# ON SPACES ASSOCIATED WITH PRIMITIVES OF DISTRIBUTIONS IN ONE-SIDED HARDY SPACES

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we introduce the  $\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$  spaces, where 0 0, and for weights w belonging to the class  $A^+_s$  defined by E. Sawyer. To define these spaces, we consider a one-sided version of the maximal function  $N^+_{q,\alpha}(F,x)$  defined by A. Calderón. In the case that  $w \equiv 1$ , these spaces have been studied by A. Gatto, J. G. Jiménez and C. Segovia. We introduce a notion of p-atom in  $\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$ , and we prove that we can express the elements of  $\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$  in term of series of multiples of p-atoms. On the other side, we prove that the Weyl fractional integral  $P_{\alpha}$  can be extended to a bounded operator from the one-sided Hardy space  $H^p_+(w)$  into  $\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$ . Moreover, we prove that this extension, if  $\alpha$  is a natural number, is an isomorphism.

## 1. Notations, definitions and prerequisites

Let f(x) be a Lebesgue measurable function defined on  $\mathbb{R}$ . The one-sided Hardy-Littlewood maximal functions  $M^+f(x)$  and  $M^-f(x)$  are defined as

$$M^+f(x) = \sup_{h>0} \int_x^{x+h} |f(t)| dt$$
 and  $M^-f(x) = \sup_{h>0} \int_{x-h}^x |f(t)| dt$ .

As usual, a weight w(x) is a measurable and non-negative function. If  $E \subset \mathbb{R}$  is a Lebesgue measurable set, we denote its w-measure by  $w(E) = \int_E w(t)dt$ . A function f(x) belongs to  $L^s(w)$ ,  $0 < s \le \infty$ , if  $||f||_{L^s(w)} = \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)^s w(x) dx\right)^{1/s}$  is finite.

A weight w(x) belongs to the class  $A_s^+$ ,  $1 \le s < \infty$ , defined by E. Sawyer in [7], if there exists a constant c such that

$$\sup_{h>0} \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_{x-h}^{x} w(t)dt \right) \left( \frac{1}{h} \int_{x}^{x+h} w(t)^{-\frac{1}{s-1}} dt \right)^{s-1} \le c,$$

for all real number x. We observe that w(x) belongs to the class  $A_1^+$  if  $M^-w(x) \leq cw(x)$  for all real number x.

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Given  $w(x) \in A_s^+$ ,  $1 \le s < \infty$ , we can define two numbers  $x_{-\infty}$  and  $x_{+\infty}$ ,  $-\infty \le x_{-\infty} \le x_{+\infty} \le \infty$ , such that

- $(i) \ w(x) \equiv 0 \text{ in } (-\infty, x_{-\infty}),$
- (ii)  $w(x) \equiv \infty$  in  $(x_{+\infty}, \infty)$ , and
- (iii)  $0 < w(x) < \infty$  for almost every  $x \in (x_{-\infty}, x_{+\infty})$ .

In order to avoid the non-interesting case  $x_{-\infty} = x_{+\infty}$ , we assume that there exists a measurable set E satisfying  $0 < w(E) < \infty$ .

Let us fix  $w \in A_s^+$  and let  $x_{-\infty}$  be as before. Let  $L_{loc}^q(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ ,  $1 < q < \infty$ , be the space of the real-valued functions f(x) on  $\mathbb R$  that belong locally to  $L^q$  for compact subsets of  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ ). We endow  $L_{loc}^q(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  which the topology generated for the seminorms

$$|f|_{q,I} = \left(|I|^{-1} \int_{I} |f(y)|^{q} dy\right)^{1/q},$$

where I = [a, b] is an interval in  $(x_{+\infty}, \infty)$  and |I| = b - a.

For f(x) in  $L^q_{loc}(x_{-\infty},\infty)$ , we define a maximal function  $n^+_{q,\alpha}(f;x)$  as

$$n_{q,\alpha}^{+}(f;x) = \sup_{\rho>0} \rho^{-\alpha} |f|_{q,[x,x+\rho]},$$

where  $\alpha$  is a positive real number.

Let N a non negative integer and  $\mathcal{P}_N$  the subspace of  $L^q_{loc}(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  formed by all the polynomials of degree at most N. This subspace is of finite dimension and therefore a closed subspace of  $L^q_{loc}(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ . We denote by  $E^q_N$  the quotient space of  $L^q_{loc}(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  by  $\mathcal{P}_N$ . If  $F \in E^q_N$ , we define the seminorm

$$||F||_{q,I} = \inf \left\{ |f|_{q,I} : f \in F \right\}.$$

The family of all these seminorms induces on  $E_N^q$  the quotient topology.

Given a real number  $\alpha>0$ , we can write it  $\alpha=N+\beta$ , where N is a non negative integer and  $0<\beta\leq 1$ . Now we fix  $\alpha>0$  and its decomposition  $\alpha=N+\beta$  in the previous conditions.

For F in  $E_N^q$ , we define a maximal function  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)$  as

$$N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F;x) = \inf \left\{ n_{q,a}^{+}(f;x) : f \in F \right\}.$$

We say that an element F in  $E_N^q$  belongs to  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$ ,  $0 , if the maximal function <math>N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x) \in L^p(w)$ . The "norm" of F in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  is defined as  $\|F\|_{\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)} = \|N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)\|_{L^p(w)}$ .

**Definition 1.1.** We shall say that a class  $A \in E_N^q$  is a p-atom in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  if there exist a representative a(y) of A and an interval I (non necessarily bounded) such that

- i)  $I \subset (x_{-\infty}, \infty), w(I) < \infty$
- ii)  $supp(a) \subset I$
- iii)  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(A,x) \leq w(I)^{-1/p}$  for all  $x \in (x_{-\infty},\infty)$ .

We shall say that I is an interval associated to the p-atom A.

Given a bounded function f(y) with support in an interval  $I = (x_{-\infty}, b]$  where b is finite and if  $\alpha > 0$  we consider the Weyl fraccional integral

$$P_{\alpha}f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{x}^{\infty} (y - x)^{\alpha - 1} f(y) dy \text{ for } x \in (x_{-\infty}, \infty),$$

where  $\Gamma(\alpha)$  denotes the Gamma function. It is easy to see that  $P_{\alpha}f(x) \in L^{\infty}_{loc}(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  whenever  $f \in L^{\infty}(x_{-\infty}, b]$ . So, if  $\alpha = N + \beta$  where  $0 < \beta \le 1$  and N is an integer, we denote  $\overline{P_{\alpha}f}$  the class in  $E^q_N$  of the function  $P_{\alpha}f(x)$ .

As usual,  $C_0^{\infty}(\mathbb{R})$  denotes the set of all functions with compact support having derivatives of all orders. We shall denote by  $\mathcal{D}(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  the space of all functions in  $C_0^{\infty}(\mathbb{R})$  with support contained in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  equipped with the usual topology and by  $\mathcal{D}'(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  the space of distributions on  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ .

Given a positive integer  $\gamma$  and  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , we shall say a function  $\psi$  in  $C_0^{\infty}(\mathbb{R})$ , belongs to the class  $\Phi_{\gamma}(x)$  if there exists a bounded interval  $I_{\psi} = [x, b]$  containing the support of  $\psi$  such that  $D^{\gamma}\psi$  satisfies

$$|I_{\psi}| \|D^{\gamma}\psi\|_{\infty} \le 1.$$

For  $f \in \mathcal{D}'(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  we define  $f_{+,\gamma}^*(x)$  as

$$f_{+,\gamma}^*(x) = \sup \{ |\langle F, \psi \rangle| : \psi \in \Phi_{\gamma}(x) \},$$

for all  $x > x_{-\infty}$ . Let  $w \in A_s^+$  and  $0 . If <math>\gamma$  is a natural number satisfying  $(\gamma + 1) p \ge s > 1$  or  $(\gamma + 1) p > 1$  if s = 1, then a distribution f in  $\mathcal{D}'(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  belongs to  $H_{+,\gamma}^p(w)$  if the "p-norm"  $||f||_{H_{+,\gamma}^p(w)} = 1$ 

 $\left(\int_{x-\infty}^{\infty} f_{+,\gamma}^*(x)^p w(x) dx\right)^{1/p}$  es finite. These spaces have been defined by L. de Rosa and C. Segovia in [6]

A function a(x) defined on  $\mathbb{R}$  is called a p-atom in  $H^p_{\gamma,+}(w)$  if there exists an interval I containing the support of a(x), such that

- (i) I is contained in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ ,  $w(I) < \infty$  and  $||a||_{\infty} \le w(I)^{-1/p}$
- (ii) If the length of I is less than the distance  $d(x_{-\infty}, I)$  from  $x_{-\infty}$  to I, then

$$\int_{I} a(y)y^{k}dy = 0,$$

holds for every integer k,  $0 \le k < \gamma$ .

The following theorem is of fundamental importance for the proof of Theorem 2.3 below.

**Theorem 1.2.** Let  $w \in A_s^+$ ,  $\gamma \ge 1$  an integer and  $0 such that <math>(\gamma + 1) p \ge s > 1$  or  $(\gamma + 1) p > 1$  if s = 1. Then, if  $f \in H_{+,\gamma}^p(w)$  there exists a sequence  $\{a_i\}$  of p-atoms in  $H_{+,\gamma}^p(w)$  and a sequence  $\{\lambda_i\}$  of real numbers such that  $f = \sum \lambda_i a_i$  in  $\mathcal{D}'(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ , and

$$c_1 \|F\|_{H^p_{+,\gamma}(w)}^p \le \sum |\lambda_i|^p \le c_2 \|F\|_{H^p_{+,\gamma}(w)}^p$$

hold. Furthermore, the intervals associated to the p-atoms  $a_i$  can be assumed to be bounded.

For a proof see [6].

