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# GENERALIZED PSEUDO-DIFFERENTIAL OPERATORS INVOLVING FRACTIONAL FOURIER TRANSFORM

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**Abstract.** Generalized pseudo-differential operators (PDO) involving fractional Fourier transform associate with the symbol a(x, y) whose derivatives satisfy certain growth condition is defined. The product of two generalized pseudo-differential operators is shown to be a generalized pseudo-differential operator.

### 1. Introduction

If  $\phi \in L_1(\mathbb{R})$  then the Fourier transform of a function is defined by

$$\widetilde{\phi}(y) = (\mathcal{F}(\phi))(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{-ixy} \phi(x) dx, \ y \in \mathbb{R}$$
 (1.1)

and if  $\widetilde{\phi} \in L_1(\mathbb{R})$  then the inverse Fourier transform is given by

$$\phi(x) = (\mathcal{F}^{-1}(\widetilde{\phi}))(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{ixy} \widetilde{\phi}(y) dy, \ x \in \mathbb{R}.$$
 (1.2)

The one dimensional fractional Fourier transform ([5], [6]) with parameters  $\alpha, \beta$  of  $\phi(x)$  denoted by  $(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}(\phi))(t) = \widehat{\phi}_{\alpha,\beta}(t)$  is given by

$$(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}(\phi))(t) = \widehat{\phi}_{\alpha,\beta}(t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)\phi(x)dx, \tag{1.3}$$

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where 
$$K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) = \begin{cases} C_{\alpha,\beta} e^{i(x^2+t^2)\cot(\alpha-\beta)^{(\alpha+\beta)}-ixt\csc(\alpha-\beta)} & \text{if} \quad (\alpha-\beta) \neq n\pi, \\ \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\alpha+\beta}} e^{-ixt} & \text{if} \quad (\alpha-\beta) = \frac{\pi}{2}, \end{cases}$$
 for  $n$  is an integer and

$$C_{\alpha,\beta} = (2\pi i sin(\alpha - \beta))^{-(\alpha + \beta)} e^{i(\alpha - \beta)^{(\alpha + \beta)}} = \left(\frac{1 - i cot(\alpha - \beta)}{2\pi}\right)^{\alpha + \beta}.$$

It is inverted by

$$\phi(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \overline{K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)} (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}(\phi))(t) dt, \qquad (1.4)$$

where

$$\overline{K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)} = C'_{\alpha,\beta}e^{-i(x^2+t^2)\cot(\alpha-\beta)^{(\alpha+\beta)}} + ixt\csc(\alpha-\beta)$$
 (1.5)

and

$$C'_{\alpha,\beta} = \frac{(2\pi i \sin(\alpha - \beta))^{\alpha+\beta}}{\sin(\alpha - \beta)} e^{-i(\alpha - \beta)^{(\alpha+\beta)}}$$

$$= \frac{(2\pi i)^{\alpha+\beta} (\sin(\alpha - \beta))^{\alpha+\beta}}{\sin(\alpha - \beta)} (\cos(\alpha - \beta) - i \sin(\alpha - \beta))^{(\alpha+\beta)}$$

$$= \frac{(2\pi i)^{\alpha+\beta} (\sin(\alpha - \beta))^{2(\alpha+\beta)}}{\sin(\alpha - \beta)(\sin(\alpha - \beta))^{\alpha+\beta}} (\cos(\alpha - \beta) - i \sin(\alpha - \beta))^{(\alpha+\beta)}$$

$$= \frac{(2\pi i)^{\alpha+\beta} (\sin(\alpha - \beta))^{2(\alpha+\beta)}}{\sin(\alpha - \beta)} (\cot(\alpha - \beta) - i)^{\alpha+\beta}$$

$$= \frac{(2\pi i)^{\alpha+\beta} (\sin(\alpha - \beta))^{2(\alpha+\beta)}}{\sin(\alpha - \beta)} (1 + i \cot(\alpha - \beta))^{\alpha+\beta}$$

$$= \frac{(\sin(\alpha - \beta))^{2(\alpha+\beta)}}{\sin(\alpha - \beta)} [2\pi (1 + i \cot(\alpha - \beta))]^{\alpha+\beta}.$$

