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SOME INTEGRABILITY THEOREMS FOR MULTIPLE
TRIGONOMETRIC SERIES

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Abstract. Several new integrability theorems are proved for multiple cosine or sine series.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Let \mathbb{N} denote the set of all positive integers and let $\mathbb{N}_0 := \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$. We consider a double sequence $\{a_{j,k}: j, k \in \mathbb{N}_0\}$ of real numbers such that

$$\lim_{\max\{j,k\} \rightarrow \infty} a_{j,k} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2} |\Delta_{\{1,2\}}(a_{j,k})| \text{ converges,}$$

where $\Delta_{\{1,2\}}(a_{j,k}) := a_{j,k} - a_{j+1,k} + a_{j+1,k+1} - a_{j,k+1}$, $j, k \in \mathbb{N}_0$. In [13] Móricz proved that if $(x, y) \in (0, \pi]^2$, then the double cosine series

$$\sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2} \lambda_j \lambda_k a_{j,k} \cos jx \cos ky, \quad \lambda_0 = 1/2; \quad \lambda_j = 1, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}$$

converges regularly in the sense of Hardy [3]. In addition, he proved that the following improper Riemann integral exists:

$$(1) \quad \lim_{\substack{(\varepsilon,\delta) \rightarrow (0,0) \\ (\varepsilon,\delta) \in (0,\pi)^2}} \int_{[\varepsilon,\pi] \times [\delta,\pi]} \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2} \lambda_j \lambda_k a_{j,k} \cos jx \cos ky d(x,y).$$

In this paper we prove that the above result of Móricz is beyond the realm of Lebesgue integration; we establish the following integrability theorem for double cosine series:

Theorem 1.1. Let $\{a_{j,k} : (j, k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2\}$ be a double sequence of real numbers such that $\lim_{\max\{j,k\} \rightarrow \infty} a_{j,k} = 0$,

$$\Delta_{\{1,2\}}(a_{j,k}) = 0, \quad (j, k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2 \setminus \{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}^2$$

and

$$\sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} \left\{ |A_{j,k}| + \left\{ \sum_{p=j}^{\infty} A_{p,k}^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} + \left\{ \sum_{q=k}^{\infty} A_{j,q}^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \right\} \text{ converges,}$$

where $A_{j,k} := \Delta_{\{1,2\}}(a_{2^j, 2^k})$, $(j, k) \in \mathbb{N}^2$.

Then $\sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2} \lambda_j \lambda_k a_{j,k} \cos jx \cos ky$ is a double Fourier series if and only if

$$\sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} \left\{ \sum_{p=j}^{\infty} \sum_{q=k}^{\infty} A_{p,q}^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \text{ converges.}$$

By modifying the proof of Theorem 1.1, we obtain the following result for double sine series.

Theorem 1.2. Let $\{b_{j,k} : j, k \in \mathbb{N}\}$ be a double sequence of real numbers such that $\lim_{\max\{j,k\} \rightarrow \infty} b_{j,k} = 0$,

$$\Delta_{\{1,2\}}(b_{j,k}) = 0, \quad (j, k) \in \mathbb{N}^2 \setminus \{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}^2$$

and

$$\sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} \left\{ |B_{j,k}| + \left(\left(\sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} B_{p,k} \right)^2 + \sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} B_{p,k}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} + \left(\left(\sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} B_{j,q} \right)^2 + \sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} B_{j,q}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right\}$$

converges, where $B_{j,k} := \Delta_{\{1,2\}}(b_{2^j, 2^k})$, $(j, k) \in \mathbb{N}^2$.

Then $\sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} b_{j,k} \sin jx \sin ky$ is a double Fourier series if and only if

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} & \left\{ \sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} \sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} B_{p,q}^2 + \left(\sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} \sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} B_{p,q} \right)^2 \right. \\ & \left. + \sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} B_{p,q} \right)^2 + \sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} B_{p,q} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

converges.

This paper is organized as follows. In the next section we prove several integrability theorems for single cosine or sine series. In Section 3 we prove a higher-dimensional analogue of Theorem 1.1. In Section 4 we prove a higher-dimensional analogue of Theorem 1.2.

2. SOME INTEGRABILITY THEOREMS FOR SINGLE COSINE OR SINE SERIES

We begin with the following known result.

Theorem 2.1 (cf. [1, Theorem 5.27]). *Let $\{b_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$ be a sequence of real numbers such that $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k|$ converges. Then $\int_0^{\pi} \left| x^{-1} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \sin 2^k x \right| dx$ is finite if and only if $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{j=k}^{\infty} b_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ converges.*

We are now ready to state and prove an integrability theorem for one-dimensional cosine series.

