

NECESSARY CONDITIONS FOR THE  $L^p$ -CONVERGENCE  
 $(0 < p < 1)$  OF SINGLE AND DOUBLE TRIGONOMETRIC SERIES

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*Abstract.* We give necessary conditions in terms of the coefficients for the convergence of a double trigonometric series in the  $L^p$ -metric, where  $0 < p < 1$ . The results and their proofs have been motivated by the recent papers of A. S. Belov (2008) and F. Móricz (2010). Our basic tools in the proofs are the Hardy-Littlewood inequality for functions in  $H^p$  and the Bernstein-Zygmund inequalities for the derivatives of trigonometric polynomials and their conjugates in the  $L^p$ -metric, where  $0 < p < 1$ .

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## 1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

Let  $f_1(x)$  be a complex-valued function, periodic with period  $2\pi$ , and integrable in Lebesgue's sense, briefly  $f_1 \in L^1(\mathbb{T})$ . We consider its Fourier series

$$(1.1) \quad f_1(x) \sim \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} c_k e^{ikx}, \quad x \in \mathbb{T} = [-\pi, \pi].$$

The symmetric partial sums of the series in (1.1) are defined by

$$s_n(f_1) = s_n(f_1; x) := \sum_{|k| \leq n} c_k e^{ikx}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N},$$

where  $\mathbb{N} := \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ . The  $L^1(\mathbb{T})$ -norm of a function  $f_1$  is defined by

$$\|f_1\| = \|f_1(x)\|_1 := \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} |f_1(x)| dx.$$

The following theorem was proved by A. S. Belov in [2] (also note that some generalizations of the results of [2] were given by the first author in [5]).

**Theorem 1.1.** *Assume  $f_1 \in L^1(\mathbb{T}^2)$  and*

$$\|s_n(f_1) - f_1\| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

*Then*

$$(1.2) \quad \sum_{k=[n/2]}^{2n} \frac{|c_k| + |c_{-k}|}{(|k-n|+1)} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Now, we shall discuss some known results for double Fourier series. Let us suppose that  $f_2(x, y)$  is a complex-valued function, periodic with period  $2\pi$  in each variable, and integrable in Lebesgue's sense, briefly  $f_2 \in L^1(\mathbb{T}^2)$ . We consider its double Fourier series

$$(1.3) \quad f_2(x, y) \sim \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \sum_{l \in \mathbb{Z}} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)}, \quad (x, y) \in \mathbb{T}^2.$$

The symmetric rectangular partial sums of the double series in (1.3) are defined by

$$s_{mn}(f_2) = s_{mn}(f_2; x, y) := \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)}, \quad (m, n) \in \mathbb{N}^2.$$

The  $L^1(\mathbb{T}^2)$ -norm of a function  $f_2$  is defined by

$$\|f_2\| = \|f_2(x, y)\|_1 := \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint_{\mathbb{T}^2} |f_2(x, y)| dx dy.$$

The next statement is due to the third author [6]; it extends the results of A. S. Belov from single to double Fourier series.

**Theorem 1.2.** *Assume  $f_2 \in L^1(\mathbb{T}^2)$  and*

$$\|s_{mn}(f_2) - f_2\| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } m, n \rightarrow \infty$$

*independently of one another. Then*

$$(1.4) \quad \sum_{k=[m/2]}^{2m} \sum_{l=[n/2]}^{2n} \frac{|c_{kl}| + |c_{-k,l}| + |c_{k,-l}| + |c_{-k,-l}|}{(|k-m|+1)(|l-n|+1)} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } m, n \rightarrow \infty.$$

For  $f_1 \in L^p(\mathbb{T})$ ,  $0 < p < 1$ , the  $L^p$ -metric is defined by

$$\|f_1\|_{L^p} = \|f_1\|_p = \left( \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} |f_1(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p}.$$

Similarly, for  $f_2 \in L^p(\mathbb{T}^2)$ ,  $0 < p < 1$ , the  $L^p$ -metric is defined by

$$\|f_2\|_{L^p} = \|f_2\|_p = \left( \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint_{\mathbb{T}^2} |f_2(x, y)|^p dx dy \right)^{1/p}.$$

We recall that for  $0 < p < 1$ ,  $\|\cdot\|_p$  is not a norm since it does not satisfy the triangle inequality, but it is known as a quasi-norm.

