

## $\omega$ -Calderón-Zygmund operators

by

SIJUE WU (Evanston, Ill.)

**Abstract.** We prove a T1 theorem and develop a version of Calderón–Zygmund theory for  $\omega$ -CZO when  $\omega \in A_{\infty}$ .

1. Introduction. Let T be a linear operator mapping test functions on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  continuously into distributions and with an associated kernel K(x,y),  $x \neq y$  (in the sense that  $\langle Tf,g \rangle = \iint g(x)K(x,y)f(y)\,dx\,dy$  whenever f and g are test functions with compact support). Let  $\omega$  be an  $A_{\infty}$  weight with critical exponent  $p_0$ , and set  $\omega_t(x) = t^{-n} \int_{|x-y| < t} \omega(y)\,dy$ . We say that K(x,y) satisfies  $\omega$ -standard estimates if for some  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

$$|K(x,y)| \le C\omega_{|x-y|}(x) \frac{1}{|x-y|^n}$$

and

$$|K(x,y) - T_{x'}K(x,y)| \le C\omega_{|x-x'|}(x) \frac{|x-x'|^{\varepsilon}}{|x-y|^{n+\varepsilon}}$$
if  $|x-x'| < \frac{1}{2}|x-y|$ ,
$$|K(x,y) - T_{y'}K(x,y)| \le C\omega_{|y-y'|}(y) \frac{|y-y'|^{\varepsilon}}{|x-y|^{n+\varepsilon}}$$

where

$$T_{x'}K(x,y) = K(x',y) + ((x-x') \cdot D_x)K(x',y)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!}((x-x') \cdot D_x)^2 K(x',y)$$

$$+ \dots + \frac{1}{N!}((x-x') \cdot D_x)^N K(x',y)$$

if  $|y - y'| < \frac{1}{2}|x - y|$ ,

<sup>1991</sup> Mathematics Subject Classification: Primary 42B20.

and

$$T_{y'}K(x,y) = K(x,y') + ((y-y') \cdot D_y)K(x,y')$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!}((y-y') \cdot D_y)^2K(x,y')$$

$$+ \dots + \frac{1}{N!}((y-y') \cdot D_y)^NK(x,y')$$

(with  $D_x = (\partial/\partial x_1, \ldots, \partial/\partial x_n)$  and  $D_y = (\partial/\partial y_1, \ldots, \partial/\partial y_n)$ ) are the Taylor polynomials of degree N of K(x, y) with respect to x (at x') and y (at y'), respectively, and  $N = [n(p_0 - 1)]$ , where [a] stands for the biggest integer  $\leq a$ .

An example of such an operator is the fractional integral

$$I_{\alpha}f(x) = \left\{ egin{array}{ll} \int\limits_{\mathbb{R}^n} |x-y|^{lpha-n}f(y)\,dy & ext{if $lpha>0$ and $lpha
eq n+2l$,} \ \int\limits_{\mathbb{R}^n} y|y|^{lpha-n-1}f(x-y)\,dy & ext{if $lpha>0$ and $lpha=n+2l$,} \end{array} 
ight.$$

where l is an integer. In these cases, we can take  $\omega = |x|^{\alpha}$ .

For the case  $\omega \in A_1$ , a version of the T1 Theorem has been proved and a Calderón–Zygmund theory for  $\omega$ -CZO has been developed in [3]. In this paper, we will give a version of the T1 Theorem for  $\omega \in A_{\infty}$  and prove a Calderón–Zygmund theory for  $\omega$ -CZO which contains the theory in [3] as a special case.

Acknowledgements. This paper is part of my thesis. I would like to express my deep gratitude to my advisor, Prof. Ronald R. Coifman, for proposing the problem and for his advice. I would also like to thank Prof. José García-Cuerva for the very helpful discussions during his visit in Yale.

2. The statement of the T1 Theorem. Let  $\omega$  be an  $A_{\infty}$  weight with critical exponent  $p_0$ . Suppose  $N=[n(p_0-1)]$ . Let T be a continuous linear operator from test functions to distributions. We say that T satisfies the  $\omega$ -WBP (weak boundedness property) if for each ball B and any test functions  $\phi_1, \phi_2$  supported in B that satisfy the estimate  $\|\phi_i'\|_{\infty} \leq |B|^{-1/n}$  for i=1,2 and the cancellation law

$$\int x^k \phi(x) dx = 0 \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N,$$

where  $\phi = \phi_1$  or  $\phi_2$ , we have

$$|\langle T\phi_1, \phi_2 \rangle| \leq C\omega(B)$$
.

