

## Weighted Herz type spaces estimates of multilinear singular integral operators for the extreme cases

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**Abstract.** We prove some weighted endpoint estimates for some multilinear operators related to certain singular integral operators on Herz and Herz type Hardy spaces.

**Estimaciones ponderadas de operadores integrales singulares multilineales en casos extremos en espacios de tipo Herz**

**Resumen.** Demostramos algunas estimaciones ponderadas de puntos finales para algunos operadores multilineales relacionados con ciertos operadores integrales singulares en espacios de Herz y Herz tipo Hardy.

### 1 Introduction

Let  $T$  be the Calderón-Zygmund singular integral operator. A classical result of Coifman, Rochberg and Weiss (see [5]) states that the commutator  $[b, T](f) = T(bf) - bT(f)$  (where  $b \in \text{BMO}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ) is bounded on  $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for  $1 < p < \infty$ . In [10], the boundedness properties of the commutators for the extreme values of  $p$  are obtained. In recent years, the theory of Herz space and Herz type Hardy space, as a local version of Lebesgue space and Hardy space, has been developed (see [7, 8, 11, 12]). The main purpose of this paper is to establish the weighted endpoint continuity properties of some multilinear operators related to certain non-convolution type singular integral operators on Herz and Herz type Hardy spaces.

### 2 Notation and Statement of theorems

Throughout this paper, we denote the Muckenhoupt weights by  $A_p$  for  $1 \leq p < \infty$  (see [9]).  $Q(x, r)$  will denote a cube of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  with  $r$  side centered at  $x$  and with sides parallel to the axes. For a cube  $Q$  and a locally integrable function  $f$ , let  $f_Q = |Q|^{-1} \int_Q f(x) dx$  and  $f^\#(x) = \sup_{x \in Q} |Q|^{-1} \int_Q |f(y) - f_Q| dy$ . Moreover,  $f$  is said to belong to  $\text{BMO}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  if  $f^\# \in L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and define that  $\|f\|_{\text{BMO}} = \|f^\#\|_{L^\infty}$ .

For a non-negative weight functions  $w$ , we define the weighted central BMO space by  $\text{CMO}(w)$ , which is the space of those functions  $f \in L_{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  such that

$$\|f\|_{\text{CMO}(w)} = \sup_{r>1} w(Q(0, r))^{-1} \int_Q |f(x) - f_Q| w(x) dx < \infty,$$

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where, and in what follows,  $f(Q) = \int_Q f(x) dx$  for a cube  $Q$  and a locally integrable function  $f$ . It is well-known that (see [8, 9])

$$\|f\|_{\text{CMO}(w)} \approx \sup_{r>1} \inf_{c \in \mathbf{C}} w(Q(0, r))^{-1} \int_Q |f(x) - c| w(x) dx,$$

where, and in what follows,  $A \approx B$  means there exist two positives  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  such that  $A \leq C_1 B \leq C_2 A$  and  $\mathbf{C}$  is the collections of all number.

Let  $S(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be the Schwartz class and  $S'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be the spaces of tempered distributions which are the collections of all continuous linear functionals on  $S(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (see [13, p. 262]). For  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ , define  $B_k = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : |x| \leq 2^k\}$  and  $C_k = B_k \setminus B_{k-1}$ . Denote by  $\chi_k$  the characteristic function of  $C_k$  and by  $\tilde{\chi}_k$  the characteristic function of  $C_k$  for  $k \geq 1$  and  $\tilde{\chi}_0$  the characteristic function of  $B_0$ .

**Definition 1** Let  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $w_1, w_2$  be two non-negative weight functions on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .

1. The homogeneous weighted Herz space is defined by

$$\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n) = \{f \in L^p_{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}) : \|f\|_{\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2)} < \infty\},$$

where

$$\|f\|_{\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2)} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} [w_1(B_k)]^{1-1/p} \|f \chi_k\|_{L^p(w_2)};$$

2. The nonhomogeneous weighted Herz space is defined by

$$K_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n) = \{f \in L^p_{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n) : \|f\|_{K_p(w_1, w_2)} < \infty\},$$

where

$$\|f\|_{K_p(w_1, w_2)} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} [w_1(B_k)]^{1-1/p} \|f \tilde{\chi}_k\|_{L^p(w_2)};$$

3. The homogeneous weighted Herz type Hardy space is defined by

$$H\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n) = \{f \in S'(\mathbb{R}^n) : G(f) \in \dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n)\},$$

where

$$\|f\|_{H\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2)} = \|G(f)\|_{\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2)};$$

4. The nonhomogeneous weighted Herz type Hardy space is defined by

$$HK_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n) = \{f \in S'(\mathbb{R}^n) : G(f) \in K_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n)\},$$

where

$$\|f\|_{HK_p(w_1, w_2)} = \|G(f)\|_{K_p(w_1, w_2)};$$

where  $G(f)$  is the grand maximal function of  $f$ .

