

## On A New Almost Convergent Sequence Space Defined By The Matrix $\Delta_u^\lambda$

### $\Delta_u^\lambda$ Matrisi Yardımıyla Tanımlanan Yeni Bir Hemen Hemen Yakınsak Dizi Uzayı Üzerine

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#### Abstract

In this study, it is defined almost sequence spaces  $f(\hat{\Lambda})$ ,  $f_0(\hat{\Lambda})$  and  $fs(\hat{\Lambda})$  as domain of the matrix  $\Delta_u^\lambda$ . Some topological properties of these spaces are investigated and determined  $\beta$ -,  $\gamma$ -duals of aforementioned sequence space. Furthermore, it is characterized the class of matrices  $(f(\hat{\Lambda}):\mu)$ ,  $(fs(\hat{\Lambda}):\mu)$ ,  $(\mu: f(\hat{\Lambda}))$  and  $(\mu: fs(\hat{\Lambda}))$ , where  $\mu$  is any given sequence space.

**Keywords:** Almost Convergent, Dual Spaces, Matrix Transformations, Matrix Domain of a Sequence Space, Sequence Spaces

#### Öz

Bu çalışmada  $\Delta_u^\lambda$  matrisinin etki alanları olarak  $f(\hat{\Lambda})$ ,  $f_0(\hat{\Lambda})$  ve  $fs(\hat{\Lambda})$  hemen hemen yakınsak dizi uzayları tanımlandı. Bu uzayların bazı topolojik özellikleri incelendi ve  $\beta$ -,  $\gamma$ -dualleri belirlendi. Ayrıca,  $(f(\hat{\Lambda}):\mu)$ ,  $(fs(\hat{\Lambda}):\mu)$ ,  $(\mu: f(\hat{\Lambda}))$  ve  $(\mu: fs(\hat{\Lambda}))$  matris sınıfları karakterize edildi.

**Anahtar kelimeler:** Hemen Hemen Yakınsaklık, Dual Uzaylar, Matris Dönüşümleri, Bir Dizi Uzayının Matris Etki Alanı, Dizi Uzayları

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**1. Introduction**

Let us denote space of functionals from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{C}$ , by  $w$ , where  $\mathbb{N}$  and  $\mathbb{C}$  show sets of natural numbers and complex numbers, respectively. When the sequence space is called, it is understood a linear subspace of  $w$ . The famous classic sequence spaces are  $l_\infty, c, c_0, l_p$ . These symbols represents sequence space all bounded, convergent, null and absolutely  $p$  –summable sequences, respectively. Also, we denote the spaces of all bounded and convergent series by  $bs$  and  $cs$ .

Let  $A = (a_{nk})$  be an infinite matrix of real or complex numbers,  $\vartheta$  and  $\sigma$  optional sequence spaces. If  $x \in \vartheta$  implies that sequence  $Ax = \{(Ax)_n\} \in \sigma$ , where sequence  $Ax$  is the  $A$ -transform of the sequence  $x$  and the general term of this sequence is

$$(Ax)_n = \sum_k a_{nk}x_k, \tag{1}$$

in this case, for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , the series on the right side of the above equation is convergent. Then we say that the matrix  $A$  is a matrix transformation from  $\vartheta$  to  $\sigma$  and denote it by  $A: \vartheta \rightarrow \sigma$ . The class of such matrices is showed by  $(\vartheta: \sigma)$ .

For simplicity in notation, here and in what follows, the summation without limits runs from 0 to  $\infty$ .

A matrix  $E$  is called triangle, if main diagonal’s elements aren’t zero and elements on the top of the main diagonal are zero. For triangle matrices  $E, F$  and a sequence  $y$ , the equality  $E(Fy) = (EF)y$  holds. Further, a triangle matrix  $W$  uniquely has an inverse  $W^{-1} = Z$ , also a triangle matrix. The equality  $y = W(Zy) = Z(Wy)$  yields for talked about matrices.

If there exists a single sequence  $(t_k)$  of scalars satisfied the following equation, then the sequence  $(t_k)$  is known a *Schauder basis* (or shortly *basis*) for a normed sequence space  $\vartheta$ , where mentioned above equation is, for every  $y \in \vartheta$ ,

$$\lim \|y - \sum_{n=0}^k \alpha_n t_n\| = 0 \tag{2}$$

The series  $\sum_n \alpha_n t_n$  which has the sum  $y$  is called the enlargement of  $y$  according to  $(t_k)$  and written as  $y = \sum_n \alpha_n t_n$ . *Schauder basis* and *algebraic basis* coincide for finite sequence spaces.

