

**STEČKIN INEQUALITIES FOR SUMMABILITY METHODS**

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**ABSTRACT.** Stečkin proved an inequality on Fejér means of Fourier series. He said, "Proving similar inequality for other summability method is an interesting problem." We generalize Stečkin's inequality and give various applications to summability methods.

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**1. INTRODUCTION**

Let  $C_{2\pi}$  be space of  $2\pi$ -periodic continuous functions,  $\|f\| := \max_{0 \leq x \leq 2\pi} |f(x)|$ . Let  $f \in C_{2\pi}$ , its Fourier series is given by

$$f(x) \sim \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (a_i \cos ix + b_i \sin ix).$$

Denote  $\Pi_n$  to be the set of trigonometric polynomials of order at most  $n$ , and

$$E_n(f) := E_n(f)_{C_{2\pi}} := \min_{t_n \in \Pi_n} \|f - t_n\|.$$

For a triangular matrix  $\Lambda := \{\lambda_{i,m(n)}\}$  with  $\lambda_{0,m(n)} = 1 (n = 0, 1, \dots)$  we consider the linear summability method

$$\begin{aligned} U_{m(n)}(f, x) &:= \frac{a_0}{2} \lambda_{0,m(n)} + \sum_{i=1}^{m(n)} \lambda_{i,m(n)} (a_i \cos ix + b_i \sin ix), \\ &=: \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{i=1}^{m(n)} \lambda_{i,m(n)} A_i(x). \end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

If  $\lambda_{i,n} = 1 - \frac{i}{n+1} (0 \leq i \leq n)$  we obtain Fejér means  $\sigma_n$ .

By  $M_i$  and  $C_i$  we denote positive constants independent of  $n$ , and  $f$ .

S. B. Stečkin proved in [1].

**THEOREM A.** Let  $f \in C_{2\pi}$ , then we have

$$\|f - \sigma_n(f)\| \leq \frac{M_1}{n+1} \sum_{i=0}^n E_i(f). \tag{1.2}$$

Let  $\mathbb{N}$  be the set of natural numbers.

If  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\lambda_{i,n} = 1 - \left(\frac{i}{n+1}\right)^k (1 \leq i \leq n)$ , we obtain Zygmund typical means  $Z_n^k$

The following generalization is obtained by M. F. Timan (see [2]).

**THEOREM B.** Let  $f \in C_{2\pi}$ , then we have

$$\|f - Z_n^k(f)\| \leq \frac{M_2}{(n+1)^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} E_i(f). \tag{1.3}$$

In §2 we establish lemmas of comparison of summability methods with Zygmund typical means  $Z_n^k$ . The generalization of Stečkin's inequality is proved in §3. Using the results of §2 and §3 some applications on various summability methods are given in §4-§5.

**2. LEMMA OF COMPARISON**

Favard and Trigub [3] investigated comparison of linear summability methods of Fourier series. Butzer, Nessel, and Trebels investigated comparison of summability methods in Banach spaces.

Let  $A$  be a linear operator mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $C_{2\pi}$  and  $\|A\|$  be its norm.

**LEMMA 1.** Suppose that  $A_n$  is a sequence of linear operators mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $C_{2\pi}$  with  $\|A_n\| = O(1)$ , and  $B_n$  is a sequence of linear operators mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $\Gamma_n$  with  $\|B_n\| = O(1)$ . In order that for any  $f \in C_{2\pi}$

