

## On equality of complete positivity and complete copositivity of positive map

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**Abstract.** In this paper we construct a 2-positive map from  $\mathcal{M}_4(\mathbb{C})$  to  $\mathcal{M}_5(\mathbb{C})$  and state the conditions under which the map is positive and completely positive (copositivity of positive). The construction allows us to create a decomposable map, where the Choi matrix of complete positivity is equal to the Choi matrix of complete copositivity.

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### 1. Introduction

Positive maps are essential in the description of quantum systems. However, characterization of the structure of the set of all positive maps is a challenge in mathematics and mathematical physics. The famous Choi result in [1] affirms that a map  $\phi$  is completely positive if and only if its Choi matrix  $C_\phi$  is positive definite. The positive map  $\phi$  is completely positive if and only if  $C_\phi$  is positive, otherwise it is not completely positive.

The construction of Choi's map [1–3] and Robertson's map [8, 9] among other indecomposable maps have been used to justify the importance of these maps in their application in quantum mechanics. A family of indecomposable maps for an arbitrary finite dimension  $n = 3$  was constructed in [6]. Other construction of indecomposable maps have been given in [5, 7, 11] are in the context of quantum entanglement.

We construct a linear map  $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$  from  $\mathcal{M}_4$  to  $\mathcal{M}_5$ , where  $\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3 \in \mathbb{R}^+$  and study its properties of positivity, completely positivity and decomposability.

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By  $\mathcal{M}_n$  we denote the set of positive semidefinite matrices of order  $n$ ; that is,  $A \in \mathcal{M}_n$ . The identity map on  $\mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C})$  and the transpose map on  $\mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C})$  are denoted by  $\mathcal{I}_n$  and  $\tau_n$  respectively. Let  $A$  be a  $n \times n$  square matrix.  $A$  is positive semidefinite if, for any vector  $x$  with real components,  $\langle x, Ax \rangle \geq 0$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  or equivalently,  $A$  is Hermitian and all its eigenvalues are nonnegative and positive definite if  $\langle x, Ax \rangle > 0$  for all  $x \neq 0$ . A linear map  $\phi$  is from  $\mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C})$  to  $\mathcal{M}_m(\mathbb{C})$  is called positive if  $\phi(\mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C}))^+ \subseteq \mathcal{M}_m(\mathbb{C})^+$ . A linear map  $\phi$  form  $\mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C})$  to  $\mathcal{M}_m(\mathbb{C})$  is  $k$ -positive if  $\mathcal{I}_k \otimes \phi : \mathcal{M}_k \otimes \mathcal{M}_n \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_k \otimes \mathcal{M}_m$  is positive. On the other hand, a linear map  $\phi$  form  $\mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C})$  to  $\mathcal{M}_m(\mathbb{C})$  is  $k$ -copositive if the map  $\tau_k \otimes \phi : \mathcal{M}_k \otimes \mathcal{M}_n \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_k \otimes \mathcal{M}_m$  is positive. A linear map  $\phi$  from  $A$  to  $\mathbf{B}(\mathcal{H})$  is  $k$ -decomposable if there are maps  $\phi_1, \phi_2 : A \rightarrow \mathbf{B}(\mathcal{H})$  such that  $\phi_1$  is  $k$ -positive,  $\phi_2$  is  $k$ -copositive and  $\phi = \phi_1 + \phi_2$ .

Let  $X \in \mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C})$  be a positive semidefinite matrix written,  $X = (x_i x_j^*)$ , where  $x_i = (x_1, \dots, x_n)^T \in \mathbb{C}^n$  is a column vector and  $x_j^*$  is the transpose conjugate(row vector) of  $x_j$ . The diagonal elements of the positive semidefinite matrix  $X$  given by  $x_n \bar{x}_n = |x_n|^2$  are positive real numbers.

**Definition 1.1** Let  $X$  be a  $4 \times 4$  positive semidefinite matrix with complex entries. Let  $c_1, c_2, c_3 \in \mathbb{R}^+$ ,  $0 < \mu < 1$  and  $r \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then we define the positive map  $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$  as follows:

$$\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)} : \mathcal{M}_4(\mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_5(\mathbb{C})$$

$$X \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} P_1 & -c_1 x_1 \bar{x}_2 & -c_2 x_1 \bar{x}_3 & 0 & -\mu x_1 \bar{x}_4 \\ -c_1 x_2 \bar{x}_1 & P_2 & -c_2 x_2 \bar{x}_3 & -c_3 x_2 \bar{x}_4 & 0 \\ -c_2 x_3 \bar{x}_1 & -c_2 x_3 \bar{x}_2 & P_3 & -c_3 x_3 \bar{x}_4 & 0 \\ 0 & -c_3 x_4 \bar{x}_2 & -c_3 x_4 \bar{x}_3 & P_4 & 0 \\ -\mu x_4 \bar{x}_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & P_5 \end{pmatrix}, \tag{1}$$

where

$$P_1 = \mu^{-r} (|x_1| + c_1 |x_2| \mu^r + c_2 |x_3| \mu^r + c_3 |x_4| \mu^r),$$

$$P_2 = \mu^{-r} (|x_2| + c_1 |x_3| \mu^r + c_2 |x_4| \mu^r + c_3 |x_1| \mu^r),$$

$$P_3 = \mu^{-r} (|x_3| + c_1 |x_1| \mu^r + c_2 |x_2| \mu^r + c_3 |x_3| \mu^r),$$

$$P_4 = \mu^{-r} (|x_1| + |x_2| + |x_3| + |x_4|),$$

$$P_5 = \mu^{-r} (|x_4| + c_1 |x_1| \mu^r + c_2 |x_2| \mu^r + c_3 |x_4| \mu^r).$$

