



Tensor Sum of Infinitesimal Generators

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Abstract. Let \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{B} be C^* -algebras, and let δ be a derivation on the tensor product $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ endowed with a uniform cross norm. In this paper, we present a decomposition for δ as $\delta = \Delta \otimes id + id \otimes \nabla$, where id stands for the identity operator and Δ and ∇ are derivations on \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{B} , respectively. Moreover, the concept of flow on the tensor product of C^* -algebras and some properties of tensor sum are investigated.

1. Introduction and Preliminaries

Let \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{K} be two Hilbert spaces as state spaces, which correspond to isolated physical systems $S_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $S_{\mathcal{K}}$, respectively. Then, if we consider the set of these two systems to form one physical system S , then the state space of the global system S is $\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{K}$. Also there is a unique inner product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ on algebraic tensor product $\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{K}$ such that $\langle x \otimes y, x' \otimes y' \rangle = \langle x, x' \rangle \langle y, y' \rangle$ for all $x, x' \in \mathcal{H}$ and all $y, y' \in \mathcal{K}$. The norm in $\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{K}$ defined by the inner product is certainly a cross norm, i.e. $\|x \otimes y\| = \|x\| \|y\|$. In this paper we use $\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{K}$ for the Hilbert space tensor product of \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{K} . Moreover, if \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{B} are two C^* -algebra, then we denote the spatial tensor product of \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{B} by $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. It is known that if Δ and ∇ are some observables (self-adjoint operators) acting on \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{K} , respectively, then the tensor product $\Delta \otimes \nabla$ is an observable in $\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{K}$, which is equal to $(\Delta \otimes id)(id \otimes \nabla)$, where id 's stand for the identity operators in \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{K} , respectively; see [7, Section 6.3]. In particular, if Δ and ∇ are two angular momentum operators, generators of rotations in different spaces, then the total angular momentum δ , the infinitesimal generator of rotation, is now made up of two parts, namely, $\delta = \Delta \otimes id + id \otimes \nabla$; see [13]. In this paper, we establish such operators and investigate some of its significant properties, and usually called the *tensor sum*. For more information about the tensor sum, the interested reader is referred to [6, 12, 15].

The concept of the *infinitesimal generator* of two-parameter semigroups (flow) has been presented by Hille and Phillips [10], Trotter [14], Abdelaziz [1]. It turns out that the definition given by Trotter and Abdelaziz is the definition of an infinitesimal generator for a section of the semigroup. The definition of infinitesimal generator of two-parameter semigroups gave by Arora [2]. Moreover, a generalization of the above definitions was given by Sarif and Khalil [4].

Let \mathcal{A} be a C^* -algebra and G be a locally compact topological group, and let $\mathbf{Aut}(\mathcal{A})$ be the group of automorphisms on \mathcal{A} . A strongly continuous group homomorphism $\alpha : G \rightarrow \mathbf{Aut}(\mathcal{A})$ is called a G -flow over \mathcal{A} . If α is a G -flow over the C^* -algebra \mathcal{A} , $t \in G$ and $x \in \mathcal{A}$, then we simply denote $\alpha(t)x$ and $\alpha(t)$ by

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$\alpha_t(x)$ and α_t , respectively. To simplify an \mathbb{R} -flow is called a flow, whenever \mathbb{R} is the set of real numbers. Moreover, the *infinitesimal generator* of α , denoted by δ_α , is defined by $\delta_\alpha := \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_t - id}{t}$. One can easily prove that δ_α is a derivation from $D(\delta_\alpha)$ into \mathcal{A} , where $D(\delta_\alpha) = \{x \in \mathcal{A} : \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_t(x) - x}{t} \text{ exist}\}$. A subspace E of $D(\delta_\alpha)$ is called a *core* for δ_α if E is dense in $D(\delta_\alpha)$ under the graph norm $\|x\|_\delta = \|x\| + \|\delta_\alpha(x)\|$. Further information about the generator and properties involving the flow can be found in [5, 9, 11].

