

SETS OF APPROXIMABLE ELEMENTS IN DOUBLE
SEQUENCE SPACES

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1. Definitions and preliminaries. Starting point for this note are papers of A. Alexiewicz and W. Orlicz [1], [2], of J. Musielak [3], [4] and also papers [6], [7], [9] and [11]. We consider an example of modular space connected with strong summability of double sequences. For a given sequence of such spaces we introduce some sets of approximable elements. Properties of these sets and connections between them are main result of this note.

Let T denote space of all real double sequences in which convergence we shall mean as convergence in the sense of Pringsheim. Sequences belonging to T will be denoted by $x = (t_{\mu\nu})$, $y = (s_{\mu\nu})$, ..., $|x| = (|t_{\mu\nu}|)$, $\Theta = (0)$ and $x^j = (t_{\mu\nu}^j)$ for $j=1, 2, \dots$. If $x^1, x^2 \in T$, the inequality $x^1 \geq x^2$ will mean $t_{\mu\nu}^1 \geq t_{\mu\nu}^2$ for $\mu, \nu = 1, 2, \dots$.

Let T_0 , T_f and T_b denote spaces of all real double sequences convergent to zero, double sequences with a finite number of elements different from zero and bounded real double sequences, respectively.

A function φ defined in the interval $[0, \infty)$, nondecreasing and continuous for $u \geq 0$ and such that $\varphi(0) = 0$, $\varphi(u) > 0$ for $u > 0$, $\varphi(u) \rightarrow \infty$ as $u \rightarrow \infty$, is called a φ -function. φ -functions will be denoted by $\varphi, \varphi_1, \varphi_2, \dots$. Let (φ_i) denote sequence of φ -functions.

In the sequel the following conditions will be often used:

- (1) $\varphi_1(u)$ are equicontinuous at $u=0$,
- (2) there exists a number u_0 such that $\varphi_1(u_0) + \varphi_2(u_0) + \dots < \infty$,
- (3) there exists a $u' > 0$ such that $\varphi_1(u') + \varphi_2(u') + \dots = \infty$,
- (4) there exists a $\underline{u} > 0$ such that $\sup_i \varphi_i(\underline{u}) = \infty$,
- (5) for every index i there exist positive constants $\lambda_i, \beta_i, \nu_i$ such

that for every $u \leq v_i$ and $k \geq i$ the inequality $\varphi_i(\lambda_i u) \leq \beta_i \varphi_k(u)$ holds,

(6) for every $\varepsilon > 0$ there exist numbers $u_\varepsilon > 0$ and $\alpha_\varepsilon > 0$, depending on i , such that $\varphi_i(\alpha u) < \varepsilon \varphi_i(u)$ for $0 \leq \alpha \leq \alpha_\varepsilon$, $u \geq u_\varepsilon$,

(7) there exist positive constants k, c, u_0 and an index i_0 such that $\varphi_i(cu) \leq k \varphi_i(u)$ for $0 \leq u \leq u_0$ and $i \geq i_0$.

$A = (a_{\mu\nu})$ denotes a four-dimensional matrix. Throughout this note it will be supposed that (a), (b), and moreover (c), (d) in part 2.

(a) $a_{\mu\nu} \geq 0$ for $\mu, \nu = 1, 2, \dots$,

(b) for an arbitrary pair of positive integers (m, n) there exists a pair of positive integers (μ_0, ν_0) such that $a_{\mu_0 \nu_0} \neq 0$,

(c) $\sup_{m, n} \sum_{\mu, \nu=1}^{\infty} a_{\mu\nu} = K < \infty$,

(d) there exists $\lim_{m, n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{\mu, \nu=1}^{\infty} a_{\mu\nu}$.

2. Sets of approximable elements. For a given φ -function and a matrix A we define the transforms

$$G_{mn}^\varphi(x) = \sum_{\mu, \nu=1}^{\infty} a_{\mu\nu} \varphi(|t_{\mu\nu}|)$$

for $m, n = 1, 2, \dots$.

By a space T_φ^* we understand a set of all sequences $x \in T$ such that $G_{mn}^\varphi(\lambda x) < \infty$ for $m, n = 1, 2, \dots$ and $\lim_{m, n \rightarrow \infty} G_{mn}^\varphi(\lambda x) = 0$ for a certain $\lambda > 0$.

