

# A SECOND ORDER NUMERICAL METHODS FOR REISZ-FRACTIONAL ELLIPTIC EQUATION ON GRADED MESH\*

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**1. Introduction.** For  $\Omega = (0, 2T)$ ,  $1 < \alpha < 2$ ,

$$(1.1) \quad \begin{cases} (-\Delta)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} u(x) = f(x), & x \in \Omega \\ u(x) = 0, & x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \Omega \end{cases}$$

where

$$(1.2) \quad (-\Delta)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} u(x) = -\frac{\partial^\alpha u}{\partial |x|^\alpha} = -\kappa_\alpha \frac{d^2}{dx^2} \int_\Omega \frac{|x-y|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} u(y) dy$$

$$(1.3) \quad \kappa_\alpha = -\frac{1}{2 \cos(\alpha\pi/2)} > 0$$

**2. Preliminaries: Numeric scheme and main results.**

**2.1. Numeric Format.**

$$(2.1) \quad x_i = \begin{cases} T \left( \frac{i}{N} \right)^r, & 0 \leq i \leq N \\ 2T - T \left( \frac{2N-i}{N} \right)^r, & N \leq i \leq 2N \end{cases}$$

where  $r \geq 1$ . And let

$$(2.2) \quad h_j = x_j - x_{j-1}, \quad 1 \leq j \leq 2N$$

Let  $\{\phi_j(x)\}_{j=1}^{2N-1}$  be standard hat functions, which are basis of the piecewise linear function space.

$$(2.3) \quad \phi_j(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{h_j}(x - x_{j-1}), & x_{j-1} \leq x \leq x_j \\ \frac{1}{h_{j+1}}(x_{j+1} - x), & x_j \leq x \leq x_{j+1} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

And then, define the piecewise linear interpolant of the true solution  $u$  to be

$$(2.4) \quad \Pi_h u(x) := \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} u(x_j) \phi_j(x)$$

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For convenience, we denote

$$(2.5) \quad I^{2-\alpha}u(x) := \frac{1}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \int_{\Omega} |x-y|^{1-\alpha} u(y) dy$$

and

$$(2.6) \quad D_h^2 u(x_i) := \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} u(x_{i-1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) u(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} u(x_{i+1}) \right)$$

Now, we discretise (1.1) by replacing  $u(x)$  by a continuous piecewise linear function

$$(2.7) \quad u_h(x) := \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} u_j \phi_j(x)$$

whose nodal values  $u_j$  are to be determined by collocation at each mesh point  $x_i$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 2N-1$ :

$$(2.8) \quad -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^{\alpha} u_h(x_i) := -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^2 I^{2-\alpha} u_h(x_i) = f(x_i) =: f_i$$

Here,

$$(2.9) \quad -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^{\alpha} u_h(x_i) = \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^2 I^{2-\alpha} \phi_j(x_i) u_j = \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} a_{ij} u_j$$

where

$$(2.10) \quad a_{ij} = -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^2 I^{2-\alpha} \phi_j(x_i) \quad \text{for } i, j = 1, 2, \dots, 2N-1$$

We have replaced  $(-\Delta)^{\alpha/2} u(x_i) = f(x_i)$  in (1.1) by  $-\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^{\alpha} u_h(x_i) = f(x_i)$  in (2.8), with truncation error

$$(2.11) \quad \tau_i := -\kappa_{\alpha} \left( D_h^{\alpha} \Pi_h u(x_i) - \frac{d^2}{dx^2} I^{2-\alpha} u(x_i) \right) \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, \dots, 2N-1$$

where  $-\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^{\alpha} \Pi_h u(x_i) = \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^{\alpha} \phi_j(x_i) u(x_j) = \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} a_{ij} u(x_j)$ .

The discrete equation (2.8) can be written in matrix form

$$(2.12) \quad AU = F$$

where  $A = (a_{ij}) \in \mathbb{R}^{(2N-1) \times (2N-1)}$ ,  $U = (u_1, \dots, u_{2N-1})^T$  is unknown and  $F = (f_1, \dots, f_{2N-1})^T$ .

We can deduce  $a_{ij}$ ,

$$(2.13) \quad \begin{aligned} a_{ij} &= -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^2 I^{2-\alpha} \phi_j(x_i) \\ &= -\kappa_{\alpha} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} \tilde{a}_{i-1,j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) \tilde{a}_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \tilde{a}_{i+1,j} \right) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$(2.14) \quad \begin{aligned} \tilde{a}_{ij} &= I^{2-\alpha} \phi_j(x_i) \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \left( \frac{|x_i - x_{j-1}|^{3-\alpha}}{h_j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) |x_i - x_j|^{3-\alpha} + \frac{|x_i - x_{j+1}|^{3-\alpha}}{h_{j+1}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

**2.2. Regularity of the true solution.** For any  $\beta > 0$ , we use the standard notation  $C^\beta(\Omega)$ ,  $C^\beta(\mathbb{R})$ , etc., for Hölder spaces and their norms and seminorms. When no confusion is possible, we use the notation  $C^\beta(\Omega)$  to refer to  $C^{k,\beta'}(\Omega)$ , where  $k$  is the greatest integer such that  $k < \beta$  and where  $\beta' = \beta - k$ . The Hölder spaces  $C^{k,\beta'}(\Omega)$  are defined as the subspaces of  $C^k(\Omega)$  consisting of functions whose  $k$ -th order partial derivatives are locally Hölder continuous[1] with exponent  $\beta'$  in  $\Omega$ , where  $C^k(\Omega)$  is the set of all  $k$ -times continuously differentiable functions on open set  $\Omega$ .

**DEFINITION 2.1** (delta dependent norm [2]). ...

**THEOREM 2.2.** Let  $f \in C^\beta(\Omega)$ ,  $\beta > 2$  be such that  $\|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)} < \infty$ , then for  $l = 0, 1, 2$

$$(2.15) \quad |f^{(l)}(x)| \leq \|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)} \begin{cases} x^{-l-\alpha/2}, & \text{if } 0 < x \leq T \\ (2T-x)^{-l-\alpha/2}, & \text{if } T \leq x < 2T \end{cases}$$

**THEOREM 2.3** (Regularity up to the boundary [2]). Let  $\Omega$  be a bounded domain, and  $\beta > 0$  be such that neither  $\beta$  nor  $\beta + \alpha$  is an integer. Let  $f \in C^\beta(\Omega)$  be such that  $\|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)} < \infty$ , and  $u \in C^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be a solution of (1.1). Then,  $u \in C^{\beta+\alpha}(\Omega)$  and

$$(2.16) \quad \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)} \leq C \left( \|u\|_{C^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R})} + \|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)} \right)$$

**COROLLARY 2.4.** Let  $u$  be a solution of (1.1) where  $f \in L^\infty(\Omega)$  and  $\|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)} < \infty$ . Then, for any  $x \in \Omega$  and  $l = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$

$$(2.17) \quad |u^{(l)}(x)| \leq \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)} \begin{cases} x^{\alpha/2-l}, & \text{if } 0 < x \leq T \\ (2T-x)^{\alpha/2-l}, & \text{if } T \leq x < 2T \end{cases}$$

And in this paper bellow, without special instructions, we allways assume that

$$(2.18) \quad f \in L^\infty(\Omega) \cap C^\beta(\Omega) \quad \text{and} \quad \|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)} < \infty, \quad \text{with } \alpha + \beta > 4$$

**2.3. Main results.** Here we state our main results; the proof is deferred to section 3 and section 4.

Let's denote  $h = \frac{1}{N}$ , we have

**THEOREM 2.5** (Local Truncation Error). If  $u(x)$  is a solution of the equation (1.1) where  $f$  satisfy the regular condition (2.18), then there exists  $C_1(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)}, \|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)})$  and  $C_2(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ , such that the truncation error (2.11) satisfies

$$(2.19) \quad \begin{aligned} |\tau_i| &:= |-\kappa_\alpha D_h^\alpha \Pi_h u(x_i) - f(x_i)| \\ &\leq C_1 h^{\min\{\frac{r\alpha}{2}, 2\}} \begin{cases} x_i^{-\alpha}, & 1 \leq i \leq N \\ (2T-x_i)^{-\alpha}, & N < i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases} \\ &\quad + C_2(r-1)h^2 \begin{cases} |T-x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}, & 1 \leq i \leq N \\ |T-x_{i+1}|^{1-\alpha}, & N < i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

THEOREM 2.6 (Global Error). *The discrete equation (2.8) has solution and there exists a positive constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)}, \|f\|_{\beta}^{(\alpha/2)})$  such that the error between the numerical solution  $U$  with the exact solution  $u(x_i)$  satisfies*

$$(2.20) \quad \max_{1 \leq i \leq 2N-1} |u_i - u(x_i)| \leq Ch^{\min\{\frac{r\alpha}{2}, 2\}}$$

That means the numerical method has convergence order  $\min\{\frac{r\alpha}{2}, 2\}$ .

### 3. Local Truncation Error.

3.1. Proof of Theorem 2.5. The truncation error of the discrete format can be written as

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{aligned} -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^{\alpha} \Pi_h u(x_i) - f(x_i) &= -\kappa_{\alpha} (D_h^2 I^{2-\alpha} \Pi_h u(x_i) - \frac{d^2}{dx^2} I^{2-\alpha} u(x_i)) \\ &= -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^2 I^{2-\alpha} (\Pi_h u - u)(x_i) - \kappa_{\alpha} (D_h^2 - \frac{d^2}{dx^2}) I^{2-\alpha} u(x_i) \end{aligned}$$

THEOREM 3.1. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|f\|_{\beta}^{(\alpha/2)})$  such that*

$$(3.2) \quad \left| -\kappa_{\alpha} (D_h^2 - \frac{d^2}{dx^2}) I^{2-\alpha} u(x_i) \right| \leq Ch^2 \begin{cases} x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N \\ (2T - x_i)^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & N \leq i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* Since  $f \in C^2(\Omega)$  and

$$(3.3) \quad \frac{d^2}{dx^2} (-\kappa_{\alpha} I^{2-\alpha} u(x)) = f(x), \quad x \in \Omega,$$

we have  $I^{2-\alpha} u \in C^4(\Omega)$ . Therefore, using equation (A.3) of Lemma A.1, for  $1 \leq i \leq 2N-1$ , we have

$$(3.4) \quad \begin{aligned} -\kappa_{\alpha} (D_h^2 - \frac{d^2}{dx^2}) I^{2-\alpha} u(x_i) &= \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{3} f'(x_i) \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} f''(y) \frac{(y - x_{i-1})^3}{3!} dy + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} f''(y) \frac{(y - x_{i+1})^3}{3!} dy \right) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\eta_1 \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]$ ,  $\eta_2 \in [x_i, x_{i+1}]$ . By Lemma B.2 and Theorem 2.2 we have 1.

$$(3.5) \quad \left| \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{3} f'(x_i) \right| \leq \frac{C(r-1)\|f\|_{\beta}^{(\alpha/2)}}{3} h^2 \begin{cases} x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N-1 \\ 0, & i = N \\ (2T - x_i)^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & N < i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases}$$

2. See Proof 25, there is a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|f\|_{\beta}^{(\alpha/2)})$  such that

$$(3.6) \quad \begin{aligned} &\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} f''(y) \frac{(y - x_{i-1})^3}{3!} dy + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} f''(y) \frac{(y - x_{i+1})^3}{3!} dy \right) \\ &\leq Ch^2 \begin{cases} x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N \\ (2T - x_i)^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & N \leq i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Summarizes, we get the result.  $\square$

And define

$$(3.7) \quad R_i := D_h^2 I^{2-\alpha} (u - \Pi_h u)(x_i)$$

We have some results about the estimate of  $R_i$

**THEOREM 3.2.** *For  $1 \leq i < N/2$ , there exists  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that*

$$(3.8) \quad R_i \leq \begin{cases} Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 (x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i) + \ln(N)), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

**THEOREM 3.3.** *For  $N/2 \leq i \leq N$ , there exists constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that*

$$(3.9) \quad R_i \leq C(r-1)h^2 |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} + \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

And for  $N < i \leq 2N - 1$ , it is symmetric to the previous case.

Combine Theorem 3.1, Theorem 3.2 and Theorem 3.3, the proof of Theorem 2.5 completed.

We prove Theorem 3.2 and Theorem 3.3 in next subsections below.

