

ON HANKEL TYPE CONVOLUTION OPERATORS

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Abstract

Let $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ be the Zemanian type space of Hankel transformable generalised functions and let $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ be the space of Hankel convolution operators for $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$. This $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ is the dual of a subspace $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ of $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ for which $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ is also the space of Hankel convolution. In this paper the elements of $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ are characterised as those in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ and in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta})$ that commute with Hankel translations. Moreover, necessary and sufficient condition on the generalised Hankel type transform $h'_{\alpha,\beta}S$ of $S \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ are established in order that every $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ such that $S * T \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ lie in $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$.

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1. Introduction

Following Zemanian [6], we denote by $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ the space of Hankel transformable functions, $(\alpha - \beta) \in \mathbb{R}$. $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ consists of all those infinitely differentiable functions $\phi = \phi(x)$ defined on $I = (0, \infty)$ such that

$$\rho_{m,k}^{\alpha,\beta} = \sup_{x \in I} |(1 + x^2)^m (x^{-1} D)^k x^{2\beta-1} \phi(x)| < \infty, \quad m, k \in \mathbb{N}.$$

$\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ being a Frechet Space when endowed with the topology generated by the family of seminorms $\{\rho_{m,k}^{\alpha,\beta}\}_{(m,k) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}}$. The Hankel type transformation

$$(h_{\alpha,\beta}\phi)(t) = \int_0^\infty \phi(x) (xt)^{\alpha+\beta} J_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) dx$$

is an automorphism of $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$; provided $(\alpha - \beta) \geq -\frac{1}{2}$, where $J_{\alpha-\beta}$ denotes the Bessel type function of first kind and of order $(\alpha - \beta)$. If $(\alpha - \beta) \geq -\frac{1}{2}$, the generalized Hankel type transformation $h'_{\alpha,\beta}$ is defined on $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$, the dual space of $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ as the adjoint of $h_{\alpha,\beta}$. Then $h'_{\alpha,\beta}$ is an automorphism of $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$.

Following [1],[2] and [4], for $(\alpha - \beta) \geq -\frac{1}{2}$, we introduce the subspace $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ of $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ as the space of all those $T \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ such that $\theta(x) = x^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(x)$ is a smooth function on I with the property that for every $k \in \mathbb{N}$ there exists $n_k \in \mathbb{N}$ satisfying

$$\sup_{x \in I} |(1 + x^2)^{-n_k} (x^{-1} D)^k \phi(x)| < \infty.$$

Clearly, $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ is a subspace of $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$. The space O of all those smooth functions $\theta = \theta(x)$ on I possessing the above property turns out to be the space of multiplication operators on $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ and on $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ ($(\alpha - \beta) \in \mathbb{R}$), whereas $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ is the space of convolution operators on $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ and on $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ ($(\alpha - \beta) \geq -1/2$).

Throughout this paper we shall always assume that $(\alpha - \beta)$ is a real number $\geq -1/2$ and, unless otherwise stated, that $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ is endowed with its weak* topology.

2. Characterization of $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ and in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta})$

Let $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ (respectively, $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta})$) denote the space of all linear continuous operator from $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ (resp. $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$) into itself. The characterization of elements in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ and in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta})$ that commute with Hankel type translation is our first objective.

We recall that the Hankel type translation $\tau_x \phi$ of $\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ by $x \in I$ is defined as

$$(\tau_x \phi)(y) = \int_0^\infty \phi(z) D_{\alpha,\beta}(x, y, z) dz, \quad y \in I,$$

where,

$$D_{\alpha,\beta}(x, y, z) = \int_0^\infty t^{2\beta-1} j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) j_{\alpha-\beta}(yt) j_{\alpha-\beta}(zt) dt, \quad x, y, z \in I,$$

and $j_{\alpha-\beta}(z) = z^{\alpha+\beta} J_{\alpha-\beta}(z)$, ($z \in I$). The map $\phi \mapsto \tau_x \phi$ is a continuous endomorphism of $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$.

Further

$$(h_{\alpha,\beta} \tau_x \phi)(t) = t^{2\beta-1} j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) (h_{\alpha,\beta} \phi)(t), \quad t \in I \quad (2.1)$$

whenever $\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ and $x \in I$.

