ON A CLASS OF CONVOLUTION TRANSFORM II

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1. Introduction. In the preceding paper [7], we studied the inversion theory for some restricted class of convolution transform

(1)
$$f(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} G(x-t) e^{ct} d\alpha(t) \quad (c:real),$$

for which the kernel G(t) is of the form

(2)
$$G(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} [F(s)]^{-1} e^{st} ds.$$

Here F(s) is the meromorphic function with real zeros and poles only, and is of the form $F(s) = E_1(s)/E_2(s)$,

(3)
$$E_1(s) = e^{b_s} \prod_{1}^{\infty} (1 - s/a_k) e^{s/a_k}, \quad E_2(s) = \prod_{1}^{\infty} (1 - s/c_k) e^{s/c_k},$$

where b, $\{a_k\}_1^{\infty}$, $\{c_k\}_1^{\infty}$ are constants such that $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k^{-k} < \infty$, $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k^{-k} < \infty$.

When $E_1(s)$ and $E_2(s)$ are reciprocals of the generating functions of kernels of class I and class II (or I, II) [3], [4], respectively, and F(s) satisfies some conditions, we knew that the properties of the transform (1) are similar to those of the convolution transform with the class I kernel.

In this paper we shall study the case in which both $E_1(s)$ and $E_2(s)$ are reciprocals of the generating functions of class II (or III) kernels and satisfies the conditions:

$$(4\text{ a}) \qquad a_k c_k > 0 \,, \quad |a_k| \leqq |c_k| \quad \text{for all } k \text{ and } \left| \sum_{1}^{\infty} \left(a_k^{-1} - c_k^{-1} \right) \right| < \infty \,;$$

(4 b) for some positive α and any positive number R,