



# Pseudo-differential operators in the generalized weinstein setting

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## Abstract

In this paper, we consider the generalized Weinstein operator  $\Delta_W^{d,\alpha,n}$ . For  $n = 0$ , we regain the classical Weinstein operator  $\Delta_W^{\alpha,d}$ . We introduce and study the Sobolev spaces associated with the generalized Weinstein operator and investigate their properties. Next, we introduce a class of symbols and their associated pseudo-differential operators.

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## 1 Introduction

In this paper, we consider the generalized Weinstein operator  $\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  defined on  $\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1} = \mathbb{R}^d \times ]0, +\infty[$ , by:

$$\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n} = \sum_{i=1}^{d+1} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_i^2} + \frac{2\alpha + 1}{x_{d+1}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{d+1}} - \frac{4n(\alpha + n)}{x_{d+1}^2} = \Delta_d + L_{\alpha,n} \quad (1.1)$$

where  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\alpha > -\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\Delta_d$  is the Laplacian for the  $d$  first variables and  $L_{\alpha,n}$  is the second-order singular differential operator on the half line given by:

$$L_{\alpha,n} = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_{d+1}^2} + \frac{2\alpha + 1}{x_{d+1}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{d+1}} - \frac{4n(\alpha + n)}{x_{d+1}^2}. \quad (1.2)$$

For  $n = 0$ , we regain the classical Weinstein operator  $\Delta_W^{\alpha,d}$  given by:

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$$\Delta_W^{\alpha,d} = \sum_{i=1}^{d+1} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_i^2} + \frac{2\alpha + 1}{x_{d+1}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{d+1}} = \Delta_d + L_\alpha \tag{1.3}$$

$L_\alpha = L_{\alpha,0}$  is the Bessel operator. (see [3, 2, 4, 5, 9] and [10]).

The harmonic analysis associated with the generalized Weinstein operator  $\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  is studied by Aboulez et al. (see [1, 6–8]).

For all  $f \in L^1(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x))$ , we define the Weinstein transform  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  by:

$$\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)(\lambda) = \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} f(x) \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, \lambda) d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x)$$

where  $\mu_{\alpha,d}$  is the measure defined on  $\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$  by:

$$d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) = x_{d+1}^{2\alpha+1} dx \tag{1.4}$$

and  $\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}$  is the generalized Weinstein kernel given by:

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{C}^{d+1}, \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, y) = x_{d+1}^{2n} e^{-i\langle x', y' \rangle} j_{\alpha+2n}(x_{d+1} y_{d+1}),$$

$x = (x', x_{d+1})$ ,  $x' = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_d)$  and  $j_\alpha$  is the normalized Bessel function of index  $\alpha$  defined by:

$$\forall \xi \in \mathbb{C}, j_\alpha(\xi) = \Gamma(\alpha + 1) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n! \Gamma(n + \alpha + 1)} \left(\frac{\xi}{2}\right)^{2n}. \tag{1.5}$$

The generalized Weinstein transform  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  can be written in the form

$$\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n} = \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha+2n,d} \circ \mathcal{M}_n^{-1}. \tag{1.6}$$

where  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d} = \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,0}$  is the classical Weinstein transform and  $\mathcal{M}_n$  is the map defined by:

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, \mathcal{M}_n(f)(x) = x_{d+1}^{2n} f(x).$$

We designe by  $\mathcal{S}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , the Schwartz space of rapidly decreasing functions on  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1}$ , even with respect to the last variable and  $\mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  the subspace of  $\mathcal{S}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  consisting of functions  $f$  such that

$$\forall k \in \{1, \dots, 2n - 1\}, \frac{\partial^k f}{\partial x_{d+1}^k}(x', 0) = f(x', 0) = 0.$$

For all  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ , we define the generalized Sobolev-Weinstein space  $\mathcal{H}^{s,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  as the set of all  $u \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}$  (the strong dual of the space  $\mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ ) such that  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)$  is a function and

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^s \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(\xi) \right|^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi) < \infty.$$

We investigate the properties of  $\mathcal{H}^{s,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ . Moreover, we introduce a class of symbols and their associated pseudo-differential operators.

The contents of the paper is as follows:

In the second section, we recapitulate some results related to the harmonic analysis associated with the generalized Weinstein operator  $\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  given by the relation (1.1).

The section 3 is devoted to define and study the generalized Sobolev-Weinstein space  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ .

In the last section, we introduce certain classes of symbols and study their associated pseudo-differential operators.

## 2 Preliminaires

In this section, we shall collect some results and definitions from the theory of the harmonic analysis associated with the Generalized Weinstein operator  $\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  defined on  $\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$  by the relation (1.1).

