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# Relation between L<sub>p</sub>-Riemann Derivative, Approximate Riemann Derivative and Riemann Derivative

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*Abstract*—As the Definition of  $L_p$ -derivative is such that which contains only the absolute value of the function and therefore it is not possible to define the  $L_p$ -derivates from the definition of  $L_p$ -derivative. So to remove this difficulty S.N. Mukhopadyay and S.Ray uses a special technique to define them in their paper [2]. In this article we define the Lp-Riemann Derivative using the same technique as it is used to define the Lp-derivates in [2] and relation between approximate Riemann Derivative and Riemann derivative are studied.

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# I. INTRODUCTION

Let  $f: R \to R$  be a function. The Riemann derivative of a function f at x of order is r denoted by  $RD_{(r)}f(x)$  and

defined as 
$$RD_{(r)}f(x) =_t \underline{\lim}_0 \frac{\Delta^r(f, x, t)}{t^r}$$
, where,  
 $\Delta^r(f, x, t) = \sum_{i=0}^r (-1)^i {r \choose i} f(x+it), r = 1, 2, 3, ...$ 

The upper right and lower right Riemann derivative of f at x of order r are denoted by  $RD_{(r)}^{+}f(x)$  and  $\underline{RD}_{(r)}^{+}f(x)$  and are defined as,

$$\overline{RD}_{(r)}^{+}f(x) =_{t} \underline{\lim}_{0+} \sup \frac{\Delta^{r}(f, x, t)}{t^{r}} \text{ and } \underline{RD}_{(r)}^{+}f(x) =_{t} \underline{\lim}_{0+} \inf \frac{\Delta^{r}(f, x, t)}{t^{r}}$$

Similarly the upper left and lower left Riemann derivatives  $RD_{(r),a}^{-}f(x)$  and  $\underline{RD}_{(r),a}^{-}f(x)$  are defined. The approximate Riemann derivatives  $\overline{RD}_{(r),a}^{+}f(x)$ ,  $\underline{RD}_{(r),a}^{+}f(x)$ ,  $\overline{RD}_{(r),a}^{-}f(x)$ ,  $\underline{RD}_{(r),a}^{-}f(x)$  are defined by taking approximate limit instead of ordinary limits in above definitions.

In this article we shall use the following notations: For any function  $A: R \to R$ , its positive and negative parts are defined as,  $[A]_+ = \max[A,0], [A]_- = \max[-A,0]$  respectively. Clearly, (1)  $A = [A]_+ - [A]_-$ (2)  $|A| = [A]_+ + [A]_-$ If  $A: R \to R$  and  $B: R \to R$  then (3)  $[A+B]_+ \leq [A]_+ + [B]_+$  and  $[A+B]_- \leq [A]_- + [B]_+$ and if  $A \leq B$  then (4)  $[A]_+ \leq [B]_+$  and  $[B]_- \leq [A]_-$ 

In this paper there are four section in which Section-I deals with the introduction of the total work and some preliminary ideas. In Section-II we define the Riemann derivative in a new manner which helps us to find the relation with  $L_p$ -Riemann derivative. In Section-III we define the  $L_p$ -Riemann derivative using the technique as used in [2]. In Section-IV we established the relation between  $L_p$ -Riemann derivative, approximate Riemann derivative and Riemann derivative. In Section-V we conclude about its future aspects.

### **II. THE RIEMANN DERIVATIVE**

Lemma 2.1. Let  $\psi(x,t)$  be a function of  $x, t \in R, t \neq 0$  then the right hand upper limit of  $\psi$  at x as  $t \to 0_+$  is given by  $\psi^+ = \inf S$  where,  $\psi^+(x) = \limsup_{t} \sup_{0+} \psi(x,t)$  and  $S = \{a : a \in R, [\psi(x,t)-a]_+ = o(1), as, t \to 0_+\}$  (It is proved in [2], for definiteness we give the proof here.) Proof. Let x be fixed. Suppose  $\psi^+(x) = \infty$ . We show that S is empty. If possible let  $a \in S$ . Then  $\lim_{t \to 0_+} [\psi(x,t)-a]_+ = 0$ Since  $\psi(x,t)-a \leq [\psi(x,t)-a]_+$ ,  $\lim_{t \to 0_+} \sup_{0+} (\psi(x,t)-a) \leq 0$  and so  $\lim_{t \to 0_+} \sup_{0+} (\psi(x,t) \leq a$  which is a contradiction, since  $\psi^+(x) = \infty$ . So, S is empty. Next, suppose  $\psi^+(x)$  is finite and  $\psi^+(x) < M$ . Then there is  $\delta > 0$  such that  $\psi(x,t) < M$  for  $0 < t < \delta$ . So  $[\psi(x,t)-M]_+ = 0$  for  $0 < t < \delta$  and hence  $M \in S$ . This shows that every  $a > \psi^+(x)$  is a member of S. Again let  $m < \psi^+(x)$ . Then there is a sequence  $\{t_n\}$  such that  $t_n > 0$  for all n and  $t_n \to 0$  as  $n \to \infty$  and  $\psi(x,t_n) > m + \varepsilon$  for all n where  $m < m + \varepsilon < \psi^+(x) = \inf S$ . Finally suppose  $\psi^+(x) = -\infty$ . Then  $\lim_{t \to 0_+} \lim_{t \to 0_+} \psi(x,t) < a$  for  $0 < t < \delta$ . Hence  $a \in R$ . Thus every member of S is a member of S and hence inf  $S = -\infty$ .