If $u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ and $x \in I$, we define $\tau_x u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ by transposition:

$$\langle \tau_x u, \phi \rangle = \langle u, \tau_x \phi \rangle, \quad \phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}. \quad (2.2)$$

The following analogue of (2.1) holds for the generalized translation (2.2).

Lemma 2.1. *Let $u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ and $x \in I$. Then*

$$(h'_{\alpha,\beta} \tau_x u)(t) = t^{2\beta-1} j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u)(t), \quad t \in I.$$

Proof. Let $u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$, $x \in I$ and $\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$. Then a combination of (2.1) and (2.2) gives

$$\begin{aligned} \langle h'_{\alpha,\beta} \tau_x u, h_{\alpha,\beta} \phi \rangle &= \langle \tau_x u, \phi \rangle = \langle u, \tau_x \phi \rangle = \langle h'_{\alpha,\beta} u, h_{\alpha,\beta} \tau_x \phi \rangle \\ &= \langle (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u)(t), t^{2\beta-1} j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) (h_{\alpha,\beta} \phi)(t) \rangle \\ &= \langle t^{2\beta-1} j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u)(t), (h'_{\alpha,\beta} \phi)(t) \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. The classical Hankel convolution $\phi * \psi$ of $\phi, \psi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ is the function

$$\phi * \psi(x) = \int_0^\infty \phi(y) (\tau_x \psi)(y) dy, \quad x \in I.$$

The map $(\phi, \psi) \mapsto \phi * \psi$ is continuous from $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta} \times \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ into $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$. The generalized Hankel type convolution $u * \phi$ of $u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ and $\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ is the distribution given by

$$\langle u * \phi, \psi \rangle = \langle u, \phi * \psi \rangle, \quad \psi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}.$$

The map $(u, \phi) \mapsto u * \phi$ is separately continuous from $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta} \times \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ into $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$, when $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ is endowed either with its weak* or its strong topology.

Finally, for $u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ and $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$, the generalized function $u * T \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ defined as

$$\langle u * T, \phi \rangle = \langle u, T * \phi \rangle, \quad \phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}. \quad (2.3)$$

Note that each of these definitions, extends the previous one. Moreover,

$$(h'_{\alpha,\beta} u * T)(t) = t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u)(t), \quad t \in I \quad (2.4)$$

whenever $u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ and $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$.

If $C_{\alpha,\beta} = 2^{\alpha-\beta} \Gamma(3\alpha + \beta)$ then the element $\delta_{\alpha-\beta}$ of $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ given by

$$\langle \delta_{\alpha-\beta}, \phi \rangle = C_{\alpha,\beta} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^{2\beta-1} \phi(x), \quad \phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$$

is an identity for (2.3).

The generalized *-convolution commutes with Hankel type translations:

Lemma 2.2. *Let $u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ and $x \in I$. If $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$, then*

$$\tau_x (u * T) = (\tau_x u) * T = u * (\tau_x T).$$

Proof. Since $h'_{\alpha,\beta}$ is an automorphism of $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$, we prove the lemma by fixing $t \in I$ and using Lemma 2.1, along with (2.4) to write,

$$\begin{aligned} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} \tau_x (u * T))(t) &= t^{2\beta-1} j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u * T)(t) &= t^{4\beta-2} j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u)(t), \\ (h'_{\alpha,\beta} (\tau_x u) * T)(t) &= t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} \tau_x u)(t) &= t^{4\beta-2} j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u)(t), \\ (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u * (\tau_x T))(t) &= t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} \tau_x T)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u)(t) &= t^{4\beta-2} j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} u)(t). \end{aligned}$$

Thus proof is completed. Now we are ready to prove the following theorem.

Theorem 2.1. If $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ and L is the element of $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ defined by

$$L\phi = T * \phi, \quad \phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}, \quad (2.5)$$

then

$$\tau_x L = L \tau_x, \quad x \in I. \quad (2.6)$$

conversely, if $L \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ satisfies (2.6) then there exists a unique $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ for which (2.5) holds.

