

## CHARACTERIZATION OF $p$ -BESSEL SEQUENCES IN BANACH SPACES

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ABSTRACT. Let  $X$  be a reflexive separable Banach space, and let  $p\mathfrak{B}$  the set of  $p$ -Bessel sequences in  $X^*$  for  $X$ . We show that  $p\mathfrak{B}$  is a non-commutative unital Banach algebra isometrically isomorphic to  $B(X)$ . Also, we classify  $p$ -Bessel sequences for  $X$  in terms of different kind of operators in  $B(X)$  and  $B(X^*)$ , and we give important characterizations of  $p$ -frames and  $q$ -Riesz sequences. Using an isomorphism between the sets  $p\mathfrak{B}$  and  $B(X)$  we obtain interesting results for  $p$ -frames in Banach spaces. Using operator theory tools, we investigate the geometry of  $p$ -Bessel sequences. Also, we show that the set of all  $q$ -Riesz bases for  $X^*$  is a topological group.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Frames for Hilbert spaces were first introduced by Duffin and Schaeffer in 1952 to study some deep questions in non-harmonic Fourier series. Later, in 1986 Daubechies, Grossmann and Meyer reintroduced frames. Today, frame theory is a central tool in many areas such as function space and signal analysis. For a nice and comprehensive survey on various types of frames, see [6, 14].

**Definition 1.1.** A sequence  $(f_i)$  in a separable Hilbert space  $H$  is called a frame if there exist constants  $0 < A \leq B < \infty$  such that

$$A\|f\|^2 \leq \sum_i |\langle f, f_i \rangle|^2 \leq B\|f\|^2.$$

for every  $f \in H$ .

**Definition 1.2.** A sequence  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  in a separable Hilbert space  $H$  is called a Riesz sequence if there exist constants  $0 < A \leq B < \infty$  such that for any finite subset  $J \subset \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$A \sum_{k \in J} |c_k|^2 \leq \left\| \sum_{k \in J} c_k f_k \right\|^2 \leq B \sum_{k \in J} |c_k|^2.$$

A natural extension of the frame inequalities to Banach spaces leads to the concept of  $p$ -frame. Aldroubi, Sun and Tang [2] introduced the concept of  $p$ -frame for a Banach space  $X$ . Their main results were about  $p$ -frame for  $L^p(\mathbb{R}^d)$ . They obtained series expansions in shift-invariant subspaces of  $L^p(\mathbb{R}^d)$ . Christensen and

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Stoeva [7] further discussed some properties of  $p$ -frame for a general Banach space  $X$ . For more information about  $p$ -frame theory, see [22, 25].

Since the investigation of Bessel sequences ( $p$ -Bessel sequences) is essential for studying frames ( $p$ -frames), in literature there are many results about Bessel sequences ( $p$ -Bessel sequences). For instance, the authors in [16], investigated Bessel sequences in Sobolev space. The authors in [4], studied finite extensions of Bessel sequences in infinite dimensional Hilbert spaces. The authors in [22], studied multipliers for  $p$ -Bessel sequences in Banach spaces. In [9] and [3], the authors investigated the set of all Bessel sequences for a separable Hilbert space  $H$  as a Banach space and obtained important results. Also, in [10], the authors gave a  $C^*$ -algebra structure to the set of all Bessel sequences for  $H$ .

Let  $X$  be a reflexive separable Banach space. Let  $p\mathfrak{B}$  be the set of all  $p$ -Bessel sequences in  $X^*$  for  $X$ . In this paper, we show that  $p\mathfrak{B}$  is a non-commutative unital Banach algebra isomorphic to  $B(X)$ . Also, we show that there is a bijection between  $p\mathfrak{B}$  and  $B(X^*)$ . We classify  $p$ -Bessel sequences for  $X$  in terms of different kind of operators in  $B(X)$  and  $B(X^*)$ , and we give important characterizations of  $p$ -frames and  $q$ -Riesz sequences. Using an isomorphism between the sets  $p\mathfrak{B}$  and  $B(X)$  we obtain interesting results for  $p$ -frames in Banach spaces. Using operator theory tools, we investigate the geometry of  $p$ -Bessel sequences. Also, we show that the set of all  $q$ -Riesz bases for  $X^*$  is a topological group.

This paper is organized as follows:

In Section 2, we state some well-known definitions and results. In Section 3, we characterize the  $p$ -frames,  $q$ -Riesz sequences and  $q$ -Riesz bases under the assumption that there exists a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ . In Section 4, we give a structure of Banach algebra to  $p\mathfrak{B}$  and we show that  $p\mathfrak{B}$  is a non-commutative unital Banach algebra isomorphic to  $B(X)$ . Using the obtained results in Section 3, we classify  $p$ -Bessel sequences for  $X$  in terms of different kinds of operators in  $B(X)$  and  $B(X^*)$ . Using operator theory tools, we investigate the geometry of  $p$ -Bessel sequences. Also, we study some properties of multiplication in  $p\mathfrak{B}$  and we show that the set of all  $q$ -Riesz bases for  $X^*$  is a topological group.