**Notations.** In what follows, we need the following notations:

- $\mathcal{C}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , the space of continuous functions on  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1}$ , even with respect to the last variable.
- $\mathcal{E}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , the space of  $\mathcal{C}^\infty$ -functions on  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1}$ , even with respect to the last variable.
- $\mathcal{S}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , the Schwartz space of rapidly decreasing functions on  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1}$ , even with respect to the last variable.
- $\mathcal{D}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , the space of  $\mathcal{C}^\infty$ -functions on  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1}$  which are of compact support, even with respect to the last variable.
- $\mathcal{H}_*(\mathbb{C}^{d+1})$ , the space of entire functions on  $\mathbb{C}^{d+1}$ , even with respect to the last variable, rapidly decreasing and of exponential type.
- $\mathcal{M}_n$ , the map defined by:

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, \mathcal{M}_n(f)(x) = x_{d+1}^{2n} f(x). \tag{2.1}$$

where  $x = (x', x_{d+1})$  and  $x' = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_d)$

- $L^p_{\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq +\infty$ , the space of measurable functions on  $\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{\alpha,n,p} &= \left[ \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} |\mathcal{M}_n^{-1} f(x)|^p d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(x) \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} < +\infty, \text{ if } 1 \leq p < +\infty, \\ \|f\|_{\alpha,n,\infty} &= \text{ess sup}_{x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} |\mathcal{M}_n^{-1} f(x)| < +\infty, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mu_{\alpha,d}$  is the measure given by the relation (1.4).

- $L^p_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}) := L^p_{\alpha,0}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq +\infty$ , and  $\|f\|_{\alpha,p} := \|f\|_{\alpha,0,p}$
- $\mathcal{E}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ ,  $\mathcal{D}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  and  $\mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  respectively stand for the subspace of  $\mathcal{E}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ ,  $\mathcal{D}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  and  $\mathcal{S}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  consisting of functions  $f$  such that

$$\forall k \in \{1, \dots, 2n - 1\}, \frac{\partial^k f}{\partial x_{d+1}^k}(x', 0) = f(x', 0) = 0.$$

Let us begin by the following result.

**Lemma 2.1** (see [1])

- The map  $\mathcal{M}_n$  is an isomorphism from  $\mathcal{E}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  (resp.  $\mathcal{S}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ ) onto  $\mathcal{E}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  (resp.  $\mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ ).

ii) For all  $f \in \mathcal{E}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , we have

$$L_{\alpha,n} \circ \mathcal{M}_n(f) = \mathcal{M}_n \circ L_{\alpha+2n}(f). \tag{2.2}$$

iii) For all  $f \in \mathcal{E}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , we have

$$\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n} \circ \mathcal{M}_n(f) = \mathcal{M}_n \circ \Delta_W^{\alpha+2n}(f). \tag{2.3}$$

iv) For all  $f \in \mathcal{E}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  and  $g \in \mathcal{D}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , we have

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)(x)g(x)d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} f(x)\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}g(x)d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x). \tag{2.4}$$

**Definition 2.1** The generalized Weinstein kernel  $\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}$  is the function given by:

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{C}^{d+1}, \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, y) = x_{d+1}^{2n} e^{-i\langle x', y' \rangle} j_{\alpha+2n}(x_{d+1}y_{d+1}), \tag{2.5}$$

where  $x = (x', x_{d+1})$ ,  $x' = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_d)$  and  $j_\alpha$  is the normalized Bessel function of index  $\alpha$  defined by the relation (1.5).

It is easy to see that the generalized Weinstein kernel  $\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}$  has a unique extension to  $\mathbb{C}^{d+1} \times \mathbb{C}^{d+1}$  and satisfies the following properties.

**Proposition 2.1** i) We have

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1}, \overline{\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, y)} = \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, -y) = \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, y)$$

ii) For all  $\beta \in \mathbb{N}^{d+1}$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$  and  $z \in \mathbb{C}^{d+1}$ , we have

$$|D_z^\beta \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, z)| \leq x_{d+1}^{2n} \|x\|^{|\beta|} \exp(\|x\| \|\text{Im}z\|), \tag{2.6}$$

where

$$D_z^\beta = \frac{\partial^\beta}{\partial z_1^{\beta_1} \dots \partial z_{d+1}^{\beta_{d+1}}} \text{ and } |\beta| = \beta_1 + \dots + \beta_{d+1}.$$

In particular, we have

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, |\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, y)| \leq x_{d+1}^{2n}. \tag{2.7}$$

iii) The function  $x \mapsto \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, y)$  satisfies the differential equation

$$\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(\cdot, y))(x) = -\|y\|^2 \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, y). \tag{2.8}$$

iv) For all  $x, y \in \mathbb{C}^{d+1}$ , we have

$$\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, y) = a_{\alpha+2n} e^{-i\langle x', y' \rangle} x_{d+1}^{2n} \int_0^1 (1-t^2)^{\alpha+2n-\frac{1}{2}} \cos(tx_{d+1}y_{d+1}) dt \tag{2.9}$$

where  $a_\alpha$  is the constant given by:

$$a_\alpha = \frac{2\Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{\sqrt{\pi}\Gamma\left(\alpha + \frac{1}{2}\right)}. \tag{2.10}$$

**Definition 2.2** The generalized Weinstein transform  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  is given for  $f \in L^1_{\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  by:

$$\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1}_+, \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)(\lambda) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}_+} f(x)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, \lambda)d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x). \tag{2.11}$$

where  $\mu_{\alpha,d}$  is the measure on  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1}_+$  given by the relation (1.4).

