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A CONDITION FOR L_p -INTEGRABILITY OF ENTIRE FUNCTIONS OF EXPONENTIAL TYPE

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If $f(z)$ is an entire function of exponential type sk , $0 < k < \pi$, $s \geq 1$, and if under some conditions on $\{\lambda_n\}_{-\infty}^{\infty}$ the series $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f^{(v)}(\lambda_n)|^p$, $p > 0$, $v = 0, 1, 2, \dots, s-1$, are convergent, then $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)|^p dx$ is convergent too.

Plancherel and Polya [1] proved the following

Theorem 1. *If $f(z)$ is an entire function of exponential type c , $0 < c < \pi$, and if the series $\sum |f(n)|^p$, $p > 0$ is convergent, then*

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)|^p dx < K \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(n)|^p,$$

where K depends only on p and c (not on f).

In [2] we generalized this theorem. Increasing the type of the function from c to sc , ($0 < c < \pi$, $s \geq 1$ is an integer), we required convergence not only of $\sum |f(n)|^p$, but also of $\sum |f^{(v)}(n)|^p$, $v = 1, 2, \dots, s-1$. Under these conditions we established the convergence of $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)|^p dx$. Now we extend the latter theorem, replacing the integers n by complex numbers λ_n .

Theorem 2. *Let $f(z)$ be an entire function of exponential type such that*

$$(1) \quad |f(z)| \leq A e^{sk|z|},$$

$A = \text{const}$, $0 < k < \pi$, $s \geq 1$ is an integer. Let $\{\lambda_n\}$ be a sequence of real or complex numbers satisfying the conditions

$$(2) \quad \lambda_0 = 0, \quad \lambda_n - n < L, \quad \lambda_{n+m} - \lambda_n \geq 2\delta > 0,$$

where $L = \text{const}$, $\delta = \text{const}$. (It is convenient for our considerations to suppose $L > 1$. Evidently, we may do this without any loss of generality.) Let $p > 0$ and the series

$$(3) \quad \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f(\lambda_n)|^p, \quad \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f^{(v)}(\lambda_n)|^p, \quad v = 1, 2, \dots, s-1,$$

be convergent. Then

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)|^p dx \leq K_0 \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(\lambda_n)|^p + K_1 \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f'(\lambda_n)|^p + \dots + K_{s-1} \sum_{s-1=-\infty}^{\infty} |f^{(s-1)}(\lambda_n)|^p$$

The constants K_r , $r = 0, 1, \dots, s-1$, depend on s , p , L and δ only.

The idea of this theorem aroused from a paper of Boas [3], where he considered the case $s=1$. In the proof of Theorem 2 we employ his method.

For simplicity we shall treat in detail only the case $s=2$. Thus the conditions (1) and (3) take now the form

$$(1') \quad |f(z)| \leq A e^{2k|z|}, \quad A = \text{const}, \quad 0 < k < \pi.$$

$$(3') \quad \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f(\lambda_n)|^p < \infty, \quad \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f'(\lambda_n)|^p < \infty.$$

In what follows we need two lemmas.

Lemma 1. Let

$$(4) \quad G(z) = z \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 - z/\lambda_n)(1 - z/\lambda_{-n}),$$

where $\{\lambda_n\}$ is the sequence from Theorem 2. Then $G(z)$ is an entire function of exponential type π and

$$(4.1) \quad |G(x+iy)| \leq B(|x|+1)^{4L}, \quad |y| \leq 3L \quad (z = x+iy)$$

$$(4.2) \quad |G(\lambda_k)| \geq C(1+|\lambda_k|)^{-4L-1}, \quad (k = \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots),$$

$$(4.3) \quad |G'(\lambda_k)| \leq D(1+3L+|\lambda_k|)^{4L}, \quad (k = \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots),$$

where the constants B, C and D depend only on L and δ .

