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0. Introduction.

Consider a linear differential operator in \mathbf{R}^n ,

$$P(\lambda, D) = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m} a_\alpha(\lambda) D^\alpha : D = -i\partial, \partial = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_n} \right),$$

where the coefficients $a_\alpha(\lambda)$ – constant with respect to the variable of differentiation x – may depend analytically on a parameter λ in a complex manifold Λ . We assume that $P(\lambda, D)$ is equally strong for each $\lambda \in \Lambda$.

In [H2], p. 59 L. Hörmander posed the question whether under these conditions there exists a fundamental solution f_λ of $P(\lambda, D)$ which depends analytically on λ . In 1962 F. Trèves [T2] had shown that this is true locally in Λ and that the assumption of constant strength is necessary for this to hold [T1]. Recently the author could construct a global solution in the hypoelliptic case [M]. The proof of this result based on the fact that for each compact subset Λ' of Λ there exists an integration contour in \mathbf{C}^n which yields fundamental solutions of $P(\lambda, D)$ simultaneously for all $\lambda \in \Lambda'$. In a second step we could apply a theorem of J. Leiterer [L] to obtain a global solution f_λ by means of a Mittag-Leffler procedure.

The aim of the present paper is to eliminate the assumption of hypoellipticity. In section 1 we show that also in the general case one can

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always find a uniform integration contour $H_{\Lambda'}$ for all λ in a compact subset Λ' of Λ . As a consequence we obtain an explicit formula for $f_\lambda : \lambda \in \Lambda'$. Our proof uses some ideas of Hörmander [H2] concerning asymptotic properties of multivariate polynomials. The rest of this article is essentially an adaptation of the methods of [M]: in section 2 certain distribution spaces are introduced by means of the contours $H_{\Lambda'}$. These spaces constitute the setting for our application of the Leiterer theorem [L]. Section 3 contains the statements and proofs of our main results. We consider the equation $P(\lambda, D)f_\lambda = g_\lambda$ where g_λ is a given analytic function of λ with values in some distribution space and prove the existence of a solution f_λ which also depends analytically on λ . In the special case $g_\lambda \equiv \delta$ (the Dirac distribution) we obtain a solution to the problem described above.

1. Construction of a uniform integration contour.

We begin by fixing some notations: for any $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ let

$$\text{Pol}(n, m) := \{P \in \mathbb{C}[x_1, \dots, x_n] \mid \deg P \leq m\};$$

$$\text{Pol}'(n, m) := \{P \in \text{Pol}(n, m) \mid \deg P = m\}.$$

If $P, Q \in \mathbb{C}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ then we write

$$\delta_P(\xi) := \text{dist}(\xi, \{\zeta \in \mathbb{C}^n \mid P(\zeta) = 0\}) : \quad \xi \in \mathbb{C}^n;$$

$$\tilde{P}(\xi, t) := \sum_{\alpha} t^{|\alpha|} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)| : \quad \xi \in \mathbb{C}^n, t > 0,$$

where $|\alpha| := \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j$ and $P^{(\alpha)} := \partial^\alpha P$;

$$\tilde{P}(\xi) := \tilde{P}(\xi, 1);$$

$$P < Q : \iff \sup\{\tilde{P}(\xi)/\tilde{Q}(\xi) \mid \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n\} < \infty;$$

$$P \sim W : \iff P < Q \wedge Q < P;$$

$$\mathbf{W}(Q) := \{P \in \mathbb{C}[x_1, \dots, x_n] \mid P < Q\};$$

$$\mathbf{E}(Q) := \{P \in \mathbb{C}[x_1, \dots, x_n] \mid P \sim Q\}.$$

1.1. Remarks.

(i) Note that our definition of $\tilde{P}(\xi, t)$ differs from that of Hörmander [H2], §10.4, who used the notation $\tilde{P}(\xi, t) := \left(\sum_{\alpha} t^{2|\alpha|} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)|^2\right)^{1/2}$.

According to [H2], 10.4.3 we have

$$P < Q \iff \sup\{\tilde{P}(\xi, t)/\tilde{Q}(\xi, t) \mid \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n, t \geq 1\} < \infty .$$

In this case we say that P is weaker than Q . If $P \sim Q$ then we say that P and Q are equally strong.

(ii) $P < Q \implies \deg P \leq \deg Q$. This is clear by definition of \tilde{P} . In particular, $\mathbf{W}(Q)$ is a finite-dimensional complex vector space (consequence of [H2], 10.4.1).

(iii) $\mathbf{E}(Q)$ is a linearly convex, open subset of $\mathbf{W}(Q)$ ([H2], 10.4.7). For our purposes it suffices to know that $\mathbf{E}(Q)$ is holomorphically convex (cf. [M]).

We assume the integers n, m to be fixed throughout this paper. The letters c, C denote positive constants which only depend on n and m . We use the notations

$$|\xi| := \sum |\xi_j|, \quad |\xi|_\infty := \max |\xi_j| : \quad \xi = (\xi_1, \dots, \xi_n) \in \mathbb{C}^n .$$

For $\mathbf{K} = \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}$ and $\rho \geq 0$ let

$$\mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{K}^n}(\rho) := \{\xi \in \mathbf{K}^n \mid |\xi|_\infty \leq \rho\} .$$

In the case $\rho = 1$ we simply write $\mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{K}^n}$. Further let

$$\mathbf{T}^r := \{z \in \mathbb{C}^r \mid |z_1| = \dots = |z_r| = 1\} \text{ if } r \in \mathbb{N} .$$

1.2. THEOREM. — Let $Q \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$, $\Pi \subseteq \mathbf{E}(Q)$ be a compact set and $\rho \geq 0$. Then there exists $A \geq 1$ and a bounded measurable function $\eta : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ such that

$$(1.1) \quad \tilde{P}(\xi) \leq A|P(\xi + \zeta + z\eta(\xi))| : \quad P \in \Pi, \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n, \zeta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbb{C}^n}(\rho), z \in \mathbf{T}^1 .$$

Our proof of this theorem is long and will occupy the rest of this section. First it requires a detailed study of the function $\tilde{P}(\xi, t)$:

1.3. LEMMA. — Let $Q \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$ and $\Pi \subseteq \mathbf{E}(Q)$ be compact. Then there exists $B \geq 1$ such that

$$(1.2) \quad B^{-1} \leq \tilde{P}(\xi, t)/\tilde{Q}(\xi, t) \leq B : \quad P \in \Pi, \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n, t \geq 1 .$$

Proof. — By 1.1 (i) the expression $N_Q(P) := \sup\{\tilde{P}(\xi, t)/\tilde{Q}(\xi, t) \mid \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n, t \geq 1\}$ defines a norm on $\mathbf{W}(Q)$. Now let $R \in \Pi$ be fixed. Since $Q < R$ we have

$$b_R := \inf\{\tilde{R}(\xi, t)/\tilde{Q}(\xi, t) \mid \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n, t \geq 1\} > 0 .$$

For any $P \in \omega_R := \{P \in \mathbf{W}(Q) \mid N_Q(R - P) < b_R/2\}$ we get

$$\frac{\tilde{P}(\xi, t)}{\tilde{Q}(\xi, t)} \geq \frac{\tilde{R}(\xi, t) - (R - P)^\sim(\xi, t)}{\tilde{Q}(\xi, \tau)} > b_R/2 : \quad \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, t \geq 1.$$

Since ω_R is an open neighborhood of R it follows from the compactness of Π that there exists $b_0 > 0$ with

$$\tilde{P}(\xi, t) \geq b_0 \tilde{Q}(\xi, t) : \quad P \in \Pi, \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, t \geq 1.$$

On the other hand the boundedness of Π implies that

$$B_0 := \sup\{N_Q(P) \mid P \in \Pi\} < \infty,$$

hence

$$\tilde{P}(\xi, t) \leq B_0 \tilde{Q}(\xi, t) : \quad P \in \Pi, \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, t \geq 1.$$

With $B := \max\{1/b_0, B_0\}$ the assertion follows. □

1.4. LEMMA (cf. [H2], 11.1.4). — *There exists $C \geq 1$ such that for any $P \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$ the following holds :*

$$(1.3) \quad |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)| \delta_P(\xi)^{|\alpha|} \leq C |P(\xi)| : \quad \xi \in \mathbf{C}^n, |\alpha| \leq m.$$

$$(1.4) \quad C^{-1} \leq \delta_P(\xi) \sum_{\alpha \neq 0} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)/P(\xi)|^{1/|\alpha|} \leq C : \quad \xi \in \mathbf{C}^n, P(\xi) \neq 0.$$

$$(1.5) \quad |P(\xi)| \leq \tilde{P}(\xi, \delta_P(\xi)) \leq C |P(\xi)| : \quad \xi \in \mathbf{C}^n.$$

Proof. — (1.4) is due to Hörmander [H2], 11.1.4. (1.5) is a consequence of (1.3) which follows from (1.4). □

