

# Some Operations on Mixed Monotone Operator in Banach Spaces

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**Abstract.** This paper discusses some operations on mixed monotone operator in Banach space, especially addition and multiplication operations. We will prove the sum and product of two mixed monotone operators. The proof uses some relevant definitions. The result is the sum of them is a mixed monotone operator and the product is too if both satisfy some conditions.

**Keywords :** non-decreasing and non-increasing, Mixed monotone operator, Banach space, partial ordering.

## 1. Introduction

There are many classes of real functions. One of them is a monotone function. On the other side, we have known a term called mixed monotone operator, that is a function defined on the Cartesian Product of two subsets of Real Banach Space [1-9, 13]. It has been well-known that under operation of addition, the sum of two monotone functions is a monotone function too, but not for the case of multiplication operation [10]. Inspired by both of the results above, we are interested in knowing how about addition and multiplication of two mixed monotone operators defined in real Banach space. Hence, we will prove it here. The objective of this research is to prove the sum and product of two mixed monotone operators and to find some conditions in order for the product to be a mixed monotone operator.

## 2. Research Method

To prove the sum and product of two mixed monotone operators, we proceed in three steps. Firstly, by defining some partial ordering in a subset of Banach space. Then, to find some conditions of mixed monotone operators. The last, showing that two relevant operations satisfy some definition.

## 3. Result and Discussion

### 1. Preliminaries

In this section, we will give some definitions and theories of monotone functions.

**Definition 1.1:** Let  $S$  be a nonvoid set and  $R$  is a relation on set  $S$ . Relation  $R$  is called partial ordering on  $S$  if  $R$  satisfies the following property:

- (i)  $R$  is reflexive
- (ii)  $R$  is antisymmetric
- (iii)  $R$  is transitive [3]

**Definition 1.2:** Let  $E$  always be a Real Banach space and  $P$  a subset of  $E$ .  $P$  is called a cone if

- (i)  $P$  is closed, non-empty and  $P \neq \{0\}$
- (ii)  $ax + by \in P$  for all  $x, y \in P$  and non-negative real numbers  $a, b$
- (iii)  $P \cap (-P) = \{0\}$ [11]

**Definition 1.3 :** Let  $X$  be a nonvoid set and let  $E$  be a Real Banach space equipped with the partial ordering  $\leq$  with respect to the cone  $P \subseteq E$ . Suppose that the mapping  $d: X \times X \rightarrow E$  satisfies the following conditions:

- ( $d_1$ )  $0 \leq d(x, y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $d(x, y) = 0$  if and only if  $x = y$ ;
- ( $d_2$ )  $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ ;
- ( $d_3$ )  $d(x, y) \leq d(x, z) + d(z, y)$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . [11]

Then  $d$  is called a cone metric on  $X$ , and  $(X, d)$  is called a cone metric space.

**Definition 1.4 :** Let  $S \subset \mathbb{R}$ . A function  $f: S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is said to be nondecreasing on  $S$  if whenever  $x, y \in S$  and  $x < y$  then  $f(x) \leq f(y)$ [10].

**Definition 1.5:** Let  $S \subset \mathbb{R}$ . A function  $f: S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is said to be nondecreasing on  $S$  if whenever  $x, y \in S$  and  $x < y$  then  $f(y) \leq f(x)$ [10].

The following Lemma 1.6 state the result of the sum of two monotone functions.

**Lemma 1.6:** Let  $S \subset \mathbb{R}$  and two functions  $f, g: S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . If  $f$  and  $g$  are monotone functions then  $f + g$  is a monotone function.[10]

The following Example 1.7 illustrate the product of two monotone functions in not monotonous.

**Example 1.7:** Let  $f(x) = x$  and  $f(x) = x$   $g(x) = x - 1$  defined on  $[0,1]$ , then  $f$  and  $g$  are nondecreasing functions on  $[0,1]$  but their product  $fg$  is not nondecreasing on  $[0,1]$ . [1]

Let  $E$  is a Real Banach space, which is partially ordered by a cone  $P$ , i.e.,  $x \leq y$  iff  $y - x \in P$ .

**Definition 1.8:** Let  $D \subset E$ . An operator  $A: D \times D \rightarrow E$  is said to be mixed monotone if  $A(x, y)$  is nondecreasing in  $x$  and nonincreasing in  $y$ . [13]

## 2. Main Result

In this part we assume  $E$  is real Banach space which is partially ordered by a cone  $P$ , put  $\tilde{P} = \{(x, y) \in E \times E | x \geq 0, y \leq 0\}$ . It is clear that  $\tilde{P}$  is a cone in  $E \times E$ .

We need the following Lemma 2.1 to prove two next theorems as main result.

**Lemma 2.1 :** Define relation  $\preceq$  on  $E \times E$  by  $(x_1, y_1) \preceq (x_2, y_2)$  if and only if  $x_1 \leq x_2$  and  $y_1 \geq y_2$ . Then  $\preceq$  is partial ordering in  $E \times E$ .

### Proof:

To prove that  $\preceq$  is partial ordering in  $E \times E$  firstly we show that the relation  $\leq$  on  $E \times E$  is reflexive.

Let  $(x, y)$  be arbitrary in  $E \times E$  then we get  $x \leq x$  and  $y \geq y$ . Following defining of relation  $\preceq$ , it means  $(x, y) \preceq (x, y)$ . In according to Definition 1.1.(i), then the relation  $\preceq$  is reflexive.

For the condition (ii) dan (iii), we leave it.

