

SPLINE BASES IN CLASSICAL FUNCTION  
 SPACES ON COMPACT  $C^\infty$  MANIFOLDS. PART III

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Introduction to Part III. The frame work is the same as in Parts I and II of the joint work with T. Figiel [3]. On a  $d$ -dimensional compact  $C^\infty$  manifold  $M$  we are given measure  $\mu$ , finite, smooth and locally equivalent to Lebesgue measure. Our purpose is to prove the stated below Theorem C which is an essential improvement of both Theorems A and B [3]. More exactly, since the basis in Theorem C is the one constructed in the proof of Theorem B, Part I, [3], we need to prove only (C.1), (C.2), (C.4) and the corresponding statements (C.1), (C.2), (C.4). For the discussion of the dualities in the Sobolev and Besov spaces we refer to [4].

Given a numerical sequence  $a = (a_n)_{n=1}^\infty$  and parameters  $-\infty < \rho < \infty$ ,  $1 \leq p, q \leq \infty$  we let

$$\|a\|_{b_{p,q}^\rho} = \left\{ \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} [2^{\mu\rho} \left( \sum_{n=2^\mu}^{2^{\mu+1}-1} |a_n|^p \right)^{1/p} q]^{1/q} \right\}.$$

Theorem C. Let  $M, \mu$  and the integer  $m \geq 0$  be given. Then, there are functions  $\varphi_n \in C^m(M)$ ,  $\psi_n \in C^m(M)$ ,  $n=1,2,\dots$ , such that

$$(C.0) \quad (\varphi_i, \psi_j)_{L_2(\mu)} = \delta_{i,j}, \quad i, j=1,2,\dots$$

(C.1)  $(\varphi_n)$  is a Schauder basis in  $C^k(M)$ ,  $W_p^k(M)$ ,  $1 \leq p < \infty$ , for each integer  $k: |k| \leq m$ .

(C.2)  $(\varphi_n)$  is an unconditional Schauder basis in  $W_p^k(M)$ ,  $1 < p < \infty, |k| \leq m$ .

(C.3)  $(\varphi_n)$  is an unconditional Schauder basis in each separable Besov space  $B_{p,q}^s(M)$  with  $|s| < m$ ,  $1 \leq p, q \leq \infty$ , and

$$\|a\|_{b_{p,q}^\rho}^{-1} \leq \left\| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \varphi_n \right\|_{B_{p,q}^s(M)} \leq C \|a\|_{b_{p,q}^\rho},$$

where  $\rho = \frac{1}{2} - 1/p + s/d$  and  $C < \infty$  depends on  $m, s$  and the manifold.

(C.4) Let for given integers  $k, l: -m < l < k < m$

$$R_{k,l} f = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{\frac{k-l}{d}} a_n \varphi_n, \quad a_n = (f, \varphi_n)_{L_2(\mu)}.$$

Then, for  $1 < p < \infty$ ,  $R_{k,l}: W_p^k(M) \longrightarrow W_p^l(M)$  is a linear isomorphism.

Remark. Theorem C has its dual version Theorem  $\tilde{C}$  which can be obtained formally by replacing  $(C, I), W_p^k, B_{p,q}^s, C^k, R_{k,l}, \varphi_n, \tilde{\varphi}_n$  by  $(\tilde{C}, I), \tilde{W}_p^k, \tilde{B}_{p,q}^s, \tilde{C}^k, \tilde{R}_{k,l}, \tilde{\varphi}_n, \varphi_n$ , respectively.

