

## GENERALIZED VECTOR VALUED DOUBLE SEQUENCE SPACE USING MODULUS FUNCTION

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we introduce a generalized vector valued paranormed double sequence space  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$ , using modulus function  $f$ , where  $p = (p_{nk})$  is a sequence of non-negative real numbers,  $s \geq 0$  and the elements are chosen from a seminormed space  $(E, q_E)$ . Results regarding completeness, normality,  $K_2$ -space, co-ordinatewise convergence etc. are derived. Further, a study of multiplier sets, ideals, notion of statistical convergence and  $(p_{nk})$ -Cesàro summability in the space  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is also made.

### 1. Introduction & Motivation

Ratha and Srivastava [12] and Ghosh and Srivastava [6] introduced and studied generalized classes of composite vector valued single sequence spaces  $F(E_k, \Lambda)$  and  $F(E_k, f)$  respectively, which are defined as

$$F(E_k, \Lambda) = \left\{ x = (x_k) : x_k \in E_k \text{ for each } k \text{ and } (g_{E_k}(v_k x_k)) \in F \right\}$$

and

$$F(E_k, f) = \left\{ x = (x_k) : x_k \in E_k \text{ and the sequence } (f(g_{E_k}(x_k))) \in F \right\},$$

where  $F$  is a normal sequence space with a monotone paranorm  $g_F$ ,  $(E_k, g_{E_k})$  is Banach space over the field of complex numbers  $\mathbf{C}$ ,  $f$  is a modulus function and  $\Lambda(z) = \sum_k \frac{z^k}{\nu_k}$ ,  $\nu = (\nu_k)$  is a sequence of non-zero complex numbers satisfying

$$\nu = \liminf_{k \rightarrow \infty} |\nu_k|^{\frac{1}{k}}, \quad 0 < \nu \leq \infty.$$

With suitable topologies, the authors have investigated various topological properties for these spaces. The study of these spaces includes many known spaces as particular cases. For example, by specifying  $F$ ,  $E$  &  $f$ , one can obtain  $w_0(f)$  &  $w_\infty(f)$  of Maddox [7],  $w_0(f, p)$  &  $w_\infty(f, p)$  of Bilgin [3],  $w(f)$  of Öztürk & Bilgin [11] and others.

To continue the study, we introduce a new space  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  of vector valued double sequences which unifies some of the earlier classes on double sequences as particular cases.

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Also, some important results have been derived on various aspects of double sequences which can be treated as generalization of the results derived by Gökhan et al. ([5] [4]) and Mursaleen et al. [9].

## 2. Sequence space $F^2(E, p, f, s)$

Let  $(E, q_E)$  be a seminormed space over the complex field  $\mathbb{C}$ . Let  $S_2(E)$  denote the linear space of all double sequences  $x = (x_{nk})$  with  $x_{nk} \in E$  under the usual coordinate-wise addition and scalar multiplication. Let  $F^2$  be a normal scalar double sequence space with monotone paranorm  $g_{F^2}$  such that co-ordinatewise convergence implies convergence in paranorm  $g_{F^2}$ , i.e.,

$$a_{nk}^{j,l} \rightarrow 0 (j, l \rightarrow \infty) \text{ for each } n, k \implies g_{F^2}(a^{j,l}) \rightarrow 0 (j, l \rightarrow \infty) \quad (2.1)$$

where  $(a_{nk}^{j,l}) = a^{j,l} \in F^2$  for each  $j$  and  $l \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Throughout this chapter, by a convergent double sequence we mean a convergent in Pringsheim's sense.<sup>1</sup>

Let  $f$  be a modulus function and  $p = (p_{nk})$  be a sequence of strictly positive real numbers and  $s \geq 0$ . We introduce a new class  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  of vector valued double sequences as follows:

$$F^2(E, p, f, s) = \left\{ x = (x_{nk}) \in S_2(E) : x_{nk} \in E \text{ for each } n, k \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and the sequence } \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \in F^2 \right\}. \quad (2.2)$$

Further, we define a topology on  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  by a paranorm  $g$  which is given by

$$g(x) = g_{F^2} \left[ (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right], \text{ for } x = (x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s) \quad (2.3)$$

where  $M = \max(1, H)$ ,  $H = \sup_{n,k} p_{nk} < \infty$  and  $\inf p_{nk} > 0$ .

It is seen that  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  turns out to be a complete paranormed space of vector valued double sequences.

It can also be seen that for suitable choice of the sequence space  $F^2$ ,  $E$  and the modulus function  $f$ , the space  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  includes many of the known scalar as well as vector valued sequence spaces as particular cases.

### Application:

1. If we take  $E = \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(x) = x$ ,  $s = 0$  and  $F^2 = \ell_2^\infty$ , the space  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  gives rise the space  $\ell_2^\infty(p)$  of Gökhan et al. [5].
2. If we take  $E = \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(x) = x$ ,  $s = 0$  and  $F^2 = c_2$ , the space  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  gives rise the space  $c_2^p(p)$  of Gökhan et al. [4].

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<sup>1</sup>see section 1.6 of Chapter 1.

- 3. If we take  $E = \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(x) = x$ ,  $s = 0$  and  $F^2 = c_2 \cap \ell_2^\infty$ , the space  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  gives rise the space  $c_2^{PB}(p)$  of Gökhan et al.[4].
- 4. If we take  $E = \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(x) = x$ ,  $s = 0, p_{nk} \equiv 1$  and  $F^2 = w^2(p), \ell_2^\infty, c_2, c_0^2$ , the space  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  gives rise the spaces of Tripathy [13].

