



EULER-CESÀRO DIFFERENCE SPACES OF BOUNDED, CONVERGENT AND NULL SEQUENCES

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Abstract. In this paper, we introduce the spaces $\check{\ell}_\infty$, \check{c} and \check{c}_0 of Euler-Cesàro bounded, convergent and null difference sequences and prove that the inclusions $\ell_\infty \subset \check{\ell}_\infty$, $c \subset \check{c}$ and $c_0 \subset \check{c}_0$ strictly hold. We show that the spaces \check{c}_0 and \check{c} turn out to be the separable BK spaces such that \check{c} does not possess any of the following: AK property and monotonicity. We determine the alpha-, beta- and gamma-duals of the new spaces and characterize the matrix classes $(\check{c} : \ell_\infty)$, $(\check{c} : c)$ and $(\check{c} : c_0)$.

1. Introduction

By \mathbb{N} and \mathbb{C} , we denote the sets of all natural and complex numbers, respectively. Let ω be the vector space of all complex sequences. Any vector subspace of ω is called a *sequence space*. By ℓ_∞ , c , c_0 and ℓ_p ; we denote the classes of all bounded, convergent, null and p -absolutely summable sequences, as usual; respectively. Moreover, we write bs , cs and cs_0 to denote the spaces of all bounded, convergent and null series, respectively.

A sequence $(y_n)_{n=0}^\infty$ in a normed space X is called a *Schauder basis* for X if for every $x \in X$ there is a unique sequence $(\alpha_n)_{n=0}^\infty$ of scalars such that $x = \sum_{n=0}^\infty \alpha_n y_n$, i.e., $\|x - \sum_{k=0}^n \alpha_k y_k\| \rightarrow 0$, as $n \rightarrow \infty$. The alpha-, beta- and gamma-duals λ^α , λ^β and λ^γ of a sequence space λ are respectively defined by

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda^\alpha &:= \{a = (a_k) \in \omega : ax = (a_k x_k) \in \ell_1 \text{ for all } x = (x_k) \in \lambda\}, \\ \lambda^\beta &:= \{a = (a_k) \in \omega : ax = (a_k x_k) \in cs \text{ for all } x = (x_k) \in \lambda\}, \\ \lambda^\gamma &:= \{a = (a_k) \in \omega : ax = (a_k x_k) \in bs \text{ for all } x = (x_k) \in \lambda\}.\end{aligned}$$

Also, we use the conventions that $e = (1, 1, 1, \dots)$ and $e^{(k)}$ is the sequence whose only non-zero term is 1 in the k^{th} place for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$.

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Let λ and μ be two sequence spaces, and $A = (a_{nk})$ be an infinite matrix of complex numbers a_{nk} , where $n, k \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, we say that A defines a *matrix transformation* from λ into μ and we denote it by writing $A : \lambda \rightarrow \mu$, if for every sequence $x = (x_k) \in \lambda$ the A -transform $Ax = \{(Ax)_n\}$ of x is in μ ; where

$$(Ax)_n = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_{nk}x_k \text{ for each } n \in \mathbb{N}. \tag{1.1}$$

By $(\lambda : \mu)$, we denote the class of all matrices A such that $A : \lambda \rightarrow \mu$. Thus, $A \in (\lambda : \mu)$ if and only if the series on the right side of (1.1) converges for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, i.e., $A_n \in \ell^{\beta}$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and every $x \in \lambda$, and we have $Ax \in \mu$ for all $x \in \lambda$, where A_n denotes the sequence in the n -th row of A .

The *matrix domain* λ_A of an infinite matrix A in a sequence space λ is defined by

$$\lambda_A := \{x = (x_k) \in \omega : Ax \in \lambda\} \tag{1.2}$$

which is a sequence space. By using the matrix domain of a triangle matrix, so many sequence spaces have recently been defined by several authors, see for instance [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15]. In the literature, the matrix domain λ_{Δ} is called the *difference sequence space* whenever λ is a normed or a paranormed sequence space, where Δ denotes the backward difference matrix $\Delta = (\Delta_{nk})$ and $\Delta' = (\Delta'_{nk})$ denotes the transpose of the matrix Δ , the forward difference matrix, which are defined by

$$\Delta_{nk} = \begin{cases} (-1)^{n-k}, & n-1 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0 & , 0 \leq k < n-1 \text{ or } k > n, \end{cases}$$

$$\Delta'_{nk} = \begin{cases} (-1)^{n-k}, & n \leq k \leq n+1, \\ 0 & , 0 \leq k < n \text{ or } k > n+1 \end{cases}$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$; respectively. The notion of difference sequence spaces was introduced by Kızmaz [16], who defined the sequence spaces

$$X(\Delta) := \{x = (x_k) \in \omega : \Delta'x = (x_k - x_{k+1}) \in X\}$$

for $X \in \{\ell_{\infty}, c, c_0\}$. The difference space bv_p , consisting of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\Delta x = (x_k - x_{k-1})$ is in the sequence space ℓ_p , was studied in the case $0 < p < 1$ by Altay and Başar [4] and in the case $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ by Başar and Altay [17], and Çolak et al. [5]. Kirişçi and Başar [18] have introduced and studied the generalized difference sequence space

