

Absolute Summability Factors Involving Quasi- f -Power Increasing Sequences

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Abstract

Two new general results concerning absolute summability of an infinite series which extended and generalized the result of Sevli and Leindler [4] are achieved.

1 Introduction

Let T be a lower triangular matrix, (s_n) a sequence of the n th partial sums of the series $\sum a_n$, and

$$T_n := \sum_{v=0}^n t_{nv} s_v. \quad (1.1)$$

A series $\sum a_n$ is said to be summable $|T|_k$, $k \geq 1$, if

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{k-1} |\Delta T_{n-1}|^k < \infty. \quad (1.2)$$

Given any lower triangular matrix T , one can associate the matrices \bar{T} and \hat{T} , with entries defined by $\bar{t}_{nv} = \sum_{i=v}^n t_{ni}$, $n, i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$, $\hat{t}_{nv} =$

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$\bar{t}_{nv} - \bar{t}_{n-1,v}$ respectively. With $s_n = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i \lambda_i$,

$$t_n = \sum_{v=0}^n t_{nv} s_v = \sum_{v=0}^n t_{nv} \sum_{i=0}^v a_i \lambda_i = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i \lambda_i \sum_{v=i}^n t_{nv} = \sum_{i=0}^n \bar{t}_{ni} a_i \lambda_i. \quad (1.3)$$

$$Y_n := t_n - t_{n-1} = \sum_{i=0}^n \bar{t}_{ni} a_i \lambda_i - \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \bar{t}_{n-1,i} a_i \lambda_i = \sum_{i=0}^n \hat{t}_{ni} a_i \lambda_i, \quad \text{as } \bar{t}_{n-1,n} = 0. \quad (1.4)$$

Let Ω be the class of all matrices $T = (t_{nv})$ satisfying

- (i) T is lower triangular,
- (ii) $t_{nv} \geq 0$, $n, v = 0, 1, \dots$,
- (iii) $t_{n-1,v} \geq t_{nv}$, $n \geq v + 1$,
- (v) $\vec{t}_{n0} = 1$, $n = 0, 1, \dots$.

A positive sequence $\gamma = (\gamma_n)$ is said to be a quasi- β -power increasing sequence if there exists a constant $K = K(\beta, \gamma) \geq 1$ such that

$$K n^\beta \gamma_n \geq m^\beta \gamma_m, \quad (1.5)$$

holds for $n \geq m \geq 1$.

A positive sequence $\gamma = (\gamma_n)$ is said to be a quasi- f -power increasing sequence, where $f = (f_n) = (n^\beta (\log n)^\mu)$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$, $\mu \geq 0$ if (see[5]) there exists a constant $K = K(\gamma, f) \geq 1$ such that

$$K f_n \gamma_n \geq f_m \gamma_m, \quad (1.6)$$

holds for $n \geq m \geq 1$.

Let t_n denote the n th (C,1) mean of the sequence (na_n) , that is

$$t_n = \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{v=1}^n v a_v. \quad (1.7)$$

Very recently Sevli and Leindler [4] proved the following result

Theorem 1.1. $T \in \Omega$ satisfying

$$n t_{nn} = O(1), \quad n \rightarrow \infty, \quad (1.8)$$

and let (λ_n) be a sequence of real numbers satisfying

$$\sum_{n=1}^m \lambda_n = o(m), \quad m \rightarrow \infty, \quad (1.9)$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^m |\Delta \lambda_n| = o(m), \quad m \rightarrow \infty. \quad (1.10)$$

If (X_n) is a quasi-f-power increasing sequence such that the conditions

$$\sum_{n=1}^m \frac{1}{n} |t_n|^k = O(X_m), \quad m \rightarrow \infty, \quad (1.11)$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n X_n(\beta, \mu) |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_n|| < \infty, \quad (1.12)$$

are satisfied, then the series $\sum a_n \lambda_n$ is summable $|T|_k$, $k \geq 1$, where $(f_n) := (n^\beta (\log n)^\mu)$, $\mu \geq 0$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$, and $X_n(\beta, \mu) = \max(n^\beta (\log n)^\mu, \log n)$.