### 3. Main Results

**Theorem 3.1.**  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a linear space, where  $p = (p_{nk})$  is a bounded sequence of strictly positive real numbers  $\mathcal{E} \inf p_{nk} > 0$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x=(x_{nk}), y=(y_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$  and  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{C}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(\lambda x_{nk} + \mu y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ & \leq (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(\lambda x_{nk}) + q_E(\mu y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ & \leq (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(\lambda x_{nk}) \right) + f \left( q_E(\mu y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ & \leq D(nk)^{-s} \left[ \left\{ f \left( |\lambda| q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} + \left\{ f \left( |\mu| q_E(y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right] \\ & \leq D(1 + [|\lambda|])^H (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} + D(1 + [|\mu|])^H (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \end{aligned}$$

where  $D = \max(1, 2^{H-1})$ . Since  $F^2$  is normal,  $\lambda x + \mu y \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

**Theorem 3.2.**  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a paranormed space under the paranorm  $g$  given by (2.3), where  $p = (p_{nk})$  is a bounded sequence of strictly positive real numbers  $\mathcal{E} \inf p_{nk} > 0$ .

**Proof.** It is clear from the definition of  $g$  that  $g(\bar{\theta}) = 0$  and  $g(x) = g(-x)$ , where  $\bar{\theta}$  is the null element. Again taking  $\lambda = 1, \mu = 1$  in the Theorem 3.1 and the fact that  $g_{F^2}$  is a monotone paranorm on  $F^2$ , we get  $g(x+y) \leq g(x)+g(y)$ . It is left to prove the continuity of scalar multiplication under  $g$ .

Suppose  $\{\lambda_m\}$  is a sequence of scalars such that  $\lambda_m \rightarrow \lambda$  as  $m \rightarrow \infty$  and let  $x^{j,l} \xrightarrow{g} x$  as  $j, l \rightarrow \infty$ . To show  $g(\lambda_m x^{j,l} - \lambda x) \rightarrow 0$  as  $j, l \rightarrow \infty$  where  $x^{j,l} = (x_{nk}^{j,l}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

Let

$$a_{nk}^{jm} = (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( |\lambda_m - \lambda| q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M}. \tag{3.1}$$

As  $\lambda_m \rightarrow \lambda$  as  $m \rightarrow \infty$ , for sufficiently large  $m$ , we can assume that  $|\lambda_m - \lambda| < 1$ .

Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
g(\lambda_m x^{j,l} - \lambda x) &= g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E \left[ \lambda_m x_{nk}^{j,l} - \lambda x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&\leq g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E \left[ (\lambda_m - \lambda)(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}) \right. \right. \right. \right. \\
&\quad \left. \left. \left. + \lambda(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}) + (\lambda_m - \lambda)x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&\leq g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E \left[ (\lambda_m - \lambda)(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}) \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&\quad + g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E \left[ \lambda(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}) \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&\quad + g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E \left[ (\lambda_m - \lambda)x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&= g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( |\lambda_m - \lambda| q_E \left[ x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&\quad + g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( |\lambda| q_E \left[ x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&\quad + g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( |\lambda_m - \lambda| q_E \left[ x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&\equiv \text{I} + \text{II} + \text{III}.
\end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

Since  $\lambda_m \rightarrow \lambda$  as  $m \rightarrow \infty$ , so

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{I} &\equiv g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( |\lambda_m - \lambda| q_E \left[ x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&\leq g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E \left[ x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] = g(x^{j,l} - x).
\end{aligned}$$

Again since  $f(\lambda) < (1 + [|\lambda|])f(1)$ , so as  $m \rightarrow \infty$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{II} &\equiv g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( |\lambda| q_E \left[ x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&\leq g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ (1 + [|\lambda|]) f \left( q_E \left[ x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk} \right] \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \\
&= (1 + [|\lambda|])g(x^{j,l} - x).
\end{aligned}$$

Hence from (3.2) using (3.1) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
&g(\lambda_m x^{j,l} - \lambda x) \\
&= g(x^{j,l} - x) + (1 + [|\lambda|])g(x^{j,l} - x) + \left[ g_{F^2}(a_{nk}^m) \right]
\end{aligned}$$

Also, since

$$f\left(|\lambda_m - \lambda| q_E(x_{nk})\right) < f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right)$$

holds because  $|\lambda_m - \lambda| < 1$  for sufficiently large  $m$  and  $F^2$  is normal so  $a^m = (a_{nk}^m) \in F^2$  for sufficiently large  $m$ . Obviously for each  $n, k$ ,  $a_{nk}^m \rightarrow 0$  as  $m \rightarrow \infty$ . So by the condition (2.1), we get  $g_{F^2}(a_{nk}^m) \rightarrow 0$  for sufficiently large  $m$ . Again II and III tend to zero as  $j, l \rightarrow \infty$  &  $m \rightarrow \infty$ , because  $\lambda_m \rightarrow \lambda$  &  $x^{j,l} \xrightarrow{g} x$ . Hence we get

$$g(\lambda_m x^{j,l} - \lambda x) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } m \rightarrow \infty \text{ and } j, l \rightarrow \infty.$$

Hence the proof.

**Theorem 3.3.**  $F^2(E,p,f,s)$  is a  $K_2$ -space if  $F^2$  is a  $K_2$ -space.

**Proof.** Define  $P_{nk} : F^2(E,p,f,s) \rightarrow E$  as  $P_{nk}(x) = x_{nk}$ ,  $n, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ , where  $x = (x_{nk}) \in F^2(E,p,f,s)$ . To show  $P_{nk}$  is continuous.

Let  $(x^{j,l}) = ((x_{nk}^{j,l}))$  be a sequence in  $F^2(E,p,f,s)$  such that

$$g(x^{j,l}) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l \rightarrow \infty.$$

Since  $F^2$  is a  $K_2$ -space,  $g(x^{j,l}) \rightarrow 0$  as  $j, l \rightarrow \infty$  implies that

$$(nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l \rightarrow \infty, \text{ for each } n,k.$$

We claim that  $q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l}) \rightarrow 0$  as  $j, l \rightarrow \infty$ , because  $f$  is continuous and increasing. This implies

$$q_E \left( P_{nk}(x^{j,l}) \right) = q_E \left( x_{nk}^{j,l} \right) \rightarrow 0 \text{ for } j, l \rightarrow \infty.$$

Hence the proof.

