

Explicit formulas for the reproducing kernels of the space of harmonic polynomials in the case of real rank 1

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**Introduction.**

Let  $H_n(\mathbb{C}^p)$  be the space of homogeneous harmonic polynomials on  $\mathbb{C}^p$  of degree  $n$  ( $p \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $p \geq 2$ ). It is well known that the restriction mapping  $f \rightarrow f|_{S^{p-1}}$  is a bijection from  $H_n(\mathbb{C}^p)$  onto  $H_n(S^{p-1})$ , where  $H_n(S^{p-1})$  is the space of spherical harmonics of degree  $n$  in dimension  $p$ . This fact can be extended to the following form:

**Theorem 0.1** (cf. [2], [5], [7], [11]). *Let  $\mathcal{O}(\neq \{0\})$  be any  $SO(p)$ -orbit in  $\mathbb{C}^p$ . Then, the restriction mapping  $r_{\mathcal{O}} : f \rightarrow f|_{\mathcal{O}}$  is a bijection from  $H_n(\mathbb{C}^p)$  onto  $H_n(\mathbb{C}^p)|_{\mathcal{O}}$ .*

In addition, we can express the inverse formula of this map  $r_{\mathcal{O}}$  explicitly as an integral on the orbit  $\mathcal{O}$ , by using the Legendre polynomials (for details, see [2], [5], [7], [11]).

On the other hand, according to the formulation in [4], classical harmonic polynomials on  $\mathbb{C}^p$  can be canonically identified with the harmonic polynomials on the space  $\mathfrak{p}$ , where  $\mathfrak{so}(p, 1) = \mathfrak{k}_{\mathbb{R}} + \mathfrak{p}_{\mathbb{R}}$  is the Cartan decomposition of the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{so}(p, 1)$  and  $\mathfrak{p}$  is the complexification of  $\mathfrak{p}_{\mathbb{R}}$ . In this situation, any  $SO(p)$ -orbit in  $\mathbb{C}^p$  corresponds to a  $K_{\mathbb{R}}$ -orbit in  $\mathfrak{p}$ , where  $K_{\mathbb{R}} = \exp \text{ad } \mathfrak{k}_{\mathbb{R}}$ . Therefore, Theorem 0.1 can be reformulated in this Lie algebraic form, and we can express the inverse formula  $r_{\mathcal{O}}^{-1}(f)$  explicitly from this standpoint (Theorem 1.2).

In this note we shall give explicit reproducing formulas of harmonic polynomials on each single  $K_{\mathbb{R}}$ -orbit  $\mathcal{O}$  for two remaining classical real rank 1 cases  $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}} = \mathfrak{su}(p, 1)$  and  $\mathfrak{sp}(p, 1)$  ( $p \geq 1$ ), and show that the similar results as in Theorem 0.1 hold for these cases. This is an extension of our previous note [10], where we expressed the inverse formula as an integral on every nilpotent  $K_{\mathbb{R}}$ -orbit in  $\mathfrak{p}$ .

§ 1. Harmonic polynomials on  $\mathfrak{p}$ .

In this section we fix notations which we use in this note and recall the definitions and the results on harmonic polynomials on  $\mathfrak{p}$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a complex semisimple Lie algebra,  $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$  be a noncompact real form of  $\mathfrak{g}$ , and let  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{k} + \mathfrak{p}$  be the complexification of the Cartan decomposition  $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}} = \mathfrak{k}_{\mathbb{R}} + \mathfrak{p}_{\mathbb{R}}$ . We put  $G$

$= \exp \operatorname{ad} \mathfrak{g}$  and  $K_\theta = \{g \in G; \theta g = g\theta\}$ , where  $\theta : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$  is defined by  $\theta = 1$  on  $\mathfrak{k}$  and  $\theta = -1$  on  $\mathfrak{p}$ . Let  $K$  be the identity component of  $K_\theta$ . Then we have  $K = \exp \operatorname{ad} \mathfrak{k}$ .

