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# ROUGH $\Delta \mathcal{I}$ -STATISTICAL CONVERGENCE

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ABSTRACT. In this study, we examine rough  $\Delta \mathcal{I}$ -statistical convergence for difference sequences as an extension of rough convergence. We investigate the set of rough  $\Delta \mathcal{I}$ -statistical limit points of a difference sequence and analyze the results with proofs.

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### 1. Introduction and Background

Fast [1] examined the statistical convergence of a real number sequence. Some beneficial conclusions on this topic can be found in [2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8]. Kostyrko et al. [9] studied ideal convergence as a generalization of statistical convergence. Kostyrko et al. [10] researched some features of  $\mathcal{I}$ -convergence. Savaş and Das [11] investigated  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical convergence. Later on it was studied by some researchers. For details, see [12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25].

Rough convergence was firstly given by Phu [26] in finite-dimensional normed spaces. Phu [27] investigated rough continuity of linear operators and denoted that under the assumption of X and Y are normed spaces, every linear operator  $f: X \to Y$  is rough continuous at every point X. Considering the results in [26], Phu [28] studied some properties of rough convergence in infinite-dimensional normed spaces. Aytar [29] defined rough statistical convergence. In another study [30], he worked rough limit set and the core of a real sequence. The generalization of rough statistical convergence which is known as rough  $\mathcal{I}$ -convergence was given by Pal et al. [31]. Recently, Dündar and Çakan [32, 33, 34] investigated the rough  $\mathcal{I}$ -convergence of a double sequence. Rough  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical convergence was firstly studied by Savaş et al [35]. In another study, Malik et al. [36] examined significant properties of this kind of convergence. Also, Arslan and

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Dündar [37, 38] introduced rough convergence in 2-normed spaces. Demir and Gümüş [39] studied rough statistical convergence of difference sequences. Rough convergence, rough statistical convergence and  $\Delta \mathcal{I}$ -convergence for difference sequences and for double difference sequences have been investigated. For details, see [40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45].

In this study, our aim is to define the rough  $\Delta \mathcal{I}$ -statistical convergence for difference sequences and proved some significant theorems. As can be seen from the title of the article, there are four important notions that will form the basis of this article. These are; statistical convergence,  $\mathcal{I}$ -convergence, difference sequences and rough convergence.

### 2. Definitions and notations

In this section, some significant definitions and notations are given. (See [37, 38, 29, 30, 32, 33, 34, 45, 26, 27, 28]).

During the study, r denotes a nonnegative real number and  $\mathbb{R}^n$  indicates the real *n*-dimensional space with the norm  $\|.\|$ . Think a sequence  $x = (x_k) \subset X = \mathbb{R}^n$ .

The sequence x is named to be r-convergent to  $x_*$ , showed by  $x_k \xrightarrow{r} x_*$  on condition that

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0 \; \exists i_{\varepsilon} \in \mathbb{N} : \; k \ge i_{\varepsilon} \Rightarrow ||x_k - x_*|| < r + \varepsilon.$$

The set

$$\mathrm{LIM}^r x := \{ x_* \in \mathbb{R}^n : x_k \xrightarrow{r} x_* \}$$

is given the r-limit set of the sequence x. If  $\text{LIM}^r x \neq \emptyset$  holds, then the  $x = (x_i)$  is called r-convergent. Here, r indicates the convergence degree of the sequence x. For r = 0, we have the ordinary convergence.

A family of sets  $\mathcal{I} \subseteq 2^{\mathbb{N}}$  is named an ideal iff

(i)  $\emptyset \in \mathcal{I}$ ,

(*ii*) for each  $A, B \in \mathcal{I}$  we have  $A \cup B \in \mathcal{I}$ ,

(*iii*) for each  $A \in \mathcal{I}$  and each  $B \subseteq A$  we have  $B \in \mathcal{I}$ .

An ideal is called non-trivial if  $\mathbb{N} \notin \mathcal{I}$  and non-trivial ideal is called admissible if  $\{n\} \in \mathcal{I}$  for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

A family of sets  $\mathcal{F} \subseteq 2^{\mathbb{N}}$  is named a filter in  $\mathbb{N}$  iff

(i)  $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{F}$ ,

(*ii*) for each  $A, B \in \mathcal{F}$  we have  $A \cap B \in \mathcal{F}$ ,

(*iii*) for each  $A \in \mathcal{F}$  and each  $B \supseteq A$  we have  $B \in \mathcal{F}$ .

