



Module Extension Banach Algebras and (σ, τ) -amenability

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Abstract. In this paper among other things we find some necessary and sufficient conditions for a Banach algebra \mathcal{A} , to be (σ, τ) -amenable, where σ and τ are continuous homomorphisms on \mathcal{A} .

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1. Introduction.

Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and \mathcal{X} be a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule, that \mathcal{X} is both a Banach space and an algebraic \mathcal{A} -bimodule, and the module operations $(a, x) \mapsto ax$ and $(a, x) \mapsto xa$ from $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{X}$ into \mathcal{X} are (jointly) continuous. Then \mathcal{X}^* is also a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule under the following module actions:

$$(a \cdot f)(x) = f(xa),$$

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$$(f \cdot a)(x) = f(ax),$$

$a \in \mathcal{A}, x \in \mathcal{X}, f \in \mathcal{X}^*$.

Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra. Given $f \in \mathcal{A}^*$ and $F \in \mathcal{A}^{**}$, then Ff and fF are defined in \mathcal{A}^* by the following formulae

$$Ff(a) = F(f \cdot a), \quad fF(a) = F(a \cdot f) \quad (a \in \mathcal{A}).$$

Next, for $F, G \in \mathcal{A}^{**}$, FG is defined in \mathcal{A}^{**} by the formulae

$$(FG)(f) = F(Gf),$$

this product is called first Arens product on \mathcal{A}^{**} and \mathcal{A}^{**} with the first Arens product is a Banach algebra.

Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and \mathcal{X} be a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule. The Banach space \mathcal{X}^{**} is a Banach \mathcal{A}^{**} -bimodule under following actions

$$F \cdot G = w^* - \lim_i \lim_j a_i x_j, \quad G \cdot F = w^* - \lim_j \lim_i x_j a_i$$

where $F = w^* - \lim_i a_i$, $G = w^* - \lim_j x_j$, (a_i) is a net in \mathcal{A} , (x_j) and is a net in X .

Suppose that $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ is a Banach algebra homomorphism. The Banach algebra \mathcal{B} is considered as a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule by the following module actions

$$a \cdot b = \varphi(a)b, \quad b \cdot a = b\varphi(a) \quad (a \in \mathcal{A}, b \in \mathcal{B})$$

we denote \mathcal{B}_φ the above \mathcal{A} -bimodule.

Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and σ, τ be continuous homomorphisms on \mathcal{A} . Suppose that \mathcal{X} is a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule. A linear mapping $d : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$ is called a (σ, τ) -derivation if

$$d(ab) = d(a)\sigma(b) + \tau(a)d(b) \quad (a, b \in \mathcal{A}).$$

For example every ordinary derivation of an algebra \mathcal{A} into an \mathcal{A} -bimodule \mathcal{X} is an $(id_{\mathcal{A}}, id_{\mathcal{A}})$ -derivation, where $id_{\mathcal{A}}$ is the identity mapping on the algebra \mathcal{A} .

A linear mapping $d : \mathcal{A} \longrightarrow \mathcal{X}$ is called (σ, τ) -inner derivation if there exists $x \in \mathcal{X}$ such that $d(a) = \tau(a)x - x\sigma(a)$ ($a \in \mathcal{A}$). See also [3–6].

We denote the set of continuous (σ, τ) -derivations from \mathcal{A} into \mathcal{X} by $Z^1_{(\sigma, \tau)}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X})$ and the set of inner (σ, τ) -derivations by $B^1_{(\sigma, \tau)}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X})$. we define the space $H^1_{(\sigma, \tau)}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X})$ as the quotient space $Z^1_{(\sigma, \tau)}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X})/B^1_{(\sigma, \tau)}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X})$. The space $H^1_{(\sigma, \tau)}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X})$ is called the first (σ, τ) -cohomology group of \mathcal{A} with coefficients in \mathcal{X} . \mathcal{A} is called (σ, τ) -amenable if $H^1_{(\sigma, \tau)}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X}^*) = \{0\}$, for each Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule \mathcal{X} .

Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and let \mathcal{X} be a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule. Define $\mathcal{A} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X}$ by actions:

$$\begin{aligned} (a, x) + (b, y) &= (a + b, x + y) \\ a(b, x) &= (ab, ax) \quad , \quad (b, x)a = (ba, xa) \\ (a, x)(b, y) &= (ab, ay + xb), \end{aligned}$$

for every $a, b \in \mathcal{A}$ and $x, y \in \mathcal{X}$.

It is clear $\mathcal{A} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X}$ is a Banach algebra with the following norm:

$$\|(a, x)\| = \|a\| + \|x\|.$$

This Banach algebra is called *module extension Banach algebra*.

