

# On the rate of strong summability of Fourier-Chebyshev series

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## 1 Preliminaries.

Let us consider the system of Chebyshev polynomials

$$T_0(x) = 1, \quad T_n(x) = \cos(n \arccos x) \quad (n = 1, 2, \dots),$$

which are orthogonal with the weight  $\varrho(x) = (1-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$  on the interval  $[-1, 1]$ . Let  $f$  be a real-valued function continuous on  $[-1, 1]$ , and let

$$(1) \quad S[f](x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k T_k(x)$$

be its Fourier series with respect to the system  $\{T_n(x)\}$ , that is

$$(2) \quad c_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-1}^1 f(t) \varrho(t) dt, \quad c_k = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{-1}^1 f(t) T_k(t) \varrho(t) dt \quad (k = 1, 2, \dots).$$

Denote by  $S_n(x; f)$  the  $n$ -th partial sum and by  $\sigma_n^\alpha(x) = \sigma_n^\alpha(x; f)$  the  $n$ -th Cesàro  $(C, \alpha)$ -mean of order  $\alpha$  of the series (1). Introduce the modulus of continuity of  $f$  defined by

$$\omega(\delta) = \omega(\delta, f) = \sup_{-\delta \leq h \leq \delta} \left\{ \sup_{-1 \leq y, y+h \leq 1} |f(y+h) - f(y)| \right\},$$

and the best approximation of  $f$  by polynomials  $P_n$  of the degree at most  $n$  given by

$$E_n(f) = \inf_{P_n} \left\{ \sup_{-1 \leq x \leq 1} |f(x) - P_n(x)| \right\}.$$

Take into account a regular summability method determined by a triangular matrix  $\|\alpha_{nk}/A_n\|$  with  $\alpha_{nk} \geq 0$  and  $A_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \alpha_{nk}$ . Write, for each non-negative integer  $n$ ,

$$(3) \quad R_n(x; \alpha)_p = \left\{ \frac{1}{A_n} \sum_{\nu=0}^n \alpha_{n\nu} |\sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha-1}(x; f) - f(x)|^p \right\}^{1/p}, \quad p > 0.$$

The aim of this note is to estimate the quantity (3).

In considerations, the suitable positive constants independent of  $n$ ,  $f$  and  $r$  are denoted by  $K_j$  ( $j = 1, 2, \dots$ ), and

$$\gamma(\nu) = \min(2^\nu - 2, n), \quad \gamma_1(\nu) = 2^{\nu-1}, \quad \gamma_2(\nu) = \min(2^{\nu+1} - 2, n).$$

## 2 Auxiliary results

We start with an analogue of the Brudnyi and Gopengauz theorem (Th. 4, [1], p. 892).

**Proposition.** *Let*

$$(4) \quad F(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k z^k, \quad z = r e^{ix}, \quad 0 < r < 1,$$

where  $c_k$  are defined by (2). Then

$$(5) \quad |F'(z)| \leq K_1 \int_{1-r}^1 \frac{\omega(t)}{t^2} dt \quad \text{uniformly in } x \in [-\pi; \pi].$$

**Proof.** An easy computation gives

$$\begin{aligned} F(z) &= c_0 + \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} r^k \int_{-1}^1 \frac{f(t)}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} \cos(k \arccos t) e^{ikx} dt = \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi f(\cos y) \left\{ \frac{1}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} r^k \cos ky \cos kx + i \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} r^k \cos ky \sin kx \right\} dy = \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(\cos y) \{P(r, y+x) + P(r, y-x)\} dy + \\
&\quad + i \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(\cos y) \{Q(r, y+x) - Q(r, y-x)\} dy = \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \{u(r, -x) + u(r, x) - i v(r, -x) + i v(r, x)\},
\end{aligned}$$

where  $u(r, x)$ ,  $v(r, x)$  are the Poisson and the Poisson conjugate integrals of  $f(\cos y)$  and  $P(r, s)$ ,  $Q(r, s)$  are their kernels, respectively. Thus

