

# STABILITY CRITERION FOR CONVOLUTION-DOMINATED INFINITE MATRICES

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ABSTRACT. Let  $\ell^p$  be the space of all  $p$ -summable sequences on  $\mathbb{Z}$ . An infinite matrix is said to have  $\ell^p$ -stability if it is bounded and has bounded inverse on  $\ell^p$ . In this paper, a practical criterion is established for the  $\ell^p$ -stability of convolution-dominated infinite matrices.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $\mathcal{C}$  be the set of all infinite matrices  $A := (a(j, j'))_{j, j' \in \mathbb{Z}}$  with

$$\|A\|_{\mathcal{C}} = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \sup_{j-j'=k} |a(j, j')| < \infty.$$

Let  $\ell^p := \ell^p(\mathbb{Z})$  be the set of all  $p$ -summable sequences on  $\mathbb{Z}$  with the standard norm  $\|\cdot\|_p$ . An infinite matrix  $A := (a(j, j'))_{j, j' \in \mathbb{Z}} \in \mathcal{C}$  defines a bounded linear operator on  $\ell^p$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , in the sense that

$$(1.1) \quad Ac = \left( \sum_{j' \in \mathbb{Z}} a(j, j')c(j') \right)_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$$

where  $c = (c(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \in \ell^p$ . Given a summable sequence  $h = (h(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \in \ell^1$ , define the *convolution operator*  $C_h$  on  $\ell^p$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , by

$$(1.2) \quad C_h : \ell^p \ni (b(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \mapsto \left( \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} h(j-k)b(k) \right)_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \in \ell^p.$$

Observe that the linear operator associated with an infinite matrix  $A \in \mathcal{C}$  is dominated by a convolution operator in the sense that

$$(1.3) \quad |(Ac)(j)| \leq (C_h|c|)(j) := \sum_{j' \in \mathbb{Z}} h(j-j')|c(j')|, \quad j \in \mathbb{Z}$$

for any sequence  $c = (c(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \in \ell^p$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , where  $|c| = (|c(j)|)_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  and the sequence  $(\sup_{j-j'=k} |a(j, j')|)_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$  can be chosen to be the sequence  $h = (h(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  in (1.3). So infinite matrices in the set  $\mathcal{C}$  are said to be *convolution-dominated*.

Convolution-dominated infinite matrices were introduced by Gohberg, Kaashoek, and Woerdeman [12] as a generalization of Toeplitz matrices. They showed that the class  $\mathcal{C}$  equipped with the standard matrix multiplication and the above norm  $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{C}}$  is an inverse-closed Banach subalgebra of  $\mathcal{B}(\ell^p)$  for  $p = 2$ . Here  $\mathcal{B}(\ell^p)$ ,  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , is the space of all bounded linear operators on  $\ell^p$  with the standard operator norm, and a subalgebra  $\mathcal{A}$  of a Banach algebra  $\mathcal{B}$  is said to be *inverse-closed* if an operator  $T \in \mathcal{A}$  has an inverse  $T^{-1}$  in  $\mathcal{B}$  then  $T^{-1} \in \mathcal{A}$  ([7, 11, 21]). The inverse-closed property for convolution-dominated infinite matrices was rediscovered by Sjöstrand [25]

with a completely different proof and an application to a deep theorem about pseudodifferential operators. Recently Shin and Sun [23] generalized Gohberg, Kaashoek and Woerdeman's result and proved that the class  $\mathcal{C}$  is an inverse-closed Banach subalgebra of  $\mathcal{B}(\ell^p)$  for any  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . The readers may refer to [5, 10, 20, 23, 25, 27] and the references therein for related results and various generalizations on the inverse-closed property for convolution-dominated infinite matrices.