## 12. Regular ordering and bases in the standard Sobolev spaces.

In dimension  $d$  for the sets  $Z_1, \dots, Z_d, Z_j \subset \partial I, I = \langle 0, 1 \rangle$ , the complementary sets  $Z, Z' \subset \partial I^d$  are defined as in (2.37),  $I$  and (2.47),  $I^*$ , respectively. For the fixed order of smoothness  $m$  define  $n(Z_j)$  like in Definition 9.1, II. We are interested in introducing suitable orderings in the index sets  $N^d(Z) = N(Z_1) \times \dots \times N(Z_d)$  where  $N(Z_j) = N_+ + n(Z_j)$ ,  $N_+ = (1, 2, \dots)$ , and in  $N_n^d(Z) = N_n(Z_1) \times \dots \times N_n(Z_d)$  where  $N_n(Z_j) = \{i \in N(Z_j) : i \leq n\}$ . This notation is related to that one introduced in Section 10, II, as follows:

$$N^d(Z) = \{ \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z) \}, \quad N_1^d(Z) = N_0 \quad \text{and} \quad N_{2^\mu}^d(Z) \setminus N_{2^{\mu-1}}^d(Z) = N_\mu \quad \text{for} \quad \mu = 1, 2, \dots$$

Both these notations will be used later on. For the ordering we are going to define by induction in  $d$  a family  $\{\varphi(\cdot; Z, d), Z \subset \partial I^d\}$  of 1-1 and onto mappings  $\varphi(\cdot; Z, d): N^d(Z) \longrightarrow N_+$  such that

$$(12.1) \quad \varphi(\cdot; Z, d) = \varphi(\cdot; Z', d),$$

$$(12.2) \quad \varphi(N_n^d(Z); Z, d) = N_+ \cap (1, \dots, \nu_n), \quad \nu_n = \#N_n^d(Z) \quad \text{for} \quad n \geq 2,$$

$$(12.3) \quad \# \varphi(N_n^d(Z); Z, d) = \varphi(\underline{n}; Z, d) \quad \text{for} \quad \underline{n} = (n, \dots, n) \quad \text{and} \quad n \geq 2.$$

The construction is being carried out in three steps.

First step. For  $d=1$  we have  $Z=Z_1$  and define  $\varphi(n; Z, d) = n - n(Z_1)$  for  $n \in N(Z_1)$ . It then follows that (12.1)-(12.3) are satisfied.

Second step. Assume that for  $d \leq k$ , with fixed  $k$ , the families  $\{\varphi(\cdot; Z, d), Z \subset \partial I^d\}$  satisfying (12.1)-(12.3) are given.

Third step. The construction of  $\varphi(\cdot; Z, k+1)$  for given  $Z \subset \partial I^{k+1}$  we start by choosing an arbitrary independent of  $Z$  order in  $\{e \in \tilde{D}: e \neq \emptyset\}$ ,  $\tilde{D} = \{1, \dots, k+1\}$ , such that  $\{e \in \tilde{D}: e \neq \emptyset\} = \{e_1, \dots, e_K\}$ ,  $e_K = \tilde{D}$ ,  $K = 2^{k+1} - 1$ .

\* Here and later on the Roman I, II refer to the corresponding Part of [3].

Then, by induction in  $n \geq 2$ , we will define 1-1 and onto mappings

$$\varphi_n(\cdot; Z, k+1): N_n^{k+1}(Z) \rightarrow N_{\mathcal{V}_n}^{k+1} \text{ where } \mathcal{V}_n = \#N_n^{k+1}.$$

The mapping  $\varphi_2(\cdot; Z, k+1)$  can be taken arbitrary modulo the conditions:  $\varphi_2(\cdot; Z, k+1) = \varphi_2(\cdot; Z', k+1)$  and  $\varphi_2(N_2^{k+1}(Z); Z, k+1) = \varphi_2((2, \dots, 2); Z, k+1)$ .

