

A Kind of Invariant Hankel Operators *

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Abstract: For two kinds of the Möbius invariant subspace $A_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$ and $\overline{A}_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$ of $L^{\alpha,2}(D)$, we define big and small Hankel operators $H_b^{II'}$ and $h_b^{II'}$ for the analytic symbol function $b(z)$, and study their boundedness, compactness and Schatten-von Neumann classes S_p -estimates, and hence develop Schatten-von Neumann properties of these operators.

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1. Introduction

Let D be the unit disk in the complex plane equipped with the Lebesgue measure $dm(z)$. The Möbius group $G = SU(1, 1)$ consists of all 2×2 complex matrices

$$g = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}, \quad a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{C}$$

with $c = \bar{b}, d = \bar{a}, ad - bc = 1$. It acts on D via the transformations

$$z \rightarrow gz = g(z) = \frac{az + b}{cz + d}.$$

Let $d\mu_\alpha(z) = \frac{\alpha+1}{\pi}(1-|z|^2)^\alpha dm(z)$ with $\alpha > -1$ and let $L^{\alpha,2}(D)$ be the space consisting of all functions on D square integrable with respect to the measure $d\mu_\alpha(z)$. The group $SU(1, 1)$ acts on $L^{\alpha,2}(D)$ via $T_g^\nu : f(z) \rightarrow f[g(z)]\{g'(z)\}^{\nu/2} = f(gz)(cz + d)^{-\nu}$, where $\nu = \alpha + 2$.

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The Casimir operator becomes

$$\Delta_\nu := -4(1 - |z|^2)^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z \partial \bar{z}} + 4\nu z(1 - |z|^2) \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}} - \nu^2 + 2.$$

For $\nu = 0$ i.e. for $\alpha = 2$, the operator Δ_0 has only the continuous spectra and the Plancherel formula has been studied by Harish-Chandra, Helgason et al (see [1]). In this case the space $L^{\alpha,2}(D)$ does not contain any non-trivial analytic function. For $\nu > 1$, the space $L^{\alpha,2}(D)$ contains non-trivial analytic functions, the subspace consisting of all analytic functions is called the (weighted) Bergman space and is denoted by $A_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$. In this case J.Peetre, L.Peng and G.Zhang in [2] and H.Liu and L.Peng in [3] gave the eigenvector of the operator Δ_ν and established the weighted Plancherel formula. They have find that $L^{\alpha,2}(D)$ has some discrete components (invariant subspaces) A_k , where $k < \frac{\alpha+1}{2}$. In other words, the spectra of Δ_ν consist not only of the continuous part, but also of the discrete part and A_k are eigenspaces of Δ_ν with the discrete spectra. They also gave the orthonormal basis of A_k with Romanovski polynomials.

2. Main result

Let P_l and \bar{P}_l denote the orthogonal projections of $L^{\alpha,2}(D)$ onto $A_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$ and $\bar{A}_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$ respectively. Now we define two kinds of Hankel operators for the analytic symbol function $b(z)$: $H_b^{ll'} = P_l M_b P_{l'}$ and $h_b^{ll'} = \bar{P}_l M_b P_{l'}$. Because all of the subspaces $A_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$ and $\bar{A}_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$ are invariant under the group actions of $SU(2, R)$, both of the two kinds of Hankel operators are invariant, i.e., we have

$$T_g^\nu H_b^{ll'} = H_{b \cdot g}^{ll'} T_g^\nu, \text{ and } T_g^\nu h_b^{ll'} = h_{b \cdot g}^{ll'} T_g^\nu.$$

In this paper we will give the boundedness, compactness and Schatten-von Neumann classes S_p -estimates of them. For S_p classes and analytic Besov spaces B_p^α , may see [4] of the references. The main results of this paper are the following theorems:

Theorem 1 Let $\alpha > -1, l, l'$ be non-negative integers not exceeding $\frac{\alpha+1}{2}$, then for $l > l'$,