Theorem 2.2. *Let $\{a_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty}$ be a null sequence of real numbers such that $a_k - a_{k+1} = 0$, $k \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}$ and $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |a_k - a_{k+1}|$ converges. Then $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \lambda_k a_k \cos kx$ is a Fourier series if and only if $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{j=k}^{\infty} (a_{2^j} - a_{2^j+1})^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ converges.*

P r o o f. Since a single summation by parts and our hypotheses yield

$$\sup_{x \in (0, \pi)} \left| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \lambda_k a_k \cos kx - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (a_{2^k} - a_{2^k+1}) \frac{\sin 2^k x}{2 \tan \frac{x}{2}} \right| \leq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |a_k - a_{k+1}| < \infty,$$

the result follows from Theorem 2.1. \square

Let χ_A denote the characteristic function of a set A . The following example is an easy consequence of Theorem 2.2.

E x a m p l e 2.3. Let

$$a_0 = a_1 = \sum_{j=2}^{\infty} \frac{\chi_{\{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}}(j)}{(\ln j)^{3/2}} \quad \text{and} \quad a_k = \sum_{j=k}^{\infty} \frac{\chi_{\{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}}(j)}{(\ln j)^{3/2}}, \quad k \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{1\}.$$

Then $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \lambda_k a_k \cos kx$ is not a Fourier series.

The next result involves absolutely convergent cosine series.

Theorem 2.4. Let $\{a_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$ be a sequence of real numbers such that $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |a_k|$ converges. Then $\int_0^{\pi} \left| x^{-1} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k (1 - \cos 2^k x) \right| dx$ is finite if and only if

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j \right)^2 + \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

converges.

P r o o f. (\Leftarrow) Suppose that $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j \right)^2 + \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ converges. We write $C_j(x) = 1 - \cos 2^j x$, $j \in \mathbb{N}$ and select any $N \in \mathbb{N}$. Then

$$(2) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_{\pi/2^{N+1}}^{\pi} \left| \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx \\ & \leq \sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2^{k+1}}^{\pi/2^k} \left| \sum_{j=1}^k \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx + \sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2^{k+1}}^{\pi/2^k} \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx. \end{aligned}$$

The first term on the right-hand side of (2) is bounded above by $\pi \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |a_j|$:

$$\sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2^{k+1}}^{\pi/2^k} \left| \sum_{j=1}^k \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx \leq \pi \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^k \left| \frac{a_j}{2^{k+1}} \right| 2^j = \pi \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |a_j|.$$

The second term on the right-hand side of (2) is bounded above by $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j \right)^2 + \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2^{k+1}}^{\pi/2^k} \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx \\ & = \sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} \frac{a_j C_{j-k}(x)}{x} \right| dx \\ & \leq \sum_{k=0}^N \left\{ \left\{ \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j C_{j-k}(x) \right|^2 dx \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \left\{ \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} x^{-2} dx \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \right\} \\ & \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j \right)^2 + \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

As N is arbitrary, the above inequalities imply that

$$\sup_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \int_{\pi/2^{N+1}}^{\pi} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_k C_k(x)}{x} \right| dx \leq \pi \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |a_k| + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j \right)^2 + \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

and so $\int_0^{\pi} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k C_k(x)/x \right| dx$ is finite.

(\Rightarrow) Conversely, suppose that $\int_0^{\pi} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k C_k(x)/x \right| dx$ is finite. Since $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |a_k|$ is assumed to be convergent, it suffices to prove that there exists a positive constant C such that

$$(3) \quad \sup_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \sum_{k=0}^N \left\{ \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j \right)^2 + \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq \pi C \left\{ \int_0^{\pi} \left| \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx + \pi \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |a_k| \right\}.$$

According to [14, Chapter V, (8.20) Theorem], there exists a positive constant C such that

$$\left\{ \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j C_{j-k}(x) \right|^2 dx \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq C \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j C_{j-k}(x) \right| dx, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}$$

and so (3) holds:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=0}^N \left\{ \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j \right)^2 + \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^N \left\{ \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j C_{j-k}(x) \right|^2 dx \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\leq C \sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j C_{j-k}(x) \right| dx \\ &= C \sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2^{k+1}}^{\pi/2^k} 2^k \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} a_j C_j(x) \right| dx \\ &\leq \pi C \sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2^{k+1}}^{\pi/2^k} \left| \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx \\ &\leq \pi C \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2^{k+1}}^{\pi/2^k} \left| \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx + \sum_{k=0}^N \int_{\pi/2^{k+1}}^{\pi/2^k} \left| \sum_{j=1}^k \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx \right\} \\ &\leq \pi \left\{ C \int_0^{\pi} \left| \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_j C_j(x)}{x} \right| dx + \pi \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |a_k| \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

We are now ready to state and prove an integrability theorem for single sine series.

Theorem 2.5. Let $\{b_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$ be a null sequence of real numbers such that $b_k - b_{k+1} = 0$, $k \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}$ and $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k - b_{k+1}|$ converges. Then $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \sin kx$ is a Fourier series if and only if

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} (b_{2^j} - b_{2^j+1})^2 + \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} (b_{2^j} - b_{2^j+1}) \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

converges.

