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# The Borel property for 4-dimensional matrices

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### Abstract

In 1909 Borel has proved that "Almost all of the sequences of 0's and 1's are Cesàro summable to  $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Then Hill has generalized Borel's result to two dimensional matrices. In this paper we investigate the Borel property for 4-dimensional matrices.

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### 1. Introduction

The summability of sequences of 0's and 1's has been studied by various authors ([1], [3], [6], [7], [8], [10]). In 1909 Borel proved that "Almost all of the sequences of 0's and 1's are Cesàro summable to  $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Then Hill [6] has generalized Borel's result to general matrices. We say that the matrix has the Borel property, if a matrix sums almost all of the sequences of 0's and 1's to  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Establishing a one-to-one correspondence between the interval (0, 1] and the collection of all sequences of 0's and 1's, Hill has given some necessary conditions and also some sufficient conditions for matrices to have the Borel property in [6], [7]. This property has also been examined in [5], [8].

In the present paper we investigate the Borel property for 4-dimensional matrices. In particular we exhibit some necessary and some sufficient conditions for 4-dimensional matrices to have the Borel property.

We first recall some basic notations and results related to double sequences.

A double sequence  $s = (s_{ij})$  is said to be Pringsheim convergent (i.e., it is convergent in Pringsheim's sense) to L if for every  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists an  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $|s_{ij} - L| < \varepsilon$ whenever  $i, j \ge N$  ([2], [11]). In this case L is called the Pringsheim limit of s.

Throughout the paper when there is no confusion, convergence means the Pringsheim convergence.

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Let X denote the set of all double sequences of 0's and 1's, that is

$$X = \{x = (x_{jk}) : x_{jk} \in \{0, 1\} \text{ for each } j, k \in \mathbb{N}\}\$$

Let  $\Re$  be the smallest  $\sigma$ -algebra of subsets of the set X which contains all sets of the form

 $\{x = (x_{jk}) \in X : x_{j_1k_1} = a_1, ..., x_{j_nk_n} = a_n\}$ 

where each  $a_i \in \{0, 1\}$  and the pairs  $\{(j_i k_i)\}_{i=1}^n$  are pairwise distinct.

There exists a unique probability measure P on the set  $\Re$ , such that

$$P\left(\{x = (x_{jk}) \in X : x_{j_1k_1} = a_1, ..., x_{j_nk_n} = a_n\}\right) = \frac{1}{2^n}$$

for all choices of n and all pairwise disjoint pairs  $\{(j_ik_i)\}_{i=1}^n$ , and all choices of  $a_1, ..., a_n$ . Recall that the functions  $r_{jk}(x) = 2x_{jk} - 1$ , for  $x \in X$ , are the Rademacher functions (see [4]).

Four dimensional Cesàro matrix  $(C, 1, 1) = (c_{ik}^{nm})$  is defined by

$$c_{jk}^{nm} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{nm} & , & 1 \le j \le n \text{ and } 1 \le k \le m \\ 0 & , & otherwise. \end{cases}$$

It is known that the (C, 1, 1) matrix is an RH regular, i.e., it sums every bounded convergent sequence to the same limit.

An element x of X is said to be normal ([4]) if for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  there is a natural

number  $N_{\varepsilon}$  such that for  $n, m \ge N_{\varepsilon}$  we have  $\left|\frac{1}{nm}\sum_{\substack{j\le n\\k\le m}} x_{jk} - \frac{1}{2}\right| < \varepsilon$ . Let  $\eta$  denote the set

of all elements x in X that are normal. This means that normal elements are (C, 1, 1)summable to  $\frac{1}{2}$ . It is also proved in [4] that  $P(\eta) = 1$ . So (C, 1, 1) method has the Borel property.

It would be appropriate to recall the definition of bounded regularity.

**1.1. Definition.** Let  $\mathcal{A} = (a_{jk}^{nm})$  be a 4-dimensional matrix. If the limit

$$\lim_{n,m\to\infty}\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty}a_{jk}^{nm}s_{jk}=L$$

exists, the double sequence  $(s_{jk})$  is called A-summable to L and denoted by  $s_{jk} \to L$ (A). A matrix  $\mathcal{A} = (a_{jk}^{nm})$  is bounded regular if every bounded and convergent sequence  $s = (s_{ik})$  is A-summable to the same limit and A-means are also bounded [9]. The next corollary characterizes bounded regular matrices.

