

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 β' in Ω , where $C^k(\Omega)$ is the set of all k -times continuously differentiable functions on open set Ω .

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 Ω be a bounded domain, and $\beta > 0$ be such that neither β 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. *Thert 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 $i = 1, 2$.

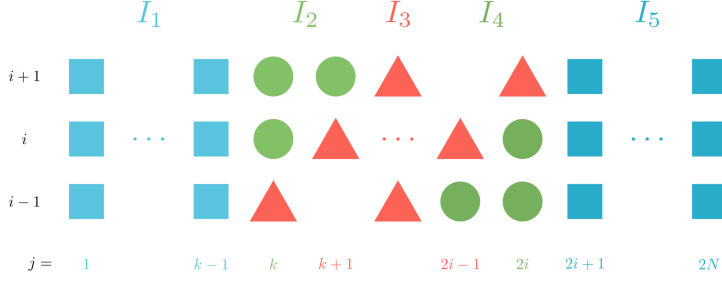
 148 LEMMA 3.7. *By Lemma C.5 , Lemma 3.5 and Lemma 3.6 we get*

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

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

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

Therefore,

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

But

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

So we have

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

DEFINITION 3.9. For convience, let's denote

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

THEOREM 3.10. There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for $3 \leq i < N/2, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$,

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

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

LEMMA 3.11. For $y \in (x_{j-1}, x_j)$, we can rewrite

$$y = x_{j-1} + \theta h_j = (1 - \theta)x_{j-1} + \theta x_j =: y_j^\theta, \quad \theta \in (0, 1)
 \tag{3.30}$$

178 by Lemma A.2,

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\
 &= \int_0^1 (u(y_j^\theta) - \Pi_h u(y_j^\theta)) \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} h_j d\theta \\
 &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^3 u''(y_j^\theta) \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \\
 &\quad + \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} h_j^4 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{j,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{j,2}^\theta)) d\theta
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.31}$$

180 where $\eta_{j,1}^\theta \in (x_{j-1}, y_j^\theta)$, $\eta_{j,2}^\theta \in (y_j^\theta, x_j)$.

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

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

$$y_{j-i}(x) = (x^{1/r} + Z_{j-i})^r, \quad Z_{j-i} = T^{1/r} \frac{j-i}{N}
 \tag{3.32}$$

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$$y_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (1-\theta)y_{j-1-i}(x) + \theta y_{j-i}(x)
 \tag{3.33}$$

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$$h_{j-i}(x) = y_{j-i}(x) - y_{j-i-1}(x)
 \tag{3.34}$$

188 Now, we define

$$P_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^3 u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(x)) \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}
 \tag{3.35}$$

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$$Q_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^4 \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}
 \tag{3.36}$$

192 And now we can rewrite T_{ij}

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{ij} &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) d\theta \\
 &\quad + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{j,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{j,2}^\theta)) d\theta
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.37}$$

195 Immediately, we can see from (3.28) that

LEMMA 3.14. For $3 \leq i, j \leq N - 1$,
(3.38)

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

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

$$(3.39) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) = P_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi), \quad \xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$$

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 $3 \leq i \leq N - 1$, $\lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\}$, $\xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$,

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

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

$$(3.42) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1) h^2 x_i^{-2/r} h_j$$

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 $3 \leq i \leq N - 1$, $\lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\}$, $\xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$,

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

$$(3.44) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C x_i^{\alpha/2-3}$$

$$(3.45) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C x_i^{\alpha/2-4}$$

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 $3 \leq i \leq N - 1$, $\lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\}$, $\xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$,

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

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

$$(221) \quad (3.48) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-2}$$

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

(223) The proof of this theorem see Proof 32

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(225) **LEMMA 3.18.** *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For*
 (226) $3 \leq i \leq N-1, \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\},$

$$(227) \quad (3.49) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j$$

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

(229) *Proof.* Since Lemma A.1

$$(230) \quad (3.50) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) = P_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi), \quad \xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$$

(231) From (3.35), using Leibniz formula and Lemma 3.15, Lemma 3.16 and Lemma 3.17□

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

$$(236) \quad (3.51) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j \end{aligned}$$

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

$$(238) \quad (3.52) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{j-1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) \\ & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j \end{aligned}$$

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

(240) proof see Proof 33

(241)

