

ON SOME NEW UNIFORM ESTIMATES
AND MAXIMAL THEOREMS FOR H^p SPACES

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Abstract: We obtain some new uniform estimates and maximal theorems in classical Hardy spaces in the unit disk related with the Bergman projection, thus extending some previously well-known inequalities on Hardy spaces.

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1. Introduction

Let $U = \{z \in C, |z| < 1\}$ be the unit disk in the complex plane C and T the unit circle in C . Let dm_2 be the normalized Lebesgues measure on C and U^n the unit polydisk in $C \times \dots \times C$. Finally, let H^p be the classical analytic Hardy class in the unit disk for all positive values of p and $dm(\xi)$ the normalized Lebesgues measure on T . The goal of this short article is to extend certain classical estimates of complex function theory in the unit disk to the case of several variables, extending certain known one-dimensional results to several variables.

We use the so-called expanded Bergman projection which was recently studied by the author. We define the expanded Bergman projection for an analytic function in the unit disk as follows (see [1]):

$$(T_{n,\alpha}f)(w) = C(n, \alpha) \int_U \frac{f(z)(1 - |z|)^\alpha}{\prod_{k=1}^n (1 - \langle \bar{z}, w_k \rangle)^{\frac{\alpha+2}{n}}} dm_2(z), \quad \alpha > -1,$$

taking the main branch of power under the integral, where by (z, w_k) we mean the conventional inner product l , $w = (w_1, \dots, w_n) \in U^n$, and $C(n, \alpha)$ is the Bergman constant from the Bergman representation formula, which plays a crucial role during the study of diagonal map (see, for example, [1–4] and the references therein).

We will now provide new estimates for this operator using, in particular, the Stein-type maximal functions from [5]. At the same time, we extend some previously known estimates.

In this paper, for any positive α , denote by $\mathcal{D}^\alpha$ the fractional derivative of a function f analytic in the unit disk:

$$\mathcal{D}^\alpha f(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (k+1)^\alpha a_k z^k, \quad f(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k z^k \quad (\text{see [1]}).$$

2. Main Result

The following theorem is the main result of this article:

Theorem 1. (a) Let $\Gamma_\gamma(\xi) = \{z \in U : |1 - \bar{\xi}z| < \gamma(1 - |z|)\}$, $\gamma > 1$, $\xi \in T$, while $\beta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$, $\alpha > \beta$, and $n = 2$. Then

$$\int_T \left(\sup_{z_1 \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} \sup_{z_2 \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} |\mathcal{D}_{z_2}^\alpha T_{n,0}(f)(z_1, z_2)| (1 - |z_1|)^{\alpha-\beta} (1 - |z_2|)^\beta \right)^2 dm(\xi) \leq C \|f\|_{H^2(U)}^2.$$

(b) Let $p > 2$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, $t \in (-2, -1)$, $\alpha > \max(t + \frac{2}{q}, 0)$, and $n = 2$. Then

$$\sup_{z_1, z_2 \in U} |T_{n,\alpha} f(z_1, z_2)| (1 - |z_1|)^{t+2} (1 - |z_2|)^{\frac{\alpha-t}{2} - \frac{1}{q}} \leq C \left(\int_T \sup_{z \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} |f(z)| (1 - |z|)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} dm(\xi) \right)^p.$$

REMARK 1. Putting $n = 1$, $\alpha = 0$, and $\beta = 0$ in the first estimate of Theorem 1 we get the following well-known estimate for H^p spaces (by the well-known classical Bergman representation formula, $T(f) = f$ or $T(F) = F$ for these values of parameters) (see [1, Chapter 1]):

$$\int_T \sup_{z \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} |f(z)|^2 dm(\xi) \leq C \|f\|_{H^2(U)}^2.$$

Putting $n = 1$, $\alpha = 0$, and $t = -2$ in the second claim of Theorem 1, we get the well-known estimate (see [6, Theorem 2.5; 1, 7])

$$\sup_{|z| < 1} |\Phi(z)| (1 - |z|)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq C \int_T \sup_{w \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} |\Phi(w)|^p dm(\xi) = \|\Phi\|_{H^p}^p.$$

PROOF OF THEOREM 1. Let $T_{2,0}(f) = \Phi(z_1, z_2)$. Using Hölder's inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |\Phi(z_1, z_2)| &\lesssim C \int_U \frac{|f(w)|}{|1 - \langle \bar{w}, z_1 \rangle| |1 - \langle \bar{w}, z_2 \rangle|} dm_2(w) \\ &\leq C \left(\int_U \frac{|f(w)|^2 (1 - |w|)^{2\beta}}{|1 - \langle \bar{w}, z_1 \rangle|^2} dm_2(w) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(\int_U \frac{(1 - |w|)^{-2\beta}}{|1 - \langle \bar{w}, z_2 \rangle|^2} dm_2(w) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \end{aligned}$$

here we mean that there is a positive constant c such that $A < cB$ for any two positive A and B .

