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Teoremas de Tauber para sequências triplas somáveis $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ de números fuzzy

Tauberian theorems for $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable triple
sequences of fuzzy numbers

Abstract

In this paper, we introduce the notion of weighted mean method $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ of triple sequences of fuzzy numbers and show necessary and sufficient Tauberian conditions under which convergence in Pringsheim's sense of a triple sequence of fuzzy numbers follows from its $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summability. These conditions are weaker than the weighted analogues of Landau's conditions and Schmidt's slow oscillation condition in some senses for three-dimensional case.

Keywords: triple sequence of fuzzy numbers; weighted mean method; tauberian theorems and conditions.

Resumo

Neste artigo, introduzimos a noção do método da média ponderada $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ para sequências triplas de números fuzzy e mostramos condições de Tauber necessárias e suficientes sob as quais a convergência no sentido de Pringsheim de uma sequência tripla de números fuzzy decorre de sua somabilidade $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$. Essas condições são, em certos aspectos, mais fracas do que os análogos ponderados das condições de Landau e da condição de oscilação lenta de Schmidt no caso tridimensional.

Palavras-chave: sequência tripla de números fuzzy; método da média ponderada; teoremas e condições de Tauber.



1 Introduction

Let $p = (p_j)$, $q = (q_k)$ and $w = (w_i)$ be three sequences of non-negative numbers $p_0, q_0, w_0 > 0$ with the property that

$$P_m = \sum_{j=0}^m p_j \rightarrow \infty, m \rightarrow \infty, \quad (1)$$

$$Q_n = \sum_{k=0}^n p_k \rightarrow \infty, k \rightarrow \infty \quad (2)$$

and

$$W_h = \sum_{i=0}^h p_i \rightarrow \infty, i \rightarrow \infty, \quad (3)$$

The weighted means of a triple sequence $u = (u_{mns})$ of complex numbers are the $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ means t_{mnh} , which are defined by

$$t_{mnh} = \frac{1}{P_m Q_n W_h} \sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h p_j q_k w_i u_{jki},$$

where m, n and h are non-negative integers.

A triple sequence (u_{mns}) of complex numbers is called $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to a finite number s if (t_{mnh}) converges to s , i.e. $u_{mnh} \rightarrow s(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$.

We can easily check the fact that every P -convergent and bounded double sequence of complex numbers is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to its P -convergence, but the converse of this implication is not true in general.

The notion of $(C, 1, 1, 1)$ summability of a triple sequence was originally introduced by Canak and Totur (2016). Then, Canak *et al.* (2016) studied some $(C, 1, 1, 1)$ means of a statistical convergent triple sequence and gave some classical Tauberian theorems for a triple sequence that P -convergence follows from statistically $(C, 1, 1, 1)$ summability under the two-sided boundedness conditions and slowly oscillating conditions in certain senses. Later, in Totur and Canak (2020) proved Tauberian conditions under which convergence of triple integrals follows from $(C, 1, 1, 1)$ summability.

The results in this work may find some applications in human trafficking or computational DNA sequencing. To do this, one may use the ideas developed to represent data in Resson *et al.* (2005) for applications in sequencing with refer to Kim *et al.* (2008) and Acharjee and Mordeson (2017). Our main aim in this paper is to give necessary and sufficient Tauberian conditions under which convergence in Pringsheim's sense of a triple sequence of fuzzy numbers follows from its $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summability. We also prove that these conditions are weaker than the weighted analogues of Landau's conditions and Schmidt's slow oscillation condition in some senses for three-dimensional case.

2 Preliminaries

In this section, We recall some notations and basic definitions which are used throughout this paper.

Definition 2.1 A fuzzy number is a fuzzy set on $\mathbb{R}$, i.e. a mapping $u : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, 1]$ with the following properties:

1. u is normal, i.e. there is a unique element $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $u(x_0) = 1$.
2. u is fuzzy convex, i.e. for any $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ and for any $\lambda \in [0, 1]$, $\mu(\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y) \geq \min\{u(x), u(y)\}$.
3. u is upper semicontinuous.
4. The support of u , $[u_0] = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : \bar{u}(x) > 0\}$ is compact, where $\{x \in \mathbb{R} : \bar{u}(x) > 0\}$ denotes the closure of the set $\{x \in \mathbb{R} : u(x) > 0\}$ in the usual topology of $\mathbb{R}$.

Remark 2.1 We denote the set of all fuzzy numbers on $\mathbb{R}$ by E^1 and call it the space of fuzzy numbers. For $u \in E^1$, the α -level set of u is defined by

$$[u]_\alpha = \frac{\{x \in \mathbb{R} : u(x) \geq \alpha\}, 0 < \alpha \leq 1}{\{x \in \mathbb{R} : u(x) > 0\}, \alpha = 0}.$$

Remark 2.2 The set $[u]_\alpha$ is a closed, bounded and non-empty interval for each $\alpha \in [0, 1]$ with $[u]_\beta \subset [u]_\alpha$ if $\alpha < \beta$ which is also defined by $[u]_\alpha = [u^-(\alpha), u^+(\alpha)]$ (Dubois; Prade, 1980).

