

## ON THE MEAN VALUES OF INTEGRAL FUNCTIONS \*

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Let  $\mu_\delta(r)$  and  $m_{\delta,k}(r)$  be the two functions associated to an integral function  $f(z)$  by the formulae (1.1) and (1.2),  $\delta$  and  $k$  denoting any two positive numbers.

Three theorems concerning these two functions are proved.

1. Let  $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$  be an integral function of order  $\rho$ . Also, let

$$(1.1) \quad \mu_\delta(r) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |f(re^{i\theta})|^\delta d\theta,$$

$$(1.2) \quad m_{\delta,k}(r) = \frac{1}{\pi r^{k+1}} \int_0^r \int_0^{2\pi} |f(xe^{i\theta})|^\delta x^k dx d\theta,$$

where  $\delta$  and  $k$  are any positive numbers.

We shall obtain some of the properties of  $\mu_\delta(r)$  and  $m_{\delta,k}(r)$ .

2. **Theorem 1.** Let  $f(z)$  be an integral function. Then, for  $0 < r_1 < r_2$ ,

$$2(r_2^{k+1} - r_1^{k+1}) \mu_\delta(r_1) \leq (k+1) \{ r_2^{k+1} m_{\delta,k}(r_2) - r_1^{k+1} m_{\delta,k}(r_1) \} \leq 2(r_2^{k+1} - r_1^{k+1}) \mu_\delta(r_2)$$

where  $\delta$  and  $k$  are any positive numbers.

**Proof.** From (1.1) and (1.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned} m_{\delta,k}(r) &= \frac{1}{\pi r^{k+1}} \int_0^r \int_0^{2\pi} |f(xe^{i\theta})|^\delta x^k dx d\theta \\ &= \frac{2}{r^{k+1}} \int_0^r \mu_\delta(x) x^k dx d\theta. \end{aligned}$$

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Therefore,

$$(2.1) \quad \frac{r^{k+1}}{2} m_{\delta, k}(r) = \int_0^r \mu_{\delta}(x) x^k dx d\theta.$$

From (2.1) follows

$$(2.2) \quad r_2^{k+1} m_{\delta, k}(r_2) - r_1^{k+1} m_{\delta, k}(r_1) = 2 \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \mu_{\delta}(x) x^k dx$$

and the inequalities follow since  $\mu_{\delta}(x)$  is an increasing function of  $x$ .

We may note that if  $f(z)$  is an integral function, other than a constant, and  $\alpha$  ( $0 < \alpha < 1$ ) is a constant,

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{m_{\delta, k}(r) - \alpha^{k+1} m_{\delta, k}(\alpha r)} \right\} = 0.$$

3. Theorem 2. If  $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$  be an integral function of order  $\rho$  ( $0 < \rho < \infty$ ), type  $\tau$  and lower type  $\nu$ , then

$$(i) \quad \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \inf \frac{\log \mu_{\delta}(r)}{r^{\rho}} = \frac{\delta \tau}{\delta \nu},$$

$$(ii) \quad \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \inf \frac{\log m_{\delta, k}(r)}{r^{\rho}} = \frac{\delta \tau}{\delta \nu},$$

where  $\delta$  and  $k$  are any positive numbers,

Proof. (i) We have

$$(3.1) \quad \mu_{\delta}(r) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |f(re^{i\theta})|^{\delta} d\theta \leq \{M(r)\}^{\delta},$$

where  $M(r) = \max_{|z|=r} |f(z)|$ .

Also, we have

$$(3.2) \quad \begin{aligned} \mu_{\delta}(r) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |f(re^{i\theta})|^{\delta} d\theta \\ &\geq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \{|Q_{N(r)}| r^{N(r)}\}^{\delta} d\theta \\ &= \{\mu(r)\}^{\delta}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mu(r) = |Q_{N(r)}| r^{N(r)}$  is the maximum term of rank  $N(r)$  for  $|z| = r$ , in the series for  $f(z)$ .

