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Let  $T^j$  denote the compact group which is the Cartesian product of  $j$  copies of the circle where  $j$  is a positive integer or  $\omega$ . If  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$  let  $L^p(T^j)$  denote the space of complex valued measurable functions which are integrable with respect to Haar measure on  $T^j$ . If  $j$  is finite we shall write  $n$  instead of  $j$ . The subspaces  $H^p(T^n)$  of  $L^p(T^n)$ , i.e. the Hardy spaces of  $T^n$ , have many well-known properties. A family of subspaces  $H^p(T^\omega)$  of the  $L^p(T^\omega)$  is defined and they are shown to have many of the same properties as the  $H^p(T^n)$ . However a major difference between  $H^p(T^\omega)$  and  $H^p(T^n)$  is observed. If  $1 < p < \infty$  then  $H^p(T^n)$  is complemented in  $L^p(T^n)$ , but  $H^p(T^\omega)$  is uncomplemented in  $L^p(T^\omega)$  for  $1 < p < \infty$  unless  $p = 2$ .

Special properties of homogeneous functions in  $H^1(T^\omega)$ . Let  $j$  be a positive integer or  $\omega$ . If  $j$  is finite we shall write  $n$  in place of  $j$ . We shall let  $T^n$  denote the compact group which is the Cartesian product of  $n$  circles, and  $T^\omega$  the compact group which is the Cartesian product of countably many circles. The dual of  $T^n$  is the direct sum of  $n$  copies of the integers, and the dual of  $T^\omega$  is the direct sum of countably many copies of the integers. If  $g \in T^n$ , then we write

$$g = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n)$$

where each  $z_i$  is a complex number of unit modulus. If  $g \in T^\omega$  it has a similar representation, but we must take a countable family, i.e.

$$g = (z_1, z_2, z_3, \dots).$$

By abuse of notation if  $i \leq n \leq \infty$ , we let  $z_i$  denote that  $g \in T^n$  or  $g \in T^\omega$  which has the following representation:

$$g = (1, \dots, 1, z_i, 1, \dots)$$

where  $z_i$  occurs in the  $i$ th place. We shall write  $m_n$  for the normalized Haar measure on  $T^n$  and  $m$  for the normalized Haar measure on  $T^\omega$ .

The dual of  $T^n$  can be written as  $\sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{Z}$ , and if  $x \in \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{Z}$  then we write

$$x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

where each  $x_i$  is an integer. The dual of  $T^\omega$  can be written as  $\sum_{i=1}^\infty \mathbb{Z}$ , and if  $x \in \sum_{i=1}^\infty \mathbb{Z}$ , then we write

$$x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots)$$

where each  $x_i$  is an integer, and for any particular  $x$ , only finitely many  $x_i$  are nonzero.

We define  $A_n \subset \sum_{i=1}^n Z$  and  $A \subset \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} Z$  by

$$\begin{aligned} A_n &= \{x: x_i \geq 0 \text{ for all } i\} \\ A &= \{x: x_i \geq 0 \text{ for all } i\} . \end{aligned}$$

We need the following definitions to define  $H^p(T^j)$ . Although the definitions could be stated in terms of  $T^j$  it is easier to state them in the context of arbitrary compact abelian groups.

**DEFINITION 1.1.** Suppose  $G$  is a compact abelian group with dual group  $\Gamma$ . If  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$  let  $L^p(G)$  denote the space of complex valued measurable functions which are  $p^{\text{th}}$  power integrable with respect to Haar measure on  $G$ . If  $E$  is a subset of  $\Gamma$ ,  $f$  will be called an  $E$ -function if  $f \in L^1(G)$  and  $\hat{f}(\gamma) = 0$  if  $\gamma \in \Gamma \sim E$ , where  $\hat{f}(\gamma)$  is the Fourier transform of  $f$  evaluated at  $\gamma$ .

