

Improved Inverse Theorems in Weighted Lebesgue and Smirnov Spaces

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Abstract

The improvement of the inverse estimation of approximation theory by trigonometric polynomials in the weighted Lebesgue spaces was obtained and its application in the weighted Smirnov spaces was considered.

1 Introduction and the main results

Let \mathbb{T} be the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ or the unit circle $|z| = 1$ of the complex plane \mathbb{C} . A measurable 2π -periodic function $\omega : \mathbb{T} \rightarrow [0, \infty]$ is said to be a weight function if $\omega^{-1}(\{0, \infty\})$ has measure zero. With any given weight ω , we associate the ω -weighted Lebesgue space $L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$, $1 \leq p < \infty$, consisting of all measurable 2π -periodic functions f on \mathbb{T} such that

$$\|f\|_{L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)} := \left(\int_{\mathbb{T}} |f(x)|^p \omega(x) dx \right)^{1/p} < \infty.$$

Let $1 < p < \infty$. A weight function ω belongs to the *Muckenhoupt class* $A_p(\mathbb{T})$ if

$$\left(\frac{1}{|J|} \int_J \omega(x) dx \right) \left(\frac{1}{|J|} \int_J [\omega(x)]^{-1/(p-1)} dx \right)^{p-1} \leq C$$

with a finite constant C independent of J , where J is any subinterval of $[-\pi, \pi]$ and $|J|$ denotes the length of J .

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The detailed information about the classes $A_p(\mathbb{T})$ can be found in [22] and [9].

Let $1 < p < \infty$ and $\omega \in A_p(\mathbb{T})$. Since $L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$ is noninvariant with respect to the usual shift, for the definition of the modulus of smoothness we consider the following mean value function as a shift for $g \in L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$:

$$\sigma_h(g)(x) := \frac{1}{2h} \int_{-h}^h g(x+t) dt, \quad 0 < h < \pi, \quad x \in \mathbb{T}.$$

It is known (see, [23]) that the operator σ_h is a bounded linear operator on $L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$, $1 < p < \infty$, i. e.,

$$\|\sigma_h(g)\|_{L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)} \leq c \|g\|_{L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)}, \quad g \in L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega),$$

holds with a constant $c > 0$ independent of g and h . The k th modulus of smoothness $\Omega_k(g, \cdot)_{p, \omega}$ of the function $g \in L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$ is defined by

$$\Omega_k(g, \delta)_{p, \omega} = \sup_{0 < h \leq \delta} \|T_h^k g\|_{L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)}, \quad \delta > 0 \quad (1)$$

where

$$T_h g = T_h^1 g := g - \sigma_h(g), \quad T_h^k g := T_h(T_h^{k-1} g), \quad k = 1, 2, \dots$$

The modulus of smoothness $\Omega_k(g, \cdot)_{p, \omega}$ is nondecreasing, nonnegative, continuous function and

$$\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \Omega_k(g, \delta)_{p, \omega} = 0, \quad \Omega_k(g_1 + g_2, \cdot)_{p, \omega} \leq \Omega_k(g_1, \cdot)_{p, \omega} + \Omega_k(g_2, \cdot)_{p, \omega}.$$

Let \mathcal{T}_n ($n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$) be the set of trigonometric polynomials of order at most n . The best approximation to $g \in L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$ in the class \mathcal{T}_n is defined by

$$E_n(g)_{p, \omega} = \inf_{T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n} \|g - T_n\|_{L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)}$$

for $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$.

The problems of the approximation theory by trigonometric polynomials in the space $L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$, when the weight function satisfies the Muckenhoupt condition, were investigated by E. A. Hacıyeva in [11]. Hacıyeva obtained the direct and inverse estimates in terms of the modulus of smoothness (1). N. X. Ky, using a relevant modulus of smoothness, investigated the approximation problems in the weighted Lebesgue spaces with Muckenhoupt weights (see [19], [20]). For more general class of weights, namely for doubling weights, similar problems were investigated by G. Mastroianni and V. Totik in [21]. Also, M. C. De Bonis, G. Mastroianni and M. G. Russo gave results for some special weight functions in [6].

