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## Addendum B

[regarding Lecture 28]

Newman's proof <sup>in Lec 28</sup> is clearly very slick. One seeks to understand the GENERAL THM on page (9) better — especially its genesis.

In regard to the genesis issue, one is inevitably forced to keep things a bit speculative.

With this in mind, it is helpful to back up and recall several very basic facts from Fourier analysis (on a fundamentally formal level).

Given appropriately decaying  $f$  on  $[0, \infty)$ .

Let

$$\mathcal{L}(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-sx} f(x) dx = \text{Laplace transform.}$$

To get the inversion formula, note that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(k+it) &= \int_0^{\infty} [e^{-kx} f(x)] e^{-itx} dx \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-kx} \begin{bmatrix} f(x) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} e^{-itx} dx \end{aligned}$$

$$e^{-kx} \begin{bmatrix} f(x) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}(k+it) e^{itx} dt \quad (x \neq 0)$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} f(x) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}(k+it) e^{(k+it)x} dt$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} F(x) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{k-i\infty}^{k+i\infty} \mathcal{L}(s) e^{sx} ds$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{k-i\infty}^{k+i\infty} \mathcal{L}(s) e^{sx} ds, \quad x > 0$$

This is the familiar formula; typically  $k > 0$ . For suitable  $f$ , one can reason just as well with  $k=0$ . In both cases, the  $s$ -integral is technically a principal value with  $[-R, R]$  and  $R \rightarrow \infty$ . See Lec 25, p. (5) middle.

or continuous + piecewise  $C^1$

Let  $h(x)$  be  $C^1$  + appropriately decaying. Note that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\infty} h'(x) e^{-sx} dx &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-sx} dh(x) \\ &= 0 - h(0) + s \int_0^{\infty} h(x) e^{-sx} dx \end{aligned}$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\mathcal{L}_h(s) = \frac{h(0) + \mathcal{L}_{h'}(s)}{s}$$

Assume now that our original  $f$  satisfies

$$(*) \quad \int_0^{\infty} f(u) du = 0 \quad \bullet$$

Putting

$$h(x) = \int_0^x f(u) du$$

and observing that

$$h(x) - \int_{\infty}^x f(u) du = \int_0^x + \int_x^{\infty} = 0,$$

we deduce that

$$h(0) = 0, \quad h'(x) = f(x) \quad [a.e.]$$

$$\mathcal{L}_h(s) = \frac{1}{s} \mathcal{L}_f(s)$$

$$h(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{k-i\infty}^{k+i\infty} \mathcal{L}_h(s) e^{sx} ds$$

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$$\int_0^x f(u) du = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{k-i\infty}^{k+i\infty} \frac{1}{s} \mathcal{L}_f(s) e^{sx} ds$$

( the RHS being a  $[-R, R]$  principal value ) •

For suitable  $f$ , we can reason just as well with  $k=0$ , thus getting

$$\int_0^x f(u) du = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} \frac{\mathcal{L}(s)}{s} e^{sx} ds$$

under  $(*)$ .

In alternate notation,

$$\int_0^T f(u) du = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} \frac{\mathcal{L}(s)}{s} e^{sT} ds$$

$$\int_0^T f(u) du = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} \frac{\mathcal{L}(z)}{z} e^{zT} dz$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\int_0^T f(u) du = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-iR}^{iR} \frac{\mathcal{L}(z)}{z} e^{zT} dz$$

$$\int_0^T f(u) du = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} \frac{\mathcal{L}(z)}{z} e^{zT} \omega\left(\frac{y}{R}\right) dz$$

wherein  $\omega(u) = \chi_{[-1,1]}(u)$ ,  $u \in \mathbb{R}$

(B5)

The foregoing format [in the box] is highly suggestive given that it is a time-honored trick in Fourier transform theory to replace the earlier [even]  $\omega$  with other "more interesting" choices.

The case of Fejér summability corresponds, for instance, to taking  $\omega(y) = \max\{0, 1 - |y|\}$ ; see Lec 25 p. (9).

