

# Weighted discrete limit theorems for general Dirichlet polynomials

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Let

$$p_n(t) = \sum_{m=1}^n a_m e^{i\lambda_m t},$$

$$q_n(s) = \sum_{m=1}^n a_m e^{-\lambda_m s}, \quad s = \sigma + it,$$

be a general Dirichlet polynomials with complex-valued coefficients  $a_m$  and real exponents  $\lambda_m$ . Zeta-function usually are approximated by Dirichlet polynomials, therefore limit theorems for these polynomials is the first step to obtain limit theorems for zeta-functions. Continuous limit theorems for Dirichlet polynomials can be found in [3]. In this case the weak convergence of probability measures

$$\frac{1}{T} \text{meas}\{t \in [0, T]: p_n(t) \in A\},$$

and

$$\frac{1}{T} \text{meas}\{\tau \in [0, T]: q_n(s + i\tau) \in A\},$$

on the complex plane and on the space of analytic functions is considered. Here  $\text{meas}\{A\}$  denotes the Lebesgue measure of the set  $A$ . In the case of discrete limit theorems the probability measures

$$\frac{1}{N+1} \#\{0 \leq k \leq N: p_n(kh) \in A\}$$

and

$$\frac{1}{N+1} \#\{0 \leq k \leq N: q_n(s + ikh) \in A\},$$

where  $h > 0$  is a fixed number, are studied.

In [4] discrete limit theorems for  $p_n(t)$  and  $g_n(s)$  were proved, and the explicit form of limit measures was given, see also [2]. The aim of this note is to obtain weighted discrete limit theorems for general Dirichlet polynomials.

Let  $w(u)$  be a positive function of bounded variation on  $[0, +\infty)$  and we set

$$U = U(N, w) = \sum_{m=0}^N w(m).$$

Suppose that  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} U(N, w) = \infty$ . Moreover, let, for positive integer  $N$ ,

$$\mu_N(\dots) = \sum_{\substack{m=0 \\ \dots}} w(m),$$

where in place of dots a condition satisfied by  $m$  is to be written. We suppose, as in [4], that the exponents  $\lambda_m$  are real algebraic numbers linearly independent over the field of rational numbers, and that  $h > 0$  be such that  $\exp\{\frac{2\pi}{h}\}$  is a rational number. Denote by  $\mathcal{B}(S)$  the class of Borel sets of the space  $S$ , and let  $\mathbb{C}$  be the complex plane. We set

$$\Omega_n = \prod_{m=1}^n \gamma_m,$$

where  $\gamma_m = \{s \in \mathbb{C}: |s| = 1\}$  for all  $m = 1, \dots, n$ . Define a function  $v: \Omega_n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  by the formula

$$v(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \sum_{m=1}^n a_m x_m, \quad (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \Omega_n,$$

and denote by  $m_{nH}$  the probability Haar measure on  $(\Omega_n, \mathcal{B}(\Omega_n))$ .

**Theorem 1.** *The probability measure*

$$P_N(A) = \mu_N(p_n(mh) \in A), \quad A \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{C}),$$

converges weakly to the measure  $m_{nH}v^{-1}$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ .

Let  $G$  be a region on  $\mathbb{C}$ . Denote by  $H(G)$  the space of analytic on  $G$  functions with the topology of uniform convergence on compacta. Define a function  $v_1: \Omega_n \rightarrow H(G)$  by the formula

$$v_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \sum_{m=1}^n a_m e^{-\lambda_m s} x_m^{-1}, \quad (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \Omega_n.$$

**Theorem 2.** *The probability measure*

$$Q_N(A) = \mu_N(q_n(s + imh) \in A), \quad A \in \mathcal{B}(H(G)),$$

converges weakly to the measure  $m_{nH}v_1^{-1}$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ .

We begin the proof of Theorems 1 and 2 with the following lemma.

**Lemma 1.** *The probability measure*

$$\mu_N((e^{i\lambda_1 mh}, \dots, e^{i\lambda_n mh}) \in A), \quad A \in \mathcal{B}(\Omega_n),$$

converges weakly to the Haar measure  $m_{nH}$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ .

*Proof.* Denote by  $g_N(k_1, \dots, k_n), (k_1, \dots, k_n) \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ , and  $\mathbb{Z}$  is the set of all integers, i.e., [3]

$$g_N(k_1, \dots, k_n) = \int_{\Omega_n} x_1^{k_1} \dots x_n^{k_n} dQ_n, \quad (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \Omega_n.$$

Then we have that

$$g_N(k_1, \dots, k_n) = \frac{1}{U} \sum_{m=0}^N w(m) \exp \left\{ imh \sum_{l=1}^n k_l \lambda_l \right\}. \tag{1}$$

If  $(k_1, \dots, k_n) = (0, \dots, 0)$ , clearly,  $g_n(k_1, \dots, k_n) = 1$ . Now suppose that  $(k_1, \dots, k_n) \neq (0, \dots, 0)$ , and let

$$S_N(k_1, \dots, k_n) = \sum_{m=0}^N \exp \left\{ imh \sum_{l=1}^n k_l \lambda_l \right\}$$

Since the exponents  $\lambda_n$  are real algebraic numbers linearly independent over the field of rational numbers, we have [4]

$$S_N(k_1, \dots, k_n) = \frac{1 - \exp \left\{ i(N+1)h \sum_{l=1}^n k_l \lambda_l \right\}}{1 - \exp \left\{ ih \sum_{l=1}^n k_l \lambda_l \right\}}.$$

Obviously, for all  $u \geq 0$ ,

$$\frac{1 - \exp \left\{ i(N+1)h \sum_{l=1}^n k_l \lambda_l \right\}}{1 - \exp \left\{ ih \sum_{l=1}^n k_l \lambda_l \right\}} = B.$$

Where  $B$  denotes a quantity bounded by a constant. Hence, summing by parts and taking into account that  $w(u)$  is a function of bounded variation, we find that

$$\sum_{m=0}^N w(m) \exp \left\{ imh \sum_{l=1}^n k_l \lambda_l \right\} = w(N)S(N) - \int_0^N S(u) dw(u) = B.$$

This and (1) shows that

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} g_N(k_1, \dots, k_n) = \begin{cases} 1, & (k_1, \dots, k_n) = (0, \dots, 0), \\ 0, & (k_1, \dots, k_n) \neq (0, \dots, 0). \end{cases}$$

Thus we obtained that the Fourier transform of the measure  $Q_N$  converges to the Fourier transform of the Haar measure on  $\Omega_N$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ . Therefore, by Theorem 1. 3. 19 from [3], the measure  $Q_N$  weakly converges to  $m_n H$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ . The lemma is proved.

*Proof of Theorem 1.* By the definition of the function  $v$  we have that

$$p_n(mh) = v(e^{i\lambda_1 mh}, \dots, e^{i\lambda_n mh}),$$

moreover, the function  $v$  is continuous. Therefore, by Theorem 5.1 of [1] and Lemma 1 the measure of the theorem converges weakly to the measure  $m_n H v^{-1}$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ .

*Proof of Theorem 2.* The definition of the function  $v_1$  implies

$$q_n(s + imh) = v_1(e^{i\lambda_1 mh}, \dots, e^{i\lambda_n mh}),$$

and the function  $v_1$  is continuous. Therefore, using Lemma 1 again, we obtain the theorem.

Now let

$$p_n(t, g) = \sum_{m=1}^n a_m g(m) e^{i\lambda_m t},$$

$$q_n(s, g) = \sum_{m=1}^n a_m g(m) e^{-\lambda_m s}.$$

where  $g(m)$  is an arbitrary arithmetic function,  $|g(m)| = 1$ . Then we have the following statements.

**Theorem 3.** *The probability measures  $P_N$  and*

$$\widehat{P}_N(A) = \mu_N(p_n(mh, g) \in A), \quad A \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{C}),$$

*both converge weakly to the same limit measure, i.e., to  $m_n H v^{-1}$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ .*

**Theorem 4.** *The probability measures  $Q_N$  and*

$$\widehat{Q}_N(A) = \mu_N(q_n(s + imh, g) \in A), \quad A \in \mathcal{B}(H(G)),$$

*both converge weakly to the same limit measure, i.e., to  $m_n H v_1^{-1}$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ .*

*Proof* of Theorems 3 and 4 uses the proofs of Theorems 1 and 2, respectively, and completely coincides with that of Theorems 3 and 4 in [4].

Note that if  $w(u) \equiv 1$ , then we obtain the theorems from [4].

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## Diskrečios ribinės teoremos su svoriu bendriesiems Dirichlet polinomams

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Įrodytos diskrečios ribinės teoremos su svoriu bendriesiems Dirichlet polinomams silpno matų konvergavimo prasme. Pateiktas išreikštinis ribinių matų pavidalas. Gauti rezultatai apibendrina autorės teoremas, kai svorio funkcija  $w(u) = 1$ .