Definition 2.2 The set of all real numbers can be embedded in E^1 since for each $r \in \mathbb{R}$, $\bar{r} \in E^1$ is defined by E^1 as

$$\bar{r}(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x = r \\ 0, & x \neq r. \end{cases}$$

Lemma 2.1 Bede (2013)

1. The addition of fuzzy number is associative and commutative, i.e. $u + v = v + u$ and $u + (v + w) = (u + v) + w$, for all $u, v, w \in E^1$.
2. $\bar{0} \in E^1$ is neutral element with respect to $+$, i.e. $u + \bar{0} = \bar{0} + u = u$, for any $u \in E^1$.
3. With respect to $+$, none of $u \in E^1 - \mathbb{R}$ has opposite in E^1 .
4. For any $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ with $ab \geq 0$ and any $u \in E^1$, we have $(a + b)u = au + bu$. For general $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ this property does not hold.
5. For any $a \in \mathbb{R}$ and $u, v \in E^1$, we have $a(u + v) = au + av$.
6. For any $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ and any $u \in E^1$, we have $(ab)u = a(bu)$.

Definition 2.3 Let W be the set of all closed and bounded intervals A of real numbers with endpoints A^- and A^+ , i.e., $A = [A^-, A^+]$. The Hausdorff distance on W is defined by

$$d(A, B) = \max\{|A^- - B^-|, |A^+ - B^+|\}.$$

Remark 2.3 It is well-known that with respect to the Hausdorff distance, W is a complete metric space (Nanda, 1989). Now, we can define the metric D on the space of fuzzy numbers by means of the Hausdorff metric d .

Definition 2.4 Bede (2013), let $D : E^1 \times E^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$,

$$\begin{aligned} D(u, v) &= \sup_{\alpha \in [0,1]} \max\{|u^-(\alpha) - v^-(\alpha)|, |u^+(\alpha) - v^+(\alpha)|\} \\ &= \sup_{\alpha \in [0,1]} d([u]_\alpha, [v]_\alpha). \end{aligned}$$

Then, D is said to be Hausdorff distance between fuzzy numbers u and v .

Remark 2.4 The additive identity and multiplicative identity in E^1 are denoted by $\bar{0}$ and $\bar{1}$, respectively.

Proposition 2.1 Bede (2013), let $u, v, w, z \in E^1$ and $k \in \mathbb{R}$. Then, the following statements hold:

1. (E^1, D) is a complete metric space.
2. $D(u + w, v + w) = D(u, v)$, i.e. D is translation invariant.
3. $D(ku, kv) = |k|D(u, v)$.
4. $D(u + v, w + z) \leq D(u, w) + D(v, z)$.
5. $|D(u, \bar{0}) - D(v, \bar{0})| \leq D(u, v) \leq D(u, \bar{0}) + D(v, \bar{0})$.

Now, we will recall some definitions related to triple sequences of fuzzy numbers.

Definition 2.5 A triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers is a function u from $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ ($\mathbb{N}$ denotes the set of all natural numbers) into the set E^1 . The fuzzy number u_{mnh} denotes the value of the function at a point $(m, n, h) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ and is called the (m, n, h) -term of the triple sequence.

Remark 2.5 By $w^3(F)$, we denote the set of all triple sequences of fuzzy numbers.

Definition 2.6 A triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers is said to be bounded if there exists a positive number M such that $D(u_{mnh}, \bar{0}) < M$ for all m, n and h , i.e. if $\|u\|_{\infty,3} = \sup_{m,n,h} D(u_{mnh}, \bar{0}) < \infty$.

Remark 2.6 We will denote the set of all bounded triple sequences of fuzzy numbers by $\ell_\infty^3(F)$.

Remark 2.7 In section 4 part (1), we show that every P -convergent triple sequences of fuzzy numbers need not be bounded.

Definition 2.7 A triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers is said to be convergent in Pringsheim's sense (or P -convergent) to the fuzzy number μ_0 , written as $\lim_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} u_{mnh} = \mu_0$, if for every $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists a positive integer $n_0(\varepsilon)$ such that $D(u_{mnh}, \mu_0) < \varepsilon$ whenever $m, n, h \geq n_0$, and we denote by $P\text{-}\lim u = \mu_0$. The number μ_0 is called the Pringsheim limit of u .

Remark 2.8 By $c^3(F)$, we will denote the set of all convergent triple sequences of fuzzy numbers.

Definition 2.8 Let $p = (p_j)$, $q = (q_k)$ and $w = (w_i)$ be three sequences of non-negative numbers ($p_0, q_0, w_0 > 0$) with the property (1), (2) and (3). The weighted means of a triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers are the $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ means t_{mnh} , which are defined by

$$t_{mnh} = \frac{1}{P_m Q_n W_h} \sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h p_j q_k w_i u_{jki},$$

where m, n and h are non-negative integers.