$$\begin{aligned}
|F'(z)| &= \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial x} F(z) \cdot \left( \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \right)^{-1} \right| = \frac{1}{r} \left| \frac{\partial F(z)}{\partial x} \right| = \\
&= \frac{1}{2r} \left| \frac{\partial(u(r, -x) + u(r, x))}{\partial x} - i \frac{\partial(v(r, -x) + v(r, x))}{\partial x} \right|.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, it is sufficient to show that the both terms of the right-hand side of the above relation are of the order

$$O\left(\int_{1-r}^1 t^{-2} \omega(t) dt\right).$$

Since

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\partial}{\partial s} P(r, s) ds = 0,$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial u(r, \pm x)}{\partial x} &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(\cos y) \frac{\partial P(r, y \pm x)}{\partial x} dy = \\
&= \pm \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \{f(\cos y) - f(\cos x)\} \frac{\partial P(r, y \pm x)}{\partial y} dy = \\
&= \pm \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \{f(\cos(t \mp x)) - f(\cos x)\} \frac{\partial P(r, t)}{\partial t} dt.
\end{aligned}$$

By the mean-value theorem, for arbitrary real  $x$ ,  $t$  and some  $\theta \in (0, 1)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
|f(\cos(t+x)) - f(\cos x)| &= |f(\cos x - t \sin(x+\theta t)) - f(\cos x)| \leq \\
&\leq \sup_{|h| \leq |t|} \left\{ \sup_{-1 \leq y, y-h \leq 1} |f(y-h) - f(y)| \right\} = \\
&= \omega(|t|; f) \leq (\pi+1) \omega\left(\frac{|t|}{\pi}; f\right).
\end{aligned}$$

Analogously,

$$|f(\cos(t-x)) - f(\cos x)| \leq (\pi+1)\omega\left(\frac{|t|}{\pi}; f\right).$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{r} \left| \frac{\partial u(r, \pm x)}{\partial x} \right| &\leq \left(1 + \frac{1}{\pi}\right) (1-r^2) \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \omega\left(\frac{|t|}{\pi}; f\right) \frac{|\sin t|}{(1-2r\cos t+r^2)^2} dt = \\ &= 2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{\pi}\right) (1-r^2) \int_0^{\pi} \omega\left(\frac{t}{\pi}\right) \frac{\sin t}{((1-r)^2+4r\sin^2(t/2))^2} dt \leq \\ &\leq 2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{\pi}\right) (1-r^2) \int_0^{\pi} \omega\left(\frac{t}{\pi}\right) \frac{t}{((1-r)^2+4r(t/\pi)^2)^2} dt = \\ &= 2\pi(\pi+1)(1-r^2) \int_0^1 \frac{s\omega(s)}{((1-r)^2+4rs^2)^2} ds. \end{aligned}$$

Arguing further as in [5], pp. 150-151 we obtain

$$\frac{1}{r} \left| \frac{\partial u(r, \pm x)}{\partial x} \right| \leq K_2 \frac{\omega(1-r)}{1-r}$$

and this immediately implies

$$\frac{1}{r} \left| \frac{\partial v(r, \pm x)}{\partial x} \right| \leq K_3 \int_{1-r}^1 t^{-2} \omega(t) dt.$$

Now the desired assertion is evident.

**Remark 1.** When  $x = \arccos y$ , estimate (5) holds uniformly in  $y \in [-1, 1]$ .

**Lemma 1.** If  $\alpha > \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $k > 0$  and  $k(1-\alpha) < 1$ , then

$$(6) \quad \left\{ \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{\nu=n}^{2n} \left| \sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha}(x; f) - \sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha-1}(x; f) \right|^k \right\}^{1/k} \leq K_3 \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{\nu=0}^n \omega\left(\frac{1}{\nu+1}\right)$$

uniformly in  $x$  and  $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

**Proof.** Let us consider the power series (4) and denote by  $\tau_m^\alpha(y)$  its  $m$ -th  $(C, \alpha)$ -means for  $z = e^{i \arccos y}$ . Easy calculation gives

