

**ON DIVERGENCE OF MULTIPLE FOURIER–WALSH AND  
 FOURIER–HAAR SERIES OF BOUNDED FUNCTION OF  
 SEVERAL VARIABLES ON SET OF MEASURE ZERO**

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**ABSTRACT.** For arbitrary subset  $E$  of measure zero of  $n$ -dimensional cube  $[0, 1]^n$  there exists a bounded measurable function  $f$  given on  $[0, 1]^n$  such that the sequence of diagonal partial sums

$$\sum_{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n=0}^m a_{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n}(f) \omega_{p_1}(x_1) \omega_{p_2}(x_2) \cdots \omega_{p_n}(x_n), \\ m = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

of  $n$ -fold Fourier–Walsh (Fourier–Walsh–Paley, Fourier–Walsh–Kac–zmarz) series of  $f$  diverges for every  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in E$ .

Analogous result is true for the Fourier–Haar series.

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$$\sum_{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n=0}^m a_{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n}(f) \omega_{p_1}(x_1) \omega_{p_2}(x_2) \cdots \omega_{p_n}(x_n), \\ m = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

მატლევრობა განშლადია ყოველი  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in E$  წერტილისათვის.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

The problems of divergence for trigonometric series have been the subject of investigation for a long time [1]–[11].

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Problems of divergence were investigated for Walsh and Haar series. Historical information and problems concerning Walsh and Haar series are given in the papers of B. I. Golubov [12], P. L. Uljanov [13] and W. Wade [14], [15].

The Fourier–Walsh, Fourier–Walsh–Paley or Fourier–Walsh–Kaczmarz series of a Lebesgue integrable function  $f$  (on  $[0, 1]$ ) has the form:

$$f(x) \sim \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} a_p(f) \omega_p(x), \quad x \in [0, 1],$$

where

$$a_p(f) = \int_0^1 f(t) \omega_p(t) dt, \quad p = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

and  $\{\omega_p\}_{p=0}^{\infty}$  is the Walsh (cf. [16] or [17]), Walsh–Paley (cf. [16]) or Walsh–Kaczmarz (cf. [16]) system of functions.

E. Stein [18] constructed an integrable function whose Fourier–Walsh–Paley series diverges almost everywhere.

F. Schipp [19] constructed an integrable function whose Fourier–Walsh–Paley series diverges everywhere.

Sh. Kheladze [20] proved that for an arbitrary number  $p$ ,  $1 \leq p < \infty$ , and arbitrary set of measure zero there exists a function in  $L^p(0, 1)$  whose Fourier–Walsh–Paley series diverges on this set.

In this connection W. Wade noted in his survey article [14] on Walsh series that the analogous question for bounded and continuous functions was still open.

This problem for bounded functions was solved by V. Bugadze [21]: For arbitrary set of measure zero there exists a bounded measurable function whose Fourier–Walsh (Fourier–Walsh–Paley, Fourier–Walsh–Kaczmarz) series diverges on this set.

The  $n$ -fold Fourier–Walsh, Fourier–Walsh–Paley or Fourier–Walsh–Kaczmarz series of a Lebesgue integrable function  $f$ , defined on the  $n$ -dimensional cube  $[0, 1]^n$ , has the form:

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n) \sim \sum_{p_1, \dots, p_n=0}^{\infty} a_{p_1, \dots, p_n}(f) w_{p_1}(x_1) \cdots w_{p_n}(x_n), \quad (1)$$

$$(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in [0, 1]^n,$$

where

$$a_{p_1, \dots, p_n}(f) = \int_{[0,1]^n} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) w_{p_1}(t_1) \cdots w_{p_n}(t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n,$$

$$p_1, \dots, p_n = 0, 1, \dots,$$

and  $\{w_{p_1} \cdots w_{p_n}\}_{p_1, \dots, p_n=0}^{\infty}$  is the Walsh, Walsh-Paley or Walsh-Kaczmarz  $n$ -fold system of functions ( $n \geq 2$ ,  $n \in N$ ).

Let  $\{x_{m_1, \dots, m_n}\}_{m_1, \dots, m_n=1}^{\infty}$  is a sequence of real numbers and  $\lambda \geq 1$  is any real number. Sequence  $\{x_{m_1, \dots, m_n}\}_{m_1, \dots, m_n=1}^{\infty}$  is said to be  $\lambda$ -convergent to any real number  $c$ , if for arbitrary number  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists natural number  $p$  such that for arbitrary natural numbers  $m_k > p$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , that satisfy condition

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} < \frac{m_i}{m_j} < \lambda, \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad (2)$$

the following inequality holds

$$|x_{m_1, \dots, m_n} - c| < \varepsilon.$$

If the last inequality holds without conditions (2), then sequence  $\{x_{m_1, \dots, m_n}\}_{m_1, \dots, m_n=1}^{\infty}$  is said to be convergent to  $c$  in the sense of Pringsheim.

R. Getsadze [22] constructed a continuous function whose multiple Fourier-Walsh-Paley series diverges almost everywhere.

The theorem 1 proved below, which was announced in [23], transfers the result of V. Bugadze [21] to the multiple Fourier-Walsh (Fourier-Walsh-Paley, Fourier-Walsh-Kaczmarz) series of the functions of several variables (for the convergence in the sense of Pringsheim; moreover for  $\lambda$ -convergence).

The Fourier-Haar series of a Lebesgue integrable function  $f$  (on  $[0, 1]$ ) has the form:

$$f(x) \sim \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} b_p(f) \chi_p(x), \quad x \in [0, 1],$$

where

$$b_p(f) = \int_0^1 f(t) \chi_p(t) dt, \quad p = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

and  $\{\chi_p\}_{p=0}^{\infty}$  is Haar system of functions (cf. [24]).

A. Haar [25] proved that for every function continuous on  $[0, 1]$  Fourier-Haar series of the function converges to the function uniformly on  $[0, 1]$ . He also proved that for every Lebesgue integrable function its Fourier-Haar series converges to this function on  $[0, 1]$  almost everywhere.

V. I. Prokhorenko [26] proved that for every set of measure zero there exists a function in  $\bigcap_{p \geq 1} L^p$  whose Fourier-Haar series diverges on this set.