In this paper, we give a new finder method of the infinitesimal generator for two parameter semigroups as flow. Section 2 is devoted to establish the concept of flow on the tensor product of C^* -algebras. We show that if $\alpha = \{\alpha_t\}_{t \in G}$ and $\beta = \{\beta_s\}_{s \in H}$ are two families of operators on the C^* -algebras \mathcal{A} , \mathcal{B} , respectively, then $\alpha \otimes \beta$ is a flow on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ if and only if α, β are two flows on \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} , respectively. The purpose of Section 3 is to study the concepts of tensor sum and the infinitesimal generator on the tensor product of C^* -algebras. We show that if \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} are C^* -algebras, $\{\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s\}$ is a flow over $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ and δ is the infinitesimal generator for $\alpha \otimes \beta$, then

$$\delta(z) = \text{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta_s) \Big|_{(t,s)=(0,0)} (z),$$

for all $z \in \mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. Moreover, if α, β are some flows for the C^* -algebras \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} res., then it is shown that $\delta_{\alpha \otimes \beta} = \delta_\alpha \otimes id + id \otimes \delta_\beta$. Among the other results of this section, we show that the infinitesimal generator of a flow $\alpha \otimes \beta$ is closed and the domain of a tensor sum is its core. Furthermore, some properties of the tensor sum in the finite-dimensional case are established.

2. Tensor Product of Flows

In this section, we investigate the concept of flow on the tensor product of C^* -algebras. According to the universal property of the tensor product, for every pair of operators α on a C^* -algebra \mathcal{A} and β on a C^* -algebras \mathcal{B} , there exists a unique operator $\alpha \otimes \beta$ on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ such that $\alpha \otimes \beta(x \otimes y) = \alpha(x) \otimes \beta(y)$; see [8].

Let \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} be C^* -algebras, and let G, H be locally compact topological groups with identity elements e_1, e_2 , respectively. If $\alpha = \{\alpha_t\}_{t \in G}, \beta = \{\beta_s\}_{s \in H}$ are families of operators on \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} , respectively, then the family $\{\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s\}$ is called tensor product (G, H) -flow on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$, when $\alpha_{e_1} \otimes \beta_{e_2} = id_{\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}}$ and $\alpha \otimes \beta := \{\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s\}_{(t,s) \in G \times H}$ is a family of group homomorphisms from $G \times H$ into $\mathbf{Aut}(\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B})$ such that the map $(t, s) \mapsto (\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s)z$ is continuous for each $z \in \mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. By a $*$ -flow we mean that every $\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s$ is a $*$ -map for all $t \in G$ and all $s \in H$.

Lemma 2.1. *Let \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} be C^* -algebras, and let G, H be two groups. If $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in G}, \{\beta_s\}_{s \in H}$ are families of operators on \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} , then the following conditions are equivalent:*

- (i) $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in G}(\{\beta_s\}_{s \in H})$ is a G -flow (H -flow) on \mathcal{A} (\mathcal{B}).
- (ii) $\{\alpha_t \otimes id\}_{t \in G}(\{id \otimes \beta_s\}_{s \in H})$ is a G -flow (H -flow) on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$.

Proof. ((i) \implies (ii)) Let α be a G -flow on \mathcal{A} , and let $x \in \mathcal{A}$. Then we have $\alpha_{e_1} \otimes id = id \otimes id$ and $\alpha_{tu} \otimes id = \alpha_t \alpha_u \otimes id = (\alpha_t \otimes id)(\alpha_u \otimes id)$. Moreover, for any non-zero $x \otimes y \in \mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ we assert that

$$\|(\alpha_t \otimes id)(x \otimes y) - x \otimes y\| = \|\alpha_t(x) - x\| \|y\|. \tag{1}$$

Therefore, the strong continuity of $\alpha_t \otimes id$ follows from (1) and the strong continuity of α_t .

((ii) \implies (i)) Suppose that $\alpha_t \otimes id$ is a G -flow on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$, and $x \in \mathcal{A}$. Using (1), we conclude the strong continuity of α_t . Moreover, for any non-zero element $y \in \mathcal{B}$ it holds that

$$\|\alpha_{tu}(x) - \alpha_t(x)\alpha_u(x)\| \|y\| = \|(\alpha_{tu} \otimes id - \alpha_t \alpha_u \otimes id)(x \otimes y)\| = 0.$$

Since y is a non-zero element in \mathcal{B} , we get $\alpha_{tu} = \alpha_t \alpha_u$. Similarly, we see that β is a H -flow on \mathcal{B} if and only if $id \otimes \beta$, so is. \square

Lemma 2.2. *Let \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} be C^* -algebras and $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}, \{\beta_s\}_{s \in \mathbb{R}}$ be two families of operators on \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{B} , respectively. Then $\{\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s\}_{t,s \in \mathbb{R}}$ is strongly continuous if and only if $\{\alpha_t\}$ and $\{\beta_s\}$ are strongly continuous.*

