

Weighted Integrals of Holomorphic Functions on the Polydisc

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Abstract. We show that a holomorphic function on the unit polydisc U^n in \mathbf{C}^n belongs to the weighted Bergman space $\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p(U^n)$, when $p \in (0, 1]$, if and only if all weighted derivations of order $|k|$ (with positive orders of derivations) belong to the related weighted Lebesgue space $\mathcal{L}_\alpha^p(U^n)$. This result extends Theorem 1.8 by Benke and Chang in [Nagoya Math. J. 159 (2000), 25 – 43].

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1. Introduction

Let $z = (z_1, \dots, z_n)$ and $w = (w_1, \dots, w_n)$ be points in the complex vector space \mathbf{C}^n , U the unit disc in the complex plane \mathbf{C} , $D(a, r_0) = \{z \in \mathbf{C} \mid |z - a| < r_0\}$ the open disk centered at a of radius r_0 and $r, \rho, \delta \in (0, \infty)^n$.

Let $\gamma = (\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_n)$ be a multi-index, γ_k being nonnegative integers, we write

$$|\gamma| = \gamma_1 + \dots + \gamma_n, \quad \gamma! = \gamma_1! \dots \gamma_n!, \quad z^\gamma = z_1^{\gamma_1} \dots z_n^{\gamma_n}.$$

For a holomorphic function f we denote

$$D^\gamma f = \frac{\partial^{|\gamma|} f}{\partial z_1^{\gamma_1} \dots \partial z_n^{\gamma_n}}.$$

Let

$$P^n(w, r) = \{z \in \mathbf{C}^n \mid |z_j - w_j| < r_j, j = 1, \dots, n\}$$

be a polydisc in \mathbf{C}^n , and let $H(P^n(w, r))$ be the class of all holomorphic functions f defined on $P^n(w, r)$. Let $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)$, with $\alpha_j > -1$ for $j = 1, \dots, n$, and $p \in (0, \infty)$. The space $\mathcal{L}_\alpha^p(U^n) = \mathcal{L}_\alpha^p$ denotes the class of all measurable

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functions defined on the polydisc U^n such that

$$\|f\|_{\mathcal{L}_\alpha^p}^p = \int_{U^n} |f(z)|^p \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - |z_j|^2)^{\alpha_j} dV(z_j) < \infty,$$

where $dV(z_j)$ is the normalized area measure on the unit disk U . The weighted Bergman space $\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p(U^n) = \mathcal{A}_\alpha^p$ is the intersection of \mathcal{L}_α^p and $H(U^n)$.

Weighted Bergman spaces of analytic functions of one variable have been studied, for example, in [3 - 7], [12 - 14] and [19], while the weighted Bergman spaces of analytic functions on the unit ball $B \subset \mathbf{C}^n$ have been studied, for example, in [1], [8 - 11], [17] and [18] (see, also the references therein).

In [1, p.33] the authors proved the following theorem.

Theorem A. *Let $p \in [1, \infty)$, $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)$, with $\alpha_j > -1$ for $j = 1, \dots, n$, m be a fixed positive integer and let $\mathbf{k} = (k_1, \dots, k_n) \in (\mathbf{Z}_+)^n$. Let $f \in H(U^n)$, then $f \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^p$ if and only if*

$$\left[\prod_{j=1}^n (1 - |z_j|^2)^{k_j} \right] \frac{\partial^{|\mathbf{k}|} f}{\partial z_1^{k_1} \dots \partial z_n^{k_n}}(z) \in \mathcal{L}_\alpha^p.$$

Moreover,

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p} &\asymp \sum_{|\mathbf{k}|=0}^{m-1} \left| \frac{\partial^{|\mathbf{k}|} f}{\partial z_1^{k_1} \dots \partial z_n^{k_n}}(0) \right| \\ &+ \sum_{|\mathbf{k}|=m} \left\| \left[\prod_{j=1}^n (1 - |z_j|^2)^{k_j} \right] \frac{\partial^m f}{\partial z_1^{k_1} \dots \partial z_n^{k_n}} \right\|_{\mathcal{L}_\alpha^p}. \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

The above means that there are finite positive constants C and C' independent of f such that the left and right hand sides $L(f)$ and $R(f)$ satisfy

$$C \cdot R(f) \leq L(f) \leq C' \cdot R(f)$$

for all holomorphic f .

