

ON $|C, 1|$ - SUMMABILITY OF JACOBI SERIES

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Let $\sum a_n$ be an infinite series with partial sums S_n . If $\sum \frac{|S_n|}{n^\delta} < \infty$, $\delta > 0$ then we observe that $\sum a_n$ is summable $|C, \delta|$. With the help of this result we prove that the Jacobi series at end points of the interval $[-1, +1]$ is summable $|C, 1|$; provided that the generating function belongs to a certain Lipschitz class.

§1. Let $\sum u_n$ be an infinite series whose n -th partial sum is S_n . Let S_n^α and t_n^α be n th Cesàro mean of order α of the sequences $\{S_n\}$ and $\{nu_n\}$ respectively. The series $\sum u_n$ is said to be summable $|C, \alpha|$, $\alpha > -1$ or absolutely summable (C, α) if

$$\sum |S_n^\alpha - S_{n-1}^\alpha| < \infty$$

or
$$\sum n^{-1} |t_n^\alpha| < \infty. \quad \dots(1.1)$$

§2. The Jacobi polynomials $P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x)$, $\alpha > -1$, $\beta > -1$ are defined by the following expansion:

$$\begin{aligned} & 2^{\alpha+\beta} (1 - 2xt + t^2)^{-(1/2)} [1 - t + (1 - 2xt + t^2)^{1/2}]^{-\alpha} \\ & \times [1 + t + (1 - 2xt + t^2)^{1/2}]^{-\beta} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x) t^n. \quad \dots(2.1) \end{aligned}$$

Let $f(x)$ be a function defined on the linear interval $-1 \leq x \leq +1$, such that the integral

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} (1-x)^\alpha (1+x)^\beta f(x) dx$$

exists in the sense of Lebesgue. The Fourier-Jacobi expansion generally known as Jacobi series corresponding to the function $f(x)$ is given by

$$f(x) \sim \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x) \quad \dots(2.2)$$

where

$$a_n = \frac{1}{g_n} \int_{-1}^{+1} (1-t)^\alpha (1+t)^\beta f(t) P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(t) dt$$

and
$$g_n = \frac{2^{\alpha+\beta+1}}{2n + \alpha + \beta + 1} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(n + \alpha + 1) \cdot \Gamma(n + \beta + 1)}{\Gamma(n + 1) \cdot \Gamma(n + \alpha + \beta + 1)}$$

Ultraspherical and Legendre series are particular cases of the series (2.2) when $\alpha = \beta = \lambda - \frac{1}{2}$ and $\alpha = \beta = 0$ respectively.

We write

$$\phi(w) = [f(\cos w) - A]$$

where A is a fixed constant. Recently Pandey (1968) has proved the following theorem in case of ordinary Cesàro summability.

Theorem — The series (2.2) for $x = \cos \theta$ is summable (C, k) , for $\alpha - \frac{1}{2} < k < \alpha + \frac{1}{2}$, $-\frac{1}{2} < \alpha < \frac{1}{2}$ at $\theta = 0$ to the sum A provided that

$$\phi(w) \in \text{lip}^* (\alpha + \frac{1}{2} - k) \tag{2.3}$$

where $f(x) \in \text{lip}^*_\alpha$ means $|f(x + u) - f(x)| = o(u^\alpha)$; $\alpha > 0$.

It is known that ordinary convergence together with absolute Abel summability of an infinite series do not necessarily imply the $| C, 1 |$ - summability of that series. We prove $| C, 1 |$ - summability of the series (2.2) under a condition of Lipschitz class. In the next section relevant results about asymptotic orders of Jacobi polynomials along with a result about infinite series have been given.

§3. Following results are used to prove the main theorem of this paper.

Lemma 1 — Let Σu_n be an infinite series with n th partial sum S_n .

If

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{|S_k|}{k^\delta} < \infty \tag{3.1}$$

then the series Σu_n is summable $| C, \delta |$; $0 < \delta \leq 1$.