(242) **LEMMA 3.20.** *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for*
 (243) $3 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil, k+1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\},$

$$(244) \quad (3.53) \quad \begin{aligned} V_{ij} & \leq Ch^2 \int_0^1 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j d\theta \\ & = Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} dy \end{aligned}$$

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

(3.63)

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

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 $1 \leq i < N/2$

$$(3.69) \quad R_i \leq \begin{cases} Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 > 0 \\ Ch^2 (x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i) + \ln(N)), & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 < 0 \end{cases}$$

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

$$(3.70) \quad \begin{aligned} R_i &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} + T_{i+1,k+1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,k} \right) \\ &\quad + \sum_{j=k+1}^{N-1} + \sum_{j=N}^{N+1} + \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j+1} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j-1} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1,2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+1} + T_{i-1,2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+1} \right) \\ &\quad + \sum_{j=2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+2}^{2N} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &= I_1 + I_2 + I_3^1 + I_3^2 + I_3^3 + I_4 + I_5 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$(3.71) \quad \begin{aligned} I_3 &= \sum_{j=k+1}^{N-1} V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_k}^{x_{N-1}} \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} dy \\ &= Ch^2 \left(\frac{|x_k - x_i|^{2-\alpha}}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} + \frac{|x_{N-1} - x_i|^{2-\alpha}}{\Gamma(3-\alpha)} \right) x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} \\ &\leq Ch^2 x_i^{2-\alpha} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} = Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

Let's study I_5 before I_4 .

$$(3.72) \quad I_5 = \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} V_{ij}$$

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*

$$(3.73) \quad y_{j-i}(x) = 2T - (Z_{2N-j+i} - x^{1/r})^r, \quad Z_{2N-j+i} = T^{1/r} \frac{2N-j+i}{N}$$

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

$$(3.75) \quad y_{j-i}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} (2T - y_{j-i}(x))^{1-2/r} x^{1/r-2} Z_{2N-j+i}$$

$$(3.76)$$

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$$(3.77) \quad y_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}(x) + \theta y_{j-i}(x)$$

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$$(3.78) \quad h_{j-i}(x) = y_{j-i}(x) - y_{j-i-1}(x)$$

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$$(3.79) \quad P_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^3 u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(x)) \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

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$$(3.80) \quad Q_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^4 \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

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

(3.81)

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

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Similarly, we first estimate

$$(3.82) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) = P_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi), \quad \xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$$

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

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LEMMA 3.25. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For*

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

$$(3.83)$$

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

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

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

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

$$(3.85) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{j-1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \leq Ch^2 h_j (|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

The proof see Proof 37.

Combine (3.81), 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 $N/2 \leq i < N$, $N+2 \leq j \leq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1$*

$$(3.86) \quad V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N) + |y - x_i|^{-1-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N)^2 + (r-1)|y - x_i|^{-\alpha}) dy$$

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*

$$(3.87) \quad I_5 = \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2 |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}$$

Proof.

$$(3.88) \quad \begin{aligned} I_5 &= \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} V_{ij} \\ &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{N+1}}^{x_{2N-i}} + \int_{x_{2N-i}}^{x_{2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}} (|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N) + |y - x_i|^{-1-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N)^2 + (r-1)|y - x_i|^{-\alpha}) dy \\ &= J_1 + J_2 \end{aligned}$$

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

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

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$$338 \quad (3.90) \quad 2T - x_i - y + h_N \leq 2T - x_i - x_{N+1} + h_N = T - x_i \leq T - x_{i-1}$$

339 So

$$\begin{aligned} 340 \quad (3.91) \quad J_1 &\leq Ch^2(x_{2N-i} - x_{N+1})(|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|T - x_{i-1}|^{-\alpha}) \\ &\leq Ch^2(|T - x_{i-1}|^{2-\alpha} + (r-1)|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}) \\ &\leq Ch^2T^{2-\alpha} + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$342 \quad (3.92) \quad x_i + y - 2T + h_N \leq y - x_i$$

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$$\begin{aligned} 344 \quad (3.93) \quad J_2 &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{2N-i}}^{(2-2^{-r})T} |y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|y - x_i|^{-\alpha} \\ &\leq Ch^2(T^{2-\alpha} + (r-1)|x_{2N-i} - x_i|^{1-\alpha}) \\ &= Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