The Herz type Hardy spaces have the atomic decomposition characterization.

**Definition 2** Let  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $w_1, w_2 \in A_1$ . A function  $a(x)$  on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is called a central  $(n(1 - 1/p), p; w_1, w_2)$ -atom (or a central  $(n(1 - 1/p), p; w_1, w_2)$ -atom of restrict type), if

1.  $\text{Supp } a \subset B(0, r)$  for some  $r > 0$  (or for some  $r \geq 1$ );
2.  $\|a\|_{L^p(w_2)} \leq [w_1(B(0, r))]^{1/p-1}$ ,

$$3. \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} a(x) dx = 0.$$

**Lemma 1 (see [8, 12])** *Let  $w_1, w_2 \in A_1$  and  $1 < p < \infty$ . A temperate distribution  $f$  belongs to  $HK_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $HK_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n)$ ) if and only if there exist central  $(n(1 - 1/p), p; w_1, w_2)$ -atoms (or central  $(n(1 - 1/p), p; w_1, w_2)$ -atoms of restrict type)  $a_j$  supported on  $B_j = B(0, 2^j)$  and constants  $\lambda_j$ ,  $\sum_j |\lambda_j| < \infty$  such that  $f = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \lambda_j a_j$  (or  $f = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \lambda_j a_j$ ) in the  $S'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  sense, and*

$$\|f\|_{HK_p(w_1, w_2)} \text{ (or } \|f\|_{HK_p(w_1, w_2)}) \approx \sum_j |\lambda_j|.$$

**Definition 3** *Let  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $w$  be a non-negative weight functions on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . We shall call  $B_p(w)$  the space of those functions  $f$  on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  such that*

$$\|f\|_{B_p(w)} = \sup_{r>1} [w(Q(0, r))]^{-1/p} \|f \chi_{Q(0, r)}\|_{L^p(w)} < \infty.$$

In this paper, we will consider a class of multilinear operators related to some non-convolution type singular integral operators, whose definition are the following.

Let  $m$  be a positive integer and  $A$  be a function on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Set

$$R_{m+1}(A; x, y) = A(x) - \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} D^\alpha A(y) (x - y)^\alpha$$

and

$$Q_{m+1}(A; x, y) = R_m(A; x, y) - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} D^\alpha A(x) (x - y)^\alpha.$$

**Definition 4** *Let  $T : S \rightarrow S'$  be a linear operator.  $T$  is called a singular integral operator if there exists a locally integrable function  $K(x, y)$  on  $\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n$  such that*

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

for every bounded and compactly supported function  $f$ , where  $K$  satisfies: for a fixed  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

$$|K(x, y)| \leq C|x - y|^{-n}$$

and

$$|K(y, x) - K(z, x)| + |K(x, y) - K(x, z)| \leq C|y - z|^\varepsilon |x - z|^{-n-\varepsilon}$$

if  $2|y - z| \leq |x - z|$ . The multilinear operator related to the singular integral operator  $T$  is defined by

$$T^A(f)(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{R_{m+1}(A; x, y)}{|x - y|^m} K(x, y) f(y) dy.$$

We also consider the variant of  $T^A$ , which is defined by

$$\tilde{T}^A(f)(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{Q_{m+1}(A; x, y)}{|x - y|^m} K(x, y) f(y) dy.$$

Note that when  $m = 0$ ,  $T^A$  is just the commutators of  $T$  and  $A$  (see [5, 10]). It is well known that this multilinear operator, as a non-trivial extension of the commutator, is of great interest in harmonic analysis and has been widely studied by many authors (see [2, 3, 4]). In [6], the weighted  $L^p$ -boundedness ( $p > 1$ ) of the multilinear operator related to some singular integral operator is obtained. In [1], the weak  $(H^1, L^1)$ -boundedness of the multilinear operator related to some singular integral operator are obtained. In this paper, we will study the weighted endpoint continuity properties of the multilinear operators  $T^A$  and  $\tilde{T}^A$  on Herz and Herz type Hardy spaces.

We shall prove the following theorems in Section 3.

