\left(\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i\right) = \wedge_i \wedge_k \left\{ \mu(B_{ik}) : A_i \subset B_{ik} \in \mathcal{T}, i, k = 1, 2, \dots \right\} = \wedge_k \wedge_i \left\{ \mu(B_{ik}) : A_i \subset B_{ik} \in \mathcal{T}, i, k = 1, 2, \dots \right\}$  but  $\wedge_i \left\{ \mu(B_{ik}) : A_i \subset B_{ik} \in \mathcal{T} \right\} \cong \wedge \left\{ \mu(B) : \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i \subset B \in \mathcal{T} \right\}$  for any  $k$ .

(2) We have to show that  $\mu\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i\right) \cong \wedge \left\{ \mu(B) : \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i \subset B \in \mathcal{T} \right\}$ . But  $A_i \in \mathcal{R}$  and  $\mu(A_i) = \wedge_k \left\{ \mu(B_{ik}) : A_i \subset B_{ik} \in \mathcal{T}, k = 1, 2, \dots \right\}$ . Let  $\{k_1, k_2, \dots\}$  be any sequence of positive integers. Denote  $a_i^k = \mu(B_{ik}) - \mu(A_i)$ . Then  $a_i^k \searrow 0$  ( $k \nearrow \infty$ ), for  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ . Denote  $a = \wedge \left\{ \mu(B) : \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i \subset B \in \mathcal{T} \right\} - \vee \mu(A_i)$ , then  $a \cong \mu\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} B_{ik_i}\right) - \vee \mu(A_i) = \mu\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{k=1}^{k_i} B_{ik}\right) - \vee \mu(A_i) \cong \vee_i \left[ \mu\left(\bigcup_{k=1}^{k_i} B_{ik}\right) - \mu(A_i) \right] \cong \vee_i \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{k_i} (\mu(B_{ik}) - \mu(A_i)) \right] = \vee_i \left( \sum_{k=1}^{k_i} a_i^k \right)$  and according to the regularity of  $\mathcal{L}$  we have  $a \cong 0$ . We used the inequality

$$\mu\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n B_{ik_i}\right) \cong \sum_{i=1}^n \mu(B_{ik_i}) - \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \mu(A_i)$$

which holds since  $B_{ik_i} \supset A_i$ .

**Corollary.** *If every set in  $\mathcal{X}$  is outer regular and if  $\mathcal{L}$  is a complete, regular  $l$ -group which has a countable type and  $\mu$  is a measure on  $\mathcal{B}$  with values in  $\mathcal{L}$ , then  $\mu$  is regular in the sense of the Definition 3.*

Proof. According to Proposition 2 and Theorems 5, 6, 7 we have  $\mathcal{B} = \mathcal{P}\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}\mathcal{P}\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{N}\mathcal{P}\mathcal{L} \subset \mathcal{R}$ .

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ПРОДОЛЖЕНИЕ И РЕГУЛЯРНОСТЬ МЕР СО ЗНАЧЕНИЯМИ  
В  $l$ -ГРУППЕ

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Резюме

В настоящей заметке под мерой будем понимать отображение  $\mu$  определенное на алгебре  $\mathcal{A}$  подмножеств множества  $X$  со значениями в  $l$ -группе  $\mathcal{L}$ , выполняющее следующие условия:  $\mu(A) \geq 0$  для всяких  $A \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $\mu$  конечно-аддитивная и полунепрерывная снизу. Целью заметки является формулировка условий накладываемых на  $\mathcal{L}$  достаточных для продолжения меры с алгебры  $\mathcal{A}$  на  $\sigma$ -алгебры  $\mathcal{B}$  содержащую  $\mathcal{A}$ .

Во второй части изучается проблема регулярности меры как она формулирована например в книге Халмоша [2]. В обеих частях центральную роль играют условия счетного типа и регулярности накладываемые на  $l$ -группу  $\mathcal{L}$ .