Sudeshna Basu* (sudeshnamelody@gmail.com), Department of Mathematics, RKMVERI, Howrah, India, and Susmita Seal. Stability Results Of Small Diameter Properties In Banach Spaces.

The notion of huskability initiated and developed earlier was subsequently extensively studied in the context of dentability and Radon Nikodym Property . In this work, we introduce a new geometric property of Banach space, the Ball Huskable Property (BHP), namely, the unit ball has relatively weakly open subsets of arbitrarily small diameter. We compare this property to two related geometric properties, BSCSP namely, the unit ball has convex combination of slices of arbitrarily small diameter and BDP namely, the closed unit ball has slices of arbitrarily small diameter. We show BDP implies BHP which in turn implies BSCSP and none of the implications can be reversed. We prove similar results for the w^* -versions. We prove that all these properties are stable under l_p sum for $1 \le p \le \infty$. These stability results lead to a discussion in the context of ideals of Banach spaces. We prove that BSCSP (respectively BHP, BDP) can be lifted from an M-Ideal to the whole space. We also show similar results for strict ideals. We note that the space $C(K,X)^*$ has w^* -BSCSP (respectively w^* -BHP, w^* -BDP) when K is dispersed and X^* has the w^* -BSCSP (respectively w^* -BHP, w^* -BDP). (Received January 19, 2021)