2 Lemmas

Lemma 2.1[1]. Let $T \in \Omega$, then

$$\hat{t}_{n,v+1} \leq t_{nn}, \quad n \geq v+1, \quad (2.13)$$

and

$$\sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} \hat{t}_{n,v+1} \leq 1, \quad n = 0, 1, \dots \quad (2.14)$$

Lemma 2.2[1]. Let $T \in \Omega$, then

$$\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| \leq t_{nn}, \quad (2.15)$$

and

$$\sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| \leq t_{vv}. \quad (2.16)$$

Lemma 2.3. *If (λ_n) is convex sequence such $\sum n^{-1}\lambda_n$ is convergent, and the following condition*

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{\beta} (\log n)^{\gamma} X_n |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_n|| < \infty, \quad (2.17)$$

where

$$\beta = \begin{cases} 1, & \lambda > 1, \\ > 1, & 0 \leq \gamma \leq 1, \end{cases} \quad (2.18)$$

holds, then the following inequalities holds

$$nX_n |\Delta \lambda_n| = O(1), \quad n \rightarrow \infty, \quad (2.19)$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_n |\Delta \lambda_n| < \infty. \quad (2.20)$$

Proof. Since $\Delta \lambda_n \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, and $(n^{\beta} (\log n)^{\gamma} X_n)$ is non-decreasing, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_n |\Delta \lambda_n| = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_n \sum_{v=n}^{\infty} \Delta |\Delta \lambda_v| \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_n \sum_{v=n}^{\infty} |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| = \sum_{v=1}^{\infty} |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| \sum_{n=1}^v X_n = \sum_{v=1}^{\infty} |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| \sum_{n=1}^v X_n n^{\beta} (\log n)^{\gamma} n^{-\beta} (\log n)^{-\gamma} = O(1) \sum_{v=1}^{\infty} v^{\beta} (\log v)^{\gamma} X_v |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| \sum_{n=1}^v n^{-\beta} (\log n)^{-\gamma} = O(1) \sum_{v=1}^{\infty} v^{\beta} (\log v)^{\gamma} X_v |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{\beta} (\log n)^{\gamma}} = O(1) \sum_{v=1}^{\infty} v^{\beta} (\log v)^{\gamma} X_v |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| = O(1) \cdot nX |\Delta \lambda_n| \leq nX_n \sum_{v=n}^{\infty} |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| = O(1) n^{\beta} (\log n)^{\gamma} X_n \sum_{v=n}^{\infty} |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| = O(1) \sum_{v=n}^{\infty} v^{\beta} (\log v)^{\gamma} X_v |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| = O(1) \sum_{v=1}^{\infty} v^{\beta} (\log v)^{\gamma} X_v |\Delta |\Delta \lambda_v|| = O(1).$

3 Main result

The object of this paper is to give two general results in both we are extending the range of β . Theorem 1.1 is dealing with all β such that $0 \leq \beta < 1$. Our results are dealing with all β such that $\beta \geq 1$.

Theorem 3.1. Let $T \in \Omega$ satisfy (1.8) and let (λ_n) be a sequence of bounded variation such that $\sum n^{-1}\lambda_n$ is convergent. Let (1.11) and (2.17) be satisfied and

$$|\lambda_n| X_n = O(1), \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty, \quad (3.21)$$

where (X_n) is a quasi- f -power increasing sequence, $f = (f_n) = (n^\beta(\log n)^\gamma)$, where β, γ satisfying (2.18), then the series $\sum a_n \lambda_n$ is summable $|T|_k$, $k \geq 1$.

Proof. By Abel's transformation, we have

$$\begin{aligned} Y_n &= \sum_{v=1}^n \hat{t}_{nv} a_v \lambda_v = \sum_{v=1}^n v a_v v^{-1} t_{nv} \lambda_v \\ &= \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \left(\sum_{r=1}^v r a_r \right) \Delta_v (v^{-1} \hat{t}_{nv} \lambda_v) + n^{-1} t_{nn} \lambda_n \sum_{v=1}^n v a_v \\ &= \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} (v+1) t_v \left(\frac{1}{v(v+1)} \hat{t}_{nv} \lambda_v + \frac{1}{(v+1)} \Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv} \lambda_v + \frac{1}{(v+1)} \hat{t}_{n,v+1} \Delta \lambda_v \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{n+1}{n} t_{nn} \lambda_n t_n \\ &= \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} v^{-1} \hat{t}_{nv} \lambda_v t_v + \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv} \lambda_v t_v + \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} t_v \hat{t}_{n,v+1} \Delta \lambda_v + \frac{n+1}{n} t_{nn} \lambda_n t_n \\ &= Y_{n1} + Y_{n2} + Y_{n3} + Y_{n4}. \end{aligned}$$