The matrix domain  $\vartheta_A$  of an infinite matrix  $A$  in a sequence space  $\vartheta$  is defined by

$$\vartheta_A = \{y = (y_k) \in w: Ay \in \vartheta\} \tag{3}$$

which is a sequence space. Although in the most cases, the new sequence space is the expansion or the contraction of the original space  $\vartheta$ , in some cases, these spaces are overlap.

Combined with a linear topology a sequence space  $\vartheta$  is denominated a  $K$  –space, if for each  $\vartheta \in \mathbb{N}$ , coordinate maps  $p_i: \vartheta \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ , described by  $p_i(y) = y_i$  are continuous. A  $K$  –space which is a complete linear metric space is entitled an  $FK$  –space. An  $FK$  –space whose topology is normable is called a  $BK$  –space (Lorentz, 1948) which comprises  $\Phi$ , the set of all finitely nonzero sequences.

Let us assume that  $E$  –is a triangle matrix, in that case, we can obviously say that the sequence spaces  $\vartheta_E$  and  $\vartheta$  are linearly isomorphic, i.e.,  $\vartheta_E \cong \vartheta$  and if  $\vartheta$  is a  $BK$  –space, then  $\vartheta_E$  is also a  $BK$  –space with the norm given by  $\|y\|_{\vartheta_E} = \|Ey\|_{\vartheta}$ , for all  $y \in \vartheta_E$ . As well as above mentioned sequence spaces  $l_\infty, c, c_0$ , and almost convergent sequence space  $f$  are  $BK$  –spaces with the ordinary supnorm described by

$$\|y\|_\infty = \sup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} |y_k|. \tag{4}$$

Also  $l_p$  are  $BK$  –spaces with the ordinary norm defined by

$$\|y\|_p = (\sum_k |y_k|^p)^{1/p}, (1 \leq p < \infty). \tag{5}$$

Since the sequence space to be defined is almost convergent sequence space in this study, let’s first remember the definition of almost convergent sequence space.

A continuous linear functional  $\psi$  on  $l_\infty$  is said a *Banach limit*, if

- i) For every  $y = (y_k)$ ,  $\psi(y) \geq 0$ ,
- ii)  $\psi(y_{\rho(k)}) = \psi(y_k)$ , where  $\rho$  is shift operator which is described onto  $w$  with  $\rho(k) = k + 1$ ,
- iii)  $\psi(e) = 1$ , where  $e = (1,1, \dots, 1, \dots)$ .

A sequence  $y = (y_k) \in l_\infty$  is entitled to be almost convergent to generalized limit  $l$ , if all Banach limits  $y$  are  $l$  (Lorentz, 1948), and denoted  $f - \lim y = l$ . In other words,  $f - \lim y = l$  iff uniformly in  $n$

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m y_{k+n} = l. \tag{6}$$

We indicate the sets of all almost convergent sequences by  $f$  and series by  $fs$  and define as follow:

$$f = \left\{ y = (y_k) \in w : \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} s_{mn}(y) = l, \text{ uniformly in } n \right\} \tag{7}$$

where  $l$  exists uniformly in  $n$ ,

$$s_{mn}(y) = \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m y_{k+n}, \tag{8}$$

and

$$fs = \left\{ y = (y_k) \in w : \exists l \in \mathbb{C} \exists \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n+k} \frac{y_j}{m+1} = l \text{ uniformly in } n \right\}. \tag{9}$$

As known that the containments  $c \subset f \subset l_\infty$  are precisely acquired. Owing to these containments, norms  $\| \cdot \|_f$  and  $\| \cdot \|_\infty$  of the spaces  $f$  and  $l_\infty$  are equivalent. Therefore the sets  $f$  and  $f_0$  are  $BK$ -spaces having the following norm

$$\|y\|_f = \sup_{m,n} |s_{mn}(y)| \tag{10}$$

When we look according to summability theory perspective, we can see that to define new *Banach spaces* by the matrix domain of triangle and investigate their algebraical, geometrical and topological properties is well-known. Therefore, many authors were interested in this subject and by using some known matrices, they did many studies by using some known matrices. Some of them are here:

(Başar et al., 2011; Candan, 2014, 2018; Candan et al., 2015; Karaisa et al., 2015; Kayaduman et al., 2012a,b; Kirişçi, 2012, 2014).