The definition of  $\varphi_{n+1}(\cdot; Z, k+1)$  will be compatible with the following decomposition

$$N_{n+1}^{k+1}(Z) = N_n^{k+1}(Z) \cup \bigcup_{i=1}^K N_{n+1, e_i}^{k+1}(Z),$$

where

$$N_{n+1, e}^{k+1}(Z) = \{ \underline{n} \in N_{n+1}^{k+1}(Z) : n_j \leq n \text{ for } j \in \tilde{D} \setminus e, n_j = n+1 \text{ for } j \in e \},$$

and  $\tilde{D} = \{1, \dots, k+1\}$ . Now,

$$\varphi_{n+1}(\underline{n}; Z, k+1) = \begin{cases} \varphi_n(\underline{n}; Z, k+1) & \text{for } \underline{n} \in N_n^{k+1}(Z), \\ \psi_i(\underline{n}) & \text{for } \underline{n} \in N_{n+1, e_i}^{k+1}(Z), i=1, \dots, K; \end{cases}$$

where with  $d_j = \#(\tilde{D} \setminus e_j)$  and  $Z^{(j)}$  being the boundary set in  $I^{d_j}$  corresponding to  $(Z, \nu, \nu \in e_j)$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_i(\underline{n}) &= \varphi_n((n, \dots, n); Z, k+1) + \\ &+ \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \varphi((n, \dots, n); Z, k+1) + \varphi(\underline{n}; Z^{(i)}, d_i). \end{aligned}$$

We now define  $\varphi(\cdot; Z, k+1)$  by the formula

$$\varphi(\underline{n}; Z, k+1) = \begin{cases} \varphi_2(\underline{n}; Z, k+1) & \text{for } \underline{n} \in N_2^{k+1}(Z) \\ \varphi_n(\underline{n}; Z, k+1) & \text{for } \underline{n} \in N_n^{k+1} \setminus N_{n-1}^{k+1}(Z), n \geq 3. \end{cases}$$

This completes the construction of the desired family  $\varphi(\cdot; Z, d), Z \subset \partial I^d$ .

Definition 12.4. Let  $d \geq 1$  and let the boundary set  $Z \subset \partial I^d$  be given as in (2.37), I. Then the sequence  $(a_n)_1^\infty$  is said to be a regular ordering of  $(a_n, \underline{n} \in N^d(Z))$  if there is  $\varphi(\cdot; Z, d)$  as constructed above such that  $a_n = a_{\underline{n}}$  for  $n = \varphi(\underline{n}; Z, d)$ .

We refer for the definition of  $(F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z))$  and  $(G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z))$  to Sections 9, II and 10, II, respectively. The corresponding regular orderings are denoted below by  $(F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z))_1^\infty, (G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z))_1^\infty$ . The properties (9.10), II and (10.20), II imply

$$(12.5) \quad (F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z'), F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z))_{L_2(Q)} = \delta_{n, n'}$$

$$(G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z'), G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z))_{L_2(Q)} = \delta_{n, n'}$$

where  $Q=I^d$ . It also follows that for  $\mu=0,1,\dots$

$$(12.6) \quad \text{span} [ F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \in N_{2^\mu}^d(Z) ] = \text{span} [ G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \in N_{2^\mu}^d(Z) ],$$

or else by (12.3) with  $n=2^\mu$  we get

$$(12.7) \quad \text{span} [ F_j^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), j=1, \dots, \nu_n ] = \text{span} [ G_j^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), j=1, \dots, \nu_n ],$$

where  $\nu_n = \# N_n^d(Z)$ .

Theorem 12.8. Let  $d \in N_+$ ,  $m \in N$ ,  $Q=I^d$ , and let  $Z$  be a boundary set given as in (2.37), I. Then both  $(F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z))_1^\infty$  and  $(G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z))_1^\infty$ , are Schauder bases in all the following spaces:  $C^k(Q)_Z$ ,  $W_p^k(Q)_Z$ ,  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ,  $k=0, \dots, m$ ;  $B_{p,q}^s(Q)_Z$ ,  $0 < s < m$ ,  $1 \leq p, q \leq \infty$ . Moreover, the norms of the partial sums are bounded uniformly in  $p$  and  $q$ .

Proof. We may restrict the proof to the Sobolev case only. For each of the the two systems the proof is different.

