

ON ESTIMATING THE APPROXIMATION OF LOCALLY  
SUMMABLE FUNCTIONS BY GEGENBAUER SINGULAR  
INTEGRALS

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**Abstract.** Using the generalized shift operator (GSO) generated by the Gegenbauer differential operator we introduce the notion of a Lebesgue–Gegenbauer (L-G)-point of a summable function  $f$  on the interval  $[1, \infty)$  and prove that almost all points of this interval are (L-G)-points of  $f$ . Furthermore, we give an exact (by order) estimation of the approximation of locally summable functions by singular integrals generated by GSO (Gegenbauer singular integrals).

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1. PRELIMINARIES

The generalized shift operator (GSO) generated by the Gegenbauer differential operator

$$D_\lambda = (x^2 - 1)^{\frac{1}{2}-\lambda} \left[ \frac{d}{dx} (x^2 - 1)^{\lambda+\frac{1}{2}} \frac{d}{dx} \right], \quad 0 < \lambda < \frac{1}{2},$$

which arises from the addition theorem for Gegenbauer functions (see [1]) is of the form

$$\begin{aligned} A_t f(x) &= A_t^\lambda f(x) \\ &= \frac{\Gamma(\lambda + \frac{1}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}) \Gamma(\lambda)} \int_0^\pi f\left(xt - \sqrt{x^2 - 1} \sqrt{t^2 - 1} \cos \varphi\right) (\sin \varphi)^{2\lambda-1} d\varphi. \end{aligned}$$

We denote by  $L_{1,\lambda}[1, \infty)$ ,  $0 < \lambda < \frac{1}{2}$ , a class of functions with finite norm

$$\|f\|_{1,\lambda} = \int_1^\infty (x^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}} |f(x)| dx < \infty.$$

**Definition.** Let  $f \in L_{1,\lambda}[1, \infty)$ ,  $0 < \lambda < \frac{1}{2}$ . The point  $x \in [1, \infty)$  is said to be a Lebesgue–Gegenbauer point ((L-G)-point) of the function  $f$ , if

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \left( \sinh \frac{r}{2} \right)^{-2\lambda-1} \int_0^r |f(x) - A_{\cosh t}^\lambda f(x)| \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt = 0.$$

**Theorem 1.** *If  $f \in L_{1,\lambda}[1, \infty)$ ,  $0 < \lambda < \frac{1}{2}$ , then almost all points of the interval  $[1, \infty)$  are the (L-G)-points of  $f$ .*

*Proof.* Let us estimate the integral

$$\begin{aligned} J(x, r) &= \int_0^r |f(x) - A_{\cosh t}^\lambda f(x)| \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt \\ &\leq \int_0^r \left[ \int_0^\pi |f(x) - f(x \cosh t - \sqrt{x^2 - 1} \sinh t \cos \varphi)| (\sin \varphi)^{2\lambda-1} d\varphi \right] \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt. \end{aligned}$$

Setting here  $x = \cosh u \in [1, \infty)$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} J(\cosh u, r) &\leq \int_0^r \left[ \int_0^\pi |f(\cosh u) - f(\cosh u \cosh t - \sinh u \sinh t \cos \varphi)| \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times (\sinh \varphi)^{2\lambda-1} d\varphi \right] \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt. \end{aligned}$$

Performing the change of variables  $z = \cosh u \cosh t - \sinh u \sinh t \cos \varphi$ , we get

$$d\varphi = (\sinh^2 u \sinh^2 t - \cosh^2 u \cosh^2 t + 2z \cosh u \cosh t - z^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} dz$$

or

$$d\varphi = (2z \cosh u \cosh t - \sinh^2 t - \cosh^2 u - z^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} dz$$

and

$$(\sin \varphi)^{2\lambda-1} = (2z \cosh u \cosh t - \sinh^2 t - \cosh^2 u - z^2)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}} (\sinh u \sinh t)^{1-2\lambda}.$$

Then the above estimate of  $J(\cosh u, r)$  is rewritten as

$$\begin{aligned} J(\cosh u, r) &\leq \int_0^r \left\{ \int_{\cosh(u-t)}^{\cosh(u+t)} |f(\cosh u) - f(z)| \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times (2z \cosh u \cdot \cosh t - \sinh^2 t - \cosh^2 u - z^2)^{\lambda-1} (\sinh u)^{1-2\lambda} dz \right\} \sinh t dt. \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

