

# Some Maximal Operators related to Families of Singular Integral Operators\*

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## Abstract

In this paper, we shall study  $L^p$ -boundedness of two kinds of maximal operators related to some families of singular integrals.

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# 1 Introduction

Let  $y'$  be a point on the unit sphere  $S^{n-1}$  in  $R^n$  ( $n \geq 2$ ) and  $d\sigma$  be the induced Lebesgue measure on  $S^{n-1}$ . The Calderón-Zygmund singular integral, initially defined on  $S(R^n)$ , is defined by

$$p.v. \int_{R^n} b(|y|) \frac{\Omega(y')}{|y|^n} f(x-y) dy,$$

where  $b$  is a measurable function and  $\Omega \in L^1(S^{n-1})$  is a homogeneous function of degree 0 and satisfies  $\int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega(y') d\sigma(y') = 0$ . The study and applications of this operator have a long history, for example, see [1], [8]-[11] and their references, etc. In this paper, we are interested in two maximal operators related to this integral. The first operator is defined in [5] by

$$T(f)(x) = \sup_h \left| \int_{R^n} h(|y|) \frac{\Omega(y')}{|y|^n} f(x-y) dy \right|$$

where the supreme is over the set of all radial function  $h$  satisfying

$$\|h\|_{L^2(R^+, \frac{dr}{r})} = \left( \int_{R^+} |h(r)|^2 \frac{dr}{r} \right)^{1/2} \leq 1.$$

In [5], Chen and Lin proved that if  $\Omega \in C(S^{n-1})$ , then  $\|T(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,T} \|f\|_p$  for  $p > \frac{2n}{2n-1}$ . Also, they pointed out that the range  $p > \frac{2n}{2n-1}$  is the best possible. However, in this paper, we will prove that the condition  $\Omega \in C(S^{n-1})$  can be greatly weakened. We will prove the following theorem.

**Theorem 1** (i) If  $\Omega \in H^1(S^{n-1})$  and satisfies  $\int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega(x') d\sigma(x') = 0$  where  $H^1(S^{n-1})$  is the Hardy space on  $S^{n-1}$ , then  $\|T(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,p,\Omega} \|f\|_p$  for all  $2 \leq p < \infty$ . (ii) If  $\Omega \in L^q(S^{n-1})$  satisfies  $\int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega(x') d\sigma(x') = 0$ ,  $q \in (1, 2]$  and  $\frac{2nq'}{nq'+2n-2} < p < \infty$ , then  $\|T(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,p,\Omega} \|f\|_p$ , where  $q'$  is the conjugate index of  $q$ .

Theorem 1 can be extended to the product space. We define

$$T(f)(x, y) = \sup_{h \in \Delta^2} \left| \int_{R^n \times R^m} \frac{h(|u|, |v|) \Omega(u', v')}{|u|^n |v|^m} f(x-u, y-v) du dv \right|$$

where  $\Delta^2$  consists of all  $h$  satisfying

$$\|h\|_{L^2(R^+ \times R^+, \frac{dr ds}{rs})} = \left( \int_{R^+ \times R^+} |h(r, s)|^2 \frac{dr ds}{rs} \right)^{1/2} \leq 1,$$

and  $\Omega \in L^1(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  satisfies the cancellation condition

$$\int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega(u', v') d\sigma(u') = \int_{S^{m-1}} \Omega(u', v') d\sigma(v') = 0 \quad (\forall (u', v') \in S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}). \quad (1)$$

We have

**Theorem 2** (i) If  $\Omega \in L(\log^+ L)^2(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  and satisfies (1), then  $\|T(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,m,p,\Omega} \|f\|_p$  for all  $2 \leq p < \infty$ . (ii) If  $\Omega \in L^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  and satisfies (1) and  $q \in (1, 2]$ , then  $\|T(f)\|_\gamma \leq C_{n,m,\gamma,\Omega} \|f\|_\gamma$  for  $\frac{2\sigma q'}{\sigma q' + 2\sigma - 2} < \gamma < \infty$ , where  $\sigma = \min(n, m)$ .

Theorem 2(ii) has the following generalization. For  $\alpha \geq 1$ , consider the maximal operator

$$T^\alpha(f)(x, y) = \sup_{h \in \Delta^\alpha} \left| \int_{R^n \times R^m} \frac{h(|u|, |v|) \Omega(u', v')}{|u|^n |v|^m} f(x - u, y - v) du dv \right|,$$

where  $\Delta^\alpha$  consists of all  $h$  satisfying

$$\|h\|_{L^\alpha(R^+ \times R^+, \frac{dr ds}{rs})} = \left( \int_{R^+ \times R^+} |h(r, s)|^\alpha \frac{dr ds}{rs} \right)^{1/\alpha} \leq 1.$$

We have

**Theorem 3** For  $\alpha \in [1, 2]$ ,  $q \in (1, 2]$ ,  $\Omega \in L^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  satisfying (1), we have  $\|T^\alpha(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,m,p,\alpha,\Omega} \|f\|_p$  for all  $p \in (\frac{\alpha' \sigma q'}{\sigma q' + \alpha' \sigma - \alpha'}, \infty)$ , where  $\sigma = \min(n, m)$ .

The second operator we shall consider is

$$S(f)(x, y) = \sup_{\Omega} \left| \int_{R^n \times R^m} \frac{h(|u|, |v|) \Omega(u', v')}{|u|^n |v|^m} f(x - u, y - v) du dv \right|$$

where the supreme is over the set of all  $\Omega$  satisfying  $\|\Omega\|_{L^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})} \leq 1$  and the cancellation condition (1). We have

**Theorem 4** For  $q > 1$  and  $q' \leq p < \infty$ ,  $S$  is  $L^p$ -bounded. It also works for the one parameter case.

