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MULTI-MORREY SPACES FOR NON-DOUBLING MEASURES

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Abstract. The spaces of multi-Morrey type for positive Radon measures satisfying a growth condition on \mathbb{R}^d are introduced. After defining the spaces, we investigate the multilinear maximal function, the multilinear fractional integral operator and the multilinear Calderón-Zygmund operators, respectively, from multi-Morrey spaces to Morrey spaces.

Keywords: multi-Morrey space; multilinear maximal function; multilinear fractional integral operator; multilinear Calderón-Zygmund operator

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1. Introduction

In recent years, many results have indicated that the doubling condition is superfluous for most of the classical Calderón-Zygmund theory (see [8], [9], [10]). Considerable attention has been paid to the study of the classical theory of harmonic analysis on Euclidean spaces with non-doubling measures only satisfying the polynomial growth condition (see [2], [3], [13], [14], [15], [16]). To be precise, let μ be a positive Radon measure on \mathbb{R}^d which satisfies the polynomial growth condition that for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$ and r > 0,

$$\mu(B(x,r)) \leqslant c_0 r^n$$

where c_0 is a positive constant, $0 < n \le d$, and B(x,r) is the open ball centered at x and having radius r. The analysis associated with such a non-doubling measure μ has proved to play a striking role in solving the long-standing open Painlevé's problem and Vitushkin's conjecture (see [14]).

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The main purpose of this paper is to give the definition of multi-Morrey spaces and establish the boundedness of multilinear operators from multi-Morrey spaces to Morrey spaces associated with μ .

To state the main results of this paper, we need first to recall some necessary notation and notion. We use $Q(\mu)$ to denote the family of all cubes in \mathbb{R}^d satisfying $\mu(Q) > 0$. For c > 0, cQ will denote a cube concentric to Q with its sidelength cl(Q).

The Morrey space $M_p^{p_0}$ was defined by Morrey in 1938, see [7]. In 2005, Sawano and Tanaka in [12] gave the definition of Morrey spaces for non-doubling measures. Let k > 1 and $1 \le p \le p_0 < \infty$. The Morrey spaces $M_p^{p_0}(k, \mu)$ are defined by the norm

$$||f||_{M_p^{p_0}(k,\mu)} := \sup_{Q \in \mathcal{Q}(\mu)} \mu(kQ)^{1/p_0} \left(\frac{1}{\mu(kQ)} \int_Q |f(x)|^p \, \mathrm{d}x\right)^{1/p}.$$

It is proved in [12] that the Morrey spaces $M_q^{p_0}(k,\mu)$ are independent of the choices of the constant $k \in (1,\infty)$. Later, Sawano in [11] introduced generalized Morrey spaces for non-doubling measures.

Now, we give the definition of the multi-Morrey norm for the non-doubling measure. In the setting of the Euclidean space, Iida, Sato, Sawano and Tanaka in [4] have proved that the multi-Morrey norm is strictly smaller than the *m*-fold product of the Morrey norms.

Definition 1.1. Let k > 1, $\vec{P} = (p_1, \ldots, p_m)$ with $1 \leq p_1, \ldots, p_m \leq \infty$ and $0 with <math>1/p = 1/p_1 + \ldots + 1/p_m$. For some collection of measurable functions $\vec{f} = (f_1, \ldots, f_m)$ on \mathbb{R}^d , the multi-Morrey norm is defined by

$$\|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k,\mu)} = \sup_{Q \in \mathcal{Q}(\mu)} \mu(kQ)^{1/p_0} \prod_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{1}{\mu(kQ)} \int_Q |f_i(x)|^{p_i} d\mu(x)\right)^{1/p_i} < \infty.$$

We define the multi-Morrey space $\mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k,\mu)$ as the set of all measurable functions g on $(\mathbb{R}^d)^m$ which can be written as

(1.1)
$$g(x_1, \dots, x_m) = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^m f_i^{(j)}(x_i)$$

in the sense of almost everywhere convergence in $(\mathbb{R}^d)^m$, and $(f_1^{(j)},\dots,f_m^{(j)})$ satisfying

(1.2)
$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \|(f_1^{(j)}, \dots, f_m^{(j)})\|_{\mathcal{B}_{\vec{p}}^{p_0}(k,\mu)} < \infty.$$

The norm of $g \in \mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)$ is defined by

$$||g||_{\mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k,\mu)} := \inf \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} ||(f_1^{(j)},\ldots,f_m^{(j)})||_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k,\mu)},$$

where the functions in infimum run over all expressions as (1.1).

By the Hölder inequality and the triangle inequality, we have the following result on the structure of $\mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}$. If (1.2) holds, then $\sum\limits_{j=1}^{\infty}\prod\limits_{i=1}^{m}f_i^{(j)}(x_i)$ converges absolutely almost everywhere in $(\mathbb{R}^d)^m$. As an application, in order to prove the boundedness of the linear operator T from multi-Morrey spaces $\mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k,\mu)$ to Morrey spaces $M^{q_0}_q(k,\mu)$, it suffices to prove that there exists a constant C such that

$$||T(\vec{f})||_{M_q^{q_0}(k,\mu)} \leqslant C||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)}$$

holds for all $\vec{f} = (f_1, \dots, f_m)$.

