

# A General Class of Weighted Banach Function Spaces

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we introduce a general class of analytic functions which extend the generalized Hardy space. Moreover, investigate the continuity of the point evaluations on this space.

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## 1 Introduction

Let  $\Delta = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$  be the open unit disk in the complex plane  $\mathbb{C}$ ,  $\partial\Delta$  its boundary and  $H(\Delta)$  the space of all analytic function on the unit disk. For an analytic function  $f$  on the unit disk and  $0 < r < 1$ , we define the delay function  $f_r$  by  $f_r(e^{i\theta}) = f(re^{i\theta})$ . It is easy to see that the functions  $f_r$  are continuous on  $\partial\Delta$  for each  $r$ .

The theory of harmonic functions motivates the following classes of analytic functions, determined by their limiting behavior as their arguments approach to the boundary  $\partial\Delta$ . For  $0 < p < \infty$ , the Hardy space  $H^p$  is defined as the set of analytic functions  $f : \Delta \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  such that

$$\|f\|_{H^p}^p = \sup_{0 < r < 1} \int_0^{2\pi} |f_r(e^{i\theta})|^p \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} < \infty.$$

By the Littlewood Subordination Theorem (see [7]), we see that the supremum in the above definition of  $H^p$  is actually a limit, that is,

$$\|f\|_{H^p}^p = \lim_{r \rightarrow 1} \int_0^{2\pi} |f_r(e^{i\theta})|^p \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} < \infty.$$

It should be mentioned that the function  $\|\cdot\|_{H^p}^p : H^p \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  is a norm on  $H^p$ , and makes  $H^p$  into a Banach space for  $1 \leq p < \infty$  (see [8]). For more studies on Hardy space, we refer to [8, 11, 13].

Recently Fatehi [10], introduced the following definition

**Definition 1.** Let  $F : H(\Delta) \rightarrow H(\Delta)$  be a linear operator such that  $F(f) = 0$  if and only if  $f = 0$ , that is,  $F$  is  $1 - 1$ .

For  $1 \leq p < \infty$ , the generalized Hardy space  $H_{F,p}(\Delta) = H_{F,p}$  is defined to be the collection of all analytic functions  $f$  on  $\Delta$  for which

$$\sup_{0 < r < 1} \int_0^{2\pi} |(F(f))_r(e^{i\theta})|^p \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} < \infty.$$

Denote the  $p$ th root of this supremum by  $\|f\|_{H_{F,p}}$ . Since,  $|F(f)|^p$  is a subharmonic function, so by [7], we have

$$\|f\|_{H_{F,p}}^p = \lim_{r \rightarrow 1^-} \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f)_r(e^{i\theta})|^p \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} < \infty.$$

Therefore,  $f \in H_{F,p}$  if and only if  $F(f) \in H^p$  and

$$\|F(f)\|_p^p = \|f\|_{H_{F,p}}^p = \lim_{r \rightarrow 1^-} \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f)_r(e^{i\theta})|^p \frac{d\theta}{2\pi}.$$

It is easy to see that  $H_{F,p}$  is a normed space with the norm  $\|\cdot\|_{H_{F,p}}$ .

For  $0 < p < \infty$ , the Bergman space  $A^p$  is the set of all  $f \in H(\Delta)$  such that

$$\int_{\Delta} |f(z)|^p dA(z) < \infty,$$

where  $dA(z) = dx dy = r dr d\theta$  is the Lebesgue area measure. We mention [9] as general reference for the theory of Bergman spaces.

We assume from now on that  $K : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  to appear in this paper is right-continuous and nondecreasing functions such that the integral

$$\int_0^{1/e} K(\log(1/\rho)) \rho d\rho = \int_1^{\infty} K(t) e^{-2t} dt < \infty.$$

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We can define an auxiliary function as follows:

$$\varphi_K(s) = \sup_{0 < t \leq 1} \frac{K(st)}{K(t)}, \quad 0 < s < \infty,$$

we assume that

$$\int_0^1 \varphi_K(s) \frac{ds}{s} < \infty, \quad (1)$$

and

$$\int_1^\infty \varphi_K(s) \frac{ds}{s} < \infty. \quad (2)$$

From now on we suppose that the above weight function  $K$  satisfies the following properties:

- (a)  $K$  is nondecreasing on  $[0, \infty)$ ,
- (b)  $K$  is twice differentiable on  $(0, 1)$ ,
- (c)  $\int_0^{\frac{1}{e}} K(\log \frac{1}{r}) r dr < \infty$ ,
- (d)  $K(t) = K(1) > 0, t \geq 1$  and
- (e)  $K(st) \approx K(t), t \geq 0$ .

