

APPROXIMATION OF FUNCTION BELONGING TO $W(L_p, \xi(t))$ CLASS BY (E, q) (N, p_n) MEANS OF ITS FOURIER SERIES

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Abstract- The present paper deal with approximation of a function belonging to the $W(L_p, \xi(t))$ class by product summability method. Here product of Euler (E, q) summability method and Nörlund (N, p_n) method has been taken. A new estimate on degree of approximation of a function belonging to $W(L_p, \xi(t))$ class has been determined by (E, q) (N, p_n) summability of a Fourier series.

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I. DEFINITION AND NOTATIONS

Let f be a 2π -periodic function in $L[-\pi, \pi]$. The Fourier series associated with f at a point x is defined by

$$(1.1) \quad f(x) \approx \frac{1}{2} a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx) = \frac{1}{2} a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n(x)$$

With partial sum $s_n(f, x)$ where

$$\left. \begin{aligned} a_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx \, dx \\ b_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin nx \, dx \end{aligned} \right\} \text{for } n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

and

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx$$

The L_p norm is defined by

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

and the degree of approximation $E_n(f)$ is given by (Zygmund [6]).

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

in term of n , where $T_n(x)$ is a trigonometric polynomial of degree n .

A function $f \in Lip\alpha$ if

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

and $f(x) \in Lip(\alpha, p)$ for $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ if.

$$\left(\int_0^{2\pi} |f(x+t) - f(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} = O(|t|^\alpha), \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 1, p \geq 1 \quad (\text{Mc Fadden [3]})$$

Given a positive increasing function $\xi(t)$, $p \geq 1$, $f \in Lip(\xi(t), p)$ if

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

and $f \in W(L_p, \xi(t))$ if

$$\left(\int_0^{2\pi} |[f(x+t) - f(x)] \sin^\beta x|^p dx \right)^{1/p} = O(\xi(t)), \quad \beta \geq 0$$

We observe that

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

We write

$$\phi(t) = \frac{1}{2} \{ f(x+t) - f(x-t) - 2f(x) \}$$

Let $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n$ be an infinite series with sequence of n^{th} partial sum $s_n = \sum_{k=0}^n u_k$ and a sequence $\{p_n\}$ of real constant such that

$$P_n = \sum_{k=0}^n p_k \neq 0, \quad P_{-1} = 0 = p_{-1}$$

The Nörlund means of the sequence $\{s_n\}$ is given by (Hardy [2])

$$t_n^N = \frac{1}{P_n} \sum_{k=0}^n p_{n-k} s_k$$

If $t_n^N \rightarrow s$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, then the sequence $\{s_n\}$ is summable to s by Nörlund method.

The Euler means (E, q) is given by (Hardy [2])

$$E_n^q = \frac{1}{(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} s_k$$

If $E_n^q \rightarrow s$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, then the sequence $\{s_n\}$ is summable to s by Euler method. The (E, q) transform of the (N, p_n)

transform define the (E, q) (N, p_n) transform of the partial sum $\{s_n\}$ of series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n$. The (E, q) (N, p_n) means defines a sequence

$\{t_n^{E^q N}\}$ by

$$t_n^{E^q N} = \frac{1}{(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} s_r$$

If $t_n^{E^q N} \rightarrow s$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, then the sequence $\{s_n\}$ is said to summable by (E, q) (N, p_n) method to s .

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

Particular Cases : Two particular cases of (E, q) (N, p_n) means are :

$$1) \text{ (E, q) (C, 1) if } p_n = 1, \quad \forall n$$

$$2) \text{ (E, q) (C, } \delta) \text{ if } p_n = \begin{pmatrix} n + \delta - 1 \\ \delta - 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \delta > 0$$

The following theorems are due to Binod Prasad Dhakal [1].

Theorem A : If $f : R \rightarrow R$ is 2π – periodic function, Lebesgue integrable on $[-\pi, \pi]$ and Lip(α , p) class function for $\frac{1}{p} < \alpha \leq 1$, $p \geq 1$, then the degree of approximation of f by the (E,1) (N, p_n) mean of its Fourier series is given by :

$$\|t_n^{EN}(x) - f(x)\|_p = O\left(\frac{1}{(n+1)^{\alpha - 1/p}}\right),$$

$$t_n^{EN} = \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} s_r$$

Where,

(E, 1) (N, p_n) means of Fourier series (1.1).

