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**$L^p$  AND HÖLDER ESTIMATES FOR CAUCHY-RIEMANN  
EQUATIONS ON CONVEX DOMAIN OF FINITE/INFINITE  
TYPE WITH PIECEWISE SMOOTH BOUNDARY IN  $\mathbb{C}^2$**

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we investigate  $L^p$  estimates ( $1 \leq p \leq +\infty$ ) and  $f$ -Hölder estimates for the Cauchy-Riemann equation in a class of convex domains of finite or infinite type with piecewise smooth boundary in  $\mathbb{C}^2$ .

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1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $(z_1, z_2)$  be the complex Euclidean coordinates of  $\mathbb{C}^2$  and let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}^2$  be a bounded domain. The Cauchy-Riemann complex on  $C^1(\Omega)$ -functions is defined as follow:

$$\bar{\partial}u = \sum_{j=1}^2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial \bar{z}_j} d\bar{z}_j,$$

where  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}_j} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} + \sqrt{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{2+j}} \right)$  with  $z_j = x_j + \sqrt{-1}x_{2+j}$ ,  $j = 1, 2$ . One of the most fundamental and important problems in multidimensional complex analysis is to solve the Cauchy-Riemann equation

$$\bar{\partial}u = \varphi$$

for a given  $(0, 1)$ -form  $\varphi = \varphi_1 d\bar{z}_1 + \varphi_2 d\bar{z}_2$ . In the case when  $\Omega$  is a smoothly bounded, convex domain,  $L^p$  estimates and Hölder estimates of the  $\bar{\partial}$ -equation were studied by many mathematicians. The book [3] by Chen and Shaw is an excellent reference for this literature. In this paper, we investigate the problem on a class of bounded convex domains with non-smooth boundaries.

For each  $j = 1, \dots, N$ , let  $\Omega_j \subset \mathbb{C}^2$  be a domain with smooth boundary  $b\Omega_j$  and  $\rho_j : \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a function of class  $C^\infty(\mathbb{C}^2)$ . Assume that  $\rho_j$  is a defining function of  $\Omega_j$  in the following sense:

- $\rho_j(z) < 0$  if and only if  $z \in \Omega_j$ ;
- $\{z \in \mathbb{C}^2 : \rho_j(z) = 0\} = b\Omega_j$ ;

- $|\nabla \rho_j(z)| > 0$  if  $z \in b\Omega_j$ ;
- $\nabla \rho_j \perp b\Omega_j$ .

The certain domain in this paper is the transversal intersection of  $\Omega_1, \dots, \Omega_N$ , that is defined as follows

$$(1.1) \quad \Omega = \Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2 \dots \cap \Omega_N$$

so that  $d\rho_{j_1} \wedge \dots \wedge d\rho_{j_l} \neq 0$  on  $\bigcap_{k=1}^l U_{j_k}$  for  $1 \leq j_1 < \dots < j_l \leq N$ , where  $U_j$  is a neighborhood of  $b\Omega_j$ .

For  $z \in \Omega$ , let us define

$$(1.2) \quad \frac{1}{\rho(z)} = \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{1}{\rho_j(z)}.$$

Since  $\rho \in C^\infty(\Omega)$  and

$$N^{-1} \inf_{1 \leq j \leq N} \{-\rho_j\} \leq -\rho \leq \inf_{1 \leq j \leq N} \{-\rho_j\},$$

we have  $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C}^2 : \rho(z) < 0\}$  and  $-\rho(z) \approx \text{dist}(z, b\Omega)$ . Here and in what follows, the notations  $\lesssim$  and  $\gtrsim$  denote inequalities up to a positive constant, and  $\approx$  means the combination of  $\lesssim$  and  $\gtrsim$ .

Such domains were firstly considered by M. Range in [13] and then by Berndtsson-Andersson in [1]. The following theorem is the first result of this paper.