**Theorem 1** Let  $1 < p < \infty$ ,  $w \in A_1$  and  $D^\alpha A \in \text{BMO}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for all  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| = m$ . Suppose that  $T^A$  is the same as in Definition 4 and that  $T$  is bounded on  $L^p(w)$  for any  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $w \in A_1$ . Then  $T^A$  is bounded from  $B_p(w)$  to  $\text{CMO}(w)$ .

**Theorem 2** Let  $1 < p < \infty$ ,  $w_1, w_2 \in A_1$  and  $D^\alpha A \in \text{BMO}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for all  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| = m$ . Suppose that  $\tilde{T}^A$  is the same as in Definition 4 and that  $\tilde{T}^A$  is bounded on  $L^p(w)$  for any  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $w \in A_1$ . Then  $\tilde{T}^A$  is bounded from  $\dot{H}K_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $HK_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n)$ ) to  $\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $HK_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n)$ ).

**Theorem 3** Let  $1 < p < \infty$ ,  $w \in A_1$  and  $D^\alpha A \in \text{BMO}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for all  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| = m$ . Suppose that  $\tilde{T}^A$  is the same as in Definition 4 and that  $\tilde{T}^A$  is bounded on  $L^p(w)$  for any  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $w \in A_1$ . Then the following two statements are equivalent:

- (i)  $\tilde{T}^A$  is bounded from  $B_p(w)$  to  $\text{CMO}(w)$ ;
- (ii) for any cube  $Q$  and  $z \in 3Q \setminus 2Q$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q \left| \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} |D^\alpha A(x) - (D^\alpha A)_Q| \int_{(4Q)^c} K_\alpha(z, y) f(y) dy \right| w(x) dx \leq C \|f\|_{B_p(w)},$$

where  $K_\alpha(z, y) = \frac{(z-y)^\alpha}{|z-y|^m} K(z, y)$  for  $|\alpha| = m$ .

### 3 Proofs of Theorems

To prove the theorem, we need the following lemma.

**Lemma 2 (see [4])** Let  $A$  be a function on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and  $D^\alpha A \in L^q(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for  $|\alpha| = m$  and some  $q > n$ . Then

$$|R_m(A; x, y)| \leq C |x - y|^m \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \left( \frac{1}{|\tilde{Q}(x, y)|} \int_{\tilde{Q}(x, y)} |D^\alpha A(z)|^q dz \right)^{1/q},$$

where  $\tilde{Q}(x, y)$  is the cube centered at  $x$  and having side length  $5\sqrt{n}|x - y|$ .

**Lemma 3 (see [4, p. 454 (28)] and [11, p. 222])** Let  $Q$  be a cube and

$$\tilde{A}(x) = A(x) - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} (D^\alpha A)_Q x^\alpha.$$

Then  $R_{m+1}(A; x, y) = R_{m+1}(\tilde{A}; x, y)$ .

**PROOF OF THEOREM 1.** It is only to prove that there exists a constant  $C_Q$  such that

$$\frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q |T^A(f)(x) - C_Q w(x)| dx \leq C \|f\|_{B_p(w)}$$

holds for any cube  $Q = Q(0, d)$  with  $d > 1$ . Fix a cube  $Q = Q(0, d)$  with  $d > 1$ . Let  $\tilde{Q} = 5\sqrt{n}Q$  and  $\tilde{A}(x) = A(x) - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} (D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}} x^\alpha$ , then  $R_{m+1}(A; x, y) = R_{m+1}(\tilde{A}; x, y)$  and  $D^\alpha \tilde{A} = D^\alpha A - (D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}}$  for all  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| = m$  by Lemma 3 and induction. We write, for  $f_1 = f \chi_{\tilde{Q}}$  and  $f_2 = f \chi_{\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \tilde{Q}}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} T^A(f)(x) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{R_{m+1}(\tilde{A}; x, y)}{|x - y|^m} K(x, y) f(y) dy \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y)}{|x - y|^m} K(x, y) f_1(y) dy - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{K(x, y)(x - y)^\alpha}{|x - y|^m} D^\alpha \tilde{A}(y) f_1(y) dy \\ &\quad + \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{R_{m+1}(\tilde{A}; x, y)}{|x - y|^m} K(x, y) f_2(y) dy, \end{aligned}$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q \left| T^A(f)(x) - T^{\tilde{A}}(f_2)(0) \right| w(x) dx \leq \\ & \frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q \left| T \left( \frac{R_m(\tilde{A}; x, \cdot)}{|x - \cdot|^m} f_1 \right) (x) \right| w(x) dx \end{aligned} \quad (\text{I})$$

$$+ \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_Q \left| T \left( \frac{(x - \cdot)^\alpha}{|x - \cdot|^m} D^\alpha \tilde{A} f_1 \right) (x) \right| w(x) dx \quad (\text{II})$$

$$+ \frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q |T^{\tilde{A}}(f_2)(x) - T^{\tilde{A}}(f_2)(0)| w(x) dx \quad (\text{III})$$