## 2. NOTATION AND PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this paper  $X$  denotes a reflexive and separable Banach space with dual space  $X^*$ ,  $B(X)$  is the algebra of all bounded linear operators on  $X$ , and  $\mathbb{C}$  denotes the field of complex numbers. For an operator  $T \in B(X)$  we write  $T^*$  for its adjoint,  $\ker(T)$  for its kernel, and  $R(T)$  for its range. An operator  $T : X \rightarrow Y$  between normed spaces is said to be *bounded below* if there exists a constant  $\delta > 0$  such that for every  $x \in X$ ,  $\|Tx\| \geq \delta\|x\|$ .

Also we let  $p, q > 1$ , and  $1/p + 1/q = 1$ .

**Definition 2.1.** *A sequence  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  is called a  $p$ -frame for  $X$ , if there exist constants  $0 < A \leq B < \infty$  such that*

$$A\|x\| \leq \left( \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} |f_i(x)|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq B\|x\|, \quad \forall x \in X.$$

*The numbers  $A, B$  are called  $p$ -frame bounds. We call  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  a tight  $p$ -frame if  $A = B$  and a Parseval  $p$ -frame for  $X$  if  $A = B = 1$ . If only the right hand side inequality is required,  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is called a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$ .*

**Remark 1.** [7, Lemma 2.1] *If there exists a  $p$ -frame  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  for  $X$ , then  $X$  is reflexive.*

If  $f = (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  is a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$ , then the analysis operator for  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is the linear operator  $U_f : X \rightarrow \ell_p$  with  $U_f(x) = (f_i(x))_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  and the synthesis operator for  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is the linear operator,

$$T_f : \ell^q \rightarrow X^* \quad T_f((d_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} d_i f_i.$$

We say  $(f_i) \subseteq X^*$  is  $\ell^q$ -independent if  $T_f$  is injective.

**Proposition 2.2.** [7] *The sequence  $f = (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  is a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$  with bound  $B$  if and only if  $T_f$  is a well-defined (hence bounded) operator from  $\ell^q$  into  $X^*$  and  $\|T_f\| \leq B$ . In this case  $T_f((d_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} d_i f_i$  converges unconditionally.*

**Definition 2.3.** *A sequence  $(x_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  is called a  $p$ -Riesz sequence for  $X$  if there exist two positive constants  $A$  and  $B$  such that*

$$A \left( \sum_{i \in \mathbb{J}} |a_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq \left\| \sum_{i \in \mathbb{J}} a_i x_i \right\| \leq B \left( \sum_{i \in \mathbb{J}} |a_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}},$$

for any finite subset  $J \subset \mathbb{N}$ . The numbers  $A$  and  $B$  are called  $p$ -Riesz bounds. If moreover  $\overline{\text{span}\{x_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}}} = X$ , then  $\{x_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -Riesz basis.

Considering  $X_d = \ell^p$  for [24, Proposition 4.2], we have:

**Proposition 2.4.** *Let  $X$  be a reflexive Banach space, and  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ , and let  $T \in B(X)$ . The sequence  $(T(f_i))_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$  if and only if  $T$  is bijective.*

By the Open Mapping Theorem it is equivalent to  $T$  is invertible with bounded inverse.

**Lemma 2.5.** [7] *Let  $(x_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ , with bounds  $A, B$ . Then there exists a unique  $q$ -Riesz basis  $(\tilde{x}_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  for  $X^*$  such that*

$$x = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \tilde{x}_i(x) x_i \quad \forall x \in X, \quad f = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} f(x_i) \tilde{x}_i \quad \forall f \in X^*.$$

The sequence  $(\tilde{x}_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is called the dual of  $(x_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  and has the bounds  $\frac{1}{B}, \frac{1}{A}$ .

Dual sequences  $(x_i)_{i \in I} \subseteq X$  and  $(\tilde{x}_i)_{i \in I} \subseteq X^*$  are biorthogonal if  $\tilde{x}_j(x_i) = \delta_{ij}$ .

**Lemma 2.6.** [7, 26] *For any sequence  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  the following statements are equivalent:*

- (1)  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -frame for  $X$  with optimal  $p$ -frame bounds  $A, B$  and is  $\ell_q$ -linearly independent.
- (2)  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz basis for  $X^*$  with optimal  $q$ -Riesz basis bounds  $A, B$ .

We will prove some results by introducing particular operators, called multipliers. Bessel multipliers for Hilbert spaces were introduced by Balazs in [5]. Then they generalized to Banach spaces in [22] and to Hilbert  $C^*$ -modules in [18].