The essential point <sup>in these things</sup> is that keeping

$$\omega(0) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad |\omega| = O(1)$$

guarantees that

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(y) \omega\left(\frac{y}{R}\right) dy = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(y) dy$$

for every  $F \in L_1(\mathbb{R})$ . Indeed, let  $|\omega| \leq M$  and  $|\omega(u) - 1| < \varepsilon$  for  $|u| < \delta$ . Then:

$$\left| \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(y) dy - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(y) \omega\left(\frac{y}{R}\right) dy \right|$$

$$\leq \int_{|y| \geq R\delta} |F(y)| (1 + \eta) dy$$

$$+ \int_{|y| < R\delta} |F(y)| \varepsilon dy$$

$$\leq (1 + \eta) \int_{|y| \geq R\delta} |F(y)| dy + \varepsilon \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |F(y)| dy$$

Inspired by the Fejér case, it is more-or-less mandatory to observe that [for any sensible  $\omega$ ] we have:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_1(y) \overline{f_2(y)} dy = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{f}_1(u) \overline{\tilde{f}_2(u)} du$$

{ see Lec 25 pp. 5-8 }

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} L(y) \omega\left(\frac{y}{R}\right) dy = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{L}(u) R \tilde{\omega}(-Ru) du$$

{ but  $\omega$  is even }

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} L(y) \omega\left(\frac{y}{R}\right) dy = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{L}(u) R \tilde{\omega}(Ru) du$$

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$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} L(y) \omega\left(\frac{y}{R}\right) dy = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{L}\left(\frac{v}{R}\right) \tilde{\omega}(v) dv$$

whereupon the expression  $\int_{\mathbb{R}} L(y) \omega\left(\frac{y}{R}\right) dy$  {with given  $L \in L_1(\mathbb{R})$ } is again seen to converge (as  $R \rightarrow \infty$ ) to

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{L}(0) \tilde{\omega}(v) dv = \tilde{L}(0) \omega(0) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} L(y) dy \cdot$$

We've switched <sup>(here)</sup> to  $L$  (in lieu of  $F$ ) to be generally suggestive of (B4) box. Issues with  $2\pi$  are ignored.

think  $L \leftrightarrow \frac{x(\xi) e^{i\xi}}{\xi}$

For  $\max\{0, 1-|y|\}$ , one knows that  $\tilde{\omega}(v) = \left(\frac{\sin \frac{v}{2}}{\frac{v}{2}}\right)^2$  by lec 25 (9) line 4.

The Fourier transform of  $\max\{0, 1-y^2\}$  is slightly more complicated; viz.,

$$\frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{\sin v}{v} - \cos v\right) \equiv \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} \int_0^v (\xi \sin \xi) d\xi \cdot$$

We stress that ALL of the foregoing is just (B8)  
rudimentary / completely classical Fourier transform  
theory!

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In the Landau paper from 1932 attached to  
Lec 28, it is nearly self-evident that a  
Fejer type  $w(u)$  is lurking in the background;  
cf. (B7) (box), (B5) (lines 1+2), and Landau 526  
lines 6+11.

Being aware of this, and guided by a  
concomitant desire to exploit the Cauchy  
integral theorem in the counterpart of (B4) (box),  
it stands to reason that an  $\omega$  which is  
analytic prior to "turning off" is best.

One can guess that this thought motivated  
Newman's choice of  $\omega(u) = \max\{0, 1-u^2\}$ .

BOTTOM LINE: the fcn  $e^{\frac{\tau z}{R^2}} \left(1 + \frac{\tau^2}{R^2}\right)^{\frac{1}{\tau}}$  is thus  
completely natural in (B4) (box).



It is worthwhile at this juncture to quickly record the counterpart of all this for

$$M(s) = \int_1^\infty x^{-s} dA(x)$$

where  $A(1) = 0$  and, for instance,  $A(x) = \int_1^x \phi(v) dv$ .

One gets:

$$M(s) = s \int_1^\infty \frac{A(x)}{x^{s+1}} dx \quad (\text{re}(s) > 1)$$

$$\frac{M(s)}{s} = \int_0^\infty \frac{A(e^u)}{e^{us}} du$$

$$\frac{M(k+it)}{k+it} = \int_0^\infty e^{-ku} A(e^u) e^{-itu} du$$

$$\frac{M(k+it)}{k+it} = \int_{-\infty}^\infty e^{-ku} \begin{bmatrix} A(e^u) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} e^{-itu} du$$

$$e^{-ku} \begin{bmatrix} A(e^u) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \frac{M(k+it)}{k+it} e^{itu} dt$$

{  $[-R, R]$  principal value }

$$\begin{bmatrix} A(e^u) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \frac{M(k+it)}{k+it} e^{(k+it)u} dt$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A(e^u) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{k-i\infty}^{k+i\infty} \frac{M(s)}{s} e^{su} ds$$

$$A(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{k-ia}^{k+ia} \frac{M(s)}{s} x^s ds, \quad x > 1$$

(the RHS being a  $[-R, R]$  principal value)

This is a very familiar formula (typically having  $k > 1$ ). Indeed: recall PERRON'S FORMULA in Lec 19, pp. (12) (bot) ~ (13) (top). (Also Lec 17, (10) top.)