Lemma 2. For the points $z: |z-\lambda_n| > \delta/2$ and each $\sigma > 0$

$$(4.4) \quad \exp\{\pi r(\sin \theta |-\sigma)\} / G(re^{i\theta}) = O(1).$$

The assertions of these lemmas with an exception of (4.3) are well-known (see for instance [3]). So we shall prove only (4.3). Since $|\lambda_n - n| < L$, by the Cauchy Integral Formula

$$G'(\lambda_n) = \frac{2!}{2\pi i} \int_{|z-n|=2L} \frac{G(z)}{(z-\lambda_n)^3} dz.$$

Estimating $G'(\lambda_n)$ we may apply (4.1), since for the points $z: |z-n|=2L$ we have $|\text{Im } z| \leq 2L$. For the same points $|z-\lambda_n| \geq L$ and $|\text{Re } z| \leq |\lambda_n| + 3L$. Hence

$$|G'(\lambda_n)| \leq 4B(|\lambda_n| + 3L + 1)^{4L} / L^2 = D(|\lambda_n| + 3L + 1)^{4L},$$

where D depends only on L and δ .

Lemmas 1 and 2 enable us to find a proper interpolation formula for the function $f(z)$, that plays an important role in the proof of Theorem 2.

Let $q > 0$ be an integer. Consider

$$J_n = \int_{C_n} f(\zeta)(\zeta-z)G^q(\zeta)\zeta^q d\zeta, \quad (n = 1, 2, \dots)$$

along suitably chosen contours C_n . According to the Residue Theorem

$$(5) \quad J_n = 2\pi i (\text{Res } z + \text{Res } 0 + \sum_{k \neq 0} \text{Res } \lambda_k).$$

It is easy to find the residues of the integrand at the points $\zeta = z$ and $\zeta = \lambda_k$, thus $\text{Res } z = f(z)/z^q G^q(z)$,

$$\text{Res } \lambda_k = - \frac{f(\lambda_k)}{(\lambda_k - z)^2 G'^2(\lambda_k) \lambda_k^q} - \frac{q f(\lambda_k)}{(\lambda_k - z) G'^2(\lambda_k) \lambda_k^{q+1}} - \frac{f(\lambda_k) G'(\lambda_k)}{(\lambda_k - z) G'^3(\lambda_k) \lambda_k^q} - \frac{f'(\lambda_k)}{(\lambda_k - z) G'^2(\lambda_k) \lambda_k^q}.$$

We shall evaluate here in detail the residue at the point $\zeta=0$, which is a pole of order $q+2$. Near $\zeta=0$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{f(\zeta)}{(\zeta - z) G^2(\zeta) \zeta^q} = \frac{1}{z} \frac{1}{\zeta^{q+2}} \frac{f(\zeta)}{G^2(\zeta)/\zeta^2} \frac{1}{1 - \zeta/z} \\ &= -\frac{1}{z} \frac{1}{\zeta^{q+2}} \left(\varphi(0) + \varphi'(0) \zeta + \dots + \frac{\zeta^{(q+1)}(0)}{(q+1)!} \zeta^{q+1} + \dots \right) \\ & \quad \times \left(1 + \frac{\zeta}{z} + \frac{\zeta^2}{z^2} + \dots + \frac{\zeta^{q+1}}{z^{q+1}} + \dots \right), \end{aligned}$$

where $\varphi(\zeta) = f(\zeta)\zeta^2/G^2(\zeta)$ is analytic at the point $\zeta=0$. Thus

$$\text{Res } 0 = -\frac{1}{z} \left(\frac{\varphi(0)}{z^{q+1}} + \frac{\varphi'(0)}{z^q} + \dots + \frac{\varphi^{(q+1)}(0)}{(q+1)!} \right)$$

Now if we knew that $J_n \rightarrow 0$, when $n \rightarrow \infty$, we would have from (5)

$$(6) \quad f(z) = G^2(z) z^q \sum_{k=0} \text{Res } \lambda_k + G^2(z)/z^2 P_{q+1}(z),$$

which would give us an interpolation formula for the function $f(z)$. (Here $P_{q+1}(z) = \varphi(0) + \varphi'(0)z + \dots + \varphi^{(q+1)}(0)z^{q+1}/(q+1)!$ — i. e. this is the sum of the first $q+2$ terms of the Maclaurin series of $\varphi(z) = z^2 f(z)/G^2(z)$). But we avoid the necessity of proving that $J_n \rightarrow 0$ and establish (6) going another way.