**DEFINITION 1.2.** Suppose  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$  then  $L_E^p(G) = \{f: f \in L^p(G) \text{ and } f \text{ is an } E\text{-function}\}$ .

**DEFINITION 1.3.**

$$\begin{aligned} H^p(T^n) &= L_{A_n}^p(T^n) \\ H^p(T^\omega) &= L_A^p(T^\omega) . \end{aligned}$$

The properties of  $H^p(T^n)$  are discussed in [7]. These spaces are related to analytic functions in several complex variables which are defined on the interior of the  $n$ -polydisc in  $C^n$ , and are subject to certain growth conditions near the distinguished boundary  $T^n$ . If  $j = \omega$ , there is no analogue of the interior of the  $n$ -polydisc. However we still have many of the nice properties of  $H^p(T^n)$ .

It is possible to imbed  $H^p(T^n)$  in  $H^p(T^\omega)$  in a natural way. We have the following homomorphisms

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_n : T^\omega &\longrightarrow T^n \\ (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n, z_{n+1}, \dots) &\longmapsto (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n) \end{aligned}$$

and  $\pi_n$  induces an isometry  $I_n$ .

$$(1) \quad \begin{aligned} I_n : H^p(T^n) &\longrightarrow H^p(T^\omega) \\ f &\longmapsto f \circ \pi_n . \end{aligned}$$

**DEFINITION 1.4.** Suppose  $f \in H^1(T^n)$  and  $s$  is a positive integer or

0. Then the  $s$  homogeneous component of  $f = {}_n P_s(f)$ , where  ${}_n P_s(f)$  is defined by its Fourier transform

$$\widehat{{}_n P_s(f)}(x) = \begin{cases} \hat{f}(x) & \text{if } \sum x_i = s \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

That is if  $f$  has Fourier series

$$f(g) \sim \sum_{x \in A_n} a_x(g, x),$$

then  ${}_n P_s(f)$  has the following Fourier series:

$${}_n P_s(f)(g) \sim \sum_{\substack{x \in A_n \\ \sum x_i = s}} a_x(g, x).$$

Then  ${}_n P_s(f)$  is a trigonometric polynomial since  $\widehat{{}_n P_s(f)}$  has finite support.

DEFINITION 1.5. Suppose  $f \in H^1(T^\omega)$  and  $f = {}_n P_s(f)$  for some  $s$ . Then we say  $f$  is homogeneous of degree  $s$ . The previous definition is motivated by the following fact: If  $\lambda$  is a complex number of unit modulus and we write  $\lambda$  to mean the point  $(\lambda, \lambda, \lambda, \dots, \lambda)$  of  $T^n$ , then

$$f(\lambda g) = \lambda^s f(g) \quad \text{for all } g \in T^n$$

if  $f$  is homogeneous of degree  $s$ . Clearly if  $f$  is homogeneous of degree  $s$  its Fourier transform has finite support, so  $f$  is a trigonometric polynomial and hence  $f \in H^p(T^\omega)$  for  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . It is easy to show that  ${}_n P_s$  is a bounded linear operator from  $H^1(T^n)$  into  $H^p(T^n)$  for each  $p$ . However it is not obvious that we can define an operator  $P_s$  on  $H^1(T^\omega)$  which is analogous to  ${}_n P_s$  on  $H^1(T^n)$  because the sum that should define  $P_s(f)$  for  $f \in H^1(T^\omega)$  is not necessarily finite. The following lemma helps show that  $P_s$  can be defined as a bounded linear operator from  $H^1(T^\omega)$  into  $H^p(T^\omega)$ .

