Some properties and applications of the Teodorescu operator associated to the Helmholtz equation

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Abstract
In this paper, we first define the Teodorescu operator $T_{\psi,\alpha}$ related to the Helmholtz equation and discuss its properties in quaternion analysis. Then we propose the Riemann boundary value problem related to the Helmholtz equation. Finally we give the integral representation of the boundary value problem by using the previously defined operator.

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1 Introduction
It is well known that the Helmholtz equation is an elliptic partial differential equation describing the electromagnetic wave, which has important applications in geophysics, medicine, engineering application, and many other fields. Many problems associated with the Helmholtz equation have been studied by many scholars, for example [1–5]. The boundary value problem for partial differential equations is an important and meaningful research topic. The singular integral operator is the core component of the solution of the boundary value problem for a partial differential system. The Teodorescu operator is a generalized solution of the inhomogeneous Dirac equation, which plays an important role in the integral representation of the general solution for the boundary value problem. Many experts and scholars have studied the properties of the Teodorescu operator. For example, Vekua [6] first discussed some properties of the Teodorescu operator on the plane and its application in thin shell theory and gas dynamics. Hile [7] and Gilbert [8] studied some properties of the Teodorescu operator in n-dimensional Euclid space and high complex space, respectively. Yang [9] and Gu [10] studied the boundary value problem associated with the Teodorescu operator in quaternion analysis and Clifford analysis, respectively. Wang [11–15] studied the properties of many Teodorescu operators and related boundary value problems.

In this paper, we will study some properties of the singular integral operator and the Riemann boundary value problem associated to the Helmholtz equation using the quaternion analysis method. The structure of this paper is as follows: in Section 2, we review some basic knowledge of quaternion analysis. In Section 3, we first construct a singular integral operator $T_{\psi,\alpha}$ related to the Helmholtz equation and study some of its properties.
In Section 4, we propose the Riemann boundary value problem related to the Helmholtz equation. Finally we give the integral representation of the boundary value problem by using the previously defined operator.

2 Preliminaries

Let \{i_1, i_2, i_3\} be an orthogonal basis of the Euclidean space \(\mathbb{R}^3\) and \(\mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C})\) be the set of complex quaternions with basis

\[ \{i_0, i_1, i_2, i_3\}, \]

where \(i_0\) is the unit and \(i_1, i_2, i_3\) are the quaternionic imaginary units with the following properties:

\[
\begin{align*}
i_0^2 & = -1, & i_1^2 & = i_2^2 = i_3^2 = i_1i_2 = i_2i_3 = i_3i_1 = -i_1i_2 = i_2i_3 = i_3i_1, \\
i_1i_2 & = i_2i_3 = i_3i_1 = -i_1i_2 = i_2i_3 = i_3i_1.
\end{align*}
\]

Then an arbitrary quaternion \(a\) can be written as \(a = \sum_{k=0}^{3} a_k i_k, \quad a_k \in \mathbb{C}\). The quaternionic conjugation is defined by \(\overline{a} = a_0 - \sum_{k=1}^{3} a_k i_k\). The norm for an element \(a \in \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C})\) is taken to be \(|a| = \sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^{3} |a_k|^2}\). Moreover, if \(a \overline{a} = \overline{a}a = |a|^2\) and \(|a| \neq 0\), then we say that \(a\) is reversible. Obviously, its inverse element can be written as \(a^{-1} = \frac{a}{|a|^2}\).

Let \(\lambda \in \mathbb{C}\setminus\{0\}\) and let \(\alpha\) be its complex square root: \(\alpha \in \mathbb{C}, \quad \alpha^2 = \lambda\). Suppose \(\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^3\) is a domain and \(\partial\Omega\) is its boundary. We shall consider functions \(f\) defined in \(\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^3\) with values in \(\mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C})\). Then \(f\) can be expressed as \(f = \sum_{k=0}^{3} f_k(x) i_k\). Here \(f_k(x) (k = 0, 1, 2, 3)\) are complex functions defined on \(\Omega\).

Let \(C^m(\Omega, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C})) = \{f \mid f : \Omega \to \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C}), f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{3} f_k(x) i_k, f_k(x) \in C^m(\Omega, \mathbb{C})\}\). We define the operators as follows:

\[
\begin{align*}
\psi D[f] & = \sum_{k=1}^{3} \psi_k \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k}, & \psi D[f] & = \sum_{k=1}^{3} \psi_k \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k}, \\
D^\psi [f] & = \sum_{k=1}^{3} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k} \cdot \psi_k, & D^\psi [f] & = \sum_{k=1}^{3} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k} \cdot \psi_k,
\end{align*}
\]

where \(\psi = \{\psi_1, \psi_2, \psi_3\} = \{i_1, i_2, i_3\}\).

For the above stated \(\alpha\), let us introduce the following operators:

\[
\begin{align*}
\psi D_\alpha [f] & = \alpha f + \psi D[f], & \psi D^\alpha [f] & = \alpha f + D^\psi [f], \\
\psi D_\alpha [f] & = \alpha f - \psi D[f], & \psi D^\alpha [f] & = \alpha f - D^\psi [f].
\end{align*}
\]

\(f\) will be called a left (right)-\((\psi, \alpha)\)-hyperholomorphic in the domain \(\Omega\), if \(\psi D_\alpha [f] = 0 \quad (\psi D^\alpha [f] = 0)\) in \(\Omega\). Let \(\alpha \in \mathbb{C}\setminus\{0\}\) and \(\text{Im} \alpha \neq 0\). For \(x \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus\{0\}\), we introduce the following notation:

\[
\theta_\alpha (x) = \begin{cases} 
-\frac{1}{4\pi|x|} e^{i\alpha |x|}, & \text{Im} \alpha > 0, \\
\frac{1}{4\pi|x|} e^{-i\alpha |x|}, & \text{Im} \alpha < 0.
\end{cases}
\]
In both cases it is a fundamental solution of the Helmholtz equation with $\lambda = \alpha^2$. Then the fundamental solution to the operator $\psi D_\alpha$, $K_{\psi, \alpha}$ is given by

$$K_{\psi, \alpha}(x) = \bar{\psi}(x) D_\alpha[\bar{\psi}](x) = \begin{cases} \bar{\psi}(x)(\alpha + \frac{x}{|x|^2} - i\frac{\alpha}{|x|}), & \text{Im } \alpha > 0, \\ \bar{\psi}(x)(\alpha + \frac{x}{|x|^2} + i\frac{\alpha}{|x|}), & \text{Im } \alpha < 0. \end{cases}$$

If $f(x) \in L^{p, \sigma}(\mathbb{R}^3, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C}))$ means that $f(x) \in L^p(B, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C}))$, $f^{(\sigma)}(x) = |x|^{-\sigma}f(\frac{x}{|x|^2}) \in L^p(B, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C}))$, in which $B = \{x \mid |x| < 1\}$, $\sigma$ is a real number, $\|f\|_{p, \sigma} = \|f\|_{L^p(B)} + \|f^{(\sigma)}\|_{L^p(B)}$, $p \geq 1$.

**Definition 2.1** Suppose that the functions $u, v, \psi$ are defined in $\Omega$ with values in $\mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C})$ and $u, v \in L^1(\Omega, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C}))$. If, for arbitrary $\varphi \in C_0^\infty(\Omega, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C}))$, $u, v$ satisfy

$$\int_\Omega \varphi(x)u(x) \, dv_x - \int_\Omega \varphi D_\psi \nu(x) \, dv_x = 0,$$

then $u$ is called a generalized derivative of the function $v$, where we denote $u = \psi D_\alpha[v]$.

