

# Paraproducts: Sparse Domination 2 Ways

~ Prelude ~

→ (main) Paraproducts on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ :

$$\pi_b f = \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q$$

$$\pi_b^* f = \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} (b, h_Q) (f, h_Q) \frac{1_Q}{|Q|}$$

→ The  $L^2$ -bound for  $\pi_b$  (unweighted case):

The simplest proof appeals to  $\mathcal{H}_b^1$ -BMO<sub>2</sub> duality (will prove this later):

$$|(b, \phi)| \lesssim \|b\|_{\text{BMO}_2} \|\phi\|_{\mathcal{H}_b^1} \quad \text{where} \quad \boxed{\|\phi\|_{\mathcal{H}_b^1} := \|S_D \phi\|_{L^1}}$$

So take  $f, g \in L^2(dx)$ :

$$|(\pi_b f, g)| = \left| \sum_Q (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q (g, h_Q) \right| = \left| (b, \underbrace{\sum_Q \langle f \rangle_Q (g, h_Q) h_Q}_{=: \phi}) \right|$$

$$\lesssim \|b\|_{\text{BMO}_2} \|S_D \phi\|_{L^1}$$

now:

$$S_D^2 \phi = \sum_Q \langle f \rangle_Q^2 (g, h_Q) \frac{1_Q}{|Q|} \leq (M_D f)^2 (S_D g)^2 \Rightarrow \|S_D \phi\|_{L^1} \leq \int (M_D f)(S_D g)$$

$$\leq \|M_D f\|_{L^2} \|S_D g\|_{L^2}$$

$$\lesssim \|f\|_{L^2} \|g\|_{L^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow |(\pi_b f, g)| \lesssim \|b\|_{\text{BMO}_2} \|f\|_{L^2} \|g\|_{L^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|\pi_b: L^2 \rightarrow L^2\| \lesssim \|b\|_{\text{BMO}_2} \quad (\text{these are actually equivalent})$$

→ Weighted case? Nothing stops this argument from going through for  $\pi_b: L^2(w) \rightarrow L^2(w)$

where we  $A_2$ : Take  $f \in L^2(w), g \in L^2(w')$ :

$$|(\pi_b f, g)| \lesssim \|b\|_{\text{BMO}_2} \|S_D \phi\|_{L^1}$$

$$\leq \int (M_D f)(S_D g) = \int (M_D f) w'^{1/2} (S_D g) w'^{-1/2}$$

$$\leq \|M_D f\|_{L^2(w)} \|S_D g\|_{L^2(w')}$$

$$\lesssim [w]_{A_2} \|f\|_{L^2(w)} \|g\|_{L^2(w')}$$

So we obtain that  $\pi_b$  is bounded  $L^2(w) \rightarrow L^2(w)$ , but appealing to  $M_D$  and  $S_D$  each produces a  $[w]_{A_2}$ . The sharp bound is actually linear in  $A_2$ .

Side note (**Homework**): Show that  $\|b\|_{\text{BMO}_2} \lesssim \|\pi_b: L^2 \rightarrow L^2\|$ .

Hint: Show that

$$(b - \langle b \rangle_Q) 1_Q = (\pi_b 1_Q - \pi_b^* 1_Q) 1_Q.$$

# (Pointwise) Sparse Domination for Paraproducts

→ Inspired by Lacey's proof of pointwise domination for the martingale transform (M.T. Lacey - "An elementary proof of the  $A_2$  bound" Israel J. of Math. 2017).

→ Working in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , equipped w/ a dyadic grid  $\mathcal{D}$ , and the paraproduct:

$$\pi_b f(x) := \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x); \quad b \in \text{BMO}_2(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

As is standard in these pointwise domination proofs, we need the maximal truncation of the operator in question:

$$\mathbb{P}_b f(x) := \sup_{P \in \mathcal{D}} \left| \sum_{Q \supseteq P} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x) \right|$$

(we'll need a weak  $(1,1)$  inequality for this).

