# On $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$ –Regular Four-Dimensional Matrices for $[\lambda,\mu]$ -Almost Convergence of Double Sequences

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## Abstract:

**Background:** A double sequence  $A = (a_{ijkl})$  is said to belong to the class (X, Y), where X and Y are two sequence spaces, if any sequence  $x = \{x_{mn}\}$  in X is transformed to a sequence  $y = \{y_{mn}\}$  in Y by the matrix transformation  $y_{mn} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} a_{mnjk} x_{jk}$  such that the sequence  $\{y_{mn}\}$  exists and converges in the Pringsheim sense. A t sequence  $x = \{x_{mn}\}$  of real is said to be  $[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost convergent (briefly,  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda, \mu]}$  - convergent) to some number l if  $x \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda, \mu]}$ , where

$$\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} = \{ x = \{x_{mn}\} : p - \lim_{ij \to \infty} \Omega_{i,j,s,t} (x) = L \text{ exists, uniformly in } s, t; L = \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \lim_{i \to \infty} \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \lim$$

**Materials and methods**: For double sequences the Cauchy's criterion of convergence has been modified by Pringsheim. Similarly, the necessary and sufficient conditions for the regularity of an infinite four dimensional matrix is a given by Robison. These concepts has been utilized to generalize the concept of  $[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost convergence double sequences through de la Vallèe-Poussin mean and characterized some four-dimensional infinites matrices. We collect the relevant publications in this field and apply the same technique as applied in these papers to generalize the known results.

**Results:** In this paper we characterizeinfinite four-dimensional matrices which transform the sequence belonging to the space of bounded double sequence into the space of generalized almost convergence double sequence (i.e.  $A = (a_{pqjk}) \in (C_{bp}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})$ ). We introduced the concept of  $[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost Cauchy double sequences. It has also been proved that the space generalized almost convergence double sequence is regular (i.e.  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - regular$ ).

**Conclusion**: The condition  $\sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} \right| < \infty$  has been found to be necessary and sufficient for a four-dimensional matrix  $A = (a_{pqjk}) \in (C_{bp}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})$  to  $be[\lambda,\mu]$ -almost convergent. Again the necessary and sufficient conditions have been established for amatrix  $A = (a_{pqjk})$  to  $be\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - regular$ .

**Keywords:**  $[\lambda, \mu]$ - almost convergence,  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  – regular matrix,  $[\lambda, \mu]$ -Cauchy double sequences,

 $[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost coercive matrix.

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### I. Introduction

The definition of almost convergence of the sequences of real numbers  $x = \{x_n\}$  was given by Lorentz  $(1948)^1$  as follows:

A sequence  $x = \{x_n\}$  is said to be almost convergent to l if for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $N \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that  $\left|\frac{1}{n}\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} x_{n+i} - l\right| < \varepsilon$  for all i > N. We write f - limit x = l.

Moricz and Rhoades  $(1988)^2$  extended the concept of almost convergence of a sequence  $x = \{x_n\}$  to double sequences of real numbers  $x = \{x_{mn}\}$ . The sequence  $x = \{x_{mn}\}$  almost converges to l, if for all  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $N \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that

 $\left|\frac{1}{pq}\sum_{i=0}^{p-1}\sum_{j=0}^{q-1}x_{m+i,n+j}-l\right| < \varepsilon, \text{ for all } p, q > N \text{ and for all } (m, n) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}.$ (1.1)

Moricz and Rhoades also characterized some matrix classes involving this concept.

As in the case of single sequences, every almost convergent double sequence is bounded. But a convergent double sequence need not be bounded. Thus, a convergent double sequence need not be almost convergent. However, every bounded convergent double sequence is almost convergent.

The idea of almost convergence is narrowly connected with the Banach limits; that is, a sequence  $x_n \in \ell_{\infty}$  is almost convergent to *l* if all of its Banach limits are equal. As an application of almost convergence,

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Mohiuddine (2011)<sup>3</sup> obtained some approximation theorems for sequence of positive linear operator through this notion.

