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# **On multiple Walsh–Fourier coefficients of functions** of $\phi - \Lambda$ -bounded variation

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Abstract Here, we have estimated the order of magnitude of multiple Walsh-Fourier coefficients of functions of  $\phi(\Lambda^1, \ldots, \Lambda^N) BV([0, 1]^N)$ .

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$$M([0,1]^N)BV([0,1]^N)$$
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# **1** Introduction

In 2011, Móricz and Veres [6] obtained sufficiency condition for the absolute convergence of double Walsh-Fourier series. Recently, the order of magnitude of Walsh-Fourier coefficients of functions of the class  $\Lambda BV(p(n) \uparrow \infty, \varphi, [0, 1])$  is estimated [2]. Here, we have estimated the order of magnitude of multiple Walsh–Fourier coefficients of functions of the class  $\phi(\Lambda^1, \dots, \Lambda^N) BV([0, 1]^N)$ .

# 2 Notations and definitions

In the sequel  $\mathbb{I} = [0, 1); \mathbb{N}_0 = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\} = \{0, 1, 2, \ldots\}, \mathbb{L}$  is a class of non-decreasing sequences  $\Lambda = \{\lambda_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of positive numbers, such that  $\sum_{n=1}^{n-1} \frac{1}{\lambda_n}$  diverges, and  $\phi$  is an increasing convex function defined on the nonnegative real numbers, such that  $\phi(0) = 0$ ,  $\frac{\phi(x)}{x} \to 0$  as  $x \to 0$  and  $\frac{\phi(x)}{x} \to \infty$  as  $x \to \infty$ . The function  $\phi$  is said to have property  $\Delta_2$  if there is a constant  $d \ge 2$  such that  $\phi(2x) \le d\phi(x)$  for all

x > 0.

Consider function f on  $\mathbb{R}^k$ . For k = 1 and I = [a, b], define  $\Delta f_a^b = f(I) = f(b) - f(a)$ . For k = 2, I = [a, b] and J = [c, d], define

$$\Delta f_{(a,c)}^{(b,d)} = f(I \times J) = f(I,d) - f(I,c) = f(b,d) - f(a,d) - f(b,c) + f(a,c)$$

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**Definition 2.1** For a given  $\bigwedge = (\Lambda^1, \Lambda^2)$ , where  $\Lambda^k = \{\lambda_n^k\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \in \mathbb{L}$ , for k = 1, 2, a complex valued measurable function f defined on a rectangle  $R^2 := [a, b] \times [c, d]$  is said to be of  $\phi - \bigwedge$ -bounded variation (that is,  $f \in \phi \bigwedge BV(R^2)$ ) if

$$V_{\bigwedge_{\phi}}(f, R^2) = \sup_{I_1, I_2} \left( \sum_j \sum_k \frac{\phi(|f(I_j \times I_k)|)}{\lambda_j^1 \lambda_k^2} \right) < \infty,$$

where  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  are finite collections of nonoverlapping subintervals  $\{I_j\}$  and  $\{I_k\}$  in [a, b] and [c, d], respectively.

Observe that a function  $f \in \phi \bigwedge BV(R^2)$  need not be bounded.

Consider [4, Example 1.19(i), p. 23]  $f : [0, 1]^2 \to \mathbb{R}$  defined by

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y}, & \text{if } x \neq 0 \text{ and } y \neq 0, \\ \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0 \text{ and } y = 0, \\ \frac{1}{y}, & \text{if } x = 0 \text{ and } y \neq 0, \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \text{ and } y = 0. \end{cases}$$

Then,  $V_{\bigwedge_{\phi}}(f, [0, 1]^2) = 0$ . Thus, unbounded function  $f \in \phi \bigwedge BV([0, 1]^2)$ .

If  $f \in \phi \bigwedge BV(R^2)$  is such that the marginal functions  $f(a, .) \in \phi \Lambda^2 BV([c, d])$  and  $f(., c) \in \phi \Lambda^1 BV([a, b])$  (see [7, Definition 2, p. 770]), then f is said to be of  $\phi - \bigwedge^*$ -bounded variation (that is,  $f \in \phi \bigwedge^* BV(R^2)$ ).

