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ON THE IDENTITY OF MINIMAL AND MAXIMAL REALIZATIONS RELATED TO FOURIER SERIES OPERATORS

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ABSTRACT. The identity of the maximal and minimal realizations of the linear Fourier series operators

$$(L(x, D)\varphi)(x) := (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{l \in \mathbb{Z}^n} L(x, l)\varphi_l e^{i(l, x)}$$

in the appropriate subspaces of periodic distributions are studied. Specifically, criteria for the equality of the realizations from $B_{p, k}^\pi$ into $B_{p, k}^\pi$ are established. Here $B_{p, k}^\pi$ is the subspace of D'_π for whose elements u one has $(u_l k(l))_{l \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \in l_p$ (D'_π denotes the space of all periodic distributions). In the case when $p = 2$ and $k \equiv 1$, one observes that $B_{p, k}^\pi$ is the space of all periodic $L_2(W)$ -functions (where $W := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid x_j \in]-\pi, \pi[\}$). The equality of the realizations from $B_{p, k}^\pi$ into $L_{p'}(W) \cap D'_\pi$ is also examined, where $p \in]1, 2]$ and $p' \in \mathbb{R}$ so that $1/p + 1/p' = 1$.

1. Introduction

Denote by $L(x, D)$ the linear Fourier series operator defined in the space C_π^∞ of all smooth periodic functions $\varphi: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ by the requirement

$$(L(x, D)\varphi)(x) = (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{l \in \mathbb{Z}^n} L(x, l)\varphi_l e^{i(l, x)}. \tag{1.1}$$

Here φ_l is the Fourier coefficient of φ . $L(\cdot, \cdot)$ is a mapping $\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{Z}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ so that $L(\cdot, l) \in C_\pi^\infty$ for any $l \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ and that with the constants $C_\alpha > 0$ and $\mu_\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ the estimate

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k_{\mu_\alpha}(l) := C_\alpha(1 + |l|^2)^{\mu_\alpha/2} \tag{1.2}$$

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holds (in (1.2) W denotes the cube $\{x \in \mathbf{R}^n \mid x_j \in]-\pi, \pi[\}$).

This contribution deals with the equality of the *minimal* and *maximal realizations*, say $L_{p,k,h}^\sim$ and $L_{p,k,h}^\#$, from $B_{p,k}^\pi$ into $B_{p,h}^\pi$. The spaces $B_{p,k}^\pi$ (where $p \in [1, \infty[$ and k lies in the class K'_π of certain *weight functions*) are appropriate *scales of the space* D'_π of all *periodic distributions*. The equality of the *realizations* $L_{p,p',k}^\sim$ and $L_{p,p',k}^\#$ from $B_{p,k}^\pi$ into $L_{p'}(W) \cap D'_\pi$ ($p' \in \mathbf{R}$; $1/p + 1/p' = 1$) are also studied, when $p \in]1, 2]$ and $k \in K'_\pi$.

The best known example of the operators, which can be defined by (1.1), are linear partial differential operators with C_π^∞ -coefficients (cf. [4], [3], [1], [6] and [7]). It follows from the well-known regularity results of solutions (cf. [4], pp. 90–119) that smooth periodic elliptic operators are essentially maximal in $H_{k_s}^\pi := B_{2,k_s}^\pi$, $s \in \mathbf{R}$, that is the equality $L_{2,k_s,k_s}^\sim = L_{2,k_s,k_s}^\#$ holds. Some criteria for the essential maximality in $H_{k_0}^\pi := L_2(W) \cap D'_\pi$ can also be found in [8], pp. 28–38.

Suppose that in (1.2) for any $\alpha \in \mathbf{N}_0^n$, $\mu_\alpha = \mu + \delta|\alpha|$ with $\mu \in \mathbf{R}$ and $\delta < 1$ and that for any $|\alpha| \leq [N_h + n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$ one has

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k(l)/h(l). \quad (1.3)$$

Here N_h is a constant depending only on $h \in K'_\pi$. We show that these assumptions are sufficient to guarantee the equality $L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^\sim = L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^\#$ (cf. Theorem 3.5). Specially, this equality implies that for any smooth periodic partial differential operator $L(x, D) = \sum_{|\sigma| \leq m} a_\sigma(x) D^\sigma$, $m \in \mathbf{N}$ the equality

$L_{p,kk_{m-1},k}^\sim = L_{p,kk_{m-1},k}^\#$ holds. Hence any first order partial differential operator with C_π -coefficients is essentially maximal in $L_2(W) \cap D'_\pi$ (cf. Corollaries 3.6–3.8). In the case when $\mu_\alpha = \mu + \delta|\alpha|$; $\mu \in \mathbf{R}$, $\delta < 1$, the estimate

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k(l)k_1(l) \quad (1.4)$$

holds for $|\alpha| \leq [n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$ and when $p \in]1, 2]$, we establish the identity $L_{p,p',k}^\sim = L_{p,p',k}^\#$ (cf. Theorem 4.2).

2. Notations and definitions of realizations

2.1. Denote by W the open cube $\{x \in \mathbf{R}^n \mid -\pi < x_j < \pi \text{ for } j = 1, \dots, n\}$. By C_π^∞ we denote the space of all smooth (with respect to W) periodic functions $\varphi: \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$.

In C_π^∞ we set a standard *Frechet space topology* defined by the semi-norms $q_\sigma(\varphi) := \sup_{x \in W} |(D^\sigma \varphi)(x)|$, $\sigma \in \mathbf{N}_0^n$. The dual of C_π^∞ is denoted by D'_π and its elements are periodic distributions. In D'_π one uses the weak dual topology.

For $u \in D'_\pi$ and $l \in \mathbf{Z}^n$ we define $u_l \in \mathbf{C}$ by

$$u_l = u(e^{-i(l, \cdot)}). \tag{2.1}$$

Then one has for $u \in D'_\pi$ and $\varphi \in C_\pi^\infty$

$$u(\varphi) = (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l u_l \varphi_{-l}, \tag{2.2}$$

where

$$\varphi_l := \varphi(e^{-i(l, \cdot)}) := \int_W \varphi(x) e^{-i(l, x)} dx. \tag{2.3}$$

For φ and $\psi \in C_\pi^\infty$ we denote

$$\varphi(\psi) := \int_W \varphi(x) \psi(x) dx,$$

and so specifically one gets $\varphi(\psi) = (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l \varphi_l \psi_{-l}$.