In the proof of Theorem A the authors used the weighted Bergman projection $\mathbf{B}_\alpha : \mathcal{L}_\alpha^2 \rightarrow \mathcal{A}_\alpha^2$, which can be extended as a bounded operator from \mathcal{L}_α^p onto \mathcal{A}_α^p . Closely related results on the unit disc and the unit ball in \mathbf{C}^n or \mathbb{R}^n can be found in [1 - 3], [11], [13 - 17] and [19].

The main purpose of this paper is to generalize Theorem A in the case $p \in (0, 1)$. We prove the following theorem.

Theorem 1.1. Let $p \in (0, 1]$, $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)$, with $\alpha_j > -1$ for $j = 1, \dots, n$, m be a fixed positive integer and let $\gamma = (\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_n) \in (\mathbf{Z}_+)^n$. Let $f \in H(U^n)$, then $f \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^p$ if and only if

$$\left[\prod_{j=1}^n (1 - |z_j|^2)^{\gamma_j} \right] \frac{\partial^{|\gamma|} f}{\partial z_1^{\gamma_1} \dots \partial z_n^{\gamma_n}}(z) \in \mathcal{L}_\alpha^p \quad \text{for all } |\gamma| = m.$$

Moreover, the relationship (1) also holds.

2. Auxiliary results

In order to prove the main result we need several auxiliary results which are incorporated in the following lemmas. In what follows we will use C to denote a positive constant which may vary from line to line.

Lemma 2.1. Let $f \in H(U^n)$, γ be a multi-index and $p > 0$. Then

$$|D^\gamma f(w)|^p \leq \frac{C}{r^{\gamma p} \prod_{j=1}^n r_j^2} \int_{P^n(w,r)} |f|^p \prod_{j=1}^n dV(z_j), \tag{2}$$

whenever $P^n(w, r) \subset U^n$, where C is a constant depending only on p, γ and n .

Proof. By the subharmonicity of functions of one variable we obtain

$$|f(w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n)|^p \leq \frac{1}{r_1^2} \int_{D(w_1, r_1)} |f(z_1, w_2, \dots, w_n)|^p dV(z_1),$$

whenever $D(w_1, r_1) \subset U$. Further, for a fixed $z_1 \in D(w_1, r_1)$ we have

$$|f(z_1, w_2, \dots, w_n)|^p \leq \frac{1}{r_2^2} \int_{D(w_2, r_2)} |f(z_1, z_2, w_3, \dots, w_n)|^p dV(z_2),$$

whenever $D(w_2, r_2) \subset U$. Continuing this process and combining obtained inequalities we obtain

$$|f(w)|^p \leq \frac{1}{\prod_{j=1}^n r_j^2} \int_{P^n(w,r)} |f|^p \prod_{j=1}^n dV(z_j), \tag{3}$$

whenever $P^n(w, r) \subset U^n$.

On the other hand, by Cauchy’s integral formula we obtain

$$|D^\gamma f(w)| \leq \frac{\gamma!}{r^\gamma} \max_{y \in \overline{P^n(w,r)}} |f(y)|, \tag{4}$$

whenever $\overline{P^n(w, r)} \subset U^n$. This inequality is obvious for $\gamma = (0, \dots, 0)$. From (4) we obtain

$$|D^\gamma f(w)|^p \leq \frac{2^{|\gamma|p} \gamma!^p}{r^{\gamma p}} \left(\max_{y \in \overline{P^n(w, \frac{r}{2})}} |f(y)| \right)^p. \tag{5}$$

From (3), we obtain for $y \in \overline{P^n(w, \frac{r}{2})}$ the estimate

$$|f(y)|^p \leq \frac{2^{2n}}{\prod_{j=1}^n r_j^2} \int_{P^n(y, \frac{r}{2})} |f|^p \prod_{j=1}^n dV(z_j).$$

Thus

$$\max_{y \in \overline{P^n(w, \frac{r}{2})}} |f(y)|^p \leq \frac{2^{2n}}{\prod_{j=1}^n r_j^2} \int_{P^n(w, r)} |f|^p \prod_{j=1}^n dV(z_j). \tag{6}$$

From (5) and (6) we obtain inequality (2). ■

Lemma 2.2. *Let β be a multi-index and $a \in U^n$. Then the point evaluations $\Lambda_{\alpha, \beta}(f) = D^\beta f(a)$ are bounded linear functionals on $\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p(U^n)$, for all $p > 0$.*

