

ON OSCILLATION FUNCTION OF ONE CLASS OF  
STOCHASTIC PROCESSES

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0. Let  $X = \{X(t), 0 \leq t \leq 1\}$  be a stochastic process of second order, i.e. a process for which the inequality  $\|X(t)\| < \infty$  holds for any  $t$ , where the norm of arbitrary random variable  $z$  is defined by  $\|z\| = (z, z)^{1/2} = (E|z|^2)^{1/2}$ . By the convergence of a sequence of random variables we mean the convergence in the norm, i.e. the convergence in quadratic mean. We say that the *left (right) limit of  $X$  at  $t$*  exists if there exists a random variable  $X(t-0)$  ( $X(t+0)$ ), such that  $X(t-0) = \underset{u \rightarrow t-0}{\text{l.i.m.}} X(u)$  ( $X(t+0) = \underset{u \rightarrow t+0}{\text{l.i.m.}} X(u)$ ). If at least one of the equalities  $X(t-0) = X(t) = X(t+0)$  do not hold, we say that  $X$  has the *discontinuity of the kind at  $t$* . If at least one of limits  $X(t-0)$ ,  $x(t+0)$  do not exist, we say that  $X$  has the *discontinuity of the second kind at  $t$* ; if only  $X(t-0)$  ( $X(t+0)$ ) does not exist, then we say that  $X$  has the *left (right) discontinuity of the second kind at  $t$* .

In the following we shall suppose, without loss of generality, that, if for some  $t$  there exists only one of limits  $X(t-0)$ ,  $X(t+0)$ , then it is equal to  $X(t)$ , and if there exist the both limits  $X(t-0)$  and  $X(t+0)$ , then the equality  $X(t-0) = X(t)$  is satisfied. We shall say that  $X$  is *mean square continuous from the left (right) at  $t$*  if the equality  $X(t-0) = X(t)$  ( $X(t) = X(t+0)$ ) holds. The process  $X$  is *mean square continuous from the left (right)* if it is mean square continuous from the left (right) at any  $t$ .

Let us define the function  $\omega = \omega(t)$  by

$$(1) \quad \omega(t) = \sup_{(t_n), (t'_n) \in \Gamma_t} \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|X(t_n) - X(t'_n)\|, \quad t \in [0; 1],$$

where  $\Gamma_t$  denotes the set of all sequences which converge to  $t$  and whose members are from  $[0; 1]$ ; the function  $\omega$  we shall call the *oscillation function of the process  $X$* . If the set  $[0; 1] \cap [t-h; t+h]$  we denote by  $i_{t,h}$ , then it is easy to show that the following equality holds:

$$(2) \quad \omega(t) = \inf_{h>0} \sup_{u, v \in i_{t,h}} \|X(u) - X(v)\|, \quad t \in [0; 1].$$

In this paper we shall prove some properties of the function  $\omega$ , and some statements about stochastic processes we shall prove by means of the function  $\omega$ ; also, we shall that, in one special case, for any function  $\omega$  of fixed properties there exists a stochastic process (not unique) whose oscillation function is just equal to given function  $\omega$ .

1. It is evident that the equality  $\omega(t) = 0$  holds if and only if  $X$  is mean square continuous at  $t$ . The following lemma contains the proposition which is well known for real function, [3].

LEMMA 1. *The function  $\omega$  is an upper semi-continuous function.*

PROOF. Let  $t$  be arbitrary point from  $[0; 1]$  and  $\omega(t) = s > 0$ . In order the function  $\omega$  to be upper semi-continuous at  $t$  it is necessary and sufficient that for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there  $\delta > 0$ , such that the inequality  $\omega(u) \leq s + \varepsilon$  holds for each  $u \in i_{t,\delta}$ . Let us suppose that this is not the case, that is that there is  $\varepsilon_0 > 0$ , such that for each  $\delta > 0$  there is at least one  $u \in i_{t,\delta}$  for which the inequality  $\omega(u) > s + \varepsilon_0$  is satisfied. This means that, on at least one side of  $t$ , there is a sequence  $(u_n)$ , converging to  $t$ , whose members have the property

$$\omega(u_n) > s + \varepsilon_0, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots;$$

that implies, by reason of the definition (1), that for each  $n$  there are  $u_n', u_n''$  ( $u_n', u_n'' \in i_{t,3|t-u_n|/2}$ ), such that

$$\|X(u_n') - X(u_n'')\| > s + \varepsilon_0/2,$$

which gives as a consequence

$$\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|X(u_n') - X(u_n'')\| \geq s + \varepsilon_0/2,$$

which contradicts the assumption  $\omega(t) = s$ .

