

Nonisotropic dilations and the Calderón-Zygmund method of rotations with weight

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§1. Maximal functions and singular integrals along curves.

dilation group on \mathbb{R}^n defined by

$$A_t = t^P = \exp((\log t)P),$$

where P is an $n \times n$ real matrix whose eigenvalues have positive real parts. We assume $n \geq 2$. We can define a norm function r on \mathbb{R}^n from $\{A_t\}_{t>0}$ such that

- (1) $r(x) \geq 0$, $r(x) = r(-x)$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $r(x) = 0$ if and only if $x = 0$;
- (2) r is continuous on \mathbb{R}^n and infinitely differentiable in $\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$;
- (3) $r(A_t x) = tr(x)$ for all $t > 0$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$;
- (4) $r(x + y) \leq C(r(x) + r(y))$ for some $C > 0$;
- (5) $\Sigma = \{\theta \in \mathbb{R}^n : \langle B\theta, \theta \rangle = 1\}$ for a positive symmetric matrix B , where $\Sigma = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : r(x) = 1\}$ and $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ denotes the Euclidean inner product in \mathbb{R}^n ;

(6) $dx = t^{\gamma-1} d\mu dt$, that is,

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(x) dx = \int_0^\infty \int_{\Sigma} f(A_t \theta) t^{\gamma-1} d\mu(\theta) dt, \quad d\mu = \omega d\mu_0,$$

where ω is a strictly positive C^∞ function on Σ , $d\mu_0$ is the Lebesgue surface measure on Σ and $\gamma = \text{trace } P$;

(7) there are positive constants $c_1, c_2, c_3, c_4, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \beta_1$ and β_2 such that

$$\begin{aligned} c_1 |x|^{\alpha_1} &< r(x) < c_2 |x|^{\alpha_2} \quad \text{if } r(x) \geq 1, \\ c_3 |x|^{\beta_1} &< r(x) < c_4 |x|^{\beta_2} \quad \text{if } 0 < r(x) \leq 1. \end{aligned}$$

For $t < 0$, define A_t by $A_t = (\text{sgn } t) A_{|t|} = -A_{|t|}$.

Let S^{n-1} denote the unit sphere of \mathbb{R}^n . For $(x, \theta) \in \mathbb{R}^n \times S^{n-1}$, we define

$$Mf(x, \theta) = \sup_{h>0} h^{-1} \left| \int_0^h f(x - A_t \theta) dt \right| ,$$

$$Hf(x, \theta) = \text{p.v.} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x - A_t \theta) dt/t ,$$

$$H_*f(x, \theta) = \sup_{0<\epsilon<R} \left| \int_{\epsilon<|t|<R} f(x - A_t \theta) dt/t \right| .$$

Let w be a weight function. We recall that

$$\|F\|_{L_w^p(L^q)} = \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left(\int_{S^{n-1}} |F(x, \theta)|^q d\sigma(\theta) \right)^{p/q} w(x) dx \right)^{1/p}$$

for functions $F \in L_w^p(L^q(S^{n-1}))$, with usual modifications when $q = \infty$ or $p = \infty$, where $d\sigma$ denotes the Lebesgue surface measure on S^{n-1} .

Also, we write

$$\|f\|_{L_w^p} = \|fw^{1/p}\|_{L^p} = \|fw^{1/p}\|_p$$

for $f \in L_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

For $1 \leq p, q \leq \infty$, let $\Delta_{(p,q)} \subset [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ be the interior of the convex hull of the points $(0, 0)$, $(1, 1)$, $(0, 1)$, $(1/p, 1/q)$. Put