LEMMA 1.6. Suppose  $s$  is a positive integer or 0, and  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . Then there exists a projection  $P_s$  on  $H^p(T^\omega)$  with  $\|P_s\| = 1$  satisfying:

$$\widehat{P_s f}(x) = \begin{cases} \hat{f}(x) & \text{if } \sum x_i = s \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad f \in H^p(T^\omega).$$

That is if  $f$  has Fourier series

$$f(g) \sim \sum_{x \in A} a_x(g, x),$$

then  $P_s(f)$  has the following Fourier series:

$$P_s(f)(g) \sim \sum_{\substack{x \in A \\ \sum x_i = s}} a_x(g, x).$$

*Proof.* Consider the following subgroup  $H$  of  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} Z$ :

$$H = \left\{ x: x \in \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} Z \quad \text{and} \quad \Sigma x_i = 0 \right\}.$$

But  $(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} Z)/H$  is a quotient group of  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} Z$  and hence its dual which we shall call  $D$ , is a compact subgroup of  $T^{\omega}$ . Let  $m_D$  be normalized Haar measure on  $D$ . Since  $D \subset T^{\omega}$ , we can calculate the Fourier coefficients of  $m_D$  with respect to  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} Z$ . It is easy to calculate that

$$\hat{m}_D(x) = \chi_H(x) \quad \text{for all} \quad x \in \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} Z,$$

where  $\chi_H(x)$  is the characteristic function of the set  $H$ . If  $s$  is a positive integer or 0, choose a  $y_s \in \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} Z$  so that  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (y_s)_i = s$ ; then for the measure  $y_s(g)dm_D(g)$

$$\widehat{y_s m_D}(x) = \hat{m}_D(x - y_s) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \Sigma(x - y_s) = 0 \\ & \text{i.e. } \Sigma(x)_i = s \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Evidently for all  $s$

$$\int_G |y_s(g) dm_D(g)| = 1,$$

so if  $f \in H^p(T^{\omega})$  we can consider  $f*(y_s dm_D)$  where  $*$  denotes the usual convolution of a measure on  $T^{\omega}$  with a function which is in  $H^p(T^{\omega})$ , hence in  $L^1(T^{\omega})$ . We have the following inequalities:

$$(2) \quad \|f*(y_s dm_D)\|_p \leq \|f\|_p \int_G |y_s(g) dm_D(g)| = \|f\|_p.$$

If we calculate the Fourier transform of  $f*(y_s dm_D)$

$$\widehat{f*(y_s dm_D)}(x) = \hat{f}(x) \widehat{(y_s dm_D)}(x) = \widehat{P_s(f)}(x).$$

Since  $f*(y_s dm_D)$  and  $P_s(f)$  have the same Fourier transform they are the same element of  $H^p(T^{\omega})$ , and so from equation (2)

$$\|P_s(f)\|_p = \|f*(y_s dm_D)\|_p \leq \|f\|_p$$

and this completes the proof.

**DEFINITION 1.7.** If  $f \in H^p(T^{\omega})$ , then the  $s$  homogeneous component of  $f$  is  $P_s(f)$ .

If  $f = P_s(f)$  for some  $s$ , we say  $f$  is homogeneous of degree  $s$ . This definition is justified by the fact that if  $f$  is a homogeneous trigonometric polynomial of degree  $s$  on  $T^{\omega}$ , then we have

$$(3) \quad f(\lambda g) = \lambda^s f(g) \quad \text{for all} \quad g \in T^{\omega}$$

whenever  $\lambda$  is a complex number of unit modulus and on the left we write  $\lambda$  to mean  $(\lambda, \lambda, \dots)$ .

Suppose that  $f$  is a homogeneous function and that  $f \in H^1(T^j)$ , where  $j$  is a positive integer or  $\omega$ . If  $j$  is finite, then  $f$  is necessarily a trigonometric polynomial and the following lemma and theorem are obvious. However if  $j = \omega$ ,  $f$  isn't necessarily a trigonometric polynomial, and the following lemma and theorem require proof.