→ Fix  $Q_0 \in \mathcal{D}$  and consider the restricted paraproduct

$$\pi_{b, Q_0} f := \sum_{Q \subset Q_0} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q$$

Assume the following: (proof later)

(\*) Let  $\varepsilon \in (0, 1)$ . There is a constant  $C_0$  (depending on  $n, \varepsilon$ ) such that the set:

$$F := \left\{ x \in Q_0 : \mathbb{P}_b f(x) > C_0 \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0} \right\} \cup \left\{ x \in Q_0 : M_{Q_0}^2 f(x) > C_0 \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0} \right\}$$

satisfies  $|F| < \varepsilon |Q_0|$  for all  $Q_0 \in \mathcal{D}, f \in L^1_{\text{loc}}$ .

→ Let  $\mathcal{F} := \{ \text{maximal subcubes of } Q_0 \text{ that are contained in } F \}$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{R \in \mathcal{F}} |R| < \varepsilon |Q_0|$$

→ We show that:

$$\mathbb{1}_{Q_0}(x) |\pi_{b, Q_0} f(x)| \lesssim 2C_0 \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0} \mathbb{1}_{Q_0}(x) + \sum_{R \in \mathcal{F}} |\pi_{b, R} f(x)|$$

⇒ Start building a sparse collection  $\mathcal{S}(Q_0) \subset \mathcal{D}(Q_0)$  by first adding  $Q_0$ , then  $R \in \mathcal{F}$  are the  $\mathcal{S}$ -children of  $Q_0$ .

⇒ Recurse on the terms of the second sum (each  $R \in \mathcal{F}$  plays the part of  $Q_0$ ):

$$\forall R \in \mathcal{F}, \text{ build collection } \mathcal{F}(R) \text{ as above: } |\pi_{b, R} f(x)| \lesssim 2C_0 \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} \langle |f| \rangle_R \mathbb{1}_R(x) + \sum_{R' \in \mathcal{F}(R)} |\pi_{b, R'} f(x)|$$

⇒ Expand the relationship above to:

$$\mathbb{1}_{Q_0}(x) |\pi_{b, Q_0} f(x)| \lesssim 2C_0 \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0} \mathbb{1}_{Q_0}(x) + 2C_0 \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_{R \in \mathcal{F}} \langle |f| \rangle_R \mathbb{1}_R(x) + \sum_{R \in \mathcal{F}} \sum_{R' \in \mathcal{F}(R)} |\pi_{b, R'} f(x)|$$

⇒ Recursively, we really obtain:

$$\mathbb{1}_{Q_0}(x) |\pi_{b, Q_0} f(x)| \lesssim 2C_0 \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} \underbrace{\sum_{Q \in \mathcal{S}(Q_0)} \langle |f| \rangle_Q \mathbb{1}_Q(x)}_{= C \mathcal{S}(Q_0) |f|(x)} !$$

→ 2 remarks about the collection  $\mathcal{S}(Q_0)$ :

→  $\mathcal{S}(Q_0)$  satisfies the  $\mathcal{S}$ -children definition of sparseness, with  $\varepsilon \in (0, 1)$   
 ⇒  $\mathcal{S}(Q_0)$  is  $(1-\varepsilon)$ -sparse!

→  $\mathcal{S}(Q_0)$  depends on  $f$  and  $b$  (the specific cubes that go into  $\mathcal{F}$  depend on  $b$  &  $f$  but the constant  $C_0$  is universal) but that is OK!