Observe that for  $\phi(x) = x$  (and  $\phi(x) = x^p$ , p = 1), the conditions  $\frac{\phi(x)}{x} \to 0$  as  $x \to 0$  and  $\frac{\phi(x)}{x} \to \infty$  as  $x \to \infty$  are not valid.

Note that, for  $\phi(x) = x$  and  $\Lambda^1 = \Lambda^2 = \{1\}$  (that is,  $\lambda_n^1 = \lambda_n^2 = 1$ , for all *n*), the classes  $\phi \land BV(R^2)$  and  $\phi \land^* BV(R^2)$  reduce to the classes  $BV_V(R^2)$  of functions of bounded variation in the sense of Vitali (refer [5, p. 279] for the definition of  $BV_V(R^2)$ ) and  $BV_H(R^2)$  of functions of bounded variation in the sense of Hardy (refer [5, p. 280] for the definition of  $BV_H(R^2)$ ), respectively; for  $\phi(x) = x$ , the classes  $\phi \land BV(R^2)$  and  $\phi \land^* BV(R^2)$  reduce to the classes  $\land BV(R^2)$  (see [1, Definition 2, p. 8]) and  $\land^* BV(R^2)$  (see [3, Definition 2, p. 398]), respectively; and for  $\phi(x) = x^p$  ( $p \ge 1$ ), the classes  $\phi \land BV(R^2)$  reduce to the classes  $\land BV(R^2)$  (see [8, Definition 1.2]) and  $\land^* BV(R^2)$ , respectively.

Let  $\{\psi_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0}$  denote the complete orthonormal Walsh system defined on the interval [0,1] in the Paley enumeration, where the subscript denotes the number of zeros (that is, sign changes) in the interior of the interval [0,1].

Any  $x \in \mathbb{I}$  can be written as

$$x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_k 2^{-(k+1)}$$
, each  $x_k = 0$  or 1.

For any  $x \in \mathbb{I} \setminus Q$ , there is only one expression of this form, where Q is a class of dyadic rationals in I. When  $x \in Q$ , there are two expressions of this form, one which terminates in 0s and the other which terminates in 1s.

For any  $x, y \in \mathbb{I}$ , their dyadic sum is defined as

$$x + y = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |x_k - y_k| 2^{-(k+1)}$$

Observed that, for each  $m \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , we have

$$\psi_m(x \dotplus y) = \psi_m(x) \ \psi_m(y), \ x, y \in \mathbb{I}, \ x \dotplus y \notin Q.$$

For a real-valued function  $f \in L^1(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2)$ , where f is 1-periodic in each variable, its double Walsh–Fourier series is defined as

$$f(\mathbf{x}) = f(x, y) \sim \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^2} \hat{f}(\mathbf{k}) \ \psi_m(x) \ \psi_n(y) = \sum_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0} \hat{f}(m, n) \ \psi_m(x) \ \psi_n(y),$$

where

$$\hat{f}(\mathbf{k}) = \hat{f}(m,n) = \int \int_{\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2} f(x, y) \,\psi_m(x) \,\psi_n(y) \,\mathrm{d}x \,\mathrm{d}y$$

denotes the kth Walsh–Fourier coefficient of f.

#### **3** New results for functions of two variables

We prove the following results.

**Theorem 3.1** If  $\phi$  satisfies  $\Delta_2$  condition and  $f \in \phi \wedge BV(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2) \cap L^1(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2)$ , then

$$\hat{f}(2^{u}, 2^{v}) = O\left(\phi^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sum_{j=1}^{2^{u}}\sum_{k=1}^{2^{v}}\frac{1}{\lambda_{j}^{1}\lambda_{k}^{2}}}\right)\right).$$
(3.1)

**Corollary 3.2** If  $\phi$  satisfies  $\Delta_2$  condition and  $f \in \phi \bigwedge^* BV(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2)$ , then (3.1) holds true.

