

# INCLUSIONS OF UNITAL $C^*$ -ALGEBRAS OF INDEX-FINITE TYPE WITH DEPTH 2 INDUCED BY SATURATED ACTIONS OF FINITE DIMENSIONAL $C^*$ -HOPF ALGEBRAS

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## Abstract

Let  $B$  be a unital  $C^*$ -algebra and  $H$  a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra with its dual  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra  $H^0$ . We suppose that there is a saturated action of  $H$  on  $B$  and we denote by  $A$  its fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $B$ . Let  $E$  be the canonical conditional expectation from  $B$  onto  $A$ . In the present paper, we shall give a necessary and sufficient condition that there are a weak action of  $H^0$  on  $A$  and a unitary cocycle  $\sigma$  of  $H^0 \otimes H^0$  to  $A$  satisfying that there is an isomorphism  $\pi$  of  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  onto  $B$ , which is the twisted crossed product of  $A$  by the weak action of  $H^0$  on  $A$  and the unitary cocycle  $\sigma$ , such that  $F = E \circ \pi$ , where  $F$  is the canonical conditional expectation from  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  onto  $A$ .

## 1. Introduction

Let  $A \subset B$  be an irreducible and index-finite inclusion of unital  $C^*$ -algebras of depth 2. If  $A$  and  $B$  are factors then  $B$  is isomorphic to a crossed product of  $A$  by an (outer) action of a finite dimensional Kac ( $C^*$ -Hopf) algebra ([8], [13]). Izumi showed in [2] that if  $A$  and  $B$  are unital simple  $C^*$ -algebras then there is an action of a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra  $H$  on  $B$  such that  $A$  is the fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra  $B^H$ . But  $B$  is not represented by a crossed product of  $A$  by an action of the dual  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra  $H^0$  in general ([4], [5]). We give an example as follows: Let  $\theta$  be an irrational number in  $(0, 1)$  and  $A_{\theta}$  the corresponding irrational rotation  $C^*$ -algebra generated by unitary elements  $\{u, v\}$  satisfying  $uv = e^{2\pi\theta}vu$ . For  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  we define an outer automorphism  $\sigma$  by  $\sigma(u) = e^{\frac{2\pi}{n}i}u$  and  $\sigma(v) = v$  and an action  $\alpha$  of  $\mathbf{Z}/n\mathbf{Z}$  by  $\alpha_k = \sigma^k$  for  $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1$ . It is easy to see that the fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra is  $A_{n\theta}$  generated by  $u^n$  and  $v$ . Then the inclusion  $A_{n\theta} \subset A_{\theta}$  is irreducible, of depth 2 and of Watatani index  $n$ . The dual group of  $\mathbf{Z}/n\mathbf{Z}$  is also  $\mathbf{Z}/n\mathbf{Z}$ . Suppose that  $A_{\theta}$  is isomorphic to a crossed product  $A_{n\theta} \rtimes_{\beta} \mathbf{Z}/n\mathbf{Z}$  of  $A_{n\theta}$  by an outer action

$\beta$  of  $\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$  on  $A_{n\theta}$ . Let  $w$  be a unitary element in  $A_{n\theta} \rtimes_{\beta} \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$  implementing  $\beta$ , i.e.,  $w^n = 1$  and  $w^k x w^{k*} = \beta_k(x)$  for  $x \in A_{n\theta}$  ( $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1$ ). We can define a trace  $\tilde{\tau}$  on  $A_{n\theta} \rtimes_{\beta} \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$  by  $\tilde{\tau}(w^k) = 0$  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$  and  $\tilde{\tau}(x) = \tau(x)$  for  $x \in A_{n\theta}$ , where  $\tau$  is the unique tracial state on  $A_{n\theta}$ . Put  $p = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} w^k$ . Then  $p$  is a projection in  $A_{n\theta} \rtimes_{\beta} \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$  with  $\tilde{\tau}(p) = \frac{1}{n}$ . Since  $A_{\theta}$  has the unique tracial state and its values for projections in  $A_{\theta}$  is  $(\theta\mathbb{Z} + \mathbb{Z}) \cap [0, 1]$ ,  $A_{\theta}$  is not isomorphic to  $A_{n\theta} \rtimes_{\beta} \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$ .

In factor cases, Kosaki ([7]) gave a necessary and sufficient condition for  $B$  to be characterized by a crossed product by a finite group as follows:

$$(1.1) \quad A' \cap B = \mathbf{C}1 \text{ and } A' \cap B_1 \text{ is commutative,}$$

where  $B_1$  is the  $C^*$ -basic construction for  $A \subset B$ . We can see that the above example  $A_{n\theta} \subset A_{\theta}$  satisfies Condition (1.1). So this characterization does not hold in  $C^*$ -algebras. However,  $A_{\theta}$  can be represented by a twisted crossed product  $A_{n\theta} \rtimes_{\beta, w} \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$  of  $A_{n\theta}$  by a twisted action  $(\beta, w)$ . In the previous paper [6], we showed that  $B$  is described by a twisted crossed product of  $A$  by its twisted action of a finite group if and only if the inclusion  $A \subset B$  satisfies Condition (1.1) and all the minimal projections in  $A' \cap B_1$  are Murray-von Neumann equivalent in  $B_1$ .

In [1], Blattner, Cohen and Montgomery defined a weak action of Hopf algebras, which is a generalization of twisted group actions. Let  $H$  be a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra. We suppose that there is a saturated action of  $H$  on  $B$  defined in Szymański and Peligrad [14]. Let  $A$  be the fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra  $B^H$  and  $E$  the canonical conditional expectation from  $B$  onto  $A$ . Let  $B \rtimes H$  be the crossed product of  $B$  by the action of  $H$  on  $B$ , which is defined in [14]. In [14], they showed that  $B \rtimes H$  is isomorphic to  $B_1$ , the  $C^*$ -basic construction induced by  $E$ . Let  $\rho$  be the coaction of  $B_1$  to  $B_1 \otimes H$  defined by  $\rho(b \rtimes h) = \sum_{(h)} (b \rtimes h_{(1)}) \otimes h_{(2)}$  for  $b \in B$  and  $h \in H$ , where we identify  $B_1$  with  $B \rtimes H$  and  $\Delta(h) = \sum_{(h)} h_{(1)} \otimes h_{(2)}$ ,  $\Delta$  is the comultiplication of  $H$ . Our main result, Theorem 6.4, is that  $B$  can be represented by the twisted crossed product  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  if and only if  $\rho(e_A)$  and  $e_A \otimes 1$  are Murray-von Neumann equivalent, written  $\rho(e_A) \sim e_A \otimes 1$  in  $B_1 \otimes H$ , where  $H^0$  is the dual  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra of  $H$  and  $e_A$  is the Jones projection for  $A \subset B$ .

This paper is organized as follows: Section 2 consists of preliminaries containing definitions and fundamental matters of finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebras and their weak actions. In Section 3 we define a unitary cocycle for a weak action of a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra and discuss about a twisted crossed product. In Section 4 we suppose that  $\rho(e_A) \sim e_A \otimes 1$  in  $B_1 \otimes H$ . We prove that there is a unitary element  $u \in B \otimes H$  such that  $\rho(e_A) = u^*(e_A \otimes 1)u$  and we give some properties of this unitary element. In Section 5 we construct

a weak action of  $H^0$  on  $A$  under the condition that  $\rho(e_A) \sim e_A \otimes 1$  in  $B_1 \otimes H$ . In Section 6 we prove the main result, Theorem 6.4. Using this theorem we prove that  $B$  can be represented by a crossed product  $A \rtimes H^0$  if and only if there is a tunnel construction  $P \subset A$  for  $A \subset B$  (Proposition 6.8). From this result, we can see that  $B$  always can be represented by  $A \rtimes H^0$  and that any unitary cocycle is coboundary if  $A \subset B$  are factors ([9], [11]).

**2. Preliminaries on finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebras**

Following [14], we shall state the definition of a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra and its basic properties. Throughout this paper,  $H$  denotes a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra.

DEFINITION 2.1. We say that a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -algebra  $H$  is a  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra if  $H$  has the following properties.

- (1) There exist linear maps;
  - (a) comultiplication  $\Delta : H \rightarrow H \otimes H$ ,
  - (b) counit  $\epsilon : H \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,
  - (c) antipode  $S : H \rightarrow H$ ,  $\Delta$  and  $\epsilon$  are  $C^*$ -algebra homomorphisms and  $S$  is a  $*$ -preserving antimultiplicative involution. We have  $\Delta(1) = 1 \otimes 1$ ,  $\epsilon(1) = 1$  and  $S(1) = 1$ , where 1 is the unit element in  $H$ .
- (2) The following identities hold;
  - (a)  $(\Delta \otimes \text{id}) \circ \Delta = (\text{id} \otimes \Delta) \circ \Delta$ ,
  - (b)  $(\epsilon \otimes \text{id}) \circ \Delta = (\text{id} \otimes \epsilon) \circ \Delta = \text{id}$ , where  $\mathbb{C} \otimes H$  and  $H \otimes \mathbb{C}$  are identified with  $H$ ,
  - (c)  $(m \circ (S \otimes \text{id}))(\Delta(h)) = \epsilon(h) = (m \circ (\text{id} \otimes S))(\Delta(h))$  for any  $h \in H$ , where  $m : H \otimes H \rightarrow H$  denotes the multiplication.

We shall use Sweedler’s notation  $\Delta(h) = h_{(1)} \otimes h_{(2)}$  for  $h \in H$  which suppresses a possible summation when we write the comultiplications. By [14, Theorem 2.2] or Woronowicz [16], there is the Haar trace  $\tau$  on  $H$  such that  $(\tau \otimes \text{id})(\Delta(h)) = \tau(h)1 = (\text{id} \otimes \tau)(\Delta(h))$  for any  $h \in H$ .

Let  $H^0$  be the linear space of linear functionals on  $H$ . By [14, Proposition 2.3],  $H^0$  has a  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra structure. We regard  $H^0$  as a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra by this structure. We denote its comultiplication, counit, antipode and so on by  $\Delta^0, \epsilon^0, S^0$  and so on.

Since  $H$  is a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -algebra,  $H \cong \bigoplus_{k=1}^N M_{d_k}(\mathbb{C})$  as  $C^*$ -algebras, where for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , we denote by  $M_n(\mathbb{C})$  the  $n \times n$ -matrix algebra over  $\mathbb{C}$ . Let  $\{v_{ij}^k\}_{i,j=1}^{d_k}$  be a system of matrix units of a  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $H$  isomorphic to  $M_{d_k}(\mathbb{C})$  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$ . Also, let  $\{w_{ij}^k \mid k = 1, 2, \dots, N, i, j =$

$1, 2, \dots, d_k\}$  be a basis of  $H$  satisfying [14, Theorem 2.2,2]. We call it a *system of comatrix units* of  $H$ . By [14, Theorem 2.2] or [16], there is a minimal and central projection  $e$  in  $H$ , called *the distinguished projection* such that  $he = \epsilon(h)e$  for any  $h \in H$ . By [14, Proposition 2.10] and the discussions below it,

$$\Delta(e) = \sum_{i,j,k} \frac{1}{d_k} v_{ji}^k \otimes S(v_{ij}^k) = \sum_{i,j,k} \frac{1}{d_k} S(v_{ji}^k) \otimes v_{ij}^k.$$

Also, by the above equations and Definition 2.1,

$$e = \sum_{i,j,k} \frac{1}{d_k} \epsilon(v_{ji}^k) v_{ij}^k = \sum_{i,j,k} \frac{1}{d_k} \epsilon(v_{ji}^k) S(v_{ij}^k).$$

Furthermore, we note that the Haar trace  $\tau$  on  $H$  is the distinguished projection in  $H^0$ .

Next, following Blattner, Cohen and Montgomery [1, Definitions 1.1 and 2.1] and [14, Definition 2.4], we shall define an action and a coaction of a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra  $H$  on a unital  $C^*$ -algebra  $A$ .