**1.2. Proposition.**  $\mathcal{A} = \left(a_{jk}^{nm}\right)$  is bounded regular if and only if (i)  $\lim_{n,m\to\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} = 0, (j,k=1,2,...)$  $\begin{array}{l} (ii) \lim_{n,m \to \infty} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} = 1, \\ (iii) \lim_{n,m \to \infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left| a_{jk}^{nm} \right| = 0, \ (j = 1, 2, \ldots) \\ (iv) \lim_{\substack{n,m \to \infty \\ n,m \to \infty}} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \left| a_{jk}^{nm} \right| = 0, \ (k = 1, 2, \ldots) \\ \infty, \infty \end{array}$ 

(v) 
$$\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{n} |a_{jk}^{nm}| \le C < \infty, \ (m,n=1,2,\ldots).$$

These conditions were first established by Robison [12].

## 2. The Borel Property

This section is devoted to the Borel property for 4-dimensional matrices.

**2.1. Theorem.** If  $\mathcal{A} = (a_{jk}^{nm})$  has the Borel property, then the  $\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm}$  series converges for each n,m and tends to 1 as  $n,m \to \infty$ .

*Proof.* Since  $\mathcal{A}$  has the Borel property, for almost all  $x \in X$ , we obtain

$$\lim_{n,m\to\infty}\sum_{j,k=1,1}a_{jk}^{nm}x_{jk} = \frac{1}{2}.$$
 Indeed  $P(E) = 1$  where

$$E = \left\{ x = (x_{jk}) \in X : (Ax)_{nm} \to \frac{1}{2} \right\}.$$

Let us define  $\overline{x} = (\overline{x}_{jk})$  by

 $\infty, \infty$ 

$$\bar{x}_{jk} = \begin{cases} 0 & , & x_{jk} = 1 \\ 1 & , & x_{jk} = 0 \end{cases}.$$

Let  $Y = E \cap \eta$  and  $\overline{Y} = \{(\overline{x}_{jk}) : x_{jk} \in Y\}$ . We get  $\overline{Y} = \overline{E} \cap \eta$ . Since the mapping  $(x_{jk}) \to (\overline{x}_{jk})$  preserves P measure, we obtain  $P(\overline{Y}) = 1$ . So  $Y \cap \overline{Y} \neq \emptyset$ . If  $x = (x_{jk}) \in Y \cap \overline{Y}$ , then  $x \in E, x \in \eta$  and  $\overline{x} \in E, \overline{x} \in \eta$ . Since  $x, \overline{x} \in E$ , it follows that

$$\sum_{k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} x_{jk} + \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} \overline{x}_{jk} = \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} \to 1 \quad (n,m\to\infty).$$

This completes the proof.

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**2.2. Theorem.** If  $\mathcal{A} = (a_{jk}^{nm})$  has the Borel property, then we have

$$\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} \left(a_{jk}^{nm}\right)^2 < \infty$$

for each  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $r_{jk}(x) = 2x_{jk} - 1$  be the Rademacher functions for double sequences. We have

$$\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} x_{jk} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk} (x) \,.$$

Since  $\mathcal{A}$  has the Borel property and it follows from Teorem 2.1 that the series  $\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}(x)$  converges for each  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$  and almost all  $x \in X$ . Furthermore we obtain  $\lim_{n,m} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}(x) =$ 

0 for almost all  $x \in X$ . So  $\left(\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}(x)\right)$  is convergent uniformly on a set D with

positive measure for each  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$  with respect to x. Hence for each  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$  and for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $N_1, N_2 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that for  $p, \mu > N_1$  and  $q, \nu > N_2$ 

$$\left|\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{p,q} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}\left(x\right) - \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\mu,\nu} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}\left(x\right)\right| < \varepsilon.$$