# 4 Proof of the results

**Proof of Theorem 3.1.** For fixed  $u, v \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , let  $h_1 = \frac{1}{2^{u+1}}$  and  $h_2 = \frac{1}{2^{v+1}}$ . Take

$$g(x, y) = f\left(x + \frac{1}{2^{u}} + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}}, y + \frac{1}{2^{v}} + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}}\right) - f\left(x, y + \frac{1}{2^{v}} + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}}\right) - f\left(x + \frac{1}{2^{u}} + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}}, y\right) + f(x, y),$$

for all  $(x, y) \in \overline{\mathbb{I}}^2$ . For  $m = 2^u$  and  $n = 2^v$ ,  $\psi_m(h_1) = \psi_n(h_2) = -1$  and  $\psi_m\left(\frac{1}{2^u}\right) = \psi_n\left(\frac{1}{2^v}\right) = 1$  imply that

$$\begin{split} \hat{g}(m,n) &= \psi_m \left(\frac{1}{2^u}\right) \psi_m \left(\frac{1}{2^{u+1}}\right) \psi_n \left(\frac{1}{2^v}\right) \psi_n \left(\frac{1}{2^{v+1}}\right) \hat{f}(m,n) \\ &- \psi_n \left(\frac{1}{2^v}\right) \psi_n \left(\frac{1}{2^{v+1}}\right) \hat{f}(m,n) - \psi_m \left(\frac{1}{2^u}\right) \psi_m \left(\frac{1}{2^{u+1}}\right) \hat{f}(m,n) + \hat{f}(m,n) \\ &= 4\hat{f}(m,n) \end{split}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} 4|\hat{f}(m,n)| &\leq \int \int_{\overline{\mathbb{T}}^2} \left| f\left( x + \frac{1}{2^u} + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}}, y + \frac{1}{2^v} + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) - f\left( x, y + \frac{1}{2^v} + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) \right. \\ &- f\left( x + \frac{1}{2^u} + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}}, y \right) + f(x, y) \right| \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int \int_{\overline{\mathbb{T}}^2} \left| f\left( \left( x + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{2^u} + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}} \right), \left( y + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{2^v} + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) \right) \right. \\ &- f\left( x + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}}, \left( y + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{2^v} + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) \right) \\ &- f\left( \left( x + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{2^u} + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}} \right), y + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) \\ &+ f\left( x + \frac{1}{2^{u+1}}, y + \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) \right| \, dx \, dy \end{aligned}$$



$$= \int \int_{\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2} \left| f\left( x \div \frac{1}{2^u}, y \div \frac{1}{2^v} \right) - f\left( x \div \frac{1}{2^{u+1}}, y \div \frac{1}{2^v} \right) \right. \\ \left. - f\left( x \div \frac{1}{2^u}, y \div \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) + f\left( x \div \frac{1}{2^{u+1}}, y \div \frac{1}{2^{v+1}} \right) \right| \, \mathrm{d}x \, \mathrm{d}y.$$

Similarly, we get

$$\begin{aligned} 4|\hat{f}(m,n)| &\leq \int \int_{\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2} \left| f\left( x \dotplus \frac{4}{2^{u+1}}, y \dotplus \frac{4}{2^{v+1}} \right) - f\left( x \dotplus \frac{3}{2^{u+1}}, y \dotplus \frac{4}{2^{v+1}} \right) \right. \\ &\left. - f\left( x \dotplus \frac{4}{2^{u+1}}, y \dotplus \frac{3}{2^{v+1}} \right) + f\left( x \dotplus \frac{3}{2^{u+1}}, y \dotplus \frac{3}{2^{v+1}} \right) \right| \, \mathrm{d}x \, \mathrm{d}y \end{aligned}$$

and in general we have

$$4|\hat{f}(m,n)| \le \int \int_{\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2} |\Delta f_{jk}(x,y)| \,\mathrm{d}x \,\mathrm{d}y,\tag{4.1}$$

where

$$\Delta f_{jk}(x, y) = f\left(x \div \frac{2j}{2^{u+1}}, y \div \frac{2k}{2^{v+1}}\right) - f\left(x \div \frac{(2j-1)}{2^{u+1}}, y \div \frac{2k}{2^{v+1}}\right) - f\left(x \div \frac{2j}{2^{u+1}}, y \div \frac{(2k-1)}{2^{v+1}}\right) + f\left(x \div \frac{(2j-1)}{2^{u+1}}, y \div \frac{(2k-1)}{2^{v+1}}\right),$$

for all  $j = 1, ..., 2^{u} - 1$  and for all  $k = 1, ..., 2^{v} - 1$ .

