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## SIMULTANEOUS AND CONVERSE APPROXIMATION THEOREMS IN WEIGHTED LEBESGUE SPACES

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*Abstract.* In this paper we deal with the simultaneous and converse approximation by trigonometric polynomials of the functions in the Lebesgue spaces with weights satisfying so called Muckenhoupt's  $A_p$  condition.

### 1. Introduction and the main results

Let  $\mathbf{T} := [-\pi, \pi]$ . A positive almost everywhere (a.e.), integrable function  $w : \mathbf{T} \rightarrow [0, \infty]$  is called a weight function. With any given weight  $w$  we associate the  $w$ -weighted Lebesgue space  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  consisting of all measurable functions  $f$  on  $\mathbf{T}$  such that

$$\|f\|_{L_w^p(\mathbf{T})} = \|fw\|_{L^p(\mathbf{T})} < \infty.$$

Let  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $1/p + 1/q = 1$ . A weight function  $w$  belongs to the Muckenhoupt class  $A_p(\mathbf{T})$  if

$$\left( \frac{1}{|I|} \int_I w^p(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \left( \frac{1}{|I|} \int_I w^{-q}(x) dx \right)^{1/q} \leq c$$

with a finite constant  $c$  independent of  $I$ , where  $I$  is any subinterval of  $\mathbf{T}$  and  $|I|$  denotes the length of  $I$ .

For formulation of the new results we will begin with some required informations. Let

$$f(x) \sim \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{ikx} = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k \cos kx + b_k \sin kx) \quad (1)$$

and

$$\tilde{f}(x) \sim \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k \sin kx - b_k \cos kx)$$

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be the Fourier and the conjugate Fourier series of  $f \in L^1(\mathbf{T})$ , respectively. In addition, we put

$$S_n(x, f) := \sum_{k=-n}^n c_k e^{ikx} = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^n (a_k \cos kx + b_k \sin kx), \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

By  $L_0^1(\mathbf{T})$  we denote the class of  $L^1(\mathbf{T})$  functions  $f$  for which the constant term  $c_0$  in (1) equals zero. If  $\alpha > 0$ , then  $\alpha$ -th integral of  $f \in L_0^1(\mathbf{T})$  is defined as

$$I_\alpha(x, f) := \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^*} c_k (ik)^{-\alpha} e^{ikx},$$

where  $(ik)^{-\alpha} := |k|^{-\alpha} e^{(-1/2)\pi i \alpha \operatorname{sign} k}$  and  $\mathbb{Z}^* := \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots\}$ .

For  $\alpha \in (0, 1)$  let

$$f^{(\alpha)}(x) := \frac{d}{dx} I_{1-\alpha}(x, f),$$

$$f^{(\alpha+r)}(x) := \left( f^{(\alpha)}(x) \right)^{(r)} = \frac{d^{r+1}}{dx^{r+1}} I_{1-\alpha}(x, f)$$

if the right hand sides exist, where  $r \in \mathbb{Z}^+ := \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$  [14, p. 347].

By  $c, c(\alpha, \dots)$  we denote the absolute constants or the constants whose values depend only on the parameters given in their brackets.

Let  $x, t \in \mathbb{R} := (-\infty, \infty)$ ,  $r \in \mathbb{R}^+ := (0, \infty)$  and let

$$\Delta_t^r f(x) := \sum_{k=0}^\infty (-1)^k [C_k^r] f(x + (r-k)t), \quad f \in L^1(\mathbf{T}), \tag{2}$$

where  $[C_k^r] := \frac{r(r-1)\dots(r-k+1)}{k!}$  for  $k > 1$ ,  $[C_k^r] := r$  for  $k = 1$  and  $[C_k^r] := 1$  for  $k = 0$ .

Since [14, p. 14]

$$|[C_k^r]| = \left| \frac{r(r-1)\dots(r-k+1)}{k!} \right| \leq \frac{c(r)}{k^{r+1}}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$$

we have

$$C(r) := \sum_{k=0}^\infty |[C_k^r]| < \infty,$$

and therefore  $\Delta_t^r f(x)$  is defined a.e. on  $\mathbb{R}$ . Furthermore, the series in (2) converges absolutely a.e. and  $\Delta_t^r f(x)$  is measurable [16].