For (I), note that for  $x \in Q$  and  $y \in \tilde{Q}$ , using Lemma 1, we get

$$R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y) \leq C|x - y|^m \sum_{|\beta|=m} \|D^\beta A\|_{\text{BMO}},$$

thus, by the  $L^p(w)$ -boundedness of  $T$  and  $w(Q) \approx w(\tilde{Q})$  (see [9]), we get

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{I}) & \leq \frac{C}{w(Q)} \int_Q \left| T \left( \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} f_1 \right) (x) \right| w(x) dx \\ & \leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \left( \frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q |T(f_1)(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\ & \leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} w(\tilde{Q})^{-1/p} \|f \chi_{\tilde{Q}}\|_{L^p(w)} \\ & \leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \|f\|_{B_p(w)}. \end{aligned}$$

For (II), noting that  $w \in A_1$ ,  $w$  satisfies the reverse of Hölder's inequality:

$$\left( \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_Q w(x)^r dx \right)^{1/r} \leq \frac{C}{|Q|} \int_Q w(x) dx$$

for all cube  $Q$  and some  $1 < r < \infty$  (see [9]), taking  $q, s > 1$  such that  $qs < p$  and  $r = (ps - qs)/(p - qs)$ , then by the  $L^q(w)$ -boundedness of  $T$  and Hölder's inequality, denoting  $1/s + 1/s' = 1$ , we gain

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{II}) & \leq \frac{C}{w(Q)} \int_Q \left| T \left( \sum_{|\alpha|=m} (D^\alpha A - (D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}}) f_1 \right) (x) \right| w(x) dx \\ & \leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \left( \frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q \left| T((D^\alpha A - (D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}}) f_1)(x) \right|^q w(x) dx \right)^{1/q} \\ & \leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \left( \frac{1}{w(Q)} \int \left| (D^\alpha A(x) - (D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}}) f_1(x) \right|^q w(x) dx \right)^{1/q} \\ & \leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} w(Q)^{-1/q} \left( \int_{\tilde{Q}} \left| D^\alpha A(x) - (D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}} \right|^{qs'} dx \right)^{1/qs'} \left( \int_{\tilde{Q}} |f_1(x)|^{qs} w(x)^s dx \right)^{1/qs} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} |Q|^{1/(qs')} w(Q)^{-1/q} \left( \int_{\tilde{Q}} |f_1(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\tilde{Q}} w(x)^r dx \right)^{(p-q)/rpq} \\
&\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} |Q|^{1/qs'} w(\tilde{Q})^{-1/q} \|f\chi_{\tilde{Q}}\|_{L^p(w)} \left( \frac{w(Q)}{|Q|} \right)^{(p-q)/pq} |Q|^{(p-q)/pqr} \\
&\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} w(\tilde{Q})^{-1/p} \|f\chi_{\tilde{Q}}\|_{L^p(w)} \\
&\leq C \|f\|_{B_p(w)}.
\end{aligned}$$

To estimate (III), we write

$$\begin{aligned}
&T^{\tilde{A}}(f_2)(x) - T^{\tilde{A}}(f_2)(0) \\
&= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left[ \frac{K(x, y)}{|x-y|^m} - \frac{K(0, y)}{|y|^m} \right] R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y) f_2(y) dy \tag{III_1}
\end{aligned}$$

$$+ \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{K(0, y) f_2(y)}{|y|^m} [R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y) - R_m(\tilde{A}; 0, y)] dy \tag{III_2}$$

$$- \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left( \frac{K(x, y)(x-y)^\alpha}{|x-y|^m} - \frac{K(0, y)(-y)^\alpha}{|y|^m} \right) D^\alpha \tilde{A}(y) f_2(y) dy \tag{III_3}$$