M. A. Lunina [27] proved that if  $\varphi$  is an even function nondecreasing on  $[0, \infty)$  with  $\varphi(0) = 0$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \varphi(x) = \varphi(\infty) = +\infty$ , than for each set  $E$  of type  $\tilde{G}_\delta$  and of measure zero there exists a function  $L \cap \varphi(L)$  whose Fourier-Haar series diverges unboundedly on  $E$  and converges on  $[0, 1] \setminus E$ .

V. Bugadze [28] proved that for every set of measure zero there exists a bounded measurable function whose Fourier–Haar series diverges on this set.

The  $n$ -fold Fourier–Haar series of a Lebesgue integrable function  $f$ , defined on the  $n$ -dimensional cube  $[0, 1]^n$ , has the form:

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n) \sim \sum_{p_1, \dots, p_n=0}^{\infty} b_{p_1, \dots, p_n}(f) \chi_{p_1}(x_1) \cdots \chi_{p_n}(x_n), \quad (3)$$

$$(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in [0, 1]^n,$$

where

$$b_{p_1, \dots, p_n}(f) = \int_{[0, 1]^n} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) \chi_{p_1}(t_1) \cdots \chi_{p_n}(t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n,$$

$$p_1, \dots, p_n = 0, 1, \dots,$$

and  $\{\chi_{p_1} \cdots \chi_{p_n}\}_{p_1, \dots, p_n=0}^{\infty}$  is  $n$ -fold Haar system of functions ( $n \geq 2$ ,  $n \in N$ ).

O. Dzagnidze [29] proved that for some  $f \in L[0, 1]^2$  double Fourier–Haar series of  $f$  can be divergent almost everywhere, but it  $\lambda$ -converges (for every  $\lambda > 1$ ) to  $f$  almost everywhere. Moreover for  $f \in L \log^+ L[0, 1]^2$  double Fourier–Haar series converges to that function almost everywhere.

Author [30] proved that for arbitrary subset  $E$  of measure zero of  $n$ -dimensional cube  $[0, 1]^n$  there exists a bounded measurable function  $f$  given on  $[0, 1]^n$  whose  $n$ -fold Fourier–Haar series does not  $\lambda$ -converge on  $E$  for arbitrary  $\lambda > 1$ .

Below it is proved that analogous statement (cf. Theorem 2) is true for  $\lambda = 1$ .

## 2. DEFINITIONS AND LEMMAS

We denote by  $R$  the set of real numbers, by  $Z$  the set of integers, by  $N$  the set of natural numbers and by  $N_0$  the set of nonnegative integers.

The intervals

$$\Delta_k^{(m)} \equiv [k \cdot 2^{-m}, (k + 1) \cdot 2^{-m}),$$

where  $k = 0, 1, \dots, 2^m - 1$ ,  $m \in N_0$ , are called as dyadic intervals. The number  $m$  is the rank of the interval  $\Delta_k^{(m)}$ .

For a point  $x \in [0, 1)$ ,  $\Delta_x^{(m)}$  denotes a dyadic interval of rank  $m$ , which contains the point  $x$ .

Numbers of the form  $k \cdot 2^{-m}$ , where  $k \in Z$ ,  $m \in N$ , are called as dyadic rationals. All other real numbers are called as dyadic irrationals.

We denote by  $\mu A$  the Lebesgue measure of any Lebesgue measurable set  $A$ .

Below every where we mean that  $n \in N$  and  $n \geq 2$ .

We define the system  $\{\Gamma_k^{(i)}\}_{i,k=1}^{\infty}$  of half open  $n$ -dimensional dyadic cubes. For that consider  $n$  pieces of arbitrary systems of dyadic intervals

$$\{[\alpha_{j,k}^{(i)}, \beta_{j,k}^{(i)}]\}_{i,k=1}^{\infty}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n,$$

which have the following property: for arbitrary pair  $(i, k)$  of natural numbers the ranks of the intervals  $[\alpha_{j,k}^{(i)}, \beta_{j,k}^{(i)}]$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , are equal. Note that the rank of the interval  $[\alpha_{j,k}^{(i)}, \beta_{j,k}^{(i)}]$  is

$$r_{j,k}^{(i)} = \log_2(\beta_{j,k}^{(i)} - \alpha_{j,k}^{(i)})^{-1} \equiv r_k^{(i)}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

Fix the arbitrary numbers  $i, k \in N$ . On basis of definition of dyadic interval we have

$$[\alpha_{j,k}^{(i)}, \beta_{j,k}^{(i)}] \equiv \Delta_{2^{r_k^{(i)}} \cdot \alpha_{j,k}^{(i)}}^{(r_k^{(i)})}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n. \quad (4)$$

For arbitrary dyadic interval the following presentation holds (cf. [14], [16], [17]):

$$\Delta_k^{(m)} = \bigcup_{u^{(s)}=0}^{2^s-1} \Delta_{2^{s+k+u^{(s)}}}^{(m+s)}, \quad s = 0, 1, \dots,$$

therefore (cf. (4))

$$\Delta_{2^{r_k^{(i)}} \cdot \alpha_{j,k}^{(i)}}^{(r_k^{(i)})} = \bigcup_{u_j^{(s)}=0}^{2^s-1} \Delta_{2^{r_k^{(i)}+s} \cdot \alpha_{j,k}^{(i)} + u_j^{(s)}}^{(r_k^{(i)}+s)}, \quad s \in N_0, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n. \quad (5)$$

We denote (cf. (4), (5)):

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(i)} &\equiv \prod_{j=1}^n \Delta_{2^{r_k^{(i)}+s} \cdot \alpha_{j,k}^{(i)} + u_j^{(s)}}^{(r_k^{(i)}+s)}, \\ &s \in N_0, \quad u_j^{(s)} = 0, 1, \dots, 2^s - 1, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n; \\ \Gamma_k^{(i)} &\equiv \Gamma_{k;0;0,\dots,0}^{(i)}. \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