DEFINITION 2.2. By a *weak action* of  $H$  on  $A$ , we mean a bilinear map  $(h, x) \mapsto h \cdot x$  of  $H \times A$  to  $A$  such that for  $h \in H, x, y \in A$

- (1)  $h \cdot xy = (h_{(1)} \cdot x)(h_{(2)} \cdot y)$ ,
- (2)  $h \cdot 1 = \epsilon(h)1$ ,
- (3)  $1 \cdot x = x$ ,
- (4)  $(h \cdot x)^* = S(h^*) \cdot x^*$ .

By an *action* of  $H$  on  $A$ , we mean a weak action such that  $h \cdot (l \cdot x) = (hl) \cdot x$  for  $h, l \in H, x \in A$ .

Let  $\text{Hom}(H, A)$  be the linear space of all linear maps from  $H$  to  $A$ . Then by Sweedler [12, pp. 69-70] it becomes a unital  $*$ -algebra as follows: For any  $f, g \in \text{Hom}(H, A)$   $(fg)(h) = f(h_{(1)})g(h_{(2)})$ ,  $f^*(h) = f(S(h^*))^*$ , where  $\epsilon$ , the counit in  $H$  is the unit element in  $\text{Hom}(H, A)$ . We call it a *unital convolution  $*$ -algebra*. Then as mentioned in [1, pp. 163], there is an isomorphism  $\iota$  of  $A \otimes H^0$  onto  $\text{Hom}(H, A)$  defined by  $\iota(x \otimes \phi)(h) = \phi(h)x$  for any  $x \in A, h \in H$  and  $\phi \in H^0$  since  $H$  is finite dimensional.

DEFINITION 2.3. A weak action of  $H$  on  $A$  is *inner* if there is a unitary element  $U \in \text{Hom}(H, A)$  such that for any  $h \in H$  and  $x \in A$ ,  $h \cdot x = U(h_{(1)})xU^*(h_{(2)})$ . We say that  $U$  *implements* the weak action.

DEFINITION 2.4. By a *weak coaction* of  $H$  on  $A$ , we mean a linear map  $\rho : A \rightarrow A \otimes H$  such that for  $x, y \in A$ ,

- (1)  $\rho(xy) = \rho(x)\rho(y)$ ,
- (2)  $\rho(1) = 1 \otimes 1$ ,
- (3)  $(\text{id} \otimes \epsilon)(\rho(x)) = x$ ,
- (4)  $\rho(x^*) = \rho(x)^*$ .

By a coaction of  $H$  on  $A$ , we mean a weak coaction such that

$$(\rho \otimes \text{id}) \circ \rho = (\text{id} \otimes \Delta) \circ \rho.$$

If  $H$  acts on  $A$  in the saturated fashion defined in [14], then its fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra  $A^H$  of  $A$  is defined by

$$A^H = \{x \in A \mid h \cdot x = \epsilon(h)x \text{ for any } h \in H\}.$$

Also, we can define a conditional expectation  $E$  from  $A$  onto  $A^H$  with  $\text{Index}(E) = \dim(H)$  by  $E(x) = e \cdot x$  for  $x \in A$  by [14], where  $\text{Index}(E)$  is the Watatani index of  $E$ . We call  $E$  the canonical conditional expectation of  $A$  onto  $A^H$ .

### 3. A twisted crossed product of a unital $C^*$ -algebra by a finite dimensional $C^*$ -Hopf algebra

Modifying [14] and [1], we shall define a twisted crossed product of a unital  $C^*$ -algebra by a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra. Let  $H$  be a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra and  $A$  a unital  $C^*$ -algebra. In the same way as in Section 2,  $\text{Hom}(H \otimes H, A)$  becomes a unital convolution  $*$ -algebra as follows: For any  $f, g \in \text{Hom}(H \otimes H, A)$   $(fg)(h, l) = f(h_{(1)}, l_{(1)})g(h_{(2)}, l_{(2)})$ ,  $f^*(h, l) = f(S(h^*), S(l^*))^*$ , where  $\epsilon \otimes \epsilon$  is the unit element in  $\text{Hom}(H \otimes H, A)$ . We suppose that there is a weak action of  $H$  on  $A$ .

DEFINITION 3.1. Let  $\sigma : H \otimes H \rightarrow A$  be a bilinear map. The bilinear map  $\sigma$  is a unitary cocycle for the weak action of  $H$  on  $A$  if  $\sigma$  satisfies the following:

- (1) In the unital convolution  $*$ - algebra  $\text{Hom}(H \otimes H, A)$ ,  $\sigma$  is a unitary element,
- (2)  $\sigma$  is normal, that is, for any  $h \in H$ ,  $\sigma(h, 1) = \sigma(1, h) = \epsilon(h)1$ ,
- (3) (cocycle condition) For any  $h, l, m \in H$

$$[h_{(1)} \cdot \sigma(l_{(1)}, m_{(1)})]\sigma(h_{(2)}, l_{(2)}m_{(2)}) = \sigma(h_{(1)}, l_{(1)})\sigma(h_{(2)}, l_{(2)}, m),$$

- (4) (twisted modular condition) For any  $h, l \in H, x \in A$ ,

$$[h_{(1)} \cdot (l_{(1)} \cdot x)]\sigma(h_{(2)}, l_{(2)}) = \sigma(h_{(1)}, l_{(1)})(h_{(2)}l_{(2)} \cdot x).$$

We suppose that  $\sigma$  is a unitary cocycle for the weak action of  $H$  on  $A$ . Let  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  be a unital  $*$ -algebra, called a *twisted crossed product* of  $A$  by  $H$ , where underlying space is  $A \otimes H$ . We denote by  $x \rtimes h$  the element induced by  $x \in A$  and  $h \in H$ . Its multiplication and  $*$ -operation are given by

$$(x \rtimes h)(y \rtimes l) = x(h_{(1)} \cdot y)\sigma(h_{(2)}, l_{(1)}) \rtimes h_{(3)}l_{(2)}$$

$$(x \rtimes h)^* = \sigma(S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)})^*(h_{(3)}^* \cdot x^*) \rtimes h_{(4)}^*$$

for any  $x, y \in A$  and  $h, l \in H$ . By [1, Corollary 4.6],  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  is a unital algebra. It is necessary to show that  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  is a  $*$ -algebra. We shall show it. Before doing it, we note the following:

REMARK 3.2. We identify  $A$  with the  $C^*$ -subalgebra  $A \rtimes 1$  of  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$ . Also, if  $\sigma$  is trivial, that is, for any  $h, l \in H$   $\sigma(h, l) = \epsilon(h)\epsilon(l)1$ , then  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  is the ordinary crossed product,  $A \rtimes H$  which is defined in [14]. Furthermore, in the ordinary crossed product, we can also identify  $H$  with the  $C^*$ -subalgebra  $1 \rtimes H$  of  $A \rtimes H$ .

LEMMA 3.3. For any  $h, l \in H$ ,

- (1)  $h \cdot \sigma(S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)}) = \sigma(h_{(1)}, S(l_{(3)}))\sigma(h_{(2)}S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)})$
- (2)  $h \cdot \sigma(l_{(1)}, S(l_{(2)})) = \sigma(h_{(1)}, l_{(1)})\sigma(h_{(2)}l_{(2)}, S(l_{(3)}))$

PROOF. For any  $h, l \in H$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} h \cdot \sigma(S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)}) &= (\epsilon(h_{(2)})h_{(1)}) \cdot \sigma(S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)}) \\ &= [h_{(1)} \cdot \sigma(S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)})]\sigma(h_{(2)}, 1) \\ &= [h_{(1)} \cdot \sigma(S(l_{(3)}), l_{(1)})]\sigma(h_{(2)}, \epsilon(l_{(2)})) \\ &= [h_{(1)} \cdot \sigma(S(l_{(4)}), l_{(1)})]\sigma(h_{(2)}, S(l_{(3)})l_{(2)}) \\ &= \sigma(h_{(1)}, S(l_{(3)}))\sigma(h_{(2)}S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)}) \end{aligned}$$

by Definition 3.1(3). In the same way, we obtain Equation (2).

LEMMA 3.4. For any  $x, y \in A$  and  $h \in H$ ,  $((x \rtimes 1)(y \rtimes h))^* = (y \rtimes h)^*(x \rtimes 1)^*$ .

PROOF. By routine computations,

$$\begin{aligned} (y \rtimes h)^*(x \rtimes 1)^* &= \sigma(S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)})^*(h_{(3)}^* \cdot y^*)(h_{(4)}^* \cdot x^*)\sigma(h_{(5)}^*, 1) \rtimes h_{(6)}^* \\ &= \sigma(S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)})^*(h_{(3)}^* \cdot y^*x^*) \rtimes h_{(4)}^* \\ &= ((x \rtimes 1)(y \rtimes h))^*. \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 3.5. For any  $x \in A$  and  $h \in H$ ,  $((1 \rtimes h)(x \rtimes 1))^* = (x \rtimes 1)^*(1 \rtimes h)^*$ .

PROOF. By Definition 3.1(4),

$$\begin{aligned} ((1 \rtimes h)(x \rtimes 1))^* &= [(S(h_{(4)}) \cdot (h_{(1)} \cdot x))\sigma(S(h_{(3)}), h_{(2)})]^* \rtimes h_{(5)}^* \\ &= [\sigma(S(h_{(4)}), h_{(1)})(S(h_{(3)})h_{(2)} \cdot x)]^* \rtimes h_{(5)}^* \\ &= (\sigma(S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)})x)^* \rtimes h_{(3)}^* = (x \rtimes 1)^*(1 \rtimes h)^*. \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 3.6. For any  $h, l \in H$ ,  $((1 \rtimes h)(1 \rtimes l))^* = (1 \rtimes l)^*(1 \rtimes h)^*$ .

PROOF. By routine calculations,

$$\begin{aligned} ((1 \rtimes h)(1 \rtimes l))^* &= [(S(h_{(4)}l_{(4)}) \cdot \sigma(h_{(1)}, l_{(1)}))\sigma(S(h_{(3)}l_{(3)}), h_{(2)}l_{(2)})]^* \rtimes (h_{(5)}l_{(5)})^*. \end{aligned}$$

Using Definition 3.1(3),

$$\begin{aligned} ((1 \rtimes h)(1 \rtimes l))^* &= [\sigma(S(h_{(4)}l_{(3)}), h_{(1)})\sigma(S(h_{(3)}l_{(2)})h_{(2)}, l_{(1)})]^* \rtimes (h_{(5)}l_{(4)})^* \\ &= \sigma(S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)})^*\sigma(S(l_{(3)})S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)})^* \rtimes l_{(4)}^*h_{(3)}^*. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned} (1 \rtimes l)^*(1 \rtimes h)^* &= \sigma(S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)})^*[\sigma(S(l_{(3)}) \cdot \sigma(S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)}))]^*\sigma(l_{(4)}^*, h_{(3)}^*) \rtimes l_{(5)}^*h_{(4)}^*. \end{aligned}$$

Using Lemma 3.3(1) and that  $\sigma^*\sigma = \epsilon \otimes \epsilon$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (1 \rtimes l)^*(1 \rtimes h)^* &= \sigma(S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)})^* \\ &\quad \times [\sigma(S(l_{(4)}), S(h_{(3)}))\sigma(S(l_{(3)})S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)})]^*\sigma(l_{(5)}^*, h_{(4)}^*) \rtimes l_{(6)}^*h_{(5)}^* \\ &= \sigma(S(l_{(2)}), l_{(1)})^*\sigma(S(l_{(3)})S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)})^* \rtimes l_{(4)}^*h_{(3)}^*. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we obtain the conclusion.

LEMMA 3.7. For any  $h \in H$ ,  $(1 \rtimes h)^{**} = 1 \rtimes h$ .