$$\widehat{X} := \{x = (x_k) \in \omega : B(r, s)x \in X\},$$

where X denotes any of the spaces ℓ_{∞}, c, c_0 and ℓ_p with $1 \leq p < \infty$, and $B(r, s)x = (sx_{k-1} + rx_k)$ with $r, s \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$. Following Kirişçi and Başar [4], Sönmez [19] have been examined the sequence space $X(B)$ as the set of all sequences whose $B(r, s, t)$ -transforms are in the space

$X \in \{\ell_\infty, c, c_0, \ell_p\}$, where $B(r, s, t)$ denotes the triple band matrix $B(r, s, t) = \{b_{nk}(r, s, t)\}$ defined by

$$b_{nk}(r, s, t) = \begin{cases} r, & n = k \\ s, & n = k + 1 \\ t, & n = k + 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $r, s, t \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$. Also in [6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11], certain difference sequence spaces are studied. Quite recently, Başar has studied the space $\tilde{\ell}_p$ of p -absolutely \tilde{B} -summable sequences, in [12].

In this paper, as a natural continuation of Başar [12], we introduce the spaces $\check{\ell}_\infty, \check{c}$ and \check{c}_0 of Euler-Cesàro bounded, convergent and null difference sequences by using the composition of the Euler mean E_1 and Cesàro mean C_1 of order one with backward difference operator Δ . The rest of this paper is organized, as follows: In Section 2, we give some required notations and basic concepts. In Section 3, we introduce the sequence spaces $\check{\ell}_\infty, \check{c}$ and \check{c}_0 , and establish some inclusion relations. Also, we construct the bases of the spaces \check{c} and \check{c}_0 . In Section 4, the alpha-, beta-, gamma-duals of the spaces $\check{\ell}_\infty, \check{c}$ and \check{c}_0 are determined and the classes $(\check{c} : \ell_\infty), (\check{c} : c)$ and $(\check{c} : c_0)$ of matrix transformations are characterized. In the final section of the paper, we give a table for the literature related to the domain of certain triangle matrices on the spaces c_0, c and ℓ_∞ , and record some further suggestions.

2. Preliminaries

A B -space is a complete normed space. A topological sequence space in which all coordinate functionals π_k with $\pi_k(x) = x_k$, are continuous is called a K -space. A BK -space is defined as a K -space which is also a B -space, that is, a BK -space is a Banach space with continuous coordinates. For example, the space ℓ_p is BK -space with $\|x\|_p = (\sum_{k=0}^\infty |x_k|^p)^{1/p}$ and c_0, c and ℓ_∞ are BK -spaces with $\|x\|_\infty = \sup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} |x_k|$, where $1 \leq p < \infty$. The sequence space X is said to be *solid* (cf. [20, p. 48]) if and only if

$$\tilde{X} := \{(u_k) \in \omega : \exists (x_k) \in X \text{ such that } |u_k| \leq |x_k| \text{ for all } k \in \mathbb{N}\} \subset X.$$

Let us define the Euler mean $E_1 = (e_{nk})$ of order one and Cesàro mean $C_1 = (c_{nk})$ of order one by

$$e_{nk} := \begin{cases} \frac{\binom{n}{k}}{2^n}, & 0 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0, & k > n, \end{cases} \quad c_{nk} := \begin{cases} \frac{1}{n+1}, & 0 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0, & k > n, \end{cases}$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$. Their inverses $E_1^{-1} = (g_{nk})$ and $C_1^{-1} = (h_{nk})$ are given by

$$g_{nk} := \begin{cases} \binom{n}{k}(-1)^{n-k}2^k, & 0 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0, & k > n, \end{cases} \quad h_{nk} := \begin{cases} (-1)^{n-k}(k+1), & n-1 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0, & 0 \leq k \leq n-2 \text{ or } k > n \end{cases}$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$. We define the matrix $\tilde{B} = (\tilde{b}_{nk})$ by the composition of the matrices E_1, C_1 and Δ as

$$\tilde{b}_{nk} := \begin{cases} \frac{\binom{n}{k}}{2^n(k+1)}, & 0 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0 & , k > n \end{cases} \tag{2.1}$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$.

3. The Euler-Cesàro difference spaces of null, convergent and bounded sequences

In this section, we define the spaces \check{c}_0, \check{c} and $\check{\ell}_\infty$ of Euler-Cesàro null, Euler-Cesàro convergent and Euler-Cesàro bounded difference sequences. Also, we present some inclusion theorems and construct the Schauder bases of the spaces \check{c}_0 and \check{c} .