**Theorem 3.4.**  $F^2(E,p,f,s)$  is a normal space.

**Proof.** The proof is straightforward, so we omit it.

**Theorem 3.5.**  $F^2(E,p,f,s)$  is complete with respect to the paranorm  $g$  if  $(E, q_E)$  is complete, and  $F^2$  is normal  $K_2$ -space, where  $(p_{nk})$  is bounded sequence of strictly positive real numbers such that  $\inf p_{nk} > 0$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x^{j,l} = (x_{nk}^{j,l})$  be a Cauchy sequence in  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$ . So

$$g(x^{j,l} - x^{r,t}) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l, r, t \rightarrow \infty$$

i.e.,

$$g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}^{r,t}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l, r, t \rightarrow \infty.$$

Since  $F^2(E,p,f,s)$  is a  $K_2$  space and  $f$  is continuous, so for each  $n,k$

$$(nk)^{-s/M} q_E \left( x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}^{r,t} \right) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l, r, t \rightarrow \infty.$$

Hence for fixed  $n, k$

$$q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}^{r,t}) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l, r, t \rightarrow \infty.$$

This implies that for fixed  $n, k$ ,  $(x_{nk}^{j,l})$  behaves as a Cauchy sequence in  $E$ . But  $(E, q_E)$  is complete, so there exist  $x = (x_{nk}) \in E$  such that

$$q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l \rightarrow \infty.$$

So

$$a_{nk}^{j,l} \rightarrow 0 \text{ (as } j, l \rightarrow \infty) \text{ for each } n, k \text{ (since } f \text{ is continuous)}$$

where

$$a_{nk}^{j,l} = (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M}, n, k = 1, 2, \dots \tag{3.3}$$

Since for each  $n, k$ ,  $a_{nk}^{j,l} \rightarrow 0$  as  $j, l \rightarrow \infty$ , so choose  $\delta_{nk}^{j,l}$  such that

$$a_{nk}^{j,l} \leq \delta_{nk}^{j,l} (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \text{ where } 0 < \delta_{nk}^{j,l} < 1. \tag{3.4}$$

Clearly  $a^{j,l} \in F^2$ , for each  $m$ , because  $F^2$  is normal.

Hence,

$$g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \right) \right] \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l \rightarrow \infty$$

i.e.,  $g(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x) \rightarrow 0$  as  $j, l \rightarrow \infty$ .

Now using (3.3) and (3.4) we get

$$(nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M} \leq (\delta_{nk}^{j,l} + 1) (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}/M}.$$

Since  $F^2$  is normal space and  $x^{j,l} \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ ,  $x = (x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ . Hence the proof.

**Theorem 3.6.** *Let  $f$  be a modulus function such that  $f(uv) = f(u)f(v)$  where  $u, v$  are positive scalars. Let  $E$  be a commutative normal sequence algebra under  $\circ$ , where  $x_{nk} \circ y_{nk} = x_{nk}y_{nk}$  and  $F^2$  is a normal sequence algebra under the multiplication  $\circ'$ , defined as  $(a_{nk}) \circ' (b_{nk}) = (a_{nk}b_{nk})$ , where  $(a_{nk}), (b_{nk}) \in F^2$ . Then  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a commutative sequence algebra.*

**Proof.** Let  $x = (x_{nk})$  and  $y = (y_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ . Consider

$$\begin{aligned} & (nk)^{-2s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk} \circ y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ &= (nk)^{-2s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ &\leq (nk)^{-2s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk})q_E(y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \text{ (since } E \text{ is a normed algebra)} \\ &= (nk)^{-2s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}) \right) f \left( q_E(y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \text{ (by given condition)} \\ &= (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(y_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \in F^2 \end{aligned}$$

as  $x, y \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ , which implies  $(x_{nk}y_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ . So  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a sequence algebra. Further, it can be seen easily that  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a commutative sequence algebra as  $E$  is commutative.

**Remark 3.1.** The condition  $\inf p_{nk} > 0$  is not required when  $F^2 \equiv c_0^2, c^2, \ell_p^2, p \geq 1$ . But for  $F^2 \equiv \ell_\infty^2$  the condition  $\inf p_{nk} > 0$  is required. For the sake of completeness we have chosen this condition in general.

Now, we prove the following lemma which will be used in sequel:

**Lemma 3.1.** *Let  $f_1, f_2$  be modulus functions and  $0 < \delta < 1$ . Let  $f_1(t) > \delta$  for  $t \geq 0$ , then*

$$(f_2 \circ f_1)(t) \leq \frac{2f_2(1)}{\delta} f_1(t).$$

**Proof.** Since for  $f_1(t) > \delta$ ,

$$f_1(t) < \frac{f_1(t)}{\delta} < 1 + \left[ \frac{f_1(t)}{\delta} \right]$$

we have

$$(f_2 \circ f_1)(t) \leq \left( 1 + \left[ \frac{f_1(t)}{\delta} \right] \right) f_2(1) \leq 2 \frac{f_1(t)}{\delta} f_2(1).$$

Some inclusion relations which are known for single sequence spaces are extended analogously to double sequence spaces as follows:

**Theorem 3.7.** *Let  $F^2$  be a normal sequence space. Then the following inequalities hold:*

1. If  $\sup_{t>0} \frac{f_1(t)}{f_2(t)} < \infty$ , then  $F^2(E, p, f_2, s) \subseteq F^2(E, p, f_1, s)$ .
2.  $F^2(E, p, f_1, s) \cap F^2(E, p, f_2, s) \subseteq F^2(E, p, f_1 + f_2, s)$ .
3.  $F^2(E, p, f_1, s) \subseteq F^2(E, p, f_2 \circ f_1, s)$  if  $(nk)^{-s} \in F^2$ , where  $(f_2 \circ f_1)(t) = f_2(f_1(t))$  and  $\inf p_{nk} > 0$  &  $\sup p_{nk} < \infty$ .
4. If  $s_1 \leq s_2$ , then  $F^2(E, p, f_1, s_1) \subseteq F^2(E, p, f_1, s_2)$ .

**Proof (i).** Let  $x = (x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f_2, s)$ .

Since  $\sup_{t>0} \frac{f_1(t)}{f_2(t)} < \infty$  is given,  $\exists L > 0$  such that  $f_1(t) \leq Lf_2(t)$  for all  $t > 0$  and hence

$$(nk)^{-s} \left\{ f_1(q_E(x_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \leq \max \left( 1, L^H \right) (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f_2(q_E(x_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}}$$

for each n and k.

