

Relations between Hermite and Laguerre expansions of ultradistributions over \mathbb{R}^d and \mathbb{R}_+^d

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Abstract The aim of this paper is twofold. Firstly, to show the existence of topological isomorphism between the G -type spaces $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $\alpha \geq 1$ and the subspaces of the Gelfand-Shilov spaces $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\alpha \geq 1$, consisting of “even” functions. The same is done for their dual spaces. Secondly, to obtain two structural theorems for the dual spaces $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, $\alpha \geq 1$.

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1 Introduction

The test space $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+)$ for the space of tempered distributions supported by $[0, \infty)$ is studied in [2, 15, 20]; recently, two of the authors have studied the space $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ over $[0, \infty)^d$ in [9]. We have studied in [10] G -type spaces, $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $\alpha \geq 1$ and their dual spaces, i.e. the spaces of ultradistributions over $[0, \infty)^d$, in terms of their Fourier-Laguerre coefficients; cf. Durán [3] for the one-dimensional case. Actually, we extend the results of [3] and give the full topological characterisation, in all dimensions, as well as applications to pseudo-differential operators with radial symbols.

In this paper, we use the expansion of the Laguerre functions into finite sums of Hermite functions and vice versa in order to prove that there exists a topological isomorphism between $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $\alpha \geq 1$ and the subspace of the Gelfand-Shilov spaces $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\alpha \geq 1$, consisting of “even” functions, denoted as $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Also, we describe their dual spaces in order to study pseudo-differential operators on the G -type spaces in our future work. As a remark (Remark 3.5), we have shown that the symbol class of pseudo-differential operators considered in [10] is in bijection with a subspace of $(\mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ (i.e. closely related to the Gelfand-Shilov even ultradistributions). We refer to [5–8, 11, 19, 21] for the expansions of Gelfand-Shilov ultradistribution spaces.

Furthermore, we give two structural theorems for $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, $\alpha \geq 1$ (Theorems 4.6, 4.8). The first one states that $f \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, $\alpha \geq 1$, if and only if it can be written as

$$f = \left(\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} c_k \left(xD^2 + D - \frac{x}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \right)^k \right) F$$

with a suitable growth of the coefficients c_k , where $F \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and $(xD^2 + D - x/4 + 1/2)^k = \prod_{j=1}^d (x_j D_j^2 + D_j - x_j/4 + 1/2)^{k_j}$, $k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$. In fact, the theorem gives a stronger result: if $f \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, $\alpha \geq 1$ varies in a bounded subset, then this representation can be chosen such that the operator is the same for all the elements of the bounded subset and the function F varies in a bounded subset of $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. The second one is similar to the first, but instead of using the operator $(xD^2 + D - x/4 + 1/2)^k$, $f \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ is represented as an infinite sum of integrals of $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ -functions integrated against the test functions that are differentiated and then multiplied by powers of x suitable number of times. As we shall see, $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $\alpha \geq 1$ is given as an injective inductive limit of Fréchet spaces (from now on abbreviated as (F) -space). This theorem, loosely speaking, represents an element f of $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, $\alpha \geq 1$, by giving its action on each layer of the inductive limit in the following way

$$\begin{aligned} \langle f, \phi \rangle &= \sum_{p,k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} F_{A,p,k}(x) x^{(p+k)/2} D^p \phi(x) dx \\ &+ \sum_{|m| \leq j, |n| \leq j} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} \tilde{F}_{A,n,m}(x) x^m D^n \phi(x) dx, \end{aligned}$$

where the $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ -functions $F_{A,p,k}$ and $\tilde{F}_{A,n,m}$ depend on the layer.

We briefly describe the content. We state the notation and definitions of the basic spaces in Sect. 2. Section 3 is devoted to the topological isomorphism announced above. The structural theorems are proved in Sect. 4.

2 Preliminaries

2.1 Notations

We denote by $\mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{R}$ and \mathbb{C} the sets of positive integers, integers, real and complex numbers, respectively; $\mathbb{N}_0 = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$, $\mathbb{R}_+ = (0, \infty)$, $\mathbb{R}_+^d = (0, \infty)^d$ and $\overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d} = [0, \infty)^d$. We use the standard multi-index notation. Let $x = (x_1, \dots, x_d) \in \mathbb{R}^d$, $k = (k_1, \dots, k_d) \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$. Then $|x| = \sqrt{x_1^2 + \dots + x_d^2}$, $|k| = k_1 + \dots + k_d$, $k! = k_1! \dots k_d!$, $x^k = \prod_{i=1}^d x_i^{k_i}$, $D^k = \prod_{i=1}^d \partial^{k_i} / \partial x_i^{k_i}$. Furthermore, if $x, \gamma \in \overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d}$, we also use $x^\gamma = \prod_{j=1}^d x_j^{\gamma_j}$. In this case, if $x_j = 0$ and $\gamma_j = 0$, we use the convention $0^0 = 1$. We define the Laguerre operator as

$$R = \prod_{j=1}^d \left(x_j D_{x_j}^2 + D_{x_j} - \frac{x_j}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \right).$$

For $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and $\gamma > -1$, the j -th Laguerre polynomial of order γ is defined by

$$L_j^\gamma(x) = \frac{x^{-\gamma} e^x}{j!} \frac{d^j}{dx^j} (e^{-x} x^{\gamma+j}), \quad x \geq 0,$$

or, equivalently,

$$L_j^\gamma(x) = \sum_{l=0}^j \binom{j+\gamma}{j-l} \frac{(-x)^l}{l!}, \quad x \geq 0.$$

For $\gamma = (\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_d) \in \mathbb{R}^d$ such that $\gamma_j > -1$, $j = 1, \dots, d$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, the d -dimensional n -th Laguerre polynomial of order γ is defined by $L_n^\gamma(x) = L_{n_1}^{\gamma_1}(x_1) \dots L_{n_d}^{\gamma_d}(x_d)$. For $\gamma = 0$, we write $L_n(x)$ instead of $L_n^0(x)$.

The j -th Laguerre function (of order 0) is defined by $l_j(x) = L_j(x) e^{-x/2}$, $x \geq 0$, $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and in the d -dimensional case we have $l_n(x) = l_{n_1}(x_1) \dots l_{n_d}(x_d)$, $x \in \overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d}$,

$n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$. The Laguerre functions form an orthonormal basis for $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and are eigenfunctions for R i.e. $R^k l_n(x) = (-1)^{|k|} n^k l_n(x)$, $k, n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, where

$$R^k = \prod_{j=1}^d \left(x_j D_{x_j}^2 + D_{x_j} - \frac{x_j}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \right)^{k_j}, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d, \tag{2.1}$$

where, if $k_j = 0$ then we have the identity operator in the j -th variable. The Laguerre functions have a special role for the characterisation of the spaces $G_\alpha^d(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $\alpha \geq 1$, considered below.

