

128. On the Convergence Criterion of M. Izumi and S. Izumi

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1. Introduction. Let $f(x)$ be a periodic function with period 2π and L -integrable over $[-\pi, \pi]$, and let

$$\phi(u) = \phi_x(u) = f(x+u) + f(x-u) - 2f(x).$$

The following theorem on the convergence of Fourier series has been established by M. Izumi and S. Izumi [1]:

Theorem A. If

$$\int_0^t \phi(u) du = o(t) \quad (t \rightarrow 0), \quad (1)$$

and for some $\delta > 0$, there is an $\alpha (0 < \alpha < 1)$ such that

$$\int_t^\delta |d(u^{-\alpha}\phi(u))| = o(t^{-\alpha}), \quad (2)$$

then the Fourier series of $f(x)$ converges to $f(x)$ at the point x .

This theorem is an extension of the following theorem of Tomic [2]:

Theorem B. If at the point x , $\phi(u) \rightarrow 0$ as $u \rightarrow 0$ and for $u \rightarrow 0$, $\phi(u)$ is slowly varying, then the Fourier series of $f(x)$ converges to $f(x)$ at the point x .

The aim of this paper is to discuss the relations between Izumi-Izumi's test and the following two tests:

Theorem C (Young). If (1) holds and

$$\int_0^t |d(u\phi(u))| = o(t), \quad (3)$$

then the Fourier series converges to $f(x)$.

Theorem D (Lebesgue). (1) and

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{t \rightarrow 0} \int_{kt}^\pi \frac{|\phi(u) - \phi(u+t)|}{u} du = 0 \quad (4)$$

imply the convergence of the Fourier series of $f(x)$ at the point x .

We shall prove that Izumi-Izumi's test includes Young's but is included in Lebesgue's test.

2. The relation between M. Izumi - S. Izumi's and Young's test. We first prove that Izumi-Izumi's test includes Young's. It is enough to prove the following

Theorem 1. (3) implies (2).

Proof. Suppose that (3) holds. Then