## 2 Proofs of the Theorems

### 2.1 Proof of Theorem 1

We follow the argument in [5]. By duality,

$$T(f)(x) = \left( \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_1^2 \left| \int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega(y') f(x - 2^k t y') d\sigma(y') \right|^2 \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{1/2}.$$

Recalling that  $\Omega \in H^1(S^{n-1})$  has atomic decomposition (see [6]), we may assume that  $\Omega(y') = a(y')$  is an  $H^1$ -atom which means that  $a(y')$  is an  $L^\infty$ -function satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} \text{supp}(a) &\subset \{y' \in S^{n-1} : |y' - x'_0| < \rho \text{ for some } x'_0 \in S^{n-1} \text{ and } \rho \in (0, 1]\}; \\ \int_{S^{n-1}} a(y') d\sigma(y') &= 0; \quad \|a\|_\infty \leq \rho^{-(n-1)}. \end{aligned}$$

Also, without loss of generality, we assume  $x'_0 = \mathbf{1} = (1, 0, \dots, 0)$ . Now to prove (i) of the theorem, it suffices to show that

$$\|T(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,p} \|f\|_p \text{ for } p \geq 2,$$

where  $C_{n,p}$  is a constant independent of atoms  $a(y')$ .

Let  $\{\Phi_j\}_{j=-\infty}^{+\infty}$  be a smooth partition of the unit in  $(0, \infty)$  adapted to the interval  $(2^{j-1}, 2^{j+1})$ . To be precise, we require the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_j &\in C^\infty(0, \infty), 0 \leq \Phi_j \leq 1, \sum_{j=-\infty}^{+\infty} \Phi_j(t) = 1 \text{ for all } t \in (0, \infty), \\ \text{supp}(\Phi_j) &\subset (2^{-j-1}, 2^{j+1}). \end{aligned}$$

Define the multiplier operators  $S_j$  on  $R^n$  by

$$(S_j(f))^\wedge(\xi) = \hat{f}(\xi) \Phi_j(|A_\rho \xi|)$$

where  $A_\rho$  is the linear transform such that  $A_\rho \xi = (\rho^2 \xi_1, \rho \xi_2, \dots, \rho \xi_n)$ .

Following the argument on page 123 of [5], we have

$$T(f)(x) = \sum_j T_j(f)(x),$$

where

$$T_j(f)(x) = \left( \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_1^2 \left| \int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega(y') (S_{k+j} f)(x - 2^k t y') d\sigma(y') \right|^2 \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{1/2}.$$

By Plancherel's theorem and Fubini's theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_j(f)\|_2^2 &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{2^{-(k+j)-1} \leq |A_\rho \xi| \leq 2^{-(k+j)+1}} |\widehat{f}(\xi)|^2 \\ &\quad \cdot \left\{ \int_1^2 \left| \int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega(y') e^{-i2^k t y' \cdot \xi} d\sigma(y') \right|^2 \frac{dt}{t} \right\} d\xi. \end{aligned}$$

By page 327 in [8], we know

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^2 \left| \int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega(y') e^{-i2^k t y' \cdot \xi} d\sigma(y') \right|^2 \frac{dt}{t} &= \int_1^2 \left| \int_R F_a(s) e^{-i2^k t s |\xi|} ds \right|^2 \frac{dt}{t} \\ &= \int_{2^k |\xi|}^{2^{k+1} |\xi|} \left| \int_R F_a(s) e^{-its} ds \right|^2 \frac{dt}{t} \end{aligned}$$

where  $F_a(s)$  satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} \text{supp}(F_a) &\subset (\xi'_1 - 2|A_\rho \xi'|, \xi'_1 + 2|A_\rho \xi'|) \\ \|F_a\|_\infty &\leq C |A_\rho \xi'|^{-1}, \int_R F_a(s) ds = 0, \\ \text{and } \xi' &= \frac{\xi}{|\xi|}, A_\rho \xi' = (\rho^2 \xi'_1, \rho \xi'_2, \dots, \rho \xi'_n). \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{2^k |\xi|}^{2^{k+1} |\xi|} \left| \int_R F_a(s) e^{-its} ds \right|^2 \frac{dt}{t} &= \int_{2^k |\xi|}^{2^{k+1} |\xi|} \left| \int_R F_a(s) (e^{-its} - e^{-it\xi'_1}) ds \right|^2 \frac{dt}{t} \\ &\leq \int_{2^k |\xi|}^{2^{k+1} |\xi|} |A_\rho \xi'|^2 dt \leq C \left( 2^k |\xi| |A_\rho \xi'| \right)^2 = C \left( 2^k |A_\rho \xi| \right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

if  $2^k |A_\rho \xi| \leq 1$ . For  $2^k |A_\rho \xi| \geq 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{2^k |\xi|}^{2^{k+1} |\xi|} \left| \int_R F_a(s) e^{-its} ds \right|^2 \frac{dt}{t} &\leq C \left( 2^k |\xi| \right)^{-1} \left\| \widehat{F_a} \right\|_2^2 \simeq C \left( 2^k |\xi| \right)^{-1} \|F_a\|_2^2 \\ &= C \left( 2^k |\xi| \right)^{-1} |A_\rho \xi'|^{-1} = C \left( 2^k |A_\rho \xi| \right)^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_j(f)\|_2^2 &\leq C \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{2^{-(k+j)-1} \leq |A_\rho \xi| \leq 2^{-(k+j)+1}} |\widehat{f}(\xi)|^2 \\ &\quad \cdot \min \left\{ \left( 2^k |A_\rho \xi| \right)^2, \left( 2^k |A_\rho \xi| \right)^{-1} \right\} d\xi \\ &\leq C 2^{-|j|} \|f\|_2^2. \end{aligned}$$