345 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 $N/2 \leq i \leq N-1$*

$$(3.94) \quad \begin{aligned} V_{iN} &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1, N+1} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, N} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1, N-1} \right) \\ &\leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2 |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$(3.95) \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}(x) = (x^{1/r} + Z_{N-1-i})^r, \quad Z_{N-1-i} = T^{1/r} \frac{N-1-i}{N}$$

$$(3.96) \quad {}_0 y_{N-i}(x) = \frac{x^{1/r} - Z_i}{Z_1} h_N + T, \quad Z_i = T^{1/r} \frac{i}{N}, x_N = T$$

and

$$(3.97) \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x) = 2T - (Z_{N-1+i} - x^{1/r})^r, \quad Z_{N-1+i} = T^{1/r} \frac{N-1+i}{N}$$

Thus,

$${}_L y_{N-1-i}(x_{i-1}) = x_{N-2}, \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}(x_i) = x_{N-1}, \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}(x_{i+1}) = x_N$$

$${}_0 y_{N-i}(x_{i-1}) = x_{N-1}, \quad {}_0 y_{N-i}(x_i) = x_N, \quad {}_0 y_{N-i}(x_{i+1}) = x_{N+1}$$

$${}_R y_{N+1-i}(x_{i-1}) = x_N, \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x_i) = x_{N+1}, \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x_{i+1}) = x_{N+2}$$

Then, define

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

$$(3.99) \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) = \theta {}_0 y_{N-i}(x) + (1-\theta) {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x)$$

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

$$(3.101) \quad {}_R h_{N+1-i}(x) = {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x) - {}_0 y_{N-i}(x)$$

We have

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

$$(3.103) \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-2/r}(x) x^{1/r-2} Z_{N-1-i}$$

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

$$(3.105) \quad {}_0 y_{N-i}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r^2} \frac{h_N}{Z_1} x^{1/r-2}$$

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

$$(3.107) \quad {}_R y_{N+1-i}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} (2T - {}_R y_{N+1-i}(x))^{1-2/r} x^{1/r-2} Z_{N-1+i}$$

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

$$376 \quad (3.109) \quad {}_R P_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) = ({}_R h_{N+1-i}(x))^3 \frac{|{}_R y_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} u''({}_R y_{N+1-i}^\theta(x))$$

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

$$378 \quad (3.111) \quad {}_R Q_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) = ({}_R h_{N+1-i}(x))^4 \frac{|{}_R y_{N+1-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

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

$$380 \quad (3.112) \quad \begin{aligned} T_{i+l, N+l} &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} {}_L P_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+l}) d\theta \\ &+ \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+l}) (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{N+l,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{N+l,2}^\theta)) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

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$$(3.113) \quad \begin{aligned} T_{i+l, N+1+l} &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} {}_R P_{N+1-i}^\theta(x_{i+l}) d\theta \\ &+ \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} {}_R Q_{N+1-i}^\theta(x_{i+l}) (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{N+1+l,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{N+1+l,2}^\theta)) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

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383 So we have

$$(3.114) \quad \begin{aligned} V_{i,N} &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} D_{hL}^2 {}_L P_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) d\theta \\ &+ \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{N+1,1}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ &- \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{N-1,1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \\ &- \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{N+1,2}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ &+ \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{{}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta) - {}_L Q_{N-i}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{N-1,2}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

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385 $N+1$ is similar.

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

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LEMMA 3.30.

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

$$389 \quad (3.116) \quad {}_R h_{N+1-i}^3(\xi) \leq Ch_N^3 \leq Ch^3$$

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

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

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

$$(3.120) \quad ({}_R h_{N+1-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2$$

Proof.

$$(3.121) \quad {}_L h_{N-i}(\xi) \leq 2h_N, \quad {}_R h_{N+1-i}(\xi) \leq 2h_N$$

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$$(3.122) \quad \begin{aligned} ({}_L h_{N-i}^l(\xi))' &= {}_L h_{N-i}^{l-1}(\xi)({}_0 y_{N-i}'(\xi) - {}_L y_{N-1-i}'(\xi)) \\ &= {}_L h_{N-i}^{l-1}(\xi)x_i^{1/r-1}(\frac{1}{r} \frac{h_N}{Z_1} - {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) \end{aligned}$$

397 while

(3.123)

