

Copies of Orlicz sequences spaces in the interpolation spaces $\overline{A}_{\rho, \Phi}$

*Copias de espacios de Orlicz de sucesiones
en los espacios de Interpolación $\overline{A}_{\rho, \Phi}$*

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Abstract

We prove, by using techniques similar to those in [3], that the interpolation space $\overline{A}_{\rho, \Phi}$ contains a copy of the Orlicz sequence space h_{Φ} . Here ρ is a parameter function and Φ is an Orlicz function.

Key words and phrases: Orlicz spaces, Interpolation spaces, parameter functions.

Resumen

En el presente trabajo, usando técnicas análogas a las usadas en [3], demostramos que el espacio de Interpolación $\overline{A}_{\rho, \Phi}$ contiene una copia del espacio de Orlicz de sucesiones h_{Φ} . ρ denotará una función parámetro y Φ una función de Orlicz.

Palabras y frases clave: Espacios de Interpolación, Espacios de Orlicz, función Parámetro

1 Introduction

In [3] it was proved that the classical Interpolation space $\overline{A}_{\theta, p}$ contains a copy of ℓ_p . Here we are going to give a similar result for Orlicz spaces, for that we need some concepts.

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1.1 Orlicz spaces and parameter functions

Definition 1. An Orlicz function Φ is a an increasing, continuous , convex function on $[0, \infty)$ such that $\Phi(0) = 0$. Φ is said to satisfy the Δ_2 -condition at zero if $\limsup_{t \rightarrow 0} \Phi(2t)/\Phi(t) < \infty$.

Definition 2. Let Φ be an Orlicz function, the space ℓ_Φ of all scalar sequences $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ such that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \Phi \left(\frac{|\alpha_n|}{\mu} \right) < \infty \text{ for some } \mu > 0,$$

provided with the norm

$$\|\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^\infty\|_{\ell_\Phi} = \inf \left\{ \mu > 0 : \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \Phi \left(\frac{|\alpha_n|}{\mu} \right) \leq 1 \right\},$$

is a Banach space called an **Orlicz sequence space**.

The closed subspace h_Φ of ℓ_Φ , consists of all scalar sequences $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ such that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \Phi \left(\frac{|\alpha_n|}{\mu} \right) < \infty, \text{ for all } \mu > 0.$$

Remark 1. if Φ satisfy the Δ_2 -condition at zero, we have that the spaces ℓ_Φ and h_Φ coincide, so the result in this work generalize the one in [3] for the case $\Phi(t) = \frac{t^p}{p}, p > 1$.

We have the following result proved in [4]

Proposition 1. *Let Φ be an Orlicz function. Then h_Φ is a closed subspace of ℓ_Φ and the unit vectors $\{e_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ form a symmetric basis of h_Φ .*

In the following the next concept is very important.

Definition 3. A function ρ is called a **parameter function**, or $\rho \in B_K$, if ρ is a positive increasing continuous function on $(0, \infty)$, such that

$$C_\rho = \int_0^\infty \min(1, \frac{1}{t}) \bar{\rho}(t) \frac{dt}{t} < \infty, \text{ where } \bar{\rho}(t) = \sup_{s>0} \frac{\rho(st)}{\rho(t)}.$$

Definition 4. Given $\rho \in B_K$ and Φ an Orlicz function, we define the **weighted Orlicz sequence space** $\ell_{\rho, \Phi}$, as the space of all scalar sequences $\{\alpha_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}$ such that

$$\sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \Phi \left(\frac{|\alpha_m|}{\mu \rho(2^m)} \right) < \infty \text{ for some } \mu > 0,$$

equipped with the norm

$$\|\{\alpha_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} = \inf \left\{ \mu > 0 : \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \Phi \left(\frac{|\alpha_m|}{\mu \rho(2^m)} \right) \leq 1 \right\}.$$

1.2 Interpolation spaces

Definition 5. An **Interpolation couple** $\bar{A} = (A_0, A_1)$ consists of two Banach spaces A_0 and A_1 which are continuously embedded into a Hausdorff topological vector space V .

The space $\sum(\bar{A}) = A_0 + A_1$ is endowed with the norm $K(1, a)$, where

$$K(t, a) = K(t, a; \bar{A}) = \inf_{a = a_0 + a_1} \{ \|a_0\|_{A_0} + t \|a_1\|_{A_1} : a_0 \in A_0, a_1 \in A_1 \},$$

is the so called **Peetre's K -functional**.

