

On the Asymptotics of the Cesaro Kernel on Unitary Groups*

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1. Introduction

Let U_n be the unitary group of order n . For $u \in L^1(U_n)$ the Fourier series, of u is (see [1])

$$u(U) \sim \sum_f N(f) \operatorname{tr}(C_f A_f(U)), U \in U_n$$

Here $N(f)$ is the order of the single-valued irreducible unitary representation $A_f(U)$ of U_n which takes $f = (f_1, \dots, f_n)$ as its label ($f_1 \geq f_2 \geq \dots \geq f_n$ all are integers), and $C_f = \frac{1}{\omega_n} \int_{U_n} u(U) A_f(U') \dot{U}$. When $n=1$ this is the classical Fourier series on T , 1-dimensional torus.

Gong Sheng [1] defined a variety of summation of Fourier series on unitary groups and a series of results of the classical Fourier analysis were extended to unitary groups. For example, he defined two types of Cesaro (C, a) summations of Fourier series on U_n , the type I and type II. Each of them is the classical Cesaro (C, a) summation of Fourier series when $n=1$.

Let $u \in L^1(U_n)$ and then the Cesaro (C, a) means of type II of its Fourier series is

$$\sigma_N^a(u, U) = \sum_{N > l_1 > \dots > l_n > -N} A_{l_1}^a \dots A_{l_n}^a N(f) \operatorname{tr}(C_f A_f(U)), \quad (1)$$

where $A_k^a = \Gamma(a + N - |k| + 1) \Gamma(N + 1) / \Gamma(a + N + 1) \Gamma(N - |k| + 1)$, $l_j = f_j - j + n$, $j = 1, \dots, n$, and $a > -1$. The kernel corresponding to summation (1) is

$$K_N^a(U) = (-i)^{n(n-1)/2} ((n-1)! \dots 2! 1!) D(e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, e^{i\theta_n})^{-1} \\ \times D\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_n}\right) (k_N^a(\theta_1) \dots k_N^a(\theta_n)),$$

where $e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, e^{i\theta_n}$ are the eigenvalues of U , $k_N^a(t)$ is the one-dimensional Cesaro kernel and

$$D(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} (x_i - x_j).$$

We call k_N^a the Cesaro-Gong kernel of type II on U_n . Therefore $\sigma_N^a(u, U) = k_N^a * u(U)$.

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In the present paper we give the sharp estimates for Lebesgue constants $\|k_N^a\|_{L^1(U_n)}$ and an application of the results to the best conditions for the norm convergence of (C, a) means on U_n which extend and improve the results in [1] and [2].

2. Main Results

Denote by ρ_N^a the norm of K_N^a in $L^1(U_n)$, $\rho_N^a = \|K_N^a\|_{L^1(U_n)}$. Set

$$J_{n,a} = \begin{cases} n(n-1)/2 - (n-2[a]-1)a - [a]([a]+1), & a \geq 0, \\ n(n-1)/2 - na, & -1 < a < 0, \end{cases}$$

$$J_n = \begin{cases} n(n-2)/4, & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ (n-1)^2/4, & \text{if } n \text{ odd,} \end{cases}$$

where $[x]$ is the largest integer $\leq x$.

Our main results are as follows.

Theorem 1 (a) Suppose a is a nonnegative integer. Then

$$\rho_N^a = \begin{cases} C_1 N^{J_n} \log N + O(N^{J_{n,a}}), & \text{if } a \leq (n-1)/2, \\ C_2 N^{J_n} \log N + O(N^{J_n}), & \text{if } a > (n-1)/2 \text{ and } n \text{ even,} \\ C_3 N^{J_n} + O(N^{J_n-1}(\log N)^3), & \text{if } a > (n-1)/2 \text{ and } n \text{ odd,} \end{cases}$$

(b) Suppose $-1 < a < 0$, then $\rho_N^a = C_4 N^{J_{n,a}} + O(N^{J_{n,a}+a} \log N)$, where C_i ($i=1, 2, 3, 4$) are the positive constants that can be determined explicitly.

