

**TWO-SCALE DIFFERENCE EQUATION:  
LOCAL AND GLOBAL LINEAR INDEPENDENCE**

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**ABSTRACT** Let  $\phi$  be a distribution solution of the two-scale difference equation (1). First the equivalence of local and global linear independence of the integer translates of  $\phi$  is proved and a simple characterization for global linear independence of the integer translates of  $\phi$  is given. Second a class of functions in  $V_1$  such that their integer translates are locally or globally linearly independent is found.

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**1. Preliminary and Statement of Results.**

The objective of this context is to study local and global linear independence of the integer translates of a distribution solution of the two-scale equation. To this end, we introduce some notations and definitions.

Let  $\{c_k\}_{k=0}^N$  be a sequence such that  $c_0 \neq 0, c_N \neq 0$  and  $\sum_{k=0}^N c_k = 2$ . Let  $\phi$  be a unique complex-valued compactly supported distribution to satisfy a two-scale difference equation

$$\begin{cases} \phi(x) = \sum_{k=0}^N c_k \phi(2x - k) \\ \hat{\phi}(0) = 1, \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

where the Fourier transform  $\hat{\phi}$  of  $\phi$  is defined by

$$\hat{\phi}(x) = \int e^{-ix\xi} \phi(x) dx.$$

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By taking Fourier transform in both sides of (1), we get

$$\widehat{\phi}(\xi) = H(\xi/2)\widehat{\phi}(\xi/2),$$

and

$$\widehat{\phi}(\xi) = \prod_{j=1}^{\infty} H(\xi/2^j),$$

where we denote

$$H(\xi) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^N c_k e^{ik\xi}.$$

Hereafter we will say  $\phi$  is the solution of (1) with  $H(\xi)$ .

The two-scale difference equation (1) attracted much attention in recent years since the equation of type (1) arise in the construction of wavelets with compact support ([3],[6]) and in the dyadic interpolation scheme of Deslauriers and Dubuc ([8],[9]) etc. For example, the wavelet  $\phi_N$  constructed by I. Daubechies ([6]) is the solution of (1) with  ${}_N H(\xi)$ , where  ${}_N H(\xi)$  satisfies

$$|{}_N H(\xi)|^2 = \cos^{2N} \frac{\xi}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \binom{N-1+k}{k} \sin^{2k} \frac{\xi}{2}$$

for  $N \geq 2$ , and the univariate spline function  $B_N$  is the solution of (1) with  $H(\xi) = \left(\frac{1+e^{i\xi}}{2}\right)^N$  for  $N \geq 1$ .

We say that the integer translates of a compactly supported distribution  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent if the condition

$$\sum_{k \in Z} c(k)\phi(x-k) = 0 \quad \text{on } R$$

implies  $c(k) = 0$  for all  $k \in Z$ . We say that the integer translates of  $\phi$  are locally linearly independent if the conditions

$$\sum_{k \in Z} c(k)\phi(x+k) = 0 \quad \text{on } A \quad \text{and} \quad \text{supp } E^k \phi \cap A \neq \emptyset. \quad (2)$$

imply  $c(k) = 0$  for every open set  $A$ . Here the shift operator  $E^k$  is defined by  $E^k \phi(x) = \phi(x+k)$  on  $R$  and  $\emptyset$  is the empty set.

It is well known that the integer translates of  $B_N$  are locally linearly independent (see [4],[9] for box spline) and the following formula plays an important role in the proof of local linear independence

$$\frac{d}{dx} B_N(x) = B_{N-1}(x) - B_{N-1}(x-1)$$

for  $N \geq 2$ .

To study local linear independence of the integer translates of the solution of (1), we establish a formula as the one above. Let  $B_0$  be the  $N \times N$  dimensional matrix defined by

$$(B_0)_{ij} = c_{2i-j}$$

for  $0 \leq i, j \leq N - 1$  and  $B_1$  be the  $N \times N$  dimensional matrix defined by

$$(B_1)_{ij} = c_{2i-j+1}$$

for  $0 \leq i, j \leq N - 1$ . Hereafter we assume  $c_j = 0$  for  $j \leq -1$  and  $j \geq N + 1$ . Denote

$$\Phi(x) = \begin{pmatrix} \phi(x) \\ \phi(x+1) \\ \vdots \\ \phi(x+N-1) \end{pmatrix}$$

on  $(0,1)$ . From the equation (1), we have the fundamental formulae

$$\begin{aligned} B_0\Phi(x) &= \Phi\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \\ B_1\Phi(x) &= \Phi\left(\frac{x+1}{2}\right) \end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

on  $(0,1)$ .

The formulae above were used by I. Daubechies and J.Lagarias ([7]) to study local and global regularity of  $\phi$ . The corresponding formulae on high dimensions were used by A.S.Cavaretta, W.Dahmen and C.A.Micchelli ([1]) to study the relationship between regularity of  $\phi$  and the approximating degree of quasi-interpolants. In section 2, we will use the formulae (3) to study relation between local and global linear independence.

**Theorem 1.** Let  $\phi$  be the solution of (1). Then local and global linear independence of the integer translates  $\phi$  are equivalent to each other.

The main steps to prove Theorem 1 are Lemma 1 and 3.

Denote

$$P(z) = \sum_{k=0}^N c_k z^k.$$

We say a polynomial  $P(z)$  has symmetric root  $z_0$  if  $P(z_0) = P(-z_0) = 0$ . For a compactly supported distribution  $\phi$  we denote

$$N(\phi) = \{z \in C; \widehat{\phi}(z + 2k\pi) = 0 \text{ for all } k \in Z\}.$$

It is proved by A.Ron ([13]) that the integer translates of  $\phi$  is globally linearly independent if and only if  $N(\phi) = \emptyset$ . Naturally we hope to give a characterization for global linear independence of the integer translates of  $\phi$  which is given in section 3.

**Theorem 2.** Let  $\phi$  be the solution of (1). Then the integer translates of  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent if and only if the following conditions hold

- (i)  $P(z)$  has no symmetric roots,
- (ii)  $P(z)$  has not the factors of the form  $\prod_{k=1}^{N-1} (z + z_0^{2^k})$  with  $z_0^{2^N} = z_0$  and  $z_0 \neq 1$ .

After the paper was completed we know Theorem 2 were also proved by Jia and Wang ([11]) but our proof is little different with them. As observed by C.K. Chui and J-Z Wang ([3]) and P-G Lemarie ([12]), the condition in Theorem 2 is closely related to minimal support of  $\phi$ . By a characterization in [4], we know that the condition (ii) in Theorem 2 holds if and only if  $N(\phi) \cap R = \emptyset$  under the assumption  $P(z)$  has no symmetric roots on  $\{|z| = 1\}$ . We also see from the proof of Theorem 1 (precisely Lemma 1) that the condition (i) in Theorem 2 holds if and only if  $B_0$  and  $B_1$  are nonsingular matrices. Therefore it suffices to use finite steps to show the conditions (i) and (ii) in Theorem 2 true.

