

The Young Measure Representation for Weak Cluster Points of Sequences in M -spaces of Measurable Functions

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Summary. Let $\langle X, Y \rangle$ be a duality pair of M -spaces X, Y of measurable functions from $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ into \mathbb{R}^d . The paper deals with Y -weak cluster points $\bar{\phi}$ of the sequence $\phi(\cdot, z_j(\cdot))$ in X , where $z_j: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ is measurable for $j \in \mathbb{N}$ and $\phi: \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ is a Carathéodory function. We obtain general sufficient conditions, under which, for some negligible set A_ϕ , the integral $I(\phi, \nu_x) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ exists for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$ and $\bar{\phi}(x) = I(\phi, \nu_x)$ on $\Omega \setminus A_\phi$, where $\nu = \{\nu_x\}_{x \in \Omega}$ is a measurable-dependent family of Radon probability measures on \mathbb{R}^m .

1. Notations and some basic facts on Young measures. Let μ denote a complete separable σ -finite σ -additive positive measure on a σ -algebra \mathfrak{A} of subsets of a set Ω . Measurability will always mean \mathfrak{A} -measurability. Let E be a separable Banach space. We will denote by $L^\infty(\Omega, E; \mu)$, or briefly $L^\infty(E)$, the Banach space (of all equivalence classes) of essential E -norm-bounded measurable functions $u: \Omega \rightarrow E$ with norm $\|u\|_{L^\infty} := \text{ess sup}_{x \in \Omega} \|u(x)\|_E$. Let $L^1(\Omega, E; \mu)$, or briefly $L^1(E)$, denote the Bochner–Lebesgue space (of all equivalence classes) of μ -integrable strongly measurable functions from Ω into E .

Let $\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^m)$ be the Banach space of bounded signed Radon measures on \mathbb{R}^m and $C_0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ be the Banach space of all continuous functions $f: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ with $\lim_{|\lambda| \rightarrow \infty} f(\lambda) = 0$ equipped with the sup-norm, where $|\cdot|$ denotes the Euclidean norm in \mathbb{R}^m . It is known that $(C_0(\mathbb{R}^m))^* \cong \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^m)$. Let $L^\infty_\omega(\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^m))$ denote the Banach space (of all equivalence classes) of $C_0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ -

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weakly measurable functions $\nu : \Omega \rightarrow \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^m)$ with norm $\|\nu\|_\infty := \|x \mapsto |\nu_x|(\mathbb{R}^m)\|_{L^\infty} < \infty$, where $|\nu_x|(\mathbb{R}^m)$ is the total variation of ν_x on \mathbb{R}^m and, for abbreviation, we write L^∞ (resp. ν_x) instead of $L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ (resp. $\nu(x)$). It is known that $L^\infty_\omega(\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^m))$ can be interpreted as dual space $(L^1(C_0(\mathbb{R}^m)))^*$ via the injection $\nu \mapsto \langle \cdot, \nu \rangle_\mu$, where $\langle h, \nu \rangle_\mu := \int_\Omega \langle v(x), h(x) \rangle d\mu(x)$ for all $h \in L^1(C_0(\mathbb{R}^m))$. Given a measurable function $z : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$, define the parametrized Dirac measure $\delta_z \in L^\infty_\omega(\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^m))$ by

$$x \in \Omega \mapsto \delta_z(x) := \delta_{z(x)} \quad (\text{the Dirac measure supported at } z(x)).$$

An element $\nu \in L^\infty_\omega(\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^m))$ is called a *Young parametrized measure* if $\nu_x(\mathbb{R}^m) = 1$ μ -a.e. Define $(\phi \circ z)(x) := \phi(x, z(x))$. A function $f : \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow E$ is said to be *Carathéodory* if $f(\cdot, u)$ is measurable for every $u \in \mathbb{R}^m$ and $f(x, \cdot)$ is continuous for almost all $x \in \Omega$.

The formulations and proofs of the main results of the present paper are based on the following fundamental theorem [2, 3] about the Young measure representation in case of the pair $\langle X, Y \rangle = \langle L^1(\mathbb{R}), L^\infty(\mathbb{R}) \rangle$ (see Theorem 1.1; cf. [20, p. 98–100], [8, Section 8.1, pp. 518–525], [5, 21]).

THEOREM 1.1 (The Young measure representation; Ball [3], Balder [2]). *Suppose that a sequence of measurable functions $z_j : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ satisfies the global tightness condition with respect to μ :*

$$(GB) \quad \lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \mu\{x \in \Omega : |z_j(x)| \geq L\} = 0.$$

Then there exist a subsequence z_{j_k} and a Young measure $\nu = \{\nu_x\}_{x \in \Omega}$ such that $\delta_{z_{j_k}}$ is $L^1(C_0(\mathbb{R}^m))$ -weakly convergent to ν in $L^\infty_\omega(\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^m))$. Moreover, given a Carathéodory function $\psi : \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, the following statements hold.