**Lemma 2.1** ([16]) If $\sigma_1, \sigma_2 > 0$, $0 \leq \gamma \leq 1$, then we have

$$|\sigma_1^\gamma - \sigma_2^\gamma| \leq |\sigma_1 - \sigma_2|^\gamma.$$

**Lemma 2.2** ([17]) Suppose $\Omega$ is a bounded domain in $\mathbb{R}^3$ and let $\alpha', \beta' \geq 0$. Then, for all $x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^3$ and $x_1 \neq x_2$, we have

$$\int_\Omega |t - x_1|^{-\alpha'} |t - x_2|^{-\beta'} \, dt \leq M_0(\alpha', \beta')|x_1 - x_2|^{3-\alpha'-\beta'}.$$

**Lemma 2.3** ([18]) Let $\Omega, \partial \Omega$ be as stated above. If $f \in C^{(m)}(\overline{\Omega}, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C}))$ ($m \geq 1$), then we have

$$\int_{\partial \Omega} f(y) \, d\sigma_y K_{\psi, \alpha}(y - x) + \int_\Omega \varphi D_\psi \left[ f(y) \right] K_{\psi, \alpha}(y - x) \, dv_y = f(x), \quad x \in \Omega.$$

### 3 Some properties of the singular integral operator $T_{\psi, \alpha}$ for the Helmholtz equation

In this section, we will discuss some properties of the singular integral operators as follows:

$$(T^{(1)}_{\psi, \alpha}[f])(x)$$

$$= \int_B K_{\psi, \alpha}(y - x)f(y) \, dv_y + \int_B K_{\psi, \alpha} \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right) f \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^3} \, dv_y$$

$$= (T^{(1)}_{\psi, \alpha}[f])(x) + (T^{(2)}_{\psi, \alpha}[f])(x), \quad (3.1)$$

where $B = \{x \mid |x| < 1\}$, $\alpha = a + ib$, $b > 0$.

**Theorem 3.1** Assume $B$ to be as stated above, $\alpha = a + ib$, $b > 0$. If $f \in L^p(B, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C}))$, $3 < p < +\infty$, then

1. $\|T_{\psi, \alpha}[f](x)\|_{L^p(B)} \leq M_1(p)\|f\|_{L^p(B)}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^3$,
2. $\|T^{(1)}_{\psi, \alpha}[f](x_3) - (T^{(1)}_{\psi, \alpha}[f])(x_2)\|_{L^p(B)} \leq M_2(p)\|f\|_{L^p(B)}|x_1 - x_2| + M_3(p)\|f\|_{L^p(B)}|x_1 - x_2|^\beta$, $x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^3$,
(3) \(\psi D_\alpha(T^{(1)}_{\psi,\alpha}[f])(x) = f(x), x \in B, \psi D_\alpha(T^{(1)}_{\psi,\alpha}[f])(x) = 0, x \in R^3 \setminus \overline{B},\)
where \(0 < \beta = \frac{p-3}{p} < 1.\)

Proof (1)

\[
(T^{(1)}_{\psi,\alpha}[f])(x) = \int_{B} K_{\psi,\alpha}(y-x)f(y) \, dv_y
\]

\[
= \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_{B} \frac{e^{i\alpha|y-x|}}{|y-x|^d}f(y) \, dv_y - \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{B} \frac{e^{i\alpha|y-x|}}{|y-x|}f(y) \, dv_y
\]

\[
+ \frac{i\alpha}{4\pi} \int_{B} \frac{e^{i\alpha|y-x|}}{|y-x|^2}f(y) \, dv_y
\]

= \(I_1 + I_2 + I_3.\)

(i) By the Taylor series, we have \(|e^{i\alpha|y-x|}| = |e^{i\alpha+b|y-x|}| = e^{\alpha|y-x|} \leq \frac{1}{m^{\alpha}},\) By the Hölder inequality, we have

\[
|I_1| \leq \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_{B} \frac{|e^{i\alpha|y-x|}|}{|y-x|^d}|f(y)| \, dv_y \leq f_1 \int_{B} \frac{1}{|y-x|^d}|f(y)| \, dv_y
\]

\[
\leq \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \|f\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ \int_{B} \frac{1}{|y-x|^d} \, dv_y \right]^{\frac{1}{p}}. \tag{3.2}
\]

When \(x \in \overline{B},\) because \(p > 3, \frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{q} = 1.\) Then \(1 < q < \frac{3}{2}.\) Thus \(\int_{B} \frac{1}{|y-x|^d} \, dv_y\) is bounded.

Hence we suppose

\[
\int_{B} \frac{1}{|y-x|^d} \, dv_y \leq f_2. \tag{3.3}
\]

When \(x \in R^3 \setminus \overline{B},\) by Lemma 2.1 and the generalized spherical coordinate, we have

\[
\int_{B} \frac{1}{|y-x|^d} \, dv_y \leq j_3 \int_{d_0}^{d_2+2} \rho^{2-2d} \, d\rho \leq j_4, \tag{3.4}
\]

where \(\rho = |y-x|, d_0 = d(x, B).\) Therefore, for arbitrary \(x \in R^3,\) we obtain

\[
|I_1| \leq M^{(1)}_{\alpha}(p) \|f\|_{L^p(B)}, \tag{3.5}
\]

where \(M^{(1)}_{\alpha}(p) = \max \{ j_1^{\frac{1}{2}}, j_4^{\frac{1}{2}} \} \).

(ii) Obviously, \(e^{-\beta|y-x|} \leq 1.\) By the Hölder inequality, we have

\[
|I_2| \leq \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{B} \frac{|e^{-\beta|y-x|}|}{|y-x|^d}|f(y)| \, dv_y \leq f_5 \int_{B} \frac{1}{|y-x|^d}|f(y)| \, dv_y
\]

\[
\leq f_5 \|f\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ \int_{B} \frac{1}{|y-x|^d} \, dv_y \right]^{\frac{1}{p}}. \tag{3.6}
\]

Then, by inequality (3.3) and (3.4), we have

\[
|I_2| \leq M^{(2)}_{\alpha}(p) \|f\|_{L^p(B)}, \tag{3.6}
\]

where \(M^{(2)}_{\alpha}(p) = \max \{ j_1^{\frac{1}{2}}, j_4^{\frac{1}{2}} \} \).
By inequalities (3.5)-(3.7), we obtain
\[ |(T^{(1)}_{\phi,\alpha}[f])(x)| \leq |I_1| + |I_2| + |I_3| \leq M_1(p)\|f\|_{L^p(B)}, \] where \( M_1(p) = M^{(1)}_1(p) + M^{(2)}_1(p) + M^{(3)}_1(p) \).