Next, we prove that the definition of multi-Morrey spaces is independent of the choice of the parameter k > 1. This result covers the ones in [12]. For the sake of convenience, we provide the details.

Proposition 1.2. Let $k_1, k_2 > 1$, $\vec{P} = (p_1, \ldots, p_m)$ with $1 \leqslant p_1, \ldots, p_m \leqslant \infty$ and $0 with <math>1/p = 1/p_1 + \ldots + 1/p_m$. Then $\mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k_1, \mu)$ and $\mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k_2, \mu)$ coincide and their norms are equivalent.

Proof. Let $k_1 \leqslant k_2$. Then the inclusion $\mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k_1,\mu) \subset \mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k_2,\mu)$ is trivial by the definition of the norms. Let us show the reverse inclusion.

For any $Q \in \mathcal{Q}(\mu)$, there exist cubes Q_1, Q_2, \dots, Q_N with the same sidelength such that

$$Q \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^{N} Q_j, \quad k_2 Q_j \subset k_1 Q \quad \text{and} \quad N \leqslant C_Q \left(\frac{k_2 - 1}{k_1 - 1}\right)^d.$$

Let $g \in \mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k_2, \mu)$ and let $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^{m} f_i^{(j)}(x_i)$ be an admissible expression of g. For any $Q \in \mathcal{Q}(\mu)$, using the fact that $1/p_0 \leqslant \sum_{i=1}^{m} 1p_i$ and the covering above, we easily obtain

$$\mu(k_1Q)^{1/p_0} \prod_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{1}{\mu(k_1Q)} \int_Q |f_i^{(j)}(x)|^{p_i} d\mu(x)\right)^{1/p_i}$$

$$\leq \sum_{j=1}^N \mu(k_1Q)^{1/p_0} \prod_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{1}{\mu(k_1Q)} \int_{Q_j} |f_i^{(j)}(x)|^{p_i} d\mu(x)\right)^{1/p_i}$$

$$\leq \sum_{j=1}^N \mu(k_2Q_j)^{1/p_0} \prod_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{1}{\mu(k_2Q_j)} \int_{Q_j} |f_i^{(j)}(x)|^{p_i} d\mu(x)\right)^{1/p_i}$$

$$\leq \sum_{j=1}^N \|(f_1^{(j)}, \dots, f_m^{(j)})\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k_2, \mu)} \leq C_Q \left(\frac{k_2 - 1}{k_1 - 1}\right)^d \|(f_1^{(j)}, \dots, f_m^{(j)})\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k_2, \mu)}.$$

Then, the desired result follows from the structure of $\mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)$.

2. Boundedness of multilinear maximal function

Let $\varrho > 1$. The maximal function \mathcal{M}_{ϱ} is defined by

$$M_{\varrho}(f)(x) := \sup_{x \in Q} \frac{1}{\mu(\varrho Q)} \int_{Q} |f(y)| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y).$$

The multilinear maximal function can be defined as follows:

$$\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}f(x) := \sup_{x \in Q} \prod_{i=1}^{m} \frac{1}{\mu(\varrho Q)} \int_{Q} |f_{i}(y)| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y).$$

It is well-known that \mathcal{M}_{ϱ} is bounded on $L^{p}(\mu)$, $1 . For details we refer to [8]. In [5], <math>\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}$ is used to obtain a precise control on the multilinear singular integral of Calderón-Zygmund type in the setting of the Euclidean space. We present the main theorem in this section.

Theorem 2.1. Let $k, \varrho, p_1, ..., p_m > 1$, $\vec{P} = (p_1, ..., p_m)$ and $1 with <math>1/p = 1/p_1 + ... + 1/p_m$. Then

$$\|\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(\vec{f})\|_{M_p^{p_0}(k,\mu)} \leqslant C \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)}.$$

Proof. In fact, we need only to prove that

$$\|\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(\vec{f})\|_{M_{p}^{p_{0}}(2\varrho(\varrho+7)/(\varrho^{2}-1),\mu)} \leqslant C\|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}_{\vec{p}}^{p_{0}}(2\varrho/(\varrho+1),\mu)}.$$

Fix $Q \in \mathcal{Q}(\mu)$. Let $L = 4l(Q)/(\varrho - 1)$, $f_{i,1} := \chi_{((\varrho + 7)/(\varrho - 1))Q} f_i$ and $f_{i,2} := f_i - f_{i,1}$ with $i = 1, \ldots, m$. For any $x \in Q$, it follows from the definition of $\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}$ that

$$\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(f_{1,\sigma(1)},\dots,f_{m,\sigma(m)})(x) \leqslant \sup_{\substack{x \in Q' \in \mathcal{Q}(\mu) \\ l(Q') > L}} \prod_{i=1}^{m} \frac{1}{\mu(\varrho Q')} \int_{Q'} |f_i(y)| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y),$$

where $\sigma(1), \ldots, \sigma(m) \in \{1, 2\}$ and $(\sigma(1), \ldots, \sigma(m)) \neq (1, \ldots, 1)$. It follows from $x \in Q \cap Q'$ and $l(Q') \geqslant (4/(\varrho - 1))l(Q)$ that $Q \subset \frac{1}{2}(\varrho + 1)Q'$. By a standard argument we have

$$\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(f_{1,\sigma(1)},\ldots,f_{m,\sigma(m)})(x) \leqslant \sup_{Q \subset Q' \in \mathcal{Q}(\mu)} \prod_{i=1}^{m} \left(\mu\left(\frac{2\varrho}{\varrho+1}Q'\right)\right)^{-1} \int_{Q'} |f_i(y)| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y).$$