**Definition 1.1.** A tempered distribution  $\phi \in H^s(\mathbb{R})$  (the Sobolev space),  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ , if its fractional Fourier transform  $\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi$  corresponding to a locally integrable function  $(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}(\phi))(t)$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  such that

$$\|\phi\|_{H^s} = \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}} \left| (1+|t|^2)^{s/2} \mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}(\phi)(t) \right|^2 dt \right)^{1/2} < \infty.$$
 (1.6)

This space is complete with respect to the norm  $\|\phi\|_{H^s}$ .

# 2. Properties of fractional Fourier transform

First we recall the definition of the Schwartz space  $S(\mathbb{R})$ .

**Definition 2.1.** The space S, the so called space of smooth functions of rapid descent is defined as follows:  $\phi$  is member of S if and only if it is complex valued  $C^{\infty}$  function on  $\mathbb{R}$  and for every choice of b and c of non negative integers, it satisfies

$$\Gamma_{b,c}(\phi) = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}} |x^b D^c \phi(x)| < \infty.$$
 (2.1)

**Proposition 2.2.** Let  $K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)$  be the kernel of fractional Fourier transform and  $\Delta_x^r = \left(\frac{d}{dx} - ix\cot(\alpha - \beta)\right)^r$ . Then

$$\Delta_x^r K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) = (-it \csc(\alpha - \beta))^r K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t),$$

for all  $r \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

Proof.

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,y) \right] = C_{\alpha,\beta} \frac{d}{dx} \left[ e^{i \left[ (x^2 + t^2) \cos(\alpha - \beta) \right]^{(\alpha + \beta)} - ixt \csc(\alpha - \beta)} \right]$$
$$= K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) i \left( x \cot(\alpha - \beta) - t \csc(\alpha - \beta) \right).$$

So that

$$\left(\frac{d}{dx} - ix\cot(\alpha - \beta)\right) K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) = (-it\csc(\alpha - \beta))K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t).$$

Continuing in this way, we get

$$\left(\frac{d}{dx} - ix\cot(\alpha - \beta)\right)^r K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) = (-it\csc(\alpha - \beta))^r K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t).$$

**Proposition 2.3.** For all  $\phi \in S(\mathbb{R})$ , we have

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \Delta_x^r K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) \phi(x) dx = \int_{\mathbb{R}} K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) (\Delta_x')^r \phi(x) dx,$$

for all  $r \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , where  $\Delta'_x = -(\frac{d}{dx} + ix \cot(\alpha - \beta))$ .

*Proof.* First we prove

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \Delta_x K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)\phi(x)dx = \int_{\mathbb{R}} K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)(\Delta_x')\phi(x)dx.$$

Using integration by parts, we have

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \left( \frac{d}{dx} - ix \cot(\alpha - \beta) \right) K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) \phi(x) dx$$
$$= -\int_{\mathbb{R}} K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) \left( \frac{d}{dx} + ix \cot(\alpha - \beta) \right) \phi(x) dx.$$

Therefore,

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \Delta_x K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)\phi(x)dx = \int_{\mathbb{R}} K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)(\Delta_x')\phi(x)dx.$$

In general, we have

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \Delta_x^r K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) \phi(x) dx = \int_{\mathbb{R}} K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) (\Delta_x')^r \phi(x) dx.$$

**Proposition 2.4.** Let  $\phi \in S$ . Then

$$\left(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}(\Delta_x')^r\phi(x)\right)(t) = \left(-it\csc(\alpha,\beta)\right)^r\left(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi(x)\right)(t)$$

for all  $r \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

*Proof.* By using Proposition 2.2 and Proposition 2.3, we have

$$(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}(\Delta_x')^r \phi(x))(t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) (\Delta_x')^r \phi(x) dx$$

$$= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \Delta_x^r K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) \phi(x) dx$$

$$= (it \csc(\alpha - \beta))^r \int_{\mathbb{R}} K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) \phi(x) dx$$

$$= (-it \csc(\alpha,\beta))^r (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi(x))(t).$$