We use some ideas and terminology of [2] to investigate (σ, τ) -amenability of Banach algebras.

2. (σ, τ) -amenability of Banach Algebras.

Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and let σ, τ be continuous homomorphisms on \mathcal{A} . Suppose that \mathcal{X} is a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule. Then \mathcal{X} is a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule by the following module actions:

$$a \cdot x = \tau(a)b, \quad x \cdot a = b\sigma(a) \quad (a \in \mathcal{A}, x \in \mathcal{X}).$$

We denote $\mathcal{X}_{(\sigma,\tau)}$ for this \mathcal{A} -bimodule. It is easy to check that $(\mathcal{X}_{(\sigma,\tau)})^* = X_{(\tau,\sigma)}^*$, and that every (σ, τ) -derivation from \mathcal{A} into \mathcal{X} is a derivation from \mathcal{A} into $\mathcal{X}_{(\sigma,\tau)}$. Thus we can show that \mathcal{A} is amenable, if and only if \mathcal{A} is (σ, τ) -amenable, for each $\sigma, \tau \in Hom(\mathcal{A})$. First we give the following examples for (σ, τ) -amenability of Banach algebras.

Example 2.1. *It is easy to see that ℓ^1 is a Banach algebra equipped with the following product [7]*

$$a \cdot b = a(1)b \quad (a, b \in \ell^1),$$

and ℓ^1 has a left identity e defined by

$$e(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n = 1 \\ 0 & \text{if } n \neq 1. \end{cases}$$

The dual space $(\ell^1)^* = \ell^\infty$ is a ℓ^1 -bimodule via the ordinary actions as follows

$$a \cdot f = f(a)e, \quad f \cdot a = a(1)f \quad (a \in \ell^1, f \in \ell^\infty),$$

where e is regarded as an element of ℓ^∞ .

Next let $\sigma : \ell^1 \rightarrow \ell^1$ be a bounded homomorphism. We have $a(1)\sigma(b) = \sigma(a \cdot b) = \sigma(a) \cdot \sigma(b) = \sigma(a)(1)\sigma(b)$ and so $\sigma(b)(a(1) - \sigma(a)(1)) = 0$ for all $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$. Since $\sigma \neq 0$, we have

$$(\sigma(a))(1) = a(1) \quad (a \in \ell^1) \tag{2.1}$$

In [5] has been shown that ℓ^1 is (σ, τ) -weakly amenable for all homomorphisms σ, τ but for some homomorphisms σ and τ it is not (σ, τ) -amenable. In the following we prove if the Banach algebra ℓ^1 is (σ, τ) -amenable, then $\tau(a) = a(1)c$ where $c(1) = 1$.

Let $\mathcal{B} = \ell^1$ by product $a \bullet b = a(2)b$. Then \mathcal{B} is a Banach algebra and for each bounded homomorphism $\psi : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ we have $(\psi(a))(2) = a(2)$. Let $a \in \ell^1$ define $a' \in \ell^1$ by $a' = (a(2), a(1), a(3), \dots)$. Let $\varphi : \ell^1 \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ defined by $\varphi(a) = a'$. It is clear that φ is a homomorphism. Consider the Banach ℓ^1 -bimodule \mathcal{B}_φ under actions $a \circ b = \varphi(a) \bullet b = a' \bullet b = a'(2)b = a(1)b$ and $b \circ a = b \bullet \varphi(a) = b \bullet a' = b(2)a'$ for each $a \in \ell^1, b \in \mathcal{B}_\varphi$. Let $D : \ell^1 \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_\varphi^*$ be a bounded (σ, τ) -derivation. We have

$$\begin{aligned} (D(a \cdot b))(c) &= D(a)\sigma(b)(c) + \tau(a)D(b)(c) \\ a(1)D(b)(c) &= D(a)(\sigma(b) \circ c) + D(b)(c \circ \tau(a)) \\ a(1)D(b)(c) &= b(1)D(a)(c) + c(2)D(b)(\tau(a)) \end{aligned}$$

for all $a, b \in \ell^1$ and $c \in \mathcal{B}_\varphi$.

By taking $a = b$ we obtain $D(a)(\tau(a)) = 0$. Also by taking $c \in \mathcal{B}_\varphi$ such that $c(2) = 0$ we can conclude $a(1)D(b) = b(1)D(a)$.