## 2. Positivity

A linear map  $\phi$  from  $\mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C})$  to  $\mathcal{M}_m(\mathbb{C})$  preserving symmetry is positive if the matrices  $\phi(X)$  are positive semidefinite for all positive semidefinite matrices  $X \in \mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C})$ . The linear map  $\phi$  is the image of positive semidefinite matrices of rank 1 if the matrix  $x_i x_j^*$  has rank 1. By definition of positive semidefinite matrices, positivity of the map  $\phi$  gives the biquadratic polynomials of  $\phi(X)$ . The linear map  $\phi$  is uniquely determined by the polynomial function  $F(z, x) := z \phi(x_i x_j^*) z^T$  as a biquadratic function in  $x := (x_1, \dots, x_n)$  and  $z := (z_1, \dots, z_m)$ . The map  $\phi$  is positive if and only if the biquadratic form  $F(z, x)$  is a biquadratic function.

**Lemma 2.1** Let  $0 < \mu < 1$  and  $c_1, c_2, c_3 \geq 0$ . Then the function

$$\begin{aligned}
 &F(z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5, t) \\
 &= c_3|t|z_1^2 + (c_3 + c_2|t| - 2\mu^r c_2^2)z_2^2 + (c_1|t| + c_3)z_3^2 + (3\mu^{-r} + \mu^{-r}|t| - 3\mu^r c_3 \operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2 \\
 &\quad + (c_1 + c_2 + c_3 + |t|\mu^{-r} - \mu^{2+r} \operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_5^2 + c_1(z_1 - z_2)^2 + c_2(z_1 - z_3)^2 + \frac{\mu^{-r}}{2}(z_3 - 2\mu^r c_2 z_2)^2 \\
 &\quad + \mu^{-r}(z_2 - 2\mu^r c_3 \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + \mu^{-r}(z_3 - 2\mu^r c_3 \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + \mu^{-r}(z_1 - \mu^{1+r} \operatorname{Re}(t)z_5)^2
 \end{aligned}$$

is positive semidefinite for every  $z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5$  and  $t \in \mathbb{C}$  whenever it satisfy the inequalities

$$\mu^{-r} \geq 2c_3, \tag{2}$$

$$\mu^{-r} \geq 2c_1, \tag{3}$$

$$c_1 \geq c_2, \tag{4}$$

$$c_1\mu^{-r} \geq c_2^2. \tag{5}$$

**Proof.** If  $z_1 = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 &F(0, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5, t) \\
 &= \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2|t|\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1|t|\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_3^2 + \mu^{-r}(3 + |t|)z_4^2 \\
 &\quad + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 - 2c_2z_2z_3 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_2z_4 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_3z_4 \\
 &= \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r)z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1|t|\mu^r)z_3^2 + 3\mu^{-r}z_4^2 + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 \\
 &\quad + c_2(z_3 - c_2)^2 + c_2(|t| - 1)z_2^2 + c_3(z_2 - \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}\frac{|t|}{2} - c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2 \\
 &\quad + c_3(z_3 - \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}\frac{|t|}{2} - c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2.
 \end{aligned}$$

From the coefficients of  $z_2^2$  and  $z_4^2$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\mu^{-r} + c_1 + c_2|t| - c_2 = \mu^{-r} + (c_1 - c_2) + c_2|t|, \\
 &3\mu^{-r} + \mu^{-r}|t| - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)^2 = 3\mu^{-r} + \mu^{-r}(|x|^2 + |y|^2) - 2c_3|x|^2,
 \end{aligned}$$

respectively. The function  $F(0, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5, t)$  is positive whenever it satisfy the inequalities  $\mu^{-r} \geq c_2$  and  $\mu^{-r} \geq 2c_3$ .

If  $z_2 = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 &F(z_1, 0, z_3, z_4, z_5, t) \\
 &= \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3|t|\mu^r)z_1^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1|t|\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_3^2 + \mu^{-r}(3 + |t|)z_4^2 \\
 &\quad + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 - 2c_2z_1z_3 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_3z_4 - 2\mu\operatorname{Re}(t)z_1z_5 \\
 &= (c_1 + c_3|t|)z_1^2 + (c_1|t| + c_3)z_3^2 + 3\mu^{-r}z_4^2 + (c_1 + c_2 + c_3)z_5^2 + c_2(z_1 - z_3)^2 \\
 &\quad + \mu^{-r}(z_3 - \mu^r c_3 \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}|t| - \mu^r c_3^2 \operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2 \\
 &\quad + \mu^{-r}(z_1 - \mu^{1+r} \operatorname{Re}(t)z_5)^2 + (\mu^{-r}|t| - \mu^{2+r} \operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_5^2 \geq 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

The coefficients of  $z_4^2$  satisfy the inequality

$$\mu^{-2r}(3 + |t|) - c_3^2 \operatorname{Re}(t)^2 = 3\mu^{-2r} + \mu^{-2r}(|x|^2 + |y|^2) - c_3^2|x|^2 \geq 0$$

whenever (2) hold.