Proof. Suppose that $\{\alpha_t\}$ and $\{\beta_s\}$ are strongly continuous on \mathcal{A} , \mathcal{B} , respectively. We shall show that $(t, s) \mapsto (\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s)z$ is continuous for all z in $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. Since the algebraic product on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ is continuous, we have

$$\lim_{(t,s) \rightarrow (0,0)} \alpha_t \otimes \beta_s(z) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} (\alpha_t \otimes id)z \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} (id \otimes \beta_s)z = (id \otimes id)z.$$

It follows that $\lim_{(t,s) \rightarrow (0,0)} \|\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s(z) - z\| = 0$. The converse immediately follows from Lemma 2.1. \square

Let $\alpha = \{\alpha_t\}_{t \in G}$, $\beta = \{\beta_s\}_{s \in H}$ be families of operators on C^* -algebras \mathcal{A} , \mathcal{B} , respectively. Then it is easy to check that $\alpha \otimes \beta$ is a flow on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ if and only if α and β are two flows on \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{B} , respectively. Indeed, If $x \otimes y, x' \otimes y'$ are in $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$, then $\alpha \otimes \beta [(x \otimes y)(x' \otimes y')] = \alpha(xx') \otimes \beta(yy') = (\alpha(x) \otimes \beta(y))(\alpha(x') \otimes \beta(y'))$. Hence, $\alpha \otimes \beta$ is group homomorphism if and only if α, β are. The remainder of the proof is analogous to that of Lemmas 2.1 and 2.2.

Furthermore, if $\alpha \otimes \beta$ is a tensor product $*$ -flow on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$, then $\|\alpha \otimes \beta\| = 1$. Indeed, Let $z \in \mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. If z is a self-adjoint element, then $sp(\alpha \otimes \beta(z)) \subseteq sp(z)$ and $\|(\alpha \otimes \beta)z\| \leq \|z\|$ so $\|\alpha \otimes \beta\| \leq 1$. If z is arbitrary, then

$$\begin{aligned} \|(\alpha \otimes \beta)z\|^2 &= \|(\alpha \otimes \beta)z((\alpha \otimes \beta)z)^*\| = \|(\alpha \otimes \beta)z(\alpha \otimes \beta)z^*\| \\ &= \|(\alpha \otimes \beta)zz^*\| \leq \|zz^*\| = \|z\|^2. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\|\alpha \otimes \beta\| \leq 1$. Moreover,

$$1 = \|id\| = \|(\alpha \otimes \beta)(\alpha \otimes \beta)^{-1}\| \leq \|\alpha \otimes \beta\| \|(\alpha \otimes \beta)^{-1}\| \leq \|\alpha \otimes \beta\|.$$

Consequently, $\|\alpha \otimes \beta\| = 1$.

3. main result

In this section, we discuss about our main theorem and to this end we get the following theorem.

Theorem 3.1. *Let \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} be C^* -algebras, and let $\alpha \otimes \beta = \{\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s\}$ be a flow on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. If δ is the infinitesimal generator for $\alpha \otimes \beta$, then*

$$\lim_{(t,s) \rightarrow (0,0)} \left\| \frac{\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s - id \otimes id}{\|(t, s)\|} - \text{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta_s) \right\| = 0. \tag{2}$$

Proof. We can write

$$\begin{aligned} &\left\| \alpha_t \otimes \beta_s - id \otimes id - \|(t, s)\| \text{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta_s) \right\| \\ &= \left\| \alpha_t \otimes \beta_s - id \otimes id - \|(t, s)\| \frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\alpha_t \otimes id) - \|(t, s)\| \frac{\partial}{\partial s}(id \otimes \beta_s) \right\| \\ &= \left\| s(\alpha_t \otimes id) \left(\frac{id \otimes \beta_s - id \otimes id}{s} \right) - \|(t, s)\| \frac{\partial}{\partial s}(id \otimes \beta_s) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + t \left(\frac{\alpha_t \otimes id - id \otimes id}{t} \right) - \|(t, s)\| \frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\alpha_t \otimes id) \right\|. \end{aligned}$$

Now, divide both sides by $\|(t, s)\|$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \frac{\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s - id \otimes id}{\|(t, s)\|} - \text{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta_s) \right\| &\leq \left\| \frac{|s|}{\|(t, s)\|} (\alpha_t \otimes id) \frac{id \otimes \beta_s - id \otimes id}{s} - \frac{\partial}{\partial s}(id \otimes \beta_s) \right\| \\ &\quad + \left\| \frac{|t|}{\|(t, s)\|} \frac{\alpha_t \otimes id - id \otimes id}{t} - \frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\alpha_t \otimes id) \right\|. \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

If we take the limit on both sides (3.2) as $(t, s) \rightarrow (0, 0)$, we obtain (2). \square

Corollary 3.2. Let \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} be C^* -algebras, and let $\{\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s\}$ be a flow on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. If δ is the infinitesimal generator for $\alpha \otimes \beta$, then

$$\delta(z) = \text{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta_s) \Big|_{(t,s)=(0,0)} (z),$$

for all $z \in \mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$.

