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# LACUNARY STATISTICAL CONVERGENCE OF DOUBLE SEQUENCES OF ORDER $\bar{\alpha}$ IN PROBABILISTIC NORMED SPACES

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, the idea of lacunary statistical convergence of order  $\bar{\alpha} \ (0 < \bar{\alpha} \le 1)$  for double sequences  $(S^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}} - \text{convergent})$  in probabilistic normed spaces has been elaborated. We have obtained the relation of usual convergence of order  $\bar{\alpha} \ (0 < \bar{\alpha} \le 1)$  and  $S^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}} - \text{convergent}$  in these spaces. We have given examples to show that  $S^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}} - \text{convergent}$  is more generalized than the usual convergence in these spaces.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

The notion of statistical convergence was initiated by Fast [5] and has motivated many researchers to work. One of the most important generalization was initiated by Fridy and Orhan [7] named as lacunary statistical convergence in which they studied the relation of  $N_{\theta}$ -summability and (C, 1)-summability. Further, Patterson and Savaş [17] theorize the same concept for double sequences in which they take double lacunary sequence  $\theta = \theta_{rs} = (m_r, n_s)$  such that  $m_0, n_0 = 0, h_r = m_r - m_{r-1} \longrightarrow \infty$  as  $r \longrightarrow \infty$  and  $h_s = n_s - n_{s-1} \longrightarrow \infty$  as  $s \longrightarrow \infty$  and the intervals determined by  $\theta_{rs}$  will be denoted by  $I_r = (m_{r-1}, m_r]$ and  $I_s = (n_{s-1}, n_s]$  and also investigated by many researchers. The double sequence can be stated as function f from  $N \times N$  to N such that

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$$f(mn) = a_{mn}$$
 where  $m, n \in N$ 

Patterson and Savaş [17] specified lacunary statistical convergence for double sequences.

**Definition 1.1.** [17] Let  $\theta = (\theta_{rs})$  be the double lacunary sequence then  $y = (y_{mn})$  is termed as lacunary statistically convergent if  $\forall \epsilon > 0$  we have

$$\lim_{r,s} \frac{1}{h_r h_s} |\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : |y_{mn} - p| \ge \epsilon\}| = 0.$$

where  $I_r$  and  $I_s$  be the interval defined as  $I_r = (m_{r-1}, m_r]$  and  $I_s = (n_{s-1}, n_s]$  and  $h_r$  and  $h_s$  are the increasing sequences.

Another important generalization of statistical convergence is statistical convergence of double sequences of order  $\bar{\alpha}$  where  $\bar{\alpha}$  represents the pair  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$  such that  $0 < \alpha_1 \leq 1$  and  $0 < \alpha_2 \leq 1$  was initiated by Çolak and Altin [3]. They work on the hypothesis of  $\bar{\alpha}$ -double density.

**Definition 1.2.** [3] Let A be the subset of  $N \times N$  then  $\bar{\alpha}$ -double density can be stated as

$$\delta_{\bar{\alpha}}^2(A) = \lim_{m,n} \frac{A(m,n)}{m^{\alpha_1} n^{\alpha_2}}$$

where A(m,n) be the number of  $(m_1, n_1)$  in A such that  $m_1 \leq m$  and  $n_1 \leq n$ .

**Definition 1.3.** [3] A double sequence  $y = (y_{m_1n_1})$  is termed as statistically convergent of order  $\bar{\alpha}$   $(0 < \bar{\alpha} \le 1)$  if for any  $\epsilon > 0$ 

$$\lim_{m,n} \frac{1}{m^{\alpha_1} n^{\alpha_2}} |\{(m_1, n_1) : m_1 \le m, n_1 \le n : |y_{m_1 n_1} - p| \ge \epsilon\}| = 0$$

It can be written as  $S^2_{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y_{m_1n_1} = p$ .

Mohiuddine and Savaş [13] had researched on the conceit of lacunary statistical convergence double sequences for probabilistic normed spaces (PN spaces). Some basic terminologies given as follows :

**Definition 1.4.** [13] A continuous mapping  $\circledast$  :  $[0,1] \times [0,1] \rightarrow [0,1]$  is termed as *t*-norm if it is abelian monoid with unit one and  $u \circledast v \le t \circledast w$  then  $u \le t$  and  $v \le w$  for all  $u, v, t, w \in [0,1]$ .