(2) \( (T^{(1)}_{\phi,\alpha}[f])(x_1) - (T^{(1)}_{\phi,\alpha}[f])(x_2) \)
\[ = \int_B \left[ \mathcal{K}_{\phi,\alpha}(y \cdot x_1) - \mathcal{K}_{\phi,\alpha}(y \cdot x_2) \right] f(y) \, dy \]
\[ = -\frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ \frac{\mathcal{K}_{\phi,\alpha}(y \cdot x_1)}{|y \cdot x_1|} - \frac{\mathcal{K}_{\phi,\alpha}(y \cdot x_2)}{|y \cdot x_2|} \right] f(y) \, dy \]
\[ - \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ \frac{\mathcal{K}_{\phi,\alpha}(y \cdot x_1)}{|y \cdot x_1|^3} - \frac{\mathcal{K}_{\phi,\alpha}(y \cdot x_2)}{|y \cdot x_2|^3} \right] f(y) \, dy \]
\[ + \frac{i\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ \frac{\mathcal{K}_{\phi,\alpha}(y \cdot x_1)}{|y \cdot x_1|^2} - \frac{\mathcal{K}_{\phi,\alpha}(y \cdot x_2)}{|y \cdot x_2|^2} \right] f(y) \, dy \]
\[ = I_4 + I_5 + I_6. \]

Let us consider \( e^{i\alpha|y-x|} \). For arbitrary \( x \in \mathbb{R}^3 \), it is easy to prove \( |e^{i\alpha|y-x|}| \leq 1 \) and satisfy
\( |e^{i\alpha|y-x_1|} - e^{i\alpha|y-x_2|}| \leq c|x_1 - x_2| \).

(i) For arbitrary \( x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^3 \), by the Hölder inequality, we have
\[ |I_4| \leq \int_B \left| \frac{e^{i\alpha|y-x_1|}}{|y-x_1|} - \frac{e^{i\alpha|y-x_2|}}{|y-x_2|} \right| |f(y)| \, dy \]
\[ \leq \int_B \left| \frac{e^{i\alpha|y-x_1|}}{|y-x_1|} - e^{i\alpha|y-x_2|} \right| |f(y)| \, dy + \int_B \left| \frac{1}{|y-x_1|} - \frac{1}{|y-x_2|} \right| |f(y)| \, dy \]
\[ \leq \int_B \left| \frac{1}{|y-x_1|} \right| |f(y)| \, dy |x_1 - x_2| + \int_B \left| \frac{1}{|y-x_1|} \right| |f(y)| \, dy |x_1 - x_2| \]
\[ \leq \left[ \int_B \left| \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q} \right| \, dy \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} + \int_B \left| \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q} \right| |x_1 - x_2|^q \, dy \]
\[ \leq \left[ \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q} \, dy \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} + \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q} \, dy \]
As \( 1 < q < \frac{3}{2} \), \( \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q} \, dy \) and \( \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q} \, dy \) are bounded. Hence
\[ |I_4| \leq M^{(1)}_2(p)\|f\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|. \] (3.8

(ii) \( I_5 = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ \frac{e^{i\alpha|y-x_1|}}{|y-x_1|^3} - \frac{e^{i\alpha|y-x_2|}}{|y-x_2|^3} \right] f(y) \, dy \)
\[ = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B \left( e^{i\alpha|y-x_1|} - e^{i\alpha|y-x_2|} \right) (y-x_1) \, dy \]
\[ - \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B e^{i\alpha|y-x_2|} \left( \frac{y-x_1}{|y-x_1|^3} - \frac{y-x_2}{|y-x_2|^3} \right) f(y) \, dy \]
\[ = I^{(1)}_5 + I^{(2)}_5. \]
By the Hölder inequality, we have

\[ |f_5^{(1)}| \leq \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B \left| \frac{e^{i\alpha(y-x_1)} - e^{i\alpha(y-x_2)}}{|y-x_1|^2} \right| |f(y)| \, dv_y \]

\[ \leq I_8 \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^2} |f(y)| \, dv_y |x_1 - x_2| \]

\[ \leq I_8 \|f\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^{2q}} \, dv_y \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} |x_1 - x_2|. \]

As \( 1 < q < \frac{3}{2} \), \( \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^{2q}} \, dv_y \) is bounded. So we have

\[ |f_5^{(1)}| \leq I_8 \|f\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|. \] (3.9)

By the Hölder inequality and the Hile lemma, we have

\[ |f_5^{(2)}| \leq \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B \left| \frac{e^{i\alpha(y-x_2)} - e^{i\alpha(y-x_1)}}{|y-x_1|^3} \right| \frac{y-x_1}{|y-x_1|^3} - \frac{y-x_2}{|y-x_2|^3} |f(y)| \, dv_y \]

\[ \leq I_9 \int_B \left| \frac{y-x_1}{|y-x_1|^3} - \frac{y-x_2}{|y-x_2|^3} \right| |f(y)| \, dv_y \]

\[ \leq I_9 \int_B \left[ \frac{|y-x_1| + |y-x_2|}{|y-x_1|^2|y-x_2|^2} |x_1 - x_2| |f(y)| \, dv_y \right] \]

\[ = I_9 \left\{ \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q |y-x_2|^q} |f(y)| \, dv_y + \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^2 |y-x_2|^2} |f(y)| \, dv_y \right\} |x_1 - x_2| \]

\[ \leq I_9 \left\{ \left[ \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q |y-x_2|^q} \, dv_y \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} + \left[ \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^2 |y-x_2|^2} \, dv_y \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \right\} \times \|f\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|. \]

We suppose \( \alpha' = q, \beta' = 2q \). As \( 1 < q < \frac{3}{2} \), we have \( \alpha' = q < 3, \beta' = 2q < 3, \alpha' + \beta' = 3q > 3 \).

Hence, by Lemma 2.2, we have

\[ \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q |y-x_2|^{2q}} \, dv_y \leq M_0 (\alpha', \beta') |x_1 - x_2|^{3-3q}, \]

\[ \int_B \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^{2q} |y-x_2|^q} \, dv_y \leq M_0 (\alpha', \beta') |x_1 - x_2|^{3-3q}. \]

So we have

\[ |f_5^{(2)}| \leq I_9 \|f\|_{L^p(B)} \left( |x_1 - x_2|^{3-3q} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} |x_1 - x_2| = I_1 \|f\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta, \] (3.10)

where \( 0 < \beta = \frac{3\alpha_1}{p} < 1 \). By inequality (3.9) and (3.10), we have

\[ |I_5| \leq I_8 \|f\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2| + I_1 \|f\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_3|^{\beta}. \] (3.11)

(iii) \( I_6 = \frac{i\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ e^{i\alpha(y-x_1)}(y-x_1) - e^{i\alpha(y-x_2)}(y-x_2) \right] f(y) \, dv_y \]

\[ = \frac{i\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B \frac{e^{i\alpha(y-x_1)} - e^{i\alpha(y-x_2)}}{|y-x_1|^2} f(y) \, dv_y \]
\[ \int_{\mathbb{B}} e^{i\alpha |y-x|} \left( \frac{y-x_1}{|y-x_1|^2} - \frac{y-x_2}{|y-x_2|^2} \right) f(y) \, dv_y \]

\[ = f^{(1)}_6 + f^{(2)}_6. \]

Similar to \( I^{(1)}_5 \), we have

\[ |I^{(1)}_6| \leq J_{12} \| f \|_{L^p(\mathbb{B})} |x_1 - x_2|. \]  
(3.12)