Now, we introduce the spaces \check{c}_0, \check{c} and $\check{\ell}_\infty$ of Euler-Cesàro null, Euler-Cesàro convergent and Euler-Cesàro bounded difference sequences as the set of all sequences whose \tilde{B} -transforms are in the spaces c_0, c and ℓ_∞ , respectively, i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} \check{c}_0 &:= \left\{ x = (x_n) \in \omega : \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}}{2^n(k+1)} x_k = 0 \right\}, \\ \check{c} &:= \left\{ x = (x_n) \in \omega : \exists l \in \mathbb{C} \text{ such that } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}}{2^n(k+1)} x_k = l \right\}, \\ \check{\ell}_\infty &:= \left\{ x = (x_n) \in \omega : \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}}{2^n(k+1)} x_k \right| < \infty \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

With the notation of (1.2), the spaces \check{c}_0, \check{c} and $\check{\ell}_\infty$ can be redefined as follows:

$$\check{c}_0 = (c_0)_{\tilde{B}}, \quad \check{c} = c_{\tilde{B}} \quad \text{and} \quad \check{\ell}_\infty = (\ell_\infty)_{\tilde{B}}.$$

Define the sequence $y = (y_n)$ by the \tilde{B} -transform of a sequence $x = (x_k)$, i.e.,

$$y_n = (\tilde{B}x)_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}}{2^n(k+1)} x_k \quad \text{for each } n \in \mathbb{N}. \tag{3.1}$$

Throughout the text, we suppose that the sequences $x = (x_k)$ and $y = (y_k)$ are connected with the relation (3.1). One can obtain by a straightforward calculation from (3.1) that

$$x_n = (\tilde{B}^{-1}y)_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{j=k}^n \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) y_k \quad \text{for each } n \in \mathbb{N}. \tag{3.2}$$

The relation (3.2) gives that the inverse $\tilde{B}^{-1} = (d_{nk})$ of \tilde{B} in (2.1) is defined by

$$d_{nk} := \begin{cases} \sum_{j=k}^n \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1), & 0 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0 & , k > n \end{cases} \tag{3.3}$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$. Here and after, by λ we denote any of the sets \check{c}_0, \check{c} and $\check{\ell}_\infty$.

Theorem 3.1. *The set λ is a linear space with the co-ordinatewise addition and scalar multiplication which is the BK-space with the norm $\|x\|_\lambda = \|\tilde{B}x\|_\infty$.*

Proof. Proof of the first part of the theorem is a routine verification and so, we omit the detail. Since c_0 , c and ℓ_∞ are the BK-spaces with respect to their usual sup-norm and \tilde{B} is a triangle matrix, Theorem 4.3.2 of Wilansky [21, p. 61] gives the fact that \check{c}_0 , \check{c} and $\check{\ell}_\infty$ are the BK-spaces. This completes the proof. □

Remark 3.2. One can easily check that the absolute property does not hold on the space λ , that is $\|x\|_\lambda \neq \||x|\|_\lambda$ for at least one sequence in the space λ , and this says that λ is a sequence space of non-absolute type, where $|x| = (|x_k|)$.

Throughout the text μ denotes any of the spaces c_0 , c or ℓ_∞ . With the notation of (3.1), since the transformation T defined from λ to μ by $x \mapsto y = Tx$ is a linear bijection, we have the following:

Corollary 3.3. *The sequence space λ is linearly norm isomorphic to the space μ .*

Now, we give some inclusion relations concerning with the spaces λ and μ .

Theorem 3.4. *The inclusion $\mu \subset \lambda$ strictly holds.*

Proof. Let $x = (x_k) \in \mu$. Then, since it is immediate that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x\|_\lambda = \|\tilde{B}x\|_\infty &= \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}}{2^n(k+1)} x_k \right| \\ &\leq \|x\|_\infty \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}}{2^n(k+1)} \\ &= \|x\|_\infty \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{2^{n+1} - 1}{2^n(n+1)} < \infty, \end{aligned}$$

the inclusion $\mu \subset \lambda$ holds. Now, consider the sequences $u = (u_k) = \{[1 + (-1)^{k+1}]/2\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $v = (v_k) = (k+1)_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$. Thus, we obtain for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ that

$$\begin{aligned} (\tilde{B}u)_n &= \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}[1 + (-1)^{k+1}]}{2(k+1)} \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{n+1}} \left[\sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}}{k+1} + \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}(-1)^{k+1}}{k+1} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{n+1}} \left(\frac{2^{n+1} - 1}{n+1} + \frac{n}{n+1} - 1 \right) \\ (\tilde{B}v)_n &= \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\binom{n}{k}(k+1)}{k+1} = 1. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, since $\tilde{B}u \in c_0$, $u \in \check{c}_0$ while $u \notin c_0$ and $\tilde{B}v \in c \subset \ell_\infty$, v is both in \check{c} and hence in $\check{\ell}_\infty$ but v does not neither in c nor in ℓ_∞ . This shows that the inclusions $c_0 \subset \check{c}_0$, $c \subset \check{c}$ and $\ell_\infty \subset \check{\ell}_\infty$ are strict. \square