Let $q \geq 16L + 5$. Put

$$(7) \quad \begin{aligned} H(z) = & \sum'_{-\infty} \frac{f(\lambda_n) G^2(z) z^q}{(\lambda_n - z)^2 G'^2(\lambda_n) \lambda_n^q} + \sum'_{-\infty} \frac{f(\lambda_n) G^2(z) q z^q}{(\lambda_n - z) G'^2(\lambda_n) \lambda_n^{q+1}} \\ & + \sum'_{-\infty} \frac{f(\lambda_n) G'(\lambda_n) G^2(z) z^q}{(\lambda_n - z) G'^3(\lambda_n) \lambda_n^q} - \sum'_{-\infty} \frac{f'(\lambda_n) G^2(z) z^q}{(\lambda_n - z) G'^2(\lambda_n) \lambda_n^q}. \end{aligned}$$

where the prime indicates the omission of the term with $k=0$.

It follows from the convergence of the series $\sum |f(\lambda_n)|^p$ and $\sum |f'(\lambda_n)|^p$ that the sequences $\{f(\lambda_n)\}$ and $\{f'(\lambda_n)\}$ are bounded. Let $|f(\lambda_n)| < C_1$, $|f'(\lambda_n)| < C_2$, ($n=0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$). Taking this into account, as well as the special choice of q , we find out that all the series in (7) are uniformly convergent in any bounded domain. Hence $H(z)$ is an entire function. Moreover

$$(8) \quad H(\lambda_n) = f(\lambda_n); \quad H'(\lambda_n) = f'(\lambda_n).$$

The first equation is evident, since $G(z)/z - \lambda_n = G'(\lambda_n)$ for $z = \lambda_n$, and the second can be obtained by considering the Taylor series of $G(z)/z - \lambda_n$ about $z = \lambda_n$.

Now consider the function

$$(9) \quad \psi(z) = \frac{f(z) - H(z) - G^2(z) P_{q+1}(z)/z^2}{z^q G^2(z)}.$$

The equations (8) show, that the points λ_n are not singularities of $\psi(z)$. The point $z=0$ is a zero of order $q+2$ of the function $H(z)$. Having in view what

$P_{q+1}(z)$ is, we see, that $z=0$ is a zero of the same order of the function $(f(z) - G^2(z)P_{q+1}(z))z^{-2}$. The point $z=0$ is also a $q+2$ -fold zero of the denominator of $\psi(z)$. Thus $\psi(z)$ has no singularities, so it is an entire function. Moreover it is of exponential type.

Further, to show that $\psi(z) \equiv 0$, we estimate $\psi(re^{i\theta})$ for large r and θ near $\pm\pi/2$.

Denote by T_1, T_2, T_3 and T_4 the consecutive sums on the right-hand side of (7). Then

$$(10) \quad \begin{aligned} |\psi(z)| \leq & |f(z)/z^q G^2(z)| + |T_1/z^q G^2(z)| + |T_2/z^q G^2(z)| + |T_3/z^q G^2(z)| \\ & + |T_4/z^q G^2(z)| + |P_{q+1}(z)/z^{q+2}| = U_1 + U_2 + U_3 + U_4 + U_5 + U_6. \end{aligned}$$

In the first place we notice that the inequality $|f(z)| \leq Ae^{2k|z|}$, ($0 < k < \pi$), together with the boundedness of the sequences $\{f(\lambda_n)\}$ and $\{f'(\lambda_n)\}$ implies (see [4]) $|f(z)| \leq Ae^{2k|y|}$. ($y = \text{Im } z$). By this inequality and (4.4) we get

$$|U_1| \leq \frac{M}{r^q} \exp\{-2r[(\pi - k)|\sin \theta| - \pi\sigma]\},$$

where M depends on f, θ and σ , while σ is arbitrarily small. Hence U_1 is bounded on the ray $\arg z = \theta$ for large r , if θ is so near to $\pm\pi/2$, that $(\pi - k)|\sin \theta| - \pi\sigma > 0$. Moreover, $U_1 \rightarrow 0$, when $r \rightarrow \infty$.

