

CONTINUITY FOR MAXIMAL COMMUTATOR OF BOCHNER-RIESZ OPERATORS ON SOME WEIGHTED HARDY SPACES

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We show the boundedness for the commutator of Bochner-Riesz operator on some weighted H^1 space.

1. Introduction

Let b be a locally integrable function. The maximal operator $B_{*,b}^\delta$ associated with the commutator generated by the Bochner-Riesz operator is defined by

$$B_{*,b}^\delta(f)(x) = \sup_{r>0} |B_{r,b}^\delta(f)(x)|, \quad (1.1)$$

where

$$B_{r,b}^\delta(f)(x) = \int_{R^n} B_r^\delta(x-y)f(y)(b(x)-b(y))dy \quad (1.2)$$

and $(B_r^\delta(\hat{f}))(\xi) = (1-r^2|\xi|^2)_+^\delta \hat{f}(\xi)$. We also define that

$$B_*^\delta(f)(x) = \sup_{r>0} |B_r^\delta(f)(x)|, \quad (1.3)$$

which is the Bochner-Riesz operator (see [8]). Let E be the space $E = \{h : \|h\| = \sup_{r>0} |h(r)| < \infty\}$, then, for each fixed $x \in R^n$, $B_r^\delta(f)(x)$ may be viewed as a mapping from $[0, +\infty)$ to E , and it is clear that $B_*^\delta(f)(x) = \|B_r^\delta(f)(x)\|$ and $B_{*,b}^\delta(f)(x) = \|b(x)B_r^\delta(f)(x) - B_r^\delta(bf)(x)\|$.

As well known, a classical result of Coifman et al. [4] proved that the commutator $[b, T]$ generated by $BMO(R^n)$ functions and the Calderón-Zygmund operator is bounded on $L^p(R^n)$ ($1 < p < \infty$). However, it was observed that $[b, T]$ is not bounded, in general, from $H^p(R^n)$ to $L^p(R^n)$ and from $L^1(R^n)$ to $L^{1,\infty}(R^n)$ for $p \leq 1$. But, if $H^p(R^n)$ is replaced by some suitable atomic space $H_b^p(R^n)$ and $H_B^1(R^n)$ (see [1, 6, 7, 9]), then $[b, T]$ maps continuously $H_b^p(R^n)$ into $L^p(R^n)$ and $H_B^1(R^n)$ into weak $L^1(R^n)$ for $p \in (n/(n+1), 1]$. The main purpose of this paper is to establish the weighted boundedness of the commutators

related to Bochner-Riesz operator and $BMO(R^n)$ function on some weighted H^1 space. We first introduce some definitions (see [1, 6, 7, 9]).

Definition 1.1. Let b, w be locally integrable functions and $w \in A_1$ (i.e., $Mw(x) \leq cw(x)$ a.e.). A bounded measurable function a on R^n is said to be (w, b) -atom if

- (i) $\text{supp } a \subset B = B(x_0, r)$,
- (ii) $\|a\|_{L^\infty} \leq w(B)^{-1}$,
- (iii) $\int a(y)dy = \int a(y)b(y)dy = 0$.

A temperate distribution f is said to belong to $H_b^1(w)$ if, in the Schwartz distributional sense, it can be written as

$$f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \lambda_j a_j(x), \tag{1.4}$$

where a_j 's are (w, b) -atoms, $\lambda_j \in \mathbb{C}$, and $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| < \infty$. Moreover, $\|f\|_{H_b^1(w)} \sim \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\lambda_j|$.

Definition 1.2. Let $w \in A_1$. A function f is said to belong to weighted Block H^1 space $H_B^1(w)$ if f can be written as (1.4), where a_j 's are w -atoms (i.e., a_j 's satisfy Definition 1.1(i), (ii), and (iii)' $\int a(y)dy = 0$) and $\lambda_j \in \mathbb{C}$ with

$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| \left(1 + \log^+ \frac{1}{|\lambda_j|}\right) < \infty. \tag{1.5}$$

Moreover, $\|f\|_{H_B^1(w)} \sim \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| (1 + \log^+ ((\sum_i |\lambda_i|)/|\lambda_j|))$.

Now, we formulate our results as follows.