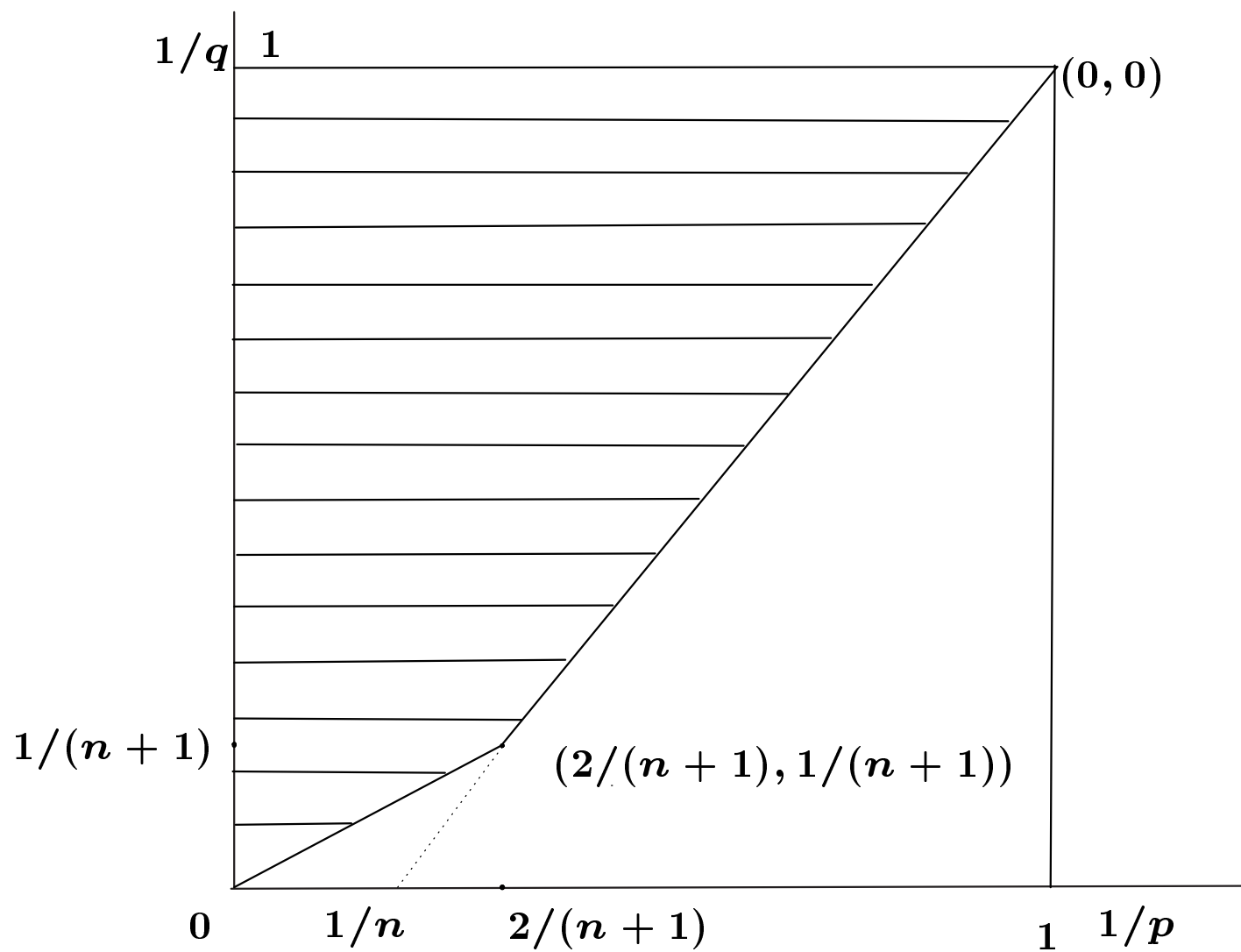
$$q_n(p) = p(n-1)/(n-p), \quad p_n = \max(2, (n+1)/2),$$

$$q_n(p) = \infty, \quad p \geq n.$$

Then, the following result was proved by M. Christ, J. Duoandikoetxea and J. L. Rubio de Francia (1986).

Theorem A. Suppose $P = E$ (the identity matrix). Let $(1/p, 1/q) \in \Delta_{(p_n, q_n(p_n))}$. Then,

$$M, H, H_* : L^p(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow L^p(L^q).$$



Theorem A for M, H was extended to the case of nonisotropic dilations by Bez (2008) as follows.

Theorem B.

