

47. Some Characterization of the Schwartz Space and an Analogue of the Paley-Wiener Type Theorem on Rank 1 Semisimple Lie Groups

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In this paper we shall reform the results of Harish-Chandra [4], [5], [6] and obtain an analogue of Paley-Wiener type theorem on real rank one semisimple Lie groups.

In the first place we shall define a slightly different Fourier transform on τ -spherical functions on the Schwartz space $\mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ and determine its image under this transform. Consequently we obtain a special case of J. Arthur's results restricted to τ -spherical functions. Next we assume that real rank of G is one. Under this assumption, we study Paley-Wiener type theorem, i.e., we shall obtain a precise description of the image of compactly supported functions in $\mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ with respect to the above transform. The method we shall use is the same as in O. Campoli [2].

1. Notation. Let G be a real reductive Lie group with compact center and be in class \mathcal{H} (cf. V. S. Varadarajan [9]). Let K be a maximal compact subgroup of G . By a parabolic pair in G we mean a pair (P, A) where P is a parabolic subgroup of G and A is its split component. Let $P = MAN$ and $\mathfrak{p} = \mathfrak{m} + \mathfrak{e} + \mathfrak{n}$ be the Langlands decomposition of P and its Lie algebra. Let $\tau = (\tau_1, \tau_2)$ be a unitary double representation of K on a finite dimensional Hilbert space V which satisfies the assumptions in Harish-Chandra [6]. Let τ_M be a representation of $K_M = K \cap M$ that is the restriction of τ to K_M . Then we can define the V -valued Schwartz space $\mathcal{C}(G, V)$ on G and the space of τ -spherical functions $\mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ as usual. In the same way we can also define $\mathcal{C}(M, V)$ and $\mathcal{C}(M, \tau_M)$ respectively (cf. Harish-Chandra [4]). Let $\mathcal{E}_2(M)$ be the discrete series of M and \mathcal{H}_ω be the smallest closed subspace of L_2 -space on M containing all matrix coefficients of ω (cf. Harish-Chandra [5]). Let $L = {}^\circ\mathcal{C}(M, \tau_M)$ be the space of cusp forms on M of the type τ_M . Then $\dim L < \infty$ and L is an orthogonal sum of $L(\omega)$ for $\omega \in \mathcal{E}_2(M)$ where $L(\omega) = L \cap (\mathcal{H}_\omega \otimes V)$. Let $W = W(G/A)$ be a Weyl group of (G, A) and $W(\omega)$ be a subset of W which consists of $s \in W$ such that $s\omega = \omega$ for $\omega \in \mathcal{E}_2(M)$. Let \mathcal{F} be the dual space of the Lie algebra of A . We shall regard \mathcal{F} as a Euclidean space and define the Schwartz space on it as usual which denotes $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})$. We define $r = r(G/A) = r(P)$,

$c = c(G/A) = c(P)$ and $\mu(\omega, \nu)$ as usual (cf. Harish-Chandra [6]).

Other notations we shall use are the same as in Harish-Chandra's papers [4], [5], [6].

2. Orthonormal basis in L . Now we fix a parabolic subgroup $P = MAN$. Then $L = {}^\circ\mathcal{C}(M, \tau_M)$ can be decomposed as

$$(2.1) \quad L = \bigoplus_{1 \leq j \leq m} \bigoplus_{s_j \in W - W(\omega_j)} L(s_j \omega_j)$$

where $\omega_j \in \mathcal{E}_2(M)$ for $1 \leq j \leq m$.

Next we shall choose an orthonormal basis of $L(\omega_j)$ ($1 \leq j \leq m$) as follows;

$$(2.2) \quad \{\phi_i^j, 1 \leq i \leq n_j \text{ where } n_j = \dim L(\omega_j)\} \quad (1 \leq j \leq m).$$

We denote $\phi_i^j = e_k$ where $k = n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_{j-1} + i$ ($1 \leq k \leq n = n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_m$).

