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Degree of approximation of the conjugate of signals (functions) belonging to $Lip(\alpha, r)$ -class by $(C, 1)(E, q)$ means of conjugate trigonometric Fourier series

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Abstract

In this paper, we determine the degree of approximation of the conjugate of 2π -periodic signals (functions) belonging to $Lip(\alpha, r)$ ($0 < \alpha \leq 1, r \geq 1$)-class by using Cesàro-Euler $(C, 1)(E, q)$ means of their conjugate trigonometric Fourier series. Our result generalizes the result of Lal and Singh (*Tamkang J. Math.* 33(3):269-274, 2002).

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1 Introduction

Let $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n$ be a given infinite series with $\{s_n\}$, the sequence of its n th partial sum. The sequence-to-sequence transform

$$C_n^1 = \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^n s_k, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \quad (1.1)$$

defines the Cesàro means of order one of $\{s_n\}$. The series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n$ is said to be $(C, 1)$ summable to s , if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} C_n^1 = s$. The sequence-to-sequence transform

$$E_n^q = \frac{1}{(1+q)^n} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} q^{n-k} s_k, \quad q > 0, n = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \quad (1.2)$$

defines the Euler means of order $q > 0$ of $\{s_n\}$. By super imposing the $(C, 1)$ means on (E, q) means of $\{s_n\}$, we get $(C, 1)(E, q)$ means of $\{s_n\}$ denoted by $C_n^1 E_n^q$ and defined by

$$C_n^1 E_n^q = \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^n E_k^q = \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^n (q+1)^{-k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} s_v. \quad (1.3)$$

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For a given 2π -periodic Lebesgue integrable signal (function), let

$$s_n(f; x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^n (a_k \cos kx + b_k \sin kx) \quad (1.4)$$

denote the $(n + 1)$ th partial sum, called trigonometric polynomial of degree n (or order n), of the Fourier series of $f \in L_1[-\pi, \pi]$.

The conjugate of Fourier series of f is defined by

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (b_k \cos kx - a_k \sin kx), \tag{1.5}$$

and its n th partial sum is defined as

$$\tilde{s}_n(f; x) = \sum_{k=1}^n (b_k \cos kx - a_k \sin kx) \tag{1.6}$$

The conjugate of f denoted by \tilde{f} is defined by

$$2\pi\tilde{f}(x) = -\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\epsilon}^{\pi} \psi(t) \cot(t/2) dt,$$

where $\psi(t) = f(x + t) - f(x - t)$ [1, p.131].

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

$$|f(x + t) - f(x)| = O(t^\alpha),$$

and $f \in \text{Lip}(\alpha, r)$ if

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

The L_r -norm for $f \in L_r[-\pi, \pi]$ is defined by

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

The L_∞ -norm is defined by

$$\|f\|_\infty = \sup\{|f(x)| : x \in R\}.$$

The degree of approximation $E_n(f)$ of a function $f \in \text{Lip}(\alpha, r)$ by trigonometric polynomials $T_n(x)$ of degree n is given by

$$E_n(f) = \min_{T_n} \|f - T_n\|_r.$$

This method of approximation is called trigonometric Fourier approximation (tfa). We also write

$$K_n(t) = \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \frac{\cos(v+1/2)t}{\sin(t/2)}$$

and $\tau = [1/t]$, the integral part of $1/t$.

2 Known result

Various investigators such as Dhakal [2], Lal and Singh [3], Mittal *et al.* [4, 5], Nigam [6], Qureshi [7, 8] have studied the degree of approximation in various function spaces such as $Lip\alpha$, $Lip(\alpha, r)$, $Lip(\xi(t), r)$ and weighted $(L_r, \xi(t))$ by using triangular matrix summability and product summability $(C, 1)(E, 1)$, $(N, p_n)(E, 1)$. Recently, Lal and Singh [3] have determined the degree of approximation of the conjugate of $f \in Lip(\alpha, r)$ by $(C, 1)(E, 1)$ means of conjugate Fourier series. Lal and Singh [3] have proved the following.