Proof. Choose $\overline{P^n(a, \delta)} \subset U^n$, and let $m = \min_{z \in \overline{P^n(a, \delta)}} \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - |z_j|^2)^{\alpha_j} > 0$. By Lemma 1 there is a constant C independent of f , such that

$$\begin{aligned} |D^\beta f(a)|^p &\leq \frac{C}{\delta^{\beta p} \prod_{j=1}^n \delta_j^2} \int_{P^n(a, \delta)} |f(z)|^p \prod_{j=1}^n dV(z_j) \\ &\leq \frac{C}{m \delta^{\beta p} \prod_{j=1}^n \delta_j^2} \int_{P^n(a, \delta)} |f(z)|^p \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - |z_j|^2)^{\alpha_j} dV(z_j) \\ &\leq \frac{C}{m \delta^{\beta p} \prod_{j=1}^n \delta_j^2} \|f\|_{\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p}^p. \end{aligned}$$

which proves the assertion. ■

Lemma 2.3. *Let $M_p^p(f, r_k) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |f(\dots, r_k e^{i\theta_k}, \dots)|^p d\theta_k$ for $0 < p \leq 1$ and $f \in H(U^n)$. Then*

$$M_p^p(f, \rho_k) - M_p^p(f, r_k) \leq C(\rho_k - r_k)^p M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_k}, \rho_k\right)$$

where C is a positive constant independent of f , z_j , $j \neq k$, ρ_k and r_k .

Proof. We have

$$\begin{aligned} M_p^p(f, \rho_k) - M_p^p(f, r_k) &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |f(\dots, \rho_k e^{i\theta_k}, \dots) - f(\dots, r_k e^{i\theta_k}, \dots)|^p d\theta_k \\ &\leq \frac{(\rho_k - r_k)^p}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \sup_{r_k < t < \rho_k} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_k}(\dots, t e^{i\theta_k}, \dots) \right|^p d\theta_k \\ &\leq C(\rho_k - r_k)^p M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_k}, \rho_k\right). \end{aligned}$$

In the last inequality we have used the Hardy-Littlewood maximal theorem (see, for example, [2, Theorem 1.9]). ■

Lemma 2.4. *Let $f \in H(U^n)$, $p \in (0, \infty)$ and $\beta_{k,j} \in \mathbb{R}$, $k, j = 1, \dots, n$. Then there is a constant $C = C(p, \beta_{k,j}, n)$ such that*

$$\max_{z \in D^n(0, \frac{1}{2})} |f(z)|^p \leq C \left(|f(\vec{0})|^p + \sum_{k=1}^n \int_{U^n} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_k}(z) \right|^p \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - |z_j|^2)^{\beta_{k,j}} dV(z_j) \right).$$

Proof. Without loss of generality, we may assume that $n = 2$. Since

$$f(z_1, z_2) - f(0, 0) = \int_0^1 f'(tz_1, z_2) dt + \int_0^1 f'(0, tz_2) dt,$$

by some well-known inequalities we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & |f(z_1, z_2)|^p \\ & \leq c_p \left(|f(0, 0)|^p + |z_1|^p \max_{|\zeta_1| \leq \frac{1}{2}} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}(\zeta_1, z_2) \right|^p + |z_2|^p \max_{|\zeta_2| \leq \frac{1}{2}} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(0, \zeta_2) \right|^p \right) \quad (7) \\ & \leq c_p \left(|f(0, 0)|^p + \max_{|\zeta_1| \leq \frac{1}{2}} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}(\zeta_1, z_2) \right|^p + \max_{|\zeta_2| \leq \frac{1}{2}} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(0, \zeta_2) \right|^p \right) \end{aligned}$$

for all $z_1, z_2 \in \overline{D(0, \frac{1}{2})}$, where $c_p = 1$ for $0 < p < 1$ and $c_p = 2^{p-1}$ for $p \geq 1$. On the other hand by (3) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & |f(z_1, z_2)|^p \\ & \leq C \left(|f(0, 0)|^p + \sum_{k=1}^2 \int_{D^2(0, \frac{3}{4})} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_k}(\zeta_1, \zeta_2) \right|^p \prod_{j=1}^2 dV(\zeta_j) \right) \quad (8) \\ & \leq C \left(|f(0, 0)|^p + \sum_{k=1}^2 \int_{D^2(0, \frac{3}{4})} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_k}(\zeta_1, \zeta_2) \right|^p \prod_{j=1}^2 (1 - |z_j|)^{\beta_{k,j}} dV(\zeta_j) \right) \end{aligned}$$

for all $z_1, z_2 \in \overline{D(0, \frac{1}{2})}$, as desired. ■

Using the change $r \rightarrow \frac{1+r}{2}$ we can easily prove the following lemma.