From the last inequality we immediately get

(2.1) 
$$\varepsilon^{2} P(D) > \int_{D} \left( \sum_{E[\mu,p;\nu,q]} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}(x) \right)^{2} dP(x)$$
$$= P(D) \sum_{E[\mu,p;\nu,q]} (a_{jk}^{nm})^{2} + R$$

where

$$E[\mu, p; \nu, q] = \{(j, k): \ \mu < j \le p \text{ or } \nu < k \le q\},\$$
$$R = 2\sum_{I[\mu, p; \nu, q]} a_{j_1k_1}^{nm} a_{j_2k_2}^{nm} \int_D r_{j_1k_1}(x) r_{j_2k_2}(x) dP(x)$$

and  $I[\mu, p; \nu, q] = E[\mu, p; \nu, q] \cap \{(j, k) : j_1 \neq j_2 \text{ or } k_1 \neq k_2\}$ . On the other hand using the Hölder inequality, we obtain

$$|R| \leq 2 \left\{ \sum_{I[\mu,p;\nu,q]} \left( a_{j_1k_1}^{nm} a_{j_2k_2}^{nm} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \left\{ \sum_{I[\mu,p;\nu,q]} \left( \int_D r_{j_1k_1} \left( x \right) r_{j_2k_2} \left( x \right) dP \left( x \right) \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
  
Let  $v_{j_1k_1j_2k_2}^2 = \left( \int_D r_{j_1k_1} \left( x \right) r_{j_2k_2} \left( x \right) dP \left( x \right) \right)^2$ . From the Bessel inequality, we get  
$$\sum_{\substack{1 \leq j_1 < j_2 < \infty \\ 1 \leq k_1 < k_2 < \infty}} v_{j_1k_1j_2k_2}^2 \leq \int_X \left( \chi_D \left( x \right) \right)^2 dP \left( x \right) = P \left( D \right).$$

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For sufficiently large  $p,q,\mu$  and  $\nu,$  we have

$$\left\{\sum_{I[\mu,p;\nu,q]} v_{j_1k_1j_2k_2}^2\right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \le \frac{P(D)}{4}.$$

Hence we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |R| &\leq \frac{P\left(D\right)}{2} \left\{ \sum_{I[\mu,p;\nu,q]} \left( a_{j_{1}k_{1}}^{nm} a_{j_{2}k_{2}}^{nm} \right)^{2} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\leq \frac{P\left(D\right)}{2} \left\{ \sum_{E[\mu,p;\nu,q]} \left( a_{j_{1}k_{1}}^{nm} a_{j_{2}k_{2}}^{nm} \right)^{2} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\leq \frac{P\left(D\right)}{2} \sum_{E[\mu,p;\nu,q]} \left( a_{j_{1}k_{1}}^{nm} \right)^{2}. \end{aligned}$$

From (2.1) and last inequality, it follows that

$$\varepsilon^{2} P\left(D\right) > P\left(D\right) \sum_{E\left[\mu, p; \nu, q\right]} \left(a_{jk}^{nm}\right)^{2} - \frac{P\left(D\right)}{2} \sum_{E\left[\mu, p; \nu, q\right]} \left(a_{jk}^{nm}\right)^{2}$$
$$= \frac{P\left(D\right)}{2} \sum_{E\left[\mu, p; \nu, q\right]} \left(a_{jk}^{nm}\right)^{2}.$$

Also since P(D) > 0, we obtain  $\sum_{E[\mu,p;\nu,q]} (a_{jk}^{nm})^2 < 2\varepsilon^2$ . So for each  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ , the series  $\left\{\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} (a_{jk}^{nm})^2\right\}$  is convergent. Hence we obtain the result.  $\Box$ 

**2.3. Theorem.** If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{jk}^{nm} \end{pmatrix}$  has the Borel property and satisfies (v), we have

(2.2) 
$$\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} \left(a_{jk}^{nm}\right)^2 = o(1), \quad (n,m\to\infty).$$