If  $z_3 = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} &F(z_1, z_2, 0, z_4, z_5, t) \\ &= \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3|t|\mu^r)z_1^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2|t|\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}(3 + |t|)z_4^2 \\ &\quad + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 - 2c_1z_1z_2 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_2z_4 - 2\mu\operatorname{Re}(t)z_1z_5 \\ &= (c_2 + c_3|t|)z_1^2 + (c_1 + c_2|t|)z_2^2 + 3\mu^{-r}z_4^2 + (c_1 + c_2 + c_3)z_5^2 + c_1(z_1 - z_2)^2 \\ &\quad + (c_3 - c_1)z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}(z_2 - \mu^r c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}|t| - \mu^r c_3^2\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2 \\ &\quad + \mu^{-r}(z_1 - \mu^{1+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)z_5)^2 + (\mu^{-r}|t| - \mu^{2+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_5^2 \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

The coefficients of  $z_4^2$  satisfy the inequality (2).

If  $z_4 = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} &F(z_1, z_2, z_3, 0, z_5, t) \\ &= \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3|t|\mu^r)z_1^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2|t|\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1|t|\mu^r + c_2\mu^r \\ &\quad + c_3\mu^r)z_3^2 + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 - 2c_1z_1z_2 - 2c_2z_1z_3 - 2c_2z_2z_3 - 2\mu\operatorname{Re}(t)z_1z_5 \\ &= c_3|t|z_1^2 + c_1z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1|t|\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_3^2 + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 \\ &\quad + c_1(z_1 - z_2)^2 + c_2(z_1 - z_3)^2 + \mu^{-r}(z_3 - \mu^r c_2z_2)^2 + (c_2|t| - \mu^r c_2^2)z_2^2 \\ &\quad + \mu^{-r}(z_1 - \mu^{1+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)z_5)^2 + (\mu^{-r}|t| - \mu^{2+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_5^2 \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

The function  $F(z_1, z_2, z_3, 0, z_5, t)$  is positive if the coefficients of  $z_2^2$  satisfy the inequality (5).

If  $z_5 = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} &F(z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, 0, t) \\ &= \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3|t|\mu^r)z_1^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2|t|\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_2^2 \\ &\quad + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1|t|\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_3^2 + \mu^{-r}(3 + |t|)z_4^2 \\ &\quad - 2c_1z_1z_2 - 2c_2z_1z_3 - 2c_2z_2z_3 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_2z_4 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_3z_4 \\ &= \mu^{-r}(1 + c_3|t|\mu^r)z_1^2 + c_3z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}z_3^2 + 3\mu^{-r}z_4^2 + c_1(z_1 - z_2)^2 + c_2(z_1 - z_3)^2 \\ &\quad + c_2(|t|z_2 - z_3)^2 + (c_1|t| - c_2)z_3^2 + \mu^{-r}(z_2 - c_1\mu^r\operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}\frac{|t|}{2} - \mu^r c_1^2\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2 \\ &\quad + c_3(z_3 - \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}\frac{|t|}{2} - c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2. \end{aligned}$$

The function  $F(z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, 0, t)$  is positive whenever the coefficients of  $z_3^2$  satisfy (4) while the coefficients  $z_4^2$  satisfy the inequalities (2) and (3).

Now let  $z_i \neq 0, i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$  and assume that there exist  $z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5 \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $t \in \mathbb{C}$  such that  $z_1 \neq 0$  and  $F(z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5, t) < 0$ . Since  $0 < \mu < 1$  and  $c_1, c_2 \geq 0$ ,

then

$$\begin{aligned}
 &F(z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5, t) \\
 &= \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3|t|\mu^r)z_1^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2|t|\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_2^2 \\
 &\quad + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1|t|\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_3^2 + \mu^{-r}(3 + |t|)z_4^2 + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 \\
 &\quad - 2c_1z_1z_2 - 2c_2z_1z_3 - 2c_2z_2z_3 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_2z_4 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_3z_4 - 2\mu\operatorname{Re}(t)z_1z_5 \\
 &= c_3|t|z_1^2 + \mu^{-r}z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}z_3^2 + 3\mu^{-r}z_4^2 + (c_1 + c_2 + c_3)z_5^2 + c_1(z_1 - z_2)^2 + c_2(c_1 - c_3)^2 \\
 &\quad + c_2(|t|z_2 - z_3)^2 + (c_1|t| - c_2)z_3^2 + c_3(z_2 - \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}\frac{|t|}{2} - c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2 \\
 &\quad + c_3(z_3 - \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}\frac{|t|}{2} - c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2 \\
 &\quad + \mu^{-r}(z_1 - \mu^{1+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)z_5)^2 + (|t|\mu^{-r} - \mu^{2+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_5^2 < 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

The function  $F(z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5, t) < 0$  is a contradiction when the inequalities (2) and (4) hold. Thus,  $F(z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5, t) \geq 0$  for every  $z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5 \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $t \in \mathbb{C}$  ■

**Proposition 2.2** Let  $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$  satisfy the conditions in Lemma 2.1. The linear map  $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$  is positive if  $c_1 \geq c_2$ .

