Atomic Decompositions of Triebel-Lizorkin Spaces with Local Weights and Applications^{*}

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Abstract In this paper, the authors characterize the inhomogeneous Triebel-Lizorkin spaces $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with local weight w by using the Lusin-area functions for the full ranges of the indices, and then establish their atomic decompositions for $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0, 1]$ and $q \in [p, \infty)$. The novelty is that the weight w here satisfies the classical Muckenhoupt condition only on balls with their radii in (0, 1]. Finite atomic decompositions for smooth functions in $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ are also obtained, which further implies that a (sub)linear operator that maps smooth atoms of $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ uniformly into a bounded set of a (quasi-)Banach space is extended to a bounded operator on the whole $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. As an application, the boundedness of the local Riesz operator on the space $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is obtained.

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1 Introduction

The local weight class was introduced by Rychkov [18]. Recall that, for $p \in (1, \infty)$, the local weight class $\mathcal{A}_{p}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ consists of all non-negative locally integrable functions w such that

$$[w]_{\mathcal{A}_{p}^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} := \sup_{|Q| \le 1} \left\{ \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} w(x) \mathrm{d}x \right\} \left\{ \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} [w(x)]^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} \mathrm{d}x \right\}^{p-1} < \infty,$$

where the supremum is taken over all cubes of \mathbb{R}^n with the *n*-dimensional Lebesgue measure no more than 1 and with sides parallelling to the coordinate axis. If p = 1, then the class $\mathcal{A}_1^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ consists of all non-negative locally integrable functions w such that

$$[w]_{\mathcal{A}_{1}^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} := \sup_{|Q| \le 1} \left\{ \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} w(x) \mathrm{d}x \right\} \sup_{y \in Q} [w(y)]^{-1} < \infty.$$

Define $\mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n) := \bigcup_{1 \le p < \infty} \mathcal{A}_p^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. For any $q \in [1, \infty]$, let $q_w := \inf\{q : w \in \mathcal{A}_q^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)\}$,

which is called the critical index of the local weight w. Observe that the class $\mathcal{A}^{\mathrm{loc}}_{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$

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consists of non-doubling weights, which may grow or decrease exponentially at infinity. Apart from the well-known Muckenhoupt weight class, an important example of $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is from Triebel [24, Chapter 6], wherein the author investigated weighted inhomogeneous Besov and Triebel-Lizorkin spaces associated to a weight w satisfying that there exist $\beta \in (0, 1]$ and $C \in (0, \infty)$ such that, for all $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $0 < w(x) \leq Cw(y) e^{|x-y|^{\beta}}$; see also Schott [20–21] and Schmeißer-Triebel [19].

Rychkov [18] introduced and studied the inhomogeneous Besov and Triebel-Lizorkin spaces associated to a weight $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Izuki and Sawano [14–16] then investigated the wavelet characterizations of these function spaces. Also, Tang [22] established the maximal function characterization of the weighted local Hardy spaces $h_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, which is an extension of the results of Bui [1] and Goldberg [7]. Boundedness of some strongly singular integrals, pseudo-differential operators and their commutators on the weighted local Hardy spaces $h_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ were also studied in [22–23]. For generalizations of the results in [22] to some Orlicz-type local Hardy spaces associated to the weight $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ (see [25]). It should be mentioned that there are many works concerning the (in)homogeneous Besov or Triebel-Lizorkin spaces associated to the classical Muckenhoupt weights; see, for instance, [9–13, 24] and their references.

The main aim of this paper is to characterize the inhomogeneous Triebel-Lizorkin spaces $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with local weight $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ in the sense of Rychkov [18] (see also Definition 1.1 below) by using atoms completely analogous to the classical atoms of Hardy spaces. In other words, for $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0, 1]$, $q \in [p, \infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\max\{q,1\}}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, we prove, in Theorem 1.2 below, that an element $f \in F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ if and only if it can be written as a linear combination of these weighted atoms with the coefficients belonging to ℓ^p . To this end, we first establish the Lusin-area function characterization of $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ in Theorem 1.1 below. Moreover, finite atomic decompositions for smooth functions in $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ are presented in Theorem 1.3 below. This allows us to deduce the following boundedness criteria in Theorem 1.4 below: If a (sub)linear operator maps atoms, which are infinitely differentiable, of $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ into a (quasi-)Banach space uniformly, then it extends to a bounded (sub)linear operator on the whole $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. As an application, the boundedness of the local Riesz operator on the space $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is obtained. It is expectable that Theorem 1.4 may have further more applications, say, in the study of the boundedness of operators on $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ (see, for example, [2–3, 17]).

It should be mentioned that the definition of atoms of $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ (see Definition 1.2 below) used by us throughout this paper is inspired by Han, Paluszyński and Weiss [8], in which atomic characterizations for the classical non-weighted homogeneous Triebel-Lizorkin space $\dot{F}_{p,q}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ were established, where $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0,1]$ and $q \in [p,\infty)$. We also remark that atomic decompositions of the Triebel-Lizorkin spaces $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with local weights were also considered in [15], by using the machinery of the ϕ -transform of Frazier-Jawerth in [4–5]. The advantage of the atoms used in this paper is that it is more convenient for applications in the study on the boundedness of operators.

To recall the inhomogeneous Triebel-Lizorkin spaces with local weights introduced in [18], we need the following notation. Let $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ be the set of all infinitely differentiable functions on \mathbb{R}^n with compact support. Endow $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with the strict inductive topology, which is denoted by $\mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and whose dual space by $\mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$. As in [18], let $\mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$ be the space of all $f \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that there exist positive constants A_f and N_f such that for all $\phi \in$ $\mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n), |\langle f, \phi \rangle| \leq A_f \sup\{|D^{\alpha}\phi(x)|e^{N_f|x|}: x \in \mathbb{R}^n, |\alpha| \leq N_f\}. \text{ For } p \in (0, \infty], \text{ we denote by } L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n) \text{ the weighted Lebesgue space which consists of all functions } f \text{ such that } ||f||_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} := \{\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |f(x)|^p w(x) dx\}^{\frac{1}{p}} < \infty, \text{ and by } L^{p,\infty}_w(\mathbb{R}^n) \text{ the weighted weak-type Lebesgue space which consists of all functions } f \text{ such that } ||f||_{L^{p,\infty}_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} := \sup_{t>0} t[w(\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : |f(x)| > t\})]^{\frac{1}{p}} < \infty. \text{ For any } s \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ we denote by } |s| \text{ the maximal integer no more than } s.$

Definition 1.1 Let $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0,\infty)$ and $q \in (0,\infty]$. Suppose that $\phi_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $\phi := \phi_0 - 2^{-n}\phi_0(2^{-1}\cdot)$ satisfies that

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} x^{\alpha} \phi(x) \mathrm{d}x = 0 \quad \text{for all } |\alpha| \le \max\{-1, \lfloor s \rfloor\}.$$
(1.1)

For $j \in \mathbb{N}$, set $\phi_j := 2^{jn} \phi(2^j \cdot)$. The inhomogeneous Triebel-Lizorkin space $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is defined to be the collection of all $f \in \mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that

$$\|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} := \left\| \left[\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{jsq} |\phi_{j} * f|^{q} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\|_{L^{p}_{w}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} < \infty$$

with a usual modification made when $q = \infty$.

Notice that $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, with $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0,\infty)$ and $q \in (0,\infty]$, are complete (quasi-)Banach spaces (see [18, Lemma 2.15]). By [18, Theorem 2.5], there exist positive constants A_0 and B_0 , depending only on s, p, q and w, such that, when $A \ge A_0$ and $B \ge \frac{B_0}{p}$,

$$\|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} \sim \left\| \left[\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{jsq} |\phi_{j,A,B}^{*}f|^{q} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\|_{L_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})},$$
(1.2)

where $\phi_{i,A,B}^* f$ denotes the Peetre-type maximal function of f, defined by

$$\phi_{j,A,B}^* f(x) := \sup_{y \in \mathbb{R}^n} \frac{|\phi_j * f(y)|}{(1+2^j |x-y|)^A e^{B|x-y|}}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$
(1.3)

From this Peetre-type maximal function characterization for $F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, it follows easily that the space $F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is independent of the choice of $\phi_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ satisfying (1.1).

For any $a \in (0, \infty)$, $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $q \in (0, \infty)$ and $f \in \mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$, the Lusin-area functions $S^{a,s}_q(f)$ and $\widetilde{S}^{a,s}_q(f)$ are defined, respectively, by setting, for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$S_{a,q}^{s}(f)(x) := \left[\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{|B(x,2^{-j})|} \int_{|x-y| < a2^{-j}} |2^{js}\phi_j * f(y)|^q \mathrm{d}y\right]^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

and

$$\widetilde{S}^s_{a,q}(f)(x) := \Big[\sum_{j=0}^\infty \sup_{|x-y| < a2^{-j}} |2^{js}\phi_j * f(y)|^q \mathrm{d}y\Big]^{\frac{1}{q}},$$

where $\{\phi_j\}_{j=0}^{\infty}$ are as in Definition 1.1. Applying the Peetre-type maximal function characterization of $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ in (1.2), we can conclude the following Lusin-area function characterization of $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, whose proof is presented in Section 3.

Theorem 1.1 Let $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $a \in (0, \infty)$, $s \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $p \in (0, \infty)$ and $q \in (0, \infty)$. Then, there exists a positive constant C such that, for all $f \in \mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$,

$$\frac{1}{C} \|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le \|S^s_{a,q}(f)\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le \|\widetilde{S}^s_{a,q}(f)\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le C \|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)}.$$

Motivated by [8], we introduce atoms of the space $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ as follows.

Definition 1.2 Let $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0,1]$, $q \in [p,\infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\max\{q,1\}}^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. A distribution $a \in \mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is called a $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom of $F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ if the following hold:

- (i) a is supported on a cube $Q \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ centered at c_Q and of side length $\ell(Q)$.
- (ii) $||a||_{F_{q,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le [w(Q)]^{\frac{1}{q} \frac{1}{p}}.$

(iii) If |Q| < 1, then for any $g \in S(\mathbb{R}^n)$, a polynomial P of degree at most $\mathcal{N} := \max \{ \lfloor n(\frac{q_w}{p} - 1) - s \rfloor, 0 \}$ and a smooth cutoff function $\eta_Q \in S(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that $\eta_Q = 1$ on Q and $\eta_Q = 0$ outside $2Q, \langle a, g \rangle = \langle a, (g - P)\eta_Q \rangle$, here and hereafter, 2Q denotes the cube centered at c_Q and of side length $2\ell(Q)$.

Now we give the following atomic characterization of the Triebel-Lizorkin spaces, which follows from the Calderón reproducing formula (see Lemma 2.3 below) and the Lusin-area function characterization of $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ in Theorem 1.1 (see Section 4 for its proof).

Theorem 1.2 Let $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0,1]$, $q \in [p,\infty)$ and $w \in A^{\text{loc}}_{\max\{q,1\}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then, $f \in F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ if and only if $f = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \lambda_k a_k$ in $\mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$, where $\{\lambda_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \in \ell^p$ and $\{a_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ are $(p,q,s)_w$ atoms. Moreover, there exists a positive constant C such that, for all $f \in F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$,

$$\frac{1}{C} \|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le \inf\left\{ \left[\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}} |\lambda_k|^p\right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right\} \le C \|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)},$$

where the infimum is taken over all the decompositions of f as above.

Next, we show that functions in $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ can be decomposed into finite linear combinations of $(p, q, s)_w$ -atoms with their coefficients belonging to ℓ^p . The proof is given in Section 5 by invoking some ideas from [17].

Theorem 1.3 Let $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0,1]$, $q \in [p,\infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\max\{1,q\}}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then, every $f \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ admits an atomic decomposition $f = \sum_{k=1}^N \lambda_k a_k$, where $N \in \mathbb{N}$, $\{a_k\}_{k=1}^N$ are $(p,q,s)_w$ -atoms such that each $a_k \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $\left[\sum_{k=1}^N |\lambda_k|^p\right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq C \|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$ for some positive constant C independent of f and N.

