

黎曼的級數重排定理的一些省思

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交錯調和級數 $\sum_1^\infty (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{n}$ 條件收斂到 $\log 2$ 。依黎曼的級數重排定理, 固定任意 $u, v, -\infty \leq u \leq v \leq +\infty$, 則有 $\sum_1^\infty (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{n}$ 的重排 C , 其部分和的數列以 u 為下極限, v 為上極限。黎曼的級數重排定理的證明需要計算部分和, 實際執行有相當程度困難。參考文獻 1 改用計算項數的方法, 舉出收斂到非原來和的例子。本文延續該方法, 做出重排 C , 其部分和的數列以 u 為下極限, v 為上極限。文中出現的重排任意二正項都維持原來的先後次序, 只是間隔可能改變。負項部分也一樣。假設 T 是這樣的重排, 設 T 的第 k 個正項段的最後一項是 $\frac{1}{2^{p_k-1}}$; 第 k 個負項段的最後一項是 $-\frac{1}{2^{q_k}}$, 則 T 由其首項 (1 或 $-\frac{1}{2}$) 及兩個嚴格遞增的正整數序列 p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots 及 q_1, q_2, q_3, \dots 完全決定。我們用 $S_n(T)$ 表示 T 的前 n 項和。

假設 T 的首項為 1, 則當 $p_k + q_k \leq n \leq p_{k+1} + q_{k+1}$ 時,

$$\min\{S_{p_k+q_k}(T), S_{p_{k+1}+q_{k+1}}(T)\} \leq S_n(T) \leq S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T)$$

故

$$\liminf S_{p_k+q_k}(T) \leq \liminf S_n(T) \leq \limsup S_n(T) \leq \limsup S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T).$$

如果

$$\lim S_{p_k+q_k}(T) = u, \quad \lim S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T) = v,$$

則

$$\liminf S_n(T) = u, \quad \limsup S_n(T) = v.$$

若是 T 的首項為 $-\frac{1}{2}$, 則當 $p_k + q_k \leq n \leq p_{k+1} + q_{k+1}$ 時,

$$S_{p_k+q_{k+1}}(T) \leq S_n(T) \leq \max\{S_{p_k+q_k}(T), S_{p_{k+1}+q_{k+1}}(T)\}$$

如果

$$\lim S_{p_k+q_k}(T) = v, \quad \lim S_{p_k+q_{k+1}}(T) = u,$$

則

$$\liminf S_n(T) = u, \quad \limsup S_n(T) = v.$$

底下分 A: $-\infty < u \leq \log 2$, $v < +\infty$; B: $-\infty < u$, $\log 2 \leq v < +\infty$; C: $-\infty < u < v = +\infty$; D: $-\infty = u < v < +\infty$ 及 E: $-\infty = u = v$ 或 $u = v = +\infty$ 或 $-\infty = u$, $v = +\infty$ 五種情況說明如何確定首項及一組 p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots 及 q_1, q_2, q_3, \dots , 使對應的重排其部分和的數列以 u 為下極限, v 為上極限。對任意 w , $u \leq w \leq v$, 我們也舉出一個收斂到 w 的 $\{S_n(T)\}$ 的子序列。即此重排的部分和的極限點集為 $[u, v]$ 。在此先說明 B, D 二情況我們取首項為 $-\frac{1}{2}$, 其餘情況首項取為 1。

A. $u = \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \log t$, $v = u + \frac{1}{2} \log d$, $1 \leq t < +\infty$, $1 \leq d < +\infty$ 。

取 $p_1 = 1$, $q_1 = [t]$; $p_2 = [dp_1 + 1]$, $q_2 = [tp_2]$; \dots ; $p_{k+1} = [dp_k + 1]$, $q_{k+1} = [tp_{k+1}]$ 。顯然 $p_{k+1} \geq p_k + 1$, 於是 $q_{k+1} = [tp_{k+1}] \geq [tp_k + t] \geq [tp_k] + 1 = q_k + 1$ 。所以 $p_1, q_1; p_2, q_2; \dots; p_k, q_k; \dots$ 確實定義一個重排 T ($[x]$ 表不超過 x 的最大整數)。

因 $q_k \geq p_k$ 且 $k \rightarrow \infty$ 時 $p_k \rightarrow \infty$, 於是

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k+q_k}(T) &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2p_k - 1} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots + \frac{1}{2q_k} \right) \right\} \\ &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \dots + \frac{1}{2p_k - 1} - \frac{1}{2p_k} \right\} \\ &\quad - \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{2p_k + 2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2q_k} \right\} \\ &= \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{p_k + 1} + \frac{1}{p_k + 2} + \dots + \frac{1}{[tp_k]} \right\} \\ &= \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{p_k} \left\{ \frac{1}{1 + 1/p_k} + \frac{1}{1 + 2/p_k} + \dots + \frac{1}{[tp_k]/p_k} \right\} \\ &= \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \int_1^t \frac{1}{x} dx = \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \log t = u \end{aligned}$$

