

APPROXIMATION OF THE CONJUGATE OF A FUNCTION BELONGING TO THE $W(L^p, \xi(t))$ CLASS BY (N, P_n) $(E, 1)$ MEANS OF THE CONJUGATE SERIES OF THE FOURIER SERIES

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, a theorem concerning the degree of approximation of the conjugate of a function belonging to $W(L^p, \xi(t))$ class by (N, p_n) $(E, 1)$ means of its conjugate series of a Fourier series has been proved.

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INTRODUCTION

Bernstein (1912), used $(C, 1)$ means to obtain the degree of approximation $E_n(f) = O\left(\frac{\log n}{n}\right)$ by

$Lip 1$ class. Jackson (1930) determined $E_n(f) = O\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)$ by using (C, δ) method in $Lip \alpha$ class,

for $0 < \alpha < 1$. Qureshi (1981), first time obtained the degree of approximation of the function

$\tilde{f}(x)$ i.e., $E_n(\tilde{f}) = O\left(\frac{1}{P_n} \sum_{k=1}^{P_n} \frac{p_k}{k^{\alpha+1}}\right)$, $0 < \alpha < 1$, by Nörlund means, where $\tilde{f}(x)$ is the

conjugate of 2π -periodic function $f \in Lip \alpha$. Generalizing the result of Qureshi (1981), many interesting results have been proved by various investigators like Qureshi (1982), Lal (2000), Lal and Nigam (2001), Rhoades (2002), Mittal *et. al.* (2005) for functions of various classes $Lip \alpha$, $Lip(\alpha, p)$, $Lip(\xi(t), p)$ and $W(L^p, \xi(t))$ by using various summability methods.

Let f be 2π -periodic, integrable over $(-\pi, \pi)$ in the sense of Lebesgue, then its Fourier series is given by

$$f(t) \approx \frac{1}{2}a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nt + b_n \sin nt) = \frac{1}{2}a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n(t) \quad (1)$$

with partial sum $S_n(x)$.

The conjugate series of the Fourier series (1) given by

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \sin nt - b_n \cos nt) = - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n(t) \quad (2)$$

with partial sum $\tilde{S}_n(x)$.

We define

$$t_n^{NE} = \frac{1}{P_n} \sum_{k=0}^n p_{n-k} \frac{1}{2^k} \sum_{r=0}^k \binom{k}{r} S_r,$$

where t_n^{NE} is $(N, p_n)(C, 1)$ means of the sequence $\{S_n\}$, if $t_n^{NE} \rightarrow S$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, then sequence $\{S_n\}$ is summable by $(N, p_n)(C, 1)$ method to S .

The L^p norm is defined by

$$\|f\|_p = \left(\int_0^{2\pi} |f(x)|^p dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \quad p \geq 1,$$

and the degree of approximation $E_n(f)$ under norm $\|\cdot\|_p$ is given by (Zygmund, 1959)

$$E_n(f) = \min_{T_n} \|T_n - f\|_p,$$

where T_n is a trigonometric polynomial of degree n .

A function $f \in \text{Lip } \alpha$ if

$$|f(x+t) - f(x)| = O(|t|^\alpha), \quad \text{for } 0 < \alpha \leq 1.$$

Also, $f \in \text{Lip}(\alpha, p)$, for $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$, if

$$\left(\int_0^{2\pi} |f(x+t) - f(x)|^p dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = O(|t|^\alpha), \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 1, \quad p \geq 1.$$

Given a positive increasing function $\xi(t)$, $p \geq 1$,

$f \in \text{Lip}(\xi(t), p)$ if

$$\left(\int_0^{2\pi} |f(x+t) - f(x)|^p dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = O(\xi(t)), \quad \text{and}$$

$$f \in W(L^p, \xi(t)) \text{ if } \left(\int_0^{2\pi} |f(x+t) - f(x)| \sin^\beta x |dx|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = O(\xi(t)), \quad (\beta \geq 0) \quad (\text{Rhoades, 2002}).$$

It is observed that

$$W(L^p, \xi(t)) \xrightarrow{\beta=0} \text{Lip}(\xi(t), p) \xrightarrow{\xi(t)=t^\alpha} \text{Lip}(\alpha, p) \xrightarrow{p \rightarrow \infty} \text{Lip } \alpha.$$