**Theorem 1.1** ( $L^p$  estimates). *Let  $\Omega_j$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, N$ , be smooth bounded, convex domains and admit the maximal type  $F$  at all boundary points for a same function  $F$  (see Definition (2.1)). Let  $\Omega$  be a piecewise smooth domain defined by (1.1) and let  $\rho$  be defined by (1.2). Let  $\varphi$  be a  $(0, 1)$ -form in  $L^p_{(0,1)}(\Omega)$ , for  $p \in [1, +\infty]$ . Then, there is a function  $u \in L^p(\Omega)$  satisfying  $\bar{\partial}u = \varphi$  in the weak sense, and*

$$\|u\|_{L^p(\Omega)} \leq C_p \|\varphi\|_{L^p_{(0,1)}(\Omega)}.$$

By  $\bar{\partial}u = \varphi$  in the weak sense, we mean that  $u = \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0^+} u_\varepsilon$  in  $L^p(\Omega)$  (or  $f$ -Hölder spaces in Theorem 1.2), where  $u_\varepsilon$  is the Berndtsson-Andersson solution of  $\bar{\partial}u_\varepsilon = \varphi_\varepsilon$  with smooth  $\varphi_\varepsilon$ .

In the lecture of Range [15] given at Cortona (Italy), he proved that on the following smoothly bounded convex domain

$$(1.3) \quad \Omega^m = \{(z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2 : |z_1|^{2m} + |z_2|^2 - 1 < 0\},$$

where  $m = 1, 2, \dots$ , the Cauchy-Riemann equation  $\bar{\partial}u = \varphi$  is solvable. This domain is said to be finite type in the sense of Range (see [14, Definition 1.1]). Moreover, the solution  $u$  is Hölder continuous of order  $\alpha < \frac{1}{2m}$  whenever  $\varphi$  is a  $C^1(\bar{\Omega}^m)$   $(0, 1)$ -form. Moreover, he also showed that on the infinite type smooth boundary convex

domain

$$\Omega^\infty = \{(z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2 : \exp(1 + 2/s) \cdot \exp\left(\frac{-1}{|z_1|^s}\right) + |z_2|^2 - 1 < 0\},$$

for  $0 < s < 1$ , the Cauchy-Riemann equation is although solvable. Nevertheless, there is no solution which is Hölder continuous of any positive order. For this motivation, we need a class of corresponding non-standard Hölder spaces, namely  $f$ -Hölder spaces on  $\Omega$ . That is, for  $f$  being an increasing function such that  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} f(t) = +\infty$ ,

$$\Lambda^f(\Omega) = \{u \in L^\infty(\Omega) : \|u\|_f := \|u\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} + \sup_{z, z+h \in \Omega} f(|h|^{-1})|u(z+h) - u(z)| < +\infty\}.$$

It is clear that if  $f(t) = t^\alpha$ , for  $0 < \alpha < 1$ , the space  $\Lambda^f(\Omega)$  coincides to  $\Lambda^\alpha(\Omega)$ -the classical Hölder space of order  $\alpha$ . The  $f$ -Hölder space was introduced in [10, 9] and extended to study tangential Cauchy-Riemann equations in [6, 7].

**Theorem 1.2** ( $f$ -Hölder estimates). *Let  $\Omega_1, \dots, \Omega_N$  and  $\Omega$  be domains defined in Theorem 1.1. Let  $\varphi$  be a continuous  $(0, 1)$ -form. Then, there is a function  $u \in \Lambda^f(\Omega)$  satisfying  $\bar{\partial}u = \varphi$  in the weak sense, and*

$$\|u\|_{\Lambda^f(\Omega)} \lesssim \|\varphi\|_{L_{(0,1)}^\infty(\Omega)},$$

where

$$f(d^{-1}) := \left( \int_0^d \frac{\sqrt{F^*(t)}}{t} dt \right)^{-1},$$

and  $F^*$  is the inverse function of  $F$ .

The paper is organized as follows. We recall the construction of Berndtsson-Andersson  $\bar{\partial}$ -solution and maximal type  $F$  in Section 2. Then, we prove Theorem 1.1 in Section 3 and Theorem 1.2 in Section 4.