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

399 Thus,

$$(3.124) \quad ({}_L h_{N-i}^l(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h_N^{l-1}x_i^{1/r-1}h$$

$$(3.125) \quad \begin{aligned} ({}_R h_{N+1-i}^l(\xi))' &= {}_R h_{N+1-i}^{l-1}(\xi)({}_R y_{N+1-i}'(\xi) - {}_0 y_{N-i}'(\xi)) \\ &= {}_R h_{N+1-i}^{l-1}(\xi)x_i^{1/r-1}((2T - {}_R y_{N+1-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - \frac{1}{r} \frac{h_N}{Z_1}) \end{aligned}$$

402 Similarly,

(3.126)

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

404 And

(3.127)

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

$$(3.128) \quad |\frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{N-1-i}| \leq T^{1-1/r} + Cx_N^{1-2/r}x_N^{1/r} = CT^{1-1/r}$$

407 So

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

409 $Rh_{N+1-i}^3(\xi)$ is similar. □

LEMMA 3.31.

$$410 \quad (3.129) \quad u''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq Cx_{N-2}^{-\alpha/2-2} \leq C$$

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

$$412 \quad (3.131) \quad (u''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C$$

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (u''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi)))' &= u'''(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi))Ly_{N-i}^{\theta'}(\xi) \\
 &\leq C(\theta Ly_{N-1-i}'(\xi) + (1-\theta)_0 y_{N-i}'(\xi)) \\
 413 \quad (3.132) \quad &\leq Cx_i^{1/r-1}(\theta Ly_{N-1-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)\frac{h_N}{rZ_1}) \\
 &\leq Cx_i^{1/r-1}x_N^{1-1/r}
 \end{aligned}$$

414 And

(3.133)

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

LEMMA 3.32.

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

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

$$418 \quad (3.136) \quad (|Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C(r-1)|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + |y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

Proof.

(3.137)

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

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$$\begin{aligned}
 (Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' &= \theta(Ly_{N-1-i}''(\xi)) + (1-\theta)(_0y_{N-i}''(\xi)) \\
 421 \quad (3.138) \quad &= \frac{1-r}{r}\xi^{1/r-2}(\theta Ly_{N-1-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{N-1-i} + (1-\theta)\frac{h_N}{rZ_1}) \leq 0
 \end{aligned}$$

422 And

$$423 \quad (3.139) \quad |(Ly_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)''| \leq C(r-1)\xi^{1/r-2}T^{1-1/r}$$

We have known

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

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

$$(3.141) \quad C|x_N - x_i| \leq |x_{N-1} - x_{i-1}| \leq |{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi| \leq |x_{N+1} - x_{i+1}| \leq C|x_N - x_i|$$

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

$$(3.142) \quad h_N = |x_N - x_{N-1}| \leq |{}_0 y_{N-i}(\xi) - \xi| \leq |x_{N+1} - x_{N-1}| = 2h_N$$

So we have

$$(3.143) \quad |{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

While

$$(3.144) \quad {}_L y_{N-1-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r} \leq ({}_L y_{N-1-i}(\xi) - \xi)\xi^{-1/r}$$

and

$$(3.145) \quad \left| \frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - \xi^{1-1/r} \right| \leq \max\left\{ \left| \frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - x_{i-1}^{1-1/r} \right|, \left| \frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - x_{i+1}^{1-1/r} \right| \right\}$$

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

So we have

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

$$(3.147) \quad (|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' = |{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha} ({}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' \leq |y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

Finally,

$$(3.148) \quad \begin{aligned} (|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' &= (1-\alpha)|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha} ({}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' \\ &\quad + \alpha(\alpha-1)|{}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-1-\alpha} ({}_L y_{N-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi')^2 \quad \square \\ &\leq C(r-1)|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + C|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

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

LEMMA 3.33.

$$(3.149) \quad \begin{aligned} D_h^2 {}_L P_{N-i}^\theta(x_i) &= {}_L P_{N-i}^{\theta''}(\xi) \quad \xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}) \\ &\leq Ch^3|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)(h^3|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + h^2|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

And

LEMMA 3.34.

