

## Absolute Summability Factors Related to the Summability Method $|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu)$

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**ABSTRACT:** By  $(A, B)$ , we denote the set of all sequences  $\epsilon$  such that  $\sum a_n \epsilon_n$  is summable  $B$  whenever  $\sum a_n$  is summable  $A$  where  $A$  and  $B$  are two summability methods. In this study, applying the main theorems in (Gökçe and Sarıgöl, 2018) to summability factors, we characterize the sets  $(|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n|)$  and  $(|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n, \psi|(\lambda))$ . Also, in the special case, we get some well-known results.

**Keywords:** Absolute weighted summability, summability factors, matrix transformations, sequence spaces.

### $|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu)$ Toplanabilme Metodu ile İlgili Mutlak Toplanabilme Çarpanları

**ÖZET:**  $A$  ve  $B$  iki toplanabilme metodu olmak üzere  $\sum a_n$ ,  $A$  toplanabilir iken  $\sum a_n \epsilon_n$ ,  $B$  toplanabilir olacak şekildeki bütün  $\epsilon$  dizilerinin kümesi  $(A, B)$  ile gösterilir ve  $\epsilon$  dizisine toplanabilme çarpanı adı verilir. Bu çalışmada, (Gökçe ve Sarıgöl, 2018) tarafından verilen teoremler yardımıyla  $(|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n|)$  ve  $(|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n, \varphi|(\lambda))$  toplanabilme çarpanları kümeleri karakterize edilmiştir. Ayrıca özel durumlarda, bilinen bazı sonuçlar elde edilmiştir.

**Anahtar Kelimeler:** Mutlak ağırlıklı ortalama toplanabilme, toplanabilme çarpanı, matris dönüşümleri, dizi uzayları.

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## INTRODUCTION

Let  $\sum a_v$  be a given infinite series with partial sum  $s_n$ ,  $\theta = (\theta_n)$  be any sequence of positive real numbers and  $\mu = (\mu_n)$  be any bounded sequence of positive real numbers. If

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \theta_n^{\mu_{n-1}} |A_n(s) - A_{n-1}(s)|^{\mu_n} < \infty \quad (1)$$

where

$$A_n(s) = \sum_{v=0}^{\infty} a_{nv} s_v,$$

then the series  $\sum a_v$  is said to be summable  $|A, \theta|(\mu)$  (Gökçe and Sarıgöl, 2018).

Let  $(p_n)$  be a sequence of nonnegative numbers with  $P_n = p_0 + p_1 + \dots + p_n \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  ( $P_{-1} = p_{-1} = 0$ ). If we take the weighted mean matrix instead of  $A$ , the summability  $|A, \theta|(\mu)$  is reduced to the summability  $|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu)$ , and also the space of all series summable by  $|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu)$  is defined as follows (Gökçe and Sarıgöl, 2018)

$$|\bar{N}_p^\theta|(\mu) = \left\{ a = (a_v) : \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \theta_n^{\mu_{n-1}} \left| \frac{p_n}{P_n P_{n-1}} \sum_{v=1}^n P_{v-1} a_v \right|^{\mu_n} < \infty \right\}.$$

One gives the weighted mean matrix by

$$a_{nv} = \begin{cases} p_v/P_n, & 0 \leq v \leq n \\ 0, & v > n. \end{cases}$$

The series-to-sequence transformations corresponding to the summability  $|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu)$

$$T_0 = a_0 \theta_0^{1/\mu_0^*}, T_n = \theta_n^{1/\mu_n^*} \frac{p_n}{P_n P_{n-1}} \sum_{v=1}^n P_{v-1} a_v, n \geq 1 \quad (2)$$

define the sequence  $(T_n)$ . Also, a few calculations show that its inverse transformation is as follows:

$$a_n = \theta_n^{-1/\mu_n^*} \frac{P_n}{p_n} T_n - \theta_{n-1}^{-1/\mu_{n-1}^*} \frac{P_{n-2}}{p_{n-1}} T_{n-1}, n \geq 0. \quad (3)$$

Now, we assume that  $0 < \inf \mu_n < \infty$  and  $\mu_n^*$  is conjugate of  $\mu_n$ , i.e.,  $1/\mu_n^* + 1/\mu_n = 1$  for  $\mu_n > 0$ ,  $1/\mu_n^* = 0$  for  $\mu_n = 1$  in the whole paper.

Note that the summability  $|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu)$  reduces to some well-known methods in special case of  $\mu$  and  $\theta$ . For example, if we take  $\mu_n = k$  for all  $n \geq 0$ , then we have the summability  $|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|_k$  (Sarıgöl, 2011) and the summability  $|\bar{N}, p_n|_k$  with  $\theta_n = P_n/p_n$  (Orhan and Sarıgöl, 1993).

