

## ESTIMATES OF THE BESOV NORMS ON FRACTAL LATERAL BOUNDARY BY VOLUME INTEGRALS

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ABSTRACT. Consider a bounded domain  $D$  with fractal boundary in  $\mathbf{R}^d$  such that  $\partial D$  is a  $\beta$ -set ( $d-1 \leq \beta < d$ ). Under an additional condition we estimate the  $L^p$ -norm and the Besov norms with respect to the parabolic metric on the lateral boundary of the cylinder  $D \times (0, T)$  by the  $L^p$ -norm and the Besov norms defined by the volume integrals, respectively.

### 1. Introduction.

Let  $D$  be a domain in  $\mathbf{R}^d$  such that the boundary  $\partial D$  is compact and assume that  $\partial D$  is a  $\beta$ -set ( $d-1 \leq \beta < d$ ), i.e., there exist a positive Radon measure  $\mu$  on  $\partial D$  and positive real numbers  $b_1, b_2, r_0$  such that

$$(1.1) \quad b_1 r^\beta \leq \mu(B(z, r) \cap \partial D) \leq b_2 r^\beta$$

for all points  $z \in \partial D$  and all positive real numbers  $r \leq r_0$ , where  $B(z, r)$  stands for the open ball in  $\mathbf{R}^d$  with centered at  $z$  and radius  $r$ . Such a measure  $\mu$  is called a  $\beta$ -measure.

We fix a  $\beta$ -measure  $\mu$  on  $\partial D$  and consider the cylinder with respect to the domain  $D$

$$\Omega_D = D \times (0, T)$$

and the lateral boundary

$$S_D = \partial D \times [0, T].$$

The parabolic metric is very useful to estimate the norms of operators with respect to the heat kernel in this cylinder. Recall that the parabolic metric  $\rho(X, Y)$  between two points  $X = (x, t)$  ( $x \in \mathbf{R}^d, t \in \mathbf{R}$ ) and  $Y = (y, s)$  ( $y \in \mathbf{R}^d, s \in \mathbf{R}$ ) is defined by

$$\rho(X, Y) = (|x - y|^2 + |t - s|)^{1/2}$$

and the heat kernel

$$W(X - Y) = \begin{cases} \frac{\exp\left(-\frac{|x-y|^2}{4(t-s)}\right)}{(4\pi(t-s))^{d/2}} & \text{if } t - s > 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

We denote by  $\mu_T$  the product measure of the  $\beta$ -measure  $\mu$  and the 1-dimensional Lebesgue measure restricted to  $[0, T]$ . Let  $p \geq 1, \alpha > 0$ . We denote by  $L^p(\mu_T)$  the set of all  $L^p$ -functions defined on  $S_D$  with respect to  $\mu_T$  and by  $A_\alpha^p(S_D)$  the Banach space of all functions in  $L^p(\mu_T)$  such that

$$\iint \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) < \infty.$$

For  $f \in A_\alpha^p(S_D)$  a Besov norm is defined by

$$\|f\|_{\alpha,p} = \left( \int |f(X)|^p d\mu_T(X) \right)^{1/p} + \left( \iint \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{|\rho(X,Y)|^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \right)^{1/p}.$$

For such a cylinder  $\Omega_D$  volume integrals are more easy to deal with than integrals on  $S_D$ , if  $f$  is defined on  $\overline{D} \times [0, T]$ . It seems that, if we find a norm defined by a volume integral "equivalent" to the  $L^p$ -norm or the Besov norm on the fractal boundary, it is useful for us to prove that operators are bounded on  $L^p(\mu_T)$  or  $A_\alpha^p(S_D)$ .

By the same method of A. Jonsson and H. Wallin [JW1] we can extend the function  $f$  on  $S_D$  to  $\mathcal{E}(f)$  on  $\mathbf{R}^d \times [0, T]$  such that the function  $X \mapsto \mathcal{E}(f)(X)$  is a  $C^1$ -function on  $\mathbf{R}^{d+1} \setminus (\partial D \times \mathbf{R})$  by using a Whitney decomposition of a parabolic type.

But, what type of a volume integral in  $D \times (0, T)$  is equivalent to the  $L^p$ -norm or the Besov norm on  $S_D$ ? In this paper we consider this problem.

Hereafter we suppose that  $\partial D \subset B(0, R/2)$  with  $R \geq 1$ . We may assume that (1.1) holds for all points  $z \in \partial D$  and all positive real numbers  $r \leq 3R$ .

To consider the above problem, we need add a condition to  $D$ . We say that a set  $G$  satisfies the condition (b) if there exist positive real numbers  $c$  and  $r_1 > 0$  such that

$$(1.2) \quad |B(z, r) \cap G| \geq cr^d$$

for each point  $z \in \partial G$  and each positive real number  $r \leq r_1$ , where  $|A|$  stands for the  $d$ -dimensional (resp. the  $(d+1)$ -dimensional Lebesgue measure) if  $A \subset \mathbf{R}^d$  (resp.  $A \subset \mathbf{R}^{d+1}$ ).

If  $D$  satisfies the condition (b), then (1.2) holds for every  $r \leq 3R$  by replacing with another constant  $c$ .

For  $y \in D$  (resp.  $Y \in D \times (0, T)$ ) we denote by  $\delta(y)$  (resp.  $\delta(Y)$ ) the  $d$ -dimensional Euclidean distance from  $y$  to  $\partial D$  (resp. the  $(d+1)$ -dimensional Euclidean distance from  $Y$  to  $S_D$ ). Note that  $\delta(y) = \delta(Y)$  for  $Y = (y, s)$ .