We will need the following result in the sequel.

**Theorem 1.** ([16]) *If  $K$  satisfies condition (2), then for any  $\alpha \geq 1$  and  $0 \leq \beta < 1$ , we have*

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 r^{\alpha-1} (\log \frac{1}{r})^{-\beta} K(\log \frac{1}{r}) dr \\ & \approx C(\beta) \left( \frac{1-\beta}{\alpha} \right)^{1-\beta} \Phi \left( \frac{1-\beta}{\alpha} \right), \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

where  $C(\beta)$  is a constant depending only on  $\beta$ .

An important tool our study is the auxiliary function  $\Psi_{\omega_1}$  defined by

$$\Psi_{\omega_1}(s) = \sup_{0 < t < 1} \frac{\omega_1(st)}{\omega_1(t)}, \quad 0 < s < 1.$$

**Lemma 1.** (see [4]) *If  $\omega_1$  satisfies, the following condition*

$$\int_1^{\frac{1}{t}} \Psi_{\omega_1}(s) \frac{ds}{s^2} < \infty.$$

$$\omega^*(t) = t \int_t^1 \frac{\omega_1(s)}{s^2} ds \quad (\text{where, } 0 < t < 1),$$

has the following properties :

- (A)  $\omega^*$  is nondecreasing on  $(0, 1)$ .
- (B)  $\omega^*(t)/t$  is nonincreasing on  $(0, 1)$ .
- (C)  $\omega^*(t) \geq \omega_1(t)$  for all  $t \in (0, 1)$ .
- (D)  $\omega^* \lesssim \omega_1$  on  $(0, 1)$ .

If  $\omega_1(t) = \omega_1(1)$  for  $t \geq 1$ , then we also have

- (E)  $\omega^*(t) = \omega^*(1) = \omega_1(1)$  for  $t \geq 1$ , so  $\omega^* \approx \omega_1$  on  $(0, 1)$ .

Throughout this work,  $P$  denotes the set of all analytic polynomials and for a function  $F$ ,  $R_F$  denotes the range of  $F$ . We assume also,  $\Phi(r) = \frac{K(\log \frac{1}{r})}{\omega_1(1-r)}$ , where  $\omega_1$  is a given reasonable function  $\omega_1 : (0, 1] \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  with  $\omega_1 \neq 0$ , for more properties of the reasonable function  $\omega_1$ , we refer to [4, 14] and [15].

For  $p, q \in (0, \infty)$ , the weighted Bergman space  $A_{\Phi, q}^p$  is the set of all  $f \in H(\Delta)$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|f\|_{A_{\Phi, q}^p} \\ & = \sup_{0 < \rho < 1} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |f_\rho(e^{i\theta})|^p \Phi(r) r d\theta dr < \infty. \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

The above formula defines a norm that turns  $A_{\Phi, q}^2$  into a Hilbert space whose inner product is given by

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle f, g \rangle_{A_{\Phi, q}^2} \\ & = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \widehat{f}(n) \overline{\widehat{g}(n)} = \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} (f_r(e^{i\theta})) \overline{(g_r(e^{i\theta}))} r dr d\theta \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

for each  $f, g \in A_{\Phi, q}^2$ .

*Remark.* By using known technique, it is easy to prove that  $(A_{\Phi, q}^p, \|\cdot\|_{A_{\Phi, q}^p})$  is a Banach space, that is, the norm  $\|\cdot\|_{A_{\Phi, q}^p}$  is complete.