Proof. Let $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$. The fact that $L \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ defined by (2.5) satisfies (2.6) is contained in Lemma 2.2. On the other hand, assume that $L \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ is such that (2.6) holds, and define $T \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ by

$$\langle T, \phi \rangle = \langle \delta_{\alpha-\beta}, L\phi \rangle, \quad \phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} (T * \phi)(x) &= \langle T, \tau_x \phi \rangle = \langle \delta_{\alpha-\beta}, L \tau_x \phi \rangle = \langle \delta_{\alpha-\beta}, \tau_x L \phi \rangle \\ &= (\delta_{\alpha-\beta} * L\phi)(x) = (L\phi)(x), \quad x \in I, \end{aligned}$$

whenever $\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, which proves (2.5). As $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ is the space of convolution operators of $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, it follows from (2.5) that $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$. As to the uniqueness assertion, note that if $S \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ is such that $S * \phi = 0$ for every $\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, then $S = 0$. In fact, $S * \phi = 0$ ($\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$) and (2.4) imply $t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S) \psi(t) = 0$, ($\psi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, $t \in I$). By particularizing $\psi(t) = t^{2\alpha} e^{-t^2}$ ($t \in I$) we find that $t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) = 0$, whence $(h'_{\alpha,\beta} S) = 0$ and $S = 0$. This completes the proof. The following result will help in characterising the elements of $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ as those in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ that commute with Hankel type translations.

Lemma 2.3. The linear hull of the set of generalized functions of the form $\tau_x \delta_{\alpha-\beta}$ ($x \in I$) is weakly* dense in $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$.

Proof. As $(h'_{\alpha,\beta} \delta_{\alpha-\beta})(t) = t^{2\alpha}$ ($t \in I$) by Lemma 2.1, we have

$$(h'_{\alpha,\beta} \tau_x \delta_{\alpha-\beta})(t) = j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt), \quad x, t \in I.$$

If $\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ does not vanish identically then there exists $x \in I$ such that $\phi(x) \neq 0$ and hence

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \tau_x \delta_{\alpha-\beta}, \phi \rangle &= \langle h'_{\alpha,\beta} \tau_x \delta_{\alpha-\beta}, h_{\alpha,\beta} \phi \rangle \\ &= \int_0^\infty (h_{\alpha,\beta} \phi)(t) j_{\alpha-\beta}(xt) dt = \phi(x) \neq 0. \end{aligned}$$

This shows that the subset $\{\tau_x \delta_{\alpha-\beta}\}_{x \in I}$ of $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ separates points in $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$. By [3], problem $W(b)$, this family is total in $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ with respect to the weak* topology. Thus proof is completed.

Theorem 2.2. If $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ and $L \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta})$ is defined by

$$Lu = u * T, \quad u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}, \quad (2.7)$$

then

$$\tau_x L = L \tau_x, \quad x \in I, \quad (2.8)$$

and also

$$L \delta_{\alpha-\beta} \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}. \quad (2.9)$$

Conversely, given $L \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta})$ satisfying (2.8) and (2.9), a unique $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ may be found so that (2.7) holds.

Proof. Note that L given by (2.7) satisfies (2.8) is a consequence of Lemma 2.2. Clearly it also satisfies (2.9). Conversely, Let $L \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta})$ be such that both (2.8) and (2.9) hold. Then

$$L(u * \delta_{\alpha-\beta}) = u * (L \delta_{\alpha-\beta}), \quad u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}. \quad (2.10)$$

To demonstrate (2.10), define from $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ into $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ the linear map

$$\Lambda u = L(u * \delta_{\alpha-\beta}) - u * (L \delta_{\alpha-\beta}), \quad u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}.$$

The definition of Λ is consistent by virtue of (2.9). Since $\Lambda \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta})$, its kernel is a closed subspace of $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$. In view of (2.8) this kernel contains $\tau_x \delta_{\alpha-\beta}$ ($x \in I$), and hence (Lemma 2.3) it is also dense in $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$. Therefore (2.10) holds.