By the Hölder inequality and the Hile lemma, we have

\[ |I^{(2)}_6| \leq \frac{|\alpha|}{4\pi} \int_{\mathbb{B}} |e^{i\alpha |y-x|} \left| \frac{y-x_1}{|y-x_1|^2} - \frac{y-x_2}{|y-x_2|^2} \right| f(y) \, dv_y \]

\[ \leq J_{13} \int_{\mathbb{B}} \left| \frac{y-x_1}{|y-x_1|^2} - \frac{y-x_2}{|y-x_2|^2} \right| f(y) \, dv_y \]

\[ \leq J_{13} \int_{\mathbb{B}} \left| \frac{\alpha - x_2}{|x_1 - x_2|^2} \right| f(y) \, dv_y \]

\[ = J_{13} \int_{\mathbb{B}} \frac{1}{|x_1 - x_2|} f(y) \, dv_y |x_1 - x_2| \]

\[ \leq J_{13} \| f \|_{L^p(\mathbb{B})} \left\{ \int_{\mathbb{B}} \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q |y-x_2|^q} \, dv_y \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} |x_1 - x_2|. \]

As \( 1 < q < \frac{3}{2} \), \( \int_{\mathbb{B}} \frac{1}{|y-x_1|^q |y-x_2|^q} \, dv_y \) is bounded. So we have

\[ |I^{(2)}_6| \leq J_{14} \| f \|_{L^p(\mathbb{B})} |x_1 - x_2|. \]  
(3.13)

By inequalities (3.12) and (3.13), we have

\[ |I_6| \leq |I^{(1)}_6| + |I^{(2)}_6| \leq M^{(2)}_2(\alpha) \| f \|_{L^p(\mathbb{B})} |x_1 - x_2|, \]  
(3.14)

where \( M^{(2)}_2(\alpha) = J_{12} + J_{14} \). By inequalities (3.8), (3.11) and (3.14), we have

\[ |(T^{(1)}_{\psi, \alpha}[f])(x_1) - (T^{(1)}_{\psi, \alpha}[f])(x_2)| \leq M_2(p) \| f \|_{L^p(\mathbb{B})} |x_1 - x_2| + M_3(p) \| f \|_{L^p(\mathbb{B})} |x_1 - x_2|^\theta, \]

where \( M_2(p) = M^{(1)}_2(p) + J_9 + M^{(2)}_2(p), M_3(p) = J_{11} \).

(3) When \( x \in \mathbb{B} \), for arbitrary \( \varphi \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{B}, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C})) \), by Lemma 2.3 and the Fubini theorem, we have

\[ \int_{\mathbb{B}} \overline{D}^\psi \varphi (T^{(1)}_{\psi, \alpha}[f])(x) \, dv_x = \int_{\mathbb{B}} \overline{D}^\psi \varphi \left[ \int_{\mathbb{B}} K_{\psi, \alpha} (y-x) f(y) \, dv_y \right] \, dv_x \]

\[ = \int_{\mathbb{B}} \left[ \int_{\mathbb{B}} \overline{D}^\psi \varphi K_{\psi, \alpha} (y-x) \, dv_y \right] f(y) \, dv_y \]

\[ = \int_{\mathbb{B}} \varphi(y) - \int_{\partial \mathbb{B}} \varphi(x) d\sigma_x K_{\psi, \alpha} (y-x) \, dv_y \]

\[ = \int_{\mathbb{B}} \varphi(y) f(y) \, dv_y = \int_{\mathbb{B}} \varphi(x) f(x) \, dv_x. \]
Hence, in the sense of generalized derivatives, \( \psi D_\alpha (T_{\psi,\alpha}^{(1)} [f])(x) = f(x), x \in B \). When \( x \in R^3 \setminus \overline{B} \), it is easy to see \( \psi D_\alpha (T_{\psi,\alpha}^{(1)} [f])(x) = 0 \).

**Theorem 3.2** Assume \( B \) to be as stated above and \( \alpha = a + ib, b > 0 \). If \( f \in L^p(B, \mathbb{H}(C)), 3 < p < +\infty \), then

1. \( |(T_{\psi,\alpha}^{(2)} [f])(x)| \leq M_4(p) ||f^{(3)}||_{L^p(B)}, x \in R^3, \)
2. \( |(T_{\psi,\alpha}^{(2)} [f])(x_1) - (T_{\psi,\alpha}^{(2)} [f])(x_2)| \leq M_5(p) ||f^{(3)}||_{L^p(B)}|x_1 - x_2| + M_6(p) ||f^{(3)}||_{L^p(B)}|x_1 - x_2|^\beta, x_1, x_2 \in R^3, \)
3. \( \psi D_\alpha (T_{\psi,\alpha}^{(2)} [f])(x) = 0, x \in B, \approx D_\alpha (T_{\psi,\alpha}^{(2)} [f])(x) = f(x), x \in R^3 \setminus \overline{B}, \)

where \( 0 < \beta = \frac{b - 3}{p} < 1 \).

**Proof** (1)

\[
(T_{\psi,\alpha}^{(2)} [f])(x) = \int_B K_{\psi,\alpha} \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right) f \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
\]

\[
= -\frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B e^{\frac{\alpha (\frac{|y|^2}{|y|^2} - x)}{|y|^2}} f \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
\]

\[
- \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B e^{\frac{\alpha (\frac{|y|^2}{|y|^2} - x)}{|y|^2}} f \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
\]

\[
+ \frac{i\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B e^{\frac{\alpha (\frac{|y|^2}{|y|^2} - x)}{|y|^2}} f \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
\]

\[
= I_7 + I_8 + I_9.
\]

As the first step, by the Hölder inequality, we have

\[
|I_7| \leq \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B e^{\frac{-b (\frac{|y|^2}{|y|^2} - x)}{|y|^2}} f \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
\]

\[
\leq C_1 \int_B \frac{1}{|y|^2 - x} \left| f \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
\]

\[
\leq C_1 \left\{ \int_B \left| \frac{1}{|y|^2} \right|^p \left| f \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \right|^q \, dv_y \right\} \frac{1}{p} \left\{ \int_B \frac{1}{|y|^2 - x} |y|^{3q} \, dv_y \right\} \frac{1}{q}
\]

\[
= C_1 ||f^{(3)}||_{L^p(B)} ||O_1(x)||^{\frac{1}{q}}, \tag{3.15}
\]

where \( \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1 \). Next we discuss \( O_1(x) \) in two cases.

(i) When \( |x| \geq \frac{1}{2} \), since

\[
\left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right| |y|^{-3q} = |y|^{-2q} \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right|^{-q} \left| \frac{x}{|x|^2} \right|^{-q} |x|^{-q}
\]

\[
\leq C_2 |y|^{-2q} \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right|^{-q} \left| \frac{x}{|x|^2} \right|^{-q} = C_2 |y|^{-2q} \left| \frac{x}{x^2} - y \right|^{-q} |x|^{-q},
\]
we have
\[ O_1(x) \leq \int_B \frac{x}{|y|^2} |x|^{-2q} \frac{x}{|x|^2} - y \, |x|^{-q} \, dv_y = C_2 |x|^{-q} \int_B |y|^{-2q} \frac{x}{|x|^2} - y \, |x|^{-q} \, dv_y. \]

We suppose \( \alpha' = 2q, \beta' = q \). As \( 1 < q < \frac{3}{2} \), we have \( 0 < \alpha' < 3, 0 < \beta' < 3, \alpha' + \beta' = 3q > 3 \). Thus, by Lemma 2.2, we have
\[ O_1(x) \leq C_2 M_0(\alpha', \beta') |x|^{-3q} \leq C_2 M_0(\alpha', \beta') 2^{3-2q} = C_3. \]  

(ii) When \(|x| < \frac{1}{2} \), by \(|y| < 1\), we have \(|1 - yx| \geq \frac{1}{2}\), thus
\[ O_1(x) = \int_B \frac{1}{|y|^2 - |x||y|^q} \, dv_y = \int_B |y|^{-2q} |y|^{-q} \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right) \, |x|^{-q} \, dv_y \]
\[ \leq C_4 \int_B |y|^{-2q} \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right) \, |y|^{-q} \, dv_y = C_4 \int_B |y|^{-2q} |1 - yx|^{-q} \, dv_y \]
\[ \leq C_4 \int_B |y|^{-2q} 2^q \, dv_y \leq C_3 \int_B |y|^{-2q} \, dv_y \leq C_6. \]  

Therefore, by (3.15)-(3.17), we have
\[ |I_7| \leq M^{(1)}_4(p) \|f^{(3)}\|_{LP(B)}, \]  
where \( M^{(1)}_4(p) = \max\{C_1 C_4^{\frac{1}{2}}, C_1 C_6^{\frac{1}{2}}\} \).