$$\alpha A_m^\alpha (\tau_m^{\alpha-1}(y) - \tau_m^\alpha(y)) = \sum_{\nu=0}^m A_{m-\nu}^{\alpha-1} c_\nu e^{i \nu \arccos y},$$

whence, for  $z = r^{i\varphi}$  ( $0 < r < 1$ ),

$$\alpha \sum_{m=0}^\infty A_m^\alpha (\tau_m^{\alpha-1}(y) - \tau_m^\alpha(y)) z^m = z e^{i \arccos y} F'(z e^{i \arccos y}) (1 - z)^{-\alpha}.$$

Further, taking a number  $p \in (1, 2)$  such that  $p\alpha > 1$ , by Hausdorff-Young inequality with  $q = \frac{p}{p-1}$ , we get

$$\left\{ \sum_{m=0}^\infty m^{\alpha q} \left| \tau_m^{\alpha-1}(y) - \tau_m^\alpha(y) \right|^q r^{mq} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \leq K_4 \left\{ r^p \int_{-\pi}^\pi \frac{|F'(r e^{i\varphi} e^{i \arccos y})|^p}{|1 - r e^{i\varphi}|^{\alpha p}} d\varphi \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

In view of Proposition, the right-hand side of the above inequality does not exceed

$$K_5 \left\{ r^p \int_{-\pi}^\pi \left( \int_{1-r}^1 t^{-2} \omega(t) dt \right)^p \frac{d\varphi}{((1-r)^2 + \varphi^2)^{\alpha p/2}} \right\}^{1/p}.$$

Setting  $1 - r = 1/(2n + 1)$  and taking the real part we obtain our thesis (see [5], pp. 152–153).

**Lemma 2.** *Suppose that for each  $q > 1$ , the condition*

$$(7) \quad \left\{ \frac{1}{2^\nu} \sum_{k=\gamma_1(\nu)}^{\gamma(\nu)} (\alpha_{nk})^q \right\}^{1/q} \leq K_6 (2^{-\nu}) \sum_{k=\gamma_1(\nu)}^{\gamma(\nu)} \alpha_{nk}$$

*holds for  $\nu = 1, 2, \dots, \nu_n$ , whenever  $2^{\nu_n-1} \leq n + 1 < 2^{\nu_n}$ . Then, for  $p \in (0, \infty)$ ,*

$$\left\{ \left( \sum_{k=\gamma_1(\nu)}^{\gamma(\nu)} \alpha_{nk} \right)^{-1} \sum_{k=\gamma_1(\nu)}^{\gamma(\nu)} \alpha_{nk} |S_k(x; f) - f(x)|^p \right\}^{1/p} \leq K_7 E_{\gamma_1(\nu)}(f).$$

**Proof.** Proceeding analogously as in [4] and using Theorem 3 from [6] we get the desired result.

### 3 Main results

Now we present two approximation theorems which are analogues of some Leindler's results ([2], [3], [4]).

**Theorem 1.** *Under the assumptions of Lemma 2, we have*

$$R_n(x; 1)_p \leq \left\{ \frac{K_8}{A_n} \sum_{\nu=1}^{\nu_n} \left( \sum_{k=\gamma_1(\nu)}^{\gamma(\nu)} \alpha_{nk} \right) (E_{\gamma_1(\nu)}(f))^p \right\}^{1/p} \quad \text{for } n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

**Proof.** The above estimate is a consequence of Lemma 2.

In particular if  $p = 1$ ,  $\alpha_{nk} = A_{n-k}^{\beta-1}$ ,  $\beta > 0$  the condition (7) holds. Thus we obtain

**Corollary.** *Under the assumption  $\beta > 0$ ,*

$$\frac{1}{A_n^\beta} \sum_{k=0}^n A_{n-k}^{\beta-1} |S_k(x; f) - f(x)| \leq K_9 \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^n E_k(f) \quad \text{for } n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Passing to the more general means (3), let us put

$$\varphi(\nu) = \frac{1}{\nu} \sum_{k=0}^{\nu} \omega \left( \frac{1}{k+1} \right).$$