Let  $F \in E_N^q$  and  $f \in F$ . Since f belongs to  $L_{loc}^q(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ ,  $D^{N+1}f$  is defined in the sense of distributions. On the other hand, since any two representatives of F differ in a polynomial of degree at most N in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ ,

we get that  $D^{N+1}f$  is independent of the representative  $f \in F$  chosen. Therefore, for  $F \in E_N^q$ , we define  $D^{N+1}F$  as the distribution  $D^{N+1}f$ , where f is any representative of F.

# 2. Statement of the main results

With the notation and definitions given in the section 1 we can state the main results of this paper.

**Theorem 2.1** (Descomposition into atoms ). Let  $w \in A_s^+$  and  $0 , such that <math>(\alpha + 1/q) p \ge s > 1$  or  $(\alpha + 1/q) p > 1$  if s = 1. Then, if  $F \in \mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  there exists a sequence  $\{\lambda_i\}$  of the number real and a sequence  $\{A_i\}$  of p-atoms in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  such that  $F = \sum \lambda_i A_i$  en  $E_N^q(x_{-\infty},\infty)$ . Moreover the series  $\sum \lambda_i A_i$  converges in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  and there exist two constants  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  such that

(1) 
$$c_1 \|F\|_{\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{a,\alpha}(w)}^p \le \sum |\lambda_i|^p \le c_2 \|F\|_{\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{a,\alpha}(w)}^p.$$

The next corollary proves that is enough to consider bounded intervals in the Definition 1.1.

**Corrolary 2.2.** Under the hypotheses of Theorem 2.1 we can take the p-atoms  $\{A_i\}$  in the decomposition having bounded associated intervals  $I_i$ .

The following theorem shows that, in particular, if  $\alpha$  is a natural number the spaces  $H^p_{\gamma,+}(w)$  and  $\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$  can be identified.

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $w \in A_s^+, 0 , and <math>(\alpha + 1/q) p \ge s > 1$  or  $(\alpha + 1/q) p > 1$  if s = 1. Let  $\gamma$  an integer such that  $\gamma \ge \alpha$ . Then,  $P_{\alpha}$ 

can be extended to a bounded linear operator from  $H^p_{\gamma,+}(w)$  into  $\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$ . Moreover, if we suppose that  $\alpha$  is a natural number this extension is an isomorphism.

# 3. Some previous lemmas

The next lemma contains the basic results for  $A_s^+$  weights and one-sided maximal functions that we shall need in this paper.

## Lemma 3.1.

- (1) Let  $1 \le s_1 < s_2 < \infty$ . if the weight belongs to the class  $A_{s_1}^+$ , then it also belongs to  $A_{s_2}^+$ .
- (2) Let  $1 < s < \infty$ . The one-sided Hardy-Littlewood maximal  $M^+$  is bounded on  $L^s(w)$  if and only if w belongs to  $A_s^+$ .
- (3) Let  $w \in A_s^+$ ,  $1 \le s < \infty$ . Let a < b be the end points of the bounded interval I. Then, the interval  $I^-$  with end points a |I| and a, satisfies

$$w(I^-) \le c_w w(I),$$

where the constant  $c_w$  does not depend on I.

(4) Given  $w \in A_s^+$ ,  $1 \le s < \infty$  for every  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ , the w-measure of the interval  $(a, \infty)$  is equal to infinite.

(5) Let  $1 < s < \infty$ . Then, if  $w \in A_s^+$  there exists  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that  $w \in A_{s-\varepsilon}^+$ .

Proofs of parts (2) and (5) may be found in [7] and [5]. Proofs of parts (1) and (4) are very simple and shall be omitted. Part (3) is an immediate consequence of (2).

**Lemma 3.2.** There exists an infinitely differentiable function  $\phi$  with support in [-1,0], such that

$$P(x) = \int \lambda P(y)\phi(\lambda[x-y])dy,$$

for all polynomials P(x) of degree less than or equal to N and for every  $\lambda > 0$ .

The proof is the same as Lemma 2.6 in [2].

**Lemma 3.3.** Let  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  be two representatives of an element F in  $E_N^q$ , and  $P(y) = f_1(y) - f_2(y)$ . There exists a constant  $c_k$  such that

$$\left| \left( \frac{d}{dy} \right)^k P(y) \right| \le c_k \left( n_{q,a}^+(f_1, x_1) + n_{q,a}^+(f_2, x_2) \right) (|x_1 - y| + |x_2 - y|)^{\alpha - k}$$

holds for every  $x_1$ ,  $x_2$  and y in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ .

**Proof.** we assume that  $x_2 \ge x_1$ . First, we suppose that  $y \ge x_2$ , in this case, by Lemma 3.2 and proceeding as in the proof of Lemma 1 in [1], we get

(2) 
$$\left| \left( \frac{d}{dy} \right)^k P(y) \right| \le c \left( n_{q,a}^+(f_1, x_1) + n_{q,a}^+(f_2, x_2) \right) (y - x_1 + y - x_2)^{\alpha - k}.$$

Now, if  $y \leq x_2$ , taking into account that  $D^k(f_1(y) - f_2(y))$  is a polynomial of degree at most N - k, and by its Taylor's expansion, we have

(3) 
$$D^{k}(f_{1}(y) - f_{2}(y)) = \sum_{j=0}^{N-k} D_{y}^{k+j}(f_{1}(y) - f_{2}(y))\Big|_{y=x_{2}} \frac{(y-x_{2})^{j}}{j!}.$$

Using (2) with  $y = x_2$ , we obtain

$$\left| D_y^{k+j}(f_1(y) - f_2(y)) \right|_{y=x_2} 
\leq c \left( n_{q,a}^+(f_1, x_1) + n_{q,a}^+(f_2, x_2) \right) |x_1 - x_2|^{\alpha - k - j}.$$

Then,

(4) 
$$\left| D^{k}(f_{1}(y) - f_{2}(y)) \right| \leq C \left( n_{q,a}^{+}(f_{1}, x_{1}) + n_{q,a}^{+}(f_{2}, x_{2}) \right) (x_{2} - x_{1})^{\alpha - k} \sum_{j=0}^{N-k} \left( \frac{|y - x_{2}|}{x_{2} - x_{1}} \right)^{j}$$

Since  $|x_1 - x_2| \le |y - x_1| + |y - x_2|$ , we obtain that the right side of (4) is bounded by

$$C_N\left(n_{q,a}^+(f_1,x_1)+n_{q,a}^+(f_2,x_2)\right)(x_2-x_1)^{\alpha-k}\left(\frac{|y-x_2|+|y-x_1|}{x_2-x_1}\right)^{N-k}$$
.

From this fact and taking into account that  $\alpha = N + \beta$ , we obtain that

$$\left| D^k(f_1(y) - f_2(y)) \right| \le c \left( n_{q,a}^+(f_1, x_1) + n_{q,a}^+(f_2, x_2) \right) (|y - x_1| + |y - x_2|)^{\alpha - k},$$
holds for every  $y$ .

**Lemma 3.4.** Let F belongs to  $E_N^q$  with  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F,x_0) < \infty$ . Then:

- (i) there exists a unique f in F such that  $n_{q,a}^+(f,x_0) < \infty$  and, therefore,  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x_0) = n_{q,a}^+(f,x_0)$ .
- (ii) For any interval  $I = [a, b] \subset (x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  with  $a \geq x_0$ , there exists a constant c depending on  $x_0$  and I such that if f is the unique representative of F given in (i), then

$$||F||_{q,I} \le |f|_{q,I} \le c \ n_{q,a}^+(f,x_0) = c \ N_{q,\alpha}^+(F,x_0)$$

The constant c can be chosen independently of  $x_0$  provided that  $x_0$  varies in a compact set.

*Proof.* The proof is similar to that of Lemma 3 in [3].

**Corrolary 3.5.** If  $\{F_i\}$  is a sequence of elements in  $E_N^q$  converging to F in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$ ,  $0 , then <math>\{F_i\}$  converges to F in  $E_N^q$ .

**Proof.** Let an interval  $I = [a, b] \subset (x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ . Since  $a > x_{-\infty}$ ,  $d(x_{-\infty}, a) = r > 0$ . Let n be the first positive integer such that  $\frac{|I|}{n} < \frac{r}{2}$ , and we consider the interval  $I_n^- = \left[a - \frac{|I|}{n}, a\right]$ . Now, for (ii) of Lemma 3.4

(5) 
$$||F - F_i||_{q,I} \le C_I N_{q,\alpha}^+(F - F_i; x) \text{ for every } x \text{ in } I_n^-.$$

On the other hand, since  $I_n^- \subset (x_{-\infty}, \infty), w(I_n^-) > 0$ . Then

$$||F - F_i||_{q,I}^p \le C_I w(I_n^-)^{-1} \int_{I_n^-} N_{q,\alpha}^+ (F - F_i, x)^p w(x) dx \le c_{I,w} ||F - F_i||_{\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)}^p,$$

which proves the corollary.