Denote

$$V_k = \left\{ \sum_{j \in Z} c_j \phi_{k,j}(x); \quad \{c_j\}_{j \in Z} \text{ is some complex-valued sequence} \right\},$$

where  $\phi_{k,j}(x) = \phi(2^k x - j)$  for  $k, j \in Z$ . By equation (1), we have

$$\cdots \subset V_{-1} \subset V_0 \subset V_1 \subset \cdots$$

and  $\phi$  belongs to  $V_1$ . Now our interest turns to find the functions in  $V_1$  such that their integer translates are locally linearly independent. The reason to consider is at least the scaling function and the wavelet function belong to  $V_1$  when  $\{V_k\}$  is a multiresolution of some space (c.f. [2],[5]). To this aim we introduce a definition. For  $\psi$  a compactly supported distribution in  $V_1$  we call  $[\frac{N_1}{2}, \frac{N+N_2}{2}]$  is the supporting interval of  $\psi$  if  $\text{supp} \psi \subset [\frac{\widetilde{N}_1}{2}, \frac{N+\widetilde{N}_2}{2}]$  implies  $\widetilde{N}_1 \leq N_1$  and  $\widetilde{N}_2 \geq N_2$ , where  $N_i, \widetilde{N}_i \in Z, (i = 1, 2)$ . In section 4 we give the following characterization.

**Theorem 3.** Let  $\phi$  be the solution of (1) and  $\psi \in V_1$  be as above. Assume the integer translates of  $\phi$  be globally linearly independent. Then the local and global linear independence of the integer translates of  $\psi$  are equivalent to each other if and only if  $N_2 - N_1 \leq \widetilde{N}$  provided  $\text{supp} \psi$  is just the supporting interval defined above. Here we define  $\widetilde{N} = N$  when  $N + N_1 + N_2$  is even and  $\widetilde{N} = N - 1$  when  $N + N_1 + N_2$  is odd.

Also we give an simple characterization to the compactly supported distributions in  $V_1$  such that their integer translates are globally linearly independent.

Now we give the applications of the theorems above to B-spline and B-wavelet considered by Chui and Wang in [3]. Now we assume equation (1) has  $L^2$  solution  $\phi$ . Let an nested sequence

$$\cdots \subset V_{-1} \subset V_0 \subset V_1 \subset \cdots$$

be closed subspaces of  $L^2 = L^2(R)$  that constitutes a multiresolution analysis of  $L^2$  ( see [6]). Let  $W_k$  be the orthogonal complement of  $V_k$  in  $V_{k+1}$ . Therefore we have the wavelet decomposition

$$L^2 = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} W_k.$$

We call an  $L^2$ -function  $\phi$  the generator of the given multiresolution analysis provided that  $\{E^j \phi\}_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  is an unconditional basis of  $V_0$  and  $\phi$  satisfies the two-scale difference equation

$$\phi(x) = \sum_{k=0}^N c_k \phi(2x - k).$$

for some sequence  $\{c_k\}_{k=0}^N$  with  $c_0 \neq 0$ ,  $c_N \neq 0$  and  $\sum_{k=0}^N c_k = 2$ . Denote by  $\Phi$  the family of generator  $\phi$ . It is known that there is an unique  $L^2$ -function  $\varphi \in \Phi$  such that every  $\phi \in \Phi$  is a finite linear combination of  $E^j \varphi$ . We call this function  $\varphi$  the B-spline in term of Chui and Wang. By Theorem 3.1 in [3], the characteristic polynomial  $P(z)$  defined by

$$P(z) = \sum_{k=0}^N c_k z^k$$

has no symmetric roots and  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} |\widehat{\varphi}(x + 2k\pi)|^2$  is bounded above and below away from zero for  $x \in R$ . Therefore conditions (i) and (ii) in Theorem 2 hold true and the integer translates of the B-spline  $\varphi$  are locally linearly independent.

**Theorem 4.** The integer translates of any B-spline  $\varphi$  are locally linearly independent.

An  $L^2$ -function  $\eta$  is called the wavelet of the given multiresolution analysis provided that  $\{E^j \eta\}_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  is an unconditional basis of  $W_0$  and

$$\eta(x) = \sum_{k=N_1}^{N_2} d_k \varphi(x - k), \tag{4}$$

for some sequence  $\{d_k\}_{k=N_1}^{N_2}$  with  $d_{N_1} \neq 0$ ,  $d_{N_2} \neq 0$ , where  $\varphi$  is the B-spline of the given multiresolution analysis. we call the wavelet  $\eta$  with minimum support by B-wavelet. In absence of notation, we denote the B-wavelet still by  $\eta$ . As we will see in section 4 that the integer translates of  $\eta$  are globally linearly independent. By the representation of  $\mu(z)$  in [3], we know  $N + N_1 + N_2$  must be an even integer. Therefore by Theorem 3 we have

**Theorem 5.** If  $\text{supp}\eta$  is just the supporting interval of  $\eta$ , then the integer translates of the B-wavelet  $\eta$  are locally linearly independent if and only if  $N_2 - N_1 \leq N$  in (4).

Therefore the integer translates of orthonormal wavelet constructed in [6] are locally linearly independent and the integer translates of B-wavelet of the univariate polynomial spline in [3] must not be locally linearly independent (c.f.[2] Page 184).

From now on, we always assume  $\phi$  satisfies the two-scale difference equation (1) for  $N \geq 1$  except in the last section. The reason to assume  $N \geq 1$  is the unique compactly supported distribution solution of (1) is the delta distribution for which the local and global linear independence is easy to study and the results to  $\phi$  below (except in last section) is also true for the delta distribution.

## 2. Local Linear Independence

It is known that local linear independence of the integer of  $\phi$  implies its global linear independence. Therefore it suffices to prove the following slightly strong conclusion.

**Theorem 6.** Let  $\{c_k\}_{k=0}^N$  and  $\phi$  be as in Theorem 1. If the integer translates of  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent, then the conditions

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} c(k)\phi(x - k) = 0 \quad \text{on } A \quad \text{and} \quad [k, k + N] \cap A \neq \emptyset$$

imply  $c(k) = 0$  for every open set  $A$ .

**Corollary 1.** Assume  $\phi$  be the solution of (1) and the integer translates of  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent. Then  $\text{supp}\phi = [0, N]$ .