THEOREM 1.3. *Let $b \in BMO(R^n)$ and $w \in A_1$. Then the maximal commutator $B_{*,b}^\delta$ is bounded from $H_b^1(w)$ to $L_w^1(R^n)$ when $\delta > (n - 1)/2$.*

THEOREM 1.4. *Let $b \in BMO(R^n)$ and $w \in A_1$. Then the maximal commutator $B_{*,b}^\delta$ is bounded from $H_B^1(w)$ to $L_w^{1,\infty}(R^n)$ when $\delta > (n - 1)/2$.*

THEOREM 1.5. *Let $b \in BMO(R^n)$ and $w \in A_1$. Then the maximal commutator $B_{*,b}^\delta$ is bounded from $H^1(w)$ to $L_w^{1,\infty}(R^n)$ when $\delta > (n - 1)/2$.*

2. Proof of theorems

Proof of Theorem 1.3. It suffices to show that there exists a constant $C > 0$ such that for every (w, b) -atom a ,

$$\|B_{*,b}^\delta(a)\|_{L_w^1} \leq C. \tag{2.1}$$

Let a be a (w, b) -atom supported on a ball $B = B(x_0, R)$. We write

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{R^n} [B_{*,b}^\delta(a)(x)]w(x)dx \\ &= \int_{|x-x_0| \leq 2R} [B_{*,b}^\delta(a)(x)]w(x)dx + \int_{|x-x_0| > 2R} [B_{*,b}^\delta(a)(x)]w(x)dx \equiv I + II. \end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

For I , taking $q > 1$, by Hölder's inequality and the L^q -boundedness of $B_{*,b}^\delta$ (see [2]), we see that

$$I \leq C \|B_{*,b}^\delta(a)\|_{L_w^q} \cdot w(2B)^{1-1/q} \leq C \|a\|_{L_w^q} w(B)^{1-1/q} \leq C. \tag{2.3}$$

For II , let $b_0 = |B(x_0, R)|^{-1} \int_{B(x_0, R)} b(y) dy$, then

$$\begin{aligned} II &\leq \sum_{k=1}^\infty \int_{2^{k+1}R \geq |x-x_0| > 2^kR} |b(x) - b_0| B_*^\delta(a)(x) w(x) dx \\ &\quad + \sum_{k=1}^\infty \int_{2^{k+1}R \geq |x-x_0| > 2^kR} B_*^\delta((b - b_0)a)(x) w(x) dx = II_1 + II_2. \end{aligned} \tag{2.4}$$

For II_1 , we choose δ_0 such that

$$\frac{n-1}{2} < \delta_0 < \min\left(\delta, \frac{n+1}{2}\right) \tag{2.5}$$

and consider the following two cases.

Case 1 ($0 < r \leq R$). In this case, note that (see [8])

$$|B^\delta(z)| \leq C(1 + |z|)^{-(\delta+(n+1)/2)}, \tag{2.6}$$

we have, for $|x - x_0| > 2|y - x_0|$,

$$\begin{aligned} |B_r^\delta(a)(x)| &\leq Cr^{-n} \int_{B(x_0, R)} \frac{|a(y)|}{(1 + |x - y|/r)^{\delta+(n+1)/2}} dy \\ &\leq C|B|^{(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} |2^{k+1}B|^{-(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} w(B)^{-1}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.7}$$

Case 2 ($r > R$). In this case, note that

$$|\nabla^\beta B^\delta(z)| \leq C(1 + |z|)^{-(\delta+(n+1)/2)} \tag{2.8}$$

for any $\beta = (\beta_1, \dots, \beta_n) \in (\mathbb{N} \cup \{0\})^n$ and $|x - x_0| > 2|y - x_0|$, where

$$\nabla^\beta = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}\right)^{\beta_1} \cdots \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_n}\right)^{\beta_n}, \tag{2.9}$$

by the vanishing condition of a , we gain

$$\begin{aligned} |B_r^\delta(a)(x)| &\leq Cr^{-(n+1)} \int_{B(x_0, R)} \frac{|a(y)| |y - x_0|}{(1 + |x - x_0|/r)^{\delta+(n+1)/2}} dy \\ &\leq C|B|^{(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} |2^{k+1}B|^{-(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} w(B)^{-1}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.10}$$

Combining Case 1 with Case 2, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 II_1 &\leq C \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \int_{2^{k+1}R \geq |x-x_0| > 2^kR} |b(x) - b_0| |B|^{(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} \\
 &\quad \times |2^{k+1}B|^{-(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} w(B)^{-1} w(x) dx \\
 &\leq C \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2^{-k(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)} w(B)^{-1} \int_{2^{k+1}R \geq |x-x_0| > 2^kR} |b(x) - b_0| w(x) dx.
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.11}$$

