

On a problem of Kahane:
Higher dimensional variants

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$$A(\mathbb{T}^k) = \left\{ f \in C(\mathbb{T}^k) : \sum_{\underline{n} \in \mathbb{Z}^k} |\hat{f}(\underline{n})| < \infty \right\}$$

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$$\bar{\Phi} : \mathbb{T}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{T}^d$$

$$A(\mathbb{T}^d) \rightarrow A(\mathbb{T}^k)$$

$$f \rightarrow f \circ \bar{\Phi}$$

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$$\overline{\Phi} : \mathbb{T} \rightarrow \mathbb{T}$$

$$\overline{\Phi}(e^{2\pi i t}) = e^{2\pi i \varphi(t)}$$

$$\varphi(t) = g(t) + kt$$

periodic

$$g \equiv \text{constant} \iff \overline{\Phi} \text{ affine}$$

Thm

(Beurling-Helson,

Leibenzon,

Kahane)

$$\begin{aligned}
 A(\mathbb{T}) &\rightarrow A(\mathbb{T}) \\
 f &\rightarrow f \circ \Phi
 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow \overline{\Phi}$ affine

Kahane

$$A(\pi) \rightarrow \mathcal{U}(\pi) \quad ?$$

$$f \rightarrow f \circ \bar{\Phi}$$

$$\mathcal{U}(\pi) = \left\{ f \in C(\pi) : \left\| \sum_N f - f \right\|_{L^\infty} \rightarrow 0 \right\}$$

$$\|f\|_{\mathcal{U}} := \sup_N \left\| \sum_N f \right\|_{L^\infty}$$

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$$f(t) = \sum c_n e^{2\pi i n t} \quad \rightsquigarrow \quad f \circ \Phi = \sum c_n e^{2\pi i n \varphi} \in \mathcal{U}(\mathbb{T}) \quad ?$$

$$\|f \circ \Phi\|_{\mathcal{U}} \leq \sum |c_n| \|e^{2\pi i n \varphi}\|_{\mathcal{U}}$$

$$\|e^{2\pi i n \varphi}\|_{\mathcal{U}} = \mathcal{O}(1) \quad ?$$

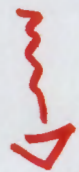
$$\|e^{in\varphi}\|_V = \sup_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{R} \\ n \in \mathbb{N}}} \left| \int_{|t| \leq 1} e^{in\varphi(x-t)} \frac{e^{int}}{t} dt \right| < +\infty \quad (*)$$

Thm 1 (Alpár)

(*) holds for any real-analytic φ

(*) can fail for smooth φ

$$Hf(x, y) = p.v \int_{|t| \leq 1} f(x-t, y-\varphi(t)) \frac{1}{t} dt$$



$$m(n, N) = \int_{|t| \leq 1} e^{i(n\varphi(t) + Nt)} \frac{1}{t} dt \in L^\infty \quad (**)$$

Thm 2

($\forall \epsilon$) holds for any real-analytic φ

($\exists \epsilon$) can fail for smooth φ

Fabes, Nagel, Riviere, Stein, Wainger

$$\int e^{i\psi(t)} \frac{1}{t} dt, \quad \psi(t) = n\varphi_x(t) + Nt$$

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Cancellation arises in 2 ways

From the oscillation of the phase ψ

$$\left| \frac{d^k \psi(t)}{dt^k} \right| \geq \lambda \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left| \int e^{i\psi(t)} dt \right| \leq C_k \frac{1}{\lambda^{1/k}}$$

$k \geq 2$

Van der Corput

From the C-Z Kernel $\frac{1}{t}$

$$\widehat{p.v. \frac{1}{t}}(\xi) = \int e^{i\xi t} \frac{1}{t} dt \in L^\infty$$

OR

$$\sup_{\xi, a, b} \left| \int_a^b e^{i\xi t} \frac{1}{t} dt \right| < \infty$$

Proof of Thm 2

$$\bar{I} = \int_{|t| \lesssim 1} e^{i(n\varphi(t) + \omega t)} \frac{1}{t} dt \quad (11)$$

