

ON A NEW SEQUENCE SPACE DEFINED BY ORLICZ FUNCTIONS

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ABSTRACT. The sequence space BV_σ was introduced and studied by Mursaleen [9]. In this paper we extend BV_σ to $BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$ and study some properties and inclusion relations on this space.

1. Introduction

Let l_∞ and c denote the Banach spaces of bounded and convergent sequences $x = (x_k)_{k=1}^\infty$ respectively. Let σ be an injection of the set of positive integers \mathbb{N} into itself having no finite orbits and T be the operator defined on l_∞ by $T((x_n)_{n=1}^\infty) = (x_{\sigma(n)})_{n=1}^\infty$.

A positive linear functional ϕ , with $\|\phi\| = 1$, is called a σ -mean or an invariant mean if $\phi(x) = \phi(Tx)$ for all $x \in l_\infty$.

A sequence x is said to be σ -convergent, denoted by $x \in V_\sigma$, if $\phi(x)$ takes the same value, called σ -lim x , for all σ -means ϕ . We have (see Schaefer [14])

$$V_\sigma = \left\{ x = (x_n) : \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} t_{m,n}(x) = L \text{ uniformly in } n, L = \sigma\text{-lim } x \right\},$$

where for $m \geq 0, n > 0$

$$t_{m,n}(x) = \frac{x_n + x_{\sigma(n)} + \cdots + x_{\sigma^m(n)}}{m+1}, \text{ and } t_{-1,n} = 0.$$

where $\sigma^m(n)$ denotes the m th iterate of σ at n . In particular, if σ is the translation, a σ -mean is often called a Banach limit and V_σ reduces to f , the set of almost

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- convergent sequences (see Lorentz [5]). Subsequently invariant means have been studied by Ahmad and Mursaleen [1], Mursaleen [8], Raimi [12] and many others.

The concept of paranorm is closely related to linear metric spaces. It is a generalization of that of absolute value. Let X be a linear space. A function $g : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called paranorm, if

- [P1] $g(x) \geq 0$, for all $x \in X$,
- [P2] $g(-x) = g(x)$, for all $x \in X$,
- [P3] $g(x + y) \leq g(x) + g(y)$, for all $x, y \in X$,
- [P4] If (λ_n) is a sequence of scalars with $\lambda_n \rightarrow \lambda$ ($n \rightarrow \infty$) and (x_n) is a sequence of vectors with $g(x_n - x) \rightarrow 0$ ($n \rightarrow \infty$), then $g(\lambda_n x_n - \lambda x) \rightarrow 0$ ($n \rightarrow \infty$).

A paranorm g for which $g(x) = 0$ implies $x = 0$ is called a total paranorm on X , and the pair (X, g) is called a totally paranormed space. It is well known that the metric of any linear metric space is given by some total paranorm (cf. [15, Theorem 10.4.2, p. 183]).

A map $M : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, +\infty]$ is said to be an Orlicz function if M is even, convex, left continuous on \mathbb{R}_+ , continuous at zero, $M(0) = 0$ and $M(u) \rightarrow \infty$ as $u \rightarrow \infty$. If M takes value zero only at zero we will write $M > 0$ and if M takes only finite values we will write $M < \infty$. [2,3,6,7,10,13].

W.Orlicz [11] used the idea of orlicz function to construct the space (L^M) . Lindendstrauss and Tzafirri [4] used the idea of Orlicz function to define orlicz sequence space

$$\ell_M := \left\{ x \in \omega : \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} M\left(\frac{|x_k|}{\rho}\right) < \infty \text{ for some } \rho > 0 \right\}$$

in more detail. ℓ_M is a Banach space with the norm

$$\|x\| := \inf\{\rho > 0 : \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} M\left(\frac{|x_k|}{\rho}\right) \leq 1\}$$

The space l_M is closely related to the space l_p , which is an Orlicz sequence space with $M(x) = x^p$ for $1 \leq p < \infty$.