If  $\mathcal{I} \subseteq 2^{\mathbb{N}}$  is a nontrivial ideal, then the family of sets

$$\mathcal{F}(\mathcal{I}) = \{ P \subset \mathbb{N} : \exists K \in \mathcal{I} : P = \mathbb{N} \setminus K \}$$

is a filter of  $\mathbb{N}$  and it is named as the filter connected with the ideal  $\mathcal{I}$ .

Mursaleen et al. [20] defined  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical cluster point of real number sequence.

**Theorem 2.1.** If an  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically bounded sequence has one cluster point then it is  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent.

A sequence  $x = (x_k)$  is called to be *r*- $\mathcal{I}$ -convergent to  $x_*$  with the roughness degree *r*, demonstrated by  $x_k \xrightarrow{r-\mathcal{I}} x_*$  provided that

$$\{k \in \mathbb{N} : \|x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\} \in \mathcal{I}$$

for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Additionally, we write  $x_k \xrightarrow{r-\mathcal{I}} x_*$  iff the  $||x_k - x_*|| < r + \varepsilon$  holds for every  $\varepsilon > 0$  and almost all k.

 $(\Delta x_k)$  is called to be rough  $\mathcal{I}$ -convergent to  $x_*$  or r- $\mathcal{I}$ -convergent to  $x_*$  if for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ 

$$\{k \in \mathbb{N} : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

In this case  $x_*$  is named the *r*- $\mathcal{I}$ -limit of  $(\Delta x_k)$  and we indicate it by  $\Delta x \xrightarrow{r-\mathcal{I}} x_*$ .

## 3. MAIN RESULTS

**Definition 3.1.** A sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  in X is said to be rough  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent to  $x_*$  or r- $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent to  $x_*$ , demonstrated by  $\Delta x \xrightarrow{r-\mathcal{I}-st} x_*$ , provided that

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}$$

for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  and  $\delta > 0$ , or correspondingly we can say

$$\mathcal{I} - st \limsup \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \le r.$$

For r = 0, we have  $\Delta \mathcal{I}$ -statistical convergence. So, our main attention is when r > 0.

If  $\mathcal{I}$  is an admissible ideal, then usual rough statistical convergence for a difference sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  implies rough  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical convergence.

The idea of rough  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical convergence for a difference sequence can be explained with the following example.

**Example 3.2.** As an example presume that the sequence  $(\Delta y_k)$  is  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent which can not be measured absolutely. We can select an approximated sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  satisfying  $\{k \in \mathbb{N} : ||\Delta x_k - \Delta y_k|| > r\} \in \mathcal{I}$ . Then,  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergence of sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  is not assured, but the inclusion,

$$\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} | \{ k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon \} | \ge \delta \}$$
$$\subseteq \{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} | \{ k \le n : \|\Delta y_k - x_*\| \ge \varepsilon \} | \ge \delta \}$$

holds, so the sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  is *r*- $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent.

Generally the r- $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical limit of a sequence may not be unique for r > 0. We identify the set of all r- $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical limit of  $(\Delta x_k)$  with

$$\mathcal{I} - st - \mathrm{LIM}^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})} = \left\{ x_{*} \in X : \Delta x_{k} \xrightarrow{r - \mathcal{I} - st} x_{*} \right\}.$$

If  $\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})} \neq \emptyset$  holds, then the sequence  $(\Delta x_{k})$  is called *r*- $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent. It is obvious that if  $\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})} \neq \emptyset$  for a sequence  $(\Delta x_{k})$ , then we get

$$\mathcal{I} - st - \text{LIM}_{(\Delta x_k)}^r = \left[\mathcal{I} - st - \limsup \left(\Delta x_k\right) - r, \ \mathcal{I} - st - \liminf \left(\Delta x_k\right) - r\right].$$

As seen in the example below, there is an unbounded difference sequence which is not rough convergence but it can be r- $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent.

