

Some estimates for Bochner-Riesz operators on the weighted Morrey spaces

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Abstract

In this paper, we will obtain some weighted strong type and weak type estimates of Bochner-Riesz operators $T_R^{(n-1)/2}$ on the weighted Morrey spaces $L^{p,\kappa}(w)$ for $1 \leq p < \infty$ and $0 < \kappa < 1$. We will also prove that the commutator formed by a $BMO(\mathbb{R}^n)$ function $b(x)$ and T_R^δ ($\delta \geq (n-1)/2$) is a bounded operator on the weighted Morrey spaces $L^{p,\kappa}(w)$ for $1 < p < \infty$ and $0 < \kappa < 1$.

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1. Introduction

The Bochner-Riesz operators of order $\delta > 0$ in \mathbb{R}^n ($n \geq 2$) are defined initially for Schwartz functions in terms of Fourier transforms by

$$(T_R^\delta f)^\wedge(\xi) = \left(1 - \frac{|\xi|^2}{R^2}\right)_+^\delta \hat{f}(\xi),$$

where \hat{f} denotes the Fourier transform of f . The associated maximal Bochner-Riesz operator is defined by

$$T_*^\delta f(x) = \sup_{R>0} |T_R^\delta f(x)|.$$

These operators were first introduced by Bochner [2] in connection with summation of multiple Fourier series and played an important role in harmonic analysis. Let b be a locally integrable function on \mathbb{R}^n , for any given $R > 0$, the commutator of b and T_R^δ is defined as follows

$$[b, T_R^\delta]f(x) = b(x)T_R^\delta f(x) - T_R^\delta(bf)(x).$$

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The classical Morrey spaces $\mathcal{L}^{p,\lambda}$ were first introduced by Morrey in [9] to study the local behavior of solutions to second order elliptic partial differential equations. Recently, Komori and Shirai [7] considered the weighted version of Morrey spaces $L^{p,\kappa}(w)$ and studied the boundedness of some classical operators on these spaces.

The main purpose of this paper is to discuss the weighted boundedness of maximal Bochner-Riesz operator and commutator $[b, T_R^\delta]$ on the weighted Morrey spaces $L^{p,\kappa}(w)$ for $1 < p < \infty$ and $0 < \kappa < 1$, where the symbol b belongs to BMO . We will also give the weighted weak type estimate of Bochner-Riesz operators on these spaces $L^{p,\kappa}(w)$ when $p = 1$ and $0 < \kappa < 1$. Our main results are stated as follows.

Theorem 1. *Let $\delta = (n - 1)/2$, $1 < p < \infty$, $0 < \kappa < 1$ and $w \in A_p$. Then there exists a constant $C > 0$ independent of f such that*

$$\|T_*^\delta(f)\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \leq C\|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}.$$

Theorem 2. *Let $\delta = (n - 1)/2$, $p = 1$, $0 < \kappa < 1$ and $w \in A_1$. Then for any given $R > 0$, all $\lambda > 0$ and any ball B , there exists a constant $C > 0$ independent of f such that*

$$w(\{x \in B : T_R^\delta f(x) > \lambda\}) \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \cdot \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} w(B)^\kappa.$$

Theorem 3. *Let $\delta \geq (n - 1)/2$, $1 < p < \infty$, $0 < \kappa < 1$ and $w \in A_p$. Suppose that $b \in BMO$, then there exists a constant C independent of f such that*

$$\|[b, T_R^\delta]f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \leq C\|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}.$$

2. Definitions and Notations

First let us recall some standard definitions and notations of weight classes. A weight w is a locally integrable function on \mathbb{R}^n which takes values in $(0, \infty)$ almost everywhere, $B = B(x_0, r)$ denotes the ball with the center x_0 and radius r . Given a ball B and $\lambda > 0$, λB denotes the ball with the same center as B whose radius is λ times that of B . For a given weight function w , we denote the Lebesgue measure of B by $|B|$ and the weighted measure of B by $w(B)$, where $w(B) = \int_B w(x) dx$.

We shall give the definitions of two weight classes as follows.