Put, for  $r > 0$  and  $0 < c < 1$ ,

$$(1.3) \quad F_{r,c} = \{Y = (y, s) \in (D \cap B(0, R)) \times (0, T); cr \leq \delta(y) < r\}.$$

**THEOREM 1.** *Let  $D$  be a domain in  $\mathbf{R}^d$  such that  $\partial D$  is a compact  $\beta$ -set ( $d-1 \leq \beta < d$ ) and satisfies the condition (b). Then there is a constant  $c_0 < 1$  such that, if  $f$  is a nonnegative, uniformly continuous function on  $\overline{D} \cap B(0, R) \times [0, T]$  with respect to the parabolic metric  $\rho$ ,*

$$(1.4) \quad c_1 \limsup_{r \rightarrow 0} r^{\beta-d} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} f(Y) dY \leq \int_{S_D} f(Z) d\mu_T(Z) \leq c_2 \liminf_{r \rightarrow 0} r^{\beta-d} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} f(Y) dY,$$

where  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  are constants independent of  $f$ .

**THEOREM 2.** *Suppose that  $D$  satisfies the same conditions as in Theorem 1. Let  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ,  $p - p\alpha - d + \beta > 0$  and  $\alpha + (d - \beta)/p < \lambda < 1$ . If  $f$  is  $\lambda$ -Hölder continuous on  $\overline{D} \cap B(0, R) \times [0, T]$  with respect to the parabolic metric, then, for the positive number  $c_0$  in Theorem 1,*

$$(1.5) \quad c_1 \limsup_{r \rightarrow 0} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dX dY \leq \int_{S_D} \int_{S_D} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \leq c_2 \liminf_{r \rightarrow 0} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dX dY,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.6) \quad & c_3 \limsup_{r \rightarrow 0} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \int_{S_D} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) dX \\
 & \leq \int_{S_D} \int_{S_D} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\
 & \leq c_4 \liminf_{r \rightarrow 0} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \lim_{S_D} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) dX,
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $c_1, c_2, c_3$  and  $c_4$  are constants independent of  $f$ .

## 2. Fundamental lemmas

Hereafter we assume that  $D$  is a domain in  $\mathbf{R}^d$  such that  $\partial D$  is a compact  $\beta$ -set satisfying  $d-1 \leq \beta < d$  and  $\partial D \subset B(0, R/2)$  ( $R \geq 1$ ) and  $T \leq R$ . Note that we may assume that  $r_0 \geq 3R$  in (1.1) by taking other constants  $b_1$  and  $b_2$ .

In this section we prepare several fundamental lemmas.

Denote by the parabolic ball  $\mathcal{B}(X, r)$  with centered at  $X$  and radius  $r$  defined by

$$\mathcal{B}(X, r) = \{Y \in \mathbf{R}^{d+1}; \rho(X, Y) < r\}$$

and the parabolic cylinder  $C(X, r)$  with centered at  $X = (x, t)$  and radius  $r$  defined by

$$C(X, r) = \{Y = (y, s); |x - y| < r, |t - s| < r^2\}.$$

Note that

$$(2.1) \quad C(X, \frac{\sqrt{2}r}{2}) \subset \mathcal{B}(X, r) \subset C(X, r).$$

The following lemma will be shown by the same method as in the proof of the Vitali covering lemma.

LEMMA 2.1. *Suppose that  $\{C(X_j, r_j)\}_{j=1}^m$  are parabolic cylinders. Then we can choose a subsequence  $\{C(X_{j_k}, r_{j_k})\}_{k=1}^l$  of  $\{C(x_j, r_j)\}_{j=1}^m$  such that they are mutually disjoint and*

$$\cup_{j=1}^m C(X_j, r_j) \subset \cup_{k=1}^l C(X_{j_k}, 3r_{j_k}).$$

The following lemma is an easy consequence of the property (1.1).

LEMMA 2.2. *Let  $Z \in S_D$  and  $0 < r \leq 3R$ . Then*

$$(2.2) \quad b_3 r^{\beta+2} \leq \mu_T(\mathcal{B}(Z, r) \cap S_D) \leq b_4 r^{\beta+2},$$

where  $b_3$  and  $b_4$  are constants independent of  $Z$  and  $r$ .

LEMMA 2.3. *Let  $\lambda > 0$  and  $Z \in S_D$ . Further, let  $b_4$  be the positive real number in (2.2).*

(i) *If  $\beta + 2 < \lambda$  and  $3R \geq a > 0$ , then*

$$\int_{S_D \cap \{a \leq \rho(X, Z)\}} \rho(X, Z)^{-\lambda} d\mu_T(X) \leq b_4 \frac{\lambda}{\lambda - \beta - 2} a^{\beta+2-\lambda}.$$

(ii) If  $\beta + 2 > \lambda > 0$  and  $0 < b \leq 3R$ , then

$$\int_{S_D \cap \{\rho(X, Z) \leq b\}} \rho(X, Z)^{-\lambda} d\mu_T(X) \leq b_4 \frac{\lambda}{\beta + 2 - \lambda} b^{\beta+2-\lambda}.$$

PROOF. (i) By (2.2) we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{S_D \cap \{a < \rho(X, Z)\}} \rho(X, Z)^{-\lambda} d\mu_T(X) \\ &= \int_0^{a^{-\lambda}} \mu_T(\{X \in S_D; \rho(X, Z)^{-\lambda} > t\}) dt = \int_0^{a^{-\lambda}} \mu_T(\mathcal{B}(Z, t^{-1/\lambda}) \cap S_D) dt \\ &\leq b_4 \int_0^{a^{-\lambda}} t^{-(\beta+2)/\lambda} dt = \frac{b_4 \lambda}{\lambda - \beta - 2} a^{\beta+2-\lambda}, \end{aligned}$$

which shows (i).

