

## THE $G$ -TRANSLATIVITY OF ABEL-TYPE TRANSFORMATIONS

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ABSTRACT. Suppose  $0 < t_n < 1$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} t_n = 1$ , then the Abel-type matrix, denoted by  $A_{\alpha,t}$ , is the matrix defined by

$$a_{nk} = \binom{k+\alpha}{k} t_n^k (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}, \quad \alpha > -1.$$

Recently the author proved that the Abel-type matrix  $A_{\alpha,t}$  is  $\ell$ -translative [2]. In this paper, we investigate the  $G$ -translativity of these transformations.

### 1. BASIC NOTATIONS AND DEFINITIONS

Let  $A = (\alpha_{nk})$  be an infinite matrix defining a sequence to a sequence summability transformation given by

$$(Ax)_n = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \alpha_{nk} x_k$$

where  $(Ax)_n$  denotes the  $n$ th term of the image sequence  $Ax$ . Let  $y$  be a complex number sequence. Throughout this paper, we shall use the following basic notations and definitions.

$$G = \left\{ y : y_k = O(r^k), \quad 0 < r < 1 \right\}$$
$$G(A) = \{ y : Ay \in G \}$$
$$c(A) = \{ y : y \text{ is summable by } A \}.$$

**Definition 1.1.** If  $X$  and  $Y$  are sets of complex number sequences, then the matrix  $A$  is called an  $X - Y$  matrix if the image  $Au$  of  $u$  under the transformation  $A$  is in  $Y$  whenever  $u$  is in  $X$ .

**Definition 1.2.** The summability matrix  $A$  is said to be  $G$ -translative for the sequence  $u = \{u_0, u_1, u_2, \dots\}$  in  $G(A)$  provided that each of the sequences  $T_u$  and  $S_u$  is in  $G(A)$ , where  $T_u = \{u_1, u_2, \dots\}$  and  $S_u = \{0, u_0, u_1, \dots\}$ .

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**Definition 1.3.** The sequence  $x$  is said to be  $A_\alpha$ -summable to  $L$  if

- (1)  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} u_k x^k$  is convergent, for  $0 < x < 1$ ,
- (2)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (1-x)^{\alpha+1} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} u_k x^k = L$ .

Here  $A_\alpha$  is the Abel-type power series method discussed by David Borwin in [1].

## 2. MAIN RESULTS

**Proposition 2.1.** If  $A_{\alpha,t}$  is a  $G-G$  matrix, then  $(1-t)^{\alpha+1} \in G$ .

*Proof.* Suppose  $(1-t)^{\alpha+1}$  is not in  $G$ . This implies that the first column of the matrix  $A_{\alpha,t}$  is not in  $G$  because  $a_n, 0 = (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}$ . Hence  $A_{\alpha,t}$  is not a  $G-G$  matrix.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.2.** Every  $G-G$   $A_{\alpha,t}$  matrix is  $G$ -translative for each sequences  $x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  for which  $\left\{ \frac{x_k}{k+\alpha} \right\} \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$ ,  $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

*Proof.* Suppose  $x$  is a sequence in  $G(A_{\alpha,t})$  for which  $\left\{ \frac{x_k}{k+\alpha} \right\} \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$ . We will show that

- (1)  $T_x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$ , and
- (2)  $S_x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$ ,

where  $T_x$  and  $S_x$  are as defined above. Let us first show that (1) holds. Note that

$$\begin{aligned}
 |(A_{\alpha,t})_n| &= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_{k+1} t_n^k \right| \\
 &= \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_{k+1} t_n^{k+1} \right| \\
 &= \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k-1+\alpha}{k-1} x_k t_n^k \right| \\
 &= \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \frac{k}{k+\alpha} \right| \\
 &= \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \left( 1 - \frac{\alpha}{k+\alpha} \right) \right| \\
 &\leq A_n + B_n,
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$A_n = \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \right|$$

and

$$B_n = \frac{|\alpha|(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} \frac{x_k}{k+\alpha} t_n^k \right|.$$

Now if we show that both  $\{A_n\}$  and  $\{B_n\}$  are in  $G$ , then (1) holds. But the conditions that  $\{A_n\} \in G$  and  $\{B_n\} \in G$  follow easily from the assumptions that  $x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  and  $\left\{\frac{x_k}{k+\alpha}\right\} \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  respectively. Next, we will show that (2) holds as follows. We have

$$\begin{aligned} |(A_{\alpha,t} S x)_n| &= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_{k-1} t_n^k \right| \\ &= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha+1}{k+1} x_k t_n^{k+1} \right| \\ &= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^{k+1} \left( \frac{k+\alpha+1}{k+1} \right) \right| \\ &= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^{k+1} \left( 1 + \frac{\alpha}{k+1} \right) \right| \\ &\leq C_n + D_n, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$C_n = (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \right|$$

and

$$D_n = (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} |\alpha| \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} \frac{x_k}{k+1} t_n^{k+1} \right|.$$

