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# Estimations of s-Numbers of an Infinite Matrix Operator on $H^1_{\beta}$ Spaces

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#### **Abstract**

In this paper we study conditions that an infinite matrix  $T = \left(\tau_{ij}\right)_{i=1}^{\infty}{}^{\infty}$  has to satisfy in order to define a linear bounded operator from any weighted  $H^1_{\beta}$  with a weight sequence  $\mathcal{B}$ ={  $\mathcal{B}_{\beta}$ } of positive numbers into itself, and give upper and lower estimations of the approximation numbers of such an infinite matrix.

**Keywords:** Approximation numbers; Infinite matrix; Weighted sequence

## Introduction

In [1-8] an exact estimation of approximation numbers of a multiplication operator  $T = \left(\tau_i\right)_{i=1}^{\infty}$  on the space  $\ell^p$   $(1 \le p < \infty)$  was given by the formula  $\alpha_r(T) = \sup_{card\ F = r+1} \inf_{i \in F \subset N} |\tau_i|$ , where F is any subset with (r+1) elements of the set of natural numbers N, and the same result was found true for any multiplication operator  $T = \binom{1}{i}_{i \in I}$  defined on the space  $\ell_v(I)$  of bounded families of real numbers.

In [3] upper and lower estimations of the approximation numbers of an infinite matrix  $T = (\tau_{nk})_{n=1,k=1}^{\infty}$  on the space  $\ell^1$  were given by

$$\sup_{\lambda_{nk}} \sup_{card F = r+1} \inf_{n} \frac{1}{\sum_{k \in F} |\lambda_{nk}|} \leq \alpha_{r}(T) \leq \sup_{card F = r+1} \inf_{k \in F} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}|,$$

where,  $\{\lambda = (\lambda_{nk}), \ k \in F\}$  is a biorthogonal family of functionals to the family  $\{\tau_k = (\lambda_{kj}), \ k \in F\} \subseteq \ell^1$ . In [5] the same result was found true for an infinite matrix  $T = \left(\tau_{nk}\right)_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty}$  on the space  $\ell_{\gamma}$ .

The main objective of this paper is finding upper and lower estimations of the approximation numbers of an infinite matrix operator  $T = \left(\tau_{nk}\right)_{n=1}^{\infty} {}^{\infty}_{k=1}$  from the weighted  $H^1_{\beta}$  space into itself [1-6].

## **Notations and Basic Definitions**

- 1 By card (F) we denote the number of elements belonging to any subset F.
- 2 For any two Banach spaces X and Y we denote by L(X, Y) the Banach space of all continuous linear operators from X into Y equipped with the usual operator norm.
- 3 For a weight sequence  $\beta = \{\beta_i\}$  of positive numbers, we denote by  $H^1_\beta$ ,  $H^\infty_\beta$  the weighted spaces,

$$H_{\beta}^{1} = \left\{ f(z) : f(z) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_{i} \frac{z^{i}}{\beta_{i}}, \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left| a_{i} \right| < \infty \right\}$$

$$H_{\beta}^{\infty} = \left\{ f(z) : f(z) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i \frac{z^i}{\beta_i}, \sup_{i} |a_i| < \infty \right\}$$

Equipped with the following norms:

$$||f|| = \left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |a_i|\right)$$
 and  $||f|| = \sup_{i} |a_i|$  respectively.

# **Preliminary Lemmas and Propositions**

In this section we mention some terminologies and state several auxiliary lemmas and propositions which we use.

## **Proposition**

A map which assigns to every operator  $T \in L(X,Y)$  a unique sequence  $\{s_n(T)\}, n=0,1,2,\ldots$  is called an s-function if the following conditions are satisfied: (8.9)

1 - 
$$s_{n+m}(U + V) \le s_n(U) + s_m(V)$$
 for  $U, V \in L(X, Y)$ .

2 - 
$$|s(U) - s(V)| \le ||U - V||$$
 for  $U, V \in L(X, Y)$ .

3 -  $s_{\cdot}(\lambda U)$ =| $\lambda$ |  $s_{\cdot}(U)$ , for all real numbers  $\lambda$  and U∈L(X,Y).

4 - $s_u(U) \ge s_u(U^*)$ . If U is compact operator then  $s_u(U) \ge s_u(U^*)$ .

5 - 
$$||T|| = s_0(T) ≥ s_1(T) ≥ s_2(T) ≥ .... ≥ 0$$
, for all T∈L(X,Y).

6 - 
$$s_{u}(UTV) \le ||U|| s_{u}(T) |V||$$
 for  $V \in L(X_{0}, X), T \in L(X, Y), U \in L(Y, Y_{0})$ .

7 -  $s_n(T)$ =0 if rank (T)≤n for  $T \in L(X,Y)$ .

$$8 - s_r(I_n) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } r < n \\ 0 & \text{for } r \ge n \end{cases}$$

Where  $I_n$  is the identity operator on the Euclidean space  $l_2^n$ . We call  $s_n(T)$  the  $n^{th}$  s-number of the operator T.