Now, letting $T = L \delta_{\alpha-\beta}$ we have

$$u * T = u * (L \delta_{\alpha-\beta}) = L(u * \delta_{\alpha-\beta}) = Lu,$$

which proves (2.7).

As to the uniqueness assertion, assume that $S \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ is not the zero distribution, so that $\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ exists for which $S * \phi \neq 0$. Since $\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ separates points in $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ we may find $u \in \mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta}$ such that

$$\langle u * S, \phi \rangle = \langle u, S * \phi \rangle \neq 0.$$

This completes the proof.

3. A property of convolution operators

Motivated by Theorem 2 in [5], our aim in this section is to prove the following theorem.

Theorem 3.1. *Let $(\alpha - \beta) \geq -1/2$. For $S \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$, the following are equivalent:*

(i) *To every $k \in \mathbb{N}$ there correspond $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$ and a positive constant M , such that*

$$\max_{0 \leq l \leq m} \sup \left\{ \left| (t^{-1} D)^l t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \right| : t \in I, |x-t| \leq (1+x^2)^{-k} \right\} \geq (1+x^2)^{-n},$$

whenever $x \in I, x \geq M$.

(ii) *If $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ and $S * T \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, then $T \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$.*

Proof. Suppose that (ii) is not satisfied. Then there exist $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ such that $S * T \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, but $T \notin \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$. This shows that $t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \in O$, $t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, and $h'_{\alpha,\beta} T \notin \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$.

As both $t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t)$ and $t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t)$ lie in O , to every $t \in \mathbb{N}$ there correspond $r_l \in \mathbb{N}$, $M_l > 0$ satisfying

$$\left| (t^{-1} D)^l t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \right| \leq M_l (1+t^2)^{r_l}, \quad t \in I, \quad (3.1)$$

and $s_l \in \mathbb{N}$, $N_l > 0$ satisfying

$$\left| (t^{-1} D)^l t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| \leq N_l (1+t^2)^{s_l}, \quad t \in I. \quad (3.2)$$

Moreover, as $h'_{\alpha,\beta} T \notin \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, there are $l_0, n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ and a sequence $\{t_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}}$ in I , such that $t_j \rightarrow \infty$ as $j \rightarrow \infty$ and

$$\left| (t^{-1} D)^{l_0} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \Big|_{t=t_j} \right| \geq (1+t_j^2)^{-n_0}, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}. \quad (3.3)$$

Set $k = s_{l_0+1} + n_0 + 2$, and define

$$B_{j,k} = \{t \in I : |t - t_j| \leq (1+t_j^2)^{-k}\}, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}. \quad (3.4)$$

From (3.2) and (3.3) we can infer that, for sufficiently large j ,

$$\inf_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| (t^{-1} D)^{l_0} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| \geq \frac{1}{2} (1+t_j^2)^{-n_0} > 0. \quad (3.5)$$

Indeed, if j is large enough and if $t \in B_{j,k}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| (t^{-1} D)^{l_0} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| \\ & \geq \left| (y^{-1} D)^{l_0} y^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(y) \Big|_{y=t_j} \right| - (t_j + (1+t_j^2)^{-k}) (1+t_j^2)^{-k} \sup_{y \in B_{j,k}} \left| (y^{-1} D)^{l_0+1} y^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(y) \right| \\ & \geq (1+t_j^2)^{-n_0} - C (1+t_j^2)^{s_{l_0+1}-k+1} \\ & = (1+t_j^2)^{-n_0} - C (1+t_j^2)^{-n_0-1}, \end{aligned}$$

where $C > 0$ is a constant independent from j . This proves (3.5).

Now $t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, and therefore

$$\sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| (t^{-1} D)^l t^{4\beta-2} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| = O\left((1+t_j^2)^{-n}\right), \quad l, n \in \mathbb{N}, j \rightarrow \infty. \quad (3.6)$$

Clearly, For fixed $l, n \in \mathbb{N}$ we may write

$$\begin{aligned} & \sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| (t^{-1} D)^l t^{4\beta-2} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| \\ &= \sup_{|t| \leq (1+t_j^2)^{-k}} \left| (y^{-1} D)^l y^{4\beta-2} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(y) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(y) \Big|_{y=t+t_j} \right| \\ &\leq C_{n,l} \sup_{|t| \leq (1+t_j^2)^{-k}} \left| (1 + (t + t_j)^2)^{-n} \right| \leq C_{n,l} \left| (1 + t_j^2 - (1 + t_j^2)^{-k})^{-n} \right|, \end{aligned}$$

where $C_{n,l} > 0$ is a constant, and the right hand side of this inequality is clearly $O\left((1 + t_j^2)^{-n}\right)$ as $j \rightarrow \infty$.