If  $r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , then the fractional difference  $\Delta_t^r f(x)$  coincides with usual forward difference.

Now let

$$\sigma_\delta^r f(x) := \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^\delta |\Delta_t^r f(x)| dt, \quad 1 < p < \infty$$

for  $f \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ . Since the series in (2) converges absolutely a.e., we have  $\sigma_\delta^r f(x) < \infty$  a.e. and using boundedness of the Hardy-Littlewood Maximal function [13] in  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ , we get

$$\|\sigma_\delta^r f(x)\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r) \|f\|_{L_w^p} < \infty. \tag{3}$$

Hence, if  $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , we can define the *r-th mean modulus of smoothness* of a function  $f \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  as

$$\Omega_r(f, h)_{L_w^p} := \sup_{|\delta| \leq h} \|\sigma_\delta^r f(x)\|_{L_w^p}.$$

If  $r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , then  $\Omega_r(f, h)_{L_w^p}$  coincides with Ky’s mean modulus of smoothness, defined in [9].

REMARK 1. Let  $f, f_1, f_2 \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ . The *r-th mean modulus of smoothness*  $\Omega_r(f, h)_{L_w^p}$ ,  $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ , has the following properties:

- (i)  $\Omega_r(f, h)_{L_w^p}$  is non-negative and non-decreasing function of  $h \geq 0$ .
- (ii)  $\Omega_r(f_1 + f_2, \cdot)_{L_w^p} \leq \Omega_r(f_1, \cdot)_{L_w^p} + \Omega_r(f_2, \cdot)_{L_w^p}$ .
- (iii)  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \Omega_r(f, h)_{L_w^p} = 0$ .

The best approximation of  $f \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  in the class  $\Pi_n$  of trigonometric polynomials of degree not exceeding  $n$  is defined by

$$E_n(f)_{L_w^p} = \inf \left\{ \|f - T_n\|_{L_w^p} : T_n \in \Pi_n \right\}.$$

A polynomial  $T_n(x, f) := T_n(x)$  of degree  $n$  is said to be a *near best approximant* of  $f$  if

$$\|f - T_n\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p) E_n(f)_{L_w^p}, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Let  $W_{p,w}^\alpha(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $\alpha > 0$ , be the class of functions  $f \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  such that  $f^{(\alpha)} \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ .  $W_{p,w}^\alpha(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ ,  $\alpha > 0$ , becomes a Banach space with the norm

$$\|f\|_{W_{p,w}^\alpha(\mathbf{T})} := \|f\|_{L_w^p} + \left\| f^{(\alpha)} \right\|_{L_w^p}.$$

In this paper we deal with the simultaneous and converse approximation by trigonometric polynomials of the functions in the Lebesgue spaces with weights satisfying Muckenhoupt’s  $A_p$  condition.

Our new results are the following.

THEOREM 1. Let  $f \in W_{p,w}^\alpha(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}_0^+ := [0, \infty]$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , and  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ . If  $T_n \in \Pi_n$  is a near best approximant of  $f$ , then

$$\left\| f^{(\alpha)} - T_n^{(\alpha)} \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c E_n(f^{(\alpha)})_{L_w^p}, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

with a constant  $c = c(p, \alpha) > 0$ .

This simultaneous approximation theorem in case of  $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  for Lebesgue spaces  $L^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , was proved in [3]. Detailed information on simultaneous weighted approximation can be found in the book [4].

**THEOREM 2.** *If  $f \in W_{p,w}^r(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , and  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ , then*

$$\Omega_r(f, h)_{L_w^p} \leq ch^r \left\| f^{(r)} \right\|_{L_w^p}, \quad 0 < h \leq \pi$$

with a constant  $c = c(p, r) > 0$ .

In case of  $r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , for the usual nonweighted modulus of smoothness defined in the Lebesgue spaces  $L^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , this inequality was proved in [11] and for the general case  $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$  was obtained in [2] (See also [16]). In case of  $r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ ,  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , this inequality in the weighted Lebesgue spaces  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  was proved in [9].