1.5. LEMMA (cf. [H2], 11.1.9). — *There exists $c > 0$ such that for any $P, Q \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$ and $\xi \in \mathbf{C}^n$ we have :* if

$$(1.6) \quad B^{-1} \leq \tilde{P}(\xi, t)/\tilde{Q}(\xi, t) \leq B : \quad t \geq 1$$

holds with some $B \geq 1$ then

$$(1.7) \quad \frac{c}{1 + B^2} \leq \frac{1 + \delta_P(\xi)}{1 + \delta_Q(\xi)} \leq \frac{1 + B^2}{c}.$$

Proof. — If $\delta_Q(\xi) \geq 1$ then

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{\alpha} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)| \delta_Q(\xi)^{|\alpha|} &\stackrel{(1.6)}{\leq} B \sum_{\alpha} |Q^{(\alpha)}(\xi)| \delta_Q(\xi)^{|\alpha|} \\ &\stackrel{(1.5)}{\leq} C_1 B |Q(\xi)| \stackrel{(1.6)}{\leq} C_1 B^2 \sum_{\alpha} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)|. \end{aligned}$$

When $\delta_Q(\xi) \geq 2C_1B^2 =: D$ (hence $\frac{1}{2}\delta_Q(\xi)^{|\alpha|} \leq \delta_Q(\xi)^{|\alpha|} - \frac{D}{2}$, $\alpha \neq 0$) this yields

$$\sum_{\alpha} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)|\delta_Q(\xi)^{|\alpha|} \leq D|P(\xi)|.$$

In particular then $P(\xi) \neq 0$ and

$$|P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)/P(\xi)|^{1/|\alpha|}\delta_P(\xi) \leq D\delta_P(\xi)/\delta_Q(\xi) : \alpha \neq 0.$$

Summing up we get

$$C_2B^2\delta_P(\xi)/\delta_Q(\xi) \geq \delta_P(\xi) \sum_{\alpha \neq 0} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)/P(\xi)|^{1/|\alpha|} \stackrel{(1.4)}{\geq} C_3^{-1},$$

hence

$$\frac{1 + \delta_P(\xi)}{1 + \delta_Q(\xi)} \geq \frac{1}{2} \frac{\delta_P(\xi)}{\delta_Q(\xi)} \geq (2C_2C_3B^2)^{-1} \text{ if } \delta_Q(\xi) \geq D.$$

In the case $\delta_Q(\xi) \leq D$ we have

$$\frac{1 + \delta_P(\xi)}{1 + \delta_Q(\xi)} \geq \frac{1}{1 + 2C_1B^2}.$$

With suitable $c > 0$ we obtain the lefthand side of (1.7). The second inequality follows from this one by interchanging the roles of P and Q . \square

1.6. LEMMA (cf. [H2], 10.4.2). — *There exists $C \geq 1$ such that for any $P \in \text{Pol}(n, m)$, $\xi \in \mathbb{C}^n$ and $\tau > 0$:*

$$(1.8) \quad C^{-1}\tilde{P}(\xi, \tau) \leq \max\{|P(\xi + \eta)| \mid \eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{K}^n}(\tau)\} \leq C\tilde{P}(\xi, \tau);$$

$$(1.9) \quad C^{-1}\tau \leq \max\{\delta_P(\xi + \eta) \mid \eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{K}^n}(\tau)\} \text{ if } P \text{ is nonconstant}.$$

This holds for $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{R}$ and $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{C}$.

Proof. — Assertion (1.8) corresponds to [H2], 10.4.2. (Our use of the ℓ_1 -norm in the definition of $\tilde{P}(\xi, t)$ only results in a change of the constants.)

Ad (1.9) : first we note that for $\tau > 0$ and $\eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{K}^n}(\tau)$,

$$|P^{(\alpha)}(\xi + \eta)| \leq \sum_{\beta} |P^{(\alpha+\beta)}(\xi)|\tau^{|\beta|} \leq \tau^{-|\alpha|}\tilde{P}(\xi, \tau)$$

by Taylor's formula. As a consequence we have the estimate

$$(1.10) \quad \tilde{P}(\xi + \eta, \tau) \leq C_1\tilde{P}(\xi, \tau) : P \in \text{Pol}(n, m), \xi \in \mathbb{C}^n, \eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{C}^n}(\tau),$$

which will be used later. By (1.8) there exists for fixed $\xi \in \mathbb{C}^n$ and $\tau > 0$ an $\eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{K}^n}(\tau)$ such that

$$\tilde{P}(\xi, \tau) \leq C_2|P(\xi + \eta)|.$$

In particular then $P(\xi + \eta) \neq 0$ and

$$\sum_{\alpha \neq 0} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi + \eta)/P(\xi + \eta)|^{1/|\alpha|} \leq \sum_{1 \leq |\alpha| \leq m} (C_2 \tau^{-|\alpha|})^{1/|\alpha|} \leq C_3 \tau^{-1} .$$

From (1.4) it follows that $\delta_P(\xi + \eta) \geq C_4^{-1} \tau$, hence the assertion. □

Now we can already prove a preliminary version of Theorem 1.2 :

1.7. COROLLARY. — *Let $Q \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$ and $\Pi \subseteq \mathbf{E}(Q)$ compact. Then there exist $A, \mu \geq 1$ such that*

$$(1.11) \quad \forall \tau \geq \mu, \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n \exists \eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}(\tau) \forall P \in \Pi : \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau) \leq A|P(\xi + \eta)| .$$

Proof. — By Lemma 1.3 there exists $B \geq 1$ such that

$$B^{-1} \leq \tilde{P}(\xi, t)/\tilde{Q}(\xi, t) \leq B : P \in \Pi, \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, t \geq 1 .$$

With $A_1 := (1 + B^2)/c \geq 1$ we get from (1.7),

$$A_1^{-1}(1 + \delta_Q(\xi)) \leq 1 + \delta_P(\xi) : P \in \Pi, \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n .$$

By (1.9) we have

$$(1.12) \quad \max\{\delta_Q C\xi + \eta \mid \eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}(\tau)\} \geq C_0^{-1} \tau : \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, \tau > 0 .$$

Choose $A_2 \geq 1$ with $C_0^{-1} - A_1/A_2 > 0$ and put

$$\mu := \max\{1, (A_1 - 1)/(C_0^{-1} - A_1/A_2)\} .$$

If $\tau \geq \mu$ then $(1 + C_0^{-1} \tau)/A_1 \geq 1 + \tau/A_2$. For such a τ and arbitrary $\xi \in \mathbf{R}^n$ we may now choose $\eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}(\tau)$ with $\delta_Q(\xi + \eta) \geq C_0^{-1} \tau$ according to (1.12). For any $P \in \Pi$ we then obtain

$$1 + \delta_P(\xi + \eta) \geq A_1^{-1}(1 + \delta_Q(\xi + \eta)) \geq A_1^{-1}(1 + C_0^{-1} \tau) \geq 1 + \tau/A_2 ,$$

i.e. $\tau \leq A_2 \delta_P(\xi + \eta)$. Because of (1.5) this yields

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{P}(\xi + \eta, \tau) &\leq \tilde{P}(\xi + \eta, A_2 \delta_P(\xi + \eta)) \leq A_2^m \tilde{P}(\xi + \eta, \delta_P(\xi + \eta)) \\ &\leq A_3 |P(\xi + \eta)| . \end{aligned}$$

Finally, replacing in (1.10) η by $-\eta$ and ξ by $\xi + \eta$, we obtain

$$\tilde{P}(\xi, \tau) \leq C_1 \tilde{P}(\xi + \eta, \tau) \leq C_1 A_3 |P(\xi + \eta)| : P \in \Pi . \quad \square$$

For any $R \in \mathbb{C}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ and $k \in \mathbb{N}_0$ we put

$$(\Phi_k R)(\xi) := \sum_{|\alpha|=k} R^{(\alpha)}(\xi) \bar{R}^{(\alpha)}(\xi) ,$$

where \bar{R} is obtained from R by taking complex conjugates of the coefficients. Note that $\Phi_k R \in \mathbb{R}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ and $(\Phi_k R)(\xi) \geq 0$ for $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^n$. With the notation

$$(\Psi_k R)(\xi) := \sum_{|\alpha|=k} |R^{(\alpha)}(\xi)|$$

we have

$$\tilde{R}(\xi, t) = \sum_{k=0}^m t^k (\Psi_k R)(\xi) : R \in \text{Pol}(n, m) .$$

1.8. LEMMA. — *There exists $C \geq 1$ such that for any $P \in \text{Pol}(n, m)$, $k \in \mathbb{N}_0$, $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $t > 0$:*

$$(1.13) \quad C^{-1} (\Phi_k P)^\sim(\xi, t) \leq \left(\sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \right)^2 \leq C (\Phi_k P)^\sim(\xi, t) .$$