In particular, when $a=0$ we obtain the asymptotics of the Dirichlet kernel D_N on U_n :

$$\|D_N\|_{L^1(U_n)} = C N^{n(n-1)/2} \log N + O(N^{n(n-1)/2})$$

Where $D_N(U) = \sum_{N > l_1 > \dots > l_n > -N} N(f) \chi_f(U)$ and χ_f is the character of A_f .

Theorem 2 Let a be not an integer and $a > 0$. Then there exist two positive constants K_1 and K_2 such that

$$K_1 N^{J_{n,a}} \leq \rho_N^a \leq K_2 N^{J_{n,a}}, \text{ if } a < [(n+1)/2],$$

$$K_2 N^{J_n} (\log N)^{\varepsilon_n} \leq \rho_N^a \leq K_2 N^{J_n} (\log N)^{\varepsilon}; \text{ if } a > [(n+1)/2].$$

3. The proofs of theorems

In order to prove our results, we need the following lemmas.

Lemma 1 Let k_N^a be the 1-dimensional Cesàro kernel and m the nonnegative integer.

(a) Suppose r is a positive integer and $r-1 < a < r$. Then for $t \in (N^{-1}, 2\pi)$ we have

$$\frac{d^m}{dt^m} k_N^a(t) = \sum_{k=0}^m N^{m-k-a} (2 \sin(t/2))^{-a-1-k} \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^k a_{kj}^{(1)} (\cos t/2)^j \right.$$

$$\times \sin\left(\left(N + \frac{a+k-j+1}{2}\right)t + \frac{(m-k-a)\pi}{2}\right) \left. \right\} + \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{j=1}^{r-1} a_{kj}^{(2)} N^{-j} (2 \sin(t/2))^{-j-k-1}$$

$$\times (\cos(t/2))^k \sin\left(\frac{j-1}{2}t + \frac{m-j-k}{2}\pi\right) + O(N^m(Nt)^{-a-1}).$$

(b) Suppose a is a nonnegative integer, $a = r-1$. Then for $t \in (N^{-1}, 2\pi)$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^m}{dt^m} k_N^a(t) &= \sum_{k=0}^m b_k N^{m-k-a} (2\sin \frac{t}{2})^{-r-k} (\cos \frac{t}{2})^k \sin\left((N + \frac{r}{2})t + \frac{m-k-a}{2}\pi\right) \\ &+ \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{j=1}^{r-1} b_{kj} N^{-j} (2\sin(t/2))^{-j-k-1} + O(N^m(Nt)^{-\min(r, m+2)}) \end{aligned}$$

(c) For $-1 < a < 0$ and $t \in (N^{-1}, 2\pi)$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^m}{dt^m} k_N^a(t) &= \Gamma(a+1) N^{m-a} \sin\left(Nt + \frac{m-1}{2}\pi\right) + \sum_{k=0}^m c_k N^{m-k-a} \\ &\times (2\sin \frac{t}{2})^{-a-k-1} \sin\left((N + \frac{a+k+1}{2})t + \frac{m-k-a}{2}\pi\right) + O(N^{m+1}(Nt)^{-1}) \end{aligned}$$

Here $a_{ij}^{(1)}$, $a_{ij}^{(2)}$, b_{ij} , b_{kj} , c_i are the constants which only depend on m and a .

Lemma 2 Let m be a nonnegative integer and set

$$\varphi_{s,a}(t) = \begin{cases} (-1)^m \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{2m+2k} \frac{(-1)^{k+j}}{(j+a+1)(2k)!} \binom{2m+2k}{j} t^{2k}, & s=2m, \\ (-1)^{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{2m+2k+2} \frac{(-1)^{k+j}}{(j+a+1)(2k+1)!} \binom{2m+2k+2}{j} t^{2k+1}, & s=2m+1. \end{cases}$$

