

ON SOME DOUBLE $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ -STATISTICAL CONVERGENCE OF FUZZY NUMBERS

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we introduce the new concepts of double Δ -statistical convergence, strongly double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ -summable sequences and double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ -statistical convergence of sequences of fuzzy numbers. We give some inclusion relations related to these concepts..

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1. INTRODUCTION

Throughout the paper, a double sequence is denoted by $X = (X_{k,l})$ of fuzzy numbers and denote $w^2(F)$ denote all sequences of fuzzy numbers. Nanda [4] studied single sequence of fuzzy numbers and showed that the set of all convergent sequences of fuzzy numbers form a complete metric space. In [2], Savaş studied the concept double convergent sequences of fuzzy numbers. Savaş [1] studied the classes of difference sequences of fuzzy numbers $c(\Delta, F)$ and $l_\infty(\Delta, F)$. Later in [3] Savaş studied the concepts of strongly double $[V, \bar{\lambda}]$ -summable and double $S_{\bar{\lambda}}$ -convergent sequences for double sequences of fuzzy numbers.

In this paper, we continue to study the concepts of strongly double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ -summable and $S_{\bar{\lambda}}^2(\Delta)$ -convergence for double sequences of fuzzy numbers.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Before continuing with the discussion, we pause to establish some notations. Let D denote the set of all closed bounded intervals $A = [\underline{A}, \bar{A}]$ on the real line \mathbb{R} , where \underline{A} and \bar{A} denote the end points of A . For $A, B \in D$, we define

$$A \leq B \text{ iff } \underline{A} \leq \underline{B} \text{ and } \bar{A} \leq \bar{B},$$
$$\rho(A, B) = \max(|\underline{A} - \underline{B}|, |\bar{A} - \bar{B}|).$$

It is not hard to see that ρ defines a metric on D and $\rho(A, B)$ is called the distance between the intervals A and B . Also, it is easy to see that \leq defined above is a partial relation in D .

A fuzzy number is a fuzzy subset of real line \mathbb{R} which is bounded, convex and normal. Let $L(\mathbb{R})$ denote the set of all fuzzy numbers which are upper semi-continuous and have compact support. In other words if $X \in L(\mathbb{R})$ then for any $\alpha \in [0, 1]$, X^α is compact set in \mathbb{R} , where

$$X^\alpha = \begin{cases} t : X(t) \geq \alpha & \text{if } \alpha \in (0, 1] \\ t : X(t) > 0 & \text{if } \alpha = 0. \end{cases}$$

Define a map $d : L(\mathbb{R}) \times L(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by the rule $d(X, Y) = \sup_{\alpha \in [0, 1]} \rho(X^\alpha, Y^\alpha)$. It is straightforward to see that d is a metric in $L(\mathbb{R})$. For $X, Y \in L(\mathbb{R})$, define

$$X \leq Y \text{ iff } X^\alpha \leq Y^\alpha \text{ for any } \alpha \in [0, 1].$$

A metric d on $L(\mathbb{R})$ is said to be translation invariant metric if

$$d(X + Z, Y + Z) = d(X, Y) \text{ for } X, Y, Z \in L(\mathbb{R}).$$

Now we give some new definitions.

Definition 2.1. A double sequence $X = (X_{k,l})$ of fuzzy numbers is said to be double Δ – convergent in the Pringsheim’s sense or P_Δ – convergent to a fuzzy number X_o if for every $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists $N \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) < \varepsilon \text{ for } k, l > N$$

where $\Delta X_{k,l} = X_{k,l+1} - X_{k,l} - X_{k+1,l} + X_{k+1,l+1}$ and we denote $P - \lim \Delta X = X_o$. The number X_o is called the Pringsheim limit of ΔX . More exactly, we say that a double sequence $(\Delta X_{k,l})$ converges to a finite fuzzy number X_o if ΔX tend to X_o as both k and l tends to infinity independently of one another. Let $c^2(\Delta, F)$ denote the set of all double convergent sequences of fuzzy numbers.

Definition 2.2. A double sequence $X = (X_{k,l})$ of fuzzy numbers is said to be double Δ – bounded if there exists a positive number K such that if the set

$$\{\Delta X_{k,l} : k, l \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

We denote the set of all double Δ –bounded sequences of fuzzy numbers by $l_\infty^2(\Delta, F)$.

Definition 2.3. A double sequence $X = (X_{k,l})$ of fuzzy numbers is said to be double Δ – statistically convergent to X_o provided that for each $\varepsilon > 0$,

$$P - \lim_{m,n} \frac{1}{mn} |\{(k, l) : k \leq m, l \leq n; d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon\}| = 0.$$

In this case we write $S^2 - \lim \Delta X = X_o$ or $\Delta X_{k,l} \rightarrow X_o (S^2(\Delta, F))$ and we denote the set of all double Δ – statistically convergent sequences of fuzzy numbers by $S^2(\Delta, F)$.