By page 124 in [5], for  $p \geq 2$ , there is a function  $g$  in  $L^{(p/2)'}$  such that  $\|g\|_{L^{(p/2)'}} = 1$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_j(f)\|_p^2 &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{R^n} \int_1^2 \int_{S^{n-1}} \left| (S_{k+j} f)(x - 2^k t y') \right|^2 \\ &\quad \cdot |\Omega(y')| d\sigma(y') \frac{dt}{t} |g(x)| dx \|\Omega\|_1 \\ &\leq C \|\Omega\|_1 \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{R^n} |(S_{k+j} f)(x)|^2 \\ &\quad \cdot \int_1^2 \int_{S^{n-1}} |\Omega(y')| |g(x + 2^k t y')| d\sigma(y') \frac{dt}{t} dx \\ &\leq C \|\Omega\|_1 \left\| \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} |(S_{k+j} f)|^2 \right\|_{p/2} \|M_\Omega(g)\|_{(p/2)'} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} M_{\Omega}(g)(x) &= \sup_k \frac{1}{2^k} \int_{2^k}^{2^{k+1}} \int_{S^{n-1}} |\Omega(y')| |g(x + ty')| d\sigma(y') dx \\ &\leq \int_{S^{n-1}} |\Omega(y')| \left( \sup_k \frac{1}{2^k} \int_{2^k}^{2^{k+1}} |g(x + ty')| dx \right) d\sigma(y'). \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\|M_{\Omega}(g)\|_{(p/2)'} \leq C \|g\|_{(p/2)'} \leq C.$$

By Littlewood-Paley theorem, we have

$$\|T_j(f)\|_p \leq C \|f\|_p.$$

By interpolation, we obtain (i) of Theorem 1.

To prove (ii) of Theorem 1. First, by checking the proof on p.123 in [5], it is easy to see that for  $\frac{2n}{2n-1} < p \leq 2$ , if  $\Omega \in L^2(S^{n-1})$ , then

$$\|T(f)\|_p \leq C \|\Omega\|_2 \|f\|_p.$$

However, in the proof of (i), we obtained

$$\|T(f)\|_2 \leq C \|\Omega\|_{H^1} \|f\|_2.$$

So, (ii) follows by interpolation.

## 2.2 Proof of Theorem 2

We will adapt some standard ideas in the one parameter case. By duality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} T(f)(x, y) &= \left( \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \sum_{j=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_1^2 \int_1^2 |\int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega(u', v') \right. \\ &\quad \left. \cdot f(x - 2^k r u', y - 2^j s v') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v')|^2 \frac{dr ds}{rs} \right)^{1/2}. \end{aligned}$$

Take Schwartz functions  $p_1 \in S(R^n)$  and  $p_2 \in S(R^m)$  such that  $\text{supp}(\widehat{p_1}) \subset \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \leq |x| \leq 2 \right\}$ ,  $\text{supp}(\widehat{p_2}) \subset \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \leq |y| \leq 2 \right\}$ ,  $0 \leq \widehat{p_i} \leq 1$  ( $i = 1, 2$ ) and

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \left| \widehat{p_1}(2^k \xi) \right|^2 = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{+\infty} \left| \widehat{p_2}(2^j \eta) \right|^2 = 1.$$

Set  $\widehat{p_{1,k}}(\xi) = \widehat{p_1}(2^k \xi)$ ,  $\widehat{p_{2,j}}(\eta) = \widehat{p_2}(2^j \eta)$ , and  $f_{\mu,\nu} = (p_{1,\mu} \otimes p_{2,\nu}) * (p_{1,\mu} \otimes p_{2,\nu}) * f$  where  $p_{1,\mu} \otimes p_{2,\nu}(x, y) = p_{1,\mu}(x) p_{2,\nu}(y)$ . Then,  $f = \sum_{(\mu,\nu) \in \mathbf{Z}^2} f_{k+\mu, j+\nu}$  for any  $(k, j) \in \mathbf{Z}^2$  where

$\mathbf{Z}$  is the set of all integers. So, by Minkowski's inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
T(f)(x, y) &= \left( \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \sum_{j=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_1^2 \int_1^2 \left| \sum_{(\mu, \nu) \in \mathbf{Z}^2} \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega(u', v') \right. \right. \\
&\quad \cdot f_{k+\mu, j+\nu}(x - 2^k r u', y - 2^j s v') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \left. \left| \right|^2 \frac{dr ds}{rs} \right)^{1/2} \\
&\leq \sum_{(\mu, \nu) \in \mathbf{Z}^2} \left( \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \sum_{j=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_1^2 \int_1^2 \left| \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega(u', v') \right. \right. \\
&\quad \cdot f_{k+\mu, j+\nu}(x - 2^k r u', y - 2^j s v') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \left. \left| \right|^2 \frac{dr ds}{rs} \right)^{1/2} \\
&\stackrel{def}{=} \sum_{(\mu, \nu) \in \mathbf{Z}^2} T_{\mu, \nu}(f)(x, y).
\end{aligned}$$

Now, let

$$\begin{aligned}
\Omega_l(x', y') &= \Omega(x', y') \chi_{\Theta_l}(x', y') \\
\Theta_0 &= \{(x', y') \in S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1} : |\Omega(x', y')| \leq 1\} \\
\Theta_l &= \{(x', y') \in S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1} : 2^{l-1} < |\Omega(x', y')| \leq 2^l\} \text{ for } l \geq 1,
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
\tilde{\Omega}_l(x', y') &= \Omega_l(x', y') + \frac{1}{\sigma(S^{n-1})\sigma(S^{m-1})} \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega_l(u', v') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \\
&\quad - \frac{1}{\sigma(S^{n-1})} \int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega_l(u', y') d\sigma(u') - \frac{1}{\sigma(S^{m-1})} \int_{S^{m-1}} \Omega_l(x', v') d\sigma(v').
\end{aligned}$$

It is easy to see that

$$\begin{aligned}
&\tilde{\Omega}_l \text{ satisfies (1) and } \sum_{l \geq 0} \tilde{\Omega}_l = \Omega \\
&\left\| \tilde{\Omega}_l \right\|_{L^1(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})} \leq 2^{l+2} |\Theta_l| \\
&\left\| \tilde{\Omega}_l \right\|_{L^\infty(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})} \leq 2^{l+2}.
\end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

Thus

$$T(f)(x, y) \leq \sum_{l \geq 0} \sum_{(\mu, \nu) \in \mathbf{Z}^2} T_{\mu, \nu}^l(f)(x, y) \tag{3}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
T_{\mu, \nu}^l(f)(x, y) &= \left( \sum_{k, j=-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{[1, 2]^2} \left| \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \tilde{\Omega}_l(u', v') \right. \right. \\
&\quad \cdot f_{k+\mu, j+\nu}(x - 2^k r u', y - 2^j s v') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \left. \left| \right|^2 \frac{dr ds}{rs} \right)^{1/2}.
\end{aligned} \tag{4}$$

Before continuing the proof, we first give two lemmas.