*Proof.* Let  $\sigma_{nm}(x) = \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}(x)$ . Using the equality

$$\sigma_{nm}^{2}\left(x\right) = \left(\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}\left(x\right)\right) \left(\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}\left(x\right)\right)$$

and (v), we can easily obtain

$$\left|\sigma_{nm}^{2}\left(x\right)\right| \leq \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} \left|a_{jk}^{nm}\right| \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} \left|a_{jk}^{nm}\right| < \infty$$

and hence

$$\sigma_{nm}^{2}(x) = \sum_{\substack{1 \le j_{1}, j_{2} \le \infty \\ 1 \le k_{1}, k_{2} \le \infty}} a_{j_{1}k_{1}}^{nm} a_{j_{2}k_{2}}^{nm} r_{j_{1}k_{1}}(x) r_{j_{2}k_{2}}(x)$$

is convergent uniformly almost everywhere. So we have

(2.3) 
$$\int_{X} \sigma_{nm}^{2}(x) dP(x) = \sum_{\substack{1 \le j_{1}, j_{2} \le \infty \\ 1 \le k_{1}, k_{2} \le \infty}} a_{j_{1}k_{1}}^{nm} a_{j_{2}k_{2}}^{nm} \int_{X} r_{j_{1}k_{1}}(x) r_{j_{2}k_{2}}(x) dP(x)$$
$$= \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} (a_{jk}^{nm})^{2}.$$

Since  $\mathcal{A}$  has the Borel property, the uniformly bounded sequence  $(\sigma_{nm}(x))$  converges to 0 for almost all x. From (2.3) and the Lebesgue convergence theorem, it follows that  $\lim_{n \to \infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty,\infty} (a_{i,m}^{nm})^2 = 0$ . This completes the proof.

$$\lim_{n,m\to\infty}\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{n} \left(a_{jk}^{nm}\right)^2 = 0.$$
 This completes the proof.

Now let us give sufficient conditions for the Borel property. First we consider the following sets

$$D_{0}(\mathcal{A}) = \left\{ x \in X : (\mathcal{A}x)_{nm} \text{ diverges} \right\},$$
  

$$D_{1}(\mathcal{A}) = \left\{ x \in X : (\mathcal{A}x)_{nm} \text{ converges} \right\},$$
  

$$D_{2}(\mathcal{A}) = \left\{ x \in X : (\mathcal{A}x)_{nm} \to \frac{1}{2} (n, m \to \infty) \right\}$$

We examine the relationship between these sets in the sense of P-measure.

**2.4. Theorem.** Let  $\mathcal{A} = (a_{jk}^{nm})$  be a 4-dimensional bounded regular matrix. The sets  $D_1(\mathcal{A})$  and  $D_2(\mathcal{A})$  have the same measure and the value is either 0 or 1.

*Proof.* Choose an arbitrary  $x \in D_1(\mathcal{A})$  (or  $D_2(\mathcal{A})$ ). Let  $\hat{x}$  be a sequence obtained by altering a finite term of x. We have the following equality

$$\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} \widehat{x}_{jk} = \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{j_0,k_0} a_{jk}^{nm} \widehat{x}_{jk} + \sum_{j>j_0 \text{ veya } k>k_0} a_{jk}^{nm} \widehat{x}_{jk}$$
$$= \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{j_0,k_0} a_{jk}^{nm} \widehat{x}_{jk} + \sum_{j>j_0 \text{ veya } k>k_0} a_{jk}^{nm} x_{jk}.$$

From Proposition 1.2 (i), it follows  $\hat{x} \in D_1(\mathcal{A})$  (or  $D_2(\mathcal{A})$ ). Hence the sets  $D_1(\mathcal{A})$ and  $D_2(\mathcal{A})$  are homogeneous [14]. Since homogeneous sets have measure 0 or 1 and  $D_2(\mathcal{A}) \subset D_1(\mathcal{A})$ , the proof will be completed if  $P(D_1(\mathcal{A})) = 1$  implies  $P(D_2(\mathcal{A})) = 1$ . On the other hand we have