COROLLARY 1.1. *The set  $D_s = \{t: \omega(t) \geq s\}$  is closed for any  $s \geq 0$ , [3].*

COROLLARY 1.2. *The function  $\omega$  is continuous at all points at which it is equal to zero.*

LEMMA 2. *If  $X(t_0 - 0)$  exists, then  $\omega(t_0 - 0)$  exists and  $\omega(t_0 - 0) = 0$ .*

PROOF. Let  $(t_n)$  be an arbitrary increasing sequence converging to  $t_0$ ; we are going to show that  $\omega(t_n) \rightarrow 0$  when  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . For each  $\varepsilon > 0$  there is  $h_\varepsilon > 0$ , such that the inequality

$$(3) \quad \|X(u) - X(v)\| < \varepsilon$$

is true for all  $u, v \in (t_0 - h_\varepsilon; t_0)$ ; let us denote by  $k_\varepsilon$  the smallest natural number such that  $t_{k_\varepsilon} \in (t_0 - h_\varepsilon; t_0)$ . From (3) it follows that for arbitrary sequences  $(t'_{k,n})$ ,  $(t''_{k,n})$  from  $\Gamma_{t_k}$  it will be

$$\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|X(t'_{k,n}) - X(t''_{k,n})\| \leq \varepsilon \text{ for each } k \geq k_\varepsilon,$$

which is equivalent to the fact that  $\omega(t_k) \rightarrow 0$  when  $k \rightarrow \infty$ . As the same conclusion holds for each sequence increasingly converging to  $t_0$ , our lemma is proved.

LEMMA 3. *If the process  $X$  is mean square continuous from the left on everywhere dense set  $E$ ,  $\text{Leb}(E) = 1$ , then for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists a set  $C \subset [0; 1]$ ,  $\text{Leb}(C) \geq 1 - \varepsilon$ , such that  $X$  is mean square continuous on  $C$ .*

PROOF. From the fact that the function  $\omega$  is measurable [2], it follows that for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there is a continuous function  $\omega_c$ , such that [2]

$$\text{Leb}(\{t: \omega(t) = \omega_c(t)\}) \geq 1 - \varepsilon;$$

put  $C = \{t: \omega(t) = \omega_c(t)\}$ . Since  $\omega_c(t-0) = 0$  for all  $t \in C \cap E$ , and the function  $\omega_c$  is continuous, it follows that  $\omega_c(t) = 0$  for all  $t \in C \cap E$ . But, as the set  $C \cap E$  is dense in  $C$ , this implies that the equality  $\omega_c(t) = 0$  holds for each  $t \in C$ , which means that  $X$  is mean square continuous on  $C$ , as we wanted to prove.

Let us denote by  $\Gamma_t^+$  the set of all sequences which decreasingly converge to  $t$ , and by  $\omega^+ = \omega^+(t)$  the function defined by

$$(4) \quad \omega^+(t) = \sup_{(t_n), (t_n') \in \Gamma_t^+} \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|X(t_n) - X(t_n')\|, \quad t \in [0; 1].$$

It is easy to see that the equality  $\omega^+(t) = 0$  holds if and only if  $X(t+0)$  exists, which immediately implies the inequality

$$(5) \quad \omega^+(t) \leq \omega(t) \text{ for each } t \in [0; 1].$$

The function  $\omega^+$  we shall call the right oscillation function of  $X$ .

THEOREM 1. *Suppose that the process  $X$  is mean square continuous from the left everywhere except at some set  $D^-$ , which is at most countable. Then the following statements are true:*

I. *The process  $X$  has at most countably many right discontinuities of the second kind.*

II. *The set  $D_s^+ = \{t: \omega^+(t) \geq s\}$  is nowhere dense for any  $s > 0$ .*

PROOF. I. This statement is equivalent to the statement that the set  $D^+ = \{t: \omega^+(t) > 0\}$  is at most countable. Let us suppose that this is not true, i.e. that

$$(6) \quad \text{card}(D^+) = \aleph_1.$$

This implies that there is  $s > 0$ , such that

$$(7) \quad \text{card}(D_s^+) = \aleph_1;$$

for, if the contrary is the case, i.e. if  $\text{card}(D_s^+) \leq \aleph_0$  for any  $s > 0$ , then the set  $D^+ = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} D_{1/n}^+$  is also at most countable, contrary to the hypothesis (6). Let

