

HARDY TYPE INEQUALITIES FOR RIEMANN-
LIOUVILLE AND WEYL TRANSFORMS ASSOCIATED
WITH THE DIFFERENTIAL OPERATOR $S_{\alpha,\beta}$

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Abstract:

In this paper we have constructed a differential operator $S_{\alpha,\beta}$ and it is used to give nice estimates for the kernels, which intervenes in the integral transform of the eigen function. Finally we have established Hardy type inequalities for Riemann-Liouville and Weyl transforms associated with the differential operator $S_{\alpha,\beta}$.

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1. Introduction: We consider the differential operator on $(0, \infty)$ defined by

$$S_{\alpha, \beta} = D^2 + \frac{A'(x)}{A(x)} D + \rho^2$$

where $A(x)$ is a real function defined on $[0, \infty)$, satisfying

$$A(x) = x^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)} B(x); (\alpha - \beta) > -1$$

and $B(x)$ is a positive, even C^∞ function on \square such that $B(0) = 1$, and $\rho \geq 0$. We assume that the function $A(x)$ satisfies the following conditions

(i) $A(x)$ is increasing and $\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} A(x) = +\infty$

(ii) $\frac{A'(x)}{A(x)}$ is decreasing and $\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{A'(x)}{A(x)} = 2\rho$

(iii) there exists a constant $\delta > 0$, satisfying

$$\frac{B'(x)}{B(x)} = 2\rho - \frac{2(\alpha - \beta + 1)}{x} + e^{-\delta x} F(x), \text{ for } \rho > 0$$

$$\frac{B'(x)}{B(x)} = e^{-\delta x} F(x), \text{ for } \rho = 0$$

where F is C^∞ on $(0, \infty)$, bounded together with its derivatives on the interval $[x_0, \infty)$, $x_0 > 0$.

The Bessel type operators defined by

$$\Delta_{\alpha, \beta} = D^2 + \frac{2(\alpha - \beta + 1)}{x} D; (\alpha - \beta) > -1$$

is of the type $S_{\alpha, \beta}$ with

$$A(x) = x^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)}; \rho = 0.$$

The radial part of the Laplacian-Beltrami operator on the Riemannian symmetric space is of type $S_{\alpha, \beta}$. The operator $S_{\alpha, \beta}$ is studied in [13]. In particular K Trimeche [15] has proved that the differential equation

$$\Delta u(x) = -\lambda^2 u(x), \lambda \in \square$$

has a unique solution on $[0, \infty)$, satisfying the conditions $u(0) = 1, u'(0) = 0$. Inspired by this work we consider the differential equation

$$S_{\alpha, \beta} u(x) = -\lambda^2 u(x), \lambda \in \square.$$

One can easily show that this differential equation has a unique solution on $[0, \infty)$ satisfying the conditions

$$u(0) = 1, u'(0) = 0.$$

We extend this solution on \square by parity denoted by φ_λ following the technique of Trimeche [15], one can easily prove that the eigenfunction φ_λ has the following Mehler type integral representation

$$\varphi_\lambda(x) = \int_0^x k(x, t) \cos \lambda t dt,$$

where the kernel is defined by

$$k(x, t) = 2h(x, t) + C_{\alpha, \beta} A^{-\frac{1}{2}}(x) x^{-(\alpha-\beta)} (x^2 - t^2)^{\alpha-\beta}, 0 < t < x$$

with

$$h(x, t) = \frac{1}{x} \int_0^\infty \psi(x, \lambda) \cos(\lambda t) d\lambda$$

$$C_{\alpha, \beta} = \frac{2\Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 3/2)}{\sqrt{\pi} \Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 1)}$$

and for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}, x \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\psi(x, \lambda) = \varphi_\lambda(x) - x^{\alpha-\beta+1} A^{-\frac{1}{2}}(x) j_{\alpha-\beta+\frac{1}{2}}(\lambda x)$$

where

$$j_{\alpha-\beta+\frac{1}{2}}(z) = 2^{\alpha-\beta+\frac{1}{2}} \Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 3/2) \frac{J_{\alpha-\beta+\frac{1}{2}}(z)}{z^{\alpha-\beta+\frac{1}{2}}}$$

where $J_{\alpha-\beta+\frac{1}{2}}$ is the Bessel function of the first kind and order $(\alpha - \beta + \frac{1}{2})$ (see [8]).

The Riemann-Liouville and Weyl transform associated with the differential operator $S_{\alpha, \beta}$ are respectively defined for non-negative measurable functions f by

$$\mathfrak{R}(f)(x) = \int_0^x k(x, t) f(t) dt$$

and

$$W(f)(t) = \int_t^\infty k(x, t) f(x) A(x) dx.$$

We study the operators R and W on the spaces $L^p([0, \infty), A(x) dx)$ consisting of measurable functions on $[0, \infty)$ such that

$$\|f\|_{p,A} = \left(\int_0^\infty |f(x)|^p A(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} < \infty; 1 < p < \infty.$$

The main results of this paper are the following Hardy type inequalities:

- (A) For $\rho > 0$ and $p > \max(2, 2(\alpha - \beta + 1) + 1)$, there exists a positive constant $C_{p, \alpha, \beta}$ such that for all $f \in L^p([0, \infty), A(x) dx)$,

$$\|\mathfrak{R}(f)\|_{p,A} \leq C_{p, \alpha, \beta} \|f\|_{p,A} \tag{1.1}$$

and for all $y \in L^{p'}([0, \infty), A(x) dx)$

$$\left\| \frac{1}{A(x)} W(g) \right\|_{p',A} \leq C_{p, \alpha, \beta} \|g\|_{p',A} \tag{1.2}$$

where, $p' = \frac{p}{p-1}$.