## 2 The generalized space

**Definition 2.** *Let  $F : H(\Delta) \rightarrow H(\Delta)$  be a linear operator such the  $F(f) = 0$  if and only if  $f = 0$ , that is,  $F$  is  $1 - I$ .*

*Suppose that  $\Phi(r) = \frac{K(\log \frac{1}{r})}{\omega_1(1-r)}$  is a nondecreasing and right-continuous function. For  $p, q \in (0, \infty)$ , the  $(F, \Phi)$ -Bergman space  $A_{F, \Phi, q}^p(\Delta) = A_{F, \Phi, q}^p$  is defined to be the collection of all analytic function  $f$  on  $\Delta$  for which*

$$\begin{aligned} & \|f\|_{A_{F, \Phi, q}^p} \\ & = \sup_{0 < \rho < 1} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f_\rho(e^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta < \infty. \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

The importance of this definition is that it contains some known classes of analytic function spaces like Bergman and Hardy classes as we mention in the following remark:

*Remark.* We note that if  $\int_0^1 \Phi(r) r dr = 1$ , then we obtain the generalized Hardy space as defined and studied in [10]. Also, if  $\Phi(r) = 1, q = 0$ , and  $F(f_\rho(e^{i\theta})) = f(z)$ , then we obtain the Bergman space  $A^p$ .

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $p, q \in (0, \infty)$  and  $P \subseteq R_F$ . Then  $A_{\Phi, q}^p$  is a subspace of  $R_F$  if and only if  $A_{F, \Phi, q}^p$  is a Banach space.*

*Proof.* Suppose that  $A_{\Phi, q}^p \subseteq R_F$ . Since  $A_{F, \Phi, q}^p$  is a normed space, it suffices to show that it is complete. Let  $\{f_n\}$  be Cauchy sequence in  $A_{F, \Phi, q}^p$  and set  $F(f_n) = g_n$ . Then  $\{g_n\}$

is a Cauchy sequence in  $A_{\Phi,q}^p$ . Since  $A_{\Phi,q}^p$  is complete, there is a  $g \in A_{\Phi,q}^p$  such that

$$\|g_n - g\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

Since  $A_{\Phi,q}^p \subseteq R_F$ , there is an  $f \in A(\Delta)$  such that  $F(f) = g$ . Now we show that this  $f$  is the  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ -limit of  $\{f_n\}$ . We have

$$\|f_n - f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p} = \|g_n - g\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

Hence  $f_n \rightarrow f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$  for sufficiently large positive integer  $n$ , which implies that  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ . So  $f_n \rightarrow f$  in  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

Conversely, suppose that  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$  is a Banach space. If  $A_{\Phi,q}^p \subseteq R_F$ , then there is a  $g \in A_{\Phi,q}^p$  such that  $g$  is not in  $R_f$ . Since the polynomials are dense in  $A_{\Phi,q}^p$ , there is a sequence  $\{p_n\}$  in  $P$  such that  $\|p_n - g\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

Let  $q_n = F^{-1}(p_n)$ . Then  $\{q_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$  and so there is a  $q \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$  such that  $\|q_n - q\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Hence  $\|F(q_n) - F(q)\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . On the other hand,  $\|F(q_n) - g\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . This shows that  $g = F(q)$  which is a contradiction.

**Proposition 1.** If  $A_{\Phi,q}^2 \subseteq R_F$ , and suppose that

$$\mathcal{J}(\Phi, q) = \int_0^1 \Phi(r)r dr < \infty, \tag{7}$$

then  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^2$  is a Hilbert space.

*Proof.* We define the scalar product on  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^2$  by

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle f, g \rangle_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^2} \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} F(f_\rho(e^{i\theta})) \overline{F(g_r(e^{i\theta}))} \Phi(r)r dr d\theta \\ &\leq C \int_0^{2\pi} F(f_\rho(e^{i\theta})) \overline{F(g_r(e^{i\theta}))} d\theta \\ &= \langle F(f), F(g) \rangle_{H^2}. \end{aligned}$$

It is easy to show that this scalar product defines an inner product on  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^2$ .

There is a Banach space  $A_{\Phi,q}^p$ , such that it does not satisfy the condition of Theorem 2. For example, let  $1 \leq p, q < \infty$ ,  $F(f) = zf$  for each  $f \in H(\Delta)$ . Then  $1 \notin R_F$ . By the following proposition, we see that although  $A_{\Phi,q}^p \subseteq R_F$ ,  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$  is a Banach space.

**Proposition 2.** Suppose that  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ,  $0 < q < \infty$ ,  $h \in H(\Delta)$ ,  $h \neq 0$ , and  $F(f) = fh$  for every  $f \in H(\Delta)$ . Then  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$  is a Banach space.