Definition 2.9 A triple sequence (u_{mnh}) of fuzzy numbers is said to be $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to a fuzzy number μ_0 if

$$\lim_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} t_{mnh} = \mu_0. \quad (4)$$

Remark 2.9 Note that throughout this paper we always mean convergence in Pringsheim's sense (Zygmund, 1959).

3 Main Results

In this section, we state that $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summability method is a regular method for bounded triple sequences of fuzzy numbers.

Lemma 3.1 1. If $\lambda > 1$, $\lambda_m > m$, $\lambda_n > n$ and $\lambda_h > h$, then

$$\begin{aligned} D(\tau_{mnh}^>, t_{mnh}) &\leq \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{\lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h}, t_{\lambda_m, n, h}) \\ &+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{mnh}, t_{m, \lambda_n, h}) \\ &+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{mnh}, t_{m, n, \lambda_h}) \\ &+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} D(t_{\lambda_m, n, h}, t_{mnh}) + \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_{\lambda_n} - P_n} D(t_{m, \lambda_n, h}, t_{mnh}) \\ &+ \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} D(t_{m, n, \lambda_h}, t_{mnh}). \end{aligned}$$

2. If $0 < \lambda < 1$, $\lambda_m < m$, $\lambda_n < n$ and $\lambda_h < h$, then

$$\begin{aligned} D(\tau_{mnh}^<, t_{mnh}) &\leq \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{\lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h}, t_{\lambda_m, n, h}) \\ &+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{mnh}, t_{m, \lambda_n, h}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{mnh}, t_{m,n,\lambda_h}) \\
& + \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} D(t_{mnh}, t_{\lambda_m,n,h}) + \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_{\lambda_n} - P_n} D(t_{mnh}, t_{m,\lambda_n,h}) \\
& + \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} D(t_{mnh}, t_{m,n,\lambda_h}).
\end{aligned}$$

1. By definition, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
D(\tau_{mnh}^>, t_{mnh}) &= D\left(\frac{1}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - Q_h)} \sum_{j=m+1}^{\lambda_m} \sum_{k=n+1}^{\lambda_n} \sum_{i=h+1}^{\lambda_h} p_j q_k w_i u_{jki}\right. \\
&+ \frac{1}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - Q_h)} \left(\sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=n+1}^{\lambda_n} \sum_{i=h+1}^{\lambda_h} 1\right. \\
&+ \sum_{j=m+1}^{\lambda_m} \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h + \sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h \left. \right) p_j q_k w_i u_{jki}, t_{mnh} \\
&+ \frac{1}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - Q_h)} \left(\sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=n+1}^{\lambda_n} \sum_{i=h+1}^{\lambda_h} 1\right. \\
&+ \sum_{j=m+1}^{\lambda_m} \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h + \sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h \left. \right) p_j q_k w_i u_{jki}) \\
&= D\left(\frac{1}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - Q_h)} \sum_{j=0}^{\lambda_m} \sum_{k=0}^{\lambda_n} \sum_{i=0}^{\lambda_h} p_j q_k w_i\right. \\
&+ \frac{1}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - Q_h)} \\
&\sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h p_j q_k w_i u_{jki}, t_{mnh} \\
&+ \frac{1}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - Q_h)} \sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^{\lambda_n} \sum_{i=0}^{\lambda_h} p_j q_k w_i u_{jki} \\
&+ \frac{1}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - Q_h)} \sum_{j=0}^{\lambda_m} \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h p_j q_k w_i u_{jki}) \\
&= D\left(\frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{\lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h}\right. \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{mnh}, t_{mnh} \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} \\
&+ \left. \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{\lambda_m, n, h}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= D\left(\frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{\lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h}\right. \\
&+ \frac{P_m Q_n W_h}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{mnh} \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} t_{\lambda_m, n, h} + \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n} t_{m, \lambda_n, h} + \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} t_{m, n, \lambda_h}, t_{mnh} \\
&+ \frac{(P_{\lambda_m} + 1)(Q_{\lambda_n} + 1)(W_{\lambda_h} + 1)}{(P_{\lambda_m} - m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - n)(W_{\lambda_h} - h)} (t_{P_{\lambda_m}, n, h} \\
&+ t_{m, Q_{\lambda_n}, h} + t_{m, n, W_{\lambda_h}})) \\
&\leq \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{\lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h}, t_{\lambda_m, n, h}) \\
&+ D\left(\frac{P_m Q_n W_h}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{mnh}\right. \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} t_{\lambda_m, n, h} + \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n} t_{m, \lambda_n, h} + \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} t_{m, n, \lambda_h} + \frac{P_m}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} t_{m, n, h} \\
&+ \frac{Q_n}{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n} t_{m, n, h} + \frac{W_h}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} t_{m, n, h} \\
&+ t_{mnh}, t_{mnh} + \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} + \frac{P_m}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} t_{m, n, h} \\
&+ \frac{Q_n}{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n} t_{m, n, h} + \frac{W_h}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} t_{mnh} \\
&+ t_{mnh}) \\
&\leq \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{\lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h}, t_{\lambda_m, n, h}) \\
&+ D\left(\frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{mnh}\right. \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} t_{\lambda_m, n, h} + \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n} t_{m, \lambda_n, h} + \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} t_{m, n, \lambda_h} \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} t_{m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} t_{mnh} + \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n} t_{mnh} + \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} t_{mnh})
\end{aligned}$$

