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On some geometric properties of sequence spaces of generalized arithmetic divisor sum function

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Abstract

Recently, some new sequence spaces $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ ($0 < p < \infty$), $c_0(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$, $c(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$, and $\ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ have been studied by Yaying et al. (Forum Math., 2024, <https://doi.org/10.1515/forum-2023-0138>) as matrix domains of $\mathfrak{A}^\alpha = (a_{n,v}^\alpha)$, where

$$a_{m,v}^\alpha = \begin{cases} v^\alpha & , v \mid m, \\ \rho^{(\alpha)}(m) & , v \nmid m, \\ 0 & , v \nmid m, \end{cases}$$

and $\rho^{(\alpha)}(m) :=$ sum of the α^{th} power of the positive divisors of $m \in \mathbb{N}$. They obtained their duals, matrix transformations and associated compact matrix operators for these matrix classes.

This article deals with some geometric properties of these sequence spaces.

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1 Introduction

We recall some known arithmetic functions [1, 16]:

$$d(m) = \sum_{v \mid m} 1, \text{ (Divisor function)}$$

$$\rho(m) = \sum_{v \mid m} v, \text{ (Divisor sum function)}$$

$$\rho^{(\alpha)}(m) = \sum_{v \mid m} v^\alpha, \text{ (Divisor sum function of order } \alpha \text{)}$$

$$\mu(m) = \begin{cases} 1 & , m = 1, \\ (-1)^v & , m = p_1 p_2 \cdots p_v, \\ 0 & , p^2 \mid m, \text{ for any prime } p, \end{cases} \text{ (Möbius function)}$$

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$$\varphi(m) = m \sum_{v|m} \frac{\mu(v)}{v}, \text{ (Euler's totient function)}$$

$$J_r(m) = m^r \sum_{v|m} \frac{\mu(v)}{v^r}, \text{ (Jordan's totient function),}$$

where $m \in \mathbb{N}$ and p_v denote successive prime numbers.

Lemma 1.1 [16] *For any $m \in \mathbb{N}$, $f(m) = \sum_{v|m} g(v)$ iff $g(m) = \sum_{v|m} \mu(v)g(\frac{m}{v}) = \sum_{v|m} \mu(\frac{m}{v})g(v)$.*

We highlight some of the interesting properties of $\rho^{(\alpha)}(m)$ (see [1]):

- (a) $\rho^{(\alpha)}(mn) = \rho^{(\alpha)}(m)\rho^{(\alpha)}(n)$.
- (b) By Lemma 1.1,

$$\rho^{(\alpha)}(m) = \sum_{v|m} v \text{ iff } m^\alpha = \sum_{v|m} \mu\left(\frac{m}{v}\right) \rho^{(\alpha)}(v). \tag{1.1}$$

- (c) For any prime p ,

$$\rho^{(\alpha)}(p^v) = \begin{cases} \frac{p^{\alpha(v+1)}}{p^\alpha - 1} & , \alpha \neq 0, \\ v + 1 & , \alpha = 0. \end{cases}$$

In general, if $m = p_1^{k_1} p_2^{k_2} \dots p_v^{k_v}$, then

$$\rho^{(\alpha)}(m) = \frac{p^{\alpha(k_1+1)}}{p^\alpha - 1} \cdot \frac{p^{\alpha(k_2+1)}}{p^\alpha - 1} \dots \frac{p^{\alpha(k_v+1)}}{p^\alpha - 1}.$$

For $\alpha = 0$, $\rho^{(\alpha)}(m) = \rho^{(0)}(m) = d(m)$. For $\alpha = 1$, $\rho^{(\alpha)}(m) = \rho^{(1)}(m) = \rho(m)$.

We write ω for the set of all real or complex valued sequences. We further denote by ℓ_p ($1 \leq p < \infty$) the set of all p -absolutely summable sequences, ℓ_∞ for all bounded sequences, c_0 for all convergent to zero sequences, and c for all convergent sequences [14].

