

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

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1. Introduction. The introduction introduces the context and summarizes the manuscript. It is importantly to clearly state the contributions of this piece of work.

For $\Omega = (0, 2T)$, $1 < \alpha < 2$, suppose $f \in C^\beta(\Omega)$, $\beta > 4 - \alpha$, $\|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)} < \infty$

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

where

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

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

and the solution $u \in C^{\alpha/2}(\Omega)$.

2. Regularity.

Remark 2.1. 1. $C^k(U)$ is the set of all k -times continuously differentiable functions on open set U .

2. $C^\beta(U)$ is the collection of function f which for any $V \subset\subset U$ $f|_V \in C^\beta(\bar{V})$.

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

$$(2.1) \quad |f^{(l)}(x)| \leq \|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)} \begin{cases} x^{-l-\alpha/2}, & \text{if } 0 < x \leq T \\ (2T-x)^{-l-\alpha/2}, & \text{if } T \leq x < 2T \end{cases}$$

THEOREM 2.3 (Regularity up to the boundary [1]).

$$(2.2) \quad \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)} \leq C \left(\|u\|_{C^{\alpha/2}(\mathbb{R})} + \|f\|_\beta^{(\alpha/2)} \right)$$

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30 **COROLLARY 2.4.** *Let u be a solution of (1.1) on Ω . Then, for any $x \in \Omega$ and*
 31 *$l = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$*

$$32 \quad (2.3) \quad |u^{(l)}(x)| \leq \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)} \begin{cases} x^{\alpha/2-l}, & \text{if } 0 < x \leq T \\ (2T-x)^{\alpha/2-l}, & \text{if } T \leq x < 2T \end{cases}$$

33 The paper is organized as follows. Our main results are in section 4, experimental
 34 results are in section 7. Readers would better see section 6 before section 5 to avoid
 35 details.

3. Numeric Format.

$$36 \quad (3.1) \quad x_i = \begin{cases} T \left(\frac{i}{N} \right)^r, & 0 \leq i \leq N \\ 2T - T \left(\frac{2N-i}{N} \right)^r, & N \leq i \leq 2N \end{cases}$$

37 where $r \geq 1$. And let

$$38 \quad (3.2) \quad h_j = x_j - x_{j-1}, \quad 1 \leq j \leq 2N$$

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

$$41 \quad (3.3) \quad \phi_j(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{h_j}(x - x_{j-1}), & x_{j-1} \leq x \leq x_j \\ \frac{1}{h_{j+1}}(x_{j+1} - x), & x_j \leq x \leq x_{j+1} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

42 And then, we can approximate $u(x)$ with

$$43 \quad (3.4) \quad u_h(x) := \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} u(x_j) \phi_j(x)$$

44 For convience, we denote

$$45 \quad (3.5) \quad I_h^{2-\alpha}(x_i) := \frac{1}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \int_{\Omega} |x_i - y|^{1-\alpha} u_h(y) dy$$

46 And now, we can approximate the operator (1.2) at x_i with

$$47 \quad (3.6) \quad \begin{aligned} D_h^\alpha u_h(x_i) &:= D_h^2 I_h^{2-\alpha}(x_i) \\ &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} I_h^{2-\alpha}(x_{i-1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) I_h^{2-\alpha}(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} I_h^{2-\alpha}(x_{i+1}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

48 Finally, we approximate the equation (1.1) with

$$49 \quad (3.7) \quad -\kappa_\alpha D_h^\alpha u_h(x_i) = f(x_i), \quad 1 \leq i \leq 2N-1$$

50 The discrete equation (3.7) can be written in matrix form

$$51 \quad (3.8) \quad AU = F$$

where U is unknown, $F = (f(x_1), \dots, f(x_{2N-1}))$. The matrix A is constructed as follows: Since

(3.9)

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_h^{2-\alpha}(x_i) &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \int_{\Omega} |x_i - y|^{1-\alpha} u_h(y) dy \\
 &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \frac{1}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \int_{\Omega} |x_i - y|^{1-\alpha} u(x_j) \phi_j(y) dy \\
 &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} u(x_j) \frac{1}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_{j+1}} |x_i - y|^{1-\alpha} \phi_j(y) dy \\
 &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \frac{u(x_j)}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \left(\frac{|x_i - x_{j-1}|^{3-\alpha}}{h_j} - \frac{h_j + h_{j+1}}{h_j h_{j+1}} |x_i - x_j|^{3-\alpha} + \frac{|x_i - x_{j+1}|^{3-\alpha}}{h_{j+1}} \right) \\
 &=: \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \tilde{a}_{ij} u(x_j), \quad 0 \leq i \leq 2N
 \end{aligned}$$

Then, substitute in (3.6), we have

$$(3.10) \quad -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^{\alpha} u_h(x_i) = \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} a_{ij} u(x_j)$$

where

$$(3.11) \quad a_{ij} = -\kappa_{\alpha} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} \tilde{a}_{i-1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) \tilde{a}_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \tilde{a}_{i+1,j} \right)$$

4. Main results. Here we state our main results; the proof is deferred to section 5 and section 6.

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

THEOREM 4.1 (Truncation Error). *If f satisfy that $f \in C^{\beta}(\Omega)$, $\beta > 4 - \alpha$, $\|f\|_{\beta}^{(\alpha/2)} < \infty$, $\alpha \in (1, 2)$, and $u(x)$ is a solution of the equation (1.1), where $\|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)} < \infty$, then there exists constants $C_1(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)}, \|f\|_{\beta}^{(\alpha/2)})$, $C_2(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$, such that the truncation error of the discrete format satisfies*

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

THEOREM 4.2 (Convergence). *The discrete equation (3.7) has solution U , 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*

$$(4.2) \quad \max_{1 \leq i \leq 2N-1} |U_i - u(x_i)| \leq C h^{\min\{\frac{r\alpha}{2}, 2\}}$$

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

5. Proof of Theorem 4.1. For convience, let's denote

$$(5.1) \quad I^{2-\alpha}(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \int_{\Omega} |x-y|^{1-\alpha} u(y) dy$$

Then, the truncation error of the discrete format can be written as

$$(5.2) \quad \begin{aligned} -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^{\alpha} u_h(x_i) - f(x_i) &= -\kappa_{\alpha} (D_h^2 I_h^{2-\alpha}(x_i) - \frac{d^2}{dx^2} I^{2-\alpha}(x_i)) \\ &= -\kappa_{\alpha} D_h^2 (I_h^{2-\alpha} - I^{2-\alpha})(x_i) - \kappa_{\alpha} (D_h^2 - \frac{d^2}{dx^2}) I^{2-\alpha}(x_i) \end{aligned}$$

5.1. Estimate of $-\kappa_{\alpha} (D_h^2 - \frac{d^2}{dx^2}) I^{2-\alpha}(x_i)$.

THEOREM 5.1. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|f\|_{\beta}^{(\alpha/2)})$ such that*

$$(5.3) \quad \left| -\kappa_{\alpha} (D_h^2 - \frac{d^2}{dx^2}) I^{2-\alpha}(x_i) \right| \leq Ch^2 (x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} + (2T-x_i)^{-\alpha/2-2/r})$$

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

$$(5.4) \quad \frac{d^2}{dx^2} (-\kappa_{\alpha} I^{2-\alpha}(x)) = f(x), \quad x \in \Omega,$$

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

$$(5.5) \quad -\kappa_{\alpha} (D_h^2 - \frac{d^2}{dx^2}) I^{2-\alpha}(x_i) = \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{3} f'(x_i) + \frac{1}{4!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} (h_i^3 f''(\eta_1) + h_{i+1}^3 f''(\eta_2))$$

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.

$$(5.6) \quad \left| \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{3} f'(x_i) \right| \leq \frac{\|f\|_{\beta}^{(\alpha/2)}}{3} Ch^2 \begin{cases} x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N-1 \\ 0, & i = N \\ (2T-x_i)^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & N < i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases}$$

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

$$(5.7) \quad \begin{aligned} &\left| \frac{1}{4!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} (h_i^3 f''(\eta_1) + h_{i+1}^3 f''(\eta_2)) \right| \\ &\leq Ch^2 \begin{cases} x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N \\ (2T-x_i)^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & N \leq i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Summarizes, we get the result. \square

5.2. Estimate of R_i . Now, we study the first part of (5.2)

$$(5.8) \quad D_h^2 (I^{2-\alpha} - I_h^{2-\alpha})(x_i) = D_h^2 \left(\int_0^{2T} (u(y) - u_h(y)) \frac{|y-x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \right)$$

For convience, let's denote

$$(5.9) \quad T_{ij} = \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - u_h(y)) \frac{|y-x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy$$

94 And define

$$95 \quad (5.10) \quad \begin{aligned} R_i &:= D_h^2(I^{2-\alpha} - I_h^{2-\alpha})(x_i) \\ &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} \right) \end{aligned}$$

96 We have some results about the estimate of R_i

97 **THEOREM 5.2.** *For $1 \leq i < N/2$, there exists $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that*

$$98 \quad (5.11) \quad R_i \leq \begin{cases} Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 (x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i) + \ln(N)), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

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100 **THEOREM 5.3.** *For $N/2 \leq i \leq N$, there exists constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$*
 101 *such that*

$$102 \quad (5.12) \quad R_i \leq C(r-1)h^2 |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} + \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

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

104 To prove these results, we need some utils. Also for simplicity, we denote

DEFINITION 5.4.

$$105 \quad (5.13) \quad S_{ij} = \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} \right)$$

106 then

$$107 \quad (5.14) \quad R_i = \sum_{j=1}^{2N} S_{ij}$$

108 5.3. Proof of Theorem 5.2.

109 **LEMMA 5.5.** *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for $1 \leq$*
 110 *$i < N/2$,*

$$111 \quad (5.15) \quad \sum_{j=\max\{2i+1, i+3\}}^N S_{ij} \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

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

$$113 \quad (5.16) \quad \begin{aligned} S_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - u_h(y)) D_h^2 \left(\frac{|y - \cdot|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \right) (x_i) dy \\ &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} \frac{y^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)} dy \\ &= Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} y^{-\alpha/2-2/r-1} dy \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{j=\max\{2i+1, i+3\}}^N S_{ij} &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{2i}}^{x_N} y^{-\alpha/2-2/r-1} dy \\
 &= \frac{C}{\alpha/2+2/r} h^2 (x_{2i}^{-\alpha/2-2/r} - T^{-\alpha/2-2/r}) \\
 &\leq \frac{C}{\alpha/2+2/r} 2^{r(-\alpha/2-2/r)} h^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.17}$$

LEMMA 5.6. *Thert exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for $1 \leq i < N/2$,*

$$\sum_{j=N+1}^{2N} S_{ij} \leq \begin{cases} Ch^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}
 \tag{5.18}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - u_h(y)) D_h^2 \left(\frac{|y - \cdot|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \right) (x_i) dy \\
 &\leq \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} Ch^2 (2T - y)^{\alpha/2-2/r} y^{-1-\alpha} dy \\
 &\leq Ch^2 T^{-1-\alpha} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (2T - y)^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \\
 \sum_{j=N+1}^{2N-1} S_{ij} &\leq CT^{-1-\alpha} h^2 \int_{x_N}^{x_{2N-1}} (2T - y)^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \\
 &\leq CT^{-1-\alpha} h^2 \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} T^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ \ln(T) - \ln(h_{2N}), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ \frac{1}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} h_{2N}^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases} \\
 &= \begin{cases} \frac{C}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} T^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h^2, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ CrT^{-1-\alpha} h^2 \ln(N), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ \frac{C}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} T^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h^{r\alpha/2+r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.19}$$

And by Lemma A.3

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

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

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

Summarizes, we get the result. \square

For $i = 1, 2$.

