

**NORM INEQUALITIES WITH POWER WEIGHTS  
 FOR HÖRMANDER TYPE MULTIPLIERS**

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**1. Introduction.** Let  $m(x)$  be a bounded, measurable function on  $\mathbf{R}^n$ . The operator  $T_m f$  defined by the Fourier transform equation

$$(T_m f)^\wedge(x) = m(x)\hat{f}(x)$$

is called a multiplier operator with multiplier  $m$ . Denote by  $\lambda$  a nonnegative real number,  $s$  a number greater than or equal to 1,  $|x| \sim R$  the annulus  $\{x : R < |x| < 2R\}$ , and  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)$  a multi-index of nonnegative integers  $\alpha_j$  with norm  $|\alpha| = \alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_n$ . We say  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$  if

$$(1) \quad B(m, s, \lambda) = \|m\|_\infty + \sup_{R>0, |\alpha| \leq \lambda} \left( R^{s|\alpha|-n} \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha m(x)|^s dx \right)^{1/s} < \infty$$

when  $\lambda$  is a positive integer. For the case where  $\lambda$  is not an integer, let 1 be the integer part of  $\lambda$  and let  $\gamma = \lambda - 1$ . We say  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$  if

$$(2) \quad B(m, s, \lambda) = B(m, s, 1) + \sup_{R>0, 0 < |z| < R/2} I(R, z) < \infty$$

where

$$I(R, z) = \sup_{|\alpha|=l} \left( (R/|z|)^\gamma R^{s|\alpha|-n} \times \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha m(x) - D^\alpha m(x-z)|^s dx \right)^{1/s}.$$

If  $\lambda$  is an integer, then those multipliers belonging to  $M(2, \lambda)$  are the classical Hörmander-Mikhlin multipliers. The definition given here appears in [4].

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This paper contains generalizations to higher dimensions of the results contained in [2]. We refer the reader to that paper for further historical remarks.

We denote by  $S_{0,0}$  the space of Schwartz functions whose Fourier transforms have compact support not including the origin. It should be noted that functions belonging to  $S_{0,0}$  have vanishing moments of all orders. Given a real number  $\sigma$ , we define

$$\|f\|_{p,\sigma} = \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |f(x)|^p |x|^\sigma dx \right)^{1/p}.$$

The main result of this paper is the following theorem.

**Theorem 1.1.** *Assume  $1 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $n/s < \lambda$ ,  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$  and  $1 < p < \infty$ . If  $\sigma$  is a real number that satisfies*

- i)  $\max(-n, -p\lambda) < \sigma < \min(p\lambda, -n + p(\lambda + n - n/s))$  and
- ii)

$$0 < n \left( \frac{\sigma + n}{np} - l \right) < 1$$

where  $l$  is the integer part of  $(\sigma + n)/(np)$ , then for each  $f \in S_{0,0}$ ,

$$\|T_m f\|_{p,\sigma} \leq C B_s \|f\|_{p,\sigma}$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $m$  and  $f$ .

**1.1.** We now make some observations about the  $M(s, \lambda)$  class and set some notation. First, the  $M(s, \lambda)$  condition is monotonic in  $s$  and  $\lambda$ ; that is, if  $s \geq s_1$  and  $\lambda \geq \lambda_1$ , then  $M(s, \lambda) \subset M(s_1, \lambda_1)$  and  $B(m, s_1, \lambda_1) \leq B(m, s, \lambda)$ .

For a positive real number  $t$ , define  $\tau_t f(x) = f(tx)$ . Let  $1 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $\sigma \geq 0$ , and  $\lambda \geq 0$ . If  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$  with norm  $B(m, s, \lambda)$ , then from the definition of  $M(s, \lambda)$  and an appropriate substitution, we see that the function  $\tau_t m \in M(s, \lambda)$  with  $B(\tau_t m, s, \lambda) \leq B(m, s, \lambda)$  for each  $t > 0$ . Furthermore, if  $\phi$  is a Schwartz function supported in an annulus and  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$ , then the product function  $(\tau_t \phi)m \in M(s, \lambda)$  with norm bounded by  $C B(m, s, \lambda)$  for each  $t > 0$ , where the constant  $C$  depends on  $\phi$ .

Following Hörmander [1], we fix a nonnegative  $\phi \in C^\infty(\mathbf{R}^n)$  that has support contained in  $\{x : 1/2 < |x| < 2\}$  and satisfies

$$\sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi(2^{-j}x) = 1$$

for  $x \neq 0$ . With this  $\phi$  given, we fix the following notation:

$$(3) \quad m_j(x) = \phi(2^{-j}x)m(x)$$

$$(4) \quad k_j(x) = \widetilde{m}_j(x)$$

$$(5) \quad M_N(x) = \sum_{-N}^N m_j(x)$$

$$(6) \quad K_N(x) = \sum_{-N}^N k_j(x).$$

We will decompose the function  $m(x)$  as  $m(x) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} m_j(x)$  for  $x \neq 0$  and note that  $K_N * f(x)$  converges pointwise to  $T_m f(x)$  for  $f \in S_{0,0}$ . Also, if  $1 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $\lambda \geq 0$ , and  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$ , then  $M_N \in M(s, \lambda)$  and  $B(M_N, s, \lambda) \leq CB(m, s, \lambda)$ , where  $C$  is independent of  $N$  and  $m$ .

As a consequence of the above remarks, we have the following lemma.

