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# Boundedness of homogeneous fractional integral operator on Morrey space

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### Abstract

For  $0 < \alpha < n$ , the homogeneous fractional integral operator  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  is defined by

$$T_{\Omega,\alpha}f(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} f(y) \, dy$$

In this paper we prove that if  $\Omega$  satisfies some smoothness conditions on  $S^{n-1}$ , then  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  is bounded from  $L^{\frac{\lambda}{\alpha},\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  to BMO( $\mathbb{R}^n$ ), and from  $L^{p,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  ( $\frac{\lambda}{\alpha} ) to a class of the Campanato spaces <math>\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , respectively.

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## **1** Introduction

Before going into the next sections addressing details, let us agree to some conventions. The *n*-dimensional Euclidean space  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $Q = Q(x_0, d)$  is a cube with its sides parallel to the coordinate axes and center at  $x_0$ , diameter d > 0.

For  $1 \le l \le \infty$ ,  $-\frac{n}{l} \le \lambda \le 1$ , we denote

$$\|f\|_{\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}} = \sup_{Q} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\lambda/n}} \left(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} |f(x) - f_{Q}|^{l} dx\right)^{1/l},$$

where  $f_Q = \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_Q f(y) dy$ . Then the Campanato space  $\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is defined by

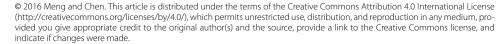
 $\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n) = \{ f \in L^l_{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n) : \|f\|_{\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}} < \infty \}.$ 

If we identify functions that differ by a constant, then  $\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}$  becomes a Banach space with the norm  $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}}$ . It is well known that

$$\operatorname{Lip}_{\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^{n}), \quad \text{for } 0 < \lambda < 1,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^{n}) \sim \operatorname{BMO}(\mathbb{R}^{n}), \quad \text{for } \lambda = 0,$$
Morrey space  $L^{p,n+l\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^{n}), \quad \text{for } -n/l \leq \lambda < 0$ 

On the other properties of the spaces  $\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , we refer the reader to [1].





The Morrey space, which was introduced by Morrey in 1938, connects with certain problems in elliptic PDE [2, 3]. Later, there were many applications of Morrey space to the Navier-Stokes equations (see [4]), the Schrödinger equations (see [5] and [6]) and the elliptic problems with discontinuous coefficients (see [7–9] and [10]).

For  $1 \le p < \infty$  and  $0 < \lambda \le n$ , the Morrey space is defined by

$$L^{p,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n) = \left\{ f \in L^p_{\text{loc}} : \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}} = \left[ \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n, d > 0} d^{\lambda - n} \int_{Q(x,d)} \left| f(y) \right|^p dy \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} < \infty \right\},$$

where Q(x, d) denotes the cube centered at x and with diameter d > 0. The space  $L^{p,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  becomes a Banach space with norm  $\|\cdot\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}$ . Moreover, for  $\lambda = 0$  and  $\lambda = n$ , the Morrey spaces  $L^{p,0}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $L^{p,n}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  coincide (with equality of norms) with the space  $L^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , respectively.

The boundedness of the Hardy-Littlewood maximal operator, the fractional integral operator, and the Calderón-Zygmund singular integral operator on Morrey space can be found in [11–15]. It is well known that further properties and applications of the classical Morrey space have been widely studied by many authors. (For example, see [8, 16–19].)

A function  $g \in BMO(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (see [20]), if there is a constant C > 0 such that for any cube  $Q \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,

$$\|g\|_{\text{BMO}} = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n, r > 0} \left( \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_Q |g(x) - g_Q| \, dx \right) < \infty,$$

where  $g_Q = \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_Q g(y) \, dy$ .

