



## On Tribonacci I-convergent sequence spaces



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### Abstract

In this paper, we use the notion of ideal convergence (I-convergence) to introduce Tribonacci I-convergent sequence spaces, that is,  $c_0^I(T)$ ,  $c^I(T)$  and  $l_\infty^I(T)$  as a domain of regular Tribonacci matrix  $T = (t_{jn})$  (constructed by the Tribonacci sequence). We also present few inclusion relations and prove some topological and algebraic properties based results with respect to these spaces.

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### 1. Introduction

We use the notations  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $\omega$ ,  $\mathbb{N}$ ,  $l_\infty$ ,  $c$ , and  $c_0$  to denote the set of real numbers, sequence space, set of natural numbers, space of all bounded sequences, space of all convergent sequences, and space of all null sequences, respectively.

Fast [7] and Steinhaus [24] introduced a generalization of usual convergence, known as statistical convergence. After that in 1999, Kostyrko et al. [22] defined a generalization of statistical convergence, known as I-convergence. Later, Šalát et al. [29, 30], Filipów and Tryba [9] and many others [17, 19] further studied the notion of I-convergence and linked with the summability theory. Furthermore, some authors also investigated it from the sequence space point of view. For more details on I-convergence, we refer to [2, 11, 13, 14, 18, 25, 27, 33].

Suppose an infinite real matrix  $A = (a_{jn})$  and  $X$  &  $Y$  are two sequence spaces. Recalling,  $A$  be a matrix mapping from  $X$  to  $Y$  if  $\forall z = (z_n)$ , the  $A$ -transform of  $z$ , (i.e.,  $Az = \{A_j z\}_{j=1}^\infty \in Y$ ), is

$$A_j z = \sum_n a_{jn} z_n, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}.$$

In [15], a different approach was defined to construct new sequence spaces as follows

$$\lambda(A) := \{z = (z_n) \in \omega : Az \in \lambda\}, \quad \text{where } \lambda \text{ is any sequence space,}$$

and known as the domain of matrix  $A$  in  $\lambda$ .

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**Lemma 1.1** ([34]). Matrix  $A = (a_{jn})_{j,n \in \mathbb{N}}$  is said to be regular iff the following conditions hold:

- (a)  $\exists M > 0$  s.t  $\sum_n |a_{jn}| \leq M, \forall j \in \mathbb{N}$ ;
- (b)  $\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} a_{jn} = 0, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ;
- (c)  $\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \sum_n a_{jn} = 1$ .

In 1963, Mark feinberg [8] was the first who initiated Tribonacci numbers at the age of 14 years. Define the tribonacci sequence by third order recurrence relation

$$t_j = t_{j-1} + t_{j-2} + t_{j-3}, \quad j \geq 4 \text{ with } t_1 = t_2 = 1 \text{ and } t_3 = 2.$$

Some important properties of Tribonacci sequence are:

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \frac{t_j}{t_{j+1}} = 0.54368901 \dots, \quad \sum_{n=1}^j t_n = \frac{t_{j+2} + t_j - 1}{2}, \quad j \geq 1.$$

Binet's formula for Tribonacci sequence is given in [32]. For more details, some papers related to Tribonacci sequence are [3–5, 8, 10, 20, 21, 23, 28, 31, 32, 35].

In this research paper, we use the triangle Tribonacci matrix  $T = (t_{jn})$  which is defined in [36], as follows:

$$t_{jn} = \begin{cases} \frac{2t_n}{t_{j+2} + t_j - 1}, & (1 \leq n \leq j), \\ 0, & (n > j). \end{cases} \quad (1.1)$$

i.e.,

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{8} & \frac{1}{8} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{15} & \frac{1}{15} & \frac{2}{15} & \frac{4}{15} & \frac{7}{15} & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \end{bmatrix}. \quad (1.2)$$

It can be easily verified that  $T$  is a regular matrix (from Lemma 1.1). By using the Tribonacci matrix (1.2) and the notion of  $I$ -convergence, we define  $c_0^I(T)$ ,  $c^I(T)$ , and  $l_\infty^I(T)$  as the space of all sequences whose  $T$ -transform are in the spaces  $c_0^I$ ,  $c^I$ , and  $l_\infty^I$ , respectively. Sequence  $T_j(z)$ , the  $T$ -transform of  $z = (z_n)$ , is defined as

$$T_j(z) = \sum_{n=1}^j \frac{2t_n}{t_{j+2} + t_j - 1}, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}. \quad (1.3)$$

Now, recalling few important definitions and lemmas which are used in this paper.