As the second step, by the Hölder inequality, we have
\[ |I_8| \leq \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B e^{-b \left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right)} \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right| \, dv_y \]
\[ \leq C_7 \int_B \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right| \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right| \, dv_y \]
\[ \leq C_7 \left\{ \int_B \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right|^3 \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right| \, dv_y \right\} \left\{ \int_B \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x \right|^{2q} |y|^{3q} \, dv_y \right\}^{\frac{1}{4}} \]
\[ = C_7 \|f^{(3)}\|_{LP(B)} \left[ O_2(x) \right]^{\frac{1}{4}}. \]  

Similar to \( O_2(x) \), we find that \( O_2(x) \) is bounded. Suppose \( O_2(x) \leq C_8 \). Then
\[ |I_8| \leq M^{(2)}_4(p) \|f^{(3)}\|_{LP(B)}, \]  
\[ \text{As the third step, similar to } I_7, \text{ we have} \]
\[ |I_9| \leq M^{(3)}_4(p) \|f^{(3)}\|_{LP(B)}, \]  
By inequalities (3.18), (3.20), and (3.21),
\[ \left| \left( T_{p,a}^{(2)} f \right)(x) \right| \leq |I_7| + |I_8| + |I_9| \leq M_4(p) \|f^{(3)}\|_{LP(B)}, \]
where \( M_4(p) = M_4^{(1)}(p) + M_4^{(2)}(p) + M_4^{(3)}(p) \).

(2) \( \left( T_{\psi, \alpha}^{(2)}[f]\right)(x_1) - \left( T_{\psi, \alpha}^{(2)}[f]\right)(x_2) \)

\[
= -\frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_1} - e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_2} \right] f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
- \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_1} - e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_2} \right] f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
+ \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_1} - e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_2} \right] f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
= I_{10} + I_{11} + I_{12}.

Firstly, we discuss \( I_{10} \). We have

\[
I_{10} = -\frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_1} - e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_2} \right] f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
- \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_1} - e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_2} \right] f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
- \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_1} - e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_2} \right] f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
= I_{10}^{(1)} + I_{10}^{(2)}.

By the Hölder inequality, we have

\[
|I_{10}^{(1)}| \leq \frac{|\alpha|}{4\pi} \int_B \left| e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_1} - e^{i\frac{\alpha}{|y|^2} - x_2} \right| \left| f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
\leq \frac{|\alpha|}{4\pi} \int_B \frac{c|x_1 - x_2|}{|y|^2} \left| f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y
= C_0 \int_B \left| \frac{1}{|y|^2} \right| \left| f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y \, |x_1 - x_2|
\leq C_0 \left[ \int_B \left| y \right|^{-3} \left| f\left( \frac{\overline{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \right|^p \, dv_y \right] \frac{1}{p} \left[ \int_B \left| \frac{1}{|y|^2} \right| \left| y \right|^q \, dv_y \right] \frac{1}{q} \, |x_1 - x_2|
= C_0 \left[ f^{(3)} \right]_{L^p(B)} \left[ O_1(x) \right] \frac{1}{p} \, |x_1 - x_2|.

By (3.16) and (3.17), we have \( O_1(x) \leq \max\{C_3, C_6\} \). Therefore

\[
|I_{10}^{(1)}| \leq C_{10} \left[ f^{(3)} \right]_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|, \tag{3.22}
\]

where \( C_{10} = \max\{C_9 C_3^{1/3}, C_3 C_6^{1/3}\} \).
By the Taylor series, we have $|e^{i\frac{x}{|y|^2}} - x_1| = |e^{-\frac{x}{|y|^2}} - x_2| \leq \frac{1}{|y|^2} |x_1 - x_2|$. Therefore,

$$|I^{(2)}_{10}| \leq \frac{|a|}{4\pi} \int_B e^{-\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2} \left| \frac{1}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right| \left| f\left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^4} \, dy$$

$$\leq \frac{|a|}{4\pi} \int_B \frac{1}{|y|^2} \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2 \right| \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right| \left| f\left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dy$$

$$\leq C_1 \int_B \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right| \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2 \right| \left| f\left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dy$$

$$= C_1 \int_B \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right| \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2 \right| \left| f\left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^3} \, dy$$

$$\leq C_1 \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} \left\{ \int_B \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right| \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2 \right| \left| f\left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} \right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^3} \, dy \right\}^\frac{1}{2} |x_1 - x_2| \leq C_1 \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ O_3(x) \right]^{\frac{3}{2}} |x_1 - x_2|. \quad (3.23)$$

Since

$$\left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right|^{-q} \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2 \right|^{-2q} |y|^{-3q} = |x_1|^{-q} \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right|^{-q} \left| \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2 \right|^{-2q}$$

$$\leq C_{12} \left| y\left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right) \right|^{-q} \left| y\left( \frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2 \right) \right|^{-2q} = C_{12} |1 - x_1|^{-q} |1 - x_2|^{-2q},$$

we have

$$O_3(x) \leq C_{12} \int_B \frac{1}{|1 - x_1|^q |1 - x_2|^{2q}} \, dy = C_{12} O_4(x).$$

By (3.23), we have

$$|I^{(2)}_{10}| \leq C_{13} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ O_4(x) \right]^{\frac{3}{2}} |x_1 - x_2|. \quad (3.24)$$

In the following, we discuss $O_4(x)$ in four cases.

(i) When $|x_1| \leq \frac{1}{2}$, $|x_2| \leq \frac{1}{2}$, as $|y| \leq 1$, we have $|1 - x_1| \geq \frac{1}{2}$, $|1 - x_2| \geq \frac{1}{2}$, $|x_1 - x_2| \leq 1$. Hence

$$O_4(x) \leq \int_B 2^q 2^{2q} \, dy = 2^{3q} \int_B \, dy = C_{14}.$$  

As $|x_1 - x_2| \leq 1$, $0 < \beta = \frac{p - 3}{p} < 1$, we have $|x_1 - x_2| \leq |x_1 - x_2|^\beta$. Therefore, by (3.24), we have

$$|I^{(2)}_{10}| \leq C_{15} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^{\beta}. \quad (3.25)$$
(ii) When \(|x_1| \geq \frac{1}{2}, |x_2| \leq \frac{1}{2}\), we have \(|1 - yx_1| \geq \frac{1}{2}\), \(\frac{1}{|x_1|} \leq 2\), \(\frac{|y|}{|x_1|} \leq 1\). Thus

\[
O_4(x) \leq 2^{2q} \int_B \frac{1}{|1 - yx_1|^q} \, dy = 2^{2q} |x_1|^{-q} \int_B \frac{1}{|1 - yx_1|^q} \, dy
\]

\[
\leq C_{16} 2^{2q} |x_1|^{-q} \int_B \frac{1}{|1 - yx_1|} \, dy = C_{16} 2^{2q} |x_1|^{-q} \int_B \frac{1}{y - \frac{y}{|x_1|^2}} \, dy.
\]

