

The Gleason's problem on normal weight general function spaces in the unit ball of \mathbb{C}^n

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Abstract. In this paper, we first discuss the boundedness of certain integral operator T_t on the normal weight general function space $F(p, \mu, s)$ in the unit ball B_n of \mathbb{C}^n . As an application of this operator, we prove that the Gleason's problem is solvable on $F(p, \mu, s)$.

§1 Introduction

We call two quantities G and H are equivalent (denoted by " $G \asymp H$ ") if there are two constants $c_1 > 0$ and $c_2 > 0$ such that $c_1 H \leq G \leq c_2 H$. If there exists a constant $c > 0$ such that $G \leq cH$ ($G \geq cH$), then we denote by " $G \lesssim H$ " (" $G \gtrsim H$ ").

Let B_n denote the unit ball in the n -dimensional complex Euclidean space \mathbb{C}^n . For two points $w = (w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n)$ and $z = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n)$ in \mathbb{C}^n , let

$$\langle w, z \rangle = w_1 \bar{z}_1 + w_2 \bar{z}_2 \cdots + w_n \bar{z}_n.$$

The class of all holomorphic functions on B_n is denoted by $H(B_n)$. For $f \in H(B_n)$ and $z \in B_n$, the complex gradient of f is defined by

$$\nabla f(z) = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}(z), \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(z), \dots, \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_n}(z) \right).$$

Given $z \in B_n$, let φ_z be the automorphisms of B_n with $\varphi_z(z) = 0$, $\varphi_z(0) = z$ and $\varphi_z^{-1} = \varphi_a$. For $\rho > 0$ and $z \in B_n$, let $D(z, \rho) = \{w : w \in B_n \text{ and } \beta(z, w) < \rho\}$ denote the Bergman metric ball at z with radius ρ , where

$$\beta(z, w) = \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{1 + |\varphi_z(w)|}{1 - |\varphi_z(w)|}.$$

Definition 1.1 A positive and continuous function μ on $[0, 1)$ is called a normal function if there are constants $0 < a \leq b < \infty$ and $0 \leq r_0 < 1$ such that $\frac{\mu(r)}{(1-r^2)^b}$ is increasing on $[r_0, 1)$

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and $\frac{\mu(r)}{(1-r^2)^\alpha}$ is decreasing on $[r_0, 1)$.

The following two functions are the examples of this kind of normal functions:

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_1(r) &= (1-r^2)^\gamma \left(\log \frac{e}{1-r^2}\right)^\beta \left(\log \log \frac{e^2}{1-r^2}\right)^\alpha \quad (\gamma > 0, \alpha \text{ and } \beta \text{ real}), \\ \mu_2(r) &= \begin{cases} \frac{(2n-2)!!}{(2n-1)!!} (1-r^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}, & \frac{n-1}{n} \leq r^2 < \frac{2n^2-1}{2n(n+1)} \\ \frac{(2n)!!(n+1)}{(2n+1)!!} (1-r^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}, & \frac{2n^2-1}{2n(n+1)} \leq r^2 < \frac{n}{n+1} \end{cases} \quad (n = 1, 2, \dots). \end{aligned}$$

For the convenience of proof, we let $r_0 = 0$ in this paper. The following spaces are several function spaces involved in this paper, and we give definitions respectively.

Definition 1.2 Let ν be a positive continuous function on $[0, 1)$ such that $\sup_{0 \leq r < 1} \nu(r) < \infty$. If $f \in H(B_n)$ and

$$\|f\|_{\mathcal{B}_\nu} = |f(0)| + \sup_{z \in B_n} \nu(|z|) |\nabla f(z)| < \infty,$$

then we say that f belongs to the ν -Bloch space $\mathcal{B}_\nu(B_n)$. In particular, if ν is a normal function on $[0, 1)$, then $\mathcal{B}_\nu(B_n)$ is called the normal weight Bloch space.

