

## YOSIDA–HEWITT DECOMPOSITIONS OF RIESZ SPACE–VALUED MEASURES ON ORTHOALGEBRAS

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**ABSTRACT.** We prove generalizations of the Yosida-Hewitt decomposition theorem for positive finitely additive measures defined on orthoalgebras (generalizing Boolean algebras and orthomodular posets = quantum logics) with values in a Dedekind complete Riesz space.

### 1. Introduction

The classical result of Yosida–Hewitt [15] has received attention of many authors [1, 4, 14, 2, 5, 6, 3] studying finitely additive measures on orthomodular posets. In [4, 3], Yosida-Hewitt-type decomposition theorems for Dedekind's complete normed Riesz space-valued measures have been presented.

In the last years, axiomatic models describing the propositional system of quantum mechanics are very important. Such are quantum logics (= orthomodular posets), or, more generally, orthoalgebras, originally introduced by Randall and Foulis [12, 13].

In the present note, we generalize the Yosida-Hewitt decomposition theorems for Riesz space-valued measures on orthoalgebras. These decompositions generalize those ones from [3, 4].

### 2. Orthomodular posets

An *orthomodular poset* (OMP) is a partially ordered set  $L$  with an ordering  $\leq$ , the smallest and greatest elements 0 and 1, respectively, and an orthocom-

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plementation  $\perp: L \rightarrow L$  such that

- (i)  $a^{\perp\perp} = a$  for any  $a \in L$ ;
- (ii)  $a \vee a^{\perp} = 1$  for any  $a \in L$ ;
- (iii) if  $a \leq b$ , then  $b^{\perp} \leq a^{\perp}$ ;
- (iv) if  $a \leq b^{\perp}$  (and we write  $a \perp b$ ), then  $a \vee b \in L$ ;
- (v) if  $a \leq b$ , then  $b = a \vee (a \vee b^{\perp})^{\perp}$  (orthomodular law).

We recall that from the above axioms we have de Morgan laws

$$\left(\bigvee_i a_i\right)^{\perp} = \bigwedge_i a_i^{\perp} \quad \text{and} \quad \left(\bigwedge_i a_i\right)^{\perp} = \left(\bigvee_i a_i^{\perp}\right) \quad (3.1)$$

saying that if one side of an equality exists in  $L$ , so exists the second one, and both are equal. If in an orthomodular poset  $L$  the join of any sequence (any system) of mutually orthogonal elements exists, we say that  $L$  is a  $\sigma$ -orthomodular poset (a complete orthomodular poset). An orthomodular lattice is an orthomodular poset  $L$  such that, for any  $a, b \in L$ ,  $a \vee b$  exists in  $L$  (using de Morgan laws,  $a \wedge b$  exists in  $L$ , too). A distributive orthomodular lattice is called a *Boolean algebra*. We recall that an orthomodular lattice  $L$  is a Boolean algebra iff for any pair  $a, b \in L$  there are three mutually orthogonal elements  $a_1, b_1, c \in L$  such that  $a = a_1 \vee c$ ,  $b = b_1 \vee c$ . For more details concerning orthomodular posets and lattices see, e.g. [9, 11].

One of the most important cases of orthomodular lattices is the system of all closed subspaces,  $L(H)$ , of a real or complex Hilbert space  $H$ , with an inner product  $(\cdot, \cdot)$ . Here the partial ordering,  $\leq$ , is induced by the natural set-theoretic inclusion, and  $M^{\perp} = \{x \in H : (x, y) = 0 \text{ for any } y \in M\}$ . Then  $L(H)$  is a complete orthomodular lattice, which is not a Boolean algebra, if  $\dim H \neq 1$ .

If  $S$  is an inner product space (not necessarily complete), denote by  $E(S)$  the set of all *splitting subspaces* of  $S$ , i.e., the set of all  $M \subseteq S$  such that  $M + M^{\perp} = S$ . Then  $E(S)$  is an orthomodular poset which is not necessarily a  $\sigma$ -orthomodular poset. We recall that according to [7],  $S$  is complete if and only if  $E(S)$  is a  $\sigma$ -orthomodular poset.

