# Multipliers for Bounded Statistical Convergence of Double Sequences

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**Abstract.** Multipliers and factorizations for bounded statistically convergent sequences were studied in  $\mu$ -density by Connor et al. [J. Connor, K. Demirci, C. Orhan, Multipliers and factorizations for bounded statistically convergent sequences, Analysis 22 (2002), 321-333]. In this paper we get analogous results of multipliers for bounded statistically convergent double sequences.

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#### 1. Introduction

The concept of convergence of a sequence of real numbers has been extended to statistical convergence independently by Fast [11] and Schoenberg [22]. A lot of development have been made in this area after the works of Śalát [21] and Fridy [13, 14]. In general, statistically convergent sequences satisfy many of the properties of ordinary convergent sequences in metric spaces [11, 13, 14, 19]. This concept was extended to the double sequences by Mursaleen and Edely [17]. akan and Altay [6] presented multidimensional analogues of the results of Fridy and Orhan [15]. Das and Bhunia [7] extended the idea of statistical convergence of a double sequence to  $\mu$ -statistical convergence and convergence in  $\mu$ -density using a two valued measure  $\mu$ .

The study of the multipliers of one sequence space into another is a well-established area of research and has been the object of several investigations over the last fifty years. Demirci and Orhan [9] studied the bounded multiplier space of all bounded A-statistically convergent sequences, and using the

" $\beta N$  program" they gave an analogue of a result of Fridy and Miller [12] for bounded multipliers. Connor, Demirci and Orhan [2] studied multipliers and factorizations for bounded statistically convergent sequences and a related result in  $\mu$ -density. Yardımcı [23] studied multipliers for bounded  $\mathcal{I}$ -convergent sequences. Also, Dündar and Altay [10] investigated analogous results of multipliers for bounded  $\mathcal{I}_2$ -convergent double sequences.

In this paper we study multipliers for bounded statistical convergence of double sequences in  $\mu_2$ -density.

#### 2. Definitions and Notations

Throughout the paper  $\mathbb{N}$  denotes the set of all positive integers,  $\chi_A$ -the characteristic function of  $A \subset \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$  the set of all real numbers. We often regard  $\chi_A$  as sequence  $(x_{mn})$ , where  $x_{mn} = \chi_A(m,n)$ ,  $A \subset \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ ; note in particular, that e can be regarded as the double sequence of all 1's.

Now, we recall the concepts of convergence, statistical and ideal convergence of the sequences (See [2, 7, 10, 11, 17, 20]).

A double sequence  $x = (x_{mn})_{m,n \in \mathbb{N}}$  of real numbers is said to be bounded if there exists a positive real number M such that  $|x_{mn}| < M$ , for all  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$ . That is

$$||x||_{\infty} = \sup_{m,n} |x_{mn}| < \infty.$$

A double sequence  $x = (x_{mn})_{m,n \in \mathbb{N}}$  of real numbers is said to be (Pringsheim) convergent to  $L \in \mathbb{R}$ , if for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists  $N_{\varepsilon} \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$|x_{mn} - L| < \varepsilon,$$

whenever  $m, n > N_{\varepsilon}$ . In this case we write

$$P - \lim_{m,n \to \infty} x_{mn} = L \quad or \quad \lim_{m,n \to \infty} x_{mn} = L.$$

By  $\ell_{\infty}^2$ ,  $c^2(b)$  and  $c_0^2(b)$  we denote the space of all bounded, bounded convergent and bounded null double sequences, respectively.

Let  $K \subset \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ . Let  $K_{mn}$  be the number of  $(j,k) \in K$  such that  $j \leq m$ ,  $k \leq n$ . If the sequence  $\left\{\frac{K_{mn}}{m.n}\right\}$  has a limit in Pringsheim's sense then we say that K has double natural density and is denoted by

$$d_2(K_{mn}) = \lim_{m,n \to \infty} \frac{K_{mn}}{m.n}.$$

A double sequence  $x = (x_{mn})_{m,n \in \mathbb{N}}$  of real numbers is said to be statistically convergent to  $L \in \mathbb{R}$  if for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  we have  $d_2(A(\varepsilon)) = 0$ , where  $A(\varepsilon) = \{(m,n) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} : |x_{mn} - L| \geq \varepsilon\}$ . In this case we write

$$st_2 - \lim_{m,n \to \infty} x_{mn} = L.$$

Throughout the paper  $\mu_2$  will denote a complete  $\{0,1\}$  valued finite additive measure defined on an algebra  $\Gamma$  of subsets of  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  that contains all subsets of  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  that are contained in the union of a finite number of rows and columns

of  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  and  $\mu_2(A) = 0$  if A is contained in the union of a finite number of rows and columns of  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ .

A double sequence  $x = (x_{mn})_{m,n \in \mathbb{N}}$  of real numbers is said to be  $\mu_2$ -statistically convergent to  $L \in \mathbb{R}$  if and only if for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

$$\mu_2(\{(m,n)\in\mathbb{N}\times\mathbb{N}:|x_{mn}-L|\geq\varepsilon\})=0.$$

In this case we write

$$st_{\mu_2} - \lim_{m, n \to \infty} x_{mn} = L.$$

A double sequence  $x = (x_{mn})_{m,n \in \mathbb{N}}$  of real numbers is said to be convergent to  $L \in \mathbb{R}$  in  $\mu_2$ -density, if there exists an  $A \in \Gamma$  with  $\mu_2(A) = 1$  such that  $x = (x_{mn})_{(m,n)\in A}$  is convergent to L.

If  $C_{\mu_2}$  and  $C_{\mu_2}^*$  denote respectively the sets of all double sequences which are  $\mu_2$ -statistically convergent and convergent in  $\mu_2$ -density then as in [5] (see also [8]) it is easy to prove that  $C_{\mu_2}^*$  is a dense subset of  $C_{\mu_2}$  which again is closed in  $\ell_{\infty}^2$  (the set of all bounded double sequences of real numbers endowed with the sup metric). Further, following the methods of [5] one can easily verify that there exists a measure  $\mu_2$  such that it is always possible to construct a double sequence  $x = (x_{mn})_{m,n \in \mathbb{N}}$  which is  $\mu_2$ -statistically convergent but does not converge to any point in  $\mu_2$ -density.

The measure  $\mu_2$  is said to satisfy the condition (APO2) if for every sequence  $\{A_i\}_{i\in\mathbb{N}}$  of mutually disjoint  $\mu_2$ -null sets (i.e.  $\mu_2(A)=0$  for all  $i\in\mathbb{N}$ ) there exists a countable family of sets  $\{B_i\}_{i\in\mathbb{N}}$  such that  $A_i\Delta B_i$  is included in the union of a finite number rows and columns of  $\mathbb{N}\times\mathbb{N}$  for every  $i\in\mathbb{N}$  and  $\mu_2(B)=0$ , where  $B=\bigcup_{i\in\mathbb{N}}B_i$  (hence  $\mu_2(B_i)=0$  for every  $i\in\mathbb{N}$ ).

Now, we give definition of multiplier for double sequences.

Let E and F be two double sequence spaces. A multiplier from E into F is a sequence  $u = (u_{mn})_{m,n \in \mathbb{N}}$  such that

$$ux = (u_{mn}x_{mn}) \in F$$

whenever  $x = (x_{mn})_{m,n \in \mathbb{N}} \in E$ . The linear space of all such multipliers will be denoted by m(E,F). Bounded multipliers will be denoted by M(E,F). Hence we write

$$M(E,F) = \ell_{\infty}^2 \cap m(E,F).$$

If E = F, then we write m(E) and M(E) instead of m(E, F) and M(E, F), respectively.

Now we begin with quoting the lemmas due to Dündar, Altay [10] and Das, Bhunia [7] which are needed throughout the paper.

**Lemma 2.1.** [10, Theorem 3.2] If E and F are subspaces of  $\ell_{\infty}^2$  that contain  $c_0^2(b)$ , then  $c_0^2(b) \subset m(E,F) \subset \ell_{\infty}^2$ .

**Lemma 2.2.** [10, Lemma 3.4]  $m(c_0^2(b)) = \ell_{\infty}^2$ .

**Lemma 2.3.** [7, Theorem 1]  $C_{\mu_2} = C_{\mu_2}^*$  if  $\mu_2$  satisfies the condition (APO2).

**Lemma 2.4.** [7, Theorem 2] If  $C_{\mu_2} = C_{\mu_2}^*$  for a measure  $\mu_2$ , then  $\mu_2$  has the condition (APO2).

## 3. Main Results

In this section, we deal with the multipliers on or into  $st_{\mu_2}(b)$  and  $st_{\mu_2}^0(b)$ . By  $st_{\mu_2}$ ,  $st_{\mu_2}^0$ ,  $st_{\mu_2}(b)$  and  $st_{\mu_2}^0(b)$  we denote the sets of all  $\mu_2$ -statistically convergent double sequences,  $\mu_2$ -statistically null double sequences, bounded  $\mu_2$ -statistically convergent double sequences and bounded  $\mu_2$ -statistically null double sequences, respectively.

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $\mu_2$  be an arbitrary density. Then,

$$m(st_{\mu_2}^0(b)) = M(st_{\mu_2}^0(b)) = \ell_{\infty}^2.$$

*Proof.* We show that

$$m(st_{\mu_2}^0(b)) = \ell_{\infty}^2.$$

By Lemma 2.1, the inclusion

$$m(st_{\mu_2}^0(b)) \subset \ell_{\infty}^2$$

holds.