P r o o f. Since a single summation by parts and our hypotheses yield

$$\sup_{x \in (0, \pi)} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \sin kx - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (b_{2^k} - b_{2^k+1}) \frac{1 - \cos 2^k x}{2 \tan \frac{x}{2}} \right| \leq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k - b_{k+1}| < \infty,$$

the result follows from Theorem 2.4. \square

E x a m p l e 2.6. Let $b_1 = 0$, let

$$b_k = \sum_{j=k}^{\infty} (-1)^{\ln j / \ln 2} \frac{\chi_{\{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}}(j)}{(\ln j)^{3/2}}, \quad k \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{1\}$$

and let $B_j = b_{2^j} - b_{2^j+1}$ for $j = 1, 2, \dots$. Then $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ is a null sequence of bounded variation with

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} B_j^2 + \left(\sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} B_j \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \geq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{j=k+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{j^3} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} = \infty.$$

An application of Theorem 2.5 shows that $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \sin kx$ is not a Fourier series.

3. AN INTEGRABILITY THEOREM FOR MULTIPLE COSINE SERIES

The main aim of this section is to establish a higher-dimensional analogue of Theorem 2.2.

Let $m \geq 2$ be a fixed positive integer. For any two m -tuples $\mathbf{p} := (p_1, \dots, p_m)$, $\mathbf{q} := (q_1, \dots, q_m)$ belonging to $\mathbb{N}_0^m := \prod_{i=1}^m \mathbb{N}_0$, we write $\mathbf{p} \leq \mathbf{q}$ if and only if $p_i \leq q_i$ for $i = 1, \dots, m$. If $\{u_{\mathbf{k}} : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$ is a multiple sequence of real numbers, we write

$$\sum_{\mathbf{p} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{q}} u_{\mathbf{k}} := \sum_{k_1=p_1}^{q_1} \cdots \sum_{k_m=p_m}^{q_m} u_{\mathbf{k}}, \quad \mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$$

and

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \geq \mathbf{p}} u_{\mathbf{k}} := \sum_{k_1=p_1}^{\infty} \cdots \sum_{k_m=p_m}^{\infty} u_{\mathbf{k}}, \quad \mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m,$$

where an empty sum is taken to be zero. We also write $W' = \{1, \dots, m\} \setminus W$ ($W \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}$).

Definition 3.1 (cf. [9], [10], [5]). Let $\{u_{\mathbf{k}} : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$ be a multiple sequence of real numbers. The multiple series $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} u_{\mathbf{k}}$ converges regularly if for each $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists $N(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N}_0$ such that

$$\left| \sum_{\mathbf{p} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{q}} u_{\mathbf{k}} \right| < \varepsilon$$

for every $\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$ satisfying $\mathbf{q} \geq \mathbf{p}$ and $\max\{p_1, \dots, p_m\} \geq N(\varepsilon)$.

For any multiple sequence $\{u_{\mathbf{k}} : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$ of real numbers, we write $\Delta_{\emptyset}(u_{\mathbf{k}}) = u_{\mathbf{k}}$,

$$\Delta_{\{j\}}(u_{\mathbf{k}}) = u_{k_1, \dots, k_{j-1}, k_j, k_{j+1}, \dots, k_m} - u_{k_1, \dots, k_{j-1}, k_j + 1, k_{j+1}, \dots, k_m}, \quad j = 1, \dots, m$$

and $\Delta_{\{j_1, \dots, j_s\}}(u_{\mathbf{k}}) := \Delta_{\{j_1\}} \cdots \Delta_{\{j_s\}}(u_{\mathbf{k}})$, $\{j_1, \dots, j_s\} \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}$.

Set $\|\mathbf{x}\| := \max_{k=1, \dots, m} |x_k|$ ($\mathbf{x} := (x_1, \dots, x_m) \in \mathbb{R}^m$). We are now ready to state the following important generalized Dirichlet test for multiple series.

Theorem 3.2 (cf. [5, Theorem 2.3]). Let $\{c_{\mathbf{k}} : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$ be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that $\lim_{\|\mathbf{n}\| \rightarrow \infty} c_{\mathbf{n}} = 0$. If $\{x_{\mathbf{k}} : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$ is a multiple sequence of real numbers and if

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \{|\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{k}})|\} \left\{ \max_{0 \leq r \leq \mathbf{k}} \left| \sum_{0 \leq j \leq r} x_j \right| \right\} \text{ converges,}$$

then $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{k}}) \sum_{0 \leq j \leq \mathbf{k}} x_j$ converges absolutely, $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m c_{\mathbf{k}}} x_{\mathbf{k}}$ converges regularly and

$$\lim_{\min\{n_1, \dots, n_m\} \rightarrow \infty} \left| \sum_{0 \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{n}} c_{\mathbf{k}} x_{\mathbf{k}} - \sum_{0 \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{n}} \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{k}}) \sum_{0 \leq j \leq \mathbf{k}} x_j \right| = 0.$$

In order to prove a higher-dimensional analogue of Theorem 2.1, we need the following result.