The Hardy-Littlewood-Sobolev theorem showed that the Riesz potential operator  $I_{\alpha}$  is bounded from  $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$  to  $L^q(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for  $0 < \alpha < n$ ,  $1 , and <math>\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{p} - \frac{\alpha}{n}$ . Here

$$I_{\alpha}f(x) = \frac{1}{\gamma(\alpha)} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{f(y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} \, dy, \quad \text{and} \quad \gamma(\alpha) = \frac{\pi^{\frac{n}{2}} 2^{\alpha} \Gamma(\alpha/2)}{\Gamma(\frac{n-\alpha}{2})}.$$

In 1974, Muckenhoupt and Wheeden [21] gave the weighted boundedness of  $I_{\alpha}$  from  $L^{\frac{n}{\alpha}}(w, \mathbb{R}^n)$  to BMO<sub> $\nu$ </sub>( $\mathbb{R}^n$ ).

In 1975, Adams proved the following theorem in [11].

**Theorem A** (Adams) ([11]) Let  $\alpha \in (0, n)$  and  $\lambda \in (0, n]$ , there is a constant C > 0, such that, if 1 , then

 $\|I_{\alpha}f\|_{\mathrm{BMO}} \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}.$ 

On the other hand, many scholars have investigated the various map properties of the homogeneous fractional integral operator  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$ , which is defined by

$$T_{\Omega,\alpha}f(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} f(y) \, dy,$$

where  $0 < \alpha < n$ ,  $\Omega$  is homogeneous of degree zero on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  with  $\Omega \in L^s(S^{n-1})$  ( $s \ge 1$ ) and  $S^{n-1}$  denotes the unit sphere of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . For instance, the weighted  $(L^p, L^q)$ -boundedness of  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  for

1 had been studied in [22] (for power weights) and in [23] (for <math>A(p,q) weights). The weak boundedness of  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  when p = 1 can be found in [24] (unweighed) and in [25] (with power weights). In 2002, Ding [26] proved that  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  is bounded from  $L^{\frac{n}{\alpha}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  to BMO( $\mathbb{R}^n$ ) when  $\Omega$  satisfies some smoothness conditions on  $S^{n-1}$ .

Inspired by the  $(L^{p,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n), BMO(\mathbb{R}^n))$ -boundedness of Riesz potential integral operator  $I_{\alpha}$ for  $p = \frac{\lambda}{\alpha}$ . We will prove the  $(L^{p,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n), BMO(\mathbb{R}^n))$ -boundedness of homogeneous fractional integral operator  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  for  $p = \frac{\lambda}{\alpha}$ . Then we find that  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  is also bounded from  $L^{p,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  $(\frac{\lambda}{\alpha} to a class of the Campanato spaces <math>\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

We say that  $\Omega$  satisfies the  $L^s$ -Dini condition if  $\Omega$  is homogeneous of degree zero on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ with  $\Omega \in L^s(S^{n-1})$  ( $s \ge 1$ ), and

$$\int_0^1 \omega_s(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} < \infty,$$

where  $\omega_s(\delta)$  denotes the integral modulus of continuity of order *s* of  $\Omega$  defined by

$$\omega_{s}(\delta) = \sup_{|\rho|<\delta} \left( \int_{S^{n-1}} \left| \Omega(\rho x') - \Omega(x') \right|^{s} dx' \right)^{\frac{1}{s}},$$

and  $\rho$  is a rotation in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and  $|\rho| = ||\rho - I||$ .

Now, let us formulate our result as follows.

**Theorem 1.1** Let  $0 < \alpha$ ,  $\lambda < n$ , if  $\Omega$  satisfies the  $L^s$ -Dini condition (s > 1), then there is a constant C > 0 such that

$$\|T_{\Omega,\alpha}f\|_{\text{BMO}} \le C\|f\|_{L^{\frac{\lambda}{\alpha},\lambda}}.$$
(1.1)

**Remark 1.2** If  $\Omega \equiv 1$ ,  $s = \infty$ , and  $\lambda = 0$ , then  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  is a Riesz potential  $I_{\alpha}$ , and Theorem 1.1 becomes Theorem A (Adams) [3].