Since  $F^2$  is normal, so the result follows.

**Proof (ii).** Let  $x = (x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f_1, s) \cap F^2(E, p, f_2, s)$ . Consider

$$\begin{aligned} (nk)^{-s} \left\{ (f_1 + f_2)(q_E(x_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} &= (nk)^{-s} \left[ \left\{ f_1(q_E(x_{nk})) \right\} + \left\{ f_2(q_E(x_{nk})) \right\} \right]^{p_{nk}} \\ &\leq D(nk)^{-s} \left[ \left\{ f_1(q_E(x_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} + \left\{ f_2(q_E(x_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

for each  $n$  and  $k$  and  $D = \max(1, 2^{H-1})$ . Result follows as  $F^2$  is normal sequence space.

**Proof (iii).** Let us choose  $\delta$  such that  $0 < \delta < 1$ . Let

$$\begin{aligned} N_1 &= \left\{ (n, k) \in N \times N : f_1(q_E(x_{nk})) \leq \delta \right\} \\ N_2 &= \left\{ (n, k) \in N \times N : f_1(q_E(x_{nk})) > \delta \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

If  $(n, k) \in N_1$ , then

$$(f_2 \circ f_1)(q_E(x_{nk})) \leq f_2(\delta).$$

Hence

$$(nk)^{-s} \left( (f_2 \circ f_1)(q_E(x_{nk})) \right)^{p_{nk}} \leq \eta_1 (nk)^{-s}, \quad (3.5)$$

where

$$\eta_1 = \max \left[ \left\{ f_2(\delta) \right\}^{\inf p_{nk}}, \left\{ f_2(\delta) \right\}^{\sup p_{nk}} \right].$$

Again for  $(n, k) \in N_2$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (nk)^{-s} \left( (f_2 \circ f_1)(q_E(x_{nk})) \right)^{p_{nk}} &\leq (nk)^{-s} \left[ \frac{2f_2(1)}{\delta} f_1(q_E(x_{nk})) \right]^{p_{nk}} \quad (\text{by Lemma 3.1}) \\ &\leq \eta_2 (nk)^{-s} \left[ f_1(q_E(x_{nk})) \right]^{p_{nk}} \end{aligned} \quad (3.6)$$

where

$$\eta_2 = \max \left\{ \left\{ \frac{2f_2(1)}{\delta} \right\}^{\inf p_{nk}}, \left\{ \frac{2f_2(1)}{\delta} \right\}^{\sup p_{nk}} \right\}.$$

Let  $\eta = \max(\eta_1, \eta_2)$ .

From (3.5) and (3.6) we get for  $(n, k) \in N_1 \cup N_2$ ,

$$(nk)^{-s} \left( (f_2 \circ f_1)(q_E(x_{nk})) \right)^{p_{nk}} \leq \eta \left[ (nk)^{-s} + (nk)^{-s} \left[ f_1(q_E(x_{nk})) \right]^{p_{nk}} \right].$$

Since  $((nk)^{-s}) \in F^2$  and  $F^2(E, f, p, s)$  is normal, so the result follows.

**Proof (iv).** For  $s_1 \leq s_2$

$$(nk)^{-s_2} \left[ f(q_E(x_{nk})) \right]^{p_{nk}} \leq (nk)^{-s_1} \left[ f(q_E(x_{nk})) \right]^{p_{nk}} \quad \text{for every } n, k.$$



By using the normality of  $F^2$ , the result is obtained.

#### 4. Multiplier set of $F^2(E, p, f, s)$

This section deals with some inclusion relations between the set  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  and its multiplier set.

We define multiplier set of  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  as

$$M^2[F^2(E, p, f, s)] = \left\{ a = (a_{nk}) \in E : (a_{nk}x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s) \text{ for all } x = (x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s) \right\}$$

where  $E$  is taken as normed algebra. Now, we prove the following theorems:

**Theorem 4.1.** *Let  $E$  be normed algebra and  $F^2$  be a normal sequence space. Then*

$$\ell_2^\infty(E) \subseteq M^2[F^2(E, p, f, s)],$$

where

$$\ell_2^\infty(E) = \left\{ a = (a_{nk}) : a_{nk} \in E \text{ and } \sup_{n,k} q_E(a_{nk}) < \infty \right\}.$$

**Proof.** Let  $a = (a_{nk}) \in \ell_2^\infty(E)$  and  $x = (x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

Let  $B = \sup_{n,k} q_E(a_{nk}) < \infty$ . Now,

$$\begin{aligned} & (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(a_{nk}x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ & \leq (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(a_{nk})q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \text{ (since } E \text{ is normed algebra)} \\ & < (1 + [B])^H (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \end{aligned}$$

where  $[B^H]$  denotes the integral part of  $B^H$ .

Since  $F^2$  is normal, this implies  $(a_{nk}x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$  and consequently  $(a_{nk}) \in M^2[F^2(E, p, f, s)]$ . Hence the proof.

**Theorem 4.2.** *For any modulus function satisfying  $f(\alpha\beta) \leq f(\alpha) + f(\beta)$ ,  $\alpha, \beta \in [0, \infty)$ ,*

$$F^2(E, p, f, s) \subseteq M^2[F^2(E, p, f, s)],$$

where  $E$  is a normed algebra.

**Proof.** Let  $x = (x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ . We want to show that  $x = (x_{nk}) \in M^2[F^2(E, p, f, s)]$ , i.e., to show  $(x_{nk}y_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$  for all  $y = (y_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

Consider

$$q_E(x_{nk}y_{nk}) \leq q_E(x_{nk})q_E(y_{nk})$$

since  $E$  is a normed algebra.

Then

$$f(q_E(x_{nk}y_{nk})) \leq f(q_E(x_{nk})q_E(y_{nk})) \leq f(q_E(x_{nk})) + f(q_E(y_{nk})).$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f(q_E(x_{nk}y_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} &\leq (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f(q_E(x_{nk})) + f(q_E(y_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ &\leq D(nk)^{-s} \left[ \left\{ f(q_E(x_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} + \left\{ f(q_E(y_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

where  $D = \max(1, 2^{H-1})$ .

