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ON BERNSTEIN INEQUALITIES FOR MULTIVARIATE
TRIGONOMETRIC POLYNOMIALS IN L_p , $0 \leq p \leq \infty$

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Abstract. Let \mathbb{T}_n be the space of all trigonometric polynomials of degree not greater than n with complex coefficients. Arestov extended the result of Bernstein and others and proved that $\|(1/n)T'_n\|_p \leq \|T_n\|_p$ for $0 \leq p \leq \infty$ and $T_n \in \mathbb{T}_n$. We derive the multivariate version of the result of Golitschek and Lorentz

$$\left\| \left| T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{n} \nabla T_n \sin \alpha \right|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} \right\|_p \leq \|T_n\|_p, \quad 0 \leq p \leq \infty$$

for all trigonometric polynomials (with complex coefficients) in m variables of degree at most n .

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1. INTRODUCTION

Let $\mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$ denote the space of all trigonometric polynomials of $(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_m) \in \mathbb{R}^m$ with degree not greater than n and complex coefficients, and let $\Pi_n(\mathbb{C}^m)$ denote the space of all algebraic polynomials of $(z_1, \dots, z_m) \in \mathbb{C}^m$ with degree not greater than n and complex coefficients.

The norm in the space \mathbb{C}^m of $z = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m) \in \mathbb{C}^m$ is defined by

$$(1.1) \quad |z|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} = \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \{|z_k|\},$$

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and the norm (or quasi-norm) in the space $L_p(T^m)$ of a function $f(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m)$ is defined by

$$(1.2) \quad \|f\|_p = \left[\frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} |f(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_m)|^p d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_m \right]^{1/p}, \quad 0 < p < \infty,$$

where $T^m = \overbrace{T \times T \times \dots \times T}^m$, $T = [a, b]$ with $b - a = 2\pi$. For the limiting cases, the supremum norm $\|f\|_\infty$ is defined as usual by

$$(1.3) \quad \|f\|_\infty = \operatorname{esssup}_{(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_m) \in \mathbb{R}^{(m)}} |f(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_m)|, \quad f \in L_\infty(T^m),$$

and the quasi-norm $\|f\|_0$ is defined by

$$(1.4) \quad \|f\|_0 = \exp \left[\frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |f(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_m)| d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_m \right], \quad f \in L_0(T^m).$$

In the case $m = 1$, Golitschek and Lorentz in [3] established, for each real α and trigonometric polynomial $T_n \in \mathcal{T}(\mathbb{R})$, the inequality

$$(1.5) \quad \left\| T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{n} T'_n \sin \alpha \right\|_p \leq \|T_n\|_p, \quad 0 \leq p \leq \infty.$$

For $p = \infty$ and $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}\pi$, the relation (1.5) is called the *Bernstein inequality*; for $1 \leq p < \infty$ and $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}\pi$, it has been established by Zygmund (see [6]); for $0 < p < 1$ and $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}\pi$, it has been proved by Arestov (see [1]); and for $p = \infty$, the special case for real polynomials T_n is the inequality of Szegő-van der Corput-Schaake (see [4]),

$$(1.6) \quad n^2 T_n(\theta)^2 + T'_n(\theta)^2 \leq n^2 \|T_n\|_\infty^2, \quad \theta \in T.$$

In the present paper, using the method of [3], we extend (1.5) to the multivariate $T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$ and obtain the inequality

$$(1.7) \quad \left\| \left\| T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{n} \nabla T_n \sin \alpha \right\|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} \right\|_p \leq |C| \|T_n\|_p, \quad 0 \leq p \leq \infty.$$

Our proof yields $C = 1$, which is the best possible. Here ∇T_n is the gradient of T_n ,

$$(1.8) \quad \nabla T_n = \left(\frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_1}, \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_2}, \dots, \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_m} \right),$$

and

$$(1.9) \quad T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{n} \nabla T_n \sin \alpha = \left(T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{\sin \alpha}{n} \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_1}, T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{\sin \alpha}{n} \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_2}, \dots, T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{\sin \alpha}{n} \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_m} \right).$$