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq M_3 \cdot \|f - B_n f\|, \tag{2.1}$$

it is sufficient and necessary that for any  $t \in \Gamma_n$

$$\|t_n - A_n(t_n)\| \leq M_4 \cdot \|t_n - B_n(t_n)\|. \tag{2.2}$$

**PROOF.** Necessity. Obviously from (2.1) we obtain (2.2).

Sufficiency. Let  $f \in C_{2\pi}$  and  $t_n^*$  be polynomial of  $n$ th best approximation, i.e.,  $\|f - t_n^*\| = E_n(f)$ . Then by the boundness of  $\|A_n\|$  and  $\|B_n\|$ , one gets

$$\begin{aligned} \|f - A_n f\| &\leq \|f - t_n^*\| + \|t_n^* - A_n(t_n^*)\| + \|A_n(t_n^* - f)\| \\ &\leq E_n(f) + M_4 \cdot \|t_n^* - B_n(t_n^*)\| + M_5 \cdot E_n(f) \\ &\leq (1 + M_5) \cdot E_n(f) + M_4 \cdot \|t_n^* - f\| + M_4 \cdot \|f - B_n f\| + M_4 \cdot \|B_n(f - t_n^*)\| \\ &\leq (1 + M_5) \cdot E_n(f) + M_4 \cdot E_n(f) + M_4 \cdot \|f - B_n f\| + M_4 \cdot M_6 \cdot E_n(f) \\ &\leq (1 + M_5 + M_4 + M_4 \cdot M_6) \cdot E_n(f) + M_4 \cdot \|f - B_n f\|. \end{aligned}$$

It is clear that if  $A_n$  are also mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $\Gamma_n$ , then converse inequality holds, this is

**COROLLARY 1.** In Lemma 1 if in addition:  $A_n$  is a sequence of linear operators mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $\Gamma_n$ , then for any  $f \in C_{2\pi}$

$$M_7 \cdot \|f - B_n f\| \leq \|f - A_n f\| \leq M_8 \cdot \|f - B_n f\|.$$

Corollary 1 (case in (2.2):  $A_n(t_n) = B_n(t_n), \forall t_n \in \Gamma_n$ ) is also obtained by Berman in [4].

**LEMMA 2.** Let  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $A_n$  be a sequence of linear operators mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $C_{2\pi}$ , in order that for every  $f \in C_{2\pi}$

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq M_9 \cdot \|f - Z_n^k(f)\|, \tag{2.3}$$

it is sufficient and necessary that

- (i)  $\|A_n\| = O(1)$ ,
- (ii)  $A_n$  satisfies  $(b_k)$  (if  $k$  is even) and  $(\tilde{b}_k)$  (if  $k$  is odd), here

Condition  $(b_k)$  for some  $k \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq \frac{M_{10}}{(n+1)^k} \|f^{(k)}\|, \quad \forall f, \quad f^{(k)} \in C_{2\pi}.$$

Condition  $(\tilde{b}_k)$  for some  $k \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq \frac{M_{11}}{(n+1)^k} \|\tilde{f}^{(k)}\|, \quad \forall f, \quad \tilde{f}^{(k)} \in C_{2\pi}.$$

Here  $\tilde{f}(x)$  is a conjugate function of  $f(x) \in C_{2\pi}$

**Necessity** It is evident (see [5]),  $\|Z_n^k\| = O(1)$ , hence by (2.3) we have  $\|A_n\| = O(1)$  The statement (ii) follows from the following Zygmund's inequalities (see [5]) in Chap. VIII, § 8.7, problem 27:

(iii) For  $f \in C_{2\pi}$  and  $f^{(k)} \in C_{2\pi}$

$$\|f - Z_n^k(f)\| \leq \frac{M_{12}}{(n+1)^k} \|f^{(k)}\|, \quad \text{if } k \text{ is even,} \tag{2.4}$$

(iv) For  $f \in C_{2\pi}$  and  $\tilde{f}^{(k)} \in C_{2\pi}$

$$\|f - Z_n^k(f)\| \leq \frac{M_{13}}{(n+1)^k} \|\tilde{f}^{(k)}\|, \quad \text{if } k \text{ is odd,} \tag{2.5}$$

**Sufficiency** We note that for  $t_n \in \Pi_n$  we have

$$\frac{\|t_n^{(k)}\|}{(n+1)^k} = \|t_n - Z_n^k(t_n)\|, \quad (k \text{ even}) \tag{2.6}$$

$$\frac{\|\tilde{t}_n^{(k)}\|}{(n+1)^k} = \|t_n - Z_n^k(t_n)\|, \quad (k \text{ odd}) \tag{2.7}$$