PROOF. Using Lemma 3.3(1) and that  $\sigma^*\sigma = \epsilon \otimes \epsilon$ , by routine computations,

$$\begin{aligned} (1 \rtimes h)^{**} &= \sigma(S(h_{(4)})^*, h_{(3)}^*)^*[h_{(5)} \cdot \sigma(S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)})] \rtimes h_{(6)} \\ &= \sigma(S(h_{(5)}^*), h_{(4)}^*)^*\sigma(h_{(6)}, S(h_{(3)}))\sigma(h_{(7)}S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)}) \rtimes h_{(8)} \\ &= \epsilon(h_{(4)})\epsilon(S(h_{(3)}))\sigma(h_{(5)}S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)}) \rtimes h_{(6)} = 1 \rtimes h. \end{aligned}$$

PROPOSITION 3.8. *The unital algebra  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  is a  $*$ -algebra.*

PROOF. We have only to show that for any  $x, y \in A$  and  $h, l \in H$ ,

$$((x \rtimes h)(y \rtimes l))^* = (y \rtimes l)^*(x \rtimes h)^*, \quad (x \rtimes h)^{**} = x \rtimes h.$$

Since  $(1 \rtimes h)(y \rtimes l)$  is a finite sum of elements in the form  $z \rtimes k$ , where  $z \in A$ ,  $k \in H$ , by Lemma 3.4

$$\begin{aligned} ((x \rtimes h)(y \rtimes l))^* &= ((x \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes h)(y \rtimes l))^* \\ &= ((1 \rtimes h)(y \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes l))^*(x \rtimes 1)^*. \end{aligned}$$

Also, we can write that  $(1 \rtimes h)(y \rtimes 1) = \sum_i z_i \rtimes k_i$ , where  $z_i \in A$ ,  $k_i \in H$  for any  $i$ . Hence

$$((1 \rtimes h)(y \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes l))^* = \sum_i ((z_i \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes k_i)(1 \rtimes l))^*.$$

Since  $(1 \rtimes k_i)(1 \rtimes l)$  is also a finite sum of elements in the form  $z \rtimes k$ , where  $z \in A$ ,  $k \in H$ , by Lemmas 3.4, 3.5 and 3.6,

$$\begin{aligned} ((1 \rtimes h)(y \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes l))^* &= \sum_i (1 \rtimes l)^*(1 \rtimes k_i)^*(z_i \rtimes 1)^* \\ &= \sum_i (1 \rtimes l)^*((z_i \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes k_i))^* \\ &= (1 \rtimes l)^*(y \rtimes 1)^*(1 \rtimes h)^*. \end{aligned}$$

Thus by Lemma 3.4,

$$((x \rtimes h)(y \rtimes l))^* = (1 \rtimes l)^*(y \rtimes 1)^*(1 \rtimes h)^*(x \rtimes 1)^* = (y \rtimes l)^*(x \rtimes h)^*.$$

Furthermore, by the above discussion and Lemma 3.7,

$$(x \rtimes h)^{**} = (x \rtimes 1)^{**}(1 \rtimes h)^{**} = x \rtimes h.$$

Modifying [14], we shall define a  $C^*$ -norm in  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$ . We suppose that  $A$  acts on a Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$  faithfully and non-degenerately. Let  $l^2(\tau, H)$  be a Hilbert space induced by the Haar trace  $\tau$  on  $H$  and  $\mathbf{B}$  the  $C^*$ -algebra of all bounded linear operators on a Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H} \otimes l^2(\tau, H)$ . Let  $\theta$  be a map from  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  to  $\mathbf{B}$  defined by for any  $x \in A$ ,  $h, l \in H$  and  $\xi \in \mathcal{H}$ ,

$$\theta(x \rtimes h)(\xi \otimes l) = (S(h_{(3)}l_{(2)}) \cdot x)\sigma(S(h_{(2)}l_{(1)}), h_{(1)})\xi \otimes h_{(4)}l_{(3)}.$$

We shall show that  $\theta$  is a faithful representation of the  $*$ -algebra  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  to  $\mathbf{B}$ .



LEMMA 3.9. For any  $x, y \in A$  and  $h \in H$ ,  $\theta((x \rtimes 1)(y \rtimes h)) = \theta(x \rtimes 1)\theta(y \rtimes h)$ .

PROOF. By routine calculations, for any  $\xi \in \mathcal{H}$  and  $l \in l^2(\tau, H)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \theta(x \rtimes 1)\theta(y \rtimes h)(\xi \otimes l) \\ &= [S(h_{(4)}l_{(3)}) \cdot x][S(h_{(3)}l_{(2)}) \cdot y]\sigma(S(h_{(2)}l_{(1)}), h_{(1)})\xi \otimes h_{(5)}l_{(4)} \\ &= [S(h_{(3)}l_{(2)}) \cdot xy]\sigma(S(h_{(2)}l_{(1)}), h_{(1)})\xi \otimes h_{(4)}l_{(3)} \\ &= \theta((x \rtimes 1)(y \rtimes h))(\xi \otimes l). \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 3.10. For any  $x \in A$  and  $h, k \in H$ ,  $\theta((1 \rtimes h)(x \rtimes k)) = \theta(1 \rtimes h)\theta(x \rtimes k)$ .

PROOF. By Definition 3.1(3) and (4) for any  $\xi \in \mathcal{H}$  and  $l \in l^2(\tau, H)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \theta((1 \rtimes h)(x \rtimes k))(\xi \otimes l) \\ &= [S(h_{(6)}k_{(5)}l_{(3)}) \cdot (h_{(1)} \cdot x)][S(h_{(5)}k_{(4)}l_{(2)}) \cdot \sigma(h_{(2)}, k_{(1)})] \\ & \quad \times \sigma(S(h_{(4)}k_{(3)}l_{(1)}), h_{(3)}k_{(2)})\xi \otimes h_{(7)}k_{(6)}l_{(4)} \\ &= [S(h_{(4)}k_{(4)}l_{(3)}) \cdot (h_{(1)} \cdot x)]\sigma(S(h_{(3)}k_{(3)}l_{(2)}), h_{(2)})\sigma(S(k_{(2)}l_{(1)}), k_{(1)})\xi \\ & \quad \otimes h_{(5)}k_{(5)}l_{(4)} \\ &= \sigma(S(h_{(4)}k_{(4)}l_{(3)}), h_{(1)})[S(h_{(3)}k_{(3)}l_{(2)})h_{(2)} \cdot x]\sigma(S(k_{(2)}l_{(1)}), k_{(1)})\xi \\ & \quad \otimes h_{(5)}k_{(5)}l_{(4)} \\ &= \sigma(S(h_{(2)}k_{(4)}l_{(3)}), h_{(1)})[S(k_{(3)}l_{(2)}) \cdot x]\sigma(S(k_{(2)}l_{(1)}), k_{(1)})\xi \otimes h_{(3)}k_{(5)}l_{(4)} \\ &= \theta(1 \rtimes h)\theta(x \rtimes k)(\xi \otimes l). \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 3.11. For any  $x \in A$  and  $h \in H$ ,  $\theta((x \rtimes 1)^*) = \theta(x \rtimes 1)^*$ ,  $\theta((1 \rtimes h)^*) = \theta(1 \rtimes h)^*$ .

PROOF. For any  $\xi, \eta \in \mathcal{H}$  and  $l, k \in H$ ,

$$(\theta((x \rtimes 1)^*)(\xi \otimes l)|\eta \otimes k) = ([S(l_{(1)}) \cdot x^*]\xi|\eta)\tau(l_{(2)}k^*).$$

Also, by [14, Theorem 2.2],

$$\begin{aligned} & (\theta(x \rtimes 1)^*(\xi \otimes l)|\eta \otimes k) \\ &= (\xi \otimes l|\theta(x \rtimes 1)(\eta \otimes k)) = (\xi|[S(k_{(1)}) \cdot x]\eta)\tau(lk_{(2)}^*) \\ &= (\xi|[S(k_{(1)}) \cdot x]\eta)\tau(\epsilon(l_{(1)})l_{(2)}k_{(2)}^*) = (\xi|[S(k_{(1)})S(l_{(2)}^*)l_{(1)}^*\tau(k_{(2)}l_{(3)}^*) \cdot x]\eta) \\ &= (\xi|[\tau(S(l_{(3)}^*k_{(2)}))S(l_{(2)}^*k_{(1)})l_{(1)}^* \cdot x]\eta) = (\xi|[\tau(l_{(2)}^*k)l_{(1)}^* \cdot x]\eta) \\ &= ([S(l_{(1)}) \cdot x^*]\xi|\eta)\tau(l_{(2)}k^*). \end{aligned}$$

Thus we obtain the first equation in the above. Furthermore, using Lemma 3.3(1) and that  $\sigma^* \sigma = \epsilon \otimes \epsilon$ , by routine computations,

$$\begin{aligned}
& (\theta((1 \times h)^*)(\xi \otimes l)|\eta \otimes k) \\
&= ([S(h_{(5)}^* l_{(2)}) \cdot \sigma(S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)})^*] \sigma(S(h_{(4)}^* l_{(1)}), h_{(3)}) \xi |\eta) \tau(h_{(6)}^* l_{(3)} k^*) \\
&= (\xi |\sigma^*(l_{(1)}^* h_{(5)}, S(h_{(4)})) \sigma(l_{(2)}^* h_{(6)}, S(h_{(3)})) \\
&\quad \times \sigma(l_{(3)}^* h_{(7)} S(h_{(2)}), h_{(1)}) \eta) \tau(h_{(8)}^* l_{(4)} k^*) \\
&= (\xi |\sigma(\tau(k l_{(2)}^* h_{(2)}) l_{(1)}^*, h_{(1)}) \eta) \\
&= (\xi |\sigma(\tau(k_{(2)} \epsilon(k_{(1)}) l_{(2)}^* h_{(3)} \epsilon(h_{(2)})) l_{(1)}^*, h_{(1)}) \eta) \\
&= (\xi |\sigma(S(k_{(1)}) S(h_{(2)}) \tau(h_{(4)} k_{(3)} l_{(2)}^*) h_{(3)} k_{(2)} l_{(1)}^*, h_{(1)}) \eta).
\end{aligned}$$

By [14, Theorem 2.2],

$$\begin{aligned}
(\theta((1 \times h)^*)(\xi \otimes l)|\eta \otimes k) &= (\xi |\sigma(S(h_{(2)} k_{(1)}), h_{(1)}) \eta) \tau(l k_{(2)}^* h_{(3)}^*) \\
&= (\theta(1 \times h)^*(\xi \otimes l)|\eta \otimes k).
\end{aligned}$$

Let  $V$  be a linear map from  $H$  to  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  defined by  $V(h) = 1 \rtimes h$  for any  $h \in H$ . By easy computations  $V \in \text{Hom}(H, A \rtimes_{\sigma} H)$ . Moreover, we have the following properties:

- LEMMA 3.12. (i) *The element  $V$  is a unitary one in  $\text{Hom}(H, A \rtimes_{\sigma} H)$ .*  
(ii) *For any  $x \in A$  and  $h, l \in H$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned}
(h \cdot x) \rtimes 1 &= V(h_{(1)})(x \rtimes 1) V^*(h_{(2)}), \\
\sigma(h, l) \rtimes 1 &= V(h_{(1)}) V(l_{(1)}) V^*(h_{(2)} l_{(2)}).
\end{aligned}$$

PROOF. Since  $\sigma$  is a unitary element in  $\text{Hom}(H \otimes H, A \rtimes_{\sigma} H)$ ,

$$(V^* V)(h) = \sigma(h_{(3)}^*, S(h_{(4)}))^* \sigma(S(h_{(2)}), h_{(5)}) \rtimes S(h_{(1)}) h_{(6)} = \epsilon(h) \rtimes 1.$$

