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On the absolute summability factors of double infinite series.

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Summary. - In this paper the author has investigated the absolute summability factors of double infinite series. The theorem proved extends a result of Pati [11] to double series.

1. DEFINITION 1. - A double infinite series $\sum s_{m,n}$ is said to be absolutely summable (c, α, β) or summable $c^{-1}, \alpha^{-1}, \beta^{-1}$, if

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |s_{m,n}^{c,\beta} - s_{m-1,n}^{c,\beta} - s_{m,n-1}^{c,\beta} + s_{m-1,n-1}^{c,\beta}|$$

$$= \sum \sum (mn)^{-1} |t_{m,n}^{c,\beta}| < \infty,$$

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} |s_{m,0}^{c,\beta} - s_{m-1,0}^{c,\beta}| = \sum m^{-1} |t_m^c| < \infty,$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |s_{0,n}^{c,\beta} - s_{0,n-1}^{c,\beta}| = \sum n^{-1} |t_n^{\beta}| < \infty,$$

where $s_{m,n}^{c,\beta}$ and $t_{m,n}^{c,\beta}$ are the (c, α, β) mean of the sequence $|s_{m,n}|$ and $|mna_{m,n}|$ respectively and $s_{m,n}$ is the (m, n) th partial sum. This is known [14; 15; 16].

DEFINITION 2. We have

$$t_{m,n}^{c,\beta} = (A_m^c A_n^{\beta})^{-1} \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{l=0}^m A_{m-l}^{c-1} A_{n-k}^{\beta-1} k l a_{l,k}$$

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$$t_m^\alpha = (A_m^\alpha)^{-1} \sum_{l=0}^m A_{m-l}^{\alpha-l} la_{l,0}$$

$$\sum_{\nu=0}^{\infty} A_\nu^\rho x^\nu = (1-x)^{-\rho-1} \quad \text{for } |x| < 1,$$

and by definition [8 ; 13],

$$A_{-1}^\alpha = 0, \quad A_0^{-1} = 1, \quad A_m^{-1} = 0 (m \geq 1), \quad A_m^{-2} = 0 (m \geq 2),$$

$$A_m^\alpha = \begin{cases} \binom{m+\alpha}{m}, & (\alpha > -1), \\ (-1)^m \left(\frac{-\alpha-1}{m} \right), & (\alpha \leq -1) \end{cases}$$

$$A_m^\alpha = \frac{\Gamma(m+\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(m+1)\Gamma(\alpha+1)},$$

$$\propto \frac{m^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}, \quad (\alpha \neq -1, -2, \dots).$$

DEFINITION 3. — For any sequence $\{\varepsilon_{m,n}\}$, we write

$$\Delta^{0,0}\varepsilon_{m,n} = \varepsilon_{m,n}$$

$$\Delta^{1,1}\varepsilon_{m,n} = \varepsilon_{m+1,n+1} - \varepsilon_{m,n+1} - \varepsilon_{m+1,n} + \varepsilon_{m,n}$$

$$\Delta^{\sigma,\tau}\varepsilon_{m,n} = \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\nu=0}^{\infty} A_\mu^{-\sigma-1} A_\nu^{-\tau-1} \varepsilon_{\mu+m, \nu+n}$$

provided this series is convergent. It is easy to show that [9]

$$\Delta^{\ell,j}\Delta^{h,k}\varepsilon_{m,n} = \Delta^{\ell+h,j+k}\varepsilon_{m,n}$$

$$(1.1) \quad \Delta^{h,k}(\delta_m \delta_n \varepsilon_{m,n}) = \sum_{\mu=0}^h \sum_{\nu=0}^k \binom{h}{\mu} \binom{k}{\nu} \Delta^\mu \delta_m \Delta^\nu \delta_n \Delta^{h-\mu, k-\nu} \varepsilon_{m+\mu, n+\nu}.$$