The Hermite polynomial H_j and the corresponding Hermite function h_j are defined by

$$H_j(x) = (-1)^j e^{x^2} \frac{d^j}{dx^j} (e^{-x^2}),$$

$$h_j(x) = (2^j j! \sqrt{\pi})^{-1/2} e^{-x^2/2} H_j(x), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}_0, \text{ respectively.}$$

The d -dimensional Hermite polynomials H_n and Hermite functions h_n are defined by

$$H_n(x) = H_{n_1}(x_1) \dots H_{n_d}(x_d),$$

$$h_n(x) = h_{n_1}(x_1) \dots h_{n_d}(x_d), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d, \text{ respectively.}$$

From [9], we recall that the space $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ consists of all $f \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ such that all derivatives $D^p f$, $p \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, extend to continuous functions on $\overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d}$ and

$$\sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}_+^d} x^k |D^p f(x)| < \infty, \quad \forall k, p \in \mathbb{N}_0^d.$$

Equipped with this system of seminorms $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ becomes an (F) -space. By s we denote the space of all complex sequences $\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ such that

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} (|n| + 1)^j |a_n| < \infty, \quad \forall j \in \mathbb{N}_0, \tag{2.2}$$

which becomes an (F) -space when equipped with the seminorms (2.2). There is a topological isomorphism between $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and s given by $f \mapsto \{(f, l_n)\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$. Moreover, for $f \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \langle f, l_n \rangle l_n$ converges absolutely to f in $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ (cf. [9, Theorem 3.1]). Also, the strong dual $(\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ of $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is topologically isomorphic to the strong dual s' of s via the isomorphism $T \mapsto \{(T, l_n)\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ and for $T \in (\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \langle T, l_n \rangle l_n$ converges absolutely to T in $(\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ (cf. [9, Theorem 3.2]).

Let $\alpha \geq 1$ and $a > 1$. We define $s^{\alpha,a}$ as the space of all complex sequences $\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ for which $\|\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}\|_{s^{\alpha,a}} = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} |a_n| |n|^{1/\alpha} < \infty$. Equipped with this norm $s^{\alpha,a}$ becomes a Banach space (from now on, abbreviated as (B) -space). We define $s^\alpha =$

$\lim_{a \rightarrow 1^+} s^{\alpha, a}$. In particular, s^α is a (DFN) -space and its strong dual $(s^\alpha)'$ is the (FN) -space of all complex valued sequences $\{b_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ such that $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} |b_n| a^{-|n|^{1/\alpha}} < \infty$, for each $a > 1$.

For $\alpha, A > 0$, denote by $S_{\alpha, A}^{\alpha, A}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ the (B) -space of all $\varphi \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}^d)$ with norm

$$\|\varphi\|_{S_{\alpha, A}^{\alpha, A}} = \sup_{n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \frac{\|x^m D^n \varphi(x)\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)}}{A^{|n|+|m|} n!^\alpha m!^\alpha} < \infty.$$

The Gelfand-Shilov space $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\alpha \geq 0$ (cf. [6–8] and the recent paper of J. Toft and his collaborators [5]) is defined as an inductive limit of $S_{\alpha, A}^{\alpha, A}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ with respect to A :

$$S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d) = \varinjlim_{A \rightarrow \infty} S_{\alpha, A}^{\alpha, A}(\mathbb{R}^d).$$

The space $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is nontrivial if and only if $\alpha \geq 1/2$. In this case, we have the following dense and continuous inclusion: $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d) \hookrightarrow \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^d)$. We denote by $(S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ the strong dual of $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Moreover, $h_n \in S_{1/2}^{1/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$ and the space $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$ can be given through the Hermite expansions when it is nontrivial. In fact, we have the following result which proof is similar to the proof of [13, Theorem 3.4 and Corollary 3.5] and we omit it.

Proposition 2.1 *Let $\alpha \geq 1/2$. The map $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow s^{2\alpha}$, $f \mapsto \{\langle f, h_n \rangle\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$, is a topological isomorphism. For $f \in S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \langle f, h_n \rangle h_n$ converges absolutely to f in $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$.*

The map $(S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d))' \rightarrow (s^{2\alpha})'$, $T \mapsto \{\langle T, h_n \rangle\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$, is a topological isomorphism. For $T \in (S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d))'$, $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \langle T, h_n \rangle h_n$ converges absolutely to T in $(S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d))'$.

We will be particularly interested in the subspace $S_{\alpha, \text{even}}^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$ of $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$ consisting of all “even” functions in $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$, i.e. of all $\psi \in S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$ such that

$$\psi(x_1, \dots, x_{j-1}, -x_j, x_{j+1}, \dots, x_d) = \psi(x), \tag{2.3}$$

for all $x = (x_1, \dots, x_d) \in \mathbb{R}^d$, $j = 1, \dots, d$.

Proposition 2.2 *The space $S_{\alpha, \text{even}}^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is a closed subspace of $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$. In particular, it is a (DFS) -space. Moreover, $S_{\alpha, \text{even}}^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$ consists of those $\psi \in S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$ which can be represented as $\psi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_{2n} h_{2n}$ where $\{a_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^{2\alpha}$.*

Remark 2.3 Before we give the proof of this proposition, we want to explain the meaning of $\{a_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^{2\alpha}$. It should be understood as the sequence $\{b_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^{2\alpha}$ such that the elements with indexes $k = 2n$, $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, are equal to a_{2n} and all the rest are equal to 0. In the sequel, whenever we use this notation, it will have this exact meaning.

Proof The fact that $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is a closed subspace of $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is trivial. It is a (DFS) -space as a closed subspace of a (DFS) -space. If $\psi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_n h_n \in \mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, then $a_n = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \psi(x) h_n(x) dx$ and $\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^{2\alpha}$ (cf. Proposition 2.1). Since $h_j(t)$ is even when j is even and is odd when j is odd, the last assertion in the proposition follows. \square

For the moment, we denote by X the subspace of $(\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ consisting of all $T \in (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ such that $T = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_{2n} h_{2n}$, for some $\{a_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in (s^{2\alpha})'$. Of course, these are exactly the “even” tempered ultradistributions, i.e. the elements of $(\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ which remain unchanged under the antipode mappings in each coordinate (cf. (2.3)). It is easy to verify that X is a closed subspace of $(\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ and consequently, an (FS) -space.

Proposition 2.4 *The strong dual of $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is topologically isomorphic to X .*

Proof By Proposition 2.2, $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is a (DFS) -space which is a closed subspace of the (DFS) -space $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Hence [14, Theorem A.6.5., p. 255] implies that the strong dual $(\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ of $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is topologically isomorphic to the (FS) -space $(\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))' / (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))^{\perp}$, where

$$(\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))^{\perp} = \{T \in (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))' \mid \langle T, \psi \rangle = 0, \forall \psi \in \mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)\}$$

is the orthogonal space to $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$. By $\hat{T} \in (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))' / (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))^{\perp}$ we denote the coset of $T \in (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$. We define the mapping $I : X \rightarrow (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))' / (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))^{\perp}$, $I(T) = \hat{T}$. It is easy to verify that I is injective. For $\hat{T} \in (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))' / (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))^{\perp}$, let $T = \sum_n b_n h_n$. Then, $T_1 = \sum_n b_{2n} h_{2n} \in X$ and $T - T_1 \in (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))^{\perp}$. Hence $I(T_1) = \hat{T}$, which proves the surjectivity of I . Moreover, I is continuous since it decomposes as $X \rightarrow (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))' \rightarrow (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))' / (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))^{\perp}$, where the first mapping is the canonical injection and the second is the natural mapping. Since X and $(\mathcal{S}_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))' / (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))^{\perp}$ are (F) -spaces, the open mapping theorem proves that I is a topological isomorphism. \square

Remark 2.5 From now on, we will identify $(\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ (the strong dual of $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$) with X . It follows directly from the proof of the previous proposition that each $T \in (\mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ can be represented as $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_{2n} h_{2n}$, where $\{b_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in (s^{2\alpha})'$ and for $\varphi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_{2n} h_{2n} \in \mathcal{S}_{\alpha, \text{even}}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, we have $\langle T, \varphi \rangle = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_{2n} b_{2n}$.