Consider now U_2 . Since the sequence $\{f(\lambda_n)\}$ is bounded and $G'(\lambda_n)$ satisfies (4.2),

$$|U_2| \leq \sum'_{-\infty} \frac{|f(\lambda_n)|}{|\lambda_n - z|^2 |G'^2(\lambda_n)| |\lambda_n|^q} \leq R \sum'_{-\infty} \frac{(1 + |\lambda_n|)^{8L+2}}{|\lambda_n - z|^2 |\lambda_n|^q},$$

($R = \text{const}$). It follows from the condition $|\lambda_n - n| \leq L$ that $|\text{Im } \lambda_n| \leq L$. But then for any z for which $|\text{Im } z| \geq 2L$ we have $|z - \lambda_n| \geq |y| - |\text{Im } \lambda_n| \geq y - L \geq L$. Hence, if $|\text{Im } z| \geq 2L$,

$$|U_2| \leq \frac{R}{|y| - L} \sum'_{-\infty} \frac{(1 + |\lambda_n|)^{8L+2}}{|\lambda_n|^q} \leq \frac{R}{L} \sum'_{-\infty} \frac{(1 + |\lambda_n|)^{8L+2}}{|\lambda_n|^q}$$

and this is bounded, since $q \geq 16L + 5$. Moreover, we see that $U_2 \rightarrow 0$, when $|y| \rightarrow \infty$.

Proceeding in the same way (using (4.3) when necessary), we find out that U_3, U_4 and U_5 are also bounded for $|y| \geq 2L$ and tend to zero when $|y| \rightarrow \infty$. Finally,

$$|U_6| = |P_{q+1}(z)/z^{q+2}| \rightarrow 0,$$

because P_{q+1} is a polynomial of degree at most $q+1$.

Thus $\psi(z)$ is an entire function of exponential type, bounded on four rays ($\arg z = \theta$, θ near $\pm\pi/2$), any two consecutive ones of which make an angle of less than π , and hence by a Phragmen-Lindelöf theorem $\psi(z)$ is bounded everywhere and so is a constant. This constant is zero, since as we noticed, all terms in (10) tend to zero for $z = iy, y \rightarrow \infty$. So $\psi(z) \equiv 0$. Once this is proved, we have from (9)

$$(11) \quad f(z) = H(z) + G^2(z)P_{q+1}(z)/z^2,$$

which is desired interpolation formula for $f(z)$.

Now we have everything we need to prove Theorem 2. We have to verify that $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)|^p dx < \infty$.

Let m be an integer. Obviously

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)|^p dx \leq \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-L}^L |f(x+m)|^p dx = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-L}^L |f(x+m-\lambda_m+\lambda_m)|^p dx.$$

In view of the inequality $|m-\lambda_m| \leq L$, for each x belonging to the interval $-L \leq x \leq L$ we have $|z|=|x+m-\lambda_m| \leq 2L$, i. e. z is a point from the square $-2L \leq x \leq 2L, -2L \leq y \leq 2L$. Therefore, if Γ is the boundary of the square,

$$\max_{-L \leq x \leq L} |f(x+m)| \leq \max_{\Gamma} |f(z+\lambda_m)| = \mu_m.$$

From here, on the base of the above inequalities, we get

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)|^p dx \leq 2L \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \mu_m^p.$$

It is clear now that our task reduces to estimating μ_m . Put $\lambda_n^m = \lambda_{n+m} - \lambda_m$. Clearly $\lambda_0^m = 0; |\lambda_n^m - n| \leq 2L; |\lambda_n^m - \lambda_k^m| \geq 2\delta$. The sequence $\{\lambda_n^m\}$ possesses the properties (2) of the sequence $\{\lambda_n\}$ with constants $2L$ and 2δ .

Let $G_m(z)$ denote the function (4) formed with λ_n^m instead of λ_n . Then $G_m(z)$ satisfies (4.1), (4.2) and (4.3) with L replaced by $2L$ and C and D being independent on m . Let $f_m(z) = f(z+\lambda_m) \sin^{q+2}(\eta z)$, where $q \geq 32L+5$ and $\eta > 0$ is such that $(q+2)\eta+2k < 2\pi$ and $\eta < 1/L$. Then the type of $f_m(z)$ is less than 2π . Besides, since $\sin \eta z$ and $\cos \eta z$ are bounded in the strip $|y| \leq 2L$ containing all the points λ_n^m , we have

$$|f_m(\lambda_n^m)| \leq K_1 |f(\lambda_{n+m})| = O(1), \quad |f'_m(\lambda_n^m)| \leq K_1 |f'(\lambda_{n+m})| + K_2 |f(\lambda_{n+m})| = O(1).$$