2. INEQUALITIES IN L_0

Let A, B be two real numbers with $B \neq 0$. We consider the operator Λ on $\mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$ defined by

$$(2.1) \quad \mathcal{S}_n = \Lambda(T_n) = AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \nabla T_n, \quad T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m).$$

For any trigonometric polynomial $T_n(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m) \in \mathcal{T}(\mathbb{R}^m)$, we can write

$$(2.2) \quad T_n(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m) = \sum_{0 \leq |j_1| + |j_2| + \dots + |j_m| \leq n} c_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_m} e^{i(j_1 \theta_1 + j_2 \theta_2 + \dots + j_m \theta_m)},$$

and with T_n we associate an algebraic polynomial of degree not greater than $2mn$,

$$(2.3) \quad P_{2mn}(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m) = \sum_{0 \leq |j_1| + |j_2| + \dots + |j_m| \leq n} c_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_m} z_1^{n+j_1} z_2^{n+j_2} \dots z_m^{n+j_m}.$$

So

$$(2.4) \quad P_{2mn}(e^{i\theta_1}, e^{i\theta_2}, \dots, e^{i\theta_n}) = e^{in(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \dots + \theta_m)} T_n(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m).$$

and

$$(2.5) \quad \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_k} = -in e^{-in(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \dots + \theta_m)} \left[P_{2mn}(z) - \frac{z_k}{n} \frac{\partial P_{2mn}}{\partial z_k} \right],$$

$$(2.6) \quad \frac{\Lambda(T_n)}{T_n} = \left(A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \frac{z_1}{P_{2mn}} \frac{\partial P_{2mn}}{\partial z_1}, A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \frac{z_2}{P_{2mn}} \frac{\partial P_{2mn}}{\partial z_2}, \dots, \right. \\ \left. A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \frac{z_m}{P_{2mn}} \frac{\partial P_{2mn}}{\partial z_m} \right)$$

where

$$z = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m), \quad z_k = e^{i\theta_k}, \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

For a fixed $k, 1 \leq k \leq m$, we can write

$$(2.7) \quad P_{2mn}(z) = \sum_{j_k=-n}^n c_{j_k}(z'_k) z_k^{j_k+n},$$

where $z'_k = (z_1, \dots, z_{k-1}, z_{k+1}, \dots, z_m) \in \mathbb{C}^{m-1}$, $c_{j_k}(z'_k) \in \Pi_{2mn-n-j_k}(\mathbb{C}^{m-1})$. Then $P_{2mn}(z)$ is an algebraic polynomial of degree not greater than $2n$ in z_k , and let $\alpha_j^{(k)}(z'_k), j = 1, 2, \dots, 2n$ be its zeros. It follows from (2.6) that

$$(2.8) \quad \frac{\Lambda(T_n)}{T_n} = \left(A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_1}}{e^{i\theta_1} - \alpha_j^{(1)}(z'_1)}, \dots, A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_n}}{e^{i\theta_n} - \alpha_j^{(n)}(z'_n)} \right),$$

where $z'_k = (e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, e^{i\theta_{k-1}}, e^{i\theta_{k+1}}, \dots, e^{i\theta_m}), k = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

Lemma 2.1. Let A, B be two real numbers. For a given $\theta_k \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$(2.9) \quad \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \ln \left| A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - z_j} \right|,$$

is subharmonic with respect to each z_j in the regions $|z_j| < 1$ and $|z_j| > 1$, $j = \dots, 1, 2, \dots, m$.

Futhermore,

$$(2.10) \quad F(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \ln \left| A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - z_j} \right| d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_m$$

is subharmonic with respect to each z_j in the regions $|z_j| < 1$ and $|z_j| > 1$.

Proof. For a given $\theta_k \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$f_k(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m) = A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - z_j}$$

is analytic with respect to each z_j in the regions $|z_j| < 1$ and $|z_j| > 1$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, m$, $k = 1, 2, \dots, m$. Thus $\ln |f_k(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m)|$ is subharmonic with respect to each z_j in the regions, $j = 1, 2, \dots, m$, $k = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

By definition [2] it is easy to see that if $f_k(w)$, $k = 1, 2, \dots, m$ are subharmonic in some region of the w -plane, then $\max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \{f_k(w)\}$ is subharmonic in the region.