Thus, we have for $x \in Q$,

$$\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(\vec{f})(x) \leqslant M_{\varrho,m}(f_{1,1},\dots,f_{m,1})(x) + C \sup_{Q \subset Q' \in \mathcal{Q}(\mu)} \prod_{i=1}^{m} \left(\mu \left(\frac{2\varrho}{\varrho+1} Q' \right) \right)^{-1} \int_{Q'} |f_i(y)| \, \mathrm{d}\mu(y).$$

Let $k = 2\varrho(\varrho+7)/(\varrho^2-1) > 1$. First, by the Hölder inequality and the (p,p) boundedness of M_{ϱ} , we have

$$\begin{split} &\mu(kQ)^{1/p_0} \left(\frac{1}{\mu(kQ)} \int_Q |\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(f_{1,1},\ldots,f_{m,1})(x)|^{1/p} \, \mathrm{d}\mu(x) \right)^{1/p} \\ &\leqslant \mu(kQ)^{1/p_0} \prod_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{1}{\mu(kQ)} \int_Q |M_{\varrho}(f_{i,1})(x)|^{1/p_i} \, \mathrm{d}\mu(x) \right)^{1/p_i} \\ &\leqslant C \mu \left(\frac{2\varrho(\varrho+7)}{\varrho^2-1} Q \right)^{1/p_0} \\ &\qquad \times \prod_{i=1}^m \left(\left(\mu \left(\frac{2\varrho(\varrho+7)}{\varrho^2-1} Q \right) \right)^{-1} \int_{((\varrho+7)/(\varrho-1))Q} |f_i(x)|^{1/p_i} \, \mathrm{d}\mu(x) \right)^{1/p_i} \\ &\leqslant C \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\beta}(2\varrho/(\varrho+1),\mu)}. \end{split}$$

Second, we have again by the Hölder inequality

$$\mu(kQ)^{1/p_0} \left(\frac{1}{\mu(kQ)} \int_{Q} |\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(f_{1,2}, \dots, f_{m,2})(x)|^{1/p} d\mu(x) \right)^{1/p}$$

$$\leq \mu \left(\frac{2\varrho}{\varrho + 1} Q \right)^{1/p_0} \sup_{Q \subset Q' \in \mathcal{Q}(\mu)} \prod_{i=1}^{m} \left(\left(\mu \left(\frac{2\varrho}{\varrho + 1} Q' \right) \right)^{-1} \int_{Q'} |f_i(y)|^{1/p_i} d\mu(y) \right)^{1/p_i}$$

$$\leq C \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\mathfrak{A}}(2\varrho/(\varrho + 1), \mu)}.$$

Hence, we have

$$\|\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(\vec{f})\|_{M_p^{p_0}(2\varrho(\varrho+7)/(\varrho^2-1),\mu)} \leqslant C \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(2\varrho/(\varrho+1),\mu)}.$$

Theorem 2.1 is therefore proved.

3. Boundedness of multilinear fractional integral operators

The aim of this section is to investigate the boundedness of the Adams type (see [1]) multilinear fractional integral $I_{\alpha,m}$, $0 < \alpha < mn$, which is given by

$$I_{\alpha,m}(\vec{f})(x) = \int_{(\mathbb{R}^n)^m} \frac{f_1(y_1) \dots f_m(y_m) \, \mathrm{d}\mu(\vec{y})}{(|x - y_1| + \dots + |x - y_m|)^{mn - \alpha}},$$

where $\vec{f} = (f_1, ..., f_m)$.

Theorem 3.1. Let $0 < \alpha < mn, 1 < k, p_1, ..., p_m < \infty, \vec{P} = (p_1, ..., p_m), 0 < p \le p_0 < \infty \text{ and } 0 < q \le q_0 < \infty.$ Suppose that

$$\frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{p_1} + \ldots + \frac{1}{p_m}, \quad \frac{1}{q_0} = \frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{\alpha}{n} \quad and \quad \frac{q}{q_0} = \frac{p}{p_0}.$$

Then

$$||I_{\alpha,m}(\vec{f})||_{M_q^{q_0}(k,\mu)} \leqslant C||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}_{\vec{P}}^{p_0}(k,\mu)}.$$

By the following lemma, Theorem 3.1 can be deduced immediately.