2.2 Test spaces

In this subsection we give the definition of the space $G_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $\alpha \geq 1$, and its basic properties (for details we refer to [10]). Let $A > 0$. We denote by $G_{\alpha, A}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ the space of all $\phi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ such that

$$\sup_{p,k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \frac{\|x^{(p+k)/2} D^p \phi(x)\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}}{A^{|p+k|} k^{(\alpha/2)k} p^{(\alpha/2)p}} < \infty.$$

Equipped with the seminorms

$$\sigma_{A,j}(\phi) = \sup_{p,k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \frac{\|x^{(p+k)/2} D^p \phi(x)\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}}{A^{|p+k|} k^{(\alpha/2)k} p^{(\alpha/2)p}} + \sup_{\substack{|p| \leq j \\ |k| \leq j}} \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}_+^d} |x^k D^p \phi(x)|, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}_0,$$

$G_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ becomes an (F) -space. (The extra term in $\sigma_{A,j}$ forces all derivatives of $\phi \in G_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ to be continuously extendable to the closure of \mathbb{R}_+^d and ϕ to be well defined element of $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$.) When $A_1 < A_2$, $G_{\alpha,A_1}^{\alpha,A_1}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is continuously injected into $G_{\alpha,A_2}^{\alpha,A_2}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. As a locally convex space (from now on abbreviated as l.c.s.), we define $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d) = \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} G_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. The space $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is continuously and densely injected into $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and the Laguerre functions are in $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ (cf. [10, Section 3]).

Theorem 2.6 ([10, Theorem 5.7]) *Let $\alpha \geq 1$. Let $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and $a_n = \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} f(t) l_n(t) dt$, $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$. Then $f \in G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ if and only if there exist $c > 0$ and $a > 1$ such that $|a_n| \leq ca^{-|n|^{1/\alpha}}$.*

Moreover, since $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is isomorphic (as a l.c.s.) to s^α , important topological properties of $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and its strong dual $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ follow.

Theorem 2.7 ([10, Theorem 6.1]) *Let $\alpha \geq 1$. The mapping $\iota : G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d) \rightarrow s^\alpha$, $\iota(f) = \{\langle f, l_n \rangle\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$, is a topological isomorphism between $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and s^α . In particular, $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is a (DFN) -space and $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ is an (FN) -space.*

For each $f \in G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \langle f, l_n \rangle l_n$ is summable to f in $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$.

Theorem 2.8 ([10, Theorem 6.2]) *Let $\alpha \geq 1$. The mapping $\tilde{\iota} : (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))' \rightarrow (s^\alpha)'$, $\tilde{\iota}(T) = \{\langle T, l_n \rangle\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$, is a topological isomorphism.*

Moreover, $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \langle T, l_n \rangle l_n$ is summable to T in $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$.

The last three results are crucial and we will often tacitly apply them throughout the rest of this article.

Remark 2.9 In the sequel, we will use the following estimate

$$\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{s^j}{j!^\alpha} \leq e^{\alpha s^{1/\alpha}}, \quad s \geq 0, \alpha \geq 1. \tag{2.4}$$

Moreover,

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}_0} \frac{s^j}{j!^\alpha} &= \left(\sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}_0} \frac{s^{j/\alpha}}{j!} \right)^\alpha \geq \left(\frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=0}^\infty \frac{(s^{1/\alpha})^j}{2^j j!} \right)^\alpha \\ &= 2^{-\alpha} e^{(\alpha/2)s^{1/\alpha}}, \quad s \geq 0, \alpha \geq 1, \end{aligned}$$

i.e. there exists $c > 0$ such that

$$\sup_{j \in \mathbb{N}_0} \frac{s^j}{j!^\alpha} \geq ce^{cs^{1/\alpha}}, \quad s \geq 0, \alpha \geq 1. \tag{2.5}$$

3 Topological isomorphism between $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$

From now on, we fix $\alpha \geq 1$. The goal of this section is to give the explicit topological isomorphism between $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$.

Throughout this section, we denote by v and w the following mappings:

$$\begin{aligned} v : \mathbb{R}^d &\rightarrow \overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d}, \quad v(x) = (x_1^2, \dots, x_d^2), \\ w : \overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d} &\rightarrow \overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d}, \quad w(x) = (\sqrt{x_1}, \dots, \sqrt{x_d}). \end{aligned}$$

For $\gamma = (\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_d) \in \mathbb{R}^d$ such that $-\gamma_j \notin \mathbb{N}$, $j = 1, \dots, d$ and $m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, we use the abbreviation

$$\binom{\gamma}{m} = \prod_{j=1}^d \binom{\gamma_j}{m_j}.$$

Moreover, we introduce the following notation $\mathbf{1}/2 = (1/2, \dots, 1/2) \in \mathbb{R}_+^d$ and $\mathbf{3}/2 = (3/2, \dots, 3/2) \in \mathbb{R}_+^d$.

Proposition 3.1 *Let $\phi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_n l_n$ be an element of $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. Then $\phi \circ v$ is in $\mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ and*

$$\phi \circ v = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_{2n} h_{2n},$$

where $\{b_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^\alpha$ is given by

$$b_{2n} = \frac{(-1)^{|n|} \pi^{d/4} \sqrt{(2n)!}}{2^{|n|} n!} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_{k+n} \binom{k - \mathbf{1}/2}{k}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d. \tag{3.1}$$

Moreover, the mapping $\phi \mapsto \phi \circ v, G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, is a continuous injection.

Proof By [4, (39), p. 192], for $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$ we have

$$L_n(x) = \sum_{m \leq n} \binom{m - 1/2}{m} L_{n-m}^{-1/2}(x), \quad x \in \overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d}.$$

Recall, [4, (2), p. 193]

$$L_j^{-1/2}(t^2) = \frac{(-1)^j}{2^{2j} j!} H_{2j}(t), \quad t \in \mathbb{R}, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}_0.$$

Thus, for $x \in \mathbb{R}^d, n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$,

$$\begin{aligned} l_n(v(x)) &= \pi^{d/4} \sum_{m \leq n} \binom{m - 1/2}{m} \frac{(-1)^{|n-m|} \sqrt{(2n - 2m)!}}{2^{|n-m|} (n - m)!} h_{2(n-m)}(x) \\ &= \pi^{d/4} \sum_{m \leq n} \binom{n - m - 1/2}{n - m} \frac{(-1)^{|m|} \sqrt{(2m)!}}{2^{|m|} m!} h_{2m}(x). \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

Let $\psi(x) = \phi(v(x)), x \in \mathbb{R}^d$. Clearly, $\psi \in \mathcal{C}(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Observe that,

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(x) &= \phi(v(x)) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_n l_n(v(x)) \\ &= \pi^{d/4} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_n \sum_{m \leq n} \binom{n - m - 1/2}{n - m} \frac{(-1)^{|m|} \sqrt{(2m)!}}{2^{|m|} m!} h_{2m}(x). \end{aligned}$$

We will prove that the double series is absolutely convergent in $L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^d)$. By Cramér’s inequality [4, (19), p. 208], we have $|h_n(x)| \leq 1$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d, x \in \mathbb{R}^d$. For $j \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\binom{j - 1/2}{j} = \frac{(2j - 1)!!}{2^j j!} \leq \frac{(2j)!!}{2^j j!} = 1. \tag{3.3}$$

This inequality trivially holds for $j = 0$ since, in this case, the left hand side is equal to 1. Hence,

$$\left| a_n \binom{n - m - 1/2}{n - m} \frac{(-1)^{|m|} \sqrt{(2m)!}}{2^{|m|} m!} h_{2m}(x) \right| \leq |a_n|, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad n \geq m.$$

