

**Joint Test of Parametric and Nonparametric Effects  
in Partial Linear Models for Gene-Environment Interaction**

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**Supplementary Material**

Denote  $q_k(\tilde{\eta}_i)$  by  $q_k\{\tilde{\eta}(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}_0, \lambda)\}$ ,  $k = 1, 2$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, n$ . Let  $\mathbf{q}_k = (q_k(\tilde{\eta}_1), \dots, q_k(\tilde{\eta}_n))^T$  and  $\mathbf{W}_{q_2}$  be a diagonal matrix with diagonal elements  $\mathbf{q}_2\{\tilde{\eta}\}$ . Define

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{U} &= E[q_2(\tilde{\eta}_i)D_iD_i^T], \quad \hat{\mathbf{U}} = \frac{1}{n}\mathbf{D}^T\mathbf{W}_{q_2}\mathbf{D}, \\ \mathbf{U}(\mathbf{Z}) &= E[q_2(\tilde{\eta}_i)D_i(\mathbf{Z})D_i(\mathbf{Z})^T], \quad \hat{\mathbf{U}}(\mathbf{Z}) = \frac{1}{n}\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{Z})^T\mathbf{W}_{q_2}\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{Z}), \end{aligned} \tag{S.1}$$

where  $D_i = (\mathbf{B}_r(U_i)^T \tilde{X}_{i,l}, l = 1, \dots, 2p)^T$ ,  $D_i(\mathbf{Z}) = (\mathbf{Z}_i^T, D_i^T)^T$ ,  $\mathbf{D} =$

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$(D_1, \dots, D_n)^T$  which is an  $n \times pJ_n$  matrix, and  $\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{Z}) = (D_1(\mathbf{Z}), \dots, D_n(\mathbf{Z}))^T$  which is an  $n \times 2(q + pJ_n)$  matrix.

**Lemma S.1** *Let assumptions (A1) and (A4) be satisfied. For any vector  $\boldsymbol{\zeta} = (\boldsymbol{\zeta}_1^T, \dots, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_{2p}^T)^T$  with  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_l = (\zeta_{s,l} : 1 \leq s \leq J_n)^T$  and  $\|\boldsymbol{\zeta}_l\| = 1$ ,  $l = 1, \dots, 2p$ , there exists constants  $0 < c_U < C_U < \infty$ , such that for any  $\boldsymbol{\alpha} \in \Theta$  and for large enough  $n$ ,*

$$c_U J_n^{-1} \leq \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T \mathbf{U} \boldsymbol{\zeta} \leq C_U J_n^{-1}, \quad \text{and} \quad C_U^{-1} J_n \leq \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T \mathbf{U}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\zeta} \leq c_U^{-1} J_n, \quad (\text{S.2})$$

$$\sup_{1 \leq s, s' \leq J_n, 1 \leq l \leq 2p} \left| n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n D_{i,sl} D_{i,s'l} - E[D_{i,sl} D_{i,s'l}] \right| = O\left(\sqrt{J_n^{-1} n^{-1} \log n}\right), \quad a.s., \quad (\text{S.3})$$

$$\sup_{1 \leq s, s' \leq J_n, l \neq l'} \left| n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n D_{i,sl} D_{i,s'l'} - E[D_{i,sl} D_{i,s'l'}] \right| = O\left(J_n^{-1} \sqrt{n^{-1} \log n}\right), \quad a.s., \quad (\text{S.4})$$

and with probability approaching 1,

$$c_U J_n^{-1} \leq \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T \widehat{\mathbf{U}} \boldsymbol{\zeta} \leq C_U J_n^{-1}, \quad \text{and} \quad C_U^{-1} J_n \leq \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T \widehat{\mathbf{U}} \boldsymbol{\zeta} \leq c_U^{-1} J_n, \quad (\text{S.5})$$

where  $D_{i,sl} = B_{s,r}(u) X_{i,l}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, n$ ,  $s = 1, \dots, J_n$ ,  $l = 1, \dots, 2p$ .

**Proof of Lemma S.1:** By Theorem 5.4.2 of [DeVore and Lorentz \(1993\)](#) and assumption (A1), for any vector  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_l$  with  $\|\boldsymbol{\zeta}_l\|_2 = 1$  and for

large enough  $n$ , there exist constants  $0 < c_l \leq C_l < \infty$ ,  $l = 1, \dots, 2p$ , such that

$$c_l J_n^{-1} \leq \zeta_l^T E [\mathbf{B}_r(U_i) \mathbf{B}_r(U_i)^T] \zeta_l \leq C_l J_n^{-1}.$$

Let  $\pi_{i,l} = \sum_{s=1}^{J_n} \zeta_{s,l} B_{s,q}(U_i)$  and  $\pi_i = (\pi_{i,1}, \dots, \pi_{i,2p})^T$ . By assumptions (A1) and (A4), for large enough  $n$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \zeta^T E[\mathbf{U}] \zeta &= E \left[ q_2(\tilde{\eta}_i) \sum_{l=1}^{2p} \pi_{i,l} \tilde{X}_{i,l} \right]^2 \\ &\leq C_{q_2}^2 C_x E[\pi_i^T \pi_i] \\ &= C_{q_2}^2 C_x \sum_{l=1}^{2p} \zeta_l^T E[\mathbf{B}_r(U_i) \mathbf{B}_r(U_i)^T] \zeta_l \\ &\leq 2p C_{q_2}^2 C_x \min_{1 \leq l \leq 2p} C_l J_n^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

As the same way, we have  $\zeta^T E[\mathbf{U}] \zeta \geq 2p c_{q_2}^2 c_x \max_{1 \leq l \leq 2p} c_l J_n^{-1}$ . The second result in (S.2) can be shown directly from the first inequalities. Similarly it is easy to prove that (S.5) holds. (S.3) and (S.4) can be shown by Bernstein's inequality as Bosq (1998).  $\square$

**Lemma S.2** *Let assumptions (A1) (A3) and (A4) be satisfied. For any  $\alpha \in \Theta_\alpha$ ,  $\|n^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{q}_1(\eta)\|_2 = O_p(n^{-1/2})$ .*

**Proof of Lemma S.2:** By the law of large numbers, with probability

approaching 1, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\|n^{-1}\mathbf{D}^T\mathbf{q}_1(\eta)\|_2^2 &= \sum_{1 \leq s \leq J_n, 1 \leq l \leq 2p} \left[ n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n B_{s,q}(U_i) \tilde{X}_{il} q_1(\eta_i) \right]^2 \\
&= n^{-1} \sum_{1 \leq s \leq J_n, 1 \leq l \leq 2p} E \left[ B_{s,q}(U_i) \tilde{X}_{il} q_1(\eta_i) \right]^2 + \mathbf{o}_{\text{a.s.}}(n^{-1}) \\
&= \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(n^{-1}).
\end{aligned}$$

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**Lemma S.3** *Let assumptions (A1) and (A4) be satisfied. There exists a constant  $0 \leq c_D \leq \infty$ , such that for large enough  $n$ ,*

$$\|n^{-1}\hat{\mathbf{U}}(\mathbf{Z})^{-1}\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{Z})\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \leq C_D.$$