**Definition 1.5.** [13] Let  $F : R \to R_0^+$  be the function then the function F is termed as distribution function if it is non-decreasing and left continuous with  $inf_{t\in R}F(t) = 0$  and  $sup_{t\in R}F(t) = 1$ . It is denoted by D.

**Definition 1.6.** [13] Let Y be the real vector space and  $v : Y \to D$  where D denotes the set of all distribution function then  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  is termed as probabilistic normed space if following postulates holds.

(i)  $v_y(0) = 0$ . (ii)  $v_y(r) = 1 \ \forall \ r > 0 \ iff \ y = 0$ . (ii)  $v_{cy}(r) = v_y(\frac{r}{|c|}) \ \forall \ c \in R - \{0\}$ . (iv)  $v_{y+z}(r+s) \ge v_y(r) + v_z(s) \ \forall \ y, z \in Y \ and \ r, s \in R_0^+$ .

**Definition 1.7.** [13] Let  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  be a PN space then  $y = (y_{mn})$  is termed as lacunary statistically convergent in PN space Y if for any  $\lambda \in [0, 1]$  we have

$$\lim_{r,s} \frac{1}{h_r h_s} |\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : |v_{y_{mn}-p}| \le 1 - \lambda\}| = 0.$$

The hypothesis of statistical convergence, double sequences, PN spaces and order  $\bar{\alpha}$  (0 <  $\bar{\alpha} \le 1$ ) was an active area of research by many researchers [6] [14] [19] [15] [9] [12] [20] [21] [8] [16] [11] [2] [4] [10], [1] [18].

# 2. $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -convergent in probabilistic normed spaces

Throughout the paper, we consider  $\bar{\alpha}$  as  $0 < \bar{\alpha} \leq 1$  and  $\theta = (\theta_{rs})$  be a double lacunary sequence, otherwise specified.

In this section, we initiate the idea of  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -convergent and  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -Cauchy in PN spaces.

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  be a PN space. Then  $y = (y_{mn})$  is termed as  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -convergent to p in PN space Y, if for every  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$ 

$$\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}\{(m,n)\in I_r\times I_s: \upsilon_{y_{mn}-p}(\epsilon)\leq 1-\lambda\}=0$$

*i.e.*,

$$\frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1}h_s^{\alpha_2}}|\{(m,n)\in I_r\times I_s: v_{y_{mn}-p}(\epsilon)\leq 1-\lambda\}|=0.$$

**Theorem 2.1.** Suppose  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  is a PN space. If  $y = (y_{mn})$  is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -convergent in PN space Y, then the limit is unique.

*Proof.* Suppose that  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y = p_1$  and  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y = p_2$ . For given  $\epsilon > 0, t > 0$ . Take  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$  such that

$$(1-\lambda) \circledast (1-\lambda) \ge 1-t.$$

Define,

$$A(\lambda, \epsilon) = \{(m, n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-p_1}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1 - \lambda\},\$$
$$B(\lambda, \epsilon) = \{(m, n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-p_2}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1 - \lambda\}.$$

As  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y = p_1$  and  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y = p_2$ , therefore  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A(\lambda,\epsilon)) = 0$  and  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(B(\lambda,\epsilon)) = 0$ .

i.e.,

$$\frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-p_1}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1-\lambda\}| = 0,$$

and

$$\frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : \upsilon_{y_{mn} - p_2}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1 - \lambda\}| = 0.$$

Suppose

$$C(\lambda,\epsilon) = A(\lambda,\epsilon) \cap B(\lambda,\epsilon).$$

It gives  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(C(\lambda,\epsilon)) = 0$ , which implies  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(C^c(\lambda,\epsilon)) = 1$ . Suppose  $(m,n) \in (C^c(\lambda,\epsilon))$ , then

$$v_{p_1-p_2}(\epsilon) = v_{p_1+y_{mn}-y_{mn}-p_2}(\epsilon) = v_{y_{mn}-p_1+y_{mn}-p_2}(\frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2}) \ge v_{y_{mn}-p_1}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \circledast v_{y_{mn}-p_2}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \ge (1-\lambda) \circledast (1-\lambda) \ge 1-t.$$