It is obvious, that (cf. (5), (6))

$$\Gamma_k^{(i)} = \bigcup_{u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}=0}^{2^s-1} \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(i)}, \quad s \in N_0, \quad (7)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(i)} &= \bigcup_{i_1, \dots, i_n=0}^1 \Gamma_{k;s+1;2u_1^{(s)}+i_1, \dots, 2u_n^{(s)}+i_n}^{(i)}, \\ &s \in N_0, \quad u_j^{(s)} = 0, 1, \dots, 2^s - 1, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n. \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

It follows from (6) that

$$\begin{aligned} \mu \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(i)} &= 2^{-nr_k^{(i)} - ns}, \\ s \in N_0, \quad u_j^{(s)} &= 0, 1, \dots, 2^s - 1, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n. \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

We denote also

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\Gamma}_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(i)} &\equiv \\ \equiv \prod_{j=1}^n &\left( \alpha_{j,k}^{(i)} + 2^{-r_k^{(i)} - s} \cdot u_j^{(s)} - 2^{-r_k^{(i)} - s - 12}, \alpha_{j,k}^{(i)} + 2^{-r_k^{(i)} - s} \cdot u_j^{(s)} + 2^{-r_k^{(i)} - s} \right), \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

where  $s \in N_0$ ,  $u_j^{(s)} = 0, 1, \dots, 2^s - 1$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ .

For any set  $A$  we denote by  $(A)'$  the part of boundary of set  $A$ , which belongs to  $A$  and by  $\overset{\circ}{A}$  the set  $A \setminus (A)'$ .

The partial sums of the  $n$ -fold Fourier–Walsh and Fourier–Haar series (cf. (1), (3)) of a function  $f$  are defined by the equalities (correspondingly):

$$\begin{aligned} W_{m_1, \dots, m_n}(f, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) &= \\ &= \sum_{p_1, \dots, p_n=0}^{m_1-1, \dots, m_n-1} a_{p_1, \dots, p_n}(f) w_{p_1}(x_1) \cdots w_{p_n}(x_n), \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

$$\begin{aligned} H_{m_1, \dots, m_n}(f, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) &= \\ &= \sum_{p_1, \dots, p_n=0}^{m_1-1, \dots, m_n-1} b_{p_1, \dots, p_n}(f) \chi_{p_1}(x_1) \cdots \chi_{p_n}(x_n), \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

where  $m_1, \dots, m_n = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in [0, 1]^n$ .

The following two lemmas (Lemma 1 and Lemma 2) are analogs of correspondingly the classical results (cf. [17], [25]):

**Lemma 1.** *For any point  $(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in [0, 1]^n$*

$$\begin{aligned} W_{2^{m_1}, \dots, 2^{m_n}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n) &= \\ &= \frac{1}{\mu \left( \prod_{i=1}^n \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)} \right) \prod_{i=1}^n \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)}} \int f(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n, \\ m_1, \dots, m_n &= 0, 1, \dots \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

*Proof.* By the definition of the partial sums of the  $n$ -fold Fourier-Walsh series (cf. (11))

$$\begin{aligned} W_{2^{m_1}, \dots, 2^{m_n}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n) &= \\ &= \sum_{p_1, \dots, p_n=0}^{2^{m_1}-1, \dots, 2^{m_n}-1} a_{p_1, \dots, p_n}(f) w_{p_1}(x_1) \cdots w_{p_n}(x_n) = \\ &= \int_{[0,1]^n} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) K_{m_1, \dots, m_n}(x_1, \dots, x_n; t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n, \quad (14) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$K_{m_1, \dots, m_n}(x_1, \dots, x_n; t_1, \dots, t_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n \left[ \sum_{p_i=0}^{2^{m_i}-1} w_{p_i}(x_i) w_{p_i}(t_i) \right], \quad (15)$$

$$m_1, \dots, m_n = 0, 1, \dots, (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in [0, 1]^n.$$

We prove by induction that for fixed natural number  $i$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq n$ , the following equality is true

$$\sum_{p_i=0}^{2^{m_i}-1} w_{p_i}(x_i) w_{p_i}(t_i) = \begin{cases} 2^{m_i}, & t_i \in \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)} \\ 0, & t_i \in [0, 1] \setminus \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)} \end{cases}. \quad (16)$$

It is obvious that equality (16) is true for  $m_i = 0$ .

Let  $m_i = 1$ . Then we have

$$\sum_{p_i=0}^1 w_{p_i}(x_i) w_{p_i}(t_i) = 1 + w_1(x_i) w_1(t_i) = \begin{cases} 2, & t_i \in \Delta_{x_i}^{(1)} \\ 0, & t_i \in [0, 1] \setminus \Delta_{x_i}^{(1)} \end{cases},$$

i.e. (16) is true.

Let equality (16) be valid for  $(m_i - 1)$  and prove that it also holds for  $m_i$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{p_i=0}^{2^{m_i}-1} w_{p_i}(x_i) w_{p_i}(t_i) &= \\ &= \sum_{p_i=0}^{2^{m_i-1}-1} w_{p_i}(x_i) w_{p_i}(t_i) + \sum_{p_i=2^{m_i-1}}^{2^{m_i}-1} w_{p_i}(x_i) w_{p_i}(t_i). \quad (17) \end{aligned}$$

It is known that (cf. [14], [16], [17]) for the Walsh function  $w_p$  ( $2^m \leq p < 2^{m+1}$ ,  $m \in N_0$ ) the intervals  $\Delta_k^{(m)}$  ( $0 \leq k < 2^m$ ) are intervals of change of sign and the intervals  $\Delta_k^{(m+1)}$  ( $0 \leq k < 2^{m+1}$ ) are the intervals of constancy. In addition, for any number  $p = 2^m, 2^m + 1, \dots, 2^{m+1} - 1$ ,  $m \in N_0$ , we have