(B) For $\rho = 0$ and $p > 2(\alpha - \beta + 1) + 1$ there exists a positive constant $C_{p,\alpha,\beta}$ such that (1.1) and (1.2) hold.

2. The eigen functions of the operator $S_{\alpha,\beta}$:

The equation

$$S_{\alpha,\beta}u(t) = -\lambda^2 u(t), \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \tag{2.1}$$

has a unique solution on $[0, \infty)$ satisfying the conditions $u(0) = 1, u'(0) = 0$. We extend this solution on \mathbb{R} by parity and we denote it ψ_λ . Equation (2.1) possesses two solutions $\varphi_{\mp\lambda}$ linearly independent having the following behavior at infinity $\varphi_{\mp\lambda}(x) \sim e^{\mp\lambda x}$.

Then there exists a function g such that

$$\psi_\lambda(x) = g(\lambda) \varphi_\lambda(x) + g(-\lambda) \varphi_{-\lambda}(x).$$

In case of the Bessel type operator $\Delta_{\alpha,\beta}$, the functions $\psi(\lambda), \phi(\lambda)$ and $g(\lambda)$ are given respectively by

$$j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(\lambda x) = 2^{\alpha-\beta+1/2} \Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 3/2) \frac{J_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(\lambda x)}{(\lambda x)^{\alpha-\beta+1/2}}; \lambda x \neq 0 \tag{2.2}$$

$$K_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(i\lambda x) = 2^{\alpha-\beta+1/2} \Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 3/2) \frac{K_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(i\lambda x)}{(i\lambda x)^{\alpha-\beta+1/2}}, \lambda(x) \neq 0 \tag{2.3}$$

$$g(\lambda) = 2^{\alpha-\beta+1/2} \Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 3/2) e^{-i(\alpha-\beta+1)\frac{\pi}{2}} \lambda^{-(\alpha-\beta+1)}, \lambda > 0 \tag{2.4}$$

where J_μ and K_ν are respectively Bessel function of first kind and order μ , and the modified Bessel function of third kind and of order ν .

We shall need the following proprieties (see [1], [2], [15], [16]):

1. We have

- (i) For $\rho = 0$, for all $x \geq 0, \psi_0(x) = 1$,
- (ii) For $\rho \geq 0$, there exists a constant $k > 0$ such that for all $x \geq 0$,
- (iii) $e^{-\rho x} \leq \psi_0(x) \leq k(1+x) e^{-\rho x}$ (2.5)

2. For $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and $x \geq 0$, we have

$$|\psi_\lambda(x)| \leq \psi_0(x) \tag{2.6}$$

3. For $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $|\Im \lambda| \leq \rho$ and $x \geq 0, |\psi_\lambda(x)| \leq 1$

4. (Mehler type integral representation):

For all $x > 0, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\psi_\lambda(x) = \int_0^x k(x,t) \cos(\lambda t) dt \tag{2.7}$$

where $k(x, \cdot)$ is an even positive C^∞ function on $(-x, x)$ with support in $[-x, x]$

5. For $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$, we have $g(-\lambda) = g(\lambda)$

6. The function $|g(\lambda)|^{-2}$ is continuous on $[0, \infty)$ and there exist positive constants k, k_1, k_2 such that

- (i) If $\rho \geq 0$, for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$, $|\lambda| > k$,

$$k_1 |\lambda|^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)} \leq |g(\lambda)|^{-2} \leq k_2 |\lambda|^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)}$$
- (ii) If $\rho > 0$, for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$, $|\lambda| \leq k$

$$k_1 |\lambda|^2 \leq |g(\lambda)|^{-2} \leq k_2 |\lambda|^2$$
- (iii) If $\rho = 0$, $(\alpha - \beta) > -1/2$, for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$, $|\lambda| \leq k$

$$k_1 |\lambda|^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)} \leq |g(\lambda)|^{-2} \leq k_2 |\lambda|^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)}. \quad (2.8)$$

Now, if we take $v(x) = \sqrt{A(x)} \mu(x)$ then equation (2.1) becomes

$$v''(x) - [G(x) - \lambda^2]v(x) = 0$$

where

$$G(x) = \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{A'(x)}{A(x)} \right]^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{A'(x)}{A(x)} \right]' - \rho^2.$$

Set

$$\xi(x) = G(x) - \frac{(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha - \beta + 1)}{x^2}.$$

Now we have the following Lemmas, which follow from the hypothesis of the function A.

Lemma 2.1:

- (i) The function ξ is continuous on $(0, \infty)$
 (ii) There exists $\delta > 0$ and $a \in \mathbb{R}$ such that the function ξ satisfies

$$\xi(x) = \frac{a}{x^2} + e^{-\delta x} F_1(x)$$

where, F_1 is C^∞ on $(0, \infty)$, bounded together with all its derivatives on the interval $[x_0, \infty)$, $x_0 > 0$.