**Proof of Lemma S.3:** Let  $S_n = \hat{\mathbf{U}}(\mathbf{Z})$  with

$$S_n = \begin{pmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $S_{11} = n^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T\mathbf{Z}$ ,  $S_{12} = S_{21}^T = n^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T\mathbf{D}$  and  $S_{22} = \hat{\mathbf{U}}$ . Denote  $S_{22.1} = S_{22} - S_{21}S_{11}^{-1}S_{12}$ . For any  $\zeta$  as given in Lemma S.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\zeta^T S_{22.1} \zeta &= \zeta^T \hat{\mathbf{U}} \zeta - n^{-2} \zeta^T \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{Z} S_{11}^{-1} \mathbf{Z}^T \mathbf{D} \zeta \\
&= \zeta^T \hat{\mathbf{U}} \zeta - c_z \zeta^T \hat{\mathbf{U}} \zeta = (1 - c_z) \zeta^T \hat{\mathbf{U}} \zeta,
\end{aligned}$$

which is also followed by  $\zeta^T S_{22.1}^{-1} \zeta = c_s \zeta^T \hat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \zeta$ , where  $c_z$  and  $c_s$  are con-

starts. Thus, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \|n^{-1}(\mathbf{0}_{pJ_n \times q}, I_{pJ_n})\widehat{\mathbf{U}}(\mathbf{Z})^{-1}\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{Z})^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &= \|n^{-1}\begin{pmatrix} -S_{22.1}^{-1}S_{21}S_{11}^{-1} & S_{22.1}^{-1} \end{pmatrix}\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{Z})^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &= \|n^{-1}(-S_{22.1}^{-1}S_{21}S_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T + S_{22.1}^{-1}\mathbf{D}^T)\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &\leq \|n^{-1}S_{22.1}^{-1}\mathbf{D}^T\mathbf{Z}S_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty + \|n^{-1}S_{22.1}^{-1}\mathbf{D}^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &\leq c_1\|n^{-1}\widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &\leq c_1\|\widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1}\|_\infty\|n^{-1}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty,
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $c_1$  is a constant. By Bernstein's inequality in [Bosq \(1998\)](#), it can be

shown that  $\|n^{-1}\sum_{i=1}^n\mathbf{D}_i\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty = O_p(J_n^{-1})$ . We have  $\|n^{-1}(\mathbf{0}_{2pJ_n \times q}, I_{2pJ_n})\widehat{\mathbf{U}}(\mathbf{Z})^{-1}\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{Z})^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \leq c_2$ , where  $c_2$  is a constant. As the proof above, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \|n^{-1}(I_q, \mathbf{0}_{q \times 2pJ_n})\widehat{\mathbf{U}}(\mathbf{Z})^{-1}\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{Z})^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &= \|n^{-1}\begin{pmatrix} S_{11}^{-1} + S_{11}^{-1}S_{12}S_{22.1}^{-1}S_{21}S_{11}^{-1} & -S_{11}^{-1}S_{12}S_{22.1}^{-1} \end{pmatrix}\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{Z})^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &= \|n^{-1}(S_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T + S_{11}^{-1}S_{12}S_{22.1}^{-1}S_{21}S_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T - S_{11}^{-1}S_{12}S_{22.1}^{-1}\mathbf{D}^T)\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &\leq \|n^{-1}S_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty + \|n^{-3}S_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T\mathbf{D}S_{22.1}^{-1}\mathbf{D}^T\mathbf{Z}S_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &\quad + \|n^{-2}S_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T\mathbf{D}S_{22.1}^{-1}\mathbf{D}^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &\leq c_3\|n^{-1}S_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{Z}^T\mathbf{q}_2\|_\infty \\
 &\leq c_4,
 \end{aligned}$$

combining with above proof, which arrives at the second part of Lemma

S.2, where  $c_3$  and  $c_4$  are constants.

□

The following Lemma states the convergence rate of the nonparametric estimators  $\tilde{m}_l(u)$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, p$  and their first derivatives  $\tilde{m}'_l(u)$ .

**Lemma S.4** *Let assumptions (A1)-(A4) be satisfied. We have*

(a)  $N \rightarrow \infty$  and  $nN^{-1} \rightarrow \infty$ , as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,

$$|\tilde{\beta}_l(u) - \beta_l(u)| = \mathbf{O}_{a.s.}(\sqrt{N/n} + N^{-r})$$

uniformly for any  $u \in [a_u, b_u]$ ;

(b) under  $N \rightarrow \infty$  and  $nN^{-3} \rightarrow \infty$ , as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,

$$|\tilde{\beta}'_l(u) - \beta'_l(u)| = \mathbf{O}_{a.s.}(\sqrt{N^3/n} + N^{1-r})$$

uniformly for any  $u \in [a_u, b_u]$ .

**Proof of Lemma S.4:** According to the result of de Boor (2001), for  $\beta_l(\cdot)$  satisfying assumption (A2), there is a function  $\bar{\beta}_l(u) = \mathbf{B}_r(u)^T \lambda_l$ , such that

$$\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} |\bar{\beta}_l(u) - \beta_l(u)| = O(J_n^{-r}). \quad (\text{S.6})$$

Let  $\mathbb{B}_r(\mathbf{u}) = (\mathbf{B}_r(u)^T, \dots, \mathbf{B}_r(u)^T)^T$ , and  $\lambda = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{2p})^T$ . The estimate of  $\lambda$  solves equation

$$0 = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_1 \{ \tilde{\eta}(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \hat{\lambda}) \} D_i.$$

Recalling  $\widehat{\mathbf{U}} = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(J_n^{-1})$  and  $nN^{-2r-2} \rightarrow 0$ , via Taylor series, we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n D_i q_1\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} D_i D_i^T \{(\widehat{\lambda} - \lambda)\} (1 + \mathbf{o}_{\text{a.s.}}(1)) \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{q}_1\{\tilde{\eta}\} - \widehat{\mathbf{U}}(\widehat{\lambda} - \lambda) (1 + \mathbf{o}_{\text{a.s.}}(1)), \end{aligned}$$

which results in

$$\widehat{\lambda} - \lambda = \frac{1}{n} \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{q}_1\{\tilde{\eta}\} (1 + \mathbf{o}_{\text{a.s.}}(1)).$$

For each  $u \in [a_u, b_u]$ , by Lemma S.3 and (S.5) and assumption (A3), with probability approaching 1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &E \left[ \mathbb{B}_r(u)^T (\widehat{\lambda} - \lambda) \mid \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Z}, U \right]^2 \\ &= E \left[ \left[ C_D n^{-1} \mathbb{B}_r(u)^T \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{q}_1\{\tilde{\eta}\} \mid \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Z}, U \right]^2 (1 + o_p(1)) \right] \\ &= n^{-2} C_D^2 \mathbb{B}_r(u)^T \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T E[\mathbf{q}_1\{\tilde{\eta}\}^{\otimes 2} \mid \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Z}, U] \mathbf{D} \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbb{B}_r(\mathbf{u}) (1 + o_p(1)) \quad (\text{S.7}) \\ &= n^{-1} C_D^2 C_\sigma \mathbb{B}_r(u)^T \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbb{B}_r(u) (1 + \mathbf{o}_{\text{a.s.}}(1)) \\ &= \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(J_n/n), \end{aligned}$$

which implies by the law of large numbers that for each  $u \in [a_u, b_u]$ ,  $\left\| \mathbb{B}_r(u)^T (\widehat{\lambda} - \lambda) \right\|_2 = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(\sqrt{J_n/n})$ . Thus, (S.7) combining (S.6) results in Lemma S.4 (a). Noting that  $\|\mathbf{W}_1\|_\infty = O(J_n)$  where  $\mathbf{W}_1$  is defined in Section 2.2, one can show similarly that the second part of Lemma S.3 holds.