Now we define harmonic polynomials on  $\mathfrak{p}$ .  $S$  and  $S_n$  denote the spaces of polynomials on  $\mathfrak{p}$  and homogeneous polynomials on  $\mathfrak{p}$  of degree  $n$ , respectively. For  $f \in S$  and  $g \in K_\theta$ ,  $gf$  is defined by  $(gf)(X) = f(g^{-1}X)$  ( $X \in \mathfrak{p}$ ).  $J$  denotes the ring of  $K$ -invariant polynomials on  $\mathfrak{p}$  and we put  $J_+ = \{f \in J; f(0) = 0\}$ . It is known that  $J$  is also  $K_\theta$ -invariant. According to the definition in [4],  $f \in S$  is harmonic if and only if  $(\partial P)f = 0$  for any  $P \in J_+$ .  $\mathcal{H}_n$  denotes the space of homogeneous harmonic polynomials on  $\mathfrak{p}$  of degree  $n$ . We put  $\mathbf{Z}_+ = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ . The following results are known:

**Theorem 1.1** (cf. [1], [4]). (i) For any  $n \in \mathbf{Z}_+$  we have

$$S_n = (J_+S)_n \oplus \mathcal{H}_n,$$

where  $(J_+S)_n = S_n \cap J_+S$ .

(ii) We put  $\mathcal{N} = \{X \in \mathfrak{p}; P(X) = 0 \text{ for any } P \in J_+\}$  and  $h(X, Y) = \operatorname{Tr}({}^t X \bar{Y})$  for  $X, Y \in \mathfrak{p}$ . Then  $\mathcal{H}_n$  is generated by  $\{h(\cdot, Z)^n; Z \in \mathcal{N}\}$ .

(iii) Let  $\Gamma$  be a maximal dimensional  $K_\theta$ -orbit in  $\mathfrak{p}$ . Then the restriction mapping  $f \rightarrow f|_\Gamma$  is a bijection from  $\mathcal{H}_n$  onto  $\mathcal{H}_n|_\Gamma$ .

For harmonic polynomials on  $\mathfrak{p}$  for general semisimple Lie algebras  $\mathfrak{g}$ , see [4].

From now we consider the case where  $\mathfrak{g}_\mathbf{R}$  is classical real rank 1, i.e.,  $\mathfrak{g}_\mathbf{R} = \mathfrak{so}(p, 1)$ ,  $\mathfrak{su}(p, 1)$  or  $\mathfrak{sp}(p, 1)$ . In this note we assume that  $p \in \mathbf{N}$ ,  $p \geq 2$ , unless otherwise stated. Let  $K_\mathbf{R}$  be the adjoint group of  $\mathfrak{k}_\mathbf{R}$ . We consider  $K_\mathbf{R} \subset K$  and  $\mathfrak{p}_\mathbf{R} \subset \mathfrak{p}$ . Let  $B(X, Y)$  ( $X, Y \in \mathfrak{g}$ ) be the Killing form of  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Then,  $J$  is generated by  $B(X, X)$  ( $X \in \mathfrak{p}$ ). We put  $\Sigma = \{X \in \mathfrak{p}; B(X, X) = 1\}$  and  $\Sigma_\mathbf{R} = \Sigma \cap \mathfrak{p}_\mathbf{R}$ . In this case we see that  $\Sigma_\mathbf{R}$  consists of one  $K_\mathbf{R}$ -orbit and that  $\mathcal{H}_n \simeq \mathcal{H}_n|_{\Sigma_\mathbf{R}}$  (see [5], [8], [9]).

Now we recall the results in the case of  $\mathfrak{so}(p, 1)$ . When  $\mathfrak{g}_\mathbf{R} = \mathfrak{so}(p, 1)$ ,  $J$  is generated by  $P(X) = \operatorname{Tr}({}^t X X)$  ( $X \in \mathfrak{p}$ ). We put

$$Q_{n,p}(X, Y) = 2^{-n} P_{n,p} \left( \frac{h(X, Y)}{(P(X)P(\bar{Y}))^{1/2}} \right) (P(X)P(\bar{Y}))^{n/2} \quad (X, Y \in \mathfrak{p}),$$

where  $P_{n,p}$  is the Legendre polynomial of degree  $n$  and dimension  $p$ . Then the following results hold:

**Theorem 1.2** (cf. [2], [5], [7], [11]). Assume that  $\mathfrak{g}_\mathbf{R} = \mathfrak{so}(p, 1)$  ( $p \geq 2$ ).

(i) Let  $\mathcal{O} (\neq \{0\})$  be a  $K_\mathbf{R}$ -orbit in  $\mathfrak{p}$ . Then the restriction mapping  $r_\mathcal{O} : f \rightarrow f|_\mathcal{O}$  is a bijection from  $\mathcal{H}_n$  onto  $\mathcal{H}_n|_\mathcal{O}$ .