Some basic properties of the transform  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  are summarized in the following results.

**Proposition 2.2**

i) For all  $f \in L^1_{\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , we have

$$\|\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)\|_{\alpha,n,\infty} \leq \|f\|_{\alpha,n,1}. \tag{2.12}$$

ii) Let  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , we have

$$\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1}_+, \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}\left[\left(\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}\right)^m f\right](\lambda) = (-1)^m \|\lambda\|^{2m} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)(\lambda). \tag{2.13}$$

iii) Let  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  and  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . For all  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1}_+$ , we have

$$\left(\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}\right)^m \left[\mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)\right](\lambda) = \mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(P_m f)(\lambda) \tag{2.14}$$

where  $P_m(\lambda) = (-1)^m \|\lambda\|^{2m}$ .

**Proof**

i) We obtain the result from the relation (2.7).

ii) Let  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , using the relations (1.6) and (2.3) for all  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1}_+$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}\left[\left(\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}\right)f\right](\lambda) &= \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha+2n,d} \circ \mathcal{M}_n^{-1}\left[\left(\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}\right)f\right](\lambda) \\ &= \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha+2n,d}\left[\Delta_W^{\alpha+2n}\mathcal{M}_n^{-1}f\right](\lambda) \\ &= -\|\lambda\|^2 \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha+2n,d}\left[\mathcal{M}_n^{-1}f\right](\lambda) \\ &= -\|\lambda\|^2 \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)(\lambda) \end{aligned}$$

which proves assertion ii).

iii) The relation (2.8) together with (2.11) give the result. □

**Theorem 2.1**

i) Let  $f \in L^1_{\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ . If  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f) \in L^1_{\alpha+2n}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , then we have

$$f(x) = C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)(y) \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, y) d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(y), \quad a.e x \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1} \tag{2.15}$$

where  $C_{\alpha,d}$  is the constant given by:

$$C_{\alpha,d} = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{d}{2}} 2^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha + 1)}. \tag{2.16}$$

ii) The Weinstein transform  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  is a topological isomorphism from  $\mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  onto  $\mathcal{S}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  and from  $\mathcal{D}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  onto  $\mathcal{H}_*(\mathbb{C}^{d+1})$ .

**Proof**

i) We obtain the result from the relation (1.6) and the fact that

$$\varphi(x) = C_{\alpha,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d}(\varphi)(y) \Lambda_{\alpha,d,0}(-x, y) d\mu_{\alpha,d}(y), \quad a.e x \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$$

where  $\varphi, \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d}(\varphi) \in L^1_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ .

ii) The transform  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d}$  is a topological isomorphism from  $\mathcal{S}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  onto itself and from  $\mathcal{D}_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  onto  $\mathcal{H}_*(\mathbb{C}^{d+1})$ . Then using the relation (1.6) the assertion ii) is proved. □

The following Theorem is as an immediate consequence of the relation (1.6) and the properties of the transform  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d}$  (see [6–8]).

**Theorem 2.2**

i) For all  $f, g \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , we have the following Parseval formula

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} f(x) \overline{g(x)} d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) = C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)(\lambda) \overline{\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(g)(\lambda)} d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\lambda) \tag{2.17}$$

where  $C_{\alpha,d}$  is the constant given by the relation (2.16).

ii) (Plancherel formula).

For all  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , we have:

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} |f(x)|^2 d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) = C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)(\lambda) \right|^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\lambda). \tag{2.18}$$

iii) (Plancherel Theorem):

The transform  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  extends uniquely to an isometric isomorphism from  $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x))$  onto  $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(x))$ .

**Definition 2.3** The translation operator  $T_x^{\alpha,d,n}$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$ , associated with the operator  $\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  is defined on  $\mathcal{E}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  by:

$$\forall y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, T_x^{\alpha,d,n} f(y) = x_{d+1}^{2n} y_{d+1}^{2n} T_x^{\alpha+2n,d} \mathcal{M}_n^{-1} f(y) \tag{2.19}$$

where

$$T_x^{\alpha,d} f(y) = \frac{a_\alpha}{2} \int_0^\pi f\left(x' + y', \sqrt{x_{d+1}^2 + y_{d+1}^2 + 2x_{d+1}y_{d+1} \cos \theta}\right) (\sin \theta)^{2\alpha} d\theta, \tag{2.20}$$

$x' + y' = (x_1 + y_1, \dots, x_d + y_d)$  and  $a_\alpha$  is the constant given by (2.10).