**THEOREM 3.** *Let  $f \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , and  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ . Then for a given  $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ , and  $\gamma = \min\{2, p\}$*

$$\Omega_r(f, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} \leq \frac{c}{(n+1)^r} \left( \sum_{k=0}^n (k+1)^{r\gamma-1} E_k^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{1/\gamma}$$

with a constant  $c$  independent of  $n$  and  $f$ .

In the space  $L^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , this inequality was proved in [16] without  $\gamma$ . In case of  $r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  in the spaces  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , this theorem was proved in [9] without  $\gamma$ . For the positive and even integer  $r$  this theorem in spaces  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ , by using Butzer-Wehrens's type modulus of smoothness was obtained in [5]. The analogues of some classical theorems for best polynomial approximation in weighted spaces with doubling weights were proved in [12].

**THEOREM 4.** *Let  $f \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , and  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ . If*

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k^{\alpha\gamma-1} E_k^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} < \infty$$

for  $\alpha \in (0, \infty)$  and  $\gamma = \min\{2, p\}$ , then  $f \in W_{p,w}^\alpha(\mathbf{T})$  and the estimate

$$E_n(f^{(\alpha)})_{L_w^p} \leq c \left\{ n^\alpha E_n(f)_{L_w^p} + \left( \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} k^{\alpha\gamma-1} E_k^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{1/\gamma} \right\} \tag{4}$$

holds with a constant  $c$  independent of  $n$  and  $f$ .

In the space  $L^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , this inequality for  $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  was proved without  $\gamma$  in [15]. In case of  $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , in  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , an inequality of type (4) was proved in [7].

COROLLARY 1. Let  $f \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , and  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$  and  $r > 0$ . If

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k^{\alpha\gamma-1} E_k^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} < \infty$$

for  $\alpha \in (0, \infty)$  and  $\gamma = \min\{2, p\}$ , then  $f \in W_{p,w}^\alpha$  and for  $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

$$\begin{aligned} & \Omega_r(f^{(\alpha)}, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} \\ & \leq \frac{c}{(n+1)^r} \left\{ \left( \sum_{k=1}^n k^{(\alpha+r)\gamma-1} E_{k-1}^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{1/\gamma} + \left( \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} k^{\alpha\gamma-1} E_k^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{1/\gamma} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

with a constant  $c$  independent of  $n$  and  $f$ .

In cases of  $\alpha, r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  and  $\alpha, r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ , this corollary in the spaces  $L^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , was proved without  $\gamma$  in [18] (See also [15]) and in [17], respectively. For the weighted Lebesgue spaces  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ , when  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$ , and  $\alpha, r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , similar type inequality was obtained using generalized modulus of continuity for the derivatives of  $f \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  in [7].

### 2. Auxiliary results

LEMMA 1. Let  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$  and  $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ . If  $T_n \in \Pi_n$ ,  $n \geq 1$ , then there exists a constant  $c > 0$  depends only on  $r$  and  $p$  such that

$$\Omega_r(T_n, h)_{L_w^p} \leq ch^r \left\| T_n^{(r)} \right\|_{L_w^p}, \quad 0 < h \leq \pi/n.$$

*Proof.* Since

$$\Delta_t^r T_n \left( x - \frac{[r]}{2} t \right) = \sum_{v \in \mathbb{Z}_n^*} \left( 2i \sin \frac{t}{2} v \right)^r c_v e^{ivx},$$

$$\Delta_t^{[r]} T_n^{(r-[r])} \left( x - \frac{[r]}{2} t \right) = \sum_{v \in \mathbb{Z}_n^*} \left( 2i \sin \frac{t}{2} v \right)^{[r]} (iv)^{r-[r]} c_v e^{ivx}$$

with  $\mathbb{Z}_n^* := \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots\}$ ,  $[r] \equiv$  integer part of  $r$ , putting

$$\varphi(z) := \left( 2i \sin \frac{t}{2} z \right)^{[r]} (iz)^{r-[r]}, \quad g(z) := \left( \frac{2}{z} \sin \frac{t}{2} z \right)^{r-[r]}, \quad -n \leq z \leq n, \quad g(0) := t^{r-[r]},$$

we get

$$\Delta_t^{[r]} T_n^{(r-[r])} \left( x - \frac{[r]}{2} t \right) = \sum_{v \in \mathbb{Z}_n^*} \varphi(v) c_v e^{ivx}, \quad \Delta_t^r T_n \left( x - \frac{[r]}{2} t \right) = \sum_{v \in \mathbb{Z}_n^*} \varphi(v) g(v) c_v e^{ivx}.$$