又

$$S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T) = S_{p_k+q_k}(T) + \left\{ \frac{1}{2p_k + 1} + \frac{1}{2p_k + 3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2p_{k+1} - 1} \right\}$$

於是

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T) &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k+q_k}(T) + \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{2p_k + 1} + \frac{1}{2p_k + 3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2p_{k+1} - 1} \right\} \\ &= u + \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{2p_k + 1} + \frac{1}{2p_k + 3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2[dp_k + 1] - 1} \right\} \\ &= u + \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{p_k} \left\{ \frac{1}{2 + 1/p_k} + \frac{1}{2 + 3/p_k} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2[dp_k + 1] + 1)/p_k} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$= u + \frac{1}{2} \int_2^{2d} \frac{1}{x} dx = u + \frac{1}{2} \log d = v$$

對任意 λ , $1 \leq \lambda \leq d$, 令 $\tilde{p}_{k+1} = [\lambda p_k + 1]$, 則

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{q_k + \tilde{p}_{k+1}}(T) &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k + q_k}(T) + \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{2p_k + 1} + \frac{1}{2p_k + 3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2\tilde{p}_{k+1} - 1} \right\} \\ &= u + \frac{1}{2} \log \lambda \end{aligned}$$

故此重排的部分和的極限點集為 $[u, v]$ 。

B. $v = \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \log t$, $u = v - \frac{1}{2} \log d$, $1 \leq t < +\infty$, $1 \leq d < +\infty$.

取 $q_1 = 1$, $p_1 = [t]$; $q_2 = [dq_1 + 1]$, $p_2 = [tq_2]$; \dots ; $q_{k+1} = [dq_k + 1]$, $p_{k+1} = [tq_{k+1}]$ 。即 A 中之 p_k, q_k 互換。設對應之重排為 R , 而 A 中之重排為 T , 則

$$\begin{aligned} S_{p_k + q_k}(T) + S_{p_k + q_k}(R) &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k - 1}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2q_k}\right) \\ &\quad + \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2q_k - 1}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k}\right) \end{aligned}$$

於是

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} (S_{p_k + q_k}(T) + S_{p_k + q_k}(R)) = 2 \log 2$$

得

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k + q_k}(R) &= 2 \log 2 - \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k + q_k}(T) \\ &= 2 \log 2 - (\log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \log t) = \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \log t = v \end{aligned}$$

同理

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k + q_{k+1}}(R) &= 2 \log 2 - \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{q_k + p_{k+1}}(T) \\ &= 2 \log 2 - (\log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \log t + \frac{1}{2} \log d) = v - \frac{1}{2} \log d = u \end{aligned}$$

對任意 λ , $1 \leq \lambda \leq d$, 令 $\tilde{q}_{k+1} = [\lambda q_k + 1]$, 則 $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k + \tilde{q}_{k+1}}(R) = v - \frac{1}{2} \log \lambda$ 。故此重排的部分和的極限點集為 $[u, v]$ 。

C. $v = +\infty$, $u = \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \log s$, $+\infty > s > 0$.

當 $sk < 2$ 時, 取 $p_k = q_k = k$ 。當 $sk \geq 2$ 時, 取 $p_k = k!$, $q_k = [sp_k]$ 。先驗證 $\{p_k\}$ 及 $\{q_k\}$ 是嚴格遞增。當 $s(k+1) < 2$ 時, 顯然 $p_{k+1} = q_{k+1} > p_k = q_k$ 。當 $sk < 2 \leq s(k+1)$ 時, $p_{k+1} = (k+1)! > k = p_k$, $q_{k+1} = [s(k+1)!] \geq 2k > k = q_k$ 。當 $2 \leq sk$ 時, $p_{k+1} = (k+1)! > k! = p_k$, $q_{k+1} = [s(k+1)!] > [s \cdot k!] = q_k$ 。

再來計算 $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k+q_k}(T)$ 。當 $s \geq 1$ 時, $q_k \geq p_k$ 。又 $k \rightarrow \infty$ 時 $p_k \rightarrow \infty$ 。於是

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k+q_k}(T) &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k-1} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2q_k} \right) \right\} \\ &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k-1} - \frac{1}{2p_k} \right\} \\ &\quad - \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{2p_k+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2q_k} \right\} \\ &= \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{p_k+1} + \frac{1}{p_k+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{[sp_k]} \right\} \\ &= \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{p_k} \left\{ \frac{1}{1+1/p_k} + \frac{1}{1+2/p_k} + \cdots + \frac{1}{[sp_k]/p_k} \right\} \\ &= \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \int_1^s \frac{1}{x} dx = \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \log s = u \end{aligned}$$

當 $1 > s > 0$ 時, $q_k < p_k$ 。於是

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k+q_k}(T) &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k-1} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2q_k} \right) \right\} \\ &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k-1} - \frac{1}{2p_k} \right\} \\ &\quad + \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{2q_k+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k} \right\} \\ &= \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{[sp_k]+1} + \frac{1}{[sp_k]+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{p_k} \right\} + 0 \\ &= \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{p_k} \left\{ \frac{1}{[sp_k]/p_k+1/p_k} + \frac{1}{[sp_k]/p_k+2/p_k} + \cdots + \frac{1}{1} \right\} \\ &= \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \int_s^1 \frac{1}{x} dx = \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \log s = u \end{aligned}$$