(2.4) 
$$\lim_{n,m} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} x_{jk} = \lim_{n,m} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} + \lim_{n,m} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk} (x)$$

where  $r_{jk}(x) = 2x_{jk} - 1$ . If we choose  $x \in D_1(\mathcal{A})$ , we get  $\lim_{n,m} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}(x) = h(x)$  for almost all  $x \in X$ . From (v), interchanging integral and sum we have

$$\int_{X} h(x) dx = \int_{X} \left( \lim_{n,m} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}(x) \right) dP(x)$$
$$= \lim_{n,m} \int_{Y} \left( \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}(x) \right) dP(x)$$

$$=\lim_{n,m}\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty}a_{jk}^{nm}\left(\int_{X}r_{jk}\left(x\right)dP\left(x\right)\right)=0.$$

Hence we have h(x) = 0 for almost all  $x \in X$ . Also since first part of the right hand side of (2.4) is  $\frac{1}{2}$  we get  $x \in D_2(\mathcal{A})$ . This completes the proof.

**2.5. Corollary.** Let  $\mathcal{A} = (a_{jk}^{nm})$  be a 4-dimensional bounded regular matrix. The set  $D_0(\mathcal{A})$  has measure 0 or 1.

**2.6. Corollary.** If  $\mathcal{A} = (a_{jk}^{nm})$  is a 4-dimensional bounded regular matrix sums almost all sequences of 0's and 1's, then the matrix has the Borel property.

**2.7. Theorem.** Let  $\mathcal{A} = (a_{ik}^{nm})$  be a 4-dimensional matrix. If  $P(D_1(\mathcal{A})) = 1$ , then we have

$$p_{nm} = \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} \text{ converges for each } n,m \text{ and } \lim_{n,m} p_{nm} = p \text{ exists},$$
$$\mathcal{A}_{nm} = \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} \left(a_{jk}^{nm}\right)^2 < \infty \text{ for each } n,m.$$

The proof of the theorem is similar to those of Theorems 2.1 and 2.2, and therefore is omitted.

**2.8. Lemma.** If A satisfies condition (v), then we have

(2.5) 
$$\int_{X} |\psi_{nm}(x)|^{2r} dP(x) \leq \frac{(2r)!}{2^{r} r!} (\mathcal{A}_{nm})^{r}$$
  
where *r* is a positive integer,  $\psi_{nm}(x) = \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk}(x)$  and  $\mathcal{A}_{nm} = \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} (a_{jk}^{nm})^{2}$ .

The proof can be proved using Lemma 1 of [13].

**2.9. Theorem.** If  $A = (a_{jk}^{nm})$  satisfies (ii), (v) and the series

(2.6) 
$$\sum_{n,m=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} \left( \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} \left( a_{jk}^{nm} \right)^2 \right)$$

converges for some r > 0, then A has the Borel property.

*Proof.* To complete the proof it is sufficient to show that

(2.7) 
$$\sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} x_{jk} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j,k=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} a_{jk}^{nm} r_{jk} (x)$$

the limit of the right hand side of (2.7) equals  $\frac{1}{2}$  for almost all  $x \in X$ . From Lemma 2.8, the inequality (2.5) holds for every positive integer r. On the other hand since the series in (2.6) converges for some r > 0, we easily get

$$\sum_{n,m=1,1_{X}}^{\infty,\infty} \int |\psi_{nm}(x)|^{2r} dP(x) < \infty.$$

Using the Beppo-Levi theorem, we have  $\sum_{n,m=1,1}^{\infty,\infty} |\psi_{nm}(x)|^{2r} < \infty$  for almost all  $x \in X$ . Hence we obtain for almost all  $x \in X$  that

$$\lim_{n,m\to\infty}\psi_{nm}\left(x\right)=0.$$

This completes the proof.

It is shown in [4] that the 4-dimensional Cesàro matrix method (C, 1, 1) has the Borel property. We can also deduce this result from Theorem 2.9. We have already observed that (2.2) is a necessary condition for the Borel property. We raise the question whether the converse of Theorem 2.3 is true. The answer is no as the following example shows.

Since a 4-dimensional matrix can be considered as a matrix of infinite matrices, we can look at every entry as a matrix.

Consider the 4-dimensional Cesàro matrix,  $(C, 1, 1) = (c_{jk}^{nm})$ . Now we construct a 4-dimensional matrix  $\mathcal{A} = (a_{jk}^{nm})$  as follows:

Shift the every column to the right in every possible order as the number of nonzero elements.