Since $\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ is in s^α (cf. Theorem 2.6), the double series in the equality for $\psi(x)$ converges absolutely in $L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Thus, we can change the order of summation in order to obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(x) &= \pi^{d/4} \sum_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \frac{(-1)^{|m|} \sqrt{(2m)!}}{2^{|m|} m!} h_{2m}(x) \sum_{n \geq m} a_n \binom{n - m - 1/2}{n - m} \\ &= \sum_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_{2m} h_{2m}(x), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$b_{2m} = \frac{(-1)^{|m|} \pi^{d/4} \sqrt{(2m)!}}{2^{|m|} m!} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_{n+m} \binom{n - 1/2}{n}, \quad m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d.$$

If ϕ varies in a bounded subset B of $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, then the sequence $\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ varies in a bounded subset of s^α (cf. Theorem 2.7). Since s^α is a (DFS)-space there exist $C, a > 1$ such that $|a_n| \leq C a^{-|n|^{1/\alpha}}, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$. The Cauchy-Schwarz inequality yields

$$|n|^{1/\alpha} + |m|^{1/\alpha} \leq 2(|n| + |m|)^{1/\alpha}, \quad \forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d. \tag{3.4}$$

Thus $a^{-|n+m|^{1/\alpha}} \leq \sqrt{a^{-|n|^{1/\alpha}}} \sqrt{a^{-|m|^{1/\alpha}}}$. Hence, there exist $a', C' > 1$ such that $|a_{n+m}| \leq C' a'^{-|n|^{1/\alpha}} a'^{-|m|^{1/\alpha}}$. Using (3.3), we can estimate b_{2m} as follows

$$|b_{2m}| \leq C' a'^{-|m|^{1/\alpha}} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a'^{-|n|^{1/\alpha}} \leq C'' a''^{-|2m|^{1/\alpha}}, \quad m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d,$$

where $a'' = a'^{1/2^{1/\alpha}}$. Hence, when ϕ varies in B , the sequence $\{b_{2m}\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ varies in a bounded subset of s^α . Thus, the mapping $\phi \mapsto \phi \circ v, G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, is well defined and it maps bounded sets into bounded sets (cf. Propositions 2.1 and 2.2). As $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is bornological, the mapping is continuous. Clearly, this mapping is injective. \square

Proposition 3.2 *Let $\psi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_{2n} h_{2n} \in \mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Then, $\psi|_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} \circ w \in G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and*

$$\psi|_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} \circ w = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_n l_n,$$

where $\{b_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^\alpha$ is given by

$$b_n = \frac{(-1)^{|n|} 2^{|n|}}{\pi^{d/4}} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \binom{k - 3/2}{k} \frac{(-1)^{|k|} 2^{|k|} (k + n)! a_{2k+2n}}{\sqrt{(2k + 2n)!}}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d. \tag{3.5}$$

Moreover, the mapping $\psi \mapsto \psi|_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} \circ w, \mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, is a continuous injection.

Proof We represent h_{2n} as a finite Laguerre series. The equality [4, (2), p. 193] implies

$$H_{2n}(x) = (-1)^{|n|} 2^{2|n|} n! L_n^{-1/2}(v(x)), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d.$$

Thus, by using [4, (39), p. 192], we have

$$H_{2n}(x) = (-1)^{|n|} 2^{2|n|} n! \sum_{m \leq n} \binom{n-m-3/2}{n-m} L_m(v(x)), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d,$$

i.e.

$$h_{2n}(w(x)) = \frac{(-1)^{|n|}}{\pi^{d/4}} \sqrt{\frac{2^{2|n|} n!^2}{(2n)!}} \sum_{m \leq n} \binom{n-m-3/2}{n-m} l_m(x), \quad (3.6)$$

where $x \in \overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$. Let $\psi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_{2n} h_{2n} \in \mathcal{S}_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Then $\{a_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^\alpha$ (cf. Proposition 2.2). Hence, there exist $C, a > 1$ such that

$$|a_{2n}| \leq C a^{-|2n|^{1/\alpha}}, \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d. \quad (3.7)$$

Let $\phi(x) = \psi(w(x))$, $x \in \overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d}$. Clearly, $\phi \in \mathcal{C}(\overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d})$. We have

$$\phi(x) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \frac{(-1)^{|n|} a_{2n}}{\pi^{d/4}} \sqrt{\frac{2^{2|n|} n!^2}{(2n)!}} \sum_{m \leq n} \binom{n-m-3/2}{n-m} l_m(x). \quad (3.8)$$

By [4, (3), p. 205], $|l_n(x)| \leq 1$, for all $x \in \overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$. Similarly as in (3.3), we have

$$\left| \binom{n-m-3/2}{n-m} \right| \leq 1, \quad \text{for all } n \geq m, \quad n, m \in \mathbb{N}^d.$$

Since,

$$\binom{2j}{j} \sim \frac{4^j}{\sqrt{j\pi}}, \quad \text{as } j \rightarrow \infty,$$

we obtain

$$\left| \frac{(-1)^{|n|}}{\pi^{d/4}} \sqrt{\frac{2^{2|n|} n!^2}{(2n)!}} \binom{n-m-3/2}{n-m} l_m(x) \right| \leq C_1 (|n| + 1)^{d/2}, \quad (3.9)$$

$n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, $n \geq m$, for some $C_1 > 1$. By (3.7), we can conclude that the series on the right hand side in (3.8) converges absolutely in $L^\infty(\overline{\mathbb{R}_+^d})$. Thus, we can change the order of summation in order to obtain $\phi(x) = \sum_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_m l_m(x)$, where

$$b_m = \frac{(-1)^{|m|} 2^{|m|}}{\pi^{d/4}} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \binom{n - 3/2}{n} \frac{(-1)^{|n|} 2^{|n|} (n + m)! a_{2n+2m}}{\sqrt{(2n + 2m)!}}.$$

To estimate b_m we can perform analogous technique as for (3.9). Hence, for all $m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, we obtain

$$|b_m| \leq C_2 \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} (|n + m| + 1)^{d/2} a^{-|2n+2m|^{1/\alpha}} \leq C_3 \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a'^{-|n+m|^{1/\alpha}},$$

for some $1 < a' < a$. Now, (3.4) implies that there exist $C'', a'' > 1$ such that $|b_m| \leq C'' a''^{-|m|^{1/\alpha}}, \forall m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, i.e. $\{b_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^\alpha$. Thus, $\phi \in G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. If ψ varies in a bounded subset B of $S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, then (3.7) holds with the same $C, a > 1$ for all the sequences $\{a_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ generated by $\psi \in B$ (since $S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is a subspace of the (DFS) -space $S_{\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$). Thus, from the above proof, it follows that $\{b_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ varies in a bounded subset of s^α , i.e. ϕ varies in a bounded subset of $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. Hence, the mapping $\psi \mapsto \psi_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} \circ w, S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, is well defined and maps bounded sets into bounded sets. As $S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is a (DFS) -space (cf. Proposition 2.2), it is bornological. Hence, the mapping is continuous. The proof for the injectivity is trivial. \square

Combining the above two propositions, we obtain the following result.