The following theorem shows that  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  is a bounded map from  $L^{p,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$   $(\frac{\lambda}{\alpha} to the Campanato spaces <math>\mathcal{L}_{l,\lambda}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for appropriate indices  $\lambda > 0$  and  $l \ge 1$ .

**Theorem 1.3** Let  $0 < \alpha < 1$ ,  $0 < \lambda < n$ ,  $\lambda/\alpha , and <math>s > \lambda/(\lambda - \alpha)$ . If for some  $\beta > \alpha - \lambda/p$ , the integral modulus of continuity  $\omega_s(\delta)$  of order s of  $\Omega$  satisfies

$$\int_0^1 \omega_s(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta^{1+\beta}} < \infty,$$

then there is a C > 0 such that for  $1 \le l \le \lambda/(\lambda - \alpha)$ ,

$$\|T_{\Omega,\alpha}f\|_{\mathcal{L}_{l,n(\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n})} \le C\|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}.$$
(1.2)

**Remark 1.4** If we take  $\Omega \equiv 1$ , then  $T_{\Omega,\alpha}$  is the Riesz potential  $I_{\alpha}$ , and Theorem 1.3 is even new for the Riesz potential  $I_{\alpha}$ .

Below the letter 'C' will denote a constant not necessarily the same at each occurrence.

#### 2 Proof of Theorem 1.1

In this section we will give the proof of Theorem 1.1. Let us recall the following conclusion.

**Lemma 2.1** ([26]) Suppose that  $0 < \alpha < n, s > 1$ ,  $\Omega$  satisfies the  $L^s$ -Dini condition. There is a constant  $0 < a_0 < \frac{1}{2}$  such that if  $|x| < a_0 R$ , then

$$\begin{split} & \left(\int_{R<|y|<2R} \left|\frac{\Omega(y-x)}{|y-x|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(y)}{|y|^{n-\alpha}}\right|^{s} dy\right)^{\frac{1}{s}} \\ & \leq CR^{n/s-(n-\alpha)} \bigg\{\frac{|x|}{R} + \int_{|x|/2R<\delta<|x|/R} \omega_{s}(\delta)\frac{d\delta}{\delta}\bigg\}. \end{split}$$

*Proof of Theorem* 1.1 Fix a cube  $Q \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ , we denote the center and the diameter of Q by  $x_0$  and d, respectively. We write

$$\begin{split} T_{\Omega,\alpha}f &= \int_B \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} f(y) \, dy + \int_{\mathbb{R}^n \setminus B} \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} f(y) \, dy \\ &:= T_1 f(x) + T_2 f(x), \end{split}$$

where  $B = \{y \in \mathbb{R}^n; |y - x_0| < d\}$ . It is sufficient to prove (1.1) for  $T_1 f(x)$  and  $T_2 f(x)$ , respectively.

First let us consider  $T_1 f(x)$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left| T_{1}f(x) - (T_{1}f)_{Q} \right| dx &\leq \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \int_{B} \frac{|\Omega(x-y)|}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} |f(y)| \, dy \, dx \\ &+ \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left( \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \int_{B} \frac{|\Omega(z-y)|}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} |f(y)| \, dy \, dz \right) dx \\ &\leq \frac{2}{|Q|} \int_{B} |f(y)| \int_{Q} \frac{|\Omega(x-y)|}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} \, dx \, dy \\ &\leq \frac{2}{|Q|} \int_{B} |f(y)| \int_{|x-y|<2d} \frac{|\Omega(x-y)|}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} \, dx \, dy. \end{aligned}$$
(2.1)

Note that  $\Omega(x') \in L^{s}(S^{n-1}), \|\Omega\|_{L^{s}(S^{n-1})} = (\int_{S^{n-1}} |\Omega(y')|^{s} d\sigma(y'))^{\frac{1}{s}}$ , we get

$$\int_{|x-y|<2d} \frac{|\Omega(x-y)|}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} dx \le Cd^{\alpha} \|\Omega\|_{L^{s}(S^{n-1})}$$
$$\le C|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}} \|\Omega\|_{L^{s}(S^{n-1})}.$$
(2.2)