Definition 1.3 For $p > 0$ and a normal function μ on $[0, 1)$, if $f \in H(B_n)$ and

$$\int_{B_n} |\nabla f(z)|^p \frac{\mu^p(|z|)}{1-|z|^2} dv(z) < \infty,$$

then we say that f belongs to the normal weight Dirichlet type space $\mathcal{D}_\mu^p(B_n)$, where dv is the Lebesgue measure on B_n such that $v(B_n) = 1$. When $\mu(r) = (1-r^2)^{\frac{\alpha+1}{p}}$ ($\alpha > -1$), the space $\mathcal{D}_\mu^p(B_n)$ is just the weighted Dirichlet type space $\mathcal{D}_\alpha^p(B_n)$.

For $p > 0, s \geq 0, q + n > -1, q + s > -1$, the general function space $F(p, q, s)$, consists of all $f \in H(B_n)$ and

$$\|f\|_{F(p,q,s)} = |f(0)| + \left\{ \sup_{w \in B_n} \int_{B_n} |\nabla f(z)|^p (1-|z|^2)^q \log^s \frac{1}{|\varphi_w(z)|} dv(z) \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}} < \infty.$$

In [1], R H Zhao first introduced the space $F(p, q, s)$ on the unit disc. Soon, a lot of function spaces associated with $F(p, q, s)$ were studied, such as, [2]-[9] etc.

In [2], X J Zhang et al gave several equivalent characterizations of $F(p, q, s)$. For example,

$$\|f\|_{F(p,q,s)} \asymp |f(0)| + \left\{ \sup_{w \in B_n} \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(z)|^p (1-|w|^2)^s}{|1-\langle z, w \rangle|^{2s}} (1-|z|^2)^{q+s} dv(z) \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

The key measure in the above integral is $(1-|z|^2)^{q+s} dv(z)$. In order to study the general function spaces in a broader and more abstract perspective, it is meaningful to extend this measure $(1-|z|^2)^{q+s} dv(z)$ to a kind of abstract form. Recently, S L Li ([9]) extended $F(p, q, s)$ to a kind of abstract form as follows:

Definition 1.4 Let μ be a normal function on $[0, 1)$. For $p > 0$, the normal weight general

function space, denoted by $F(p, \mu, s)$, consists of all $f \in H(B_n)$ and

$$\|f\|_{F(p, \mu, s)} = |f(0)| + \left\{ \sup_{w \in B_n} \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(z)|^p (1 - |w|^2)^s}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{2s}} \frac{\mu^p(|z|)}{1 - |z|^2} dv(z) \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}} < \infty.$$

In particular, $F(p, \mu, s) = F(p, q, s)$ when $\mu(r) = (1 - r^2)^{\frac{q+s+1}{p}}$. If $s = 0$, then $F(p, \mu, s) = \mathcal{D}_\mu^p(B_n)$. Therefore, $F(p, \mu, s)$ is not only a generalization of $F(p, q, s)$, but also a generalization of the weighted Dirichlet type space.

Definition 1.5 For $p > 0$ and $\alpha > -1$, the weighted Bergman space $\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p(B_n)$ consists of holomorphic functions f in B_n and

$$\|f\|_{p, \alpha} = \left(\int_{B_n} |f(z)|^p dv_\alpha(z) \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} < \infty,$$

where $dv_\alpha(z) = c_\alpha(1 - |z|^2)^\alpha dv(z)$, and the constant c_α such that $v_\alpha(B_n) = 1$.

Using operators to study function spaces has a long history. There have been a large number of relevant literatures. In particular, Forelli-Rudin introduced the projection operator in [10]:

$$P_\tau f(z) = \int_{B_n} \frac{f(w)}{(1 - \langle z, w \rangle)^{n+1+\tau}} dv_\tau(w) \quad (\tau > -1).$$

In order to solve the solvability of Gleason's problem, we first need to discuss the boundedness of kinds of Forelli-Rudin type operators. As for the research on Forelli-Rudin type operators, there has been a lot of work, such as [9]-[17], [32], [34] etc.