$s = s_0$  be one of values for which (7) is true. Since, by reason of Corollary 1.1, the set  $D_{s_0}^+$  is closed (namely, we can show, by the procedure which is similar to that from Lemma 1, that the function  $\omega^+$  is upper semi-continuous), it has to contain one perfect subset  $P_{s_0}$ , such that  $\text{card}(P_{s_0}) = \aleph_1$ , [3]. From the assumption  $\text{card}(D^-) \leq \aleph_0$  it follows  $\text{card}(D^- \cap P_{s_0}) \leq \aleph_0$ , which means that there are at most countably many values  $t$  for which the inequalities  $\overline{\omega^+(t-0)} \geq s_0$  hold; this implies, for the set  $P_{s_0}$  is perfect and  $\text{card}(P_{s_0}) = \aleph_1$ , that  $\text{card}(\{t: \overline{\omega^+(t+0)} \geq s_0\}) = \aleph_1$ . But, that means that there are continuously many values  $t$  for which the inequalities  $\overline{\omega^+(t-0)} \neq \overline{\omega^+(t+0)}$  hold, which is impossible, [3]. Hence, it must be  $\text{card}(D_s^+) \leq \aleph_0$  for any  $s > 0$ , that is  $\text{card}(D^+) \leq \aleph_0$ .

II. Let us suppose that the statement does not hold, i.e. that, for some  $s > 0$ , there are  $t_0 \in D_s^+$  and  $h > 0$ , such that in the neighbourhood  $i_{t_0, h}$  to  $t_0$  there is no interval whose all points are from the complement  $\bar{D}_s^+$  of the set  $D_s^+$ ; hence, the set  $D_s^+ \cap i_{t_0, h}$  is dense in  $i_{t_0, h}$ . From that, and from the fact that the set  $D_s^+$  is closed, it follows that  $i_{t_0, h} \subset D_s^+$ , which contradicts the statement from. I. Thus the proof is completed.

It is clear that the result from I is stronger than the statement (i) from [1].

Note that in proofs of statement, in which the mean square continuity from the left of the process  $X$  is presupposed, only the assumption about the existence of left limits of  $X$  is used.

2. We showed that any stochastic process, mean square continuous from the left, uniquely determines a non-negative function  $\omega^+$  with the following properties:

- (a)  $\omega^+$  is upper semi-continuous function;
- (b)  $\omega^+(t-0) = 0$  for any  $t \in (0; 1]$ ;
- (c)  $\text{card}(D^+) \leq \aleph_0$ ;
- (d) the set  $D_s^+$  is nowhere dense for any  $s > 0$ .

The natural question is: if  $\omega_0$  is arbitrary non-negative function with the above properties (a)–(d), does there always exist a process  $X$ , whose function  $\omega^+$ , defined by (4), satisfies the equality

$$\omega^+(t) = \omega_0(t) \text{ for each } t.$$

If we were to answer that question, we need some preliminary results.

LEMMA 4. *Suppose that a non-negative upper semi-continuous function  $\omega_0$ , defined on  $[0; 1]$ , satisfies the condition  $\omega_0(t-0) = 0$  for all  $t \in (0; 1]$ . If the set  $D = \{t: \omega_0(t) > 0\}$  is at most countable and nowhere dense, then there exists a process  $X$ , whose right oscillation function satisfied the equality*

$$(8) \quad \omega^+(t) = \omega_0(t) \text{ for each } t.$$

PROOF. First of all we shall show that for each  $u \in [0; 1)$  and any  $s > 0$  there exists a process  $X_{u, s}$ , whose right oscillation function  $\omega_{u, s}^+$  is defined by

$$(9) \quad \omega_{u, s}^+(t) = \begin{cases} s & \text{for } t = u, \\ 0 & \text{for } t \neq u. \end{cases}$$

Really, if  $W = \{W(t), 0 \leq t \leq 1\}$  is Brownian motion process (i.e. process such that  $P\{W(0) = 0\} = 1$ , and for all  $t, s \in [0; 1]$  the random variable  $W(t) - W(s)$  has the probability distribution  $\mathcal{N}(0, |t - s|)$ ), and if the process  $X_{u,s}$  is defined by

$$(10) \quad X_{u,s}(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \leq u, \\ s \cdot W\left(\frac{1}{2}\left(\sin \frac{1}{t-u} + 1\right)\right), & t > u, \end{cases}$$

then the oscillation function  $\omega_{u,s}^+$  of  $X_{u,s}$  has the form (9).

