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## ON $G(N, p, q)$ SUMMABILITY OF FOURIER SERIES

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### NOTATIONS AND DEFINITIONS:

[1.1] The  $G(N, p, q)$  transform of  $s_n = \sum_{v=0}^n a_v$  is defined by

$$t_n = \frac{\sum_{v=0}^n p_{n-v} q_v s_v}{r_n}$$

where

$$\gamma_n = \sum_{v=0}^n p_v q_{n-v} \quad (p-1 = q-1 = v-1 = 0)$$

The series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n$  or the sequence  $\{s_n\}$  is said to be summable  $(N, p, q)$  to  $s$ , if  $t_n \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and is said to be absolutely summable  $|N, p, q|$ , if  $t_n \in BV$  and when this happens we shall symbolically by  $\{S_n\} \in |N, p, q|$ .

We write

$$\varepsilon_n = p_n - p_{n-1} = \Delta p_n$$

$$\xi_n = q_n - q_{n-1} = \Delta q_n$$

$$\mu_n = \delta_n^\alpha \text{ where } \delta_n = \sum_{v=0}^n q_v$$

and  $\delta_n^\alpha$  is the  $n^{\text{th}}$  Cesaro means of the sequence  $\{q_n\}$  of order  $\alpha$  We noted that

$$\gamma_n = \sum_{v=0}^n \epsilon_{n-v} \delta_v$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{v=0}^n p_{n-v} q_v s_v &= \sum_{r=0}^n (p_{n-v} - p_{n-v-1}) \sum_{i=0}^v q_i s_i \\ &= \sum_{v=0}^n \epsilon_{n-v} t_v \delta_v \end{aligned}$$

Here  $\{t_v\}$  is the  $(\bar{N}, q)$  mean  $([2\theta] \cdot p - 57)$  which is equivalent to  $(R, \delta_{n-1}, 1)$  mean  $[[2\theta], P - 113)$ . Rewriting  $T_n$  in term of the simplification given above we know that

$$T_n = \frac{\sum_{v=0}^n (p_{n-v} - p_{n-v-1}) t_v \delta_v}{\sum_{v=0}^n (p_{n-v} - p_{n-v-1}) \delta_v}$$

and this form suggest that we can Obtain the following extension of the  $(N, p, q)$  method. We now write for any  $\{\epsilon_n\}$

$$\begin{aligned} T_n^\alpha &= \frac{\sum_{v=0}^n \epsilon_{n-v} t_v^\alpha \delta_v^\alpha}{\sum_{v=0}^n \epsilon_{n-v} \delta_v^\alpha} \\ &= \frac{\sum_{v=0}^n \epsilon_{n-v} t_v^\alpha \mu_v}{\sum_{v=0}^n \epsilon_{n-v} \mu_v} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$t_n^{(\alpha)} = \frac{1}{\delta_n^\alpha} \sum_{v=0}^n (\delta_v - \delta_{v-1}) a_v$$

we denote this mean by  $G(N, p, q)_\alpha$ ,  $\alpha = 1$

$$t_n^{(1)} = (N, p, q) \{S_n\}, \text{ the } G(N, p, q)_\alpha$$

method reduces to  $(N, p, q)$  method.

We shall also have the occasions.

$$\begin{aligned} T_n^{\alpha-1} &= T_n^* = \frac{\sum_{v=0}^n \epsilon_{n-v} t_v^{\alpha-1} \mu_v}{\sum_{v=0}^n \Delta \epsilon_{n-v} \mu_v} \\ &= \frac{1}{B_n} \sum_{v=0}^n \Delta \epsilon_{n-v} t_v^\alpha \mu_v \end{aligned}$$

where

$$B_n = \sum_{v=0}^n \Delta \epsilon_{n-v} \mu_v$$

[1.2] The object of the present paper is to generalize the theorem of S. DUBEY [1] in the following manner.

**THEOREM:** Let  $G(N, p, q)$  be generalized regular Nörlund method. Let  $\{\epsilon_n\}$  and  $\{\mu_n\}$  be a non-negative and non-increasing sequence and

$\lambda_{(t)}$  be a positive non-decreasing function such that

$$\phi(t) = \int_0^t |\phi(u)| du = O\left(\frac{\lambda\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) \cdot t}{(\epsilon^* u)_t}\right) \quad (1.2.1)$$

then the Fourier series of  $f(t)$  at  $t = x$  summable  $G(N, p, q)$  to  $f(x)$  if

$$\lambda_n \log n = O((\epsilon^* \mu)_n) \quad (1.2.2)$$

and

$$n|\Delta(\epsilon^* \mu)_n| \leq K((\epsilon^* \mu)_n).$$

[1.3] We shall require following result for the proof of our theorem.