Combining these with (ii) we get

$$\|t_n - A_n(t_n)\| \leq M_{14} \|t_n - Z_n^k(t_n)\|, \quad (k \in \mathbb{N}),$$

the inequality (2.3) follows from this estimate and Lemma 1

### 3. STEČKIN'S PROBLEM

**THEOREM 1.** Suppose that  $A_n$  is a sequence of linear operators mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $C_{2\pi}$ ,  $A_n$  satisfies  $\|A_n\| = O(1)$  and condition  $(\tilde{b}_k)$  for some  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , then for any  $f \in C_{2\pi}$  we have

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq \frac{M_{15}}{(n+1)^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_i(f). \tag{3.1}$$

**PROOF.** If  $k$  is odd, then (3.1) follows from Lemma 2 and Theorem B. If  $k$  is even, and we choose  $T_n \in \Pi_n$ , such that  $\|f - T_n\| = E_n(f)$ , since  $(\tilde{b}_k)$  and (2.7) ( $Z_n^1 = \sigma_n$ ) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_n - A_n(T_n)\| &\leq \frac{M_{16}}{(n+1)^k} \|\tilde{T}_n^{(k)}\| = \frac{M_{16}}{(n+1)^k} \|(\tilde{T}_n^{(k-1)})'\| \\ &= \frac{M_{16}}{(n+1)^k} \left\| \widetilde{(T_n^{(k-1)})'} \right\| = \frac{M_{16}}{(n+1)^{k-1}} \|T_n^{(k-1)} - \sigma_n(T_n^{(k-1)})\|, \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

we have by Theorem A

$$\|T_n^{(k-1)} - \sigma_n(T_n^{(k-1)})\| \leq \frac{M_1}{(n+1)} \sum_{\nu=0}^n E_\nu(T_n^{(k-1)}), \quad (3.3)$$

to estimate the sum of (3.3), we apply the inequality (see [5]) in Chap V §5 6 36 If  $r \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $g \in C_{2\pi}$  and  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} i^{r-1} \cdot E_i(g) < \infty$ , then  $g^{(r)} \in C_{2\pi}$  and

$$E_\nu(g^{(r)}) \leq M_{17} \{(\nu+1)^r \cdot E_\nu(g) + \sum_{i=\nu+1}^{\infty} i^{r-1} \cdot E_i(g)\}, \quad (3.4)$$

taking  $r = k-1$  ( $k \geq 2$ ),  $g = T_n$ , since  $E_i(T_n) = 0$  ( $i \geq n$ ) we obtain for  $0 \leq \nu \leq n$

$$E_\nu(T_n^{(k-1)}) \leq M_{17} \{(\nu+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_\nu(T_n) + \sum_{i=\nu}^n i^{k-2} \cdot E_i(T_n)\}, \quad (3.5)$$

for  $0 \leq i \leq n$  from definition we have

$$E_i(g) \leq \|g - 0\| = \|g\|, \quad \forall g \in C_{2\pi},$$

and we have (see [5]) in Chap II, §2.5

- (1) for  $g$  and  $h \in C_{2\pi}$ ,  $E_i(g+h) \leq E_i(g) + E_i(h)$ ;
- (2)  $E_n(f) \leq E_i(f)$

hence

$$E_i(T_n) \leq E_i(T_n - f) + E_i(f) \leq \|T_n - f\| + E_i(f) = E_n(f) + E_i(f) \leq 2E_i(f),$$

from (3.5) we have

$$E_\nu(T_n^{(k-1)}) \leq 2M_{17} \{(\nu+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_\nu(f) + \sum_{i=\nu}^n i^{k-2} \cdot E_i(f)\},$$