**Theorem 2.** *Suppose that  $\alpha > 1/2$ ,  $p > 0$ ,  $p(1-\alpha) < 1$  and that*

$$(8) \quad \sum_{l=0}^m \left\{ \sum_{\nu=2^l-1}^{\gamma_2(l)} \frac{\alpha_{n\nu}^q (\varphi(\nu))^{qp}}{(\nu+1)^{1-q}} \right\}^{1/q} \leq K_{10} A_n \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{\nu=0}^n (\varphi(\nu))^p$$

for each  $q > 1$ , whenever  $2^m \leq n+1 < 2^{m+1} - 1$ . Then

$$(9) \quad \max_{-1 \leq x \leq 1} R_n(x; \alpha)_p \leq K_{11} \left\{ \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{\nu=0}^n (\varphi(\nu))^p \right\}^{1/p} \quad \text{for } n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

**Proof.** Clearly,

$$\begin{aligned} (R_n(x; \alpha)_p)^p &\leq \\ &\leq 2^p \left\{ \frac{1}{A_n} \sum_{\nu=0}^n \alpha_{n\nu} |\sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha-1}(x) - \sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha}(x)|^p + \frac{1}{A_n} \sum_{\nu=0}^n \alpha_{n\nu} |\sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha}(x) - f(x)|^p \right\} = \\ &= 2^p \left\{ \sum_1 + \sum_2 \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Choose two numbers  $p', q' > 1$  such that  $pp'(1 - \alpha) < 1$  and  $\frac{1}{p'} + \frac{1}{q'} = 1$ . In view of estimate (6) and condition (8),

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_1 &= \frac{1}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m \left( \sum_{\nu=2^{l-1}}^{\gamma_2(l)} \alpha_{n\nu} |\sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha-1}(x) - \sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha}(x)|^p \right) \leq \\ &\leq \frac{1}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m B_{n,l} \left( \sum_{\nu=2^{l-1}}^{\gamma_2(l)} (\nu+1)^{-1} |\sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha-1}(x) - \sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha}(x)|^{pp'} \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}} \leq \\ &\leq \frac{1}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m B_{n,l} \left( \frac{1}{2^l} \sum_{\nu=2^{l-1}}^{\gamma_2(l)} |\sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha-1}(x) - \sigma_{\nu}^{\alpha}(x)|^{pp'} \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}} \leq \\ &\leq \frac{K_3^p}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m B_{n,l} (\varphi(2^l - 1))^p \leq \frac{(2K_3)^p}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m B_{n,l} (\varphi(2^{l+1} - 2))^p \leq \\ &\leq \frac{(2K_3)^p}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m \left( \sum_{\nu=2^{l-1}}^{\gamma_2(l)} \frac{\alpha_{n\nu}^{q'} (\varphi(\nu))^{q'p}}{(\nu+1)^{1-q'}} \right)^{\frac{1}{q'}} \leq (2K_3)^p K_{10} \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{\nu=0}^n (\varphi(\nu))^p, \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{where } B_{n,l} = \left( \sum_{\nu=2^{l-1}}^{\gamma_2(l)} \alpha_{n\nu}^{q'} (\nu+1)^{q'-1} \right)^{\frac{1}{q'}}.$$