Put  $D = \{t_1, t_2, \dots\}$ . For any  $t_i \in D$ , because the set  $D$  is nowhere dense, it can be constructed a sequence of intervals  $(a_{i,k}; b_{i,k}]$   $k = 1, 2, \dots$ , with the following properties (compare with [4]):

1.  $(a_{i,k}; b_{i,k}]$  does not contain points from  $D$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ ;
2.  $a_{i,k} > t_i$  for all  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ ;
3.  $(a_{i,k}; b_{i,k}] \cap (a_{i,j}; b_{i,j}] = \emptyset$  for all  $j, k = 1, 2, \dots$  and  $j \neq k$ ;
4.  $b_{i,k} \rightarrow t_i$  when  $k \rightarrow \infty$ ;

for the sequence of intervals with the above properties we say that converges to  $t_i$  (it is clear that it converges decreasingly). These convergent sequences can be constructed so that

$$\bigcap_{i(t_i \in D)} \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_{i,k}; b_{i,k}] = \emptyset.$$

Let  $Z$  be a process, defined on  $[0; 1]$ , continuous on  $(0; 1]$ , and such that its right oscillation at  $t = 0$  is  $\omega_Z^+(0) = 1$  (we can, for example, put  $Z(t) = X_{0,1}(t)$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 1$ , where the process  $X_{0,1}$  is defined by (10) for  $u = 0$  and  $s = 1$ ). Put  $T_i = \cup_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_{i,k}; b_{i,k}]$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ , and the process  $X_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ , define by

$$X_i(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \in \bar{T}_i, \\ \omega_0(t_i) Z\left(\frac{t-t_i}{1-t_i}\right), & t \in T_i. \end{cases}$$

Finally, if the process  $X$  is defined by

$$(11) \quad X(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \in \overline{\cup_i T_i}, \\ X_i(t), & t \in T_i, \end{cases}$$

then it is easy to see that the right oscillation function  $\omega^+$  of  $X$  satisfies (8). The proof is completed.

It can happen that  $X$  has discontinuities of the first kind on the ends of intervals  $(a_{i,k}; b_{i,k}]$  for some or all values of indices  $i, k$ . Let us show it is possible to construct a process  $X$ , which has no discontinuities of the first kind, and whose right oscillation function  $\omega^+$  satisfies (8). Suppose that on  $[0; 1]$  a mean square

continuous process  $Z$  is defined, such that  $P\{Z(0) = 0\} = P\{Z(1) = 0\} = 1$  and  $\max_{0 \leq t \leq 1} \|Z(t)\| = 1$ . By using denotations from Lemma 4, we can define the process  $X_i^*$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ , by

$$X_i^*(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \in \bar{T}_i \\ \omega_0(t_i)Z\left(\frac{t - a_{i,k}}{b_{i,k} - a_{i,k}}\right), & t \in (a_{i,k}; b_{i,k}], \quad k = 1, 2, \dots \end{cases}$$

If in (11) we exchange  $X_i$  by  $X_i^*$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ , we shall see that so obtained process  $X$  has no discontinuities of the first kind and that its right oscillation function  $\omega^+$  satisfies (8).

**COROLLARY 4.1.** *Let  $\omega_0$  be a non-negative function, defined on  $[0; 1]$ , and satisfying the conditions (a) – (d). If the indicator function of the set  $\{t: 0 < \omega_0(t) \leq \varepsilon\}$  we denote by  $I_\varepsilon = I_\varepsilon(t)$ , then for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists a process  $X_\varepsilon$ , whose right oscillation function  $\omega_\varepsilon^+$  satisfies the equality*

$$\omega_\varepsilon^+(t) = (1 - I_\varepsilon(t))\omega_0(t), \quad t \in [0; 1].$$

**LEMMA 5.** *Suppose that  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are arbitrary stochastic processes of second order, and that the process  $X_0$  is defined by  $X_0(t) = X_1(t) + X_2(t)$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 1$ . If  $\omega_i$  is the oscillation function of  $X_i$ ,  $i = 0, 1, 2$ , then the inequality*

$$(12) \quad \omega_0(t) \leq \omega_1(t) + \omega_2(t), \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1,$$