### 3. Orthoalgebras

An *orthoalgebra* is a set  $L$  with two particular elements  $0, 1$ , and with a partial binary operation  $\oplus: L \times L \rightarrow L$  such that for all  $a, b, c \in L$  we have

- (i) if  $a \oplus b \in L$ , then  $b \oplus a \in L$  and  $a \oplus b = b \oplus a$ ;
- (ii) if  $b \oplus c \in L$  and  $a \oplus (b \oplus c) \in L$ , then  $a \oplus b \in L$  and  $(a \oplus b) \oplus c \in L$ , and  $a \oplus (b \oplus c) = (a \oplus b) \oplus c$ ;

- (iii) for any  $a \in L$  there is a unique  $b \in L$  such that  $a \oplus b$  is defined, and  $a \oplus b = 1$ ;
- (iv) if  $a \oplus a$  is defined, then  $a = 0$ .

If the assumptions of (ii) are satisfied, we write  $a \oplus b \oplus c$  for the element  $(a \oplus b) \oplus c = a \oplus (b \oplus c)$  in  $L$ .

Let  $a$  and  $b$  be two elements of an orthoalgebra  $L$ . We say that (i)  $a$  is *orthogonal* to  $b$  and write  $a \perp b$  iff  $a \oplus b$  is defined in  $L$ ; (ii)  $a$  is *less or equal*  $b$  and write  $a \leq b$  iff there exists an element  $c \in L$  such that  $a \perp c$  and  $a \oplus c = b$  (in this case we also write  $b \geq a$ ); (iii)  $b$  is the *orthocomplement* of  $a$  iff  $b$  is a (unique) element of  $L$  such that  $b \perp a$  and  $a \oplus b = 1$  and it is written as  $a^\perp$ .

In [8], there are proofs of the following statements:

**PROPOSITION 3.1.** *Let  $a, b$  and  $c$  be elements of an orthoalgebra  $L$ . Then*

- (i)  $a \perp b \Leftrightarrow b \perp a$ .
- (ii)  $a \perp a \Rightarrow a = 0$ .
- (iii)  $a \perp 1 \Leftrightarrow a = 0$ .
- (iv)  $a^{\perp\perp} = a$ .
- (v)  $1^\perp = 0$  and  $0^\perp = 1$ .
- (vi)  $a \perp b \Rightarrow a \perp (a \oplus b)^\perp, a \oplus (a \oplus b)^\perp = b^\perp$ .
- (vii)  $a \perp b \Leftrightarrow a \leq b^\perp$ .
- (viii)  $a \leq b \Rightarrow b = a \oplus (a \oplus b^\perp)^\perp$ .
- (ix)  $a \oplus b = a \oplus c \Rightarrow b = c$ .
- (x)  $a \oplus b \leq a \oplus c \Rightarrow b \leq c$ .
- (xi)  $0 \leq a \leq 1$ , and  $\leq$  is a partial ordering on  $L$ .
- (xii)  $a \leq b \Rightarrow b^\perp \leq a^\perp$ .
- (xiii)  $a \wedge a^\perp = 0, a \vee a^\perp = 1$ .
- (xiv)  $a \perp b, a \vee b \in L \Rightarrow a \oplus b = a \vee b$ .

We see that if  $L$  is an orthomodular poset and  $a \oplus b := a \vee b$  whenever  $a \perp b$  in  $L$ , then  $L$  with  $0, 1, \oplus$  is an orthoalgebra. The converse statement does not hold, in general, as it follows from the example of R. W r i g h t [8]:

**EXAMPLE 3.2.** Let  $L = \{0, 1, a, b, c, e, f, a^\perp, b^\perp, c^\perp, d^\perp, e^\perp, f^\perp\}$  with  $a \oplus b = d \oplus e = c^\perp, b \oplus c = e \oplus f = a^\perp, c \oplus d = f \oplus a = e^\perp, c \oplus e = d^\perp, a \oplus c = b^\perp, e \oplus a = f^\perp$  is an orthoalgebra that is not an orthomodular poset.