**Example 3.3.** Let  $\mathcal{I}$  be an admissible ideal and A be an infinite set such that  $A \in \mathcal{I}$ . Take the difference sequence

$$(\Delta x_k) = \begin{cases} (-1)^k, & \text{if } k \notin A, \\ k, & \text{if } k \in A. \end{cases}$$

It is clear that  $(\Delta x_k)$  is unbounded and *r*- $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent. Because,

$$\mathcal{I} - st - \text{LIM}_{(\Delta x_k)}^r = \begin{cases} \emptyset, & \text{if } r < 1, \\ [1 - r, r - 1], & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

**Definition 3.4.** A sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  is called to be  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically bounded if there consists a number K such that

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k\| > K\} \right| > \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

**Theorem 3.5.** For a sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$ ,

$$diam\left(\mathcal{I} - st - \mathrm{LIM}^r_{(\Delta x_k)}\right) \leq 2r.$$

Generally diam  $\left(\mathcal{I} - st - \operatorname{LIM}^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})}\right)$  has no smaller bound.

Proof. Presume that  $diam\left(\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})}\right) > 2r$ . Then, there are  $y, z \in \mathcal{I}$ -st-LIM<sup>r</sup><sub>( $\Delta x_{k}$ )</sub> such that ||y - z|| > 2r. Now select  $\varepsilon > 0$  so that  $\varepsilon \in \left(0, \frac{||y - z||}{2} - r\right)$ . Let

$$A_1 = \{k \in \mathbb{N} : \|\Delta x_k - y\| \ge r + \varepsilon\} \in \mathcal{I}$$

and

$$A_2 = \{k \in \mathbb{N} : \|\Delta x_k - z\| \ge r + \varepsilon\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Then, we have

$$\frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : k \in A_1 \cup A_2\} \right| \le \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : k \in A_1\} \right| + \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : k \in A_2\} \right|$$

and by the feature of  $\mathcal I\text{-}\mathrm{convergence}$  we get

$$\mathcal{I} - \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{ k \le n : k \in A_1 \cup A_2 \right\} \right| \le \mathcal{I} - \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{ k \le n : k \in A_1 \right\} \right|$$

 $+\mathcal{I} - \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : k \in A_2\} \right| = 0.$ 

Thus, we get

$$\left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : k \in A_1 \cup A_2\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}$$

for all  $\delta > 0$ . Let

$$M = \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : k \in A_1 \cup A_2\} \right| \ge \frac{1}{2} \right\}.$$

Obviously,  $M \in \mathcal{I}$ . Now, select  $n_0 \in \mathbb{N} \setminus M$ . Then

$$\frac{1}{n_0} \left| \{k \le n_0 : k \in A_1 \cup A_2\} \right| < \frac{1}{2}$$

 $\operatorname{So}$ 

$$\frac{1}{n_0} \left| \{k \le n_0 : k \notin A_1 \cup A_2\} \right| \ge 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

i.e.,  $\{k : k \notin A_1 \cup A_2\}$  is a nonempty set. Take  $k_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $k_0 \notin A_1 \cup A_2$ . Then  $k_0 \in A_1^c \cap A_2^c$  and hence  $\|\Delta x_{k_0} - y\| < r + \varepsilon$  and  $\|\Delta x_{k_0} - z\| < r + \varepsilon$ . So

$$||y - z|| \le ||\Delta x_{k_0} - y|| + ||\Delta x_{k_0} - z|| < 2(r + \varepsilon) < ||y - z||,$$

As we can see this is a absurd. Thus,

$$diam\left(\mathcal{I} - st - \mathrm{LIM}^r_{(\Delta x_k)}\right) \le 2r.$$

For evidence of the second part, think a sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  such that  $\mathcal{I} - st - \lim \Delta x_k = x_*$ . Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  and  $\delta > 0$  then, we get

$$A = \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge \varepsilon \} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Then, for  $n \notin A$  we obtain

$$\frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge \varepsilon\}| < \delta,$$

i.e.,

$$\frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| < \varepsilon\}| \ge 1 - \delta.$$

Now, for each

$$y \in \overline{B}_r(x_*) = \{y \in X : \|y - x_*\| \le r\}$$

we have

$$\|\Delta x_k - y\| \le \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| + \|x_* - y\| \le \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| + r.$$

Let

$$P_n = \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| < \varepsilon\}.$$

Then, for  $k \in P_n$  we get  $||\Delta x_k - y|| < r + \varepsilon$ . Hence

$$P_n \subset \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - y\| < r + \varepsilon\}.$$