**Proof.** We need to show that

$$\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)} \left( \begin{pmatrix} q \\ s \\ u \\ t \end{pmatrix} (\bar{q} \ \bar{s} \ \bar{u} \ \bar{t}) \right) \in \mathcal{M}_5^+$$

for every  $q, s, u, t \in \mathbb{C}$ ; that is,

$$\begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ z_3 \\ z_4 \\ z_5 \end{pmatrix}^T \begin{pmatrix} p_1 & -c_1q\bar{s} & -c_2q\bar{u} & 0 & -\mu q\bar{t} \\ -c_1s\bar{q} & p_2 & -c_2s\bar{u} & -c_3s\bar{t} & 0 \\ -c_2u\bar{q} & -c_2u\bar{s} & p_3 & -c_3u\bar{t} & 0 \\ 0 & -c_3t\bar{s} & -c_3t\bar{u} & p_4 & 0 \\ -\mu t\bar{q} & 0 & 0 & 0 & p_5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ z_3 \\ z_4 \\ z_5 \end{pmatrix} \geq 0, \tag{6}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 p_1 &= \mu^{-r}(|q| + |s|c_1\mu^r + |u|c_2\mu^r + c_3|t|\mu^r), \\
 p_2 &= \mu^{-r}(|s| + |u|c_1\mu^r + c_2|t|\mu^r + |q|c_3\mu^r), \\
 p_3 &= \mu^{-r}(|u| + c_1|t|\mu^r + |q|c_2\mu^r + |s|c_3\mu^r), \\
 p_4 &= \mu^{-r}(|q| + |s| + |u| + |t|), \\
 p_5 &= \mu^{-r}(|t| + |q|c_1\mu^r + |s|c_2\mu^r + |u|c_3\mu^r)
 \end{aligned}$$

for every  $z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5 \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $q, s, u, t \in \mathbb{C}$ .

For  $q, s$  and  $u$  are not equal to zero, assume that  $q = s = u = 1$ . Then, by Lemma 2.1,

$$z^T \phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)} \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ t \end{pmatrix} (1 \ 1 \ 1 \ \bar{t}) \right) z$$

is positive for every  $z = (z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5) \in \mathbb{R}^5$  and  $t \in \mathbb{C}$ . Taking  $q = s = u = 0$ , we have

$$c_3|t|z_1^2 + c_2|t|z_2^2 + c_1|t|z_3^2 + \mu^{-r}|t|z_4^2 + \mu^{-r}|t|z_5^2 \geq 0.$$

If  $u = 0$  and  $0 < \mu < 1$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_3|t|\mu^r)z_1^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_2|t|\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_2^2 + (c_1|t| + c_2 + c_3)z_3^2 \\ & + \mu^{-r}(2 + |t|)z_4^2 + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_1\mu^r + c_2\mu^r)z_5^2 - 2c_1z_1z_2 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_2z_4 - 2\mu\operatorname{Re}(t)z_1z_5 \\ & = c_3|t|z_1^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_2|t|)z_2^2 + (c_1|t| + c_2 + c_3)z_3^2 + 2\mu^{-r}z_4^2 + (c_1 + c_2)z_5^2 \\ & + c_1(z_1 - z_2)^2 + (\mu^{-r} - c_1)z_2^2 + c_3(z_2 - \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}|t| - c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2 \\ & + \mu^{-r}(z_1 - \mu^{1+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)z_5)^2 + (|t|\mu^{-r} - \mu^{2+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_5^2 \end{aligned}$$

is positive when the inequalities (2) and (3) are satisfied.

Let  $s = 0$ . Since  $0 < \mu < 1$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \mu^{-r}(1 + c_2\mu^r + c_3|t|\mu^r)z_1^2 + (c_1 + c_2|t| + c_3)z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1|t|\mu^r + c_2\mu^r)z_3^2 \\ & + \mu^{-r}(2 + |t|)z_4^2 + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_1\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 - 2z_2z_3c_2 - 2z_3z_4c_3\operatorname{Re}(t) - 2z_1z_5\mu\operatorname{Re}(t) \\ & = c_3|t|z_1^2 + (c_1 + c_2|t| + c_3)z_2^2 + c_1|t|z_3^2 + 2\mu^{-r}z_4^2 + (c_1 + c_3)z_5^2 + c_2(z_1 - z_3)^2 \\ & + \mu^{-r}(z_3 - \mu^r c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + (\mu^{-r}|t| - \mu^r c_3^2\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_4^2 \\ & + \mu^{-r}(z_1 - \mu^{1+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)z_5)^2 + (|t|\mu^{-r} - \mu^{2+r}\operatorname{Re}(t)^2)z_5^2 \end{aligned}$$

is positive when the inequality (4) hold.