For c > 0, by Jensen's inequality for integrals, we have

$$\phi(c|\hat{f}(2^{u},2^{v})|) \leq \int \int_{\overline{\mathbb{I}}^{2}} \phi(c|\Delta f_{jk}(x,y)|) \, \mathrm{d}x \, \mathrm{d}y.$$

Dividing both sides of the above inequality by  $\lambda_j^1 \lambda_k^2$  and then summing over j = 1 to  $2^u - 1$  and k = 1 to  $2^v - 1$ , we get

$$\phi(c|\hat{f}(2^{u}, 2^{v})|) \left(\sum_{j=1}^{2^{u}-1} \sum_{k=1}^{2^{v}-1} \frac{1}{\lambda_{j}^{1} \lambda_{k}^{2}}\right) \leq \int \int_{\mathbb{T}^{2}} \left(\sum_{j=1}^{2^{u}-1} \sum_{k=1}^{2^{v}-1} \frac{\phi(c|\Delta f_{jk}(x, y)|)}{\lambda_{j}^{1} \lambda_{k}^{2}}\right) dx dy$$

For any  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ , all these points  $x + 2jh_1$ ,  $x + (2j-1)h_1$ , for  $j = 1, ..., 2^u - 1$ , and  $y + 2kh_2$ ,  $y + (2k-1)h_2$ , for  $k = 1, ..., 2^v - 1$ , lie in the interval of length 1. Thus,

$$\sum_{j=1}^{2^u-1}\sum_{k=1}^{2^v-1}\frac{\phi(c|\Delta f_{jk}(x,y)|)}{\lambda_j^1\,\lambda_k^2} \le V_{\bigwedge_{\phi}}(cf,\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2),$$

as  $\phi$  satisfies  $\Delta_2$  condition implying  $cf \in \phi \bigwedge BV(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2)$ .

Therefore,

$$\phi(c|\hat{f}(2^{u}, 2^{v})|) \leq \frac{V_{\bigwedge\phi}(cf, \bar{\mathbb{I}}^{2})}{\left(\sum_{j=1}^{2^{u}-1} \sum_{k=1}^{2^{v}-1} \frac{1}{\lambda_{j}^{1} \lambda_{k}^{2}}\right)}.$$
(4.2)

Since  $\phi$  is convex and  $\phi(0) = 0$ , for  $c \in (0, 1]$  we have  $\phi(cx) \le c\phi(x)$  and hence we can choose sufficiently small  $c \in (0, 1]$  such that  $V_{\bigwedge \phi}(cf, \overline{\mathbb{I}}^2) \le 1$ . This together with  $\sum_{j=1}^{2^u} \sum_{k=1}^{2^v} \frac{1}{\lambda_j^1 \lambda_k^2} \approx \sum_{j=1}^{2^u-1} \sum_{k=1}^{2^v-1} \frac{1}{\lambda_j^1 \lambda_k^2}$  and the above inequality (4.2) imply that

$$|\hat{f}(2^{u}, 2^{v})| \leq \frac{1}{c} \phi^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sum_{j=1}^{2^{u}} \sum_{k=1}^{2^{v}} \frac{1}{\lambda_{j}^{1} \lambda_{k}^{2}}} \right).$$

This completes the proof of the theorem.



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*Proof of Corollary 3.2* For any  $f \in \phi \bigwedge^* BV(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2)$ ,

$$\begin{split} |f(x, y)| &\leq |f(0, 0)| + |f(x, y) - f(0, y) - f(x, 0) + f(0, 0)| + |f(0, y) - f(0, 0)| \\ &+ |f(x, 0) - f(0, 0)| \\ &\leq |f(0, 0)| + (\lambda_1^1 \lambda_1^2) \phi^{-1}(V_{\bigwedge \phi}(f, \overline{\mathbb{I}}^2)) + (\lambda_1^2) \phi^{-1}(V_{\bigwedge \phi}^2(f(0, .), \overline{\mathbb{I}})) \\ &+ (\lambda_1^1) \phi^{-1}(V_{\bigwedge \phi}^1(f(., 0), \overline{\mathbb{I}})) \end{split}$$

implies that f is bounded on  $\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2$ .