The procedure to prove Theorem 6 is as follows. By the definition of  $B_i (i = 0, 1)$ , we know the components of  $(1, z, \dots, z^{N-1})B_i (i = 0, 1)$  are  $z^j H_o(z)$  or  $z^j H_e(z)$  (c.f. (6)-(9)), where  $H_o(z)$  and  $H_e(z)$  are the odd and even part of the characteristic polynomial  $H(z) = \sum_{j=0}^N c_j z^j$ , i.e.,

$$H(z) = H_e(z^2) + zH_o(z^2).$$

The first claim (Lemma 5 which was also proved implicitly in [11]) is that the global linear independence of the integer translates of  $\phi$  implies  $H_o(z)$  and  $H_e(z)$  have no common zero points. Using this claim we show that  $B_i (i = 0, 1)$  are nonsingular matrices (see Lemma 1), and that  $W_{(0,1)} = \{0\}$  if  $W_A \neq \{0\}$  for some open set  $A \subset (0, 1)$ , where

$$W_A = \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} c(k)\phi(x + k) = 0 \quad \text{on } A \right\}$$

(see Lemma 2). Hence the matter reduces to proving  $W_{(0,1)} \neq \{0\}$ . Conversely if  $W_{(0,1)} \neq \{0\}$ , we want to find a sequence  $(c_0, \dots, c_{N-1}) \in W_{(0,1)}$  such that it can extends to  $\{c_k^*\}_{k \in Z}$  such that  $\sum_{k \in Z} c_k^* \phi(x+k) = 0$  on  $R$  and  $c_k^* = c_k$  for  $0 \leq k \leq N-1$ , then Theorem 6 is proved since the integer translates of  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent. When  $c_k = z_0^k$  for  $k = 0, \dots, N-1$  and some  $z_0 \neq 0$  an easy extension of  $\{c_k\}_{k=0}^{N-1}$  to  $\{c_k^*\}_{k \in Z}$  is  $c_k^* = z_0^k$  for  $k \in Z$ . Until now we need to do the following works, the existence of  $z_0$  such that  $(1, z_0, \dots, z_0^{N-1}) \in W_{(0,1)}$  when  $W_{(0,1)} \neq \{0\}$  and  $\sum_{k \in Z} z_0^k \phi(x+k) = 0$ . The second equation is proved by Lemma 4 which was inspired by [14]. the existence of  $z_0$  such that  $(1, z_0, \dots, z_0^{N-1}) \in W_{(0,1)}$  when  $W_{(0,1)} \neq \{0\}$  is completed in Lemma 3. We outline the proof here. Denote  $V$  be the dual of  $W_{(0,1)}$  which is just linear span space of  $\{\Phi(x); x \in (0,1)\}$  when  $\phi(x)$  is continuous. Denotes the basis of  $V$  by  $e_i$  and  $E_i(z) = (z, z^2, \dots, z^N)e_i$  for  $1 \leq i \leq m \leq N-1$  since  $\dim V \leq N-1$ . Hence the matter reduces to proving  $\{E_i(z)\}_{i=1}^m$  have a nonzero common zero point. Denote  $E(z)$  be the vector with its component  $E_i(z)$ , and  $E_o(z)$  and  $E_e(z)$  denote the odd and even part of  $E(z)$ , i.e.,  $E(z) = E_e(z^2) + z^{-1}E_o(z)$ . Recall that  $B_i V = V$  ( $i = 0, 1$ ). Therefore  $E_o(z)$  and  $E_e(z)$  satisfies the equation

$$z^{-1}H_e(z)CE_e(z) + H_o(z)CE_o(z) = H_e(z)E_o(z) + H_o(z)E_e(z)$$

for some nonsingular  $m \times m$  matrix  $C$ . Recall that  $H_e(z)$  and  $H_o(z)$  have no common zero points. We get the equation (12). Comparing the degree of the polynomials in both sides of (12), we get  $\bar{P}$  in (12) is a constant vector. Then the last important equation

$$(C^2 - zI)B_m^0 E(z) = C\alpha(-H_e^2(z) + zH_o^2(z))$$

can easy obtained where  $B_m^0$  and  $C$  are nonsingular matrices and  $\alpha$  is a constant vector. Observe that  $(C^2 - zI)$  has at most  $m$  eigenvalues and the degree of  $-H_e^2(z) + zH_o^2(z)$  is exactly  $N$ . Hence  $E(z_0) = 0$  for some  $z_0 \neq 0$ , which implies  $(1, z_0, \dots, z_0^{N-1}) \in W_{(0,1)}$  if  $\dim V \leq N-1$  or  $W_{(0,1)} \neq \{0\}$ . To prove Theorem 6, we will use the following lemmas with their proofs postponed

**Lemma 1.** If the integer translates of  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent, then  $B_0$  and  $B_1$  are nonsingular matrices.

**Lemma 2.** Assume that  $A$  be an open subset in  $(0,1)$  and that  $B_0$  and  $B_1$  are nonsingular matrices. If there is a non-zero vector  $d \in C^N$  such that  $d\Phi(x) = 0$  on  $A$ , then there is a no-zero vector  $d' \in C$  such that  $d'\Phi(x) = 0$  on  $(0,1)$ .

Denote

$$W = \{\alpha \in C^N; \quad \alpha\Phi(x) = 0 \quad \text{on} \quad (0,1)\},$$

which is just  $W_A$  for  $A = (0,1)$ .

**Lemma 3.** Assume the integer translates of  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent. If  $W \neq \{0\}$ , then there is non-zero  $z_0 \in C$  such that  $(1, z_0, \dots, z_0^{N-1}) \in W$ .

**Lemma 4.** If  $\sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} z_0^j \phi(x - j) = 0$  on  $R \setminus Z$  for some non-zero  $z_0 \in C$ , then there is non-zero  $z_0' \in C$  such that

$$\sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} z_0'^j \phi(x - j) = 0 \quad \text{on } R.$$

For a moment, we assume the lemmas above hold true. We start to prove Theorem 6. By Lemma 1,  $B_0$  and  $B_1$  are nonsingular matrices. By Lemma 2 and some elementary reduction, the matter reduces to  $A = (0, 1)$ . Observe that  $\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} z_0^k \phi(x + k) = 0$  on  $(0, 1)$  implies  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} z_0^k \phi(x + k) = 0$  on  $R \setminus Z$ . By Lemma 3 and Lemma 4, the integer translates of  $\phi$  are not globally linearly independent if  $W \neq \{0\}$ . Therefore  $W = \{0\}$  and Theorem 6 holds true.

Before we start to prove the lemmas used in the proof of Theorem 6, we prove Corollary 1 first. Conversely if Corollary 1 is not true, then there exists an open set  $A \subset [0, N]$  such that  $\phi(x) = 0$  on  $A$ , i.e.,  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \delta(k) \phi(x - k) = 0$  on  $A$ . Here we define  $\delta(k) = 1$  for  $k = 0$  and 0 elsewhere. Recall that  $A \cap [0, N] = A \neq \emptyset$ . By Theorem 6  $\delta(0) = 0$ , which is a contradiction. Corollary 1 is proved.

To prove Lemma 1 to Lemma 4, we will use an elementary lemma which is also proved by Jia and Wang ([11]).

**Lemma 5.** If there exists  $z_0 \in C$  such that  $H(z_0) = H(-z_0) = 0$ , then the integer translates of  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent. Hereafter we define the characteristic polynomial  $H(z)$  by

$$H(z) = \sum_{j=0}^N c_j z^j$$

instead of  $H(\xi)$  defined in the beginning of section 1.