This will hold if T is associated with an antisymmetric kernel satisfying the first standard estimate (1.1).



The space  $BMO_{\omega} = (H^1(\omega))^*$  has been studied in [5]. The definition is, for  $\omega \in A_p$ , 1 ,

 $BMO_{\omega} = \left\{ f: f/\omega \in L^{p'}_{\mathrm{loc}}(\omega) \text{ and for every interval } I, \right.$ 

$$\left(\omega(I)^{-1}\int\limits_{I}|f(x)-P_{I}f(x)|^{p'}\omega(x)^{1-p'}dx\right)^{1/p'}\leq C\right\},$$

where 1/p + 1/p' = 1 and  $P_I f$  is a polynomial of degree  $\leq N$  such that

$$\int_{I} (f(x) - P_{I}f(x))x^{k} dx = 0 \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N,$$

and the  $BMO_{\omega}$  norm of  $f \in BMO_{\omega}$  is the smallest constant C in the inequality defining  $BMO_{\omega}$ . For more details, see [5]. We also refer to [5] or [6] for the definition of weighted Hardy spaces  $H^{p}(\omega)$ .

THEOREM 2.1. Suppose  $\omega \in A_{\infty}$ . Let T be a continuous linear operator from test functions to distributions that is associated with an  $\omega$ -standard kernel. Then  $T: H^1(\omega) \to L^1$  iff T satisfies the  $\omega$ -WBP and  $T^1$  and  $T^t1$  lie in  $BMO_{\omega}$ .

A corollary of this theorem is

COROLLARY 2.2. Same assumptions as in Theorem 2.1. Then  $T: H^1(\omega) \to L^1$  and  $T: L^{\infty} \to BMO_{\omega}$  iff T satisfies the  $\omega$ -WBP and T1 and  $T^t1$  lie in  $BMO_{\omega}$ .

3. The proof of the theorem. In the following, all C's are constants, and they need not be the same at each appearance. Moreover, 1/p+1/p'=1.

The proof of Theorem 2.1 follows the same steps as in [3] and [4]. We prove the sufficiency first. Because  $\omega \in A_{\infty}$ , we have  $\omega \in A_p$ , for some 2 .

LEMMA 3.1. Suppose  $\phi, \psi \in C^{\infty}$ , supp  $\phi, \psi \subseteq \{|x| \leq 1\}$ ,  $\int x^k \psi(x) dx = 0$  for k = 0, 1, ..., N, and  $b \in BMO_{\omega}$ . Define  $P_t f = \phi_t * f$ ,  $Q_t f = \psi_t * f$ , where  $\phi_t(x) = t^{-n}\phi(x/t)$ . Then the kernel of the paraproduct operator

$$T_b f = \int_0^\infty Q_t((Q_t b)(P_t f)) \frac{dt}{t}$$

satisfies the second  $\omega$ -standard estimate (1.2) and  $T_b: H^{p'}(\omega) \to L^{p'}(\omega^{1-p'})$ .

Proof. The kernel of the operator is

$$K(x,y) = \int\limits_0^\infty l_t(x,y) \, rac{dt}{t} = \int\limits_0^\infty \int\limits_{\mathbb{R}^n} \psi_t(x-z) Q_t b(z) \phi_t(z-y) \, dz \, rac{dt}{t} \, .$$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} |l_t(x,y) - T_{x'}l_t(x,y)| \\ &= \left| \frac{1}{(N+1)!} ((x-x') \cdot D_x)^{N+1} l_t(\xi,y) \right| \\ &= \frac{1}{(N+1)!} \left| \int ((x-x') \cdot D)^{N+1} \psi_t(\xi-z) Q_t b(z) \phi_t(z-y) \, dz \right| \end{aligned}$$

for some  $\xi = x' + \theta(x - x')$ ,  $0 \le \theta \le 1$ , and  $|x - x'| < \frac{1}{2}|x - y|$ . Because  $b \in BMO_{\omega}$  and  $\psi_t \in H^1(\omega)$  (in fact,  $(\omega_t(z))^{-1}\psi_t(z - \cdot)$  is a  $(1, \infty)$ -atom), we have

$$|Q_t b(z)| = \left| \int |\psi_t(z-u)b(u)| du \right| \le ||\psi_t||_{H^1(\omega)} ||b||_* = C_\psi ||b||_* \omega_t(z).$$