Lemma 2.5. *Let $g(r)$ be a nonnegative continuous function on the interval $[0, 1)$, and let $a > -1$. Then there is a constant $C = C(a)$ such that*

$$\int_0^1 g(r)(1-r)^a dr \leq C \left(\max_{r \in [0, \frac{1}{2}]} g(r) + \int_0^1 \left| g\left(\frac{1+r}{2}\right) - g(r) \right| (1-r)^a dr \right).$$

3. Proof of the theorem

In this section we prove the main result in this paper.

Necessity. Let γ be a multi-index, such that $|\gamma| = m$. Let $f \in H(U^n)$ and $z = (z_1, \dots, z_n) \in U^n$. By Lemma 1 we have

$$|D^\gamma f(z)|^p \leq \frac{C}{r^{\gamma p} \prod_{j=1}^n r_j^2} \int_{P^n(z,r)} |f|^p \prod_{j=1}^n dV(\omega_j), \tag{9}$$

whenever $P^n(z, r) \subset U^n$, where C is a constant depending only on p, γ and n . Taking $z = r = (r_1, \dots, r_n)$ in (9) and replacing r by $\rho - r$, where $\rho_j \in (r_j, 1)$, $j = 1, \dots, n$, we obtain

$$|D^\gamma f(r)|^p \leq \frac{C}{(\rho - r)^{\gamma p} \prod_{j=1}^n (\rho_j - r_j)^2} \int_{P^n(r,\rho-r)} |f|^p \prod_{j=1}^n dV(\omega_j), \tag{10}$$

Applying (10) to the functions $f(z \cdot e^{i\theta})$, $z \cdot e^{i\theta} = (z_1 e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, z_n e^{i\theta_n})$, where $\theta_j \in [0, 2\pi)$, $j = 1, \dots, n$, we get

$$|D^\gamma f(r \cdot e^{i\theta})|^p \leq \frac{C}{(\rho - r)^{\gamma p} \prod_{j=1}^n (\rho_j - r_j)^2} \int_{P^n(r,\rho-r)} |f(\omega \cdot e^{i\theta})|^p \prod_{j=1}^n dV(\omega_j). \tag{11}$$

Integrating (11) over $[0, 2\pi]^n$ and then using Fubini's theorem, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{[0,2\pi]^n} |D^\gamma f(r \cdot e^{i\theta})|^p d\theta &\leq \frac{C}{(\rho - r)^{\gamma p} \prod_{j=1}^n (\rho_j - r_j)^2} \\ &\times \int_{P^n(r,\rho-r)} \int_{[0,2\pi]^n} |f(\omega \cdot e^{i\theta})|^p d\theta \prod_{j=1}^n dV(\omega_j). \end{aligned} \tag{12}$$

Here $d\theta$ denotes $d\theta_1 \cdots d\theta_n$. Since f is holomorphic,

$$\int_{[0,2\pi]^n} |f(\omega \cdot e^{i\theta})|^p d\theta = \int_{[0,2\pi]^n} |f(|\omega_1|e^{i(\theta_1+\arg \omega_1)}, \dots, |\omega_n|e^{i(\theta_n+\arg \omega_n)})|^p d\theta$$

is nondecreasing in $|\omega_j|$, $j = 1, \dots, n$. On the other hand, it is clear that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{[0,2\pi]^n} |f(|\omega_1|e^{i(\theta_1+\arg \omega_1)}, \dots, |\omega_n|e^{i(\theta_n+\arg \omega_n)})|^p d\theta \\ = \int_{[0,2\pi]^n} |f(|\omega_1|e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, |\omega_n|e^{i\theta_n})|^p d\theta \end{aligned}$$

Hence, from (12) it follows

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\rho - r)^{\gamma p} \int_{[0, 2\pi]^n} |D^\gamma f(r \cdot e^{i\theta})|^p d\theta \\
 & \leq C \int_{[0, 2\pi]^n} |f(\rho_1 e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, \rho_n e^{i\theta_n})|^p d\theta.
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{13}$$