(ii) This is shown by the same method as (i). □

LEMMA 2.4. Let  $X \in (D \cap B(0, R)) \times (0, T)$  and  $0 < r \leq R$ . Then

$$(2.3) \quad |\mathcal{B}(X, r) \cap ((D \cap B(0, R)) \times [0, T])| \leq s_2 r^{d+2}.$$

Furthermore, if  $D$  satisfies the condition (b), then

$$(2.4) \quad s_1 r^{d+1} \leq |\mathcal{B}(X, r) \cap ((D \cap B(0, R)) \times [0, T])|.$$

Here  $s_1, s_2$  are constants independent of  $X$  and  $r$ .

PROOF. It is clear that (2.3) holds. If  $D$  satisfies the condition (b), then, by [W4, Lemma 2.2], there exists a constant  $c$  such that

$$cr^d \leq |\mathcal{B}(x, r) \cap D|$$

for each  $x \in D$  and each positive real number  $r \leq R$ . This and (2.2) lead to (2.4). □

We fix positive real numbers  $s_1$  and  $s_2$  satisfying (2.4) and (2.3), respectively.

Using Lemma 2.4, we can easily show the following lemma by the same method as in the proof of Lemma 2.3.

LEMMA 2.5. Let  $\lambda > 0$  and  $X \in (D \cap B(0, R)) \times (0, T)$ .

(i) If  $\lambda > d + 2$  and  $R \geq a > 0$ , then

$$\int_{(D \cap B(0, R)) \times (0, T) \cap \{\rho(X, Y) \geq a\}} \rho(X, Y)^{-\lambda} dY \leq s_2 \frac{\lambda}{\lambda - d - 2} a^{d+2-\lambda}.$$

(ii) If  $d + 2 > \lambda$  and  $0 < b \leq R$ , then

$$\int_{(D \cap B(0, R)) \times (0, T) \cap \{\rho(X, Y) \leq b\}} \rho(X, Y)^{-\lambda} dY \leq s_2 \frac{\lambda}{d + 2 - \lambda} b^{d+2-\lambda}.$$

We see that the following lemma holds as in the proofs of [W1, Lemma 2.1 and W2, Lemma 2.1].

LEMMA A. Suppose that  $D$  is a domain such that  $\partial D$  is a compact  $\beta$ -set ( $d-1 \leq \beta < d$ ) and satisfies the condition (b). Further assume that  $\partial D \subset B(0, R/2)$ . Let  $0 < \epsilon < R$ ,  $0 < r \leq 3R$  and  $z \in \partial D$ . Then there exist positive numbers  $c_1, c_2$  such that

$$c_1 r^\beta \epsilon^{d-\beta} \leq \int_{\{\delta(y) < \epsilon\} \cap B(z, r)} dy \leq c_2 r^\beta \epsilon^{d-\beta},$$

where  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  are independent of  $r, \epsilon$  and  $z$ .

The following lemma is an easy consequence of Lemma A.

LEMMA 2.6. Suppose that  $D$  satisfies the condition (b). Let  $0 < \epsilon < R$ ,  $0 < r \leq 3R$  and  $Z \in S_D$ . Then there exist positive numbers  $s_3, s_4$  such that

$$(2.5) \quad s_3 r^{\beta+2} \epsilon^{d-\beta} \leq \int_{\{\delta(Y) < \epsilon\} \cap \mathcal{B}(Z, r) \cap (D \times (0, T))} dY \leq s_4 r^{\beta+2} \epsilon^{d-\beta},$$

where  $s_3$  and  $s_4$  are independent of  $r, \epsilon$  and  $Z$ .

### 3. Estimates of parabolic atoms

Fix a  $C^\infty$ -function  $\phi$  on  $\mathbf{R}^d$  such that

$$\phi = 1 \text{ on } \overline{B(0, 1/2)}, \quad 0 \leq \phi \leq 1, \quad \text{supp } \phi \subset B(0, 1), \quad \phi(x) = \phi(-x)$$

and a  $C^\infty$ -function  $\psi$  on  $\mathbf{R}$  such that

$$\psi = 1 \text{ on } [-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}], \quad 0 \leq \psi \leq 1, \quad \text{supp } \psi \subset (-1, 1), \quad \psi(t) = \psi(-t).$$

Define, for  $X = (x, t) \in \mathbf{R}^{d+1}$  and  $r > 0$ ,

$$g_{X,r}(Y) = \phi\left(\frac{y-x}{r}\right) \psi\left(\frac{s-t}{r^2}\right)$$

for  $Y = (y, s)$ . Note that  $g_{X,r} \in C^\infty(\mathbf{R}^{d+1})$ ,  $g_{X,r} = 1$  on  $\overline{C(X, r/2)}$  and  $\text{supp } g_{X,r} \subset C(X, r)$ . Furthermore,  $|\nabla_y g_{X,r}| \leq c/r$  and  $|\frac{\partial}{\partial s} g_{X,r}| \leq \frac{c}{r^2}$ , where  $c$  is a constant independent of  $x, r$ .

We have the following lemma.

LEMMA 3.1. Let  $X_0, Y_0 \in S_D$ ,  $0 < 4r < \rho(X_0, Y_0)$  and  $a, b \in \mathbf{R}$ . Assume that  $p - p\alpha - d + \beta > 0$ . Then

$$(3.1) \quad \iint \frac{|a(g_{X_0,r}(X) - g_{X_0,r}(Y)) + b(g_{Y_0,r}(X) - g_{Y_0,r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ \leq c(|a|^p + |b|^p) r^{\beta+2-p\alpha},$$

$$(3.2) \quad \int_{D \times (0, T)} \int_{S_D} \frac{|a(g_{X_0,r}(X) - g_{X_0,r}(Y)) + b(g_{Y_0,r}(X) - g_{Y_0,r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) dX \\ \leq c(|a|^p + |b|^p) r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}$$

and

$$(3.3) \quad \int_{D \times (0, T)} \int_{D \times (0, T)} \frac{|a(g_{X_0, r}(X) - g_{X_0, r}(Y)) + b(g_{Y_0, r}(X) - g_{Y_0, r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dX dY \\ \leq c(|a|^p + |b|^p)r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}$$