Proof. — First we have by (1.8) (note that $\Phi_k P \in \text{Pol}(n, 2m)$),

$$(1.14) \quad C_1^{-1} (\Phi_k P)^\sim(\xi, t) \leq \max_{\eta \in \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{R}^n}} (\Phi_k P)(\xi + t\eta) \leq C_1 (\Phi_k P)^\sim(\xi, t)$$

and

$$C_1^{-1} \sum_{|\alpha|=k} (P^{(\alpha)})^\sim(\xi, t) \leq \sum_{|\alpha|=k} \max_{\eta \in \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{R}^n}} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi + t\eta)| \leq C_1 \sum_{|\alpha|=k} (P^{(\alpha)})^\sim(\xi, t) .$$

Furthermore an easy calculation shows that

$$C_2^{-1} \sum_{|\alpha|=k} (P^{(\alpha)})^\sim(\xi, t) \leq \sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \leq C_2 \sum_{|\alpha|=k} (P^{(\alpha)})^\sim(\xi, t) ,$$

hence

$$(1.15) \quad \begin{aligned} C_3^{-1} \sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) &\leq \sum_{|\alpha|=k} \max_{\eta \in \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{R}^n}} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi + t\eta)| \\ &\leq C_3 \sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) . \end{aligned}$$

Now let $\mathbf{M}(n, k) = \{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}_0^n \mid |\alpha| = k\}$. Obviously the expressions

$$N_1((R_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \mathbf{M}(n, k)}) := \left(\max_{\eta \in \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{R}^n}} \sum_{|\alpha|=k} R_\alpha(\eta) \bar{R}_\alpha(\eta) \right)^{1/2} ,$$

$$N_2((R_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \mathbf{M}(n, k)}) := \sum_{|\alpha|=k} \max_{\eta \in \mathbb{B}_{\mathbb{R}^n}} |R_\alpha(\eta)|$$

define norms on the finite-dimensional vector space $\text{Pol}(n, m)^{\mathbf{M}(n, k)}$, hence they are equivalent. On replacing $R_\alpha(\eta)$ by $P^{(\alpha)}(\xi + t\eta)$ we get

$$\begin{aligned} C_4^{-1} \sum_{|\alpha|=k} \max_{\eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi + t\eta)| &\leq \left(\max_{\eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}} (\Phi_k P)(\xi + t\eta) \right)^{1/2} \\ &\leq C_4 \sum_{|\alpha|=k} \max_{\eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}} |P^{(\alpha)}(\xi + t\eta)|. \end{aligned}$$

With (1.14) and (1.15) we obtain the assertion. □

1.9. LEMMA. — *There exist $0 < c \leq 1 \leq C$ such that for any $P, Q \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$ and $\xi \in \mathbf{R}^n$ the following holds : let $0 \leq k \leq m - 1$ and $B \geq 1$ with*

$$(1.16) \quad B^{-1} \leq \left(\sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \right) / \left(\sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi) \right) \leq B : \quad t \geq 1.$$

Further let $\nu \geq 1$ such that $\hat{\nu} := \left(\frac{c\nu}{1+B^4} - 1 \right) / C \geq 1$. Then we have with $\check{\nu} := C(1 + \nu)(1 + B^4)$:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad (\Psi_k Q)(\xi) &\geq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \nu^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi) \implies (\Psi_k P)(\xi) \geq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \hat{\nu}^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi), \\ \text{(ii)} \quad (\Psi_k Q)(\xi) &\leq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \nu^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi) \implies (\Psi_k P)(\xi) \leq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \check{\nu}^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi). \end{aligned}$$

Proof.

(i) Let $\nu \geq 1$ with $(\Psi_k Q)(\xi) \geq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \nu^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi)$. Then we have

$$|Q^{(\alpha)}(\xi)| \leq \nu^{-(|\alpha|-k)} (\Psi_k Q)(\xi) \leq C_1 \nu^{-(|\alpha|-k)} \sqrt{(\Phi_k Q)(\xi)} : \quad |\alpha| \geq k.$$

This implies by Leibniz' rule,

$$\begin{aligned} |(\Phi_k Q)^{(\beta)}(\xi)| &= \left| \sum_{|\alpha|=k} \sum_{\gamma \leq \beta} \binom{\beta}{\gamma} Q^{(\alpha+\gamma)}(\xi) \overline{Q}^{(\alpha+\beta-\gamma)}(\xi) \right| \\ &\leq C_2 \nu^{-|\beta|} (\Phi_k Q)(\xi) \end{aligned}$$

for any multiindex β ($C_2 \geq 1$). In particular then $(\Phi_k Q)(\xi) \neq 0$ and

$$|(\Phi_k Q)^{(\beta)}(\xi) / (\Phi_k Q)(\xi)|^{1/|\beta|} \leq C_2 \nu^{-1} : \quad \beta \neq 0.$$

An application of (1.4) yields

$$C_3^{-1} \leq \delta_{\Phi_k Q}(\xi) \sum_{\beta \neq 0} |(\Phi_k Q)^{(\beta)}(\xi) / (\Phi_k Q)(\xi)|^{1/|\beta|} \leq C_4 \nu^{-1} \delta_{\Phi_k Q}(\xi).$$

By (1.13) and (1.16) we also have

$$(C_5 B^2)^{-1} \leq (\Phi_k P)^\sim(\xi, t) / (\Phi_k Q)^\sim(\xi, t) \leq C_5 B^2 : t \geq 1 .$$

Using (1.7) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1 + \delta_{\Phi_k P}(\xi)}{1 + C_3^{-1} C_4^{-1} \nu} &\geq \frac{1 + \delta_{\Phi_k P}(\xi)}{1 + \delta_{\Phi_k Q}(\xi)} \geq \frac{c_1}{1 + C_5^2 B^4} , \\ \delta_{\Phi_k P}(\xi) &\geq \frac{c_1(1 + C_3^{-1} C_4^{-1} \nu)}{1 + C_5^2 B^4} - 1 \geq \frac{c_2 \nu}{1 + B^4} - 1 =: \tilde{\nu} \end{aligned}$$

with $0 < c_2 \leq 1$. Let ν be so large that $\tilde{\nu} \geq 1$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} (\Phi_k P)(\xi) &\stackrel{(1.5)}{\geq} C_6^{-1} (\Phi_k P)^\sim(\xi, \delta_{\Phi_k P}(\xi)) \geq C_6^{-1} (\Phi_k P)^\sim(\xi, \tilde{\nu}) \\ &\stackrel{(1.13)}{\geq} C_7^{-1} \left(\sum_{j=k}^m \tilde{\nu}^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

with $C_7 \geq 1$, hence

$$\begin{aligned} (\Psi_k P)(\xi) &\geq \sqrt{(\Phi_k P)(\xi)} \geq C_7^{-1/2} \sum_{j=k}^m \tilde{\nu}^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \\ &\geq \sum_{j=k+1}^m (\tilde{\nu}/C_7)^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) . \end{aligned}$$

With $c := c_2, C \geq C_7$ we obtain the first assertion.

(ii) Now assume that $(\Psi_k Q)(\xi) \leq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \nu^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi)$. If then

$$(\Psi_k P)(\xi) \geq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \mu^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \text{ and } \tilde{\mu} := \frac{c_2 \mu}{1 + B^4} - 1 \geq 1$$

with some $\mu \geq 1$ we obtain as above (on interchanging the roles of P and

Q) : $(\Psi_k Q)(\xi) \geq \sum_{j=k+1}^m (\tilde{\mu}/C_7)^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi)$, hence

$$\sum_{j=k+1}^m (\tilde{\mu}/C_7)^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi) \leq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \nu^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi) .$$

This implies $\tilde{\mu}/C_7 \leq \nu$, i.e.

$$\mu \leq (1 + C_7 \nu)(1 + B^4)/c_2 \leq C_7(1 + \nu)(1 + B^4)/c_2 .$$

Thus, with $C := C_7/c_2$ the second assertion also holds. □

Proof of Theorem 1.2. — The subsequent procedure will yield a decomposition of $\Omega_0 := \mathbf{R}^n$ into $m+1$ disjoint subsets, $\Omega_0 = \Omega'_0 \dot{\cup} \Omega'_1 \dot{\cup} \dots \dot{\cup} \Omega'_m$, such that the following holds :

$$\begin{aligned} & \exists A \geq 1 \forall k = 0, \dots, m \exists \tau_k \geq 1 \forall \xi \in \Omega'_k \exists \eta_\xi \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}(\tau_k) : \\ (1^k) \quad & |P(\xi + z\eta_\xi)| \geq \frac{1}{2A} \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_k) : \quad P \in \Pi, z \in \mathbf{T}^1 . \end{aligned}$$

Now note that the set

$$\Pi_\rho := \{P(\cdot + \zeta) \mid P \in \Pi, \zeta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{C}^n}(\rho + 1)\}$$

is a compact subset of $\mathbf{E}(Q)$ since for fixed ζ the polynomial $P(\cdot + \zeta)$ is equally strong as P . So we may assume that $(1^0), \dots, (1^m)$ is already proved for Π_ρ instead of Π . It follows that for any $\vartheta \in \mathbf{Z}^n$ there exists $\eta_\vartheta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}(\tau)$, where $\tau := \max\{\tau_0, \dots, \tau_m\}$, such that if $|\xi - \vartheta|_\infty \leq 1$ we have for each $P \in \Pi, \zeta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{C}^n}(\rho)$ and $z \in \mathbf{T}^1$:

$$|P(\xi + \zeta + z\eta_\vartheta)| = |P(\vartheta + z\eta_\vartheta + (\xi - \vartheta + \zeta))| \geq \frac{1}{2A} \tilde{P}(\vartheta) \stackrel{(1.10)}{\geq} \frac{1}{2CA} \tilde{P}(\xi) .$$

In particular we may choose $\eta(\xi) \equiv \eta_\vartheta$ in any cube $\{\xi \mid \vartheta_j \leq \xi_j < \vartheta_j + 1\}$, where $\vartheta_1, \dots, \vartheta_n$ are integers, such that (1.1) holds and $\sup_\xi |\eta(\xi)|_\infty \leq \tau$.

