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An Extension in the Domain of an n -Norm Defined on the Space of p -Summable Sequences

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Abstract

In [6], we have already studied the space of p -summable sequences (i.e. l^p) as an n -normed space by defining a new n -norm $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p}$ on it. In this paper, we shall extend the domain of the definition of n -norm $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p}$ from the space l^p to different vector subspaces of the vector space l^∞ containing l^p . Further, we shall discuss on their derived norms also.

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1 Introduction

In [9], Gähler initially introduced the theory of 2 -norm, defined on a linear space, while that of n -norm can be found in [3] and has been studied in many papers such as [1, 2, 5]. Research works on sequence spaces regarded as n -normed space can be found in [1, 4, 6, 7, 8].

Definition 1.1. Let \mathbf{X} be a vector space over $\mathbb{K}(= \mathbb{R} \text{ or } \mathbb{C})$ of dimension $d \geq n(n \geq 2)$. A non-negative real valued function $\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|$ defined on \mathbf{X}^n satisfying the four conditions:

(N1) $\|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\| = 0$ if and only if x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n are linearly dependent;

(N2) $\|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|$ is invariant under the permutation of x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n ;

(N3) $\|\alpha \cdot x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\| = |\alpha| \cdot \|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|$;

(N4) $\|x^1 + y, x^2, \dots, x^n\| \leq \|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\| + \|y, x^2, \dots, x^n\|$;

for all $x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n, y \in \mathbf{X}$ and for all $\alpha \in \mathbb{K}$, is called an **n -norm on \mathbf{X}** , and the pair $(\mathbf{X}, \|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|)$ is called an **n -normed space**.

Definition 1.2. Two n -norms $\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_1$ and $\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_2$ defined on a linear space \mathbf{X} are said to be **equivalent** if and only if $\exists K_1, K_2 > 0$ such that:

$$K_1 \cdot \|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|_1 \leq \|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|_2 \leq K_2 \cdot \|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|_1$$

for all $x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n \in \mathbf{X}$.

Definition 1.3. Let $(\mathbf{X}, \|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|)$ is an n -normed space and $\{e^1, \dots, e^n\}$ is a set of linearly independent vectors in \mathbf{X} then both of the functions $\|\cdot\|_\infty^d$ and $\|\cdot\|_q^d$ define a norm on \mathbf{X} (known as **derived norm** with respect to the set $\{e^1, \dots, e^n\}$) and they are equivalent, where

1. $\|x\|_\infty^d = \max \{\|x, e^{t_1}, \dots, e^{t_{n-1}}\| : \{t_1, \dots, t_{n-1}\} \subset \{1, \dots, n\}\}$
2. $\|x\|_q^d = \left(\sum_{\{t_1, \dots, t_{n-1}\} \subset \{1, \dots, n\}} \|x, e^{t_1}, \dots, e^{t_{n-1}}\|^q \right)^{1/q}; \quad 1 \leq q < \infty.$

In this paper, we shall focus on l^p and l^∞ , where

$$l^p = \left\{ x = (x_i)_{i=0}^\infty : \sum_{i=0}^\infty |x_i|^p < \infty \text{ where } x_i \in \mathbb{K}, \text{ for all } i = 0, 1, 2, \dots \right\}$$

and

$$l^\infty = \left\{ x = (x_i)_{i=0}^\infty : \sup_{0 \leq i < \infty} |x_i| < \infty \right\}.$$

As we know that $(l^p, \|\cdot\|_p)$ is a *Banach space* where $\|x\|_p = \{\sum_{i=0}^\infty |x_i|^p\}^{1/p}$ as well as $(l^\infty, \|\cdot\|_\infty)$ also becomes a *Banach space* with norm $\|x\|_\infty = \sup_{0 \leq i < \infty} |x_i|$; while $(l^p, \|\cdot\|_\infty)$ forms simply a *normed space*.

