

# Operator Space Projective Tensor Product: Embedding into second dual and ideal structures

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# Introduction- Operator Space

- An (concrete) operator space  $V$  is a subspace of  $\mathcal{B}(H)$  together with the natural norms on  $M_n(V)$  inherited from  $M_n(\mathcal{B}(H)) = \mathcal{B}(H^n)$ ,  $H$  being a Hilbert space.
- Every Banach space possesses an operator space structure. To see this, for  $\Gamma = B_1(X^*)$ , the isometric embedding  $X \hookrightarrow C(\Gamma)$  via  $x \rightarrow f_x$ , where  $f_x(g) := g(x)$  for  $g \in C(\Gamma)$ , equips  $X$  with an operator space structure.
- Every  $C^*$ -algebra is an operator space.
- For Hilbert spaces  $H$  and  $K$ ,  $\mathcal{B}(H, K) \subseteq \mathcal{B}(H \oplus K)$  is an operator space.

# Introduction- Operator Space (Morphisms)

- A linear map  $\phi : V \rightarrow W$  between operator spaces  $V$  and  $W$  is said to be *completely bounded* (in short, c.b.) if

$$\|\phi\|_{cb} := \sup\{\|\phi_n\| : n \in \mathbb{N}\} < \infty,$$

where  $\phi_n : M_n(V) \rightarrow M_n(W)$  is defined by

$$\phi_n((x_{ij})) = (\phi(x_{ij})) \text{ for all } (x_{ij}) \in M_n(V).$$

- Two operator spaces  $V$  and  $W$  are said to be *completely isomorphic* if there exists a completely bounded linear bijection  $\phi : V \rightarrow W$  whose inverse is also completely bounded.

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A normed space  $V$  with a sequence of norms

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is said to be an (*abstract*) operator space if:

- (i)  $\left\| \begin{pmatrix} v & 0 \\ 0 & w \end{pmatrix} \right\|_{n+m} = \max\{\|v\|_n, \|w\|_m\}$  for all  $v \in M_n(V), w \in M_m(V)$
- (ii)  $\|\alpha v \beta\|_m \leq \|\alpha\| \|v\|_n \|\beta\|$ , for all  $\alpha \in \mathbb{M}_{m,n}, \beta \in \mathbb{M}_{n,m}, v \in M_n(V)$ .

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# Some Elementary Constructions

- (*c.b. maps*)  $\mathcal{CB}(V, W)$ , the space of completely bounded maps from  $V$  into  $W$  is an operator space with the matricial norms inherited from the identifications

$$M_n(\mathcal{CB}(V, W)) \cong \mathcal{CB}(V, M_n(W))$$

- (*Dual*) The operator space structure on the dual  $V^*$  comes by identifying  $V^* = \mathcal{CB}(V, \mathbb{C}) \cong \mathcal{B}(V, \mathbb{C})$ . Thus,  $V^*$  obtains its matricial structure from the identifications

$$M_n(V^*) \cong \mathcal{CB}(V, M_n(\mathbb{C})),$$

and the operator space thus obtained is known as the *operator space dual* of  $V$ .

# Tensor Norms/Products

- For  $u = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \otimes y_i \in X \otimes Y$ , *Banach space injective tensor norm* is defined as

$$\|u\|_\lambda = \sup \left\{ \left| \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i)g(y_i) \right| : f \in B_1(X^*), g \in B_1(Y^*) \right\}.$$

- Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be Banach spaces. For  $u \in X \otimes Y$ , *Banach space projective tensor norm* is defined as

$$\|u\|_\gamma = \inf \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n \|x_i\| \|y_i\| : u = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \otimes y_i \right\},$$

A. Grothendieck, *Produits tensoriels topologiques et espaces nucléaires*. Memoirs of the American Mathematical Society (16), 1955.



- For a bilinear map  $u : V \times W \rightarrow E$ , there are two ways to look at its amplifications

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where  $u \in M_n(V \otimes W)$  and  $v \odot w = (\sum_{k=1}^p v_{ik} \otimes w_{kj})_{ij}$ .

