

ON COEFFICIENT PROPERTIES OF POWER SERIES

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Summary. In this paper we consider some applications of the function spaces $B_{p,q,+}^s$ and $F_{p,q,+}^s$ ($0 < p, q \leq \infty, -\infty < s < \infty$), recently investigated by the author [9] to coefficient estimates of power series and obtain various known and new results in a straightforward manner.

Section 1 contains the definition of the spaces under consideration and a short summary of their basic properties. In Section 2 we deal with coefficients and lacunary coefficients of power series.

1. Let $f = f(e^{it}) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n e^{int} \in D'_+$, $t \in (-\pi, \pi]$, be a periodic distribution of power series type and $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n z^n$ the corresponding analytic function in the unit disc ($|z| < 1$). By definition f belongs to the Hardy space H_p ($0 < p < \infty$), if

$$\|f\|_{H_p} = \sup_{r < 1} \left\{ (2\pi)^{-1} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |f(re^{it})|^p dt \right\}^{1/p} < \infty.$$

For any given sequence $\Lambda = \{\lambda^{(j)}\}$, $j \geq 0$, of coefficient multipliers $\lambda^{(j)} = \{\lambda_n^{(j)}\}$, $n \geq 0$, with the properties

$$(1) \quad \text{supp } \lambda^{(j)} = \{n \geq 0 : \lambda_n^{(j)} \neq 0\} \subset \begin{cases} \{2^{j-1} + 1, \dots, 2^{j+1}\}, & j > 0, \\ \{0, 1, 2\}, & j = 0, \end{cases}$$

$$\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^{(j)} = 1, \quad n \geq 0,$$

we define a variety of quasi-norms of Littlewood-Paley type by

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^{s,\Lambda}} &= \|\{2^{js} \cdot \lambda^{(j)} f\}\|_{l_q(L_p)} \\ &= \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{jsq} \cdot \left(\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left| \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^{(j)} c_n e^{int} \right|^p dt \right)^{q/p} \right\}^{1/q} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\|f\|_{F_{p,q,+}^{s,\Lambda}} = \|\{2^{js} \cdot \lambda^{(j)} f\}\|_{L_p(l_q)} = \left\| \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} 2^{isq} \cdot \left| \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^{(j)} c_n e^{int} \right|^q \right\}^{1/q} \right\|_{L_p}$$

(with obvious modifications if $p = \infty$ or $q = \infty$), respectively. Now we set

$$(2) \quad B_{p,q,+}^s = \{f \in D'_+ : \|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^s} = \inf_{\Lambda} \|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^{s,\Lambda}} < \infty\};$$

$$F_{p,q,+}^s = \{f \in D'_+ : \|f\|_{F_{p,q,+}^s} = \inf_{\Lambda} \|f\|_{F_{p,q,+}^{s,\Lambda}} < \infty\},$$

where the infimum is taken over all Λ , satisfying (1), and

$$(3) \quad \|\Lambda\|_\alpha = \sup_j \|\lambda^{(j)}\|_{bv_{\alpha+1}} < \infty \text{ for some } \alpha > \alpha_0.$$

The sequence spaces $bv_{\alpha+1}$, $\alpha \geq 0$, of generalized bounded variation are defined by

$$bv_{\alpha+1} = \{\{\lambda_n\} : \|\lambda\|_{bv_{\alpha+1}} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} \cdot |\Delta^{\alpha+1}\lambda_k| + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\lambda_n| < \infty\},$$

for further information see [11]. In (2), (3) and in the following, we consider $0 < p, q \leq \infty$, $-\infty < s < \infty$, $\alpha_0 = \max(0, 1/p - 1)$ in the case of $B_{p,q,+}^s$ spaces and $0 < p < \infty$, $0 < q \leq \infty$, $-\infty < s < \infty$, $\alpha_0 = \max(0, 1/p - 1, 1/q - 1)$ in the case of $F_{p,q,+}^s$ spaces.

In [9] we proved the following properties of the spaces (2).