## 3. Product of two generalized pseudo differential operators

Sobolev space  $H^s(\mathbb{R})$  is defined by (1.6). The variant of this, denoted by  $H^s(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})$ , where  $s \in \mathbb{R}$  defined by [2] as follows:

A tempered distribution  $\phi \in S'(\overline{\mathbb{R}^2})$  is said to belong to  $H^s(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})$ , if  $(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi)(t,\eta)$  is locally integrable on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and

$$[(1+|t|^2)(1+|\eta|^2)]^{s/2} (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi)(t,\eta) \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^2).$$

A norm in this space is defined as

$$\|\phi\|_{H^s(\mathbb{R}\times\mathbb{R})} = \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} |(1+|t|^2)^{s/2} (1+|\eta|^2)^{s/2} \left(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi\right)(t,\eta)|^2 dt d\eta\right)^{1/2}$$

$$<\infty, \quad \phi \in S'(\mathbb{R}\times\mathbb{R}). \tag{3.1}$$

**Definition 3.1.** The function  $a(x,y): C^{\infty}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}) \to \mathbb{C}$  belongs to the class  $S^m$  if and only if for all  $q, v, b \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , there exist  $D_{b,v,m} > 0$  such that

$$(1+|x|)^q |D_x^b D_y^v a(x,y)| \le D_{b,v,m} (1+|y|)^{m-v}.$$
(3.2)

**Lemma 3.2.** For any symbol  $a \in S^m, m \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $l > 1 \in \mathbb{N}$ , there exists a positive constant  $C_m$  such that

$$|(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}a)(t,\eta)| \le C_m (1+|\eta|)^m (1+t^2 \csc^2(\alpha-\beta))^{-l/2}.$$
 (3.3)

*Proof.* We know that

$$\left(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}a\right)(t,\eta) = C_{\alpha,\beta} \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{(i(x^2+t^2)\cot(\alpha-\beta))^{(\alpha+\beta)} - ixt\csc(\alpha-\beta)} a(x,\eta) dx.$$

So that

$$(1 + it \csc(\alpha - \beta))^{l} (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} a) (t,\eta) = \int_{\mathbb{D}} K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t) (1 - \Delta'_{x})^{l} a(x,\eta) dx \qquad (3.4)$$

for all  $\eta, t \in \mathbb{R}, l > 1 \in \mathbb{N}$ . Now

$$(1 - \Delta_x')^l a(x, \eta) = \sum_{r=0}^l \binom{l}{r} (-1)^r (\Delta_x')^r a(x, \eta)$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^l \binom{l}{r} (-1)^r \sum_{k=0}^r P(x, k) D_x^k a(x, \eta)$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^l \binom{l}{r} (-1)^r \sum_{k=0}^r \sum_{l_1=0}^k d_{l_1} x^{l_1} D_x^k a(x, \eta),$$

where P(x,k) is a polynomial of maximum degree r. Using (3.2) in above equation, we have

$$\left| (1 - \Delta_x')^l a(x, \eta) \right| \le \sum_{r=0}^l \binom{l}{r} \sum_{k=0}^r \sum_{l_1=0}^k |d_{l_1}| D_{k,m} (1 + |\eta|)^m (1 + |x|)^{-l}.$$
 (3.5)

Therefore by (3.4) and (3.5), we get

$$\begin{aligned} &|(1+it\csc(\alpha-\beta))|^{l} | (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}a)(t,\eta)| \\ &\leq |C_{\alpha,\beta}| \sum_{r=0}^{l} \binom{l}{r} \sum_{k=0}^{r} \sum_{l_{1}=0}^{k} |d_{l_{1}}| D_{k,m} (1+|\eta|)^{m} \times \int_{\mathbb{R}} (1+|x|)^{-l} dx. \end{aligned}$$