This means,

$$\frac{|P_n|}{n} \le \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - y\| < r + \varepsilon\} \right|$$

i.e.,

$$\frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{ k \le n : \left\| \Delta x_k - y \right\| < r + \varepsilon \right\} \right| \ge 1 - \delta.$$

Thus, for all  $n \notin A$ ,

$$\frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : ||\Delta x_k - y|| \ge r + \varepsilon\}| < 1 - (1 - \delta).$$

Hence, we get

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - y\| \ge r + \varepsilon \right\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \subset A.$$

Since  $A \in \mathcal{I}$ , so

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - y\| \ge r + \varepsilon\right\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}$$

which gives that  $y \in \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})}$  and as a consequence, we obtain  $\mathcal{I}$ -st- $LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})} \supset \overline{B}_{r}(x_{*})$ . Therefore,  $diam\left(\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})}\right) \geq 2r$ , so  $diam\left(\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})}\right) = 2r$ .

**Theorem 3.6.** A sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  is  $\mathcal{I}$ -st-bounded iff there is r > 0 such that  $\mathcal{I} - st - \text{LIM}^r_{(\Delta x_k)} \neq \emptyset$ .

*Proof.* Take  $\mathcal{I}$ -st-bounded sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$ . Then, there is K > 0 such that

$$P = \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k\| > K\} \right| > \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Let  $\overline{r} := \sup \{ \|\Delta x_k\| : k \in P^c \}$ . The set  $\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{\overline{r}}_{(\Delta x_k)}$  includes the origin of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and so  $\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{\overline{r}}_{(\Delta x_k)} \neq \emptyset$ .

On the contrary, presume that  $\mathcal{I} - st - LIM_{(\Delta x_k)}^{\overline{r}} \neq \emptyset$  for some  $r \geq 0$ . Then, there is  $x_* \in \mathcal{I} - st - LIM_{(\Delta x_k)}^{\overline{r}}$  i.e.,

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\right\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I},$$

for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  and  $\delta > 0$ . So we can say that almost all  $\Delta x_k$ 's are contained in some ball with any radius greater than r and  $(\Delta x_k)$  is  $\mathcal{I}$ -st-bounded.

**Theorem 3.7.** The set  $\mathcal{I} - st - \text{LIM}_{(\Delta x_k)}^r$  of a sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  is a closed set.

Proof. If  $\mathcal{I}-st-LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})} = \emptyset$ , then it is obvious. Think that  $\mathcal{I}-st-LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})} \neq \emptyset$ . Now, take a sequence  $(\Delta y_{k})$  in  $\mathcal{I}-st-LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})}$  with  $\lim_{k\to\infty} \Delta y_{k} = y_{*}$ . Choose  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Then, there is  $i_{\frac{\varepsilon}{2}} \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$\|\Delta y_k - y_*\| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

for all  $k > i_{\frac{\varepsilon}{2}}$ . Let  $k_0 > i_{\frac{\varepsilon}{2}}$  such that  $y_{k_0} \in \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$ . So,

$$A = \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{ k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - y_{k_0}\| \ge r + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \right\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Since  $\mathcal{I}$  is admissible ideal, hence  $M = \mathbb{N} \setminus A$  is nonempty. Take  $n \in M$ . Then

$$\frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{ k \le n : \left\| \Delta x_k - y_{k_0} \right\| \ge r + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \right\} \right| < \delta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{ k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - y_{k_0}\| < r + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \right\} \right| \ge 1 - \delta.$$

Select  $P_n = \left\{ k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - y_{k_0}\| < r + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \right\}$ . Then, for  $k \in P_n$ 

$$\|\Delta x_k - y_*\| \le \|\Delta x_k - y_{k_0}\| + \|y_{k_0} - y_*\| < r + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = r + \varepsilon.$$

Therefore, we obtain  $P_n \subset \{k \leq n : \|\Delta x_k - y_*\| < r + \varepsilon\}$ , which means that

$$1 - \delta \leq \frac{|P_n|}{n} \leq \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{ k \leq n : \|\Delta x_k - y_*\| < r + \varepsilon \right\} \right|.$$

So, we get

$$\frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : ||\Delta x_k - y_*|| \ge r + \varepsilon\}| < 1 - (1 - \delta) = \delta.$$

Then, we have

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - y_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \subset A \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Hence,  $y_* \in \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$  and so,  $\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$  is a closed set. **Theorem 3.8.** The set  $\mathcal{I} - st - \text{LIM}^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$  of a sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  is convex.