*holds. This inequality becomes equality if the following conditions are satisfied:*

- (i) *processes  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are mutually orthogonal;*
- (ii)  *$D_1 \cap D_2 = \emptyset$  where  $D_i = \{t: \omega_i(t) > 0\}$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ .*

**PROOF.** The inequality (12) follows immediately from the properties of norm and function  $\overline{\lim}$  and  $\sup$ . If the condition (i) is satisfied, then for each  $t$  and arbitrary sequences  $(t_n), (t_n')$  from  $\Gamma_t$  the equality

$$\|X_0(t_n) - X_0(t_n')\| = \|X_1(t_n) - X_1(t_n')\| + \|X_2(t_n) - X_2(t_n')\|, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots,$$

holds. We shall show that, from the assumption that the condition (ii) is also satisfied, it follows

$$(13) \quad \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|X_0(t_n) - X_0(t_n')\| = \sum_{i=1}^2 \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|X_i(t_n) - X_i(t_n')\|.$$

The condition (ii) implies that  $t$  can belong to at most one of the sets  $D_1, D_2$ ; if  $t \in \overline{D_1} \cup \overline{D_2}$ , then the both sides in (13) are obviously equal to zero. If  $t$  belongs to one of the sets  $D_1, D_2$ , for example  $t \in D_1$ , then it holds

$$(14) \quad \left| \|X_0(t_n) - X_0(t_n')\| - \sum_{i=1}^2 \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|X_i(t_n) - X_i(t_n')\| \right| \leq \\ \leq \left| \|X_1(t_n) - X_1(t_n')\| - \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|X_1(t_n) - X_1(t_n')\| \right| + \|X_2(t_n) - X_2(t_n')\|.$$

From the definition of  $\overline{\lim}$  and the fact that  $t \in \overline{D}_2$  it follows that the right side in (14) will be smaller than arbitrary  $\varepsilon > 0$  for infinitely many values of  $n$ . Thus we proved that (13) is true. This implies, by reason of (ii), that the equality

$$\omega_0(t) = \omega_1(t) + \omega_2(t), \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1,$$

holds, as we wanted to prove.

**COROLLARY 5.1.** *If  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are arbitrary processes of second order and if a process  $X_0'$  is defined as in Lemma 5, then it holds  $D_0 \subseteq D_1 \cup D_2$ . That inclusion becomes equality if at least one of the conditions (i) and (ii) is satisfied.*

It is clear that, analogously, it can be shown that Lemma 5 and Corollary 5.1 remain valid also for right oscillation functions  $\omega_i^+$ , i.e. for corresponding sets  $D_i^+$ ,  $i = 0, 1, 2$ .

**LEMMA 6.** *If the sequence  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  of stochastic processes converges uniformly to some process  $X$ , then the sequence of corresponding oscillation functions  $\omega_1, \omega_2, \dots$  converges uniformly to oscillation function  $\omega$  of  $X$ .*

**PROOF.** From the uniform convergence of the sequence  $(X_n)$ , i.e. from

$$\sup_{0 \leq t \leq 1} \|X(t) - X_k(t)\| \rightarrow 0, \quad n \rightarrow \infty,$$

it follows that for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there is  $k_\varepsilon$  such that

$$\|X(u) - X(v)\| - \|X_k(u) - X_k(v)\| < \varepsilon \text{ for all } u, v \in [0; 1] \text{ and } k > k_\varepsilon;$$

that implies the following inequalities

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{u, v \in i_{t, h}} \|X_k(u) - X_k(v)\| - \varepsilon &\leq \sup_{u, v \in i_{t, h}} \|X(u) - X(v)\| \leq \\ &\leq \sup_{u, v \in i_{t, h}} \|X_k(u) - X_k(v)\| + \varepsilon \text{ for any } t \text{ and all } k > k_\varepsilon, \end{aligned}$$

which hold for each  $h > 0$ . This, by reason of (2), means that it will be

$$|\omega(t) - \omega_k(t)| \leq \varepsilon \text{ for any } t \text{ and all } k > k_\varepsilon,$$

which is equivalent to the statement that  $\omega_k$  converges uniformly to  $\omega$  when  $k \rightarrow \infty$ , as we wanted to show.

It is easy to see that the statement from Lemma 6 remains valid if we exchange the oscillation functions by the right oscillations functions.