Let  $\{A = a_{pamn}, p, q = 0, 1, 2, ...\}$  be a doubly infinite matrix of real numbers for all m, n = 0, 1, 2, ... The sums

 $y_{pq} = (Ax)_{pq} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_{pqmn} x_{mn}$ (1.2) called the A-mean of the sequence  $x = \{x_{jk}\}$ , yield a method of summability. More exactly, we say that a sequence  $x = \{x_{ik}\}$  is A-summable to the limit l if the A-mean exists for all j, k = 0, 1, 2, ... in the sense of Pringsheim

$$\lim_{m,n\to\infty}\sum_{j=0}^{m}\sum_{k=0}^{n}a_{pqjk}\ x_{jk}=y_{pq}\ and\ \lim_{pq\to\infty}y_{pq}=l.$$
(1.3)

We say that a matrix A is bounded regular if every bounded and convergent sequence  $x = \{x_{ik}\}$  is A-summable to the same limit and the A-means are bounded.(Başarir M. 1995)<sup>4</sup>

Let  $\lambda = (\lambda_m: m = 0, 1, 2, ...) and \mu = (\mu_n: n = 0, 1, 2, ...)$  be two nondecreasing sequences of positive real numbers with each tending to  $\infty$  such that  $\lambda_{m+1} \leq \lambda_m + 1$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 0$ ,  $\mu_{n+1} \leq \mu_n + 1$ ,  $\mu_1 = 0$  and

$$\mathfrak{F}_{mn}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j \in J_m} \sum_{k \in I_n} x_{jk} \tag{1.4}$$

is called the double dela Vallée – Poussin mean, where  $J_m = [m - \lambda_m + 1, m]$  and  $I_n = [n - \mu_n + 1, n]$ . We denote the set of all  $\lambda and\mu$  type sequence by using the symbol  $[\lambda, \mu]$ .

Quite recently, Mohiuddine and Alotaibi (2014)<sup>5</sup> presented a generalization of the notion of almost convergent double sequences with the help of de la Vallèe-Poussin mean and called it  $[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost convergent. They obtained some useful results using this concept.

#### **II.** Material and Methods

We recall some concepts and results on the almost convergent double sequences through the notion of de la Vallèe-Poussin mean and infinite four-dimensional matrices. These results will be used in this paper.

**Theorem 2.1** (Robison, 1999)<sup>6</sup>: Necessary and sufficient conditions for the matrix  $A = (a_{pamn})$  to be regular are:

 $\lim_{p,q\to\infty} a_{p,q,m,n} = 0$ , for each m and n i.

ii. 
$$\lim_{p,q\to\infty} \sum_{m=1}^p \sum_{n=1}^q a_{pqmn} = 1$$

 $\lim_{p,q\to\infty} \sum_{m=1}^{p} |a_{pqmn}| = 0, \text{ for each n,}$ iii.

 $\lim_{p,q\to\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{q} |a_{pqmn}| = 0$ , for each m, iv.

 $\sum_{m=1}^{p} \sum_{n=1}^{q} |a_{pqmn}| \le D < \infty$ , where, D is some constant. v.

**Definition 2.2** (Mohiuddine and Alotaibi, 2014)<sup>5</sup>: A double sequence  $x = \{x_{mn}\}$  of real is said to be  $[\lambda, \mu]$ almost convergent (briefly,  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  – *convergent*) to some number l if  $x \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$ , where

 $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} = \{ x = \{x_{mn}\}: p - \lim_{i,j \to \infty} \Omega_{i,j,s,t} (x) = L \text{ exists, uniformly in } s, t; L = \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \lim_{i \to \infty} X \},$ Where

$$\Omega_{i,j,s,t}(x) = \frac{1}{\lambda_i \mu_j} \sum_{m \in J_i} \sum_{n \in I_j} x_{m+s,n+t}.$$

Denote by  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$ , the space of all  $[\lambda,\mu]$ -almost convergent sequence  $\{x_{mn}\}$ . Note that  $\mathcal{C}_{BP} \subset \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} \subset \ell_{\infty}$ .

**Definition 2.3** (Mohiuddine and Alotaibi, 2014)<sup>5</sup>: A four-dimensional matrix  $A = (a_{panm})$  is said to be  $[\lambda, \mu]$ almost regular if  $Ax \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  for all  $x = \{x_{mn}\} \in \mathcal{C}_{BP}$ , where  $\mathcal{C}_{BP}$  denotes the set of all bounded convergent double sequences in the Pringsheim sense, with  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - limitAx = \lim \mathbb{R}$ , and one denotes this by  $A \in$  $(\mathcal{C}_{BP}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})$ reg.

