

# Two-microlocal estimates in wavelet theory and related function spaces

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## 1 Introduction

This report is based on the author's talk given at RIMS on November 7th, 2019. Two-microlocal ideas in wavelet analysis are considered. Sections 2 and 3 are taken from [JM] and [MY], respectively. Section 4 deals with some recent results obtained in [Mo].

## 2 What is “two-microlocal estimate” ?

We first give a brief survey of Jaffard-Meyer (1996). See [JM]. The determination of the pointwise regularity of a function  $f$  requires the use of some tools introduced by Bony (1986). See [Bo].

Let  $S_j$  be the “low-pass filter” which, after performing the Fourier transform, is the multiplication by  $\widehat{\varphi}(2^{-j}\xi)$ , where  $\widehat{\varphi}(\xi) = 1$  if  $|\xi| \leq 1/2$  and  $\widehat{\varphi}(\xi) = 0$  if  $|\xi| \geq 1$ . Define  $\Delta_j = S_{j+1} - S_j$ . Thus we have the Littlewood-Paley decomposition:

$$Id = S_0 + \Delta_0 + \Delta_1 + \cdots .$$

The Fourier transform of  $\Delta_j(f)$  is supported by the set  $2^{j-1} \leq |\xi| \leq 2^{j+1}$ .

**Definition 2.1** (Jaffard-Meyer). *Let  $s, s' \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is said to belong to  $C_{x_0}^{s, s'}$  if*

$$|S_0(f)(x)| \leq C(1 + |x - x_0|)^{-s'}$$

and

$$|\Delta_j(f)(x)| \leq C2^{-js}(1 + 2^j|x - x_0|)^{-s'}$$

**Definition 2.2** (Bony). *Let  $s, s' \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is said to belong to  $H_{x_0}^{s, s'}$  if*

$$\|2^{js}(1 + 2^j|x - x_0|)^{s'} \Delta_j(f)\|_{L^2} \leq c_j$$

with  $\sum |c_j|^2 < \infty$ .

**Remark 2.3.** We have the following fact:  $u \in H_{x_0}^{s, -k}$ , with  $k$  being a positive integer, if and only if  $u = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq k} (x - x_0)^\alpha u_\alpha$ , where  $u_\alpha \in H^{s-|\alpha|}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

Let us now consider an orthonormal wavelet basis on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Such a basis is composed by translations and dilations of  $2^n - 1$  functions  $\psi^{(i)}$ . Recall the usual notation

$$\psi_{j,k}^{(i)}(x) = 2^{nj/2} \psi^{(i)}(2^j x - k), \quad j \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}^n.$$

The wavelet decomposition of a function  $f$  will be written

$$f = \sum_{i,j,k} C_{j,k} 2^{nj/2} \psi^{(i)}(2^j x - k).$$

We will usually forget the index  $i$ . The following result is easy to check:

**Proposition 2.4.**  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  belongs to  $C_{x_0}^{s,s'}$  if and only if

$$|C_{j,k}| \leq C 2^{-(s+n/2)j} (1 + 2^j |k 2^{-j} - x_0|)^{-s'}.$$

The following characterization also holds:

**Proposition 2.5.**  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  belongs to  $H_{x_0}^{s,s'}$  if and only if

$$\sum_{j,k} 2^{2js} (1 + 2^j |k 2^{-j} - x_0|)^{2s'} |C_{j,k}|^2 < \infty.$$

Our next purpose is to characterize the two-microlocal spaces in terms of local ‘‘Hölder type’’ conditions. In order to state these conditions, we need the Hölder-Zygmund spaces  $\dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . If  $0 < s < 1$ , then  $f \in \dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is characterized by

$$|f(x) - f(y)| \leq C|x - y|^s.$$

If  $s = 1$ , then  $f \in \dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is characterized by

$$|f(x+h) - 2f(x) + f(x-h)| \leq C|h|.$$

The definition of the case where  $s > 1$  needs higher order differences and is omitted.