Lemma 3.2. Let $0 < \alpha < mn$, 1 < k, $p_1, \ldots, p_m < \infty$, $\vec{P} = (p_1, \ldots, p_m)$ and $0 with <math>1/p = 1/p_1 + \ldots + 1/p_m$, assume that each f_j is measurable. Then

$$|I_{\alpha}(\vec{f})(x)| \leqslant C \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_{\alpha}}(k,\mu)}^{\alpha p/n} \mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(\vec{f})(x)^{1-\alpha p/n}.$$

Proof. Take $\varepsilon > 0$ which will be determined later on. We separate $I_{\alpha,m}(\vec{f})(x)$ into

$$I_1 := \int_{|x-y_1|+...+|x-y_m| \leqslant \varepsilon} \frac{f_1(y_1)...f_m(y_m) d\mu(\vec{y})}{(|x-y_1|+...+|x-y_m|)^{mn-\alpha}}$$

and

$$I_2 := \int_{|x-y_1|+\ldots+|x-y_m|>\varepsilon} \frac{f_1(y_1)\ldots f_m(y_m) d\mu(\vec{y})}{(|x-y_1|+\ldots+|x-y_m|)^{mn-\alpha}}.$$

For I_1 , we write

$$|I_{1}| = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \int_{2^{-j}\varepsilon < |x-y_{1}|+\ldots+|x-y_{m}| \leqslant 2^{-j+1}\varepsilon} \frac{|f_{1}(y_{1})| \ldots |f_{m}(y_{m})| d\mu(\vec{y})}{(|x-y_{1}|+\ldots+|x-y_{m}|)^{mn-\alpha}}$$

$$\leqslant \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2^{-j}\varepsilon)^{mn-\alpha}} \prod_{i=1}^{m} \int_{|x-y_{i}| \leqslant 2^{-j+1}\varepsilon} |f_{i}(y_{i})| d\mu(y_{i}) \leqslant C\varepsilon^{\alpha} \mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(\vec{f})(x).$$

As to I_2 ,

$$|I_{2}| = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \int_{2^{j-1}\varepsilon < |x-y_{1}| + \dots + |x-y_{m}| \leq 2^{j}\varepsilon} \frac{|f_{1}(y_{1})| \dots |f_{m}(y_{m})| d\mu(\vec{y})}{(|x-y_{1}| + \dots + |x-y_{m}|)^{mn-\alpha}}$$

$$\leq C \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(k2^{j}\varepsilon)^{mn-\alpha}} \prod_{i=1}^{m} \int_{|x-y_{i}| \leq 2^{j}\varepsilon} |f_{i}(y_{i})| d\mu(y_{i}) \leq C\varepsilon^{\alpha-n/p_{0}} ||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}_{\vec{P}}^{p_{0}}(k,\mu)}.$$

Together with the estimates above, we see that

$$|I_{\alpha}(\vec{f})(x)| \leq C(\varepsilon^{\alpha} \mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(\vec{f})(x) + \varepsilon^{\alpha - n/p_0} ||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)}).$$

Now take

$$\varepsilon = \left(\frac{\|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{M}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k,\mu)}}{\mathcal{M}_{\rho,m}(\vec{f})(x)}\right)^{p_0/n}.$$

Then

$$\varepsilon^{\alpha}\mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(\vec{f})(x) = \varepsilon^{\alpha - n/p_0} \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)} = \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0/n}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)}^{\alpha p_0/n} \mathcal{M}_{\varrho,m}(\vec{f})(x)^{1 - \alpha p_0/n}.$$

Thus the lemma is proved.

Now, we consider the endpoint case $\alpha \geq n/p_0$. Lin and Yang in [6] showed that $I_{\alpha,m}$ is a bounded operator from m-fold product of Morrey spaces to RBMO(μ) (or the Lipschitz space). We can improve the results as follows.

Theorem 3.3. Let $1 < k, p_1, \ldots, p_m < \infty, 0 < \alpha = n/p_0 < 1$ and $\vec{P} = (p_1, \ldots, p_m)$ with $1/p_1 + \ldots + 1/p_m \ge 1/p_0$, assume that μ satisfies the growth condition. Then

$$||I_{\alpha,m}(\vec{f})||_{\mathrm{RBMO}(\mu)} \leqslant C||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)}.$$

Theorem 3.4. Let $1 < k, p_1, \ldots, p_m < \infty, 0 < \alpha - n/p_0 < 1$ and $\vec{P} = (p_1, \ldots, p_m)$ with $1/p_1 + \ldots + 1/p_m \ge 1/p_0$, assume that μ satisfies the growth condition. Then

$$||I_{\alpha,m}(\vec{f})||_{\operatorname{Lip}_{\alpha-n/p_0}(\mu)} \leqslant C||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)}.$$

The proof of Theorems 3.3 and 3.4 will be given below, we begin with recalling the definition of RBMO(μ) and the Lipschitz spaces $\text{Lip}_{\alpha}(\mu)$.

Definition 3.5. Let $k \in (1, \infty)$. Set

$$K_{Q,R} = 1 + \sum_{j=1}^{N_{Q,R}} \frac{\mu(2^j Q)}{(l(2^j Q))^n},$$

where $N_{Q,R}$ is the smallest positive integer j such that $l(2^jQ) \ge l(R)$. Given a cube $Q \subset \mathbb{R}^d$, let N be the smallest integer not less then 0 such that 2^NQ is doubling. We denote this cube by \widetilde{Q} .