(Y1) *If $\psi \circ z_{j_k}$ is $L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ -weakly convergent to $\bar{\psi}$ in $L^1(\mathbb{R})$, then, for some μ -negligible set $A_\psi \in \mathfrak{A}$, the integral $\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \psi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R}$ exists for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\psi$ and*

$$(1.1) \quad \bar{\psi}(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \psi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \quad \text{on } \Omega \setminus A_\psi.$$

(Y2) *If $\psi \circ z_{j_k}$ is sequentially $L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ -weakly pre-compact in $L^1(\mathbb{R})$, then, for some μ -negligible set $A_\psi \in \mathfrak{A}$, the integral $I(\psi, \nu_x) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \psi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R}$ exists for all $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\psi$ and $\psi \circ z_{j_k}$ is $L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ -weakly convergent to $\tilde{\psi} \in L^1(\mathbb{R})$, where $\tilde{\psi}(x) := I(\psi, \nu_x)$ for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\psi$ and $\tilde{\psi}(x) := 0$ otherwise.*

The generalization of Theorem 1.1 for the $L^{\Psi^*}(\mathbb{R})$ -weak limit of $\tau \circ z_{j_k}$ in the Orlicz space $L^\Psi(\mathbb{R})$ is proved by P. Málek et al. [11, Th. 4.2.1, pp. 171–176] in the case when Ψ and Ψ^* are complementary non-power Orlicz functions, Ψ satisfies the Δ_2 -condition [12], and $\tau : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous.

2. Formulation of results. A linear space $Z \subset L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ is called an M -space if the inclusions $z \in Z$ and $\alpha \in L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ imply that $\alpha z \in Z$ [16, 18]. If $m = 1$ then it is easy to check that M -spaces Z are just vector lattices. The *Köthe associate space* Z' with respect to μ of an M -space Z is defined e.g. in [7, 9] for $m = 1$, and in [15, 14, 18] for $m \geq 2$. By [16, Theorem 3.1], equivalently in case $m \geq 2$, Z' is defined by

$$Z' = \{z' \in L^0(\mathbb{R}^m) : z'(x) \in \text{vsupp } Z(x) \text{ } \mu\text{-a.e.}, \langle z, z' \rangle_\mu \in \mathbb{R}, \forall z \in Z\}.$$

Here $\langle z, z' \rangle_\mu := \int_\Omega (z(x), z'(x)) d\mu(x)$, where (\cdot, \cdot) denotes the Euclidean scalar product on \mathbb{R}^m , and the so-called *vector support* $\text{vsupp } Z$ can be equivalently defined by

$$\text{vsupp } Z(x) := \overline{\{z_1(x), z_2(x), \dots\}} \quad \mu\text{-a.e.}$$

for some sequence $z_n \in Z$ such that $z \in Z \Rightarrow z(x) \in \overline{\{z_1(x), z_2(x), \dots\}}$ μ -a.e. If $Z, Y \subset L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ are M -spaces and $Y \subset Z'$, then $\langle Z, Y \rangle$ is a duality pair with respect to $\langle z, z' \rangle_\mu$ ($z \in Z, z' \in Y$), and we write $\langle Z, Y \rangle_\mu$.

Let $\langle Z, Y \rangle$ be a duality pair of vector spaces. A set $\mathcal{N} \subset Z$ is called *sequentially Y -weakly pre-compact in Z* (or *conditionally sequentially Y -weakly compact in Z*) if each sequence $z_j \in \mathcal{N}$ has some Y -weak Cauchy subsequence $z_{j(k)}$. The space Z is called *sequentially Y -weakly complete* if each Y -weak Cauchy sequence is Y -weakly convergent in Z .

THEOREM 2.1. *Let $X, Y \subset L^0(\mathbb{R}^d)$ be M -spaces, $\text{supp } X = \Omega$, $\text{vsupp } X(x) = \text{vsupp } Y(x)$ μ -a.e., and $Y \subset X'$, where X' is the Köthe associate space of X with respect to μ . Suppose that a sequence $z_j \in L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ satisfies (GB) with respect to μ , and a Carathéodory function $\phi: \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ satisfies $\phi(x, \mathbb{R}^m) \subset \text{vsupp } X(x)$ μ -a.e. Moreover, let z_{j_k} and ν be as in Theorem 1.1. Then the following statements hold.*

(Y3) *If $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is Y -weakly convergent to $\bar{\phi}$ in X , then, for some μ -negligible set $A_\phi \in \mathfrak{A}$, the integral $\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ exists in $\text{vsupp } X(x)$ for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$ and*

$$(2.1) \quad \bar{\phi}(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \quad \text{on } \Omega \setminus A_\phi.$$

(Y4) *If $X = Y'$ and $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is sequentially Y -weakly pre-compact in X , then, for some μ -negligible set $A_\phi \in \mathfrak{A}$, the integral $I(\phi, \nu_x) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ exists in $\text{vsupp } X(x)$ for all $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$ and $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is Y -weakly convergent to $\tilde{\phi}$ in X , where $\tilde{\phi}(x) := I(\phi, \nu_x)$ for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$ and $\tilde{\phi}(x) := 0$.*

CONDITION 2.2 (Local tightness condition, [11, p. 171], [20]). *A sequence $z_j \in L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ satisfies*

$$(LB) \quad \lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \mu\{x \in C_q : |z_j(x)| \geq L\} = 0 \quad (\forall q \in \mathbb{N})$$

for a nondecreasing sequence $C_q \in \mathfrak{A}$ with $\mu(C_q) < \infty$ and $\bigcup_{q \in \mathbb{N}} C_q = \Omega$.