The following inverse theorem was proved in [11].

Theorem A. *Let $1 < p < \infty$ and $\omega \in A_p(\mathbb{T})$. Then, for $g \in L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$ the inequality*

$$\Omega_k\left(g, \frac{1}{n}\right)_{p, \omega} \leq \frac{c}{n^{2k}} \left\{ E_0(g)_{p, \omega} + \sum_{\nu=1}^n \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu(g)_{p, \omega} \right\}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots, \quad (2)$$

holds with a constant $c > 0$ independent of n .

In this work we improve the estimate (2). We shall denote by c , the constants (in general, different in different relations) depending only on numbers that are not important for the questions of interest.

Our main result is the following.

Theorem 1. *Let $1 < p < \infty$ and $\omega \in A_p(\mathbb{T})$. Then, for $g \in L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$ the estimate*

$$\Omega_k \left(g, \frac{1}{n} \right)_{p,\omega} \leq \frac{c}{n^{2k}} \left\{ \sum_{\nu=1}^n \nu^{2\beta k-1} E_\nu^\beta (g)_{p,\omega} \right\}^{1/\beta}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots, \tag{3}$$

holds with a constant $c > 0$ independent of n , where $\beta = \min(p, 2)$.

The estimate (3) is better than (2). Indeed, let

$$\begin{aligned} x & : = \frac{1}{2} \left[\sum_{\mu=1}^{\nu} \mu^{2k-1} E_\mu (g)_{p,\omega} + (\nu - 1) \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu (g)_{p,\omega} \right] \\ & = \frac{1}{2} \left[\sum_{\mu=1}^{\nu-1} \mu^{2k-1} E_\mu (g)_{p,\omega} + \nu \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu (g)_{p,\omega} \right] \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} x - h & : = (\nu - 1) \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu (g)_{p,\omega}, \quad x + h := \sum_{\mu=1}^{\nu} \mu^{2k-1} E_\mu (g)_{p,\omega} \\ x - \delta & : = \nu \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu (g)_{p,\omega}, \quad x + \delta := \sum_{\mu=1}^{\nu-1} \mu^{2k-1} E_\mu (g)_{p,\omega} \end{aligned}$$

for $\nu = 1, 2, \dots$. Since the function x^β is convex for $\beta = \min(p, 2)$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[\nu \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu (g)_{p,\omega} \right]^\beta - \left[(\nu - 1) \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu (g)_{p,\omega} \right]^\beta \\ & \leq \left[\sum_{\mu=1}^{\nu} \mu^{2k-1} E_\mu (g)_{p,\omega} \right]^\beta - \left[\sum_{\mu=1}^{\nu-1} \mu^{2k-1} E_\mu (g)_{p,\omega} \right]^\beta. \end{aligned}$$

After summation with respect to ν we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{\nu=1}^n \left\{ \left[\nu \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu (g)_{p,\omega} \right]^\beta - \left[(\nu - 1) \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu (g)_{p,\omega} \right]^\beta \right\} \\ & \leq \sum_{\nu=1}^n \left\{ \left[\sum_{\mu=1}^{\nu} \mu^{2k-1} E_\mu (g)_{p,\omega} \right]^\beta - \left[\sum_{\mu=1}^{\nu-1} \mu^{2k-1} E_\mu (g)_{p,\omega} \right]^\beta \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

and after simple computations we obtain

$$\left\{ \sum_{\nu=1}^n \nu^{2\beta k-1} E_\nu^\beta (g)_{p,\omega} \right\}^{1/\beta} \leq 2 \sum_{\nu=1}^n \nu^{2k-1} E_\nu (g)_{p,\omega}.$$