Denote by K_π the totality of all positive functions $k: \mathbf{Z}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ such that for any $k \in K_\pi$ there exist constants

$c > 0$, $C > 0$, $m, M \in \mathbf{N}$ such that

$$ck_{-m}(l) \leq k(l) \leq Ck_M(l) \quad \text{for all } l \in \mathbf{Z}^n,$$

where $k_s(l) := (1 + |l|^2)^{s/2}$, $s \in \mathbf{R}$. Choose $p \in [1, \infty[$. A subspace $B_{p,k}^\pi$ of D'_π is defined as follows:

A distribution $u \in D'_\pi$ belongs to $B_{p,k}^\pi$ if and only if

$$\|u\|_{p,k} := \left((2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{l \in \mathbf{Z}^n} |u_l k(l)|^p \right)^{1/p} < \infty. \tag{2.4}$$

One sees that the mapping $u \rightarrow \|u\|_{p,k}$ is a norm in $B_{p,k}^\pi$. The linear space $B_{p,k}^\pi$ equipped with the $\|\cdot\|_{p,k}$ -norm is a Banach space.

Define $S_\pi := \left\{ \varphi \in C_\pi^\infty \mid \varphi(x) = (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{|l| \leq n_\varphi} \varphi_l e^{i(l, x)} \text{ with some } n_\varphi \in \mathbf{N} \right\}$,

that is, S_π is the space of all trigonometric polynomials. One sees that S_π is a dense subspace of $B_{p,k}^\pi$ and so $B_{p,k}^\pi$ is (essentially) a completion of S_π with

respect to the norm $\|\varphi\|_{p,k} := \left((2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{l \in \mathbf{Z}^n} |\varphi_l k(l)|^p \right)^{1/p}$.

2.2. Let L be a linear operator $S_\pi \rightarrow C_\pi^\infty$ such that the formal transpose $L': S_\pi \rightarrow C_\pi^\infty$ exists, in other words, there exists a linear operator $L': S_\pi \rightarrow C_\pi^\infty$ so that

$$(L\varphi)(\psi) = \varphi(L'\psi) \quad \text{for all } \varphi, \psi \in S_\pi. \quad (2.5)$$

Define linear dense operators $L_{p,k,h}$ and $L'_{p,k,h}^\#$; $p \in [1, \infty[$, $k, h \in K_\pi$ by the requirements

$$\left. \begin{aligned} D(L_{p,k,h}) &= S_\pi \\ L_{p,k,h}\varphi &= L\varphi \quad \text{for } \varphi \in S_\pi \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (2.6)$$

and

$$\left. \begin{aligned} D(L'_{p,k,h}^\#) &= \{ u \in B_{p,k}^\pi \mid \text{there exists } f \in B_{p,h}^\pi \text{ such that} \\ &\quad u(L'\varphi) = f(\varphi) \text{ for all } \varphi \in S_\pi \} \\ L'_{p,k,h}^\# u &= f. \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (2.7)$$

Let $p' \in]1, \infty]$ so that $1/p + 1/p' = 1$ and let $k^\vee \in K_\pi$ so that $k^\vee(l) = k(-l)$. Since the inequality

$$|\varphi(\psi)| \leq \|\varphi\|_{p,k} \|\psi\|_{p',1/k^\vee} \quad \text{for } \varphi, \psi \in C_\pi^\infty \quad (2.8)$$

holds, one gets by (2.5) that $L_{p,k,h}$ is a closable operator $B_{p,k}^\pi \rightarrow B_{p,h}^\pi$, $L'_{p,k,h}^\#$ is a closed operator $B_{p,k}^\pi \rightarrow B_{p,h}^\pi$ and that $L_{p,k,h} \subset L'_{p,k,h}^\#$. Let $\tilde{L}_{p,k,h}$ be the smallest closed extension of $L_{p,k,h}$. Then one has $\tilde{L}_{p,k,h} \subset L'_{p,k,h}^\#$. The operator $\tilde{L}_{p,k,h}$ is called the *minimal realization* and the operator $L'_{p,k,h}^\#$ is called the *maximal realization* of L from $B_{p,k}^\pi$ to $B_{p,h}^\pi$.

Similarly, we are able to define minimal and maximal realizations, say $\tilde{L}_{p,q,k}$ and $L'_{p,q,k}^\#$ from $B_{p,k}^\pi$ to $L_q(W) \cap D'_\pi$, where $p \in [1, \infty[$, $q \in [1, \infty[$ and $k \in K_\pi$.

2.3. Let $L(\cdot, \cdot)$ be a function from $\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{Z}^n$ to \mathbb{C} such that $L(\cdot, l) \in C_\pi^\infty$ for any $l \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ and that with some constants $C_\alpha > 0$ and $\mu_\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ one has

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k_{\mu_\alpha}(l) \quad \text{for all } l \in \mathbb{Z}^n. \quad (2.9)$$

Then the Fourier series operator $L(x, D)$ defined by

$$(L(x, D)\varphi)(x) = (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l L(x, l)\varphi_l e^{i(l,x)}, \quad \varphi \in C_\pi^\infty \quad (2.10)$$

maps C_π^∞ continuously into C_π^∞ (cf. [9]). Hence, specifically, the inclusion

$$C_\pi^\infty \subset D(\tilde{L}_{p,k,h}) \cap D(L'_{p,q,k}^\#)$$

holds. In the case when $\mu_\alpha = \mu + \delta|\alpha|$ with some $\mu \in \mathbf{R}$ and $\delta < 1$ we know that the continuous formal transpose $L'(x, D): C_\pi^\infty \rightarrow C_\pi^\infty$ of $L(x, D)$ exists (cf. [9]). When $L'(x, D): C_\pi^\infty \rightarrow C_\pi^\infty$ exists, then $L'(x, D)$ is always continuous. This follows from the Closed Graph Theorem.

Suppose that $L'(x, D): C_\pi^\infty \rightarrow C_\pi^\infty$ exists. Then we are able to define the *continuous extension* $\bar{L}: D'_\pi \rightarrow D'_\pi$ of $L(x, D)$ by

$$(\bar{L}u)(\varphi) = u(L'(x, D)\varphi) \quad \text{for } \varphi \in C_\pi^\infty. \quad (2.11)$$

Denote by A_π the *space of mappings* $L(\cdot, \cdot): \mathbf{R}^n \times \mathbf{Z}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ such that $L(\cdot, l) \in C_\pi^\infty$ for any $l \in \mathbf{Z}^n$ and that for each $L(\cdot, \cdot) \in A_\pi$ there exists $\mu \in \mathbf{R}$ and $\delta < 1$ such that

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k_{\mu+\delta|\alpha|}(l) \quad \text{for } l \in \mathbf{Z}^n. \quad (2.12)$$

The *space of operators* $\{L(x, D) \mid L(x, D) \text{ is defined by (2.10), where } L(\cdot, \cdot) \in A_\pi\}$ is denoted by \mathcal{A}_π . Then for any $L(x, D) \in \mathcal{A}_\pi$ the formal transpose $L'(x, D): C_\pi^\infty \rightarrow C_\pi^\infty$ exists.