**Definition 2.4** (Mohiuddine and Alotaibi, 2014)<sup>7</sup>: A matrix  $A = (a_{pqmn})$  is said to be of class  $(\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})$  if it maps every  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$ -convergent double sequence into  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$ -convergent double sequence; that is,  $Ax \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  for  $\operatorname{all} x = \{x_{mn}\} \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$ . In addition,  $\operatorname{if} \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \operatorname{limit} A x = \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \operatorname{limit} x$ , then A is  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  -regular and, in symbol, one will write  $A \in (\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})reg$ .

**Definition 2.5** (Ĉunjalo, 2008)<sup>8</sup>: The sequence  $x = \{x_{mn}\}$  is almost Cauchy, if for all  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$\left|\frac{1}{p_1q_1}\sum_{i=0}^{p_1-1}\sum_{j=0}^{q_1-1}x_{m_1+i,n_1+j}-\frac{1}{p_2q_2}\sum_{i=0}^{p_2-1}\sum_{j=0}^{q_2-1}x_{m_2+i,n_2+j}\right|<\varepsilon$$

for all  $p_1, p_2, q_1, q_2 > k$  and for all  $(m_1, n_1), (m_2, n_2) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ 

It is known that a double sequence  $x = \{x_{mn}\}$  of real number is Cauchy sequence if and only if it convergent The equivalent of almost convergence is almost Cauchy condition.

**Definition 2.6(Mohiuddine and Alotaibi, 2014**)<sup>5</sup>: A matrix  $A = (a_{pqjk})$  is said to be  $[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost coercive if it maps every  $C_{BP}$ -convergent double sequence  $x = \{x_{jk}\}$  into  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$ -convergent double sequence, that is,  $Ax \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  for all  $x = \{x_{jk}\} \in C_{bp}$ . We denote this by  $A = (a_{pqjk}) \in (C_{bp}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})$ .

Lemma 2.1 (Ĉunjalo, 2008)<sup>8</sup>: The sequence  $x = \{x_{mn}\}$  is almost convergent if and if it is almost Cauchy.

**Theorem 2.2(Mohiuddine and Alotaibi, 2014**)<sup>7</sup>: A matrix  $A = (a_{pqmn}) \in (\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})$  if and only if

- $||A|| = \sup_{pq} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |a_{pqmn}| < \infty$ i.
- $a = (\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_{pqmn})_{p,q=1}^{\infty} \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]},$ ii.
- $A(S-1) \in (\mathcal{L}_{\infty}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})$ , where S is the shift operator. iii.

### **III. Results**

We establish the following results:

**Theorem3.1:** A four-dimensional matrix  $A = (a_{pqjk}) \in (C_{BP}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})$  is  $[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost coercive if and only if

$$\sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t} x_{jk} \right| < \infty$$

### **Proof:**Sufficiency.

Suppose that  $A = (a_{pqjk}) \in (C_{bp}, \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]})$ . Then there exist  $x = \{x_{jk}\} \in C_{bp}$ , such that  $Ax \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$ . Here  $A_{pq} \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  for each  $p, q \in \mathbb{N}$ . Therefore,

$$\|Ax\|_{\infty} = sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_{m}\mu_{n}} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{p \in J_{m}} \sum_{q \in I_{n}} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} x_{jk} \right| < \infty$$

$$\leq sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \left| \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{\lambda_{m}\mu_{n}} \sum_{p \in J_{m}} \sum_{q \in I_{n}} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} \right) x_{jk} \right| < \infty$$

$$\leq sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_{m}\mu_{n}} \sum_{p \in J_{m}} \sum_{q \in I_{n}} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} \right| \left| x_{jk} \right| < \infty$$

Thus, the above condition is sufficient. Necessity:

Suppose that the condition hold, for all  $x = \{x_{ik}\} \in C_{bp}$ . Then we have

$$\left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} x_{jk} \right| \le \left| \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} \right) x_{jk} \right|$$
$$\le \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} \right| |x_{jk}|$$
fter taking supremum over m,n,s,t,j,k, that