One can see from Theorem 2.3 of Jarrah and Malkowsky [22] that the domain ν_T of an infinite matrix $T = (t_{nk})$ in a normed sequence space ν has a basis if and only if ν has a basis, if T is a triangle. As an immediate consequence of this fact, we have the following:

Corollary 3.5. *Let $\alpha_n = (\tilde{B}x)_n$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Define the sequence $\{u^{(n)}\} = \{u_k^{(n)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ in the space \check{c}_0 by*

$$u_k^{(n)} = \begin{cases} \sum_{j=k}^n \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1), & 0 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0 & , k > n \end{cases} \tag{3.4}$$

for every fixed $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, the following statements hold:

- (a) *The sequence $\{u^{(n)}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is a basis for the space \check{c}_0 and any $x \in \check{c}_0$ has a unique representation of the form $x = \sum_{n=0}^\infty \alpha_n u^{(n)}$.*
- (b) *The set $\{e, u^{(n)}\}$ is a basis for the space \check{c} and any $x \in \check{c}$ has a unique representation of the form $x = le + \sum_{n=0}^\infty (\alpha_n - l) u^{(n)}$, where $l = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} (\tilde{B}x)_k$.*

Since the sequence spaces \check{c}_0 and \check{c} have Schauder bases, Corollary 3.5 directly gives the following:

Corollary 3.6. *The sequence spaces \check{c}_0 and \check{c} are separable.*

Theorem 3.7. *The sequence space \check{c} has not the AK property.*

Proof. Let $x = (1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, n, \dots) \in \check{c}$. Then, the n th section $x^{[n]}$ of x is $x^{[n]} = (1, 2, \dots, n, 0, 0, \dots)$. Therefore, we have

$$\|x - x^{[n]}\|_{\check{c}} = \sup_{k \geq n} \frac{1}{2^k} \left| \sum_{j=0}^k \binom{k}{j} \frac{1}{j+1} [(j+1) - 0] \right| = \sup_{k \geq n} \frac{1}{2^k} \cdot 2^k = 1. \quad \square$$

In the sequel, we mention some concepts (see [23]) related to the sequence spaces.

A sequence space λ is said to be symmetric if $x_{\sigma(n)} \in \lambda$ whenever $x \in \nu$, where σ is any permutation in \mathbb{N} . A *sequence algebra* ν (see Maddox [24, p. 153]) is a linear space together with an internal operation of multiplication of elements of ν such that

$$xy \in \nu, \quad x(yz) = (xy)z, \quad x(y+z) = xy + xz, \quad (x+y)z = xz + yz$$

and

$$\alpha(xy) = x(\alpha y) \text{ for all scalars } \alpha.$$

Now, we show some of the above properties for the sequence space \check{c} .

Theorem 3.8. *The sequence space \check{c} is not monotone nor sequence algebra.*

Proof. To prove the first part, we consider the sequences $x = (x_n) = (n + 1)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in \check{c}$ and $y = (y_n) = \{(n + 1)^2\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$. After some calculations it follows that $y \notin \check{c}$ which proves that \check{c} is not monotone. To prove that \check{c} is not convergence-free we define the sequences: $x = (x_n) = (n + 1) = (y_n) = y$. Then, $x = y \in \check{c}$, but $xy = (1^2, 2^2, 3^2, \dots) \notin \check{c}$. Really after some calculations, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} \frac{1}{k+1} (k+1)^2 &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} k + \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} \right] \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n \cdot 2^{n-1}}{2^n} + 1 \right) = \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $xy \notin \check{c}$. □

4. The alpha-, beta- and gamma-duals of the spaces $\check{\ell}_\infty$, \check{c} and \check{c}_0

In this section, we determine the alpha-, beta- and gamma-duals of the spaces $\check{\ell}_\infty$, \check{c} and \check{c}_0 of Euler-Cesàro bounded, convergent and null difference sequences.

Now, we start with the following lemma due to Steieglitz and Tietz [25] which is needed in proving our theorems. Here and after, we denote the collection of all finite subsets of \mathbb{N} by \mathcal{F} .

Lemma 4.1. *Let $A = (a_{nk})$ be an infinite matrix over the complex field. Then, the following statements hold:*

(a) $A \in (c_0 : \ell_1) = (c : \ell_1) = (\ell_\infty : \ell_1)$ if and only if

$$\sup_{K \in \mathcal{F}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left| \sum_{k \in K} a_{nk} \right| < \infty. \tag{4.1}$$

(b) $A \in (c_0 : \ell_\infty) = (c : \ell_\infty) = (\ell_\infty : \ell_\infty)$ if and only if

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |a_{nk}| < \infty. \tag{4.2}$$

(c) $A \in (c : c)$ if and only if (4.2) holds, and

$$\exists (\alpha_k) \in \omega \text{ such that } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_{nk} = \alpha_k \text{ for all } k \in \mathbb{N},$$

$$\exists \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \text{ such that } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_{nk} = \alpha.$$