130 LEMMA 5.7. *By Lemma C.5 , Lemma 5.5 and Lemma 5.6 we get*

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

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

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

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

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137 LEMMA 5.8. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for $3 \leq$*
 138 *$i \leq N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$*

$$(5.23) \quad |I_1| = \left| \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} S_{ij} \right| \leq \begin{cases} Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i), & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & \alpha/2 - 2/r + 1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - u_h(y)) D_h^2 \left(\frac{|\cdot - y|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \right) (x_i) dy \\
 &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} \frac{x_i^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)} dy \\
 &= Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.24}$$

And by Lemma A.3 , Lemma C.3

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

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_1 &= \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} S_{ij} = S_{i1} + \sum_{j=2}^{k-1} S_{ij} \\
 &\leq Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha} + Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \int_{x_1}^{x_{\lceil \frac{j}{2} \rceil - 1}} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \\
 &\leq Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha} + Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \int_{x_1}^{2^{-r} x_i} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.26}$$

But

$$\int_{x_1}^{2^{-r} x_i} y^{\alpha/2-2/r} dy \leq \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} (2^{-r} x_i)^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 > 0 \\ \ln(2^{-r} x_i) - \ln(x_1), & \alpha/2-2/r+1 = 0 \\ \frac{1}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} x_1^{\alpha/2-2/r+1}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 < 0 \end{cases}
 \tag{5.27}$$

So we have

$$I_1 \leq \begin{cases} \frac{C}{\alpha/2-2/r+1} h^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 > 0 \\ Ch^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i), & \alpha/2-2/r+1 = 0 \\ \frac{C}{|\alpha/2-2/r+1|} h^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & \alpha/2-2/r+1 < 0 \end{cases} \quad \square
 \tag{5.28}$$

DEFINITION 5.9. For convience, let's denote

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

THEOREM 5.10. There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for

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

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

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

157 LEMMA 5.11. Denote $y_j^\theta = \theta x_{j-1} + (1 - \theta)x_j, \theta \in [0, 1]$, by Lemma A.2

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{ij} &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (u(y) - u_h(y)) \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\
 &= \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^2 u''(y_j^\theta) \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \\
 &\quad + \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} h_j^3 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{j1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{j2}^\theta)) dy_j^\theta \\
 &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^3 u''(y_j^\theta) \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \\
 &\quad + \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} h_j^4 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{j1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{j2}^\theta)) d\theta
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.31}$$

159 where $\eta_{j1}^\theta \in [x_{j-1}, y_j^\theta], \eta_{j2}^\theta \in [y_j^\theta, x_j]$.

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

DEFINITION 5.12.

$$y_{j-i}(x) = (x^{1/r} + Z_{j-i})^r, \quad Z_{j-i} = T^{1/r} \frac{j-i}{N}
 \tag{5.32}$$

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$$y_{j-i}^\theta(x) = \theta y_{j-1-i}(x) + (1-\theta) y_{j-i}(x)
 \tag{5.33}$$

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$$h_{j-i}(x) = y_{j-i}(x) - y_{j-i-1}(x)
 \tag{5.34}$$

166 Now, we define

$$P_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^3 u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(x)) \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}
 \tag{5.35}$$

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$$Q_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^4 \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}
 \tag{5.36}$$

170 And now we can rewrite T_{ij}

171 LEMMA 5.13. For $2 \leq i \leq N, 2 \leq j \leq N$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{ij} &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) d\theta \\
 &\quad + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} (\theta^2 Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{j2}^\theta)) d\theta
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.37}$$

173 Immediately, we can see from (5.29) that

LEMMA 5.14. For $3 \leq i \leq N-1$, $3 \leq j \leq N-1$,

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

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

$$(5.39) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) = P_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$$

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

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

Firstly, we have

LEMMA 5.15. There exists a constant $C = C(T, r)$ such that For $3 \leq i \leq N-1$, $\lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\}$, $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$,

$$(5.40) \quad h_{j-i}^3(\xi) \leq C h^2 x_i^{2-2/r} h_j$$

$$(5.41) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))' \leq C(r-1) h^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_j$$

$$(5.42) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1) h^2 x_i^{-2/r} h_j$$

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

Second,

LEMMA 5.16. There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For $3 \leq i \leq N-1$, $\lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\}$, $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$,

$$(5.43) \quad u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C x_i^{\alpha/2-2}$$

$$(5.44) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C x_i^{\alpha/2-3}$$

$$(5.45) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C x_i^{\alpha/2-4}$$

The proof of this theorem see Proof 32

And Finally, we have

LEMMA 5.17. There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r)$ such that For $3 \leq i \leq N-1$, $1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\}$, $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$,

$$(5.46) \quad |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$(198) \quad (5.47) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-1}$$

$$(199) \quad (5.48) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-2}$$

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

(201) The proof of this theorem see Proof 33

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(203) **LEMMA 5.18.** *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For*
(204) $3 \leq i \leq N-1, \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil + 1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\},$

$$(205) \quad (5.49) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j$$

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

(207) *Proof.* Since

$$(208) \quad (5.50) \quad D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) = P_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$$

(209) From (5.35), using Leibniz formula and Lemma 5.15, Lemma 5.16 and Lemma 5.17□

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(211) **LEMMA 5.19.** *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for*
(212) $3 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil.$
(213) *For $k \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\},$*

$$(214) \quad (5.51) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j \end{aligned}$$

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

$$(216) \quad (5.52) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{j-1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) \\ & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j \end{aligned}$$

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

(218) proof see Proof 34

(219)

(220) **LEMMA 5.20.** *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for*
(221) $3 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil, k+1 \leq j \leq \min\{2i-1, N-1\},$

$$(222) \quad (5.53) \quad \begin{aligned} V_{ij} & \leq Ch^2 \int_0^1 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j d\theta \\ & = Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} \frac{|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} dy \end{aligned}$$

223 *Proof.* Since Lemma 5.14, by Lemma 5.18 and Lemma 5.19, we get the result
 224 immediately. \square

225 Now we can prove Theorem 5.10 using Lemma 5.20, $k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$

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

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LEMMA 5.21.

$$(5.55) \quad D_h P_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) := \frac{P_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) - P_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)}{h_{i+1}} = P_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_i, x_{i+1}]$$

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

$$(5.56) \quad D_h P_{k-i}^\theta(x_i) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h_j$$

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232 *Proof.* Using Leibniz formula, by Lemma 5.15, Lemma 5.16 and Lemma 5.17, we
 233 take $j = k+1$, $i = i+1$, we get

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

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236 LEMMA 5.22. There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for
 237 $3 \leq i < N$, $k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$,
 (5.58)

$$(5.58) \quad I_2 = \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} + T_{i+1,k+1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,k} \right) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

239 And for $3 \leq i < N/2$,
 (5.59)

$$(5.59) \quad I_4 = \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1,2i} + T_{i-1,2i-1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,2i} \right) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}$$

241 *Proof.* In fact,

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

243 While, by Lemma A.2

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{1}{h_{i+1}}(T_{i+1,k} - T_{i,k}) &= \int_{x_{k-1}}^{x_k} (u(y) - u_h(y)) \frac{|x_{i+1} - y|^{1-\alpha} - |x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{h_{i+1}\Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\
 &\leq \int_{x_{k-1}}^{x_k} h_k^2 u''(\eta) \frac{|\xi - y|^{-\alpha}}{\Gamma(1-\alpha)} dy \\
 &\leq Ch_k h^2 x_k^{2-2/r} x_{k-1}^{\alpha/2-2} |x_i - x_k|^{-\alpha} \\
 &\leq Ch_k h^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.61}$$

245 Thus,

$$\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} - T_{i,k}) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
 \tag{5.62}$$

247 For

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{1}{h_{i+1}}(T_{i+1,k+1} - T_{i,k}) &= \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} \frac{P_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) - P_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)}{h_{i+1}} d\theta \\
 &\quad + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{Q_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{k+1,1}^\theta) - Q_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{k,1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} d\theta \\
 &\quad - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{Q_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{k+1,2}^\theta) - Q_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{k,2}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} d\theta
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.63}$$

249 And by Lemma 5.21

$$\frac{P_{k-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) - P_{k-i}^\theta(x_i)}{h_{i+1}} \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} h_k
 \tag{5.64}$$

251 And with Lemma 5.19, we can get

$$\frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k+1} - T_{i,k}) \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
 \tag{5.65}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{h_i h_{i+1}} T_{i,k} &\leq h_i^{-3} h^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_k Ch_k^2 x_{k-1}^{\alpha/2-2} |x_k - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\
 &\leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.66}$$

255 Summarizes, we have

$$I_2 \leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}
 \tag{5.67}$$

257 The case for I_4 is similar. □

258 Now combine Lemma 5.8, Lemma 5.22, Theorem 5.10, Lemma 5.5 and Lemma 5.6
 259 to get the final result.

260 For $3 \leq i < N/2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_i &= I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 + I_5 \\
 &\leq Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} + \begin{cases} Ch^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 > 0 \\ Ch^2 (x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i) + \ln(N)), & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 = 0 \\ Ch^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 < 0 \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.68}$$

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

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

5.4. Proof of Theorem 5.3. For $N/2 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} R_i &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} (T_{i+1,k} + T_{i+1,k+1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,k} \right) \\ &\quad + \sum_{j=k+1}^{N-1} + \sum_{j=N}^{N+1} + \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j+1} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j-1} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1,2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+1} + T_{i-1,2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+1} \right) \\ &\quad + \sum_{j=2N-\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil+2}^{2N} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &= I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 + I_5 + I_6 + I_7 \end{aligned}$$

We have estimate I_1 in Lemma 5.8 and I_2 in Lemma 5.22. We can control I_3 in similar with Theorem 5.10 by Lemma 5.20 where $2i - 1 \geq N - 1$

LEMMA 5.23. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that for $N/2 \leq i < N, k = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$,*

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

Let's study I_5 before I_4 .