Furthermore, by Lemma 3.3(2),

$$\begin{aligned}
(VV^*)(h) &= (S(h_{(1)}^*) \cdot \sigma(h_{(4)}^*, S(h_{(5)})))^* \sigma(h_{(2)}, S(h_{(3)})) \rtimes 1 \\
&= \sigma(S(h_{(1)}^*) h_{(6)}^*, S(h_{(7)}^*))^* \sigma(S(h_{(2)}^*), h_{(5)}^*)^* \sigma(h_{(3)}, S(h_{(4)})) \rtimes 1 \\
&= \epsilon(h) \rtimes 1.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $V$  is a unitary element in  $\text{Hom}(H, A \rtimes_{\sigma} H)$ . Also, since  $\sigma^* \sigma = \epsilon \otimes \epsilon$ ,

by Lemma 3.3(1)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & V(h_{(1)})(x \rtimes 1)V^*(h_{(2)}) \\
 &= (h_{(1)} \cdot x)[S(h_{(2)}^*) \cdot \sigma(h_{(5)}^*, S(h_{(6)}^*))]^* \sigma(h_{(3)}, S(h_{(4)})) \rtimes 1 \\
 &= (h_{(1)} \cdot x)[\sigma(S(h_{(3)}^*), h_{(6)})\sigma(S(h_{(2)}^*)h_{(7)}^*, S(h_{(8)}^*))]^* \sigma(h_{(4)}, S(h_{(5)})) \rtimes 1 \\
 &= (h \cdot x) \rtimes 1.
 \end{aligned}$$

Furthermore, since  $\sigma^*\sigma = \epsilon \otimes \epsilon$ , by Lemma 3.3(2)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & V(h_{(1)})V(l_{(1)})V^*(h_{(2)}l_{(2)}) \\
 &= \sigma(h_{(1)}, l_{(1)})[\sigma(S(h_{(3)}l_{(3)})^*, (h_{(6)}l_{(6)})^*) \\
 &\quad \times \sigma(S(h_{(2)}l_{(2)})^*(h_{(7)}l_{(7)})^*, S(h_{(8)}l_{(8)})^*)]^* \sigma(h_{(4)}l_{(4)}, S(h_{(5)}l_{(5)})) \rtimes 1 \\
 &= \sigma(h_{(1)}, l_{(1)})\sigma(S(h_{(2)}l_{(2)})^*(h_{(5)}l_{(5)})^*, S(h_{(6)}l_{(6)})^*)^* \\
 &\quad \times (\sigma^*\sigma)(h_{(3)}l_{(3)}, S(h_{(4)}l_{(4)})) \rtimes 1 \\
 &= \sigma(h, l) \rtimes 1.
 \end{aligned}$$

This lemma means that the action of  $H$  on  $A$  is inner in  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$ . Using the above lemmas we shall show the following proposition:

**PROPOSITION 3.13.** *The map  $\theta$  is an injective representation of  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  to  $\mathbf{B}$ .*

**PROOF.** It is immediate by Lemmas 3.9, 3.10 and 3.11 that  $\theta$  is a representation of  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  to  $\mathbf{B}$ . We have only to show that  $\theta$  is injective. Let  $\{w_{ij}^k\}$  be a system of comatrix units of  $H$  and let  $x = \sum_{i,j,k} x_{ijk} \rtimes w_{ij}^k$ , where  $x_{ijk} \in A$ . We suppose that  $\theta(x) = 0$ . Then for any  $\xi \in \mathcal{H}$ ,

$$0 = \theta(x)(\xi \otimes 1) = \sum_{i,j,k,t_1,t_2,t_3} [S(w_{t_2t_3}^k) \cdot x_{ijk}] \sigma(S(w_{t_1t_2}^k), w_{it_1}^k) \xi \otimes w_{t_3j}^k$$

by [14, Theorem 2.2,2]. Since  $\{w_{ij}^k\}$  is a basis of  $H$  and  $A$  acts on  $\mathcal{H}$  faithfully and non-degenerately,  $\sum_{i,t_1,t_2} [S(w_{t_2t_3}^k) \cdot x_{ijk}] \sigma(S(w_{t_1t_2}^k), w_{it_1}^k) = 0$  for  $k, t_3, j$ . Thus  $\sum_{i,t_1,t_2} [S(w_{t_2s}^k) \cdot x_{ijk}] \sigma(S(w_{t_1t_2}^k), w_{it_1}^k) \rtimes 1 = 0$  for any  $j, k, s$ . By Lemma 3.12

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 0 \\
 &= \sum_{i,t_1,t_2,t_3,t_4} V(S(w_{t_4s}^k))(x_{ijk} \rtimes 1)V^*(S(w_{t_3t_4}^k))V(S(w_{t_2t_3}^k))V(w_{it_1}^k) \times V^*(\epsilon(w_{t_1t_2}^k)) \\
 &= \sum_{i,t_1} V(S(w_{t_1s}^k))(x_{ijk} \rtimes 1)V(w_{it_1}^k).
 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $s$  is arbitrary and  $V^*V = \epsilon$ , for any  $r$

$$0 = \sum_{i,t_1,s} V^*(S(w_{sr}^k))V(S(w_{t_1s}^k))(x_{ijk} \rtimes 1)V(w_{it_1}^k) = \sum_i (x_{ijk} \rtimes 1)V(w_{ir}^k).$$

Since  $r$  is arbitrary and  $VV^* = \epsilon$ , for any  $p$

$$0 = \sum_{i,r} (x_{ijk} \rtimes 1)V(w_{ir}^k)V^*(w_{rp}^k) = \sum_i (x_{ijk} \rtimes 1)\epsilon(w_{ip}^k).$$

Since  $\epsilon(w_{ip}^k) = \delta_{ip}$  by [14, Theorem 2.2,2],  $x_{pj} \rtimes 1 = 0$  for any  $p, j, k$ , where  $\delta_{ip}$  is the Kronecker delta. Hence  $\theta$  is injective.

Let  $F$  be a linear map from  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  to  $A$  defined by  $F(x \rtimes h) = \tau(h)x$  for any  $x \in A$  and  $h \in H$ . In the same way as in [14, Proposition 2.8], we can see that  $F$  is a conditional expectation from  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$  onto  $A$ .

LEMMA 3.14. *The conditional expectation  $F$  is faithful.*

PROOF. We show this lemma in the same way as in [14, Proposition 2.8]. Let  $\{h_j\}$  be a basis of  $H$  such that  $\tau(h_i h_j^*) = \delta_{ij}$ , where  $\delta_{ij}$  is the Kronecker delta. Let  $x = \sum_i x_i \rtimes h_i$  in  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$ , where  $x_i \in A$  for any  $i$ . We suppose that  $F(xx^*) = 0$ . Then by Definition 3.1(4) and [14, Theorem 2.2,1]

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \sum_{i,j} F((x_i \rtimes h_i)(x_j \rtimes h_j)^*) \\ &= \sum_{i,j,(h_i),(h_j)} x_i \tau(h_{i(4)} h_{j(5)}^*) [h_{i(1)} \cdot \sigma(S(h_{j(2)}), h_{j(1)})^*] \\ &\quad \times [h_{i(2)} \cdot (h_{j(3)}^* \cdot x_j)] \sigma(h_{i(3)}, h_{j(4)}) \\ &= \sum_{i,j,(h_i),(h_j)} x_i \tau(h_{i(4)} h_{j(5)}^*) [S(h_{i(1)}^*) \cdot \sigma(S(h_{j(2)}), h_{j(1)})^*] \sigma(h_{i(2)}, h_{j(3)}^*) \\ &\quad \times (h_{i(3)} h_{j(4)}^* \cdot x_j) \\ &= \sum_{i,j,(h_i),(h_j)} x_i \tau(h_{i(3)} h_{j(4)}^*) [S(h_{i(1)}^*) \cdot \sigma(S(h_{j(2)}), h_{j(1)})^*] \sigma(h_{i(2)}, h_{j(3)}^*) x_j^*. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\sigma^* \sigma = \epsilon \otimes \epsilon$ , by Lemma 3.3(1)  $0 = \sum_{i,j} \tau(h_i h_j^*) x_i x_j^* = \sum_i x_i x_i^*$ . Hence  $x_i = 0$  for any  $i$ . Thus  $F$  is faithful.

PROPOSITION 3.15. *The unital  $*$ -algebra  $\theta(A \rtimes_{\sigma} H)$  is closed in  $\mathbf{B}$ .*

PROOF. We note that for any  $x \in A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$ ,  $\|F(x)\| \leq \|\theta(x)\|$ . Indeed, we can write  $x = \sum_i x_i \rtimes h_i$ , where  $x_i \in A, h_i \in H$  for any  $i$ . Since  $\text{id} \rtimes \tau$  can be

regarded as a contractive linear map from  $\mathcal{H} \otimes l^2(\tau, H)$  to  $\mathcal{H}$ , for any  $\xi \in \mathcal{H}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \|\theta(x)(\xi \otimes 1)\| &= \left\| \sum_{i, (h_i)} [S(h_{i(3)}) \cdot x_i] \sigma(S(h_{i(2)}), h_{i(1)}) \xi \otimes h_{i(4)} \right\| \\ &\geq \left\| \sum_{i, (h_i)} [S(h_{i(3)}) \cdot x_i] \sigma(S(h_{i(2)}), h_{i(1)}) \xi \otimes \tau(h_{i(4)}) \right\| \\ &= \left\| \sum_i (\tau(h_i) x_i \xi) \otimes 1 \right\| = \|F(x)\xi\| \end{aligned}$$

by [14, Theorem 2.2]. Hence  $\|F(x)\| \leq \|\theta(x)\|$  for any  $x \in A \rtimes_\sigma H$ . Thus we can obtain this proposition in the same way as in [14, Proposition 2.15].

By Proposition 3.15, we can regard  $A \rtimes_\sigma H$  as a  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $\mathbf{B}$  and  $A \rtimes_\sigma H$  is independent of the choice of a Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$ . We call it *the twisted crossed product* of a unital  $C^*$ -algebra  $A$  by a weak action  $H$  on  $A$  and a unitary cocycle  $\sigma$ . Following [14, Definition 2.7], we define the dual action of  $H^0$  on  $A \rtimes_\sigma H$ .

DEFINITION 3.16. There is the dual action of  $H^0$  on  $A \rtimes_\sigma H$  defined by

$$\phi \cdot (x \rtimes h) = x \rtimes (\phi \rightharpoonup h)$$

for  $x \in A, h \in H, \phi \in H^0$ , where  $\rightharpoonup$  is the Sweedler's arrow which is the action of  $H^0$  on  $H$  defined in [14, Example 2.5].

It is necessary to check that the above is an action. But we can easily do it. Also, we have the following lemma:

LEMMA 3.17. *The following statements hold.*

- (1)  $F(x \rtimes h) = \tau \cdot (x \rtimes h)$  for any  $x \in A$  and  $h \in H$ ,
- (2)  $A = (A \rtimes_\sigma H)^{H^0}$ , where  $(A \rtimes_\sigma H)^{H^0}$  is the fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $A \rtimes_\sigma H$  for the action of  $H^0$  on  $A \rtimes_\sigma H$ .

PROOF. This is immediate by routine computations.

By Lemma 3.17(1), we can see that  $1 \rtimes \tau$  is the Jones projection induced by  $F$ .