PROOF. Set  $X_0 = (x_0, t_0)$  and  $Y_0 = (y_0, s_0)$ . To show (3.1) we write

$$\iint \frac{|a(g_{X_0, r}(X) - g_{X_0, r}(Y)) + b(g_{Y_0, r}(X) - g_{Y_0, r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ \leq 2^p \iint \frac{|a(g_{X_0, r}(X) - g_{X_0, r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ + 2^p \iint \frac{|b(g_{Y_0, r}(X) - g_{Y_0, r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \equiv I_1 + I_2.$$

Then

$$\iint_{\rho(X, Y) < 3r} \frac{|a(g_{X_0, r}(X) - g_{X_0, r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ \leq c_1 |a|^p \iint_{\rho(X, Y) < 3r} \frac{|g_{X_0, r}(X) - g_{X_0, r}(X')|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ + c_1 |a|^p \iint_{\rho(X, Y) < 3r} \frac{|g_{X_0, r}(X') - g_{X_0, r}(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ \equiv I_{11} + I_{12},$$

where  $X = (x, t)$ ,  $Y = (y, s)$  and  $X' = (x, s)$ . Since

$$(3.4) \quad |g_{X_0, r}(X) - g_{X_0, r}(X')| \\ \leq \sup_{s \in [0, T]} \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial s} g_{X_0, r}(x, s) \right| |s - t| \chi_{\{|x-x_0| < r\}}(x) \chi_{\{|s-t_0| < 4r^2\}}(s) \\ \leq c_2 \frac{|s-t|}{r^2} \chi_{\{|x-x_0| < r\}}(x) \chi_{\{|s-t_0| < 4r^2\}}(s)$$

and

$$(3.5) \quad |g_{X_0, r}(X') - g_{X_0, r}(Y)| \\ \sup_{x \in \partial D} |\nabla_x g_{X_0, r}(x, s)| |x - y| \chi_{\{|x_0-y| < 4r\}}(y) \chi_{\{|t_0-s| < r^2\}}(s) \\ \leq c_3 \frac{|x-y|}{r} \chi_{\{|x_0-y| < 4r\}}(y) \chi_{\{|t_0-s| < r^2\}}(s),$$

we have, by (2.2) and Lemma 2.3,

$$I_{11} \leq c_4 \frac{|a|^p}{r^{2p}} \int_{C(X_0, 4r) \cap S_D} d\mu_T(X) \int_{\rho(X, Y) < 3r} \rho(X, Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha+2p} d\mu_T(Y) \\ \leq c_5 |a|^p r^{-2p} (3r)^{2p-p\alpha} (4r)^\beta 4r^2 = c_6 |a|^p r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}$$

and

$$I_{12} \leq c_7 |a|^p \frac{1}{r^p} \int_{C(X_0, 4r) \cap S_D} d\mu_T(Y) \int_{\rho(X, Y) < 3r} \rho(X, Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha+p} d\mu_T(X) \\ \leq c_8 |a|^p r^{-p} r^{p-p\alpha} r^\beta r^2 = c_9 |a|^p r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}.$$

Using Lemma 2.3 again, we also have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \iint_{\rho(X,Y) \geq 3r} \frac{|a(g_{X_0,r}(X) - g_{X_0,r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\
& \leq 2^p \iint_{\rho(X,Y) \geq 3r} |a|^p \frac{|g_{X_0,r}(X)|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\
& + 2^p \iint_{\rho(X,Y) \geq 3r} |a|^p \frac{|g_{X_0,r}(Y)|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\
& \leq c_{10} |a|^p \int_{C(X_0,r)} d\mu_T(X) \int_{\rho(X,Y) \geq 3r} \rho(X,Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} d\mu_T(Y) \\
& + c_{10} |a|^p \int_{C(X_0,r)} d\mu_T(Y) \int_{\rho(X,Y) \geq 3r} \rho(X,Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} d\mu_T(X) \\
& \leq c_{11} r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}.
\end{aligned}$$

From these we deduce

$$I_1 \leq c_{12} |a|^p r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}.$$

Similarly we also have

$$I_2 \leq c_{13} |b|^p r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}.$$

Thus we have (3.1).

We next prove (3.2). To do so, we write

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_{D \times (0,T)} \int_{S_D \cap \{\rho(X,Y) < 3r\}} \frac{|a(g_{X_0,r}(X) - g_{X_0,r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) dX \\
& \leq 2^p |a|^p \int_{D \times (0,T)} \int_{S_D \cap \{\rho(X,Y) < 3r\}} \frac{|(g_{X_0,r}(X) - g_{X_0,r}(X'))|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) dX \\
& + 2^p |a|^p \int_{D \times (0,T)} \int_{S_D \cap \{\rho(X,Y) < 3r\}} \frac{|g_{X_0,r}(X') - g_{X_0,r}(Y)|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) dX \\
& \equiv I_{31} + I_{32}.
\end{aligned}$$

Noting that  $p - p\alpha - d + \beta > 0$  and using (3.4) and Lemma 2.3, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
I_{31} & \leq c_{14} |a|^p r^{-2p} \int_{C(X_0,4r)} dX \int_{\{\rho(X,Y) < 3r\} \cap S_D} \rho(X,Y)^{-d-2-p\alpha+2p} d\mu_T(Y) \\
& \leq c_{15} |a|^p r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}.
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly we have, by (3.5) and Lemma 2.5,

$$\begin{aligned}
I_{32} & \leq c_{16} |a|^p r^{-p} \int_{C(X_0,4r) \cap S_D} d\mu_T(Y) \int_{\rho(X,Y) < 3r} \rho(X,Y)^{-d-2-p\alpha+p} dX \\
& \leq c_{17} |a|^p r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}.
\end{aligned}$$