Define

$$S_\nu^{(m)}(f; Z) = \sum_{j=1}^{\nu} (f, F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z')) F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z),$$

then for  $\nu_n = \# N_n^d(Z)$ ,  $n \geq 2$

$$S_{\nu_n}^{(m)}(f; Z) = \sum_{\underline{n} \in N_n^d(Z)} (f, F_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; Z')) F_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; Z).$$

Since  $N_n^d(Z)$  is a product set it follows by the results of Section 9, II, that for some  $C=C(m,d) < \infty$  the following inequality

$$(12.9) \quad \|S_\nu^{(m)}(f; Z)\|_p^{(k)}(Q) \leq C \|f\|_p^{(k)}(Q), \quad f \in W_p^{(k)}(Q)_Z,$$

holds for  $\nu = \nu_n$ ,  $n \geq 2$  and  $k=0, \dots, m$ . This and induction in  $d$  parallel to the one used in the definition of  $\varphi(\cdot; Z, d)$  imply that (12.9) holds for every  $\nu \in N_+$ .

In the second case define

$$T_\nu(f; Z) = \sum_{j=1}^{\nu} (f, G_j^{(m)}(\cdot; Z')) G_j^{(m)}(\cdot; Z).$$

The equality (12.7) implies for some  $C=C(m,d) < \infty$  and for  $n=2^\mu$ ,  $\mu=1,2,\dots$ ;  $k=0, \dots, m$  the following inequality

$$(12.10) \quad \|T_{\mathcal{V}_{2n}}^{(m)}(f;Z) - T_{\mathcal{V}_n}^{(m)}(f;Z)\|_p^{(k)}(Q) \leq C \|f\|_p^{(k)}(Q), \quad f \in W_p^{(k)}(Q)_Z.$$

Let now

$$V_E f = \sum_{\underline{n} \in E} a_{\underline{n}} G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; Z),$$

then application of theorem 10.19, II, gives for  $E = N_{2n}^d(Z) \setminus N_n^d(Z)$  with  $n = 2^{\mu-1}$

$$(12.11) \quad \|V_N f\|_p(Q) \sim \|a\|_{\lambda_p}, \quad \lambda = \#N_{2n}^d.$$

On the other hand by Theorem 9.20, II

$$(12.12) \quad \|V_N f\|_p^{(k)}(Q) \sim 2^{k\mu} \|V_N f\|_p(Q), \quad k=0, \dots, m.$$

The combination of (12.11) and (12.12) gives

$$(12.13) \quad \|V_E f\|_p^{(k)} \leq C \|V_N f\|_p^{(k)}(Q) \text{ for } E \subset N_{2n}^d, \quad k=0, \dots, m.$$

In particular for  $\mathcal{V}_n < \mathcal{V} \leq \mathcal{V}_{2n}$ ,  $n = 2^{\mu-1}$ , we find that

$$T_{\mathcal{V}}^{(m)}(f;Z) - T_{\mathcal{V}_n}^{(m)}(f;Z) = V_E f$$

with  $E = \bar{\varphi}^{-1}((\mathcal{V}_n, \mathcal{V}; Z, d)$  and  $a_{\underline{n}} = (f, G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; Z'))$ . Thus, by (12.13) and (12.10) we obtain

$$\|T_{\mathcal{V}}^{(m)}(f;Z) - T_{\mathcal{V}_n}^{(m)}(f;Z)\|_p^{(k)}(Q) \leq C \|f\|_p^{(k)}(Q)$$

what in combination with (12.10) gives finally for  $k=0, \dots, m$

$$(12.14) \quad \|T_{\mathcal{V}}^{(m)}(f;Z)\|_p^{(k)}(Q) \leq C \|f\|_p^{(k)}(Q), \quad f \in W_p^{(k)}(Q)_Z,$$

and this completes the proof.

