

## FRAME SYSTEMS IN NON-LOCALLY CONVEX BANACH SPACES

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**ABSTRACT.** In this paper, we define atomic decompositions in a non-locally convex Banach space  $l^p(0 < p \leq 1)$  and discuss its existence through examples. Also, a sufficient condition for its existence is given and it is observed that if a  $p$ -Banach space has an atomic decomposition, then the space is isomorphic to its associated  $p$ -Banach sequence space. Further, necessary and sufficient conditions for an atomic decomposition in a  $p$ -Banach space is given. Finally, we define shrinking atomic decomposition and gave a necessary and sufficient condition for it.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $X$  be a vector space over a field  $\mathbb{F}$ . A  $p$ -norm  $\|\cdot\|_p$  for  $0 < p \leq 1$  on  $X$  is a mapping from  $X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  satisfying the following properties:

- (1)  $\|x\|_p \geq 0$ , for all  $x \in X$ .
- (2)  $\|x\|_p = 0 \iff x = 0$ .
- (3)  $\|\alpha x\|_p = |\alpha|^p \|x\|_p$ , for all  $x \in X$  and  $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}$ .
- (4)  $\|x + y\|_p \leq \|x\|_p + \|y\|_p$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

The pair  $(X, \|\cdot\|_p)$  is called a  $p$ -normed linear space.

If  $p = 1$ , then the  $p$ -norm is equal to norm on  $X$ .

A  $p$ -normed linear space  $X$  over a field  $\mathbb{F}$  is called a  $p$ -Banach space if it is complete.

A linear operator  $T : (X, \|\cdot\|_p) \rightarrow (Y, \|\cdot\|_q)$  is said to be bounded if there exists a

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real number  $M > 0$  such that

$$\|T(x)\|_q^{\frac{1}{q}} \leq M \|x\|_p^{\frac{1}{p}}, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

The collection of all bounded linear operators from the  $p$ -Banach space  $X$  to the  $q$ -Banach space  $Y$  is denoted by  $B(X, Y)$  which is a Banach space with norm given by

$$\|T\| = \sup_{\substack{x \in X \\ x \neq 0}} \frac{\|T(x)\|_q^{\frac{1}{q}}}{\|x\|_p^{\frac{1}{p}}}.$$

Let  $X$  be a  $p$ -Banach space. A linear functional  $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$  is said to be bounded on  $X$  if there exists a real number  $M > 0$  such that

$$|f(x)| \leq M \|x\|_p^{\frac{1}{p}}, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

The collection of all bounded linear functionals on the  $p$ -Banach space  $X$  is denoted by  $X^*$  which is also a Banach space with norm given by  $\|f\| = \sup_{\|x\|_p \leq 1} |f(x)|$  and is called the conjugate space of  $X$ .

The concept of frame was first defined by Duffin and Schaeffer [7] in 1952. Frames were reintroduced in 1986 by Daubechies, Grossmann and Y. Meyer [6]. Coifman and Weiss [5], introduced the notion of atomic decomposition for certain Function spaces. Later, the notion of atomic decomposition to certain Banach spaces was extended by Feichtinger and Gröchenig [8]. Atomic decompositions were further studied by Kaushik and Sharma [10, 11, 12, 13]

In this paper, we define atomic decompositions in a non-locally convex Banach space  $l^p(0 < p \leq 1)$ . Also, the existence of atomic decomposition is exhibited through examples. Further, a sufficient condition for its existence is given and it is proved that if a  $p$ -Banach space has an atomic decomposition, then the space is isomorphic to its associated  $p$ -Banach sequence space. Furthermore, necessary and sufficient conditions for an atomic decomposition in a  $p$ -Banach space is given. Finally, shrinking atomic decomposition is defined and a necessary and sufficient condition for it is given.

## 2. ATOMIC DECOMPOSITIONS IN $p$ -BANACH SPACES

In this section, we define atomic decomposition in a  $p$ -Banach space and give examples for its existence. Then, we give a sufficient condition, a necessary condition, and a

necessary and sufficient condition for its existence. We begin with the following definition:

**Definition 1.** Let  $X$  be a  $p$ -Banach space. A sequence  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$  is said to be fundamental over  $X$  if  $\{x \in X : f_n(x) = 0, \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N}\} = \{0\}$ .