**Proof of Lemma 5.** Recall that  $H(1) = 2$ . Therefore  $z_0 \neq 1, -1$ . Since  $H(z_0) = H(-z_0) = 0$ , then we can write

$$H(z) = \frac{(z^2 - z_0^2)}{1 - z_0^2} H_1(z),$$

where  $H_1(z)$  is a trigonometric polynomial with  $H_1(1) = 2$ .

Let  $\phi_1$  be the solution of (1) with  $\frac{1}{2} H_1(e^{i\xi}) \frac{e^{i\xi} - z_0^2}{1 - z_0^2}$ . Therefore we get

$$\widehat{\phi}(\xi) = \frac{e^{i\xi} - z_0^2}{1 - z_0^2} \widehat{\phi}_1(\xi)$$



and

$$\phi(x) = \frac{1}{1 - z_0^2} \phi_1(x - 1) - \frac{z_0^2}{1 - z_0^2} \phi_1(x).$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} z_0^{-2j} \phi(x - j) \\ &= \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{z_0^{-2j}}{1 - z_0^2} \phi_1(x - j - 1) - \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{z_0^{-2j+2}}{1 - z_0^2} \phi_1(x - j) \\ &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

and Lemma 5 holds true.

Now we start to prove Lemma 1 to Lemma 4.

**Proof of Lemma 1.** We prove Lemma 1 in two cases.

Case 1.  $N$  is an odd integer.

Let  $B$  be a  $(N - 1) \times (N - 1)$  dimensional matrix defined by

$$B_{ij} = c_{2i-j}$$

for  $1 \leq i, j \leq N - 1$ . Observe that the first row of  $B_0$  is  $(c_0, 0, \dots, 0)$  and the last row of  $B_1$  is  $(0, \dots, 0, c_N)$ . Therefore the matters reduce to the non-singularity of the matrix  $B$ .

Write

$$\begin{aligned} H_e(z) &= \sum_i c_{2i} z^i \\ H_o(z) &= \sum_i c_{2i+1} z^i \\ Q_e(z) &= \sum_i \alpha_{2i} z^i \\ Q_o(z) &= \sum_i \alpha_{2i+1} z^i \end{aligned}$$

for  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{N-1}) \in C^{N-1}$ , where we assume  $\alpha_i = 0$  for  $i \leq 0$  and  $i \geq N$ .

Observe that if  $\det B = 0$  or  $B$  is a singular matrix then there is a non-zero vector  $\alpha \in C^{N-1}$  such that  $(1, z, \dots, z^{N-1})B\alpha$  is a zero polynomial about  $z$ . Also we know

$$(1, z, \dots, z^{N-1})B\alpha = Q_o(z)H_o(z) + z^{-1}Q_e(z)H_e(z).$$

Recall from Lemma 5 and  $H(z) = H_e(z^2) + zH_o(z^2)$  that  $H_o(z)$  and  $H_e(z)$  has no common roots. Therefore there is a polynomial  $Q(z)$  such that

$$\begin{cases} Q_o(z) = -H_e(z)Q(z) \\ z^{-1}Q_e(z) = H_o(z)Q(z) \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

Recall that the degree of  $H_o$  is  $\frac{N-1}{2}$  and the degree of  $Q_e(z)z^{-1}$  does not exceed  $\frac{N-3}{2}$ . Therefore  $Q(z) = 0$  and  $Q_o(z) = Q_e(z) = 0$ , which contradicts to  $\alpha \neq 0$ . Hence  $B_0$  and  $B_1$  are not singular matrices in Case 1.

Case 2.  $N$  is an even integer.

By the same procedure as used in Case 1, the matter reduces to  $Q_o(z)H_o(z) + a^{-1}Q_e(z)H_e(z) = 0$  being a zero polynomial only for zero vector  $\alpha \in C^{N-1}$ . Also we know (5) hold true. Recall that the degree of  $H_e$  is  $\frac{N}{2}$  and the degree of  $Q_o(z)$  does not exceed  $\frac{N-2}{2}$ . Therefore  $Q(z) = 0$  and  $Q_o(z) = Q_e(z) = 0$ , which implies  $\alpha = 0$ . Hence  $B_0$  and  $B_1$  are not singular matrices in Case 2. Lemma 1 is proved. ■

**Proof of Lemma 2.** Without loss of generality we assume  $A$  is an open interval  $(a, b) \subset (0, 1)$ . Recall that

$$\begin{aligned} B_0\Phi(2x) &= \Phi(x) \quad \text{for } 0 < x < \frac{1}{2} \\ B_1\Phi(2x-1) &= \Phi(x) \quad \text{for } \frac{1}{2} < x < 1. \end{aligned}$$

For  $d \in C^N$ , we denote  $d_\epsilon = dB_\epsilon$  for  $\epsilon = 0$  and 1. Therefore we observe that

$$d_0\Phi(x) = 0 \quad \text{on } (2a, \min(1, 2b))$$

when  $b \leq \frac{1}{2}$  or  $a + b \leq 1$  and

$$d_1\Phi(x) = 0 \quad (\max(2a-1, 0), 2b-1)$$

when  $a \geq \frac{1}{2}$  or  $a + b > 1$ .

Recall that  $B_0$  and  $B_1$  are nonsingular matrices. Hence from above observation we get that when  $(a, b) \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$  or  $(\frac{1}{2}, 1)$  there are an open interval  $(a', b')$  with length  $2(b-a)$  and a non-zero  $d' \in C^N$  such that  $d'\Phi(x) = 0$  on  $(a', b')$ , and when  $(a, b) \ni \frac{1}{2}$  there are an open interval  $(0, b')$  and a non-zero  $d'' \in C^N$  such that  $d''\Phi(x) = 0$  on  $(0, b')$ . By the observation above we can find a non-zero  $d''' \in C^N$  such that  $d'''\Phi(x) = 0$  on  $(0, 1)$ . Lemma 2 is proved.

**Proof of Lemma 3.** Write

$$H_e(z) = \sum_j c_{2j} z^j$$

and

$$H_o(z) = \sum_j c_{2j+1} z^j.$$

Therefore we have

$$(1, z, \dots, z^{N-1})B_0 = (H_e(z), zH_o(z), zH_e(z), \dots, z^{\frac{N-1}{2}}H_o(z), z^{\frac{N-1}{2}}H_e(z)) \quad (6)$$

$$(1, z, \dots, z^{N-1})B_1 = (H_o(z), H_e(z), \dots, z^{\frac{N-3}{2}}H_o(z), z^{\frac{N-3}{2}}H_e(z), z^{\frac{N-1}{2}}H_o(z)) \quad (7)$$

when  $N$  is odd and

$$(1, z, \dots, z^{N-1})B_0 = (H_e(z), zH_o(z), zH_e(z), \dots, z^{\frac{N-2}{2}}H_o(z), z^{\frac{N-2}{2}}H_e(z), z^{\frac{N}{2}}H_o(z)) \quad (8)$$

$$(1, z, \dots, z^{N-1})B_1 = (H_o(z), H_e(z), \dots, z^{\frac{N-2}{2}}H_o(z), z^{\frac{N-2}{2}}H_e(z)) \quad (9)$$

when  $N$  is even.