Since t > 0 was arbitrary, So we have,

$$v_{p_1-p_2}(\epsilon) = 1,$$

which implies that

$$p_1 = p_2$$

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $(y_{mn})$  and  $(z_{mn})$  be the double sequence in PN space Y then

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- (1) If  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} \lim y_{mn} = p_1$  and  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} \lim z_{mn} = p_2$  then  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim (y_{mn} + z_{mn}) = p_1 + p_2.$ (2) If  $S^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y_{mn} = p_1$  and  $a \in R$  then  $S^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim (ay_{mn}) = ap_2$
- (2) If  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} \lim y_{mn} = p_1$  and  $a \in R$  then  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} \lim (ay_{mn}) = ap_1$ .

*Proof.* (1) Suppose that  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y_{mn} = p_1$  and  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim z_{mn} = p_2$ . For given  $\epsilon > 0$  and t > 0, take  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$  such that

$$(1-\lambda) \circledast (1-\lambda) > (1-t).$$

Define,

$$A(\lambda, \epsilon) = \{ (m, n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-p_1}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1 - \lambda \}$$

and

$$B(\lambda,\epsilon) = \{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{z_{mn}-p_2}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1-\lambda\}.$$

As  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y_{mn} = p_1$  and  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim z_{mn} = p_2$ , therefore  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A(\lambda, \epsilon)) = 0$  and  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(B(\lambda, \epsilon)) = 0$ .

Let  $(m, n) \notin A(\lambda, \epsilon) \cup B(\lambda, \epsilon)$  then

$$v_{y_{mn}+z_{mn}-p_1-p_2}(\epsilon) \ge v_{y_{mn}-p_1}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \circledast v_{z_{mn}-p_2}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) > (1-\lambda) \circledast (1-\lambda) > 1-t$$

which implies that

$$\{(m,n)\in I_r\times I_s: v_{y_{mn}+z_{mn}-p_1-p_2}(\epsilon)\leq 1-t\}\subseteq A(\lambda,\epsilon)\cup B(\lambda,\epsilon)$$

i.e.,

$$\delta^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}}\{(m,n)\in I_r\times I_s: v_{y_{mn}+z_{mn}-p_1-p_2}(\epsilon)\leq 1-t\}\subseteq \delta^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}}(A(\lambda,\epsilon))\cup \delta^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}}(B(\lambda,\epsilon)).$$

Hence

$$S^{\alpha}_{\theta_{rs}} - \lim(y_{mn} + z_{mn}) = p_1 + p_2.$$

(2) Suppose that  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y_{mn} = p_1$ . Let  $a \neq 0$ . For each  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$ . Define,

$$A(\lambda,\epsilon) = \{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-p_1}(\epsilon) \le 1-\lambda\}$$

As  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y_{mn} = p_1$ , therefore  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A(\lambda, \epsilon)) = 0$ . Let  $(m, n) \notin A(\lambda, \epsilon)$  then

$$\upsilon_{a(y_{mn}-p_1)}(\epsilon) = \upsilon_{y_{mn}-p_1}(\frac{\epsilon}{|a|}) \ge \upsilon_{y_{mn}-p_1}(\epsilon) \circledast \upsilon_o(\frac{\epsilon}{|a|}-\epsilon) = \upsilon_{y_{mn}-p_1}(\epsilon) > 1-\lambda$$

which implies that

$$\{(m,n)\in I_r\times I_s: v_{a(y_{mn}-p_1)}(\epsilon)\leq 1-\lambda\}\subseteq A(\lambda,\epsilon),\$$

i.e.,

$$\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}\{(m,n)\in I_r\times I_s: \upsilon_{a(y_{mn}-p_1)}(\epsilon)\leq 1-\lambda\}\leq \delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A(\lambda,\epsilon))=0.$$

Let a = 0. For every  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$ 

$$v_{0.y_{mn}-0.p_1}(\epsilon) = v_0(\epsilon) = 1 > 1 - \lambda.$$

This shows that  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim(ay_{mn}) = ap_1$ .

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  be a PN space. If  $y = (y_{mn})$  is v-convergent to p then it is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -convergent to p. But not conversely.