PROOF : Let t_n^δ and S_n^δ be the n th Cesàro mean of order δ of the sequences $\{nu_n\}$ and $\{S_n\}$ respectively, then we have

$$t_n^\delta = \delta(S_n^{\delta-1} - S_n^\delta)$$

$$= \delta \left\{ \frac{1}{A_n^{\delta-1}} \sum_{k=0}^n A_{n-k}^{\delta-2} S_k - \frac{1}{A_n^{\delta}} \sum_{k=0}^n A_{n-k}^{\delta-1} S_k \right\},$$

where
$$A_n^{\delta} = \binom{n+\delta}{n} = \frac{(\delta+1)(\delta+2)\dots(\delta+n)}{n!} \approx \frac{n^{\delta}}{\Gamma(\delta+1)};$$

$$\delta \neq -1, -2, \dots$$

We consider the case $0 < \delta < 1$ while the case $\delta = 1$ is known (Bhatt 1967).

Now, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} |t_n^{\delta}| &\leq \left[\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n A_n^{\delta-1}} \left(\sum_{k=0}^n |A_{n-k}^{\delta-2}| \cdot |S_k| \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n A_n^{\delta}} \left(\sum_{k=0}^n |A_{n-k}^{\delta-1}| |S_k| \right) \right] \\ &= A + B, \text{ say.} \end{aligned}$$

But

$$\begin{aligned} A &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |S_k| \left(\sum_{n=k+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \cdot A_n^{\delta-1}} |A_{n-k}^{\delta-2}| \right) \\ &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{|S_k|}{(k+1)^{\delta}} \left(\sum_{n=k+1}^{\infty} |A_{n-k}^{\delta-2}| \right) \\ &= O(1) \cdot O(1) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} B &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |S_k| \cdot \left(\sum_{n=k+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n A_n^{\delta}} \cdot A_{n-k}^{\delta-1} \right) \\ &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{|S_k|}{(k+1)^{\delta}} \left(\sum_{n=k+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n-k)^{1-\delta}} \right) \\ &= O(1). \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of the Lemma.

Lemma 2 (Szegő 1967) — Let α, β be arbitrary and real, and C a fixed positive constant, $n \rightarrow \infty$. Then

$$P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(\cos \theta) = \begin{cases} \theta^{-\alpha-(1/2)}. O(n^{-(1/2)}), & \frac{C}{n} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ O(n^\alpha)0, & \leq \theta \leq \frac{C}{n}. \end{cases} \quad \dots(3.2)$$

$$P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(\cos \theta) = n^{-(1/2)} K(\theta) \{ \cos(N\theta + \gamma) + (n \sin \theta)^{-1}. O(1) \};$$

$$; \frac{C}{n} \leq \theta \leq \pi - \frac{C}{n} \quad \dots(3.3)$$

where

$$K(\theta) = \pi^{-(1/2)} \left(\sin \frac{\theta}{2} \right)^{-\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} \right)^{-\beta-(1/2)}$$

$$N = n + \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta + 1), \gamma = -(\alpha + \frac{1}{2}) \frac{\pi}{2}$$

§4. We prove the following:

Theorem — The series (2.2) for $x = \cos \theta$ is summable $|C, 1|$ at the point $\theta = 0$ provided that

$$\phi(w) \in \text{lip } \delta; (\delta > \alpha + \frac{1}{2}), -\frac{1}{2} < \alpha < \frac{1}{2}; \beta > -1, \quad \dots(4.1)$$

and the antipole condition that the integral $\int_0^t w^{\beta-(1/2)} |\phi(\pi - w)| dw < \infty (t \rightarrow 0)$ is satisfied. If $\beta \geq \alpha$ no antipole condition is required.

PROOF : Let S_n be the n th partial sum of the series (2.2), hence we have,

$$S_n = \int_0^\pi (1 - \cos w)^{\alpha+(1/2)} (1 + \cos w)^{\beta+(1/2)} f(\cos w)$$

$$\times \sum_{m=0}^n \frac{1}{g_m} P_m^{(\alpha, \beta)}(\cos w) P_m^{(\alpha, \beta)}(1) dw.$$

$$S_n - A = \int_0^\pi \left(\sin \frac{w}{2} \right)^{2\alpha+1} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2} \right)^{2\beta+1} \phi(w) \cdot \frac{\Gamma(n + \alpha + \beta + 2)}{\Gamma(\alpha + 1) \cdot \Gamma(n + \beta + 1)}$$

$$\times P_n^{(\alpha+1, \beta)}(\cos w) dw.$$

[by Szegő (1967, p. 71) and orthogonal property of Jacobi polynomials.]

