

A NEW GENERALIZATION ON ABSOLUTE MATRIX SUMMABILITY FACTORS OF FOURIER SERIES

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, two theorems for $|A, p_n; \delta|_k$ summability which generalize recent theorems on $|A, p_n|_k$ summability of Fourier series have been proved. This work also reveals many factor theorems for other summability methods.

1. INTRODUCTION

Let $\sum a_n$ be a given infinite series with the partial sums (s_n) . We denote by u_n^α and t_n^α the n -th Cesàro means of order α , with $\alpha > -1$, of the sequence (s_n) and (na_n) , respectively, that is

$$u_n^\alpha = \frac{1}{A_n^\alpha} \sum_{v=0}^n A_{n-v}^{\alpha-1} s_v, \quad t_n^\alpha = \frac{1}{A_n^\alpha} \sum_{v=0}^n A_{n-v}^{\alpha-1} v a_v \quad (1.1)$$

where

$$A_n^\alpha = O(n^\alpha), \quad \alpha > -1, \quad A_0^\alpha = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad A_{-n}^\alpha = 0 \quad \text{for} \quad n > 0. \quad (1.2)$$

A series $\sum a_n$ is said to be summable $|C, \alpha; \delta|_k$, $k \geq 1$ and $\delta \geq 0$, if (see [9])

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{\delta k-1} |t_n^\alpha|^k < \infty. \quad (1.3)$$

If we take $\delta = 0$, then we get $|C, \alpha|_k$ summability (see [8],[11]).

Let (p_n) be a sequence of positive numbers such that

$$P_n = \sum_{v=0}^n p_v \rightarrow \infty \quad \text{as} \quad n \rightarrow \infty, \quad (P_{-i} = p_{-i} = 0, \quad i \geq 1). \quad (1.4)$$

The sequence-to-sequence transformation

$$\sigma_n = \frac{1}{P_n} \sum_{v=0}^n p_v s_v \quad (1.5)$$

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defines the sequence (σ_n) of the (\bar{N}, p_n) mean of the sequence (s_n) , generated by the sequence of coefficients (p_n) (see [10]).

The series $\sum a_n$ is said to be summable $|\bar{N}, p_n; \delta|_k$, $k \geq 1$ and $\delta \geq 0$, if (see [4])

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k + k - 1} |\Delta \sigma_{n-1}|^k < \infty, \quad (1.6)$$

where

$$\Delta \sigma_{n-1} = -\frac{p_n}{P_n P_{n-1}} \sum_{v=1}^n P_{v-1} a_v, \quad n \geq 1.$$

In the special case, when $p_n = 1$ for all values of n , (*resp.* $\delta = 0$), $|\bar{N}, p_n; \delta|_k$ summability is the same as $|C, 1; \delta|_k$ (*resp.* $|\bar{N}, p_n|_k$) summability (see [1]). Also, if we take $\delta = 0$, $k = 1$ and $p_n = \frac{1}{n+1}$ (*resp.* $k = 1$ and $\delta = 0$) summability $|\bar{N}, p_n; \delta|_k$ becomes $|R, \log n, 1|$ (*resp.* $|\bar{N}, p_n|$) summability.

Let f be a periodic function with period 2π , and integrable (L) over $(-\pi, \pi)$. Without loss of generality we may assume that the constant term in the Fourier series of f is zero, so that

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) dt = 0, \quad (1.7)$$

$$f(t) \sim \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nt + b_n \sin nt) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n(t),$$

where (a_n) and (b_n) denote the Fourier coefficients.

We write

$$\varphi(t) = \frac{1}{2} \{f(x+t) + f(x-t)\}, \quad \text{and} \quad \varphi_{\alpha}(t) = \frac{\alpha}{t^{\alpha}} \int_0^t (t-u)^{\alpha-1} \varphi(u) du, \quad (\alpha > 0). \quad (1.8)$$

Given a normal matrix $A = (a_{nv})$, we associate two lower semimatrices $\bar{A} = (\bar{a}_{nv})$ and $\hat{A} = (\hat{a}_{nv})$ as follows:

$$\bar{a}_{nv} = \sum_{i=v}^n a_{ni}, \quad n, v = 0, 1, \dots \quad (1.9)$$

and

$$\hat{a}_{00} = \bar{a}_{00} = a_{00}, \quad \hat{a}_{nv} = \bar{a}_{nv} - \bar{a}_{n-1, v}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots \quad (1.10)$$