*Proof.* Suppose that  $v - \lim y = p$ . Then for every  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$ ,  $\exists$  a pair (M, N) such that  $\forall m \ge M$  and  $n \ge N$ , we have

$$v_{y_{mn}-p}(\epsilon) > 1 - \lambda.$$

So the set  $\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-p}(\epsilon) \leq 1-\lambda\}$  has  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -density zero and hence

$$\frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-p}(\epsilon) \le 1-\lambda\}| = 0,$$
  
$$\lim y = p.$$

*i.e.*,  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y = p$ .

Next to show that the converse of above result does not hold in general which can be illustrated by the following Example.

**Example 1.** Let us consider the space of real numbers (R,|.|) under usual norm. Let  $v_y(\epsilon) = 1 - e^{\left(\frac{-\epsilon}{|y|}\right)}$ . Define the sequence  $y = (y_{mn})$  by

$$y_{mn} = \begin{cases} mn & : m_r - [(h_r)^{(\frac{2}{3})}] + 1 \le m \le m_r, n_s - [(h_s)^{(\frac{2}{3})}] + 1 \le n \le n_s; \\ 0 & : otherwise. \end{cases}$$

For  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$ , Consider

$$A(\lambda, \epsilon) = \{ (m, n) \in I_r \times I_s : \upsilon_{y_{mn}}(\epsilon) \le 1 - \lambda \}$$
  
=  $\{ (m, n) \in I_r \times I_s : 1 - e^{\frac{-\epsilon}{|y_{mn}|}} \le 1 - \lambda \},$   
=  $\{ (m, n) \in I_r \times I_s : e^{\frac{-\epsilon}{|y_{mn}|}} \ge \lambda \},$ 

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$$= \{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : \frac{1}{e^{\frac{-\epsilon}{|y_{mn}|}}} \leq \frac{1}{\lambda}\},\$$

$$= \{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : e^{\frac{\epsilon}{|y_{mn}|}} \leq \frac{1}{\lambda}\},\$$

$$= \{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : \frac{\epsilon}{|y_{mn}|} \leq \log(\frac{1}{\lambda})\},\$$

$$= \{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : |y_{mn}| \geq \frac{\epsilon}{\log(\frac{1}{\lambda})} > 0\},\$$

$$= \{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : y_{mn} = mn\},\$$

$$= \{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : m_r - [(h_r)^{(\frac{2}{3})}] + 1 \leq m \leq m_r,\$$

$$n_s - [(h_s)^{(\frac{2}{3})}] + 1 \leq n \leq n_s\}.$$

So,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |A(\lambda, \epsilon)| &\leq \frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |\{(m, n) \in I_r \times I_s : m_r - [(h_r)^{(\frac{2}{3})}] + 1 \leq m \leq m_r, \\ n_s - [(h_s)^{(\frac{2}{3})}] + 1 \leq n \leq n_s\}| \\ \frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |A(\lambda, \epsilon)| &\leq \frac{(h_r)^{\frac{2}{3}} (h_s)^{\frac{2}{3}}}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}}, \end{aligned}$$

Thus for  $\bar{\alpha} > \frac{2}{3}$ ,  $\lim_{r,s} \frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |A(\lambda, \epsilon)| = 0$  i.e.,  $y = (y_{mn})$  is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -convergent, but not v-convergent since

$$\upsilon_{y_{mn}}(\epsilon) = \begin{cases} 1 - e^{\frac{-\epsilon}{|y_{mn}|}} & : m_r - [(h_r)^{(\frac{2}{3})}] + 1 \le m \le m_r, n_s - [(h_s)^{(\frac{2}{3})}] + 1 \le n \le n_s; \\ 1 & : otherwise. \end{cases} \le 1$$

**Theorem 2.4.** Let  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  be a PN space and  $0 < \bar{\alpha} \leq \bar{\beta} \leq 1$ . Then  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} \subset S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\beta}}$ . *Proof.* Suppose  $y = (y_{mn})$  is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -convergent in PN space. Then for given  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$  and  $0 < \bar{\alpha} \leq \bar{\beta} \leq 1$  we have

$$\frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1}h_s^{\alpha_2}}|\{(m,n)\in I_r\times I_s: \upsilon_{y_{mn}-p}(\epsilon)\leq 1-\lambda\}|\leq \frac{1}{h_r^{\beta_1}h_s^{\beta_2}}|\{(m,n)\in I_r\times I_s: \upsilon_{y_{mn}-p}(\epsilon)\leq 1-\lambda\}|.$$

This gives that  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} \subseteq S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\beta}}$ .