Indeed, $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is dense in $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ (see Lemma 6.1 below). Consequently, we can establish a boundedness criteria for (sub)linear operators from $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ to some (quasi)-Banach spaces as in [17, 26–27]. Before going into details, we first recall the following notion (see, for example, [17, 26–27]).

Definition 1.3 (i) A quasi-Banach space \mathcal{B} is a vector space endowed with a quasi-norm $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{B}}$ which is non-negative, non-degenerate (namely, $\|f\|_{\mathcal{B}} = 0$ if and only if f = 0), homogeneous, and obeys the quasi-triangle inequality, namely, there exists a constant $K \ge 1$ such that, for all $f, g \in \mathcal{B}, \|f+g\|_{\mathcal{B}} \le K[\|f\|_{\mathcal{B}} + \|g\|_{\mathcal{B}}]$.

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(ii) Let $r \in (0,1]$. A quasi-Banach space \mathcal{B}_r with the quasi-norm $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{B}_r}$ is called an r-quasi-Banach space if $\|f + g\|_{\mathcal{B}_r}^r \leq \|f\|_{\mathcal{B}_r}^r + \|g\|_{\mathcal{B}_r}^r$ for all $f,g \in \mathcal{B}_r$.

(iii) For any r-quasi-Banach space \mathcal{B}_r with $r \in (0,1]$ and a linear space \mathcal{Y} , an operator T from \mathcal{Y} to \mathcal{B}_r is said to be \mathcal{B}_r -sublinear if, for all $f, g \in \mathcal{Y}$ and $\lambda, \nu \in \mathbb{C}$,

$$||T(\lambda f + \nu g)||_{\mathcal{B}_r} \le [|\lambda|^r ||T(f)||_{\mathcal{B}_r}^r + |\nu|^r ||T(g)||_{\mathcal{B}_r}^r]^{\frac{1}{r}}$$

and $||T(f) - T(g)||_{\mathcal{B}_r} \le ||T(f - g)||_{\mathcal{B}_r}$.

Applying Theorem 1.3 and the density property of $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ in $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, we can establish a criterion for the boundedness of operators on $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ (see Section 6 for its proof).

Theorem 1.4 Let $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0,1]$, $q \in [p,\infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\max\{1,q\}}^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Suppose that \mathcal{B}_r is an r-quasi-Banach space with $r \in [p,1]$ and that $T : C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap \dot{F}_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n) \to \mathcal{B}_r$ is a \mathcal{B}_r -sublinear operator satisfying that

$$\sup\{\|Ta\|_{\mathcal{B}_r}: a \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \text{ is any } (p,q,s)_w\text{-atom}\} < \infty.$$

Then T uniquely extends to a bounded \mathcal{B}_r -sublinear operator from $F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ to \mathcal{B}_r .

From Theorem 1.4, it follows the boundedness of the local Riesz operator on the Triebel-Lizorkin spaces with local weights. Let $\Phi \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ satisfying $\Phi(x) = 1$ for $x \in B(0,1)$ and $\operatorname{supp} \Phi \subset B(0,2)$. For $j \in \{1, \dots, n\}$, consider the local Riesz operator

$$\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}} f(x) := \text{p.v.} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{y_j}{|y|^{n+1}} \Phi(y) f(x-y) \mathrm{d}y, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

(see [22, 25]). It was proved in [22, Lemma 8.2] that $\mathcal{R}_{j}^{\text{loc}}$ is bounded on $L_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ when $p \in (1, \infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_{p}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$, and from $L_{w}^{1}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ to $L_{w}^{1,\infty}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ when $w \in \mathcal{A}_{1}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$. For $p \in (0, 1]$, let $h_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ be the weighted local Hardy space, which consists of all $f \in \mathcal{S}_{e}'(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ such that $f^{+} := \sup_{0 < t \leq 1} |\phi_{t} * f| \in L_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$, where $\phi \in C_{c}^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ has a non-zero integral, and we define $\|f\|_{h_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} := \|f^{+}\|_{L_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})}$. The operators $\{\mathcal{R}_{j}^{\text{loc}}\}_{j=1}^{n}$ were used to characterize $h_{w}^{1}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ in [22]. Moreover, it was proved in [25, Theorem 8.2] that $\mathcal{R}_{j}^{\text{loc}}$ is bounded on the Orlicz-type local Hardy spaces with local weights, which particularly implies that each $\mathcal{R}_{j}^{\text{loc}}$ is bounded on the local weighted Hardy space $h_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ with $p \in (0, 1]$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$.

Applying Theorem 1.4, we obtain the following conclusion (see Section 7 for its proof).

Theorem 1.5 Let $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0,1]$, $q \in [1,\infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_q^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then, for all $j \in \{1,\cdots,n\}$, the operator $\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}}$ is bounded on $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

Remark 1.1 (i) For $p \in (0, 1]$, it was proved in [18, Theorem 2.25] that $F_{p,2}^{0,w}(\mathbb{R}^n) = h_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with equivalent quasi-norms. Thus, for all $p \in (0, 1]$, if we take s = 0 and q = 2 in Theorem 1.5, then every $\mathcal{R}_i^{\text{loc}}$ is bounded on the space $h_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ if $w \in \mathcal{A}_2^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

(ii) The result in (i) is slightly weaker than the aforementioned corollary of [25, Theorem 8.2], which says that $\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}}$ is bounded on $h_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ for all $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. The reasons for this are as follows. The size condition of an $h_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ -atom in [25, Definition 3.4] can be given by any $\|\cdot\|_{L^r_w(\mathbb{R}^n)}$ norm with $r \in [1, \infty] \cap (p, \infty)$; meanwhile, any weight $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ implies that $w \in \mathcal{A}_r^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ for some $r \in (1, \infty)$. However, the size condition of a $(p, 2, 0)_w$ -atom in Definition 1.2 is given by some fixed quasi-norm $\|\cdot\|_{F_{2,w}^{0,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$, so we are forced to use weights $w \in \mathcal{A}_2^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. This article is organized as follows. In Section 2, we first recall some known basic lemmas, including the properties of the local weight, Fefferman-Stein vector-valued inequalities associated to the local weights, and the Calderón reproducing formulae; we then prove a duality result related to the space $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. The proof of Theorem 1.1 is presented in Section 3. The whole Section 4 focuses on the proof of Theorem 1.2, by using Theorem 1.1 and a series of auxiliary lemmas developed in Section 4. In Section 5, we prove Theorem 1.3 by using the atomic decomposition result in Theorem 1.2. Sections 6 is devoted to the proof of Theorem 1.4 by showing the density property of $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ in $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ (see Lemma 6.1). Finally, the proof of Theorem 1.5 is presented in Section 7, by using Theorem 1.5.

Throughout this paper, we use the following notation. Let $\mathbb{N} := \{1, \dots\}, \mathbb{Z}_+ := \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ and $\mathbb{Z} := \{0, \pm 1, \dots\}$. Denote by *C* a positive constant independent of the main parameters involved, which may vary at different occurrences. We use $f \leq g$ or $g \geq f$ to denote $f \leq Cg$ or $g \geq Cf$, respectively. If $f \leq g \leq f$, then we write $f \sim g$.

2 Preliminaries

For $\kappa \in (0, \infty)$, the local Hardy-Littlewood maximal operator M_{κ}^{loc} is defined by setting, for all locally integrable functions f and $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$M_{\kappa}^{\operatorname{loc}}(f)(x) := \sup_{\substack{Q \ni x \\ |Q| \le \kappa}} \frac{1}{|Q|} \int_{Q} |f(y)| \mathrm{d}y.$$

If $\kappa = 1$, then we simply write M_{κ}^{loc} as M^{loc} . Also, for $B \ge 0$, all suitable functions f and $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, let $K_B(f)(x) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |f(y)| e^{-B|x-y|} dy$.

The following versions of the vector-valued Fefferman-Stein maximal inequalities associated to local weights were proved in [18, Lemma 2.11].

Lemma 2.1 If $\kappa \in (0, \infty)$, $p \in (1, \infty)$, $q \in (1, \infty]$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_p^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, then, for any sequence of locally integrable functions $\{f_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$, it holds true that

$$\left\|\left\{\sum_{j\in\mathbb{Z}} [M_{\kappa}^{\mathrm{loc}}(f_j)]^q\right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}\right\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le C \left\|\left\{\sum_{j\in\mathbb{Z}} |f_j|^q\right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}\right\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)}$$
(2.1)

and there exists a positive constant B_0 , depending only on n and w, such that, when $B \geq \frac{B_0}{n}$,

$$\left\|\left\{\sum_{j\in\mathbb{Z}} [K_B(f_j)]^q\right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}\right\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le C \left\|\left\{\sum_{j\in\mathbb{Z}} |f_j|^q\right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}\right\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)},\tag{2.2}$$

where C is a positive constant depending only on n, κ , p, q, B and $[w]_{\mathcal{A}_{n}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^{n})}$.

Some properties of the local weights are presented in the following lemma; whose proofs were given in [18, Lemma 1.4] and [22, Lemma 2.1 and Corollary 2.1].

Lemma 2.2 Let $p \in [1, \infty]$, $w \in \mathcal{A}_p^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $\kappa \in (0, \infty)$.

(i) There exists a positive constant c_w , which depends only on $[w]_{\mathcal{A}_p^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$ and n, such that, for all $t \in [1, \infty)$ and cubes Q with |Q| = 1, $w(tQ) \leq e^{c_w t} w(Q)$.

(ii) There is a positive constant C, which depends only on $[w]_{\mathcal{A}_p^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$ and n, such that, if $|Q| \leq 1$, then $w(2Q) \leq Cw(Q)$ and, if |rQ| > 1, then $w((r+1)Q) \leq Cw(rQ)$.

(iii) M_{κ}^{loc} is bounded from $L_{w}^{1}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ to $L_{w}^{1,\infty}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ if p = 1, and bounded on $L_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})$ if $p \in (1,\infty]$.

(iv) For $p \in (1, \infty)$, $w \in \mathcal{A}_p^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ if and only if $w^{-\frac{1}{p-1}} \in \mathcal{A}_{p'}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, here and hereafter, p' denotes the conjugate index of p.

The Calderón-type reproducing formula in the local case was essentially given in [18, Theorem 1.6]. Indeed, Lemma 2.3 for j = 0 was proved in [18, Theorem 1.6] and the proofs for the general case $j \in \mathbb{N}$ are essentially the same. We omit the details.

Lemma 2.3 Assume that $\phi_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ has a nonzero integral. Let $\phi := \phi_0 - 2^{-n}\phi_0(2^{-1}\cdot)$. Then, for any given $L \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, there exist functions $\psi_0, \psi \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that ψ_0 has a nonzero integral, ψ has vanishing moments up to order L (namely, $\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} x^{\alpha}\psi(x)dx = 0$ for all multiindices α with $|\alpha| \leq L$) and, for all $j \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $f \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$,

$$f = (\psi_0)_j * (\phi_0)_j * f + \sum_{i=j+1}^{\infty} \psi_i * \phi_i * f \quad in \ \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n),$$
(2.3)

where $\phi_i := 2^{in} \phi(2^i \cdot)$ and $\psi_i := 2^{in} \psi(2^i \cdot)$ for all $i \in \mathbb{N}$.

Finally, we conclude this section with the following duality result.