Then for any x with |z - x| < t, we have

$$|Q_t b(z)| \le C ||b||_* \omega_t(z) \le C ||b||_* \omega_t(x)$$

and

$$|l_t(x,y) - T_{x'}l_t(x,y)| \le \frac{C_{\phi,\psi}}{(N+1)!}|x - x'|^{N+1} \frac{\omega_t(x)}{t^{N+n+1}} \chi_{\{|x-y| < 4t\}}(t)$$

whenever  $|x-x'| < \frac{1}{2}|x-y|$ . Therefore,

$$|K(x,y) - T_{x'}K(x,y)| \le \int_{0}^{\infty} |l_{t}(x,y) - T_{x'}l_{t}(x,y)| \frac{dt}{t}$$

$$\le C|x - x'|^{N+1} \int_{|x-y|/4}^{\infty} \frac{\omega_{t}(x)}{t^{N+n+1}} \frac{dt}{t}$$

$$= C|x - x'|^{N+1} \int_{|x-y|/4}^{\infty} \frac{\omega(B(x,t))}{t^{N+2n+1}} \frac{dt}{t}.$$

Take  $\overline{p}_0 > p_0$  such that  $N+1-(n\overline{p}_0-n)>0$  and  $\omega \in A_{\overline{p}_0}.$  Then

$$\omega(B(x,t)) \leq \left(\frac{t}{|x-x'|}\right)^{n\bar{p}_0} \omega(B(x,|x-x'|)) = \frac{t^{n\bar{p}_0}}{|x-x'|^{n\bar{p}_0-n}} \omega_{|x-x'|}(x)\,,$$

and we obtain

$$\begin{split} |K(x,y) - T_{x'}K(x,y)| & \leq C|x - x'|^{N - (n\bar{p}_0 - n) + 1}\omega_{|x - x'|}(x) \int\limits_{|x - y|/4}^{\infty} \frac{t^{n\bar{p}_0}}{t^{N + 2n + 1}} \frac{dt}{t} \\ & = C\omega_{|x - x'|}(x)|x - x'|^{N + 1 - (n\bar{p}_0 - n)} \frac{1}{|x - y|^{n + N + 1 - (n\bar{p}_0 - n)}} \\ \text{whenever } |x - x'| < \frac{1}{2}|x - y|, \text{ where } \varepsilon = N + 1 - (n\bar{p}_0 - n) > 0. \end{split}$$

The same argument as above can be applied to the estimate of  $|K(x,y)-T_{y'}K(x,y)|$ . This proves that the kernel of  $T_b$  satisfies the second  $\omega$ -standard estimate (1.2) for  $\varepsilon = N + 1 - (n\overline{p}_0 - n)$ .

We check the boundedness of  $T_b: H^{p'}(\omega) \to L^{p'}(\omega^{1-p'})$  as follows. For  $g \in L^p(\omega)$ , we have

$$\left| \int T_b f(x) \cdot g(x) \, dx \right|$$

$$= \left| \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} Q_t(g) Q_t(b) P_t(f) \frac{dx \, dt}{t} \right|$$

$$\leq \left( \int \left( \int_0^\infty |Q_t g|^2 \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{p/2} \omega(x) \, dx \right)^{1/p}$$

$$\times \left( \int \left( \int_0^\infty |Q_t b|^2 |P_t f|^2 \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{p'/2} \omega(x)^{1-p'} \, dx \right)^{1/p'}$$

$$\leq C \|g\|_{L^p(\omega)} \left( \int \left( \int_0^\infty |Q_t b|^2 |P_t f|^2 \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{p'/2} \omega(x)^{1-p'} \, dx \right)^{1/p'}.$$

Now

$$\int \left( \int_{0}^{\infty} |Q_{t}b|^{2} |P_{t}f|^{2} \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{p'/2} \omega(x)^{1-p'} dx 
= \int \left( \int_{0}^{\infty} |Q_{t}b|^{p'} |P_{t}f|^{p'} g_{t}(x) \frac{dt}{t} \right) \omega(x)^{1-p'} dx,$$

for some  $g_t \geq 0$  with  $\int_0^\infty |g_t(x)|^r \frac{dt}{t} = 1$  for a.e.  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , where 1/r + p'/2 = 1.