Taking into account the fact that [16]

$$g(z) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} d_k e^{ik\pi z/n}$$

uniformly in  $[-n, n]$ , with  $d_0 > 0$ ,  $(-1)^{k+1} d_k \geq 0$ ,  $d_{-k} = d_k$  ( $k = 1, 2, \dots$ ), we have

$$\Delta_t^r T_n(\cdot) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} d_k \Delta_t^{[r]} T_n^{(r-[r])} \left( \cdot + \frac{k\pi}{n} + \frac{r-[r]}{2} t \right).$$

Consequently we get

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^\delta |\Delta_t^r T_n(\cdot)| dt \right\|_{L_w^p} &= \left\| \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^\delta \left| \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} d_k \Delta_t^{[r]} T_n^{(r-[r])} \left( \cdot + \frac{k\pi}{n} + \frac{r-[r]}{2} t \right) \right| dt \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |d_k| \left\| \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^\delta \left| \Delta_t^{[r]} T_n^{(r-[r])} \left( \cdot + \frac{k\pi}{n} + \frac{r-[r]}{2} t \right) \right| dt \right\|_{L_w^p} \end{aligned}$$

and since [19, p. 103]

$$\Delta_t^{[r]} T_n^{(r-[r])}(\cdot) = \int_0^t \dots \int_0^t T_n^{(r)}(\cdot + t_1 + \dots + t_{[r]}) dt_1 \dots dt_{[r]}$$

we find

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega_r(T_n, h)_{L_w^p} &\leq \sup_{|\delta| \leq h} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |d_k| \left\| \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^\delta \left| \Delta_t^{[r]} T_n^{(r-[r])} \left( \cdot + \frac{k\pi}{n} + \frac{r-[r]}{2} t \right) \right| dt \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &= \sup_{|\delta| \leq h} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |d_k| \left\| \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^\delta \int_0^t \dots \int_0^t T_n^{(r)} \left( \cdot + \frac{k\pi}{n} + \frac{r-[r]}{2} t + t_1 + \dots + t_{[r]} \right) dt_1 \dots dt_{[r]} dt \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq h^{[r]} \sup_{|\delta| \leq h} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |d_k| \left\| \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^\delta \frac{1}{\delta^{[r]}} \int_0^\delta \dots \int_0^\delta \left| T_n^{(r)} \left( \cdot + \frac{k\pi}{n} + \frac{r-[r]}{2} t + t_1 + \dots + t_{[r]} \right) \right| dt_1 \dots dt_{[r]} dt \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq h^{[r]} \sup_{|\delta| \leq h} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |d_k| \left\| \frac{1}{\delta^{[r]}} \int_0^\delta \dots \int_0^\delta \left\{ \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^\delta \left| T_n^{(r)} \left( \cdot + \frac{k\pi}{n} + \frac{r-[r]}{2} t + t_1 + \dots + t_{[r]} \right) \right| dt \right\} dt_1 \dots dt_{[r]} \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, r) h^{[r]} \sup_{|\delta| \leq h} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |d_k| \left\| \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^\delta \left| T_n^{(r)} \left( \cdot + \frac{k\pi}{n} + \frac{r-[r]}{2} t \right) \right| dt \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, r) h^{[r]} \sup_{|\delta| \leq h} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |d_k| \left\| \frac{1}{\frac{r-[r]}{2} \delta} \int_{\frac{r-[r]}{2} \delta}^{\frac{r-[r]}{2} \delta + \frac{k\pi}{n} + \frac{r-[r]}{2} \delta} \left| T_n^{(r)}(u) \right| du \right\|_{L_w^p}. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand [16]

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |d_k| < 2g(0) = 2t^{r-[r]}, \quad 0 < t \leq \pi/n$$

and for  $0 < t < \delta < h \leq \pi/n$  we have

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |d_k| < 2g(0) = 2h^{r-[r]}.$$

Therefore the boundedness of Hardy-Littlewood maximal function in  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  implies that

$$\Omega_r(T_n, h)_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r)h^r \left\| T_n^{(r)} \right\|_{L_w^p}.$$