In [6], for our convenience and need we have denoted the set of whole numbers as $\mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$, which is also considered as a sequence $\mathbb{N} = (0, 1, 2, \dots)$. Further, we have denoted the sequence $\mathbb{N} = (0, 1, 2, \dots)$ in the form of *n -consecutive terms notation* as

$$\mathbb{N} = (0, 1, 2, \dots) = (nl, nl + 1, \dots, nl + (n - 1))_{l=0}^\infty$$

and expressed as

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{N} &= (n \cdot 0 = 0, n \cdot 0 + 1 = 1, \dots, n \cdot 0 + (n - 1) = n - 1, \\ & n \cdot 1 = n, n \cdot 1 + 1 = n + 1, \dots, n \cdot 1 + (n - 1) = 2n - 1, \dots) \end{aligned}$$

Let $\overline{\overline{\mathbb{N}}} = (\overline{\overline{m_{nk}}, \overline{\overline{m_{nk+1}}, \dots, \overline{\overline{m_{nk+(n-1)}}})}_{k=0}^\infty$ be a rearrangement of the sequence \mathbb{N} . Then for any n vectors

$$x^t = (x_{nl}^t, x_{nl+1}^t, \dots, x_{nl+(n-1)}^t)_{l=0}^\infty \in l^p; \quad t = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

the n vectors

$$\overline{\overline{x}}^t = \left(x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk}}}^t}^t, x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk+1}}}^t}^t, \dots, x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk+(n-1)}}}^t}^t \right)_{k=0}^\infty; \quad t = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

are called *parallel rearrangements* of x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n respectively.

In [6], we have observed that $(l^p, \|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p)$ is an n -normed space, but not complete where

$$\overline{\overline{\|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|_p}} = \sup\{|\overline{\overline{x}}^1, \overline{\overline{x}}^2, \dots, \overline{\overline{x}}^n| : \overline{\overline{x}}^1, \overline{\overline{x}}^2, \dots, \overline{\overline{x}}^n \text{ are parallel rearrangements of } x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n \text{ respectively}\}. \quad (1)$$

and

$$|\overline{\overline{x}}^1, \overline{\overline{x}}^2, \dots, \overline{\overline{x}}^n| = \left(\sum_{k=0}^\infty \left| \det \begin{pmatrix} x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk}}}^1}^1 & x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk+1}}}^1}^1 & \dots & x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk+(n-1)}}}^1}^1 \\ x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk}}}^2}^2 & x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk+1}}}^2}^2 & \dots & x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk+(n-1)}}}^2}^2 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk}}}^n}^n & x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk+1}}}^n}^n & \dots & x_{\overline{\overline{m_{nk+(n-1)}}}^n}^n \end{pmatrix} \right|^p \right)^{1/p}. \quad (2)$$

Moreover, we have

$$\overline{\overline{\|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|_p}} \leq n! \|x^{\pi_1}\|_p \cdot \|x^{\pi_2}\|_{p/\infty} \dots \|x^{\pi_n}\|_{p/\infty}; \quad (3)$$

where $\{\pi_1, \pi_2, \dots, \pi_n\}$ is any permutation of $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ and $\|x^{\pi_t}\|_{p/\infty}$ means either $\|x^{\pi_t}\|_p$ or $\|x^{\pi_t}\|_\infty$ is taken freely.

In [1], Malèski investigated that the function

$$\|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|_\infty := \sup_{i_1, \dots, i_n} \left| \det \begin{pmatrix} x_{i_1}^1 & x_{i_2}^1 & \dots & x_{i_n}^1 \\ x_{i_1}^2 & x_{i_2}^2 & \dots & x_{i_n}^2 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ x_{i_1}^n & x_{i_2}^n & \dots & x_{i_n}^n \end{pmatrix} \right| \quad (4)$$

defines an n -norm on l^∞ , where $i_1, \dots, i_n \in \mathbb{N}$. But l^p is a subspace of l^∞ therefore we can show that $\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_\infty$ forms an n -norm on l^p also.

In [6, 7], we have already proved that these two n -norms $\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p$ and $\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_\infty$ defined on l^p are non-equivalent. Where as their *derived norms* with respect to the linearly independent set $\{e^1, \dots, e^n\}$ are equivalent and equivalent to $\|\cdot\|_\infty$, where $e^t = (\delta_i^t)_{i=0}^\infty$. For details see [7].

2 Results

Here, our aim is to investigate the possibilities of extending the domain of definition of the n -norm $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p}$ from the domain l^p to other sequence spaces containing l^p .