Then for $a > -1$ we have

$$\frac{d^s}{dt^s} k_N^a(t) = \varphi_{s,a}(Nt) N^{s+1} + Q(N^s + N^{s-a}).$$

Let m be an integer and $1 \leq m \leq n+1$. Set

$$D_N^{(m)} = \{\theta = (\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n); \pi \geq \theta_n \geq \dots \geq \theta_m \geq N^{-1} \geq \theta_{m-1} \geq \dots \geq \theta_1 \geq 0\}.$$

Let $(s) = (s_1, \dots, s_n)$ be a permutation of $1, 2, \dots, n$ such that $s_{i_1} < \dots < s_{i_{r-1}}$, $s_{i_r} < \dots < s_{i_n}$, and $s_{i_k} = k$ for $k = 1, 2, \dots, m-1$. Here $\{i_1, \dots, i_{r-1}\} = \{1, 2, \dots, r-1\}$ and r is a positive integer. Set

$$I_N = N^{r-1} \int_{D_N^{(m)}} N^{-j_r - \dots - j_n} \prod_{k=1}^n (N\theta_{i_k})^{j_k} d\theta$$

where $i_k = k$ and s_{i_k} for $k = 1, 2, \dots, m-1$ and $k = m, m+1, \dots, n$ respectively, and j_k ($k = 1, 2, \dots, n$) are the integers such that $j_k \in \{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$ (for $k = 1, \dots, m-1$) $j_k < -1$ (for $k = m, m+1, \dots, r-1$), $j_k \geq -1$ (for $k = r, r+1, \dots, n$), and there exists only one $\mu \in \{r, r+1, \dots, n\}$ satisfying $j_\mu = -1$.

Lemma 3 If $s_{i_k} = k$ ($k = 1, 2, \dots, n$) and $j_r = -1$, then

$$I_N = N^{r-j_r - \dots - j_{n-1}} \int_{D_N^{(m)}} \prod_{k=1}^n (N\theta_k)^{j_k} d\theta,$$

otherwise $I_N = O(1)$.

We omit the proofs of Lemma 1 through Lemma 3 because of limited space.

Now we turn to the proofs of theorems.

Proof of Theorem 1 Let $c_n = (D(n-1, \dots, 1, 0) (2\pi)^n)^{-1}$ and $D(e^{i\theta}) = D(e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, e^{i\theta_n})$. Set

$$\tilde{K}_N^a(\theta) = D\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial\theta_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta_n}\right) \prod_{j=1}^n k_n^a(\theta_j).$$

and $D = \{\theta = (\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n); \pi \geq \theta_n \geq \dots \geq \theta_1 \geq 0\}$, $D_{i_1, \dots, i_k} = \{\theta = (\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n); 0 \leq \theta_n \leq \pi, a_{j+1} \leq \theta_j \leq \beta_{j+1}, j = 1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$, where

$$a_j = \begin{cases} 0, & j \neq i_p \\ -|\theta_j|, & j = i_p, \end{cases} \quad \beta_j = \begin{cases} 0, & j = i_p \\ |\theta_j|, & j \neq i_p, \end{cases} \quad p = 1, 2, \dots, k.$$

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_N^a &= c_n \int_{|\theta_1| < \dots < |\theta_n| < \pi} |\tilde{K}_N^a(\theta) D(e^{i\theta})| d\theta \\ &= 2c_n (I_0 + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \sum_{\substack{i_1, \dots, i_k=2 \\ i_1 < \dots < i_k}}^n I_{i_1, \dots, i_k}) \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Where

$$I_0 = \int_D |\tilde{K}_N^a(\theta) D(e^{i\theta})| d\theta, \quad I_{i_1, \dots, i_k} = \int_{D_{i_1, \dots, i_k}} |\tilde{K}_N^a(\theta) D(e^{i\theta})| d\theta.$$