By Lemma 2 and the following inequality (see [13])

$$|b_{Q_1} - b_{Q_2}| \leq C \log(|Q_2|/|Q_1|) \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} \quad \text{for } Q_1 \subset Q_2,$$

we know that, for  $x \in Q$  and  $y \in 2^{k+1}\tilde{Q} \setminus 2^k\tilde{Q}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
|R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y)| &\leq C |x-y|^m \sum_{|\alpha|=m} (\|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} + |(D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}(x,y)} - (D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}}|) \\
&\leq Ck |x-y|^m \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}}.
\end{aligned}$$

Note that  $|x-y| \approx |y|$  for  $x \in Q$  and  $y \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \tilde{Q}$  and  $w \in A_1 \subset A_p$ , we obtain, by the condition on  $K$  and Hölder's inequality,

$$\begin{aligned}
|(\text{III}_1)| &\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left( \left| \frac{K(x, y)}{|x-y|^m} - \frac{K(x, y)}{|y|^m} \right| + \left| \frac{K(x, y)}{|y|^m} - \frac{K(0, y)}{|y|^m} \right| \right) |R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y)| |f_2(y)| dy \\
&\leq C \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left( \frac{|x|}{|y|^{m+n+1}} + \frac{|x|^\varepsilon}{|y|^{m+n+\varepsilon}} \right) |R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y)| |f_2(y)| dy \\
&\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \int_{2^{k+1}\tilde{Q} \setminus 2^k\tilde{Q}} k \left( \frac{|x|}{|y|^{n+1}} + \frac{|x|^\varepsilon}{|y|^{n+\varepsilon}} \right) |f(y)| dy \\
&\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k(2^{-k} + 2^{-\varepsilon k}) w(2^k\tilde{Q})^{-1/p} \left( \int_{2^k\tilde{Q}} |f(y)|^p w(y) dy \right)^{1/p} \\
&\quad \times \left( \frac{1}{|2^k\tilde{Q}|} \int_{2^k\tilde{Q}} w(y) dy \right)^{1/p} \left( \frac{1}{|2^k\tilde{Q}|} \int_{2^k\tilde{Q}} w(y)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dy \right)^{(p-1)/p} \\
&\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k(2^{-k} + 2^{-\varepsilon k}) w(2^k\tilde{Q})^{-1/p} \|f\chi_{2^k\tilde{Q}}\|_{L^p(w)}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k(2^{-k} + 2^{-\varepsilon k}) \|f\|_{B_p(w)} \\
 &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \|f\|_{B_p(w)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

For (III<sub>2</sub>), by the formula (see [4]):

$$R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y) - R_m(\tilde{A}; x_0, y) = \sum_{|\beta|<m} \frac{1}{\beta!} R_{m-|\beta|}(D^\beta \tilde{A}; x, x_0)(x-y)^\beta$$

and Lemma 2, we have

$$|R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y) - R_m(\tilde{A}; x_0, y)| \leq C \sum_{|\beta|<m} \sum_{|\alpha|=m} |x-x_0|^{m-|\beta|} |x-y|^{|\beta|} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}}.$$

Then in a similar way to the estimates of (III<sub>1</sub>), we get

$$(III_2) \leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \int_{2^{k+1}\tilde{Q} \setminus 2^k\tilde{Q}} \frac{|x|}{|y|^{n+1}} |f(y)| dy \leq C \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \|f\|_{B_p(w)}.$$

For (III<sub>3</sub>), taking  $1 < s < p$  and  $r > 1$  such that  $1/r + 1/s = 1$ , by Hölder's inequality and noting that  $w \in A_1 \subset A_{p/s}$ , in a similar way to the estimates of (III<sub>1</sub>), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 |(III_3)| &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \int_{2^{k+1}\tilde{Q} \setminus 2^k\tilde{Q}} \left( \frac{|x|}{|y|^{n+1}} + \frac{|x|^\varepsilon}{|y|^{n+\varepsilon}} \right) |D^\alpha \tilde{A}(y)| |f(y)| dy \\
 &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{d}{(2^k d)^{n+1}} + \frac{d^\varepsilon}{(2^k d)^{n+\varepsilon}} \right) \left( \int_{2^k\tilde{Q}} |f(y)|^s dy \right)^{1/s} \\
 &\quad \times (2^k d)^{n/r} \left( |2^k\tilde{Q}|^{-1} \int_{2^k\tilde{Q}} |D^\alpha A(y) - (D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}}|^r dy \right)^{1/r} \\
 &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k \left( \frac{d}{(2^k d)^{n+1}} + \frac{d^\varepsilon}{(2^k d)^{n+\varepsilon}} \right) (2^k d)^{n(1-1/s)} \\
 &\quad \times \left( \int_{2^k\tilde{Q}} |f(y)|^p w(y) dy \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{2^k\tilde{Q}} w(y)^{-s/(p-s)} dy \right)^{(p-s)/ps} \\
 &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k(2^{-k} + 2^{-\varepsilon k}) w(2^k\tilde{Q})^{-1/p} \|f\chi_{2^k\tilde{Q}}\|_{L^p(w)} \\
 &\quad \times \left( \frac{1}{|2^k\tilde{Q}|} \int_{2^k\tilde{Q}} w(y) dy \right)^{1/p} \left( \frac{1}{|2^k\tilde{Q}|} \int_{2^k\tilde{Q}} w(y)^{-s/(p-s)} dy \right)^{(p-s)/ps} \\
 &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k(2^{-k} + 2^{-\varepsilon k}) w(2^k\tilde{Q})^{-1/p} \|f\chi_{2^k\tilde{Q}}\|_{L^p(w)} \\
 &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \|f\|_{B_p(w)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$(III) \leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \|f\|_{B_p(w)}.$$