We recall that an orthoalgebra  $L$  is an OMP iff  $a \perp b$  implies  $a \vee b \in L$ .

For  $a, b \in L$  with  $a \leq b$ , we define the *difference* of  $a$  in  $b$  as the unique element  $c$  in  $L$  such that  $a \oplus c = b$ , and we write  $c = b \ominus a$ . It is evident that  $b \ominus a = (a \oplus b^\perp)^\perp$ .

### 4. Riesz spaces

Let  $V$  be a real vector space with a partial ordering  $\leq$  such that

- (i) if  $x, y \in V$ , then  $x \wedge y \in V, z \vee y \in V$ ;
- (ii) if  $x \leq y$ , then  $x + z \leq y + z$ , for any  $z \in V$ ;
- (iii) if  $x \leq y$ , then  $\alpha x \leq \alpha y$  for any  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}_+$ ,

then  $V$  is said to be a *Riesz space*. We define for any  $x \in V: x^+ = x \vee 0, x^- = (-x) \vee 0, |x| = x^+ + x^-$ . We have for all  $x, y \in L$  (i)  $x = x^+ - x^-$ ; (ii)  $|x| = 0$  iff  $x = 0$ ; (iii)  $|x + y| \leq |x| + |y|$ . By  $V_+$  we denote the set of all positive elements of  $V$ , i.e.,  $V_+ = \{x \in V: x \geq 0\}$ .

It is well-known that  $V$  is a distributive lattice, where the following equalities hold:

$$a + \bigvee_i a_i = \bigvee_i (a + a_i), \quad a + \bigwedge_i a_i = \bigwedge_i (a + a_i), \quad (4.1)$$

$$a - \bigvee_i a_i = \bigwedge_i (a - a_i), \quad a - \bigwedge_i a_i = \bigvee_i (a - a_i), \quad (4.2)$$

providing that if one side of above equalities exists in  $V$ , so exists the second one, and both coincide.

A Riesz space  $V$  is said to be *Dedekind complete* if, for any non-void majorized subset  $B$  of  $V, \bigvee B := \bigvee \{b: b \in B\}$  exists in  $V$ .

A non-empty set  $D$  of  $V$  is *directed downwards* (*upwards*), and we write  $D \downarrow$  ( $D \uparrow$ ), if for any  $x, y \in D$  there exists  $z \in D$  such that  $z \leq x, z \leq y$  ( $z \geq x, z \geq y$ ). Two downwards directed sets  $\{x_t: t \in T\}$  and  $\{y_t: t \in T\}$  indexed by the same index set  $T$  are called *equidirected* if, for any  $s, t \in T$ , there exists  $v \in T$  such that  $x_v \leq x_s$  and  $x_v \leq x_t$  as well as  $y_v \leq y_s$  and  $y_v \leq y_t$ . A similar definition holds for upwards directed sets.

Let  $x \in V$  and  $D \subset V$ . We say that  $D \uparrow x$  if  $D \uparrow$  and  $x = \bigvee D$ . Dually we define  $D \downarrow x$ , i.e.,  $D \downarrow$  and  $x = \bigwedge D$ . If  $\{f_t\}$  and  $\{g_t\}$  are equidirected, then [10, Theorem 15.8]:

$$\{f_t\} \uparrow f, \{g_t\} \uparrow g \implies \{f_t + g_t\} \uparrow f + g, \quad (4.3)$$

$$\{f_t\} \downarrow f, \{g_t\} \downarrow g \implies \{f_t + g_t\} \downarrow f + g. \quad (4.4)$$

### 5. Measures on orthoalgebras

Throughout this paper by  $L$  we understand an orthoalgebra, and  $V$  is a Dedekind complete Riesz space. Define the following natural ordering  $\leq_n$  on  $V^L: \mu_1 \leq_n \mu_2$  iff  $\mu_1(a) \leq \mu_2(a)$  for any  $a \in L$ .

