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We show that if $\{\lambda_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$ is a lacunary sequence and h is a function in C[0,1] or $L_p[0,1], 1 \leq p < \infty$ such that for some $\delta > 0$, $h \neq 0$ almost everywhere in the interior of the interval $(1 - \delta, 1)$, then the lacunary orbit of h under the multiplication operator, namely the sequence $\{t^{\lambda_k}h(t)\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$ is a basic sequence.

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