We also have, by Lemmas 2.3 and 2.5,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_{D \times (0, T)} \int_{S_D \cap \{\rho(X, Y) \geq 3r\}} \frac{|a(g_{X_0, r}(X) - g_{X_0, r}(Y))|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) dX \\
& \leq \int_{D \times (0, T)} \int_{S_D \cap \{\rho(X, Y) \geq 3r\}} \frac{|a|^p |g_{X_0, r}(X)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) dX \\
& + \int_{D \times (0, T)} \int_{S_D \cap \{\rho(X, Y) \geq 3r\}} \frac{|a|^p |g_{X_0, r}(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) dX \\
& \leq c_{18} |a|^p \int_{C(X_0, r)} dX \int_{\{\rho(X, Y) \geq 3r\} \cap S_D} \frac{1}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y) \\
& + c_{18} |a|^p \int_{C(X_0, r) \cap S_D} d\mu_T(Y) \int_{\rho(X, Y) \geq 3r} \frac{1}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} dX \\
& \leq c_{19} |a|^p r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}.
\end{aligned}$$

Thus we have (3.2). Similarly we can also show (3.3) by Lemma 2.5.  $\square$

LEMMA 3.2. *Suppose that  $D$  satisfies the condition (b). Let  $0 < r \leq R$ ,  $0 < a \leq R$  and  $Z \in S_D$ . Then there is a positive real number  $c_0$  such that*

$$(3.6) \quad |\mathcal{B}(Z, a) \cap F_{r, c_0}| \geq s_5 a^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta} \quad \text{and} \quad |\mathcal{B}(Z, a) \cap F_{r, c_0}| \leq s_6 a^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta}.$$

PROOF. With the aid of Lemma 2.6 we have, for  $c > 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
& |\mathcal{B}(Z, a) \cap F_{r, c}| \\
& = |\mathcal{B}(Z, a) \cap \{Y \in \Omega_D; \delta(Y) < r\}| - |\mathcal{B}(Z, a) \cap \{Y \in \Omega_D; \delta(Y) < cr\}| \\
& \geq s_3 a^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta} - s_4 a^{\beta+2} (cr)^{d-\beta} = (s_3 - c^{d-\beta} s_4) a^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta},
\end{aligned}$$

where  $s_3, s_4$  are constants in (2.5). If we set

$$c_0 = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{s_3}{s_4} \right)^{1/(d-\beta)} < 1,$$

then

$$|\mathcal{B}(Z, a) \cap F_{r, c_0}| \geq c_1 a^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta},$$

which is the first inequality.

We next show the second inequality. By (2.5) we have

$$|\mathcal{B}(Z, a) \cap F_{r, c_0}| \leq s_4 a^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta} - s_3 c_0^{d-\beta} a^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta} = (s_4 - s_3 c_0^{d-\beta}) a^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta}.$$

Since  $s_4 - s_3 c_0^{d-\beta} > 0$ , we have the conclusion.  $\square$

Set

$$(3.7) \quad t_1 = 2 \max \left\{ 1, \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{b_4}{b_3} \right)^{1/(\beta+2)}, \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{s_6}{s_5} \right)^{1/(\beta+2)} \right\},$$

where  $b_3, b_4$  and  $s_5, s_6$  are constants in (2.2) and (3.6), respectively. Then we have



LEMMA 3.3. Suppose that  $D$  satisfies the condition (b). Let  $R/(4t_1) \geq r > 0$ ,  $a, b \in \mathbf{R}$ ,  $Z_1, Z_2 \in S_D$  and  $\rho(Z_1, Z_2) \geq 4rt_1$ . Then

(i)

$$(3.8) \quad \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \frac{|a\chi_{C(Z_1,r)}(X) - b\chi_{C(Z_2,r)}(Y)|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dXdY \geq cr^{\beta-p\alpha}.$$

(ii)

$$(3.9) \quad \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \int_{S_D} \frac{|a\chi_{C(Z_1,r)}(X) - b\chi_{C(Z_2,r)}(Y)|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{d+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(Y)dX \geq cr^{\beta-p\alpha}.$$

(iii)

$$(3.10) \quad \int_{S_D} \int_{S_D} \frac{|a\chi_{C(Z_1,r)}(X) - b\chi_{C(Z_2,r)}(Y)|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X)d\mu_T(Y) \geq cr^{\beta-p\alpha}.$$

Here  $c$  is a constant independent of  $Z_1, Z_2$  and  $r$ .

PROOF. (i) Note that

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{F_{r,c_0}} dY \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \frac{|a\chi_{C(Z_1,r)}(X) - b\chi_{C(Z_2,r)}(Y)|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{d+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dXdY \\ & \geq |a|^p \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \chi_{C(Z_1,r)}(X)dX \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap \{\rho(Z_2,Y) > \sqrt{2}r\}} \frac{1}{\rho(X,Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dY \\ & + |b|^p \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \chi_{C(Z_2,r)}(Y)dY \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap \{\rho(Z_1,X) > \sqrt{2}r\}} \frac{1}{\rho(X,Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dx \\ & \equiv I_{11} + I_{12}. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $X \in C(Z_1, r)$  and  $2r < \rho(Z_1, Y) < 3rt_1$  imply  $\rho(Z_2, Y) > rt_1 > \sqrt{2}r$  and  $\rho(X, Y) < (\sqrt{2}/2 + 1)\rho(Z_1, Y)$ , we have, by Lemma 2.6,

$$\begin{aligned} I_{11} & \geq |a|^p \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \chi_{C(Z_1,r)}(X)dX \\ & \times \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap \{2r < \rho(Z_1,Y) < 3rt_1\}} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + 1\right)^{-d-2-p\alpha-d+\beta} \frac{1}{\rho(Z_1,Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dY \\ & \geq c_1 |a|^p (3rt_1)^{-d-2-p\alpha-d+\beta} |C(Z_1, r) \cap F_{r,c_0}| |F_{r,c_0} \cap (\mathcal{B}(Z_1, 3rt_1) \setminus \mathcal{B}(Z_1, 2r))|. \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 3.2 yields

$$|C(Z_1, r) \cap F_{r,c_0}| \geq |\mathcal{B}(Z_1, r) \cap F_{r,c_0}| \geq s_5 r^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta}.$$