**Lemma 1.2.** *Suppose  $1 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $\lambda \geq 0$  and  $w(x) \geq 0$  is a weight function. Let  $A \subset L^2$ . If, for some  $C$  independent of  $f$  and  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$ ,*

$$\|T_m f\|_{p,w} \leq CB(m, s, \lambda)\|f\|_{p,w}$$

*for each  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$  and for each  $f \in A$ , then there is a  $C'$  independent of  $f$ ,  $m$ , and  $N$  such that*

$$\|K_N * f\|_{p,w} \leq C'B(m, s, \lambda)\|f\|_{p,w}$$

*for all  $f \in A$ .*

The method of proof of Theorem 1.1 depends upon the following lemma proved in the one-dimensional case in [2]. The  $n$ -dimensional case follows *mutatis mutandis*.

**Lemma 1.3.** *Suppose that  $K(x, y)$  is a function defined on  $\mathbf{R}^n \times \mathbf{R}^n$  and  $U(x)$  and  $W(x)$  are nonnegative functions defined on  $\mathbf{R}^n$ . Let  $a$  be a real number, and let  $t$  be in  $\mathbf{R}^n$ . Set*

$$Tf(x) = \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} K(x, y)f(y) dy.$$

Suppose that

$$(7) \quad \int_{\{x: R < |x-t| < 2R\}} |Th(x)|^p |x-t|^a U(x) dx \\ \leq A \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} |h(x)|^p |x-t|^a W(x) dx$$

for all  $h \in C^\infty$  with support in  $\{x : R/8 \leq |x-t| \leq 16R\}$ , where  $A$  is independent of  $h$  and  $R$ . If  $f \in C^\infty$ , then  $\|Tf\|_{p,u}^p$  is bounded by the sum of

$$(8) \quad CA \|f\|_{p,w}^p$$

$$(9) \quad C \int_0^\infty \left( \int_{B(t,r/4)} \left( \int_{\{x:r/2 < |x-t| < 2r\}} |K(x,y)|^p U(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \right. \\ \left. \times |f(y)| dy \right)^p \frac{dr}{r},$$

and

$$(10) \quad C \int_0^\infty \left( \int_{B(t,4r)^c} \left( \int_{\{x:r/2 < |x-t| < 2r\}} |K(x,y)|^p U(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \right. \\ \left. \times |f(y)| dy \right)^p \frac{dr}{r}$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $f$ ,  $K$  and  $W$ .

Also, we will use the following proposition found in [4].

**Proposition 1.4.** *If  $1 < p < \infty$ ,  $-n < \sigma < n(p-1)$ ,  $1 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $\lambda \geq n$ ,  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$ , and  $f \in S$ , then*

$$\int_{\mathbf{R}^n} |T_m f(x)|^p |x|^\sigma dx \leq CB_s \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} |f(x)|^p |x|^\sigma dx$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $f$  and  $m$ .

To conclude this section, we state a variation of the Hardy inequalities found in [3, page 196]. The proof of these lemmas follow from a change to polar coordinates and the original Hardy inequalities.

**Lemma 1.5.** *If  $g$  is defined on  $\mathbf{R}^n$ ,  $q \geq 1$  and  $t > 0$ , then*

$$\int_0^\infty \left( \int_{|y|<r} |g(y)| dy \right)^q r^{-t-1} dr \leq C \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} |g(y)|^q |y|^{nq-t-n} dy$$

where  $C$  depends only on  $t$ ,  $q$  and  $n$ .

**Lemma 1.6.** *If  $g$  is defined on  $\mathbf{R}^n$ ,  $q \geq 1$  and  $t > 0$ , then*

$$\int_0^\infty \left( \int_{|y|>r} |g(y)| dy \right)^q r^{t-1} dr \leq C \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} |g(y)|^q |y|^{nq+t-n} dy$$

where  $C$  depends only on  $t$ ,  $q$  and  $n$ .

**2. Preliminaries.** Throughout this section and the following sections,  $p'$  will denote the exponent conjugate to  $p$ . Also, we will denote by  $B_s$  the norm  $B(m, s, \lambda)$  when no confusion arises.

**Lemma 2.1.** *Suppose that  $1 \leq s \leq 2$  and  $1 \leq p < \infty$ . Set  $t = \min(p', s)$ , and let  $\lambda$  be a nonnegative real number. Let  $\alpha$  be a multi-index such that  $0 \leq |\alpha| \leq \lambda$ . If  $m$  is in  $M(s, \lambda)$  and  $2^j R > 1$ , then*

$$(11) \quad \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C B_s(2^j R)^{(|\alpha|-\lambda+n/t)} R^{n/p-(|\alpha|+n)}$$

where  $C$  depends only on  $\lambda$  and  $n$ .

*Proof.* We first consider the case where  $\lambda$  is an integer. Note that for  $x$  in the annulus  $\{x : R < |x| < 2R\}$  and each multi-index  $\beta$ ,

$$\sum_{|\beta|=\lambda} |x^\beta| \geq CR^\lambda.$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \\ & \leq CR^{-\lambda} \sum_{|\beta|=\lambda} \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |x^\beta D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p}. \end{aligned}$$

By hypothesis,  $p \leq t'$ , so by Hölder's inequality and the Hausdorff Young inequality, we have the bound

$$(12) \quad CR^{-\lambda} R^{n(1/p-1/t')} \sum_{|\beta|=\lambda} \left( \int_{R^n} |D^\beta x^\alpha \phi(2^{-j}x)m(x)|^t dx \right)^{1/t}.$$

Note that for each  $j$ ,  $(2^{-j}x)^\alpha \phi(2^{-j}x)m(x)$  is in  $M(t, \lambda)$  with a norm that is less than or equal to  $CB(m, t, \lambda)$ . Also note that the function is supported in  $|x| \sim 2^j$ . Consequently, with these facts, the  $M(t, \lambda)$  condition,  $B_t \leq CB_s$ , and  $1/p - 1/t' = 1/p - 1 + 1/t$  we have (12) is

$$\begin{aligned} & \leq CB_t R^{-\lambda} R^{n(1/p-1+1/t)} 2^{j|\alpha|} 2^{jn/(t-\lambda)} \\ & \leq CB_s (2^j R)^{(|\alpha|-\lambda+n/t)} R^{n/p-(|\alpha|+n)}. \end{aligned}$$

This concludes the proof where  $\lambda$  is an integer.