Let $A = (a_{rs})$ be an infinite matrix and A_r denotes its r^{th} row. Then, we term the sequence $Ax = \{(Ax)_r\} = \{\sum_{s=0}^r a_{rs}x_s\}$ as the A -transform of the sequence $x = (x_s)$. Let X and Y be any two sequence spaces. We say that A defines a matrix mapping from X to Y if for each $x \in X$, $Ax \in Y$. We use the notation (X, Y) to denote the family of all matrix mappings such that $X \rightarrow Y$. Further, for any sequence space X , the set X_A that contains all the sequences whose A -transforms belong to X is called as the domain of A in X , i.e., $X_A = \{x \in \omega : Ax \in X\}$. For different matrix domains in classical sequence spaces, one can refer to [2, 8–11, 15].

Recently, Yaying et al. [22] defined the following sequence spaces via $\rho^{(\alpha)}(n)$:

$$\begin{aligned} \ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha) &:= \{x = (x_n) \in \omega : \mathfrak{A}^\alpha x \in \ell_p\}, \\ c_0(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha) &:= \{x = (x_n) \in \omega : \mathfrak{A}^\alpha x \in c_0\}, \\ c(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha) &:= \{x = (x_n) \in \omega : \mathfrak{A}^\alpha x \in c\}, \\ \ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha) &:= \{x = (x_n) \in \omega : \mathfrak{A}^\alpha x \in \ell_\infty\}, \end{aligned}$$

where the matrix $\mathfrak{A}^\alpha = (a_{n,v}^\alpha)_{n,v \in \mathbb{N}}$ is

$$a_{n,v}^\alpha = \begin{cases} \frac{v^\alpha}{\rho^{(\alpha)}(n)} & , v | n, \\ 0 & , v \nmid n. \end{cases}$$

That is

$$\mathfrak{A}^\alpha = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{1^\alpha} & \frac{2^\alpha}{1^\alpha + 2^\alpha} & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{1^\alpha + 2^\alpha} & 0 & \frac{3^\alpha}{1^\alpha + 3^\alpha} & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{1^\alpha + 3^\alpha} & \frac{2^\alpha}{1^\alpha + 2^\alpha + 4^\alpha} & 0 & \frac{4^\alpha}{1^\alpha + 2^\alpha + 4^\alpha} & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{1^\alpha + 2^\alpha + 4^\alpha} & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{5^\alpha}{1^\alpha + 5^\alpha} & \dots \\ \frac{1}{1^\alpha + 5^\alpha} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \end{bmatrix}.$$

Since \mathfrak{A}^α is a triangle, its unique inverse by (1.1) is $(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)^{-1} = (a_{n,v}^{-\alpha})$, where

$$a_{n,v}^{-\alpha} = \begin{cases} \frac{\mu(\frac{n}{v})\rho^{(\alpha)}(v)}{n^\alpha} & , v | n, \\ 0 & , v \nmid n. \end{cases}$$

\mathfrak{A}^α -transform of a sequence $\mathfrak{r} = (r_v)$ is given by $\eta = (\eta_n)$

$$\eta_n = (\mathfrak{A}^\alpha \mathfrak{r})_n = \sum_{v|n} \frac{v^\alpha}{\rho^{(\alpha)}(n)} r_v \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}). \tag{1.2}$$

The relation (1.2) is represented by

$$\mathfrak{r}_n = ((\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)^{-1} \eta)_n = \sum_{v|n} \frac{\mu(\frac{n}{v})\rho^{(\alpha)}(v)}{n^\alpha} \eta_v \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}).$$

The readers are suggested to consult the papers [18–20] for more insights into sequence spaces that are constructed by using arithmetic functions. Clearly $X(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha) = X_{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha}$, where $X = \ell_p, c_0, c, \text{ or } \ell_\infty$.

Remark 1.2 For $\alpha = 1$, $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$, $c_0(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$, $c(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ and $\ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ reduce to the spaces defined in [21].

