

# ON SPECTRAL PROPERTIES OF THE MODIFIED CONVOLUTION OPERATOR

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ABSTRACT. We investigated the  $s$ -number of the modified convolution operator and obtained the following results

$$c_1 \sup_{Q \in G} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'} + \frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(x) dx \right| \leq \|\varphi\|_{M_p^q} \leq c_3 \sup_{Q \in F} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'} + \frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(s) ds \right|,$$

where  $1 < p < 2 < q < \infty$ ,  $p' = \frac{p}{p-1}$ ,  $G$  be a set of all segments  $Q$  from  $[0, 1]$ ,  $F$  be a set of all compacts from  $[0, 1]$ ,  $|Q|$  is the measure of a set  $Q$ .

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ,  $0 < q \leq \infty$ . We denote by  $\mathfrak{S}_{p,q}$  the space of all compact operators  $A$ , acting in the space  $L_2[0, 1]$  of all 1-periodic functions square integrable on  $[0, 1]$  for  $s$ -numbers such that the following quasinorm is finite

$$\|A\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p,q}} = \left( \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} s_m^q(A) m^{q/p-1} \right)^{1/q},$$

if  $q < \infty$ , and

$$\|A\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p,\infty}} = \sup_m m^{\frac{1}{p}} s_m \quad \text{if } q = \infty.$$

Recall that the sequence  $s_m(A)$  (the  $s$ - numbers of operator  $A$ ) are numerated eigenvalues of the operator  $\sqrt{A^*A}$ .

We consider the convolution operator

$$(Af)(y) = \int_0^1 K(x-y)f(x)dx$$

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acting in  $L_2[0, 1]$ . Given a function  $\varphi \in L_1[0, 1]$  we consider also the modified convolution operator

$$(A_\varphi f)(y) = \int_0^1 (K\varphi)(x - y)f(x)dx.$$

We say that  $\varphi$  belongs to the space  $M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ , if for  $A \in \mathfrak{S}_{p_0, q_0}$   $A_\varphi \in \mathfrak{S}_{p_1, q_1}$  and

$$\|A_\varphi\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p_1, q_1}} \leq c\|A\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p_0, q_0}},$$

where  $c > 0$  depends only on  $p_0, q_0, p_1, q_1$ .

This means that the linear operator  $R_\varphi$  defined by the equality  $R_\varphi(A) = A_\varphi$  is bounded from  $\mathfrak{S}_{p_0, q_0}$  to  $\mathfrak{S}_{p_1, q_1}$ . Let

$$\|\varphi\|_{M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}} = \|R_\varphi\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p_0, q_0} \rightarrow \mathfrak{S}_{p_1, q_1}}.$$

Given that the eigenvalues of the operator  $K * f$  coincide with the Fourier coefficients of the kernel  $K$  with respect to the trigonometric system, in the case  $p_0 = p_1 = q_0 = q_1 = p$  this problem reduces to the well-known problem of Fourier series multipliers. Let  $K \in L_1([0, 1])$  and  $\{a_m(K)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}$  be the sequence of its Fourier coefficients with respect to the trigonometric system  $\{e^{2\pi i k x}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$ . It is assumed that  $K$  is such that  $\{a_m(K)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \in l_p$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . Let  $T_\varphi = \{a_m(K\varphi)\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} \in l_p$ . The problem is to determine conditions on the function  $\varphi$ , ensuring the boundedness of the operator  $T_\varphi: l_p \rightarrow l_p$ .

This problem was considered in works of S.B. Stechkin [1], I.I. Hirschman [2], S.L. Edelman [3], M.Sh. Birman and M.Z. Solomyak [4], G.E. Karadzhov [5] and others.

We obtain sufficient conditions on a multiplier  $\varphi$  ensuring that it belongs to space  $M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ . These conditions are expressed in terms of Lorentz and Besov spaces. We also construct examples showing the sharpness of the obtained constants for corresponding embedding theorems.

## 2. MAIN RESULTS

Let  $f$  be a  $\mu$  measurable function which takes finite values almost everywhere and let

$$m(\sigma, f) = \mu(\{x : x \in [0, 1], |f| > \sigma\})$$

be its distribution function. The function

$$f^*(t) = \inf\{\sigma : m(\sigma, f) \leq t\}$$

is a nonincreasing rearrangement of  $f$ .

We say that a function  $f$  belongs to the Lorentz space  $L_{p, q}$  if  $f$  is measurable and

$$\|f\|_{L_{p, q}} = \left( \int_0^\infty (t^{\frac{1}{p}} f^*(t))^q \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} < \infty,$$

for  $1 \leq q < \infty$  and

$$\|f\|_{L_{p,\infty}} = \sup_{t>0} t^{\frac{1}{p}} f^*(t) < \infty,$$

for  $q = \infty$ .

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $1 < p_0 < 2 \leq p_1, 1 \leq q_1 \leq q_0 \leq \infty, \frac{1}{r} = \frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1}, \frac{1}{s} = \frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0}$  and  $\varphi \in L_{r,s}[0, 1]$ . If  $A \in \mathfrak{S}_{p_0,q_0}$ , then  $A_\varphi \in \mathfrak{S}_{p_1,q_1}$  and*

$$\|A_\varphi\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p_1,q_1}} \leq c \|\varphi\|_{L_{r,s}} \|A\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p_0,q_0}},$$

*i.e.  $L_{r,s}[0, 1] \hookrightarrow M_{p_0,q_0}^{p_1,q_1}$ .*

In the following theorem the cases  $p = p_0 = q_0, q = p_1 = q_1$  are considered. The upper and the lower estimates of the norm  $\|\varphi\|_{M_p^q}$  ( $M_p^q := M_{p,p}^{q,q}$ ) are obtained.