Let Y be a class of holomorphic functions in the domain $\Delta \subseteq \mathbb{C}^n$. Gleason's problem for Y , denoted by (Δ, β, Y) , is the following: for any $\beta = (\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n) \in \Delta$ and $h \in Y$ with $h(\beta) = 0$, are there functions $h_1, h_2, \dots, h_n \in Y$ such that

$$h(z) = \sum_{j=1}^n (z_j - \beta_j) h_j(z) \quad \text{for all } z = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n) \in \Delta ?$$

The Gleason's problem originated from ball algebra([18]), and it has been a hot topic of research by mathematicians for decades. There are many references on this aspect, such as, [18]-[30], [33] etc. The key difficulty of the Gleason's problem depends on the domain Δ , the point $\beta \in \Delta$, and the function space Y . It is known that the Gleason's problem always has a solution in a function space with the multiple cylinder as the support domain, but it may not necessarily have a solution on a function space with the unit ball as the support domain. Therefore, the solvability needs to be discussed one by one. For abstract normal weight μ , is Gleason's problem solvable on $F(p, \mu, s)$? In this paper, we mainly solve this problem.

In this paper, we always let a and b be the two parameters in the definition of the normal function μ . Parameter ranges involving function space definitions are no longer repeated.

§2 Some Lemmas

In order to prove the main results of this paper, we give some lemmas first.

Lemma 2.1 ([19]) Let $\delta > -1$ and $t > \delta + n + 1$. Then

$$\int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |w|^2)^\delta}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^t} dv(w) \asymp \frac{1}{(1 - |z|^2)^{t - \delta - n - 1}} \text{ for all } z \in B_n.$$

Lemma 2.2 ([31]) Let μ be a normal function on $[0, 1)$. For $w \in B_n$ and $r > 0$, there are the following properties:

- (1) $\mu(|z|) \asymp \mu(|w|)$ for all $z \in D(w, r)$.
- (2) $\frac{\mu(|z|)}{\mu(|w|)} \leq \left(\frac{1 - |z|^2}{1 - |w|^2}\right)^a + \left(\frac{1 - |z|^2}{1 - |w|^2}\right)^b$ for all $z \in B_n$.

Lemma 2.3 Let μ be a normal function on $[0, 1)$. If $f \in F(p, \mu, s)$, then

$$|\nabla f(w)| \lesssim \frac{\|f\|_{F(p, \mu, s)}}{\mu(|w|)(1 - |w|^2)^{\frac{n-s}{p}}} \text{ for all } w \in B_n.$$

Moreover, if $s > n$, then $F(p, \mu, s) = \mathcal{B}_\nu(B_n)$, where $\nu(\rho) = (1 - \rho^2)^{\frac{n-s}{p}} \mu(\rho)$.

Proof The results of the previous part come from Lemma 2.4 in [9]. As long as we take $g(z) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_l}(z)$ ($l \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, $z \in B_n$) and $\gamma = s/p$.

When $s > n$, for any $f \in \mathcal{B}_\nu(B_n)$ and $w \in B_n$, it follows from Lemma 2.1 that

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |w|^2)^s |\nabla f(z)|^p \mu^p(|z|)}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{2s} (1 - |z|^2)} dv(z) \\ & \leq \|f\|_{\mathcal{B}_\nu}^p \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |w|^2)^s (1 - |z|^2)^{s-n-1}}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{2s}} dv(z) \\ & \asymp \|f\|_{\mathcal{B}_\nu}^p \Rightarrow \|f\|_{F(p, \mu, s)} \lesssim \|f\|_{\mathcal{B}_\nu} \Rightarrow \mathcal{B}_\nu(B_n) \subseteq F(p, \mu, s). \end{aligned}$$

This proof is completed. \square

Note When $\lim_{\rho \rightarrow 1^-} (1 - \rho^2)^{\frac{n-s}{p}} \mu(\rho) = \infty$ (for example, $b + (n - s)/p < 0$), the space $\mathcal{B}_\nu(B_n)$ contains only constant valued functions by the maximum modulus principle. Therefore, $F(p, \mu, s)$ contains only constant valued functions in this case.