**Definition 1.2** ([24]). Natural density of  $A = \{a \in A : a \leq n\} \subseteq \mathbb{N}$  is defined as

$$d(A) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} |A|, \text{ where } |A| \text{ is the cardinality of set } A,$$

whenever the limit exists.

**Definition 1.3** ([7]). Statistically convergence of a sequence  $(z_n) \in \omega$  to a number  $k \in \mathbb{R}$  is defined as if  $\forall \epsilon > 0$ , the natural density of  $A(\epsilon)$  is equal to zero, where

$$A(\epsilon) = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : |z_n - k| \geq \epsilon\}.$$

**Definition 1.4** ([12]). Let  $X$  be any set.  $I$  being a subset of  $P(X)$  is said to be an ideal if the following conditions holds:

- a.  $\emptyset \in I$ ;
- b.  $E \cup F \in I$  for all  $E, F \in I$ ;
- c.  $\forall E \in I$  and  $F \subset E$ , then  $F \in I$ .

If  $I \neq 2^X$ , then  $I$  is called non trivial ideal. If  $\{\{x\} : x \in X\} \subset I$ , then  $I$  is called admissible ideal.

**Definition 1.5** ([12]). Let  $\mathcal{F}$  is the subset of power set of a set  $X$ , then  $\mathcal{F}$  is called filter if

- a.  $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{F}$ ;
- b.  $E \cap F \in \mathcal{F}$  for all  $E, F \in \mathcal{F}$ ;
- c.  $\forall E \in \mathcal{F}$  and  $E \subset F$ , then  $F \in \mathcal{F}$ .

**Definition 1.6** ([22]). Let  $I \subset P(\mathbb{N})$  is a non trivial ideal,  $I$ -convergence of a sequence  $(z_n) \in \omega$  to number  $k \in \mathbb{R}$  is defined as if  $\forall \epsilon > 0$ , set  $A(\epsilon) \in I$ , where

$$A(\epsilon) = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : |z_n - k| \geq \epsilon\},$$

we say that  $I\text{-}\lim(z_n) = k$ .

**Definition 1.7** ([22]). Let  $I \subset P(\mathbb{N})$  is a non trivial ideal, a sequence  $(z_n) \in \omega$  is said to be  $I$ -Cauchy if  $\forall \epsilon > 0$ , there exists a  $K = K(\epsilon) \in I$  such that set  $A(\epsilon) \in I$ , where

$$A(\epsilon) = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : |z_n - z_K| \geq \epsilon\}.$$

**Definition 1.8** ([16]). Let  $I \subset P(\mathbb{N})$  is a non trivial ideal, a sequence  $(z_n) \in \omega$  is said to be  $I$ -bounded if there exists  $M > 0$  such that set  $A \in I$ , where

$$A = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : |z_n| > M\}.$$

**Definition 1.9** ([29]). Let  $I \subset P(\mathbb{N})$  is a non trivial ideal, for any two sequences  $(y_n)$  and  $(z_n)$ , we say  $y_n = z_n$  for almost all  $n$  relative to  $I$  if  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : y_n \neq z_n\} \in I$ .

**Definition 1.10** ([29]). A sequence space  $X$  is said to be solid or normal, if  $(\alpha_n z_n) \in X$  whenever  $(z_n) \in X$  and for any sequence of scalars  $(\alpha_n) \in \omega$  with  $|\alpha_n| < 1$ , for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Lemma 1.11** ([29]). Every solid space is monotone.