Let $\tilde{\theta}_j = -\theta_j$ for $j = i_p - 1$ and $\tilde{\theta}_j = \theta_j$ for other j ($p = 1, 2, \dots, k$). Then for $\theta \in D$ we have

$$|D(e^{i\theta})| = \sum_{(j)} \delta_{j_1, \dots, j_n}^{0, \dots, n-1} (-1)^{\tau(i_1, \dots, i_k)} \prod_{s=1}^n \left(\sin \frac{\theta_s}{2}\right)^{j_s} \left(\cos \frac{\theta_s}{2}\right)^{n-1-j_s},$$

where $(j) = (j_1, \dots, j_n)$ is a permutation of $0, 1, \dots, n-1$, $\delta_{j_1, \dots, j_n}^{0, \dots, n-1}$ is the symbol of (j) ,

$$\delta_{j_1, \dots, j_n}^{0, \dots, n-1} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } (j) \text{ even,} \\ -1, & \text{if } (j) \text{ odd,} \end{cases}$$

and $\tau(i_1, \dots, i_k) = i_1 + \dots + i_k + j_{i_1} + \dots + j_{i_k} - 2k$. Therefore we obtain

$$I_{i_1, \dots, i_k} = \sum_{(j)} \delta_{j_1, \dots, j_n}^{0, \dots, n-1} (-1)^{\tau(i_1, \dots, i_k)} \sum_{m=1}^{n+1} I_{i_1, \dots, i_k}^{j_1, \dots, j_n}(m), \quad (3)$$

where

$$I_{i_1, \dots, i_k}^{j_1, \dots, j_n}(m) = \int_{D_N^{(m)}} |\tilde{K}_N^a(\tilde{\theta})| \prod_{s=1}^n \left(\sin \frac{\theta_s}{2}\right)^{j_s} \left(\cos \frac{\theta_s}{2}\right)^{n-1-j_s} d\theta$$

and $D_N^{(m)} = \{\theta \in D; \theta_m \geq N^{-1} \geq \theta_{m-1}\}$. Now we fix $k = k_0$ and set $J_N = I_{i_1, \dots, i_{k_0}}^{j_1, \dots, j_n}(m)$.

Let $a = r-1$ (r is a positive integer) and $E_l = A_l \cup B_l$ for an integer $l \geq 0$, where $A_l = \{r+k; k = 0, 1, \dots, l\}$ and $B_l = \{j+k+1; j = 1, \dots, r-1, k = 0, 1, \dots, l\}$. For $s \in E_l$ set

$$f_s^l(\theta_j) = \begin{cases} h_s^l(\theta_j), & \text{if } j \neq i_p - 1, \\ (-1)^l h_s^l(\theta_j), & \text{if } j = i_p - 1, p = 1, \dots, k_0, \end{cases}$$

$$g_l(\theta_j) = \begin{cases} \varphi_{l,r-1}(\theta_j), & \text{if } l \text{ even,} \\ \psi_{l-1,r-1}(\theta_j), & \text{if } l \text{ odd,} \end{cases}$$

where

$$h_s^l(t) = \begin{cases} \sin((N+r/2)t + (l-s+1)\pi/2)(\cos(t/2))^k, & \text{if } s=r+k \in A_l, \\ \sin((j-1)t/2 + (1-s+1)\pi/2)(\cos(t/2))^k, & \text{if } s=j+k+1 \in B_l, \end{cases}$$

$$\psi_{l,r-1}(\theta_j) = \begin{cases} \varphi_{l,r-1}(\theta_j), & \text{if } j \neq i_p - 1, \\ -\varphi_{l,r-1}(\theta_j), & \text{if } j = i_p - 1, p=1, 2, \dots, k_0. \end{cases}$$

By Lemma 1 and Lemma 2 we have

$$J_N = J_N(j_1, \dots, j_n, m) = N^{n(n+1)/2} \int_{D_N^{(m)}} \left| \sum_{(l)} \delta_{l_1, \dots, l_n}^{0, \dots, n-1} \prod_{i=1}^{n-1} g_{l_i}(N\theta_i) \theta_i^{j_i} \right. \\ \times \prod_{i=m}^n \sum_{s \in E_{l_i}} a_s N^{-s-s'} f_{s_i}^{l_i}(\theta_i) (2\sin \frac{\theta_i}{2})^{-s+j_i} (\cos \frac{\theta_i}{2})^{n-1-j_i} d\theta \\ \left. + O(N^{J_{n,n-1}} \log N + N^{J_{n,n-1}} \log N) \right|, \quad (4)$$

where $s' = i - k$ if $s = i + k + 1 \in B_l$ for some $i \in \{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$ otherwise $s' = 0$.

