

# ZWEIER DIFFERENCE SEQUENCE SPACES DEFINED BY A SEQUENCE OF MODULI

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Abstract. In this article, we introduce the sequence spaces  $\mathscr{Z}_0(F, \triangle)$  and  $\mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \triangle)$  for the sequence of moduli  $F = (f_k)$  and give some inclusion relations.

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### 1. Introduction

Let N, R and C be the sets of all natural, real and complex numbers respectively. We write

$$\boldsymbol{\omega} = \{ \boldsymbol{x} = (\boldsymbol{x}_k) : \boldsymbol{x}_k \in \boldsymbol{R} \text{ or } \boldsymbol{C} \},\$$

the space of all real or complex sequences. Let  $l_{\infty}$ , *c* and  $c_0$  be the linear spaces of bounded, convergent and null sequences respectively, normed by

$$||x||_{\infty} = \sup_{k} |x_k|$$
, where  $k \in N$ .

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Each linear subspace of  $\omega$ , for example,  $\lambda, \mu \subset \omega$  is called a sequence space. A sequence space  $\lambda$  with linear topology is called a K-space provided each of maps  $p_i \longrightarrow C$  defined by  $p_i(x) = x_i$  is continuous for all  $i \in N$ . A K-space  $\lambda$  is called an FK-space provided  $\lambda$  is a complete linear metric space.

An FK-space whose topology is normable is called a BK-space. Let  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  be two sequence spaces and  $A = (a_{nk})$  is an infinite matrix of real or complex numbers  $(a_{nk})$ , where  $n, k \in N$ . Then we say that A defines a matrix mapping from  $\lambda$  to  $\mu$ , and we denote it by writting A:  $\lambda \longrightarrow \mu$ . If for every sequence  $x = (x_k) \in \lambda$  the sequence  $Ax = \{(Ax)_n\}$ , the A transform of xis in  $\mu$ , where

$$(Ax)_n = \sum_k a_{nk} x_k, \ (n \in N).$$

$$(1.1)$$

By  $(\lambda : \mu)$ , we denote the class of matrices *A* such that  $A : \lambda \longrightarrow \mu$ . Thus,  $A \in (\lambda : \mu)$  if and only if series on the right side of (1.1) converges for each  $n \in N$  and every  $x \in \lambda$ . The approach of constructing new sequence spaces by means of the matrix domain of a particular limitation method have been recently employed by Altay, Başar and Mursaleen [1], Başar and Altay [2], Malkowsky [8], Ng and Lee [10], and Wang [15]. Şengönül [14] defined the sequence  $y = (y_i)$ which is frequently used as the  $Z^p$  transform of the sequence  $x = (x_i)$ , *i.e*,

$$y_i = px_i + (1-p)x_{i-1},$$

where  $x_{-1} = 0, p \neq 1, 1 and <math>Z^p$  denotes the matrix  $Z^p = (z_{ik})$  defined by

$$z_{ik} = \begin{cases} p, (i = k), \\ 1 - p, (i - 1 = k); (i, k \in N), \\ 0, \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Following Başar and Altay [2], Şengönül [14] introduced the Zweier sequence spaces  $\mathscr{Z}$  and  $\mathscr{Z}_0$  as follows

$$\mathscr{Z} = \{x = (x_k) \in \boldsymbol{\omega} : Z^p x \in c\},\$$
  
 $\mathscr{Z}_0 = \{x = (x_k) \in \boldsymbol{\omega} : Z^p x \in c_0\}.$ 

Here we list below some of the results of [14] which we will use as a reference in order to establish some of the results of this article.

**Theorem 1.1.** [14, Theorem 2.1.] *The sets*  $\mathscr{Z}$  *and*  $\mathscr{Z}_0$  *are the linear spaces with the co-ordinate wise addition and scalar multiplication which are the BK-spaces with the norm* 

$$||x||_{\mathscr{Z}} = ||x||_{\mathscr{Z}_0} = ||Z^p x||_c.$$

**Theorem 1.2.** [14, Theorem 2.2.] *The sequence spaces*  $\mathscr{Z}$  *and*  $\mathscr{Z}_0$  *are linearly isomorphic to the spaces c and*  $c_0$  *respectively, i.e*  $\mathscr{Z} \cong c$  *and*  $\mathscr{Z}_0 \cong c_0$ .

**Theorem 1.3.** [14, Theorem 2.3.] *The inclusions*  $\mathscr{Z}_0 \subset \mathscr{Z}$  *strictly hold for*  $p \neq 1$ .