$w_p(x) = w_{2^m}(x)w_{p-2^m}(x)$ ,  $x \in [0, 1]$  (cf. [31]). By induction and this facts we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{p_i=2^{m_i-1}}^{2^{m_i}-1} w_{p_i}(x_i)w_{p_i}(t_i) = \\
& = w_{2^{m_i-1}}(x_i)w_{2^{m_i-1}}(t_i) \cdot \sum_{p_i=2^{m_i-1}}^{2^{m_i}-1} w_{p_i-2^{m_i-1}}(x_i)w_{p_i-2^{m_i-1}}(t_i) = \\
& = w_{2^{m_i-1}}(x_i)w_{2^{m_i-1}}(t_i) \cdot \sum_{\nu=0}^{2^{m_i-1}-1} w_\nu(x_i)w_\nu(t_i) = \\
& = \begin{cases} \sum_{\nu=0}^{2^{m_i-1}-1} w_\nu(x_i)w_\nu(t_i) = 2^{m_i-1}, & t_i \in \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)} \\ - \sum_{\nu=0}^{2^{m_i-1}-1} w_\nu(x_i)w_\nu(t_i) = -2^{m_i-1}, & t_i \notin \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)}, \quad t_i \in \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i-1)} \\ 0, & t_i \notin \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i-1)} \end{cases}.
\end{aligned}$$

By induction and last equality we have (cf. (17))

$$\sum_{p_i=0}^{2^{m_i}-1} w_{p_i}(x_i)w_{p_i}(t_i) = \begin{cases} 2^{m_i}, & t_i \in \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)} \\ 0, & t_i \notin \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)} \end{cases}.$$

By obtained equality it follows from (15) that

$$\begin{aligned}
K_{m_1, \dots, m_n}(x_1, \dots, x_n; t_1, \dots, t_n) &= \\
&= \begin{cases} 2^{\sum_{i=1}^n m_i}, & (t_1, \dots, t_n) \in \prod_{i=1}^n \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)} \\ 0, & (t_1, \dots, t_n) \in [0, 1]^n \setminus \prod_{i=1}^n \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)} \end{cases}.
\end{aligned}$$

By the last equality it follows from (14) that the equality (13) is true.  $\square$

**Lemma 2.** *For any point  $(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in [0, 1]^n$*

$$\begin{aligned}
W_{2^{m_1}, \dots, 2^{m_n}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n) &= H_{2^{m_1}, \dots, 2^{m_n}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n), \\
m_1, \dots, m_n &= 0, 1, \dots.
\end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

*Proof.* It is known that for partial sums (12) of the  $n$ -fold Fourier-Haar series the following equality is true

$$\begin{aligned} H_{2^{m_1}, \dots, 2^{m_n}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n) &= \\ &= \frac{1}{\left| \prod_{i=1}^n \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)} \right|} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^n \Delta_{x_i}^{(m_i)}} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n, \quad (19) \end{aligned}$$

where  $m_1, \dots, m_n = 0, 1, \dots, (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in [0, 1]^n$ .

It follows from equalities (13) and (19) that the equality (18) is true.  $\square$

**Lemma 3.** *For arbitrary subset  $E$  of measure zero of  $n$ -dimensional cube  $[0, 1]^n$  there exists a sequence of open sets  $G_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ , satisfying the following conditions:*

- (a)  $G_{i+1} \subset G_i \subset G_1 = [0, 1]^n \equiv \Gamma_1^{(1)}$ ,  $i = 2, 3, \dots$
- (b) If  $i \geq 2$ ,  $i \in N$ , then  $G_i$  is not more than countable union of half open  $n$ -dimensional dyadic cubes  $\Gamma_k^{(i)}$ , which in pairs do not have common inner point.
- (c) For any number  $i \in N$  any point of set  $E \cap (G_i \setminus G_{i+1})$  belong to one of the sets  $(\Gamma_k^{(i)})'$ .
- (d) For any number  $i \in N$  each cube  $\Gamma_k^{(i+1)}$  is entirely contained in one of the cubes  $\overset{\circ}{\Gamma}_{k_1}^{(i)}$ ,  $k_1 \in N$ .
- (e) For any natural numbers  $i, k$  and  $s$  and numbers  $u_j^{(s)}$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , where  $u_{j_1}^{(s)} = u_{j_2}^{(s)} = \dots = u_{j_q}^{(s)} = 0$ ,  $j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ,  $j_1 < j_2 < \dots < j_q$ ,  $q = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$  and  $u_j^{(s)} = 1, 2, \dots, 2^s - 1$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$  and in this last equalities  $j$  does not equal to anyone of the following numbers  $j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q$ , the following inequality holds

$$\mu G_{i+1} \cap \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(i)} < 2^{-nr_k^{(i)} - ns - 8n - 1} \quad (20)$$

and for any number  $s \in N_0$

$$\mu G_{i+1} \cap \Gamma_{k;s;0,0,\dots,0}^{(i)} < 2^{-nr_k^{(i)} - ns - 8n - 1}. \quad (21)$$

*Proof.* Note that for construction of sets  $G_i$ ,  $i \in N$ , we use the system of half open  $n$ -dimensional dyadic cubes (which is defined above) and for the dyadic intervals which are used in construction of this system we suppose that  $[\alpha_{j,1}^{(1)}, \beta_{j,1}^{(1)}] \equiv [0, 1]$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$  (cf. (4)–(6)).

Suppose we have sets  $G_1, G_2, \dots, G_m$ ,  $m \geq 2$ , satisfying conditions (a), (c), (d), (e), when  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m-1$  and condition (b), when  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$ . We shall construct the set  $G_{m+1}$ .

Let  $k \in N$ . We represent the cube  $\overset{\circ}{\Gamma}_k^{(m)}$  in the form (cf. (7)):

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{\circ}{\Gamma}_k^{(m)} &= \Gamma_{k;1;1,\dots,1}^{(m)} \bigcup_{s=2}^{\infty} \left[ \bigcup_{u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}=1}^{2^s-1} \Gamma_{k;s;1,u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)} \bigcup \right. \\ &\quad \bigcup_{u_1^{(s)}=2}^{2^s-1} \left( \bigcup_{u_3^{(s)}, u_4^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}=1}^{2^s-1} \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)}, 1, u_4^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)} \right) \\ &\quad \bigcup_{u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)}=2}^{2^s-1} \left( \bigcup_{u_4^{(s)}, u_5^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}=1}^{2^s-1} \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)}, 1, u_4^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)} \right) \bigcup \dots \bigcup \\ &\quad \left. \bigcup_{u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-1}^{(s)}=2}^{2^s-1} \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-1}^{(s)}, 1}^{(m)} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (22)$$

Let us consider the  $n$ -tuples

(1, ..., 1) for  $s = 1$ , and for any natural number  $s \geq 2$ ,

$(1, u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)})$ , where  $u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)} = 1, \dots, 2^s - 1$ ,

$(u_1^{(s)}, 1, u_3^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)})$ ,

where  $u_1^{(s)} = 2, \dots, 2^s - 1$ ;  $u_3^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)} = 1, \dots, 2^s - 1$ ,

$(u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)}, 1, u_4^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)})$ ,

where  $u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)} = 2, \dots, 2^s - 1$ ;  $u_4^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)} = 1, \dots, 2^s - 1$ ,

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$(u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-1}^{(s)}, 1)$ , where  $u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-1}^{(s)} = 2, \dots, 2^s - 1$ .