Definition 1 ([10]). *A weight function w is in the Muckenhoupt class A_p with $1 < p < \infty$ if for every ball B in \mathbb{R}^n , there exists a positive constant C which is independent of B such that*

$$\left(\frac{1}{|B|} \int_B w(x) dx \right) \left(\frac{1}{|B|} \int_B w(x)^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} dx \right)^{p-1} \leq C.$$

When $p = 1$, $w \in A_1$, if

$$\frac{1}{|B|} \int_B w(x) dx \leq C \operatorname{ess\,inf}_{x \in B} w(x).$$

Definition 2 ([4]). A weight function w belongs to the reverse Hölder class RH_r if there exist two constants $r > 1$ and $C > 0$ such that the following reverse Hölder inequality

$$\left(\frac{1}{|B|} \int_B w(x)^r dx \right)^{1/r} \leq C \left(\frac{1}{|B|} \int_B w(x) dx \right)$$

holds for every ball B in \mathbb{R}^n .

It is well known that if $w \in A_p$ with $1 < p < \infty$, then $w \in A_r$ for all $r > p$, and $w \in A_q$ for some $1 < q < p$. If $w \in A_p$ with $1 \leq p < \infty$, then there exists $r > 1$ such that $w \in RH_r$.

We state the following results that we will use frequently in the sequel.

Lemma A ([4]). Let $w \in A_p$, $p \geq 1$. Then, for any ball B , there exists an absolute constant C such that

$$w(2B) \leq Cw(B).$$

In general, for any $\lambda > 1$, we have

$$w(\lambda B) \leq C\lambda^{np}w(B),$$

where C does not depend on B nor on λ .

Lemma B ([5]). Let $w \in RH_r$ with $r > 1$. Then there exists a constant C such that

$$\frac{w(E)}{w(B)} \leq C \left(\frac{|E|}{|B|} \right)^{(r-1)/r}$$

for any measurable subset E of a ball B .

A locally integrable function b is said to be in $BMO(\mathbb{R}^n)$ if

$$\|b\|_* = \sup_B \frac{1}{|B|} \int_B |b(x) - b_B| dx < \infty,$$

where $b_B = \frac{1}{|B|} \int_B b(y) dy$ and the supremum is taken over all balls B in \mathbb{R}^n .

Theorem C ([3,6]). *Assume that $b \in BMO(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then for any $1 \leq p < \infty$, we have*

$$\sup_B \left(\frac{1}{|B|} \int_B |b(x) - b_B|^p dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C \|b\|_*.$$

Next we shall define the weighted Morrey space and give some results relevant to this paper. For further details, we refer the readers to [7].

Definition 3. *Let $1 \leq p < \infty$, $0 < \kappa < 1$ and w be a weight function. Then the weighted Morrey space is defined by*

$$L^{p,\kappa}(w) = \{f \in L^p_{loc}(w) : \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} < \infty\},$$

where

$$\|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} = \sup_B \left(\frac{1}{w(B)^\kappa} \int_B |f(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p}$$

and the supremum is taken over all balls B in \mathbb{R}^n .

In [7], the authors proved the following result.

Theorem D. *If $1 < p < \infty$, $0 < \kappa < 1$ and $w \in A_p$, then the Hardy-Littlewood maximal operator M is bounded on $L^{p,\kappa}(w)$. If $p = 1$, $0 < \kappa < 1$ and $w \in A_1$, then for all $\lambda > 0$ and any ball B , we have*

$$w(\{x \in B : Mf(x) > \lambda\}) \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \cdot \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} w(B)^\kappa.$$

We are going to conclude this section by giving two important results concerning the boundedness of Bochner-Riesz operators on the weighted L^p spaces. Given a Muckenhoupt's weight function w on \mathbb{R}^n , for $1 \leq p < \infty$, we denote by $L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)$ the space of all functions satisfying

$$\|f\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} = \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |f(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} < \infty.$$

