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## ON MULTIPLIERS OF TEMPERATE DISTRIBUTIONS

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In this paper we take a sequence of Banach spaces  $H^0 \subset H^{-1} \subset H^{-2} \subset \ldots$  for which  $\bigcup_{k \geq 0} H^{-k} = \mathscr{S}'$ , where  $\mathscr{S}'$  is the space of temperate distributions. For each pair p,q of non-negative integers we define a normed space  $\mathscr{O}_{p,q}$  of multiplication operators from  $H^{-q}$  into  $H^{-p}$ . Then it appears that  $\bigcap_{q \geq 0} \bigcup_{p \geq 0} \mathscr{O}_{p,q}$  equals (as a vector space) to the Schwartz's space  $\mathscr{O}_M$  of multiplication operators on  $\mathscr{S}'$ . We get multiplication as a continuous map either from  $\mathscr{O}_{p,q} \times H^{-q}$  into  $H^{-p}$  or from  $\bigcup_{p \geq 0} \mathscr{O}_{p,q} \times H^{-q}$  into  $\mathscr{S}'$ . Similar results are shown for the convolution.

**Notation.**  $R^n$  stands for Euclidean n-dimensional space. The set of all non-negative integers is denoted by N, the set of all integers by Z, and the set of all multiindices  $\alpha=(\alpha_1,\alpha_2,\ldots,\alpha_n)$  by  $N^n$ . For  $x\in R^n$ ,  $\alpha\in N^n$ , we write  $x^\alpha=x_1^{\alpha_1}x_2^{\alpha_2}\ldots x_n^{\alpha_n}, |\alpha|=\alpha_1+\alpha_2+\ldots+\alpha_n, D^\alpha=\partial^{|\alpha|}/\partial x_1^{\alpha_1}\partial x_2^{\alpha_2}\ldots\partial x_n^{\alpha_n}, |x|=(x,x)^{1/2}=(x_1^2+x_2^2+\ldots+x_n^2)^{1/2}$ . As multiindices will be always denoted by letters from the beginning of Greek alphabet there should be no confusion of a length  $|\alpha|$  with a norm |x|, where  $\alpha\in N^n$ ,  $x\in R^n$ .

 $C^{\infty}$  denotes the vector space of all functions infinitely differentiable on  $R^n$ . Those elements from  $C^{\infty}$  which have compact support form a space  $C_0^{\infty}$ . The space  $\mathscr S$  consists of all functions  $f \in C^{\infty}$  which for each pair  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta \in N^n$  fulfil an inequality

(1) 
$$q_{\alpha,\beta}(f) = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} |x^{\alpha} D^{\beta} f(x)| < + \infty.$$

Family  $\{q_{\alpha,\beta}\}_{\alpha,\beta\in\mathbb{N}^n}$  of seminorms defines a locally convex structure on  $\mathscr{S}$ . Hence the dual  $\mathscr{S}'$  exists and its elements are called temperate distributions.

**Definition 1.** Let us have a set X, a family  $\{Y_i\}_{i\in I}$  of topological spaces, and a family  $\{f_i\}_{i\in I}$  of maps  $f_i: X \to Y_i$ . The coarsest topology on X for which all  $f_i$ ,  $i \in I$ , are continuous is called the initial topology on X for the family  $\{f_i\}_{i\in I}$ .

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If, instead of  $\{f_{\iota}\}_{\iota\in I}$ , we have a family  $\{g_{\iota}\}_{\iota\in I}$  of maps  $g_{\iota}:Y_{\iota}\to X$ , then the finest topology on X for which all maps  $g_{\iota}, \iota\in I$ , are continuous is called the *final topology* on X for  $\{g_{\iota}\}_{\iota\in I}$ .

We will deal only with families  $\{Y_{\iota}\}_{\iota\in I}$  of locally convex spaces. In this case any initial topology on X is also locally convex and there exists the finest locally convex topology on X for which all  $g_{\iota}$ ,  $\iota\in I$  are continuous. It is called the final locally convex topology on X for  $\{g_{\iota}\}_{\iota\in I}$ . In the case that  $X=\bigcap_{\iota\in I}Y_{\iota}$ , resp.  $X=\bigcap_{\iota\in I}Y_{\iota}$ , and all  $f_{\iota}$ , resp.  $g_{\iota}$ , are identity maps we will simply talk about the initial (final) topology not mentioning  $\{f_{\iota}\}_{\iota\in I}(\{g_{\iota}\}_{\iota\in I})$ .