Since $\beta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$ and $\alpha > \beta$, after differentiation of positive order α of $T(f)(w)$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathcal{D}_{z_2}^\alpha \Phi(z_1, z_2)| &\lesssim C \left(\int_U \frac{|f(w)|^2 (1 - |w|)^{-2\beta}}{|1 - \langle \bar{w}, z_1 \rangle|^2} dm_2(w) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\quad \times \left(\int_U \frac{(1 - |w|)^{2\beta}}{|1 - \langle \bar{w}, z_2 \rangle|^{2+2\alpha}} dm_2(w) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \end{aligned}$$

and, further,

$$\begin{aligned} & \sup_{z_1, z_2 \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} |\mathcal{D}_{z_2}^\alpha \Phi(z_1, z_2)| (1 - |z_2|^{\alpha-\beta})(1 - |z_1|^\beta) \\ & \leq C \sup_{z_1 \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} \left(\int_U \frac{|f(w)|^2 (1 - |w|)^{-2\beta}}{|1 - \langle \bar{w}, z_1 \rangle|^2} dm_2(w) (1 - |z_1|)^{2\beta} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = G_1(f) \quad (\text{see [4]}). \end{aligned}$$

Note that

$$(|1 - \langle \lambda | \bar{\xi}, z \rangle|) \asymp (|1 - \langle \bar{\lambda}, z \rangle|), \quad z \in U, \quad \lambda \in \Gamma_\beta(\xi),$$

hence,

$$G_1(f)(\xi) \lesssim C \sup_{0 < r < 1} \left(\int_U \frac{(1 - |z|)^{-2\beta} |f(z)|^2 (1 - r)^{2\beta}}{|1 - \langle r \bar{\xi}, z \rangle|^2} dm_2(z) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \widetilde{G}_1(f, \xi, \beta).$$

Obviously, for $\gamma \in (1, 2 - 2\beta)$ and $\beta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$, we have

$$\widetilde{G}_1(f, \xi, \beta) \lesssim C \sup_{0 < r < 1} \left(\int_T \frac{(1 - r)^{\gamma-1} |f(r\xi)|^2}{|1 - \langle r\xi, \varphi \rangle|^\gamma} dm(\xi) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

Therefore, to get what we need, it suffices to use the estimates for the Stein-type maximal functions [5]

$$\left\| \sup_{0 < r < 1} \left(\int_T \frac{(1 - r)^{\alpha-1} |f(r\varphi)|^p}{|1 - \langle r\bar{\varphi}, \xi \rangle|^\alpha} d\varphi \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \right\|_{L^p} \leq C \|f\|_{H^p},$$

where $f \in H^p$, $p > 1$, $\beta \in (0, \frac{1}{p})$, and $\alpha \in (1, 2 - \beta p)$. The first estimate is proven.

Let us prove the second estimate. First, we have the following chain of well-known estimates (see, for example, [7]):

$$\int_U d\mu(z) \lesssim C \int_T \int_{\Gamma_t(\xi)} \frac{d\mu(z)}{1 - |z|} dm(\xi), \quad (1)$$

$$\int_T |M_{H-L} f(\xi)|^p d\xi \leq C \int_T |f(\xi)|^p d\xi, \quad p > 1, \quad (2)$$

where M_{H-L} is the classical maximal Hardy–Littlewood operator;

$$\int_U |f(z)|^{\tilde{p}} dm_2(z) \lesssim C \int_T \left(\sup_{z \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} |f(z)| \right)^{\tilde{p}} C(\mu)(\xi) d\xi, \quad (3)$$

where μ is a positive Borel measure, $0 < \tilde{p} < \infty$, f is measurable in U , and, as usual,

$$C(\mu)(\xi) = \sup_{\xi \in I} \frac{1}{|I|} \int_{\Delta I} d\mu(\xi), \quad \Delta I = \{z = r\xi, \xi \in I, 1 - |z| < r < 1\}, \quad I \subset T.$$

Using (1), we get

$$|\Phi(z_1, z_2)| \lesssim C(\alpha) \int_U \frac{|f(w)|(1 - |w|^\alpha)}{(1 - \langle z_1, \bar{w} \rangle)^{\frac{\alpha+2}{2}} (1 - \langle z_2, \bar{w} \rangle)^{\frac{\alpha+2}{2}}} dm_2(w),$$

where $z_1, z_2 \in U$ and $C(\alpha)$ is the Bergman projection constant. Now, using (1) and applying Hölder's inequality twice, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |\Phi(z_1, z_2)| &\lesssim C \left(\int_T \left(\int_{\Gamma_\alpha(\xi)} \frac{|f(w)|^2 (1-|w|)^{2\alpha-t} dm_2(w)}{(1-|w|)^2 |1-\langle z_1, \bar{w} \rangle|^{\alpha+2}} \right)^{\frac{p}{2}} d\xi \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\quad \times \left(\int_T \left(\int_{\Gamma_\alpha(\xi)} \frac{(1-|w|)^t dm_2(w)}{|1-\langle z_2, \bar{w} \rangle|^{\alpha+2}} \right)^{\frac{q}{2}} dm(\xi) \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \lesssim B(f) (1-|z_2|)^{-(\frac{\alpha-t}{2}-\frac{1}{q})}, \end{aligned}$$

where $p > 2$, $\alpha > t + \frac{2}{q}$, $t \in (-2, -1)$, $\alpha > \frac{t}{2}$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$.