**LEMMA 1:** We have

$$m_n(t) = \frac{1}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{k=0}^n B_k \frac{\sin(n-k)t}{t} = o(1) \quad (1.3.1)$$

and

$$N_n(t) = \frac{1}{(\epsilon^* 0)_n} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta_k \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n-k+1}{2}t\right)}{\sin\frac{1}{\alpha}t} = o(1) \quad (1.3.2)$$

for  $0 \leq t \leq \frac{1}{n}$ .

The lemma follows by the fact that  $|\sin t| \leq t$ .

### PROOF OF THE THEOREM:

[1.4] Let  $\{s_n\}$  denote the  $n$ th partial sum of the Fourier series. We have

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

The generalized Nörlund transform  $G(N, p, q)$  of  $S_n(x) - f(x)$

$$= \int_0^{\pi} \phi(t) N_n(t) dt$$

where

$$N_n(t) = \frac{1}{\pi(\epsilon^*)_n} \sum_{k=0}^n B_k \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n-k+1}{2}t\right)}{2\sin\frac{1}{2}t}$$

In Order to establish the result. It is sufficient to show that

$$\int_0^{\pi} \phi(t) N_n(t) dt = o(1) \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \quad (1.4.1)$$

For  $0 < \delta \leq 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi} \phi(t) N_n(t) dt &= \left( \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} + \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\delta} + \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \right) \phi(t) N_n(t) dt \\ &= A + B + Y \text{ (Say)} \end{aligned}$$

In view of Lemma 1, we get

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= o \left[ n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} |\phi(t)| dt \right] \\ &= o \left[ n \phi \left( \frac{1}{n} \right) \right] \\ &= o \left( \frac{\lambda_n}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \right) \\ &= o(1) \end{aligned} \quad (1.4.2)$$

by virtue of the hypothesis (1.2.1) and (1.2.2), Now we proceed to estimate  $B$ .

We have

$$\int \sum_{k=1}^n B_k \sin\left(n - k + \frac{1}{2}\right)t \left| < \sum_{k=1}^{t-1} B_k \sin\left(n - k + \frac{1}{2}\right)t \right| +$$

$$+ \sum_{k=n-t+1}^n B_k \leq \sum_{k=1}^T B_k + B_t \max_{T \leq \rho \leq n-T} \left| \sum_{k=T} \sin\left(n - k + \frac{1}{2}\right)t \right| + \sum_{k=n-t+1}^n B_k$$

Since  $\{\epsilon_k\}$  and  $\{\mu_k\}$  are non-negative and non-increasing. Using the above inequality with the fact that

$$t \leq \rho < n - t \sum_{k=t} \sin\left(n - k + \frac{1}{2}\right)t \leq t^{-1}$$

we see that

$$|B| \leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\rho} \frac{|\phi(t)|}{t} \left( \sum_{k=1}^{T-1} B_k \right) dt + \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\rho} \frac{|\phi(t)|}{t^2} (B_t) dt +$$

$$+ \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\rho} \frac{|\phi(t)|}{t} \left( \sum_{k=n-t+1}^n B_k \right) dt$$

$$= B_1 + B_2 + B_3.$$

We have

$$B_1 \leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{r=1}^{n-1} \frac{|\phi(t)|}{t} \left( \sum_{k=1}^{T-1} B_k \right) dt$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \sum_{k=1}^r B_k (r+1) \left\{ \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) - \phi\left(\frac{1}{r+1}\right) \right\} \\
&\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} B_k \sum_{r=k}^n (r+1) \left\{ \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) - \phi\left(\frac{1}{r+1}\right) \right\} \\
&\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{k=1}^n B_k \left\{ \sum_{r=k}^n \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) - k\phi\left(\frac{1}{k}\right) \right. \\
&\quad \left. - (n+1)\phi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