**Theorem 2.5.** Let  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  be a PN space. If  $y = (y_{mn})$  is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -convergent in PN space Y then  $\exists$  a set  $A = \{(m_i, n_i) : m_1 < m_2 < \cdots ; n_1 < n_2 < \cdots \}$  such that  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A) = 1$  with  $v - \lim_i y_{m_i n_i} = p$ .

*Proof.* Suppose that  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y = p$ . Then for given  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $k \in N$  Define,

$$A(k,\epsilon) = \{ (m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-p}(\epsilon) > 1 - \frac{1}{k} \}.$$

As  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y = p$ , therefore  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A^c(k, \epsilon)) = 0$ . So  $\forall k \in N$ , we have

$$A(k+1,\epsilon) \subset A(k,\epsilon)$$
.

Let  $\{H_{ij}\}_{i,j\in N}$  is the increasing double sequence of non-negative numbers that is  $\lim_{i,j} H_{ij} = \infty$ .

Choose  $(v_1, v_2) \in A(1, \epsilon)$  and choose another pair say  $(v_3, v_4) \in A(2, \epsilon)$  such that  $(v_3, v_4) > (v_1, v_2)$  we have  $\frac{A(2, \epsilon)}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} > H_{22}$ . Similarly we get  $\frac{A(3, \epsilon)}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} > H_{33}$ . Proceeding the same way then we get a double sequence of positive integer  $(v_1, v_2) < (v_3, v_4) \cdots < (v_k, v_l) \cdots$  such that

$$\frac{A(k,\epsilon)}{h_r^{\alpha_1}h_s^{\alpha_2}} > H_{kk} \,.$$

Now let  $A \subseteq I_r \times I_s$  such that every number of the interval  $(h_{r-1}, h_r] \times (h_{s-1}, h_s]$ belongs to A. Further any number of the interval  $(h_{r-1}, h_r] \times (h_{s-1}, h_s]$  belongs to A iff it belongs to  $A(k, \epsilon)$ . So,

$$\frac{A}{h_r^{\alpha_1}h_s^{\alpha_2}} \ge \frac{A(k,\epsilon)}{h_r^{\alpha_1}h_s^{\alpha_2}} > H_{kk}$$

which implies that

$$\delta^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}}(A) = 1.$$

Let  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$  and take  $k \in N$  such that  $\frac{1}{k} < \lambda$ . Then  $\exists$  a natural number  $r \geq k$  such that for all  $(m, n) \geq (v_k, v_l)$ 

$$v_{y_{mn}-p}(\epsilon) > 1 - \frac{1}{r} > 1 - \frac{1}{k} > 1 - \lambda$$
.

So  $y = (y_{mn})$  is  $v - \lim_{i \to w} y_{m_i n_i} = p$ .

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3.  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$  – Cauchy in probabilistic normed spaces

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  be a PN space. Then  $y = (y_{mn})$  is termed as  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -Cauchy in probabilistic normed space Y, if  $\forall \epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1) \exists$  a pair  $(\dot{M}, \dot{N})$  such that  $\forall m, m_1 \ge \dot{M}$  and  $n, n_1 \ge \dot{N}$  we have

$$\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}|\{(m,n)\in I_r\times I_s: \upsilon_{y_{mn}-y_{m_1n_1}}(\epsilon)\leq 1-\lambda\}|=0$$

i.e.,

$$\frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn} - y_{m_1 n_1}}(\epsilon) \le 1 - \lambda\}| = 0.$$

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  be a PN space. If  $y = (y_{mn})$  is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -convergent then it is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -Cauchy in PN space Y.