Convolution-dominated infinite matrices arise and have been used in the study of spline approximation ([8, 9]), wavelets and affine frames ([6, 18]), Gabor frames and non-uniform sampling ([3, 14, 15, 26]), and pseudo-differential operators ([13, 16, 24, 25] and the references therein). Examples of convolution-dominated infinite matrices include the infinite matrix  $(a(j - j'))_{j, j' \in \mathbb{Z}}$  associated with convolution operators, and the infinite matrix  $(a(j - j')e^{-2\pi\sqrt{-1}\theta j'(j-j')})_{i, j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  associated with twisted convolution operators, where  $\theta \in \mathbb{R}$  and the sequence  $a = (a(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  satisfies  $\sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} |a(j)| < \infty$  ([1, 14, 19, 27, 29]).

A convolution-dominated infinite matrix  $A$  is said to have  $\ell^p$ -stability if there are two positive constants  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  such that

$$(1.4) \quad C_1 \|c\|_p \leq \|Ac\|_p \leq C_2 \|c\|_p \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p.$$

The  $\ell^p$ -stability is one of basic assumptions for infinite matrices arising in the study of spline approximation, Gabor time-frequency analysis, nonuniform sampling, and algebra of pseudo-differential operators, see [1, 3, 6, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29] and the references therein. **Practical criteria** for the  $\ell^p$ -stability of a convolution-dominated infinite matrix will play important roles in the further study of those topics.

However, up to the knowledge of the author, little is known about practical criteria for the  $\ell^p$ -stability of an infinite matrix. For an infinite matrix  $A = (a(j - j'))_{j, j' \in \mathbb{Z}}$  associated with convolution operators, there is a very useful criterion for its  $\ell^p$ -stability. It states that  $A$  has  $\ell^p$ -stability if and only if the Fourier series  $\hat{a}(\xi) := \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} a(j)e^{-ij\xi}$  of the generating sequence  $a = (a(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \in \ell^1$  does not vanish on the real line, i.e.,

$$(1.5) \quad \hat{a}(\xi) \neq 0 \quad \text{for all } \xi \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Applying this criterion for the  $\ell^p$ -stability, one concludes that the spectrum  $\sigma_p(C_a)$  of the convolution operator  $C_a$  as an operator on  $\ell^p$  is independent of  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , i.e.,

$$(1.6) \quad \sigma_p(C_a) = \sigma_q(C_a) \quad \text{for all } 1 \leq p, q \leq \infty$$

see [4, 17, 22, 23] and the references therein for the discussion on spectrum of various convolution operators. Applying the above criterion again, together with the classical Wiener's lemma ([29]), it follows that the inverse of an  $\ell^p$ -stable convolution operator  $C_a$  is a convolution operator  $C_b$  associated with another summable sequence  $b$ .

For a convolution-dominated infinite matrix  $A = (a(j, j'))_{j, j' \in \mathbb{Z}}$ , a popular sufficient condition for its  $\ell^1$ -stability and  $\ell^\infty$ -stability is that  $A$  is *diagonal-dominated*,

i.e.,

$$(1.7) \quad \inf_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \left( |a(j, j)| - \max \left( \sum_{j' \neq j} |a(j, j')|, \sum_{j' \neq j} |a(j', j)| \right) \right) > 0.$$

In this paper, we provide a practical criterion for the  $\ell^p$ -stability of convolution-dominated infinite matrices. We show that a convolution-dominated infinite matrix  $A$  has  $\ell^p$ -stability if and only if it has certain “diagonal-blocks-dominated” property (see Theorem 2.1 for the precise statement).

## 2. MAIN THEOREM

To state our criterion for the  $\ell^p$ -stability of convolution-dominated infinite matrices, we introduce two concepts. Given an infinite matrix  $A$ , define the *truncation matrices*  $A_s, s \geq 0$ , by

$$A_s = (a(i, j)\chi_{(-s, s)}(i - j))_{i, j \in \mathbb{Z}}$$

where  $\chi_E$  is the characteristic function on a set  $E$ . Given  $y \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $1 \leq N \in \mathbb{Z}$ , define the operator  $\chi_y^N$  on  $\ell^p$  by

$$\chi_y^N : \ell^p \ni (c(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \mapsto (c(j)\chi_{(-N, N)}(j - y))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} \in \ell^p.$$