It is easily checked that  $f \in \dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  if and only if its wavelet coefficients satisfy the condition

$$|C_{j,k}| \leq C 2^{-(s+n/2)j}.$$

Let  $A \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ . By definition, a function  $f$  belongs to  $C^s(A)$  if it is the restriction to  $A$  of a function  $F$  in  $\dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . The norm of  $f$  is then the infimum of all possible norms of  $F$  in  $\dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Let  $B_\rho$  be the ball  $|x - x_0| \leq \rho$ , and  $\Gamma_\rho$  the annulus  $\rho \leq |x - x_0| \leq 3\rho$ . The following characterizations are the starting point of the talk:

**Theorem 2.6.** If  $s' < 0$ , then  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  belongs to  $C_{x_0}^{s,s'}$  if and only if

$$\|f|_{C^{s+s'}(B_\rho)}\| \leq C\rho^{-s'}. \quad (1)$$

If  $s' > 0$ , then  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  belongs to  $C_{x_0}^{s,s'}$  if and only if  $f \in \dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and

$$\|f|_{C^{s+s'}(\Gamma_\rho)}\| \leq C\rho^{-s'}. \quad (2)$$

*Proof.* We assume that the wavelet  $\psi$  is compactly supported and that  $0 \in \text{supp } \psi$ . See [D]. We denote by  $C'$  the diameter of  $\text{supp } \psi$ . We first suppose that  $f$  belongs to  $C_{x_0}^{s,s'}$  so that its wavelet coefficients satisfy

$$|C_{j,k}| \leq C2^{-(s+n/2)j}(1 + |2^j x_0 - k|)^{-s'}. \quad (3)$$

Note first that if  $s' > 0$ , then the inequality (3) implies that  $|C_{j,k}| \leq C2^{-(s+n/2)j}$ , and so  $f$  belongs to  $\dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . We split the wavelet decomposition

$$f = \sum C_{j,k} \psi_{j,k}$$

into three sums:  $f = f_1 + f_2 + f_3$ : The first,  $f_1$ , corresponds to the wavelets whose supports do not intersect the ball  $B_\rho$  (or the annulus  $\Gamma_\rho$ ), and we can forget this sum.

Next we consider the sum  $f_2$  whose coefficients satisfy  $2^j \rho \leq 10C'$ ; in that case, because  $2^j |k2^{-j} - x_0|$  can be estimated from above by some constant comparable to  $10C'$ , the inequality (3) becomes

$$|C_{j,k}| \leq C2^{-(s+n/2)j},$$

and so  $\|f_2 | \dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)\| \leq C$ . The inequalities (1) and (2) for  $f_2$  follow from this. (The details are omitted.)

Finally we consider the remaining sum  $f_3$  whose coefficients satisfy  $2^j \rho \geq 10C'$ . If  $s' > 0$ , then the inequality (3) becomes

$$|C_{j,k}| \leq C2^{-(s+s'+n/2)j} \rho^{-s'},$$

because the supports of the wavelets are inside the annulus  $\Gamma_\rho$  so that  $|x_0 - k2^{-j}| \geq \rho$ . The corresponding sum  $f_3$  satisfies

$$\|f_3 | \dot{C}^{s+s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)\| \leq C\rho^{-s'}.$$

If  $s' < 0$ , then the inequality (3) implies that

$$|C_{j,k}| \leq C2^{-(s+n/2)j}(1 + 2^j \rho)^{-s'} \leq C2^{-(s+s'+n/2)j} \rho^{-s'}.$$

We have the same conclusion as above.