*Proof.* If  $A_{\Phi,q}^p \subseteq R_F$ , then by Theorem 2.1, the proposition holds. Otherwise, let  $f_n$  be a Cauchy sequence in  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ . Setting  $F(f_n) = g_n$ , so  $\{g_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $A_{\Phi,q}^p$ . Therefore, there is a  $g \in A_{\Phi,q}^p$  such that  $\|g_n - g\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . If  $g \in R_F$ , then the proof is similar to the proof of Theorem 2.

Now suppose that  $g$  is not in  $R_F$ . Then there are  $z_0 \in \Delta$ ,  $m_1 \geq 0$ , and  $m_2 > m_1$  such that

$$g(z) = (z - z_0)^{m_1} g_0(z),$$

$$h(z) = (z - z_0)^{m_2} h_0(z),$$

where  $h_0, g_0 \in H(\Delta)$ ,  $g_0(z_0) \neq 0$ , and  $h_0(z_0) \neq 0$ . Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|g_n - g\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} &= \|hf_n - g\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |T(\rho, \theta)|^p \Phi(r)r dr d\theta, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} T(\rho, \theta) &= (\rho e^{i\theta} - z_0)^{m_2} h_0(\rho e^{i\theta}) f_n - (\rho e^{i\theta} - z_0)^{m_1} g_0(\rho e^{i\theta}). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\|g_n - g\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |T(\rho, \theta)|^p \Phi(r)r dr d\theta = 0. \tag{8}$$

Hence,  $\|(z - z_0)^{m_2} h_0 f_n - (z - z_0)^{m_1} g_0\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Since the point evaluation at  $z_0$  is a bounded linear functional on  $A_{\Phi,q}^p$ , we have

$$(z_0 - z_0)^{m_2} h_0 f_n(z_0) - (z_0 - z_0)^{m_1} g_0(z_0) \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty. \tag{9}$$

So  $g_0(z_0) = 0$ , which is a contradiction.

In the following proposition, we will find a dense subset in  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ , whenever  $P \subseteq R_F$ .

**Proposition 3.** Suppose that  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ,  $0 < q < \infty$ , and  $P \subseteq R_F$ . Then  $\{F^{-1}(p) : p \in P\} = A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ .

*Proof.* It is clear that  $\{F^{-1}(p) : p \in P\} \subseteq A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ . Suppose that  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ . Then there is a sequence  $\{h_n\}$  in  $P$  such that  $\|h_n - F(f)\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Setting  $f_n = F^{-1}(h_n)$ , we have

$$\|f_n - f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p} = \|h_n - F(f)\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p}, \tag{10}$$

so the result follows.

**Corollary 1.** Suppose that  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ,  $0 < q < \infty$ ,  $P \subseteq R_F$ , and  $F^{-1}(p) \in P$  for each  $p \in P$ . Then  $P \cap A_{F,\Phi,q}^p = A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ .

### 3 Point Evaluations

Let  $e_\omega$  be the point evaluation at  $\omega$ , that is,  $e_\omega(f) = f(\omega)$ . It is well known that point evaluations at the point of  $\Delta$  are all continuous on  $A_{K,q}^p$ .

Let  $\omega \in \Delta$  and  $H$  be a Hilbert space of analytic functions on  $\Delta$ . If  $e_\omega$  is a bounded linear functional on  $H$ , then the Riesz Representation Theorem implies that there is a function (which is usually called  $K_\omega$ ) in  $H$  that induces this linear functional, that is,  $e_\omega(f) = \langle f, K_\omega \rangle$ .

In this section, we investigate the continuity of the point evaluations on  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ .

Next, we prove that an analytic function  $f$  on the unit disk with Hadamard gaps, that is,  $f(z)$  satisfying  $\frac{n_{k+1}}{n_k} \geq c > 1$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  belongs to the space  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ .

**Theorem 3.** If  $\Phi(r) = \frac{K(\log \frac{1}{r})}{\omega_1(1-r)}$  and

$$f(z) = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} b_j z^{n_j-1}, \quad (11)$$

is in the Hadamard gap class, then  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$  if

$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |b_j|^p \Phi\left(\frac{1}{n_j}\right) < \infty. \quad (12)$$

*Proof.* First assume that condition (12) holds. We write  $z = re^{i\theta}$  in polar form and observe that

$$|f(z)| \leq \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |b_j| r^{n_j-1}.$$

Then, by Theorem 2.1 and Lemma 1, let  $F(f) = g$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p} &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f(re^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |g(re^{i\theta})|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} \left( \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |b_j| r^{n_j-1} \right)^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^1 r^{-p+1} \left[ \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |b_j| r^{n_j} \right]^p \Phi(r) dr \end{aligned}$$

Using the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality to produce

$$\begin{aligned} &\left[ \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |b_j| r^{n_j} \right]^p \\ &= \left[ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| r^{n_j} \right]^p \leq \left[ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| r^{2n} \right]^p \\ &\leq \left[ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (2^{n/2} r^{2n})^{1-1/p} (r^{2n} 2^{(1-p)n/2})^{1/p} \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| \right]^p \\ &\leq \left[ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} r^{2n} 2^{((1-p)/2)n} \left( \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| \right)^p \right] \left[ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2^{n/2} r^{2n} \right]^{p-1} \\ &\leq C \left( \log \frac{1}{r} \right)^{-(p-1)/2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} r^{2n} 2^{((1-p)/2)n} \left( \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| \right)^p \end{aligned}$$

where  $I_n = \{j : 2^n \leq j < 2^{n+1}, j \in \mathbb{N}\}$ . To this end, we combine the elementary estimates:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2^{n/2} r^{2n} &= \sqrt{2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{2^n}^{2^{n+1}} t^{-\frac{1}{2}} r^{\frac{1}{2}} dt \\ &\leq \sqrt{2} \int_0^{\infty} t^{-\frac{1}{2}} r^{\frac{1}{2}} dt \\ &\leq 2\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left( \log \frac{1}{r} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

This very useful tool can now be applied to the calculation above to obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p} &\leq C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (2^n)^{\frac{1-p}{2}} \left[ \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| \right]^p \\ &\times \int_0^1 r^{2n-p+1} \left( \log \frac{1}{r} \right)^{\frac{2q-p-3}{2}} \Phi(r) dr \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

where  $(1-r^2) \leq 2 \log \frac{1}{r}$ . This together with (13) and Theorem 1.2 for  $\alpha = 2n - p + 2$ ,  $\beta = \frac{2q-p-3}{2}$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p} &\leq C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[ \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| \right]^p \left( \frac{1}{2^n} \right)^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \left( \frac{5+p-2q}{2^{n+1}-2(p-2)} \right)^{\frac{5+p-2q}{2}} \\ &\times \Phi\left( \frac{5+p-2q}{2^{n+1}-2(p-2)} \right) \\ &\leq C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[ \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| \right]^p \left( \frac{1}{2^n} \right)^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \left( \frac{1}{2^n} \right)^{\frac{5+p-2q}{2}} \Phi\left( \frac{1}{2^n} \right) \\ &\leq C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[ \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| \right]^p \left( \frac{1}{2^n} \right)^{p-q+2} \Phi\left( \frac{1}{2^n} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

If  $n_j \in I_n$ , then  $n_j < 2^n < 2^{n+1}$ . It follows from the monotonicity of  $k$ , Lemma 1 and  $K(2t) \leq CK(t)$  for all  $0 \leq 2t \leq 1$ , such that

$$\left( \frac{1}{2^n} \right)^{p-q+2} \Phi\left( \frac{1}{2^n} \right) < n_j^{(p-q+2)} \Phi\left( \frac{1}{n_j} \right).$$

Combining this with (14), we obtain

$$\|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p} \lesssim \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[ \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j| \right]^p n_j^{p-q+2} \Phi\left(\frac{1}{n_j}\right). \quad (15)$$

Since  $f$  is in the Hadamard gap class, there exists a constant  $c$  such that  $n_{j+1} \geq cn_j$  for all  $j \in \mathbb{N}$ . Hence, the Taylor series of  $f(z)$  has at most  $(\lceil \log_c 2 \rceil + 1)$  terms  $a_j z^{n_j}$  such that  $n_j \in I_n$ . By (15) and Hölder's inequality,

$$\|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p} \lesssim (\log_c 2 + 1)^{p-q+2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n_j \in I_n} |b_j|^p \Phi\left(\frac{1}{n_j}\right)$$

Then,  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$

**Lemma 2.** If  $f \in A_{\Phi,q}^p$  ( $0 < p, q < \infty$ ), then

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 1} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f(\rho e^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ = \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f(e^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\lim_{\rho \rightarrow 1} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f(\rho e^{i\theta})) - F(f(e^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta = 0.$$

*Proof.* First let us prove

$$\lim_{\rho \rightarrow 1} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f_\rho(e^{i\theta})) - F(f(\rho e^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta = 0$$

for  $p = 2$ . If  $F(f(z)) = \sum b_j^p \Phi\left(\frac{1}{n_j}\right) (f(z))^{n_j}$  is in  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^2$ ,

then  $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |b_j|^p \Phi\left(\frac{1}{n_j}\right) < \infty$ .