This completes the proof. The sets Ω'_k will be defined inductively as follows :

$$\Omega'_k := \{\xi \in \Omega_k \mid (\Psi_k Q)(\xi) \geq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \nu_k^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi)\} \quad (0 \leq k \leq m - 1)$$

with suitable constants $\nu_k \geq 1$, and

$$\Omega_{k+1} := \Omega_k \setminus \Omega'_k ; \quad \Omega'_m := \Omega_m .$$

In what follows the statements (2^k) ($0 \leq k \leq m$) will be needed :

$$\begin{aligned} & \exists B_k \geq 1 \forall P \in \Pi, \xi \in \Omega_k, t \geq 1 : \\ (2^k) \quad & \end{aligned}$$

$$B_k^{-1} \leq \left(\sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \right) / \left(\sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi) \right) \leq B_k .$$

With the constants c, C in Lemma 1.9 we set

$$\hat{\nu}_k := \left(\frac{c\nu_k}{1 + B_k^4} - 1 \right) / C \quad \text{and} \quad \check{\nu}_k := C(1 + \nu_k)(1 + B_k^4) .$$

Then for each $0 \leq k \leq m - 1$ we have by (2^k) and Lemma 1.9, if $\hat{\nu}_k \geq 1$,

$$(3^k) \quad (\Psi_k P)(\xi) \geq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \hat{\nu}_k^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) : \quad P \in \Pi, \xi \in \Omega'_k ,$$

$$(4^k) \quad (\Psi_k P)(\xi) \leq \sum_{j=k+1}^m \check{\nu}_k^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) : P \in \Pi, \xi \in \Omega_{k+1} .$$

Now the proof of (1^k), (2^k) proceeds by induction on *k*. Recall that by Corollary 1.7 there exist *A*, $\mu \geq 1$ such that

$$(5) \quad \forall \tau \geq \mu, \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n \exists \eta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbb{R}^n}(\tau) \forall P \in \Pi : \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau) \leq A|P(\xi + \eta)| .$$

Without loss of generality we may assume that $Q \in \Pi$.

Case *k* = 0. — Lemma 1.3 yields the existence of *B*₀ satisfying (2⁰). Choose $\nu_0 \geq 1$ such that $\check{\nu}_0 \geq 1$ and define Ω'_0, Ω_1 as above. Let $\tau_0 := \check{\nu}_0$ and for any $\xi \in \Omega'_0$ choose $\eta_\xi := 0 \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbb{R}^n}(\tau_0)$. We obtain

$$2|P(\xi + z\eta_\xi)| = 2(\Psi_0 P)(\xi) \stackrel{(3^0)}{\geq} \sum_{j=0}^m \check{\nu}_0^j (\Psi_j P)(\xi) = \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_0)$$

for $P \in \Pi, z \in \mathbf{T}^1$, i.e. (1⁰) is satisfied.

Case $1 \leq k \leq m$. — The inductive assumption yields (2^{k-1}) and (4⁰), ..., (4^{k-1}). Since $\Omega_k \subseteq \Omega_{k-1}$ this implies for $\xi \in \Omega_k, t \geq \check{\nu}_{k-1}$:

$$\begin{aligned} (2B_{k-1})^{-1} \sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi) &\leq (2B_{k-1})^{-1} \frac{1}{t} \sum_{j=k-1}^m t^{j-(k-1)} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi) \\ &\stackrel{(2^{k-1})}{\leq} \frac{1}{2t} \sum_{j=k-1}^m t^{j-(k-1)} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \\ &\stackrel{(4^{k-1})}{\leq} \sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) . \end{aligned}$$

For $1 \leq t \leq \check{\nu}_{k-1}$ this yields

$$\begin{aligned} (2B_{k-1})^{-1} \sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j Q)(\xi) &\leq \sum_{j=k}^m \check{\nu}_{k-1}^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \\ &\leq \check{\nu}_{k-1}^{m-k} \sum_{j=k}^m t^{j-k} (\Psi_j P)(\xi) . \end{aligned}$$

Analogous estimates hold with *P* and *Q* interchanged. Setting $B_k := 2B_{k-1} \check{\nu}_{k-1}^{m-k}$ we obtain (2^k). Now let

$$\mu_k := \max\{\mu, \check{\nu}_0, \dots, \check{\nu}_{k-1}\} (\geq 1) .$$

For $P \in \Pi, \xi \in \Omega_{j+1} (j = 0, \dots, k-1), \tau \geq \mu_k$ it follows from (4^j) :

$$(\Psi_j P)(\xi) \leq \sum_{i=j+1}^m \left(\frac{\mu_k}{\tau}\right)^{i-j} \tau^{i-j} (\Psi_i P)(\xi) \leq \frac{\mu_k}{\tau} \sum_{i=j+1}^m \tau^{i-j} (\Psi_i P)(\xi) .$$

Multiplying by τ^j and summing up this yields (note that $\Omega_k \subseteq \Omega_{j+1}$) :

$$(6) \quad \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} \tau^j (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \leq \frac{k\mu_k}{\tau} \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau) : \quad P \in \Pi, \quad \xi \in \Omega_k, \quad \tau \geq \mu_k .$$

In the case $k \leq m - 1$ we choose $\tau_k, \nu_k \geq 1$ such that

$$(7) \quad \mu_k \leq \tau_k \leq \hat{\nu}_k, \quad A^{-1} - \frac{2k\mu_k}{\tau_k} - \frac{2\tau_k}{\hat{\nu}_k} \geq \frac{1}{2A}$$

and define Ω'_k, Ω_{k+1} as above. By (3^k) (consequence of (2^k)) we have

$$(8) \quad \sum_{j=k+1}^m \tau_k^j (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \leq \frac{\tau_k}{\hat{\nu}_k} \tau_k^k (\Psi_k P)(\xi) \leq \frac{\tau_k}{\hat{\nu}_k} \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_k) : \quad P \in \Pi, \quad \xi \in \Omega'_k .$$

Now let $\xi \in \Omega'_k$ be fixed and choose $\eta_\xi \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}(\tau_k)$ such that

$$(9) \quad \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_k) \leq A|P(\xi + \eta_\xi)| : \quad P \in \Pi \quad (\text{cf. (5)}) .$$

An application of Taylor's formula gives for $P \in \Pi, z \in \mathbf{T}^1$:

$$\begin{aligned} |P(\xi + z\eta_\xi)| &\geq \left| \sum_{|\alpha|=k} \frac{P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)}{\alpha!} \eta_\xi^\alpha \right| - \sum_{j \neq k} \tau_k^j (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \\ &\geq \sum_{j=0}^m \left| \sum_{|\alpha|=j} \frac{P^{(\alpha)}(\xi)}{\alpha!} \eta_\xi^\alpha \right| - 2 \sum_{j \neq k} \tau_k^j (\Psi_j P)(\xi) \\ &\stackrel{(6),(8)}{\geq} |P(\xi + \eta_\xi)| - 2 \left\{ \frac{k\mu_k}{\tau_k} + \frac{\tau_k}{\hat{\nu}_k} \right\} \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_k) \\ &\stackrel{(9)}{\geq} \left\{ A^{-1} - \frac{2k\mu_k}{\tau_k} - \frac{2\tau_k}{\hat{\nu}_k} \right\} \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_k) \\ &\stackrel{(7)}{\geq} \frac{1}{2A} \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_k) . \end{aligned}$$

This yields (1^k).

In the case $k = m$ we choose $\tau_m \geq 1$ such that

$$(10) \quad \mu_m \leq \tau_m, \quad A^{-1} - \frac{2m\mu_m}{\tau_m} \geq \frac{1}{2A} .$$

Let $\xi \in \Omega'_m := \Omega_m$ be fixed and choose $\eta_\xi \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{R}^n}(\tau_m)$ such that

$$(11) \quad \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_m) \leq A|P(\xi + \eta_\xi)| : \quad P \in \Pi \quad (\text{cf. (5)}) .$$

Using (6), (10) and (11) an analogous computation as above yields (1^m) :

$$|P(\xi + z\eta_\xi)| \geq \left\{ A^{-1} - \frac{2m\mu_m}{\tau_m} \right\} \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_m) \geq \frac{1}{2A} \tilde{P}(\xi, \tau_m) : \quad P \in \Pi, \quad z \in \mathbf{T}^1 . \quad \square$$

2. Some distribution spaces.

We adopt the standard notations for spaces of test functions and distributions (cf. [H1], [H2]) :

$\mathcal{D} = \mathcal{C}_c^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ — \mathcal{C}^∞ -functions with compact support ;

$\mathcal{D}' = \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ — space of all distributions ;

$\mathcal{S} = \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ — space of rapidly decreasing \mathcal{C}^∞ -functions ;

$\mathcal{S}' = \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ — space of tempered distributions.