We can set $A = f(1) = 0$, and consequently, we have

$$S_n = \frac{\Gamma(n + \alpha + \beta + 2)}{\Gamma(\alpha + 1) \cdot \Gamma(n + \beta + 1)} \int_0^\pi \left(\sin \frac{w}{2}\right)^{2\alpha+1} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2}\right)^{2\beta+1} \phi(w) P_n^{(\alpha+1, \beta)}(\cos w) dw.$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(n + \alpha + \beta + 2)}{\Gamma(\alpha + 1) \cdot \Gamma(n + \beta + 1)} \left\{ \int_0^{\gamma_n} + \int_{\gamma_n}^{\pi-(1/n)} + \int_{\pi-(1/n)}^\pi \right\} \\ = J_1 + J_2 + J_3, \text{ say } \left(\gamma_n = \frac{C}{n}, C \text{ a fixed constant} \right).$$

$$J_1 = O(n^{2\alpha+2}) \int_0^{\gamma_n} w^{2\alpha+1+\epsilon} dw = O(n^{-\epsilon}). \tag{4.2}$$

and

$$J_3 = O(n^{\alpha+\beta+1}) \int_0^{1/n} |\phi(\pi - w)| \cdot w^{2\beta+1} dw \\ = O(n^{\alpha+\beta+1-2\beta-2}) \text{ or } = O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}) \text{ (by antipole condition)} \\ = (n^{\alpha-\beta-1}) \text{ or } = O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}). \tag{4.3}$$

Again

$$J_2 = \frac{\Gamma(n + \alpha + \beta + 2)}{\Gamma(\alpha + 1) \cdot \Gamma(n + \beta + 1)} \cdot \frac{n^{-(1/2)}}{\pi^{1/2}} \int_{\gamma_n}^{\pi-(1/n)} \left(\sin \frac{w}{2}\right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2}\right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \\ \times \phi(w) \cdot \cos(Nw + \gamma) dw \\ + O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}) \int_{\gamma_n}^{\pi-(1/n)} \left| \left(\sin \frac{w}{2}\right)^{\alpha-(3/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2}\right)^{\beta-(1/2)} \phi(w) \right| dw \\ ; \left(N = k + \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} + 1 \right) \\ = J_{2.1} + J_{2.2}, \text{ say.}$$

Now

$$J_{2.2} = O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}) \int_{\gamma_n}^a \left| \left(\sin \frac{w}{2}\right)^{\alpha-(3/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2}\right)^{\beta-(1/2)} \phi(w) \right| dw +$$

(equation continued on p. 543)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & + O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}) \int_a^{\pi-(1/n)} \left| \left(\sin \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(3/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\beta-(1/2)} \phi(w) \right| dw \\
 & \hspace{20em} (a, \text{ a fixed constant}) \\
 & = O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}) \int_{\gamma_n}^a w^{\alpha-(3/2)+\delta} dw + O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}) \\
 & = O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}) [w^{\alpha-(1/2)+\delta}]_{\gamma_n}^a + O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}) \\
 & = \begin{cases} O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}), & \text{if } \alpha - \frac{1}{2} + \delta > 0 \\ O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)} \log n), & \text{if } \alpha - \frac{1}{2} + \delta = 0 \\ O(n^{-\delta}) & \text{if } \alpha - \frac{1}{2} + \delta < 0. \end{cases} \hspace{5em} \dots(4.4)
 \end{aligned}$$

In the second integral antipole condition may be used if β is not greater or equal to α .