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where infimum runs over arbitrary decompositions with  $v \in M_p(V)$ ,  $w \in M_q(W)$ ,  $\alpha \in M_{n,pq}$ ,  $\beta \in M_{pq,n}$  and  $p, q \in \mathbb{N}$  arbitrary.

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## Comparison

On the tensor product  $A \otimes B$  of two  $C^*$ -algebras  $A$  and  $B$ , we have the following comparison between the various tensor norms:

$$\|\cdot\|_{\lambda} \leq \|\cdot\|_h \leq \|\cdot\|_{\wedge} \leq \|\cdot\|_{\gamma}.$$

- *commutative*:  $V_1 \widehat{\otimes} V_2 \stackrel{cb}{=} V_2 \widehat{\otimes} V_1$ ;
- *associative*:  $V_1 \widehat{\otimes} (V_2 \widehat{\otimes} V_3) \stackrel{cb}{=} (V_1 \widehat{\otimes} V_2) \widehat{\otimes} V_3$ ;
- *functorial*: If  $\phi_i : V_i \rightarrow W_i, i = 1, 2$  are completely bounded maps, then  $\phi_1 \otimes \phi_2 : V_1 \otimes V_2 \rightarrow W_1 \otimes W_2$  extends to a completely bounded map  $\phi_1 \widehat{\otimes} \phi_2 : V_1 \widehat{\otimes} V_2 \rightarrow W_1 \widehat{\otimes} W_2$  with  $\|\phi_1 \widehat{\otimes} \phi_2\|_{cb} \leq \|\phi_1\|_{cb} \|\phi_2\|_{cb}$ ;
- *projective*: For closed subspaces  $W_i \subseteq V_i, i = 1, 2$ , the tensor map  $V_1 \otimes V_2 \rightarrow (V_1/W_1) \otimes (V_2/W_2)$  extends to a complete quotient map  $V_1 \widehat{\otimes} V_2 \rightarrow (V_1/W_1) \widehat{\otimes} (V_2/W_2)$ ;

# Drawback

- Not injective, that is, for subspaces  $W_i \subseteq V_i, i = 1, 2$ , the induced map  $W_1 \widehat{\otimes} W_2 \rightarrow V_1 \widehat{\otimes} V_2$  is not a complete isometry.
- (Effros and Ruan, 1991) For  $W_1 \hookrightarrow W_2$ , the induced map  $V \widehat{\otimes} W_1 \hookrightarrow V \widehat{\otimes} W_2$  is a complete isometry if and only if the dual operator space  $V^*$  is injective (that is for any operator spaces  $W_0 \subseteq W$ , every c.b. linear map  $\phi_0 : W_0 \rightarrow V^*$  has a c.b. norm preserving linear extension  $\phi : W \rightarrow V^*$ .)

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# Embeddings of tensor products into bidual

- Given a certain tensor norm  $\alpha$ , and spaces  $A, B$ , is it possible to embed  $A^{**} \otimes^{\alpha} B^{**}$  into  $(A \otimes^{\alpha} B)^{**}$  isometrically (completely), or, at least bi-continuously?
- (Archbold and Batty, 1980) A  $C^*$ -algebra  $A$  is said to satisfy *Property C* if for every  $C^*$ -algebra  $B$ , the  $C^*$ -algebra  $A^{**} \otimes^{\min} B^{**}$  can be isometrically embedded in  $(A \otimes^{\min} B)^{**}$ .
- For Banach spaces  $E$  and  $F$ , the inclusion

$$E^{**} \otimes F^{**} \hookrightarrow (E \otimes_{\lambda} F)^{**}$$

induces the Banach space injective tensor norm  $\|\cdot\|_{\lambda}$  on  $E^{**} \otimes F^{**}$

- If  $V$  and  $W$  are reflexive operator spaces and  $\alpha$  is an operator space tensor norm, then  $V^{**} \otimes_{\alpha} W^{**}$  can be completely isometrically embedded in  $(V \otimes_{\alpha} W)^{**}$ .