Lemma 2.4 ([32]) For $\delta > -1$ and $r \geq 0, t \geq 0$, let

$$I_{w, \eta} = \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |z|^2)^\delta}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^t |1 - \langle z, \eta \rangle|^r} dv(z) \quad (w, \eta \in B_n).$$

Then there are the following results.

- (1) When $t - \delta > n + 1 > r - \delta$,

$$I_{w, \eta} \asymp \frac{1}{(1 - |w|^2)^{t - \delta - n - 1} |1 - \langle w, \eta \rangle|^r}.$$

- (2) When $t - \delta > n + 1$ and $r - \delta > n + 1$,

$$I_{w, \eta} \asymp \frac{1}{(1 - |w|^2)^{t - \delta - n - 1} |1 - \langle w, \eta \rangle|^r} + \frac{1}{(1 - |\eta|^2)^{r - \delta - n - 1} |1 - \langle w, \eta \rangle|^t}.$$

- (3) When $t - \delta > n + 1 = r - \delta$,

$$I_{w, \eta} \asymp \frac{1}{(1 - |w|^2)^{t - \delta - n - 1} |1 - \langle w, \eta \rangle|^r} + \frac{1}{|1 - \langle w, \eta \rangle|^t} \log \frac{e}{1 - |\varphi_w(\eta)|^2}.$$

§3 Main Results

Theorem 3.1 Let μ be a normal function on $[0, 1)$. If t is large sufficiently, then $\|T_t f\|_{p,q,s} \lesssim \|f\|_{p,q,s}$ for all $f \in F(p, \mu, s)$ when $0 \leq s \leq n$, where

$$T_t f(z) = \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)| dv_t(w)}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \quad (z \in B_n).$$

Proof (1) Case $p > 1$.

It is clear that $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(1+t)p-1}{pb+t} = p > 1$. Therefore, there exists a $t_0 > pb + n - s - 1$ such that $pb + t < (1+t)p - 1$ when $t > t_0$. We choose $t_0 < t < t_1 < pa + t$. This means that $p'(t - t_1/p) > -1$ (where $1/p + 1/p' = 1$) and $t_1 - t > 0$. By Hölder inequality and Lemma 2.1, we may obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |T_t f(z)|^p &\lesssim \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1-|w|^2)^{p'(t-\frac{t_1}{p})} dv(w)}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\}^{\frac{p}{p'}} \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} dv_{t_1}(w) \\ &\asymp \frac{1}{(1-|z|^2)^{t_1-t}} \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} dv_{t_1}(w). \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

For any $\xi \in B_n$, we first consider the integral

$$\int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1-|w|^2)^{pa}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1-|\xi|^2)^s (1-|z|^2)^{pa+t-t_1-1} dv(z)}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\} dv_{t_1}(w).$$

When $s = 0$, by $pa - 1 < t_0 < t_1 < pa + t$ and Lemma 2.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1-|w|^2)^{pa}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1-|z|^2)^{pa+t-t_1-1} dv(z)}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\} dv_{t_1}(w) \\ &\asymp \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{1-|w|^2} dv(w) \leq \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p. \end{aligned}$$

When $2s - (pa + t - t_1 - 1) < n + 1$, this conditions $t_0 < t < t_1 < pa + t$ show that $(n + 1 + t) - (pa + t - t_1 - 1) = (n + 1) + 1 + t_1 - pa > (n + 1) + 1 + t_0 - pa > n + 1$, $pa + t - t_1 - 1 > -1$ and $(n + 1 + t) - (pa + t - t_1 - 1) - n - 1 = 1 + t_1 - pa > 1 + t_0 - pa > 0$. It follows from Lemma 2.4(1) that

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1-|w|^2)^{pa}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1-|\xi|^2)^s (1-|z|^2)^{pa+t-t_1-1} dv(z)}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\} dv_{t_1}(w) \\ &\asymp \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p}{|1 - \langle w, \xi \rangle|^{2s}} \frac{\mu^p(|w|)}{1-|w|^2} dv(w) \leq \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p. \end{aligned}$$