The matrix to be used to construct sequence spaces in this paper is below:

Let  $\lambda = (\lambda_k)_{k=0}^\infty$  be strictly increasing sequence of positive reals tending to infinity, i.e.

$$0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots \text{ and } \lambda_k \rightarrow \infty, \text{ as } k \rightarrow \infty.$$

Let  $u = (u_k)$  be a sequence such that  $u_k \neq 0$ , for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . We define the matrix  $\hat{\Lambda} = \Delta_u^\lambda = (\hat{\lambda}_{nk})$  as

$$\hat{\lambda}_{nk} = \begin{cases} \frac{(\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}) - (\lambda_{k+1} - \lambda_k)}{\lambda_n} u_k, & \text{if } k < n, \\ \frac{\lambda_n - \lambda_{n-1}}{\lambda_n} u_n, & \text{if } k = n, \\ 0, & \text{if } k > n, \end{cases} \tag{11}$$

Where

$$\hat{\Lambda}_n(x) = \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \sum_{k=0}^n (\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}) u_k (x_k - x_{k-1}) \tag{12}$$

and if  $y = (y_k)$  is  $\hat{\Lambda}$ -transform of a sequence  $x = (x_k)$ , where for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$

$$y_k = \sum_{i=0}^k \frac{(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})}{\lambda_k} u_i (x_i - x_{i-1}). \tag{13}$$

In (Ganie et al., 2013), using the matrix above, the sequence spaces  $c_0(\Delta_u^\lambda)$  and  $c(\Delta_u^\lambda)$  were defined and investigated. Using the same matrix, we also define the following sequence spaces.

Firstly, let us define sequence spaces  $f(\hat{\Lambda})$  and  $f_0(\hat{\Lambda})$ :

$$f(\hat{\Lambda}) = \{x = (x_k) \in w : y = (y_k) = \hat{\Lambda}(x) \in f\}. \tag{14}$$

If  $y = (y_k) \in \hat{\Lambda}(x) \in f$ , it means that  $\exists l \in \mathbb{C}$  such that uniformly in  $n$ ,

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m y_{k+n} = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m \left( \sum_{i=0}^{k+n} \frac{(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})}{\lambda_{k+n}} u_i (x_i - x_{i-1}) \right) = l. \tag{15}$$

If  $l = 0$ ,  $y = (y_k) \in \hat{\Lambda}(x) \in f_0$ , and we can define

$$f_0(\hat{\Lambda}) = \{x = (x_k) \in w : y = (y_k) = \hat{\Lambda}(x) \in f_0\}, \tag{16}$$

The other sequence space is  $fs(\hat{\Lambda})$ :

$$fs(\hat{\Lambda}) = \{x = (x_k) \in w : y = (y_k) = \hat{\Lambda}(x) \in fs\}, \tag{17}$$

i.e. If  $y = (y_k) \in \hat{\Lambda}(x) \in fs$ , then  $\exists l \in \mathbb{C} \exists$  uniformly in  $n$ ,

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{k+n} \sum_{i=0}^j \frac{(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})}{\lambda_j} u_i (x_i - x_{i-1}) = l. \tag{18}$$

We can redefine the spaces  $fs(\hat{\Lambda}), f(\hat{\Lambda})$  and  $f_0(\hat{\Lambda})$  by the notation of (3),  $fs(\hat{\Lambda}) = (fs)_{\hat{\Lambda}}$ ,  $f(\hat{\Lambda}) = (f)_{\hat{\Lambda}}$  and  $f_0(\hat{\Lambda}) = (f_0)_{\hat{\Lambda}}$ .

This paper is organized as following: In chapter 2: some topological properties of defined sequence spaces; in chapter 3: dual spaces of these spaces;

in chapter 3: the characterization of some matrix classes between these spaces and some classical sequence spaces are given.