**Lemma 2.2** Let  $f_\beta, \beta > 0$ , be the function defined by:

$$\forall \xi \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, f_\beta(\xi) = (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{-\beta}.$$

Then there exists  $k_\beta > 0$  such that

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, T_x^{\alpha,d}(f_\beta)(y) \leq k_\beta (1 + \|x\|^2)^{-\beta} (1 + \|y\|^2)^{-\beta}. \tag{2.21}$$

**Proof** Using the relation (2.20), for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} T_x^{\alpha,d}(f_\beta)(y) &= \frac{a_\alpha}{2} \int_0^\pi \left(1 + \|x' + y'\|^2 + x_{d+1}^2 + y_{d+1}^2 + 2x_{d+1}y_{d+1} \cos \theta\right)^{-\beta} (\sin \theta)^{2\alpha} d\theta \\ &\leq k_\beta (1 + \|x\|^2)^{-\beta} (1 + \|y\|^2)^{-\beta} \frac{a_\alpha}{2} \int_0^\pi (\sin \theta)^{2\alpha} d\theta \\ &\leq k_\beta (1 + \|x\|^2)^{-\beta} (1 + \|y\|^2)^{-\beta} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$k_\beta = \sup_{x,y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \left( \frac{1 + \|x' + y'\|^2 + (x_{d+1} - y_{d+1})^2}{(1 + \|x\|^2)(1 + \|y\|^2)} \right)^{-\beta}.$$

□

The following proposition summarizes some properties of the generalized Weinstein translation operator.

**Proposition 2.3**

i) For  $f \in \mathcal{E}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , we have

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, T_x^{\alpha,d,n} f(y) = T_y^{\alpha,d,n} f(x).$$

ii) For all  $f \in \mathcal{E}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  and  $y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$ , the function  $x \mapsto T_x^{\alpha,d,n} f(y)$  belongs to  $\mathcal{E}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ .

iii) We have

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n} \circ T_x^{\alpha,d,n} = T_x^{\alpha,d,n} \circ \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}.$$

iv) Let  $f \in L_{\alpha,n}^p(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq +\infty$  and  $x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$ . Then  $T_x^{\alpha,d,n}f$  belongs to  $L_{\alpha,n}^p(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  and we have

$$\|T_x^{\alpha,d,n}f\|_{\alpha,n,p} \leq x_{d+1}^{2n} \|f\|_{\alpha,n,p}. \tag{2.22}$$

v) The function  $t \mapsto \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(t, \lambda)$ ,  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}^{d+1}$ , satisfies on  $\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$  the following product formula:

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, \lambda)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(y, \lambda) = T_x^{\alpha,d,n}[\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(\cdot, \lambda)](y). \tag{2.23}$$

vi) Let  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  and  $x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$ , we have

$$\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(T_x^{\alpha,d,n}f)(\lambda) = \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, \lambda)\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)(\lambda). \tag{2.24}$$

**Proof** The results can be obtained by a simple calculation by using the relation (2.19). □

**Lemma 2.3** Let  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$ , we have

$$T_x^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n} \mathcal{M}_n f)(y) = \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, \lambda)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(y, \lambda)f(\lambda)d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\lambda). \tag{2.25}$$

**Proof** Let  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ . Using the the relation (2.15) and (2.24), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} T_x^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n} \mathcal{M}_n f)(y) &= C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \{ \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-y, \lambda) \\ &\quad \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(T_x^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n} \mathcal{M}_n f))(\lambda) \} d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\lambda) \\ &= C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, \lambda)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-y, \lambda)\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n} \\ &\quad (\mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n} \mathcal{M}_n f)(\lambda)d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\lambda) \\ &= C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, \lambda)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-y, \lambda)\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha+2n,d} \circ \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha+2n,d}(f) \\ &\quad (\lambda)d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\lambda) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, -\lambda)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(y, -\lambda)f(-\lambda)d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\lambda) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, \lambda)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(y, \lambda)f(\lambda)d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\lambda). \end{aligned}$$

□

**Definition 2.4** Let  $f, g \in L_{\alpha,n}^1(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ .The generalized Weinstein convolution product of  $f$  and  $g$  is given by:

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, f *_{\alpha,n} g(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} T_x^{\alpha,d,n}f(-y)g(y)d\mu_{\alpha,d}(y). \tag{2.26}$$

**Proposition 2.4** For all  $f, g \in L_{\alpha,n}^1(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ , we have  $f *_{\alpha,n} g \in L_{\alpha,n}^1(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  and



$$\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f *_{\alpha,n} g) = \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f)\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(g). \tag{2.27}$$

**Proof** Let  $f, g \in L^1_{\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ . We have

$$\|f *_{\alpha,n} g\|_{\alpha,n,1} \leq \|f\|_{\alpha,n,1} \|g\|_{\alpha,n,1}.$$

Now using Fubini’s theorem and the relation (2.24), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(f *_{\alpha,n} g)(\lambda) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} T_x^{\alpha,d,n} f(-y)g(y)d\mu_{\alpha,d}(y) \right) \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, \lambda)d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} g(y) \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} T_{-y}^{\alpha,d,n} f(x)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, \lambda)d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) \right) d\mu_{\alpha,d}(y) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} g(y)\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}\left(T_{-y}^{\alpha,d,n}f\right)(\lambda)d\mu_{\alpha,d}(y) \\ &= \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d}(f)(\lambda) \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} g(y)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(y, \lambda)d\mu_{\alpha,d}(y) \\ &= \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d}(f)(\lambda)\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d}(g)(\lambda). \end{aligned}$$

□

**Remark 2.1** From the relation (2.27), we deduce that

$$f, g \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1}) \Rightarrow f *_{\alpha,n} g \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1}).$$

**Notations.** We denoted by:

- $\mathcal{S}'_*$ , the strong dual of the space  $\mathcal{S}'_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ .
- $\mathcal{S}'_{n,*}$ , the strong dual of the space  $\mathcal{S}'_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ .

**Definition 2.5** The generalized Fourier-Weinstein transform of a distribution  $u \in \mathcal{S}'_{n,*}$  is defined by:

$$\forall \phi \in \mathcal{S}'_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1}), \langle \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u), \phi \rangle = \langle u, (\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n})^{-1}(\phi) \rangle. \tag{2.28}$$

The following proposition is as an immediate consequence of Theorem 2.1.

**Proposition 2.5** The transform  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}$  is a topological isomorphism from  $\mathcal{S}'_{n,*}$  onto  $\mathcal{S}'_*$ .

**Lemma 2.4** Let  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $u \in \mathcal{S}'_{n,*}$ , we have

$$(\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n})[(\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})^m u] = (-1)^m \|x\|^{2m} (\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n})(u) \tag{2.29}$$

where

$$\forall \phi \in \mathcal{S}'_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1}), \langle \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n} u, \phi \rangle = \langle u, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n} \phi \rangle. \tag{2.30}$$

**Proof** Let  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $u \in \mathcal{S}'_{n,*}$ , by invoking (2.13), (2.28) and (2.30), for all  $\phi \in \mathcal{S}'_*(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , we can write

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle (\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n})[(\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})^m u], \phi \rangle &= \langle (\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})^m u, (\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n})^{-1}(\phi) \rangle \\
 &= \langle u, (\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})^m (\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n})^{-1}(\phi) \rangle \\
 &= \langle u, (\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n})^{-1}((-1)^m \|x\|^{2m} \phi) \rangle \\
 &= \langle \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u), (-1)^m \|x\|^{2m} \phi \rangle \\
 &= \langle (-1)^m \|x\|^{2m} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u), \phi \rangle.
 \end{aligned}$$

Which completes the proof. □

### 3 Sobolev spaces associated with the generalized Weinstein operator

The goal of this section is to introduce and study the Sobolev spaces associated with the generalized Weinstein operator  $\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n}$ .

**Definition 3.1** For  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ , we define the generalized Sobolev-Weinstein space of order  $s$ , that will be denoted  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ , as the set of all  $u \in \mathcal{S}'_{n,*}$  such that  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)$  is a function and

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\lambda\|^2)^s \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(\lambda) \right|^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\lambda) < +\infty. \tag{3.1}$$

We provide  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  with the inner product

$$\langle u, v \rangle_{s,\alpha,n} = C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^s \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(\xi) \overline{\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(v)(\xi)} d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi) \tag{3.2}$$

and the norm

$$\|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}} = \left[ C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^s \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(\xi) \right|^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi) \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}. \tag{3.3}$$

The following properties of the spaces  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}$  can easily be established.

**Proposition 3.1** (i) For all  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ , we have

$$\mathcal{S}'_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1}) \subset \mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}).$$

(ii) We have

$$\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}) = L^2_{\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}).$$

(iii) For all  $s, t \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $t > s$ , the space  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  is continuously contained in  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ .

**Proposition 3.2** The space  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  provided with the norm  $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}}$  is a Banach space.

**Proof** Let  $(f_m)_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$  be a Cauchy sequence of  $\mathcal{H}^{\rho, \alpha, n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ . From the definition of the norm  $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\rho, \alpha, n}}$ , it is clear that  $(\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(f_m))_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a Cauchy sequence of  $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, C_{\alpha+2n, d}^2(1 + \|x\|^2)^s d\mu_{\alpha+2n, d}(x))$ .

Since  $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, C_{\alpha+2n, d}^2(1 + \|x\|^2)^s d\mu_{\alpha+2n, d}(x))$  is complete, there exists a function  $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, C_{\alpha+2n, d}^2(1 + \|x\|^2)^s d\mu_{\alpha+2n, d}(x))$  such that

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow +\infty} \|\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(f_m) - f\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, C_{\alpha+2n, d}^2(1 + \|x\|^2)^s d\mu_{\alpha+2n, d}(x))} = 0. \tag{3.4}$$

Then  $f \in \mathcal{S}_*$  and  $h = (\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n})^{-1}(f) \in \mathcal{S}_{n, *}$ .