**Lemma 3.6.** If  $\{F_i\}$  is a sequence of elements in  $E_N^q$  such that the series  $\sum_i N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i,x)$  is finite a.e. x in  $(x_{-\infty},\infty)$ . Then

(i) The series  $\sum_i F_i$  converges in  $E_N^q$  to an element F and

(6) 
$$N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x) \le \sum_i N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i,x) \text{ for all } x \in (x_{-\infty},\infty).$$

- (ii) Let  $x_0$  be a point where  $\sum_i N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x_0)$  is finite. If  $f_i$  is the unique representative of  $F_i$  satisfying  $n_{q,a}^+(f_i;x_0) = N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x_0)$ , then  $\sum_i f_i$  converges in  $L_{loc}^q(x_{-\infty},\infty)$  to a function f that is the unique representative of F satisfying  $n_{q,a}^+(f;x_0) = N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x_0)$ .
- **Proof.** First we prove (ii). Let  $x_0$  be a point where  $\sum_i N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x_0)$  is finite. Then, by Lemma 3.4, for each i there exists a representative  $f_i$  of  $F_i$  satisfying  $n_{q,a}^+(f_i;x_0) = N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x_0) < \infty$ . Let  $x \in (x_{-\infty},\infty)$  another point such that  $\sum_i N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x)$  is finite, then for each i there exists a polynomial  $P_i(x,y)$  of degree at most N such that  $n_{q,a}^+(f_i(y) P_i(x,y);x) = N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x)$ . Using Lemma 3.3, we get

$$(7) |P_i(x,y)| \le (N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x_0) + N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x)) (|y-x_0| + |y-x|)^{\alpha}.$$

Let us fix an interval  $I = [a, b] \subset (x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  and we consider  $x_1 \leq a$  such that  $\sum_i N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i; x_1) < \infty$ . Then, by (ii) of Lemma 3.4 and (7), we obtain

$$|f_i|_{q,I} \le |f_i - P_i(x_1,.)|_{q,I} + |P_i(x_1,.)|_{q,I}$$
  

$$\le C_{I,x_1,x_0} \left( N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x_0) + N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x_1) \right).$$

Thus

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^{k} f_i - \sum_{i=1}^{m} f_i \right|_{q,I} \le \sum_{i=m+1}^{k} |f_i|_{q,I} \le C_{I,x_1,x_0} \sum_{i=m+1}^{k} \left( N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i; x_0) + N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i; x_1) \right),$$

which proves that there exists f en  $L_{loc}^q(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  such that  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} f_i = f$  in this space. Let us denote by F the class of f in  $E_N^q$ . Since

(8) 
$$n_{q,\alpha}^+(f;x_0) \le \sum_i n_{q,\alpha}^+(f_i;x_0) = \sum_i N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x_0) < \infty,$$

we have that f is the unique representative of F satisfying  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(f;x_0) = N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x_0)$ .

Now, we will prove (i). As consequence of inequality

$$\left\| \sum_{i=1}^{K} F_i - F \right\|_{q,I} \le \left| \sum_{i=1}^{K} f_i - f \right|_{q,I},$$

we have  $F = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} F_i$  in  $E_N^q$ . Moreover, from (8) we obtain

$$N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x_0) \le \sum_i N_{q,\alpha}^+(F_i;x_0).$$

This conclude the proof.

Corrolary 3.7. The space  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$ , 0 , is complete.

Taking into account Lemma 3.6, the proof of this result is similar to that of Corollary 2 in [3].

**Lemma 3.8.** The maximal function  $N_{q,a}^+(F,x)$  associated with a class F in  $E_N^q$  is lower semicontinuous.

See Lemma 6 in [1].

**Lemma 3.9.** Let f a representative of F in  $E_N^q$ . We suppose that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)$  is finite and we denote by P(x,y) the unique polynomial of degree almost N such that  $n_{q,\alpha}^+(f(y) - P(x,y);x) = N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)$ . Then f(x) = P(x,x) for almost every x such that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)$  is finite.

See Lemma 2 in [1].

**Lemma 3.10.** Let F in  $E_N^q$ . We suppose that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F,x) \leq t$  for every x belonging to a set  $E \subset (x_{-\infty},\infty)$ . Let f a representative of F and P(x,y) the unique polynomial in  $\mathcal{P}_N$  such that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x) = n_{q,\alpha}^+(f(y) - P(y,x);x)$ . For each x in E we define  $A_k(x) = D_y^k P(x,y)|_{y=x}$ . Then,

(9) 
$$\left| A_k(x) - \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i!} (x - \overline{x})^i A_{k+i}(\overline{x}) \right| \le c t |x - \overline{x}|^{\alpha - k},$$

for all x and  $\overline{x}$  in E. Furthermore,  $A_N$  satisfies a Lipschitz- $\beta$  condition on E with constant ct (we recall that  $\alpha = N + \beta$ , where  $0 < \beta \le 1$ ) and if  $0 \le k < N$ ,  $A_k(x)$  satisfies a uniform Lipschitz-1 condition on every bounded subset of E.

By Lemma 3.2 and proceeding as in the proof of Lemma 5 in [1] we obtain the proof of this lemma.

The next results will be used in the proof of Theorem 2.3.

**Lemma 3.11.** Let  $f \in L^{\infty}$ , with  $supp(f) \subset I = (x_{-\infty}, b]$  where b is finite.

Then

(10) 
$$N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\overline{P_{\alpha}f};x) \leq C \|f\|_{\infty} \text{ for every } x \in (x_{-\infty},\infty),$$

where C does not depend on f.

**Proof.** For  $x \in (x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  and z > 0, we define

$$(11) R(x,z) =$$

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \left[ \int_{x+z}^{\infty} (y-x-z)^{\alpha-1} f(y) dy - \int_{x}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{k=0}^{N} c_{k,\alpha} (y-x)^{\alpha-1-k} z^{k} \right) f(y) dy \right],$$

where  $\left(\sum_{k=0}^{N} c_{k,\alpha} (y-x)^{\alpha-1-k} z^{k}\right)$  is the Taylor's expansion of order N of the function  $(y-x-z)^{\alpha-1}$ . Let  $\rho > 0$ . We will estimate  $\rho^{-\alpha} |R(x,\cdot)|_{q,[0,\rho]}$ . We recall that  $\alpha = N + \beta$ , and we consider first the case  $0 < \beta < 1$ . Since

$$R(x,z) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{x+z}^{x+2z} (y-x-z)^{\alpha-1} f(y) dy$$

$$+ \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{x+2z}^{\infty} \left[ (y-x-z)^{\alpha-1} - \sum_{k=0}^{N} c_{k,\alpha} (y-x)^{N-k} z^k \right] f(y) dy$$

$$(12) \qquad -\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \sum_{k=0}^{N} c_{k,\alpha} \int_{x}^{x+2z} (y-x)^{\alpha-1-k} f(y) dy \ z^k = A_1 + A_2 - A_3.$$

For  $A_2$ , by the mean value Theorem and since  $\beta < 1$ , we obtain

$$|A_2| \le C \|f\|_{\infty} \int_{x+2z}^{\infty} (y-x)^{\beta-2} dy \ z^{N+1} \le C \|f\|_{\infty} \ z^{\alpha},$$

For  $A_3$ , we have

(13)

$$|A_3| \le C \|f\|_{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{N} \int_{x}^{x+2z} (y-x)^{\alpha-1-k} dy \ z^k \le C \|f\|_{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{N} z^{\alpha-k} z^k \le C \|f\|_{\infty} z^{\alpha}.$$

In the same way we obtain

$$|A_1| \le C \|f\|_{\infty} z^{\alpha}.$$

Then, for  $\beta < 1$ , we have that

$$(14) |R(x,z)| \le C \|f\|_{\infty} z^{\alpha},$$

however (14) also holds for  $\beta = 1$ . In fact, since  $(y - x - z)^N$  is a polynomial of degree N, it coincides with its Taylor's expansion of order N, so we have that

$$R(x,z) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(N+1)} \left[ \int_{x+z}^{\infty} (y-x-z)^N f(y) dy - \int_{x}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{k=0}^{N} c_{k,N} (y-x)^{N-k} f(y) z^k \right) dy \right]$$
$$= -\frac{1}{\Gamma(N+1)} \sum_{k=0}^{N} c_{k,N} \int_{x}^{x+z} (y-x)^{N-k} f(y) dy z^k.$$

Then, in the same way that we obtained (13), we can prove that (14) also holds in this case.

As consequence of (14) we obtain

$$\rho^{-\alpha} |R(x,.)|_{q,[0,\rho]} = \rho^{-\alpha} \left( \frac{1}{\rho} \int_0^\rho |R(x,z)|^q dz \right)^{1/q}$$

$$\leq C ||f||_{\infty} \rho^{-\alpha} \left( \frac{1}{\rho} \int_0^\rho z^{\alpha q} dz \right)^{1/q} \leq C ||f||_{\infty},$$

which implies (10).

**Lemma 3.12.** Let a(y) a p-atom in  $H^p_{+,\gamma}(w)$  with vanishing moments up to the order N. Furthermore, we suppose that  $\sup(a) \subset I = [x_0, b]$  and  $\|a\|_{\infty} \leq w(I)^{-1/p}$ . Then, for every natural number k and if  $x \in (x_{-\infty}, \infty) \cap \{|x - x_0| > 2|I|\}$  holds that

$$|D^k P_{\alpha} a(x)| \le C_k w(I)^{-1/p} \frac{|I|^{N+2}}{|x|^{2+k-\beta}}$$

**Proof.** Without loss of generality, we can suppose that I = [0, b]. As  $\operatorname{supp}(a) \subset I$ , the result is trivial if x > 2b, then we consider x < -2b. In this case  $P_{\alpha}a(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^b (x-y)^{\alpha-1} a(y) dy$  and

$$D^{k}P_{\alpha}a(x) = c_{k,\alpha} \int_{0}^{b} (y-x)^{\alpha-1-k} a(y)dy.$$

Then, taking into account that a(y) has vanishing moments up to order N, x < -2b, and recalling that  $\alpha = N + \beta$ , we have

$$\left| D^{k} P_{\alpha} a(x) \right| = \left| c_{k,\alpha} \int_{0}^{b} \left( (y - x)^{\alpha - 1 - k} - \sum_{i=0}^{N} c_{\alpha,i} (-x)^{\alpha - 1 - k - i} y^{i} \right) a(y) dy \right| \\
\leq C \left| x \right|^{\alpha - k - N - 2} \int_{0}^{b} \left| a(y) \right| \left| y \right|^{N+1} dy \leq C w(I)^{-1/p} \frac{b^{N+2}}{\left| x \right|^{2 + k - \beta}}.$$

## 4. Proof of the results

The following lemma states some properties of a one-sided partition of unity that can be found in [6].