Corollary 3.3. If δ is the infinitesimal generator of the flow $\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s$ over the C^* -algebra $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$, then δ is a derivation from subalgebra $D(\delta)$ into $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$, where $D(\delta)$ is the set of all elements in $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ such that $\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s$ is differentiable at origin.

Proof. The linearity and Leibniz properties directly follows from Corollary 3.2. \square

Theorem 3.4. If α, β are some flows for the C^* -algebras \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} res., then $\delta_{\alpha \otimes \beta} = \delta_\alpha \otimes id + id \otimes \delta_\beta$.

Proof. Let $E = \{a \in \mathcal{A} : \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_t(a) - a}{t} \text{ exists}\}$ and $F = \{b \in \mathcal{B} : \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{\beta_s(b) - b}{s} \text{ exists}\}$. Define $\delta_\alpha : E \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ by $\delta_\alpha(a) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_t(a) - a}{t}$ and $\delta_\beta : F \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ by $\delta_\beta(b) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{\beta_s(b) - b}{s}$. Since $\delta_{\alpha \otimes \beta}$ is infinitesimal generator of the flow $\alpha \otimes \beta$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_{\alpha \otimes \beta}(a \otimes b) &= \text{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta_s) \Big|_{(t,s)=(0,0)} (a \otimes b) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\alpha_t \otimes id) \Big|_{t=0} (a \otimes b) + \frac{\partial}{\partial s}(id \otimes \beta_s) \Big|_{s=0} (a \otimes b) \\ &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_t \otimes id(a \otimes b) - \alpha_0 \otimes id(a \otimes b)}{t} + \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{id \otimes \beta_s(a \otimes b) - id \otimes \beta_0(a \otimes b)}{s} \\ &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_t(a) - a}{t} \otimes b + a \otimes \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{\beta_s(b) - b}{s} = \delta_\alpha(a) \otimes b + a \otimes \delta_\beta(b). \end{aligned}$$

\square

Example 3.5. Let $\mathcal{A} = \left\{ f : \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} p_n z^n, \|f\|^2 = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} |p_n|^2 < +\infty \right\}$, where \mathbb{D} is an open disc in the complex plan. Define $\alpha_t : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$, given by

$$\alpha_t(f) = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} p_n (1+n)^{-t} \omega_n, \quad (t > 0),$$

such that $\omega_n(z) = z^n$, for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$. One can show that α_t is a flow. Moreover, if δ_α is the infinitesimal generator of α , we can write

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_\alpha(f) &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_t(f) - f}{t} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} p_n (1+n)^{-t} \omega_n - \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} p_n \omega_n}{t} \\ &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} p_n (1+n)^{-t} \ln \frac{1}{1+n} \omega_n = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} p_n \ln \frac{1}{1+n} \omega_n. \end{aligned}$$

Let $f = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} p_n \omega_n$ and $g = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} q_n \omega_n$. Then we have $f \otimes g = (\sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} p_n \omega_n)(\sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} q_n \omega_n) = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} r_n \omega_n$, where $r_n = \sum_{k=0}^n p_k q_{n-k}$. Consider another flow β_s on \mathcal{A} with associated infinitesimal generator δ_β . Then $(\delta_\alpha \otimes id + id \otimes \delta_\beta)(f \otimes g) =$

$\sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} r_n \ln \frac{1}{(1+n)^2} \omega_n$. On the other hand, if δ is the infinitesimal generator of $\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_{\alpha \otimes \beta}(f \otimes g) &= \operatorname{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta) \Big|_{(t,s)=(0,0)} (f \otimes g) \\ &= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} r_n (1+n)^{-t} \omega_n + \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} r_n (1+n)^{-s} \omega_n \right) \Big|_{(t,s)=(0,0)} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} r_n \ln \frac{1}{1+n} \omega_n + \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} r_n \ln \frac{1}{1+n} \omega_n = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} r_n \ln \frac{1}{(1+n)^2} \omega_n. \end{aligned}$$

This show that $\delta_{\alpha \otimes \beta} = \delta_\alpha \otimes id + id \otimes \delta_\beta$.

