

On Some Sequence Spaces *

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Abstract

In this article we introduce some sequence spaces with base space X , a real linear n -normed space. We also use an Orlicz function to construct the spaces. We investigate these spaces for some algebraic and topological structures.

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1. Introduction

Let w denote the space of all real or complex sequences. By c , c_0 and ℓ_∞ , we denote the Banach spaces of all convergent, null and bounded sequences $x = (x_k)$, respectively normed by $\|x\| = \sup_k |x_k|$.

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An Orlicz function is a function $M : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ which is continuous, non-decreasing and convex with $M(0) = 0$, $M(x) > 0$, for $x > 0$ and $M(x) \rightarrow \infty$, as $x \rightarrow \infty$.

Lindenstrauss and Tzafriri [9] used the Orlicz function and introduced the sequence space ℓ_M as follows:

$$\ell_M = \left\{ (x_k) \in w : \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} M\left(\frac{|x_k|}{\rho}\right) < \infty, \text{ for some } \rho > 0 \right\}.$$

They proved that ℓ_M is a Banach space normed by

$$\|(x_k)\| = \inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} M\left(\frac{|x_k|}{\rho}\right) \leq 1 \right\}.$$

The concept of 2-normed spaces was initially developed by Gähler [2] in the mid of 1960's while that of n -normed spaces can be found in Misiak [10]. Since then, many others have studied this concept and obtained various results, see for instance Gunawan [4, 5], and Gunawan and Mashadi [7].

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and let X be a real linear space of dimension d , where $d \geq n$. A real valued function $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|$ on X^n satisfying the following conditions:

nN_1 : $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\| = 0$ if and only if x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n are linearly dependent,

nN_2 : $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|$ is invariant under any permutation of x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n ,

nN_3 : $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, \alpha x_n\| = |\alpha| \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|$ for all $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$,

nN_4 : $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, y+z\| \leq \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, y\| + \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, z\|$
for all $y, z, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1} \in X$,

then the function $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|$ is called an n -norm on X and the pair $(X, \|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|)$ is called an n -normed space.

A trivial example of an n -normed space is $X = \mathbb{R}^n$ equipped with the following Euclidean n -norm:

$$\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|_E = \text{abs} \left(\begin{vmatrix} x_{11} & L & x_{1n} \\ M & O & M \\ x_{n1} & L & x_{nn} \end{vmatrix} \right),$$

where $x_i = (x_{i1}, \dots, x_{in}) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ for each $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$.

Gunawan and Mashadi [7] showed that if $(X, \|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|)$ be an n -normed space of dimension $d \geq n \geq 2$ and $\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ be a linearly independent

set in X . Then the following function $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|_\infty$ on X^{n-1} defined by

$$\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}\|_\infty = \max\{\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, a_i\| : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\} \quad (1.1)$$

defines an $(n-1)$ norm on X with respect to $\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$.

Gunawan and Mashadi [7] also defined the standard n -norm on X , a real inner product space of dimension $d \geq n$ as follows:

$$\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|_S = \left| \begin{array}{ccc} \langle x_1, x_1 \rangle & L & \langle x_1, x_n \rangle \\ M & O & M \\ \langle x_n, x_1 \rangle & L & \langle x_n, x_n \rangle \end{array} \right|^{\frac{1}{2}},$$

where $\langle \bullet, \bullet \rangle$ denotes the inner product on X . If $X = R^n$, then this n -norm is exactly the same as the Euclidean n -norm $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|_E$ mentioned earlier. For $n = 1$, this n -norm is the usual norm $\|x_1\| = \langle x_1, x_1 \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}}$.

A sequence (x_k) in an n -normed space $(X, \|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|)$ is said to *converge* to some $L \in X$ in the n -norm if $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_k - L, w_2, w_3, \dots, w_n\| = 0$, for every $w_2, w_3, \dots, w_n \in X$.

A sequence (x_k) in an n -normed space $(X, \|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|)$ is said to be *Cauchy* sequence with respect to the n -norm if $\lim_{k, l \rightarrow \infty} \|x_k - x_l, w_2, w_3, \dots, w_n\| = 0$, for every $w_2, w_3, \dots, w_n \in X$.

If every Cauchy sequence in X converges to some $L \in X$, then X is said to be complete with respect to the n -norm. Any complete n -normed space is said to be n -Banach space.

Now we state the following three usefull results as Lemmas which can be found in [7].