If  $q = 0$  and  $0 < \mu < 1$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & (c_1 + c_2 + c_3|t|)z_1^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_2|t|\mu^r)z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}(1 + c_1\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_3^2 \\ & + \mu^{-r}(2 + |t|)z_4^2 + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 - 2c_2z_2z_3 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_2z_4 - 2c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_3z_4 \\ & = (c_1 + c_2 + c_3|t|)z_1^2 + c_1z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}z_3^2 + 2\mu^{-r}z_4^2 + \mu^{-r}(|t| + c_2\mu^r + c_3\mu^r)z_5^2 \\ & + c_2(|t|z_2 - z_3)^2 + \left(\frac{c_1}{c_2} - 1\right)z_2^2 + \mu^{-r}(z_2 - \mu^r c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 \\ & + \left(\mu^{-r}\frac{|t|}{2} - \mu^r c_3^2\operatorname{Re}(t)^2\right)z_4^2 + c_3(z_3 - \operatorname{Re}(t)z_4)^2 + \left(\mu^{-r}\frac{|t|}{2} - c_3\operatorname{Re}(t)^2\right)z_4^2 \end{aligned}$$

is positive when inequalities (2) and  $c_1 \geq c_2$  hold. ■

### 3. Completely positivity

The tensor product of positive semidefinite matrices  $\mathcal{M}_n$  and  $\mathcal{M}_{n+1}$  is isomorphic to the block matrices  $\mathcal{M}_n(\mathcal{M}_{n+1})$ .

$$\mathcal{M}_n \otimes \mathcal{M}_{n+1} \cong \mathcal{M}_n(\mathcal{M}_{n+1}) \cong \mathcal{M}_2(\mathcal{M}_{m+1}) \text{ for some } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

By the isomorphism and canonical shuffling we present the structure of the Choi matrix  $C_{\phi_{(\mu, c_1, \dots, c_n)}}$  as

$$C_{\phi} = \left( \begin{array}{cc|cc} a & C_{1 \times m} & 0 & Y_{1 \times m} \\ C_{m \times 1}^* & B_{m \times m} & Z_{m \times 1}^* & T_{m \times m} \\ \hline 0 & Z_{1 \times m} & d & F_{1 \times m} \\ Y_{m \times 1}^* & T_{m \times m}^* & F_{m \times 1}^* & U_{m \times m} \end{array} \right), \tag{7}$$

where  $a, d$  are positive real numbers while  $B, U$  and  $T$  are positive semidefinite matrices in  $\mathcal{M}_m$  and  $C, Y, Z$  are vectors in  $\mathbb{C}^m$ . By  $\bar{c}_{ij}$  we denote the conjugate of  $c_{ij} \in \mathbb{C}$  while conjugate transpose of a matrix  $C$  is denoted by  $C^*$ . Recall a classical result,

**Theorem 3.1** [4] Let  $S$  be an invertible matrix. The self-adjoint block matrix  $M = \begin{pmatrix} S & P \\ P^* & Q \end{pmatrix}$

- (i) is positive if and only if  $S$  is positive and  $P^*S^{-1}P \leq Q$ .
- (ii)  $\det M = (\det S) \det(Q - P^*S^{-1}P)$ .

**Remark 1** For  $M = \begin{pmatrix} s & \vec{p} \\ \vec{p}^* & Q \end{pmatrix}$ ,

$$\det M = (\det S) \det(Q - P^*S^{-1}P) = s \det(Q - \vec{p}^*s^{-1}\vec{p}) \geq 0$$

if and only if  $sQ - \vec{p}^*\vec{p} \geq 0$ .

The Choi result in [1] shows that a positive map is completely positive if and only if the Choi matrix is positive semidefinite. We look at the conditions for 2-positive, complete positivity and complete copositivity of this map by applying Remark 1 the matrix (7). Then Propositions 3.1 and 3.2 in [12] can be stated as the following:

**Proposition 3.2** Let  $\phi : \mathcal{M}_n \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{n+1}$  be a 2-positive map with the Choi matrix of the form (7).  $\phi$  is completely positive if the following conditions hold:

- (i)  $Z = 0$ ;
- (ii)  $C^*C \leq aB$ ;
- (iii)  $Y^*Y \leq aU$ ;
- (iv) if  $B$  is invertible, then  $T^*B^{-1}T \leq U$ .

**Proposition 3.3** Let  $\phi : \mathcal{M}_n \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{n+1}$  be a 2-positive map with the Choi matrix of the form (7).  $\phi$  is completely copositive if the following conditions hold.

- (i)  $Y = 0$ ;
- (ii)  $CC^* \leq aB$ ;
- (iii)  $ZZ^* \leq aU$ ;
- (iv) if  $B$  is invertible, then  $TB^{-1}T^* = U$ .

**Remark 2**

- (1) The transposition in this case implies the partial positive transpose of the Choi

matrix  $C_\phi \in \mathcal{M}_n(\mathcal{M}_{n+1})$ . The transposition is operated with respect to the blocks  $\mathcal{M}_n$ . This leads to the partial positive transpose Choi matrix  $C_\phi^\Gamma \in \mathcal{M}_n(\mathcal{M}_{n+1})$  with the structure

$$C_\phi^\Gamma = \left( \begin{array}{cc|cc} a & C_{1 \times m}^* & 0 & Z_{1 \times m}^* \\ C_{m \times 1} & B_{m \times m} & Y_{m \times 1} & T_{m \times m}^* \\ \hline 0 & Y_{1 \times m}^* & d & F_{1 \times m} \\ Z_{m \times 1} & T_{m \times m} & F_{m \times 1}^* & U_{m \times m} \end{array} \right) \in \mathcal{M}_n(\mathcal{M}_{n+1}). \tag{8}$$

(2) The proof of  $F^*F \geq dU$  which we include in our paper follows from the proof of Remark 1 of Theorem 3.1.

### 3.1 Completely positivity of $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$

**Proposition 3.4** Let  $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$  be a positive map given by (1). Then the following conditions are equivalent:

- (i)  $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$  is completely positive.
- (ii)  $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$  is 2-positive.