By similar way for  $0 < -h \leq \pi/n$ , the same inequality also holds and the proof of Lemma 1 is completed.  $\square$

### 3. Proof of the main results

*Proof of Theorem 1.* We set

$$W_n(f) := W_n(x, f) := \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{\nu=-n}^{2n} S_\nu(x, f), \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Since

$$W_n(\cdot, f^{(\alpha)}) = W_n^{(\alpha)}(\cdot, f),$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| f^{(\alpha)}(\cdot) - T_n^{(\alpha)}(\cdot, f) \right\|_{L_w^p} &\leq \left\| f^{(\alpha)}(\cdot) - W_n(\cdot, f^{(\alpha)}) \right\|_{L_w^p} + \left\| T_n^{(\alpha)}(\cdot, W_n(f)) - T_n^{(\alpha)}(\cdot, f) \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\quad + \left\| W_n^{(\alpha)}(\cdot, f) - T_n^{(\alpha)}(\cdot, W_n(f)) \right\|_{L_w^p} =: I_1 + I_2 + I_3. \end{aligned}$$

We denote by  $T_n^*(x, f)$  the best approximating polynomial of degree at most  $n$  to  $f$  in  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ . In this case, from the boundedness of in  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &\leq \left\| f^{(\alpha)}(\cdot) - T_n^*(\cdot, f^{(\alpha)}) \right\|_{L_w^p} + \left\| T_n^*(\cdot, f^{(\alpha)}) - W_n(\cdot, f^{(\alpha)}) \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p)E_n(f^{(\alpha)})_{L_w^p} + \left\| W_n(\cdot, T_n^*(f^{(\alpha)})) - f^{(\alpha)} \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, \alpha)E_n(f^{(\alpha)})_{L_w^p}. \end{aligned}$$

By [10, Theorem 1]

$$I_2 \leq c(p, \alpha)n^\alpha \left\| T_n(\cdot, W_n(f)) - T_n(\cdot, f) \right\|_{L_w^p}$$



and

$$\begin{aligned} I_3 &\leq c(p, \alpha)(2n)^\alpha \|W_n(\cdot, f) - T_n(\cdot, W_n(f))\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, \alpha)(2n)^\alpha E_n(W_n(f))_{L_w^p}. \end{aligned}$$

Now we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\|T_n(\cdot, W_n(f)) - T_n(\cdot, f)\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq \|T_n(\cdot, W_n(f)) - W_n(\cdot, f)\|_{L_w^p} + \|W_n(\cdot, f) - f(\cdot)\|_{L_w^p} + \|f(\cdot) - T_n(\cdot, f)\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p)E_n(W_n(f))_{L_w^p} + c(p)E_n(f)_{L_w^p} + c(p)E_n(f)_{L_w^p}. \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$E_n(W_n(f))_{L_w^p} \leq c(p)E_n(f)_{L_w^p},$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned} &\|f^{(\alpha)}(\cdot) - T_n^{(\alpha)}(\cdot, f)\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, \alpha)E_n(f^{(\alpha)})_{L_w^p} + c(p)n^\alpha E_n(W_n(f))_{L_w^p} + c(p)n^\alpha E_n(f)_{L_w^p} \\ &\quad + c(p, \alpha)(2n)^\alpha E_n(W_n(f))_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, \alpha)E_n(f^{(\alpha)})_{L_w^p} + c(p, \alpha)n^\alpha E_n(f)_{L_w^p}. \end{aligned}$$

Since [1]

$$E_n(f)_{L_w^p} \leq \frac{c(p, \alpha)}{(n+1)^\alpha} E_n(f^{(\alpha)})_{L_w^p}, \quad (5)$$

we obtain

$$\|f^{(\alpha)}(\cdot) - T_n^{(\alpha)}(\cdot)\|_{L_w^p} \leq cE_n(f^{(\alpha)})_{L_w^p}$$

and the proof is completed.  $\square$

*Proof of Theorem 2.* Let  $T_n \in \Pi_n$  be the trigonometric polynomial of the best approximation of  $f$  in  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  metric. By Remark 1 (ii), Lemma 1 and (3) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega_r(f, h)_{L_w^p} &\leq \Omega_r(T_n, h)_{L_w^p} + \Omega_r(f - T_n, h)_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, r)h^r \left\| T_n^{(r)} \right\|_{L_w^p} + c(p, r)E_n(f)_{L_w^p}, \quad 0 < h < \pi/n. \end{aligned}$$