Noting that  $t_1$  is defined by (3.7), we have, by Lemma 3.2,

$$\begin{aligned} & |\mathcal{B}(Z_1, 3rt_1) \cap F_{r,c_0}| - |\mathcal{B}(Z_1, 2r) \cap F_{r,c_0}| \\ & \geq s_5 (3rt_1)^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta} - s_6 (2r)^{\beta+2} r^{d-\beta} \geq (3^{\beta+2} t_1^{\beta+2} s_5 - s_6 2^{\beta+2}) r^{d+2}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we have

$$I_{11} \geq c_2 |a|^p r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}.$$

The same estimate is obtained for  $I_{12}$ . Thus we see that (3.8) holds.

(iii) Similarly we write

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{S_D} \int_{S_D} \frac{|a\chi_{C(Z_1,r)}(X) - b\chi_{C(Z_2,r)}(Y)|^p}{\rho(X,Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ & \geq |a|^p \int_{S_D} \chi_{C(Z_1,r)}(X) d\mu_T(X) \int_{S_D \cap \{\rho(Z_2,X) > \sqrt{2}r\}} \rho(X,Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} d\mu_T(Y) \\ & + |b|^p \int_{S_D} \chi_{C(Z_2,r)}(Y) d\mu_T(Y) \int_{S_D \cap \{\rho(Z_1,Y) > \sqrt{2}r\}} \rho(X,Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} d\mu_T(X) \\ & \equiv I_{21} + I_{22}. \end{aligned}$$

Using Lemma 2.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} I_{21} & \geq c_3 |a|^p \int_{S_D} \chi_{C(Z_1,r)}(X) d\mu_T(X) \\ & \quad \times \int_{S_D \cap \{2r < \rho(Z_1,Y) < 3rt_1\}} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + 1\right)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} \rho(Z_1,Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} d\mu_T(Y) \\ & \geq c_4 |a|^p r^{\beta+2} (3t_1 r)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} \mu_T(B(Z, 3rt_1) \setminus B(Z_1, 2r)). \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_T(B(Z_1, 3rt_1) \setminus B(Z_1, 2r)) & \geq b_3 (3rt_1)^{\beta+2} - b_4 (2r)^{\beta+2} \\ & \geq (3^{\beta+2} t_1^{\beta+2} b_3 - b_4 2^{\beta+2}) r^{\beta+2}, \end{aligned}$$

we have

$$I_{21} \geq c_5 |a|^p r^{\beta+2-p\alpha}.$$

We also have the same estimate for  $I_{22}$ . Thus we have (3.10).

Similarly we can also show (3.9). □

#### 4. Proofs of Theorem 1 and Theorem 2

In this section we shall prove Theorem 1 and Theorem 2.

**PROOF OF THEOREM 1.** We first prove the second inequality of (1.4). Suppose that  $f$  is non-negative and continuous on  $\bar{D} \times [0, T]$  with respect to the metric  $\rho$ . Since  $f$  is uniformly continuous on  $\bar{D} \times [0, T]$  with respect to  $\rho$ , there is, for each  $\epsilon > 0$ , a positive real number  $\delta > 0$  such that  $\rho(X, Y) < \delta$  implies  $|f(X) - f(Y)| < \epsilon$ . We consider any positive real number  $t$  satisfying  $t < \delta/15$ . Since

$$S_D \cup \overline{F_{r,c_0}} \subset \cup_{Z \in S_D} C(Z, 2r)$$

and  $S_D \cup \overline{F_{r,c_0}}$  is compact, there is a subfamily of  $\{C(Z, 2r)\}_{Z \in S_D}$  which covers  $S_D \cup \overline{F_{r,c_0}}$  and consists of finitely many cylinders. Using Lemma 2.1, we can find,  $Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_m \in S_D$  such that  $\{C(Z_j, 2r)\}_{j=1}^m$  is a subfamily of  $\{C(Z, 2r)\}_{Z \in S_D}$  and  $\{C(Z_j, 2r)\}_{j=1}^m$  are mutually disjoint and

$$S_D \cup \overline{F_{r,c_0}} \subset \cup_{j=1}^m C(Z_j, 6r).$$

Noting that  $f$  is also continuous with respect the Euclidian topology, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{S_D} f(Z) d\mu_T(Z) & \leq \sum_{j=1}^m \int_{C(Z_j, 6r) \cap S_D} f(Z) d\mu_T(Z) \\ & \leq c_1 \sum_{j=1}^m \max\{f(Z); z \in \overline{C(Z_j, 6r)} \cap S_D\} (6r)^{\beta+2} \\ & \leq c_2 r^{\beta-d} \sum_{j=1}^m (\min\{f(Y); Y \in \overline{C(Z_j, r)} \cap \overline{F_{r,c_0}}\} + \epsilon) r^{d+2}. \end{aligned}$$

Since, by Lemma 3.2,

$$|C(Z_j, 2r) \cap F_{r,c_0}| \geq c_3 r^{d+2}$$

and  $\{C(Z_j, 2r)\}_{j=1}^m$  are mutually disjoint, we have

$$(4.1) \quad \int_{S_D} f(Z) d\mu_T(Z) \leq c_4 r^{\beta-d} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} (f(Y) + \epsilon) dY.$$

On the other hand we have, by Lemma 2.6,

$$\int_{F_{r,c_0}} dY \leq |C(Z_0, R) \cap F_{r,c_0}| \leq c_5 r^{d-\beta} R^{\beta+2},$$

where  $Z_0$  is a fixed point on  $S_D$ . This and (4.1) yield

$$\int_{S_D} f(Z) d\mu_T(Z) \leq c_6 (r^{\beta-d} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} f(Y) dY + \epsilon).$$

Thus we have the second inequality of (1.4).