**THEOREM 2.** *Suppose that  $\omega_0$  is a non-negative function, defined on  $[0; 1]$  and satisfying conditions (a)–(d). Then there exists a process  $X$ , whose right oscillation function  $\omega^+$  satisfied the equality*

$$\omega^+(t) = \omega_0(t) \text{ for any } t \in [0; 1].$$

PROOF. Denote by  $I_n = I_n(t)$  the indicator function of the set  $\{t: 0 < \omega_0(t) \leq 1/2^n\}$ . From Corollary 4.1 it follows that for each  $n = 1, 2, \dots$  there is a process  $X_n$ , whose right oscillation function  $\omega_n^+$  satisfied the equality  $\omega_n^+(t) = (1 - I_n(t))\omega_0(t)$ ,  $t \in [0; 1)$ . It is easy to see that the sequence  $(\omega_n^+)$  converges uniformly to  $\omega_0$ . If we show that processes  $X_n$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ , can be constructed in such a way that the sequence  $(X_n)$  converges uniformly to some process  $X$  (i.e. that  $(X_n)$  is a Cauchy sequence in the sense of the uniform convergence), then, by reason of Lemma 6, it will imply that our statement is true.

Let us construct processes  $X_n$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ . Put  $D_1 = \{t: \omega_0(t) > \frac{1}{2}\}$  and define the function  $\omega_1 = \omega_1(t)$  by

$$\omega_1(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \in \bar{D}_1, \\ \omega_0(t), & t \in D_1. \end{cases}$$

As the function  $\omega_1$  satisfies all conditions from Lemma 4, it must exist a process  $\bar{X}_1$ , whose right oscillation function  $\bar{\omega}_1^+$  satisfied the equality

$$\bar{\omega}_1^+(t) = \omega_1(t), \quad t \in [0; 1).$$

Put  $D_2 = \{t: \frac{1}{4} < \omega_0(t) \leq \frac{1}{2}\}$  and define the function  $\omega_2 = \omega_2(t)$  by

$$\omega_2(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \in \bar{D}_2, \\ \omega_0(t), & t \in D_2. \end{cases}$$

According to Lemma 4 there is a process  $\bar{X}_2$ , whose right oscillation function  $\bar{\omega}_2^+$  satisfies the equality

$$\bar{\omega}_2^+(t) = \omega_2(t), \quad t \in [0; 1).$$

It is clear that a process  $\bar{X}_2$  can be constructed in such a way that it is orthogonal to  $\bar{X}_1$ , and that its norm satisfies the inequality

$$\sup_{0 \leq t \leq 1} \|\bar{X}_2(t)\| < 1.$$

By the described procedure we obtain the sequence of sets  $D_n = \{t: 1/2^n < \omega_0(t) \leq 1/2^{n-1}\}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ , and corresponding sequence  $(\bar{X}_n)$  of mutually orthogonal processes, whose norms satisfy the inequalities

$$(15) \quad \sup_{0 \leq t \leq 1} \|\bar{X}_n(t)\| < \frac{1}{2^{n-2}}, \quad n = 2, 3, \dots$$

The new processes  $X_n$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ , we shall define by

$$X_n(t) = \sum_{k=1}^n \bar{X}_k(t), \quad t \in [0; 1], \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$



Since the process  $X_n$ , for any  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ , satisfies the conditions (i) and (ii) from Lemma 5, it follows that for the right oscillation function  $\omega_n^+$  of  $X_n$  the equality

$$\omega_n^+(t) = \sum_{k=1}^n \overline{\omega_k^+}(t), \quad t \in [0; 1),$$

will be satisfied. From the definition of  $\omega_k^+$ , i.e. of  $\overline{\omega_k^+}$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ , it follows that

$$\omega_n^+(t) = (1 - I_n(t))\omega_0(t), \quad t \in [0; 1), \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

For arbitrary natural numbers  $n$  and  $m$  (we can suppose that, for example,  $n > m$ ) it will be, by reason of mutual orthogonality of processes  $\overline{X}_k$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ , and by reason of (15),

$$\|X_n(t) - X_m(t)\| \leq \sum_{k=m+1}^n \frac{1}{2^{k-2}} \rightarrow 0, \quad n, m \rightarrow \infty,$$

which means that the sequence  $(X_n)$  converges uniform  $y$  to some process  $X$ . The proof is completed.

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