The idea of difference sequence spaces was introduced by Kizmaz [5]. In 1981, Kizmaz [5] defined the sequence spaces

$$l_{\infty}(\triangle) = \{ x = (x_k) \in \boldsymbol{\omega} : (\triangle x_k) \in l_{\infty} \},\$$

$$c(\triangle) = \{ x = (x_k) \in \boldsymbol{\omega} : (\triangle x_k) \in c \},\$$

and

$$c_0(\triangle) = \{x = (x_k) \in \boldsymbol{\omega} : (\triangle x_k) \in c_0\},\$$

where  $\triangle x = (x_k - x_{k+1})$  and  $\triangle^0 x = (x_k)$ . These are Banach spaces with the norm

$$||x||_{\triangle} = |x_1| + ||\triangle x||_{\infty}.$$

The idea of modulus was structured in 1953 by Nakano; see [9] and the references therein.

A function  $f: [0,\infty) \longrightarrow [0,\infty)$  is called a modulus if

- (1) f(t) = 0 if and only if t = 0,
- (2)  $f(t+u) \le f(t) + f(u)$  for all t,  $u \ge 0$ ,
- (3) f is increasing, and
- (4) f is continuous from the right at zero.

Let *X* be a sequence space. Ruckle [11-13] defined the sequence space X(f) as

$$X(f) = \{x = (x_k) : (f(|x_k|)) \in X\}$$

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for a modulus f. Kolk [6-7] gave an extension of X(f) by considering a sequence of moduli  $F = (f_k)$ , that is

$$X(F) = \{x = (x_k) : (f_k(|x_k|)) \in X\}.$$

After then Gaur and Mursaleen[4] defined the following sequence spaces

$$l_{\infty}(F, \triangle) = \{x = (x_k) : \triangle x \in l_{\infty}(F)\},\$$
$$c_0(F, \triangle) = \{x = (x_k) : \triangle x \in c_0(F)\}$$

for a sequence of moduli  $F = (f_k)$  and gave the necessary and sufficient conditions for the inclusion relations between  $X(\triangle)$  and  $Y(F, \triangle)$ , where  $X, Y = l_{\infty}$  or  $c_0$ .

**Lemma 1.4.** [3, Lemma 1.2.] *The condition*  $\sup_{k} f_k(t) < \infty$ , t > 0 holds if and only if there is a point  $t_0 > 0$  such that  $\sup_{k} f_k(t_0) < \infty$ .

**Lemma 1.5.** [3, Lemma 1.3.] The condition  $\inf_k f_k(t) > 0$  holds if and only if there exists a point  $t_0 > 0$  such that  $\inf_k f_k(t_0) > 0$ .

## 2. Main results

In this section, we introduce the following classes of sequence spaces.

$$\mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \bigtriangleup) = \{ x = (x_k) \in \boldsymbol{\omega} : \bigtriangleup x \in \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F) \},\$$

$$\mathscr{Z}_0(F, \bigtriangleup) = \{ x = (x_k) \in \boldsymbol{\omega} : \bigtriangleup x \in \mathscr{Z}_0(F) \}.$$

**Theorem 2.1.** For a sequence  $F = (f_k)$  of moduli, the following statements are equivalent: (a)  $\mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(\triangle) \subseteq \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \triangle)$ ,

$$(b) \ \mathscr{Z}_0(\triangle) \subset \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \triangle),$$

$$(c) \sup_{k} f_k(t) < \infty, \ (t > 0).$$

**Proof.** (a) implies (b) is obvious.

(b) implies (c). Let  $\mathscr{Z}_0(\triangle) \subset \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \triangle)$ .

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Suppose that (c) is not true. Then by Lemma 1.4  $\sup_{k} f_k(t) = \infty$  for all t > 0, and, therefore there is a sequence  $(k_i)$  of positive integers such that

$$f_{k_i}(\frac{1}{i}) > i, \text{ for } i = 1, 2, 3.....$$
 (2.1)

Define  $x = (x_k)$  as follows

$$x_{k} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{i}, \text{ if } k = k_{i}, i = 1, 2, 3.....; \\ 0, otherwise. \end{cases}$$

Then  $x \in \mathscr{Z}_0(\triangle)$  but by (2.1),  $x \notin \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \triangle)$  which contradicts (b). Hence (c) must hold.

(c) implies (a). Let (c) be satisfied and  $x \in \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(\triangle)$ . If we suppose that  $x \notin \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \triangle)$ , then  $\sup_{k} f_{k}(|\triangle x_{k}|) = \infty$  for  $\triangle x \in \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}$ . If we take  $t = |\triangle x|$ , then  $\sup_{k} f_{k}(t) = \infty$  which contradicts (c). Hence  $\mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(\triangle) \subseteq \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \triangle)$ .

**Theorem 2.2.** If  $F = (f_k)$  is a sequence of moduli, then the following statements are equivalent:

- (a)  $\mathscr{Z}_0(F, \triangle) \subseteq \mathscr{Z}_0(\triangle)$ ,
- (b)  $\mathscr{Z}_0(F, \triangle) \subset \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(\triangle)$ ,
- (c)  $\inf_{k} f_{k}(t) > 0, \ (t > 0).$

**Proof.** (a) implies (b) is obvious.

(b) implies (c). Let  $\mathscr{Z}_0(F, \triangle) \subset \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(\triangle)$ .