If in this definition we take an arbitrary constant λ or $\lambda = 1$, then the set T_φ^* will be denoted by T_φ or T_φ^0 , respectively. Double sequences $x \in T$ belonging to T_φ^* are called strongly (A, φ) -summable to zero. It is well known that $\mathcal{S}_\varphi(x) = \sup_{m, n} G_{mn}^\varphi(x)$ for $x \in T_\varphi^0$ and $\mathcal{S}_\varphi(x) = \infty$ for $x \in T_\varphi^* \setminus T_\varphi^0$ is a modular, $\|x\|_\varphi = \inf \{ \varepsilon > 0 : \mathcal{S}_\varphi(\frac{x}{\varepsilon}) \leq \varepsilon \}$ is an F -norm and T_φ^* is semiordered, linear modular space, complete with respect to the norm $\|\cdot\|_\varphi$.

Let (φ_i) be a given sequence of φ -functions and let (\mathcal{S}_i) denote a sequence of modulars, where $\mathcal{S}_i(x) = \mathcal{S}_{\varphi_i}(x)$. By means of this sequence, one may define the following modulars in T :

$$\mathcal{S}_W(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} 2^{-i} \mathcal{S}_i(x) (1 + \mathcal{S}_i(x))^{-1}, \quad \mathcal{S}_R(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} 2^{-i} \mathcal{S}_i(x),$$

$$\mathcal{S}_G(x) = \sup_s \frac{1}{s} \sum_{i=1}^s \mathcal{S}_i(x), \quad \mathcal{S}_S(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{S}_i(x),$$

$$\mathcal{S}_0(x) = \sup_i \mathcal{S}_i(x).$$

Let \mathfrak{S} be any of the symbols : $\mathfrak{S}_w, \mathfrak{S}_r, \mathfrak{S}_G, \mathfrak{S}_s$ and \mathfrak{S}_o . We define the following sets

$$X_{\mathfrak{S}} = \{x \in T : \mathfrak{S}(\lambda x) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } \lambda \rightarrow 0+\}$$

Elements $x \in T$ belonging to $X_{\mathfrak{S}}$ will be called w, r, G, s, o -approximable by \mathfrak{S}_i , respectively. In the following we will write briefly: w -appr, r -appr, G -appr, s -appr and o -appr , respectively.

3. Elementary properties.

Remark 1. (a) The element $x \in T$ is w -appr, if and only if, $\mathfrak{S}_i(\lambda x) \rightarrow 0$ as $\lambda \rightarrow 0+$ for every i , separately.

(b) The element $x \in T$ is o -appr, if and only if, $\mathfrak{S}_i(\lambda x) \rightarrow 0$ as $\lambda \rightarrow 0+$ uniformly with respect to i .

Remark 2. (a) If $x \in T$ is G -appr, then is also w -appr.

(b) If $x \in T$ is o -appr, then is G -appr and w -appr.

(c) Every o -appr or s -appr element is r -appr.

(d) Every s -appr element is o -appr and is also G -appr and w -appr.

(e) If $x \in T$ is r -appr, then is also w -appr.

Remark 3. If φ -functions φ_i satisfy conditions (1) and (4), then the set of all o -appr elements is identical with the space T_b .

Remark 4. If φ -functions φ_i satisfy conditions (2) and (3), then the space T_b is identical with the set of all s -appr elements.

Remark 5. If φ -functions φ_i satisfy conditions (2) and (4), then sets of all o -appr elements and s -appr elements are identical.

4. Theorems and remarks.

Theorem 1. Let $\liminf_{\mu, \nu \rightarrow \infty} a_{m_0 n_0 \mu \nu} > 0$ for fixed m_0 and n_0 . If the φ -functions φ_i satisfy conditions (1) and (7), then every w -appr element is also o -appr.

Proof. Let the element $x = (t_{\mu\nu}) \in T$ be w -appr, then there are $\lambda_i > 0$ such that

$$\sup_{m, n} \sum_{\mu, \nu=1}^{\infty} a_{m n \mu \nu} \varphi_i(\lambda_i |t_{\mu\nu}|) < \infty$$

for all i . Hence $x \in T_b$ and moreover $\lim_{\mu, \nu \rightarrow \infty} a_{m_0 n_0 \mu \nu} \varphi_i(\lambda_i |t_{\mu\nu}|) = 0$

for each i and for fixed m_0 and n_0 . Thus $\lim_{\mu, \nu \rightarrow \infty} \varphi_i(\lambda_i |t_{\mu\nu}|) = 0$ for

each i , and by continuity of φ_i , $\lim_{\mu, \nu \rightarrow \infty} t_{\mu\nu} = 0$. In consequence we

have $x \in T_o \cap T_b$.

From (7) it follows that there are $k, c_0, u_0 > 0$ and an index i_0 such that $\varphi_i(u) \leq k \varphi_i(c_0 u)$ for $0 \leq u \leq u_0$, $i \geq i_0$. Taking λ sufficiently small, we have $|\lambda t_{\mu\nu}| \leq u_0$ for all μ and ν . Hence $\varphi_i(\lambda |t_{\mu\nu}|) \leq k \varphi_i(c_0 \lambda |t_{\mu\nu}|)$ for $i \geq i_0$ and all μ, ν , i.e. $\mathcal{E}_i(\lambda x) \leq k \mathcal{E}_{i_0}(c_0 \lambda x)$ for $i \geq i_0$. Thus the element x is o-appr.