As examples of s-numbers, we mention approximation numbers  $\alpha_r(T)$ , Gelfand numbers  $c_r(T)$ , Kolmogorov numbers  $d_r(T)$  and Tichomirov numbers  $d_r^*(T)$  defined by:

i) Approximation numbers of operators,

For any arbitrary normed spaces X and Y,  $A_r(X,Y)$  for r=0,1,2,... denotes the collection of all finite mappings  $A \in L(X,Y)$  whose range is at most r-dimensional. For any arbitrary operator  $T \in L(X,Y)$  the r-th approximation numbers of T is defined by

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$$\alpha_r(T) = \inf \{ \|T - A\| : A \in A_r(X, Y) \} \ (r = 0, 1, 2, 3, ...).$$

ii)  $c_r(T) = \alpha_r(J_Y T)$ , where  $J_y$  is a metric injection (a metric injection is a one to one operator with closed range and with norm equal one)from the space Y into a higher space  $I^p(I)$  for suitable index set I [7-9].

iii) 
$$d_n(T) = \inf_{\dim Y \le n} \sup_{\Vert v \Vert \le 1} \inf_{v \in Y} \Vert Tx - v \Vert$$
 for  $T \in L(X, Y)$ .

iv) 
$$d_x^*(T) = d_x(J_xT)$$
 for  $T \in L(X,Y)$ .

# Lemma 1

Let  $T = (\tau_{nk})_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty}$  be an infinite matrix. If  $\sup_{n} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}| \prec \infty$  then the expression  $T(f(z)) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (\tau_{nk} a_k) \frac{z^n}{\beta_n}$ ,  $\forall f(z) \in H_{\beta}^{\infty}$  defines a linear continuous operator T:  $H_{\beta}^{\infty} \to H_{\beta}^{\infty}$  with  $||T|| = \sup_{k=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}|$ .

#### Proof

For any element  $f(z) \in H^{\infty}_{\beta}$  we get,

$$||T(f(z))|| = \left\| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (\tau_{nk} a_k) \frac{z^n}{\beta_n} \right\|_{H^{\infty}} = \sup_{n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \tau_{nk} a_k \right|$$

$$\leq \sup_{n} |a_k| \cdot \sup_{n} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \tau_{nk} \right|$$

Therefore, 
$$||T|| \le \sup_{n} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}|$$
.

On the other hand, noting that  $f_n$ =( $sign\ au_{n1}$ ,  $sign\ au_{n2}$ ,...) is an element belonging to  $H^\infty_\beta$  we get,

$$||T|| \ge \frac{||T(f_n)||_{H^{\infty}_{\beta}}}{||f_n||_{H^{\infty}}}. Hence ||T|| \ge \sup_{n} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}|.$$

## Lemma 2

Let  $T = \left(\tau_{nk}\right)_{n=1,\,k=1}^{\infty}$  be an infinite matrix. If  $\sup_{k}\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\left|\tau_{nk}\right| \prec \infty$  then the expression  $T(f(z)) = \sum\limits_{n=1}^{\infty}\sum\limits_{k=1}^{\infty}\left(\tau_{nk}a_{k}\right)\frac{z^{n}}{\beta_{n}}, \ \forall \ f(z) \in H_{\beta}^{1}$  defines a linear continuous operator  $T: H_{\beta}^{1} \to H_{\beta}^{1}$  with  $\|T\| = \sup_{k}\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\left|\tau_{nk}\right|$ .

#### Proof

$$||T(f(z))|| = \left| \left| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (\tau_{nk} a_k) \frac{z^n}{\beta_n} \right| \le \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk} a_k|$$
$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_k| \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}| \le \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_k| \cdot \sup_{k=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}|$$

Therefore, 
$$||T|| \le \sup_{n=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}|$$

On the other hand writing  $\beta^{-1} = \left| \beta_n^{-1} \right|$  and noting that the point

$$f_{n} = (\operatorname{sign} \tau_{n1}, \operatorname{sign} \tau_{n2}, \dots) \in H_{\beta-1}^{\infty} \text{ with } \|f_{n}\|_{H^{\infty}} = 1 \text{ we get,}$$

$$\|T : H_{\beta}^{1} \to H_{\beta}^{1}\| = \|T^{*} : H_{\beta-1}^{\infty} \to H_{\beta-1}^{\infty}\| \geq \|T^{*}f_{n}\|_{H^{\infty}_{\beta-1}} \geq \sup_{k} \sum_{i=1}^{n} |r_{ik}|$$

## Lemma 3

For 
$$f = (a_i) \in H_\beta^\infty$$
 we get

$$\sup_{\operatorname{card} F = n+1} \inf_{i \in F} |a_i| = \inf_{\operatorname{card} F = n} \sup_{i \notin F} |a_i|.$$