Conversely let us assume that (1) or (2) holds. We consider a given wavelet  $\psi_{j,k}$ . If  $s' < 0$ , then we take for  $\rho$  the smallest number such that the support of  $\psi_{j,k}$  is completely included in  $B_\rho$  so that any function extending  $f$  outside  $B_\rho$  has the same wavelet coefficient  $C_{j,k}$ , and the inequality (1) implies that

$$2^{(s+s'+n/2)j} |C_{j,k}| \leq C\rho^{-s'}.$$

If  $s' > 0$  and  $|x_0 - k2^{-j}| > 2C'2^{-j}$ , then the support of  $\psi_{j,k}$  is completely included in  $\Gamma_\rho$  when  $\rho = |x_0 - k2^{-j}|/2$  so that any function extending  $f$  outside  $\Gamma_\rho$  has the same wavelet coefficient  $C_{j,k}$ , and the inequality (2) implies that

$$2^{(s+s'+n/2)j} |C_{j,k}| \leq C\rho^{-s'}.$$

If  $s' > 0$  and  $|x_0 - k2^{-j}| \leq 2C'2^{-j}$ , then we have to prove that  $|C_{j,k}| \leq C2^{-(s+n/2)j}$ , which is implied by the assumption that  $f \in \dot{C}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .  $\square$

### 3 Two-microlocal Besov spaces and wavelets

Two-microlocal Besov spaces are considered by Moritoh-Yamada (2004), which is a natural extension of Jaffard-Meyer (1996). See [MY].

We first give the following definition and proposition. See [M] and [T].

**Definition 3.1** (homogeneous Besov space). *Let  $s > 0$  and  $1 \leq p, q \leq \infty$ . Then the homogeneous Besov  $\dot{B}_{p,q}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is defined as the set of all tempered distributions  $f$  (modulo polynomials) satisfying*

$$\|f | \dot{B}_{p,q}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)\| = \left( \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{j\tilde{s}q} \|\mathcal{F}^{-1}(\varphi_j \mathcal{F}f) | L_p(\mathbb{R}^n)\|^q \right)^{1/q} < \infty.$$

Here,  $\mathcal{F}f(\xi)$  denotes the Fourier transform of  $f(x)$ , and  $\{\varphi_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  is a smooth resolution of unity.

**Proposition 3.2.**  *$f \in \dot{B}_{p,q}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  if and only if*

$$\sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{j\tilde{s}q} \left( \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |C_{j,k}|^p \right)^{q/p} < \infty,$$

where  $\tilde{s} = s + n/2 - n/p$ .

We can define the local Besov spaces  $B_{p,q}^s(U)$  by restriction (see the previous section), and we now give the definition of the two-microlocal Besov spaces  $B_{p,q}^{s,s'}(U)$ , where  $U$  is an open subset of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .

**Definition 3.3** (two-microlocal Besov space). *Let  $s > 0$ ,  $s' \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $1 \leq p, q \leq \infty$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is said to belong to the two-microlocal Besov space  $B_{p,q}^{s,s'}(U)$  if the following two-microlocal estimate holds:*

$$\|f | B_{p,q}^{s,s'}(U)\| = \left[ \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{j\tilde{s}q} \left\{ \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \left| (1 + 2^j d(k2^{-j}, U))^{s'} C_{j,k} \right|^p \right\}^{\frac{q}{p}} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} < \infty,$$

where  $d(k2^{-j}, U)$  denotes the distance from  $k2^{-j}$  to  $U$ .

In order to state the local Besov type conditions in our theorem below, we shall use the following notation as an analogue of Hörmander's notation [H]: If  $g(\rho)$  is a function of the real variable  $\rho$ , defined for all positive  $\rho$ , we write  $g(\rho) = \mathcal{O}^{(p)}(\rho^{-s})$  if and only if

$$\int_0^R (g(\rho)\rho^s)^p \frac{d\rho}{\rho} = \int_0^R g(\rho)^p \rho^{sp-1} d\rho < \infty \quad \text{for every } R > 0.$$