(ii) We have for  $f \in \mathcal{H}_n|_\mathcal{O}$

$$r_\mathcal{O}^{-1} f(X) = \dim \mathcal{H}_n \int_\mathcal{O} f(Y) Q_{n,p}(X, Y) d\mu_\mathcal{O}(Y) \quad (X \in \mathfrak{p}),$$

where  $d\mu_{\mathcal{O}}$  is the normalized  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$ -invariant measure on  $\mathcal{O}$ .

## § 2. Integral formulas of harmonic polynomials: The case of $\mathfrak{su}(p, 1)$ .

In this section we give the reproducing kernel of  $\mathcal{H}_n$  on any  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$ -orbit in  $\mathfrak{p}$  in the case of  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}(p+1, \mathbf{C})$  and  $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbf{R}} = \mathfrak{su}(p, 1)$  ( $p \in \mathbf{N}$ ,  $p \geq 2$ ).

In this case, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{k}_{\mathbf{R}} &= \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha \end{pmatrix} ; A \in \mathfrak{u}(p), \alpha \in \mathfrak{u}(1), \operatorname{Tr} A + \alpha = 0 \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{p}_{\mathbf{R}} &= \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ {}^t\bar{x} & 0 \end{pmatrix} ; x \in \mathbf{C}^p \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{k} &= \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha \end{pmatrix} ; A \in M(p, \mathbf{C}), \operatorname{Tr} A + \alpha = 0 \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{p} &= \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ {}^t y & 0 \end{pmatrix} ; x, y \in \mathbf{C}^p \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

and  $K_{\mathbf{R}} = \operatorname{Ad} S(U(p) \times U(1)) = \{ \operatorname{Ad} \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} ; A \in U(p) \}$ . For  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ {}^t y & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{p}$ ,  $P(X) = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr}(X^2) = {}^t y x$  gives a generator of  $J$ . We put  $\mathcal{N} = \{X \in \mathfrak{p} ; P(X) = 0\}$ ,  $\Sigma = \{X \in \mathfrak{p} ; P(X) = 1\}$  and  $\Sigma_{\mathbf{R}} = \Sigma \cap \mathfrak{p}_{\mathbf{R}}$ .  $\mathcal{H}_n = \{f \in S_n ; \sum_{j=1}^p \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_j \partial y_j} f = 0\}$  is the space of homogeneous harmonic polynomials on  $\mathfrak{p}$  of degree  $n$ . For  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ {}^t y & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{p}$  we define the bijection  $\Psi : \mathfrak{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^{2p}$  by  $\Psi(X) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} x+y \\ i(y-x) \end{pmatrix}$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{H}_n$  if and only if  $f \circ \Psi^{-1} \in H_n(\mathbf{C}^{2p})$  and we have  $\dim \mathcal{H}_n = \dim H_n(\mathbf{C}^{2p}) = \frac{2(n+p-1)(n+2p-3)!}{n!(2p-2)!}$ .

Remark that the mapping  $\Psi : \Sigma_{\mathbf{R}} \rightarrow S^{2p-1}$  is bijective and  $\tilde{H}_n(X, Y) = Q_{n, 2p}(\Psi(X), \Psi(Y))$  is the reproducing kernel of  $\mathcal{H}_n$  on  $\Sigma_{\mathbf{R}}$  (see [8] Proposition 2.1).

For  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ {}^t y & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{p}$  and  $g = \operatorname{Ad} \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \in K_{\mathbf{R}}$  ( $A \in U(p)$ ) we have  $gX = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & Ax \\ {}^t(\bar{A}y) & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . We put

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{E}_r &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & r e_1 \\ \sqrt{1-r^2} {}^t e_2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{N} \quad (0 \leq r \leq 1), \\ E_1 &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & e_1 \\ {}^t e_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \Sigma_{\mathbf{R}}, \\ \tilde{E}_{r,q} &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & r e_1 \\ {}^t((1/r)e_1 + q e_2) & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \Sigma \quad (r > 0, q \geq 0), \end{aligned}$$

where  $e_1 = {}^t(10 \cdots 0)$ , and  $e_2 = {}^t(01 \cdots 0)$ . Then we have

$$K_{\mathbf{R}} E_1 = \Sigma_{\mathbf{R}} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathfrak{p} = \mathcal{N} \cup \bigcup_{\lambda \in \mathbf{C} \setminus \{0\}} \lambda \Sigma.$$