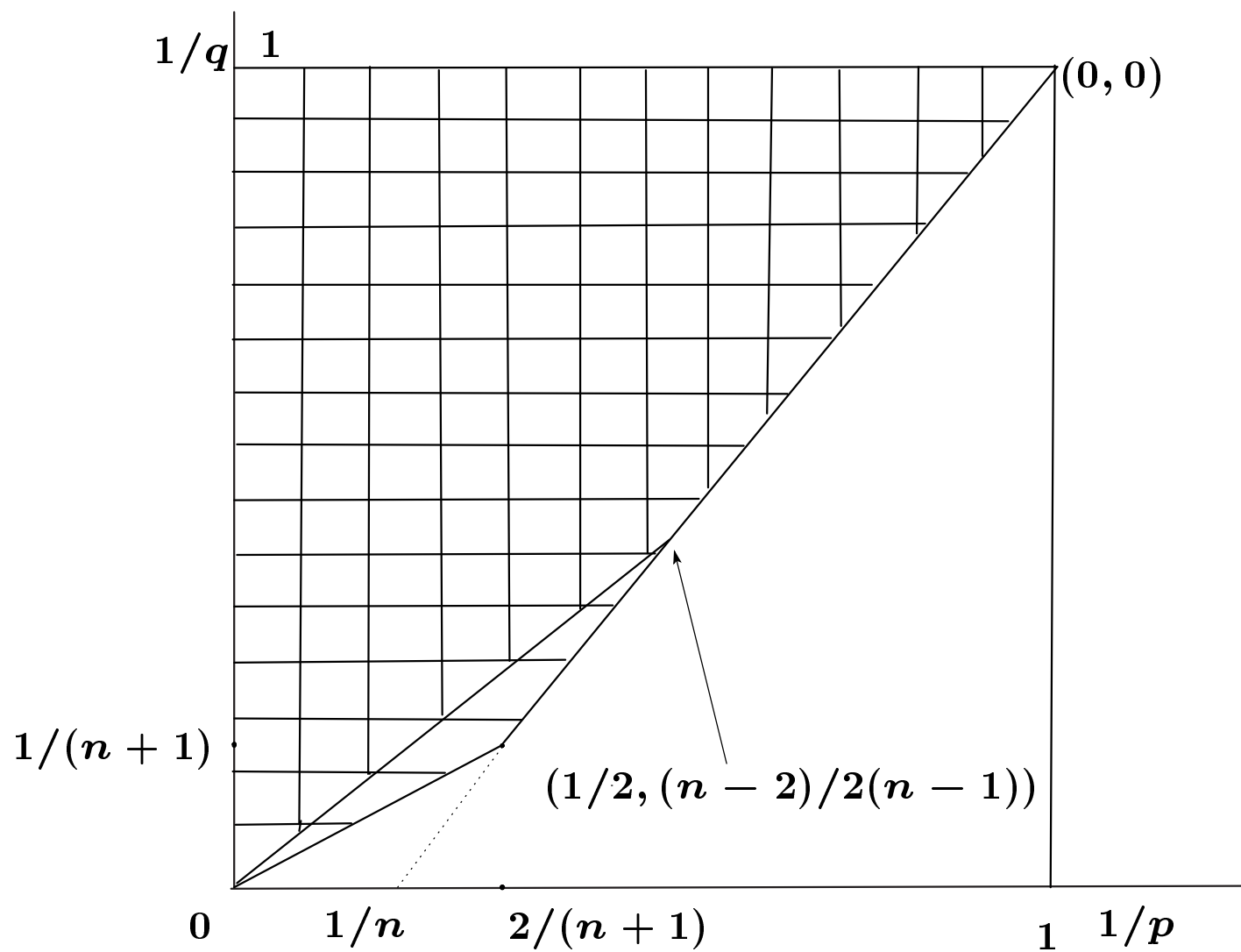
(1) If $(1/p, 1/q) \in \Delta_{(p_n, q_n(p_n))}$,

$$M : L^p(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow L^p(L^q);$$

(2)

$$H : L^p(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow L^p(L^q)$$

whenever $(1/p, 1/q) \in \Delta_{(2, q_n(2))}$.



We assume that $\Sigma = S^{n-1}$, $d\mu = \omega d\sigma$ and ω is even.

Theorem 1. Suppose that $(1/p, 1/q) \in \Delta_{(2, q_n(2))}$. Then,

$$H_* : L^p(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow L^p(L^q).$$

We recall the following result for H_* shown by Lung-Kee Chen (1988).

Theorem C. Suppose $n = 2$ and $P = \text{diag}(\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$ with $1 < \alpha_2/\alpha_1 < 4/3$. Then, H_* is bounded from $L^p(\mathbb{R}^2)$ to $L^p(L^q(S^1))$ whenever $(1/p, 1/q) \in \Delta_{(2,4)}$.

Theorem 1 improves on Theorem C, when $n = 2$. It is known that if H is bounded from L^p to $L^p(L^q)$, $p \in (1, \infty)$, then $q \leq q_n(p)$. This implies the same result for H_* . Thus, in particular, we can see that Theorem 1 is a sharp result when $n = 2$ (we note that $\Delta_{(2, q_2(2))} = \Delta_{(2, \infty)}$).

If B is a subset of \mathbb{R}^n such that $B = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : r(x - a) < t\}$ for some $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $t > 0$, then we call B an r -ball. Let w be a weight function on \mathbb{R}^n . For $1 \leq p < \infty$, we recall the Muckenhoupt class \mathcal{A}_p . We say $w \in \mathcal{A}_p$, $1 < p < \infty$, if

$$\sup_B \left(|B|^{-1} \int_B w(x) dx \right) \left(|B|^{-1} \int_B w(x)^{-1/(p-1)} dx \right)^{p-1} < \infty,$$

where the supremum is taken over all r -balls B . The class \mathcal{A}_1 is defined to be the set of weight functions w satisfying

$$M_{HL}w \leq Cw \text{ a.e.}$$

where M_{HL} is the Hardy-Littlewood maximal operator defined by

$$M_{HL}g(x) = \sup_{t>0} t^{-\gamma} \int_{r(x-y)<t} |g(y)| dy.$$

We note that $\mathcal{A}_p \subset \mathcal{A}_u$ if $p \leq u$. We shall prove the following weighted estimates.

Theorem 2. Let $2 \leq q < q_n(2)$. Then,

$$M, H, H_* : L_w^2(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow L_w^2(L^q)$$

for $w \in \mathcal{A}_1^\tau$, $\tau = 2(n-1)/q - n + 2$, where \mathcal{A}_1^τ is a subclass of \mathcal{A}_1 defined by $\mathcal{A}_1^\tau = \{v^\tau : v \in \mathcal{A}_1\}$.