Denote by  $V$  the dual space of  $W$ , i.e

$$V = \{e, \quad we = 0, \quad \forall w \in W\}.$$

Let

$$e_i = \begin{pmatrix} e_{i1} \\ e_{i2} \\ \vdots \\ e_{iN} \end{pmatrix}$$

( $1 \leq i \leq m$ ) be a basis of  $V$ . Denote

$$E_i(z) = \sum_{1 \leq j \leq N} e_{ij} z^j$$

$$E_{ie}(z) = \sum_{1 \leq 2k \leq N} e_{i(2k)} z^k$$

$$E_{io}(z) = \sum_{1 \leq 2k+1 \leq N} e_{i(2k+1)} z^k.$$

Hence the matter reduces to  $(E_1(z), \dots, E_m(z)) = 0$  for some non-zero  $z_0 \in C$  when  $1 \leq m \leq n-1$ .

Recall that  $WB_0 = W$  and  $WB_1 = W$ . Therefore  $B_0V = V$  and  $B_1V = V$ . In other words, there exist nonsingular matrices  $B_m^\epsilon = (\lambda_{ij}^\epsilon)_{1 \leq i, j \leq m}$  such that

$$B_\epsilon e_i = \sum_{1 \leq j \leq m} \lambda_{ij}^\epsilon e_j$$

for  $\epsilon = 0$  and 1. Hence from (6)-(9) we get

$$\begin{cases} H_e(z)E_{io}(z) + H_o(z)E_{ie}(z) = \sum_{1 \leq j \leq m} \lambda_{ij}^0 E_j(z) \\ H_o(z)E_{io}(z) + z^{-1}H_e(z)E_{ie}(z) = \sum_{1 \leq j \leq m} \lambda_{ij}^1 E_j(z) \end{cases} \quad (10)$$

for  $1 \leq i \leq m$ . Write (10) in matrix form

$$\begin{cases} H_e(z)E_0(z) + H_0(z)E_e(z) = B_m^0 E(z) \\ z^{-1}H_e(z)E_e(z) + H_0(z)E_0(z) = B_m^1 E(z), \end{cases} \quad (11)$$

where we denote

$$E_o(z) = \begin{pmatrix} E_{1o}(z) \\ E_{2o}(z) \\ \vdots \\ E_{mo}(z) \end{pmatrix},$$

$$E_e(z) = \begin{pmatrix} E_{1e}(z) \\ E_{2e}(z) \\ \vdots \\ E_{me}(z) \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$E(z) = \begin{pmatrix} E_1(z) \\ E_2(z) \\ \vdots \\ E_m(z) \end{pmatrix}.$$

Therefore we have

$$z^{-1}H_e(z)CE_e(z) + H_o(z)CE_o(z) = H_e(z)E_o(z) + H_o(z)E_e(z),$$

where we define  $C = B_m^0(B_m^1)^{-1}$ .

Recall from Lemma 5 that  $H_e(z)$  and  $H_0(z)$  has no symmetric roots. So we have

$$\begin{aligned} z^{-1}CE_e(z) - E_o(z) &= \bar{P}(z)H_o(z) \\ CE_o(z) - E_e(z) &= -\bar{P}(z)H_e(z), \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

where

$$\bar{P}(z) = \begin{pmatrix} P_1(z) \\ P_2(z) \\ \vdots \\ P_m(z) \end{pmatrix}.$$

and  $P_i(z)$  ( $1 \leq i \leq m$ ) are Laurent polynomials. For a Laurent polynomial  $Q(z) = \sum_{k_2 \leq k \leq k_1} a_k z^k$  with  $a_k \neq 0$  and  $a_{k_2} \neq 0$ , we define  $d^-(Q) = k_2$  and  $d^+(Q) = k_1$ . For the vector  $\bar{P}(z)$ , we define  $d^-(\bar{P}) = \min_{1 \leq i \leq m} d^-(P_i)$  and  $d^+(\bar{P}) = \max_{1 \leq i \leq m} d^+(P_i)$ . Observe that  $d^+(E_0) \leq \lceil \frac{N-1}{2} \rceil$ ,  $d^-(E_0) \geq 0$  and  $d^+(E_e) \leq \lfloor \frac{N}{2} \rfloor$ ,  $d^-(E_e) \geq 0$ , where we denote  $[x]$  the integer part of  $x$ .

On other hand by  $c_0 \neq 0$  and  $c_N \neq 0$ , we have

$$d^+(H_o) = \frac{N-1}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad d^-(H_e) = 0$$

when  $N$  is odd and

$$d^+(H_e) = \frac{N}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad d^-(H_o) = 0$$

when  $N$  is even. Therefore we have  $d^+(\bar{P}) \leq 0$  and  $d^-(\bar{P}) \geq 0$ . This implies  $P$  is a constant vector, i.e.,  $P_i(z)$  are constant polynomials.

In other words, we can write (12) as

$$\begin{aligned} z^{-1}CE_e(z) - E_0(z) &= \alpha H_o(z) \\ CE_o(z) - E_0(z) &= -\alpha H_e(z) \end{aligned} \tag{13}$$

for some  $\alpha \in C^m$ . Therefore we have

$$\begin{aligned} (z^{-1}C^2 - I)E_e &= C\alpha H_o(z) - \alpha H_e(z) \\ (z^{-1}C^2 - I)E_o &= -C\alpha z^{-1}H_e(z) + \alpha H_o(z), \end{aligned} \tag{14}$$

where  $I$  is the  $m \times m$  dimensional identity matrix. Taking the identity (14) into (11), we get

$$\begin{aligned} &(z^{-1}C^2 - I)B_m^0 E(z) \\ &= H_e(z)(-C\alpha z^{-1}H_e(z) + \alpha H_o(z)) + H_o(z)(C\alpha H_o(z) - \alpha H_e(z)) \\ &= C\alpha(-z^{-1}H_e^2(z) + H_o^2(z)), \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(C^2 - zI)B_m^0 E(z) = C\alpha(-H_e^2(z) + zH_o^2(z)).$$

From  $c_0 \neq 0$  and  $c_N \neq 0$ , we have  $d^+(zH_o^2(z) - H_e(z)^2) = N$  and  $d^-(zH_o^2(z) - H_e(z)^2) = 0$ . Therefore  $zH_o^2(z) - H_e^2(z)$  has exactly  $N$  roots (with multiplicity). On other hand  $(C^2 - zI)$  has exactly  $m$  eigenvalues (with multiplicity). Recall that  $m \leq N - 1$ . Therefore there exists  $z_0 \in C$  such that  $E(z_0) = 0$ . We finish the proof of Lemma 3.