We denote by K'_π the subset of K_π such that for any $k \in K'_\pi$ there exist constants $C_k > 0$ and $N_k \geq 0$ with which

$$k(l+z) \leq C_k k_{N_k}(l)k(z) \quad \text{for } l, z \in \mathbf{Z}^n. \quad (2.13)$$

The smallest integer, which is greater or equal to $a \in \mathbf{R}$ is denoted by $[a]$. Choose h from K'_π . We denote $C_{n,\varepsilon,h} := C_h \cdot \gamma_{n,\varepsilon,h}^{-1} \sum_l k_{-(n+\varepsilon)}(l)$, where $\gamma_{n,\varepsilon,h} \in \mathbf{R}$ so that

$$\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} l^{2\alpha} \geq \gamma_{n,\varepsilon,h}^2 k_{[N_h+n+\varepsilon]}^2(l) \quad \text{for } l \in \mathbf{Z}^n.$$

Theorem 2.1. *Suppose that $k, h \in K'_\pi$ and that \mathcal{R} is a subset of A_π such that*

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha R)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k(l)/h(l) \quad \text{for all } |\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon] \text{ and } R(\cdot, \cdot) \in \mathcal{R}. \quad (2.14)$$

Then one has

$$\|R(x, D)\varphi\|_{p,h} \leq C_{n,\varepsilon,h} \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2} \|\varphi\|_{p,k} \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in C_\pi^\infty, \quad R(\cdot, \cdot) \in \mathcal{R} \quad \text{and } p \in [1, \infty[\quad (2.15)$$

P r o o f. A. We shall show that

$$\sum_{l \in \mathbf{Z}^n} |(R(\cdot, -l))_{l-z}|(1/k^\vee(l)) \leq (2\pi)^n C_{n,\varepsilon,h} \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2} (1/h^\vee(z)) \quad (2.16)$$

and that

$$\sum_{z \in \mathbf{Z}^n} |(R(\cdot, -l))_{l-z}|h^\vee(z) \leq (2\pi)^n C_{n,\varepsilon,h} \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2} k^\vee(l). \quad (2.17)$$

Then the Theorem 4.4 in [9] (cf. also the relation (4.17) in [9]) implies that (choose $k \leftrightarrow 1/k^\vee$ and $k^\sim \leftrightarrow (k/h)^\vee$)

$$\begin{aligned} \|R^l(x, D)\varphi\|_{p', 1/k^\vee} &\leq (C_{n,\varepsilon,h} \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2})^{1/p+1/p'} \|\varphi\|_{p', 1/h^\vee} \\ &= C_{n,\varepsilon,h} \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2} \|\varphi\|_{p', 1/h^\vee} \end{aligned} \quad (2.18)$$

for any $p' \in]1, \infty[$.

From (2.18) one gets that for any $p \in]1, \infty[$ (cf. [9], Lemma 4.3)

$$\|R(x, D)\varphi\|_{p, h} \leq C_{n,\varepsilon,h} \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2} \|\varphi\|_{p,k}. \quad (2.19)$$

Since for any $\varphi \in C_\pi^\infty$ one has

$$\|\varphi\|_{p,k} \rightarrow \|\varphi\|_{1,k} \quad \text{with } p \rightarrow 1,$$

we see that the inequality (2.15) holds also in the case when $p = 1$.

B. We show the estimates (2.16)–(2.17). In virtue of (2.13) one gets

$$h^\vee(z) \leq C_h k_{N_h}(z-l)h^\vee(l) \quad (2.20)$$

and

$$1/h^\vee(l) \leq C_h k_{N_h}(z-l)(1/h^\vee(z)). \quad (2.21)$$

For any $|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]$ and $R(\cdot, \cdot) \in \mathcal{R}$ we obtain

$$|(l-z)^\alpha (R(\cdot, -l))_{l-z}| = |((D_x^\alpha R)(\cdot, -l))_{l-z}| \leq (2\pi)^n C_\alpha (k^\vee(l)/h^\vee(l)) \quad (2.22)$$

and so

$$\gamma_{n,\varepsilon,h}|(R(\cdot, -l))_{l-z}| \leq (2\pi)^n \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2} (k^\vee(l)/h^\vee(l)) k_{-[N_h+n+\varepsilon]}(z-l). \quad (2.23)$$

Here we used the inequality

$$\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} l^{2\alpha} \geq \gamma_{n,\varepsilon,h}^2 k_{[N_h+n+\varepsilon]}^2(l),$$

which implies by (2.22) that

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma_{n,\varepsilon,h}^2 k_{[N_h+n+\varepsilon]}^2(z-l) |(R(\cdot, -l))_{l-z}|^2 &\leq \sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} |(l-z)^\alpha (R(\cdot, -l))_{l-z}|^2 \\ &\leq (2\pi)^{2n} \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right] (k^\vee(l)/h^\vee(l))^2, \end{aligned}$$

and so we get (2.23).

In virtue of (2.20), (2.21) and (2.23) we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_l |(R(\cdot, -l))_{l-z}| (1/k^\vee(l)) &\leq \gamma_{n,\varepsilon,h}^{-1} (2\pi)^n \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2} \sum_l (1/h^\vee(l)) k_{-[N_h+n+\varepsilon]}(z-l) \\ &\leq \gamma_{n,\varepsilon,h}^{-1} (2\pi)^n C_h \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2} \left(\sum_l k_{-(n+\varepsilon)}(l) \right) (1/h^\vee(z)) \end{aligned} \quad (2.24)$$

and then (2.16) holds.

Similarly, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_z |(R(\cdot, -l))_{l-z}| h^\vee(z) &\leq \gamma_{n,\varepsilon,h}^{-1} (2\pi)^n \left[\sum_{|\alpha| \leq [N_h+n+\varepsilon]} C_\alpha^2 \right]^{1/2} C_h \sum_z k^\vee(l) k_{-(n+\varepsilon)}(z-l), \end{aligned} \quad (2.25)$$

which implies (2.17). This completes the proof.