THEOREM 2.3. *Let $\mu(\Omega) = \infty$ and let X, Y and ϕ be as in Theorem 2.1. If a sequence $z_j \in L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ satisfies (LB) with respect to μ , then the statements (Y3)–(Y4) of Theorem 2.1 remain true.*

A normed space $Z \subset L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ with norm $\|\cdot\|_Z$ is called a *normed M -space* if the inclusions $z \in Z$ and $\alpha \in L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ imply that $\alpha z \in Z$ and $\|\alpha z\|_Z \leq \|\alpha\|_{L^\infty} \|z\|_Z$ [16, 18]. The *regular part* Z° of a normed M -space Z is defined to be the normed M -subspace of all elements $z \in Z$ satisfying $\lim_{\mu_*(D) \rightarrow 0} \|\chi_D z\|_Z = 0$, where $\mu_* := \mu$ if $\mu(\Omega) < \infty$ and μ_* is a fixed finite positive measure equivalent to μ if $\mu(\Omega) = \infty$, and χ_D denotes the characteristic function of $D \in \mathfrak{A}$.

PROPOSITION 2.4. *Let $X, Y \subset L^0(\mathbb{R}^d)$ be M -spaces with $X \subset Y'$, where Y' is the Köthe associate space of Y with respect to μ . Suppose that a sequence $z_j \in L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ and a Carathéodory function $\phi: \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ satisfy one of the following conditions:*

(SC1) *There exist nondecreasing continuous functions $g, \gamma: [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ such that*

- (a) $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} g(t) = \infty$ and $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \gamma(t)/g(t) = 0$;
- (b) $\{(g \circ |z_j|)u_0\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}}$ is Y -weakly bounded in X , where $u_0: \Omega \rightarrow (0, \infty)$ is measurable, $u_0 Y \subset L^1(\mathbb{R}^d)$, and $\text{vsupp } X(x) = \text{vsupp } Y(x)$ μ -a.e.;
- (c) $|\phi(x, \lambda)| \leq \gamma(|\lambda|)u_0(x)$ for μ -almost all $x \in \Omega$ and all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^m$;

(SC2) *There exists a Banach M -space Γ with $Y \subset \Gamma^\circ$, $(\Gamma^\circ)' \subset X$ and*

$$\sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \|\phi \circ z_j\|_{(\Gamma^\circ)'} < \infty.$$

Then the sequence $\phi \circ z_j$ is sequentially Y -weakly pre-compact in X .

REMARK 2.5. Proposition 2.4/(SC1) is a generalization of [20, Proposition 6.5] (where $Y = L^1(\mathbb{R})$ with $\mu(\Omega) < \infty$).

In the case of $\phi: \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow E$ with $\dim E = \infty$, results analogous to Theorems 2.1 and 2.3 can be proved but only for a pair $\langle X, Y \rangle$ of Köthe–Bochner spaces X, Y of E -/ E^* -valued functions (see Theorem 2.6). Given a separable Banach space E and a vector lattice $K \subset L^0(\mathbb{R})$, the *Köthe–Bochner space* $K(E)$ is defined as the space (of equivalence classes) of strongly measurable E -valued functions z such that $\|z(\cdot)\|_E \in K$.

THEOREM 2.6. *Let $K, \tilde{K} \subset L^0(\mathbb{R})$ be vector lattices, E be a Banach space and E^* be its dual. Assume that:*

- (a) $\text{supp } K = \text{supp } \tilde{K} = \Omega$ and $\tilde{K} \subset K'$, where K' is the Köthe associate space of K with respect to μ ;
- (b) E is separable and reflexive with $\dim E = \infty$.

If $\phi: \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow E$ is a Carathéodory function and a sequence $z_j \in L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ satisfies either (GB) or (LB), then the statements (Y3)–(Y4) of Theorem 2.1 remain true for the Köthe–Bochner spaces $X = K(E)$ and $Y = \tilde{K}(E^*)$ provided (2.1) (resp. $\tilde{\phi}$) is substituted by

$$(2.2) \quad \bar{\phi}(x) = (P)\text{-} \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \quad \text{on } \Omega \setminus A_\phi$$

(resp. $\tilde{\phi}(x) = (P)\text{-} \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$), where, for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$, the above integral exists as the Pettis integral of the function $\phi(x, \cdot): \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow E$ with respect to the measure ν_x .

PROPOSITION 2.7. Let $z_j \in L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ ($j \in \mathbb{N}$). Then (LB) with respect to μ follows from the condition:

- (LK) For $q \in \mathbb{N}$ there exist a normed lattice with monotone norm $K(q) \subset L^0(\mathbb{R})$ and a continuous nondecreasing function $g_q: [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ such that $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} g_q(t) = \infty$ and $\sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \|\chi_{C_q} g_q(|z_j(\cdot)|)\|_{K(q)} < \infty$ for a nondecreasing sequence $C_q \in \mathfrak{A}$ with $\mu(C_q) < \infty$ and $\bigcup_{q \in \mathbb{N}} C_q = \Omega$.

REMARK 2.8. Proposition 2.7 is an extension of the statement in [3, Remark 1, p. 209] (where $K(q) = L^1(\mathbb{R})$).