Proposition 2.1 Let $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (1, \infty)$, $q \in [1, \infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_p^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then

$$(F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n))^* = F_{p',q'}^{-s,w^{1-p'}}(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

Proof For $p \in (1, \infty)$, $q \in [1, \infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_p^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, we denote by $L_w^p(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n)$ the space of all sequences of functions $\{h_j\}_{j=0}^{\infty}$ such that $\|\{h_j\}_{j=0}^{\infty}\|_{L_w^p(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n)} := \|\{\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |h_j|^q\}^{\frac{1}{q}}\|_{L_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)}$ is finite. If w = 1, then we simply write $L_w^p(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n)$ as $L^p(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n)$. By an argument similar to that used in the proof of $(L^p(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n))^* = L^{p'}(\ell^{q'})(\mathbb{R}^n)$ (see [24, p. 177]), we conclude that

$$(L^p_w(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n))^* = L^{p'}_{w^{1-p'}}(\ell^{q'})(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

Let $f \in F_{p',q'}^{-s,w^{-\frac{1}{p-1}}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. For all $g \in F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, by Lemma 2.3, we have $g = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \psi_i * \phi_i * g$, where ψ_i , ϕ_i are as in Lemma 2.3. Without loss of generality, we may assume that $\{\phi_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ has vanishing moments up to order M > |s|. From this and Hölder's inequality, it follows that

$$|\langle f,g\rangle| \le \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} |\langle \psi_i * f, \phi_i * g\rangle| \le ||f||_{F_{p',q'}^{-s,w^{1-p'}}(\mathbb{R}^n)} ||g||_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$$

with a usual modification made when q = 1. Thus, $L_f(g) := \langle f, g \rangle$ induces a linear continuous functional on $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with $\|L_f\| \leq \|f\|_{F_{p',q'}^{-s,w^{1-p'}}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$. Hence, $(F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n))^* \supset F_{p',q'}^{-s,w^{1-p'}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

To show the converse, we assume that $\overset{p}{L} \in (F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n))^*$. Since

$$f \in F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n) \mapsto \{2^{js}\phi_j * f\}_{j=0}^{\infty} \in L^p_w(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

is a one-to-one map from $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ to a subspace of $L_w^p(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n)$, it follows that the functional L can be interpreted as a functional on that subspace of $L_w^p(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n)$. By the Hahn-Banach

theorem, L can be extended to a continuous linear functional on $L^p_w(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with the norm preserved, which is denoted by \widetilde{L} . By this and $(L^p_w(\ell^q)(\mathbb{R}^n))^* = L^{p'}_{w^{1-p'}}(\ell^{q'})(\mathbb{R}^n)$, we see that there exists $\{g_j\}_{j=0}^{\infty} \in L^{p'}_{w^{1-p'}}(\ell^{q'})(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that, for all $f \in F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$,

$$L(f) = \widetilde{L}(\{2^{js}\phi_j * f\}_{j=0}^{\infty}) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{js} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} g_j(x)\phi_j * f(x) \mathrm{d}x = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{js} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(x)\widetilde{\phi}_j * g_j(x) \mathrm{d}x,$$

where $\widetilde{\phi}_j := \phi_j(-\cdot)$ for all $j \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $\|\{g_j\}_{j=0}^{\infty}\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\ell^{q'})(\mathbb{R}^n)} = \|\widetilde{L}\| = \|L\|$. If we let $g := \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{js} \phi_j * g_j$, then $L(f) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} g(x) f(x) dx$ for all $f \in F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Since $\{\phi_i\}_{i=0}^{\infty}$ have compact support and vanishing moments up to order M > |s|, it follows that, for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$|\phi_i * \phi_j * g_j(x)| \lesssim 2^{-|j-i|M} M_{\kappa}^{\operatorname{loc}}(g_j)(x)$$

with κ being a sufficiently large number depending on the support of $\{\phi_i\}_{i=0}^{\infty}$. Then,

$$\|g\|_{F_{p',q'}^{-s,w^{1-p'}}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim \left\| \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \left| \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{-|j-i|(M-|s|)} M_{\kappa}^{\operatorname{loc}}(g_j) \right|^{q'} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q'}} \right\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$$

By Hölder's inequality and $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{-|j-i|(M-|s|)} \lesssim 1$, we see that the last term displayed above is bounded by

$$\left\|\left\{\sum_{i=0}^{\infty}\sum_{j=0}^{\infty}2^{-|j-i|(M-|s|)}|M_{\kappa}^{\mathrm{loc}}(g_{j})|^{q'}\right\}^{\frac{1}{q'}}\right\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} \lesssim \left\|\left\{\sum_{j=0}^{\infty}|M_{\kappa}^{\mathrm{loc}}(g_{j})|^{q'}\right\}^{\frac{1}{q'}}\right\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\mathbb{R}^{n})}.$$

Finally, we apply (2.1) and Lemma 2.2(iv) to obtain

$$\|g\|_{F_{p',q'}^{-s,w^{1-p'}}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim \left\|\left\{\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |g_j|^{q'}\right\}^{\frac{1}{q'}}\right\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \|\{g_j\}_{j=0}^{\infty}\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\ell^{q'})(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \|L\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\ell^{q'})(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \|L\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\ell^{q'})(\mathbb{R}^n)} \leq \|L\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\ell^{q'})(\mathbb{R}^n)} \leq \|L\|_{L_{w^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \leq \|L\|_{W^{1-p'}}^{p'}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \leq \|L\|_{W^{1-p'}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \leq \|L\|_{W^{1-p$$

Hence, $(F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n))^* \subset F_{p',q'}^{-s,w^{1-p'}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, which completes the proof of Proposition 2.1.

3 Proof of Theorem 1.1

In this section, we show Theorem 1.1 by using the following estimate in [18, Lemma 2.9].

Lemma 3.1 Assume that $\phi_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ has a nonzero integral. Let $\phi := \phi_0 - 2^{-n}\phi_0(2^{-1}\cdot)$. Then, for any $r \in (0, \infty)$, $A \ge 0$ and $B \ge 0$, there exists a positive constant C, depending only on n, r, ϕ_0, A and B, such that, for all $f \in \mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $j \ge 0$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$|\phi_j * f(x)| \le C \Big[\sum_{k=j}^{\infty} 2^{(j-k)Ar} 2^{kn} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{|\phi_k * f(y)|^r}{(1+2^j|x-y|)^{Ar} e^{Br|x-y|}} dy \Big]^{\frac{1}{r}}$$

Proof of Theorem 1.1 Since $S^s_{a,q}(f)(x) \leq \widetilde{S}^s_{a,q}(f)(x)$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, it follows that

$$||S_{a,q}^{s}(f)||_{L_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} \leq ||S_{a,q}^{s}(f)||_{L_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})}.$$

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For all $A, B \in (0, \infty)$, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $k \in \mathbb{N}$, by the definition of $\mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$, we obtain

$$\sup_{|x-y| < a2^{-k}} |\phi_k * f(y)| = \sup_{|y| < a2^{-k}} |\phi_k * f(x-y)| \le (1+a)^A 2^{aB} \sup_{y \in \mathbb{R}^n} \frac{|\phi_k * f(x-y)|}{(1+2^k |y|)^A 2^{B|y|}}.$$

Consequently,

$$\widetilde{S}_{q}^{a,s}(f)(x) \lesssim \Big\{ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 2^{ksq} \Big[\sup_{y \in \mathbb{R}^{n}} \frac{|\phi_{k} * f(x-y)|}{(1+2^{k}|y|)^{A} 2^{B|y|}} \Big]^{q} \Big\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \lesssim \Big\{ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 2^{ksq} \Big[\phi_{k,A,B}^{*} f(x) \Big]^{q} \Big\}^{\frac{1}{q}},$$

which, combined with (1.2), implies that $\|\widetilde{S}_{a,q}^s(f)\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim \|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$.

It remains to show that $||f||_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim ||S_{a,q}^s(f)||_{L_w^w(\mathbb{R}^n)}$. To this end, we choose $r \in (0,\min\{p,q\}), A > \max\{\frac{n}{r} - s, \frac{n}{r}\}$ and $B > \frac{B_0}{p}$ (with B_0 as in Lemma 2.1). Then, from Lemma 3.1, we deduce that, for all $j \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$2^{js}|\phi_j * f(x)| \lesssim 2^{js} \Big\{ \sum_{k=j}^{\infty} 2^{(j-k)Ar} 2^{2kn} \int_{|z| < a2^{-k}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{|\phi_k * f(y+z)|^r}{(1+2^j|x-y-z|)^{Ar} e^{Br|x-y-z|}} \mathrm{d}y \mathrm{d}z \Big\}^{\frac{1}{r}}.$$

Combining this with Fubini's theorem and the fact that, when $k \ge j \ge 0$ and $|z| \le a2^{-k}$,

$$\frac{1}{(1+2^{j}|x-y-z|)^{Ar}\mathrm{e}^{Br|x-y-z|}} \lesssim \frac{1}{(1+2^{j}|x-y|)^{Ar}\mathrm{e}^{Br|x-y|}}$$

we further conclude that, for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$2^{js}|\phi_j * f(x)| \lesssim \left\{ \sum_{k=j}^{\infty} 2^{(j-k)(A+s-\frac{n}{r})r} 2^{jn} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{2^{kn} \int_{|z| < a2^{-k}} 2^{ksr} |\phi_k * f(y+z)|^r \mathrm{d}z}{(1+2^j|x-y|)^{Ar} \mathrm{e}^{Br|x-y|}} \mathrm{d}y \right\}^{\frac{1}{r}}.$$

Let

$$\Phi_{k,s,q}(f)(y) := \left[2^{kn} \int_{|z| < a2^{-k}} 2^{ksq} |\phi_k * f(y+z)|^q \mathrm{d}z\right]^{\frac{1}{q}}, \quad y \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$

Further, since $0 < r < \min\{p,q\}$ and $A + s - \frac{n}{r} > 0$, it follows, from Hölder's inequality, that

$$2^{js}|\phi_j * f(x)| \lesssim \left\{ \sum_{k=j}^{\infty} 2^{(j-k)(A+s-\frac{n}{r})r} \left[2^{jn} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{[\Phi_{k,s,q}(f)(y)]^r}{(1+2^j|x-y|)^{Ar} \mathrm{e}^{Br|x-y|}} \mathrm{d}y \right]^{\frac{q}{r}} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

By Ar > n, we see that, for all $j \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$2^{jn} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{[\Phi_{k,s,q}(f)(y)]^r}{(1+2^j|x-y|)^{Ar} \mathrm{e}^{Br|x-y|}} \mathrm{d}y \lesssim M^{\mathrm{loc}} \left(|\Phi_{k,s,q}(f)|^r\right)(x) + K_{Br}(|\Phi_{k,s,q}(f)|^r)(x),$$

which implies that

$$2^{js}|\phi_j * f(x)| \lesssim \left\{ \sum_{k=j}^{\infty} 2^{(j-k)(A+s-\frac{n}{r})r} [M^{\operatorname{loc}}(|\Phi_{k,s,q}(f)|^r)(x) + K_{Br}(|\Phi_{k,s,q}(f)|^r)(x)]^{\frac{q}{r}} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

Consequently, we have

$$\|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim \left\| \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} [M^{\operatorname{loc}}(|\Phi_{k,s,q}(f)|^r)]^{\frac{q}{r}} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} [K_{Br}(|\Phi_{k,s,q}(f)|^r)]^{\frac{q}{r}} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)}.$$

Further, by $r < \min\{p,q\}$ and $B \geq \frac{B_0}{p}$, we apply (2.1) and (2.2) to obtain $||f||_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim ||S_{a,q}^s(f)||_{L_w^w(\mathbb{R}^n)}$. This concludes the proof of Theorem 1.1.

4 Proof of Theorem 1.2

To prove Theorem 1.2, we need to establish a series of auxiliary lemmas.

Lemma 4.1 Let $s \in (-\infty, 0)$, $p \in (0, 1]$, $q \in [p, \infty)$ and $w \in A^{\text{loc}}_{\max\{q,1\}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Assume that (i) $\phi_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that $\text{supp}(\phi_0) \subset B(0, 1)$;

(ii) for any $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $\phi(z) := \phi_0(z) - 2^{-n}\phi_0(2^{-1}z)$;

(iii) $a \in \mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is a $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom supported on a cube Q, with center c_Q and side length $\ell(Q) \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$.