### 3.2. Proof of Theorem 3.2.

$$(3.10) \quad D_h^2 I^{2-\alpha} (u - \Pi_h u)(x_i) = D_h^2 \left( \int_0^{2T} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \right)$$

For convenience, let's denote

$$(3.11) \quad T_{ij} = \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy, \quad i = 0, \dots, 2N, \quad j = 1, \dots, 2N$$

Also for simplicity, we denote

**DEFINITION 3.4.**

$$(3.12) \quad S_{ij} = \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} \right)$$

then

$$(3.13) \quad R_i = \sum_{j=1}^{2N} S_{ij}$$

**LEMMA 3.5.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that for  $1 \leq i < N/2$ ,*

$$(3.14) \quad \sum_{j=\max\{2i+1, i+3\}}^N S_{ij} \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

*Proof.* Let

$$K_y(x) = \frac{|y-x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

For  $\max\{2i+1, i+3\} \leq j \leq N$ , by Lemma C.1 and Lemma C.2

$$\begin{aligned} S_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) D_h^2 K_y(x_i) dy \\ &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} \frac{y^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)} dy \\ &= Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} y^{-\alpha/2-2/r-1} dy \end{aligned} \quad (3.15)$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=\max\{2i+1, i+3\}}^N S_{ij} &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{2i}}^{x_N} y^{-\alpha/2-2/r-1} dy \\ &= \frac{C}{\alpha/2+2/r} h^2 (x_{2i}^{-\alpha/2-2/r} - T^{-\alpha/2-2/r}) \\ &\leq \frac{C}{\alpha/2+2/r} 2^{r(-\alpha/2-2/r)} h^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} \end{aligned} \quad (3.16) \quad \square$$

LEMMA 3.6. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that for  $1 \leq i < N/2$ ,*

$$\sum_{j=N+1}^{2N} S_{ij} \leq \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases} \quad (3.17)$$

*Proof.* For  $1 \leq i < N/2, N+1 \leq j \leq 2N-1$ , by equation (C.2) and Lemma C.2

$$\begin{aligned} S_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) D_h^2 K_y(x_i) dy \\ &\leq \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} Ch^2 (2T-y)^{\alpha/2-2/r} y^{-1-\alpha} dy \\ &\leq Ch^2 T^{-1-\alpha} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (2T-y)^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \end{aligned} \quad (3.18)$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{j=N+1}^{2N-1} S_{ij} &\leq CT^{-1-\alpha} h^2 \int_{x_N}^{x_{2N-1}} (2T-y)^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \\
 (3.18) \quad &\leq CT^{-1-\alpha} h^2 \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} T^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 > 0 \\ \ln(T) - \ln(h_{2N}), & \alpha/2-2/r+1 = 0 \\ \frac{1}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} h_{2N}^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 < 0 \end{cases} \\
 &= \begin{cases} \frac{C}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} T^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h^2, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 > 0 \\ CrT^{-1-\alpha} h^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2-2/r+1 = 0 \\ \frac{C}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} T^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 < 0 \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

142 And by Lemma A.3

$$143 \quad S_{i,2N} \leq CT^{-1-\alpha} h_{2N}^{\alpha/2+1} = CT^{-\alpha/2} h^{r\alpha/2+r}$$

 144 And when  $\alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 \geq 0$ ,

$$145 \quad h^{r\alpha/2+r} \leq h^2$$

 146 Summarizes, we get the result. □

 147 For  $i = 1, 2$ .

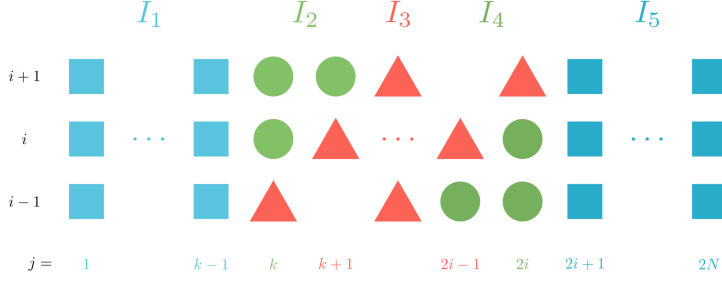
148 LEMMA 3.7. By Lemma C.5 , Lemma 3.5 and Lemma 3.6 we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_1 &= \sum_{j=1}^3 S_{1j} + \sum_{j=4}^{2N} S_{1j} \\
 (3.19) \quad &\leq Ch^2 x_1^{-\alpha/2-2/r} + \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2-2/r+1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 < 0 \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 R_2 &= \sum_{j=1}^4 S_{2j} + \sum_{j=5}^{2N} S_{2j} \\
 (3.20) \quad &\leq Ch^2 x_2^{-\alpha/2-2/r} + \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2-2/r+1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 < 0 \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

 152 For  $3 \leq i < N/2$ , we have a new separation of  $R_i$ , Let's denote  $k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$ .



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$$\begin{aligned}
R_i &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\
&= \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\
&\quad + \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} + T_{i+1,k+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,k} \right) \\
&\quad + \sum_{j=k+1}^{2i-1} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j+1} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j-1} \right) \\
&\quad + \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1,2i} + T_{i-1,2i-1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,2i} \right) \\
&\quad + \sum_{j=2i+1}^{2N} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\
&= I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 + I_5
\end{aligned}$$

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156 LEMMA 3.8. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that for  $3 \leq$*   
157  *$i \leq N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$*

$$(3.22) \quad |I_1| = \left| \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} S_{ij} \right| \leq \begin{cases} Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

159 *Proof.* by Lemma A.3 , Lemma C.3

$$(3.23) \quad S_{i1} \leq C x_1^{\alpha/2} x_1 x_i^{-1-\alpha} = C x_1^{\alpha/2+1} x_i^{-1-\alpha} = C T^{\alpha/2+1} h^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}$$

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161 For  $2 \leq j \leq k-1$ , by Lemma C.1 and Lemma C.3

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) D_h^2 K_y(x_i) dy \\
 &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} \frac{x_i^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)} dy \\
 &= Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.24}$$

163 Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_1 &= \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} S_{ij} = S_{i1} + \sum_{j=2}^{k-1} S_{ij} \\
 &\leq Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha} + Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \int_{x_1}^{x_{\lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil - 1}} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \\
 &\leq Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha} + Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \int_{x_1}^{2^{-r} x_i} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.25}$$

165 But

$$\int_{x_1}^{2^{-r} x_i} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \leq \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} (2^{-r} x_i)^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 > 0 \\ \ln(2^{-r} x_i) - \ln(x_1), & \alpha/2-2/r+1 = 0 \\ \frac{1}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} x_1^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 < 0 \end{cases}
 \tag{3.26}$$

167 So we have

$$I_1 \leq \begin{cases} \frac{C}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} h^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i), & \alpha/2-2/r+1 = 0 \\ \frac{C}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} h^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 < 0 \end{cases} \quad \square
 \tag{3.27}$$

169 DEFINITION 3.9. For convience, let's denote

$$V_{ij} = \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j+1} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j-1} \right)
 \tag{3.28}$$

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172 THEOREM 3.10. There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that for

173  $3 \leq i < N/2, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$ ,

$$I_3 = \sum_{j=k+1}^{2i-1} V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
 \tag{3.29}$$

175 To estimate  $V_{ij}$ , we need some preparations.

176 LEMMA 3.11. For  $y \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$ , we can rewrite  $y = x_{j-1} + \theta h_j = (1-\theta)x_{j-1} +$

177  $\theta x_j =: y_j^\theta$ ,  $\theta \in [0, 1]$ , by Lemma A.2

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\
 &= \int_0^1 (u(y_j^\theta) - \Pi_h u(y_j^\theta)) \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} h_j d\theta \\
 &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^3 u''(y_j^\theta) \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \\
 &\quad + \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} h_j^4 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{j,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{j,2}^\theta)) d\theta
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.30}$$

179 where  $\eta_{j,1}^\theta \in [x_{j-1}, y_j^\theta]$ ,  $\eta_{j,2}^\theta \in [y_j^\theta, x_j]$ .

180 Now Let's construct a series of functions to represent  $T_{ij}$ .

181 DEFINITION 3.12. For  $2 \leq i, j \leq N-1$ ,

$$y_{j-i}(x) = (x^{1/r} + Z_{j-i})^r, \quad Z_{j-i} = T^{1/r} \frac{j-i}{N}
 \tag{3.31}$$

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$$y_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (1-\theta)y_{j-1-i}(x) + \theta y_{j-i}(x)
 \tag{3.32}$$

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$$h_{j-i}(x) = y_{j-i}(x) - y_{j-i-1}(x)
 \tag{3.33}$$

187 Now, we define

$$P_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^3 u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(x)) \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}
 \tag{3.34}$$

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$$Q_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^4 \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}
 \tag{3.35}$$

191 And now we can rewrite  $T_{ij}$

192 LEMMA 3.13. For  $2 \leq i \leq N, 2 \leq j \leq N$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{ij} &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) d\theta \\
 &\quad + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{j,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{j,2}^\theta)) d\theta
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.36}$$

194 Immediately, we can see from (3.28) that

LEMMA 3.14. For  $3 \leq i, j \leq N - 1$ ,  
(3.37)

$$\begin{aligned} V_{ij} &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j+1} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j-1} \right) \\ &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) d\theta \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{j+1,1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j,1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ &\quad - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j,1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{j-1,1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \\ &\quad - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{j+1,2}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j,2}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j,2}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{j-1,2}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

To estimate  $V_{ij}$ , we first estimate  $D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)$ , but By Lemma A.1,

$$(3.38) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) = P_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$$

By Leibniz formula, we calculate and estimate the derivations of  $h_{j-i}^3(x)$ ,  $u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(x))$

and  $\frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$  separately.

Firstly, we have

LEMMA 3.15. There exists a constant  $C = C(T, r)$  such that For  $3 \leq i \leq N - 1$ ,  $\lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\}$ ,  $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$ ,

$$(3.39) \quad h_{j-i}^3(\xi) \leq C h^2 x_i^{2-2/r} h_j$$

$$(3.40) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))' \leq C(r-1) h^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_j$$

$$(3.41) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1) h^2 x_i^{-2/r} h_j$$

The proof of this theorem see Lemma C.6 and Lemma C.7

Second,

LEMMA 3.16. There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For  $3 \leq i \leq N - 1$ ,  $\lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\}$ ,  $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$ ,

$$(3.42) \quad u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C x_i^{\alpha/2-2}$$

$$(3.43) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C x_i^{\alpha/2-3}$$

$$(3.44) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C x_i^{\alpha/2-4}$$

The proof of this theorem see Proof 31

And Finally, we have

LEMMA 3.17. There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r)$  such that For  $3 \leq i \leq N - 1$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\}$ ,  $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$ ,

$$(3.45) \quad |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$(219) \quad (3.46) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-1}$$

$$(220) \quad (3.47) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-2}$$

(221) where  $y_j^\theta = \theta x_{j-1} + (1-\theta)x_j$

(222) The proof of this theorem see Proof 32

(223)

(224) **LEMMA 3.18.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For*  
 (225)  $3 \leq i \leq N-1, \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\},$

$$(226) \quad (3.48) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j$$

(227) where  $y_j^\theta = \theta x_{j-1} + (1-\theta)x_j$

(228) *Proof.* Since

$$(229) \quad (3.49) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) = P_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$$

(230) From (3.34), using Leibniz formula and Lemma 3.15, Lemma 3.16 and Lemma 3.17□

(231)

(232) **LEMMA 3.19.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that for*  
 (233)  $3 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil.$   
 (234) *For  $k \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\},$*

$$(235) \quad (3.50) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j \end{aligned}$$

(236) *And for  $k+1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i, N\},$*

$$(237) \quad (3.51) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{j-1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) \\ & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j \end{aligned}$$

(238) where  $\eta_j^\theta \in [x_{j-1}, x_j].$

(239) proof see Proof 33

(240)

(241) **LEMMA 3.20.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that for*  
 (242)  $3 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil, k+1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\},$

$$(243) \quad (3.52) \quad \begin{aligned} V_{ij} & \leq Ch^2 \int_0^1 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j d\theta \\ & = Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} dy \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Since Lemma 3.14, by Lemma 3.18 and Lemma 3.19, we get the result immediately.  $\square$

Now we can prove Theorem 3.10 using Lemma 3.20,  $k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_3 &= \sum_{k+1}^{2i-1} V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_k}^{x_{2i-1}} \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} dy \\
 &= Ch^2 \left( \frac{|x_k - x_i|^{2-\alpha}}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} + \frac{|x_{2i-1} - x_i|^{2-\alpha}}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} \right) x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} \\
 &\leq Ch^2 x_i^{2-\alpha} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} = Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
 \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 3.21.

$$D_h P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) := \frac{P_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) - P_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)}{h_{i+1}} = P_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_i, x_{i+1}]$$

Then, for  $3 \leq i \leq N-1$ ,  $k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$ ,

$$D_h P_{k-i}^\theta(x_i) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h_j$$

*Proof.* Using Leibniz formula, by Lemma 3.15, Lemma 3.16 and Lemma 3.17, we take  $j = k+1, i = i+1$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 D_h P_{k-i}^\theta(x_i) &\leq Ch^2 x_{i+1}^{\alpha/2-2/r-1} |y_{k+1}^\theta - x_{i+1}|^{1-\alpha} h_{j+1} \\
 &\leq Ch^2 x_i^{\alpha/2-2/r-1} |y_k^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} h_j \\
 &\leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h_j
 \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 3.22. There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that for  $3 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$ ,

$$I_2 = \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} + T_{i+1,k+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,k} \right) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

And for  $3 \leq i < N/2$ ,

$$I_4 = \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1,2i} + T_{i-1,2i-1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,2i} \right) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

*Proof.* In fact,

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} + T_{i+1,k+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,k} \\
 &= \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} - T_{i,k}) + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k+1} - T_{i,k}) + \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} - \frac{1}{h_i} \right) T_{i,k}
 \end{aligned}$$

While, by Lemma A.2

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{h_{i+1}}(T_{i+1,k} - T_{i,k}) &= \int_{x_{k-1}}^{x_k} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) \frac{|x_{i+1} - y|^{1-\alpha} - |x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{h_{i+1}\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\
&\leq \int_{x_{k-1}}^{x_k} h_k^2 u''(\eta) \frac{|\xi - y|^{-\alpha}}{\Gamma(1-\alpha)} dy \\
&\leq Ch_k h^2 x_k^{2-2/r} x_{k-1}^{\alpha/2-2} |x_i - x_k|^{-\alpha} \\
&\leq Ch_k h^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
\end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} - T_{i,k}) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

For

(3.62)

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{h_{i+1}}(T_{i+1,k+1} - T_{i,k}) &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} \frac{P_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) - P_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)}{h_{i+1}} d\theta \\
&+ \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{Q_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{k+1,1}^\theta) - Q_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{k,1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} d\theta \\
&- \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{Q_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{k+1,2}^\theta) - Q_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{k,2}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} d\theta
\end{aligned}$$

And by Lemma 3.21

$$\frac{P_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) - P_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)}{h_{i+1}} \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h_k$$

And with Lemma 3.19, we can get

$$\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k+1} - T_{i,k}) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

For the third term, by Lemma B.1, Lemma B.2 and Lemma A.2

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{h_i h_{i+1}} T_{i,k} &\leq h_i^{-3} h^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_k Ch_k^2 x_{k-1}^{\alpha/2-2} |x_k - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\
&\leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
\end{aligned}$$

Summarizes, we have

$$I_2 \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

The case for  $I_4$  is similar.  $\square$

Now combine Lemma 3.8, Lemma 3.22, Theorem 3.10, Lemma 3.5 and Lemma 3.6 to get the final result.