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $1 < p < 2 < q < \infty, p' = \frac{p}{p-1}$ . Let  $G$  be a set of all segments  $Q$  from  $[0, 1]$ ,  $F$  be a set of all compacts from  $[0, 1]$ , then*

$$c_1 \sup_{Q \in G} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'} + \frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(x) dx \right| \leq \|\varphi\|_{M_p^q} \leq c_3 \sup_{Q \in F} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'} + \frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(s) ds \right|,$$

where  $|Q|$  is the measure of a set  $Q$ .

We shall define the class of generalized monotone functions for which the upper and the lower estimates coincide.

We say that function  $f$  is a generalized monotone function, if there exists a constant  $c > 0$  such that for every  $x \in (0, 1]$  the inequality

$$|f(x)| \leq \frac{c}{x} \left| \int_0^x f(y) dy \right|$$

holds. The class of such functions is denoted by  $\mathfrak{M}$ .

**Corollary 1.** *Let  $1 < p < 2 < q < \infty$ . If  $\varphi \in \mathfrak{M}$ , then  $\varphi \in M_p^q$  if and only if*

$$\sup_{t>0} t^{\frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{q}} \varphi^*(t) < \infty.$$

Moreover,  $\|\varphi\|_{M_p^q} \sim \sup_{t>0} t^{\frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{q}} \varphi^*(t)$ .

In the case parameters  $p_0, p_1$  are both either less or greater than 2, we use the space of smooth functions.

Let  $1 \leq p < \infty, \alpha > 0$ . We denote by  $B_{p,q}^\alpha[0, 1]$  the space of all measurable functions such that

$$\|f\|_{B_{p,q}^\alpha} = \left( \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (2^{\alpha k} \|\Delta_k f\|_p)^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} < \infty$$

for  $1 \leq q < \infty$ , and

$$\|f\|_{B_{p,\infty}^\alpha} = \sup_k 2^{\alpha k} \|\Delta_k f\|_p < \infty$$

for  $q = \infty$ . Here  $\Delta_k f = \sum_{[2^{k-1}] \leq |m| < 2^k} a_m(f) e^{2\pi i m x}$ ,  $\{a_m(f)\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$  are Fourier coefficients of function  $f$  by trigonometric system  $\{e^{2\pi i k x}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$ .

This class is called Nikol'skii-Besov space.

**Theorem 3.** Let  $1 < p_0 \leq p_1 < \infty$ ,  $2 \notin [p_0, p_1]$ ,  $1 < q_0 \leq q_1 \leq \infty$ ,

$$\alpha = \min_{x \in [\frac{1}{p_1}, \frac{1}{p_0}]} \left| \frac{1}{2} - x \right|, \quad \frac{1}{r} = \max_{x \in [\frac{1}{p_1}, \frac{1}{p_0}]} \left| \frac{1}{2} - x \right|, \quad 1 - \frac{1}{s} = \frac{1}{q_0} - \frac{1}{q_1}$$

and  $\varphi \in B_{r,s}^\alpha[0, 1]$ .

If  $A \in \mathfrak{S}_{p_0, q_0}$ , then  $A_\varphi \in \mathfrak{S}_{p_1, q_1}$  and

$$\|A_\varphi\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p_1, q_1}} \leq c \|\varphi\|_{B_{r,s}^\alpha} \|A\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p_0, q_0}},$$

i.e.  $B_{r,s}^\alpha \hookrightarrow M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ .

In the case  $p_0 = p_1 = q_0 = q_1$ , Karadzhov's result (see [5]) follows from Theorem 3:

$$B_{r,1}^{\frac{1}{r}} \hookrightarrow M_p = M_{p,p}^p, \quad \frac{1}{r} = \left| \frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{2} \right|.$$

Now consider the case  $1 \leq q_1 < q_0 \leq \infty$ .

**Theorem 4.** Let  $1 < p_0 < p_1 < \infty$ ,  $1 \leq q_1 < q_0 \leq \infty$ ,  $2 \notin (p_0, p_1)$ ,  $\frac{1}{r} - \alpha = \frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1}$ ,  $\frac{1}{s} = \frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0}$ ,  $\alpha > \min_{x \in [\frac{1}{p_1}, \frac{1}{p_0}]} \left| \frac{1}{2} - x \right|$ .

Then  $B_{r,s}^\alpha[0, 1] \hookrightarrow M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ .

### 3. PROPERTIES OF $M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ CLASS

To prove the properties of  $M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$  class we need the following lemma. We first define a discrete Lorentz space.  $l_{pq}$  is called discrete Lorentz space whose elements are sequences of numbers  $\xi = \{\xi_k\}_{k=\infty}^\infty$  with the only limit point 0, such that

$$\|\xi\|_{l_{pq}} = \left( \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} |\xi_m^*|^q m^{\frac{q}{p}-1} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}, \quad 1 \leq q < \infty$$

where  $\{\xi_m^*\}_{m=1}^\infty$  nonincreasing rearrangement of the sequence  $\{|\xi_k|\}_{k=\infty}^\infty$ .

