

# On $L^p$ compactness of commutator of multiplication and Fourier multiplier operator

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## What is this talk about?

Compactness of the commutator of the following operators:

- $\mathcal{A}_\psi u := (\psi \hat{u})^\vee$
- $M_b u := bu$

$$[\mathcal{A}_\psi, M_b] := \mathcal{A}_\psi M_b - M_b \mathcal{A}_\psi$$

- also known as *The First commutation lemma*

## Compactness on $L^2$ - Cordes' result<sup>1</sup>

### Theorem

If bounded continuous functions  $b$  and  $\psi$  satisfy

$$\lim_{|\boldsymbol{\xi}| \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{|\mathbf{h}| \leq 1} \{|\psi(\boldsymbol{\xi} + \mathbf{h}) - \psi(\boldsymbol{\xi})|\} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{|\mathbf{x}| \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{|\mathbf{h}| \leq 1} \{|b(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h}) - b(\mathbf{x})|\} = 0,$$

then the commutator  $[\mathcal{A}_\psi, M_b]$  is a compact operator on  $L^2(\mathbf{R}^d)$ .

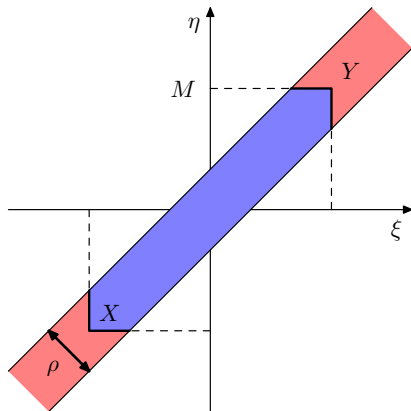
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<sup>1</sup>H. O. Cordes, *On compactness of commutators of multiplications and convolutions, and boundedness of pseudodifferential operators*, J. Funct. Anal. **18** (1975) 115–131.

## Compactness on $L^2$ - Tartar's version

For given  $M, \varrho \in \mathbf{R}^+$  we denote the set

$$Y(M, \varrho) = \{(\xi, \eta) \in \mathbf{R}^{2d} : |\xi|, |\eta| \geq M \& |\xi - \eta| \leq \varrho\}.$$



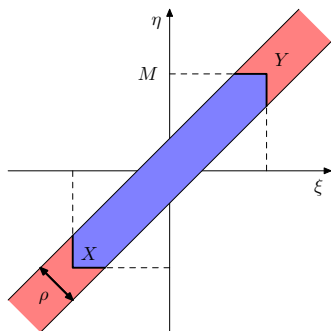
## Compactness on $L^2$ - Tartar's version<sup>2</sup>

Lemma (general form of the First commutation lemma)

If  $b \in C_0(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , while  $\psi \in L^\infty(\mathbf{R}^d)$  satisfies the condition

$$(\forall \varrho, \varepsilon \in \mathbf{R}^+)(\exists M \in \mathbf{R}^+) \quad |\psi(\boldsymbol{\xi}) - \psi(\boldsymbol{\eta})| \leq \varepsilon \quad (\text{s.s. } (\boldsymbol{\xi}, \boldsymbol{\eta}) \in Y(M, \varrho)) , \quad (1)$$

then  $[\mathcal{A}_\psi, M_b]$  is a compact operator on  $L^2(\mathbf{R}^d)$ .



<sup>2</sup>L. Tartar, *The general theory of homogenization: A personalized introduction*, Springer, 2009.

### Lemma

Let  $\pi : \mathbf{R}^d_* \rightarrow \Sigma$  be a smooth projection to a smooth compact hypersurface  $\Sigma$ , such that  $\|\nabla\pi(\boldsymbol{\xi})\| \rightarrow 0$  for  $|\boldsymbol{\xi}| \rightarrow \infty$ , and let  $\psi \in C(\Sigma)$ . Then  $\psi \circ \pi$  ( $\psi$  extended by homogeneity of order 0) satisfies (1).