On the other hand, since  $p' < \frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)-\frac{\alpha}{n}$ , by using the Hölder inequality, we get

$$\begin{split} \int_{B} |f(y)| \, dy &\leq \left( \int_{B} |f(y)|^{p} \, dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_{B} 1^{p'} \, dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}} \\ &\leq \left( \int_{B} |f(y)|^{p} \, dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_{B} 1^{\frac{1}{\frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)-\frac{\alpha}{n}}} \, dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)-\frac{\alpha}{n}} \\ &= |B|^{\frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)-\frac{\alpha}{n}} \left( \int_{B} |f(y)|^{p} \, dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \end{split}$$

$$= |B|^{\frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)-\frac{\alpha}{n}}|B|^{\frac{1}{p}(1-\frac{\lambda}{n})} \left(d^{\lambda-n}\int_{B}|f(y)|^{p} dy\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$
$$= |B|^{-\frac{\alpha}{n}}||f||_{L^{p,\lambda}}.$$
(2.3)

Here and below we denote  $p = \frac{\lambda}{\alpha}$  in the proof of Theorem 1.1. Plugging (2.2) and (2.3) into (2.1), we obtain

$$\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left| T_{1}f(x) - (T_{1}f)_{Q} \right| dx \leq C|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}} |B|^{-\frac{\alpha}{n}} ||f||_{L^{p,\lambda}}$$
$$\leq C||f||_{L^{p,\lambda}}.$$
(2.4)

Now, let us turn to the estimate for  $T_2 f(x)$ . In this case we have

$$\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left| T_{2}f(x) - (T_{2}f)_{Q} \right| dx 
= \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left| \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left\{ \int_{|y-x_{0}| \ge d} f(y) \left[ \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} \right] dy \right\} dz \right| dx 
\le \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \int_{2^{j}d \le |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} |f(y)| \left| \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} \right| dy \right\} dz dx. \quad (2.5)$$

By Hölder's inequality, we get

$$\begin{split} &\int_{2^{j}d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| f(y) \right| \left| \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} \right| dy \\ &\leq \left( \int_{2^{j}d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| f(y) \right|^{s'} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s'}} \\ &\times \left( \int_{2^{j}d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} \right|^{s} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s}}. \end{split}$$
(2.6)

Since

$$\begin{aligned} \left|\frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}}\right| &= \left|\frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(y-x_0)}{|y-x_0|^{n-\alpha}} + \frac{\Omega(y-x_0)}{|y-x_0|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}}\right| \\ &\leq \left|\frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(y-x_0)}{|y-x_0|^{n-\alpha}}\right| + \left|\frac{\Omega(y-x_0)}{|y-x_0|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}}\right|,\end{aligned}$$

we have

$$\left( \int_{2^{j}d \le |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} \right|^{s} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s}}$$

$$\le \left( \int_{2^{j}d \le |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(y-x_{0})}{|y-x_{0}|^{n-\alpha}} \right|^{s} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s}}$$

$$+ \left( \int_{2^{j}d \le |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(y-x_{0})}{|y-x_{0}|^{n-\alpha}} \right|^{s} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s}}$$

$$:= J_{1} + J_{2}.$$

$$(2.7)$$

Let us give the estimates of  $J_1$  and  $J_2$ , respectively. We write  $J_1$  as

$$J_1 = \left( \int_{2^j d \le |y-x_0| < 2^{j+1} d} \left| \frac{\Omega((x-x_0)-y)}{|x-x_0-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(y)}{|y|^{n-\alpha}} \right|^s dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s}}.$$