Remark that

$$\Sigma = \bigcup_{q \geq 0, r > 0} K_{\mathbf{R}} \tilde{E}_{r,q} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathcal{N} = \bigcup_{\rho \geq 0, 0 \leq r \leq 1} K_{\mathbf{R}}(\rho \tilde{E}_r)$$

give the  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$ -orbit decompositions of  $\Sigma$  and  $\mathcal{N}$ , respectively.

We put  $\Lambda = \{(n, k); n \in \mathbf{Z}_+, 0 \leq k \leq n\}$ . For  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ \epsilon_y & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $Y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a \\ \epsilon_b & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{p}$  we put  $\tilde{K}_{n,k}(X, Y) = (x \cdot \bar{a})^k (y \cdot \bar{b})^{n-k}$  ( $(n, k) \in \Lambda$ ), where  $z \cdot w = {}^t z w$  for  $z, w \in \mathbf{C}^p$ . It is clear that  $\tilde{K}_{n,k}(\cdot, Y) \in \mathcal{H}_n$  ( $Y \in \mathcal{N}$ ). Let  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  be the space which is spanned by the elements  $\tilde{K}_{n,k}(\cdot, Y)$  ( $Y \in \mathcal{N}$ ). The equality  $\tilde{K}_{n,k}(gX, gY) = \tilde{K}_{n,k}(X, Y)$  holds for any  $g \in K_{\mathbf{R}}$ ,  $X, Y \in \mathfrak{p}$ . From [6] Theorem 14.4 we can easily see that  $\mathcal{H}_n = \bigoplus_{k=0}^n \mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  gives the  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$ -irreducible decomposition of  $\mathcal{H}_n$  and  $\dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k} = \frac{(p+n-1)(k+p-2)!(n-k+p-2)!}{(p-1)!(p-2)!k!(n-k)!}$ . We put  $E_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \epsilon_1 \\ \epsilon_2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . Then we have the following proposition.

**Proposition 2.1** (cf. [10]). (i) For any  $f \in \mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  and  $X \in \mathfrak{p}$  we have

$$(2.1) \quad \delta_{n,m} \delta_{k,l} f(X) = \dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gE_0) \tilde{K}_{m,l}(X, gE_0) dg.$$

(ii) For any  $f \in \mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  and  $h \in \mathcal{H}_{m,l}$  we have

$$(2.2) \quad \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gE_1) \overline{h(gE_1)} dg = \delta_{n,m} \delta_{k,l} \binom{k+p-2}{k} \binom{n+p-2}{k}^{-1} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gE_0) \overline{h(gE_0)} dg.$$

Now we define  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, Z)$  ( $X, Z \in \mathfrak{p}$ ) by

$$\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, Z) = \dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k} \binom{n+p-2}{k} \binom{k+p-2}{k}^{-1} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} \tilde{K}_{n,k}(X, gE_0) \tilde{K}_{n,k}(gE_0, Z) dg.$$

Clearly we have  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(\cdot, Z) \in \mathcal{H}_n$  ( $Z \in \mathfrak{p}$ ) and

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, Z) &= \overline{\tilde{H}_{n,k}(Z, X)}, \\ \tilde{H}_{n,k}(gX, gZ) &= \tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, Z) \quad (g \in K_{\mathbf{R}}). \end{aligned}$$

We shall show that the reproducing kernel of  $\mathcal{H}_n$  on each  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$ -orbit can be expressed in terms of  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(\cdot, Z)$  ( $Z \in \mathfrak{p}$ ,  $(n, k) \in \Lambda$ ). Our main theorem in this section is the following

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $\mathcal{O} = K_{\mathbf{R}} X_0$ ,  $X_0 \in \mathfrak{p}$  and  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0) \neq 0$  ( $\forall (n, k) \in \Lambda$ ).

(i) The restriction mapping  $r_{\mathcal{O}} : f \rightarrow f|_{\mathcal{O}}$  is a bijection from  $\mathcal{H}_n$  onto  $\mathcal{H}_n|_{\mathcal{O}}$ .