Since  $\mu E = 0$  there exist open sets, correspondingly,

$$\begin{aligned} F_{k;1;1,\dots,1}^{(m)}, F_{k;s;1,u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)}, F_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, 1, u_3^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)}, \\ F_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)}, 1, u_4^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}, \dots, F_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-1}^{(s)}, 1}^{(m)} \end{aligned}$$

such that (cf. (10))

Let

$$\begin{aligned}
G_{m+1} = & \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ F_{k;1,1,\dots,1}^{(m)} \bigcup_{s=2}^{\infty} \left[ \bigcup_{\substack{u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)} = 1}}^{2^s-1} F_{k;s;u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)} \bigcup \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. \bigcup_{\substack{u_1^{(s)} = 2}}^{2^s-1} \left( \bigcup_{\substack{u_3^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)} = 1}}^{2^s-1} F_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, 1, u_3^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)} \right) \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. \bigcup_{\substack{u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)} = 2}}^{2^s-1} \left( \bigcup_{\substack{u_4^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)} = 1}}^{2^s-1} F_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)}, 1, u_4^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)} \right) \bigcup \dots \bigcup \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. \bigcup_{\substack{u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-1}^{(s)} = 2}}^{2^s-1} F_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-1}^{(s)}, 1}^{(m)} \right] \right\}. \tag{25}
\end{aligned}$$

It is obvious that  $G_{m+1}$  is open set. Therefore, it can be represented as not more than countable union of half open  $n$ -dimensional dyadic cubes. Let

$$G_{m+1} = \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} \Gamma_k^{(m+1)}$$

be one of such representation (we mean that the cube  $\Gamma_k^{(m+1)}$  are disjoint in pairs).

It is obvious that  $G_{m+1}$  satisfies condition (b) for  $i = m+1$  and conditions (a) and (d) for  $i = m$  (cf. (22), (23), (25)).

We have (cf. (22), (23), (25))

$$E \cap (G_m \setminus G_{m+1}) = \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} [(\Gamma_k^{(m)} \setminus G_{m+1}) \cap E] \text{ and } E \cap \overset{\circ}{\Gamma}_k^{(m)} \subset G_{m+1}.$$

Therefore

$$E \cap (G_m \setminus G_{m+1}) \subset \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ [(\Gamma_k^{(m)})' \cup (\overset{\circ}{\Gamma}_k^{(m)} \setminus E)] \cap E \right\} \subset \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} (\Gamma_k^{(m)})'.$$

Thus also holds condition (c) for  $i = m$ . Condition (e) remains to be verified.

It follows from (22), (23) and (25) that:

1) For any natural number  $s \geq 2$  and for numbers  $u_j^{(s)}$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , where

$$u_{j_1}^{(s)} = u_{j_2}^{(s)} = \dots = u_{j_q}^{(s)} = 0$$

$$(j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q = 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad j_1 < j_2 < \dots < j_q, \quad q = 1, 2, \dots, n-1)$$

and

$$u_j^{(s)} = 1, 2, \dots, 2^s - 2 \quad (j = 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad j \neq j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q),$$

the following inclusion is true

$$\begin{aligned} G_{m+1} \cap \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)} &\subset \\ &\subset \bigcup_{\nu=0}^{\infty} \left[ \bigcup_{\substack{d_j^{(\nu)}=0 \\ j=1, \dots, n; j \neq j_1, \dots, j_q}}^{2^\nu} \left( \bigcup_{\substack{d_{j_2}^{(\nu)}, d_{j_3}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k;s+\nu;2^\nu u_1^{(s)}+d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)}+d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. \bigcup_{\substack{d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}, d_{j_3}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_2}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k;s+\nu;2^\nu u_1^{(s)}+d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)}+d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \right) \bigcup \dots \bigcup \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \bigcup_{\substack{d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}, d_{j_2}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_{q-1}}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1}} \bigcup_{k=s+\nu; 2^\nu u_1^{(s)} + d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)} + d_n^{(\nu)}}^{2^\nu} F_{k;s+\nu; 2^\nu u_1^{(s)} + d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)} + d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \right];$$

2) For any natural number  $s \geq 2$  and for numbers  $u_j^{(s)}$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} u_{j_1}^{(s)} &= u_{j_2}^{(s)} = \dots = u_{j_q}^{(s)} = 0 \\ (j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q) &= 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad j_1 < j_2 < \dots < j_q, \quad q = 1, 2, \dots, n-2, \\ u_{l_1}^{(s)} &= u_{l_2}^{(s)} = \dots = u_{l_p}^{(s)} = 2^s - 1 \\ (l_1, l_2, \dots, l_p) &= 1, \dots, n, \quad l_1 < l_2 < \dots < l_p, \\ l_1, \dots, l_p &\neq j_1, \dots, j_q, \quad p = 1, 2, \dots, n-q-1, \\ u_j^{(s)} &= 1, 2, \dots, 2^s - 2 \quad (j = 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad j \neq j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q, l_1, l_2, \dots, l_p) \end{aligned}$$