Lemma 2.2: Let

$$b(x, \lambda) = \psi_\lambda(x) - x^{\alpha-\beta+1} A^{-1/2}(x) j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(\lambda x) \quad (2.9)$$

where $j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}$ is defined by (2.2).

Then there exist positive constants C_1 and C_2 such that

$$|b(x, \lambda)| \leq C_1 A^{-1/2}(x) \tilde{\xi}(x) \lambda^{-(\alpha-\beta+2)} e^{(C_2 \tilde{\xi}(x)/\lambda)} \quad (2.10)$$

for all $x > 0$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^*$

$$\tilde{\xi}(x) = \int_0^x |\xi(r)| dr.$$

The kernel $k(x,t)$ given by the relation (2.7) can be written as

$$k(x,t) = 2h(x,t) + C_{\alpha,\beta} A^{-1/2}(x) x^{-(\alpha-\beta)} (x^2 - t^2)^{\alpha-\beta}, 0 < t < x \quad (2.11)$$

where

$$h(x,t) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty b(x,t) \cos(\lambda t) d\lambda \quad (2.12)$$

$$C_{\alpha,\beta} = \frac{2\Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 3/2)}{\sqrt{\pi} \Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 1)}$$

and $b(x, \lambda)$ is the function defined by the relation (2.9).

Now we shall study the kernel $h(x, t)$.

3. The kernel h and related results:

In this section we will discuss the behavior of the kernel $h(x, t)$.

Lemma 3.1: For any real $a > 0$ there exist positive constants $C_1(a)$, $C_2(a)$ such that for all $x \in [0, a]$

$$C_1(a)x^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)} \leq A(x) \leq C_2(a)x^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)}.$$

Lemma 3.2: There exist positive constants a_1, a_2, C_1 and C_2 such that for $|\lambda| > a$,

$$C_1(\alpha, \beta) \psi_\lambda(x) = \begin{cases} C(\alpha, \beta)x^{\alpha-\beta+1} A^{-1/2}(x) (j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(\lambda x) + O(\lambda x)); & |\lambda x| \leq a_2 \\ C(\alpha, \beta)\lambda^{-(\alpha-\beta+1)} A^{-1/2}(x) [C_1 e^{-i\lambda x} + C_2 e^{i\lambda x}] [1 + O(\lambda^{-1}) + O(\lambda x)^{-1}]; & |\lambda x| > a_2 \end{cases}$$

where

$$C(\alpha, \beta) = \Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 3/2) A^{1/2}(1) e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 B(t) dt}.$$

Proof: Proof follows from [16].

Theorem 3.3: For any $a > 0$, there exists a positive constant $C_1(\alpha, \beta, a)$ such that

$$|h(x, t)| \leq C_1(\alpha, \beta, a) x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x), \text{ for all } 0 < t < x \leq a.$$

Proof: For $0 < t < x$ by using (2.12), we have

$$\begin{aligned} |h(t, x)| &\leq \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{a_1} |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{a_1}^\infty |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda \\ &= I_1(x) + I_2(x) \end{aligned} \tag{3.1}$$

where a_1 is a constant given by Lemma 3.2 and

$$\begin{aligned} I_1(x) &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{a_1} |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda, \\ I_2(x) &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{a_1}^\infty |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda. \end{aligned}$$

Set

$$f_\lambda(x) = x^{-(\alpha-\beta)} A^{1/2}(x) |\psi(x, \lambda)|, \quad 0 < x < a, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$$

From lemma 2.2 the function

$$(x, \lambda) \rightarrow f_\lambda(x)$$

is continuous on $[0, a] \times [0, a_1]$. Then

$$I_1(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{a_1} |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda \leq C'_{\alpha,\beta} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x) \tag{3.2}$$

where

$$C'_{\alpha,\beta} = \frac{a_1}{\pi} \sup_{(x,\lambda) \in [0,a] \times [0,a_1]} |f_\lambda(x)|.$$

Now consider the second term

$$I_2(x) = \frac{1}{x} \int_{a_1}^{\infty} |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda.$$

Case I: $-1 \leq (\alpha - \beta) \leq 0$

Now from inequality (2.9) we have

$$\begin{aligned} I_2(x) &\leq \frac{C_1}{\pi} A^{-1/2}(x) \tilde{\xi}(x) \int_{a_1}^{\infty} \lambda^{-(\alpha-\beta+2)} e^{C_2 \frac{\tilde{\xi}}{|\lambda|}} d\lambda \\ &\leq \tilde{C}_1 A_1^{-1/2}(x) \tilde{\xi}(x) e^{C_2 \frac{\tilde{\xi}(x)}{a_1}} x^{\alpha-\beta}. \end{aligned}$$

As $\tilde{\xi}$ is bounded on $[0, \infty)$, we can deduce that

$$I_2(x) \leq C_{2,\alpha,\beta} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{\frac{1}{2}}(x) \tag{3.3}$$

this completes the proof of case I.

Case II: $(\alpha - \beta) > 0$

Let a_1, a_2 be the constants given in Lemma 3.2. Thus from this Lemma we can deduce that there exists a positive constant $C_1(\alpha, \beta)$ such that

$$|\psi_\lambda(x)| \leq C_1(\alpha, \beta) A^{\frac{1}{2}}(x) \lambda^{-(\alpha-\beta+1)}, \text{ for all } x > \frac{a_2}{a_1}, \lambda > a_1. \tag{3.4}$$

Note that the function

$$s \rightarrow s^{\alpha-\beta+1} j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(s)$$

is bounded on $[0, \infty)$.

