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THE *n*-DIMENSIONAL *U*-CONVEXITY AND GEOMETRY OF BANACH SPACES

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Abstract. In this paper, we introduce the modulus of n-dimensional U-convexity which simultaneously generalizes modulus of n-dimensional uniform convexity due to Kirk [14] and modulus of U-convexity due to Gao [9]. The properties of the modulus are investigated and the relationships between this modulus and other geometric properties of Banach spaces are studied. Some results on fixed point theory for nonexpansive mappings and normal structure in Banach spaces are improved. Key Words and Phrases: Fixed point property, modulus of n-dimensional uniform convexity, modulus of n-dimensional U-convexity, modulus of U-convexity, nonexpansive mapping, normal structure.

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