It is seen now, that $f_m(z)$ satisfies all the conditions insuring the validity of the interpolation formula (11). In this case $P_{q+1}(z) \equiv 0$, since $f_m(z)$ has a zero of order $q+2$ at the point $z=0$. Thus, applying (11) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} f_m(z) = f(z+\lambda_m) \sin^{q+2}(\eta z) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f(\lambda_{n+m}) G_m^2(z) \sin^{q+2}(\eta \lambda_n^m) z^q}{(\lambda_n^m - z)^2 G_m'^2(\lambda_n^m) (\lambda_n^m)^p} \\ (13) \quad &+ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f(\lambda_{n+m}) G_m^2(z) \sin^{q+2}(\eta \lambda_n^m) q z^q}{(\lambda_n^m - z) G_m'^2(\lambda_n^m) (\lambda_n^m)^{q+1}} + \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f(\lambda_{n+m}) G_m^2(z) \sin^{q+2}(\eta \lambda_n^m) G_m'(\lambda_n^m) z^q}{(\lambda_n^m - z) G_m'^3(\lambda_n^m) (\lambda_n^m)^q} \\ &- \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f'(\lambda_{n+m}) G_m^2(z) \sin^{q+2}(\eta \lambda_n^m) z^q}{(\lambda_n^m - z) G_m'^2(\lambda_n^m) (\lambda_n^m)^q} - \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f(\lambda_{n+m}) G_m^2(z) (q+2)\eta \sin^{q+1}(\eta \lambda_n^m) \cos(\eta \lambda_n^m) z^q}{(\lambda_n^m - z) G_m'^2(\lambda_n^m) (\lambda_n^m)^q}. \end{aligned}$$

In order to estimate μ_m we make use of (13). Beforehand we consider the function $G_m(z)/z - \lambda_n^m$ for $z \in \Gamma$.

Suppose λ_n^m fixed. Let first $z \in \Gamma, |z - \lambda_n^m| \geq 1/2$. Since for any $z \in \Gamma, |\operatorname{Im} z| \leq 2L, G_m(z)$ satisfies (4.1) and we have

$$|G_m(z)/z - \lambda_n^m| \leq 2A(|x|-1)^{8L} \leq 2A(2L+1)^{8L}.$$

Let now $z \in \Gamma$, but $|z - \lambda_n^m| < 1/2$. Applying the Maximum principle for the function $G_m(z)/z - \lambda_n^m$, which is analytic in the whole plane, we get

$$|G_m(z)/z - \lambda_n^m| \leq \max_{|z - \lambda_n^m|=1/2} |G_m(z)/z - \lambda_n^m| \leq 2A(|x| + 1)^{8L} \leq 2A(2L + 3)^{8L},$$

since taking in view that the distance between λ_n^m and Γ is less than $1/2$, we may conclude, that for any $z: |z - \lambda_n^m|=1/2$ we have $|\operatorname{Im} z| \leq 2L + 1$ and so (4.1) is valid again. Thus in both cases treated above

$$(14) \quad |G_m(z)/z - \lambda_n^m| \leq N, \quad z \in \Gamma,$$

where N depends neither on n nor on m (only on L and δ).

Estimating the terms on the right-hand side of (13), we apply (14), as well as (4.1), (4.2) and (4.3). Besides we have in view the boundedness of z^q , $\sin \eta z$ and $\cos \eta z$ along the contour Γ . Let us notice in addition, that $\min \sin^{q+2} \eta z = 1/\gamma > 0$, ($\eta < 1/L$), and $|\lambda_n^m| \geq \delta, n \neq 0$. Thus grouping in (13) the four sums which contain $f(\lambda_{n+m})$, we obtain

$$\mu_m \leq \gamma M \left\{ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{|f(\lambda_{n+m})| (1 + |\lambda_n^m|)^{24L+3} (1 + |\lambda_n^m| + 6L)^{8L}}{|\lambda_n^m|^q} + \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{|f'(\lambda_{n+m})| (1 + |\lambda_n^m|)^{16L+2}}{|\lambda_n^m|^q} \right\}$$