Theorem 4.2. *The alpha-dual of the spaces $\check{\ell}_\infty$, \check{c} and \check{c}_0 is the set*

$$d_1 := \left\{ a = (a_n) \in \omega : \sup_{K \in \mathcal{F}} \sum_{n=0}^\infty \left| \sum_{k \in K} \sum_{j=k}^n \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_n \right| < \infty \right\}.$$

Proof. Let us define the matrix $M = (m_{nk})$ via $a = (a_n) \in \omega$ by

$$m_{nk} = \begin{cases} \sum_{j=k}^n \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_n, & 0 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0, & k > n \end{cases}$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$. Since the relation (3.2) holds, one can immediately derive that

$$a_n x_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{j=k}^n \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_n y_k = (My)_n \tag{4.3}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Therefore, we conclude by (4.3) that $a = (a_n) \in \lambda^\alpha$ if and only if $M \in (\mu : \ell_1)$. Then, we derive by Part (a) of Lemma 4.1 that

$$\sup_{K \in \mathcal{F}} \sum_{n=0}^\infty \left| \sum_{k \in K} \sum_{j=k}^n \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_n \right| < \infty$$

which leads to the desired result that $\lambda^\alpha = d_1$. □

Theorem 4.3. *Define the set d_2 by*

$$d_2 = \left\{ a = (a_i) \in \omega : \left(\sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=k}^n \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_i \right) \in c \right\}. \tag{4.4}$$

Then, $(\check{c})^\beta = d_2$.

Proof. Define the triangles $\Delta^{-1} = S = (s_{nk})$ and $B(a) = (b_{nk})$ by

$$s_{nk} = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0, & k > n, \end{cases} \quad b_{nk} = \begin{cases} a_n d_{nk}, & 0 \leq k \leq n, \\ 0, & k > n \end{cases}$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$; where $a = (a_n) \in \omega$ and d_{nk} is defined as in (3.3). Let $\tilde{A} = (\tilde{a}_{nk})$ be the composition of the matrices S and $B(a)$, i.e.,

$$\tilde{a}_{nk} = \begin{cases} \sum_{i=k}^n \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_i, & 0 \leq k \leq n \\ 0, & k > n \end{cases}$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$. Therefore, we have by the relation (4.3) that

$$\sum_{k=0}^n a_k x_k = \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=k}^n \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_i y_k \tag{4.5}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, (4.5) leads that $ax \in cs$ whenever $x \in \check{c}$ if and only if $\tilde{A} \in (c : c)$. This means that $a \in [\check{c}]^\beta$ if and only if $\tilde{A} \in (c : c)$. Hence, we have by Part (c) of Lemma 4.1 that the following conditions are satisfied:

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^n |\tilde{a}_{nk}| = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^n \left| \sum_{i=k}^n \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_i \right| < \infty,$$

$$\exists (\alpha_k) \in \omega \text{ such that } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{a}_{nk} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=k}^n \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_i = \alpha_k$$

$$\exists \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \text{ such that } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^n \tilde{a}_{nk} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=k}^n \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_i = \alpha$$

which give that

$$\left\{ \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=k}^n \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_i \right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in c.$$

That is to say that the beta dual of the space \check{c} is the set d_2 . □

Theorem 4.4. $(\check{c}_0)^\gamma = (\check{c})^\gamma = (\check{\ell}_\infty)^\gamma = d_2$, where the set d_2 is defined by (4.4).

Proof. This is similar to the proof of Theorem 4.3 with Part (b) instead of Part (c) of Lemma 4.1. So, we omit the detail. □

5. Matrix transformations related to the sequence space \check{c}

In this section, we characterize some matrix classes from the space \check{c} into the classical sequence spaces ℓ_∞ , c and c_0 .

Theorem 5.1. $A = (a_{nk}) \in (\check{c} : \ell_\infty)$ if and only if

$$A_n \in \check{c}^\beta \text{ for each } n \in \mathbb{N}, \tag{5.1}$$

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^\infty \left| \sum_{i=k}^\infty \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_{ni} \right| < \infty. \tag{5.2}$$

Proof. Suppose that $A = (a_{nk}) \in (\check{c} : \ell_\infty)$ and $x = (x_k) \in \check{c}$. Since Ax exists and belongs to the space ℓ_∞ , the necessity of the condition (5.1) is obvious.

Consider the following equality derived from the m^{th} partial sum of the series $\sum_{k=0}^\infty a_{nk} x_k$:

$$\sum_{k=0}^m a_{nk} x_k = \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{i=k}^m \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_{ni} y_k \tag{5.3}$$

for all $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$. Therefore, by letting $m \rightarrow \infty$ in the equality (5.3) it is immediate that

$$\sum_{k=0}^\infty a_{nk} x_k = \sum_{k=0}^\infty \sum_{i=k}^\infty \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_{ni} y_k \tag{5.4}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Now, define the matrix $F = (f_{nk})$ by

$$f_{nk} := \sum_{i=k}^{\infty} \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_{ni} \quad (5.5)$$

for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, $Ax = Fy$ which gives that $F \in (c : \ell_{\infty})$. Then, F satisfies the condition (4.2) which is equivalent to (5.2).