If  $\lambda$  is not an integer, set  $\lambda = l + \gamma$ , where  $l$  is the integer part of  $\lambda$ . Let  $\beta$  be a multi-index with  $\beta_1 + \dots + \beta_n = l$ , and set  $z_\beta = \beta / (4R|\beta|)$ , where  $|\beta|$  is the Euclidean norm of  $\beta$ . Then  $|\pm z_\beta| = 1/(4R) \leq 2^j/4 < 2^{j-1}$ . Also

$$\sum_{|\beta|=l} |x^\beta \sin(x \cdot z_\beta)| \geq CR^l > 0$$

for  $x$  in the annulus  $\{x : R < |x| < 2R\}$ . Note that multiplying by sine factors corresponds to taking differences on the Fourier transform side. Thus, we have the following inequalities

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \\ & \leq CR^{-l} \sum_{|\beta|=l} \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |x^\beta \sin(x \cdot z_\beta) D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p}. \end{aligned}$$

Hölder’s inequality and the Hausdorff Young inequality imply this is

$$\leq C R^{-l+n(1/p-1/t')} \left( \int_{R^n} |D^\beta F_j(x+z_\beta) - D^\beta F_j(x-z_\beta)|^t dx \right)^{1/t}$$

where  $F_j(x) = x^\alpha \phi(2^{-j}x)m(x)$ . As before,  $2^{-j|\alpha|}F_j(x)$  is in  $M(t, \lambda)$  for  $j$  with a norm that is less than or equal to  $CB(m, s, \lambda)$ . Also note that the functions in the integrand are supported in  $|x| \sim 2^j$  and, as shown above,  $|z_\beta| < 2^j/2$ . Consequently, we have by the  $M(t, \lambda)$  condition that the above is

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq C B_t R^{-l} R^{n(1/p-1+t)} 2^{j|\alpha|} \left( \frac{|z_\beta|}{2^j} \right)^\gamma 2^{j(n/t-l)} \\ &\leq C B_s (2^j R)^{|\alpha|-\lambda+n/t} R^{n/p-(|\alpha|+n)}. \end{aligned}$$

This concludes the proof of the lemma.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.2.** *Suppose  $1 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $1 \leq p < \infty$ , and  $R > 0$ . Set  $t = \min(p', s)$ . Let  $\lambda$  be a real number such that  $\lambda > n/t$ . If  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$  and  $\alpha$  is a multi-index such that  $0 \leq |\alpha| < \lambda - n/t$ , then*

$$(13) \quad \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha K_N(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C B_s R^{n/p-(|\alpha|+n)}$$

where  $C$  depends only on  $\lambda$  and  $n$ .

*Proof.* We have by Minkowski’s inequality,

$$(14) \quad \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha K_N(x)|^p dx \right) \leq \sum_{j=-N}^N \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p}.$$

We will dominate the sum on the right by an infinite series and thus obtain a bound for the lefthand side that is independent of  $N$ .

Let  $J$  be the first integer such that  $2^j R > 1$  for  $j \geq J$ . Consequently,  $2^j R \leq 1$  for  $j < J$  and

$$\begin{aligned} |D^\alpha k_j(x)| &= |(x^\alpha \phi(2^{-j}x)m(x))^\sim| \\ &\leq C \|m\|_\infty 2^{j(|\alpha|+n)} \\ &\leq C B_s 2^{j(|\alpha|+n)}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C B_s (2^j R)^{(|\alpha|+n)} R^{n/p - (|\alpha|+n)}$$

for  $j < J$ .

If  $j \geq J$ , then Lemma 2.1 implies

$$\left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C B_s (2^j R)^{|\alpha| - \lambda + n/t} R^{n/p - (|\alpha|+n)}.$$

Now set  $\varepsilon = |\alpha| + n$  and  $\delta = |\alpha| - \lambda + n/t$ . With these values, the sum on the right in (14) is dominated by  $C B_s R^{n/p - (|\alpha|+n)}$  times

$$\sum_{-\infty}^{J-1} (2^j R)^\varepsilon + \sum_{j=J}^{\infty} (2^j R)^\delta \leq 2.$$

This completes the proof of the theorem.  $\square$

The following two lemmas will be used to prove Theorem 2.5.

**Lemma 2.3.** *Suppose  $1 \leq s \leq 2$  and  $1 \leq p < \infty$ . Set  $t = \min(p', s)$ . Let  $\lambda$  be a real number and  $L$  an integer such that  $0 \leq L < \lambda - n/t < L + 1$ . Let  $R > 0$  and  $y \in \mathbf{R}^n$  with  $|y| < R/2$ . If  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$  and  $j$  is an integer such that  $2^j |y| > 1$ , then there exists a  $C$  such that*

$$(15) \quad \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |k_j(x-y) - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq L} \frac{(-y)^\alpha}{|\alpha|!} D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \\ \leq C B_s (2^j |y|)^{L - \lambda + n/t} \left( \frac{|y|}{R} \right)^{\lambda - n/t} R^{n(1/p-1)}$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $y$ ,  $R$  and  $j$ .