For  $q = \infty$ ,

$$\|\xi\|_{l_{p\infty}} = \sup_m m^{\frac{1}{p}} \xi_m^*.$$

**Lemma 1.** (see [6]) Let  $1 < r, p_0, p_1 < \infty$ ,  $1 \leq q_0, q_1, s \leq \infty$ . Then

$$\|a * b\|_{l_{p_1, q_1}} \leq c \|b\|_{l_{r, s}} \|a\|_{l_{p_0, q_0}},$$

where  $\frac{1}{p_1} + 1 = \frac{1}{r} + \frac{1}{p_0}$ ,  $\frac{1}{q_1} = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{q_0}$ .

Let  $\bar{A} = (A_0, A_1)$  where  $A_0, A_1$  are Banach spaces be compatible pair. We define the functional  $K(t, a)$  for  $t > 0$  and  $a \in A_0 + A_1$  by the following formula

$$K(t, a) = \inf_{a=a_0+a_1} (\|a_0\|_{A_0} + t\|a_1\|_{A_1}).$$

We denote by  $\bar{A}_{\theta,q,k}$  the space  $\{a \in A_0 + A_1 : \|a\|_{\theta,q,k} = \Phi_{\theta,q}(K(t, a))\}$ , where  $\Phi_{\theta,q}$  is functional defined on the nonnegative functions  $\varphi$  by formula

$$\Phi_{\theta,q}(\varphi(t)) = \left( \int_0^\infty (t^{-\theta}\varphi(t))^q \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}, \quad 1 \leq q < \infty.$$

and

$$\Phi_{\theta,\infty}(\varphi(t)) = \sup_{t>0} t^{-\theta}\varphi(t), \quad q = \infty.$$

Let  $X_{\alpha_1^0, p_1^0}$  and  $X_{\alpha_2^1, p_2^1}$  are the spaces obtained by the method of real interpolation of Banach pairs of spaces  $(X_0^1, X_1^1)$ ,  $(X_0^2, X_1^2)$  respectively.

**Lemma 2.** (see [7]) Let  $0 < \alpha_i, \beta_i < 1$ ,  $1 \leq p_i, q_i \leq \infty$ ,  $i = 0, 1$ ,  $\alpha_0 \neq \alpha_1$ ,  $\beta_0 \neq \beta_1$ . If  $T$  be a bilinear operator:

$$T : X_{\alpha_0, p_0} \times Y_0 \rightarrow Z_{\beta_0, q_0}$$

and

$$T : X_{\alpha_1, p_1} \times Y_1 \rightarrow Z_{\beta_1, q_1}$$

then

$$T : X_{\alpha, p} \times Y_{\theta, r} \rightarrow Z_{\beta, q}.$$

Here  $\alpha = (1 - \theta)\alpha_0 + \theta\alpha_1$ ,  $\beta = (1 - \theta)\beta_0 + \theta\beta_1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{r} > 1$ ,  $1 + \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{r} + (1 - \theta)(\frac{1}{q_0} - \frac{1}{p_0}) + \theta(\frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{p_1})_+$ ,  $x_+ = \max(x, 0)$

**Remark.** Since the  $s$ -numbers of convolution operator  $A$  coincide with the modules of the Fourier coefficients of the kernel  $K$ , the problem of estimating of  $s$ -numbers of "transformed" operator  $A_\varphi$  can be reduced to the study of the following inequality

$$(1) \quad \|a * b\|_{l_{p_1, q_1}} \leq c \|a\|_{l_{p_0, q_0}},$$

and we have to describe the class of those functions  $\varphi$  with Fourier coefficients  $b = \{b_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}$ , for which inequality (1) holds.

**Theorem 5.** 1) Let  $1 \leq p_0, p_1 < \infty$ ,  $1 \leq q_0, q_1 \leq \infty$ ,  $\frac{1}{p_i} + \frac{1}{p_i'} = \frac{1}{q_i} + \frac{1}{q_i'} = 1$ ,  $i = 0, 1$ . Then

$$M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1} = M_{p_1', q_1'}^{p_0', q_0'}.$$

2) Let  $1 < p_0 < r_0 < p_1' < \infty$ ,  $\frac{1}{p_1} + \frac{1}{p_1'} = 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p_1} - \frac{1}{p_0} = \frac{1}{r_1} - \frac{1}{r_0}$ , then

$$M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1} \hookrightarrow M_{r_0, s}^{r_1, t},$$

where  $\frac{1}{t} - \frac{1}{s} = (\frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0})_+$ .

**Proof.** The proof of the first statement follows from Remark and from the fact that  $\|(T_\varphi)^*\| = \|T_{\bar{\varphi}}\|$ , where  $\bar{\varphi}$  is complex conjugate of function  $\varphi$ . Now we prove 2).

Let  $\varphi \in M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ , then by 1) it follows that  $\varphi \in M_{p'_1, q'_1}^{p'_0, q'_0}$ , and

$$\|A_\varphi\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p_1, q_1}} \leq \|\varphi\|_{M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}} \|A\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p_0, q_0}}, \quad \forall A \in \mathfrak{S}_{p_0, q_0},$$

$$\|A_\varphi\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p'_0, q'_0}} \leq \|\varphi\|_{M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}} \|A\|_{\mathfrak{S}_{p'_1, q'_1}}, \quad \forall A \in \mathfrak{S}_{p_1, q_1},$$

where  $\frac{1}{p_i} + \frac{1}{p'_i} = \frac{1}{q_i} + \frac{1}{q'_i} = 1$ . According to Lemma 1 the operator  $T(a, \varphi) = a * b$

$$T: l_{p_0, q_0} \times M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1} \longrightarrow l_{p_1, q_1}$$

is bounded. Using 1) we have

$$T: l_{p'_1, q'_1} \times M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1} \longrightarrow l_{p'_0, q'_0}.$$