**Corollary 2.2.** Let  $f: R \to R$  and  $x \in R$  be fixed. Then the r-th order right hand upper Riemann derivative of f at x,  $\overline{RD}^+_{(r)}f(x)$  is given by,

 $\overline{RD}_{(r)}^{+}f(x) =_{t} \underline{\lim}_{0+} \sup \frac{\Delta^{r}(f, x, t)}{t^{r}}$  $= \inf \left\{ a : a \in R; \left[ \Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - t^{r}a \right]_{+} = o(t^{r})as, t \to 0_{+} \right\}$ 

Proof. Putting 
$$\psi(x,t) = \frac{\Delta^r(f,x,t)}{t^r}$$
 Lemma-2.1 we get,  
 $\overline{RD}^+_{(r)}f(x) = \inf\left\{a: a \in R; \left[\frac{\Delta^r(f,x,t)}{t^r} - a\right]_+ = o(1)as, t \to 0_+\right\}$ 

$$= \inf\left\{a: a \in R; \left[\Delta^r(f,x,t) - t^r a\right]_+ = o(t^r)as, t \to 0_+\right\}$$

# III. THEL<sub>P</sub>-RIEMANN DERIVATIVE

The following theorem can be proved using the same technique as used in Theorem-3.1 of [2].

**Theorem 3.1:** Let  $f : R \to R$  and  $x \in R$  be fixed. Let  $f \in L_p$ ,  $1 \le p < \infty$ , in some neighbourhood of x and r in a fixed positive integer. If

$$U_{+}(f) = \left\{ a : a \in R; \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_{0}^{h} ([\Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - at^{r}]_{+})^{p} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h^{r})as, h \to 0_{+} \right\}$$
(5)

and

$$U_{-}(f) = \left\{ a : a \in R; \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_{0}^{h} ([\Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - at^{r}]_{-})^{p} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h^{r})as, h \to 0_{+} \right\}$$
(6)

then

 $\inf_{\substack{f \in U_+(f) \ge \sup_-(f) \\ \text{Moreover, if} \\ \inf_{\substack{f \in U_+(f) \ge \sup_-(f) \ge \mu \text{ say, } \mu \text{ is finite} \\ \text{then} } } (7)$ 

$$\left(\frac{1}{h}\int_{0}^{h}(|\Delta^{r}(f,x,t)-\mu t^{r}|)^{p}dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h^{r}), as, h \to 0_{+}$$
(9)

and conversely, if (9) holds for some  $\mu$  then (8) holds.

Now the Theorem 3.1 helps us to define upper and lower Lp-Riemann derivatives.

**Definition 3.2.** Let  $f: R \to R$  and  $x \in R$  be fixed. Let  $f \in L_p$ ,  $1 \le p < \infty$ , in some neighbourhood of x and r in a fixed positive integer. The right upper and right lower L<sub>p</sub>-Riemann derivative of f at x of order r are denoted by  $\overline{RD}^+_{(r),p} f(x)$  and  $\underline{RD}^+_{(r),p} f(x)$  respectively and are defined as,

$$\overline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x) = \inf\left\{a: a \in R; \left(\frac{1}{h}\int_{0}^{h} ([\Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - at^{r}]_{+})^{p} dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h^{r})as, h \to 0_{+}\right\}$$

And

$$\underline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x) = \sup\left\{a: a \in R; \left(\frac{1}{h}\int_{0}^{h}([\Delta^{r}(f,x,t) - at^{r}]_{-})^{p}dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h^{r})as, h \to 0_{+}\right\}$$