We obtain, after taking sup

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} x_{jk} \right| &\leq \sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \left| \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} x_{jk} \right) \right| \\ &\leq \sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} \right| |x_{jk}| \\ &\leq \sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} \right| M \\ &\leq \infty \end{aligned}$$

Then it is derived from the last inequality that  $Ax \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$ . This completes the proof **Definition 3.1**: A double sequence  $x = \{x_{jk}\} \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  is said to be  $[\lambda,\mu]$ -almost Cauchy, if for all  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exist  $h \in \mathbb{N}$  such that:

$$\left|\Omega_{m_1n_1st}(x) - \Omega_{m_2n_2st}(x)\right| < \varepsilon, \forall m_1, m_2, n_1, n_2 > h$$

 $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} = \left\{ x = \{x_{mn}\}: p - \lim_{i \neq \infty} \Omega_{i,j,s,t} (x) = L \text{ exists, uniformly in } s, t; L = \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \lim_{i \neq \infty} \mathcal{R}_{j,s,t} (x) \right\}$ 

Where,

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$$\Omega_{i,j,s,t}(x) = \frac{1}{\lambda_i \mu_j} \sum_{m \in J_i} \sum_{n \in I_j} x_{m+s,n+t}$$

**Theorem 3.2:** A double sequence  $x = \{x_{jk}\} \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  is  $[\lambda,\mu]$ -almost convergent, if and only if it is  $[\lambda,\mu]$ -almost Cauchy.

#### **Proof:**

Suppose a sequence  $x = \{x_{jk}\} \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  is  $[\lambda,\mu]$ -almost convergent. Then,  $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists h \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that:

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j+s,k+t} - \ell \left| < \varepsilon/2 \right|$$

For all m, n > h and  $\forall (j, k) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ Therefore,

$$\left| \frac{1}{\lambda_{m_1}\mu_{n_1}} \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} x_{j_1+s,k_1+t} - \frac{1}{\lambda_{m_2}\mu_{n_2}} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j_2+s,k_2+t} \right|$$

$$\leq \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_{m_1}\mu_{n_1}} \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} x_{j_1+s,k_1+t} - l \right| + \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_{m_2}\mu_{n_2}} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j_2+s,k_2+t} - l \right| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon$$

$$m_m m_m m_m > h_c \text{ and } \forall (i,k_1) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$$

For all  $m_1, m_2, n_1, n_2 > h$  and  $\forall (j_1, k_1), (j_2, k_2) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ . Hence, the sequence  $x = \{x_{jk}\}$  is  $[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost Cauchy.

Conversely, suppose that the sequence  $x = \{x_{jk}\} \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  is  $[\lambda,\mu]$ -almost Cauchy. Then  $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists h \in \mathbb{N}, \exists h$ 

$$\left| \frac{1}{\lambda_{m_1} \mu_{n_1}} \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} x_{j_1+s,k_1+t} - \frac{1}{\lambda_{m_2} \mu_{n_2}} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j_2+s,k_2+t} \right| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

For all  $m_1, m_2, n_1, n_2 > h$  and  $\forall (j_1, k_1), (j_2, k_2) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ . Taking  $j_1 = j_2 = j_0$  and  $k_1 = k_2 = k_0$  in relation (1), we obtain that  $\left(\frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j_0+s,k_0+t}\right)_{m,n=1}^{\infty}$  is a Cauchy sequence and, therefore convergent. Let  $\lim_{m,n\to\infty} \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j_0+s,k_0+t} = \ell$ . Then,  $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists h_1 \in \mathbb{N}, \exists t \in \mathbb{N}$ .

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j_0+s,k_0+t} - \ell \left| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}, \qquad \forall m, n > h_1 \right|$$

It follows that:

$$\left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j+s,k+t} - \ell \right| \leq \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j+s,k+t} - \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j_0+s,k_0+t} \right| + \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_{j_0+s,k_0+t} - \ell \right| \\ < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon$$

For  $\forall m, n > \max(h, h_1)$  and  $\forall (j, k) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ . It follows that, the sequence  $x = \{x_{jk}\}[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost converges to  $\ell$  and hence  $[\lambda, \mu]$ -almost convergent.

This completes the proof of the Theorem.