These facts imply that the function in (2.9) and its integrals with respect to parameters (for positive measures) are subharmonic with respect to each z_j in the regions $|z_j| < 1$ and $|z_j| > 1$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, m$. The proof is complete. \square

Lemma 2.2. Let A, B be two real numbers, and n be any positive integer. Then

$$(2.11) \quad \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |\Lambda(T_n)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ \leq m \ln |A - iB| + \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |T_n| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m$$

for every $T_n \in \mathcal{T}(\mathbb{R}^m)$.

Proof. Since $\ln x$ is an increasing function for $x > 0$,

$$(2.12) \quad \ln \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \left| A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - z_j} \right| = \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \ln \left| A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - z_j} \right| \\ \leq \sum_{k=1}^m \ln \left| A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - z_j} \right|$$

holds for $|z_j| \neq 1$. By [3], Theorem 2,

$$(2.13) \quad \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_T \ln \left| A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - z_j} \right| d\theta_k \leq \ln |A - iB|, \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

holds for any $(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m) \in \mathbb{C}^m$.

Therefore,

$$(2.14) \quad I_k(z'_k) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_T \ln \left| A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - \alpha_j^{(k)}(z'_k)} \right| d\theta_k \leq \ln |A - iB|$$

holds for any $z'_k = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_{k-1}, z_{k+1}, \dots, z_m) \in \mathbb{C}^m$, $k = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

By (2.8), Lemma 2.1, (2.12) and Fubini's theorem, (2.14) implies

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |\Lambda(T_n)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m - \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |T_n| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \left| A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - \alpha_j^{(k)}(z'_k)} \right| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ &\leq \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln \left| A - iB + \frac{iB}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{2n} \frac{e^{i\theta_k}}{e^{i\theta_k} - \alpha_j^{(k)}(z'_k)} \right| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{m-1}} \int_{T^{m-1}} I_k(z'_k) d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_{k-1} d\theta_{k+1} \dots d\theta_m \\ &\leq m \ln |A - iB|, \end{aligned}$$

where $z'_k = (e^{i\theta_1}, e^{i\theta_2}, \dots, e^{i\theta_{k-1}}, e^{i\theta_{k+1}}, \dots, e^{i\theta_m})$, $k = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

The proof of Lemma 2.2 is complete. \square

Lemma 2.3. *Let A , B and s be real numbers, and n be any positive integer. Then*

$$(2.15) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |\Lambda(T_n^*)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ & \leq m \ln |A - iB| + \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |T_n^*| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \end{aligned}$$

for every $T_n \in \mathcal{T}(\mathbb{R}^m)$, where

$$(2.16) \quad T_n^*(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m) = T_n(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m) + e^{is} e^{in(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \dots + \theta_m)}.$$

Proof. For any $T_n(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_m) \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$,

$$T_n(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m) = \sum_{0 \leq |j_1| + |j_2| + \dots + |j_m| \leq n} c_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_m} e^{i(j_1 \theta_1 + j_2 \theta_2 + \dots + j_m \theta_m)}.$$

Setting

$$P_{2mn}^*(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m) = \sum_{0 \leq |j_1| + |j_2| + \dots + |j_m| \leq n} c_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_m} z_1^{n+j_1} z_2^{n+j_2} \dots z_m^{n+j_m} + e^{is} z_1^{2n} \dots z_m^{2n},$$

it is not hard to verify that (2.4)–(2.6) and (2.8) hold with T_n^* and P_{2mn}^* .

The same method in the proof of Lemma 2.2 completes the proof of (2.15). The following theorem contains the statement that

$$(2.17) \quad \left\| \left| T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{n} \nabla T_n \sin \alpha \right|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} \right\|_0 \leq \|T_n\|_0,$$

holds for each real number α and each trigonometric polynomial $T_n \in \mathcal{T}(\mathbb{R}^m)$.

Theorem 2.1. For all $T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$, any real s and real A, B satisfying

$$(2.18) \quad |A - iB| = 1,$$

$$(2.19) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |\Lambda(T_n)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ & \leq \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |T_n| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(2.20) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |\Lambda(T_n^*)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ & \leq \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |T_n^*| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m, \end{aligned}$$

where $T_n^*(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_m)$ is the trigonometric polynomial in (2.16).