## 2. BERNDTSSON-ANDERSSON SOLUTION AND MAXIMAL TYPE $F$

In this section, for every  $k = 1, \dots, N$ , we assume that  $\Omega_k$  is a bounded convex domain in  $\mathbb{C}^2$  with smooth boundary  $b\Omega_k$ , and that  $\rho_k$  is a defining function for  $\Omega_k$ . The convexity means

$$\sum_{i,j=1}^4 \frac{\partial^2 \rho_k}{\partial x_i \partial x_j}(\zeta) a_i a_j \geq 0 \quad \text{on } b\Omega_k,$$

for every  $a = (a_1, \dots, a_4) \in \mathbb{R}^4$  with  $\sum_{j=1}^4 a_j \frac{\partial \rho_k}{\partial x_j}(\zeta) = 0$  on  $b\Omega_k$ . Let us define the following support function of  $\Omega_k$ , for  $\zeta, z \in \bar{\Omega}_k$ :

$$(2.1) \quad \Phi_k(\zeta, z) = \Phi_{\Omega_k}(\zeta, z) = \sum_{j=1}^2 \frac{\partial \rho_k}{\partial \zeta_j}(\zeta) (\zeta_j - z_j).$$

For each  $\zeta \in b\Omega_k$ , the condition  $\Phi_k(\zeta, z) = 0$  characterizes the translate of the complex tangent space  $T_\zeta^\mathbb{C}(b\Omega_k)$ . The convexity of  $\Omega_k$  implies

$$\Phi_k(\zeta, z) \neq 0, \quad \text{for all } \zeta \in b\Omega_k, z \in \bar{\Omega}_k.$$

**Theorem 2.1** (Berndtsson-Andersson solution [1]). *Let  $\Omega_1, \dots, \Omega_N$  and  $\Omega$  be defined as above. Let  $\Delta = \{(\zeta, z) \in \Omega \times \Omega \mid \zeta = z\}$  be the diagonal of  $\Omega$ . Then for any  $r > 1$ , there exists a  $(2, 1)$ -form  $K^r(\zeta, z)$  defined on  $(\Omega \times \Omega) \setminus \Delta$  such that: for any  $\bar{\partial}$ -closed, continuous  $(0, 1)$ -form  $\varphi$  in  $\bar{\Omega}$ , the following*

$$S[\varphi](z) = \int_{\zeta \in \Omega} \varphi(\zeta) \wedge K^r(\zeta, z), \quad z \in \Omega,$$

satisfies

$$\bar{\partial}(S[\varphi])(z) = \varphi(z).$$

Moreover, in [4, page 1421], Cho and Park showed that

$$(2.2) \quad |K^r(\zeta, z)| \lesssim \frac{\prod_{j=1}^N |\rho_j(\zeta)|^r}{|\zeta - z|^3 \prod_{j=1}^N |\Phi_j(\zeta, z)|^r} + \frac{1}{|\zeta - z|} \sum_{k=1}^N \left[ \left( \prod_{j \neq k} \frac{|\rho_j(\zeta)|^r \cdot |\rho_k(\zeta)|^{r-1}}{|\Phi_j(\zeta, z)|^r |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^{r+1}} \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. + \frac{\prod_{j=1}^N |\rho_j(\zeta)|^r}{\prod_{j \neq k} |\Phi_j(\zeta, z)|^r |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^{r+1}} \right) \right] := K_1^r(\zeta, z) + K_2^r(\zeta, z) + K_3^r(\zeta, z).$$

and they also obtained the following  $L^1$ -boundedness.

**Theorem 2.2** ( $L^1$ -estimate ([4])). *Let  $\varphi$  be a  $\bar{\partial}$ -closed  $(0, 1)$ -form whose coefficients in  $L^1(\Omega)$ . Then,*

$$\bar{\partial}(S[\varphi]) = \varphi$$

in the weak sense, and  $\|S[\varphi]\|_{L^1(\Omega)} \lesssim \|\varphi\|_{L^1_{(0,1)}(\Omega)}$ .

In the present work, we are going to study the case  $L^\infty$ -estimates, for the solution to the  $\bar{\partial}$ -equation. Hence, we need the following geometric ingredient.