Recall that each of these spaces carries a natural locally convex vector space topology. The scalar product of two vectors $\xi, \zeta \in \mathbb{C}^n$ will be denoted by

$[\xi, \zeta] := \sum_{\nu=1}^n \xi_\nu \bar{\zeta}_\nu$. If $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}$ then the Fourier transform $\hat{\varphi}$ of φ is the function

$$\hat{\varphi}(\zeta) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \exp(-i[\zeta, x])\varphi(x)dx \quad : \quad \zeta \in \mathbb{R}^n .$$

The Fourier transform \hat{u} of $u \in \mathcal{S}'$ is defined by the formula

$$\langle \hat{u}, \varphi \rangle := \langle u, \hat{\varphi} \rangle \quad : \quad \varphi \in \mathcal{S} ,$$

where $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ denotes the disribution pairing. The following definitions and results are taken from Hörmander [H2], §10.1.

2.1. DEFINITION.

(a) A function $k : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow (0, \infty)$ will be called a temperate weight function if there exist constants $a, b > 0$ such that

$$k(\xi + \zeta) \leq (1 + a|\xi|)^b k(\zeta) \quad : \quad \xi, \zeta \in \mathbb{R}^n .$$

The set of all such functions will be denoted by \mathcal{K} .

(b) If $k \in \mathcal{K}$ and $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ we denote by $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}$ the set of all distributions $u \in \mathcal{S}'$ such that \hat{u} is a function and

$$\|u\|_{p,k} := \left((2\pi)^{-n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |k(\xi)\hat{u}(\xi)|^p d\xi \right)^{1/p} < \infty .$$

In the case $p = \infty$ this expression has to be interpreted as $\text{ess. sup}_{\xi \in \mathbb{R}^n} |k(\xi)\hat{u}(\xi)|$.

By [H2], 10.1.7 we have

$$\mathcal{S} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{p,k} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{S}' ,$$

where $\mathfrak{F} \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{G}$ means a continuous embedding of topological vector spaces $\mathfrak{F}, \mathfrak{G}$. The spaces $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}$ are Banach spaces which for $1 \leq p < \infty$ contain \mathcal{D}

as a dense subset. In this case the dual $(\mathbf{B}_{p,k})'$ of $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}$ is (isometrically) isomorphic to $\mathbf{B}_{p',k'}$, where

$$1/p + 1/p' = 1, \quad k'(\xi) := 1/k(-\xi).$$

Any continuous linear form on $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}$ is given by continuous extension of a form $\varphi \mapsto \langle v, \varphi \rangle$, defined for $\varphi \in \mathcal{D}$ with $v \in \mathbf{B}_{p',k'}$. The norm of this functional equals $\|v\|_{p',k'}$ ([H2], 10.1.14). Let

$$\mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{\text{loc}} := \{u \in \mathcal{D}' \mid \psi \cdot u \in \mathbf{B}_{p,k}, \psi \in \mathcal{D}\}$$

denote the local space associated with $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}$. This is a Fréchet space with the system of seminorms $u \mapsto \|\psi \cdot u\|_{p,k}, \psi \in \mathcal{D}$.

In the following we shall consider certain subspaces of $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{\text{loc}}$:

2.2. DEFINITION. — Let $\sigma : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ be a C^∞ -function satisfying $\lim_{\rho \rightarrow +\infty} \sigma(\rho) = +\infty$ and $\sigma^{(j)}$ is bounded for all $j \geq 1$.

Further let $\tilde{\sigma}(x) := \exp(\sigma([x, x]) \cdot \sqrt{1 + [x, x]})$, $x \in \mathbf{R}^n$. For $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ and $k \in \mathcal{K}$ we consider the distribution spaces

$$\mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{+\sigma} := \{u/\tilde{\sigma} \mid u \in \mathbf{B}_{p,k}\}; \quad \mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{-\sigma} := \{\tilde{\sigma} \cdot v \mid v \in \mathbf{B}_{p,k}\}.$$

Obviously these are Banach spaces with the norms

- 1) $\|u/\tilde{\sigma}\|_{p,k}^{+\sigma} := \|u\|_{p,k}$
- 2) $\|\tilde{\sigma} \cdot v\|_{p,k}^{-\sigma} := \|v\|_{p,k}$.

Remarks.

(i) Since $\tilde{\sigma}, 1/\tilde{\sigma} \in C^\infty(\mathbf{R}^n)$ we have $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{\pm\sigma} \subseteq \mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{\text{loc}}$ by [H2], 10.1.23.

(ii) It is our intention to keep the spaces $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{-\sigma}$ as small as possible. This can be achieved by letting the function σ tend to $+\infty$ very slowly. For example, choose $\sigma_0 \in C^\infty(\mathbf{R})$ with $\sigma_0(\rho) = \begin{cases} 0, & \rho \leq 0 \\ 1, & \rho \geq 1 \end{cases}$ and put $\sigma(\rho) := \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \sigma_0(\rho/a_j - a_j)$, where the sequence (a_j) tends to $+\infty$ very fast (e.g. $a_1 := 2, a_{j+1} := a_j^{a_j}$).

2.3. LEMMA. — Let $1 \leq p \leq \infty, k \in \mathcal{K}$ and σ as in Definition 2.2. Then we have

$$(2.1) \quad \mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{-\sigma} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{\text{loc}}.$$

Proof. — Let $\psi \in \mathcal{D}$ and $v \in \mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{-\sigma}$ arbitrary. Since $\psi \cdot \tilde{\sigma} \in \mathcal{D} \subseteq \mathcal{S}$ it follows from [H2], 10.1.15 that

$$\|\psi \cdot v\|_{p,k} = \|\psi \cdot \tilde{\sigma} \cdot v / \tilde{\sigma}\|_{p,k} \leq K \|v / \tilde{\sigma}\|_{p,k} = K \|v\|_{p,k}^{-\sigma},$$

with $K < \infty$ depending only on $\tilde{\sigma}$, k and ψ . Since the topology of $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{\text{loc}}$ is given by the seminorms $v \mapsto \|\psi \cdot v\|_{p,k}$ the proof is complete. \square

The same proof shows that if σ_1, σ_2 are such that $\tilde{\sigma}_1 / \tilde{\sigma}_2 \in \mathcal{S}$ (e.g. if $\limsup_{\rho \rightarrow \infty} \sigma_1(\rho) - \sigma_2(\rho) < 0$) then $\mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{-\sigma_1} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{p,k}^{-\sigma_2}$.

2.4. *Remark.* — Let $Q \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$ be fixed and $\Pi \subseteq \mathbf{E}(Q)$ a compact set. By Theorem 1.2 there is a bounded measurable function $\eta : \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^n$ such that

$$\tilde{P}(-\xi) \leq A |P(-\xi - z\eta(\xi))| : P \in \Pi, \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, z \in \mathbf{T}^1.$$

Using this we can for every $P \in \Pi$ define a distribution $f_P \in \mathcal{D}'$ through

$$(2.2) \quad \langle f_P, \varphi \rangle := (2\pi)^{-n} \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} \int_{z \in \mathbf{T}^1} \frac{\hat{\varphi}(\xi + z\eta(\xi))}{P(-\xi - z\eta(\xi))} \frac{dz}{2\pi iz} d\xi : \varphi \in \mathcal{D}.$$

This type of formula has been introduced by L. Hörmander. Similarly as in [T2] we could now show that f_P is an analytic function of $P \in \Pi$ with values in $\mathbf{B}_{\infty, \tilde{Q}}^{-\sigma}$ and f_P is a fundamental solution of $P(D)$ for each P . (In fact, f_P takes its values in the smaller space $\mathbf{B}_{\infty, \tilde{Q}}^{*H^1}$ defined below, where $H^1 = (\eta)$.) We shall not do so since it is our aim to prove a more general result (Theorem 3.1 below). However, formula (2.2) serves as a motivation for the following

2.5. *DEFINITION.* — In order to simplify notations we introduce the measure $|dz| := |dz_1| \cdots |dz_r|$ on the torus \mathbf{T}^r ($r \in \mathbf{N}$). Let $1 \leq p \leq \infty$, $k \in \mathcal{K}$ and $H^r = (\eta_s)_{s=1}^r : \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow (\mathbf{R}^n)^r$ a bounded measurable function. For any $\varphi \in \mathcal{D}$ we set

$$\|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^r} := \left((2\pi)^{-n-r} \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} \int_{\mathbf{T}^r} |k(\xi) \hat{\varphi}(\xi + \tilde{H}^r(\xi, z))|^p |dz| d\xi \right)^{1/p} \quad (p < \infty),$$

where $\tilde{H}^r(\xi, z) := \sum_{s=1}^r z_s \cdot \eta_s(\xi)$,

$$\|\varphi\|_{\infty,k}^{H^r} := \sup\{|k(\xi) \hat{\varphi}(\xi + \tilde{H}^r(\xi, z))| \mid \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, z \in \mathbf{T}^r\}.$$

The theorem of Paley-Wiener-Schwartz ([H1], §7.3) ensures that $\|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^r}$ is finite for each $\varphi \in \mathcal{D}$. Obviously, $(\mathcal{D}, \|\cdot\|_{p,k}^{H^r})$ is a normed space. Its “dual space”,

$$\mathbf{B}_{p',k'}^{*H^r} := \{v \in \mathbf{B}_{p',k'}^{\text{loc}} \mid \|v\|_{p',k'}^{*H^r} := \sup\{|\langle v, \varphi \rangle| / \|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^r} \mid 0 \neq \varphi \in \mathcal{D}\} < \infty\}$$

will be endowed with the norm $\|\cdot\|_{p',k'}^{*H'}$. Here $p' := 1$ if $p = \infty$.