Theorem 1.3 *We have*

- (1) $c_0(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$, $c(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$, $\ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ are BK-spaces with the norm

$$\|\mathfrak{r}\|_{\ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} = \|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha \mathfrak{r}\|_{\ell_\infty} = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \sum_{v|n} \frac{v^\alpha}{\rho^{(\alpha)}(n)} r_v \right|.$$

(2) $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ ($1 \leq p < \infty$) is a BK-space with the norm

$$\|x\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} = \|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha x\|_{\ell_p} = \left[\sum_{n=0}^\infty \left| \sum_{v|n} \frac{v^\alpha}{\rho^{(\alpha)}(n)} x_v \right|^p \right]^{1/p} < \infty.$$

In this paper, we study some geometric properties of these sequence spaces.

2 Geometric properties

We recall some geometric properties to study in our case. For Banach spaces λ and μ , let $L : \lambda \rightarrow \mu$ be a linear operator. We denote $B(\lambda, \mu)$ and $C(\lambda, \mu)$ for the spaces of bounded linear operators and compact linear operators, respectively.

L is weakly compact [13, Definition 3.5.1] if $L(Q)$ is a relatively weakly compact subset of μ whenever Q is a bounded subset of λ .

Approximation property [13, Definition 3.4.26] is possessed by λ if the set of finite rank members of $B(\mu, \lambda)$ is dense in $C(\mu, \lambda)$ for any μ .

A Banach space is said to have the approximation property (AP), if every compact operator is a limit of finite-rank operators.

The approximation property is satisfied by the space ℓ_p ($1 \leq p < \infty$) (see [13]).

The Dunford–Pettis property (in short, D-P property) is possessed by λ if every continuous weakly compact operator $L : \lambda \rightarrow \mu$ transforms weakly compact sets in λ into a compact sets in μ (such operators are called completely continuous).

Theorem 2.1 [17] *Let $L_0 \in B(v, \ell_\infty)$. Then, the operator L_0 may be extended to $L \in B(\lambda, \ell_\infty)$ with $\|L_0\| = \|L\|$, where v is a linear subspace of λ . In this case, ℓ_∞ is said to have Hahn–Banach extension property.*

Let

$$S_\lambda = \{s \in \lambda : \|s\| = 1\}.$$

A normed space λ is said to be rotund (or strictly convex) [13, Definition 5.1.1] if for any $s_1, s_2 \in S_\lambda$ ($s_1 \neq s_2$) and $0 < \alpha < 1$,

$$\|\alpha s_1 + (1 - \alpha)s_2\| < 1.$$

A normed space λ is rotund [13] iff

$$\left\| \frac{s_1 + s_2}{2} \right\| < 1$$

for any $s_1, s_2 \in S_\lambda$ ($s_1 \neq s_2$).

Proposition 2.2 [13, Proposition 5.1.9] *Any normed space that is isometrically isomorphic to a rotund space is also rotund.*

Let X be a Banach space.

If every bounded sequence (ξ_r) in X has a subsequence (χ_r) such that the sequence $\{t_k(\chi)\}$ converges in the norm, then X has the Banach–Saks property [15], where

$$\{t_i(\chi)\} = \frac{1}{i+1}(\chi_0 + \chi_1 + \dots) \quad (i \in \mathbb{N}).$$

If any weakly null sequence (ξ_r) in X has a subsequence (χ_r) such that $\{t_i(\chi)\}$ is strongly convergent to zero, then X has the weak Banach–Saks property.

The following coefficient is provided by Garcia-Falset [4],

$$R(X) = \sup \left\{ \liminf_{r \rightarrow \infty} \|\xi_r - \xi\| : (\xi_r) \subset D(X), \xi_r \rightarrow \xi(w), \xi \in D(X) \right\},$$

where $D(X)$ represents X 's unit ball.

Remark 2.3 X has weak fixed point characteristics when $R(X) < 2$ [5].

For $1 < p < \infty$, the property $(BS)_p$, also known as Banach–Saks type p , is that if a subsequence (ξ_{k_l}) of every weakly null sequence (ξ_k) satisfies

$$\left\| \sum_{l=0}^u \xi_{k_l} \right\| < Q \cdot (u+1)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

for each $Q > 0$ and for all $u \in \mathbb{N}$ ([12]).

