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LOGICS of J -PROJECTIONS of TYPE (B) .

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Let H be a complex Hilbert space. Fix a selfadjoint symmetry operator J ($J = J^* = J^{-1}$, $J \neq \pm I$). The operator $A^\# := JA^*J$ is called to be J -adjoint to A . Note, A is J -self-adjoint (J -positive, J -negative) iff JA - self-adjoint (positive, negative, respectively). Let $\mathcal{P} := \{p \in B(H) : p^2 = p = p^\#\}$. Any $p \in \mathcal{P}$ is said to be J -projection. Let \mathcal{P}^+ (\mathcal{P}^-) be the set of all J -positive (J -negative, respectively) J -projections. Assume that there are orthogonal projections P, Q such that $P + Q = I$, $Q^\# = P$. Put $\mathcal{J} := P - Q$. A von Neumann algebra \mathcal{A} in H is said to be a *von Neumann J -algebra of type (B)* if $A \in \mathcal{A}$ implies $A^\# \in \mathcal{A}$ and if P, Q are central projections in \mathcal{A} . The logic $\mathcal{P}^\mathcal{A} := \mathcal{A} \cap \mathcal{P}$ is called to be *the logic of type (B)* and any J -projection from $\mathcal{P}^\mathcal{A}$ is said to be a J -projection of type (B) . A J -projection $R \in \mathcal{P}^+$ is said to be a *generator* to a J -projection \mathcal{R} if $\mathcal{R} = R + \mathcal{J}R\mathcal{J}$ and subspaces RH , $\mathcal{J}RH$ are mutually orthogonal. Let F^+ be the cover projection of P^+RP^+ . Here $P^+ := (1/2)(I + J)$ and $P^- := I - P^+$.

The aim of the report J -projections from \mathcal{A} are studied for the first time.

Let \mathcal{A} be a *von Neumann J -algebra of type (B)* . Then $\mathcal{P}^\mathcal{A} \cap \mathcal{P}^+ = \{0\} = \mathcal{P}^\mathcal{A} \cap \mathcal{P}^-$. By analogy with \mathcal{P} if $\dim H = \infty$ then the logic $\mathcal{P}^\mathcal{A}$ is not a σ -logic. The function $\sigma(P) := \mathcal{J}P\mathcal{J}$ is an automorphism of \mathcal{P} , for which $\mathcal{J}\mathcal{P}^+\mathcal{J} = \mathcal{P}^-$. In particular, $\mathcal{J}\mathcal{P}^+\mathcal{J} = \mathcal{P}^-$. Let \mathcal{L}_P^A be the set of all projections from PAP . Then $\mathcal{P}^\mathcal{A} = \{q + Jq^*J : q \in \mathcal{L}_P^A\}$. Let $q, p \in \mathcal{P}$ and let q be a J -projection of type (B) . Then $p \leq q$ iff $\mathcal{J}p\mathcal{J} \leq q$.

Theorem 1. Let R be a J -projection. The following conditions are equivalent: 1) R has type (B) ; 2) there exists a (unique!) generator to R ; 3) $R = \mathcal{J}R\mathcal{J}$; 4) $QRP = PRQ = 0$.

Remark 1. 1) From $R \in \mathcal{P}^+$ ($\in \mathcal{P}^-$) and $PRQ = 0$ ($QRP = 0$) it is $R = 0$ hold. 2) Let $\dim H \geq 4$. Then there is $R \in \mathcal{P}$ such that $PRQ = 0$, $QRP \neq 0$. 3) If $R \in \mathcal{P}$ and $PRQ = 0$, then PRP and QRQ are projections.

Theorem 2. Let $R \in \mathcal{P}^+$ and let $P^-RP^+ = U|P^-RP^+|$ be the polar decomposition for P^-RP^+ . Then R is a generator iff subspaces $\mathcal{J}F^+H$ and UH are mutually orthogonal.

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