PROPOSITION 3.18. *Let  $\{w_{ij}^k\}$  be a system of comatrix units of  $H$ . Then*

$$\left\{ ((\sqrt{d_k} \rtimes w_{ij}^k)^*, \sqrt{d_k} \rtimes w_{ij}^k) \right\}_{i,j,k}$$

*is a quasi-basis for  $F$  and  $\text{Index}(F) = \dim(H)$ .*

PROOF. For any  $x \in A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$ , we can write that  $x = \sum_{i,j,k} x_{ijk} \rtimes w_{ij}^k$ , where  $x_{ijk} \in A$  for any  $i, j, k$ . Since  $F$  is an  $A$ - $A$ -bimodule map, in order to prove the first statement, we have only to show that for any  $i_0, j_0, k_0$ ,

$$\sum_{i,j,k} F((1 \rtimes w_{i_0 j_0}^{k_0})(1 \rtimes w_{ij}^k)^*)(1 \rtimes w_{ij}^k) = \frac{1}{d_{k_0}} \rtimes w_{i_0 j_0}^{k_0}.$$

By routine computations and [14, Theorem 2.2.2],

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{i,j,k} F((1 \rtimes w_{i_0 j_0}^{k_0})(1 \rtimes w_{ij}^k)^*)(1 \rtimes w_{ij}^k) \\ &= \sum_{i,t_1,t_2,s_1,s_2} \frac{1}{d_{k_0}} [S(w_{i_0 s_1}^{k_0})^* \cdot \sigma(w_{t_2 t_1}^{k_0*}, S(w_{t_1 i}^{k_0*}))^*] \sigma(w_{s_1 s_2}^{k_0}, S(w_{s_2 t_2}^{k_0})) \rtimes w_{i_0 j_0}^{k_0}. \end{aligned}$$

We change the suffixes as follows: We change  $t_2, t_1$  and  $i$  to  $s_3, s_4$  and  $s_5$ , respectively. Then since  $\sigma^* \sigma = \epsilon \otimes \epsilon$ , by Lemma 3.3(2) and routine computations,

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{i,j,k} F((1 \rtimes w_{i_0 j_0}^{k_0})(1 \rtimes w_{ij}^k)^*)(1 \rtimes w_{ij}^k) \\ &= \sum_{s_1, \dots, s_5} \frac{1}{d_{k_0}} [S(w_{i_0 s_1}^{k_0})^* \cdot \sigma(w_{s_3 s_4}^{k_0*}, S(w_{s_4 s_5}^{k_0*}))^*] \sigma(w_{s_1 s_2}^{k_0}, S(w_{s_2 s_3}^{k_0})) \rtimes w_{s_5 j_0}^{k_0} \\ &= \sum_{s_1, \dots, s_7} \frac{1}{d_{k_0}} \sigma(S(w_{i_0 s_1}^{k_0})^* w_{s_5 s_6}^{k_0*}, S(w_{s_6 s_7}^{k_0*}))^* \sigma(S(w_{s_1 s_2}^{k_0})^*, w_{s_4 s_5}^{k_0*})^* \\ & \quad \times \sigma(w_{s_2 s_3}^{k_0}, S(w_{s_3 s_4}^{k_0})) \rtimes w_{s_7 j_0}^{k_0} \\ &= \frac{1}{d_{k_0}} \rtimes w_{i_0 j_0}^{k_0}. \end{aligned}$$

Furthermore, since  $1 \rtimes w_{ij}^k = V(w_{ij}^k)$  for any  $i, j, k$ , by [14, Theorem 2.2] and Lemma 3.12,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Index}(F) &= \sum_{i,j,k} d_k V(w_{ij}^k)^* V(w_{ij}^k) = \sum_{ij,k} d_k V^*(w_{ji}^k) V(w_{ij}^k) = \sum_{j,k} d_k \epsilon(w_{jj}^k) \\ &= \dim(H). \end{aligned}$$

We denote by  $B$  the twisted crossed product  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H$ . Then we can define the dual action of  $H^0$  on  $B$  in the same way as in Definition 3.16. Also, we can define a coaction  $\rho$  of  $H^0$  on  $B \rtimes H^0$  by  $\rho(x \rtimes \phi) = (x \rtimes \phi_{(1)}) \otimes \phi_{(2)}$  for any  $x \in B$  and  $\phi \in H^0$ . We can easily check that  $\rho$  is a coaction of  $H^0$  on  $B \rtimes H^0$ .

PROPOSITION 3.19. *We have that  $\rho(1_B \rtimes \tau) \sim (1_B \rtimes \tau) \otimes 1^0$  in  $(B \rtimes H^0) \otimes H^0$ , where  $1_B$  and  $1^0$  are the unit elements in  $B$  and  $H^0$ , respectively.*

PROOF. Let  $V$  be a unitary element in  $\text{Hom}(H, B)$  defined by  $V(h) = 1 \rtimes h$  for any  $h \in H$ . We regard it as an element in  $\text{Hom}(H, B \rtimes H^0)$ . Also, there is an isomorphism  $\iota$  of  $(B \rtimes H^0) \otimes H^0$  onto  $\text{Hom}(H, B \rtimes H^0)$  defined after Definition 2.2. Hence we regard  $\rho(1 \rtimes \tau)$  and  $(1 \rtimes \tau) \otimes 1^0$  as elements in  $\text{Hom}(H, B \rtimes H^0)$ . We denote them by  $\rho(1 \rtimes \tau)^\wedge$  and  $((1 \rtimes \tau) \otimes 1^0)^\wedge$ , respectively. Then by direct computations, for any  $h \in H$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (((1 \rtimes \tau) \otimes 1^0)^\wedge V)(h) &= (1 \rtimes \tau)\epsilon(h_{(1)})(V(h_{(2)}) \rtimes 1^0) \\ &= (1 \rtimes h_{(1)}) \rtimes \tau_{(1)}(h_{(2)})\tau_{(2)}. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned} (V\rho(1 \rtimes \tau)^\wedge)(h) &= (V(h_{(1)}) \rtimes 1^0)(1 \rtimes \tau_{(2)}(h_{(2)})\tau_{(1)}) \\ &= (1 \rtimes h_{(1)}) \rtimes \tau_{(2)}(h_{(2)})\tau_{(1)}. \end{aligned}$$

Furthermore, for any  $h, l \in H$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (\tau_{(2)}\tau_{(1)}(h))(l) &= \tau_{(1)}(h)\tau_{(2)}(l) = \tau(hl) = \tau(lh) \\ &= \tau_{(1)}(l)\tau_{(2)}(h) = (\tau_{(2)}(h)\tau_{(1)})(l). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $H^0$  can be identified with  $1_B \rtimes H^0$ , a  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $B \rtimes H^0$ ,

$$V\rho(1 \rtimes \tau)^\wedge = ((1 \rtimes \tau) \otimes 1^0)^\wedge V.$$

Since  $V$  is a unitary element in  $\text{Hom}(H, B)$  by Lemma 3.12(i), so is  $V$  in  $\text{Hom}(H, B \rtimes H^0)$ . Therefore,  $\rho(1 \rtimes \tau) \sim (1 \rtimes \tau) \otimes 1^0$  in  $(B \rtimes H^0) \otimes H^0$ .

#### 4. Construction of a unitary element and its properties

As mentioned in Introduction, let  $B$  be a unital  $C^*$ -algebra and  $H$  a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra. We suppose that there is a saturated action of  $H$  on  $B$  defined in [14]. Let  $A$  be its fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $B$  and  $E$  the canonical conditional expectation from  $B$  onto  $A$ . Let  $B \rtimes H$  be the crossed product of  $B$  by the action of  $H$  on  $B$  and we denote it by  $B_1$ . In the same way as in Section 3, we can define a coaction  $\rho$  of  $H$  on  $B_1$  by for any  $x \in B$  and  $h \in H$

$$\rho(x \rtimes h) = (x \rtimes h_{(1)}) \otimes h_{(2)}.$$

We suppose that  $\rho(1 \rtimes e) \sim (1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1$  in  $B_1 \otimes H$ , where  $e$  is the distinguished projection in  $H$ . We note that  $1 \rtimes e$  is the Jones projection induced by  $E$ . We shall show that the above condition is a necessary and sufficient one we stated

in Introduction. Since  $\rho(1 \times e) \sim (1 \times e) \otimes 1$  in  $B_1 \otimes H$ , there is a partial isometry  $w \in B_1 \otimes H$  such that  $w^*w = \rho(1 \times e)$ ,  $ww^* = (1 \times e) \otimes 1$ . Let  $\{v_{ij}^k\}_{i,j,k}$  be a system of matrix units of  $H$ . We write  $w = \sum_{i,j,k} x_{ij}^k \otimes v_{ij}^k$ , where  $x_{ij}^k \in B_1$  for any  $i, j, k$ . Moreover, we write  $x_{ij}^k = \sum_{i_1, j_1, k_1} (b_{ij}^k)_{i_1 j_1}^{k_1} \times v_{i_1 j_1}^{k_1}$  for any  $i, j, k$ , where  $(b_{ij}^k)_{i_1 j_1}^{k_1} \in B$  for any  $i, j, k, i_1, j_1, k_1$ . Then  $((1 \times e) \otimes 1)w = \sum_{i,j,k} (1 \times e)x_{ij}^k \otimes v_{ij}^k$ . Also, since  $\{v_{ij}^k\}$  is a system of matrix units of  $H$ , by Equation (5) in [14]

$$(1 \times e)x_{ij}^k = \sum_{i_1, j_1, k_1, i_2} \frac{1}{d_{k_1}} S(v_{i_1 i_2}^{k_1}) \cdot (b_{ij}^k)_{i_1 j_1}^{k_1} \times v_{i_2 j_1}^{k_1}.$$

Let  $u_{ij}^k = \sum_{i_1, j_1, k_1} S(v_{i_1 j_1}^{k_1}) \cdot (b_{ij}^k)_{i_1 j_1}^{k_1} \in B$  for any  $i, j, k$ . Then by routine calculations, for any  $i, j, k$ ,

$$(1 \times e)(u_{ij}^k \times 1) = \sum_{i_1, j_1, k_1, i_2} \frac{1}{d_{k_1}} S(v_{j_1 i_2}^{k_1}) S(v_{i_1 j_1}^{k_1}) \cdot (b_{ij}^k)_{i_1 j_1}^{k_1} \times v_{i_2 j_1}^{k_1} = (1 \times e)x_{ij}^k.$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} ((1 \times e) \otimes 1)w &= \sum_{i,j,k} (1 \times e)(u_{ij}^k \times 1) \otimes v_{ij}^k \\ &= ((1 \times e) \otimes 1) \left( \sum_{i,j,k} (u_{ij}^k \times 1) \otimes v_{ij}^k \right). \end{aligned}$$

Let  $u = \sum_{i,j,k} u_{ij}^k \otimes v_{ij}^k \in B \otimes H$ . Since we identify  $B$  with  $B \times 1$ , a  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $B_1$ , we identify  $B \otimes H$  with  $(B \times 1) \otimes H$ . If we do so,  $u = \sum_{i,j,k} (u_{ij}^k \times 1) \otimes v_{ij}^k$ . Hence by the above equation, we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} ((1 \times e) \otimes 1)w &= ((1 \times e) \otimes 1)u, \\ u^*((1 \times e) \otimes 1)u &= u^*((1 \times e) \otimes 1)w = \rho(1 \times e). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand,  $u^*((1 \times e) \otimes 1)u = \sum_{i,j,k,j_1} (u_{ij}^{k*} \times e)(u_{ij_1}^k \times 1) \otimes v_{j_1 i}^k$ . Since  $\rho(1 \times e) = \sum_{i,j,k} \frac{1}{d_k} ((1 \times S(v_{ji}^k)) \otimes v_{ij}^k)$ , we can see that for any  $j, j_1, k$ ,

$$(4.1) \quad \frac{1}{d_k} (1 \times S(v_{j_1 j}^k)) = \sum_i (u_{ij}^{k*} \times e)(u_{ij_1}^k \times 1).$$

Now, we shall show that  $u$  is a unitary element in  $B \otimes H$ . By [14, Proposition 2.8], we can define the canonical faithful conditional expectation  $E_1$  from  $B_1$  onto  $B$  by  $E_1(x \times h) = \tau(h)x$  for any  $x \in B$  and  $h \in H$ , where we identify  $B$  with  $B \times 1$  and  $\tau$  is the Haar trace on  $H$ .



LEMMA 4.1. *We have that  $u^*u = 1 \otimes 1$  in  $B \otimes H$ .*

PROOF. Since we regard  $B \otimes H$  as a  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $B_1 \otimes H$ , we shall show that  $u^*u = (1 \rtimes 1) \otimes 1$ . By Equation (4.1) and the definition of  $E_1$ , for any  $j, j_1, k$ ,

$$\sum_i u_{ij}^{k*} u_{i j_1}^k = \frac{1}{\tau(e)d_k} \tau(S(v_{j_1 j}^k)).$$

Using the the above equation,

$$\begin{aligned} u^*u &= \sum_{j,k,j_1} \frac{1}{\tau(e)d_k} (\tau(S(v_{j_1 j}^k)) \rtimes 1) \otimes v_{j j_1}^k \\ &= (1 \rtimes 1) \otimes \sum_{j,k,j_1} \frac{1}{\tau(e)d_k} \tau(S(v_{j_1 j}^k)) v_{j j_1}^k \\ &= (1 \rtimes 1) \otimes \frac{1}{\tau(e)} (\tau \otimes \text{id}) \left( \sum_{j,k,j_1} \frac{1}{d_k} S(v_{j_1 j}^k) \otimes v_{j j_1}^k \right) \\ &= (1 \rtimes 1) \otimes \frac{1}{\tau(e)} (\tau \otimes \text{id})(\Delta(e)) = (1 \rtimes 1) \otimes 1. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we obtain the conclusion.