*Proof.* To prove (15), note that  $|y| < R/2$  and Lemma 2.1 with  $|\alpha| = 0$  imply

$$(16) \quad \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |k_j(x-y)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \\ \leq C B_s (2^j |y|)^{(n/t - \lambda)} \left( \frac{|y|}{R} \right)^{(\lambda - n/t)} R^{n(1/p-1)}.$$



Also, by the same lemma we have

$$(17) \quad \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |(-y)^\alpha D^\alpha k_j(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C B_s (2^j |y|)^{(n/t + |\alpha| - \lambda)} \left( \frac{|y|}{R} \right)^{(\lambda - n/t)} R^{n(1/p - 1)}.$$

Since  $|\alpha| \leq L$  and  $2^j |y| > 1$ , (16) and (17) are bounded by the righthand side of (15). This concludes the proof of the lemma.  $\square$

**Lemma 2.4.** *Suppose that  $1 \leq s \leq 2$  and  $1 \leq p < \infty$ . Set  $t = \min(p', s)$ . Let  $\lambda$  be a real number and  $L$  an integer such that  $0 \leq L < \lambda - n/t < L + 1$ . Let  $R > 0$  and  $y \in \mathbf{R}^n$  with  $|y| < R/2$ . If  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$  and  $j$  is an integer such that  $2^j |y| \leq 1$ , then there exists a  $C$  such that*

$$(18) \quad \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} \left| k_j(x - y) - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq L} \frac{(-y)^\alpha}{|\alpha|!} D^\alpha k_j(x) \right|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C B_s (2^j |y|)^{L + 1 - \lambda + n/t} \left( \frac{|y|}{R} \right)^{\lambda - n/t} R^{n(1/p - 1)}$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $y$ ,  $R$  and  $j$ .

*Proof.* To prove (18), we consider the two cases when  $\lambda$  is an integer and when  $\lambda$  is a noninteger.

We first consider the case when  $\lambda$  is an integer. As in the proof of Lemma 2.1, on the annulus  $\{x : R < |x| < 2R\}$  we have  $\sum_{|\beta| = \lambda} |x^\beta| \geq C R^\lambda$ . Hence, the lefthand side of (18) is bounded by

$$C R^{-\lambda} \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} \left( \sum_{|\beta| = \lambda} \left| x^\beta (k_j(x - y) - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq L} \frac{(-y)^\alpha}{|\alpha|!} D^\alpha k_j(x)) \right| \right)^p dx \right)^{1/p}.$$

By Hölder's inequality and the Hausdorff Young inequality, this is

$$(19) \quad \leq C \sum_{|\beta|=\lambda} R^{-\lambda+n(1/p-1/t')} \\ \times \left( \int_{R^n} \left| D^\beta \left[ \left( e^{-ix \cdot y} - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq L} \frac{(-i)^{|\alpha|} x^\alpha y^\alpha}{|\alpha|!} \right) m_j(x) \right] \right|^t dx \right)^{1/t}.$$

Note that the support of  $m_j$  is in  $|x| \sim 2^j$ . By the Leibnitz formula and the fact that  $m_j \in M(s, \lambda)$  with norm bounded by  $CB(m, s, \lambda)$ , we have the integral in (19) is equal to

$$\left( \int_{|x| \sim 2^j} \left| \sum_{\eta+\kappa=\beta} C_{\eta, \kappa} D^\eta \left[ e^{-ix \cdot y} - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq L} \frac{(-i)^{|\alpha|} x^\alpha y^\alpha}{|\alpha|!} \right] D^\kappa m_j(x) \right|^t dx \right)^{1/t} \\ \leq C \sum_{\eta+\kappa=\beta} \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |D^\eta g(x, y) D^\kappa m_j(x)|^t dx \right)^{1/t}$$

where  $g(x, y) = e^{-ix \cdot y} - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq L} (-i)^{|\alpha|} x^\alpha y^\alpha / |\alpha|!$ . Taylor's theorem then implies this is

$$\leq C \sum_{\eta+\kappa=\beta} |y|^{L+1} 2^{(L+1-|\eta|)} \left( \int_{|x| \sim 2^j} |D^\kappa m_j(x)|^t dx \right)^{1/t} \\ \leq CB_t |y|^{L+1} 2^{j(L+1-\lambda+n/t)}.$$

From this and (19) it follows that the lefthand side of (18) is bounded by

$$CB_t R^{-\lambda} R^{n(1/p-1/t')} |y|^{L+1} 2^{j(L+1-\lambda+n/t)}.$$

When we rearrange terms, we have the righthand side of (18). This concludes the proof when  $\lambda$  is an integer.

For the case where  $\lambda$  is a noninteger, we assume  $2^j R \leq 1$ . If  $2^j R > 1$ , the proof is similar to Lemma 2.1.