**Lemma 1.12** ([29]). If  $I \subset P(\mathbb{N})$  is a maximal ideal, then for every  $K \subset \mathbb{N}$  we have either  $K \in I$  or  $\mathbb{N} \setminus K$ .

**Definition 1.13** ([29]). Let  $K = \{n_i \in \mathbb{N} : n_1 < n_2 < \dots\} \subseteq \mathbb{N}$  and  $X$  be a sequence space. A  $K$ -step space of  $X$  is a sequence space

$$\lambda_K^X = \{(z_{n_i}) \in \omega : (z_n) \in X\}.$$

A canonical pre-image of a sequence  $(z_{n_i}) \in \lambda_K^X$  is a sequence  $(y_n) \in \omega$  defined as follows:

$$y_n = \begin{cases} z_n, & \text{if } n \in K, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

A canonical pre-image of a step space  $\lambda_K^X$  is a set of canonical pre-images of all elements in  $\lambda_K^X$ , i.e.,  $y$  is in canonical pre-image of  $\lambda_K^X$  iff  $y$  is canonical pre-image of some element  $z \in \lambda_K^X$ .

**Definition 1.14** ([29]). A sequence space  $X$  is said to be monotone, if it contains the canonical pre-images of its step space, (i.e., if for all infinite  $K \subseteq \mathbb{N}$  and  $(z_n) \in X$  the sequence  $(\alpha_n z_n)$ , where  $\alpha_n = 1$  for  $n \in K$  and  $\alpha_n = 0$  otherwise, belongs to  $X$ ).

**Definition 1.15** ([29]). A sequence space  $X$  is said to be convergence free, if  $(z_n) \in X$  whenever  $(y_n) \in X$  and  $(y_n) = 0$  implies that  $(z_n) = 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Definition 1.16.** A map  $h$  defined on a domain  $D \subset X$ , i.e.,  $h : D \subset X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is said to satisfy Lipschitz condition if  $|h(y) - h(z)| \leq M|y - z|$ , where  $M$  is known as the Lipschitz constant.

## 2. Main results

By the domain of regular tribonacci matrix (1.1), we define sequence spaces  $c_0^I(T)$ ,  $c^I(T)$ , and  $l_\infty^I(T)$ , i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} c_0^I(T) &:= \{z = (z_n) \in \omega : \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z)| \geq \epsilon\} \in I\}, \\ c^I(T) &:= \{z = (z_n) \in \omega : \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k| \geq \epsilon, \text{ for some } k \in \mathbb{R}\} \in I\}, \\ l_\infty^I(T) &:= \{z = (z_n) \in \omega : \text{there exist } M > 0 \text{ such that } \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z)| \geq M\} \in I\}, \\ l_\infty(T) &:= \{z = (z_n) \in \omega : \sup_j |T_j(z)| < \infty\}. \end{aligned}$$

We denote  $c_0^I(T) \cap l_\infty(T)$  and  $c^I(T) \cap l_\infty(T)$  by  $s_0^I(T)$  and  $s^I(T)$ , respectively. We also present topological properties of these spaces and derive some results such as inclusion relations etc. Throughout this research paper, we assume that  $I$  be an admissible ideal in  $\mathbb{N}$  and relation between the sequence  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  and  $T_j(z)$  is same as given in equation (1.3).

**Definition 2.1.** A sequence  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  is said to be Tribonacci  $I$ -convergent to  $k \in \mathbb{R}$  if for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , the set  $A$  belongs to  $I$ , where

$$A = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k| \geq \epsilon\}.$$

**Definition 2.2.** A sequence  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  is said to be Tribonacci  $I$ -Cauchy if for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $K = K(\epsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$  such that the set  $A$  belongs to  $I$ , where

$$A = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - T_K(z)| \geq \epsilon\}$$

**Definition 2.3.** A sequence  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  is said to be Tribonacci  $I$ -bounded if there exists  $M > 0$  such that the set  $A$  belongs to  $I$ , where

$$A = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z)| > M\}.$$

**Example 2.1.**  $c^{I_f}(T) = c(T)$ , where  $I_f = \{Y \subseteq \mathbb{N} : Y \text{ is finite}\}$  is an admissible ideal in  $\mathbb{N}$ , where  $c(T)$  denotes the space of all Tribonacci convergent sequences.