It is easy to show that

$$2z \cosh u \cosh t - \sinh^2 t - \cosh^2 u - z^2$$

$$= (z^2 - 1) \sinh^2 u \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \right)^2 \right]. \quad (2)$$

Having noticed that

$$\frac{\sinh t}{\sinh u} = (z^2 - 1)^{1/2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \right) \quad (3)$$

and taking into account (2) and (3) in (1), we get

$$J(\cosh u, r) \leq \int_0^r \left\{ \int_{\cosh(u-t)}^{\cosh(u+t)} |f(\cosh u) - f(z)| (z^2 - 1)^{\lambda-1} \times \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \right)^2 \right]^{\lambda-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \right) dz \right\} dt. \quad (4)$$

Since  $\cosh(u - t) \leq z \leq \cosh(u + t)$ , we have

$$\begin{cases} \cosh(u - r) \leq z \leq \cosh u, \\ u - \operatorname{arc} \cosh z \leq t \leq r, \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} \cosh u \leq z \leq \cosh(u + r), \\ \operatorname{arc} \cosh z - u \leq t \leq r. \end{cases}$$

Therefore, after changing the integration order in (4), we get

$$J(\cosh u, r) \leq \left( \int_{\cosh(u-r)}^{\cosh u} dz \int_{u-\operatorname{arc} \cosh z}^r dt + \int_{\cosh u}^{\cosh(u+r)} dz \int_{\operatorname{arc} \cosh z - u}^r dt \right) = (J_1(\cosh u, r) + J_2(\cosh u, r)). \quad (5)$$

Let us consider the integral

$$A = \int_{u-\operatorname{arc} \cosh z}^r \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \right)^2 \right]^{\lambda-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \right) dt.$$

Having set here  $\vartheta = \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u}$ , we get

$$A = \int_{-1}^{\frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u}} (1 - \vartheta^2)^{\lambda-1} d\vartheta. \quad (6)$$

By the evenness property of  $\cosh t$

$$B = \int_{\operatorname{coth} z - u}^r \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \right)^2 \right]^{\lambda-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \right) dt = \int_{-1}^{\frac{\cosh r - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u}} (1 - \vartheta^2)^{\lambda-1} d\vartheta.$$

Since for  $0 < r < u$  and  $\cosh(u - r) \leq z \leq \cosh u$

$$\frac{\cosh r - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \leq \frac{\cosh u - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1}} \leq \frac{(1 - z) \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} < 0,$$

we have

$$\max_{-1 \leq \vartheta \leq \frac{\cosh t - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u}} (1 - \vartheta)^{\lambda-1} \leq \max_{-1 \leq \vartheta < 0} (1 - \vartheta)^{\lambda-1} \leq 1.$$

Then (6) implies

$$A \leq \frac{1}{\lambda} \left( \frac{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u - z \cosh u - \cosh r}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \right)^\lambda \quad (7)$$

and from (7) we get

$$A \leq \frac{2^\lambda}{\lambda} \frac{(\sinh \frac{r}{2})^{2\lambda}}{(\sinh(u - r) \sinh u)^\lambda} \sim \frac{1}{\lambda 2^\lambda} \left( \frac{r}{\sinh u} \right)^{2\lambda} (r \rightarrow 0)$$

Hence it follows that

$$A \leq C_\lambda \left( \frac{r}{\sinh u} \right)^{2\lambda} \quad (r \rightarrow 0), \quad (8)$$

where  $C_\lambda$  is a constant dependent on  $\lambda$ . In the sequel,  $C_\lambda$  will denote, generally speaking, different constants dependent on  $\lambda$ .