By changing the order of summation, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
B_1 &\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{r=1}^n \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) \sum_{k=1}^r B_k + \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{k=1}^n B_k \left\{ k\phi\left(\frac{1}{k}\right) \right\} + \\
&\quad + (n+1)\phi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \Big\} \\
&= O\left(\frac{(n+1)\phi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right)}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n}\right) \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{\lambda(r)}{r(\epsilon^* \mu)_k} \sum B_k + \\
&\quad + O\left(\frac{1}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{k=1}^n B_k \frac{\lambda_{(k)}}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_k} + \frac{\lambda(n+1)}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_{n+1}}\right).
\end{aligned}$$

By virtue of the hypothesis (1.2.2). Since  $\{\epsilon_n\}$  is non-increasing

$$\epsilon_{n-k} \leq \epsilon_{r-k}$$

where  $1 \leq k \leq r \leq n$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
B_1 &= O\left(\frac{\lambda(n)}{(\epsilon^*\mu)_n} \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{r}\right) + o(1) \\
&= O\left(\frac{\lambda(n) \log n}{(\epsilon^*\mu)_k}\right) + o(1) \\
&= O(1)
\end{aligned} \tag{1.4.3}$$

by virtue of (1.2.2)

Next since  $\{\epsilon_k\}$  and  $\{\mu_k\}$  are non-increasing

$$\begin{aligned}
B_2 &\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^*\mu)_n} \sum_{r=1}^n \int_{\frac{1}{r+1}}^{\frac{1}{r}} \frac{|\phi(t)|}{t^2} B_t dt \\
&\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^*\mu)_n} \sum_{r=1}^n r^2 B_r \left\{ \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) - \phi\left(\frac{1}{r+1}\right) \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Since  $r \epsilon_r \mu_r \leq (\epsilon^*\mu)_r$  since by the hypo thesis

$$n\Delta(\epsilon^*\mu)_n \leq K(\epsilon^*\mu)_n$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned}
B_2 &\leq \frac{K}{(\epsilon^*\mu)_n} \sum_{r=2}^n ((\epsilon^*\mu)_{\theta_2} + (r+1)\Delta(\epsilon^*\mu)_r) \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) + k_n \phi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \\
&= O\left\{ \frac{1}{(\epsilon^*\mu)_n} \sum_{r=2}^n \frac{\lambda(r)}{r} + \frac{(r+1)\lambda(r)\Delta(\epsilon^*r)_r}{r(\epsilon^*r)_r} \right\} O\left(\frac{\lambda(n+1)}{(\epsilon^*\mu)_{n+1}}\right)
\end{aligned}$$



$$= 0 \left( \frac{\lambda(n)}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{r=2}^n \frac{1}{r} \right) + O(1).$$

by virtue of (1.2.1) and applying (1.2.2), we see that

$$B_2 = O(1) \tag{1.4.4}$$

Lastly

$$\begin{aligned} B_3 &\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{r=1}^{n-1} \int_{\frac{1}{r+1}}^{\frac{1}{r}} \frac{d(t)1}{t} \left( \sum_{k=n-t+1}^n B_k \right) dt \\ &\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{r=1}^{n-1} \sum_{k=n-r}^n B_k (r+1) \left\{ \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) - \phi\left(\frac{1}{r+1}\right) \right\} \\ &\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{r=1}^{n-1} (\Omega + 1) \left\{ \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) + \phi\left(\frac{1}{r+1}\right) \right\} \sum_{k=0}^r B_k \end{aligned}$$

On changing the order of summation we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} B_3 &\leq \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} B_k \sum_{r=k}^{n-1} (r+1) \left\{ \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) - \phi\left(\frac{1}{r+1}\right) \right\} + \\ &\quad + \frac{k}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \sum_{r=1}^n B_n (r+1) \left\{ \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) - \phi\left(\frac{1}{r+1}\right) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

It can be seen from the Proof of  $B_1$  that the first term of the above expression is of  $O(1)$ .

The second term does not exceed

$$\frac{kB_n}{(\epsilon^* \mu)_n} \left( \sum_{k=1}^n \phi\left(\frac{1}{r}\right) + o(1) + (n+1)\phi\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right) \right) = o(1)$$

by virtue of the hypothesis (1.2.1) and (1.2.2). Thus,

$$B_3 = o(1) \quad (1.4.5)$$

Lastly by virtue of Riemann Lebesgue

theorem and regularity of the method of summation. We have

$$(y) = \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \phi(t) (\epsilon^*())_n t \cdot dt = o(1) \quad (1.4.6)$$

On collecting (1.4.2), (1.4.3), (1.4.4), (1.4.5) and (1.4.6) we obtain (1.4.1). This completes the proof of the theorem.

### References

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