For $0 < \theta < 1$ and $1 \leq p < \infty$, the **classical Interpolation space** $\bar{A}_{\theta, p}$, consists of those a in $\sum(\bar{A})$, such that

$$\|a\|_{\theta, p} = \left(\int_0^\infty (t^{-\theta} K(t, a))^p \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{1/p} < \infty.$$

In [2] we introduced the following function norm.

Definition 6. For $\rho \in B_K$ and Φ an Orlicz function, **the function norm** $F_{\rho, \Phi}$ on $((0, \infty), \frac{dt}{t})$ is defined by

$$F_{\rho, \Phi} = \inf \left\{ r > 0 : \int_0^\infty \Phi \left[\frac{|u(t)|}{r \rho(t)} \right] \frac{dt}{t} \leq 1 \right\},$$

where u is a measurable function on $(0, \infty)$.

Using the function norm $F_{\rho, \Phi}$, we introduced in [2] for a Banach pair \bar{A} , **the interpolation space** $\bar{A}_{\rho, \Phi}$, as the space of all $a \in \sum(\bar{A})$ such that $F_{\rho, \Phi}[K(t, a)] < \infty$, endowed with the norm $\|a\|_{\rho, \Phi} = F_{\rho, \Phi}[K(t, a)]$.

Since for $a \in \bar{A}_{\rho, \Phi}$, with $\rho \in B_K$ and Φ an Orlicz function, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, a)}{\rho(2^m)} \frac{1}{\bar{\rho}(2)} \right) &\leq \ln(2) \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, a)}{\rho(2^{m+1})} \right) \leq \int_{2^m}^{2^{m+1}} \Phi \left(\frac{K(t, a)}{\rho(t)} \right) \frac{dt}{t} \\ &\leq \Phi \left(2 \frac{K(2^m, a)}{\rho(2^m)} \right), \end{aligned}$$

we obtain that, for all $a \in \bar{A}_{\rho, \Phi}$,

$$\| \{K(2^m, a)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \leq 2 \|a\|_{\rho, \Phi} \leq 4\bar{\rho}(2) \| \{K(2^m, a)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}}, \quad (1)$$

which gives a discretization of $\bar{A}_{\rho, \Phi}$.

In this work we use this discretization to prove that the interpolation space $\bar{A}_{\rho, \Phi}$ contains a copy of h_{Φ} .

2 The main result.

Theorem 1. *Let (A_0, A_1) be a Interpolation couple, $\rho \in B_K$ and Φ an Orlicz function. We have that if $A_0 \cap A_1$ is not closed in $A_0 + A_1$, then $(A_0, A_1)_{\rho, \Phi}$ contains a subspace isomorphic to h_{Φ} .*

Let $\varepsilon > 0$; we are going to construct a sequence $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ in $(A_0, A_1)_{\rho, \Phi}$ and a sequence of integer $\{N_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$, strictly increasing, which satisfies the following conditions

1. $\|x_n\|_{\rho, \Phi} = 1$
2. $\inf_{\mu > 0} \left\{ \sum_{|m| > N_n} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, x_n)}{\mu \rho(2^m)} \right) \leq 1 \right\} = \| \{K(2^m, x_n)\}_{|m| > N_n} \|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}}$
3. $\inf_{\mu > 0} \left\{ \sum_{|m| \leq N_n} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, x_{n+1})}{\mu \rho(2^m)} \right) \leq 1 \right\} = \| \{K(2^m, x_{n+1})\}_{|m| \leq N_n} \|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}}$.

For the purpose, suppose we have defined $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, N_1, \dots, N_{n-1}$, which satisfies the above conditions. Since $\{K(2^m, x_n)\} \in \ell_{\rho, \Phi}$, i.e.,

$$\inf \left\{ \mu > 0 : \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, x_n)}{\mu \rho(2^m)} \right) \leq 1 \right\} < \infty,$$

there exists $0 < \mu_0 < \infty$, so that

$$\sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, x_n)}{\mu_0 \rho(2^m)} \right) \leq 1;$$

thus there exists $N_n > N_{n-1}$, such that

$$\sum_{|m| > N_n} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, x_n)}{\mu_0 \rho(2^m)} \right) \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}} \left(\frac{1}{\mu_0} \right).$$