For $x > \frac{a_2}{a_1}$, from equality (2.9), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{a_1}^{\infty} |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda &\leq \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{a_1}^{\infty} |\psi_\lambda(x)| d\lambda + \frac{1}{\pi} x^{\alpha-\beta+1} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_{a_1}^{\infty} |j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(x)| d\lambda \\ &\leq \frac{C_1(\alpha, \beta)}{\pi} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_{a_1}^{\infty} \lambda^{-(\alpha-\beta+1)} d\lambda + \frac{1}{\pi} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_{a_2}^{\infty} |j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(u)| du \\ &\leq \frac{C_1(\alpha, \beta)}{(\alpha - \beta) \pi} A^{-1/2}(x) (1/a_1)^{\alpha-\beta} + \frac{1}{\pi} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_{a_2}^{\infty} |j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(u)| du \\ &\leq \frac{C_1(\alpha, \beta)}{(\alpha - \beta) \pi} A^{-1/2}(x) (x/a_2)^{\alpha-\beta} + \frac{1}{\pi} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_{a_2}^{\infty} |j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(u)| du \\ &\leq C_2(\alpha, \beta) x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x) \end{aligned} \tag{3.5}$$

where,

$$C_2(\alpha, \beta) = \frac{C_1(\alpha, \beta)}{\pi(\alpha - \beta)} (a_2)^{-\alpha + \beta} + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{a_2}^{\infty} |j_{\alpha - \beta + 1/2}(u)| du.$$

Now for $0 < x < a_2 / a_1$, from Lemma 3.2 and the fact that

$$|j_{\alpha - \beta + 1/2}(\lambda x)| \leq 1, \text{ for all } x \in \square,$$

we can deduce that there exists a positive constant $M_1(\alpha, \beta)$ such that

$$|b(x, \lambda)| \leq M_1(\alpha, \beta) x^{\alpha - \beta + 1} A^{-1/2}(x); \text{ for all } 0 < x, \frac{a_2}{a_1}, 0 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{a_2}{a_1}.$$

This involves

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{a_1}^{a_2} |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda &\leq \frac{M_1(\alpha, \beta)}{\pi} x^{\alpha - \beta + 1} A^{-1/2}(x) \left(\frac{a_2}{a_1} - a_1 \right) \\ &\leq \frac{a_2}{\pi} M_1(\alpha, \beta) x^{\alpha - \beta} A^{-1/2}(x). \end{aligned} \tag{3.6}$$

But

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\frac{a_2}{x}}^{\infty} |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda &\leq \frac{C_1(\alpha, \beta)}{\pi} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_{a_2/x}^{\infty} \lambda^{-(\alpha - \beta + 1)} d\lambda + \frac{1}{\pi} x^{\alpha - \beta} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_{a_2}^{\infty} |j_{\alpha - \beta + 1/2}(u)| du \\ &\leq \frac{C_1(\alpha, \beta)}{(\alpha - \beta)\pi} A^{-1/2}(x) a_2^{-(\alpha - \beta)} + \frac{1}{\pi} x^{\alpha - \beta} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_{a_2}^{\infty} |j_{\alpha - \beta + 1/2}(u)| du \\ &\leq C_2(\alpha, \beta) x^{\alpha - \beta} A^{-1/2}(x). \end{aligned} \tag{3.7}$$

Thus by using (3.6) and (3.7), we have

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{a_1}^{\infty} |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda \leq M_2(\alpha, \beta) x^{\alpha - \beta} A^{-1/2}(x) \tag{3.8}$$

where

$$M_2(\alpha, \beta) = \frac{a_2}{\pi} M_1(\alpha, \beta) + C_2(\alpha, \beta); \text{ for all } 0 < x < \frac{a_2}{a_1}.$$

Now by using (3.5) and (3.8) it follows that

$$I_2(x) \leq M_2(\alpha, \beta) x^{\alpha - \beta} A^{-1/2}(x); \text{ for all } 0 < x < \frac{a_2}{a_1}.$$

Thus the proof is complete.

We need the following Lemmas to provide estimates or the Kernel h.

Lemma 3.4

- (i) $A(x) \square e^{2\rho x}, (x \rightarrow +\infty); \text{ for } \rho > 0$
- (ii) $A(x) \square x^{2(\alpha - \beta + 1)}, (x \rightarrow +\infty); \text{ for } \rho = 0$

Proof: Proof follows from the hypothesis of the function A.

Lemma 3.5: For $\rho=0$ and $(\alpha-\beta)>0$ there exists two positive constants $D_1(\alpha, \beta)$ and $D_2(\alpha, \beta)$ satisfying

(i) $|\psi_\lambda(x)| \leq D_1(\alpha, \beta) x^{\alpha-\beta+1} A^{-1/2}(x), x > 0, \lambda \geq 0$

(ii) $|\psi_\lambda(x)| \leq D_2(\alpha, \beta) |g(\lambda)| A^{-1/2}(x), x > 1, \lambda x > 1$

where

$$\lambda \rightarrow g(\lambda)$$

is the spectral function given by (2.8).