CLAIM.  $|Q_t b|^{p'} g_t(x) \omega(x)^{1-p'} \frac{dx dt}{t}$  is an  $\omega$ -Carleson measure.

Proof. Because  $\omega^{1-p'} \in A_{p'}$ , for any interval I, we have

$$\int_{0}^{|I|^{1/n}} \int_{I} |Q_{t}b|^{p'} g_{t}(x)\omega(x)^{1-p'} \frac{dt \, dx}{t}$$

$$= \int_{0}^{|I|^{1/n}} \int_{I} |Q_{t}((b-P_{I}b)\chi_{I^{*}})|^{p'} g_{t}(x) \frac{dt}{t} \omega(x)^{1-p'} \, dx$$

$$\leq \int_{0}^{\infty} \left( \int_{0}^{\infty} |Q_{t}((b-P_{I}b)\chi_{I^{*}})|^{2} \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{p'/2} \omega(x)^{1-p'} \, dx$$



 $\leq \int_{I^*} |b - P_I b|^{p'} \omega(x)^{1-p'} dx \leq C \omega(I) ||b||_*^{p'}.$ 

Therefore,

$$\int \left( \int_{0}^{\infty} |Q_{t}b|^{2} |P_{t}f|^{2} \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{p'/2} \omega(x)^{1-p'} dx$$

$$= \int \int |P_{t}f|^{p'} |Q_{t}b|^{p'} g_{t}(x) \omega(x)^{1-p'} \frac{dx dt}{t}$$

$$\leq C \|b\|_{*}^{p'} \int f^{*p'} \omega(x) dx = C \|b\|_{*}^{p'} \|f\|_{H^{p'}(\omega)}^{p'}.$$

where  $f^*(x) = \sup_{|y-x| < t} |P_t f(y)|$ . Consequently,

$$\left| \int |T_b f(x) \cdot g(x) \, dx \right| \leq C ||g||_{L^p(\omega)} ||f||_{H^{p'}(\omega)} ||b||_* \, .$$

This proves that  $T_b: H^{p'}(\omega) \to L^{p'}(\omega^{1-p'})$ .

Unlike the case in [3] and [4], we cannot obtain the same estimate for  $T_b^t$  by duality. Therefore we take another approach.

LEMMA 3.2. Let T be a continuous linear operator from test functions to distributions that is associated with a kernel K(x,y) which satisfies the second  $\omega$ -standard estimate (1.2). If  $T: H^q(\omega) \to L^q(\omega^{1-q})$  for some  $1 \le q < \infty$ , then  $T^t: L^\infty \to BMO_\omega$ .

Proof. For any  $f \in \mathcal{S}$  (Schwartz class), and any interval I, we can write

$$f = f\chi_{I^*} + f\chi_{I^{*c}} = f_1 + f_2$$
, where  $I^* = 4I$ .

We consider  $T^t f_2$  first. Because T is associated with the kernel K(x, y),

$$T^t f_2(y) = \int K(x,y) f_2(x) dx.$$

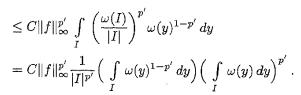
Take  $y_0 \in 2I \setminus \frac{3}{2}I$ , let  $Pf_2(y) = \int T_{y_0}K(x,y)f_2(x) dx$ , so  $Pf_2(y)$  is a polynomial of degree  $\leq N$ . Take  $p > \max(2,q)$  such that  $\omega \in A_p$ . Then

$$\int_{I} |T^{t} f_{2}(y) - P f_{2}(y)|^{p'} \omega^{1-p'}(y) dy$$

$$\leq \int_{I} \left( \int_{I^{*c}} |K(x,y) - T_{y_{0}} K(x,y)| f_{2}(x) dx \right)^{p'} \omega(y)^{1-p'} dy$$

$$\leq \int_{I} \left( \int_{I^{*c}} \frac{C \omega_{|y-y_{0}|}(y)|y-y_{0}|^{\varepsilon}}{|x-y|^{n+\varepsilon}} |f_{2}(x)| dx \right)^{p'} \omega(y)^{1-p'} dy$$

$$\leq \int_{I} \left( C \omega_{|y-y_{0}|}(y) ||f||_{\infty} \right)^{p'} \omega(y)^{1-p'} dy$$