Case 1

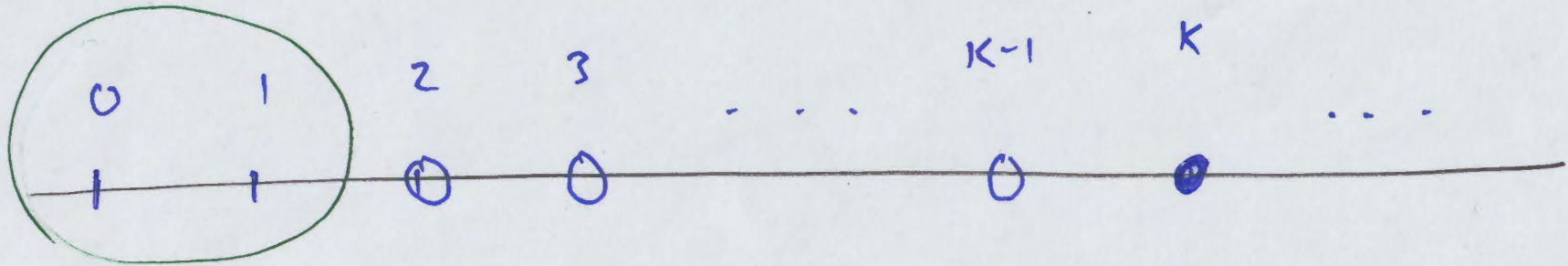
$$\varphi^{(k)}(0) = 0 \quad \forall k \geq 2 \Rightarrow \varphi(t) \equiv a + bt$$

$$|\bar{I}| = \left| \int_{|t| \lesssim 1} e^{i(nb + N)t} \frac{dt}{t} \right| = O(1)$$

Case 2

$\exists K \geq 2$ s.t. $\varphi^{(K)}(0) \neq 0$

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$$\varphi(t) = \varphi(0) + \varphi'(0)t + \frac{1}{K!} \varphi^{(K)}(0) t^K + \dots$$

$$\left| \frac{d^k}{dt^k} [n\varphi(t) + Nt] \right| \geq n \quad (|t| \leq \varepsilon)$$

$$\int_{\frac{1}{n^{\frac{1}{k}}} \leq |t| \leq \varepsilon} e^{i(n\varphi(t) + Nt)} \frac{dt}{t} = \mathcal{O}(1)$$

(Van der Corput
IBP)

$$\int_{|t| \leq \frac{1}{n^{\frac{1}{k}}}} \left[e^{i(n\varphi(t) + Nt)} - e^{i(n(at+bt) + Nt)} \right] \frac{dt}{t}$$

$$\lesssim n \int_{|t| \leq \frac{1}{n^{\frac{1}{k}}}} |t|^{k-1} dt = \mathcal{O}(1)$$

Left with

$$\int_{|t| \leq \frac{1}{n^{\frac{1}{k}}}} e^{i(nbt + N)t} \frac{1}{t} dt = O(1)$$

C-z

Kernel

cancellation

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Proof of Thm 1

$$I = \int_{|t| \leq 1} e^{i(n\varphi_x(t) + \lambda t)} \frac{1}{t} dt$$

$$\varphi_x(t) = \varphi(x+t)$$

Case 1

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{T} \text{ s.t. } \varphi^{(k)}(x) = 0 \quad \forall k \geq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(t) \equiv a + bt$$

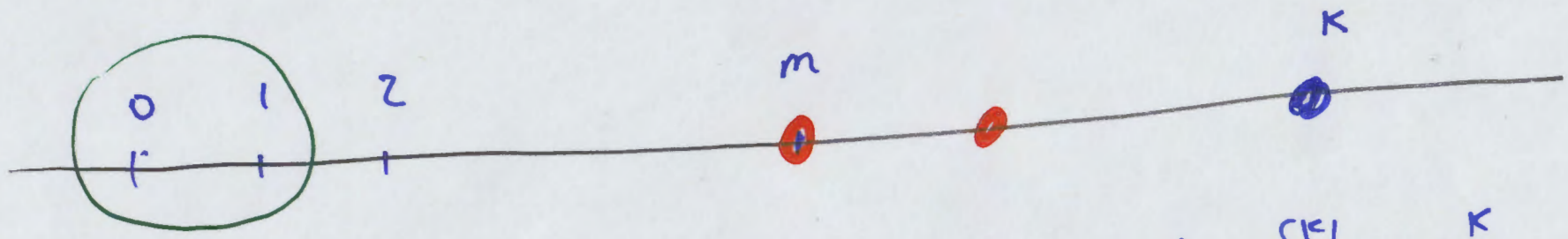


\hookrightarrow Kernel cancellation

Case 2

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \exists K=K(x) \geq 2$ s.t. $\varphi^{(K)}(x) \neq 0$

\exists ngh \mathcal{O}_x s.t. $|\varphi^{(K)}(y)| \geq \frac{1}{2} |\varphi^{(K)}(x)| \quad \forall y \in \mathcal{O}_x$



$\varphi(x+t) = \varphi(x) + \varphi'(x)t$

$+ \frac{1}{K!} \varphi^{(K)}(x) t^K \dots$

$\varphi(y+t) = \varphi(y) + \varphi'(y)t + \frac{1}{m!} \varphi^{(m)}(y) t^m \dots$

For $y \in \mathcal{O}_x$, $I = \int_{|t| \leq 1} e^{i(n\varphi(y+t) + Nt)} \frac{1}{t} dt$