PROPOSITION 4.2. *The element  $u$  is a unitary one in  $B \otimes H$ .*

PROOF. By Lemma 4.1, it suffices to show that  $uu^* = 1 \otimes 1$ . First,

$$((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)uu^*((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1) = (1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1 = \sum_{i,k} (1 \rtimes e) \otimes v_{ii}^k.$$

On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned} ((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)uu^*((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1) &= \sum_{i,j,k,i_1} (1 \rtimes e)(u_{ij}^k u_{i_1 j}^{k*} \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes e) \otimes v_{ii_1}^k \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,i_1} (e \cdot (u_{ij}^k u_{i_1 j}^{k*}) \rtimes e) \otimes v_{ii_1}^k \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,i_1} (E(u_{ij}^k u_{i_1 j}^{k*}) \rtimes e) \otimes v_{ii_1}^k \end{aligned}$$

by [14, Proposition 2.12]. Thus

$$\sum_j E(u_{ij}^k u_{i_1 j}^{k*}) \rtimes e = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i \neq i_1 \\ 1 \rtimes e & \text{if } i = i_1 \end{cases}$$

for any  $k$ . Hence using  $E_1$ ,

$$\sum_j E(u_{ij}^k u_{i_1 j}^{k*}) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i \neq i_1 \\ 1 & \text{if } i = i_1 \end{cases}$$

for any  $k$ . It follows by the above equation that

$$(E \otimes \text{id})(uu^*) = \sum_{i,j,k,i_1} E(u_{ij}^k u_{i_1 j}^{k*}) \otimes v_{ii_1}^k = \sum_{i,k} 1 \otimes v_{ii}^k = 1 \otimes 1.$$

Since  $E \otimes \text{id}$  is faithful,  $uu^* = 1 \otimes 1$ .

Also, we have the following proposition:

PROPOSITION 4.3. *The set  $\{(\sqrt{d_k}u_{ij}^{k*}, \sqrt{d_k}u_{ij}^k)\}_{i,j,k}$  is a quasi-basis for  $E$ .*

PROOF. We note that if  $j = j_1$  in Equation (4.1), we obtain that for any  $j, k$ ,

$$\frac{1}{d_k}(1 \rtimes S(v_{jj}^k)) = \sum_i (u_{ij}^{k*} \rtimes e)(u_{ij}^k \rtimes 1).$$

Since  $1 \rtimes e$  is the Jones projection in  $B_1$  induced by  $E$ , for any  $x \in B$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (1 \rtimes e) \left\{ \sum_{i,j,k} d_k E(xu_{ij}^{k*})u_{ij}^k \rtimes 1 \right\} &= \sum_{i,j,k} d_k (1 \rtimes e)(E(xu_{ij}^{k*})u_{ij}^k \rtimes 1) \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k} d_k (1 \rtimes e)(xu_{ij}^{k*} \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes e)(u_{ij}^k \rtimes 1) \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k} d_k (1 \rtimes e)(x \rtimes 1)(u_{ij}^{k*} \rtimes e)(u_{ij}^k \rtimes 1) \\ &= \sum_{j,k} (1 \rtimes e)(x \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes S(v_{jj}^k)) \\ &= (1 \rtimes e)(x \rtimes 1). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we obtain the conclusion.

Moreover, we have the following:

LEMMA 4.4. *For any  $h \in H$ ,  $\sum_{i,j,k} (h \cdot u_{ij}^k) \otimes v_{ij}^k = \sum_{i,j,k} u_{ij}^k \otimes v_{ij}^k h$ .*

PROOF. Let  $\{w_{ij}^k\}$  be a system of comatrix units of  $H$ . We note that

$$((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u = u\rho(1 \rtimes e).$$

Then by [14, Theorem 2.2],

$$((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u = \sum_{i,j,k,i_1,j_1,k_1} \frac{d_{k_1}}{\dim(H)} ((w_{ij_1}^{k_1} \cdot u_{ij}^k) \rtimes w_{j_1i_1}^{k_1}) \otimes v_{ij}^k.$$

Also,

$$u\rho(1 \rtimes e) = \sum_{i,j,k,i_1,j_1,k_1} \frac{d_{k_1}}{\dim(H)} ((u_{ij}^k \rtimes w_{i_1j_1}^{k_1}) \otimes v_{ij}^k w_{j_1i_1}^{k_1}).$$

Thus since  $\{w_{ij}^k\}$  is a basis of  $H$ , we obtain that for any  $i_1, j_1, k_1$ ,

$$\sum_{i,j,k} (w_{j_1i_1}^{k_1} \cdot u_{ij}^k) \otimes v_{ij}^k = \sum_{i,j,k} u_{ij}^k \otimes v_{ij}^k w_{j_1i_1}^{k_1}.$$

Therefore we obtain the conclusion.

In the rest of this section, we are devoted to the properties of  $u$ .

LEMMA 4.5. *Let  $x \in (B \rtimes 1) \otimes H$ . If  $x((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1) = ((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)x$ , then  $x \in (A \rtimes 1) \otimes H$ .*

PROOF. This is immediate by routine computations.

LEMMA 4.6. *For any  $a \in A$ ,*

$$u((a \rtimes 1) \otimes 1)u^*((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1) = ((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u((a \rtimes 1) \otimes 1)u^*.$$

PROOF. Since  $u$  is a unitary element in  $(B \rtimes 1) \otimes H$  by Proposition 4.2, we have only to show that for any  $a \in A$ ,

$$((a \rtimes 1) \otimes 1)u^*((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u = u^*((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u((a \rtimes 1) \otimes 1).$$

Since  $u^*((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u = \rho(1 \rtimes e)$ , for any  $a \in A$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} ((a \rtimes 1) \otimes 1)u^*((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u &= ((a \rtimes 1) \otimes 1)\rho(1 \rtimes e) \\ &= \rho((a \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes e)) \\ &= \rho((1 \rtimes e)(a \rtimes 1)) \\ &= \rho(1 \rtimes e)((a \rtimes 1) \otimes 1) \\ &= u^*((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u((a \rtimes 1) \otimes 1). \end{aligned}$$

PROPOSITION 4.7. *For any  $a \in A$ ,  $u(a \otimes 1)u^* \in A \otimes H$ .*

PROOF. This is immediate by Lemmas 4.5 and 4.6.

Let  $z = \sum_{i,j,k} \epsilon(v_{ij}^k) u_{ij}^k \in B$ .

LEMMA 4.8. *The element  $z$  is a unitary one in  $A$ .*

PROOF. We note that  $\text{id} \otimes \epsilon$  is a homomorphism of  $B \otimes H$  onto  $B$ . Since  $u$  is a unitary element in  $B \otimes H$ , so is  $z = (\text{id} \otimes \epsilon)(u)$  in  $B$ . Also, we have that  $((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u = u\rho(1 \rtimes e)$ . Since  $(\text{id} \otimes \epsilon) \circ \rho = \text{id}$ ,

$$(1 \rtimes e)z = (\text{id} \otimes \epsilon)((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)u = (\text{id} \otimes \epsilon)(u\rho(1 \rtimes e)) = z(1 \rtimes e).$$

Thus  $z$  is in  $A$ .

REMARK 4.9. For any unitary element  $a \in A$ , we can see that

$$\{(\sqrt{d_k} a u_{ij}^{k*}, \sqrt{d_k} u_{ij}^k a^*)\}_{i,j,k}$$

is a quasi-basis for  $E$  by the above proposition and easy computations. Especially  $\{(\sqrt{d_k} z u_{ij}^{k*}, \sqrt{d_k} u_{ij}^k z^*)\}_{i,j,k}$  is a quasi-basis for  $E$ .

Let  $U = u(z^* \otimes 1)$  which is used in the next section. Clearly  $U$  is a unitary element in  $B \otimes H$ .

## 5. A weak action of the dual $C^*$ -Hopf algebra and a unitary cocycle

As mentioned in Section 2, there is an isomorphism  $\iota$  of  $B \otimes H$  onto the unital convolution  $*$ -algebra  $\text{Hom}(H^0, B)$  defined by for any  $x \in B$ ,  $h \in H$  and  $\phi \in H^0$ ,

$$\iota(x \otimes h)(\phi) = \phi(h)x.$$

For any  $x \in B \otimes H$ , we denote by  $x^\wedge$  an element  $\iota(x) \in \text{Hom}(H^0, B)$ . We constructed a unitary element  $U \in B \otimes H$  in the previous section. Then  $U^\wedge$  is a unitary element in  $\text{Hom}(H^0, B)$ . Let  $\{\phi_{mn}^r\}$  be the dual basis of  $H^0$  corresponding to a system of matrix units  $\{v_{ij}^k\}$  of  $H$ . Then it is a system of comatrix units of  $H^0$ . By [14, Theorem 2.2],  $\Delta^0(\phi_{mn}^r) = \sum_t \phi_{mt}^r \otimes \phi_{tn}^r$  for any  $m, n, r$ . Hence we can see that  $U^\wedge(\phi_{mn}^r) = u_{mn}^r z^*$  and  $U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{mn}^r) = z u_{nm}^{r*}$  for any  $m, n, r$ .

LEMMA 5.1. *We define  $\phi \cdot x = U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})xU^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)})$  for any  $x \in B$  and  $\phi \in H^0$ . Then  $(\phi, x) \mapsto \phi \cdot x$  is a weak inner action of  $H^0$  on  $B$ .*

PROOF. Since  $U^\wedge(1^0) = 1$ , by [1, Lemma 1.4], it suffices to show that  $(\phi \cdot x)^* = S^0(\phi^*) \cdot x^*$  for any  $x \in B$ ,  $\phi \in H^0$ . Thus we have only to show that  $(\phi_{mn}^r \cdot x)^* = S^0(\phi_{mn}^{r*}) \cdot x^*$  for any  $x \in B$  and  $m, n, r$ . Indeed

$$(\phi_{mn}^r \cdot x)^* = \sum_t (u_{mt}^r z^* x z u_{nt}^{r*})^* = \phi_{nm}^r \cdot x^* = (S^0 \circ S^0)(\phi_{nm}^r) \cdot x^* = S^0(\phi_{mn}^{r*}) \cdot x^*.$$

LEMMA 5.2. For any  $a \in A$  and  $\phi \in H^0$ ,  $\phi \cdot a \in A$ .

PROOF. For any  $a \in A$ ,  $u(a \otimes 1)u^* = \sum_{i,j,k,i_1} u_{ij}^k a u_{i_1 j}^{k*} \otimes v_{ii_1}^k$ . Thus by Proposition 4.7,  $\sum_j u_{ij}^k a u_{i_1 j}^{k*} \in A$  for any  $a \in A$  and  $i, i_1, k$ . Hence for any  $r, m, n$  and  $a \in A$

$$\phi_{mn}^r \cdot a = \sum_t u_{mt}^r z^* a z u_{nt}^{r*} \in A.$$

Therefore we obtain the conclusion.

COROLLARY 5.3. The map  $H^0 \times A \longrightarrow A : (\phi, a) \mapsto \phi \cdot a$  is a weak action of  $H^0$  on  $A$ , where  $a \in A$  and  $\phi \in H^0$ .

PROOF. This is immediate by Lemmas 5.1 and 5.2.

Following [1, Example 4.11], we shall construct a unitary cocycle of  $H^0 \otimes H^0$  to  $B$ . Let  $\sigma$  be a bilinear map from  $H^0 \otimes H^0$  to  $B$  defined by for any  $\phi, \psi \in H^0$ ,

$$\sigma(\phi, \psi) = U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})U^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}\psi_{(2)}).$$

By [1, Example 4.11],  $\sigma$  satisfies Conditions (2), (3) and (4) of Definition 3.1 of a unitary cocycle for the weak inner action of  $H^0$  on  $B$ .