Theorem 3.3 *The mapping $\phi \mapsto \phi \circ v, G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d) \rightarrow S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is a topological isomorphism. If $\phi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_n l_n$, then $\phi \circ v = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_{2n} h_{2n}$, where $\{b_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^\alpha$ is given by (3.1). The inverse of this mapping is given by $\psi \mapsto \psi_{|\mathbb{R}_+^d} \circ w, S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. If $\psi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_{2n} h_{2n}$, then $\psi \circ w = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_n l_n$, where $\{b_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in s^\alpha$ is given by (3.5).*

If we denote by \mathcal{J} the isomorphism $\psi \mapsto \psi_{|\mathbb{R}_+^d} \circ w, S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ with $\mathcal{J}^{-1} : \phi \mapsto \phi \circ v, G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d) \rightarrow S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ being its inverse, then the transpose ${}^t\mathcal{J}$ is an isomorphism between $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ and $(S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$. By Proposition 2.4 (and the remark after), for $T = \sum_n a_n l_n \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ there exists $\{b_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in (s^\alpha)'$ such that ${}^t\mathcal{J}T = \sum_n b_{2n} h_{2n} \in (S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$. Then, (3.6) implies

$$b_{2n} = \langle {}^t\mathcal{J}T, h_{2n} \rangle = \frac{(-1)^{|n|} 2^{|n|} n!}{\pi^{d/4} \sqrt{(2n)!}} \sum_{m \leq n} \binom{n - m - 3/2}{n - m} a_m. \tag{3.10}$$

Similarly, given $T = \sum_n a_{2n} h_{2n} \in (S_{\alpha, \text{even}}^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d))'$, ${}^t(\mathcal{J}^{-1})T \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$. Hence, ${}^t(\mathcal{J}^{-1})T = \sum_n b_n l_n$, for some $\{b_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in (s^\alpha)'$. The equality (3.2) implies

$$b_n = \langle {}^t(\mathcal{J}^{-1})T, l_n \rangle = \pi^{d/4} \sum_{m \leq n} \binom{n - m - \mathbf{1}/2}{n - m} \frac{(-1)^{|m|} \sqrt{(2m)!}}{2^{|m|} m!} a_{2m}. \quad (3.11)$$

Since ${}^t(\mathcal{J}^{-1}) = ({}^t\mathcal{J})^{-1}$, we proved the following theorem.

Theorem 3.4 *The transpose ${}^t\mathcal{J}$ of the isomorphism $\mathcal{J} : \psi \mapsto \psi|_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} \circ w$, $S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, is a topological isomorphism ${}^t\mathcal{J} : (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))' \rightarrow (S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$. The image of $\sum_n a_n l_n \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ under this isomorphism is $\sum_n b_{2n} h_{2n}$, where $\{b_{2n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in (s^\alpha)'$ is given by (3.10). The inverse of this isomorphism $({}^t\mathcal{J})^{-1}$ maps $\sum_n a_{2n} h_{2n} \in (S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ into $\sum_n b_n l_n \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, where $\{b_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in (s^\alpha)'$ is given by (3.11).*

Remark 3.5 Let $\sigma_n, n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, be measurable functions on \mathbb{R}_+^d such that $\sigma_n(\rho)/(1 + \rho)^{n/2} \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$ and for each $A > 0$,

$$\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \left\| \sigma_n(\rho)/(1 + \rho)^{n/2} \right\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)} A^{|n|} n^{\alpha n/2} < \infty.$$

Then, by [10, Lemma 7.5] $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \sigma_n$ converges absolutely in $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ to some σ . Moreover, the same result also states that $\tilde{\sigma}_n(x, \xi) = \sigma_n(2x_1^2 + 2\xi_1^2, \dots, 2x_d^2 + 2\xi_d^2)$ is measurable on \mathbb{R}^{2d} and $\sum_n \tilde{\sigma}_n$ converges absolutely in $(S_{\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^{2d}))'$ to some $\tilde{\sigma}$. The Weyl pseudodifferential operator with symbol $\tilde{\sigma}$ is well defined and continues mapping from $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$ into $S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d)$, it extends to a continuous mapping from $(S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ into $(S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ and it is given by $W_{\tilde{\sigma}} f = \sum_k f_k \sigma_k h_k$, where $f = \sum_k f_k h_k \in (S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}^d))'$ and $\sigma_k = (2\pi)^{d/2} (-1)^{|k|} 2^{-d} \langle \sigma, l_k \rangle$ (see [10, Theorem 7.6]). By Theorem 3.4, each σ given as above originates from a unique even tempered ultradistribution by the isomorphism $({}^t\mathcal{J})^{-1} : (S_{\alpha/2, \text{even}}^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^d))' \rightarrow (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$.

4 Structural theorems

4.1 The first structural theorem

In order to give the first structural theorem, we need to introduce some additional terminology.

Let $\{M_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}_0}$ be a sequence of positive numbers such that satisfies the following condition (see [12]):

$$(M.1) \quad M_p^2 \leq M_{p-1} M_{p+1}, \quad p \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Notice that the condition (M.1) is equivalent to the assumption that the sequence $m_p = M_p/M_{p-1}, p \in \mathbb{N}$, increases monotonically. Furthermore, if the sequence

$m_p = M_p/M_{p-1}$, $p \in \mathbb{N}$, tends to infinite, then we define the associated function of M_p as (cf. [12]):

$$M(t) = \sup_{p \in \mathbb{N}_0} \ln \frac{t^p M_0}{M_p}, \quad t \in (0, \infty).$$

It is a monotonically increasing continuous function which vanishes for sufficiently small $t > 0$ and increases more rapidly than $\ln t^p$ for any p as $t \rightarrow \infty$. We are interested only in the sequences of type $\{p!^\alpha\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}_0}$, with $\alpha \geq 1$. So, from now on, we specialise $M_p = p!^\alpha$, $p \in \mathbb{N}_0$. Thus $M(\cdot)$ will be the associated function of $\{p!^\alpha\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}_0}$. Given a sequence of positive numbers $\{r_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ which monotonically increases to infinity, the sequence with zeroth term equal to $0!^\alpha = 1$ and p -th term equal to $p!^\alpha \prod_{j=1}^p r_j$, $p \in \mathbb{N}$, also satisfies (M.1) and one can define its associated function, which we denote by $N_{r_p}(\cdot)$.

Before we state the next result, notice that the operator R^k , $k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, is continuous on $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and on $\mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ (recall (2.1) for the definition of R^k).

Lemma 4.1 *For each $k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, R^k acts continuously on $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$.*

Proof If $\phi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_n l_n$ varies in a bounded subset of $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, then $\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ varies in a bounded subset of s^α . Since $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} a_n l_n$ converges absolutely to ϕ in $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, we have $R^k \phi = \sum_n a_n R^k l_n = \sum_n a_n (-1)^{|k|} n^k l_n$ and the series converges absolutely in $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. It can be easily proved that $\{a_n (-1)^{|k|} n^k\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ is in s^α and when $\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ varies in a bounded subset of s^α so does $\{a_n (-1)^{|k|} n^k\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$. Hence, R^k is well defined as a mapping from $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ into itself and it maps bounded sets into bounded sets. As $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is bornological, R^k is continuous. \square

By duality, we can define the transpose ${}^t R^k$ of R^k as a continuous operator on $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$. If $T = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_n l_n$, then one easily verifies that ${}^t R^k T = \sum_n b_n (-1)^{|k|} n^k l_n$ (since $\{b_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in (s^\alpha)'$, the sequence $\{b_n (-1)^{|k|} n^k\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d}$ also belongs to $(s^\alpha)'$ and thus the right hand side is a well defined element of $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$). We come to the conclusion that ${}^t R^k$ coincides with R^k when $T \in G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d) \subseteq (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$. Hence, from now on, we will write R^k instead of ${}^t R^k$.

Following Komatsu [12], we call an entire function $P : \mathbb{C}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $P(z) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} c_n z^n$, an ultrapolynomial of class $\{p!^\alpha\}$ if for every $h > 0$ there exists $C > 0$ such that $|c_n| \leq C h^{|n|} / |n|!^\alpha$. By [12, Proposition 4.5], P is an ultrapolynomial of class $\{p!^\alpha\}$ if and only if for every $h > 0$ there exists $C > 0$ such that $|P(z)| \leq C e^{M(h|z|)}$, $\forall z \in \mathbb{C}^d$. Now, notice that Remark 2.9 yields that P is an ultrapolynomial of class $\{p!^\alpha\}$ if and only if for every $h > 0$ there exists $C > 0$ such that $|P(z)| \leq C e^{h|z|^{1/\alpha}}$, $\forall z \in \mathbb{C}^d$.