We also write

$$\bar{\varepsilon}_{m,n} = \Delta \varepsilon_{m,n}$$

$$E^{\alpha, \rho; \beta, \sigma}(M, N, m, n) = \sum_{\mu=0}^M \sum_{\nu=0}^N A_{N-\nu}^{\beta-1} A_{M-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_{\mu}^{-\rho-1} A_{\nu}^{-\sigma-1} \varepsilon_{\mu+m, \nu+n}$$

$$\bar{E}^{\alpha, \rho; \beta, \sigma}(M, N, m, n) = \sum_{\mu=0}^M \sum_{\nu=0}^N A_{N-\nu}^{\beta-1} A_{M-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_{\mu}^{-\rho-1} A_{\nu}^{-\sigma-1} \bar{\varepsilon}_{\mu+m, \nu+n}$$

$$\bar{E}^{\alpha, \rho; \beta, \sigma}(M, N, m, n) = \sum_{\mu=0}^M \sum_{\nu=0}^N A_{N-\nu}^{\beta-1} A_{M-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_{\mu}^{-\rho-1} A_{\nu}^{-\sigma-1} \Delta^{1,0} \varepsilon_{\mu+m, \nu+n}$$

$$\bar{E}^{\alpha, \rho; \beta, \sigma}(M, N, m, n) = \sum_{\mu=0}^M \sum_{\nu=0}^N A_{N-\nu}^{\beta-1} A_{M-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_{\mu}^{-\rho-1} A_{\nu}^{-\sigma-1} \Delta^{0,1} \varepsilon_{\mu+m, \nu+n}$$

$$T_m^n = \sum_{\mu=1}^m \sum_{\nu=1}^n (\mu\nu)^{-1} t_{\mu, \nu}^{\alpha, \beta}$$

so that

$$E^{\alpha, \rho; \beta, \sigma}(-1, -1, m, n) = 0, \quad E^{\alpha, \rho; \beta, \sigma}(-1, N, m, n) = 0,$$

$$E^{\alpha, \rho; \beta, \sigma}(M, -1, m, n) = 0, \quad T_0^{\alpha, \beta} = 0.$$

2. In 1908 BROMWICH [2] proved a theorem on convergence factors in series summable by CESÀRO-means of integral order which included the various previous results. An extension of BROMWICH'S theorem to series summable by CESÀRO means of non-integral order was given by CHAPMAN [3] in 1911. In 1912, in connection with the summability (C, 1, 1) of the double FOURIER series and its application to certain problems of mathematical physics, C. N. MOORE [9] extended BROMWICH'S theorem on the summability factors of simple infinite series to the case of double FOURIER series. In 1922, EVERSON [7] gave the analogous extension to triple series.

Absolute summability factors of FOURIER series were first considered by PRASAD [12] in 1933. Various results concerning these investigations are due to CHENG [4], CHOW [5], YAN [10] and others.

We prove the following theorem:

THEOREM. – If α, β are integers ≥ 0 , and if

$$s_{m,n}^{\alpha,\beta} = O(\lambda_m \lambda_n), \quad s_{m,0}^{\alpha,\beta} = O(\lambda_m), \quad s_{0,n}^{\alpha,\beta} = O(\lambda_n),$$

where λ_m, λ_n are positive, monotonic, non-decreasing sequences, then the sufficient conditions that $\sum \sum a_{m,n} \varepsilon_{m,n}$ should be summable $|C, \alpha, \beta|$ are

$$\sum \sum \lambda_m \lambda_n |\varepsilon_{m,n}| < \infty,$$

$$\sum \sum m^\alpha n^\beta \lambda_m \lambda_n |\Delta^{\alpha+1, \beta+1} \varepsilon_{m,n}| < \infty,$$

$$\lambda_m \sum \lambda_n |\varepsilon_{m,n}| < \infty,$$

$$\lambda_n \sum \lambda_m |\varepsilon_{m,n}| < \infty,$$

$$m^\alpha \lambda_m \sum n^\beta \lambda_n |\Delta^{\alpha, \beta+1} \varepsilon_{m,n}| < \infty,$$

$$n^\beta \lambda_n \sum m^\alpha \lambda_m |\Delta^{\alpha+1, 0} \varepsilon_{m,n}| < \infty.$$

This extends a result of PATI [11] to double series.

3. We require the following lemmas :

LEMMA 1. – If $\sigma > -1$, and $\sigma - \delta > 0$, then

$$\sum_{n=v}^{\infty} \frac{A_n^{\delta}}{n A_n^{\sigma}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{A_n^{\delta}}{(n+v) A_{n+v}^{\sigma}} = \frac{1}{v A_v^{\sigma-\delta-1}}.$$

This is known [6].

LEMMA 2. – If $p > 0, q > 0$, and $|\lambda_m|, |\lambda_n|$, are the positive, monotonic, non-decreasing sequences, and

$$\sum \sum n^p m^q |\Delta^{q+1, p+1} \varepsilon_{m,n}| \lambda_m \lambda_n < \infty$$

then

$$\sum \sum n^{p_1} m^{q_1} |\Delta^{q_1+1, p_1+1} \varepsilon_{m,n}| \lambda_m \lambda_n < \infty,$$

for every p_1, q_1 , such that $0 \leq p_1 \leq p, 0 \leq q_1 \leq q$.