Let  $\lambda = l + \gamma$  with  $l$  the integer part of  $\lambda$ . To avoid confusion, let  $|\cdot|_E$  denote the Euclidean norm and  $|\cdot|_M$  the multi-index norm. For

$\beta$  such that  $|\beta|_M = l$ , set

$$z_\beta = \frac{2^j |y|_E}{R} \frac{\beta}{|\beta|_E}.$$

Note that for  $R < |x| < 2R$ , we have

$$\sum_{|\beta|=l} |x^\beta \cos(x \cdot z_\beta)| \geq CR^l.$$

We multiply by these cosine factors noting that this corresponds to taking sums on the Fourier transform side. Hence, the lefthand side of (18) is bounded by

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{|\beta|=l} CR^{-l} \\ & \times \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} \left| x^\beta \cos(x \cdot z_\beta) (k_j(x-y) - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq L} \frac{(-y)^\alpha}{|\alpha|!} D^\alpha k_j(x)) \right|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \\ & \leq \sum_{|\beta|=l} CR^{-l+n(1/p-1/t')} \\ & \times \left( \int_{R^n} |D^\beta [g(x+z_\beta, y)m_j(x+z_\beta) + g(x-z_\beta, y)m_j(x-z_\beta)]|^t dx \right)^{1/t}, \end{aligned}$$

with  $g(x, y)$  defined as above. By definition,  $|\pm z_\beta| < 2^j/2$  and the functions in the integrand are supported in  $|x| \sim 2^j$ . For these  $x$ ,  $|x \pm z_\beta| \leq C2^j$ . Hence, by Taylor's theorem,

$$(20) \quad |D^\eta g(x \pm z_\beta, y)| \leq C|y|^{L+1} 2^{j(L+1-|\eta|)}$$

for each multi-index  $\eta$ .

By the Liebnitz formula for derivatives we have the above bounded by

$$(21) \quad \sum_{|\beta|=l} CR^{-l+n(1/p-1/t')} \left( \int_{|x| \sim 2^j} \left| \sum_{\eta+\kappa=\beta} C_{\eta,\kappa} \Psi_{\eta,\kappa}(x, z_\beta, y) \right|^t dx \right)^{1/t}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi_{\eta,\kappa}(x, z_\beta, y) &= D^\eta g(x + z_\beta, y) D^\kappa m_j(x + z_\beta) \\ &\quad + D^\eta g(x - z_\beta, y) D^\kappa m_j(x - z_\beta). \end{aligned}$$

If we add and subtract  $m_j(x)$  in the argument of  $D^\kappa$  and use Minkowski's inequality, we get that (21) is bounded by

$$(22) \quad C \sum_{|\beta|=l} R^{-l+n(1/p-1/t')} \sum_{\eta+\kappa=\beta} (I_1 + I_2 + I_3)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= \left( \int_{|x|\sim 2^j} |D^\eta g(x + z_\beta, y) D^\kappa (m_j(x + z_\beta) - m_j(x))|^t dx \right)^{1/t} \\ I_2 &= \left( \int_{|x|\sim 2^j} |D^\eta g(x - z_\beta, y) D^\kappa (m_j(x - z_\beta) - m_j(x))|^t dx \right)^{1/t} \\ I_3 &= \left( \int_{|x|\sim 2^j} |D^\eta (g(x + z_\beta, y) + g(x - z_\beta, y)) D^\kappa m_j(x)|^t dx \right)^{1/t}. \end{aligned}$$

The  $M(t, |\kappa| + \gamma)$  condition and (20) imply that  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  have the bound

$$CB(m, t, |\kappa| + \gamma) |y|^{L+1} 2^{j(L+1-|\eta|)} \left( \frac{|z_\beta|}{2^j} \right)^\gamma 2^{j(n/t-|\kappa|)}.$$

The  $M(t, l)$  condition and (20) implies that  $I_3$  has the bound

$$CB(m, t, l) |y|^{L+1} 2^{j(L+1-|\eta|)} 2^{j(n/t-|\kappa|)}.$$

Hence, we have (22) is bounded by

$$CB_s R^{-l+n(1/p-1+1/t)} |y|^{L+1} (2^{j(L+1-l-\gamma+n/t)} |z_\beta|^\gamma + 2^{j(1-l+n/t)}).$$

However,

$$|z_\beta|^\gamma = \left( \frac{2^j |y|}{R} \right)^\gamma \leq R^{-\gamma}$$

since  $2^j |y| \leq 1$ . Altogether, we have the bound

$$\begin{aligned} &CB_s R^{-l+n(1/p-1+1/t)} |y|^{L+1} 2^{j(L+1-l-\gamma+n/t)} R^{-\gamma} \\ &= CB_s (2^j |y|)^{(L+1-\lambda+n/t)} \left( \frac{|y|}{R} \right)^{(\lambda-n/t)} R^{n(1/p-1)}. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of the lemma.  $\square$

The proof of the following theorem is similar to that of Theorem 2.2.

**Theorem 2.5.** *Suppose that  $1 \leq s \leq 2$  and  $1 \leq p < \infty$ . Set  $t = \min(p', s)$  and let  $L$  be a nonnegative integer. Let  $\lambda$  be a real number such that  $0 \leq L < \lambda - n/t < L + 1$ . If  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$ , then there exists a  $C$  such that for each  $R > 0$  and  $|y| < R/2$*

$$(23) \quad \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} |K_N(x - y) - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq L} \frac{(-y)^\alpha}{|\alpha|!} D^\alpha K_N(x)|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C B_s \left( \frac{|y|}{R} \right)^{\lambda - n/t} R^{n(1/p - 1)}$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $y$ ,  $R$  and  $N$ .

*Proof.* As in the proof of Theorem 2.2, the integral on the left in (23) is dominated by

$$\sum_{j=-N}^N \left( \int_{|x| \sim R} \left| k_j(x - y) - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq L} \frac{(-y)^\alpha}{|\alpha|!} D^\alpha k_j(x) \right| dx \right)^{1/p}.$$

The terms in the sum are estimated by considering the two cases  $2^j|y| > 1$  and  $2^j|y| \leq 1$  and then applying Lemmas 2.3 and 2.4. The proof is then finished as in Theorem 2.2.  $\square$

The proof of the following lemmas and theorems are similar to those in [2] and are provided here for completeness.