### 2. Some Topological Properties Of These Spaces

**Theorem 2.1:**

i) The sequence space  $f(\hat{\lambda})$  is normed space with

$$\|x\|_{f(\hat{\lambda})} = \sup_{m,n} \left| \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m \left( \sum_{i=0}^{k+n} \frac{(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})}{\lambda_{k+n}} \right) u_i(x_i - x_{i-1}) \right| \quad (19)$$

ii) The sequence space  $fs(\hat{\lambda})$  is normed space with with

$$\|x\|_{fs(\hat{\lambda})} = \sup_{m,n} \left| \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m \left( \sum_{j=0}^{k+n} \sum_{i=0}^j \frac{(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})}{\lambda_j} u_i(x_i - x_{i-1}) \right) \right| \quad (20)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{i=0}^k \left( \frac{\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1}}{\lambda_k} \right) u_i(x_i - x_{i-1}) = \\ & \sum_{i=0}^k \left( \frac{\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1}}{\lambda_k} \right) u_i \left( \sum_{j=0}^i \sum_{m=j-1}^j (-1)^{j-m} \cdot \frac{\lambda_m}{u_j(\lambda_j - \lambda_{j-1})} y_m \right) - \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} \sum_{m=j-1}^j (-1)^{j-m} \frac{\lambda_m}{u_j(\lambda_j - \lambda_{j-1})} y_m \\ & = \sum_{i=0}^k \frac{(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})}{\lambda_k} u_i \left( \sum_{m=i-1}^i (-1)^{i-m} \cdot \frac{\lambda_m}{u_i(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})} y_m \right) \\ & = y_k \end{aligned} \quad (22)$$

For all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , which leads us to the truth that uniformly in  $m$

$$f_{\hat{\lambda}} - \lim x = f - \lim y \quad (23)$$

which implies that  $x \in f_{\hat{\lambda}}$ , consequently, we see that  $T$  is surjective. Hence,  $T$  is a linear bijection that therefore shows that the spaces  $f(\hat{\lambda})$  and  $f$  are linearly isomorphic, as desired. This completes the proof. The fact  $f_0(\hat{\lambda}) \cong f_0$  can be analogously attested.

Due to the well known fact that the matrix domain  $\lambda_A$  of the normed sequence space denoted by  $\lambda$  has got a base iff the matrix domain  $\lambda_A$  of the normed sequence space denoted by  $\lambda$  has got a base, whenever a matrix  $A = (a_{nk})$  is a triangle (Jarrah, et al., 1990). (Remark 2.4) and since the space  $f$  has no Schauder basis, we have;

**Theorem 2.2:** The spaces  $f(\hat{\lambda})$ ,  $f_0(\hat{\lambda})$  and  $fs(\hat{\lambda})$  are linearly isomorphic to the spaces  $f$ ,  $f_0$  and  $fs$ , respectively, i.e.  $f(\hat{\lambda}) \cong f$ ,  $f_0(\hat{\lambda}) \cong f_0$ , and  $fs(\hat{\lambda}) \cong fs$ .

**Proof:** We show that there is a linear transformation between  $f(\hat{\lambda})$  and  $f$ . Therefore we have to define a transformation from  $f(\hat{\lambda})$  to  $f$ . Using the matrix  $\hat{\lambda}$ , it can be described the transformation  $T$  as  $T(x) = \hat{\lambda}(x)$ , for each  $x \in f(\hat{\lambda})$ . It is easy to see that  $T$  is linear. If  $T(x) = 0$ , then  $x = 0$ , so  $T$  is one-to-one. Finally, we need to show that  $T$  is surjective.

Let us assume  $y = (y_k) \in f$  and describe  $x = (x_k)$  by

$$x_k = \sum_{j=0}^k \left( \sum_{m=j-1}^j (-1)^{j-m} \frac{\lambda_m}{u_j(\lambda_j - \lambda_{j-1})} y_m \right) \quad (21)$$

From here, we have

**Corollary 2.1:** The space  $f_{\hat{\lambda}}$  has no Schauder Basis.

### 3. The $\alpha^-$ , $\beta^-$ , $\gamma^-$ -Duals Of These Spaces

The  $\alpha^-$ ,  $\beta^-$ ,  $\gamma^-$ -duals of the sequence space  $X$  are defined by

$$X^\alpha = \left\{ a = (a_k) \in w : ax = (a_k x_k) \in l_1, \forall x = (x_k) \in X \right\} \quad (24)$$

$$X^\beta = \left\{ a = (a_k) \in w : ax = (a_k x_k) \in cs, \forall x = (x_k) \in X \right\} \quad (25)$$

$$X^\gamma = \left\{ a = (a_k) \in w : ax = (a_k x_k) \in bs, \forall x = (x_k) \in X \right\} \quad (26)$$

here  $cs$  and  $bs$  are defined to be sequence spaces of all convergent and bounded series, respectively.

**Lemma 3.1:** (Sıddıqi, 1971) So as to the matrix  $A$  belongs to the matrix class from  $f$  to  $l_\infty$  is necessary and sufficient condition

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_k |a_{nk}| < \infty \tag{27}$$

is satisfied.