The reason why we have introduced the space $\mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{-\sigma}$ is that it contains each $\mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{*H'}$, yet it is small enough to give quite precise information on the growth at infinity of solutions of the equation $P(D)f_P = \delta$ when P runs through $\mathbf{E}(Q)$ and f_P depends analytically on P (cf. the remark at the end of [M]).

2.6. LEMMA. — Let $H^{r+1} = (\eta_s)_{s=1}^{r+1}$ as in Definition 2.5. With $H^r := (\eta_s)_{s=1}^r$ we then have

$$(2.3) \quad \|\varphi\|_{p,k} \leq \|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^r} \leq \|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^{r+1}} : \varphi \in \mathcal{D},$$

hence

$$(2.4) \quad \mathbf{B}_{p',k'} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{p',k'}^{*H^r} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{p',k'}^{*H^{r+1}}.$$

Proof. — By Cauchy’s formula and the Hölder inequality we have, if $p < \infty$,

$$|\widehat{\varphi}(\xi + \widetilde{H}^r(\xi, z'))|^p \leq \int_{z_{r+1} \in \mathbf{T}^1} |\widehat{\varphi}(\xi + \widetilde{H}^{r+1}(\xi, z))|^p \frac{|dz_{r+1}|}{2\pi},$$

where $z = (z', z_{r+1})$. Inserting this in the definition of $\|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^{r+1}}$ yields the second inequality in (2.3). In the case $p = \infty$ we can argue similarly using the maximum principle. Choosing $H^0 \equiv 0$ we also get $\|\varphi\|_{p,k} = \|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^0} \leq \|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^r}$. The embedding (2.4) is a direct consequence of these estimates. \square

2.7. LEMMA. — Let σ as in Definition 2.2 and H^r as in Definition 2.5. Then there exists a constant $K < \infty$ such that

$$(2.5) \quad \|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^r} \leq K \|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{+\sigma} : \varphi \in \mathcal{D}.$$

Proof. — Let $\rho := 1 + \sup\{|\widetilde{H}^r(\xi, z)|_\infty \mid \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, z \in \mathbf{T}^r\}$. For any $\varphi \in \mathcal{D}$ and fixed $\xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, z \in \mathbf{T}^r$ we have

$$|\widehat{\varphi}(\xi + \widetilde{H}^r(\xi, z))|^p \leq \left(\frac{\rho^p}{2\pi}\right)^n \int_{\mathbf{T}^n} |\widehat{\varphi}(\xi + \rho\zeta)|^p |d\zeta| \text{ if } p < \infty.$$

This implies

$$\begin{aligned} (\|\varphi\|_{p,k}^{H^r})^p &\leq \frac{\rho^{np}}{(2\pi)^{2n}} \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} \int_{\mathbf{T}^n} |k(\xi) \cdot \widehat{\varphi}(\xi + \rho\zeta)|^p |d\zeta| d\xi \\ (2.6) \quad &= \left(\frac{\rho^p}{2\pi}\right)^n \int_{\mathbf{T}^n} (2\pi)^{-n} \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} |k(\xi) \cdot \exp(-i[\rho\zeta, \cdot])\varphi^\wedge(\xi)|^p d\xi |d\zeta| \\ &= \left(\frac{\rho^p}{2\pi}\right)^n \int_{\mathbf{T}^n} (\|\exp(-i[\rho\zeta, \cdot])\varphi\|_{p,k})^p |d\zeta|. \end{aligned}$$

Now consider the functions

$$\Phi_\zeta(x) := \exp(-i[\rho\zeta, x])/\tilde{\sigma}(x) : \quad \zeta \in \mathbf{T}^n .$$

It is not hard to check that $\{\Phi_\zeta\}$ is a bounded subset of \mathcal{S} . With the weight function $M_k \in \mathcal{K}$ (cf. [H2], §10.1),

$$M_k(\xi) := \sup_{\xi' \in \mathbf{R}^n} k(\xi + \xi')/k(\xi') : \quad \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n ,$$

we have $\mathcal{S} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{1, M_k}$ ([H2], 10.1.7), hence

$$\sup\{\|\Phi_\zeta\|_{1, M_k} \mid \zeta \in \mathbf{T}^n\} =: K < \infty .$$

It follows from [H2], 10.1.15 that

$$\sup\{\|\Phi_\zeta \cdot \psi\|_{p, k} \mid \zeta \in \mathbf{T}^n\} \leq K\|\psi\|_{p, k} : \quad \psi \in \mathcal{D} .$$

From (2.6) we thus obtain with $\psi = \tilde{\sigma} \cdot \varphi$:

$$\|\varphi\|_{p, k}^{H^r} \leq \left(\left(\frac{\rho^p}{2\pi} \right)^n \int_{\mathbf{T}^n} (\|\Phi_\zeta \cdot \tilde{\sigma} \cdot \varphi\|_{p, k})^p |d\zeta| \right)^{1/p} \leq K\rho^n \|\tilde{\sigma} \cdot \varphi\|_{p, k} = K'\|\varphi\|_{p, k}^{+\sigma} .$$

The case $p = \infty$ can be treated analogously. □

2.8. COROLLARY. — *Under the assumptions of Lemma 2.7 the mapping $v \mapsto \langle v, \cdot \rangle$ identifies $\mathbf{B}_{p', k'}^{*H^r}$ isometrically with the dual of the normed space $(\mathcal{D}, \|\cdot\|_{p, k}^{H^r})$. In particular, $\mathbf{B}_{p', k'}^{*H^r}$ is complete. Furthermore we have*

$$(2.7) \quad \mathbf{B}_{p', k'}^{*H^r} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{p', k'}^{-\sigma} .$$

Proof. — Clearly, $v \mapsto \langle v, \cdot \rangle$ defines an isometric embedding of $\mathbf{B}_{p', k'}^{*H^r}$ into $(\mathcal{D}, \|\cdot\|_{p, k}^{H^r})'$. We have to show that it is onto. So let ℓ be a continuous linear form on $(\mathcal{D}, \|\cdot\|_{p, k}^{H^r})$. By Lemma 2.7 we have

$$(2.8) \quad |\langle \ell/\tilde{\sigma}, \varphi \rangle| \leq \|\ell\| \|\varphi/\tilde{\sigma}\|_{p, k}^{H^r} \leq K\|\ell\| \|\varphi\|_{p, k} : \quad \varphi \in \mathcal{D} .$$

If $p < \infty$ then $\mathbf{B}_{p', k'}$ is the dual space of $\mathbf{B}_{p, k}$, so $\ell \in \mathbf{B}_{p', k'}^{-\sigma} \subseteq \mathbf{B}_{p', k'}^{\text{loc}}$. Hence $\ell \in \mathbf{B}_{p', k'}^{*H^r}$ and $\|\ell\|_{p', k'}^{-\sigma} = \|\ell/\tilde{\sigma}\|_{p', k'} \leq K\|\ell\|_{p', k'}^{*H^r}$ by (2.8).