2.4. Let $\tilde{\Theta}$ be in $C_0^\infty(B(0,1))$ so that $\int_W \tilde{\Theta}(x) dx = 1$.

Define $\tilde{\Theta}_m \in C_0^\infty := C_0^\infty(\mathbf{R}^n)$ by

$$\tilde{\Theta}_m(x) = m^n \tilde{\Theta}(mx), \quad m \in \mathbf{N}.$$

Furthermore, define $\Theta_m \in S$ (here S denotes the *Schwartz class*) by

$$\Theta_m = (2\pi)^n F^{-1}(\tilde{\Theta}_m^\vee),$$

where $F: S \rightarrow S$ is the *Fourier transform*. Define a *Fourier series operator* $\Theta_m(D)$ by

$$(\Theta_m(D)\varphi)(x) = (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{l \in \mathbf{Z}^n} \Theta_m(l) \varphi_l e^{i(l,x)}. \quad (2.26)$$

Let $\Theta_m: D'_\pi \rightarrow D'_\pi$ be the continuous extension of $\Theta_m(D)$ (cf. (2.11); note that $\Theta'_m(D)$ exists). Then one sees that for any $u \in D'_\pi$ one has

$$(\tilde{\Theta}_m u)_l = (\bar{\Theta}_m u)(e^{-i(l,\cdot)}) = u(\Theta'_m(D)(e^{-i(l,\cdot)})) = u(\Theta_m(l) e^{-i(l,\cdot)}) = \Theta_m(l) u_l. \quad (2.27)$$

Thus we obtain for $p < \infty$

Lemma 2.2. *Let u be in $B_{p,k}^\pi$. Then one has*

$$\bar{\Theta}_m u \in C_\pi \quad \text{and} \quad \|\Theta_m u - u\|_{p,k} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{with } m \rightarrow \infty. \quad (2.28)$$

Proof. One has (recall that $F^{-1}\phi = (2\pi)^{-n} F\phi^\vee$)

$$\Theta_m(l) = (F\tilde{\Theta}_m)(l) = \int_{\mathbf{R}} m^n \tilde{\Theta}(my) e^{-i(l,y)} dy = (F\tilde{\Theta})(l/m).$$

Furthermore, we obtain for any $\varphi \in C_\pi^\infty$ (cf. (2.2) and (2.27))

$$(\Theta_m u)(\varphi) - (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l \Theta_m(l) u_l \varphi_{-l} = \left[(2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l \Theta_m(l) u_l e^{i(l,\cdot)} \right](\varphi).$$

Thus $\bar{\Theta}_m u - (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l (F\tilde{\Theta})(l/m) u_l e^{i(l,\cdot)} \in C_\pi^\infty$. In addition, one gets

$$|(\bar{\Theta}_m u)_l| k(l) = |(F\tilde{\Theta})(l/m) u_l k(l)| \leq |\tilde{\Theta}|_{L_1(W)} |u_l k(l)|$$

and

$$(\Theta_m u)_l k(l) \rightarrow (F\tilde{\Theta})(0) u_l k(l) \quad \left(\int_W \tilde{\Theta}(x) dx \right) u_l k(l) = u_l k(l).$$

Thus

$$\|\bar{\Theta}_m u - u\|_{p,k}^p = (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l |((\Theta_m u)_l - u_l) k(l)| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{with } m \rightarrow \infty,$$

which finishes the proof.

3. On the equality $L_{p,k,h}^{\sim} = L_{p,k,h}^{\#}$

3.1. For the first instance we shall deal with the composition $(\Theta_m \circ L)(x, D) := \Theta_m(D) \circ L(x, D)$.

Lemma 3.1. *Let $L(\cdot, \cdot)$ be a mapping $\mathbf{R}^n \times \mathbf{Z}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ so that $L(\cdot, l) \in C_{\pi}^{\infty}$ for any $l \in \mathbf{Z}^n$ and that (with $C_{\alpha} > 0$ and $\mu_{\alpha} \in \mathbf{R}$) the estimate*

$$\sup_{z \in W} |(D_x^{\alpha} L)(x, l)| \leq C_{\alpha} k_{\mu_{\alpha}}(l) \quad \text{for } l \in \mathbf{Z}^n \quad (3.1)$$

holds. Then one has

$$\Theta_m(D) \circ L(x, D) = L(x, D) \circ \Theta_m(D) + R_m(x, D), \quad (3.2)$$

where

$$R_m(x, l) = \sum_{|\gamma|=1} \int_0^1 \sum_{z \in \mathbf{Z}^n} (\partial^{\gamma} \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma} L)(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z, x)} dt \quad (3.3)$$

Proof. For any $\varphi \in C_{\pi}^{\infty}$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} [(\Theta_m \circ L)(x, D)\varphi](x) &= (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{z \in \mathbf{Z}^n} \Theta_m(z) (L(x, D)\varphi)_z e^{i(z, x)} \\ &= (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{z \in \mathbf{Z}^n} \Theta_m(z) \left[(2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{l \in \mathbf{Z}^n} (L(\cdot, l))_{z-l} \varphi_l \right] e^{i(z, x)} \\ &= (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{l \in \mathbf{Z}^n} (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{z \in \mathbf{Z}^n} \Theta_m(z) (L(\cdot, l))_{z-l} e^{i(z-l, x)} \varphi_l e^{i(l, x)}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

where the order of summation is legitimate to change, since $\Theta_m \in S$. In the third step we used the relation

$$\begin{aligned} (L(x, D)\varphi)_z &= (2\pi)^{-n} \int_W \sum_{l \in \mathbf{Z}^n} L(x, l) \varphi_l e^{i(l-z, x)} dx \\ &= (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{l \in \mathbf{Z}^n} \int_W L(x, l) \varphi_l e^{i(l-z, x)} dx, \end{aligned}$$

which is valid, since the sum $\sum_{l \in \mathbf{Z}^n} L(x, l) \varphi_l e^{i(z-l, x)}$ is by (3.1) uniformly convergent in \mathbf{R}^n .

From (3.4) we see that

$$(O_m \circ L)(x, l) = (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{z \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \Theta_m(l + z)(L(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z, x)}$$

(note that $(\Theta_m \circ L)(\cdot, \cdot)$ is a function $\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{Z}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ so that $(O_m \circ L)(\cdot, l) \in C_\pi^\infty$ for any $l \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ and that $|D_x^\alpha(\Theta_m \circ L)(x, l)| \leq C'_\alpha k_{\mu'_\alpha}(l)$). Due to the Taylor formula we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} (\Theta_m \circ L)(x, l) &= (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{z \in \mathbb{Z}^n} O_m(l)(L(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z, x)} \\ &+ (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{z \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \left[\sum_{|\gamma|=1} \int_0^1 (\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) \right] z^\gamma (L(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z, x)} dt \\ &= L(x, l) \Theta_m(l) + (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_{|\gamma|=1} \int_0^1 \sum_{z \in \mathbb{Z}^n} (\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^\gamma L)(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z, x)} dt \\ &= (L \circ \Theta_m)(x, l) + R_m(x, l), \end{aligned}$$

as required.