By Stein-Wainger (1978) we know that the operator H_* is bounded from $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ to $L^p(L^p)$, $1 < p < \infty$, so Theorem 1 follows by interpolation from the part of Theorem 2 concerning H_* with $w = 1$.

Theorem 2 implies in particular

$$\int_{S^{n-1}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |Mf(x, \theta)|^2 |x|^\alpha dx d\sigma(\theta) \leq C \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |f(x)|^2 |x|^\alpha dx$$

for

$$-n < \alpha \leq 0,$$

where

$$Mf(x, \theta) = \sup_{h>0} h^{-1} \left| \int_0^h f(x - t\theta) dt \right|.$$

Difference between the cases of isotropic dilation and nonisotropic dilation.

- In the case of nonisotropic dilations, to get necessary estimates for the maximal operator M near $(1/p_n, 1/q_n(p_n))$ we cannot apply a result for the X-ray transform X of M. Christ (1984) in the same way as in the case of nonisotropic dilation, where

$$Xf(x, \theta) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, t\theta) dt, \quad (x, \theta) \in S,$$

$$S = \{(x, \theta) \in \mathbb{R}^n \times S^{n-1} : \langle x, \theta \rangle = 0\};$$

then

$$X : L^{(n+1)/2}(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow L^{n+1}(S, d\nu), \quad d\nu(x, \theta) = d\lambda_\theta(x) d\sigma(\theta),$$

with $d\lambda_\theta(x)$ denoting $n - 1$ dimensional Lebesgue measure on the hyperplane $\{x : \langle x, \theta \rangle = 0\}$.

- In the case of nonisotropic dilations, the maximal operator M cannot be used to control H, H_* as in the case of nonisotropic dilation; a reason for this is that certain weighted inequalities which will be required in the arguments are not yet available in the case of nonisotropic dilations.
- In the case of nonisotropic dilations, to estimate the maximal operator M near $(1/p_n, 1/q_n(p_n))$, Bez (2008) applied a result of P. Gressman, L^p -improving properties of X-ray like transforms, Math. Res. Lett. 13 (2006), 10001–10017.
- Bez (2008) proved certain estimates for trigonometric integrals by using the decay estimates for the Fourier transform of $d\sigma$.
- Consequently, Bez (2008) can prove boundedness of the maximal operator M in the same range of $(1/p, 1/q)$ as in the case of isotropic dilations.

§2. Applications.

Let $K(x, y)$ be a kernel on $\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n$ such that

$$K(x, A_t y) = t^{-\gamma} K(x, y) \quad \text{for all } t > 0 \text{ and } (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^n \times (\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}).$$

We assume that $K(x, y)$ is locally integrable with respect to y in $\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$ and

$$\int_{a \leq r(y) \leq b} K(x, y) dy = 0 \quad \text{for all } a, b, 0 < a < b,$$

for every $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$. We consider the singular integral

$$Tf(x) = \text{p.v.} \int K(x, y) f(x - y) dy = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{r(y) \geq \epsilon} K(x, y) f(x - y) dy,$$

and the maximal singular integral

$$T_* f(x) = \sup_{\epsilon, R > 0} \left| \int_{\epsilon \leq r(y) \leq R} K(x, y) f(x - y) dy \right|.$$

We can apply Theorems 1 and 2 to study mapping properties of T and T_* .

Theorem 3. Let $(1/p, 1/q') \in \Delta_{(2, q_n(2))}$, $q' = q/(q-1)$. Suppose that $K(x, y)$ is odd in y , that is, $K(x, -y) = -K(x, y)$ for all $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^n \times (\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\})$ and suppose that

$$\sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} \left(\int_{S^{n-1}} |K(x, \theta)|^q d\sigma(\theta) \right)^{1/q} = \|K\|_{L^\infty(L^q)} < \infty.$$

Then, T_* is bounded on $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

This is an analogue for T_* of Theorem 12 of Bez (2008) concerning T . Theorem 3 is an extension to the case of nonisotropic dilations of a result due to M. Cowling and G. Mauceri (1985) for isotropic dilation.

Theorem 4. Let $2(n-1)/n < q \leq 2$, $w \in \mathcal{A}_1$. Suppose that $\|K\|_{L^\infty(L^q)} < \infty$. Then, T and T_* are bounded on L_w^2 , $w \in \mathcal{A}_1^\tau$, $\tau = n - 2(n-1)/q$.

Since $w^b \in \mathcal{A}_1$ for some $b > 1$ when $b \in \mathcal{A}_1$, from Theorem 4 we readily obtain the following result.

Corollary. Suppose that $\|K\|_{L^\infty(L^q)} < \infty$ for all $q < 2$. Then, T and T_* are bounded on L_w^2 for all $w \in \mathcal{A}_1$.

Using this result and the extrapolation theorem of Rubio de Francia, we can obtain the L_w^p boundedness of T and T_* for $w \in \mathcal{A}_{p/2}$, $p \geq 2$.