Again, since

\[
\frac{1}{|x_1|} = \frac{1}{|x_1|^2} \left| \frac{x_1}{|x_1|^2} \right|^{1-\beta} \leq \frac{1}{|x_1|^2} \left| \frac{x_1}{|x_1|^2} \right|^{1-\beta}
\]

\[
\leq C_{17} \left( \frac{1}{|x_1|^2} \right) \left| \frac{x_1}{|x_1|^2} \right|^{1-\beta} \leq C_{18} |x_1 - x_2|^{(\beta-1)q},
\]

we have \(|x_1|^{-q} \leq C_{19} |x_1 - x_2|^{(\beta-1)q}\). Again from the notion that \(1 < q < \frac{3}{2}\), we know \(\int_B \frac{1}{|x_1|^q} \, dy\) is bounded. Hence, we obtain

\[
O_4(x) \leq C_{20} |x_1 - x_2|^{(\beta-1)q}.
\]

Therefore, by (3.24), we have

\[
|I_1^{(2)}| \leq C_{23} \left\| f(y) \right\|_{L_p(B)} \left| x_1 - x_2 \right|^{(\beta-1)q} \frac{1}{|x_1|^q} \left| x_1 - x_2 \right| \leq C_{21} \left\| f(y) \right\|_{L_p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta.
\]

(iii) When \(|x_1| \leq \frac{1}{2}, |x_2| \geq \frac{1}{2}\), similar to (ii), we have

\[
|I_1^{(2)}| \leq C_{22} \left\| f(y) \right\|_{L_p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta.
\]

(iv) When \(|x_1| \geq \frac{1}{2}, |x_2| \geq \frac{1}{2}\), we have \(\frac{1}{|x_1|} \leq 2\), \(\frac{1}{|x_2|} \leq 2\). Since

\[
|1 - yx_1|^{-q} = \left| \frac{1 - yx_1}{|x_1|^q} \right| |x_1|^{-q} = \left| \frac{1 - yx_1}{|x_1|^2} \right| |x_1|^{-q}
\]

\[
\leq C_{23} \left( \frac{1 - yx_1}{|x_1|^2} \right) |x_1|^{-q} = C_{23} \left( y - \frac{y}{|x_1|^2} \right) |x_1|^{-q},
\]

\[
|1 - yx_2|^{-2q} = \left| \frac{1 - yx_2}{|x_2|^2} \right| |x_2|^{-2q} = \left( 1 - yx_2 \right) \left( y - \frac{y}{|x_2|^2} \right) |x_2|^{-2q}
\]

\[
\leq C_{24} \left( 1 - yx_2 \right) \left( y - \frac{y}{|x_2|^2} \right) |x_2|^{-2q}.
\]

We have

\[
O_4(x) \leq C_{25} \int_B \frac{1}{y - \frac{y}{|x_1|^2} \left| y - \frac{y}{|x_2|^2} \right|^{2q}} \, dy.
\]
Suppose $\alpha' = q$, $\beta' = 2q$. Then $0 < \alpha' < 3$, $0 < \beta' < 3$, $\alpha' + \beta' = 3q > 3$. Thus, by Lemma 2.2, we have

$$O_4(x) \leq C_{26} \frac{|\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2|^{3-3q}}{|x_1|^2 |x_2|^2} = C_{26} \frac{|\bar{x}_1| |x_2|^2 - |\bar{x}_2| |x_1|^2|^2}{|x_1|^2 |x_2|^2}^{3-3q}$$

$$= C_{26} \frac{|\bar{x}_1| |x_2|^2 - |\bar{x}_2| |x_1|^2|^2}{|x_1|^2 |x_2|^2}^{3-3q}$$

$$\leq C_{26} \left( \frac{1}{|x_1|^2} + \frac{|x_1| + |x_2|}{|x_1|^2 |x_2|^2} \right) |x_1 - x_2|^{3-3q}$$

$$\leq C_{27} |x_1 - x_2|^{3-3q}.$$

Therefore, by (3.24), we have

$$|I_{10}^{(2)}| \leq C_{13} \| f^{(3)} \|_{L^p(B)} \left[ C_{27} |x_1 - x_2|^{3-3q} \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} |x_1 - x_2|$$

$$= C_{28} \| f^{(3)} \|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta,$$

(3.28)

where $0 < \beta = \frac{
u - 3}{p} < 1$. From (3.25)-(3.28), we obtain

$$|I_{10}^{(2)}| \leq M_6^{(1)}(p) \| f^{(3)} \|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta,$$

(3.29)

where $M_6^{(1)}(p) = \max \{ C_{15}, C_{21}, C_{22}, C_{28} \}$.

By (3.22), (3.29), we obtain

$$|I_{10}| \leq C_{10} \| f^{(3)} \|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2| + M_6^{(1)}(p) \| f^{(3)} \|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta.$$

(3.30)

Secondly, we discuss $I_{11}$. We have

$$I_{11} = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B \left[ e^{i\alpha \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} \cdot x_1} \left( \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right) - e^{i\alpha \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} \cdot x_2} \left( \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} - x_2 \right) \right] f \left( \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} dv_y$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B \left( e^{i\alpha \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} \cdot x_1} - e^{i\alpha \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} \cdot x_2} \right) \left( \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right) f \left( \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} dv_y$$

$$- \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_B e^{i\alpha \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} \cdot x_2} \left( \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} - x_1 \right) f \left( \frac{\hat{y}}{|y|^2} \right) \frac{1}{|y|^6} dv_y$$

$$= I_{11}^{(1)} + I_{11}^{(2)}.$$

Similar to $I_{10}^{(1)}$, we get

$$|I_{11}^{(1)}| \leq C_{29} \| f^{(3)} \|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|.$$

(3.31)
By the Hölder inequality and the Hile lemma, we have

\[
|I_{11}^{(2)}| \leq \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{B} e^{\frac{i\alpha}{|y|^2} \cdot \frac{x}{|y|^2} - \frac{x}{|y|^2} - x_2} \left| \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} - \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2|^2} \right| \left| f\left(\frac{y}{|y|^2}\right) \right| \left| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \right| dv_y
\]

\[
\leq C_{30} \int_{B} \left| \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} + \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2|^2} \right| f\left(\frac{y}{|y|^2}\right) \left| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \right| dv_y |x_1 - x_2|
\]

\[
= C_{30} \int_{B} \frac{1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} \left| f\left(\frac{y}{|y|^2}\right) \right| \left| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \right| dv_y |x_1 - x_2|
\]

\[
+ C_{30} \int_{B} \frac{1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2|^2} \left| f\left(\frac{y}{|y|^2}\right) \right| \left| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \right| dv_y |x_1 - x_2|
\]

\[
\leq C_{31} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ \int_{B} \frac{1}{|1 - yx_1|^q |1 - yx_2|^q} dv_y \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} |x_1 - x_2|
\]

\[
+ C_{32} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ \int_{B} \frac{1}{|1 - yx_1|^q |1 - yx_2|^q} dv_y \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} |x_1 - x_2|
\]

\[
= C_{31} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ O_4(x) \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} |x_1 - x_2| + C_{32} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ O_5(x) \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} |x_1 - x_2|.
\]

