

FIXED POINT PROPERTIES RELATED TO CHARACTER AMENABLE BANACH ALGEBRAS

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Abstract. For a Banach algebra \mathfrak{A} , we investigate several fixed point properties for \mathfrak{A} with respect to a non-zero character ϕ on \mathfrak{A} . As the main results, we obtain some fixed point characterizations for ϕ -amenability of \mathfrak{A} . We also describe ϕ -amenability of \mathfrak{A} in terms of the Hahn-Banach extension property. As a consequence, we offer some applications to the group algebra and the Fourier algebra of a locally compact group.

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