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

Similarly, Let's define a new series of functions

DEFINITION 5.24. For $i < N, j \geq N$,

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

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277 (5.74)
$$y_{j-i}'(x) = (2T - y_{j-i}(x))^{1-1/r} x^{1/r-1}$$

278 (5.75)
$$y_{j-i}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} (2T - y_{j-i}(x))^{1-2/r} x^{1/r-2} Z_{2N-j+i}$$

279 (5.76)

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281 (5.77)
$$y_{j-i}^\theta(x) = \theta y_{j-i-1}(x) + (1-\theta) y_{j-i}(x)$$

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283 (5.78)
$$h_{j-i}(x) = y_{j-i}(x) - y_{j-i-1}(x)$$

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285 (5.79)
$$P_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^3 u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(x)) \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

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287 (5.80)
$$Q_{j-i}^\theta(x) = (h_{j-i}(x))^4 \frac{|y_{j-i}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

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

(5.81)

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

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Similarly, we first estimate

291 (5.82)
$$D_h^2 P_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) = P_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$$

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

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 LEMMA 5.25. *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

295 (5.83)

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

And

LEMMA 5.26. *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 $N+1 \leq j \leq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil$*

$$(5.84) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ \leq Ch^2 h_j (|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

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

$$(5.85) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{j-1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ \leq Ch^2 h_j (|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

The proof see Proof 38.

Combine (5.81), Lemma 5.25 and Lemma 5.26, we have

THEOREM 5.27. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For $N/2 \leq i < N$, $N+2 \leq j \leq 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1$*

$$(5.86) \quad V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} (|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\ + |y - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N) + |y - x_i|^{-1-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N)^2 \\ + (r-1)|y - x_i|^{-\alpha}) dy$$

We can estimate I_5 Now.

THEOREM 5.28. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For $N/2 \leq i < N$, we have*

$$(5.87) \quad I_5 = \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} V_{ij} \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2 |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}$$

Proof.

$$(5.88) \quad I_5 = \sum_{j=N+2}^{2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil} V_{ij} \\ \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{N+1}}^{x_{2N-i}} + \int_{x_{2N-i}}^{x_{2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}} (|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\ + |y - x_i|^{-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N) + |y - x_i|^{-1-\alpha} (|2T - x_i - y| + h_N)^2 \\ + (r-1)|y - x_i|^{-\alpha}) dy \\ = J_1 + J_2$$

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

$$(5.89) \quad T - x_{i-1} \leq x_{N+1} - x_i \leq y - x_i \leq x_{2N-i} - x_i \leq 2(T - x_{i-1})$$

314 and

$$315 \quad (5.90) \quad 2T - x_i - y + h_N \leq 2T - x_i - x_{N+1} + h_N = T - x_i \leq T - x_{i-1}$$

316 So

$$\begin{aligned} 317 \quad (5.91) \quad J_1 &\leq Ch^2(x_{2N-i} - x_{N+1})(|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|T - x_{i-1}|^{-\alpha}) \\ &\leq Ch^2(|T - x_{i-1}|^{2-\alpha} + (r-1)|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}) \\ &\leq Ch^2T^{2-\alpha} + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$319 \quad (5.92) \quad x_i + y - 2T + h_N \leq y - x_i$$

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$$\begin{aligned} 321 \quad (5.93) \quad J_2 &\leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{2N-i}}^{(2-2^{-r})T} |y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|y - x_i|^{-\alpha} \\ &\leq Ch^2(T^{2-\alpha} + (r-1)|x_{2N-i} - x_i|^{1-\alpha}) \\ &= Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

322 Summarizes two cases, we get the result. \square

For I_4 , we have

THEOREM 5.29. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that, for $N/2 \leq i \leq N-1$*

$$(5.94) \quad \begin{aligned} V_{iN} &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} T_{i+1, N+1} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, N} + \frac{1}{h_i} T_{i-1, N-1} \right) \\ &\leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2 |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$(5.95) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N-1}(x) = (x^{1/r} + Z_{N-1-i})^r, \quad Z_{N-1-i} = T^{1/r} \frac{N-1-i}{N}$$

$$(5.96) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N}(x) = \frac{x^{1/r} - Z_i}{Z_1} h_N + T, \quad Z_i = T^{1/r} \frac{i}{N}, x_N = T$$

and

$$(5.97) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N+1}(x) = 2T - (Z_{N-1+i} - x^{1/r})^r, \quad Z_{N-1+i} = T^{1/r} \frac{N-1+i}{N}$$

Thus,

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

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

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

Then, define

$$(5.98) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x) = \theta y_{i \rightarrow N-1}(x) + (1-\theta) y_{i \rightarrow N}(x)$$

$$(5.99) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N+1}^\theta(x) = \theta y_{i \rightarrow N}(x) + (1-\theta) y_{i \rightarrow N+1}(x)$$

$$(5.100) \quad h_{i \rightarrow N}(x) = y_{i \rightarrow N}(x) - y_{i \rightarrow N-1}(x)$$

$$(5.101) \quad h_{i \rightarrow N+1}(x) = y_{i \rightarrow N+1}(x) - y_{i \rightarrow N}(x)$$

We have

$$(5.102) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N-1}'(x) = y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-1/r}(x) x^{1/r-1}$$

$$(5.103) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N-1}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-2/r}(x) x^{1/r-2} Z_{N-1-i}$$

$$(5.104) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N}'(x) = \frac{1}{r} \frac{h_N}{Z_1} x^{1/r-1}$$

$$(5.105) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r^2} \frac{h_N}{Z_1} x^{1/r-2}$$

$$(5.106) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N+1}'(x) = (2T - y_{i \rightarrow N+1}(x))^{1-1/r} x^{1/r-1}$$

$$(5.107) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N+1}''(x) = \frac{1-r}{r} (2T - y_{i \rightarrow N+1}(x))^{1-2/r} x^{1/r-2} Z_{N-1+i}$$

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$$352 \quad (5.108) \quad P_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x) = (h_{i \rightarrow N}(x))^3 \frac{|y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} u''(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x))$$

$$353 \quad (5.109) \quad P_{i \rightarrow N+1}^\theta(x) = (h_{i \rightarrow N+1}(x))^3 \frac{|y_{i \rightarrow N+1}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} u''(y_{i \rightarrow N+1}^\theta(x))$$

$$354 \quad (5.110) \quad Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x) = (h_{i \rightarrow N}(x))^4 \frac{|y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

$$355 \quad (5.111) \quad Q_{i \rightarrow N+1}^\theta(x) = (h_{i \rightarrow N+1}(x))^4 \frac{|y_{i \rightarrow N+1}^\theta(x) - x|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}$$

 356 Similar with Lemma 5.13, we can get for $l = -1, 0, 1$,

$$357 \quad (5.112) \quad T_{i+l, N+l} = \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} P_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i+l}) d\theta \\ + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i+l}) (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{N+l,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{N+l,2}^\theta)) d\theta$$

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$$(5.113) \quad T_{i+l, N+1+l} = \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} P_{i \rightarrow N+1}^\theta(x_{i+l}) d\theta \\ 359 \quad + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} Q_{i \rightarrow N+1}^\theta(x_{i+l}) (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_{N+1+l,1}^\theta) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_{N+1+l,2}^\theta)) d\theta$$

360 So we have

$$(5.114) \quad V_{i,N} = \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} D_h^2 P_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i) d\theta \\ + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{N+1,1}^\theta) - Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ 361 \quad - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta) - Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{N-1,1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \\ - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i+1}) u'''(\eta_{N+1,2}^\theta) - Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i) u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta) - Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i-1}) u'''(\eta_{N-1,2}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta$$

 362 $N+1$ is similar.

 363 We estimate $D_h^2 P_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i) = P_{i \rightarrow N}^{\theta''}(\xi)$, $\xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}]$,

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LEMMA 5.30.

$$365 \quad (5.115) \quad h_{i \rightarrow N}^3(\xi) \leq Ch_N^3 \leq Ch^3$$

$$366 \quad (5.116) \quad h_{i \rightarrow N+1}^3(\xi) \leq Ch_N^3 \leq Ch^3$$

$$(h_{i \rightarrow N}^3(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h_N^2 h \leq C(r-1)h^3 \quad (5.117)$$

$$(h_{i \rightarrow N+1}^3(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h_N^2 h \leq C(r-1)h^3 \quad (5.118)$$

$$(h_{i \rightarrow N}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2 \quad (5.119)$$

$$(h_{i \rightarrow N+1}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2 \quad (5.120)$$

Proof.

$$h_{i \rightarrow N}(\xi) \leq 2h_N, \quad h_{i \rightarrow N+1}(\xi) \leq 2h_N \quad (5.121)$$

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$$\begin{aligned} (h_{i \rightarrow N}^l(\xi))' &= lh_{i \rightarrow N}^{l-1}(\xi)(y_{i \rightarrow N}'(\xi) - y_{i \rightarrow N-1}'(\xi)) \\ &= lh_{i \rightarrow N}^{l-1}(\xi)x_i^{1/r-1}(\frac{1}{r}\frac{h_N}{Z_1} - y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) \end{aligned} \quad (5.122)$$

374 while

(5.123)

$$\begin{aligned} |\frac{1}{r}\frac{h_N}{Z_1} - y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi)| &= |\frac{1}{r}\frac{x_N - (x_N^{1/r} - Z_1)^r}{Z_1} - \eta^{1-1/r}| \quad \eta \in [x_{N-2}, x_N] \\ &= T^{1-1/r}|(\frac{N-t}{N})^{r-1} - (\frac{N-s}{N})^{r-1}| \quad t \in [0, 1], s \in [0, 2] \\ &\leq T^{1-1/r}|1 - (\frac{N-2}{N})^{r-1}| \leq CT^{1-1/r}(r-1)\frac{2}{N} \end{aligned} \quad (5.123)$$

376 Thus,

$$(h_{i \rightarrow N}^l(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h_N^{l-1}x_i^{1/r-1}h \quad (5.124)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (h_{i \rightarrow N+1}^l(\xi))' &= lh_{i \rightarrow N+1}^{l-1}(\xi)(y_{i \rightarrow N+1}'(\xi) - y_{i \rightarrow N}'(\xi)) \\ &= lh_{i \rightarrow N+1}^{l-1}(\xi)x_i^{1/r-1}((2T - y_{i \rightarrow N+1}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - \frac{1}{r}\frac{h_N}{Z_1}) \end{aligned} \quad (5.125)$$