**LEMMA 1.8.** *Suppose  $f \in H^1(T^\omega)$  and that  $f$  is homogeneous of degree  $s$ . Then equation (3) is satisfied for almost all  $g \in T^\omega$  and almost all  $\lambda$ .*

*Proof.* If  $f$  is a trigonometric polynomial there is nothing to prove. Otherwise by using an approximate identity we can find a sequence  $\{f_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  of homogeneous polynomials all of degree  $s$  such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n = f$$

in the norm of  $H^1(T^\omega)$ . There exists a subsequence of  $\{f_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  say  $\{f_{n_j}\}_{j=1}^\infty$  such that

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} f_{n_j}(g) = f(g) \text{ a.e.}$$

where a.e. means for almost all  $g \in T^\omega$  with respect to Haar measure on  $T^\omega$ .  $T^\omega \times T$  is the product of the measure spaces  $T^\omega$  and  $T$ , and so  $T^\omega \times T$  is a measure space with the product measure.

Let

$$W = \{(g, \lambda) \in T^\omega \times T \text{ such that } f(\lambda g) = \lambda^s f(g)\}.$$

Then  $W$  is measurable and we wish to show that the measure of  $W$  is 1. Now consider any fixed  $\lambda \in T$ ; we have

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} f_{n_j}(g) &= f(g) \\ \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} f_{n_j}(\lambda g) &= f(\lambda g) \end{aligned}$$

except for a null set of  $g$ . But for each  $j$

$$f_{n_j}(\lambda g) = \lambda^s f_{n_j}(g),$$

$$f(\lambda g) = \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} f_{n_j}(\lambda g) = \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \lambda^s f_{n_j}(g) = \lambda^s f(g)$$

except for a null set of  $g$ . So  $m(W) = 1$ , which finishes the proof.

The next theorem is an application of a theorem about  $A(p)$  sets. We digress for a moment to define  $A(p)$  set.

DEFINITION 1.9. Let  $G$  be a compact abelian group with dual group  $\Gamma$ . If  $p > 1$  and  $E \subset \Gamma$  we say  $E$  is a  $\Lambda(p)$  set if  $L_E^1(G) = L_E^p(G)$ .

DEFINITION 1.10. If  $A$  is a subset of  $\Gamma$  and  $n$  is a positive integer we define  $A^n = \{x \in \Gamma; x = a_1 + a_2 + \cdots + a_n, \text{ where } a_i \in A, 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ .

THEOREM 1.11. Suppose  $G$  is a compact abelian group with torsion-free dual group  $\Gamma$ . If  $E$  is an independent set in  $\Gamma$ , then  $E^s$  is a  $\Lambda(p)$  set for all  $p < \infty$  and all positive integers  $s$ .

*Proof.* See [3, p. 28, Theorem 4].

THEOREM 1.12. Suppose  $f \in H^1(T^\omega)$  and that  $f$  is a homogeneous function of degree  $s$  where  $s$  is a positive integer or 0. Then  $f \in H^p(T^\omega)$  for  $1 \leq p < \infty$ .

*Proof.* Let  $E = \{z_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$ . Then  $E$  is independent as a set in  $\sum_{i=1}^\infty \mathbb{Z}$  and so  $E^s$  is a  $\Lambda(p)$  set for all  $p < \infty$ , by Theorem 1.11. But since  $f \in H^1(T^\omega)$  and  $f$  is homogeneous of degree  $s$ ,  $f$  is an  $E^s$ -function. By applying Theorem 1.11 we obtain that  $f \in H^p(T^\omega)$  for all  $p < \infty$ , and this completes the proof.

COROLLARY 1.13. Suppose  $f \in H^1(T^\omega)$  and that  $f$  is a finite sum of homogeneous functions; then  $f \in H^p(T^\omega)$  for  $1 \leq p < \infty$ .

*Proof.* By assumption  $f$  is a finite sum of homogeneous functions so we may write

$$f = \sum_{s=0}^k P_s(f).$$

Since  $f \in H^1(T^\omega)$  each  $P_s(f) \in H^1(T^\omega)$  for  $0 \leq s \leq k$ . By Theorem 1.12 each  $p_s(f) \in H^p(T^\omega)$  for  $1 \leq p < \infty$ , so  $f$  is a finite sum of functions in  $H^p(T^\omega)$  hence  $f \in H^p(T^\omega)$ .