We say that an element  $\mu \in V^L$  is a *finitely additive measure* if  $\mu(a \oplus b) = \mu(a) + \mu(b)$  whenever  $a \oplus b$  is defined in  $L$ . Then  $\mu(0) = 0$ , and  $\mu(a^\perp) = \mu(1) - \mu(a)$ ,  $a \in L$ . If  $\mu: L \rightarrow V_+$ , then  $a \leq b$  implies  $\mu(a) \leq \mu(b)$ .

To define  $\sigma$ -additive and completely additive measures on  $L$ , we introduce the following notions.

Let  $F = \{a_1, \dots, a_n\} \subseteq L$ . Recursively we define for  $n \geq 3$

$$a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_n := (a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_{n-1}) \oplus a_n, \tag{5.1}$$

supposing that  $a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_{n-1}$  and  $(a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_{n-1}) \oplus a_n$  exist in  $L$ . From the associativity of  $\oplus$  in orthoalgebras we conclude that (5.1) is correctly defined. Definitorically we put  $a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_n = a_1$  if  $n = 1$ , and  $a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_n = 0$  if  $n = 0$ . Then for any permutation  $(i_1, \dots, i_n)$  of  $(1, \dots, n)$  and any  $k$  with  $1 \leq k \leq n$  we have

$$a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_n = a_{i_1} \oplus \dots \oplus a_{i_n}, \tag{5.2}$$

$$a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_n = (a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_k) \oplus (a_{k+1} \oplus \dots \oplus a_n). \tag{5.3}$$

We say that a finite set  $F = \{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$  of  $L$  is  $\oplus$ -orthogonal if  $a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_n$  exists in  $L$ . In this case we say that  $F$  has  $\oplus$ -sum,  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n a_i$ , defined via

$$\bigoplus_{i=1}^n a_i = a_1 \oplus \dots \oplus a_n. \tag{5.4}$$

It is clear that two elements  $a$  and  $b$  of  $L$  are orthogonal, i.e.,  $a \perp b$ , iff  $\{a, b\}$  is  $\oplus$ -orthogonal.

An arbitrary subset  $G$  of  $L$  is  $\oplus$ -orthogonal if every finite subset  $F$  of  $G$  is  $\oplus$ -orthogonal. If  $G$  is  $\oplus$ -orthogonal, so is any its subset. An  $\oplus$ -orthogonal subset  $G = \{a_i: i \in I\}$  of  $L$  has  $\oplus$ -sum in  $L$ , written as  $\bigoplus_{i \in I} a_i$ , if in  $L$  there exists the join

$$\bigoplus_{i \in I} a_i := \bigvee_F \bigoplus_{i \in F} a_i, \tag{5.5}$$

where  $F$  runs over all finite subsets in  $I$ . In this case, we also write  $\bigoplus G := \bigoplus_{i \in I} a_i$ .

It is evident that if  $G = \{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$  is  $\oplus$ -orthogonal, then the  $\oplus$ -sum defined by (5.4) and (5.5) coincide.

We say that an orthoalgebra  $L$  is a *complete orthoalgebra* ( $\sigma$ -orthoalgebra) if, for any  $\oplus$ -orthogonal subset (any countable  $\oplus$ -orthogonal subset)  $G$  of  $L$ ,

there exists the  $\bigoplus$ -join in  $L$ . It is straightforward to verify that an orthoalgebra  $L$  is a  $\sigma$ -orthoalgebra if, for any sequence  $\{a_i\}$  in  $L$  with  $a_1 \leq a_2 \leq \dots$ , the join  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i$  exists in  $L$ . In addition, the following statement holds:

**PROPOSITION 5.1.** (1) *If  $L$  is a complete orthoalgebra, then any chain  $C$  in  $L$  has the join  $\bigvee C$  in  $L$ .*

(2) *If  $L$  is an orthoalgebra such that any upwards directed system  $D \subseteq L$  has a join in  $L$ ,<sup>1</sup> then  $L$  is a complete orthoalgebra.*