- (1) $H_b^{ll'}$ is bounded iff $b \in B_\infty^0$, (Block space);
- (2) $H_b^{ll'}$ is compact iff $b \in b_\infty^0$, (Little Bloch space);
- (3) if $1 < p < \infty$, $H_b^{ll'} \in S_p$ iff $b \in B_p^{1/p}$, (Besov space);
- (4) if $0 < p \leq 1$, $H_b^{ll'} \in S_p$, then $b = \text{const}$,

for $l = l'$, $H_b^{ll'}$ is bounded iff $b \in L^\infty$, and $H_b^{ll'}$ is never compact unless $b = 0$.

Theorem 2 Let $\alpha > -1, l, l' < k$, then

- (1) $h_b^{ll'}$ is bounded iff $b \in B_\infty^0$;
- (2) $h_b^{ll'}$ is compact iff $b \in b_\infty^0$;
- (3) if $0 < p < \infty$, $h_b^{ll'} \in S_p$ iff $b \in B_p^{1/p}$.

3. The proofs of Theorem 1 and 2

By the orthonormal bases of $A_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$ and $\bar{A}_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$, the two kinds of Hankel operators $H_b^{ll'}$ and $h_b^{ll'}$ are changed into infinite matrices, and then the proofs of Theorem 1 and 2

become the study of the “periodic” paracommutators (see [5],[6],[7]).

The proof of Theorem 1 Notice that $\{e_n^{(l)}(z) = c_{ln}^{-1} p_{ln}(\frac{|z|^2}{1-|z|^2}) z^n\}_{n \geq 0}$ is an orthonormal basis of $A_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$ and $\{\bar{e}_n^{(l)}(z) = c_{ln}^{-1} p_{ln}(\frac{|z|^2}{1-|z|^2}) \bar{z}^n\}_{n \geq 0}$ is an orthonormal basis of $\bar{A}_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$. For the analytic symbol function $b(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \hat{b}(k) z^k$, we now calculate the “matrix coefficient” of $H_b^{ll'}$,

$$\langle H_b^{ll'}(e_n^{(l')}), e_m^{(l)} \rangle = (\alpha + 1) \bar{\hat{b}}(n - m) c_l c_{l'} \sqrt{\frac{(\alpha + 2 - l')_n (\alpha + 2 - l)_m}{(l' + 1)_n (l + 1)_m}} \cdot \int_0^{\infty} p_{l'n}(t) p_{lm}(t) \frac{t^n}{(1+t)^{n+\alpha+2}} dt, \quad (1)$$

Using the formula of the hypergeometric function ${}_3F_2$ (see [8]),

$${}_3F_2(-n, a, b; c, 1 + a + b - c - n; 1) = \frac{(c - a)_n (c - b)_n}{(c)_n (c - a - b)_n}$$

and

$${}_3F_2(-n, a, b; c, d; 1) = \frac{(c - a)_n}{(c)_n} {}_3F_2(-n, a, d - b; 1 + a - n - c, d; 1),$$

we can calculate the integral of (1)