Using (5), the direct inequality in [9, Theorem 2] and the inequality

$$\Omega_l(f, h)_{L_w^p} \leq ch^l \left\| f^{(l)} \right\|_{L_w^p}, \quad f \in W_{p,w}^l(\mathbf{T}), l = 1, 2, 3, \dots,$$

given in [9, Theorem 1], we have

$$\begin{aligned} E_n(f)_{L_w^p} &\leq \frac{c(p, r)}{(n+1)^{r-[r]}} E_n(f^{(r-[r])})_{L_w^p} \leq \frac{c(p, r)}{(n+1)^{r-[r]}} \Omega_{[r]} \left( f^{(r-[r])}, \frac{2\pi}{n+1} \right)_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq \frac{c(p, r)}{(n+1)^{r-[r]}} \left( \frac{2\pi}{n+1} \right)^{[r]} \left\| f^{(r)} \right\|_{L_w^p}. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, by Theorem 1 we find

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_n^{(r)}\|_{L_w^p} &\leq \|T_n^{(r)} - f^{(r)}\|_{L_w^p} + \|f^{(r)}\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, r)E_n(f^{(r)})_{L_w^p} + \|f^{(r)}\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r)\|f^{(r)}\|_{L_w^p}. \end{aligned}$$

Choosing  $h$  with  $\pi/(n+1) < h \leq \pi/n$ , ( $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ ), we obtain

$$\Omega_r(f, h)_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r)h^r \|f^{(r)}\|_{L_w^p}$$

and we are done.  $\square$

*Proof of Theorem 3.* Let  $S_n$  be the  $n$ -th partial sum of the Fourier series of  $f \in L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$ ,  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$  and let  $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ . Thanks to the Theorem of Hunt-Muckenhoupt-Wheeden [6], we obtain that the best approximation by trigonometric polynomials in  $L_w^p(\mathbf{T})$  with  $w \in A_p(\mathbf{T})$  has the same order as deviation by the partial sum of the Fourier series. It means that for  $\varphi \in L_w^p$

$$\|\varphi - S_n(\varphi)\|_{L_w^p} \leq cE_n(\varphi)_{L_w^p}$$

with a positive constant  $c$  independent on  $\varphi$  and  $n$ .

By Remark 1 (ii) and (3)

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega_r(f, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} &\leq \Omega_r(f - S_{2^m}, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} + \Omega_r(S_{2^m}, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, r)E_{2^m}(f)_{L_w^p} + \Omega_r(S_{2^m}, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} \end{aligned}$$

and by Lemma 1,

$$\Omega_r(S_{2^m}, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r) \left(\frac{\pi}{n+1}\right)^r \|S_{2^m}^{(r)}\|_{L_w^p}, \quad n+1 \geq 2^m.$$

Since

$$S_{2^m}^{(r)}(x) = S_1^{(r)}(x) + \sum_{v=0}^{m-1} \{S_{2^{v+1}}^{(r)}(x) - S_{2^v}^{(r)}(x)\},$$

we have

$$\Omega_r(S_{2^m}, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r) \left(\frac{\pi}{n+1}\right)^r \left\{ \|S_1^{(r)}\|_{L_w^p} + \left\| \sum_{v=0}^{m-1} [S_{2^{v+1}}^{(r)} - S_{2^v}^{(r)}] \right\|_{L_w^p} \right\}. \quad (6)$$