Again, under certain hypotheses, it will be possible to proceed with  $k=1$ . The situation is clearly analogous to (B4) (box). One is thus led to the expression

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{1-ia}^{1+ia} \frac{M(z)}{z} \rho^z \omega\left(\frac{y}{R}\right) dz, \quad \rho > 1,$$

with the possible need therein to have "engineered matters" so as to have a removable singularity at, say,  $z=1$ .  
Compare: Landau 526 line 11.

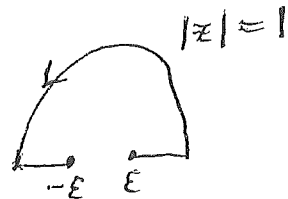
(B11)

During Lec 28, I mentioned that Newman's General Thm could be strengthened rather easily. This was already indicated on pp. (17) - (19) (top) of Lec 28.

To bring matters into a still better form, two elementary lemmas are required.

Let  $D = \{ |z| < 1, y > 0 \}$ ,  $K = \{ |z| \leq 1, y \geq 0 \}$ .  
 Let  $\Gamma = \partial D$  (counterclockwise) and

$$\Gamma_\varepsilon = \Gamma - (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon).$$



[Here  $0 < \varepsilon < 1$ .]

Let  $\text{Log } w = \ln |w| + i \text{Arg}(w)$ , with  $-\pi < \text{Arg}(w) \leq \pi$ .

### LEMMA 1

Let  $F(z)$  be continuous on  $K$  and analytic on  $D$ . We then have

$$\frac{1}{2} F(0) = \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma_\varepsilon} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz.$$

Pf

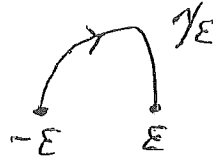
Notice that

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma_\epsilon} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{F(0)}{2\pi i} [\text{Log}(-\epsilon) - \text{Log}(\epsilon)] \\ &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{F(0)}{2\pi i} [\pi i] = \frac{F(0)}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Our task is to check that

$$0 = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma_\epsilon} \frac{F(z) - F(0)}{z} dz \quad \bullet$$

As such, we might as well simply hypothesize  $F(0) = 0$  at the outset. We do so. By the extended Cauchy integral theorem,

$$\int_{\Gamma_\epsilon} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz + \int_{\gamma_\epsilon} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz = 0 \quad \bullet$$


But,

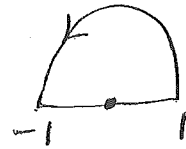
$$\left| \int_{\gamma_\epsilon} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz \right| \leq \max_{\gamma_\epsilon} |F| \cdot \int_{\gamma_\epsilon} \frac{|dz|}{\epsilon} = \pi \max_{\gamma_\epsilon} |F| \quad \bullet$$

Hence,

$$\left| \int_{\Gamma_\varepsilon} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz \right| \leq \pi \max_{\Gamma_\varepsilon} |F|.$$

Since  $F(0) = 0$ , we have  $\max_{\Gamma_\varepsilon} |F| \rightarrow 0$  as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ .

□



### LEMMA 2

Let  $F(z)$  be continuous on  $K$  and analytic on  $D$ . Assume that  $F(0) = 0$  and that

$$\int_{-1}^1 \left| \frac{F(x)}{x} \right| dx < \infty.$$

We then have

$$0 = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz$$

in a [natural] Lebesgue integral sense.

Pf

That  $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz$  exists as a Lebesgue integral is obvious. But, then, by a standard specialization,

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma_n} \frac{F(z)}{z} dz = 0,$$

(B14)

thanks to Lemma 1. ~~□~~

### IMPROVED THEOREM.

Newman's General Theorem on p. 9 of Lec 28 is actually valid anytime the function  $g(s)$  on  $\{ \operatorname{Re}(s) > 0 \}$  admits a continuous extension to  $\{ \operatorname{Re}(s) \geq 0 \}$  having the additional property that

$$\int_{-1}^1 \left| \frac{g(it) - g(0)}{t} \right| dt < \infty.$$

Pf

We first claim that one can take  $g(0) = 0$ , wlog. Suppose, e.g., that  $v = 1$  is a point of continuity of  $f$ . Let  $A = g(0) \neq 0$  and define

$$f_1(v) = \begin{cases} f(v) - A, & 0 \leq v < 1 \\ f(v), & v \geq 1 \end{cases}.$$

