



## ESTIMATES OF KHINTCHINE CONSTANT OF THE LORENTZ SEQUENCE SPACE

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**Abstract:** We estimate the Khintchine constant, also called type- $n$  constant of  $l_q$ . As corollaries we get estimates for some special cases of parameters, in particular we estimate the Jordan-von Neumann constant of Lorentz sequence space.

**Key words:** Khintchine constant, Lorentz sequence space.

Let  $X$  be a Banach space and  $1 \leq p \leq 2$ . As usually  $X$  is of Rademacher type  $p(q)$  if there exists  $C \in \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$\left( \int_0^1 \left\| \sum_{k \leq n} r_k(t) x_k \right\|^q dt \right)^{1/q} \leq C \left( \sum_{k \leq n} \|x_k\|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

for every  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \in X$ . Here  $r_k(t)$  are the Rademacher functions,

$$r_0(t) = 1, \quad r_i(t) = \text{sign } 2^i \pi t, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots$$

The smallest constant  $C$  satisfying this inequality is called type constant  $T_{p(q)}^{(n)}(X)$  of  $X$  or Khintchin constant (see for instance [4]).

The most interesting cases are  $p = q = 2$ ,  $q = p$  and  $q = p'$ .

Let us note that sometimes is more convenient to use the following definition for type constant

$$T_{p(q)}^{(n)} = \sup \left\{ \frac{\left( \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{\theta_k = \pm 1} \left\| \sum_{k \leq n} \theta_k x_k \right\|^q \right)^{1/q}}{\left( \sum_{k \leq n} \|x_k\|^p \right)^{1/p}} : \sum_{k \leq n} \|x_k\| \neq 0 \right\}.$$

Let us mention, some known properties of the Khintchin constant. For instance,

- $1 \leq T_{p(q)}^{(n)}(X) \leq n^{1-1/p}$ ;
- the function  $T_{p(q)}^{(n)}(X)$  is increasing in  $n, p, q$ , and  $T_{1(1)}^{(n)}(X) = 1$ ;
- the function  $T_{p(q)}^{(n)}(X)$  is submultiplicative in  $n$ .

Note that  $C_{NJ}^{(n)} = \left( T_{2(2)}^{(n)} \right)^2$ , where  $C_{NJ}^{(n)}$  is  $n$ -th Jordan-von Neumann constant, first defined by Kato, Takahashi and Hashimoto in [3]. In this paper some properties of  $C_{NJ}^{(n)}$  are proved and some connection between the Banach space to have some type (namely  $\sup_n T_{p(q)}^{(n)}(x) < \infty$ ) and behaviour of the  $C_{NJ}^{(n)}$  are considered.

Let  $w = (w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n)$  with  $w_1 \geq w_2 \geq \dots \geq w_n > 0$  and  $n = 2, 3, \dots$ . For  $1 \leq q < \infty$ , the  $n$ -dimensional Lorentz sequence space,  $d^{(n)}(w, q)$ , is  $\mathbb{R}^n$  with norm

$$\|x\|_{w,q} = (w_1 x_1^{*q} + w_2 x_2^{*q} + \dots + w_n x_n^{*q})^{1/q},$$

where  $(x_1^*, x_2^*, \dots, x_n^*)$  is the non-increasing rearrangement of  $(|x_1|, |x_2|, \dots, |x_n|)$ ; that is  $(x_1^* \geq x_2^* \geq \dots \geq x_n^*)$ . In the case when  $w_k = k^{q/p-1}$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$  and  $1 \leq q < \infty$ , we have the classical  $n$ -dimensional Lorentz sequence space  $l_{p,q}^n$ .

Let  $W_n = w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n$ .

**Lemma.** *If  $1 \leq q < \infty$ , then*

$$\left(\frac{W_n}{n}\right)^{1/q} \|x\|_q \leq \|x\|_{w,q} \leq w_1^{1/q} \|x\|$$

for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .

This is the fact mentioned in Remark 1 (see [1]).