**Lemma 5** *For*

$$\begin{aligned}
I_{r, s}^l(k, j, \xi, \eta) &= \int_{[1, 2]^2} \left| \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \tilde{\Omega}_l(u', v') e^{2\pi i 2^k r u' \cdot \xi} \right. \\
&\quad \cdot e^{2\pi i 2^j s v' \cdot \eta} d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \left. \right|^2 \frac{dr ds}{rs},
\end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

$\exists \alpha \in (0, 1)$  such that

$$I_{r,s}^l(k, j, \xi, \eta) \leq C_{n,m,\alpha} \min \begin{pmatrix} 2^l |\Theta_l| |2^k \xi|, 2^l |\Theta_l| |2^j \eta|, 2^l |\Theta_l| |2^k \xi| |2^j \eta|, \\ 2^l |\Theta_l|, 2^l |2^k \xi|^{-\frac{\alpha}{2}} |2^j \eta|, 2^l |2^k \xi| |2^j \eta|^{-\frac{\alpha}{2}}, \\ 2^l |2^k \xi|^{-\frac{\alpha}{2}}, 2^l |2^j \eta|^{-\frac{\alpha}{2}}, 2^l |2^k \xi|^{-\frac{\alpha}{2}} |2^j \eta|^{-\frac{\alpha}{2}} \end{pmatrix}. \quad (6)$$

**Proof.** Similar to the proof of Lemma 10 of [3].

**Lemma 6** For  $\Omega \in L^2(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  and

$$G = \{g_{k,j}\}_{k,j} \in L^p(R^n \times R^m \rightarrow l^2(\mathbf{Z}^2 \rightarrow L^2([1, 2]^2, \frac{drds}{rs})), dxdy),$$

which means that  $G$  defines on  $R^n \times R^m$  and takes values in Hilbert space  $l^2(\mathbf{Z}^2 \rightarrow L^2([1, 2]^2, \frac{drds}{rs}))$  and the Hilbert space consists of all  $l^2$ -sequences defined on  $\mathbf{Z}^2$  and taking values in  $L^2([1, 2]^2, \frac{drds}{rs})$ , there holds

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| \left\| \|\mathcal{I}(G)\|_{L^2([1,2]^2, \frac{drds}{rs})} \right\|_{l^2(\mathbf{Z}^2)} \right\|_{L^p(R^n \times R^m, dxdy)} \\ & \leq C_{n,m,p} \|\Omega\|_2 \left\| \left\| \|G\|_{L^2([1,2]^2, \frac{drds}{rs})} \right\|_{l^2(\mathbf{Z}^2)} \right\|_{L^p(R^n \times R^m, dxdy)}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $p \in (2, 2 \min(n, m))$  and

$$\mathcal{I}(G)(x, y; r, s) \stackrel{def}{=} \left\{ \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega(u', v') g_{k,j}(x + 2^k r u', y + 2^j s v'; r, s) d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \right\}_{(k,j) \in \mathbf{Z}^2}.$$

**Proof.** We shall use duality method and spherical maximal function. For  $p > 2$ , taking an  $f \in L^{(p/2)'}(R^n \times R^m)$  such that  $\|f\|_{(p/2)'} = 1$  and

$$\begin{aligned} A & \stackrel{def}{=} \left\| \left\| \|\mathcal{I}(G)\|_{L^2([1,2]^2, \frac{drds}{rs})} \right\|_{l^2(\mathbf{Z}^2)} \right\|_{L^{p/2}(R^n \times R^m, dxdy)} \\ & = \int_{R^n \times R^m} \left\| \|\mathcal{I}(G)\|_{L^2([1,2]^2, \frac{drds}{rs})} \right\|_{l^2(\mathbf{Z}^2)} f(x, y) dxdy. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, by Hölder's inequality and changes of variables  $x$  and  $y$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} A & = \int_{R^n \times R^m} f(x, y) \sum_{k,j} \int_{[1,2]^2} (\int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega(u', v') \\ & \quad \cdot g_{k,j}(x + 2^k r u', y + 2^j s v'; r, s) d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v'))^2 \frac{drds}{rs} dxdy \\ & \leq \|\Omega\|_2^2 \int_{R^n \times R^m} \sum_{k,j} \int_{[1,2]^2} (\int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} f(x, y) \\ & \quad \cdot |g_{k,j}(x + 2^k r u', y + 2^j s v'; r, s) d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v')|^2 d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v')) \frac{drds}{rs} dxdy \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
&= \|\Omega\|_2^2 \int_{R^n \times R^m} \sum_{k,j} \int_{[1,2]^2} |g_{k,j}(x, y; r, s)|^2 \\
&\quad \cdot \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} f(x - 2^k r u', y - 2^j s v') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \frac{dr ds}{rs} dx dy \\
&\leq \|\Omega\|_2^2 \int_{R^n \times R^m} M'_S M''_S(f)(x, y) \sum_{k,j} \int_{[1,2]^2} |g_{k,j}(x, y; r, s)|^2 \frac{dr ds}{rs} dx dy \\
&\leq \|\Omega\|_2^2 \|M'_S M''_S(f)\|_{(p/2)'} \left\| \sum_{k,j} \int_{[1,2]^2} |g_{k,j}(\cdot, \cdot; r, s)|^2 \frac{dr ds}{rs} \right\|_{p/2}
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
M'_S(f)(x, y) &= \sup_{r>0} \int_{S^{n-1}} |f(x - r u', y)| d\sigma(u') \\
M''_S(f)(x, y) &= \sup_{r>0} \int_{S^{m-1}} |f(x, y - s v')| d\sigma(v').
\end{aligned}$$

So, by boundedness of spherical maximal function operators, we get

$$A \leq C_{n,m,p} \|\Omega\|_2^2 \left\| \left\| G \right\|_{L^2([1,2]^2, \frac{dr ds}{rs})} \right\|_{l^2(\mathbf{Z}^2)}^2 \Big\|_{L^p(R^n \times R^m, dx dy)}$$

for  $(p/2)' > \max(\frac{n}{n-1}, \frac{m}{m-1})$ , i.e.  $p < 2 \min(n, m)$ . The last inequality gives the desired result.