**Lemma 2.6.** *Assume that  $1 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $n/s < \lambda < n$ , and  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$ . If  $1 < p < n/(n - \lambda)$  and  $p(n - \lambda) - n < \sigma < n(p - 1)$  and  $f$  is integrable, then*

$$\|K_N * f\|_{p, \sigma} \leq C B_s \|f\|_{p, \sigma}$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $m$ ,  $N$  and  $f$ .

*Proof.* We apply Lemma 1.3 with  $K(x, y) = K_N(x - y)$ ,  $a = -\sigma$ ,  $b = 0$  and  $U(x) = W(x) = |x|^\sigma$ . By Lemma 1.2 and Proposition 1.4, (7) is satisfied. Thus, we want to show that (9) and (10) have the bound  $CB_s^p \|f\|_{p, \sigma}^p$ .

For (9) we have

$$(24) \quad \int_0^\infty \left( \int_{|y| < r/4} \left( \int_{r/2 < |x| < 2r} |K_N(x - y)|^p |x|^\sigma dx \right)^{1/p} \times |f(y)| dy \right)^p \frac{dr}{r}.$$

Theorem 2.2 and the bounds on  $|x|$  and  $|y|$  imply that this is bounded by

$$CB_s^p \int_0^\infty r^{\sigma-1+n(1-p)} \left( \int_{|y| < r/4} |f(y)| dy \right)^p dr.$$

But, since  $\sigma < n(p-1)$ , Lemma 1.5 applies to give the bound

$$CB_s^p \int_{R^n} |f(y)|^p |y|^{np-(n(p-1)-\sigma)-n} dy = CB_s^p \int_{R^n} |f(y)|^p |y|^\sigma dy$$

which is the desired bound for (24).

We now turn to the estimate of (10). We have by hypothesis that  $\sigma > p(n-\lambda)$ . Hence,

$$\frac{np}{\sigma+n} < \frac{n}{n-\lambda},$$

and we can choose  $q$  such that

$$\max \left( p, \frac{np}{\sigma+n} \right) < q < \frac{n}{n-\lambda}.$$

With this  $q$ , we apply Hölder's inequality on the inner integral, and the bounds on  $|x|$  and  $|y|$  to obtain (10) are less than or equal to a constant times

$$\int_0^\infty \left( \int_{|y| > 4r} \left( \int_{|y|/2 < |x-y| < 2|y|} |K_N(x-y)|^q \frac{dx}{r^n} \right)^{1/q} \times |f(y)| dy \right)^p r^{\sigma+n-1} dr.$$

By Theorem 2.2, this is

$$(25) \quad \leq C \int_0^\infty \left( \int_{|y|>4r} |y|^{-n+n/q} |f(y)| dy \right)^p r^{\sigma+n-np/q-1} dr.$$

We set  $t = \sigma + n - np/q > 0$  and apply Lemma 1.6 to obtain (25) is

$$\leq CB_s^p \int_{R^n} |f(y)|^p |y|^\sigma dy.$$

This completes the proof of the lemma.  $\square$

By duality, we have

**Lemma 2.7.** *Assume that  $1 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $n/s < \lambda < n$ , and  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$ . If  $n/\lambda < p < \infty$  and  $-n < \sigma < p\lambda - n$  and  $f$  is integrable, then*

$$\|K_N * f\|_{p, \sigma} \leq CB_s \|f\|_{p, \sigma}$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $m$ ,  $N$  and  $f$ .

**Theorem 2.8.** *Assume that  $1 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $n/s < \lambda < n$ ,  $m \in M(s, \lambda)$  and  $1 < p < \infty$ . If  $\sigma$  is a real number such that*

$$\max(-n, -p\lambda) < \sigma < \min(n(p-1), p\lambda)$$

and  $f$  is a Schwartz function, then

$$\|T_m f\|_{p, \sigma} \leq CB_s \|f\|_{p, \sigma}$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $m$  and  $f$ .

*Proof.* We fix  $p$  and  $\sigma$  satisfying the hypothesis of the theorem and observe that

$$\frac{np}{np - \sigma} < \min\left(p, \frac{n}{n - \lambda}\right).$$

Thus, we can choose a  $\tilde{p}_0$  such that

$$\frac{np}{np - \sigma} < \tilde{p}_0 < \min\left(p, \frac{n}{n - \lambda}\right)$$

that also satisfies

$$\frac{n}{\tilde{p}_0} < n - \frac{\sigma}{p}.$$

Hence, there is an  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that

$$n - \frac{\sigma}{p} - \lambda < \frac{n}{\tilde{p}_0 - \varepsilon} < n - \frac{\sigma}{p}$$

and

$$\tilde{p}_0 - \varepsilon < \min\left(p, \frac{n}{n - \lambda}\right).$$

We set  $p_0 = \tilde{p}_0 - \varepsilon$  and observe

$$p_0(n - \lambda) - n < \frac{\sigma p_0}{p} < n(p_0 - 1)$$

with

$$1 < p_0 < \min\left(p, \frac{n}{n - \lambda}\right).$$

Thus,  $p_0$  and  $\sigma p_0/p$  satisfy the hypothesis of Lemma 2.6 from which we have

$$\int_{R^n} |K_N * f(x)|^{p_0} |x|^{\sigma p_0/p} dx \leq C B_s^{p_0} \int_{R^n} |f(x)|^{p_0} |x|^{\sigma p_0/p} dx.$$