**Lemma 3.2:** (Sıddıqi, 1971) So as to the matrix  $A$  belongs to the matrix class from  $f$  to  $c$  is necessary and sufficient conditions:

i)  $\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_k |a_{nk}| < \infty$  (28)

ii) for each  $k \in \mathbb{N}$   $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_{nk} = \alpha_k$  (29)

iii)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k a_{nk} = \alpha$  (30)

iv)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k |\Delta(a_{nk} - \alpha_k)| = 0$  (31)

are satisfied.

**Theorem 3.1:** The  $\gamma$ -dual of the space  $f_{\hat{\lambda}}$  is the intersection of the sets

$$b_1 = \left\{ a = (a_k) \in w : \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |\hat{a}_k(n)| < \infty \right\}, \tag{32}$$

$$b_2 = \left\{ a = (a_k) \in w : \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \frac{\lambda_n}{u_n(\lambda_n - \lambda_{n-1})} a_n \right| < \infty \right\}. \tag{33}$$

**Proof:** For an optional sequence  $a = (a_k) \in w$  and take into consideration the following equality.

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^n a_k x_k &= \\ \sum_{k=0}^n \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^k \left[ \sum_{i=j-1}^j (-1)^{j-i} \frac{\lambda_i}{u_j(\lambda_j - \lambda_{j-1})} y_i \right] \right\} a_k &= \\ \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{\lambda_k}{u_k} \left[ \frac{a_k}{\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}} \left( \frac{1}{\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}} \right. \right. & \\ \left. \left. - \frac{1}{\lambda_{k+1} - \lambda_k} \right) \sum_{j=k+1}^{n-1} a_j \right] y_k & \\ + \frac{\lambda_n}{u_n(\lambda_n - \lambda_{n-1})} a_n y_n & \\ = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \hat{a}_k(n) y_k + \frac{\lambda_n}{u_n(\lambda_n - \lambda_{n-1})} a_n y_n & \end{aligned}$$

$$= D_n(y) \tag{34}$$

where the general term  $d_{nk}$  of the matrix  $D$  is determined as follows,

$$D = (d_{nk}) = \begin{cases} \hat{a}_k(n), & k < n, \\ \frac{\lambda_n}{u_n(\lambda_n - \lambda_{n-1})} a_n, & k = n, \\ 0, & k > n, \end{cases} \tag{35}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{a}_k(n) &= \frac{\lambda_k}{u_k} \left[ \frac{a_k}{\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left( \frac{1}{\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}} \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. - \frac{1}{\lambda_{k+1} - \lambda_k} \right) \sum_{j=k+1}^{n-1} a_j \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{36}$$

Thus, we deduce from (4), that  $a_k x_k \in bs$  whenever  $x = (x_k) \in f_{\hat{\lambda}}$  iff  $Dy \in l_\infty$  whenever  $y = (y_k) \in f$ , where  $D = (d_{nk})$  is described in (35). That's why with assistance of Lemma 3.1,  $f_{\hat{\lambda}}^\gamma = b_1 \cap b_2$ .

**Theorem 3.2:** The  $\beta$ -dual of the space  $f_{\hat{\lambda}}$  is the intersection of the sets

$$b_3 = \left\{ a = (a_k) \in w : \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d_{nk} \text{ exists} \right\}, \tag{37}$$

$$b_4 = \left\{ a = (a_k) \in w : \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k d_{nk} \text{ exists} \right\}, \tag{38}$$

$$b_5 = \left\{ a = (a_k) \in w : \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k \Delta(d_{nk} - \alpha_k) < \infty \right\}, \tag{39}$$

where  $\alpha_k = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d_{nk}$ . Then  $f_{\hat{\lambda}}^\beta = \bigcap_{k=1}^5 b_k$ .

**Proof:** Let us take any sequence  $a \in w$ . By (4),  $ax = (a_k x_k) \in cs$  whenever  $x = (x_k) \in f_{\hat{\lambda}}$  iff  $Dy \in c$  whenever  $y = (y_k) \in f$ , where  $D = (d_{nk})$  is designated in (35). We derive the consequence by Lemma 3.2 that  $\{f_{\hat{\lambda}}\}^\beta = \bigcap_{k=1}^5 b_k$ .