hence

$$\sum_{\nu=0}^n E_\nu(T_n^{(k-1)}) \leq 2M_{17} \cdot \left\{ \sum_{\nu=0}^n (\nu+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_\nu(f) + \sum_{\nu=0}^n \sum_{i=\nu}^n i^{k-2} \cdot E_i(f) \right\}, \quad (3.6)$$

we have

$$\sum_{\nu=0}^n \sum_{i=\nu}^n i^{k-2} \cdot E_i(f) = \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{\nu=0}^i i^{k-2} \cdot E_i(f) = \sum_{i=0}^n i^{k-2} \cdot (i+1) \cdot E_i(f) \leq \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_i(f), \quad (3.7)$$

combining (3.2), (3.3), (3.6), (3.7) we have

$$\|T_n - A_n(T_n)\| \leq \frac{4M_{16} \cdot M_1 \cdot M_{17}}{(n+1)^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_i(f), \quad (3.8)$$

since  $\|A_n\| = O(1)$  ( $\|A_n\| \leq M_{18}$ ) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|f - A_n f\| &\leq \|f - T_n\| + \|T_n - A_n(T_n)\| + \|A_n(T_n - f)\| \\ &\leq E_n(f) + \frac{4M_{16} \cdot M_1 \cdot M_{17}}{(n+1)^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_i(f) + M_{18} \cdot E_n(f). \end{aligned} \quad (3.9)$$

since  $E_n(f) \leq E_i(f)$  ( $0 \leq i \leq n$ ) we have

$$\begin{aligned} E_n(f) &\leq \frac{c_1}{(n+1)^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_n(f) \\ &\leq \frac{c_1}{(n+1)^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_i(f), \end{aligned} \tag{3.10}$$

combining (3.9) and (3.10) we get

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq \frac{M_{15}}{(n+1)^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_i(f).$$

**REMARK 1.** Let  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $A_n$  be a sequence of linear operators mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $C_{2\pi}$ . In order that for any  $f \in C_{2\pi}$

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq M_{19} \cdot \omega_k\left(f, \frac{1}{n}\right),$$

it is sufficient and necessary that  $A_n$  satisfies conditions  $\|A_n\| = O(1)$  and  $(b_k)$  (see [6]) on page 182

We have (see [5]) in Chap. VI, 6.11, for  $f \in C_{2\pi}$

$$\omega_k\left(f, \frac{1}{n}\right) \leq \frac{M_{20}}{n^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_i(f),$$

from Remark 1 we also obtain

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq \frac{M_{21}}{(n+1)^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_i(f).$$

Let  $f \in C_{2\pi}$  and  $\omega_1(f, \delta)$  be the modulus of continuity of  $f$ . Classes of functions  $\text{Lip}(1, M) := \{f | \omega_1(f, \delta) \leq M\delta\}$ , and  $\text{Lip } 1 := \left\{ \bigcup_{M>0} \text{Lip}(1, M) \right\}$

**LEMMA 3.** Let  $A_n$  be a sequence of linear operators mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $C_{2\pi}$ ,  $A_n(1, x) = 1$ , if for  $\tilde{f}^{(k-1)} \in \text{Lip } 1$

$$\|f - A_n f\| = O\left(\frac{1}{n^k}\right), \tag{3.11}$$

then for  $f \in C_{2\pi}$  and  $\tilde{f}^{(k)} \in C_{2\pi}$  we have

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq \frac{M_{22}}{(n+1)^k} \cdot \|\tilde{f}^{(k)}\|. \tag{3.12}$$