From (3.3) one sees easily that $R_m(\cdot, \cdot)$ is a function $\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{Z}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $R_m(\cdot, l) \in C_\pi^\infty$ for any $l \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ and that

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha R_m)(x, l)| \leq C''_\alpha k_{\mu''_\alpha}(l).$$

A more careful study of the rest operator $R_m(x, D)$ yields

Lemma 3.2. *Suppose that for any $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}_0^n$ there exists a function $k_\alpha \in K_\pi$ so that*

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k_\alpha(l) \quad \text{for } l \in \mathbb{Z}^n \quad (3.5)$$

and that $R_m(\cdot, \cdot)$ is defined by (3.3). Then one has

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha R_m)(x, l)| \leq C'_\alpha (\bar{k}_\alpha k_{-1})(l) \quad \text{for } l \in \mathbb{Z}^n, \quad (3.6)$$

where

$$\bar{k}_\alpha := \max_{\substack{|\beta| \leq n+2 \\ |\gamma|=1}} \{k_{\alpha+\beta+\gamma}\} \quad (3.7)$$

P r o o f. A. Define $g^\gamma(x, l, t) := \sum_{z \in \mathbb{Z}^n} (\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^\gamma L)(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z, x)}$.

We shall establish that

$$|(D_x^\alpha g^\gamma)(x, l, t)| \leq C_{\alpha, \gamma} k_{\alpha, \gamma} k_{-1}(l), \quad (3.8)$$

where $k_{\alpha, \gamma} := \max_{|\beta| \leq n+2} \{k_{\alpha+\beta+\gamma}\}$. (3.8) implies immediately the estimate (3.6).

Since $\Theta := F\tilde{\Theta} \in S$ we obtain that with some $C''_\gamma > 0$

$$|(\partial^\gamma \Theta)(x)| \leq C''_\gamma k_{-1}(x) \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

and so one has (note that $\Theta_m = \Theta(l/m)$)

$$\begin{aligned} |(\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz)| &= (1/m) |(\partial^\gamma \Theta)((l + tz)/m)| \\ &\leq (C''_\gamma/m) (1 + |(l + tz)/m|^2)^{-1/2} = C''_\gamma (m^2 + |1 + tz|^2)^{-1/2} \\ &\leq C''_\gamma k_{-1}(l + tz). \end{aligned} \quad (3.9)$$

B. For any $|\beta| \leq n + 2$ one gets

$$\begin{aligned} |z^\beta [(\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha} L)(\cdot, l))_z]| \\ &= |(\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha+\beta} L)(\cdot, l))_z| \\ &\leq C''_\gamma (2\pi)^n C_{\alpha+\beta+\gamma} k_{-1}(l + tz) k_{\alpha+\beta+\gamma}(l) \\ &\leq C_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma} k_{-1}(l + tz) k_{\alpha, \gamma}(l) \end{aligned}$$

and so with a suitable constant $C'_{\alpha, \gamma} > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} |(\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha} L)(\cdot, l))_z| \\ \leq C'_{\alpha, \gamma} k_{-1}(l + tz) k_{\alpha, \gamma}(l) k_{-(n+2)}(z). \end{aligned} \quad (3.10)$$

Specifically, the estimate (3.10) implies that the series (note that $k_{-1}(l + tz) \leq 1$)

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_z D_x^\alpha \left[(\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^\gamma L)(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z, x)} \right] \\ &= \sum_z (\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^\gamma L)(\cdot, l))_z z^\alpha e^{i(z, x)} \\ &= \sum_z (\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha} L)(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z, x)} \end{aligned}$$

is (absolutely) and uniformly (in \mathbb{R}^n) convergent for any $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}_0^n$. Hence $g^\gamma(\cdot, l, t) \in C^\infty_\pi$ for any $l \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ and $t \in [0, 1]$ and $(D_x^\alpha g^\gamma)(\cdot, l, t)$ is given by

$$(D_x^\alpha g^\gamma)(x, l, t) = \sum_z (\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha} L)(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z, x)} \quad (3.11)$$

C. To obtain the estimate (3.6) we decompose the sum in (3.11) as follows

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_z (\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha} L)(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z,x)} = \\ \sum_{2|z| > |l|} (\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha} L)(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z,x)} \\ + \sum_{2|z| \leq |l|} (\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha} L)(\cdot, l))_z e^{i(z,x)} \\ =: S_{\alpha,1}^\gamma(x, l, t) + S_{\alpha,2}^\gamma(x, l, t). \end{aligned} \quad (3.12)$$

C₁. In the case when $l \leq 2|z|$ one gets by (3.10)

$$\begin{aligned} |(\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha} L)(\cdot, l))_z| \\ \leq C'_{\alpha,\gamma} k_{\alpha,\gamma}(l) k_{-(n+1)}(z) \leq 2C'_{\alpha,\gamma} (k_{\alpha,\gamma} k_{-1})(l) k_{-(n+1)}(z) \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$S_{\alpha,1}(x, l, t) \leq 2C'_{\alpha,\gamma} \left(\sum_z k_{-(n+1)}(z) \right) (k_{\alpha,\gamma} k_{-1})(l). \quad (3.13)$$

C₂. In the case when $|l| \geq 2|z|$ one finds that

$$|l + tz| \geq |l| - |z| \geq (1/2)|l|$$

and so for $|l| \geq 2|z|$ we have by (3.10)

$$|(\partial^\gamma \Theta_m)(l + tz) ((D_x^{\gamma+\alpha} L)(\cdot, l))_z| \leq 2C'_{\alpha,\gamma} k_{-1}(l) k_{\alpha,\gamma}(l) k_{-(n+1)}(z).$$

This yields the estimate

$$|S_{\alpha,2}^\gamma(x, l, t)| \leq 2C'_{\alpha,\gamma} \left(\sum_z k_{-(n+1)}(z) \right) (k_{\alpha,\gamma} k_{-1})(l) \quad (3.14)$$

and so by (3.11)–(3.13) we get

$$|(D_x^\alpha g^\gamma)(x, l, t)| \leq C_{\alpha,\gamma} (k_{\alpha,\gamma} k_{-1})(l),$$

as desired.

Remark 3.5. From the proof of Lemma 3.2 one sees that the constants C'_α in (3.6) obey

$$C'_\alpha \leq \sum_{|\gamma|=1} \left(\sum_{|\beta| \leq n+2} (C''_\gamma C_{\alpha+\beta+\gamma})^2 \right)^{1/2} \left(\sum_z k_{-(n+1)}(z) \right).$$

Combining Theorem 2.1 and Lemma 3.2. we get

Theorem 3.4. *Suppose that $L(\cdot, \cdot)$ belongs to A_π and that for any $|\alpha| \leq [N_h + n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$ the estimate*

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k(l)/h(l) \quad (3.15)$$

holds. Let $R_m(\cdot, \cdot)$ be defined by (3.3). Then one has

$$\|R_m(x, D)\varphi\|_{p, h} \leq C\|\varphi\|_{p, k k_{-1}} \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in C_\pi^\infty, \quad (3.16)$$

where C does not depend on $m \in \mathbf{N}$ and $p \in [1, \infty]$.