In order to complete the proof of the theorem, by Minkowski's inequality, it is therefore sufficient to show that $\sum_{n=1}^m \alpha_n |Y_{nj}|^k < \infty$ $j = 1, 2, 3, 4$. Applying Hölder's inequality, we have, via (3.21), (1.8), (2.14) and (2.20),

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} |Y_{n1}|^k &= \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} v^{-1} \hat{t}_{nv} \lambda_v t_v \right|^k \\ &\leq \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} v^{-1} |\hat{t}_{nv}|^k |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k \left(\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} v^{-1} |\lambda_v| \right)^{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= O(1) \sum_{n=1}^m n^{k-1} |\hat{t}_{nv}|^k \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} v^{-1} |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k \\
&= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m v^{-1} |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} |t_{nn}|^{k-1} |\hat{t}_{nv}| \\
&= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m v^{-1} |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} |\hat{t}_{nv}| = O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m v^{-1} |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k \\
&= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^{m-1} \left(\sum_{r=1}^v r^{-1} |t_r|^k \right) \Delta |\lambda_v| + O(1) |\lambda_m| \sum_{v=1}^m v^{-1} |t_v|^k \\
&= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m X_v |\Delta \lambda_v| + O(1) |\lambda_m| X_m = O(1).
\end{aligned}$$

By (2.15), (1.8) and (2.16), $\sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} |Y_{n2}|^k = \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv} \lambda_v t_v \right|^k \leq$
 $\sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k \left(\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| \right)^{k-1} =$
 $O(1) \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} (t_{nn})^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k =$
 $O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} (nt_{nn})^{k-1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| = O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| =$
 $O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m t_{vv} |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k = O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m v^{-1} |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k = O(1)$, as in the case Y_{n1} .

By (1.8) and (2.14) ,

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} |Y_{n3}|^k &= \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} t_v \hat{t}_{n,v+1} \Delta \lambda_v \right|^k \\
&\leq \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |t_v|^k |\hat{t}_{n,v+1}|^k |\Delta \lambda_v| \left(\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta \lambda_v| \right)^{k-1} \\
&= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |t_v|^k |\Delta \lambda_v| \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} |t_{n,v+1}|^k
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |t_v|^k |\Delta\lambda_v| \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} (nt_{nn})^{k-1} |\hat{t}_{n,v+1}| \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |t_v|^k |\Delta\lambda_v| \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} |\hat{t}_{n,v+1}| \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |t_v|^k |\Delta\lambda_v| = O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m v^{-1} |t_v|^k v |\Delta\lambda_v| \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^{m-1} \left(\sum_{r=1}^v r^{-1} |t_r|^k \right) \Delta(v |\Delta\lambda_v|) + \left(\sum_{v=1}^m v^{-1} |t_v|^k \right) m |\Delta\lambda_m| \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m X_v |\Delta\lambda_v| + O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m v X_v |\Delta|\Delta\lambda_v|| + O(1) m X_m |\Delta\lambda_m| = O(1).
 \end{aligned}$$

Finally, by (1.8),

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{n=1}^m n^{k-1} |Y_{n4}|^k &= \sum_{n=1}^m n^{k-1} \left| \frac{n+1}{n} t_{nn} \lambda_n t_n \right|^k \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{n=1}^m (nt_{nn})^{k-1} t_{nn} |\lambda_n|^k |t_n|^k = O(1) \sum_{n=1}^m n^{-1} |\lambda_n| |t_n|^k = O(1), \text{ as} \\
 &\text{in the case of } Y_{n1}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 3.2. Let $T \in \Omega$ satisfy (1.8) and let (λ_n) be a sequence of real numbers satisfying $\Delta\lambda_n \rightarrow 0$, condition (2.17) and

$$\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} t_{vv} |\hat{t}_{nv}| = O(t_{nn}), \quad n \rightarrow \infty \tag{3.22}$$

where (X_n) is a quasi- f -power increasing sequence, $f = (f_n) = (n^\beta (\log n)^\gamma)$, where β, γ satisfying (2.18), and

$$\sum_{n=1}^m \frac{1}{n X_n^{k-1}} |t_n|^k = O(X_m), \quad m \rightarrow \infty, \tag{3.23}$$

then the series $\sum a_n \lambda_n$ is summable $|T|_k$, $k \geq 1$.