13. Unconditionality in standard spaces. For given boundary set  $Z \subset \partial Q$ ,  $Q = I^d$ , as given in (2.37), I, the system  $(F_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z))$  is an unconditional basis in each  $W_p^k(Q)_Z$ ,  $k=0, \dots, m, 1 < p < \infty$  (see Theorem 9.17, II). Our goal is to establish the same for  $(G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z))$ . The idea of the proof is simple. In the first stage, using the technic of singular integrals like in the one-dimensional case in [1], we are going to establish the unconditionality of  $(G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z))$  in  $W_p^0(Q)_Z = L_p(Q)$ . In the next stage we will apply the lifting theorem as established in [2] for the systems  $(F_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z))$ .

We start our discussion with the maximal functions. The maximal function for  $F$  Lebesgue measurable on  $R^d$  is defined as follows

$$M_d F(x) = \sup_{r>0} \frac{1}{|B(x,r)|} \int_{B(x,r)} |F(y)| dy,$$

where  $|E|$  is the Lebesgue measure of  $E$  and  $B(x,r) = \{y \in R^d : \|x-y\| < r\}$ ,  $\|\cdot\|$  being the Euclidean norm.

The Hardy-Littlewood-Wiener (cf. [5]) theorem says that  $M_d$  is of weak type  $(1,1)$  i.e. for some  $C < \infty$  and for  $F \in L_1(R^d)$  we have

$$(13.1) \quad |\{x \in R^d : M_d F(x) > \lambda\}| \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \|F\|_{L_1(R^d)}, \lambda > 0.$$

For our purpose we need for  $f \in L_1(Q)$  the maximal function

$$Mf(x) = \sup_{G \ni x} \frac{1}{|G|} \int_{QG} |f(y)| dy, \quad x \in Q,$$

where the sup is taken over all cubes  $G$  with sides parallel to the coordinate hyperplanes and such that  $x \in G$ . It follows directly from (13.1) that for  $f \in L_1(Q)$

$$(13.2) \quad |\{x \in Q : Mf(x) > \lambda\}| \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \|f\|_{L_1(Q)}, \lambda > 0.$$

For given  $\varepsilon = (\varepsilon_{\underline{n}})$ ,  $\varepsilon_{\underline{n}} = \pm 1$ , and for  $(a_{\underline{n}})$  with finitely many  $a_{\underline{n}} \neq 0$  let

$$f = \sum_{\underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(z)} a_{\underline{n}} G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; z), \quad T_\varepsilon f = \sum_{\underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(z)} \varepsilon_{\underline{n}} a_{\underline{n}} G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(\cdot; z).$$

Lemma 13.3. There is  $C = C(m,d)$ ,  $0 < C < \infty$ , such that for  $f$  and  $\varepsilon$  given as above we have

$$(13.4) \quad C^{-1} \|f\|_{L_2(Q)} \leq \|T_\varepsilon f\|_{L_2(Q)} \leq C \|f\|_{L_2(Q)}.$$

Proof. Corollary 10.6, II and Theorem 10.19, II imply that  $(G_{\underline{n}}(\cdot; z), \underline{n} \leq \underline{n}(z))$  is a Riesz basis i.e. unconditional basis in  $L_2(Q)$ , and this is equivalent to (13.4).

To state the next preliminary results we need some more notation. To each  $\underline{n}$  we assign particular dyadic cube  $(\underline{n})$  as follows. Using notation from Section 10, II, define  $(\underline{n}) = I_1 \times \dots \times I_d$  for  $\underline{n} = (n_1, \dots, n_d) \in N_{\mu, e}$  with  $\mu \geq 2, \emptyset \neq e \in \{1, \dots, d\}$  and

$$I_i = \begin{cases} \left\langle \frac{n_i - 1}{2^{\mu-1}}, \frac{n_i}{2^{\mu-1}} \right\rangle & \text{for } i \in D \setminus e \\ \left\langle \frac{n_i - 2^{\mu-1} - 1}{2^{\mu-1}}, \frac{n_i - 2^{\mu-1}}{2^{\mu-1}} \right\rangle & \text{for } i \in e. \end{cases}$$

For  $\underline{n} \in N_0 \cup N_1$  define  $(\underline{n}) = Q$ .