**Lemma 2.7.** [22] *Let  $f = (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  be a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$  with bound  $B_1$ , let  $h = (h_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $q$ -Bessel sequence for  $X^*$  with bound  $B_2$ . The operator  $M_{(h_i)(f_i)} : X \rightarrow X$  defined by*

$$M_{(h_i)(f_i)}(x) = T_h T_f^*(x) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} f_i(x) h_i, \quad \forall x \in X \quad (2.1)$$

*is well defined. This sum converges unconditionally and  $\|M_{(h_i)(f_i)}\| \leq B_1 B_2$ . The operator  $M_{(h_i)(f_i)}$  is called a  $(p, q)$ -Bessel multiplier.*

Considering  $X_d = \ell^p$  for [13, Theorem 3.4], we have:

**Theorem 2.8.** *Suppose  $X$  is a reflexive Banach space. Let  $(h_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$  and  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  be a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$  and let  $M_{(h_i)(f_i)}$  be defined as (2.1). Then  $M_{(h_i)(f_i)}$  is invertible on  $X$  if and only if  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz basis for  $X^*$ .*

**Theorem 2.9.** [12] *Suppose  $X$  and  $Y$  are Banach spaces. Let  $L \in B(X, Y)$ , and let  $L^* : Y^* \rightarrow X^*$  be its adjoint. Then  $L$  is surjective if and only if  $L^*$  is bounded below, and  $L$  is bounded below if and only if  $L^*$  is surjective.*

**Remark 2.** [19] *Suppose  $X$  and  $Y$  are Banach spaces. Let  $L \in B(X, Y)$ , and let  $L^* : Y^* \rightarrow X^*$  be its adjoint. Then  $L$  has dense range if and only if  $L^*$  is injective.*

Throughout this paper, we need to assume that  $X$  is a reflexive Banach space. Also,  $p\mathfrak{B}$  denotes the set of all  $p$ -Bessel sequences in  $X^*$  for  $X$ .

### 3. CHARACTERIZATION OF $p$ -BESSEL SEQUENCES AND $p$ -FRAMES IN BANACH SPACES

First we give a characterization of  $p$ -Bessel sequences.

**Proposition 3.1.**  *$(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  is a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$  if and only if for every  $x \in X$ ,  $\sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} |f_i(x)|^p < \infty$ .*

*Proof.* The necessity is obvious. We prove the sufficiency. Since for every  $x \in X$ ,  $\sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} |f_i(x)|^p < \infty$  the operator  $U : X \rightarrow \ell^p$  defined by  $U(x) = (f_i(x))_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is well-defined and linear. We prove that the graph of  $U$  is closed. Let  $(x_n) \subseteq X$  such that  $x_n \rightarrow x \in X$  and  $U(x_n) \rightarrow y = (y_i) \in \ell^p$ . Since for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$|f_i(x_n) - y_i|^p \leq \sum_j |f_j(x_n) - y_j|^p = \|U(x_n) - y\|^p,$$

then  $f_i(x_n) \rightarrow y_i$ . On the other hand  $f_i$  is continuous, so  $f_i(x_n) \rightarrow f_i(x)$ . Hence  $y_i = f_i(x)$ , for each  $i \in \mathbb{N}$  and consequently  $y = f(x)$ . Therefore by the Closed Graph Theorem,  $U$  is a bounded operator. Hence,  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$ .  $\square$

In the following theorem, we give a characterization of  $p$ -frames in  $p\mathfrak{B}$ .

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  be a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$ ,  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ . Then  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -frame for  $X$  if and only if there exists a unique injective operator with closed range  $T \in B(X)$  such that  $f_i = \widetilde{h_i^0} T$ , for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $0 < C_1 \leq C_2$  be  $p$ -Riesz bounds for  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ .

Suppose that there exists an injective operator with closed range  $T \in B(X)$  such that  $f_i = \widetilde{h_i^0}T$ , for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Since  $T$  is an injective operator with closed range on the Banach space  $X$ , then  $T$  is bounded below. Thus there exists some positive constant  $A_1$  such that for every  $x \in X$ ,

$$A_1\|x\| \leq \|T(x)\|$$

Now for every  $x \in X$

$$\left(\sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} |f_i(x)|^p\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = \left(\sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} |\widetilde{h_i^0}T(x)|^p\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \geq \frac{1}{C_2} \|T(x)\| \geq \frac{A_1}{C_2} \|x\|,$$

and since  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$ , we have the result.

Conversely, let  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  be a  $p$ -frame for  $X$  with bounds  $0 < B_1 \leq B_2$ . Set  $T := M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$ , by Lemma 2.7,  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is a well defined bounded operator, and easily we can see  $f_i = \widetilde{h_i^0}(M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)})$  for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Also, for every  $x \in X$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}(x)\| &= \left\| \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} f_i(x) h_i^0 \right\| \geq C_1 \left( \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} |f_i(x)|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\geq B_1 C_1 \|x\|. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is bounded below, and this implies that  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is an injective operator with closed range.

If there exist injective operators  $T_1, T_2$  with closed ranges such that  $f_i = \widetilde{h_i^0}T_1 = \widetilde{h_i^0}T_2$ , then  $M_{(h_i^0)(\widetilde{h_i^0}T_1)} = M_{(h_i^0)(\widetilde{h_i^0}T_2)}$ . It follows that  $T_1 = T_2$ . So the injective operator with closed range which satisfies the condition is unique.  $\square$

In the following theorem, we give a characterization of  $q$ -Riesz sequences in  $p\mathfrak{B}$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** *Let  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  be a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$  and  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ . Then  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz sequence for  $X^*$  if and only if there exists a unique surjective operator  $T \in B(X)$  such that  $f_i = \widetilde{h_i^0}T$ , for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  be a  $q$ -Riesz sequence for  $X^*$ . Set  $T := M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$ , by Lemma 2.7,  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is a well defined bounded operator, and easily we can see  $f_i = \widetilde{h_i^0}(M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)})$  for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ . Since  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz sequence for  $X^*$ , then there exist constants  $A, B > 0$  such that for every  $(d_i)_{i=1}^\infty \in \ell^q$

$$A\|(d_i)_{i=1}^\infty\|_{\ell^q} \leq \|T_f((d_i)_{i=1}^\infty)\| \leq B\|(d_i)_{i=1}^\infty\|_{\ell^q}.$$

This implies that  $T_f$  is bounded below. Consequently,  $T_f^* = U_f$  is surjective, see Theorem 2.9.