Similarly, choose  $p_1$  such that

$$\max\left(\frac{n}{\lambda}, p\right) < p_1 < \infty$$

and

$$-n < \frac{\sigma p_1}{p} < p_1 \lambda - n.$$

Lemma 2.7 implies

$$\int_{R^n} |K_N * f(x)|^{p_1} |x|^{\sigma p_1/p} dx \leq C B_s^{p_1} \int_{R^n} |f(x)|^{p_1} |x|^{\sigma p_1/p} dx.$$

Consequently, by the Riesz convexity theorem, we have

$$\|K_N * f\|_{p,\sigma} \leq C B_s \|f\|_{p,\sigma}.$$



The conclusion of the theorem then follows from Fatou's lemma.  $\square$

**3. Main result.** We now turn to the proof of Theorem 1.1.

We observe that if  $\lambda > n/s$ ,  $s > 1$ , and  $p\lambda < n(p-1)$ , then the theorem is a consequence of Theorem 2.8. For  $\lambda \geq n$ ,  $s = 1$  and  $\sigma < n(p-1)$ , the theorem follows from Proposition 1.4.

To complete the proof, it suffices to consider the case for  $\sigma, p$  such that

$$\min(p\lambda, -n + p(\lambda + n - n/s)) > \sigma > n(p-1)$$

with

$$\frac{\sigma + n}{np} = l + \gamma$$

where  $l$  is the integer part of  $(\sigma + n)/(np)$  and  $0 < n\gamma < 1$ .

We fix  $p, s, \lambda > n/s$  and  $\sigma > n(p-1)$  satisfying the hypothesis and let  $t = \min(p', s)$ . Then

$$n(lp-1) = \sigma - np\gamma < \sigma$$

and

$$n(lp-1) + p = \sigma p(1 - n\gamma) > \sigma$$

since  $1 - n\gamma > 0$ . Hence,

$$(26) \quad n(lp-1) < \sigma < n(lp-1) + p.$$

Also, since  $s \leq t$ , we have by hypothesis

$$\sigma < -n + p(n + \lambda - n/t)$$

from which we obtain

$$n(l-1 + 1/t) < \lambda.$$

Furthermore, by the monotonicity of the  $M(s, \lambda)$  condition, we can assume without loss of generality that

$$n(l-1 + 1/t) < \lambda < n(l-1 + 1/t) + 1.$$

With this inequality,  $\lambda$  satisfies the hypothesis of Theorem 2.5.

Now let

$$K(x, y) = K_N(x - y) - \sum_{|\beta| \leq n(t-1)} \frac{(-y)^\beta}{|\beta|!} D^\beta K_N(x)$$

$a = -\sigma$ ,  $b = 0$ , and  $U(x) = W(x) = |x|^\sigma$  in Lemma 1.3.

Since  $f$  is in  $S_{0,0}$  and thus has vanishing moment of all orders

$$\int_{R^n} K(x, y) f(y) dy = \int_{R^n} K_N(x - y) f(y) dy,$$

and the inequality (7) holds by Lemma 1.2 and Proposition 1.4. Hence, we need to show that (9) and (10) have the bound  $CB_s^p \|f\|_{p,\sigma}^p$ , i.e.,

$$(27) \quad \int_0^\infty \left( \int_{|y| < r/4} \left( \int_{r/2 < |x| < 2r} |K_N(x - y)|^p |x|^\sigma dx \right)^{1/p} \times |f(y)| dy \right)^p \frac{dr}{r}$$

and

$$(28) \quad \int_0^\infty \left( \int_{|y| > 4r} \left( \int_{r/2 < |x| < 2r} |K_N(x - y)|^p |x|^\sigma dx \right)^{1/p} \times |f(y)| dy \right)^p \frac{dr}{r}$$

have the bound  $CB_s^p \|f\|_{p,\sigma}^p$ .

For (27), replace  $|x|^\sigma$  by  $Cr^\sigma$ . Then Theorem 2.5 implies (27) has the bound

$$CB_s^p \int_0^\infty \left( \int_{|y| < r/4} \left( \frac{|y|}{r} \right)^{\lambda - n/t} |f(y)| dy \right)^p r^{\sigma + n(1-p) - p(\lambda - n/t) - 1} dr.$$

Since  $0 < -\sigma - n + p(n + \lambda - n/t)$ , Lemma 1.5 implies the latter is

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq CB_s^p \int_{R^n} |f(y)|^p |y|^{p(\lambda - n/t)} |y|^{np + \sigma + n(1-p) - p(\lambda - n/t) - n} dy \\ &= CB_s^p \|f\|_{p,\sigma}^p. \end{aligned}$$

We now consider (28). Note that the inner integral is bounded by a constant times the sum of

$$(29) \quad \int_{r/2 < |x| < 2r} |K_N(x)|^p r^\sigma dx$$

and

$$(30) \quad \sum_{|\beta| \leq n(l-1)} \int_{r/2 < |x| < 2r} |y|^{|\beta|p} |D^\beta K_N(x)|^p r^\sigma dx.$$

By Theorem 2.2, (29) and (30) are bounded by

$$C B_s^p r^{\sigma+n(1-p)} \left(\frac{|y|}{r}\right)^{n(1-p)}$$

and

$$C B_s^p r^{\sigma+n(1-p)} \left(\frac{|y|}{r}\right)^{|\beta|p},$$

respectively.