The fcn  $f_1$  is still bounded + piecewise continuous on  $[0, \infty)$ . We get: {for  $\operatorname{re}(s) > 0$  initially}

$$g_1(s) = g(s) - A \int_0^1 e^{-sv} dv$$

$$= g(s) - AE(s), \quad E(s) \equiv \frac{1-e^{-s}}{s}$$

The fcn  $E$  is entire and equals  $1 + O(s)$  near  $s=0$ . Clearly,  $g_1(0) = 0$  and  $g_1$  is continuous for all  $\{Re(s) \geq 0\}$ . For  $|t| \leq 1$ , notice that

$$|g(it) - g(0) - g_1(it)| = |A| |E(it) - 1| = O(|t|)$$

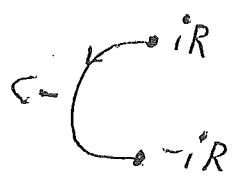
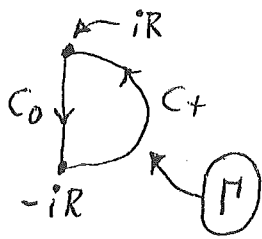
Hence,

$$\int_{-1}^1 \left| \frac{g_1(it)}{t} \right| dt < \infty \iff \int_{-1}^1 \left| \frac{g(it) - g(0)}{t} \right| dt < \infty$$

Switching to  $\{g_1, F_1\}$  and establishing  $0 = \int_0^\infty f_1(v) dv$  will thus lead to  $0 = -A + \int_0^\infty F(v) dv$ , which is exactly what we want.

From this point on, we assume  $g(0) = 0$ .

Fix any large  $R$ . Let  $\Gamma$  be the (counterclockwise) path  $\{|z| = R, x > 0\} \cup \{z = iy, -R \leq y \leq R\}$ . Introduce arcs as shown:



$$\Gamma = C_+ \cup C_0$$

Keep  $T$  big. Write

$$g_T(z) = \int_0^T e^{-zv} f(v) dv$$

as usual. By a trivial variant of Lemma 2, we have:

$$(**) \quad 0 = \oint_{\Gamma} \frac{g_T(z) e^{Tz} \left(1 + \frac{z^2}{R^2}\right)}{z} dz \quad .$$

↑ as a Lebesgue integral

The fcn  $g_T(z)$  is entire; by the Cauchy integral formula, we know:

$$g_T(0) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_+} g_T(z) e^{Tz} \left(1 + \frac{z^2}{R^2}\right) \frac{dz}{z}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_-} g_T(z) e^{Tz} \left(1 + \frac{z^2}{R^2}\right) \frac{dz}{z} \quad .$$

We propose to subtract (\*\*) from this equation for  $g_T(0)$ .



Get:

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$$g_T(0) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_+} [g_T(z) - g(z)] e^{Tz} \left(1 + \frac{z^2}{R^2}\right) \frac{dz}{z}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-iR}^{iR} \frac{g(z)}{z} e^{Tz} \left(1 + \frac{z^2}{R^2}\right) dz$$

↑ this arc is  $-C_0$

$$+ \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_-} g_T(z) e^{Tz} \left(1 + \frac{z^2}{R^2}\right) \frac{dz}{z}$$

$$\equiv J_1 + J_2 + J_3, \text{ say.}$$

The estimations for  $|J_1|$  and  $|J_3|$  go exactly like before.

$$|J_1| \leq \frac{B}{R} \quad \textcircled{11} \text{ bot} - \textcircled{12} \text{ in Lec 28}$$

$$|J_3| \leq \frac{B}{R} \quad \textcircled{13} \text{ (middle)} - \textcircled{14} \text{ in Lec 28}$$

To estimate  $|J_2|$ , we write

$$|J_2| = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left| \int_{-R}^R \frac{g(iy)}{y} e^{iyT} \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{R^2}\right) dy \right|,$$


note the Lebesgue integrability of  $g(iy)/y$ , and then apply the standard Riemann-Lebesgue lemma. Get: see Lec 7 p. 22

$$\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} |J_2| = 0, \text{ each } R.$$

IE  $J_2 = o(1)$ , akin to Lec 28 p. 19 (line 2).

It follows that:

$$\begin{aligned} \limsup_{T \rightarrow \infty} |g_T(0)| &= \limsup_{T \rightarrow \infty} |J_1 + J_2 + J_3| \\ &\leq \frac{B}{R} + 0 + \frac{B}{R} = \frac{2B}{R} \end{aligned}$$

akin to Lec 28 p. 19 (line -3). Since  $R$  is arbitrary,  $\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} g_T(0) = 0 = g(0)$  and we are done. 

After completing this <sup>(last)</sup> proof, it pays to step back and note how the correctness of (B4) (box) for a large class of functions  $f$ , together with (B5) (top) + (B8) (lines 4-8), clearly engender a kind of "moral encouragement" that a limit theorem like Newman's General Thm [or (B14)] might well prove feasible on a relatively simple technical level. (B19)

The miraculous cancellations that appeared "along the way" are perhaps best viewed in this light.