*Proof.* Suppose that  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}} - \lim y = p$ . For any  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$ . Take  $\lambda_1 > 0$ 

$$(1-\lambda) \circledast (1-\lambda) > (1-\lambda_1).$$

Define,

$$A(\lambda, \epsilon) = \{ (m, n) \in I_r \times I_s : \upsilon_{y_{mn}-p}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1 - \lambda \}$$

which implies that

$$A^{c}(\lambda,\epsilon) = \{(m,n) \in I_{r} \times I_{s} : \upsilon_{y_{mn}-p}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) > 1-\lambda\}.$$

As  $S^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}} - \lim y = p$ , therefore  $\delta^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}}(A(\lambda, \epsilon)) = 0$  and  $\delta^{\bar{\alpha}}_{\theta_{rs}}(A^c(\lambda, \epsilon)) = 1$ . *i.e.*,

$$\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A(\lambda,\epsilon)) = \frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : \upsilon_{y_{mn}-p}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1-\lambda\}| = 0$$

and

$$\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A^c(\lambda,\epsilon)) = \frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-p}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) > 1-\lambda\}| = 1.$$

Let  $(m_1, n_1) \in A^c(\lambda, \epsilon)$ . Then  $v_{y_{m_1n_1}-p}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) > 1 - \lambda$ . Define,

$$B(\lambda_1, \epsilon) = \{ (m, n) \in I_r \times I_s : \upsilon_{y_{mn} - y_{m_1 n_1}}(\epsilon) \le 1 - \lambda_1 \}.$$

Now we have to prove that  $B(\lambda_1, \epsilon)$  is a subset of  $A(\lambda, \epsilon)$ . Suppose  $(m, n) \in B(\lambda_1, \epsilon)$  Then,  $v_{y_{mn}-y_{m_1n_1}}(\epsilon) \leq 1 - \lambda_1$ . Let if possible

$$\upsilon_{y_{mn}-p}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) > 1 - \lambda.$$

Then

$$1 - \lambda_1 \ge v_{y_{mn} - y_{m_1 n_1}}(\epsilon) \ge v_{y_{mn} - p}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \circledast v_{y_{m_1 n_1} - p}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) > (1 - \lambda) \circledast (1 - \lambda) > (1 - \lambda_1),$$

which is not possible. So

$$v_{y_{mn}-p}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1 - \lambda,$$

which implies that  $(m, n) \in A(\lambda, \epsilon)$ . Hence  $B(\lambda_1, \epsilon) \subseteq A(\lambda, \epsilon)$ . So,  $y = (y_{mn})$  is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -Cauchy.

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $(Y, v, \circledast)$  is a PN space. If  $y = (y_{mn})$  is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$  -Cauchy in PN space Y then for any  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1) \exists a$  set  $A(\lambda, \epsilon) \subset I_r \times I_s$  with  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A(\lambda, \epsilon)) = 0$  such that  $v_{y_{mn}-y_{m_1n_1}} > 1 - \lambda$  for any  $(m, n), (m_1, n_1) \notin A(\lambda, \epsilon)$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\lambda > 0$  and take  $\lambda_1 \in (0, 1)$  such that

$$(1-\lambda_1) \circledast (1-\lambda_1) > 1-\lambda.$$

Since the double sequence  $y = (y_{mn})$  is  $S_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}$ -Cauchy. So  $\exists$  a non-negative integer  $\hat{M}$  and  $\hat{N}$  such that

$$\frac{1}{h_r^{\alpha_1} h_s^{\alpha_2}} |\{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn} - y_{\hat{M}\hat{N}}}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1 - \lambda_1\}| = 0.$$

Define,

$$A(\lambda,\epsilon) = \{(m,n) \in I_r \times I_s : v_{y_{mn}-y_{\dot{M}\dot{N}}}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \le 1 - \lambda_1\},\$$

which implies that  $\delta_{\theta_{rs}}^{\bar{\alpha}}(A(\lambda,\epsilon)) = 0$ . If (m,n) and  $(m_1,n_1) \notin A(\lambda,\epsilon)$  then,  $v_{y_{mn}-y_{\hat{M}\hat{N}}}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) > 1 - \lambda_1$  and  $v_{y_{m_1n_1}-y_{\hat{M}\hat{N}}}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) > 1 - \lambda_1$ . So, we have  $v_{y_{mn}-y_{m_1n_1}}(\epsilon) \ge v_{y_{mn}-y_{\hat{M}\hat{N}}}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \circledast v_{y_{m_1n_1}-y_{\hat{M}\hat{N}}}(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) > (1-\lambda_1) \circledast (1-\lambda_1) > 1 - \lambda$ .

which implies that for any  $(m, n), (m_1, n_1) \notin A(\lambda, \epsilon)$ ,

$$v_{y_{mn}-y_{m_1n_1}}(\epsilon) > 1 - \lambda.$$

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