When $2s - (pa + t - t_1 - 1) > n + 1$, the conditions $t_0 < t < t_1 < pa + t$ mean that $pa + t - t_1 - 1 > -1$ and $pa + t + n - s - t_1 > 0$, $t_1 - pa - n + s > -1$. By Lemma 2.1 and Lemma 2.3, Lemma 2.4(2), we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1-|w|^2)^{pa}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1-|\xi|^2)^s (1-|z|^2)^{pa+t-t_1-1} dv(z)}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\} dv_{t_1}(w) \\ &\asymp \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1-|w|^2)^{pa}} \frac{(1-|\xi|^2)^{pa+t+n-s-t_1}}{|1 - \langle \xi, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} dv_{t_1}(w) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &+ \int_{B_n} |\nabla f(w)|^p \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s}{|1 - \langle w, \xi \rangle|^{2s}} \frac{\mu^p(|w|)}{1 - |w|^2} dv(w) \\
 &\lesssim \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^{pa+t+n-s-t_1} (1 - |w|^2)^{t_1-pa-n+s}}{|1 - \langle \xi, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} dv(w) \\
 &+ \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p \asymp \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p.
 \end{aligned}$$

When $2s - (pa + t - t_1 - 1) = n + 1$, the conditions $t_0 < t < t_1 < pa + t$ mean that we may take $0 < \sigma_0 < \min\{s, t_1 + s + 1 - pa - n\}$ so that $pa + t - t_1 - 1 > -1$ and $t_1 - pa - n - \sigma_0 + s > -1$, $s - \sigma_0 > 0$. By Lemma 2.1 and Lemma 2.3, Lemma 2.4(3), $\sup_{0 < x \leq 1} x^{\sigma_0} \log \frac{e}{x} = \frac{e^{\sigma_0 - 1}}{\sigma_0}$, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1 - |w|^2)^{pa}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s (1 - |z|^2)^{pa+t-t_1-1} dv(z)}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\} dv_{t_1}(w) \\
 &\asymp \int_{B_n} |\nabla f(w)|^p \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s}{|1 - \langle w, \xi \rangle|^{2s}} \frac{\mu^p(|w|)}{1 - |w|^2} dv(w) \\
 &+ \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1 - |w|^2)^{pa}} \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s}{|1 - \langle \xi, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \log \frac{e}{1 - |\varphi_w(\xi)|^2} dv_{t_1}(w) \\
 &\lesssim \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p + \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |w|^2)^{t_1-pa-n-\sigma_0+s} dv(w)}{(1 - |\xi|^2)^{\sigma_0-s} |1 - \langle \xi, w \rangle|^{n+1+t-2\sigma_0}} \asymp \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p.
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, if $t_0 < t < t_1 < pa + t$, then we may prove that

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1 - |w|^2)^{pb}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s (1 - |z|^2)^{pb+t-t_1-1} dv(z)}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\} dv_{t_1}(w) \\
 &\lesssim \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p.
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, (1) and Lemma 2.2(2) combined with the above discusses, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\int_{B_n} |T_t f(z)|^p \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s}} \frac{\mu^p(|z|)}{1 - |z|^2} dv(z) \\
 &\lesssim \int_{B_n} |\nabla f(w)|^p \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s \mu^p(|z|) (1 - |z|^2)^{t-t_1-1} dv(z)}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\} dv_{t_1}(w) \\
 &\lesssim \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1 - |w|^2)^{pa}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s (1 - |z|^2)^{pa+t-t_1-1} dv(z)}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\} dv_{t_1}(w) \\
 &+ \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1 - |w|^2)^{pb}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s (1 - |z|^2)^{pb+t-t_1-1} dv(z)}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} \right\} dv_{t_1}(w) \\
 &\lesssim \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p.
 \end{aligned}$$

(2) Case $0 < p \leq 1$.

We choose $b + (n - s)/p - 1 < t = \frac{n + 1 + t'}{p} - n - 1$ such that $t' > pb + n - s - 1$.

