

## Absolute Nevanlinna Summability of Conjugate Derived Fourier Series

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**Abstract:** In this paper the following theorem on absolute Nevanlinna summability of conjugate derived Fourier series has been proved, which generalizes various known results.

**Theorem:** Let  $1 < p \leq \alpha$  and the function  $q_\alpha$  satisfy the condition

$$\int_0^1 q_\delta(t) dt = 1$$

for  $\delta > 0, p = [\delta]$ , we assume

$$\frac{Q_\delta(t)}{t^{\delta-p+1}} \in L(0,1)$$

where

$$Q_\delta(t) = \int_{1-t}^1 q_\delta^{(p)}(x) dx$$

and  $\chi(t)$  is of bounded variation in  $(0, \pi)$  such that

$$\int_1^u \frac{Q(t)}{t\chi(t)} dt = O(Q(u)) \quad \text{as } u \rightarrow \infty$$

then at  $t = x$  the conjugate derived Fourier series of  $f$  is summable by the method  $|N, q(n)|$ .

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### 1. Definitions and Notations

Given a series  $\sum u_n$ , let  $F(\omega) = \sum_{n < \omega} u_n$ . Let  $q_\delta = q_\delta(t)$  be defined for  $0 \leq t < 1$ . The  $N(q_\delta)$  transform  $N(F, q_\delta)$  of  $F$  is defined by

$$N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) = \int_0^1 q_\delta(t) F(\omega, t) dt.$$

The series  $\sum u_n$  is said to be summable by the method  $N(q_\delta)$  to the sum  $s$  if

$$\lim_{\omega \rightarrow \infty} N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) = s.$$

It is said to be absolute summable by the method  $N(q_\delta)$  and we shall write

$$\sum u_n \in |N(q_\delta)| \quad \text{if} \\ N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) \in BV(A, \infty)$$

For some  $A \geq 0$ , which is indeed equivalent to

$$\int_A^\infty \left| \sum_{n < \omega} q_\delta \left( \frac{n}{\omega} \right) n u_n \right| \frac{d\omega}{\omega^2} < \infty,$$

For the regularity we need

$$\int_0^1 q_\delta(t) dt = 1.$$

The parameter  $\delta$  will be a non-negative real number. We have further two sets of restriction on  $q_\delta$ ; one for  $0 \leq \delta < 1$  and the other for  $\delta \geq 1$ .

In the case  $0 \leq \delta < 1$ ,  $q_\delta(t)$  is increasing for  $0 < t < 1$ .

In the case  $\delta \geq 1$ ,  $q_\delta$  satisfies following:

$q_\delta(t)$  is decreasing for  $0 < t < 1$  with  $p = [\delta]$ , the integral part of  $\delta$ ,

$$\left( \frac{d}{dt} \right)^{p-1} q_\delta(t) \in A \subset [0, 1].$$

$$\left[ \left( \frac{d}{dt} \right)^k q_\delta(t) \right]_{t=1} = 0 \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, (p-1),$$

$$(-1)^p \left( \frac{d}{dt} \right)^p q_\delta(t) \geq 0 \quad \text{and is increasing.}$$

Also, for  $\delta \geq 0, p = [\delta]$ , we assume

$$\frac{Q_\delta(t)}{t^{\delta-p+1}} \in L(0,1),$$

where

$$Q_\delta(t) = \int_{1-t}^1 q_\delta^{(p)}(x) dx.$$

## 2. Introduction

Let  $f(t)$  be a continuous function of bounded variation periodic with period  $2\pi$  and Lebesgue integrable over  $(-\pi, \pi)$  and have a derivative  $f'(x)$  at  $t = x$ . Let the Fourier series corresponding to  $f(t)$  be

$$(2.1) \quad \frac{1}{2}a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nt + b_n \sin nt).$$

The series

$$(2.2) \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(b_n \cos nt - a_n \sin nt),$$

which is obtained by differentiating (2.1) term by term, is called the first derived series or derived Fourier series of  $f(t)$ .