Because  $\omega \in A_p$ ,

$$\left(\frac{1}{\omega(I)} \int_{I} |T^{t} f_{2}(y) - P f_{2}(y)|^{p'} \omega(y)^{1-p'} dy\right)^{1/p'} 
\leq C \|f\|_{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{|I|} \int_{I} \omega dy\right)^{1-1/p'} \left(\frac{1}{|I|} \int_{I} \omega^{1-p'} dy\right)^{1/p'} \leq C \|f\|_{\infty}.$$

For  $T^t f_1$ , we have

$$\left(\frac{1}{\omega(I)} \int_{I} |T^{t} f_{1} - P_{I} T^{t} f_{1}|^{p'} \omega^{1-p'} dx\right)^{1/p'}$$

$$= \sup_{\substack{\sup \\ \sup a \subset I \\ (\omega(I)^{-1} \int_{I} |a|^{p} \omega dx)^{1/p} \leq \omega(I)^{-1}}} \left| \int_{I} (T^{t} f_{1}) a dx \right|$$

$$= \sup_{a \text{ a } (1,p)\text{-atom}} \left| \int_{I} f_{1} T a dx \right| \leq \sup_{a \text{ a } (1,p)\text{-atom}} \int_{I^{*}} |T a| dx \cdot ||f||_{\infty}.$$

Now for a a (1, p)-atom, we have

$$\begin{split} \int\limits_{I^*} |Ta| \, dx & \leq \Big( \int\limits_{I^*} |Ta|^q \omega^{1-q} \, dx \Big)^{1/q} \Big( \int\limits_{I^*} \omega \, dx \Big)^{1/q'} \\ & \leq C \omega(I)^{1/q'} \Big( \int\limits_{I} |Ta|^q \omega^{1-q} \, dx \Big)^{1/q} \leq C \omega(I)^{1/q'} \|a\|_{H^q(\omega)} \, . \end{split}$$

Following the same method as in [5, Chapter 2, §3], we get

$$||a||_{H^q(\omega)} \le C\omega(I)^{-1/q'}$$

(C does not depend on a). Thus

$$\left(\frac{1}{\omega(I)} \int_{I} |T^{t} f_{1} - P_{I} T^{t} f_{1}|^{p'} \omega^{1-p'} dx\right)^{1/p'} \leq C \|f\|_{\infty}.$$

Combining the two parts, we have proved

$$||T^t f||_{BMO_{\omega}} \le C||f||_{\infty}.$$

This means  $T^t: L^{\infty} \to BMO_{\omega}$ .

As an immediate consequence,  $T_b^t:L^\infty\to BMO_\omega$ . By duality, we have  $T_b:H^1(\omega)\to L^1$ .

Lemma 3.3. Let T be a continuous linear operator from test functions to distributions that is associated with a kernel K(x,y) which satisfies the second  $\omega$ -standard estimate (1.2). If  $T: L^{\infty} \to BMO_{\omega}$ , then  $T: H^{1}(\omega) \to L^{1}$ .

The proof of this lemma is almost the same as in [7, pp. 49–51]. For completeness, we present it here.

Proof. We need only estimate  $\int |Ta| dx$  for a a  $(1, \infty)$ -atom. Suppose a is a  $(1, \infty)$ -atom associated with an interval Q, and  $\overline{Q} = 4Q$ . Then

$$\int_{\overline{Q}^c} |Ta| \, dx = \int_{\overline{Q}^c} \left| \int_{Q} K(x,y)a(y) \, dy \right| dx \, .$$

Because  $\int x^k a dx = 0$  for k = 0, 1, ..., N, it follows that, for any  $y_0$  in  $2Q \setminus \frac{3}{2}Q$ ,

$$\begin{split} \int\limits_{\overline{Q}^c} |Ta| \, dx &= \int\limits_{\overline{Q}^c} \Big| \int\limits_{Q} \left( K(x,y) - T_{y_0} K(x,y) \right) a(y) \, dy \Big| \, dx \\ &\leq C \int\limits_{\overline{Q}^c} \int\limits_{Q} \frac{\omega_{|y-y_0|}(y)|y-y_0|^{\varepsilon}}{|x-y|^{n+\varepsilon}} |a(y)| \, dy \, dx \leq C \,, \end{split}$$

where C does not depend on a.