In the case $p = \infty$ we can analogously derive (2.8) with σ replaced by $\sigma_1(\rho) := \sigma(\rho) - 1$. Since $\mathcal{S} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{\infty, k}$ the functional $\ell_1 := \ell/\tilde{\sigma}_1$ can be extended such that $|\langle \ell_1, \varphi \rangle| \leq K\|\ell\| \|\varphi\|_{\infty, k}$ holds for all $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}$. Hence $\ell_1 \in \mathcal{S}'$ and the Fourier transform of ℓ_1 is a continuous linear form on \mathcal{S} equipped with the norm $\sup_\xi |k(-\xi)\varphi(\xi)|$. But then $\langle \hat{\ell}_1, \varphi \rangle = \int \varphi(\xi) d\mu(\xi)$ with a measure $d\mu$ in \mathbf{R}^n of total mass $\int |d\mu(\xi)|/k(-\xi) < \infty$. Noting that $\tau := \tilde{\sigma}_1/\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathcal{S}$ we obtain $\ell/\tilde{\sigma} = \tau \cdot \ell_1 \in \mathcal{S}'$ and $(\ell/\tilde{\sigma})^\wedge = (2\pi)^{-n} \hat{\tau} * d\mu$ which

is a C^∞ -function satisfying $\int |(\ell/\tilde{\sigma})^\wedge(\xi)|/k(-\xi) d\xi < \infty$, i.e. $(\ell/\tilde{\sigma}) \in \mathbf{B}_{1,k'}$. As in the case $p < \infty$ we conclude that $\ell \in \mathbf{B}_{1,k'}^{*H^r}$ and $\|\ell\|_{1,k'}^{-\sigma} \leq K' \|\ell\|_{1,k'}^{*H^r}$ by the closed graph theorem. \square

Now we shall investigate how a differential operator with constant coefficients acts in the spaces $\mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{*H^r}$ ($1 \leq q \leq \infty, k \in \mathcal{K}$). If $P(x) = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m} a_\alpha x^\alpha$ is a polynomial in $x \in \mathbf{R}^n$ we consider the differential expression

$$P(D) := \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m} a_\alpha D^\alpha \text{ where } D := -i \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_n} \right).$$

2.9. PROPOSITION. — Let $P, Q \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$ with $P < Q$ and $H^r = (\eta_s)_{s=1}^r$ as in Definition 2.5. Then the operator $P(D)$ maps $\mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{*H^r}$ continuously into $\mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{*H^r}$.

Proof. — Let $\rho := \sup\{|\tilde{H}^r(\xi, z)|_\infty \mid \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, z \in \mathbf{T}^r\}$ and $\xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, z \in \mathbf{T}^r$ fixed. With $\zeta := \tilde{H}^r(\xi, z)$ we have for any $\varphi \in \mathcal{D}$:

$$\begin{aligned} |(k\tilde{Q})'(\xi) \cdot (P(-D)\varphi)^\wedge(\xi + \zeta)| &= |(k\tilde{Q})'(\xi) \cdot P(-\xi - \zeta) \cdot \widehat{\varphi}(\xi + \zeta)| \\ &\leq |(k\tilde{Q})'(\xi) \cdot \tilde{P}(-\xi, \rho) \cdot \widehat{\varphi}(\xi + \zeta)| \\ &\leq (1 + \rho)^m \frac{\tilde{P}(-\xi)}{\tilde{Q}(-\xi)} |k'(\xi) \cdot \widehat{\varphi}(\xi + \zeta)|. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\sup_{\xi \in \mathbf{R}^n} \frac{\tilde{P}(-\xi)}{\tilde{Q}(-\xi)} < \infty$ we obtain

$$(2.9) \quad \|P(-D)\varphi\|_{q',(k\tilde{Q})'}^{H^r} \leq K \|\varphi\|_{q',k'}^{H^r} : \varphi \in \mathcal{D}.$$

Now, if $v \in \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{*H^r} \subseteq \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{\text{loc}}$ it follows from [H2], 10.1.22 that $P(D)v \in \mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{\text{loc}}$. Furthermore, (2.9) implies that

$$\begin{aligned} |\langle P(D)v, \varphi \rangle| &= |\langle v, P(-D)\varphi \rangle| \leq \|v\|_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{*H^r} \|P(-D)\varphi\|_{q',(k\tilde{Q})'}^{H^r} \\ &\leq K \|v\|_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{*H^r} \|\varphi\|_{q',k'}^{H^r} \end{aligned}$$

for any $\varphi \in \mathcal{D}$. In particular this means that $P(D)v \in \mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{*H^r}$ and

$$\|P(D)v\|_{q,k}^{*H^r} \leq K \|v\|_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{*H^r}. \quad \square$$

2.10. PROPOSITION. — Let $P, Q \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$ with $P \sim Q$, $H^r = (\eta_s)_{s=1}^r$ as in Definition 2.5 and $\rho := \sup\{|\tilde{H}^{r-1}(\xi, z')|_\infty \mid \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n,$

$z' \in \mathbf{T}^{r-1}$ ($\rho := 0$ if $r = 1$). Assume that with some constant $A > 0$ we have

$$\tilde{P}(-\xi) \leq A|P(-\xi - \zeta - z_r \eta_r(\xi))| : \quad \xi \in \mathbf{R}^n, \zeta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{C}^n}(\rho), z_r \in \mathbf{T}^1 .$$

Then the operator $P(D) : \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{*H^r} \rightarrow \mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{*H^r}$ is surjective.

Proof. — Since $\tilde{Q}(-\xi) \leq B\tilde{P}(-\xi)$ the assumption implies that

$$(2.10) \quad \|P(-D)\varphi\|_{q',(k\tilde{Q})}^{H^r} \geq (AB)^{-1}\|\varphi\|_{q',k'}^{H^r} : \quad \varphi \in \mathcal{D} .$$

Now let $w \in \mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{*H^r}$ be given. Then by (2.10) the mapping

$$P(-D)\varphi \mapsto \langle w, \varphi \rangle$$

is a well-defined continuous linear form on the subspace $P(-D)\mathcal{D}$ of $E := (\mathcal{D}, \|\cdot\|_{q',(k\tilde{Q})}^{H^r})$. By the Hahn-Banach theorem there exists a continuous extension v of this form to the whole of E and Corollary 2.8 implies that $v \in \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{*H^r}$. Finally it is clear that

$$\langle P(D)v, \varphi \rangle = \langle v, P(-D)\varphi \rangle = \langle w, \varphi \rangle : \quad \varphi \in \mathcal{D} ,$$

i.e. $P(D)v = w$. □

3. Parameter depending differential operators.

We come back to the main topic of this article. Let $Q \in \text{Pol}'(n, m)$ be fixed. Consider a family of differential operators

$$(3.1) \quad P(\lambda, D) = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m} a_\alpha(\lambda) D^\alpha ,$$

where the coefficients a_α (constant with respect to x) are analytic functions of a parameter λ varying in a complex manifold Λ . The only assumption we make is that for each value of λ the polynomial $P(\lambda, \cdot)$ is equally strong as Q . Denoting by $\{R_1, \dots, R_\nu\}$ any fixed basis of the vector space $\mathbf{W}(Q)$ we can write

$$(3.2) \quad P(\lambda, D) = \sum_{\mu=1}^{\nu} b_\mu(\lambda) R_\mu(D)$$

with analytic functions $b_\mu : \Lambda \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$. Recall (1.1 (iii)) that the set $\mathbf{E}(Q)$ is a holomorphically convex open submanifold of $\mathbf{W}(Q)$. Hence we may take in (3.2) $\Lambda = \mathbf{E}(Q)$ and $\{b_\mu\}$ as the coordinate functions of P with respect to the basis $\{R_\mu\}$.

It \mathcal{E} is a locally convex vector space we denote by $\mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathcal{E})$ the set of all analytic functions $e : \Lambda \rightarrow \mathcal{E}$. Further let $\sigma \in C^\infty[0, \infty)$ be any fixed weight function as in Definition 2.2. Recall that $\mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{-\sigma} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{\text{loc}}$ for $1 \leq q \leq \infty$, $k \in \mathcal{K}$.

3.1. THEOREM. — Let $1 \leq q \leq \infty$ and $k \in \mathcal{K}$. Assume that Λ is a Stein manifold. Then for any $g \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathbf{B}_{q,k})$ there exists $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{-\sigma})$ such that

- (i) $P(\lambda, D)f(\lambda) = g(\lambda)$, $\lambda \in \Lambda$;
- (ii) $R(D)f \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{-\sigma})$ for any $R \in \mathbf{W}(Q)$.

In the following corollaries we do not make any assumptions concerning Λ :

3.2 COROLLARY. — Let $1 \leq q \leq \infty$ and $k \in \mathcal{K}$. Then for any $g_0 \in \mathbf{B}_{q,k}$ there exists $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{-\sigma})$ such that $P(\lambda, D)f(\lambda) \equiv g_0$, and 3.1 (ii) holds.

Proof. — By our above remark we may take P itself as a parameter varying in the Stein manifold $\mathbf{E}(Q)$. Theorem 3.1 yields a function $\tilde{f} \in \mathcal{H}(\mathbf{E}(Q), \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{-\sigma})$ such that $P(D)\tilde{f}(P) = g_0$, $P \in \mathbf{E}(Q)$. Since the mapping $\lambda \mapsto p(\lambda) := P(\lambda, \cdot)$ is analytic with values in $\mathbf{E}(Q)$ we have $f := \tilde{f} \circ p \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{-\sigma})$ and $P(\lambda, D)f(\lambda) \equiv g_0$. □

By δ we denote the Dirac distribution at 0, $\langle \delta, \varphi \rangle := \varphi(0)$. The next corollary answers a question of L. Hörmander ([H2], p. 59) :

3.3. COROLLARY. — There exists $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathbf{B}_{\infty, \tilde{Q}}^{-\sigma})$ such that $P(\lambda, D)f(\lambda) \equiv \delta$, and 3.1 (ii) holds with $q = \infty$, $k \equiv 1$.