Putting $\rho_j = r_j + \frac{1}{2}(1 - r_j)$, $0 \leq r_j < 1$, in (13), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - r_j)^{\gamma_j p} \int_{[0, 2\pi]^n} |D^\gamma f(r \cdot e^{i\theta})|^p d\theta \\
 & \leq C \int_{[0, 2\pi]^n} \left| f\left(\frac{1 + r_1}{2} e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, \frac{1 + r_n}{2} e^{i\theta_n}\right) \right|^p d\theta.
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{14}$$

Multiplying (14) by $\prod_{j=1}^n (1 - r_j^2)^{\alpha_j} r_j$ and using the fact that $0 < r_j < 1$, $j = 1, \dots, n$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - r_j^2)^{\gamma_j p + \alpha_j} r_j \int_{[0, 2\pi]^n} |D^\gamma f(r \cdot e^{i\theta})|^p d\theta \\
 & \leq C \int_{[0, 2\pi]^n} \left| f\left(\frac{1 + r_1}{2} e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, \frac{1 + r_n}{2} e^{i\theta_n}\right) \right|^p d\theta \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - r_j^2)^{\alpha_j} r_j.
 \end{aligned}$$

Integrating this inequality over $r \in [0, 1)^n$ and making the changes $s_j = \frac{1+r_j}{2}$, $j = 1, \dots, n$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_{[0, 1)^n} \int_{[0, 2\pi]^n} |D^\gamma f(r \cdot e^{i\theta})|^p d\theta \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - r_j^2)^{\gamma_j p + \alpha_j} r_j dr_j \\
 & \leq C \int_{[0, 1)^n} \int_{[0, 2\pi]^n} \left| f\left(\frac{1 + r_1}{2} e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, \frac{1 + r_n}{2} e^{i\theta_n}\right) \right|^p d\theta \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - r_j^2)^{\alpha_j} r_j dr_j \\
 & \leq C \int_{\prod_{j=1}^n [\frac{1}{2}, 1)} \int_{[0, 2\pi]^n} |f(s_1 e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, s_n e^{i\theta_n})|^p d\theta \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - s_j^2)^{\alpha_j} ds_j \\
 & \leq C \|f\|_{\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p}^p,
 \end{aligned}$$

as desired. Let β be a multi-index. By Lemma 2 we know that the linear functional $L(f) = D^\beta f(0)$ is bounded. Hence $|D^\beta f(0)|^p \leq C \|f\|_{\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p}^p$ for all $f \in H(U^n)$ and for some $C = C(p, \beta, \alpha) > 0$ from which it follows an inequality in (1).

Sufficiency. Without loss of generality, we may assume that $n = 2$. Let

$$M_p^p(f, r_1, r_2) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |f(r_1 e^{i\theta_1}, r_2 e^{i\theta_2})|^p d\theta_1 d\theta_2,$$

then

$$\|f\|_{\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p}^p = \int_0^1 (1 - r_2^2)^{\alpha_2} \int_0^1 M_p^p(f, r_1, r_2) (1 - r_1^2)^{\alpha_1} r_2 r_1 dr_1 dr_2.$$

It is easy to show that

$$\|f\|_{\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p}^p \asymp \int_0^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2} \int_0^1 M_p^p(f, r_1, r_2) (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1} dr_1 dr_2.$$

By Lemmas 3 and 5, and since $M_p^p(f, r_1, r_2)$ is nondecreasing in r_1 , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 M_p^p(f, r_1, r_2) (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1} dr_1 \\ & \leq C \left(M_p^p\left(f, \frac{1}{2}, r_2\right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \int_0^1 \left| M_p^p\left(f, \frac{1+r_1}{2}, r_2\right) - M_p^p\left(f, r_1, r_2\right) \right| (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1} dr_1 \right) \\ & \leq C \left(M_p^p\left(f, \frac{1}{2}, r_2\right) + \int_0^1 M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}, \frac{1+r_1}{2}, r_2\right) (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1+p} dr_1 \right). \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{\mathcal{A}_\alpha^p}^p & \leq C \left(\int_0^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2} M_p^p\left(f, \frac{1}{2}, r_2\right) dr_2 \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \int_0^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2} \int_0^1 M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}, \frac{1+r_1}{2}, r_2\right) (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1+p} dr_1 dr_2 \right). \end{aligned} \tag{15}$$