Let Q' be a cube of the same size as  $\overline{Q}$ , and such that Q' and  $\overline{Q}$  have a face in common. Because  $T: L^{\infty} \to BMO_{\omega}$ ,  $||Ta||_{BMO_{\omega}} \leq C/\omega(Q)$ . By the above calculation,

 $\int\limits_{Q'} |Ta| \, dx \le C$ 

Now,

$$\begin{split} &\frac{1}{\omega(\overline{Q})} \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} |Ta| \, dx \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\omega(\overline{Q})} \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} |Ta - P_{\overline{Q}}Ta| \, dx + \frac{1}{\omega(\overline{Q})} \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} |P_{\overline{Q}}Ta| \, dx \\ &\leq \left(\frac{1}{\omega(\overline{Q})} \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} |Ta - P_{\overline{Q}}Ta|^{p'} \omega^{1-p'} \, dx\right)^{1/p'} + \frac{1}{\omega(\overline{Q})} \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} |P_{\overline{Q}}Ta| \, dx \\ &\leq C ||a||_{\infty} + \frac{1}{\omega(\overline{Q})} \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} |P_{\overline{Q}}Ta| \, dx \\ &\leq C \omega(Q)^{-1} + \frac{1}{\omega(\overline{Q})} \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} |P_{\overline{Q}}Ta| \, dx \, , \end{split}$$

and

$$\begin{split} &\int\limits_{\overline{Q}} \, |P_{\overline{Q}}Ta| \, dx \\ &\leq \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} \, |P_{\overline{Q}}Ta - P_{Q'}Ta| \, dx + \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} \, |P_{Q'}Ta| \, dx \\ &\leq \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} \, |P_{Q'}(Ta - P_{\overline{\overline{Q}}}Ta)| \, dx + \int\limits_{\overline{\overline{Q}}} \, |P_{\overline{Q}}(Ta - P_{\overline{\overline{Q}}}Ta)| \, dx + \int\limits_{\overline{\overline{Q}}} \, |P_{Q'}Ta| \, dx, \end{split}$$

where  $\overline{\overline{Q}}$  is a cube containing  $\overline{Q} \cup Q'$  and with size comparable to Q. (For example,  $|\overline{\overline{Q}}| \leq 10^n |Q|$ .) Because

$$\int\limits_{\overline{Q}} |P_Q f| \, dx \le C \int\limits_{Q} |f| \, dx$$

for any  $\overline{Q} \supset Q$  and  $|\overline{Q}| \leq 2^n |Q|$ ,

$$\begin{split} \int\limits_{\overline{Q}} |P_{\overline{Q}}Ta| \, dx \\ & \leq C \bigg( \int\limits_{\overline{\overline{Q}}} |Ta - P_{\overline{\overline{Q}}}Ta| \, dx + \int\limits_{\overline{\overline{Q}}} |Ta - P_{\overline{\overline{Q}}}Ta| \, dx + \int\limits_{Q'} |Ta| \, dx \bigg) \\ & \leq C \|a\|_{\infty} \omega(\overline{\overline{\overline{Q}}}) + C \leq C \, . \end{split}$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{1}{\omega(\overline{Q})} \int_{\overline{Q}} |Ta| dx \leq C\omega(Q)^{-1} + C \frac{1}{\omega(\overline{Q})},$$

and then  $\int_{\overline{C}} |Ta| dx \leq C$ , which implies

$$\int |Ta| dx \le \int \limits_{\overline{O}} |Ta| dx + \int \limits_{\overline{O}^{\circ}} |Ta| dx \le C.$$

This proves

$$T: H^1(\omega) \to L^1$$
.

Up to now, we have proved that  $T_b: H^1(\omega) \to L^1$  and  $T_b^t: H^1(\omega) \to L^1$ . Take  $\phi, \psi$  as in Lemma 3.1 such that  $\int_0^\infty Q_t^2 \frac{dt}{t} = I$ ,  $\int \phi \, dx = 1$ , and b = T1,  $b_1 = T^t1$ . Then  $M = T - T_b - T_{b_1}^t$  satisfies  $M1 = M^t1 = 0$  and all the hypotheses of Theorem 2.1 except the first  $\omega$ -standard estimate (1.1). Therefore, it suffices to prove the sufficiency of Theorem 2.1 in the case

where T1 = 0, and  $T^{t}1 = 0$ . As in [3] and [4], we can write

$$T = \left(\int_{0}^{\infty} Q_{s}^{2} \frac{ds}{s}\right) T \left(\int_{0}^{\infty} Q_{t}^{2} \frac{dt}{t}\right)$$
$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} Q_{s}(Q_{s} T Q_{t}) Q_{t} \frac{dt}{t} \frac{ds}{s}.$$

The fact that  $T: H^1(\omega) \to L^1$  now follows from the following two lemmas.