Then A defines the sequence-to-sequence transformation, mapping the sequence $s = (s_n)$ to $As = (A_n(s))$, where

$$A_n(s) = \sum_{v=0}^n a_{nv} s_v, \quad n = 0, 1, \dots \quad (1.11)$$

It may be noted that \bar{A} and \hat{A} are the well-known matrices of series-to-sequence and series-to-series transformations, respectively. Then, we have

$$\begin{aligned} A_n(s) &= \sum_{v=0}^n a_{nv} s_v = \sum_{v=0}^n a_{nv} \sum_{i=0}^v a_i = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i \sum_{v=i}^n a_{nv} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n a_i \bar{a}_{ni} = \sum_{v=0}^n \bar{a}_{nv} a_v. \end{aligned} \tag{1.12}$$

Since $\bar{a}_{n-1,n} = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} a_{n-1,i} = 0$,

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\Delta}A_n(s) &= A_n(s) - A_{n-1}(s) = \sum_{v=0}^n \bar{a}_{nv} a_v - \sum_{v=0}^{n-1} \bar{a}_{n-1,v} a_v \\ &= \sum_{v=0}^n (\bar{a}_{nv} - \bar{a}_{n-1,v}) a_v + \bar{a}_{n-1,n} a_n = \sum_{v=0}^n \hat{a}_{nv} a_v. \end{aligned} \tag{1.13}$$

The series $\sum a_n$ is said to be summable $|A, p_n; \delta|_k$, $k \geq 1$ and $\delta \geq 0$, if (see [13])

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k + k - 1} |\bar{\Delta}A_n(s)|^k < \infty, \tag{1.14}$$

where

$$\bar{\Delta}A_n(s) = A_n(s) - A_{n-1}(s). \tag{1.15}$$

In the special case, if we set $\delta = 0$, then we obtain $|A, p_n|_k$ summability (see [15]). If we take $a_{nv} = \frac{p_v}{P_n}$ and $\delta = 0$, then $|A, p_n; \delta|_k$ summability reduces to $|\bar{N}, p_n|_k$ summability. Furthermore, if we take $\delta = 0$ and $p_n = 1$ for all n , $|A, p_n; \delta|_k$ summability is the same as $|A|_k$ summability (see [16]) and if we take $a_{nv} = \frac{p_v}{P_n}$, then $|A|_k$ summability is the same as $|R, p_n|_k$ summability (see [3]). Finally, if we take $a_{nv} = \frac{p_v}{P_n}$, then $|A, p_n; \delta|_k$ summability is the same as $|\bar{N}, p_n; \delta|_k$ summability.

2. THE KNOWN RESULTS

Several authors have studied on absolute summability factors of Fourier series (see [5]-[7], [14], [17]-[19]). Recently, in [17], Yıldız has generalized two theorems of Bor (see [2]) for the $|A, p_n|_k$ summability method in the following form;

Theorem 2.1. *Let there be sequences (p_n) and (λ_n) such that*

$$P_n = O(np_n) \tag{2.1}$$

$$P_n \Delta p_n = O(p_n p_{n+1}) \tag{2.2}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} |\lambda_n|^k < \infty \tag{2.3}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\Delta \lambda_n| < \infty, \tag{2.4}$$

and let $A = (a_{nv})$ be a positive normal matrix such that

$$\bar{a}_{no} = 1, \quad n = 0, 1, \dots, \quad (2.5)$$

$$a_{n-1,v} \geq a_{nv}, \quad \text{for } n \geq v + 1, \quad (2.6)$$

$$a_{nn} = O\left(\frac{p_n}{P_n}\right), \quad (2.7)$$

$$\hat{a}_{n,v+1} = O(v|\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv})|). \quad (2.8)$$

If $\varphi_1(t)$ is of bounded variation in $(0, \pi)$, then the series $\sum C_n(t) \frac{\lambda_n P_n}{np_n}$ is summable $|A, p_n|_k$, $k \geq 1$.

Theorem 2.2. *If the conditions (2.1)–(2.8) of Theorem 2.1 and*

$$B_n \equiv \sum_{v=1}^n va_v = O(n), \quad n \rightarrow \infty, \quad (2.9)$$

are satisfied, then the series $\sum a_n \frac{\lambda_n P_n}{np_n}$ is summable $|A, p_n|_k$, $k \geq 1$.