**Lemma 4.1** (a one-sided partition of unity). Let a < b and we consider the interval I = (a, b). Then there exists a sequence  $\{\eta_j\}_{j=1}^{\infty}$  of  $C_0^{\infty}$  functions satisfying the following conditions

- 1)  $0 \le \eta_j(x) \le 1$  and  $\sum_j \eta_j(x) \chi_{(a,b)}(x) = \chi_{(a,b)}(x)$ .
- 2) For each positive integer j, if  $I_j = [a + 2^{-j}(b-a), a + 2^{-j+2}(b-a)]$  supp $(\eta_j) \subset I_j$ . If we denote  $r_j = \frac{(b-a)}{2^j}$ , then for every  $x \in I_j$   $r_j \le x a \le cr_j$ , where c does not depend on j.
- 3) If  $\hat{I}_j = (a + 2^{-j-1}(b-a), \min\{a + 2^{-j+2}(b-a), b\})$ ,  $\bigcup_j \hat{I}_j = I$ . Furthermore, the number of interval  $\hat{I}_j$  that intersect to other interval  $\hat{I}_k$  does not exceed two.
- 4) If k is an integer,  $k \geq 0$ , we have

$$\left| D^k \eta_j(x) \right| \le C_k r_j^{-k},$$

where  $C_k$  does not depend on j.

Let  $F \in \mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$ . Given t > 0, we consider

$$\Omega = \Omega_t = \{ x \in (x_{-\infty}, \infty) : N_{q,\alpha}^+(F, x) > t \},$$

since  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F,x) \in L^p(w)$ ,  $w(\Omega) < \infty$  and by Lemma 3.8 this is an open subset of  $(x_{-\infty},\infty)$ . Then  $\Omega = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} I_i$ , where intervals  $I_i = (a_i,b_i)$  are the connected components of  $\Omega$ . We observe that  $b_i < \infty$ , since  $w(I_i) \le w(\Omega) < \infty$  (see part (3) of Lemma 3.1). If there is an interval  $I_i$  with  $a_i = x_{-\infty}$ , then we will assume that i = 1. If not, we shall assume that  $I_1 = \emptyset$ . Let f belonging We define

(15) 
$$\theta_1(y) = \chi_{I_1}(y)(f(y) - P(b_1, y)),$$

where  $P(b_1, y) \in \mathcal{P}_N$  and  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F, b_1) = n_{q,\alpha} (f(y) - P(b_1, y))$ .

On the other hand, for each i > 1, Let  $\{\eta_{i,j}\}_{i>1,j\geq 1}$  be the partition of unity as Lemma 4.1 associated with each interval  $I_i = (a_i, b_i)$  and we denote  $I_{i,j}$  and  $\hat{I}_{i,j}$  that intervals  $I_j$  and  $\hat{I}_j$  of the same lemma. We define  $x_{i,j} = b_i$  if j = 1, 2 and  $x_{i,j} = a_i$  for j > 2. Let  $\mathcal{C} = (x_{-\infty}, \infty) - \Omega$ . We observe that each point  $x_{i,j}$  satisfies  $d(\hat{I}_{i,j}, \mathcal{C}) = d(\hat{I}_{i,j}, x_{i,j})$  where  $\hat{I}_{i,j} = (a_i + 2^{-j-1}(b_i - a_i), \min\{a_i + 2^{-j+2}(b_i - a_i), b_i\})$ . Furthermore, as the points  $x_{i,j}$  belong to  $\mathcal{C}$ , we have that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F, x_{i,j}) \leq t$ . We denote  $P(x_{i,j}, y)$  the polynomial satisfying  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F, x_{i,j}) = n_{q,\alpha}^+(f(y) - P(x_{i,j}, y))$ . Now, for each i > 1 and  $j \geq 1$ , we define

(16) 
$$\theta_{i,j}(y) = \eta_{i,j}(y)\chi_{I_i}(y) (f(y) - P(x_{i,j}, y)).$$

The functions  $\theta_{i,j}$  and  $\theta_1$  belong to  $L^q_{loc}(x_{-\infty},\infty)$ . Let us denote by  $\Theta_{i,j}$  and  $\Theta_1$  the class of  $\theta_{i,j}$  and  $\theta_1$  in  $E^q_N$  respectively.

For the following two lemmas we will use the previous notation.

**Lemma 4.2.** Let  $F \in \mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$ , and  $f \in F$ . If g(y) is defined in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  as

$$g(y) = \begin{cases} \sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \eta_{i,j}(y) \chi_{I_i}(y) P(x_{i,j}, y) + \chi_{I_1}(y) P(b_1, y) & \text{if } y \in \Omega, \\ f(y) & \text{if } y \notin \Omega, \end{cases}$$

and G denote its class in  $E_N^q$ , then there exists a constant C such that

$$N_{q,\alpha}^+(G,x) \le Ct \text{ for all } x \in (x_{-\infty},\infty).$$

**Proof.** It will be enough to prove that the function g agrees almost everywhere with a function having derivatives continuous up to order N and its derivative of order N satisfies a Lipschitz- $\beta$  condition with constant ct on  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ . The function g(y) is infinitely differentiable on  $\Omega$ , and if  $x \in \Omega$ , we have that

$$(17) D^k q(x) =$$

$$\sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \sum_{h=0}^{k} \frac{k!}{h!k-h!} D^t \eta_{i,j}(x) \left. D_y^{k-h} P(x_{i,j},y) \right|_{y=x} + \chi_{I_1}(x) \left. D_y^{k-h} P(b_1,y) \right|_{y=x},$$

Let  $\widetilde{x} \in \mathcal{C}$ . By condition (3) of Lemma 4.1 we have, for x in  $\Omega$ , that

$$(18) D_y^k P(\widetilde{x}, y) \Big|_{y=x} =$$

$$\sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \sum_{h=0}^{k} \frac{k!}{h!(k-h)!} D^h \eta_{i,j}(x) \left. D_y^{k-h} P(\widetilde{x}, y) \right|_{y=x} + \chi_{I_1}(x) \left. D_y^k P(\widetilde{x}, y) \right|_{y=x}$$

Let  $\overline{x} \in \mathcal{C} = (x_{-\infty}, \infty) - \Omega$ ,  $x \in \Omega$  and we denote  $\widetilde{x}$  the point in  $\mathcal{C}$  closest to x. From (17) and (18), we obtain for  $x \in \Omega$  that

(19) 
$$D^k g(x) - D_y^k P(\overline{x}, y) \Big|_{y=x} =$$

$$\sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{h=0}^{k} \frac{k!}{h!(k-h)!} D^h \eta_{i,j}(x) \left[ \left. D_y^{k-h} P(x_{i,j}, y) \right|_{y=x} - \left. D_y^{k-h} P(\widetilde{x}, y) \right|_{y=x} \right]$$

$$+\chi_{I_1}(x)\left[D_y^k P(b_1,y)\Big|_{y=x}-D_y^k P(\widetilde{x},y)\Big|_{y=x}\right]+D_y^k P(\widetilde{x},y)\Big|_{y=x}-D_y^k P(\overline{x},y)\Big|_{y=x}.$$

We suppose that  $x \in \widehat{I}_{i,j} = (a_i + 2^{-j}(b_i - a_i), \min\{a_i + 2^{-j+2}(b_i - a_i), b_i\})$  for some i > 1 and  $j \ge 1$ . We denote  $r_{i,j} = \frac{b_i - a_i}{2^j} = \frac{|I_i|}{2^j}$ . Since  $x_{i,1} = x_{i,2} = b_i$  and  $x_{i,j} = a_i$  for j > 2, and taking into account (2) of Lemma 4.1, we have that

$$|\widetilde{x} - x| \le |x_{i,j} - x| \le cr_{i,j}$$
, and  
 $|\widetilde{x} - x| \le |x_{i,j} - x| \le c |\overline{x} - x|$ .

By Lemma 3.3 and since  $x_{i,j}$ ,  $\tilde{x}$ , and  $\bar{x}$  belong to C, we obtain

$$\left| D_y^{k-h} P(x_{i,j}, y) \right|_{y=x} - D_y^{k-h} P(\widetilde{x}, y) \Big|_{y=x} \le ct |\overline{x} - x|^{\alpha - k} r_{i,j}^h, \quad \text{and} \quad$$

(20) 
$$\left| D_y^k P(\widetilde{x}, y) \right|_{y=x} - \left| D_y^k P(\overline{x}, y) \right|_{y=x} \le c \, t \, (|\overline{x} - x|)^{\alpha - k} \, .$$

Applying These estimates in (19), and using condition (4) of Lemma 4.1, we have that

(21) 
$$\left| D^k g(x) - D^k_y P(\overline{x}, y) \right|_{y=x} \le ct |\overline{x} - x|^{\alpha - k}.$$

If  $x \in I_1 = (x_{-\infty}, b_1)$ , we have that  $\tilde{x} = b_1$ . Since in the right member of (19) all the terms are cancelled except the last one, by (20) we have that (21) also holds in this case.

Now, we take k = N + 1. Assuming that  $x \in I_i$  for i > 1, from (19), we obtain

$$(22) D^{N+1}g(x) =$$

$$\sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \sum_{h=1}^{N+1} \frac{N+1!}{h!(N+1-h)!} D^h \eta_{i,j}(x) \left[ D_y^{N+1-h} (P(x_{i,j},y) - P(\widetilde{x},y)) \Big|_{y=x} \right].$$

Since  $x \in I_i$  where i > 1, then x belongs to  $\widehat{I}_{i,j_0}$  for some  $j_0 \ge 1$ . We suppose that  $j_0 > 5$ . Then  $D^h \eta_{i,j}(x) = 0$  for j = 1, 2, 3. Moreover, for j > 3,  $\widetilde{x} = x_{i,j} = a_i$ , then  $D^{N+1}g(x)$  is vanished. On the other hand, if  $j_0 \le 5$ , then  $x \notin \widehat{I}_{i,j}$  for j > 7. Furthermore if  $j \le 7$ , we have that  $r_{i,j} \ge 2^{-8} |I_i|$ . From the last estimate and by condition 4) of Lemma 4.1, we obtain

$$\left| D^h \eta_{i,j}(x) \right| \le c \left| I_i \right|^{-h}.$$

Now, applying Lemma 3.3 and recalling that  $\alpha = N + \beta$ , we obtain

$$\left| D_y^{N+1-h} P(x_{i,j}, y) \right|_{y=x} - D_y^{N+1-h} P(\widetilde{x}, y) \Big|_{y=x} \le ct \ |T_i|^{\beta-1+h} \le ct \ |I_i|^{\beta-1+h}.$$