又

$$S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T) = S_{p_k+q_k}(T) + \left\{ \frac{1}{2p_k+1} + \frac{1}{2p_k+3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_{k+1}-1} \right\}$$

對任意正整數 N ,

$$\begin{aligned} \liminf_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T) &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k+q_k}(T) + \liminf_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{2p_k+1} + \frac{1}{2p_k+3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2(k+1)p_k-1} \right\} \\ &= u + \liminf_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{2p_k+1} + \frac{1}{2p_k+3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2(k+1)p_k-1} \right\} \\ &\geq u + \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{p_k} \left\{ \frac{1}{2+1/p_k} + \frac{1}{2+3/p_k} + \cdots + \frac{1}{(2Np_k+1)/p_k} \right\} \\ &= u + \frac{1}{2} \int_2^{2N} \frac{1}{x} dx = u + \frac{1}{2} \log N \end{aligned}$$

因 N 可任意大, 得 $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T) = +\infty$ 。

對任意 $\lambda \geq 1$, 令 $\tilde{p}_{k+1} = [\lambda p_k]$, 則 $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{q_k+\tilde{p}_{k+1}}(T) = u + \frac{1}{2} \log \lambda$ 。故此重排的部分和的極限點集為 $[u, +\infty]$ 。

D. $u = -\infty, v = \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \log s, +\infty > s > 0$ 。

由 B 之討論及 C 之結果, 知只要將 C 中之 p_k, q_k 互換即可。

E. $-\infty = u = v$, 或 $u = v = +\infty$ 或 $-\infty = u, v = +\infty$ 。

E₁. 取 $p_k = k, q_k = k(k+1)/2$ 則

$$\begin{aligned} S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T) &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2k+1}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{k(k+1)}\right) \\ &= \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2k+1}\right) \\ &\quad - \left(\frac{1}{2k+2} + \frac{1}{2k+4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{k(k+1)}\right) \end{aligned}$$

當 $k > 2N+1$ 時,

$$-\left(\frac{1}{2k+2} + \frac{1}{2k+4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{k(k+1)}\right) < -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{k+1} + \frac{1}{k+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{k+kN}\right)$$

於是

$$\begin{aligned} \limsup_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T) &\leq \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{k+1} + \frac{1}{k+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{k+kN}\right) \\ &= \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \log(N+1) \end{aligned}$$

對應之重排 T 滿足 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n(T) = -\infty$ 。

E₂. 取 $p_k = k(k+1)/2, q_k = k$ 則 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n(T) = +\infty$ 。

E₃. 取 $p_k = k \cdot [(k-1)!]^2, q_k = (k!)^2$ 則 $p_1 = q_1 = 1, p_{k+1} = (k+1)q_k, q_k = kp_k$ 。於是

$$\begin{aligned} S_{q_k+p_{k+1}}(T) &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_{k+1}-1}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2q_k}\right) \\ &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2(k+1)q_k-1}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2q_k}\right) \\ &= \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2(k+1)q_k-1} - \frac{1}{2(k+1)q_k}\right) \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{1}{2q_k+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2(k+1)q_k}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{q_k + p_{k+1}}(T) = \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{q_k} \left(\frac{1}{1 + 1/q_k} + \cdots + \frac{1}{1 + kq_k/q_k} \right) = +\infty$$

對任意 $\lambda \geq 1$, 令 $\tilde{p}_{k+1} = [\lambda q_k]$ 。當 $k > \lambda$ 時, $q_k \leq \tilde{p}_{k+1} < p_{k+1}$ 。於是

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{q_k + \tilde{p}_{k+1}}(T) &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2[\lambda q_k] - 1} - \frac{1}{2[\lambda q_k]} \right) \\ &\quad + \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{2q_k + 2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2[\lambda q_k]} \right) = \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} \log \lambda. \end{aligned}$$

而

$$\begin{aligned} S_{p_k + q_k}(T) &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k - 1} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2q_k} \right) \\ &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k - 1} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2kp_k} \right) \\ &= \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2p_k - 1} - \frac{1}{2p_k} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2p_k + 2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2kp_k} \right) \\ \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k + q_k}(T) &= \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{p_k} \left(\frac{1}{1 + 1/p_k} + \cdots + \frac{1}{1 + kp_k/p_k} \right) = -\infty \end{aligned}$$

對任意 $\lambda \geq 1$, 令 $\tilde{q}_k = [\lambda p_k]$, 則 $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{p_k + \tilde{q}_k}(T) = \log 2 - \frac{1}{2} \log \lambda$ 。故此重排的部分和的極限點集為 $[-\infty, +\infty]$ 。

參考文獻 1 也討論交錯 p 級數 $\sum_1^\infty (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{n^p}$, $0 < p < 1$ 。參考該文及以上作法也可得重排 $\sum_1^\infty (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{n^p}$ 的結果。

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