Theorem 1 [3] *If $f : R \rightarrow R$ is a 2π -periodic and $Lip(\alpha, r)$ function, then the degree of approximation of its conjugate function $\tilde{f}(x)$ by the $(C, 1)(E, 1)$ product means of conjugate series of Fourier series of f satisfies, for $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$,*

$$M_n(\tilde{f}) = \text{Min} \|(CE)_n^1 - \tilde{f}\|_r = O(n^{-\alpha+1/r}), \tag{2.1}$$

where

$$(CE)_n^1 = \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^n \left(\frac{1}{2^k} \sum_{i=0}^k \binom{k}{i} S_i \right),$$

is $(C, 1)(E, 1)$ means of series (1.5).

3 Main result

Recently, Nigam and Sharma [9] have studied the degree of approximation of functions belonging to $Lip(\xi(t), r)$ -class through $(C, 1)(E, q)$ means of their Fourier series. In this paper, we use the $(C, 1)(E, q)$ means of conjugate Fourier series of $f \in Lip(\alpha, r)$ to determine the degree of approximation of the conjugate of f , which in turn generalizes the result of Lal and Singh [3]. More precisely we prove

Theorem 2 *Let $f(x)$ be a 2π -periodic, Lebesgue integrable function and belong to the $Lip(\alpha, r)$ -class with $r \geq 1$ and $\alpha r \geq 1$. Then the degree of approximation of $\tilde{f}(x)$, the conjugate of $f(x)$ by $(C, 1)(E, q)$ means of its conjugate Fourier series is given by*

$$\|C_n^1 E_n^q - \tilde{f}\|_r = O(n^{-\alpha+1/r}), \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \tag{3.1}$$

provided

$$\left(\int_0^{\pi/(n+1)} (|\psi(t)|/t^\alpha)^r dt \right)^{1/r} = O((n+1)^{-1}), \tag{3.2}$$

$$\left(\int_{\pi/(n+1)}^\pi (t^{-\delta} |\psi(t)|/t^\alpha)^r dt \right)^{1/r} = O((n+1)^\delta), \tag{3.3}$$

where δ is an arbitrary number such that $(\alpha + \delta)s + 1 < 0$ and $1/r + 1/s = 1$ for $r > 1$.

Remark 1 The authors have used conditions $(\int_0^{\pi/(n+1)} |t\psi(t)/t^\alpha|^r dt)^{1/r} = O(1)$ implied by (3.2) and (3.3), but not mentioned in the statement of Theorem 1 [3, pp.271-272].

4 Lemmas

We need the following lemmas for the proof of our theorem.

Lemma 1 $|K_n(t)| = O(1/t) + O((n+1)t)$ for $0 \leq t \leq \pi/(n+1) \leq \pi/(v+1)$.

Proof

$$\begin{aligned}
 |K_n(t)| &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi(n+1)} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \frac{\cos(v+1/2)t}{\sin(t/2)} \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi(n+1)} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \frac{\cos(v+1-1/2)t}{\sin(t/2)} \right| \\
 &\leq \frac{1}{(n+1)} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \left| \frac{\cos(v+1)t \cos(t/2) + \sin(v+1)t \sin(t/2)}{\sin(t/2)} \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{(n+1)} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} [O(1/t) + O(\sin(v+1)t)] \\
 &= O \left[\frac{1}{(n+1)t} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \right] \\
 &\quad + O \left[\frac{1}{(n+1)} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} (v+1)t \right] \\
 &= O \left[\frac{1}{(n+1)t} (n+1) \right] + O \left[\frac{1}{(n+1)} (n+1)(n+1)t \right] \\
 &= O(1/t) + O((n+1)t),
 \end{aligned}$$

in view of $\sin(v+1)t \leq (v+1)t$ for $0 \leq t < \pi/(v+1)$ and $(\sin(t/2))^{-1} < \pi/t$ for $0 < t \leq \pi$ [10, p.247]. □

Lemma 2 $|K_n(t)| = O(1/t) + O(1)$ for $\pi/(v+1) \leq t \leq \pi$.