**PROOF.** If  $f \in C_{2\pi}$  and  $\tilde{f}^{(k)} \in C_{2\pi}$  we have

$$\left| \tilde{f}^{(k-1)}(x+t) - \tilde{f}^{(k-1)}(x) \right| \leq \|\tilde{f}^{(k)}\| t, \quad (t \geq 0),$$

if  $D := \|\tilde{f}^{(k)}\| > 0$  then  $\tilde{f}^{(k-1)}/D \in \text{Lip}(1, 1)$ , from (3.11) we obtain  $\left\| \frac{f}{D} - A_n\left(\frac{f}{D}\right) \right\| = O\left(\frac{1}{n^k}\right)$ , hence

$$\|f - A_n f\| \leq \frac{M_{22}}{(n+1)^k} \cdot D = \frac{M_{22}}{(n+1)^k} \|\tilde{f}^{(k)}\|, \tag{3.13}$$

if  $\|\tilde{f}^{(k)}\| = 0$ , then  $f \equiv \text{const}$  (see [5]) in §5.9.1, since  $A_n(1, x) = 1$ , obviously (3.12) holds

Sequence of Fejér mean  $\sigma_n$  is saturated with order  $(n^{-1})$  and saturation class  $S(L_n) := \{f | \tilde{f} \in \text{Lip } 1\}$ , using Lema 3 we obtain that  $\sigma_n$  satisfies  $(\tilde{b}_1)$ , since  $\|\sigma_n\| = 1$  and Theorem 1, we obtain Theorem A

**PROBLEM 1.** Let  $A_n$  be a sequence of linear operators mapping  $C_{2\pi}$  to  $C_{2\pi}$ , finding sufficient and necessary conditions on  $A_n$  such that Timan type inequality (1 3) holds

**4. APPLICATIONS**

We give applications on linear summability method  $\bigcup_{m(n)}$  of Fourier series Firstly we have  $\bigcup_{m(n)}(1, x) = 1$

**EXAMPLE 1.**  $(C, \alpha)$  means  $\sigma_n^\alpha (\alpha > 0)$ .  $\lambda_{i,n} = \frac{A_{n-i}^\alpha}{A_n^\alpha} (0 \leq i \leq n)$ ,  $A_n^\alpha := \frac{(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2) \dots (\alpha+n)}{n!}$   
 Trigub proved [3].

**LEMMA 4.** Let  $\alpha > 0$  and  $f \in C_{2\pi}$ , then

$$C_3 \cdot \|f - \sigma_n(f)\| \leq \|f - \sigma_n^\alpha(f)\| \leq C_2 \cdot \|f - \sigma_n(f)\|.$$

**THEOREM 2.** Let  $\alpha > 0$  and  $f \in C_{2\pi}$ , then we have

$$\|f - \sigma_n^\alpha(f)\| \leq \frac{M_{23}}{n+1} \sum_{i=0}^n E_i(f). \tag{4.1}$$

**PROOF.** Obviously from Theorem A and Lemma 4 we obtain Theorem 2.

Let  $\omega(\delta)$  be a modulus of continuity and  $\omega(\delta) > 0 (0 < \delta \leq \pi)$ . Class of functions  $H_\omega := \{f | \omega_1(f, \delta) \leq \omega(\delta), 0 \leq \delta \leq \pi\}$ .

Let  $\omega_1^{**}(\delta)$  be a modified function of first order of  $\omega(\delta)$  (see [1])

$$\omega_1^{**}(\delta) := \delta \cdot \inf_{0 < \eta \leq \delta} \left\{ \eta^{-1} \cdot \inf_{\eta \leq \xi \leq \pi} \omega(\xi) \right\}, \text{ we have } \omega_1^{**}(\delta) \leq \omega(\delta).$$

Let  $a_n > 0, b_n > 0, a_n \approx b_n$  means that there are  $C_4 > 0, C_5 > 0$  such that  $C_4 a_n \leq b_n \leq C_5 a_n$ .