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Let  $\mathbf{P}_n(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) = D_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\zeta}}^Z$ , where  $\widehat{\boldsymbol{\zeta}}^Z = (\widehat{\boldsymbol{\zeta}}_1^Z, \dots, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\zeta}}_{2q}^Z)$  is a  $2pJ_n \times 2q$  matrix and for  $k = 1, \dots, 2q$ ,

$$\widehat{\boldsymbol{\zeta}}_k^Z = \arg \min_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_k^Z \in \mathcal{R}^{2pJ_n}} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2 \{ \tilde{\eta}(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\theta}_0, \lambda) \} (\tilde{Z}_{ik} - D_i^T \boldsymbol{\zeta}_k^Z)^2.$$

**Lemma S.5** *Let assumptions (A1)-(A5) be satisfied, and  $nN^{-4} \rightarrow \infty$  and  $nN^{-2r-2} \rightarrow 0$ , as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . We have*

$$\begin{aligned} D_i^T \{ \widehat{\lambda} - \lambda \} &= n^{-1} D_i^T \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{q}_1 \{ \tilde{\eta} \} - \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i)^T (\widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) \\ &\quad + o_p(\| \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha} \|_2) + o_p(\sqrt{N/n} + N^{-r}), \end{aligned} \quad (\text{S.8})$$

where  $\lambda$  is defined in Lemma S.3.

**Proof of Lemma S.5:** The estimate of  $\lambda(\boldsymbol{\theta})$  solves equation

$$0 = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_1 \{ \tilde{\eta}(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\lambda}) \} D_i.$$

Recalling  $\widehat{\mathbf{U}} = O_p(J_n^{-1})$  and  $nN^{-2r-2} \rightarrow 0$ , via Taylor series, we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n D_i q_1 \{ \tilde{\eta}_i \} - n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2 \{ \tilde{\eta}_i \} D_i D_i^T \{ (\widehat{\lambda} - \lambda) + o_p(\sqrt{N/n} + N^{-r}) \} \\ &\quad - n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2 \{ \tilde{\eta}_i \} D_i \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i^T \{ (\widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + o_p(\| \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha} \|_2) \} \\ &= n^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{q}_1 \{ \tilde{\eta} \} - \widehat{\mathbf{U}} (\widehat{\lambda} - \lambda) + o_p(\sqrt{N/n} + N^{-r}) \\ &\quad - n^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{W}_{q_2} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}} \{ (\widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + o_p(\| \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha} \|_2) \}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathbf{W}_{q_2}$  is a diagonal matrix with diagonal elements  $\mathbf{q}_2 \{ \tilde{\eta} \}$ . Thus, we



have

$$\begin{aligned}
& D_i^T \{\widehat{\lambda} - \lambda\} \\
&= n^{-1} D_i^T \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{q}_1 \{\tilde{\eta}\} \\
&\quad - n^{-1} D_i^T \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{W}_{q_2} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}} \{(\widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + o_p(\|\widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}\|_2) + o_p(\sqrt{N/n} + N^{-r})\}.
\end{aligned} \tag{S.9}$$

Along the same arguments of [Liu et. al. \(2016\)](#), we have

$$n^{-1} D_i^T \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{W}_{q_2} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}} = \mathbf{P}_n(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) + O_p(J_n^{1-r}).$$

As the same as Lemma [S.3](#), we can show that  $\|\mathbf{P}_n(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) - \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i)\|_\infty = O_p(\sqrt{N/n} + N^{-r})$ . Therefore, with [\(S.9\)](#), this arrives at the result of Lemma

[S.4](#).  $\square$

**Proof of Theorem 1:** The estimates of  $\boldsymbol{\alpha}$  solve

$$0 = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_1 \{\tilde{\eta}(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\lambda})\} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i.$$

Then by Taylor expansion, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
0 &= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_1\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i \\
&\quad - n^{-1} \mathbf{Z}^T \mathbf{W}_{q_2} \mathbf{Z} \{(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + o_p(\|\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}\|_2)\} \\
&\quad - n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i D_i^T \{\hat{\lambda} - \lambda + o_p(\sqrt{N/n} + N^{-r})\} \\
&= n^{-1} \mathbf{Z}^T \mathbf{q}_1\{\tilde{\eta}\} - n^{-1} \mathbf{Z}^T \mathbf{W}_{q_2} \mathbf{Z} \{(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + o_p(\|\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}\|_2)\} \\
&\quad - n^{-2} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i D_i^T \hat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{q}_1\{\tilde{\eta}\} + o_p(\sqrt{N/n} + N^{-r}) \\
&\quad + n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i)^T \{(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + o_p(\|\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}\|_2)\} \\
&= -n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i \left[ \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i - \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) \right]^T \{(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + o_p(\|\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}\|_2)\} \\
&\quad + n^{-1} \mathbf{Z}^T \mathbf{q}_1\{\tilde{\eta}\} - n^{-2} \sum_{j=1}^n q_1\{\tilde{\eta}_j\} D_j \hat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} D_i^T \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i + o_p(n^{-1/2}), \\
&= -n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i \left[ \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i - \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) \right]^T \{(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + o_p(\|\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}\|_2)\} \\
&\quad + n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i - \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) \right] q_1\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \{1 + O_p(J_n^{1-r})\} + o_p(n^{-1/2}),
\end{aligned}$$

which arrives

$$\begin{aligned}
&n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i \left[ \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i - \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) \right]^T \{(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + o_p(\|\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}\|_2)\} \\
&\quad = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i - \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) \right] q_1\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \{1 + O_p(J_n^{1-r})\} + o_p(n^{-1/2}),
\end{aligned}$$

Thus, by the law of large numbers, we have

$$n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i \left[ \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i - \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) \right]^T = \Sigma + O_p(n^{-2}).$$

Because the observations  $\mathbf{V}_1, \dots, \mathbf{V}_n$  are independent, by Lindeberg-Feller central limit theorem, it is easy to prove that

$$n^{-1/2} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i - \mathbf{P}(\tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i) \right] q_1\{\tilde{\eta}_i\} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(\mathbf{0}, \Sigma).$$

Then the proof of Theorem 1 can be completed by Slutsky's theorem.

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**Lemma S.6** *Let assumptions (A1)-(A6) be satisfied, and  $nN^{-4} \rightarrow \infty$  and  $nN^{-2r-2} \rightarrow 0$ , as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . We have*

$$\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \left| \widehat{\beta}_l^O(u) - \beta_l(u) \right| = O_p(n^{-2/5} \sqrt{\log(n)}),$$

and for any  $u \in [a_u, b_u]$ ,

$$\sqrt{nh_l} \left\{ \widehat{\beta}_l^O(u) - \beta_l(u) - b_l(u)h_l^2 \right\} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(0, v_l(u)),$$

where

$$b_l(u) = \mu_2 \beta_l''(u) / 2,$$

$$v_l(u) = \|K\|_2^2 \{E[\rho(\mathbf{V}) \tilde{X}_l^2 | U = u] f(u)\}^{-1}.$$

**Proof of Lemma S.6:** To facilitate expression, we prove only

$$\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \left| \widehat{\beta}_1^O(u) - \beta_1(u) \right| = O_p(n^{-2/5} \sqrt{\log(n)}).$$