We use the symbol $\delta(\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s)$ to mean that $\delta(\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s) = \operatorname{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta_s)$. Corollary 3.2 implies that $\delta(\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s)|_{(0,0)} = \delta_{\alpha \otimes \beta}$.

Proposition 3.6. Let $\alpha \otimes \beta$ be the infinitesimal generator of a derivation over the C^* -algebra $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. Then there exist derivations δ_α on \mathcal{A} and δ_β on \mathcal{B} such that

$$\delta(\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s) = \alpha_t \delta_\alpha \otimes id + id \otimes \delta_\beta \beta_s.$$

Proof. Using Theorem 3.4 there exist derivations $\delta_\alpha, \delta_\beta$ given by $\delta_\alpha = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_t - id}{t}$ and $\delta_\beta = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{\beta_s - id}{s}$. Now, we see that

$$\begin{aligned} \delta(\alpha_t \otimes \beta_s) &= \operatorname{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta_s) = \frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\alpha_t \otimes id) + \frac{\partial}{\partial s}(id \otimes \beta_s) \\ &= \alpha_t \left(\lim_{p \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_p - id}{p} \right) \otimes id + id \otimes \left(\lim_{q \rightarrow 0} \frac{\beta_q - id}{q} \right) \beta_s \\ &= \alpha_t \delta_\alpha \otimes id + id \otimes \delta_\beta \beta_s. \end{aligned}$$

□

Similarly, we can prove $\delta(\alpha \otimes \beta) = \delta_\alpha \alpha \otimes id + id \otimes \beta \delta_\beta$.

Corollary 3.7. Let δ be infinitesimal generator of the flow $\alpha \otimes \beta$ over the C^* -algebra $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. Then

$$\delta \left(\int_0^t \int_0^s \alpha_p \otimes \beta_q dq dp \right) = s(\alpha_t - id) \otimes id + id \otimes (\beta_s - id)t.$$

Proof. It follows form The Fubini's theorem that

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \left(\int_0^t \int_0^s \alpha_p \otimes \beta_q dq dp \right) &= \int_0^t \int_0^s (\delta_\alpha \alpha_p \otimes id + id \otimes \beta_q \delta_\beta) dq dp \\ &= s \int_0^t \delta_\alpha \alpha_p \otimes id dp + t \int_0^s id \otimes \beta_q \delta_\beta dq \\ &= s(\alpha_t \otimes id - id \otimes id) + t(id \otimes \beta_s - id \otimes id) \\ &= s(\alpha_t - id) \otimes id + id \otimes (\beta_s - id)t. \end{aligned}$$

□

Let $\delta : A \rightarrow B$ be a linear operator between two Banach spaces A and B over the same field of scalars. If $G(\delta)$ is the graph of δ , the set of all pairs (a, b) such that $b = \delta(a)$, then δ is closed if and only if $G(\delta)$ is a closed subset of the Cartesian product space $A \times B$. Moreover, the term $\int_0^t \int_0^s \alpha_p \otimes \beta_q dq dp$ is usually denoted by $\Phi_{t,s}$ and the term $s(\alpha_t - id) \otimes id + id \otimes (\beta_s - id)t$ is denoted by $\Psi_{t,s}$. With these notations, we have $\delta \Phi_{t,s} = \Psi_{t,s}$.

Proposition 3.8. *If δ is infinitesimal generator of flow $\alpha \otimes \beta$, then δ is closed.*

Proof. We show that $G(\delta)$ is a closed set. Let $z \in \overline{D(\delta)}$. If $\{z_n\} \subseteq D(\delta)$, $z_n \rightarrow z$ and $\delta(z_n) \rightarrow w$ implies $z \in D(\delta)$ and $\delta(z) = w$. To this end,

$$\begin{aligned} \delta(z) &= \text{div}((\alpha_t \otimes id)z, (id \otimes \beta)z) \Big|_{(t,s)=(0,0)} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \text{div}(\alpha_t \otimes id, id \otimes \beta) \Big|_{(t,s)=(0,0)} z_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \delta(z_n) = w. \end{aligned}$$

□

A subspace S of $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ is said to be $\alpha \otimes \beta$ -invariant if $(\alpha \otimes \beta)S \subseteq S$. It is easy to check that if $\delta_{\alpha \otimes \beta}$ is infinitesimal generator, then $D(\delta)$ is $\alpha \otimes \beta$ -invariant. Moreover, an elaboration of the above arguments shows that if $\Phi_{t,s}$ as in the above, then $\lim_{(t,s) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{1}{ts} \Phi_{t,s} = id \otimes id$. Furthermore, if δ is a derivation on the C^* -algebra $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$, then continuity of δ immediately implies that $\lim_{(t,s) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{1}{ts} \Psi_{t,s} = \delta$.