REMARK 2.9. If $Z \subset L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ is a normed M -space and $\sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \|z_j\|_Z < \infty$, then (LB) holds. Indeed, by [9, Corollary of Theorem IV.3.1], [23] ($m = 1$) and [16, Theorem 2.1/(3)] ($m \geq 2$), the sequence z_j is bounded in $L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ equipped with the quasi-norm $\|z\|_{L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)} := \int_{\Omega} \frac{|z(x)|}{1+|z(x)|} d\mu_*(x)$. Hence, by [9, Section III.1.3–III.1.4], this sequence is bounded in μ on any C_q , and so (LB) follows. In particular, Z can be assumed to be either a Banach lattice of scalar-valued functions (a solid space) or a non-solid generalized Orlicz space (see, e.g., [1, 12, 17]) of \mathbb{R}^m -valued functions with $m \geq 2$.

3. Proofs of results of Section 2

Proof of Theorem 2.1. We divide this proof into Steps 3.1–3.2.

STEP 3.1 (Proof of (Y3)). Given $y \in Y$, define $\phi_y: \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $\phi_y(x, \lambda) := (y(x), \phi(x, \lambda))$. As Y is an M -space we have $\alpha y \in Y$ for every $\alpha \in L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$, and from $Y \subset X'$ we infer that

$$\langle \phi \circ z_{j_k}, \alpha y \rangle_\mu = \langle \phi_y \circ z_{j_k}, \alpha \rangle_\mu \in \mathbb{R}.$$

By Theorem 1.1/(Y2) for ϕ_y together with the assumption for $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$, we

deduce that

$$\langle \phi \circ z_{j_k}, \alpha y \rangle_\mu = \langle \phi_y \circ z_{j_k}, \alpha \rangle_\mu \rightarrow \langle \bar{\phi}, \alpha y \rangle_\mu = \langle \tilde{\phi}_y, \alpha \rangle_\mu \in \mathbb{R}$$

for all $\alpha \in L^\infty(\mathbb{R})$, where, for some $\tilde{D}_{\phi_y} \in \mathfrak{A}$ with $\mu(\Omega \setminus \tilde{D}_{\phi_y}) = 0$, the integral $\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi_y(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R}$ exists for $x \in \tilde{D}_{\phi_y}$, and $\tilde{\phi}_y(x) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi_y(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ for $x \in \tilde{D}_{\phi_y}$ and $\tilde{\phi}_y(x) := 0$ otherwise. Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \bar{\phi}, \chi_{Dy} \rangle_\mu &= \langle \tilde{\phi}_y, \chi_D \rangle_\mu \\ &= \int_D \left[\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} (y(x), \phi(x, \lambda)) d\nu_x(\lambda) \right] d\mu(x) \in \mathbb{R} \quad (D \in \mathfrak{A}, D \subset \tilde{D}_{\phi_y}). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, $\langle \bar{\phi}, \chi_{Dy} \rangle_\mu = \int_D (y(x), \bar{\phi}(x)) d\mu(x)$ for any $D \in \mathfrak{A}$ with $D \subseteq \tilde{D}_{\phi_y}$. By the Radon–Nikodym theorem, we deduce that for $y \in Y$ there exists $D_{\phi_y} \in \mathfrak{A}$ such that $D_{\phi_y} \subset \tilde{D}_{\phi_y}$, $\mu(\tilde{D}_{\phi_y} \setminus D_{\phi_y}) = 0$, and

$$(3.1) \quad (y(x), \bar{\phi}(x)) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} (y(x), \phi(x, \lambda)) d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R} \quad (\forall x \in D_{\phi_y}).$$

Now, we consider $X \subset L^0(\Omega, \mathbb{R}^d)$ and $Y \subset X'$ for $d > 1$ (the case $d = 1$ can be handled analogously upon using [9, Corollary IV.3.2] for $\text{supp } Y = \text{supp } X = \Omega$). By [16, Theorem 3.1], there exists a sequence of representative families $G_q = \{u_{1q}, \dots, u_{dq}\}$ of the M -space Y such that the sets $\text{supp } G_q \in \mathfrak{A}$ are mutually disjoint, and

- (1) $\mu(\text{supp } Y \setminus \bigcup_{q=1}^\infty \text{supp } G_q) = 0$;
- (2) $|u_{1q}(x)| = \dots = |u_{d(q)q}(x)| = 1$ and $|u_{iq}(x)| = 0$ ($i \notin \{1, \dots, d(q)\}$) for $x \in \text{supp } G_q$ and $d(q) = \dim \text{vsupp } Y(x)$ on $\text{supp } G_q$.