($M = \text{const}$ depends only on L and δ). Next we have

$$(15) \quad \mu_m \leq \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f(\lambda_{n+m})| a_n^m + \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f'(\lambda_{n+m})| b_n^m,$$

where

$$a_n^m = M_1 (|\lambda_n^m| + 7L)^{32L+3} / |\lambda_n^m|^q; \quad b_n^m = M_2 (1 + |\lambda_n^m|)^{16L+2} / |\lambda_n^m|^q; \quad (M_1, M_2 = \text{const}).$$

We know that $|\lambda_n^m| \geq \delta$ when $n \neq 0$ and $|n| - 2L \leq |\lambda_n^m| \leq |n| + 2L$, hence, if $|n| > 2L$

$$a_n^m \leq M_1 (|n| + 9L)^{32L+3} / (|n| - 2L)^q; \quad b_n^m \leq M_2 (|n| + 3L)^{16L+2} / (|n| - 2L)^q,$$

and, in the case when $|n| \leq 2L$

$$a_n^m \leq M_1 (11L)^{32L+3} / \delta^q; \quad b_n^m \leq M_2 (5L)^{16L+2} / \delta^q.$$

Thus we get $a_n^m \leq a_n; b_n^m \leq b_n$, ($a_0 = 0, b_0 = 0$), where a_n and b_n do not depend on m and by our choice of q ($q \geq 32L + 5$), the series $\sum a_n$ and $\sum b_n$ are convergent. It follows now (15)

$$\mu_m \leq \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f(\lambda_{n+m})| a_n + \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f'(\lambda_{n+m})| b_n,$$

or, which is the same

$$(16) \quad \mu_m \leq \sum_{v=-\infty}^{\infty} |f(\lambda_v)| a_{v-m} + \sum_{v=-\infty}^{\infty} |f'(\lambda_v)| b_{v-m}.$$

We shall treat separately the cases $p > 1$ and $p \leq 1$.

Let first $p > 1$. In order to complete the proof of Theorem 2 we need the following

Lemma 3. (See [1]). *Let $p > 1$ and let the series $\sum |x_n|^p$ and $\sum b_n = B, b_n > 0$, be convergent. If $V_m \leq \sum_{v=0}^m b_{v-m} |x_v|$, then $\sum_m V_m^p \leq B^p \sum_v |x_v|^p$.*

The inequality (16) implies

$$\mu_m^p \leq 2^p [(\sum_v a_{v-m} |f(\lambda_v)|)^p + (\sum_v b_{v-m} |f'(\lambda_v)|)^p].$$

Now, summing up along m and applying Lemma 3 we get

$$\sum_m \mu_m^p \leq 2^p [(\sum_v a_v)^p \sum_{v=-\infty}^{\infty} |f(\lambda_v)|^p + (\sum_v b_v)^p \sum_{v=-\infty}^{\infty} |f'(\lambda_v)|^p]$$

or

$$(17) \quad \sum_m \mu_m^p \leq 2^p (A^p \sum_v |f(\lambda_v)|^p + B^p \sum_n |f'(\lambda_n)|^p).$$

Let now $p \leq 1$. In this case we chose q in such a way, that $pq \geq 32pL + 3p + 2$ (then $q \geq 32L + 5$ too). By Jensen's inequality we get from (16)

$$\mu_m^p \leq \sum_v a_{v-m}^p |f(\lambda_v)|^p + \sum_v b_{v-m}^p |f'(\lambda_v)|^p.$$

By the special choice of q the series $\sum_n a_n^p = A_1$ and $\sum_n b_n^p = B_1$ are convergent thus, summing up along m we obtain

$$(18) \quad \sum_m \mu_m^p \leq A_1 \sum_v |f(\lambda_v)|^p + B_1 \sum_v |f'(\lambda_v)|^p.$$

The inequalities (12), (17) and (18) show that Theorem 2 is true, i. e.

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)|^p dx \leq K_1 \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(\lambda_n)|^p + K_2 \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f'(\lambda_n)|^p,$$

where the constants K_1 and K_2 depend only on L and δ .

The case $s > 2$ of Theorem 2 may be handled in the same way on the base of a respective interpolation formula, which could be found out by means of the integral

$$J_n = \int_{C_n} \frac{f(\zeta) d\zeta}{(\zeta - z) G^s(\zeta) \zeta^q}.$$

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