Theorem 3.9. *Let δ be the infinitesimal generator of $\alpha \otimes \beta$ over $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$, and let E be an $\alpha \otimes \beta$ -invariant dense subspace of $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. Then E is a core for δ .*

Proof. Let $z \in D(\delta)$ so that $z \in \bar{D}^{\|\cdot\|}$. Hence, there is a sequence z_n in D such that

$$\begin{aligned} \|\Phi(z_n) - \Phi(z)\|_\delta &= \|\Phi(z_n) - \Phi(z)\| + \|\delta\Phi(z_n) - \delta\Phi(z)\| \\ &= \|\Phi(z_n - z)\| + \|\Psi(z_n) - \Psi(z)\|. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\{\Phi(z_n)\}$ is a sequence in D , the limit of $\{\Phi(z_n)\}$ is in \bar{D} . Moreover,

$$\left\| \frac{1}{ts} \Phi(z) - z \right\|_\delta = \left\| \frac{1}{ts} \Phi(z) - z \right\| + \left\| \frac{1}{ts} \delta\Phi(z) - \delta(z) \right\| \rightarrow 0,$$

which implies that $z \in \bar{D}^{\|\cdot\|}$. □

Corollary 3.10. *The domain of a tensor sum is its core.*

Proof. It immediately follows from the fact that the domain of a tensor sum is invariant under its flow and it is a dense subspace. □

3.1. More on the properties of Tensor Sum

Definition 3.11. *An operator δ on the tensor product of C^* -algebras $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ is called tensor summable if there exist two operators Δ, ∇ over \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{B} , respectively, such that $\delta = \Delta \otimes id + id \otimes \nabla$ and we write $\delta = \Delta \boxplus \nabla$. Moreover, the tensor difference of Δ and ∇ , denoted by $\Delta \boxminus \nabla$, is defined by $\Delta \boxminus \nabla := \Delta \otimes id - id \otimes \nabla$.*

Basic operations with tensor sum of operators are summarized as follow. If the notation \mathbb{F} will mean that is the set of all scalars, and the set of all operators on \mathcal{A} is denoted by $Ope(\mathcal{A})$, then for every $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{F}$, $\Delta_1, \Delta_2 \in Ope(\mathcal{A})$ and $\nabla_1, \nabla_2 \in Ope(\mathcal{B})$,

- (a) $\alpha\beta(\beta^{-1}\Delta_1 \boxminus \nabla_1\alpha^{-1}) = \alpha\Delta_1 \boxminus \nabla_1\beta$ where α, β are non-zero,
- (b) $\Delta_1 \boxminus \nabla_1 + \Delta_2 \boxminus \nabla_2 = \Delta_1 \boxminus \nabla_2 + \Delta_2 \boxminus \nabla_1$,
- (c) $\alpha(\Delta_1 \boxminus \nabla_1)\beta = \alpha\Delta_1 \boxminus \nabla_1\beta$,
- (d) $\Delta_1 \boxminus \Delta_1 = \Delta_1 \boxminus id + id \boxminus \Delta_1 - id \boxminus id$,
- (e) $\Delta_1 \boxminus \nabla_1 = \Delta_1 \otimes \nabla_1$ if and only if $\Delta_1 \otimes id$ is a quasi-inverse of $id \otimes \nabla_1$,
- (f) $\|\Delta_1 \boxminus \nabla_1\| = \|\Delta_1\| \|\nabla_1\|$ if and only if $\Delta_1 \otimes id$ is a quasi-inverse of $id \otimes \Delta_1$,
- (g) If $\Delta \neq \lambda id$ for every non zero scalar $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}$, then $\Delta \boxminus \nabla \neq 0$,
- (h) $-(\Delta_1 \boxminus \nabla_1) = -\Delta_1 \boxminus -\nabla_1$,
- (k) $(\Delta \boxminus \nabla)(\Delta \boxminus \nabla) = \Delta^2 \boxminus \nabla^2$, (l) If Δ, ∇ are $*$ -derivations, then $\Delta \boxminus \nabla$ is a $*$ -derivation on $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$. A similar definition enjoying properties (a)-(l) as above can be stated for the Hilbert space tensor products in the setting of Hilber spaces.