## MATERIALS AND METHODS

Let  $A$  and  $B$  be two summability methods. If  $\sum a_n \epsilon_n$  is summable  $B$  whenever  $\sum a_n$  is summable  $A$ , then it is said that  $\epsilon$  is summability factor of type  $(A, B)$ , denoted by  $\epsilon \in (A, B)$ . In this paper, applying the main theorems in (Gökçe and Sarıgöl, 2018) to summability factors, we characterize the sets  $(|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n|)$  and  $(|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n, \psi|(\lambda))$  where  $(\theta_n)$  and  $(\psi_n)$  are sequences of positive numbers and  $(\mu_n)$  and  $(\lambda_n)$  are arbitrary bounded sequences of positive numbers. Also, in the special case, we get some well-known results.

**Definition 2.1** Let  $f$  and  $g$  be any real valued functions defined on some unbounded subset of the positive real numbers. Then,  $f(x) = O(g(x))$  if and only if there exists a positive real number  $M$  and a real number  $x_0$  such that  $|f(x)| \leq M g(x)$  for all  $x \geq x_0$ .

**Lemma 2.2** Let  $k \geq 1$  and  $(p_n)$  be a sequence of positive numbers. If  $P_n = p_0 + p_1 + \dots + p_n \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  ( $P_{-1} = p_{-1} = 0$ ), then

$$\frac{1}{kP_{v-1}^k} \leq \sum_{n=v}^{\infty} \frac{p_n}{P_n P_{n-1}^k} \leq \frac{1}{P_{v-1}^k},$$

(Sarigöl, 2016).

**Theorem 2.3** Let  $A = (a_{nv})$  be an infinite matrix of complex numbers and  $(\theta_n)$  be a sequence of positive numbers. If  $\mu = (\mu_n)$  is an arbitrary bounded sequence of positive numbers such that  $\mu_n > 1$  for all  $n$ , then  $A \in (|\bar{N}_p^\theta|(\mu), |\bar{N}_q|)$  if and only if there exists an integer  $M > 1$  such that, for  $n = 0, 1, \dots$ ,

$$\sup_m \left| \frac{M^{-1} P_m a_{nm}}{\theta_m^{1/\mu_m^*} p_m} \right|^{\mu_m^*} < \infty, \quad (4)$$

$$\sum_{v=0}^{\infty} |M^{-1} \hat{a}_{nv}|^{\mu_v^*} < \infty, \quad (5)$$

$$\sum_{v=0}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{M^{-1} q_n}{Q_n Q_{n-1}} \left| \sum_{j=1}^n Q_{j-1} \hat{a}_{jv} \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} < \infty \quad (6)$$

where

$$\hat{a}_{nv} = \frac{P_v}{\theta_v^{1/\mu_v^*} p_v} \left( a_{nv} - \frac{P_{v-1}}{P_v} a_{n,v+1} \right),$$

(Gökçe and Sarigöl, 2018).

**Theorem 2.4** Let  $A = (a_{nv})$  be an infinite matrix of complex numbers,  $(\theta_n)$  and  $(\psi_n)$  be sequences of positive numbers. If  $\mu = (\mu_n)$  and  $\lambda = (\lambda_n)$  are any bounded sequences of positive numbers such that  $\mu_n \leq 1$  and  $\lambda_n \geq 1$  for all  $n$ , then,  $A \in (|\bar{N}_p^\theta|(\mu), |\bar{N}_q^\psi|(\lambda))$  if and only if there exists an integer  $M > 1$  such that, for  $n = 0, 1, \dots$ ,

$$\sup_v |\hat{a}_{nv}|^{\mu_v} < \infty, \quad (7)$$

$$\sup_m \left| \frac{P_m a_{nm}}{\theta_m^{1/\mu_m^*} p_m} \right| < \infty, \quad (8)$$

and

$$\sup_v \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{\psi_n^{1/\lambda_n} q_n M^{-1/\mu_v}}{Q_n Q_{n-1}} \sum_{j=1}^n Q_{j-1} \hat{a}_{jv} \right|^{\lambda_n} < \infty, \quad (9)$$

(Gökçe and Sarigöl, 2018).

**Lemma 2.5** Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $k \geq 0$  and  $c_k = 1$  for  $k \leq 1$ ,  $c_k = 2^{k-1}$  for  $k > 1$ . Then,

$$|a + b|^k \leq c_k (|a|^k + |b|^k),$$

(Mitrinovic, 1970).

## RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

In this section, firstly we give main theorems and then, by making special chooses for  $\psi$ ,  $\theta$ ,  $\mu$  and  $\lambda$ , we obtain certain well-known corollaries.

**Theorem 3.1** Let  $(\theta_n)$  be a sequence of positive numbers and  $(\mu_n)$  be an arbitrary bounded sequence of positive numbers with  $\mu_n > 1$  for all  $n$ . Then,  $\epsilon \in (|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta|(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n|)$  if and only if

$$\sum_v^{\infty} \left( M^{-1} \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \theta_v^{-1/\mu_v^*} |\epsilon_v| \right)^{\mu_v^*} < \infty \quad (10)$$

$$\sum_v^{\infty} \left( M^{-1} \theta_v^{-1/\mu_v^*} \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} < \infty \quad (11)$$

where  $\Delta \epsilon_v = \epsilon_v - \epsilon_{v+1}$  for all  $v \geq 0$ .

Proof. Take the diagonal matrix  $W$  instead of  $A$  in Theorem 2.3. Then, (4) and (5) are directly satisfied. Also, using Lemma 2.2, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{v=0}^{\infty} \frac{M^{-1/\mu_v^*}}{\theta_v} \left( \frac{q_v P_v}{Q_v p_v} |\epsilon_v| + \sum_{n=v+1}^{\infty} \frac{q_n}{Q_n Q_{n-1}} \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \left( Q_{v-1} \epsilon_v - \frac{P_{v-1}}{P_v} Q_v \epsilon_{v+1} \right) \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} \\ &= \sum_{v=0}^{\infty} \frac{M^{-1/\mu_v^*}}{\theta_v} \left( \frac{q_v P_v}{Q_v p_v} |\epsilon_v| + \left| \frac{P_v}{Q_v p_v} Q_{v-1} \epsilon_v - \frac{P_{v-1}}{p_v} \epsilon_{v+1} \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} \\ &= \sum_{v=0}^{\infty} \frac{M^{-1/\mu_v^*}}{\theta_v} \left( \frac{q_v P_v}{Q_v p_v} |\epsilon_v| + \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v - \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

So, it can be seen immediately that the condition (6) is reduced to the condition (10) and the following condition:

$$\sum_{v=0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{M^{-1}}{\theta_v^{1/\mu_v^*}} \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v - \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} < \infty.$$

Since  $\mu_v^* > 1$  for all  $v$ , it can be written that

$$\begin{aligned} \left( M^{-1} \theta_v^{-1/\mu_v^*} \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} &= \left( \frac{M^{-1}}{\theta_v^{1/\mu_v^*}} \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v - \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v + \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} \\ &\leq 2^{H-1} \left\{ \left( \frac{M^{-1}}{\theta_v^{1/\mu_v^*}} \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v - \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left( \frac{M^{-1}}{\theta_v^{1/\mu_v^*}} \left| \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

where  $H = \sup_v \{\mu_v^*\}$ . So, it can be obtained that

$$\sum_v^{\infty} \left( \frac{M^{-1}}{\theta_v^{1/\mu_v^*}} \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} \right| \right)^{\mu_v^*} < \infty$$

which completes proof.

**Theorem 3.2** Let  $(\theta_n)$  and  $(\psi_n)$  be any sequences of positive numbers. If  $(\mu_n)$  and  $(\lambda_n)$  are any bounded sequences of positive numbers such that  $\mu_n \leq 1$  and  $\lambda_n \geq 1$  for all  $n$ , then  $\epsilon \in (|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta |(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n, \varphi |(\lambda))$  if and only if

$$\sup_v \left| \psi_n^{1/\lambda_n^*} M^{-1/\mu_v} \theta_v^{-1/\mu_v^*} \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v \right|^{\lambda_n} < \infty \tag{12}$$

$$\sup_v \sum_{n=v+1}^{\infty} \left| \psi_n^{1/\lambda_n^*} M^{-1/\mu_v} \theta_v^{-1/\mu_v^*} \frac{q_n}{Q_n Q_{n-1}} \left( \frac{Q_{v-1} P_v}{p_v} \epsilon_v - \frac{Q_v P_{v-1}}{p_v} \epsilon_{v+1} \right) \right|^{\lambda_n} < \infty \tag{13}.$$

**Proof.** If we take the diagonal matrix  $W$  instead of  $A$  in Theorem 2.4, then (7) and (8) are directly satisfied. Moreover, the condition (9) can be written as

$$\sup_v \left\{ \left| \frac{\psi_v^{1/\lambda_v^*} q_v P_v}{M^{1/\mu_v} \theta_v^{1/\mu_v^*} Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v \right|^{\lambda_v} + \sum_{n=v+1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{\psi_n^{1/\lambda_n^*} q_n}{M^{1/\mu_v} \theta_v^{1/\mu_v^*} Q_n Q_{n-1}} \left( \frac{Q_{v-1} P_v}{p_v} \epsilon_v - \frac{Q_v P_{v-1}}{p_v} \epsilon_{v+1} \right) \right|^{\lambda_n} \right\} < \infty.$$

So, this completes the proof.