Since integral is convergent for large value of l, there exists a constant  $C_m > 0$  depending on  $l, \alpha, \beta, k, r, m$  such that

$$|(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}a)(t,\eta)| \le C_m(1+|\eta|)^m(1+t^2\csc^2(\alpha-\beta))^{-l/2}$$

A linear partial differential operator  $A(x, \Delta'_x)$  on  $\mathbb{R}$  is given by

$$A(x, \Delta'_x) = \sum_{r=0}^{m} a_r(x) (\Delta'_x)^r,$$
 (3.6)

where the coefficient  $a_r(x)$  are functions defined on  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $\Delta'_x = -(\frac{d}{dx} + ix\cot(\alpha - \beta))$ . If we replace  $(\Delta'_x)^r$  in (3.6) by monomial  $(-it\csc(\alpha - \beta))^r$  in  $\mathbb{R}$ , then we obtain the so called symbol

$$A(x,t) = \sum_{r=0}^{m} a_r(x)(-it\csc(\alpha - \beta))^r.$$
 (3.7)

In order to get another representation of the operator  $A(x, \Delta'_x)$ , let  $\phi \in S(\mathbb{R})$ , by (1.3), (1.4) and Proposition 2.4, we have

$$(A(x, \Delta_x')\phi)(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{m} a_r(x) \mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}^{-1} \mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} (\Delta_x')^r \phi(x)$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^{m} a_r(x) \mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}^{-1} (-it \csc(\alpha - \beta))^r (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} \phi(x)) (t)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \overline{K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)} A(x,t) (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} \phi)(t) dt,$$

where  $\overline{K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)}$  is defined by (1.5). If we replace the symbol A(x,t) by more general symbol a(x,t) which is no longer polynomial in t, we get the generalized pseudo-differential operator  $A_{a,\alpha,\beta}$  defined below.

**Definition 3.3.** Let a(x,y) be a complex valued function belonging to the space  $\mathbb{C}^{\infty}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})$ , and its derivatives satisfy certain growth conditions (3.2). Then the generalized pseudo-differential operator  $A_{a,\alpha,\beta}$  associated with the symbol a(x,y) is defined by

$$(A_{a,\alpha,\beta}\phi) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \overline{K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,y)} a(x,y) \left(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi\right)(y) dy, \tag{3.8}$$

where  $(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi)(y)$  is defined in (1.3).

For pseudo-differential operator involving Fourier transform, we may refer to [3, 4].

**Theorem 3.4.** For any symbol  $a(x,y) \in S^m$ , the associated operator  $(A_{a,\alpha,\beta}\phi)(x)$  can be represented by

$$(A_{a,\alpha,\beta}\phi)(x) = \left(\frac{C'_{\alpha,\beta}}{2\pi}\right)^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left(e^{\left[-i(x^2+t^2+y^2+\eta^2)\cot(\alpha-\beta)\right]^{(\alpha+\beta)}}\right) \times e^{i(xt+y\eta)} \left(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}a\right)(t,\eta) \left(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi\right)(\eta) dt d\eta, \tag{3.9}$$

where  $\phi \in S(R)$ .

*Proof.* Proof can be completed by making use of (1.3) and (1.4) in (3.8).

Corollary 3.5. For any symbol  $a \in S^m$  and  $\phi \in S(\mathbb{R})$ ,

$$\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} \left[ A_{a,\alpha,\beta} \phi \right] (t,\eta) = \left( \mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} a \right) (t,\eta) \left( \mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} \phi \right) (\eta), \tag{3.10}$$

where the fractional Fourier transform is taken with respect to all the variables x and y.