Now, we shall prove Theorem 2(i).

By Plancherel's identity, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\|T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f)\|_2^2 &= \int_{R^n \times R^m} \sum_{k,j} \int_{[1,2]^2} \left| \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \tilde{\Omega}_l(u', v') \right. \\
&\quad \cdot f_{k+\mu, j+\nu}(x - 2^k r u', y - 2^j s v') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \left. \right|^2 \frac{dr ds}{rs} \\
&= \sum_{k,j} \int_{[1,2]^2} \int_{R^n \times R^m} |(f_{k+\mu, j+\nu})^\wedge(\xi, \eta)|^2 \left| \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \tilde{\Omega}_l(u', v') \right. \\
&\quad \cdot e^{2\pi i 2^k r u' \cdot \xi} e^{2\pi i 2^j s v' \cdot \eta} d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \left. \right|^2 d\xi d\eta \frac{dr ds}{rs}.
\end{aligned}$$

Thus, by the definition of  $f_{k+\mu, j+\nu}$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\|T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f)\|_2^2 &\leq \sum_{k,j} \int_{2^{-(k+\mu)-1} \leq |\xi| \leq 2^{(k+\mu)+1}, 2^{-(j+\nu)-1} \leq |\eta| \leq 2^{-(j+\nu)+1}} \\
&\quad \cdot \left| I_{r,s}^l(k, j, \xi, \eta) \right|^2 \left| \hat{f}(\xi, \eta) \right|^2 d\xi d\eta
\end{aligned} \tag{7}$$

where  $I_{r,s}^l$  is defined in (5).

For  $p > 2$ , taking a  $g \in L^{(p/2)'}(R^n \times R^m)$  such that  $\|g\|_{(p/2)'} = 1$  and

$$\|(T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f))^2\|_{p/2} = \int_{R^n \times R^m} (T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f)(x, y))^2 g(x, y) dx dy,$$

by Hölder's inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\left\| T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f) \right\|_p^2 &= \left\| (T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f))^2 \right\|_{p/2} \leq C_{n,m} 2^l |\Theta_l| \sum_{k,j} \int_{R^n \times R^m} |f_{k+\mu,j+\nu}(x,y)|^2 \\
&\quad \cdot \int_{[1,2]^2} \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \left| \tilde{\Omega}_l(u',v') g(x + 2^k r u', y + 2^j s v') \right| \\
&\quad \cdot d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \frac{dr ds}{rs} dx dy \\
&\leq C_{n,m} 2^l |\Theta_l| \int_{R^n \times R^m} \sum_{k,j} |f_{k+\mu,j+\nu}(x,y)|^2 M_{\tilde{\Omega}_l}(g)(x,y) dx dy
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
M_{\tilde{\Omega}_l}(g)(x,y) &= \sup_{k,j} \int_{[1,2]^2} \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \left| \tilde{\Omega}_l(u',v') g(x + 2^k r u', y + 2^j s v') \right| d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \frac{dr ds}{rs} \\
&\leq C_{n,m} \sup_{r,s>0} \frac{1}{r^n s^m} \int_{\{|x|\leq r\} \times \{|y|\leq s\}} \left| \tilde{\Omega}_l(u',v') g(x+u, y+v) \right| du dv.
\end{aligned}$$

This implies

$$\left\| M_{\tilde{\Omega}_l}(g) \right\|_{(p/2)'} \leq C_{n,m,p} \left\| \tilde{\Omega}_l \right\|_1 \|g\|_{(p/2)'} \leq C_{n,m,p} 2^l |\Theta_l|.$$

Thus, by Hölder's inequality and Littlewood-Paley theory, we have

$$\left\| T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f) \right\|_p^2 \leq C_{n,m,p} 2^{2l} |\Theta_l|^2 \left\| \sum_{k,j} |f_{k+\mu,j+\nu}(x,y)|^2 \right\|_{p/2} \leq C_{n,m,p} 2^{2l} |\Theta_l|^2 \|f\|_p^2,$$

which shows

$$\left\| T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f) \right\|_p \leq C_{n,m,p} 2^l |\Theta_l| \|f\|_p \quad (p > 2). \quad (8)$$

Now, let

$$T^l(f)(x,y) = \sum_{(\mu,\nu) \in \mathbf{Z}^2} T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f)(x,y),$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\left\| T^l(f) \right\|_p &\leq \sum_{(\mu,\nu) \in \mathbf{Z}^2} \left\| T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f) \right\|_p \\
&\leq \sum_{(\gamma,\delta) \in \Lambda} \sum_{(\mu,\nu) \in E_{\gamma}^N \times E_{\delta}^N} \left\| T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f) \right\|_p \stackrel{def}{=} \sum_{(\gamma,\delta) \in \Lambda} \Pi_{\gamma,\delta}^l(N),
\end{aligned}$$

where  $N$  will be chosen later and large enough,  $\Lambda = \{0, 1, -1\}$ ,  $E_0^N = \{0, \pm 1, \dots, \pm Nl\}$ ,  $E_{-1}^N = \{-\infty, \dots, -Nl\}$ ,  $E_1^N = \{Nl, \dots, +\infty\}$ . For  $(\gamma, \delta) = (1, 1)$ , we have that  $\forall (\mu, \nu) \in E_1^N \times E_1^N$ ,

$$\left\| T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f) \right\|_2 \leq C_{n,m} 2^{l-\mu-\nu} |\Theta_l| \|f\|_2$$

by (7) and (6), thus, by (8) and interpolation, we get

$$\begin{aligned}\|T_{\mu,\nu}^l(f)\|_p &\leq C_{n,m,p} 2^{l-(\mu+\nu)\theta_p} \|f\|_p, \\ \Pi_{1,1}^l(N) &\leq C_{n,m,p} 2^{l(1-N\theta_p)} \|f\|_p\end{aligned}$$