**Theorem 3.3:** A matrix  $A = (a_{pqjk})$  is  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - regular$  if and only if

1. 
$$||A||_{\infty} = \sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} \right| < \infty$$

- 2.  $\lim_{m,n\to\infty} \alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t) = 0$
- 3.  $\lim_{m,n\to\infty}\sum_{j=0}^{\infty}\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)=1$
- 4.  $\lim_{m,n\to\infty}\sum_{j=0}^{\infty}|\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)|=0, (k\in\mathbb{N}$
- 5.  $\lim_{m,n\to\infty}\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}|\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)|=0, (j\in\mathbb{N}$
- 6.  $\lim_{m,n\to\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)| \text{ exists}$

Where the limits are uniform in s, t and  $\alpha(m, n, j, k, s, t) = \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k}$ 

#### Proof: Sufficiency:

Suppose that the conditions (1-6) hold. Define a sequence  $x = \{x_{j,k}\} \in C_{bp}$  with  $p - \lim_{j,k} x_{jk} = \ell$  (say). Then, by the definition of p-limit, for any given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exist a  $\mathbb{N} > 0$ , such that  $|x_{jk}| < |\ell| + \varepsilon$  whenever j, k > N.

Now, we can write  $\sum_{\infty \infty}^{\infty} \infty$ 

$$\sum_{j=0}^{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N} \alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t) x_{jk}$$
  
=  $\sum_{j=0}^{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N} \alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t) x_{jk} + \sum_{j=N}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t) x_{jk}$   
+  $\sum_{j=0}^{N} \sum_{k=N}^{\infty} \alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t) x_{jk} + \sum_{j=N+1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=N+1}^{\infty} \alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t) x_{jk}$ 

Hence,

$$\begin{split} \left| \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t) x_{jk} \right| \\ &\leq \|x\| \sum_{j=0}^{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N} |\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)| \\ &+ \|x\| \sum_{j=N}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} |\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)| + \|x\| \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sum_{k=N}^{\infty} |\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)| + (|\ell| \\ &+ \varepsilon) \left| \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t) \right| \end{split}$$

Therefore, by letting  $m, n \rightarrow \infty$  and considering the conditions (1-6), we have

$$\lim_{m,n\to\infty}\sum_{j=0}^{\infty}\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)x_{jk}\bigg|\leq |\ell|+\varepsilon$$

i.e.,  $|\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \lim Ax| \le |\ell| + \varepsilon$ . Since  $\varepsilon$  is an arbitrary, this implies the  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - regularity$  of  $A = (a_{pqjk})$ . Necessity:

Suppose that A is  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - regular$ . Then, by the definition, the A-transform of x exist and  $Ax \in \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]}$  for each  $x \in C_{BP}$ . Therefore, Ax is also bounded. So, there exists a positive number M such that

$$\sup_{m,n,s,t,j,k} \left| \frac{1}{\lambda_m \mu_n} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{p \in J_m} \sum_{q \in I_n} a_{p+s,q+t,j,k} x_{jk} \right| < M < \infty$$

for each,  $x \in C_{BP}$ . Now let us choose a sequence  $y = \{y_{jk}\}$  with  $y_{in} = \{sgn \ a_{pqjk}, \ 0 \le j \le r, 0 \le k \le r\}$ 

$$y_{jk} = \begin{cases} syn \ a_{pqjk}, \ 0 \le j \le l, 0 \le k \le l \\ 0, \qquad otherwise \end{cases} (p, q = 1, 2, 3 \dots)$$

Then, the necessity of condition (1) follows by considering the sequence  $y = \{y_{jk}\}$ . For the necessity of (6), define a sequence  $u = \{u_{jk}\}$  by  $y = \{y_{jk}\}$ , with  $\alpha(m, n, j, k, s, t)$  in place of  $a_{pqjk}$ . Then, P - limAu, implies (6).

Let us define the sequence  $e^{il}$  as follows

$$e_{jk}^{il} = \begin{cases} 1, & if (j,k) = (i,l) \\ 0, & otherwise; \end{cases}$$

and denote the point wise sum by  $s^{l} = \sum_{i} e^{il}$  and  $r^{i} = \sum_{l} e^{il}$  ( $i \in \mathbb{N}$ ). Then, the necessity of condition (2) follows from  $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \lim Ae^{il}$ .