then,

$$\begin{aligned}
D(\tau_{mnh}^>, t_{mnh}) &\leq \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{\lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h}, t_{\lambda_m, n, h}) \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{mnh}, t_{m, \lambda_n, h})
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{mnh}, t_{m,n,\lambda_h}) \\
& + \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} D(t_{\lambda_m,n,h}, t_{mnh}) + \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n} D(t_{m,\lambda_n,h}, t_{mnh}) \\
& + \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} D(t_{m,n,\lambda_h}, t_{mnh}).
\end{aligned}$$

2. This proof is made similar to part (1).

Remark 3.1 The condition (14) and the conditions

$$\limsup_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_m} < 1, \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_n} < 1 \text{ and } \limsup_{h \rightarrow \infty} \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_h} < 1 \quad (5)$$

for every $0 < \lambda < 1$ are equivalent (Chen; Hsu, 2000).

Lemma 3.2 Let $p = (p_j)$, $q = (q_k)$ and $w = (w_i)$ be sequences of non-negative numbers such that $p_0, q_0, w_0 > 0$ and condition (14) is satisfied for every $\lambda > 1$. If (u_{mnh}) is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to a fuzzy number u_0 , then

$$\lim_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} \tau_{mnh}^> = \mu_0 \quad (6)$$

and

$$\lim_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} \tau_{mnh}^< = \mu_0 \quad (7)$$

By Proposition 2.1 parts (2) and (4), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
D(\tau_{mnh}^>, \mu_0) &= D(\tau_{mnh}^> + t_{mnh}, t_{mnh} + \mu_0) \\
&= D(\tau_{mnh}^>, t_{mnh}) + D(t_{mnh}, \mu_0).
\end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

By Lemma 3.1 part (1), and (8), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
D(\tau_{mnh}^>, \mu_0) &\leq \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{\lambda_m,\lambda_n,\lambda_h}, t_{\lambda_m,n,h}) \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m} Q_{\lambda_n} W_{\lambda_h}}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} D(t_{mnh}, t_{m,\lambda_n,\lambda_h}) + \\
&+ \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} D(t_{\lambda_m,n,h}, t_{mnh}) + \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n} D(t_{m,\lambda_n,h}, t_{mnh}) \\
&+ \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} D(t_{m,n,\lambda_h}, t_{mnh}) + D(t_{mnh}, \mu_0).
\end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

For all $\lambda > 1$ and sufficiently large m, n, h we get

$$\limsup_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{P_{\lambda_m}}{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m} = (1 - \limsup_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{P_m}{P_{\lambda_m}})^{-1} < \infty \quad (10)$$

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{Q_{\lambda_n}}{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n} = (1 - \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{Q_n}{Q_{\lambda_n}})^{-1} < \infty \quad (11)$$

$$\limsup_{h \rightarrow \infty} \frac{W_{\lambda_h}}{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h} = (1 - \limsup_{h \rightarrow \infty} \frac{W_h}{W_{\lambda_h}})^{-1} < \infty \quad (12)$$

from (4). The inequalities (10), (11) and (12) hold for λ_m with sufficiently large m , λ_n with sufficiently large n and λ_h with sufficiently large h . Since (u_{mnh}) is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to a fuzzy number μ_0 and (10), (11) and (12) hold, it is clear that the terms on the right of (9) vanish under the operator $\limsup$. Therefore, (6) follows from (8).

$m, n, h \rightarrow \infty$

The proof of (7) is made similar.

Theorem 3.1 *If $u = (u_{mnh}) \in w^3(F) \cap \ell_\infty^3(F)$ is convergent to $\mu_0 \in E^1$, then (u_{mnh}) is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to μ_0 .*

Let $(u_{mnh}) \in c^3(F) \cap \ell_\infty^3(F)$. Then, there exists $\mu_0 \in E^1$ such that $\lim_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} D(u_{mnh}, \mu_0) = 0$. Therefore, by Proposition 2.1 part (4), we have

$$\begin{aligned} D(u_{mnh}, \mu_0) &= D\left(\frac{1}{P_m Q_n W_h} \sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h p_j q_k w_i u_{jki}, \mu_0\right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{P_m Q_n W_h} \sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{i=0}^h p_j q_k w_i D(u_{jki}, \mu_0). \end{aligned}$$

Since $\lim_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} D(u_{mnh}, \mu_0) = 0$, by the regularity of $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summability method and the boundedness (u_{mnh}) of sequences of real numbers, we get

$$\lim_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} D(u_{mnh}, \mu_0) = 0. \quad (13)$$

By the following example, we show that the converse of Theorem 3.1 does not hold in general.