**Proof.** (i)  $\Rightarrow$  (ii). Assume  $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$  is 2-positive. Consider a rank one matrix  $P = [x_i x_j]$  a positive element in  $\mathcal{M}_2(\mathcal{M}_5(\mathbb{C}))$ , where  $x_i = (1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1)^T$ . We have

$$\mathcal{I}_2 \otimes \phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}(P) = \left( \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} \mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_1 & -c_2 & \cdot & -\mu \\ \cdot & c_3 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \hline \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ -c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} & -c_2 & -c_3 & \cdot \\ -c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_2 & \mu^{-r} & -c_3 & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_3 & -c_3 & \mu^{-r} & \cdot \\ -\mu & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} \end{array} \right) \tag{9}$$

in  $\mathcal{M}_2(\mathcal{M}_5(\mathbb{C}))$ , where zeros are replaced by dots.

Since  $\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}$  is 2-positive, the above matrix is positive definite. Therefore,

$$\begin{vmatrix} \mu^{-r} & -c_1 & -c_2 & \cdot & \mu \\ -c_1 & \mu^{-r} & -c_2 & -c_3 & \cdot \\ -c_2 & -c_2 & \mu^{-r} & -c_3 & \cdot \\ \cdot & -c_3 & -c_3 & \mu^{-r} & \cdot \\ \mu & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu \end{vmatrix} \geq 0 \tag{10}$$

and

$$\mu^{-r} > c_1, \mu^{-r} > c_2 \text{ and } \mu^{-r} \geq 2c_3 \tag{11}$$

hold.





The inequality  $dU \geq 0$  holds when  $\mu^{-r} > c_3$ . For

$$aU - Y^*Y = \begin{pmatrix} c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \mu^{-2r} - c_2^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \mu^{-2r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-2r} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-2r} - \mu^2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

the matrix  $aU - Y^*Y$  is positive when  $\mu^{-2r} > c_2^2 + c_3^2$  holds. Since  $c_3 \geq c_1 \geq c_2$ , the maximum value of  $c_2^2 + c_3^2$  is attained when  $c_3 = c_2$ . Therefore,  $\mu^{-2r} > c_2^2 + c_3^2 \leq c_3^2 + c_3^2 = 2c_3^2$ , where  $\mu^{-r} \geq 2c_3$ .

$$U - T^*BT = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_1 - c_2^2\mu^r - c_3^2\mu^r & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r} & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

All the principal minors of  $U - TB^{-1}T$  are positive when  $c_1\mu^{-r} - (c_2^2 + c_3^2) > 0$ . It is clear that  $c_3 \geq c_1 \geq c_2$ , so

$$c_1\mu^{-r} - (c_2^2 + c_3^2) < c_3\mu^{-r} - (c_3^2 + c_3^2) = c_3\mu^{-r} - 2c_3^2 > 0.$$

This implies that  $\mu^{-r} > 2c_3$ . Hence the set of inequalities (11) are satisfied, consequently  $C_{\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}}$  is positive semidefinite. Hence, complete positivity of  $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  follows. ■

### 3.2 Completely copositivity of $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$

**Proposition 3.5** Let  $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  be a positive map given by (1). The positive map  $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is completely copositive if the following conditions holds:

- (i)  $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is 2-copositive.
- (ii)  $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is completely copositive.

**Proof.** Assume  $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is 2-copositive. Consider a rank one matrix  $P$  an element in

$\mathcal{M}_2(\mathcal{M}_5(\mathbb{C}))$  where  $x_i = (1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1)^T$ , we have

$$\tau_2 \otimes \phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}(P) = \left( \begin{array}{cccccc|cccc} \mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & c_3 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_1 & -\mu & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \hline \cdot & -c_1 & -c_2 & \cdot & -\mu & c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} & -c_2 & -c_3 & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_2 & \mu^{-r} & -c_3 & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_3 & -c_3 & \mu^{-r} & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} \end{array} \right) \tag{12}$$

in  $\mathcal{M}_2(\mathcal{M}_5(\mathbb{C}))$ . By computation of the minors,  $\tau_2 \otimes \phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}(P)$  is positive semidefinite on condition that

$$\mu^{-r} > c_1, \mu^{-r} > c_2, \mu^{-r} \geq 2c_3, c_3 \geq c_1 \text{ and } c_1 \geq c_2 \tag{13}$$

hold. The choi matrix  $C_{\phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}}^\Gamma$  is

$$\left( \begin{array}{cccccccc|cccccccc} \mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & c_3 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & -c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -\mu & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_3 & \cdot & \cdot & -c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_3 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \hline \cdot & \cdot & -c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \hline \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} & \cdot & -c_3 & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_3 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_3 & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -\mu & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_2 & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_3 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & c_1 & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \mu^{-r} \end{array} \right).$$

Since  $a \geq 0$  and  $C = 0$ , we have

$$aB - CC^* = \mu^{-r} \begin{pmatrix} c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The inequality  $aB - CC^* \geq 0$  hold when  $c_3 \geq c_1$ .

Since  $F$  is a zero matrix,  $dU - FF^*$  is positive when the inequality  $c_1\mu^{-r} > c_3^2$  hold.

$$aU - ZZ^* = \begin{pmatrix} \mu^{-r}c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \mu^{-2r} - c_1^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \mu^{-2r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r}c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r}c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r}c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r}c_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-2r} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-2r} \end{pmatrix}.$$

The matrix is positive when the inequality  $c_1\mu^{-r} > c_2^2$  holds.