From (22) and taking into account these estimates, we obtain

(23) 
$$|D^{N+1}g(x)| \le c t |I_i|^{\beta-1} \text{ for every } x \in I_i.$$

If  $x \in I_1$ ,  $g(x) = P(b_1, x)$ , and therefore in this case  $D^{N+1}g(x) = 0$  and (23) also holds. Now, for each k = 0, 1, 2, ...N + 1, we define the function  $B_k$  in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  as

$$B_k(x) = \begin{cases} D^k g(x) & \text{si } x \in \Omega \\ A_k(x) & \text{si } x \in \mathcal{C} \end{cases},$$

where  $A_k(x) = D_y^k P(x,y)|_{y=x}$  is the function of Lemma 3.10. Then, if  $x \in \Omega$ , and  $\overline{x} \in \mathcal{C}$  the inequality (21) can be rewritten as

(24) 
$$\left| B_k(x) - \sum_{h=0}^{N-k} B_{k+h}(\overline{x}) \frac{(x-\overline{x})^h}{h!} \right| \le c \ t \ |\overline{x} - x|^{\alpha-k},$$

para  $0 \leq k \leq N$ . Now since  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F.x) \leq t$  in  $\mathcal{C}$ , Lemma 3.10 shows that this inequality holds also for  $x \in \mathcal{C}$ . This shows that  $B_k(x)$  is continuous for  $0 \leq k \leq N$ , and for x in  $\mathcal{C}$ . Furthermore, for  $1 \leq k \leq N$ ,  $B_k(x)$  is continuous in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  since  $B_k(x) = D^k g(x)$  in  $\Omega$ . By (24) with k = N we obtain that  $B_N$  satisfies

(25) 
$$|B_N(x) - B_N(y)| \le c t |x - y|^{\beta},$$

for every x and  $y \in (x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  and one of them in C. Now we will prove that (25) also holds without every x and y in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ . We consider  $x_1 < x_2$  in  $\Omega$ , then  $x_1 \in I_{i_1}$ , and  $x_2 \in I_{i_2} = (a_{i_2}, b_{i_2})$ . If  $i_1 \neq i_2$ , we have

$$|x_1 - a_{i_2}|^{\beta} + |x_2 - a_{i_2}|^{\beta} \le 2|x_2 - x_1|^{\beta}.$$

Taking into account that  $a_{i_2} \in \mathcal{C}$ , using (25) and (26), we obtain

$$|B_{N}(x_{1}) - B_{N}(x_{2})| \leq |B_{N}(x_{1}) - B_{N}(a_{i_{2}})| + |B_{N}(x_{1}) - B_{N}(a_{i_{2}})|$$

$$\leq ct \left[ |x_{1} - a_{i_{2}}|^{\beta} + |x_{2} - a_{i_{2}}|^{\beta} \right]$$

$$\leq ct |x_{1} - x_{2}|^{\beta}.$$

On the other hand, if  $i_2 = i_1$ , i.e.,  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  in  $I_{i_1}$ . Then, taking into account that  $B_{N+1}(x) = D^{N+1}g(x)$  for  $x \in \Omega$ , (23) and the inequality  $|x_1 - x_2| \leq |I_{i_1}|$ , we have

$$|B_N(x_1) - B_N(x_2)| \le |B_{N+1}(\zeta)| |x_1 - x_2| \le ct \frac{|x_1 - x_2|}{|I_{i_1}|^{1-\beta}}$$

$$\le ct |x_1 - x_2|^{\beta}.$$
(28)

As consequence (25), (27) and (28), we obtain that  $B_N$  satisfies a Lipschitz- $\beta$  condition in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  with constant ct. The inequality (24) shows that  $D^k B_0(x) = B_k(x)$  in  $\mathcal{C}$ , identity which also holds in  $\Omega$ . Furthermore, Lemma 3.9 permits us assert that  $B_0(x) = A_0(x) = P(x, x) = g(x)$  almost everywhere in  $\mathcal{C}$ . Thus we conclude that g(x) coincides almost everywhere in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  with  $B_0(x)$  which has continuous derivatives up to order N in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ , and its derivative of order N satisfies a Lipschitz- $\beta$  condition with constant ct.

With the notation given in (16) we have the following result.

**Lemma 4.3** (one-sided Calderón-Zygmund-type). Let  $F \in \mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  and  $w \in A_s^+$ , where  $(\alpha + 1/q) p \ge s > 1$  or  $(\alpha + 1/q) p > 1$  if s = 1. Then, the following conditions are satisfied:

(i) If 
$$x \in \hat{I}_{i,j} = (a_i + 2^{-j-1}(b_i - a_i), \min\{a_i + 2^{-j+2}(b_i - a_i), b_i\})$$
  
 $N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_{i,j}, x) \leq CN_{q,\alpha}^+(F, x), \text{ and}$   
 $N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_1, x) \leq CN_{q,\alpha}^+(F, x)\chi_{I_1}(x) \text{ for all } x \in (x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ 

(ii) If  $x > x_{-\infty}$  and  $x \notin \hat{I}_{i,j}$ 

$$N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_{i,j},x) \le ct \left[ M^+ \chi_{\widehat{I}_{i,j}}(x) \right]^{\alpha+1/q}$$
.

(iii) The series  $\sum_{i,j} N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_{i,j};x) + N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_1;x)$  is pointwise convergent for almost every x in  $(x_{-\infty},\infty)$ . Moreover,

$$\int \left( \sum_{i>1,j} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\Theta_{i,j};x) + N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\Theta_{1};x) \right)^{p} w(x)dx \le c \int_{\Omega} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F,x)^{p} w(x)dx.$$

(iv) The series  $\sum_{i>1} \sum_j \Theta_{i,j} + \Theta_1 = \Theta$  converges in  $E_N^q$ , and for almost every x in  $(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ ,

(29) 
$$N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\Theta;x) \le \sum_{i>1,j} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\Theta_{i,j};x) + N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\Theta_{1};x).$$

(v) Furthermore,

$$\int N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta,x) \, ^p w(x) dx \le c \int_{\Omega} N_{q,\alpha}^+(F,x) \, ^p w(x) dx.$$

(vi) If 
$$G = F - \Theta$$
,  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(G, x) \le ct$ .

**Proof.** The proof follows the lines of the argument in Lemma 10 of Gatto-Jiménez-Segovia [3]. Let us prove (i). First, we consider i > 1, and j > 1 and  $x \in \hat{I}_{i,j}$ . We can assume that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x) < \infty$ , otherwise, there is nothing to prove. Let P(x,y) be the polynomial of degree at most N

satisfying  $n_{q,a}(f(y) - P(x,y);x) = N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)$ . Since  $\operatorname{supp}(\eta_{i,j}) \subset I_{i,j}$ , we have for j > 1

$$\theta_{i,j}(y) = \eta_{i,j}(y) (f(y) - P(x_{i,j}, y))$$

We define the polynomial

$$Q_{i,j}(x,y) = \sum_{k=0}^{N} D_y^k [\eta_{i,j}(y)(P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y))] \Big|_{y=x} \frac{(y-x)^k}{k!}.$$

Let us estimate  $\rho^{-\alpha} |\theta_{i,j}(.) - Q_{i,j}(x,.)|_{q,[x,x+\rho]}$ . We have that

$$(30) Q_{i,j}(x,y)$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{N} \left[ D_y^k(P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y)) \Big|_{y=x} \frac{(y-x)^k}{k!} \times \left( \sum_{h=0}^{N-k} D^h \eta_{i,j}(x) \frac{(y-x)^h}{h!} \right) \right]$$

Let  $r_{i,j} = \frac{b_i - a_i}{2^j}$  and we consider  $y \in [x, x + \rho]$ . Then, taking into account that  $x_{i,j} = b_i$  if j = 2 and  $x_{i,j} = a_i$  if j > 2, and by (2) of Lemma 4.1

$$|x_{i,j}-x| \leq 4r_{i,j}$$
, and

$$|y-x|+|y-x_{i,j}| \le 2|y-x|+|x_{i,j}-x| \le 4(\rho+r_{i,j})$$

Since  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F,x_{i,j}) \leq t < N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)$  and by Lemma 3.3, we get that

(31) 
$$\left| D_y^k(P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y)) \right| \le C N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x) \left( |y-x| + |x_{i,j}-x| \right)^{\alpha-k}$$

Assume first that  $\rho \geq r_{i,j}$ . In this case, we have

(32) 
$$|\theta_{i,j}(y) - Q_{i,j}(x,y)| = |\eta_{i,j}(y) (f(y) - P(x_{i,j},y)) - Q_{i,j}(x,y)|$$

$$\leq \eta_{i,j}(y) |f(y) - P(x,y)| + \eta_{i,j}(y) |(P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y))| + |Q_{i,j}(x,y)|$$

For the second term of the right hand side of this inequality, we obtain

(33) 
$$\eta_{i,j}(y) |(P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y))| \le c N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x) \rho^{\alpha}.$$

Now, let us estimate  $|Q_{i,j}(x,y)|$ . From (31) with y=x, we have

$$\left| D_y^k(P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y)) \right|_{y=x} \le cN_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)r_{i,j}^{\alpha-k}.$$

Then, from (30), by condition (4) of Lemma 4.1, and recalling that  $\rho \geq r_{i,j}$  and  $\alpha = N + \beta$  it follows that

(34) 
$$|Q_{i,j}(x,y)| \leq c \sum_{k=0}^{N} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F;x) r_{i,j}^{\alpha-k} \rho^{k} \left( \sum_{h=0}^{N-k} c r_{i,j}^{-h} \rho^{h} \right)$$

$$\leq c N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F;x) \rho^{\alpha}.$$

Integrating (32) over  $[x, x + \rho]$  and using the estimates (33) and (34), we get for  $\rho \ge r_{i,j}$ 