(note that this case hold only for  $n \geq 3$ ,  $n \in N$ ) the following inclusion is true

$$\begin{aligned} G_{m+1} \cap \Gamma_{k;s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)} &\subset \\ \subset \bigcup_{\nu=0}^{\infty} \left[ \bigcup_{\substack{d_j^{(\nu)}=0 \\ j=1, \dots, n; j \neq j_1, \dots, j_q, l_1, \dots, l_p}}^{2^\nu} \bigcup_{\substack{d_{l_1}^{(\nu)}, d_{l_2}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{l_p}^{(\nu)}=0 \\ d_{j_2}^{(\nu)}, d_{j_3}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu-1} \right. & \\ \left. \bigcup_{\substack{d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}, d_{j_3}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_2}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k;s+\nu; 2^\nu u_1^{(s)} + d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)} + d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \right. & \\ \left. \bigcup_{\substack{d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}, d_{j_3}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_2}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k;s+\nu; 2^\nu u_1^{(s)} + d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)} + d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \bigcup \dots \bigcup \right. & \\ \left. \bigcup_{\substack{d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_{q-1}}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k;s+\nu; 2^\nu u_1^{(s)} + d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)} + d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \right]; & \end{aligned}$$

3) For any natural number  $s \geq 1$  and for numbers  $u_j^{(s)}$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} u_{j_1}^{(s)} &= u_{j_2}^{(s)} = \dots = u_{j_q}^{(s)} = 0 \\ (j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q) &= 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad j_1 < j_2 < \dots < j_q, \quad q = 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$u_j^{(s)} = 2^s - 1 \quad (j = 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad j \neq j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q),$$

the following inclusion is true

$$\begin{aligned} G_{m+1} \cap \Gamma_{k; s; u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(m)} &\subset \\ &\subset \bigcup_{\nu=0}^{\infty} \left[ \bigcup_{\substack{d_j^{(\nu)}=0 \\ j=1, \dots, n; j \neq j_1, \dots, j_q}}^{2^\nu-1} \left( \bigcup_{\substack{d_{j_2}^{(\nu)}, d_{j_3}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k; s+\nu; 2^\nu u_1^{(s)} + d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)} + d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \right. \right. \\ &\quad \bigcup_{\substack{d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}, d_{j_3}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_2}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k; s+\nu; 2^\nu u_1^{(s)} + d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)} + d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \bigcup \cdots \bigcup \\ &\quad \left. \left. \bigcup_{\substack{d_{j_1}^{(\nu)}, d_{j_2}^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{j_{q-1}}^{(\nu)}=1 \\ d_{j_q}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k; s+\nu; 2^\nu u_1^{(s)} + d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, 2^\nu u_n^{(s)} + d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \right) \right]; \end{aligned}$$

4) For any numbers  $s \in N_0$ ,  $u_j^{(s)} = 0$  ( $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) the following inclusion is true

$$\begin{aligned} G_{m+1} \cap \Gamma_{k; s; 0, \dots, 0}^{(m)} &\subset \bigcup_{\nu=0}^{\infty} \left( \bigcup_{\substack{d_2^{(\nu)}, d_3^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k; s+\nu; 1, d_2^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \right. \\ &\quad \bigcup_{\substack{d_1^{(\nu)}, d_3^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k; s+\nu; d_1^{(\nu)}, 1, d_3^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(m)} \bigcup \cdots \bigcup \\ &\quad \left. \bigcup_{\substack{d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-1}^{(\nu)}=1}}^{2^\nu} F_{k; s+\nu; d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-1}^{(\nu)}, 1}^{(m)} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore by inequalities (24) we have that condition (e) also holds.

Thus we have a sequence  $G_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots$ ) satisfying conditions (a)–(e).  $\square$

### 3. BASIC RESULT

**Theorem 1.** *For arbitrary subset  $E$  of measure zero of  $n$ -dimensional cube  $[0, 1]^n$  there exists a bounded measurable function  $f$  given on  $[0, 1]^n$*

such that the sequence of diagonal partial sums

$$\sum_{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n=0}^m a_{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n}(f) \omega_{p_1}(x_1) \omega_{p_2}(x_2) \cdots \omega_{p_n}(x_n), \quad m = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

of  $n$ -fold Fourier-Walsh (Fourier-Walsh-Paley, Fourier-Walsh-Kaczmarz) series of  $f$  diverges for every  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in E$ .

*Proof.* Let  $E \subset [0, 1]^n$ ,  $\mu E = 0$ . By Lemma 3 there exists a sequence of open sets  $G_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ , satisfying the conditions (a)–(e).

We now define the functions  $f_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ . For that denote by (cf. (7))

$$\begin{aligned} A_i \equiv & \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{s=1}^{\infty} \left( \bigcup_{\substack{u_2^{(s)}, u_3^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}=1}}^{2^{2s-1}} \Gamma_{k;2s;1,u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(i)} \bigcup \right. \\ & \bigcup_{u_1^{(s)}=2}^{2^{2s-1}} \left( \bigcup_{\substack{u_3^{(s)}, u_4^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}=1}}^{2^{2s-1}} \Gamma_{k;2s;u_1^{(s)}, 1, u_3^{(s)}, \dots, u_n^{(s)}}^{(i)} \right) \bigcup \cdots \bigcup \\ & \bigcup_{u_1^{(s)}, u_2^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-2}^{(s)}=2}^{2^{2s-1}} \left( \bigcup_{u_n^{(s)}=1}^{2^{2s-1}} \Gamma_{k;2s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-2}^{(s)}, 1, u_n^{(s)}}^{(i)} \right) \bigcup \\ & \left. \bigcup_{u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-1}^{(s)}=2}^{2^{2s-1}} \Gamma_{k;2s;u_1^{(s)}, \dots, u_{n-1}^{(s)}, 1}^{(i)} \right), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots \quad (26) \end{aligned}$$

Note that for any  $i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ , the set  $A_i$  is union of pair wise disjoint half open  $n$ -dimensional dyadic cubes.

Let

$$f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n) = \begin{cases} a_i, & (t_1, \dots, t_n) \in A_i \\ 0, & (t_1, \dots, t_n) \in [0, 1]^n \setminus A_i \end{cases}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, \quad (27)$$

where  $a_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \text{ is odd} \\ 2 & \text{if } i \text{ is even} \end{cases}$ .

We now define the function  $f$ . Let

$$f(t_1, \dots, t_n) = \begin{cases} f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n), & (t_1, \dots, t_n) \in G_i \setminus G_{i+1}, \\ & i = 1, 2, \dots \\ 0, & (t_1, \dots, t_n) \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} G_i \end{cases}. \quad (28)$$

By conditions (a) and (b) the definition of the function is correct.