Next, for a given ultrapolynomial $P(z) = \sum_n c_n z^n$ of class $\{p!^\alpha\}$, we will show that the operator $\sum_n c_n R^n$, denoted by $P(R)$, is a well defined and continuous operator on $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$. In the proof we will use the fact that $\mathcal{L}_b(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d), G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))$

and $\mathcal{L}_b((G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))', (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))')$ are complete (cf. [18, Corollary 1, p. 344]; notice that $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ are bornological and complete spaces).

Lemma 4.2 *Let $P(z) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} c_n z^n$ be an ultrapolynomial of class $\{p^{!^\alpha}\}$. Then, $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} c_n R^n$ converges absolutely in both $\mathcal{L}_b(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d), G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))$ and $\mathcal{L}_b((G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))', (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))')$.*

Proof Since $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is a barrelled and complete space, its topology is given by the system of seminorms $\phi \mapsto \sup_{T \in B'} |\langle T, \phi \rangle|$, where B' ranges over all bounded subsets of $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$. Hence, the topology of $\mathcal{L}_b(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d), G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))$ is given by the system of seminorms

$$\Phi \mapsto \sup_{\substack{T \in B' \\ \phi \in B}} |\langle T, \Phi(\phi) \rangle|,$$

where B and B' range over all bounded subsets of $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, respectively.

To prove that $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} c_n R^n$ converges absolutely in $\mathcal{L}_b(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d), G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))$, we have to prove that for each such B and B' ,

$$\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} |c_n| \sup_{\substack{T \in B' \\ \phi \in B}} |\langle T, R^n \phi \rangle| < \infty. \tag{4.1}$$

Fix such B and B' . Let $\phi = \sum_n a_{n,\phi} l_n$, $\phi \in B$ and $T = \sum_n b_{n,T} l_n$, $T \in B'$. Thus, $\{\{a_{n,\phi}\}_n | \phi \in B\}$ is bounded in s^α and $\{\{b_{n,T}\}_n | T \in B'\}$ is bounded in $(s^\alpha)'$. There exist $a, C > 1$ such that $|a_{n,\phi}| \leq C a^{-|n|^{1/\alpha}}$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, $\phi \in B$. For this a , choose $1 < b \leq a^{1/4}$. Then, there exists $C_1 > 0$ such that $|b_{n,T}| \leq C_1 b^{|n|^{1/\alpha}}$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, $T \in B'$. Moreover, there exist $s, C_2 > 1$ such that $|m|^{|n|} \leq C_2 s^{|n|} b^{|m|^{1/\alpha}} |n|^{!^\alpha}$, for all $n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$. Hence,

$$\sup_{\substack{T \in B' \\ \phi \in B}} |\langle T, R^n \phi \rangle| \leq \sup_{\substack{T \in B' \\ \phi \in B}} \sum_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} |a_{m,\phi}| |b_{m,T}| |m|^{|n|} \leq C_3 s^{|n|} |n|^{!^\alpha}, \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d.$$

Since P is an ultrapolynomial of class $\{p^{!^\alpha}\}$, the last inequality implies (4.1).

The topology of $\mathcal{L}_b((G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))', (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))')$ is given by the system of seminorms

$$\Phi \mapsto \sup_{\substack{T \in B' \\ \phi \in B}} |\langle \Phi(T), \phi \rangle|,$$

where B and B' range over all bounded subsets of $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, respectively. In $\mathcal{L}_b((G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))', (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))')$, $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} c_n R^n$ converges absolutely if we prove that for each such B and B'

$$\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} |c_n| \sup_{\substack{T \in B' \\ \phi \in B}} |\langle R^n T, \phi \rangle| < \infty.$$

This can be done by using the same technique as above. □

Before we prove the main result of this subsection, we state the following three technical lemmas. The first one is proved in [17].

Lemma 4.3 ([17, Lemma 2.4]) *Let $g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ be an increasing function such that satisfies the following estimate: for every $h > 0$ there exists $C > 0$ such that $g(t) \leq M(ht) + \ln C$. Then there exists a subordinate function $\epsilon(t)$ such that $g(t) \leq M(\epsilon(t)) + \ln C'$, for some constant $C' > 1$.*

For the definition of a subordinate function see [12, Definition 3.11].

Lemma 4.4 *Let B be a bounded subset of $(s^\alpha)'$. There exist a sequence of positive numbers $\{r_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ which monotonically increases to infinity and $C' > 1$ such that $|b_n| \leq C'e^{N_{r_p}(h|n|)}$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, $\{b_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \in B$.*

Proof Since B is a bounded subset of $(s^\alpha)'$, for every $h > 0$ there exists $C > 1$ such that $|b_n| \leq Ce^{M(h|n|)}$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, $\{b_n\}_n \in B'$ (cf. Remark 2.9). Define $f : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ as

$$f(t) = \sup_{\substack{|k| \leq t \\ \{b_n\}_n \in B}} \ln_+ |b_k|, \quad t \in [0, \infty).$$

One easily verifies that f is a nonnegative monotonically increasing function and for every $h > 0$ there exists $C > 0$ such that $f(t) \leq M(ht) + C$. Thus, we can apply Lemma 4.3 to obtain the existence of a subordinate function $\epsilon : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ and $C_1 > 1$ such that $f(t) \leq M(\epsilon(t)) + C_1, t \in [0, \infty)$. Now, [12, Lemma 3.12] implies the existence of a sequence $N_p, p \in \mathbb{N}_0$, of positive numbers which satisfies (M.1) such that $M(\epsilon(t)) \leq N(t), t \in (0, \infty)$ ($N(\cdot)$ is the associated function of the sequence N_p) and $N_p M_{p-1} / (N_{p-1} M_p) \rightarrow \infty$ as $p \rightarrow \infty$. Define $r'_p = N_p M_{p-1} / (N_{p-1} M_p), p \in \mathbb{N}$. Since $r'_p \rightarrow \infty$, one can find a monotonically increasing sequence of positive numbers $\{r_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ which tends to infinity and $r_p \leq r'_p, p \in \mathbb{N}$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &\leq N(t) + C_1 = \sup_{p \in \mathbb{N}_0} \ln \frac{t^p N_0}{N_p} + C_1 = \sup_{p \in \mathbb{N}_0} \ln \frac{t^p}{M_p \prod_{j=1}^p r'_j} + C_1 \\ &\leq \sup_{p \in \mathbb{N}_0} \ln \frac{t^p}{M_p \prod_{j=1}^p r_j} + C_1 = N_{r_p}(t) + C_1. \end{aligned}$$

By the definition of f , this readily implies the conclusion of the lemma. □

The next lemma is proved in [16]; here \mathfrak{R} stands for the set of all sequences of positive numbers which increase monotonically to infinity.

Lemma 4.5 ([16, Lemma 2.1], Roumieu case) *Let $r' \geq 1$ and $(k_p) \in \mathfrak{R}$. There exists an ultrapolynomial $P(z)$ of class $\{M_p\}$ such that P does not vanish on \mathbb{R}^d and satisfies the following estimate:*

There exists $C > 0$ such that for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$ and $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^d$,

$$|D^\alpha (1/P(x))| \leq C \frac{\alpha!}{r'^{|\alpha|}} e^{-N_{k_p}(|x|)}.$$

As a special case, we see that for any given sequence of positive numbers $\{r_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ which increases monotonically to infinity, one can find an ultrapolynomial $P(z)$ of class $\{p!^\alpha\}$ and $C > 0$ such that $|P(x)| \geq C e^{N_{r_p}(|x|)}$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$.