Taking into account (8) in (5), we get that for  $J_1$

$$J_1(\cosh u, r) \leq C_\lambda \left( \frac{r}{\sinh u} \right)^{2\lambda} \int_{\cosh(u-r)}^{\cosh u} |f(\cosh u) - f(z)| (z^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}} dz.$$

Having put  $z = \cosh v$ , we have

$$J_1(\cosh u, r) \leq C_\lambda \left( \frac{r}{\sinh u} \right)^{2\lambda} \int_{u-r}^u |f(\cosh u) - f(\cosh v)| \sinh^{2\lambda} v dv.$$

Since

$$\int_1^\infty |f(x)| (x^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}} dx = \int_0^\infty |f(\cosh u)| \sinh^{2\lambda} u du < \infty,$$

we have

$$f(x) (x^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}} \in L[1, \infty) \Leftrightarrow f(\cosh u) \sinh^{2\lambda} u \in L[0, \infty).$$

Then almost all the points of the interval  $[0, \infty)$  are the ordinary Lebesgue points for the function  $\varphi(u) = f(\cosh u) \sinh^{2\lambda} u$  and therefore

$$\int_{u-r}^u |\varphi(u) - \varphi(v)| dv = o(r) \quad (r \rightarrow 0),$$

which is equivalent to

$$\int_{u-r}^u |f(\cosh u) \sinh^{2\lambda} u - f(\cosh v) \sinh^{2\lambda} v| dv = o(r) \quad (r \rightarrow 0). \quad (9)$$

Hence it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{u-r}^u |f(\cosh u) - f(\cosh v)| \sinh^{2\lambda} v dv \\ & \leq \int_{u-r}^u |f(\cosh u) \sinh^{2\lambda} u - f(\cosh v) \sinh^{2\lambda} v| dv \\ & \quad + |f(\cosh u)| [\sinh^{2\lambda} u - \sinh^{2\lambda}(u-r)] r = o(r) \quad (r \rightarrow 0). \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

Formulas (9) and (10) imply that

$$J_1(\cosh u, r) = o(r^{2\lambda+1}) \quad (r \rightarrow 0). \quad (11)$$

Let us consider the integral

$$\begin{aligned} & J_2(\cosh u, r) \\ & = \int_{\cosh u}^{\cosh(u+r)} |f(\cosh u) - f(z)| (z^2 - 1)^{\lambda - \frac{1}{2}} dz \int_{-1}^{\frac{\cosh r - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u}} (1 - v)^{\lambda - 1} dv. \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

Since  $\cosh u \leq z \leq \cosh(u+r)$ , we obtain for  $0 < r < u$

$$\frac{\cosh r - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u} \leq \frac{\cosh u - z \cosh u}{\sinh^2 u} = \frac{(1 - z) \cosh u}{\sinh^2 u} < 0.$$

Then

$$\max_{-1 \leq u \leq \frac{\cosh r - z \cosh u}{\sqrt{z^2 - 1} \sinh u}} (1 - u)^{\lambda - 1} \leq \max_{-1 \leq u \leq 0} (1 - u)^{\lambda - 1} \leq 1,$$

and therefore from (12) we have

$$B \leq \frac{1}{\lambda} \left( \frac{2 \sinh^2 \frac{r}{2}}{\sinh^2 u} \right)^\lambda \sim \frac{1}{\lambda 2^\lambda} \left( \frac{r}{\sinh u} \right)^{2\lambda} \quad (r \rightarrow 0). \quad (13)$$

Taking into account (13) in (12) and having put  $z = \cosh v$ , we get

$$J_2(\cosh u, r) \leq C_\lambda \left( \frac{r}{\sinh u} \right)^{2\lambda} \int_{\cosh u}^{\cosh(u+r)} |f(\cosh u) - f(\cosh v)| \sinh^{2\lambda} v dv. \quad (14)$$

Proceeding as above, we get

$$\int_{\cosh u}^{\cosh(u+r)} |f(\cosh u) - f(\cosh v)| \sinh^{2\lambda} v dv$$

$$\leq o(r) + |f(\cosh u)| (\sinh^{2\lambda}(u+r) - \sinh^{2\lambda} u) r = o(r) \quad (r \rightarrow 0). \quad (15)$$

From (14) and (15) it follows that

$$J_2(\cosh u, r) = o(r^{2\lambda+1}) \quad r \rightarrow 0. \quad (16)$$

Finally, taking into account (15) and (16) in (7), we get

$$J(\cosh u, r) = o(r^{2\lambda+1}) \quad r \rightarrow 0,$$

which is equivalent to the assertion of the theorem since  $\sin r \sim r$  ( $r \rightarrow 0$ ).  $\square$