A function $f \in L^1_{loc}(\mu)$ is said to belong to the space RBMO(μ) if there exists a positive constant C such that

(3.1)
$$\sup_{Q} \frac{1}{\mu(kQ)} \int_{Q} |f(x) - m_{\widetilde{Q}}(f)| \, \mathrm{d}\mu(x) \leqslant C$$

and that for any two doubling cubes $Q \subset R$,

$$(3.2) |m_Q(f) - m_R(f)| \leqslant CK_{Q,R}.$$

The minimal constant C in (3.1) and (3.2) is defined to be the norm of f in RBMO(μ) and denoted by $||f||_{\text{RBMO}}^p(\mu)$.

In [13], Tolsa proved that the definition of the space RBMO(μ) does not depend on the constant k > 1. He also obtained that this space also satisfies a John-Nirenberg inequality and its predual is an atomic space H^1 .

The following Lipschitz space is a special case of the Lipschitz spaces introduced by García-Cuerva and Gatto in [2]. We also give the definition in the setting of nonhomogeneous space in [17].

Definition 3.6. Let $\beta \in (0, \infty)$. A locally integrable function b is said to belong to the Lipschitz space $\operatorname{Lip}_{\alpha}(\mu)$ if there exists a positive constant C such that

$$|b(x) - b(y)| \leqslant C|x - y|^{\beta}$$

for μ -almost all x and y in the support of μ . The minimal constant C is defined by $||b||_{\text{Lip}_{\alpha}(\mu)}$.

Proof of Theorem 3.3. For simplicity, we assume that m=2. For any cube Q, set $\Omega_Q=\{(y_1,y_2)\colon |x-y_1|+|x-y_2|<\frac{4}{3}l(Q)\}$ and

$$C_Q^{\infty} := \frac{1}{\mu(Q)} \int_Q \int_{(\mathbb{R}^d)^2 \setminus \Omega_Q} \frac{f_1(y_1) f_2(y_2) \, \mathrm{d}\mu(y_1) \, \mathrm{d}\mu(y_2)}{(|x - y_1| + |x - y_2|)^{2n - \alpha}} \, \mathrm{d}\mu(x).$$

We first verify the inequality

(3.3)
$$\frac{1}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} \int_{Q} |I_{\alpha,2}(f_1, f_2)(x) - C_Q^{\infty}| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x) \leqslant C \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(\mu)}.$$

For (3.3), we write

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} \int_{Q} |I_{\alpha,2}(f_{1},f_{2})(x) - C_{Q}^{\infty}| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x) \\ &\leqslant \frac{1}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} \int_{Q} \int_{\Omega_{Q}} \frac{|f_{1}(y_{1})||f_{2}(y_{2})| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y_{1}) \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y_{2})}{(|x-y_{1}|+|x-y_{2}|)^{2n-\alpha}} \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x) \\ &+ \frac{1}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} \int_{Q} \left| \int_{(\mathbb{R}^{d})^{2} \backslash \Omega_{Q}} \frac{f_{1}(y_{1})f_{2}(y_{2}) \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y_{1}) \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y_{2})}{(|x-y_{1}|+|x-y_{2}|)^{2n-\alpha}} - C_{Q}^{\infty} \right| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x) \\ &=: \mathrm{II}_{1} + \mathrm{II}_{2}. \end{split}$$

There exist $\widetilde{p}_0, \widetilde{p}_1, \widetilde{p}_2 \in (1, \infty)$ such that $\widetilde{p}_i \leq p_i$ for i = 1, 2 and $1/\widetilde{p}_1 + 1/\widetilde{p}_2 = 1/\widetilde{p}_0 - \alpha/n > 0$. For II_1 , from $1/p_0 = \alpha/n$, the Kolmogorov inequality and the boundedness of $I_{\alpha,2}$ from $L^{\widetilde{p}_1}(\mu) \times L^{\widetilde{p}_2}(\mu)$ to $L^{\widetilde{p}_0}(\mu)$, it follows that

$$\Pi_{1} \leqslant \frac{1}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} \int_{Q} |I_{\alpha,2}(|f_{1}\chi_{4/3Q}|, |f_{2}\chi_{4/3Q}|)(x)| \, \mathrm{d}\mu(x)
\leqslant C \frac{(\mu(Q)^{1-1/\tilde{p}_{0}})}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} ||f_{1}\chi_{4/3Q}||_{L^{\tilde{p}_{1}}(\mu)} ||f_{2}\chi_{4/3Q}||_{L^{\tilde{p}_{2}}(\mu)} \leqslant C ||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}^{p_{0}}_{\vec{p}}(9/8,\mu)}.$$

Let

$$\Omega_{Q,j} := \Big\{ (y_1,y_2) \colon \, 2^{j-1} \tfrac{4}{3} l(Q) < |x-y_1| + |x-y_2| \leqslant 2^j \tfrac{4}{3} l(Q) \Big\}.$$