Since $w \in A_1$, w satisfies the reverse of Hölder’s inequality as follows:

$$\left(\frac{1}{|B|} \int_B w(x)^p dx \right)^{1/p} \leq \frac{C}{|B|} \int_B w(x) dx \tag{2.12}$$

for any ball B and some $1 < p < \infty$ (see[10]). Using the properties of $BMO(R^n)$ functions (see [10]), and noting $w \in A_1$, then

$$\frac{w(B_2)}{|B_2|} \cdot \frac{|B_1|}{w(B_1)} \leq C \tag{2.13}$$

for all balls B_1, B_2 with $B_1 \subset B_2$. Thus, by Hölder’s and reverse of Hölder’s inequalities for $w \in A_1$, we get, for $1/p + 1/p' = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 II_1 &\leq C \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2^{-k(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)} w(B)^{-1} |2^{k+1}B| \left(\frac{1}{|2^{k+1}B|} \int_{2^{k+1}B} |b(x) - b_0|^{p'} dx \right)^{1/p'} \\
 &\quad \times \left(\frac{1}{|2^{k+1}B|} \int_{2^{k+1}B} w(x)^p dx \right)^{1/p} \\
 &\leq C \|b\|_{BMO} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k 2^{-k(\delta_0-(n-1)/2)} \left(\frac{w(2^k B)}{|2^k B|} \frac{|B|}{w(B)} \right) \leq C.
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.14}$$

For II_2 , similar to the estimate of II_1 , we obtain

$$B_r^\delta((b - b_0)a)(x) \leq C \|b\|_{BMO} w(B)^{-1} |B|^{(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} |x - x_0|^{-(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)}, \tag{2.15}$$

thus

$$\begin{aligned}
 II_2 &\leq C \|b\|_{BMO} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} w(B)^{-1} |B|^{(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} |2^k B|^{-(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} w(2^k B) \\
 &\leq C \|b\|_{BMO} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2^{-k(\delta_0-(n-1)/2)} \left(\frac{w(2^k B)}{|2^k B|} \frac{|B|}{w(B)} \right) \leq C.
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.16}$$

This finishes the proof of Theorem 1.3. □

To prove Theorem 1.4, we recall the following lemma (see [5, 10]).

LEMMA 2.1. Let $w \geq 0$ and $\{g_k\}$ be a sequence of measurable functions satisfying

$$\|g_k\|_{L_w^{1,\infty}} \leq 1. \tag{2.17}$$

Then, for every numerical sequence $\{\lambda_k\}$,

$$\left\| \sum_k \lambda_k g_k \right\|_{L_w^{1,\infty}} \leq C \sum_k |\lambda_k| \left(+ \log \left(\sum_j |\lambda_j| / |\lambda_k| \right) \right). \tag{2.18}$$

Proof of Theorem 1.4. By Lemma 2.1, it is enough to show that there exists a constant C such that

$$\|B_{*,b}^\delta(a)\|_{L_w^{1,\infty}} \leq C \text{ for each } w\text{-atom } a. \tag{2.19}$$

Let a be a w -atom supported on a ball $B = B(x_0, r)$. We write

$$\begin{aligned} & w(\{x \in R^n : B_{*,b}^\delta(a)(x) > \lambda\}) \\ & \leq w(\{x \in 2B : B_{*,b}^\delta(a)(x) > \lambda\}) + w(\{x \in (2B)^c : B_{*,b}^\delta(a)(x) > \lambda\}) = I + II. \end{aligned} \tag{2.20}$$

For I , by the L^q -boundedness of $B_{*,b}^\delta$ for $q > 1$, we gain

$$\begin{aligned} I & \leq \lambda^{-1} \|B_{*,b}^\delta(a)\chi_{2B}\|_{L_w^1} \leq C\lambda^{-1} \|B_{*,b}^\delta(a)\|_{L_w^q} \cdot w(B)^{1-1/q} \\ & \leq C\lambda^{-1} \|a\|_{L_w^q} \cdot w(B)^{1-1/q} \leq C\lambda^{-1}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.21}$$

For II , let $b_0 = |B|^{-1} \int_B b(x) dx$, notice that

$$\begin{aligned} B_{*,b}^\delta(a)(x) & = \|b(x)B_r^\delta(a)(x) - B_r^\delta(ba)(x)\| \\ & = \|(b(x) - b_0)B_r^\delta(a)(x) - B_r^\delta((b - b_0)a)(x)\| \\ & \leq \|(b(x) - b_0)B_r^\delta(a)(x)\| + \|B_r^\delta((b - b_0)a)(x)\| \\ & \leq |b(x) - b_0| B_{*,a}^\delta(x) + B_{*,(b-b_0)a}^\delta(x), \end{aligned} \tag{2.22}$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} II & \leq w\left(\left\{x \in (2B)^c : |b(x) - b_0| g_\mu^*(a)(x) > \frac{\lambda}{2}\right\}\right) \\ & \quad + w\left(\left\{x \in (2B)^c : g_\mu^*((b - b_0)a)(x) > \frac{\lambda}{2}\right\}\right) = II_1 + II_2. \end{aligned} \tag{2.23}$$