As  $X$  is a reflexive Banach space,  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} = T_{h^0}U_f$ . Since  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ , then  $T_{h^0}$  is invertible. Hence  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is surjective.

Conversely, suppose that there exists a surjective operator  $T \in B(X)$  such that  $f_i = \widetilde{h_i^0}T$ , for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ .

It is obvious that  $U_f = U_{\widetilde{h_i^0}T}$ . Since  $(\widetilde{h_i^0})_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz basis for  $X^*$ ,  $U_{\widetilde{h_i^0}}$  is

invertible. Hence,  $U_f$  is surjective. So  $T_f = U_f^*$  is an injective operator with closed range. Therefore there exists a constant  $A > 0$  such that for every  $(d_i)_{i=1}^\infty \in \ell^q$

$$A \|(d_i)_{i=1}^\infty\|_{\ell^q} \leq \|T_f((d_i)_{i=1}^\infty)\|.$$

On the other hand,  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$ , then by Proposition 2.2, the upper bound condition is fulfilled, too. Therefore,  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz sequence for  $X^*$ .

If there exist surjective operators  $T_1, T_2$  such that  $f_i = \widetilde{h_i^0} T_1 = \widetilde{h_i^0} T_2$ , then  $M_{(h_i^0)(\widetilde{h_i^0} T_1)} = M_{(h_i^0)(\widetilde{h_i^0} T_2)}$ . It follows that  $T_1 = T_2$ . So the surjective operator which satisfies the condition is unique.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.4.** *Let  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  be a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$  and  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ . If  $X$  is an infinite dimensional Banach space, and  $T \in B(X)$  is a compact operator, then  $(\widetilde{h_i^0} T)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is never a  $q$ -Riesz sequence for  $X^*$ .*

*Proof.* If  $X$  is an infinite dimensional Banach space, then the compact operator  $T$  is not surjective, see [23]. By the proof of Theorem 3.3, if  $(\widetilde{h_i^0} T)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz sequence for  $X^*$ , then  $M_{(h_i^0)(\widetilde{h_i^0} T)} = T$  is surjective. Then  $(\widetilde{h_i^0} T)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is never a  $q$ -Riesz sequence for  $X^*$ .  $\square$

For results involving frames and finite dimensionality in Hilbert spaces see Chapter 3 in [15].

**Remark 3.** *Let  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a fixed  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ . If  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  is a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$ , then*

$$N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} : X^* \rightarrow X^*, \quad N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}(g) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} g(h_i^0) f_i$$

*is a well defined linear operator and  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} \in B(X^*)$ . Also,  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is weak\*-to-weak\* continuous. By [20, Theorem 3.1.11],  $T \in B(Y^*, X^*)$  is weak\*-to-weak\* continuous if and only if it has the form of  $T = S^*$  for some  $S \in B(X, Y)$ . Since  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} = M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}^*$  and  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is a bounded operator, then  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is weak\*-to-weak\* continuous.*

**Remark 4.** *Let  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a fixed  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ . If  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  is a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$ , such that  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is a compact operator, then  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a relatively compact sequence in  $X^*$ .*

*Since  $M_{(f_i)(h_i^0)}$  is a compact operator, then  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}^* = N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is a compact operator. It is easy to see that  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}((\widetilde{h_i^0})_{i \in \mathbb{N}}) = (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ . Since  $(\widetilde{h_i^0})_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a bounded sequence in  $X^*$ , by the compactness of  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$ ,  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a relatively compact sequence in  $X^*$ .*

**Lemma 3.5.** *Let  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  be a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$  and  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ . Then the following statements are equivalent:*

- (1)  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is  $\ell^q$ -independent.
- (2)  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is injective.
- (3)  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} \in B(X)$  has dense range.

*Proof.* (1  $\Rightarrow$  2) Since  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  is complete in  $X$ , we have the result.  
(2  $\Rightarrow$  1)  $X$  is a reflexive Banach space, then  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} = T_f U_{h^0}$ . Since  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is

a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ , then  $U_{h^0}$  is invertible. So,  $T_f$  is injective. Hence  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is  $\ell^q$ -independent.

(2  $\Leftrightarrow$  3) Since  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}^* = N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$ , by Remark 2, it is obvious.  $\square$

#### 4. BANACH ALGEBRA OF $p$ -BESSEL SEQUENCES

In the following theorem, we show that  $p\mathfrak{B}$  is a non-commutative unital Banach algebra.