**COROLLARY 2.** Let  $\alpha > 0$ , we have

$$\sup_{f \in H_\omega} \|f - \sigma_n^\alpha(f)\| \approx \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \omega^{**}\left(\frac{1}{i}\right), \tag{4.2}$$

$$\sup_{f \in H_\omega} \|f - \sigma_n(f)\| \approx \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \omega\left(\frac{1}{i}\right), \tag{4.3}$$

$$\sup_{f \in H_\omega} \|f - \sigma_n^\alpha(f)\| \approx \frac{1}{n} \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^\pi \frac{\omega(u)}{u^2} du. \tag{4.4}$$

**PROOF.** For (4.2) ( $\alpha \geq 1$ ) see Sun [7]. For (4.3) ( $\alpha = 1$ ) see Devore [8] on page 227 For (4.4) ( $\alpha \geq 1$ ) see Mazhar and Totik [9]. Using Lemma 4 we have Corollary 2.

Stečkin also proved (see [1])

**LEMMA 5.** For  $f$  and  $\tilde{f} \in C_{2\pi}$ , we have

$$\|f - \sigma_n(f)\| = O(E_n(f)) + O\left(\omega_1\left(\tilde{f}, \frac{1}{n}\right)\right).$$

Lemma 4 implies

**COROLLARY 3.** Let  $\alpha > 0$ , for  $f$  and  $\tilde{f} \in C_{2\pi}$  we have

$$\|f - \sigma_n^\alpha(f)\| = O(E_n(f)) + O\left(\omega_1\left(\tilde{f}, \frac{1}{n}\right)\right). \tag{4.5}$$

(4.2) and (4.5) answer two problems of Sun [7] on  $\sigma_n^\alpha$  ( $0 < \alpha < 1$ )

**EXAMPLE 2.** M Riesz means  $R_n^{(\lambda, \delta)}$   $\lambda_{i,n} = \lambda\left(\frac{i}{n+1}\right)$  ( $0 \leq i \leq n$ ),  $\lambda(u) = (1-u^\lambda)^\delta$  ( $\lambda \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\delta > 0$ )

B Nagy proved that (see [5]) in Chap VIII, §8 7, problem 13,  $\|R_n^{(\lambda, \delta)}\| = O(1)$  G Sunouchi proved that [6] on page 72,  $R_n^{(\lambda, \delta)}$  is saturated with order  $(n^{-\lambda})$  and the saturation class is  $S(R_n^{(\lambda, \delta)}) := \{f \mid \tilde{f}^{(\lambda-1)} \in \text{Lip } 1$  ( $\lambda$  odd) and  $f^{(\lambda-1)} \in \text{Lip } 1$  ( $\lambda$  even)\}, using Theorem 1 and Remark 1 we obtain that for any  $f \in C_{2\pi}$

$$\|f - R_n^{(\lambda, \delta)}(f)\| \leq \frac{M_{24}}{(n+1)^\lambda} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{\lambda-1} \cdot E_i(f), \quad (\lambda \in \mathbb{N}).$$

**EXAMPLE 3.** Operators  $L_n$  determined by convolution with kernels of Korovkin (see [8]) on page 107  $L_n$  is saturated with order  $(n^{-1})$  and saturation class  $S(L_n) := \{f \mid \tilde{f} \in \text{Lip } 1\}$ , hence we obtain Stečkin type inequality

**EXAMPLE 4.** Nishishiraho and Wang Si-Lei proved (see [10])

**LEMMA 6.** Suppose that there exists a sequence  $\{\phi_n\}$  of positive real numbers converging to zero, which satisfies

$$n \liminf_{\infty} \frac{(1 - \lambda_{i,n})}{\phi_n} = K, \quad \text{and let } \sum_{i=0}^n |\Delta^2 \lambda_{i,n}| = o(\phi_n),$$

where  $\Delta^2 \lambda_{i,n} = \lambda_{i,n} - 2\lambda_{i+1,n} + \lambda_{i+2,n}$ , and  $\lambda_{i,n} = 0$  ( $i > n$ ). If  $\phi_n = \frac{6}{n}$ , then  $\bigcup_n$  is saturated with the order  $(n^{-1})$  and saturation class  $S(\bigcup_n) := \{f \mid \tilde{f} \in \text{Lip } 1\}$ , using Theorem 1 and Lemma 3 we obtain Stečkin type inequality.