**Example 2.2.**  $c^{I_d}(T) = S(T)$ , where  $I_d = \{Y \subseteq \mathbb{N} : d(Y) = 0\}$  is an admissible ideal in  $\mathbb{N}$ , where  $d(Y)$  denotes the natural density of set  $Y$  and  $S(T)$  denotes the space of all Tribonacci statistically convergent sequences, i.e.,

$$S(T) = \{z = (z_n) \in \omega : d(\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k| \geq \epsilon\}) = 0, \text{ for some } k \in \mathbb{R}\}.$$

*Remark 2.4.* Tribonacci convergence  $\implies$  Tribonacci statistically convergence since natural density of all finite subsets of  $\mathbb{N}$  is zero. But the converse may not be hold.

**Example 2.3.** Let  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  such that

$$T_j(z) = \begin{cases} 5, & \text{if } j \text{ is a prime,} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Let  $k = 0$  then clearly  $T_j(z)$  is not convergent but it is  $T_j(z)$  is statistically convergent to 0 as the natural density of set prime numbers is zero, i.e.,  $d(\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k| \geq \epsilon\}) = 0$ . Hence  $(z_n) \in S(T)$  but  $(z_n) \notin c(T)$ .

**Theorem 2.5.** The sequence spaces  $c_0^I(T)$ ,  $c^I(T)$ ,  $l_\infty^I(T)$ ,  $s_0^I(T)$ , and  $s^I(T)$  are linear spaces over  $\mathbb{R}$ .

*Proof.* Suppose that  $a, b$  are scalars and  $y = (y_n), z = (z_n) \in c^I(T)$ , then for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $k_1, k_2 \in \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$\left\{ j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(y) - k_1| \geq \frac{\epsilon}{2} \right\} \in I \text{ and } \left\{ j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k_2| \geq \frac{\epsilon}{2} \right\} \in I.$$

And let

$$L_1 = \left\{ j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(y) - k_1| < \frac{\epsilon}{2|a|} \right\} \in \mathcal{F}(I) \text{ and } L_2 = \left\{ j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k_2| < \frac{\epsilon}{2|b|} \right\} \in \mathcal{F}(I),$$

be such that  $L_1^c, L_2^c \in I$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} L_3 &= \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(ay + bz) - (ak_1 + bk_2)| < \epsilon\} \\ &\supseteq \left\{ j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(y) - k_1| < \frac{\epsilon}{2|a|} \right\} \cap \left\{ j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k_2| < \frac{\epsilon}{2|b|} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

As in the above equation, the set on the right hand-side belongs to  $\mathcal{F}(I)$ . So  $L_3^c \in I$ , which implies that  $(ay + bz) \in c^I(T)$ . Hence,  $c^I(T)$  is linear space. Similarly, we can prove for remaining given spaces.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.6.** A sequence  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  is Tribonacci I-convergent iff for each  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists K = K(\epsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - T_K(z)| < \epsilon\} \in \mathcal{F}(I). \quad (2.1)$$

*Proof.* Let  $z = (z_n)$  is Tribonacci I-convergent to  $k \in \mathbb{R}$ , so for  $\epsilon > 0$ , the set

$$L_\epsilon = \left\{ j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k| < \frac{\epsilon}{2} \right\} \in \mathcal{F}(I).$$

We fix a natural number  $K = K(\epsilon) \in L_\epsilon$ . Then, for all  $j \in L_\epsilon$

$$|T_j(z) - T_K(z)| \leq |T_j(z) - k| + |k - T_K(z)| < \frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2} = \epsilon.$$