Consequently the estimate (3) is never worse than (2). In addition, in some cases, it leads to a more precise result. For example, if

$$E_n(g)_{p,\omega} = \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{n^{2k}}\right), \quad n = 1, 2, \dots,$$

then we obtain from (2)

$$\Omega_k(g, \delta)_{p,\omega} = \mathcal{O}\left(\delta^{2k} \left(\log \frac{1}{\delta}\right)\right) \quad (4)$$

and from (3)

$$\Omega_k(g, \delta)_{p,\omega} = \mathcal{O}\left(\delta^{2k} \left(\log \frac{1}{\delta}\right)^{1/\beta}\right),$$

which is better than (4).

The analogue of Theorem 1 in nonweighted Lebesgue spaces, in terms of the usual modulus of smoothness, was proved by M. F. Timan in [26] (see also [25, p. 338]).

We also give an improvement of the appropriate inverse theorem in the weighted Smirnov spaces, obtained in [16]. For its formulation we have to give some auxiliary definitions and notations.

Let G be a finite domain in the complex plane, bounded by a rectifiable Jordan curve Γ , and let $G^- := Ext\Gamma$ be the exterior of Γ . Further let

$$\mathbb{D} := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}, \quad \mathbb{D}^- := \mathbb{C} \setminus \overline{\mathbb{D}}.$$

We denote by φ the conformal mapping of G^- onto \mathbb{D}^- normalized by

$$\varphi(\infty) = \infty, \quad \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\varphi(z)}{z} > 0.$$

Let ψ be the inverse of φ . The functions φ and ψ have continuous extensions to Γ and \mathbb{T} , their derivatives $\varphi'(z)$ and $\psi'(w)$ have definite nontangential limit values on Γ and \mathbb{T} a. e., and they are integrable with respect to Lebesgue measure on Γ and \mathbb{T} , respectively [10, pp. 419-438].

We denote by $E_p(G)$, $1 \leq p < \infty$, the Smirnov class of analytic functions in G . Each function $f \in E_p(G)$ has a nontangential limit almost everywhere (a. e.) on Γ , and the nontangential limit of f , belongs to the Lebesgue space $L_p(\Gamma)$. The general information about $E_p(G)$ can be found in [8, pp. 168-185] and [10, pp. 438-453].

Let ω be a weight function on Γ and let $L_p(\Gamma, \omega)$ be the ω -weighted Lebesgue space on Γ . The ω -weighted Smirnov space $E_p(G, \omega)$ defined as

$$E_p(G, \omega) := \{f \in E_1(G) : f \in L_p(\Gamma, \omega)\}.$$

The approximation problems in $E_p(G, \omega)$ and $L_p(\Gamma, \omega)$, $1 < p < \infty$, was studied in [14], [15] and [16]. The nonweighted case was considered in [1], [17], [2], [13] and [4].

Definition 1. A rectifiable Jordan curve Γ is called a *Carleson curve* if the condition

$$\sup_{z \in \Gamma} \sup_{\varepsilon > 0} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} |\Gamma(z, \varepsilon)| < \infty$$

holds, where $\Gamma(z, \varepsilon)$ is the portion of Γ in the open disk of radius ε centered at z , and $|\Gamma(z, \varepsilon)|$ its length.

The Muckenhoupt class on the rectifiable Jordan curve Γ seems as follows:

Definition 2. Let $1 < p < \infty$. A weight function ω belongs to the *Muckenhoupt class* $A_p(\Gamma)$ if the condition

$$\sup_{z \in \Gamma} \sup_{\varepsilon > 0} \left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_{\Gamma(z, \varepsilon)} \omega(\tau) |d\tau| \right) \left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_{\Gamma(z, \varepsilon)} [\omega(\tau)]^{-1/(p-1)} |d\tau| \right)^{p-1} < \infty$$

holds.

The Carleson curves and Muckenhoupt classes $A_p(\Gamma)$ were studied in details in [3].