379 Similarly,

(5.126)

$$\begin{aligned} |(2T - y_{i \rightarrow N+1})^{1-1/r} - \frac{1}{r}\frac{h_N}{Z_1}| &= |\eta^{1-1/r} - \frac{1}{r}\frac{x_N - (x_N^{1/r} - Z_1)^r}{Z_1}| \quad \eta \in [x_{N-2}, x_N] \\ &= T^{1-1/r}|(\frac{N-s}{N})^{r-1} - (\frac{N-t}{N})^{r-1}| \quad t \in [0, 1], s \in [0, 2] \\ &\leq T^{1-1/r}|(\frac{N-2}{N})^{r-1} - 1| \leq CT^{1-1/r}(r-1)\frac{2}{N} \end{aligned} \quad (5.126)$$

381 And

(5.127)

$$\begin{aligned} (h_{i \rightarrow N}^3(\xi))'' &= 3h_{i \rightarrow N}^2(\xi)h_{i \rightarrow N}''(\xi) + 6h_{i \rightarrow N}(\xi)(h_{i \rightarrow N}'(\xi))^2 \\ &\leq Ch_N^2\frac{1-r}{r}x_i^{1/r-2}(\frac{1}{r}\frac{h_N}{Z_1} - y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{N-1-i}) + Ch_N(r-1)^2h^2x_i^{2/r-2} \end{aligned} \quad (5.127)$$

$$|\frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{N-1-i}| \leq T^{1-1/r} + Cx_N^{1-2/r}x_N^{1/r} = CT^{1-1/r} \quad (5.128)$$

384 So

$$385 \quad (5.128) \quad \begin{aligned} (h_{i \rightarrow N}^3(\xi))'' &\leq C h_N^2 \frac{1-r}{r} x_i^{1/r-2} + C(r-1)^2 h_N x_i^{2/r-2} h^2 \\ &\leq C(r-1) h_N^2 \end{aligned}$$

386 $h_{i \rightarrow N+1}^3(\xi)$ is similar. □

LEMMA 5.31.

$$387 \quad (5.129) \quad u''(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C x_{N-2}^{-\alpha/2-2} \leq C$$

$$388 \quad (5.130) \quad (u''(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C$$

$$389 \quad (5.131) \quad (u''(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C$$

Proof.

$$390 \quad (5.132) \quad \begin{aligned} (u''(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi)))' &= u'''(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi)) y_{i \rightarrow N}^{\theta'}(\xi) \\ &\leq C(\theta y_{i \rightarrow N-1}'(\xi) + (1-\theta) y_{i \rightarrow N}'(\xi)) \\ &\leq C x_i^{1/r-1} (\theta y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta) \frac{h_N}{r Z_1}) \\ &\leq C x_i^{1/r-1} x_N^{1-1/r} \end{aligned}$$

391 And

(5.133)

$$392 \quad \begin{aligned} (u''(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi)))'' &= u''''(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi)) (y_{i \rightarrow N}^{\theta'}(\xi))^2 + u'''(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi)) y_{i \rightarrow N}^{\theta''}(\xi) \\ &\leq C x_i^{2/r-2} x_N^{2-2/r} + C \frac{r-1}{r} x_i^{1/r-2} (\theta x_N^{1-2/r} Z_{N-1-i} + (1-\theta) \frac{h_N}{r Z_1}) \\ &\leq C x_i^{2/r-2} + C(r-1) x_i^{1/r-2} T^{1-1/r} \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 5.32.

$$393 \quad (5.134) \quad |y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C |y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$394 \quad (5.135) \quad (|y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C |y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$395 \quad (5.136) \quad (|y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C(r-1) |y_N^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + |y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

Proof.

(5.137)

$$396 \quad \begin{aligned} (y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' &= (\theta(y_{i \rightarrow N-1}(\xi) - \xi) + (1-\theta)(y_{i \rightarrow N}(\xi) - \xi))' \\ &= \theta(y_{i \rightarrow N-1}'(\xi) - 1) + (1-\theta)(y_{i \rightarrow N}'(\xi) - 1) \\ &= \theta \xi^{1/r-1} (y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r}) + (1-\theta) \xi^{1/r-1} (\frac{h_N}{r Z_1} - \xi^{1-1/r}) \end{aligned}$$

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$$398 \quad (5.138) \quad \begin{aligned} (y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' &= \theta(y_{i \rightarrow N-1}''(\xi)) + (1-\theta)(y_{i \rightarrow N}''(\xi)) \\ &= \frac{1-r}{r} \xi^{1/r-2} (\theta y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi) Z_{N-1-i} + (1-\theta) \frac{h_N}{r Z_1}) \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

399 And

$$400 \quad (5.139) \quad |(y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)''| \leq C(r-1) \xi^{1/r-2} T^{1-1/r}$$

We have known

$$(5.140) \quad C|x_{N-1} - x_i| \leq |y_{i \rightarrow N-1}(\xi) - \xi| \leq C|x_{N-1} - x_i|$$

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

$$(5.141) \quad C|x_N - x_i| \leq |x_{N-1} - x_{i-1}| \leq |y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi| \leq |x_{N+1} - x_{i+1}| \leq C|x_N - x_i|$$

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

$$(5.142) \quad h_N = |x_N - x_{N-1}| \leq |y_{i \rightarrow N}(\xi) - \xi| \leq |x_{N+1} - x_{N-1}| = 2h_N$$

So we have

$$(5.143) \quad |y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

While

$$(5.144) \quad y_{i \rightarrow N-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r} \leq (y_{i \rightarrow N-1}(\xi) - \xi)\xi^{-1/r}$$

and

$$(5.145) \quad \begin{aligned} \left| \frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - \xi^{1-1/r} \right| &\leq \max\left\{ \left| \frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - x_{i-1}^{1-1/r} \right|, \left| \frac{h_N}{rZ_1} - x_{i+1}^{1-1/r} \right| \right\} \\ &\leq \max \begin{cases} T^{1-1/r} - x_{i-1}^{1-1/r} \leq |x_N - x_{i-1}|T^{-1/r} \leq C|x_N - x_i| \\ |x_{i+1}^{1-1/r} - x_{N-1}^{1-1/r}| \leq |x_{i+1} - x_{N-1}|x_{N-1}^{-1/r} \leq C|x_N - x_i| \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

So we have

$$(5.146) \quad (y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' \leq C|y_N^\theta - x_i|$$

$$(5.147) \quad \begin{aligned} (|y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' &= |y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha} (y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' \\ &\leq |y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

Finally,

$$(5.148) \quad \begin{aligned} (|y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' &= (1-\alpha)|y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha} (y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' \\ &\quad + \alpha(\alpha-1)|y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-1-\alpha} ((y_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)')^2 \quad \square \\ &\leq C(r-1)|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + C|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

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

LEMMA 5.33.

$$(5.149) \quad \begin{aligned} D_h^2 P_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i) &= P_{i \rightarrow N}^{\theta''}(\xi) \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}] \\ &\leq Ch^3|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)(h^3|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + h^2|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

And

LEMMA 5.34.

$$\begin{aligned} (5.150) \quad & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{N+1}^\theta) - Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_N^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ & \leq Ch^3|y_N^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} (5.151) \quad & V_{iN} \leq C \int_{x_{N-1}}^{x_N} h^2|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)h^2|y - x_i|^{-\alpha} + h|y - x_i|^{1-\alpha} dy \\ & \leq Ch^2h_N|T - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)h^2|x_{N-1} - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + Chh_N|T - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\ & \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} (5.152) \quad & V_{N-1,N} = \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta^{2-\alpha}(1-\theta)}{2} \frac{2}{h_{N-1} + h_N} \left(\frac{1}{h_{N-1}} h_{N-1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N-1}^\theta) - \left(\frac{1}{h_{N-1}} + \frac{1}{h_N} \right) h_N^{4-\alpha} u''(y_N^\theta) + \frac{1}{h_N} h_{N+1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N+1}^\theta) \right) d\theta \\ & + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{N+1,1}^\theta) - Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ & - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta^3(1-\theta)}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{N,1}^\theta) - Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{N-1,1}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \\ & - \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{N+1,2}^\theta) - Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) d\theta \\ & + \int_0^1 \frac{\theta(1-\theta)^3}{3!} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_{N,2}^\theta) - Q_{i \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_{i-1})u'''(\eta_{N-1,2}^\theta)}{h_i} \right) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

while combine Lemma 5.30

$$\begin{aligned} (5.153) \quad & \frac{2}{h_{N-1} + h_N} \left(\frac{1}{h_{N-1}} h_{N-1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N-1}^\theta) - \left(\frac{1}{h_{N-1}} + \frac{1}{h_N} \right) h_N^{4-\alpha} u''(y_N^\theta) + \frac{1}{h_N} h_{N+1}^{4-\alpha} u''(y_{N+1}^\theta) \right) \\ & = D_h^2(h_{N-1 \rightarrow N}^{4-\alpha}(x_i)u''(y_{N-1 \rightarrow N}^\theta(x_i))) \\ & \leq Ch_N^{4-\alpha} + C(r-1)h_N^{3-\alpha} \leq Ch^{4-\alpha} + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{N-1-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

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431 Similarly with $j = N+1$. □

I_6, I_7 is easy. Similar with Lemma 5.22 and Lemma 5.6, we have

THEOREM 5.35. *There is a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For $N/2 \leq i \leq N$,*

$$(5.154) \quad \begin{aligned} I_6 &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1} + T_{i-1, 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, 2N - \lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1} \right) \\ &\leq Ch^2 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$(5.155) \quad \begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} + T_{i-1, l-1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, l} \\ &= \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} - T_{i, l}) + \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l-1} - T_{i, l}) + \left(\frac{1}{h_i} - \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) T_{i, l} \end{aligned}$$

While, by Lemma A.2

$$(5.156) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} - T_{i, l}) &= \int_{x_{l-1}}^{x_l} (u(y) - u_h(y)) \frac{|x_{i-1} - y|^{1-\alpha} - |x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{h_i \Gamma(2-\alpha)} dy \\ &\leq C \int_{x_{l-1}}^{x_l} h_l^2 u''(\eta) \frac{|\xi - y|^{-\alpha}}{\Gamma(1-\alpha)} dy \\ &\leq Ch_l^3 x_{l-1}^{\alpha/2-2} T^{-\alpha} \\ &\leq Ch_l^3 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$(5.157) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l} - T_{i, l}) \leq Ch_l^2$$

For

$$(5.158) \quad \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l-1} - T_{i, l}) = \int_0^1 -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} \frac{h_{l-1}^3 |y_{l-1}^\theta - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_{l-1}^\theta) - h_l^3 |y_l^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_l^\theta)}{h_i} d\theta$$

And Similar with Lemma 5.19, we can get

$$(5.159) \quad \frac{h_{l-1}^3 |y_{l-1}^\theta - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_{l-1}^\theta) - h_l^3 |y_l^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} u''(\eta_l^\theta)}{(h_i + h_{i+1}) h_i} \leq Ch_l^2 |y_l^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

So

$$(5.160) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{1}{h_i} (T_{i-1, l-1} - T_{i, l}) \leq Ch^2$$

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

$$(5.161) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \frac{h_{i+1} - h_i}{h_i h_{i+1}} T_{i, l} &\leq h_i^{-3} h^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_l C h_l^2 x_{l-1}^{\alpha/2-2} |x_l - x_i|^{1-\alpha} \\ &\leq Ch^2 \end{aligned}$$

Summarizes, we have

$$(5.162) \quad I_6 \leq Ch^2$$

□

And

LEMMA 5.36. *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

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

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

Now we can conclude a part of the theorem Theorem 5.3 at the beginning of this section.