The operator  $\chi_y^N$  is a diagonal matrix  $\text{diag}(\chi_{(-N, N)}(j - y))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , and  $A$  be a convolution-dominated infinite matrix in the class  $\mathcal{C}$ . Then the following statements are equivalent.*

- (i) *The infinite matrix  $A$  has  $\ell^p$ -stability.*
- (ii) *There exist a positive constant  $C_0$  and a positive integer  $N_0$  such that*

$$(2.1) \quad \|\chi_n^{2N} A \chi_n^N c\|_p \geq C_0 \|\chi_n^N c\|_p, \quad c \in \ell^p,$$

*hold for all integers  $N \geq N_0$  and  $n \in N\mathbb{Z}$ .*

- (iii) *There exist a positive integer  $N_0$  and a positive constant  $\alpha$  satisfying*

$$(2.2) \quad \alpha > 2(5 + 2^{1-p})^{1/p} \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N_0} \left( \|A - A_s\|_c + \frac{s}{N_0} \|A\|_c \right)$$

*such that*

$$(2.3) \quad \|\chi_n^{2N_0} A \chi_n^{N_0} c\|_p \geq \alpha \|\chi_n^{N_0} c\|_p, \quad c \in \ell^p,$$

*hold for all  $n \in N_0\mathbb{Z}$ .*

Taking  $N_0 = 1$  in (2.2) and (2.3), we obtain a sufficient condition (2.4), which is a strong version of the diagonal-domination condition (1.7), for the  $\ell^\infty$ -stability of a convolution-dominated infinite matrix.

**Corollary 2.2.** *Let  $A = (a(j, j'))_{j, j' \in \mathbb{Z}}$  be a convolution-dominated infinite matrix in the class  $\mathcal{C}$ . If*

$$(2.4) \quad \inf_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} |a(j, j)| - 2 \sum_{0 \neq k \in \mathbb{Z}} \sup_{j - j' = k} |a(j, j')| > 0,$$

*then  $A$  has  $\ell^\infty$ -stability.*

We say that an infinite matrix  $A = (a(i, j))_{i, j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  is a *band matrix* if  $a(i, j) = 0$  for all  $i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$  satisfying  $j > i + k$  or  $j < i - k$ . The quantity  $2k + 1$  is the *bandwidth* of the matrix  $A$ . For a band matrix  $A$  with bandwidth  $2k + 1$ ,  $A - A_s$  is the zero matrix if  $s > k$ . Therefore for  $N > k$ ,

$$\inf_{0 \leq s \leq N} \left( \|A - A_s\|_C + \frac{s}{N} \|A\|_C \right) \leq \frac{k}{N} \|A\|_C.$$

This, together with Theorem 2.1, gives the following sufficient condition for a band matrix to have  $\ell^p$ -stability.

**Corollary 2.3.** *Let  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$  and  $A$  be a convolution-dominated band matrix in the class  $\mathcal{C}$  with bandwidth  $2k + 1$ . If there exists an integer  $N_0 > k$  such that*

$$(2.5) \quad \|A\chi_n^{N_0} c\|_p \geq \alpha \|\chi_n^{N_0} c\|_p, \quad c \in \ell^p,$$

*holds for some constant  $\alpha$  strictly larger than  $2(5 + 2^{1-p})^{1/p} k \|A\|_C / N_0$ , then  $A$  has  $\ell^p$ -stability.*

If we further assume that the infinite matrix  $A$  in Corollary 2.3 has the form  $A = (a(j - j'))_{j, j' \in \mathbb{Z}}$  for some finite sequence  $a = (a(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  satisfying  $a(j) = 0$  for  $|j| > k$ , then  $\|A\|_C = \sum_{|j| \leq k} |a(j)|$  and the condition (2.5) can be reformulated as follows:

$$(2.6) \quad \|\tilde{A}_{N_0} c\|_p \geq \frac{\gamma k}{N_0} \left( \sum_{|j| \leq k} |a(j)| \right) \|c\|_p, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}^{2N_0+1},$$

holds for some  $\gamma > 2(5 + 2^{1-p})^{1/p}$ , where

$$(2.7) \quad \tilde{A}_{N_0} = (a(j - j'))_{-N_0 - k \leq j \leq N_0 + k, -N_0 \leq j' \leq N_0}$$