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

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

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

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

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

while combine Lemma 3.30

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

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454 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 $N/2 \leq i \leq N$,*

$$(3.154) \quad \begin{aligned} I_6 &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1} + T_{i-1, 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1} \right) \\ &\leq Ch^2 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$(3.155) \quad \begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} + T_{i-1, l-1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, l} \\ &= \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} - T_{i, l}) + \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l-1} - T_{i, l}) + \left(\frac{1}{h_i} - \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, l} \end{aligned}$$

While, by Lemma A.2

$$(3.156) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} - T_{i, l}) &= \int_{x_{l-1}}^{x_l} (u(y) - \Pi_h u(y)) \frac{|x_{i-1} - y|^{1-\alpha} - |x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{h_i \Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\ &\leq C \int_{x_{l-1}}^{x_i} h_l^2 u''(\eta) \frac{|\xi - y|^{-\alpha}}{\Gamma(1-\alpha)} dy \\ &\leq Ch_l^3 x_{l-1}^{\alpha/2-2} T^{-\alpha} \\ &\leq Ch_l^3 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$(3.157) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} - T_{i, l}) \leq Ch_l^2$$

For

$$(3.158) \quad \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l-1} - T_{i, l}) = \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} \frac{h_{l-1}^3 |y_{l-1}^\theta - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_{l-1}^\theta) - h_l^3 |y_l^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_l^\theta)}{h_i} d\theta$$

And Similar with Lemma 3.19, we can get

$$(3.159) \quad \frac{h_{l-1}^3 |y_{l-1}^\theta - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_{l-1}^\theta) - h_l^3 |y_l^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_l^\theta)}{(h_i + h_{i+1}) h_i} \leq Ch_l^2 |y_l^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

So

$$(3.160) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l-1} - T_{i, l}) \leq Ch^2$$

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

$$(3.161) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{h_i h_{i+1}} T_{i, l} &\leq h_i^{-3} h^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_l C h_l^2 x_{l-1}^{\alpha/2-2} |x_l - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\ &\leq Ch^2 \end{aligned}$$

Summarizes, we have

$$(3.162) \quad I_6 \leq Ch^2 \quad \square$$

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*

$$(3.166) \quad I_3 = \sum_{j=\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1}^{N-1} V_{Nj} \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{N-1}|^{1-\alpha}$$

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

$$(3.167) \quad y_j(x) = \left(\frac{Z_1}{h_N}(x - x_N) + Z_j \right)^r, \quad Z_j = T^{1/r} \frac{j}{N}$$

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

$$(3.168) \quad y'_j(x) = y_j^{1-1/r}(x) \frac{rZ_1}{h_N}$$

$$(3.169) \quad y''_j(x) = y_j^{1-2/r}(x) \frac{r(r-1)Z_1}{h_N}$$

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 $N/2 \leq j < N$, $\xi \in [x_{N-1}, x_{N+1}]$,*

$$(3.170) \quad h_j(\xi)^3 \leq Ch^3$$

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

$$(3.172) \quad (h_j^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^3$$

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

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

$$(3.175) \quad (u''(y_j^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C$$

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

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

$$(3.178) \quad (|\xi - y_j^\theta(\xi)|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{-\alpha}$$

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

$$(3.179) \quad V_{Nj} \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} |x_N - y|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|x_N - y|^{-\alpha} dy$$

Therefore,

$$(3.180) \quad \begin{aligned} I_3 &\leq Ch^2 \int_{\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}^{x_{N-1}} |x_N - y|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|x_N - y|^{-\alpha} dy \\ &\leq Ch^2(|T - x_{N-1}|^{2-\alpha} + (r-1)|T - x_{N-1}|^{1-\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

□

For $j = N$,

LEMMA 3.42.

(3.181)

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

Proof.

(3.182)

□

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

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

LEMMA 3.43.

$$(3.183) \quad R_N \leq C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{N-1}|^{1-\alpha} + \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

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 $i = 1$

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

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

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

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

but

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

While for $i \geq 2$

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

So

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

symmetricly,

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

Let

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

And define

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

Then

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

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

Proof.

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

Since

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

by ??, we have

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

Thus,

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

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

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

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

Symmetricly for $i \geq N$, we get

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

Similarly, we can get

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

So, we get the result. \square

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

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

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

604 So, we can get

$$605 \quad (4.28) \quad |\epsilon_i| \leq C(\lambda + T)h^{\min\{\frac{\alpha}{2}, 2\}}$$

606 The convergency has been proved.

607 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 $x \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$

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

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

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

LEMMA A.4.

$$(A.10) \quad b^{1-\theta} |a^\theta - b^\theta| \leq |a - b| \quad (\text{also } a^{1-\theta} |a^\theta - b^\theta| \leq |a - b|), \quad a, b \geq 0, \theta \in [0, 1]$$

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 $1 \leq i \leq N$,

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

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

For $N < i \leq 2N$,

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

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 672 **LEMMA B.2.** *There is a constant $C = 2^{|r-2|r}r(r-1)T^{2/r}$ such that for all $i \in$*
 673 $\{1, 2, \dots, 2N-1\}$

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

Proof.