Proof. By (2.18), (2.19) and (2.20) follow from (2.11) and (2.15), respectively. \square

3. INEQUALITIES IN L_p

To obtain the inequalities in L_p , $0 < p < \infty$, we first establish the following theorem.

Theorem 3.1. *For all $T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$, and real A, B satisfying (2.18)*

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln^+ |\Lambda(T_n)(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ \leq \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln^+ |T_n(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m)| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$(3.2) \quad \ln^+ t = \max\{0, \ln t\}, \quad t \in [0, \infty).$$

Proof. By (1.7) in [3] for any real α and $\omega \in \mathbb{C}$

$$(3.3) \quad \ln^+ |\omega| = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_T \ln |\omega + e^{is}| ds = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_T \ln |\omega + e^{i\alpha} e^{is}| ds.$$

We apply (3.2) to $t = |\Lambda(T_n)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}}$, and note that

$$\ln^+ |\Lambda(T_n)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} = \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \left\{ \ln^+ \left| AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_k} \right| \right\}.$$

Thus for any real α ,

$$\begin{aligned} \ln^+ |\Lambda(T_n)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} &= \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \left\{ \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_T \ln \left| AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_k} + e^{i\alpha} e^{in(\theta_1 + \dots + \theta_m)} e^{is} \right| ds \right\} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_T \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \left\{ \ln \left| AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_k} + e^{i\alpha} e^{in(\theta_1 + \dots + \theta_m)} e^{is} \right| \right\} ds, \end{aligned}$$

and Fubini's theorem gives

$$(3.4) \quad \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln^+ |\Lambda(T_n)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_T \left[\frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} E d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_m \right] ds,$$

where

$$E = \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \left\{ \ln \left| AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_k} + e^{i\alpha} e^{in(\theta_1 + \dots + \theta_m)} e^{is} \right| \right\}.$$

Setting

$$T_n^*(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n) = T_n(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_m) + e^{is} e^{in(\theta_1 + \dots + \theta_m)}$$

and writing $A + iB = e^{i\alpha}$, (2.20) gives

$$(3.5) \quad \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \max_{1 \leq k \leq m} \left\{ \ln \left| AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_k} + e^{i\alpha} e^{in(\theta_1 + \dots + \theta_m)} e^{is} \right| \right\} d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ \leq \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_T \ln |T_n + e^{is} e^{in(\theta_1 + \dots + \theta_m)}| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m,$$

where s is a real parameter.

If we combine (3.4) and (3.5), and use Fubini's theorem, we obtain the desired inequality:

$$\frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln^+ |\Lambda(T_n)|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ \leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_T \left[\frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln |T_n + e^{is} e^{in(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \dots + \theta_m)}| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \right] ds \\ = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_T \ln |T_n + e^{is} e^{in(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \dots + \theta_m)}| ds \right] d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m \\ = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{T^m} \ln^+ |T_n| d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \dots d\theta_m.$$

This completes the proof. □

Let $\Phi(u)$ with $\Phi(0) = 0$, and $\Psi(u) = u\Phi'(u)$ be continuous positive increasing functions defined on $[0, \infty)$. By (3.5) in [3], we have

$$(3.6) \quad \Phi(u) = \int_0^\infty \ln^+ \frac{u}{s} d\Psi(s).$$

Using the method of the proof of Theorem 5 in [3], by Theorem 3.1, we obtain immediately the following theorem:

Theorem 3.2. *Let $\Phi(u)$ with $\Phi(0) = 0$ and $\Psi(u) = u\Phi'(u)$ be continuous positive increasing functions defined on $[0, \infty)$. For each $T_n \in \mathcal{T}(\mathbb{R}^m)$, and real A, B satisfying (2.18),*

$$(3.7) \quad \int_{T^m} \Phi \left(\left| AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \nabla T_n \right|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} \right) d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_m \leq \int_{T^m} \Phi(|T_n|) d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_m.$$

Since $\Phi(u) = u^p$, $0 < p < \infty$ is a function that satisfies the condition described in Theorem 3.2, by (3.7) we have the following corollary.