**Definition 3.6.** Let  $\sigma(x,t) \in S^{m_1}$  and  $\tau(y,t) \in S^{m_2}$ . Then the product of two generalized pseudo-differential operators  $B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta}$  and  $A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta}$  associated with symbol  $\tau(y,t)$  and  $\sigma(x,t)$  respectively is defined by

$$(B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta}A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta}\phi)(x,y) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \overline{K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)} \tau(y,t) \mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} \left[ A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta} \right] (t,y) dt, \quad (3.11)$$

if the integral is convergent.

**Theorem 3.7.** Let  $\sigma(x,t) \in S^{m_1}$  and  $\tau(y,t) \in S^{m_2}$ . Then the product of two pseudo-differential operators  $B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta}$  and  $A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta}$  is again a generalized pseudo-differential operator whose symbol is in  $S^{m_1+m_2}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\phi \in S(\mathbb{R})$ . Then from the Definition 3.6 and (3.10), we have

$$(B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta}A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta}\phi)(x,y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \overline{K_{\alpha,\beta}(x,t)} \tau(y,t) (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t) (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi)(t) dt.$$
(3.12)

This shows that  $\tau(y,t)(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t)$  is symbol of the product  $B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta}A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta}$ . Now, we have to show that this symbol is in  $S^{m_1+m_2}$ . For  $a_1,b_1\in\mathbb{N}_0$ , we have

$$|(D_{y})^{a_{1}}(D_{t})^{b_{1}}\tau(y,t)(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t)|$$

$$\leq \sum_{a_{2}=0}^{a_{1}} {a_{1} \choose a_{2}} \sum_{b_{2}=0}^{b_{1}} {b_{1} \choose b_{2}} |(D_{y})^{a_{1}-a_{2}}(D_{t})^{b_{1}-b_{2}}\tau(y,t)|$$

$$\times |(D_{y})^{a_{2}}(D_{t})^{b_{2}}(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t)|. \tag{3.13}$$

Now,

$$\begin{split} &(D_{y})^{a_{2}}(D_{t})^{b_{2}}(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t) \\ &= C_{\alpha,\beta} \int_{\mathbb{R}} D_{y}^{a_{2}} \left( e^{[i(x^{2}+y^{2})\cot(\alpha-\beta)](\alpha+\beta)-ixy\csc(\alpha-\beta)} \right) D_{t}^{b_{2}}\sigma(y,t) dx \\ &= C_{\alpha,\beta} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \sum_{a_{3}=0}^{a_{2}} \left( a_{2} \atop a_{3} \right) D_{y}^{a_{2}-a_{3}} \left( e^{[i(x^{2}+y^{2})\cot(\alpha-\beta)](\alpha+\beta)} \right) \\ &\times D_{y}^{a_{3}} \left( e^{-ixy\csc(\alpha-\beta)} \right) D_{t}^{b_{2}}\sigma(y,t) dx \\ &= C_{\alpha,\beta} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \sum_{a_{3}=0}^{a_{2}} \left( a_{2} \atop a_{3} \right) e^{[i(x^{2}+y^{2})\cot(\alpha-\beta)](\alpha+\beta)} \\ &\times P_{a_{2}-a_{3}}(y,(i\cot(\alpha-\beta))(\alpha+\beta)) \\ &\times (-ix\csc(\alpha-\beta))^{a_{3}} e^{-ix\csc(\alpha-\beta)} D_{t}^{b_{2}}\sigma(y,t) dx \\ &= C_{\alpha,\beta} \sum_{a_{3}=0}^{a_{2}} \left( a_{2} \atop a_{3} \right) \sum_{s=0}^{a_{2}-a_{3}} a_{s}\cot(\alpha-\beta) y^{s} (-i\csc(\alpha-\beta))^{a_{3}} \\ &\times \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{[i(x^{2}+y^{2})\cot(\alpha-\beta)](\alpha+\beta)-ixy\csc(\alpha-\beta)} x^{a_{3}} D_{t}^{b_{2}}\sigma(y,t) dx. \end{split}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{split} &|(D_{y})^{a_{2}}(D_{t})^{b_{2}}(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t)|\\ &\leq |C_{\alpha,\beta}| \sum_{a_{3}=0}^{a_{2}} \binom{a_{2}}{a_{3}} \sum_{s=0}^{a_{2}-a_{3}} |a_{s} \cot(\alpha-\beta)|\\ &\times |y|^{s} |\csc(\alpha-\beta)|^{a_{3}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} |x^{a_{3}}| |D_{t}^{b_{2}}\sigma(y,t)| dx\\ &\leq |C_{\alpha,\beta}| \sum_{a_{3}=0}^{a_{2}} \binom{a_{2}}{a_{3}} \sum_{s=0}^{a_{2}-a_{3}} |a_{s} \cot(\alpha-\beta)|\\ &\times (1+|y|)^{s} |\csc(\alpha-\beta)|^{a_{3}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} (1+|x|)^{a_{3}} |D_{t}^{b_{2}}\sigma(y,t)| dx\\ &\leq D_{b_{3},m} |C_{\alpha,\beta}| \sum_{a_{3}=0}^{a_{2}} \binom{a_{2}}{a_{3}} \sum_{s=0}^{a_{2}-a_{3}} |a_{s} \cot(\alpha-\beta)|\\ &\times (1+|y|)^{s} |\csc(\alpha-\beta)|^{a_{3}} (1+|t|)^{m_{1}-b_{2}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} (1+|x|)^{a_{3}-q} dx. \end{split}$$