*Proof.* Let  $y_0, y_1 \in \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$  and  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given. Let

$$K_0 = \{k \in \mathbb{N} : \|\Delta x_k - y_0\| \ge r + \varepsilon\}$$

and

$$K_1 = \{k \in \mathbb{N} : \|\Delta x_k - y_1\| \ge r + \varepsilon\}.$$

Then, for  $\delta > 0$  we get

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : k \in K_0 \cup K_1\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Select  $0 < \delta_1 < 1$  such that  $0 < 1 - \delta_1 < \delta$ . Take

$$K = \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{ k \le n : k \in K_0 \cup K_1 \} \right| \ge 1 - \delta_1 \right\}.$$

Then,  $K \in \mathcal{I}$ . Now for each  $n \notin K$  we get

 $\frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : k \in K_0 \cup K_1\}| < 1 - \delta_1$ 

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : k \notin K_0 \cup K_1\}| \ge \{1 - (1 - \delta_1)\} = \delta_1.$$

Therefore,  $\{k \in \mathbb{N} : k \notin K_0 \cup K_1\}$  is a nonempty set. Take  $k_0 \in K_1^c \cap K_2^c$  and  $\lambda \in [0, 1]$ . Then

$$\|\Delta x_{k_0} - (1 - \lambda) y_0 - \lambda y_1\| = \|(1 - \lambda) \Delta x_{k_0} + \lambda \Delta x_{k_0} - [(1 - \lambda) y_0 + \lambda y_1]\|$$

$$\leq (1-\lambda) \|\Delta x_{k_0} - y_0\| + \lambda \|\Delta x_{k_0} - y_1\| < (1-\lambda) (r+\varepsilon) + \lambda (r+\varepsilon) = r+\varepsilon.$$

Let

$$T = \{k \in \mathbb{N} : \|\Delta x_k - (1 - \lambda) y_0 - \lambda y_1\| \ge r + \varepsilon\}.$$

Then obviously,  $K_1^c \cap K_2^c \subset T^c$ . So for  $n \notin K$ ,

$$\delta_1 \le \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : k \notin K_0 \cup K_1\}| \le \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : k \notin T\}|$$

 $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : k \in T\}| < 1 - \delta_1 < \delta.$ 

Therefore,  $K^c \subset \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} | \{ k \le n : k \in T \} | < \delta \right\}$ . Since  $K^c \in \mathcal{F}(\mathcal{I})$ , so

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : k \in T\} \right| < \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{F}(\mathcal{I})$$

and so

$$\left\{n\in\mathbb{N}:\frac{1}{n}\left|\{k\leq n:k\in T\}\right|\geq\delta\right\}\in\mathcal{I}.$$

Hence, the set  $\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$  is convex.

**Theorem 3.9.** Take r > 0. Then, a sequence  $(\Delta x_k) \in X$  is  $r \cdot \mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent to  $x_*$  iff there is a difference sequence  $(\Delta y_k) \in X$  such that  $\mathcal{I} - st - \lim \Delta y = x_*$  and  $||\Delta x_k - \Delta y_k|| \leq r$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ .

*Proof.* Take  $(\Delta y_k) \in X$ , which is  $\mathcal{I} - st - \lim \Delta y = x_*$  and  $||\Delta x_k - \Delta y_k|| \leq r$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  and  $\delta > 0$ , the set

$$K = \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : \|\Delta y_k - x_*\| \ge \varepsilon \} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Take  $n \notin K$ . Then

$$\frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : ||\Delta y_k - x_*|| \ge \varepsilon\}| < \delta$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : ||\Delta y_k - x_*|| < \varepsilon\}| \ge 1 - \delta.$$

Take

$$T_n = \{k \le n : \|\Delta y_k - x_*\| < \varepsilon\}$$

for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then for  $k \in T_n$ , we get

$$\|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \le \|\Delta x_k - \Delta y_k\| + \|\Delta y_k - x_*\| < r + \varepsilon.$$

Therefore,

$$T_n \subset \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| < r + \varepsilon\}$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|T_n|}{n} \le \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| < r + \varepsilon\}|$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| < r + \varepsilon\}| \ge 1 - \delta$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\}| < 1 - (1 - \delta) = \delta.$$