Lemma 3.3. *Let $\{b_j : j \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$ be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that $\sum_{j \in \mathbb{N}^m} |b_j|$ converges.*

(i) *If $\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$, then*

$$\int_{[\pi/2, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{j \geq \mathbf{k}+1} b_j \prod_{i=1}^m \sin 2^{j_i - k_i} x_i \right| d\mathbf{x} \leq \pi^m \left\{ \sum_{j \geq \mathbf{k}+1} b_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

(ii) *There exists a constant C_m (depending only on m) such that*

$$\int_{[\pi/2, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{j \geq \mathbf{k}+1} b_j \prod_{i=1}^m \sin 2^{j_i - k_i} x_i \right| d\mathbf{x} \geq C_m \left\{ \sum_{j \geq \mathbf{k}+1} b_j^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

for every $\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$.

P r o o f. Part (i) is obvious. The proof of part (ii) is similar to that of [2, Theorem 3.7.4] and [11, Lemmas 1 and 2]. \square

A two-dimensional analogue of Theorem 2.1 is given in [12]. The next theorem is a higher-dimensional analogue of Theorem 2.1.

Theorem 3.4. *Let $\{b_{\mathbf{k}} : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$ be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that*

$$(4) \quad \sum_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ r_i \geq k_i \forall i \in \Gamma \\ r_l = k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} b_{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty.$$

Then $\int_{[0, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} b_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \sin(2^{k_i} x_i) / x_i \right| d\mathbf{x}$ is finite if and only if

$$(5) \quad \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \sum_{\mathbf{r} \geq \mathbf{k}} b_{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty.$$

P r o o f. We write $S_j(x) = \sin 2^j(x)$, $j \in \mathbb{N}$. Clearly, it suffices to prove that

$$(6) \quad \begin{aligned} & \sup_{\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{N_i+1}, \pi]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} b_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{S_{k_i}(x_i)}{x_i} \right| d\mathbf{x} < \infty \\ & \iff \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \sum_{\mathbf{r} \geq k} b_{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

For each $\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{N_i+1}, \pi]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} b_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} S_{k_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & \leq \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq N} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{1 \leq j \leq \mathbf{k}} b_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} S_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & + \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq N} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i+1 \forall i \in \Gamma \\ 1 \leq j_l \leq k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} b_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} S_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & + \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq N} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{j \geq k+1} b_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} S_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & =: S_{\mathbf{N}, \emptyset} + \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} S_{\mathbf{N}, \Gamma} + S_{\mathbf{N}, \{1, \dots, m\}}. \end{aligned}$$

The sum $S_{\mathbf{N}, \emptyset}$ is bounded above by $\pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} |b_{\mathbf{k}}|$:

$$(7) \quad \begin{aligned} S_{\mathbf{N}, \emptyset} & := \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq N} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{1 \leq j \leq \mathbf{k}} b_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} S_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & \leq \sum_{\mathbf{1} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq N} \left(\prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\pi}{2^{k_i+1}} \right) \sum_{1 \leq j \leq \mathbf{k}} \left| b_j \prod_{i=1}^m 2^{j_i} \right| \\ & \leq \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} |b_{\mathbf{k}}|. \end{aligned}$$

Next, we fix a non-empty set $\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}$. For each $\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$ we write

$$\Omega_1(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma) = \{\mathbf{j} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m : j_i = k_i \forall i \in \Gamma, \text{ and } 1 \leq j_l \leq k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'\},$$

$$\Omega_2(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma) = \{\mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m : r_i \geq k_i + 1 \forall i \in \Gamma, \text{ and } r_l = k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'\},$$

and apply a $\#(\Gamma)$ -dimensional version of Lemma 3.3(i) to get

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i+1 \forall i \in \Gamma \\ 1 \leq j_l \leq k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} b_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} S_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\
& \leq \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \Omega_1(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma)} A_\Gamma(\mathbf{j}) \int_{\prod_{i \in \Gamma} [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{r} \in \Omega_2(\mathbf{j}, \Gamma)} b_{\mathbf{r}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} x_i^{-1} S_{r_i}(x_i) \right| \prod_{i \in \Gamma} dx_i \\
& \quad (\text{where } A_\Gamma(\mathbf{j}) := \prod_{l \in \Gamma'} \frac{\pi 2^{j_l}}{2^{k_l+1}}) \\
& \leq \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \Omega_1(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma)} A_\Gamma(\mathbf{j}) \int_{\prod_{i \in \Gamma} [\pi/2, \pi]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{r} \in \Omega_2(\mathbf{j}, \Gamma)} b_{\mathbf{r}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} x_i^{-1} S_{r_i-k_i}(x_i) \right| \prod_{i \in \Gamma} dx_i \\
& \leq \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \Omega_1(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma)} A_\Gamma(\mathbf{j}) \left\{ \sum_{\mathbf{r} \in \Omega_2(\mathbf{j}, \Gamma)} b_{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right\}^{1/2}
\end{aligned}$$