Let  $s$  is odd number,  $s \in N_0$ , and

$$\begin{aligned}
B_{k,s}^{(i)} \equiv & \Gamma_{k;s+1;1,\dots,1}^{(i)} \bigcup_{\nu=2}^{\infty} \left( \bigcup_{d_2^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}=1}^{2^{2\nu-1}-1} \Gamma_{k;s+2\nu-1;1,d_2^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(i)} \bigcup \right. \\
& \left. \bigcup_{d_1^{(\nu)}=2}^{2^{2\nu-1}-1} \left( \bigcup_{d_3^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}=1}^{2^{2\nu-1}-1} \Gamma_{k;s+2\nu-1;d_1^{(\nu)}, 1, d_3^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(i)} \right) \right. \\
& \left. \bigcup \cdots \bigcup_{d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-2}^{(\nu)}=2}^{2^{2\nu-1}-1} \left( \bigcup_{d_n^{(\nu)}=1}^{2^{2\nu-1}-1} \Gamma_{k;s+2\nu-1;d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-2}^{(\nu)}, 1, d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(i)} \right) \right. \\
& \left. \bigcup_{d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-1}^{(\nu)}=2}^{2^{2\nu-1}-1} \Gamma_{k;s+2\nu-1;d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-1}^{(\nu)}, 1}^{(i)}, \quad i, k = 1, 2, \dots \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Then it follows from equality's (9), (26) and (27) that for any numbers  $i, k \in N$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_{\Gamma_{k;s;0,\dots,0}^{(i)}} f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n = \\
& = \int_{B_{k,s}^{(i)}} f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n = a_i \left( 2^{-nr_k^{(i)} - ns - n} + \right. \\
& \left. + n(n-1) 2^{-nr_k^{(i)} - ns + n - 1} \left( \frac{16 \cdot 2^{-4n}}{1 - 4 \cdot 2^{-2n}} - \frac{3 \cdot 2^{-4n}}{1 - 2^{-2n}} \right) \right). \quad (29)
\end{aligned}$$

Let  $s$  is even number,  $s \in N_0$ , and

$$\begin{aligned}
B_{k,s}^{(i)} \equiv & \bigcup_{\nu=1}^{\infty} \left( \bigcup_{d_2^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}=1}^{2^{2\nu}-1} \Gamma_{k;s+2\nu;1,d_2^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(i)} \bigcup \right. \\
& \left. \bigcup_{d_1^{(\nu)}=2}^{2^{2\nu}-1} \left( \bigcup_{d_3^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}=1}^{2^{2\nu}-1} \Gamma_{k;s+2\nu;d_1^{(\nu)}, 1, d_3^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(i)} \right) \bigcup \cdots \bigcup \right. \\
& \left. \bigcup_{d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-2}^{(\nu)}=2}^{2^{2\nu}-1} \left( \bigcup_{d_n^{(\nu)}=1}^{2^{2\nu}-1} \Gamma_{k;s+2\nu;d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-2}^{(\nu)}, 1, d_n^{(\nu)}}^{(i)} \right) \bigcup \right. \\
& \left. \bigcup_{d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-1}^{(\nu)}=2}^{2^{2\nu}-1} \Gamma_{k;s+2\nu;d_1^{(\nu)}, \dots, d_{n-1}^{(\nu)}, 1}^{(i)}, \quad i, k = 1, 2, \dots \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Then it follows from equality's (9), (26) and (27) that for any numbers  $i, k \in N$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Gamma_{k;s;0,\dots,0}^{(i)}} f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n &= \int_{B_{k,s}^{(i)}} f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n = \\ &= a_i n(n-1) 2^{-nr_k^{(i)} - ns - 1} \left( \frac{32 \cdot 2^{-4n}}{1 - 4 \cdot 2^{-2n}} - \frac{3 \cdot 2^{-4n}}{1 - 2^{-2n}} \right). \quad (30) \end{aligned}$$

Let  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in E$ . By conditions (a) and (c) either

I.  $x \in (\Gamma_k^{(i)})'$  for any numbers  $i, k \in N$  or

II.  $x \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} G_i$ .

In the latter case for each  $i \in N$  there exists number  $m_i \in N$  such that  $x \in \overset{\circ}{\Gamma}_{m_i}^{(i)}$ .

Let us first consider Case I. For the coordinates  $x_j$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , of a point  $x$  we have:

1) For any natural number  $j_0$ ,  $1 \leq j_0 \leq n$ ,

$$x_{j_0} = \alpha_{j_0,k}^{(i)}.$$

2) There exists a number  $q_0$ ,  $0 \leq q_0 \leq n-1$  and even number  $s_0 \in N_0$  that:

a) For any natural numbers  $l_1, l_2, \dots, l_{q_0}$ ,  $l_1 < l_2 < \dots < l_{q_0}$ ,  $1 \leq l_1, l_2, \dots, l_{q_0} \leq n$ , which are different from the number  $j_0$  and for any number  $s \in N_0$  there exist the numbers  $u_{l_m}^{(s_0+s)}$ ,  $u_{l_m}^{(s_0+s)} = 0, 1, \dots, 2^{s_0+s} - 1$ , such that

$$x_{l_m} \in \left[ \alpha_{l_m,k}^{(i)} + 2^{-r_k^{(i)} - s_0 - s} \cdot u_{l_m}^{(s_0+s)}, \alpha_{l_m,k}^{(i)} + 2^{-r_k^{(i)} - s_0 - s} \cdot u_{l_m}^{(s_0+s)} + 2^{-r_k^{(i)} - s_0 - s} \right], \quad m = 1, 2, \dots, q_0$$

(if  $q_0 = 0$ , we mean that the point  $x$  have not the coordinates of this type).

b) For each number  $j$ ,  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , which is different from the numbers  $l_1, l_2, \dots, l_{q_0}$  and  $j_0$  there exist numbers  $u_j^{(s_0)}$ ,  $u_j^{(s_0)} = 0, 1, \dots, 2^{s_0} - 1$ , such that

$$x_j = \alpha_{j,k}^{(i)} + 2^{-r_k^{(i)} - s_0} u_j^{(s_0)}$$

(if  $q_0 = n-1$ , we mean that the point  $x$  have not the coordinates of this type).