and

$$\|c\|_p = \begin{cases} \left( \sum_{j=-k_1}^{k_2} |c(j)|^p \right)^{1/p} & \text{if } 1 \leq p < \infty \\ \sup_{-k_1 \leq j \leq k_2} |c(j)| & \text{if } p = \infty, \end{cases}$$

for  $c = (c(-k_1), \dots, c(0), \dots, c(k_2))^T \in \mathbb{R}^{k_1+k_2+1}$ . As a conclusion from (2.6) and (2.7), we see that if  $A = (a(j - j'))_{j, j' \in \mathbb{Z}}$  does not have  $\ell^p$ -stability, then for any large integer  $N$ ,

$$(2.8) \quad \inf_{0 \neq c \in \mathbb{R}^{2N+1}} \frac{\|\tilde{A}_N c\|_p}{\|c\|_p} \leq \frac{2(5 + 2^{1-p})^{1/p} k}{N} \left( \sum_{|j| \leq k} |a(j)| \right).$$

For the special case  $p = 2$ , the above inequality (2.8) can be interpreted as the minimal eigenvalue of  $(\tilde{A}_N)^T \tilde{A}_N$  is less than or equal to  $\frac{\sqrt{22}k^2}{N^2} \left( \sum_{|j| \leq k} |a(j)| \right)^2$ , and it can also be rewritten as

$$(2.9) \quad \inf_{0 \neq P_N \in \Pi_N} \frac{\left( \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |\hat{a}(\xi)|^2 |P_N(\xi)|^2 d\xi \right)^{1/2}}{\left( \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |P_N(\xi)|^2 d\xi \right)^{1/2}} \leq \frac{\sqrt{22}k}{N} \left( \sum_{|j| \leq k} |a(j)| \right),$$

where  $\hat{a}(\xi) = \sum_{j \in \mathbb{Z}} a(j) e^{-ij\xi}$  and  $\Pi_N$  is the set of all trigonometrical polynomials of degree at most  $N$ .

If the sequence  $a = (a(j))_{j \in \mathbb{Z}}$  satisfies  $a(0) = 1, a(-1) = -1$ , and  $a(j) = 0$  otherwise, then the bandwidth of the infinite matrix  $A = (a(j - j'))_{j, j' \in \mathbb{Z}}$  is equal

to 3, the norm  $\|A\|_{\mathcal{C}}$  of the associated infinite matrix  $A$  is equal to 2,

$$(2.10) \quad \tilde{A}_N = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

and

$$\inf_{0 \neq c \in \mathbb{R}^{2N+1}} \frac{\|\tilde{A}_N c\|_p}{\|c\|_p} \geq \frac{1}{N+1},$$

where the last inequality holds since the matrix

$$\tilde{B}_N := \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ -1 & -1 & -1 & \cdots & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

is a left inverse of the matrix  $\tilde{A}_N$ . Therefore the order  $N^{-1}$  in (2.8) can not be improved in general, but the author believes that the bound constant  $2(5+2^{1-p})^{1/p}$  in (2.2) and (2.8) is not optimal and could be improved.

### 3. PROOF

We say that a discrete subset  $\Lambda$  of  $\mathbb{R}^d$  is *relatively-separated* if

$$(3.1) \quad R(\Lambda) := \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d} \sum_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \chi_{\lambda + [-1/2, 1/2]^d}(x) < \infty$$

([1, 23, 27]). Clearly, the set  $\mathbb{Z}$  of all integers is a relatively-separated subset of  $\mathbb{R}$  with

$$(3.2) \quad R(\mathbb{Z}) = 1.$$

Given a discrete set  $\Lambda$ , let  $\ell^p(\Lambda)$  be the set of all  $p$ -summable sequences on the set  $\Lambda$  with standard norm  $\|\cdot\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)}$  or  $\|\cdot\|_p$  for brevity.