Since  $\phi \bigwedge^* BV(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2) \subset \phi \bigwedge BV(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^2)$ , the corollary follows from the Theorem 3.1.

# 5 Extension of the results for functions of several variables

Let  $I^k = [a_k, b_k] \subset \mathbb{R}$ , for k = 1, 2, ..., N. In Sect. 2 above, we defined  $f(I^1)$  for a function f of one variable and  $f(I^1 \times I^2)$  for a function f of two variables. Similarly, for a function f on  $\mathbb{R}^N$ , by induction, defining the expression  $f(I^1 \times \cdots \times I^{N-1})$  for a function of N - 1 variables, one gets

$$f(I^1 \times \cdots \times I^N) = f(I^1 \times \cdots \times I^{N-1}, b_N) - f(I^1 \times \cdots \times I^{N-1}, a_N).$$

Observe that  $f(I^1 \times \cdots \times I^N)$  can also be expressed as

$$f(I^1 \times \cdots \times I^N) = \Delta f_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{b}} = \sum_{\mathbf{c}} k(\mathbf{c}) f(\mathbf{c}),$$

where  $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_N)$ ,  $\mathbf{b} = (b_1, b_2, \dots, b_N) \in \mathbb{R}^N$ , the summation is over all  $\mathbf{c} = (c_1, c_2, \dots, c_N) \in \mathbb{R}^N$  such that  $c_i \in \{a_i, b_i\}$ , for  $i = 1, \dots, N$ , and for any such  $\mathbf{c}$ ,  $k(\mathbf{c}) = k_1 \dots k_N$ , in which, for  $1 \le i \le N$ ,

$$k_i = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } c_i = b_i, \\ -1, & \text{if } c_i = a_i. \end{cases}$$

Then, for N = 1, we get

$$f(I^1) = \Delta f_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{b}} = \Delta f_{a_1}^{b_1} = \sum_{c_1} k(\mathbf{c}) f(\mathbf{c}) = f(b_1) - f(a_1)$$

For N = 2, we get

$$f(I^{1} \times I^{2}) = \Delta f_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{b}} = \Delta f_{(a_{1},a_{2})}^{(b_{1},b_{2})} = \sum_{(c_{1},c_{2})} k(\mathbf{c}) f(\mathbf{c})$$
$$= f(b_{1},b_{2}) + f(a_{1},a_{2}) - f(b_{1},a_{2}) - f(a_{1},b_{2}).$$

Similarly, for N = 3, we get

$$f(I^{1} \times I^{2} \times I^{3}) = \Delta f_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{b}} = \Delta f_{(a_{1},a_{2},a_{3})}^{(b_{1},b_{2},b_{3})} = \sum_{(c_{1},c_{2},c_{3})} k(\mathbf{c}) f(\mathbf{c})$$
  
=  $f(b_{1}, b_{2}, b_{3}) + f(b_{1}, a_{2}, a_{3}) + f(a_{1}, b_{2}, a_{3}) + f(a_{1}, a_{2}, b_{3})$   
 $- f(b_{1}, b_{2}, a_{3}) - f(a_{1}, b_{2}, b_{3}) - f(b_{1}, a_{2}, b_{3}) - f(a_{1}, a_{2}, a_{3}).$ 

For a given  $\bigwedge = (\Lambda^1, \dots, \Lambda^N)$ , where  $\Lambda^k = \{\lambda_n^k\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \in \mathbb{L}$ , for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$ , a complex valued measurable function f defined on  $\mathbb{R}^N := \prod_{k=1}^N [a_k, b_k]$  is said to be of  $\phi - \bigwedge$ -bounded variation (that is,  $f \in \phi \bigwedge BV(\mathbb{R}^N)$ ) if

$$V_{\bigwedge \phi}(f, \mathbb{R}^N) = \sup_{I^1, \dots, I^N} \left( \sum_{k_1} \cdots \sum_{k_N} \frac{\phi(|f(I_{k_1}^1 \times \cdots \times I_{k_N}^N)|)}{\lambda_{k_1}^1 \dots \lambda_{k_N}^N} \right) < \infty,$$