**Theorem 3.4.** *Let  $s > 0$ ,  $s' < 0$  and  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . Let  $U$  be an open subset in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and  $A_\rho = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n; d(x, U) < \rho, x \notin U\}$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  belongs to  $B_{p,p}^{s,s'}(U)$  if and only if there exists a decomposition  $f = f_1 + f_2$  such that*

$$f_1 \in \dot{B}_{p,p}^s(\mathbb{R}^n),$$

and

$$\|f_2\|_{B_{p,p}^{s+s'}(A_\rho)} = \mathcal{O}^{(p)}(\rho^{-s'}).$$

*Proof.* We assume that the wavelet  $\psi$  is compactly supported and that  $0 \in \text{supp } \psi$ . We denote by  $C'$  the diameter of the support of the wavelet  $\psi$ . Let  $f \in B_{p,p}^{s,s'}(U)$ . Then its wavelet coefficients satisfy

$$\sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{j\tilde{s}p} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \left| (1 + 2^j d(k2^{-j}, U))^{s'} C_{j,k} \right|^p < \infty. \quad (4)$$

We write  $f$  as

$$f = \sum_{\text{supp } \psi_{j,k} \cap U \neq \emptyset} C_{j,k} \psi_{j,k} + \sum_{\text{supp } \psi_{j,k} \cap U = \emptyset} C_{j,k} \psi_{j,k} =: f_1 + f_2.$$

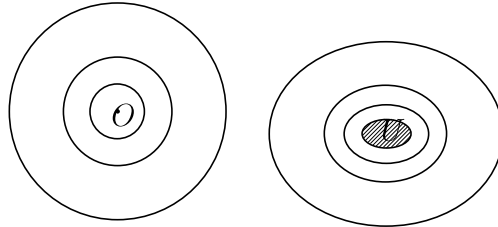
If  $\text{supp } \psi_{j,k} \cap U \neq \emptyset$ , then  $2^j d(2^{-j}k, U)$  is estimated from above by some constant comparable to  $C'$ . Therefore  $f_1 \in \dot{B}_{p,p}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

Next we split the wavelet decomposition of  $f_2$  into three sums  $f_2 = \sum_1 + \sum_2 + \sum_3$ : Let  $R > 0$  be fixed. The first,  $\sum_1$ , corresponds to the wavelets whose supports do not intersect  $A_R$ , and we can forget this sum.

Next we consider the sum  $\sum_2$  whose coefficients satisfy  $2^j R \leq 10C'$ ; in that case, because  $2^j d(2^{-j}k, U)$  can be estimated from above by some constant comparable to  $10C'$ , we have that  $\sum_2 \in \dot{B}_{p,p}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

Finally we consider the remaining sum  $\sum_3$  whose coefficients satisfy  $2^j R \geq 10C'$ . We decompose  $A_R$  into the ‘‘curved annuli’’ as follows:

$$A_R = \bigcup_{m \in \mathbb{Z}; 2^{-m} \leq R} \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n; 2^{-m-1} \leq d(x, U) \leq 2^{-m}\} = \bigcup_{m; 2^m R \geq 1} D_m. \quad (5)$$



By using this decomposition (5), we can write (4) as follows:

$$\sum_{j; 2^j R \geq 10C'} 2^{j\tilde{s}p} \sum_{m; 2^m R \geq 1} (1 + 2^{j-m})^{s'p} \sum_{k; k2^{-j} \in D_m} |C_{j,k}|^p < \infty. \quad (6)$$

The case where  $m > j + L(C')$ ,  $L(C')$  being an integer dependent only on  $C'$ , is negligible because  $\text{supp } \psi_{j,k} \cap U = \emptyset$ . Therefore we obtain from (6) that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{j; 2^j R \geq 10C'} \sum_{\substack{m; 2^m R \geq 1 \\ m \leq j + L(C')}} 2^{j\bar{s}p} 2^{(j-m)s'p} \sum_{k; k2^{-j} \in D_m} |C_{j,k}|^p = \\ & = \sum_{m; 2^m R \geq 1} 2^{-ms'p} \sum_{\substack{j; 2^j R \geq 10C' \\ j \geq m - L(C')}} 2^{jp(\bar{s}+s')} \sum_{k; k2^{-j} \in D_m} |C_{j,k}|^p < \infty. \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