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- (Effros and Ruan) For operator spaces  $V$  and  $W$ , there is a separately  $w^*$ -continuous extension  $\theta : V^{**} \otimes W^{**} \rightarrow (V \check{\otimes} W)^{**}$  of the natural inclusion  $i : V \otimes W \rightarrow (V \check{\otimes} W)^{**}$ , which is also injective. An operator space  $V$  is said to satisfy *condition C* if for every operator space  $W$ , the map  $\theta$  is (completely) isometric with respect to the injective norm.
- (Kumar and Sinclair, 1998) For  $C^*$ -algebras  $A$  and  $B$ , the canonical embedding  $\mu$  of  $A^{**} \otimes^\gamma B^{**}$  into  $(A \otimes^\gamma B)^{**}$  satisfies

$$\|u\| \leq 4\|\mu(u)\| \leq 4\|u\|$$

for all  $u \in A^{**} \otimes^\gamma B^{**}$ . In particular,  $\mu$  has a continuous inverse.

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## Theorem (— and Kumar)

For exact operator spaces  $V$  and  $W$ , there is a canonical embedding  $\mu$  of  $V^{**} \widehat{\otimes} W^{**}$  into  $(V \widehat{\otimes} W)^{**}$  which satisfies

$$\frac{1}{2K} \|u\| \leq \|\mu(u)\| \leq 2K \|u\| \text{ for all } u \in V^{**} \widehat{\otimes} W^{**},$$

where  $K = 2\sqrt{2} \operatorname{ex}(V) \operatorname{ex}(W)$ . In particular,  $\mu$  has a continuous inverse.

- An operator space  $V$  is exact if

$$\{0\} \longrightarrow \mathcal{K}(l_2) \check{\otimes} V \longrightarrow \mathcal{B}(l_2) \check{\otimes} V \longrightarrow \frac{\mathcal{B}(l_2)}{\mathcal{K}(l_2)} \check{\otimes} V \longrightarrow \{0\}$$

is 1-exact. The exactness constant of  $V$  is defined as  $\operatorname{ex}(V) = \|T_V^{-1}\|$ , where

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# Outline of Proof

- Every j.c.b. bilinear map  $u : V \times W \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  can be extended uniquely to a separately  $w^*$ -continuous j.c.b. bilinear map  $\tilde{u} : V^{**} \times W^{**} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  such that  $\|\tilde{u}\|_{jcb} \leq 2K\|u\|_{jcb}$ , where  $K = 2\sqrt{2}ex(V)ex(W)$ .
- We have a map  $\chi : (V \widehat{\otimes} W)^* \rightarrow (V^{**} \widehat{\otimes} W^{**})^*$  with  $\|\chi\| \leq 2K$ . Define

$$\mu := \chi^* \circ i : V^{**} \widehat{\otimes} W^{**} \rightarrow (V \widehat{\otimes} W)^{**},$$

where  $i : V^{**} \widehat{\otimes} W^{**} \rightarrow (V^{**} \widehat{\otimes} W^{**})^{**}$  is the canonical completely isometric embedding.

## Theorem (\_\_\_ and Kumar)

*For  $C^*$ -algebras  $A$  and  $B$ , there is a canonical bicontinuous embedding  $\mu$  of  $A^{**} \widehat{\otimes} B^{**}$  into  $(A \widehat{\otimes} B)^{**}$  satisfying*

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*For operator spaces  $V$  and  $W$ , there is a canonical completely isometric embedding of  $V^{**} \otimes^h W^{**}$  into  $(V \otimes^h W)^{**}$ .*