Let Γ be a rectifiable Jordan curve and $f \in L_1(\Gamma)$. Then the function f^+ defined by

$$f^+(z) := \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{f(\zeta)}{\zeta - z} d\zeta, \quad z \in G \tag{5}$$

is analytic in G . Furthermore, if Γ is a Carleson curve and $\omega \in A_p(\Gamma)$, then $f^+ \in E_p(G, \omega)$ for $f \in L_p(\Gamma, \omega)$, $1 < p < \infty$ (see [14, Lemma 3]).

With every weight function ω on the rectifiable Jordan curve Γ , we associate another weight ω_0 on \mathbb{T} defined by $\omega_0 := \omega \circ \psi$.

Let $\omega \in A_p(\Gamma)$ and $\omega_0 \in A_p(\mathbb{T})$, where $1 < p < \infty$. If $f \in L_p(\Gamma, \omega)$, then

$$f_0 := (f \circ \psi) (\psi')^{1/p} \in L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega_0).$$

We define the k th *modulus of smoothness* of the function $f \in L_p(\Gamma, \omega)$ by

$$\Omega_k(f, \delta)_{\Gamma, p, \omega} := \Omega_k(f_0^+, \delta)_{p, \omega_0}, \quad \delta > 0. \tag{6}$$

The following theorem was proved in [16].

Theorem B. Let Γ be a Carleson curve, $1 < p < \infty$, $\omega \in A_p(\Gamma)$ and $\omega_0 \in A_p(\mathbb{T})$. Then, for $f \in E_p(G, \omega)$ the estimate

$$\Omega_k\left(f, \frac{1}{n}\right)_{\Gamma, p, \omega} \leq \frac{c}{n^{2k}} \left\{ E_0(f)_{\Gamma, p, \omega} + \sum_{\nu=1}^n \nu^{2k-1} E_{\nu}(f)_{\Gamma, p, \omega} \right\}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots, \tag{7}$$

holds with a constant $c > 0$ independent of n .

This theorem can be improved by the aim of Theorem 1 as follows:

Theorem 2. Let Γ be a Carleson curve, $1 < p < \infty$, $\omega \in A_p(\Gamma)$ and $\omega_0 \in A_p(\mathbb{T})$. Then, for $f \in E_p(G, \omega)$ the estimate

$$\Omega_k\left(f, \frac{1}{n}\right)_{\Gamma, p, \omega} \leq \frac{c}{n^{2k}} \left\{ \sum_{\nu=1}^n \nu^{2\beta k-1} E_{\nu}^{\beta}(f)_{\Gamma, p, \omega} \right\}^{1/\beta}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots, \tag{8}$$

holds with a constant $c > 0$ independent of n , where $\beta = \min(p, 2)$.

2 Auxiliary results

Let Γ be a rectifiable Jordan curve and $f \in L_1(\Gamma)$. Then the limit

$$S_\Gamma(f)(z) := \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma \setminus \Gamma(z, \varepsilon)} \frac{f(\zeta)}{\zeta - z} d\zeta \quad (9)$$

exists and is finite for almost all $z \in \Gamma$ (see [3, pp. 117-144]). $S_\Gamma(f)(z)$ is called the *Cauchy singular integral* of f at $z \in \Gamma$.

For $f \in L_1(\Gamma)$ the function f^+ (defined in (5)) has nontangential limits and the formula

$$f^+(z) = S_\Gamma(f)(z) + \frac{1}{2}f(z) \quad (10)$$

holds a. e. on Γ [10, p. 431].

For $f \in L_1(\Gamma)$, we associate the function $S_\Gamma(f)$ taking the value $S_\Gamma(f)(z)$ a. e. on Γ . The linear operator S_Γ defined in such way is called the *Cauchy singular operator*. The following theorem, which is analogously deduced from David's theorem (see [5]), states the necessary and sufficient condition for boundedness of S_Γ in $L_p(\Gamma, \omega)$ (see also [3, pp. 117-144]).