If we show that  $\{C_n\}$  and  $\{D_n\}$  are in  $G$ , then (2) holds. But the assumptions that  $x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  and  $\left\{\frac{x_k}{k+\alpha}\right\} \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  imply that both  $\{C_n\}$  and  $\{D_n\}$  are in  $G$  respectively hence the theorem holds.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.3.** *Every  $G-G A_{\alpha,t}$  matrix is  $G$ -translative for each sequence  $x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  for which  $\left\{\frac{x_k}{k+\alpha}\right\} \in G$ ,  $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$*

**Theorem 2.4.** *Suppose  $-1 < \alpha \leq 0$ , then every  $G - G$   $A_{\alpha,t}$  matrix is  $G$ -translative for each  $A_{\alpha}$ -summable [1] sequence  $x$  in  $G(A_{\alpha,t})$ .*

*Proof.* Since the assumption holds for  $\alpha = 0$ , we will only consider the case  $-1 < \alpha < 0$ .

Let  $x \in (c(A_{\alpha}) \cap G(A_{\alpha,t}))$ . We will show that:

- (1)  $T_x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  and
- (2)  $S_x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$

Let us first show that (1) holds.

$$\begin{aligned}
|(A_{\alpha,t}T_x)_n| &= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_{k+1} t_n^k \right| \\
&= \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_{k+1} t_n^{k+1} \right| \\
&= \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k-1+\alpha}{k-1} x_k t_n^k \right| \\
&= \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \frac{k}{k+\alpha} \right| \\
&= \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \left(1 - \frac{\alpha}{k+\alpha}\right) \right| \\
&\leq E_n + F_n,
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$E_n = (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \right|$$

and

$$F_n = -\alpha(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} t_n^k \frac{x_k}{k+\alpha} \right|.$$

Now if we show that both  $\{E_n\}$  and  $\{F_n\}$  are in  $G$  then (1) holds. From the conditions that  $\{E_n\} \in G$  follows the assumption that  $x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  and  $\{F_n\} \in G$  will be shown as follows. We have

$$F_n < (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} |x_1| + (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} t_n^k \frac{x_k}{k+\alpha} \right| = P_n + Q_n,$$

where

$$P_n = |x_1| (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1}$$

and

$$Q_n = (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} t_n^k \frac{x_k}{k+\alpha} \right|.$$

By Proposition 2.1, and the hypothesis that  $A_{\alpha,t} G \in G$  we have that  $\{P_n\} \in G$ , hence there remains only to show that  $\{Q_n\} \in G$  as  $\{F_n\} \in G$ . Observe that

$$\begin{aligned} Q_n &= (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k \left( \int_0^{t_n} t_n^{k+\alpha-1} dt \right) \right| \\ &= \frac{(1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n^{\alpha+1}} \left| \int_0^{t_n} dt \left( \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t^{k+\alpha-1} \right) \right|. \end{aligned}$$

The interchanging of the integral and the summation is legitimate as the radius of convergence of the power series is 1

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t^{k+\alpha-1}$$

is at least 1 and hence the power series converges absolutely and uniformly for  $0 \leq t \leq t_n$ . Now we let

$$G(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t^{k+\alpha-1}.$$

Then, we have

$$G(t) (1 - t)^{\alpha+1} = (1 - t)^{\alpha+1} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t^{k+\alpha-1}$$

and the hypothesis that  $x \in c(A_\alpha)$  implies that

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \bar{t}} G(t) (1 - t)^{\alpha+1} = A \text{ (finite), for } 0 < t < 1. \quad (\text{i})$$

We also have

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} G(t) (1 - t)^{\alpha+1} = 0. \quad (\text{ii})$$

Now (i) and (ii) yield that

$$\left| G(t) (1 - t)^{\alpha+1} \right| \leq M_1, \text{ for some } M_1 > 0,$$

and hence

$$|G(t)| \leq M_1 (1 - t)^{-(\alpha+1)}.$$

So, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
Q_n &= \frac{(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t^\alpha} \left| \int_0^{t_n} G(t) dt \right| \\
\Rightarrow Q_n &\leq M_2 (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \int_0^{t_n} |G(t)| dt \text{ for some } M_2 > 0 \\
&\leq M_1 M_2 (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \int_0^{t_n} (1-t_n)^{-(\alpha+1)} dt \\
&= \frac{M_1 M_2}{\alpha} (1-t_n) - \frac{M_1 M_2}{\alpha} (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \\
&\leq \frac{-2M_1 M_2}{\alpha} (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1}.
\end{aligned}$$