II. MAIN THEOREM

The degree of approximation of function belonging to the Lipschitz class by (E, q) (C, 1) and by (E, 1) (N, p_n) mean has discussed by a number of researchers like S.K. Tiwari and Chandrashekhar Bariwal [5] and Binod Prasad Dhakal [1]. But till now no work seem to have been done to obtain the degree of approximation of the function belonging to $W(L_p, \xi(t))$ class by (E, q) (N, p_n) product mean of its Fourier series.

In an attempt to make study in this direction, one theorem on the degree of approximation of function of $W(L_p, \xi(t))$ class by product summability mean of the form (E, q) (N, p_n) has been determined as following.

Theorem : If $f : R \rightarrow R$ is 2π – periodic, Lebesgue integrable $[-\pi, \pi]$ and belonging to the class $W(L_p, \xi(t))$, $p \geq 1$ by using $t_n^{EN}(x)$ on its Fourier series (1.1) is given by.

$$\|t_n^{EN} - f\|_p = O\left((n+1)^{\beta + 1/p} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right)\right) \tag{2.1}$$

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

$$\left\{ \int_0^{\pi/n+1} \left(\frac{t|\phi(t)|}{\xi(t)} \right)^p \sin^{\beta p} t \, dt \right\}^{1/p} = O\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \tag{2.2}$$

and

$$\left\{ \int_{\pi/n+1}^{\pi} \left(\frac{t^{-\delta} |\phi(t)| \sin^{\beta} t}{\xi(t)} \right)^p \, dt \right\}^{1/p} = O\left\{(n+1)^{\delta}\right\} \tag{2.3}$$

Where δ is an arbitrary number such that $q(1-\delta)-1 > 0$, conditions (2.2) and (2.3) hold uniformly in x and where $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ such that $1 \leq p \leq \infty$.

and
$$t_n^{E^q N} = \frac{1}{(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \cdot \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r}$$

$$(E^q N)_n(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \cdot \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} \frac{\sin\left(r + \frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin \frac{t}{2}}$$
 is (E, q) (N, p_n) means of Fourier series (1.1).

Lemma 1 : If

$$(E^q N)_n(t) = O(n+1) \quad \text{for } 0 < t \leq \frac{\pi}{n+1}$$

Then

$$\left| (E^q N)_n(t) \right| = \left| \frac{1}{2\pi(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} \frac{\sin\left(r + \frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin \frac{t}{2}} \right|$$

Proof :

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} \frac{(2r+1)\sin \frac{t}{2}}{\sin \frac{t}{2}} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \frac{(2k+1)}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} \quad \mathbb{Q} \sum_{k=0}^n p_{n-k} = P_n \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} (2k+1) \\ &= O(n+1) \quad \mathbb{Q} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} = (1+q)^n \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2 : If $(E^q N)_n(t)$ is given as in lemma 1, then

$$(E^q N)_n(t) = O\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) \quad \text{for } \frac{\pi}{n+1} \leq t \leq \pi \quad \text{and } |\sin kt| \leq 1, \sin \frac{t}{2} \geq \frac{t}{\pi}$$

Proof :

$$\left| (E^q N)_n(t) \right| = \left| \frac{1}{2\pi(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} \frac{\sin\left(r + \frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin \frac{t}{2}} \right|$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} \frac{\left| \sin\left(r + \frac{1}{2}\right)t \right|}{\left| \sin \frac{t}{2} \right|} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2(1+q)^n t} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} \end{aligned}$$

$$= O\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) \left[Q \sum_{k=0}^n p_{n-k} = P_n \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} = (1+q)^n \right]$$

III. PROOF OF THEOREM

Following Titchmarsh [4], the n^{th} partial sum $s_n(x)$ of the Fourier series is given by

$$s_n(x) - f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{\phi(t) \sin\left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin \frac{t}{2}} dt$$

(3.1)

The (N, p_n) transform of the sequence $\{s_n(x)\}$ is given by

$$t_n^N(x) - f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi P_n} \int_0^\pi \phi(t) \sum_{k=0}^n p_{k-r} \frac{\sin\left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right)t}{\sin \frac{t}{2}} dt$$

(3.2)

The (E, q) transform of $\{t_n^N(x)\}$ is given by

$$\begin{aligned} t_n^{E^q N} - f(x) &= \frac{1}{2\pi(1+q)^n} \int_0^\pi \frac{\phi(t)}{\sin \frac{t}{2}} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \cdot \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} \sin\left(r + \frac{1}{2}\right)t dt = \int_0^\pi \phi(t) (E^q N)_n(t) dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/n+1} \phi(t) (E^q N)_n(t) dt + \int_{\pi/n+1}^\pi \phi(t) (E^q N)_n(t) dt \end{aligned}$$