By the definition [16] of the representative family G_q , we have $u_{iq} \in Y$ and the linear hull of $\{u_{1q}(x), \dots, u_{dq}(x)\}$ coincides with $\text{vsupp } Y(x)$ for $x \in \text{supp } G_q$. Hence, by (3.1), for $\chi_{\text{supp } G_q} u_{pq} \in Y$ ($1 \leq p \leq d(q)$) there exists $D_{pq} \in \mathfrak{A}$ such that $D_{pq} \subset \text{supp } G_q$, $\mu(\text{supp } G_q \setminus D_{pq}) = 0$, and

$$(\chi_{\text{supp } G_q}(x) u_{pq}(x), \bar{\phi}(x)) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} (\chi_{\text{supp } G_q}(x) u_{pq}(x), \phi(x, \lambda)) d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R}$$

for $x \in D_{pq}$. By the assumption, there exists $D_0 \in \mathfrak{A}$ with $\mu(\Omega \setminus D_0) = 0$ such that $\bar{\phi}(x), \phi(x, \lambda) \in \text{vsupp } X(x) = \text{vsupp } Y(x)$ for all $x \in D_0$ and for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^m$. Hence, for $x \in D_0 \cap \bigcap_{p=1}^{d(q)} D_{pq}$ and $1 \leq p \leq d(q)$, the integral $\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ exists in the finite-dimensional Euclidean space $\text{vsupp } Y(x) = \text{vsupp } X(x)$ and

$$(u_{pq}(x), \bar{\phi}(x)) = \left(u_{pq}(x), \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \right) \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Therefore,

$$\bar{\phi}(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \text{vsupp } X(x)$$

for $x \in D_\phi := \bigcup_{q=1}^\infty [D_0 \cap \bigcap_{p=1}^{d(q)} D_{pq}]$, and $\mu(\Omega \setminus D_\phi) = 0$. Hence the statement (Y3) follows for $A_\phi := \Omega \setminus D_\phi$.

STEP 3.2 (Proof of (Y4)). Observe that, as $X = Y'$, there exist a subsequence $j(k)$ of j_k and $\bar{\phi} \in X$ such that $\phi \circ z_{j(k)}$ is Y -weakly convergent to $\bar{\phi}$ in X , due to the Y -weak completeness theorem of J. Dieudonné [7] (if X is a normed lattice with $Y = X'$); W. Luxemburg and A. Zaanen [10], P. P. Zabrejko [23, Theorem 32] (if X is a normed lattice); H. Nakano [13] ($d = 1$ with $Y = X'$); O. Burkinshaw and P. Dodds [4, Corollary 4.2 of Theorem 4.1] ($d = 1$) and [15, Theorem 2.8/(1)], [18] ($d \geq 2$).

By Theorem 2.1/(Y3) applied to $\phi \circ z_{j(k)}$, we can find $A_\phi \in \mathfrak{A}$ such that $\mu(A_\phi) = 0$ and the integral $\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ exists in $\text{vsupp } X(x)$ for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$.

We proceed to show that $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is Y -weakly convergent to $\tilde{\phi}$ in X , where $\tilde{\phi}(x) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$ and $\tilde{\phi}(x) := 0$ otherwise.

On the contrary, suppose that $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is not Y -weakly convergent to $\tilde{\phi}$ in X . Then there exist $\varepsilon > 0$, $h_0 \in Y$ and a subsequence q_k of j_k such that $|\langle \phi \circ z_{q_k}, h_0 \rangle_\mu - \langle \tilde{\phi}, h_0 \rangle_\mu| > \varepsilon > 0$. By the above Y -weak completeness theorem together with Theorem 2.1/(Y3), for the sequence $\phi \circ z_{q_k}$ we can find a subsequence i_k of q_k , $\hat{\phi} \in X$ and $A_{\hat{\phi}} \in \mathfrak{A}$ such that $\langle \phi \circ z_{i_k}, h \rangle_\mu \rightarrow \langle \hat{\phi}, h \rangle_\mu$ ($\forall h \in Y$), $\mu(A_{\hat{\phi}}) = 0$, the integral $\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ exists in $\text{vsupp } X(x)$ for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_{\hat{\phi}}$, and $\hat{\phi}(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ on $\Omega \setminus A_{\hat{\phi}}$. Therefore, $\hat{\phi}$ and $\tilde{\phi}$ define the same element (equivalence class) in X , and $\langle \hat{\phi}, h_0 \rangle_\mu = \langle \tilde{\phi}, h_0 \rangle_\mu$. Hence, we get a contradiction. ■

PROPOSITION 3.1 ([15, Lemma 4.2.2]). *Let $\mu(\Omega) = \infty$. Then, for a sequence $z_j \in L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$, the condition (LB) holds with respect to μ if and only if the condition (GB) holds with respect to μ_* .*

Proof of Theorem 2.3. By Proposition 3.1, (LB) for μ and z_j implies (GB) for μ_* and z_j . So, we may apply Theorem 2.1 for z_j with respect to μ_* . Recall that if $\mu(\Omega) = \infty$ then the measure μ is called *separable* (see [9, 23]) provided μ_* is separable, which is equivalent to separability of $L^0(\mathbb{R}^m)$. We divide the proof into Steps 3.3–3.4.