Now we will give the behavior of the function h for large values of the variable x

Theorem 3.6: For $\rho=0, (\alpha-\beta)>0$ and $a>0$, there exists a positive constant $K_{\alpha, \beta, a}$ such that for $0 < t < x, x > a$

$$|h(x, t)| \leq K_{\alpha, \beta, a} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x).$$

Proof: From (2.12), we have

$$h(x, t) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty b(x, \lambda) \cos(\lambda t) d\lambda$$

$$|h(x, t)| \leq \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^1 |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_1^\infty |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda. \quad (3.9)$$

Now from Lemma 2.2 and the fact that $(\alpha-\beta)>0$, we have

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_1^\infty |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda \leq \frac{C_1}{\pi} A^{-1/2}(x) \tilde{\xi}(x) e^{C_2 \tilde{\xi}(x)} \int_1^\infty \lambda^{-(\alpha-\beta+2)} d\lambda.$$

As the function $\tilde{\xi}$ is bounded on $[0, \infty)$, there exists $d_{\alpha, \beta} > 0$ such that

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_1^\infty |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda \leq d_{\alpha, \beta} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x). \quad (3.10)$$

Note that

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^1 |b(x, \lambda)| d\lambda \leq \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^1 |\psi_\lambda(x)| d\lambda + \frac{1}{\pi} x^{\alpha-\beta+1} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_0^1 |j_{\alpha-\beta+1/2}(\lambda x)| d\lambda$$

But

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^1 |\psi_\lambda(x)| d\lambda = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\frac{1}{x}} |\psi_\lambda(x)| d\lambda + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\frac{1}{x}}^1 |\psi_\lambda(x)| d\lambda.$$

By using (i) of Lemma 3.5, we can obtain

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\frac{1}{x}} |\psi_\lambda(x)| d\lambda \leq \frac{C_1}{\pi} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x). \quad (3.11)$$

From (ii) of Lemma 3.5 and the relation (2.8), there exists $d_2(\alpha, \beta) > 0$ such that

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\frac{1}{x}}^1 |\psi_\lambda(x)| d\lambda \leq \frac{d_2(\alpha, \beta)}{\pi} A^{-\frac{1}{2}}(x) \int_{\frac{1}{x}}^1 \lambda^{-(\alpha-\beta+1)} d\lambda$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{d_2(\alpha, \beta)}{\pi} A^{-\frac{1}{2}}(x) \int_{\frac{1}{x}}^{\infty} \lambda^{-(\alpha-\beta+1)} d\lambda \\ &\leq \frac{d_2(\alpha, \beta)}{\pi(\alpha-\beta)} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-\frac{1}{2}}(x). \end{aligned} \tag{3.12}$$

By using relations (3.9), (3.10), (3.11) and (3.12), the proof will be completed.

Theorem 3.7: For $\rho > 0$ and $a > 1$ there exists a positive constant $C_{\alpha, \beta, a}$ such that

$$|h(x, t)| \leq C_2(\alpha, \beta, a) x^\delta A^{-1/2}(x); \text{ for all } 0 < t < x; x \geq a,$$

where,

$$\delta = \max(1, \alpha - \beta + 1).$$

Proof: By using properties (2.5) and (2.6) and proceeding as in Theorem 3.6, the proof can be completed.

4. Hardy type operators T_ψ :

In this section, we shall define a class of integral operators and we recall some of their properties, which we use in the next section to obtain the main result of this paper:

Let $\psi: (0, 1) \rightarrow (0, \infty)$ be a measurable function, then we associate the integral operator T_ψ defined for all non-negative measurable functions f by

$$T_\psi(f)(x) = \int_0^x \psi\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) f(t) v(t) dt, \text{ for all } x > 0$$

where

(i) v is a measurable non-negative function on $(0, \infty)$ such that

$$\int_0^a v(t) dt < \infty, \text{ for all } a > 0 \tag{4.1}$$

and

(ii) μ is a non-negative function on $(0, \infty)$ satisfying

$$\int_a^b \mu(t) dt < \infty, \text{ for all } 0 < a < b. \tag{4.2}$$

Following [5],[6], [10], [11], we have the following results:

Theorem 4.1 : Let p, q be two real numbers such that $1 < p \leq q < \infty$

Let v and μ be two measurable non-negative functions on $(0, \infty)$, satisfying (4.1) and (4.2).

Suppose that the function

$$\psi: (0, 1) \rightarrow (0, \infty)$$

is continuous non increasing and satisfies

$$\psi(xy) \leq D(\psi(x) + \psi(y)), \text{ for all } x, y \in (0, 1)$$

where D is a positive constant. Then the following assertions are equivalent:

(i) There exists a positive constant $C_{p,q}$ such that for all non-negative measurable functions f ,

$$\left(\int_0^\infty (T_\psi(f)(x))^q \mu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \leq C_{p,q} \left(\int_0^\infty (f(x))^p v(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

(ii) The functions

$$F(r) = \left(\int_r^\infty \mu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \left(\int_0^r (\psi(x/r))^{p'} v(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}}$$

and

$$G(r) = \left(\int_r^\infty (\psi(r/x))^q \mu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \left(\int_0^r v(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}}$$

are bounded on $(0, \infty)$, where $p' = \frac{p}{p-1}$.

Theorem 4.2: Let p and q be two real numbers such that $1 < p \leq q < \infty$ and μ, v two measurable non-negative functions on $(0, \infty)$ satisfying the hypothesis of theorem 4.1.