By Corollary, for  $s \in (1, \infty)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_2 &\leq \frac{K_{12}}{A_n} \sum_{\nu=0}^m \alpha_{n\nu} (\varphi(\nu))^p \leq \frac{K_{12}}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m 2^l \left\{ \frac{1}{2^l} \sum_{\nu=2^{l-1}}^{\gamma_2(l)} \alpha_{n\nu} (\varphi(\nu))^p \right\} \leq \\ &\leq \frac{K_{12}}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m 2^l \left\{ \frac{1}{2^l} \sum_{\nu=2^{l-1}}^{\gamma_2(l)} \alpha_{n\nu}^s (\varphi(\nu))^{ps} \right\}^{\frac{1}{s}} = \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{K_{12}}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m \left\{ 2^{l(s-1)} \sum_{\nu=2^l-1}^{\gamma_2(l)} \alpha_{n\nu}^s (\varphi(\nu))^{ps} \right\}^{\frac{1}{s}} \leq \\
&\leq \frac{K_{12}}{A_n} \sum_{l=0}^m \left\{ \sum_{\nu=2^l-1}^{\gamma_2(l)} \frac{\alpha_{n\nu}^s (\varphi(\nu))^{ps}}{(\nu+1)^{1-s}} \right\}^{\frac{1}{s}} \leq K_{10} \cdot K_{12} \cdot \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{\nu=0}^n (\varphi(\nu))^p.
\end{aligned}$$

Summing up these estimates we obtain (9).

**Remark 2.** Condition (8) is satisfied in the special case when  $\alpha_{nk} = A_{n-k}^{\beta-1}$  and  $\beta > 0$ .

Indeed, observing that

$$\varphi(k) \leq \varphi(k') \quad \text{when } k \geq k'$$

and

$$\varphi(2^l - 1) \leq 2\varphi(k) \quad \text{when } 2^l - 1 \leq k \leq 2^{l+1} - 2$$

and also the fact that  $\alpha_{nk} = A_{n-k}^{\beta-1}$  ( $\beta > 0$ ) satisfy (7), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sum_{l=0}^m \left\{ \sum_{\nu=2^l-1}^{\gamma_2(l)} \frac{(A_{n-\nu}^{\beta-1})^q (\varphi(\nu))^{qp}}{(\nu+1)^{1-q}} \right\}^{1/q} \leq \\
&\leq 2 \sum_{l=0}^m \left\{ (\varphi(2^l - 1))^p \cdot 2^l \left( \frac{1}{2^l} \sum_{\nu=2^l-1}^{\gamma_2(l)} (A_{n-\nu}^{\beta-1})^q \right)^{1/q} \right\} \leq \\
&\leq 2 \cdot K_{13} \sum_{\nu=0}^m \left( (\varphi(2^l - 1))^p \sum_{\nu=2^l-1}^{\gamma_2(l)} A_{n-\nu}^{\beta-1} \right) \leq \\
&\leq 4 \cdot K_{13} \sum_{\nu=0}^m \left( \sum_{\nu=2^l-1}^{\gamma_2(l)} A_{n-\nu}^{\beta-1} (\varphi(\nu))^p \right) = \\
&= 4 \cdot K_{13} \sum_{\nu=0}^n A_{n-\nu}^{\beta-1} (\varphi(\nu))^p = \\
&= 4 \cdot K_{13} \left( \sum_{\nu=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} + \sum_{\nu=\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1}^n \right) A_{n-\nu}^{\beta-1} (\varphi(\nu))^p \leq
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq K_{14} \left( (n+1)^{\beta-1} \sum_{\nu=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} (\varphi(\nu))^p + \left( \varphi \left( \left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor + 1 \right) \right)^p \sum_{\nu=\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor+1}^n A_{n-\nu}^{\beta-1} \right) \leq \\ &\leq K_{15} (n+1)^\beta \left( \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{\nu=0}^n (\varphi(\nu))^p + (\varphi(n))^p \right). \end{aligned}$$

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### Streszczenie

O rzędzie mocnej sumowalności szeregów Fouriera-Czebyszewa

Uzyskano oszacowania uogólnionych mocnych dewiacji sum częściowych i  $(C, \alpha)$ -średnich szeregów Fouriera-Czebyszewa funkcji ciągłych od tych funkcji. Błędy oszacowań wyrażone zostały w terminach najlepszych przybliżeń i modułów ciągłości. Udowodnione twierdzenia stanowią uogólnione odpowiedniki wyników L. Leindlera.

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