Example 3.1 *Consider the triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers defined by*

$$u_{mnh} = \begin{cases} u_0 & \text{if } m, n, h \text{ are even} \\ v_0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

where

$$u_0(t) = \begin{cases} 1 - t & \text{if } t \in [0, 1] \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and

$$v_0(t) = \begin{cases} 1 + t & \text{if } t \in [-1, 0] \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

It is clear that (u_{mnh}) is divergent. The endpoints of the α -level set of the triple sequence (u_{mnh}) of fuzzy numbers are

$$u_{mnh}^- = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } m, n, h \text{ are even} \\ \alpha - 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and

$$u_{mnh}^+ = \begin{cases} 1 - \alpha & \text{if } m, n, h \text{ are even} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

For $p = q = w = 1$, the triple sequence $(t_{mnh}^-(\alpha))$ and $(t_{mnh}^+(\alpha))$ converge to $\frac{3(\alpha - 1)}{4}$ and $\frac{(1 - \alpha)}{4}$ as $m, n, h \rightarrow \infty$, respectively. We have $\lim_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} D(t_{mnh}, \omega_0) = 0$, where $\omega_0 = \frac{(u_0 + 3v_0)}{4}$. In other words, the triple sequence (t_{mnh}) of fuzzy number is convergent to ω_0 and then it is $(\bar{N}, 1, 1, 1)$ summable to ω_0 .

Throughout this paper, λ_n presents the integral part of the product λn , in symbol $\lambda_n = [\lambda n]$. The next result is a partial converse of Theorem 3.1.

Theorem 3.2 Let $p = (p_j)$, $q = (q_k)$ and $w = (w_i)$ be sequences of non-negative numbers with $p_0, q_0, w_0 > 0$ and

$$\limsup_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{P_m}{P_{\lambda_m}} < 1, \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{Q_n}{Q_{\lambda_n}} < 1 \text{ and } \limsup_{h \rightarrow \infty} \frac{W_h}{W_{\lambda_h}} < 1 \quad (14)$$

for every $\lambda > 1$.

If (u_{mnh}) is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to a fuzzy number μ_0 , then the limit

$$\lim_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} u_{mnh} = \mu_0 \quad (15)$$

exists if and only if

$$\liminf_{\lambda \rightarrow 1} \limsup_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} D(\tau_{mnh}^>, u_{mnh}) = 0 \quad (16)$$

or

$$\liminf_{\lambda \rightarrow 1} \limsup_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} D(\tau_{mnh}^<, u_{mnh}) = 0, \quad (17)$$

where, for $\lambda > 1$

$$\tau_{mnh}^> = \frac{1}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} \sum_{j=m+1}^{\lambda_m} \sum_{k=n+1}^{\lambda_n} \sum_{i=h+1}^{\lambda_h} p_j q_k w_i u_{jki}$$

and for $0 < \lambda < 1$

$$\tau_{mnh}^< = \frac{1}{(P_m - P_{\lambda_m})(Q_n - Q_{\lambda_n})(W_h - W_{\lambda_h})} \sum_{j=\lambda_m+1}^m \sum_{k=\lambda_n+1}^n \sum_{i=\lambda_h+1}^h p_j q_k w_i u_{jki}$$

for sufficiently large non-negative integers m, n, h .

Necessity: If (u_{mnh}) is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to μ_0 and (15) is satisfied, then

$$\lim_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} D(u_{mnh}, t_{mnh}) = 0. \quad (18)$$

Now, (16) (resp. (17)) follows from (6) (resp. (7)) and (18).

Sufficiency: Consider that condition (16) holds. Then, for any given $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists $\lambda_0 > 1$ such that

$$\limsup_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} D(\tau_{mnh}^>, u_{mnh}) \leq \varepsilon. \quad (19)$$

Besides, we have

$$\begin{aligned} D(u_{mnh}, \mu_0) &= D(u_{mnh} + \tau_{mnh}^>, \mu_0 + \tau_{mnh}^>) \\ &\leq D(u_{mnh}, \tau_{mnh}^>) + D(\tau_{mnh}^>, \mu_0) \end{aligned}$$

by Proposition 2.1 parts (2) and (4). Taking into account that (u_{mnh}) is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to μ_0 , (6) and (19), we obtain

$$\limsup_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} D(u_{mnh}, \mu_0) \leq \varepsilon. \quad (20)$$

In a similar way, if (17) holds, for any given $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists $0 < \lambda_0 < 1$ such that

$$\limsup_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} D(\tau_{mnh}^<, u_{mnh}) \leq \varepsilon. \quad (21)$$

Furthermore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} D(u_{mnh}, \mu_0) &= D(u_{mnh} + \tau_{mnh}^<, \mu_0 + \tau_{mnh}^<) \\ &\leq D(u_{mnh}, \tau_{mnh}^<) + D(\tau_{mnh}^<, \mu_0) \end{aligned}$$

by Proposition 2.1 parts (2) and (4). Taking into account that (u_{mnh}) is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to μ_0 , (7) and (21), we obtain

$$\limsup_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} D(u_{mnh}, \mu_0) \leq \varepsilon. \quad (22)$$

Since ε is arbitrary, this ends the proof.