This implies  $xy \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$  and hence  $x \in M^2[F^2(E, p, f, s)]$ .

### 5. Ideals of $F^2(E, p, f, s)$

Let  $I^2$  be a normal subspace of  $F^2$ , where  $F^2$  is a sequence algebra. Let  $E$  be commutative normed algebra and  $S_2(E)$  is the linear space of all sequences  $x = (x_{nk})$  with  $x_{nk} \in E$  under the usual coordinatewise addition and scalar multiplication.

$$\begin{aligned} I^2(E, p, f, s) \\ = \left\{ x = (x_{nk}) : x_{nk} \in S(E) \text{ for each } n, k \text{ and } \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f(q_E(x_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \in I^2 \right\} \end{aligned}$$

It is easy to check that  $I^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a subspace of  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

**Theorem 5.1.** *If  $I^2$  is closed subspace of  $F^2$  and  $F^2$  is a normal  $K_2$ -space then for  $0 < p_{nk} \leq 1$ ,  $I^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a closed subspace of  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$ .*

**Proof.** It is easy to show that  $I^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a subspace of  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$ . Next, to show it is closed, we take  $x = (x_{nk}) \in \overline{I^2(E, p, f, s)}$ , the closure of  $I^2(E, p, f, s)$ . This implies the existence of a sequence  $x^{j,l} = ((x_{nk}^{j,l})) \in I^2(E, p, f, s)$  such that

$$g(x^{j,l} - x) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l \rightarrow \infty$$

for some  $x = (x_{nk}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

Consequently,

$$\begin{aligned} g_{F^2} \left[ \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk})) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \right] &\rightarrow 0 \text{ as } m \rightarrow \infty. \\ &(\text{since } M = \max(1, \sup p_{nk}) = 1) \end{aligned} \tag{5.1}$$

Since  $F^2$  is  $K_2$ -space and  $f$  is continuous at 0, so,

$$q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk}) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } j, l \rightarrow \infty \text{ for each } n, k.$$

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} &\leq \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk} + x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ &\leq \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk})\right) + f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ &\leq \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} + \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \quad (\text{as } 0 < p_{nk} \leq 1) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} - \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \leq \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}}. \tag{5.2}$$

Since  $F^2$  is normal and  $g_{F^2}$  is a monotone paranorm, so (5.2) implies that

$$\left( (nk)^{-s} \left( \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} - \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \right) \in F^2. \tag{5.3}$$

So we get from (5.2) and (5.3)

$$\begin{aligned} &g_{F^2} \left[ (nk)^{-s} \left( \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} - \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \right] \\ &\leq g_{F^2} \left[ (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l} - x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right] \\ &= g(x^{j,l} - x) \end{aligned}$$

Using (5.1) we get,

$$g_{F^2} \left[ (nk)^{-s} \left( \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk}^{j,l})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) - (nk)^{-s} \left( \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \right] \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } m \rightarrow \infty. \tag{5.4}$$

Since  $I^2$  is closed in  $F^2$ , it is clear from (5.4) that,

$$\left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \in I^2.$$

Hence  $x = (x_{nk}) \in I^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

**Theorem 5.2.** *Let  $I^2$  be an ideal of  $F^2$ . Further, let the modulus function  $f$  satisfies  $f(uv) = f(u)f(v)$  where  $u, v$  are scalars. Then  $I^2(E, p, f, s)$  is an ideal of  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$ .*

**Proof.** For  $x = (x_{nk}) \in I^2(E, p, f, s)$  and  $r = (r_{nk}) \in F^2(E, f, p, s)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (nk)^{-2s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(r_{nk}x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} &\leq (nk)^{-2s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(r_{nk})q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ &= (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(r_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \in I^2 \end{aligned}$$

As because  $I^2$  is an ideal of  $F^2$ ,

$$\left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(r_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{nk})\right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \in I^2.$$

Further normality of  $I^2$  implies

$$\left( (nk)^{-2s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(r_{nk}x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \in I^2$$

and hence  $rx \in I^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

Similarly it can be shown that  $xr \in I^2(E, f, s)$  which completes the proof.

**Theorem 5.3.** *If  $I^2$  is a subspace of  $\ell_2^\infty$ , for any unbounded function  $f$ ,  $I^2(E, p, f, s)$  is an ideal of  $\ell_2^\infty(E, p, f, s)$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $x = (x_{nk}) \in I^2(E, p, f, s)$  and  $\ell = (\ell_{nk}) \in \ell_2^\infty(E, p, f, s)$ . So

$$\sup_{n,k} (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(\ell_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} < \infty \quad (5.5)$$

But  $f$  is unbounded and in order to hold (5.5), it follows that  $\ell = (\ell_{nk}) \in \ell_2^\infty(E)$ .

Let

$$T = \sup_{n,k} q_E(\ell_{nk}).$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(\ell_{nk}x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} &\leq (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(\ell_{nk})q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ &\leq (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( Tq_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \\ &\leq (1 + [T])^H (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence by the normality of  $I^2$ , it follows that  $\ell x \in I^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

Similarly we can show that  $x\ell \in I^2(E, p, f, s)$ .

## 6. Statistical convergence and strongly $(p_{nk})$ -Cesáro summability

The concepts of Cesáro summability and strongly p-Cesáro summability for double sequences are introduced by Moricz [8] while the notion of statistical convergence for double sequences has been discussed by Mursaleen et al. [9].

Mursaleen et al. [9] first introduced and extended the concept of statistical convergence for double sequences of real or complex numbers after defining the analogue concept of natural density for double sequences as follows:

Let  $K \subseteq \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  be a two dimensional set of positive integers and let

$$K(n, m) = C \left( \left\{ (i, j) : i \leq n \text{ and } j \leq m \right\} \right).$$

where  $C(A)$  denotes the cardinality of the set  $A$ .