Further, applying the theorem on bilinear interpolation (Lemma 2) we find that the operator

$$T: l_{r_0, s} \times M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1} \longrightarrow l_{r_1, t}$$

is also bounded, i.e.  $M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1} \hookrightarrow M_{r_0, s}^{r_1, t}$ , where

$$\frac{1}{r_1} = \frac{1-\theta}{p_1} + \frac{\theta}{p'_0}, \quad \frac{1}{r_0} = \frac{1-\theta}{p_0} + \frac{\theta}{p'_1}, \quad \frac{1}{t} - \frac{1}{s} = \left( \frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0} \right)_+$$

for every  $0 < \theta < 1$ . Eliminating  $\theta$  from this equations, we obtain that

$$\frac{1}{p_1} - \frac{1}{p_0} = \frac{1}{r_1} - \frac{1}{r_0},$$

and the condition  $0 < \theta < 1$  implies the condition  $1 < p_0 < r_0 < p'_1 < \infty$ , where  $\frac{1}{p_1} + \frac{1}{p'_1} = 1$ .

The proof is complete.

By 2), in particular, the following proposition follows.

Let  $1 < p < r < p' < \infty$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{p'} = 1$  then

$$M_{p, q} \hookrightarrow M_{r, t}$$

where  $M_{p, q} = M_{p, q}^{p, q}$  and  $q, t \in [1, \infty[$  are any.

#### 4. PROOF OF MAIN RESULTS

For a given pair  $\bar{A} = (A_0, A_1)$  we consider the space  $\Gamma(\bar{A})$ , consisting of all functions  $f$  bounded and continuous in the strip

$$S = \{z : 0 \leq \operatorname{Re} z \leq 1\}$$

with values in  $A_0 + A_1$ . Moreover,  $f$  are analytic in the open strip

$$S_0 = \{z : 0 < \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$$

and such that the mapping  $t \rightarrow f(j + it)$  ( $j = 0, 1$ ) is a continuous function on the real axis with values in  $A_j$  ( $j = 0, 1$ ) which tends to 0 for  $|t| \rightarrow \infty$ . Clearly that  $\Gamma(\bar{A})$  is a vector space. We endow  $\Gamma$  with the norm

$$\|f\|_{\Gamma} = \max(\sup_t \|f(it)\|_{A_0}, \sup_t \|f(1 + it)\|_{A_1}).$$

The space  $\bar{A}_{[\theta]}$ ,  $0 \leq \theta \leq 1$  consists of all elements  $a \in A_0 + A_1$ , such that  $a = f(\theta)$  for some function  $f \in \Gamma(\bar{A})$ . The norm on  $\bar{A}_{[\theta]}$  is equal to

$$\|a\|_{[\theta]} = \inf\{\|f\|_{\Gamma} : f(\theta) = a, f \in \Gamma.\}$$

In order to prove our main result, we need two lemmas in [8].

**Lemma 3** (Bilinear interpolation, the complex method, see [8]). *Let  $T$  be a bilinear operator such that*

$$T: X_0 \times Y_0 \longrightarrow Z_0,$$

and

$$T: X_1 \times Y_1 \longrightarrow Z_1.$$

Then

$$T: X_{[\theta]} \times Y_{[\theta]} \longrightarrow Z_{[\theta]},$$

where  $X_{[\theta]}, Y_{[\theta]}, Z_{[\theta]}$  are the spaces obtained by the method of complex interpolation of Banach pairs of spaces  $(X_0, X_1), (Y_0, Y_1), (Z_0, Z_1)$  respectively.

**Lemma 4.** (bilinear interpolation, the real method, see [8]) *Let  $T$  be a bilinear operator such that*

$$T: X_0 \times Y_0 \longrightarrow Z_0,$$

and

$$T: X_1 \times Y_1 \longrightarrow Z_1$$

with the norms  $M_0, M_1$  respectively. Then

$$T: X_{\theta, t_1} \times Y_{\theta, t_2} \longrightarrow Z_{\theta, s},$$

where  $\frac{1}{s} + 1 = \frac{1}{t_1} + \frac{1}{t_2}$ . Moreover

$$\|T\| \leq cM_0^{1-\theta}M_1^{\theta}.$$

**Proof of Theorem 1.** First we prove the inequality:

$$(2) \quad \|a * b\|_{l_{p_1, q_1}} \leq c\|\varphi\|_{L_r}\|a\|_{l_{p_0, q_0}},$$

where  $b = \{b_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$  are Fourier coefficients of function  $\varphi$ .

If  $r \leq 2$ , inequality (2) follows by Lemma 1 (for  $s = r$ ) and Hardy-Littlewood inequality

$$\|b\|_{l_{r', r}} \leq c\|\varphi\|_{L_r}.$$

Now let  $2 < r < \infty$ . Let  $a \in l_2$ ,  $f \sim \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} a_k e^{2\pi i k x}$ , then by Parseval's equality we get

$$\|a * b\|_{l_2} = \|f\varphi\|_{L_2} \leq \|f\|_{L_2}\|\varphi\|_{L_{\infty}} = \|\varphi\|_{L_{\infty}}\|a\|_{l_2},$$

i.e.  $M_2 = L_\infty$ . From Lemma 1, using the Parseval equality we have

$$\|a * b\|_{l_{p_1, q_1}} \leq c \|\varphi\|_{L_2} \|a\|_{l_{p_0, q_0}},$$

where  $\frac{1}{p_1} + 1 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{p_0}$ ,  $\frac{1}{p_1} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{p_0}$ ,  $\frac{1}{q_1} = \frac{1}{q_0} + \frac{1}{2}$ .