The proof runs parallel to lemma 2 of BOSSANQUET [1].

LEMMA 3. – If $\alpha > 0$, $\beta > 0$, $\rho > 0$, $\sigma < 0$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{E}^{\alpha, \rho; \beta, \sigma}(M, N, m, n) &= \sum_{l=0}^h \sum_{r=0}^k \binom{h}{l} \binom{k}{r} \sum_{\mu=0}^M \sum_{v=0}^N A_{N-v}^{\rho-1-l-1} A_{M-\mu}^{\alpha-1-k-1} A_v^{-\sigma+k-1} \\ &\quad A_{\mu}^{-\rho+h-1} \Delta_{h-l, k-r}^{\epsilon_{\mu+m+l, v+n+r}} \end{aligned}$$

This can be obtained by applying partial summation and using (1.1).

4. Proof of the theorem. Let $x_{m,n} = x_{m,n}^{0,0} = mn a_{m,n} \epsilon_{m,n}$ and let $\tau_{m,n}^{\alpha, \beta}$ denote the (m, n) th CESARO mean of order α, β , of the sequence $|x_{m,n}|$. By hypothesis and definition, we get

$$\begin{aligned} T_{m,n}^{\alpha, \beta} &= O(\lambda_m \lambda_n) \quad \text{as } (m, n) \rightarrow \infty, \\ T_{m,0}^{\alpha, \beta} &= O(\lambda_m) \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty, \\ T_{0,n}^{\alpha, \beta} &= O(\lambda_n) \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$

The case $\alpha = \beta = 0$ is obvious. Let us consider the case $\alpha \geq 1$, $\beta \geq 1$. We have