We write

$$\psi(t) = f(x+t) - f(x-t).$$

$$\tilde{K}(n, t) = \frac{1}{2\pi P_n} \sum_{k=0}^n p_k \frac{\cos(n-k+1)\frac{t}{2} \cos^{n-k}\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)}{\sin \frac{t}{2}} \quad (3)$$

$$\tau = \left[\frac{1}{t} \right], \text{ where, } \tau \text{ denotes the greatest integer not greater than } \frac{1}{t}.$$

THEOREM

The purpose of this paper is to obtain the approximation of $\tilde{f}(x)$, the conjugate of a function $f \in W(L^p, \xi(t))$ class, by (N, p_n) (E, 1) means of conjugate series of a Fourier series. In fact, we prove following theorem:

The degree of approximation of function $\tilde{f}(x)$, conjugate to 2π -periodic, Lebesgue integrable in $(-\pi, \pi)$ function $f(x)$ belonging to class $W(L^p, \xi(t))$, $p \geq 1$, by using $t_n^{NE}(x)$ on

its conjugate Fourier series (2), is given by

$$\left\| t_n^{NE} - \tilde{f} \right\| = O\left(n^{\beta + \frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \right), \tag{4}$$

provided $\xi(t)$ satisfies the following conditions:

$$\left\{ \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\frac{|\psi(t)|}{\xi(t)} \right)^p \sin^{\beta p} t dt \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}} = O\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \tag{5}$$

and $\left\{ \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\pi} \left(\frac{t^{-\delta} |\psi(t)|}{\xi(t)} \right)^p dt \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}} = O(n^\delta), \tag{6}$

uniformly in x , where δ is an arbitrary number with $(1 - \delta) - \frac{1}{q} > 0$, q is the conjugate index of

$$p, t_n^{NE} = \frac{1}{P_n} \sum_{k=0}^n P_{n-k} \frac{1}{2^k} \sum_{r=0}^k \binom{k}{r} \tilde{S}_r$$

is the (N, p_n) (E, 1) means and $\tilde{f}(x) = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \psi(t) \cot \frac{t}{2} dt$, exists in the sense of Lebesgue.

LEMMAS

Lemma 1: For $0 < t < \frac{1}{n}$ and fact that $\frac{1}{\sin t} \leq \frac{\pi}{2t}$ for $0 < t \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$,

$$\tilde{K}(n, t) = O\left(\frac{1}{t}\right). \tag{7}$$

Proof: $\left| \tilde{K}(n, t) \right| \leq \frac{1}{2\pi P_n} \sum_{k=0}^n P_k \left| \frac{\cos(n-k+1)\frac{t}{2} \cos^{n-k}\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)}{\sin \frac{t}{2}} \right|$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{1}{2tP_n} \sum_{k=0}^n p_k \left| \cos(n-k+1)\frac{t}{2} \cos^{n-k}\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \right| \\ &= O\left(\frac{1}{t}\right). \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2: If $\{p_n\}$ is non-negative and non-increasing sequence, then for $0 \leq a \leq b \leq \infty$, $0 \leq t \leq \pi$ and for any n ,

$$\left| \sum_{k=a}^b p_k e^{i(n-k)t} \right| = O(P_\tau), \text{ where } \tau = \left[\frac{1}{t}\right] \quad (\text{McFadden, 1942}). \quad (8)$$

Lemma 3: For $\frac{1}{n} < t < \pi$,

$$\tilde{K}(n, t) = O\left(\frac{P_\tau}{tP_n}\right). \quad (9)$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \tilde{K}(n, t) \right| &\leq \frac{1}{2tP_n} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n p_k \cos(n-k+1)\frac{t}{2} \cos^{n-k}\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2tP_n} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \text{Real part of } p_k e^{i(n-k+1)\frac{t}{2}} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2tP_n} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \text{Real part of } p_k e^{i(n-k)t} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2tP_n} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n p_k e^{i(n-k)t} \right| \\ &= O\left(\frac{P_\tau}{tP_n}\right) \text{ by using Lemma 2.} \end{aligned}$$

PROOF OF THE THEOREM

The n^{th} partial sum $\tilde{S}_n(x)$ of the series (2) is given by

$$\tilde{S}_n(x) - \tilde{f}(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\psi(t) \cos(n + \frac{1}{2})t}{\sin \frac{t}{2}} dt. \text{ So that,}$$