**Theorem 4.1.** *Let  $p\mathfrak{B}$  be the set of all  $p$ -Bessel sequences in  $X^*$  for  $X$ , and let  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ . Then the following statements hold:*

- (1) *There exists a norm  $\|\cdot\|_{p\mathfrak{B}}$  for  $p\mathfrak{B}$ , such that  $(p\mathfrak{B}, \|\cdot\|_{p\mathfrak{B}})$  is a Banach space.*
- (2) *There exist an equivalent norm  $|\cdot|_{p\mathfrak{B}}$  and a multiplication  $\cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}}$  on  $p\mathfrak{B}$  with respect to  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  such that  $(p\mathfrak{B}, |\cdot|_{p\mathfrak{B}})$  is a non-commutative unital Banach algebra.*

*Proof.* It is easy to check that  $p\mathfrak{B}$  is a vector space. For every  $f = (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ , set  $\|(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}\|_{p\mathfrak{B}} = \|T_f^*\| = \|U_f\|$ , where  $T_f$  is the synthesis operator for  $f = (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  and  $U_f$  is the analysis operator for  $f = (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ , then by Lemma 2.7,  $\|\cdot\|_{p\mathfrak{B}}$  is a norm. Suppose that  $((f_i^{(n)})_{i=1}^\infty)_{n=1}^\infty$  is a Cauchy sequence for  $p\mathfrak{B}$ . Then, given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that, for every  $n, m \geq N$ ,  $x \in X$ , and  $i \in \mathbb{N}$

$$|f_i^{(n)}(x) - f_i^{(m)}(x)|^p \leq \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |f_i^{(n)}(x) - f_i^{(m)}(x)|^p \leq \varepsilon \|x\|^p.$$

Let  $x \in X$  be fixed. So, for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $(f_i^{(n)}(x))_{n=1}^\infty$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathbb{C}$  thus it has a limit, say  $g_i^x$ .

Now, for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ , define  $b_i : X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ , by  $b_i(x) = g_i^x$ . Then  $b_i$  is a well-defined linear operator from  $X$  to  $\mathbb{C}$ . For every  $M \geq 1$ ,  $m, n \geq N$ , and  $x \in X$  we have

$$\sum_{i=1}^M |f_i^{(n)}(x) - f_i^{(m)}(x)|^p \leq \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |f_i^{(n)}(x) - f_i^{(m)}(x)|^p \leq \varepsilon \|x\|^p.$$

If we let  $m \rightarrow \infty$  this gives

$$\left( \sum_{i=1}^M |f_i^{(n)}(x) - b_i(x)|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = \left( \sum_{i=1}^M |f_i^{(n)}(x) - g_i^x|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq \sqrt[p]{\varepsilon} \|x\|, \quad (4.1)$$

for every  $M \geq 1$ ,  $n \geq N$ , and  $x \in X$ . By Minkowski inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \sum_{i=1}^M |b_i(x)|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq \left( \sum_{i=1}^M |f_i^{(N)}(x) - b_i(x)|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + \left( \sum_{i=1}^M |f_i^{(N)}(x)|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\leq \sqrt[p]{\varepsilon} \|x\| + \|(f_i^{(N)})_{i=1}^\infty\|_{p\mathfrak{B}} \|x\|, \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\left( \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |b_i(x)|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq (\sqrt[p]{\varepsilon} + \|(f_i^{(N)})_{i=1}^\infty\|_{p\mathfrak{B}}) \|x\|,$$

so  $(b_i)_{i=1}^\infty \in p\mathfrak{B}$ .

Finally, letting  $M \rightarrow \infty$  in (4.1), gives

$$\left( \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |f_i^{(n)}(x) - b_i(x)|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq \sqrt[p]{\varepsilon} \|x\|. \quad (4.2)$$

Therefore  $(p\mathfrak{B}, \|\cdot\|_{p\mathfrak{B}})$  is a Banach space.

Now, we define a multiplication on the Banach space  $p\mathfrak{B}$  with respect to  $h^0 = (h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ . Let  $0 < A_0 \leq B_0 < \infty$  be  $p$ -Riesz basis bounds for  $h^0 = (h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ . First, for the  $p$ -Bessel sequence  $g = (g_i)_{i=1}^\infty \subset X^*$ , consider the operator  $M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)} : X \rightarrow X$  defined by  $M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)}(x) = \sum_{j=1}^\infty g_j(x)h_j^0$ . Since  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  is a  $q$ -Bessel sequence for  $X^*$ , then by Lemma 2.7,  $M_{(g_i)(h_i^0)}$  is well-defined,  $M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)} \in B(X)$ , and  $\|M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)}(x)\| \leq B_0\|(g_i)_{i=1}^\infty\|_{p\mathfrak{B}}\|x\|$ . Define  $\cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} : p\mathfrak{B} \times p\mathfrak{B} \rightarrow p\mathfrak{B}$  by  $((f_i)_{i=1}^\infty, (g_i)_{i=1}^\infty) \rightarrow (f_i M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)})_{i=1}^\infty$ . Hence for every  $x \in X$ ,  $(f_i M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)}(x))_{i=1}^\infty = (\sum_{j=1}^\infty (f_i h_j^0 g_j)(x))_{i=1}^\infty$ . Note that  $\cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}}$  is well-defined, since for every  $x \in X$