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^{\infty} p_{l'n}(t) p_{lm}(t) \frac{t^n}{(1+t)^{n+\alpha+2}} dt \\ &= (n+1)_{l'} (m+1)_l \sum_{\nu=0}^l \frac{(-l)_{\nu} (l - \alpha - 1)_{\nu} (-1)^{\nu}}{(m+1)_{\nu} \nu!} \sum_{\mu=0}^{l'} \frac{(-l')_{\mu} (l' - \alpha - 1)_{\mu} (-1)^{\mu}}{(n+1)_{\mu} \mu!} \cdot \\ & \quad \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^{n+\nu-\mu}}{(1+t)^{n+\alpha+2}} dt \\ &= (m+1)_l (n+1)_{l'} \frac{\Gamma(n+1) \Gamma(\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n+\alpha+2)} \sum_{\nu=l'}^l \frac{(-l)_{\nu} (l - \alpha - 1)_{\nu} (n+1)_{\nu}}{(m+1)_{\nu} (-\alpha)_{\nu} \nu!} \cdot \\ & \quad {}_3F_2(-l', l' - \alpha - 1, n+1+\nu; n+1, \nu - \alpha; 1) \\ &= \frac{(-l)_{l'} (l - \alpha - 1)_{l'} (m+1)_l (n+1)_{l'} (n + \alpha + 2 - l')_{l'}}{(-\alpha)_{l'} (-\alpha + l)_{l'} (m+1)_{l'}} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(n+1) \Gamma(\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n+\alpha+2)} \cdot \\ & \quad {}_3F_2(-l + l', l - \alpha - 1 + l'; n+1+l'; m+1+l', -\alpha + 2l'; 1) \\ &= \frac{(-l)_{l'} (l - \alpha - 1)_{l'} (m+1)_l (n+1)_{l'} (n + \alpha + 2 - l')_{l'} (m-n)_{l-l'} (-m-l)_{l-l'-1}}{(-\alpha)_{2l'} (-\alpha + l')_{l'} (m+1)_{l'} (m+1+l')_{l-l'} (n-m+1-l+l')_{l-l'-1}} \cdot \\ & \quad \frac{\Gamma(n+1) \Gamma(\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n+\alpha+2)} {}_3F_2(-l + l' + 1, -\alpha + l + l', n+1+l'; \\ & \quad m+2+l', -\alpha + 2l'; 1). \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Notice that

$$\frac{(m-n)_{l-l'} (-m-l)_{l-l'-1}}{(m+1+l')_{l-l'} (n-m+1-l+l')_{l-l'-1}} \approx \frac{m-n}{m+1+l'},$$

hence we have the estimates $\langle H_b^{l''}(e_n^{(l')}), e_m^{(l)} \rangle \approx (m+1)^{\frac{\alpha+1}{2}-l-l'}(n+1)^{l'-\frac{\alpha+1}{2}}(n-m)$, where the notation $u \approx v$ means that the ratio $\frac{u}{v}$ is bounded above and below by constants independent of n and m .

Since $l > l'$, and $l, l' < \frac{\alpha+1}{2}$, we know that $\{\langle H_b^{l''}(e_n^{(l')}), e_m^{(l)} \rangle\}$ satisfies the condition in [9], by the paracommutator theory, we know that Theorem 1 is true.

The proof of Theorem 2 Similar we only need to calculate the “matrix coefficient” of $h_b^{l''}$:

$$\langle h_b^{l''}(e_n^{(l')}), \bar{e}_m^{(l)} \rangle = (\alpha+1)\bar{b}(n+m)c_l c_{l'} \sqrt{\frac{(\alpha+2-l')_n(\alpha+2-l)_m}{(l'+1)_n(l+1)_m}} \cdot \int_0^\infty p_{l'n}(t)p_{lm}(t)\left(\frac{t}{1+t}\right)^{n+m} \frac{dt}{(1+t)^{\alpha+2}}.$$

Using similar calculate we can obtain the estimates of the “matrix coefficient” of $h_b^{l''}$:

$$\langle h_b^{l''}(e_n^{(l')}), \bar{e}_m^{(l)} \rangle \approx (m+1)^{\frac{\alpha+1}{2}-l+l'}(n+1)^{\frac{\alpha+1}{2}-l'}(n+m)^{l-\alpha-1}.$$

By similar reasons we know that Theorem 2 is proved.

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一类不变的 Hankel 算子

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摘 要: 对于 $L^{\alpha,2}(D)$ 的两类 Moebius 不变子空间 $A_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$ 与 $\bar{A}_l^{\alpha,2}(D)$, 定义了对解析的记号函数 $b(z)$ 的大的和小的 Hankel 算子 $H_b^{l''}$ 与 $h_b^{l''}$, 研究了它们的有界性、紧性及其 Schatten-von Neumann 类的 S_p 估计. 性质.