Proof

$$\begin{aligned}
 |K_n(t)| &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi(n+1)} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \frac{\cos(v+1/2)t}{\sin(t/2)} \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi(n+1)} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \frac{\cos(v+1-1/2)t}{\sin(t/2)} \right| \\
 &\leq \frac{1}{(n+1)} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \left| \frac{\cos(v+1)t \cos(t/2) + \sin(v+1)t \sin(t/2)}{\sin(t/2)} \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{(n+1)} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} [O(1/t) + O(1)] \\
 &= O \left[\frac{1}{(n+1)t} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &+ O\left[\frac{1}{(n+1)} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v}\right] \\
 &= O\left[\frac{1}{(n+1)t}(n+1)\right] + O\left[\frac{1}{(n+1)}(n+1)\right] \\
 &= O(1/t) + O(1),
 \end{aligned}$$

in view of $|\sin(v+1)t| \leq 1$ and $(\sin(t/2))^{-1} \leq \pi/t$ for $0 < t \leq \pi$ [10, p.247]. □

5 Proof of Theorem 2

The integral representation of $\tilde{s}_n(f; x)$ is given by

$$\tilde{s}_n(f; x) = -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \psi(t) \frac{\cos(t/2) - \cos(n+1/2)t}{2 \sin(t/2)} dt.$$

Therefore, we have

$$\tilde{s}_n(f; x) - \tilde{f}(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \psi(t) \frac{\cos(n+1/2)t}{\sin(t/2)} dt.$$

Now, denoting $(C, 1)(E, q)$ transform of $\tilde{s}_n(f; x)$ by $C_n^1 E_n^q$, we write

$$\begin{aligned}
 C_n^1 E_n^q - \tilde{f} &= \frac{1}{2\pi(n+1)} \left[\sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{(1+q)^k} \int_0^\pi \frac{\psi(t)}{\sin(t/2)} \sum_{v=0}^k \binom{k}{v} q^{k-v} \cos(v+1/2)t dt \right] \\
 &= \left[\int_0^{\pi/(n+1)} + \int_{\pi/(n+1)}^\pi \right] \psi(t) K_n(t) dt = I_1 + I_2, \quad \text{say.} \tag{5.1}
 \end{aligned}$$

Using Lemma 1, Hölder’s inequality, condition (3.2) and Minkowski’s inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 |I_1| &= \int_0^{\pi/(n+1)} |\psi(t)| |K_n(t)| dt \\
 &\leq \left[\int_0^{\pi/(n+1)} (|\psi(t)|/t^\alpha)^r dt \right]^{1/r} \left[\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_\epsilon^{\pi/(n+1)} (t^\alpha |K_n(t)|)^s dt \right]^{1/s} \\
 &= O((n+1)^{-1}) \left[\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_\epsilon^{\pi/(n+1)} (t^{\alpha-1} + (n+1)t^{\alpha+1})^s dt \right]^{1/s} \\
 &= O((n+1)^{-1}) \left[\left(\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_\epsilon^{\pi/(n+1)} t^{(\alpha-1)s} dt \right)^{1/s} + \left(\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_\epsilon^{\pi/(n+1)} (n+1)t^{(\alpha+1)s} dt \right)^{1/s} \right] \\
 &= O((n+1)^{-1}) \left[(n+1)^{-\alpha+1-1/s} + (n+1)(n+1)^{-\alpha-1-1/s} \right] \\
 &= O((n+1)^{-1}) \left[(n+1)^{-\alpha+1/r} + (n+1)(n+1)^{-\alpha-1+1/r} \right] \\
 &= O\left[(n+1)^{-\alpha+1/r-1} + (n+1)^{-\alpha-2+1/r} \right] \\
 &= O((n+1)^{-\alpha-1+1/r}). \tag{5.2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now, we consider