By Lemma 5.8 Lemma 5.22 Lemma 5.23 Theorem 5.29 Theorem 5.28 Theorem 5.35 Lemma 5.36, we have

THEOREM 5.37. *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 5.8 and Theorem 5.35, we just need to consider I_3, I_4 .

THEOREM 5.38. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that*

$$(5.166) \quad I_3 = \sum_{j=\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil + 1}^{N-1} V_{Nj} \leq Ch^2 + C(r-1)h^2|T - x_{N-1}|^{1-\alpha}$$

Proof. **DEFINITION 5.39.** *For $N/2 \leq j < N$, Let's define*

$$(5.167) \quad y_j(x) = \left(\frac{Z_1}{h_N}(x - x_N) + Z_j \right)^r$$

We can see that is the inverse of the function $y_{i \rightarrow N}(x)$ defined in Theorem 5.29.

$$(5.168) \quad y'_j(x) = y_j^{1-1/r}(x) \frac{rZ_1}{h_N}$$

$$(5.169) \quad y''_j(x) = y_j^{1-2/r}(x) \frac{r(r-1)Z_1}{h_N}$$

With the scheme we used several times, we can get

LEMMA 5.40. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For $N/2 \leq j < N$, $\xi \in [x_{N-1}, x_{N+1}]$,*

$$(5.170) \quad h_j(\xi)^3 \leq Ch^3$$

$$(5.171) \quad (h_j^3(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h^3$$

$$(5.172) \quad (h_j^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^3$$

$$(5.173) \quad u''(y_j^\theta(\xi)) \leq C$$

$$(5.174) \quad (u''(y_j^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C$$

$$(5.175) \quad (u''(y_j^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C$$

$$(5.176) \quad |\xi - y_j^\theta(\xi)|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$(5.177) \quad (|\xi - y_j^\theta(\xi)|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$(5.178) \quad (|\xi - y_j^\theta(\xi)|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{1-\alpha} + C(r-1)|x_N - y_j^\theta|^{-\alpha}$$

LEMMA 5.41. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For $N/2 \leq j < N$,*

$$(5.179) \quad V_{Nj} \leq Ch^2 \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_j} |x_N - y|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|x_N - y|^{-\alpha} dy$$

Therefore,

$$(5.180) \quad \begin{aligned} I_3 &\leq Ch^2 \int_{\lceil \frac{N}{2} \rceil}^{N-1} |x_N - y|^{1-\alpha} + (r-1)|x_N - y|^{-\alpha} dy \\ &\leq Ch^2(|T - x_{N-1}|^{2-\alpha} + (r-1)|T - x_{N-1}|^{1-\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

□

For $j = N$,

LEMMA 5.42.

(5.181)

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

Proof.

(5.182)

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

So combine Lemma 5.8, Theorem 5.35, Theorem 5.38, Lemma 5.42 We have

LEMMA 5.43.

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

and with Theorem 5.37 we prove the Theorem 5.3

5.5. Truncation error. combine Theorem 5.1, Theorem 5.2 and Theorem 5.3

we get For $1 \leq i \leq N$

(5.184)

$$R_i \leq C_2(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} + \begin{cases} C_1 h^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 > 0 \\ C_1 h^2 (x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i) + \ln(N)), & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 = 0 \\ C_1 h^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha/2}, & r\alpha/2 + r - 2 < 0 \end{cases}$$

But,

$$h^2 x_i^{-\alpha/2-2/r} \leq T^{\alpha/2-2/r} \begin{cases} h^2 x_i^{-\alpha}, & \text{if } r\alpha/2 - 2 \geq 0 \\ h^{r\alpha/2} x_i^{-\alpha}, & \text{if } r\alpha/2 - 2 \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$h^{r\alpha/2+r} x_i^{-1-\alpha} \leq T^{-1} h^{r\alpha/2} x_i^{-\alpha}, \quad \text{if } r\alpha/2 - 2 \leq 0$$

(5.187)

And when $r\alpha/2 - 2 = -r < 0$,

$$\begin{aligned} h^2 x_i^{-1-\alpha} \ln(i) h^{-r\alpha/2} x_i^\alpha &= h^r x_i^{-1} \ln(i) \\ &= T^{-1} \frac{\ln(i)}{i^r} \leq C(T, r) \end{aligned}$$

(5.188)

513 and

$$514 \quad (5.189) \quad h^2 \ln(N) h^{-r\alpha/2} x_i^\alpha = h^r \ln(N) x_i^\alpha \leq T^\alpha \frac{\ln(N)}{N^r} \leq C(T, \alpha, r)$$

515 So for $1 \leq i \leq N$,

$$516 \quad (5.190) \quad R_i \leq C_2(r-1)h^2|T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} + C_1h^{\min\{\frac{r\alpha}{2}, 2\}}x_i^{-\alpha}$$

517 And for $i \geq N$, it is symmetric for i and $2N - i$.

518 The proof of Theorem 4.1 completed.

6. Proof of Theorem 4.2. Review section 3, we have (3.9) and (3.11),

$$(6.1) \quad \tilde{a}_{ij} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \left(\frac{|x_i - x_{j-1}|^{3-\alpha}}{h_j} - \frac{h_j + h_{j+1}}{h_j h_{j+1}} |x_i - x_j|^{3-\alpha} + \frac{|x_i - x_{j+1}|^{3-\alpha}}{h_{j+1}} \right)$$

$$(6.2) \quad a_{ij} = -\kappa_\alpha \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_i} \tilde{a}_{i-1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) \tilde{a}_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \tilde{a}_{i+1,j} \right)$$

Thus

LEMMA 6.1.

$$(6.3) \quad \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \tilde{a}_{ij} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \left(\frac{|x_i - x_0|^{3-\alpha} - |x_i - x_1|^{3-\alpha}}{h_1} + \frac{|x_{2N} - x_i|^{3-\alpha} - |x_{2N-1} - x_i|^{3-\alpha}}{h_{2N}} \right)$$

DEFINITION 6.2. We call one matrix a 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 6.3. The matrix A defined by (3.11) is a M matrix. and

$$(6.4) \quad \begin{aligned} S_i &:= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} a_{ij} \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \tilde{a}_{i+1,j} - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) \tilde{a}_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_i} \tilde{a}_{i-1,j} \right) \\ &\geq C(x_i^{-\alpha} + (2T - x_i)^{-\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Let

$$(6.5) \quad g(x) = g_0(x) + g_{2N}(x)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} g_0(x) &:= \frac{-\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{|x_i - x_0|^{3-\alpha} - |x_i - x_1|^{3-\alpha}}{h_1} \\ g_{2N}(x) &:= \frac{-\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{|x_{2N} - x_i|^{3-\alpha} - |x_{2N-1} - x_i|^{3-\alpha}}{h_{2N}} \end{aligned}$$

Then, for $2 \leq i \leq 2N - 2$,

$$(6.6) \quad \begin{aligned} S_i &:= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} a_{ij} \\ &= \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} g(x_{i+1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) g(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} g(x_{i-1}) \right) \\ &= g_0''(\xi) + g_{2N}''(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}] \end{aligned}$$

While for $i \geq 2$

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

when $i = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{2}{h_1 + h_2} \left(\frac{1}{h_2} g_0(x_2) - \left(\frac{1}{h_1} + \frac{1}{h_2} \right) g_0(x_1) + \frac{1}{h_1} g_0(x_0) \right) \\ &= \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{h_1^{3-\alpha} + h_2^{3-\alpha} + 2h_1^{2-\alpha}h_2 - (h_1 + h_2)^{3-\alpha}}{(h_1 + h_2)h_1h_2} \\ &= \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{h_1^{3-\alpha} + h_2^{3-\alpha} + 2h_1^{2-\alpha}h_2 - (h_1 + h_2)^{3-\alpha}}{(h_1 + h_2)h_1^{1-\alpha}h_2} h_1^{-\alpha} \\ &= \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{1 + (2^r - 1)^{3-\alpha} + 2(2^r - 1) - (2^r)^{3-\alpha}}{2^r(2^r - 1)} h_1^{-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

but

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

So

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

symmetricly,

(6.11)

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

Let

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

And define

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

Then

LEMMA 6.4. *The matrix $B := AG$, the major diagonal is positive, and nonpositive on others. And there is a constant $C = C(\alpha, r)$ such that*

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

Proof. Since

$$(6.15) \quad g(x) \equiv g_h(x)$$

by (3.9), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{M}_i &:= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \tilde{b}_{ij} = \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} \tilde{a}_{ij} g(x_j) \\ (6.16) \quad &= \int_0^{2T} \frac{|x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} g_h(y) dy = \int_0^{2T} \frac{|x_i - y|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} g(y) dy \\ &= \frac{-2}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} |T - x_i|^{3-\alpha} + \frac{1}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} (x_i^{3-\alpha} + (2T - x_i)^{3-\alpha}) \\ &:= w(x_i) = p(x_i) + q(x_i) \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} (6.17) \quad M_i &:= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} a_{ij} g(x_j) \\ &= -\kappa_\alpha \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} w(x_{i+1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) w(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} w(x_{i-1}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} (6.18) \quad P_i &:= -\kappa_\alpha \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} p(x_{i+1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) p(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} p(x_{i-1}) \right) \\ &= \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} |T - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \quad \xi \in [x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}] \\ &\geq \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} (6.19) \quad P_{N-1} &:= \frac{-2\kappa_\alpha}{h_{N-1} + h_N} \left(\frac{1}{h_N} p(x_N) - \left(\frac{1}{h_{N-1}} + \frac{1}{h_N} \right) p(x_{N-1}) + \frac{1}{h_{N-1}} p(x_{N-2}) \right) \\ &= \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} \frac{2}{h_{N-1} + h_N} \left(-\left(\frac{1}{h_{N-1}} + \frac{1}{h_N} \right) h_N^{3-\alpha} + \frac{1}{h_{N-1}} (h_{N-1} + h_N)^{3-\alpha} \right) \\ (6.20) \quad &= \frac{4\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha) h_{N-1}} (-h_N^{2-\alpha} + (h_{N-1} + h_N)^{2-\alpha}) \\ &= \frac{4\kappa_\alpha}{(3-\alpha)\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \xi^{1-\alpha} \quad \xi \in [h_N, h_{N-1} + h_N] \\ &\geq \frac{4\kappa_\alpha}{(3-\alpha)\Gamma(2-\alpha)} (h_{N-1} + h_N)^{1-\alpha} = \frac{4\kappa_\alpha}{(3-\alpha)\Gamma(2-\alpha)} (T - x_{N-2})^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (6.20) \quad P_N &:= -\kappa_\alpha \frac{2}{h_N + h_{N+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{N+1}} p(x_{N+1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_N} + \frac{1}{h_{N+1}} \right) p(x_N) + \frac{1}{h_N} p(x_{N-1}) \right) \\ (6.21) \quad &= \frac{4\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha) h_N^2} h_N^{3-\alpha} \\ &= \frac{4\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(4-\alpha)} (T - x_{N-1})^{1-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