If the sequence  $\left(\frac{K(n,m)}{nm}\right)$  has a limit in Pringsheim's sense [1], then we say that  $K$  has double natural density  $\delta_2(K)$  and is written as

$$\delta_2(K) = P - \lim_{n,m} \frac{K(n,m)}{nm}$$

Mursaleen et al. [9] defined analogously the statistical convergence and statistical Cauchy convergence for double sequences  $x = (x_{nk})$  as follows:

**Definition 6.1.** A real double sequence  $x = (x_{ij})$  is said to be statistically convergent to the number  $\ell$ , if for each  $\epsilon > 0$ , the set

$$\left\{ (i, j) : i \leq n \text{ and } j \leq m : |x_{ij} - \ell| \geq \epsilon \right\}$$

has double natural density zero in the Pringsheim's sense [1], i.e.,

$$P - \lim_{m,n} \frac{1}{mn} C \left( \left\{ (i, j) : i \leq n \ \& \ j \leq m, \ |x_{ij} - \ell| \geq \epsilon \right\} \right) = 0$$

and this is denoted as  $st_2 - \lim_{i,j} x_{ij} = \ell$ . We denote the set of all statistically convergent sequences (in Pringsheim's sense) by  $st_2$ .

**Definition 6.2.** A real double sequence  $x = (x_{ij})$  is said to be statistically Cauchy, if for each  $\epsilon > 0$  there exist  $A = A(\epsilon)$  and  $B = B(\epsilon)$  such that for all  $i, p \geq A$ ,  $j, q \geq B$ , the set

$$\left\{ (i, j) : i \leq r \text{ and } j \leq s : |x_{ij} - x_{pq}| \geq \epsilon \right\}$$

has double natural density zero in Pringsheim's sense.

In this section, we have extended the concepts of statistical convergence and Cesàro-summability to the generalized vector valued double sequence space  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  as follows:

**Definition 6.3.** A vector valued double sequence  $x = (x_{ij}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is said to be statistically convergent to  $L$  if for each  $\epsilon > 0$ , the set

$$\left\{ (i, j), \ i \leq n, \ j \leq k : (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - L) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \geq \epsilon \right\}$$

has double natural density zero.

In this case we write  $x_{ij} \xrightarrow{s^2(E,p,f,s)} L$ . It is easy to check that  $L$  is unique.

**Definition 6.4.** Let  $x = (x_{ij})$  be a vector valued double sequence in  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  and  $p = (p_{ij})$  be a sequence of strictly positive real numbers. Then  $x = (x_{ij})$  is said to be strongly  $(p_{ij})$ -Cesàro-type summable to  $\ell$  if

$$\lim_{n,k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{nk} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^k \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] = 0.$$

**Note 6.1.** Let  $s_{E,p,f,s}^2$ ,  $w_{E,p,f,s}^2$  denote the space of all statistically convergent vector valued double sequences and the space of all strongly  $(p_{ij})$ -Cesàro-type summable vector valued double sequences respectively.

**Theorem 6.1.** A vector valued double sequence  $x = (x_{ij}) \in F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is statistically convergent to  $\ell$  if it is strongly  $(p_{ij})$ -Cesàro-type summable to  $\ell$ .

**Proof.** Let

$$I_1(\epsilon) = \left\{ (i, j), i \leq n, j \leq k : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\}.$$

Let us assume that  $x = (x_{ij})$  is strongly  $(p_{ij})$ -Cesàro summable to  $\ell$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{nk} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^k \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{nk} \left[ \sum_{(i,j) \in I_1} \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] + \sum_{(i,j) \notin I_1} \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \right] \\ &\geq \frac{1}{nk} \sum_{(i,j) \in I_1} \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \\ &\geq \epsilon \frac{1}{nk} C \left( \left\{ (i, j) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}, i \leq n, j \leq k : \left[ (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\} \right) \end{aligned}$$

implies that  $x = (x_{ij})$  is statistically convergent to  $\ell$ .

**Theorem 6.2.**  $w_{E,p,f,s}^2 \cap \ell_{\infty}^2(E, p, f, s) = s_{E,p,f,s}^2 \cap \ell_{\infty}^2(E, p, f, s)$ , where

$$\ell_{\infty}^2(E, p, f, s) = \left\{ x = (x_{nk}) \in S_2(E) : x_{nk} \in E \text{ and } \left( (nk)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{nk}) \right) \right\}^{p_{nk}} \right) \in \ell_{\infty}^2 \right\}.$$

**Proof.** Let  $x = (x_{ij}) \in s_{E,p,f,s}^2 \cap \ell_{\infty}^2(E, p, f, s)$  and let

$$I_2(\epsilon) = \left\{ (i, j), i \leq n, j \leq k : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \frac{\epsilon}{2} \right\}.$$

Let

$$T = \sup_{i,j} \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right].$$

Since  $x = (x_{ij})$  is bounded statistically convergent, we can choose  $N$  such that for all  $n, k \geq N$ ,

$$\frac{1}{nk} C \left( \left\{ (i, j) : i \leq n, j \leq k : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \frac{\epsilon}{2} \right\} \right) < \frac{\epsilon}{2T}.$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{nk} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^k \left[ (Ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{nk} \sum_{(i,j) \in I_2(\epsilon)} \left[ (Ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] + \frac{1}{nk} \sum_{(i,j) \notin I_2(\epsilon)} \left[ (Ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \\ &< \frac{1}{nk} nk \frac{\epsilon}{2T} T + \frac{1}{nk} nk \frac{\epsilon}{2} = \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $x = (x_{ij})$  is strongly  $(p_{ij})$ -Cesàro-type summable to  $\ell$ .

We have proved more generalized form of some well known results of Mursaleen et al. [2003] regarding statistical convergence as follows:

**Theorem 6.3.** *A vector valued double sequence  $x = (x_{ij})$  in  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is statistically convergent to a number  $\ell$  if and only if there exists a subset  $R = \{(i, j)\} \subseteq N \times N$ ,  $i, j = 1, 2, \dots$  such that  $\delta_2(R)=1$  and*

$$\lim_{\substack{i,j \rightarrow \infty \\ (i,j) \in R}} q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) = 0.$$

**Proof.** Let  $x = (x_{ij})$  be statistically convergent to  $\ell$ .

Let

$$R_\eta = \left\{ (i, j) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq 1/\eta \right\}$$

and

$$T_\eta = \left\{ (i, j) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] < 1/\eta \right\}$$

( $\eta = 1, 2, \dots$ )

Then  $\delta_2(R_\eta) = 0$ . Again,  $(T_i)$  is a sequence of sets such that  $T_i \supseteq T_{i+1}$  and  $\delta_2(T_\eta) = 1$ ,  $\eta = 1, 2, \dots$ . Now, we have to show that for  $(i, j) \in T_\eta$ ,  $(x_{ij})$  is convergent to  $\ell$ .