The series conjugate to (2.2) is

$$(2.3) \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(a_n \cos nt + b_n \sin nt).$$

We write

$$g(t) = g(t, x) = f(x+t) - f(x-t) - 2t f'(x),$$

$$h(t) = h(t, x) = f(x+t) + f(x-t) - 2f(x)$$

$$G(t) = \int_0^t |dg(u)|$$

$$H(t) = \int_0^t |dh(u)|$$

and

$$T(x) = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_0^\pi h(t) \cos ec^2\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) dt = \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \left\{ -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_\varepsilon^\pi h(t) \cos ec^2\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) dt \right\}.$$

We denote the integral

$$-\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} h(t) \cos ec^2 \left( \frac{t}{2} \right) dt$$

by  $T_n(x)$ , so that, as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $T_n(x) \rightarrow T(x)$ , i.e.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} T_n(x) = T(x).$$

If the function  $f(x)$  is of bounded variation, then  $T(x)$  exists for almost all values of  $x$ .

Generalizing the theorems of Bosanquet<sup>1,2</sup> and Samal<sup>3</sup> proved the following theorem.

**Theorem A.** Let  $1 > c > 0$ . Let the function  $q_c$  satisfy the conditions

$$\int_0^1 q_\delta(t) dt = 1$$

and  $0 \leq \delta < 1$ ,  $q_\delta(t)$  is increasing for  $0 < t < 1$  and let  $\frac{Q_c(t)}{t^{c+1}} \in L(0,1)$ . Then

$$\int_0^\pi t^c |d\phi(t)| < \infty = \sum |N(q_c)|.$$

In 2000, Dikshit<sup>4</sup> extended the above result for absolute Nevanlinna summability of Fourier series in the following form:

**Theorem B.** Let  $\alpha \geq 0$  and let the functions  $q_\alpha$  satisfy the conditions

$$\int_0^1 q_\delta(t) dt = 1$$

for  $\delta \geq 0$ ,  $p = [\delta]$ . We assume  $\frac{Q_\delta(t)}{t^{\delta-p+1}} \in L(0,1)$ ,

$$\text{where } Q_\delta(t) = \int_{1-t}^1 q_\delta^{(p)}(x) dx,$$

with  $\delta = \alpha$ . If  $\phi_\alpha(t) \in BV(0, \pi)$ , then at  $t = x$ , the Fourier series of  $f$  is summable by the method  $|N(q_\alpha)|$ .

The object of the present paper is to extend the above theorem for absolute Nevanlinna summability of conjugate derived Fourier series.

### 3. Main Theorem

We shall prove the following theorem.

**Theorem:** Let  $1 < p \leq \alpha$  and the function  $q_\alpha$  satisfy the condition:

$$(3.1) \quad \int_0^1 q_\delta(t) dt = 1$$

for  $\delta > 0$ ,  $p = [\delta]$ . We assume  $\frac{Q_\delta(t)}{t^{\delta-p+1}} \in L(0,1)$

where

$$(3.2) \quad Q_\delta(t) = \int_{1-t}^1 q_\delta^{(p)}(x) dx$$

and  $\chi(t)$  is of bounded variation in  $(0, \pi)$  such that

$$(3.3) \quad \int_1^u \frac{Q(t)}{t\chi(t)} dt = O(Q(u)) \text{ as } u \rightarrow \infty.$$

Then at  $t = x$ , the conjugate derived Fourier series of  $f$  is summable by the method  $|N, q(n)|$ .