P r o o f. A. Any $R_m(\cdot, \cdot)$ belongs to A_π : In virtue of (3.6) one sees that

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha R_m)(x, l)| \leq C'_\alpha (\bar{k}_\alpha k_{-1})(l). \quad (3.17)$$

Since

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k_{\mu + \delta|\alpha|}(l),$$

we can choose $k_\alpha = k_{\mu + \delta|\alpha|}$ and so

$$\bar{k}_\alpha \leq k_{\mu + \delta(n+3) + \delta|\alpha|}.$$

Thus $R_m(\cdot, \cdot) \in A_\pi$.

B. For any $|\alpha| \leq [N_h + n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$ we can choose $k_\alpha = k/h$ and so

$$k_{\alpha + \beta + \gamma} \leq k/h \quad \text{for any } |\alpha| \leq [N_h + n + \varepsilon], \quad |\beta| \leq n + 2, \quad |\gamma| = 1$$

This implies that

$$\bar{k}_\alpha \leq k/h \quad \text{for any } |\alpha| \leq [N_h + n + \varepsilon]$$

and so by (3.17)

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha R_m)(x, l)| \leq C'(k k_{-1}/h)(l), \quad \text{for } |\alpha| \leq [N_h + n + \varepsilon].$$

Applying Theorem 2.1 to the set $\mathcal{R} := \{R_m(\cdot, \cdot) \mid m \in \mathbf{N}\}$ one gets that

$$\|R_m(x, D)\varphi\|_{p, h} \leq C\|\varphi\|_{p, k k_{-1}} \quad \text{for } \varphi \in C_\pi^\infty,$$

where C does not depend on m and p . This finishes the proof.

3.2. Suppose that $L(\cdot, \cdot)$ belongs to A_π . Then the formal transpose of $L(x, D)$ and $R_m(x, D)$ exists (cf. the proof of Theorem 3.4). Furthermore, the formal transpose $\Theta'_m(D)$ of $\Theta_m(D)$ exists. Thus we can define the continuous extensions Θ_m , L and $\bar{R}_m: D'_\pi \rightarrow D'_\pi$. From (3.2) one sees that

$$R'_m(x, D) = L'(x, D) \circ \Theta'_m(D) - \Theta'_m(D) \circ L'(x, D) \quad (3.18)$$

and so

$$R_m u = \Theta_m(Lu) - \bar{L}(\bar{\Theta}_m u) \quad \text{for } u \in D'_\pi. \quad (3.19)$$

We are ready to establish

Theorem 3.5. *Suppose that $L(\cdot, \cdot)$ belongs to A_π and that for any $|\alpha| \leq [N_h + n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$ the estimate (3.15) holds. Then the equality*

$$L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^\sim = L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}, \quad p \in [1, \infty[, \quad k, h \in K'_\pi \quad (3.20)$$

holds.

Proof. Let u be in $D(L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}) \subset B_{p,kk_{-1}}^\pi$. Due to Lemma 2.2 one has $\Theta_m u \in C_\pi^\infty$ and so

$$\bar{L}(\bar{\Theta}_m u) = L(x, D)(\bar{\Theta}_m u) = L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^\sim(\bar{\Theta}_m u).$$

Furthermore, in virtue of (3.16) we get

$$\|\bar{R}_m u\|_{p,h} \leq C \|u\|_{p,kk_{-1}} \quad (3.21)$$

and so by (3.19) one has (note that $\bar{L}u = L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}u$)

$$\begin{aligned} & \|L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^\sim(\bar{\Theta}_m u) - L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}u\|_{p,h} \\ & \leq \|\bar{\Theta}_m(L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}u) - L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}u\|_{p,h} + C \|u\|_{p,kk_{-1}} \end{aligned} \quad (3.22)$$

for all $m \in \mathbb{N}$ and $u \in D(L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#})$.

Let ε be a positive number. Choose $\varphi \in S_\pi$ so that $\|u - \varphi\|_{p,kk_{-1}} < \varepsilon$. Furthermore, choose $m_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that (cf. Lemma 2.2)

$$\|\bar{\Theta}_m(L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}(u - \varphi)) - L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}(u - \varphi)\|_{p,h} < \varepsilon \quad (3.23)$$

and that

$$\|\Theta_m \varphi - \varphi\|_{p,k} < \varepsilon \quad \text{for } m \geq m_0.$$

Due to Theorem 2.1 one has with some constant $C' > 0$

$$\|L(x, D)\varphi\|_{p,h} \leq C' \|\varphi\|_{p,k} \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in C_\pi^\infty$$

and so

$$\|L(x, D)(\Theta_m \varphi) - L(x, D)\varphi\|_{p,h} \leq C' \varepsilon \quad \text{for } m \geq m_0. \quad (3.24)$$

Using (3.22)–(3.24) we observe that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^\sim(\Theta_m u) - L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}u\|_{p,h} \\ & \leq \|\bar{\Theta}_m(L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}(u - \varphi)) - L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#}(u - \varphi)\|_{p,h} \\ & \quad + \|L(x, D)(\bar{\Theta}_m \varphi) - L(x, D)\varphi\|_{p,h} + C \|u - \varphi\|_{p,kk_{-1}} \\ & \leq \varepsilon + (C + C')\varepsilon \quad \text{for } m \geq m_0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\|L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\sim}(\bar{\Theta}_m u) - L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#} u\|_{p,h} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{with } m \rightarrow \infty$$

and since (cf. Lemma 2.2)

$$\|\bar{\Theta}_m u - u\|_{p,kk_{-1}} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{with } m \rightarrow \infty,$$

one sees that $u \in D(L_{p,kk_{-1},h})$ and that $L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\sim} u = L_{p,kk_{-1},h}^{\prime\#} u$, as required.

We obtain the next corollaries

Corollary 3.6. *Suppose that $L(\cdot, \cdot)$ belongs to A_π and that for any $|\alpha| \leq [N_k + n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$ the estimate*

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k_m(l) \quad \text{for } l \in \mathbb{Z}^n \quad (3.25)$$

holds, where $m \in \mathbb{R}$. Then one has

$$L_{p,kk_{m-1},k}^{\sim} = L_{p,kk_{m-1},k}^{\prime\#} \quad \text{for } p \in [1, \infty[\quad k \in K'_\pi. \quad (3.26)$$

P r o o f. In view of (3.25) one sees that

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha (kk_m)(l)/k(l)$$

for $|\alpha| \leq [N_k + n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$. Hence by Theorem 3.5 we obtain $L_{p,kk_{m-1},k}^{\sim} = L_{p,kk_{m-1},k}^{\prime\#}$, as we asserted.