3. Definition of transform. For $f \in \mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ and $\psi \in {}^\circ\mathcal{C}(M, \tau_M)$ we define the following transform;

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \hat{f}(\psi, \nu) &= (c^2 r)^{-1}(f, E(P : \psi : \nu : \cdot)) \\ &= (c^2 r)^{-1} \int_G (f(x), E(P : \psi : \nu : x)) dx \quad (\nu \in \mathcal{F}) \end{aligned}$$

where $E(P : \psi : \nu : x)$ is an Eisenstein integral and $(,)$ under the integral is a positive definite continuous Hermitian form on V which is invariant under τ .

Next for $\alpha \in \mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})$ and $\psi \in {}^\circ\mathcal{C}(M, \tau_M)$ we define,

$$(3.2) \quad \hat{\alpha}(\psi, x) = \int_{\mathcal{F}} \mu(\omega, \nu) E(P : \psi : \nu : x) \alpha(\nu) d\nu \quad (x \in G).$$

Then for fixed $\psi \in L(\omega)$, $f \mapsto \hat{f}$ is a continuous map of $\mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ into $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})$ and $\alpha \mapsto \hat{\alpha}$ is a continuous map of $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})$ into $\mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ (cf. Harish-Chandra [6]).

Now we shall define a slightly different Fourier transform on $\mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ as follows;

$$(3.3) \quad E_A(f) = (\hat{f}(e_1, \nu), \hat{f}(e_2, \nu), \dots, \hat{f}(e_n, \nu)) \quad (\nu \in \mathcal{F}).$$

If we put, $E_j(f) = (\hat{f}(e_{k_j+1}, \nu), \hat{f}(e_{k_j+2}, \nu), \dots, \hat{f}(e_{k_j+n_j}, \nu))$ where $k_j = n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_{j-1}$ and $\nu \in \mathcal{F}$, then we can write E_A as

$$(3.4) \quad E_A(f) = (E_1(f), E_2(f), \dots, E_m(f)).$$

Then it is clear that $E_A(f)$ is in $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})^n$ and $E_j(f)$ is in $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})^{n_j}$ for $1 \leq j \leq m$.

4. Main results. Let V be an arbitrary element in $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})^n$. Then V can be written as follows;

$$(4.1) \quad V = (V_1, V_2, \dots, V_m)$$

where V_j is an element in $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})^{n_j}$ ($1 \leq j \leq m$). Now we shall define two subspaces of $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})^n$. Let $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})_*^n$ denote the closed subspace of $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})^n$ consisting of elements which satisfy the following relation,

$$(4.2) \quad V_j(s^{-1}\nu)^t = {}^\circ\overline{C_{P|P}(s; s^{-1}\nu)} V_j(\nu)^t$$

for all $s \in W(\omega_j)$ ($1 \leq j \leq m$) and $\nu \in \mathcal{F}$,

where V_j^t is the transposed vector of V_j ($1 \leq j \leq m$) and ${}^\circ C_{P_1 P}(s; s^{-1}\nu)$ is a unitary operator which maps $L(\omega)$ onto $L(s\omega)$ ($s \in W$) (cf. Harish-Chandra [6]). We regard this operator as a matrix operator on $L(\omega)$ with respect to the basis in (2.2) and denote the complex conjugate by $\overline{\quad}$.

Let $\mathcal{H}(\mathcal{F})_*^n$ denote the subspace of $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})_*^n$ consisting of elements V whose each component v_i^j ($V_j = (v_1^j, v_2^j, \dots, v_{n_j}^j)$, $1 \leq j \leq m$) extends to the holomorphic function which is an exponential type and satisfies the following condition; if there exists a relation,

$$(4.3) \quad \sum_{i,j,t} C_{i,j,t} \left(\frac{d^{m_t}}{d\nu^{m_t}} \right) \Big|_{\nu=\nu_t} E(P: \phi_i^j: \nu: x) = 0$$

where m_t is a non-negative integer, $\nu_t \in (\mathcal{F})_c$ (the complexification of \mathcal{F}) and $C_{i,j,t}$ is in C , then

$$(4.4) \quad \sum_{i,j,t} C_{i,j,t} \left(\frac{d^{m_t}}{d\nu^{m_t}} \right) \Big|_{\nu=\nu_t} v_i^j(\nu) = 0.$$