But by Fatou's lemma, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f_\rho(e^{i\theta})) - F(f(\rho e^{i\theta}))|^2 \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ \leq \liminf_{\rho \rightarrow 1} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f_\rho(e^{i\theta})) - F(f(\rho e^{i\theta}))|^2 \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} \left| b_j \Phi\left(\frac{1}{n_j}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} f(\rho e^{i\theta}) - b_j \Phi\left(\frac{1}{n_j}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} f(e^{i\theta}) \right|^2 \\ \times \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |b_j|^2 \Phi\left(\frac{1}{n_j}\right) \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |f(\rho e^{i\theta}) - f(e^{i\theta})|^2 \\ \times \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \end{aligned}$$

which tends to zero as  $\rho \rightarrow 1$ . Now, we proof

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 1} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f(\rho e^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ = \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f(e^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \end{aligned}$$

in the case  $p = 2$ . If  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$  ( $0 < p, q < \infty$ ), we use the factorization  $f = Bg$  where  $B(z)$  is a Blaschke product and

$g(z)$  is an  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ . Since  $(g(z))^{p/2} \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^2$ , it follows from what we have just proved that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f(\rho e^{i\theta}))|^p K\left(\log \frac{1}{r}\right) r dr d\theta \\ \leq \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(g(\rho e^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \rightarrow \\ \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(g(e^{i\theta}))|^p K\left(\log \frac{1}{r}\right) r dr d\theta \\ = \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f(e^{i\theta}))|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta. \end{aligned}$$

This together with Fatou's lemma complete the proof.

**Theorem 4.** If  $\Phi(r) = \frac{K(\log \frac{1}{r})}{\omega_1(1-r)}$  and  $A_{\Phi,q}^p \subseteq R_F$ . For  $1 \leq p < 2$ ,  $0 < q < \infty$  and  $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \overline{F^{-1}(z^j)(\omega)} z^j \in H^\infty$ . If for each  $0 < \rho < 1$ ,  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^1$ , and  $(F(f))_\rho = F(f_\rho)$ , then  $e_\omega$  is continuous on  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^1$ . Then for each  $0 < \rho < 1$ ,  $f_\rho \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^2$  and then

$$\begin{aligned} f_\rho(\omega) &= \langle f_\rho, K_\omega \rangle_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^2} \\ &= \langle F(f_\rho), F(K_\omega) \rangle_{A_{\Phi,q}^2} \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} F(f_\rho(e^{i\theta})) \overline{F(K_\omega(\rho e^{i\theta}))} \Phi(r) r dr d\theta. \end{aligned}$$

Also by Lemma 3.1, we have  $\|(F(f))_\rho - F(f)\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^1} \rightarrow 0$  as  $\rho \rightarrow 1$ .

Hence, using Hölder's inequality and the fact that  $F(K_\omega) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \overline{F^{-1}(z^j)(\omega)} z^j$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} (F((f))_\rho - F(f))(\rho e^{i\theta}) \overline{F(K_\omega)(\rho e^{i\theta})} \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \right| \\ \leq \|F(K_\omega)\|_\infty \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |F(f_\rho(e^{i\theta})) - F(f(\rho e^{i\theta}))| \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ \leq \|F(K_\omega)\|_\infty \|(F(f))_\rho - F(f)\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^1} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } \rho \rightarrow 1, \end{aligned}$$

so we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} f(\omega) &= \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 1} f_\rho(\omega) \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} F(\lim_{\rho \rightarrow 1} f_\rho(\rho e^{i\theta})) \overline{F(K_\omega)(\rho e^{i\theta})} \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} F(f(e^{i\theta})) \overline{F(K_\omega)(e^{i\theta})} \Phi(r) r dr d\theta. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} |f(\omega)| &= \left| \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} F(f(e^{i\theta})) \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \right| \\ &\leq \|F(K_\omega)\|_\infty \|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^1} \end{aligned}$$

for each  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^1$ . Now let  $1 \leq p < 2$ . If  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ , then

$$|f(\omega)| \leq \|F(K_\omega)\|_\infty \|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^1} \leq \|F(K_\omega)\|_\infty \|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p},$$

so, the result follows.