The x-integral being convergent for  $q > a_3 + 1$ , therefore

$$|(D_y)^{a_2}(D_t)^{b_2}(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t)| \le L(1+|y|)^s(1+|t|)^{m_1-b_2},\tag{3.14}$$

where L is a positive constant depending on  $\alpha - \beta, a_2, a_3, s, b_2, m$  and q.

By (3.13), (3.14) and (3.2), we have

$$\begin{split} &|(D_y)^{a_2}(D_t)^{b_2}(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t)|\\ &\leq L\sum_{a_2=0}^{a_1} \binom{a_1}{a_2} \sum_{b_2=0}^{b_1} \binom{b_1}{b_2} C_{a_1-a_2,b_1-b_2,m_2,s} (1+|t|)^{m_1+m_2-b_1}\\ &\leq L_1(1+|t|)^{m_1+m_2-b_1}, \end{split}$$

where  $L_1$  is a positive constant depending on  $a_1, a_2, b_1, b_2, m_2, s$  and L. Therefore the symbol of the product  $B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta}A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta}$  is in  $S^{m_1+m_2}$ .

**Theorem 3.8.** Let  $\sigma(x,t) \in S^{m_1}$  and  $\tau(y,t) \in S^{m_2}$ . Then for certain  $C_1 > 0, m_1, m_2 \in \mathbb{R}_+$ ,

$$\| (B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta} A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta} \phi)(x,y) \|_{H^s(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})}^2 \le C_1 \| \phi \|_{H^{s+m_1+m_2}(\mathbb{R})}^2,$$

for all  $\phi \in S(\mathbb{R})$ .

*Proof.* From Definition 3.6 and (3.12), it follows that  $(B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta}A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta}\phi)(x,y)$  has the fractional Fourier transform equal to  $\tau(y,t)(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t)$ . Therefore,

$$\| (B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta}A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta}\phi)(x,y) \|_{H^{s}(\mathbb{R}\times\mathbb{R})}^{2}$$

$$= \| (1+|t|^{2})^{s/2}(1+|y|^{2})^{s/2}\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}(B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta}A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta})(t,y) \|_{L^{2}(\mathbb{R}\times\mathbb{R})}^{2}$$

$$= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} |(1+|t|^{2})^{s/2}(1+|y|^{2})^{s/2}\tau(y,t)$$

$$\times (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t)(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\phi)(t)|^{2}dydt.$$