Conversely, suppose that the conditions (5.1) and (5.2) hold, and take $x = (x_k) \in \check{c}$. Then, (5.1) implies the existence of Ax and since the spaces \check{c} and c are isomorphic we have $y \in c$. Therefore, (5.4) gives with (5.2) that

$$\begin{aligned} \|Ax\|_{\infty} &= \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_{nk} x_k \right| \\ &\leq \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left| \sum_{i=k}^n \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_{ni} y_k \right| \\ &\leq \|y\|_{\infty} \left[\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left| \sum_{i=k}^n \sum_{j=k}^i \binom{j}{k} (-1)^{j-k} 2^k (2j - k + 1) a_{ni} \right| \right] < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $A \in (\check{c} : \ell_{\infty})$.

This completes the proof. \square

Theorem 5.2. $A = (a_{nk}) \in (\check{c} : c)$ if and only if the conditions (5.1) and (5.2) hold, and

$$\exists \beta_k \in \mathbb{C} \text{ such that } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_{nk} = \beta_k \text{ for all } k \in \mathbb{N}, \quad (5.6)$$

$$\exists \beta \in \mathbb{C} \text{ such that } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} f_{nk} = \beta, \quad (5.7)$$

where f_{nk} is defined by (5.5) as in the proof of Theorem 5.1.

Proof. Suppose that the conditions (5.1), (5.2), (5.6) and (5.7) hold, and take any $x = (x_k) \in \check{c}$. The condition (5.1) implies the existence of A -transform of x . Then, one can derive by using the hypothesis (5.2) that

$$\sum_{k=0}^m |\beta_k| \leq \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |f_{nk}| < \infty$$

for all $m \in \mathbb{N}$. Hence, $(\beta_k) \in \ell_1$ which implies that $(\beta_k y_k) \in \ell_1$. Therefore, by taking in mind the relation (5.4) we derive for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ that

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_{nk} x_k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (f_{nk} - \beta_k) y_k + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \beta_k y_k.$$

Then, we have by letting $n \rightarrow \infty$ that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (Ax)_n = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \beta_k y_k. \quad (5.8)$$

Since $(\beta_k y_k) \in \ell_1$, (5.8) gives that $Ax \in c$, that is, $A \in (\check{c} : c)$.

Conversely, suppose that $A = (a_{nk}) \in (\check{c} : c)$ and take $x \in \check{c}$. Since the inclusion relation $c \subset \ell_\infty$ holds, the necessity of the conditions (5.1) and (5.2) follows from Theorem 5.1.

Now, consider the convergent sequences $u = (u_k) = \{u_k^{(n)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ defined by (3.4) and $x = (x_k) = \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^k (-1)^{k-j} D_{k-j} T_j \right\}$. Since A -transforms of u and x exist, and belong to the space c by the hypothesis, one can see that $Au = \left\{ \sum_{j=k}^\infty (-1)^{j-k} D_{j-k} T_k a_{nj} \right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in c$ and $Ax = \left(\sum_{k=0}^\infty f_{nk} \right)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in c$ which show the necessity of the conditions (5.6) and (5.7), respectively.

This completes the proof. □

Corollary 5.3. $A = (a_{nk}) \in (\check{c} : c_0)$ if and only if (5.1), (5.2) hold, and (5.6) also holds with $\beta_k = 0$ for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$.

Now, we can give the theorem characterizing the class of matrix transformations from a given sequence space ν to the Nörlund space λ .

Theorem 5.4. Suppose that ν be any given sequence space and the infinite matrices $A = (a_{nk})$ and $\tilde{D} = (\tilde{d}_{nk})$ are connected with the relation $\tilde{d}_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} a_{ik} / [2^n(i+1)]$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, $A \in (\nu : \lambda)$ if and only if $\tilde{D} \in (\nu : \mu)$.

Proof. Let $x = (x_k) \in \nu$. Consider the following equality

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^m \tilde{d}_{nk} x_k &= \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^n \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \frac{1}{i+1} a_{ik} x_k \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^n \binom{n}{j} \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \frac{1}{i+1} \sum_{k=0}^m a_{ik} x_k \text{ for all } m, n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \tag{5.9}$$

Then, by letting $m \rightarrow \infty$ in (5.9) it is immediate that $(\tilde{D}x)_n = \{\tilde{B}(Ax)\}_n$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Therefore, one can easily see that $\tilde{D}x \in \mu$ if and only if $Ax \in \lambda$. This completes the proof. □

By combining Theorems 5.1, 5.2, 5.4 and Corollary 5.3, the following results are derived on the characterization of some matrix classes:

Corollary 5.5. Let $L = (l_{nk})$ be an infinite matrix over the complex field. Then, the following statements hold:

- (i) $L \in (\check{c} : bs)$ if and only if (5.1) and (5.2) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n l_{jk}$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$.
- (ii) $L \in (\check{c} : bv_\infty)$ if and only if (5.1) and (5.2) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = l_{nk} - l_{n-1,k}$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and bv_∞ denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $(x_k - x_{k-1}) \in \ell_\infty$, (cf. Başar and Altay [4]).

