



## Some Characterization of $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil Integrable Functions

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ABSTRACT: In this article, we discuss few properties of  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil (in short  $L^r$ -HK) integrable functions, introduced by Paul Musial in [8]. We re-defined  $L^r$ -bounded variations. We demonstrated that  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable functions are Denjoy integrable.

Key Words:  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integral, Absolute  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integral, Denjoy integral.

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### 1. Introduction and Preliminaries

R. A. Gordon in [4] defined the Denjoy-Dunford, Denjoy-Pettis, and Denjoy-Bochner integrals which are the extension of Dunford, Pettis, and Bochner integrals, respectively. Gordon established that a Denjoy-Dunford (Denjoy-Bochner) integrable function on  $[a, b]$  is Dunford (Bochner) integrable in some interval  $[a, b]$  and that for the spaces that do not contain copy  $c_0$ , a Denjoy-Pettis integrable function on  $[a, b]$  is Pettis integrable on some sub interval of  $[a, b]$ . Major and minor functions were first introduced by de la Vallée Poussin in his study of the properties of the Lebesgue integral and those of functions additive of a set (see [12]). Entirely equivalent notions (of “Ober”- and “Unterfunktionen”) were introduced independently by O. Perron [11], who based on them a new definition of integral, which does not require the theory of measure. Calderón & Zygmund first gave the notion of derivation in  $L^r$  and unlike the idea of the approximate derivative had proven to be quite effective in applications of Partial Differential Equation, area of surfaces, etc. (see [2]). L.Gordon defined the notion of Dini derivatives in metric  $L^r$  (briefly  $L^r$ -derivatives) also in his work Perron integral in  $L^r$  was discussed (see [6]). Gordon proved that AP-derivatives are equivalent to  $L^r$  derivatives. Paul M. Musial and Yoram Sagher introduced the  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integral in [8]. P. Musial and F. Tulone obtained a norm on the space of  $HK_r$ -integrable functions, as well as the dual and completion of this space (see [10]). Paul M. Musial defined the class of  $L^r$ -variational integrable functions and show that it is equivalent to the class of  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable functions. They also define the class of functions of  $L^r$ -bounded variation (see [9]). In this paper we characterize properties of  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable functions define in  $[a, b]$ .

To make our presentation reasonably self-contained we recalling a few definitions and results in this section that we will use in our main section. Recalling a positive function  $\delta : [a, b] \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  is a gauge (see [4]).

**Definition 1.1.** [4, Definition 9.3] A function  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is said to be Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $[a, b]$  if there exists  $A \in \mathbb{R}$  with the following property: given  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists a gauge  $\delta$  on  $[a, b]$  such that

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^{\mathcal{P}} f(\xi_i) |I_i| - A \right| < \epsilon$$

for each  $\delta$ -fine  $\mathcal{P}$ -partition  $\{(I_i, \xi_i)\}_{i=1}^{\mathcal{P}}$  of  $[a, b]$ . We write  $A$  as  $H \int_{[a,b]} f$

Recalling  $I = [a, b]$  denote the family of all compact sub intervals  $J \subset I$ , a function  $F : I \rightarrow X$  is additive if  $F(J \cup L) = F(J) + F(L)$  for any non overlapping  $J, L \in I$  such that  $J \cup L \in I$ . Recalling the space  $L^r$ ,  $1 \leq r < \infty$ , as

$$L^r([a, b]) = \left\{ f : \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_a^b |f(x) - P(x)|^r dx \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} < \epsilon, 0 < h < \infty, \text{ for some polynomial } P(x) \right\}.$$

For detailed of  $L^r$ ,  $1 \leq r < \infty$  one can follow [2,8,14].

**Definition 1.2.** [8] Let  $f \in L^r(I)$  for  $1 \leq r < \infty$  and  $I = (a, b)$ . For all  $x \in I$ ,  $r$ -Dini derivative. The upper-right  $L^r$ - derivative:

$$D_r^+ f(x) = \inf \left\{ a : \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_0^h [f(x+t) - f(x) - at]_+^r dt \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} = o(h) \right\}.$$

The lower-right  $L^r$ - derivative:

$$D_{+,r} f(x) = \sup \left\{ a : \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_0^h [f(x+t) - f(x) - at]_-^r dt \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} = o(h) \right\}.$$

The upper-left  $L^r$ - derivative:

$$D_r^- f(x) = \inf \left\{ a : \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_0^h [-f(x-t) + f(x) - at]_+^r dt \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} = o(h) \right\}$$

and the lower-left  $L^r$ - derivative:

$$D_{-,r} f(x) = \sup \left\{ a : \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_0^h [-f(x-t) + f(x) - at]_-^r dt \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} = o(h) \right\}$$

**Remark 1.3.**  $D_r^+ f(x) = \inf \left\{ a : \int_0^h \left( \frac{f(x+t)-f(x)}{t} - a \right)_+^r dt = o(h) \right\}$ , with similar results for the other  $r$ -Dini derivatives.