**Theorem 5.** Let  $\Phi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a non-decreasing and right-continuous function satisfying (7) and let  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ,  $0 < q < \infty$ ,  $\omega \in \Delta$ ,  $h \in H(\Delta)$ ,  $h \neq 0$ . For each  $f \in H(\Delta)$ ,  $F(f) = fh$ . Then  $e_\omega$  is continuous on  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ .

*Proof.* We break the proof in to two parts.

(1) Let  $h(\omega) \neq 0$ . If  $|\omega| < \rho < 1$  and  $\Gamma_\rho$  is the circle of radius  $\rho$  with center at the origin, then the Cauchy formula shows that for any  $f$  in  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} f(\omega)h(\omega) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma_\rho} \frac{f(\zeta)h(\zeta)}{\zeta - \omega} d\zeta \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{f(\rho e^{i\theta})h(\rho e^{i\theta})}{\rho e^{i\theta} - \omega} \rho i e^{i\theta} d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(\rho e^{i\theta})h(\rho e^{i\theta}) \frac{\rho}{\rho - \omega e^{-i\theta}} d\theta, \end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_0^1 f(\omega)h(\omega)\Phi(r)rdr \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{f(re^{i\theta})h(\rho e^{i\theta})}{\rho - \omega e^{-i\theta}} \Phi(\rho)r\rho drd\theta. \end{aligned}$$

By Hölder's inequality, it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} &|f(\omega)||h(\omega)| \int_0^1 \Phi(r)rdr \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \|(fh)_\rho\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \left\| \frac{\rho}{\rho - \omega e^{-i\theta}} \right\|_{p^*} \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

where  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{p^*} = 1$ . Now if  $r$  tends to 1,  $\left| \frac{\rho}{\rho - \omega e^{-i\theta}} \right|$  converges uniformly to the bounded function  $|1 - \omega e^{i\theta}|^{-1}$  and

$$\|(fh)_\rho\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p} \leq \|fh\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p}.$$

Hence there in an  $M = \frac{\|\rho/(\rho - \omega e^{-i\theta})\|}{2\pi \int_0^1 \Phi(r)rdr} < \infty$  such that

$$|f(\omega)| \leq \frac{M}{|h(\omega)|} \|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p},$$

and the result follows.

(2) Let  $h(\omega) = 0$ . Then  $h(z) = (z - \omega)^m h_0(z)$ , where  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $h_0 \in H(\Delta)$ , and  $h_0(\omega) \neq 0$ .

Let  $F_1(f) = fh_0$  for each  $f \in H(\Delta)$ , it is easy to see that  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p \subseteq A_{F_1,\Phi,q}^p$ . Then by the preceding part, there is a constant  $0 < C < \infty$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} |f(\omega)|^p &\leq C \|fh_0\|_{A_{\Phi,q}^p}^p \\ &= C \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |f(\rho e^{i\theta})|^p |h_0(\rho e^{i\theta})|^p E(\rho) \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ &\leq \frac{C}{(1 - |\omega|)^{mp}} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} |f(\rho e^{i\theta})|^p |h(\rho e^{i\theta})|^p \Phi(r) r dr d\theta \\ &= \frac{C}{(1 - |\omega|)^{mp}} \|f\|_{A_{F,\Phi,q}^p}^p \end{aligned}$$

for each  $f \in A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ . So  $e_\omega$  is continuous on  $A_{F,\Phi,q}^p$ , where  $E(\rho) = \frac{|\rho e^{i\theta} - \omega|^{mp}}{|\rho e^{i\theta} - \omega|^{mp}}$ .

*Remark.* It should be remarked that our results in this paper generalize and improve the recent results in [3, 10]. It is still an open problem to extend these results to Clifford Analysis. For more information on studies of function spaces in Clifford analysis, we refer to [1, 2, 5, 6, 12] and others.

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