If ℓ^1 is (σ, τ) -amenable, then there exists $f \in \mathcal{B}_\varphi^*$ such that $D = D_f$ is a (σ, τ) -inner derivation. So we have

$$\begin{aligned} a(1)D_f(b) &= b(1)D_f(a) \\ a(1)f(b(1)c - c(2)\tau(b)) &= b(1)f(a(1)c - c(2)\tau(a)) \end{aligned}$$

for all $a, b \in \ell^1$ and $c \in \mathcal{B}_\varphi$.

Then $f(b(1)c(2)\tau(a) - a(1)c(2)\tau(b)) = 0$. Since $f \in \mathcal{B}_\varphi^*$ is arbitrary, immediately is conclude $a(1)\tau(b) = b(1)\tau(a)$. By taking $b = e$ we have $\tau(a) = a(1)\tau(e)$, where $\tau(e)(1) = 1$.

So we have the following result.

Corollary 2.1. Let σ, τ be two continuous homomorphisms on ℓ^1 (by above product). If ℓ^1 is (σ, τ) -amenable then there is $c \in \ell^1$ such that $\tau(a) = a(1)c$, and $c(1) = 1$.

Example 2.2. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra. Then \mathcal{A} has a bounded approximate identity if and only if \mathcal{A} is $(id, 0)$ and $(0, id)$ -amenable.

Corollary 2.2. Let \mathcal{A} be a C^* -algebra or $\mathcal{A} = L^1(G)$ for a locally compact topological group G . Then \mathcal{A} is $(id, 0)$ and $(0, id)$ -amenable.

Let $T : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ be a continuous linear map between Banach algebras. Two continuous linear maps $T' : \mathcal{B}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{A}^*$ and $T'' : \mathcal{A}^{**} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}^{**}$ are known, that are defined by the following formula

$$\left(T'(f)\right)(a) = f\left(T(a)\right), \quad \left(T''(G)\right)(f) = G\left(T'(f)\right)$$

where $a \in \mathcal{A}, f \in \mathcal{B}^*$ and $G \in \mathcal{A}^{**}$.

Lemma 2.1. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra, \mathcal{X} be a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule, and let σ and τ be two continuous homomorphisms on \mathcal{A} . Suppose that $D : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$ is (σ, τ) -derivation. Then $D'' : \mathcal{A}^{**} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}^{**}$ is a (σ'', τ'') -derivation.

Proof. Let $F, G \in \mathcal{A}^{**}$ and let $F = w^* - \lim_{\alpha} a_{\alpha}, G = w^* - \lim_{\beta} b_{\beta}$ in \mathcal{A}^{**} , where $(a_{\alpha}), (b_{\beta})$ are nets in \mathcal{A} with $\|a_{\alpha}\| \leq \|F\|, \|b_{\beta}\| \leq \|G\|$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} D''(FG) &= D''\left(w^* - \lim_{\alpha} w^* - \lim_{\beta} a_{\alpha} b_{\beta}\right) \\ &= w^* - \lim_{\alpha} w^* - \lim_{\beta} D''(a_{\alpha} b_{\beta}) \\ &= w^* - \lim_{\alpha} w^* - \lim_{\beta} \left(\tau(a_{\alpha})D(b_{\beta}) + D(a_{\alpha})\sigma(b_{\beta})\right) \\ &= \tau''(F)D''(G) + D''(F)\sigma''(G) \end{aligned}$$

and so D'' is a (σ'', τ'') -derivation.

Now we are ready to state some equivalent conditions by (σ, τ) -amenability of Banach algebras.

Theorem 2.1. Let σ and τ be two continuous homomorphisms on Banach algebra \mathcal{A} .

The following statements are equivalent:

1. \mathcal{A} is (σ, τ) -amenable.
2. For each Banach algebra \mathcal{B} and every homomorphism $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \longrightarrow \mathcal{B}$, $H_{(\sigma, \tau)}^1(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}_\varphi^*) = 0$.
3. For each Banach algebra \mathcal{B} and every injective homomorphism $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \longrightarrow \mathcal{B}$, $H_{(\sigma, \tau)}^1(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}_\varphi^*) = 0$.
4. For each Banach algebra \mathcal{B} and every injective homomorphism $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \longrightarrow \mathcal{B}$, if $d : \mathcal{A} \longrightarrow \mathcal{B}_\varphi^*$ is a (σ, τ) -derivation satisfies

$$(d(a))(\varphi(b)) + (d(b))(\varphi(a)) = 0 \quad (a, b \in \mathcal{A}),$$

then d is (σ, τ) -inner derivation.