For  $3 \leq i < N/2$

$$R_i = I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 + I_5$$

$$\leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} + \begin{cases} Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 > 0 \\ Ch^2 (x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i) + \ln(N)), & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 < 0 \end{cases}$$

Combine with  $i = 1, 2$ , we get for  $1 \leq i < N/2$

$$(3.68) \quad R_i \leq \begin{cases} Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 > 0 \\ Ch^2 (x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i) + \ln(N)), & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 < 0 \end{cases}$$

**3.3. Proof of Theorem 3.3.** For  $N/2 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$ , we have

$$(3.69) \quad \begin{aligned} R_i &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} + T_{i+1,k+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,k} \right) \\ &\quad + \sum_{j=k+1}^{N-1} + \sum_{j=N}^{N+1} + \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j+1} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j-1} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1,2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+1} + T_{i-1,2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+1} \right) \\ &\quad + \sum_{j=2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+2}^{2N} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &= I_1 + I_2 + I_3^1 + I_3^2 + I_3^3 + I_4 + I_5 \end{aligned}$$

We have estimate  $I_1$  in Lemma 3.8 and  $I_2$  in Lemma 3.22. We can control  $I_3$  in similar with Theorem 3.10 by Lemma 3.20 where  $2i - 1 \geq N - 1$

**LEMMA 3.23.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that for  $N/2 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$ ,*

$$(3.70) \quad \begin{aligned} I_3 &= \sum_{j=k+1}^{N-1} V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_k}^{x_{N-1}} \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} dy \\ &= Ch^2 \left( \frac{|x_k - x_i|^{2-\alpha}}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} + \frac{|x_{N-1} - x_i|^{2-\alpha}}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} \right) x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} \\ &\leq Ch^2 x_i^{2-\alpha} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} = Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

Let's study  $I_5$  before  $I_4$ .

$$(3.71) \quad I_5 = \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} V_{ij}$$

Similarly, Let's define a new series of functions

**DEFINITION 3.24.** *For  $i < N, j \geq N$ , with no confusion, we also denote in this section*

$$(3.72) \quad y_{j-i}(x) = 2T - (Z_{2N-j+i} - x^{1/r})^r, \quad Z_{2N-j+i} = T^{1/r} \frac{2N-j+i}{N}$$

$$(3.73) \quad y_{j-i}'(x) = (2T - y_{j-i}(x))^{1-1/r} x^{1/r-1}$$

$$(3.74) \quad y_{j-i}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} (2T - y_{j-i}(x))^{1-2/r} x^{1/r-2} Z_{2N-j+i}$$

$$(3.75)$$

$$(3.76) \quad y_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}(x) + \theta y_{j-i}(x)$$

$$(3.77) \quad h_{j-i}(x) = y_{j-i}(x) - y_{j-i-1}(x)$$

$$(3.78) \quad P_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^3 u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(x)) \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

$$(3.79) \quad Q_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^4 \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

Now we have, for  $i < N, j \geq N+2$ ,

$$(3.80) \quad \begin{aligned} V_{ij} &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j+1} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j-1} \right) \\ &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) d\theta \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{j+1,1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j,1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ &\quad - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j,1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{j-1,1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \\ &\quad - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{j+1,2}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j,2}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j,2}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{j-1,2}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we first estimate

$$(3.81) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) = P_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$$

Combine lemmas Lemma C.8, Lemma C.9 and Lemma C.10, we have

LEMMA 3.25. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For  $N/2 \leq i < N, N+2 \leq j \leq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1, \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$ , we have*

$$(3.82) \quad \begin{aligned} |P_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi)| &\leq Ch_j h^2 (|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\ &\quad + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N) \\ &\quad + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-1-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N)^2 \\ &\quad + (r-1) |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$



And

LEMMA 3.26. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For*

$N/2 \leq i < N$ ,  $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$ , we have for  $N+1 \leq j \leq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil$

$$(3.83) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ \leq Ch^2 h_j (|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

for  $N+2 \leq j \leq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1$

$$(3.84) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{j-1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ \leq Ch^2 h_j (|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

The proof see Proof 37.

Combine (3.80), Lemma 3.25 and Lemma 3.26, we have

THEOREM 3.27. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For*

$N/2 \leq i < N$ ,  $N+2 \leq j \leq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1$

$$(3.85) \quad V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\ + |y - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N) + |y - x_i|^{-1-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N)^2 \\ + (r-1)|y - x_i|^{-\alpha}) dy$$

We can estimate  $I_5$  Now.

THEOREM 3.28. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For*

$N/2 \leq i < N$ , we have

$$(3.86) \quad I_5 = \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2 |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}$$

*Proof.*

$$(3.87) \quad I_5 = \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} V_{ij} \\ \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{N+1}}^{x_{2N-i}} + \int_{x_{2N-i}}^{x_{2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}} (|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\ + |y - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N) + |y - x_i|^{-1-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N)^2 \\ + (r-1)|y - x_i|^{-\alpha}) dy \\ = J_1 + J_2$$

While  $x_{N+1} \leq y \leq x_{2N-i} = 2T - x_i$ ,

$$(3.88) \quad T - x_{i-1} \leq x_{N+1} - x_i \leq y - x_i \leq x_{2N-i} - x_i \leq 2(T - x_{i-1})$$

336 and

$$337 \quad (3.89) \quad 2T - x_i - y + h_N \leq 2T - x_i - x_{N+1} + h_N = T - x_i \leq T - x_{i-1}$$

338 So

$$\begin{aligned} 339 \quad (3.90) \quad J_1 &\leq Ch^2(x_{2N-i} - x_{N+1})(|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|T - x_{i-1}|^{-\alpha}) \\ &\leq Ch^2(|T - x_{i-1}|^{2-\alpha} + (r-1)|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}) \\ &\leq Ch^2T^{2-\alpha} + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

340 Otherwise, when  $x_{2N-i} \leq y \leq x_{2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}$

$$341 \quad (3.91) \quad x_i + y - 2T + h_N \leq y - x_i$$

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$$\begin{aligned} 343 \quad (3.92) \quad J_2 &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{2N-i}}^{(2-2^{-r})T} |y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|y - x_i|^{-\alpha} \\ &\leq Ch^2(T^{2-\alpha} + (r-1)|x_{2N-i} - x_i|^{1-\alpha}) \\ &= Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

344 Summarizes two cases, we get the result. □

For  $I_4$ , we have

**THEOREM 3.29.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that, for  $N/2 \leq i \leq N-1$*

$$(3.93) \quad \begin{aligned} V_{iN} &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1, N+1} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, N} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1, N-1} \right) \\ &\leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2 |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* We use the similar skill in the last section, but more complicated. for  $j = N$ , Let

$$(3.94) \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}(x) = (x^{1/r} + Z_{N-1-i})^r, \quad Z_{N-1-i} = T^{1/r} \frac{N-1-i}{N}$$

$$(3.95) \quad {}_0 y_{N-i}(x) = \frac{x^{1/r} - Z_i}{Z_1} h_N + T, \quad Z_i = T^{1/r} \frac{i}{N}, x_N = T$$

and

$$(3.96) \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x) = 2T - (Z_{N-1+i} - x^{1/r})^r, \quad Z_{N-1+i} = T^{1/r} \frac{N-1+i}{N}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} {}_L y_{N-1-i}(x_{i-1}) &= x_{N-2}, \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}(x_i) = x_{N-1}, \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}(x_{i+1}) = x_N \\ {}_0 y_{N-i}(x_{i-1}) &= x_{N-1}, \quad {}_0 y_{N-i}(x_i) = x_N, \quad {}_0 y_{N-i}(x_{i+1}) = x_{N+1} \\ {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x_{i-1}) &= x_N, \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x_i) = x_{N+1}, \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x_{i+1}) = x_{N+2} \end{aligned}$$

Then, define

$$(3.97) \quad {}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(x) = \theta {}_L y_{N-1-i}(x) + (1-\theta) {}_0 y_{N-i}(x)$$

$$(3.98) \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) = \theta {}_0 y_{N-i}(x) + (1-\theta) {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x)$$

$$(3.99) \quad {}_L h_{N-i}(x) = {}_0 y_{N-i}(x) - {}_L y_{N-1-i}(x)$$

$$(3.100) \quad {}_R h_{N+1-i}(x) = {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x) - {}_0 y_{N-i}(x)$$

We have

$$(3.101) \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}'(x) = {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-1/r}(x) x^{1/r-1}$$

$$(3.102) \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-2/r}(x) x^{1/r-2} Z_{N-1-i}$$

$$(3.103) \quad {}_0 y_{N-i}'(x) = \frac{1}{r} \frac{h_N}{Z_1} x^{1/r-1}$$

$$(3.104) \quad {}_0 y_{N-i}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r^2} \frac{h_N}{Z_1} x^{1/r-2}$$

$$(3.105) \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}'(x) = (2T - {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x))^{1-1/r} x^{1/r-1}$$

$$(3.106) \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} (2T - {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x))^{1-2/r} x^{1/r-2} Z_{N-1+i}$$

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$$374 \quad (3.107) \quad {}_L P_{N-i}^\theta(x) = ({}_L h_{N-i}(x))^3 \frac{|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} u''({}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(x))$$

$$375 \quad (3.108) \quad {}_R P_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) = ({}_R h_{N+1-i}(x))^3 \frac{|{}_R y_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} u''({}_R y_{N+1-i}^\theta(x))$$

$$376 \quad (3.109) \quad {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x) = ({}_L h_{N-i}(x))^4 \frac{|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

$$377 \quad (3.110) \quad {}_R Q_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) = ({}_R h_{N+1-i}(x))^4 \frac{|{}_R y_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

378 Similar with Lemma 3.13, we can get for  $l = -1, 0, 1$ ,

$$379 \quad (3.111) \quad \begin{aligned} T_{i+l, N+l} &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} {}_L P_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+l}) d\theta \\ &+ \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+l}) (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{N+l,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{N+l,2}^\theta)) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

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$$(3.112) \quad \begin{aligned} T_{i+l, N+1+l} &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} {}_R P_{N+1-i}^\theta(x_{i+l}) d\theta \\ &+ \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} {}_R Q_{N+1-i}^\theta(x_{i+l}) (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{N+1+l,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{N+1+l,2}^\theta)) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

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382 So we have

$$(3.113) \quad \begin{aligned} V_{i,N} &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} D_{hL}^2 P_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) d\theta \\ &+ \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{N+1,1}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ &- \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{N-1,1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \\ &- \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{N+1,2}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ &+ \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{N-1,2}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

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384  $N+1$  is similar.