Thus, for the bilinear operator  $T(a, \varphi) = a * b$  we obtain

$$T: l_2 \times L_\infty \longrightarrow l_2,$$

$$T: l_{p_0, q_0} \times L_2 \longrightarrow l_{p_1, q_1}.$$

Applying the method of complex interpolation (Lemma 3), we obtain inequality (2). Now we shall prove the inequality

$$(3) \quad \|a * b\|_{l_{p_1, q_1}} \leq c \|\varphi\|_{L_{r, s}} \|a\|_{l_{p_0, q_0}},$$

where  $\frac{1}{s} = \frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0}$ .

Let  $q_0 = \infty$  and  $p_0$  be fixed in inequality (2). Taking  $\frac{1}{q_i} = \frac{1}{r_i}$ ,  $i = 0, 1$ , choose parameters  $r_0, r_1, p_1^0, p_1^1$  such that

$$(4) \quad \frac{1}{p_0} = \frac{1}{p_1^i} + \frac{1}{r_i} \quad i = 0, 1.$$

Then from inequality (2) we have:

$$\|a * b\|_{l_{p_1^0, r_0}} \leq c_1 \|a\|_{l_{p_0, \infty}} \|\varphi\|_{L_{r_0}},$$

$$\|a * b\|_{l_{p_1^1, r_1}} \leq c_2 \|a\|_{l_{p_0, \infty}} \|\varphi\|_{L_{r_1}}.$$

Using Marcinkiewicz - Calderón interpolation theorem (see [8]) we get

$$(5) \quad \|a * b\|_{l_{p_1, s}} \leq (c_1 \|a\|_{l_{p_0, \infty}})^\theta (c_2 \|a\|_{l_{p_0, \infty}})^{1-\theta} \|\varphi\|_{L_{r, s}} = c \|a\|_{l_{p_0, \infty}} \|\varphi\|_{L_{r, s}}$$

where  $\frac{1}{p_1} = \frac{1-\theta}{p_1^0} + \frac{\theta}{p_1^1}$ ,  $\frac{1}{r} = \frac{1-\theta}{r_0} + \frac{\theta}{r_1}$  i.e.  $\frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1} = \frac{1}{r}$ .

Now we apply Lemma 2 with fixed parameters  $r, s$  and parameters  $p_1^i, p_0^i$ ,  $i = 0, 1$  satisfying to (4) to the inequality of type (5). We have:

$$(L_{r, s}, L_{r, s})_{\theta, 1} \times (l_{p_0^0, \infty}, l_{p_0^1, \infty})_{\theta, q_0} \rightarrow (l_{p_1^0, s}, l_{p_1^1, s})_{\theta, q_1}$$

or

$$T: L_{r, s} \times l_{p_0, q_0} \rightarrow l_{p_1, q_1}$$

where  $\frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0} = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{\infty}$ ,  $\frac{1}{p_1} = \frac{1-\theta}{p_1^0} + \frac{\theta}{p_1^1}$ ,  $\frac{1}{p_0} = \frac{1-\theta}{p_0^0} + \frac{\theta}{p_0^1}$  i.e.  $\frac{1}{q_1} = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{q_0}$ ,  $\frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1} = \frac{1}{r}$ .

Since the parameters  $p_1^i, p_0^i$ ,  $i = 0, 1$  are arbitrary in inequality (5), it guarantees the arbitrary of the corresponding parameters in inequality (4).

Thus, the following inequality holds:

$$\|a * b\|_{l_{p_1, q_1}} \leq c \|a\|_{l_{p_0, q_0}} \|\varphi\|_{L_{r, s}},$$

where  $b = \{b_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}$  are Fourier coefficients of function  $\varphi$  and  $\frac{1}{r} = \frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1}$ ,  $\frac{1}{s} = \frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0}$ . According to the Remark this inequality is equivalent to the statement of Theorem 1.



**Proof of Theorem 2.** Let  $\varphi \in M_p^q$  and  $Q$  be an arbitrary segment in  $[0, 1]$ ,

$$f_0(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \in Q \\ 0, & x \notin Q \end{cases}$$

Note that by Boas theorem [9] (see also [10] ) we get

$$(6) \quad \|\widehat{f_0}(k)\|_{l_p} \sim \|f_0\|_{L_{p',p}} = \left( \int_0^1 (t^{\frac{1}{p'}} f_0^*(t))^q \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} = |Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}}.$$

Applying Theorem 5 from [11] and using (6) we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \|\varphi\|_{M_p^q} &= \sup_{f \neq 0} \frac{\|\widehat{f\varphi}\|_{l_q}}{\|\widehat{f}\|_{l_p}} \geq \frac{\|\widehat{f_0\varphi}\|_{l_q}}{\|\widehat{f_0}\|_{l_p}} \geq \\ &\geq \frac{c}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}}} \int_0^1 \left( t^{\frac{1}{q'}} \left( \sup_{|W| \geq t, W \in G} \frac{1}{|W|} \left| \int_W f_0(x)\varphi(x) dx \right| \right)^q \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \geq \\ &\geq \frac{c}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}}} \sup_{t > 0} t^{\frac{1}{q'}} \left( \sup_{|W| \geq t, W \in G} \frac{1}{|W|} \left| \int_{W \cap Q} \varphi(x) dx \right| \right) \geq \\ &\geq \frac{c_1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}}} |Q|^{\frac{1}{q'}-1} \left| \int_Q \varphi(x) dx \right| = \frac{c_1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(x) dx \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Since the interval  $Q$  is arbitrary, we get

$$\|\varphi\|_{M_p^q} \geq c_1 \sup_{Q \in G} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(x) dx \right|,$$

where constants  $c$  and  $c_1$  depend only on parameters  $p$  and  $q$ .