The Gurarii's modulus of convexity (see [6, 7]) is defined by

$$\beta_X(\epsilon) = \inf \left\{ 1 - \inf_{0 \leq \delta \leq 1} \|\delta x + (1-\delta)y\|; x, y \in S_X, \|x - y\| = \epsilon \right\},$$

where $0 \leq \epsilon \leq 2$, and S_X denotes the unit sphere in X .

Most recently such properties are studied in [3].

3 Main results

Here we study such geometric properties for our sequence spaces.

Theorem 3.1 *The approximation property is possessed by the space $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ for $1 \leq p < \infty$.*

Proof Let $L \in C(\lambda, \ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha))$ for any Banach space λ . It follows that for each bounded sequence $s = (s_n) \in \lambda$, the sequence (Ls_n) has a convergent sub-sequence (Ls_{n_v}) in $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$, i.e.,

$$\|Ls_{n_u} - Ls_{n_v}\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}^p = \|L(s_{n_u} - s_{n_v})\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}^p = \|(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha L)(s_{n_u} - s_{n_v})\|_{\ell_p}^p \rightarrow 0$$

as $u, v \rightarrow \infty$. Then, $\mathfrak{A}^\alpha L \in C(\lambda, \ell_p)$. Since ℓ_p possesses the approximation property, there exists a sequence $T_n \in B(\lambda, \ell_p)$ of finite rank operators such that

$$\|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha L - T_n\| \rightarrow 0.$$

Consequently, the sequence $(\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}T_n) \in B(\lambda, \ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha))$ is the required sequence of finite rank. Also

$$\begin{aligned} \|L - \{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}T_n\| &= \sup_{\|s\|=1} \|(L - \{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}T_n)s\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}^p \\ &= \sup_{\|s\|=1} \|Ls - (\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}T_n)s\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}^p \\ &= \sup_{\|s\|=1} \|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha Ls - T_n s\|_{\ell_p}^p \\ &= \sup_{\|s\|=1} \|(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha L - T_n)s\|_{\ell_p}^p \\ &\rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. □

Theorem 3.2 *The D-P property is possessed by the space $\ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$.*

Proof Suppose that $L: \ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha) \rightarrow \lambda$ is a weakly compact operator. Then, $L\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}: \ell_1 \rightarrow \lambda$ is a bounded linear operator. Let $B \subset \ell_1$ be bounded. Then, it follows that $\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}B \subset \ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ is bounded. It follows that the set

$$L(\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}B) = (L\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1})B$$

is relatively weakly compact in λ , since L is weakly compact. Therefore, $L\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}: \ell_1 \rightarrow \lambda$ is a weakly compact operator. Now, the operator $L\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}$ is completely continuous, since the space ℓ_1 has the D-P property. Suppose that Q is a weakly compact subset of $\ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$. Then, $\mathfrak{A}^\alpha Q$ is a weakly compact subset of ℓ_1 . Therefore, $L\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha(Q)) = L(Q)$ is a compact set in μ , since $L\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}$ is completely continuous. Hence, L is completely continuous as required. □

Theorem 3.3 *The space $\ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ has the Hahn–Banach extension property.*

Proof Let v be a linear subspace of a Banach space λ and $L_0 \in B(v, \ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha))$. Then, $\mathfrak{A}^\alpha L_0 \in B(v, \ell_\infty)$. Then the operator $\mathfrak{A}^\alpha L_0$ can be extended to $T \in B(\lambda, \ell_\infty)$ with $\|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha L_0\| = \|T\|$, since by Theorem 2.1 ℓ_∞ has the Hahn–Banach extension property. Choose the operator $L = \{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}T$. Then, $L \in B(\lambda, \ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha))$. Also, we observe that

$$Ls = (\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}T)s = \{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}(Ts) = \{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}((\mathfrak{A}^\alpha L_0)s) = L_0s.$$

for any $s \in v$. Additionally

$$\|L\| = \|\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}T\| = \|\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1}(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha L_0)\| = \|L_0\|,$$

as desired. □

Theorem 3.4 *The space $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ ($1 < p < \infty$) is rotund.*