3. THE MAIN RESULTS

The aim of this paper is to generalize Theorem 2.1 and Theorem 2.2 for the $|A, p_n; \delta|_k$ summability method. Now, we shall prove the following theorems.

Theorem 3.1. *Let $\varphi_1(t)$ be of bounded variation in $(0, \pi)$. If the conditions (2.1)–(2.2) of Theorem 2.1 are satisfied, and if $A = (a_{nv})$ is a positive normal matrix satisfying conditions (2.5)–(2.8) of Theorem 2.1, and also*

$$\sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k} |\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv})| = O\left\{\left(\frac{P_v}{p_v}\right)^{\delta k-1}\right\} \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty, \quad (3.1)$$

$$\sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}| = O\left\{\left(\frac{P_v}{p_v}\right)^{\delta k}\right\} \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty. \quad (3.2)$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^m \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k} \frac{|\lambda_n|^k}{n} = O(1) \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty, \quad (3.3)$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^m \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k} |\Delta \lambda_n| = O(1) \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty, \quad (3.4)$$

then the series $\sum C_n(t) \frac{\lambda_n P_n}{np_n}$ is summable $|A, p_n; \delta|_k$ for $k \geq 1$ and $0 \leq \delta < 1/k$.

Remark. It should be noted that if we take $\delta = 0$ in this theorem, then the conditions (3.3) and (3.4) are satisfied by a hypotheses of the Theorem 2.1. Also in this case condition (3.1) and (3.2) are obvious.

Theorem 3.2. *If the conditions (2.1)–(2.2) and (2.5)–(2.8) of Theorem 2.1, and condition (2.9) of Theorem 2.2 and also conditions (3.1)–(3.4) of Theorem 3.1 are satisfied, then the series $\sum a_n \frac{\lambda_n P_n}{np_n}$ is summable $|A, p_n; \delta|_k$ for $k \geq 1$ and $0 \leq \delta < 1/k$.*

We need the following lemmas for the proof of Theorem 3.1 and Theorem 3.2.

Lemma 3.3. [12] *If $\varphi_1(t)$ is of bounded variation in $(0, \pi)$ for any $x \in (-\pi, \pi)$, then*

$$\sum_{v=1}^n vC_v(x) = O(n) \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty. \quad (3.5)$$

Lemma 3.4. [2] *If the sequence (p_n) such that conditions (2.1) and (2.2) of Theorem 2.1 are satisfied, then*

$$\Delta \left\{ \frac{P_n}{p_n n^2} \right\} = O \left(\frac{1}{n^2} \right). \quad (3.6)$$

4. PROOF OF THEOREM 3.2

Proof. Let (V_n) denotes the A-transform of the series $\sum a_n P_n \lambda_n (np_n)^{-1}$. Then, by (1.12) and (1.13)

$$\begin{aligned} V_n &= \sum_{v=0}^n \bar{a}_{nv} a_v P_v \lambda_v (vp_v)^{-1} \\ \bar{\Delta} V_n &= V_n - V_{n-1} = \sum_{v=0}^n \hat{a}_{nv} a_v P_v \lambda_v (vp_v)^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

and since $\hat{a}_{n0} = \bar{a}_{n0} - \bar{a}_{n-1,0} = 0$ we get

$$\bar{\Delta} V_n = \sum_{v=1}^n \hat{a}_{nv} a_v P_v \lambda_v (vp_v)^{-1}.$$

Applying Abel's transformation to this sum and by condition (2.9), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\Delta} V_n &= \sum_{v=1}^n \hat{a}_{nv} a_v P_v \lambda_v (vp_v)^{-1} = \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \Delta_v \left(\frac{\hat{a}_{nv} P_v \lambda_v}{v^2 p_v} \right) \sum_{r=1}^v r a_r + \frac{\hat{a}_{nn} P_n \lambda_n}{n^2 p_n} \sum_{r=1}^n r a_r \\ &= \left\{ \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \frac{\Delta_v (\hat{a}_{nv}) P_v \lambda_v}{v^2 p_v} + \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \frac{\hat{a}_{n,v+1} P_v}{v^2 p_v} \Delta \lambda_v + \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \hat{a}_{n,v+1} \lambda_{v+1} \Delta_v \left(\frac{P_v}{v^2 p_v} \right) \right\} \sum_{r=1}^v r a_r \\ &\quad + \frac{\hat{a}_{nn} P_n \lambda_n}{n^2 p_n} \sum_{r=1}^n r a_r \\ &= \frac{\hat{a}_{nn} P_n \lambda_n}{n^2 p_n} B_n + \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \frac{\Delta_v (\hat{a}_{nv}) P_v \lambda_v}{v^2 p_v} B_v + \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \hat{a}_{n,v+1} \lambda_{v+1} \Delta_v \left(\frac{P_v}{v^2 p_v} \right) B_v + \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \frac{\hat{a}_{n,v+1} P_v}{v^2 p_v} \Delta \lambda_v B_v \\ &= V_{n,1} + V_{n,2} + V_{n,3} + V_{n,4}. \end{aligned}$$