Suppose $r \leq (n+1)/2$ and choose $m \leq r$. Let $(\mu) = (\mu_1, \dots, \mu_{r-m})$ denote the permutation of $m, m+1, \dots, r-1$ and $(v) = (v_1, \dots, v_{n-r})$ the permutation of $r+1, \dots, n$. Denote by E_{mqi} the set of all permutations $(j), (l), (\mu), (v)$ such that $\{j_1, \dots, j_{r-1}\} = \{0, 1, \dots, r-2\}$, $j_r = r-1$, $l_{\mu_s} - j_{\mu_s} > -1$ (for $s=1, 2, \dots, n-q-r-m+2$), $l_{v_s} - j_{v_s} < -1$ (for $s=1, 2, \dots, i$), and $\{l_{v_1}, \dots, l_{v_i}\} = \{0, 1, \dots, i-1\}$, $l_r = r-2$ when $i = r-2$, where $i = r-2, r-1$ and $q = n-2r+2, \dots, n-r-m+2$. In addition, for $(l), (j), (\mu), (v) \in E_{mqi}$ we set

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{S}_{(j), (l), (q)}(t_1, \dots, t_r) &= \psi_{il_r}(t_r) \prod_{\lambda=1}^m g_{l_\lambda}(t_\lambda) t_\lambda^{j_\lambda} \\ &\times \prod_{\lambda=1}^{n-q-r-m+2} \sum_{\sigma_\lambda=1}^{r-1} a_{\sigma_\lambda}^{(1)}((l), (\mu), q) t_{\mu_\lambda}^{s_1(\mu_\lambda)} \prod_{\lambda=n-q-r-m+3}^{r-m} \sum_{\tau_\lambda=0}^{l_{\mu_\lambda}} a_{\tau_\lambda}^{(2)}((l), (\mu), q) \\ &\times \sin(t_{\mu_\lambda} + (l_{\mu_\lambda} - \tau_\lambda + r + 1)\pi/2) t_{\mu_\lambda}^{s_2(\mu_\lambda)} \\ \eta_{(v), (l), (q)}(y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n; z_{r+1}, \dots, z_n) &= \prod_{\lambda=1}^i \sum_{\tau_\lambda=0}^{l_{v_\lambda}} a_{\tau_\lambda}^{(3)}((l), (v), q) \\ &\times (\cos \frac{z_{v_\lambda}}{4})^{n-3-s_3(v_\lambda)} (2\sin \frac{z_{v_\lambda}}{4})^{s_3(v_\lambda)} \prod_{\lambda=i+1}^{n-r} a_{\lambda}^{(4)}((l), (v), q) \\ &\times (\cos \frac{z_{v_\lambda}}{4})^{n-1-r-s_4(v_\lambda)} (2\sin \frac{z_{v_\lambda}}{4})^{s_4(v_\lambda)} \sin(y_{v_\lambda} + \frac{\pi}{2}(l_{v_\lambda} - r + 1) + \frac{r z_{v_\lambda}}{4}), \end{aligned}$$

where $s_1(\mu_\lambda) = j_{\mu_\lambda} - \sigma_\lambda + l_{\mu_\lambda} - 1$, $s_2(\mu_\lambda) = j_{\mu_\lambda} - \tau_\lambda + r$, $s_3(v_\lambda) = j_{v_\lambda} - \tau_\lambda - 2$, $s_4(v_\lambda) = j_{v_\lambda} - r$, and

$$\psi_{i, l_r}(t) = \begin{cases} h_{i_1, \dots, i_{k_0}}(r) \sin(t + \frac{\pi}{2}(l_r - r + 1)), & \text{if } i = r-1, l_r \geq r-1, \\ h_{i_1, \dots, i_{k_0}}(r), & \text{if } i = l_r = r-2, \\ 0, & \text{for other } i, l_r, \end{cases}$$

$$h_{i_1 \dots i_k}(s) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } s \neq i_p - 1, \\ (-1)^{l_p}, & \text{if } s = i_p - 1, \quad p = 1, 2, \dots, k_0. \end{cases}$$