Proof Since ℓ_p ($1 < p < \infty$) is a rotund, using Proposition 2.2 we get the result. □

Theorem 3.5 *The spaces $\ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ and $\ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ are not rotund.*

Proof Choose $a_\nu, b_\nu \in \ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ given by

$$a_\nu = \begin{cases} \frac{\mu(\nu) + (1^\alpha + 2^\alpha)\mu\left(\frac{\nu}{2}\right)}{\nu^\alpha}, & \nu \text{ is even} \\ \frac{\mu(\nu)}{\nu^\alpha}, & \nu \text{ is odd,} \end{cases} \quad \text{and}$$

$$b_\nu = \begin{cases} \frac{\mu(\nu) - (1^\alpha + 2^\alpha)\mu\left(\frac{\nu}{2}\right)}{\nu^\alpha}, & \nu \text{ is even} \\ \frac{\mu(\nu)}{\nu^\alpha}, & \nu \text{ is odd,} \end{cases}$$

for all $\nu \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, $\mathfrak{A}^\alpha a = (1, 1, 0, 0, \dots) \in \ell_p$ and $\mathfrak{A}^\alpha b = (1, -1, 0, 0, \dots) \in \ell_p$. It follows that $\|a\|_{\ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} = 1$ and $\|b\|_{\ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} = 1$. That is $a, b \in S_{\ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}$.

Let $s = \frac{a+b}{2}$. Then, $\mathfrak{A}^\alpha s = \left\{ \frac{\mu(\nu)}{\nu^\alpha} \right\}$. Thus,

$$\|s\|_{\ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} = \|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha s\|_{\ell_1} = 1.$$

Hence, we see that

$$\|s\|_{\ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} \not< 1.$$

Therefore, the space $\ell_1(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ is not rotund. Similarly, non-rotundness of $\ell_\infty(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ can be proved. □

Theorem 3.6 *The space $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ ($1 < p < \infty$) has the property $(BS)_p$.*

Proof For a positive number sequence (ϵ_r) such that $\sum_{r=1}^\infty \epsilon_r \leq \frac{1}{2}$ and a weakly null sequence $(\xi_r) \in B(\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha))$. Put $\chi_0 = \xi_0 = 0$ and $\chi_1 = \xi_{r_1} = \xi_1$. Therefore, there exists $\nu_1 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$\left\| \sum_{k=\nu_1+1}^\infty \chi_1(k)e^{(k)} \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} < \epsilon_1.$$

There is an $r_2 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$\left\| \sum_{k=0}^{\nu_1} \xi_r(k)e^{(k)} \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} < \epsilon_1,$$

when $r \geq r_2$, since (ξ_r) is a weakly null sequence, then $\xi_r \rightarrow 0$ coordinatewise. Set $\chi_2 = \xi_{r_2}$. Therefore there exists an $r_2 > r_1$ such that

$$\left\| \sum_{k=\nu_2+1}^\infty \chi_2(k)e^{(k)} \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} < \epsilon_2.$$

By using $\xi_r \rightarrow 0$ coordinatewise, there exists $r_3 > r_2$ such that

$$\left\| \sum_{k=0}^{v_2} \xi_r(k)e^{(k)} \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} < \epsilon_2,$$

when $r \geq r_3$.

By following this procedure, two increasing subsequences (v_k) and (r_k) can be obtained such that

$$\left\| \sum_{k=0}^{v_\alpha} \xi_r(k)e^{(k)} \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} < \epsilon_\alpha,$$

for each $r \geq r_{\alpha+1}$ and

$$\left\| \sum_{k=v_\alpha+1}^\infty \chi_j(k)e^{(k)} \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} < \epsilon_\alpha,$$

where $\chi_\alpha = \xi_{r_\alpha}$. Thus

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| \sum_{\alpha=0}^r \chi_\alpha \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} \\ &= \left\| \sum_{\alpha=0}^r \left(\sum_{k=0}^{v_{\alpha-1}} \chi_\alpha(k)e^{(k)} + \sum_{k=v_{\alpha-1}+1}^{v_\alpha} \chi_\alpha(k)e^{(k)} + \sum_{k=v_\alpha+1}^\infty \chi_\alpha(k)e^{(k)} \right) \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} \\ &\leq \left\| \sum_{\alpha=0}^r \left(\sum_{k=v_{\alpha-1}+1}^{v_\alpha} \chi_\alpha(k)e^{(k)} \right) \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} + 2 \sum_{\alpha=0}^r \epsilon_\alpha. \end{aligned}$$