Proof of Theorem 3.

The method of rotations of Calderón-Zygmund and Hölder's inequality imply

$$\begin{aligned} T_* f(x) &\leq C \int_{S^{n-1}} |K(x, \theta)| H_* f(x, \theta) d\sigma(\theta) \\ &\leq C \|K\|_{L^\infty(L^q(S^{n-1}))} \|H_* f(x, \cdot)\|_{L^{q'}}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the conclusion follows from Theorem 1.

Similarly, Theorem 4 follows from Theorem 2.

Remark 1.

Introducing nonisotropic Riesz transforms, we expect that Theorems 3, 4 extend to the case where kernels $K(x, y)$ are even in y .

§3. $L_w^2(L^q)$ estimates for maximal functions.

§4. $L_w^2(L^q)$ estimates for H .

§5. $L_w^2(L^q)$ estimates for H_* .

Idea of proof.

Theory of Duoandikoetxea and Rubio de Francia (1986):

- Orthogonality arguments with L^2 estimates via
Fourier transform estimates and Plancherel's theorem for vector valued functions
- Sobolev embedding theorem
- Littlewood-Paley theory
- Interpolation arguments

§3. $L_w^2(L^q)$ estimates for maximal functions.

In this section we prove

$$\|Mf\|_{L_w^2(L^q)} \leq C\|f\|_{L_w^2}, \quad 2 \leq q < q_n(2), \quad f \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n),$$

where $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ denotes the Schwartz class, and q and w are related as in Theorem 2.

We denote by \hat{f} the Fourier transform of f :

$$\hat{f}(\xi) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(x) e^{-2\pi i \langle x, \xi \rangle} dx.$$

Let $\{D_k\}_{k=-\infty}^{\infty}$ be a sequence of non-negative functions in $C^\infty((0, \infty))$ such that

$$\text{supp}(D_k) \subset [2^{-k-1}, 2^{-k+1}], \quad \sum_k D_k(t)^2 = 1,$$

$$|(d/dt)^m D_k(t)| \leq c_m/t^m \quad (m = 1, 2, \dots).$$

To apply the Littlewood-Paley theory, we define S_k by

$$(S_k(f))^\wedge(\xi) = D_k(s(\xi))\hat{f}(\xi), \quad k \in \mathbb{Z},$$

where \mathbb{Z} denotes the set of integers, and the norm function $s(\xi)$ is coming from A_t^* (the adjoint). For $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, let

$$N_k f(x, \theta) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x - A_t \theta) \varphi_k(t) dt - \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(x - y) \Phi_{2^k}(y) dy,$$

where $\varphi \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R})$, $\varphi \geq 0$, $\text{supp}(\varphi) \subset (1/2, 2)$, $\int \varphi dt = 1$, $\varphi_k(t) = 2^{-k} \varphi(2^{-k} t)$, and $\Phi \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $\int \Phi dx = 1$. We define $f_t(x) = t^{-\gamma} f(A_t^{-1} x)$, $t > 0$.

Put $\tilde{S}_k = S_k^2$. Then, $\sum_k \tilde{S}_k f = f$. We may assume $f \geq 0$. We note that

$$\begin{aligned}
Mf(x, \theta) &\leq C \sup_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x - A_t \theta) \varphi_k(t) dt \\
&\leq C \sup_k |N_k f(x, \theta)| + CM_{HL}f(x) \\
&\leq C \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\sum_k |N_k \tilde{S}_{j+k} f(x, \theta)|^q \right)^{1/q} + CM_{HL}f(x).
\end{aligned}$$

Let $2 \leq q < q_n(2)$. Since $q \geq 2$, this and the Hardy-Littlewood maximal theorem imply

$$\begin{aligned} \|Mf\|_{L_w^2(L^q)} &\leq C \sum_j \left\| \left(\sum_k \|N_k \tilde{S}_{j+k} f\|_{L^q(S^{n-1})}^q \right)^{1/q} \right\|_{L_w^2} + C \|f\|_{L_w^2} \\ &\leq C \sum_j \left\| \left(\sum_k \|N_k \tilde{S}_{j+k} f\|_{L^q(S^{n-1})}^2 \right)^{1/2} \right\|_{L_w^2} + C \|f\|_{L_w^2}, \end{aligned}$$

for $w \in \mathcal{A}_2$.

We prove the following result.