The aim of this paper is to obtain necessary conditions for the convergence of the trigonometric series (1.1) and (1.3) in the  $L^p$ -metric.

Our main tools in proving the main results are the Bernstein-Zygmund inequality and the Hardy-Littlewood theorem in the spaces  $L^p$  ( $0 < p < 1$ ) and  $H^p$  ( $0 < p < 1$ ), respectively. We also need the Bernstein-Zygmund inequality for trigonometric polynomials and their conjugates. We recall that

$$\tilde{T}_n(x) = \sum_{|k| \leq n} (-i \operatorname{sign} k) c_k e^{ikx}$$

is said to be the conjugate to the polynomial

$$T_n(x) = \sum_{|k| \leq n} c_k e^{ikx}.$$

Moreover, the  $r$ th derivative of a function  $f(x)$  is denoted by  $f^{(r)}(x)$ .

**Lemma 1.3** ([1] or [3, p. 63]). *Let  $T_n(x)$  be a trigonometric polynomial of order  $n$  and  $0 < p < 1$ . Then the inequality*

$$\|T_n^{(r)}\|_p \leq n^r \|T_n\|_p$$

holds true.

**Lemma 1.4** (see [7]). *Let  $T_n(x)$  be a trigonometric polynomial of order  $n$  and  $r > 0$ . Then the inequality*

$$\|\tilde{T}_n^{(r)}\|_p \leq K_{p,r} n^r \|T_n\|_p$$

holds true if and only if  $p > 1/(r+1)$ .

**Lemma 1.5** ([4, Theorem 16]). If  $\varphi(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k z^k$ ,  $|z| < 1$  and  $\varphi \in H^p$ ,  $0 < p < 1$ , then  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (k+1)^{p-2} |c_k|^p \leq K_p \|\varphi\|_p^p$ .

Throughout this paper,  $K_p$ , or  $K_{p,r}$ , denotes a positive constant which depends only on  $p$ , or  $p$  and  $r$ , respectively, but not necessarily the same at each occurrence.

## 2. MAIN RESULTS ON SINGLE TRIGONOMETRIC SERIES

We begin with the following auxiliary statements.

**Lemma 2.1.** For every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $0 < p < 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \min \left\{ \left\| \sum_{k=0}^n c_k e^{ikx} \right\|_p^p, \left\| \sum_{k=0}^n c_k e^{-ikx} \right\|_p^p \right\} \\ \geq K_p \max \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^n (k+1)^{p-2} |c_k|^p, \sum_{k=0}^n (n-k+1)^{p-2} |c_k|^p \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

**P r o o f.** The proof of this lemma is an immediate consequence of Lemma 1.5. Indeed, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \sum_{k=0}^n c_k e^{ikx} \right\|_p^p &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n c_k e^{ikx} \right|^p dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \bar{c}_k e^{-ikx} \right|^p dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left| e^{inx} \sum_{k=0}^n \bar{c}_k e^{-ikx} \right|^p dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \bar{c}_k e^{i(n-k)x} \right|^p dx \\ &= \left\| \sum_{k=0}^n \bar{c}_k e^{i(n-k)x} \right\|_p^p \geq K_p \sum_{k=0}^n (n-k+1)^{p-2} |c_k|^p. \end{aligned}$$

An analogous inequality holds true for  $\sum_{k=0}^n c_k e^{-ikx}$  since

$$\left\| \sum_{k=0}^n c_k e^{-ikx} \right\|_p = \left\| \sum_{k=0}^n \bar{c}_k e^{ikx} \right\|_p.$$

□

**Lemma 2.2.** For all  $-1 \leq n < \nu$ ,  $r = 1, 2, \dots$ , and  $1/(r+1) < p < 1$ , we have

$$\max \left\{ \left\| \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} k^r c_k e^{ikx} \right\|_p, \left\| \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} (-k)^r c_{-\bar{k}} e^{-ikx} \right\|_p \right\} \leq K_{p,r} \nu^r \|s_{\nu} - s_n\|_p.$$

**P r o o f.** Let us denote

$$\tilde{s}_n := \sum_{|k| \leq n} (-i \operatorname{sign} k) c_k e^{ikx}, \quad s_n := \sum_{|k| \leq n} c_k e^{ikx}$$

and

$$\tilde{s}(n, \nu) := \tilde{s}_\nu - \tilde{s}_n, \quad s(n, \nu) := s_\nu - s_n.$$