where  $I^1, \ldots, I^{N-1}$  and  $I^N$  are finite collections of nonoverlapping subintervals  $\{I_{k_1}^1\}, \ldots, \{I_{k_{N-1}}^{N-1}\}$  and  $\{I_{k_N}^N\}$ in  $[a_1, b_1], \ldots, [a_{N-1}, b_{N-1}]$  and  $[a_N, b_N]$ , respectively. Moreover,  $f \in \phi \bigwedge BV(\mathbb{R}^N)$  is said to be of  $\phi - \bigwedge^*$ -bounded variation (that is,  $f \in \phi \bigwedge^* BV(\mathbb{R}^N)$ ) if

for each of its marginal functions

$$f(x_1, ..., x_{i-1}, a_i, x_{i+1}, ..., x_N) \in \phi(\Lambda^1, ..., \Lambda^{i-1}, \Lambda^{i+1}, ..., \Lambda^N)^* BV(\mathbb{R}^N(a_i))$$

for all  $i = 1, 2, \ldots, N$ , where

$$R^{N}(a_{i}) = \{(x_{1}, \dots, x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_{N}) \in \mathbb{R}^{N-1} : x_{k} \in [a_{k}, b_{k}] \text{ for } k = 1, \dots, i-1, i+1, \dots, N\}.$$

Note that, for  $\phi(x) = x$  and  $\Lambda^1 = \dots = \Lambda^N = \{1\}$ , the classes  $\phi \wedge BV(R^N)$  and  $\phi \wedge^* BV(R^N)$  reduce to the classes  $BV_V(R^N)$  and  $BV_H(R^N)$ , respectively; for  $\phi(x) = x$ , the classes  $\phi \wedge BV(R^N)$  and  $\phi \wedge^* BV(R^N)$  reduce to the classes  $\wedge BV(R^N)$  and  $\wedge^* BV(R^N)$ , respectively; and for  $\phi(x) = x^p$  ( $p \ge 1$ ), the classes  $\phi \wedge BV(R^N)$  and  $\phi \wedge^* BV(R^N)$  reduce to the classes  $\wedge BV(R^N)$  and  $\wedge^* BV(R^N)$ , respectively. It is easy to prove that  $f \in \phi \wedge^* BV(R^N)$  implies f is bounded on  $R^N$ .

For a real-valued function  $f \in L^1(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^N)$ , where f is 1-periodic in each variable, its multiple Walsh–Fourier series is defined as

$$f(\mathbf{x}) = f(x_1, \dots, x_N) \sim \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^N} \hat{f}(\mathbf{k}) \ \psi_{k_1}(x_1) \dots \psi_{k_N}(x_N)$$
$$= \sum_{k_1 \in \mathbb{N}_0} \cdots \sum_{k_N \in \mathbb{N}_0} \hat{f}(k_1, \dots, k_N) \ \psi_{k_1}(x_1) \dots \psi_{k_N}(x_N),$$

where

$$\hat{f}(\mathbf{k}) = \int \cdots \int_{\overline{\mathbb{I}}^N} f(\mathbf{x}) \ \psi_{k_1}(x_1) \dots \psi_{k_N}(x_N) \ d\mathbf{x}$$
$$= \int \cdots \int_{\overline{\mathbb{I}}^N} f(x_1, \dots, x_N) \ \psi_{k_1}(x_1) \dots \psi_{k_N}(x_N) \ dx_1 \dots dx_N$$

denotes the **k**th Walsh–Fourier coefficient of f.

Now, we extend the above-mentioned results for higher-dimensional spaces in the following way.

**Theorem 5.1** If  $\phi$  satisfies  $\Delta_2$  condition and  $f \in \phi \bigwedge BV(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^N) \cap L^1(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^N)$ , then

$$\hat{f}(2^{u_1}, \dots, 2^{u_N}) = O\left(\phi^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sum_{r_1=1}^{2^{u_1}} \cdots \sum_{r_N=1}^{2^{u_N}} \frac{1}{\lambda_{r_1}^1 \dots \lambda_{r_N}^N}}\right)\right).$$
(5.1)

**Corollary 5.2** If  $\phi$  satisfies  $\Delta_2$  condition and  $f \in \phi \wedge^* BV(\overline{\mathbb{I}}^N)$ , then (5.1) holds true.

The extended results of this section can be proved in the same way as we proved the results in Sect. 4.

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