Now, if possible, let  $x = (x_{ij})$  be not convergent to  $\ell$ , for all  $(i, j) \in T_\eta$ .

Then there is a  $\epsilon > 0$  such that, for infinitely many  $i, j$ ,

$$\left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon$$

Let

$$T_\epsilon = \left\{ (i, j) : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] < \epsilon \right\}$$

where  $\epsilon > 1/\eta$ . Then  $\delta_2(T_\epsilon) = 0$ .

Since  $T_\eta \subseteq T_\epsilon$ , it follows that  $\delta_2(T_\eta) = 0$ , a contradiction. Thus  $x = (x_{ij})$  is convergent to  $\ell$ .

Conversely, suppose that there exists a subset  $R = \{(i, j)\} \subseteq N \times N$  such that  $\delta_2(R)=1$  and

$$\lim_{i,j \rightarrow \infty} q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) = 0.$$

So there exists a +ve integer  $N_0$  such that for every  $\epsilon > 0$ ,

$$\left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] < \epsilon$$

for all  $i, j \geq N_0$ .

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} R_\epsilon &= \left\{ (i, j) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\} \\ &\subseteq \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} - \left\{ (n_{N_0+1}, k_{N_0+1}), (n_{N_0+2}, k_{N_0+2}), \dots, \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\delta_2(R_\epsilon) \leq 1 - \delta_2 \left( \left\{ (n_{N_0+1}, k_{N_0+1}), (n_{N_0+2}, k_{N_0+2}), \dots, \right\} \right) = 1 - 1 = 0$$

Consequently  $x$  is statistically convergent to  $\ell$ .

**Coroary 6.1.** *If  $s_{E,f,p,s}^2 - \lim x_{ij} = \ell$ , then there exists a sequence  $y = (y_{ij})$  such that  $\lim_{i,j} y_{ij} \stackrel{qE}{=} \ell$  and  $\delta_2 \left( \left\{ (i, j) : x_{ij} \neq y_{ij} \right\} \right) = 1$  i.e.,  $x_{ij} = y_{ij}$  for all most all  $i, j$ .*

**Theorem 6.4.** *The set  $s_{E,f,p,s}^2 \cap \ell_\infty^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a closed linear subspace of the normed linear space  $\ell_\infty^2(E, p, f, s)$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $x^{(mn)} = (x_{ij}^{(mn)})$  be any Cauchy sequence in the space  $s_{E,f,p,s}^2 \cap \ell_\infty^2(E, p, f, s)$ . Let  $x^{(mn)} \rightarrow x \in \ell_\infty^2(E, p, f, s)$ . Since  $x^{(mn)} \in s_{E,f,p,s}^2$ , there exist  $a_{mn} \in E$  such that  $s_{E,f,p,s}^2 - \lim_{i,j} x_{ij}^{(mn)} = a_{mn}$  for  $m, n = 1, 2, \dots$

Since  $x^{(mn)} \rightarrow x$ , for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exist a positive integer  $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$g(x^{(mn)} - x^{(pq)}) < \frac{\epsilon}{3} \tag{6.1}$$

for every  $m, p \geq n_0, n, q \geq n_0$ , where  $g$  denotes the norm.

By Theorem 6.3. there exist subsets  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  of  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  with  $\delta_2(K_1) = 1 = \delta_2(K_2)$  and

$$\lim_{\substack{i,j \rightarrow \infty \\ (i,j) \in K_1}} x_{ij}^{(mn)} \stackrel{g}{=} a_{mn} \text{ and } \lim_{\substack{i,j \rightarrow \infty \\ (i,j) \in K_2}} x_{ij}^{(pq)} \stackrel{g}{=} a_{pq} \tag{6.2}$$

We choose  $(k_1, k_2) \in K_1 \cap K_2$  (where  $\delta_2(K_1 \cap K_2) = 1$ ).

Then by (6.2) we have

$$g(x_{k_1 k_2}^{(mn)} - a_{mn}) < \frac{\epsilon}{3} \tag{6.3}$$

and

$$g(x_{k_1 k_2}^{(pq)} - a_{pq}) < \frac{\epsilon}{3} \tag{6.4}$$



Therefore for each  $m, p \geq n_0$  and  $n, q \geq n_0$ , using (6.1), (6.3) and (6.4) we have

$$\begin{aligned} g(a_{pq} - a_{mn}) &\leq g(x_{k_1 k_2}^{(mn)} - a_{mn}) + g(x_{k_1 k_2}^{(pq)} - a_{pq}) + g(x_{k_1 k_2}^{(mn)} - x_{k_1 k_2}^{(pq)}) \\ &< \frac{\epsilon}{3} + \frac{\epsilon}{3} + \frac{\epsilon}{3} = \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

Hence the sequence  $(a_{mn})$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $E$ . Since  $E$  is a Banach space, it is complete. Let

$$\lim_{m,n} q_E(a_{mn}) = a \tag{6.5}$$

We will show that  $x$  is statistically convergent to  $a$ .

