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**STATISTICAL CONVERGENT FUNCTIONS VIA IDEALS  
WITH RESPECT TO THE INTUITIONISTIC FUZZY 2-  
NORMED SPACES\***

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**Abstract**

The main objective of this paper is to introduce and study the notion of ideal  $\lambda$ -statistical convergence of a nonnegative real-valued Lebesgue measurable function in the interval  $(1, \infty)$  with respect to the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed  $(\mu, \nu)$ . We gave some introduction definitions such as statistical convergence,  $\lambda$ -statistical convergence, intuitionistic fuzzy sets, and so on. Then we investigated their relationship, and made some observations about these classes. Further, we prove some inclusion theorems.

**Keywords:** *Statistical convergence, intuitionistic fuzzy, ideals.*

*Araştırma Makalesi*

**SEZGİSEL BULANIK 2-NORMLU UZAYLAR ÜZERİNDE IDEALLER İLE  
İSTATİSTİKSEL YAKINSAK FONKSİYONLAR**

**Öz**

Bu makalenin başlıca amacı, sezgisel bulanık 2-normlu uzaylar  $(\mu, \nu)$  üzerinde,  $(1, \infty)$  aralığında tanımlı, sıfırdan farklı reel değerli Lebesgue ölçülebilir,  $\lambda$ -istatistiksel yakınsak fonksiyonları tanıtmaktır. İstatistiksel Yakınsaklık,  $\lambda$ -istatistiksel yakınsaklık, sezgisel bulanık kümeler ve benzer tanımları verdik. Daha sonra, gözlemlenen bazı sınıflandırmalar yaptık ve bu sınıflar arasındaki ilişkileri inceledik. Ayrıca, bazı sonuç teoremleri de ispatlanacaktır.

**Anahtar kelimeler:** *İstatistiksel yakınsaklık, sezgisel bulanık, ideal.*

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

The concept of statistical convergence has been introduced by Fast (Fast,1951,241-244) in 1951 and then developed extensively in different directions by Connor (Connor,1988,47-63), Fridy (Fridy,1985,301-313), Šalát (Šalát,1980,139-150) and many others.

A number sequence  $t = (t_k)$  is said to be statistically convergent to  $C$  if for every  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\delta(\{k \in \mathbb{N} : |t_k - C| \geq \epsilon\}) = 0$ . If  $(t_k)$  is statistically convergent to  $C$ , we write  $st - \lim t_k = C$ .

Furthermore, Kostyrko et al. (Kostyrko et al.,2001,669-685) introduced a very interesting generalization of statistical convergence called as  $\mathcal{I}$ -convergence. More about this convergence can be found in (Savas and Das, 2011, 826-830). We should mention here that the idea of  $\lambda$ -statistical convergence was introduced by Mursaleen (Mursaleen, 2000, 111-115).

Following the introduction of fuzzy set theory by Zadeh (Zadeh,1965,338-353), there has been extensive research to find applications and fuzzy analogues of the classical theories. The theory of intuitionistic fuzzy sets was introduced by Atanassov (Atanassov,1986,87-96); it has been extensively used in decision-making problems (Atanassov et al.,2000,115-119). The concept of an intuitionistic fuzzy metric space was introduced by Park (Park,2004,1039-1046). Furthermore, Saadati and Park (Saadati and Park,2006,331-344) gave the notion of an intuitionistic fuzzy normed space. So far, a good number of research works have been done on various types of intuitionistic fuzzy normed space for instances, (see (Mohiuddine and Lohani,2009,1731-1737 ; Savas and Gurdal, 2014,1621-1629 ; Savas,2015,59-63 ; Savas and Gurdal, 2015, 1513-1874))

However, in (Colak,2010,121-129 ; Colak and Bektaş,2011,953-959) a different direction was given to the study of these important summability methods where the notions of statistical convergence of order  $\alpha$  and  $\lambda$ -statistical convergence of order  $\alpha$  were introduced and studied. In this note we intend to introduce the concept of  $\mathcal{I}_\lambda$ -statistical convergence of order  $\alpha$  for a nonnegative real-valued Lebesgue measurable function in the interval  $(1, \infty)$  by using ideal with respect to the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space  $(\mu, \nu)$  and investigate some of its consequences. We now recall some notation and basic definitions used in the paper.

**Definition 1** A binary operation  $*$  :  $[0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is said to be a continuous t–norm if the following conditions are satisfied

1.  $*$  is associative and commutative,
2.  $*$  is continuous,
3.  $a * 1 = a$  for all  $a \in [0, 1]$ ,
4.  $a * b \leq c * d$  whenever  $a \leq c$  and  $b \leq d$  for each  $a, b, c, d \in [0, 1]$ .