For any $z \in B_n$ and $l \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, we take

$$F_l(w) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_l}(w) \frac{1}{(1 - \langle w, z \rangle)^{n+1+t}} \quad (w \in B_n).$$

It follows from Lemma 2.15 in [13] that

$$\int_{B_n} |F_l(w)| (1 - |w|^2)^t dv(w) \lesssim \left\{ \int_{B_n} |F_l(w)|^p dv_{t'}(w) \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

This shows that

$$\begin{aligned} |T_t f(z)|^p &\asymp \sum_{l=1}^n \left\{ \int_{B_n} |F_l(w)|(1-|w|^2)^t dv(w) \right\}^p \\ &\lesssim \sum_{l=1}^n \int_{B_n} |F_l(w)|^p dv_{t'}(w) \asymp \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p dv_{t'}(w)}{|1-\langle w, z \rangle|^{n+1+t'}}. \end{aligned}$$

Next, it is similar to the proof of case $p > 1$ when $t' > pb + n - s - 1$. We have

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_{B_n} |T_t f(z)|^p \frac{(1-|\xi|^2)^s}{|1-\langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s}} \frac{\mu^p(|z|)}{1-|z|^2} dv(z) \\ &\lesssim \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1-|w|^2)^{pa}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1-|\xi|^2)^s (1-|z|^2)^{pa-1} dv(z)}{|1-\langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1-\langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t'}} \right\} dv_{t'}(w) \\ &+ \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|^p \mu^p(|w|)}{(1-|w|^2)^{pb}} \left\{ \int_{B_n} \frac{(1-|\xi|^2)^s (1-|z|^2)^{pb-1} dv(z)}{|1-\langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s} |1-\langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t'}} \right\} dv_{t'}(w) \\ &\lesssim \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}^p. \end{aligned}$$

This proof is completed. \square

As an application of Theorem 3.1, we prove the Gleason’s problem is solvable on $F(p, \mu, s)$.

Theorem 3.2 Let μ be a normal function on $[0, 1)$. For any integer $k \geq 1$ and $\beta \in B_n$, there exist bounded linear operators A_α ($|\alpha| = k$) on $F(p, \mu, s)$ such that

$$f(z) = \sum_{|\alpha|=k} (z - \beta)^\alpha A_\alpha f(z) \text{ for any } f \in F(p, \mu, s)$$

with $D^\gamma f(\beta) = 0$ ($|\gamma| = 0, 1, \dots, k - 1$), where α and γ are multi-index.

Proof When $s > n$, it follows from Lemma 2.3 that $F(p, \mu, s) = \mathcal{B}_\nu(B_n)$. This result has been proved in [33]. We need only to consider the case $0 \leq s \leq n$.

First, we consider the case $k = 1$.

When $\beta = (0, \dots, 0)$, for any $f \in F(p, \mu, s)$ with $f(\beta) = 0$ and $j \in \{1, \dots, n\}$, let

$$A_j f(z) = \int_0^1 \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_j}(tz) dt.$$

Then each A_j is a linear operator and

$$\sum_{j=1}^n z_j A_j f(z) = \int_0^1 \frac{Rf(tz)}{t} dt = f(z) - f(\beta) = f(z). \tag{2}$$

In the following, we prove that A_j is bounded on $F(p, \mu, s)$ for every $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$.

It follows from Lemma 2.3 that

$$\left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_j}(z) \right| \leq |\nabla f(z)| \lesssim \frac{\|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}}{\mu(|z|)(1-|z|^2)^{\frac{n-s}{p}}} \leq \frac{\|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)}}{\mu(0)(1-|z|^2)^{b+\frac{n-s}{p}}}.$$

Therefore, as long as $t - b - (n - s)/p > -1$, it is clear that

$$\int_{B_n} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_j}(z) \right| dv_t(z) \lesssim \|f\|_{F(p,\mu,s)} \int_{B_n} (1-|z|^2)^{t-b-\frac{n-s}{p}} dv(z) < \infty.$$

This shows that $\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_j} \in A_t^1(B_n)$. By Theorem 2.2 in [13], we have