$\int_{|t| \leq 1} e^{i(n\varphi(y+t) + Nt)} \frac{1}{t} dt = \mathcal{O}(1)$

$\frac{1}{n^{\frac{1}{k}}} \leq |t|$

Van der Corput ((1), 2)
+ IBP

$$\left| \int_{|t| \leq \frac{1}{n^{1/k}}} \left[e^{i[n\varphi(y+tl+Nt)]} - e^{i\left(n \sum_{l=0}^{k-1} \frac{1}{l!} \varphi^{(l)}(y) t^l + Nt\right)} \right] \frac{dt}{t} \right|$$

$$\lesssim n \int_{|t| \leq \frac{1}{n^{1/k}}} |t|^{k-1} dt = o(1)$$

Let t with

$$\int e^{i [a_1 t + \dots + a_{k-1} t^{k-1}]} \frac{1}{t} dt = O(1)$$

$$|k| \leq \frac{1}{(n)^{\frac{1}{k}}}$$

Stein - Wanger

Stein

Ricci - Stein

$$Tf(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} e^{iP(x,y)} K(x,y) f(y) dy$$

Corollary of Proof

If $\Phi : \mathbb{T} \rightarrow \mathbb{T}^d$ real-analytic

$$A(\mathbb{T}^d) \rightarrow U(\mathbb{T})$$

$$f \rightarrow f \circ \Phi$$

$\varphi(t) \rightarrow \bar{\omega} \cdot \bar{\varphi}(t) = \omega_1 \varphi_1(t) + \dots + \omega_d \varphi_d(t)$

$$\Phi : \mathbb{T}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{T}^d$$

real-analytic

$$A(\mathbb{T}^d) \rightarrow \mathcal{U}(\mathbb{T}^k)$$

\mathbb{Z}^2

$$f \rightarrow f \circ \Phi$$

$K=2$

$$U(\mathbb{T}^2) = \left\{ f \in C(\mathbb{T}^2) : \left\| \sum_{M,N} f - f \right\|_{L^\infty(\mathbb{T}^2)} \rightarrow 0 \right\}$$

$$\sum_{M,N} f(x,y) = \sum_{|k| \leq M} \sum_{|l| \leq N} \widehat{f}(k,l) e^{2\pi i k x} e^{2\pi i l y}$$

$$= \iint_{\mathbb{T}^2} f(x-s, y-t) \frac{\sin(Ms)}{s} \frac{\sin(Nt)}{t} ds dt$$

$k=2, d=1$

C. Fefferman

$\exists f \in C(\mathbb{T}^2)$,

$$\overline{\lim}_{M, N \rightarrow \infty} \left| \sum_{m, n} f(x, y) \right| = \infty$$

$\forall (x, y) \in \mathbb{T}^2$

Heart

$$f_n(x, y) = e^{inx}$$

$\implies \sup_{M, N} \left| \sum_{m, n} f_n(x, y) \right| \sim \log n$

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$\forall (x, y) \in \mathbb{T}^2$

$a=2, b=1$

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$$S_{M,N}(e^{in\varphi})(x,y) = \iint_{(s,t) \in \Pi} e^{in\varphi(x-s, y-t)} \frac{\sin(Ms)}{s} \frac{\sin(Nt)}{t} ds dt$$

d

$$\sup_{\substack{M, N, n \\ (x,y) \in \Pi}} |S_{M,N}(e^{in\varphi})(x,y)| < \overset{+}{\infty} ?$$