Proof. With the same notations as in the proof of Theorem 3.1, we have

$$Y_n = Y_{n1} + Y_{n2} + Y_{n3} + Y_{n4}.$$

In view of (3.22), (1.8), (3.21), (3.23) and (2.20),

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} |Y_{n1}|^k &= \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} v^{-1} \hat{t}_{nv} \lambda_v t_v \right|^k \\ &\leq \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} v^{-k} t_{vv}^{1-k} |\hat{t}_{nv}| |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k \left(\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} t_{vv} |\hat{t}_{nv}| \right)^{k-1} \\ &= O(1) \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} t_{nn}^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} v^{-k} t_{vv}^{1-k} |\hat{t}_{nv}| |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m v^{-k} t_{vv}^{1-k} |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} n^{k-1} t_{nn}^{k-1} |\hat{t}_{nv}| \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m v^{-1} |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \frac{1}{v X_v^{k-1}} |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k (|\lambda_v| X_v)^{k-1} \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \frac{1}{v X_v^{k-1}} |t_v|^k |\lambda_v| \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^{m-1} \left(\sum_{r=1}^v \frac{1}{r X_r^{k-1}} |t_r|^k \right) \Delta |\lambda_v| + |\lambda_m| \sum_{v=1}^m \frac{1}{v X_v^{k-1}} |t_v|^k \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m X_v |\Delta \lambda_v| + O(1) |\lambda_m| X_m = O(1) \end{aligned}$$

By (2.15), (1.8) and (2.16),

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} |Y_{n2}|^k &= \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv} \lambda_v t_v \right|^k \\
 &\leq \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k \left(\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| \right)^{k-1} \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} (t_{nn})^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} (nt_{nn})^{k-1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |\lambda_v|^k |t_v|^k \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} |\Delta_v \hat{t}_{nv}| \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \frac{t_{vv}}{X_v^{k-1}} |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k (|\lambda_v| X_v)^{k-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \frac{1}{v X_v^{k-1}} |\lambda_v| |t_v|^k = O(1), \text{ as in the case } Y_{n1}.$$

By (2.20), (1.8), (2.14) and (2.19),

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} |Y_{n3}|^k &= \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} t_v \hat{t}_{n,v+1} \Delta \lambda_v \right|^k \\
 &\leq \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \frac{1}{X_v^{k-1}} |t_v|^k |\hat{t}_{n,v+1}|^k |\Delta \lambda_v| \left(\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} X_v |\Delta \lambda_v| \right)^{k-1} \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{n=1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \frac{1}{X_v^{k-1}} |t_v|^k |\hat{t}_{n,v+1}|^k |\Delta \lambda_v| \\
 &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \frac{1}{X_v^{k-1}} |t_v|^k |\Delta \lambda_v| \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} |\hat{t}_{n,v+1}|^k
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \frac{1}{X_v^{k-1}} |t_v|^k |\Delta\lambda_v| \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} n^{k-1} t_{nn}^{k-1} |\hat{t}_{n,v+1}| \\
&= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \frac{1}{vX_v^{k-1}} |t_v|^k v |\Delta\lambda_v| \\
&= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^{m-1} \left(\sum_{r=1}^v \frac{1}{rX_r^{k-1}} |t_r|^k \right) \Delta(v|\Delta\lambda_v|) + \left(\sum_{v=1}^m \frac{1}{vX_v^{k-1}} |t_v|^k \right) m |\Delta\lambda_m| \\
&= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m X_v |\Delta\lambda_v| + O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m vX_v |\Delta|\Delta\lambda_v|| + O(1) m X_m |\Delta\lambda_m| = O(1).
\end{aligned}$$

Finally, in view of (1.8), $\sum_{n=1}^m n^{k-1} |Y_{n4}|^k = \sum_{n=1}^m n^{k-1} \left| \frac{n+1}{n} t_{nn} \lambda_n t_n \right|^k = O(1) \sum_{n=1}^m (nt_{nn})^{k-1} t_{nn} |\lambda_n|^k |t_n|^k = O(1) \sum_{n=1}^m n^{-1} |\lambda_n| |t_n|^k = O(1)$, as in the case of Y_{n1} .

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