$$\begin{aligned} A_m^\alpha A_n^\beta \tau_{m,n}^{\alpha, \beta} &= \sum_{\mu=1}^m \sum_{v=1}^n A_{n-v}^{\beta-1} A_{m-\mu}^{\alpha-1} \mu v a_{\mu, v} \epsilon_{\mu, v} \\ &= \sum_{\mu=1}^m \sum_{v=1}^n A_{n-v}^{\beta-1} A_{m-\mu}^{\alpha-1} \epsilon_{\mu, v} \sum_{l=1}^{\mu} \sum_{k=1}^v A_{v-k}^{\beta-1} A_{\mu-l}^{\alpha-1} A_l^\alpha A_k^\beta t_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\ &= \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n A_l^\alpha A_k^\beta t_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l} \sum_{v=0}^{n-k} A_{n-k-v}^{\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_v^{-\beta-1} \\ &\quad A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} \epsilon_{\mu+l, v+k}. \\ &= \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n A_l^\alpha A_k^\beta t_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} E^{\alpha, \beta}(m-l, n-k, l, k) \\ &= \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n lk A_l^\alpha A_k^\beta E^{\alpha, \beta}(m-l, n-k, l, k) \cdot \frac{t_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta}}{lk}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence by ABEL's transformation, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & A_m^\alpha A_n^\beta T_{m,n}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &= \sum_{l=1}^{m-1} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \Delta l, k \mid lk A_l^\alpha A_k^\beta E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(m-l, n-k, l, k) \mid T_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &+ \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \Delta 0, k \mid mA_m^\alpha kA_k^\beta E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(0, n-k, m, k) \mid T_{m,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &+ \sum_{l=1}^{m-1} \Delta l, 0 \mid nA_n^\beta lA_l^\alpha E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(m-l, 0, l, n) \mid T_{l,n}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &+ mn A_m^\alpha A_n^\beta E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(0, 0, m, n) T_{m,n}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &= \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n \Delta l, k \mid lk A_l^\alpha A_k^\beta E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(m-l, n-k, l, k) \mid T_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &+ mA_m^\alpha \sum_{k=1}^n \Delta 0, k \mid kA_k^\beta E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(0, n-k, m, k) \mid T_{m,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &+ nA_n^\beta \sum_{l=1}^m \Delta l, 0 \mid lA_l^\alpha E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(m-l, 0, l, n) \mid T_{l,n}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &= \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n \Delta l, k (lk A_l^\alpha A_k^\beta) E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(m-l, n-k, l, k) T_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &+ \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n (l+1)(k+1) A_{k+1}^\beta A_{l+1}^\alpha \Delta l, k \\
 &\quad \mid E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(m-l, n-k, l, k) \mid T_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
 &+ \text{other similar expressions.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Delta l, k E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(m-l, n-k, l, k) \\
 &= \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l} \sum_{v=0}^{n-k} A_{n-k-v}^{\beta-1} A_v^{\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_\mu^{\alpha-1} e_{\mu+l, v+k} \\
 &- \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l-1} \sum_{v=0}^{n-k} A_{n-k-y}^{\beta-1} A_y^{\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu-1}^{\alpha-1} A_\mu^{\alpha-1} e_{\mu+l+1, v+k}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& - \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k-1} A_{n-k-\nu-1}^{\beta-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_{\nu}^{-\alpha-1} \varepsilon_{\mu+l, \nu+k+1} \\
& + \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l-1} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k-1} A_{n-k-\nu-1}^{\beta-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu-1}^{\alpha-1} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} \varepsilon_{\mu+l+1, \nu+k+1} \\
= & \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l-1} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k-1} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} \Delta l, k \{ A_{n-k-\nu}^{\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1} \varepsilon_{\mu+l, \nu+k} \} \\
& + A_{n-k}^{-\beta-1} A_{m-l}^{-\alpha-1} \varepsilon_{m, n} - A_{n-k}^{-\beta-1} \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l-1} A_{m-l-\mu-1}^{\alpha-1} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} \varepsilon_{\mu+l+1, n} \\
& - A_{m-l}^{-\alpha-1} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k-1} A_{n-k-\nu-1}^{\beta-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} \varepsilon_{m, \nu+k+1} \\
= & \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l-1} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k-1} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_{n-k-\nu}^{\beta-1} \Delta l, k \varepsilon_{\mu+l, \nu+k} \\
& + \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l-1} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k-1} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} A_{n-k-\nu}^{\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1} \Delta 0, k \varepsilon_{\mu+l+1, \nu+k} \\
& + \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l-1} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k-1} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_{n-k-\nu}^{\beta-2} \Delta l, \nu+l, \nu+k+1 \\
& + \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l-1} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k-1} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-2} A_{n-k-\nu}^{\beta-2} \varepsilon_{\mu+l+1, \nu+k+1} \\
& + A_{m-l}^{-\alpha-1} A_{n-k}^{-\beta-1} \varepsilon_{m, n} - A_{n-k}^{-\beta-1} \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l-1} A_{m-l-\mu-1}^{\alpha-1} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} \varepsilon_{\mu+l+1, n} \\
& - A_{m-l}^{-\alpha-1} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k-1} A_{n-k-\nu-1}^{\beta-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} \varepsilon_{m, \nu+k+1} \\
= & \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1} A_{n-k-\nu}^{\beta-1} \{ \Delta l, k \varepsilon_{\mu+l, \nu+k} \} \\
& + \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k} A_{\mu}^{-\alpha-1} A_{\nu}^{-\beta-1} A_{n-k-\nu}^{\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1} \Delta 0, k \varepsilon_{\mu+l+1, \nu+k}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k} A_\mu^{\alpha-1} A_\nu^{\beta-1} A_{n-k-\nu}^{\alpha-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-1; \Delta l, 0; \mu+l, \nu+k+1} \\
& + \sum_{\mu=0}^{m-l} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n-k} A_\mu^{\alpha-1} A_\nu^{\beta-1} A_{n-k-\nu}^{\beta-1} A_{m-l-\mu}^{\alpha-2; \epsilon_{\mu+l+1}, \nu+k+1} \\
& = \bar{E}^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta; m-l, n-k, l, k} + \bar{E}^{\alpha, \alpha-1; \beta, \beta; (m-l, n-k, l+1, k)}_k \\
& + \frac{\bar{E}^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta-1; (m-l, n-k, l, k+1)}}{l} + E^{\alpha, \alpha-1; \beta, \beta-1} \\
& \quad (m-l, n-k, l+1, k+1)
\end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
& A_m^\alpha A_n^\beta \tau_{m,n}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
& = \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n \Delta l, k (lk A_l^\alpha A_k^\beta) E^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta; (m-l, n-k, l, k)} T_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
& + \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n (l+1)(k+1) A_{l+1}^\alpha A_{k+1}^\beta \bar{E}^{\alpha, \alpha; \beta, \beta; (m-l, n-k, l, k)} T_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
& + \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n (l+1)(k+1) A_{l+1}^\alpha A_{k+1}^\beta \bar{E}^{\alpha, \alpha-1; \beta, \beta} \\
& \quad (m-l, n-k, l+1, k) T_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
& + \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n (l+1)(k+1) A_{l+1}^\alpha A_{k+1}^\beta \bar{E}^{\alpha, \alpha-1; \beta, \beta-1} \\
& \quad (m-l, n-k, l+1, k+1) T_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
& + \sum_{l=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n (l+1)(k+1) A_{l+1}^\alpha A_{k+1}^\beta E^{\alpha, \alpha-1; \beta, \beta-1} \\
& \quad (m-l, n-k, l+1, k+1) T_{l,k}^{\alpha, \beta} \\
& + \text{similar expressions.}
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_2^\infty \sum_2^\infty (mn)^{-1} |\tau_{m,n}^{\alpha, \beta}| \\
& \leq \sum_2^\infty \sum_2^\infty (mn A_m^\alpha A_n^\beta)^{-1} |(mn A_m^\alpha A_n^\beta)| + |T_{m,n}^{\alpha, \beta}|
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \sum \sum (mnA_m^\alpha A_n^\beta)^{-1} (m+1)(n+1) A_{m+1}^\alpha A_{n+1}^\beta |\Delta \varepsilon_{m,n}| + |T_{m,n}^{\alpha,\beta}| \\
& + \sum \sum (mnA_m^\alpha A_n^\beta)^{-1} (m+1)(n+1) A_{m+1}^\alpha A_{n+1}^\beta |\varepsilon_{m+n,n+1}| + |T_{m,n}^{\alpha,\beta}| \\
& + \sum \sum (mnA_m^\alpha A_n^\beta)^{-1} \sum_{l=1}^{m-1} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} |\Delta l, k (lk A_l^\alpha A_k^\beta)| \\
& \quad |E^{\alpha, \alpha-\beta, \beta}(m-l, n-k, l)| \\
& + \sum \sum (mnA_m^\alpha A_n^\beta)^{-1} \sum_{l=1}^{m-1} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} (l+1)(k+1) A_{l+1}^\alpha A_{k+1}^\beta \\
& \quad |\bar{E}^{\alpha, \alpha-1, \beta, \beta-1}(m-l, n-k, l, k)| + |T_{l,k}^{\alpha,\beta}| \\
& + \sum \sum (mnA_m^\alpha A_n^\beta)^{-1} \sum_{l=1}^{m-2} \sum_{k=1}^{n-2} (l+1)(k+1) A_{l+1}^\alpha A_{k+1}^\beta \\
& \quad |E^{\alpha, \alpha-1, \beta, \beta-1}(m-l, n-k, l+1, k+1)| + |T_{l,k}^{\alpha,\beta}| \\
& + \sum \sum (mnA_m^\alpha A_n^\beta)^{-1} \sum_{l=1}^{m-1} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} (l+1)(k+1) A_{l+1}^\alpha A_{k+1}^\beta \\
& \quad |\bar{E}^{\alpha, \alpha-1, \beta, \beta-1}(m-l, n-k, l+1, k)| + |T_{l,k}^{\alpha,\beta}| \\
& + \sum \sum (mnA_m^\alpha A_n^\beta)^{-1} \sum_{l=1}^{m-1} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} (l+1)(k+1) A_{l+1}^\alpha A_{k+1}^\beta \\
& \quad |\bar{E}^{\alpha, \alpha-1, \beta, \beta-1}(m-l, n-k, l, k+1)| + |T_{l,k}^{\alpha,\beta}| \\
& + \text{other terms of the same form.}
\end{aligned}$$