The Δ_2 - condition is equivalent to

$$M(Lx) \leq KLM(x), \text{ for all values of } x \geq 0, \text{ and for } L > 1.$$

An Orlicz function M can always be represented in the following integral form

$$M(x) = \int_0^x \eta(t)dt,$$

where η is known as the kernel of M , is right differentiable for $t \geq 0$, $\eta(0) = 0$, $\eta(t) > 0$, η is non-decreasing and $\eta(t) \rightarrow \infty$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$. Note that an Orlicz function

satisfies the inequality

$$M(\lambda x) \leq \lambda M(x) \text{ for all } \lambda \text{ with } 0 < \lambda < 1.$$

Let E be a sequence space . Then E is called

- (i) A sequence space E is said to be symmetric if $(x_n) \in E$ implies $(x_{\pi(n)}) \in E$, where $\pi(n)$ is a permutation of the elements of the elements of \mathbb{N} .
- (ii) Solid (or normal), if $(\alpha_k x_k) \in E$, whenever $(x_k) \in E$ for all sequences of scalars (α_k) with $|\alpha_k| \leq 1$ for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$.

Lemma 1.1. . *A sequence space E is solid implies E is monotone.*

Mursaleen [9] defined the sequence space

$$BV_\sigma = \left\{ x \in l_\infty : \sum_m |\phi_{m,n}(x)| < \infty, \text{ uniformly in } n \right\},$$

where

$$\phi_{m,n}(x) = t_{m,n}(x) - t_{m-1,n}(x)$$

assuming that

$$t_{m,n}(x) = 0, \text{ for } m = -1.$$

A straightforward calculation shows that

$$\phi_{m,n}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{m(m+1)} \sum_{j=1}^m j(x_{\sigma^j(n)} - x_{\sigma^{j-1}(n)}) & (m \geq 1) \\ x_n, & (m = 0) \end{cases}$$

Note that for any sequence x, y and scalar λ we have

$$\phi_{m,n}(x + y) = \phi_{m,n}(x) + \phi_{m,n}(y) \text{ and } \phi_{m,n}(\lambda x) = \lambda \phi_{m,n}(x).$$

2. Main Results.

Let M be an Orlicz function, $p = (p_m)$ be any sequence of strictly positive real numbers and $r \geq 0$. Now we define the sequence space as follows :

$$BV_\sigma(M, p, r) = \left\{ x = (x_k) : \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} < \infty, \right. \\ \left. \text{uniformly in } n \text{ and for some } \rho > 0 \right\}.$$

For $M(x) = x$ we get

$$BV_\sigma(p, r) = \left\{ x = (x_k) : \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} |\phi_{m,n}(x)|^{p_m} < \infty, \text{ uniformly in } n \right\}.$$

For $p_m = 1$, for all m , we get

$$BV_\sigma(M, r) = \left\{ x = (x_k) : \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right] < \infty, \right. \\ \left. \text{uniformly in } n \text{ and for some } \rho > 0 \right\}.$$

For $r = 0$ we get

$$BV_\sigma(M, p) = \left\{ x = (x_k) : \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} < \infty, \right. \\ \left. \text{uniformly in } n \text{ and for some } \rho > 0 \right\}.$$

For $M(x) = x$ and $r = 0$ we get

$$BV_\sigma(p) = \left\{ x = (x_k) : \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} |\phi_{m,n}(x)|^{p_m} < \infty, \text{ uniformly in } n \right\}.$$

For $p_m = 1$, for all m and $r = 0$ we get

$$BV_\sigma(M) = \left\{ x = (x_k) : \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right] < \infty, r \geq 0, \right. \\ \left. \text{uniformly in } n \text{ and for some } \rho > 0 \right\}.$$

For $M(x) = x$, $p_m = 1$, for all m , and $r = 0$ we get

$$BV_\sigma = \left\{ x = (x_k) : \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} |\phi_{m,n}(x)| < \infty, \text{ uniformly in } n \right\}.$$

Theorem 2.1. *The sequence space $BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$ is a linear space over the field \mathbb{C} of complex numbers.*

Proof. . Let $x, y \in BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$ and $\alpha, \beta \in \mathcal{C}$. Then there exist positive numbers ρ_1 and ρ_2 such that

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho_1} \right) \right]^{p_m} < \infty$$

and

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(y)|}{\rho_2} \right) \right]^{p_m} < \infty, \text{ uniformly in } n.$$

