## 1.3 Real Interpolation

**1.3.4.** Let  $(X, \mu)$  and  $(Y, \nu)$  be  $\sigma$ -finite measure spaces. Let *T* be a subadditive operator defined on  $L^1(X, \mu) + L^{\infty}(X, \mu)$  that takes values in the space of measurable functions on  $(Y, \nu)$  and that satisfies  $|T(f)| \leq T(|f|)$  for all  $f \in L^1 + L^{\infty}$ . Suppose that *T* maps  $L^1$  to  $L^{1,\infty}$  with bound  $A_0$  and  $L^{\infty}$  to itself with bound  $A_1 > 0$ . Given 1 , prove that*T* $maps <math>L^p(X)$  to  $L^p(Y)$  with norm at most

$$\frac{p}{p-1}A_0^{\frac{1}{p}}A_1^{1-\frac{1}{p}}$$

[*Hint:* Given  $\lambda > 0$ ,  $\gamma \in (0,1)$ , and f measurable, write  $|f| = f_0 + f_1$ , where  $f_0 = \max\left(|f| - \frac{\gamma\lambda}{A_1}, 0\right)$  and  $f_1 = \min\left(|f|, \frac{\gamma\lambda}{A_1}\right)$ . Then  $\{T(|f|) > \lambda\} \subseteq \{|T(f_0)| > (1-\gamma)\lambda\}$ . Then choose a suitable  $\gamma$ .]

**1.3.5.** Let  $(X, \mu)$ ,  $(Y, \nu)$  be  $\sigma$ -finite measure spaces, and let  $0 < p_0 < p_1 \le \infty$ . Define p via  $\frac{1-\theta}{p_0} + \frac{\theta}{p_1} = \frac{1}{p}$ , where  $0 < \theta < 1$ . Let T be a subadditive operator defined on  $L^{p_0}(X) + L^{p_1}(X)$  and taking values in the space of measurable functions on Y. Suppose T maps  $L^{p_0}$  to  $L^{\infty}$  with norm  $A_0$  and  $L^{p_1}$  to  $L^{\infty}$  with norm  $A_1$ . Prove that T maps  $L^p$  to  $L^{\infty}$  with norm at most  $2A_0^{1-\theta}A_1^{\theta}$ .

**1.3.6.** Let  $(X, \mu)$  and  $(Y, \nu)$  be  $\sigma$ -finite measure spaces. Let  $0 , <math>0 < B < \infty$ , and let  $\Phi : [0, \infty) \to [0, \infty)$  be a measurable function such that

$$A = \int_0^1 \lambda^{p-1} \Phi(1/\lambda) d\lambda < \infty.$$

Let T be a linear operator that maps  $L^{p_1}(X)$  to  $L^{p_1,\infty}(Y)$  with norm B that satisfies

$$v\big(\{y \in Y : |T(f)(y)| > \lambda\}\big) \le A \int_X \Phi\Big(\frac{|f(x)|}{\lambda}\Big) d\mu$$

for all finite simple functions f on X and all  $\lambda > 0$ . Prove that T has a bounded extension from  $L^p(X)$  to itself. [*Hint:* Set  $f^{\lambda} = f \chi_{|f| > \lambda}$  and  $f_{\lambda} = f \chi_{|f| \le \lambda}$ . When  $p_1 < \infty$ , add the estimates

$$p\lambda^{p-1}\nu(\{|T(f^{\lambda})|>\lambda\}) \leq Ap\lambda^{p-1}\int_{|f|>\lambda} \Phi\big(\frac{|f(x)|}{\lambda}\big)d\mu$$

and

$$p\lambda^{p-1}\mathbf{v}(\{|T(f_{\lambda})|>\lambda\}) \leq p\lambda^{p-1}B^{p_1}\int_{|f|\leq\lambda}rac{|f(x)|^{p_1}}{\lambda^{p_1}}d\mu$$

and integrate over  $\lambda$  to estimate  $\frac{1}{2^p} ||T(f)||_{L^p}^p$ . In the case where  $p_1 = \infty$ , use

$$\mathbf{v}(\{|T(f)| > 2B\lambda\}) \leq \mathbf{v}(\{|T(f^{\lambda})| > B\lambda\})$$

to complete the proof.

**1.3.7.** (Vector-valued Marcinkiewicz interpolation) Let  $(X, \mu)$ ,  $(Y, \nu)$  be  $\sigma$ -finite measure spaces and  $0 < p_0 < p_1 \le \infty$ . Fix quasi-normed spaces Z, W. Define