Thus it suffice for our purpose to show that

$$(4.1) \quad \sum \sum (mn)^{-1} \lambda_m \lambda_n |\varepsilon_{m,n}| < \infty,$$

$$(4.2) \quad \sum \sum \lambda_m \lambda_n |\Delta \varepsilon_{m,n}| < \infty,$$

$$(4.3) \quad \sum \sum \lambda_m \lambda_n |\varepsilon_{m+1,n+1}| < \infty,$$

$$(4.4) \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} A_l^x A_k^{\beta} \lambda_k \lambda_l \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{|E^{x, \alpha; \beta, \beta}(m, n, l, k)|}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^x} < \infty.$$

$$(4.5) \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} A_l^{x+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{|\bar{E}^{x, x; \beta, \beta}(m, n, l, k)|}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^x} < \infty,$$

$$(4.6) \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} A_l^{x+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{|E^{x, \alpha-1; \beta, \beta-1}(m, n, l+1, k+1)|}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^x} < \infty,$$

$$(4.7) \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} A_l^{x+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{|\bar{E}^{x, x-1; \beta, \beta-1}(m, n, l, k+1)|}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^x} < \infty,$$

$$(4.8) \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} A_l^{x+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{|\bar{E}^{x, x-1, \beta, \beta}(m, n, l+1, k)|}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^x} < \infty.$$

The inequalities from (4.1) to (4.3) follow from the hypothesis. But of the remaining, we shall consider the typical ones.