We next prove the first inequality of (1.4). Using the above covering, we have, by (2.2),

$$\begin{aligned} r^{\beta-d} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} f(Y) &\leq r^{\beta-d} \sum_{j=1}^m \int_{C(Z_j, 6r) \cap F_{r,c_0}} f(Y) dY \\ &\leq c_7 r^{\beta-d} \sum_{j=1}^m \max\{f(Y); Y \in \overline{C(Z_j, 6r)} \cap \overline{F_{r,c_0}}\} (6r)^{d+2} \\ &\leq c_8 \sum_{j=1}^m (\min\{f(Z); Z \in \overline{C(Z_j, r)} \cap S_D\} + \epsilon) r^{\beta+2} \\ &\leq c_9 \int_{S_D} (f(Z) + \epsilon) d\mu_T(Z) = c_9 \left( \int_{S_D} f(Z) d\mu_T(Z) + \epsilon \mu_T(S_D) \right). \end{aligned}$$

This leads the first inequality of (1.4). □

We next prove Theorem 2.

PROOF of THEOREM 2. We first prove (1.5). Choose  $\eta > 0$  satisfying  $(d - \beta)/p + \alpha < \eta < \lambda$  and  $\epsilon > 0$ . Since  $f$  is  $\lambda$ -Hölder continuous on  $\overline{D} \times [0, T]$  with the parabolic metric  $\rho$ , we can find  $t_0 > 0$  such that

$$\rho(X, Y) < t_0 \text{ implies } \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|}{\rho(X, Y)^\eta} < \epsilon$$

and  $t_0 \leq R$ .

Consider any positive real number  $r$  satisfying  $r < t_0/(80t_1)$ , where  $t_1$  is the positive real number defined by (3.7). Since the set  $S_D \cup \overline{F_{r,c_0}}$  is compact, we cover

$$S_D \cup \overline{F_{r,c_0}} \subset \cup_{k=1}^m C(Y_k, 2r),$$

where  $Y_k \in S_D$ . Using Lemma 2.1, we can find a subfamily  $\{C(Z_j, 2r)\}$  of  $\{C(Y_k, 2r)\}$  such that  $\{C(Z_j, 2r)\}$  are mutually disjoint and

$$S_D \cup \overline{F_{r,c_0}} \subset \cup_j C(Z_j, 6r).$$

Using the family, we define functions  $\{v_{i,j}\}$  on  $\mathbf{R}^{d+1} \times \mathbf{R}^{d+1}$  as follows. If  $\rho(Z_i, Z_j) \leq 24rt_1$ , then  $v_{i,j}(X, Y) \equiv 0$ . If  $\rho(Z_i, Z_j) > 24rt_1$ , then we define

$$v_{i,j}(X, Y) = f(Z_i)(g_{Z_i, 12r}(X) - g_{Z_i, 12r}(Y)) + f(Z_j)(g_{Z_j, 12r}(X) - g_{Z_j, 12r}(Y)).$$

Let  $(X, Y) \in (C(Z_i, 6r) \cap (\overline{D} \times [0, T])) \times (C(Z_j, 6r) \cap (\overline{D} \times [0, T]))$ . If  $\rho(Z_i, Z_j) > 24rt_1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & |v_{i,j}(X, Y) - (f(X) - f(Y))| \\ & \leq |f(Z_i)g_{Z_i, 12r}(X) - f(X)| + |f(Z_j)g_{Z_j, 12r}(Y) - f(Y)| \\ & = |f(Z_i) - f(X)| + |f(Z_j) - f(Y)| \\ & \leq \epsilon\rho(Z_i, X)^\eta + \epsilon\rho(Z_j, Y)^\eta \leq 2\epsilon(6\sqrt{2}r)^\eta < 2\epsilon\rho(X, Y)^\eta. \end{aligned}$$

If  $\rho(Z_i, Z_j) \leq 24rt_1$ , then

$$|v_{i,j}(X, Y) - (f(X) - f(Y))| = |f(X) - f(Y)| < \epsilon\rho(X, Y)^\eta.$$

We also define functions  $\{w_{ij}\}$  on  $\mathbf{R}^{d+1} \times \mathbf{R}^{d+1}$  as follows. If  $\rho(Z_i, Z_j) > 4rt_1$ , we define

$$w_{ij}(X, Y) = f(Z_i)\chi_{C(Z_i, 2r)}(X) - f(Z_j)\chi_{C(Z_j, 2r)}(Y).$$

Then we can also estimate

$$|w_{ij}(X, Y) - (f(X) - f(Y))| < c_1\epsilon\rho(X, Y)^\eta$$

for each pair  $(X, Y) \in (C(Z_i, r) \cap (\overline{D} \times [0, T])) \times (C(Z_j, r) \cap (\overline{D} \times [0, T]))$ .