The proof of obtaining an upper estimate follows from Theorem 1 and the embedding  $l_{p,p} \hookrightarrow l_{p,q}$ , for  $p < q$ .

Indeed, from Theorem 1 it follows

$$L_{r,\infty} \hookrightarrow M_p^q,$$

i. e.

$$\begin{aligned} \|\varphi\|_{M_p^q} &\leq c_2 \sup_{t > 0} t^{\frac{1}{r}} \varphi^*(t) \leq c_3 \sup_{t > 0} \frac{1}{t^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \int_0^t \varphi^*(s) ds = \\ &= c_3 \sup_{Q \in F} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \int_Q |\varphi(x)| dx \sim \sup_{Q \in F} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(x) dx \right|. \end{aligned}$$

**Proof of Corollary1.** Let  $Q$  be an arbitrary compact from  $F$ .

From the condition of generalized monotonicity of the function  $\varphi$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(y)dy \right| \leq \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \int_Q \frac{c}{y} \left| \int_0^y \varphi(x)dx \right| dy \leq \\ & \leq \frac{c}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \sup_{A \in G} \frac{1}{|A|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_A \varphi(x)dx \right| \int_Q \frac{dy}{y^{1-\frac{1}{q}-\frac{1}{p'}}} \leq c_1 \sup_{A \in G} \frac{1}{|A|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_A \varphi(x)dx \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Taking into account that  $Q \in F$  is arbitrary, we have

$$\sup_{Q \in F} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(x)dx \right| \leq c \sup_{Q \in G} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(x)dx \right|.$$

Thus, from Theorem 2 we get

$$\|\varphi\|_{M_p^q} \sim \sup_{Q \in F} \frac{1}{|Q|^{\frac{1}{p'}+\frac{1}{q}}} \left| \int_Q \varphi(x)dx \right| \sim \sup_{t>0} t^{\frac{1}{p}-\frac{1}{q}} \varphi^*(t).$$

**Proof of Theorem 3.** Let  $2 < p_0 \leq p_1 < \infty$ . For a sequence of numbers  $a = \{a_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}$  and a function  $\varphi \in L_1[0, 1]$  we consider the mapping  $T$  of the form  $T(a, \varphi) = a * b$ , where  $b = \{b_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}$  is the sequence of Fourier coefficients on trigonometric system of functions  $\varphi$ . This map is bilinear and from Karadzhov theorem ([5]) and Remark it follows that it is bounded from  $l_1 \times B_{2,1}^{\frac{1}{2}}$  to  $l_1$ .

Since  $M_2 = L_\infty$ , the mapping

$$T_\varphi: l_2 \times L_\infty \longrightarrow l_2$$

is also bounded. By the Theorem on bilinear interpolation (Lemma 4) the operator  $T$  is bounded from  $l_{p,q} \times (B_{2,1}^{\frac{1}{2}}, L_\infty)_{\theta,1}$  to  $l_{p,q}$ . In paper ([5]) it is shown that  $B_{r,1}^{\frac{1}{r}} \hookrightarrow (B_{2,1}^{\frac{1}{2}}, L_\infty)_{\theta,1}$ , where  $\frac{1}{r} = \frac{1-\theta}{2}$ . Thus, taking into account Theorem 5, we will get

$$(7) \quad T: l_{p,q} \times B_{r,1}^{\frac{1}{r}} \longrightarrow l_{p,q},$$

for  $2 < p < \infty$ ,  $1 \leq q \leq \infty$ ,  $\frac{1}{r} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{p}$ .

From Minkowski inequality and Parseval equality we get

$$T: l_1 \times L_2 \longrightarrow l_2.$$

Further, from Lemma 3 on bilinear interpolation (complex method) taking into account that  $(L_2, B_{r,1}^{\frac{1}{r}})_{[\theta]} = B_{r,s}^\alpha$ , it follows that  $T$  is a bounded mapping from  $l_{p_0,q_0} \times B_{r,s}^\alpha$  to  $l_{p_1,q_1}$ , where  $2 < p_0 \leq p_1 < \infty$ ,  $\frac{1}{r} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{p_1}$ ,  $\alpha = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{p_0}$ . The arbitrary choice of parameters guarantees the arbitrary of the parameters available in the theorem.

The case  $1 < p_0 < p_1 < 2$  follows from the statements proved above and the property  $M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1} = M_{p_1, q_1}^{p_0, q_0}$ .