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

 676 For $i = 1$,

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

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

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

680 Summarizes the inequalities, we can get

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

 682 **Appendix C. Proofs of some technical details.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 $\xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$,*

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

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

Proof. From (3.32)

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

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

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,

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

754 for $l = 3, 4$

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

756 Meanwhile, we can get

$$757 \quad (C.17) \quad h_{j-i}^3(\xi) \simeq h_j^3 \leq C h^2 x_i^{2-2/r} h_j$$

$$758 \quad (C.18) \quad h_{j-i}^4(\xi) \simeq h_j^4 \leq C h^2 x_i^{2-2/r} h_j^2 \quad \square$$

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760 **LEMMA C.7.** *There exists a constant $C = C(T, r, l)$ such that For $3 \leq i \leq N -$*
 761 *$1, \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\},$*
 762 *when $\xi \in (x_{i-1}, x_{i+1})$,*

$$763 \quad (C.19) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C (r-1) h^2 x_i^{-2/r} h_j$$

Proof.

$$764 \quad (C.20) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' = 6 h_{j-i}(\xi) (h_{j-i}'(\xi))^2 + 3 h_{j-i}^2(\xi) h_{j-i}''(\xi)$$

765 By (C.15)

$$766 \quad (C.21) \quad h_{j-i}(\xi) (h_{j-i}'(\xi))^2 \leq C h_j (r-1)^2 h^2 x_i^{-2/r}$$

767 For the second partial

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

769 but

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

771 So we can get

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

773 Summarizes, we have

$$774 \quad (C.25) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C (r-1) h^2 x_i^{-2/r} h_j \quad \square$$

proof of Lemma 3.16. From (3.32)

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

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

Since

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

We have known

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

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

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

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 (≥ 0 or ≤ 0), independent with ξ .

Since $|y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi| = \text{sign}(j-i)(y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi)$ is increasing with ξ ,

$$(C.32) \quad \left(\frac{i-1}{i}\right)^r |x_j - x_i| \leq |x_{j-1} - x_{i-1}| \leq |y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi| \leq |x_{j+1} - x_{i+1}| \leq \left(\frac{i+1}{i}\right)^r |x_j - x_i|$$

we have

$$(C.33) \quad |y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi| \simeq |x_j - x_i|$$

Similarly, $|y_{j-1-i}(\xi) - \xi| \simeq |x_{j-1} - x_i|$. Thus, with (C.31), (C.33) and (3.30) we get

$$(C.34) \quad |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi| \simeq |y_j^\theta - x_i|$$

Next, since $|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi| = \text{sign}(j-i-1+\theta)(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)$, so we can derivate it.

$$(C.35) \quad |(|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'| = (\alpha-1)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}|(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' - 1|$$

797 While, similar with (C.31), we have

$$798 \quad (C.36) \quad |(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' - 1| = (1 - \theta)|y_{j-i-1}'(\xi) - 1| + \theta|y_{j-i}'(\xi) - 1|$$

799 By Lemma A.4 and (C.33), we have

$$\begin{aligned} |y_{j-i}'(\xi) - 1| &= \xi^{1/r-1}|y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r}| \\ 800 \quad (C.37) \quad &\leq \xi^{-1}|y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi| \\ &\simeq x_i^{-1}|x_j - x_i| \end{aligned}$$

801 So similar with (C.34), we can get

$$802 \quad (C.38) \quad |(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' - 1| \leq Cx_i^{-1}|y_j^\theta - x_i|$$

803 Combine with (C.34), we get

$$804 \quad (C.39) \quad |(|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'| \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}x_i^{-1}|y_j^\theta - x_i| = C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-1}$$

805 Finally, we have

$$\begin{aligned} 806 \quad (C.40) \quad &(|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' = \alpha(\alpha - 1)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha-1}((y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' - 1)^2 \\ &+ \text{sign}(j - i - 1 + \theta)(1 - \alpha)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))'' \end{aligned}$$