**Example 2.1.** Consider the  $p$ -Banach space  $X = l_p$ ,  $0 < p < 1$  with  $p$ -norm given by

$$\|x\|_p = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |x_n|^p, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

Define  $f_n : X \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$  by

$$f_n(x) = f_n(\{x_i\}) = x_n, \text{ for all } x \in l_p \text{ and } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Then, each  $f_n$  is linear. Also,  $f_n$  is bounded for each  $n$  because

$$|f_n(x)| = |x_n| \leq \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |x_n|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = \|x\|_p^{\frac{1}{p}}, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

Also, for  $x \in X$ ,  $f_n(x) = 0$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N} \implies x = 0$ .

Hence,  $\{f_n\}$  is a fundamental sequence over  $X = l_p$ .

Next, we give a necessary condition for a fundamental sequence in  $X^*$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** If  $X$  is a  $p$ -Banach space and  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$  is fundamental over  $X$ . Then there exists an associated  $p$ -Banach sequence space  $X_d = \{\{f_n(x)\} : x \in X\}$  with  $p$ -norm  $\|\{f_n(x)\}\|_{X_d} = \|x\|_p$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

*Proof.* Let  $x \in X$ . If  $x = 0$ , then  $f_n(0) = 0$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Let  $x \neq 0$ . Then there exist at least one  $f_i \in X^*$  such that  $f_i(x) \neq 0$ .

Define the set of sequences associated with the  $p$ -Banach space  $X$  by

$$X_d = \{\{f_n(x)\} : x \in X\}.$$

Then, it is easy to verify that  $X_d$  is a  $p$ -normed linear space with the  $p$ -norm defined by

$$\|\{f_n(x)\}\|_{X_d} = \|x\|_p, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

Now, we prove that  $X_d$  is a  $p$ -Banach space.

Let  $\{\{f_n(x_i)\}_n\}_i$  be a  $p$ -Cauchy sequence in  $X_d$ , which using the definition of  $p$ -Cauchy sequence and  $p$ -norm on  $X_d$  implies that  $\{x_i\}$  is a  $p$ -Cauchy in  $X$  which is  $p$ -Banach space and so it is  $p$ -convergent in  $X$ .

One can easily verify that  $\{\{f_n(x_i)\}_n\}_i$  will converge to  $\{f_n(x)\}$  in  $(X_d, \|\cdot\|_{X_d})$  and hence  $(X_d, \|\cdot\|_{X_d})$  is a  $p$ -Banach space.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.1.** *If  $X$  is a  $p$ -Banach space and  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$  is fundamental over  $X$ . Then,  $X$  is isomorphic to the  $p$ -Banach sequence space  $X_d = \{\{f_n(x)\} : x \in X\}$  with  $p$ -norm  $\|\{f_n(x)\}\|_{X_d} = \|x\|_p$ , for all  $x \in X$ .*

*Proof.* Existence of the associated  $p$ -Banach sequence space  $X_d$  is proved in Theorem 2.1.

Now, define  $T : X \longrightarrow X_d$  by

$$T(x) = \{f_n(x)\}, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

Clearly,  $T$  is linear, bijective, and an isometry.  $\square$

Next, we define the notion of atomic decomposition for  $p$ -Banach spaces. We give the following definition.

**Definition 2.** *Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|_p)$  be a  $p$ -Banach space and let  $X_d$  be a  $p$ -Banach sequence space associated with  $X$ . Let  $\{x_n\} \subset X$  and  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$ . Then the pair  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is an atomic decomposition of  $X$  with respect to  $X_d$  if*

- (i)  $\{f_n(x)\}_n \in X_d$ , for all  $x \in X$ .
- (ii) There exists constants  $A, B > 0$  such that

$$A \|x\|_p \leq \|\{f_n(x)\}_n\|_{X_d} \leq B \|x\|_p, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

- (iii)  $x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x)x_n$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

In the following example, we discuss the existence of an atomic decomposition in a  $p$ -Banach space.

**Example 2.2.** *Consider the  $p$ -Banach space  $(l_p, \|\cdot\|_p)$ . Let  $\{e_n\}$  be the sequence of unit vectors. Then  $\{e_n\}$  is a Schauder basis of  $l_p$ .*

Hence for every  $x \in X$ , there exists a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  of scalars such that

$$x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n e_n.$$

Let  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$  be a sequence of bounded linear functionals such that

$$f_n(e_m) = \delta_{nm}, \text{ for all } m, n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Then, for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , we have

$$f_n(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} x_i f_n(e_i) = x_n, \quad x \in X$$

Thus  $x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x) e_n$ , where  $\{f_n(x)\} = \{x_n\} \in l_p = X_d$ . Hence property (ii) holds trivially in view of the definition of  $p$ -norm of  $x$ .