## Theorem:

Let  $\eta \in (0, 1)$ . There is a constant  $C$  (depending on  $\eta$  and the dimension  $n$ ) such that:

For every  $b \in \text{BMO}_0(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $f \in L^1_{loc}$  and  $Q_0 \in \mathcal{D}$ , there is an  $\eta$ -sparse collection  $\mathcal{S}(Q_0) \subset \mathcal{D}(Q_0)$  such that:

$$|\Pi_{b, Q_0} f(x)| \leq C \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} c_{\mathcal{S}(Q_0)} |f|(x) \quad \forall x \in Q_0$$

So suppose  $b \in \text{BMO}_0(\mathbb{R}^n)$  has finite Haar expansion. Then there are at most  $2^n$  disjoint dyadic cubes  $\{Q_k\}_{1 \leq k \leq 2^n}$  such that

$$b = \sum_k \sum_{Q \subset Q_k} (b, h_Q) h_Q$$

and then

$$\Pi_b f = \sum_k \Pi_{b, Q_k} f$$

$\Rightarrow$  for each  $Q_k$ , there is an  $\eta$ -sparse collection  $\mathcal{S}(Q_k) \subset \mathcal{D}(Q_k)$  s.t.

$$\begin{aligned} |\Pi_b f(x)| &\leq \sum_k |\Pi_{b, Q_k} f(x)| \leq C \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} \sum_k c_{\mathcal{S}(Q_k)} |f|(x) \\ &= C \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} c_{\mathcal{S}} |f|(x) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathcal{S} := \bigcup_{k=1}^{2^n} \mathcal{S}(Q_k)$  is also  $\eta$ -sparse.

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \|\Pi_b f\|_{L^2(w)} &\leq C \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} \|c_{\mathcal{S}} |f|\|_{L^2(w)} \\ &\lesssim \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} [w]_{A_2} \|f\|_{L^2(w)} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow \|\Pi_b: L^2(w) \rightarrow L^2(w)\| \lesssim \|b\|_{\text{BMO}} [w]_{A_2}$  holds for all  $b \in \text{BMO}_0$  w/ finite Haar expansion  $\Rightarrow$  also holds for all  $b \in \text{BMO}_0$ !

$\Rightarrow$  linear  $A_2$  bound for paraproducts (first obtained by Beznosova using a weighted CET and Bellman functions).

Remark: The adjoint  $\Pi_b^*: L^2(w') \rightarrow L^2(w')$ ;  $\Pi_b^* f = \sum_Q (b, h_Q) (f, h_Q) \frac{1_Q}{|Q|}$  then also automatically follows the linear bound. //

$$F = \{x \in Q_0 : \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} \langle f \rangle_Q > C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}\} \cup \{x \in Q_0 : M_{Q_0}^D f(x) > C_0 \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}\}$$

$\mathcal{F} := \{\text{maximal subcubes of } Q_0 \text{ contained in } F\}$

$$\Pi_{b, Q_0} f(x) = \sum_{Q \subset Q_0} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x).$$

**Case 1:**  $x \notin \mathcal{F} \Rightarrow \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} \langle f \rangle_Q \leq C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}$ .

$\rightarrow \Pi_b$  dominates  $\Pi_b$ :  $|\Pi_b f(x)| \leq \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} \langle f \rangle_Q, \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ :

Let  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Then  $\Pi_b f(x) = \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x) = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} (b, h_{Q_k}) \langle f \rangle_{Q_k} h_{Q_k}(x)$ ,  
 where for every  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $Q_k$  is the unique cube in  $\mathcal{D}$  of side length  $2^k$  that contains  $x$ .  
 Fix  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ :

$$\left| \sum_{k > m} (b, h_{Q_k}) \langle f \rangle_{Q_k} h_{Q_k}(x) \right| = \left| \sum_{Q \supseteq Q_m} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x) \right| \leq \sum_{Q \supseteq Q_m} \langle f \rangle_Q$$

Taking  $m \rightarrow -\infty$ :  $|\Pi_b f(x)| \leq \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} \langle f \rangle_Q$ . □

$\rightarrow$  For  $x \in Q_0$ :  $\Pi_b f(x) = \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x) = \sum_{Q \subset Q_0} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x) + \sum_{Q \not\subset Q_0} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x)$

$$\Rightarrow \Pi_{b, Q_0} f(x) = \Pi_b f(x) - \langle \Pi_b f \rangle_{Q_0}, \forall x \in Q_0$$

