## SOME ERGODIC PROPERTIES OF MEASURES

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## Abstract

Let G be a locally compact abelian group with the dual group  $\Gamma$  and let M(G) be the convolution measure algebra of G. By  $\hat{\mu}$  we denote the Fourier-Stieltjes transform of  $\mu \in M(G)$ :

$$\widehat{\mu}\left(\gamma\right)=\int_{G}\overline{\gamma}\left(g\right)d\mu\left(g\right),\ \gamma\in\Gamma.$$

For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , by  $\mu^n$  we denote n-times convolution power of  $\mu \in M(G)$ . A measure  $\mu \in M(G)$  which satisfies  $\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \|\mu^n\| < \infty$  is called *power* bounded.

In the case when  $1 , by <math>\widehat{f}$  we will denote the Hausdorff-Young-Plancherel transform of  $f \in L^p(G)$ . For a closed subset F of  $\Gamma$ , by  $L^p(F)$ we denote the set of all  $f \in L^p(G)$  such that  $\widehat{f} = 0$  almost everywhere on  $F(\widehat{f} \text{ is only defined up to sets of Haar measure zero}).$ 

We have the following.

**Theorem.** Let G be a locally compact abelian group and let  $\mu$  be a power bounded measure on G. If  $1 , then the following conditions are equivalent for a closed subset F of <math>\Gamma$ :

(a) 
$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \left\| \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \mu^k * f \right\|_p = 0$$
, for all  $f \in L^p(F)$ .  
(b)  $\widehat{\mu}(\gamma) \neq 1$ , for all  $\gamma \in \Gamma \setminus F$ .

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