LEMMA 3.4. Same notations and assumptions as in Theorem 2.1 and Lemma 3.1. Assume also that  $\phi, \psi$  satisfy the above hypotheses, and T1 = 0,  $T^t1 = 0$ . Then the kernel  $K_{s,t}(x,y)$  of  $Q_sTQ_t$  satisfies:

(1) for  $0 \le s \le t$ ,

$$|K_{s,t}(x,y)| \le \left(\frac{s}{t}\right)^{\varepsilon} \frac{t^{\varepsilon}}{(|x-y|+t)^{n+\varepsilon}} \omega_s(x),$$

(2) for  $0 \le t \le s$ ,

$$|K_{s,t}(x,y)| \le \left(\frac{t}{s}\right)^{\varepsilon} \frac{s^{\varepsilon}}{(|x-y|)^{n+\varepsilon}} \omega_t(x).$$

The proof of this lemma is the same as that of [3, Lemma 2.3], so we omit it.

Lemma 3.5. If  $K_{s,t}(x,y)$  satisfies the estimates in Lemma 3.4 and  $f \in H^{p'}(\omega)$ ,  $g \in L^p(\omega)$ , then

$$\begin{split} \int\limits_{0}^{\infty} \int\limits_{0}^{\infty} \int\limits_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} \int\limits_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} |Q_{s}g(x)| |K_{s,t}(x,y)| |Q_{t}f(y)| \, dx \, dy \, \frac{ds}{s} \, \frac{dt}{t} \\ & \leq C \|f\|_{H^{p'}(\omega)} \|g\|_{L^{p}(\omega)} \, . \end{split}$$

Proof. By assumption, the integral is controlled by

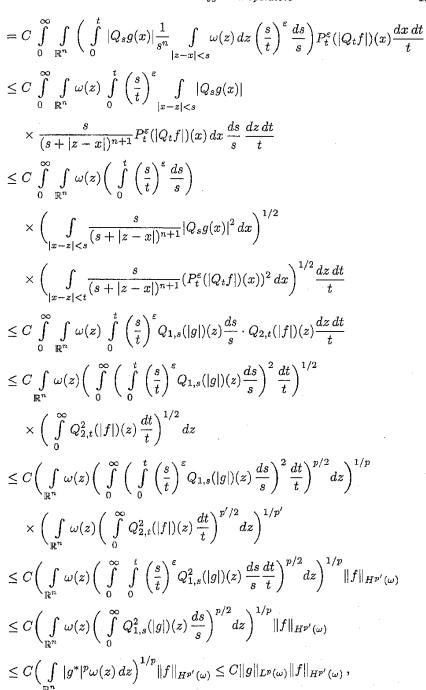
$$(3.6) \quad C \iint_{s < t} \iint_{\mathbb{R}^{2n}} |Q_s g(x)| \omega_s(x) \left(\frac{s}{t}\right)^{\varepsilon} \times \frac{t^{\varepsilon}}{(|x - y| + t)^{n + \varepsilon}} |Q_t f(y)| \, dx \, dy \, \frac{ds}{s} \, \frac{dt}{t}$$

plus an analogous term for s > t. Setting

$$P_t^{\varepsilon}h(x) = \int\limits_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{t^{\varepsilon}}{(|x-y|+t)^{n+\varepsilon}} h(y) \, dy \,,$$

we rewrite (3.6) and dominate it by

$$C\int_{0}^{\infty}\int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}}\int_{0}^{t}|Q_{s}g(x)|\omega_{s}(x)\left(\frac{s}{t}\right)^{\varepsilon}P_{t}^{\varepsilon}(|Q_{t}f|)(x)\frac{ds}{s}\frac{dx\,dt}{t}$$



because  $\omega \in A_p$ . The seventh and ninth inequalities are true according to the results in [2]. Now we have proved the sufficiency of Theorem 2.1. By Lemma 3.3 and duality, we obtain the sufficiency of Corollary 2.2.