Proposition 13.5. There are constants  $C=C(m,d)<\infty$  and  $q=q(m,d)$ ,  $0<q<1$ , such that

$$|G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(x;Z)G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(y;Z')| \leq C 2^{\mu d} q^{2^{\mu} \|x-y\|}$$

holds for  $\underline{n} \in N_{\mu}$ ,  $\mu \geq 0$ ,  $x, y \in Q$ .

Proof. Use the results of Sections 8-10, II.

Proposition 13.6. There is  $C=C(m,d)<\infty$  such that

$$(13.7) \quad \sum_{(\underline{n}) \in Q_0} |G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(x;Z)G_{\underline{n}}^{(m)}(y;Z')| \leq C \frac{|Q_0|}{\|x-y\|^{2d}}, \quad x, y \in Q, \quad x \neq y,$$

holds for any dyadic cube  $Q_0 \subset Q$  with sides parallel to the coordinate hyperplanes.

Proof. It is convenient to introduce  $\mu_0 = -\frac{1}{d} \log_2 |Q_0|$ . Now, Proposition 13.5 implies that the left hand side of (13.7) does not exceed  $(\delta = \|x-y\|)$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{\mu=\mu_0+1}^{\infty} \sum_{(\underline{n}) \in N_{\mu}} 2^{\mu d} q^{2^{\mu} \delta} = C \sum_{\mu=\mu_0+1}^{\infty} 2^{(\mu-\mu_0-1)d} 2^{\mu d} q^{2^{\mu} \delta} \\ & = C 2^{(\mu_0+1)d} \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} 2^{2\mu d} q^{2^{\mu} 2^{\mu_0+1} \delta} \\ & \leq C_1 2^{(\mu_0+1)d} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{2d-1} q^{n 2^{\mu_0+1} \delta} \\ & \leq C_2 2^{(\mu_0+1)d} \int_0^{\infty} u^{2d-1} q^{u 2^{\mu_0+1} \delta} du \\ & = C_2 \frac{1}{2^{(\mu_0+1)d} \delta^{2d}} \int_0^{\infty} v^{2d-1} q^{v} dv \\ & = C_3 |Q_0| \delta^{-2d}. \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 13.7. There is finite  $C=C(m,d)$  such that

$$|\{x \in Q: |T_{\epsilon} f(x)| > \lambda\}| \leq \frac{C}{\lambda} \|f\|_{L_1(Q)}, \quad \lambda > 0$$

holds for

$$f = \sum_{\underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z)} a_{\underline{n}} G_{\underline{n}}(\cdot; Z)$$

with finitely many  $a_{\underline{n}} \neq 0$ .

Proof. Using (13.2), Lemma 13.3 and Proposition 13.6 this lemma can be proved in similar way as analogous result in the one-dimensional case. For the details we refer to [1].

Proposition 13.8. Let  $1 < p < \infty$  and let  $Z$  be a boundary set in  $Q = I^d$  as given in (2.37), I. Then  $(G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z))$  is an unconditional Schauder basis in  $W_p^0(Q)_Z = L_p(Q)$ .

Proof. For  $1 < p < 2$  use (13.4), Lemma 13.7 and the Marcinkiewicz interpolation theorem. To cover the case  $2 < p < \infty$  apply duality argument.

The following is proved in [2].

Proposition 13.9. Let  $1 < p < \infty, 0 \leq l < k \leq m$  and let  $Z$  be a boundary set as given in (2.37), I. Then the operator

$$T_{k,l}(Z): W_p^k(Q)_Z \rightarrow W_p^l(Q)_Z$$

defined by

$$T_{k,l}(Z)f = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{\frac{k-l}{d}} (f, F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z')) F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z)$$

is a linear isomorphism. Here  $(F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z))_1$  is a natural ordering of  $(F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z))$ .

We are now ready to prove the main result of this section.