Applying the weighted version of Littlewood-Paley's theorem [8] and following the method used in [7], we obtain for  $1 < p \leq 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \sum_{v=0}^{m-1} [S_{2^{v+1}}^{(r)}(x) - S_{2^v}^{(r)}(x)] \right\|_{L_w^p} &= \left\| \sum_{v=0}^{m-1} \sum_{k=2^v+1}^{2^{v+1}} B_{k,r}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c \left( \sum_{v=0}^{m-1} \left\| \sum_{k=2^v+1}^{2^{v+1}} k^r B_{k,r}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq c \left( \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} \left\| \sum_{k=2^{\nu+1}}^{2^{\nu+1}} k^r B_{k,r}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &= c \left( \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} \left\| S_{2^{\nu+1}}^{(r)}(x) - S_{2^{\nu}}^{(r)}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \end{aligned}$$

where  $B_{k,r}(x)$  is the  $r$ -th derivative of  $(a_k \cos kx + b_k \sin kx)$ , and for  $p > 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} \left[ S_{2^{\nu+1}}^{(r)}(x) - S_{2^{\nu}}^{(r)}(x) \right] \right\|_{L_w^p} &= \left\| \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} \sum_{k=2^{\nu+1}}^{2^{\nu+1}} k^r B_{k,r}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c \left( \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} \left\| \sum_{k=2^{\nu+1}}^{2^{\nu+1}} k^r B_{k,r}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\leq c \left( \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} \left\| \sum_{k=2^{\nu+1}}^{2^{\nu+1}} k^r B_{k,r}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= c \left( \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} \left\| S_{2^{\nu+1}}^{(r)}(x) - S_{2^{\nu}}^{(r)}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently, we have

$$\left\| \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} \left[ S_{2^{\nu+1}}^{(r)}(x) - S_{2^{\nu}}^{(r)}(x) \right] \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c \left( \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} \left\| S_{2^{\nu+1}}^{(r)}(x) - S_{2^{\nu}}^{(r)}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p}^{\gamma} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}, \quad \gamma = \min\{p, 2\}.$$

Hence, by [10, Theorem 1], we get

$$\left\| S_{2^{\nu+1}}^{(r)}(x) - S_{2^{\nu}}^{(r)}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r) 2^{\nu r} \left\| S_{2^{\nu+1}}(x) - S_{2^{\nu}}(x) \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r) 2^{\nu r+1} E_{2^{\nu}}(f)_{L_w^p}$$

and

$$\left\| S_1^{(r)} \right\|_{L_w^p} = \left\| S_1^{(r)} - S_0^{(r)} \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r) E_0(f)_{L_w^p}.$$

Then from (6) we have

$$\Omega_r(S_{2^m}, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, r) \left( \frac{\pi}{n+1} \right)^r \left\{ E_0(f)_{L_w^p} + \left( \sum_{\nu=0}^{m-1} 2^{(\nu+1)r\gamma} E_{2^{\nu}}^{\gamma}(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} \right\}.$$

It is easily seen that

$$2^{(\nu+1)r\gamma} E_{2^{\nu}}^{\gamma}(f)_{L_w^p} \leq c(r) \sum_{\mu=2^{\nu-1}+1}^{2^{\nu}} \mu^{\gamma r-1} E_{\mu}^{\gamma}(f)_{L_w^p}, \quad \nu = 1, 2, 3, \dots \tag{7}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} & \Omega_r(S_{2^m}, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} \\ & \leq c(p, r) \left( \frac{\pi}{n+1} \right)^r \left\{ E_0(f)_{L_w^p} + 2^r E_1(f)_{L_w^p} + c(r) \left( \sum_{v=0}^{m-1} \sum_{\mu=2^{v-1}+1}^{2^v} \mu^{\gamma r-1} E_\mu^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} \right\} \\ & \leq c(p, r) \left( \frac{\pi}{n+1} \right)^r \left\{ E_0(f)_{L_w^p} + \left( \sum_{\mu=1}^{2^m} \mu^{\gamma r-1} E_\mu^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} \right\} \\ & \leq c(p, r) \left( \frac{\pi}{n+1} \right)^r \left( \sum_{v=0}^{2^m-1} (v+1)^{\gamma r-1} E_v^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}. \end{aligned}$$

If we choose  $2^m \leq n+1 \leq 2^{m+1}$ , then

$$\Omega_r(S_{2^m}, \pi/(n+1))_{L_w^p} \leq \frac{c(p, r)}{(n+1)^r} \left( \sum_{v=0}^n (v+1)^{\gamma r-1} E_v^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}.$$