Definition 2.4. Let $\beta = (\beta_m)$ and $\mu = (\mu_n)$ be two nondecreasing sequences of positive real numbers such that each tend to infinity and $\beta_{m+1} \leq \beta_m + 1, \beta_1 = 1$ and $\mu_{n+1} \leq \mu_n + 1, \mu_1 = 1$. A double sequence $X = (X_{k,l})$ of fuzzy numbers is said to be strongly double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – summable if there is a fuzzy number X_o such that

$$P - \lim_{m,n} \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{(k,l) \in I_{m,n}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) = 0$$

where $\lambda_{m,n} = \beta_m \cdot \mu_n$ and $I_{m,n} = \{(k, l) : m - \beta_m + 1 \leq k \leq m, n - \mu_n + 1 \leq l \leq n\}$. We denote the set of strongly double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – summable sequences by $[V_{\bar{\lambda}}](\Delta, F)$. If $\lambda_{m,n} = mn$ for all $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, then the class of strongly double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – summable sequences reduce to $[C, 1, 1](\Delta, F)$, the class of strongly double Cesaro summable sequences of fuzzy numbers defined as follows:

$$P - \lim_{m,n} \frac{1}{mn} \sum_{k,l=1,1}^{m,n} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) = 0.$$

Definition 2.5. A double sequence $X = (X_{k,l})$ of fuzzy numbers is said to be double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – statistically convergent or $S_{\bar{\lambda}}^2(\Delta, F)$ – convergent to a fuzzy number X_o if for every $\varepsilon > 0$,

$$P - \lim_{m,n} \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} |\{(k, l) \in I_{m,n} : d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon\}| = 0.$$

In this case we write $S_{\bar{\lambda}}^2 - \lim \Delta X = X_o$ or $\Delta X_{k,l} \rightarrow X_o (S_{\bar{\lambda}}^2(\Delta, F))$ and we denote the set of all double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – statistically convergent sequences of fuzzy numbers by $S_{\bar{\lambda}}^2(\Delta, F)$. If $\lambda_{m,n} = mn$ for all $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, we write $S^2 - \lim \Delta X = X_o$ or $\Delta X_{k,l} \rightarrow X_o (S^2(\Delta, F))$ and the set $S_{\bar{\lambda}}^2(\Delta, F)$ reduces to $S^2(\Delta, F)$.

We need the following proposition in future.

Proposition 2.1. If d is a translation invariant metric on $L(\mathbb{R})$, then

$$d(\Delta X + \Delta Y, \bar{0}) \leq d(\Delta X, \bar{0}) + d(\Delta Y, \bar{0}).$$

Proof. The proof is clear so we omitted it.

3.MAIN RESULTS

Theorem 3.1. *A double sequence $X = (X_{k,l})$ of fuzzy numbers is strongly double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ –summable to the fuzzy number X_o , then it is double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ –statistically convergent to X_o .*

Proof. Given $\varepsilon > 0$.Then

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{(k,l) \in I_{m,n}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) &\geq \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{\substack{(k,l) \in I_{m,n} \\ d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \\ &\geq \frac{\varepsilon}{\lambda_{m,n}} |\{(k, l) \in I_{m,n} : d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon\}|. \end{aligned}$$

The result follows from this inequality.

Theorem 3.2. *If a double Δ – bounded double sequence of fuzzy numbers $X = (X_{k,l})$ is double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – statistically convergent to the fuzzy number X_o , then it is strongly double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – summable to X_o .*

Proof. Suppose that $X = (X_{k,l})$ is double Δ – bounded and double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – statistically convergent to X_o .Since $X = (X_{k,l})$ is double Δ – bounded, we may write $d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \leq K$ for all $k, l \in \mathbb{N}$.Also for given $\varepsilon > 0$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{(k,l) \in I_{m,n}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) &= \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{\substack{(k,l) \in I_{m,n} \\ d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{\substack{(k,l) \in I_{m,n} \\ d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) < \varepsilon}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \\ &\leq \frac{K}{\lambda_{m,n}} |\{(k, l) \in I_{m,n} : d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon\}| + \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

which implies that $X = (X_{k,l})$ is strongly double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – summable to X_o .

Theorem 3.3. *If a double sequence $X = (X_{k,l})$ of fuzzy numbers is double $\bar{\lambda}(\Delta, F)$ – statistically convergent to the fuzzy number X_o , then it is double Δ – statistically convergent to X_o if*

$$P - \liminf_{m,n} \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} > 0.$$

Proof. For given $\varepsilon > 0$, we have

$$\{(k, l) : k \leq m, l \leq n; d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon\} \supset \{(k, l) \in I_{m,n} : d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon\}.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{mn} |\{(k, l) : k \leq m, l \leq n; d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon\}| &\geq \frac{1}{mn} |\{(k, l) \in I_{m,n} : d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon\}| \\ &= \frac{\lambda_{m,n}}{mn} \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} |\{(k, l) \in I_{m,n} : d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \geq \varepsilon\}|. \end{aligned}$$

Taking the limit as $m, n \rightarrow \infty$ in the Pringsheim's sense and using hypothesis, we get $X = (X_{k,l})$ is double Δ – statistically convergent to X_o .

Theorem 3.4. $w_{\lambda, \infty}^2(\Delta, F) = l_{\infty}^2(\Delta, F)$, where

$$w_{\lambda, \infty}^2(\Delta, F) = \left\{ X = (X_{k,l}) \in w^2(F) : \sup_{m,n} \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{(k,l) \in I_{m,n}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) < \infty \right\}.$$

Proof. Let $X = (X_{k,l}) \in w_{\lambda, \infty}^2(\Delta, F)$. Then there exists a constant $K > 0$ such that

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_{1,1}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \leq \sup_{m,n} \frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{(k,l) \in I_{m,n}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \leq K$$

and so we have $X = (X_{k,l}) \in l_{\infty}^2(\Delta, F)$. Conversely, let $X = (X_{k,l}) \in l_{\infty}^2(\Delta, F)$. Then there exists a constant $H > 0$ such that $d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \leq H$ for all $k, l \in \mathbb{N}$ and so

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{(k,l) \in I_{m,n}} d(\Delta X_{k,l}, X_o) \leq \frac{H}{\lambda_{m,n}} \sum_{(k,l) \in I_{m,n}} 1 = H.$$

Thus $X = (X_{k,l}) \in w_{\lambda, \infty}^2(\Delta, F)$. This completes the proof.

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