Using Fubini's theorem and also the well-known duality argument, we have

$$\begin{aligned} B(f) &= \sup_{\|\varphi\|_{L(\frac{p}{2})'}} \int_T \int_{\Gamma_\alpha(\xi)} \frac{|f(w)|^2 (1-|w|)^{2\alpha-t} dm_2(w)}{(1-|w|)^2 |1-\langle z_1, \bar{w} \rangle|^{\alpha+2}} |\psi(\xi)| dm(\xi) \\ &= \sup_{\|\varphi\|_{L(\frac{p}{2})'}} \int_U \frac{|f(w)|^2 (1-|w|)^{2\alpha-t}}{|1-\langle z_1, \bar{w} \rangle|^{\alpha+2}} \int_T |\psi(\xi)| \chi_{\Gamma_\alpha(\xi)}(z) d\xi \frac{dm_2(w)}{(1-|w|)^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, using (3) and the estimate

$$\sup_{z \in \Gamma_\eta} \frac{1}{1-|z|} \int_T |\psi(\xi)| \chi_{\Gamma_\tau(\xi)}(z) dm(\xi) \leq CM_{H-L}(\varphi)(\xi) \quad (\text{see [4]}),$$

we obtain $(\tilde{f} = f(1-|w|)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}})$

$$\begin{aligned} B(f) &\lesssim \sup_{\varphi} \int_T (A_\infty(\tilde{f})(\xi))^2 M_{H-L}(\varphi)(\xi) C \left(\frac{(1-|w|)^{\alpha-t-1}}{|1-\langle z, w \rangle|^{\alpha+2}} \right) (\xi) d\xi \\ &\lesssim \sup_{\varphi} \int_T (A_\infty(\tilde{f})(\xi))^2 M_{H-L}(\varphi)(\xi) d\xi \sup_{\tilde{w} \in U} \int_U \frac{(1-|w|)^{\alpha-t-1} (1-|\tilde{w}|)^N dm_2(w)}{|1-\langle z_1, \tilde{w} \rangle|^{\alpha+2} |1-\langle \tilde{w}, w \rangle|^{N+1}}, \end{aligned}$$

where M_{H-L} is the maximal Hardy–Littlewood function. We used the fact that

$$\|C(F)\|_{L^\infty} = \sup_{\tilde{w} \in U} \int_U \frac{|F(z)| dm_2(z)}{|1-\langle \tilde{w}, z \rangle|^N} (1-|\tilde{w}|)^{N-1}, \quad N > 1.$$

From the last estimate, Hölder's inequality and (2), we finally have

$$|\Phi(z_1, z_2)| (1-|z_1|)^{t+2} (1-|z_2|)^{\frac{\alpha-t}{2}-\frac{1}{q}} \leq C \|\tilde{f}\|_{L^p},$$

$t \in (-2, -1)$, $p > 2$. Theorem 1 is proven. $\square$

We similarly show the following results for the multifunctional case; some estimates are valid even in the unit ball.

We assume both parameters α and β to be positive in the following theorems.

Theorem 2. Let $\alpha + \beta < \frac{1}{2}$, $\alpha > \beta$, and $\beta < \frac{1}{2}$. Then

$$\int_T \left(\sup_{z_1 \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} \sup_{z_2 \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} |\mathcal{D}_{z_2}^\alpha(T_{2,0}\tilde{f})(z_1, z_2)| (1 - |z_1|)^{\alpha-\beta} (1 - |z_2|)^{\beta+\alpha} \right)^2 d\xi \leq C \|f_1\|_{H^2(U)}^2 \|f_2\|_{H^{\frac{m-1}{\alpha}}}^2 \cdots \|f_m\|_{H^{\frac{m-1}{\alpha}}}^2,$$

where $\tilde{f} = \prod_{j=1}^m f_j$, $m \geq 2$, $m \in \mathbb{N}$.

Theorem 3. Let $\alpha + \beta < \frac{1}{2}$, $\alpha > \beta$, and $\beta < \frac{1}{2}$. Then

$$\int_T \left(\sup_{z_1 \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} \sup_{z_2 \in \Gamma_\gamma(\xi)} |\mathcal{D}_{z_2}^\alpha(T_{2,0})(\tilde{f})(z_1, z_2)| (1 - |z_1|)^{\alpha-\beta} (1 - |z_2|)^{\beta+\alpha} \right)^2 dm(\xi) \leq \tilde{C} \|f_1\|_{H^2(U)}^2 \|f_2\|_{H^{\frac{\alpha}{m-1}}}^2 \cdots \|f_m\|_{H^{\frac{\alpha}{m-1}}}^2,$$

where $\|f\|_t = (\sup_{z \in U}) |f(z)| (1 - |z|)^t$, $t \geq 0$, $\tilde{f} = \prod_{j=1}^m f_j$, $m \geq 2$.

We will show these new results in the second part of this paper.

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