Definition 3.1 A triple sequence (u_{mnh}) of fuzzy numbers is said to be slowly oscillating in the strong sense $(1, 1, 1)$ if

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 1} \limsup_{m,n,h \rightarrow \infty} \max_{m+1, n+1, h+1 \leq j,k,i \leq \lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) = 0. \quad (23)$$

Equivalently, we say that (u_{mnh}) is slowly oscillating in the sense $(1, 1, 1)$ if for each $\varepsilon > 0$ there exist $n_1(\varepsilon)$ and $\lambda_0 = \lambda_0(\varepsilon) > 1$ such that $D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) \leq \varepsilon$ whenever $n_1 < m < j \leq \lambda_m$, $n_1 < n < k \leq \lambda_n$ and $n_1 < h < i \leq \lambda_h$.

Remark 3.2 By $s_{111}^3(F)$, we will denote the set of all slowly oscillating triple sequences in the sense $(1, 1, 1)$ of fuzzy numbers.

As corollary of Theorem 3.2, we have the following result.

Corollary 3.1 Let (14) be satisfied. If $(u_{mnh}) \in s_{111}^3$ and (u_{mnh}) is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to a fuzzy number μ_0 , then (u_{mnh}) is convergent to μ_0 .

Consider that (u_{mnh}) is slowly oscillating in the sense $(1, 1, 1)$. Since

$$D(\tau_{mnh}^{\leq}, u_{mnh}) \leq \frac{1}{(P_{\lambda_m} - P_m)(Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n)(W_{\lambda_h} - W_h)} \sum_{j=m+1}^{\lambda_m} \sum_{k=n+1}^{\lambda_n} \sum_{i=h+1}^{\lambda_h} p_j q_k w_i D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh})$$

$$\leq \max_{m+1, n+1, h+1 \leq j, k, i \leq \lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}).$$

Therefore, we conclude that (16) holds. By Theorem 3.2, (u_{mnh}) is convergent to μ_0 .

Definition 3.2 We say that a double sequence (u_{mnh}) of fuzzy numbers is said to be slowly oscillating in the sense $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$ and $(0, 0, 1)$ if

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 1} \limsup_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} \max_{m+1 \leq j \leq \lambda_m} D(u_{jnh}, u_{mnh}) = 0, \quad (24)$$

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 1} \limsup_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} \max_{n+1 \leq k \leq \lambda_n} D(u_{mkh}, u_{mnh}) = 0 \quad (25)$$

and

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 1} \limsup_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} \max_{h+1 \leq i \leq \lambda_h} D(u_{mni}, u_{mnh}) = 0. \quad (26)$$

Respectively.

Remark 3.3 By s_{100}^3 , s_{010}^3 and s_{001}^3 , we will denote the set of all slowly oscillating triple sequences in the sense $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$ and $(0, 0, 1)$ of fuzzy numbers, respectively.

Lemma 3.3 If $(u_{mnh}) \in s_{100}^3(F) \cap s_{010}^3(F) \cap s_{001}^3(F)$, then $(u_{mnh}) \in s_{111}^3(F)$.

By the triangle inequality, we have

$$D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) \leq D(u_{jki}, u_{mki}) + D(u_{mki}, u_{mnh}). \quad (27)$$

From (27), we conclude that

$$\max_{m+1, n+1, h+1 \leq j, k, i \leq \lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) \leq \max_{m+1, n+1, h+1 \leq j, k, i \leq \lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mki})$$

$$+ \max_{m+1, n+1, h+1 \leq j, k, i \leq \lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} D(u_{mki}, u_{mnh}). \quad (28)$$

Since (u_{mnh}) is slowly oscillating in the senses $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$ and $(0, 0, 1)$, it follows from (28) that (u_{mnh}) is slowly oscillating in the sense $(1, 1, 1)$.

Corollary 3.2 *Let (14) satisfied. If (u_{mnh}) is slowly oscillating in the sense $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$ and $(0, 0, 1)$ and $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summbale to a fuzzy number to μ_0 , then (u_{mnh}) is convergent to μ_0 .*

The proof is followed by Lemma 3.3 and Theorem 3.2.