Let us have a family  $\{\|.\|_k\}_{k\in\mathbb{N}}$  of norms defined on  $\mathscr{S}$  and generating the same topology on  $\mathscr{S}$  as the family (1). Assume that for each  $f \in \mathscr{S}$  we have

$$||f||_0 \le ||f||_1 \le ||f||_2 \le \dots$$

We denote by  $H^k$  the completion of  $\mathscr S$  with respect to the norm  $\|\cdot\|_k$  and by  $(H^k)'$  its strong dual with the norm  $\|\cdot\|_k'$ . Then we have

$$\mathcal{S} \subset \ldots \subset H^2 \subset H^1 \subset H^0 \ , \ \ (H^0)' \subset (H^1)' \subset (H^2)' \subset \ldots \subset \mathcal{S}' \ .$$

Moreover,  $\mathscr{S} = \bigcap_{k \geq 0} H^k$  and  $\mathscr{S}' = \bigcup_{k \geq 0} (H^k)'$ . We equip  $\mathscr{S}'$  with the final locally convex topology generated by  $\{(H^k)'\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ . The original topology on  $\mathscr{S}$  equals to the initial topology on  $\mathscr{S}$  generated by  $\{H^k\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$  for identity maps.

**Proposition 1.** The final localy convex topology on  $\mathcal{S}'$  is finer than the bounded convergence topology on  $\mathcal{S}'$ .

Proof. Let  $B \subset \mathcal{S}$  be bounded in  $\mathcal{S}$ . As B is bounded in each  $H^k$ ,  $k \in N$ , we have  $C_k = \sup_{\varphi \in B} \|\varphi\|_k < +\infty$ . Hence for each  $f \in (H^k)' : \sup_{\varphi \in B} |f(\varphi)| \le \|f\|_k' \sup_{\varphi \in B} \|\varphi\|_k = C_k \|f\|_k'$ .

**Definition 2.** For each pair  $p, q \in N$  denote by  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  the space of all functions u, defined on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , for which  $v \to uv$  is a continuous map from  $\mathbb{H}^p$  into  $\mathbb{H}^q$ . We equip  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  with the uniform topology and denote the norm on  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  by  $\|\cdot\|_{p,q}$ .

**Proposition 2.** Assume that the convergence in  $H^0$  implies the pointwise convergence almost everywhere in  $R^n$ . Then  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  is a Banach space.

Proof. Fix  $p, q \in N$ . Let  $\{u_k\}_{k \in N}$  be a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}$ . Then for each  $v \in H^p$ ,  $\{u_k v\}_{k \in N}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $H^q$  and due to (2) also in  $H^0$ . As  $H^q$  is complete there exists such function  $u_v \in H^q$  that  $\lim_{k \to \infty} \|u_k v - u_v\|_q = 0$ . According to our assumption  $\lim_{k \to \infty} u_k(x) \ v(x) = u_v(x)$  for all most all  $x \in R^n$ . If we take particularly  $v(x) = w(\lambda x)$ ,

where  $w \in C_0^{\infty}$ , w(x) = 1 for  $|x| \le 1$ , and  $\lambda$  ranges over (0, 1), then we see that for almost all  $x \in R^n$  it exists  $u(x) = \lim_{k \to \infty} u_k(x)$ . Hence  $u_v(x) = u(x) v(x)$  almost everywhere in  $R^n$ .

Finally,  $\|uv\|_q = \lim_{k \to \infty} \|u_k v\|_q \le \|v\|_p \lim_{k \to \infty} \|u_k\|_{p,q}$ , which implies  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  and  $\lim_{k \to \infty} \|u_k - u\|_{p,q} = 0$ .

Recall the definition (see [1], [2], [3]) of the space  $\mathcal{O}_M$  of multiplication operators on  $\mathscr{S}'$ . A function  $u \in \mathcal{O}_M$  if and only if  $u \in C^\infty$  and for each  $\alpha \in N^n$  there exists  $k \in N$  such that  $\lim_{k \to \infty} (1 + |x|)^{-k} |D^\alpha u(x)| = 0$ . A topology in  $\mathcal{O}_M$  is defined by a family of seminorms  $q_{\varphi,\alpha}(u) = \max_{x \in R^n} |\varphi(x)| D^\alpha u(x)$ ,  $\varphi \in \mathscr{S}$ ,  $\alpha \in N^n$ .

Theorem 1. 
$$\mathcal{O}_M = \bigcap_{q \geq 0} \bigcup_{p \geq 0} \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$$
.