However, we see that $\|\xi\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} \leq 1$. Thus, we have

$$\left\| \sum_{\alpha=0}^r \left(\sum_{k=v_{\alpha-1}+1}^{v_\alpha} \chi_\alpha(k)e^{(k)} \right) \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}^p \leq (r + 1).$$

So, we have

$$\left\| \sum_{\alpha=0}^r \sum_{k=v_{\alpha-1}+1}^{v_\alpha} \chi_\alpha(k)e^{(k)} \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}^p \leq (r + 1)^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

By using $1 \leq (r + 1)^{\frac{1}{p}}$ for all $r \in \mathbb{N}$ and $1 < p < \infty$, we have

$$\left\| \sum_{\alpha=0}^r \chi_\alpha \right\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} \leq (r + 1)^{\frac{1}{p}} + 1 \leq 2(r + 1)^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

Therefore, $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ has Banach–Saks type p . □

Remark 3.7 The space $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ is linearly isomorphic to ℓ_p and $R(\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)) = R(\ell_p) = 2^{\frac{1}{p}}$.

Theorem 3.8 *The space $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ ($1 < p < \infty$) has weak fixed-point property.*

Proof The proof is straightforward and follows from Remark 2.3 and 3.7. □

Theorem 3.9 *The Gurarii’s modulus of convexity for $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ ($p \geq 1$) is*

$$\beta_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}(\delta) \leq 1 - \left(1 - \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^p\right)^{1/p},$$

where $0 \leq \delta \leq 2$.

Proof Let $x \in \ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$. Then

$$\|x\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} = \|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha x\|_{\ell_p} = \left[\sum_{n=0}^\infty \left| \sum_{v|n} \frac{v^\alpha}{\rho^{(\alpha)}(n)} x_v \right|^p \right]^{1/p}.$$

For $0 \leq \delta \leq 2$, define

$$x = \left(\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1} \left(1 - \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^p\right)^{1/p}, \{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1} \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right), 0, 0, 0, \dots \right)$$

and

$$y = \left(\{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1} \left(1 - \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^p\right)^{1/p}, \{\mathfrak{A}^\alpha\}^{-1} \left(-\frac{\delta}{2}\right), 0, 0, 0, \dots \right).$$

Then, $\|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha x\|_{\ell_p} = \|x\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} = 1$ and $\|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha y\|_{\ell_p} = \|y\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} = 1$. That is, $x, y \in S(\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha))$ and $\|\mathfrak{A}^\alpha x - \mathfrak{A}^\alpha y\|_{\ell_p} = \|x - y\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)} = \delta$. For $0 \leq \delta \leq 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} \|\alpha x + (1 - \alpha)y\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}^p &= \|\alpha \mathfrak{A}^\alpha x + (1 - \alpha)\mathfrak{A}^\alpha y\|_{\ell_p}^p \\ &= 1 - \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^p + [2\alpha - 1] \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^p. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\inf_{0 \leq \delta \leq 1} \|\alpha x + (1 - \alpha)y\|_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}^p = 1 - \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^p.$$

That is, for $p \geq 1$,

$$\beta_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}(\delta) \leq 1 - \left(1 - \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^p\right)^{1/p}.$$

Hence proved. □

Corollary 3.10 (i) *If $\delta = 2$, then $\beta_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}(\delta) = 1$. So, $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ is strictly convex. (ii) *If $0 < \delta \leq 2$, then $0 < \beta_{\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)}(\delta) \leq 1$. So, $\ell_p(\mathfrak{A}^\alpha)$ is uniformly convex.**

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