Then it is obvious that

$$\begin{aligned} s(n, \nu)^{(r)} + i\tilde{s}(n, \nu)^{(r)} &= 2i^r \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} k^r c_k e^{ikx}, \\ s(n, \nu)^{(r)} - i\tilde{s}(n, \nu)^{(r)} &= 2i^r \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} (-k)^r c_{-k} e^{-ikx}. \end{aligned}$$

In what follows, we shall use the well-known inequality

$$|a+b|^\beta \leq |a|^\beta + |b|^\beta \quad \text{if } 0 < \beta < 1.$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned} 2^p \left\| \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} k^r c_k e^{ikx} \right\|_p^p &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} |s(n, \nu)^{(r)} + i\tilde{s}(n, \nu)^{(r)}|^p dx \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} |s(n, \nu)^{(r)}|^p dx + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{T}} |i\tilde{s}(n, \nu)^{(r)}|^p dx, \end{aligned}$$

we may apply Lemmas 1.3 and 1.4 to obtain the first required inequality, i.e.,

$$\left\| \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} k^r c_k e^{ikx} \right\|_p^p \leq K_{p,r} \nu^{rp} \|s(n, \nu)\|_p^p = K_{p,r} \nu^{rp} \|s_\nu - s_n\|_p^p.$$

The other inequality can be proved in a similar way.  $\square$

**Lemma 2.3.** For  $0 \leq n < \nu$  and  $0 < p < 1$ , we have

$$\left\| \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} k^r c_k e^{ikx} \right\|_p^p \geq K_p \max \left\{ \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} (k-n)^{p-2} |k^r c_k|^p, \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} (\nu-k+1)^{p-2} |k^r c_k|^p \right\}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} (-k)^r c_{-k} e^{-ikx} \right\|_p^p &\geq K_p \max \left\{ \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} (k-n)^{p-2} |k^r c_{-k}|^p, \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} (\nu-k+1)^{p-2} |k^r c_{-k}|^p \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

**P r o o f.** In a way similar to the proof of [6, Lemma 5], we can prove that

$$\left\| \sum_{k=n+1}^{\nu} k^r c_k e^{ikx} \right\|_p = \left\| \sum_{k_1=0}^{\nu-n-1} k^r c_k e^{ik_1 x} \right\|_p,$$

where  $k_1 = k - n - 1$ . Applying Lemma 2.1 gives the first inequality. The second inequality can be proved in a similar way.  $\square$

Now, we establish our main result.

**Theorem 2.4.** Assume that  $f_1 \in L^p(\mathbb{T})$ ,  $0 < p < 1$ , and

$$\|s_n(f_1) - f_1\|_p \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Then

$$(2.1) \quad \sum_{k=[n/2]}^{2n} \frac{|c_k|^p + |c_{-k}|^p}{(|k - n| + 1)^{2-p}} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

**P r o o f.** Let  $n \geq 2$  and set

$$C_k(p) := |c_k|^p + |c_{-k}|^p \quad \text{for } k \in \mathbb{N} \quad \text{and} \quad r := [(1/p) - 1] + 1,$$

where  $[ \cdot ]$  denotes the integer part of a real number. Applying Lemmas 2.2 and 2.3 with  $\nu := 2n$  we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=n+1}^{2n} \frac{k^{rp} C_k(p)}{(k - n)^{2-p}} &\leq K_p \left\{ \left\| \sum_{k=n+1}^{2n} k^r c_k e^{ikx} \right\|_p^p + \left\| \sum_{k=n+1}^{2n} (-k)^r c_{-k} e^{-ikx} \right\|_p^p \right\} \\ &\leq K_p n^{rp} \|s_{2n}(f_1) - s_n(f_1)\|_p^p = K_p n^{rp} \|s_{2n}(f_1) - s_n(f_1)\|_p^p. \end{aligned}$$

Now, repeating the above reasoning with  $[n/2] - 1$  in place of  $n$  in the lower limit of the summation and with  $n$  in place of  $2n$  in the upper limit of the summation, we get

$$\sum_{k=[n/2]}^n \frac{k^{rp} C_k(p)}{(n - k + 1)^{2-p}} \leq K_p n^{rp} \|s_n(f_1) - s_{[n/2]-1}(f_1)\|_p^p.$$