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $F : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a function such that

- (1)  $F$  is smooth and increasing;
- (2)  $F(0) = 0$ ;
- (3)  $\int_0^\delta |\ln F(t^2)| dt < \infty$  for some small  $\delta > 0$ ;

(4)  $\frac{F(t)}{t}$  is non-decreasing.

Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}^2$  be a smoothly bounded, convex domain. Then,  $\Omega$  is called a domain admitting the maximal type  $F$  at the boundary point  $P \in b\Omega$  if there are positive constants  $c, c'$ , such that, for all  $\zeta \in \bar{\Omega} \cap B(P, c')$  we have

$$\rho(z) \gtrsim F(|z - \zeta|^2),$$

for all  $z \in B(\zeta, c)$  with  $\Phi_\Omega(\zeta, z) = 0$ .

In the case  $F(t) = t^m$ ,  $\Omega$  is called a convex domain of finite type  $2m$  in the sense of Range. The maximal type  $F$  was introduced in [6, 7] to study tangential Cauchy-Riemann equations, and the global Lipschitz continuity of the Bergman projection weakly pseudoconvex domains in  $\mathbb{C}^2$ . Some examples are follows.

- Let  $\Omega$  be a strongly convex domain with its defining function  $\rho$ . Then,

$$\Re \Phi(\zeta, z) \geq \rho(\zeta) - \rho(z) + \lambda_0 |\zeta - z|^2,$$

for  $|\zeta - z|$  and  $|\rho(\zeta)|$  small, and  $\lambda_0 > 0$  (see [3] for details). Hence, when  $\zeta \in b\Omega \cap \{|\zeta - z| < c\}$ , and  $\Phi(\zeta, z) = 0$ , we have

$$\rho(z) \gtrsim F(|z - \zeta|^2),$$

with  $F(t) = t$ . So,  $\Omega$  in this case is of maximal type  $F$ .

- The complex ellipsoid is

$$\Omega = \{(z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2 : |z_1|^{2m_1} + |z_2|^{2m_2} < 1\},$$

where  $m_1, m_2 \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\Omega$  is convex of maximal type  $F$  with  $F(t) = t^m$ , for  $m = \max\{m_1, m_2\}$ , see [15].

- Assume that  $\Omega$  denote a bounded domain of the type

$$\Omega = \left\{ z = (z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^n : \rho(z) = \sum_{j=1}^2 \rho_j(|z_j|^2) - 1 < 0, \right\}$$

where all functions  $\rho_j$  are assumed to be real-analytic in  $[0, a_j]$  such that

- (1)  $\rho'_j(t) \geq 0, \rho'_j(t) + 2t\rho''_j(t) \geq 0$  for  $0 \leq t \leq a_j$ ;
- (2)  $\rho'_j(0) = \rho_j(0) = 0$  and  $\rho_j(a_j) > 1$ .

In [2], J. Bruna and J. del Castillo obtained that there exists a positive integer  $m$  such that

$$\Re \Phi(\zeta, z) \gtrsim \rho(\zeta) - \rho(z) + \sum_{k=1}^2 \frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \zeta_k \partial \bar{\zeta}_k}(\zeta) |z_k - \zeta_k|^2 + |\zeta - z|^{2m},$$

for  $\zeta, z \in \bar{\Omega}$  (see [2, Formula (7)]). Therefore  $\Omega$  is a smoothly bounded, admissibly decoupled, convex domain admitting an  $F$ -type, with  $F(t) = t^m$ .

• Let

$$\Omega^\infty = \{(z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid \rho(z) := \exp(1 + 2/s) \cdot \exp\left(\frac{-1}{|z_1|^s}\right) + |z_2|^2 - 1 < 0\}.$$

Since

$$\Re[\Phi_{\Omega^\infty}(\zeta, z)] \geq \rho(\zeta) - \rho(z) + \exp(1 + 2/s) \exp\left\{\frac{-1}{32|\zeta - z|^{2s}}\right\},$$

for  $0 < s < 1/2$ ,  $\Omega^\infty$  is convex of the maximal type  $F(t) = \exp(\frac{-1}{32t^s})$ , see [19]. Note that  $\Omega_\infty$  is a domain of infinite type.