Symmetricly for $i \geq N$, we get

$$(6.21) \quad P_i \geq \frac{2\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \begin{cases} |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}, & i \leq N \\ |x_{i+1} - T|^{1-\alpha}, & i \geq N \end{cases}$$

Similarly, we can get

$$(6.22) \quad \begin{aligned} Q_i &:= -\kappa_\alpha \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{1}{h_{i+1}} q(x_{i+1}) - \left(\frac{1}{h_i} + \frac{1}{h_{i+1}} \right) q(x_i) + \frac{1}{h_i} q(x_{i-1}) \right) \\ &\geq \frac{-2^{r(\alpha-1)+1}\kappa_\alpha}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} (x_{i-1}^{1-\alpha} + (1 - x_{i+1})^{1-\alpha}) \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

Notice that

$$(6.23) \quad x_i^{-\alpha} \geq (2T)^{-1} x_i^{1-\alpha}$$

We can get

THEOREM 6.5. *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*

$$(6.24) \quad M_i := \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{ij} \geq C(x_i^{-\alpha} + (1 - x_i)^{-\alpha}) + C \begin{cases} |\frac{1}{2} - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}, & i \leq N \\ |x_{i+1} - \frac{1}{2}|^{1-\alpha}, & i \geq N \end{cases}$$

Proof. By 6.3 with C_1 and 6.4 with C_2 , it's sufficient to take $\lambda = 4TC_2/C_1$, then

$$(6.25) \quad M_i \geq C_2 \left((x_i^{-\alpha} + (1 - x_i)^{-\alpha}) + \begin{cases} |T - x_{i-1}|^{1-\alpha}, & i \leq N \\ |x_{i+1} - T|^{1-\alpha}, & i \geq N \end{cases} \right) \quad \square$$

Now, we can prove the convergency Theorem 4.2.

For equation

$$(6.26) \quad AU = F \Leftrightarrow A(\lambda I + G)(\lambda I + G)^{-1}U = F \quad \text{i.e.} \quad B(\lambda I + G)^{-1}U = F$$

which means

$$(6.27) \quad \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{ij} \frac{\epsilon_j}{\lambda + g(x_j)} = \tau_i$$

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

And if

$$(6.28) \quad \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| = \max_{1 \leq i \leq 2N-1} \left| \frac{\epsilon_i}{\lambda + g(x_i)} \right|$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\tau_{i_0}| &= \left| \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{i_0,j} \frac{\epsilon_j}{\lambda + g(x_i)} \right| \\
 &\geq b_{i_0,i_0} \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| - \sum_{j \neq i_0} |b_{i_0,j}| \left| \frac{\epsilon_j}{\lambda + g(x_j)} \right| \\
 589 \quad (6.29) \quad &\geq b_{i_0,i_0} \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| - \sum_{j \neq i_0} |b_{i_0,j}| \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| \\
 &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N-1} b_{i_0,j} \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| \\
 &= M_{i_0} \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right|
 \end{aligned}$$

590 By Theorem 4.1 and Theorem 6.5,

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

$$593 \quad (6.30) \quad \left| \frac{\epsilon_i}{\lambda + g(x_i)} \right| \leq \left| \frac{\epsilon_{i_0}}{\lambda + g(x_{i_0})} \right| \leq C_1 h^{\min\{\frac{r\alpha}{2}, 2\}} + C_2(r-1)h^2$$

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

595 So, we can get

$$596 \quad (6.31) \quad |\epsilon_i| \leq C(\lambda + T)h^{\min\{\frac{r\alpha}{2}, 2\}}$$

597 The convergency has been proved.

7. Experimental results.

8. Remarks. some remarks.

In Theorem 2.3 If $f \in L^\infty(\Omega)$ then $u \in C_{\alpha/2}(\Omega)$, which is Proposition 1.1 in [1].

When $\|f\|_\beta^{(\gamma)} < \infty$, where $\beta > 2 - \alpha$ and $\gamma \in [-\alpha, -\alpha/2]$, we observed convergent order $\min\{r(\alpha+\gamma), 2\}$ in numerical experiments. And we can prove that kind theorems with the techneque we used in this paper.

Appendix A. Approximate of difference quotients.

LEMMA A.1. *If $g(x)$ is twice differentiable continous function on open set Ω , 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

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

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

Especially,

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

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. If $y \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$, denote $y = \theta x_{j-1} + (1 - \theta)x_j$, $\theta \in [0, 1]$,

$$(A.5) \quad u(y_j^\theta) - u_h(y_j^\theta) = -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^2 u''(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$$

$$(A.6) \quad u(y_j^\theta) - u_h(y_j^\theta) = -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^2 u''(y_j^\theta) + \frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{3!} h_j^3 (\theta^2 u'''(\eta_1) - (1-\theta)^2 u'''(\eta_2))$$

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

Proof. By Taylor expansion, we have

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

$$u(x_j) = u(y_j^\theta) + (1-\theta) h_j u'(y_j^\theta) + \frac{(1-\theta)^2 h_j^2}{2!} u''(\xi_2), \quad \xi_2 \in [y_j^\theta, x_j]$$

Thus

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

The second equation is similar,

$$u(x_{j-1}) = u(y_j^\theta) - \theta h_j u'(y_j^\theta) + \frac{\theta^2 h_j^2}{2!} u''(y_j^\theta) - \frac{\theta^3 h_j^3}{3!} u'''(\eta_1)$$

$$u(x_j) = u(y_j^\theta) + (1-\theta) h_j u'(y_j^\theta) + \frac{(1-\theta)^2 h_j^2}{2!} u''(y_j^\theta) + \frac{(1-\theta)^3 h_j^3}{3!} u'''(\eta_2)$$

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

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

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

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

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

$$|u(x) - u_h(x)| \leq \int_0^{x_1} |u'(y)| dy \leq \int_0^{x_1} C y^{\alpha/2-1} dy \leq C \frac{2}{\alpha} x_1^{\alpha/2}$$

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

$$|u(x) - u_h(x)| \leq C \frac{2}{\alpha} (2T - x_{2N-1})^{\alpha/2} = C \frac{2}{\alpha} x_1^{\alpha/2}$$

Appendix B. Inequality.

LEMMA B.1.

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

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

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

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

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

For $N < i \leq 2N$,

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

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

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663 LEMMA B.2. *There is a constant $C = 2^{|r-2|}r(r-1)T^{2/r}$ such that for all $i \in$*
664 *$\{1, 2, \dots, 2N-1\}$*

$$665 \quad (B.3) \quad |h_{i+1} - h_i| \leq Ch^2 \begin{cases} x_i^{1-2/r}, & 1 \leq i \leq N-1 \\ 0, & i = N \\ (2T - x_i)^{1-2/r}, & N < i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases}$$

Proof.

$$666 \quad h_{i+1} - h_i = \begin{cases} T \left(\left(\frac{i+1}{N} \right)^r - 2 \left(\frac{i}{N} \right)^r + \left(\frac{i-1}{N} \right)^r \right), & 1 \leq i \leq N-1 \\ 0, & i = N \\ -T \left(\left(\frac{2N-i-1}{N} \right)^r - 2 \left(\frac{2N-i}{N} \right)^r + \left(\frac{2N-i+1}{N} \right)^r \right), & N+1 \leq i \leq 2N-1 \end{cases}$$

667 For $i = 1$,

$$668 \quad h_2 - h_1 = T(2^r - 2) \left(\frac{1}{N} \right)^r = (2^r - 2)T^{2/r}h^2x_1^{1-2/r}$$

669 For $2 \leq i \leq N-1$,

$$670 \quad h_{i+1} - h_i = r(r-1)T N^{-2}\eta^{r-2}, \quad \eta \in \left[\frac{i-1}{N}, \frac{i+1}{N} \right]$$

671 If $r \in [1, 2]$,

$$\begin{aligned} h_{i+1} - h_i &= r(r-1)T N^{-2}\eta^{r-2} \leq r(r-1)T h^2 \left(\frac{i-1}{N} \right)^{r-2} \\ 672 \quad &\leq r(r-1)T h^2 2^{2-r} \left(\frac{i}{N} \right)^{r-2} \\ &= 2^{2-r}r(r-1)T^{2/r}h^2x_i^{1-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

673 else if $r > 2$,

$$\begin{aligned} h_{i+1} - h_i &= r(r-1)T N^{-2}\eta^{r-2} \leq r(r-1)T h^2 \left(\frac{i+1}{N} \right)^{r-2} \\ 674 \quad &\leq r(r-1)T h^2 2^{r-2} \left(\frac{i}{N} \right)^{r-2} \\ &= 2^{r-2}r(r-1)T^{2/r}h^2x_i^{1-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

675 Since

$$676 \quad 2^r - 2 \leq 2^{|r-2|}r(r-1), \quad r \geq 1$$

677 we have

$$678 \quad h_{i+1} - h_i \leq 2^{|r-2|}r(r-1)T^{2/r}h^2x_i^{1-2/r}, \quad 1 \leq i \leq N-1$$

679 For $i = N$, $h_{N+1} - h_N = 0$. For $N < i \leq 2N-1$, it's central symmetric to the first
680 half of the proof, which is

$$681 \quad h_i - h_{i+1} \leq 2^{|r-2|}r(r-1)T^{2/r}h^2(2T - x_i)^{1-2/r}$$

Summarizes the inequalities, we can get

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

Appendix C. Proofs of some technical details.