**Definition 1.4.** [8] For  $1 \leq r < \infty$ , a real valued function  $f$  is  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable (in short  $HK_r$ -integrable) if there exists a function  $F \in L^r[a, b]$  so that for any  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists a gauge function  $\delta$  so that for all finite collections  $\mathcal{P} = \{(x_i, [c_i, d_i])\}$  of non overlapping tagged intervals in  $[a, b]$  with  $P < \delta$ , we have:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{d_i - c_i} \int_{c_i}^{d_i} \left| F(y) - F(x_i) - f(x_i)(y - x_i) \right|^r dy \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} < \epsilon. \quad (1.1)$$

The function  $f$  is said to be  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on the set  $E \subset [a, b]$  if the function  $f\chi_E$  is  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $[a, b]$ . We write

$$(L^r - H) \int_I f\chi_E = (L^r - H) \int_E f.$$

Recalling that a gauge  $\delta$  is  $HK_r$ -appropriate for  $\epsilon$  and for  $f$  if (1.1) holds for any  $\delta$ -fine tagged partition  $\mathcal{P}$ . If  $f$  is  $HK_r$ -integrable on  $[a, b]$ , the following function is well defined for all  $x \in [a, b]$  :

$$F(x) = (HK_r) \int_a^x f(t) dt. \quad (1.2)$$

Let  $f \in HK_r[a, b]$ . The  $HK_r$  norm of  $f$  as follows:

$$\|f\|_{HK_r} = \|F\|_r,$$

where  $F$  is the indefinite  $HK_r$  integral of  $f$  as defined in (1.2). The concept of absolute continuity which characterizes indefinite  $HK_r$ -integrals as follows:

**Definition 1.5.** [8, Definition 11] Let  $1 \leq r < \infty$ . We say that  $F \in AC_r(E)$  if for all  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $\nu > 0$  and a gauge function  $\delta(x)$  defined on  $E$  so that for all  $\mathcal{P} = \{(x_i, [c_i, d_i])\} < \delta_E$  such that  $\sum_{i=1}^q (d_i - c_i) < \nu$  we have

$$\sum_{i=1}^q \left( \frac{1}{d_i - c_i} \int_{c_i}^{d_i} |F(y) - F(x_i)|^r dy \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} < \epsilon$$

## 2. Bounded variation of $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integral

Paul Musial in [9] gave the definition of  $L^r$ -bounded variation. They missed the coherent concept of  $L^r[a, b]$ .

**Definition 2.1.** [9] Let  $1 \leq r \leq \infty$ , let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and let  $E$  be a measurable subset of  $[a, b]$ . We say that  $f$  is  $L^r$ -bounded variational on  $E$  ( $f \in BV_r[E]$ ) if there exists  $M > 0$  and a gauge  $\delta > 0$  defined on  $E$  so that if  $\mathcal{P} = \{(x_i, [c_i, d_i])\}_{i=1}^n$  is a finite collection of  $\delta$ -fine tagged sub-intervals of  $[a, b]$  having tags in  $E$ , then

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{d_i - c_i} \int_{c_i}^{d_i} |F(y) - F(x_i)|^r dy \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} < M.$$

We re-write the definition of  $L^r$ -bounded variational as follows:

**Definition 2.2.** Let  $1 \leq r \leq \infty$ , let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and let  $E$  be a measurable subset of  $[a, b]$ . We say that  $f$  is  $L^r$ -bounded variational on  $E$  ( $f \in BV_r[E]$ ) if there exists a function  $F \in L^r([a, b])$  so that for any  $M > 0$  and a gauge  $\delta > 0$  defined on  $E$  so that if  $\mathcal{P} = \{(x_i, [c_i, d_i])\}_{i=1}^n$  is a finite collection of  $\delta$ -fine tagged sub-intervals of  $[a, b]$  having tags in  $E$ , then

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{d_i - c_i} \int_{c_i}^{d_i} |F(y) - F(x_i)|^r dy \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} < M.$$

Paul Musial in [9] mentioned the sketch of proof of the following Theorem. We have given the full proof here so that we can use this Theorem in our results.