Proposition 3.12. Let \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} be unital Banach algebras, and let Δ, ∇ be invertible elements of \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{B} , respectively. If $\|\Delta \otimes \nabla\| < 1$, then $\Delta \boxplus \nabla$ is invertible.

Proof. Invertibility of Δ implies that $\Delta \otimes id$ is invertible. Moreover, we can write

$$\|(\Delta \otimes id)^{-1}(id \otimes \nabla)\| = \|(\Delta^{-1} \otimes id)(id \otimes \nabla)\| = \|\Delta^{-1} \otimes \nabla\| = \|\Delta \otimes \nabla\| < 1.$$

It follows that $1 - (\Delta \otimes id)^{-1}(id \otimes \nabla)$ is invertible. An easy computation shows that

$$(\Delta \otimes id)^{-1}(1 - (\Delta \otimes id)^{-1}(id \otimes \nabla))^{-1}(\Delta \boxplus \nabla) = id \otimes id,$$

which follows that $\Delta \boxplus \nabla$ is left invertible. Similarly we see that $\Delta \boxplus \nabla$ is right invertible. \square

So far we have discussed the tensor sum of the operators honest in Leibniz’s property on C^* -algebras. Finally, we discuss the properties of tensor sum of operators on Hilbert spaces. Recall that if Δ is an operator on a Hilbert space $(\mathcal{H}, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$, and E is an orthonormal basis for \mathcal{H} , then the trace class norm is defined by $\|\Delta\|_1 = \sum_{x \in E} \|\Delta^{1/2}(x)\|^2$. Also, Δ is a trace-class operator if $\|\Delta\|_1 < +\infty$. The trace of a trace-class operator Δ is defined by $tr(\Delta) = \sum_{x \in E} \langle \Delta(x), x \rangle$.

Theorem 3.13. Let Δ and ∇ be trace-class operators on Hilbert spaces \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{K} , respectively. Then $tr(\Delta \boxplus \nabla) = tr(\Delta) + tr(\nabla)$.

Proof. Let E, F be orthonormal basis for Hilbert spaces \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{K} , respectively. Then the set $\{x \otimes y : x \in E, y \in F\}$ is an orthonormal basis for $\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{K}$,

$$\begin{aligned} tr(\Delta \boxplus \nabla) &= tr(\Delta \otimes id + id \otimes \nabla) = tr(\Delta \otimes id) + tr(id \otimes \nabla) \\ &= \sum_{\substack{x \in E \\ y \in F}} \langle \Delta \otimes id(x \otimes y), x \otimes y \rangle + \sum_{\substack{x' \in E \\ y' \in F}} \langle id \otimes \nabla(x' \otimes y'), x' \otimes y' \rangle \\ &= \sum_{\substack{x \in E \\ y \in F}} \langle \Delta x, x \rangle \langle y, y \rangle + \sum_{\substack{x' \in E \\ y' \in F}} \langle x', x' \rangle \langle \nabla y', y' \rangle \\ &= \sum_{x \in E} \langle \Delta x, x \rangle + \sum_{y' \in F} \langle \nabla y', y' \rangle = tr(\Delta) + tr(\nabla). \end{aligned}$$

\square

3.2. Finite dimensional case

Let A and B be finite dimensional vector spaces over a field \mathbb{F} , and let $\{a_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ be a basis of A and $\{b_j : 1 \leq j \leq m\}$ be a basis of B . For $i = 1, \dots, n$ and $j = 1, \dots, m$ set $a_i \otimes b_j = a_i b_j^t$. Then $\{a_i \otimes b_j : 1 \leq i \leq n, 1 \leq j \leq m\}$ is a basis for the some vector space which is denoted by $A \otimes B$, the dimension of $A \otimes B$ is the product of the dimensions of its factors. Suppose that Δ and ∇ are operators on A, B , respectively. Since $\{a_i \otimes b_j : 1 \leq i \leq n, 1 \leq j \leq m\}$ form a basis for $A \otimes B$ so there exists a unique operator $\Delta \otimes \nabla$ on $A \otimes B$ with $\Delta \otimes \nabla(a_i \otimes b_j) = \Delta(a_i) \otimes \nabla(b_j)$. Secondly, $\Delta \otimes \nabla$ also satisfies $\Delta \otimes \nabla(a \otimes b) = \Delta(a) \otimes \nabla(b)$. Now consider two linear transformations $\Delta : A \rightarrow A'$ and $\nabla : B \rightarrow B'$ where A, A', B and B' are finite dimensional vector spaces and let $[\Delta_{ij}]_{m \times n}$ and $[\nabla_{ij}]_{p \times q}$ be matrices of linear transformations Δ and ∇ , respectively. Then the Kronecker product of Δ and ∇ is defined as the block matrix $[\Delta_{ij} \nabla]_{mp \times nq}$ and it is denoted by $\Delta \otimes \nabla$ again. See also [3]. Let m, n be two natural numbers. Then the discrete interval of m, n is denoted by $\langle m, n \rangle$ and define as the set $\{m, m + 1, \dots, n\}$. The set H_{mn} is defined to be the set