The most important property of support functions on convex domains admitting a maximal type  $F$  is the following.

**Lemma 2.1.** [6, Lemma 3.3, p. 112] *For each  $k = 1, \dots, N$ , let  $\Omega_k$  be a smoothly bounded, convex domain in  $\mathbb{C}^2$  of maximal type  $F$  at  $P \in b\Omega_k$ . Then there is a positive constant  $c_k$  such that the support function  $\Phi_k(\zeta, z)$  satisfies the following estimate*

$$(2.3) \quad |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)| \gtrsim |\rho_k(\zeta)| + |\rho_k(z)| + |\Im \Phi_k(\zeta, z)| + F(|z - \zeta|^2),$$

for every  $\zeta \in \bar{\Omega}_k \cap B(P, c)$ , and  $z \in \bar{\Omega}_k$ ,  $|z - \zeta| < c_k$ .

### 3. PROOF OF $L^p$ -ESTIMATE

By Theorem 2.2 and Riesz-Thorin Interpolation Theorem (see Theorem B.6, Appendix B in [3] for more details), we are only going to prove the  $L^\infty$ -estimate. Let  $\varphi$  be a  $(0, 1)$ -form with  $L^\infty$ -coefficients on  $\bar{\Omega}$ . Then by Hölder inequality,

$$|S[\varphi](z)| \lesssim \|\varphi\|_{L^\infty_{(0,1)}(\Omega)} \int_{\Omega} |K^r(\zeta, z)| dV(\zeta),$$

where  $dV(\cdot)$  is the Lebesgue measure in  $\mathbb{R}^4$ . Next, we will estimate the integral of each term in the right hand side of (2.2).

Firstly, by Lemma 2.1, we obtain

$$\int_{\Omega} K_1^r(\zeta, z) dV(\zeta) \lesssim \int_{\Omega} \frac{\prod_{j=1}^N |\rho_j(\zeta)|^r}{|\zeta - z|^3 \prod_{j=1}^N |\rho_j(\zeta)|^r} dV(\zeta) \lesssim \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|z - \zeta|^3} \lesssim 1.$$

Next, for the second term  $K_2^r(\zeta, z)$  and  $K_3^r(\zeta, z)$ , we have

$$(3.1) \quad \int_{\Omega} K_2^r(\zeta, z) dV(\zeta) \lesssim \sum_{k=1}^N \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z| |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^2}$$

and

$$(3.2) \quad \int_{\Omega} K_3^r(\zeta, z) dV(\zeta) \lesssim \sum_{k=1}^N \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z| |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|}.$$

We are going to estimate the right hand side of (3.1) and the process for (3.2) is similar and more simple. To do this, we recall the Henkin coordinates on each  $\Omega_k$ .

**Lemma 3.1.** [5, page 608] *There exist positive constants  $M, a$  and  $\eta \leq c$ , and, for each  $z$  with  $\text{dist}(z, b\Omega_k) \leq a$ , there is a smooth local coordinate system  $(t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4) = t = t(\zeta, z)$  on the ball  $B(z, c)$  such that we have*

$$\begin{cases} t(z, z) = 0, \\ t_1(\zeta) = \rho_k(\zeta) - \rho_k(z), \\ t_2(\zeta) = \Im(\Phi_k(\zeta, z)), \\ |t| < \delta \quad \text{for } \zeta \in B(z, c), \\ |J_{\mathbb{R}}(t)| \leq M \quad \text{and} \quad |\det J_{\mathbb{R}}(t)| \geq \frac{1}{M}, \end{cases}$$

where  $J_{\mathbb{R}}(t)$  is the Jacobian of the transformation at  $t$ .