Similarly the left upper and left lower L<sub>p</sub>-Riemann derivative of f at x of order r can be defined and are denoted by  $\overline{RD}_{(r),p}^{-} f(x)$  and  $\underline{RD}_{(r),p}^{-} f(x)$  respectively. Both sided upper and lower derivatives are

 $\overline{RD}_{(r),p}f(x) = \max[\overline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x), \overline{RD}_{(r),p}^{-}f(x)]$ and  $\underline{RD}_{(r),p}f(x) = \min[\underline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x), \underline{RD}_{(r),p}^{-}f(x)]$  If  $RD_{(r),p}f(x) = \underline{RD}_{(r),p}f(x)$ , the common value is the Lp-Riemann derivative of f at x of order r and is denoted by  $RD_{(r),p}f(x)$ .

# IV. RELATION BETWEEN L<sub>P</sub>-RIEMANN DERIVATIVE, APPROXIMATE RIEMANN DERIVATIVE AND RIEMANN DERIVATIVE

**Theorem 4.1.** If  $f \in L_n$  then,

 $\underline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x) \leq \underline{RD}_{(r),a}^{+}f(x) \leq \overline{RD}_{(r),a}^{+}f(x) \leq \overline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x)$ With similar relations for left derivatives.

*Proof.* Let  $\overline{RD}_{(r),a}^+ f(x) = \alpha$  and  $\overline{RD}_{(r),p}^+ f(x) = \beta$ . If possible let  $\alpha > \beta$  then there exists  $\gamma$  such that  $\alpha > \gamma > \beta$ . Then by definition of  $\alpha$  the set

$$E = \{t : t > 0; (\Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - \gamma t^{r}) > 0\}$$

has positive upper density in the right of t = 0. Hence there exists  $\delta > 0$  and a sequence  $\{h_n\}$  such that  $h_n \to 0_+$  as  $n \to \infty$  and

$$\frac{\mu(E \cap [0, h_n]}{h_n} > \delta \text{ for all } n$$

Hence

 $\mu(E \cap [0, h_n] > \partial h_n \text{ for all } n$ 

Also by the definition of for all  $\beta$  there is  $\sigma \in R, \beta \leq \sigma < \gamma$  such that

$$\left(\frac{1}{h}\int_{0}^{h}([\Delta^{r}(f,x,t)-\sigma t^{r}]_{+})^{p}dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h^{r})as, h \to 0_{+}$$
  
So.

$$\left(\frac{1}{h_n}\int_{0}^{h_n} ([\Delta^r(f,x,t) - \sigma t^r]_+)^p dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h_n^r)as, n \to \infty$$
(10)

Now for a fixed n we have by (4),

$$\int_{0}^{n_{n}} ([\Delta^{r}(f,x,t) - \sigma t^{r}]_{+})^{p} dt \ge \int_{0}^{n_{n}} ([\Delta^{r}(f,x,t) - \gamma t^{r}]_{+})^{p} dt \ge \int_{E \cap [0,h_{n}]} ([\Delta^{r}(f,x,t) - \gamma t^{r}]_{+})^{p} dt = C(say)$$

Then C > 0. For, if C = 0 then by the property of Lebesgue integral the integrand of the last expression would vanish a.e. on  $E \cap [0, h_n]$  which is a contradiction since E has positive upper density in the right of the point t = 0. Therefore

$$\frac{1}{h_n^r} (\frac{1}{h_n} \int_0^{h_n} ([\Delta^r(f, x, t) - \sigma t^r]_+)^p dt)^{\frac{1}{p}} \ge \frac{1}{h_n^r} C^{\frac{1}{p}} (\frac{1}{h_n})^{\frac{1}{p}} = \frac{1}{h_n^{r+\frac{1}{p}}} C^{\frac{1}{p}} \to \infty \text{ as } n \to \infty$$

Which contradict (10). Therefore last inequality of theorem is proved. Similarly the first inequality can be proved.

**Theorem 4.2.** If  $f \in L_p$  then,

 $\underline{RD}_{(r)}^{+}f(x) \leq \underline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x) \leq \overline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x) \leq \overline{RD}_{(r)}^{+}f(x)$ With similar relations for left derivatives.

$$E_{+}(f) = \left\{ a : a \in R; \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_{0}^{h} ([\Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - at^{r}]_{+})^{p} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h^{r})as, h \to 0_{+} \right\}$$

and

$$F_{+}(f) = \left\{ a : a \in R; \left[ \Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - t^{r} a \right]_{+} = o(t^{r}) as, t \to 0_{+} \right\}$$