Proof. Clearly $(1) \Rightarrow (2) \Rightarrow (3) \Rightarrow (4)$. It is sufficient to show that $(4) \Rightarrow (1)$. Let \mathcal{X} be a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule and $D : \mathcal{A} \longrightarrow \mathcal{X}^*$ be a (σ, τ) -derivation. Set $\mathcal{B} = \mathcal{A} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X}$ and define injective homomorphism $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \longrightarrow \mathcal{B}$ by $\varphi(a) = (a, 0)$ and so we can assume that \mathcal{A} is a subalgebra of \mathcal{B} . Define $d : \mathcal{A} \longrightarrow \mathcal{B}_\varphi^*$ by $d(a) = (0, D(a))$. The map d is (σ, τ) -derivation, since

$$\begin{aligned} d(ab) &= (0, D(ab)) = (0, D(a)\sigma(b) + \tau(a)D(b)) \\ &= (0, D(a))(0, \sigma(b)) + (0, \tau(a))(0, D(b)) \\ &= d(a)\varphi(\sigma(b)) + \varphi(\tau(a))d(b) \\ &= d(a) \cdot \sigma(b) + \tau(a) \cdot d(b) \quad (a, b \in \mathcal{A}). \end{aligned}$$

Since $(d(a))(\varphi(b)) + (d(b))(\varphi(a)) = (0, D(a))((b, 0)) + (0, D(b))((a, 0)) = 0$, we have $(d(a))(\varphi(b)) + (d(b))(\varphi(a)) = 0$.

It follows from our assumption that d is a (σ, τ) -inner derivation. Hence there are $f \in \mathcal{A}^*$ and $g \in \mathcal{X}^*$ such that

$$\begin{aligned}(0, D(a)) = d(a) &= (\sigma(a), 0)(f, g) - (f, g)(\tau(a), 0) \\ &= (\sigma(a)f - f\tau(a), \sigma(a)g - g\tau(a)).\end{aligned}$$

Thus $D(a) = \sigma(a)g - g\tau(a)$, hence D is (σ, τ) -inner derivation.

Definition 2.1. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and σ be a continuous homomorphisms on \mathcal{A} . The Banach algebra \mathcal{A} is called approximately σ -contractible, if for each Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule \mathcal{X} and σ -derivation $D : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$, there exists a bounded net $(x_\alpha) \subseteq \mathcal{X}$ such that

$$D(a) = \lim_{\alpha} (\sigma(a)x_\alpha - x_\alpha\sigma(a)) \quad (a \in \mathcal{A}).$$

In the following theorem we follow the structure of Proposition 2.8.59 [1].

Theorem 2.2. Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and σ be a bounded homomorphism on \mathcal{A} . Then the following assertion are equivalent:

1. \mathcal{A} is σ -amenable.
2. For every \mathcal{A} -bimodule \mathcal{X} , $H^1_{(\sigma, \sigma)}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X}^{**}) = 0$
3. \mathcal{A} is approximately σ -contractible.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2) is trivially. (2) \Rightarrow (3): Let $D : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$ be a σ -derivation from \mathcal{A} into \mathcal{A} -bimodule \mathcal{X} and let $J_{\mathcal{X}} : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}^{**}$ be the canonical embedding, then for each $a, b \in \mathcal{A}$ we have

$$\tilde{D}(ab) = (J_{\mathcal{X}} \circ D)(ab) = J_{\mathcal{X}}(\sigma(a)D(b) + D(a)\sigma(b))$$

$$= \sigma(a)\tilde{D}(b) + \tilde{D}(a)\sigma(b).$$

Thus \tilde{D} is a σ -derivation. Then by (2) there exists $\Lambda \in \mathcal{X}^{**}$ such that $\tilde{D}(a) = \sigma(a)\Lambda - \Lambda\sigma(a)$ ($a \in \mathcal{A}$). Set $m = \|\Lambda\|$, $\mathcal{U} = \mathcal{X}_{[m]}$. Then $\Lambda \in \overline{J_{\mathcal{X}}(\mathcal{U})}^{w^*}$. Let $a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n \in \mathcal{A}$, then $\mathcal{V} = \Pi_{j=1}^n (\sigma(a_j)\mathcal{U} - \mathcal{U}\sigma(a_j))$ is a convex subset of $\mathcal{X}^{(n)}$ and $(D(a_1), D(a_2), \dots, D(a_n)) \in \overline{\mathcal{V}}^{weak}$. Thus for each finite subset F of \mathcal{A} , and $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists $x_{(F,\varepsilon)} \in \mathcal{U}$ such that

$$\|D(a) - (\sigma(a)x_{(F,\varepsilon)} - x_{(F,\varepsilon)}\sigma(a))\| < \varepsilon \quad (a \in F).$$