**Theorem.** *The following estimate holds for  $1 \leq q < \infty$ :*

$$T_{p(s)}^{(n)}(l_{w,q}) \leq \left(\frac{nw_1}{w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n}\right)^{1/q} T_{p(s)}^{(n)}(l_q).$$

**Proof.** For to prove the estimate for the Khintchin constant of the space  $l_{w,q}$  by Khintchin constant of the space  $l_q$  we are going to use first the right hand side inequality and then the left hand side inequality from the Lemma.

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{\theta_k = \pm 1} \left\| \sum_{k=1}^n \theta_k x_k \right\|_{w,q}^s\right)^{1/s} &\leq \left(\frac{w_1^{s/q}}{2^n} \sum_{\theta_k = \pm 1} \left\| \sum_{k=1}^n \theta_k x_k \right\|_q^s\right)^{1/s} \\ &\leq w_1^{1/q} T_{p(s)}^{(n)}(l_q) \left(\sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k\|_q^p\right)^{1/p} \\ &\leq w_1^{1/q} T_{p(s)}^{(n)}(l_q) \left(\sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k\|_{w,q}^p\right)^{1/p} \left(\frac{w_1}{w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n}\right)^{1/q}. \end{aligned}$$

Theorem is proved.

**Corollary.**

$$C_{NJ}^n(l_{w,q}) \leq n^{2/q'-1} \left(\frac{nw_1}{W_n}\right)^{2/q}$$

for  $1 \leq q \leq 2$ .

**Proof.** If we put  $p = s = 2$  and use the fact  $C_{NJ}^n(l_q) = n^{2/q'-1}$  for  $1 \leq q \leq 2$  we get

$$C_{NJ}^n(l_{w,q}) \leq \left(\frac{nw_1}{W_n}\right)^{2/q} C_{NJ}^n(l_q) = \left(\frac{nw_1}{W_n}\right)^{2/q} n^{2/q'-1}.$$

Consider the generalized Clarkson inequality

$$\left(\frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{\theta_k = \pm 1} \left\| \sum_{k=1}^n \theta_k x_k \right\|^s\right)^{1/s} \leq n^{1/t-1/p} \left(\sum_{k=1}^n \|x_k\|^p\right)^{1/p}$$

where  $t = \min(2, p)$  for  $s \leq 2$  and  $t = \min(s', p)$  for  $s > 2$  (see for instance [5] and [2]). The inequality is proved under the condition  $p \leq q \leq s$ .

When speaking about type, the interesting case is  $p \leq 2$ . So for  $p \leq q \leq s \leq 2$  we get  $t = p$  and hence in this case the type constant  $T_{p(s)}^{(n)}$  of the space  $l_q$  does not exceed 1, so it is equal to one. So we come to the inequality

$$T_{p(s)}^{(n)}(l_{w,q}) \leq \left( \frac{nw_1}{w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n} \right)^{1/q}.$$

Let now  $q > 2$ , i.e we are in the situation  $p \leq 2 \leq q \leq s$ . Then  $t = \min(s', p)$ . When  $p \leq s'$  we came again to the same estimate of the type constant for  $l_{q,w}$  as above by  $\left( \frac{nw_1}{w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n} \right)^{1/q}$ . In the particular, but interesting case  $s = q$  we get for the case  $p > q' = s'$  that

$$\begin{aligned} T_{p(q)}^{(n)}(l_{w,q}) &\leq n^{1/q' - 1/p} \left( \frac{nw_1}{w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n} \right)^{1/q} \\ &= n^{1 - 1/p} \left( \frac{w_1}{w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n} \right)^{1/q} \\ &= n^{1/p'} \left( \frac{w_1}{w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n} \right)^{1/q}. \end{aligned}$$

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## ОЦЕНКИ ЗА КОНСТАНТАТА НА ХИНЧИН В ПРОСТРАНСТВАТА НА ЛОРЕНЦ ОТ РЕДИЦИ

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**Резюме:** В тази статия са получени някои оценки за константата на Хинчин, наричана още константа от тип- $n$  за пространствата на Лоренц от редици. Като следствия са изведени оценки за различни случаи на параметрите. В частност, намерени са оценки за константата на Джордан-фон Нюман за пространствата  $l_q$ .

**Ключови думи:** константа на Хинчин, пространства на Лоренц от редици.