For example since there exist two possible order, we have

in the above we have six possible orders. Now let us obtain  $(a_{jk}^{21})$ , ...,  $(a_{jk}^{26})$ .

$$(a_{jk}^{21}) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \dots & & \end{bmatrix}, \quad (a_{jk}^{22}) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \dots & & & \end{bmatrix}, \dots, (a_{jk}^{26}) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \dots & & & & \end{bmatrix}$$

Continuing this procedure we can construct the matrix  $\mathcal{A}$ .

Observe that the matrix  $\mathcal{A}$  constructed above satisfies the condition (2.2).

Now let us consider the sequence  $\{x_{jk}\}$  having  $(\eta \mu + p)$  times 1 ve  $(\eta \mu - p)$  times 0 in the rectangle  $(\eta, 2\mu)$ .

In the case of p = 0, an element of the matrix  $\mathcal{A}$  which consists of 0's and  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's sums the sequence  $\{x_{jk}\}$  to 0 and the another one sums to 1. Let these terms be  $(n_0, m_0)$  and  $(n_1, m_1)$  respectively.

If  $\begin{pmatrix} a_{j,k}^{n_0,m_0} \end{pmatrix}$  containing  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, such that all the 0's of the sequence in the rectangle  $(\eta, 2\mu)$ 

correspond with  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, we have

$$\sum_{j,k} a_{j,k}^{n_0,m_0} x_{jk} = 0$$

Also if  $\left(a_{j,k}^{n_1,m_1}\right)$  containing  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, such that all the 1's of the sequence in the rectangle  $(\eta, 2\mu)$  correspond with  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, we have

$$\sum_{j,k} a_{j,k}^{n_1,m_1} x_{jk} = 1$$

In the case of p > 0 there is an entry  $\left(a_{j,k}^{n_0,m_0}\right)$  containing  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, such that all the 1's of the sequence in the rectangle  $(\eta, 2\mu)$  correspond with  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, we have

$$\sum_{j,k} a_{j,k}^{n_0,m_0} x_{jk} = 1.$$

Also there is another entry  $\left(a_{j,k}^{n_1,m_1}\right)$  containing  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, such that all the 0's of the sequence in the rectangle  $(\eta, 2\mu)$  correspond with  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, we have

$$\sum_{j,k} a_{j,k}^{n_1,m_1} x_{jk} = \frac{p}{\eta \mu}.$$

In the case of p < 0 there is an entry  $\left(a_{j,k}^{n_0,m_0}\right)$  containing  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, such that all the 0's of the sequence in the rectangle  $(\eta, 2\mu)$  correspond with  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, we have

$$\sum_{j,k} a_{j,k}^{n_0,m_0} x_{jk} = 0.$$

Also there is another entry  $\left(a_{j,k}^{n_1,m_1}\right)$  containing  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, such that all the 1's of the sequence in the rectangle  $(\eta, 2\mu)$  correspond with  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's, we have

$$\sum_{j,k} a_{j,k}^{n_1,m_1} x_{jk} = 1 + \frac{p}{\eta\mu}.$$

In any cases above, the oscillation of the sum  $\sum_{j,k} a_{j,k}^{n,m} x_{jk}$  in the inner matrix containing  $\frac{1}{\eta\mu}$ 's is at least  $1 - \frac{|p|}{\eta\mu}$ . In order that  $\{x_{jk}\}$  is  $\mathcal{A}$ -summable we necessarily have  $\frac{|p|}{\eta\mu} \to 1$ , as  $\eta, \mu \to \infty$ .

Since almost all double sequences of 0's and 1's is (C, 1, 1)-summable to  $\frac{1}{2}$ , the set of sequences which  $\frac{|p|}{\eta\mu}$  tends to 1 has *P*-measure 1. From this it follows that the set of sequences for which  $\frac{|p|}{\eta\mu}$  tends to 1 is of *P*-measure 0. Therefore,  $\mathcal{A}$  does not have the Borel property. That is condition (2.2) can not be sufficient.

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