807 For

$$808 \quad (C.41) \quad (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))'' = (1 - \theta)y_{j-i-1}''(\xi) + \theta y_{j-i}''(\xi)$$

809 and

$$\begin{aligned} 810 \quad (C.42) \quad &y_{j-i}''(\xi) = \frac{1-r}{r}y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(x)x^{1/r-2}Z_{j-i} \\ &\simeq \frac{1-r}{r}x_j^{1-2/r}x_i^{1/r-2}Z_{j-i} \end{aligned}$$

811 while by Lemma A.4

$$812 \quad (C.43) \quad |Z_{j-i}| = |x_j^{1/r} - x_i^{1/r}| \leq |x_j - x_i|x_i^{1/r-1}$$

813 we have

$$814 \quad (C.44) \quad |y_{j-i}''(\xi)| \leq C(r-1)x_i^{-2}|x_j - x_i|$$

815 Therefore

$$816 \quad (C.45) \quad |(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))''| \leq C(r-1)x_i^{-2}|y_j^\theta - x_i|$$

817 Then, combine with (C.38),

$$818 \quad (C.46) \quad |(|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})''| \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-2} \quad \square$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \\
 820 \quad (C.47) \quad & \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)}{h_{i+1}}u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) + Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)\frac{u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \\
 & \leq Q_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi)Cx_j^{\alpha/2-3} + Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)Cu'''(\eta)\frac{h_i + h_{i+1}}{h_{i+1}}
 \end{aligned}$$

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

822 From (3.36), by Lemma C.6 and Lemma 3.17, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 823 \quad (C.48) \quad & Q_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi) \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_{j+1}^\theta - x_{i+1}|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_{i+1}^{1-2/r} h_{j+1}^2 \\
 & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{1-2/r} h_j^2
 \end{aligned}$$

824 And by definition

$$825 \quad (C.49) \quad Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) = h_j^4 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \leq Ch^2 x_i^{2-2/r} \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} h_j^2$$

826 With , we have

$$827 \quad (C.50) \quad 4^{-r}x_i \leq x_{k-1} \leq x_{j-1} < x_j \leq x_{2i-1} \leq 2^r x_i$$

828 So we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \\
 829 \quad (C.51) \quad & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{1-2/r} h_j^2 x_i^{\alpha/2-3} + Ch^2 x_i^{2-2/r} \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} h_j^2 x_{j-1}^{\alpha/2-4} \\
 & = Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j^2
 \end{aligned}$$

830 while

$$831 \quad h_j \leq h_{2i-1} \leq 2^r h_i$$

832 Subsitute into the inequality above, we get the goal

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\
 833 \quad (C.52) \quad & \leq \frac{1}{h_i} Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j 2^r h_i \\
 & = Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j
 \end{aligned}$$

834 While, the later is similar. □

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

$$838 \quad (C.53) \quad h_{j-i}^l(\xi) \leq Ch_j^l \leq Ch^2 h_j^{l-2}$$

$$839 \quad (C.54) \quad (h_{j-i-1}^l(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j^{l-2}$$

$$840 \quad (C.55) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j$$

Proof.

$$841 \quad (C.56) \quad \begin{aligned} (h_{j-i}(\xi))' &= y_{j-i}'(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}'(\xi) \\ &= \xi^{1/r-1}((2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - (2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r}) \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

842 Thus,

$$843 \quad (C.57) \quad Ch_j \leq h_{j+1} \leq h_{j-i}(\xi) \leq h_{j-i}(x_{i-1}) = h_{j-1} \leq Ch_j$$

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

$$845 \quad (C.58) \quad h_{j-i}^l(\xi) \leq Ch_j^l \leq Ch^2(2T - x_j)^{2-2/r} h_j^{l-2} \leq Ch^2 h_j^{l-2}$$

846 Since

$$847 \quad (C.59) \quad \begin{aligned} &|(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - (2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r}| \\ &= |(Z_{2N-(j-i)} - \xi^{1/r})^{r-1} - (Z_{2N-(j-1-i)} - \xi^{1/r})^{r-1}| \\ &= (r-1)Z_1(Z_{2N-(j-i-\gamma)} - \xi^{1/r})^{r-2} \quad \gamma \in [0, 1] \\ &\leq C(r-1)h(2T - x_j)^{1-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