Corollary 3.7. *Let $m \in \mathbb{N}$ and let*

$$L(x, D) = \sum_{|\sigma| \leq m} a_\sigma(x) D^\sigma$$

be a linear partial differential operator with smooth periodic coefficients (that is, $a_\sigma \in C_\pi^\infty$). Then for any $p \in [1, \infty[$, $k \in K'_\pi$ one has

$$L_{p,kk_{m-1},k}^{\sim} = L_{p,kk_{m-1},k}^{\prime\#}. \quad (3.27)$$

P r o o f. The mapping $L(\cdot, \cdot)$ obeys

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k_m(l)$$

for any $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}_0^n$. Hence the proof follows from Corollary 3.6.

Corollary 3.8. *Let $L(x, D)$ be the first order linear partial differential operator with coefficients $a_\sigma \in C_\pi^\infty$. Then the equality*

$$L_{p,k,k}^\sim = L_{p,k,k}^{\prime\#} \quad \text{for } p \in [1, \infty[\quad k \in K'_\pi \quad (3.28)$$

holds.

Apply Corollary 3.7 with $m = 1$.

Remark 3.9. We have $B_{2,k_0}^\pi = L_2(W) \cap D'_\pi = \{u \in L_2(W) \mid u \text{ is periodic}\}$. Due to Corollary 3.8 for any first order smooth periodic partial differential operator $L(x, D)$ the relation $L^\sim = L^{\prime\#}$ holds, where $L^\sim = L_{2,k_0,k}^\sim$ and $L^{\prime\#} = L_{2,k_0,k_0}^{\prime\#}$. Hence for any weak solution of $L(x, D)u = f$; $u, f \in B_{2,k}^\pi$ there exists a sequence $\{\varphi_n\} \subset S_\pi$ so that

$$\|\varphi_n - u\| + \|L(x, D)\varphi_n - f\| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{with } n \rightarrow \infty,$$

where $\|\cdot\| := \|\cdot\|_{2, k_0} = \|\cdot\|_{L_2(W)}$.

4. On the identity $L_{p,p',k}^\sim = L_{p,p',k}^{\prime\#}$

We recall that $L_{p,p',k}^\sim$ and $L_{p,p',k}^{\prime\#}$ denotes the maximal and respective the minimal realization of $L(x, D)$ from $B_{p,k}^\pi$ into $L_{p'}(W) \cap D'_\pi$. We need the following lemma

Lemma 4.1. *Suppose that $L(\cdot, \cdot) \in A_\pi$ such that*

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha k(l) k_1(l) \quad \text{for } l \in \mathbb{Z}^n \quad (4.1)$$

for any $|\alpha| \leq [n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$. Then one has for $p \in [1, 2]$, $1/p + 1/p' = 1$,

$$\|R_m(x, D)\varphi\|_{p'} \leq C \|\varphi\|_{p,k} \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in C_\pi^\infty, \quad (4.2)$$

where C does not depend on p and m . Here $R_m(\cdot, \cdot)$ is defined by (3.3) and we denote $\|\cdot\|_{p'} = \|\cdot\|_{L_{p'}(W)}$.

Proof. A. In virtue of (4.1) one sees that

$$\sup_{x \in W} |(D_x^\alpha L)(x, l)| \leq C_\alpha (kk_1)(l)/k_0(l)$$

for any $|\alpha| \leq [N_{k_0} + n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$ (note that $N_{k_0} = 0$). Hence we obtain by Theorem 3.4 that

$$\|R_m(x, D)\varphi\|_{L_2(W)} = \|R_m(x, D)\varphi\|_{2,k_0} \leq C_1 \|\varphi\|_{2,k}, \quad (4.3)$$

where C_1 does not depend on m .

B. Furthermore, we get by (3.6)

$$\begin{aligned} \|R_m(x, D)\varphi\|_{L_\infty(W)} &= \sup_{x \in W} |[R_m(x, D)\varphi](x)| \\ &\leq \sum_l |R_m(x, l)| |\varphi_l| \leq C'_0 \sum_l |\varphi_l k(l)| = C'_0 \|\varphi\|_{1, k} \end{aligned} \quad (4.4)$$

(since $k_0 = \max_{\substack{|\gamma|=1 \\ |\beta| \leq n+2}} \{k_{\beta+\gamma}\} = \max_{\substack{|\gamma|=1 \\ |\beta| \leq n+2}} \{k_1 k\} = k_1 k$). Hence one obtains that the operators

$$R_m(x, D) \circ T^{-1}: L_2(\mathbb{Z}^n, d\nu) \rightarrow L_2(W, dm)$$

and

$$R_m(x, D) \circ T^{-1}: L_1(\mathbb{Z}^n, d\nu) \rightarrow L_\infty(W, dm)$$

are bounded. Here dm denotes the *Lebesgue measure in W* and $d\nu$ denotes the *counting measure in \mathbb{Z}^n* . The operator T is an injection

$$C_\pi^\infty \rightarrow L_1(\mathbb{Z}^n, d\nu) \cap L_2(\mathbb{Z}^n, d\nu)$$

such that

$$(T\varphi)(l) = \varphi_l k(l).$$

The application of the *Riesz-Thorin Theorem* (cf. [2], p. 2) yields that the operator

$$R_m(x, D) \circ T^{-1}: L_p(\mathbb{Z}^n, d\nu) \rightarrow L_{p'}(W, dm)$$

is bounded and that with $0 < \Theta < 1$ one has

$$\|R_m(x, D) \circ T^{-1}\| \leq C_1^{1-\Theta} (C'_0)^\Theta \leq \max\{C_1, C'_0\}$$

(note that when $1/p = (1 - \Theta)/2 + \Theta/1$ and $1/q = (1 - \Theta)/2 + \Theta/\infty$, then $q = p'$ and $1 < p < 2$). Thus we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|R_m(x, D)\varphi\|_{p'} &= \|R_m(x, D) \circ T^{-1}(T\varphi)\|_{p'} \\ &\leq \max\{C_1, C'_0\} \|T\varphi\|_p = \max\{C_1, C'_0\} \|\varphi\|_{p, k}, \end{aligned} \quad (4.5)$$

where $C := \max\{C_1, C'_0\}$ does not depend on m and p . This proves the assertion.