Theorem E ([11]). *Let $1 < p < \infty$, $w \in A_p$. Then there exists a constant $C > 0$ such that*

$$\|T_*^{(n-1)/2}(f)\|_{L^p_w} \leq C \|f\|_{L^p_w}.$$

Theorem F ([13]). *Let $w \in A_1$. Then there exists a constant C such that*

$$w(\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : |T_1^{(n-1)/2} f(x)| > \lambda\}) \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |f(y)| w(y) dy.$$

Throughout this article, we will use C to denote a positive constant, which is independent of the main parameters and not necessarily the same at each occurrence. By $A \sim B$, we mean that there exists a constant $C > 1$ such that $\frac{1}{C} \leq \frac{A}{B} \leq C$. Moreover, we will denote the conjugate exponent of $r > 1$ by $r' = r/(r - 1)$.

3. Proofs of Theorems 1 and 2

The Bochner-Riesz operators can be expressed as convolution operators

$$T_R^\delta f(x) = (f * \phi_{1/R})(x),$$

where $\phi(x) = [(1 - |\cdot|^2)_+]^\delta(x)$. It is well known that the kernel ϕ can be represented as(see [8,12])

$$\phi(x) = \pi^{-\delta} \Gamma(\delta + 1) |x|^{-(\frac{n}{2} + \delta)} J_{\frac{n}{2} + \delta}(2\pi|x|),$$

where $J_\mu(t)$ is the Bessel function

$$J_\mu(t) = \frac{(\frac{t}{2})^\mu}{\Gamma(\mu + \frac{1}{2})\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})} \int_{-1}^1 e^{its} (1 - s^2)^{\mu - \frac{1}{2}} ds.$$

From the asymptotic properties of the Bessel function, we can deduce that $J_{\frac{n}{2} + \delta}(t) \leq Ct^{\frac{n}{2} + \delta}$ when $0 < t \leq 1$ and $J_{\frac{n}{2} + \delta}(t) \leq Ct^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ when $t > 1$. Therefore, for $\delta \geq (n - 1)/2$, we have

$$|\phi(x)| \leq \frac{C}{(1 + |x|)^{\frac{n+1}{2} + \delta}}. \quad (1)$$

Before proving our main theorems, we point out the following two facts.

(i) When $\delta > (n - 1)/2$, it is well known that(see [8,12])

$$T_*^\delta(f)(x) \leq C \cdot M(f)(x).$$

Then for this case, the conclusion of Theorems 1 and 2 follows immediately from Theorem D.

(ii) Let $f_t(x) = t^{-n} f(x/t)$. Then for any fixed $R > 0$, it is easy to verify that $T_R^{(n-1)/2} f(x) = (\phi * f_R)_{1/R}(x)$. Hence, by Theorem F, we can get

$$w(\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : |T_R^{(n-1)/2} f(x)| > \lambda\}) \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |f(y)| w(y) dy. \quad (2)$$

On the other hand, E. M. Stein(see [12]) showed that when $n \geq 2$, then there exists a function $f \in L^1$ such that

$$\limsup_{R \rightarrow \infty} |T_R^{(n-1)/2} f(x)| = +\infty \quad \text{almost everywhere.}$$

Therefore the above inequality (2) can't hold for the maximal Bochner-Riesz operator $T_*^{(n-1)/2}$. Moreover, the corresponding result of Theorem 2 for $T_*^{(n-1)/2}$ is also unknown.

Proof of Theorem 1. Fix a ball $B = B(x_0, r_B) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ and decompose $f = f_1 + f_2$, where $f_1 = f\chi_{2B}$, χ_{2B} denotes the characteristic function of $2B$. Since T_*^δ ($\delta = (n-1)/2$) is a sublinear operator, then we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B |T_*^\delta f(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\ & \leq \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B |T_*^\delta f_1(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B |T_*^\delta f_2(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\ & = I_1 + I_2. \end{aligned}$$

Theorem E and Lemma A imply

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 & \leq C \cdot \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_{2B} |f(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\ & \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \frac{w(2B)^{\kappa/p}}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \\ & \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}. \end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