Theorem 1. *Let X be any of the spaces, defined in (2). Then X is a quasi Banach space with quasi-norm $\|\cdot\|_X$ (Banach space, if $p, q \geq 1$) and for every Λ , satisfying (1), (3), the related $\|\cdot\|_{X^\Lambda}$ is an equivalent quasi-norm on X .*

Theorem 2. *Let X be any of the spaces, defined in (2). Then v sequence $\eta = \{\eta_i\}$ of complex numbers is a coefficient multiplier for X , if*

$$(4) \quad \eta \in bv_{\alpha+1} \text{ for some real } \alpha > \alpha_0, \text{ or}$$

$$(5) \quad \|\eta\|_{l_\infty} + \sup_{j>0} 2^{mj} \cdot \sum_{i=2^j}^{2^{j+1}} |\Delta^{m+1}\eta_i| < \infty \text{ for some integer } m > \alpha_0.$$

These are multiplier criteria of Mihlin-Hörmander-Marcinkiewicz type. The next theorem describes various equivalent quasi-norms.

Theorem 3. *The following representations hold with equivalent quasi-norms:*

$$(6) \quad F_{p,2,+}^0 = H_p, \quad 0 < p < \infty,$$

$$(7) \quad F_{p,q,+}^s = \{f \in D'_+ : \|f\| = \left\{ \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(\int_0^1 (1-r)^{-q(\beta+s)-1} |J^\beta f(re^{it})|^q dr \right)^{p/q} dt \right\}^{1/p} < \infty\},$$

$$\beta + s < 0, \quad 0 < p < \infty, \quad 0 < q \leq \infty, \text{ where } J^\beta f(e^{it}) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1)^{-\beta} c_n e^{int},$$

$$(8) \quad B_{p,q,+}^s = H\Lambda(s, p, q)^{(*)} = \{f \in D'_+ : \|f\| = \left\{ \int_0^1 (1-r)^{-q(\beta+s)-1} \left(\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |J^\beta f(re^{it})|^p dt \right)^{q/p} dr \right\}^{1/q} < \infty\},$$

$$\beta + s < 0, \quad 0 < p, q \leq \infty,$$

(*) See Flett [5].

$$(9) \quad B_{p,q,+}^s = \{f \in H_p : \|f\| = \|f\|_{H_p} + \left\{ \int_0^\pi t^{sq-1} \cdot \omega_m(f, t)_p^q dt \right\}^{1/q} < \infty\},$$

$$0 < s < m, \quad 0 < p, q \leq \infty, \quad m > 0,$$

$$(10) \quad B_{p,q,+}^s = \{f \in H_p : \|f\| = \|f\|_{H_p} + \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^\infty 2^{ksq} \cdot E_{2^k}(f)_p^q \right\}^{1/q} < \infty\},$$

$$0 < s < \infty, \quad 0 < p, q \leq \infty,$$

(with obvious modifications, if $p = \infty$ or $q = \infty$), where $\omega_m(f, t)_p$ and $E_n(f)_p$ denote moduli of smoothness and best approximations by polynomials of f in H_p , respectively.

Furthermore, the operator J^β of fractional integration with real β yields an isomorphism of X^s onto $X^{s+\beta}$ for arbitrary p, q, s , and $X = B_{p,q,+}^s$ or $X = F_{p,q,+}^s$ (lift property). Duality and interpolation properties of the spaces (2) can be studied in analogy to the case of R^n (cf. [12]).

Theorem 4. Let $-\infty < s < \infty$. Then we have (with the corresponding quasi-norm estimates) the imbeddings

$$(11) \quad B_{p_0,q,+}^s \hookrightarrow B_{p_1,q,+}^{s-1/p_0+1/p_1}, \quad 0 < p_0 < p_1 \leq \infty, \quad 0 < q \leq \infty;$$

$$(12) \quad F_{p_0,q_0,+}^s \hookrightarrow F_{p_1,q_1,+}^{s-1/p_0+1/p_1}, \quad 0 < p_0 < p_1 < \infty, \quad 0 < q_0, q_1 \leq \infty;$$

$$(13) \quad F_{p_0,q,+}^s \hookrightarrow B_{p_1,p_0,+}^{s-1/p_0+1/p_1}, \quad 0 < p_0 < p_1 \leq \infty, \quad 0 < q \leq \infty;$$

$$(14) \quad B_{p_0,p_1,+}^s \hookrightarrow F_{p_1,q,+}^{s-1/p_0+1/p_1}, \quad 0 < p_0 < p_1 < \infty, \quad 0 < q \leq \infty.$$

The proof of these imbeddings is standard (see, for instance, [12, p.100-104] and [4, 5, 8]), we omit it here.