**Definition 2** A binary operation  $\diamond$  :  $[0,1] \times [0,1] \rightarrow [0,1]$  is said to be a continuous t-conorm if it satisfies the following conditions:

1.  $\diamond$  is associate and commutative,
2.  $\diamond$  is continuous,
3.  $k \diamond 0 = k$  for all  $k \in [0,1]$ ,
4.  $k \diamond l \leq q \diamond p$  whenever  $k \leq q$  and  $l \leq p$  for each  $k, l, q, p \in [0,1]$ .

Gähler, [Gähler, S., 1965, 1-43], presented the below concept of 2-normed space.

**Definition 3** Let  $K$  be a real vector space of dimension  $n$ , where  $2 \leq n < \infty$ . A 2-norm on  $K$  is a function  $\|\cdot, \cdot\|: K \times K \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  which satisfies,

1.  $\|x, y\| = 0$  if and only if  $x$  and  $y$  are linearly dependent;
2.  $\|x, y\| = \|y, x\|$ ;
3.  $\|\alpha x, y\| = |\alpha| \|x, y\|$ ;
4.  $\|x, y + z\| \leq \|x, y\| + \|x, z\|$ .

The pair  $(K, \|\cdot, \cdot\|)$  is then called a 2-normed space.

Mursaleen and Lohani (Mursaleen and Lohani ,2009, 224-234) used the idea of 2-normed space to define the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space.

**Definition 4** The five-tuple  $(K, \mu, \nu, *, \diamond)$  is said to be an intuitionistic fuzzy 2-norm space (for short, IF2NS) if  $K$  is a vector space,  $*$  is continuous t-norm,  $\diamond$  is continuous t-conorm, and  $\mu, \nu$  are fuzzy sets on  $K \times K \times (0, \infty)$  satisfying the following conditions for every  $x, y \in K$  and  $p, s > 0$ .

1.  $\mu(x, y; p) + \nu(x, y; p) \leq 1$ ,
2.  $\mu(x, y; p) > 0$
3.  $\mu(x, y; p) = 1$  if and only if  $x$  and  $y$  are linearly dependent,
4.  $\mu(\alpha x, y; p) = \mu(x, y; \frac{p}{|\alpha|})$  for each  $\alpha \neq 0$ ,

5.  $\mu(x, y; p) * \mu(x, z; s) \leq \mu(x, y + z; p + s)$ ,
6.  $\mu(x, y; \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is continuous,
7.  $\lim_{p \rightarrow \infty} \mu(x, y; p) = 1$  and  $\lim_{p \rightarrow 0} \mu(x, y; p) = 0$ ,
8.  $\mu(x, y; p) = \mu(y, x; p)$
9.  $v(x, y; p) < 1$ ,
10.  $v(x, y; p) = 0$  if and only if  $x$  and  $y$  are linearly dependent,
11.  $v(\alpha x, y; p) = v(x, y; \frac{p}{|\alpha|})$  for each  $\alpha \neq 0$ ,
12.  $v(x, y; p) \diamond v(x, z; s) \geq v(x, y + z; p + s)$ ,
13.  $v(x, y; \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is continuous,
14.  $\lim_{p \rightarrow \infty} v(x, y; p) = 0$  and  $\lim_{p \rightarrow 0} v(x, y; p) = 1$ ,
15.  $v(x, y; p) = v(y, x; p)$

In this case  $(\mu, v)$  is called an intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed on  $K$ , and we denote it by  $(\mu, v)_2$ .

## 2. $\mathcal{I}_\lambda$ -STATISTICAL CONVERGENCE OF A NONNEGATIVE REAL-VALUED FUNCTION ON IF2NS

Before we can begin, it will be necessary to introduce some definitions and notation.

**Definition 5** A non-empty family  $\mathcal{I} \subset 2^{\mathbb{N}}$  is said to be an ideal of  $\mathbb{N}$  if the following conditions hold:

1.  $R, S \in \mathcal{I}$  imply  $R \cup S \in \mathcal{I}$ ,
2.  $R \in \mathcal{I}, S \subset R$  imply  $S \in \mathcal{I}$ .

**Definition 6** A non-empty family  $\mathcal{F} \subset 2^{\mathbb{N}}$  is said to be a filter of  $\mathbb{N}$  if the following conditions hold:

1.  $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{F}$ ,
2.  $R, S \in \mathcal{F}$  imply  $R \cap S \in \mathcal{F}$ ,
3.  $R \in \mathcal{F}, R \subset S$  imply  $S \in \mathcal{F}$ .