Since from (3.2)

$$|\tau(y,t)| \le C_{m_2} (1+|t|)^{m_2} (1+|y|^2)^{-l},$$

and from (3.3)

$$|(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta}\sigma)(y,t)| \le C_{m_1}(1+|t|)^{m_1}(1+y^2\csc^2(\alpha-\beta))^{-l/2}.$$

We know that

$$(1+|t|)^m \le \begin{cases} 2^{m/2}(1+|t|^2)^{m/2} & \text{if } m \ge 0, \\ (1+|t|^2)^{m/2} & \text{if } m < 0. \end{cases}$$

Therefore,

$$(1+|t|)^m \le \max(1,2^{m/2})(1+|t|^2)^{m/2} = C_m(1+|t|^2)^{m/2},$$

where 
$$C_m = \max(1, 2^{m/2})$$
. Thus
$$\| (B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta} A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta} \phi)(x,y) \|_{H^s(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})}^2$$

$$\leq C_{m_1} C_{m_2} \int_{\mathbb{R}} (1+|y|^2)^{s-2l} (1+y^2 \csc^2(\alpha-\beta))^{-l} dy$$

$$\times \int_{\mathbb{R}} |C_m^2 (1+|t|^2)^{\frac{s+m_1+m_2}{2}} (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} \phi)(t)|^2 dt.$$

Now we have to show that the first integral is convergent. Consider

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} (1+|y|^2)^{s-2l} (1+y^2 \csc^2(\alpha-\beta))^{-l} dy$$

$$= \int_{|y| \le 1} (1+|y|^2)^{s-2l} (1+y^2 \csc^2(\alpha-\beta))^{-l} dy$$

$$+ \int_{|y| > 1} (1+|y|^2)^{s-2l} (1+y^2 \csc^2(\alpha-\beta))^{-l} dy$$

$$= I_1 + I_2,$$

where  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  denotes first and second integrals respectively. Since  $I_1$  is bounded, we have to show the convergent for  $I_2$ .

$$I_2 = \int_{|y|>1} (1+|y|^2)^{s-2l} (1+y^2 \csc^2(\alpha-\beta))^{-l} dy.$$

If s - 2l > 0, then

$$I_{2} \leq \int_{|y|>1} 2^{s-2l} |y|^{2s-4l} (\sin^{2}(\alpha - \beta) + y^{2})^{-l} (\csc(\alpha - \beta))^{-2l} dy$$

$$\leq \int_{|y|>1} 2^{s-2l} |y|^{2s-4l} |y|^{-2l} (\csc(\alpha - \beta))^{-2l} dy$$

$$= 2^{s-2l} (\csc(\alpha - \beta))^{-2l} \int_{|y|>1} |y|^{2s-6l} dy$$

$$< \infty.$$

The y-integral is convergent by choosing  $l > \frac{1+2s}{6}$ .

Now, for s - 2l < 0, let s - 2l = -p,

$$I_{2} \leq \int_{|y|>1} \frac{\sin^{2l}(\alpha - \beta)}{(1 + |y|^{2})^{p}(\sin^{2}(\alpha - \beta) + y^{2})^{l}} dy$$

$$\leq \int_{|y|>1} \frac{1}{|y|^{2p}y^{2l}} dy$$

$$\leq \int_{|y|>1} y^{-(2p+2l)} dy < \infty.$$

The above integral is convergent by choosing 2p + 2l > 1. Therefore,

$$\| (B_{\tau,\alpha,\beta} A_{\sigma,\alpha,\beta} \phi)(x,y) \|_{H^{s}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})}^{2}$$

$$\leq C_{1} \int_{\mathbb{R}} |(1+|t|^{2})^{\frac{s+m_{1}+m_{2}}{2}} (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha,\beta} \phi)(t)|^{2} dt$$

$$\leq C_{1} \| \phi \|_{H^{s+m_{1}+m_{2}}(\mathbb{R})}^{2},$$

where  $C_1$  is a positive constant. This completes the proof.

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