Now replace θ_k by $t_k = N\theta_k$ for $k = 1, 2, \dots, r$. By Lemma 3 and (4) we can show that

$$J_N = N^{J_{n,0}} \int_{D_N} \zeta(t_1, \dots, t_r; N\theta_{r+1}, \dots, N\theta_n; 2\theta_{r+1}, \dots, 2\theta_n) \\ t_r^{-1} dt_1 \dots dt_r d\theta_{r+1} \dots d\theta_n + O(N^{J_{n,0}}), \quad (5)$$

Here $D_N = \{(t_1, \dots, t_r, \theta_{r+1}, \dots, \theta_n); 0 \leq t_1 \leq \dots \leq t_{m-1} \leq 1 \leq t_m \leq \dots \leq t_{r-1}, 1 \leq t_r \leq N\pi, N^{-1} \leq \theta_{r+1} \leq \dots \leq \theta_n \leq \pi\}$, χ_E is the characteristic function of the set E , and

$$\zeta(x_1, \dots, x_r; y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n; z_{r+1}, \dots, z_n) = \\ = \left| \sum_{(l), (\mu), (v)} \delta_{l_1 \dots l_n}^{0 \dots n-1} \sum_{q=n-2r+2}^{n-r-m+2} \sum_{i=r-2}^{r-1} \chi_{E_{mq}}((j), (l), (\mu), (v)) \right. \\ \left. \xi_{(\mu)(l)qi}(x_1, \dots, x_r) \eta_{(v)(l)qi}(y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n; z_{r+1}, \dots, z_n) \right|.$$

Denote by $t_r^{-1} \varphi_N(t_1, \dots, t_r, \theta_{r+1}, \dots, \theta_n)$ the integrand of the integral in (5) and set

$$\psi_N(t_r) = \int_{D_r \cup D'_N} \varphi_N(t_1, \dots, t_r, \theta_{r+1}, \dots, \theta_n) dt_1 \dots dt_{r-1} d\theta_{r+1} \dots d\theta_n$$

where $D_r = \{(t_1, \dots, t_{r-1}); 0 \leq t_1 \leq \dots \leq t_{m-1} \leq 1 \leq t_m \leq \dots \leq t_{r-1}\}$ and $D'_N = \{(\theta_{r+1}, \dots, \theta_n); N^{-1} \leq \theta_{r+1} \leq \dots \leq \theta_n \leq \pi\}$. Then ψ_N is a 2π -periodic continuous function on $[0, +\infty)$.

Therefore we obtain

$$J_N = \left(\int_0^{2\pi} \psi_N(t) dt \right) N^{J_{n,0}} \log N + O(N^{J_{n,0}}). \quad (6)$$

Set

$$F_N(t_1, \dots, t_r) = \int_{D'_N} \varphi_N(t_1, \dots, t_r, \theta_{r+1}, \dots, \theta_n) d\theta_{r+1} \dots d\theta_n. \quad (7)$$

Then

$$\psi_N(t) = \int_{D_r} F_N(t_1, \dots, t_{r-1}, t) dt_1 \dots dt_{r-1}, \quad t \in [0, 2\pi]. \quad (8)$$