**Proof of Theorem 4.** Let  $1 < p_0 < p_1 \leq 2$ . Let us consider the bilinear mapping  $T(a, \varphi) = a * b$ , where  $b = \{b_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}$  is the sequence of Fourier coefficients of function  $\varphi$ . The mapping

$$(8) \quad T: l_{p_0, q_0} \times L_2 \longrightarrow l_{p_1, q_1}.$$

is bounded according to Theorem 1. Here  $\frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1} = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0} = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $1 < q_1 < 2 < q_0$ ,  $1 < p_0 < 2 < p_1$ . The result of Theorem 3, in the case  $q_0 = q_1 = 1$ ,  $p_0 = p_1 = p$  can be written as

$$(9) \quad T: l_{p, 1} \times B_{t, 1}^{1/t} \longrightarrow l_{p, 1}, \quad \frac{1}{t} = \frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{2}.$$

Applying Lemma 3 on the bilinear interpolation to (8) and (9), and taking into account the properties of the embedding of the spaces  $l_{p, q}$  and  $B_{p, q}^\alpha$  we have:

$$(10) \quad T: l_{p_0, 1} \times B_{r, 1}^\alpha \longrightarrow l_{p_1, \infty},$$

where parameters  $r, \alpha, p_0, p_1$  satisfy the following conditions:

$$(11) \quad 1 < p_0 < p_1 \leq 2, \quad \frac{1}{r} - \alpha = \frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1}, \quad \alpha > \frac{1}{p_1} - \frac{1}{2}$$

Let in (11) parameter  $r$  be fixed. Using Lemma 4 on bilinear interpolation and taking into account that

$$(B_{r, 1}^{\alpha_0}, B_{r, 1}^{\alpha_1})_{\theta, h} = B_{r, h}^\alpha, \quad \text{with } \alpha = (1 - \theta)\alpha^0 + \alpha^1,$$

we get

$$T: l_{p_0, h_1} \times B_{r, h_2}^\alpha \longrightarrow l_{p_1, h_3},$$

where  $\frac{1}{h_1} + 1 = \frac{1}{h_2} + \frac{1}{h_3}$ ,  $\alpha > \frac{1}{p_1} - \frac{1}{2} = \min_{x \in [\frac{1}{p_1}, \frac{1}{p_0}]} |\frac{1}{2} - x|$ ,  $\frac{1}{r} - \alpha = \frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1}$ .

Therefore, with fixed  $a \in l_{p_0, \infty}$  and  $r$  we obtain that

$$P_a: B_{r, 1}^{\alpha_i} \longrightarrow l_{p_1^i, \infty},$$

and

$$\|P_a\|_{B_{r, 1}^{\alpha_i} \rightarrow l_{p_1^i, \infty}} \leq c_i \|a\|_{l_{p_0, \infty}},$$

where  $\frac{1}{r} - \alpha_i = \frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1^i}$ ,  $\alpha^i > \frac{1}{p_1^i} - \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $i = 0, 1$ .

Using Marcinkiewicz - Calderón interpolation theorem we have

$$P_a: B_{r, s}^\alpha \longrightarrow l_{p_1, s},$$

and

$$\|P_a\|_{B_{r, s}^\alpha \rightarrow l_{p_1, s}} \leq c \|a\|_{l_{p_0, \infty}}.$$

Thus

$$T: l_{p_0, \infty} \times B_{r, s}^\alpha \longrightarrow l_{p_1, s}.$$

To complete the proof we fix a function  $\varphi$  and the parameters  $r, s, \alpha$  and we choose the parameters  $p_0^i, p_1^i, i = 0, 1$  satisfying (11). We use Lemma 2 to get  $B_{r,s}^\alpha[0, 1] \hookrightarrow M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ .

The case  $2 \leq p_0 < p_1 < \infty$ , as in the proof of Theorem 3 will follow from  $M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1} = M_{p_1, q_1}^{p_0, q_0}$ .

### 5. EXAMPLES DEMONSTRATING THE SHARPNESS OF THE RESULTS

**Proposition 1.** *Let  $1 < p_0 < 2 \leq p_1, \frac{1}{r} = \frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1}, \frac{1}{s} = (\frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0})_+$ . If  $q_1 < q_0$ , then for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists  $f_1 \in L_{r, s+\varepsilon}$  such that  $f_1 \notin M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ , If  $q_1 \geq q_0$  there exists  $f_2 \in L_{r-\varepsilon, \infty}$ , such that  $f_2 \notin M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $\varepsilon$  be an arbitrary positive number, and numbers  $\beta_1, \beta_2$  be such that

$$\beta_1 > \frac{1}{s + \varepsilon}, \quad \beta_2 > \frac{1}{q_0}, \quad \beta_1 + \beta_2 < \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{q_0} = \frac{1}{q_1}.$$

Let

$$b_k = \frac{1}{(|k| + 1)^{1/r'} \ln^{\beta_1}(|k| + 1)},$$

$$a_k = \frac{1}{(|k| + 1)^{1/p_0} \ln^{\beta_2}(|k| + 1)},$$

and

$$f_1 \sim \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} b_k e^{2\pi i k x}.$$

Then for  $m \neq 0$

$$(a * b)_m = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{(|k| + 1)^{1/r'} \ln^{\beta_1}(|k| + 1) (|k - m| + 1)^{1/p_0} \ln^{\beta_2}(|k - m| + 1)} \sim$$

$$\sim \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{dx}{|x|^{1/r'} |\ln|x||^{\beta_1} |x - m|^{1/p_0} |\ln|x - m||^{\beta_2}}.$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{dx}{|x|^{1/r'} |\ln|x||^{\beta_1} |x - m|^{1/p_0} |\ln|x - m||^{\beta_2}} =$$

$$= |m|^{-\left(\frac{1}{r'} + \frac{1}{p_0}\right) + 1} \cdot \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{dy}{|y|^{1/r'} |\ln|y| + \ln|m||^{\beta_1} |y - 1|^{1/p_0} |\ln|y - 1| + \ln|m||^{\beta_2}} =$$

$$= |m|^{-\left(\frac{1}{r'} + \frac{1}{p_0}\right) + 1} |\ln|m||^{-\beta_1 - \beta_2} \cdot \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{dy}{|y|^{1/r'} \left| \frac{\ln|y|}{\ln|m|} + 1 \right|^{\beta_1} |y - 1|^{1/p_0} \left| \frac{\ln|y-1|}{\ln|m|} + 1 \right|^{\beta_2}} \geq$$

$$\geq |m|^{-\left(\frac{1}{r'} + \frac{1}{p_0}\right)+1} |\ln |m||^{-\beta_1 - \beta_2} \cdot \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{dy}{|y|^{1/r'} |\ln |y| + 1|^{\beta_1} |y - 1|^{1/p_0} |\ln |y - 1| + 1|^{\beta_2}}.$$