$\Rightarrow$  If  $x \in \mathcal{F}$ :

$$|\Pi_{b, Q_0} f(x)| \leq |\Pi_b f(x)| + |\langle \Pi_b f \rangle_{Q_0}|$$

$$\leq \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} \langle f \rangle_Q + \left| \sum_{Q \not\subset Q_0} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x) \right| \leq 2 \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} \langle f \rangle_Q \leq 2 C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0} //$$

**Case 2:**  $x \in \mathcal{F} \Rightarrow$  There is a unique  $P_0 \in \mathcal{F}$  such that  $x \in P_0$ .

Knowing that  $x \in P_0$  means we can write  $\Pi_{b, Q_0} f(x) = \sum_{\substack{Q \supseteq P_0 \\ Q \subset Q_0}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x) + \Pi_{b, P_0} f(x)$ .

Write the first term as:

$$\left| \sum_{\substack{Q \supseteq P_0 \\ Q \subset Q_0}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x) \right| \leq \underbrace{\left| \sum_{\substack{Q \supseteq P_0 \\ Q \subset Q_0}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x) \right|}_{=: A(x)} + \underbrace{|(b, h_{P_0}) \langle f \rangle_{P_0} h_{P_0}(x)|}_{=: B(x)}$$

$\rightarrow A(y) = \left| \sum_{\substack{Q \supseteq P_0 \\ Q \subset Q_0}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(y) \right| = \left| \sum_{\substack{Q \supseteq P_0 \\ Q \subset Q_0}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(P_0) \right|$  is constant on  $\hat{P}_0$

$\Rightarrow$  if  $A(x) > C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}$ , then  $A(y) > C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}$  for all  $y \in \hat{P}_0$

$\Rightarrow \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{D}} \langle f \rangle_Q \geq A(y) > C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}, \forall y \in \hat{P}_0 \Rightarrow \hat{P}_0 \subset \mathcal{F}$  **Contradicts maximality of  $P_0$  in  $\mathcal{F}$ !**

$\Rightarrow A(x) \leq C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}$ . (b, h\_Q) \lesssim \sqrt{|Q|} \|b\|\_{BMO}

$\rightarrow B(x) \leq |(b, h_{P_0})| \langle |f| \rangle_{P_0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{|P_0|}} \lesssim \sqrt{|P_0|} \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{P_0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{|P_0|}} = \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{P_0}$   
 If  $\langle |f| \rangle_{P_0} > C_0 \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}$ , then  $M_{P_0}^D f(x) > C_0 \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}, \forall x \in \hat{P}_0 \Rightarrow \hat{P}_0 \subset \mathcal{F}$  **Contradicts maximality of  $P_0$  in  $\mathcal{F}$ !**  
 $\Rightarrow \langle |f| \rangle_{P_0} \leq C_0 \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0} \Rightarrow B(x) \lesssim C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0}$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} x \notin \mathcal{F}: |\Pi_{b, Q_0} f(x)| \leq 2 C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0} \\ x \in \mathcal{F}: |\Pi_{b, Q_0} f(x)| \lesssim 2 C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0} + |\Pi_{b, P_0} f(x)| \\ \quad P_0 = \text{unique element of } \mathcal{F} \text{ s.t. } x \in P_0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow |\Pi_{b, Q_0} f(x)| \lesssim 2 C_0 \|b\|_{BMO} \langle |f| \rangle_{Q_0} + \sum_{R \in \mathcal{F}} |\Pi_{b, R} f(x)| //$$

## 9. Proving (\*):

→ The following result (Cristina Pereyra):

**PROP.:** If  $T: L^2(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is a bounded linear or sublinear operator that satisfies:

$$\text{supp}(Th_Q) \subseteq Q, \quad \forall Q \in \mathcal{D}$$

then  $T$  is of weak (1,1) type, with:

$$|\{x: |Tf(x)| > \alpha\}| \leq C_n \|T\|_{L^2 \rightarrow L^2} \underbrace{\frac{\|f\|_1}{\alpha}}_{=: B}$$

where  $C_n$  is a dimensional constant.