Also, 
$$\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \lim Ar^j = \lim_{m,n\to\infty} \sum_j |\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)| = 0$$
,  $(k \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and},$   
 $\mathcal{F}_{[\lambda,\mu]} - \lim As^k = \lim_{m,n\to\infty} \sum_j |\alpha(m,n,j,k,s,t)| = 0$ ,  $(j \in \mathbb{N})$ 

To verify the conditions (4) and (5), we need to prove that these limits are uniform in s,t. So, let us suppose that (5) does not hold, i.e., for any  $j_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$\lim_{m,n} \sup_{s,t} \sum_{k} |\alpha(m,n,j_0,k,s,t)| \neq 0$$

Then, there exists an  $\varepsilon > 0$  and index sequences  $(m_i)$ ,  $(n_i)$  such that

$$sup_{s,t}\sum_{k} |\alpha(m,n,j_0,k,s,t)| \ge \varepsilon \quad (i \in \mathbb{N})$$

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Since,

$$\sum_{k} |\alpha(m,n,j_0,k,s,t)| \le \sup_{p,q} \sum_{j,k} |a_{pqjk}| < \infty$$

And (2) holds, we may find an index sequence  $(k_i)$  such that

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n_i} |\alpha(m_i, n_i, j_0, k, s_i, t_i)| \le \frac{\varepsilon}{8}, \qquad (i \in \mathbb{N})$$

And

$$\sum_{k_{i+1}+1}^{\infty_i} |\alpha(m_i, n_i, j_0, k, s_i, t_i)| \le \frac{3\varepsilon}{4}, \qquad (i \in \mathbb{N})$$

Now, define a sequence  $x = \{x_{jk}\}$  by

$$\kappa_{jk} = \begin{cases} (-1)^{i} \alpha(m_i, n_i, j_0, k, s_i, t_i), & \text{if } k_i + 1 \le k \le k_{i+1} (i \in \mathbb{N}); j = j_0 \\ 0, & \text{if } j \ne j_0 \end{cases}$$

Then, clearly  $x \in C_{BP}$  with  $||x||_{\infty} \le 1$ . But, for even *i*, we have  $s_i+m_i-1$   $t_i+n_i-1$ 

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_{m_{i}}\mu_{n_{i}}} \sum_{m=s_{i}} \sum_{n=t_{i}} (Ax)_{pq} = \sum_{k} \alpha(m_{i}, n_{i}, j_{0}, k, s_{i}, t_{i})x_{jk}$$

$$\geq \sum_{k=k_{i+1}+1}^{k_{i}+1} \alpha(m_{i}, n_{i}, j_{0}, k, s_{i}, t_{i})x_{jk} - \sum_{k=1}^{k_{i}} |\alpha(m_{i}, n_{i}, j_{0}, k, s_{i}, t_{i})|$$

$$- \sum_{k=k_{i+1}+1}^{\infty} |\alpha(m_{i}, n_{i}, j_{0}, k, s_{i}, t_{i})| \geq \sum_{k=k_{i}+1}^{k_{i}+1} |\alpha(m_{i}, n_{i}, j_{0}, k, s_{i}, t_{i})| - \frac{\varepsilon}{8} - \frac{\varepsilon}{8} \geq \frac{3\varepsilon}{4} - \frac{\varepsilon}{4} = \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

Analogously, for odd *i*, one can show that

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_{m_i}\mu_{n_i}} \sum_{m=s_i}^{s_i+m_i-1} \sum_{\substack{n=t_i}}^{t_i+n_i-1} (Ax)_{pq} \le -\frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$
$$\left(\frac{1}{\lambda\mu} \sum_{m=s_i}^{s_i+m_i-1} \sum_{\substack{n=t_i}}^{t_i+n_i-1} (Ax)_{pq}\right)$$

Hence, the sequence

doesn't converge uniformly in  $s, t \in \mathbb{N}$  as  $m, n \to \infty$ . This means that  $Ax \notin \mathcal{F}_{[\lambda\mu]}$ , which is a contradiction. So, (5) holds. In the same way, we get the necessity of (4). On the other hand, for the necessity of the condition (3) it is enough to take the sequence  $e_{jk} = 1$  for each j, k. This completes the proof of the theorem.

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