Now, for each fixed  $k$ , by Lemma 2.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z| |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^2} &\lesssim \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta_1 - z_1| (|\rho_k(\zeta)| + |\Im \Phi_k(\zeta, z)| + F(|z_1 - \zeta_1|^2))^2} \\ &\lesssim \int_{t^2 < c^2} \frac{dt_1 dt_2 dt_3 dt_4}{|(t_3, t_4)| (t_1 + t_2 + F(t_3^2 + t_4^2))^2} \\ &\lesssim \int_{t_1^2 + t_3^2 + t_4^2 < c^2} \frac{dt_1 dt_3 dt_4}{|(t_3, t_4)| (t_1 + F(t_3^2 + t_4^2))} \\ &\lesssim \int_{t_3^2 + t_4^2 < c^2} \frac{\ln F(t_3^2 + t_4^2)}{|(t_3, t_4)|} dt_3 dt_4 \\ &\lesssim \int_0^c \ln F(s^2) ds \quad (< \infty \text{ since the condition on } F) \\ &\quad (\text{using the polar coordinates } t_3 = s \cos \theta, t_4 = s \sin \theta). \end{aligned}$$

This estimate completes the proof of the  $L^\infty$ -estimate and so Theorem 1.1.

#### 4. PROOF OF $f$ -HÖLDER ESTIMATES

Before to prove, we recall the General Hardy-Littlewood Lemma for  $\Lambda^f(\Omega)$ -continuous which was established by Khanh in [10].

**Lemma 4.1.** *Let  $\Omega$  be a smoothly bounded domain in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and let  $\rho$  be a defining function of  $\Omega$ . Let  $G : \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  be an increasing function such that  $\frac{G(t)}{t}$  is*

decreasing and  $\int_0^d \frac{G(t)}{t} dt < \infty$  for  $d > 0$  small enough. If  $u \in C^1(\Omega)$  such that

$$|\nabla u(x)| \lesssim \frac{G(|\rho(x)|)}{|\rho(x)|} \quad \text{for every } x \in \Omega,$$

then

$$f(|x - y|^{-1})|u(x) - u(y)| < \infty$$

uniformly in  $x, y \in \Omega$ ,  $x \neq y$ , and where  $f(d^{-1}) := \left( \int_0^d \frac{G(t)}{t} dt \right)^{-1}$ .

Hence, to prove Theorem 1.2, we need to show that

$$\int_{\Omega} |\nabla_z K^r(\zeta, z)| dV(\zeta) \lesssim \frac{\sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}}{|\rho(z)|}.$$

It is not difficult to show that the term  $\int_{\Omega} |\nabla_z K^r(\zeta, z)| dV(\zeta)$  is bounded from above by

$$C \times \sum_{k=1}^N \left( \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z|^4} + \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z|^3 |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|} + \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z|^2 |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^2} + \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z| |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^3} \right).$$

Moreover, in these integrals, it is most difficult to estimate the followings

$$\int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z|^2 |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^2}, \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z| |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^3},$$

and the others are similar and bounded from above by  $|\ln(-\rho(z))|$ . On the other hand, since  $|\Phi_k(z, \zeta)| \lesssim |z - \zeta|$ ,

$$\int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z|^2 |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^2} \lesssim \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z| |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^3}.$$

Now, again, by Lemma 2.1 and the Henkin coordinates, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z| |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^3} &\lesssim \int_{|t|^2 < c^2} \frac{dt_1 dt_2 dt_3 dt_4}{|(t_3, t_4)| (|\rho_k(z)| + t_1 + t_2 + F(|(t_3, t_4)|^2))^3} \\ &\lesssim \int_{t_3^2 + t_4^2 < c^2} \frac{dt_3 dt_4}{|(t_3, t_4)| (|\rho_k(z)| + F(|(t_3, t_4)|^2))} \\ &\lesssim \int_0^c \frac{ds}{|\rho(z)| + F(s^2)}. \end{aligned}$$

Applying the technique introduced in [10], the right-hand-side is split into two parts

$$\int_0^c \frac{dr}{|\rho(z)| + F(r^2)} = \underbrace{\int_0^{\sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}} \frac{dr}{|\rho(z)| + F(r^2)}}_{\text{easy part}} + \underbrace{\int_{\sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}}^c \frac{dr}{|\rho(z)| + F(r^2)}}_{\text{diff. part}}.$$