Theorem 3. *Let Γ be a Carleson curve, $1 < p < \infty$, and let ω be a weight function on Γ . The inequality*

$$\|S_\Gamma(f)\|_{L_p(\Gamma, \omega)} \leq c \|f\|_{L_p(\Gamma, \omega)}$$

holds for every $f \in L_p(\Gamma, \omega)$ if and only if $\omega \in A_p(\Gamma)$.

For $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$, and $R > 1$ let

$$F_{k,p}(z) := \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|t|=R} \frac{t^k (\psi'(t))^{1-1/p}}{\psi(t) - z} dt, \quad z \in G.$$

Obviously, $F_{k,p}$ is a polynomial of degree k . The polynomials $F_{k,p}$ are called the *p -Faber polynomials* for G (see [17] and [2]).

For detailed information about Faber polynomials and Faber series see [24, pp. 33-116].

Let \mathcal{P}_n ($n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$) be the set of the complex polynomials of degree at most n , \mathcal{P} be the set of all polynomials (with no restrictions on degrees), and let $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{D})$ be the set of restrictions of the polynomials to \mathbb{D} . If we define an operator T_p on $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{D})$ as

$$T_p(P)(z) := \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathbb{T}} \frac{P(t) (\psi'(t))^{1-1/p}}{\psi(t) - z} dt, \quad z \in G,$$

then it is clear that

$$T_p\left(\sum_{k=0}^n a_k t^k\right) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k F_{k,p}(z).$$

From (5), we have

$$T_p(P)(z') = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{P(\varphi(\zeta)) (\varphi'(\zeta))^{1/p}}{\zeta - z'} d\zeta = \left[(P \circ \varphi) (\varphi')^{1/p} \right]^+(z')$$

for $z' \in G$. Taking the limit $z' \rightarrow z \in \Gamma$, over all nontangential paths inside Γ , we obtain by (10)

$$T_p(P)(z) = S_\Gamma \left[(P \circ \varphi) (\varphi')^{1/p} \right] (z) + \frac{1}{2} \left[(P \circ \varphi) (\varphi')^{1/p} \right] (z)$$

for almost all $z \in \Gamma$.

We can state the following theorem as a corollary of Theorem 3.

Theorem 4. *Let Γ be a Carleson curve, $1 < p < \infty$, and let w be a weight function on Γ . If $\omega \in A_p(\Gamma)$ and $\omega_0 \in A_p(\mathbb{T})$, then the linear operator $T_p : P(\mathbb{D}) \rightarrow E_p(G, \omega)$ is bounded.*

Hence if $\omega \in A_p(\Gamma)$ and $\omega_0 \in A_p(\mathbb{T})$, then the operator T_p can be extended to the whole of $E_p(\mathbb{D}, \omega_0)$ as a bounded linear operator and we have the representation

$$T_p(g)(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathbb{T}} \frac{g(t) (\psi'(t))^{1-1/p}}{\psi(t) - z} dt, \quad z \in G,$$

for all $g \in E_p(\mathbb{D}, \omega_0)$.

Theorem 5 ([16]). *Let Γ be a Carleson curve, $1 < p < \infty$, and let ω be a weight function on Γ such that $\omega \in A_p(\Gamma)$ and $\omega_0 \in A_p(\mathbb{T})$. Then the operator $T_p : E_p(\mathbb{D}, \omega_0) \rightarrow E_p(G, \omega)$ is one-to-one and onto. In fact, we have $T_p(f_0^+) = f$ for $f \in E_p(G, \omega)$.*

3 Proofs of the main results

Let $g \in L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$ has the Fourier series

$$g(x) \sim \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{\nu=1}^{\infty} (a_\nu \cos \nu x + b_\nu \sin \nu x).$$

We denote the n th partial sum of this series by $S_n(g, x)$. Let also

$$A_\nu(g, x) := a_\nu \cos \nu x + b_\nu \sin \nu x, \quad \nu = 1, 2, \dots,$$

and

$$\Delta_\mu(g, x) := \sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-1} A_\nu(g, x).$$