If we take any arbitrary $z \in l^\infty$ and define

$$l^p + [z] = \{x + \alpha z : x \in l^p \text{ and } \alpha \in \mathbb{K}\}.$$

then obviously $l^p + [z]$ is a subspace of $(l^\infty, \|\cdot\|_\infty)$.

Theorem 2.1. *The function $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p}$ defines an n -norm on $l^p + [z]$, for every arbitrary $z \in l^\infty$. Moreover,*

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\|x^1 + z^1, x^2 + z^2, \dots, x^n + z^n\|_p} &\leq n! \|x^{\pi_1}\|_p \cdot \|x^{\pi_2} + z^{\pi_2}\|_\infty \cdots \|x^{\pi_n} + z^{\pi_n}\|_\infty \\ &\quad + n! \|x^{\pi_2}\|_p \cdot \|x^{\pi_3} + z^{\pi_3}\|_\infty \cdots \|x^{\pi_n} + z^{\pi_n}\|_\infty \cdot \|z^{\pi_1}\|_\infty \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

for every scalar multiples z^1, z^2, \dots, z^n of z and any permutation $\{\pi_1, \pi_2, \dots, \pi_n\}$ of $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$.

Proof: The proof is similar to proving that $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p}$ defines an n -norm on l^p , as we have done in [6]. Here we are going to establish the inequality only. Let $x^1 + z^1, x^2 + z^2, \dots, x^n + z^n \in l^p + [z]$ and $\overline{\mathbb{N}} = (\overline{m}_{nk}, \overline{m}_{nk+1}, \dots, \overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)})_{k=0}^\infty$ be a rearrangement of the sequence \mathbb{N} . By the properties of determinant we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\det \begin{pmatrix} x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^1 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^1 & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^1 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^1 & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^1 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^1 \\ x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^2 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^2 & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^2 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^2 & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^2 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^2 \\ \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^n + z_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^n & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^n + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^n & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^n + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^n \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \det \begin{pmatrix} x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^1 & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^1 & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^1 \\ x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^2 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^2 & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^2 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^2 & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^2 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^2 \\ \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^n + z_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^n & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^n + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^n & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^n + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^n \end{pmatrix} \\ &+ \det \begin{pmatrix} z_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^1 & z_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^1 & \cdots & z_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^1 \\ x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^2 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^2 & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^2 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^2 & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^2 + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^2 \\ \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^n + z_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^n & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^n + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^n & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^n + z_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^n \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

As we know that the expansion of a determinant of order n consists of sum of $n!$ terms, among which each term is again a product of n terms, therefore

breaking the last determinant along second row and using Minkowski inequality; (Keeping the fact in mind that z^1, z^2 are linearly dependent.) by definition (2) we have

$$\begin{aligned} |\bar{x}^1 + \bar{z}^1, \bar{x}^2 + \bar{z}^2, \dots, \bar{x}^n + \bar{z}^n| &\leq n! \|x^1\|_p \cdot \|x^2 + z^2\|_\infty \cdots \|x^n + z^n\|_\infty \\ &\quad + n! \|x^2\|_p \cdot \|x^2 + z^2\|_\infty \cdots \|x^n + z^n\|_\infty \cdot \|z^1\|_\infty. \end{aligned}$$

Above is true for any rearrangement $\bar{\mathbb{N}}$ of \mathbb{N} and breaking determinant along any row, therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\overline{\|x^1 + z^1, x^2 + z^2, \dots, x^n + z^n\|_p}} &\leq n! \|x^{\pi_1}\|_p \cdot \|x^{\pi_2} + z^{\pi_2}\|_\infty \cdots \|x^{\pi_n} + z^{\pi_n}\|_\infty \\ &\quad + n! \|x^{\pi_2}\|_p \cdot \|x^{\pi_3} + z^{\pi_3}\|_\infty \cdots \|x^{\pi_n} + z^{\pi_n}\|_\infty \cdot \|z^{\pi_1}\|_\infty. \end{aligned}$$

In general, if we take any $n - 1$ arbitrary vectors $v^1, v^2, \dots, v^{n-1} \in l^\infty$ and define

$$\begin{aligned} l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \cdots + [v^{n-1}] = \\ \{x + \alpha_1 v^1 + \alpha_2 v^2 + \cdots + \alpha_{n-1} v^{n-1} : x \in l^p \text{ and } \alpha_j \in \mathbb{K}; j = 1, 2, \dots, n - 1\}. \end{aligned}$$

It is clear that, $l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \cdots + [v^{n-1}]$ is a subspace of $(l^\infty, \|\cdot\|_\infty)$.