Proof. 1)  $u \in \mathcal{O}_M$ . Then  $v \to uv$  is a continuous map from  $\mathscr{S}$  into  $\mathscr{S}$ . Hence each  $q \in N$  there exists  $p_q \in N$  and a constant  $C_q$  so that for each  $v \in \mathscr{S}$  we have  $\|uv\|_q \le C_q \|v\|_{p_q}$ . As  $\mathscr{S}$  is dense in  $H^{p_q}$  the last inequality can be extended for all  $v \in H^{p_q}$  which means  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p_q,q}$ .

2)  $u \in \bigcap_{q \ge 0} \bigcup_{p \ge 0} \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$ . Then for each  $v \in \mathscr{S}$  and  $q \in N$  we have  $uv \in H^q$ . Therefore  $uv \in \mathscr{S}$ . If we particularly take  $v(x) = \exp(-|x|^2)$  we get  $u(x) = u(x) v(x) v^{-1}(x)$ . But  $uv \in \mathscr{S} \subset C^{\infty}$  and  $v^{-1} \in C^{\infty}$ . Thust u is an infinitely differentiable function. Further,

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x_1} v = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} (uv) - u \frac{\partial v}{\partial x_1} \in \mathcal{S} \quad \text{for each} \quad v \in \mathcal{S}.$$

Hence by the mathematical induction we have  $(D^{\alpha}u)v \in \mathcal{S}$  for each  $\alpha \in N^n$  and  $v \in \mathcal{S}$ .

Assume that  $u \notin \mathcal{O}_M$ . Then there exists such  $\alpha \in N^n$  that for each  $k \in N$  we can find an  $x_k \in R^n$  so that  $(1 + |x_k|)^{-k} |D^\alpha u(x_k)| \ge 1$  and  $|x_{k+1}| \ge 2 + |x_k|$ . Take a function  $w(x) = \exp(|x|^2 - 1)^{-1}$  for |x| < 1 and w(x) = 0 for  $|x| \ge 1$ . Then evidently  $v(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (1 + |x_k|)^{-k} w(x - x_k) \in \mathscr{S}$  and we have  $|D^\alpha u(x_k) v(x_k)| \ge 2 (1 + |x_k|)^k |v(x_k)| = w(0) > 0$ . Hence  $(D^\alpha u) v \notin \mathscr{S}$  which is a contradiction.

**Definition 3.** Let  $p, q \in N$ . For each  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$ ,  $f \in (H^q)'$ , we define uf as an element from  $(H^p)'$  by (uf) v = f(uv),  $v \in H^p$ .

**Proposition 3.** For each  $p, q \in N$  the mapping  $(u, f) \to uf$  is continuous from  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q} \times (H^q)'$  into  $(H^p)'$ .

Proof. By direct calculation we get  $||uf||_p' \le ||u||_{p,q} ||f||_{q}'$ 

**Definition 4.** For each  $q \in N$  we write  $\mathcal{O}_q = \bigcup_{p \in N} \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  and  $\mathcal{O} = \bigcap_{q \in N} \mathcal{O}_q$ . Each space  $\mathcal{O}_q$  is equipped with the final locally convex topology and  $\mathcal{O}$  with the initial topology.

**Proposition 4.** The topology of  $\mathcal{O}$  is finer than topology of  $\mathcal{O}_M$ .

Proof. Take  $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}$ ,  $\varphi \not\equiv 0$ ,  $\alpha \in N^n$ , and put  $G = \{u \in \mathcal{O}_M; q_{\varphi,\alpha}(u) \leq 1\}$ . As the family  $\{\|.\|_k\}_{k \in N}$  of norms on  $\mathcal{S}$  is equivalent to (1) there exists  $k \in N$  and a constant C > 0 so that for each  $u \in \mathcal{O}_M$  we have

$$q_{\varphi,\alpha}(u) = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} |\varphi(x)| D^{\alpha} u(x)| \leq \sum_{\beta + \gamma = \alpha} \sup |D^{\beta}(uD^{\gamma}\varphi)| \leq C \sum_{\gamma \leq \alpha} ||uD^{\gamma}\varphi||_{k}.$$