Hence, (2.1) holds. Conversely, let for all  $\epsilon > 0$ , (2.1) holds, then

$$M_\epsilon = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : T_j(z) \in [T_j(z) - \epsilon, T_j(z) + \epsilon]\} \in \mathcal{F}(I), \forall \epsilon > 0.$$

Let  $P_\epsilon = [T_j(z) - \epsilon, T_j(z) + \epsilon]$ . Fixing  $\epsilon > 0$ , then  $M_\epsilon \in \mathcal{F}(I)$  and  $M_{\frac{\epsilon}{2}} \in \mathcal{F}(I)$ . Thus  $M_\epsilon \cap M_{\frac{\epsilon}{2}} \in \mathcal{F}(I)$ , which implies that

$$P = P_\epsilon \cap P_{\frac{\epsilon}{2}} \neq \emptyset,$$

i.e.,

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : T_j(z) \in P\} \in \mathcal{F}(I).$$

Thus,

$$\text{diam}(P) \leq \frac{1}{2} \text{diam}(P_\epsilon),$$

where  $\text{diam}(P)$  is the length of interval  $P$ . Proceeding in this way, by induction we get a sequence of closed intervals  $P_\epsilon = I_0 \supseteq I_1 \supseteq \dots \supseteq I_j \supseteq \dots$  such that

$$\text{diam}(I_j) \leq \frac{1}{2} \text{diam}(I_{j-1}), \text{ for } j = (2, 3, 4, \dots)$$

and

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : T_j(z) \in I_j\} \in \mathcal{F}(I).$$

Hence,  $\exists$  a number  $k \in \bigcap_{j \in \mathbb{N}} I_j$  and it is common work to check that  $k = I\text{-}\lim T_j(z)$ . Hence,  $z = (z_n)$  is Tribonacci I-convergent sequence.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.7.** *The inclusions  $c_0^I(T) \subset c^I(T) \subset l_\infty^I(T)$  are strict.*

*Proof.* It can be easily seen that  $c_0^I(T) \subset c^I(T)$ . For strictness, take any constant sequence say  $z = (z_n) = \alpha$  for all  $n$ , where  $\alpha$  is any non-zero constant. Then  $T_j(z) = \alpha$  for all  $j$ . Hence, it is obvious that  $T_j(z) \in c^I$  but  $T_j(z) \notin c_0^I$ , i.e.,  $z \in c^I(T)$  but  $z \notin c_0^I(T)$ . Let  $z = (z_n) \in c^I(T)$ . Then there exists  $k \in \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k| \geq \epsilon\} \in I.$$

We have

$$|T_j(z)| = |T_j(z) - k + k| \leq |T_j(z) - k| + |k|.$$

Hence, it can be easily seen that the sequence  $(z_n) \in l_\infty^I(T)$ . For strictness, take the sequence  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  such that

$$T_j(z) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{j}, & \text{if } j = i^2, \text{ for } i \in \mathbb{N}, \\ 1, & \text{if } j \text{ is odd non-square,} \\ 0, & \text{if } j \text{ is even non-square.} \end{cases}$$

Hence, it is clear that  $T_j(z) \in l_\infty^I$  but  $T_j(z) \notin c^I$ , i.e.,  $z \in l_\infty^I(T)$  but  $z \notin c^I(T)$ . This completes the proof.  $\square$

*Remark 2.8.* A Tribonacci bounded sequence is obviously Tribonacci I-bounded as  $\emptyset \in I$ . But converse part is not always true. For example, let  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  such that

$$T_j(z) = \begin{cases} j^2, & \text{if } j \text{ is prime,} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

As  $\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z)| > 3\} \in I$ . Hence,  $(z_n)$  is Tribonacci I-bounded but clearly,  $T_j(z)$  is not a bounded sequence. Thus  $z \in l_\infty^I(T)$  but  $z \notin l_\infty(T)$ .