Finally,

$$U - TB^{-1}T^* = \begin{pmatrix} c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c_3 & 0 & 0 & \frac{-c_2\mu}{c_1+c_3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{c_1^2+c_1c_3-c_2^2}{c_1+c_3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3\mu^{1+r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r} - c_3^2\mu^r & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \mu^{-r} \end{pmatrix}.$$

The minors of  $U - TB^{-1}T^*$  are nonnegative when the inequalities  $\mu^{-r} > c_3$ ,  $c_1 \geq c_2$  and  $c_1\mu^{-r} > c_3^2$  hold. ■

**Example 3.6** The linear map  $\phi_{(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{3}{4})}$  is completely positive and completely copositive for  $r \geq 1$ .

### 4. Construction of a decomposable map

Given the positive map  $\phi : \mathcal{M}_n \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{n+1}$ . Our aim is to construct a new map  $\Phi : \mathcal{M}_n \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{n+1}$  by means of the given map  $\phi$  such that  $\Phi_1 = \phi(X)$  and  $\Phi_2 = \phi(X^T)$ . It is clear that the Hermitian conjugation and transposition transform column-vectors into row-vectors and vice-versa.

**Definition 4.1** By a merging of the maps  $\Phi_1$  and  $\Phi_2$ , we can define

$$\Phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)} : \mathcal{M}_4(\mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_5(\mathbb{C}),$$

$$X \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 2P_1 & -c_1(x_1\bar{x}_2+x_2\bar{x}_1) & -c_2(x_1\bar{x}_3+x_3\bar{x}_1) & 0 & -\mu(x_1\bar{x}_4+x_4\bar{x}_1) \\ -c_1(x_2\bar{x}_1+x_1\bar{x}_2) & 2P_2 & -c_2(x_2\bar{x}_3+x_3\bar{x}_2) & -c_3(x_2\bar{x}_4+x_4\bar{x}_2) & 0 \\ -c_2(x_3\bar{x}_1+x_1\bar{x}_3) & -c_2(x_3\bar{x}_2+x_2\bar{x}_3) & 2P_3 & -c_3(x_3\bar{x}_4+x_4\bar{x}_3) & 0 \\ 0 & -c_3(x_4\bar{x}_2+x_2\bar{x}_4) & -c_3(x_4\bar{x}_3+x_3\bar{x}_4) & 2P_4 & 0 \\ -\mu(x_4\bar{x}_1+x_1\bar{x}_4) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2P_5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (14)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_1 &= \mu^{-r}(|x_1| + c_1|x_2|\mu^r + c_2|x_3|\mu^r + c_3|x_4|\mu^r), \\
 P_2 &= \mu^{-r}(|x_2| + c_1|x_3|\mu^r + |x_4|c_2\mu^r + |x_1|c_3\mu^r), \\
 P_3 &= \mu^{-r}(|x_3| + c_1|x_1|\mu^r + |x_2|c_2\mu^r + |x_3|c_3\mu^r), \\
 P_4 &= \mu^{-r}(|x_1| + |x_2| + |x_3| + |x_4|), \\
 P_5 &= \mu^r(|x_4| + c_1|x_1|\mu^r + c_2|x_2|\mu^r + c_3|x_4|\mu^r).
 \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 4.2** The linear map  $\Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is positive.

**Proof.** Let  $b_{ij} = x_i\bar{x}_j + x_j\bar{x}_i$ . Then the map (14) reduces to

$$\Phi(X) = \begin{pmatrix} 2P_1 & -c_1b_{12} & -c_2b_{12} & 0 & -\mu b_{14} \\ -c_1b_{21} & 2P_2 & -c_2b_{23} & -c_3b_{24} & 0 \\ -c_2b_{31} & -c_2b_{32} & 2P_3 & -c_3b_{34} & 0 \\ 0 & -c_3b_{42} & -c_3b_{43} & 2P_4 & 0 \\ -\mu b_{41} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2P_5 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The proof follows from Proposition 2.2. ■

**Proposition 4.3** The linear map  $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is 2-positive (2-copositive).

**Proof.** Let  $\Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  be positive. We have that  $\mathcal{I}_2 \otimes \Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}(X)$  is the matrix

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccccc|ccccc} 2\mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_1 & -c_2 & \cdot & -\mu \\ \cdot & 2c_3 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & 2c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & -c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & 2\mu^{-r} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & 2c_1 & -\mu & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \hline \cdot & -c_1 & -c_2 & \cdot & -\mu & 2c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ -c_1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & 2\mu^{-r} & -2c_2 & -2c_3 & \cdot \\ -c_2 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -2c_2 & 2\mu^{-r} & -2c_3 & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & -2c_3 & -2c_3 & 2\mu^{-r} & \cdot \\ -\mu & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & 2\mu^{-r} \end{array} \right). \tag{15}$$

Since  $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is 2-positive, the matrix  $\mathcal{I}_2 \otimes \Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}(X)$  is positive definite. Therefore,

$$\mu^{-r} > c_1, \mu^{-r} > c_2, \mu^{-r} > c_3, c_3 \geq c_1, c_1 \geq \mu, c_1 \geq c_2$$

hold. ■

**Proposition 4.4** The linear map  $\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is completely positive (completely copositive).