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\sum_{i=1}^\infty |f_i M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)}(x)|^p\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq \|(f_i)_{i=1}^\infty\|_{p\mathfrak{B}} \|M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)}(x)\| \\ &\leq B_0 \|(f_i)_{i=1}^\infty\|_{p\mathfrak{B}} \|(g_i)_{i=1}^\infty\|_{p\mathfrak{B}} \|x\|. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $(f_i M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)})_{i=1}^\infty \in p\mathfrak{B}$ . The above relation implies that

$$\|((f_i)_{i=1}^\infty \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} (g_i)_{i=1}^\infty)\|_{p\mathfrak{B}} \leq B_0 \|(f_i)_{i=1}^\infty\|_{p\mathfrak{B}} \|(g_i)_{i=1}^\infty\|_{p\mathfrak{B}}.$$

If we consider the equivalent norm  $|\cdot|_{p\mathfrak{B}} = B_0 \|\cdot\|_{p\mathfrak{B}}$ , then  $(p\mathfrak{B}, |\cdot|_{p\mathfrak{B}})$  is a non-commutative unital Banach algebra. Moreover, its unit is  $(\widetilde{h_i^0})_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ , where  $(\widetilde{h_i^0})_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is the dual of  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ .  $\square$

In the following proposition, we show that  $p\mathfrak{B}$  is isometrically isomorphic to  $B(X)$ .

**Proposition 4.2.** *Let  $h^0 = (h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$  with bounds  $0 < A_0 \leq B_0$  and let  $\cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}}$  and  $|\cdot|_{p\mathfrak{B}}$  be defined with respect to  $h^0$ . Then  $(p\mathfrak{B}, |\cdot|_{p\mathfrak{B}})$  is a Banach algebra isometrically isomorphic to  $B(X)$ .*

*Proof.* Consider the mapping

$$A_h^0 : p\mathfrak{B} \rightarrow B(X) \tag{4.3}$$

$$(g_i)_{i=1}^\infty \rightarrow M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)} = \sum_{i=1}^\infty g_i(\cdot)h_i^0. \tag{4.4}$$

Clearly,  $M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)} \in B(X)$  and  $A_h^0$  is a well-defined bounded linear operator from  $p\mathfrak{B}$  to  $B(X)$  and  $|(g_i)_{i=1}^\infty|_{p\mathfrak{B}} = \|M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)}\|$ , for every  $(g_i)_{i=1}^\infty \in p\mathfrak{B}$ .

Consider the mapping  $B_h^0 : B(X) \rightarrow p\mathfrak{B}$  by  $B_h^0(T) = (\widetilde{h_i^0 T})_{i=1}^\infty$ , where  $(\widetilde{h_i^0 T})_{i=1}^\infty$  is the dual of  $(h_i^0)_{i=1}^\infty$ . Clearly,  $(\widetilde{h_i^0 T})_{i=1}^\infty$  is a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$ . For every  $x \in X$

$$\left(\sum_{i=1}^\infty |\widetilde{h_i^0 T x}|^p\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq \frac{1}{A_0} \|T(x)\| \leq \frac{1}{A_0} \|T\| \|x\|.$$

Therefore  $(\widetilde{h_i^0 T})_{i=1}^\infty \in p\mathfrak{B}$  and  $B_h^0$  is a well-defined operator. Clearly  $B_h^0$  is the inverse of  $A_h^0$ . Moreover,  $A_h^0$  is an algebra isomorphism.  $\square$

**Remark 5.** *Consider the mapping*

$$C_h^0 : p\mathfrak{B} \rightarrow B(X^*) \tag{4.5}$$

$$(f_i)_{i=1}^\infty \rightarrow N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}, \tag{4.6}$$



where  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}(g) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} g(h_i^0)f_i$ , for every  $g \in X^*$ . Clearly,  $C_h^0$  is a well-defined linear operator from  $p\mathfrak{B}$  to  $B(X^*)$ . Let  $(f_i)_{i=1}^{\infty}$  and  $(g_i)_{i=1}^{\infty}$  be  $p$ -Bessel sequences in  $X^*$  for  $X$ . For every  $g \in X^*$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} C_h^0((g_i))C_h^0((f_i))(g) &= C_h^0((g_i))\left(\sum_j g(h_j^0)f_j\right) \\ &= \sum_i \left(\sum_j g(h_j^0)f_j\right)(h_i^0)g_i \\ &= \sum_i \sum_j g(h_j^0)f_j(h_i^0)g_i, \end{aligned}$$

and since  $f_i(M_{(h_j^0)(g_j)}) = \sum_j f_i(h_j^0)g_j$ , then

$$C_h^0((f_i(M_{(h_j^0)(g_j)}))) = \sum_i g(h_i^0)\left(\sum_j f_i(h_j^0)g_j\right) = \sum_i \sum_j g(h_i^0)f_i(h_j^0)g_j.$$