and hence

$$\begin{aligned}
(8) \quad S_{\mathbf{N}, \Gamma} &:= \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i+1 \forall i \in \Gamma \\ 1 \leq j_l \leq k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} b_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} S_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\
&\leq \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \sum_{\substack{r_i \geq k_i \forall i \in \Gamma \\ r_l = k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} b_{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right\}^{1/2}.
\end{aligned}$$

Since $\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$ is arbitrary, we infer from (4), (7) and (8) that

$$(9) \quad \sup_{\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ S_{\mathbf{N}, \emptyset} + \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} S_{\mathbf{N}, \Gamma} \right\} < \infty.$$

Finally, an application of Lemma 3.3 gives

$$(10) \quad \sup_{\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} S_{\mathbf{N}, \{1, \dots, m\}} < \infty \iff \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \sum_{\mathbf{r} \geq \mathbf{k}} b_{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right\}^{1/2} < \infty$$

and so (6) follows from (9) and (10).

The following theorem is a higher-dimensional analogue of Theorem 2.2.

Theorem 3.5. Let $\{a_{\mathbf{k}} : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$ be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that $\lim_{\|\mathbf{n}\| \rightarrow \infty} a_{\mathbf{n}} = 0$, $\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(a_{\mathbf{k}}) = 0$ ($\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m \setminus \{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}^m$) and

$$(11) \quad \sum_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m \\ r_i \geq k_i \forall i \in \Gamma \\ r_l = k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} (\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(a_{2^{r_1}, \dots, 2^{r_m}}))^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty.$$

Then $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i x_i$ is a multiple Fourier series if and only if

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \sum_{\mathbf{r} \geq \mathbf{k}} (\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(a_{2^{r_1}, \dots, 2^{r_m}}))^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty.$$

P r o o f. Let $A_{\mathbf{k}} := \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(a_{2^{k_1}, \dots, 2^{k_m}})$ ($\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$). Then, for each $\mathbf{x} \in (0, \pi]^m$, an application of Theorem 3.2 yields

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i x_i &= \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\sin 2^{k_i} x_i \cos \frac{x_i}{2}}{\sin \frac{1}{2} x_i} + \cos 2^{k_i} x_i \right) \\ &= \sum_{\Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{\sin 2^{k_i} x_i \cos \frac{1}{2} x_i}{2 \sin \frac{1}{2} x_i} \prod_{l \in \Gamma'} \frac{\cos 2^{k_l} x_l}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

It is now clear that the theorem is a consequence of Theorem 3.4, since the proof of (9) gives

$$\begin{aligned} &\max_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \int_{[0, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{\sin 2^{k_i} x_i \cos \frac{1}{2} x_i}{2 \sin \frac{1}{2} x_i} \prod_{l \in \Gamma'} \cos 2^{k_l} x_l \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ &\leq \pi^m \max_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\substack{k_i=1 \forall i \in \Gamma \\ k_l \geq 1 \forall l \in \Gamma'}} \int_{[0, \pi]^{|\text{card}(\Gamma)|}} \left| \sum_{\substack{r_i \geq 1 \forall i \in \Gamma \\ r_l = k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} A_{\mathbf{r}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{\sin 2^{r_i} x_i}{\tan \frac{1}{2} x_i} \right| \prod_{i \in \Gamma} dx_i \\ &\leq (2\pi)^m \max_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \sum_{\substack{r_i \geq k_i \forall i \in \Gamma \\ r_l = k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} A_{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

and (11) holds.

E x a m p l e 3.6. Let $\{b_{j,k} : (j, k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2\}$ be a double sequence of real numbers such that $b_{j,k} = 0$, $(j, k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2 \setminus \{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}^2$ and $b_{2^j, 2^k} = (j+k)^{-3}$, $(j, k) \in \mathbb{N}^2$.

Then the double series $\sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2} \left(\sum_{r=j}^{\infty} \sum_{s=k}^{\infty} b_{r,s} \right) \lambda_j \lambda_k \cos jx \cos ky$ converges regularly for every $(x, y) \in (0, \pi]^2$. However,

$$(12) \quad \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2} \left(\sum_{r=j}^{\infty} \sum_{s=k}^{\infty} b_{r,s} \right) \lambda_j \lambda_k \cos jx \cos ky$$

is not a double Fourier series.