Let

$$\psi: (0, 1) \rightarrow (0, \infty)$$

be a measurable non-decreasing function.

If there exists $b \in [0, 1]$ such that the function

$$r \rightarrow \left(\int_r^\alpha (\psi(r/x))^{bq} \mu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \left(\int_0^r (\psi(x/r))^{p'(1-b)} v(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}}$$

is bounded on $(0, \infty)$, then there exists a positive constant $C_{p,q}$ such that for all non-negative measurable functions f , we have

$$\left(\int_r^\infty (\psi(r/x))^{bq} \mu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \left(\int_0^r (\psi(x/r))^{p'(1-b)} v(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}}$$

where $p' = \frac{p}{p-1}$.

Corollary 4.3: With the hypothesis of Theorem 4.1 and $\psi=1$, the following assertions are equivalent:

- (i) There exists a positive constant $C_{p,q}$ such that for all non-negative measurable functions f we have

$$\left(\int_0^\infty (H(f)(x))^q \mu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \leq C_{p,q} \left(\int_0^\infty (f(x))^p v(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}},$$

- (ii) The function

$$I(r) = \left(\int_r^\infty \mu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \left(\int_0^r v(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}}$$

is bounded on $(0, \infty)$, where H is the hardy operator defined by

$$H(f)(x) = \int_0^x f(t) v(t) dt, \text{ for all } x > 0.$$

5. The Riemann-Liouville and Weyl transforms Associated with the operator $S_{\alpha,\beta}$

In this section we give the proof of inequalities (1.1) and (1.2) stated in first section (introduction).

First we define the following:

(i) $L^p([0, \infty), A(x) dx); 1 < p < \infty$ the space of measurable functions on $[0, \infty)$ such that

$$\|f\|_{p,A} = \left(\int_0^\infty (f(x))^p A(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} < \infty$$

(ii) \mathfrak{R}_0 the operator defined for all non-negative measurable functions f by

$$\mathfrak{R}_0(f)(x) = \int_0^x h(x,t) f(t) dt, \text{ for all } x > 0$$

where h is the Kernel studied in the third section .

(iii) \mathfrak{R}_1 the operator defined for all non-negative measurable functions f by

$$\mathfrak{R}_1(f)(x) = \frac{2\Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 3/2)}{\sqrt{\pi} \Gamma(\alpha - \beta + 1)} x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x) \int_0^x (x^2 - t^2)^{\alpha-\beta} f(t) dt .$$

Definition 5.1:

(a) The Riemann-Liouville transform associated with the operator $S_{\alpha,\beta}$ is defined for all non-negative measurable functions f on $(0, \infty)$ by

$$\mathfrak{R}(f)(x) = \int_0^x k(x,t) f(t) dt$$

(b) The Weyl transform associated with operator $S_{\alpha,\beta}$ is defined for all non-negative measurable functions f by

$$W(f)(t) = \int_t^x k(x,t) f(x) A(x) dx$$

where k is the kernel given by the relation (2.7).

Lemma 5.1:

(i) For $\rho > 0$, $(\alpha - \beta) > -1$ and $p > \max(2, 2(\alpha - \beta) + 3)$ there exists a positive constant $C_1(\alpha, \beta, p)$ such that for all $f \in L^p([0, \infty), A(x) dx)$

$$\|\mathfrak{R}_0(f)\|_{p,A} \leq C_1(\alpha, \beta, p) \|f\|_{p,A} .$$

(ii) For $\rho = 0$, $(\alpha - \beta) > 0$ and $(p - 3) > 2(\alpha - \beta)$ there exists a positive constant $C_2(\alpha, \beta, p)$ such that for all $f \in L^p([0, \infty), A(x) dx)$

$$\|\mathfrak{R}_0(f)\|_{p,A} \leq C_2(\alpha, \beta, p) \|f\|_{p,A} .$$

Proof: (i) Suppose that $\rho > 0$ and $p > \max(2, 2(\alpha - \beta) + 3)$. Let $v(x) = A^{1-p'}(x)$ and

$$\mu(x) = C_1(\alpha, \beta, a) x^{p(\alpha-\beta)} A^{\frac{1-p}{2}}(x) 1_{(0,a]}(x) + C_2(\alpha, \beta, a) x^{p\delta} A^{\frac{1-p}{2}}(x) 1_{[a,\infty)}(x)$$

with $a > 1$, $C_1(\alpha, \beta, a)$, $C_2(\alpha, \beta, a)$, $C_2(\alpha, \beta, a)$ and δ are the constants given in Theorem 3.3 and Theorem 3.7. Then

$$v(x) \leq m_1(\alpha, \beta, p) x^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)(1-p')}$$

and

$$\mu(x) \leq m_2(\alpha, \beta, p) x^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)-p}.$$

These inequalities imply that

$$\int_0^n v(x) dx < \infty, \text{ for all } n > 0,$$

$$\int_{n_1}^{n_2} \mu(x) dx < \infty, \text{ for all } 0 < n_1 < n_2$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} I(r) &= \left(\int_r^\infty \mu(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \left(\int_0^r v(x) dx \right)^{1/p'} \\ &\leq \left(m_2(\alpha, \beta, p) \int_r^\infty x^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)-p} dx \right)^{1/p} \left(m_1(\alpha, \beta, p) \int_0^r x^{2(\alpha-\beta+1)(1-p')} dx \right)^{1/p'} \\ &\leq \frac{(m_2(\alpha, \beta, p))^{1/p} m_1(\alpha, \beta, p)^{1/p'}}{(p-2(\alpha-\beta)-3)^{1/p} [(2(\alpha-\beta+1)(1-p')+1)]^{1/p'}} \\ &= \frac{(m_2(\alpha, \beta, p))^{1/p} [(p-1)m_1(\alpha, \beta, p)]^{1/p'}}{p-2(\alpha-\beta)-3}. \end{aligned}$$