Note that  $x \in Q$ , if taking  $R = 2^{j}d$ , then  $|x - x_{0}| < \frac{1}{2^{j+1}}R$ . Applying Lemma 2.1 to  $J_{1}$ , we get

$$J_{1} \leq C \left(2^{j} d\right)^{n/s - (n-\alpha)} \left\{ \frac{|x - x_{0}|}{2^{j} d} + \int_{|x - x_{0}|/2^{j+1} d < \delta < |x - x_{0}|/2^{j} d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\}$$
  
$$\leq C \left(2^{j} d\right)^{n/s - (n-\alpha)} \left\{ \frac{1}{2^{j+1}} + \int_{|x - x_{0}|/2^{j+1} d < \delta < |x - x_{0}|/2^{j} d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\}.$$
(2.8)

By  $z \in Q$  and using a similar method, we have

$$J_{2} \leq C \left( 2^{j} d \right)^{n/s - (n-\alpha)} \left\{ \frac{1}{2^{j+1}} + \int_{|z-x_{0}|/2^{j+1} d < \delta < |z-x_{0}|/2^{j} d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\}.$$
(2.9)

Since  $p = \frac{\lambda}{\alpha}$  and  $\frac{n}{s} - (n - \alpha) < -\frac{n}{s'(p/s')'}$ , we get

$$(2^{j}d)^{n/s-(n-\alpha)} \leq C |2^{j+1}\sqrt{n}Q|^{-\frac{1}{s'(p/s')'}},$$

where  $2^{j+1}\sqrt{n}Q$  denote the cube with the center at  $x_0$  and the diameter  $2^{j+1}\sqrt{n}d$ .

Thus, plugging (2.8) and (2.9) into (2.7), we have

$$\left( \int_{2^{j}d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} \right|^{s} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s}} \\
\leq C \left| 2^{j+1} \sqrt{n}Q \right|^{n/s - (n-\alpha)} \left\{ \frac{1}{2^{j}} + \int_{|x-x_{0}|/2^{j+1}d < \delta < |x-x_{0}|/2^{j}d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right. \\
+ \int_{|z-x_{0}|/2^{j+1}d < \delta < |z-x_{0}|/2^{j}d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\} \\
\leq C \left| 2^{j+1} \sqrt{n}Q \right|^{-\frac{1}{s'(p/s')'}} \left\{ \frac{1}{2^{j}} + \int_{|x-x_{0}|/2^{j+1}d < \delta < |x-x_{0}|/2^{j}d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right. \\
+ \int_{|z-x_{0}|/2^{j+1}d < \delta < |z-x_{0}|/2^{j}d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\}.$$
(2.10)

On the other hand, we estimate  $(\int_{2^j d \le |y-x_0| < 2^{j+1}d} |f(y)|^{s'} dy)^{\frac{1}{s'}}$ , since  $p' < s'(\frac{p}{s'})'$  and  $s'(\frac{p}{s'})' < \frac{1}{\frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)+\frac{1}{(p/s')'s'}}$ , by using Hölder's inequality again, we get

$$\begin{split} \left( \int_{2^{j}d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| f(y) \right|^{s'} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s'}} \\ &\leq \left( \int_{2^{j}d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| f(y) \right|^{p} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_{|y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} 1^{s'(\frac{p}{s'})'} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{(p/s')'s'}} \\ &\leq C \left( \int_{|y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} \left| f(y) \right|^{p} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_{|y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} 1^{\frac{1}{\frac{1}{p(\frac{1}{n}-1)+\frac{1}{(p/s')'s'}}} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p(\frac{1}{n}-1)+\frac{1}{(p/s')'s'}} dy \end{split}$$

$$\leq C|B_{1}|^{\frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)+\frac{1}{(p/s')'s'}}|B_{1}|^{\frac{1}{p}(1-\frac{\lambda}{n})} \left( \left(2^{j+1}d\right)^{\lambda-n} \int_{|y-x_{0}|<2^{j+1}d} \left|f(y)\right|^{p} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