#### Main Theorems

## Theorem 1

Let  $T = (\tau_{nk})_{n=1,k=1}^{\infty}$  be an infinite matrix with linearly independent rows and columns satisfying the conditions of Lemmas (1), (2), (3) and considering T as an operator such that:

 $T: H^1_{\beta} \longrightarrow H^1_{\beta}$  then we get the following inequality

$$\sup_{cardF=r+1}\inf_{n}\left(\frac{1}{\sum\limits_{k=1}^{\infty}|\gamma_{nk}|}\right)\leq \alpha_{r}(T)\leq \sup_{cardF=r+1}\inf_{k\in F}\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}|\tau_{nk}|.$$

Where F is any subset of natural numbers with (r+1) elements and  $(\gamma_{ij})_{i=1}^{\infty}$  is the biortogonal function to  $(\tau_{nk})_{k=1}^{\infty}$ .

#### Proof

For any set E of indices with card E=r we define an operator  $A_E: H^1_{\beta} \longrightarrow H^1_{\beta}$  with rank  $(A_E) \le r$  by:

$$A_E = (a_{nk}), \ a_{nk} = \begin{cases} 0 &, \ k \notin E \\ \tau_{nk} &, \ k \in E \end{cases}$$

From the definition of approximation numbers and using Lemmas (1),(2),(3) we get

$$\alpha_r(T) \le \inf_{card\ E=r} \left\| T - A_E \right\| \le \left\| T - A_E \right\| = \sup_{k \in E} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}|$$

$$\leq \sup_{cardF-r+1} \inf_{k \in E} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\tau_{nk}|$$

To prove the other side, let  $F=\{n_1, n_2, ..., n_{r+1}\} \subset N$  be a set of indices with (r+1)-elements and define a projection  $P_F \in L\left(H^\infty_{1/\beta}, H^\infty_{1/\beta}\right)$  as follows:

$$P_F(f_i(z)) = y_i, \ y_i = \begin{cases} f_i(z), \ i \in F \\ 0, & i \notin F \end{cases}$$

Clearly the range of P<sub>E</sub> is the subspace

$$Y_{i} = \{ (f_i(z)) : f_i(z) = 0 \forall i \notin F \}.$$

The set  $\{\tau_n = \left(\tau_{nk}\right)_{k=1}^{\infty} \in H^1_{\beta}, \ n \in F\}$  is a subset of linearly independent elements in  $H^1_{\beta}$  then using Hahn-Banach Theorem there exist linear continuous functionals [10]  $g_k = \left(\gamma_{nk}\right)_{n=1}^{\infty} \in H^\infty_{1/\beta}$ , kEF satisfying,  $g_k(\tau_n) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \tau_{ni} \gamma_{ik} = \delta_{nk}$ .

Let us construct the operator

$$S_F = \left(\delta_{ij}\right)_{i=1, j=1}^{\infty} \in L\left(Y_F, H_{1/\beta}^{\infty}\right) \text{ such that } \delta_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0 & , j \notin F \\ \gamma_{ii} & , j \in F \end{cases}$$

Therefore we get the following diagram

$$Y_F \xrightarrow{S_F} H_{1/\beta}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{T^*} H_{1/\beta}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{P_F} Y_F$$

Since  $P_F T^* S_F = I_{Y_F}$  is the identity on the (r+1)-dimensional subspace  $Y_F$  then  $1 = \alpha_r (I_{Y_F}) = \alpha_r (P_F T^* S_F) \leq \alpha_r (T^*) ||S_F||$ .

Hence, 
$$\alpha_r(T) \ge \alpha_r(T^*) \ge \frac{1}{\|S_F\|} \ge \left(\sup_{n} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |\gamma_{nk}|\right)^{-1} = \sup_{cardF = r+1} \inf_{n} \left(\frac{1}{\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |\gamma_{nk}|}\right)$$
Theorem 2

Let  $T = (\tau_{nk})_{n=1, k=1}^{\infty}$  be an infinite matrix with linearly independent

rows and columns satisfying the conditions of Lemmas (1),(2),(3) and considering T as an operator such that

$$T: H^1_{\beta} {\longrightarrow} H^1_{\beta} \ \text{ whose dual } \ T^*: H^{\infty}_{\beta^{-1}} \to H^{\infty}_{\beta^{-1}} \ \text{we get}$$

$$\sup_{cardF=r+1}\inf_{k}\left(\frac{1}{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}|\gamma_{nk}|}\right) \leq \alpha_{r}(T^{*}) \leq \sup_{cardF=r+1}\inf_{n\in F}\sum_{k=1}^{\infty}|\tau_{nk}|$$

Where F is any subset of natural numbers with (r+1) elements and  $(\gamma_{ii})_{i=1}^{\infty} is$  the biortogonal functional to  $(\tau_{nk})_{k=1}^{\infty}$ .

#### Proof:

The proof of the theorem is similar to theorem 1.

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