*Remark 2.9.* Tribonacci convergent sequence is obviously Tribonacci I-convergent as  $I_f$  is a non-trivial admissible ideal But the converse part may not be always true. Let  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  such that

$$T_j(z) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{j}, & \text{if } j = i^2, \text{ for } i \in \mathbb{N} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Hence,  $(z_n)$  is Tribonacci  $I_d$ -convergent but not a Tribonacci convergent sequence as  $T_j(z)$  is not convergent.

**Theorem 2.10.** *The sequence spaces  $s^I(T)$  and  $s_0^I(T)$  are Banach spaces normed by*

$$\|z\|_{A(T)} = \sup_j |T_j(z)|, \text{ where } A \in \{s^I, s_0^I\}.$$

*Proof.* Take a Cauchy sequence  $(z_n^{(i)})$  in  $s^I(T) \subset l_\infty(T)$ . Then  $(z_n^{(i)})$  is convergent in  $l_\infty(T)$  and  $\lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} T_j^{(i)}(z) = T_j(z)$ . Assume  $I\text{-}\lim T_j^{(i)}(z) = k_i$  for all  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ . Now if we prove that (1)  $(k_i) \rightarrow k$  for some  $k \in \mathbb{R}$ ; (2)  $I\text{-}\lim T_j(z) = k$ , then the theorem will be proved.

(1) Since  $(z_n^{(i)})$  is a Cauchy sequence, then for every  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $j_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$|T_j^{(i)}(z) - T_j^{(m)}(z)| < \frac{\epsilon}{3}, \text{ for all } i, m \geq j_0. \quad (2.2)$$

Now, suppose that  $L_i$  and  $L_m$  are the under-mentioned sets in  $I$ :

$$L_i = \left\{ j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j^{(i)}(z) - k_i| \geq \frac{\epsilon}{3} \right\} \quad (2.3)$$

and

$$L_m = \left\{ j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j^{(m)}(z) - k_m| \geq \frac{\epsilon}{3} \right\}. \quad (2.4)$$

Suppose that  $i, m \geq j_0$  and  $j \notin L_i \cap L_m$ . By (2.2), (2.3), and (2.4) we have

$$|k_i - k_m| \leq |T_j^{(i)}(z) - k_i| + |T_j^{(m)}(z) - k_m| + |T_j^{(i)}(z) - T_j^{(m)}(z)| < \epsilon.$$

Hence,  $(k_i)$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathbb{R}$  and thus convergent say to  $k$ , that is,  $\lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} k_i = k$ .

(2) Suppose  $\zeta > 0$ , then we can get  $r_0$  such that

$$|k_i - k| < \frac{\zeta}{3}, \text{ for all } i > r_0. \quad (2.5)$$

We have  $(z_n^{(i)}) \rightarrow (z_n)$  as  $i \rightarrow \infty$ . Thus

$$|T_j^{(i)}(z) - T_j(z)| < \frac{\zeta}{3}, \text{ for all } i > r_0. \quad (2.6)$$

Since  $T_j^{(m)}(z)$  is  $I$ -convergent to  $k_m$ , there exists  $U \in I$  such that for all  $j \notin U$ , we have

$$|T_j^{(m)}(z) - k_m| < \frac{\zeta}{3}. \quad (2.7)$$

Without loss of generality, suppose  $m > r_0$ , then for each  $j \notin U$ , we have

$$|T_j(z) - k| \leq |T_j(z) - T_j^{(m)}(z)| + |T_j^{(m)}(z) - k_m| + |k_m - k| < \zeta$$

by (2.5), (2.6), and (2.7). Thus  $(z_n)$  is Tribonacci  $I$ -convergent to  $k$ . Hence the space  $s^I(T)$  is a Banach space. Similarly, the other case can be proved.  $\square$

By Theorem 2.10, we have the following Theorem.

**Theorem 2.11.** *The spaces  $s^I(T)$  and  $s_0^I(T)$  are closed subspaces of  $l_\infty(T)$ .*

As  $s^I(T) \subset l_\infty(T)$  and  $s_0^I(T) \subset l_\infty(T)$  are strict and by Theorem 2.11, it is obvious to have following theorem.

