

Abstract of future research

For the details of some notations, refer to abstract of present research.

1. **Weighted polynomial approximation of two variables:** We study approximation problems on \mathbb{R}^2 . Currently, we are studying on the problem of approximating a function f that satisfies $fW \in L^p(\mathbb{R}^2)$ when the weights are separated into products of one variable, that is $W(x, y) = w_1(x)w_2(y)$. The de la Vallée Poussin mean of two variables:

$$V_n(f)(x_1, x_2) := \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{m_2=n+1}^{2n} \sum_{m_1=n+1}^{2n} s_{m_1, m_2}(f; x_1, x_2)$$

(where, $s_{m_1, m_2}(f; x_1, x_2)$ is Fourier sum) H.N. Mhaskar presented it as a concrete example of a two-variable polynomial, but there has been no research on its use in approximating functions. We have been shown the boundedness of L^p , the convergence condition by the modulus of continuity, estimates of the degree of approximation, and the estimate of the convergence property when f is a continuous and bounded variation function. Also, as another topic, we study iterated Lagrange interpolation polynomials:

$$L_n(W; (x_1, x_2)) := L_{n,2}(w_2^2, L_{n,1}(w_1^2, f_{x_2}; x_1); x_2)$$

(where, L_n, i is the Lagrange interpolation polynomial of degree n for a weight w_i). We investigate convergence conditions, etc. Furthermore, expanding the scope of our investigation to more general two variable weights is also a future challenge.

2. Refinement of previous results

- (a) **Lagrange interpolation polynomials for Laguerre-type weights:** We are studying weighted convergence condition of the Lagrange interpolation polynomial on \mathbb{R}^+ . For a continuous function f on \mathbb{R}^+ , we need to find the condition such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|(L_{n, \rho^*}^*(f) - f)w_\rho\|_{L^p(\mathbb{R}^+)} = 0 \quad (\text{A})$$

for $1 < p < \infty$. We already showed (A) in the case of $p = 2$ and $1 < p < 2$. We have also shown the similarities for the cases $2 < p < \infty$ for the weight $\Phi^{*(1/2-1/p)^+}(x)w_\rho(x)$. But these conditions are very complicated and not continuous for p . Moreover, we don't know error estimates for fixed n . These problem are future tasks.

- (b) **de la Vallée Poussin mean:** At this stage, we show L^p boundedness of derivatives of the de la Vallée Poussin mean. One of these is the following: Suppose that w belongs to $\mathcal{F}_\lambda(C^4+)$ which is a smooth subclass of $\mathcal{F}(C^2+)$. If $T^{(2j+1)/4}fw \in L^p(\mathbb{R})$, then for $2 \leq p \leq \infty$,

$$\|v_n(f)^{(j)}w\|_{L^p(\mathbb{R})} \leq C \left(\frac{n}{a_n}\right)^j \|T^{(2j+1)/4}fw\|_{L^p(\mathbb{R})} \quad (\text{B})$$

for all $1 \leq j \leq k$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$. But, we could know (B) holds true or not for $1 \leq p \leq 2$. We use duality of L^1 -norm and Riesz-Thorin interpolation theorem to prove L^p boundedness of the de la Vallée Poussin mean. But, unfortunately, we cannot use duality of L^1 -norm because T remains in the proof and it is unbounded. We would like to find the way to break through obstructions by unboundedness of T . The solution to the problem in the Erdős-type case is to construct a method for evaluating unbounded T for each problem.