Lemma 1. If $0 \leq \alpha < 1/2$, then

$$\left\| \left(\sum_k \|N_k \tilde{S}_{j+k} f\|_{L^2_\alpha(S^{n-1})}^2 \right)^{1/2} \right\|_2 \leq C 2^{-\epsilon|j|} \|f\|_2 \quad \text{for some } \epsilon > 0.$$

Proof. Let $0 < a < 1/2 - \alpha$. It suffices to prove

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \|N_k \tilde{S}_{j+k} f(x, \cdot)\|_{L_\alpha^2}^2 dx \\ \leq C \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\hat{f}(\xi)|^2 |D_{k+j}(s(\xi))|^4 \min(|A_{2^k}^* \xi|, |A_{2^k}^* \xi|^{-1})^{2a} d\xi. \end{aligned}$$

Note that $(N_k f(\cdot, \theta))^\wedge(\xi) = \hat{f}(\xi) \Psi(A_{2^k}^* \xi, \theta)$, where

$$\Psi(\xi, \theta) = \Psi_0(\xi, \theta) - \hat{\Phi}(\xi), \quad \Psi_0(\xi, \theta) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp(-2\pi i \langle A_t \theta, \xi \rangle) \varphi(t) dt.$$

Therefore, it suffices to show the pointwise inequality

$$\|\Psi(\xi, \cdot)\|_{L_\alpha^2}^2 \leq C \min(|\xi|, |\xi|^{-1})^{2a}.$$

If $|\xi| \leq 1$, this is easily obtained, since $\Psi(\xi, \theta)$ is C^∞ and vanishes when $\xi = 0$. The estimate for $|\xi| > 1$ follows from the following result of Bez (2008).

Lemma 2. Let $0 < c_1 < c_2$ and $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $|\xi| > 1$. Then

$$\int_{S^{n-1}} \left| \int_{c_1}^{c_2} \exp(i \langle A_t \theta, \xi \rangle) dt \right|^2 d\sigma(\theta) \leq C_\delta |\xi|^{-1+\delta}$$

for all $\delta > 0$.

On the other hand, we can easily see that

$$\|N_k f\|_{L_w^2(L^2)} \leq C \|f\|_{L_{M_{HL}(w)}^2}.$$

Therefore, if $w \in \mathcal{A}_1$, by the Littlewood-Paley inequality we have

$$\left\| \left(\sum_k \|N_k \tilde{S}_{j+k} f\|_{L^2(S^{n-1})}^2 \right)^{1/2} \right\|_{L_w^2}^2 \leq C \sum_k \|\tilde{S}_{j+k} f\|_{L_w^2}^2 \leq C \|f\|_{L_w^2}^2.$$

If $2 \leq q < q_n(2)$, then by the Sobolev embedding theorem we have

$$L^2_\alpha(S^{n-1}) \subset L^q(S^{n-1}) \text{ for some } \alpha = \alpha(q) \in [0, 1/2).$$

Thus, Lemma 1 implies

$$\left\| \left(\sum_k \|N_k \tilde{S}_{j+k} f\|_{L^q(S^{n-1})}^2 \right)^{1/2} \right\|_2 \leq C 2^{-\epsilon|j|} \|f\|_2.$$

for some $\epsilon > 0$. By interpolation with change of measure, we get

$$\left\| \left(\sum_k \|N_k \tilde{S}_{j+k} f\|_{L^q(S^{n-1})}^2 \right)^{1/2} \right\|_{L^2(w^\tau)} \leq C 2^{-\epsilon|j|} \|f\|_{L^2(w^\tau)}$$

for some $\epsilon > 0$, where q and τ are related as in Theorem 2. This implies the desired result.

Remark 2.

Let $0 < c_1 < c_2$ and $\eta, \zeta \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$. Then, we have

$$\left| \int_{c_1}^{c_2} \exp(i \langle A_t \eta, \zeta \rangle) dt \right| \leq C |\langle P \eta, \zeta \rangle|^{-1/d}$$

for some positive constant C independent of η and ζ , where d is the degree of the minimal polynomial of P . We note that this result implies Lemma 2 when $d = 1, 2$.

§4. $L_w^2(L^q)$ estimates for H .

Let $2 \leq q < q_n(2)$. In this section we prove

$$\|Hf\|_{L_w^2(L^q)} \leq C\|f\|_{L_w^2}, \quad f \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n),$$

where q and w are related as in Theorem 2.

Decompose

$$Hf(x, \theta) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} H_k f(x, \theta), \quad H_k f(x, \theta) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x - A_t \theta) \psi_k(t) dt,$$

where $\psi_k(t) = 2^{-k} \psi(2^{-k} t)$, $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R})$, $\text{supp}(\psi) \subset \{1/2 \leq |t| \leq 2\}$, $\int \psi(t) dt = 0$. We write

$$Hf = \sum_k H_k f = \sum_j U_j f, \quad U_j f = \sum_k H_k S_{j+k}^2 f.$$

Let $0 \leq \alpha < 1/2$. We prove

$$\|U_j f\|_{L^2(L^2_\alpha)} \leq C 2^{-\epsilon|j|} \|f\|_2,$$

for some $\epsilon > 0$. Then, arguing as in the case of M , from this and the Sobolev embedding theorem we can get

$$\|U_j f\|_{L^2(L^q)} \leq C 2^{-\epsilon|j|} \|f\|_2, \quad 2 \leq q < q_n(2).$$

Let

$$\tilde{\Psi}(\xi, \theta) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp(-2\pi i \langle A_t \theta, \xi \rangle) \psi(t) dt.$$