Notice that for $(y_1, y_2) \in (\mathbb{R}^d)^2 \setminus \Omega_Q$ and $x, x' \in Q$, it is easy to see that

$$\left| \frac{1}{(|x-y_1|+|x-y_2|)^{2n-\alpha}} - \frac{1}{(|x'-y_1|+|x'-y_2|)^{2n-\alpha}} \right| \\
\leq \frac{C|x-x'|}{(|x-y_1|+\ldots+|x-y_m|)^{2n-\alpha+1}} \leq \frac{Cl(Q)}{(|x-y_1|+\ldots+|x-y_m|)^{2n-\alpha+1}}.$$

Then we have the following estimate for II_2 :

$$\begin{split} \Pi_2 \leqslant \frac{1}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} \frac{1}{\mu(Q)} \int_Q \int_{Q} \int_{(\mathbb{R}^d)^2 \backslash \Omega_Q} \left| \frac{f_1(y_1) f_2(y_2)}{(|x-y_1| + |x-y_2|)^{2n-\alpha}} \right. \\ & - \int_{(\mathbb{R}^d)^2 \backslash \Omega_Q} \frac{f_1(y_1) f_2(y_2)}{(|x'-y_1| + |x'-y_2|)^{2n-\alpha}} \left| \, \mathrm{d}\mu(y_1) \, \mathrm{d}\mu(y_2) \, \mathrm{d}\mu(x') \, \mathrm{d}\mu(x) \right. \\ \leqslant \frac{Cl(Q)}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} \int_Q \int_{(\mathbb{R}^d)^2 \backslash \Omega_Q} \frac{|f_1(y_1)| |f_2(y_2)| \, \mathrm{d}\mu(y_1) \, \mathrm{d}\mu(y_2)}{(|x-y_1| + |x-y_2|)^{2n-\alpha+1}} \, \mathrm{d}\mu(x) \end{split}$$

$$\leqslant \frac{Cl(Q)}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \int_{Q} \int_{\Omega_{Q,j}} \frac{|f_{1}(y_{1})||f_{2}(y_{2})| d\mu(y_{1}) d\mu(y_{2})}{(|x-y_{1}|+|x-y_{2}|)^{2n-\alpha+1}} d\mu(x)
\leqslant \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{Cl(Q)\mu(Q)}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)(2^{j}\frac{4}{3}l(Q))^{2n-\alpha+1}} \int_{2^{j}4/3Q} \int_{2^{j}4/3Q} |f_{1}(y_{1})||f_{2}(y_{2})| d\mu(y_{1}) d\mu(y_{2})
\leqslant C ||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}_{\pi}^{p_{0}}(9/8,\mu)}.$$

Thus, (3.3) holds. Next, we need to estimate the most right-hand side as follows. For any cube $Q \subset R$,

$$|C_R^{\infty} - C_Q^{\infty}| \leqslant CK_{Q,R} \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{B}}(9/8,\mu)}.$$

Similarly to II_2 , we have

$$\begin{split} |C_{R}^{\infty} - C_{Q}^{\infty}| &\leqslant \frac{C}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)\mu(Q)} \\ &\times \int_{Q} \int_{Q} \int_{((\mathbb{R}^{d})^{2} \backslash \Omega_{Q}) \backslash ((\mathbb{R}^{d})^{2} \backslash \Omega_{R})} \frac{|f_{1}(y_{1})||f_{2}(y_{2})||x - x'| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y_{1})\mu(\mathrm{d}y_{2})}{(|x - y_{1}| + |x - y_{2}|)^{2n - \alpha + 1}} \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x') \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x) \\ &\leqslant C \sum_{j=1}^{N_{Q,R}} \frac{l(Q)}{\mu(\frac{3}{2}Q)} \int_{Q} \int_{\Omega_{Q,j}} \frac{|f_{1}(y_{1})||f_{2}(y_{2})| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(y_{1})\mu(\mathrm{d}y_{2})}{(|x - y_{1}| + |x - y_{2}|)^{2n - \alpha + 1}} \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x) \\ &\leqslant C K_{Q,R} ||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}_{S}^{p_{0}}(9/8,\mu)}. \end{split}$$

It follows from (3.3), (3.4) and $K_{Q,\widetilde{Q}}\leqslant C$ that

$$\left(\mu\left(\frac{3}{2}Q\right)\right)^{-1} \int_{Q} |I_{\alpha,2}(\vec{f})(x) - m_{\widetilde{Q}}(I_{\alpha,2}(\vec{f}))| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x)
\leq \left(\mu\left(\frac{3}{2}Q\right)\right)^{-1} \int_{Q} |I_{\alpha,2}(\vec{f})(x) - C_{\widetilde{Q}}^{\infty}| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x) + |C_{\widetilde{Q}}^{\infty} - C_{\widetilde{Q}}^{\infty}|
+ \frac{1}{\mu(\widetilde{Q})} \int_{\widetilde{Q}} |I_{\alpha,2}(\vec{f})(x) - C_{\widetilde{Q}}^{\infty}| \,\mathrm{d}\mu(x) \leq C \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}_{\widetilde{P}}^{p_{0}}(9/8,\mu)}.$$

