

## 168. On the Strong Summability of the Derived Fourier Series

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1. Let  $f(t)$  be a periodic function of bounded variation with period  $2\pi$ , and its Fourier series be

$$a_0/2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nt + b_n \sin nt) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n(t).$$

We shall consider the derived Fourier series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(b_n \cos nt - a_n \sin nt) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A'_n(t)$$

and its conjugate series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(a_n \cos nt + b_n \sin nt) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B'_n(t).$$

We denote by  $\tau_n(t)$  and  $\bar{\tau}_n(t)$  the  $n$ th partial sums of them, i.e.

$$\tau_n(t) = \sum_{m=1}^n m(b_m \cos mt - a_m \sin mt) = \sum_{m=1}^n A'_m(t),$$

$$\bar{\tau}_n(t) = \sum_{m=1}^n m(a_m \cos mt + b_m \sin mt) = \sum_{m=1}^n B'_m(t).$$

As in the case of Fourier series, we use the modified partial sums of them;

$$\tau_n^*(t) = \tau_n(t) - A'_n(t)/2, \quad \bar{\tau}_n^*(t) = \bar{\tau}_n(t) - B'_n(t)/2.$$

Recently B. N. Prasad and U. N. Singh<sup>1)</sup> proved the following theorems:

**Theorem A.** *If  $f(t)$  is a continuous function of bounded variation which is differentiable at  $t=x$  and if for some  $\varepsilon > 0$*

$$G(t) = \int_0^t |dg(u)| = o\left\{t \left(\log \frac{1}{t}\right)^{-1-\varepsilon}\right\}, \text{ as } t \rightarrow 0,$$

where  $g(u) = g_x(u) = f(x+u) - f(x-u) - 2uf'(x)$ , then

$$\sum_{m=1}^n |\tau_m(x) - f'(x)| = o(n).$$

That is, the derived Fourier series of  $f(t)$  is  $(H, 1)$  summable to the sum  $f'(x)$  at  $t=x$ .

**Theorem B.** *If  $f(t)$  is a continuous function of bounded variation which is differentiable at  $t=x$  and if for some  $\varepsilon > 0$*

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1) B. N. Prasad and U. N. Singh: Math. Zeits., **56**, 280-288 (1952).