Therefore

$$\sum_{|m| > N_n} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, x_n)}{\frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}} \rho(2^m)} \right) \leq 1;$$

and from this we deduce that

$$\frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}} \geq \left\| \{K(2^m, x_n)\}_{|m| > N_n} \right\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}}.$$

By using (1) we can find $k_1, k_2 > 0$ so that

$$k_1 \|x\|_{\Sigma(\bar{A})} \leq \left\| \{K(2^m, x)\}_{|m| > N_n} \right\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \leq k_2 \|x\|_{\Sigma(\bar{A})},$$

for all $x \in (A_0, A_1)_{\rho, \Phi}$.

Let now $x_{n+1} \in (A_0, A_1)_{\rho, \Phi}$ be such that

$$\|x_{n+1}\|_{\Sigma(\bar{A})} \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{k_2 2^{n+2}} \quad \text{and} \quad \|x_{n+1}\|_{\rho, \Phi} = 1,$$

then we have that

$$\left\| \{K(2^m, x_{n+1})\}_{|m| \leq N_n} \right\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \leq k_2 \|x_{n+1}\|_{\Sigma(\bar{A})} \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}}.$$

We have thus constructed the required sequence.

Let us see now that for all sequences $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$, such that all but finitely many are zero, we have that

$$\left(1 - \frac{3\varepsilon}{2}\right) \|\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}\|_{h_{\Phi}} \leq \left\| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n x_n \right\|_{\rho, \Phi} \leq (1 + \varepsilon) \|\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}\|_{h_{\Phi}} \quad (2)$$

This would mean that $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ is equivalent to the basis $\{e_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of h_{Φ} .

In order to prove the inequality (2) we need the following definitions:
For $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $x \in \Sigma(\overline{A})$, put

$$H_m(x) = K(2^m, x);$$

H_m is an equivalent norm to $\|\cdot\|_{\Sigma(\overline{A})}$, for each $m \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Also we put for $m \in \mathbb{Z}$,

$$F_m = (\Sigma(\overline{A}), H_m),$$

i.e. F_m is the space $\Sigma(\overline{A})$ provided with the norm H_m .

Let now $F = (\oplus_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} F_m)_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}}$, i.e.

$$F = \left\{ \{x_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} : x_m \in F_m, \|\{H_m(x_m)\}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} < \infty \right\},$$

provided with the norm

$$\|\{x_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}\|_F = \|\{H_m(x_m)\}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}}.$$

Given $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ a scalar sequence such that all but finitely many are zero, we define $X = \{X_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}$, $Y = \{Y_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}$, $Z^n = \{Z_m^n\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \in F$, in the following way

1. For each $m \in \mathbb{Z}$, $X_m = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n x_n$
2. $Y_m = \begin{cases} \alpha_1 x_1 & \text{if } |m| \leq N_1 \\ \alpha_n x_n & \text{if } N_{n-1} \leq |m| \leq N_n, n \geq 2 \end{cases}$
3. $Z_m^1 = 0$, if $|m| \leq N_1$ and $Z_m^1 = \alpha_1 x_1$ if $|m| > N_1$
4. For $n \geq 2$, $Z_m^n = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } N_{n-1} \leq |m| \leq N_n \\ \alpha_n x_n, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$

We have then that

$$X = Y + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} Z^n \tag{3}$$

and that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \|X\|_F &= \left\| \{H_m(X_m)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \right\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\
 &= \left\| \left\{ H_m \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n x_n \right) \right\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \right\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\
 &= \left\| \left\{ K(2^m, \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n x_n) \right\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \right\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\
 &= \inf \left\{ \lambda > 0 : \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n x_n)}{\lambda \rho(2^m)} \right) \leq 1 \right\} \\
 &= \left\| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n x_n \right\|_{\rho, \Phi}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, we have that

$$\|Z^n\|_F \leq |\alpha_n| \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+1}}, \quad \text{for each } n \geq 1.$$