This finishes the proof of Theorem 1. ■

PROOF OF THEOREM 2. Let  $f \in H\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2; \mathbb{R}^n)$ , by Lemma 1,  $f = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \lambda_j a_j$ , where  $a_j$ 's are central  $(n(1-1/p), p; w_1, w_2)$ -atoms with  $\text{supp } a_j \subset B_j = B(0, 2^j)$  and  $\|f\|_{H\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2)} \approx \sum_j |\lambda_j|$ . We write, by Minkowski' inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} \|\tilde{T}^A(f)\|_{\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2)} &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} [w_1(B_k)]^{1-1/p} \|\chi_k \tilde{T}^A(f)\|_{L^p(w_2)} \\ &\leq \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} [w_1(B_k)]^{1-1/p} \sum_{j=-\infty}^{k-1} |\lambda_j| \|\chi_k \tilde{T}^A(a_j)\|_{L^p(w_2)} \end{aligned} \quad (\text{J})$$

$$+ \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} [w_1(B_k)]^{1-1/p} \sum_{j=k}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| \|\chi_k \tilde{T}^A(a_j)\|_{L^p(w_2)} \quad (\text{JJ})$$

For (JJ), by the  $L^p(w)$ -boundedness of  $\tilde{T}^A$  for  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $w \in A_1$ , we get, note that  $j \geq k$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{JJ}) &\leq C \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} [w_1(B_k)]^{1-1/p} \sum_{j=k}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| \|a_j\|_{L^p(w_2)} \\ &\leq C \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} [w_1(B_k)]^{1-1/p} \sum_{j=k}^{\infty} |\lambda_j|^p [w_1(B_j)]^{-(1-1/p)} \\ &\leq C \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| \sum_{k=-\infty}^j \left[ \frac{w_1(B_k)}{w_1(B_j)} \right]^{1-1/p} \\ &\leq C \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| \\ &\leq C \|f\|_{H\dot{K}_p(w_1, w_2)}. \end{aligned}$$

To obtain the estimate of (J), we denote that

$$\tilde{A}(x) = A(x) - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} (D^\alpha A)_{2B_j} x^\alpha.$$

Then  $Q_{m+1}(A; x, y) = Q_{m+1}(\tilde{A}; x, y)$  and  $Q_{m+1}(A; x, y) = R_m(A; x, y) - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} (x-y)^\alpha D^\alpha A(x)$ . We write, by the vanishing moment of  $a_j$  and for  $x \in B_k$  with  $k \geq j+1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{T}^A(a_j)(x) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{K(x, y) R_m(A; x, y)}{|x-y|^m} a_j(y) dy - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{K(x, y) D^\alpha \tilde{A}(x) (x-y)^\alpha}{|x-y|^m} a_j(y) dy \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left[ \frac{K(x, y)}{|x-y|^m} - \frac{K(x, 0)}{|x|^m} \right] R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y) a_j(y) dy \\ &\quad + \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{K(x, 0)}{|x|^m} [R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y) - R_m(\tilde{A}; x, 0)] a_j(y) dy \\ &\quad - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left[ \frac{K(x, y) (x-y)^\alpha}{|x-y|^m} - \frac{K(x, 0) x^\alpha}{|x|^m} \right] D^\alpha \tilde{A}(x) a_j(y) dy. \end{aligned}$$