Hence,

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\right\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \subset K$$

and since  $K \in \mathcal{I}$ , we get

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\right\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Therefore,  $\Delta x \xrightarrow{r-\mathcal{I}-st} x_*$ . Conversely, presume that  $\Delta x \xrightarrow{r-\mathcal{I}-st} x_*$ . Then, for  $\varepsilon > 0$  and  $\delta > 0$ ,

$$K = \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{ k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon \right\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Take  $n \notin K$ . Then

$$\frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\}| < \delta$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| < r + \varepsilon\}| \ge 1 - \delta.$$

Take

$$T_n = \{k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| < r + \varepsilon\}.$$

Now, we consider a difference sequence  $(\Delta y_k)$  as follows:

$$\Delta y_k := \begin{cases} x_*, & \text{if } \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \le r, \\ \Delta x_k + r \frac{x_* - \Delta x_k}{\|\Delta x_k - x_*\|}, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Then,

$$\|\Delta y_k - \Delta x_k\| = \begin{cases} \|x_* - \Delta x_k\| \le r, & \text{if } \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \le r, \\ r, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Also,

$$\|\Delta y_{k} - x_{*}\| = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } \|\Delta x_{k} - x_{*}\| \leq r, \\ \|\Delta x_{k} - x_{*} + r \frac{x_{*} - \Delta x_{k}}{\|\Delta x_{k} - x_{*}\|} \|, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$
$$\|\Delta y_{k} - x_{*}\| = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } \|\Delta x_{k} - x_{*}\| \leq r, \\ \|\Delta x_{k} - x_{*}\| - r, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

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Let  $k \in T_n$ . Then

$$\|\Delta y_k - x_*\| = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \le r, \\ < \varepsilon, & \text{if } r < \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| < r + \varepsilon. \end{cases}$$

Therefore, we obtain

$$T_n \subset \{k \le n : \|\Delta y_k - x_*\| < \varepsilon\}$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|T_n|}{n} \le \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta y_k - x_*\| < \varepsilon\}|$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta y_k - x_*\| < \varepsilon\}| \ge 1 - \delta$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : \|\Delta y_k - x_*\| \ge \varepsilon\}| < 1 - (1 - \delta) = \delta.$$

Thus

$$\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{k \le n : \|\Delta y_k - x_*\| \ge \varepsilon \right\} \right| \ge \delta \right\} \subset K.$$

Since  $K \in \mathcal{I}$ ,  $\left\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} |\{k \le n : ||\Delta y_k - x_*|| \ge \varepsilon\}| \ge \delta\right\} \in \mathcal{I}$  and so  $\mathcal{I} - st - \lim \Delta y = x_*$ .

**Definition 3.10.** An element  $c \in X$  is named as  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical cluster point of a sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  if for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ 

$$d_{\mathcal{I}}\left(\{k: \|\Delta x_k - c\| < \varepsilon\}\right) \neq 0$$

where

$$d_{\mathcal{I}}(A) = \mathcal{I} - \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{1}{n} \left| \{k \le n : k \in A\} \right|,$$

if exists. The set of all  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical cluster point of  $(\Delta x_k)$  can be indicated by  $\mathcal{I}$ -S $(\Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)})$ .

**Theorem 3.11.** Let  $(\Delta x_k)$  be a sequence and  $c \in \mathcal{I}$ - $S(\Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)})$ . Then,  $||x_* - c|| \leq r$  for all  $x_* \in \mathcal{I} - st - \text{LIM}^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$ .

*Proof.* If it is possible assume that there is  $x_* \in \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$  such that  $||x_* - c|| > r$ . Let  $\varepsilon = \frac{||x_* - c|| - r}{2}$ . Then, we get

$$\{k \in \mathbb{N} : \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\} \supseteq \{k \in \mathbb{N} : \|\Delta x_k - c\| < \varepsilon\}.$$
 (1)

Since  $c \in \mathcal{I}$ -S $(\Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)})$ , so  $d_{\mathcal{I}}(\{k : ||\Delta x_k - c|| < \varepsilon\}) \neq 0$ . Hence, by (1) we get

$$d_{\mathcal{I}}\left(\{k: \|\Delta x_k - x_*\| \ge r + \varepsilon\}\right) \neq 0,$$

which contradicts that  $x_* \in \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$ . Hence,  $||x_* - c|| \leq r$ .