Using the previous two inequalities yields

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=[n/2]}^{2n} \frac{C_k(p)}{(|k - n| + 1)^{2-p}} &\leq \frac{K_p}{n^{rp}} \left\{ \sum_{k=n+1}^{2n} \frac{k^{rp} C_k(p)}{(k - n)^{2-p}} + \sum_{k=[n/2]}^n \frac{k^{rp} C_k(p)}{(n - k + 1)^{2-p}} \right\} \\ &\leq K_p \max_{[n/2]-1 \leq \nu_1 < \nu_2 \leq 2n} \|s_{\nu_2}(f_1) - s_{\nu_1}(f_1)\|_p. \end{aligned}$$

This proves (2.1).  $\square$

### 3. MAIN RESULTS ON DOUBLE TRIGONOMETRIC SERIES

We begin with the following four lemmas.

**Lemma 3.1.** *For all  $(m, n) \in \mathbb{N}^2$  and  $0 < p < 1$ , we have*

$$\begin{aligned} & \min \left\{ \left\| \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p^p, \left\| \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n c_{kl} e^{i(-kx+ly)} \right\|_p^p, \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left\| \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n c_{kl} e^{i(kx-ly)} \right\|_p^p, \left\| \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n c_{kl} e^{i(-kx-ly)} \right\|_p^p \right\} \\ & \geq K_p \max \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n ((k+1)(l+1))^{p-2} |c_{kl}|^p, \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n ((m-k+1)(l+1))^{p-2} |c_{kl}|^p, \right. \\ & \quad \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n ((k+1)(n-l+1))^{p-2} |c_{kl}|^p, \\ & \quad \left. \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n ((m-k+1)(n-l+1))^{p-2} |c_{kl}|^p \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

**P r o o f.** Applying Lemma 2.1 twice together with Fubini's theorem, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} 4\pi^2 \left\| \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p^p &= \iint_{\mathbb{T}^2} \left| \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right|^p dx dy \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{T}} \left( \int_{\mathbb{T}} \left| \sum_{k=0}^m \left( \sum_{l=0}^n c_{kl} e^{ily} \right) e^{ikx} \right|^p dx \right) dy \\ &\geq K_p \int_{\mathbb{T}} \sum_{k=0}^m (k+1)^{p-2} \left| \sum_{l=0}^n c_{kl} e^{ily} \right|^p dy = K_p \sum_{k=0}^m (k+1)^{p-2} \int_{\mathbb{T}} \left| \sum_{l=0}^n c_{kl} e^{ily} \right|^p dy \\ &\geq K_p \sum_{k=0}^m (k+1)^{p-2} \sum_{l=0}^n (l+1)^{p-2} |c_{kl}|^p = K_p \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{l=0}^n ((k+1)(l+1))^{p-2} |c_{kl}|^p. \end{aligned}$$

The other fifteen inequalities can be proved in an analogous way. We do not enter into further details.  $\square$

Next, we prove a lemma which is an extension of Lemmas 1.3 and 1.4 from single to double trigonometric polynomials.

**Lemma 3.2.** For all  $(m, n) \in \mathbb{N}^2$ ,  $r_1, r_2 = 1, 2, \dots$ , and  $\max\{1/r_1, 1/r_2\} < p < 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \max \left\{ \left\| \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p, \right. \\ & \quad \left\| \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} (-i \operatorname{sign} k) c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p, \\ & \quad \left\| \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} (-i \operatorname{sign} l) c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p, \\ & \quad \left. \left\| \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} (-i \operatorname{sign} k) (-i \operatorname{sign} l) c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p \right\} \\ & \leq K_{p,r_1,r_2} m^{r_1} n^{r_2} \left\| \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p. \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** By Lemmas 1.3 and 1.4, for example, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} (-i \operatorname{sign} k) c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p \\ & = \left\| \frac{\partial^{r_1}}{\partial x^{r_1}} \sum_{|k| \leq m} (-i \operatorname{sign} k) \left( \frac{\partial^{r_2}}{\partial x^{r_2}} \sum_{|l| \leq n} c_{kl} e^{il y} \right) e^{ikx} \right\|_p \\ & \leq K_{p,r_1} m^{r_1} \left\| \frac{\partial^{r_2}}{\partial x^{r_2}} \sum_{|l| \leq n} \left( \sum_{|k| \leq m} c_{kl} e^{ikx} \right) e^{il y} \right\|_p \\ & \leq K_{p,r_1} m^{r_1} n^{r_2} \left\| \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p. \end{aligned}$$

