

Norm convolution inequalities in L_p

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Let $1 \leq p \leq \infty$, $L_p \equiv L_p(\mathbb{R})$ and let the convolution operator be given by

$$(Af)(x) = (K * f)(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} K(x-y)f(y)dy, \quad K \in L_{\text{loc}}.$$

Let $d > 0$ and let

- M_1 be the set of all intervals of length $\leq d$;
- M_2 be the set of all measurable sets $e \subset [-d, d]$ such that $\text{diam}(e) = \sup_{x,y \in e} |x-y| \leq d$;
- W_1 be the set of all finite arithmetic progressions of integer numbers;
- W_2 be the set of all finite sets $w \subset \mathbb{Z}$ such that $\min_{i,j \in w} |i-j| \geq 2$.

Now we define the sets $\mathfrak{L}_d, \mathfrak{U}_d, \mathfrak{V}_d$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{L}_d &= \left\{ E = \bigcup_{k \in w} (e + kd) : e \in M_1, w \in W_1 \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{U}_d &= \left\{ E = \bigcup_{k \in w} (e_k + kd) : e_k \in M_2, w \in W_2, |e_k| = |e_j|, k, j \in w \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{V}_d &= \left\{ E = \bigcup_{x \in e} (x + w(x)d) : e \in M_2, w(x) \in W_2, |w(x)| = |w(y)|, x, y \in e \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

where $|e|$ is the measure of a set $e \in M_i$ and $|w|$ is the number of elements of $w \in W_i$. Note that $\mathfrak{L}_d \subset \mathfrak{U}_d \cap \mathfrak{V}_d$. If $E \in \mathfrak{L}_d$, then $|E| = |e||w|$, where e, w are the sets from the representation of E . Similarly, this property holds for $E \in \mathfrak{U}_d$ and $E \in \mathfrak{V}_d$.

THEOREM 1. *Let $1 < p < q < \infty$. If for some $d > 0$ we have either*

$$\sup_{E \in \mathfrak{U}_d} \frac{1}{|E|^{1/p-1/q}} \int_E |K(x)| dx \leq D$$

or

$$\sup_{E \in \mathfrak{V}_d} \frac{1}{|E|^{1/p-1/q}} \int_E |K(x)| dx \leq D,$$

*then the operator $Af = K * f$ is bounded from $L_p(\mathbb{R})$ to $L_q(\mathbb{R})$ and*

$$\|A\|_{L_p \rightarrow L_q} \leq C(p, q)D,$$

where $C(p, q)$ depends on p and q .

THEOREM 2. Let $1 < p < q < \infty$, $d > 0$, and the operator $Af = K * f$ be bounded from $L_p(\mathbb{R})$ to $L_q(\mathbb{R})$. If for any $B > 0$ we have

$$\sup_{\substack{E \in \mathfrak{L}_d \\ |E| \leq B}} \frac{1}{|E|^{1/p-1/q}} \left| \int_E K(x) dx \right| \leq C(B) < \infty,$$

then

$$\sup_{E \in \mathfrak{L}_d} \frac{1}{|E|^{1/p-1/q}} \left| \int_E K(x) dx \right| \leq C(p, q) \|A\|_{L_p \rightarrow L_q}.$$

COROLLARY. Let $1 < p \leq q < \infty$ and $\lambda = 1 - (\frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{q})$. Let also

$$\mathcal{K}(x) = \frac{e^{i|x|^a}}{|x|^b},$$

where $a \neq 0$, $a \neq 1$, and $b \neq \lambda$. If

$$\max(q, p') > \frac{a}{\lambda - b} > 0,$$

then the operator $Af = \mathcal{K} * f$ is not bounded from L_p to L_q .

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