In fact, for $n = 1$, we have that

$$\sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, Z_m^1)}{|\alpha_1| \rho(2^m)} \right) = \sum_{|m| \geq N_1} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, x_1)}{\rho(2^m)} \right) < \frac{\varepsilon}{2^3} < \frac{\varepsilon}{2^2},$$

then

$$\|Z^1\|_F \leq |\alpha_1| \frac{\varepsilon}{2^2}.$$

If $n \geq 2$, we have that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, Z_m^n)}{|\alpha_n| \rho(2^m)} \right) &= \sum_{|m| \leq N_{n-1}} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, x_n)}{\rho(2^m)} \right) + \sum_{|m| > N_n} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, x_n)}{\rho(2^m)} \right) \\
 &\leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}} = \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+1}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

i.e.

$$1 \geq \frac{2^{n+1}}{\varepsilon} \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, Z_m^n)}{|\alpha_n| \rho(2^m)} \right) \geq \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \Phi \left(\frac{K(2^m, Z_m^n)}{|\alpha_n| \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+1}} \rho(2^m)} \right),$$

therefore

$$\|Z^n\|_F \leq |\alpha_n| \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+1}}.$$

Using the Hölder inequality we get

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|Z^n\|_F \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{|\alpha_n|}{2^n} \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \|\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}\|_{h_{\Phi}} \left\| \left\{ \frac{1}{2^n} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \right\|_{h_{\Psi}} \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \|\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}\|_{h_{\Phi}},$$

where Ψ is the complementary function of Φ .

Since we have that

$$\|Y\|_F - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|Z^n\|_F \leq \|X\|_F \leq \|Y\|_F + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|Z^n\|_F,$$

we obtain that

$$\|Y\|_F - \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \|\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}\|_{h_{\Phi}} \leq \|X\|_F \leq \|Y\|_F + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \|\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}\|_{h_{\Phi}}. \quad (4)$$

For $n = 1$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= \|\{K(2^m, x_1)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}\| \\ &\leq \|\{K(2^m, x_1)\}_{|m| \leq N_1}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} + \|\{K(2^m, x_1)\}_{|m| > N_1}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\ &\leq \|\{K(2^m, x_1)\}_{|m| \leq N_1}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2^2}, \end{aligned}$$

i.e.

$$1 - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^2} \leq \|\{K(2^m, x_1)\}_{|m| \leq N_1}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \leq 1,$$

and for $n \geq 2$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= \|\{K(2^m, x_n)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\ &= \|\{K(2^m, x_n)\}_{|m| \leq N_{n-1}} + \{K(2^m, x_n)\}_{N_{n-1} < |m| \leq N_n} + \{K(2^m, x_n)\}_{|m| > N_n}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\ &\leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+1}} + \|\{K(2^m, x_n)\}_{N_{n-1} < |m| \leq N_n}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}}, \end{aligned}$$

i.e.

$$1 - \frac{3\varepsilon}{2^2} \leq 1 - \frac{3\varepsilon}{2^{n+2}} \leq \|\{K(2^m, x_n)\}_{N_{n-1} < |m| \leq N_n}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \leq 1.$$

Now using the fact that

$$\begin{aligned} \|Y\|_F &= \|\{H_m(Y_m)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\ &= \|\{K(2^m, Y_m)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\ &= \left\| \{K(2^m, \alpha_1 x_1)\}_{|m| \leq N_1} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left(\{K(2^m, \alpha_n x_n)\}_{N_{n-1} < |m| \leq N_n} \right) \right\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\ &\leq \|\{K(2^m, \alpha_1 x_1)\}_{|m| \leq N_1}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} + \left\| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left(\{K(2^m, \alpha_n x_n)\}_{N_{n-1} < |m| \leq N_n} \right) \right\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} \\ &= \|\{|\alpha_1| K(2^m, x_1)\}_{|m| \leq N_1}\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}} + \left\| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left(\{|\alpha_n| K(2^m, x_n)\}_{N_{n-1} < |m| \leq N_n} \right) \right\|_{\ell_{\rho, \Phi}}, \end{aligned}$$

we get, by replacing in (4), that

$$\left(1 - \frac{3\varepsilon}{2}\right) \|\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^\infty\|_{h_\Phi} \leq \|X\|_F \leq \left(1 + \frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right) \|\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^\infty\|_{h_\Phi},$$

which means

$$\left(1 - \frac{3\varepsilon}{2}\right) \left\| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n e_n \right\|_{h_\Phi} \leq \left\| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n x_n \right\|_{\rho, \Phi} \leq (1 + \varepsilon) \left\| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n e_n \right\|_{h_\Phi},$$

as desired.

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