**Proof:** Let  $\mathfrak{I}_n^\mu(x)$  denote the sum of the first  $n$  terms of the series (2.3) at the point  $t = x$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{I}_n^\mu(x) &= -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left\{ \sum_1^n \sin vt(t-x) \right\} N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dt \\ &= -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{d}{dt} \left[ \frac{\cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) - \cos\left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right)t}{2 \sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)} \right] \{f(x+t) + f(x-t)\} N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dt, \\ &= -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \left[ \frac{\cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) - \cos\left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right)t}{2 \sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)} \right] N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dh(t). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\mathfrak{I}}_v^\mu(x) &= -\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \left[ \cot \frac{t}{2} (1 - \cos vt) + \sin vt \right] N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dh(t) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin vt N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dh(t) \end{aligned}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2\pi}(N_1 + N_2 + N_3) \quad (\text{say})$$

But

$$\begin{aligned} |N_1| &\leq \int_0^{1/n} \left| \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2}t}{\sin \frac{1}{2}t} - 2 \sin^2 \frac{vt}{2} \right| |N(F, q_\delta)(\omega)| |dh(t)| \\ &\leq 2^v \int_0^{1/n} |N(F, q_\delta)(\omega)| |dh(t)| \\ &= 2^v H\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \\ &= o(1). \end{aligned}$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} -\left(\frac{1}{2\pi}\right)N_2 &= -\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \cot\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) (1 - \cos vt) N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dh(t) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dh(t) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \cot\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \cos vt N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dh(t) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2\pi} \left[ \cot\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) h(t) N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) \right]_{1/n}^{\pi} \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \frac{1}{2} \sec^2\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) h(t) N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dt \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \cot\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \cos vt N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dh(t) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2\pi}\right) \frac{\left(\cos \frac{1}{2n}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2n}\right) h\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) N(F, q_\delta)(\omega)}{\left(\sin \frac{1}{2n}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2n}\right)} + T_n(x) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \cot\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \cos vt N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) dh(t) \end{aligned}$$

$$= o(1) + T_n(x) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \cot\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \cos vt N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) dh(t)$$

for  $\frac{h(t)}{t}$  tends to zero with  $t$ , as  $f(x)$  exists.

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\mathfrak{S}}_v^{\mu}(x) - T_n(x) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \cos vt N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) dh(t) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin vt N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) dh(t) + o(1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \cot\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \cos vt N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) dh(t) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \sin vt N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) dh(t) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_n^{1/n} \sin vt N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) dh(t) + o(1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \frac{\cos\left(v + \frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)} N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) dh(t) + o(1) \end{aligned}$$

By use of transformation

$$\begin{aligned} t_n - T_n(x) &= \frac{1}{Q_{\delta}(t)} \sum_{k=0}^n q_{\delta}^k \left\{ \bar{\mathfrak{S}}_{n-k}^{\mu}(x) - T_n(x) \right\} N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi Q_{\delta}(t)} \sum_{k=0}^n q_{\delta}^k \int_{1/n}^{\pi} \frac{\cos\left(n-k+\frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)} N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) dh(t) + o(1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi Q_{\delta}(t)} \int_{1/n}^{\pi} dh(t) \sum_{k=0}^n q_{\delta}^k \frac{\cos\left(n-k+\frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)} N(F, q_{\delta})(\omega) + o(1) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi Q_\delta(t)} \int_{1/n}^{\rho} dh(t) \sum_{k=0}^n q_\delta^k \frac{\cos\left(n-k+\frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)} N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) + o(1)$$

where  $\rho$  is small but fixed.

Now for  $\frac{1}{n} \leq t \leq \rho$ , we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^n q_\delta^k \frac{\cos\left(n-k+\frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)} N(F, q_\delta)(\omega) = O\left(\frac{Q_\delta\left(\frac{1}{t}\right)}{t\chi(t)}\right)$$

by virtue of condition of theorem.

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} t_n - T_n(x) &= O\left(\frac{1}{Q_\delta(t)}\right) \int_{1/n}^{\rho} |dh(t)| \left| \sum_{k=0}^n q_\delta^k \frac{\cos\left(n-k+\frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)} \right| |N(F, q_\delta)(\omega)| + o(1) \\ &= O\left(\frac{1}{Q_\delta(t)}\right) \int_{1/n}^{\rho} |dh(t)| \frac{Q_\delta\left(\frac{1}{t}\right)}{t} + o(1) \\ &= o(1). \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of the theorem.

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