Theorem 1.12 is really a theorem about  $H^1(T^\omega)$  rather than  $L^1(T^\omega)$ . In that context Theorem 1.12 is false. In fact Theorem 1.12 is false even for  $L^1(T^2)$  and hence for  $L^1(T^\omega)$ .

If  $j$  is a positive integer or  $\infty$ , we define homogeneity for arbitrary functions in  $L^1(T^j)$  as follows: If  $f \in L^1(T^j)$ , we say  $f$  is homogeneous of degree  $s$  if

$$\hat{f}(x) = 0 \text{ if } x \in \sum_{i=1}^j \mathbb{Z} \text{ and } \sum x_i \neq s.$$

To show that Theorem 1.12 can't be extended to  $L^1(T^2)$ , we shall construct for every  $p > 1$  and for every positive integer  $N$ , a homo-

geneous polynomial  $f$  of degree 0 on  $T^2$  such that

$$\begin{aligned}\|f\|_1 &= 1 \\ \|f\|_p &\geq N.\end{aligned}$$

For given  $p > 1$ , find a trigonometric polynomial  $b$  defined on  $T$  such that

$$\begin{aligned}\|b\|_1 &= 1 \\ \|b\|_p &\geq N\end{aligned}$$

where  $b(z_1)$  has Fourier series

$$b(z_1) = \sum_{k=0}^t a_k z_1^k.$$

Define the polynomial  $f$  by

$$f(z_1, z_2) = \sum_{k=0}^t a_k z_1^k z_2^{-k}.$$

We wish to compute the norm of  $f$  in  $L^1(T^2)$  and in  $L^p(T^2)$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\|f\|_1 &= \int_{T^2} |f(z_1, z_2)| dm_1(z_1) dm_2(z_2) \\ &= \int_{T^2} \left| \sum_{k=0}^t a_k (z_1 z_2^{-1})^k \right| dm_1(z_1) dm_2(z_2) \\ &= \int_{T^2} \left| \sum_{k=0}^t a_k (z_1)^k \right| dm_1(z_1) dm_2(z_2) = \int_T \|b\|_1 dm_2(z_2) = \int_T 1 dm_2(z_2) = 1.\end{aligned}$$

The crucial equality in equation (4) is justified by the translation invariance of  $dm_1(z_1)$ . By a similar computation we have

$$\|f\|_p = \|b\|_p \geq N$$

and this provides the desired counterexample.

**2. A convergence theorem for  $H^p(T^\omega)$ .** By the M. Riesz theorem on conjugate functions [8], if  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $f \in H^p(T)$ , then

$$f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{s=0}^n a_s z_1^s, \quad a_s = \hat{f}(s)$$

in the norm of  $H^p(T)$ . In our terminology this can be written

$$f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{s=0}^n {}_1P_s(f).$$

The next theorem gives an analogous result for  $H^p(T^\omega)$ . The proof uses a theorem about ordered groups so we digress for a moment to define the relevant terms.



Suppose  $\Gamma$  is a discrete abelian group and  $P$  is a subset of  $\Gamma$  with the following properties:

1. If  $\gamma_1 \in P$  and  $\gamma_2 \in P$  then  $\gamma_1 + \gamma_2 \in P$ .

If  $-P$  denotes the set whose elements are the inverses of the elements of  $P$  then we have

2.  $P \cap (-P) = \{0\}$

3.  $P \cup (-P) = \Gamma$ .

Under these conditions  $P$  induces an order in  $\Gamma$  as follows: For  $\gamma_1$  and  $\gamma_2$  elements of  $\Gamma$ , say  $\gamma_1 \geq \gamma_2$  if  $\gamma_1 - \gamma_2 \in P$ . It is easy to check that this is a linear order. A given group may have many different orders corresponding to different choices of  $P$  with the three properties above.