*Proof.* (1) Let  $C$  be a chain in  $L$ . Denote by  $D$  the set of all possible differences  $b \ominus a$ , where  $a \leq b$ , and  $a, b \in C \cup \{0\}$ . Since  $a = a \ominus 0$ , it follows that  $C \subseteq D$ . We claim that  $D$  is an  $\bigoplus$ -orthogonal family in  $L$ . Indeed, let  $d_1, \dots, d_n \in D$  be given. Then  $d_i = b_i \ominus a_i$ , where  $a_i \leq b_i$ ,  $a_i, b_i \in C \cup \{0\}$ . Therefore, there exists a set  $\{d_1^*, \dots, d_{2n}^*\} \subseteq C$  such that  $\{a_1, \dots, a_n, b_1, \dots, b_n\} = \{d_1^*, \dots, d_{2n}^*\}$ , and  $d_1^* \leq d_2^* \leq \dots \leq d_{2n}^*$ .

Put  $e_i = d_i^* \ominus d_{i-1}^*$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, 2n$ , where  $d_0 := 0$ . Then, for any  $k$  with  $1 \leq k \leq 2n$ , we have

$$d_k^* = e_1 \oplus \dots \oplus e_k \in L,$$

and, if  $1 \leq j < k \leq 2n$ , then

$$d_k^* \ominus d_j^* = e_{j+1} \oplus \dots \oplus e_k. \tag{5.6}$$

Consequently, for any  $d_i = b_i \ominus a_i$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, n$ , there exists a finite subset  $F_i$  of  $\{1, \dots, 2n\}$  such that  $d_i = \bigoplus_{j \in F_i} e_j$ , which by (5.6) implies  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n d_i \in L$ .

Since  $L$  is a complete orthoalgebra, there exists  $a_0 = \bigoplus D$ . Because  $C \subseteq D$ , we have, for any  $a \in C$ ,  $a \leq a_0$ . Now, for some  $c \in L$ , let  $a \leq c$  for any  $a \in C$ . Then for all  $a, b \in C$  with  $a \leq b$  we have  $b \ominus a \leq b \leq c$ . Therefore, from the first part of the present proof, we conclude

$$\bigoplus_{i=1}^n b_i \ominus a_i \leq d_{2n}^* \ominus d_0^* = d_{2n}^* \leq c,$$

which means  $a_0 \leq c$ , and, finally,  $\bigvee C = a_0$ .

(2) The second statement follows easily from the observation, that if  $\{a_i : i \in I\}$  is an  $\bigoplus$ -orthogonal set in  $L$ , then  $\{b_F := \bigoplus_{i \in F} a_i : F \text{ is a finite subset of } I\}$  is an upwards directed family in  $L$  having a join in  $L$ . □

<sup>1</sup>See the same definition as that for Riesz spaces.

A mapping  $\mu \in V_+^L$  is said to be a *completely additive measure* on  $L$  if, for any  $\oplus$ -orthogonal system  $\{a_i : i \in I\}$ , for which the  $\oplus$ -sum  $\bigoplus_{i \in I} a_i$  exists in  $L$ , we have for any finite subset  $F$  of  $I$

$$\left| \mu \left( \bigoplus_{i \in I} a_i \right) - \sum_{i \in F} \mu(a_i) \right| \leq b_F, \tag{5.7}$$

where  $\{b_F\} \downarrow 0$  and  $b_{F_1} \leq b_{F_2}$  whenever  $F_2 \subseteq F_1$ . Due to (4.4), (5.7) is defined correctly, and we shall write  $\mu \left( \bigoplus_{i \in I} a_i \right) = \sum_{i \in I} \mu(a_i)$ .

If the index set  $I$  in (5.7) is only countable, we say that  $\mu$  is  $\sigma$ -additive, and we write  $\mu \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i \right) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \mu(a_i)$ .

Since any Dedekind complete Riesz space is *Archimedean*, i.e., if, for some  $x, y \in V$  with  $nx \leq y$  for every integer  $n$ , we have  $x \leq 0$ , we conclude that  $\mu(0) = 0$ . Indeed, for any finite subset  $F$  of  $I$  with  $\left| \mu \left( \bigoplus_{i \in I} a_i \right) - \sum_{i \in F} \mu(a_i) \right| \leq b_F$ , where  $a_i = 0$  for any  $i \in I$ , we have  $(\text{card } F - 1) |\mu(0)| \leq b_F \downarrow 0$ , so that  $\mu(0) = 0$ .