Given two relatively-separated subsets  $\Lambda$  and  $\Lambda'$  of  $\mathbb{R}^d$ , define

$$\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda') = \left\{ A := (a(\lambda, \lambda'))_{\lambda \in \Lambda, \lambda' \in \Lambda'} \mid \|A\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} < \infty \right\},$$

where

$$\|A\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^d} \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda, \lambda' \in \Lambda'} |a(\lambda, \lambda')| \chi_{k + [-1/2, 1/2]^d}(\lambda - \lambda').$$

It is obvious that

$$(3.3) \quad \mathcal{C}(\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z}) = \mathcal{C}.$$

Given an infinite matrix  $A = (a(\lambda, \lambda'))_{\lambda \in \Lambda, \lambda' \in \Lambda'}$ , define its *truncation matrices*  $A_s, s \geq 0$ , by

$$A_s = \left( a(\lambda, \lambda') \chi_{(-s, s)^d}(\lambda - \lambda') \right)_{\lambda \in \Lambda, \lambda' \in \Lambda'}.$$

For any  $y \in \mathbb{R}^d$  and a positive integer  $N$ , define the operator  $\chi_y^N$  on  $\ell^p(\Lambda)$  by

$$(3.4) \quad \chi_n^N : \ell^p(\Lambda) \ni (c(\lambda))_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \longmapsto (c(\lambda) \chi_{(-N, N)^d}(\lambda - y))_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \in \ell^p(\Lambda).$$

In this section, we establish the following criterion for the  $\ell^p$ -stability of infinite matrices in the class  $\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')$ , which is a slight generalization of Theorem 2.1 by (3.2) and (3.3).

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , the subsets  $\Lambda, \Lambda'$  of  $\mathbb{R}^d$  be relatively-separated, and the infinite matrix  $A$  belong to  $\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')$ . Then the following statements are equivalent to each other:*

- (i) *The infinite matrix  $A$  has  $\ell^p$ -stability, i.e., there exist positive constants  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  such that*

$$(3.5) \quad C_1 \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')} \leq \|Ac\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \leq C_2 \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p(\Lambda').$$

- (ii) *There exist a positive constant  $C_0$  and a positive integer  $N_0$  such that*

$$(3.6) \quad \|\chi_n^{2N} A \chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \geq C_0 \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p(\Lambda'),$$

*where  $N_0 \leq N \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$ .*

- (iii) *There exist a positive integer  $N_0$  and a positive constant  $\alpha$  satisfying*

$$(3.7) \quad \alpha > 2(5 + 2^{1-p})^{d/p} R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N_0} \left( \|A - A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} + \frac{ds}{N_0} \|A\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \right)$$

*such that*

$$(3.8) \quad \|\chi_n^{2N_0} A \chi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \geq \alpha \|\chi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')}$$

*hold for all  $c \in \ell^p(\Lambda')$  and  $n \in N_0\mathbb{Z}$ .*

Using the above theorem, we obtain the following equivalence of  $\ell^p$ -stability for infinite matrices having certain off-diagonal decay, which is established in [2, 28, 23] for  $\gamma > d(d+1), \gamma > 0$ , and  $\gamma \geq 0$  respectively.

**Corollary 3.2.** *Let  $\Lambda, \Lambda'$  be relatively-separated subsets of  $\mathbb{R}^d$ , and  $A = (a(\lambda, \lambda'))_{\lambda \in \Lambda, \lambda' \in \Lambda'}$  satisfy*

$$\|A\|_{\mathcal{C}_\gamma(\Lambda, \Lambda')} = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^d} (1 + |k|)^\gamma \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda, \lambda' \in \Lambda'} |a(\lambda, \lambda')| \chi_{k+[-1/2, 1/2]^d}(\lambda - \lambda') < \infty$$