(35) 
$$\rho^{-\alpha} |\theta_{i,j}(.) - Q_{i,j}(x,.)|_{q,[x,x+\rho]}$$

$$\leq \rho^{-\alpha} |f(y) - P(x,y)|_{q,[x,x+\rho]} + c N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F;x)$$

Now we consider the case  $\rho < r_{i,j}$ . We rewrite  $Q_{i,j}(x,y)$  as

$$Q_{i,j}(x,y)$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{N} \left[ D^{k} \eta_{i,j}(x) \frac{(y-x)^{k}}{k!} \times \left( \sum_{h=0}^{N-k} D_{y}^{h}(P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y)) \Big|_{y=x} \frac{(y-x)^{h}}{h!} \right) \right].$$

Adding and subtracting the expression

$$\eta_{i,j}(y)P(x,y) + \sum_{k=0}^{N} D^{k}\eta_{i,j}(x) \frac{(y-x)^{k}}{k!} (P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y))$$

to  $Q_{i,j}(x,y)$  we obtain

$$|\theta_{i,j}(y) - Q_{i,j}(x,y)| \leq \eta_{i,j}(y) |f(y) - P(x,y)|$$

$$+ \left| \left[ \eta_{i,j}(y) - \sum_{k=0}^{N} D^{k} \eta_{i,j}(x) \frac{(y-x)^{k}}{k!} \right] \right| |(P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y)|$$

$$+ \left| \sum_{k=0}^{N} \left[ D^{k} \eta_{i,j}(x) \frac{(y-x)^{k}}{k!} \right] \times \left[ (P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y) - \left( \sum_{h=0}^{N-k} D^{h}_{y}(P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y)) \right|_{y=x} \frac{(y-x)^{h}}{h!} \right) \right] \right|$$

$$\leq |f(y) - P(x,y)| + S_{1} + S_{2}.$$

If  $y \in [x, x + \rho]$ , and considering condition (4) of Lemma 4.1 and (31), recalling that  $\alpha = N + \beta$  and  $\rho < r_{i,j}$ , we get

$$S_{1} = \left| D^{N+1} \eta_{i,j}(\xi) \frac{(y-x)^{N+1}}{N+1!} \right| \left| \left| (P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y)) \right|$$

$$\leq c \ r_{i,j}^{-(N+1)} \rho^{N+1} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F;x) \ r_{i,j}^{\alpha} \leq c N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F;x) \rho^{\alpha}$$

As for  $S_2$ , similar arguments show that

$$S_{2} = \left| \sum_{k=1}^{N} \left[ D^{k} \eta_{i,j}(x) \frac{(y-x)^{k}}{k!} \right] \left[ D_{y}^{N+1-k} (P(x,y) - P(x_{i,j},y)) \right|_{y=\xi} \frac{(y-x)^{N+1-k}}{k!} \right] \right|$$

$$\leq c \sum_{k=1}^{N} r_{i,j}^{-k} \rho^{k} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F;x) (r_{i,j} + \rho)^{k+\beta-1} \rho^{N+1-k} \leq c N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F;x) \rho^{\alpha}.$$

Integrating (36) and by the estimates just obtained we get that (35) also holds for  $\rho < r_{i,j}$ . This shows that

$$N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_{i,j},x) \le c N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x).$$

Now we consider the classes  $\Theta_{i,1}$  with i > 1 and  $x \in \hat{I}_{i,1} = (a_i + 2^{-2}(b_i - a_i), b_i)$ . We can express  $\theta_{i,1}(y)$  as following way

$$\theta_{i,1}(y) = \eta_{i,1}(y)\chi_{I_i}(y) (f(y) - P(b_i, y))$$

$$= \eta_{i,1}(y) (f(y) - P(b_i, y)) - \eta_{i,1}(y)\chi_{[b,\infty)}(y) (f(y) - P(b_i, y))$$

$$= \theta_{i,1}^1(y) - \theta_{i,1}^2(y).$$
(37)

We denote  $\Theta_{i,1}^1$  and  $\Theta_{i,1}^2$  the classes of  $\theta_{i,1}^1(y)$  and  $\theta_{i,1}^2(y)$  respectively. For the class  $\Theta_{i,1}^1$ , arguing as before we get

$$N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_{i,1}^1, x) \le cN_{q,\alpha}^+(F, x),$$

for all  $x \in \hat{I}_{i,1}$ . Now we consider the class  $\Theta_{i,1}^2$ . Let us estimate  $\int_x^{x+\rho} \left| \theta_{i,1}^2(y) \right|^q dy$ . Since  $\operatorname{supp}(\theta_{i,1}^2) \subset [b_i, a_i + 2(b_i - a_i)]$ , we can assume that  $x + \rho > b_i$ , if not

the integral that we want to estimate is equal to zero. By (1) of Lemma 4.1, and since  $x \leq b_i$ , we have

$$\int_{x}^{x+\rho} \left| \theta_{i,1}^{2}(y) \right|^{q} dy \le \int_{b_{i}}^{b_{i}+\rho} |f(y) - P(b_{i}, y)|^{q} dy \le N_{q, \alpha}^{+}(F, b_{i})^{q} \rho^{\alpha q+1},$$

and since  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(F,b_i) \le t < N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)$  we obtain  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_{i,1}^2,x) \le N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x)$ . Then, it follows that

$$N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_{i,1},x) \le cN_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x).$$

To finish the proof of (i) let us estimate  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_1,x)$ . Let  $x\in I_1=(x_{-\infty},b_1)$ . We define the polynomial  $Q_1(x,y)=P(x,y)-P(b_1,y)$ . Let us estimate  $\rho^{-\alpha}\left|\theta_1(.)-Q_1(x,.)\right|_{q,[x,x+\rho]}$ . We assume first that  $x+\rho\leq b_1$ . In this case, by (15) we have

$$\rho^{-\alpha} |\theta_1(.) - Q_1(x,.)|_{q,[x,x+\rho]} = \frac{1}{\rho^{\alpha+1/q}} \left( \int_x^{x+\rho} |f(y) - P(x,y)|^q dy \right)^{1/q}$$

$$\leq N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x).$$

If  $x + \rho > b_1$ , using Lemma 3.3 we obtain that

$$\rho^{-\alpha} |\theta_1(.) - Q_1(x,.)|_{q,[x,x+\rho]} \le N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x) + \rho^{-\alpha - 1/q} \left( \int_{b_1}^{x+\rho} |P(x,y) - P(b_1,y)|^q \, dy \right)^{1/q}$$

$$\le c(N_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x) + N_{q,\alpha}^+(F,b_1)) \le cN_{q,\alpha}^+(F;x),$$

Then,  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_1, x) \leq cN_{q,\alpha}^+(F; x)\chi_{I_1}(x)$  if  $x \in I_1$ . Moreover, since  $\theta_1(y) = 0$  if  $y > b_1$ , we have that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_1, x) = 0$  if  $x \geq b_1$ .

Let us prove condition (ii). Again, we work first with the classes  $\Theta_{i,j}$  for i>1 and j>1. Let  $x>x_{-\infty}$ , and  $x\notin \hat{I}_{i,j}$ . We will estimate  $\rho^{-\alpha} |\theta_{i,j}|_{q,[x,x+\rho]}$ . If  $x_{-\infty} < x < a_i + 2^{-j-1}(b_i - a_i)$ , since  $\operatorname{supp}(\theta_{i,j}) \subset I_{i,j}$ , we have that  $|\theta_{i,j}|_{q,[x,x+\rho]}$  is equal to zero unless  $[x,x+\rho] \cap I_{i,j} \neq \emptyset$ . Then,

(38) 
$$\rho > a_i + 2^{-j}(b_i - a_i) - x.$$

On the other hand, since supp $(\eta_{i,j}) \subset I_{i,j} \subset [a_i, a_i + 4r_{i,j}]$ , we get,

$$(39) \quad \rho^{-\alpha} |\theta_{i,j}|_{q,[x,x+\rho]} = \rho^{-\alpha - 1/q} \left( \int_{x}^{x+\rho} \eta_{i,j}(y)^{q} |f(y) - P(x_{i,j},y)|^{q} dy \right)^{1/q}$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{\rho^{\alpha}} |f(.) - P(a_{i},.)|_{q,[a_{i},a_{i}+4r_{i,j}]} + \frac{1}{\rho^{\alpha + 1/q}} \left( \int_{a_{i}}^{a_{i}+4r_{i,j}} |P(x_{i,j},y) - P(a_{i},y)|^{q} dy \right)^{1/q}.$$

Since  $x_{i,j} = a_i$  for j > 2, the second summand of the last line is null except in the case j = 2. In this case  $x_{i,2} = b_i$  and using Lemma 3.3, we obtain

$$\left( \int_{a_i}^{a_i + 4r_{i,j}} |P(x_{i,j}, y) - P(a_i, y)|^q \, dy \right)^{1/q} \le c \, t \, r_{i,j}^{\alpha + 1/q}.$$

Therefore, substituting in (39) and by (38), we get

$$\rho^{-\alpha} |\theta_{i,j}|_{q,[x,x+\rho]} \le ct \left( \frac{r_{i,j}}{a_i + 2^{-j}(b_i - a_i) - x} \right)^{\alpha + 1/q} \le ct \left[ M^+ \chi_{\hat{I}_{i,j}}(x) \right]^{\alpha + 1/q}.$$

This implies that

$$(40) N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_{i,j};x) \le ct \left[ M^+ \chi_{\hat{I}_{i,j}}(x) \right]^{\alpha+1/q},$$

for  $x_{-\infty} < x \le a_i + 2^{-j-1}(b_i - a_i)$ . Since  $\theta_{i,j}(y)$  is equal to zero for  $y > a_i + 2^{-j+2}(b_i - a_i)$ , we have that (40) also holds for  $x > a_i + 2^{-j+2}(b_i - a_i)$ . By (37) and using a similar argument we obtain (ii) for the classes  $\Theta_{i,1}$ .