2. In order to obtain coefficient estimates for f , belonging to some of the spaces described above, we shall use Theorem 4 and the obvious relation (here Σ' means that for $j=0$ we should set $\Sigma_{n=0}^1$)

$$(15) \quad \|f\|_{B_{2,q,+}^s} \approx \begin{cases} \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^\infty 2^{jsq} \left(\sum_{n=2^j}^{\Sigma' \quad 2^{j+1}-1} |c_n|^2 \right)^{q/2} \right\}^{1/q}, & 0 < q < \infty, \\ \sup_{j \geq 0} 2^{js} \left(\sum_{n=2^j}^{\Sigma' \quad 2^{j+1}-1} |c_n|^2 \right)^{1/2}, & q = \infty. \end{cases}$$

From (11) and (15) we immediately get

Proposition 1. Let $0 < q < \infty$, $-\infty < s < \infty$.

a) If $f \in B_{p,q,+}^s$ for some $0 < p \leq 2$, then

$$(16) \quad \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^\infty 2^{jq(s-1/p+1/2)} \left(\sum_{n=2^j}^{\Sigma' \quad 2^{j+1}-1} |c_n|^2 \right)^{q/2} \right\}^{1/q} \leq C \cdot \|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^s} < \infty.$$

b) If for the coefficients of $f \in D'_+$ the term in the left-hand side of (16) is finite for some $2 \leq p \leq \infty$, so we have $f \in B_{p,q,+}^s$, and the inverse inequality in (16) is valid. With obvious modifications the statement also holds for $q = \infty$.

Quasi-norms of the type used in Proposition 1 for coefficient sequences are of some interest in connection with multiplier criteria in H_p spaces (see [7]) and other problems.

We define the quasi-normed sequence spaces l_q^s by

$$l_q^s = \{ \{c_n\} : \|c_n\|_{l_q^s} = \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1)^{sq} |c_n|^q \right\}^{1/q} < \infty \}, \quad 0 < q < \infty$$

(modification if $q = \infty$), $-\infty < s < \infty$.

Proposition 2. Let $0 < q \leq \infty$, $-\infty < s < \infty$.

a) If $f \in B_{p,q,+}^s$ with $0 < p \leq 2$ then $\{c_n\} \in l_q^{s-1/p-1/q'+1}$, i. e.

$$(17) \quad \|c_n\|_{l_q^{s-1/p-1/q'+1}} \leq C \cdot \|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^s}, \quad q' = \min(2, q).$$

b) If $\{c_n\} \in l_q^{s-1/p-1/q''+1}$ with $2 \leq p \leq \infty$ then $f \in B_{p,q,+}^s$, and

$$(18) \quad \|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^s} \leq C \cdot \|c_n\|_{l_q^{s-1/p-1/q''+1}}, \quad q'' = \max(2, q).$$

These inequalities are a direct consequence of Proposition 1 and

$$\begin{aligned} C \cdot 2^{j(1/q''-1/2)} \left\{ \sum_{n=2^j}^{2^{j+1}-1} |c_n|^2 \right\}^{1/2} &\leq \left\{ \sum_{n=2^j}^{2^{j+1}-1} |c_n|^q \right\}^{1/q} \\ &\leq C \left\{ \sum_{n=2^j}^{2^{j+1}-1} |c_n|^2 \right\}^{1/2} \cdot 2^{j(1/q'-1/2)}, \quad j \geq 0, \end{aligned}$$

$0 < q < \infty$ (modification if $q = \infty$).

In the case of $F_{p,q,+}^s$ we use (13), (14) instead of (11).

Proposition 3. Let $0 < q \leq \infty$, $-\infty < s < \infty$.

a) If $0 < p < 2$ or $p = 2$, $0 < q \leq 2$, then

$$(19) \quad \begin{aligned} \|c_n\|_{l_p^{s+1-2/p}} &\leq C \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{jp(s-1/p+1/2)} \left(\sum_{n=2^j}^{2^{j+1}-1} |c_n|^2 \right)^{p/2} \right\}^{1/p} \\ &\leq C \cdot \|f\|_{F_{p,q,+}^s}, \quad f \in F_{p,q,+}^s. \end{aligned}$$

b) If $2 < p < \infty$ or $p = 2$, $2 \leq q \leq \infty$, then

$$(20) \quad \begin{aligned} \|f\|_{F_{p,q,+}^s} &\leq C \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{jp(s-1/p+1/2)} \left(\sum_{n=2^j}^{2^{j+1}-1} |c_n|^2 \right)^{p/2} \right\}^{1/p} \\ &\leq C \cdot \|c_n\|_{l_p^{s+1-2/p}} \end{aligned}$$

and $f \in F_{p,q,+}^s$ under the assumption that one of the coefficient quasi-norms in (20) is finite, in particular if $\{c_n\} \in l_p^{s+1-2/p}$.