for some  $\theta_p \in (0, 1)$ . Therefore, for sufficiently large  $N$ , we have

$$\sum_{l \geq 0} \Pi_{1,1}^l(N) \leq C_{n,m,p} \|f\|_p. \quad (9)$$

Similarly, we have that for sufficiently large  $N$  (or see proof in [3]),

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \sum_{l \geq 0} \Pi_{-1,-1}^l(N) &\leq C_{n,m,p} \|f\|_p \\ \sum_{l \geq 0} \Pi_{-1,1}^l(N) &\leq C_{n,m,p} \|f\|_p \\ \sum_{l \geq 0} \Pi_{1,-1}^l(N) &\leq C_{n,m,p} \|f\|_p \\ \sum_{l \geq 0} \Pi_{0,1}^l(N) &\leq C_{n,m,p} N \|\Omega\|_{L \log(2+L)} \|f\|_p \\ \sum_{l \geq 0} \Pi_{1,0}^l(N) &\leq C_{n,m,p} N \|\Omega\|_{L \log(2+L)} \|f\|_p \\ \sum_{l \geq 0} \Pi_{0,-1}^l(N) &\leq C_{n,m,p} N \|\Omega\|_{L \log(2+L)} \|f\|_p \\ \sum_{l \geq 0} \Pi_{-1,0}^l(N) &\leq C_{n,m,p} N \|\Omega\|_{L \log(2+L)} \|f\|_p \\ \sum_{l \geq 0} \Pi_{0,0}^l(N) &\leq C_{n,m,p} N^2 \|\Omega\|_{L \log^2(2+L)} \|f\|_p \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (10)$$

By (3), (9) and (10), we get

$$\|T(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,m,p} N^2 \|\Omega\|_{L \log^2(2+L)} \|f\|_p \quad (p > 2) \quad (11)$$

which proves Theorem 2(i).

Now, we shall prove Theorem 2(ii).

By duality,  $\exists G = \{g_{k,j}\}_{(k,j) \in \mathbf{Z}^2}$  such that

$$\left\| \left\| \|G\|_{L^2([1,2]^2, \frac{drds}{rs})} \right\|_{l^2(\mathbf{Z}^2)} \right\|_{L^{p'}(R^n \times R^m, dx dy)} = 1$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_{\mu,\nu}(f)\|_p &\leq \log 2 \int_{R^n \times R^m} \sum_{k,j} \{f_{k+\mu,j+\nu}(x,y) \\ &\quad \cdot (\int_{[1,2]^2} |(\mathcal{I}(G))_{k,j}(x,y;r,s)|^2 \frac{drds}{rs})^{1/2}\} dx dy \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq \log 2 \int_{R^n \times R^m} \left( \sum_{k,j} |f_{k+\mu,j+\nu}(x,y)|^2 \right)^{1/2} \\
&\quad \cdot \left( \sum_{k,j} \int_{[1,2]^2} |(\mathcal{I}(G))_{k,j}(x,y;r,s)|^2 \frac{drds}{rs} \right)^{1/2} dx dy \\
&\leq C_{n,m,p} \|\Omega\|_2 \left\| \left( \sum_{k,j} |f_{k+\mu,j+\nu}(x,y)|^2 \right)^{1/2} \right\|_p,
\end{aligned}$$

which means that

$$\|T_{\mu,\nu}(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,m,p} \|\Omega\|_2 \|f\|_p \quad \text{for } p \in \left(\frac{2\sigma}{2\sigma-1}, 2\right) \quad (12)$$

by Littlewood-Paley theory. On the other hand, by Fourier transform, it is easy to show that

$$\|T_{\mu,\nu}(f)\|_2 \leq C_{n,m} 2^{-|\mu|-|\nu|} \|\Omega\|_2 \|f\|_2. \quad (13)$$

So, by interpolation, we get

$$\|T(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,m,p} \|\Omega\|_2 \|f\|_p \quad \text{for } p \in \left(\frac{2\sigma}{2\sigma-1}, 2\right). \quad (14)$$

Now, for  $\Omega \in L^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  and  $1 < q \leq 2$ , write

$$T(f)(x,y) = \|\tau_{\Omega,r,s}(f)(x,y)\|_{L^2(R^+ \times R^+, \frac{drds}{rs})}$$

where

$$\tau_{\Omega,r,s}(f)(x,y) = \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega(u',v') f(x - ru', y - sv') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v'),$$

and, set

$$\tau_{\Omega,r,s}^z(f)(x,y) = \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \tilde{\Omega}_z(u',v') f(x - ru', y - sv') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v')$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\tilde{\Omega}_z(x',y') &= \Omega_z(x',y') + \frac{1}{\sigma(S^{n-1})\sigma(S^{m-1})} \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega_z(u',v') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \\
&\quad - \frac{1}{\sigma(S^{n-1})} \int_{S^{n-1}} \Omega_z(u',y') d\sigma(u') - \frac{1}{\sigma(S^{m-1})} \int_{S^{m-1}} \Omega_z(x',v') d\sigma(v'). \\
\Omega_z(x',y') &= |\Omega(x',y')|^{\kappa z + \frac{q}{2}} \text{sign}(\Omega(x',y'))
\end{aligned}$$

where  $\kappa \in (1 - \frac{q}{2}, \frac{q}{2})$  is to be determined and  $z$  is a complex number. When  $\text{Re}(z) = 0$ ,  $\tilde{\Omega}_z \in L^2(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$ , by (14), we have

$$\left\| \left\| \tau_{\Omega,r,s}^z(f) \right\|_{L^2(R^+ \times R^+, \frac{drds}{rs})} \right\|_{L^p(R^n \times R^m)} \leq C_{n,m,p} \|\Omega\|_q^{q/2} \|f\|_p \quad (15)$$

for  $p \in (\frac{2\sigma}{2\sigma-1}, 2)$ . When  $Re(z) = 1$ ,  $\tilde{\Omega}_z \in L^{q/(\kappa+\frac{q}{2})}(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}) \subset L(\log^+ L)^2(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$ , by (11), we have

$$\left\| \left\| \tau_{\tilde{\Omega}, r, s}^z(f) \right\|_{L^2(R^+ \times R^+, \frac{drds}{rs})} \right\|_{L^2(R^n \times R^m)} \leq C_{n,m} \|\Omega\|_{L \log^2(2+L)} \|f\|_2. \quad (16)$$