According to Theorem 1 for each  $u \in \mathcal{O}_M$  there exists  $p_u \in N$  such that  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p_u,k}$ . Therefore  $q_{\varphi,\alpha}(u) \leq C \|u\|_{p_u,k} \sum_{\gamma \leq \alpha} \|D^\gamma \varphi\|_{p_u}$ . As  $\mathcal{O}_{0,k} \subset \mathcal{O}_{1,k} \subset \ldots$  we can choose  $p_u$  so that  $\sup_{u \in G} p_u = +\infty$ . Fix one such mapping  $P: u \to p_u$ . Then for each  $p \in N$  there exists  $v \in G$  such that  $p_v = \inf \{p_u; p_u \geq p, u \in G\}$ . We put  $G_{p,k} = \{u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,k}; \|u\|_{p,k} \leq \|C \sum_{\gamma \leq \alpha} \|D^\gamma \varphi\|_{p_v}\}^{-1}$  since for each  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,k}$  we have  $\|u\|_{p,k} \geq \|u\|_{p+1,k} \geq \ldots \geq \|u\|_{p_v,k}$  and  $G_{p,k} \subset G_{p+1,k} \subset \ldots \subset G_{p_v,k}$ .

Let  $G_k$  be the convex hull of  $\bigcup_{p \in N} G_{p,k}$ . Then  $G_k$  is a neighborhood of 0 in  $\mathcal{O}_k$ . For  $u \in G_k$  there are  $\lambda_i \geq 0$ , i = 1, 2, ..., m,  $\sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i = 1$  such that  $u = \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i u_i$ , where  $u_i \in G_{p_i,k}$  and all  $p_i$ 's belong into the range of P. Finally, for  $u \in \mathcal{O}_M \cap G_k$  we can write

$$q_{\varphi,\alpha}(u) \leq \sum_{i=1}^{m} \lambda_i \ q_{\varphi,\alpha}(u_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^{m} (\lambda_i C \sum_{\gamma \leq \alpha} \|u_i D^{\gamma} \varphi\|_k) \leq$$
$$\leq \sum_{i=1}^{m} (\lambda_i C \|u_i\|_{p_{i,k}} \sum_{\gamma \leq \alpha} \|D^{\gamma} \varphi\|_{p_i}) \leq \sum_{i=1}^{m} \lambda_i = 1.$$

Therefore a neighborhood  $\mathcal{O} \cap G_k$  of 0 in  $\mathcal{O}$  is contained in G which completes the proof.

**Theorem 2.** For each  $q \in N$  the map  $(u, f) \to uf$  is continuous from  $\mathcal{O}_q \times (H^q)'$  into  $\mathcal{S}'$ .

Proof. Let V be a neighborhood of 0 in  $\mathscr{S}'$ . Then there is a sequence  $\{a_p\}_{p\in N}$  of reals such that V contains the convex hull of  $\bigcup_{p\in N}V_p$ , where  $V_p=\{f\in (H^p)'; \|f\|_p'\leq a_p\}$ .

For each  $p, q \in N$  put  $G_{p,q} = \{u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}; \|u\|_{p,q} \le a_p\}, U_q = \{f \in (H^q)'; \|f\|_q' \le 1\}.$ Let  $G_q$  be the convex hull of  $\bigcup_{p \in N} G_{p,q}$ . Then  $G_q$  is a neighborhood of 0 in  $\mathcal{O}_q$ . For  $u \in G_{p,q}, f \in U_q$  it is  $uf \in V_p$  and therefore for  $u \in G_q, f \in U_q$  we have  $uf \in V$ . Remark. We have simultaneously proved that  $(u, f) \to uf$  is  $\emptyset$ -hypocontinuous on  $\emptyset \times \mathscr{S}'$ , i.e. it is continuous from  $B \times \mathscr{S}'$  into  $\mathscr{S}'$  for each bounded set  $B \subset \emptyset$  and it is continuous from  $\emptyset \times f$  into  $\mathscr{S}'$  for each  $f \in \mathscr{S}'$ .

In fact, if  $B \subset \mathcal{O}$  is bounded then for each  $q \in N$  there is  $\lambda_q > 0$  such that  $B \subset \lambda_q G_q$ . If we put  $W_q = \lambda_q^{-1} U_q$  and if W is the convex hull of  $\bigcup_{q \in N} W_q$  then W is a neighborhood of 0 in  $\mathscr{S}'$  and for  $u \in B$ ,  $f \in W$  we have  $uf \in V$ .

In the following we take a particular case. Let for  $f \in \mathcal{S}$  and  $k \in N$ 

(3) 
$$||f||_k = \left( \sum_{|\alpha|+|\beta| \le k} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |x^{\alpha} D^{\beta} f(x)|^2 dx \right)^{1/2}.$$

This system of norms on  $\mathcal{S}$  is equivalent to the family (1). Each space  $H^k$  consists of all functions f which have generalized derivatives  $D^{\alpha}f$  for all  $\alpha \in N^n$ ,  $|\alpha| \leq k$ , and  $||f||_k < +\infty$ . As  $H^0 = L_2(R^n)$  we can without ambiguity write  $H^{-k}$  instead of  $(H^k)'$ . This notation will simplify our further formulae.