In the special case of the sphere, one has  $\|\pi(\boldsymbol{\xi})\| \leq 1/|\boldsymbol{\xi}|$ .

## Where is it used?

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<sup>3</sup>P. Gérard, *Microlocal defect measures*, Comm. Partial Diff. Eq. **16** (1991) 1761–1794.

## Boundedness on $L^p$ - the Hörmander-Mihlin theorem

### Theorem

Let  $\psi \in L^\infty(\mathbf{R}^d)$  have partial derivatives of order less than or equal to  $\kappa = [d/2] + 1$ . If for some  $k > 0$

$$(\forall r > 0)(\forall \alpha \in \mathbf{N}_0^d) \quad |\alpha| \leq \kappa \implies \int_{r/2 \leq |\xi| \leq r} |\partial^\alpha \psi(\xi)|^2 d\xi \leq k^2 r^{d-2|\alpha|},$$

then for any  $p \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$  and the associated multiplier operator  $\mathcal{A}_\psi$  there exists a constant  $C_d$  such that

$$\|\mathcal{A}_\psi\|_{L^p \rightarrow L^p} \leq C_d \max\{p, 1/(p-1)\} (k + \|\psi\|_{L^\infty(\mathbf{R}^d)}).$$



## What about the $L^p$ variant of the First commutation lemma?

One variant can be found in the article by Cordes - complicated proof and higher regularity assumptions. Namely, the symbol is required to satisfy:

- $\psi \in C^{2\kappa}(\mathbf{R}^d)$ ,
- for every  $\alpha \in \mathbf{N}_0^d$ ,  $|\alpha| \leq 2\kappa$ :

$$(1 + |\xi|)^{|\alpha|} D^\alpha(\xi)\psi \quad \text{is bounded.}$$

A different variant was given by Antonić and Mitrović<sup>4</sup>:

### Lemma

Assume  $\psi \in C^\kappa(S^{d-1})$  and  $b \in C_0(\mathbf{R}^d)$ . Let  $(v_n)$  be a bounded sequence, both in  $L^2(\mathbf{R}^d)$  and in  $L^r(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , for some  $r \in \langle 2, \infty \rangle$ , and such that  $v_n \rightarrow 0$  in the sense of distributions.

Then  $[\mathcal{A}_\psi, M_b]v_n \rightarrow 0$  strongly in  $L^q(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , for any  $q \in [2, r)$ .

The proof was based on a simple interpolation inequality of  $L^p$  spaces:

$$\|f\|_{L^q} \leq \|f\|_{L^2}^\theta \|f\|_{L^r}^{1-\theta}, \text{ where } 1/q = \theta/2 + (1-\theta)/r.$$

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<sup>4</sup>N. Antonić, D. Mitrović, *H-distributions: an extension of H-measures to an  $L^p - L^q$  setting*, Abs. Appl. Analysis 2011 Article ID 901084 (2011) 12 pp.

## A variant of Krasnoselskij's type of result<sup>5</sup>

### Lemma

*Assume that linear operator  $A$  is compact on  $L^2(\mathbf{R}^d)$  and bounded on  $L^r(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , for some  $r \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle \setminus \{2\}$ . Then  $A$  is also compact on  $L^p(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , for any  $p$  between 2 and  $r$  (i.e. such that  $1/p = \theta/2 + (1 - \theta)/r$ , for some  $\theta \in \langle 0, 1 \rangle$ ).*

### Corollary

*If  $b \in C_0(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , while  $\psi \in C^\kappa(\mathbf{R}^d)$  satisfies the conditions of the Hörmander-Mihlin theorem and condition from the general form of the First commutation lemma, then the commutator  $[\mathcal{A}_\psi, M_b]$  is a compact operator on  $L^p(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , for any  $p \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$ .*

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<sup>5</sup>M. A. Krasnoselskij, *On a theorem of M. Riesz*, Dokl. Akad. Nauk SSSR **131** (1960) 246–248 (in russian); translated as Soviet Math. Dokl. **1** (1960) 229–231.