Now, for  $\gamma \in (\frac{2\sigma q'}{\sigma q' + 2\sigma - 2}, 2)$ , taking  $z_0 = (1 - \frac{q}{2})/\kappa \in (\frac{2}{q} - 1, 1)$  and  $p \in (\frac{2\sigma}{2\sigma-1}, 2)$  such that  $\frac{1}{\gamma} = \frac{1-z_0}{p} + \frac{z_0}{2}$ , which is possible because for  $\kappa \nearrow \frac{q}{2}$  and  $p \searrow \frac{2\sigma}{2\sigma-1}$  (where " $\nearrow$ " means "increasingly tends to", " $\searrow$ " means "decreasingly tends to"),

$$\frac{1-z_0}{p} + \frac{z_0}{2} \nearrow \frac{\sigma q' + 2\sigma - 2}{2\sigma q'},$$

and, for  $\kappa \searrow 1 - \frac{q}{2}$  and  $p \nearrow 2$ ,  $\frac{1-z_0}{p} + \frac{z_0}{2} \nearrow \frac{1}{2}$ . Noting that  $\Omega_{z_0} = \Omega$ , so, by (15)-(16) and the interpolation of analytic family of operators, we get

$$\|T(f)\|_\gamma = \left\| \left\| \tau_{\tilde{\Omega}, r, s}^{z_0}(f) \right\|_{L^2(R^+ \times R^+, \frac{drds}{rs})} \right\|_{L^\gamma(R^n \times R^m)} \leq C_{n,m,\gamma,\Omega} \|f\|_\gamma,$$

which proves Theorem 2(ii) because the case  $\gamma \in [2, \infty)$  is a corollary of Theorem 2(i).

### 2.3 Proof of Theorem 3

When  $\alpha = 1$ , by duality and Hölder's inequality, we have

$$T^1(f)(x, y) \leq \|\Omega\|_q \sup_{r,s>0} \left( \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} |f(x - rx', y - sv')|^{q'} d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \right)^{1/q'}.$$

So, by the  $L^p$ -boundedness of spherical maximal function (see [11]),

$$\left\| T^1(f) \right\|_p \leq C_{n,m,q,p} \|\Omega\|_q \|f\|_p$$

for  $p > \frac{q'\sigma}{\sigma-1}$ . On the other hand, for  $\alpha = 2$ , by Theorem 2,

$$\left\| T^1(f) \right\|_p \leq C_{n,m,q,p} \|\Omega\|_q \|f\|_p$$

for  $p > \frac{2\sigma q'}{\sigma q' + 2\sigma - 2}$ .

Now, for  $\alpha \in (1, 2)$  and  $H(\cdot, \cdot; x, y) \in \Delta^\alpha$ , consider

$$\begin{aligned} T_{H_z}(f)(x, y) &= \int_{R^+ \times R^+} H_z(r, s; x, y) \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega(u', v') \\ &\quad \cdot f(x - ru', y - sv') d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \frac{drds}{rs} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$H_z(r, s; x, y) = |H(r, s; x, y)|^{(1-\frac{z}{2})\alpha} \text{sign}(H(r, s; x, y))$$

and  $z$  is a complex number. When  $\text{Re}(z) = 0$ ,  $\|H_z(\cdot, \cdot; x, y)\|_{\Delta^1} = \|H(\cdot, \cdot; x, y)\|_{\Delta^\alpha}^\alpha \leq 1$ , so

$$\|T_{H_z}(f)\|_p \leq \|T^1(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,m,q,p} \|\Omega\|_q \|f\|_p \quad (17)$$

for  $p \in (\frac{q'\sigma}{\sigma-1}, \infty)$ . When  $\text{Re}(z) = 1$ ,  $\|H_z(\cdot, \cdot; x, y)\|_{\Delta^2} = \|H(\cdot, \cdot; x, y)\|_{\Delta^\alpha}^{\alpha/2} \leq 1$ , so

$$\|T_{H_z}(f)\|_p \leq \|T^2(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,m,q,p} \|\Omega\|_q \|f\|_p \quad (18)$$

for  $p \in (\frac{2\sigma q'}{\sigma q' + 2\sigma - 2}, \infty)$ . Now, for  $f \in C_c^\infty(R^n \times R^m)$ , taking  $H$  such that  $\|H(\cdot, \cdot; x, y)\|_{\Delta^\alpha} \leq 1$  and

$$T^\alpha(f)(x, y) = T_H(f)(x, y).$$

Note that for  $z_0 = 2(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha})$ ,  $T_{H_{z_0}}(f) = T_H(f)$ , so, by (17) and (18) and interpolation of analytic family of operators, for  $p \in (\frac{2\sigma q'}{\sigma q' + 2\sigma - 2}, \infty)$ , taking  $p_0 \in (\frac{q'\sigma}{\sigma-1}, \infty)$  and  $p_1 \in (\frac{2\sigma q'}{\sigma q' + 2\sigma - 2}, \infty)$  such that  $\frac{1}{p} = \frac{1-z_0}{p_0} + \frac{z_0}{p_1}$ , we have

$$\|T^\alpha(f)\|_p = \|T_{H_{z_0}}(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,m,q,p} \|\Omega\|_q \|f\|_p$$

which proves Theorem 3.