Taking also the relation

$$E_{2^m}(f)_{L_w^p} \leq E_{2^{m-1}}(f)_{L_w^p} \leq \frac{c(p, r)}{(n+1)^r} \left( \sum_{v=0}^n (v+1)^{\gamma r-1} E_v^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}$$

into account we obtain the required inequality of Theorem 3.  $\square$

*Proof of Theorem 4.* If  $T_n$  is the best approximating polynomial of  $f$ , then by [10, Theorem 1]

$$\left\| T_{2^{m+1}}^{(\alpha)} - T_{2^m}^{(\alpha)} \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, \alpha) 2^{(m+1)\alpha} E_{2^m}(f)_{L_w^p}$$

and hence by this inequality, (7) and hypothesis of Theorem 4 we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \|T_{2^{m+1}} - T_{2^m}\|_{W_{p,w}^\alpha(\mathbb{T})} &= \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \|T_{2^{m+1}} - T_{2^m}\|_{L_w^p} + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \left\| T_{2^{m+1}}^{(\alpha)} - T_{2^m}^{(\alpha)} \right\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, \alpha) \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} 2^{(m+1)\alpha} E_{2^m}(f)_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, \alpha) \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=2^{m-1}+1}^{2^m} j^{\alpha-1} E_j(f)_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, \alpha) \sum_{j=2}^{\infty} j^{\alpha-1} E_j(f)_{L_w^p} < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \|T_{2^{m+1}} - T_{2^m}\|_{W_{p,w}^\alpha(\mathbf{T})} < \infty,$$

which implies that  $\{T_{2^m}\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $W_{p,w}^\alpha(\mathbf{T})$ . Since  $T_{2^m} \rightarrow f$  in the Banach space  $L_w^p(T)$ , we have  $f \in W_{p,w}^\alpha(\mathbf{T})$ .

It is clear that

$$\begin{aligned} E_n(f^{(\alpha)})_{L_w^p} &\leq \|f^{(\alpha)} - S_n f^{(\alpha)}\|_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq \|S_{2^{m+2}} f^{(\alpha)} - S_n f^{(\alpha)}\|_{L_w^p} + \left\| \sum_{k=m+2}^{\infty} [S_{2^{k+1}} f^{(\alpha)} - S_{2^k} f^{(\alpha)}] \right\|_{L_w^p}. \end{aligned}$$

By [10, Theorem 1]

$$\begin{aligned} \|S_{2^{m+2}} f^{(\alpha)} - S_n f^{(\alpha)}\|_{L_w^p} &\leq c(p, \alpha) 2^{(m+2)\alpha} E_n(f)_{L_w^p} \\ &\leq c(p, \alpha) (n+1)^\alpha E_n(f)_{L_w^p} \end{aligned}$$

for  $2^m < n < 2^{m+1}$ .

On the other hand, following the method given in the proof of Theorem 3, we get

$$\left\| \sum_{k=m+2}^{\infty} [S_{2^{k+1}} f^{(\alpha)} - S_{2^k} f^{(\alpha)}] \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c \left( \sum_{k=m+2}^{\infty} \|S_{2^{k+1}}^{(\alpha)}(x) - S_{2^k}^{(\alpha)}(x)\|_{L_w^p}^\gamma \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}, \quad \gamma = \min\{p, 2\}$$

Since by [10, Theorem 1]

$$\|S_{2^{k+1}}^{(\alpha)}(x) - S_{2^k}^{(\alpha)}(x)\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, \alpha) 2^{k\alpha} \|S_{2^{k+1}}(x) - S_{2^k}(x)\|_{L_w^p} \leq c(p, \alpha) 2^{k\alpha+1} E_{2^k}(f)_{L_w^p},$$

we get

$$\left\| \sum_{k=m+2}^{\infty} [S_{2^{k+1}} f^{(\alpha)} - S_{2^k} f^{(\alpha)}] \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c \left( \sum_{k=m+2}^{\infty} 2^{\gamma k\alpha+1} E_{2^k}^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}.$$

Therefore, we have

$$\left\| \sum_{k=m+2}^{\infty} [S_{2^{k+1}} f^{(\alpha)} - S_{2^k} f^{(\alpha)}] \right\|_{L_w^p} \leq c \left( \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} k^{\gamma\alpha-1} E_k^\gamma(f)_{L_w^p} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}$$

for  $2^m < n < 2^{m+1}$ . This completes the proof.  $\square$

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