$$\begin{aligned} &\langle 1, n \rangle, \langle n + 1, 2n \rangle, \dots, \langle rn - n + 1, rn \rangle, \dots, \\ &\langle sn - n + 1, sn \rangle, \dots, \langle mn - n + 1, mn \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

If $(\Delta \otimes I)_{ij}$ is the entry in row i and column j of the matrix $\Delta \otimes I$ of order m , then $(\Delta \otimes I)_{ij} = \Delta_{rs} \delta_{pq}$, where $i \in \langle rn - n + 1, rn \rangle, j \in \langle sn - n + 1, sn \rangle$, and δ_{pq} denotes the so called Kronecker delta with $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}_n$. (Note that \mathbb{Z}_n is called the additive group of integers modulo n , the set of equivalence classes of \mathbb{Z} under congruence modulo n .) Since the class of zero is equals to the class of n so we may assume that $\{\bar{1}, \bar{2}, \dots, \bar{n}\}$. Similarly, $(I_m \otimes \nabla)_{ij} = \delta_{rs} \nabla_{pq}$.

Theorem 3.14. Let D be a matrix of order k . If there exist natural numbers $m, n \geq 2$ such that $k = mn$, and D is partitioned as m^2 blocks of blocks of order n with this property that each block-diagonal are diagonal adaptable and others blocks of D has the form cI_n for some entry c of D . Then there are matrices Δ, ∇ of order m, n , respectively, such that $D = \Delta \boxplus \nabla$.

Proof. The proof is somewhat numerically but straightforward. Consider two matrices Δ and ∇ of order m, n , respectively. The matrix $\Delta \otimes I_n + I_m \otimes \nabla$ contains $m^2 + n^2$ unknown entries, and each its entry has the form $\Delta_{rs}\delta_{pq} + \delta_{rs}\nabla_{pq}$, where r, s are in the members of H_{mn} and $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}_n$ see the previous argument. The equality $D = \Delta \otimes \nabla$ is obtained if we take $D_{ij} = \Delta_{rs}\delta_{pq} + \delta_{rs}\nabla_{pq}$, where $1 \leq i, j \leq mn$. If $i \neq j$ and D_{ij} lies entirely in one of the diagonal blocks of D then $i, j \in \langle rn - n + 1, rn \rangle$ for some r and $i \in \bar{p}, j \in \bar{q}$ so $p \neq q$. Hence, $D_{ij} = \nabla_{pq}$ for $n^2 - n$ unknown entries of ∇ . But if D_{ij} is outside of the diagonal blocks then D_{ij} lies in a block of the form cI_n for some entry c of D . Therefore $i \in \langle rn - n + 1, rn \rangle, j \in \langle sn - n + 1, sn \rangle$ and $r \neq s$ so that $D_{ij} = \Delta_{rs}\delta_{pq}$ in case $D_{ij} = c$ we have $\delta_{pq} = 1$, then $D_{ij} = \Delta_{rs}$ for $m^2 - m$ unknown entries of Δ , only then solve the linear system contains $m^2 + n^2 - (m^2 - m) - (n^2 - n)$ unknown and mn first order linear equation. Since $m + n \leq mn$ for every natural number opposite of one then it has a solution. \square

Example 3.15. Let

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then $H_{2,2} = \{ \langle 1, 2 \rangle, \langle 3, 4 \rangle \}$ and $\mathbb{Z}_2 = \{ \bar{1}, \bar{2} \}$. Consider $D_{21} = \Delta_{rs}\delta_{pq} + \delta_{rs}\nabla_{pq}$ so $r, s = 1, 2 \in \bar{2}$, and $1 \in \bar{1}$. Hence, $\Delta_{21} = 1$. Continuing this fashion we obtain $\Delta = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\nabla = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$. Then $D = \Delta \otimes I_2 + I_2 \otimes \nabla$, where I_2 denotes the identity matrix of order two.

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