**Proof of Lemma 4.** Let  $z_0$  be a non-zero complex number such that

$$\sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} z_0^j \phi(x+j) = 0 \quad \text{on } R \setminus Z.$$

Let  $\delta_k^s$  be the delta ditribution defined by

$$\langle \delta_k^s, f \rangle = \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)^s f(k).$$

Therefore there exists an integer  $k$  and some  $a_s \in C$  ( $0 \leq s \leq k$ ) such that

$$\sum_{j \in Z} z_0^j \phi(x + j) = \sum_{j \in Z} z_0^j \left( \sum_{0 \leq s \leq k} a_s \delta_j^s \right). \quad (15)$$

Obviously if  $a_s = 0$  for all  $0 \leq s \leq k$  then Lemma 4 holds for  $z'_0 = z_0$ . Now we assume  $a_s$  ( $0 \leq s \leq k$ ) are not complete zero.

Taking Fourier transform in both side of (15), we get

$$\widehat{\phi}(\theta + 2\pi k) = R(\theta + 2\pi k) \quad (16)$$

for  $k \in Z$ , where  $\exp(\theta) = z_0$  and a polynomial  $R(x) = \sum_{0 \leq s \leq k} a_s x^s$ . Recall that  $\widehat{\phi}(2x) = H(x)\widehat{\phi}(x)$  and

$$\widehat{\phi}(\theta + 2^m k \pi) = \prod_{1 \leq j \leq m-1} H(2^{-j} \theta) \widehat{\phi}(2^{-m+1} \theta + 2k \pi).$$

Therefore by the continuity of  $\widehat{\phi}$  we have

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \widehat{\phi}(\theta + 2^m k \pi) = \widehat{\phi}(\theta) \widehat{\phi}(2k \pi) \quad (17)$$

for all  $k \in Z$ . On other hand if the degree of  $R$  is not zero then  $R(\theta + 2^m k \pi)$  tends to infinite as  $m$  tends to infinite. Hence the degree of  $R$  must be zero. By (16) and (17), we have

$$\widehat{\phi}(\theta) \widehat{\phi}(2k \pi) = a_0 \neq 0.$$

and

$$\widehat{\phi}(2k \pi) = \widehat{\phi}(2k' \pi)$$

for all  $k, k' \in Z$  Recall that  $H$  is a periodic function with period  $2\pi$ . Therefore we can inductively prove that

$$\widehat{\phi}\left(\frac{m}{2^s} \pi\right) = \widehat{\phi}\left(\frac{m'}{2^s} \pi\right),$$

when  $\frac{m-m'}{2^{s+1}}$  is an integer. By the continuity of  $\widehat{\phi}$ , we have

$$\widehat{\phi}(y) = \widehat{\phi}(y + 2\pi)$$

for all  $y \in R$ , i.e.,  $\widehat{\phi}$  is a periodic function with period  $2\pi$ . Hence we have

$$\text{supp } \phi \subset \{0, 1, \dots, N\},$$

and we can write

$$\phi(x) = \sum_{k=0}^N d(k)\delta_k^0.$$

Recall that  $c_0 \neq 0$  and  $c_N \neq 0$ . Therefore there exists  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  such that  $k_1 \neq k_2$ ,  $d(k_1) \neq 0$  and  $d(k_2) \neq 0$ . By the algebraic fundamental theorem, there exists non-zero complex number  $z'_0$  such that  $\sum_{k=0}^N d(k)z_0'^k = 0$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} z_0'^j \phi(x+j) &= \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} z_0'^j \sum_{k=0}^N d(k)\delta_{k-j}^0 \\ &= \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \delta_m^0 z_0'^{-m} \left( \sum_{k=0}^N d(k)z_0'^k \right) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

and Lemma 4 holds true.

### 3. Global Linear Independence

In this section we use a method in [4] to prove Theorem 2 which is also proved by Jia and Wang ([11]).

First the necessity. By Lemma 5, we have  $P(z)$  has no symmetric roots on  $C \setminus \{0\}$ . Recall that  $P(0) = c_0 \neq 0$ . Therefore (i) holds. Conversely we assume (ii) do not hold. Therefore there is  $x \in R$  such that  $\widehat{\phi}(x + 2\pi k) = 0$  for all  $k \in Z$  by Theorem 1 in [4]. Therefore  $x \in N(\phi)$ , which contradicts to  $N(\phi) = \emptyset$  by Theorem 1.1 in [13]. Hence (i) and (ii) hold.

Second the sufficiency. By the assumption (ii) and (i) for  $|z| = 1$ , we have  $N(\phi) \cap R = \emptyset$ . Conversely we assume there exists  $z_0 \in C$  with non-zero imaginary part such that  $\widehat{\phi}(z_0 + 2k\pi) = 0$  for all  $k \in Z$ . Observe that

$$2^{-j}(z_0 + 2k\pi) \not\equiv 2^{-j'}(z_0 + 2k'\pi) \pmod{2\pi}$$

for  $j \neq j'$  and  $k, k' \in Z$ . Here we say  $x \not\equiv y \pmod{2\pi}$  if  $\frac{x-y}{2\pi}$  is not an integer. Denote

$$D_j = \{k; H(2^{-j}(z_0 + 2k\pi)) = 0\}.$$

Therefore  $k \in D_j$  if and only if  $k + 2^j \in D_j$ . Recall that  $H$  is a trigonometric polynomial. Therefore there exist  $M \in Z$  such that  $D_j = \emptyset$  for all  $j \geq M + 1$  and  $\cup_{1 \leq j \leq M} D_j = Z$ . On

other hand (i) implies  $|H(\xi)|^2 + |H(\xi + \pi)|^2 \neq 0$  for  $\xi \in C \setminus R$ . Therefore  $k \in D_j$  implies  $k + 2^{j-1} \notin D_j$  for  $1 \leq j \leq M$ . Denote

$$B_j = Z \setminus \bigcup_{1 \leq s \leq j} D_s$$

for  $1 \leq j \leq M$ . Obviously  $B_1$  is not empty set. Inductively we assume  $B_{s-1}$  is not empty set where  $s \leq M$ . Therefore there exists  $k \in B_{s-1}$ . Recall that  $k$  and  $k + 2^{s-1} \in B_{s-1}$  and that at most one of  $k$  and  $k + 2^{s-1}$  is contained in  $D_s$ . Therefore  $B_s$  is not empty set and  $B_M$  is also not empty set by induction, which contradicts  $B_M = \emptyset$ . Hence  $N(\phi) = \emptyset$  and the sufficiency of Theorem 2 is proved by Theorem 1.1 in [13].

#### 4. Compactly Supported Distributions In $V_1$

Before we start to prove Theorem 3, we give a characterization to global linear independence. Recall that  $\psi \in V_1$ . We write

$$\psi(x) = \sum_{k \in Z} d_k \phi(2x - k).$$

To prove  $\{d_k\}_{k \in Z}$  is a finite sequence, i.e., there exists  $\tilde{N}$  such that  $d_k = 0$  for  $|k| > \tilde{N}$ , we will use the following lemma.