Now we shall decompose $\mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$. Let $\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2, \dots, \Gamma_r$ be a complete set of θ -stable Cartan subgroups of G , no two of which are conjugate and put $A_i = (\Gamma_i)_R$ (the vector part of Γ_i) for $1 \leq i \leq r$. Let $P_i = M_i A_i N_i$ be a parabolic subgroup whose split component is A_i ($1 \leq i \leq r$). Let $\mathcal{C}_i(G, \tau)$ denote the closed subspace of $\mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ consisting of all f satisfying $f^{(P')} \sim 0$ unless A' ($P' = M'A'N'$) is conjugate to A_i under K . Then $\mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ is decomposed as follows (cf. Harish-Chandra [6]);

$$(4.5) \quad \mathcal{C}(G, \tau) = \mathcal{C}_1(G, \tau) \oplus \mathcal{C}_2(G, \tau) \oplus \dots \oplus \mathcal{C}_r(G, \tau)$$

(topological direct sum). When we apply the above consideration to P_i ($1 \leq i \leq r$), we shall use the notation such that E_{A_i}, \mathcal{F}_i and $n^{(i)}$ instead of E_A, \mathcal{F} and n . When Γ_i is a compact Cartan subgroup, then $\mathcal{C}_i(G, \tau)$ coincides with ${}^\circ \mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$ and E_{A_i} is the identity mapping.

Theorem 1. *If Γ_i is not compact, then the mapping E_{A_i} is a homeomorphism of $\mathcal{C}_i(G, \tau)$ onto $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F}_i)_*^{n^{(i)}}$.*

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathcal{C}(G, \tau) = \mathcal{C}_1(G, \tau) \oplus \mathcal{C}_2(G, \tau) \oplus \dots \oplus \mathcal{C}_r(G, \tau) \\ \begin{array}{ccc} E_{A_1} \downarrow & E_{A_2} \downarrow & E_{A_r} \downarrow \\ \mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F}_1)_*^{n^{(1)}} \oplus \mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F}_2)_*^{n^{(2)}} \oplus \dots \oplus \mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F}_r)_*^{n^{(r)}} \end{array} \end{array}$$

Theorem 2. *Assume that the real rank of G is equal to one. Then the mapping E_A is a homeomorphism of $\mathcal{C}_A(G, \tau)$ onto $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})_*^n$. An element V in $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})_*^n$ belongs to $\mathcal{H}(\mathcal{F})_*^n$ if and only if there exists a function f in $\mathcal{C}_c^\infty(G, \tau)$ such that $V = E_A(f)$. If $\text{rank } K \neq \text{rank } G$, then ${}^\circ \mathcal{C}(G, \tau) = 0$.*

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathcal{C}(G, \tau) = {}^\circ \mathcal{C}(G, \tau) \oplus \mathcal{C}_A(G, \tau) \\ \begin{array}{c} E_A \downarrow \\ \mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F})_*^n \end{array} \end{array}$$

Remark 1. In Theorem 1 we have a following inversion formula for $f \in \mathcal{C}(G, \tau)$;

$$f(x) = \sum_{p=1}^r \sum_{j^{(p)}=1}^{m^{(p)}} |W^{(p)}(\omega_{j^{(p)}}^{(p)})|^{-1} \sum_{i^{(p)}=1}^{n_j^{(p)}} \int_{\mathcal{F}_p} \mu^{(p)}(\omega_{j^{(p)}}^{(p)}, \nu_p) \\ \times E(P_p; \phi_{i^{(p)}}^{j^{(p)}}; \nu_p; x) \hat{f}(\phi_{i^{(p)}}^{j^{(p)}}, \nu_p) d\nu_p.$$

Remark 2. In Theorem 2 if we put $\tau_1 = \tau_2 =$ trivial representation and $V = \mathcal{C}$, then Theorem 2 coincides with the result of S. Helgason [7] and R. Gangolli [3]. In the same way if we put $\tau_1 =$ trivial representation and $\tau_2 =$ arbitrary, then Theorem 2 coincides with a theorem of S. Helgason [8].

Remark 3. In Theorem 2 we can obtain a relation between a size of a support of a compactly supported function and an exponential type of its Fourier transform as usual.

Remark 4. Using Theorem 2, we have obtained Paley-Wiener type theorem on $\mathcal{C}(G)$, when real rank of G is one. We shall describe this result in a next article.

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