## Theorem

Let  $\psi \in C^\kappa(\mathbf{R}^d \setminus \{0\})$  be bounded and satisfy Hörmander's condition, while  $b \in C_c(\mathbf{R}^d)$ . Then for any  $u_n \xrightarrow{*} 0$  in  $L^\infty(\mathbf{R}^d)$  and  $p \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$  one has:

$$(\forall \varphi, \phi \in C_c^\infty(\mathbf{R}^d)) \quad \phi C(\varphi u_n) \longrightarrow 0 \quad \text{in} \quad L^p(\mathbf{R}^d).$$

## Corollary

Let  $(u_n)$  be a bounded, uniformly compactly supported sequence in  $L^\infty(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , converging to 0 in the sense of distributions. Assume that  $\psi \in C^\kappa(\mathbf{R}^d \setminus \{0\})$  satisfies Hörmander's condition and condition from the general form of the First commutation lemma.

Then for any  $b \in L^s(\mathbf{R}^d)$ ,  $s > 1$  arbitrary, it holds

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|b \mathcal{A}_\psi(u_n) - \mathcal{A}_\psi(bu_n)\|_{L^r(\mathbf{R}^d)} = 0, \quad r \in \langle 1, s \rangle.$$

## BMO and VMO spaces

A locally integrable function  $f$  is said to belong to  $\text{BMO}(\mathbf{R}^d)$  if there exists a constant  $A > 0$  such that the following inequality holds for all balls  $B \subseteq \mathbf{R}^d$ :

$$\frac{1}{|B|} \int_B |f - f_B| d\mathbf{x} \leq A ,$$

where  $f_B$  is the mean value of  $f$  over the ball  $B$ .

$\text{VMO}(\mathbf{R}^d)$  is the closure of  $C_c(\mathbf{R}^d)$  functions in the  $\text{BMO}(\mathbf{R}^d)$  norm.

## Uchiyama's result<sup>6</sup>

Denote:  $R_j := \mathcal{A}_{i\xi_j/|\xi|}$ , for  $j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$

### Theorem

Let  $b \in \cup_{q>1} L^q_{\text{loc}}(\mathbf{R}^d)$ . Then the commutator  $[M_b, R_j]$  is a compact operator on  $L^p(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , for any  $p \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$ , if and only if  $b \in \text{VMO}(\mathbf{R}^d)$ .

### Lemma

Let  $a$  be a function which is a polynomial in  $\xi/|\xi|$  and  $b \in \text{VMO}(\mathbf{R}^d)$ . Then the commutator  $[M_b, \mathcal{A}_a]$  is a compact operator on  $L^p(\mathbf{R}^d)$ , for any  $p \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$ .

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<sup>6</sup>A. Uchiyama, *On the compactness of operators of Hankel type*, Tohoku Math. Journ. 30 (1978) 163–171.

### Corollary

*Let  $b \in L^\infty(\mathbf{R}^d) \cap \text{VMO}(\mathbf{R}^d)$  and  $\psi \in C(S^{d-1})$ . Then the commutator  $[M_b, \mathcal{A}_\psi]$  is compact on  $L^2(\mathbf{R}^d)$ .<sup>7</sup>*

### Corollary

*Let  $b \in L^\infty(\mathbf{R}^d) \cap \text{VMO}(\mathbf{R}^d)$  and  $\psi \in C^\kappa(S^{d-1})$ . Then the commutator  $[M_b, \mathcal{A}_\psi]$  is compact on  $L^p(\mathbf{R}^d)$ ,  $p \in \langle 1, \infty \rangle$ .*

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<sup>7</sup>L. Tartar, *The general theory of homogenization: A personalized introduction*, Springer, 2009.

## Further comments...

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