Lemma 1.1. *Every n -normed space is an $(n-r)$ -normed space for all $r = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$. In particular, every n -normed space is a normed space.*

Lemma 1.2. *A standard n -normed space is complete if and only if it is complete with respect to the usual norm $\|\bullet\|_S = \langle \bullet, \bullet \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}}$.*

Lemma 1.3. *On a standard n -normed space X , the derived $(n-1)$ -norm $\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_\infty$, defined with respect to orthonormal set $\{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\}$, is equivalent to the standard $(n-1)$ -norm $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|_S$. Precisely, we have*

$$\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}\|_\infty \leq \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}\|_S \leq \sqrt{n} \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}\|_\infty$$

for all x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1} , where

$$\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}\|_\infty = \max\{\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, e_i\|_S : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}.$$

Let $(\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|_X)$ be a real linear n -normed space and $w(X)$ denotes the X -valued sequence space. Then for an Orlicz function M we define the following sequence spaces:

$$c_0(X, M) = \left\{ (x_k) \in w(X) : \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) = 0, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X, \text{ for some } \rho > 0 \right\},$$

$$c(X, M) = \left\{ (x_k) \in w(X) : \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k - L}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) = 0, \right. \\ \left. z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X \text{ and for some } L \in X, \rho > 0 \right\},$$

$$\ell_\infty(X, M) = \left\{ (x_k) \in w(X) : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) < \infty, \text{ for some } \rho > 0 \right\}.$$

In the above definition of spaces, n -norm $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|_X$ on X is either a standard n -norm or a non-standard n -norm. In general we write $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|_X$ and for standard case we write $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|_S$. Again for derived norm we use $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|_\infty$.

It is obvious that $c_0(X, M) \subset c(X, M)$. Again $c(X, M) \subset \ell_\infty(X, M)$ follows from the following inequality:

$$M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{2\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq \frac{1}{2} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k - L}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \\ + \frac{1}{2} M \left(\left\| \frac{L}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right)$$

2. Main Results

In this section we investigate the main results of this article involving the sequence spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$.

Theorem 2.1. *The spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$ are linear spaces.*

Proof. The proof of this theorem can be proved very easily.

Theorem 2.2. *The spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$ are normed linear spaces, normed by $\|\bullet\|_0$ defined by*

$$\|x\|_0 = \inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} \quad (2.1)$$

Proof. If $x = \theta$, then clearly $\|x\|_0 = 0$. Conversely assume $\|x\|_0 = 0$, Then using equation (2.1), we have

$$\inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} = 0.$$

This implies that for a given $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists some ρ_ε ($0 < \rho_\varepsilon < \varepsilon$) such that

$$\sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho_\varepsilon}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1. \text{ So, } M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho_\varepsilon}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1,$$

for every $k \geq 1$ and $z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X$. Hence

$$M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\varepsilon}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho_\varepsilon}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1$$

for every $k \geq 1$ and $z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X$. Suppose $x_{n_i} \neq 0$, for some i . Let $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ then $\left\| \frac{x_{n_i}}{\varepsilon}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \rightarrow \infty$. It follows that $M \left(\left\| \frac{x_{n_i}}{\varepsilon}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \rightarrow \infty$ as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ for some $n_i \in N$. This is a contradiction. Therefore $x_k = 0$ for all $k \geq 1$. Thus $x = \theta$.

Let $x = (x_k)$ and $y = (y_k)$ be any two elements. Then there exist $\rho_1, \rho_2 > 0$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho_1}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \\ \text{and} & \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{y_k}{\rho_2}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \end{aligned}$$

Let $\rho = \rho_1 + \rho_2$. Then by the convexity of M , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k + y_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \\
& \leq \left(\frac{\rho_1}{\rho_1 + \rho_2} \right) \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho_1}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \\
& + \left(\frac{\rho_2}{\rho_1 + \rho_2} \right) \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{y_k}{\rho_2}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Now } \|x + y\|_0 & = \inf \left\{ \rho : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{(x_k + y_k)}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} \\
& \leq \inf \left\{ \rho_1 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho_1}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} \\
& + \inf \left\{ \rho_2 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{y_k}{\rho_2}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Thus $\|x + y\|_0 \leq \|x\|_0 + \|y\|_0$. Finally let α be any scalar. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
\|\alpha x\|_0 & = \inf \left\{ \rho : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{\alpha x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} \\
& = \inf \left\{ |\alpha| \lambda > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\lambda}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\}, \\
& \quad \text{where } \lambda = \frac{\rho}{|\alpha|} \\
& = |\alpha| \|x\|_0
\end{aligned}$$

Remark 2.3. Let $\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ be a linearly independent set in X . Then by equation (1.1), $\|x, z_1, z_2, \dots, z_{n-r-1}\|_\infty = \max \{\|x, z_1, z_2, \dots, z_{n-r-1}, a_{i_1}, \dots, a_{i_r}\|_X\}$, $\{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_r\} \subseteq \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ is an derived $(n-r)$ -norm on X , for each $r = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$. Hence we have the following theorem.