Then, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, supp $(\phi_k * a) \subset B(c_Q, 3)$. Moreover, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $x \in B(c_Q, 3)$,

$$|\phi_k * a(x)| \le C2^{kn+k(\mathcal{N}+1)} [w(Q)]^{-\frac{1}{p}} |Q|^{\min\{1,\frac{1}{q}\} + \frac{s+N+1}{n}},$$

where C is a positive constant independent of k, a and x.

Proof It is easy to see that every $\sup(\phi_k * a) \subset B(c_Q, 3)$. Since $\ell(Q) \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$, it follows that there exists $i_0 \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ such that $2^{-i_0-1} < \sqrt{n}\ell(Q) \leq 2^{-i_0}$. By Definition 1.2, the $(p, q, s)_w$ -atom a has vanishing moments up to order $\mathcal{N} := \lfloor n(\frac{q_w}{p}-1) - s \rfloor$. From the Calderón reproducing formula (2.3), it follows that there exist functions $\psi_0, \psi \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that ψ_0 has a nonzero integral and ψ has vanishing moments up to order \mathcal{N} , and

$$a = (\psi_0)_{i_0} * (\phi_0)_{i_0} * a + \sum_{i=i_0+1}^{\infty} \psi_i * \phi_i * a \quad \text{in } \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n).$$
(4.1)

Let $P_{\mathcal{N}}(\phi_k)$ be the Taylor polynomial given by that, for all $y, z \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$P_{\mathcal{N}}(\phi_k)(z;y) := \sum_{\substack{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}_+^n \\ |\gamma| \le \mathcal{N}}} c_{\gamma}(c_Q - y)^{\gamma} (D^{\gamma} \phi_k)(z - c_Q),$$

where $\{c_{\gamma}\}_{\gamma}$ are coefficients. For any $y, z \in \mathbb{R}^n$, set $\Phi_{k,z}(y) := \phi_k(z-y) - P_N(\phi_k)(z;y)$. Let η_Q be the smooth cutoff function associated to the cube Q as defined in Definition 1.2. For all $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$, by the vanishing moment condition of a, we have $\phi_k * a(z) = \langle a, \phi_k(z-\cdot)\eta_Q \rangle = \langle a, \Phi_{k,z}\eta_Q \rangle$. From this and (4.1), it follows that, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$\phi_k * a(z) = \langle (\phi_0)_{i_0} * a, \ \widetilde{(\psi_0)_{i_0}} * (\Phi_{k,z}\eta_Q) \rangle + \sum_{i=i_0+1}^{\infty} \langle \phi_i * a, \ \widetilde{\psi}_i * (\Phi_{k,z}\eta_Q) \rangle,$$

where we used the notation $\widetilde{\varphi}(u) := \varphi(-u)$ for any function φ and $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$. By the choice of i_0 and the support conditions of ϕ and a, we conclude that $\operatorname{supp}((\phi_0)_{i_0} * a) \subset B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n\ell(Q)})$ and $\operatorname{supp}(\phi_i * a) \subset B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n\ell(Q)})$ for $i > i_0$. Thus, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$\phi_{k} * a(z) = \int_{B(c_{Q}, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))} (\phi_{0})_{i_{0}} * a(y) \widetilde{(\psi_{0})_{i_{0}}} * (\Phi_{k,z}\eta_{Q})(y) dy + \sum_{i=i_{0}+1}^{\infty} \int_{B(c_{Q}, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))} \phi_{i} * a(y) \widetilde{\psi_{i}} * (\Phi_{k,z}\eta_{Q})(y) dy.$$
(4.2)

For all multi-indices $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_+^n$ with $|\alpha| \leq \mathcal{N}$, the mean value theorem further implies that, for all $y \in B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n\ell(Q)})$ and $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$|D_y^{\alpha} \Phi_{k,z}(y)| \lesssim 2^{kn+k(\mathcal{N}+1)} \ell(Q)^{\mathcal{N}-|\alpha|+1}.$$
(4.3)

From (4.3), it further follows that

$$|D_y^{\alpha}(\Phi_{k,z}\eta_Q)(y)| \lesssim \sum_{\substack{\beta \in \mathbb{Z}^n_+\\\beta \leq \alpha}} |D_y^{\beta}\Phi_{k,z}(y)| \lesssim 2^{kn+k(\mathcal{N}+1)}.$$
(4.4)

By (4.3) and $\ell(Q) \sim 2^{-i_0}$, we know that, for all $y \in B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))$,

$$|\widetilde{(\psi_0)_{i_0}} * (\Phi_{k,z} \eta_Q)(y)| \lesssim 2^{kn + (k-i_0)(\mathcal{N}+1)}.$$
(4.5)

Since $\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \psi(x) x^{\alpha} dx = 0$ for all $|\alpha| \leq \mathcal{N}$, we see that, for all $i \geq i_0 + 1$ and $y \in B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n\ell(Q)})$,

$$\begin{aligned} &|\widetilde{\psi}_i * (\Phi_{k,z}\eta_Q)(y)| \\ &= \Big| \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \psi_i(u-y) \Big[\Phi_{k,z}(u)\eta_Q(u) - \sum_{|\alpha| \le \mathcal{N}} c_\alpha(u-y)^\alpha D_y^\alpha(\Phi_{k,z}\eta_Q)(y) \Big] \mathrm{d}u \Big|. \end{aligned}$$
(4.6)

By the mean value theorem and (4.4), we see that the quality inside the bracket of the second line of (4.6) is dominated by

$$\sup_{\theta \in [0,1]} \sum_{|\alpha| = \mathcal{N}+1} |(u-y)^{\alpha} D^{\alpha}(\Phi_{k,z}\eta_Q)(\theta u + (1-\theta)y)| \lesssim |u-y|^{\mathcal{N}+1} 2^{k(n+\mathcal{N}+1)}.$$

Inserting this into (4.6) gives that, when $i > i_0$,

$$|\widetilde{\psi}_i * (\Phi_{k,z}\eta_Q)(y)| \lesssim 2^{k(n+\mathcal{N}+1)} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\psi_i(u-y)| |u-y|^{\mathcal{N}+1} \mathrm{d}y \lesssim 2^{kn+(k-i)(\mathcal{N}+1)}.$$
(4.7)

Applying (4.2), (4.5) and (4.7), we conclude that, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$\begin{aligned} |\phi_k * a(z)| &\lesssim 2^{kn + (k-i_0)(\mathcal{N}+1)} \int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))} |(\phi_0)_{i_0} * a(y)| \mathrm{d}y \\ &+ \sum_{i=i_0+1}^{\infty} 2^{kn + (k-i)(\mathcal{N}+1)} \int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))} |\phi_i * a(y)| \mathrm{d}y. \end{aligned}$$
(4.8)

Now we consider the following two cases.

Case 1 $q \in [1, \infty)$. Taking $z := x \in B(c_Q, 3)$ in (4.8) and applying the fact $(\phi_0)_{i_0} = \sum_{i=0}^{i_0} \phi_i$, we see that

$$\begin{aligned} |\phi_k * a(x)| &\lesssim 2^{kn + (k-i_0)(\mathcal{N}+1)} \int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n\ell}(Q))} \sum_{i=0}^{i_0} |2^{is}\phi_i * a(y)| 2^{-is} \, \mathrm{d}y \\ &+ 2^{kn + k(\mathcal{N}+1)} \int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n\ell}(Q))} \sum_{i=i_0+1}^{\infty} |2^{is}\phi_i * a(y)| 2^{-i(s+\mathcal{N}+1)} \, \mathrm{d}y. \end{aligned}$$

Further, if we apply Hölder's inequality to each term on the right-hand side of the above inequality, and use the facts s < 0 and s + N + 1 > 0, then

$$|\phi_k * a(x)| \lesssim 2^{kn+k(\mathcal{N}+1)} 2^{-i_0(s+\mathcal{N}+1)} \int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n\ell(Q)})} \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} |2^{is}\phi_i * a(y)|^q \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \mathrm{d}y.$$
(4.9)

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Using Hölder's inequality and $w \in \mathcal{A}_q^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, we further have

$$\int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))} \Big\{ \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} |2^{is} \phi_i * a(y)|^q \Big\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \mathrm{d}y \lesssim [w(Q)]^{-\frac{1}{p}} |Q|.$$

Inserting this estimate into (4.9), we conclude that, for all $x \in B(c_Q, 3)$,

$$|\phi_k * a(x)| \lesssim 2^{kn+k(\mathcal{N}+1)} [w(Q)]^{-\frac{1}{p}} |Q|^{1+\frac{s+\mathcal{N}+1}{n}},$$

which is the desired conclusion.

Case 2 $p \in (0,1)$ and $q \in [p,1)$. In this case, $w \in \mathcal{A}_1^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $\mathcal{N} = \lfloor n(\frac{1}{p}-1) - s \rfloor$. Since $w \in \mathcal{A}_1^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, it follows that the ball $B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n\ell(Q)})$ is covered by a finite number of (depending only on n) smaller cubes $\{\widetilde{Q}\}$ such that each \widetilde{Q} has the same side length as that of Q and hence $w(\widetilde{Q}) \sim w(Q)$ by Lemma 2.2(ii), which further gives that

$$\sup_{y \in B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n\ell(Q)})} |w^{-1}(y)| \le \sum_{\tilde{Q}} \sup_{y \in \tilde{Q}} |w^{-1}(y)| \lesssim \sum_{\tilde{Q}} \frac{|Q|}{w(\tilde{Q})} \lesssim \frac{|Q|}{w(Q)}.$$
(4.10)

From (4.8), (4.10) and the fact $(\phi_0)_{i_0} = \sum_{i=0}^{i_0} \phi_i$, together with s < 0, we deduce that, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$\begin{split} |2^{ks}\phi_k * a(z)| \lesssim \frac{|Q|}{w(Q)} 2^{kn} 2^{(k-i_0)(s+\mathcal{N}+1)} \int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))} \sum_{i=0}^{i_0} |2^{is}\phi_i * a(y)| w(y) \mathrm{d}y \\ &+ \frac{|Q|}{w(Q)} \sum_{i=i_0+1}^{\infty} 2^{kn} 2^{(k-i)(s+\mathcal{N}+1)} \int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))} |2^{is}\phi_i * a(y)| w(y) \mathrm{d}y, \end{split}$$

which, together with $n + s + \mathcal{N} + 1 > 0$ and q < 1, gives that

$$2^{-k(n+s+\mathcal{N}+1)} |2^{ks}\phi_k * a(z)|$$

$$\lesssim \frac{|Q|}{w(Q)} 2^{i_0 n} 2^{-i_0(n+s+\mathcal{N}+1)q} \int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))} 2^{-i_0(n+s+\mathcal{N}+1)(1-q)} \sum_{i=0}^{i_0} |2^{is}\phi_i * a(y)| w(y) \, \mathrm{d}y$$

$$+ \frac{|Q|}{w(Q)} \sum_{i=i_0+1}^{\infty} 2^{in} 2^{-i(n+s+\mathcal{N}+1)q} \int_{B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q))} 2^{-i(n+s+\mathcal{N}+1)(1-q)} |2^{is}\phi_i * a(y)| w(y) \, \mathrm{d}y.$$

Since $q \ge p$ and $\mathcal{N} + 1 > n\left(\frac{1}{p} - 1\right) - s$, we have $(n + s + \mathcal{N} + 1)q - n \ge (n + s + \mathcal{N} + 1)p - n > 0$ and hence, for all $i \ge i_0$, $2^{in}2^{-i(n+s+\mathcal{N}+1)q} \le |Q|^{\left[1 + \frac{s+\mathcal{N}+1}{n}\right]q-1}$ by $2^{-i_0} \sim \ell(Q)$. Combining this with $B(c_Q, 3\sqrt{n}\ell(Q)) \subset B(c_Q, 3)$, we further know that, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$2^{-k(n+s+\mathcal{N}+1)}|2^{ks}\phi_k * a(z)| \\ \lesssim \frac{|Q|^{[1+\frac{s+\mathcal{N}+1}{n}]q}}{w(Q)} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \int_{B(c_Q,3)} 2^{-i(n+s+\mathcal{N}+1)(1-q)} |2^{is}\phi_i * a(y)|w(y)dy.$$
(4.11)