It is clear that the “easy part” is bounded from above by  $\frac{\sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}}{|\rho(z)|}$ . For the “diff. part”, if  $r \geq \sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}$ , by  $F$  is increasing,

$$\frac{F(r^2)}{r^2} \geq \frac{F(F^*(|\rho(z)|))}{F^*(|\rho(z)|)} = \frac{|\rho(z)|}{|F^*(|\rho(z)|)|},$$



so we have

$$\frac{F(r^2)}{|\rho(z)|} \geq \frac{r^2}{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}.$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}}^c \frac{dr}{|\rho(z)| + F(r^2)} &\leq \frac{1}{|\rho(z)|} \int_{\sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}}^c \frac{dr}{1 + r^2/F^*(|\rho(z)|)} \\ &\leq \frac{\sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}}{|\rho(z)|} \int_1^\infty \frac{dy}{1 + y^2} = \frac{\pi}{4} \frac{\sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}}{|\rho(z)|}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence we obtain  $\int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z| |\Phi_k(\zeta, z)|^3} \lesssim \frac{\sqrt{F^*(|\rho(z)|)}}{|\rho(z)|}$ . Moreover, since  $|\rho(z)| \approx \text{dist}(z, b\Omega)$ , we have

$$\int_{\Omega} \frac{dV(\zeta)}{|\zeta - z| \cdot |\Phi(\zeta, z)|^3} \lesssim \frac{\sqrt{F^*(\text{dist}(z, b\Omega))}}{\text{dist}(z, b\Omega)}.$$

Next, we are going to check that  $\frac{\sqrt{F^*(\text{dist}(z, b\Omega))}}{\text{dist}(z, b\Omega)}$  satisfies all conditions in General Hardy-Littlewood Lemma. The fact  $\frac{\sqrt{F^*(t)}}{t}$  is decreasing is trivial.

For  $d > 0$  small enough, by a changing variables, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^d \frac{\sqrt{F^*(t)}}{t} dt &= \int_0^{\sqrt{F^*(d)}} y (\ln F(y^2))' dy \\ &= \sqrt{F^*(d)} \ln d - \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} t (\ln F(t^2)) \\ &\quad - \underbrace{\int_0^{\sqrt{F^*(d)}} (\ln F(y^2)) dy}_{\text{finite by the hypothesis}}. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $|\ln(F(t^2))|$  is decreasing when  $0 \leq t \leq \delta$ , for  $\delta > 0$  small enough, so

$$|\ln F(\eta^2)|\eta \leq \int_0^\eta |\ln F(t^2)| dt \leq \int_0^\delta |\ln F(t^2)| dt < \infty$$

uniformly in  $0 \leq \eta \leq \delta$ . Hence,  $\sqrt{F^*(t)} |\ln t| < \infty$  for all  $0 \leq t \leq \sqrt{F^*(\delta)}$ , and  $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} t |\ln F(t^2)| = 0$ . These imply

$$\int_0^d \frac{\sqrt{F^*(t)}}{t} dt < \infty.$$

The last inequality completes the proof of Theorem 1.2.

For example, we consider the case

$$\Omega = \Omega^\infty \cap B\left((0, 1), \frac{1}{2}\right),$$

for  $0 < s < 1/2$ , where  $B((0, 1), \frac{1}{2}) \subset \mathbb{C}^2$  be the ball with center  $(0, 1)$  and radius  $1/2$ . Since  $F(t) = \exp\left(\frac{-1}{32t^s}\right)$ , a direct calculation implies  $f(t) = \frac{1024^s(1-2s)}{2s} (|\ln t|)^{\frac{1}{2s}-1}$ .

Then, if  $\varphi$  be a continuous  $(0, 1)$ -form, the Berndtsson-Andersson solution  $S[\varphi]$  of the equation  $\bar{\partial}u = \varphi$  belongs to  $\Lambda^f(\Omega)$ .

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