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Assignment 4

Problem 7.2.4 in Chung

4 Prove the sufficiency part of Theorem 7.2.1 without using Theorem 7.1.2, but by elaborating the proof of the latter. [HINT: Use the expansion

$$e^{itx} = 1 + itx + \theta \frac{(tx)^2}{2}$$
 for $|x| > \eta$

and

$$e^{itx} = 1 + itx - \frac{(tx)^2}{2} + \theta' \frac{|tx|^3}{6}$$
 for $|x| \le \eta$

As a matter of fact, Lindeberg's original proof does not even use ch.f.'s; see Feller [13, vol.2].]

Proof. From pg. 179 in Chung, θ and θ' denote a "generic" complex number of modulus ≤ 1 .