**5. POLYNOMIALS OF INTERPOLATION AND CAO-GONSKA OPERATORS**

Let  $f(x) \in C_{2\pi}$  and  $\bigcup_n^*(f, x)$  be linear summability (with  $\Lambda = \{\lambda_{i,n}\}$ ) of trigonometric polynomial of interpolation on nodes  $y_i = \frac{2i\pi}{2n+1}$  ( $i=0, 1, \dots, 2n$ ) [4] [5]. Berman proved [4] and [5] in 8.7, problem 7

**LEMMA 7.** Let  $K_n(v) := \frac{1}{2} + \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_{i,n} \cos iv$ ,  $\int_0^\pi |K_n(v)| dv = O(1)$ , then for  $f \in C_{2\pi}$

$$M_{25} \cdot \|f - U_n(f)\| \leq \|f - U_n^*(f)\| \leq M_{26} \cdot \|f - U_n(f)\|.$$

**THEOREM 3.** Let  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\int_0^\pi |K_n(v)| dv = O(1)$ , and  $\Lambda = \{\lambda_{i,n}\}$  satisfies  $(\tilde{b}_k)$ , then, for any  $f \in C_{2\pi}$

$$\|f - U_n^*(f)\| \leq \frac{M_{27}}{(n+1)^k} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} E_i(f).$$

**PROOF.** From Lemma 7 and Theorem 1 we obtain Theorem 3.

Let  $f \in C[-1, 1]$ , the Pičugov-Lehnhoff operators are defined by ( $\theta = \arccos x$ ,  $x \in [-1, 1]$ ),  $K_{m(n)}(v) := \frac{1}{2} + \sum_{i=1}^{m(n)} \lambda_{i,m(n)} \cos iv$

$$G_{m(n)}(f(t), x) := \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^\pi f(\cos(v + \arccos x)) K_{m(n)}(v) dv. \tag{5.1}$$

Let  $T_i(x) := \cos(i \arccos x)$  be the  $i$ -th Chebyšev polynomial, and  $x_{\gamma, N_0} := \cos \frac{2\gamma-1}{2N_0} \pi$ ,  $1 \leq \gamma \leq N_0$ , the Cao and Gonska polynomials are defined by (see [11])

$$\Lambda_{m(n), N_0}(f, x) := \frac{1}{N_0} \sum_{\gamma=1}^{N_0} f(x_{\gamma, N_0}) \left\{ 1 + 2 \sum_{i=1}^{m(n)} \lambda_{i, m(n)} \cdot T_i(x_{\gamma, N_0}) \cdot T_i(x) \right\}, \quad (5.2)$$

specifically  $\Lambda_{n-1, n}$  are the Varma-Mills operators (see [11])

**LEMMA 8.** Let  $N_0 \geq m(n) + 1$  and  $\int_0^\pi |K_{m(n)}(v)| dv = O(1)$ , then for any  $f \in C[-1, 1]$

$$M_{28} \cdot \|f - G_{m(n)}(f)\|_{C[-1, 1]} \leq \|f - \Lambda_{m(n), N_0}(f)\|_{C[-1, 1]} \leq M_{29} \cdot \|f - G_{m(n)}(f)\|_{C[-1, 1]}.$$

**PROOF.** (see [12]).

**THEOREM 4.** Let  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $N_0 \geq m(n) + 1$ , and  $\lambda = \{\lambda_{i, m(n)}\}$  satisfies  $\int_0^\pi |K_{m(n)}(v)| dv = O(1)$  and  $(\tilde{b}_k)$ , then for any  $f \in C[-1, 1]$

$$\|f - \Lambda_{m(n), N_0}(f)\|_{C[-1, 1]} \leq \frac{M_{30}}{(n+1)_K} \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)^{k-1} \cdot E_i(f)_{C[-1, 1]}.$$

**PROOF.** Letting  $\phi(t) = f(\cos t)$ , using Lemma 8 and Theorem 1 we obtain Theorem 4.

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