P r o o f. This is a consequence of Theorems 3.2 and 3.5. \square

R e m a r k 3.7. Let $\{b_{j,k} : (j, k) \in \mathbb{N}^2\}$ be given as in Example 3.6 and let

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^2} \left(\sum_{r=j}^{\infty} \sum_{s=k}^{\infty} b_{r,s} \right) \lambda_j \lambda_k \cos jx \cos ky & \text{if } (x, y) \in (0, \pi]^2, \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) \in [0, \pi]^2 \setminus (0, \pi]^2. \end{cases}$$

An application of [8, Corollary 6.4] shows that the function f is Henstock-Kurzweil (i.e. Perron) integrable on $[0, \pi]^2$, and (12) is the Henstock-Kurzweil Fourier series of f .

More details on the Henstock-Kurzweil integral can be found in [6], [7] and references therein.

4. AN INTEGRABILITY THEOREM FOR MULTIPLE SINE SERIES

The main aim of this section is to prove a higher-dimensional analogue of Theorem 2.4. We need

Lemma 4.1. *Let $\{a_{\mathbf{k}} : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$ be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} |a_{\mathbf{k}}|$ converges. Then there exists a constant \tilde{C}_m (depending only on m) such that*

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{[\pi/2, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{j} \geq \mathbf{k}+1} a_{\mathbf{j}} \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{1 - \cos 2^{j_i - k_i} x_i}{x_i} \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & \geq \tilde{C}_m \left\{ \int_{[\pi/2, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{j} \geq \mathbf{k}+1} a_{\mathbf{j}} \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{1 - \cos 2^{j_i - k_i} x_i}{x_i} \right|^2 d\mathbf{x} \right\}^{1/2} \end{aligned}$$

for every $\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$.

P r o o f. The proof is similar to that of [2, Theorem 3.7.4] and [11, Lemmas 1 and 2]. \square

The following theorem is a higher-dimensional analogue of Theorem 2.4.

Theorem 4.2. *Let $\{a_{\mathbf{k}} : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$ be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that*

$$(13) \quad \sum_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \Gamma} \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i + 1 \forall i \in S \\ j_l = k_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{r_i = j_i \forall i \in S \cup \Gamma' \\ r_l \geq j_l + 1 \forall l \in \Gamma \setminus S}} a_{\mathbf{r}} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty.$$

Then $\int_{[0, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m (1 - \cos 2^{k_i} x_i) / x_i \right| d\mathbf{x}$ is finite if and only if

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i + 1 \forall i \in S \\ j_l = k_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{r_i = j_i \forall i \in S \\ r_l \geq j_l + 1 \forall l \in S'}} a_{\mathbf{r}} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty.$$

P r o o f. Let $C_j(x) := 1 - \cos 2^j(x)$, $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$. For each $\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{N_i+1}, \pi]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} C_{k_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & \leq \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{j} \leq \mathbf{k}} a_{\mathbf{j}} \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} C_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & \quad + \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i + 1 \forall i \in \Gamma \\ 0 \leq j_l \leq k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} a_{\mathbf{j}} \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} C_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & \quad + \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{j} \geq \mathbf{k}+1} a_{\mathbf{j}} \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} C_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ & =: C_{\mathbf{N}, \emptyset} + \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} C_{\mathbf{N}, \Gamma} + C_{\mathbf{N}, \{1, \dots, m\}}. \end{aligned}$$

The rest of the proof is similar to that of Theorem 3.4. The term $C_{\mathbf{N}, \emptyset}$ is bounded above by $\pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} |a_{\mathbf{k}}|$:

$$(14) \quad C_{\mathbf{N}, \emptyset} \leq \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \left(\prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\pi}{2^{k_i+1}} \right) \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{j} \leq \mathbf{k}} \left| a_{\mathbf{j}} \prod_{i=1}^m 2^{j_i} \right| \leq \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} |a_{\mathbf{k}}|.$$

Next, we fix a non-empty set $\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}$. For each $\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$ we follow the proof of Theorem 3.4 by setting

$$\Omega_2(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma) = \{ \mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m : r_i \geq k_i + 1 \forall i \in \Gamma, \text{ and } r_l = k_l \forall l \in \Gamma' \}$$

and

$$\Omega_3(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma) = \{\mathbf{j} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m : j_i = k_i \forall i \in \Gamma, \text{ and } 0 \leq j_l \leq k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'\}$$

to obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i+1 \forall i \in \Gamma \\ 0 \leq j_l \leq k_l \forall l \in \Gamma'}} a_{\mathbf{j}} \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} C_{j_i}(x_i) \right| dx \\ & \leq \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \Omega_3(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma)} A_{\Gamma}(\mathbf{j}) \int_{\prod_{i \in \Gamma} [\pi/2, \pi]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{r} \in \Omega_2(\mathbf{j}, \Gamma)} a_{\mathbf{r}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} x_i^{-1} C_{r_i-k_i}(x_i) \right| \prod_{i \in \Gamma} dx_i \\ & \quad (\text{where } A_{\Gamma}(\mathbf{j}) := \prod_{l \in \Gamma'} \frac{\pi 2^{j_l}}{2^{k_l+1}}) \\ & \leq \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \Omega_3(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma)} A_{\Gamma}(\mathbf{j}) \left\{ \int_{\prod_{i \in \Gamma} [\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{r} \in \Omega_2(\mathbf{j}, \Gamma)} a_{\mathbf{r}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} (C_{r_i-k_i}(x_i)) \right|^2 \prod_{i \in \Gamma} dx_i \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ & = \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \Omega_3(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma)} A_{\Gamma}(\mathbf{j}) \left\{ \int_{\prod_{i \in \Gamma} [\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi]} \left| \sum_{S \subseteq \Gamma} \sum_{\mathbf{r} \in \Omega_2(\mathbf{j}, \Gamma)} a_{\mathbf{r}} \prod_{i \in S} (C_{r_i-k_i}(x_i) - 1) \right|^2 \prod_{i \in \Gamma} dx_i \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ & \leq \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \Omega_3(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma)} A_{\Gamma}(\mathbf{j}) \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \Gamma} \int_{\prod_{i \in \Gamma} [\pi/2, \pi]} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{r} \in \Omega_2(\mathbf{j}, \Gamma)} a_{\mathbf{r}} \prod_{i \in S} (-\cos 2^{r_i-k_i} x_i) \right|^2 \prod_{i \in \Gamma} dx_i \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ & \leq \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \Omega_3(\mathbf{k}, \Gamma)} A_{\Gamma}(\mathbf{j}) \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \Gamma} \sum_{\substack{r_i \geq j_i+1 \forall i \in S \\ r_l = j_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{q_i = r_i \forall i \in S \cup \Gamma' \\ q_i \geq r_l+1 \forall l \in \Gamma \setminus S}} a_{\mathbf{q}} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$(15) \quad C_{\mathbf{N}, \Gamma} \leq \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \Gamma} \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i+1 \forall i \in S \\ j_l = k_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{r_i = j_i \forall i \in S \cup \Gamma' \\ r_l \geq j_l+1 \forall l \in \Gamma \setminus S}} a_{\mathbf{r}} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

Since $\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$ is arbitrary, it follows from (13), (14) and (15) that

$$(16) \quad \sup_{\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ C_{\mathbf{N}, \emptyset} + \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} C_{\mathbf{N}, \Gamma} \right\} < \infty.$$

In view of (16), it remains to prove that

$$\begin{aligned} (17) \quad & \sup_{\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} C_{\mathbf{N}, \{1, \dots, m\}} < \infty \\ & \iff \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i+1 \forall i \in S \\ j_l = k_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{r_i = j_i \forall i \in S \\ r_l \geq j_l+1 \forall l \in S'}} a_{\mathbf{r}} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

But it is clear that (17) holds, since $\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$ implies

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{j \geq k+1} a_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} C_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\
& \leq \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi]} \left| \sum_{j \geq k+1} a_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} C_{j_i-k_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\
& \leq \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2, \pi]} \left| \sum_{j \geq k+1} a_j \prod_{i=1}^m C_{j_i-k_i}(x_i) \right|^2 d\mathbf{x} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
& = \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2, \pi]} \left| \sum_{S \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{j \geq k+1} a_j \prod_{i \in S} (C_{j_i-k_i}(x_i) - 1) \right|^2 d\mathbf{x} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
& = \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2, \pi]} \left| \sum_{j \geq k+1} a_j \prod_{i \in S} (C_{j_i-k_i}(x_i) - 1) \right|^2 d\mathbf{x} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
& = \pi^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i+1 \forall i \in S \\ j_l = k_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{r_i=j_i \forall i \in S \\ r_l \geq j_l+1 \forall l \in S'}} a_r \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2^{k_i+1}, \pi/2^{k_i}]} \left| \sum_{j \geq k+1} a_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} C_{j_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\
& = \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2, \pi]} \left| \sum_{j \geq k+1} a_j \prod_{i=1}^m x_i^{-1} C_{j_i-k_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\
& \geq \tilde{C}_m \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \left\{ \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\pi/2, \pi]} \left| \sum_{j \geq k+1} a_j \prod_{i=1}^m C_{j_i-k_i}(x_i) \right|^2 d\mathbf{x} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
& \quad \text{(by Lemma 4.1)} \\
& \geq \tilde{C}_m \sum_{\mathbf{0} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{N}} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i+1 \forall i \in S \\ j_l = k_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{r_i=j_i \forall i \in S \\ r_l \geq j_l+1 \forall l \in S'}} a_r \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}.
\end{aligned}$$

The next theorem is a higher-dimensional analogue of Theorem 2.5.