(ii) For  $f \in \mathcal{H}_n|_{\mathcal{O}}$  we have

$$(2.3) \quad r_{\mathcal{O}}^{-1}(f)(X) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k}}{\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0)} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gX_0) \tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, gX_0) dg.$$

To prove Theorem 2.2 we need the following lemma.

**Lemma 2.3.** *Let  $K_0$  be the isotropy group of  $E_1$  in  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$  and  $\mathcal{H}'_{n,k} = \{f \in \mathcal{H}_{n,k}; gf = f \text{ for any } g \in K_0\}$ . If  $f \in \mathcal{H}'_{n,k}$ , we have*

$$(2.4) \quad f = f(E_1)\tilde{H}_{n,k}(\cdot, E_1).$$

*Sketch of Proof.* From [8] Lemmas 2.4 and 2.5 and the definition of  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  we can prove (2.4). q.e.d.

*Proof of Theorem 2.2.* From (2.1)-(2.4) we have for any  $X_0 \in \mathfrak{p}$

$$(2.5) \quad \dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} \tilde{H}_{m,l}(gX_0, E_1)\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, gX_0)dg = \delta_{n,m}\delta_{k,l}\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0)\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, E_1).$$

(2.5) implies that for any  $f \in \mathcal{H}_{m,l}$  and any  $X_0 \in \mathfrak{p}$

$$(2.6) \quad \dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gX_0)\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, gX_0)dg = \delta_{n,m}\delta_{k,l}\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0)f(X)$$

because  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(\cdot, E_1)$  is a generator of  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}$ . (2.6) gives Theorem 2.2. q.e.d.

*Remark 2.4.* From the definition it is valid that

$$\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0) = 0 \quad \text{iff} \quad \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} |\tilde{K}_{n,k}(gX_0, E_0)|^2 dg \quad (X_0 \in \mathfrak{p}).$$

Therefore the following two conditions (2.7) and (2.8) are equivalent.

$$(2.7) \quad \tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0) = 0,$$

$$(2.8) \quad \mathcal{H}_{n,k}|_{K_{\mathbf{R}}X_0} = \{0\}.$$

This implies that  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0) \neq 0$  if and only if  $X_0 \notin \lambda K_{\mathbf{R}}\tilde{E}_1$  and  $X_0 \notin \lambda K_{\mathbf{R}}\tilde{E}_0$  ( $\lambda \in \mathbf{C}$ ).

### § 3. Integral formulas of harmonic polynomials: The case of $\mathfrak{sp}(p, 1)$ .

In this section we consider the case  $\mathfrak{sp}(p, 1)$  ( $p \in \mathbf{N}$ ,  $p \geq 2$ ). From now we put  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sp}(p+1, \mathbf{C})$ ,  $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbf{R}} = \mathfrak{sp}(p, 1)$ ,

$$\mathfrak{k}_{\mathbf{R}} = \left\{ \left( \begin{array}{cccc} A & 0 & B & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 & b \\ -\bar{B} & 0 & \bar{A} & 0 \\ 0 & -\bar{b} & 0 & \bar{a} \end{array} \right); \begin{array}{l} A \in \mathfrak{u}(p), a \in \mathfrak{u}(1), b \in \mathbf{C} \\ B \text{ is } p \times p \text{ symmetric} \end{array} \right\},$$

$$\mathfrak{p}_{\mathbf{R}} = \left\{ \left( \begin{array}{cccc} 0 & x & 0 & y \\ {}^t\bar{x} & 0 & {}^ty & 0 \\ 0 & \bar{y} & 0 & -\bar{x} \\ {}^t\bar{y} & 0 & -{}^tx & 0 \end{array} \right); x, y \in \mathbf{C}^p \right\}.$$

Then we have

$$\mathfrak{k} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 & B & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha & 0 & \beta \\ C & 0 & -{}^tA & 0 \\ 0 & \gamma & 0 & -\alpha \end{pmatrix} ; \begin{array}{l} A, B, C \in M(p, \mathbb{C}) \\ {}^tB = B, {}^tC = C \\ \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{C} \end{array} \right\},$$

$$\mathfrak{p} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x & 0 & w \\ {}^ty & 0 & {}^tw & 0 \\ 0 & z & 0 & -y \\ {}^tz & 0 & -{}^tx & 0 \end{pmatrix} ; x, y, z, w \in \mathbb{C}^p \right\},$$

and

$$K_{\mathbf{R}} = \left\{ \text{Ad} \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 & B & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha & 0 & \beta \\ -\bar{B} & 0 & \bar{A} & 0 \\ 0 & -\bar{\beta} & 0 & \bar{\alpha} \end{pmatrix} \in \text{Ad} U(2p+2) ; \begin{array}{l} {}^tA\bar{A} + {}^t\bar{B}B = I_p, \\ {}^tA\bar{B} = {}^t\bar{B}A, \\ \alpha\bar{\alpha} + \beta\bar{\beta} = 1 \end{array} \right\}.$$