On the other hand, the  $\mathcal{O}^{(p)}$ -condition that for every  $R > 0$ ,

$$\int_0^R \left( \rho^{s'} \|f_2 | B_{p,p}^{s+s'}(A_\rho)\| \right)^p \frac{d\rho}{\rho} < \infty$$

follows from the condition that

$$\sum_{u \in \mathbb{Z}; 2^{-u} \leq R} 2^{-us'p} \sum_{j; 2^j R \geq 10C'} 2^{jp(\bar{s}+s')} \sum_{v \in \mathbb{Z}; v \geq u} \sum_{k; k2^{-j} \in D_v} |C_{j,k}|^p < \infty. \quad (8)$$

Because  $\text{supp } \psi_{j,k} \cap U = \emptyset$ , and the geometric series  $\sum_{u; u \leq v} 2^{-us'p}$  is estimated from above by some constant comparable to  $2^{-vs'p}$  (note that  $s' < 0$ ), this last condition (8) follows from that

$$\sum_{v; 2^v R \geq 1} 2^{-vs'p} \sum_{\substack{j; 2^j R \geq 10C' \\ j \geq v - L(C')}} 2^{jp(\bar{s}+s')} \sum_{k; k2^{-j} \in D_v} |C_{j,k}|^p < \infty. \quad (9)$$

It follows from (7) and (9) that the remaining sum  $\sum_3$  satisfies the local Besov  $\mathcal{O}^{(p)}$ -condition, as desired.

Conversely let us assume that  $f = f_1 + f_2$  satisfies the following conditions:

$$f_1 \in \dot{B}_{p,p}^s(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad (10)$$

and

$$\|f_2 | B_{p,p}^{s+s'}(A_\rho)\| = \mathcal{O}^{(p)}(\rho^{-s'}). \quad (11)$$

We note that if the support of the wavelet  $\psi_{j,k}$  is completely included in  $A_\rho$ , then any function extending  $f_2$  outside  $A_\rho$  has the same wavelet coefficient  $C_{j,k}$ . From this remark and (11), we have that for any  $R > 0$ ,

$$\sum_{u; 2^u R \geq 1} 2^{-us'p} \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{jp(\bar{s}+s')} \sum_{k; k2^{-j} \in A_{2^{-u}}} |C_{j,k}|^p < \infty. \quad (12)$$

The condition (12) is equivalent to that

$$\sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{jp(\bar{s}+s')} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |C_{j,k}|^p \sum_{\substack{u; 2^u R \geq 1 \\ 2^u d(k2^{-j}, U) \leq 1}} 2^{-us'p} < \infty.$$

After the calculation of the geometric sum, we arrive at the following:

$$\sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{jp(\tilde{s}+s')} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |C_{j,k}|^p \left( d(k2^{-j}, U)^{s'p} - R^{s'p} \right) < \infty. \quad (13)$$

Note that  $s' < 0$ . Then as  $R \rightarrow \infty$  in (13), we obtain that

$$\sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{j\tilde{s}p} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \left| (1 + 2^j d(k2^{-j}, U))^{s'} C_{j,k} \right|^p < \infty,$$

that is  $f_2 \in B_{p,p}^{s,s'}(U)$ . Taking into account the assumption (10) that  $f_1 \in \dot{B}_{p,p}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , we conclude that  $f = f_1 + f_2 \in B_{p,p}^{s,s'}(U)$ .  $\square$

## 4 Two-microlocal Besov spaces with dominating mixed smoothness

Moritoh (2016) considers “two-microlocal Besov spaces with dominating mixed smoothness” as a natural extension of Jaffard-Meyer (1996) and Moritoh-Yamada (2004) by taking account of uncertainty functions given by Weyl-Hörmander calculus (Bony-Lerner, 1989). See [Mo] and [BL].