Theorem 13.10. Let  $1 < p < \infty$  and  $0 \leq k \leq m$ . Then  $(G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z), \underline{n} \geq \underline{n}(Z))$  is an unconditional basis in each standard space  $W_p^k(Q)_Z$ ;  $Z$  being a boundary set as given in (2.37), I.

Proof. For convenience we write  $g_n = G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z)$ ,  $f_n = F_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z)$ ,  $\| \cdot \|_p^{(k)} = \| \cdot \|_p^{(k)}$  and  $(g_n), (f_n)$  for natural orderings of  $(g_n), (f_n)$ , respectively. Let  $f \in W_p^k(Q)_Z$  and let

$$f = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n g_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n f_n, \quad f_\varepsilon = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \varepsilon_n a_n g_n \quad \text{with } \varepsilon_n = \pm 1.$$

We know by Theorem 9.17, II, that  $(f_n)$  is an unconditional basis in each space  $W_p^k(Q)_Z$ ,  $k=0, \dots, m$ . This and Propositions 13.8, 13.9 imply

$$\begin{aligned} |f|_p^{(k)} &\sim \left| \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} 2^{\mu k} \sum_{\underline{n} \in N_\mu} b_n f_n \right|_p^{(0)} = \left| \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} 2^{\mu k} \sum_{\underline{n} \in N_\mu} a_n g_n \right|_p^{(0)} \\ &\sim \left| \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} 2^{\mu k} \sum_{\underline{n} \in N_\mu} \varepsilon_n a_n g_n \right|_p^{(0)} = \left| \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} 2^{\mu k} \sum_{\underline{n} \in N_\mu} b'_n f_n \right|_p^{(0)} \\ &\sim \left| \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\underline{n} \in N_\mu} b'_n f_n \right|_p^{(k)} = \left| \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\underline{n} \in N_\mu} \varepsilon_n a_n f_n \right|_p^{(k)} = |f_\varepsilon|_p^{(k)}, \end{aligned}$$

and this completes the proof.



Theorem 13.11. Let  $1 < p < \infty$  and let

$$R_{k,1}(Z)f = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{\frac{k-1}{d}} (f, G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z')) G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z),$$

where the ordering is natural. Then for  $0 < l < k < m$  and  $Z$  given by (2.37), I,

$$R_{k,1}(Z): W_p^k(Q)_Z \rightarrow W_p^l(Q)_Z$$

is a linear isomorphism.

Proof. We use the notation introduced in the previous proof. The unconditionality of both bases  $(f_n)$  and  $(g_n)$ , and Proposition 13.9 give for  $f \in W_p^k(Q)_Z$

$$\begin{aligned} |R_{k,1}(Z)f|_p^{(1)} &\sim \left| \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} 2^{\mu \frac{k-1}{d}} \sum_{n \in N_{\mu}} a_n g_n \right|_p^{(1)} \\ &= \left| \sum_{\mu=0}^{\infty} 2^{\mu \frac{k-1}{d}} \sum_{n \in N_{\mu}} b_n g_n \right|_p^{(1)} \sim \left| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{\frac{k-1}{d}} b_n f_n \right|_p^{(1)} \\ &= \left| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n f_n \right|_p^{(k)} = |f|_p^{(k)}. \end{aligned}$$

14. The proof of Theorems C and  $\overset{\circ}{C}$ . The construction of  $(\varphi_n)$  in Theorem C is the same as in Section 11, II. The only difference is that now we use in the standard spaces  $W_p^k(Q)_Z$  the bases  $(G_n^{(m)}(\cdot; Z))$  in some natural ordering (independent of  $k$ ). This way (C.1) and ( $\overset{\circ}{C}$ .1) follow from Theorem 12.8. The statements (C.2) and ( $\overset{\circ}{C}$ .2) are a consequence of Theorem 13.10. Finally, (C.4) and ( $\overset{\circ}{C}$ .4) follow by Theorem 3.11.

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