**Corollary 3.3** Assume that  $(\theta_n)$  and  $(\psi_n)$  are any sequences of positive numbers and  $k \geq 1$ . Then, necessary and sufficient conditions for  $\epsilon \in (|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta |, |\bar{N}, q_n, \psi |_k)$  are

$$\sup_v \left| \psi_v^{1/k^*} \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v \right|^k < \infty,$$

$$\sup_v \sum_{n=v+1}^{\infty} \left| \psi_n^{1/k^*} \frac{q_n}{Q_n Q_{n-1}} \left( \frac{Q_{v-1} P_v}{p_v} \epsilon_v - \frac{Q_v P_{v-1}}{p_v} \epsilon_{v+1} \right) \right|^k < \infty.$$

**Corollary 3.4** Let  $(\theta_n)$  be any sequences of positive numbers and  $k > 1$ . Then,  $\epsilon \in (|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta |_k, |\bar{N}, q_n |)$  if and only if

$$\sum_v \left( \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \theta_v^{-1/k^*} |\epsilon_v| \right)^{k^*} < \infty$$

$$\sum_v \left( \theta_v^{-1/k^*} \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} \right| \right)^{k^*} < \infty.$$

Following two theorems have been given by (Sarıgöl and Orhan, 1995).

**Corollary 3.5** Let  $1 \leq k < \infty$ . Then, necessary and sufficient conditions for  $\epsilon \in (|\bar{N}, p_n |, |\bar{N}, q_n |_k)$  are

- a.  $\epsilon_n = O(1)$
- b.  $\Delta \epsilon_n = O(p_n/P_n)$
- c.  $\epsilon_n = O((p_n/P_n)(Q_n/q_n)^{1/k})$

as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , where  $\Delta \epsilon_n = \epsilon_n - \epsilon_{n+1}$ .

**Proof.** In Theorem 3.2, we take  $\mu_v = 1, \theta_v = \frac{P_v}{p_v}, \lambda_v = k \geq 1$  and  $\psi_n = \frac{Q_v}{q_v}$  for all  $v$ . Then, the condition (12) is reduced to (c). By Lemma 2.2, (13) can be arranged as

$$\frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v - \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} = O(1).$$

Moreover, since  $\frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} \epsilon_v = O\left(\left(\frac{q_v}{Q_v}\right)^{1/k^*}\right) = O(1)$ , the last condition is equivalent to

$$\frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} = O(1)$$

which completes the proof.

**Corollary 3.6** Let  $1 < k < \infty$ . Then,  $\epsilon \in (|\bar{N}, p_n|_k, |\bar{N}, q_n|)$  if and only if

- $\sum_{v=1}^{\infty} (p_v/P_v) \left| \frac{P_v}{p_v} \Delta \epsilon_v + \epsilon_{v+1} \right|^{k^*} < \infty$ ,
- $\sum_{v=1}^{\infty} (p_v/P_v) \left( \frac{P_v q_v}{Q_v p_v} |\epsilon_v| \right)^{k^*} < \infty$

where  $1/k + 1/k^* = 1$  for  $k > 1$ .

**Proof.** If we take  $\mu_v = k, \theta_v = \frac{P_v}{p_v}$  for all  $v$  in Theorem 3.1, the conditions (10) and (11) are reduced to (a) and (b).

**Corollary 3.7**  $\epsilon \in (|\bar{N}, p_n|, |\bar{N}, q_n|)$  if and only if

- $\epsilon_n = O(1)$
- $\Delta \epsilon_v = O(p_n/P_n)$
- $\epsilon_n = O(p_n Q_n/P_n q_n)$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

## CONCLUSION

Let  $(\theta_n), (\psi_n)$  be sequences of positive numbers and  $(\mu_n), (\lambda_n)$  be any bounded sequences of positive numbers. In this study, applying the main theorems in (Gökçe and Sarigöl, 2018) to summability factors, we obtain the characterizations of the sets  $(|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta |(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n|)$  and  $(|\bar{N}, p_n, \theta |(\mu), |\bar{N}, q_n, \psi |(\lambda))$ . Also, in the special case, we get some well-known results.

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