Similar to the proof of Theorem 1.3, we get

$$\begin{aligned} II_1 & \leq C\lambda^{-1} \int_{(2B)^c} |b(x) - b_0| B_{*,a}^\delta(x) w(x) dx \\ & = C\lambda^{-1} \sum_{k=1}^\infty \int_{2^{k+1}B \setminus 2^k B} |b(x) - b_0| B_{*,a}^\delta(x) w(x) dx \leq C\lambda^{-1} \|b\|_{\text{BMO}}, \tag{2.24} \\ II_2 & \leq C\lambda^{-1} \int_{(2B)^c} B_{*,(b-b_0)a}^\delta(x) w(x) dx \leq C\lambda^{-1} \|b\|_{\text{BMO}}. \end{aligned}$$

Combining the estimate of I , II_1 , and II_2 , we gain

$$w(\{x \in R^n : B_{*,b}^\delta(a)(x) > \lambda\}) \leq C\lambda^{-1} \|b\|_{\text{BMO}}. \tag{2.25}$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 1.4. □

Proof of Theorem 1.5. . Given $f \in H^1(w)$, let $f = \sum_j \lambda_j a_j$ be the atomic decomposition for f . By a limiting argument, it suffices to show Theorem 1.5 for a finite sum of $f = \sum_Q \lambda_Q a_Q$ with $\sum_Q |\lambda_Q| \leq C\|f\|_{H^1(w)}$. We may assume that each Q (the supporting cube of a_Q) is dyadic. For $\lambda > 0$ by [3, Lemma 4.1], there exists a collection of pairwise disjoint dyadic cubes $\{S\}$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{Q \subset S} |\lambda_Q| &\leq C\lambda|S|, \quad \forall S, \\ \sum_S |S| &\leq \lambda^{-1} \sum_Q |\lambda_Q|, \quad \left\| \sum_{Q \not\subset S} \lambda_Q |Q|^{-1} \chi_Q \right\|_{L^\infty} \leq C\lambda. \end{aligned} \tag{2.26}$$

Let $E = \bigcup_S \bar{S}$, where for a fixed cube Q , \bar{Q} denotes the cube with the same center as Q but with the side-length $4\sqrt{n}$ times that of Q . Then, $|E| \leq C\lambda^{-1} \|f\|_{H^1}$. Set $M(x) = \sum_S \sum_{Q \subset S} \lambda_Q a_Q$, $N(x) = f(x) - M(x)$. By the L^2 boundedness of $B_{*,b}^\delta$ and the well-known argument, it suffices to show that

$$w(\{x \in E^c : B_{*,b}^\delta(M)(x) > \lambda\}) \leq C\lambda^{-1} \|f\|_{H^1(w)}. \tag{2.27}$$

Because $B_{*,b}^\delta(M)(x) \leq \sum_S \sum_{Q \subset S} |\lambda_Q| B_{*,b}^\delta(a_Q)(x)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} w(\{x \in E^c : B_{*,b}^\delta(M)(x) > \lambda\}) &\leq C\lambda^{-1} \int_{E^c} B_{*,b}^\delta(M)(x) w(x) dx \\ &\leq C\lambda^{-1} \sum_S \sum_{Q \subset S} |\lambda_Q| \sum_{k=1}^\infty \int_{2^{k+1}\bar{Q} \setminus 2^k\bar{Q}} B_{*,b}^\delta(a_Q)(x) w(x) dx, \end{aligned} \tag{2.28}$$

similar to the estimate of Theorem 1.3, we get, when $x \in E^c$,

$$\begin{aligned} B_{*,b}^\delta(a_Q)(x) &\leq C\|b\|_{\text{BMO}} w(B)^{-1} |Q|^{(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)/n} |x - x_0|^{-(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)} \\ &\quad + C|b(x) - b_0| w(B)^{-1} 2^{-k(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)}, \end{aligned} \tag{2.29}$$

thus, by Hölder's and reverse of Hölder's inequalities for $w \in A_1$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 & w(\{x \in E^c : B_{*,b}^\delta(M)(x) > \lambda\}) \\
 & \leq C\lambda^{-1}w(B)^{-1} \sum_S \sum_{Q \subset S} |\lambda_Q| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k2^{-k(\delta_0+(n+1)/2)} w(2^k Q) \\
 & \leq C\lambda^{-1} \sum_S \sum_{Q \subset S} |\lambda_Q| \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k2^{-k(\delta_0-(n-1)/2)} \\
 & \leq C\lambda^{-1} \sum_S \sum_{Q \subset S} |\lambda_Q| \leq C\lambda^{-1} \|f\|_{H^1(w)}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.30}$$

This finishes the proof of Theorem 1.5. \square

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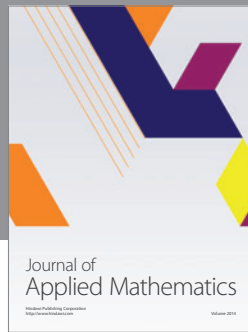
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