So,  $\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(h) = f \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, C_{\alpha+2n, d}^2(1 + \|x\|^2)^s d\mu_{\alpha+2n, d}(x))$ , which proves that  $h \in \mathcal{H}^{\rho, \alpha, n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  and we have

$$\|f_m - h\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\rho, \alpha, n}} = \|\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(f_m) - f\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, C_{\alpha+2n, d}^2(1 + \|x\|^2)^s d\mu_{\alpha+2n, d}(x))} \xrightarrow{m \rightarrow +\infty} 0.$$

Hence,  $\mathcal{H}^{\rho, \alpha, n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  is complete. □

**Proposition 3.3** *Let  $s, t \in \mathbb{R}$ . The operator  $\mathcal{O}_t$  defined by:*

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, \mathcal{O}_t u(x) = C_{\alpha+2n, d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|)^t \Lambda_{\alpha, d, n}(-x, \xi) \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(u)(\xi) d\mu_{\alpha+2n, d}(\xi)$$

*is a isomorphism from  $\mathcal{H}^{\rho, \alpha, n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  onto  $\mathcal{H}^{\rho-t, \alpha, n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ .*

**Proof** Let  $s, t \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $u \in \mathcal{H}^{\rho, \alpha, n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ . The function:

$$\xi \mapsto (1 + \|\xi\|)^t (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{\frac{s-t}{2}} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(u)(\xi)$$

belongs to  $L^2_{\alpha+2n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  and have

$$\forall \xi \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(\mathcal{O}_t u)(\xi) = (1 + \|\xi\|)^t \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(u)(\xi).$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{s-t} \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(\mathcal{O}_t u)(\xi) \right|^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n, d}(\xi) \\ & \leq \kappa_t \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^s \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(u)(\xi) \right|^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n, d}(\xi) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\kappa_t = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \left[ \frac{(1 + \|x\|)^{2t}}{(1 + \|x\|^2)^t} \right] \leq 2^{|t|}.$$

Then,  $\mathcal{O}_t u \in \mathcal{H}^{\rho-t, \alpha, n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  and we have

$$\|\mathcal{O}_t u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\rho-t, \alpha, n}} \leq 2^{\frac{|t|}{2}} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\rho, \alpha, n}}.$$

Now, let  $v \in \mathcal{H}^{\rho-t, \alpha, n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  and put

$$u = (\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n})^{-1}((1 + \|\xi\|)^{-t} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha, d, n}(v)).$$

From the definition of the operator  $\mathcal{O}_t$ , we have  $\mathcal{O}_t u = v$  and we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^s \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(\xi) \right|^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^s (1 + \|\xi\|)^{-2t} \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(v)(\xi) \right|^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi) \\ &\leq 2^{|t|} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{s-t} \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(v)(\xi) \right|^2 d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi). \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $u \in \mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  and we obtain

$$\|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}} \leq 2^{\frac{|t|}{2}} \|\mathcal{O}_t u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-t,\alpha,n}}.$$

Which completes the proof. □

**Remark 3.1** The dual of  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  can be identified with  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta-s,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ . The relation of the identification is as follows:

$$\langle u, v \rangle_{0,\alpha,n} = C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(\xi) \overline{\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(v)(\xi)} d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi), \tag{3.5}$$

with  $u \in \mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  and  $v \in \mathcal{H}^{\beta-s,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ .

**Proposition 3.4** Let  $s_1, s, s_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ , satisfying  $s_1 < s < s_2$ . Then, for all  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists a nonnegative constant  $C_\varepsilon$  such that for all  $u \in \mathcal{H}^{\beta_2,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ , we have

$$\|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}} \leq C_\varepsilon \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta_1,\alpha,n}} + \varepsilon \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta_2,\alpha,n}}. \tag{3.6}$$

**Proof** Let  $s_1, s_2 \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $s = (1 - t)s_1 + ts_2, t \in ]0, 1[$ . Let  $u \in \mathcal{H}^{\beta_2,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ . We put  $t = \frac{1}{p}$  and  $1 - t = \frac{1}{q}$ , applying the Hölder’s inequality, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}} &\leq \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta_1,\alpha,n}}^{1-t} \times \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta_2,\alpha,n}}^t \\ &\leq \left( \varepsilon^{\frac{-t}{1-t}} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta_1,\alpha,n}} \right)^{1-t} \times (\varepsilon \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta_2,\alpha,n}})^t \\ &\leq \varepsilon^{\frac{s-s_1}{s-s_2}} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta_1,\alpha,n}} + \varepsilon \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta_2,\alpha,n}}. \end{aligned}$$

Then the relation (3.6) is proved. □

**Proposition 3.5** Let  $s \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then for all  $\varepsilon > 2m$ , the operator  $(\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})^m$  is continuous from  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  into  $\mathcal{H}^{\beta-\varepsilon,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ .

**Proof** Let  $m \in \mathbb{N}, \varepsilon > 2m, s \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $u \in \mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ .

Using the relation (2.29), we can see that  $(\Delta_W^{\alpha,d})^m u \in \mathcal{H}^{\beta-\varepsilon,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  and we have

$$\|(\Delta_W^{\alpha,d})^m u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta-\varepsilon,\alpha,n}} \leq \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\beta,\alpha,n}}.$$

Thus the proof is finished. □

### 4 Pseudo-differential operators

*Notations* We need the following notations

- For  $r \geq 0$ , we designate by  $\mathcal{S}^r$ , the space of  $C^\infty$ -function  $a$  on  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1} \times \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$  such that for each compact set  $K \subset \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$  and each  $\beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{N}$ , there exists a constant  $C = C(K, \beta, \gamma)$  satisfying:

$$\forall(x, \xi) \in K \times \mathbb{R}^{d+1}, \left| D_\xi^\beta D_x^\gamma a(x, \xi) \right| \leq C(1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}}. \tag{4.1}$$

- For  $r, l \in \mathbb{R}$  with  $l > 0$ , we denote by  $\mathcal{S}^{r,l}$ , the space consists of all  $C^\infty$ -function  $a$  on  $\mathbb{R}^{d+1} \times \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$  such that for each  $\beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{N}$ , there exist a positive constant  $C = C(r, l, \beta, \gamma)$  satisfying the relation:

$$\forall(x, \xi) \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1} \times \mathbb{R}^{d+1}, \left| D_\xi^\beta D_x^\gamma a(x, \xi) \right| \leq C(1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}}(1 + \|x\|^2)^{-\frac{l}{2}}. \tag{4.2}$$

**Definition 4.1** The pseudo-differential operator  $A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})$  associated with  $a(x, \xi) \in \mathcal{S}^r$  is defined for  $u \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  by:

$$[A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})u](x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, y)a(x, y)\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(y)d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(y). \tag{4.3}$$

**Theorem 4.1** If  $a(x, \xi) \in \mathcal{S}^r$ , then its associated pseudo-differential operator  $A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d})$  is a well-defined mapping from  $\mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  into  $C^\infty(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ .

**Proof** Let  $a(x, \xi) \in \mathcal{S}^r$  and  $s > r + \frac{d}{2} + \alpha + 2n + 1$ . From the relation (4.1), we have for any compact set  $K \subset \mathbb{R}^{d+1}$  and any  $\gamma \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$\forall(x, \xi) \in K \times \mathbb{R}^{d+1}, \left| D_x^\gamma a(x, \xi) \right| \leq C(1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}}. \tag{4.4}$$

Let  $u \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  and  $x \in K$ , using the relations (4.4), (2.7) and the Cauchy-Schwartz inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \left| a(x, \xi)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, \xi)\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(\xi) \right| d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi) \\ & \leq Cx_{d+1}^{2n} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}} \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(\xi) \right| d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi) \\ & \leq \frac{C}{C_{\alpha+2n,d}} x_{d+1}^{2n} \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{r-s} d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \|u\|_{\mathcal{S}_{n,*}^{\alpha,d}}. \end{aligned}$$

This relation proves that  $A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d})(u)$  is well-defined and continuous on  $\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}$ .

By the same argument, we can prove

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \left| D_x^\gamma a(x, \xi)\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, \xi)\mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(\xi) \right| d\mu_{\alpha,d}(\xi) \leq C' \|u\|_{\mathcal{S}_{n,*}^{\alpha,d}}$$

where  $C'$  is a positive constant.

Consequently, in virtue of Leibniz formula, we obtain the result. □

The next lemma plays an important role in this section.

**Lemma 4.1** *Let  $t \geq 0$  and  $l > 2\alpha + 4n + d + 2$ . Then, for all  $a(x, \xi) \in \mathcal{S}^{r,l}$ , we have:*

$$\left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \right| \leq C(1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}}(1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{-\frac{l}{2}}, \tag{4.5}$$

where  $C$  is a constant depending on  $r, t, \alpha, d, n$  and  $l$ .

**Proof** Let  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . By invoking (2.7), (2.13) and (4.2), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|\xi\|^{2k} \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \right| &= \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n} \left[ (\Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})^k (\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \right] \right| \\ &\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \left| (\Delta_{W,x}^{\alpha,d,n})^k (x_{d+1}^{2n} a(x, y)) \right| |\Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(x, \xi)| d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) \\ &\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \left| (\Delta_{W,x}^{\alpha,d,n})^k (x_{d+1}^{2n} a(x, y)) \right| x_{d+1}^{2n} d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) \\ &\leq C_1(1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|x\|^2)^{-\frac{l}{2}} (1 + x_{d+1}^{4n}) d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) \\ &\leq C_2(1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

where  $l > 2\alpha + 4n + d + 2$  and

$$C_2 = C_1 \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|x\|^2)^{-\frac{l}{2}} (1 + x_{d+1}^{4n}) d\mu_{\alpha,d}(x) = C_2(r, k, \alpha, d, n).$$

We put  $m = \left[ \frac{l}{2} \right] + 1, t \geq 0$ , where  $\left[ \frac{l}{2} \right]$  is the integer part of  $\frac{l}{2}$ . We get

$$\begin{aligned} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^m \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \right| &= \sum_{k=0}^m C_m^k \|\xi\|^{2k} \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \right| \\ &\leq \sum_{k=0}^m C_m^k C_2(r, k, \alpha, d, n)(1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}} \\ &\leq C(1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

where  $C$  is a constant depending on  $r, t, \alpha, d, n$  and  $l$ .

Hence, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \right| &\leq C(1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}}(1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{-m} \\ &\leq C(1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2}}(1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{-\frac{l}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

□

The following theorem gives an alternative form of  $A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d})$  which will be useful in the sequel.