Remark 3.4 *We say that (u_{mnh}) satisfies weighted analogue of Landau's condition in sense $(1, 0, 0)$ if there exist n_1 and B such that*

$$\frac{P_j}{p_j} D(u_{jnh}, u_{j-1,n,h}) \leq B \text{ whenever } j, n, h > n_1. \quad (29)$$

It is clear that if (29) holds and P is regularly varying of positive index, then $(u_{mnh}) \in s_{100}^3(F)$. We remind the reader that P is regularly varying of index $\alpha > 0$ if

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{P(\lambda n)}{P(n)} = \lambda^\alpha, \quad \lambda > 0. \quad (30)$$

The relation between sequences satisfying conditions (14) and (30) is discussed in Chen and Hsu (2000) and noted that (14) is clearly satisfied if P is regularly varying of index $\alpha > 0$. We say that (u_{mnh}) satisfies weighted analogue of Landau's condition in sense $(0, 1, 0)$ if there exist m_1 and C such that

$$\frac{Q_k}{q_k} D(u_{mkh}, u_{m,k-1,h}) \leq C \text{ whenever } m, k, h > m_1. \quad (31)$$

It is clear that if (31) holds and P is regularly varying of positive index, then $(u_{mnh}) \in s_{010}^3(F)$.

Analogous, we say that (u_{mnh}) satisfies weighted analogue of Landau's condition in sense $(0, 0, 1)$ if there exist h_1 and R such that

$$\frac{W_i}{w_i} D(u_{mni}, u_{m,n,i-1}) \leq R \text{ whenever } m, n, i > h_1. \quad (32)$$

It is clear that if (32) holds and P is regularly varying of positive index, then $(u_{mnh}) \in s_{001}^3(F)$.

Lemma 3.4 *If (u_{mnh}) satisfies weighted analogues of Landau's condition in senses $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$ and $(0, 0, 1)$, then $(u_{mnh}) \in s_{111}^3(F)$.*

Consider that (u_{mnh}) satisfies weighted analogues of Landau's condition in senses $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$ and $(0, 0, 1)$, i.e. there exist $n_1(\varepsilon)$ and R such that

$$\frac{P_m}{p_m} D(u_{mnh}, u_{m-1,n,h}) \leq R,$$

$$\frac{Q_n}{q_n} D(u_{mnh}, u_{m,n-1,h}) \leq R$$

and

$$\frac{W_h}{w_h} D(u_{mnh}, u_{m,n,h-1}) \leq R$$

whenever $m, n, h > n_1$. For all $1 < n_1 < m < j \leq \lambda_m$, $1 < n_1 < n < k \leq \lambda_n$ and $1 < n_1 < h < i \leq \lambda_h$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) &\leq D(u_{jki}, u_{mki}) + D(u_{mki}, u_{mnh}) \\ &\leq \sum_{r=m+1}^j D(u_{rnh}, u_{r-1,n,h}) \sum_{s=n+1}^k D(u_{msh}, u_{m,s-1,h}) + \sum_{g=h+1}^i D(u_{mng}, u_{m,n,g-1}) \\ &\leq H \left(\sum_{r=m+1}^j \frac{p_r}{P_r} + \sum_{s=n+1}^k \frac{q_s}{Q_s} + \sum_{g=h+1}^i \frac{w_g}{W_g} \right) \\ &= H \left(\frac{P_j - P_m}{P_m} + \frac{Q_k - Q_n}{Q_n} + \frac{W_i - W_h}{W_h} \right) \end{aligned}$$

which implies that

$$\max_{m+1, n+1, h+1 \leq j, k, i \leq \lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) \leq H \left(\frac{P_{\lambda_m} - P_m}{P_m} + \frac{Q_{\lambda_n} - Q_n}{Q_n} + \frac{W_{\lambda_h} - W_h}{W_h} \right). \quad (33)$$

Since P, Q and W are regularly varying of index $\alpha, \beta, \gamma > 0$, respectively. It follows from (33) that

$$\limsup_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} \max_{m+1, n+1, h+1 \leq j, k, i \leq \lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) \leq H(\lambda^\alpha + \lambda^\beta + \lambda^\gamma - 3)$$

which implies that

$$\liminf_{\lambda \rightarrow 1} \limsup_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} \max_{m+1, n+1, h+1 \leq j, k, i \leq \lambda_m, \lambda_n, \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) = 0.$$

Corollary 3.3 *Let (14) be satisfied. If (u_{mnh}) satisfies weighted analogues of Landau's condition in senses $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$ and $(0, 0, 1)$ and is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to a fuzzy number to μ_0 , then (u_{mnh}) is convergent to μ_0 .*

The proof is followed by Lemma 3.4 and Theorem 3.2.

4 Some Applications

1. The triple sequence (u_{mnh}) of fuzzy numbers defined by

$$u_{mnh} = \begin{cases} \beta_n & \text{if } m = h = 0, n \in \mathbb{N} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{where } \beta_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \gamma_k \text{ and}$$

$$\gamma_k(t) = \begin{cases} 1 + t(k+1)^2 & \text{if } t \in [-\frac{1}{(k+1)^2}, 0] \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to $\bar{0}$.