In the integral expression of F_N we replace $N\theta_j$ by $x_j (j = r+1, \dots, n)$ and we obtain

$$F_N(t_1, \dots, t_r) = 2^{r-n} \int_0^{2\pi} \dots \int_0^{2\pi} \tilde{\varphi}_N(t_1, \dots, t_r, y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n) \\ + O(N^{-1} \xi(t_1, \dots, t_r)),$$

where

$$\tilde{\varphi}_N(t_1, \dots, t_r, y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n) = \\ = \left[\frac{N}{2} \right]^{r-n} \sum_{i_n=1}^{[N/2]-1} \sum_{i_{n-1}=1}^{i_n-1} \dots \sum_{i_{r+1}=1}^{i_{r+2}-1} \zeta(t_1, \dots, t_r; y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n; a_N(y_{r+1}, i_{r+1}), \dots, a_N(y_n, i_n))$$

$$\xi(t_1, \dots, t_r) = \sum_{(l), (\mu)} \sum_{q=n-2r+2}^{n-r-m+2} \sum_{i=r-2}^{r-1} |\xi_{(\mu)(l)qi}(t_1, \dots, t_r)|$$

and $a_N(y_s, i_s) = [N/2]^{-1} (y_s + 2\pi i_s) (s = r+1, \dots, n)$.

In the other hand, we take the following function

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\varphi}(t_1, \dots, t_r, y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n) &= \\ &= (2\pi)^{r-n} \int_{2\pi > z_n > \dots > z_{r+1} > 0} \dots \int \zeta(t_1, \dots, t_r, y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n; z_{r+1}, \dots, z_n) dz_{r+1} \dots dz_n.\end{aligned}$$

Then there exist $\beta_N(i_s) \in [(N/2)^{-1}2\pi i_s, (N/2)^{-1}2\pi(i_s+1)]$ ($s = r+1, \dots, n$) such that

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\varphi}(t_1, \dots, t_r, y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n) &= \\ &= \left[\frac{N}{2}\right]^{r-n} \sum_{i_s=1}^{[N/2]} \sum_{i_{s+1}=1}^{i_s-1} \dots \sum_{i_n=1}^{i_{n-1}-1} \zeta(t_1, \dots, t_r, y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n; \beta_N(i_{r+1}), \dots, \beta_N(i_n)) \\ &\quad + O(N^{-1} \zeta(t_1, \dots, t_r)).\end{aligned}$$

Therefore we have

$$\tilde{\varphi}_N(t_1, \dots, t_r, y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n) - \tilde{\varphi}(t_1, \dots, t_r, y_{r+1}, \dots, y_n) = O(N^{-1} \zeta(t_1, \dots, t_r)), \quad (9)$$

and for $1 \leq m \leq r, j_r = r-1, \{j_1, \dots, j_{r-1}\} = \{0, 1, \dots, r-2\}$,

$$J_N = I_{i_1, \dots, i_k}^{j_1, \dots, j_n}(m) = C_{m, k_0} N^{J_{n, k}} \log N + O(N^{J_{n, k}}),$$

here

$$C_{m, k_0} = \int_{\mathcal{A}_n^{(m)}} \tilde{\varphi}(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \dots dt_n$$

and $\mathcal{A}_n^{(m)} = \{(t_1, \dots, t_n); 0 \leq t_1 \leq \dots \leq t_{m-1} \leq 1 \leq t_m \leq \dots \leq t_{r-1}, 0 \leq t_r, \dots, t_n \leq 2\pi\}$. Thus we complete the proof of assertion (a) for $a \leq (n-1)/2$ from (2), (3), and (6)–(9).

The rest of Theorem 1 can be proved similarly.

Proof of Theorem 2 From (2) we can see

$$\rho_N^a \geq \int_{D_N^{(m)}} |\tilde{K}_N^a(\theta) D(e^{i\theta})| d\theta, \quad m = 1, 2, \dots, n+1.$$

Suppose $a < [(n+1)/2]$, then choose $m = [a] + 2$. By the argument similar to the proof of Theorem 1 we can obtain

$$\int_{D_N^{(m)}} |\tilde{K}_N^a(\theta) D(e^{i\theta})| d\theta = C N^{J_{n, k}} + O(N^{J_{n, k}-1} \log N)$$

Therefore there exists a positive constant A such that $\rho_N^a \geq A N^{J_{n, k}}$. This completes the proof of the estimate from below for $a < [(n+1)/2]$. For $a > [(n+1)/2]$ choose $m = [(n+1)/2] + 1$. Then the same argument gives the estimate from below for $a > [(n+1)/2]$. The upper estimates in Theorem 2 follow from our lemmas. The proof of Theorem 2 is completed.