This is similar to $I_{10}^{(2)}$ and it is easy to prove the following:

\[
C_{31} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ O_4(x) \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} |x_1 - x_2| \leq C_{33} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta,
\]

\[
C_{32} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} \left[ O_5(x) \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} |x_1 - x_2| \leq C_{34} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta.
\]

Therefore, we obtain

\[
|I_{11}^{(2)}| \leq C_{35} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta.
\]

By (3.31) and (3.33), we have

\[
|I_{11}| \leq C_{39} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2| + C_{35} \left\| f^{(3)} \right\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta.
\]

Finally, we discuss $I_{12}$. We have

\[
I_{12} = \frac{i\alpha}{4\pi} \int_{B} e^{i\frac{x}{|y|^2} \cdot \frac{x}{|y|^2} - \frac{x}{|y|^2} - x_2} \left( \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} - \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2|^2} \right) f\left(\frac{y}{|y|^2}\right) \left| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \right| dv_y
\]

\[
= \frac{i\alpha}{4\pi} \int_{B} e^{i\frac{x}{|y|^2} \cdot \frac{x}{|y|^2} - \frac{x}{|y|^2} - x_2} \left( \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} - \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2|^2} \right) f\left(\frac{y}{|y|^2}\right) \left| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \right| dv_y
\]

\[
+ \frac{i\alpha}{4\pi} \int_{B} e^{i\frac{x}{|y|^2} \cdot \frac{x}{|y|^2} - \frac{x}{|y|^2} - x_2} \left( \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} - \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2|^2} \right) f\left(\frac{y}{|y|^2}\right) \left| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \right| dv_y
\]

\[
= I_{12}^{(1)} + I_{12}^{(2)}.
\]
Similar to $J^{(1)}_{10},$ we get

$$|J^{(1)}_{12}| \leq C_{36} \|f^{(3)}\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|.$$  

(3.35)

By the Hile lemma and the Hölder inequality, we have

$$|J^{(2)}_{12}| \leq \frac{a|}{4\pi} \int_B e^{-|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2|} \left| \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} \right| \left| \frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2|^2} \right| \left| f\left(\frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2}}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2}|^2}\right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y$$

$$\leq C_{37} \int_B \frac{|x_1 - x_2|}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} \left| f\left(\frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2}}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2}|^2}\right) \right| \frac{1}{|y|^6} \, dv_y$$

$$\leq C_{37} \int_B \frac{1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} \left| f\left(\frac{\frac{y}{|y|^2}}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2}|^2}\right) \right| |x_1 - x_2|$$

$$\leq C_{38} |f^{(3)}|_{L^p(B)} \left[ \int_B \frac{1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_1|^2} \frac{1}{|\frac{y}{|y|^2} - x_2|^2} \, dv_y \right] \frac{1}{|x_1 - x_2|}$$

Therefore

$$|J^{(2)}_{12}| \leq C_{38} \|f^{(3)}\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta.$$  

(3.36)

by (3.35) and (3.36), so we have

$$|I_{12}| \leq C_{36} \|f^{(3)}\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2| + C_{38} \|f^{(3)}\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2|^\beta.$$  

(3.37)

By (3.30), (3.34), and (3.37), we have

$$\left|(T^{(2)}_{\psi,\alpha}[f])(x_2) - (T^{(2)}_{\psi,\alpha}[f])(x_1)\right|$$

$$\leq M_2(p) \|f^{(3)}\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2| + M_6(p) \|f^{(3)}\|_{L^p(B)} |x_1 - x_2| \beta,$$

where $M_2(p) = C_{10} + C_{29} + C_{36}, M_6(p) = M_6^{(1)}(p) + C_{35} + C_{38}$.

(3) This case is similar to Theorem 3.1, and it is easy to prove. \hfill \square

**Remark 3.1** Assume $B$ to be as stated above and $\alpha = a + ib, b > 0$. If $f \in L^{p,3}(B, \mathbb{R}^3)$, $3 < p < +\infty$, then

1. $|\left|(T^{(2)}_{\psi,\alpha}[f])(x)\right| \leq M_7(p) \|f\|_{p,3}, x \in \mathbb{R}^3$,
2. $\left|(T^{(2)}_{\psi,\alpha}[f])(x_1) - (T^{(2)}_{\psi,\alpha}[f])(x_2)\right| \leq M_8(p) \|f\|_{p,3} |x_1 - x_2| + M_9(p) \|f\|_{p,3} |x_1 - x_2| \beta,$
   \hspace{1cm} $x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^3$,
3. $\|D_\alpha (T^{(2)}_{\psi,\alpha}[f])(x)\| = \|f(x)\|, x \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \partial B$,

where $0 < \beta = \frac{p - 3}{p} < 1$. 


4 Integral representation of solution of Riemann boundary problem to inhomogeneous partial differential system

In this section, we will discuss the inhomogeneous partial differential system of first order equations as follows:

\[
\begin{align*}
\alpha w_0 - w_{x_1} - w_{x_2} - w_{x_3} &= c_0(x), \\
\alpha w_1 + w_{0x_1} - w_{x_2} + w_{x_3} &= c_1(x), \\
\alpha w_2 + w_{0x_2} + w_{x_3} - w_{x_1} &= c_2(x), \\
\alpha w_3 + w_{0x_3} - w_{x_2} + w_{x_1} &= c_3(x),
\end{align*}
\]  

(4.1)

where \( w_j(x), c_j(x) (j = 0, 1, 2, 3) \) are real-value functions.

**Problem P** Let \( B \subset R^3 \) be as stated above. The Riemann boundary value problem for system (4.1) is to find a solution \( w(x) \) of (4.1) that satisfies the boundary condition

\[ w^+(\tau) = w^-(\tau) G + f(\tau), \quad \tau \in \partial B, \]

where \( w^\pm(\tau) = \lim x \in B^\pm, x \to \tau w(x), B^+ = B, B^- = R^3 \setminus B, G \) is a quaternion constant, \( G^{-1} \) exists, and \( f \in H^\nu_{\partial B} (0 < \nu < 1) \).

In fact,

\[
\psi D_\alpha [w] = \sum_{j=1}^3 i_j \frac{\partial w}{\partial x_j} + \alpha w
\]

\[ = \sum_{j=1}^3 (i_j i_0 \frac{\partial w_0}{\partial x_j} + i_j i_1 \frac{\partial w_1}{\partial x_j} + i_j i_2 \frac{\partial w_2}{\partial x_j} + i_j i_3 \frac{\partial w_3}{\partial x_j}) + \alpha \sum_{k=0}^3 w_k i_k
\]

\[ = (\alpha w_0 - w_{x_1} - w_{x_2} - w_{x_3}) i_0 + (\alpha w_1 + w_{0x_1} - w_{x_2} + w_{x_3}) i_1
\]

\[ + (\alpha w_2 + w_{0x_2} + w_{x_3} - w_{x_1}) i_2 + (\alpha w_3 + w_{0x_3} - w_{x_2} + w_{x_1}) i_3. \]  

(4.2)

Let

\[ g(x) = c_0(x)i_0 + c_1(x)i_1 + c_2(x)i_2 + c_3(x)i_3 = \sum_{j=0}^3 c_j(x)i_j. \]  

(4.3)

By (4.2) and (4.3), the inhomogeneous partial differential system (4.1) can be transformed to the following equation:

\[ \psi D_\alpha [w] = \sum_{j=0}^3 c_j(x)i_j = g(x). \]  

(4.4)

Therefore Problem P as stated above can be transformed to Problem Q.