$$\leq C|B_{1}|^{\frac{1}{(p/s')'s'}} \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}},$$

$$(2.11)$$

where  $B_1 = \{y \in \mathbb{R}^n; |y - x_0| < 2^{j+1}d\}$ . Plugging (2.10) and (2.11) into (2.6) we obtain

$$\begin{split} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \int_{2^{j} d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1} d} |f(y)| \left| \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} \right| dy \\ &\leq C \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \||f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}} |B_{1}|^{\frac{1}{|\psi|^{s}/y^{s}}} \left| 2^{j+1} \sqrt{n} Q \right|^{n/s - (n-\alpha)} \left\{ \frac{1}{2^{j}} + \int_{|x-x_{0}|/2^{j+1} d < \delta < |x-x_{0}|/2^{j} d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\} \\ &+ \int_{|z-x_{0}|/2^{j+1} d < \delta < |z-x_{0}|/2^{j} d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\} \\ &\leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |B_{1}|^{\frac{1}{|\psi|^{s}/y^{s}}} |B_{1}|^{-\frac{1}{|\psi|^{s}/y^{s}}} \left\{ \frac{1}{2^{j}} + \int_{|x-x_{0}|/2^{j+1} d < \delta < |x-x_{0}|/2^{j} d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\} \\ &+ \int_{|z-x_{0}|/2^{j+1} d < \delta < |z-x_{0}|/2^{j} d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\} \\ &\leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}} \left\{ 2 + 2 \int_{0}^{1} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\} \\ &\leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}. \end{split}$$
 (2.12)

Therefore, applying (2.12) into (2.5) we obtain

$$\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left| T_2 f(x) - (T_2 f)_Q \right| dx \le C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}.$$
(2.13)

Combining (2.4) and (2.13), we get

$$\begin{split} \|T_{\Omega,\alpha}f\|_{BMO} &= \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left|T_{\Omega,\alpha}f(y) - (T_{\Omega,\alpha}f)_{Q}\right| dy \\ &\leq \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left|T_{1}f(y) - (T_{1}f)_{Q}\right| dy + \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left|T_{2}f(y) - (T_{2}f)_{Q}\right| dy \\ &\leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}. \end{split}$$

Thus, we complete the proof of Theorem 1.1.

#### 3 Proof of Theorem 1.3

Similarly to the proof of Theorem 1.1. We need only to prove (1.2) for  $T_1$  and  $T_2$ , respectively. First let us consider  $T_1f(x)$ . We have

$$\begin{split} &\frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \bigg(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left|T_{1}f(x) - (T_{1}f)_{Q}\right|^{l} dx \bigg)^{\frac{1}{l}} \\ &\leq \frac{2}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \bigg(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left|T_{1}f(x)\right|^{l} dx \bigg)^{\frac{1}{l}} \end{split}$$

$$= \frac{2}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n} - \frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \left( \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left| \int_{B} \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} f(y) \, dy \right|^{l} dx \right)^{\frac{1}{l}}$$
  
$$\leq \frac{2}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n} - \frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{l}}} \int_{B} |f(y)| \left( \int_{|y-x|<2d} \left( \frac{|\Omega(x-y)|}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} \right)^{l} dx \right)^{\frac{1}{l}} dy.$$
(3.1)

Note that  $\Omega(x') \in L^s(S^{n-1})$ ,  $\|\Omega\|_{L^s(S^{n-1})} = (\int_{S^{n-1}} |\Omega(y')|^s d\sigma(y'))^{\frac{1}{s}}$ , and  $s > \frac{\lambda}{\lambda - \alpha} \ge l$ , hence

$$\left(\int_{|y-x|<2d} \left(\frac{|\Omega(x-y)|}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}}\right)^l dx\right)^{\frac{1}{l}} \le Cd^{\frac{n}{l}-(n-\alpha)} \|\Omega\|_{L^s(S^{n-1})} \le C|Q|^{\frac{1}{l}-(1-\frac{\alpha}{n})} \|\Omega\|_{L^s(S^{n-1})}.$$
(3.2)