Additional proof of Theorem 5.1. For $2 \leq i \leq N-1$,

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

Since Lemma B.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} h_i & \leq r T^{1/r} h x_i^{1-1/r}, \quad 1 \leq i \leq N \\ h_{i+1} & \leq r T^{1/r} h x_{i+1}^{1-1/r}, \quad 1 \leq i \leq N-1 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} x_{i-1}^{-2-\alpha/2} & \leq 2^{-r(-2-\alpha/2)} x_i^{-2-\alpha/2} \quad 2 \leq i \leq N-1 \\ x_{i+1}^{1-1/r} & \leq 2^{r-1} x_i^{1-1/r} \quad 1 \leq i \leq N-1 \end{aligned}$$

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEMMA C.1. *There is a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ for $2 \leq j \leq N$, if $y \in [x_{j-1}, x_j]$,*

$$(C.1) \quad |u(y) - u_h(y)| \leq Ch^2 y^{\alpha/2-2/r}$$

Proof. For $2 \leq j \leq N$, we have

$$x_j \leq 2^r y, \quad x_{j-1} \geq 2^{-r} y$$

And by Lemma A.2, Lemma B.1 and Corollary 2.4, we have

$$\begin{aligned} u(y) - u_h(y) &= -\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{2} h_j^2 u''(\xi), \quad \xi \in [x_{j-1}, x_j] \\ &\leq \frac{\|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)}}{4} r^2 T^{2/r} h^2 x_j^{2-2/r} x_{j-1}^{\alpha/2-2} \\ &\leq Ch^2 2^{2r-2} y^{2-2/r} 2^{-r(\alpha/2-2)} y^{\alpha/2-2} \\ &= C 2^{-r\alpha/2+4r-2} h^2 y^{\alpha/2-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

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

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

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

$$(C.3) \quad D_h^2 \left(\frac{|y - \cdot|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \right) (x_i) \leq C \frac{y^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)}$$

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

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

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

$$(C.4) \quad D_h^2\left(\frac{|\cdot - y|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)}\right)(x_i) \leq C \frac{x_i^{-1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(-\alpha)}$$

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

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

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*

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

LEMMA C.6. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that*

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

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

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

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

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

But

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

$i = 2$ is similar. □

LEMMA C.6. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, r, l)$ such that For $3 \leq i \leq N - 1$, $k + 1 = \lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil$, $k \leq j \leq \min\{2i - 1, N - 1\}$, $l = 3, 4$, 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 (5.32)

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

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

for $l = 3, 4$, by (5.34)

$$(C.13) \quad \begin{aligned} (h_{j-i}^l(\xi))' &= l h_{j-i}^{l-1}(\xi) (y'_{j-i}(\xi) - y'_{j-i-1}(\xi)) \\ &= l h_{j-i}^{l-1}(\xi) \xi^{1/r-1} (y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} h_{j-i}(\xi) &\leq h_{j-i}(x_{i+1}) = h_{j+1} \\ &\leq r T^{1/r} h x_{j+1}^{1-1/r} \leq r T^{1/r} 2^{r-1} h x_i^{1-1/r} \end{aligned}$$

And

$$(C.14) \quad 2^{-r} x_i \leq x_{i-1} \leq \xi \leq x_{i+1} \leq 2^r x_i$$

We have

$$(C.15) \quad \xi^{1/r-m} \leq 2^{|mr-1|} x_i^{1/r-m}, \quad m = 1, 2$$

but

$$(C.16) \quad \begin{aligned} y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) &= (\xi^{1/r} + Z_{j-i})^{r-1} - (\xi^{1/r} + Z_{j-i-1})^{r-1} \\ &= (r-1) Z_1 (\xi^{1/r} + Z_{j-i-\gamma})^{r-2}, \quad \gamma \in [0, 1] \\ &= (r-1) T^{1/r} h y_{j-i-\gamma}^{1-2/r}(\xi) \end{aligned}$$

And
(C.17)

$$4^{-r}x_i \leq x_{\lceil \frac{i}{2} \rceil - 1} \leq x_{j-2} = y_{j-i-1}(x_{i-1}) \leq y_{j-i-\gamma}(\xi) \leq y_{j-i}(x_{i+1}) = x_{j+1} \leq x_{2i} \leq 2^r x_i$$

Therefore,

$$(C.18) \quad y_{j-i-\gamma}^{1-2/r}(\xi) \leq 2^{2|r-2|} x_i^{1-2/r}$$

So we can get

$$(C.19) \quad y'_{j-i}(\xi) - y'_{j-i-1}(\xi) \leq (r-1)C(T, r) h x_i^{-1/r}$$

We get

$$(C.20) \quad (h_{j-i}^l(\xi))' \leq l(r-1)C h_{j+1}^{l-1} h x_i^{-1/r}$$

And by Lemma B.1,

$$(C.21) \quad h_{j+1} \leq rTh \left(\frac{j+1}{N} \right)^{r-1} \leq rTh 2^{r-1} \left(\frac{j-1}{N} \right) = 2^{r-1} h_j$$

$$(C.22) \quad h_{j+1} \leq rT^{1/r} h x_{j+1}^{1-1/r} \leq rT^{1/r} h x_{2i}^{1-1/r} \leq rT^{1/r} 2^{r-1} h x_i^{1-1/r}$$

We can get

$$(C.23) \quad \begin{aligned} (h_{j-i}^l(\xi))' &\leq l(r-1)C h_j^{l-2} h_{j+1} h x_i^{-1/r} \\ &\leq l(r-1)C h h_j^{l-2} (h x_i^{1-1/r}) x_i^{-1/r} \\ &= (r-1)C h^2 x_i^{1-2/r} h_j^{l-2} \end{aligned}$$

Meanwhile, we can get

$$(C.24) \quad h_{j-i}^3(\xi) \leq h_{j+1}^3 \leq C h^2 x_i^{2-2/r} h_j$$

$$(C.25) \quad h_{j-i}^4(\xi) \leq h_{j+1}^4 \leq C h^2 x_i^{2-2/r} h_j^2 \quad \square$$

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

$$(C.26) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1) h^2 x_i^{-2/r} h_j$$

Proof. From (C.11)

$$(C.27) \quad \begin{aligned} (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' &= 6h_{j-i}(\xi)(y'_{j-i}(\xi) - y'_{j-i-1}(\xi))^2 + 3h_{j-i}^2(\xi)(y''_{j-i}(\xi) - y''_{j-i-1}(\xi)) \\ &= 6h_{j-i}(\xi)(\xi^{1/r-1}(y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi)))^2 \\ &\quad + 3\frac{1-r}{r} h_{j-i}^2(\xi) \xi^{1/r-2} (y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi) Z_{j-i} - y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi) Z_{j-i-1}) \end{aligned}$$

Using the inequalities of the proof of Lemma C.6

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 6h_{j-i}(\xi)(y'_{j-i}(\xi) - y'_{j-i-1}(\xi))^2 \\
 & \leq 6h_{j+1}((r-1)Chx_i^{-1/r})^2 \\
 & \leq C(r-1)^2 h^2 x_i^{-2/r} h_j
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.28}$$

For the second partial

$$\begin{aligned}
 & h_{j-i}^2(\xi)\xi^{1/r-2}(y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i} - y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i-1}) \\
 & \leq Ch_{j+1}^2 x_i^{1/r-2}((y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi))Z_{j-i} + y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_1)
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.29}$$

but

$$\begin{aligned}
 & y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi) = (\xi^{1/r} + Z_{j-i})^{r-2} - (\xi^{1/r} + Z_{j-i-1})^{r-2} \\
 & = (r-2)Z_1(\xi^{1/r} + Z_{j-i-\gamma})^{r-3} \\
 & = (r-2)T^{1/r}hy_{j-i-\gamma}^{1-3/r}(\xi) \\
 & \leq C(r-2)hx_i^{1-3/r}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.30}$$

So we can get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & h_{j-i}^2(\xi)\xi^{1/r-2}(y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i} - y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i-1}) \\
 & \leq Ch_jhx_i^{1-1/r}x_i^{1/r-2}(C(r-2)hx_i^{1-3/r}Z_{j-i} + Cx_i^{1-2/r}T^{1/r}h) \\
 & \leq Ch^2((r-2)x_i^{-3/r}x_{|j-i|}^{1/r} + x_i^{-2/r})h_j \\
 & \leq Ch^2x_i^{-2/r}h_j
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.31}$$

Summarizes, we have

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

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proof of Lemma 5.16. From (5.32)

$$y'_{j-i}(x) = y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(x)x^{1/r-1}$$

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

Since

$$x_{j-2} \leq y_{j-i-1}(x_{i-1}) \leq y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq y_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) \leq x_{j+1}$$

We have known (C.17)

$$u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))^{\alpha/2-2} \leq Cx_{j-2}^{\alpha/2-2} \leq Cx_{\lfloor \frac{i}{2} \rfloor -1}^{\alpha/2-2} \leq C4^{r(2-\alpha/2)}x_i^{\alpha/2-2}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 & (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' = u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))y_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi) \\
 & \leq Cx_i^{\alpha/2-3}\xi^{1/r-1}y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) \\
 & \leq Cx_i^{\alpha/2-3}x_i^{1/r-1}x_i^{1-1/r} = Cx_i^{\alpha/2-3}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.36}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
& (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' = u''''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi))^2 + u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))y_{j-i}^{\theta''}(\xi) \\
& \leq Cx_i^{\alpha/2-4} + Cx_i^{\alpha/2-3}\frac{r-1}{r}x_i^{1-2/r}x_i^{1/r-2}Z_{|j-i|+1} \\
& \leq Cx_i^{\alpha/2-4} + C\frac{r-1}{r}x_i^{\alpha/2-3}x_i^{-1/r}x_i^{1/r} \\
& = Cx_i^{\alpha/2-4}
\end{aligned}
\tag{C.37}$$

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Proof of Lemma 5.17.

$$\begin{aligned}
& |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi| = |\theta(y_{j-i-1}(\xi) - \xi) + (1-\theta)(y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi)| \\
& = \theta|y_{j-i-1}(\xi) - \xi| + (1-\theta)|y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi|
\end{aligned}
\tag{C.38}$$

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Since $|y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi|$ is increasing about ξ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& (\frac{i-1}{i})^r|x_j - x_i| \leq |x_{j-1} - x_{i-1}| \leq |y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi| \leq |x_{j+1} - x_{i+1}| \leq (\frac{i+1}{i})^r|x_j - x_i|
\end{aligned}
\tag{C.39}$$

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Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
& (\frac{2}{3})^r|y_j^\theta - x_i| \leq |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi| \leq (\frac{3}{4})^r(\theta|x_j - x_i| + (1-\theta)|x_{j-1} - x_i|) = (\frac{3}{4})^r|y_j^\theta - x_i|
\end{aligned}
\tag{C.40}$$

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$$|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}
\tag{C.41}$$