Let  $k \in N$ . For each  $\alpha \in N^n$ ,  $|\alpha| \leq k$ , take a function  $g_{\alpha} \in L_2(R^n)$  and a polynomial  $P_{\alpha}$  of degree  $\leq k - |\alpha|$ . Then we have

$$(4) \sum_{|\alpha| \le k} P_{\alpha} D^{\alpha} g_{\alpha} \in H^{-k}.$$

On the other hand each distribution  $f \in H^{-k}$  can be represented in the form (4). For each  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  Fourier transform  $\mathscr{F}$  is an automorphism on  $H^k$ .

**Proposition 5.**  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q} \subset H^{q-p-r}$ , where  $p, q \in N$  and  $r = 1 + \lfloor \frac{1}{2}n \rfloor$ .

Proof. Take  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  and put  $v = (1 + |x|^2)^{-(p+r)/2}$ . Then  $v \in H^p$  and  $uv \in H^q$ . For each  $k \in Z$  the map  $\Phi : f \to (1 + |x|^2)^{1/2} f$  evidently maps  $H^k$  into  $H^{k-1}$ . Hence  $u = \Phi^{p+r}(uv) \in H^{q-p-r}$ .

**Definition 5.** For each pair  $p, q \in N$  we write  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}^* = \mathcal{FO}_{p,q}$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_q^* = \mathcal{FO}_q$ ,  $\mathcal{O}^* = \mathcal{FO}_q$ , where  $\mathcal{F}$  stands for Fourier transform. We define a topology in  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}^*$  by a norm  $\|f\|_{p,q}^* = \|\mathcal{F}^{-1}f\|_{p,q}$ , where  $f \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}^*$ , and in  $\mathcal{O}_q^* = \bigcup_{p \in N} \mathcal{O}_{p,q}^*$ , resp.  $\mathcal{O}^* = \bigcap_{q \in N} \mathcal{O}_q^*$ , as the final locally convex, or initial, topology.

Due to Proposition 5 the definition of spaces  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}^*$  is meaningful. It follows from Proposition 2 that each  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}^*$  is a Banach space and therefore the definition of topologies in  $\mathcal{O}_{q}^*$  and  $\mathcal{O}^*$  is also all right.

The Schwartz's space  $\mathcal{O}'_C$  of convolution operators (see [1], [2], [3]) can be defined as  $\{f \in \mathcal{S}'; \mathcal{F}^{-1}f \in \mathcal{O}_M\}$  with such topology that Fourier transform  $\mathcal{F}: \mathcal{O}_M \to \mathcal{O}'_C$  is an isomorphism. Thus as an immediate consequence of Theorem 1, we get

**Theorem 3.**  $\mathcal{O}'_{c} = \bigcap_{q \in N} \bigcup_{p,q} \mathcal{O}^*_{p,q}$ . The topology of the right side is finer than the one of the left side.

**Proposition 6.** For  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}^*$ ,  $f \in H^{-q}$ , the convolution u \* f, defined by  $(u * f) v = (u_x \otimes f_y) v(x + y)$ , where  $v \in H^p$ , has sense and the map  $(u, f) \to u * f$  is continuous from  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}^* \times H^{-q}$  into  $H^{-p}$ .

Proof. Let  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}^*$ ,  $f \in H^{-q}$ ,  $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}$ . As  $\mathscr{F}^{-1}u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  is a function we can write  $u_x(\varphi(x+y)) = (\mathscr{F}^{-1}u_x) \ (\mathscr{F}_x\varphi(x+y)) = (\mathscr{F}^{-1}u_x) \ ((\mathscr{F}\varphi) \ (x) \ \exp(2\pi i x, \ y)) = \mathscr{F}^{-1}(\mathscr{F}^{-1}u \ . \mathscr{F}\varphi)$ . Mapping  $v \to \mathscr{F}^{-1}(\mathscr{F}^{-1}u \ . \mathscr{F}v)$  is composed of three continuous maps  $v \to \mathscr{F}v \to \mathscr{F}^{-1}u \ . \mathscr{F}v \to \mathscr{F}^{-1}(\mathscr{F}^{-1}u \ . \mathscr{F}v)$  of  $H^p \to H^p \to H^q \to H^q$ . Hence  $f(\mathscr{F}^{-1}(\mathscr{F}^{-1}u \ . \mathscr{F}v))$  has sense and it represents a distribution from  $H^{-p}$ . Finally,  $f(\mathscr{F}^{-1}(\mathscr{F}^{-1}u \ . \mathscr{F}v)) = f_v(u_x(v(x+y))) = (u_x \otimes f_y) \ v(x+y) = (u*f) \ v$ .