LEMMA 5.4. For any  $\phi, \psi \in H^0$ ,  $\sigma(\phi, \psi) \in A$ .

PROOF. For any  $\phi \in H^0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (U^*((1 \times e) \otimes 1))^\wedge(\phi) &= U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(1)})\epsilon^0(\phi_{(2)})(1 \times e) = U^{\wedge*}(\phi)(1 \times e), \\ (\rho(1 \times e)U^*)^\wedge(\phi) &= ((1 \times e_{(1)}) \otimes e_{(2)})^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}) \\ &= (\text{id} \otimes \phi_{(1)})\rho(1 \times e)U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $U^*((1 \times e) \otimes 1) = \rho(1 \times e)U^*$ , we obtain that

$$(5.1) \quad U^{\wedge*}(\phi)(1 \times e) = (\text{id} \otimes \phi_{(1)})\rho(1 \times e)U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}).$$

Also, for any  $\phi \in H^0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (U\rho(1 \times e))^\wedge(\phi) &= U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})(1 \times e_{(1)})\phi_{(2)}(e_{(2)}), \\ (((1 \times e) \otimes 1)U)^\wedge(\phi) &= (1 \times e)\epsilon^0(\phi_{(1)})U^\wedge(\phi_{(2)}) = (1 \times e)U^\wedge(\phi). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $((1 \times e) \otimes 1)U = U\rho(1 \times e)$ , we obtain that

$$(5.2) \quad (1 \times e)U^\wedge(\phi) = U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})(1 \times e_{(1)})\phi_{(2)}(e_{(2)}).$$

Furthermore, by Equation (5.2)

$$\rho((1 \rtimes e)U^\wedge(\phi)) = \rho(U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})(1 \rtimes e_{(1)})\phi_{(2)}(e_{(2)})).$$

Since  $U^\wedge(\phi) \in B$  and  $\rho(U^\wedge(\phi)) = U^\wedge(\phi) \otimes 1$ , we see that

$$(5.3) \quad (1 \rtimes e_{(1)})U^\wedge(\phi) \otimes e_{(2)} = U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})(1 \rtimes e_{(1)})\phi_{(2)}(e_{(3)}) \otimes e_{(2)},$$

where we identify  $B$  with  $B \rtimes 1$ . Now, we shall show that any  $\phi, \psi \in H^0$ ,

$$(1 \rtimes e)(\sigma(\phi, \psi) \rtimes 1) = (\sigma(\phi, \psi) \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes e).$$

First, by Equation (5.2)

$$(1 \rtimes e)(\sigma(\phi, \psi) \rtimes 1) = U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})(1 \rtimes e_{(1)})\phi_{(2)}(e_{(2)})U^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(3)}\psi_{(2)}).$$

Moreover, by Equation (5.3),

$$\begin{aligned} (1 \rtimes e)(\sigma(\phi, \psi) \rtimes 1) \\ = U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})\phi_{(2)}(e_{(2)})U^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})(1 \rtimes e_{(1)})\psi_{(2)}(e_{(3)})U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(3)}\psi_{(3)}). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, by Equation (5.1)

$$\begin{aligned} (\sigma(\phi, \psi) \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes e) \\ = U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})U^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})(\text{id} \otimes \phi_{(2)}\psi_{(2)})\rho(1 \rtimes e)U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(3)}\psi_{(3)}) \\ = U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})U^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})(1 \rtimes e_{(1)})\phi_{(2)}(e_{(2)})\psi_{(2)}(e_{(3)})U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(3)}\psi_{(3)}). \end{aligned}$$

It follows that for any  $\phi, \psi \in H^0$ ,  $(1 \rtimes e)(\sigma(\phi, \psi) \rtimes 1) = (\sigma(\phi, \psi) \rtimes 1)(1 \rtimes e)$ . Therefore we obtain the conclusion.

**LEMMA 5.5.** *The element  $\sigma$  is a unitary one in  $\text{Hom}(H^0 \otimes H^0, A)$ .*

**PROOF.** By Lemma 5.4, it suffices to show that  $\sigma^*\sigma = \sigma\sigma^* = \epsilon^0 \otimes \epsilon^0$ . For any  $\phi, \psi \in H^0$ , we see that  $(\sigma^*\sigma)(\phi, \psi) = (\sigma\sigma^*)(\phi, \psi) = \epsilon^0(\phi)\epsilon^0(\psi)$  by routine computations. Therefore we obtain the conclusion.

**PROPOSITION 5.6.** *The element  $\sigma$  is a unitary cocycle for the weak action of  $H^0$  on  $A$ .*

**PROOF.** This is immediate by Lemma 5.5 and [1, Example 4.11].

## 6. A twisted crossed product induced by an inclusion of unital $C^*$ -algebras of depth 2

In this section we suppose that there is a saturated action of a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra  $H$  on a unital  $C^*$ -algebra  $B$ . Also, we suppose that  $A$  is the

fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $B$  for the action of  $H$  and that  $\rho(1 \times e) \sim (1 \times e) \otimes 1$  in  $B_1 \otimes H$ , where  $B_1 = B \rtimes H$ . Furthermore, we suppose that  $\rho$  is the coaction of  $H$  on  $B_1$  induced by the action of  $H$  on  $B$ . By the previous section, we can construct the weak action of the dual  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra  $H^0$  on  $A$  and the unitary cocycle  $\sigma \in \text{Hom}(H^0 \otimes H^0, A)$  using the unitary element  $U \in B \otimes H$  defined at the end of Section 4. By Section 3 we can construct the twisted crossed product  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  of  $A$  by the weak action of  $H^0$ . Also, we can define the dual action of  $H$  on  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$ . Let  $\pi$  be a map from  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  to  $B$  defined by  $\pi(a \rtimes \phi) = aU^{\wedge}(\phi)$  for any  $a \in A$  and  $\phi \in H^0$ . Then the following proposition holds:

**PROPOSITION 6.1.** *With the above notations,  $\pi$  is an epimorphism of  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  onto  $B$  satisfying that  $h \cdot \pi(x) = \pi(h \cdot x)$  for any  $x \in A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  and  $h \in H$ .*

**PROOF.** Clearly  $\pi$  is a linear map from  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  to  $B$ . For any  $a, b \in A$  and  $\phi, \psi \in H^0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \pi((a \rtimes \phi)(b \rtimes \psi)) &= a(\phi_{(1)} \cdot b)\sigma(\phi_{(2)}, \psi_{(1)})U^{\wedge}(\phi_{(3)}\psi_{(2)}) \\ &= aU^{\wedge}(\phi_{(1)})b\epsilon^0(\phi_{(2)})U^{\wedge}(\psi_{(1)})\epsilon^0(\phi_{(3)}\psi_{(2)}) \\ &= aU^{\wedge}(\phi)bU^{\wedge}(\psi) = \pi(a \rtimes \phi)\pi(b \rtimes \psi). \end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \pi((a \rtimes \phi)^*) &= \pi[\sigma(S(\phi_{(2)}), \phi_{(1)})^*(\phi_{(3)}^* \cdot a^*) \rtimes \phi_{(4)}^*] \\ &= U^{\wedge*}(\epsilon^0(\phi_{(2)}))^*U^{\wedge}(\phi_{(1)})^*U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(4)}^*)U^{\wedge}(\phi_{(5)}^*)a^*\epsilon^0(\phi_{(6)}^*) \\ &= U^{\wedge}(\phi)^*a^* = \pi(a \rtimes \phi)^*. \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $\pi$  is a homomorphism of  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  to  $B$ . For any  $x \in B$ , we can write

$$x = \sum_{i,j,k} d_k E(xzu_{ij}^{k*})u_{ij}^k z^*$$

by Proposition 4.3 and Remark 4.9. Put  $y = \sum_{i,j,k} d_k E(xzu_{ij}^{k*}) \rtimes \phi_{ij}^k$ . Then  $y \in A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  and  $\pi(y) = \sum_{i,j,k} d_k E(xzu_{ij}^{k*})U^{\wedge}(\phi_{ij}^k) = x$  since  $U^{\wedge}(\phi_{ij}^k) = u_{ij}^k z^*$  for any  $i, j, k$ . Hence  $\pi$  is surjective. Furthermore, for any  $a \in A, h \in H, \phi \in H^0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \pi(h \cdot (a \rtimes \phi)) &= \phi_{(2)}(h)aU^{\wedge}(\phi_{(1)}) = \sum_{i,j,k,(\phi)} \phi_{(1)}(v_{ij}^k)\phi_{(2)}(h)au_{ij}^k z^* \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k} \phi(v_{ij}^k h)au_{ij}^k z^* \end{aligned}$$

since  $U = \sum_{i,j,k} u_{ij}^k z^* \otimes v_{ij}^k$ . On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned} h \cdot \pi(a \rtimes \phi) &= \sum_{i,j,k} a(h \cdot u_{ij}^k \phi(v_{ij}^k) z^*) = \sum_{i,j,k} a(\text{id} \otimes \phi)((h \cdot u_{ij}^k) \otimes v_{ij}^k) z^* \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k} a(\text{id} \otimes \phi)(u_{ij}^k \otimes v_{ij}^k h) z^* = \sum_{i,j,k} \phi(v_{ij}^k h) a u_{ij}^k z^* \end{aligned}$$

by Lemma 4.4. Therefore  $\pi(h \cdot (a \rtimes \phi)) = h \cdot \pi(a \rtimes \phi)$  for any  $a \in A$ ,  $h \in H$ ,  $\phi \in H^0$ .

**COROLLARY 6.2.** *With the same notations as above,  $F = E \circ \pi$ , where  $F$  is the canonical conditional expectation from  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  onto  $A$ .*

**PROOF.** For any  $a \in A$ ,  $\pi(a \rtimes 1^0) = aU^{\wedge}(1^0) = a$ . Hence for any  $a \in A$ ,  $\phi \in H^0$ ,

$$(E \circ \pi)(a \rtimes \phi) = e \cdot \pi(a \rtimes \phi) = \pi(e \cdot (a \rtimes \phi)) = F(a \rtimes \phi)$$

by Proposition 6.1, where we identify  $A$  with  $A \rtimes 1^0$ .

**PROPOSITION 6.3.** *With the same notations as above,  $\pi$  is an isomorphism of  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  onto  $B$ .*

**PROOF.** By Proposition 6.1, we have only to show that  $\pi$  is injective. We suppose that  $\pi(x) = 0$  for an element  $x \in A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$ . Then  $F(x^*x) = E(\pi(x^*)\pi(x)) = 0$  by Corollary 6.2. Since  $F$  is faithful by Lemma 3.14,  $x = 0$ .

The following theorem is the main result:

**THEOREM 6.4.** *Let  $B$  be a unital  $C^*$ -algebra and  $H$  a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra acting on  $B$  in the saturated fashion. Let  $A$  be the fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $B$  for the action of  $H$  on  $B$  and  $E$  the canonical conditional expectation from  $B$  onto  $A$ . Let  $e$  be a minimal and central projection in  $H$ , which is called the distinguished projection and  $\rho$  the coaction of  $H$  on  $B \rtimes H$ , the crossed product of  $B$  by the action of  $H$  on  $B$ , which is induced by the action of  $H$  on  $B$ . Then the following are equivalent:*

- (1) *We have that  $\rho(1 \rtimes e) \sim (1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1$  in  $(B \rtimes H) \otimes H$ ,*
- (2) *There are a weak action of  $H^0$  on  $A$  and a unitary cocycle  $\sigma$  of  $H^0 \otimes H^0$  to  $A$  satisfying that there is an isomorphism  $\pi$  of  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  onto  $B$  such that  $F = E \circ \pi$ ,*

where  $H^0$  is the dual  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra of  $H$  and  $F$  is the canonical conditional expectation from  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  onto  $A$ .



PROOF. This is immediate by Propositions 3.19, 6.3 and Corollary 6.2.