4. An Application

The sharp estimates of the previous theorems allow us to obtain the best conditions for the norm convergence of the Cesaro means of type II in the space $E = C(U_n)$ or $E = L^1(U_n)$.

Let u_n be the Lie algebra of U_n . For $u \in E$ and $X \in u_n$ we define

$$Xu(V) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(V \exp tX) - u(V)}{t}, \quad V \in U_n$$

as the Lie derivative of u in the sense of the norm of E . Set $E^{(0)} = E$, and

$$E^{(s)} = \{ \varphi \in E; X\varphi \in E^{(s-1)}, X \in u_n \}$$

for a positive integer s . let $\omega_k(t, u, E)$ denote the modulus of continuity of u in E , defined by

$$\omega_k(t, u, E) = \text{Sup} \{ \| \Delta_{U^j}^k u \|_E; d(I, U) \leq t \}$$

Here d denotes the geodesic distance on U_n and, for $U, V \in U_n$, and a positive integer k ,

$$\Delta_{U^j}^k u(V) = \sum_{j=0}^k (-1)^{k-j} \binom{k}{j} u(U^{-j}V)$$

Finally if $X_1, \dots, X_{n^2}$ is a basis for u_n we define

$$\omega_k(t, u^{(s)}, E) = \sum_{i_1, \dots, i_s=1}^{n^2} \omega_k(t, X_{i_1} \dots X_{i_s} u, E).$$

Applying the previous theorems and similar to [3] we can obtain the following result.

Proposition (a) Let $u \in E^{(s)}$. If either of the following conditions is satisfied,

$$(i) \quad [a] \leq (n-1)/2 \text{ and } \omega_2(t, u^{(s)}, E) = O(t^{J_{n,a}} |\log t|^{-\sigma_a}),$$

$$(ii) \quad [a] > (n-1)/2 \text{ and } \omega_2(t, u^{(s)}, E) = O(t^{J_n} |\log t|^{-\varepsilon_n}), t \rightarrow 0^+,$$

then $\sigma_N^a(u) \rightarrow u$ in E as $N \rightarrow +\infty$. Here $\varepsilon_n = 1$ if n even otherwise $\varepsilon_n = 0$; $\sigma_a = 1$ if a is a nonnegative integer otherwise $\sigma_a = 0$.

(b) There exists a central function $u_a \in E^{(s)}$ for each $a > -1$, where s is the largest integer smaller than $\lambda_{n,a}$, such that $\omega_2(t, u_a^{(s)}, E) = O(t^{\lambda_{n,a}} |\log t|^{-\varepsilon_{n,a}})$ as $t \rightarrow 0$ but $\sigma_N^a(u_a)$ does not converge to u_a in E . Here $\lambda_{n,a}$ denotes $J_{n,a}$ and $J_{n,a}$ denotes σ_a and ε_n , for $[a] \leq (n-1)/2$ and $[a] > (n-1)/2$ respectively.

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酉群上 Fourier 级数的 Cesàro 求和

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摘要 设 u_n 为 n 阶酉群. $u \in L^1(U_n)$ 的 Fourier 级数的第二型 Cesàro 平均为 $\sigma_N^a(u, U) = K_N^a * u(U)$, 其中

$$K_N^a(U) = \sum_{N > l_1 > \dots > l_s > -N} A_{l_1}^a \dots A_{l_s}^a N(f) \chi_f(U), U \in U_n$$

为相应的核函数. 本文给出“Lebesgue 常数” $\|K_N^a\|_{L^1(U_n)}$ 的精确估计, 并由此建立了酉群上函数的 Fourier 级数按第二型 Cesàro 求和收敛于自身的条件.