Define $\rho_3 = \max(2|\alpha|\rho_1, 2|\beta|\rho_2)$. Since M is nondecreasing and convex we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\alpha\phi_{m,n}(x) + \beta\phi_{m,n}(y)|}{\rho_3} \right) \right]^{p_m} \\ & \leq \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\alpha\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho_3} + \frac{|\beta\phi_{m,n}(y)|}{\rho_3} \right) \right]^{p_m} \\ & \leq \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \frac{1}{2} \left[M \left(\frac{\phi_{m,n}(x)}{\rho_1} \right) + M \left(\frac{\phi_{m,n}(y)}{\rho_2} \right) \right] < \infty, \text{ uniformly in } n. \end{aligned}$$

This proves that $BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$ is a linear space over the field \mathcal{C} of complex numbers. \square

Theorem 2.2. *For any Orlicz function M and a bounded sequence $p = (p_m)$ of strictly positive real numbers, $BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$ is a paranormed (need not be total paranormed) space with*

$$g(x) = \inf_{n \geq 1} \left\{ \rho^{\frac{pn}{K}} : \left(\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \right)^{\frac{1}{K}} \leq 1, \text{ uniformly in } n \right\}.$$

where $K = \max(1, \sup p_m)$.

Proof. It is clear that $g(x) = g(-x)$. Since $M(0) = 0$, we get

$$\inf \left\{ \rho^{\frac{pn}{K}} \right\} = 0, \text{ for } x = 0.$$

By using Theorem 1, for $\alpha = \beta = 1$, we get

$$g(x + y) \leq g(x) + g(y).$$

For the continuity of scalar multiplication let $l \neq 0$ be any complex number. Then by the definition we have

$$g(lx) = \inf_{n \geq 1} \left\{ \rho^{\frac{pn}{K}} : \left(\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(lx)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \right)^{\frac{1}{K}} \leq 1, \text{ uniformly in } n \right\}$$

$$g(lx) = \inf_{n \geq 1} \left\{ (|l|s)^{\frac{pn}{K}} : \left(\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(lx)|}{s|l|} \right) \right]^{p_m} \right)^{\frac{1}{K}} \leq 1, \right. \\ \left. \text{uniformly in } n \right\}$$

where $s = \frac{\rho}{|l|}$. Since $|l|^{p_n} \leq \max(1, |l|^H)$, we have

$$g(lx) \leq \max(1, |l|^H) \inf_{n \geq 1} \left\{ s^{\frac{pn}{K}} : \left(\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{s} \right) \right]^{p_m} \right)^{\frac{1}{K}} \leq 1, \right. \\ \left. \text{uniformly in } n \right\} \\ = \max(1, |l|^H) g(x)$$

and therefore $g(lx)$ converges to zero when $g(x)$ converges to zero in $BV_{\sigma}(M, p, r)$. \square

Now let x be fixed element in $BV_{\sigma}(M, p, r)$. There exists $\rho > 0$ such that

$$g(x) = \inf_{n \geq 1} \left\{ \rho^{\frac{pn}{K}} : \left(\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \right)^{\frac{1}{K}} \leq 1, \text{ uniformly in } n \right\}.$$

Now

$$g(lx) = \inf_{n \geq 1} \left\{ \rho^{\frac{pn}{K}} : \left(\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(lx)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \right)^{\frac{1}{K}} \leq 1, \text{ uniformly in } n \right\} \rightarrow 0,$$

as $l \rightarrow 0$.

This completes the proof.

Theorem 2.3. Suppose that $0 < p_m \leq t_m < \infty$ for each $m \in \mathbb{N}$ and $r \geq 0$. Then

- (i) $BV_{\sigma}(M, p) \subseteq BV_{\sigma}(M, t)$,
- (ii) $BV_{\sigma}(M) \subseteq BV_{\sigma}(M, r)$.

Proof. [i] Suppose that $x \in BV_{\sigma}(M, p)$. This implies that

$\left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{i,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \leq 1$ for sufficiently large values of i , say $i \geq m_0$ for some fixed $m_0 \in \mathbb{N}$. Since M is non decreasing, we have

$$\sum_{m=m_0}^{\infty} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{i,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{t_m} \leq \sum_{m=m_0}^{\infty} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{i,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} < \infty.$$

Hence $x \in BV_{\sigma}(M, t)$.

The proof of [ii] is trivial. \square

The following result is a consequence of the above result.