Similar to the proof of Theorem 1, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\tilde{T}^A(a_j)(x)| &\leq C \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left[ \frac{|y|}{|x|^{m+n+1}} + \frac{|y|^\varepsilon}{|x|^{m+n+\varepsilon}} \right] |R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y)| |a_j(y)| dy \\
 &\quad + C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left[ \frac{|y|}{|x|^{n+1}} + \frac{|y|^\varepsilon}{|x|^{n+\varepsilon}} \right] |D^\alpha \tilde{A}(x)| |a_j(y)| dy \\
 &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \left[ \frac{2^j}{2^{k(n+1)}} + \frac{2^{j\varepsilon}}{2^{k(n+\varepsilon)}} \right] \|a_j\|_{L^p(w_2)} \left( \int_{B_j} w_2(y)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dy \right)^{\frac{p-1}{p}} \\
 &\quad + C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \left[ \frac{2^j}{2^{k(n+1)}} + \frac{2^{j\varepsilon}}{2^{k(n+\varepsilon)}} \right] |D^\alpha \tilde{A}(x)| \|a_j\|_{L^p(w_2)} \left( \int_{B_j} w_2(y)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dy \right)^{\frac{p-1}{p}} \\
 &\leq C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha A\|_{\text{BMO}} \left[ \frac{2^j}{2^{k(n+1)}} + \frac{2^{j\varepsilon}}{2^{k(n+\varepsilon)}} \right] [w_1(B_j)]^{-(1-\frac{1}{p})} \left( \int_{B_j} w_2(y)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dy \right)^{\frac{p-1}{p}} \\
 &\quad + C \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \left[ \frac{2^j}{2^{k(n+1)}} + \frac{2^{j\varepsilon}}{2^{k(n+\varepsilon)}} \right] |D^\alpha \tilde{A}(x)| [w_1(B_j)]^{-(1-\frac{1}{p})} \left( \int_{B_j} w_2(y)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dy \right)^{\frac{p-1}{p}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Notice that if  $w \in A_1$ , then  $\frac{w(B_2)}{|B_2|} \frac{|B_1|}{w(B_1)} \leq C$  for all balls  $B_1, B_2$  with  $B_1 \subset B_2$  and satisfies the reverse Hölder's inequality (see [13]):

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

for all balls  $B$  and some  $1 < r < \infty$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\text{J}) &\leq C \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} [w_1(B_k)]^{1-\frac{1}{p}} \sum_{j=-\infty}^{k-1} |\lambda_j| \left[ \frac{2^j}{2^{k(n+1)}} + \frac{2^{j\varepsilon}}{2^{k(n+\varepsilon)}} \right] [w_1(B_j)]^{-(1-\frac{1}{p})} \\
 &\quad \times \left( \int_{B_j} w_2(y)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dy \right)^{\frac{p-1}{p}} \left[ [w_2(B_k)]^{\frac{1}{p}} + \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \left( \int_{B_k} |D^\alpha \tilde{A}(x)|^p w_2(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \right] \\
 &\leq C \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} [w_1(B_k)]^{1-\frac{1}{p}} \sum_{j=-\infty}^{k-1} |\lambda_j| \left[ \frac{2^j}{2^{k(n+1)}} + \frac{2^{j\varepsilon}}{2^{k(n+\varepsilon)}} \right] \left( \int_{B_j} w_2(y)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dy \right)^{\frac{p-1}{p}} \\
 &\quad \times [w_1(B_j)]^{-(1-\frac{1}{p})} \left[ [w_2(B_k)]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \left( \frac{1}{|B_k|} \int_{B_k} |D^\alpha \tilde{A}(x)|^{r'p} dx \right)^{\frac{1}{r'p}} \left( \frac{1}{|B_k|} \int_{B_k} w_2(x)^r dx \right)^{\frac{1}{r'p}} |B_k|^{\frac{1}{p}} \right] \\
 &\leq C \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{j=-\infty}^{k-1} |\lambda_j| \left[ \frac{2^j}{2^{k(n+1)}} + \frac{2^{j\varepsilon}}{2^{k(n+\varepsilon)}} \right] \left[ \frac{w_1(B_k)}{w_1(B_j)} \right]^{1-\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_{B_j} w_2(x)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dx \right)^{\frac{p-1}{p}} [w_2(B_k)]^{\frac{1}{p}} \\
 &\leq C \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{j=-\infty}^{k-1} |\lambda_j| \left[ \frac{2^j}{2^{k(n+1)}} + \frac{2^{j\varepsilon}}{2^{k(n+\varepsilon)}} \right] \left[ \frac{w_1(B_k)}{w_1(B_j)} \right]^{1-\frac{1}{p}} \left[ \frac{w_2(B_k)}{w_2(B_j)} \right]^{\frac{1}{p}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \times \left( \frac{1}{|B_j|} \int_{B_j} w_2(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \frac{1}{|B_j|} \int_{B_j} w_2(y)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dy \right)^{\frac{p-1}{p}} |B_j| \\
& \leq C \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{2^j}{2^{k(n+1)}} + \frac{2^{j\varepsilon}}{2^{k(n+\varepsilon)}} \right] \left[ \frac{w_1(B_k) |B_j|}{w_1(B_j) |B_k|} \right]^{1-\frac{1}{p}} \left[ \frac{w_2(B_k) |B_j|}{w_2(B_j) |B_k|} \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} |B_k| \\
& \leq C \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} [2^{j-k} + 2^{(j-k)\varepsilon}] \\
& \leq C \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\lambda_j| \\
& \leq C \|f\|_{HK_p(w_1, w_2)}.
\end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 2.  $\blacksquare$