Since  $x^{(mn)}$  is convergent to  $x$ , for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exist  $N_1(\epsilon)$  such that for  $i, j \geq N_1(\epsilon)$ ,

$$g(x_{ij}^{(mn)} - x_{ij}) < \frac{\epsilon}{3}$$

Also since (6.5) holds, we have for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exist  $N_2(\epsilon)$  such that for  $i, j \geq N_2(\epsilon)$ ,

$$g(a_{mn} - a) < \frac{\epsilon}{3}$$

Again since  $s_{E,f,p,s}^2 - \lim_{i,j} x_{ij}^{(mn)} = a_{mn}$ , there exists a set  $R = \{(i, j)\} \subseteq \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ ,  $i, j = 1, 2, \dots$  such that  $\delta_2(R) = 1$  and for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exist  $N_3(\epsilon)$  such that for  $i, j \geq N_3(\epsilon)$ ,  $(i, j) \in R$ ,

$$g(x_{ij}^{(mn)} - a_{mn}) < \frac{\epsilon}{3}$$

Let

$$N(\epsilon) = \max(N_1(\epsilon), N_2(\epsilon), N_3(\epsilon))$$

Then for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exist  $N(\epsilon)$  such that for  $i, j \geq N(\epsilon)$ ,  $(i, j) \in R$ ,

$$g(x_{ij} - a) \leq g(x_{ij} - x_{ij}^{(mn)}) + g(x_{ij}^{(mn)} - a_{mn}) + g(a_{mn} - a) < \frac{\epsilon}{3} + \frac{\epsilon}{3} + \frac{\epsilon}{3} = \epsilon$$

Therefore  $x$  is statistically convergent to  $a$ , i.e.,  $x \in s_{E,f,p,s}^2 \cap \ell_\infty^2(E, p, f, s)$ . Hence the proof.

**Theorem 6.5.** *The set  $s_{E,p,f,s}^2 \cap \ell_\infty^2(E, p, f, s)$  is a nowhere dense in  $\ell_\infty^2(E, p, f, s)$ .*

**Proof.** It is shown by T. Neubrum et al. [10] that every closed subspace of an arbitrary linear normed space  $S$  different from  $S$  is a nowhere dense set in  $S$  and using Theorem 5.5.4, it is enough to show that  $s_{E,p,f,s}^2 \cap \ell_\infty^2(E, p, f, s) \neq \ell_\infty^2(E, p, f, s)$  in order to establish our claim.

Let us take  $F^2 = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ ,  $E = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $p_{ij} = 1$ . Let  $x = (x_{ij})$  be such that

$$x_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \text{ and } j \text{ are even} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Let  $f(x) = x$  and  $s = 0$ . Then  $x = (x_{ij})$  is not statistically convergent, but it is bounded. Hence the result.

**Definition 6.5.** A sequence  $x = (x_{ij})$  is said to be statistically Cauchy if for any given  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exist  $N_1(\epsilon)$  and  $N_2(\epsilon)$  such that for all  $i, r \geq N_1$  and  $j, t \geq N_2$ ,

$$\left\{ (i, j), i \leq n, j \leq k : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - x_{rt}) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\}$$

has double natural density zero.

**Theorem 6.6.** A sequence  $x = (x_{ij})$  in  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is statistically convergent if and only if it is statistically Cauchy.

**Proof.** Let us assume that  $x = (x_{ij})$  in  $F^2(E, p, f, s)$  is statistically convergent to  $\ell$ . Then for any given  $\epsilon > 0$ , the set

$$\left\{ (i, j), n \leq u, k \leq v : \left[ \left( (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right) \right] \geq \epsilon \right\}$$

has double natural density zero.

Let  $N_1$  and  $N_2$  be so chosen that

$$\left[ (N_1 N_2)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{N_1 N_2} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon.$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\{ (i, j), n \leq u, k \leq v : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - x_{N_1 N_2}) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\} \\ & \subseteq \left\{ (i, j), n \leq u, k \leq v : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\} \\ & \cup \left\{ (i, j), n \leq u, k \leq v : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{N_1 N_2} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & \delta_2 \left( \left\{ (i, j), n \leq u, k \leq v : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - x_{N_1 N_2}) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\} \right) \\ & \leq \delta_2 \left( \left\{ (i, j), n \leq u, k \leq v : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\} \right) \\ & \quad + \delta_2 \left( \left\{ (i, j), n \leq u, k \leq v : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{N_1 N_2} - \ell) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\} \right) \\ & = 0 \end{aligned}$$

where  $\delta_2(A)$  denotes the double natural density of the set  $A$ . Thus  $x = (x_{ij})$  is statistically Cauchy sequence.

Conversely, let  $x = (x_{ij})$  be statistically Cauchy sequence, but not statistically convergent. Then

$$\delta_2 \left( \left\{ (i, j), i \leq n, j \leq k : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f \left( q_E(x_{ij} - x_{N_1 N_2}) \right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \geq \epsilon \right\} \right) = 0$$

i.e.,

$$\delta_2\left(\left\{(i, j), i \leq n, j \leq k : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{ij} - x_{N_1 N_2})\right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] < \epsilon \right\}\right) = 1. \quad (6.6)$$

So, in particular,

$$\left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{ij} - x_{N_1 N_2})\right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] \leq 2 \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{ij} - \ell)\right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] < \epsilon \quad (6.7)$$

holds if

$$\left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{ij} - \ell)\right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] < \epsilon/2$$

If possible, let  $x = (x_{ij})$  be not statistically convergent. Then

$$\delta_2\left(\left\{(i, j), i \leq n, j \leq k : \left[ \left( (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{ij} - \ell)\right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right) \right] < \epsilon \right\}\right) = 0.$$

Therefore the set

$$\delta_2\left(\left\{(i, j), i \leq n, j \leq k : \left[ (ij)^{-s} \left\{ f\left(q_E(x_{ij} - x_{N_1 N_2})\right) \right\}^{p_{ij}} \right] < \epsilon \right\}\right) = 0$$

which contradicts (6.6). Hence  $x = (x_{ij})$  is statistically convergent to  $\ell$ .

## 7. Summary and Conclusion

Considering  $F^2 = \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $E = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $p_{ij} = 1$ ,  $f = I$ ,  $s = 0$ , all the results of Mursaleen et al. [9] regarding statistical convergence can be obtained from these results. Moreover, if we take  $p = (p_{ij})$  to be a sequence of constant terms, say,  $p_{ij} = p$ , where  $0 < p < 1$ , then  $M = 1$  and restricting  $F^2 = E = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f = I$ ,  $s = 0$ , our  $(p_{ij})$ -Cesàro-type summability reduces to  $p$ -Cesàro summability defined by Mursaleen et al.[9].

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