Similarly as in Theorem 2 we can prove that for each  $q \in N : (u, f) \to u * f$  maps continuously  $\mathcal{O}_q^* \times H^{-q}$  into  $\mathscr{S}'$  and it is  $\mathcal{O}^*$ -hypocontinuous on  $\mathcal{O}^* \times \mathscr{S}'$ .

**Proposition 7.** Let  $p, q \in N, p < q$ . Then  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q} = \{0\}$ .

**Proof.** We show at first that for each  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  and  $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}^n$  we have

(5) 
$$\lim_{\varrho \to 0+} \operatorname{ess \, sup}_{|x-x_0| \le \varrho} \sum_{|\alpha| \le \varrho} |D^{\alpha} u(x)| < +\infty.$$

In fact, for  $v(x) = \exp(-|x|^2)$  we get  $uv \in H^q$  which implies (5) for the function uv. But then (5) must hold also for the function  $u = uv \cdot v^{-1}$ .

Take  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  and assume that  $M_0 = \{x \in R^n; \ u(x) \neq 0\}$  has positive Lebesgue measure  $\mu(M_0)$ . There exists  $M \subset M_0$  such that  $\mu(M) > 0$  and u is continuous on M. Take a point  $x_0 \in M$  such that for  $B = \{x \in R^n; |x - x_0| \leq 1\}$  we have  $\mu(M \cap B) > 0$ .

Now, take such  $v \in C_0^{\infty}$  that supp v = B and put  $v_{\lambda}(x) = v(x_0 + (x - x_0)/\lambda)$ , where  $\lambda > 0$ . Using a substitution  $x = x_0 + \lambda(y - x_0)$  we can write

$$||uv_{\lambda}||_{q}^{2} \leq ||u_{\lambda}||_{p,q}^{2} ||v_{\lambda}||_{p}^{2} = ||u||_{p,q}^{2} \sum_{|\alpha|+|\beta| \leq p} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} |(x_{0} + \lambda(y - x_{0}))^{\alpha} \lambda^{-|\beta|} D_{y}^{\beta} v(y)|^{2} \lambda^{n} dy.$$

Hence

$$\lim_{\lambda \to 0} \sup_{+} \lambda^{2p-n} \|uv_{\lambda}\|_{q}^{2} \leq \|u\|_{p,q}^{2} \sum_{|\beta|=p} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} |D^{\beta} v(y)|^{2} dy < +\infty.$$

On the other hand

$$\begin{aligned} \|uv_{\lambda}\|_{q} &\geq \left(\int_{R^{n}} \left|\frac{\partial^{q}}{\partial x_{1}^{q}} \left(uv_{\lambda}\right)\right|^{2} \mathrm{d}x\right)^{1/2} \geq \left(\int_{R^{n}} \left|u \frac{\partial^{q}v_{\lambda}}{\partial x_{1}^{q}}\right|^{2} \mathrm{d}x\right)^{1/2} - \\ &- \left(\sum_{i=1}^{q} \binom{q}{i} \int_{R^{n}} \left|\frac{\partial^{i}u}{\partial x_{1}^{i}} \frac{\partial^{q-i}v_{\lambda}}{\partial x_{1}^{q-i}}\right|^{2} \mathrm{d}x\right)^{1/2}, \\ \lim\inf_{\lambda \to 0+} \int_{R^{n}} \left|u \frac{\partial^{q}v_{\lambda}}{\partial x_{1}^{q}}\right|^{2} \mathrm{d}x = \lim\inf_{\lambda \to 0+} \int_{R^{n}} \left|u(x_{0} + \lambda(y - x_{0})) \frac{\partial^{q}v(y)}{\partial y_{1}^{q}}\right|^{2} \mathrm{d}y \geq \\ &\geq \liminf_{\lambda \to 0+} \int_{B \cap M} \left|u(x_{0} + \lambda(y - x_{0})) \frac{\partial^{q}v(y)}{\partial y_{1}^{q}}\right|^{2} \mathrm{d}y = \left|u(x_{0})\right|^{2} \int_{B \cap M} \left|\frac{\partial^{q}v(y)}{\partial y_{1}^{q}}\right|^{2} \mathrm{d}y = A > 0. \end{aligned}$$