*where  $\gamma > 0$ . Then the  $\ell^p$ -stability of the infinite matrix  $A$  are equivalent to each other for different  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$  and  $A$  have  $\ell^p$ -stability. Then by Theorem 3.1 there exists a positive constant  $C_0$  and a positive integer  $N_0$  such that

$$(3.9) \quad \|\chi_n^{2N} A \chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \geq C_0 \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p(\Lambda'),$$

where  $N_0 \leq N \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$ . From the equivalence of different norms on a finite-dimensional space, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} ((2N)^d R(\Lambda))^{\min(1/q-1/p, 0)} \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} &\leq \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^q(\Lambda)} \\ &\leq ((2N)^d R(\Lambda))^{\max(1/q-1/p, 0)} \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p(\Lambda), \end{aligned}$$

where  $1 \leq p, q \leq \infty$ ,  $1 \leq N \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$  ([2, 23]). Therefore for  $1 \leq q \leq \infty$ ,

$$(3.10) \quad \begin{aligned} \|\chi_n^{2N} A \chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^q(\Lambda)} &\geq C_0 (2N)^{-d|1/p-1/q|} R(\Lambda')^{\min(1/p-1/q, 0)} \\ &\times R(\Lambda)^{-\max(1/p-1/q, 0)} \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^q(\Lambda')} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^q(\Lambda'), \end{aligned}$$

where  $N_0 \leq N \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$ . We notice that

$$(3.11) \quad \begin{aligned} \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N} \|A - A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} + \frac{ds}{N} \|A\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} &\leq \|A\|_{\mathcal{C}_\gamma(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N} s^\gamma + \frac{ds}{N} \\ &\leq (d+1) \|A\|_{\mathcal{C}_\gamma(\Lambda, \Lambda')} N^{-\gamma/(1+\gamma)}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus for  $1 \leq q \leq \infty$  with  $d|1/p-1/q| < \gamma/(1+\gamma)$ , it follows from (3.10) and (3.11) that there exists a sufficiently large integer  $N_0$  such that

$$(3.12) \quad \|\chi_n^{2N} A \chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^q(\Lambda)} \geq \alpha \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^q(\Lambda')}$$

hold for all  $c \in \ell^q(\Lambda')$ ,  $N \geq N_0$  and  $n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$ , where  $\alpha$  is a positive constant larger than  $2(5+2^{1-q})^{d/q} R(\Lambda)^{1/q} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/q} \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N_0} (\|A - A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} + \frac{ds}{N_0} \|A\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')})$ . Then by Theorem 3.1, the infinite matrix  $A$  has  $\ell^q$ -stability for all  $1 \leq q \leq \infty$  with  $d|1/q-1/p| < \gamma/(1+\gamma)$ . Applying the above trick repeatedly, we prove the  $\ell^q$ -stability of the infinite matrix  $A$  for any  $1 \leq q \leq \infty$ . □

To prove Theorem 3.1, we first recall some basic properties for infinite matrices  $A$  in the class  $\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')$  and its truncation matrices  $A_s$ ,  $s \geq 0$ .

**Lemma 3.3.** ([23]) *Let  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ , the subsets  $\Lambda, \Lambda'$  of  $\mathbb{R}^d$  be relatively-separated,  $A$  be an infinite matrix in the class  $\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')$ , and  $A_s$ ,  $s \geq 0$ , be the truncation matrices of  $A$ . Then*

$$(3.13) \quad \|Ac\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \leq R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \|A\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p(\Lambda'),$$

$$(3.14) \quad \lim_{s \rightarrow +\infty} \|A - A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} = 0,$$

$$(3.15) \quad \lim_{N \rightarrow +\infty} \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N} \|A - A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} + \frac{ds}{N} \|A\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} = 0,$$

and

$$(3.16) \quad \|A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}} \leq \|A\|_{\mathcal{C}} \quad \text{for all } s \geq 0.$$