**Lemma 6** ([14]) Assume that the integer translates of a compactly supported distribution  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent. Then there exists a bounded set  $A$  such that the conditions

$$\sum_{k \in Z} c(k) \phi(x + k) = 0 \quad \text{on } A \quad \text{and} \quad \text{supp} E^k \phi \cap A \neq \emptyset$$

imply  $c(k) = 0$ .

Recall that  $\psi$  is compactly supported distribution and the integer translates of  $\phi$  are globally linearly independent. Therefore there exists  $\bar{N}$  such that  $d_k = 0$  for  $|k| \geq \bar{N}$ . Now we can write

$$\psi(x) = \sum_{k=N_1}^{N_2} d_k \phi(2x - k), \tag{18}$$

where  $d_{N_1} \neq 0$  and  $d_{N_2} \neq 0$ . Recall from Corollary 1 that  $\text{supp} \phi = [0, N]$ . Therefore the supporting interval of  $\psi$  is just  $[\frac{N_1}{2}, \frac{N+N_2}{2}]$ .

**Theorem 7.** The integer translates of  $\psi$  are globally linearly independent if and only if  $\mu(z)$  has no symmetric roots, where the ‘‘symbol’’ polynomial is defined by

$$\mu(z) = \sum_{k=N_1}^{N_2} d_k z^k.$$



**Proof of Theorem 7.** The necessity. Assume  $\mu(z_0) = \mu(-z_0) = 0$  for some non-zero  $z_0 \in C$ . Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{k \in Z} z_0^{-2k} \psi(x - k) \\
&= \sum_{k \in Z} z_0^{-2k} \sum_{j=N_1}^{N_2} d_j \phi(2x - 2k - j) \\
&= \sum_{k \in Z} \phi(2x - k) \left( \sum_{\substack{N_1 \leq j \leq N_2 \\ k-j \text{ even}}} z_0^j d_j \right) \cdot z_0^{-k} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k \in Z} z_0^{-k} \phi(2x - k) \cdot (\mu(z_0) + \mu(-z_0)(-1)^k) \\
&= 0.
\end{aligned}$$

and the integer translates of  $\psi$  are not globally linearly independent, which is a contradiction. The necessity is proved.

The sufficiency. Conversely if the sufficiency is not true, then by Theorem 1.1 in [13] there is  $\theta \in C$  such that

$$\sum_{k \in Z} e^{2i\theta k} \psi(x - k) = 0 \quad \text{on } R.$$

On other hand by (18) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{k \in Z} e^{2i\theta k} \psi(x - k) \\
&= \sum_{k \in Z} \phi(2x - h) \sum_{\substack{N_1 \leq j \leq N_2 \\ h-j \text{ even}}} d_j e^{-ij\theta} \quad \text{on } R.
\end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 1 and 2 we have

$$\sum_{\substack{N_1 \leq j \leq N_2 \\ j \text{ even}}} d_j e^{-ij\theta} = 0$$

and

$$\sum_{\substack{N_1 \leq j \leq N_2 \\ j \text{ odd}}} d_j e^{-ij\theta} = 0.$$

Hence  $\mu(e^{-i\theta}) = \mu(-e^{-i\theta}) = 0$  and  $\mu(z)$  has a symmetric root  $e^{-i\theta}$ , which is a contradiction. Hence the sufficiency is proved and Theorem 7 is proved.

**Proof of Theorem 3** Without loss of generality we assume  $N_2 = 0$  or 1, otherwise we replaced  $\psi$  be shifted distribution  $E^{-[\frac{N_1}{2}]} \psi$ . We divide two cases to prove Theorem 3.

Case 1.  $N + N_2 + N_1$  is even integer.

Case 1.1.  $N_1=0$

Denote  $m = \frac{N+N_2}{2}$ . By (4),  $\text{supp}\psi \subset [0, m]$ . By some simple reduction, the matter reduces to  $A \subset (0, 1)$ . Let  $\{\psi_k\}_{k=-m+1}^0$  be a sequence such that

$$\sum_{-m+1 \leq k \leq 0} a_k \psi(x-k) = 0 \quad \text{on } A, \quad (19)$$

i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{-m+1 \leq k \leq 0} a_k \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} d_j \phi(2x - 2k - j) \\ &= \sum_{h \in \mathbb{Z}} \phi(2x - h) \sum_{-m+1 \leq k \leq 0} d_{h-2k} a_k \\ &= 0. \quad \text{on } A. \end{aligned}$$

Hereafter we assume  $d_j = 0$  for  $j \leq N_1 - 1$  and for  $j \geq N_2 + 1$ . Recall by Theorem 1 and 2 that the integer translates of  $\phi$  are locally linearly independent. Therefore we have

$$\sum_{-m+1 \leq k \leq 0} d_{h-2k} a_k = 0 \quad (20)$$

for  $-N + 1 \leq h \leq 0$  when  $A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) \neq \emptyset$  and for  $-N \leq h \leq -1$  when  $A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) = \emptyset$ . In matrix notation we write (20) as

$$D_A F = 0. \quad (21)$$

Here we define the vector

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} a_0 \\ a_{-1} \\ \vdots \\ a_{-m+1} \end{pmatrix}$$

and the  $N \times m$  matrix  $D_A$  by

$$(D_A)_{ij} = d_{i-2j}$$

for  $-N + 1 \leq i \leq 0$  and  $-m + 1 \leq j \leq 0$  when  $A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) \neq \emptyset$  and for  $-N + 2 \leq i \leq 1$  and  $-m + 1 \leq j \leq 0$  when  $A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) = \emptyset$ .

First the necessity. Denote by  $r(D_A)$  the rank of the matrix  $D_A$ . Obviously it suffices to show there exists a no-zero sequence  $\{a_k\}_{-m+1}^0$  such that (19) holds on  $(0, \frac{1}{2})$  for every

$N_2 \geq N + 1$ . Observe that  $r(D_A) \leq N$  and  $m \geq N + 1$ . Therefore there exists a non-zero vector  $F$  or non-zero sequence  $\{a_k\}_{k=-m+1}^0$  such that  $D_A F = 0$ . Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{-m+1 \leq k \leq 0} a_k \psi(x - k) \\ &= \sum_{h \in Z} \phi(2x - h) \sum_{-m+1 \leq k \leq 0} d_{h-2k} a_k \\ &= 0 \quad \text{on} \quad \left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right), \end{aligned}$$

which contradicts local linear independence of the integer translates of  $\psi$  since  $\text{supp} \psi = [\frac{N_1}{2}, \frac{N+N_2}{2}]$  and  $\text{supp} \psi(\cdot - k) \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) \neq \emptyset$  for  $-m + 1 \leq k \leq 0$ .

The necessity in Case 1.1 is proved.