Now for every  $x \in X$ , by Holder inequality the corresponding double sequences of numbers are absolutely summable. Therefore

$$C_h^0((f_i)_{i=1}^{\infty} \cdot p\mathfrak{B}(g_i)_{i=1}^{\infty}) = C_h^0((g_i)_{i=1}^{\infty})C_h^0((f_i)_{i=1}^{\infty}).$$

Now define  $D_h^0 : B(X^*) \rightarrow p\mathfrak{B}$  by  $D_h^0(T) = (Th_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ . Then  $D_h^0$  is the inverse of  $C_h^0$ . So,  $C_h^0$  is a bijection between  $p\mathfrak{B}$  and  $B(X^*)$ .  $\square$

In the following proposition, by using the isomorphism  $A_h^0$  between  $p\mathfrak{B}$  and  $B(X)$ , we characterize several classes of bounded linear operators on  $X$  in terms of their corresponding  $p$ -Bessel sequences.

**Proposition 4.3.** *Let  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a fixed  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ , and let  $A_h^0$  be defined as (4.3). Then the following statements hold:*

(1) *If  $\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all surjective operators in  $B(X)$ , then*

$$A_{h^0}^{-1}(\mathcal{A}) = \{(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in p\mathfrak{B} : (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ is a } q\text{-Riesz sequence for } X^*\}.$$

(2) *If  $\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all bounded below operators in  $B(X)$ , then*

$$A_{h^0}^{-1}(\mathcal{A}) = \{(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in p\mathfrak{B} : (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ is a } p\text{-frame for } X\}.$$

(3) *If  $\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all operators with dense range in  $B(X)$ , then*

$$A_{h^0}^{-1}(\mathcal{A}) = \{(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in p\mathfrak{B} : (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ is } \ell^q\text{-independent}\}.$$

(4) *If  $\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all invertible operators in  $B(X)$ , then*

$$A_{h^0}^{-1}(\mathcal{A}) = \{(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in p\mathfrak{B} : (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ is a } q\text{-Riesz basis for } X^*\}.$$

*Proof.* The proof of (1), (2), (3), and (4) is evident by Theorem 3.3, Theorem 3.2, Lemma 3.5, and Theorem 2.8, respectively.  $\square$

In the following proposition, we characterize several classes of bounded linear operators on  $X^*$  in terms of their corresponding  $p$ -Bessel sequences.

**Proposition 4.4.** *Let  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ , and let  $C_h^0$  be defined as (4.5). Then the following statements hold:*

(1) *If  $\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all bounded below operators in  $B(X^*)$ , then*

$$C_{h^0}^{-1}(\mathcal{A}) = \{(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in P\mathfrak{B} : (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ is a } q\text{-Riesz sequence for } X^*\}.$$

(2) If  $\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all surjective operators in  $B(X^*)$ , then

$$C_{h^0}^{-1}(\mathcal{A}) = \{(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in P\mathfrak{B} : (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ is a } p\text{-frame for } X\}.$$

(3) If  $\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all injective operators in  $B(X^*)$ , then

$$C_{h^0}^{-1}(\mathcal{A}) = \{(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in p\mathfrak{B} : (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ is } \ell^q\text{-independent}\}.$$

(4) If  $\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all invertible operators in  $B(X^*)$ , then

$$C_{h^0}^{-1}(\mathcal{A}) = \{(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in P\mathfrak{B} : (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ is a } q\text{-Riesz basis for } X^*\}.$$

*Proof.* Since  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}^* = N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$ , for every  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in P\mathfrak{B}$ , by Proposition 4.3, Theorem 2.9, and Remark 2, the proof is evident.  $\square$

**Theorem 4.5.** *Let  $p\mathcal{F}$ ,  $q\mathcal{R}$ , and  $q\mathcal{RS}$  be the set of all  $p$ -frames,  $q$ -Riesz bases, and  $q$ -Riesz sequences in  $p\mathfrak{B}$ , respectively. Then the sets  $p\mathcal{F}$ ,  $q\mathcal{R}$ , and  $q\mathcal{RS}$  are open subsets of  $p\mathfrak{B}$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a fixed  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ .

(1) Let  $GL(X)$  be the set of all invertible operators in  $B(X)$ ,  $\varepsilon$  be the set of all surjective operators in  $B(X)$ , and  $\delta$  be the set of all bounded below operators in  $B(X)$ . The sets  $GL(X)$ ,  $\varepsilon$  and  $\delta$  are open subsets of  $B(X)$ , see [1, Lemma 2.4, Theorem 2.10 and Corollary 2.11]. The operator  $A_{h^0} : p\mathfrak{B} \rightarrow B(X)$  defined by  $A_{h^0}((f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}) = M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is continuous, by Proposition 4.3,  $q\mathcal{R} = A_{h^0}^{-1}(GL(X))$ ,  $q\mathcal{RS} = A_{h^0}^{-1}(\varepsilon)$  and  $p\mathcal{F} = A_{h^0}^{-1}(\delta)$ . Therefore the sets  $p\mathcal{F}$ ,  $q\mathcal{R}$ , and  $q\mathcal{RS}$  are open subsets of  $p\mathfrak{B}$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 4.6.** *Let  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ , and let  $\cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}}$  be defined with respect to  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ . Let  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  and  $(g_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  be  $p$ -Bessel sequences for  $X$ . Then*

