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## ON SOME GENERALIZED DIFFERENCE PARANORMED SEQUENCE SPACES ASSOCIATED WITH MULTIPLIER SEQUENCE DEFINED BY MODULUS FUNCTION

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**Abstract.** In this article we introduce the paranormed sequence spaces  $(f, \Lambda, \Delta_m, p)$ ,  $c_0(f, \Lambda, \Delta_m, p)$  and  $\ell_{\infty}(f, \Lambda, \Delta_m, p)$ , associated with the multiplier sequence  $\Lambda = (\lambda_k)$ , defined by a modulus function f. We study their different properties like solidness, symmetricity, completeness etc. and prove some inclusion results.

**Key words:** paranorm, solid space, symmetric space, difference sequence, modulus function, multiplier seuence

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## **1** Introduction

Throughout the article w, c,  $c_0$ ,  $\ell_{\infty}$  denote the spaces of all, convergent, null and bounded sequences, respectively. The zero sequence is denoted by  $\theta = (0, 0, 0, \cdots)$ . The scope for the studies on sequence spaces was extended on introducing the notion of an associated multiplier sequence. S. Goes and G. Goes in [3] defined the differentiated sequence space dE and the integrated sequence space  $\int E$  for a given sequence space E, by using the multiplier sequence  $(k^{-1})$  and (k), respectively. P.K. Kamthan in [4] used (k!) as the multiplier sequence for studying some sequence spaces. We shall use a general multiplier sequence  $\Lambda = (\lambda_k)$  for our study.

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The notion of difference sequence was introduced by H. Kizmaz in [5] as follows:

$$Z(\Delta) = \{ (x_k) \in w : (\Delta x_k) \in \mathbf{Z} \},\$$

for  $Z = c, c_0$  and  $\ell_{\infty}$ , where  $\Delta x_k = x_k - x_{k+1}$ , for all  $k \in N$ .

It was further generalized in [12] as follows:

$$Z(\Delta_m) = \{(x_k) \in w : (\Delta_m x_k) \in \mathbf{Z}\},\$$

for  $Z = c, c_0$  and  $\ell_{\infty}$ , where  $\Delta_m x_k = x_k - x_{k+m}$ , for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Throughout the article  $p = (p_k)$  is a sequence of strictly positive real numbers. The notion of paranormed sequences was studied by [10] at the initial stage. It was further investigated by [6], [7], [11], [13] and many others.

The notion of modulus function was introduced by Nakano in [8]. It was further investigated with applications to sequence spaces by [1], [9] and many others.

Remark 1.1. It is well known that  $\ell_{\infty}(p) = \ell_{\infty}$ , c(p) = c and  $c_0(p) = c_0$  if and only if  $0 < h = \inf p_k \le H = \sup p_k < \infty$ , (one may refer to [6] and [7]).

## **2** Definitions and Preliminaries

Definition 2.1. A modulus f is a mapping from  $[0,\infty)$  into  $[0,\infty)$  such that

(i) f(x) = 0 if and only if x = 0;

(ii)  $f(x+y) \le f(x) + f(y);$ 

(iii) f is increasing;

(iv) f is continuous from the right at 0.

Hence f is continuous everywhere in  $[0,\infty)$ .

Definition 2.2. A sequence space E is said to be solid (or normal) if  $(\alpha_k x_k) \in E$ , whenever  $(x_k) \in E$  and for all sequences  $(\alpha_k)$  of scalars with  $|\alpha_k| \le 1$ , for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Definition 2.3. A sequence space E is said to be monotone if it contains the canonical preimages of all its step spaces.

*Remark* 2.1. From the above definitions it is clear that " A sequence space E is solid implies that E is monotone".

Definition 2.4. A sequence space *E* is said to be symmetric if  $(x_{\pi(n)}) \in E$ , whenever  $(x_n) \in E$ , where  $\pi$  is a permutation of *N*.

Definition 2.5. A sequence space *E* is said to be convergence free if  $(y_n) \in E$ , whenever  $(x_n) \in E$  and  $x_n = 0$  implies  $y_n = 0$ .