**Theorem 3.3:** The  $\gamma$ -dual of the space  $fs_{\hat{\lambda}}$  is the intersection of the sets

$$b_6 = \left\{ a = (a_k) \in w : \sup_n \sum_k \Delta(d_{nk}) < \infty \right\} \tag{40}$$

$$b_7 = \{a = (a_k) \in w: \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} d_{nk} = 0\}, \tag{41}$$

That is,  $\{f_{S_{\lambda}}\}^{\gamma} = b_6 \cap b_7$ .

**Proof:** This might be acquired in a similar concept as talk about in the proof of theorem 3.1 with lemma 3.1 instead of Lemma 4.2 (iii). So, we neglect details.

**Theorem 3.4:** Defined the set

$$b_8 = \{a = (a_k) \in w: \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k |\Delta^2(d_{nk})| < \infty\}, \tag{42}$$

Then,  $\{f_{S_{\lambda}}\}^{\beta} = b_3 \cap b_6 \cap b_7 \cap b_8$ .

**Proof:** This, might be acquired in a similar concept as talk about in the proof of theorem 3.2 with Lemma 3.2 instead of lemma 4.2 (iv). So, we disregard details.

#### 4. Characterization of Some Matrix Classes

For shortness, let us write

$$a_{nk} = \sum_{j=0}^n a_{jk} \tag{43}$$

$$a(n, k, m) = \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{j=0}^m a_{n+j, k} \tag{44}$$

$$\Delta a_{nk} = a_{nk} - a_{n, k+1}. \tag{45}$$

**Theorem 4.1:** (Başar, 2012) Let  $\mu$  be an FK-space,  $U$  be a triangle matrix,  $P = U^{-1}$  and  $\eta$  be optional subset of  $w$ . Then, we have  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (\mu_U; \eta)$  iff for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$C^{(n)} = (c_{mk}^{(n)}) \in (\mu, c) \tag{46}$$

and

$$C = (c_{nk}) \in (\mu, \eta), \tag{47}$$

where

$$c_{mk}^{(n)} = \begin{cases} \sum_{j=k}^m a_{nj} p_{jk}, & 0 \leq k \leq m \\ 0, & k > m, \end{cases} \tag{48}$$

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

$$c_{nk} = \sum_{j=k}^{\infty} a_{nj} p_{jk}. \tag{49}$$

**Lemma 4.1:**  $A \in (f; f)$  iff

$$i) \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_k |a_{nk}| < \infty \tag{50}$$

$$ii) f - \lim a_{nk} = \alpha_k, \text{ exist, for each fixed } k \in \mathbb{N} \tag{51}$$

$$iii) f - \lim \sum_k a_{nk} = \alpha \tag{52}$$

$$iv) \text{ uniformly in } n \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k |\Delta[a(n, k, m) - \alpha_k]| = 0, \tag{53}$$

are satisfied.

For an infinite matrix  $A = (a_{nk})$ , we shall write for shortness that:

$$d_{mk}^n = \tilde{a}_{nk}(m) = \frac{\lambda_k}{u_k} \left[ \frac{a_{nk}}{\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}} + \left( \frac{1}{\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}} - \frac{1}{\lambda_{k+1} - \lambda_k} \right) \sum_{j=k+1}^m a_{nj} \right] \tag{54}$$

where  $k < m$ .

$$\begin{aligned} d_{nk} &= \tilde{a}_{nk} \\ &= \frac{\lambda_k}{u_k} \left[ \frac{a_{nk}}{\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}} + \left( \frac{1}{\lambda_k - \lambda_{k-1}} - \frac{1}{\lambda_{k+1} - \lambda_k} \right) \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_{nj} \right] \end{aligned} \tag{55}$$

$$\hat{a}_{nk} = \sum_{i=0}^n \left( \frac{\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1}}{\lambda_k} \right) u_i (a_{ik} - a_{i-1, k}) \tag{56}$$

**Theorem 4.2:** Let us assume that the entries of the infinite matrices given by  $A = (a_{nk})$  and

$H = (h_{nk})$  are related by the following relation

$$h_{nk} = \tilde{a}_{nk} \tag{57}$$

for all  $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\mu$  is an arbitrary sequence space. Then  $A \in (f_{\lambda}; \mu)$  iff for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\{a_{nk}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \in (f_{\lambda})^{\beta}$  and  $H \in (f; \mu)$ .

**Proof:** Let us take an arbitrary sequence space  $\mu$  and it is satisfied the condition (56) and recall that  $f_{\lambda}$  and  $f$  are linearly isomorphic. We take  $A \in (f_{\lambda}; \mu)$  and  $y = (y_k) \in f$ .