Due to (5) there exists such  $\varrho \in (0, 1)$  that  $\operatorname{ess\,sup}_{|x-x_0| \le \varrho} \sum_{|\alpha| \le q} |D^{\alpha} u(x)| = C < +\infty$ . Thus for  $\lambda \in (0, \varrho)$  we have

$$\begin{split} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} & \left| \frac{\partial^i u}{\partial x_1^i} \frac{\partial^{q-i} v_{\lambda}}{\partial x_1^{q-i}} \right|^2 \mathrm{d}x = \lambda^{n-2q} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left| \frac{\partial^i u(x_0 + \lambda(y - x_0))}{\partial y_1^i} \frac{\partial^{q-i} v(y)}{\partial y_1^{q-i}} \right|^2 \mathrm{d}y \leq \\ & \leq \lambda^{n-2q+2i} C^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left| \frac{\partial^{q-i} v(y)}{\partial y_1^{q-i}} \right|^2 \mathrm{d}y \;. \end{split}$$

Summing up we get a desired contradiction

$$0 < A \leq \liminf_{\lambda \to 0+} \lambda^{2q-n} \left( \|uv_{\lambda}\|_{q}^{2} + \sum_{i=1}^{q} {q \choose i} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} \left| \frac{\partial^{i} u}{\partial x_{1}^{i}} \frac{\partial^{q-i} v_{\lambda}}{\partial x_{1}^{q-i}} \right|^{2} \mathrm{d}x \right) \leq$$

$$\leq \liminf_{\lambda \to 0+} C^{2} \sum_{i=1}^{q} {q \choose i} \lambda^{2i} \int_{\mathbb{B}} \left| \frac{\partial^{q-i} v(y)}{\partial y_{1}^{q-i}} \right|^{2} \mathrm{d}y = 0.$$

**Proposition 8.** Let a function u be defined on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and has generalized derivatives of all orders  $\leq q$ . Let there be such  $s \in \mathbb{N}$  that

$$\sigma_{q+s,q}(u) = \sum_{|\alpha| \le q} \operatorname{ess \, sup}_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} (1 + |x|^2)^{-(s+|\alpha|)/2} |D^{\alpha} u(x)| < +\infty.$$

Then  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{q+s,q}$ . Moreover, it exists a constant C > 0 (which does not depend on u) for which

(6) 
$$||u||_{q+s,q} \leq C \sigma_{q+s,q}(u)$$
.

Proof by direct calculation.

It is well known that if  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{0,0}$  then  $\sigma_{0,0}(u) < +\infty$ . This may not be the case for any space  $\mathcal{O}_{p,q}$ . It was shown in [5] that in one-dimensional case  $\sup_{(-\infty,\infty)} |v(x)| \leq \|v\|_1$  for each  $v \in H^1$ . Hence for  $u \in H^0$  we have  $\|uv\|_0^2 = \int_{-\infty}^\infty |uv|^2 \, \mathrm{d}x \leq \|v\|_1^2 \, \|u\|_0^2$  which means  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{1,0}$ . Thus we can easily find an element  $u \in L^2(-\infty,\infty) = H^0$  for which  $\sigma_{1,0}(u) = +\infty$ .

**Proposition 9.** If  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  then u has generalized derivatives of all orders  $\leq q$ . Proof is contained in [5].

Example. Derivatives of a function  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p,q}$  need not be continuous on  $R^n$ . Take n=1 and put  $u(x)=(1+|x|)^{-1/2}$ . Then  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{1,1}$  and  $\mathrm{d} u/\mathrm{d} x$  is not continuous on  $R^n$ . However it is shown in [5] that the space  $C^k$  of all k-times continuously differentiable functions contains  $H^{k+r}$ , where  $r=1+\left[\frac{1}{2}n\right]$ . Thus if  $u \in \mathcal{O}_{p+r,q+r}$  then  $u \exp\left(-|x|^2\right) \in H^{q+r} \subset C^k$  and again  $u=\left(u \exp\left(-|x|^2\right) \exp|x|^2 \in C^k\right)$ .

**Definition 6.** For each pair  $p, q \in N$  denote by  $\mathscr{P}_{p,q}$  the vector space  $\{u \in \mathscr{O}_{p,q}; \sigma_{p,q}(u) < +\infty\}$  with a norm  $\sigma_{p,q}$ . Further, put  $\mathscr{P}_{p,q}^* = \mathscr{F}\mathscr{P}_{p,q}$  with a norm  $\sigma_{p,q}^*(u) = \sigma_{p,q}(\mathscr{F}^{-1}u)$ , where  $u \in \mathscr{P}_{p,q}^*$ .