## 2.4 Proof of Theorem 4

We shall use the rotation method and only consider the product case. Let

$$\tilde{L}^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}) = \left\{ \Omega \in L^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}) : \Omega \text{ satisfies (1)} \right\}.$$

Similarly, we can define  $\widetilde{L \log^+ L}(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  and  $L(\widetilde{\log^+ L})^2(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$ . Decompose  $\tilde{L}^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  into four parts

$$\tilde{L}^q = \tilde{L}_{o,o}^q + \tilde{L}_{o,e}^q + \tilde{L}_{e,o}^q + \tilde{L}_{e,e}^q$$

where "o" means odd and "e" means even,  $\tilde{L}_{o,e}^q$  consists of all  $\tilde{L}^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  functions which is odd in the first variables and even in the second variables, etc. Say, Refers to [2]. So, we only need to consider the boundedness of

$$S_{\alpha,\beta}(f)(x, y) = \sup_{\|\Omega\|_q \leq 1, \Omega \in \tilde{L}_{\alpha,\beta}^q} \left| \int_{R^n \times R^m} \frac{\Omega(u', v')}{|u|^n |v|^m} f(x - u, y - v) du dv \right|$$

where  $\alpha, \beta = o$  or  $e$ .

For  $\alpha = \beta = o$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{R^n \times R^m} \frac{\Omega(u', v')}{|u|^n |v|^m} f(x - u, y - v) du dv \\ = \frac{1}{4} \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} \Omega(u', v') H_{u'} H_{v'}(f)(x, y) d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} H_{u'}(f)(x, y) &= \int_R f(x - ru', y) \frac{dr}{r} \\ H_{v'}(f)(x, y) &= \int_R f(x, y - sv') \frac{ds}{s}. \end{aligned}$$

By duality,

$$S_{o,o}(f)(x, y) \leq \frac{1}{4} \left( \int_{S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}} |H_{u'} H_{v'}(f)(x, y)|^{q'} d\sigma(u') d\sigma(v') \right)^{1/q'}$$

which means that

$$\|S_{o,o}(f)\|_p \leq C_p \|f\|_p \quad (19)$$

by  $L^p$ -boundedness of  $H_{u'}$  and  $H_{v'}$ , where  $q' \leq p < \infty$ .

To continue the proof, we need a Lemma from [2]. Let  $R'_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, n$ ) and  $R''_j$  ( $j = 1, \dots, m$ ) denote the  $i$ -th and  $j$ -th Riesz transform on  $R^n$  and  $R^m$  respectively, and

$$\begin{aligned} K'_i(x, y) &= R'_i \left( p.v. \Omega(\cdot, y) |\cdot|^{-n} |y|^{-m} \right) (x) \\ K''_j(x, y) &= R''_j \left( p.v. \Omega(x, \cdot) |x|^{-n} |\cdot|^{-m} \right) (y). \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

Note that the functions in (20) are all homogeneous of order  $-n$  in  $x$  and homogeneous of order  $-m$  in  $y$ , which means that there are  $\omega'_i, \omega''_j$  on  $S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1}$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} K'_i(x, y) &= \omega'_i(x', y') |x|^{-n} |y|^{-m} \\ K''_j(x, y) &= \omega''_j(x', y') |x|^{-n} |y|^{-m}. \end{aligned}$$

Define  $\tilde{R}'_i$  and  $\tilde{R}''_j$  as follows

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{R}'_i(\Omega)(x', y') &= \omega'_i(x', y') \\ \tilde{R}''_j(\Omega)(x', y') &= \omega''_j(x', y'). \end{aligned}$$

We have

**Lemma 7**  $\tilde{R}'_i$  and  $\tilde{R}''_j$  are bounded from  $L \widetilde{\log^+} L(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  to  $\tilde{L}^1(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$ , and  $\tilde{R}'_i \circ \tilde{R}''_j$  is bounded from  $L(\widetilde{\log^+} L)^2(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  to  $\tilde{L}^1(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$ , for  $i = 1, \dots, n$  and  $j = 1, \dots, m$ . And, all of them are bounded from  $\tilde{L}^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  to itself for  $q \in (1, \infty)$ .

Now, we continue the proof of Theorem 4.

For  $\alpha = \beta = e$ , note that  $I = \sum_i \sum_j \tilde{R}'_i \circ \tilde{R}''_j \circ \tilde{R}'_i \circ \tilde{R}''_j$  and  $\tilde{R}'_i \circ \tilde{R}''_j(\Omega) \in \tilde{L}_{\delta,o}^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  for  $\Omega \in \tilde{L}_{e,e}^q(S^{n-1} \times S^{m-1})$  by Lemma 7, so

$$\begin{aligned}
S_{e,e}(f)(x, y) &= \sup_{\|\Omega\|_q \leq 1, \Omega \in \tilde{L}_{e,e}^q} \left| \int_{R^n \times R^m} \frac{\Omega(u', v')}{|u|^n |v|^m} f(x - u, y - v) du dv \right| \\
&= \sup_{\|\Omega\|_q \leq 1, \Omega \in \tilde{L}_{e,e}^q} \left| \sum_i \sum_j \int_{R^n \times R^m} \frac{\tilde{R}'_i \circ \tilde{R}''_j(\Omega)(u', v')}{|u|^n |v|^m} \tilde{R}'_i \circ \tilde{R}''_j(f)(x - u, y - v) du dv \right| \\
&\leq \sum_i \sum_j \sup_{\|\Omega\|_q \leq 1, \Omega \in \tilde{L}_{e,e}^q} \left| \int_{R^n \times R^m} \frac{\tilde{R}'_i \circ \tilde{R}''_j(\Omega)(u', v')}{|u|^n |v|^m} \tilde{R}'_i \circ \tilde{R}''_j(f)(x - u, y - v) du dv \right| \\
&\leq C_{n,m,q} \sum_i \sum_j S_{o,o}(\tilde{R}'_i \circ \tilde{R}''_j(f))(x, y)
\end{aligned}$$

which means that

$$\|S_{e,e}(f)\|_p \leq C_{n,m,q,p} \|f\|_p \quad (\text{for } q' \leq p < \infty) \quad (21)$$

by (19). Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\|S_{e,o}(f)\|_p &\leq C_{n,m,q,p} \|f\|_p \quad (\text{for } q' \leq p < \infty) \\
\|S_{o,e}(f)\|_p &\leq C_{n,m,q,p} \|f\|_p \quad (\text{for } q' \leq p < \infty).
\end{aligned} \quad (22)$$

(19), (21) and (22) give the desired results.



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