As an application of Theorem 3.1. Now, we will show that the triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to $\bar{0}$. It is clear that (u_{mnh}) is P -convergent to $\bar{0}$. The endpoints of the α -level set of the triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers are

$$u_{mnh}^-(\alpha) = \begin{cases} \beta_n^-(\alpha) & \text{if } m = h = 0, n \in \mathbb{N} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

and $u_{mnh}^+(\alpha) = 0$ for all $m, n, h \in \mathbb{N}$. Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|u\|_{\infty,3} &= \sup_{m,n,h \in \mathbb{N}} D(u_{mnh}, \bar{0}) \\ &= \sup_{m,n,h \in \mathbb{N}} \sup_{\alpha \in [0,1]} \max\{|u_{mnh}^-(\alpha) - 0|, |u_{mnh}^+(\alpha) - 0|\} \\ &= \sup_{m,n,h \in \mathbb{N}} \sup_{\alpha \in [0,1]} |u_{mnh}^-(\alpha)| \\ &= \sup_{m,n,h \in \mathbb{N}} |u_{mnh}^-(0)| \\ &= \sup_{m,n,h \in \mathbb{N}} |\beta_n^-(0)|. \end{aligned}$$

Since the sequence $(\beta_n^-(0)) = (-\sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(k+1)^2})$ is convergent as $n \rightarrow \infty$, the triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers is bounded. By Theorem 3.1, the triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable to $\bar{0}$.

2. The triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers defined by

$$u_{mnh} = \begin{cases} \beta_h & \text{if } h \geq n, m \\ \beta_{mn} & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

where

$$\beta_{mn} = \begin{cases} 1 - \frac{t}{1 + \log[(m+1)(n+1)]} & \text{if } t \in [0, 1 + \log[(m+1)(n+1)]] \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

is not $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable.

As an application of Theorem 3.2, we will show that the triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ is not $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable.

Consider that the triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ is $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable. Condition (14) is clearly satisfied. One can check that the endpoints of the α -level set of the triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers are $u_{mnh}^-(\alpha) = 0$ for all $m, n, h \in \mathbb{N}$ and

$$u_{mnh}^+(\alpha) = \begin{cases} (1 - \alpha)(1 + \log(m + 1)) & \text{if } m \geq h \\ (1 - \alpha)(1 + \log(n + 1)) & \text{if } n \geq h \\ (1 - \alpha)(1 + \log(h + 1)) & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \max_{m+1 \leq j \leq \lambda_m, n+1 \leq k \leq \lambda_n, h+1 \leq i \leq \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) &= \max_{m+1 \leq j \leq \lambda_m, n+1 \leq k \leq \lambda_n, h+1 \leq i \leq \lambda_h} |u_{jki}^+(0) - u_{mnh}^+(0)| \\ &= \begin{cases} \log\left(\frac{\lambda_{mn} + 1}{(m + 1)(n + 1)}\right) & \text{if } j, k \geq i \text{ and } m, n \geq h, \\ \log\left(\frac{\lambda_{mn} + 1}{(h + 1)}\right) & \text{if } j, k \geq i \text{ and } m, n < h, \\ \log\left(\frac{\lambda_h + 1}{(m + 1)(n + 1)}\right) & \text{if } j, k < i \text{ and } m, n \geq h, \\ \log\left(\frac{\lambda_h + 1}{(h + 1)}\right) & \text{if } j, k < i \text{ and } m, n < h. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

By taking the lim sup of both sides of the last equality as $m, n, h \rightarrow \infty$, we have that

$$\limsup_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} \max_{m+1 \leq j \leq \lambda_m, n+1 \leq k \leq \lambda_n, h+1 \leq i \leq \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) = \log \lambda.$$

By taking the limit of both sides of the last equality as $\lambda \rightarrow 1$, we arrive that

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 1} \limsup_{m, n, h \rightarrow \infty} \max_{m+1 \leq j \leq \lambda_m, n+1 \leq k \leq \lambda_n, h+1 \leq i \leq \lambda_h} D(u_{jki}, u_{mnh}) = 0.$$

Therefore, it follows from the definition of the slow oscillation in the sense $(1, 1, 1)$ that the triple sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ of fuzzy numbers is slowly oscillating in the sense $(1, 1, 1)$ and it satisfies condition (16) by Corollary 3.1. By Theorem 3.2, the sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ is convergent. But this is impossible since (u_{mnh}) is clearly divergent. Thus, the sequence $u = (u_{mnh})$ is not $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summable.

5 Conclusion

In this article, we have given a Tauberian theorem for $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summability of triple sequences of fuzzy numbers as an extension of a Tauberian theorem for sequences of single and double fuzzy sequences due to (Talo; Cakan, 2012) and (Totur; Canak, 2020), respectively. For future works, we suggest studying more Tauberian theorems on $(\bar{N}, p, q, w)$ summability by using triple sequences.

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The authors declare that they have no conflict of interest.

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