**Proof.** The computation of the Choi matrix of the linear map  $\Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  gives

$C_{\Phi_{(\mu, c_1, c_2, c_3)}}$  as

$$\left( \begin{array}{cccccccc|cccccccc} 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\mu \\ 0 & 2c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\mu & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$


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$$\left( \begin{array}{cccccccc|cccccccc} 0 & 0 & -c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\mu & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} \\ -\mu & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} \end{array} \right)$$

and

$$aB - C^*C = \begin{pmatrix} 4c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4c_2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} - c_1^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_2\mu^{-r} & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The matrix is positive when  $2\mu^{-r} > c_1$  and  $4c_3 \geq c_1$ .

$$dU = 2c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 2c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$dU \geq 0$  is positive when  $4\mu^{-r} > c_3$  and  $4c_1\mu^{-r} > c_3^2$ .

$$aU - Y^*Y = \begin{pmatrix} 4c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} - c_2^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2c_3\mu^{-r} & -c_2\mu & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_4\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -c_2\mu & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} - \mu^2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

is positive when  $2\mu^{-r} > c_2$ ,  $4\mu^{-2r} > c_2^2 + c_3^2$  and  $4\mu^{-2r} > c_2^2 + \mu^2$  holds.

$$aU - Z^*Z = \begin{pmatrix} 4c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} - c_2^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_4\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4c_1\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2c_3\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4\mu^{-2r} - \mu^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

is positive when  $2\mu^{-r} > c_2$  and  $4\mu^{-2r} > c_2^2 + c_3^2$  holds.

$$U - TB^{-1}T^* = \begin{pmatrix} 2c_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} & 0 & 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_3 & 0 & 0 & \frac{c_2\mu}{c_1+c_3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_2 - \frac{1}{2}(c_2 + c_3\mu^r) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -c_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2c_1 - \frac{c_2^2}{c_1+c_3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -c_3 & 0 & \frac{1}{2}c_3\mu^{r+1} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} - \frac{1}{2}c_3^2\mu^r & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\mu^{-r} \end{pmatrix}.$$

The minors of  $U - TB^{-1}T^*$  are nonnegative when the inequalities  $2\mu^{-r} > c_3$ ,  $c_1 \geq c_2$  and  $4c_1\mu^{-r} > c_3^2$  hold. ■

**Proposition 4.5** The linear map  $\Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is decomposable.

**Proof.** From Proposition 4.5,  $\Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is 2-positive (2-copositive) and complete positivity is equivalent to complete copositivity. Observe that the sum of  $C_{\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}}$  in Proposition 3.4 and  $C_{\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}}^\Gamma$  in Proposition 3.5 is given by  $C_{\Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}}$ . That is,  $C_{\Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}}^\Gamma = C_{\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}} + C_{\phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}}^\Gamma$ . Therefore,  $\Phi_{(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  is decomposable with  $\phi_{1(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  2-positive and  $\phi_{2(\mu,c_1,c_2,c_3)}$  2-copositive. ■

**Proposition 4.6** Let  $\phi$  be linear map in  $\mathbf{B}(\mathcal{M}_n(\mathbb{C}), \mathcal{M}_m(\mathbb{C}))$ . If the matrix transpose of  $[\phi(x_{ij})]$  is equal to  $[\phi(x_{ji})]$ , then  $\phi$  decomposable.

**Proof.** Assume that  $\mathcal{M}_n \subset \mathbf{B}(\mathcal{S})$  for some Hilbert space  $\mathcal{S}$ . Let

$$S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & x^T \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{M}_2(\mathbf{B}(\mathcal{S})) : x \in \mathcal{M}_n \right\}, \tag{16}$$

where  $T$  represents the transposition map with respect to some orthonormal basis in  $\mathcal{S}$ . Then  $S$  is a self-adjoint subspace of  $\mathcal{M}_2(\mathbf{B}(\mathcal{S}))$  with the identity. One can observe that both  $[x_{ij}]$  and  $[x_{ji}]$  are in  $\mathcal{M}_k(\mathcal{M}_n)^+$  if and only if

$$\begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & x_{11}^T \end{bmatrix} & \cdots & \begin{bmatrix} x_{1k} & 0 \\ 0 & x_{1k}^T \end{bmatrix} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \begin{bmatrix} x_{k1} & 0 \\ 0 & x_{k1}^T \end{bmatrix} & \cdots & \begin{bmatrix} x_{kk} & 0 \\ 0 & x_{kk}^T \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{M}_K(\mathcal{S})^+.$$

Therefore,  $\phi$  is  $k$ -positive. Since  $[\phi(x_{ij})] = [x_{ij}]^T = [x_{ji}] = [\phi(x_{ji})] \in \mathcal{M}_k(\mathcal{A})^+$ . By [10, Theorem 1],  $\phi$  is decomposable. ■

**Conjecture 4.7** If  $\phi$  is a linear map in  $\mathbf{B}(\mathcal{A}, \mathbf{B}(\mathcal{H}))$  and is decomposable to a 2-positive map  $\phi_1$  and a 2-copositive map  $\phi_2$  such that  $\phi_1, \phi_2 : \mathcal{A} \longrightarrow \mathbf{B}(\mathcal{H})$ . Then  $\phi_1$  is also 2-decomposable whenever  $C_\phi$  is equal to  $C_\phi^T$ .

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