**Remark 1.** Let  $X$  be a  $p$ -Banach space,  $X_d$  be a  $p$ -Banach sequence space such that  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X$  with respect to  $X_d$ . Then  $X$  is isomorphic to a subspace of  $X_d$ .

Indeed, if  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X$  with respect to  $X_d$ , then there exists an isomorphism  $T : X \longrightarrow T(X) \subset X_d$  defined by

$$T(x) = \{f_n(x)\}, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

**Definition 3.** Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|_p)$  be a  $p$ -Banach space and let  $X_d$  be a  $p$ -Banach sequence space associated with  $X$ . Then  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$  is said to be an  $X_d$ -frame of  $X$  with respect to  $X_d$  if

- (i)  $\{f_n(x)\}_n \in X_d$ , for all  $x \in X$ .
- (ii) There exists constants  $A, B > 0$  such that

$$A \|x\|_p \leq \|\{f_n(x)\}_n\|_{X_d} \leq B \|x\|_p, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

In the following result, we give a sufficient condition for the existence of an  $X_d$ -frame for  $X$ .

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $X$  be a  $p$ -Banach space,  $X_d$  be a  $p$ -Banach sequence space such that  $X$  is isomorphic to a subspace of  $X_d$ , then there exists a sequence  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$  such that  $\{f_n\}$  is an  $X_d$ -frame for  $X$ .

*Proof.* Let  $X \cong Z_d$  under the isomorphism  $T$ , where  $Z_d$  is a subspace of  $X_d$ . Then for every  $\{a_n\} \in Z_d$  there exists  $x \in X$  such that if  $f_n$  is the coordinate functionals, then

- (i)  $\{f_n(x)\}_n \in X_d$ , for all  $x \in X$ .
- (ii) There exists constants  $A, B > 0$  such that

$$A \|x\|_p \leq \|\{f_n(x)\}_n\|_{X_d} \leq B \|x\|_p, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

□

Next, we give some characterizations of atomic decompositions of  $X$  with respect to  $X_d$ .

**Theorem 2.3.** *Let  $X$  be a  $p$ -Banach space,  $\{x_n\} \subset X$  and  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$ . If  $X = \bar{A}$  where  $A = \{\sum_{i=1}^n f_i(x)x_i\}$ . Then the following conditions are equivalent:*

- (i)  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X$  with respect to the associated  $p$ -Banach sequence space  $X_d = \{\{a_i\} : \sum_{i=1}^\infty a_i x_i < \infty\}$  with  $p$ -norm

$$\|\{a_i\}\|_{X_d} = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left\| \sum_{i=1}^n a_i x_i \right\|_p.$$

- (ii) The sequence  $\{P_n\}$  of projections defined by

$$P_n(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n f_i(x)x_i, \text{ for all } x \in X$$

is uniformly bounded.

- (iii)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n(x) = x$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

In this case  $\sup \|P_n\|^p$  is called the norm of the  $\{x_n\}$ .

*Proof.* (i)  $\implies$  (iii) Suppose that  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X$ . Then every  $x \in X$  can be written as  $x = \sum_{n=1}^\infty f_n(x)x_n$ . Hence  $x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n(x)$ .

(iii)  $\implies$  (ii) Suppose that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n(x) = x$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

Then the sequence  $\left\{ \|P_n x\|_p \right\}_n$  of real numbers is convergent and hence bounded for each  $x \in X$ . Therefore, using Banach-Steinhaus Theorem we conclude that  $\{P_n\}$  is uniformly bounded on  $X$ .

(ii)  $\implies$  (i) Suppose that there exists a  $K > 0$  such that

$$\|P_n\| \leq K, \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

If  $x \in A$ , then  $P_m(x) = x$ , for all  $m \geq n$ . Therefore

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n(x) = x, \text{ for all } x \in A.$$

If  $x \in X$ , then for every  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $y \in A$  such that

$$\|x - y\|_p < \frac{\epsilon}{3}$$

Since  $y \in A$ ,  $P_n(y) \rightarrow y$  and so for  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $M \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$(2.1) \quad \|P_n y - y\|_p < \frac{\epsilon}{3}, \text{ for all } n \geq M$$

This yields  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n(x) = x$ , for all  $x \in X$  and so  $x = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} f_i(x)x_i$ . Then  $\{f_i(x)\} \in X_d$ .