385 We estimate  $D_{hL}^2 P_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) = {}_L P_{N-i}^{\theta''}(\xi), \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$ ,

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LEMMA 3.30.

$$387 \quad (3.114) \quad {}_L h_{N-i}^3(\xi) \leq Ch_N^3 \leq Ch^3$$

$$388 \quad (3.115) \quad {}_R h_{N+1-i}^3(\xi) \leq Ch_N^3 \leq Ch^3$$

$$(3.116) \quad ({}_L h_{N-i}^3(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h_N^2 h \leq C(r-1)h^3$$

$$(3.117) \quad ({}_R h_{N+1-i}^3(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h_N^2 h \leq C(r-1)h^3$$

$$(3.118) \quad ({}_L h_{N-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2$$

$$(3.119) \quad ({}_R h_{N+1-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2$$

*Proof.*

$$(3.120) \quad {}_L h_{N-i}(\xi) \leq 2h_N, \quad {}_R h_{N+1-i}(\xi) \leq 2h_N$$

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$$(3.121) \quad \begin{aligned} ({}_L h_{N-i}^l(\xi))' &= {}_L h_{N-i}^{l-1}(\xi)({}_0 y_{N-i}'(\xi) - {}_L y_{N-1-i}'(\xi)) \\ &= {}_L h_{N-i}^{l-1}(\xi)x_i^{1/r-1}(\frac{1}{r} \frac{h_N}{Z_1} - {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) \end{aligned}$$

396 while

(3.122)

$$\begin{aligned} |\frac{1}{r} \frac{h_N}{Z_1} - {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi)| &= |\frac{1}{r} \frac{x_N - (x_N^{1/r} - Z_1)^r}{Z_1} - \eta^{1-1/r}| \quad \eta \in [x_{N-2}, x_N] \\ &= T^{1-1/r} |(\frac{N-t}{N})^{r-1} - (\frac{N-s}{N})^{r-1}| \quad t \in [0, 1], s \in [0, 2] \\ &\leq T^{1-1/r} |1 - (\frac{N-2}{N})^{r-1}| \leq CT^{1-1/r}(r-1) \frac{2}{N} \end{aligned}$$

398 Thus,

$$(3.123) \quad ({}_L h_{N-i}^l(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h_N^{l-1}x_i^{1/r-1}h$$

$$(3.124) \quad \begin{aligned} ({}_R h_{N+1-i}^l(\xi))' &= {}_R h_{N+1-i}^{l-1}(\xi)({}_R y_{N+1-i}'(\xi) - {}_0 y_{N-i}'(\xi)) \\ &= {}_R h_{N+1-i}^{l-1}(\xi)x_i^{1/r-1}((2T - {}_R y_{N+1-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - \frac{1}{r} \frac{h_N}{Z_1}) \end{aligned}$$

401 Similarly,

(3.125)

$$\begin{aligned} |(2T - {}_R y_{N+1-i})^{1-1/r} - \frac{1}{r} \frac{h_N}{Z_1}| &= |\eta^{1-1/r} - \frac{1}{r} \frac{x_N - (x_N^{1/r} - Z_1)^r}{Z_1}| \quad \eta \in [x_{N-2}, x_N] \\ &= T^{1-1/r} |(\frac{N-s}{N})^{r-1} - (\frac{N-t}{N})^{r-1}| \quad t \in [0, 1], s \in [0, 2] \\ &\leq T^{1-1/r} |(\frac{N-2}{N})^{r-1} - 1| \leq CT^{1-1/r}(r-1) \frac{2}{N} \end{aligned}$$

403 And

(3.126)

$$\begin{aligned} ({}_L h_{N-i}^3(\xi))'' &= 3{}_L h_{N-i}^2(\xi){}_L h_{N-i}''(\xi) + 6{}_L h_{N-i}(\xi)({}_L h_{N-i}'(\xi))^2 \\ &\leq Ch_N^2 \frac{1-r}{r} x_i^{1/r-2} (\frac{1}{r} \frac{h_N}{Z_1} - {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{N-1-i}) + Ch_N(r-1)^2 h^2 x_i^{2/r-2} \end{aligned}$$

$$(3.127) \quad |\frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{N-1-i}| \leq T^{1-1/r} + Cx_N^{1-2/r}x_N^{1/r} = CT^{1-1/r}$$

406 So

$$407 \quad (3.127) \quad \begin{aligned} (Lh_{N-i}^3(\xi))'' &\leq Ch_N^2 \frac{1-r}{r} x_i^{1/r-2} + C(r-1)^2 h_N x_i^{2/r-2} h^2 \\ &\leq C(r-1) h_N^2 \end{aligned}$$

408  $Rh_{N+1-i}^3(\xi)$  is similar. □

LEMMA 3.31.

$$409 \quad (3.128) \quad u''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq Cx_{N-2}^{-\alpha/2-2} \leq C$$

$$410 \quad (3.129) \quad (u''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C$$

$$411 \quad (3.130) \quad (u''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C$$

*Proof.*

$$412 \quad (3.131) \quad \begin{aligned} (u''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi)))' &= u'''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi))Ly_{N-i}^{\theta'}(\xi) \\ &\leq C(\theta Ly_{N-1-i}'(\xi) + (1-\theta)_0 y_{N-i}'(\xi)) \\ &\leq Cx_i^{1/r-1}(\theta Ly_{N-1-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)\frac{h_N}{rZ_1}) \\ &\leq Cx_i^{1/r-1}x_N^{1-1/r} \end{aligned}$$

413 And

(3.132)

$$414 \quad \begin{aligned} (u''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' &= u''''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi))(Ly_{N-i}^{\theta'}(\xi))^2 + u'''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi))Ly_{N-i}^{\theta''}(\xi) \\ &\leq Cx_i^{2/r-2}x_N^{2-2/r} + C\frac{r-1}{r}x_i^{1/r-2}(\theta x_N^{1-2/r}Z_{N-1-i} + (1-\theta)\frac{h_N}{rZ_1}) \\ &\leq Cx_i^{2/r-2} + C(r-1)x_i^{1/r-2}T^{1-1/r} \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 3.32.

$$415 \quad (3.133) \quad |Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$416 \quad (3.134) \quad (|Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$417 \quad (3.135) \quad (|Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C(r-1)|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + |y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

*Proof.*

(3.136)

$$418 \quad \begin{aligned} (Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' &= (\theta(Ly_{N-1-i}(\xi) - \xi) + (1-\theta)(_0y_{N-i}(\xi) - \xi))' \\ &= \theta(Ly_{N-1-i}'(\xi) - 1) + (1-\theta)(_0y_{N-i}'(\xi) - 1) \\ &= \theta\xi^{1/r-1}(Ly_{N-1-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r}) + (1-\theta)\xi^{1/r-1}(\frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - \xi^{1-1/r}) \end{aligned}$$

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$$420 \quad (3.137) \quad \begin{aligned} (Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' &= \theta(Ly_{N-1-i}''(\xi)) + (1-\theta)(_0y_{N-i}''(\xi)) \\ &= \frac{1-r}{r}\xi^{1/r-2}(\theta Ly_{N-1-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{N-1-i} + (1-\theta)\frac{h_N}{rZ_1}) \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

421 And

$$422 \quad (3.138) \quad |(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)''| \leq C(r-1)\xi^{1/r-2}T^{1-1/r}$$

We have known

$$(3.139) \quad C|x_{N-1} - x_i| \leq |{}_L y_{N-1-i}(\xi) - \xi| \leq C|x_{N-1} - x_i|$$

If  $\xi \leq x_{N-1}$ , then  $({}_0 y_{N-i}(\xi) - \xi)' \geq 0$ , so

$$(3.140) \quad C|x_N - x_i| \leq |x_{N-1} - x_{i-1}| \leq |{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi| \leq |x_{N+1} - x_{i+1}| \leq C|x_N - x_i|$$

If  $i = N - 1$  and  $\xi \in [x_{N-1}, x_N]$ , then  ${}_0 y_{N-i}(\xi) - \xi$  is concave, bigger than its two neighboring points, which are equal to  $h_N$ , so

$$(3.141) \quad h_N = |x_N - x_{N-1}| \leq |{}_0 y_{N-i}(\xi) - \xi| \leq |x_{N+1} - x_{N-1}| = 2h_N$$

So we have

$$(3.142) \quad |{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

While

$$(3.143) \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r} \leq ({}_L y_{N-1-i}(\xi) - \xi)\xi^{-1/r}$$

and

$$(3.144) \quad \left| \frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - \xi^{1-1/r} \right| \leq \max\left\{ \left| \frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - x_{i-1}^{1-1/r} \right|, \left| \frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - x_{i+1}^{1-1/r} \right| \right\}$$

$$\leq \max \begin{cases} T^{1-1/r} - x_{i-1}^{1-1/r} \leq |x_N - x_{i-1}|T^{-1/r} \leq C|x_N - x_i| \\ |x_{i+1}^{1-1/r} - x_{N-1}^{1-1/r}| \leq |x_{i+1} - x_{N-1}|x_{N-1}^{-1/r} \leq C|x_N - x_i| \end{cases}$$

So we have

$$(3.145) \quad ({}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' \leq C|y_N^\theta - x_i|$$

$$(3.146) \quad (|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' = |{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha} ({}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' \leq |y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

Finally,

$$(3.147) \quad \begin{aligned} (|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' &= (1-\alpha)|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha} ({}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' \\ &\quad + \alpha(\alpha-1)|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-1-\alpha} ({}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi')^2 \quad \square \\ &\leq C(r-1)|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + C|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

By the three lemmas above, for  $N/2 \leq i \leq N - 1$ , we have

LEMMA 3.33.

$$(3.148) \quad \begin{aligned} D_h^2 {}_L P_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) &= {}_L P_{N-i}^{\theta''}(\xi) \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}] \\ &\leq Ch^3|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)(h^3|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + h^2|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

And

LEMMA 3.34.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.149) \quad & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{N+1}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_N^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\
 & \leq Ch^3|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}
 \end{aligned}$$

And immediately, For  $N/2 \leq i \leq N-2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.150) \quad & V_{iN} \leq C \int_{x_{N-1}}^{x_N} h^2|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)h^2|y - x_i|^{-\alpha} + h|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} dy \\
 & \leq Ch^2h_N|T - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)h^2|x_{N-1} - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + Chh_N|T - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\
 & \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}
 \end{aligned}$$

But expecially, when  $i = N-1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.151) \quad & V_{N-1,N} = \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta^{2-\alpha}(1-\theta)}{2} \frac{2}{h_{N-1} + h_N} \left( \frac{1}{h_{N-1}} h_{N-1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N-1}^\theta) - \left( \frac{1}{h_{N-1}} + \frac{1}{h_N} \right) h_N^{4-\alpha} u''(y_N^\theta) + \frac{1}{h_N} h_{N+1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N+1}^\theta) \right) d\theta \\
 & + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{N+1,1}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\
 & - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{N-1,1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \\
 & - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{N+1,2}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\
 & + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{N-1,2}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta
 \end{aligned}$$

while combine Lemma 3.30

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.152) \quad & \frac{2}{h_{N-1} + h_N} \left( \frac{1}{h_{N-1}} h_{N-1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N-1}^\theta) - \left( \frac{1}{h_{N-1}} + \frac{1}{h_N} \right) h_N^{4-\alpha} u''(y_N^\theta) + \frac{1}{h_N} h_{N+1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N+1}^\theta) \right) \\
 & = D_h^2(h_{N-1 \rightarrow N}^{4-\alpha}(x_i)u''(y_{N-1 \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i))) \\
 & \leq Ch_N^{4-\alpha} + C(r-1)h_N^{3-\alpha} \leq Ch^{4-\alpha} + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{N-1-1}|^{1-\alpha}
 \end{aligned}$$

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453 Similarly with  $j = N+1$ . □



$I_6, I_7$  is easy. Similar with Lemma 3.22 and Lemma 3.6, we have

**THEOREM 3.35.** *There is a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For*  
 $N/2 \leq i \leq N,$   
 (3.153)

$$I_6 = \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1} + T_{i-1, 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1} \right) \leq Ch^2$$

*Proof.* In fact, let  $l = 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1$

$$(3.154) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} + T_{i-1, l-1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, l} \\ &= \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} - T_{i, l}) + \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l-1} - T_{i, l}) + \left( \frac{1}{h_i} - \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, l} \end{aligned}$$

While, by Lemma A.2

$$(3.155) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} - T_{i, l}) &= \int_{x_{l-1}}^{x_l} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) \frac{|x_{i-1} - y|^{1-\alpha} - |x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{h_i \Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\ &\leq C \int_{x_{l-1}}^{x_i} h_l^2 u''(\eta) \frac{|\xi - y|^{-\alpha}}{\Gamma(1-\alpha)} dy \\ &\leq Ch_l^3 x_{l-1}^{\alpha/2-2} T^{-\alpha} \\ &\leq Ch_l^3 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$(3.156) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} - T_{i, l}) \leq Ch_l^2$$

For

$$(3.157) \quad \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l-1} - T_{i, l}) = \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} \frac{h_{l-1}^3 |y_{l-1}^\theta - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_{l-1}^\theta) - h_l^3 |y_l^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_l^\theta)}{h_i} d\theta$$

And Similar with Lemma 3.19, we can get

$$(3.158) \quad \frac{h_{l-1}^3 |y_{l-1}^\theta - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_{l-1}^\theta) - h_l^3 |y_l^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_l^\theta)}{(h_i + h_{i+1}) h_i} \leq Ch_l^2 |y_l^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

So

$$(3.159) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l-1} - T_{i, l}) \leq Ch^2$$

For the third term, by Lemma B.1, Lemma B.2 and Lemma A.2

$$(3.160) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{h_i h_{i+1}} T_{i, l} &\leq h_i^{-3} h^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_l C h_l^2 x_{l-1}^{\alpha/2-2} |x_l - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\ &\leq Ch^2 \end{aligned}$$

Summarizes, we have

$$(3.161) \quad I_6 \leq Ch^2$$

□

And

LEMMA 3.36. *There is a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For  $N/2 \leq i \leq N$ ,*

$$I_7 = \sum_{j=2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+2}^{2N} S_{ij} \leq \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* For  $i \leq N, j \geq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 2$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} S_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) D_h^2 \left( \frac{|y - \cdot|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \right) (x_i) dy \\ &\leq \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} Ch^2 (2T - y)^{\alpha/2-2/r} |y - x_{i+1}^{-1-\alpha} dy \\ &\leq Ch^2 T^{-1-\alpha} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (2T - y)^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+2}^{2N-1} S_{ij} &\leq CT^{-1-\alpha} h^2 \int_{(2-2^{-r})T}^{x_{2N-1}} (2T - y)^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \\ &\leq CT^{-1-\alpha} h^2 \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} T^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ \ln(2^{-r}T) - \ln(h_{2N}), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ \frac{1}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} h_{2N}^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases} \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{C}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} T^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ CrT^{-1-\alpha} h^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ \frac{C}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} T^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Now we can conclude a part of the theorem Theorem 3.3 at the beginning of this section.