848 we have

$$849 \quad (C.60) \quad |(h_{j-i}(\xi))'| \leq C(r-1)h(2T - x_j)^{1-2/r} x_i^{1/r-1}$$

850 And

$$851 \quad (C.61) \quad \begin{aligned} (h_{j-i}^l(\xi))' &= lh_{j-i}^{l-1}(\xi)h_{j-i}'(\xi) \\ &\leq C(r-1)h_j^{l-1} h(2T - x_j)^{1-2/r} x_i^{1/r-1} \\ &\leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j^{l-2} (2T - x_j)^{2-3/r} x_i^{1-1/r} \\ &\leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j^{l-2} \end{aligned}$$

$$(C.62) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' = 6h_{j-i}(\xi)(y_{j-i}'(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}'(\xi))^2 + 3h_{j-i}^2(\xi)(y_{j-i}''(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}''(\xi)) \quad \square$$

$$852 \quad \begin{aligned} &\leq C(r-1)h_j h^2 + Ch_j^2 \frac{1-r}{r} \xi^{1/r-2} ((2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)} - (2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-1-i)}) \\ &\leq C(r-1)h_j h^2 + C(r-1)h_j^2 (C(r-2)h(2T - x_j)^{1-3/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)} + Z_1(2T - x_{j-1})^{1-2/r}) \\ &\leq C(r-1)h_j h^2 + C(r-1)h_j^2 h = Ch^2 h_j \end{aligned}$$

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

$$856 \quad (C.63) \quad u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C$$

$$857 \quad (C.64) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C$$

$$858 \quad (C.65) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C$$

Proof.

$$859 \quad (C.66) \quad x_{j-2} \leq y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq x_{j+1} \Rightarrow 4^{-r}T \leq 2T - y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq T$$

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

$$861 \quad (C.67) \quad u^{(l)}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C(2T - y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))^{\alpha/2-l} \leq C$$

862 and

$$\begin{aligned} (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' &= \theta y_{j-1-i}'(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}'(\xi) \\ 863 \quad (C.68) \quad &= \xi^{1/r-1}(\theta(2T - y_{j-1-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} + (1-\theta)(2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r}) \\ &\leq C(2T - x_{j-2})^{1-1/r} \leq C \end{aligned}$$

864 With

$$865 \quad (C.69) \quad Z_{2N-j-i} \leq 2T^{1/r}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} (C.70) \quad &(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))'' = \theta y_{j-1-i}''(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}''(\xi) \\ 867 \quad &= \frac{1-r}{r} \xi^{1/r-2}(\theta(2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i-1)} + (1-\theta)(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)}) \\ &\leq C(r-1) \end{aligned}$$

868 Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} 869 \quad (C.71) \quad &(u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' = u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' \\ &\leq C \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} 871 \quad (C.72) \quad &(u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' = u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))'^2 + u''''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)'' \\ &\leq C + C(r-1) = C \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

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

$$874 \quad (C.73) \quad |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$875 \quad (C.74) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (C.75) \quad &(|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C(r-1)|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-1-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N)^2 \\ 876 \quad & \end{aligned}$$

Proof.

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

$$|y_{j-i}'(\xi) - 1| = \xi^{1/r-1} |(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - \xi^{1-1/r}|$$

$$\leq \xi^{1/r-1} |2T - \xi - y_{j-i}(\xi)| \xi^{-1/r}$$

$$|2T - \xi - y_{j-i}(\xi)| \leq \max \begin{cases} |2T - x_{i-1} - x_{j-1}| \\ |2T - x_{i+1} - x_{j+1}| \end{cases}$$

$$\leq |2T - x_i - x_j| + h_{i+1} + h_j$$

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

$$= \frac{1-r}{r} \xi^{1/r-2} (\theta (2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)} + (1 - \theta) (2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i-1)}) \leq 0$$

It's concave, so

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

We have

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

$$(|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' = (1 - \alpha) |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha} (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'$$

$$\leq C |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_{i+1} + h_{j-1})$$

$$(|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' = (1 - \alpha) |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha} (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' + \alpha(\alpha - 1) |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-1-\alpha} (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'$$

$$\leq C(r - 1) |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + C |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-1-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_{i+1} + h_{j-1})^2$$

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

$$Q_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq Ch^2 h_j^2 ((r - 1) |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

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

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

$$\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right)$$

$$\leq Ch^2 h_j (|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

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