Let  $\psi_0(x_1, \dots, x_d) = \prod_{i=1}^d \max(\min(2-2|x_i|, 1), 0)$  be a cut-off function on  $\mathbb{R}^d$ . Then

$$(3.17) \quad 0 \leq \chi_{[-1/2, 1/2]^d}(x) \leq \psi_0(x) \leq \chi_{(-1, 1)^d}(x) \leq 1 \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathbb{R}^d,$$

and

$$(3.18) \quad |\psi_0(x) - \psi_0(y)| \leq 2d \|x - y\|_\infty \quad \text{for all } x, y \in \mathbb{R}^d$$

where  $\|x\|_\infty = \max_{1 \leq i \leq d} |x_i|$  for  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_d)$ . Define the multiplication operator  $\Psi_n^N$  on  $\ell^p(\Lambda)$  by

$$(3.19) \quad \Psi_n^N : \ell^p(\Lambda) \ni (c(\lambda))_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \longmapsto \left( \psi_0 \left( \frac{\lambda - n}{N} \right) c(\lambda) \right)_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \in \ell^p(\Lambda).$$

Applying (3.17) and (3.18) for the cut-off function  $\psi_0$ , we obtain the following properties for the multiplication operators  $\Psi_n^N, n \in N\mathbb{Z}$ .

**Lemma 3.4.** *Let  $1 \leq N \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $\Lambda$  be a relatively-separated subset of  $\mathbb{R}^d$ , and the multiplication operators  $\Psi_n^N, n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$ , be as in (3.19). Then*

$$(3.20) \quad \|\Psi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \leq \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p(\Lambda)$$

where  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ ,

$$(3.21) \quad \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \leq \left( \sum_{n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d} \|\Psi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)}^p \right)^{1/p} \leq 2^{d/p} \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p(\Lambda)$$

$$(3.22) \quad 4^{d/p} \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \leq \left( \sum_{n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d} \|\Psi_n^{4N} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)}^p \right)^{1/p} \leq (5 + 2^{1-p})^{d/p} \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p(\Lambda),$$

where  $1 \leq p < \infty$ , and

$$(3.23) \quad \|c\|_{\ell^\infty(\Lambda)} = \sup_{n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d} \|\Psi_n^N c\|_{\ell^\infty(\Lambda)} = \sup_{n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d} \|\Psi_n^{4N} c\|_{\ell^\infty(\Lambda)} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^\infty(\Lambda).$$

To prove Theorem 2.1, we also need the following result.

**Lemma 3.5.** ([23]) *Let  $N \geq 1$ , the subsets  $\Lambda, \Lambda'$  of  $\mathbb{R}^d$  be relatively-separated,  $A$  be an infinite matrix in the class  $\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')$ ,  $A_N$  be the truncation matrix of  $A$ , and  $\Psi_n^N, n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$ , be the multiplication operators in (3.19). Then*

$$(3.24) \quad \|\Psi_n^N A_N - A_N \Psi_n^N\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \leq \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N} \left( \|A_N - A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} + \frac{2ds}{N} \|A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \right).$$

Now we start to prove Theorem 3.1.

*Proof of Theorem 3.1.* (i)  $\implies$  (ii): By the  $\ell^p$ -stability of the infinite matrix  $A$ , there exists a positive constant  $C_0$  (independent of  $n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$  and  $1 \leq N \in \mathbb{Z}$ ) such that

$$(3.25) \quad \|A \chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \geq C_0 \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')} \quad \text{for all } c \in \ell^p(\Lambda'),$$

where  $n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$  and  $N \geq 1$ . Noting

$$(3.26) \quad \chi_n^{2N} A_N \psi_n^N = A_N \psi_n^N$$

and applying (3.13) yield

$$(3.27) \quad \begin{aligned} & \|A \chi_n^N c - \chi_n^{2N} A \chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \\ &= \|(I - \chi_n^{2N})(A - A_N) \chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \\ &\leq R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \|A - A_N\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $I$  is the identity operator. Combining the estimates in (3.25) and (3.27) proves that

$$(3.28) \quad \|\chi_n^{2N} A \chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \geq (C_0 - R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \|A - A_N\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')}) \|\chi_n^N c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')}$$



hold for all  $c \in \ell^p(\Lambda')$ , where  $n \in N\mathbb{Z}^d$  and  $N \geq 1$ . The conclusion (ii) then follows from (3.14) and (3.28).

(ii) $\implies$ (iii): The implication follows from (3.15).

