

52. Best Possibility of an Integral Test for Sample Continuity of L_p -Processes ($p \geq 2$)

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§ 1. Introduction. Let $\{X(t, \omega); 0 \leq t \leq 1, \omega \in \Omega\}$ be a real valued separable stochastic process defined on a probability space $(\Omega, \mathfrak{A}, P)$. We concern a best possible integral test for sample continuity of all processes belonging to an indicated class. For this aim, we define for $p \geq 1$,

S_p = a collection of all separable stochastic processes $\{X(t, \omega); 0 \leq t \leq 1, \omega \in \Omega\}$ up to equivalent class such that

$$(E[|X(t)|^p])^{1/p} = \|X(t)\|_p < +\infty \quad \text{for all } 0 \leq t \leq 1,$$

Σ = a collection of all continuous function on $[0, 1]$ which are non-negative, non-decreasing and zero at the origin,

and for $\sigma \in \Sigma$

$$S_p(\sigma) = \{\{X(t)\} \in S_p; \|X(t) - X(s)\|_p \leq \sigma(|t - s|)\}.$$

Then the following integral test for sample continuity of all processes belonging to $S_p(\sigma)$ is known ([1]).

Theorem A. *If*

$$I_p(\sigma) = \int_{+0} h^{-(1+1/p)} \sigma(h) dh < +\infty,$$

then all processes belonging to $S_p(\sigma)$ have continuous sample paths with probability 1.

The converse statement is not true in general, but Hahn-Klass [2] have proved the following theorem using a rearrangement of σ in case of $p=2$.

$$\text{Set } \bar{\sigma}(h) = \inf_{y \geq 1} y \sigma(h/y).$$

Theorem B. *All processes belonging to $S_2(\sigma)$ have continuous sample paths with probability 1 if and only if $I_2(\bar{\sigma})$ converges.*

In this paper, we establish some relation concerning about $\bar{\sigma}$ and extend Theorem B to $p \geq 2$ by just the analogous method as them.

§ 2. Set

$$\sigma_*(h) = \sup_{\{X(t)\} \in S_p(\sigma)} \sup_{\substack{0 \leq s \leq h \\ 0 \leq t \leq t+s \leq 1}} \|X(t+s) - X(t)\|_p,$$

and

$$\sigma^*(h) = \text{the largest sub-additive minorant of } \sigma,$$

that is, σ^* is characterized by the following :

(i) $\sigma^* \in \Sigma$,