Let $\mathbb{A} := \sup_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_+} \sup_{z \in B(c_Q,3)} 2^{-k(n+\mathcal{N}+1)} |\phi_k * a(z)|$ and $\phi_{k,A,B}^*(a)$ be the Peetre-type maximal function as defined in (1.3), where $A > A_0$ and $B > \frac{B_0}{q}$. By the facts that $w \in \mathcal{A}_1^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $n + \mathcal{N} + 1 + s > 0$, together with $a \in F^{s,w}_{q,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and (1.2), we see that

$$\mathbb{A} \le \frac{1}{[w(B(c_Q,3))]^{\frac{1}{q}}} \Big\{ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |2^{ks} \phi_{k,A,B}^*(x)|^q w(x) \mathrm{d}x \Big\}^{\frac{1}{q}} < \infty.$$

Since \mathbb{A} is finite, by (4.11), we obtain

$$\mathbb{A} \lesssim \mathbb{A}^{1-q} \frac{|Q|^{q[1+\frac{s+N+1}{n}]}}{w(Q)} \|a\|_{F^{s,w}_{q,q}}^q \lesssim \mathbb{A}^{1-q} |Q|^{q[1+\frac{s+N+1}{n}]} w(Q)^{-\frac{q}{p}},$$

that is, $\mathbb{A} \leq [w(Q)]^{-\frac{1}{p}} |Q|^{1+\frac{s+N+1}{n}}$. From this and the definition of \mathbb{A} , we deduce that, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $x \in B(c_Q, 3)$,

$$|2^{ks}\phi_k * a(x)| \lesssim 2^{k(n+\mathcal{N}+1)} [w(Q)]^{-\frac{1}{p}} |Q|^{1+\frac{s+\mathcal{N}+1}{n}},$$

which completes the proof of Lemma 4.1.

Lemma 4.2 If $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p, q \in (0, \infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, then there exists a positive constant C such that, for all $f \in \mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$,

$$\frac{1}{C} \|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le \|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s-1,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} + \sum_{j=1}^n \|D_j f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s-1,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le C \|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)},$$
(4.12)

where $D_j := \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j}$ for $j \in \{1, \cdots, n\}$.

Proof Fix $p, q \in (0, \infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\infty}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. For $m \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, it was proved by Rychkov [18, Theorem 2.20] that, for all $f \in \mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$,

$$\|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{m,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \sum_{|\alpha| \le m} \|D^{\alpha}f\|_{F_{p,q}^{0,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)},$$
(4.13)

where, for $\alpha := (\alpha_1, \cdots, \alpha_n) \in \mathbb{Z}_+^n$, $D^{\alpha} := \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}\right)^{\alpha_1} \cdots \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_n}\right)^{\alpha_n}$.

The proof for (4.12) is an easy adaption of (4.13) and the following lifting property in [18, Theorem 2.18]: There exists $t \in (0, \infty)$ sufficiently small, depending on p, n and w, such that, for all $a \in \mathbb{R}$ and $f \in \mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$,

$$\|\mathcal{J}_{t}^{a}f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s+a,w}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} \sim \|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^{n})}, \tag{4.14}$$

where \mathcal{J}_a^t denotes the Bessel potential operator $\mathcal{J}_a^t := (\mathrm{id} - t^2 \Delta)^{-\frac{a}{2}}$, where id is the identity operator. Precisely, for any $s \in \mathbb{R}$, we choose $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $m \leq |s| < m + 1$, and then applying (4.13)–(4.14) yields

$$\|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \|\mathcal{J}^{1-s}_t f\|_{F^{1,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \sum_{|\alpha| \le 1} \|D^{\alpha}(\mathcal{J}^{1-s}_t f)\|_{F^{0,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \sum_{|\alpha| \le 1} \|D^{\alpha} f\|_{F^{s-1,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)},$$

which implies (4.12). This finishes the proof of the lemma.

Lemma 4.3 Let $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0,1]$, $q \in [p,\infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}_{\max\{q,1\}}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then, there exists a positive constant C, depending only on s, p, q, n and w, such that, for all $(p, q, s)_w$ -atoms a,

$$\|a\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le C. \tag{4.15}$$

Proof Let a be a $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom supported on a cube Q with center c_Q and side length $\ell(Q)$. If p = q, then (4.15) follows trivially from Definition 1.2(ii), so it suffices to show (4.15) for p < q. To this end, we choose $\phi_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that $\operatorname{supp}(\phi_0) \subset B(0,1), \phi_0(x) = 1$ when $|x| < \frac{1}{2}$, and $0 \le \phi_0 \le 1$, and let $\phi := \phi_0 - 2^{-n}\phi_0(2^{-1}\cdot)$. First, we show that (4.15) holds when s < 0 by considering the following two cases for $\ell(Q)$.

Case 1 $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \leq \ell(Q)$ and s < 0. For any $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, we observe that $\operatorname{supp}(\phi_k) \subset B(0, 2^{-k+1})$, which gives that $\operatorname{supp}(\phi_k * a) \subset Q(c_Q, \ell(Q) + 4)$ by using $\operatorname{supp} a \subset Q$. Here and in what follows, we use Q(x, r) to denote the cube in \mathbb{R}^n with center $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and side length $r \in (0, \infty)$. From this and Hölder's inequality, together with Lemma 2.2(ii), it follows that

$$||a||_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim [w(Q)]^{\frac{1}{p}-\frac{1}{q}} ||a||_{F^{s,w}_{q,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim 1.$$

This proves (4.15) for the case $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \leq \ell(Q)$.

Case 2 $\ell(Q) < \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$ and s < 0. In this case, for any $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, by $\operatorname{supp}(\phi_k) \subset B(0, 2^{-k+1})$ and $\operatorname{supp} a \subset Q$, we have $\operatorname{supp}(\phi_k * a) \subset B(c_Q, 2 + \sqrt{n}\ell(Q)) \subset B(c_Q, 3)$, which implies that

$$\begin{aligned} \|a\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} &\lesssim \Big\{ \int_{4\sqrt{n}Q} \Big[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 2^{ksq} |\phi_k * a(x)|^q \Big]^{\frac{p}{q}} w(x) \mathrm{d}x \Big\}^{\frac{1}{p}} + \Big\{ \int_{B(c_Q,3) \setminus 4\sqrt{n}Q} \cdots \Big\}^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &=: \mathbf{Z}_1 + \mathbf{Z}_2. \end{aligned}$$

Following the argument used in Case 1, we apply Hölder's inequality and $w(4\sqrt{n}Q) \sim w(Q)$ to deduce that $Z_1 \leq 1$.

Now we estimate Z₂. If $x \in B(c_Q, 3) \setminus 4\sqrt{nQ}$ such that $\phi_k * a(x) \neq 0$, then by $\phi_k * a(x) = \langle a, \phi_k(x - \cdot)\eta_Q \rangle$, we have $2\sqrt{n\ell(Q)} \leq |x - c_Q| < \sqrt{n\ell(Q)} + 2^{-k+1}$, which implies that $|x - c_Q| < 2^{-k+2}$, that is, $k \leq \lfloor \log_2 \frac{4}{|x - c_Q|} \rfloor$. By this and Lemma 4.1, we see that

$$\mathbf{Z}_2 \lesssim [w(Q)]^{-\frac{1}{p}} \left\{ \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} [M_{\kappa}^{\mathrm{loc}}(\chi_Q)(x)]^{\frac{p(s+n+\mathcal{N}+1)}{n}} w(x) \mathrm{d}x \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}},$$

where κ is a positive constant independent of a and x. Since $\frac{p(s+n+\mathcal{N}+1)}{n} > q_w$, by the weighted boundedness properties of M_{κ} we further know that

$$\mathbb{Z}_2 \lesssim [w(Q)]^{-\frac{1}{p}} \left\{ \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} [\chi_Q(x)]^{\frac{p(s+n+N+1)}{n}} w(x) \mathrm{d}x \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}} \lesssim 1.$$

Combining the estimates of Z₁ and Z₂, we see that (4.15) holds when $\ell(Q) \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$ and s < 0.

Based on the conclusions in Cases 1–2, we know that (4.15) holds when s < 0. The general case of (4.15) can be reduced to the case s < 0 by using Lemma 4.2. Indeed, if $0 \le s < 1$ and a is a $(p, q, s)_w$ -atom, then by Lemma 4.2, we see that

$$\|a\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \|a\|_{F^{s-1,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} + \sum_{j=1}^n \|D_ja\|_{F^{s-1,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)}.$$
(4.16)

If we can show that a and $\{D_ja\}_{j=1}^n$ are constant multiples of $(p, q, s-1)_w$ -atoms, then applying the already proved conclusion that (4.15) holds for s < 0 yields that $\|a\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,-1,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim 1$ and $\|D_ja\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,-1,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim 1$, which, combined with (4.16), gives that $\|a\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim 1$, that is, (4.15) holds for all $0 \le s < 1$. Repeating the above process yields (4.15) for all $s \in \mathbb{R}$. To finish the proof of Lemma 4.3, we still need to show that if a is a $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom, then a and $\{D_ja\}_{j=1}^n$ are constant multiples of $(p,q,s-1)_w$ -atoms. It is obvious, from Definition 1.1, that $\|a\|_{F_{q,q}^{s-1,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \leq \|a\|_{F_{q,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$, and hence a is a $(p,q,s-1)_w$ -atom. Likewise, every D_ja is a constant multiple of a $(p,q,s-1)_w$ -atom provided that we can prove that

$$\|D_{j}a\|_{F_{q,q}^{s-1,w}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} \lesssim \|a\|_{F_{q,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^{n})}.$$
(4.17)

To show (4.17), we first shift the differential from a to ϕ , namely, $|D_j a * \phi_0| = |a * D_j \phi_0|$ and $|D_j a * \phi_i| = 2^i |a * (D_j \phi)_i|$ for $i \in \mathbb{N}$, and then use the Calderón reproducing formula (see Lemma 2.3) and the fact that, for all $k, i \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$|(D_j\phi)_i * \psi_k(x)| \lesssim 2^{(\min\{k,i\})n} 2^{-|k-i|L} \chi_{B(0,C2^{-\min\{k,i\}})}(x)$$

where $L \in (0, \infty)$ can be sufficiently large and C is a positive constant depending on the supports of ϕ and ψ . Based on these facts, (4.17) follows from a standard calculation (see the proof of [18, Theorem 2.5]) and we thus omit the details.

Summarizing all the above arguments, we complete the proof of Lemma 4.3.

Proof of Theorem 1.2 Fix $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p \in (0, 1]$, $q \in [p, \infty)$ and $w \in A_{\max\{q,1\}}^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. If there exist $(p, q, s)_w$ -atoms $\{a_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\lambda_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \in \ell^p$ such that $f = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \lambda_k a_k$ in $\mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$, then we apply Lemma 4.3 to obtain $\|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}^p \leq \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}} |\lambda_k|^p \|a_k\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}^p \lesssim \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}} |\lambda_k|^p$. This inequality implies that $\|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim \inf \left\{ \left[\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}} |\lambda_k|^p \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right\}$, where the infimum is taken over all the atomic decompositions of f as above.