(iii) $\implies$ (i): Let  $1 \leq p < \infty$ . Take any  $n \in N_0\mathbb{Z}^d$  and  $c \in \ell^p(\Lambda')$ . By the assumption (iii) for the infinite matrix  $A$ ,

$$(3.29) \quad \|\chi_n^{2N_0} A \Psi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} = \|\chi_n^{2N_0} A \chi_n^{N_0} \Psi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \geq \alpha \|\Psi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')}.$$

This together with (3.13) and (3.26) implies that

$$(3.30) \quad \begin{aligned} & \|A_{N_0} \Psi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \\ &= \|\chi_n^{2N_0} (A_{N_0} - A + A) \Psi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \\ &\geq \|\chi_n^{2N_0} A \chi_n^{N_0} \Psi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} - \|\chi_n^{2N_0} (A_{N_0} - A) \Psi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \\ &\geq (\alpha - R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \|A - A_{N_0}\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')}) \|\Psi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')}. \end{aligned}$$

From (3.13) and (3.24) it follows that

$$(3.31) \quad \begin{aligned} & \|(\Psi_n^{N_0} A_{N_0} - A_{N_0} \Psi_n^{N_0}) c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \\ &= \|(\Psi_n^{N_0} A_{N_0} - A_{N_0} \Psi_n^{N_0}) \Psi_n^{4N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \\ &\leq R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \|\Psi_n^{N_0} A_{N_0} - A_{N_0} \Psi_n^{N_0}\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \|\Psi_n^{4N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')} \\ &\leq R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \\ &\quad \times \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N_0} \left( \|A_{N_0} - A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}} + \frac{2ds}{N_0} \|A_{N_0}\|_{\mathcal{C}} \right) \|\Psi_n^{4N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')}. \end{aligned}$$

Combining (3.21), (3.22), (3.30) and (3.31), we get

$$\begin{aligned} 2^{d/p} \|A_{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} &\geq \left( \sum_{n \in N_0\mathbb{Z}} \|\Psi_n^{N_0} A_{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)}^p \right)^{1/p} \\ &\geq \left( \alpha - R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \|A - A_{N_0}\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \right) \left( \sum_{n \in N_0\mathbb{Z}} \|\Psi_n^{N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')}^p \right)^{1/p} \\ &\quad - R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N_0} \left( \|A_{N_0} - A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} + \frac{2ds}{N_0} \|A_{N_0}\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \right) \\ &\quad \times \left( \sum_{n \in N_0\mathbb{Z}} \|\Psi_n^{4N_0} c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')}^p \right)^{1/p} \\ &\geq \left( \alpha - R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \|A - A_{N_0}\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} - (5 + 2^{1-p})^{1/p} R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N_0} \left( \|A_{N_0} - A_s\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} + \frac{2ds}{N_0} \|A_{N_0}\|_{\mathcal{C}(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \right) \right) \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|Ac\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \geq \|A_{N_0}c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} - \|(A - A_{N_0})c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda)} \\
& \geq 2^{-1/p} \left( \alpha - (1 + 2^{d/p})R(\Lambda)^{1/p}R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \|A - A_{N_0}\|_{C(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \right. \\
& \quad \left. - (5 + 2^{1-p})^{d/p} R(\Lambda)^{1/p} R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \right. \\
& \quad \left. \times \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N_0} \left( \|A_{N_0} - A_s\|_{C(\Lambda, \Lambda')} + \frac{2ds}{N_0} \|A_{N_0}\|_{C(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \right) \right) \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')} \\
& \geq 2^{-d/p} \left( \alpha - 2(5 + 2^{1-p})^{1/p} R(\Lambda)^{1/p} \right. \\
& \quad \left. \times R(\Lambda')^{1-1/p} \inf_{0 \leq s \leq N_0} \left( \|A - A_s\|_{C(\Lambda, \Lambda')} + \frac{ds}{N_0} \|A\|_{C(\Lambda, \Lambda')} \right) \right) \|c\|_{\ell^p(\Lambda')},
\end{aligned}$$

and the conclusion (i) for  $1 \leq p < \infty$  follows.

The conclusion (i) for  $p = \infty$  can be proved by similar argument. We omit the details here.

□

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