

98. The Product of a Logarithmic Method and the Sequence-to-Sequence Quasi-Hausdorff Method

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1. *Definitions.* μ_n , defined by

$$(1.1) \quad \mu_n = \int_0^1 t^n d\chi(t) \quad (n=0, 1, 2, \dots),^*$$

where $\chi(t)$ is a real function of bounded variation in $(0, 1)$, is called the *moment constant* of rank n generated by the *mass-function* $\chi(t)$.

If, further,

$$(1.2) \quad \chi(1)=1, \chi(+0)=\chi(0)=0,^{\dagger}$$

μ_n is said to be a *regular* moment constant.

The matrix $\lambda \equiv (H, \mu_n)$, defined by

$$(1.3) \quad \lambda_{nk} = \begin{cases} \binom{n}{k} \Delta^{n-k} \mu_k & (n \geq k) \\ 0 & (n < k), \end{cases}$$

is termed the *Hausdorff-matrix* corresponding to the sequence of moment constants $\{\mu_n\}$. The summability (H, μ_n) of a sequence $\{s_n\}$ to the sum s is defined as the convergence to a finite limit s of its *Hausdorff transform*, or simply (H, μ_n) transform, σ_n , where

$$(1.4) \quad \sigma_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \lambda_{nk} s_k \quad (n=0, 1, 2, \dots).$$

The transpose of the Hausdorff matrix, that is, the matrix $\lambda^* \equiv (H^*, \mu_n)$, defined by

$$(1.5) \quad \lambda_{nk}^* = \begin{cases} \binom{k}{n} \Delta^{k-n} \mu_n & (n \leq k) \\ 0 & (n > k) \end{cases}$$

is termed the *Quasi-Hausdorff matrix* corresponding to the sequence of moment constants $\{\mu_n\}$.

The sequence-to-sequence *Quasi-Hausdorff transform*, or simply the (H^*, μ_n) transform, σ_n^* of a sequence $\{s_n\}$ is defined by

$$(1.6) \quad \sigma_n^* = \sum_{k=n}^{\infty} \binom{k}{n} \Delta^{k-n} \mu_n s_k.$$

Since μ_n is given by (1.1), we also have

$$(1.7) \quad \sigma_n^* = \sum_{k=n}^{\infty} \int_0^1 s_k \binom{k}{n} t^n (1-t)^{k-n} d\chi(t).$$

* The function t^0 is defined at $t=0$ so as to be continuous; thus

$$\mu_0 = \int_0^1 d\chi(t).$$

† The assumption $\chi(0)=0$ is not a substantial restriction.