To show the converse part, fix $f \in F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Assume that $\phi_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ has a nonzero integral, $0 \leq \phi_0 \leq 1$, supp $(\phi_0) \subset B(0, \frac{1}{2})$, $\phi_0(x) = 1$ whenever $|x| \leq \frac{1}{4}$, and that $\phi := \phi_0 - 2^{-n}\phi_0(2^{-1}\cdot)$ satisfies (1.1). For all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, define

$$\widetilde{S}_{q}^{s}(f)(x) := \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sup_{|x-y| < \sqrt{n}2^{-k}} |2^{ks} \phi_{k} * f(y)|^{q} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

Then, by Theorem 1.1, we have $\|\widetilde{S}_q^s(f)\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} < \infty$. Denote by \mathcal{Q} the collection of all dyadic cubes of \mathbb{R}^n . For any $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, let $\Omega_k := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \widetilde{S}_q^s(f)(x) > 2^k\}$ and

$$\Lambda_{k} := \left\{ Q \in \mathcal{Q} : |Q| \le 1, \, w(Q \cap \Omega_{k}) \ge \frac{1}{2}w(Q) \text{ and } w(Q \cap \Omega_{k+1}) < \frac{1}{2}w(Q) \right\}.$$
(4.18)

Notice that Λ_k might be empty. It is easy to see that, for each $Q \in Q$ with $|Q| \leq 1$, there exists a unique $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $Q \in \Lambda_k$. A dyadic cube $Q \in \Lambda_k$ is called a maximal dyadic cube in Λ_k if, for any dyadic cube $\tilde{Q} \in \Lambda_k$, either $\tilde{Q} \subset Q$ or $\tilde{Q} \cap Q = \emptyset$. For each $k \in \mathbb{N}$, denote by $\{Q_k^i\}_{i \in I_k}$ the collection of all such maximal dyadic cubes in Λ_k , where I_k is the index set (which might be empty). Observe that $\{Q_k^i\}_{i \in I_k}$ are mutually disjoint. Moreover,

$$\{Q \in \mathcal{Q} : |Q| \le 1\} = \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \Lambda_k = \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \bigcup_{i \in I_k} \{Q \in \Lambda_k : Q \subset Q_k^i\}.$$

Given any $L \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ sufficiently large (to be determined later), by Lemma 2.3, we see that

$$f(x) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \psi_{\ell} * \phi_{\ell} * f(x), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n,$$
(4.19)

where $\psi_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ has a nonzero integral and $\psi \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ satisfies that $\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} x^{\alpha} \psi(x) dx = 0$ for all multi-indices α with $|\alpha| \leq L$. Without loss of generality, we may assume that both ψ_{ℓ} and ϕ_{ℓ} are supported on $B(0, 2^{-\ell})$ for all $\ell \in \mathbb{Z}_+$. For each $Q \in \mathcal{Q}$ with $|Q| \leq 1$, there exists some $\ell \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ such that $\ell(Q) = 2^{-\ell}$, and then we define

$$\psi_Q(\cdot) := \psi_\ell(\cdot) = 2^{\ell n} \psi(2^\ell \cdot), \quad \phi_Q(\cdot) := \phi_\ell(\cdot) = 2^{\ell n} \phi(2^\ell \cdot).$$
(4.20)

With these notations, we rewrite (4.19) as

$$f(x) = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \sum_{i \in I_k} \sum_{\substack{Q \subset Q_k^i \\ Q \in \Lambda_k}} \int_Q \psi_Q(x-y) (\phi_Q * f)(y) \mathrm{d}y, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$
(4.21)

For each $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $i \in I_k$, let

$$\lambda_{k,i} := w(Q_k^i)^{\frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{q}} \Big\{ \sum_{\substack{Q \subset Q_k^i \\ Q \in \Lambda_k}} w(Q) [\ell(Q)]^{-sq} \sup_{y \in Q} |(\phi_Q * f)(y)|^q \Big\}^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

and, for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

$$a_{k,i}(x) := \frac{1}{\lambda_{k,i}} \sum_{\substack{Q \subseteq Q_k^i \\ Q \in \Lambda_k}} \int_Q \psi_Q(x-y)(\phi_Q * f)(y) \mathrm{d}y.$$

Based on (4.21), we see that $f = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \sum_{i \in I_k} \lambda_{k,i} a_{k,i}$ is the desired atomic decomposition of f, provided that we can show that every $a_{k,i}$ is a $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom and

$$\left\{\sum_{k\in\mathbb{Z}}\sum_{i\in I_k}|\lambda_{k,i}|^p\right\}^{\frac{1}{p}}\lesssim \|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)}.$$
(4.22)

To prove (4.22), we first show that, for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}$,

$$\sum_{Q \in \Lambda_k} w(Q) [\ell(Q)]^{-sq} \sup_{y \in Q} |(\phi_Q * f)(y)|^q \lesssim 2^{kq} w(\Omega_k).$$

$$(4.23)$$

To prove (4.23), let $\Omega_k^* := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : M^{\text{loc}}(\chi_{\Omega_k})(x) > \frac{1}{2}\}$ for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. From (2.1) and Lemma 2.2(iii), it follows that $w(\Omega_k^*) \leq w(\Omega_k)$ and hence

$$\int_{\Omega_k^* \setminus \Omega_{k+1}} [\widetilde{S}_q^s(f)(x)]^q \, w(x) \mathrm{d}x \le 2^{(k+1)q} w(\Omega_k^*) \lesssim 2^{(k+1)q} w(\Omega_k). \tag{4.24}$$

On the other hand, for all $y \in Q \in \Lambda_k$, we have $Q \subset \Omega_k^*$ and

$$w((\Omega_k^* \setminus \Omega_{k+1}) \cap Q) \ge w(Q \setminus \Omega_{k+1}) = w(Q) - w(Q \cap \Omega_{k+1}) \ge \frac{w(Q)}{2},$$

which further implies that

$$\int_{\Omega_k^* \setminus \Omega_{k+1}} [\widetilde{S}_q^s(f)(x)]^q w(x) \mathrm{d}x \gtrsim \sum_{Q \in \Lambda_k} w(Q) \ell(Q)^{-sq} \sup_{y \in Q} |(\phi_Q * f)(y)|^q.$$
(4.25)

Combining (4.24)-(4.25), we obtain (4.23).

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From Hölder's inequality, $w(Q_k^i \cap \Omega_k) \geq \frac{1}{2}w(Q_k^i)$, the fact that the family $\{Q_k^i\}_{i \in I_k}$ are mutually disjoint, and (4.23), we deduce that

$$\sum_{k\in\mathbb{Z}}\sum_{i\in I_k}|\lambda_{k,i}|^p\lesssim\sum_{k\in\mathbb{Z}}w(\Omega_k)2^{kp}\lesssim \|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)}^p,$$

which shows (4.22).

Now we show that each $a_{k,i}$ is a constant multiple of some $(p, q, s)_w$ -atom. Indeed, by supp $(\phi_0) \subset B(0, 1)$, it is easy to see that supp $(a_{k,i}) \subset 4Q_k^i$. Also, notice that $a_{k,i}$ satisfies the vanishing moment condition provided that $|Q_k^i| < 1$. Thus, it remains to prove that $||a_{k,i}||_{F_{q,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \leq [w(4Q_k^i)]^{\frac{1}{q}-\frac{1}{p}}$. This can be done by considering the following two cases: $q \in$ $(1,\infty)$ and $q \in [p, 1]$.

Case 1 $q \in (1,\infty)$. By $w \in \mathcal{A}_q^{\mathrm{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, we see that, for all $Q \in \mathcal{Q}$ with $|Q| \leq 1$,

$$[w(Q)]^{\frac{1}{q}}[w^{1-q'}(Q)]^{\frac{1}{q'}} \sim |Q|.$$
(4.26)

From Theorem 1.1 and the fact that $Q \subset \{y \in \mathbb{R}^n : |x - y| < \sqrt{n}2^{-k}\}$ for all $x \in Q$ with $\ell(Q) = 2^{-k}$, we deduce that, for any $g \in F_{q',q'}^{-s,w^{1-q'}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$,

$$\|g\|_{F_{q',q'}^{-s,w^{1-q'}}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \gtrsim \left\{ \sum_{\substack{Q \subset Q_k^i \\ Q \in \Lambda_k}} w^{1-q'}(Q)\ell(Q)^{sq'} \sup_{y \in Q} |\widetilde{\psi}_Q * g(y)|^{q'} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q'}}.$$
 (4.27)

Applying (4.26)–(4.27) and Hölder's inequality, we conclude that, for all $g \in F_{q',q'}^{-s,w^{1-q'}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with a norm at most 1, $|\langle a_{k,i}, g \rangle| \lesssim [w(Q_k^i)]^{\frac{1}{q}-\frac{1}{p}}$. From this and Proposition 2.1, it follows that $||a_{k,i}||_{F_{q,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim [w(Q_k^i)]^{\frac{1}{q}-\frac{1}{p}}$.

Case 2 $q \in [p, 1]$. In this case, notice that $w \in \mathcal{A}_1^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. By Theorem 1.1, we have

$$\|a_{k,i}\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \left\{ \sum_{\substack{P \in \mathcal{Q} \\ |P| \le 1}} \ell(P)^{-sq} \int_P \left[\sup_{|x-z| < \ell(P)} |\phi_P * a_{k,i}(z)|^q \right] w(x) \mathrm{d}x \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$
 (4.28)

For all $x \in P$ and $|x - z| < \ell(P)$, by $q \in [p, 1]$ and the inequality that $\left\{\sum_{j \in \mathbb{N}} |b_j|\right\}^q \leq \sum_{j \in \mathbb{N}} |b_j|^q$ holds for all sequences $\{b_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}}$, we conclude that

$$|\phi_P * a_{k,i}(z)|^q \le \frac{1}{|\lambda_{k,i}|^q} \sum_{\substack{Q \subset Q_k^i \\ Q \in \Lambda_k}} \sup_{y \in Q} |\phi_Q * f(y)|^q \left[\int_Q |\phi_P * \psi_Q(z-y)| \mathrm{d}y \right]^q.$$
(4.29)

Because ϕ and ψ satisfy the vanishing moment condition up to order L, we apply [6, Lemma 2 in p. 121 and Lemma 4 in p. 122] or [17, Corollary 3.1] to deduce that, for all $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$|\phi_P * \psi_Q(u)| \lesssim \left[\min\left\{\frac{\ell(P)}{\ell(Q)}, \frac{\ell(Q)}{\ell(P)}\right\}\right]^L \frac{1}{\max\{|Q|, |P|\}} \left[\frac{\max\{\ell(P), \ell(Q)\}}{\max\{\ell(P), \ell(Q)\} + |u|}\right]^L$$

Combining this with supp $(\phi_P * \psi_Q) \subset \{u : |u| \leq 2 \max\{\ell(P), \ell(Q)\}\}$ further implies that, for all $y \in Q$, $x \in P$ and $|x - z| < \ell(P)$, if $\phi_P * \psi_Q(z - y) \neq 0$, then

$$|c_P - c_Q| \le 2(\sqrt{n} + 1) \max\{\ell(P), \, \ell(Q)\} \le 4\sqrt{n} \max\{\ell(P), \, \ell(Q)\}$$
(4.30)

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and

$$|\phi_P * \psi_Q(z-y)| \lesssim \left[\min\left\{\frac{\ell(P)}{\ell(Q)}, \frac{\ell(Q)}{\ell(P)}\right\}\right]^L \frac{1}{\max\{|Q|, |P|\}} =: \mathbb{A}_{P,Q}.$$
 (4.31)

Invoking (4.30)–(4.31), we continue to estimate (4.29) with

$$|\phi_P * a_{k,i}(z)|^q \lesssim \frac{1}{|\lambda_{k,i}|^q} \sum_{\substack{Q \subset Q_k^i \\ Q \in \Lambda_k \\ |c_P - c_Q| \le 4\sqrt{n} \max\{\ell(P), \ell(Q)\}}} \sup_{y \in Q} |\phi_Q * f(y)|^q (\mathbb{A}_{P,Q})^q |Q|^q.$$