For  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x & 0 & w \\ {}^ty & 0 & {}^tw & 0 \\ 0 & z & 0 & -y \\ {}^tz & 0 & -{}^tx & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{p}$ ,  $P(X) = \frac{1}{4} \text{Tr} X^2 = {}^txy + {}^tz w$  gives a generator of  $J$  and  $\mathcal{H}_n = \{f \in S_n ; \sum_{j=1}^p \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_j \partial y_j} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z_j \partial w_j} \right) f = 0\}$ .

For  $X \in \mathfrak{p}$  we define the mapping  $\Psi : \mathfrak{p} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{4p}$  by  $\Psi(X) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} x+y \\ z+w \\ i(y-x) \\ i(w-z) \end{pmatrix}$ . We can see that  $f \in \mathcal{H}_n$  if and only if  $f \circ \Psi^{-1} \in H_n(\mathbb{C}^{4p})$  and from this fact, we have  $\dim \mathcal{H}_n = \dim H_n(\mathbb{C}^{4p}) = \frac{2(n+2p-1)(n+4p-3)!}{n!(4p-2)!}$ . We put  $\mathcal{N} = \{X \in \mathfrak{p} ; P(X) = 0\}$ ,  $\Sigma = \{X \in \mathfrak{p} ; P(X) = 1\}$  and  $\Sigma_{\mathbf{R}} = \Sigma \cap \mathfrak{p}_{\mathbf{R}}$ . Remark that  $\Psi : \Sigma_{\mathbf{R}} \simeq S^{4p-1}$  and  $\tilde{H}_n(X, Y) = Q_{n,4p}(\Psi(X), \Psi(Y))$  is the reproducing kernel on  $\Sigma_{\mathbf{R}}$  (see [9] Theorem 2.2).

Let  $g = \text{Ad} \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 & B & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha & 0 & \beta \\ -\bar{B} & 0 & \bar{A} & 0 \\ 0 & -\bar{\beta} & 0 & \bar{\alpha} \end{pmatrix} \in K_{\mathbf{R}}$ . If we put  $\Phi(X) = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{4p}$ , we have

$$\Phi(gX) = \begin{pmatrix} A(\bar{\alpha}x + \bar{\beta}w) + B(\bar{\alpha}z - \bar{\beta}y) \\ \bar{B}(-\beta x + \alpha w) + \bar{A}(\alpha y + \beta z) \\ -\bar{B}(\bar{\alpha}x + \bar{\beta}w) + \bar{A}(\bar{\alpha}z - \bar{\beta}y) \\ A(-\beta x + \alpha w) - B(\alpha y + \beta z) \end{pmatrix}.$$

We put  $\tilde{E}_r = \Phi^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} re_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \sqrt{1-r^2}e_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{N}$  ( $0 \leq r \leq 1$ ),  $\tilde{E}_{r,q} = \Phi^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} re_1 \\ (1/r)e_1 + qe_2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \Sigma$  ( $r > 0$ ,

It is clear that  $\mathfrak{p} = \mathcal{N} \cup \bigcup_{\lambda \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}} \lambda \Sigma$ . Remark that

$$\mathcal{N} = \bigcup_{q \geq 0, 1/\sqrt{2} \leq r \leq 1} K_{\mathbf{R}}(q\tilde{E}_r) \quad \text{and} \quad \Sigma = \bigcup_{q \geq 0, r > 0} K_{\mathbf{R}}\tilde{E}_{r,q}$$

give the orbit decompositions of  $\mathcal{N}$  and  $\Sigma$ , respectively. We put  $E_1 = \tilde{E}_{1,0} \in \Sigma_{\mathbf{R}}$ . Then we have  $\Sigma_{\mathbf{R}} = K_{\mathbf{R}}E_1$  ([9] Lemma 2.1). For  $X = \Phi^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix}, Y = \Phi^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ w' \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{p}$  we put