\tilde{t}_n^{NE} (x) transform of $\tilde{S}_n(x)$ is

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{t}_n^{\text{NE}}(x) - \tilde{f}(x) &= \int_0^{\pi} \psi(t) \frac{1}{2\pi P_n} \sum_{k=0}^n p_k \frac{\cos(n-k+1)\frac{t}{2} \cos^{n-k}\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)}{\sin \frac{1}{2} t} dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi} \psi(t) \tilde{K}(n, t) dt \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \psi(t) \tilde{K}(n, t) dt + \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\pi} \psi(t) \tilde{K}(n, t) dt \\
 &= I_1 + I_2, \text{ (say)}. \tag{10}
 \end{aligned}$$

Applying Hölder's inequality, condition (5), second mean value theorem for integral and the fact that $\psi(t) \in W(L^p, \xi(t))$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 |I_1| &= \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} |\psi(t)| |\tilde{K}(n, t)| dt \\
 &\leq \left[\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\frac{t |\psi(t)| \sin^\beta t}{\xi(t)} \right)^p dt \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \left[\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\frac{\xi(t) |\tilde{K}(n, t)|}{t \sin^\beta t} \right)^q dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &= O\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) O \left[\int_\varepsilon^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\frac{\xi(t)}{t^{2+\beta}} \right)^q dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &= O\left(\frac{1}{n} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right) O \left[\int_\varepsilon^{\frac{1}{n}} t^{-(2+\beta)q} dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &= O\left(\frac{1}{n} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right) O \left[\int_\varepsilon^{\frac{1}{n}} t^{-(2+\beta)q} dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &= O\left(\frac{1}{n} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right) O\left(n^{2+\beta-\frac{1}{q}}\right) \\
 &= O\left(n^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right). \tag{11}
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly as above, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 |I_2| &= \left[\int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\pi} \left| \frac{t^{-\delta} \psi(t)}{\xi(t)} \sin^\beta t \right|^p dt \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \left[\int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\pi} \left| \frac{\xi(t) \tilde{K}(n, t)}{t^{-\delta} \sin^\beta t} \right|^q dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &= O(n^\delta) O \left[\int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\pi} \left(\frac{\xi(t) Q_\tau}{Q_n t^{(1-\delta+\beta)}} \right)^q dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &= O\left(n^\delta \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right) O \left[\int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\pi} t^{q(\delta-\beta-1)} dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= O\left(n^\delta \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right) O\left[\left\{\left(\frac{t^{q(\delta-\beta-1)+1}}{q(\delta-\beta-1)+1}\right)^{\frac{\pi}{q}}\right\}^{\frac{1}{n}}\right] \\
 &= O\left(n^{\beta+1-\frac{1}{q}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right) \\
 &= O\left(n^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right). \tag{12}
 \end{aligned}$$

By using (10), (11) & (12), we get,

$$\left| \tilde{t}_n^{\sim NE}(x) - \tilde{f}(x) \right| = O\left(n^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right)$$

that is,
$$\left\| \tilde{t}_n^{\sim NE}(x) - \tilde{f}(x) \right\|_p = O\left(n^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right).$$

APPLICATIONS

The following corollaries can be derived from the theorem.

Corollary 1. If $\beta = 0$ and $\xi(t) = t^\alpha$, $0 < \alpha \leq 1$, then the $W(L^p, \xi(t))$ class reduces to

$Lip(\alpha, p)$ class and the degree of approximation of a function $\tilde{f}(x)$, conjugate to 2π -periodic function $f \in Lip(\alpha, p)$, is given by

$$\left\| \tilde{t}_n^{\sim NE}(x) - \tilde{f}(x) \right\|_p = O\left(\frac{1}{n^{\alpha-\frac{1}{p}}}\right).$$

Corollary 2. If $p \rightarrow \infty$ in corollary 1, for $0 < \alpha < 1$, degree of approximation of a function $\tilde{f}(x)$, conjugate to 2π -periodic function $f \in Lip \alpha$, is given by

$$\left\| \tilde{t}_n^{\sim NE}(x) - \tilde{f}(x) \right\|_\infty = \sup_{-\pi \leq x \leq \pi} \left| \tilde{t}_n^{\sim NE}(x) - \tilde{f}(x) \right| = O\left(\frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right).$$

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