and for any doubling cube $Q \subset R$,

$$\begin{split} |m_Q(I_{\alpha,2}(\vec{f})) - m_R(I_{\alpha,2}(\vec{f}))| \leqslant |m_Q(I_{\alpha,2}(\vec{f})) - C_Q^{\infty}| + |C_Q^{\infty} - C_R^{\infty}| \\ + |C_R^{\infty} - m_R(I_{\alpha,2}(\vec{f}))| \leqslant CK_{Q,R} ||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(9/8,\mu)}, \end{split}$$

then

$$||I_{\alpha,m}(\vec{f})||_{\text{RBMO}(\mu)} \le C||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)}.$$

The theorem is thus proved.

Proof of Theorem 3.4. Let $x \neq y$, r = |x - y| and

$$\Omega := \{ (y_1, \dots, y_m) \colon |x - y_1| + \dots + |x - y_m| \leqslant 2r \}.$$

Notice that, for $(y_1, \ldots, y_m) \in (\mathbb{R}^n)^m \setminus \Omega$ and $x, y \in B(x, 2r)$, it is easy to see that

$$|I_{\alpha}(\vec{f})(x) - I_{\alpha}(\vec{f})(y)| \leq \int_{\Omega} \frac{|f_{1}(y_{1})| \dots |f_{m}(y_{m})| d\mu(\vec{y})}{(|x - y_{1}| + \dots + |x - y_{m}|)^{mn - \alpha}}$$

$$+ \int_{\Omega} \frac{|f_{1}(y_{1})| \dots |f_{m}(y_{m})| d\mu(\vec{y})}{(|y - y_{1}| + \dots + |y - y_{m}|)^{mn - \alpha}}$$

$$+ C|x - y| \int_{(\mathbb{R}^{n})^{m} \setminus \Omega} \frac{|f_{1}(y_{1})| \dots |f_{m}(y_{m})| d\mu(\vec{y})}{(|x - y_{1}| + \dots + |x - y_{m}|)^{mn - \alpha + 1}}$$

$$=: III_{1} + III_{2} + III_{3}.$$

For III₁, since $0 < \alpha - n/p < 1$, there exists α_i (i = 1, ..., m) such that $\alpha_1 + ... + \alpha_m = \alpha$ and $0 < \alpha_i - n/p_i < 1$; then

$$III_{1} \leqslant \prod_{i=1}^{m} \int_{B(x,2r)} \frac{|f_{i}(y_{i})|}{|x - y_{i}|^{n - \alpha_{i}}} d\mu(y_{i})
\leqslant C \prod_{i=1}^{m} \left(\int_{B(x,2r)} |f_{i}(y_{i})|^{p_{i}} d\mu(y_{i}) \right)^{1/p_{i}} \left(\int_{B(x,2r)} \frac{1}{|x - y_{i}|^{(n - \alpha)p'_{i}}} d\mu(y_{i}) \right)^{1/p'_{i}}
\leqslant C \prod_{i=1}^{m} r^{\alpha_{i} - n} \mu(B(x,2r))^{1/p'_{i}} \left(\int_{B(x,2r)} |f_{i}(y_{i})|^{p_{i}} d\mu(y_{i}) \right)^{1/p_{i}}
\leqslant C r^{\alpha - n/p_{0}} \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}_{=0}^{p_{0}}(k,\mu)}.$$

From the fact that $B(x,2r) \subset B(y,3r)$, we obtain

$$III_2 \leqslant Cr^{\alpha - n/p_0} \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)}.$$

Similarly to II_2 in Theorem 3.3, we have

$$III_3 \leqslant Cr^{\alpha - n/p_0} \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{p}}(k,\mu)}.$$

Together with the estimate above, this yields that for any $x \neq y$,

$$|I_{\alpha}(\vec{f})(x) - I_{\alpha}(\vec{f})(y)| \leqslant C|x - y|^{\alpha - n/p_0} ||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{\sigma}}(k,\mu)}.$$

Thus, we obtain the desired result.

4. Boundedness of Multilinear Caldron-Zygmund operators

In this section we consider multilinear singular integral operators. Let μ and n be as above. Recall that the multilinear singular integral operator T is a bounded operator which satisfies

$$||T(\vec{f})||_{L^p} \leqslant C \prod_{i=1}^m ||f_i||_{L^{p_i}}$$

for some $1 < p_1, \ldots, p_m < \infty$ with $1/p = 1/p_1 + \ldots + 1/p_m$, and comes with a kernel K with the following conditions.

(1) The function K satisfies the size condition

$$|K(y_0, y_1, \dots, y_m)| \le C \left(\sum_{l=1}^m |y_0 - y_l|\right)^{-mn}.$$

(2) The function K satisfies the regularity condition

$$|K(y_0,\ldots,y_i,\ldots,y_m)-K(y_0,\ldots,y_i',\ldots,y_m)| \leqslant \frac{C|y_i-y_i'|^{\varepsilon}}{\left(\sum\limits_{l=1}^m |y_0-y_l|\right)^{-mn+\varepsilon}}$$

for some $\varepsilon > 0$ and all $i = 0, \ldots, m$, whenever $|y_i - y_i'| \leqslant \frac{1}{2} \max_{0 \leqslant i \leqslant m} |y_i - y_j|$.