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_j}(z) = \int_{B_n} \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_j}(w) \frac{1}{(1 - \langle z, w \rangle)^{n+1+t}} dv_t(w) \quad (z \in B_n). \tag{3}$$

By (2)-(3) and Fubini Theorem, it is clear that

$$A_j f(z) = \int_{B_n} \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_j}(w) \left\{ \int_0^1 \frac{d\rho}{(1 - \rho \langle z, w \rangle)^{n+t+1}} \right\} dv_t(w).$$

This shows that

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla A_j f(z) &= \int_{B_n} \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_j}(w) \left\{ \int_0^1 \frac{(n+t+1)\rho d\rho}{(1 - \rho \langle z, w \rangle)^{n+t+2}} \right\} \bar{w} dv_t(w) \\ &= \int_{B_n} \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_j}(w) \frac{\bar{w} Q(z, w)}{(1 - \langle z, w \rangle)^{n+t+1}} dv_t(w), \end{aligned}$$

where \bar{w} is a vector, and the integral

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{B_n} (\cdot) \bar{w} dv_t(w) &= \left(\int_{B_n} (\cdot) \bar{w}_1 dv_t(w), \dots, \int_{B_n} (\cdot) \bar{w}_n dv_t(w) \right), \\ Q(z, w) &= \frac{n+1+t}{(n+t)\langle z, w \rangle} + \frac{1}{n+t} \frac{(1 - \langle z, w \rangle)^{n+t+1} - 1}{\langle z, w \rangle^2} \end{aligned}$$

when $\langle z, w \rangle \neq 0$ or $Q(z, w) = (n+1+t)/2$ when $\langle z, w \rangle = 0$. Otherwise,

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \left\{ \frac{n+1+t}{(n+t)y} + \frac{1}{n+t} \frac{(1-y)^{n+t+1} - 1}{y^2} \right\} = \frac{n+1+t}{2}.$$

This means that $|Q(z, w)| \lesssim 1$. Therefore,

$$|\nabla A_j f(z)| \lesssim \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} dv_t(w) = T_t f(z). \tag{4}$$

As long as t sufficiently large, it follows from (4) and Theorem 3.1 that

$$\sup_{\xi \in \bar{B}_n} \int_{B_n} |\nabla A_j f(z)|^p \frac{(1 - |\xi|^2)^s}{|1 - \langle z, \xi \rangle|^{2s}} \frac{\mu^p(|z|)}{1 - |z|^2} dv(z) \lesssim \|f\|_{F(p, \mu, s)}^p.$$

On the other hand, it follows from Lemma 2.3 that

$$|A_j f(0, \dots, 0)| = \left| \int_{B_n} \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_j}(w) dv_t(w) \right| \lesssim \|f\|_{F(p, \mu, s)}.$$

In a word, we have $\|A_j f\|_{F(p, \mu, s)} \lesssim \|f\|_{F(p, \mu, s)}$ for all cases.

When $\beta = (\beta_1, \dots, \beta_n) \neq (0, \dots, 0)$, it is clear that

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= f(z) - f(\beta) = \int_0^1 \left\{ \frac{d}{dt} f[\beta + t(z - \beta)] \right\} dt \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n (z_j - \beta_j) \int_0^1 D_j f[\beta + t(z - \beta)] dt = \sum_{j=1}^n (z_j - \beta_j) A_j f(z). \end{aligned}$$

It is similar to the proof of (4). We may obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |\nabla A_j f(z)| &\lesssim \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|}{|1 - \langle \beta, w \rangle|^{n+2+t} |1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} dv_t(w) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{(1 - |\beta|)^{n+2+t}} \int_{B_n} \frac{|\nabla f(w)|}{|1 - \langle z, w \rangle|^{n+1+t}} dv_t(w) \asymp T f(z). \end{aligned}$$

It follows from Theorem 3.1 that A_j is bounded on $F(p, \mu, s)$.

For $k \geq 2$, the proof is the same as that of Theorem 5 in [20].

This proof is completed. \square

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