DEFINITION 2.1. Suppose  $G$  is a compact abelian group whose dual group  $\Gamma$  is ordered. Let  $f$  be a trigonometric polynomial on  $G$  with Fourier series

$$f(g) \sim \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} a_\gamma(g, \gamma) .$$

Define  $\Phi(f)$  by

$$\Phi(f)(g) \sim \sum_{\substack{\gamma \in \Gamma \\ \gamma \geq 0}} a_\gamma(g, \gamma) .$$

We shall need the following generalization of the M. Riesz theorem on conjugate functions. It is due to Bochner [1].

THEOREM 2.2. Suppose  $1 < p < \infty$ . Then there exists a constant  $A_p$ , independent of  $G$  or the particular order in  $\Gamma$  such that if  $f$  is a trigonometric polynomial on  $G$ , then

$$\|\Phi(f)\|_p \leq A_p \|f\|_p .$$

THEOREM 2.3. Let  $1 < p < \infty$ . Then if  $f \in H^p(T^\omega)$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{s=0}^n P_s(f) = f$$

in the norm of  $H^p(T^\omega)$ .

*Proof.* Fix  $p$ . Define  $Y_n$  by

$$Y_n(f) = \sum_{s=0}^n P_s(f) \text{ if } f \in H^p(T^\omega) .$$

Clearly trigonometric polynomials are dense in  $H^p(T^\omega)$  and

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Y_n(f) = f$$

whenever  $f$  is a trigonometric polynomial. It remains to show that the family  $\{Y_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  is uniformly bounded on trigonometric polynomials, i.e.

$$\|Y_n(f)\|_p \leq K \|f\|_p$$

$f$  a trigonometric polynomial where  $K$  is a positive constant independent of  $n$  and  $f$ . Then by a standard argument in functional analysis, the proof is complete. I shall show that the norm of  $Y_n$  is majorized by  $A_p$ , where  $A_p$  is the constant of Theorem 2.2.

Our first task is to induce an order in  $\sum_{i=1}^\infty Z$  so that we can apply Theorem 2.2. First choose a family  $\{d_i\}_{i=1}^\infty$  of real numbers which satisfies the following properties:

1.  $d_1 = -1$ ,  $-1 < d_i < -n/(n+1)$  for  $i \neq 1$ .
2. The set  $\{d_i\}$  is independent in the group sense as a subset of the reals.

We define a homomorphism from  $\sum_{i=1}^\infty Z$  into the reals by

$$\begin{aligned} \pi: \sum_{i=1}^\infty &\longrightarrow R \\ x &\longmapsto \sum_{i=1}^\infty d_i x_i. \end{aligned}$$

$\pi$  is clearly a homomorphism; since the  $d_i$  are linearly independent, it has a trivial kernel, i.e. if  $\pi(x) = 0$  then  $x = 0$ . Define

$$P = \left\{ x: x \in \sum_{i=1}^\infty Z \text{ and } \pi(x) \geq 0 \right\}.$$

Then  $P$  satisfies the necessary properties to induce an order in  $\sum_{i=1}^\infty Z$ . If  $f(g)$  is an arbitrary trigonometric polynomial on  $T^\omega$  define a trigonometric polynomial  $f_1(g)$  as follows:

$$f_1(g) = z_1^{-n}(g)f(g).$$

Let  $f(g) = \Sigma a_x(g, x)$ . Then

$$f_1(g) = z_1^{-n}(g)f(g) = \Sigma a_x(g, -nz_1)(g, x) = \Sigma a_x(g, x - nz_1)$$

and

$$\phi(f_1) = \sum_{\pi(x - nz_1) \geq 0} a_x(g, x - nz_1).$$

If  $\pi(x - nz_1) \geq 0$ , then

$$0 \leq \pi(x - nz_1) = \pi(x) + \pi(-nz_1) = \pi(x) - n\pi(z_1) = \pi(x) + n$$

and  $\pi(x) \geq -n$ . But  $\pi(x) = \Sigma d_i x_i$ , and by using property 1 of  $\{d_i\}$  it is clear that  $\pi(x) \geq -n$  if and only if  $\Sigma x_i \leq n$ . So  $\phi(f_1) = \Sigma a_x(g, x - nz_1)$ .