STEP 3.3 (Proof of (Y3)). Denote by $\alpha_* \in L^1((0, \infty))$ the Radon–Nikodym derivative $d\mu_*/d\mu$. Define

$$\tilde{Y} := \{\tilde{z}' : \alpha_* \tilde{z}' \in Y\},$$

$$\tilde{Y}'_{\mu_*} := \{z \in L^0(\mathbb{R}^m) : z(x) \in \text{vsupp } \tilde{Y}(x) \mu_*\text{-a.e.}, \langle z, \tilde{z}' \rangle_{\mu_*} \in \mathbb{R}, \forall \tilde{z}' \in \tilde{Y}\},$$

where $\langle z, \tilde{z}' \rangle_{\mu_*} := \int_{\Omega} (z(x), \tilde{z}'(x)) d\mu_*(x)$. Then \tilde{Y}'_{μ_*} is in fact the Köthe associate space of \tilde{Y} with respect to μ_* . Observe that, for $\alpha_* \tilde{z}' = z' \in Y$,

$$\langle z, \tilde{z}' \rangle_{\mu_*} = \int_{\Omega} (z(x), z'(x)/\alpha_*(x)) \alpha_*(x) d\mu(x) = \langle z, z' \rangle_{\mu}.$$

As $\zeta \in L^1(\Omega, C_0(\mathbb{R}^m); \mu)$ if and only if $\tilde{\zeta} := \zeta/\alpha_* \in L^1(\Omega, C_0(\mathbb{R}^m); \mu_*)$, we have

$$\langle \nu, \tilde{\zeta} \rangle_{\mu_*} := \int_{\Omega} \left[\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \tilde{\zeta}(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \right] d\mu_*(x) = \langle \nu, \zeta \rangle_{\mu}.$$

Hence, $\delta_{z_{j_k}}$ is $L^1(\Omega, C_0(\mathbb{R}^m); \mu_*)$ -weakly convergent to ν in $L^\infty_\omega(\Omega, \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^m); \mu_*)$ and $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is \tilde{Y} -weakly convergent to $\bar{\phi}$ in X with respect to the duality pair $\langle X, \tilde{Y} \rangle_{\mu_*}$. By Theorem 2.1/(Y3), there exists $A_\phi \in \mathfrak{A}$ such that $\mu_*(A_\phi) = 0$, the integral $\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ exists in $\text{vsupp } X(x)$ for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$, and (2.1) holds for all $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$. As μ is equivalent to μ_* , we see that $\mu(A_\phi) = 0$.

STEP 3.4 (Proof of (Y4)). Observe that $X = Y'$ implies $X = \tilde{Y}'_{\mu_*}$. Since the sequence $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is sequentially Y -weakly pre-compact in X , we conclude that $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is sequentially \tilde{Y} -weakly pre-compact in X with respect to the duality pair $\langle X, \tilde{Y} \rangle_{\mu_*}$. By Theorem 2.1/(Y4), there exists $A_\phi \in \mathfrak{A}$ such that $\mu_*(A_\phi) = 0$, the integral $\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ exists in $\text{vsupp } X(x)$ for all $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$, and $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is \tilde{Y} -weakly convergent to $\bar{\phi}$ in X with respect to $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{\mu_*}$, where $\bar{\phi}(x) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda)$ for $x \in \Omega \setminus A_\phi$ and $\bar{\phi}(x) := 0$ otherwise. Since μ is equivalent to μ_* , we conclude that $\mu(A_\phi) = 0$ and $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is Y -weakly convergent to $\bar{\phi}$ in X . ■

Proof of Proposition 2.4. We divide this proof into Steps 3.5–3.6.

STEP 3.5. Assume that (SC1) holds. We claim that the sequence $\phi \circ z_j$ is Y -absolutely bounded in X , i.e.

$$(3.2) \quad y \in Y \Rightarrow \lim_{\mu_*(D) \rightarrow 0} \sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \int_D |(y(x), (\phi \circ z_j)(x))| d\mu(x) = 0, \\ \sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \int_{\Omega} |(y(x), (\phi \circ z_j)(x))| d\mu(x) < \infty.$$

Indeed, we deduce that

$$\int_D |(y(x), (\phi \circ z_j)(x))| d\mu(x) \leq \int_D |y(x)| \gamma(|z_j(x)|) u_0(x) d\mu(x) \\ = \left(\int_{D \cap \{\gamma(|z_j(\cdot)|) \leq l\}} + \int_{D \cap \{\gamma(|z_j(\cdot)|) \geq l\}} \right) |y(x)| \gamma(|z_j(x)|) u_0(x) d\mu(x) \\ \leq l \int_D |y(x)| u_0(x) d\mu(x) + \int_{\{\gamma(|z_j(\cdot)|) \geq l\}} |y(x)| \gamma(|z_j(x)|) u_0(x) d\mu(x).$$

Since γ is nondecreasing, we can choose $m_l \rightarrow \infty$ such that $\{t \geq 0 : \gamma(t) \geq l\} \subset \{t \geq 0 : t \geq m_l\}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\{\gamma(|z_j(\cdot)|) \geq l\}} |y(x)|\gamma(|z_j(x)|)u_0(x) \, d\mu(x) \\ & \leq \int_{\{|z_j(\cdot)| \geq m_l\}} |y(x)|\gamma(|z_j(x)|)u_0(x) \, d\mu(x) \\ & \leq \frac{1}{M_l} \int_{\{|z_j(\cdot)| \geq m_l\}} |y(x)|g(|z_j(x)|)u_0(x) \, d\mu(x) \\ & \leq \frac{1}{M_l} \int_{\Omega} |y(x)|g(|z_j(x)|)u_0(x) \, d\mu(x) \leq \frac{C}{M_l} \rightarrow 0 \end{aligned}$$

as $l \rightarrow \infty$ uniformly in j , where $C \in (0, \infty)$, $g(t) \geq M_l\gamma(t)$ for $t \geq m_l$, and $M_l \rightarrow \infty$ as $l \rightarrow \infty$. Hence, for any $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists l_0 such that

$$\int_{\{\gamma(|z_j(\cdot)|) \geq l_0\}} |y(x)|\gamma(|z_j(x)|)u_0(x) \, d\mu(x) \leq \varepsilon \quad \forall j \in \mathbb{N}.$$