Let  $a \in F_+(f)$ . Let  $\mathcal{E} > 0$  be arbitrary. Then since  $a \in F_+(f)$  there is  $\delta > 0$  such that  $\frac{1}{t^r} [\Delta^r(f, x, t) - t^r a]_+ < \mathcal{E}$  for

$$0 < t < \delta \text{ and so } [\Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - t^{r}a]_{+} < \varepsilon t^{r} \text{ for } 0 < t < \delta \text{ . Hence}$$
$$(\frac{1}{h} \int_{0}^{h} ([\Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - at^{r}]_{+})^{p} dt)^{\frac{1}{p}} < \varepsilon \frac{h^{r}}{(rp+1)^{\frac{1}{p}}} \text{ for } 0 < h < \delta$$

Since  $\varepsilon > 0$  is arbitrary

$$\left(\frac{1}{h}\int_{0}^{h}([\Delta^{r}(f,x,t)-at^{r}]_{+})^{p}dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h^{r}) \text{ as } h \to 0_{+}$$

Therefore  $a \in E_+(f)$ . So  $F_+(f) \subset E_+(f)$ . Hence from definition of  $\overline{RD}_{(r),p}^+ f(x)$  and from Corollary2.2

 $\overline{RD}_{(r),p}^+ f(x) = \inf E_+(f) \le \inf F_+(f) = \overline{RD}_{(r)}^+ f(x)$ This proves the last inequality, the proof of the first inequality is similar.

**Theorem 4.3.** If  $f \in L_p$  and  $1 \le q then,$ 

$$\underline{RD}^{+}_{(r),p}f(x) \leq \underline{RD}^{+}_{(r),q}f(x) \leq \overline{RD}^{+}_{(r),q}f(x) \leq \overline{RD}^{+}_{(r),p}f(x)$$

Since  $f \in L_p$ ,  $(\Delta^r(f, x, t) - t^r a) \in L_p$  and so  $[(\Delta^r(f, x, t) - t^r a]_+ \in L_p$ . Hence Proof.  $([\Delta^r(f, x, t) - t^r a]_+)^q \in L_{\underline{p}}$ . Since  $1 \in L_{\underline{p}}$ , by Holder's inequality we get,

$$\int_{0}^{h} ([\Delta^{r}(f,x,t) - at^{r}]_{+})^{q} dt \leq (\int_{0}^{h} ([\Delta^{r}(f,x,t) - at^{r}]_{+})^{p} dt)^{\frac{p}{q}} h^{\frac{p-q}{p}}$$

Hence

$$\left(\frac{1}{h}\int_{0}^{h}\left(\left[\Delta^{r}(f,x,t)-at^{r}\right]_{+}\right)^{q}dt\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \leq \left(\frac{1}{h}\int_{0}^{h}\left(\left[\Delta^{r}(f,x,t)-at^{r}\right]_{+}\right)^{p}dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

which shows that

$$\left\{a: a \in R; \left(\frac{1}{h} \int_{0}^{h} ([\Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - at^{r}]_{+})^{p} dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = o(h^{r})as, h \to 0_{+}\right\}$$

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is a subset of

$$\left\{a: a \in R; \left(\frac{1}{h} \int_{0}^{h} ([\Delta^{r}(f, x, t) - at^{r}]_{+})^{q} dt\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} = o(h^{r})as, h \to 0_{+}\right\} \\ 8 < 0$$

Therefore from definition  $\overline{RD}_{(r),q}^+ f(x) \le \overline{RD}_{(r),p}^+ f(x)$ , this complete the proof of the last inequality of (11). The proof of the first inequality of (11) is same.

**Theorem 4.4.** If  $f \in L_p$  and  $1 \le q then,$ 

$$\underline{RD}_{(r)}^{+}f(x) \leq \underline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x) \leq \underline{RD}_{(r),q}^{+}f(x) \leq \underline{RD}_{(r),a}^{+}f(x)$$
$$\leq \overline{RD}_{(r),a}^{+}f(x) \leq \overline{RD}_{(r),q}^{+}f(x) \leq \overline{RD}_{(r),p}^{+}f(x) \leq \overline{RD}_{(r)}^{+}f(x)$$

*Proof.* The theorem is a combination of the Theorem-4.1, Theorem-4.2 and Theorem-4.3

## V. CONCLUSION AND FUTURE SCOPE

In Definition 3.2 the  $L_p$ -Riemann derivative is defined in a way so that the absolute value of the function can be removed. Theorem 4.1 shows that if a function possesses  $L_p$ -Riemann derivate then it possesses the approximate Riemann derivate. Theorem 4.2 shows that Lp-Riemann derivative is a generalization of Riemann derivative.

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