Then

$$(H_k f(\cdot, \theta))^\wedge(\xi) = \hat{f}(\xi) \tilde{\Psi}(A_{2^k}^* \xi, \theta).$$

If $0 < a < 1/2 - \alpha$, we have the estimate

$$\|\tilde{\Psi}(\xi, \cdot)\|_{L^2_\alpha}^2 \leq C \min(|\xi|, |\xi|^{-1})^{2a}.$$

Therefore, by the Littlewood-Paley theory for vector valued functions,

$$\begin{aligned} \|U_j \mathbf{f}\|_{L^2(L_\alpha^2)}^2 &\leq C \sum_k \|H_k S_{j+k} \mathbf{f}\|_{L^2(L_\alpha^2)}^2 \\ &\leq C \sum_k \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |D_{j+k}(s(\xi)) \hat{f}(\xi)|^2 \min(|A_{2^k}^* \xi|, |A_{2^k}^* \xi|^{-1})^{2a} d\xi, \end{aligned}$$

where $0 < a < 1/2 - \alpha$. This implies

$$\|U_j \mathbf{f}\|_{L^2(L_\alpha^2)}^2 \leq C 2^{-\epsilon|j|} \sum_k \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |D_{j+k}(s(\xi)) \hat{f}(\xi)|^2 d\xi \leq C 2^{-\epsilon|j|} \|\mathbf{f}\|_2^2$$

for some $\epsilon > 0$, as claimed.

If $w \in \mathcal{A}_1$, we can show that

$$\|H_k S_{j+k} f\|_{L_w^2(L^2)} \leq C \|S_{j+k} f\|_{L_w^2}.$$

Thus, by the Littlewood-Paley inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|U_j f\|_{L_w^2(L^2)} &\leq C \left(\sum_k \|H_k S_{j+k} f\|_{L_w^2(L^2)}^2 \right)^{1/2} \\ &\leq C \left(\sum_k \|S_{j+k} f\|_{L_w^2}^2 \right)^{1/2} \leq C \|f\|_{L_w^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Interpolation between the unweighted and weighted estimates implies

$$\|U_j f\|_{L_w^2 \tau(L^q)} \leq C 2^{-\epsilon|j|} \|f\|_{L_w^2 \tau}$$

for some $\epsilon > 0$, where q and τ are related as in Theorem 2. Using this and the

triangle inequality, we can see that

$$\|Hf\|_{L^2_w(L^q)} \leq \sum_j \|U_j f\|_{L^2_w(L^q)} \leq C \sum_j 2^{-\epsilon|j|} \|f\|_{L^2_w} \leq C \|f\|_{L^2_w}.$$

§5. $L_w^2(L^q)$ estimates for H_* .

Let q, w be as in Theorem 2. In this section we prove

$$\|H_* f\|_{L_w^2(L^q)} \leq C \|f\|_{L_w^2}, \quad f \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

Lemma 3. Let

$$H_{**}f(x, \theta) = \sup_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} \left| \sum_{k=N}^{\infty} H_k f(x, \theta) \right|.$$

Then

$$\|H_{**}f\|_{L_w^2(L^q)} \leq C \|f\|_{L_w^2}.$$

We need the following result, for $p \leq q$, to show Lemma 3.

Lemma 4. Let $1 < p < \infty$, $1 < q \leq \infty$, $w \in \mathcal{A}_p$. For functions $F(x, \theta)$ on $\mathbb{R}^n \times S^{n-1}$, define $(M_{HL}F)(x, \theta) = (M_{HL}F(\cdot, \theta))(x)$. Then

$$\|M_{HL}F\|_{L_w^p(L^q)} \leq C\|F\|_{L_w^p(L^q)}.$$

Proof of Lemma 3. Let $\hat{Q} \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $\text{supp}(\hat{Q}) \subset \{s(\xi) < 2\}$, $\hat{Q}(\xi) = 1$ if $s(\xi) < 1$. Decompose

$$\sum_{k=N}^{\infty} H_k f = Q_{2N} * Hf - Q_{2N} * \sum_{k=-\infty}^{N-1} H_k f + (\delta - Q_{2N}) * \sum_{k=N}^{\infty} H_k f,$$

where δ denotes the delta function and the convolution is taken with respect to the x variable.

The first term on the right hand side can be handled by Theorem 2 for H and

Lemma 4 as follows:

$$\left\| \sup_N |Q_{2N} * Hf| \right\|_{L_w^2(L^q)} \leq C \|M_{HL} Hf\|_{L_w^2(L^q)} \leq C \|Hf\|_{L_w^2(L^q)} \leq C \|f\|_{L_w^2}.$$

Also, by inspection we see that

$$\sup_N \left| Q_{2N} * \sum_{k=-\infty}^{N-1} H_k f(x, \theta) \right| \leq C M_{HL} f(x)$$

with the constant C independent of θ . Therefore, the second term on the right hand side can be handled by the weighted norm inequality for the Hardy-Littlewood maximal operator.