Suppose that (c) does not hold. Then, by lemma 1.5,

$$\inf_{k} f_k(t) = 0, (t > 0), \tag{2.2}$$

and therefore there is a sequence  $(k_i)$  of positive integers such that

$$f_{k_i}(i^2) < \frac{1}{i}$$
 for  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ 

Define the sequence  $x = (x_k)$  by

$$x_{k} = \begin{cases} i^{2}, \text{if } k = k_{i}, \ i = 1, 2, 3, \dots; \\ 0, \ otherwise. \end{cases}$$

By (2.2)  $x \in \mathscr{Z}_0(F, \triangle)$  but  $x \notin \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(\triangle)$  which contradicts (b). Hence (c) must hold.

(c) implies (a). Let (c) holds and  $x \in \mathscr{Z}_0(F, \triangle)$ , that is,  $\lim_k f_k(|\triangle x_k|) = 0$ . Suppose that  $x \notin \mathscr{Z}_0(\triangle)$ . Then for some number  $\varepsilon_0 > 0$  and positive integer  $k_0$  we have  $|\triangle x_k| \ge \varepsilon_0$  for  $k \ge k_0$ . Therefore  $f_k(\varepsilon_0) \le f_k(|\triangle x_k|)$  for  $k \ge k_0$  and hence  $\lim_k f_k(\varepsilon_0) = 0$  which contradicts (c). Thus  $\mathscr{Z}_0(F, \triangle) \subseteq \mathscr{Z}_0(\triangle)$ .

**Theorem 2.3.** *The inclusion*  $\mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \triangle) \subseteq \mathscr{Z}_{0}(\triangle)$  *holds if and only if* 

$$\lim_{k} f_k(t) = \infty \text{ for } t > 0. \tag{2.3}$$

**Proof.** Let  $\mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \triangle) \subseteq \mathscr{Z}_{0}(\triangle)$  such that  $\lim_{k} f_{k}(t) = \infty$  for t >0 does not hold. Then there is a number  $t_{0} > 0$  and a sequence  $(k_{i})$  of positive integers such that

$$f_{k_i}(t_0) \le M < \infty \tag{2.4}$$

Define the sequence  $x = (x_k)$  by

$$x_{k} = \begin{cases} t_{0}, \text{ if } k = k_{i}, i = 1, 2, 3.....; \\ 0, otherwise. \end{cases}$$

Thus  $x \in \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \Delta)$ , by (2.4). But  $x \notin \mathscr{Z}_{0}(\Delta)$ , so that (2.3) must hold If  $\mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \Delta) \subseteq \mathscr{Z}_{0}(\Delta)$ . Conversely, let (2.3) hold. If  $x \in \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(F, \Delta)$ , then  $f_{k}(|\Delta x_{k}|) \leq M < \infty$  for k = 1, 2, 3......Suppose that  $x \notin \mathscr{Z}_{0}(\Delta)$ . Then for some number  $\varepsilon_{0} > 0$  and positive integer  $k_{0}$  we have  $|\Delta x_{k}| \geq \varepsilon_{0}$  for  $k \geq k_{0}$ . Therefore  $f_{k}(\varepsilon_{0}) \leq f_{k}(|\Delta x_{k}|) \leq M$  for  $k \geq k_{0}$  which contradicts (2.3). Hence  $x \in \mathscr{Z}_{0}(\Delta)$ .

**Theorem 2.4.** *The inclusion*  $\mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(\triangle) \subseteq \mathscr{Z}_{0}(F, \triangle)$  *holds, if and only if* 

$$\lim_{k} f_k(t) = 0 \text{ for } t > 0.$$
(2.5)

**Proof.** Suppose that  $\mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(\triangle) \subseteq \mathscr{Z}_{0}(F, \triangle)$  but (2.5) does not hold.

Then

$$\lim_{k} f_k(t_0) = l \neq 0 \tag{2.6}$$

for some  $t_0 > 0$ . Define the sequence  $x = (x_k)$  by

$$x_k = t_0 \sum_{\nu=0}^{k-1} (-1) \begin{bmatrix} k-\nu \\ k-\nu \end{bmatrix}$$

for  $k = 1, 2, 3, \cdots$ . Then  $x \notin \mathscr{Z}_0(F, \triangle)$ , by (2.6). Hence (2.5) holds. Conversity, let  $x \in \mathscr{Z}_{\infty}(\triangle)$ and suppose that (2.5) holds. Then  $|\triangle x_k| \le M < \infty$  for k = 1, 2, 3....

Therefore  $f_k(|\triangle x_k|) \leq f_k(M)$  for k = 1, 2, 3... and  $\lim_k f_k(|\triangle x_k|) \leq \lim_k f_k(M) = 0$ , by (2.5). Hence  $x \in \mathscr{Z}_0(F, \triangle)$ .

#### **Conflict of Interests**

The author declares that there is no conflict of interests.

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