Proof. — This is a special case of Corollary 3.2 since with $k \equiv 1$ we have $\delta = g_0 \in \mathbf{B}_{\infty, k}$. □

3.4. Remark. — If Λ is an open subset of \mathbb{R}^d (or a real analytic manifold) then the analogues of Theorem 3.1 and its corollaries hold with “analytic” replaced by “real analytic”.

Proof. — By a result of Grauert [G] there exists a neighborhood basis of Λ in \mathbb{C}^d consisting of holomorphically convex open sets. Using this

the real analytic case can be reduced to the analytic one (cf. [M]). □

It remains to prove Theorem 3.1. If $\mathfrak{F}, \mathfrak{G}$ are Banach spaces we denote by $\mathcal{L}(\mathfrak{F}, \mathfrak{G})$ the space of all bounded linear operators from \mathfrak{F} to \mathfrak{G} equipped with the operator norm topology. In the proof of 3.1 we shall make use of the following result of J. Leiterer [L].

3.5. THEOREM. — *Let $\mathfrak{F}, \mathfrak{G}$ be Banach spaces and Λ a complex Stein manifold. Let $\mathfrak{T} \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathcal{L}(\mathfrak{F}, \mathfrak{G}))$ such that $\mathfrak{T}(\lambda)\mathfrak{F} = \mathfrak{G}$ for each $\lambda \in \Lambda$. Then*

(a) *There exists for each function $g \in \mathcal{H}(\lambda, \mathfrak{G})$ a function $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathfrak{F})$ such that $\mathfrak{T}(\lambda)f(\lambda) = g(\lambda), \lambda \in \Lambda$.*

(b) *For any open subset Λ' of Λ let $\mathcal{N}(\Lambda') := \{f \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda', \mathfrak{F}) \mid \mathfrak{T}(\lambda)f(\lambda) \equiv 0\}$. If Λ' is holomorphically convex then the set $\mathcal{N}(\Lambda)|_{\Lambda'}$ of restrictions to Λ' of functions in $\mathcal{N}(\Lambda)$ is dense in $\mathcal{N}(\Lambda')$.*

Proof of Theorem 3.1. — Let $\{\Lambda_r\}_{r \in \mathbb{N}}$ be an exhausting sequence of open submanifolds of Λ such that each Λ_r is holomorphically convex, $\bar{\Lambda}_r$ is compact and $\bar{\Lambda}_r \subseteq \Lambda_{r+1}$. For each $r \in \mathbb{N}$ we inductively choose a bounded measurable function $H^r = (\eta_s)_{s=1}^r : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow (\mathbb{R}^n)^r$ in the following way : set $\rho_r := \sup\{|\tilde{H}^{r-1}(\xi, z')|_\infty \mid \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n, z' \in \mathbb{T}^{r-1}\}$ ($\rho_1 := 0$). Then by Theorem 1.2 there exist $A_r \geq 1$ and a bounded measurable function $\eta_r : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ such that for all $\lambda \in \bar{\Lambda}_r, \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n, \zeta \in \mathbf{B}_{\mathbb{C}^n}(\rho_r), z_r \in \mathbb{T}^1$ we have

$$(3.3) \quad \tilde{P}(\lambda, -\xi) \leq A_r |P(\lambda, -\xi - \zeta - z_r \eta_r(\xi))| .$$

Thus, H^r is defined for each $r \in \mathbb{N}$. Now consider the spaces

$$\mathfrak{F}_r := \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{*H^r}, \quad \mathfrak{G}_r := \mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{*H^r} : \quad r \in \mathbb{N} .$$

By (2.1), (2.4) and (2.7) we have the embeddings

$$(3.4) \quad \mathfrak{F}_r \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{F}_{r+1} \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{F} := \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{-\sigma} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{q,k\tilde{Q}}^{\text{loc}} ,$$

$$(3.5) \quad \mathbf{B}_{q,k} \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{G}_r \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{G}_{r+1} \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{G} := \mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{-\sigma} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{B}_{q,k}^{\text{loc}} .$$

Consider the representation (3.2) of $P(\lambda, D)$. From Proposition 2.9 we know that each $R_\mu(D)$ induces a bounded linear operator from \mathfrak{F}_r into \mathfrak{G}_r . Hence the mapping $\lambda \mapsto P(\lambda, D)$ is analytic with values in $\mathcal{L}(\mathfrak{F}_r, \mathfrak{G}_r)$. From (3.3) and Proposition 2.10 we conclude that $P(\lambda, D)\mathfrak{F}_r = \mathfrak{G}_r$ for each $\lambda \in \bar{\Lambda}_r$. Furthermore, $g \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathfrak{G}_r)$ by (3.5). It follows from part (a) of Theorem 3.5 that there exists for each $r \in \mathbb{N}$ a function $\hat{f}_r \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda_r, \mathfrak{F}_r)$ such that

$$P(\lambda, D)\hat{f}_r(\lambda) = g(\lambda) : \quad \lambda \in \Lambda_r .$$

We construct a sequence of functions $f_r \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda_r, \mathfrak{F}_r)$ as follows. Put $f_1 := \tilde{f}_1$ and assume that f_1, \dots, f_r are already defined. Consider then

$$\delta_{r+1}(\lambda) := \tilde{f}_{r+1}(\lambda) - f_r(\lambda) : \lambda \in \Lambda_r .$$

By (3.4) we have $\delta_{r+1} \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda_r, \mathfrak{F}_{r+1})$ and we may assume inductively that

$$P(\lambda, D)\delta_{r+1}(\lambda) = 0 : \lambda \in \Lambda_r .$$

By part (b) of Theorem 3.5 there exists for arbitrary $\varepsilon_{r+1} > 0$ a function $c_{r+1} \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda_{r+1}, \mathfrak{F}_{r+1})$ with the properties

$$P(\lambda, D)c_{r+1}(\lambda) = 0 : \lambda \in \Lambda_{r+1} ; \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda_{r-1}} \|\delta_{r+1}(\lambda) - c_{r+1}(\lambda)\|_{\mathfrak{F}_{r+1}} \leq \varepsilon_{r+1} ,$$

where for convenience we put $\Lambda_0 := \emptyset$. Since $\mathfrak{F}_{r+1} \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{F}$, $\mathfrak{G}_{r+1} \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{G}$ and the operators $R_\mu(D) : \mathfrak{F}_{r+1} \rightarrow \mathfrak{G}_{r+1}$ ($\mu = 1, \dots, \nu$) are continuous (Proposition 2.9) one can choose ε_{r+1} so small that

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda_{r-1}} \|\delta_{r+1}(\lambda) - c_{r+1}(\lambda)\|_{\mathfrak{F}} &\leq 2^{-r} , \\ \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda_{r-1}} \|R_\mu(D)(\delta_{r+1}(\lambda) - c_{r+1}(\lambda))\|_{\mathfrak{G}} &\leq 2^{-r} : \mu = 1, \dots, \nu . \end{aligned}$$

With this choice of c_{r+1} we set

$$f_{r+1}(\lambda) := \tilde{f}_{r+1}(\lambda) - c_{r+1}(\lambda) : \lambda \in \Lambda_{r+1} .$$

We obtain a sequence of functions $f_r \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda_r, \mathfrak{F}_r) \subseteq \mathcal{H}(\Lambda_r, \mathfrak{F})$ with the properties

$$(3.6) \quad P(\lambda, D)f_r(\lambda) = g(\lambda) : \lambda \in \Lambda_r ,$$

$$(3.7) \quad \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda_{r-1}} \|f_{r+1}(\lambda) - f_r(\lambda)\|_{\mathfrak{F}} \leq 2^{-r} ,$$

$$(3.8) \quad \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda_{r-1}} \|R_\mu(D)(f_{r+1}(\lambda) - f_r(\lambda))\|_{\mathfrak{G}} \leq 2^{-r} : \mu = 1, \dots, \nu .$$

By (3.7) the limit

$$f(\lambda) := \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} f_r(\lambda)$$

exists in \mathfrak{F} for each $\lambda \in \Lambda$, and $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathfrak{F})$. Since $\{R_\mu\}$ is a basis of $\mathbf{W}(Q)$ we conclude from (3.8) that $R(D)f \in \mathcal{H}(\Lambda, \mathfrak{G})$ for any $R \in \mathbf{W}(Q)$. Finally it is clear by (3.6) that $P(\lambda, D)f(\lambda) \equiv g(\lambda)$ since for fixed $\lambda \in \Lambda$ the sequence $\{f_r(\lambda)\}$ converges in $\mathbf{B}_{q, k\tilde{Q}}^{\text{loc}}$ and the operator $P(\lambda, D) : \mathbf{B}_{q, k\tilde{Q}}^{\text{loc}} \rightarrow \mathbf{B}_{q, k}^{\text{loc}}$ is continuous ([H2], 10.1.22). The proof is complete. \square

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