Now, we prove that

$$\ell_{\infty}^2 \subset m(st_{\mu_2}^0(b)).$$

Let  $u \in \ell_{\infty}^2$  and  $z \in st_{\mu_2}^0(b)$ . Then for  $\varepsilon > 0$ , we have

$$\{(m,n)\in\mathbb{N}\times\mathbb{N}:|u_{mn}z_{mn}|\geq\varepsilon\}\subseteq\left\{(m,n)\in\mathbb{N}\times\mathbb{N}:|z_{mn}|\geq\frac{\varepsilon}{\|u\|_{\infty}+1}\right\}.$$

Since

$$\mu_2\left\{(m,n)\in\mathbb{N}\times\mathbb{N}:|z_{mn}|\geq\frac{\varepsilon}{\|u\|_{\infty}+1}\right\}=0,$$

so we can write

$$\mu_2\Big\{(m,n)\in\mathbb{N}\times\mathbb{N}:|u_{mn}z_{mn}|\geq\varepsilon\Big\}=0.$$

Also, since  $u, z \in \ell^2_{\infty}$  so uz is bounded and hence

$$\ell_{\infty}^2 \subset m(st_{\mu_2}^0(b)).$$

This completes the proof of theorem.

Combining Lemma 2.1 and Lemma 2.2, we have the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $\mu_2$  be an arbitrary density. Then,

$$m(c_0^2(b), st_{\mu_2}^0(b)) = \ell_{\infty}^2.$$

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $\mu_2$  be an arbitrary density. Then,

$$c_0^2(b) \subset m(st_{\mu_2}(b), c^2(b)) \subseteq c^2(b).$$

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*Proof.* For  $u \in c_0^2(b)$  and  $x \in st_{\mu_2}(b) \subset \ell_{\infty}^2$ , by Lemma 2.2 since

$$ux \in c_0^2(b) \subset c^2(b),$$

so we have

$$c_0^2(b) \subset m(st_{\mu_2}(b), c^2(b)).$$

Let  $u \in m(st_{\mu_2}(b), c^2(b))$ . Since  $e \in st_{\mu_2}(b)$ , so

$$ue = u \in c^2(b)$$

and we have

$$m(st_{\mu_2}(b), c^2(b)) \subseteq c^2(b).$$

Thus, the proof of theorem is completed.

**Theorem 3.4.** Let  $\mu_2$  be an arbitrary density. If  $c^2(b)$  is a proper subset of  $st_{\mu_2}(b)$ , then

$$m(st_{\mu_2}(b), c^2(b)) = c_0^2(b)$$

*Proof.* By Theorem 3.3, we know that

$$c_0^2(b) \subset m(st_{\mu_2}(b), c^2(b)).$$

We show that

$$u \not\in m(st_{\mu_2}(b), c^2(b))$$

for  $u \in c^2(b) \setminus c_0^2(b)$ . Then, there exists a number l such that

$$\lim_{m,n\to\infty} u_{mn} = l \neq 0.$$

Let  $z \in st_{\mu_2}(b) \setminus c^2(b)$ , and, without loss of generality, suppose z is  $\mu_2$ -statistically convergent to 1. Then, there is an  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that

$$A = \{(m,n) : |z_{mn} - 1| \ge \varepsilon\}.$$

Note that  $\mu_2(A) = 0$ .

Define  $x = (x_{mn})$  by

$$x_{mn} = \chi_{A^c}(m, n)$$

and observe that x is bounded and convergent in  $\mu_2$ -density to 1, hence

$$x \in st_{\mu_2}(b)$$
.

Also note ux converges to  $\ell \neq 0$  along  $A^c$  and to 0 along A, hence  $ux \notin c^2(b)$  and thus

$$u \notin m(st_{\mu_2}(b), c^2(b)).$$

Hence, we have

$$m(st_{\mu_2}(b), c^2(b)) \subset c_0^2(b).$$

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $\mu_2$  be a density with condition (APO2). Then  $m(st_{\mu_2}^0(b), c_0^2(b)) = \{u \in \ell_{\infty}^2 : u\chi_E \in c_0^2(b) \text{ for all } E \text{ such that } \mu_2(E) = 0\}.$ 

*Proof.* Let  $K = \{u \in \ell_{\infty}^2 : u\chi_E \in c_0^2(b) \text{ for all } E \text{ such that } \mu_2(E) = 0\}$ . First note that if  $\mu_2(E) = 0$ , then

$$\chi_E \in st_{\mu_2}^0(b)$$

and hence, if  $u \in m(st_{\mu_2}^0(b), c_0^2(b))$  then

$$u\chi_E \in c_0^2(b)$$

or u goes to 0 along E. Thus, we have

$$m(st_{u_2}^0(b), c_0^2(b)) \subseteq K.$$

Now, let  $u \in K$  and  $x \in st^0_{\mu_2}(b)$ . Then, with condition (APO2) by Lemma 2.3 there is an  $A \subseteq \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$x\chi_{A^c} \in c_0^2(b) \text{ and } \mu_2(A) = 0.$$

With condition (APO2) by Lemma 2.3, as

$$ux = ux\chi_{A^c} + ux\chi_A$$

and both terms of the right hand side are null sequences,  $ux \in c_0^2(b)$ . Thus we have

$$K \subseteq m(st_{\mu_2}^0(b), c_0^2(b)).$$

This completes the proof of theorem.

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