Theorem 4.6 *Let $B' \subseteq (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ be a bounded set. There exists an ultrapolynomial $P(z)$ of class $\{p!^\alpha\}$ and a bounded set B in $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ such that for each $T \in B'$ there exists $F_T \in B$ satisfying $T = P(R)F_T$ in $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$.*

Conversely, given a bounded set B in $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and an ultrapolynomial $P(z)$ of class $\{p!^\alpha\}$, $P(R)F$ belongs to $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ for each $F \in B$ and the set $\{P(R)F \mid F \in B\}$ is bounded in $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$.

Proof Let $T = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_{n,T} l_n$, $T \in B'$. The set $\{\{b_{n,T}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \mid T \in B'\}$ is bounded in $(s^\alpha)'$. Lemma 4.4 implies that there exists a sequence of positive numbers $\{r_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ which increases monotonically to infinity such that $|b_{n,T}| \leq C' e^{N_{r_p}(|n|)}$, for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, $T \in B'$. We define the sequence $\{r'_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ by $r'_j = \min\{1, r_1\}$, $j = 1, \dots, d + 1$ and $r'_j = r_{j-d-1}$, $j \geq d + 2$, $j \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, $\{r'_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ increases monotonically to infinity, $r'_p \leq r_p$, $p \in \mathbb{N}$ and there exists $\tilde{C}_1 \geq 1$ such that

$$(t^{d+1} + 1)e^{N_{r_p}(t)} \leq \tilde{C}_1 e^{N_{r'_p}(2^\alpha t)} + e^{N_{r_p}(t)}, \quad t \in [0, \infty).$$

Hence, if we define $k_p = r'_p/2^\alpha$, $p \in \mathbb{N}$, the sequence $\{k_p\}_{p \in \mathbb{N}}$ increases monotonically to infinity and there exists $\tilde{C}_2 > 1$ such that

$$(t^{d+1} + 1)e^{N_{r_p}(t)} \leq \tilde{C}_2 e^{N_{k_p}(t)}, \quad t \in [0, \infty).$$

By Lemma 4.5, we can choose an ultrapolynomial $P(z) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} c_n z^n$ of class $\{p!^\alpha\}$ such that $|P(x)| \geq C e^{N_{k_p}(|x|)}$, for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$. Lemma 4.2 verifies that $P(R)$ acts continuously on $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and on $(G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$. Observe that

$$\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \left| \frac{b_{n,T}}{P(-n)} \right|^2 \leq C_1 \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} e^{2N_{r_p}(|n|)} e^{-2N_{k_p}(|n|)} \leq C_2, \quad \forall T \in B'.$$

Hence, $F_T = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} (b_{n,T} / P(-n)) l_n \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and the set $\{F_T \mid T \in B'\}$ is bounded in $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. As $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d) \subseteq (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, $P(R)F_T \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$. Moreover,

$$P(R)l_n = \sum_{m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} c_m R^m l_n = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} c_m (-n)^m l_n = P(-n)l_n.$$

Hence,

$$P(R)F_T = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \frac{b_{n,T}}{P(-n)} P(R)l_n = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} b_{n,T} l_n = T.$$

The converse part of the theorem is trivial. □

4.2 The second structural theorem

Before we prove the second structural theorem, we need several preliminary results. Firstly, using the Sobolev embedding theorem, we will prove that the topology of $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ can be defined by L^2 -seminorms instead of supremum seminorms. We need to verify that \mathbb{R}_+^d satisfies the strong local Lipschitz condition (cf. [1, Definition 4.9, p. 83]) in order to obtain the assertion. For the moment, denote $\mathbf{C} = \mathbb{R}_+^d$. On the hyperplane $x_1 + \dots + x_d = 0$ take $d - 1$ orthonormal vectors ξ_1, \dots, ξ_{d-1} and let $\xi_d = (-1/\sqrt{d}, \dots, -1/\sqrt{d})$ (given in the x_1, \dots, x_d coordinate system). Then, ξ_1, \dots, ξ_d is an orthonormal basis for \mathbb{R}^d . Notice that the boundary of \mathbf{C} is exactly the graph, given in the (ξ_1, \dots, ξ_d) -coordinate system of a continuous piecewise linear function f in ξ_1, \dots, ξ_{d-1} such that the domain of each piece is a polyhedral cone. Thus, this function is Lipschitz continuous on \mathbb{R}^{d-1} and \mathbf{C} is represented by the inequality $\xi_d < f(\xi_1, \dots, \xi_{d-1})$. This proves that $\mathbf{C} = \mathbb{R}_+^d$ satisfies the strong local Lipschitz condition. Thus, the Sobolev embedding theorem [1, Theorem 4.12, p. 85] is applicable on \mathbb{R}_+^d , i.e. for all $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$, the Sobolev space $H^{j+j_0}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is continuously injected into $\mathcal{C}^j(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, where $2j_0 > d \geq 2(j_0 - 1)$ (here, $\mathcal{C}^j(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ denotes the (B) -space of all functions which have bounded uniformly continuous derivatives up to order j ; the norm is given by $\sup_{|k| \leq j} \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}_+^d} |D^k \varphi(x)|$). This implies that the topology on $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ can be given by the family of seminorms

$$\varphi \mapsto \left(\sum_{|m| \leq j, |n| \leq j} \|x^m D^n \varphi\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}^2 \right)^{1/2}, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}_0.$$

Now, we can give an alternative representation (again as an inductive limit) of $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ which will enable us to prove the second structural theorem. For $A > 0$, we denote by $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ the space of all $f \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ such that

$$\sum_{p,k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \frac{\|x^{(p+k)/2} D^p f(x)\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}^2}{A^{2|p+k|} k^{\alpha k} p^{\alpha p}} < \infty.$$

From the alternative definition of the topology of $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ given above, the space $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ with the seminorms

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\sigma}_{A,j}(f) = & \left(\sum_{p,k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \frac{\|x^{(p+k)/2} D^p f(x)\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}^2}{A^{2|p+k|} k^{\alpha k} p^{\alpha p}} \right. \\ & \left. + \sum_{|m| \leq j, |n| \leq j} \|x^m D^n f(x)\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}^2 \right)^{1/2}, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}_0, \end{aligned}$$

becomes an (F) -space. When $A_1 < A_2$, $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A_1}^{\alpha,A_1}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is continuously injected into $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A_2}^{\alpha,A_2}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. Clearly, $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is continuously injected into $G_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ and $G_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is continuously injected into $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,2A}^{\alpha,2A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. Hence, $G_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}_+^d) = \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ as a l.c.s.

Proposition 4.7 *Let $A > 0$. For each $T \in (\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, there exists $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and $F_{A,p,k} \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $p, k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$ and $\tilde{F}_{A,n,m} \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$ with $|n| \leq j$, $|m| \leq j$, such that*

$$\sum_{p,k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} A^{2|p+k|} p^{\alpha p} k^{\alpha k} \|F_{A,p,k}\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}^2 + \sum_{|m| \leq j, |n| \leq j} \|\tilde{F}_{A,n,m}\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}^2 < \infty \quad (4.2)$$

and for all $\phi \in \tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle T, \phi \rangle = & \sum_{p,k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} F_{A,p,k}(x) x^{(p+k)/2} D^p \phi(x) dx \\ & + \sum_{|m| \leq j, |n| \leq j} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} \tilde{F}_{A,n,m}(x) x^m D^n \phi(x) dx. \end{aligned} \quad (4.3)$$

Conversely, given $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and a set of $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ -functions $\{F_{A,p,k} \mid p, k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d\} \cup \{\tilde{F}_{A,n,m} \mid n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d, |n| \leq j, |m| \leq j\}$ such that (4.2) holds, there exists $T \in (\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ given by (4.3).