Then it is easy to compute that  $\Sigma x_i \leq n$

$$z_1^n \Phi(f_1) = \sum_{i=1}^n P_i(f) = Y_n(f) .$$

By Theorem 2.2 we have that

$$\|\Phi(f_1)\|_p \leq A_p \|f_1\|_p .$$

So we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|Y_n(f)\|_p &= \|z_1^n \Phi(f_1)\|_p = \|\Phi f_1\|_p \leq A_p \|f_1\|_p \\ &= A_p \|z_1^{-n} f\|_p = A_p \|f\|_p , \end{aligned}$$

so the norm of  $Y_n$  is less than or equal to  $A_p$  and the proof is complete.

**3. The complementation problem.** The next theorem shows that  $H^p(T^\omega)$  is uncomplemented as a subspace of  $L^p(T^\omega)$  if  $p \neq 2$ . This is in contrast to  $H^p(T^n)$  which is complemented in  $L^p(T^n)$  except when  $p = 1$  or  $p = \infty$ . Although other examples of uncomplemented subspaces of an  $L^p$  space are known,  $H^p(T^\omega)$  has the advantage of being defined in a concrete way.

**DEFINITION 3.1.** Let  $G$  be a compact abelian group. If  $f \in L^1(G)$  let  $f_{g_0}$  denote the  $g_0$ -translate of  $f$  where

$$f_{g_0}(g) = f(g_0 + g) .$$

**LEMMA 3.2.** Let  $G$  be a compact abelian group with dual group  $\Gamma$ . Suppose  $1 \leq p < \infty$  and that  $T$  is a bounded projection from  $L^p(G)$  onto  $L^p_E(G)$ . Then a linear operator  $Q$  can be defined by

$$Q(f) = \int_G [T(f_g)]_{-g} dm(g) \quad f \in L^p(G) ,$$

where the integral is the Bochner integral.

$Q$  is the natural projection from  $L^p(G)$  onto  $L^p_E(G)$ , i.e., if  $f \in L^p(G)$  then  $Q(f)$  is defined by its Fourier transform as follows:

$$\widehat{Q(f)}(x) = \begin{cases} \widehat{f}(x) & x \in E \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} .$$

*Proof.* The proof for the case  $G = T, \Gamma = \mathbb{Z}, E = \mathbb{Z}^+, p = 1$  is given [4, page 154]. The proof in the general case is analogous.

**THEOREM 3.3.** Suppose  $p \neq 2$ , then  $H^p(T^\omega)$  is uncomplemented as subspace of  $L^p(T^\omega)$ .

*Proof.* If  $p = 1$  or  $p = \infty$ , there is really nothing to prove. There is a theorem in [4, pp.154-155] which proves that  $H^1(T)$  is uncomplemented in  $L^1(T)$ , and that  $H^\infty(T)$  is uncomplemented in  $L^\infty(T)$ . Then since  $H^i(T)$  and  $L^i(T)$  can be isometrically embedded into  $H^i(T^\omega)$  and  $L^i(T^\omega)$  respectively for  $i = 1, \infty$ , the theorem is proved for  $p = 1$  or  $p = \infty$ . In any case the argument which follows is valid for  $p = 1$ , and with slight modifications for  $p = \infty$ .