We treat only the case where  $n = 2$ . Let us now consider an orthonormal wavelet basis on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  composed by translations and dilations of  $\psi(x_1)\psi(x_2)$ , where  $\psi(x)$  is a one-dimensional compactly supported smooth wavelet. Let  $\psi_{j,k}(x) = 2^{j/2}\psi(2^jx - k)$  for  $j \in \mathbb{Z}, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Then every  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^2)$  will be written

$$f(x) = \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{Z}^2} C_{\mathbf{j},\mathbf{k}} \psi_{j_1,k_1}(x_1)\psi_{j_2,k_2}(x_2),$$

where  $\mathbf{j} = (j_1, j_2)$  and  $\mathbf{k} = (k_1, k_2)$ .

Let  $s_1, s_2 > 0$  and  $1 \leq p_1, p_2, q_1, q_2 \leq \infty$ . Then the homogeneous Besov space with dominating mixed smoothness  $S\dot{B}_{\mathbf{p},\mathbf{q}}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^2)$  is defined as the set of all tempered distributions  $f$  (modulo polynomials) satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} & \|f|S\dot{B}_{\mathbf{p},\mathbf{q}}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^2)\| \\ &= \left[ \sum_{j_2 \in \mathbb{Z}} \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left( \sum_{j_1 \in \mathbb{Z}} \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left| 2^{j_1 s_1 + j_2 s_2} (\varphi_{j_1} \varphi_{j_2} \hat{f})^\vee(x_1, x_2) \right|^{p_1} dx_1 \right)^{q_1} dx_2 \right)^{p_2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q_2}} < \infty, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathbf{s} = (s_1, s_2)$ ,  $\mathbf{p} = (p_1, p_2)$ ,  $\mathbf{q} = (q_1, q_2)$ , and

$$(\varphi_{j_1} \varphi_{j_2} \hat{f})^\vee(x_1, x_2) = (\varphi_{j_1}(\xi_1) \varphi_{j_2}(\xi_2) \hat{f}(\xi_1, \xi_2))^\vee(x_1, x_2).$$

See Schmeisser-Triebel [ST].

Let us recall the fact that  $f \in S\dot{B}_{\mathbf{p},\mathbf{q}}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^2)$  if and only if

$$\left( \sum_{j_2 \in \mathbb{Z}} \left( \sum_{k_2 \in \mathbb{Z}} \left( \sum_{j_1 \in \mathbb{Z}} \left( \sum_{k_1 \in \mathbb{Z}} |2^{j_1 \tilde{s}_1 + j_2 \tilde{s}_2} C_{\mathbf{j},\mathbf{k}}|^{p_1} \right)^{\frac{q_1}{p_1}} \right)^{\frac{p_2}{q_1}} \right)^{\frac{q_2}{p_2}} \right)^{\frac{1}{q_2}} < \infty,$$

where  $\tilde{s}_i = s_i + 1/2 - 1/p_i$  ( $i = 1, 2$ ). See [B] and [V]. We treat only the case where  $\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{q} = (p, p)$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . We can define the local Besov space  $SB_{p,p}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times A_\rho)$  as usual, where  $\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times A_\rho$  denotes the horizontal strip  $\{(x_1, x_2); x_1 \in \mathbb{R}, |x_2| < \rho\}$  for  $\rho > 0$ . We can also give the definition of the two-microlocal Besov space with dominating mixed smoothness  $SB_{p,p}^{(s_1, s_2), s_3}(\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times \{0\})$  as follows:

**Definition 4.1.** *Let  $s_1, s_2 > 0$ ,  $s_3 \in \mathbb{R}$ , and  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^2)$  is said to belong to the two-microlocal Besov space with dominating mixed smoothness  $SB_{p,p}^{(s_1, s_2), s_3}(\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times \{0\})$  if the following two-microlocal estimate holds:*

$$\begin{aligned} & \|f\|_{SB_{p,p}^{(s_1, s_2), s_3}(\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times \{0\})} \\ & := \left[ \sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{Z}^2} 2^{(j_1 \tilde{s}_1 + j_2 \tilde{s}_2)p} (1 + 2^{j_1} + (|k_2| + 1)2^{-j_2} 2^{j_1 \vee j_2})^{s_3 p} |C_{\mathbf{j},\mathbf{k}}|^p \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} < \infty, \end{aligned}$$

where  $j_1 \vee j_2 = \max\{j_1, j_2\}$ .

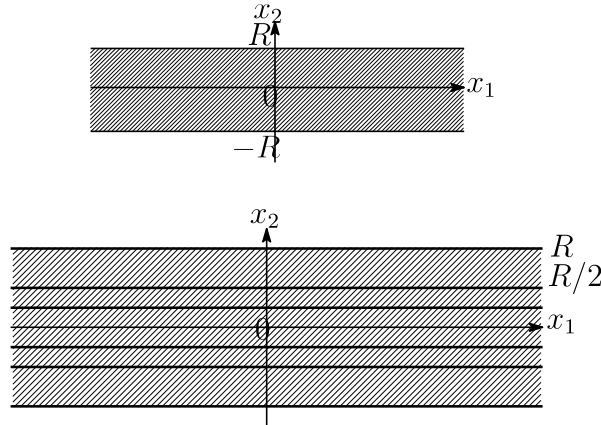
Our main theorem of this section is the following:

**Theorem 4.2.** *Let  $s_i > 0$ ,  $s_3 < 0$ ,  $s_i + s_3 > 0$  ( $i = 1, 2$ ), and  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^2)$  belongs to  $SB_{p,p}^{(s_1, s_2), s_3}(\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times \{0\})$  if and only if there exists a decomposition  $f = f_1 + f_2 + f_3 + f_4$  such that*

$$\begin{aligned} f_1 & \in S\dot{B}_{p,p}^{(s_1, s_2)}(\mathbb{R}^2), \quad f_2 \in S\dot{B}_{p,p}^{(s_1 + s_3, s_2)}(\mathbb{R}^2), \\ f_3 & \in S\dot{B}_{p,p}^{(s_1 + s_3, s_2 - s_3)}(\mathbb{R}^2), \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\|f_4\|_{SB_{p,p}^{(s_1, s_2 + s_3)}(\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times A_\rho)} = \mathcal{O}^{(p)}(\rho^{-s_3}).$$





**Skech of the proof:** We employ the method used in the proof of Theorem 4.2. Let  $f \in SB_{p,p}^{(s_1,s_2),s_3}(\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times \{0\})$ . Then its wavelet coefficients satisfy

$$\sum_{\mathbf{j} \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{Z}^2} 2^{(j_1 \bar{s}_1 + j_2 \bar{s}_2)p} (1 + 2^{j_1} + (|k_2| + 1)2^{-j_2} 2^{j_1 \vee j_2})^{s_3 p} |C_{\mathbf{j},\mathbf{k}}|^p < \infty. \quad (14)$$

We decompose  $f$  as follows:

$$f = f_1 + f_2,$$

where  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  correspond to the cases where  $0 \in \text{supp } \psi_{j_2,k_2}$  and  $0 \notin \text{supp } \psi_{j_2,k_2}$ , respectively.