Next we prove that

$$\max_{0 \leq l \leq m} \sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| (t^{-1} D)^l t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \right| = O\left((1 + t_j^2)^{-n}\right), \quad m, n \in \mathbb{N}, j \rightarrow \infty, \quad (3.7)$$

a contradiction to (i). In the sequel, n will denote an arbitrary positive integer.

We first assume that $l_0 = 0$ and proceed by induction on m . In view of (3.5) and (3.6), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \right| &\leq 2(1 + t_j^2)^{-n_0} \sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| t^{4\beta-2} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| \\ &= O\left((1 + t_j^2)^{-n}\right), \quad j \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, condition (3.7) is satisfied for $m = 0$.

Now suppose that (3.7) holds for some m . We must prove that it also holds for $m + 1$.

By Leibnitz's rule,

$$\begin{aligned} & t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) (t^{-1} D)^{m+1} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{m+1} (-1)^i \binom{m+1}{i} (t^{-1} D)^{m+1-i} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (t^{-1} D)^i t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t), \quad t \in I. \end{aligned}$$

Bearing in mind (3.2), (3.6) and the induction hypothesis, we find that

$$\sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| (t^{-1} D)^{m+1-i} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (t^{-1} D)^i t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| = O\left((1 + t_j^2)^{-n}\right),$$

as $j \rightarrow \infty$, whenever $0 \leq i \leq m + 1$. Consequently

$$t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) (t^{-1} D)^{m+1} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t)$$

satisfies this very estimate, and from (3.5) we conclude

$$\begin{aligned} & \sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| (t^{-1} D)^{m+1} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \right| \\ &\leq 2(1 + t_j^2)^{-n_0} \sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) (t^{-1} D)^{m-1} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \right| \\ &= O\left((1 + t_j^2)^{-n}\right), \quad j \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$

This shows that (3.7) holds when $l_0 = 0$. Next, assume that $l_0 \neq 0$ and l_0 is the smallest positive integer for which $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ and a sequence $\{t_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}}$ in I may be found so that (3.3) (and hence (3.5), with large enough j) is satisfied.

This means that

$$(t^{-1} D)^l t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) = O\left((1 + t_j^2)^{-n}\right), \quad l < l_0, t \rightarrow \infty.$$

Arguing as in the proof of (3.6) we are led to

$$\sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| (t^{-1} D)^l t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| = O\left((1 + t_j^2)^{-n}\right), \quad l < l_0, j \rightarrow \infty. \quad (3.8)$$

By virtue of Leibnitz's rule,

$$\begin{aligned} & t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (t^{-1} D)^{l_0} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \\ &= \sum_{l=0}^{l_0} (-1)^l \binom{l_0}{l} (t^{-1} D)^{l_0-l} \left(t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t^{-1} D)^l t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S) \right)(t), \quad t \in I. \end{aligned}$$

Then, from (3.1), (3.6) and (3.8) it follows that

$$\sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (t^{-1} D)^{l_0} t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| = O\left((1+t_j^2)^{-n}\right), \quad j \rightarrow \infty. \quad (3.9)$$

Finally, using (3.5), (3.6) and (3.9) we obtain (3.7) by an argument similar to that employed in the case $l_0 = 0$. This completes the proof that (i) implies (ii).