As $y \in Y$ and $u_0Y \subset L^1(\mathbb{R}^d)$ we have $\lim_{\mu_*(D) \rightarrow 0} \int_D |y(x)|u_0(x) \, d\mu(x) = 0$. Therefore, there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $\mu_*(D) < \delta$ implies

$$\int_D |y(x)u_0(x)| \, d\mu(x) \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{l_0}.$$

Hence, we infer that

$$\mu_*(D) < \delta \Rightarrow \int_D |(y(x), (\phi \circ z_j)(x))| \, d\mu(x) \leq l_0 \frac{\varepsilon}{l_0} + \varepsilon = 2\varepsilon.$$

So, the first part of (3.2) follows. The second part of (3.2) follows by the same arguments.

Since $\text{vsupp } X(x) = \text{vsupp } Y(x)$ μ -a.e. and $X \subset Y'$, (3.2) implies that the sequence $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is sequentially Y -weakly pre-compact in X , due to the Y -weak pre-compactness theorem of J. Dieudonné [7] (if X is a normed lattice with $X = X''$, $Y = X'$); W. Luxemburg and A. Zaanen [10], P. P. Zabrejko [23, Theorem 33] (if X is a normed lattice); H. Nakano [13] ($m = 1$ with $X = X''$, $Y = X'$); O. Burkinshaw and P. Dodds [4, Theorem 3.4, Proposition 2.4] ($m = 1$), and [15, Theorem 2.8/(2)], [18] ($m \geq 2$).

STEP 3.6. Assume that (SC2) holds. It is known that $(\Gamma^\circ)'$ can be interpreted as the dual space $(\Gamma^\circ)^*$ by the injection $z' \mapsto \langle \cdot, z' \rangle_\mu$ (see, e.g., [1, 23], [9, Theorems VI.1.4 and IV.3.6] ($d = 1$), [15, Corollary 2.2, Proposition 2.2], [18] ($d \geq 2$)). By [9, Theorem IV.3.3] ($m = 1$) and [16, Theorem 2.5], [15, 18] ($m \geq 2$), the separability of μ implies the separability of Γ° . Hence, by the Alaoglu–Bourbaki theorem together with [9, Theorem V.7.6], the Γ° -weak

topology on any closed ball of $(\Gamma^\circ)^*$ is compact and metrizable. Therefore, for any sequence a_i in the $(\Gamma^\circ)'$ -norm-bounded set $\{\phi \circ z_{j_k}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ there exist a subsequence $p(i)$ of the sequence i and $a \in (\Gamma^\circ)'$ such that $a_{p(i)}$ is Γ° -weakly convergent to a in $(\Gamma^\circ)'$. Since $Y \subset \Gamma^\circ$ and $(\Gamma^\circ)' \subset X$, $a_{p(i)}$ is Y -weakly convergent to a in X . Hence, $a_{p(i)}$ is a Y -weak Cauchy sequence in X . Thus, the statement of Proposition 2.4/(SC2) follows. ■

Proof of Theorem 2.6. It suffices to modify Step 3.1 of the proof of Theorem 2.1/(Y3). Since $\text{supp } \tilde{K} = \Omega$, by [9, Corollary IV.3.2] there exists a sequence of disjoint sets $\Omega_q \in \mathfrak{A}$ such that $\chi_{\Omega_q} \in \tilde{K}$ and $\mu(\Omega \setminus \bigcup_{q=1}^\infty \Omega_q) = 0$. Since E is a separable reflexive space, so is E^* . Hence, there exists $\{\tilde{u}_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ dense in E^* . By (3.1) for $\chi_{\Omega_q} \tilde{u}_p \in Y$, for some $\tilde{D}_{pq} \in \mathfrak{A}$, $\tilde{D}_{pq} \subset \Omega_q$ and $\mu(\Omega_q \setminus \tilde{D}_{pq}) = 0$ and $\langle \chi_{\Omega_q}(x) \tilde{u}_p, \bar{\phi}(x) \rangle = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \langle \chi_{\Omega_q}(x) \tilde{u}_p, \phi(x, \lambda) \rangle d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R}$ for $x \in \tilde{D}_{pq}$. Therefore, for $x \in \bigcap_{p \in \mathbb{N}} \tilde{D}_{pq}$,

$$\langle \tilde{u}_p, \bar{\phi}(x) \rangle = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \langle \tilde{u}_p, \phi(x, \lambda) \rangle d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Put $\psi(x, \lambda) := \|\phi(x, \lambda)\|_E$. Since $\text{supp } K = \text{supp } \tilde{K} = \Omega$ and the sequence $\phi \circ z_{j_k}$ is $\tilde{K}(E^*)$ -weakly pre-compact in $K(E)$, by M. Talagrand [22, Corollary 9 of Theorem 6] and M. Nowak [19, Theorem 3.3] we deduce that the sequence $\psi \circ z_{j_k}$ is \tilde{K} -weakly pre-compact in \tilde{K}' . By Theorem 2.1/(Y4) for $\psi \circ z_{j_k}$, there exists $D_\psi \in \mathfrak{A}$ such that $\mu(\Omega \setminus D_\psi) = 0$ and the integral $\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \psi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R}$ exists for all $x \in D_\psi$.