It is obvious that (cf. (6)) for any number  $s \in N_0$

$$x \in \Gamma_{k;s_0+s;v_1^{(s_0+s)}, \dots, v_n^{(s_0+s)}}^{(i)},$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} v_{j_0}^{(s_0+s)} &= 0; \\ v_{l_m}^{(s_0+s)} &= u_{l_m}^{(s_0+s)}, \quad m = 1, 2, \dots, q_0; \\ v_j^{(s_0+s)} &= 2^s u_j^{(s_0)}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad j \neq j_0, l_1, l_2, \dots, l_{q_0}. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $p_s = r_k^{(i)} + s_0 + 2s$ ,  $s = 1, 2, \dots$ . Consider the difference (cf. (13)):

$$\begin{aligned} W_{2^{p_s+1}, \dots, 2^{p_s+1}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n) - W_{2^{p_s}, \dots, 2^{p_s}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n) &= \\ = 2^{np_s} \left( 2^n \int_{\Gamma_{k;s_0+2s+1;v_1^{(s_0+2s+1)}, \dots, v_n^{(s_0+2s+1)}} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n - \right. \\ \left. - \int_{\Gamma_{k;s_0+2s;v_1^{(s_0+2s)}, \dots, v_n^{(s_0+2s)}} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n \right), \quad s = 1, 2, \dots \quad (31) \end{aligned}$$

By (20), (26), (27), (28) and (29), for the first integral we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_{\Gamma_{k;s_0+2s+1;v_1^{(s_0+2s+1)}, \dots, v_n^{(s_0+2s+1)}} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n \geq \\ &\geq \int_{\Gamma_{k;s_0+2s+1;v_1^{(s_0+2s+1)}, \dots, v_n^{(s_0+2s+1)}} f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n - \\ &- \int_{\Gamma_{k;s_0+2s+1;v_1^{(s_0+2s+1)}, \dots, v_n^{(s_0+2s+1)}} |f(t_1, \dots, t_n) - f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n)| dt_1 \cdots dt_n \geq \\ &\geq \int_{\Gamma_{k;s_0+2s+1;0, \dots, 0}} f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n - \\ &- \mu G_{i+1} \cap \Gamma_{k;s_0+2s+1;v_1^{(s_0+2s+1)}, \dots, v_n^{(s_0+2s+1)}} \geq a_i \left( 2^{-np_s-2n} + \right. \\ &\left. + n(n-1)2^{-np_s-1} \left( \frac{16 \cdot 2^{-4n}}{1-4 \cdot 2^{-2n}} - \frac{3 \cdot 2^{-4n}}{1-2^{-2n}} \right) - 2^{-np_s-9n-1} \right), \quad (32) \\ &\quad s = 1, 2, \dots \end{aligned}$$

By (20), (26), (27), (28) and (30)

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \int_{\Gamma_{k;s_0+2s;v_1^{(s_0+2s)}, \dots, v_n^{(s_0+2s)}}^{(i)}} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n \right| \leq \\
& \leq \int_{\Gamma_{k;s_0+2s;0, \dots, 0}^{(i)}} f_i(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n + \mu G_{i+1} \cap \Gamma_{k;s_0+2s;v_1^{(s_0+2s)}, \dots, v_n^{(s_0+2s)}}^{(i)} \leq \\
& \leq a_i \left( n(n-1) 2^{-np_s-1} \left( \frac{32 \cdot 2^{-4n}}{1 - 4 \cdot 2^{-2n}} - \frac{3 \cdot 2^{-4n}}{1 - 2^{-2n}} \right) + 2^{-np_s-8n-1} \right), \quad (33) \\
& s = 1, 2, \dots
\end{aligned}$$

It follows from (31), (32) and (33) that

$$\begin{aligned}
& |W_{2^{p_s+1}, \dots, 2^{p_s+1}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n) - W_{2^{p_s}, \dots, 2^{p_s}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n)| > \\
& > 2^{-2n}, \quad s = 1, 2, \dots \quad (34)
\end{aligned}$$

Let us first consider Case II.

Let  $d_i = r_{m_i}^{(i)}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots$ . Then (cf. (13), (21), (26)–(28), (30))

$$\begin{aligned}
& |W_{2^{d_{2i}}, \dots, 2^{d_{2i}}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n) - W_{2^{d_{2i-1}}, \dots, 2^{d_{2i-1}}}(f, x_1, \dots, x_n)| = \\
& = \left| 2^{nd_{2i}} \int_{\Gamma_{m_{2i}}^{(2i)}} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n - \right. \\
& \quad \left. - 2^{nd_{2i-1}} \int_{\Gamma_{m_{2i-1}}^{(2i-1)}} f(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n \right| \geq \\
& \geq \left| 2^{nd_{2i}} \left( \int_{\Gamma_{m_{2i}}^{(2i)}} f_{2i}(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n - \mu G_{2i+1} \cap \Gamma_{m_{2i}}^{(2i)} \right) - \right. \\
& \quad \left. - 2^{nd_{2i-1}} \left( \int_{\Gamma_{m_{2i-1}}^{(2i-1)}} f_{2i-1}(t_1, \dots, t_n) dt_1 \cdots dt_n + \mu G_{2i} \cap \Gamma_{m_{2i-1}}^{(2i-1)} \right) \right| > \\
& > 2^{-4n}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots \quad (35)
\end{aligned}$$

Thus the sequence of diagonal partial sums of  $n$ -fold Fourier-Walsh series of  $f$  diverges for every  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in E$  (cf. (34), (35)).

By equality (18) the evaluations (34) and (35) are true for the partial sums of  $n$ -fold Fourier-Haar series. Consequently the following theorem is true.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.** *For arbitrary subset  $E$  of measure zero of  $n$ -dimensional cube  $[0, 1]^n$  there exists a bounded measurable function  $f$  given on  $[0, 1]^n$*

such that the sequence of diagonal partial sums

$$\sum_{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n=0}^m b_{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n}(f) \chi_{p_1}(x_1) \chi_{p_2}(x_2) \cdots \chi_{p_n}(x_n), \quad m = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

of  $n$ -fold Fourier–Haar series of  $f$  diverges for every  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in E$ .

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