- (1) *If  $(g_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz basis for  $X^*$ , then  $(g_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz basis for  $X^*$  if and only if  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz basis for  $X^*$ .*
- (2) *If  $(g_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -frame for  $X$ , then  $(g_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -frame for  $X$  if and only if  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -frame for  $X$ .*

*Proof.* By the definition  $M_{(h_i^0)((g_i) \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} (f_i))} = M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)} \circ M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$ , therefore  $N_{(h_i^0)((g_i) \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} (f_i))} = N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} \circ N_{(h_i^0)(g_i)}$ . Easily, we can see that if  $N_{(h_i^0)(g_i)}$  is invertible (surjective), then  $N_{(h_i^0)((g_i) \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} (f_i))}$  is invertible (surjective) if and only if  $N_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is invertible (surjective). Now, by Proposition 4.4, the claims are obvious.  $\square$

**Theorem 4.7.** *Let  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a fixed  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ . Then the following statements hold:*

- (1)  *$(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in p\mathfrak{B}$  is invertible with respect to  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  if and only if  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $q$ -Riesz basis for  $X^*$ .*
- (2) *The set of all  $q$ -Riesz bases for  $X^*$  is a topological group.*

*Proof.* (1) Suppose that  $(g_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in p\mathfrak{B}$  is the inverse of  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ . Then  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}}$

$(g_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} = (\widehat{h_i^0})_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  if and only if  $M_{(h_i^0)((f_i) \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} (g_i))} = M_{(h_i^0)(\widehat{h_i^0})} = I$ . But  $M_{(h_i^0)((f_i) \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} (g_i))} = M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} \circ M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)}$ . So  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} \circ M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)} = I$ . By the same argument  $M_{(h_i^0)((g_i) \cdot_{p\mathfrak{B}} (f_i))} =$

$M_{(h_i^0)(g_i)} \circ M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} = I$ . Therefore  $(f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is invertible with respect to  $(h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  if and only if  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is invertible in  $B(X)$ . Hence, by Proposition 4.3 we have the result.

(2) Suppose that  $GL(X)$  is the set of all invertible operators in  $B(X)$ . Since  $A_h^0 : p\mathfrak{B} \rightarrow B(X)$  defined by  $A_h^0((f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}) = M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is an algebra isomorphism and  $(GL(X), \|\cdot\|_{OP})$  is a topological group, then  $A_{h^0}^{-1}(GL(X)) = q\mathcal{R}$  is a topological group in  $p\mathfrak{B}$ .  $\square$

First we recall the following result.

**Theorem 4.8.** [21, Theorem 15.9.3] *Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be Banach spaces, suppose that  $Y$  has a Schauder basis and let  $P_n$  denote the natural projection associated with the basis. Then for any compact  $A \in L(X, Y)$  the finite rank operators  $P_n A \rightarrow A$ .*

**Proposition 4.9.** *Let  $f = (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X^*$  be a  $p$ -Bessel sequence for  $X$  and  $F_N = (f_i)_{i > N}$ . Let  $h^0 = (h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subset X$  be a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$  and  $A_h^0$  be defined as (4.3). Then  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is a compact operator if and only if  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \|A_{h^0}(F_N)\| = 0$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose that  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is a compact operator. Since  $h^0 = (h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a  $p$ -Riesz basis for  $X$ , then it is a Schauder basis for  $X$ . Suppose that  $P_N = P_{\text{span}\{h_1, \dots, h_N\}}$ . By the above theorem,  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \|P_N M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} - M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}\| = 0$ . But for every  $x \in X$ ,

$$M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}(x) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \widetilde{h}_i^0(M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} x) h_i^0 = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} (M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}^* \widetilde{h}_i^0)(x) h_i^0.$$

Therefore

$$\|P_N M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}(x) - M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}(x)\| = \left\| \sum_{i > N} (M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}^* \widetilde{h}_i^0)(x) h_i^0 \right\|.$$

Suppose that  $C$  is the lower  $p$ -Riesz bound for  $h^0 = (h_i^0)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ , then for every  $x \in X$

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \sum_{i > N} |M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}^* \widetilde{h}_i^0(x)|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq \frac{1}{C} \|(P_N M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} - M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)})(x)\| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{C} \|P_N M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} - M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}\| \|x\|. \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $(M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}^* \widetilde{h}_i^0)_{i > N} = (f_i)_{i > N} \in p\mathfrak{B}$  and

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \|A_{h^0}(F_N)\| = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \|P_N M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} - M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}\| = 0.$$

Conversely, let  $f = (f_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \in p\mathfrak{B}$  such that  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \|A_{h^0}(F_N)\| = 0$ . We show that  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is a compact operator. For every  $x \in X$  we have

$$\|(P_N M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} - M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)})(x)\| = \|A_{h^0}(F_N)(x)\| \leq \|A_{h^0}(F_N)\| \|x\|.$$

Since  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \|A_{h^0}(F_N)\| = 0$ , then  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \|P_N M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)} - M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}\| = 0$ . Therefore  $M_{(h_i^0)(f_i)}$  is a compact operator.  $\square$

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