Let

$$\tilde{\mathbf{X}} \equiv \tilde{\mathbf{X}}(u) = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{X}_{1,1} & \cdots & \tilde{X}_{n,1} \\ (u_1 - u)\tilde{X}_{1,1}/h_1 & \cdots & (u_n - u)\tilde{X}_{n,1}/h_1 \end{pmatrix}^T,$$

$$\tilde{\mathbf{W}}_{q_j}^O(\boldsymbol{\alpha}) \equiv \tilde{\mathbf{W}}_{q_j}^O(u, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) = \text{diag} \{q_j\{\eta_{-1,1}^O\}K_{h_1}(u_1 - u), \dots, q_j\{\eta_{-1,n}^O\}K_{h_1}(u_n - u)\},$$

where  $q_j\{\eta_{-1,i}^O\} = q_j\{\eta_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; a, b, \boldsymbol{\alpha})\}$  with  $\eta_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; a, b, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) = \boldsymbol{\alpha}^T \tilde{\mathbf{Z}}_i + \sum_{l=2}^p \beta_l(u_i)^T \tilde{X}_{i,l} + a\tilde{X}_{i,1} + b(u_i - u)\tilde{X}_{i,1}$  and  $j = 1, 2, i = 1, \dots, n$ . The estimate  $(\hat{a}^O, \hat{b}^O)$  solves

equation

$$0 = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_1\{\hat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \hat{a}^O, \hat{b}^O, \hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})\} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{X}_{i,1} \\ (u_i - u)\tilde{X}_{i,1}/h_1 \end{pmatrix} K_{h_1}(u_i - u).$$

Thus, we have

$$\hat{\beta}_1^O(u, \hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) = (1, 0) \{ \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \tilde{\mathbf{W}}_{q_2}^O(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \}^{-1} \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \tilde{\mathbf{W}}_{q_1}^O(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) (1 + o_p(1)).$$

Noting that  $\|\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}\| = O_p(n^{-1/2})$  by Property 1, it is not hard to see that, for any  $u \in [a_u, b_u]$ ,  $\tilde{\mathbf{W}}_{q_j}^O(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) = \tilde{\mathbf{W}}_{q_j}^O(\boldsymbol{\alpha}) + O_p(n^{-1/2})$ , which implies that

$$\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \left| \hat{\beta}_1^O(u, \hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) - \hat{\beta}_1^O(u, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) \right| = O_p(n^{-1/2}). \quad (\text{S.10})$$

Along the lines of Theorem 2.5 and 2.6 in [Li and Racine \(2007\)](#), we have,

under Assumption A.?

$$\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \left| \hat{\beta}_1^O(u, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) - \beta_l(u) \right| = O_p(n^{-2/5} \sqrt{\log(n)}),$$

which implies that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \left| \widehat{\beta}_1^O(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) - \beta_1(u) \right| &\leq \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \left| \widehat{\beta}_1^O(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) - \widehat{\beta}_1^O(u, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) \right| + \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \left| \widehat{\beta}_1^O(u, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) - \beta_1(u) \right| \\
 &= O_p(n^{-1/2}) + O_p(n^{-2/5} \sqrt{\log(n)}) \\
 &= O_p(n^{-2/5} \sqrt{\log(n)}),
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, this arrives the first part of Lemma S.6, and

$$\sqrt{nh_l} \left\{ \widehat{\beta}_1^O(u, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) - \beta_1(u) - b_1(u)h_l^2 \right\} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(0, v_1(u)).$$

The second part can be show by combining (S.16) and the asymptotic normality of  $\widehat{\beta}_1^O(u, \boldsymbol{\alpha})$ .

□

**Lemma S.7** *Suppose that assumptions (A.1)-(A.6) in the Appendix hold, and  $nN^{-4} \rightarrow \infty$  and  $nN^{-\delta} \rightarrow 0$  with  $\delta = \min(2r + 2, 5r/2)$ , then we have*

$$\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} |\widehat{\ell}'(\widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O)| = \mathbf{O}_{a.s.}(n^{-1/2} \log n).$$

**Proof of Lemma S.7:** We only prove the case of  $l = 1$ , that is, consider

$\widehat{a}^O = \widehat{\beta}_1(u)$  and  $\widehat{b}^O = \widehat{\beta}'_1(u)$  in oracle case. Recall  $\tilde{\ell}'(\widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O) = 0$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{\ell}'(\widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O) &= \widehat{\ell}'(\widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O) - \tilde{\ell}'(\widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O) \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ q_1\{\widehat{\eta}_{-1}(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O, \widehat{\alpha})\} - q_1\{\widehat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O, \widehat{\alpha})\} \right] \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u) \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\widehat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O, \widehat{\alpha})\} \left[ \tilde{\beta}_{-1}(u_i) - \beta_{-1}(u_i) \right]^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_{i,-1} \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u) \\ &\quad + \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}} \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{l=2}^p (\tilde{\beta}_1(u_i) - \beta_1(u_i))^2 \right) \end{aligned}$$

By Lemma S.4, we have  $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{l=2}^p (\tilde{\beta}_l(u_i) - \beta_l(u_i))^2 = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(N/n + N^{-2r})$ .

Let  $\bar{\beta}_{-1}(u) = (\bar{\beta}_2(u), \dots, \bar{\beta}_p(u))^T$  with  $\bar{\beta}_2(u)$  being defined in Lemma S.4.

Thus, we can rewrite

$$\widehat{\ell}'(\widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O) = A_n + B_n + \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(N/n + N^{-2r}),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} A_n &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\widehat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O, \widehat{\alpha})\} \left[ \tilde{\beta}_{-1}(u_i) - \bar{\beta}_{-1}(u_i) \right]^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_{i,-1} \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u), \\ B_n &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\widehat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O, \widehat{\alpha})\} \left[ \bar{\beta}_{-1}(u_i) - \beta_{-1}(u_i) \right]^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_{i,-1} \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u). \end{aligned}$$

Noting that  $q_2(\cdot)$  is bounded, by Lemma S.4, we have

$$\begin{aligned} B_n &\leq C \sum_{l=2}^p \|\bar{\beta}_{-1}(u_i) - \beta_{-1}(u_i)\| \left\| \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_{i,-1} \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u) \right\| \\ &= \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(\sqrt{N/n} + N^{-r}). \end{aligned}$$

Define  $\Phi_b = (\phi_{b,1}^T, \dots, \phi_{b,2p}^T)^T$ ,  $\Phi_v = (\phi_{v,1}^T, \dots, \phi_{v,2p}^T)^T$  and  $\Phi_r = (\phi_{r,1}^T, \dots, \phi_{r,2p}^T)^T$ ,

where

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi_b &= \mathbf{U}^{-1} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n [q_1\{\tilde{\eta}(\mathbf{V}_i; \hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \lambda)\} - q_1\{\eta(\mathbf{V}_i, \alpha)\}] D_i, \\ \Phi_v &= \mathbf{U}^{-1} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_1\{\eta(\mathbf{V}_i, \alpha)\} D_i, \\ \Phi_r &= \hat{\lambda} - \lambda - \Phi_b - \Phi_v.\end{aligned}$$

Along the line of proof in Liu et al. (2013), and by Lemma S.1 and Lemma

S.2, we can prove that  $\|\Phi_b\|_2 = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(N^{-r})$  and  $\|\Phi_r\|_2 = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(N^{3/2}n^{-1})$ .