For each  $q \in N$  we also define  $\mathscr{P}_q = \bigcup_{p \in N} \mathscr{P}_{p,q}$  and  $\mathscr{P} = \bigcap_{q \in N} \mathscr{P}_q$ ;  $\mathscr{P}_*^* = \bigcup_{p \in N} \mathscr{P}_{p,q}^*$  and  $\mathscr{P}^* = \bigcap_{q \in N} \mathscr{P}_q^*$ . We equip these spaces with the final locally convex and initial topologies.

As evidently each  $\mathscr{P}_{p,q}$ ,  $\mathscr{P}_{p,q}^*$ , with the norm  $\sigma_{p,q}$ ,  $\sigma_{p,q}^*$  respectively, is a Banach space all topologies defined in Definition 6 have sense.

**Theorem 3.** 1)  $\mathcal{O}_M = \mathcal{P}$ , and  $\mathcal{O}'_C = \mathcal{P}^*$ . Both these equalities are meant as between vector spaces. The spaces on the right side have finer topology than the corresponding left side.

2) The mappings  $(u, f) \to uf$ ,  $(u, f) \to u * f$ , are continuous from  $\mathscr{P}_{p,q} \times H^{-q}$  into  $H^{-p}$ ,  $\mathscr{P}_{p,q}^* \times H^{-q}$  into  $H^{-p}$ , respectively, for each pair  $p, q \in N$ , and they are also continuous respectively from  $\mathscr{P}_q \times H^{-q}$ ,  $\mathscr{P}_q^* \times H^{-q}$ , into  $\mathscr{S}'$ , for each  $q \in N$ .

Proof. 1) We have only to show  $\mathcal{O}_M \subset \bigcap_{p \in N} \bigcup_{q \in N} \mathcal{P}_{p,q}$ . Take  $u \in \mathcal{O}_M$ , then according to the definition of  $\mathcal{O}_M$  for each  $q \in N$  there exists such  $p_q \in N$  that  $u \in \mathcal{P}_{p_q,q}$ .

2) The continuity follows from (6).

LARS HÖRMANDER is using in [4] some spaces of temperate distributions which he denotes by  $\mathcal{B}_{p,k}$ , where  $1 \le p \le +\infty$  and k is a positive function, defined on  $R^n$ , for which there are constants C > 0,  $s \in R$ , such that

(7) 
$$k(x + y) \le (1 + C|x|)^s k(y), \quad x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$

A temperate distribution u belongs into  $\mathcal{B}_{p,k}$  if and only if  $\mathscr{F}u$  is a function and  $||u||_{p,k} = (\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |k.\mathscr{F}u|^p \, \mathrm{d}x)^{1/p} < +\infty$ . If  $p = +\infty$  then  $||u||_{\infty,k} = \text{ess sup } |k(x)\mathscr{F}u(x)|$ .

There is a relation between spaces  $\mathscr{P}_{p,q}^*$  and  $\mathscr{B}_{\infty,k_s}$ , where  $k_s = (1 + |x|^2)^{s/2}$ .

**Proposition 9.**  $u \in \mathscr{P}_{p,q}^*$  if and only if  $x^{\alpha}u \in \mathscr{B}_{\infty,k_{q-p-|\alpha|}}$  holds for each  $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n$ ,  $|\alpha| \leq q$ . Moreover,

$$\sigma_{p,q}^*(u) = \sum_{|\alpha| \le q} \|(2\pi x)^{\alpha} u\|_{\infty,k_{q-p-|\alpha|}}, \quad u \in \mathscr{P}_{p,q}^*.$$

Proof. Take  $u \in \mathcal{P}_{p,q}^*$ . Then

$$\sigma_{p,q}^{*}(u) = \sigma_{p,q}(\mathscr{F}^{-1}u) = \sigma_{p,q}(\mathscr{F}u) = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq q} \underset{x \in \mathbb{R}^{n}}{\operatorname{ess sup}} (1 + |x|^{2})^{(q-p-|\alpha|)/2} |D^{\alpha}(\mathscr{F}u)(x)| = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq q} \underset{x \in \mathbb{R}^{n}}{\operatorname{ess sup}} k_{q-p-|\alpha|}(x) |\mathscr{F}((-2\pi i x)^{\alpha} u(x))| = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq q} ||(2\pi x)^{\alpha} u||_{\infty, k_{q-p-|\alpha|}}.$$

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