Theorem 4.3. Let $\{b_k : \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$ be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that $\lim_{\|\mathbf{n}\| \rightarrow \infty} b_{\mathbf{n}} = 0$, $\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(b_{\mathbf{k}}) = 0$ ($\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \setminus \{2^r : r \in \mathbb{N}\}^m$) and

$$\sum_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \Gamma} \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i + 1 \forall i \in S \\ j_l = k_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{r_i = j_i \forall i \in S \cup \Gamma' \\ r_l \geq j_l + 1 \forall l \in \Gamma \setminus S}} B_r \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty,$$

where $B_r := \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(b_{2^{r_1}, \dots, 2^{r_m}})$ ($\mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{N}^m$). Then $\int_{[0, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} b_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \sin k_i x_i \right| d\mathbf{x}$ is finite if and only if

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i + 1 \forall i \in S \\ j_l = k_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{r_i = j_i \forall i \in S \\ r_l \geq j_l + 1 \forall l \in S'}} B_r \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty.$$

P r o o f. For each $j \in \mathbb{N}$ we set $C_j(x) := 1 - \cos 2^j x$ and $S_j(x) := \sin 2^j x$. Then, for each $\mathbf{x} \in (0, \pi)^m$, we deduce from Theorem 3.2 that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} b_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \sin k_i x_i \\ &= \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} B_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{C_{k_i}(x_i)}{2 \tan \frac{1}{2} x_i} + S_{k_i}(x_i) \right) \\ &= \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} B_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{C_{k_i}(x_i)}{2 \tan \frac{1}{2} x_i} + \sum_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} B_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{C_{k_i}(x_i)}{2 \tan \frac{1}{2} x_i} \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} S_{k_i}(x_i). \end{aligned}$$

Next, we follow the proof of (16) to find a constant D_m (depending only on m) such that

$$\begin{aligned} & \max_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} \int_{[0, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} B_{\mathbf{k}} \left(\prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{C_{k_i}(x_i)}{2 \tan \frac{1}{2} x_i} \right) \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} S_{k_i}(x_i) \right| d\mathbf{x} \\ &\leq \max_{\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}} D_m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \sum_{S \subseteq \Gamma} \sum_{\substack{j_i \geq k_i + 1 \forall i \in S \\ j_l = k_l \forall l \in S'}} \left(\sum_{\substack{r_i = j_i \forall i \in S \cup \Gamma' \\ r_l \geq j_l + 1 \forall l \in \Gamma \setminus S}} B_r \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

An application of Theorem 4.2 gives the result.

E x a m p l e 4.4. Let

$$a_{j,k} = \begin{cases} \frac{(-1)^{r+s}}{(r+s)^3} & \text{if } (j, k) \in \{(2^r, 2^s) : (r, s) \in \mathbb{N}^2\}, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

and let $b_{j,k} = \sum_{r=j}^{\infty} \sum_{s=k}^{\infty} a_{r,s}$, $(j, k) \in \mathbb{N}^2$. Then the double series $\sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} b_{j,k} \sin jx \sin ky$ converges regularly on $[0, \pi]^2$. However, it is not a double Fourier series.

P r o o f. The first assertion is a consequence of Theorem 3.2. The other assertion follows from Theorem 4.3, since $\lim_{\max\{j,k\} \rightarrow \infty} b_{j,k} = 0$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} \left\{ a_{j,k}^2 + \left(\sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} a_{p,k} \right)^2 + \sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} a_{p,k}^2 + \left(\sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} a_{j,q} \right)^2 + \sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} a_{j,q}^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ & \leq \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} \left\{ \frac{2}{(j+k)^6} + \sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(p+k)^6} + \frac{2}{(j+k)^6} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} \left\{ \sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} \sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} a_{p,q}^2 + \left(\sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} \sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} a_{p,q} \right)^2 \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} a_{p,q} \right)^2 + \sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} a_{p,q} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ & \geq \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} \left\{ \sum_{p=j+1}^{\infty} \sum_{q=k+1}^{\infty} a_{p,q}^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} = \infty. \end{aligned}$$

R e m a r k 4.5. Let $\{b_{j,k}: (j, k) \in \mathbb{N}^2\}$ be given as in Example 4.4. An application of [8, Theorem 8.1] shows that the function $(x, y) \mapsto \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} b_{j,k} \sin jx \sin ky$ is Henstock-Kurzweil (i.e. Perron) integrable on $[0, \pi]^2$. Furthermore, we deduce from [13, Theorem 2] that $\sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} b_{j,k} \sin jx \sin ky$ is the Henstock-Kurzweil Fourier series of the function $(x, y) \mapsto \sum_{(j,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} b_{j,k} \sin jx \sin ky$.

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