**Theorem 3.12.** A sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  is r- $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent to  $x_*$  iff  $\mathcal{I} - st - \text{LIM}^r_{(\Delta x_k)} = \overline{B}_r(x_*)$ .

*Proof.* The necessary part of the theorem is already proved in the 2nd part of *Theorem 3.5.* For the sufficiency, let  $\mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})} = \overline{B}_{r}(x_{*}) \neq \emptyset$ . Thus, the sequence  $(\Delta x_{k})$  is  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically bounded. Assume that  $(\Delta x_{k})$  has  $\Delta \mathcal{I}$ -statistical cluster point  $x'_{*}$  different from  $x_{*}$ . The point

$$\overline{x}_* := x_* + \frac{r}{\|x_* - x'_*\|} (x_* - x'_*)$$

satisfies,

$$\|\overline{x}_* - x'_*\| = \left(\frac{r}{\|x_* - x'_*\|} + 1\right) \|x_* - x'_*\| = r + \|x_* - x'_*\| > r.$$

Since,  $x'_* \in \mathcal{I} - S(\Gamma_x)$ , by Theorem 3.11,  $\overline{x}_* \notin \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$ . But this is not possible as

$$\|\overline{x}_* - x'_*\| = r \text{ and } \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)} = \overline{B}_r(x_*).$$

Therefore  $x_*$  is the unique  $\mathcal{I}$ -statistical cluster point of  $(\Delta x_k)$ . So,  $(\Delta x_k)$  is r- $\mathcal{I}$ -statistically convergent to  $x_*$ .

**Theorem 3.13.** (i) If 
$$c \in \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}(\mathcal{I})$$
, then  $\mathcal{I} - st - \operatorname{LIM}^r_{(\Delta x_k)} \subseteq B_r(c)$ .  
(ii)  $\mathcal{I} - st - \operatorname{LIM}^r_{(\Delta x_k)} = \bigcap_{c \in \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}(\mathcal{I})} \overline{B}_r(c) = \left\{ x_* \in \mathbb{R}^n : \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}(\mathcal{I}) \subseteq \overline{B}_r(x_*) \right\}.$ 

*Proof.* (i) If  $x_* \in \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^r_{(\Delta x_k)}$  and  $c \in \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}(\mathcal{I})$ , then  $||x_* - c|| \leq r$ . So, the consequence follows.

(ii) By (i) we can note

$$\mathcal{I} - st - \mathrm{LIM}_{(\Delta x_k)}^r \subseteq \bigcap_{c \in \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}(\mathcal{I})} \overline{B}_r(c) \, .$$

Assume that  $y \in \bigcap_{c \in \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}(\mathcal{I})} \overline{B}_r(c)$ . We have  $||y - c|| \leq r$  for all  $c \in \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}(\mathcal{I})$ 

and so

$$\Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}\left(\mathcal{I}\right) \subseteq \overline{B}_r\left(x_*\right).$$

Then, clearly

$$\bigcap_{c \in \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}(\mathcal{I})} \overline{B}_r(c) = \left\{ x_* \in \mathbb{R}^n : \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}(\mathcal{I}) \subseteq \overline{B}_r(x_*) \right\}.$$

If it is possible, let  $y \notin \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})}$ . Then, there is an  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that

$$K = \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{n} \left| \left\{ k \le n : \|\Delta x_k - y\| \ge r + \varepsilon \right\} \right| < \delta \right\} \notin \mathcal{I},$$

which means the existence of an  $\mathcal{I}$ -cluster point c of the sequence  $(\Delta x_k)$  with  $||y - c|| \ge r + \varepsilon$ . Hence

$$\Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}\left(\mathcal{I}\right) \subseteq \overline{B}_r\left(y\right) \text{ and } y \notin \left\{x_* \in \mathbb{R}^n : \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)}\left(\mathcal{I}\right) \subseteq \overline{B}_r\left(x_*\right)\right\}.$$

Ultimately the fact that  $y \in \mathcal{I} - st - LIM^{r}_{(\Delta x_{k})}$  follows from the examination that

$$y \in \left\{ x_* \in \mathbb{R}^n : \Gamma_{(\Delta x_k)} \left( \mathcal{I} \right) \subseteq \overline{B}_r \left( x_* \right) \right\}.$$

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