By a simple calculation, one can show that the k th difference T_h^k has the Fourier series

$$T_h^k g(x) \sim \sum_{\nu=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{\sin \nu h}{\nu h} \right)^k A_\nu(g, x).$$

It is also known that (see [12]) the partial sums of the Fourier series are bounded in the space $L_p(\mathbb{T}, \omega)$ and hence

$$\|g - S_n(g, \cdot)\|_{p, \omega} \leq c E_n(g)_{p, \omega}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots \tag{11}$$

Proof of Theorem 1. Let $h > 0$ and let m be any natural number. It is clear that

$$\begin{aligned} T_h^k(g)(x) &= T_h^k(g)(x) - T_h^k(S_{2^{m-1}}(g, \cdot))(x) + T_h^k(S_{2^{m-1}}(g, \cdot))(x) \\ &= T_h^k(g - S_{2^{m-1}}(g, \cdot))(x) + T_h^k(S_{2^{m-1}}(g, \cdot))(x). \end{aligned}$$

Using (11) yields

$$\|T_h^k(g - S_{2^{m-1}}(g, \cdot))\|_{p,\omega} \leq c \|g - S_{2^{m-1}}(g, \cdot)\|_{p,\omega} \leq c E_{2^{m-1}}(g)_{p,\omega}.$$

On the other hand, by Theorem 1 of [18],

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_h^k(S_{2^{m-1}}(g, \cdot))\|_{p,\omega} &= \left\| \sum_{\nu=1}^{2^{m-1}} \left(1 - \frac{\sin \nu h}{\nu h}\right)^k A_\nu(g, \cdot) \right\|_{p,\omega} \\ &\leq c \left\| \left(\sum_{\mu=1}^m \Delta_\mu^2(g, \cdot; k, h) \right)^2 \right\|_{p,\omega}, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\Delta_\mu(g, x; k, h) := \sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-1} \left(1 - \frac{\sin \nu h}{\nu h}\right)^k A_\nu(g, x).$$

By simple calculations, we obtain

$$\left\| \left(\sum_{\mu=1}^m \Delta_\mu^2(g, \cdot; k, h) \right)^2 \right\|_{p,\omega} \leq \left\{ \sum_{\mu=1}^m \|\Delta_\mu(g, \cdot; k, h)\|_{p,\omega}^2 \right\}^{1/2}$$

if $p > 2$, and

$$\left\| \left(\sum_{\mu=1}^m \Delta_\mu^2(g, \cdot; k, h) \right)^2 \right\|_{p,\omega} \leq \left\{ \sum_{\mu=1}^m \|\Delta_\mu(g, \cdot; k, h)\|_{p,\omega}^p \right\}^{1/p}$$

if $p \leq 2$. Hence we have to estimate $\|\Delta_\mu(g, \cdot; k, h)\|_{p,\omega}$.

Let's assume that $k = 1$. By Abel's transformation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_\mu(g, x; 1, h) &= \sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-1} \left(1 - \frac{\sin \nu h}{\nu h}\right) A_\nu(g, x) \\ &= \sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-2} \left\{ \left[\left(1 - \frac{\sin \nu h}{\nu h}\right) - \left(1 - \frac{\sin(\nu+1)h}{(\nu+1)h}\right) \right] \sum_{j=2^{\mu-1}}^\nu A_j(g, x) \right\} \\ &\quad + \left(1 - \frac{\sin(2^\mu-1)h}{(2^\mu-1)h}\right) \left(\sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-1} A_\nu(g, x) \right) \\ &= \sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-2} \left(\frac{\sin(\nu+1)h}{(\nu+1)h} - \frac{\sin \nu h}{\nu h} \right) \left(\sum_{j=2^{\mu-1}}^\nu A_j(g, x) \right) \\ &\quad + \left(1 - \frac{\sin(2^\mu-1)h}{(2^\mu-1)h}\right) \left(\sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-1} A_\nu(g, x) \right). \end{aligned}$$