By lemma 3, since $m \geq 1$, $n \geq 1$, $0 \leq r \leq x-1$, $0 \leq \delta \leq \beta-1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_l^x A_k^{\beta} \lambda_k \lambda_l \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{A_m^{\gamma-r-1} A_n^{\beta-\delta-1} |\Delta x-r, \beta-\delta \varepsilon_{l+r}, k+\delta|}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^x} \\ & \leq \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_l^x A_k^{\beta} \lambda_k \lambda_l |\Delta x-r, \beta-\delta \varepsilon_{l+r}, k+\delta| \\ & \quad \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{A_m^{\gamma-r-1} A_n^{\beta-\delta-1}}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^x} \\ & = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |A_l^x A_k^{\beta} \lambda_k \lambda_l |\Delta x-r, \beta-\delta \varepsilon_{l+r}, k+\delta| \frac{1}{k A_k l A_l^r} \\ & \leq K \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} k^{\beta-\delta-1} l^{x-r-1} |\lambda_k \lambda_l | |\Delta x-r, \beta-\delta \varepsilon_{l+r}, k+\delta| < \infty, \end{aligned}$$

by hypothesis and lemma 2. This proves (4.4).

Again

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_l^{\alpha+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{A_m^{\alpha-r-1} A_n^{\beta-r-1} |\Delta^{\alpha-r, \beta-r} \varepsilon_{l+r, k+\delta}|}{(m+l)(n+k) A_{m+l}^{\beta} A_{n+k}^{\alpha}} \\
 & \leq \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_l^{\alpha+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l |\Delta^{\alpha-r+1, \beta-\delta+1} \varepsilon_{l+r, k+\delta}| \\
 & \quad \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{A_m^{\alpha-r-1} A_n^{\beta-r-1}}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^{\alpha}} \\
 & = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_l^{\alpha+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l |\Delta^{\alpha-r+1, \beta-\delta+1} \varepsilon_{l+r, k+\delta}| \frac{1}{k A_k^{\delta} l A_l^r} \\
 & \leq K \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k^{\beta-\delta} l^{\alpha-r} \lambda_k \lambda_l |\Delta^{\alpha-r+1, \beta-\delta+1} \varepsilon_{l+r, k+\delta}| < \infty,
 \end{aligned}$$

by hypothesis lemma 1 and lemma 2. This proves (4.5).

Also, since $n \geq 2$, $m \geq 2$, then for $0 \leq r \leq \alpha - 2$, $0 \leq \delta \leq \beta - 2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_l^{\alpha+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{A_m^{\alpha-r-2} A_n^{\beta-\delta-2} |\Delta^{\alpha-r, \beta-\delta} \varepsilon_{l+r+1, k+\delta+1}|}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^{\alpha}} \\
 & \leq \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_l^{\alpha+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l |\Delta^{\alpha-r, \beta-\delta} \varepsilon_{l+r+1, k+\delta+1}| \\
 & \quad \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{A_k^{\beta-\delta-2} A_m^{\alpha-r-2}}{(n+k)(m+l) A_{n+k}^{\beta} A_{m+l}^{\alpha}} \\
 & = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_l^{\alpha+1} A_k^{\beta+1} \lambda_k \lambda_l |\Delta^{\alpha-r, \beta-\delta} \varepsilon_{l+r+1, k+\delta+1}| \frac{1}{k A_k^{\delta+1} l A_l^{r+1}} \\
 & \leq K \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} l^{\alpha-r-1} k^{\beta-\delta-1} \lambda_k \lambda_l |\Delta^{\alpha-r, \beta-\delta} \varepsilon_{l+r+1, k+\delta+1}| < \infty,
 \end{aligned}$$

by hypothesis, lemma 1 and lemma 2. This proves (4.6).

The remaining inequalities will follow in the same way. Thus

$$\sum \sum (mn)^{-1} |t_m^{\alpha}, t_n^{\beta}| < \infty.$$

Similarly,

$$\sum m^{-1} |t_m^x| < \infty; \quad \sum n^{-1} |t_n^p| < \infty.$$

This completes the proof of the theorem

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