Thus,  $H \cdot \hat{\Lambda}$  does exist and  $\{a_{nk}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \in \cap_{k=1}^5 b_k$  which satisfies that  $\{h_{nk}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \in l_1$ , for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Therefore,  $Hy$  exists and thus for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\sum_k h_{nk} y_k = \sum_k a_{nk} x_k. \tag{58}$$

We have by (56) that  $Hy = Ax$ , which leads us to consequence  $H \in (f: \mu)$ .

Conversely, let  $\{a_{nk}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \in (f_{\hat{\Lambda}})^\beta$ , for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $H \in (f: \mu)$  satisfy, and take any  $x = (x_k) \in f_{\hat{\Lambda}}$ . Then,  $Ax$  exists. Thus, we acquire from the following equality for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$\sum_{k=0}^m \left[ \sum_{j=0}^k \left( \sum_{i=j-1}^j (-1)^{j-i} \cdot \frac{\lambda_i}{u_j(\lambda_j - \lambda_{j-1})} y_i a_{nj} \right) \right]. \tag{59}$$

As  $m \rightarrow \infty$  that  $Ax = Hy$  and this shows that  $A \in (f_{\hat{\Lambda}}: \mu)$ .

**Theorem 4.3:**  $A \in (f_{\hat{\Lambda}}: c)$  iff  $D^{(n)} = (d_{mk}^{(n)}) \in (f: c)$  and  $D = (d_{nk}) \in (f: c)$ .

**Theorem 4.4:**  $A \in (f_{\hat{\Lambda}}: l_\infty)$  iff  $D^{(n)} = (d_{mk}^{(n)}) \in (f: c)$  and  $D = (d_{nk}) \in (f: l_\infty)$ .

If we change the roles for the spaces  $f_{\hat{\Lambda}}$  and  $f$  with  $\mu$ , we have following theorems.

**Theorem 4.5:** Assume that the entries of the infinite matrices  $A = (a_{nk})$  and  $L = (l_{nk})$  are related by the following relation  $l_{nk} = \hat{a}_{nk}$  in (56), for all  $k, n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\mu$  be any given sequence space. Then,  $A \in (\mu: f_{\hat{\Lambda}})$  iff  $L \in (\mu: f)$ .

**Proof:** Let  $x = (x_k) \in \mu$  and take into account the following equality

$$\begin{aligned} \{\hat{\Lambda}(Ax)\}_n &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})}{\lambda_k} u_i [(Ax)_i - (Ax)_{i-1}] \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})}{\lambda_k} u_i \sum_j (a_{ij} - a_{i-1,j}) x_j \\ &= \sum_j \left( \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{(\lambda_i - \lambda_{i-1})}{\lambda_k} u_i (a_{ij} - a_{i-1,j}) \right) x_j \\ &= (Lx)_n \end{aligned} \tag{60}$$

which leads us to consequence that  $Ax \in f_{\hat{\Lambda}}$  iff  $Lx \in f$ . Thus, proof is completed.

At this time, we are going to denote the following conditions:

for each fixed  $k \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\lim a_{nk} = \alpha_k, \text{ exist} \tag{61}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k a_{nk} = \alpha, \tag{62}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k |\Delta(a_{nk} - \alpha_k)| = 0, \tag{63}$$

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_k |\Delta(a_{nk})| < \infty, \tag{64}$$

for each fixed  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_{nk} = 0, \tag{65}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k |\Delta^2 a_{nk}| = \alpha, \tag{66}$$

$$f - \lim a_{nk} = \alpha_k \text{ exists,} \tag{67}$$

uniformly in  $n$

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k |a(n, k, m) - \alpha_k| = 0, \tag{68}$$

uniformly in  $n$

$$f - \lim \sum_k a_{nk} = \alpha, \tag{69}$$

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k |\Delta[a(n, k, m) - \alpha_k]| = 0, \tag{70}$$

uniformly in  $n$

$$\lim_{q \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k \frac{1}{q+1} |\sum_{i=0}^q \Delta[a(n+i, k) - \alpha_k]| = 0, \tag{71}$$

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_k |\Delta a(n, k)| < \infty, \tag{72}$$

for each fixed  $k \in \mathbb{N}$

$$f - \lim a(n, k) = \alpha_k \text{ exists,} \tag{73}$$

uniformly in  $n$

$$\lim_{q \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k \frac{1}{q+1} |\sum_{i=0}^q \Delta^2 [a(n+i, k) - \alpha_k]| = 0, \tag{74}$$