By Lemma 3.8 Lemma 3.22 Lemma 3.23 Theorem 3.29 Theorem 3.28 Theorem 3.35 Lemma 3.36, we have

THEOREM 3.37. *there exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that for  $N/2 \leq i < N$ ,*

$$R_i = \sum_{j=1}^7 I_j \leq C(r-1)h^2 |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} + \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

And what we left is the case  $i = N$ . Fortunately, we can use the same department of  $R_i$  above, and it is symmetric. Most of the item has been esitimated by Lemma 3.8 and Theorem 3.35, we just need to consider  $I_3, I_4$ .

**THEOREM 3.38.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that*

$$(3.165) \quad I_3 = \sum_{j=\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1}^{N-1} V_{Nj} \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{N-1}|^{1-\alpha}$$

*Proof.* **DEFINITION 3.39.** *For  $N/2 \leq j < N$ , Let's define*

$$(3.166) \quad y_j(x) = \left( \frac{Z_1}{h_N}(x - x_N) + Z_j \right)^r, \quad Z_j = T^{1/r} \frac{j}{N}$$

*We can see that is the inverse of the function  ${}_0y_{N-i}(x)$  defined in Theorem 3.29.*

$$(3.167) \quad y'_j(x) = y_j^{1-1/r}(x) \frac{rZ_1}{h_N}$$

$$(3.168) \quad y''_j(x) = y_j^{1-2/r}(x) \frac{r(r-1)Z_1}{h_N}$$

With the scheme we used several times, we can get

**LEMMA 3.40.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For  $N/2 \leq j < N$ ,  $\xi \in [x_{N-1}, x_{N+1}]$ ,*

$$(3.169) \quad h_j(\xi)^3 \leq Ch^3$$

$$(3.170) \quad (h_j^3(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h^3$$

$$(3.171) \quad (h_j^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^3$$

$$(3.172) \quad u''(y_j^\theta(\xi)) \leq C$$

$$(3.173) \quad (u''(y_j^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C$$

$$(3.174) \quad (u''(y_j^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C$$

$$(3.175) \quad |\xi - y_j^\theta(\xi)|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$(3.176) \quad (|\xi - y_j^\theta(\xi)|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$(3.177) \quad (|\xi - y_j^\theta(\xi)|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{-\alpha}$$

**LEMMA 3.41.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For  $N/2 \leq j < N$ ,*

$$(3.178) \quad V_{Nj} \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} |x_N - y|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|x_N - y|^{-\alpha} dy$$

Therefore,

$$(3.179) \quad \begin{aligned} I_3 &\leq Ch^2 \int_{\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}^{N-1} |x_N - y|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|x_N - y|^{-\alpha} dy \\ &\leq Ch^2(|T - x_{N-1}|^{2-\alpha} + (r-1)|T - x_{N-1}|^{1-\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

□

For  $j = N$ ,

LEMMA 3.42.

(3.180)

$$V_{N,N} = \frac{1}{h_N^2} (T_{N-1,N-1} - 2T_{N,N} + T_{N+1,N+1}) \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{N-1}|^{1-\alpha}$$

*Proof.*

(3.181)

□

$$\begin{aligned} V_{N,N} = & \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)^{2-\alpha}}{2} \frac{1}{h_N^2} (h_{N-1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N-1}^\theta) - 2h_N^{4-\alpha} u''(y_N^\theta) + h_{N+1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N+1}^\theta)) d\theta \\ & + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{1}{h_N} \left( \frac{Q_{N \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{N+1}) u'''(\eta_{N+1,1}^\theta) - Q_{N \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta)}{h_N} \right) d\theta \\ & - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{1}{h_N} \left( \frac{Q_{N \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_N) u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta) - Q_{N \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{N-1}) u'''(\eta_{N-1,1}^\theta)}{h_N} \right) d\theta \\ & - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{1}{h_N} \left( \frac{Q_{N \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{N+1}) u'''(\eta_{N+1,2}^\theta) - Q_{N \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_N) u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta)}{h_N} \right) d\theta \\ & + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{1}{h_N} \left( \frac{Q_{N \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_N) u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta) - Q_{N \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{N-1}) u'''(\eta_{N-1,2}^\theta)}{h_N} \right) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

So combine Lemma 3.8, Theorem 3.35, Theorem 3.38, Lemma 3.42 We have

LEMMA 3.43.

$$(3.182) \quad R_N \leq C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{N-1}|^{1-\alpha} + \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

and with Theorem 3.37 we prove the Theorem 3.3

#### 4. Convergence analysis.

**4.1. Properties of some Matrices.** Review subsection 2.1, we have got (2.10).

DEFINITION 4.1. We call one matrix an  $M$  matrix, which means its entries are positive on major diagonal and nonpositive on others, and strictly diagonally dominant in rows.

Now we have

LEMMA 4.2. Matrix  $A$  defined by (2.12) where (2.13) is an  $M$  matrix. And there exists a constant  $C_A = C(T, \alpha, r)$  such that

$$(4.1) \quad S_i := \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} a_{ij} \geq C_A(x_i^{-\alpha} + (2T - x_i)^{-\alpha})$$

*Proof.* From (2.14), we have

$$(4.2) \quad \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \tilde{a}_{ij} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \left( \frac{|x_i - x_0|^{3-\alpha} - |x_i - x_1|^{3-\alpha}}{h_1} + \frac{|x_{2N} - x_i|^{3-\alpha} - |x_{2N-1} - x_i|^{3-\alpha}}{h_{2N}} \right)$$

Let

$$(4.3) \quad g(x) = g_0(x) + g_{2N}(x)$$

where

$$g_0(x) := \frac{-\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{|x - x_0|^{3-\alpha} - |x - x_1|^{3-\alpha}}{h_1}$$

$$g_{2N}(x) := \frac{-\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{|x_{2N} - x|^{3-\alpha} - |x_{2N-1} - x|^{3-\alpha}}{h_{2N}}$$

Thus

$$-\kappa_\alpha \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \tilde{a}_{ij} = g(x_i)$$

Then

$$(4.4) \quad S_i := \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} a_{ij}$$

$$= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} g(x_{i+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) g(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} g(x_{i-1}) \right)$$

$$= D_h^2 g_0(x_i) + D_h^2 g_{2N}(x_i)$$

When  $i = 1$

$$(4.5) \quad D_h^2 g_0(x_1) = \frac{2}{h_1 + h_2} \left( \frac{1}{h_2} g_0(x_2) - \left( \frac{1}{h_1} + \frac{1}{h_2} \right) g_0(x_1) + \frac{1}{h_1} g_0(x_0) \right)$$

$$= \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{h_1^{3-\alpha} + h_2^{3-\alpha} + 2h_1^{2-\alpha}h_2 - (h_1 + h_2)^{3-\alpha}}{(h_1 + h_2)h_1h_2}$$

$$= \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{h_1^{3-\alpha} + h_2^{3-\alpha} + 2h_1^{2-\alpha}h_2 - (h_1 + h_2)^{3-\alpha}}{(h_1 + h_2)h_1^{1-\alpha}h_2} h_1^{-\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{1 + (2^r - 1)^{3-\alpha} + 2(2^r - 1) - (2^r)^{3-\alpha}}{2^r(2^r - 1)} h_1^{-\alpha}$$

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$$549 \quad (4.6) \quad 1 + (2^r - 1)^{3-\alpha} + 2(2^r - 1) - (2^r)^{3-\alpha} > 0$$

550 While for  $i \geq 2$

$$\begin{aligned} D_h^2 g_0(x_i) &= g_0''(\xi), \quad \xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}) \\ &= -\kappa_\alpha \frac{|\xi - x_0|^{1-\alpha} - |\xi - x_1|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)h_1} \\ 551 \quad (4.7) \quad &= \frac{\kappa_\alpha}{-\Gamma(1-\alpha)} |\xi - \eta|^{-\alpha}, \quad \eta \in [x_0, x_1] \\ &\geq \frac{\kappa_\alpha}{-\Gamma(1-\alpha)} x_{i+1}^{-\alpha} \geq \frac{\kappa_\alpha}{-\Gamma(1-\alpha)} 2^{-r\alpha} x_i^{-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

552 So

$$553 \quad (4.8) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} g_0(x_{i+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) g_0(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} g_0(x_{i-1}) \right) \geq C x_i^{-\alpha}$$

554 symmetricly,

$$555 \quad (4.9) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} g_{2N}(x_{i+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) g_{2N}(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} g_{2N}(x_{i-1}) \right) \geq C(\alpha, r)(2T - x_i)^{-\alpha} \quad \square$$

556 Let

$$557 \quad (4.10) \quad g(x) = \begin{cases} x, & 0 < x \leq T \\ 2T - x, & T < x < 2T \end{cases}$$

558 And define

$$559 \quad (4.11) \quad G = \text{diag}(g(x_1), \dots, g(x_{2N-1}))$$

560 Then

561 LEMMA 4.3. *The matrix  $B := AG$ , the major diagonal is positive, and nonpositive*  
 562 *on others. And there is a constant  $C_{AG}, C = C(\alpha, r)$  such that*

$$563 \quad (4.12) \quad M_i := \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{ij} \geq -C_{AG}(x_i^{1-\alpha} + (2T - x_i)^{1-\alpha}) + C \begin{cases} |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}, & i \leq N \\ |x_{i+1} - T|^{1-\alpha}, & i \geq N \end{cases}$$

*Proof.*

$$564 \quad b_{ij} = a_{ij}g(x_j) = -\kappa_\alpha \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \tilde{a}_{i+1,j} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) \tilde{a}_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} \tilde{a}_{i-1,j} \right) g(x_j)$$

565 Since

$$566 \quad (4.13) \quad g(x) \equiv \Pi_h g(x)$$

by ??, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tilde{M}_i &:= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \tilde{b}_{ij} = \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \tilde{a}_{ij} g(x_j) \\
 (4.14) \quad &= \int_0^{2T} \frac{|x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \Pi_h g(y) dy = \int_0^{2T} \frac{|x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} g(y) dy \\
 &= \frac{-2}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} |T - x_i|^{3-\alpha} + \frac{1}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} (x_i^{3-\alpha} + (2T - x_i)^{3-\alpha}) \\
 &:= w(x_i) = p(x_i) + q(x_i)
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_i &:= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{ij} = \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} a_{ij} g(x_j) \\
 (4.15) \quad &= -\kappa_\alpha \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \tilde{M}_{i+1} - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) \tilde{M}_i + \frac{1}{h_i} \tilde{M}_{i-1} \right) \\
 &= D_h^2(-\kappa_\alpha p)(x_i) - \kappa_\alpha D_h^2 q(x_i)
 \end{aligned}$$

for  $1 \leq i \leq N-1$ , by Lemma A.1

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.16) \quad D_h^2(-\kappa_\alpha p)(x_i) &:= -\kappa_\alpha \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} p(x_{i+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) p(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} p(x_{i-1}) \right) \\
 (4.17) \quad &= \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} |T - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \quad \xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}) \\
 &\geq \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 D_h^2(-\kappa_\alpha p)(x_N) &:= -\kappa_\alpha \frac{2}{h_N + h_{N+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{N+1}} p(x_{N+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_N} + \frac{1}{h_{N+1}} \right) p(x_N) + \frac{1}{h_N} p(x_{N-1}) \right) \\
 (4.17) \quad &= \frac{4\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha) h_N^2} h_N^{3-\alpha} \\
 &= \frac{4\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} (T - x_{N-1})^{1-\alpha}
 \end{aligned}$$

Symmetricly for  $i \geq N$ , we get

$$(4.18) \quad D_h^2(-\kappa_\alpha p)(x_i) \geq \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \begin{cases} |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}, & i \leq N \\ |x_{i+1} - T|^{1-\alpha}, & i \geq N \end{cases}$$

Similarly, we can get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.19) \quad D_h^2 q(x_i) &:= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} q(x_{i+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) q(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} q(x_{i-1}) \right) \\
 &\leq \frac{2^{r(\alpha-1)+1}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} (x_i^{1-\alpha} + (2T - x_i)^{1-\alpha}), \quad i = 1, \dots, 2N-1
 \end{aligned}$$

So, we get the result.