## 2. THE MAIN RESULTS

$L_{1,\lambda}[1, \infty)$  is the class of functions summable with respect to the measure  $d\mu(u) = (u^2 - 1)^{\lambda - \frac{1}{2}} du$  in the Lebesgue sense on  $[1, \infty)$ . We denote by  $L_{loc,\lambda}[1, \infty)$  a class of locally summable functions with respect to the measure  $d\mu(u)$ . A function  $K_\varepsilon^\lambda(x)$  determined on  $[1, \infty)$  and dependent on the parameter  $\varepsilon$  is called a kernel, if  $K_\varepsilon^\lambda(x) \in L_{1,\lambda}[1, \infty)$  and the equality

$$\int_1^\infty (u^2 - 1)^{\lambda - \frac{1}{2}} K_\varepsilon^\lambda(u) du = 1 \quad (17)$$

is fulfilled for any fixed  $\varepsilon$ . If  $K_\varepsilon^\lambda(u)$  is a kernel, then the expression

$$L_\varepsilon^\lambda f(x) = \int_1^\infty (u^2 - 1)^{\lambda - \frac{1}{2}} A_u^\lambda f(x) K_\varepsilon^\lambda(u) du \quad (18)$$

is said to be a Gegenbauer singular integral.

Denote  $K_\varepsilon^*(x) = \sup_{y \geq x} |K_\varepsilon^\lambda(y)|$ . Clearly,  $K_\varepsilon^*(x)$  monotonically decreases on  $[1, \infty)$  with respect to  $x$ .

Let  $x_0 \in [1, \infty)$  and  $f \in L_{loc,\lambda}[1, \infty)$ . Put

$$w_f(x_0; \delta)_\lambda = \sup_{0 < r < \delta} \left( \frac{1}{(\sinh \frac{r}{2})^{2\lambda+1}} \int_0^r |A_{\cosh u}^\lambda f(x_0) - f(x_0)| \sinh^{2\lambda} u du \right).$$

It follows from Theorem 1 that  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} w_f(x_0; \delta)_\lambda = 0$  for all  $x \in [1, \infty)$ .

We denote by  $\Omega$  the class of positive, monotonically increasing functions  $\omega(t)$  on  $[1, \infty)$  such that  $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \omega(t) = 0$

$$L_{x_0,w,\lambda}[1, \infty) = \{f \in L_\lambda[1, \infty) : w_f(x_0; \delta)_\lambda = O(\omega(\delta)), \delta > 0\}, w \in \Omega.$$

The norm in this class is defined as follows:

$$\|f\|_{L_{x_0,w,\lambda}} = |f(x_0)| + \sup_{\delta > 0} \frac{w_f(x_0; \delta)_\lambda}{\omega(\delta)}.$$

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $x_0 \in [1, \infty)$ ,  $f \in L_\lambda[1, \infty)$ . Then the estimate*

$$|L_\varepsilon^\lambda f(x_0) - f(x_0)| \leq 4^{2\lambda+1} \int_0^\infty K_\varepsilon^*(\cosh u) w_f(x_0; 4u)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} u du \quad (\varepsilon > 0) \quad (19)$$

is valid.

*Proof.* From (17) and (18) we have

$$|L_\varepsilon^\lambda f(x_0) - f(x_0)| \leq \sum_{k=0}^\infty K_\varepsilon^*(\cosh 2^k \varepsilon) (2^{k+1} \varepsilon)^{2\lambda+1} w_f(x_0; 2^{k+1} \varepsilon)_\lambda. \quad (20)$$

On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty K_\varepsilon^*(\cosh u) w_f(x_0; 4u)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} u du \\ & \geq 4^{-2\lambda-1} \sum_{k=0}^\infty K_\varepsilon^*(\cosh 2^k \varepsilon) w_f(x_0; 2^{k+1} \varepsilon)_\lambda (2^{k+1} \varepsilon)^{2\lambda+1}. \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

From (20) and (21) we obtain (19). □

**Corollary 1.** *Let  $w, w_1 \in \Omega$  and*

$$\int_0^\infty K_\varepsilon^*(\cosh u) w(4u) \sinh^{2\lambda} u du = O(w_1(\varepsilon)) \quad (\varepsilon > 0).$$

*Then for  $f \in L_{x_0, w, \lambda}[1, \infty)$  the estimate*

$$|L_\varepsilon^\lambda f(x_0) - f(x_0)| \leq C \|f\|_{L_{x_0, w, \lambda}} w_1(\varepsilon)$$