**Theorem 2.3.** [9, Theorem 2] If  $f \in BV_r(E)$ , then we can find  $\{E_i\}_{i \geq 1}$  so that  $E = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} E_i$  and  $f \in BV(E_i)$  for all  $i$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f \in BV_r(E)$  then for a function  $F \in L^r([a, b])$  there exists  $M > 0$  and a gauge  $\delta > 0$  defined on  $E$  so that  $\mathcal{P} = \{(x_i, [c_i, d_i])\}_{i=1}^n$  is a finite collection of  $\delta$ -fine tagged sub intervals of  $[a, b]$  having tags in  $E$  then

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{d_i - c_i} \int_{c_i}^{d_i} |F(y) - F(x_i)|^r dy \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} < M. \quad (2.1)$$

Assume  $F \in BV_r[a, b]$  and let  $\epsilon > 0$ , then for a gauge function  $\delta$  defined on  $[a, b]$  so that if  $\mathcal{P} = \{(x_i, [c_i, d_i])\} < \delta$  such that the equation(2.1) holds.

The function  $F$  is  $L^r$ -continuous and so clearly approximately continuous, using the [8, Theorem 5] there exists  $\mathcal{P}_i = \{(x_{i,j}, [c_{i,j}, d_{i,j}])\} < \delta$ , where  $[c_{i,j}, d_{i,j}] \subseteq [c_i, d_i]$  for all  $i$  and  $j$ , so that

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{d_{i,j} - c_{i,j}} \int_{c_{i,j}}^{d_{i,j}} |F(y) - F(x_{i,j})| dy \geq \frac{1}{2} |F(d_i) - F(c_i)|.$$

Since  $\mathcal{P} = \bigcup_{i=1}^n P_i$  is sub-ordinates to  $\delta$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^n |F(d_i) - F(c_i)| &\leq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_j \frac{1}{d_{i,j} - c_{i,j}} \int_{c_{i,j}}^{d_{i,j}} |F(y) - F(x_{i,j})| dy \\ &< \frac{1}{2} \epsilon. \end{aligned}$$

So,  $F \in BV(E_i)$ . Hence we can find  $f \in BV(E_i)$ .  $\square$

### 3. $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integral and properties

In this section we discuss few properties of  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrals in real space  $\mathbb{R}$ . The collection of all function that are  $L^r$ -Henstock integrable on  $I = [a, b]$ , will be denoted by  $HK_r(I)$ . In the beggining of the section, we discuss few properties of  $BV_r[a, b]$ .

**Proposition 3.1.** 1. Let  $F \in BV_r[a, b]$  then  $F$  is bounded variation on every sub interval of  $[a, b]$  and

$$BV_r(F, [a, b]) = BV_r(F, [a, c]) + BV_r(F, [c, b])$$

for each  $c \in (a, b)$ .

2. If  $F$  is in  $BV_r[a, c]$  and  $F$  is in  $BV_r[c, b]$  then  $F$  is in  $BV_r[a, b]$ .

**Theorem 3.2.** The function  $F \in AC_r[a, b]$  is in  $BV_r[a, b]$ .

*Proof.* Let  $F \in AC_r[a, b]$  and let  $\epsilon > 0$ . There exists  $\nu > 0$  and a gauge function  $\delta$  defined on  $[a, b]$  so that if  $\mathcal{P} = \{(x_n, [c_n, d_n])\} < \delta$  and

$$\sum_{n=1}^q (d_n - c_n) < \nu$$

then  $\sum_{n=1}^q \frac{1}{d_n - c_n} \int_{c_n}^{d_n} |F(y) - F(x_n)| dy < \epsilon$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.3.** For  $1 \leq r < \infty$ ,  $BV_r[a, b] = BV[a, b]$ .

*Proof.* Let us assume  $F \in BV[a, b]$ . If  $\{[c_i, d_i]\}$  is a finite collection of non overlapping intervals that have end points in  $E$ , there exists  $M > 0$  such that

$$\sup \sum_{j=1}^q |F(d_j) - F(c_j)| < M.$$

This implies that for any  $\nu > 0$  if  $\sum_{j=1}^q (d_j - c_j) < \nu$  then

$$\sum_{j=1}^q \left( \max_{x \in [c_j, d_j]} F(x) - \min_{x \in [c_j, d_j]} F(x) \right) < M.$$

For any choice of  $x_j \in [c_j, d_j]$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=1}^q \left( \frac{1}{d_j - c_j} \int_{c_j}^{d_j} |F(y) - F(x_j)|^r dy \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} &\leq \sup \sum_{j=1}^q \left( \max_{x \in [c_j, d_j]} F(x) - \min_{x \in [c_j, d_j]} F(x) \right) \\ &< M \text{ for any gauge function } \delta. \end{aligned}$$

So,  $BV[a, b] \subseteq BV_r[a, b]$ . also from the Theorem(2.3)  $BV_r[a, b] \subseteq BV[a, b]$ . Hence  $BV_r[a, b] = BV[a, b]$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.4.** *If  $f : I = [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  are  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $I$ . If  $f \geq 0$  a.e. on  $I$  then  $(L^r - H) \int_I f \geq 0$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $I = [a, b]$  then there exists a function  $F \in L^r[I]$  such that for any  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists a gauge function  $\delta$  such that for all finite collection  $\mathcal{P} = \{(x_i, [c_i, d_i])\}$  of non-overlapping tagged intervals in  $I$  with  $\mathcal{P} < \delta$  implies