This proves the second inequality. The other three inequalities can be proved in a similar way.  $\square$

**Lemma 3.3.** For all  $-1 \leq m < \mu$ ,  $-1 \leq n < \nu$ ,  $r_1, r_2 = 1, 2, \dots$ , and  $\max\{1/r_1, 1/r_2\} < p < 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \max \left\{ \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p, \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} (-k)^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{-kl} e^{i(-kx+ly)} \right\|_p, \right. \\ & \quad \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k^{r_1} (-l)^{r_2} c_{k,-l} e^{i(kx-ly)} \right\|_p, \\ & \quad \left. \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} (-k)^{r_1} (-l)^{r_2} c_{-k,-l} e^{i(-kx-ly)} \right\|_p \right\} \\ & \leq K_{p,r_1,r_2} \mu^{r_1} \nu^{r_2} \|s_{\mu\nu} - s_{m\nu} - s_{\mu n} + s_{mn}\|_p, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$s_{-1,n} = s_{m,-1} = s_{-1,-1} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad s_{mn} := \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)}, \quad (m, n) \in \mathbb{N}^2.$$

**P r o o f.** We introduce the notation

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{s}_{mn}^{(1,0)} &:= \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} (-i \operatorname{sign} k) c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)}, \\ \tilde{s}_{mn}^{(0,1)} &:= \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} (-i \operatorname{sign} l) c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)}, \\ \tilde{s}_{mn}^{(1,1)} &:= \sum_{|k| \leq m} \sum_{|l| \leq n} (-i \operatorname{sign} k) (-i \operatorname{sign} l) c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} s(m, n; \mu, \nu) &:= s_{\mu\nu} - s_{m\nu} - s_{\mu n} + s_{mn} = \sum_{m < |k| \leq \mu} \sum_{n < |l| \leq \nu} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)}, \\ \tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) &:= s_{\mu\nu}^{(1,0)} - s_{m\nu}^{(1,0)} - s_{\mu n}^{(1,0)} + s_{mn}^{(1,0)}, \\ \tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) &:= s_{\mu\nu}^{(0,1)} - s_{m\nu}^{(0,1)} - s_{\mu n}^{(0,1)} + s_{mn}^{(0,1)}, \\ \tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) &:= s_{\mu\nu}^{(1,1)} - s_{m\nu}^{(1,1)} - s_{\mu n}^{(1,1)} + s_{mn}^{(1,1)}. \end{aligned}$$

Using the equalities (see in [6])

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} &\{s(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i\tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i\tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i^2\tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu)\} \\ &= -4 \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k l c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)}, \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} &\{s(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i\tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i\tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i^2\tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu)\} \\ &= -4 \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} (-k) l c_{-kl} e^{i(-kx+ly)}, \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} &\{s(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i\tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i\tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i^2\tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu)\} \\ &= -4 \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k (-l) c_{k,-l} e^{i(kx-ly)}, \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} &\{s(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i\tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i\tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i^2\tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu)\} \\ &= -4 \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} (-k) (-l) c_{-k,-l} e^{i(-kx-ly)}, \end{aligned}$$

we obtain the following representations:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \{s(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i\tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i\tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i^2\tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu)\} \\
&= 4i^{r_1+r_2} \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)}, \\
& \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \{s(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i\tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i\tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i^2\tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu)\} \\
&= 4i^{r_1+r_2} \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} (-k)^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{-kl} e^{i(-kx+ly)}, \\
& \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \{s(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i\tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i\tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i^2\tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu)\} \\
&= 4i^{r_1+r_2} \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k^{r_1} (-l)^{r_2} c_{k,-l} e^{i(kx-ly)}, \\
& \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \{s(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i\tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) - i\tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i^2\tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu)\} \\
&= 4i^{r_1+r_2} \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} (-k)^{r_1} (-l)^{r_2} c_{-k,-l} e^{i(-kx-ly)}.
\end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned}
& 4^p \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p^p \\
&= \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint_{\mathbb{T}^2} \left| \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \{s(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i\tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + i\tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) + i^2\tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu)\} \right|^p dx dy \\
&\leq \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint_{\mathbb{T}^2} \left| \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} s(m, n; \mu, \nu) \right|^p dx dy \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint_{\mathbb{T}^2} \left| i \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \tilde{s}^{(1,0)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) \right|^p dx dy \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint_{\mathbb{T}^2} \left| i \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \tilde{s}^{(0,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) \right|^p dx dy \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint_{\mathbb{T}^2} \left| i^2 \frac{\partial^{r_1+r_2}}{\partial x^{r_1} \partial y^{r_2}} \tilde{s}^{(1,1)}(m, n; \mu, \nu) \right|^p dx dy,
\end{aligned}$$