We can decompose  $A_n = A_{1n} + A_{2n} + A_{3n}$ , where

$$\begin{aligned}A_{1n} &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\hat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \hat{a}^O, \hat{b}^O, \hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})\} (\phi_{b,l}^T \mathbf{B}_r(u_i), l = 2, \dots, 2p)^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_{i,-1} \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u) \\ A_{2n} &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\hat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \hat{a}^O, \hat{b}^O, \hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})\} (\phi_{v,l}^T \mathbf{B}_r(u_i), l = 2, \dots, 2p)^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_{i,-1} \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u) \\ A_{3n} &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\hat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \hat{a}^O, \hat{b}^O, \hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})\} (\phi_{r,l}^T \mathbf{B}_r(u_i), l = 2, \dots, 2p)^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_{i,-1} \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u).\end{aligned}$$

Applying Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} |A_{1n}| &\leq C \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n |(\phi_{b,l}^T \mathbf{B}_r(u_i), l = 2, \dots, 2p)^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_{i,-1} \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u)| \\ &\leq C \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \|\Phi_b\|_2 \left[ \sum_{2 \leq l \leq p, 1 \leq s \leq J_n} \left[ \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n |B_{s,r}(u_i) \tilde{X}_{i,l} \tilde{X}_{i,1}| K_{h_1}(u_i - u) \right]^2 \right]^{1/2} \\ &= C \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \|\Phi_b\|_2 J_n \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(J_n^{-1}) \\ &= \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(N^{-r}),\end{aligned}$$

and similarly,  $\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} |A_{3n}| = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(N^{3/2}n^{-1})$ . Let  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{l,1}(u) = (\zeta_{1,l,1}, \dots, \zeta_{J_n,l,1})^T$

with

$$\zeta_{s,l,1}(u) = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2 \{ \hat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \hat{a}^O, \hat{b}^O, \hat{\alpha}) \} \tilde{X}_{i,1} K_{h_1}(u_i - u) B_{s,r}(u_i)^T \tilde{X}_{i,l}, \quad l = 2, \dots, p.$$

By Lemma A.2 in [Xia and Li \(1999\)](#), we have

$$\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} |\zeta_{s,l,1}(u) - E\{\zeta_{s,l,1}(u)\}| = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(\sqrt{\log n / (nh)}).$$

By [de Boor \(2001\)](#), we have, for any  $u \in [a_u, b_u]$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} |E\{\zeta_{s,l,1}(u)\}| &= |E\{K_{h_1}(u_i - u) E[q_2\{\hat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \hat{a}^O, \hat{b}^O, \hat{\alpha})\} \tilde{X}_{i,1} B_{s,r}(u_i)^T \tilde{X}_{i,l} | u_i]\}| \\ &\leq \mu_0 f(u) |E\{X_{i,1} X_{i,2} | u_i = u\}| |E[B_{s,r}(u_i)]| + O(h_2^2) O(|E[B_r(u_i)]|) \\ &= O(J_n^{-1}), \end{aligned}$$

which implies that  $|\zeta_{s,l,1}(u)| = O(J_n^{-1})$ . It is easy can be shown further

that  $\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \max_{1 \leq s \leq J_n, 1 \leq l \leq 2p} |\zeta_{s,l,1}(u)| = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(J_n^{-1/2})$ . Define  $\Phi_{v,-1} =$

$(\phi_{v,2}^T, \dots, \phi_{v,2p}^T)^T$ . By the definition of  $A_{2n}$ , we have  $A_{2n} = \zeta_1(u)^T \Phi_{v,-1}$ ,



which implies that

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} E(A_{2n} | \mathbf{V})^2 \\
 &= \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} E(\boldsymbol{\zeta}_1(u)^T \boldsymbol{\Phi}_{v,-1} \boldsymbol{\Phi}_{v,-1}^T \boldsymbol{\zeta}_1(u) | \mathbf{V}) \\
 &= \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \boldsymbol{\zeta}_1(u)^T E(\boldsymbol{\Phi}_{v,-1} \boldsymbol{\Phi}_{v,-1}^T | \mathbf{V}) \boldsymbol{\zeta}_1(u) \\
 &\leq \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \|\boldsymbol{\zeta}_1(u)\|_2^2 \|E(\boldsymbol{\Phi}_v \boldsymbol{\Phi}_v^T | \mathbf{V})\|_\infty \\
 &= \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} n^{-2} \|\boldsymbol{\zeta}_1(u)\|_2^2 \|\widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1} \mathbf{D}^T E(\mathbf{q}_2\{\widehat{\eta}_{-1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})\}^{\otimes 2} | \mathbf{V}) \mathbf{D} \widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1}\|_2 \\
 &\leq C_{q_2} \sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} n^{-1} \|\boldsymbol{\zeta}_1(u)\|_2^2 \|\widehat{\mathbf{U}}^{-1}\|_2 \\
 &= \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(n^{-1}).
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, by the law of large numbers, we have  $\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} |A_{2n}| = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(n^{-1/2} \log n)$ .

□

**Lemma S.8** *Suppose that assumptions (A.1)-(A.6) in the Appendix hold,*

*and  $nN^4 \rightarrow \infty$  and  $nN^{-\delta} \rightarrow 0$  with  $\delta = \min(2r + 2, 5r/2)$ ,*

$$\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} \|\widehat{\ell}''(a, b)\|_2 = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(1),$$

*for any  $(a, b) \in \mathcal{A}$ .*

**Proof of Lemma S.8:** Let  $\check{\mathbf{X}}_{i1}(u) = (X_{i,1}, (U_i - u)X_{i,1}/h_1)^T$ . According

to the boundedness of  $q_2(\cdot)$  and the law of large numbers, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\widehat{\ell}''(a, b) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_2\{\widehat{\eta}_{-1}(\mathbf{V}_i; a, b, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})\} \check{\mathbf{X}}_{i1}(u)^{\otimes 2} K_{h_1}(u_i - u) \\ &= E \left[ q_2\{\widehat{\eta}_{-1}(\mathbf{V}_i; a, b, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})\} \check{\mathbf{X}}_{i1}(u)^{\otimes 2} K_{h_1}(u_i - u) \right] + \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(1) \\ &= \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(1).\end{aligned}$$

□

**Lemma S.9** *Suppose that assumptions (A.1)-(A.6) in the Appendix hold, and  $nN^4 \rightarrow \infty$  and  $nN^{-\delta} \rightarrow 0$  with  $\delta = \min(2r + 2, 5r/2)$ , then we have, for  $l = 1, \dots, p$ ,*

$$\sup_{u \in [a_u, b_u]} |\widehat{\beta}_l(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) - \widehat{\beta}_l^{\mathcal{O}}(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})| = \mathbf{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(n^{-1/2} \log n),$$

where  $\widehat{\beta}_l(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})$  and  $\widehat{\beta}_l^{\mathcal{O}}(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}})$  denotes  $\widehat{\beta}_l(u)$  and  $\widehat{\beta}_l^{\mathcal{O}}(u)$ , respectively.

**Proof of Lemma S.9:** Noting that  $\widehat{\ell}'(\widehat{a}, \widehat{b}) = 0$ , by the mean value theorem, there exists a  $(\bar{a}, \bar{b}) \in \mathcal{A}$  between  $(\widehat{a}, \widehat{b})$  and  $(\widehat{a}^{\mathcal{O}}, \widehat{b}^{\mathcal{O}})$  such that

$$-\widehat{\ell}'(\widehat{a}^{\mathcal{O}}, \widehat{b}^{\mathcal{O}}) = \widehat{\ell}'(\widehat{a}, \widehat{b}) - \widehat{\ell}'(\widehat{a}^{\mathcal{O}}, \widehat{b}^{\mathcal{O}}) = \widehat{\ell}''(\bar{a}, \bar{b}) \left[ (\widehat{a}, \widehat{b})^T - (\widehat{a}^{\mathcal{O}}, \widehat{b}^{\mathcal{O}})^T \right],$$

which follows by

$$(\widehat{a}, \widehat{b})^T - (\widehat{a}^{\mathcal{O}}, \widehat{b}^{\mathcal{O}})^T = -\widehat{\ell}''(\bar{a}, \bar{b})^{-1} \widehat{\ell}'(\widehat{a}^{\mathcal{O}}, \widehat{b}^{\mathcal{O}}).$$

Combining Lemma S.7 and Lemma S.8, we have  $(\widehat{a}, \widehat{b})^T - (\widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O)^T = \mathcal{O}_{\text{a.s.}}(n^{-1} \log n)$ , which proves Lemma S.9 by noting  $\widehat{\beta}_l(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) - \widehat{\beta}_l^O(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) = (1, 0) \left[ (\widehat{a}, \widehat{b})^T - (\widehat{a}^O, \widehat{b}^O)^T \right]$ .