(3) If $x \notin \bigcap_{i=1}^{m} \operatorname{supp}(f_i)$, then

$$T(\vec{f})(x) = \int_{(\mathbb{R}^n)^m} K(x, y_1, \dots, y_m) f_1(y_1) \dots f_m(y_m) d\mu(\vec{y}).$$

Theorem 4.1. Let $1 < k, p_1, ..., p_m < \infty, \vec{P} = (p_1, ..., p_m)$ and $0 with <math>1/p = 1/p_1 + ... + 1/p_m$. Then

$$||T(\vec{f})||_{M_p^{p_0}(k,\mu)} \leqslant C||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}_{\vec{P}}^{p_0}(k,\mu)}.$$

Proof. Fix a cube $Q:=Q(c_0,l(Q))\in\mathcal{Q}(\mu)$. For $x\in Q$ and $(y_1,\ldots,y_m)\in(\mathbb{R}^n)^m\setminus(2Q\times\ldots\times 2Q)$, we have $|c_0-y_1|+\ldots+|c_0-y_m|>l(Q)$ and

$$|x - y_1| + \ldots + |x - y_m| \approx |c_0 - y_1| + \ldots + |c_0 - y_m|$$

Therefore,

$$|T(\vec{f})(x)| \leq |T(f_1\chi_{2Q}, \dots, f_m\chi_{2Q})(x)| + C \int_{|c_0 - y_1| + \dots + |c_0 - y_m| > l(Q)} \frac{|f_1(y_1)| \dots |f_m(y_m)| d\mu(\vec{y})}{(|c_0 - y_1| + \dots + |c_0 - y_m|)^{mn}}.$$

First, since T is a bounded operator from $L^{p_1}(\mu) \times \ldots \times L^{p_m}(\mu)$ to $L^p(\mu)$,

$$\mu(2kQ)^{1/p_0} \left(\frac{1}{\mu(2kQ)} \int_Q |T(f_1\chi_{2Q}, \dots, f_m\chi_{2Q})(x)|^p d\mu(x) \right)^{1/p}$$

$$\leq C\mu(2kQ)^{1/p_0} \prod_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{1}{\mu(2kQ)} \int_{2Q} |f_i(x)|^{p_i} d\mu(x) \right)^{1/p_i} \leq C \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}^{p_0}_{\vec{P}}(k,\mu)}.$$

Second, let

$$\Omega_{Q,j} := \{ (y_1, \dots, y_m) \colon 2^{j-1} l(Q) < |c_0 - y_1| + \dots + |c_0 - y_m| \le 2^j l(Q) \}.$$

Then $\Omega_{Q,j} \subset 2^{j+1}Q \times \ldots \times 2^{j+1}Q$ and

$$\bigcup_{j=1}^{\infty} \Omega_{Q,j} := \{ (y_1, \dots, y_m) \colon l(Q) < |c_0 - y_1| + \dots + |c_0 - y_m| \},$$

which yields

$$\mu(2kQ)^{1/p_0} \int_{|c_0-y_1|+...+|c_0-y_m|>l(Q)} \frac{|f_1(y_1)|\dots|f_m(y_m)|\,\mathrm{d}\mu(\vec{y})}{(|c_0-y_1|+...+|c_0-y_m|)^{mn}}$$

$$\leqslant \mu(2kQ)^{1/p_0} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \int_{\Omega_{Q,j}} \frac{|f_1(y_1)|\dots|f_m(y_m)|\,\mathrm{d}\mu(\vec{y})}{(|c_0-y_1|+...+|c_0-y_m|)^{mn}}$$

$$\leqslant C\mu(2kQ)^{1/p_0} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^{m} \frac{(k(2^{j+1}l(Q))^n)^{-1/p_0}}{(k(2^{j+1}l(Q))^n)^{1-1/p_0}} \int_{2^{j+1}Q} |f_i(y_i)|\,\mathrm{d}\mu(y)_i$$

$$\leqslant C \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} 2^{-n(j+1)/p_0} \frac{\mu(2kQ)^{1/p_0}}{(kl(Q))^{n/p_0}}$$

$$\times \prod_{i=1}^{m} \frac{1}{\mu(k2^{j+1}Q)^{1/p_i-1/p_0}} \left(\int_{2^{j+1}Q} |f_i(y_i)|^{p_i}\,\mathrm{d}\mu(y)_i\right)^{1/p_i}$$

$$\leqslant C \|\vec{f}\|_{\mathcal{B}_{\pi}^{p_0}(k,\mu)}.$$

This implies that

$$||T(\vec{f})||_{M_p^{p_0}(2k,\mu)} \leqslant C||\vec{f}||_{\mathcal{B}_{\vec{P}}^{p_0}(k,\mu)},$$

which yields the desired result.

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