Corollary 2.2. *The function $\overline{\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p}}$ defines an n -norm on $l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \cdots + [v^{n-1}]$ for $v^1, v^2, \dots, v^{n-1} \in l^\infty$. Moreover,*

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\overline{\|x^1 + z^1, x^2 + z^2, \dots, x^n + z^n\|_p}} &\leq n! \|x^{\pi_1}\|_p \cdot \|x^{\pi_2} + z^{\pi_2}\|_\infty \cdots \|x^{\pi_n} + z^{\pi_n}\|_\infty \\ &\quad + n! \|x^{\pi_2}\|_p \cdot \|x^{\pi_3} + z^{\pi_3}\|_\infty \cdots \|x^{\pi_n} + z^{\pi_n}\|_\infty \cdot \|z^{\pi_1}\|_\infty \\ &\quad + n! \|x^{\pi_3}\|_p \cdot \|x^{\pi_4} + z^{\pi_4}\|_\infty \cdots \|x^{\pi_n} + z^{\pi_n}\|_\infty \cdot \|z^{\pi_1}\|_\infty \cdot \|z^{\pi_2}\|_\infty \\ &\quad + \cdots + n! \|x^{\pi_n}\|_p \cdot \|z^{\pi_1}\|_\infty \cdots \|z^{\pi_{n-1}}\|_\infty \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

where each of the vectors z^1, z^2, \dots, z^n is linear combination of v^1, v^2, \dots, v^{n-1} .

Proof: The proof can be done similar to the proof of theorem 2.1 by breaking the determinant successively along every row.

Obviously, the function $\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_\infty$ defines an n -norm on $l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \cdots + [v^{n-1}]$ also. Since, the n -norms $\overline{\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p}}$ and $\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_\infty$ are non-equivalent on l^p (for details see [7]), therefore they must be non-equivalent on $l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \cdots + [v^{n-1}]$ also. But, it is easy to show that their *derived norms* with respect to the linearly independent set $\{e^1, \dots, e^n : e^t = (\delta_i^t)_{i=0}^\infty; t = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$ are equivalent and equivalent to $\|\cdot\|_\infty$.

Under some conditions, the function $\overline{\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p}}$ may define an n -norm on $l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \cdots + [v^n]$ for $v^1, v^2, \dots, v^n \in l^\infty$, before discussing such conditions, let us consider the following theorem.

Theorem 2.3. *The function $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|}_p$ need not be an n-norm on $l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \dots + [v^n]$ for $v^1, v^2, \dots, v^n \in l^\infty$. Moreover, the function $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|}_p$ fails to be an n-norm on l^∞ .*

Proof: Taking n vectors $v^t = (v_i^t)_{i=0}^\infty \in l^\infty$; $t = 1, 2, \dots, n$ where

$$v_i^t = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } i \equiv (t-1)(\text{mod } n); \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

obviously, $\|v^t\|_\infty = 1$ therefore $v^t \in l^\infty$ for every $t = 1, 2, \dots, n$. But

$$\overline{\|v^1, \dots, v^n\|}_p = \infty.$$

Thus the function $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|}_p$ need not be an n-norm on $l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \dots + [v^n]$ for $v^1, v^2, \dots, v^n \in l^\infty$. Moreover, the function $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|}_p$ fails to be an n-norm on l^∞ .

Now we shall investigate those circumstances under which the function $\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|}_p$ define an n-norm on $l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \dots + [v^n]$ for $v^1, v^2, \dots, v^n \in l^\infty$.