applying Lemma 3.2 four times gives

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p^p &\leq K_{p,r_1,r_2} \mu^{r_1 p} \nu^{r_2 p} \|s(m,n; \mu, \nu)\|_p^p \\ &= K_{p,r_1,r_2} \mu^{r_1 p} \nu^{r_2 p} \|s_{\mu\nu} - s_{m\nu} - s_{\mu n} + s_{mn}\|_p^p. \end{aligned}$$

This means the first inequality is proved. The other three inequalities can be proved in an analogous way.  $\square$

**Lemma 3.4.** For  $0 \leq m < \mu$ ,  $0 \leq n < \nu$ ,  $r_1, r_2 = 1, 2, \dots$ , and  $0 < p < 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p^p \\ &\geq K_{p,r_1,r_2} \max \left\{ \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} ((k-m)(l-n))^{p-2} |k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl}|^p, \right. \\ &\quad \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} ((\mu-k+1)(l-n))^{p-2} |k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl}|^p, \\ &\quad \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} ((k-m)(\nu-l+1))^{p-2} |k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl}|^p, \\ &\quad \left. \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} ((\mu-k+1)(\nu-l+1))^{p-2} |k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl}|^p \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

and three other analogous inequalities hold involving  $c_{-k,l}$ ,  $c_{k,-l}$ , and  $c_{-k,-l}$ , respectively, in place of  $c_{kl}$ .

**P r o o f.** Using the idea of the third author (see [6, in the proof of Lemma 5]), we may write

$$\left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{\mu} \sum_{l=n+1}^{\nu} k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p^p = \left\| \sum_{k_1=0}^{\mu-m-1} \sum_{l_1=0}^{\nu-n-1} k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl} e^{i(k_1 x + l_1 y)} \right\|_p^p,$$

where  $k_1 = k - m - 1$  and  $l_1 = l - n - 1$ . Applying Lemma 3.1 in the case of the above equality, we immediately obtain the inequality of the lemma which involves  $c_{kl}$ . The other three inequalities which involve  $c_{-k,l}$ ,  $c_{k,-l}$  and  $c_{-k,-l}$ , respectively, can be proved in a similar way.  $\square$

Now, we pass to the main result. Indeed, the following statement holds true.

**Theorem 3.5.** Assume  $f_2 \in L^p(\mathbb{T}^2)$ ,  $0 < p < 1$ , and

$$\|s_{mn}(f_2) - f_2\|_p \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } m, n \rightarrow \infty$$

independently of one another. Then

$$(3.1) \quad \sum_{k=[m/2]}^{2m} \sum_{l=[n/2]}^{2n} \frac{|c_{kl}|^p + |c_{-k,l}|^p + |c_{k,-l}|^p + |c_{-k,-l}|^p}{((|k-m|+1)(|l-n|+1))^{2-p}} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } m, n \rightarrow \infty.$$

**P r o o f.** Denote

$$C_{kl}(p) := |c_{kl}|^p + |c_{-k,l}|^p + |c_{k,-l}|^p + |c_{-k,-l}|^p, \quad (k, l) \in \mathbb{N}^2.$$