The proof is obvious (e. g., to obtain (19) take $p_0 = p$, $p_1 = 2$ in (13) and apply (15)).

Propositions 1-3 are certain generalizations of classical Hardy-Littlewood results on Fourier coefficients of trigonometric and power series

(cf. [6, 13]). To see this we consider some special cases. If we put $s=0$, $q=2$, it follows from (19), (20) and the representation (6) that

$$(21) \quad \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |c_n|^p (n+1)^{p-2} \right\}^{1/p} \leq C \cdot \|f\|_{H_p}, \quad 0 < p \leq 2;$$

$$\|f\|_{H_p} \leq C \cdot \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |c_n|^p (n+1)^{p-2} \right\}^{1/p}, \quad 2 \leq p < \infty.$$

This is a theorem of Hardy-Littlewood. A certain generalization of (21) due to H. R. Pitt

$$(22) \quad \|c_n\|_{l_q^{1-1/p-1/q-s}} \leq C \cdot \|(1-z)^s f(z)\|_{H_p}, \quad 0 < p \leq q \leq \infty,$$

where $s \geq \max(0, 1-1/p-1/q)$, can be obtained in a similar way, at least if $0 < p \leq q \leq 2$. Of course, denoting $g(z) = (1-z)^s f(z)$, from (13) and (6) we have

$$g(z) \in H_p = F_{p,2,+}^0 \curvearrowright B_{r,p,+}^{1/r-1/p} \curvearrowright B_{r,q,+}^{1/r-1/p}, \quad p \leq q,$$

where r is an appropriate chosen real ($p < r < 2$). Thus, using (8), we get $f \in B_{r,q,+}^{1/r-1/p-s}$ (see [3, p. 751]) with corresponding quasi-norm estimates and Proposition 2 gives the required estimate

$$\|c_n\|_{l_q^{1-1/p-1/q-s}} \leq C \cdot \|f\|_{B_{r,q,+}^{1/r-1/p-s}} \leq C \cdot \|g\|_{H_p}, \quad 0 < p \leq q \leq 2.$$

Another application of Proposition 2 yields some results of [1, 2], concerning the Banach spaces $B^p = H \Lambda(1-1/p, 1, 1) \curvearrowright H_p$, $0 < p < 1$, which coincide with $B_{1,1,+}^{1-1/p}$ (see (8)). E. g., the inequality

$$(23) \quad \|c_n\|_{l_1^{-1/p}} = \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |c_n| \cdot (n+1)^{-1/p} \right\} \leq C \cdot \|f\|_{B^p}, \quad f \in B^p,$$

stated in [2], follows from (17).

Finally, it should be added that the relations

$$(24) \quad |c_n| = \begin{cases} O(n^{-s+\max(1/p-1, 0)}), & 0 < q < \infty \\ O(n^{-s+\max(1/p-1, 0)}), & q = \infty \end{cases} \leq C \cdot \|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^s} \cdot n^{-s+\max(1/p-1, 0)}$$

$n \geq 0$, $0 < p \leq \infty$, $-\infty < s < \infty$, can easily be obtained from

$$(25) \quad |c_n| \leq C \cdot \left| \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \lambda^{(j)} f(re^{it}) \cdot (re^{it})^{-n} dt \right| \leq C \cdot n^{\max(1/p-1, 0)} \|\lambda^{(j)} f\|_{L_p}$$

(to verify the latter inequality for $p < 1$ take $r = r_n = 1 - 1/n$ and use the Hardy-Littlewood inequality $\|f(re^{it})\|_{H_1} \leq C \cdot (1-r)^{1-1/p} \|f\|_{H_p}$, $f \in H_p$) and the definition (2) of the spaces $B_{p,q,+}^s$. The corresponding result for the spaces $F_{p,q,+}^s$ is a consequence of (24) and the imbeddings

$$(26) \quad B_{p,\min(p,q),+}^s \curvearrowright F_{p,q,+}^s \curvearrowright B_{p,\max(p,q),+}^s$$

In the concluding part of this paper we briefly deal with lacunary power series and lacunary coefficients. An increasing sequence $\{n_k\}$ of integers is said to be lacunary, if $n_{k+1}/n_k \geq \delta > 1$, $k \geq 0$.