We now turn to estimate the term I_2 . Note that when $\delta = (n-1)/2$, then by the estimate (1), we have $|\phi(x)| \leq \frac{C}{|x|^n}$. We also observe that when $x \in B$, $y \in (2B)^c$, then $|y-x| \sim |y-x_0|$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} T_*^\delta f_2(x) & = \sup_{R>0} |f_2 * \phi_{1/R}(x)| \\ & \leq C \cdot \sup_{R>0} \int_{(2B)^c} \frac{R^n}{(R|x-y|)^n} |f(y)| dy \\ & \leq C \cdot \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{|2^{j+1}B|} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |f(y)| dy. \end{aligned} \tag{4}$$

It follows from Hölder's inequality and the condition A_p that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |f(y)| dy & \leq \left(\int_{2^{j+1}B} |f(y)|^p w(y) dy \right)^{1/p} \left(\int_{2^{j+1}B} w(y)^{-p'/p} dy \right)^{1/p'} \\ & \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \cdot |2^{j+1}B| w(2^{j+1}B)^{(k-1)/p}. \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

Substituting the above inequality (5) into (4), we thus obtain

$$T_*^\delta f_2(x) \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} w(2^{j+1}B)^{(k-1)/p}.$$

Consequently

$$I_2 \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{w(B)^{(1-\kappa)/p}}{w(2^{j+1}B)^{(1-\kappa)/p}}.$$

Since $w \in A_p$, then there exists $r > 1$ such that $w \in RH_r$. By using Lemma B, we can get

$$\frac{w(B)}{w(2^{j+1}B)} \leq C \left(\frac{|B|}{|2^{j+1}B|} \right)^{(r-1)/r}.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} I_2 &\leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2^{jn}} \right)^{(1-\kappa)(r-1)/pr} \\ &\leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}, \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

where the last series is convergent since $(1-\kappa)(r-1)/pr > 0$. Combining the previous estimate (3) with (6) and taking the supremum over all balls $B \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$, we complete the proof of Theorem 1. \square

Proof of Theorem 2. For any given $\lambda > 0$, we write

$$\begin{aligned} &w(\{x \in B : |T_R^\delta f(x)| > \lambda\}) \\ &\leq w(\{x \in B : |T_R^\delta f_1(x)| > \lambda/2\}) + w(\{x \in B : |T_R^\delta f_2(x)| > \lambda/2\}) \\ &= I'_1 + I'_2. \end{aligned}$$

Lemma A and the inequality (2) yield

$$\begin{aligned} I'_1 &\leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \int_{2B} |f(y)| w(y) dy \\ &\leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \cdot \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} w(2B)^\kappa \\ &\leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \cdot \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} w(B)^\kappa. \end{aligned} \tag{7}$$

It follows from the inequality (4) and the condition A_1 that

$$|T_R^\delta f_2(x)| \leq C \cdot \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{|2^{j+1}B|} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |f(y)| dy$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq C \cdot \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{w(2^{j+1}B)} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |f(y)|w(y) dy \\
&\leq C \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{w(2^{j+1}B)^{1-\kappa}} \\
&= C \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} \cdot \frac{1}{w(B)^{1-\kappa}} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{w(B)^{1-\kappa}}{w(2^{j+1}B)^{1-\kappa}}.
\end{aligned}$$

Since $w \in A_1$, then $w \in RH_{r^*}$ with $r^* > 1$. By Lemma B again, we obtain

$$\frac{w(B)}{w(2^{j+1}B)} \leq C \left(\frac{|B|}{|2^{j+1}B|} \right)^{(r^*-1)/r^*}.$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
|T_R^\delta f_2(x)| &\leq C \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} \cdot \frac{1}{w(B)^{1-\kappa}} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2^{jn}} \right)^{(1-\kappa)(r^*-1)/r^*} \\
&\leq C \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} \cdot \frac{1}{w(B)^{1-\kappa}},
\end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

where in the last inequality we have used the fact that $(1-\kappa)(r^*-1)/r^* > 0$. If $\{x \in B : |T_R^\delta f_2(x)| > \lambda/2\} = \emptyset$, then the inequality

$$I'_2 \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \cdot \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} w(B)^\kappa$$

holds trivially.