$$\begin{aligned} \langle X, Y \rangle &= \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}({}^t X \bar{Y}) = \Phi(X) \cdot \overline{\Phi(Y)}, \\ K_2(X, Y) &= (x \cdot \bar{x}' + z \cdot \bar{z}')(y \cdot \bar{y}' + w \cdot \bar{w}') + (x \cdot \bar{w}' - z \cdot \bar{y}')(y \cdot \bar{z}' - w \cdot \bar{x}'), \\ \tilde{K}_m(X, Y) &= \frac{\Gamma(2p+m)}{m! \Gamma(2p)} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} \langle g\tilde{E}_1, Y \rangle^m \langle X, g\tilde{E}_1 \rangle^m dg, \\ \tilde{K}_{n,k}(X, Y) &= \tilde{K}_{n-2k}(X, Y) \{K_2(X, Y)\}^k \quad (n \in \mathbf{Z}_+, 0 \leq k \leq [n/2]). \end{aligned}$$

In [10] we showed that  $\tilde{K}_{n,k}(\cdot, Y) \in \mathcal{H}_n$  if  $Y \in \mathcal{N}$ .  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  denotes the subspace of  $\mathcal{H}_n$  spanned by  $\{\tilde{K}_{n,k}(\cdot, Z); Z \in \mathcal{N}\}$ . It is valid that  $\dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k} = \frac{(n-2k+1)^2(2p+n-k-2)!(2p+k-3)!(2p+n-1)}{(n-k+1)!k!(2p-3)!(2p-1)!}$  and  $\mathcal{H}_n = \bigoplus_{q=0}^{[n/2]} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}$  gives the  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$ -irreducible decomposition of  $\mathcal{H}_n$  (cf. [3], [10]). From now we put  $\Lambda = \{(n, k); n \in \mathbf{Z}_+, 0 \leq k \leq [n/2]\}$  and  $E_0 = \Phi^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} e_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ e_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{N}$ . Then we have the following

**Proposition 3.1** (cf. [10]). *For any  $f \in \mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  we have*

$$(3.1) \quad \delta_{n,m} \delta_{k,l} f(X) = \dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gE_0) \tilde{K}_{m,l}(X, gE_0) dg \quad (X \in \mathfrak{p}).$$

Now we define for  $X, Y \in \mathfrak{p}$

$$\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, Y) = \dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k} \binom{n+2p-2}{k} \binom{2p+k-3}{k}^{-1} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} \tilde{K}_{n,k}(X, gE_0) \tilde{K}_{n,k}(gE_0, Y) dg$$

$((n, k) \in \Lambda)$ . From (3.1)  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(\cdot, Y)$  belongs to  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  for any  $Y \in \mathfrak{p}$  and we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, Y) &= \overline{\tilde{H}_{n,k}(Y, X)}, \\ \tilde{H}_{n,k}(gX, gY) &= \tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, Y) \quad (g \in K_{\mathbf{R}}), \\ \tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, Y) &= \binom{n+2p-2}{k} \binom{2p+k-3}{k}^{-1} \tilde{K}_{n,k}(X, Y) \quad (X \in \mathcal{N} \text{ or } Y \in \mathcal{N}). \end{aligned}$$

The purpose of this section is to show that  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(\cdot, Y)$  gives the reproducing kernel of  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  for each  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$ -orbit. Our main theorem is the following

**Theorem 3.2.** (i) For any  $f \in \mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  and any  $X_0 \in \mathfrak{p}$  such that  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0) \neq 0$  we have

$$(3.2) \quad \delta_{n,m} \delta_{k,l} f(X) = \frac{\dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k}}{\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0)} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gX_0) \tilde{H}_{m,l}(X, gX_0) dg.$$

(ii) Assume  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0) \neq 0$  ( $X_0 \in \mathfrak{p}$ ,  $\forall (n, k) \in \Lambda$ ), and put  $\mathcal{O} = K_{\mathbf{R}}X_0$ . Then the restriction mapping  $r_{\mathcal{O}} : f \rightarrow f|_{\mathcal{O}}$  is a bijection from  $\mathcal{H}_n$  onto  $\mathcal{H}_n|_{\mathcal{O}}$ . And for  $f \in \mathcal{H}_n|_{\mathcal{O}}$  we have

$$r_{\mathcal{O}}^{-1}(f)(X) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k}}{\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0)} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gX_0) \tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, gX_0) dg.$$

To prove this theorem we need some lemmas.