Inserting this into (4.28) and interchanging the summations in P and Q, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|a_{k,i}\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} &\lesssim \frac{1}{|\lambda_{k,i}|} \Big\{ \sum_{\substack{Q \subset Q_k^i \\ Q \in \Lambda_k}} w(Q)\ell(Q)^{-sq} \sup_{y \in Q} |\phi_Q * f(y)|^q \\ &\times \Big(\sum_{\substack{P \in Q \\ |P| \leq 1 \\ |c_P - c_Q| \leq 4\sqrt{n} \max\{\ell(P), \ell(Q)\}} \Big[\frac{\ell(Q)}{\ell(P)} \Big]^{sq} \frac{w(P)}{w(Q)} (\mathbb{A}_{P,Q})^q |Q|^q \Big) \Big\}^{\frac{1}{q}}, \end{aligned}$$

which gives $\|a_{k,i}\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim w(Q_k^i)^{\frac{1}{q}-\frac{1}{p}}$, provided that when $Q \subset Q_k^i$ and $Q \in \Lambda_k$,

$$\sum_{\substack{P \in \mathcal{Q} \\ |P| \leq 1 \\ |c_P - c_Q| \leq 4\sqrt{n} \max\{\ell(P), \ell(Q)\}}} \left[\frac{\ell(Q)}{\ell(P)}\right]^{sq} \frac{w(P)}{w(Q)} \left(\mathbb{A}_{P,Q}\right)^q |Q|^q \lesssim 1.$$
(4.32)

To show (4.32), we define

$$Z_{i} := \sum_{P \in W_{i}} \left[\frac{\ell(Q)}{\ell(P)} \right]^{sq} \frac{w(P)}{w(Q)} (\mathbb{A}_{P,Q})^{q} |Q|^{q}, \quad i \in \{1,2\},$$

where $W_1 := \{ P \in \mathcal{Q} : \ell(P) \le \ell(Q), |P| \le 1, |c_P - c_Q| \le 4\sqrt{n} \max\{\ell(P), \ell(Q)\} \}$ and

$$W_2 := \{ P \in \mathcal{Q} : \ell(P) > \ell(Q), |P| \le 1, |c_P - c_Q| \le 4\sqrt{n} \max\{\ell(P), \ell(Q)\} \}$$

Notice that, for all $P \in W_1$, we have $\mathbb{A}_{P,Q} \leq 1$ and $P \subset 5\sqrt{nQ}$, so that $\frac{w(P)}{w(Q)} \leq \frac{w(5\sqrt{nQ})}{w(Q)} \leq 1$ by Lemma 2.2(ii). Therefore, if we choose L > |s|, then

$$Z_1 \lesssim \sum_{P \in W_1} \left[\frac{\ell(P)}{\ell(Q)} \right]^{Lq-sq} \frac{w(P)}{w(Q)} \lesssim \sum_{j=-\log_2 \ell(Q)}^{\infty} \sum_{\substack{P \in \mathcal{Q} \\ \ell(P)=2^{-j} \\ |c_P-c_Q| \le 4\sqrt{n\ell(Q)}}} \left[\frac{\ell(P)}{\ell(Q)} \right]^{Lq-sq} \lesssim 1.$$
(4.33)

Now we estimate Z₂. Observe that $Q \subset 5\sqrt{n}P$ when $P \in W_2$. Since $\ell(P) \leq 1$ and $\ell(Q) \leq 1$, the fact $w \in \mathcal{A}_1^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ implies that $\frac{w(5\sqrt{n}P)}{|5\sqrt{n}P|} \sim \inf_{x \in 5\sqrt{n}P} w(x)$ and $\frac{w(Q)}{|Q|} \sim \inf_{x \in Q} w(x)$. Thus,

$$\frac{w(P)}{w(Q)} \le \frac{w(5\sqrt{n}P)}{w(Q)} \sim \frac{|5\sqrt{n}P|}{|Q|} \frac{\inf_{x \in 5\sqrt{n}P} w(x)}{\inf_{x \in Q} w(x)} \lesssim \frac{|P|}{|Q|}.$$

By this and the expression of $\mathbb{A}_{P,Q}$, we see that, when L satisfies (L+s)q + n(q-1) > 0,

$$Z_{2} \lesssim \sum_{P \in W_{2}} \left[\frac{\ell(Q)}{\ell(P)}\right]^{(L+s)q+n(q-1)}$$

$$\lesssim \sum_{j=0}^{-\log_{2}\ell(Q)} \sum_{\substack{P \in Q \\ \ell(P)=2^{-j} \\ |c_{P}-c_{Q}| \le 4\sqrt{n}\ell(P)}} \left\{\frac{\ell(Q)}{\ell(P)}\right\}^{(L+s)q+n(q-1)} \lesssim 1.$$
(4.34)

Combining (4.33)–(4.34) gives (4.32). Thus, we complete the proof of Theorem 1.2.

5 Proof of Theorem 1.3

Proof of Theorem 1.3 Let $f \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. With all the notation as in the proof of Theorem 1.2, we decompose f into $f = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \sum_{i \in I_k} \lambda_{k,i} a_{k,i}$ in $\mathcal{S}'_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$, where each $a_{k,i}$ is a $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom supported on $4Q_k^i$, defined by

$$a_{k,i}(x) = \frac{1}{\lambda_{k,i}} \sum_{\substack{Q \subset Q_k^i \\ Q \in \Lambda_k}} \int_Q \psi_Q(x-y)(\phi_Q * f)(y) \mathrm{d}y, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n,$$

and $\left\{\sum_{k\in\mathbb{Z}}\sum_{i\in I_k} |\lambda_{k,i}|^p\right\}^{\frac{1}{p}} \lesssim \|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$. Here, for any $k\in\mathbb{Z}$, Λ_k is as in (4.18); Q_k^i is the largest dyadic cube contained in the set Λ_k ; the functions ψ_Q and ϕ_Q are as in (4.20). Without loss of generality, we may assume that ϕ_j, ψ_j with $j\in\mathbb{Z}_+$ are supported on $B(0, 2^{-j})$, and ψ_j, ϕ_j with $j\in\mathbb{N}$ have the vanishing moments up to order L, where L > |s|.

For any $N \in \mathbb{N}$, let

$$\begin{aligned} Q(0,2^N) &:= \{ (x_1,\cdots,x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n : -1 \le 2^{-N} x_i < 1, \ i \in \{1,\cdots,n\} \}, \\ W_1^N &:= \{ Q \in \mathcal{Q} : \ Q \subset Q(0,2^N), 2^{-N} \le \ell(Q) \le 1 \}, \\ W_2^N &:= \{ Q \in \mathcal{Q} : \ \ell(Q) \le 1 \} \setminus W_1^N. \end{aligned}$$

For each $Q \in W_1^N$, there exists a unique (k, i) such that $Q \subset Q_k^i$. Denote by J_N the collection of all such (k, i). Since W_1^N has finitely many elements, so does J_N . For each $(k, i) \in J_N$, let

$$\widetilde{a}_{k,i}(x) = \frac{1}{\lambda_{k,i}} \sum_{\substack{Q \subset Q_k^i \\ Q \in \Lambda_k \cap W_1^N}} \int_Q \psi_Q(x-y)(\phi_Q * f)(y) \mathrm{d}y, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$
(5.1)

In a similar way to the arguments used in Cases 1–2 of the proof of Theorem 1.2, we conclude that each $\tilde{a}_{k,i}$ is also a constant multiple of some $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom. Since $f \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and the summation in (5.1) has only finite terms, it follows that every $\tilde{a}_{k,i} \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. For any $N \in \mathbb{N}$, set $f_N := \sum_{(k,i) \in J_N} \lambda_{k,i} \tilde{a}_{k,i}$ and $b_N := f - f_N$. Then, both f_N and b_N are in $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Moreover, f_N is a linear combination of finite smooth $(p,q,s)_w$ -atoms, and the proof of Theorem 1.2 shows that the ℓ^p -(quasi)norm of its coefficients is bounded by a constant multiple of $||f||_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$. Thus, to finish the proof of Theorem 1.3, we only need to prove that, when N is large enough, b_N is a small constant multiple of some $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom. For all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, noticing that $W_1^N = \bigcup_{(k,i) \in J_N} \{Q \subset Q_k^i : Q \in \Lambda_k \cap W_1^N\}$, we write

$$f_N(x) = \sum_{Q \in W_1^N} \int_Q \psi_Q(x-y)(\phi_Q * f)(y) \mathrm{d}y.$$

Then, applying (4.21), we see that, for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$b_N(x) = f(x) - f_N(x) = \sum_{Q \in W_2^N} \int_Q \psi_Q(x - y)(\phi_Q * f)(y) \mathrm{d}y.$$
(5.2)

Since f has compact support, there exists $N_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $\operatorname{supp} f \subset Q(0, 2^{N_0})$. Notice that $\operatorname{supp}(\phi_Q) \subset Q$. For any $Q \in W_2^N$, to ensure that $\phi_Q * f$ is a non-zero function, we need $Q \cap Q(0, 2^{N_0+5}) \neq \emptyset$. But any cube Q in W_2^N is dyadic and satisfies $\ell(Q) \leq 1$, and we therefore conclude that $Q \cap Q(0, 2^{N_0+5}) \neq \emptyset$ is the same as $Q \subset Q(0, 2^{N_0+5})$. Notice that, if $N > N_0 + 5$, then $\{Q \in W_2^N : Q \subset Q(0, 2^{N_0+5})\} = \{Q \in Q : \ell(Q) < 2^{-N}\}$. This allows us to replace the summation in (5.2) with $\sum_{\substack{Q \in Q \\ \ell(Q) < 2^{-N}}}$ when $N > N_0 + 5$. Thus, when $N > N_0 + 5$, we have

$$b_N(x) = \sum_{\substack{Q \in \mathcal{Q} \\ \ell(Q) < 2^{-N}}} \int_Q \psi_Q(x - y) (\phi_Q * f)(y) dy = \sum_{\ell > N} \psi_\ell * \phi_\ell * f(x),$$
(5.3)

where ψ_{ℓ} and ϕ_{ℓ} are associated to ψ_Q and ϕ_Q as in (4.20). Clearly, supp $(b_N) \subset Q(0, 2^{N_0+5})$. Now we estimate the quasi-norm $\|b_N\|_{F^{s,w}_{a,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$. From (5.3), it follows that

$$\|b_N\|_{F^{s,w}_{q,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} = \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} 2^{jsq} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left| \sum_{\ell > N} \phi_j * \psi_\ell * \phi_\ell * f(x) \right|^q w(x) \mathrm{d}x \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

If $\phi_j * \psi_\ell * \phi_\ell * f \neq 0$, then by the support conditions of ϕ_j and ψ_ℓ we see that $|j-\ell| \leq 2$. Thus,

$$\|b_N\|_{F^{s,w}_{q,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim \Big\{ \sum_{j=N-2}^{\infty} \sum_{\substack{\ell > N \\ |\ell-j| \le 2}} 2^{jsq} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left| \phi_j * \psi_\ell * \phi_\ell * f(x) \right|^q w(x) \mathrm{d}x \Big\}^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

For the sake of simplicity, we only estimate the term $j = \ell$. By $\sup (\phi_j * \psi_j * \phi_j * f) \subset Q(0, 2^{N_0+5})$ and the estimate that, for all $\varphi, g \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that $\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \varphi(x) x^{\alpha} dz = 0$ for all multi-indices $|\alpha| \leq L$,

$$|\varphi_j * g(x)| \lesssim 2^{-jL} (1+|x|)^{-(n+1)}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

(see [17, Lemma 3.3(i)] or [6, p. 121, Lemma 2]), we have

$$\Big\{\sum_{j=N-2}^{\infty} 2^{jsq} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\phi_j * \psi_j * \phi_j * f(x)|^q w(x) \mathrm{d}x\Big\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \lesssim 2^{-N(L-|s|)} [w(Q(0, 2^{N_0+5}))]^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

which is bounded by a constant multiple of $2^{-\frac{N(L-|s|)}{2}} [w(Q(0, 2^{N_0+5}))]^{\frac{1}{q}-\frac{1}{p}}$ provided that N is large enough (depending on w, N_0, p, q, s and L). Therefore,

$$\|b_N\|_{F_{q,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \le c2^{-\frac{N(L-|s|)}{2}} [w(Q(0,2^{N_0+5}))]^{\frac{1}{q}-\frac{1}{p}}$$

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for some positive constant c depending only on w, N_0, n, p, q, L and s, and

$$a_N := c^{-1} 2^{\frac{N(L-|s|)}{2}} b_N$$

is a $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom supported on $Q(0,2^{N_0+5})$ by observing that a_N does not need to satisfy any vanishing moment since $|Q(0,2^{N_0+5})| \geq 1$, which implies that

$$f = f_N + b_N = \sum_{(k,i) \in J_N} \lambda_{k,i} a_{k,i} + c 2^{-\frac{N(L-|s|)}{2}} a_N$$

is a finite atomic decomposition with $(p, q, s)_w$ -atoms $a_{k,i}, a_N$ in $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and the coefficients satisfying

$$\sum_{(k,i)\in J_N} |\lambda_{k,i}|^p + |c2^{-N\sigma}|^p \lesssim ||f||_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}^p + 2^{-\frac{N(L-|s|)}{2p}} \lesssim ||f||_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}^p.$$

This finishes the proof of Theorem 1.3.