Conversely, suppose that (i) does not hold. Then there exist $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and a sequence $\{t_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}}$ in I , with $t_j \rightarrow \infty$ as $j \rightarrow \infty$ such that

$$\max_{0 \leq l \leq j} \sup_{t \in B_{j,k}} \left| (t^{-1} D)^l t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \right| < (1+t_j^2)^{-j}, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}; \quad (3.10)$$

where the sets $B_{j,k}$ are given by (3.4). There is no loss of generality in assuming that $t_0 > 1$ and $t_{j+1} > t_j + 1$. Let $a \in \mathcal{D}(I)$ be such that $0 \leq a \leq 1$, $\text{supp } a = [1/2, 3/2]$ and $a(1) = 1$, and set

$$\theta_j(t) = a \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}(t-t_j)(1+t_j^2)^k \right), \quad \theta(t) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \theta_j(t), \quad t \in I.$$

The sum defining θ is finite, because $\text{supp } \theta_j = B_{j,k}$ ($j \in \mathbb{N}$) and $B_{i,k} \cap B_{j,k} = \emptyset$ ($i, j \in \mathbb{N}$, $i \neq j$). If $l, j \in \mathbb{N}$ and $t \in B_{j,k}$ then for some $a_m \in \mathbb{R}$ ($0 \leq m \leq l$), we have

$$\begin{aligned} |(t^{-1} D)^l \theta(t)| &= |(t^{-1} D)^l \theta_j(t)| \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^l |a_m t^{-l-m} D^m \theta_j(t)| \\ &\leq 2^{l+m} \sum_{m=0}^l |a_m D^m \theta_j(t)| \\ &\leq C_l 2^{-kl} (1+t_j^2)^{kl} \sum_{m=0}^l |D^m \theta_j(y)|_{y=1+\frac{1}{2}(t-t_j)(1+t_j^2)^k} \\ &\leq C_l (1+t_j^2)^{kl} \leq C_l (1+t^2)^{kl}, \end{aligned}$$

where $C_l > 0$ denotes an appropriate constant (not necessarily the same in each occurrence). Then

$$|(t^{-1} D)^l \theta(t)| \leq C_l (1+t^2)^{kl}, \quad t \in I, \quad (3.11)$$

thus proving that $\theta \in \mathcal{O}$. Thus, there exist $T \in \mathcal{O}'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ such that $(h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) = t^{2\alpha} \theta(t)$, $t \in I$.

Let $n, l \in \mathbb{N}$. Thus function

$$(1+t^2)^n (t^{-1} D)^l t^{4\beta-2} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t), \quad t \in I$$

is bounded on the interval $0 < t < t_{n+kl} - (1+t_{n+kl}^2)^{-k}$. Letting $j = n + kl + r$ ($r \in \mathbb{N}$) and $t \in B_{j,k}$, Leibnitz rule, along with (3.10) and (3.11), implies

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| (1+t^2)^n (t^{-1} D)^l t^{4\beta-2} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \right| \\ &= \left| (1+t^2)^n (t^{-1} D)^l t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) \theta(t) \right| \\ &\leq C (1+t^2)^{n+kl} (1+t_j^2)^{-n-kl} \leq C, \end{aligned}$$

where $C > 0$ is a suitable constant (concerning the value of C , we make the same convolution as before). This shows that

$$t^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} S)(t) (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t) \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}. \quad \text{But } h'_{\alpha,\beta} T \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta},$$

Since

$$t_j^{2\beta-1} (h'_{\alpha,\beta} T)(t_j) = a(1) = 1; \quad \text{as } t_j \rightarrow \infty \quad (j \rightarrow \infty).$$

We conclude that $T \in \mathcal{O}'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ and that $S * T \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ although $T \notin \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ which contradict (ii) and completes the proof.

4. Conclusion

In the present research article, we have accomplished two major objectives regarding Hankel type convolution operator. Firstly, $O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ elements are defined as those in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta})$ and in $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}'_{\alpha,\beta})$ that commute with Hankel translations. Furthermore, we obtain certain results that aid in proving the objective.

Secondly, To ensure that every $T \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ such that $S * T \in \mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$ lie in $\mathcal{H}_{\alpha,\beta}$, necessary and sufficient conditions on the generalised Hankel type transform $h'_{\alpha,\beta}S$ of $S \in O'_{\alpha,\beta,*}$ are established.

The findings of this research may be significant for areas in engineering, physics and mathematics.

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