By Proposition 2.1 and the assumption that  $A_{\alpha,t} G - G$  we have that  $(1-t)^{(\alpha+1)} \in G$ , and hence  $\{Q_n\} \in G$ . Next we show that (2) holds. We have

$$\begin{aligned}
|(A_{\alpha,t} S_x)_n| &= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_{k-1} t_n^k \right| \\
&= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha+1}{k+1} x_k t_n^{k+1} \right| \\
&= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^{k+1} \left( \frac{k+\alpha+1}{k+1} \right) \right| \\
&= (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^{k+1} \left( 1 + \frac{\alpha}{k+1} \right) \right| \\
&= R_n + S_n,
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$R_n = (1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \right|$$

and

$$S_n = -(1-t_n)^{\alpha+1} \alpha \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} \frac{x_k}{k+1} t_n^{k+1} \right|.$$

Now if we show that both  $\{R_n\}$  and  $\{S_n\}$  are in  $G$ , then (2) follows. But the assumption that  $x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  implies that  $\{R_n\} \in G$ , and  $\{S_n\} \in G$  follows using the same argument that we used in showing  $\{Q_n\} \in G$  before.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.5.** *Suppose  $0 < \alpha$  and  $1 - t \in G$ , then every  $G - G$   $A_{\alpha,t}$  matrix is  $G$ -translative for each  $A_{\alpha}$ -summable sequence  $x$  in  $G(A_{\alpha,t})$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $x \in (c(A_{\alpha}) \cap G(A_{\alpha,t}))$ . We will show that:

- (1)  $T_x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  and
- (2)  $S_x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$ .

Let us first show that (1) holds.

$$\begin{aligned}
|(A_{\alpha,t}T_x)_n| &= (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_{k+1} t_n^k \right| \\
&= \frac{(1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha+1}{k} x_{k+1} t_n^{k+1} \right| \\
&= \frac{(1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k-1+\alpha}{k-1} x_k t_n^k \right| \\
&= \frac{(1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \frac{k}{k+\alpha} \right| \\
&= \frac{(1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \left(1 - \frac{\alpha}{k+\alpha}\right) \right| \\
&\leq H_n + L_n
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$H_n = (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1} t_n \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \right|$$

and

$$L_n = -\alpha (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1} t_n \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t_n^k \frac{x_k}{k+\alpha} \right|.$$

Now if we show that both  $\{H_n\}$  and  $\{L_n\}$  are in  $G$  hence (1) holds. But the conditions that  $\{H_n\} \in G$  follows from the assumption that  $x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  and  $\{L_n\} \in G$  will be shown as follows. Note that

$$L_n < (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1} |x_1| + (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} t_n^k \frac{x_k}{k+\alpha} \right| = Y_n + Z_n,$$

where

$$Y_n = |x_1| (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1}$$

and

$$Z_n = (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} t_n^k \frac{x_k}{k+\alpha} \right|.$$

By Proposition 2.1, the assumption that  $A_{\alpha,t}$   $G$ - $G$  implies that  $\{Y_n\} \in G$ , hence remains only to show  $\{Z_n\} \in G$  to show that  $\{L_n\} \in G$ . Observe that

$$\begin{aligned} Z_n &= (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1} \left| \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k \left( \int_0^{t_n} t_n^{k+\alpha-1} dt \right) \right| \\ &= \frac{(1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1}}{t_n^\alpha} \left| \int_0^{t_n} dt \left( \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \binom{k+\alpha}{k} x_k t^{k+\alpha} \right) \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Now following the same argument we used for  $Q_n$  above in the proof of Theorem 2.4 it follows that

$$Z_n \leq \frac{M_1 M_2}{\alpha} (1 - t_n) - \frac{M_1 M_2}{\alpha} (1 - t_n)^{\alpha+1}.$$

By Proposition 2.1, the assumptions that  $A_{\alpha,t}$  is  $G - G$  implies that  $(1 - t)^{(\alpha+1)} \in G$ . Now  $(1 - t)^{(\alpha+1)} \in G$  and the assumption that  $(1 - t) \in G$  imply that  $Z \in G$ . Next we show that (2) holds by showing  $S_x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$ . But this can be easily shown using the same argument used in showing  $S_x \in G(A_{\alpha,t})$  in Theorem 2.4. Hence the theorem holds.  $\square$

The following basic facts can be easily proved. We state them here as propositions with out proofs.

**Proposition 2.6.** *Suppose  $-1 < \alpha \leq 0$ , then every  $G - G$   $A_{\alpha,t}$  matrix is  $G$ -translative for the sequence  $x$  such that  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x_k$  has bounded partial sum.*

**Proposition 2.7.** *Every  $G - G$   $A_{\alpha,t}$  matrix is  $G$ -translative for the unbounded sequence  $x$  given by*

$$x_k = (-1)^k (k + 1).$$

**Proposition 2.8.** *Every  $G - G$   $A_{\alpha,t}$  matrix is  $G$ -translative for each sequence  $x \in G$ .*

**Proposition 2.9.** *Suppose  $-1 < \alpha \leq 0$ , then every  $G - G$   $A_{\alpha,t}$  matrix is  $G$ -translative for the sequence  $x$  such that  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x_k$  is conditionally convergent.*



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