However, since  $|y|/r > 1$ , these are bounded by

$$C r^{\sigma+n(1-p)} \left(\frac{|y|}{r}\right)^{np(l-1)}.$$

Hence, (28) is bounded by

$$C B_s^p \int_0^\infty \left( \int_{|y| > 4r} |y|^{n(l-1)} |f(y)| dy \right)^p r^{\sigma+n-npl-1} dr.$$

As observed above,  $\sigma > n(pl - 1)$ . Hence we can apply Lemma 1.6 to obtain the bound

$$C B_s^p \int_{R^n} |f(y)|^p |y|^{pn(l-1)} |y|^{np+\sigma+n-npl-n} dy = C B_s^p \|f\|_{p,\sigma}^p.$$

Thus,  $\|K_N * f\|_{p,\sigma} \leq C B_s \|f\|_{p,\sigma}$  and an application of Fatou's lemma obtains the theorem.  $\square$

**4. Applications.** We have the following definition for the  $S_{1,0}^k$  symbol class of pseudo-differential operators.

**Definition 4.1.** Let  $\Omega$  be an open set of  $\mathbf{R}^n$  and  $k \in \mathbf{R}$ . We define the symbol class  $S_{1,0}^k$  to consist of the set of  $p \in C^\infty(\Omega \times \mathbf{R}^n)$  with the property that, for any compact  $A \subset \Omega$ , and multi-indices  $\alpha, \beta$ , there exists a constant  $C_{A,\alpha,\beta}$  such that

$$(31) \quad |D_x^\beta D_\xi^\alpha p(x, \xi)| \leq C_{A,\alpha,\beta} (1 + |\xi|)^{k-|\alpha|}$$

for all  $x \in A$  and  $\xi \in \mathbf{R}^n$ .

We may assume, without loss of generality, that  $p$  has compact support in the  $x$  variable.

For each symbol  $p \in S_{1,0}^k$ , we have an associated operator,  $p(x, D)$ , defined by

$$(32) \quad p(x, D)f = \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} p(x, \xi) \hat{f}(\xi) e^{ix \cdot \xi} d\xi.$$

Also, we define  $p_\eta(\xi)$  to be the inverse Fourier transform of  $p$  in the  $x$  variable, i.e.,

$$p_\eta(\xi) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^n} \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} p(x, \xi) e^{ix \cdot \eta} dx.$$

The following lemma shows that  $p_\eta$  belongs to  $M(s, \lambda)$  for each  $s$  and  $\lambda$ .

**Lemma 4.2.** *Let  $1 \leq s \leq 2$  and  $\lambda > 0$ . If  $k \geq 0$  and  $p \in S_{1,0}^k$ , then  $p_\eta \in M(s, \lambda)$  for each fixed  $\eta$ , and moreover,*

$$(33) \quad B(p_\eta, s, \lambda) \leq \frac{C}{1 + |\eta|^{2n}}$$

where  $C$  is independent of  $\eta$ .

*Proof.* We will show that the lemma holds whenever  $\lambda$  is a positive integer, and the general case will follow from the monotonicity of the  $M(s, \lambda)$  condition.

Let  $\lambda$  be a positive integer. Given a multi-index  $\alpha$  and  $r > 0$ , we prove that for each  $\eta$ ,

$$(34) \quad \left( \int_{r < |\xi| < 2r} |D_\xi^\alpha p_\eta(\xi)|^s d\xi \right)^{1/s} \leq \frac{Cr^{n/s-|\alpha|}}{1 + |\eta|^{2n}}.$$

Equation (33) will then follow from the definition of the  $M(s, \lambda)$  condition.

We observe that for an arbitrary multi-index  $\beta$ ,

$$|\eta^\beta D_\xi^\alpha p_\eta(\xi)| \leq C \int_{R^n} |D_x^\beta D_\xi^\alpha p(x, \xi)| dx.$$

Thus, since we have assumed that  $p$  has compact support in the  $x$  variable and  $\beta$  is arbitrary, we have

$$(35) \quad |D_\xi^\alpha p_\eta(\xi)| \leq C \frac{(1 + |\xi|)^{k-|\alpha|}}{1 + |\eta|^{2n}}.$$

The righthand side of (34) follows readily from (35). This concludes the proof of the lemma.  $\square$

**Theorem 4.3.** *Let  $\sigma$  be a real number satisfying the hypothesis of Theorem 1.1. Let  $k \leq 0$  and assume that  $1 < p < \infty$ . If  $P \in S_{1,0}^k$ , then*

$$(36) \quad \|P(\cdot, D)f\|_{p,\sigma} \leq C \|f\|_{p,\sigma}$$

for  $f \in S_{0,0}$  with  $C$  independent of  $f$ .

*Proof.* All of the functions involved in the definition of  $P(x, D)f$  are absolutely integrable. Hence, we may switch the order of integration to obtain

$$P(x, D)f = C \int_{R^n} e^{-ix \cdot \eta} \left[ \int_{R^n} e^{ix \cdot \xi} P_\eta(\xi) \hat{f}(\xi) d\xi \right] d\eta.$$

We note that the inner integral is precisely  $T_{P_\eta} f(x)$ . Consequently, the lefthand side of (36) is equal to

$$\left( \int_{R^n} \left| \int_{R^n} e^{-ix \cdot \eta} T_{P_\eta} f(x) dx \right|^p |x|^\sigma dx \right)^{1/p}$$

and by Minkowski's integral inequality, this is bounded by

$$\int_{R^n} \left( \int_{R^n} |T_{P_\eta} f(x)|^p |x|^\sigma dx \right)^{1/p} d\eta.$$

Lemma 4.2 and Theorem 1.1 imply that this is bounded by the righthand side of (36). This concludes the proof of the theorem.  $\square$

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