If $\{x \in B : |T_R^\delta f_2(x)| > \lambda/2\} \neq \emptyset$, then by the inequality (8), we have

$$\lambda \leq C \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} \cdot \frac{1}{w(B)^{1-\kappa}},$$

which is equivalent to

$$w(B) \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \cdot \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} w(B)^\kappa.$$

Therefore

$$I'_2 \leq w(B) \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \cdot \|f\|_{L^{1,\kappa}(w)} w(B)^\kappa. \tag{9}$$

Combining the inequality (9) with (7), we finish the proof of Theorem 2. \square

4. Proof of Theorem 3

Proof. As in the proof of Theorem 1, for any given $R > 0$, we write

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B |[b, T_R^\delta]f(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\
& \leq \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B |[b, T_R^\delta]f_1(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\
& \quad + \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B |[b, T_R^\delta]f_2(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\
& = J_1 + J_2.
\end{aligned}$$

By Theorem E and the previous pointwise inequality $T_*^\delta(f)(x) \leq C \cdot M(f)(x)$, $\delta > (n-1)/2$, we have that for $\delta \geq (n-1)/2$, T_R^δ is bounded on L_w^p provided that $1 < p < \infty$ and $w \in A_p$. Then by the well-known boundedness criterion for the commutators of linear operators, which was obtained by Alvarez, Bagby, Kurtz and Pérez (see [1]), we see that $[b, T_R^\delta]$ is also bounded on L_w^p for all $1 < p < \infty$ and $w \in A_p$. This together with Lemma A imply

$$\begin{aligned}
J_1 & \leq C \|b\|_* \cdot \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_{2B} |f(x)|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\
& \leq C \|b\|_* \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \frac{w(2B)^{\kappa/p}}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \\
& \leq C \|b\|_* \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}.
\end{aligned} \tag{10}$$

We turn to deal with the term J_2 . When $\delta \geq (n-1)/2$, by the estimate (1), we thus have $|\phi(x)| \leq \frac{C}{(1+|x|)^n}$. As before, we also get $|y-x| \sim |y-x_0|$ when $x \in B$ and $y \in (2B)^c$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
|[b, T_R^\delta]f_2(x)| & = \left| \int_{(2B)^c} (b(x) - b(y)) \phi_{1/R}(x-y) f(y) dy \right| \\
& \leq C |b(x) - b_B| \cdot \int_{(2B)^c} \frac{|f(y)|}{|y-x_0|^n} dy \\
& \quad + C \int_{(2B)^c} \frac{|b(y) - b_B| |f(y)|}{|y-x_0|^n} dy \\
& = \text{I} + \text{II}.
\end{aligned}$$

It follows immediately from the inequality (5) that

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{I} & \leq C |b(x) - b_B| \cdot \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{|2^{j+1}B|} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |f(y)| dy \\
& \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} |b(x) - b_B| \cdot \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} w(2^{j+1}B)^{(k-1)/p}.
\end{aligned}$$

Consequently

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B \mathbb{P} w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\
& \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \cdot \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} w(2^{j+1}B)^{(k-1)/p} \cdot \left(\int_B |b(x) - b_B|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\
& = C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{w(B)^{(1-\kappa)/p}}{w(2^{j+1}B)^{(1-\kappa)/p}} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{w(B)} \int_B |b(x) - b_B|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p}.
\end{aligned}$$

Using the same arguments as in the proof of Theorem 1, we can see that the above summation is bounded by a constant. Hence

$$\frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B \mathbb{P} w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \left(\frac{1}{w(B)} \int_B |b(x) - b_B|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p}.$$

Since $w \in A_p$, as before, there exists a number $r > 1$ such that $w \in RH_r$. Then, by the reverse Hölder's inequality and Theorem C, we thus get

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left(\frac{1}{w(B)} \int_B |b(x) - b_B|^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \\
& \leq C \cdot \frac{1}{w(B)^{1/p}} \left(\int_B |b(x) - b_B|^{pr'} dx \right)^{1/pr'} \left(\int_B w(x)^r dx \right)^{1/pr} \quad (11) \\
& \leq C \cdot \left(\frac{1}{|B|} \int_B |b(x) - b_B|^{pr'} dx \right)^{1/pr'} \\
& \leq C \|b\|_*.
\end{aligned}$$