As for condition (iii). Since  $w \in A^+_{(\alpha+1/q)p}$  and  $(\alpha+1/q)p > 1$  and taking into account (i), (ii) and (2) of Lemma 3.1, we have

$$\int_{x_{-\infty}}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\Theta_{i,j}; x) + N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\Theta_{1}; x) \right)^{p} w(x) dx$$

$$\leq c \int_{I_{1}} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F; x)^{p} w(x) dx + c \sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \int_{\hat{I}_{i,j}} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F; x)^{p} w(x) dx$$

$$+ \sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} ct^{p} \int_{(x_{-\infty},\infty)} \left[ M^{+} \chi_{\hat{I}_{i,1}}(x) \right]^{(\alpha+1/q)p} w(x) dx$$

$$\leq c \int_{\Omega} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F; x)^{p} w(x) dx + ct^{p} w(\Omega) \leq c \int_{\Omega} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F; x)^{p} w(x) dx.$$

Condition (iv) is a consequence of condition (iii) and Lemma 3.6. As for condition (v), it follows from conditions (iii) and (iv).

Now we will prove (vi). We consider a point  $x_0 \notin \Omega$ , such that

$$\sum_{i>1,j} N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\Theta_{i,j}; x_0) + N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(\Theta_1; x_0) < \infty.$$

Since  $\theta_{i,j}(y)$  and  $\theta_1(y)$  are the representatives satisfying  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_{i,j};x_0)=n_{q,\alpha}^+(\theta_{i,j};x_0)$  and  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_1;x_0)=n_{q,\alpha}^+(\theta_1;x_0)$ , by Lemma 3.6,

$$\theta(y) = \sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \eta_{i,j}(y) \chi_{I_i}(y) (f(y) - P(x_{i,j}, y)) + \chi_{I_1}(y) (f(y) - P(b_1, y))$$

is a representative of  $\Theta$  and therefore

$$g(y) = \begin{cases} \sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \eta_{i,j}(y) \chi_{I_i}(y) P(x_{i,j}, y) + \chi_{I_1}(y) P(b_1, y) & \text{if } x \in \Omega, \\ f(y) & \text{if } x \notin \Omega, \end{cases}$$

is a representative of  $G = F - \Theta$ . Thus, by Lemma 4.2  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(G;x) \leq ct$ .

**Proof of Theorem 2.1.** The method that we will use to prove the theorem it was developed in [4]. Proceedings as in [4] we can show, as a consequence of Lemma 4.3, that if H is an element of  $E_N^q$  satisfying  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(H;x) \leq 1$  and  $\int N_{q,\alpha}^+(H;x)^r w(x) dx < \infty$ , for some  $0 < r < p \leq 1$ ,  $(\alpha + 1/q)r > 1$  and such that  $w \in A_{(\alpha+1/q)r}^+$  then there exists a numerical sequence  $\{\lambda_i\}$  and a sequence of p-atoms  $\{A_i\}$  of  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  such that  $H = \sum \lambda_i A_i$  in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$ . Moreover,  $\sum |\lambda_i|^p \leq \int N_{q,\alpha}^+(H;x)^r w(x) dx$ .

From this fact, the proof of theorem can be obtained following the same lines of the proof of the Theorem 4.3 of [4].

In order to prove Corollary 2.2 we will need the following lemma.

**Lemma 4.4.** Sea  $I = (-\infty, b)$ . There exists a sequence  $\{\nu_j\}_{j=-\infty}^{\infty}$  of  $C_0^{\infty}$  functions satisfying the following conditions

1) 
$$0 \le \nu_j(x) \le 1$$
 and  $\sum_j \nu_j(x) = \chi_{(-\infty,b)}(x)$ .

- 2) For each integer j, if we denote  $I_j = [-2^{-j} + b, -2^{-j-2} + b]$  then  $\sup_j (\nu_j) \subset I_j$ . Let  $r_j = \frac{1}{2j}$ , then for every  $x \in I_j$ ,  $r_j \leq b x \leq cr_j$ .
- 3) the number of interval  $I_j$  that intersect to other interval  $I_k$  does not exceed two.
- 4) If k is an integer,  $k \geq 0$ , we have

$$\left| D^k \nu_j(x) \right| \le C_k r_j^{-k}$$

where  $C_k$  does not depend on j.

See [6], pag. 167

**Lemma 4.5.** Given a p-atom A in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  there exists a numerical sequence  $\{\mu_k\}$ , and a sequence of p-atoms  $\{A_k\}$  in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  with bounded associated intervals, such that

(41) 
$$A = \sum \mu_k A_k \text{ in } E_N^q \text{ and } \sum |\mu_k|^p \le C,$$

where C is a finite constant not depending of A.

**Proof.** If there exists a bounded interval associated to the *p*-atom A the result is immediate. Then, we assume that  $w\left((-\infty,b)\right)<\infty$ , where  $(-\infty,b)$  is an interval associated to *p*-atom A. Let a(y) be the representative of A, such that  $\mathrm{supp}(a)\subset I=(-\infty,b]$ , and we denote P(x,y) the polynomial of degree at most N, such that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(A;x)=N_{q,\alpha}^+(a(y)-P(x,y);x)$ . We observe that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(A;b)=0$  and  $P(b,y)\equiv 0$ . We consider the sequence of functions  $\{\nu_j\}_{j=-\infty}^\infty$  of Lemma 4.4 associated to interval  $I=(-\infty,b)$ . Then, by condition (1) of Lemma 4.4

(42) 
$$a(x) = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \nu_j(x) a(x) = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \theta_j(x)$$

For each integer j, we denote  $\Theta_j$  the class in  $E_N^q$  of the function  $\theta_j(x) = \nu_j(x)a(x)$ . We claim that

(43) 
$$N_{a,\alpha}^+(\Theta_i; x) \le Cw(I)^{-1/p} \text{ for all } x,$$

where C does not depend of j. By (2) of Lemma 4.4,  $\operatorname{supp}(\nu_j(y)a(y)) \subset I_j = [-2^{-j}+b,-2^{-j-2}+b]$ . Then,  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(\Theta_j;x)=0$  if  $x\geq -2^{-j-2}+b$ . Now, we suppose that  $x\leq -2^{-j-2}+b$ . For this case, since  $P(b,y)\equiv 0$  and by Lemma 3.3 we have

$$|D^k P(x,y)| = |D^k [P(x,y) - P(b,y)]| \le cw(I)^{-1/p} (|y-x| + |b-y|)^{\alpha-k},$$

Taking into account this estimate, the conditions of Lemma 4.4 and proceeding as in the proof of (i) in Lemma 4.3, we obtain (43) For each integer j, we define

$$\mu_j = C \left(\frac{w(I_j)}{w(I)}\right)^{1/p}$$
 and  $a_j(y) = \mu_j^{-1}\theta_j(y)$ ,

where C is the constant in (43). We denote by  $A_j$  the class in  $E_N^q$  of  $a_j(y)$ . Then, by (43), we have  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(A_j;x) \leq w(I_j)^{-1/p}$  and  $\operatorname{supp}(a_j) \subset I_j$ . Then, the classes  $A_j$  are p-atom in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  with bounded associated intervals. Using (3) of Lemma 4.4, we get  $\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\mu_j|^p \leq C$ . It is not difficult to show

that the norm in  $\mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$  of a *p*-atom is bounded by a constant C not depending of the *p*-atom, then we have that

$$\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \|\mu_j A_j\|_{\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)}^p = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\mu_j|^p \|A_j\|_{\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)}^p \le C \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |\mu_j|^p < \infty.$$

Thus, by Corollary 3.7 there exists F in  $\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$  such that  $F = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \mu_j A_j$  in  $\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$  and by Corollary 3.5  $F = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \mu_j A_j$  in  $E_N^q$ , and by (ii) of Lemma 3.6 and (42) we have that F = A in  $E_N^q$ .

**Proof of Corrolary 2.2.** By Theorem 2.1, we have

$$F = \sum_{k} \lambda_k A_k \text{ in } E_N^q, \text{ and } \sum_{k} |\lambda_k|^p \le c \|F\|_{\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)}^p.$$

Now, applying Lemma 4.5, we can express each p-atom  $A_k$  as

$$A_k = \sum_j \mu_{k,j} A_{k,j}$$
 in  $E_N^q$ , where  $\sum_j |\mu_{k,j}|^p \le C$ ,

and the associated intervals to the p-atoms  $A_{k,j}$  are bounded. Then,

$$F = \sum_{k} \sum_{j} \lambda_k \mu_{k,j} A_{k,j} \text{ in } E_N^q, \text{ and}$$

$$\sum_{k} \sum_{j} |\lambda_k \mu_{k,j}|^p \leq \sum_{k} |\lambda_k|^p \sum_{j} |\mu_{k,j}|^p \leq C \sum_{k} |\lambda_k|^p \leq C \|F\|_{\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)}^p.$$

**Lemma 4.6.** Let  $f \in \mathcal{D}'(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ , and we suppose that  $D^{N+1}f \equiv 0$ . Then f agrees with a polynomial of degree less than or equal to N+1 in  $\mathcal{D}'(x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ .

This is well known and we will be omitted its proof. The following lemma proves the first part of Theorem 2.3.

**Lemma 4.7.** Let  $w \in A_s^+$  and  $(\alpha + 1/q) p \ge s > 1$  or  $(\alpha + 1/q) p > 1$  if s = 1, where  $0 , and let <math>\gamma \ge \alpha$ . If a(y) is a p-atom in  $H_{+,\gamma}^p(w)$  then

$$\|\overline{P_{\alpha}a}\|_{\mathcal{H}^{p,+}(w)} \leq C,$$

where C is a finite constant not depending on a(y).