Also for every  $x \in X$ , we compute

$$\begin{aligned} \|x\|_p &= \left\| \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n x \right\|_p \\ &\leq \sup \left\| \sum_{i=1}^n f_i(x)x_i \right\|_p \\ &\leq K \|x\|_p. \end{aligned}$$

Hence (i) holds. □

**Lemma 2.1.** *Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|_p)$  be a  $p$ -Banach space,  $\{x_n\} \subset X$  and  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$  such that  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X$  with respect to  $X_d$ . Then  $\|x_n\|_p \|f_n\|^p \leq 2K$ , where  $K$  is the norm of  $\{x_n\}_n$ .*

*Proof.* Since  $\|f_n(x)x_n\|_p = \|P_n(x) - P_{n-1}(x)\|_p \leq 2K \|x\|_p$ , for all  $x \in X$ . This implies  $|f_n(x)|^p \|x_n\|_p \leq 2K \|x\|_p$  and so we obtain

$$\|x_n\|_p \|f_n\|^p \leq 2K.$$

□

In the following result, we discuss construction of an associated  $p$ -Banach space and its basis.

**Lemma 2.2.** *Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|_p)$  be a  $p$ -Banach space and  $\{x_n\} \subset X \setminus \{0\}$ . Then the sequence space  $X_d = \{\{a_n\} : \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n x_n \text{ converges in } X\}$  is a  $p$ -Banach space with the  $p$ -norm*

$$\|\{a_i\}\|_{X_d} = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left\| \sum_{i=1}^n a_i x_i \right\|_p$$

for which the canonical unit vectors form a basis.

*Proof.* It can be easily proved that  $X_d$  is a  $p$ -normed linear space using the fact that  $\|\cdot\|_p$  is a  $p$ -norm on  $X$ .

For  $(X_d, \|\cdot\|_{X_d})$  to be a  $p$ -Banach space let  $\{c^n\}$  be a  $p$ -Cauchy sequence in  $X_d$  which implies for every  $\epsilon > 0$  there exist  $K(\epsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n, m \geq K$ , we have

$$\|c^n - c^m\|_{X_d} = \|\{c_i^n - c_i^m\}\|_{X_d} = \sup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \left\| \sum_{i=1}^k (c_i^n - c_i^m) x_i \right\|_p < \frac{\epsilon}{2},$$

which implies for all  $n, m \geq K$  and  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  that

$$\left\| \sum_{i=1}^k (c_i^n - c_i^m) x_i \right\|_p < \frac{\epsilon}{2}.$$

Hence for each  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $n, m \geq K$ , we obtain

$$|c_k^n - c_k^m|^p \|x_k\|_p = \|(c_k^n - c_k^m)x_k\|_p = \left\| \sum_{i=1}^k (c_i^n - c_i^m)x_i - \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} (c_i^n - c_i^m)x_i \right\|_p < \epsilon.$$

This implies that  $\{c_i^n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence of real numbers and hence convergent to say  $\{c_i\}$  for each  $i$ . It follows easily now that  $\{c^n\}$  converges to  $c$  in  $X_d$ . Now for  $\{e_i\}$  to form a basis for  $X_d$ , it is enough to prove that  $\{e_i\}$  is complete and there exists a constant  $C \geq 1$  such that for every  $m \geq n$  and every sequence  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m$  of scalars,

$$\left\| \sum_{i=1}^n a_i e_i \right\|_{X_d} \leq C \left\| \sum_{i=1}^m a_i e_i \right\|_{X_d}.$$

For every sequence  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m$  of scalars and  $m \geq n$ , we have

$$\left\| \sum_{i=1}^n a_i e_i \right\|_{X_d} = \sup_{N \leq n} \left\| \sum_{i=1}^N a_i x_i \right\|_p \leq \sup_{N \leq m} \left\| \sum_{i=1}^N a_i x_i \right\|_p = \left\| \sum_{i=1}^m a_i e_i \right\|_{X_d}.$$



If  $\{a_i\}$  is an arbitrary sequence in  $X_d$ , then for every  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $M$  such that for all  $m > n > M$ , we have

$$\left\| \sum_{i=n+1}^m a_i x_i \right\|_p < \frac{\epsilon}{2}.$$

This gives

$$\sup_{N > n} \left\| \sum_{i=n+1}^N a_i x_i \right\|_p \leq \frac{\epsilon}{2} < \epsilon, \text{ for all } n > M.$$

Hence for all  $n > M$ , we obtain

$$\left\| \{a_i\} - \sum_{i=1}^n a_i e_i \right\|_{X_d} = \sup_{N > n} \left\| \sum_{i=n+1}^N a_i x_i \right\|_p < \epsilon.$$

□

We conclude this section with the following result concerning atomic decompositions for  $p$ -Banach spaces.