Proof For $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$, we define

$$U_j = \bigsqcup_{(p,k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^{2d}} \mathbb{R}_{+,p,k}^d \bigsqcup_{\substack{(n,m) \in \mathbb{N}_0^{2d} \\ |n| \leq j, |m| \leq j}} \mathbb{R}_{+,n,m}^d,$$

where, as standard, \bigsqcup denotes disjoint union. Each member of this disjoint union is an exact copy of \mathbb{R}_+^d . We equip \mathbf{U}_j with the disjoint union topology. Since there are countably many copies of \mathbb{R}_+^d , \mathbf{U}_j is Hausdorff locally compact space and an each open set in \mathbf{U}_j is σ -compact. We define a Borel measure μ_j on \mathbf{U}_j by

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_j(E) &= \sum_{(p,k) \in \mathbb{N}_0^{2d}} A^{-2|p+k|} p^{-\alpha p} k^{-\alpha k} |E \cap \mathbb{R}_{+,p,k}^d| \\ &+ \sum_{\substack{(n,m) \in \mathbb{N}_0^{2d} \\ |n| \leq j, |m| \leq j}} |E \cap \mathbb{R}_{+,n,m}^d|, \end{aligned}$$

where $|E \cap \mathbb{R}_{+,p,k}^d|$ and $|E \cap \mathbb{R}_{+,n,m}^d|$ is the Lebesgue measure of $E \cap \mathbb{R}_{+,p,k}^d$ and $|E \cap \mathbb{R}_{+,n,m}^d|$, respectively (clearly, E is a Borel set in \mathbf{U}_j if and only if $E \cap \mathbb{R}_{+,p,k}^d$ and $E \cap \mathbb{R}_{+,n,m}^d$ are Borel sets in $\mathbb{R}_{+,p,k}^d$ and $\mathbb{R}_{+,n,m}^d$, respectively, for all $p, k, n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d$, $|m| \leq j, |n| \leq j$). As readily seen, μ_j is locally finite, σ -finite and $\mu_j(\mathbf{K}) < \infty$ for every compact set \mathbf{K} in \mathbf{U}_j . By the properties of \mathbf{U}_j , μ_j is regular (both inner and outer regular). Now, observe that, for each $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$, $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is continuously injected into $L^2(\mathbf{U}_j, \mu_j)$ by the mapping $\mathfrak{J}_j : \phi \mapsto \mathbf{F}$, where \mathbf{F} is defined by $\mathbf{F}|_{\mathbb{R}_{+,p,k}^d} = x^{(p+k)/2} D^p \phi(x)$ and $\mathbf{F}|_{\mathbb{R}_{+,n,m}^d} = x^m D^n \phi(x)$, $p, k, n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d, |m| \leq j, |n| \leq j$. In fact,

$$\begin{aligned} (\tilde{\sigma}_{A,j}(\phi))^2 &= \sum_{p,k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \frac{\|x^{(p+k)/2} D^p \phi(x)\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}^2}{A^{2|p+k|} k^{\alpha k} p^{\alpha p}} \\ &+ \sum_{|m| \leq j, |n| \leq j} \|x^m D^n \phi(x)\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)}^2 \\ &= \int_{\mathbf{U}_j} |\mathbf{F}|^2 d\mu_j = \|\mathbf{F}\|_{L^2(\mathbf{U}_j, \mu_j)}^2. \end{aligned} \tag{4.4}$$

If $T \in (\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d))$, there exist $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and $C > 0$ such that $|\langle T, \phi \rangle| \leq C \tilde{\sigma}_{A,j}(\phi)$. From (4.4), T induces a continuous functional on $\mathfrak{J}_j(\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d))$ when this space is equipped with the topology induced by $L^2(\mathbf{U}_j, \mu_j)$. By the Hahn-Banach theorem, we can extend T to a continuous functional \mathbf{T} on the whole $L^2(\mathbf{U}_j, \mu_j)$ and hence $\mathbf{T} \in L^2(\mathbf{U}_j, \mu_j)$. Denote

$$F_{A,p,k} = A^{-2|p+k|} p^{-\alpha p} k^{-\alpha k} \mathbf{T}|_{\mathbb{R}_{+,p,k}^d}, \quad \tilde{F}_{A,n,m} = \mathbf{T}|_{\mathbb{R}_{+,n,m}^d},$$

where $p, k, n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d, |m| \leq j, |n| \leq j$. Then, $F_{A,p,k}, \tilde{F}_{A,n,m} \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, for all $p, k, n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d, |m| \leq j, |n| \leq j$ and (4.2) holds since this is exactly $\|\mathbf{T}\|_{L^2(\mathbf{U}_j, \mu_j)}^2$. For $\phi \in \tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \langle T, \phi \rangle &= \mathbf{T}(\mathfrak{J}_j(\phi)) = \int_{\mathbf{U}_j} \mathfrak{J}_j(\phi) \mathbf{T} d\mu_j \\ &= \sum_{p,k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} F_{A,p,k}(x) x^{(p+k)/2} D^p \phi(x) dx \\ &\quad + \sum_{|m| \leq j, |n| \leq j} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^d} \tilde{F}_{A,n,m}(x) x^m D^n \phi(x) dx. \end{aligned}$$

The converse part follows trivially. □

Theorem 4.8 *Let $T \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$. Then, for each $A > 0$ there exist $j = j(A) \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and a set of $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ -functions*

$$\{F_{A,p,k} \mid p, k \in \mathbb{N}_0^d\} \cup \{\tilde{F}_{A,n,m} \mid n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0^d, |n| \leq j, |m| \leq j\} \tag{4.5}$$

such that (4.2) holds and the restriction of T to each $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is given by (4.3).

If for each $A > 0$, there exist $j = j(A) \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and a set of $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ -functions (4.5) such that (4.2) holds, then for each $A > 0$ there exists $T_A \in (\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ given by (4.3). Furthermore, if for each $A_1 < A_2$, the restriction of T_{A_2} to $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A_1}^{\alpha,A_1}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ coincides with T_{A_1} , then there exists $T \in (G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$ such that for each $A > 0$ the restriction of T to $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is T_A , i.e. for $\phi \in \tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $\langle T, \phi \rangle$ is given by (4.3).

Proof The first part follows directly from Proposition 4.7, since the restriction of T to each $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$, $A > 0$, is continuous. For the second part, observe that the existence of $T_A \in (\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d))'$, for each $A > 0$, given by (4.3) is verified by Proposition 4.7. Furthermore, if T_A , $A > 0$, satisfies that for each $A_1 < A_2$ the restriction of T_{A_2} to $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A_1}^{\alpha,A_1}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ coincides with T_{A_1} , then one can define a linear functional $T : G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ by $\langle T, \phi \rangle = \langle T_A, \phi \rangle$ when $\phi \in \tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$. Because of this condition, this is indeed a well defined linear mapping into \mathbb{C} . The continuity of T follows from the fact that each restriction of T to $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is T_A , $A > 0$, which is continuous as a mapping from $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}$ onto \mathbb{C} and the fact that $G_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ is the inductive limit of $\tilde{G}_{\alpha,A}^{\alpha,A}(\mathbb{R}_+^d)$ as $A \rightarrow \infty$. □

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