(3.3)

$$= I_1 + I_2 \quad (\text{say})$$

Applying Hölder's inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} |I_1| &\leq \left[\int_0^{\pi/n+1} \left\{ \frac{t |\phi(t)| \sin^\beta t}{\xi(t)} \right\}^p dt \right]^{1/p} \left[\int_0^{\pi/n+1} \left\{ \frac{\xi(t) |(E^q N)_n(t)|^q}{t \sin^\beta t} \right\} dt \right]^{1/q} \\ &= O\left(\frac{\pi}{n+1}\right) \left[\int_0^{\pi/n+1} \left\{ \frac{(n+1) \xi(t)}{t^{1+\beta}} \right\}^q dt \right]^{1/q} \\ &= O\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \cdot O(n+1) \left[\int_0^{\pi/n+1} \left(\frac{\xi(t)}{t^{1+\beta}} \right)^q dt \right]^{1/q} \\ &= O\left(\xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right)\right) \left[\int_0^{\pi/n+1} t^{-(\beta+1)q} dt \right]^{1/q} \\ &= O\left(\xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right)\right) \left[t^{-(\beta+1)+1/q} \right]_0^{\pi/n+1} \\ &= O\left(\xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \cdot (n+1)^{\beta+1-1/q}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$(3.4) \quad = O\left((n+1)^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \cdot \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right)\right)$$

$$|I_2| \leq \left[\int_{\pi/n+1}^{\pi} \left\{ \frac{t^{-\delta} |\phi(t)| \sin^{\beta} t}{\xi(t)} \right\}^p dt \right]^{1/p} \cdot \left[\int_{\pi/n+1}^{\pi} \left\{ \frac{(E^q N)_n(t) \cdot \xi(t)}{t^{-\delta} \sin^{\beta} t} \right\}^q dt \right]^{1/q}$$

Now,

$$= O(n+1)^{\delta} \left[\int_{\pi/n+1}^{\pi} \left\{ \frac{\xi(t)}{t^{-\delta+\beta+1}} \right\}^q dt \right]^{1/q}$$

$$= O(n+1)^{\delta} \cdot \left[\int_{\frac{1}{\pi}}^{\frac{n+1}{\pi}} \left\{ \frac{\xi\left(\frac{1}{y}\right)}{y^{-(\beta+1)+\delta}} \right\}^q \frac{dy}{y^2} \right]^{1/q}$$

$$= O\left\{ (n+1)^{\delta} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \right\} \left[\left(y^{(\beta-\delta+1)q-1} \right)^{1/q} \right]^{n+1/\pi}$$

$$= O\left\{ (n+1)^{\delta} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \right\} (n+1)^{\beta-\delta+1-1/q}$$

$$= O\left\{ \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \cdot (n+1)^{\beta+1-1/q} \right\}$$

$$= O\left\{ \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \cdot (n+1)^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \right\}$$

$$= O\left\{ (n+1)^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \right\}$$

(3.5)

since $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$

Now combining (3.3), (3.4) & (3.5), we get

$$|t_n^{E^q N}(x) - f(x)| = O\left\{ (n+1)^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \right\}$$

$$\|t_n^{E^q N}(x) - f(x)\|_p = \left\{ \int_0^{2\pi} O\left\{ (n+1)^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \right\}^p dx \right\}^{1/p}$$

$$= O\left\{ (n+1)^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \right\} \left[\int_0^{2\pi} dx \right]^{1/p}$$

$$= O\left\{ (n+1)^{\beta+\frac{1}{p}} \xi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \right\}$$

This completes the proof of the main theorem.

IV. COROLLARIES

Following corollaries can be derived from our main theorem.

Corollary – 1 : $\beta = 0$ and $\xi(t) = t^{\alpha}$ then the degree of approximation of a function $f \in W(L_p, \xi(t))$, $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ is given by

$$\|t_n^{E^q N}(x) - f(x)\| = O\left\{\frac{1}{(n+1)^{\alpha-1/p}}\right\}$$

Which is reduces to the Theorem A due to Binod Prasad Dhakal

Corollary – 2 : If $p \rightarrow \infty$ in corollary 1, then for $0 < \alpha < 1$.

$$\|t_n^{E^q N}(x) - f(x)\|_{\infty} = \substack{\text{sub} \\ -\pi \leq x \leq \pi} |t_n^{E^q N}(x) - f(x)| = O\left(\frac{1}{(n+1)^\alpha}\right), \text{ for } 0 < \alpha < 1$$

Where

$$t_n^{E^q N} = \frac{1}{(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{r=0}^k p_{k-r} s_r$$

in the (E, q) (N, p_n) means of Fourier series (1.1).

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