From (3.1) and (3.2), we get

$$(3.3) \quad \{ \mu(r) \}^\delta \leq \mu_\delta(r) \leq \{ M(r) \}^\delta.$$

Since for functions of finite order  $\log \mu(r) \sim \log M(r)$  it follows, from (3.3),

$$(3.4) \quad \log \{ \mu_\delta(r) \}^{1/\delta} \sim \log M(r).$$

The result (i) follows easily from (3.4) since

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \frac{\log M(r)}{r^\rho} = \tau.$$

(ii) From (2.1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} m_{\delta,k}(r) &\leq \frac{2}{r^{k+1}} \mu_\delta(r) \int_0^r x^k dx \\ &= \frac{2}{(k+1)} \mu_\delta(r), \end{aligned}$$

since  $\mu_\delta(x)$  is an increasing function of  $x$ .

Taking limits, we get

$$(3.5) \quad \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \frac{\log m_{\delta,k}(r)}{r^\rho} \leq \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \frac{\log \mu_\delta(r)}{r^\rho} = \frac{\delta \tau}{\delta \nu}.$$

Also, from (2.1), we have for  $a > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} m_{\delta,k} \{ r(1+a) \} &= \frac{2}{\{ r(1+a) \}^{k+1}} \int_0^{r(1+a)} \mu_\delta(x) x^k dx \\ &\geq \frac{2}{r^{k+1} (1+a)^{k+1}} \int_0^{r(1+a)} \mu_\delta(x) x^k dx \\ &\geq \frac{2\mu_\delta(r)}{(k+1)} \{ 1 - (1+a)^{-k-1} \}, \end{aligned}$$

since  $\mu_\delta(x)$  is an increasing function of  $x$ .

Taking limits, we get

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \frac{\log m_{\delta,k} \{ r(1+a) \}}{\{ r(1+a) \}^\rho} \geq \frac{1}{(1+a)^\rho} \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \frac{\log \mu_\delta(r)}{r^\rho}$$

or,

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \frac{\log m_{\delta,k}(r)}{r^\rho} \geq \frac{1}{(1+a)^\rho} \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \frac{\log \mu_\delta(r)}{r^\rho}.$$

Since the left hand side is independent of  $a$ , for  $a \rightarrow 0$ , we get

$$(3.6) \quad \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \frac{\log m_{\delta,k}(r)}{r^\rho} \geq \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \sup \frac{\log \mu_\delta(r)}{r^\rho} = \frac{\delta \tau}{\delta \nu}.$$

The result (ii) follows from (3.5) and (3.6).

4. **Theorem 3.** *Let  $f(z)$  be an integral function. Then*

$$\limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{m_{\delta, k}(r)}{\{M(r)\}^{\delta}} \leq \limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{m_{\delta, k}(r)}{\mu_{\delta}(r)} \leq \frac{2}{(k+1)},$$

where  $M(r) = \max |f(z)|$  and  $\delta, k$  are any positive numbers.

**Proof.** Since  $\mu_{\delta}(x)$  is an increasing function of  $x$ , therefore from (2.1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} m_{\delta, k}(r) &\leq \frac{2}{r^{k+1}} \mu_{\delta}(r) \int_0^r x^k dx \\ &= \frac{2}{(k+1)} \mu_{\delta}(r). \end{aligned}$$

Taking limits, we get

$$(4.1) \quad \limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{m_{\delta, k}(r)}{\mu_{\delta}(r)} \leq \frac{2}{(k+1)}.$$

Also, from (1.1), we have

$$(4.2) \quad \mu_{\delta}(r) \leq \{M(r)\}^{\delta}.$$

Therefore, from (4.1) and (4.2), follows

$$\limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{m_{\delta, k}(r)}{\{M(r)\}^{\delta}} \leq \limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{m_{\delta, k}(r)}{\mu_{\delta}(r)} \leq \frac{2}{(k+1)}.$$

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$\mu_{\delta}(r)$  ve  $m_{\delta, k}(r)$ ,  $f(z)$  integral fonksiyonuna (1.1) ve (1.2) formülleri ile tekabül ettirilen iki fonksiyonu gösterisin:  $\delta$  ve  $k$ 'nin birer pozitif sayı oldukları farz edilerek bu iki fonksiyonu ilgilendiren üç teorem ispat ediliyor.