On the other hand, by Hölder's inequality,

$$\begin{split} \int_{B} |f(y)| \, dy &\leq \left( \int_{B} |f(y)|^{p} \, dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_{B} 1^{p'} \, dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}} \\ &= |B|^{\frac{1}{p}(1-\frac{\lambda}{n})} \left( |B|^{\frac{\lambda}{n}-1} \int_{B} |f(y)|^{p} \, dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\times \left( \int_{B} 1^{\frac{1}{1-\frac{\lambda}{n}(1-\frac{1}{p'})+\frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)}} \, dy \right)^{1-\frac{\lambda}{n}(1-\frac{1}{p'})+\frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)} \\ &\leq |B|^{1-\frac{\lambda}{n}(1-\frac{1}{p'})+\frac{1}{p}(\frac{\lambda}{n}-1)} |B|^{\frac{1}{p}(1-\frac{\lambda}{n})} \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}} \\ &= |B|^{1-\frac{\lambda}{n}(1-\frac{1}{p'})} \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}. \end{split}$$
(3.3)

Plugging (3.2) and (3.3) into (3.1) we get

$$\frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \left( \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left| T_{1}f(x) - (T_{1}f)_{Q} \right|^{l} dx \right)^{\frac{1}{l}} \\
\leq C|Q|^{\frac{\lambda}{n}\frac{1}{p}-\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{l}+1-\frac{\lambda}{n}(1-\frac{1}{p'})+\frac{1}{l}-(1-\frac{\alpha}{n})} \|\Omega\|_{L^{s}(S^{n-1})} \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}} \\
\leq C\|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}.$$
(3.4)

Now, let us turn to the estimate for  $T_2 f(x)$ . In this case we have

$$\frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \left(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left|T_{2}f(x) - (T_{2}f)_{Q}\right|^{l} dx\right)^{\frac{1}{l}} \\
= \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \left(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left|\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left\{\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \int_{2^{j} d \le |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1} d} f(y) \right. \\
\left. \times \left[\frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}}\right] dy\right\} dz \left|^{l} dx\right)^{\frac{1}{l}}.$$
(3.5)

By Hölder's inequality and the proof of Theorem 1.1,  $s' < \frac{\lambda}{\alpha} < p$ ,

$$\begin{split} &\int_{2^{j}d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} |f(y)| \left| \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} \right| dy \\ &\leq \left( \int_{2^{j}d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} |f(y)|^{s'} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s'}} (J_{1}+J_{2}) \\ &\leq \left( \int_{2^{j}d \leq |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} |f(y)|^{p} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_{|y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} 1^{s'(p/s')'} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s'(p/s')'}} (J_{1}+J_{2}) \\ &= \left( 2^{j+1}d \right)^{-\frac{\lambda-n}{p}} \left[ \left( 2^{j+1}d \right)^{\lambda-n} \int_{|y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} |f(y)|^{p} dy \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\times \left( \int_{|y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1}d} 1^{\frac{1}{s'(p/s')'} + \frac{\lambda-n}{np} + \frac{1}{p}(1-\frac{\lambda}{n})} dy \right)^{\frac{1}{s'(p/s')'} + \frac{\lambda-n}{np} + \frac{1}{p}(1-\frac{\lambda}{n})} (J_{1}+J_{2}) \\ &\leq C ||f||_{L^{p,\lambda}} |B_{1}|^{-\frac{\lambda-n}{np}} |B_{1}|^{\frac{1}{s'(p/s')'} + \frac{\lambda-n}{np} + \frac{1}{p}(1-\frac{\lambda}{n})} (J_{1}+J_{2}) \\ &= C ||f||_{L^{p,\lambda}} (2^{j}d)^{\frac{n}{s'(p/s')'} + \frac{n}{p}(1-\frac{\lambda}{n})} |Q|^{\frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}} (J_{1}+J_{2}), \end{split}$$
(3.6)