Fix $u^* \in E^*$. Then we can choose a sequence $\hat{u}_i := \tilde{u}_{p(i)}$ from the dense set $\{\tilde{u}_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ with $\|\hat{u}_i - u^*\|_{E^*} \rightarrow 0$ as $i \rightarrow \infty$. Hence, $x \in \bigcap_{p=1}^\infty \tilde{D}_{pq} \cap D_\psi$ implies that $\langle \hat{u}_i, \phi(x, \lambda) \rangle \rightarrow \langle u^*, \phi(x, \lambda) \rangle$ for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^m$, $\langle \hat{u}_i, \bar{\phi}(x) \rangle \rightarrow \langle u^*, \bar{\phi}(x) \rangle$, and $|\langle \hat{u}_i, \phi(x, \lambda) \rangle| \leq \sup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \|\hat{u}_i\|_{E^*} \psi(x, \lambda) < \infty$. Hence, by the Lebesgue dominated convergence theorem, we infer that

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \langle \hat{u}_i, \phi(x, \lambda) \rangle d\nu_x(\lambda) \rightarrow \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \langle u^*, \phi(x, \lambda) \rangle d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R}$$

as $i \rightarrow \infty$ for $x \in \bigcap_{p=1}^\infty \tilde{D}_{pq} \cap D_\psi$. Hence, $x \in \bigcap_{p=1}^\infty \tilde{D}_{pq} \cap D_\psi$ implies that $\langle u^*, \bar{\phi}(x) \rangle = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \langle u^*, \phi(x, \lambda) \rangle d\nu_x(\lambda) \in \mathbb{R}$ for all $u^* \in E^*$. Therefore, for $x \in \bigcap_{p=1}^\infty \tilde{D}_{pq} \cap D_\psi$, the Pettis integral $(P)\text{-}\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \in E$ exists and coincides with $\bar{\phi}(x)$ [6, p. 53]. So, we obtain

$$\left(x \in D_\phi := \bigcup_{q=1}^\infty \bigcap_{p=1}^\infty \tilde{D}_{pq} \cap D_\psi\right) \Rightarrow \bar{\phi}(x) = (P)\text{-}\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \phi(x, \lambda) d\nu_x(\lambda) \in E,$$

and $\mu(\Omega \setminus D_\phi) = 0$. Hence, the statement (Y3) of Theorem 2.6 follows for $A_\phi := \Omega \setminus D_\phi$. ■

LEMMA 3.2 ([15, Lemma 4.2.3]). *Let $K \subset L^0(\mathbb{R})$ be a normed lattice with monotone norm. Then for $\varepsilon \in (0, \infty)$ there exists $r(\varepsilon) \in (0, \infty)$ such that $\|z\|_K \leq r(\varepsilon) \Rightarrow \|z\|_{L^0(\mathbb{R})} \leq \varepsilon$.*

Proof of Proposition 2.7. By 2.7, $g_q(|z_j(x_0)|) \geq g_q(L)$ for $x_0 \in D_L^j := \{x \in \Omega : |z_j(x)| \geq L\}$. Since $K(q)$ is a normed lattice with monotone norm $\|\cdot\|_{K(q)}$, we infer that

$$\begin{aligned} \|\chi_{C_q} g_q(|z_j(\cdot)|)\|_{K(q)} &\geq \|\chi_{C_q \cap D_L^j} g_q(|z_j(\cdot)|)\|_{K(q)} \\ &\geq \|\chi_{C_q \cap D_L^j} g_q(L)\|_{K(q)} = g_q(L) \|\chi_{C_q \cap D_L^j}\|_{K(q)}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \|\chi_{C_q \cap D_L^j}\|_{K(q)} = 0$. By Lemma 3.2, for all $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists $r_q(\varepsilon) > 0$ such that, given $j \in \mathbb{N}$, if $\|\chi_{C_q \cap D_L^j}\|_{K(q)} \leq r(\varepsilon)$ then $\|\chi_{C_q \cap D_L^j}\|_{L^0(\Omega, \mathbb{R})} = \frac{1}{2} \mu_*(C_q \cap D_L^j) \leq \varepsilon$. Therefore, there exists L_ε^q such that $L \geq L_\varepsilon^q$ implies that $\|\chi_{C_q \cap D_L^j}\|_{K(q)} \leq r(\varepsilon)$ for all $j \in \mathbb{N}$. It follows that $\frac{1}{2} \mu_*(C_q \cap D_L^j) \leq \varepsilon$ for all $j \in \mathbb{N}$ and all $L \geq L_\varepsilon^q$. This gives (GB) for μ_* and z_j on $C_q \subset \Omega$. By Proposition 3.1, (LB) follows for μ and z_j . ■

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