Moreover, any completely additive measure is  $\sigma$ -additive, and any  $\sigma$ -additive measure is finitely additive.

We denote by  $a(L, V)_+$ ,  $\sigma a(L, V)_+$ , and  $ca(L, V)_+$  the sets of all positive finitely additive,  $\sigma$ -additive, and completely additive measures, respectively, from  $V_+^L$ .

It is not hard to prove that a positive additive measure  $\mu$  on  $L$  is  $\sigma$ -additive, or completely additive, iff

$$\left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n \mu(a_i) \right\} \uparrow \mu \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i \right), \tag{5.8}$$

or

$$\left\{ \sum_{i \in F} \mu(a_i) \right\}_F \uparrow \mu \left( \bigoplus_{i \in I} a_i \right), \tag{5.9}$$

where  $F$  runs over all finite subsets of  $I$ , whenever  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i$ , or  $\bigoplus_{i \in I} a_i$ , respectively, exists in  $L$ .

### 6. Yosida–Hewitt decomposition

In the present section, we prove the main results of the paper – generalization of the Yosida-Hewitt decomposition theorem for Dedekind complete Riesz space-valued measures on orthoalgebras. This result generalizes that one in [3] and [4].

We recall that our decompositions do not yield the uniqueness of that one. Some partial results concerning the uniqueness are presented in [3]. An element  $\mu \in a(L, V)_+$  is said to be *weakly purely additive* if

$$\eta \leq_n \mu, \eta \in ca(L, V)_+ \implies \eta = 0. \tag{6.1}$$

If (6.1) holds for  $\eta \in \sigma a(L, V)_+$ ,  $\mu$  is said to be *purely additive*. An element  $\mu \in \sigma a(L, V)_+$  is said to be *purely  $\sigma$ -additive*, if (6.1) holds.

**THEOREM 6.1.** *Every positive finitely additive measure  $\mu$  on an orthoalgebra  $L$  with values in a Dedekind complete Riesz space  $V$  can be expressed as a sum*

$$\mu = \xi + \eta,$$

where  $\xi \in ca(L, V)_+$ , and  $\eta$  is a positive weakly purely additive measure on  $L$ .

**P r o o f.** First we observe that if  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$  are elements of  $ca(L, V)_+$ , then  $\mu_1 + \mu_2 \in ca(L, V)_+$ , where  $(\mu_1 + \mu_2)(a) = \mu_1(a) + \mu_2(a)$ ,  $a \in L$ . Indeed, this follows from (5.9) and (4.3).

Define  $\Gamma_\mu = \{\gamma \in ca(L, V)_+ : \gamma \leq_n \mu\}$ . Then  $\Gamma_\mu$  is non-empty because it possesses the zero function. Let  $\Gamma_0 = \{\gamma_i\}$  be a chain in  $\Gamma_\mu$  with respect to the natural ordering  $\leq_n$ , and define

$$\gamma_0(c) = \bigvee_i \gamma_i(c), \quad c \in L.$$

Since  $0 \leq \gamma_i(c) \leq \gamma_i(1) \leq \mu(1)$ , and  $V$  is Dedekind complete,  $\gamma_0(c)$  is defined correctly on  $L$ . Moreover,  $\gamma_0 \in a(L, V)_+$ . Indeed, let  $a \oplus b$  be defined in  $L$ . Then  $\{\gamma_i(a)\}$  and  $\{\gamma_i(b)\}$  are equidirected, and  $\gamma_i(a) \uparrow \gamma_0(a)$ ,  $\gamma_i(b) \uparrow \gamma_0(b)$ . By (4.3) we conclude that  $\gamma_i(a \oplus b) = ((\gamma_i(a) + \gamma_i(b)) \uparrow (\gamma_0(a) + \gamma_0(b)))$ . Since  $\gamma_i(a \oplus b) \uparrow \gamma_0(a \oplus b)$ , we obtain  $\gamma_0(a \oplus b) = \gamma_0(a) + \gamma_0(b)$ .