The necessity of Theorem 2.1 and Corollary 2.2 is proved by using Lemma 3.3 and duality. Because  $T: H^1(\omega) \to L^1$ , by duality, we have  $T^t: L^\infty \to BMO_\omega$ , and then by Lemma 3.3, we have  $T^t: H^1(\omega) \to L^1$ , and so  $T: L^\infty \to BMO_\omega$ . Therefore,  $T1 \in BMO_\omega$  and  $T^t1 \in BMO_\omega$ .

The fact that T satisfies the  $\omega\text{-}WBP$  is an easy consequence of  $T:H^1(\omega)\to L^1.$ 

4. The Calderón–Zygmund theory for  $\omega$ -CZO. The interpolation result in [9, Chapter 2, §3] enables us to establish the Calderón–Zygmund theory for  $\omega$ -CZO.

THEOREM 4.1. Suppose that  $\omega \in A_{\infty}$ . Let T be a continuous linear operator from test functions to distributions that is associated with an  $\omega$ -standard kernel. Suppose further that  $T: H^1(\omega) \to L^1$ . Then  $T: H^p(\omega) \to (H^{p'}(\omega))^*$  for 1 , where <math>1/p + 1/p' = 1 and  $(H^{p'}(\omega))^*$  is the dual space of  $H^{p'}(\omega)$ . Precisely, we have

(4.2) 
$$\int \left( \sum_{2I \ni x} \left( (Tf)_I \frac{|I|}{\omega(I)} \right)^2 |I|^{-1} \right)^{p/2} \omega(x) \, dx \le C \|f\|_{H^p(\omega)}^p$$

where  $(Tf)_I = \int Tf \psi_I dx$  with the notations as in [9, Chapter 2].

Proof. By Corollary 2.2, we have  $T: L^{\infty} \to BMO_{\omega}$ . Applying Tom Wolff's theorem [8] and the interpolation result in [9], we obtain  $[H^{1}(\omega), L^{\infty}]_{\theta} = H^{p}(\omega)$ , where  $1/p = 1 - \theta$ . By the duality theorem and the reiteration theorem [1] and Tom Wolff's theorem [8],

$$[L^1, BMO_{\omega}]^{\theta} \subset [(L^{\infty})^*, BMO_{\omega}]^{\theta} = [(L^{\infty})^*, (H^1(\omega))^*]^{\theta}$$
$$= (H^r(\omega))^* = [L^1, BMO_{\omega}]_{\theta},$$

where  $1/r = \theta$ . Therefore we have  $T: H^p(\omega) \to (H^{p'}(\omega))^*$ , where 1 , <math>1/p + 1/p' = 1. (4.2) is a direct consequence of the duality result in [9].

## References

- [1] J. Bergh and J. Löfström, Interpolation Spaces, Springer, New York, 1976.
- [2] D. L. Burkholder, Martingale theory and harmonic analysis in Euclidean spaces, in: Proc. Sympos. Pure Math. 35, Part 2, Amer. Math. Soc., 1979, 283-301.
- [3] R. Coifman, G. David, Y. Meyer and S. Semmes, w-Calderón-Zygmund operators, in: Lecture Notes in Math. 1384, Springer, 1989, 132-145.
- [4] G. David and J.-L. Journé, A boundedness criterion for generalized Calderón-Zygmund operators, Ann. of Math. 120 (1984), 371-397.



- [5] J. García-Cuerva, Weighted H<sup>p</sup>-spaces, Dissertationes Math. 162 (1979).
- J. García-Cuerva and J. L. Rubio de Francia, Weighted Norm Inequalities and Related Topics, North-Holland, 1985.
- [7] J.-L. Journé, Calderón-Zygmund Operators, Pseudo-Differential Operators and the Cauchy Integral of Calderón, Lecture Notes in Math. 994, Springer, 1983.
- [8] T. H. Wolff, A note on interpolation spaces, in: Lecture Notes in Math. 908, Springer, 1981, 199-204.
- [9] S. Wu, A wavelet characterization for weighted Hardy spaces, Rev. Mat. Iberoamericana 8 (1992), 329-349.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY EVANSTON, ILLINOIS 60208 U.S.A.

> Received August 18, 1992 Revised version November 2, 1993

(2986)