Remark 6. By Remark 2(b) and Theorem 1 we have that set of all o-appr elements is identical with the set of all w-appr elements.

Theorem 2. Let us suppose that there exist sequences $(\mu_r), (v_s)$ such that

$$(e) \quad \sum_{r,s=1}^{\infty} a_{m_0 n_0} \mu_r v_s = \infty$$

for fixed indices m_0, n_0 , and $\sup_{m,n} a_{mn} \mu_r v_s \leq L$ for all r, s , where $L > 0$ is a constant.

Let the φ -functions φ_i satisfy (5) and (6). If the set of all w-appr elements is identical with the set of all o-appr elements, then φ_i satisfy (7).

Proof. Let us suppose $X_{\mathcal{E}_w} = X_{\mathcal{E}_o}$. If (7) does not hold, then for every $k, c, u_0 > 0$ and every i_0 there exist $0 \leq u \leq u_0$ and $i \geq i_0$ such that $\varphi_i(cu) > k \varphi_i(u)$. For positive integers k, p, q we choose $c = 2^{-k}$ and $i_0 = p$, $u_0 = q^{-1}$. Then there exist $i_{p,q,k} \geq p$ and $u_{p,q,k} \leq q^{-1}$ such that

$$(i) \quad \varphi_{i_{p,q,k}}(2^{-k} u_{p,q,k}) > 2^k \varphi_p(u_{p,q,k})$$

for $p, q, k = 1, 2, \dots$

Now, we define (as in [5]) increasing sequences of indices (q_k) as follows. We choose q_1 so large that $q_1 \geq \frac{1}{v_1}$, $v_1 > 0$ and $\varphi_1(\frac{1}{q_1}) \leq \min\{1, (2L)^{-1}\}$, and we put $u_1 = u_{1,q_1,1}$. Let the indices q_1, \dots, q_{k-1}

and the positive numbers u_1, \dots, u_{k-1} are already chosen in such a manner that $\varphi_i(\frac{1}{q_i}) \leq 1$, $q_i \geq \frac{1}{v_i}$, $q_1 < q_2 < \dots < q_{k-1}$ and $\varphi_i(\frac{1}{q_i}) \leq \varphi_{i-1}(u_{i-1})$, where $u_i = u_{i,q_i,i}$, $i = 2, 3, \dots, k-1$. Now we take q_k such that $\varphi_k(\frac{1}{q_k}) \leq \min\{1, 2^{-k} L^{-1}\}$, $q_k \geq \frac{1}{v_k}$ and $\varphi_k(\frac{1}{q_k}) \leq \varphi_{k-1}(u_{k-1})$ and

we put $u_k = u_{k,q_k,k}$. Since $u_k \leq \frac{1}{q_k}$ we have $\varphi_k(u_k) \leq \varphi_k(\frac{1}{q_k}) \leq$

$\varphi_{k-1}(u_{k-1})$ for $k = 2, 3, \dots$

Now we shall construct a sequence (A_k) of pairwise disjoint sets of pairs of indices such that

$$(ii) \quad \frac{1}{2^k} < \sup_{m,n} \sum_{r,s} a_{mn} \mu_r \nu_s \varphi_k(u_k) \leq \frac{1}{2^{k-1}}$$

where $A_k = \{(\mu_r, \nu_s)\}$. It is sufficient to construct one set $A_k = \{\mu_{r_1}, \mu_{r_2}, \dots\} \times \{\nu_{s_1}, \nu_{s_2}, \dots\}$ in such a manner that μ_{r_1}, ν_{s_t} are arbitrarily large, respectively. If these sets do not exist then we have three possibilities.

If the inequality

$$(iii) \quad \sup_{m,n} \sum_{l,t=1}^{M,N} a_{mn} \mu_{r_l} \nu_{s_t} \varphi_k(u_k) \leq \frac{1}{2^k}$$

holds for all sequences (r_l) and (s_t) and all $m, n \geq 1$, then we take for instance $r_l = r_1 + (l-1)$ with respective (s_t) and $M, N \rightarrow \infty$, and the assumption (e) yields a contradiction.