- (iii) $L \in (\check{c} : X_\infty)$ if and only if (5.1) and (5.2) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n l_{jk}/(n+1)$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and X_∞ denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\{\sum_{k=0}^n x_k/(n+1)\} \in \ell_\infty$, (cf. Ng and Lee [26]).
- (iv) $L \in (\check{c} : r_\infty^q)$ if and only if (5.1) and (5.2) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n q_j l_{jk}/Q_n$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and r_∞^q denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $(\sum_{k=0}^n q_k x_k/Q_n) \in \ell_\infty$, (cf. Altay and Başar [28]).
- (v) $L \in (\check{c} : a_\infty^r)$ if and only if (5.1) and (5.2) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n (1+r^j) l_{jk}/(1+n)$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and a_∞^r denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\{\sum_{k=0}^n (1+r^k) x_k/(1+n)\} \in \ell_\infty$, (cf. Aydın and Başar [13]).
- (vi) $L \in (\check{c} : e_\infty^r)$ if and only if (5.1) and (5.2) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n \binom{n}{j} (1-r)^{n-j} r^j l_{jk}$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and e_∞^r denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\{\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} (1-r)^{n-k} r^k x_k\} \in \ell_\infty$, (cf. Altay et al. [30]).

Corollary 5.6. Let $L = (l_{nk})$ be an infinite matrix over the complex field. Then, the following statements hold:

- (i) $L \in (\check{c} : cs)$ if and only if (5.1), (5.2), (5.6) and (5.7) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n l_{jk}$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$.
- (ii) $L \in (\check{c} : c(\Delta))$ if and only if (5.1), (5.2), (5.6) and (5.7) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = l_{nk} - l_{n-1,k}$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $c(\Delta)$ denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $(x_k - x_{k-1}) \in c$, (cf. Başar [14]).
- (iii) $L \in (\check{c} : \tilde{c})$ if and only if (5.1), (5.2), (5.6) and (5.7) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n l_{jk}/(n+1)$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and \tilde{c} denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\{\sum_{k=0}^n x_k/(n+1)\} \in c$, (cf. Şengönül and Başar [27]).
- (iv) $L \in (\check{c} : r_c^q)$ if and only if (5.1), (5.2), (5.6) and (5.7) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n q_j l_{jk}/Q_n$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and r_c^q denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $(\sum_{k=0}^n q_k x_k/Q_n) \in c$, (cf. Altay and Başar [28]).
- (v) $L \in (\check{c} : a_c^r)$ if and only if (5.1), (5.2), (5.6) and (5.7) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n (1+r^j) l_{jk}/(1+n)$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and a_c^r denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\{\sum_{k=0}^n (1+r^k) x_k/(1+n)\} \in c$, (cf. Aydın and Başar [29]).
- (vi) $L \in (\check{c} : e_c^r)$ if and only if (5.1), (5.2), (5.6) and (5.7) hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n \binom{n}{j} (1-r)^{n-j} r^j l_{jk}$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and e_c^r denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\{\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} (1-r)^{n-k} r^k x_k\} \in c$, (cf. Altay and Başar [31]).

Corollary 5.7. Let $L = (l_{nk})$ be an infinite matrix over the complex field. Then, the following statements hold:

- (i) $L \in (\check{c} : cs_0)$ if and only if the conditions (5.1), (5.2) and (5.6) of Corollary 5.3 hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where cs_0 denotes the space of all series converging to zero and $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n l_{jk}$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$.
- (ii) $L \in (\check{c} : c_0(\Delta))$ if and only if the conditions (5.1), (5.2) and (5.6) of Corollary 5.3 hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = l_{nk} - l_{n-1,k}$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $c_0(\Delta)$ denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $(x_k - x_{k-1}) \in c_0$, (cf. Başar [14]).
- (iii) $L \in (\check{c} : \check{c}_0)$ if and only if the conditions (5.1), (5.2) and (5.6) of Corollary 5.3 hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n l_{jk}/(n+1)$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and \check{c}_0 denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\{\sum_{k=0}^n x_k/(n+1)\} \in c_0$, (cf. Şengönül and Başar [27]).
- (iv) $L \in (\check{c} : r_0^q)$ if and only if the conditions (5.1), (5.2) and (5.6) of Corollary 5.3 hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n q_j l_{jk}/Q_n$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and r_0^q denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $(\sum_{k=0}^n q_k x_k/Q_n) \in c_0$, (cf. Altay and Başar [28]).
- (v) $L \in (\check{c} : a_0^r)$ if and only if the conditions (5.1), (5.2) and (5.6) of Corollary 5.3 hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n (1+r^j)l_{jk}/(1+n)$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and a_0^r denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\{\sum_{k=0}^n (1+r^k)x_k/(1+n)\} \in c_0$, (cf. Aydın and Başar [29]).
- (vi) $L \in (\check{c} : e_0^r)$ if and only if the conditions (5.1), (5.2) and (5.6) of Corollary 5.3 hold with r_{nk} instead of a_{nk} , where $r_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n \binom{n}{j}(1-r)^{n-j}r^j l_{jk}$ for all $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and e_0^r denotes the space of all sequences $x = (x_k)$ such that $\{\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k}(1-r)^{n-k}r^k x_k\} \in c_0$, (cf. Altay and Başar [31]).