Let Let  $D \subset E$  and operator  $A, B: D \times D \rightarrow E$  be mixed monotone operators.

The sum of two mixed monotone operator in the following Theorem 2.2.

**Theorem 2.2:** Let Let  $D \subset E$  and operator  $A, B: D \times D \rightarrow E$ . If  $A$  and  $B$  are mixed monotone operators then  $A + B$  is a mixed monotone operator.

**Proof:** To prove that  $A + B$  is a mixed monotone operator, firstly we show that  $A + B$  is nondecreasing in  $x$ .

Suppose  $(x_1, y)$  and  $(x_2, y) \in D \times D$  with  $(x_1, y) \preceq (x_2, y)$ . Based on Lemma 2.1 then  $x_1 < x_2$ . Since  $A$  and  $B$  are mixed monotone operators, following Definition 1.8 then  $A$  and  $B$  are nondecreasing in  $x$ . Based on Definition 1.4 we get  $A(x_2, y) - A(x_1, y) \geq 0$  and  $B(x_2, y) - B(x_1, y) \geq 0$ . Therefore

$$(A + B)(x_2, y) - (A + B)(x_1, y) \geq 0.$$

So  $(A + B)(x_2, y) \geq (A + B)(x_1, y)$ .

In according to Definition 1.4, we conclude  $A + B$  is nondecreasing in  $x$ .

The last, we show that  $A + B$  is nondecreasing in  $y$ .

Suppose  $(x, y_1)$  and  $(x, y_2) \in D \times D$  with  $(x, y_1) \preceq (x, y_2)$ . Based on Lemma 2.1 then  $y_1 > y_2$ . Since  $A$  and  $B$  are mixed monotone operators, following Definition 1.8 then  $A$  and  $B$  are nonincreasing in  $y$ . Based on Definition 1.4 we get  $A(x, y_2) - A(x, y_1) \geq 0$  and  $B(x, y_2) - B(x, y_1) \geq 0$ . Therefore

$(A + B)(x, y_2) - (A + B)(x, y_1) \geq 0$ . So  $(A + B)(x, y_2) \geq (A + B)(x, y_1)$ . In according to Definition 1.4, we conclude  $A + B$  is nonincreasing in  $y$ .

Hence, in according to Definition 1.8, we conclude that  $A + B$  is a mixed monotone operator.

The result of the product of two mixed monotone operators given in the following Theorem 2.3.

**Theorem 2.3:** Let Let  $D \subset E$  and operator  $A, B: D \times D \rightarrow E$ . If  $A$  and  $B$  are positive mixed monotone operators then  $AB$  is a mixed monotone operator.

**Proof:** To prove that  $AB$  is a mixed monotone operator, firstly we show that  $AB$  is nondecreasing in  $x$ .

Suppose  $(x_1, y)$  and  $(x_2, y) \in D \times D$  with  $(x_1, y) \preceq (x_2, y)$ . Based on Lemma 2.1 then  $x_1 < x_2$ . Since  $A$  and  $B$  are mixed monotone operators, following Definition 1.8 then  $A$  and  $B$  are nondecreasing in  $x$ . Based on Definition 1.4 we get  $A(x_2, y) - A(x_1, y) \geq 0$  and  $B(x_2, y) - B(x_1, y) \geq 0$ . Therefore

$$AB(x_2, y) - AB(x_1, y) = A(x_2, y)B(x_2, y) - A(x_2, y)B(x_1, y) + A(x_2, y)B(x_1, y) - A(x_1, y)B(x_1, y).$$

$$= A(x_2, y)[B(x_2, y) - B(x_1, y)] - [A(x_2, y) - A(x_1, y)]B(x_1, y)$$

Because  $A$  and  $B$  are positive operators then  $AB(x_2, y) - AB(x_1, y) \geq 0$ .

So,  $AB(x_2, y) \geq AB(x_1, y)$ .

In according to Definition 1.4, we conclude  $AB$  is nondecreasing in  $x$ .

The last, we show that  $AB$  is nonincreasing in  $y$ .

Suppose  $(x, y_1)$  and  $(x, y_2) \in D \times D$  with  $(x, y_1) \preceq (x, y_2)$ . Based on Lemma 2.1 then  $y_1 > y_2$ . Since  $A$  and  $B$  are mixed monotone operators, following Definition 1.8 then  $A$  and  $B$  are nonincreasing in  $y$ . Based on Definition 1.4 we get  $A(x, y_2) - A(x, y_1) \geq 0$  and  $B(x, y_2) - B(x, y_1) \geq 0$ . Therefore

$$AB(x, y_2) - AB(x, y_1) = A(x, y_2)B(x, y_2) - A(x, y_2)B(x, y_1) + A(x, y_2)B(x, y_1) - A(x, y_1)B(x, y_1).$$

$$= A(x, y_2)[B(x, y_2) - B(x, y_1)] - [A(x, y_2) - A(x, y_1)]B(x, y_1)$$

Because  $A$  and  $B$  are positive operators then  $AB(x, y_2) - AB(x, y_1) \geq 0$ .

So  $AB(x, y_2) \geq AB(x, y_1)$ .

In according to Definition 1.4, we conclude  $AB$  is nondecreasing in  $y$ .

Hence, in according to Definition 1.8, we conclude that  $AB$  is a mixed monotone operator.

#### 4. Conclusion

In this paper we have the conclusion that the sum of two mixed monotone operator is mixed monotone operator, while the product is mixed monotone operator if both are positive operator.

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