### Outline of the proof:

- Let  $E$  be a dual operator space and  $u : V \times W \rightarrow E$  be a c.b. bilinear map. Then  $u$  admits a unique separately  $w^*$ -continuous c.b. extension  $\tilde{u} : V^{**} \times W^{**} \rightarrow E$ , with  $\|u\|_{cb} = \|\tilde{u}\|_{cb}$ .
- This leads to prove that  $(V \otimes^h W)^*$  is completely isometrically isomorphic to  $(V^{**} \otimes^h W^{**})^*$ , so that  $(V \otimes^h W)^{**}$  becomes completely isometrically isomorphic to  $V^{**} \otimes_{\sigma h} W^{**}$ , the normal Haagerup tensor product.
- The result now follows from the fact that there is a complete isometric embedding  $V^{**} \otimes^h W^{**} \hookrightarrow V^{**} \otimes_{\sigma h} W^{**}$ .

- For  $C^*$ -algebras  $A$  and  $B$ , the Haagerup norm is equivalent to the operator space projective tensor norm on  $A \otimes B$  if and only if either  $A$  or  $B$  is finite dimensional, or  $A$  and  $B$  are infinite dimensional and subhomogeneous.  
(A  $C^*$ -algebra  $A$  is said to be *subhomogeneous* if every irreducible  $*$ -representation of  $A$  has dimension less than or equal to  $n$ , for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .)

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- (Dimant and Unzeuta, 2016) Let  $V$  and  $W$  be operator spaces with  $V^*$  and  $W^*$  as locally reflexive. If either  $V^{**}$  or  $W^{**}$  has CBAP (completely bounded approximation property), then there is a natural embedding of  $V^{**} \widehat{\otimes} W^{**} \hookrightarrow (V \widehat{\otimes} W)^{**}$  which is complete isometry.
- For locally reflexive operator spaces  $V$  and  $W$ , the natural embedding of  $V^{**} \check{\otimes} W^{**} \hookrightarrow (V \check{\otimes} W)^{**}$  is complete isometry.
- Obtained analogous statement for finitely generated operator space tensor norm.

V. Dimant and M. F. Unzeuta, Biduals of Tensor Products in Operator Spaces, Studia Mathematica, 2016.

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# Algebraic structure of $\widehat{A \otimes B}$

- For a simple  $C^*$ -algebra  $A$ , every closed ideal of  $\widehat{A \otimes B}$  has the form  $\widehat{A \otimes L}$  for some closed ideal  $L$  of  $B$ .
- A closed ideal  $K$  of  $\widehat{A \otimes B}$  is minimal if and only if there exist minimal closed ideals  $I$  and  $J$  of  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively, such that  $K = \widehat{I \otimes J}$ .

## Theorem (— and Kumar)

*A closed ideal  $K$  of  $\widehat{A \otimes B}$  is maximal if and only if there exist maximal closed ideals  $M$  and  $N$  of  $A$  and  $B$  respectively, such that*

$$K = \widehat{A \otimes N} + \widehat{M \otimes B}.$$

# Algebraic structure of $A \widehat{\otimes} B$ - Slice map

- For each  $\phi \in A^*$ , define a linear map  $R_\phi : A \otimes B \rightarrow B$  by

$$R_\phi(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i \otimes b_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n \phi(a_i)b_i.$$

The map  $R_\phi$  is continuous with respect to the operator space projective tensor norm with  $\|R_\phi\| \leq \|\phi\|$ ; thus, it can be extended to  $A \widehat{\otimes} B$  as a bounded linear map. This map is known as the *right slice map* associated to  $\phi$ .

- For a closed ideal  $J$  of  $B$ ,  $R_\phi(x) \in J$  for all  $\phi \in A^*$ , and for every  $x \in A \widehat{\otimes} J$ .
- A triple  $(A, B, J)$ , where  $J$  is a closed two-sided ideal of  $B$ , is said to verify the *slice map conjecture* if whenever  $x \in A \otimes B$  and  $R_\phi(x) \in J$  for all  $\phi \in A^*$  then  $x \in A \otimes J$ .
- Slice map conjecture is not true for min-norm on  $C^*$ -algebras.