$$\varphi(s,t) = st \rightsquigarrow e^{in\varphi} = f_n$$

Proposition

$\varphi(s, t)$ real-analytic

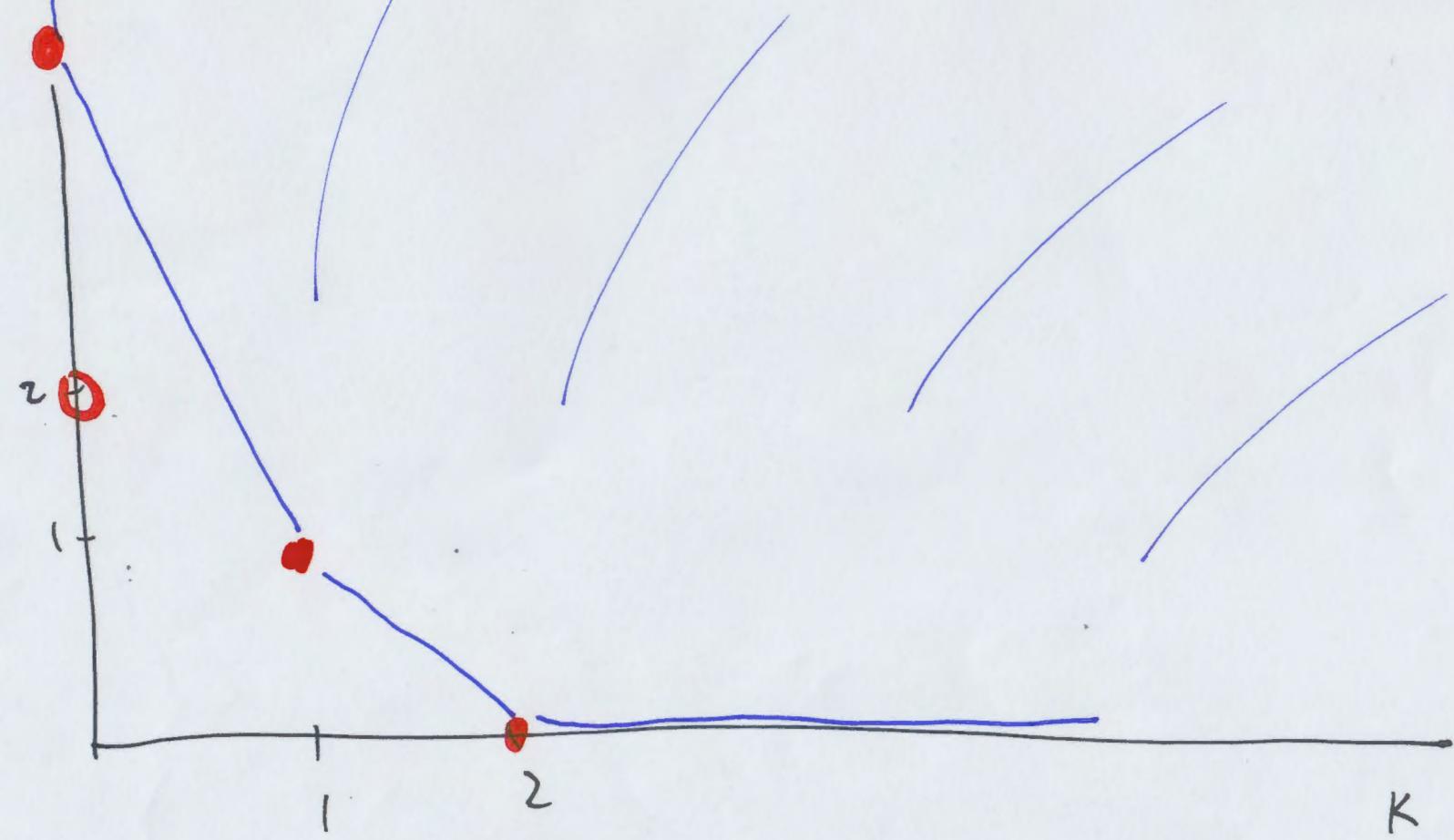
Suppose $\exists (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ s.t. $\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial s \partial t}(x, y) \neq 0$

yet $\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial s^2}(x, y) = 0$ (or $\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial t^2}(x, y) = 0$)

Then $\sup_{M, N} \left| S_{M, N} (e^{c_n \varphi}(x, y)) \right| \underset{\sim}{\geq} \log n$

Newton polygon.

$$\varphi_{x,y}(s,t) = \varphi(x+s, y+t) = \sum_{k,l \geq 0} \frac{1}{k!} \frac{1}{l!} \frac{\partial^{k+l} \varphi}{\partial s^k \partial t^l}(x,y) s^k t^l$$



$$Z_{KE} = \left\{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{T}^2 : \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial s^k} e^{i(x, y)} = 0 \right\}$$

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Divisibility condition (weak form)

$$Z_{20} \cup Z_{02} \subseteq Z_{11}$$

Failure \Rightarrow
$$\sup_{\substack{M, N \\ (x, y) \in \mathbb{T}^2}} \left| \int_{M, N} (e^{inx}) (x, y) \right| \geq \log n$$

Examples

when D.C. holds

1. $\varphi(s, t) = f(s) + g(t)$

2. $\varphi(s, t) = f(Ks + lt)$

If φ satisfies D.C. then

$\psi = \varphi + \epsilon K (\varphi_{ss})^3 (\varphi_{tt})^3$ satisfies D.C.

Divisibility condition (Strong form)

$\varphi_{ss}, \varphi_{tt} \mid \varphi_{st}$ as germs of analytic functions

Locally

$$\varphi_{st} = L \varphi_{ss}$$

$$\varphi_{st} = K \varphi_{tt}$$

Divisibility Proposition

weak form \Leftrightarrow strong form

Proof

Weierstrass Preparation Thm

Osgood, Annals of Math 1917

Then

$$\overline{\phi} : \overline{\pi}^2 \rightarrow \overline{\pi}$$

$$A(\overline{\pi}) \rightarrow \overline{B}(\overline{\pi}^2)$$

$$f \rightarrow f \circ \overline{\phi}$$

\Leftrightarrow

$\overline{\phi}$

satisfies the

Divisibility

Condition