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_k |a(n, k)| < \infty, \tag{75}$$

for each fixed  $k \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\sum_n a_{nk} = \alpha_k, \tag{76}$$

$$\sum_n \sum_k a_{nk} = \alpha, \tag{77}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_k |\Delta a(n, k) - \alpha_k| = 0, \tag{78}$$

**Lemma 4.2:** Let  $A = (a_{nk})$  be an infinite matrix. In that case, the following expressions hold:

- i)  $A = (a_n) \in (l_\infty: f)$  iff conditions (50), (67) and (68) hold. (Duran, 1972).
- ii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (f: f)$  iff conditions (50), (67) and (69) hold. (Duran, 1972).
- iii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (fs: l_\infty)$  iff conditions (64) and (65) hold. (Başar, 2012).
- iv)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (fs: c)$  iff conditions (61), (64) and (66) hold. (Öztürk, 1983).
- v)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (c: f)$  iff conditions (50), (67) and (69) hold. (King, 1966).
- vi)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (bs: f)$  iff conditions (64), (65), (67) and (71) hold. (Başar et al, 1991).
- vii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (fs: f)$  iff conditions (65), (67) (70) and (71) hold (Başar, 1991).
- viii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (cs: f)$  iff conditions (64) and (67) hold (Başar et al., 1989).
- ix)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (bs: fs)$  iff conditions (65), (71) and (73) hold (Başar et al., 1991).
- x)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (fs: fs)$  iff conditions (71) and (74) hold (Başar, 1991).
- xi)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (cs: fs)$  iff conditions (72) and (73) hold (Başar et al., 1989).
- xii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (f: cs)$  iff conditions (75) and (78) hold (Başar, 1989).

**Corollary 4.1:** The following statements hold:

- i)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (f_\lambda: l_\infty)$  iff  $\{a_{nk}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \in (f_\lambda)^\beta$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and (50) hold with  $\tilde{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .
- ii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (f_\lambda: c)$  iff  $\{a_{nk}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \in (f_\lambda)^\beta$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and (50), (61), (63) hold with  $\tilde{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .
- iii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (f_\lambda: bs)$  iff  $\{a_{nk}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \in (f_\lambda)^\beta$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and (75) hold with  $\tilde{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .

- iv)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (f_\lambda: cs)$  iff  $\{a_{nk}\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \in (f_\lambda)^\beta$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and (75), (78) hold with  $\tilde{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .

**Corollary 4.2:** The following statements hold:

- i)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (l_\infty: f_\lambda)$  iff (50), (67) and (68) hold with  $\hat{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .
- ii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (f: f_\lambda)$  iff (50), (67), (69) and (70) hold with  $\hat{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .
- iii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (c: f_\lambda)$  iff (50), (67) and (69) hold with  $\hat{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .

**Corollary 4.3:** The following statements hold:

- i)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (bs: f_\lambda)$  iff (64), (65), (67) and (71) hold with  $\hat{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .
- ii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (fs: f_\lambda)$  iff (65), (67) and (71) hold with  $\hat{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .
- iii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (cs: f_\lambda)$  iff (64) and (67) hold with  $\hat{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .

**Corollary 4.4:** The following statements hold:

- i)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (bs: fs_\lambda)$  iff (65), (71) and (73) hold with  $\hat{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .
- ii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (fs: fs_\lambda)$  iff (71) and (74) hold with  $\hat{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .
- iii)  $A = (a_{nk}) \in (cs: fs_\lambda)$  iff (72) and (73) hold with  $\hat{a}_{nk}$  instead of  $a_{nk}$ .

### 5. Conclusions

The purpose of this paper is to define some new almost sequence spaces, to give some properties of these spaces and to determine  $\beta$ -,  $\gamma$ - duals of these spaces, also to characterize some matrix classes between these spaces and some classical sequence spaces. Studying the domain of generalized difference matrix  $\Delta_u^\lambda$  in the spaces  $f, f_0, fs$  and determining the  $\beta$ -,  $\gamma$ - duals of these spaces, characterizing the infinite matrices belongs to the class of matrices  $(f(\hat{\Lambda}): \mu), (fs(\hat{\Lambda}): \mu), (\mu: f(\hat{\Lambda}))$  and  $(\mu: fs(\hat{\Lambda}))$ - where  $\mu$  is any given sequence space-are significant in terms of filling up a gap in the existing literature of summability theory.



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