If  $\mathcal{I}$  is a proper nontrivial ideal of  $\mathbb{N}$  (i.e.  $\mathbb{N} \notin \mathcal{I}$ ), then the family of sets  $F(\mathcal{I}) = \{M \subset \mathbb{N} : \exists R \in \mathcal{I} : M = \mathbb{N} \setminus R\}$  is a filter of  $\mathbb{N}$ . It is called the filter associated with the ideal  $\mathcal{I}$ . A proper ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  is said to be admissible if  $\{n\} \in \mathcal{I}$  for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Definition 7** A sequence  $(x_n)$  of elements of  $\mathbb{R}$  is said to be  $\mathcal{I}$ -convergent to  $C \in \mathbb{R}$  if for each  $\epsilon > 0$  the set  $A(\epsilon) = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : |x_n - C| \geq \epsilon\} \in \mathcal{I}$ .

Throughout by function  $x(t)$  we shall mean a nonnegative real-valued Lebesgue measurable function in the interval  $(1, \infty)$ .  $\mathbb{N}$  will stand for the set of natural numbers.

Let  $\varphi = \varphi_n$  be a non-decreasing sequence of positive numbers tending to  $\infty$  such that  $\varphi_{n+1} \leq \varphi_n + 1$ ,  $\varphi_1 = 1$ . The collection of such a sequence  $\varphi$  will be denoted by  $\Delta$ . The generalized de Valee-Pousin mean is defined by

$$t_n(x) = \frac{1}{\varphi_n} \sum_{k \in I_n} x_k \text{ where } I_n = [n - \varphi_n + 1, n].$$

We are now ready to define our main results.

**Definition 8** Let  $(K, \mu, \nu, *, \diamond)$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space. Then, a function  $x(t)$  is said to be  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent of order  $\alpha$  to  $C \in K$  where  $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ , with respect to the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space  $(\mu, \nu)$ , if for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , and every  $\delta > 0$ ,  $p > 0$ , and for non zero  $z \in K$ .

$$\left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n^\alpha} \left| \left\{ t \leq n : \begin{array}{l} \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \\ \text{or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon \end{array} \right\} \right| \geq \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

In this case we write  $x(t) \xrightarrow{(\mu, \nu)} C(S^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2})$ .

**Remark 1** For

$$\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{I}_{fin} = \{A \subseteq \mathbb{N} : A \text{ is a finite subset}\},$$

$\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent of order  $\alpha$  with respect to IF2NS for functions coincides with statistical convergence of order  $\alpha$  with respect to IF2NS. For an arbitrary ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  and for  $\alpha = 1$  it coincides with  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical convergence with respect to IF2NS (Savas,2015,59-63). When  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{I}_{fin}$  and  $\alpha = 1$  it becomes only statistical convergence with respect to IF2NS, (Savas,2015,59-63).

**Definition 9** Let  $(K, \mu, \nu, *, \diamond)$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space. Then, a function  $x(t)$  is said to be  $[V, \varphi](\mathcal{I})$ -summable to  $C \in K$  of order  $\alpha$  to  $C \in K$ , where  $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ , with respect to the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space  $(\mu, \nu)$ , if for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , and  $\delta > 0, p > 0$ , and for non zero  $z \in K$

$$\left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{\varphi_n^\alpha} \left| \int_{n-\varphi_n+1}^n \left\{ t \leq n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \right\} \right| \geq \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

In this case we write  $[V, \varphi]^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} - \lim x = C$ .

**Definition 10** A function  $x(t)$  is said to be  $\mathcal{I}_\lambda$ -statistically convergent or  $S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})$  convergent of order  $\alpha$  to  $C \in K$ , where  $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ , with respect to the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space  $(\mu, \nu)$ , if for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , and  $\delta > 0, p > 0$ , and for non zero  $z \in X$

$$\left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{\varphi_n^\alpha} \left| \left\{ t \in I_n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \right\} \right| \geq \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

In this case we write  $S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} - \lim x = C$  or  $x(t) \rightarrow C(S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2})$ .

**Remark 2** For

$$\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{I}_{fin} = \{A \subseteq \mathbb{N} : A \text{ is a finite subset}\},$$

$\mathcal{I}_\varphi$ -statistically convergent of order  $\alpha$  with respect to the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space  $(\mu, \nu)$  coincides with  $\varphi$ -statistical convergence of order  $\alpha$  with respect to the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space. For an arbitrary ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  and for  $\alpha = 1$  it coincides with  $\mathcal{I}_\varphi$ -statistical convergence with respect to the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space  $(\mu, \nu)$ , (Savas,2015,59-63). When  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{I}_{fin}$  and  $\alpha = 1$  it becomes only  $\varphi$ -statistical convergence with respect to the intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space  $(\mu, \nu)$ , (Savas,2015,59-63). We shall denote by  $S^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$ ,  $S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$ , and  $[V, \lambda]_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$  the collections of all  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent of order  $\alpha$ ,  $S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$ -convergent of order  $\alpha$  and  $[V, \varphi]_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$ -convergent of order  $\alpha$  sequences respectively.