□

**Proof of Theorem 2:** Due to  $nh^5 = O(1)$ , we have  $\sqrt{nh_l}n^{-1/2} \log n = o_p(1)$ . By Lemma S.9, we have

$$\sqrt{nh_l} \left\{ \widehat{\beta}_l(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) - \beta_l(u) - b_l(u)h_l^2 \right\} = \sqrt{nh_l} \left\{ \widehat{\beta}_l^O(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) - \beta_l(u) - b_l(u)h_l^2 \right\} + o_p(1).$$

Lemma S.6 has proved that

$$\sqrt{nh_l} \left\{ \widehat{\beta}_l^O(u, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}) - \beta_l(u) - b_l(u)h_l^2 \right\} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(0, v_l(u)),$$

where  $b_l(u) = \mu_2 \beta_l''(u)/2$ , and  $v_l(u) = \|K\|_2^2 \{E[\rho(\mathbf{V})\tilde{X}_l^2 | U = u]f(u)\}^{-1}$ .

Thus Theorem ?? can be shown straightforwardly by Lemma S.6 and

Lemma S.9 in the Supplementary Materials.

□

$$\ell_n(H_0) = \sum_{i=1}^n Q(g^{-1}\{\widehat{\eta}_{H_0}(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}})\}, Y_i) \text{ and } \ell_n(H_1) = \sum_{i=1}^n Q(g^{-1}\{\widehat{\eta}_{H_1}(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}})\}, Y_i),$$

where  $\widehat{\eta}_{H_0}(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}) = \mathbf{Z}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}_{0,H_0} + \mathbf{X}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{0,H_0}(u) + \mathbf{Z}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}_{1,H_0} G_i$  and  $\widehat{\eta}_{H_1}(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}) =$

$\mathbf{Z}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}_{0,H_1} + \mathbf{X}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{0,H_1}(u) + \{\mathbf{Z}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}_{1,H_1} + \mathbf{X}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{1,H_1}(u)\} G_i$ . We define the following

GLR test statistic,

$$T_{NP} = 2(\ell_n(H_1) - \ell_n(H_0)). \quad (\text{S.11})$$

To prove Theorem 3, we need following Lemma. Similarly to [Liu et. al. \(2016\)](#), assuming that nonparametric functions  $\beta(u)$  are known, we can construct a GLR statistic based on the ‘‘Oracle’’ estimator  $\widehat{\beta}^O(u)$ . Consider hypothesis test (3.14). Let  $\widehat{\beta}_{i,H_0}^O(u)$  and  $\widehat{\beta}_{i,H_1}^O(u)$  be the ‘‘Oracle’’ estimates under  $H_0$  and  $H_1$  as the same as Section 2.1, respectively. The resulting likelihoods under  $H_0$  and  $H_1$  in hypothesis test (3.14) are

$$\begin{aligned}\ell_n^O(H_0) &= \sum_{i=1}^n Q(g^{-1}\{\widehat{\eta}_{H_0}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}})\}, Y_i), \\ \ell_n^O(H_1) &= \sum_{i=1}^n Q(g^{-1}\{\widehat{\eta}_{H_1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}})\}, Y_i),\end{aligned}$$

where  $\widehat{\eta}_{H_0}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}) = \mathbf{Z}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}_{0,H_0} + \mathbf{X}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{0,H_0}(U_i) + \mathbf{Z}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}_{1,H_0} G_i$  and  $\widehat{\eta}_{H_1}^O(\mathbf{V}_i; \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}) = \mathbf{Z}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}_{0,H_1} + \mathbf{X}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{0,H_1}(U_i) + \{\mathbf{Z}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}_{1,H_1} + \mathbf{X}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{1,H_1}(U_i)\} G_i$ . We define the following Oracle-version GLR test statistic,

$$T_{NP}^O = 2(\ell_n^O(H_1) - \ell_n^O(H_0)). \quad (\text{S.12})$$

Let  $a_K = \{K(0) - 1/2 \int K^2(u) du\} [\int \{K(u) - 1/2 K * K(u)\} du]^{-1}$ , where  $K * K(u)$  denotes the convolution of  $K$ .

The following Lemma states the asymptotic distribution of  $T_{NP}^O$  under  $H_0^{NP}$ .

**Lemma S.10** *Suppose that assumptions (A.1)-(A.6) in the Appendix hold, and  $nN^4 \rightarrow \infty$  and  $nN^{-2r-2} \rightarrow 0$ , then under  $H_0^{NP}$  in (3.8), when  $nh^{9/2} \rightarrow$*

0,

$$\sigma_n^{-1}(T_{NP}^O - \mu_n) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(0, 1),$$

where  $\sigma_n^2 = 2h^{-1}|\Omega| \int \{K(u) - 1/2K * K(u)\}^2 du$  and  $\mu_n = h^{-1}|\Omega| \{K(0) - 1/2 \int K^2(u)du\}$ .

**Proof of Lemma S.10:** Define

$$\begin{aligned} \ell_n^*(H_0) &= \sum_{i=1}^n Q(g^{-1}\{\eta_{H_0}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}^O)\}, Y_i), \\ \ell_n^*(H_1) &= \sum_{i=1}^n Q(g^{-1}\{\widehat{\eta}_{H_1}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}^O)\}, Y_i), \\ T_{NP}^* &= 2(\ell_n^*(H_1) - \ell_n^*(H_0)), \end{aligned}$$

where  $\eta_{H_0}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}^O) = \mathbf{Z}_i^T \boldsymbol{\alpha}_0^0 + \mathbf{X}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{0,H_0}^O(U_i) + \mathbf{Z}_i^T \boldsymbol{\alpha}_1^0$  and  $\widehat{\eta}_{H_1}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}^O) = \mathbf{Z}_i^T \boldsymbol{\alpha}_0^0 + \mathbf{X}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{0,H_1}^O(U_i) + \{\mathbf{Z}_i^T \boldsymbol{\alpha}_1^0 + \mathbf{X}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{1,H_1}^O(U_i)\}G_i$ . It is easy to see that

$$\ell_n^O(H_0) - \ell_n^*(H_0) = O_p(1),$$

$$\ell_n^O(H_1) - \ell_n^*(H_1) = O_p(1),$$

which implies that  $T_{NP}^O = T_{NP}^* + O_p(1)$ . It remains to show that

$$\sigma_n^{-1}(T_{NP}^* - \mu_n) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(0, 1).$$

Denote  $\eta_{H_0}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}^O)$  by  $\eta_{i,H_0}^*$  and  $q_1\{\eta_{i,H_0}^*\}$  by  $\varepsilon_i$ . Let  $\check{\mathbf{X}}_i = \mathbf{X}_i G_i$ .

