

ON THE BELONGING OF CHARACTERISTIC FUNCTIONS OF PROBABILITY LAWS TO CONVERGENCE CLASS

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The function $\varphi(z) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{izx} dF(x)$ defined for real

z is called a characteristic function of the probability law F . If φ has an analytic continuation on the disk $\mathbb{D}_R = \{z : |z| < R\}$, $0 < R \leq +\infty$, then we call φ an analytic in \mathbb{D}_R characteristic function of the law F .

Further we always assume that \mathbb{D}_R is the maximal disk of the analyticity of φ . It is known that φ is an analytic in \mathbb{D}_R characteristic function of the law F if and only if

$W_F(x) = 1 - F(x) + F(-x) = O(e^{-rx}) (x \rightarrow +\infty)$ for every $r \in [0, R)$. Hence it follows that

$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1}{x} \ln \frac{1}{W_F(x)} = R$. For $0 \leq r < R$ we put

$$M(r, \varphi) = \max\{|\varphi(z)| : |z| = r\}.$$

Let $\Omega(R)$ be a class of positive unbounded on $(0, R)$ function Φ such that the derivative Φ' is positive continuously differentiable and increasing to $+\infty$ on $(0, R)$. For $\Phi \in \Omega(R)$ we denote by φ the inverse function to Φ' , and let $\Psi(r) = r - \Phi(r) / \Phi'(r)$ be the function associated with Φ in the sense of Newton.

As in [1], we say that φ belongs to a convergence Φ -class if $\int_{r_0}^R \frac{\Phi'(r) \ln M(r, \varphi)}{\Phi^2(r)} dr < +\infty$. By $V(R)$ we

denote a class of positive continuousle differentiable

on $(0, +\infty)$ function v such that $v'(x) \uparrow R$ as $x \rightarrow +\infty$. The following theorem is proved in [2].

Theorem. Let $0 < R \leq +\infty$, $\Phi \in \Omega(R)$, $\Phi'(r) / \Phi(r)$ be a function, nondecreasing on $[r_0, R)$, $\Phi'(r) > 1 / (R - r)$, $\Phi'(r + 1 / \Phi'(r)) \leq H_1 \Phi'(r)$, $(H_1 = \text{const} > 0)$, $\Phi''(r) \Phi(r) / (\Phi'(r))^2 \leq H_2 < +\infty$ for all $r \in [r_0, R)$ and $\int_{r_0}^R \frac{\Phi'(r) \ln \Phi'(r)}{\Phi^2(r)} dr < +\infty$.

Suppose that φ is an analytic in \mathbb{D}_R characteristic function on probability law F such that $\overline{\lim}_{x \rightarrow +\infty} W_F(x) e^{xR} = +\infty$.

Then in order that φ belongs to a convergence Φ -class it is necessary and in the case, when

$$\ln \frac{1}{W_F(x)} = v(x) \in V(R), \text{ it is sufficient that } \int_{x_0}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\Phi' \left(\frac{1}{x} \ln \frac{1}{W_F(x)} \right)} < +\infty.$$

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