Proof: Let  $f \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and let  $f = g + \kappa$  be the CZ decomposition, at level  $\frac{\alpha}{B}$ :

$$\bullet \|g\|_1 \leq \|f\|_1$$

$$\bullet \|g\|_\infty \leq 2^n \frac{\alpha}{B}$$

$\bullet \kappa = \sum_j \kappa_j$ , where each  $\kappa_j$  is supported in a  $Q_j \in \mathcal{D}$  and the cubes  $Q_j$  are pairwise disjoint.

$$\bullet \int_{Q_j} \kappa = 0$$

$$\bullet \|\kappa_j\|_1 \leq 2^{n+1} \frac{\alpha}{B} |Q_j| \quad \bullet \sum_j |Q_j| \leq \frac{B}{\alpha} \|f\|_1$$

Then:

$$|\{x: |Tf(x)| > \alpha\}| \leq \underbrace{|\{x: |Tg(x)| > \frac{\alpha}{2}\}|}_{\textcircled{1} \lesssim \frac{B}{\alpha} \|f\|_1} + \underbrace{|\{x: |T\kappa(x)| > \frac{\alpha}{2}\}|}_{\textcircled{2} \lesssim \frac{B}{\alpha} \|f\|_1} \lesssim \frac{B}{\alpha} \|f\|_1$$

① Since  $T$  is of strong type (2,2), it is of weak type (2,2):

by Chebyshev:  $|\{x: |Tg(x)| > \frac{\alpha}{2}\}| \leq \frac{1}{(\alpha/2)^2} \int_{|Tg| > \alpha/2} |Tg|^2 dx \leq \frac{4}{\alpha^2} \|Tg\|_{L^2}^2 \leq \frac{4}{\alpha^2} B^2 \|g\|_{L^2}^2$

But by Hölder:  $\|g\|_2 \leq \|g\|_1^{1/2} \|g\|_\infty^{1/2} \leq (\|f\|_1 \cdot 2^n \frac{\alpha}{B})^{1/2}$

$$\Rightarrow \textcircled{1} \leq \frac{4}{\alpha^2} B^2 \|f\|_1 2^n \frac{\alpha}{B} \simeq \frac{B}{\alpha} \|f\|_1$$

$$\textcircled{2} (\kappa, h_Q) = \sum_j (\kappa_j, h_Q)$$

$$= \sum_j \left( \sum_{Q \subset Q_j} (\kappa_j, h_Q) \right)$$

$Q \subset Q_j$ : just  $(\kappa_j, h_Q)$   
 $Q \not\subset Q_j$ :  $h_Q(Q_j) \int_{Q_j} \kappa_j = 0$

$$\Rightarrow T\kappa(x) = \sum_Q (\kappa, h_Q) (Th_Q)(x) = \sum_j \sum_{Q \subset Q_j} (\kappa, h_Q) (Th_Q)(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{supp}(T\kappa) \subseteq \cup_j Q_j \Rightarrow |\{x: |T\kappa(x)| > \alpha/2\}| \leq \sum_j |Q_j| \leq \frac{B}{\alpha} \|f\|_1$$

Prop: The operator  $\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b$  satisfies:

(1).  $\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b$  dominates  $\Pi_b$ :  $|\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f(x)| \leq \overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f(x)$ ,  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  (already seen)

(2).  $\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b$  is dominated by  $M \Pi_b$ :  $\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f(x) \leq M(\Pi_b f)(x)$ ,  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

(3).  $\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b$  is strong (2,2):  $\|\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f\|_{L^2} \lesssim \|b\|_{BMO} \|f\|_{L^2}$

(4).  $\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b$  is weak (1,1):  $|\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f(x) > \alpha\}| \leq \frac{C}{\alpha} \|b\|_{BMO} \|f\|_1$