**Proof.** Without loss of generality, we can suppose that  $x_{-\infty} \leq 0$  and  $\operatorname{supp}(a) \subset I = [0, b]$ . Let  $x \in (x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  and z > 0. As in(11) of Lemma 3.11, we define

$$R(x,z) =$$

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \left[ \int_{x+z}^{\infty} (y-x-z)^{\alpha-1} a(y) dy - \int_{x}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{k=0}^{N} c_{k,\alpha} (y-x)^{\alpha-1-k} z^{k} \right) a(y) dy \ z^{k} \right].$$

We suppose that x < -4b. We observe that if there exists  $x \in (x_{-\infty}, \infty)$  such that x < -4b then  $d(x_{-\infty}, I) > |I| = b$ , therefore a(y) has vanishing moments up to order  $\gamma - 1$  and since  $\gamma \ge \alpha = N + \beta$ , we have that a(y) has vanishing moments up to order N. We will prove the followings estimates

(i) If 
$$z \leq \frac{|x|}{2}$$
,

$$|R(x,z)| \le Cw(I)^{-1/p} \left(\frac{b}{|x|}\right)^{\alpha+1} z^{\alpha}.$$

(ii) If 
$$z > \frac{|x|}{2}$$
 and  $|x+z| > 2b$  then

$$|R(x,z)| \le Cw(I)^{-1/p} \frac{b^{N+2}}{|x+z|^{2-\beta}} + Cw(I)^{-1/p} \left(\frac{b}{|x|}\right)^{\alpha+1} z^{\alpha}.$$

(iii) If  $z > \frac{|x|}{2}$  and  $|x+z| \le 2b$  then

$$|R(x,z)| \le Cw(I)^{-1/p} \left(\frac{b}{|x|}\right)^{\alpha} z^{\alpha}.$$

Let us consider (i). We get that

$$R(x,z) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{x+z}^{\infty} [(y-x-z)^{\alpha-1} - \sum_{k=0}^{N} c_{k,\alpha} (y-x)^{\alpha-1-k} z^k a(y)] dy$$
$$-\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \sum_{k=0}^{N} c_{k,\alpha} \int_{x}^{x+z} (y-x)^{\alpha-1-k} a(y) dy \ z^k = R_1 + R_2.$$

Thus since  $x + z \leq 0$  and supp $(a) \subset [0, b]$ , it follows that  $R_2$  vanishes. As for  $R_1$ , by Taylor's formula and Lemma 3.12, we have that

$$|R_{1}| \leq |D^{N+1}P_{\alpha}a(x-\theta z)| z^{N+1} \leq Cw(I)^{-1/p} \frac{b^{N+2}}{|x|^{2+N+1-\beta}} z^{N+1}$$

$$\leq Cw(I)^{-1/p} \left(\frac{b}{|x|}\right)^{\alpha+1} \left(\frac{z}{|x|}\right)^{N+1-\alpha} z^{\alpha} \leq Cw(I)^{-1/p} \left(\frac{b}{|x|}\right)^{\alpha+1} z^{\alpha},$$

which implies (i).

We observe that

(44) 
$$|R(x,z)| \le |P_{\alpha}a(x+z)| + C\sum_{k=0}^{N} |D^{k}P_{\alpha}a(x)| z^{k}$$

Then, if  $z > \frac{|x|}{2}$ , by Lemma 3.12, we obtain

(45) 
$$|D^k P_{\alpha} a(x)| \ z^k \le cw(I)^{-1/p} \frac{b^{N+2} z^k}{|x|^{2+k-\beta}} \le cw(I)^{-1/p} \left(\frac{b}{|x|}\right)^{\alpha+1} z^{\alpha}.$$

In case (ii), i.e., when |x+z| > 2b, applying Lemma 3.12 with k = 0, we get

$$|P_{\alpha}a(x+z)| \le Cw(I)^{-1/p} \frac{b^{N+2}}{|x+z|^{2-\beta}},$$

and thus (ii) holds. As for (iii), we have that  $|x+z| \leq 2b$ , then it follows that

$$|P_{\alpha}a(x+z)| \le C \|a\|_{\infty} \int_{x+z}^{b} |y-x-z|^{\alpha-1} dy \le Cw(I)^{-1/p} b^{\alpha},$$

therefore, since  $\frac{z}{|x|} > 1/2$ , we obtain

$$|P_{\alpha}a(x+z)| \le Cw(I)^{-1/p} \left(\frac{b}{|x|}\right)^{\alpha} z^{\alpha}.$$

Then, from (44), the estimate above and (45), we get (iii).

Taking into account (i), (ii) and (iii) and arguing as the proof of Theorem 1 in [3] we obtain that for x < -4b (46)

$$N_{q,\alpha}^+(\overline{P_{\alpha}a};x) \le Cw(I)^{-1/p} \left(\frac{b}{|x|}\right)^{\alpha+1/q} \le Cw(I)^{-1/p} \left(M^+\chi_I(x)\right)^{\alpha+1/q}$$

holds. This estimate also holds if x > b, since  $P_{\alpha}a(x) = 0$  for x > b. If  $-4b \le x < b$ , by Lemma 3.11, and since  $||a||_{\infty} \le w(I)^{-1/p}$ , we get

$$(47) N_{q,\alpha}^+(\overline{P_{\alpha}a};x) \le Cw(I)^{-1/p}.$$

Since  $M^+\chi_I(x) \geq 1/5$  if  $x \in [-4b, b)$ , it follows that (46) holds for every  $x \in (x_{-\infty}, \infty)$ . Then, the lemma follows from (46) and part (2) of Lemma 3.1. If  $d(x_{-\infty}, I) \leq |I|$  the conclusion of lemma follows from (47) and part (3) of Lemma 3.1.

**Proof of Theorem 2.3.** The first part of theorem follows from Theorem 1.2 and Lemma 4.7.

Now, we suppose that  $\alpha$  is a natural number. Then, if a(y) is a p-atom in  $H^p_{+,\gamma}(w)$ , it is not difficult to see that

$$(48) D^{\alpha} P_{\alpha} a(x) = (-1)^{\alpha} a(x).$$

We will study the application  $D^{\alpha}$  in  $\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$ . Let  $F \in \mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)$ . Since  $N^+_{q,\alpha}(F;x) \in L^p(w), \, N^+_{q,\alpha}(F;x)$  is finite almost every point  $x \in (x_{-\infty},\infty)$ ; we consider a point x in this conditions and Let f be the representative of F satisfying  $N^+_{q,\alpha}(F;x) = n^+_{q,\alpha}(f;x)$ . Let  $\phi \in \Phi_{\gamma}(x)$  and we suppose that  $\sup(\phi) \subset I_{\phi} = [x,c]$ . Then, by the definition of  $D^{\alpha}F$ , taking into account that  $\alpha \leq \gamma$  (then  $\phi \in \Phi_{\alpha}(x)$ ) and applying the Hölder's inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{split} |\langle D^{\alpha}F, \phi \rangle| &= |\langle D^{\alpha}f, \phi \rangle| = |\langle f, D^{\alpha}\phi \rangle| = \left| \int_{I_{\phi}} f(y)D^{\alpha}\phi(y)dy \right| \\ &= \left| \int_{x}^{c} f(y)D^{\alpha}\phi(y)dy \right| \le \frac{1}{|I_{\phi}|^{\alpha+1}} \int_{x}^{c} |f(y)|dy \\ &\le \frac{1}{|I_{\phi}|^{\alpha}} \left( \frac{1}{|I_{\phi}|} \int_{x}^{c} |f(y)|^{q} dy \right)^{1/q} \le N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F; x). \end{split}$$

Therefore  $(D^{\alpha}F)_{+,\gamma}^{*}(x) \leq N_{q,\alpha}^{+}(F;x)$ , which implies that

(49) 
$$||D^{\alpha}F||_{H^{p}_{+,\gamma}(w)} \leq ||F||_{\mathcal{H}^{p,+}_{q,\alpha}(w)}.$$

We denote  $\widetilde{P}_{\alpha}f$  the extension of the first part of Theorem. We will prove that  $\widetilde{P}_{\alpha}$  is onto. Let  $F \in \mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w)$ , by (49)  $D^{\alpha}F \in H_{+,\gamma}^{p}(w)$ , then by Theorem 1.2 we have that

(50) 
$$D^{\alpha}F = \sum_{j} \lambda_{j} a_{j}, \text{ where } \sum_{j} |\lambda_{j}|^{p} \sim ||D^{\alpha}F||_{H_{+,\gamma}^{p}(w)}^{p}.$$

Then, if we denote  $f = (-1)^{\alpha} \sum_{j} \lambda_{j} a_{j}$ , that belongs to  $H_{+,\gamma}^{p}(w)$  we get that

(51) 
$$\widetilde{P}_{\alpha}f = (-1)^{\alpha} \sum_{j} \lambda_{j} P_{\alpha} a_{j} \in \mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(w).$$

As consequence of Lemma 4.6, we have that  $D^{\alpha}$  is one to one. From this fact, (51) and (48) we obtain that  $\widetilde{P}_{\alpha}f = F$ . The fact that  $\widetilde{P}_{\alpha}$  is one to one is consequence of Theorem 1.2, (49) and (48)

We observe that the last Theorem, its proof and Theorem 1.2 give other proof of the Theorem 2.1, always that  $\alpha$  is a natural number.

To finish, we will observe that in general, in the case that  $\alpha$  is not a natural number, the extension  $\widetilde{P}_{\alpha}$  is not onto. We suppose that  $0 < \alpha < 1$ ,  $w \equiv 1$ , and  $(\alpha + 1/q)p > 1$ . Let  $\phi \in C_0^{\infty}$ , and we assume that  $|\phi| \geq c > 0$  in some interval. We define

$$a(x) = \phi(x) \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos 2^n \pi x}{2^{n\alpha}} \right).$$

It is well know that the previous series defines a Lipschitz- $\alpha$  function (e.g. see [9]), then a(x) is a Lipschitz- $\alpha$  function. If we denote by A the class of a(x) in  $E_0^q$ , we have that  $N_{q,\alpha}^+(A;x)$  is bounded and since  $\operatorname{supp}(a(y)) \subset I$  for some interval I, we get that  $A \in \mathcal{H}_{q,\alpha}^{p,+}(1)$ . However, It can be shown that does not exist any distribution f in  $H_{+,\gamma}^p(1)$  such that  $A = \widetilde{P}_{\alpha}f$ .

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