We establish the next theorem for the equality of realizations

Theorem 4.2. *Suppose that $L(\cdot, \cdot) \in A_\pi$ and that the estimate (4.1) holds for any $|\alpha| \leq [n + \varepsilon] + n + 3$. Then one has*

$$L_{p,p',k}^\sim = L_{p,p',k}^{\prime\#} \quad \text{for } p \in]1, 2], \quad k \in K'_\pi. \quad (4.6)$$

P r o o f. A. From (3.19) one gets

$$L_{p,p',k}^\sim(\bar{\Theta}_m u) = \Theta_m(L_{p,p',k}^{\prime\#} u) - \bar{R}_m u \quad (4.7)$$

for any $u \in D(L_{p,p',k}^{\prime\#})$, since $\bar{\Theta}_m u \in C_\pi^\infty \subset D(L_{p,p',k}^\sim)$. Similarly as in the proof of Lemma 4.1 one gets that

$$\|L(x, D)\varphi\|_{p'} \leq C\|\varphi\|_{p,k,k_1} \quad \text{for } \varphi \in C_\pi^\infty, \quad (4.8)$$

and by Lemma 4.1 we obtain

$$\|\bar{R}_m u\|_{p'} \leq C\|u\|_{p,k} \quad \text{for all } m \in \mathbf{N}. \quad (4.9)$$

We shall verify that for any $f \in L_{p'}(W) \cap D'_\pi$ the approximation

$$\|\bar{\Theta}_m(f) - f\|_{p'} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{with } m \rightarrow \infty \quad (4.10)$$

holds. Then the assertion follows with the same kind of conclusion as we made in the proof of Theorem 3.5.

B. Let ϕ be in $C_0^\infty(W)$. Define a function $\phi^\pi: \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ by the relation

$$\phi^\pi(x) = (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l (F\phi)(l) e^{i(l,x)}. \quad (4.11)$$

Then one sees that $\phi^\pi \in C_\pi^\infty$. Furthermore, for any $\varphi \in C_0^\infty(W)$ one has (cf. [10], pp. 86–88)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_W \phi^\pi(x) \varphi(x) dx &= (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l (F\phi)(l) (F\varphi)(-l) \\ &= (2\pi)^{-n} \sum_l \langle \phi, e^{i(l,\cdot)} \rangle_{L_2(W)} \langle \varphi, e^{-i(l,\cdot)} \rangle_{L_2(W)} \\ &\quad - \int_W \phi(x) \varphi(x) dx, \end{aligned}$$

and so $\phi^\pi|_W = \phi$. For any $l \in \mathbf{Z}^n$ one gets

$$(O_m \phi^\pi)_l = O_m(l)(\phi^\pi)_l = (F\tilde{\Theta}_m)(l)(F\phi)(l) - F(\tilde{O}_m * \phi)(l), \quad (4.12)$$

where $*$ denotes the *convolution of functions* $\tilde{\Theta}_m$ and $\phi \in C_0^\infty(W)$. We find that $\text{supp}(\tilde{\Theta}_m * \phi) \subset \text{supp} \tilde{\Theta}_m + \text{supp} \phi \subset \bar{B}(0, 1/m) + \text{supp} \phi$ and so $\tilde{\Theta}_m * \phi \in C_0^\infty(W)$ for m large enough, say $m \geq m_0$. Thus we get by (4.12)

$$\begin{aligned} \|\tilde{\Theta}_m(\phi^\pi) - \phi^\pi\|_{p'} &= \|(\tilde{\Theta}_m * \phi)^\pi - \phi^\pi\|_{p'} \\ &= \|\tilde{\Theta}_m * \phi - \phi\|_{p'} = \|(\tilde{\Theta}_m * \phi)^\vee - \phi^\vee\|_{p'} \\ &= \|F(\tilde{\Theta}_m * \phi) - F\phi\|_{p',1} = \|\Theta_m F\phi - F\phi\|_{p',1} \rightarrow 0 \end{aligned} \quad (4.13)$$

with $m \rightarrow \infty$ (cf. [5], p. 42; the norm $\|\cdot\|_{p',1} = \|\cdot\|_{p',k_0}$ denotes the *Hörmander norm*). In addition, one has

for $m \geq m_0$

$$\|\tilde{\Theta}_m(\phi^\pi)\|_{p'} = \|\tilde{\Theta}_m * \phi\|_{p'} \leq \|\tilde{\Theta}\|_{L_1(W)} \|\phi^\pi\|_{p'}. \quad (4.14)$$

Since $C_0^\infty(W)$ is dense in $L_{p'}(W)$ one gets from (4.14) that

$$\|\tilde{\Theta}_m(f)\|_{p'} \leq \|\tilde{\Theta}\|_{L_1(W)} \|f\|_{p'} \quad \text{for all } f \in L_{p'}(W) \cap D'_\pi. \quad (4.15)$$

Let ε be a positive number. Choose $\phi \in C_0^\infty(W)$ so that

$$\|\phi^\pi - f\|_{p'} = \|\phi - f\|_{p'} < \varepsilon$$

and choose $m_\varepsilon \geq m_0$ such that

$$\|\tilde{\Theta}_m(\phi^\pi) - \phi^\pi\|_{p'} < \varepsilon \quad \text{for } m \geq m_\varepsilon.$$

Then we obtain for $m \geq m_\varepsilon$

$$\begin{aligned} \|\tilde{\Theta}_m(f) - f\|_{p'} &\leq \|\tilde{\Theta}_m(\phi^\pi) - \phi^\pi\|_{p'} + \|\tilde{\Theta}_m(f - \phi^\pi)\|_{p'} + \|\phi^\pi - f\|_{p'} \\ &< \varepsilon + \|\tilde{\Theta}\|_{L_1(W)} \varepsilon + \varepsilon. \end{aligned} \quad (4.16)$$

Thus $\|\tilde{\Theta}_m(f) - f\|_{p'} \rightarrow 0$ with $m \rightarrow \infty$, which completes the proof of (4.10).

Theorem 4.2 yields immediately

Corollary 4.3. *Let $L(x, D) = \sum_{\sigma \leq m} a_\sigma(x) D^\sigma$ be a partial differential operator with coefficients $a_\sigma \in C_\pi^\infty$. Then the identity*

$$L_{p,p',k_{m-1}}^\sim = L_{p,p',k_{m-1}}^\# \quad \text{for any } p \in]1, 2] \quad (4.17)$$

holds.

Remark 4.4. Let $L(x, D) = \sum_{\sigma \leq 1} a_\sigma(x) D^\sigma$ be the first order, partial differential operator with coefficients $a_\sigma \in C_\pi^\infty$. Then the identity $L_{p,p'}^\sim := L_{p,p',k_0}^\sim = L_{p,p'}^\#$ holds ($p \in]1, 2]$). Hence for any solution of $L(x, D)u = f$; $u \in B_{p,k_0}^\pi$, $f \in L_{p'}(W) \cap D'_\pi$ there exists a sequence $\{\varphi_n\} \subset S_\pi$ so that $\|\varphi_n - u\|_{p,k_0} + \|L(x, D)\varphi_n - f\|_{p'} \rightarrow 0$ with $n \rightarrow \infty$.

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