6. Conclusion

To review the concerning literature about the domain of the infinite matrix A in the sequence spaces c_0 , c and ℓ_∞ , the following table may be useful:

Table 5.1: The domain of some triangle matrices in the classical sequence spaces c_0 , c and ℓ_∞ .

A	λ	λ_A	refer to:
Δ	c_0, c and ℓ_∞	$c_0(\Delta), c(\Delta)$ and $\ell_\infty(\Delta)$	[16]
R^t	c_0, c and ℓ_∞	r_0^t, r_c^t and r_∞^t	[17, 28]
$B(r, s)$	c_0, c and ℓ_∞	\tilde{c}_0, \tilde{c} and $\tilde{\ell}_\infty$	[18]
$B(r, s, t)$	c_0, c and ℓ_∞	$c_0(B), c(B)$ and $\ell_\infty(B)$	[19]
C_1	c_0, c and ℓ_∞	\tilde{c}_0, \tilde{c} and X_∞	[27, 26]
A^r	c_0 and c	a_0^r and a_c^r	[29]
E^r	c_0, c and ℓ_∞	e_0^r, e_c^r and e_∞^r	[31, 30]
Δ^2	c_0 and c	$c_0(\Delta^2)$ and $c(\Delta^2)$	[32]
$u\Delta^2$	c_0 and c	$c_0(u; \Delta^2)$ and $c(u; \Delta^2)$	[33]
Δ^m	c_0 and c	$c_0(\Delta^m)$ and $c(\Delta^m)$	[34, 35]
R^q	c_0 and c	$(\overline{N}, q)_0$ and (\overline{N}, q)	[36]
$\Delta^{(m)}$	c_0 and c	$c_0(\Delta^{(m)})$ and $c(\Delta^{(m)})$	[37]
$G(u, v)$	c_0, c and ℓ_∞	$c_0(u, v), c(u, v)$ and $\ell_\infty(u, v)$	[38]
Λ	c_0 and c	c_0^λ and c^λ	[39]
$B(\tilde{r}, \tilde{s})$	c_0, c and ℓ_∞	\tilde{c}_0, \tilde{c} and $\tilde{\ell}_\infty$	[40]
A_λ	c_0 and c	$A_\lambda(c_0)$ and $A_\lambda(c)$	[41]
\widehat{F}	c_0 and c	$c_0(\widehat{F})$ and $c(\widehat{F})$	[42]
N^t	c_0, c and ℓ_∞	$c_0(N^t), c(N^t)$ and $X_{a(p)}$	[43, 44]

In 1978, the domain of Cesàro matrix C_1 of order one in the classical sequence spaces ℓ_∞ and ℓ_p were introduced by Ng and Lee [26], where $1 \leq p < \infty$. Following Ng and Lee [26], Şengönül and Başar [27] have studied the domain of Cesàro matrix C_1 of order one in the classical sequence spaces c_0 and c . In 1978, the domain of Nörlund matrix N^t in the classical sequence spaces ℓ_∞ and ℓ_p were introduced by Wang [44], where $1 \leq p < \infty$. Quite recently, Başar [12] has investigated the domain $\tilde{\ell}_p$ of the matrix \tilde{B} in the space ℓ_p with $1 \leq p < \infty$. As a natural continuation of Başar [12], we have worked on the domains $\tilde{\ell}_\infty, \tilde{c}$ and \tilde{c}_0 of the matrix \tilde{B} in the classical sequence spaces ℓ_∞, c and c_0 .

Although the matrix transformations from the domain of certain triangles in the classical sequence spaces into the classical sequence spaces have been characterized, the matrix transformations from the domain of Nörlund matrix in the space of convergent sequences into some classical sequence spaces have not been characterized, until now. So, combining Theorems 5.1, 5.2, 5.4 and Corollary 5.3 has a special importance for this type studies, in future.

Finally, we note that in spite of the domain $\tilde{\ell}_p$ of the composite matrix \tilde{B} in the space ℓ_p have investigated by Başar [12] in the case $1 \leq p < \infty$, investigation of the space $\tilde{\ell}_p$ remains open in the case $0 < p < 1$.

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