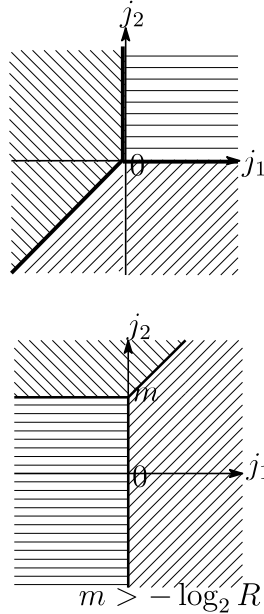
First: We decompose  $f_1$  into three parts according to  $\{j_1 > 0, j_2 > 0\}$ ,  $\{j_2 < 0, j_1 > j_2\}$ , and  $\{j_1 < 0, j_2 > j_1\}$ .

Second: We decompose  $f_2$  into three parts, among which the case where  $2^{j_2} R \geq 10C'$  is the most important.

Third: We decompose this important term into three parts according to  $\{j_1 < 0, j_2 < m\}$ ,  $\{j_1 > 0, j_2 < j_1 + m\}$ , and  $\{j_2 > m, j_2 > j_1 + m\}$ . The last term yields the function  $f_4$  characterized by the local Besov type condition with dominating mixed smoothness.

Summing up, the case where  $2^{j_2} R \geq 10C'$  ( $R$  is a fixed positive number),  $j_2 > m$ ,  $j_2 > j_1 + m$  ( $m > -\log_2 R$ ) yields the function  $f_4$ .

We finally remark that the case where  $j_1 > j_2$  and  $j_2 < 0$  in the wavelet decomposition of  $f_1$  yields the function  $f_3 \in SB_{p,p}^{(s_1+s_3,s_2-s_3)}(\mathbb{R}^2)$ .

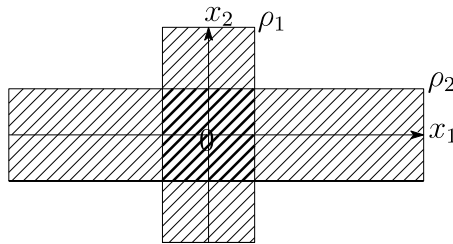


**Remark 4.3.** The idea of this theorem is that every  $f$  belonging to the generalized function space  $SB_{p,p}^{(s_1,s_2),s_3}(\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times \{0\})$  has a good decomposition  $f = \sum_{i=1}^4 f_i$ , where

the term  $f_4$  represents the singularities of the function  $f$  along the line  $\mathbb{R}_{x_1}$ ; they satisfy the local Besov type conditions in the neighborhood of the  $x_1$ -axis. (As we have seen in section 2, every  $f \in B_{p,p}^{s,s'}(x_0)$  has a good decomposition  $f = f_1 + f_2$ , where the term  $f_2$  represents the singularities of the function  $f$  at the point  $x_0$ .) Our future research is a more complete theory of two-microlocal spaces using Weyl-Hörmander calculus.

**Remark 4.4.** The typical examples considered by Jaffard-Meyer are an indefinitely oscillating function of the form  $x^\alpha \sin(1/x^\beta)$ , and Riemann's nondifferentiable function  $\sigma(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (1/n^2) \sin(\pi n^2 x)$ , where the Hölder regularity at a point  $x_0$  depends on the Diophantine approximation properties of  $x_0$ . Higher dimensional singularities will be studied in our future research.

**Remark 4.5.** The two-microlocal Besov spaces of product type are easily introduced and characterized. It is associated with the uncertainty functions  $\lambda_i = 1 + |x_i| |\xi_i|$  ( $i = 1, 2$ ); the norm of the wavelet coefficients  $C_{\mathbf{j}, \mathbf{k}}$  is defined by means of the weighted coefficients  $2^{(j_1 \bar{s}_1 + j_2 \bar{s}_2)} (1 + |k_1|)^{s'_1} (1 + |k_2|)^{s'_2} |C_{\mathbf{j}, \mathbf{k}}|$ .



$$\mathbb{R}_{x_1} \times A_{\rho_2} \text{ and } A_{\rho_1} \times \mathbb{R}_{x_2}$$

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