It remains to estimate

$$I(f) = \sup_N \left| (\delta - Q_{2N}) * \sum_{k=N}^{\infty} H_k f \right|.$$

We note that

$$I(f) \leq \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} I_j(f), \quad I_j(f) = \sup_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} |(\delta - Q_{2^N}) * H_{N+j} f|.$$

Let $0 \leq \alpha < 1/2$ and $0 < a < 1/2 - \alpha$. Then, we have

$$\|(\delta - Q_{2^N}) * H_{N+j} f\|_{L^2(L^2_\alpha)}^2 \leq C \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |(1 - \hat{Q}(A_{2^N}^* \xi)) \hat{f}(\xi)|^2 |A_{2^N+j}^* \xi|^{-2a} d\xi.$$

Therefore,

$$\sum_N \|(\delta - Q_{2^N}) * H_{N+j} f\|_{L^2(L^2_\alpha)}^2 \leq C 2^{-j\epsilon} \|f\|_2^2$$

and hence, if $2 \leq q < q_n(2)$, the Sobolev embedding theorem implies

$$\sum_N \|(\delta - Q_{2^N}) * H_{N+j} f\|_{L^2(L^q)}^2 \leq C 2^{-j\epsilon} \|f\|_2^2.$$

We write

$$\delta - Q_{2N} = \sum_{m \leq N} \Delta_m, \quad \hat{\Delta}_m(\xi) = \Gamma(A_{2^m}^* \xi),$$

where $\Gamma \in C_0^\infty$, $\text{supp}(\Gamma) \subset \{c_1 < s(\xi) < c_2\}$ for some $c_1, c_2 > 0$. Then, by Plancherel's theorem we have

$$\|\Delta_m * H_{N+j} f\|_{L^2(L^2)}^2 \leq C 2^{-\epsilon(N-m+j)} \|f\|_2^2.$$

On the other hand, if $w \in \mathcal{A}_1$,

$$\|\Delta_m * H_{N+j} f\|_{L_w^2(L^2)}^2 \leq C \|f\|_{L_w^2}^2.$$

For $w \in \mathcal{A}_1$, choose $b > 1$ such that $w^b \in \mathcal{A}_1$. Then, interpolating between these estimates with w^b in place of w , we get

$$\|\Delta_m * H_{N+j} f\|_{L_w^2(L^2)}^2 \leq C 2^{-\epsilon(N-m+j)} \|f\|_{L_w^2}^2$$

for some $\epsilon > 0$.

Choose $G_m \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that $\hat{G}_m(\xi) = F(A_{2^m}^* \xi)$, $F \in C_0^\infty$, $\text{supp}(F) \subset \{d_1 < s(\xi) < d_2\}$ for some $d_1, d_2 > 0$, and

$$\Delta_m * G_m * f = \Delta_m * f.$$

Then, by Littlewood-Paley inequality

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} \|(\delta - Q_{2^N}) * H_{N+j} f\|_{L_w^2(L^2)}^2 &\leq C \sum_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} \sum_{m \leq N} \|\Delta_m * H_{N+j} f\|_{L_w^2(L^2)}^2 \\ &\leq C \sum_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} \sum_{m \leq N} 2^{-\epsilon(N-m+j)} \|G_m * f\|_{L_w^2}^2 \\ &\leq C \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{-j\epsilon} \|G_m * f\|_{L_w^2}^2 \\ &\leq C 2^{-j\epsilon} \|f\|_{L_w^2}^2. \end{aligned}$$

Interpolation between this and $L^2(L^q)$ estimate implies

$$\sum_N \|(\delta - Q_{2^N}) * H_{N+j} f\|_{L_w^2(L^q)}^2 \leq C 2^{-j\epsilon} \|f\|_{L_w^2}^2$$

for some $\epsilon > 0$, where q, w are as in Theorem 2. Since

$$I_j(f) \leq \left(\sum_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} |(\delta - Q_{2^N}) * H_{N+j} f|^q \right)^{1/q}$$

and $q \geq 2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\|I(f)\|_{L_w^2(L^q)} &\leq \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \left\| \left(\sum_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} \|(\delta - Q_{2^N}) * H_{N+j} f\|_{L^q(S^{n-1})}^q \right)^{2/q} \right\|_{L_w^1}^{1/2} \\
&\leq \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} \|(\delta - Q_{2^N}) * H_{N+j} f\|_{L_w^2(L^q)}^2 \right)^{1/2} \\
&\leq C \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{-j\epsilon/2} \|f\|_{L_w^2} \leq C \|f\|_{L_w^2},
\end{aligned}$$

where q, w are as in Theorem 2. This completes the proof of Lemma 3.

Proof of Theorem 2 for H_* .

We can easily prove the pointwise inequality

$$H_* f(x, \theta) \leq C H_{**} f(x, \theta) + C M f(x, \theta) + C M f(x, -\theta).$$

Therefore, the result for H_* follows from Lemma 3 and the result for M .

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