**Theorem 1** Let  $(K, \mu, \nu, *, \diamond)$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space,

$\varphi = (\varphi_n)$  be a sequence in  $\Delta$  and let  $0 < \alpha \leq \beta \leq 1$ . Then

$$S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \subset S_\varphi^\beta(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}.$$

Proof. Let  $0 < \alpha \leq \beta \leq 1$ . For given  $\epsilon > 0$ , every  $p > 0$ , and for non zero

$z \in X$ , we write

$$\frac{|\{t \in I_n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \text{ or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon\}|}{\varphi_n^\beta} \leq \frac{|\{t \in I_n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \text{ or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon\}|}{\varphi_n^\alpha}$$

and so for any  $\delta > 0$ ,

$$\left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{|\{t \in I_n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \text{ or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon\}|}{\varphi_n^\beta} \geq \delta \right\} \subset \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{|\{t \in I_n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \text{ or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon\}|}{\varphi_n^\alpha} \geq \delta \right\}.$$

Hence if the set on the right hand side belongs to the ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  then obviously the set on the left hand side also belongs to  $\mathcal{I}$ . This shows that

$$S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \subset S_\varphi^\beta(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}.$$

**Corollary 1** If a function is  $\mathcal{I}_\varphi$ -statistically convergent of order  $\alpha$  to  $C$  for some

$0 < \alpha \leq 1$ , then it is  $\mathcal{I}_\varphi$ -statistically convergent to  $C$  i.e.

$$S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \subset S_\varphi(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}.$$

Similarly we can show that

**Theorem 2** Let  $(K, \mu, \nu, *, \diamond)$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space and let

$0 < \alpha \leq \beta \leq 1$ . Then

1.  $S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \subset S_\varphi^\beta(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$ ,
2.  $[V, \varphi]_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \subset [V, \varphi]_\varphi^\beta(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$ ,
3.  $S^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \subset S(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$  and  $[V, \varphi]^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \subset [V, \varphi](\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$ .

**Theorem 3** Let  $(K, \mu, \nu, *, \diamond)$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space,  $\varphi = (\varphi_n)$  be a sequence in  $\Delta$ . If  $x(t) \rightarrow L[V, \varphi]_{\varphi}^{\alpha}(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}$ , then  $x(t) \rightarrow C(S_{\varphi}^{\alpha}(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2})$ .

Proof. This can be proved by using the techniques similar to those used in Theorem 1 of Savas (Savas,2017,1).

**Theorem 4** Let  $(K, \mu, \nu, *, \diamond)$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space. Then

$$S^{\alpha}(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \subset S_{\varphi}^{\alpha}(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \text{ if } \liminf_n \frac{\varphi_n^{\alpha}}{n^{\alpha}} > 0.$$

Proof. For given  $\epsilon > 0$ , every  $p > 0$ , and for non zero  $z \in X$ , we write

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{|\{t \leq n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \text{ or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon\}|}{n^{\alpha}} \\ & \geq \frac{|\{t \in I_n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \text{ or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon\}|}{n} \\ & = \frac{\varphi_n^{\alpha}}{n^{\alpha}} \frac{|\{t \in I_n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \text{ or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon\}|}{\varphi_n^{\alpha}}. \end{aligned}$$

$\inf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\varphi_n^{\alpha}}{n^{\alpha}} = \alpha$ , then from definition  $\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{\varphi_n^{\alpha}}{n^{\alpha}} < \frac{\alpha}{2}\right\}$  is finite. For every

$$\begin{aligned} & \epsilon > 0, \\ & \left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{|\{t \in I_n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \text{ or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon\}|}{\varphi_n^{\alpha}} \geq \delta\right\} \\ & \subset \left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{|\{t \in I_n : \mu(x(t) - C, z; p) \leq 1 - \epsilon \text{ or } \nu(x(t) - C, z; p) \geq \epsilon\}|}{n^{\alpha}} \geq \frac{\alpha}{2} \delta\right\} \\ & \cup \left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{\varphi_n^{\alpha}}{n^{\alpha}} < \frac{\alpha}{2}\right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\mathcal{I}$  is admissible, the set on the right-hand side belongs to  $\mathcal{I}$  and this completed the proof.



The following result immediately follows from the above theorem by using the same techniques.

**Theorem 5** Let  $(K, \mu, \nu, *, \diamond)$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy 2-normed space. If  $\varphi \in \Delta$

be such that for a particular  $\alpha, 0 < \alpha \leq 1$ ,  $\lim_n \frac{n - \varphi_n}{n^\alpha} = 0$  then

$$S_\varphi^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2} \subset S^\alpha(\mathcal{I})^{(\mu, \nu)_2}.$$

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