Let  $S$  be the natural projection from  $L^p(T^\omega)$  into  $H^p(T^\omega)$  which is defined on trigonometric polynomials by

$$\begin{aligned} S: L^p(T^\omega) &\longrightarrow H^p(T^\omega) \\ f &\longmapsto S(f) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\widehat{S(f)}(x) = \begin{cases} \hat{f}(x) & \text{if } x \in A \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

We wish to show that  $S$  can't be extended to a bounded operator defined on all of  $L^p(T^\omega)$ . To do this it is sufficient to find trigonometric polynomials  $f_n$  on  $T^\omega$  such that

$$(5) \quad \|f_n\|_p = 1$$

$$(6) \quad \|S(f_n)\|_p = (1 + \varepsilon)^n \quad \text{where } \varepsilon > 0.$$

By [8, p.295, Ex. 2] we can find a trigonometric polynomial  $h$  defined on  $T$  so that

$$h(z_1) = \sum_{k=-n}^n a_k z_1^k \quad \|h\|_p = 1$$

and if

$$h_+(z_1) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k z_1^k$$

then we have

$$\|h_+\|_p = 1 + \varepsilon$$

where  $\varepsilon$  is some positive number which depends upon  $p$ . Consider the trigonometric polynomial  $r$  defined on  $T^2$  by

$$r(z_1, z_2) = h(z_1)h(z_2) = \left( \sum_{k=-n}^n a_k z_1^k \right) \left( \sum_{k=-n}^n a_k z_2^k \right).$$

Define  $r_+$  by

$$r_+(z_1, z_2) = h_+(z_1)h_+(z_2) = \left( \sum_{k=0}^n a_k z_1^k \right) \left( \sum_{k=0}^n a_k z_2^k \right).$$

Then it is easy to compute that

$$\begin{aligned}\|r\|_p &= \|h\|_p^2 = 1 \\ \|r_+\|_p &= (\|h_+\|_p)^2 = (1 + \varepsilon)^2.\end{aligned}$$

We define trigonometric polynomials on  $T^\omega$  by

$$f_1 = I_1(h) \quad f_2 = I_2(r)$$

where  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  were defined in equation (1). It is easy to check that

$$S(f_1) = I_1(h_+) \quad S(f_2) = I_2(r_+)$$

and since  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  are isometries we have

$$\begin{aligned}\|f_1\|_p &= \|I_1(h)\|_p = \|h\|_p = 1 \\ \|S(f_1)\|_p &= \|I_1(h_+)\|_p = \|h_+\|_p = 1 + \varepsilon \\ \|f_2\|_p &= \|I_2(r)\|_p = \|r\|_p = 1 \\ \|S(f_2)\|_p &= \|I_2(r_+)\|_p = \|r_+\|_p = (1 + \varepsilon)^2.\end{aligned}$$

By a similar argument we can construct trigonometric polynomials  $f_3, f_4, \dots$  and hence  $f_n$  for any  $n$  and  $f_n$  will satisfy equations (5) and (6). This shows that the natural projection from  $L^p(T^\omega)$  into  $H^p(T^\omega)$  isn't bounded. To finish the proof we must show there is no bounded projection of any kind from  $L^p(T^\omega)$  into  $H^p(T^\omega)$  which is the identity when restricted to  $H^p(T^\omega)$ .

Suppose there exists  $\tilde{S}$  a linear transformation from  $L^p(T^\omega)$  into  $H^p(T^\omega)$  which is the identity when restricted to  $H^p(T^\omega)$ . Define a linear operator  $Q$  by

$$Q(f) = \int_{T^\omega} [\tilde{S}(f_g)]_{-g} dm(g)$$

where the integral is the Bochner integral. Then  $Q$  is a bounded linear operator from  $L^p(T^\omega)$  into  $H^p(T^\omega)$  and by Lemma 3.2 we have that  $Q = S$ , where  $S$  is the natural projection from  $L^p(T^\omega)$  into  $H^p(T^\omega)$ . But we know that  $S$  isn't a bounded projection and this provides the contradiction which finishes the proof.

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