Notice that

$$(4.20) \quad x_i^{-\alpha} \geq (2T)^{-1} x_i^{1-\alpha}$$

We can get

THEOREM 4.4. *There exists a real  $\lambda = \lambda(T, \alpha, r) > 0$  and  $C = C(T, \alpha, r) > 0$  such that  $B := A(\lambda I + G)$  is an  $M$  matrix. And*

$$(4.21) \quad M_i := \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{ij} \geq C(x_i^{-\alpha} + (2T - x_i)^{-\alpha}) + C \begin{cases} |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}, & i \leq N \\ |x_{i+1} - T|^{1-\alpha}, & i \geq N \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* By Lemma 4.2 with  $C_A$  and Lemma 4.3 with  $C_{AG}$ , it's sufficient to take  $\lambda = (C + 2TC_{AG})/C_A$ , then

$$(4.22) \quad M_i \geq C \left( (x_i^{-\alpha} + (1 - x_i)^{-\alpha}) + \begin{cases} |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}, & i \leq N \\ |x_{i+1} - T|^{1-\alpha}, & i \geq N \end{cases} \right) \quad \square$$

**4.2. Proof of Theorem 2.6.** For equation

$$(4.23) \quad AU = F \Leftrightarrow A(\lambda I + G)(\lambda I + G)^{-1}U = F \quad \text{i.e.} \quad B(\lambda I + G)^{-1}U = F$$

which means

$$(4.24) \quad \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{ij} \frac{\epsilon_j}{\lambda + g(x_j)} = -\tau_i$$

where  $\epsilon_i = u(x_i) - u_i$ .

And if

$$(4.25) \quad \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| = \max_{1 \leq i \leq 2N-1} \left| \frac{\epsilon_i}{\lambda + g(x_i)} \right|$$

Then, since  $B = A(\lambda I + G)$  is an  $M$  matrix, it is Strictly diagonally dominant. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} |\tau_{i_0}| &= \left| \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{i_0,j} \frac{\epsilon_j}{\lambda + g(x_j)} \right| \\ &\geq b_{i_0,i_0} \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| - \sum_{j \neq i_0} |b_{i_0,j}| \left| \frac{\epsilon_j}{\lambda + g(x_j)} \right| \\ &\geq b_{i_0,i_0} \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| - \sum_{j \neq i_0} |b_{i_0,j}| \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{i_0,j} \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| \\ &= M_{i_0} \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| \end{aligned} \quad (4.26)$$

By Theorem 2.5 and Theorem 4.4,

We know that there exists constants  $C_1(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)}, \|f\|_{\beta}^{(\alpha/2)})$ , and  $C_2(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that

$$(4.27) \quad \left| \frac{\epsilon_i}{\lambda + g(x_i)} \right| \leq \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| \leq C_1 h^{\min\{\frac{r\alpha}{2}, 2\}} + C_2(r-1)h^2$$



602 as  $\lambda + g(x_i) \leq \lambda + T$

603 So, we can get

$$604 \quad (4.28) \quad |\epsilon_i| \leq C(\lambda + T)h^{\min\{\frac{\alpha}{2}, 2\}}$$

605 The convergency has been proved.

606 Remarks:

## 5. Experimental results.

### 5.1. $f \equiv 1$ .

### 5.2. $f = x^\gamma, \gamma < 0$ . Appendix A. Approximate of difference quotients.

LEMMA A.1. *If  $g(x) \in C^2\Omega$ , there exists  $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$  such that*

$$(A.1) \quad D_h^2 g(x_i) := \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} g(x_{i+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) g(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} g(x_{i-1}) \right) \\ = g''(\xi), \quad \xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$$

$$(A.2) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} g(x_{i+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) g(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} g(x_{i-1}) \right) \\ = \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_i} \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} g''(y)(y - x_{i-1}) dy + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} g''(y)(x_{i+1} - y) dy \right)$$

And if  $g(x) \in C^4(\Omega)$ , then

$$(A.3) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} g(x_{i+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) g(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} g(x_{i-1}) \right) \\ = g''(x_i) + \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{3} g'''(x_i) + \frac{1}{4!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} (h_i^3 g''''(\eta_1) + h_{i+1}^3 g''''(\eta_2))$$

where  $\eta_1 \in [x_{i-1}, x_i], \eta_2 \in [x_i, x_{i+1}]$ .

*Proof.*

$$g(x_{i-1}) = g(x_i) - (x_i - x_{i-1})g'(x_i) + \frac{(x_i - x_{i-1})^2}{2} g''(\xi_1), \quad \xi_1 \in (x_{i-1}, x_i)$$

$$g(x_{i+1}) = g(x_i) + (x_{i+1} - x_i)g'(x_i) + \frac{(x_{i+1} - x_i)^2}{2} g''(\xi_2), \quad \xi_2 \in (x_i, x_{i+1})$$

Substitute them in the left side of (A.1), we have

$$\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} g(x_{i+1}) - \left( \frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) g(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} g(x_{i-1}) \right) \\ = \frac{h_i}{h_i + h_{i+1}} g''(\xi_1) + \frac{h_{i+1}}{h_i + h_{i+1}} g''(\xi_2)$$

Now, using **intermediate value theorem**, there exists  $\xi \in [\xi_1, \xi_2]$  such that

$$\frac{h_i}{h_i + h_{i+1}} g''(\xi_1) + \frac{h_{i+1}}{h_i + h_{i+1}} g''(\xi_2) = g''(\xi)$$

For the second equation, similarly

$$g(x_{i-1}) = g(x_i) - (x_i - x_{i-1})g'(x_i) + \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} g''(y)(y - x_{i-1}) dy \\ g(x_{i+1}) = g(x_i) + (x_{i+1} - x_i)g'(x_i) + \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} g''(y)(x_{i+1} - y) dy$$

And the last equation can be obtained by

$$\begin{aligned} g(x_{i-1}) &= g(x_i) - h_i g'(x_i) + \frac{h_i^2}{2} g''(x_i) - \frac{h_i^3}{3!} g'''(x_i) + \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} g''''(y) \frac{(y - x_{i-1})^3}{3!} dy \\ g(x_{i+1}) &= g(x_i) + h_{i+1} g'(x_i) + \frac{h_{i+1}^2}{2} g''(x_i) + \frac{h_{i+1}^3}{3!} g'''(x_i) + \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} g''''(y) \frac{(x_{i+1} - y)^3}{3!} dy \end{aligned}$$

Especially,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} g''''(y) \frac{(y - x_{i-1})^3}{3!} dy &= \frac{h_i^4}{4!} g''''(\eta_1) \\ \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} g''''(y) \frac{(x_{i+1} - y)^3}{3!} dy &= \frac{h_{i+1}^4}{4!} g''''(\eta_2) \end{aligned} \quad (A.4)$$

where  $\eta_1 \in (x_{i-1}, x_i)$ ,  $\eta_2 \in (x_i, x_{i+1})$ . Subsitute them to the left side of (A.3), we can get the result.  $\square$

LEMMA A.2. Denote  $y_j^\theta = \theta x_{j-1} + (1 - \theta)x_j$ ,  $\theta \in [0, 1]$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (A.5) \quad u(y_j^\theta) - \Pi_h u(y_j^\theta) &= -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^2 u''(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{j-1}, x_j] \\ (A.6) \quad u(y_j^\theta) - \Pi_h u(y_j^\theta) &= -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^2 u''(y_j^\theta) + \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} h_j^3 ((1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_1) - \theta^2 u'''(\eta_2)) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\eta_1 \in [x_{j-1}, y_j^\theta]$ ,  $\eta_2 \in [y_j^\theta, x_j]$ .

*Proof.* By Taylor expansion, we have

$$\begin{aligned} u(x_{j-1}) &= u(y_j^\theta) - (1 - \theta) h_j u'(y_j^\theta) + \frac{(1 - \theta)^2 h_j^2}{2!} u''(\xi_1), \quad \xi_1 \in [x_{j-1}, y_j^\theta] \\ u(x_j) &= u(y_j^\theta) + \theta h_j u'(y_j^\theta) + \frac{\theta^2 h_j^2}{2!} u''(\xi_2), \quad \xi_2 \in [y_j^\theta, x_j] \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} u(y_j^\theta) - \Pi_h u(y_j^\theta) &= u(y_j^\theta) - \theta u(x_{j-1}) - (1 - \theta) u(x_j) \\ &= -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^2 ((1 - \theta) u''(\xi_1) + \theta u''(\xi_2)) \\ &= -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^2 u''(\xi), \quad \xi \in [\xi_1, \xi_2] \end{aligned}$$

The second equation is similar,

$$\begin{aligned} u(x_{j-1}) &= u(y_j^\theta) - (1 - \theta) h_j u'(y_j^\theta) + \frac{(1 - \theta)^2 h_j^2}{2!} u''(y_j^\theta) - \frac{(1 - \theta)^3 h_j^3}{3!} u'''(\eta_1) \\ u(x_j) &= u(y_j^\theta) + \theta h_j u'(y_j^\theta) + \frac{\theta^2 h_j^2}{2!} u''(y_j^\theta) + \frac{\theta^3 h_j^3}{3!} u'''(\eta_2) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\eta_1 \in [x_{j-1}, y_j^\theta]$ ,  $\eta_2 \in [y_j^\theta, x_j]$ . Thus  $\square$

$$\begin{aligned} u(y_j^\theta) - \Pi_h u(y_j^\theta) &= u(y_j^\theta) - \theta u(x_{j-1}) - (1 - \theta) u(x_j) \\ &= -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^2 u''(y_j^\theta) + \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} h_j^3 ((1 - \theta)^2 u'''(\eta_1) - \theta^2 u'''(\eta_2)) \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA A.3. For  $x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$

$$(A.7) \quad \begin{aligned} |u(x) - \Pi_h u(x)| &= \left| \frac{x_j - x}{h_j} \int_{x_{j-1}}^x u'(y) dy - \frac{x - x_{j-1}}{h_j} \int_x^{x_j} u'(y) dy \right| \\ &\leq \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} |u'(y)| dy \end{aligned}$$

If  $x \in [0, x_1]$ , with Corollary 2.4, we have

$$(A.8) \quad |u(x) - \Pi_h u(x)| \leq \int_0^{x_1} |u'(y)| dy \leq \int_0^{x_1} C y^{\alpha/2-1} dy \leq C \frac{2}{\alpha} x_1^{\alpha/2}$$

Similarly, if  $x \in [x_{2N-1}, 1]$ , we have

$$(A.9) \quad |u(x) - \Pi_h u(x)| \leq C \frac{2}{\alpha} (2T - x_{2N-1})^{\alpha/2} = C \frac{2}{\alpha} x_1^{\alpha/2}$$

**Appendix B. Inequality.** For convenience, we use the notation and  $\simeq$ . That  $x_1 \simeq y_1$ , means that  $c_1 x_1 \leq y_1 \leq C_1 x_1$  for some constants  $c_1$  and  $C_1$  that are independent of mesh parameters.

LEMMA B.1.

$$(B.1) \quad h_i \leq r T^{1/r} h \begin{cases} x_i^{1-1/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N \\ (2T - x_{i-1})^{1-1/r}, & N < i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases}$$

$$(B.2) \quad h_i \geq r T^{1/r} h \begin{cases} x_{i-1}^{1-1/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N \\ (2T - x_i)^{1-1/r}, & N < i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* For  $1 \leq i \leq N$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} h_i &= T \left( \left( \frac{i}{N} \right)^r - \left( \frac{i-1}{N} \right)^r \right) \\ &\leq r T \frac{1}{N} \left( \frac{i}{N} \right)^{r-1} = r T^{1/r} h x_i^{1-1/r} \end{aligned}$$

$$h_i \geq r T \frac{1}{N} \left( \frac{i-1}{N} \right)^{r-1} = r T^{1/r} h x_{i-1}^{1-1/r}$$

For  $N < i \leq 2N$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} h_i &= T \left( \left( \frac{2N-i+1}{N} \right)^r - \left( \frac{2N-i}{N} \right)^r \right) \\ &\leq r T \frac{1}{N} \left( \frac{2N-i+1}{N} \right)^{r-1} = r T^{1/r} h (2T - x_{i-1})^{1-1/r} \\ h_i &\geq r T \frac{1}{N} \left( \frac{2N-i}{N} \right)^{r-1} = r T^{1/r} h (2T - x_i)^{1-1/r} \end{aligned}$$

□

670 LEMMA B.2. *There is a constant  $C = 2^{|r-2|}r(r-1)T^{2/r}$  such that for all  $i \in$*   
 671  $\{1, 2, \dots, 2N-1\}$

$$672 \quad (B.3) \quad |h_{i+1} - h_i| \leq Ch^2 \begin{cases} x_i^{1-2/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N-1 \\ 0, & i = N \\ (2T - x_i)^{1-2/r}, & N < i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases}$$