So we have

$$\frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B \mathbb{P} w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C \|b\|_* \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}. \quad (12)$$

On the other hand

$$\begin{aligned}
\Pi & \leq C \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{|2^{j+1}B|} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |b(y) - b_B| |f(y)| dy \\
& \leq C \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{|2^{j+1}B|} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |b(y) - b_{2^{j+1}B}| |f(y)| dy \\
& \quad + C \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{|2^{j+1}B|} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |b_{2^{j+1}B} - b_B| |f(y)| dy \\
& = \text{III} + \text{IV}.
\end{aligned}$$

By using Hölder's inequality, we thus obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_{2^{j+1}B} |b(y) - b_{2^{j+1}B}| |f(y)| dy \tag{13} \\
& \leq \left(\int_{2^{j+1}B} |b(y) - b_{2^{j+1}B}|^{p'} w^{-p'/p}(y) dy \right)^{1/p'} \left(\int_{2^{j+1}B} |f(y)|^p w(y) dy \right)^{1/p} \\
& \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} w(2^{j+1}B)^{\kappa/p} \left(\int_{2^{j+1}B} |b(y) - b_{2^{j+1}B}|^{p'} w^{-p'/p}(y) dy \right)^{1/p'}.
\end{aligned}$$

Set $v(y) = w^{-p'/p}(y) = w^{1-p'}(y)$. Then we have $v \in A_{p'}$ because $w \in A_p$ (see [3]). Following along the same lines as in the proof of (11), we can get

$$\left(\frac{1}{v(2^{j+1}B)} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |b(y) - b_{2^{j+1}B}|^{p'} v(y) dy \right)^{1/p'} \leq C \|b\|_*. \tag{14}$$

Substituting the above inequality (14) into (13), we thus have

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{2^{j+1}B} |b(y) - b_{2^{j+1}B}| |f(y)| dy & \leq C \|b\|_* \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \cdot w(2^{j+1}B)^{\kappa/p} v(2^{j+1}B)^{1/p'} \\
& \leq C \|b\|_* \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \cdot |2^{j+1}B| w(2^{j+1}B)^{(\kappa-1)/p}.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B \text{III}^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} & \leq C \|b\|_* \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{w(B)^{(1-\kappa)/p}}{w(2^{j+1}B)^{(1-\kappa)/p}} \\
& \leq C \|b\|_* \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}. \tag{15}
\end{aligned}$$

Finally, let's deal with the term IV. Since $b \in BMO(\mathbb{R}^n)$, then a simple calculation shows that

$$|b_{2^{j+1}B} - b_B| \leq C \cdot j \|b\|_*.$$

Again, it follows from the inequality (5) that

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{IV} & \leq C \|b\|_* \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} j \cdot \frac{1}{|2^{j+1}B|} \int_{2^{j+1}B} |f(y)| dy \\
& \leq C \|b\|_* \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} j \cdot w(2^{j+1}B)^{(\kappa-1)/p}.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}} \left(\int_B \text{IV}^p w(x) dx \right)^{1/p} \leq C \|b\|_* \|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} j \cdot \frac{w(B)^{(1-\kappa)/p}}{w(2^{j+1}B)^{(1-\kappa)/p}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq C\|b\|_*\|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}\sum_{j=1}^{\infty}\frac{j}{2^{jn\theta}} \\ &\leq C\|b\|_*\|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}, \end{aligned} \tag{16}$$

where $w \in RH_r$ and $\theta = (1 - \kappa)(r - 1)/pr$. Summarizing the estimates (15) and (16) derived above, we thus obtain

$$\frac{1}{w(B)^{\kappa/p}}\left(\int_B \mathbb{I}^p w(x) dx\right)^{1/p} \leq C\|b\|_*\|f\|_{L^{p,\kappa}(w)}. \tag{17}$$

Combining the inequalities (10), (12) with the above inequality (17) and taking the supremum over all balls $B \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$, we finally conclude the proof of Theorem 3. \square

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