*holds, where  $C > 0$  is a constant independent of  $f$  and  $\varepsilon$ .*

Indeed,

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty K_\varepsilon^*(\cosh u) w_f(x_0; 4u)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} u du \\ & \leq \|f\|_{L_{x_0, w, \lambda}} \int_0^\infty K_\varepsilon^*(\cosh u) w(4u) \sinh^{2\lambda} u du \leq C \|f\|_{L_{x_0, w, \lambda}} w_1(\varepsilon). \end{aligned}$$

Let us consider the Gauss–Weierstrass kernel type function

$$W_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t) = \frac{1}{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \varepsilon} e^{-\left(\frac{\sinh t}{2\varepsilon}\right)^2} \frac{\cosh t}{\sinh^{2\lambda} t}.$$

We are to show that this function satisfies condition (17), i.e. it is a kernel. Indeed, having put  $K_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t) = W_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t)$ , we get

$$\int_0^\infty W_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t) \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}) \varepsilon} \int_0^\infty e^{-(\frac{\sinh t}{2\varepsilon})^2} \cosh t dt = 1.$$

**Corollary 2.** *For the kernel  $W_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t)$  there holds the inequality*

$$\int_0^\infty W_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t) w_f(x_0, 4t)_\lambda \sinh^{2\nu} t dt \leq \frac{65\varepsilon}{4\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^\infty \frac{w_f(x_0, t)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt}{t^{2\lambda+2}}. \tag{22}$$

Indeed,

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty W_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t) w_f(x_0, 4t)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}) \varepsilon} \int_0^\infty e^{-(\frac{\sinh t}{2\varepsilon})^2} w_f(x_0; 4 \sinh t)_\lambda d \sinh t \\ & \leq \frac{1}{4\sqrt{\pi}} \left( \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_0^\varepsilon w_f(x_0; t)_\lambda dt + 64\varepsilon \int_\varepsilon^\infty \frac{w_f(x_0; t)_\lambda dt}{t^2} \right). \end{aligned} \tag{23}$$

Furthermore,

$$\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_0^\varepsilon w_f(x_0; t)_\lambda dt \leq \varepsilon \int_\varepsilon^\infty \frac{w_f(x_0; x)_\lambda dx}{x^2}. \tag{24}$$

Taking into account (23) in (22), we get

$$\int_0^\infty W_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t) w_f(x_0; 4t)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt \leq \frac{65}{4\sqrt{\pi}} \varepsilon \int_\varepsilon^\infty \frac{w_f(x_0; t)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt}{t^{2+2\lambda}}.$$

Note that an inequality of type (22) was proved for Poisson kernel in [3] in the periodic case, and in [2] in the non-periodic case.

If in integral (18) we put  $K_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh u) = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \varphi(\cosh \frac{u}{\varepsilon})$ , then we get  $K_\varepsilon^*(\cosh u) = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \varphi^*(\cosh \frac{u}{\varepsilon})$ , where  $\varphi^*(\cosh x) = \sup_{u \geq x} |\varphi(\cosh u)|$ .

**Theorem 3.** *Let  $f \in L_\lambda[1, \infty)$ ,  $x_0 \in [1, \infty)$ ,*

$$K_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh u) = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \varphi\left(\cosh \frac{u}{\varepsilon}\right), \int_0^\infty \varphi^*(\cosh u) \sinh^{2\lambda} u du < \infty$$

and

$$\int_0^\infty \varphi^*(\cosh u) w_f(x_0; 4u)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} u du < \infty.$$

Then

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} L_\varepsilon^\lambda f(x_0) = f(x_0).$$

*Proof.* Let  $0 < \varepsilon \leq 1$   $K_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh u) = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \varphi(\cosh \frac{u}{\varepsilon})$ . Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty K_\varepsilon^*(\cosh u) w_f(x_0; 4u)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} u du &\leq w_f(x_0; 4\sqrt{\varepsilon})_\lambda \int_0^{\frac{1}{\sqrt{\varepsilon}}} \varphi^*(\cosh t) \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{\varepsilon}}}^\infty \varphi^*(\cosh t) w_f(x_0; 4t)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt. \end{aligned} \tag{25}$$

The assertion of the theorem follows from (19) and (25). □

Note that the operator  $A_t^\lambda$  is bounded in the class of functions bounded on  $[1, \infty)$ , i.e.,  $|A_t^\lambda f(x)| \leq \sup_{x \geq 1} |f(x)|$ .