Lemma 2.4. *If $\overline{\|x^1, x^2\|}_p < \infty$ for $x^1, x^2 \in l^\infty$ then for every $x^3, \dots, x^n \in l^\infty$*

$$\overline{\|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|}_p < \infty.$$

Moreover,

$$\overline{\|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|}_p \leq \frac{n!}{2} \|x^3\|_\infty \cdots \|x^n\|_\infty \overline{\|x^1, x^2\|}_p.$$

Proof: Let $\overline{\mathbb{N}} = (\overline{m}_{nk}, \overline{m}_{nk+1}, \dots, \overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)})_{k=0}^\infty$ be a rearrangement of the sequence \mathbb{N} . Obviously, expanding the determinant

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^1 & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^1 & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^1 \\ x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^2 & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^2 & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^2 \\ \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ x_{\overline{m}_{nk}}^n & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+1}}^n & \cdots & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+(n-1)}}^n \end{pmatrix}$$

in the form of the sum of the terms like

$$x_{\overline{m}_{nk+j_3}}^3 \cdot x_{\overline{m}_{nk+j_4}}^4 \cdots x_{\overline{m}_{nk+j_n}}^n \cdot \begin{vmatrix} x_{\overline{m}_{nk+j_1}}^1 & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+j_2}}^1 \\ x_{\overline{m}_{nk+j_1}}^2 & x_{\overline{m}_{nk+j_2}}^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

and then using the Minkowski inequality equation (2) gives

$$\left| \overline{x}^1, \overline{x}^2, \dots, \overline{x}^n \right| = \frac{n!}{2} \|x^3\|_\infty \cdots \|x^n\|_\infty \overline{\|x^1, x^2\|}_p.$$

Hence, we have the lemma.

Example: If we take $x^1, x^2 \in l^\infty$ as follows:

$$x^1 = (x_i^1)_{i=0}^\infty \quad \text{and} \quad x^2 = (x_i^2)_{i=0}^\infty$$

where

$$x_i^1 = \begin{cases} 1 & ; i = 0, 1 \\ \frac{1}{i^{1/p}} & ; i \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

and

$$x_i^2 = \begin{cases} 0 & ; i = 0 \\ 1 & ; i = 1, 2 \\ \frac{1}{(i-1)^{1/p}} & ; i \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

obviously, $x^1, x^2 \notin l^p$ but $x^1, x^2 \in l^\infty$. Whereas

$$\overline{\overline{\|x^1, x^2\|_p}} < \infty$$

for, let $\overline{\overline{\mathbb{N}}} = (\overline{\overline{m_{nk}}, \overline{\overline{m_{nk+1}}, \dots, \overline{\overline{m_{nk+(n-1)}}})}_{k=0}^\infty$ be a rearrangement of the sequence \mathbb{N} then for every $t \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\sum_{k=0}^t \left| \det \begin{pmatrix} x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k}}}^1} & x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k+1}}}^1} \\ x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k}}}^2} & x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k+1}}}^2} \end{pmatrix} \right|^p \right)^{1/p} &\leq \left(\sum_{k=0}^t \left| x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k}}}^1} \cdot x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k+1}}}^2} \right|^p \right)^{1/p} \\ &\quad + \left(\sum_{k=0}^t \left| x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k+1}}}^1} \cdot x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k}}}^2} \right|^p \right)^{1/p} \end{aligned}$$

but both

$$\sum_{k=0}^t \left| x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k}}}^1} \cdot x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k+1}}}^2} \right|^p \leq 2 \left(1 + \sum_{i=1}^\infty \frac{1}{i^2} \right) \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{k=0}^t \left| x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k+1}}}^1} \cdot x_{\overline{\overline{m_{2k}}}^2} \right|^p \leq 2 \left(1 + \sum_{i=1}^\infty \frac{1}{i^2} \right)$$

therefore

$$\overline{\overline{\|x^1, x^2\|_p}} < \infty.$$

Lemma 2.5. If for $x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n \in l^\infty$,

$$\overline{\overline{\|x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n\|_p}} < \infty$$

then

$$\overline{\overline{\|z^1, z^2, \dots, z^n\|_p}} < \infty$$

for each z^t ; $t = 1, 2, \dots, n$ is linear combination of x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n .

Theorem 2.6. If $\overline{\overline{\|v^1, \dots, v^n\|_p}} < \infty$ for $v^1, v^2, \dots, v^n \in l^\infty$, then the function $\overline{\overline{\|\cdot, \dots, \cdot\|_p}}$ defines an n -norm on $l^p + [v^1] + [v^2] + \dots + [v^n]$.

Proof: In view of lemma 2.5, the proof is similar to the proof of corollary 2.2.

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