Theorem 2.4. Let $\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ be a linearly independent set in X . Then $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$ are normed linear spaces, normed by $\|\bullet\|_r$, defined by

$$\|x\|_r = \inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-r-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-r-1} \right\|_\infty \right) \leq 1 \right\}, \quad (2.2)$$

for each $i = 1, 2, \dots, n - 1$. We call these norms as derived norms.

Proof. Proof is same with Theorem 2.2.

Theorem 2.5. Let X be an n -Banach space. Then $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$ are Banach spaces under the norm defined in equation (2.1)

Proof. Let Y be any one of the spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$. Let (x^i) be any Cauchy sequence in Y . Let $x_0 > 0$ be fixed and $t > 0$ be such that for $0 < \varepsilon < 1$, $\frac{\varepsilon}{x_0 t} \geq 1$. Then there exists a positive integer n_0 such that $\|x^i - x^j\|_0 < \frac{\varepsilon}{x_0 t}$, for all $i, j \geq n_0$. Using equation (2.1), we get

$$\inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k^j}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} < \frac{\varepsilon}{x_0 t},$$

for all $i, j \geq n_0$. Hence we have,

$$\sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k^j}{\|x^i - x^j\|_0}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1, \quad \text{for all } i, j \geq n_0$$

It follows that for all $i, j \geq n_0$,

$$M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k^j}{\|x^i - x^j\|_0}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1, \quad \text{for each } k \geq 1 \text{ and } z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X.$$

For $t > 0$ with $M\left(\frac{tx_0}{2}\right) \geq 1$, we have

$$M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k^j}{\|x^i - x^j\|_0}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq M \left(\frac{tx_0}{2} \right)$$

This implies that $\|x_k^i - x_k^j, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1}\|_X \leq \frac{tx_0}{2} \cdot \frac{\varepsilon}{tx_0} = \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$, for each $k \geq 1$ and $z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X$. Hence (x_k^i) is a Cauchy sequence in X for all $k \in N$. Since X is an n -Banach space, (x_k^i) is convergent in X for all $k \in N$. For simplicity, let $\lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} x_k^i = x_k$, for each $k \in N$. Again we can find that

$$\inf \left\{ \rho : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} x_k^j}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} < \varepsilon,$$

for all $i \geq n_0$. Thus,

$$\inf \left\{ \rho : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} < \varepsilon, \text{ for all } i \geq n_0$$

It follows that $(x^i - x) \in Y$. Since $(x^i) \in Y$ and Y is a linear space, so we have $x = x^i - (x^i - x) \in Y$. This completes the proof of the theorem.

The following Corollary is due to Lemma 1.2.

Corollary 2.6. *If X is a Banach space under the standard n -norm then the spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$ are Banach spaces under the norm defined by equation (2.1)*

Theorem 2.7. *Let Y be any one of the spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$. If (x^i) converges to x in Y in the norm $\|\bullet\|_0$ defined by equation (2.1), then (x^i) also converges to x in the derived norm $\|\bullet\|_r$ defined by equation (2.2), for $r = 1$.*

Proof. Let (x^i) converges to x in Y in the norm $\|\bullet\|_0$. Then $\|x^i - x\|_0 \rightarrow 0$, as $i \rightarrow \infty$. Using definition of norm equation (2.1), we get

$$\inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } i \rightarrow \infty$$

Let $\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ be a linearly independent set in X . Then

$$\inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2}, a_j \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} \rightarrow 0,$$

as $i \rightarrow \infty$ and for each $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$. Hence

$$\inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2} \right\|_X \right) \leq 1 \right\} \rightarrow 0,$$

as $i \rightarrow \infty$, using Remark 2.3. Thus $\|x^i - x\|_1 \rightarrow 0$, as $i \rightarrow \infty$. Hence (x^i) converges to x in the norm $\|\bullet\|_1$.

Theorem 2.8. *Let X be a standard n -normed space and the derived $(n-1)$ -norm on X is with respect to an orthonormal set. Let Y be any one of the spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$. Then (x^i) is convergent in Y in the norm $\|\bullet\|_0$ defined by equation (2.1) if and only if (x^i) is convergent in Y in the derived norm $\|\bullet\|_r$ defined by equation (2.2), for $r = 1$.*

