ON THE CESÀRO SUMMABILITY OF FOURIER SERIES

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1. Introduction. Let f(t) be an integrable function periodic with period 2π and let

$$\varphi_x(t) = \varphi(t) = f(x+t) + f(x-t) - 2s.$$

We denote by Δ a constant ≥ 1 .

G. H. Hardy and J. E. Littlewood [3] proved the following theorem :

THEOREM A. If $\varphi(t)$ satisfies

(1.1)
$$\int_{0} |\varphi(u)| du = o\left(t/\log \frac{1}{t}\right)$$

t.

and

(1.2)
$$\int_{0} |d\{u^{\Delta}\varphi(u)\}| = O(t), \quad 0 \leq t \leq \eta,$$

then the Fourier series of f(t) converges to s at a point x.

Recently G. Sunouchi [5], [6], [7] proved the following theorems :

THEOREM B. If $\varphi(t)$ satisfies the condition (1.2) and

(1.3)
$$\int_{0}^{t} \varphi(u) du = o(t^{\Delta}),$$

then the Fourier series of f(t) converges to s at a point x.

THEOREM C. If satisfies the condition (1.3) and

(1.4)
$$\lim_{k\to\infty} \limsup_{u\to 0} \int_{(ku)^{1/\Delta}}^{\eta} \frac{|\varphi(t+u)-\varphi(t)|}{t} dt = 0,$$

then the Fourier series of f(t) converges to s at a point x.

THEOREM D. If $\varphi(t)$ satisfies the conditions (1.1) and (1.4), then the Fourier series of f(t) converges to s at a point x.

THEOREM E. Let us suppose that

(1.5) $\theta(x)$ is a positive differentiable function with $\theta'(x) > 0$,

(1.6)
$$\Theta(x) = \int^x \frac{du}{u\theta(u)} \quad increases \ with \ x,$$

(1.7)
$$\mu(x,c) = 1/\Theta^{-1}(\Theta(x) - c).$$

Let f(t) be an even integrable function with mean value zero and its