Now from Corollary 4.3, there exists a positive constant $C_{p,\alpha,\beta}$ such that for all non-negative measurable functions g , we have

$$\left(\int_0^\infty (H(g)(x))^p \mu(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C_{p,\alpha,\beta} \left(\int_0^\infty (g(x))^p v(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \quad (5.1)$$

with

$$H(g)(x) = \int_0^\infty g(t) v(t) dt.$$

Put

$$T(f)(x) = \left(\frac{\mu(x)}{A(x)} \right)^{1/p} \int_0^x f(t) dt,$$

we have,

$$H(g)(x) = \left(\frac{\mu(x)}{A(x)} \right)^{1/p} T(f)(x),$$

where

$$g(x) = f(x) A^{p'-1}(x).$$

By using inequality (5.1), we can infer that for all non-negative measurable functions f , we have

$$\left(\int_0^\infty (T(f)(x))^p A(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq C_{p,\alpha,\beta} \left(\int_0^\infty (f(x))^p A(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}. \quad (5.2)$$

From Theorem 3.3 and Theorem 3.7, we can infer that the function

$$\mathfrak{R}_0(f)(x) = \int_0^x h(x,t) f(t) dt$$

is well defined and we have

$$|\mathfrak{R}_0(f)(x)| \leq T(|f|)(x). \quad (5.3)$$

From inequalities (5.2) and (5.3), we can obtain

$$\left(\int_0^\infty |\mathfrak{R}_0(f)(x)|^p A(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq C_{p,\alpha,\beta} \left(\int_0^\infty |f(x)|^p A(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

which proves (i).

(ii) Suppose that $\rho = 0$ and $(\alpha - \beta) > 0$. From Theorem 3.3 and Theorem 3.6, we have

$$|h(t,x)| \leq C x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x); \text{ for all } 0 < t < x.$$

If we take $\mu(x) = x^{(\alpha-\beta)p} A^{1-p/2}(x)$ and $\nu(x) = A^{1-p'}(x)$ and proceeding as in the proof of (i) above, we can obtain the result in (ii). This completes the proof.

Lemma 5.2: Suppose that $-1 < (\alpha - \beta) \leq 0$, $\rho = 0$ and that there exists a positive constant a such that

$$h(x,t) = 0, \text{ for all } 0 < t < x, x > a.$$

Then for all $(p-3) > 2(\alpha - \beta)$, we can find a positive constant $C_{\alpha,\beta,a}$ such that

$$\|\mathfrak{R}_0(f)\|_{p,A} \leq C_{\alpha,\beta,a} \|f\|_{p,A}; \text{ for all } f \in L^p([0, \infty), A(x)dx).$$

Proof: By Theorem 3.3 and the hypothesis, there exists a positive constant a such that

$$|h(x,t)| \leq C(\alpha, \beta, a) x^{\alpha-\beta} A^{-1/2}(x) 1_{(0,a]}(x); \text{ for all } 0 < t < x.$$

Thus by taking

$$\mu(x) = C(\alpha, \beta, a) x^{p(\alpha-\beta)} A^{1-p/2}(x) 1_{(0,a]}(x), \quad \nu(x) = A^{1-p'}(x)$$

and following a similar procedure as Lemma 5.1 and Lemma 5.2, we can obtain the required result.

Lemma 5.3

- (i) For $(\alpha - \beta) > -1$, $\rho = 0$ and $p > \max(2, 2(\alpha - \beta) + 3)$, there exists a positive constant $C_{p,\alpha,\beta,a}$ such that for all $f \in L^p([0, +\infty), A(x)dx)$, we have

$$\|\mathfrak{R}_1\|_{p,A} \leq C_{p,\alpha,\beta} \|f\|_{p,A}$$

- (ii) For $(\alpha - \beta) > -1$, $\rho = 0$ and $(p-3) > 2(\alpha - \beta)$, there exists a positive constant $C_{p,\alpha,\beta,a}$ such that for all $f \in L^p([0, \infty), A(x)dx)$, we have

$$\|\mathfrak{R}_1(f)\|_{p,A} \leq C_{p,\alpha,\beta} \|f\|_{p,A}.$$

Proof: Let T_ψ be the Hardy type operator defined for all non-negative measurable functions f by

$$T_\psi(f)(x) = \int_0^x \psi(t/x) f(t) v(t) dt,$$

where

$$\psi(x) = (1 - x^2)^{\alpha - \beta}$$

and

$$v(x) = A^{1-p'}(x).$$

Then for all non-negative measurable functions f , we have

$$\mathfrak{R}_1(f)(x) = C_{\alpha, \beta} x^{\alpha - \beta} A^{-1/2}(x) T_\psi(g)(x) \tag{5.4}$$

where

$$g(x) = f(x) A^{p'-1}(x).$$

Take

$$\mu(x) = x^{p(\alpha - \beta)} A^{1-p/2}(x).$$

Then according to the hypothesis satisfied by the function A , there exist positive constants C_1, C_2 such that for all $(\alpha - \beta) > -1$ and $\rho > 0$ we have

$$0 \leq \mu(x) \leq C_1 x^{2(\alpha - \beta + 1) - \rho} \tag{5.5}$$

$$0 \leq v(x) \leq C_2 x^{2(\alpha - \beta + 1)(1 - p')}. \tag{5.6}$$

Now for $(\alpha - \beta) \geq 0$, $\rho > 0$ and $(p - 3) > 2(\alpha - \beta)$, from inequalities (5.5) and (5.6) we can infer that