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{d_i - c_i} \int_{c_i}^{d_i} |F(y) - F(x_i) - f(x_i)(y - x_i)|^r dy \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} < \epsilon.$$

That is,

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{d_i - c_i} \int_{c_i}^{d_i} |F(y - x_i) - S(f, \mathcal{P})|^r dy \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} < \epsilon.$$

Now by the [8, Theorem 21],  $f \in L^1[a, b]$ . From the fact of Lebesgue integral we get the proof.  $\square$

**Remark 3.5.** *The linearity of  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integral (see [9]) and the Theorem 3.4, gives if  $f \geq g$  a.e. on  $I$  then  $(L^r - H) \int_I f \geq (L^r - H) \int_I g$ .*

**Lemma 3.6.** *For  $1 \leq r < \infty$ ,  $ACG_r[a, b] = ACG[a, b]$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $E \subseteq [a, b]$ . From the known fact that  $ACG_r[a, b] = \bigcup AC_r[E_n]$  where  $E = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n$ . Also  $AC_r[E_n] = AC[E_n]$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} ACG_r[a, b] &= \bigcup AC[E_n] \\ &= ACG[E]. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently,  $ACG_r[a, b] = ACG[a, b]$ .  $\square$

We can find from the known fact that  $HK_r(I)$  is contained in  $L^1(I)$ , then any function in  $HK_r(I)$  is Denjoy integrable. That is:

**Theorem 3.7.** *Let  $f : I = [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . For  $1 \leq r < \infty$ , if  $f$  is  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable function is Denjoy integrable.*

**Theorem 3.8.** *Let  $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $I$ . Then  $|f| \in HK_r(I)$  if and only if the indefinite integral  $F(x) = \int_a^x f$  has  $BV_r(I)$ .*

*Proof.* The proof is immediate. Since  $f$  is in  $HK_r(I)$ , then  $f$  is in  $L^1(I)$ . Therefore,  $F(x)$  is of bounded variation, which tell us that  $f$  is in  $BV_r(I)$ . See [1, Theorem 7.5].  $\square$

**Corollary 3.9.** *Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable function on  $[a, b]$ .  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable function are absolutely integrable function on  $[a, b]$ .*

**Theorem 3.10.** *The function  $f : I = [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .*

1. *If  $f$  is  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable then  $f$  is measurable.*
2. *If  $f$  is  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $[a, b]$  and  $f \geq 0$  a.e then  $f$  is Lebesgue integrable on  $[a, b]$ .*

*Proof.* For (1) Let  $f$  be  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $I = [a, b]$  and  $F$  is the  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integral of  $f$ , then [8, Theorem 14] there exists  $F \in ACG_r[a, b]$  so that  $F'_r = f$  a.e. so that  $I$  is the sum of a sequence  $\{E_n\}$  of closed sets on each of which  $F$  is  $L^r$ -AC. Again [8, Theorem 15] gives  $F$  is AC. [13, Lemma 4.1 of Ch VII] there exists for each  $n$  a function  $E_n$  of bounded variation on  $I$ , which coincides with  $F$  on  $E_n$ . We therefore have a.e. on  $E_n$  the relation  $f(x) = F'_r(x) = F'_n(x)$  where  $F'_n(x)$  is  $L^r$ -derivative of  $F$  and since the derivative of a function of bounded variation is measurable and a.e. finite, it follows that  $f$  is measurable and a.e. finite on each  $E_n$  and consequently on the whole interval  $I = [a, b]$ .

For (2), follows [8, Theorem 21]. □

**Corollary 3.11.** *If  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $[a, b]$ . The following are holds:*

- a) *If  $f$  is bounded on  $[a, b]$  then  $f$  is clearly Lebesgue integrable on  $[a, b]$ .*
- b) *If  $f \geq 0$  a.e. is  $L^r$ -Henstock integrable on every measurable subset of  $[a, b]$  then  $f$  is Lebesgue integrable on  $[a, b]$ .*

**Theorem 3.12.** *Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . If  $f$  is  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $[a, b]$  then every perfect set in  $[a, b]$  contains a portion on which  $f$  is Lebesgue integrable.*

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $L^r$ -Henstock-Kurzweil integrable on  $[a, b]$  then the Theorem(3.7),  $f$  is Denjoy integrable on  $[a, b]$ . Using [4, Theorem 12(c)], we found every perfect set in  $[a, b]$  a portion on which  $f$  is Lebesgue integrable. □

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