To complete the proof of Theorem 3.2, by Minkowski inequality, it is sufficient to show that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k + k - 1} |V_{n,r}|^k < \infty, \quad \text{for } r = 1, 2, 3, 4. \quad (4.1)$$

Firstly, since $a_{nn} = O\left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)$, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^m \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} |V_{n,1}|^k &= \sum_{n=1}^m \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} \left| \frac{a_{nn} \lambda_n P_n}{n^2 p_n} B_n \right|^k \\ &= O(1) \sum_{n=1}^m \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} |\lambda_n|^k |B_n|^k \frac{1}{n^{2k}} = O(1) \sum_{n=1}^m \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k} \frac{|\lambda_n|^k}{n^k} n^{k-1} \\ &= O(1) \sum_{n=1}^m \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k} \frac{|\lambda_n|^k}{n} = O(1) \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty, \end{aligned}$$

by conditions (2.9) and (3.3). Now, applying Hölder's inequality, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} |V_{n,2}|^k &= \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv}) \frac{P_v \lambda_v}{v^2 p_v} B_v \right|^k \\ &= O(1) \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} \left\{ \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv})| \left(\frac{P_v}{v^2 p_v}\right)^k |\lambda_v|^k |B_v|^k \right\} \times \left\{ \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv})| \right\}^{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

By the definitions of \bar{A} and \hat{A} matrices of series-to-sequence and series-to-series transformations

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv}) &= \hat{a}_{nv} - \hat{a}_{n,v+1} = \bar{a}_{nv} - \bar{a}_{n-1,v} - \bar{a}_{n,v+1} + \bar{a}_{n-1,v+1} \\ &= \sum_{i=v}^n a_{ni} - \sum_{i=v}^{n-1} a_{n-1,i} - \sum_{i=v+1}^n a_{ni} + \sum_{i=v+1}^{n-1} a_{n-1,i} = a_{nv} - a_{n-1,v}, \end{aligned} \quad (4.2)$$

and since $a_{n-1,v} \geq a_{nv}$, $\bar{a}_{n0} = 1$ we get

$$\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv})| = \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} (a_{n-1,v} - a_{nv}) = 1 - a_{n-1,0} - 1 + a_{n0} + a_{nn} \leq a_{nn}. \quad (4.3)$$

By using conditions (2.7), (3.1), (4.2), (4.3) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} |V_{n,2}|^k &= O(1) \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} a_{nn}^{k-1} \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv})| \left(\frac{P_v}{v^2 p_v}\right)^k |\lambda_v|^k |B_v|^k \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |\lambda_v|^k |B_v|^k \left(\frac{P_v}{v^2 p_v}\right)^k \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k} |\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv})|, \end{aligned}$$

and using condition (2.9) and (3.3), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} |V_{n,2}|^k &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |\lambda_v|^k |B_v|^k \left(\frac{P_v}{v^2 p_v}\right)^k \left(\frac{P_v}{p_v}\right)^{\delta k-1} \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \left(\frac{P_v}{p_v}\right)^{\delta k} \frac{|\lambda_v|^k}{v} = O(1) \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, since $\Delta \left\{ \frac{P_v}{v^2 p_v} \right\} = O\left(\frac{1}{v^2}\right)$ by Lemma 3.4, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} |V_{n,3}|^k &= \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}| |\lambda_{v+1}| \Delta_v \left(\frac{P_v}{v^2 p_v} \right) B_v \right|^k \\ &= O(1) \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} \left\{ \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}| |\lambda_{v+1}|^k \frac{1}{v} \right\} \times \left\{ \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \frac{|\hat{a}_{n,v+1}|}{v} \right\}^{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