**PROOF OF THEOREM 3.** For any cube  $Q = Q(0, d)$  with  $d > 1$ , let  $f \in B_p(w)$  and  $\tilde{A}(x) = A(x) - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} (D^\alpha A)_{\tilde{Q}} x^\alpha$ . We write, for  $f = f\chi_{4Q} + f\chi_{(4Q)^c} = f_1 + f_2$  and  $z \in 3Q \setminus 2Q$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
\tilde{T}^A(f)(x) &= \tilde{T}^A(f_1)(x) + \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{R_m(\tilde{A}; x, y)}{|x-y|^m} K(x, y) f_2(y) dy \\
&\quad - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} (D^\alpha A(x) - (D^\alpha A)_Q) (T_\alpha(f_2)(x) - T_\alpha(f_2)(z)) \\
&\quad - \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \frac{1}{\alpha!} (D^\alpha A(x) - (D^\alpha A)_Q) T_\alpha(f_2)(z) \\
&= I_1(x) + I_2(x) + I_3(x, z) + I_4(x, z),
\end{aligned}$$

where  $T_\alpha$  is the singular integral operator with the kernel  $\frac{(x-y)^\alpha}{|x-y|^m} K(x, y)$  for  $|\alpha| = m$ . Note that  $(I_4(\cdot, z))_Q = 0$ , so that we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\tilde{T}^A(f)(x) - (\tilde{T}^A(f))_Q &= \\
&= I_1(x) - (I_1(\cdot))_Q + I_2(x) - I_2(z) - [I_2(\cdot) - I_2(z)]_Q - I_3(x, z) + (I_3(x, z))_Q - I_4(x, z).
\end{aligned}$$

By the  $L^p(w)$ -boundedness of  $\tilde{T}^A$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q |I_1(x)| w(x) dx &\leq C \left( \frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q |T^A(f_1)(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\
&\leq C w(Q)^{-\frac{1}{p}} \|f_1\|_{L^p(w)} \\
&\leq C \|f\|_{B_p(w)}.
\end{aligned}$$

In a similar way to the proof of Theorem 1, we obtain

$$|I_2(x) - I_2(z)| \leq C \|f\|_{B_p(w)}$$

and

$$\frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q |I_3(x, z)| w(x) dx \leq C \|f\|_{B_p(w)}.$$

Then integrating in  $x$  on  $Q$  and using the above estimates, we obtain the equivalence of the estimate

$$\frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q |\tilde{T}^A(x) - (\tilde{T}^A)_Q|w(x) dx \leq C\|f\|_{B_p(w)}$$

and the estimate

$$\frac{1}{w(Q)} \int_Q |I_4(x, z)|w(x) dx \leq C\|f\|_{B_p(w)}.$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 3. ■

Finally, we apply Theorems 1, 2 and 3 to the Calderón-Zygmund singular integral operator. Let  $T$  be the Calderón-Zygmund operator defined by (see [9, 13])

$$T(f)(x) = \int K(x, y)f(y) dy,$$

the multilinear operator related to  $T$  is defined by

$$T^A(f)(x) = \int \frac{R_{m+1}(A; x, y)}{|x - y|^m} K(x, y)f(y) dy.$$

We know that  $T$  satisfies the conditions in Theorem 1, 2 and 3, thus, the conclusions of Theorem 1, 2 and 3 hold for  $T^A$  and  $\tilde{T}^A$ .

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