The family of such pairs (F, ε) is a directed if order \leq given by

$$(F_1, \varepsilon_1) \leq (F_2, \varepsilon_2) \Leftrightarrow F_1 \subseteq F_2, \varepsilon_1 \leq \varepsilon_2.$$

Also we have

$$D(a) = \lim_{(F,\varepsilon)} (\sigma(a)x_{(F,\varepsilon)} - x_{(F,\varepsilon)}\sigma(a)).$$

(3) \Rightarrow (1): Let $D : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}^*$ be a σ -derivation. Then there exists a net $(x'_\alpha) \subseteq \mathcal{X}^*$ such that $D(a) = \lim_\alpha (\sigma(a)x'_\alpha - x'_\alpha\sigma(a))$ ($a \in \mathcal{A}$). By passing to a subnet we may assume that $w^* - \lim x'_\alpha = x'$ in \mathcal{X}^* and then $D(a) = \sigma(a)x' - x'\sigma(a)$. Thus \mathcal{A} is σ -amenable.

Theorem 2.3. *Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and σ be a continuous homomorphism on \mathcal{A} . If \mathcal{A}^{**} is σ'' -amenable, then \mathcal{A} is σ -amenable.*

Proof. Let \mathcal{X} be a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule, and $D : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}^{**}$ be a σ -derivation. Then by Lemma 2.1, $D'' : \mathcal{A}^{**} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}^{****}$ is a σ'' -derivation. Since \mathcal{A}^{**} is σ'' -amenable, then there exists $x^{(4)} \in \mathcal{X}^{****}$ such that $D''(a'') = \sigma''(a'')x^{(4)} - x^{(4)}\sigma''(a'')$, ($a'' \in \mathcal{A}^{**}$). We have $\mathcal{X}^{****} = \mathcal{X}^{**} \oplus (\mathcal{X}^*)^\perp$ (as \mathcal{A}^{**} -bimodules). Let $P : \mathcal{X}^{****} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}^{**}$ be the natural projection. Then for each $a \in \mathcal{A}$, we have $D(a) = \sigma(a)P(x^{(4)}) - P(x^{(4)})\sigma(a)$, and so $D \in N_{(\sigma,\sigma)}^1(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X}^{**})$. Thus by above theorem, \mathcal{A} is σ -amenable.

In the following we find an easy equivalent condition for σ -amenability of a Banach algebra.

Proposition 2.1. *Let \mathcal{A} be a Banach algebra and let σ be a continuous homomorphism on \mathcal{A} . Then \mathcal{A} is σ -amenable if and only if for every Banach algebra \mathcal{B} and every injective homomorphism $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$, $H_{(\sigma, \sigma)}^1(\mathcal{A}, B_\varphi^{**}) = 0$.*

Proof. One side is clear, so we prove the other side. Let \mathcal{X} be a Banach \mathcal{A} -bimodule and $D : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}^{**}$ be a σ -derivation. If $\phi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X}$ is defined by $\phi(a) = (a, 0)$. Then ϕ is injective and $\phi^{**} : \mathcal{A}^{**} \rightarrow (\mathcal{A} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X})^{**}$ the second transpose of ϕ is a Banach algebra homomorphism and $((\mathcal{A} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X})_\varphi)^{**} \simeq (\mathcal{A}^{**} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X}^{**})_{\varphi^{**}}$ as \mathcal{A}^{**} -bimodules. Then

$$H_{(\sigma, \sigma)}^1(\mathcal{A}, (\mathcal{A}^{**} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X}^{**})_{\varphi^{**}}) = H_{(\sigma, \sigma)}^1(\mathcal{A}, ((\mathcal{A} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X})_\varphi)^{**}) = \{0\}. \quad (2.2)$$

Now we define $D_1 : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}^{**} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X}^{**}$ by $D_1(a) = (0, D(a))$. For $a, b \in \mathcal{A}$ we have $D_1(ab) = D_1(a)\varphi^{**}(\widehat{b}) + \varphi^{**}(\widehat{a})D_1(b)$. Thus D_1 is a σ -derivation from \mathcal{A} into $(\mathcal{A}^{**} \oplus_1 \mathcal{X}^{**})_{\varphi^{**}}$. By (2.2), D_1 is σ -inner. Therefore there exist $a'' \in \mathcal{A}^{**}, x'' \in \mathcal{X}^{**}$ such that

$$(0, D(a)) = D_1(a) = (a'', x'')(0, \sigma(a)) - (0, \sigma(a))(a'', x''),$$

Thus D is σ -inner. Therefore $H_{(\sigma, \sigma)}^1(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{X}^{**}) = 0$, and by Theorem 2.2, \mathcal{A} is σ -amenable.

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