By the mean value theory, there exists a  $\bar{\eta}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}^O)$  between  $\eta_{i,H_0}^*$  and  $\widehat{\eta}_{H_1}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}^O)$  such that

$$T_{NP}^* = 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{1,H_1}^O(U_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{q}_{i,2} \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{1,H_1}^O(U_i)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{H_1}^O(U_i),$$

where  $\bar{q}_{i,2}$  denotes  $q_2\{\bar{\eta}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha})\}$ . Invoking Lemma S.6 and  $\beta_{i0}(u) = 0$ , we have

$$\widehat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{H_1}^O(u) = \{\mathbf{a}_n(u) + R_n(u)\}(1 + o_p(1)),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{a}_n(u) &= \frac{1}{nh} \Gamma(u) \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i K((U_i - u)/h), \\ R_n(u) &= \frac{1}{nh} \Gamma(u) \sum_{i=1}^n \{\boldsymbol{\theta}(U_i)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i - \tau(u)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i\} \mathbf{X}_i K((U_i - u)/h),\end{aligned}$$

and  $\Gamma(u) = \{E[\rho(\mathbf{V})\check{\mathbf{X}}\check{\mathbf{X}}^T | U = u]f(u)\}^{-1}$ ,  $\tau(u) = (\boldsymbol{\theta}(u)^T, h\boldsymbol{\theta}'(u)^T)^T$  and  $\tilde{\mathbf{X}}_i = \check{\mathbf{X}}_i(u) = (\mathbf{X}_i^T G_i, \mathbf{X}_i^T G_i(U_i - u)/h)^T$ . Define

$$\begin{aligned}R_n^{(1)} &= 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i R_n(U_i)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i, \\ R_n^{(2)} &= 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{q}_{i,2} \mathbf{a}_n(U_i)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T R_n(U_i), \\ R_n^{(3)} &= \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{q}_{i,2} R_n(U_i)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T R_n(U_i).\end{aligned}$$

Thus, we have

$$\begin{aligned}T_{NP}^* &= \frac{2}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^n \varepsilon_k \check{\mathbf{X}}_k^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_i K_h(U_k - U_i) \right\} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \bar{q}_{k,2} \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_k) \check{\mathbf{X}}_k \check{\mathbf{X}}_k^T \Gamma(U_k) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j K_h(U_i - U_k) K_h(U_j - U_k) \\ &\quad + R_n^{(1)} + R_n^{(2)} + R_n^{(3)} + O_p(n^{-1}h^{-2}) \\ &\equiv \bar{T}_n + \bar{S}_n + R_n^{(1)} + R_n^{(2)} + R_n^{(3)} + O_p(n^{-1}h^{-2}).\end{aligned}$$

By the condition  $nh^{9/2} \rightarrow 0$  and some direct but tedious calculations, it can be shown

$$\bar{R}_n \equiv R_n^{(1)} + R_n^{(2)} + R_n^{(3)} = O_p(nh^4 + n^{1/2}h^2) = o_p(h^{-1/2}). \quad (\text{S.13})$$

It is easy to prove that

$$\bar{T}_n = 2h^{-1}K(0)|\Omega| + \frac{2}{n} \sum_{i \neq k}^n \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_k \check{\mathbf{X}}_k^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_i K_h(U_k - U_i) + o_p(h^{-1/2}). \quad (\text{S.14})$$

Let  $\bar{S}_n = S_{n1} + S_{n2}$ , where

$$S_{n1} = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i^2 \sum_{k=1}^n \bar{q}_{k,2} \left\{ \check{\mathbf{X}}_k^T \Gamma(U_k) \check{\mathbf{X}}_i K_h(U_k - U_i) \right\}^2,$$

$$S_{n2} = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i \neq j}^n \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \sum_{k=1}^n \bar{q}_{k,2} \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_k) \check{\mathbf{X}}_k \check{\mathbf{X}}_k^T \Gamma(U_k) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j K_h(U_i - U_k) K_h(U_j - U_k).$$

It is easy to see that

$$S_{n1} = \varrho_n(1 + o(1)) + O_p(n^{-3/2}h^{-2}) + O_p((nh^2)^{-1}) + o_p(h^{-1/2}),$$

where

$$\varrho_n = \frac{1}{n(n-1)} \sum_{i \neq k}^n \bar{q}_{k,2} \varepsilon_i^2 \left\{ \check{\mathbf{X}}_k^T \Gamma(U_k) \check{\mathbf{X}}_i K_h(U_k - U_i) \right\}^2.$$

According to Hoeffding's decomposition ([Serfling 1980](#)) for the variance of

U-statistics, by tedious calculations we can show that the variance of  $\varrho_n$  is

$$\varrho_n = O_p(n^{-1}h^{-2}).$$

It is straightforward to calculate the expectation of  $\varrho_n$

$$E\varrho_n = -h^{-1}|\Omega| \int K^2(t)dt + o_p(h^{-1}),$$

which implies that

$$S_{n1} = -h^{-1}|\Omega| \int K^2(t)dt + o_p(h^{-1/2}). \quad (\text{S.15})$$

$S_{n2}$  can be further decomposed as  $S_{n2} = S_{n21} + S_{n22}$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} S_{n21} &= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i \neq j} \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \sum_{k \neq i, j} \bar{q}_{k,2} \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_k) \check{\mathbf{X}}_k \check{\mathbf{X}}_k^T \Gamma(U_k) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j K_h(U_i - U_k) K_h(U_j - U_k), \\ S_{n22} &= \frac{K(0)}{n^2 h} \sum_{i \neq j} \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \left[ \bar{q}_{i,2} \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j + \bar{q}_{j,2} \check{\mathbf{X}}_j^T \Gamma(U_j) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j \check{\mathbf{X}}_j^T \Gamma(U_j) \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \right] K_h(U_i - U_j). \end{aligned}$$

It can be show by tedious calculation that

$$\text{var}(S_{n22}) = O(n^{-2}h^{-3}),$$

which implies that

$$S_{n22} = o(h^{-1/2}). \quad (\text{S.16})$$

Let

$$Q_{ijk} = \bar{q}_{k,2} \Gamma(U_k) \check{\mathbf{X}}_k \check{\mathbf{X}}_k^T \Gamma(U_k) K_h(U_i - U_k) K_h(U_j - U_k).$$

We can prove that

$$E \left\{ n^{-1} \sum_{k \neq i, j} Q_{ijk} - E[Q_{ijk} | (U_i, U_j)] \right\}^2 \leq n^{-2} \sum_{k \neq i, j} E Q_{ijk}^2 = O((nh^2)^{-1}),$$



which implies that

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{n21} &= \frac{n-2}{n^2} \sum_{i \neq j}^n \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T E[Q_{ijk} | (U_i, U_j)] \check{\mathbf{X}}_j + o_p(h^{-1/2}) \\
 &= -\frac{1}{nh} \sum_{i \neq j}^n \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j \tilde{K}((U_i - U_j)/h) + o_p(h^{-1/2}),
 \end{aligned} \tag{S.17}$$

where  $\tilde{K}(t)$  denotes the convolution of  $K(\cdot)$ . By (S.13)-(S.17), we have

$$T_{NP}^* = \mu_n + \Upsilon(n)h^{-1/2} + o_p(h^{-1/2}),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mu_n &= h^{-1}|\Omega| \left\{ 2K(0) - \int K^2(t)dt \right\}, \\
 \Upsilon(n) &= \frac{1}{n}h^{-1/2} \sum_{i \neq j}^n \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j \{ 2K((U_i - U_j)/h) - \tilde{K}((U_i - U_j)/h) \}.
 \end{aligned}$$