By using $\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv}) = \hat{a}_{nv} - \hat{a}_{n,v+1}$, $\hat{a}_{n,v+1} = \bar{a}_{n,v+1} - \bar{a}_{n-1,v+1}$ and virtue of the hypotheses of Theorem 2.1 we get, $\hat{a}_{n,v+1} = O(v|\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv})|)$. By using this condition, and condition (4.3), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} |V_{n,3}|^k &= O(1) \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} \left\{ \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}| |\lambda_{v+1}|^k \frac{1}{v} \right\} \times \left\{ \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\Delta_v(\hat{a}_{nv})| \right\}^{k-1} \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |\lambda_{v+1}|^k \frac{1}{v} \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}|, \end{aligned}$$

and conditions (3.2) and (3.3), we get

$$\sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} |V_{n,3}|^k = O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \left(\frac{P_v}{p_v} \right)^{\delta k} \frac{|\lambda_{v+1}|^k}{v} = O(1) \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty$$

Finally, using condition (2.1) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} |V_{n,4}|^k &= \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \frac{\hat{a}_{n,v+1} P_v}{v^2 p_v} \Delta \lambda_v B_v \right|^k \\ &= O(1) \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} \left| \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} \frac{\hat{a}_{n,v+1}}{v} \Delta \lambda_v B_v \right|^k \\ &= O(1) \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n} \right)^{\delta k+k-1} \left\{ \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}| |\Delta \lambda_v| \frac{|B_v|^k}{v^k} \right\} \times \left\{ \sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}| |\Delta \lambda_v| \right\}^{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

By using conditions (2.5), (2.6), we get, for $1 \leq v \leq n-1$,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{a}_{n,v+1} &= \bar{a}_{n,v+1} - \bar{a}_{n-1,v+1} = \sum_{i=v+1}^n a_{ni} - \sum_{i=v+1}^{n-1} a_{n-1,i} \\ &= 1 - \sum_{i=0}^v a_{ni} - 1 + \sum_{i=0}^v a_{n-1,i} = \sum_{i=0}^v (a_{n-1,i} - a_{ni}) \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (a_{n-1,i} - a_{ni}) = 1 - 1 + a_{nn} = a_{nn} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\sum_{i=0}^v (a_{n-1,i} - a_{ni}) \geq 0 \tag{4.4}$$

By condition (2.5), $\bar{a}_{n0} = 1$, and

$$\hat{a}_{n,v+1} = \sum_{i=0}^v (a_{n-1,i} - a_{ni}) \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (a_{n-1,i} - a_{ni}) = 1 - 1 + a_{nn} = a_{nn},$$

we have

$$\sum_{v=1}^{n-1} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}| |\Delta\lambda_v| = O(a_{nn}). \quad (4.5)$$

By using condition (2.7), (2.9), (3.2), (3.4), (4.4), (4.5), also we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=2}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} |V_{n,4}|^k &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |\Delta\lambda_v| \frac{|B_v|^k}{v^k} \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k+k-1} a_{nn}^{k-1} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}| \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m |\Delta\lambda_v| \frac{|B_v|^k}{v^k} \sum_{n=v+1}^{m+1} \left(\frac{P_n}{p_n}\right)^{\delta k} |\hat{a}_{n,v+1}| \\ &= O(1) \sum_{v=1}^m \left(\frac{P_v}{p_v}\right)^{\delta k} |\Delta\lambda_v| = O(1) \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 3.2. \square

5. PROOF OF THEOREM 3.1

Theorem 3.1 is a direct consequence of Theorem 3.2 and Lemma 3.3.

Corollary 5.1. *If we take $\delta = 0$ in Theorem 3.1 and Theorem 3.2, then we get two theorems dealing with $|A, p_n|_k$ summability factors of Fourier series.*

Corollary 5.2. *If we take $a_{nv} = \frac{p_v}{P_n}$ and $p_n = 1$ for all values of n (resp. $a_{nv} = \frac{p_v}{P_n}$ and $\delta = 0$) in Theorem 3.1 and Theorem 3.2, then we get new results concerning the $|C, 1; \delta|_k$ (resp. $|\bar{N}, p_n|_k$) summability method of Fourier series.*

Corollary 5.3. *If we take $a_{nv} = \frac{p_v}{P_n}$ in Theorem 3.1 and Theorem 3.2, then we obtain a new theorem dealing with $|\bar{N}, p_n; \delta|_k$ summability methods of Fourier series.*

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