If we take the norm, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|\Delta_\mu(g, \cdot; 1, h)\|_{p,\omega} &\leq \sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-2} \left(\frac{\sin \nu h}{\nu h} - \frac{\sin(\nu+1)h}{(\nu+1)h} \right) \left\| \sum_{j=2^{\mu-1}}^\nu A_j(g, \cdot) \right\|_{p,\omega} \\ &\quad + \left| 1 - \frac{\sin(2^\mu-1)h}{(2^\mu-1)h} \right| \left\| \sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-1} A_\nu(g, \cdot) \right\|_{p,\omega}. \end{aligned}$$

Using (11) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \sum_{j=2^{\mu-1}}^\nu A_j(g, \cdot) \right\|_{p,\omega} &= \left\| \sum_{j=2^{\mu-1}}^\infty A_j(g, \cdot) - \sum_{j=\nu+1}^\infty A_j(g, \cdot) \right\|_{p,\omega} \\ &\leq \left\| \sum_{j=2^{\mu-1}}^\infty A_j(g, \cdot) \right\|_{p,\omega} + \left\| \sum_{j=\nu+1}^\infty A_j(g, \cdot) \right\|_{p,\omega} \\ &= \|g - S_{2^{\mu-1}-1}(g, \cdot)\|_{p,\omega} + \|g - S_\nu(g, \cdot)\|_{p,\omega} \\ &\leq c E_{2^{\mu-1}-1}(g)_{p,\omega}, \end{aligned}$$

and similarly

$$\left\| \sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-1} A_\nu(g, \cdot) \right\|_{p,\omega} \leq c E_{2^{\mu-1}-1}(g)_{p,\omega}.$$

Hence we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|\Delta_\mu(g, \cdot; 1, h)\|_{p,\omega} &\leq c E_{2^{\mu-1}-1}(g)_{p,\omega} \sum_{\nu=2^{\mu-1}}^{2^\mu-2} \left(\frac{\sin \nu h}{\nu h} - \frac{\sin(\nu+1)h}{(\nu+1)h} \right) \\ &\quad + c E_{2^{\mu-1}-1}(g)_{p,\omega} \left| 1 - \frac{\sin(2^\mu-1)h}{(2^\mu-1)h} \right| \\ &\leq c E_{2^{\mu-1}-1}(g)_{p,\omega} 2^{2\mu} h^2. \end{aligned}$$

By the same way, for $k > 1$ we can obtain

$$\|\Delta_\mu(g, \cdot; k, h)\|_{p,\omega} \leq c E_{2^{\mu-1}-1}(g)_{p,\omega} 2^{2k\mu} h^{2k}.$$

Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_h^k(S_{2^m-1}(g, \cdot))\|_{p,\omega} &\leq c \left\{ \sum_{\mu=1}^m \|\Delta_\mu(g, \cdot; k, h)\|_{p,\omega}^\beta \right\}^{1/\beta} \\ &\leq c \left\{ \sum_{\mu=1}^m E_{2^{\mu-1}-1}^\beta(g)_{p,\omega} 2^{2k\mu\beta} h^{2\beta k} \right\}^{1/\beta}, \end{aligned}$$

and hence

$$\|T_h^k(g)\|_{p,\omega} \leq c \left\{ E_{2^m-1}(g)_{p,\omega} + h^{2k} \left[\sum_{\mu=1}^m 2^{2k\mu\beta} E_{2^{\mu-1}-1}^\beta(g)_{p,\omega} \right]^{1/\beta} \right\}.$$

Choosing $h = 1/n$ for a given n , by the definition of the modulus of smoothness we have

$$\Omega_k \left(g, \frac{1}{n} \right)_{p,\omega} \leq c \left\{ E_{2^{m-1}}(g)_{p,\omega} + \frac{1}{n^{2k}} \left[\sum_{\mu=1}^m 2^{2k\mu\beta} E_{2^{\mu-1}-1}^\beta(g)_{p,\omega} \right]^{1/\beta} \right\}.$$