Thus  $(a * b)_m \geq c(|m| + 1)^{-\left(\frac{1}{r'} + \frac{1}{p_0}\right)+1} |\ln(|m| + 2)|^{-\beta_1 - \beta_2}$ . Since

$$\sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} \left( (m + 1)^{-\left(\frac{1}{r'} + \frac{1}{p_0}\right)+1} |\ln(|m| + 2)|^{-\beta_1 - \beta_2} \right)^{q_1} (|m| + 1)^{\left(\frac{q_1}{p_1} - 1\right)} = \infty,$$

$a * b \notin l_{p_1, q_1}$  and therefore  $f_1 \notin M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ . Since Fourier coefficients of  $f_1$  is the sequence  $\{b_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$  it follows that  $f_1 \in L_{r, s}$

To prove the second part of proposition we take  $s = \infty$ . Let numbers  $\alpha_1$  and  $\alpha_2$  be such that

$$\alpha_1 > \frac{1}{(r - \varepsilon)'} = 1 - \frac{1}{r - \varepsilon}, \quad \alpha_2 > \frac{1}{p_0}, \quad \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 < 1 - \frac{1}{r} + \frac{1}{p_0}$$

(note that last inequality does not contradict the previous two). Choosing

$$b_k = \frac{1}{(|k| + 1)^{\alpha_1}}, \quad a_k = \frac{1}{(|k| + 1)^{\alpha_2}}, \quad f_2 \sim \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} b_k e^{2\pi i k x},$$

we can show that

$$a * b \sim \left\{ (|k| + 1)^{-\alpha_1 - \alpha_2 + 1} \right\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}.$$

Hence  $a * b \notin l_{p_1, q_1}$  and therefore  $f_2 \notin M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ . At the same time taking into account the monotonicity of the sequence  $\{b_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$  and Hardy - Littlewood theorem, we have that  $f_2 \in L_{r - \varepsilon, \infty}$ . The statement is proved.

**Theorem 6.** Let  $1 < p_0 < p_1 < 2$ ,  $1 < q_1 \leq q_0$ ,  $\frac{1}{r} - \alpha = \frac{1}{p_0} - \frac{1}{p_1}$ ,  $\frac{1}{s} = \frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{1}{q_0}$ . Then for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exist  $f_1 \in B_{r, \infty}^{\alpha - \varepsilon} \cap B_{r - \varepsilon, \infty}^{\alpha}$  and  $f_2 \in B_{r, s + \varepsilon}^{\alpha}$  such that  $f_1 \notin M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ ,  $f_2 \notin M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$ .

**Proof.** Let  $s < \infty$  and numbers  $\beta_1, \beta_2$  be such that

$$\beta_1 > \frac{1}{s + \varepsilon}, \quad \beta_2 > \frac{1}{q_0}, \quad \beta_1 + \beta_2 < \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{q_0} = \frac{1}{q_1}.$$

Let  $b = \{b_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$  and  $a = \{a_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$ , where

$$b_k = \frac{1}{(|k| + 1)^{\alpha - \frac{1}{r} + 1} \ln^{\beta_1} (|k| + 2)^{\beta_1}},$$

$$a_k = \frac{1}{(|k| + 1)^{k/p_0} \ln^{\beta_2} (|k| + 2)^{\beta_2}},$$

It is obvious that  $a \in l_{p_0, q_0}$ , and  $f_2 \sim \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} b_k e^{2\pi i k x}$  belongs to  $B_{r, s + \varepsilon}^{\alpha}$ .

It is easy to show that

$$(a * b)_m \geq c(|m| + 1)^{\alpha - \frac{1}{r} + \frac{1}{p_0}} (\ln(|m| + 2))^{\beta_1 + \beta_2}$$

and consequently  $a * b \notin l_{p_1, q_1}$ . Therefore,  $f_2 \notin M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$

To construct the function  $f_1$  it is sufficient to consider the sequences

$$b = \left\{ \frac{1}{(|m|+1)^{\gamma_1}} \right\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}, \quad a = \left\{ \frac{1}{(|m|+1)^{\gamma_2}} \right\}_{m \in \mathbb{Z}},$$

where

$$\gamma_1 > \max\left(\alpha - \varepsilon - \frac{1}{r} + 1, \alpha - \frac{1}{r + \varepsilon} + 1\right),$$

$$\gamma_2 > \frac{1}{p_0}$$

and

$$\gamma_1 + \gamma_2 < \alpha - \frac{1}{r} + \frac{1}{p_0}.$$

$f_1 \sim \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} b_k e^{2\pi i k x}$ . The proof that  $f_1 \in B_{r, \infty}^{\alpha - \varepsilon} \cap B_{r - \varepsilon, \infty}^{\alpha}$ ,  $f_1 \notin M_{p_0, q_0}^{p_1, q_1}$  is similar to the proof of the first part.

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