The integral in $J_{2,1}$ is the difference of real and imaginary parts of E , multiplied with $\cos \gamma$ and $\sin \gamma$ respectively, where

$$\begin{aligned}
 E & = \int_{\gamma_n}^{\pi-(1/n)} \left(\sin \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \phi(w) e^{iw(2n+\alpha+\beta+2)/2} dw \\
 & = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \int_{\gamma_n}^{\pi-(1/n)} \left(\sin \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \phi(w) \cdot e^{iw(2n+\alpha+\beta+2)/2} dw \right. \\
 & \quad - \int_{\gamma_n-\mu_n}^{\pi-(1/n)-\mu_n} \left(\sin \frac{w+\mu_n}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w+\mu_n}{2} \right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \\
 & \quad \left. \times \phi(w+\mu_n) e^{iw(2n+\alpha+\beta+2)/2} dw \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & | \text{Real part of } E | \text{ or } | \text{Imaginary part of } E | \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2}(L_1 + L_2 + L_3 + L_4), \text{ say;}
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$L_1 = \int_{\gamma_n-\mu_n}^{\gamma_n} \left| \left(\sin \frac{w+\mu_n}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w+\mu_n}{2} \right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \phi(w+\mu_n) \right| dw$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_2 &= \int_{\pi-\gamma_n-\mu_n}^{\pi-(1/n)} \left| \left(\sin \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \phi(w) \right| dw \\
 L_3 &= \int_{\gamma_n}^{\pi-(1/n)-\mu_n} | \phi(w + \mu_n) - \phi(w) | \\
 &\quad \times \left| \left(\sin \frac{w + \mu_n}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w + \mu_n}{2} \right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \right| dw \\
 L_4 &= \int_{\gamma_n}^{\pi-(1/n)-\mu_n} \left| \left(\sin \frac{w + \mu_n}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w + \mu_n}{2} \right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. - \left(\sin \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \right| \cdot | \phi(w) | dw.
 \end{aligned}$$

But

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_1 &= O(1) \int_{\gamma_n-\mu_n}^{\gamma_n} (w + \mu_n)^{\alpha-(1/2)+\delta} dw \\
 &= O(n^{-\alpha-(1/2)-\delta})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_2 &= O(1) \int_{\gamma_n-\mu_n}^{1/n} w^{\beta+(1/2)} dw \\
 &= O(n^{-\beta-(3/2)}) \quad \text{or} \quad = O(n^{-1}) \text{ by antipole condition}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_3 &= O(\mu_n^\delta) \int_{\gamma_n}^{\pi-(1/n)-\mu_n} (w + \mu_n)^{\alpha-(1/2)} dw \\
 &= O(n^{-\delta})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_4 &= O(\mu_n) \int_{\gamma_n}^{\pi-(1/n)-\mu_n} \left| \frac{d}{dw} \left\{ \left(\sin \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\alpha-(1/2)} \left(\cos \frac{w}{2} \right)^{\beta+(1/2)} \right\} \right| w^\delta dw \\
 &= O(\mu_n) \int_{\gamma_n}^a w^{\alpha-(3/2)+\delta} dw + O(\mu_n) \int_{(1/n)+\mu_n}^{\pi-a} w^{\beta-(1/2)} | \phi(\pi - w) | dw.
 \end{aligned}$$

(a any fixed number)

$$= \begin{cases} O(n^{-1}) & \text{if } \alpha - \frac{1}{2} + \delta > 0 \\ O(n^{-1} \log n), & \text{if } \alpha - \frac{1}{2} + \delta = 0 \\ O(n^{-\alpha-(1/2)-\delta}); & \text{if } \alpha - \frac{1}{2} + \delta < 0. \end{cases}$$

Therefore, we can approximate $J_{2,1}$ as follows

$$J_{2,1} = O(n^{\alpha+(1/2)}) \cdot | \{L_1 + L_2 + L_3 + L_4\} |$$

or

$$\begin{aligned} J_{2,1} &= O(n^{\alpha+(1/2)}) \{O(n^{-\alpha-(1/2)-\delta}) + O(n^{-\beta-(3/2)}) + O(n^{-\delta})\} \\ &\quad + \begin{cases} O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)}) \cdot \log n \\ O(n^{-\delta}) \end{cases} \\ &= O(n^{\alpha+(1/2)-\delta}) + O(n^{\alpha-(1/2)} \cdot \log n) \end{aligned} \quad \dots(4.5)$$

Combining (4.2) - (4.5), we get

$$\sum_n \frac{|S_n|}{n} < \infty.$$

Hence the series (2.2) is summable $|C, 1|$. This completes the proof of the theorem.

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