*Proof.*

$$673 \quad h_{i+1} - h_i = \begin{cases} T \left( \left( \frac{i+1}{N} \right)^r - 2 \left( \frac{i}{N} \right)^r + \left( \frac{i-1}{N} \right)^r \right), & 1 \leq i \leq N-1 \\ 0, & i = N \\ -T \left( \left( \frac{2N-i-1}{N} \right)^r - 2 \left( \frac{2N-i}{N} \right)^r + \left( \frac{2N-i+1}{N} \right)^r \right), & N+1 \leq i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases}$$

674 For  $i = 1$ ,

$$675 \quad h_2 - h_1 = T(2^r - 2) \left( \frac{1}{N} \right)^r = (2^r - 2)T^{2/r}h^2x_1^{1-2/r}$$

676 For  $2 \leq i \leq N-1$ , by Lemma A.1, we have

$$677 \quad \begin{aligned} h_{i+1} - h_i &= r(r-1)T N^{-2}\eta^{r-2}, \quad \eta \in \left[ \frac{i-1}{N}, \frac{i+1}{N} \right] \\ &= C(r-1)h^2x_i^{1-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

678 Summarizes the inequalities, we can get

$$679 \quad (B.4) \quad |h_{i+1} - h_i| \leq 2^{|r-2|}r(r-1)T^{2/r}h^2 \begin{cases} x_i^{1-2/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N-1 \\ 0, & i = N \\ (2T - x_i)^{1-2/r}, & N < i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases} \quad \square$$

### 680 Appendix C. Proofs of some technical details.

681 *Additional proof of Theorem 3.1.* For  $2 \leq i \leq N-1$ ,

$$682 \quad \begin{aligned} &\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}}(h_i^3 f''(\eta_1) + h_{i+1}^3 f''(\eta_2)) \\ &\leq C \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}}(h_i^3 x_{i-1}^{-2-\alpha/2} + h_{i+1}^3 x_i^{-2-\alpha/2}) \\ &\leq 2C(h_i^2 x_{i-1}^{-2-\alpha/2} + h_{i+1}^2 x_i^{-2-\alpha/2}) \end{aligned}$$

683 There is a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|f\|_{\beta}^{\alpha/2})$  such that

$$684 \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}}(h_i^3 f''(\eta_1) + h_{i+1}^3 f''(\eta_2)) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, \quad 2 \leq i \leq N-1$$

685 For  $i = 1$ , by (A.4)

$$686 \quad \begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{4!} \frac{2}{h_1 + h_2}(h_1^3 f''(\eta_1) + h_2^3 f''(\eta_2)) \\ &= \frac{2}{h_1 + h_2} \left( \frac{1}{h_1} \int_0^{x_1} f''(y) \frac{y^3}{3!} dy + \frac{1}{4!} h_2^3 f''(\eta_2) \right) \end{aligned}$$

We have proved above that

$$\frac{2}{h_1 + h_2} h_2^3 f''(\eta_2) \leq C h^2 x_1^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

and we can get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{x_1} f''(y) \frac{y^3}{3!} dy &\leq C \frac{1}{3!} \int_0^{x_1} y^{1-\alpha/2} dy \\ &= C \frac{1}{3!(2-\alpha/2)} x_1^{2-\alpha/2} \end{aligned}$$

so

$$\frac{2}{h_1 + h_2} \frac{1}{h_1} \int_0^{x_1} f''(y) \frac{y^3}{3!} dy = \frac{C 2^{1-r}}{3!(2-\alpha/2)} x_1^{-\alpha/2} = \frac{C 2^{1-r}}{3!(2-\alpha/2)} T^{2/r} h^2 x_1^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

And for  $i = N$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2}{h_N + h_{N+1}} (h_N^3 f''(\eta_1) + h_{N+1}^3 f''(\eta_2)) \\ &= h_N^2 (f''(\eta_1) + f''(\eta_2)) \\ &\leq r^2 T^{2/r} h^2 x_N^{2-2/r} 2C x_{N-1}^{-2-\alpha/2} \\ &\leq 2r^2 T^{2/r} C 2^{-r(-2-\alpha/2)} h^2 x_N^{-\alpha/2-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

Finally,  $N + 1 \leq i \leq 2N - 1$  is symmetric to the first half of the proof, so we can conclude that  $\square$

$$\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} (h_i^3 f''(\eta_1) + h_{i+1}^3 f''(\eta_2)) \leq C h^2 \begin{cases} x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N \\ (2T - x_i)^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & N \leq i \leq 2N - 1 \end{cases}$$

LEMMA C.1. *By a standard error estimate for linear interpolation, and Corollary 2.4, There is a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  for  $2 \leq j \leq N$ ,*

$$(C.1) \quad |u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)| \leq C h^2 y^{\alpha/2-2/r}, \quad \text{for } y \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$$

symmetricly, for  $N < j \leq 2N - 1$ , we have

$$(C.2) \quad |u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)| \leq C h^2 (2T - y)^{\alpha/2-2/r}$$

LEMMA C.2. *There is a constant  $C = C(\alpha, r)$  such that for all  $1 \leq i < N/2$ ,  $\max\{2i + 1, i + 3\} \leq j \leq 2N$ , we have*

$$(C.3) \quad D_h^2 K_y(x_i) \leq C \frac{y^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)}, \quad y \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$$

*Proof.* Since  $y \geq x_{j-1} > x_{i+1}$ , by Lemma A.1, if  $j - 1 > i + 1$   $\square$

$$\begin{aligned} D_h^2 K_y(x_i) &= K_y''(\xi) = \frac{|y - \xi|^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)}, \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}] \\ &\leq \frac{(y - x_{i+1})^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)} \\ &\leq (1 - (\frac{2}{3})^r)^{-1-\alpha} \frac{y^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)} \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA C.3. *There is a constant  $C = C(\alpha, r)$  such that for all  $3 \leq i \leq N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil, 1 \leq j \leq k-1$  and  $y \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$ , we have*

$$(C.4) \quad D_h^2 K_y(x_i) \leq C \frac{x_i^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)}$$

*Proof.* Since  $y \leq x_j < x_{i-1}$ , by Lemma A.1,

$$\begin{aligned} D_h^2 K_y(x_i) &= \frac{|\xi - y|^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)}, \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}] \\ &\leq \frac{(x_{i-1} - x_j)^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)} \leq \frac{(x_{i-1} - x_{k-1})^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)} \\ &\leq \left(\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^r - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^r\right)^{-1-\alpha} \frac{x_i^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)} \end{aligned}$$

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LEMMA C.4. *While  $0 \leq i < N/2$ , By Lemma A.3*

$$\begin{aligned} |T_{i1}| &\leq C \int_0^{x_1} x_1^{\alpha/2} \frac{|x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\ (C.5) \quad &= C \frac{1}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} x_1^{\alpha/2} |x_i^{2-\alpha} - |x_i - x_1|^{2-\alpha}| \\ &\leq C \frac{1}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} x_1^{\alpha/2+2-\alpha} = C \frac{1}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} x_1^{2-\alpha/2} \quad 0 < 2-\alpha < 1 \end{aligned}$$

For  $2 \leq j \leq N$ , by Lemma A.2 and Corollary 2.4

$$\begin{aligned} |T_{ij}| &\leq \frac{C}{4} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} h_j^2 x_{j-1}^{\alpha/2-2} \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\ (C.6) \quad &\leq \frac{C}{4\Gamma(3-\alpha)} h_j^2 x_{j-1}^{\alpha/2-2} ||x_j - x_i|^{2-\alpha} - |x_{j-1} - x_i|^{2-\alpha}| \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA C.5. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that*

$$(C.7) \quad \sum_{j=1}^3 S_{1j} \leq Ch^2 x_1^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

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$$(C.8) \quad \sum_{j=1}^4 S_{2j} \leq Ch^2 x_2^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

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*Proof.*

$$S_{1j} = \frac{2}{x_2} \left( \frac{1}{x_1} T_{0j} - \left( \frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{h_2} \right) T_{1j} + \frac{1}{h_2} T_{2j} \right)$$

So, by Lemma C.4

$$S_{11} \leq \frac{2}{x_2 x_1} 4 \frac{C}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} x_1^{2-\alpha/2} \leq C x_1^{-\alpha/2}$$

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$$S_{12} \leq \frac{2}{x_2 x_1} \frac{C}{4\Gamma(3-\alpha)} h_2^2 x_1^{\alpha/2-2} (x_2^{2-\alpha} + 2h_2^{2-\alpha} + h_2^{2-\alpha}) \leq C x_1^{-\alpha/2}$$

$$S_{13} \leq \frac{2}{x_2 x_1} \frac{C}{4\Gamma(3-\alpha)} h_3^2 x_2^{\alpha/2-2} (x_3^{2-\alpha} + 2h_3^{2-\alpha} + h_3^{2-\alpha}) \leq C x_1^{-\alpha/2}$$

But

$$x_1^{-\alpha/2} = T^{2/r} h^2 x_1^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

$i = 2$  is similar.  $\square$

LEMMA C.6. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, r, l)$  such that For  $3 \leq i \leq N - 1$ ,  $k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$ ,  $k \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\}$ , when  $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$ ,*

$$(C.9) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))' \leq (r-1)Ch^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_j$$

$$(C.10) \quad (h_{j-i}^4(\xi))' \leq (r-1)Ch^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_j^2$$

*Proof.* From (3.31)

$$(C.11) \quad y'_{j-i}(x) = y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(x) x^{1/r-1}$$

$$(C.12) \quad y''_{j-i}(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(x) x^{1/r-2} Z_{j-i}$$

For  $\xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$  and  $2 \leq k \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\}$ , using Lemma B.1

$$\xi \simeq x_i \simeq x_j$$

$$h_{j-i}(\xi) \simeq h_j \simeq h x_j^{1-1/r} \simeq h x_i^{1-1/r}$$

$$(C.13) \quad \begin{aligned} h'_{j-i}(\xi) &= y'_{j-i}(\xi) - y'_{j-i-1}(\xi) \\ &= \xi^{1/r-1} (y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$(C.14) \quad \begin{aligned} y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) &\leq x_{j+1}^{1-1/r} - x_{j-2}^{1-1/r} \\ &= T^{1-1/r} N^{1-r} ((j+1)^{r-1} - (j-2)^{r-1}) \\ &\leq C(r-1) j^{r-2} N^{1-r} \\ &= C(r-1) h x_j^{1-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$(C.15) \quad h'_{j-i}(\xi) \leq C x_i^{1/r-1} (r-1) h x_j^{1-2/r} \simeq (r-1) h x_i^{-1/r}$$



752 for  $l = 3, 4$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (h_{j-i}^l(\xi))' &= lh_{j-i}^{l-1}(\xi)h_{j-i}'(\xi) \\
 &\leq Ch_{j-i}^{l-1}(\xi)(r-1)hx_i^{-1/r} \\
 &\simeq Ch_j^{l-2}hx_j^{1-1/r}(r-1)hx_i^{-1/r} \\
 &\simeq C(r-1)h^2x_i^{1-2/r}h_j^{l-2}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.16}$$

754 Meanwhile, we can get

$$755 \quad (C.17) \quad h_{j-i}^3(\xi) \simeq h_j^3 \leq Ch^2x_i^{2-2/r}h_j$$

$$756 \quad (C.18) \quad h_{j-i}^4(\xi) \simeq h_j^4 \leq Ch^2x_i^{2-2/r}h_j^2 \quad \square$$

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758 **LEMMA C.7.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, r, l)$  such that For  $3 \leq i \leq N -$*   
 759  *$1, \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\},$*   
 760 *when  $\xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$ ,*

$$761 \quad (C.19) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2x_i^{-2/r}h_j$$

*Proof.*

$$762 \quad (C.20) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' = 6h_{j-i}(\xi)(h_{j-i}'(\xi))^2 + 3h_{j-i}^2(\xi)h_{j-i}''(\xi)$$

763 By (C.15)

$$764 \quad (C.21) \quad h_{j-i}(\xi)(h_{j-i}'(\xi))^2 \leq Ch_j(r-1)^2h^2x_i^{-2/r}$$

765 For the second partial

$$\begin{aligned}
 h_{j-i}''(\xi) &= y_{j-i}''(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}''(\xi) \\
 &= \frac{1-r}{r}\xi^{1/r-2}(y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i} - y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i-1}) \\
 &= \frac{1-r}{r}\xi^{1/r-2}((y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi))Z_{j-i} + y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_1)
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.22}$$

767 but

$$\begin{aligned}
 |y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)| &\leq |x_{j+1}^{1-2/r} - x_{j-2}^{1-2/r}| \\
 &= T^{1-2/r}N^{2-r}|(j+1)^{r-2} - (j-2)^{r-2}| \\
 &\leq C|r-2|N^{2-r}j^{r-3} \\
 &= C|r-2|h x_j^{1-3/r}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.23}$$

769 So we can get

$$\begin{aligned}
 |h_{j-i}''(\xi)| &\leq C(r-1)x_i^{1/r-2}(|r-2|h x_i^{1-3/r}x_i^{1/r} + x_i^{1-2/r}h) \\
 &\leq C(r-1)hx_i^{-1-1/r}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.24}$$

771 Summarizes, we have

$$772 \quad (C.25) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2x_i^{-2/r}h_j \quad \square$$

*proof of Lemma 3.16.* From (3.31)

$$(C.26) \quad y'_{j-i}(x) = y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(x)x^{1/r-1}$$

$$(C.27) \quad y''_{j-i}(x) = \frac{1-r}{r}y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(x)x^{1/r-2}Z_{j-i}$$

Since

$$y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \simeq x_j \simeq x_i$$

We have known

$$(C.28) \quad u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))^{\alpha/2-2} \simeq x_j^{\alpha/2-2} \simeq x_i^{\alpha/2-2}$$

$$(C.29) \quad \begin{aligned} (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' &= u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' \\ &\leq Cx_i^{\alpha/2-3}\xi^{1/r-1}y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) \\ &\simeq x_i^{\alpha/2-3}x_i^{1/r-1}x_i^{1-1/r} = Cx_i^{\alpha/2-3} \end{aligned}$$

$$(C.30) \quad \begin{aligned} (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' &= u''''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))'^2 + u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))y_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi) \\ &\leq Cx_i^{\alpha/2-4} + Cx_i^{\alpha/2-3}\frac{r-1}{r}x_i^{1-2/r}x_i^{1/r-2}Z_{|j-i|+1} \\ &\leq Cx_i^{\alpha/2-4} + C\frac{r-1}{r}x_i^{\alpha/2-3}x_i^{-1-1/r}x_i^{1/r} \\ &= Cx_i^{\alpha/2-4} \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

*Proof of Lemma 3.17.*

$$(C.31) \quad \begin{aligned} |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi| &= |\theta(y_{j-i-1}(\xi) - \xi) + (1-\theta)(y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi)| \\ &= \theta|y_{j-i-1}(\xi) - \xi| + (1-\theta)|y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi| \end{aligned}$$

where  $y_{j-i-1}(\xi) - \xi$  and  $y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi$  have the same sign ( $\geq 0$  or  $\leq 0$ ).