- Smith, 1988, proved it for all subspaces  $J$  for Haagerup tensor product of  $C^*$ -algebras.
- (— and Kumar) Slice map conjecture is true for operator space projective tensor product of  $C^*$ -algebras.
- Let  $I_1, I_2$  and  $J_1, J_2$  be closed ideals of  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively. Then,

$$(I_1 \widehat{\otimes} J_1) \cap (I_2 \widehat{\otimes} J_2) = (I_1 \cap I_2) \widehat{\otimes} (J_1 \cap J_2).$$

## Theorem (\_\_\_\_ and Kumar)

*For a closed ideal  $K$  of  $A\widehat{\otimes}B$ ,  $K$  is prime if and only if there exist some closed prime ideals  $E$  and  $F$  of  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively, such that  $K = A\widehat{\otimes}F + E\widehat{\otimes}B$ .*

### Outline of Proof:

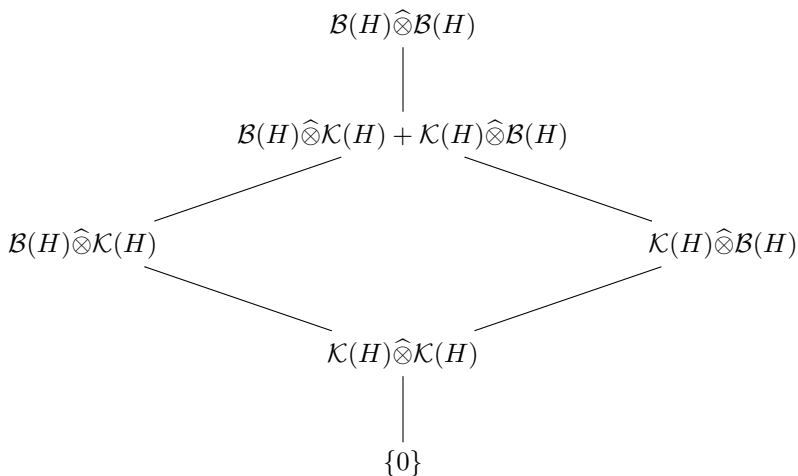
- For a closed ideal  $K$ , choose closed ideals  $E$  and  $F$  of  $A$  and  $B$  which are maximal w.r.t. the fact that  $A\widehat{\otimes}F + E\widehat{\otimes}B \subseteq K$ .
- For quotient maps  $\pi : A \rightarrow A/E$  and  $\rho : B \rightarrow B/F$ , slice map property gives  $(\pi\widehat{\otimes}\rho)(K) = 0$  so that  $K = A\widehat{\otimes}F + E\widehat{\otimes}B$ .
- Also, if  $I \cap J \subseteq E$ , then  $(I\widehat{\otimes}B) \cap (J\widehat{\otimes}B) \subseteq K$  so either  $I\widehat{\otimes}B \subseteq K$  or  $J\widehat{\otimes}B \subseteq K$ . which further gives  $I \subseteq E$  or  $J \subseteq E$ .

## Theorem (\_\_\_ and Kumar)

For  $C^*$ -algebras  $A$  and  $B$ , we have the following:

- (i) If  $E$  and  $F$  are primitive ideals of  $A$  and  $B$  respectively, then  $A \widehat{\otimes} F + E \widehat{\otimes} B$  is a primitive ideal of  $A \widehat{\otimes} B$ .
- (ii) If  $K$  is a primitive ideal of  $A \widehat{\otimes} B$ , then  $K = A \widehat{\otimes} F + E \widehat{\otimes} B$  for some closed prime ideals  $E$  and  $F$  of  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively.
- (iii) If  $A$  and  $B$  are separable, then an ideal  $K$  of  $A \widehat{\otimes} B$  is primitive if and only if  $K = A \widehat{\otimes} F + E \widehat{\otimes} B$  for some primitive ideals  $E$  and  $F$  of  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively.

# Lattice of closed ideals of $\mathcal{B}(H) \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{B}(H)$



**Thank you for your attention!**