Let  $m, n \geq 2$  and set  $r_1 := r_2 := [1/p - 1] + 1$ . Then applying Lemmas 3.3 and 3.4 with  $\mu := 2m$  and  $\nu := 2n$ , we find that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=m+1}^{2m} \sum_{l=n+1}^{2n} \frac{(k^{r_1} l^{r_2})^p C_{kl}(p)}{((k-m)(l-n))^{2-p}} \\ & \leq K_p \left\{ \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{2m} \sum_{l=n+1}^{2n} k^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{kl} e^{i(kx+ly)} \right\|_p^p \right. \\ & \quad + \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{2m} \sum_{l=n+1}^{2n} (-k)^{r_1} l^{r_2} c_{-k,l} e^{i(-kx+ly)} \right\|_p^p \\ & \quad + \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{2m} \sum_{l=n+1}^{2n} k^{r_1} (-l)^{r_2} c_{k,-l} e^{i(kx-ly)} \right\|_p^p \\ & \quad \left. + \left\| \sum_{k=m+1}^{2m} \sum_{l=n+1}^{2n} (-k)^{r_1} (-l)^{r_2} c_{-k,-l} e^{i(-kx-ly)} \right\|_p^p \right\} \\ & \leq K_p m^{r_1 p} n^{r_2 p} \|s_{2m,2n}(f_2) - s_{m,2n}(f_2) - s_{2m,n}(f_2) + s_{mn}(f_2)\|_p^p. \end{aligned}$$

Repeating the above reasoning with  $[m/2] - 1$  in place of  $m$  in the lower limit of the summation and with  $m$  in place of  $2m$  in the upper limit of the summation with respect to  $k$  gives

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=[m/2]}^m \sum_{l=n+1}^{2n} \frac{(k^{r_1} l^{r_2})^p C_{kl}(p)}{((m-k+1)(l-n))^{2-p}} \\ & \leq K_p m^{r_1 p} n^{r_2 p} \|s_{m,2n}(f_2) - s_{[m/2]-1,2n}(f_2) - s_{m,n}(f_2) + s_{[m/2]-1,n}(f_2)\|_p^p. \end{aligned}$$

The symmetric counterpart of this inequality is

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=m+1}^{2m} \sum_{l=[n/2]}^n \frac{(k^{r_1} l^{r_2})^p C_{kl}(p)}{((k-m)(n-l+1))^{2-p}} \\ & \leq K_p m^{r_1 p} n^{r_2 p} \|s_{2m,n}(f_2) - s_{m,n}(f_2) - s_{2m,[n/2]-1}(f_2) + s_{m,[n/2]-1}(f_2)\|_p^p. \end{aligned}$$

In a similar way we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=[m/2]}^m \sum_{l=[n/2]}^n \frac{(k^{r_1} l^{r_2})^p C_{kl}(p)}{((m-k+1)(n-l+1))^{2-p}} \\ & \leq K_p m^{r_1 p} n^{r_2 p} \|s_{m,n}(f_2) - s_{[m/2]-1,n}(f_2) - s_{m,[n/2]-1}(f_2) + s_{[m/2]-1,[n/2]-1}(f_2)\|_p^p. \end{aligned}$$

Now, it follows from the last four inequalities that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=[n/2]}^{2n} \sum_{l=[n/2]}^{2n} \frac{C_{kl}(p)}{((|k-m|+1)(|l-n|+1))^{2-p}} \\ & \leq \frac{K_p}{m^{r_1 p} n^{r_2 p}} \left\{ \sum_{k=m+1}^{2m} \sum_{l=n+1}^{2n} \frac{(k^{r_1} l^{r_2})^p C_{kl}(p)}{((k-m)(l-n))^{2-p}} \right. \\ & \quad + \sum_{k=[m/2]}^m \sum_{l=n+1}^{2n} \frac{(k^{r_1} l^{r_2})^p C_{kl}(p)}{((m-k+1)(l-n))^{2-p}} \\ & \quad + \sum_{k=m+1}^{2m} \sum_{l=[n/2]}^n \frac{(k^{r_1} l^{r_2})^p C_{kl}(p)}{((k-m)(n-l+1))^{2-p}} \\ & \quad \left. + \sum_{k=[m/2]}^m \sum_{l=[n/2]}^n \frac{(k^{r_1} l^{r_2})^p C_{kl}(p)}{((m-k+1)(n-l+1))^{2-p}} \right\} \\ & \leq K_p \max_{[m/2]-1 \leqslant \mu_1 < \mu_2 \leqslant 2m} \max_{[n/2]-1 \leqslant \nu_1 < \nu_2 \leqslant 2n} \|s_{\mu_2, \nu_2}(f_2) \\ & \quad - s_{\mu_1, \nu_2}(f_2) - s_{\mu_2, \nu_1}(f_2) + s_{\mu_1, \nu_1}(f_2)\|_p^p, \end{aligned}$$

and hence (3.1) is proved.  $\square$

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