If there are sequences $(r_l), (s_t)$ and $m, n \geq 1$ such that the inequality (iii) holds, but

$$(iv) \quad \sup_{m,n} \sum_{l,t=1}^{M+1, N+1} a_{mn} \mu_{r_l} \nu_{s_t} \varphi_k(u_k) > \frac{1}{2^{k-1}},$$

then there exist indices $m=m_k, n=n_k$ such that

$$\sum_{l,t=1}^{M,N} a_{m_k n_k} \mu_{r_l} \nu_{s_t} \leq \frac{1}{2^k} \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{l,t=1}^{M+1, N+1} a_{m_k n_k} \mu_{r_l} \nu_{s_t} > \frac{1}{2^{k-1}}.$$

$$\text{Thus } a_{m_k n_k} \mu_{r_{M+1}} \nu_{s_{N+1}} \varphi_k(u_k) > \frac{1}{2^k} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{2^k} \leq a_{m_k n_k} \mu_{r_{M+1}} \nu_{s_{N+1}} \varphi_k(u_k) \leq$$

$$L \varphi_k(u_k) \leq L \varphi_k\left(\frac{1}{q_k}\right) \leq \frac{1}{2^k}, \text{ a contradiction.}$$

If the inequality (iv) holds always, then the contradiction is obtained as previously, taking for instance $M+1=r_1$.

Let us take $x=(t_{\mu\nu})$, where

$$t_{\mu\nu} = \begin{cases} u_k & \text{for } (\mu, \nu) \in A_k, k=1, 2, \dots, \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases}$$

Evidently, by (ii) and (5) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{S}_1(\lambda_1 x) &= \sup_{m,n} \sum_{\mu, \nu=1}^{\infty} a_{mn} \mu \nu \varphi_1(\lambda_1 |t_{\mu\nu}|) = \sup_{m,n} \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} \sum_{(\mu, \nu) \in A_k} a_{mn} \mu \nu \varphi_1(\lambda_1 u_k) \\ &+ \sup_{m,n} \sum_{k=i}^{\infty} \sum_{(\mu, \nu) \in A_k} a_{mn} \mu \nu \varphi_1(\lambda_1 u_k) \leq \frac{(i-1) \varphi_1(\lambda_1 u_k)}{2^{k-1} \varphi_k(u_k)} + \beta_1 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2^{1-k} < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\mathcal{S}_1(\lambda_1 x) < \infty$.

Let us take in (6), $\varepsilon = \frac{c}{2 \mathcal{S}_1(\lambda_1 x)}$, and let $\lambda_1^i > 0$ be so small that

$\lambda_1^i \leq \lambda_1$ and $\lambda_1^i u_k \leq u_\varepsilon$ for all k . Moreover, let $\varepsilon' = \frac{c}{2 \mathcal{S}_1(\lambda_1^i x)} \geq \varepsilon$.

Hence $u_{\varepsilon'} \geq u_\varepsilon$ and so $\lambda_1^i u_k \leq u_{\varepsilon'}$. Finally

$$\mathcal{S}_1(\lambda x) \leq \varepsilon' \sup_{m,n} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{(\mu, \nu) \in A_k} a_{mn} \mu \nu \varphi_1(\lambda_1^i |u_k|) = \varepsilon' \mathcal{S}_1(\lambda_1^i x) = \frac{1}{2} c,$$

and so x is w-appr.

Now, by the inequalities (i) and (ii) we have

$$\begin{aligned} S_{i_{k,q_k,k}}(2^{-k}x) &\geq \sup_{m,n} \sum_{(\mu,\nu) \in A_k} a_{m\mu n\nu} \varphi_{i_{k,q_k,k}}(2^{-k}x) \geq \\ &\geq 2^k \varphi_k(u_k) \sup_{m,n} \sum_{(\mu,\nu) \in A_k} a_{m\mu n\nu} \geq 1, \end{aligned}$$

and in consequence the element x is not σ -appr. Finally, the sets of all elements w -appr and σ -appr are not identical, a contradiction.

Theorem 3. Let us suppose that there exist sequences of indices (μ_r) and (ν_s) such that $\lim_{r,s \rightarrow \infty} a_{m_0 n_0 \mu_r \nu_s} > 0$ for fixed indices m_0, n_0 , and $\sup_{m,n} a_{m\mu_r n\nu_s} \leq L$ for all r,s , where $L > 0$ is a constant.

Let the φ -functions φ_i satisfy conditions (1), (5) and (6). Then the sets of all elements w -appr and σ -appr are identical, if and only if, φ_i satisfy (7).

Remark 7. Under the same assumptions as in Theorem 1, every w -appr element is also σ -appr.

Remark 8. Applying Remark 4 and condition (1) we have

- (a) if every s -appr element is bounded, then identity of the sets of all elements σ -appr and s -appr implies the condition (4),
- (b) if every bounded element is s -appr, then the condition (4) implies that the sets of all elements σ -appr and s -appr are identical.

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