6 Proof of Theorem 1.4

The goal of this section is to show Theorem 1.4. We need the following density lemma.

Lemma 6.1 Let $s \in \mathbb{R}$, $p, q \in (0, \infty)$ and $w \in \mathcal{A}^{\mathrm{loc}}_{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then, $C^{\infty}_{c}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is dense in $F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

Proof By the localization principle in [18, Theorem 2.21], for all $f \in F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, we have

$$\|f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \sim \left[\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|\gamma^k f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)}^p\right]^{\frac{1}{p}},\tag{6.1}$$

where $\gamma \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that its integer translates $\gamma^k(x) := \gamma(x-k)$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ with $k \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ form a partition of unity, that is, $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \gamma^k(x) = 1$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$. Notice that $\operatorname{supp}(\gamma^k)$ has finite overlapping property (bounded by a positive constant depending only on $\operatorname{supp} \gamma$). For all $N \in \mathbb{N}$, define $f_N := \sum_{\substack{j \in \mathbb{Z}^n \\ |j| \leq N}} \gamma^j f$. Observe that every f_N has compact support. Moreover, the

sequence $\{f_N\}_{N\in\mathbb{N}}$ converges to f as $N\to\infty$. Indeed, by (6.1), we see that, when $N\to\infty$,

$$\|f - f_N\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim \Big\{ \sum_{\substack{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n \\ |k| \ge N-c}} \|\gamma^k f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)}^p \Big\}^{\frac{1}{p}} \to 0,$$

where c is a positive constant depending only on $\operatorname{supp} \gamma$. Thus, to finish the proof of this lemma, we may as well assume that $f \in F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ has compact support.

Now suppose that $f \in F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ has compact support. By (2.3), write $f = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \psi_i * \phi_i * f$ with ψ_i and ϕ_i as in Lemma 2.3. Without loss of generality, we may assume that both ψ_i and ϕ_i are supported on the ball $B(0, 2^{-i})$ for $i \in \mathbb{Z}_+$. For all $N \in \mathbb{N}$, let $g_N := \sum_{i=1}^{N} \psi_i * \phi_i * f$. Since f is assumed to have compact support, it follows that every $g_N \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. It remains to show that $g_N \to f$ in $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ as $N \to \infty$. Notice that

$$\|g_N - f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} = \left\| \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 2^{ksq} \right| \sum_{i=N+1}^{\infty} \phi_k * \psi_i * \phi_i * f \Big|^q \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\|_{L_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)}, \quad N \in \mathbb{N}.$$

For all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, from the previous assumptions that both ψ_i and ϕ_i are supported on the ball $B(0, 2^{-i})$, the definition of the Peetre-type maximal function, and [17, Corollary 3.1] (see also [6, Lemma 2 in p. 121, and Lemma 4 in p. 122]), we deduce that, for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$|\phi_k * \psi_i * \phi_i * f(x)| \lesssim 2^{-|k-i|M} (1+2^{k-i})^A \phi_{i,A,B}^* f(x),$$

where A and B are positive constants satisfying $A \ge A_0$ and $B \ge \frac{B_0}{p}$, and M > A + |s| is a sufficiently large constant. By this and Hölder's inequality, we further conclude that

$$\|g_N - f\|_{F^{s,w}_{p,q}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim \left\| \left\{ \sum_{i=N+1}^{\infty} 2^{isq} |\phi^*_{i,A,B} f|^q \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)}$$

which tends to 0 as $N \to \infty$ in terms of (1.2). Thus, $\{g_N\}_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \subset C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and it converges to f in $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ as $N \to \infty$, which completes the proof of Lemma 6.1.

Proof of Theorem 1.4 For any $f \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, by Theorem 1.3, f admits a finite atomic decomposition $f = \sum_{k=1}^N \lambda_k a_k$, where $N \in \mathbb{N}$, $\{a_k\}_{k=1}^N$ are $(p,q,s)_w$ -atoms in $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $\{\sum_{k=1}^N |\lambda_k|^p\}^{\frac{1}{p}} \lesssim \|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$. By the assumption of Theorem 1.4, we see that $\|Ta_k\|_{\mathcal{B}_r} \lesssim 1$ for all $k \in \{1, \dots, N\}$. Moreover, by $r \in [p, 1]$ and the fact that T is \mathcal{B}_r -sublinear, we have

$$\|Tf\|_{\mathcal{B}_{r}}^{r} = \sum_{k=1}^{N} |\lambda_{k}|^{r} \|Ta_{k}\|_{\mathcal{B}_{r}}^{r} \lesssim \sum_{k=1}^{N} |\lambda_{k}|^{r} \lesssim \left[\sum_{k=1}^{N} |\lambda_{k}|^{p}\right]^{\frac{r}{p}} \lesssim \|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^{n})}^{r}.$$
(6.2)

In general, for any $f \in F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, by Lemma 6.1, there exists $\{g_m\}_{m\in\mathbb{N}} \subset C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ that converges to f in $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ as $m \to \infty$. By (6.2) and Definition 1.3(iii), $\{Tg_m\}_{m\in\mathbb{N}}$ is a Cauchy sequence in \mathcal{B}_r and hence it converges to some element in \mathcal{B}_r , which we denote by $\widetilde{T}f$, namely, $\widetilde{T}f := \lim_{m\to\infty} Tg_m$ in \mathcal{B}_r . Notice that \widetilde{T} is well defined based on (6.2) and Definition 1.3(iii). Consequently, $\|\widetilde{T}f\|_{\mathcal{B}_r} = \lim_{m\to\infty} \|Tg_m\|_{\mathcal{B}_r} \lesssim \lim_{m\to\infty} \|g_m\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim \|f\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)}$, which completes the proof of Theorem 1.4.

7 Proof of Theorem 1.5

In this section, we apply Theorem 1.4 to show Theorem 1.5.

Proof of Theorem 1.5 Notice that $F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, for $p \in (0,1]$ and $q \in [p,\infty)$, is a *p*-quasi-Banach space. By Theorem 1.4, it suffices to show that, for any $(p,q,s)_w$ -atom *a* supported on a cube Q,

$$\|\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}} a\|_{F_{p,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim 1.$$

$$(7.1)$$

To this end, by Theorem 1.1, we only need to show that $\|\widetilde{S}_{1,q}^s(\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}} a)\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim 1$, where

$$\widetilde{S}_{1,q}^s(\mathcal{R}_j^{\mathrm{loc}} a)(x) = \left[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sup_{|x-y|<2^{-k}} |2^{ks}\phi_k * (\mathcal{R}_j^{\mathrm{loc}} a)(y)|^q\right]^{\frac{1}{q}}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$

Here $\phi_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $\phi := \phi_0 - 2^{-n}\phi_0(2^{-1}\cdot)$ satisfies the vanishing moments up to order $L \ge \max\{-1, \lfloor s \rfloor\}$, and $\phi_k := 2^{nk}\phi(2^k\cdot)$ for $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Without loss of generality, we may assume that every $\sup(\phi_k) \subset B(0, 2^{-k})$ and L > |s|.

By the support conditions of a and ϕ_k , together with the definition of $\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}}$, we see that $\sup(\widetilde{S}_{1,q}^s(\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}}a)) \subset \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : |x - c_Q| < \ell(Q) + 3\}$. Applying Hölder's inequality with $\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{(\frac{q}{2})'} = 1$ and Lemma 2.2(ii), we know that

$$\|\widetilde{S}_{1,q}^{s}(\mathcal{R}_{j}^{\text{loc}}a)\|_{L_{w}^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})} \lesssim \left\{ \int_{|x-c_{Q}|<\ell(Q)+3} \left[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sup_{|x-y|<2^{-k}} |2^{ks}\phi_{k} * (\mathcal{R}_{j}^{\text{loc}}a)(y)|^{q} \right] w(x) \mathrm{d}x \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} [w(Q)]^{\frac{1}{p}-\frac{1}{q}}.$$

By the Calderón reproducing formulae and the fact that $\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}}$ commutates with the convolution operator, we conclude that, for all $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$\phi_k * (\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}} a)(y) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \phi_k * \psi_i * (\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}} (\phi_i * a))(y),$$

where ψ_i and ϕ_i are as in Lemma 2.3 (here we also assume that ψ_i and ϕ_i are supported on $B(0, 2^{-i})$, and $\{\psi_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ have vanishing moments up to order L > |s|). Furthermore,

$$|\phi_k * \mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}} a(y)| \lesssim \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} 2^{-|k-i|L} \frac{1}{(2^{-k} + 2^{-i})^n} \int_{|y-z| < 2^{-k} + 2^{-i}} |\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}} (\phi_i * a)(z)| \mathrm{d}z,$$

where we used again [6, Lemma 2 in p. 121 and Lemma 4 in p. 122] (see also [17, Corollary 3.1]). As q > 1, using Hölder's inequality and the definition of $\mathcal{A}_q^{\text{loc}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ gives that, when $|x-y| < 2^{-k}$,

$$\frac{1}{(2^{-k}+2^{-i})^n} \int_{|y-z|<2^{-k}+2^{-i}} |\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}}(\phi_i * a)(z)| dz$$

$$\lesssim \left[\frac{1}{w(B(x,2^{-k}+2^{-i}))} \int_{|x-z|<2^{-k+1}+2^{-i}} |\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}}(\phi_i * a)(z)|^q w(z) dz\right]^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

Notice that L is taken to be larger than |s|. Then, applying Hölder's inequality again, we obtain

$$\sup_{\substack{|x-y|<2^{-k}}} |2^{ks}\phi_k * (\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}} a)(y)|^q$$

$$\lesssim \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^{isq}2^{-|k-i|L}}{w(B(x,2^{-k}+2^{-i}))} \int_{|x-z|<2^{-k+1}+2^{-i}} |\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}}(\phi_i * a)(z)|^q w(z) \mathrm{d}z.$$

By this and Fubini's theorem, together with the fact that

$$\int_{|x-z|<2^{-k+1}+2^{-i}} \frac{1}{w(B(x,2^{-k}+2^{-i}))} w(x) \mathrm{d}x \lesssim 1,$$

we see that

$$\left\{ \int_{|x-c_Q|<\ell(Q)+3} \left[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sup_{|x-y|<2^{-k}} |2^{ks}\phi_k * (\mathcal{R}_j^{\mathrm{loc}} a)(y)|^q \right] w(x) \mathrm{d}x \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ \lesssim \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} 2^{isq} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\mathcal{R}_j^{\mathrm{loc}} (\phi_i * a)(z)|^q w(z) \mathrm{d}z \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

Then, using the fact that $\mathcal{R}_j^{\text{loc}}$ is bounded on $L_w^q(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and the size condition of a $(p, q, s)_w$ -atom, we see that the last quality in the above estimate is bounded by

$$\left\{\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} 2^{isq} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\phi_i * a(z)|^q w(z) \mathrm{d}z\right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \lesssim \|a\|_{F_{q,q}^{s,w}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim [w(Q)]^{\frac{1}{q}-\frac{1}{p}}.$$

Thus, $\|\widetilde{S}_{1,q}^s(\mathcal{R}_j^{\mathrm{loc}} a)\|_{L^p_w(\mathbb{R}^n)} \lesssim 1$. Hence, (7.1) holds and we complete the proof of the theorem.

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