**Theorem 2.12.** *The spaces  $s^I(T)$  and  $s_0^I(T)$  are nowhere dense subsets of  $l_\infty(T)$ .*

**Theorem 2.13.** *Let  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$ . If there exists a sequence  $y = (y_n) \in c^I(T)$  such that  $T_j(z) = T_j(y)$  for almost all  $j$  relative to  $I$ , then  $z \in c^I(T)$ .*

*Proof.* As we have given that  $T_j(z) = T_j(y)$  for almost all  $j$  relative to  $I$ , that is,

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : T_j(z) \neq T_j(y)\} \in I.$$

And suppose  $(y_n) \in c^I(T)$  and Tribonacci  $I$ - $\lim y_n = k$ . Then,  $\forall \epsilon > 0$ , the set

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(y) - k| \geq \epsilon\} \in I.$$

As  $I$  is an admissible ideal, we have

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - k| \geq \epsilon\} \subseteq \{j \in \mathbb{N} : T_j(z) \neq T_j(y)\} \cup \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(y) - k| \geq \epsilon\}.$$

Hence, the result is proved.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.14.** *If  $I$  is not maximal ideal, then the space  $c^I(T)$  is neither solid nor monotone.*

*Proof.* Consider a sequence  $z = (z_n) \in \omega$  such that  $T_j(z) = 1$  for all  $j \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $(z_n) \in c^I(T)$ . Since  $I$  is not maximal, by Lemma 1.12 there exists a subset  $K \subset \mathbb{N}$  such that  $K \notin I$  and  $K^c \notin I$ . Now, define  $y = (y_n)$  by

$$y_n = \begin{cases} z_n, & \text{if } n \in L, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Then  $(y_n)$  belongs to the canonical pre-image of the  $K$ -step space of  $c^I(T)$ . But  $(y_n) \notin c^I(T)$ . Thus  $c^I(T)$  is not monotone. Hence, by Lemma 1.11  $c^I(T)$  is not solid.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.15.** *The spaces  $c_0^I(T)$  and  $s_0^I(T)$  are solid and monotone.*

*Proof.* For  $c_0^I(T)$ , let  $z = (z_n) \in c_0^I(T)$ . Then, for  $\epsilon > 0$ , we have

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z)| \geq \epsilon\} \in I. \quad (2.8)$$

Let  $\alpha = (\alpha_n)$  be a sequence of scalars with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then

$$|T_j(\alpha z)| = |\alpha T_j(z)| \leq |\alpha| |T_j(z)| \leq |T_j(z)|, \text{ for all } j \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Thus, from the above inequality and (2.8) we have

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(\alpha z)| \geq \epsilon\} \subseteq \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z)| \geq \epsilon\} \in I$$

implies that

$$\{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(\alpha z)| \geq \epsilon\} \in I.$$

Hence,  $(\alpha z_n) \in c_0^I(T)$ . Therefore, the space  $c_0^I(T)$  is solid, and hence by Lemma 1.11 the space  $c_0^I(T)$  is monotone. Similarly, the remaining part can be proved.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.16.** *The sequence spaces  $c^I(T)$  and  $c_0^I(T)$  are not convergence free.*

*Proof.* Following example will be the proof of this theorem.  $\square$

**Example 2.4.** Let  $I = I_d$ . Consider  $(z_n), (y_n) \in \omega$  such that  $T_j(z) = \frac{1}{n}$  and  $T_j(y) = n, \forall j \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $(z_n)$  belongs to  $c^I(T)$  and  $c_0^I(T)$ , but  $(y_n)$  does not belongs to  $c^I(T)$  and  $c_0^I(T)$ . Hence the given spaces are not convergence free.