Proof. In view of the above Theorem 2.7, it is enough to prove that (x^i) convergent in the norm $\|\bullet\|_1$ implies (x^i) convergent in the norm $\|\bullet\|_0$. Let (x^i) converges to x in Y in the norm $\|\bullet\|_1$. Then $\|x^i - x\|_1 \rightarrow 0$, as $i \rightarrow \infty$. Using norm equation (2.2) for $r = 1$, we get

$$\inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2} \right\|_\infty \right) \leq 1 \right\} \rightarrow 0,$$

as $i \rightarrow \infty$. Now one can observe that

$$\|x_k^i - x_k, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1}\|_S \leq \|x_k^i - x_k, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2}\|_S \|z_{n-1}\|_S,$$

where $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|_S$ and $\|\bullet\|_S$ on the right hand side denote the standard $(n-1)$ -norm and the usual norm on X respectively (see for instance [7]). Since derived $(n-1)$ -norm on X is with respect to an orthonormal set, using Lemma 1.3, we have

$$\|x_k^i - x_k, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1}\|_S \leq \sqrt{n} \|x_k^i - x_k, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2}\|_\infty \|z_{n-1}\|_S$$

and in this case $\|\bullet, \bullet, \dots, \bullet\|_\infty$ on the right hand side is the derived $(n-1)$ -norm which we used to define the norm $\|\bullet\|_1$. Therefore

$$\inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_S \right) \leq 1 \right\} \leq$$

$$\inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\sqrt{n} \left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2} \right\|_\infty \|z_{n-1}\|_S \right) \leq 1 \right\}$$

Since, n is arbitrarily fixed, let $\lambda = \sqrt{n} \sup_{z_{n-1} \in X} \|z_{n-1}\|_S > 0$ be fixed, then right hand side of above inequality can be written as

$$\lambda \inf \left\{ t > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k}{t}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-2} \right\|_\infty \right) \leq 1 \right\}, \text{ where } t = \frac{\rho}{\lambda}.$$

Thus $\inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_{k \geq 1, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \in X} M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k^i - x_k}{\rho}, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1} \right\|_S \right) \leq 1 \right\} \rightarrow 0,$

as $i \rightarrow \infty$. Hence $\|x^i - x\|_0 \rightarrow 0$ as $i \rightarrow \infty$. Therefore (x^i) converges to x in Y in the norm $\|\bullet\|_0$.

Using Lemma 1.3, we get the following Corollary.

Corollary 2.9. *Let X be a standard n -normed space and the derived $(n-r)$ -norm on X are with respect to an orthonormal set. Let Y be any one of the spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$. Then a sequence in Y is convergent in the the norm $\|\bullet\|_0$ defined by equation (2.1) if and only if it is convergent in the derived norm $\|\bullet\|_1$ and by induction, in the derived norm $\|\bullet\|_r$ defined by equation (2.2), for all $r = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$. In particular, a sequence in Y is convergent in the norm $\|\bullet\|_0$ if and only if it is convergent in the derived norm $\|\bullet\|_{n-1}$, defined by*

$$\|x\|_{n-1} = \inf \left\{ \rho > 0 : \sup_k M \left(\left\| \frac{x_k}{\rho} \right\|_\infty \right) \leq 1 \right\} \quad (2.3)$$

Theorem 2.10. *Let X be a standard n -normed space and derived $(n-r)$ -norm on X for all $r = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$ are with respect to an orthonormal set. Let Y be any one of the spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$. Then Y is complete with respect to the norm $\|\bullet\|_0$ defined by equation (2.1) if and only if it is complete with respect to the derived norm $\|\bullet\|_1$ defined by equation (2.2). By induction, Y is complete with respect to the norm $\|\bullet\|_0$ if and only if it is complete with respect to the derived norm $\|\bullet\|_{n-1}$, defined by equation (2.3).*

Proof. By replacing the phrase ‘ (x^i) converges to x ’ with ‘ (x^i) is Cauchy sequence ’ and ‘ $x^i - x$ ’ with ‘ $x^i - x^j$ ’, we see that the analogues of Theorem 2.7, Theorem 2.8 and Corollary 2.9 hold for Cauchy sequences. This completes the proof.

Remark 2.11. *Associated to the derived norm $\|\bullet\|_{n-1}$, we can defined open balls $S(x, \varepsilon)$ centered at x and radius ε as $S(x, \varepsilon) = \{y : \|x - y\| < \varepsilon\}$.*

Using these balls, Corollary 2.9, becomes:

Lemma 2.12. *Let Y be any one of the spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$. A sequence (x_k) is convergent to x in Y if and only if for every $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $x_k \in S(x, \varepsilon)$ for all $k \geq n_0$.*

Hence we have the following result.

Theorem 2.13. *The spaces $c_0(X, M)$, $c(X, M)$ and $\ell_\infty(X, M)$ are normed spaces and their topology agrees with that generated by the derived norm $\|\bullet\|_{n-1}$ defined by equation (2.3).*

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