Second the sufficiency. Obviously it suffices to prove  $D_A F = 0$  holds only for  $F = 0$ , or to prove  $r(D_A) = m \leq N$  when  $N_2 \leq N$ . Let  $\widetilde{D}_A$  be a  $N \times m$  matrix defined by

$$(\widetilde{D}_A)_{ij} = \widetilde{d}_{2j-i}$$

when  $A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) \neq \emptyset$  and

$$(\widetilde{D}_A)_{ij} = \widetilde{d}_{2j-i-1}$$

when  $A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) = \emptyset$ , where  $1 \leq i \leq N$  and  $1 \leq j \leq m$ . Hereafter we denote  $\widetilde{d}_j = d_{N_2-j}$  for  $j \in Z$ . Obviously  $r(\widetilde{D}_A) = r(D_A)$ . Denote the transpose of  $\widetilde{D}_A$  by  $D_A^*$ . Hence the matter reduces to the construction of nonsingular  $m$  dimensional submatrix  $E$  of  $D_A^*$ . We divide two cases to construct  $E$  explicitly. The construction  $E$  when  $A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) = \emptyset$  is similar to the one when  $A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) \neq \emptyset$ . We only construct  $E$  explicitly when  $A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2}) \neq \emptyset$  here.

Case 1.1.a.  $N_2$  is an even integer

Write

$$D_A^* = \begin{pmatrix} E_1 & E_2 \\ 0 & E_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $N_2 \times N_2$  matrix  $E_1$  is defined by

$$(E_1)_{ij} = \widetilde{d}_{2i-j}$$

for  $1 \leq i, j \leq N_2$  and  $0$  is the zero matrix.

We construct  $E$  in Case 1.1.a as follows. Let the  $k$ -row of  $E$  be the  $k$ -row of  $D_A^*$  for  $1 \leq k \leq N_2$  and be the  $(2k - N_2)$ -row of  $D_A^*$  for  $N_2 + 1 \leq k \leq m$ . Recall that  $2m - N_2 = N$ . So our construction of  $E$  is convenient. Furthermore we can write

$$E = \begin{pmatrix} E_1 & E'_2 \\ 0 & E'_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $E'_3$  is a  $(m - N_2)$  dimensional upper triangular matrix with diagonal elements  $\tilde{d}_N \neq 0$  identically. By the proof of Lemma 1 and Theorem 7,  $E_1$  is nonsingular matrix or  $r(E_1) = N_2$ . Therefore  $r(E) = m$  and the construction of  $E$  in Case 1.1.a is finished.

Case 1.1.b.  $N_2$  is an odd integer.

Write

$$D_A^* = \begin{pmatrix} E_4 & 0 \\ E_5 & E_6 \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $E_6$  is a  $N_2$  dimensional matrix defined by

$$(E_6)_{ij} = \tilde{d}_{2i-j}$$

for  $1 \leq i, j \leq N_2$ .

We construct  $E$  as follows. Let the  $k$ -row of  $E$  be the  $(2k)$ -row of  $D_A^*$  for  $1 \leq k \leq \frac{N-N_2}{2}$  and the  $(k + \frac{N-N_2}{2})$  row of  $D_A^*$  for  $\frac{N-N_2}{2} + 1 \leq k \leq m$ . Therefore we can write

$$E = \begin{pmatrix} E'_4 & 0 \\ E'_5 & E_6 \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $E'_4$  is a  $(m - N_2)$  dimensional lower triangular matrix with diagonal element  $\tilde{d}_0 \neq 0$  identically. By the proof of Lemma 1 and Theorem 7,  $E_6$  is a nonsingular matrix. Therefore  $r(E) = m$  and the construction of  $E$  Case 1.1.b is finished.

We finish the proof of the sufficiency in Case 1.1.

Case 1.2  $N_1 = 1$ .

Obviously  $\text{supp}\psi \subset [\frac{1}{2}, \frac{N+N_2}{2}]$ . Denote  $m' = \frac{N+N_2-1}{2}$ . Observe that the set  $\{j, [\frac{1}{2} + j; \frac{N+N_2}{2} + j] \cap A \neq \emptyset\}$  is  $\{j, -m' \leq j \leq -1\}$  for  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$ ,  $\{j, -m' + 1 \leq j \leq 0\}$  for  $A \subset (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$  and  $\{j, -m' \leq j \leq 0\}$  for  $\frac{1}{2} \in A$ . It is easy to see that the conclusion for  $\frac{1}{2} \in A$  would follow from the conclusions for  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$  and  $A \subset (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$  because  $A = (A \cap (0, \frac{1}{2})) \cup (A \cap (\frac{1}{2}, 1)) \cup \{\frac{1}{2}\}$ . Hence the matter reduces to the two cases  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$  and  $A \subset (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$ . Define  $N \times m'$  matrix by

$$(D_A)_{ij} = d_{i-2j}$$

for  $-N + 1 \leq i \leq 0$  and  $-m' \leq j \leq -1$  when  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$  and for  $-N \leq i \leq -1$  and  $-m' + 1 \leq j \leq 0$  when  $A \subset (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$ . Denote

$$F_A = \begin{pmatrix} a_\varepsilon \\ a_{\varepsilon-1} \\ \vdots \\ a_{\varepsilon-m'+1} \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $\varepsilon = 0$  for  $A \subset (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$  and  $\varepsilon = -1$  for  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$ . Therefore we establish the equation corresponding to (21)

$$D_A F_A = 0. \quad (22)$$

By the procedure used in Case 1.1 and (22), we prove Theorem 3 in Case 1.2. We finish the proof of Theorem 3 in Case 1.

Case 2.  $N + N_2 + N_1$  is an odd integer

Case 2.1  $N_1 = 0$

First we have  $\text{supp}\psi \subset [0, \frac{N+N_2}{2}]$ . As in Case 1.2, it suffices to consider the two case  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$  and  $A \subset (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$ . Denote  $m'' = \frac{N+N_2-1}{2}$ . Observe that  $\{j, [j, j + \frac{N+N_2}{2}] \cap A \neq \emptyset\}$  is  $\{j; -m'' \leq j \leq 0\}$  for  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$  and  $\{j; -m'' + 1 \leq j \leq 0\}$  for  $A \subset (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$ . Define the matrix  $D_A$  by

$$(D_A)_{ij} = d_{i-2j}$$

for  $-N + 1 \leq i \leq 0$  and  $-m'' \leq j \leq 0$  for  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$  and for  $-N \leq i \leq -1$  and  $-m'' + 1 \leq j \leq 0$  for  $A \subset (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$ . Here we should point out  $D_A$  is  $N \times (m'' + 1)$  matrix for  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$ . Similarly we define

$$F_A = \begin{pmatrix} a_0 \\ a_{-1} \\ \vdots \\ a_{-m''} \end{pmatrix}$$

when  $A \subset (0, \frac{1}{2})$  and

$$F_A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{-1} \\ \vdots \\ a_{-m''} \end{pmatrix}$$

when  $A \subset (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$ . Then we establish the equation corresponding to (21)

$$D_A F_A = 0. \quad (23)$$

By the procedure used in Case 1.1 we can prove Theorem 3 in Case 2.1.

Case 2.2  $N_1 = 1$ .

We can also establish an equation corresponding to (22). By the procedure used in Case 1.2 we can prove Theorem 3 in Case 2.2. We omit the details here. The proof of Theorem 3 is finished.

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