Corollary 1. *If $0 < p_m \leq 1$ for each m , then $BV_\sigma(M, p) \subseteq BV_\sigma(M)$.*

If $p_m \geq 1$ for all m , then $BV_\sigma(M) \subseteq BV_\sigma(M, p)$.

Theorem 2.4. *The sequence space $BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$ is solid.*

Proof. Let $x \in BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$. This implies that

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m^{-r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{k,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} < \infty.$$

Let (α_m) be sequence of scalars such that $|\alpha_m| \leq 1$ for all $m \in \mathbb{N}$. Then the result follows from the following inequality

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m^{-r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\alpha_m \phi_{k,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \leq \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m^{-r} \left[M \left(\frac{|\phi_{k,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} < \infty.$$

Hence $\alpha x \in BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$ for all sequences of scalars (α_m) with $|\alpha_m| \leq 1$ for all $m \in \mathbb{N}$ whenever $x \in BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$. □

From Theorem 4 and Lemma we have :

Corollary 2. *The sequence space $BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$ is monotone.*

Theorem 2.5. *Let M_1, M_2 be Orlicz functions satisfying Δ_2 - condition and $r, r_1, r_2 \geq 0$. Then we have*

(i) *If $r > 1$ then $BV_\sigma(M_1, p, r) \subseteq BV_\sigma(M_0 M_1, p, r)$,*

(ii) *$BV_\sigma(M_1, p, r) \cap BV_\sigma(M_2, p, r) \subseteq BV_\sigma(M_1 + M_2, p, r)$,*

(iii) *If $r_1 \leq r_2$ then $BV_\sigma(M, p, r_1) \subseteq BV_\sigma(M, p, r_2)$.*

Proof. [i] Since M is continuous at 0 from right, for $\epsilon > 0$ there exists $0 < \delta < 1$ such that $0 \leq c \leq \delta$ implies $M(c) < \epsilon$. If we define

$$I_1 = \left\{ m \in \mathbb{N} : M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \leq \delta \text{ for some } \rho > 0 \right\},$$

$$I_2 = \left\{ m \in \mathbb{N} : M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) > \delta \text{ for some } \rho > 0 \right\},$$

then , when $M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) > \delta$ we get

$$M \left(M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right) \leq \{2M(1)/\delta\} M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right).$$

Hence for $x \in BV_\sigma(M_1, p, r)$ and $r > 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m^{-r} \left[M O M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} &= \sum_{m \in I_1} m^{-r} \left[M O M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \\ &+ \sum_{m \in I_2} m^{-r} \left[M O M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \\ &\leq \sum_{m \in I_1} m^{-r} [\epsilon]^{p_m} \\ &+ \sum_{m \in I_2} m^{-r} \left[\{2M(1)/\delta\} M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \\ &\leq \max(\epsilon^h, \epsilon^H) \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m^{-r} \\ &+ \max(\{2M(1)/\delta\}^h, \{2M(1)/\delta\}^H) \\ &\quad (\text{where } 0 < h = \inf p_m \leq p_m \leq H = \sup p_m < \infty). \end{aligned}$$

[ii] The proof follows from the following inequality

$$\begin{aligned} m^{-r} \left[(M_1 + M_2) \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} &\leq C m^{-r} \left[M_1 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m} \\ &+ C m^{-r} \left[M_2 \left(\frac{|\phi_{m,n}(x)|}{\rho} \right) \right]^{p_m}. \end{aligned}$$

[iii] The proof is straightforward. □

Corollary 3. . Let M be an Orlicz function satisfying Δ_2 - condition. Then we have

- (1) If $r > 1$, then $BV_\sigma(p, r) \subseteq BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$,
- (2) $BV_\sigma(M, p) \subseteq BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$,
- (3) $BV_\sigma(p) \subseteq BV_\sigma(p, r)$,
- (4) $BV_\sigma(M) \subseteq BV_\sigma(M, r)$,

The proof is straightforward.

ÖZET: BV_σ dizi uzayı, Mursaleem tarafından tanımlanmış ve incelenmiştir [9]. Bu çalışmada BV_σ uzayını, $BV_\sigma(M, p, r)$ uzayına genişleterek bu uzaya ilişkin bazı özellikleri ve kapsama bağıntılarını elde ettik.

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