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Next,

$$\begin{aligned}
& (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' = (1-\alpha)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}\xi^{1/r-1}(\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) - 1| \\
& \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}\xi^{1/r-1}|\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r}|
\end{aligned}
\tag{C.42}$$

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Similar with (C.39), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& |y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r}| \leq C|x_j^{1-1/r} - x_i^{1-1/r}| \\
& \leq C|x_j - x_i|x_i^{-1/r}
\end{aligned}
\tag{C.43}$$

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So we can get

$$\begin{aligned}
& |\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi) - \xi^{1-1/r}| \\
& \leq Cx_i^{-1/r}(\theta|x_{j-1} - x_i| + (1-\theta)|x_j - x_i|) \\
& = Cx_i^{-1/r}|y_j^\theta - x_i|
\end{aligned}
\tag{C.44}$$

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Combine them, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
& (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}x_i^{1/r-1}x_i^{-1/r}|y_j^\theta - x_i| \\
& = C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-1}
\end{aligned}
\tag{C.45}$$

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Finally, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' = \alpha(\alpha-1)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha-1}(\xi^{1/r-1}(\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) - 1)^2 \\
& + (1-\alpha)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}\frac{1-r}{r}\xi^{1/r-2}|\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i-1} + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i}|
\end{aligned}
\tag{C.46}$$

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829 Using the inequalities above ,we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha-1}(\xi^{1/r-1}(\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-1/r}(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-1/r}(\xi)) - 1)^2 \\
 830 \quad (C.47) \quad & \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha-1}(x_i^{-1}|y_j^\theta - x_i|)^2 \\
 & = C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-2}
 \end{aligned}$$

831 And by

$$832 \quad (C.48) \quad |Z_{j-i}| = |x_j^{1/r} - x_i^{1/r}| \leq |x_j - x_i|x_i^{1/r-1}$$

833 we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}\xi^{1/r-2}|\theta y_{j-i-1}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i-1} + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}^{1-2/r}(\xi)Z_{j-i}| \\
 834 \quad (C.49) \quad & \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}x_i^{1/r-2}x_i^{1-2/r}|\theta Z_{j-i-1} + (1-\theta)Z_{j-i}| \\
 & \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}x_i^{-2}|y_j^\theta - x_i| \\
 & = C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}x_i^{-2}
 \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

835 *proof of Lemma 5.19.* For $k \leq j < \min\{2i-1, N-1\}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \\
 836 \quad (C.50) \quad & \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1}) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)}{h_{i+1}}u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) + Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)\frac{u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \\
 & \leq Q_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi)Cx_j^{\alpha/2-3} + Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)Cu''''(\eta)\frac{h_i + h_{i+1}}{h_{i+1}}
 \end{aligned}$$

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

838 From (5.36), by Lemma C.6 and Lemma 5.17, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & Q_{j-i}^{\theta'}(\xi) \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_{j+1}^\theta - x_{i+1}|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_{i+1}^{1-2/r} h_{j+1}^2 \\
 839 \quad (C.51) \quad & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{1-2/r} h_j^2
 \end{aligned}$$

840 And by defination

$$841 \quad (C.52) \quad Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i) = h_j^4 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} \leq Ch^2 x_i^{2-2/r} \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} h_j^2$$

842 With , we have

$$843 \quad (C.53) \quad 4^{-r}x_i \leq x_{k-1} \leq x_{j-1} < x_j \leq x_{2i-1} \leq 2^r x_i$$

844 So we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \\
 845 \quad (C.54) \quad & \leq Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{1-2/r} h_j^2 x_i^{\alpha/2-3} + Ch^2 x_i^{2-2/r} \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} h_j^2 x_{j-1}^{\alpha/2-4} \\
 & = Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j^2
 \end{aligned}$$

846 while

$$847 \quad h_j \leq h_{2i-1} \leq 2^r h_i$$

848 Subsitute into the inequality above, we get the goal

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ 849 \quad (C.55) \quad & \leq \frac{1}{h_i} Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j 2^r h_i \\ & = Ch^2 \frac{|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(2-\alpha)} x_i^{\alpha/2-2-2/r} h_j \end{aligned}$$

850 While, the later is similar. \square

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

$$854 \quad (C.56) \quad h_{j-i}^l(\xi) \leq Ch_j^l \leq Ch^2 h_j^{l-2}$$

$$855 \quad (C.57) \quad (h_{j-i-1}^l(\xi))' \leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j^{l-2}$$

$$856 \quad (C.58) \quad (h_{j-i}^3(\xi))'' \leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j$$

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned} 857 \quad (C.59) \quad & (h_{j-i}(\xi))' = y_{j-i}'(\xi) - y_{j-i-1}'(\xi) \\ & = \xi^{1/r-1}((2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - (2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r}) \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

858 Thus,

$$859 \quad (C.60) \quad Ch_j \leq h_{j+1} \leq h_{j-i}(\xi) \leq h_{j-i}(x_{i-1}) = h_{j-1} \leq Ch_j$$

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

$$861 \quad (C.61) \quad h_{j-i}^l(\xi) \leq Ch_j^l \leq Ch^2(2T - x_j)^{2-2/r} h_j^{l-2} \leq Ch^2 h_j^{l-2}$$

862 Since

$$\begin{aligned} & |(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - (2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r}| \\ 863 \quad (C.62) \quad & = |(Z_{2N-(j-i)} - \xi^{1/r})^{r-1} - (Z_{2N-(j-i-1)} - \xi^{1/r})^{r-1}| \\ & = (r-1)Z_1(Z_{2N-(j-i-\gamma)} - \xi^{1/r})^{r-2} \quad \gamma \in [0, 1] \\ & \leq C(r-1)h(2T - x_j)^{1-2/r} \end{aligned}$$

864 we have

$$865 \quad (C.63) \quad |(h_{j-i}(\xi))'| \leq C(r-1)h(2T - x_j)^{1-2/r} x_i^{1/r-1}$$

866 And

$$\begin{aligned} & (h_{j-i}^l(\xi))' = lh_{j-i}^{l-1}(\xi)h_{j-i}'(\xi) \\ 867 \quad (C.64) \quad & \leq C(r-1)h_j^{l-1} h(2T - x_j)^{1-2/r} x_i^{1/r-1} \\ & \leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j^{l-2} (2T - x_j)^{2-3/r} x_i^{1-1/r} \\ & \leq C(r-1)h^2 h_j^{l-2} \end{aligned}$$

(C.65) □

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

LEMMA C.9. *There exists a constant $C = C(T, \alpha, r, \|u\|_{\beta+\alpha}^{(-\alpha/2)})$ such that For*

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

$$(C.66) \quad u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C$$

$$(C.67) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' \leq C$$

$$(C.68) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' \leq C$$

Proof.

$$(C.69) \quad x_{j-2} \leq y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq x_{j+1} \Rightarrow 4^{-r}T \leq 2T - y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq T$$

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

$$(C.70) \quad u^{(l)}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)) \leq C(2T - y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))^{\alpha/2-l} \leq C$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' &= \theta y_{j-1-i}'(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}'(\xi) \\
 (C.71) \quad &= \xi^{1/r-1}(\theta(2T - y_{j-1-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} + (1-\theta)(2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-1/r}) \\
 &\leq C(2T - x_{j-2})^{1-1/r} \leq C
 \end{aligned}$$

With

$$(C.72) \quad Z_{2N-j-i} \leq 2T^{1/r}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (C.73) \quad (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))'' &= \theta y_{j-1-i}''(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i-1}''(\xi) \\
 &= \frac{1-r}{r} \xi^{1/r-2} (\theta(2T - y_{j-1-i}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i-1)} + (1-\theta)(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)}) \\
 &\leq C(r-1)
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 (C.74) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))' &= u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' \\
 &\leq C
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (C.75) \quad (u''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi)))'' &= u'''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))' + u''''(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi))'' \\
 &\leq C + C(r-1) = C
 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$(C.76) \quad |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

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

$$(C.78) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' \leq C(r-1)|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-1-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N)^2$$

Proof.

$$(C.79) \quad (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' = \theta y_{j-1-i}'(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}'(\xi) - 1$$

$$(C.80) \quad |y_{j-i}'(\xi) - 1| = \xi^{1/r-1} |(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-1/r} - \xi^{1-1/r}| \\ \leq \xi^{1/r-1} |2T - \xi - y_{j-i}(\xi)| \xi^{-1/r}$$

$$(C.81) \quad |2T - \xi - y_{j-i}(\xi)| \leq \max \begin{cases} |2T - x_{i-1} - x_{j-1}| \\ |2T - x_{i+1} - x_{j+1}| \end{cases} \\ \leq |2T - x_i - x_j| + h_{i+1} + h_j$$

$$(C.82) \quad (y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' = \theta y_{j-1-i}''(\xi) + (1-\theta)y_{j-i}''(\xi) \\ = \frac{1-r}{r} \xi^{1/r-2} (\theta(2T - y_{j-i}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i)} + (1-\theta)(2T - y_{j-i-1}(\xi))^{1-2/r} Z_{2N-(j-i-1)}) \leq 0$$

It's concave, so

$$(C.83) \quad y_{j-i}(\xi) - \xi \geq \min\{x_{j+1} - x_{i+1}, x_{j-1} - x_{i-1}\} \geq C(x_j - x_i)$$

We have

$$(C.84) \quad |y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha} \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

$$(C.85) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})' = (1-\alpha)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' \\ \leq C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_{i+1} + h_{j-1})$$

$$(C.86) \quad (|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{1-\alpha})'' = (1-\alpha)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-\alpha}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'' + \alpha(\alpha-1)|y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi|^{-1-\alpha}(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)'(y_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) - \xi)' \\ \leq C(r-1)|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha} + C|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-1-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_{i+1} + h_{j-1})^2$$

Proof. From (5.24), by Lemma C.8 and Lemma C.10, we have $\xi \in [x_i, x_{i+1}]$

$$(C.87) \quad Q_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq Ch^2 h_j^2 ((r-1)|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

$$(C.88) \quad Q_{j-i}^\theta(\xi) \leq Ch^2 h_j^2 |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha}$$

So use the skill in Proof 34 with Lemma C.9

$$(C.89) \quad \frac{2}{h_i + h_{i+1}} \left(\frac{Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_{i+1})u'''(\eta_{j+1}^\theta) - Q_{j-i}^\theta(x_i)u'''(\eta_j^\theta)}{h_{i+1}} \right) \\ \leq Ch^2 h_j (|y_j^\theta - x_i|^{1-\alpha} + |y_j^\theta - x_i|^{-\alpha}(|2T - x_i - y_j^\theta| + h_N))$$

$$a^{1-\theta}|a^\theta - b^\theta| \leq |a - b|, \theta \in [0, 1]$$

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