**Theorem 4.2** *Let  $l > 2\alpha + 4n + d + 2$ ,  $a(x, \xi) \in S^{r,l}$  and  $u \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ . Then, the pseudo-differential operator  $A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d})$  admits the following representation:*

$$[A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d})u](x) = C_{\alpha+2n,d}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, \xi) \times \tag{4.6}$$

$$\left[ \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \mathcal{M}_{n,\xi}^{-1} \mathcal{M}_{n,y}^{-1} T_{-y}^{\alpha,d,n} \mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(y) d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(y) \right] d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi)$$

where all involved integrals are absolutely convergent.

**Proof** We put

$$g_x(y, \xi) = \Lambda_{\alpha,d,n}(-x, \xi) \mathcal{M}_{n,\xi}^{-1} \mathcal{M}_{n,y}^{-1} T_{-y}^{\alpha,d,n} \mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(y).$$

We shall prove that  $g_x$  belongs to  $L^1(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1} \times \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(y) d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi))$ .

Let  $t > l$  and  $\gamma > \frac{r}{2} - \frac{t}{2} + \frac{d}{2} + \alpha + 2n + 1$ . Using the relations (2.19), (2.7) and (4.5), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \mathcal{M}_{n,\xi}^{-1} \mathcal{M}_{n,y}^{-1} T_{-y}^{\alpha,d,n} \mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \right| \\ & \leq C_1 (1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{t}{2}} \left| T_{-y}^{\alpha+2n,d} \left[ (1 + \|x\|^2)^{-\frac{t}{2}} \right] (\xi) \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Hence from (2.21), we get

$$\left| \mathcal{M}_{n,\xi}^{-1} \mathcal{M}_{n,y}^{-1} T_{-y}^{\alpha,d,n} \mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(\xi) \right| \leq C_2 (1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r-t}{2}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{-\frac{t}{2}} \tag{4.7}$$

where  $C_2$  is a constant depending on  $r, t, \alpha, d, n$  and  $l$ . On the other hand since  $u \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ , then there exist  $C_3 > 0$  such that

$$\forall y \in \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(y) \right| \leq C_3 (1 + \|y\|^2)^{-\gamma}.$$

Hence, we get

$$|g_x(y, \xi)| \leq C x_{d+1}^{2n} (1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r}{2} - \frac{t}{2} - \gamma} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{-\frac{t}{2}}.$$

Since  $t > l > 2\alpha + 4n + d + 2$  and  $\gamma > \frac{r}{2} - \frac{t}{2} + \frac{d}{2} + \alpha + 2n + 1$ , the function  $g_x$  belongs to  $L^1(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1} \times \mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}, d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(y) d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi))$ . So, the result follows by applying the inverse theorem and using the relation (2.25). □

Now, we are in a situation to establish the fundamental result of this section given by the following result.

**Theorem 4.3** *Let  $s, \frac{l}{2} > \alpha + 2n + \frac{d}{2} + 1$ ,  $a(x, \xi) \in S^{r,l}$  and  $A(x, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})$  be the associated pseudo-differential operator. Then  $A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})$  maps continuously from  $\mathcal{H}^{s+r,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$  to  $\mathcal{H}^{s,\alpha,n}(\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1})$ . Moreover, we have*

$$\forall u \in \mathcal{S}_{n,*}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1}), \left\| A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})u \right\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\rho,a,n}} \leq k \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\rho+r,a,n}} \tag{4.8}$$

where  $k$  is a constant depending on  $s, r, \alpha, d, n$  and  $l$ .

**Proof** Let  $s, \frac{l}{2} > \alpha + 2n + \frac{d}{2} + 1$ . We put

$$\varphi_s(\xi) = \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} \mathcal{M}_{n,\xi}^{-1} \mathcal{M}_{n,y}^{-1} T_y^{\alpha,d,n} \mathcal{M}_n \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(\mathcal{M}_n a(\cdot, y))(-\xi) \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(y) d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(y)$$

From the relations (4.7), we have

$$|\varphi_s(\xi)| \leq C_2 (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{-\frac{l}{2}} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|y\|^2)^{\frac{r-t}{2}} \left| \mathcal{F}_W^{\alpha,d,n}(u)(y) \right| d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(y).$$

Hence using the Cauchy-Schwartz inequality, we obtain

$$C_{\alpha+2n,d} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{\frac{s}{2}} |\varphi_s(\xi)| \leq C_3 (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{\frac{s}{2} - \frac{l}{2}} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\rho+r,a,n}}$$

where

$$C_3 = C_2 \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|y\|^2)^{-s-t} d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(y) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

Then

$$\left\| A(a, \Delta_W^{\alpha,d,n})u \right\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\rho,a,n}} = C_{\alpha+2n,d} \left\| (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{\frac{s}{2}} \varphi_s \right\|_{\alpha+2n,2} \leq k \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\rho+r,a,n}}$$

where  $t > |s| + \alpha + 2n + \frac{d}{2} + 1$  and

$$k = C_3 \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^{d+1}} (1 + \|\xi\|^2)^{s-t} d\mu_{\alpha+2n,d}(\xi) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

□

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