where  $B_1 = \{y \in \mathbb{R}^n; |y - x_0| < 2^{j+1}d\}.$ 

Since the integral modulus of continuity  $\omega_s(\delta)$  of order *s* of  $\Omega$  satisfies (1.2) and

$$\int_{o}^{1} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} < \int_{o}^{1} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta^{1+\beta}} < \infty,$$

we know that  $\Omega$  satisfies also the *L*<sup>s</sup>-Dini condition. From Lemma 2.1 and the proof of Theorem 1.1, we get

$$J_{1} + J_{2} \leq C (2^{j}d)^{n/s - (n-\alpha)} \times \left\{ \frac{1}{2^{j}} + \int_{|x-x_{0}|/2^{j+1}d < \delta < |x-x_{0}|/2^{j}d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} + \int_{|z-x_{0}|/2^{j+1}d < \delta < |z-x_{0}|/2^{j}d} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \right\}.$$
(3.7)

Note that

$$(2^{j}d)^{n/[s'(p/s')']+n/s-(n-\alpha)}2^{j(\frac{n}{p}-\frac{\lambda}{p})} = (2^{j}d)^{n(\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p})}2^{j(\frac{n}{p}-\frac{\lambda}{p})}$$
  
$$\leq C|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}}2^{jn(\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p})+j(\frac{n}{p}-\frac{\lambda}{p})}$$
  
$$= C|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}}2^{jn(\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n})}.$$
(3.8)

Moreover,

$$2^{jn(\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n})} \int_{|x-x_0|/2^{j+1}d}^{|x-x_0|/2^{j+1}d} \omega_s(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta} \le 2^{jn(\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n})} (|x-x_0|/2^jd)^{\beta} \int_{|x-x_0|/2^{j+1}d}^{|x-x_0|/2^{j+1}d} \omega_s(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta^{1+\beta}} \le C2^{j[n(\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n})-\beta]} \int_0^1 \omega_s(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta^{1+\beta}}.$$
(3.9)

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \int_{2^{j} d \le |y-x_{0}| < 2^{j+1} d} f(y) \bigg[ \frac{\Omega(x-y)}{|x-y|^{n-\alpha}} - \frac{\Omega(z-y)}{|z-y|^{n-\alpha}} \bigg] dy \\ &\le C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}} \|Q\|^{\frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}} \|Q\|^{\frac{\alpha}{n} - \frac{1}{p}} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \bigg\{ 2^{j[n(\frac{\alpha}{n} - \frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}) - 1]} + C 2^{j[n(\frac{\alpha}{n} - \frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}) - \beta]} \int_{0}^{1} \omega_{s}(\delta) \frac{d\delta}{\delta^{1+\beta}} \bigg\} \\ &\le C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}} \|Q\|^{\frac{\alpha}{n} - \frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}. \end{split}$$
(3.10)

Plugging (3.10) into (3.5), we obtain

$$\frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \left(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} \left|T_{2}f(x) - (T_{2}f)_{Q}\right|^{l} dx\right)^{\frac{1}{l}} \le C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}.$$
(3.11)

Then by (3.4) and (3.11) we get

$$\begin{split} \|T_{\Omega,\alpha}f\|_{\mathcal{L}_{l,n(\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n})} &\leq \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \left(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} |T_{1}f(x) - (T_{1}f)_{Q}|^{l} dx\right)^{\frac{1}{l}} \\ &+ \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{\alpha}{n}-\frac{1}{p}\frac{\lambda}{n}}} \left(\frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} |T_{2}f(x) - (T_{2}f)_{Q}|^{l} dx\right)^{\frac{1}{l}} \\ &\leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\lambda}}. \end{split}$$

Thus, we complete the proof of Theorem 1.3.

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