Since  $|y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi| \simeq |x_j - x_i|$ , we have

$$|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \simeq |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

Next,  
(C.32)

$$\begin{aligned} (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' &= (1-\alpha)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}|\xi^{1/r-1}(\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) - 1| \\ &\leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}\xi^{1/r-1}|\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r}| \end{aligned}$$

Similar with (??), we have

$$(C.33) \quad \begin{aligned} |y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r}| &\leq C|x_j^{1-1/r} - x_i^{1-1/r}| \\ &\leq C|x_j - x_i|x_i^{-1/r} \end{aligned}$$

792 So we can get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & |\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r}| \\
 793 \quad (C.34) \quad & \leq Cx_i^{-1/r}(\theta|x_{j-1} - x_i| + (1-\theta)|x_j - x_i|) \\
 & = Cx_i^{-1/r}|y_j^\theta - x_i|
 \end{aligned}$$

794 Combine them, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 795 \quad (C.35) \quad & (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}x_i^{1/r-1}x_i^{-1/r}|y_j^\theta - x_i| \\
 & = C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

796 Finally, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 797 \quad (C.36) \quad & (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' = \alpha(\alpha-1)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha-1}(\xi^{1/r-1}(\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) - 1)^2 \\
 & + (1-\alpha)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}\frac{1-r}{r}\xi^{1/r-2}|\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i-1} + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i}|
 \end{aligned}$$

798 Using the inequalities above ,we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 799 \quad (C.37) \quad & |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha-1}(\xi^{1/r-1}(\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) - 1)^2 \\
 & \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha-1}(x_i^{-1}|y_j^\theta - x_i|)^2 \\
 & = C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-2}
 \end{aligned}$$

800 And by

$$801 \quad (C.38) \quad |Z_{j-i}| = |x_j^{1/r} - x_i^{1/r}| \leq |x_j - x_i|x_i^{1/r-1}$$

802 we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 803 \quad (C.39) \quad & |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}\xi^{1/r-2}|\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i-1} + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i}| \\
 & \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}x_i^{1/r-2}x_i^{1-2/r}|\theta Z_{j-i-1} + (1-\theta)Z_{j-i}| \\
 & \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}x_i^{-2}|y_j^\theta - x_i| \\
 & = C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-2}
 \end{aligned}$$

804 *proof of Lemma 3.19.* For  $k \leq j < \min\{2i-1, N-1\}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 805 \quad (C.40) \quad & \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \\
 & \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)}{h_{i+1}}u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) + Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)\frac{u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \\
 & \leq Q_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi)Cx_j^{\alpha/2-3} + Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)Cu''''(\eta)\frac{h_i + h_{i+1}}{h_{i+1}}
 \end{aligned}$$

806 where  $\xi \in [x_i, x_{i+1}]$ ,  $\eta \in [x_{j-1}, x_{j+1}]$ .

807 From (3.35), by Lemma C.6 and Lemma 3.17, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 808 \quad (C.41) \quad & Q_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi) \leq Ch^2\frac{|y_{j+1}^\theta - x_{i+1}|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}x_{i+1}^{1-2/r}h_{j+1}^2 \\
 & \leq Ch^2\frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}x_i^{1-2/r}h_j^2
 \end{aligned}$$

And by defination

$$(C.42) \quad Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) = h_j^4 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \leq Ch^2 x_i^{2-2/r} \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} h_j^2$$

With , we have

$$(C.43) \quad 4^{-r} x_i \leq x_{k-1} \leq x_{j-1} < x_j \leq x_{2i-1} \leq 2^r x_i$$

So we have

$$(C.44) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \\ & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{1-2/r} h_j^2 x_i^{\alpha/2-3} + Ch^2 x_i^{2-2/r} \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} h_j^2 x_{j-1}^{\alpha/2-4} \\ & = Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j^2 \end{aligned}$$

while

$$h_j \leq h_{2i-1} \leq 2^r h_i$$

Substitute into the inequality above, we get the goal

$$(C.45) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ & \leq \frac{1}{h_i} Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j 2^r h_i \\ & = Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j \end{aligned}$$

While, the later is similar.  $\square$

LEMMA C.8. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, r)$  such that For  $N/2 \leq i < N$ ,  $N+2 \leq j \leq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1$ ,  $l = 3, 4$ ,  $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$ , we have*

$$(C.46) \quad h_{j-i}^l(\xi) \leq Ch_j^l \leq Ch^2 h_j^{l-2}$$

$$(C.47) \quad (h_{j-i-1}^l(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j^{l-2}$$

$$(C.48) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j$$

*Proof.*

$$(C.49) \quad \begin{aligned} (h_{j-i}(\xi))' &= y_{j-i}'(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}'(\xi) \\ &= \xi^{1/r-1}((2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - (2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r}) \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$(C.50) \quad Ch_j \leq h_{j+1} \leq h_{j-i}(\xi) \leq h_{j-i}(x_{i-1}) = h_{j-1} \leq Ch_j$$

829 So as  $4^{-r}T \leq 2T - x_j \leq T, 2^{-r}T \leq x_i \leq T$ , we have

$$830 \quad (C.51) \quad h_{j-i}^l(\xi) \leq Ch_j^l \leq Ch^2(2T - x_j)^{2-2/r} h_j^{l-2} \leq Ch^2 h_j^{l-2}$$

831 Since

$$\begin{aligned} & |(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - (2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r}| \\ 832 \quad (C.52) \quad &= |(Z_{2N-(j-i)} - \xi^{1/r})^{r-1} - (Z_{2N-(j-i-1)} - \xi^{1/r})^{r-1}| \\ &= (r-1)Z_1(Z_{2N-(j-i-\gamma)} - \xi^{1/r})^{r-2} \quad \gamma \in [0, 1] \\ &\leq C(r-1)h(2T - x_j)^{1-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

833 we have

$$834 \quad (C.53) \quad |(h_{j-i}(\xi))'| \leq C(r-1)h(2T - x_j)^{1-2/r} x_i^{1/r-1}$$

835 And

$$\begin{aligned} & (h_{j-i}^l(\xi))' = lh_{j-i}^{l-1}(\xi)h_{j-i}'(\xi) \\ 836 \quad (C.54) \quad &\leq C(r-1)h_j^{l-1} h(2T - x_j)^{1-2/r} x_i^{1/r-1} \\ &\leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j^{l-2} (2T - x_j)^{2-3/r} x_i^{1-1/r} \\ &\leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j^{l-2} \end{aligned}$$

(C.55)

$$\begin{aligned} & (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' = 6h_{j-i}(\xi)(y_{j-i}'(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}'(\xi))^2 + 3h_{j-i}^2(\xi)(y_{j-i}''(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}''(\xi)) \\ 837 \quad &\leq C(r-1)h_j h^2 + Ch_j^2 \frac{1-r}{r} \xi^{1/r-2} ((2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)} - (2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i-1)}) \\ &\leq C(r-1)h_j h^2 + C(r-1)h_j^2 (C(r-2)h(2T - x_j)^{1-3/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)} + Z_1(2T - x_{j-1})^{1-2/r}) \\ &\leq C(r-1)h_j h^2 + C(r-1)h_j^2 h = Ch^2 h_j \end{aligned}$$

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839 **LEMMA C.9.** *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$  such that For*  
 840  *$N/2 \leq i < N, N+2 \leq j \leq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1, \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$ , we have*

$$841 \quad (C.56) \quad u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C$$

$$842 \quad (C.57) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C$$

$$843 \quad (C.58) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C$$

*Proof.*

$$844 \quad (C.59) \quad x_{j-2} \leq y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq x_{j+1} \Rightarrow 4^{-r}T \leq 2T - y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq T$$

845 Thus, for  $l = 2, 3, 4$ ,

$$846 \quad (C.60) \quad u^{(l)}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C(2T - y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))^{\alpha/2-l} \leq C$$

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$$\begin{aligned} & (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' = \theta y_{j-i-1}'(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}'(\xi) \\ 848 \quad (C.61) \quad &= \xi^{1/r-1}(\theta(2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r} + (1-\theta)(2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r}) \\ &\leq C(2T - x_{j-2})^{1-1/r} \leq C \end{aligned}$$

With

$$(C.62) \quad Z_{2N-j-i} \leq 2T^{1/r}$$

$$(C.63) \quad \begin{aligned} (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))'' &= \theta y_{j-1-i}''(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}''(\xi) \\ &= \frac{1-r}{r} \xi^{1/r-2} (\theta(2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i-1)} + (1-\theta)(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)}) \\ &\leq C(r-1) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$(C.64) \quad \begin{aligned} (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' &= u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' \\ &\leq C \end{aligned}$$

$$(C.65) \quad \begin{aligned} (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' &= u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))'^2 + u''''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)'' \\ &\leq C + C(r-1) = C \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

LEMMA C.10. *There exists a constant  $C = C(T, \alpha, r)$  such that*

$$(C.66) \quad |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$(C.67) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N)$$

$$(C.68) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C(r-1)|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-1-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N)^2$$

*Proof.*

$$(C.69) \quad (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' = \theta y_{j-1-i}'(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}'(\xi) - 1$$

$$(C.70) \quad \begin{aligned} |y_{j-i}'(\xi) - 1| &= \xi^{1/r-1} |(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - \xi^{1-1/r}| \\ &\leq \xi^{1/r-1} |2T - \xi - y_{j-i}(\xi)| \xi^{-1/r} \end{aligned}$$

$$(C.71) \quad \begin{aligned} |2T - \xi - y_{j-i}(\xi)| &\leq \max \begin{cases} |2T - x_{i-1} - x_{j-1}| \\ |2T - x_{i+1} - x_{j+1}| \end{cases} \\ &\leq |2T - x_i - x_j| + h_{i+1} + h_j \end{aligned}$$

$$(C.72) \quad \begin{aligned} (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' &= \theta y_{j-1-i}''(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}''(\xi) \\ &= \frac{1-r}{r} \xi^{1/r-2} (\theta(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)} + (1-\theta)(2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i-1)}) \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

It's concave, so

$$(C.73) \quad y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi \geq \min\{x_{j+1} - x_{i+1}, x_{j-1} - x_{i-1}\} \geq C(x_j - x_i)$$

871 We have

$$872 \quad (C.74) \quad |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

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$$874 \quad (C.75) \quad \begin{aligned} (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' &= (1-\alpha)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' \\ &\leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_{i+1} + h_{j-1}) \end{aligned}$$

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$$876 \quad (C.76) \quad \begin{aligned} (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' &= (1-\alpha)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' + \alpha(\alpha-1)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-1-\alpha}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' \\ &\leq C(r-1)|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-1-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_{i+1} + h_{j-1})^2 \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

877 *Proof.* From (3.24), by Lemma C.8 and Lemma C.10, we have  $\xi \in [x_i, x_{i+1}]$

$$878 \quad (C.77) \quad Q_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi) \leq Ch^2h_j^2((r-1)|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

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$$880 \quad (C.78) \quad Q_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq Ch^2h_j^2|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

881 So use the skill in Proof 33 with Lemma C.9

$$882 \quad (C.79) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left( \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ \leq Ch^2h_j(|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N)) \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

$$883 \quad (C.80) \quad a^{1-\theta}|a^\theta - b^\theta| \leq |a - b|, \theta \in [0, 1]$$

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