**Theorem 2.17.** *The sequence spaces  $c_0^I(T)$  and  $c^I(T)$  are sequence algebras.*

*Proof.* For  $c_0^I(T)$ , consider  $(z_n), (y_n) \in c_0^I(T)$ . Then

$$I\text{-}\lim T_j(y) = 0, \quad I\text{-}\lim T_j(z) = 0.$$

Thus,

$$I\text{-}\lim T_j(y \cdot z) = 0,$$

which implies that  $(y_n \cdot z_n) \in c_0^I(T)$ . Hence  $c_0^I(T)$  is sequence algebra. Similarly, the remaining part can be established.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.18.** *The function  $g : s^I(T) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by  $g(z) = |I\text{-}\lim T_j(z)|$ , where  $s^I(T) = l_\infty(T) \cap c^I(T)$ , is a Lipschitz function and hence uniformly continuous.*

*Proof.* Firstly, we prove that the function is well defined. Let  $y, z \in s^I(T)$ , such that

$$y = z \Rightarrow I\text{-}\lim T_j(y) = I\text{-}\lim T_j(z) \Rightarrow |I\text{-}\lim T_j(y)| = |I\text{-}\lim T_j(z)| \Rightarrow g(y) = g(z).$$

Thus,  $g$  is well defined. Next, let  $y = (y_n), z = (z_n) \in s^I(T), y \neq z$ . Then



$$B_1 = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(y) - g(y)| \geq |y - z|_*\} \in I,$$

$$B_2 = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - g(z)| \geq |y - z|_*\} \in I,$$

where  $|y - z|_* = \sup_j |T_j(y) - T_j(z)|$ . Thus

$$C_1 = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(y) - g(y)| < |y - z|_*\} \in \mathcal{F}(I)$$

and

$$C_2 = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - g(z)| < |y - z|_*\} \in \mathcal{F}(I).$$

Hence  $C = C_1 \cap C_2 \in \mathcal{F}(I)$ , so that  $C$  is non-empty set. Therefore choosing  $j \in B$ , we have

$$|g(y) - g(z)| \leq |g(y) - T_j(y)| + |T_j(y) - T_j(z)| + |T_j(z) - g(z)| \leq 3|y - z|_*.$$

Thus,  $g$  is Lipschitz function and hence it is uniformly continuous.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.19.** If  $y = (y_n), z = (z_n) \in s^I(T)$  with  $T_j(y \cdot z) = T_j(y) \cdot T_j(z)$ , then  $(y \cdot z) \in s^I(T)$  and  $g(y \cdot z) = g(y) \cdot g(z)$ , where  $g : s^I(T) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is defined by  $g(x) = |I\text{-}\lim T_j(x)|$ .

*Proof.* For  $\epsilon > 0$ ,

$$A = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(y) - g(y)| < \epsilon\} \in \mathcal{F}(I), \quad (2.9)$$

and

$$B = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : |T_j(z) - g(z)| < \epsilon\} \in \mathcal{F}(I), \quad (2.10)$$

where  $\epsilon = |y - z|_* = \sup_j |T_j(y) - T_j(z)|$ . Now, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |T_j(y \cdot z) - g(y)g(z)| &= |T_j(y)T_j(z) - T_j(y)g(z) + T_j(y)g(z) - g(y)g(z)| \\ &\leq |T_j(y)| |T_j(z) - g(z)| + |g(z)| |T_j(y) - g(y)|. \end{aligned} \quad (2.11)$$

As  $s^I(T) \subseteq l_\infty(T)$ , there exists an  $M \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $|T_j(y)| < M$ . Therefore, from the equations (2.9), (2.10), and (2.11), we have

$$|T_j(y \cdot z) - g(y)g(z)| = |T_j(y) \cdot T_j(z) - g(y)g(z)| \leq M\epsilon + |g(z)|\epsilon = \epsilon_1, \text{ (say)}$$

for all  $j \in A \cap B \in \mathcal{F}(I)$ . Hence  $(y \cdot z) \in s^I(T)$  and  $g(y \cdot z) = g(y) \cdot g(z)$ .  $\square$

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