We note that each  $X \in \overline{D} \times [0, T]$  belongs to at most  $N$  many numbers of  $\{C(Z_i, 6r)\}$ , where  $N$  is a constant depending only on  $d$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 & \equiv \iint \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ & \leq \sum_{i,j} \int_{C(Z_i, 6r) \cap S_D} \int_{C(Z_j, 6r) \cap S_D} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ & \leq c_2 \sum_{i,j} \iint \frac{|v_{i,j}(X, Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ & \quad + c_2\epsilon^p \iint \rho(X, Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha+p\eta} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ & \leq c_2 \sum_{i,j} \iint \frac{|v_{i,j}(X, Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) + c_3\epsilon^p. \end{aligned}$$

Noting that  $v_{i,j}(X, Y) = 0$  if  $\rho(Z_i, Z_j) \leq 24rt_1$  and  $\{C(Z_i, 2r)\}$  are mutually disjoint, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{i,j} \iint \frac{|v_{i,j}(X, Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\ & \leq c_4 \sum_i |f(Z_i)|^p \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_i, 6r)} d\mu_T(X) \int_{\rho(X, Y) > 12rt_1} \rho(X, Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} d\mu_T(Y) \\ & \quad + c_4 \sum_j |f(Z_j)|^p \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_j, 6r)} d\mu_T(Y) \int_{\rho(X, Y) > 12rt_1} \rho(X, Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} d\mu_T(X) \\ & \leq c_5 r^{\beta+2-p\alpha} \sum_i |f(Z_i)|^p, \end{aligned}$$

whence

$$(4.2) \quad I_1 \leq c_6 \sum_i^l (|f(Z_i)|^p) r^{\beta+2-p\alpha} + c_6 \epsilon^p.$$

Let  $C(Z_i, r)$  be one of parabolic cylinders  $\{C(Z_j, r)\}$  and denote by  $Z_{j_i}$  one of the points of the centers of  $\{C(Z_j, r)\}$  such that  $\rho(Z_i, Z_{j_i}) > 4rt_1$  and  $\rho(Z_i, Z_j) \geq \rho(Z_i, Z_{j_i})$  for each center  $Z_j$  satisfying  $\rho(Z_i, Z_j) > 4rt_1$ . Since  $\{C(Z_j, 6r)\}$  is a covering of  $\overline{F_{r,c_0}}$ , we see that  $\rho(Z_i, Z_{j_i}) \leq t_2 r$ , where  $t_2$  is a constant independent of  $r$  and  $i$ . Therefore, if  $X \in C(Z_i, r)$  and  $Y \in C(Z_{j_i}, r)$ , then  $\rho(X, Y) \leq t_3 r$ , where  $t_3$  is a constant independent of  $r$  and  $i$ . Consequently we have, by Lemma 3.2,

$$(4.3) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dX dY \\ & \geq \sum_{i,j} \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_i, r)} \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_j, r)} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dX dY \\ & \geq c_7 \sum_{i,j} \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_i, r)} \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_j, r)} \frac{|w_{i,j}(X, Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dX dY \\ & \quad - c_8 \epsilon^p \int_{C(Z_0, R) \cap D} \int_{C(Z_0, R) \cap D} \rho(X, Y)^{-d-2-p\alpha-d+\beta+\eta} dX dY \\ & \geq c_9 \sum_i \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_i, r)} |f(Z_i)|^p dX \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_{j_i}, r)} \rho(X, Y)^{-d-2-p\alpha-d+\beta} dY \\ & \quad + c_9 \sum_j \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_j, r)} |f(Z_j)|^p dY \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_{j_i}, r)} \rho(X, Y)^{-d-2-p\alpha-d+\beta} dX - c_9 \epsilon^p \\ & \geq c_{10} \sum_i (|f(Z_i)|^p) r^{\beta+2-p\alpha} - c_{11} \epsilon^p, \end{aligned}$$

where  $Z_0$  is some point of  $S_D$ . Combining (4.2) with (4.3), we have the second inequality of (1.5).

We next show the first inequality of (1.5). Since

$$\begin{aligned} I_2 & \equiv \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \int_{F_{r,c_0}} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dX dY \\ & \leq c_{12} \sum_{i,j} \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_i, 6r)} \int_{F_{r,c_0} \cap C(Z_j, 6r)} \frac{|v_{i,j}(X, Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{d+2+p\alpha+d-\beta}} dX dY \\ & \quad + c_{12} \epsilon^p \int_{C(Z_0, R)} \int_{C(Z_0, R)} \rho(X, Y)^{-d-2-p\alpha+d+\beta+p\eta} dX dY, \end{aligned}$$

we have, by the above methods,

$$I_2 \leq c_{13} \sum_i (|f(Z_i)|^p) r^{\beta+2-p\alpha} + c_{13} \epsilon^p.$$

On the other hand, we also have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_{S_D} \int_{S_D} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\
& \geq \sum_{i,j} \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_i, r)} \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_j, r)} \frac{|f(X) - f(Y)|^p}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\
& \geq c_{14} \sum_{i,j} \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_i, r)} \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_j, r)} \frac{w_{i,j}(X, Y)}{\rho(X, Y)^{\beta+2+p\alpha}} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\
& \quad - c_{15} \int_{S_D} \int_{S_D} \rho(X, Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha+p\eta} d\mu_T(X) d\mu_T(Y) \\
& \geq c_{16} \sum_i \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_i, r)} |f(Z_i)|^p d\mu_T(X) \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_j, r)} \rho(X, Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} d\mu_T(Y) \\
& \quad + c_{16} \sum_j \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_j, r)} |f(Z_j)|^p d\mu_T(Y) \int_{S_D \cap C(Z_i, r)} \rho(X, Y)^{-\beta-2-p\alpha} d\mu_T(X) - c_{17} \epsilon^p \\
& \geq c_{18} \sum_i (|f(Z_i)|^p) r^{\beta+2-p\alpha} - c_{17} \epsilon^p.
\end{aligned}$$

Thus we also have the first inequality of (1.5).

Similarly we can prove the inequality (1.6). □

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