If we use the inequality

$$E_{2^{m-1}}(g)_{p,\omega} \leq \frac{2^{4\beta k}}{2^{2m\beta k}} \sum_{\nu=2^{m-2}+1}^{2^{m-1}} \nu^{2\beta k-1} E_\nu^\beta(g)_{p,\omega}$$

and select m such that $2^m \leq n < 2^{m+1}$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega_k \left(g, \frac{1}{n} \right)_{p,\omega} &\leq c \left\{ \frac{2^{6k}}{n^{2k}} \left[\sum_{\nu=2^{m-2}+1}^{2^{m-1}} \nu^{2\beta k-1} E_\nu^\beta(g)_{p,\omega} \right]^{1/\beta} + \frac{2^{6k}}{n^{2k}} \left[\sum_{\nu=1}^{2^{m-2}} \nu^{2\beta k-1} E_\nu^\beta(g)_{p,\omega} \right]^{1/\beta} \right\} \\ &\leq \frac{c}{n^{2k}} \left[\sum_{\nu=1}^n \nu^{2\beta k-1} E_\nu^\beta(g)_{p,\omega} \right]^{1/\beta}, \end{aligned}$$

and the theorem is proved.

Proof of Theorem 2. Let $f \in E_p(G, \omega)$. Then by Theorem 5 we have $T_p(f_0^+) = f$, where

$$f_0(t) = f(\psi(t)) (\psi'(t))^{1/p}, \quad t \in \mathbb{T}.$$

Since $T_p : E_p(\mathbb{D}, \omega_0) \rightarrow E_p(G, \omega)$ is bounded, one to one and onto, the linear operator $T_p^{-1} : E_p(G, \omega) \rightarrow E_p(\mathbb{D}, \omega_0)$ is also bounded.

Let $P_n^* \in \mathcal{P}_n$ ($n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$) be the polynomials of best approximation to f in $E_p(G, \omega)$, that is,

$$E_n(f)_{\Gamma,p,\omega} = \|f - P_n^*\|_{L_p(\Gamma,\omega)}.$$

The existence of such polynomials follows, for example, from Theorem 1.1 in [7, p. 59]. Since $T_p^{-1}(P_n^*)$ is a polynomial of degree n , by the boundedness of T_p^{-1} we get

$$\begin{aligned} E_n(f_0^+)_{p,\omega_0} &\leq \|f_0^+ - T_p^{-1}(P_n^*)\|_{L_p(\mathbb{T},\omega_0)} \\ &= \|T_p^{-1}(f) - T_p^{-1}(P_n^*)\|_{L_p(\mathbb{T},\omega_0)} \\ &\leq \|T_p^{-1}\| \|f - P_n^*\|_{L_p(\Gamma,\omega)}, \end{aligned}$$

and hence

$$E_n(f_0^+)_{p,\omega_0} \leq \|T_p^{-1}\| E_n(f)_{\Gamma,p,\omega}. \quad (12)$$

By (6), Theorem 1 and (12) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega_k \left(f, \frac{1}{n} \right)_{\Gamma,p,\omega} &= \Omega_k \left(f_0^+, \frac{1}{n} \right)_{p,\omega_0} \leq \frac{c}{n^{2k}} \left\{ \sum_{\nu=1}^n \nu^{2\beta k-1} E_\nu^\beta(f_0^+)_{p,\omega_0} \right\}^{1/\beta} \\ &\leq \frac{c \|T_p^{-1}\|}{n^{2k}} \left\{ \sum_{\nu=1}^n \nu^{2\beta k-1} E_\nu^\beta(f)_{\Gamma,p,\omega} \right\}^{1/\beta}, \end{aligned}$$

which prove the theorem.

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