Corollary 3.1. For each real α and each $T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$, we have

$$(3.8) \quad \left\| \left\| T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{n} \nabla T_n \sin \alpha \right\|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} \right\|_p \leq \|T_n\|_p, \quad 0 < p < \infty.$$

In particular, for each $T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$, we have

$$(3.9) \quad \|\|\nabla T_n\|_{l_\infty^{(m)}}\|_p \leq n \|T_n\|_p, \quad 0 < p < \infty.$$

4. INEQUALITIES IN L_∞

For each $T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$, we can write it in the form

$$T_n(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m) = \sum_{0 \leq |j_1| + |j_2| + \dots + |j_m| \leq n} c_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_m} e^{i(j_1 \theta_1 + j_2 \theta_2 + \dots + j_m \theta_m)}.$$

Fix k , $1 \leq k \leq n$, and write

$$(4.1) \quad T_n = \sum_{j_k=-n}^n c_{j_k}(z'_k) e^{i j_k \theta_k},$$

where $z'_k = (e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, e^{i\theta_{k-1}}, e^{i\theta_{k+1}}, \dots, e^{i\theta_m}) \in \mathbb{C}^{m-1}$. Then T_n is a trigonometric polynomial with degree not greater than n in each θ_k , $1 \leq k \leq n$. The Bernstein-Szegö inequality (see (1.5)) of one variable implies

$$(4.2) \quad \left| AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \frac{\partial T_n}{\partial \theta_k} \right| \leq \|T_n\|_\infty, \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, m,$$

where A, B are real with $|A + iB| = 1$.

From (4.2) we get the following Bernstein-Szegö inequality for several variables.

Theorem 4.1. For all $T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$ and real A, B satisfying (2.18),

$$(4.3) \quad \left\| \left\| AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \nabla T_n \right\|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} \right\|_\infty \leq \|T_n\|_\infty.$$

Thus far, we establish the inequality

$$(4.4) \quad \left\| \left\| AT_n + \frac{B}{n} \nabla T_n \right\|_{l_\infty^{(m)}} \right\|_p \leq \|T_n\|_p, \quad 0 \leq p \leq \infty,$$

for all $T_n \in \mathcal{T}_n(\mathbb{R}^m)$, and real A, B satisfying (2.18).

Remark 4.1. For $z = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m)$, let

$$(4.5) \quad |z|_{l_r^{(m)}} = \left(\sum_{k=1}^m |z_k|^r \right)^{1/r}, \quad 1 \leq r \leq \infty.$$

It follows from (1.7) that

$$(4.6) \quad \left\| \left\| T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{n} \nabla T_n \sin \alpha \right\|_{l_r^{(m)}} \right\|_p \leq m^{1/r} \|T_n\|_p, \quad 0 \leq p \leq \infty.$$

However, in [5], Tung obtained the following inequality:

$$(4.7) \quad \left\| \left\| T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{n} \nabla T_n \sin \alpha \right\|_{l_2^{(m)}} \right\|_p \leq \|T_n\|_p,$$

where $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}\pi$, $p = \infty$, $T_n(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_m) = P_n(e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, e^{i\theta_m})$, and

$$P_n(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m) = \sum_{\substack{j_1 + \dots + j_m \leq n \\ 0 \leq j_k, k=1, \dots, m}} c_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_m} z_1^{j_1} z_2^{j_2} \dots z_m^{j_m}.$$

It would be of interest to investigate similar problems for the case of polynomials in several complex variables.

Remark 4.2. Using (1.7) for all trigonometric polynomials that have degree at most n in each variable, i.e., for trigonometric polynomials of the form

$$T_n(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_m) = \sum_{\substack{|j_m| \leq n, \\ k=1, \dots, m}} c_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_m} e^{i(j_1 \theta_1 + j_2 \theta_2 + \dots + j_m \theta_m)}$$

for $1 \leq r \leq \infty$, we have

$$(4.8) \quad \left\| \left\| T_n \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{nm} \nabla T_n \sin \alpha \right\|_{l_r^{(m)}} \right\|_p \leq m^{1/r} \|T_n\|_p, \quad 0 \leq p \leq \infty.$$

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