Put  $w_k(f, t) = \sup_{x \geq 1} |A_t^k f(x) - f(x)|$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $w(f, t) \equiv w_1(f, t)$ ,  $A_t^k = A_t(A_t^{k-1})$ .

Hence we get

$$w_2(f, t) \leq 2 \sup_{x \geq 1} |A_t^\lambda f(x) - f(x)| = 2w(f, t). \tag{26}$$

**Theorem 4.** *Let  $x_0 \in [1, \infty)$ , the kernel  $K_\varepsilon^\lambda(t)$  non-negatively and monotonically decrease on  $[1, \infty)$  with respect to  $t$ .*

*Then there exists a function  $f_0 \in L_{x_0, w, \lambda}[1, \infty)$  such that*

$$w_{f_0}(x_0; \delta)_\lambda \asymp w(\delta) \quad (\delta \rightarrow 0)^1$$

and

$$|L_\varepsilon^\lambda f_0(x_0) - f_0(x_0)| \geq (2\lambda + 1) \int_0^\infty K_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t) w_{f_0}(x_0; 4t)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt.$$

*Proof.* Let us consider the function

$$f_0(t) = \begin{cases} A_t^\lambda f_0(x_0) - f_0(x_0) = w(t), & t > 0, \\ 0, & t = 0. \end{cases}$$

Then

$$w_{f_0}(x_0; \delta)_\lambda = \sup_{0 < r < \delta} \left( \frac{1}{(\sinh \frac{r}{2})^{2\lambda+1}} \int_0^r w(t) \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt \right). \tag{27}$$

Now, let us estimate the integral

$$J(r) = \int_0^r \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt \geq \frac{2^{\lambda+3/2}}{(2\lambda + 1) (1 + \cosh 1)^{\frac{1}{2}-\lambda}} \left( \sinh \frac{r}{2} \right)^{2\lambda+1}. \tag{28}$$

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<sup>1</sup>The symbol  $\varphi(\delta) \asymp \psi(\delta)$  ( $\delta \rightarrow 0$ ) means that there exist constants  $c_1, c_2$  and  $\delta_0$  such that  $c_1 \varphi(\delta) \leq \psi(\delta) \leq c_2 \varphi(\delta)$  for  $0 < \delta < \delta_0$ .

On the other hand,

$$\int_0^r \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt \leq \frac{2^{2\lambda+1}}{2\lambda+1} \left( \sinh \frac{r}{2} \right)^{2\lambda+1}. \quad (29)$$

Since  $\omega(f, t)$  monotonically increases, (29) implies that

$$\omega_{f_0}(x_0; \delta)_\lambda \leq \frac{2^{2\lambda+1}}{2\lambda+1} \sup_{0 < r \leq \delta} \omega(f, r) = \frac{2^{2\lambda+1}}{2\lambda+1} \omega(f, \delta). \quad (30)$$

From (27) we have

$$\omega_{f_0}(x_0; \delta)_\lambda \geq \frac{1}{2} \sup_{0 < r \leq \delta} \frac{\omega(f, r)}{\left( \sinh \frac{r}{2} \right)^{2\lambda+1}} \left( \int_0^r - \int_0^{\frac{r}{2}} \right) \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt.$$

Taking into account here (28) and (29), we get

$$\omega_{f_0}(x_0; \delta)_\lambda \geq \frac{2^{2\lambda}}{2\lambda+1} \left( 1 - \left( \cosh \frac{1}{2} \right)^{2\lambda-1} \right) \omega(f, \delta). \quad (31)$$

From (29) and (31) we have

$$\frac{2^{2\lambda}}{2\lambda+1} \left( 1 - \left( \cosh \frac{1}{2} \right)^{2\lambda-1} \right) \omega(f, \delta) \leq \omega_{f_0}(x_0; \delta)_\lambda \leq \frac{2^{2\lambda+1}}{2\lambda+1} \omega(f, \delta).$$

Then

$$|L_\varepsilon^\lambda f_0(x_0) - f(x_0)| \geq \frac{(2\lambda+1)}{2^{2\lambda+1}} \int_0^\infty K_\varepsilon^\lambda(\cosh t) \omega_{f_0}(x_0; 4t)_\lambda \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt. \quad \square$$

This theorem shows that estimate (19) in Theorem 2 is final with respect to order.