**Problem Q** Let \( B \subset R^3 \) be as stated above. The Riemann boundary value problem for system (4.1) is to find a solution \( w(x) \) of (4.4) that satisfies the boundary condition

\[ w^+(\tau) = w^-(\tau) G + f(\tau), \quad \tau \in \partial B, \]
where \( w^\pm(\tau) = \lim_{x \in \mathbb{B}^2, x \to \tau} w(x), B^+ = B, B^- = R^3 \setminus \overline{B}, \) \( G \) is a quaternion constant, \( G^{-1} \) exists, and \( f \in H^1_{\partial B} (0 < \nu < 1). \)

**Theorem 4.1** Let \( B \) be as stated above. Find a quaternion-valued function \( u(x) \) satisfying the system \( \Psi D_\alpha[u] = 0 (x \in R^3 \setminus \partial B) \) and vanishing at infinity with the boundary condition

\[
 u^+(\tau) = u^-(\tau)G + f(\tau), \quad \tau \in \partial B, \quad (4.5)
\]

where \( u^\pm(\tau) = \lim_{x \in \mathbb{B}^2, x \to \tau} u(x), \) \( G \) is a quaternion constant, \( G^{-1} \) exists, and \( f \in H^1_{\partial B} (0 < \lambda < 1). \) Then the solution can be expressed as

\[
 u(x) = \begin{cases} 
 f_{\partial B} \mathcal{C}_{\Psi, \alpha}(y-x) \text{d}\sigma f(y), & x \in B^+, \\
 f_{\partial B} \mathcal{C}_{\Psi, \alpha}(y-x) \text{d}\sigma f(y)G^{-1}, & x \in B^-.
\end{cases}
\]

**Proof** Define

\[
 \varphi(x) = \begin{cases} 
 u(x), & x \in B^+, \\
 u(x)G, & x \in B^-.
\end{cases}
\]

Then it is obvious that \( \Psi D_\alpha[\varphi] = 0 (x \in R^3 \setminus \partial B) \) and the Riemann boundary condition (4.5) is equivalent to

\[
 \varphi^+(\tau) = \varphi^-(\tau) + f(\tau), \quad \tau \in \partial B.
\]

Suppose \( \Psi(x) = \int_{\partial B} \mathcal{C}_{\Psi, \alpha}(y-x) \text{d}\sigma f(y). \) Then \( \Psi D_\alpha[\Psi] = 0 (x \in R^3 \setminus \partial B). \) By the Plemelj formula, we have

\[
 \Psi^+(\tau) - \Psi^-(\tau) = f(\tau), \quad \tau \in \partial B.
\]

Hence \( \varphi^+(\tau) - \Psi^+(\tau) = \varphi^-(\tau) - \Psi^-(\tau) (\tau \in \partial B). \) Thus \( \Psi D_\alpha[\varphi - \Psi] = 0 \) and by Theorem 3.12 in [10] we obtain \( \varphi(x) = \Psi(x). \) So the solution can be expressed as

\[
 u(x) = \begin{cases} 
 f_{\partial B} \mathcal{C}_{\Psi, \alpha}(y-x) \text{d}\sigma f(y), & x \in B^+, \\
 f_{\partial B} \mathcal{C}_{\Psi, \alpha}(y-x) \text{d}\sigma f(y)G^{-1}, & x \in B^-.
\end{cases}
\]

**Theorem 4.2** Let \( B \) be as stated above and \( g(x) \in L^p(R^3, \mathbb{H}(\mathbb{C})), 3 < p < +\infty. \) Find a quaternion-valued function \( w(x) \) satisfying the system \( \Psi D_\alpha[w](x) = g(x) (x \in R^3 \setminus \partial B) \) and vanishing at infinity with the boundary condition

\[
 w^+(\tau) = w^-(\tau)G + f(\tau), \quad \tau \in \partial B, \quad (4.6)
\]

where \( w^\pm(\tau) = \lim_{x \in \mathbb{B}^2, x \to \tau} w(x), \) \( G \) is a quaternion constant, \( G^{-1} \) exists, and \( f \in H^1_{\partial B} (0 < \lambda < 1). \) Then the solution has the form

\[
 w(x) = \Psi(x) + \left( T_{\Psi, \alpha}[g](x),
\right)
\]
in which $^\diamond D_\alpha [\Psi] = 0$ and

$$
\Psi(x) = \begin{cases} 
\int_{\partial B} K_{\psi,\alpha}(y-x)\,d\sigma_{\tilde{f}}(y), & x \in B^+, \\
\int_{\partial B} K_{\psi,\alpha}(y-x)\,d\sigma_{\tilde{f}}(y)G^{-1}, & x \in B^-,
\end{cases}
$$

where $\tilde{f} = f + (T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])(G - 1)$.

**Proof** By Remark 3.1, we know $^\diamond D_\alpha [w] = ^\diamond D_\alpha [\Psi(x) + (T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])(x)] = g(x)$. The boundary condition (4.6) is equivalent to

$$
(\Psi + T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])^-(\tau) = (\Psi + T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])^+(\tau)G + f(\tau), \quad \tau \in \partial B. \tag{4.7}
$$

Again from Remark 3.1, we know that $(T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])(x)$ has continuity in $R^3$. Thus $(T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])^- = (T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])^-$, so (4.7) is equivalent to

$$
\Psi^-(\tau) = \Psi^+(\tau)G + (T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])(\tau)(G - 1) + f(\tau), \quad \tau \in \partial B. \tag{4.8}
$$

Suppose $\tilde{f} = f + (T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])(G - 1)$. Then (4.8) has the following form:

$$
\Psi^+(\tau) = \Psi^-(\tau)G + \tilde{f}(\tau), \quad \tau \in \partial B. \tag{4.9}
$$

Again from Theorem 4.1, the solutions which satisfy the system $^\diamond D_\alpha [\Psi] = 0$ and boundary condition (4.9) can be represented in the form

$$
\Psi(x) = \begin{cases} 
\int_{\partial B} K_{\psi,\alpha}(y-x)\,d\sigma_{\tilde{f}}(y), & x \in B^+, \\
\int_{\partial B} K_{\psi,\alpha}(y-x)\,d\sigma_{\tilde{f}}(y)G^{-1}, & x \in B^-,
\end{cases}
$$

where $\tilde{f} = f + (T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])(G - 1)$.

**Remark 4.1** By Theorem 4.2, the solution of problem $P$ can be expressed as

$$
w(x) = \Psi(x) + (T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])(x),
$$

in which $^\diamond D_\alpha [\Psi] = 0$ and

$$
\Psi(x) = \begin{cases} 
\int_{\partial B} K_{\psi,\alpha}(y-x)\,d\sigma_{\tilde{f}}(y), & x \in B^+, \\
\int_{\partial B} K_{\psi,\alpha}(y-x)\,d\sigma_{\tilde{f}}(y)G^{-1}, & x \in B^-,
\end{cases}
$$

where $\tilde{f} = f + (T_{\psi,\alpha}[g])(G - 1)$.

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