Proposition 4. Let $0 < p, q \leq \infty$ ($p < \infty$ in the case of $F_{p,q,+}^s$), and $-\infty < s < \infty$. Then for lacunary $\{n_k\}$ the power series $f = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_{n_k} e^{in_k t}$ belongs to $B_{p,q,+}^s$ ($F_{p,q,+}^s$) if and only if $\{n_k^s c_{n_k}\} \in l_q$, more precisely, we have

$$(27) \quad \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} n_k^{sq} |c_{n_k}|^q \right\}^{1/q} \approx \|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^s} \quad (\approx \|f\|_{F_{p,q,+}^s}).$$

Proof. If $\delta > 4$, then for any f under consideration we have $n_k \in \{2^{j-1}, \dots, 2^{j+1}\}$ for at most one $k \geq 0$. Thus,

$$2^{js} \cdot \lambda^{(j)} f(e^{it}) = \begin{cases} 0, & n_k \notin \{2^{j-1}, \dots, 2^{j+1}\}, \\ 2^{js} \cdot \lambda_{n_k}^{(j)} \cdot c_{n_k} \cdot e^{in_k t}, & n_k \in \{2^{j-1}, \dots, 2^{j+1}\}, \end{cases}$$

$j \geq 0$, and (27) immediately follows from the Definition (2). Observing that every lacunary sequence $\{n_k\}$ can be decomposed into a finite collection of lacunary sequences with $\delta > 4$, this yields Proposition 4 in complete generality.

Proposition 5. Let $0 < p, q \leq \infty$, $-\infty < s < \infty$, $\gamma = \max(0, 1/p - 1)$. Then we have for any lacunary sequence $\{n_k\}$

$$(28) \quad \|\{n_k^{s-\gamma} \cdot c_{n_k}\}_l\|_q \leq C \cdot \|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^s}.$$

The proof of (28) is a consequence of (25) and (2).

According to (6), (28) and the imbeddings (13) ($0 < p < 1$) or (26) ($p = 1$) as a corollary for $f \in H_p$ we obtain the estimates

$$(29) \quad \|f\|_{H_p} \geq C \begin{cases} \|\{n_k^{1-1/p} c_{n_k}\}\|_{l_p}, & 0 < p < 1, \\ \|c_{n_k}\|_{l_2}, & p = 1. \end{cases}$$

The case $p = 1$ represents the well-known Paley theorem on lacunary coefficients in H_1 (cf. [13, v. 2, p. 133]), while $0 < p < 1$ was considered in [2].

Finally, it should be mentioned that most of the estimates, obtained in this section, are the best ones in the corresponding scales of quasi-norms. On the other hand, using the definitions of the spaces $B_{p,q,+}^s$ and $F_{p,q,+}^s$ (together with Theorem 3), some inequalities, inverse to those considered above, can also be established. For instance, if $f = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n e^{int} \in D'_+$ and $0 < p, q \leq 2$, $-\infty < s < \infty$, then we obtain from (2), (15)

$$\|f\|_{B_{p,q,+}^s} \leq \|f\|_{B_{2,q,+}^s} \leq C \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{jsq} \left(\sum'_{n=2^j}^{2^{j+1}-1} |c_n|^2 \right)^{q/2} \right\}^{1/q}.$$

Now, supposing $\{c_n\} \in l_q^s$ or $|c_n| = O(n^a)$, $n \rightarrow \infty$, for some $a < -s - 1/2$, this yields $f \in B_{p,q,+}^s$ (for the special case $B^p = B_{1,1,+}^{1-1/p}$, $0 < p < 1$, see [2, p. 260]).

Note added in proof. As it was pointed out to us by H. Triebel some results analogous to Proposition 2 have been obtained by A. Pietsch in the more general framework of approximation spaces. (cf. A. Pietsch. Approximation spaces. [Analogies between spaces of sequences, functions and operators]. *J. Approx. Theory*, **32**, 1981, No 2. 115-134.)

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