

Countability of the full character space

`MathlibAnnex.Analysis.CStarAlgebra.NonUnitalCStarRepresentation.countable_characterSpace_of_nonUnital_singleton`

Shows that the full character space of a closed unitization subalgebra is countable when π is a separably acting representative of the unique irreducible-representation class.

Statement

Let A be a nonzero complex C^* -algebra, not assumed unital; let H be a separable complex Hilbert space; let π be a representation of A on H that is a representative of the unique unitary-equivalence class of nonzero irreducible representations of A ; and let D be a closed unital star subalgebra of Unitization $\mathbb{C} A$. The entire character space of D is countable, including the distinguished scalar character.

Assumptions

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Conclusion

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Proof idea

For each character other than `infinityCharacterOn D`, the prior source theorem supplies a joint unit eigenvector. Distinct characters give orthogonal vectors, so separability of H makes that complement countable. The source then maps the disjoint sum of the complement and one Unit onto the entire character space.

Proof steps

1. Exact Lean statement: $\forall \{A : \text{Type } u\} \text{ [inst : NonUnitalCStarAlgebra } A] \text{ [inst_1 : PartialOrder } A] \text{ [StarOrderedRing } A] \{H : \text{Type } v\} \text{ [inst_3 : NormedAddCommGroup } H] \text{ [inst_4 : InnerProductSpace } \mathbb{C} H] \text{ [inst_5 : CompleteSpace } H] \text{ [Nontrivial } A] \text{ [TopologicalSpace.SeparableSpace } H] \text{ (} \pi : \text{MathlibAnnex.Analysis.CStarAlgebra.NonUnitalCStarRepresentation } A H \text{), } \pi.\text{IsSingletonIrreducibleModel} \rightarrow \forall (D : \text{StarSubalgebra } \mathbb{C} (\text{Unitization } \mathbb{C} A)) \text{ [inst_8 : IsClosed } \uparrow D], \text{Countable } \uparrow (\text{WeakDual.characterSpace } \mathbb{C} \uparrow D)$
2. Countable $(\text{WeakDual.characterSpace } \mathbb{C} D)$.
3. For each character other than `infinityCharacterOn D`, the prior source theorem supplies a joint unit eigenvector. Distinct characters give orthogonal vectors, so separability of H makes that complement countable. The source then maps the disjoint sum of the complement and one Unit onto the entire character space.

Main citations

`MathlibAnnex.Analysis.CStarAlgebra.NonUnitalCStarRepresentation.exists_unit_eigenvector_of_character_ne_infinity`
Exact formal dependency; inspect the linked Card and exact source.

Lean source signature (exact)

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theorem countable_characterSpace_of_nonUnital_singleton [Nontrivial A]
[TopologicalSpace.SeparableSpace H]
(pi : NonUnitalCStarRepresentation A H)
(hsingle : IsSingletonIrreducibleModel.{u, v, u} pi)
(D : StarSubalgebra  $\mathbb{C}$  (Unitization  $\mathbb{C}$  A))
[IsClosed (D : Set (Unitization  $\mathbb{C}$  A))] :
Countable (WeakDual.characterSpace  $\mathbb{C}$  D)
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