Since $M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}, \frac{1+r_1}{2}, r_2\right)$ is nondecreasing in r_2 and applying the changes $r_i \rightarrow \frac{1+r_i}{2}$, $i = 1, 2$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2} \int_0^1 M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}, \frac{1+r_1}{2}, r_2\right) (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1+p} dr_1 dr_2 \\ & \leq \int_0^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2} \int_0^1 M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}, \frac{1+r_1}{2}, \frac{1+r_2}{2}\right) (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1+p} dr_1 dr_2 \\ & = C \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2} \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}, r_1, r_2\right) (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1+p} dr_1 dr_2 \\ & \leq C \int_{U^2} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}(z) \right|^p (1 - |z_1|^2)^{\alpha_1+p} (1 - |z_2|^2)^{\alpha_2} dV(z_1) dV(z_2). \end{aligned} \tag{16}$$

Using again Lemmas 3 and 5, and since $M_p^p(f, \frac{1}{2}, r_2)$ is nondecreasing in r_2 we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2} M_p^p\left(f, \frac{1}{2}, r_2\right) dr_2 \\ & \leq C \left(M_p^p\left(f, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \int_0^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2} \left| M_p^p\left(f, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1+r_2}{2}\right) - M_p^p\left(f, \frac{1}{2}, r_2\right) \right| dr_2 \right) \quad (17) \\ & \leq C \left(\max_{|z_1| \leq \frac{1}{2}, |z_2| \leq \frac{1}{2}} |f(z_1, z_2)|^p \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \int_0^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2+p} M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1+r_2}{2}\right) dr_2 \right). \end{aligned}$$

It is clear that there is a constant C independent of f such that

$$\left| \int_0^{\frac{3}{4}} (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2+p} M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1+r_2}{2}\right) dr_2 \right| \leq C \max_{z \in D^2(0, \frac{7}{8})} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(z_1, z_2) \right|^p. \quad (18)$$

By (3) we have

$$\left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(\zeta_1, \zeta_2) \right|^p \leq C \int_{P^2((\zeta_1, \zeta_2), (\frac{1}{16}, \frac{1}{16}))} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(\zeta_1, \zeta_2) \right|^p \prod_{j=1}^2 dV(\zeta_j)$$

for some C independent of f , and for all $\zeta_1, \zeta_2 \in \overline{D(0, \frac{7}{8})}$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & \max_{z \in D^2(0, \frac{7}{8})} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(z_1, z_2) \right|^p \\ & \leq C \int_{D^2(0, \frac{15}{16})} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(\zeta_1, \zeta_2) \right|^p \prod_{j=1}^2 dV(\zeta_j) \quad (19) \\ & \leq C \int_{U^2} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(z) \right|^p (1 - |z_1|^2)^{\alpha_1} (1 - |z_2|^2)^{\alpha_2+p} dV(z_1) dV(z_2). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, using the change $\frac{1+r_2}{2} \rightarrow r_2$ we obtain

$$\int_{\frac{3}{4}}^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2+p} M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1+r_2}{2}\right) dr_2 = C \int_{\frac{7}{8}}^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2+p} M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}, \frac{1}{2}, r_2\right) dr_2$$

for some $C > 0$. Since

$$M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}, \frac{1}{2}, r_2\right) \leq M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}, r_1, r_2\right),$$

for $r_1 \in [\frac{1}{2}, 1)$ we obtain that there is a constant C independent of f such that

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1}{(\alpha_1 + 1)2^{\alpha_1+1}} \int_{\frac{7}{8}}^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2+p} M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}, \frac{1}{2}, r_2\right) dr_2 \\
 &= \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1} dr_1 \int_{\frac{7}{8}}^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2+p} M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}, \frac{1}{2}, r_2\right) dr_2 \\
 &\leq \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (1 - r_1)^{\alpha_1} \int_{\frac{7}{8}}^1 (1 - r_2)^{\alpha_2+p} M_p^p\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}, r_1, r_2\right) dr_2 dr_1 \\
 &\leq C \int_{U^2} \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_2}(z) \right|^p (1 - |z_1|^2)^{\alpha_1} (1 - |z_2|^2)^{\alpha_2+p} dV(z_1) dV(z_2).
 \end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

From (15) - (20) and Lemma 4 the result and an inequality in (1) follow, for $m = 1$. Using induction we obtain the result for $m \geq 2$. ■

Remark. Note that we did not use the condition $p \in (0, 1]$ in the proof of the necessity, and so we proved the result also for $p > 1$.

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