**Lemma 3.3** (cf. [10]). For any  $f \in \mathcal{H}_{n,k}$ ,  $h \in \mathcal{H}_{m,l}$  and  $X \in \mathfrak{p}$  we have

$$(3.3) \quad \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gE_1) \overline{h(gE_1)} dg = C_{n,k} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gE_0) \overline{h(gE_0)} dg,$$

where  $C_{n,k} = \binom{k+2p-3}{k} \binom{n+2p-2}{k}^{-1}$ .

**Lemma 3.4.** Let  $K_0$  be the isotropy group of  $E_1$  in  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$  and let  $\mathcal{H}'_{n,k} = \{f \in \mathcal{H}_{n,k} ; gf = f \text{ for any } g \in K_0\}$ . If  $f \in \mathcal{H}'_{n,k}$ , we have

$$(3.4) \quad f = f(E_1) \tilde{H}_{n,k}(\cdot, E_1).$$

*Sketch of Proof.* From (3.1) and [9] Lemma 2.5 we can prove (3.4) with some calculations. q.e.d.

*Proof of Theorem 3.2.* Using (3.1), (3.3) and (3.4), we can prove (i) and (ii) in the same way as the proof of Theorem 2.2. q.e.d.

**Remark 3.5.**  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0) = 0$  if and only if  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}|_{K_{\mathbf{R}}X_0} = \{0\}$ . Therefore we have  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0) \neq 0$  for any  $(n, k) \in \Lambda$  if and only if  $X_0 \notin \lambda K_{\mathbf{R}} \tilde{E}_1$  and  $X_0 \notin \lambda K_{\mathbf{R}} \tilde{E}_0$  ( $\lambda \in \mathbf{C}$ ).

## Appendix.

Combining Theorems 1.2, 2.2, and 3.2, we have the following

**Theorem.** Assume that  $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbf{R}}$  is a classical real simple Lie algebra with real rank 1, i.e.,  $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbf{R}} = \mathfrak{so}(p, 1)$  ( $p \in \mathbf{N}$ ,  $p \geq 2$ ),  $\mathfrak{su}(p, 1)$  or  $\mathfrak{sp}(p, 1)$  ( $p \in \mathbf{N}$ ). Let  $\mathcal{H}_n = \bigoplus_{k=0}^{N(n)} \mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  be the



$K_{\mathbf{R}}$ -irreducible decomposition of  $\mathcal{H}_n$ , where  $N(n)$  is the number of irreducible components. Then we have

(i) If  $\mathcal{O}$  is any  $K_{\mathbf{R}}$ -orbit in  $\mathfrak{p}$  and  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}|_{\mathcal{O}} \neq \{0\}$ , then the restriction mapping  $r_{\mathcal{O}} : f \rightarrow f|_{\mathcal{O}}$  is a bijection from  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}$  onto  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}|_{\mathcal{O}}$ .

(ii) Let  $\tilde{H}_n(X, Y)$  be the reproducing kernel of  $\mathcal{H}_n$  on  $\Sigma_{\mathbf{R}}$  and let  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, Y)$  be the  $\mathcal{H}_{n,k}$ -component of  $\frac{\dim \mathcal{H}_n}{\dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k}} \tilde{H}_n(X, Y)$ . Assume  $X_0 \in \mathfrak{p}$  satisfies  $\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0) \neq 0$  ( $\forall (n, k) \in \Lambda$ ), and put  $\mathcal{O} = K_{\mathbf{R}}X_0$ . Then the restriction mapping  $r_{\mathcal{O}} : f \rightarrow f|_{\mathcal{O}}$  is a bijection from  $\mathcal{H}_n$  onto  $\mathcal{H}_n|_{\mathcal{O}}$ . And for  $f \in \mathcal{H}_n|_{\mathcal{O}}$  we have

$$r_{\mathcal{O}}^{-1}(f)(X) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\dim \mathcal{H}_{n,k}}{\tilde{H}_{n,k}(X_0, X_0)} \int_{K_{\mathbf{R}}} f(gX_0) \tilde{H}_{n,k}(X, gX_0) dg.$$

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