Proof:

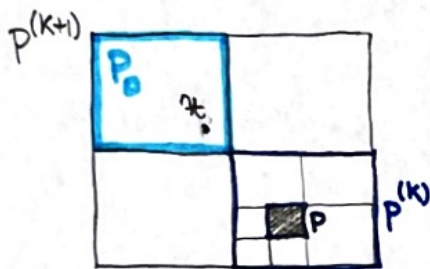
(2). Let  $P \in \mathcal{D}$  and define  $F_P(x) := \sum_{Q \not\supset P} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(x)$ .

Two possibilities for  $x$ :

•  $x \in P \Rightarrow |F_P(x)| = \left| \sum_{Q \not\supset P} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(P) \right| \cdot \mathbb{1}_P(x) = \left| \langle \overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f \rangle_P \right| \mathbb{1}_P(x) \leq \langle \overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f \rangle_P \mathbb{1}_P(x) \leq M_{\mathcal{D}}(\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f)(x)$

•  $x \notin P \Rightarrow$  there exists a unique integer  $K \geq 0$  s.t.

$x \in P^{(K+1)} \setminus P^{(K)} \Rightarrow$  there is a unique  $P_0 \in (P^{(K+1)})_{(1)}$ ,  $P_0 \neq P^{(K)}$  such that:  $x \in P_0$ .



$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow F_P(x) &= (b, h_{P^{(K+1)}}) \langle f \rangle_{P^{(K+1)}} h_{P^{(K+1)}}(x) + \sum_{Q \not\supset P^{(K+1)}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(P^{(K+1)}) \\ &= (b, h_{P^{(K+1)}}) \langle f \rangle_{P^{(K+1)}} h_{P^{(K+1)}}(P_0) + \sum_{Q \not\supset P^{(K+1)}} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(P_0) \\ &= \left( \sum_{Q \not\supset P_0} (b, h_Q) \langle f \rangle_Q h_Q(P_0) \right) \mathbb{1}_{P_0}(x) \\ &= \langle \overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f \rangle_{P_0} \mathbb{1}_{P_0}(x) \Rightarrow |F_P(x)| \leq \langle \overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f \rangle_{P_0} \mathbb{1}_{P_0}(x) \leq M_{\mathcal{D}}(\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f)(x) \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow |F_P(x)| \leq M(\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f)(x)$ ,  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n, P \in \mathcal{D}$

$\Rightarrow \overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f(x) \leq M(\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f)(x)$

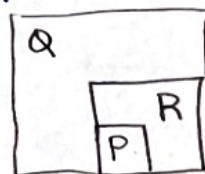
(3). Follows from (2):  $\|\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f\|_{L^2} \leq \|M(\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f)\|_{L^2} \lesssim \|\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f\|_{L^2} \lesssim \|b\|_{BMO} \|f\|_{L^2}$

$\|\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b f\|_{L^2} \lesssim \|b\|_{BMO} \|f\|_{L^2} \rightarrow$  will show later. In fact  $\|\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b: L^2 \rightarrow L^2\| \simeq \|b\|_{BMO}$

(4). Follows from the previous result as soon as we show that  $\text{supp}(\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b h_Q) \subset Q$ ,  $\forall Q \in \mathcal{D}$ :

$$\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b h_Q(x) = \sup_{P \in \mathcal{D}} \left| \sum_{R \not\supset P} (b, h_R) \langle h_Q \rangle_R h_R(x) \right|$$

0 unless  $Q \not\supset R$ , then it's  $h_Q(R)$   
0 for all  $P \supset Q$



$$= \sup_{P \not\supset Q} \left| \sum_{\substack{R \not\supset P \\ R \not\supset Q}} (b, h_R) h_Q(R) h_R(x) \right| \Rightarrow \text{supp}(\overset{\Delta}{\Pi}_b h_Q) \subset Q$$

0 if  $x \notin Q$