$$|I_2| \leq \int_{\pi/(n+1)}^\pi |\psi(t)| |K_n(t)| dt.$$

Using Lemma 2, Hölder’s inequality, condition (3.3) and Minkowski’s inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 |I_2| &\leq \left[\int_{\pi/(n+1)}^{\pi} \left(\frac{t^{-\delta} |\psi(t)|}{t^\alpha} \right)^r dt \right]^{1/r} \left[\int_{\pi/(n+1)}^{\pi} \left(\frac{t^\alpha |K_n(t)|}{t^{-\delta}} \right)^s dt \right]^{1/s} \\
 &= O((n+1)^\delta) \left[\int_{\pi/(n+1)}^{\pi} \left(\frac{t^\alpha}{t^{-\delta}} (O(1/t) + O(1)) \right)^s dt \right]^{1/s} \\
 &= O((n+1)^\delta) \left[\int_{\pi/(n+1)}^{\pi} (t^{\alpha+\delta-1} + t^{\alpha+\delta})^s dt \right]^{1/s} \\
 &= O((n+1)^\delta) \left[\left(\int_{\pi/(n+1)}^{\pi} t^{(\alpha+\delta-1)s} dt \right)^{1/s} + \left(\int_{\pi/(n+1)}^{\pi} t^{(\alpha+\delta)s} dt \right)^{1/s} \right] \\
 &= O((n+1)^\delta) [(n+1)^{(-\alpha-\delta+1)-1/s} + (n+1)^{(-\alpha-\delta)-1/s}] \quad ((\alpha + \delta)s + 1 < 0) \\
 &= O[(n+1)^{-\alpha+1-1/s} + (n+1)^{-\alpha-1/s}] \\
 &= O[(n+1)^{-\alpha+1/r} + (n+1)^{-\alpha-1/r}] = O[(n+1)^{-\alpha+1/r} (1 + (n+1)^{-1})] \\
 &= O((n+1)^{-\alpha+1/r}). \tag{5.3}
 \end{aligned}$$

Combining (5.1)-(5.3), we have

$$|C_n^1 E_n^q - \tilde{f}| = O((n+1)^{-\alpha+1/r}).$$

Hence,

$$\|C_n^1 E_n^q - \tilde{f}\|_r = \left(\int_0^{2\pi} |C_n^1 E_n^q - \tilde{f}(x)|^r dx \right)^{1/r} = O(n^{-\alpha+1/r}).$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 2.

Remark 2 The proof of Theorem 2 for $r = 1$, i.e., $s = \infty$, can be written by using sup norm while using Hölder’s inequality.

6 Corollaries

Corollary 1 When $q = 1$, then $(C, 1)(E, q)$ means reduces to $(C, 1)(E, 1)$ means.

Hence, Theorem 2 reduces to Theorem 1.

Corollary 2 If $f : R \rightarrow R$ is a 2π -periodic, Lebesgue integrable and belonging to the $\text{Lip } \alpha$ ($0 < \alpha \leq 1$) class, then the degree of approximation of $\tilde{f}(x)$, the conjugate of $f(x) \in \text{Lip } \alpha$, with $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ by $(C, 1)(E, q)$ means of its Fourier series is given by

$$\|C_n^1 E_n^q - \tilde{f}\|_\infty = O(n^{-\alpha}) \quad \text{for } n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Proof If $r \rightarrow \infty$ in Theorem 2, then for $0 < \alpha < 1$,

$$\|C_n^1 E_n^q - \tilde{f}(x)\|_\infty = O(n^{-\alpha}).$$

For $\alpha = 1$, we can write an independent proof by using $\alpha = 1$ and $\psi(t) = O(t)$ in I_1 and I_2 . □

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