

On sharp weighted L^p -estimates for pseudo-multipliers associated to Grushin operators

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- By the use of the Plancherel Theorem it is easy to see that T_m is bounded on $L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

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Theorem (Mihlin-Hörmander multiplier theorem)

Let m be a smooth function such that

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for all $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n$ such that $|\alpha| \leq \lfloor n/2 \rfloor + 1$. Then the operator T_m is bounded on $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ for $1 < p < \infty$.

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Theorem (Calderón-Vaillancourt, 1971)

Let $m \in S_{\rho,\delta}^0$, with $0 \leq \delta \leq \rho \leq 1$, $\delta \neq 1$. Then the operator $m(x, D)$, initially defined on $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, extends to a bounded operator from $L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)$ to itself.

Weighted Boundedness on Euclidean space

Definition (A_p class)

- Let $1 < p < \infty$. A weight w is said to be in class A_p if

$$[w]_{A_p} = \sup_Q \left(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_Q w \, dx \right) \left(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_Q w^{1-p'} \, dx \right)^{p-1} < \infty,$$

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$$H = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (2k + n) P_k$$

where P_k stands for the orthogonal projection of $L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)$ onto the eigenspace for the Hermite operator corresponding to the eigenvalue $2k + n$.

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- By increasing the values of l upto $n + 1$, they also prove that $m(x, H)$ is bounded on $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n, wdx)$ for $1 < p < \infty$, $w \in A_p$.

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- The above implies that the space $(\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2}, d, |\cdot|)$ is a homogeneous metric space, that is, the underlying measure satisfies the following doubling condition

$$|B(x, sr)| \lesssim_{n_1, n_2, \kappa} (1+s)^Q |B(x, r)|$$

for $s > 0$, where Q denotes the homogeneous dimension $n_1 + (1 + \varkappa)n_2$.

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- Given a bounded measurable function m on $\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2} \times \mathbb{R}_+$, we consider the Grushin pseudo-multiplier $m(\cdot, G_{\varkappa})$, defined by

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for Schwartz class functions f on $\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2}$.

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Main result

Theorem (Bagchi-B.-Garg-Ghosh, 2021)

Let $m : \mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2} \times \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be such that for all $0 \leq l \leq Q + 1$

$$\left| \partial_\tau^l m(x, \tau) \right| \lesssim_{\Gamma, l} (1 + \tau)^{-l}.$$

Assume also that the pseudo-multiplier operator $m(x, G_x)$ is bounded on $L^2(\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2})$. Then $m(x, G_x)$ is of weak type $(1, 1)$ and as a consequence $m(x, G_x) : L^p(\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2}) \rightarrow L^p(\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2})$ is bounded for $1 < p < 2$.

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$$\|\mathcal{A}_{r,S}f\|_{L^p(w)} \lesssim [w]_{A_{p/r}(\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2})}^{\max\{\frac{1}{p-r}, 1\}} \|f\|_{L^p(w)}.$$

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$$\mathcal{M}_{T,s}^\# f(x) = \sup_{B \in \mathcal{S}: B \ni x} \sup_{y, z \in B} |T(f\chi_{\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2} \setminus sB})(y) - T(f\chi_{\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2} \setminus sB})(z)|.$$

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Theorem (Lerner-Ombrosi, 2020; Lorist, 2021)

Let T be a sublinear operator of weak-type (p, p) and $\mathcal{M}_{T,\alpha}^\#$ is weak type (q, q) , where $1 \leq p, q < \infty$ and $s \geq \frac{3c^2}{\delta}$. Let $r = \max\{p, q\}$. Then for every compactly supported bounded measurable function f , there exist a η -sparse family $S \subset \mathcal{S}$ such that

$$|Tf(x)| \leq C\mathcal{A}_{r,S}f(x)$$

for almost every x .

Weighted boundedness results

Theorem (Bagchi-B.-Garg-Ghosh, 2021)

For a fixed $0 \leq \delta < 1$, let $m \in L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2} \times \mathbb{R}_+)$ be such that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \partial_\eta^l m(x, \eta) \right| \leq_l (1 + \eta)^{-l}, \quad \text{for all } l \leq \lfloor Q/2 \rfloor + 1, \\ \text{and } & \left| X_x \partial_\eta^l m(x, \eta) \right| \leq_{l, \delta} (1 + \eta)^{-l + \frac{\delta}{2}}, \quad \text{for all } l \leq \lfloor Q/2 \rfloor. \end{aligned}$$

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Weighted boundedness results

Theorem (Bagchi-B.-Garg-Ghosh, 2021)

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- Given $T \in \mathcal{B}(L^2(\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2}))$, we break it into a countable sum of operators as follows. For each $j \in \mathbb{N}$, let us define

$$T_j = TS_j$$

where S_j 's are the Grushin multiplier operators $S_j = \psi_j(G_x)$. Then, we have $T = \sum_j T_j$ with convergence in the strong operator topology of $\mathcal{B}(L^2(\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2}))$.

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Theorem (Bagchi-B.-Garg-Ghosh, 2021)

Let $T \in \mathcal{B}(L^2(\mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2}))$. Suppose that the integral kernels $T_j(x, y)$ satisfy conditions (1) and (2) for some $R_0 > Q/2$. Then, we have the following pointwise almost everywhere estimate

$$\mathcal{M}_{T,s}^\# f(x) \lesssim_{T,s} \mathcal{M}_2 f(x),$$

for every bounded measurable function f with compact support.






Lemma (Bagchi-B.-Garg-Ghosh, 2021)

For $2 \leq p \leq \infty$ and every $\tau > 0$ and $\epsilon > 0$, we have






$$\begin{aligned} & |B(x, R^{-1})|^{1/2} \left\| |B(\cdot, R^{-1})|^{1/2-1/p} (1 + Rd(x, \cdot))^\tau X_x^\Gamma K_{m(x, G_x)}(x, \cdot) \right\|_p \\ & \lesssim_{\Gamma, p, \tau, \epsilon} \sup_{x_0} \sum_{\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2 = \Gamma} R^{|\Gamma_1|} \|X_{x_0}^{\Gamma_2} m(x_0, R^2 \cdot)\|_{W_{\tau+\epsilon}^\infty}, \end{aligned}$$

for all $\Gamma \in \mathbb{N}^{n_0}$ and for every bounded Borel function $m : \mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ whose support in the last variable is in $[0, R^2]$ for any $R > 0$.

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