- (a) the function ψ is continuous and non-increasing on $(0, 1)$
- (b) the functions ψ, v and μ satisfy the hypothesis of Theorem 4.1
- (c) the functions

$$F(r) = \left(\int_r^\infty \mu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_0^r (\psi(x/r)^{p'} v(x) dx) \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}}$$

and

$$G(r) = \left(\int_r^\infty (\psi(r/x)^p \mu(t) dt) \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_0^r v(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}}$$

are bounded on $[0, \infty)$.

Hence from Theorem 4.1, there exists $C_{p, \alpha, \beta} > 0$ such that for all measurable non-negative functions f we have

$$\left(\int_0^\infty (T_\psi(f(x))^p \mu(x) dx) \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq C_{p, \alpha, \beta} \left(\int_0^\infty (f(x)^p v(x) dx) \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}}.$$

This inequality together with the relation (5.4) lead to

$$\left(\int_0^\infty (\mathfrak{R}_1(f(x))^p A(x) dx) \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq C_{p, \alpha, \beta} \left(\int_0^\infty (f(x))^p A(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

which proves (i) in the case $(\alpha - \beta) \geq 0$.

For $-1 < (\alpha - \beta) < 0$ and $p > 2$, we have

(d) the function ψ is continuous and non-decreasing on $(0,1)$

(e) if we pick

$$b \in \left(\max \left(0, \frac{1 - p(\alpha - \beta + 1)}{-p(\alpha - \beta)} \right), \min \left(1, \frac{1}{-p(\alpha - \beta)} \right) \right)$$

and using relations (5.5) and (5.6) we can obtain that the function

$$H(r) = \left(\int_r^\infty (\psi(r/x))^{bp} \mu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_0^r (\psi(x/r))^{(1-b)p'} \nu(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p'}}$$

is bounded on $(0, \infty)$.

Finally by using Theorem 4.2 and equation (5.4), proof of (i) can be completed (ii) can be proved in the same manner as (i).

Theorem 5.4:

(i) For $(\alpha - \beta) > -1, \rho > 0$ and $p > \max(2, 2(\alpha - \beta) + 3)$ there exists a positive constant $C_{p,\alpha,\beta}$ such that for all $f \in L^p([0, \infty), A(x)dx)$

$$\|R(f)\|_{p,A} \leq C_{p,\alpha,\beta} \|f\|_{p,A}$$

(ii) For $(\alpha - \beta) > -1, \rho > 0$ and $p > \max(2, 2(\alpha - \beta) + 3)$ there exists a positive constant $C_{p,\alpha,\beta}$ such that for all $g \in L^{p'}([0, \infty), A(x)dx)$

$$\left\| \frac{1}{A(x)} W(g) \right\|_{p',A} \leq C_{p,\alpha,\beta} \|g\|_{p',A}$$

where $p' = \frac{p}{p-1}$.

Proof: (i) Follows from first parts of Lemma 5.1, Lemma 5.3 and the fact that

$$\mathfrak{R}(f) = \mathfrak{R}_0(f) + \mathfrak{R}_1(f)$$

(ii) follows from (i) and the relations

$$\|g\|_{p',A} = \max_{\|f\|_{p,A} \leq 1} \int_0^\infty f(x) g(x) A(x) dx \tag{5.7}$$

for all measurable non-negative functions f and g and

$$\int_0^\infty \mathfrak{R}(f)(x) g(x) A(x) dx = \int_0^\infty W(g)(x) f(x) dx.$$

Theorem 5.5:

(i) For $(\alpha - \beta) > 0, \rho = 0$ and $(p - 3) > 2(\alpha - \beta)$ there exists a positive constant $C_{p,\alpha,\beta}$ such that for all $f \in L^p([0, \infty), A(x)dx)$

$$\|\mathfrak{R}(f)\|_{p,A} \leq C_{p,\alpha,\beta} \|f\|_{p,A}$$

(ii) For $(\alpha - \beta) > 0, \rho = 0$ and $(p - 3) > 2(\alpha - \beta)$ there exists a positive constant $C_{p,\alpha,\beta}$ such that for all $g \in L^{p'}([0, \infty), A(x)dx)$

$$\left\| \frac{1}{A(x)} W(g) \right\|_{p',A} \leq C_{p,\alpha,\beta} \|g\|_{p',A}$$

where, $p' = \frac{p}{p-1}$.

(iii) For $-1 < (\alpha - \beta) \leq 0$, $\rho = 0$, $(p-3) > 2(\alpha - \beta)$ and under the hypothesis of Lemma 5.2, the previous results hold.

Proof: Proof can be completed by using above Lemmas.

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