From the definition of  $\gamma_0$  we conclude that  $\{\gamma_0(c) - \gamma_i(c)\} \downarrow 0$  for any  $c \in L$ . Now let  $c \in L$  be arbitrary. Due to inequalities

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq \gamma_0(c) - \gamma_i(c) &= \gamma_0(1)\gamma_i(1) - (\gamma_0(c^\perp) - \gamma_i(c^\perp)) \leq \\ &\leq \gamma_0(1) - \gamma_i(1) \downarrow 0, \end{aligned}$$

we conclude that  $\{\gamma_0(c) - \gamma_i(c)\} \downarrow 0$  uniformly for any  $c \in L$ .

We claim to show that  $\gamma_0 \in ca(L, V)_+$ . Let  $a = \bigoplus_{j \in I} a_j$  exists in  $L$ . Then, for any finite subsets  $F$  of  $I$ , have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq \gamma_0(a) - \sum_{j \in F} \gamma_0(a_j) &= \gamma_0\left(a \ominus \left(\bigoplus_{j \in F} a_j\right)\right) = \\ &= \left(\gamma_0\left(a \ominus \left(\bigoplus_{j \in F} a_j\right)\right) - \gamma_i\left(a \ominus \left(\bigoplus_{j \in F} a_j\right)\right)\right) + \gamma_i\left(a \ominus \left(\bigoplus_{j \in F} a_j\right)\right) \leq \\ &\leq p_i + b_F^i, \end{aligned}$$



where  $\{p_i\} \downarrow 0$ ,  $\{b_F^i\}_F \downarrow 0$  for every  $i$ , and  $F$  is any finite subset of  $I$ . Then

$$0 \leq \gamma_0(a) - \bigvee_F \sum_{j \in F} \gamma_0(a_j) \leq p_i \downarrow 0,$$

so that  $\gamma_0(a) = \sum_{j \in I} \gamma_0(a_j)$ .

Therefore, this with  $\gamma_0 \leq_n \mu$  means that  $\gamma_0$  is a majorant of  $\Gamma_0$  in  $\Gamma_\mu$ . It follows from Zorn's lemma that  $\Gamma_\mu$  contains a maximal element  $\xi$  which belongs to  $ca(L, V)_+$  and  $\xi \leq_n \mu$ .

Put  $\eta = \mu - \xi$ , clearly that  $\eta \in a(L, V)_+$ . To finish the proof, we show that  $\eta$  is weakly purely additive. Let  $\gamma \in ca(L, V)_+$  be such that  $\gamma \leq_n \eta = \mu - \xi$ , so that  $\gamma + \xi \leq_n \mu$ . Because  $\gamma + \xi \in ca(L, V)_+$ , the maximality of  $\xi$  in  $\Gamma_\mu$  implies  $\gamma = 0$ .  $\square$

**THEOREM 6.2.** *Every positive finitely additive measure  $\mu$  on an orthoalgebra  $L$  with values in a Dedekind complete Riesz space  $V$  can be expressed as a sum  $\mu = \xi + \eta$ , where  $\xi \in \sigma a(L, V)_+$ , and  $\eta$  is a positive purely additive measure on  $L$ .*

**PROOF.** It follows the same ideas as the proof of Theorem 6.1, it suffices to change  $ca(L, V)_+$  to  $\sigma a(L, V)_+$ .  $\square$

**THEOREM 6.3.** *Every positive  $\sigma$ -additive measure  $\mu$  on an orthoalgebra  $L$  with values in a Dedekind complete Riesz space  $V$  can be expressed as a sum  $\mu = \xi + \eta$ , where  $\xi \in ca(L, V)_+$ , and  $\eta$  is purely  $\sigma$ -additive.*

**PROOF.** It is identical with that in Theorem 6.1 changing  $a(L, V)_+$  to  $\sigma a(L, V)_+$ .  $\square$

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