**Lemma 2.3.** *Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|_p)$  be a  $p$ -Banach space and  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$ . Then the following conditions are equivalent:*

- (i) *There exists a sequence  $\{x_n\} \subset X$  such that  $x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x) x_n$  for all  $x \in X$ .*
- (ii) *There is a  $p$ -Banach sequence space  $X_d$  with the canonical unit vectors  $\{e_n\}_n$  as a basis such that  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X$  with respect to  $X_d$  and a bounded linear operator  $S : X_d \rightarrow X$  such that  $S(e_n) = x_n$ .*

*Proof.* It follows by using the techniques given in [3].

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### 3. SHRINKING ATOMIC DECOMPOSITION IN $p$ -BANACH SPACE

Shrinking Schauder frames were introduced and studied by Liu [15] while shrinking atomic decompositions in locally convex Banach spaces were studied by Carando and Lassalle [2]. In this section, we define shrinking atomic decompositions in  $p$ -Banach spaces. We begin with the following definition:

**Definition 4.** *Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|_p)$  be a  $p$ -Banach space and let  $X_d$  be a  $p$ -Banach sequence space associated with  $X$ . Let  $\{x_n\} \subset X$  and  $\{f_n\} \subset X^*$ . Then the atomic decomposition  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is said to be shrinking if*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|f \circ T_N\| = 0, \text{ for all } f \in X^*,$$

where  $T_N : X \longrightarrow X$  is defined as

$$T_N(x) = \sum_{n=N}^{\infty} f_n(x)x_n, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

**Remark 2.** Since  $T_N = I - P_{N-1}$ , it is uniformly bounded on  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  be an atomic decomposition for the  $p$ -Banach space  $X$  with respect to the  $p$ -Banach sequence space  $X_d$  and let  $\pi : X \longrightarrow X^{**}$  be the natural embedding. Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (i)  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is shrinking.
- (ii)  $(\{f_n\}, \{\pi_{x_n}\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X^*$  with respect to the  $p$ -Banach sequence space  $Z_d$  which has canonical unit vectors as basis.

*Proof.* (i)  $\implies$  (ii) Since  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X$  with respect to  $X_d$ , we have

- (i)  $(\{f_n(x)\}) \in X_d$ , for all  $x \in X$ .
- (ii) There exist constants  $A, B > 0$  such that

$$A \|x\|_p \leq \|\{f_n(x)\}_n\|_{X_d} \leq B \|x\|_p, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

- (iii)  $x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x)x_n$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

We claim that  $(\{f_n\}, \{\pi(x_n)\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X^*$  with respect to the  $p$ -Banach sequence space  $Z_d$  which has the canonical unit vectors as basis.

From condition (iii) it is clear that

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \pi_{x_n}(f)f_n(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(x_n)f_n(x), \text{ for all } f \in X^*.$$

Hence it is enough to show that series on the right is convergent in  $X^*$ .

For  $M > N$ ,

$$\left\| \sum_{n=N}^{M-1} f(x_n)f_n \right\| = \sup_{\|x\|_p \leq 1} |(f \circ (T_N - T_M))(x)| \leq \|f \circ T_N\| + \|f \circ T_M\|$$

which vanishes as  $M, N \rightarrow \infty$  as the atomic decomposition  $(\{x_n\}, \{f_n\})$  is shrinking. Therefore there exists a  $p$ -Banach sequence space  $Z_d$  with the canonical unit vectors  $\{e_n\}$  as a basis such that  $(\{f_n\}, \{\pi_{x_n}\})$  satisfy conditions (i) and (ii) of the atomic

decomposition for  $X^*$  with respect to  $Z_d$ .

(ii)  $\implies$  (i) Clearly for each  $f \in X^*$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}\|f \circ T_N\| &= \sup_{\|x\|_p \leq 1} |(f \circ T_N)(x)| \\ &= \sup_{\|x\|_p \leq 1} \left| \sum_{n=N}^{\infty} f_n(x) f(x_n) \right| \\ &= \sup_{\|x\|_p \leq 1} |f(x) - S_N(x)| \\ &= \|f - S_N\|,\end{aligned}$$

where  $S_N(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{N-1} f_n(x) f(x_n)$ .

Hence using the fact that  $(\{f_n\}, \{\pi_{x_n}\})$  is an atomic decomposition for  $X^*$ , we conclude that  $\|f \circ T_N\| \rightarrow 0$ .  $\square$

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