Assume

$$\hat{f}(\alpha) = \int_1^\infty f(x) P_\alpha^\lambda(x) (x^2 - 1)^{\lambda - \frac{1}{2}} dx, \quad \check{g}(x) = \int_1^\infty g(\alpha) P_\alpha^\lambda(x) (\alpha^2 - 1)^{\lambda - \frac{1}{2}} d\alpha.$$

**Theorem 5.** For any  $f, g \in L_{1,\lambda}[1, \infty)$  the equality

$$\int_1^\infty \hat{f}(\alpha) g(\alpha) (\alpha^2 - 1)^{\lambda - \frac{1}{2}} d\alpha = \int_1^\infty f(x) \check{g}(x) (x^2 - 1)^{\lambda - \frac{1}{2}} dx$$

is true.

*Proof.* Applying Fubini's theorem, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^\infty \hat{f}(\alpha)g(\alpha)(\alpha^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}d\alpha &= \int_1^\infty \left( \int_1^\infty f(x)P_\alpha^\lambda(x)(x^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}} \right) g(\alpha)(\alpha^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}d\alpha \\ &= \int_1^\infty \left( \int_1^\infty g(\alpha)P_\alpha^\lambda(x)(\alpha^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}d\alpha \right) f(x)(x^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}dx \\ &= \int_1^\infty \check{g}(x)f(x)(x^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}dx. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

Let  $\Phi \in L_{1,\lambda}[1, \infty)$ . Consider the  $\Phi$ -means of the Gegenbauer integrals (18)

$$S_\varphi(x, \varepsilon; f) = \int_1^\infty \hat{f}(\alpha)Q_\alpha^\lambda(x)\Phi(\varepsilon\alpha)(\alpha^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}d\alpha.$$

**Theorem 6.** Let  $f, \Phi$  and  $\varphi = \check{\Phi}$  belong to  $L_{1,\lambda}[1, \infty)$ ,

$$\int_1^\infty \varphi(t)(t^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}dt = 1, \quad x_0 \in [1, \infty).$$

Then

$$|S_\varphi(x_0, \varepsilon; f) - f(x_0)| \leq 4^{2\lambda+1} \int_0^\infty \varphi^*(\cosh t)w_f(x_0; 4\varepsilon t) \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt \quad (\varepsilon > 0)$$

*Proof.* Denoting  $d\mu(t) = (t^2 - 1)^{\lambda-1/2}dt$  and using Theorem 4 we get

$$S_\varphi(x_0, \varepsilon; f) = \int_1^\infty A_t^\lambda f(x)\varphi_\varepsilon(x)d\mu(x) = \int_1^\infty f(x)A_t^\lambda \varphi_\varepsilon(x)d\mu(x),$$

whence, allowing for the equality

$$\int_1^\infty \varphi_\varepsilon(t)(t^2 - 1)^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}dt = \int_0^\infty \varphi_\varepsilon(\cosh t) \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt = 1,$$

we get

$$S_\varphi(x_0, \varepsilon; f) - f(x_0) = \int_0^\infty [A_{\cosh t}^\lambda f(x_0) - f(x_0)] \varphi_\varepsilon(\cosh t) \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt.$$

Hence, as in the proof of Theorem 2, we get

$$|S_{\varphi}(x_0, \varepsilon, f) - f(x_0)| \leq 4^{2\lambda+1} \int_0^{\infty} \varphi_{\varepsilon}^*(\cosh u) w_f(x_0; 4u)_{\lambda} \sinh^{2\lambda} u du.$$

Taking into account that here

$$\varphi_{\varepsilon}(\cosh t) = \frac{\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \varphi\left(\cosh \frac{t}{\varepsilon}\right) \sinh^{2\lambda} \frac{t}{\varepsilon}}{\sinh^{2\lambda} t},$$

we get

$$|S_{\varphi}(x_0, \varepsilon; f) - f(x_0)| \leq 4^{2\lambda+1} \int_0^{\infty} w_f(x_0, 4\varepsilon t)_{\lambda} \varphi^*(\cosh t) \sinh^{2\lambda} t dt. \quad \square$$

*Remark.* Note that the results obtained in Theorem 6 are the analogues of the corresponding results from [2] and in the proof we have used the techniques of the authors of this work.

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