Let  $A \subset B$  be an irreducible inclusion of unital  $C^*$ -algebras and  $E$  a conditional expectation from  $B$  onto  $A$  which is index-finite and of depth 2. Then in [2] Izumi pointed the following: There is a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra  $H$  acting on  $B$  such that  $A = B^H$  and  $E(x) = e \cdot x$  for any  $x \in B$ . We note that the action of  $H$  on  $B$  is saturated by [14]. Let  $\rho$  be the coaction of  $H$  on  $B \rtimes H$  defined in the same way as in Section 3. We call  $\rho$  the *coaction of  $H$  on  $B \rtimes H$  induced by the inclusion  $A \subset B$* .

COROLLARY 6.5. *Let  $A \subset B$  be an irreducible inclusion of unital  $C^*$ -algebras and  $E$  a conditional expectation from  $B$  onto  $A$  which is index-finite and of depth 2. Let  $H$  be a finite dimensional  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra acting on  $B$  in the saturated fashion such that the inclusion  $A \subset B$  can be identified with the inclusion  $B^H \subset B$ . Let  $\rho$  be the coaction of  $H$  on  $B \rtimes H$  induced by  $A \subset B$ . Furthermore, let  $e$  be the distinguished projection in  $H$ . Then the following are equivalent:*

- (1) *We have that  $\rho(1 \rtimes e) \sim (1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1$  in  $(B \rtimes H) \otimes H$ ,*
- (2) *There are a weak action of  $H^0$  on  $A$  and a unitary cocycle  $\sigma$  of  $H^0 \otimes H^0$  to  $A$  satisfying that there is an isomorphism  $\pi$  of  $A \rtimes_\sigma H^0$  onto  $B$  such that  $F = E \circ \pi$ ,*

where  $H^0$  is the dual  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra of  $H$  and  $F$  is the canonical conditional expectation from  $A \rtimes_\sigma H^0$  onto  $A$ .

PROOF. This is immediate by Theorem 6.4.

We shall give another application of Theorem 6.4. Let  $A$  be a unital  $C^*$ -algebra. We suppose that  $A$  has cancellation and the unique tracial state  $\tau_A$ . Let  $\tau_{A^*}$  be the homomorphism of  $K_0(A)$  to  $\mathbb{R}$  induced by  $\tau_A$ . Also, we suppose that  $\tau_{A^*}$  is injective. Irrational rotation  $C^*$ -algebras, UHF-algebras and AFD  $II_1$ -factors have the above properties.

LEMMA 6.6. *Let  $A$  be as above and let  $B$  be a unital  $C^*$ -algebra which is strongly Morita equivalent to  $A$ . Then  $B$  has the following properties:*

- (1)  *$B$  has cancellation,*
- (2)  *$B$  has the unique tracial state  $\tau_B$ ,*
- (3) *Let  $\tau_{B^*}$  be the homomorphism of  $K_0(B)$  to  $\mathbb{R}$ . Then  $\tau_{B^*}$  is injective.*

PROOF. Since unital  $C^*$ -algebras  $A$  and  $B$  are strongly Morita equivalent,  $B$  is isomorphic to a full corner of some full matrix algebra over  $A$  by Rieffel [10, Proposition 2.1]. By this fact and [10, Proposition 2.2], we can obtain the conclusion.

**COROLLARY 6.7.** *With the same notations and assumptions as Theorem 6.4, we suppose that  $A$  has cancellation and the unique tracial state  $\tau_A$  and that the homomorphism  $\tau_{A*}$  of  $K_0(A)$  to  $\mathbf{R}$  induced by  $\tau_A$  is injective. Then there are a weak action of  $H^0$  on  $A$  and a unitary cocycle  $\sigma$  of  $H^0 \otimes H^0$  to  $A$  satisfying that there is an isomorphism  $\pi$  of  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  onto  $B$  such that  $F = E \circ \pi$ , where  $H^0$  is the dual  $C^*$ -Hopf algebra and  $F$  is the canonical conditional expectation from  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  onto  $A$ .*

**PROOF.** Let  $\rho$  be the coaction of  $H$  on  $B_1 = B \rtimes H$  induced by the action of  $H$  on  $B$  and  $e$  the distinguished projection in  $H$ . Then by [14, Definition 4.2],  $B_1$  is strongly Morita equivalent to  $A$ . Thus by Lemma 6.6(2),  $B_1$  has the unique tracial state  $\tau_{B_1}$ . Recall that  $H \cong \bigoplus_{k=1}^N M_{d_k}(\mathbf{C})$  as  $C^*$ -algebras. We identify  $H$  with  $\bigoplus_{k=1}^N M_{d_k}(\mathbf{C})$ . For  $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$ , let  $p_k$  be a minimal central projection in  $H$  and  $\pi_k$  a homomorphism of  $B_1 \otimes H$  onto  $B_1 \otimes M_{d_k}(\mathbf{C})$  defined by  $\pi_k(x) = x((1 \times 1) \otimes p_k)$  for any  $x \in B_1 \otimes H$ . Let  $Tr_k$  be the unique tracial state on  $M_{d_k}(\mathbf{C})$  and let  $\tau_k = \tau_{B_1} \otimes Tr_k$  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$ . Let  $\tau_{k*}$  be the homomorphism of  $K_0(B_1 \otimes M_{d_k}(\mathbf{C}))$  to  $\mathbf{R}$  induced by  $\tau_k$  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$ . Since  $\tau_k \circ \pi_k \circ \rho$  is a tracial state on  $B_1$ ,  $\tau_{B_1} = \tau_k \circ \pi_k \circ \rho$ . Thus for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{k*}([\rho(1 \rtimes e)((1 \times 1) \otimes p_k)]) &= (\tau_k \circ \pi_k \circ \rho)(1 \rtimes e) = \tau_{B_1}(1 \rtimes e) \\ &= \tau_k((1 \rtimes e) \otimes p_k) \\ &= \tau_{k*}([(1 \times e) \otimes 1)((1 \times 1) \otimes p_k)]. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\tau_{k*}$  is injective for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$ , by Lemma 6.6(3) in  $K_0(B_1 \otimes M_{d_k}(\mathbf{C}))$ ,

$$[\rho(1 \rtimes e)((1 \times 1) \otimes p_k)] = [((1 \times e) \otimes 1)((1 \times 1) \otimes p_k)].$$

Since  $B_1 \otimes M_{d_k}(\mathbf{C})$  has cancellation by Lemma 6.6(1), we have

$$\rho(1 \rtimes e)((1 \times 1) \otimes p_k) \sim ((1 \times e) \otimes 1)((1 \times 1) \otimes p_k)$$

in  $B_1 \otimes M_{d_k}(\mathbf{C})$  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$ . Hence  $\rho(1 \rtimes e) \sim (1 \times e) \otimes 1$  in  $B_1 \otimes H$ . Therefore we obtain the conclusion by Theorem 6.4.

Also, we have the following similar result to Theorem 6.4.

**PROPOSITION 6.8.** *With the same notations and assumptions as Corollary 6.5, the following are equivalent:*

- (1) *There are a  $C^*$ -subalgebra  $P$  of  $A$  with the common unit and a conditional expectation  $G$  from  $A$  onto  $P$ , which is index-finite, satisfying that there is an isomorphism  $\pi$  of  $P_1$  onto  $B$  such that  $G_1 = E \circ \pi$ ,*

where  $P_1$  is the  $C^*$ -basic construction induced by  $G$  and  $G_1$  is the dual conditional expectation of  $G$  from  $P_1$  onto  $A$ .

- (2) There is a saturated action of  $H^0$  on  $A$  satisfying that there is an isomorphism  $\pi$  of  $A \rtimes H^0$  onto  $B$  such that  $F = E \circ \pi$ .

PROOF. (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let  $\rho$ ,  $B_1$  and  $e$  be as in the proof of Corollary 6.7. Since the inclusion  $A \subset B$  is of depth 2, so is the inclusion  $P \subset A$ . Hence since  $P' \cap B_1$  is isomorphic to some full matrix algebra over  $\mathbb{C}$ ,  $P' \cap B_1$  has the properties (1), (2) and (3) in Lemma 6.6. In the same way as in the proof of Corollary 6.7,  $\rho(1 \rtimes e) \sim (1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1$  in  $(P' \cap B_1) \otimes H$ . Thus there is a partial isometry  $w \in (P' \cap B_1) \otimes H$  such that  $w^*w = \rho(1 \rtimes e)$ ,  $ww^* = (1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1$ . Also, in the same way as in Section 4, there is a unitary element  $U \in (P' \cap B) \otimes H$  such that  $((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)w = ((1 \rtimes e) \otimes 1)U$ . In the same discussions as in Sections 4 and 5, we can define a weak action of  $H^0$  on  $A$  and a unitary cocycle  $\sigma$  of  $H^0 \otimes H^0$  to  $A$  by for any  $x \in A$  and  $\phi, \psi \in H^0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\phi \cdot x &= U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})xU^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}) \\ \sigma(\phi, \psi) &= U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})U^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}\psi_{(2)}) \in A,\end{aligned}$$

where  $U^\wedge$  is a unitary element in  $\text{Hom}(H^0, P' \cap B)$  induced by  $U$ . We note that since  $U \in (P' \cap B) \otimes H$ ,  $U^\wedge(\phi) \in P' \cap B$  for any  $\phi \in H^0$ . Let  $e_P$  be the Jones projection induced by  $P \subset A$ . Since  $e_P$  is a minimal and central projection in  $P' \cap B$ , for any  $x \in P' \cap B$ , there is the unique element  $c(x) \in \mathbb{C}$  such that  $xe_P = e_Px = c(x)e_P$ . We regard  $c$  as a map  $x \in P' \cap B \mapsto c(x) \in \mathbb{C}$ . Then  $c$  is a homomorphism of  $P' \cap B$  to  $\mathbb{C}$ . Let  $c^\wedge$  be a homomorphism of  $H^0$  to  $\mathbb{C}$  defined by  $c^\wedge = c \circ U^\wedge$ . By easy computations, we can see that  $c^\wedge$  is a unitary element in  $\text{Hom}(H^0, \mathbb{C})$  with  $c^\wedge(1^0) = 1$ . Furthermore, for any  $\phi, \psi \in H^0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma(\phi, \psi)e_P &= U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})U^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})U^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}\psi_{(2)})e_P \\ &= U^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})U^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})e_Pc^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}\psi_{(2)}) \\ &= c^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})c^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})c^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}\psi_{(2)})e_P.\end{aligned}$$

Since  $\sigma(\phi, \psi) \in A$ ,  $\sigma(\phi, \psi) = c^\wedge(\phi_{(1)})c^\wedge(\psi_{(1)})c^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(2)}\psi_{(2)})$  for any  $\phi, \psi \in H^0$ . Let  $W = c^{\wedge*}U^\wedge \in \text{Hom}(H^0, B)$ . Then for any  $x \in A$  and  $\phi \in H^0$

$$W(\phi_{(1)})xW^*(\phi_{(2)}) = c^{\wedge*}(\phi_{(1)})(\phi_{(2)} \cdot x)c^\wedge(\phi_{(3)}) \in A.$$

Thus by easy computations, we can see that the map

$$A \rtimes H^0 \ni (x, \phi) \mapsto W(\phi_{(1)})xW^*(\phi_{(2)}) \in A$$

is an action of  $H^0$  on  $A$ . We denote by  $A \rtimes H^0$  the crossed product of  $A$  by the above action of  $H^0$  on  $A$ . Let  $\Phi$  be a map from  $A \rtimes H^0$  to  $A \rtimes_\sigma H^0$

defined by for any  $x \in A$  and  $\phi \in H^0$ ,  $\Phi(x \rtimes \phi) = xc^{*\}(\phi_{(1)}) \rtimes \phi_{(2)}$ , where  $x \rtimes \phi \in A \rtimes H^0$ . Then by routine computations,  $\Phi$  is an isomorphism of  $A \rtimes H^0$  onto  $A \rtimes_{\sigma} H^0$  satisfying that  $F' = E \circ \Phi$ , where  $F'$  is the canonical conditional expectations from  $A \rtimes H^0$  onto  $A$ . (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let  $P = A^{H^0}$ , the fixed point  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $A$  for the action of  $H^0$  on  $A$ . Then  $P$  is the desired  $C^*$ -subalgebra of  $A$ .

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