

## 77. The Theory of Nuclear Spaces Treated by the Method of Ranked Space. II

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In the paper [3], we defined the neighbourhood having a rank in the nuclear space  $\Phi$ .

Now in this note we shall prove that the space  $\Phi$  above is a linear ranked space.

**§ 3. Definition of unit ball.** Following § 2, we suppose the mappings  $T_{n_i}^{n_{i+1}}$ ,  $i=0, 1, 2, \dots$ , in the nuclear space  $\Phi$ . Furthermore, we consider a fixed sequence of real numbers  $\{\varepsilon_i\}$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} (1) \quad & \varepsilon_1 = 1 \\ (2) \quad & 2 \left( \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \lambda_{k, n_i, n_{i+1}} \right) \varepsilon_{i+1} \leq \varepsilon_i \\ (3) \quad & 0 < \varepsilon_{i+1} < \varepsilon_i. \end{aligned}$$

Then we define  $V_i(0, 1, m) \equiv U_i(0, \varepsilon_i, m)$  as the unit ball of neighbourhood with rank  $i$  in regarding to  $m$ .

In particular, we define that the neighbourhood with rank 0,  $V_0$ , is always the space  $\Phi$ .

By the definition of  $U_i(0, \varepsilon_i, m)$  in § 2, it is easily verified to be  $rV_i(0, 1, m) = V_i(0, r, m)$  for any  $r > 0$ .

Then we shall call number  $r$  the radius of neighbourhood  $V_i(0, r, m)$ .

**Lemma 5.** We have  $V_j(0, 1, m) \supseteq V_i(0, 1, m)$  if  $j \leq i$ .

**Proof.** By Lemma 1, it is clear.

**Lemma 6.** We have  $V_i(0, 1, m') \supseteq V_i(0, 1, m)$  if  $m' \leq m$ .

**Lemma 7.** We have  $V_i(0, r, m) \supseteq V_i(0, r', m)$  if  $r' \leq r$ .

Now, we shall define the fundamental sequence of neighbourhoods.

**Definition 1.** When a sequence of neighbourhoods  $\{V_{r_i}(0, r_i, m_i)\}$  satisfies the following conditions, it is called the fundamental sequence.

- (1) there exists some integer  $i_0$  such that  $V_{r_i}(0, r_i, m_i) = V_0$   
for  $0 \leq i \leq i_0$ ,
- (2)  $r_i \leq r_{i+1}$  for  $i > i_0$  and  $r_i \rightarrow \infty$ ,
- (3)  $r_i \geq r_{i+1}$  for  $i > i_0$  and  $r_i \rightarrow 0$ ,
- (4)  $m_i \leq m_{i+1}$  for  $i > i_0$  and  $m_i \rightarrow \infty$ .

**Lemma 8.** If  $\{V_{r_i}(0, r_i, m_i)\}$  is a fundamental sequence of neighbourhoods, then  $g \in V_{r_i}(0, r_i, m_i)$  for every  $i$  implies  $g = 0$ .

**Proof.** By Lemma 2, it is clear.

**Lemma 9.** (1)  $V_i(0, r, m)$  is circled.