It remains to prove that

$$\Upsilon(n) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(0, v^2)$$

with  $v^2 = 2|\Omega| \int \{K(t) - 1/2\tilde{K}(t)\}^2 dt$ . Define

$$\Phi_{ij} = h^{-1/2} \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j \{ 2K((U_i - U_j)/h) - \tilde{K}((U_i - U_j)/h) \}$$

and

$$\Upsilon(n) = \sum_{i < j} \Upsilon_{ij}.$$

where  $\Upsilon_{ij} = \frac{1}{n}(\Phi_{ij} + \Phi_{ji})$ . Define  $v_n^2 = \text{Var}(\Upsilon(n))$ . According to Proposition

3.2 in de Jong (1987), it suffices to check following conditions:

(a)  $\Upsilon(n)$  is clean [see de Jong (1987) for the definition],

(b)  $v_n^2 \rightarrow v^2$ ,

(c)  $\zeta_1$  is of lower order than  $v_n^4$ ,

(d)  $\zeta_2$  is of lower order than  $v_n^4$ ,

(e)  $\zeta_3$  is of lower order than  $v_n^4$ ,

where

$$\zeta_1 = E \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \Upsilon_{ij}^4,$$

$$\zeta_2 = E \sum_{1 \leq i < j < k \leq n} \{\Upsilon_{ij}^2 \Upsilon_{ik}^2 + \Upsilon_{ji}^2 \Upsilon_{jk}^2 + \Upsilon_{ki}^2 \Upsilon_{kj}^2\},$$

$$\zeta_3 = E \sum_{1 \leq i < j < k < l \leq n} \{\Upsilon_{ij} \Upsilon_{ik} \Upsilon_{lj} \Upsilon_{lk} + \Upsilon_{ij} \Upsilon_{il} \Upsilon_{kj} \Upsilon_{kl} + \Upsilon_{ik} \Upsilon_{il} \Upsilon_{jk} \Upsilon_{jl}\}.$$

Below we check each of conditions as follows. Condition (a) holds obviously.

Then we calculate the variance  $v_n^2$  as follows. (a) implies that  $v_n^2 = E\Upsilon(n)^2$ .

By de Jong (1987), we have

$$v_n^2 = E \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \Upsilon_{ij}^2 = \frac{4}{n^2} E \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \Phi_{ij}^2.$$

We can show that

$$E \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \Phi_{ij}^2 = \frac{n(n-1)}{2} p |\Omega| \int \{K(t) - \frac{1}{2} \tilde{K}(t)\}^2 dt,$$

which implies that (b) holds. Noting that

$$E \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \{\Phi_{ij}^4\} = O(n^2 h^{-3}), E \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \{\Phi_{ij}^3 \Phi_{ji}\} = O(n^2 h^{-2}), E \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \{\Phi_{ij}^2 \Phi_{ji}^2\} = O(n^2 h^{-2}),$$

we have  $\zeta_1 = O(h^2 n^{-4}) O(n^2 h^{-3}) = O(n^{-2} h^{-1})$ . Similarly conditions (d) is

shown by noting that

$$E \sum_{1 \leq i < j < k \leq n} \{\Upsilon_{ij}^2 \Upsilon_{ik}^2\} = h^2 n^{-4} O(n^3 h^{-2}) = O(n^{-1}),$$

which implies that  $\zeta_2 = O(n^{-1})$ . It is obvious by straightforward calculati-

ons that,

$$E \sum_{1 \leq i < j < k < l \leq n} \{\Phi_{ij} \Phi_{ik} \Phi_{lj} \Phi_{lk}\} = O(n^4 h^{-1}),$$

$$E \sum_{1 \leq i < j < k < l \leq n} \{\Phi_{ji} \Phi_{ik} \Phi_{lj} \Phi_{lk}\} = O(n^4 h^{-1}),$$

$$E \sum_{1 \leq i < j < k < l \leq n} \{\Phi_{ji} \Phi_{ki} \Phi_{lj} \Phi_{lk}\} = O(n^4 h^{-1}),$$

which result in

$$E \sum_{1 \leq i < j < k < l \leq n} \{\Upsilon_{ij} \Upsilon_{ik} \Upsilon_{lj} \Upsilon_{lk}\} = O(h^2 n^{-4}) O(n^4 h^{-1}) = O(h).$$

Therefore, we have  $\zeta_3 = O(h)$ , which implies that condition (e) holds. This

completes the proof of Lemma [S.10](#).

□

**Proof of Theorem 3:** According to Lemma S.9, we have

$$\ell_n^O(H_0) - \ell_n(H_0) = O_p(\log n),$$

$$\ell_n^O(H_1) - \ell_n(H_1) = O_p(\log n),$$

which implies that

$$T_{NP} = T_{NP}^O + O_p(\log n).$$

Therefore, applying Lemma S.10, Theorem 3 can be proved directly.

□

**Proof of Lemma 1:** Invoking the proof of Theorem 1 and 3, we have

$$n^{1/2}\Sigma_\alpha^{-1/2}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}) = n^{-1/2}\Sigma_\alpha^{-1/2} \sum_{i=1}^n (\mathbf{Z}_i - \mathbf{P}(\mathbf{Z}_i))\varepsilon_i + o_p(1),$$

$$\sigma_n^{-1}(T_{NP} - \mu_n) = v^{-1}\Upsilon(n) + o_p(1),$$

where  $\varepsilon_i = q_1(\eta_{i,H_0}^*)$ ,  $\Upsilon(n) = \frac{1}{n}h^{-1/2} \sum_{i \neq j}^n \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j \{2K((U_i - U_j)/h) - \tilde{K}((U_i - U_j)/h)\}$  and  $v^2 = 2|\Omega| \int \{K(t) - 1/2\tilde{K}(t)\}^2 dt$  are defined in the

proof of Lemma S.10. Let

$$\mathbb{I}_{1n} = \sum_{k \neq i, j}^n (\mathbf{Z}_k - \mathbf{P}(\mathbf{Z}_k))\varepsilon_k \sum_{i \neq j}^n \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j \{2K((U_i - U_j)/h) - \tilde{K}((U_i - U_j)/h)\},$$

$$\mathbb{I}_{2n} = \sum_{i \neq j}^n \varepsilon_i^2 \varepsilon_j (\mathbf{Z}_i - \mathbf{P}(\mathbf{Z}_i)) \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \Gamma(U_i) \check{\mathbf{X}}_j \{2K((U_i - U_j)/h) - \tilde{K}((U_i - U_j)/h)\}.$$

It is easy to see that  $E[\mathbb{I}_{1n}] = 0$  and  $E[\mathbb{I}_{2n}] = 0$ . Therefore, we have

$$\text{COV}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_1, \boldsymbol{\xi}_2) = n^{-1/2}v^{-1}\Sigma_\alpha^{-1/2}(\mathbb{I}_{1n} + \mathbb{I}_{2n}) + o_p(1),$$

which results directly in  $\text{COV}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_1, \boldsymbol{\xi}_2) \xrightarrow{P} 0$ .

□

**Proof of Theorem 4:** This Theorem follows by Theorem 1 and Lemma [S.10](#).

□

The following Lemma states the asymptotic distribution of  $T_{NP}^O$  under  $H_1^{NP}$ .

**Lemma S.11** *Suppose that assumptions in Theorem 5 hold, then under  $H_1^{NP}$  in (3.8),*

$$\sigma_n^{-1}(T_{NP}^O - \mu_n - d_n) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(0, 1),$$

where  $d_{2n} = nE[\rho(V)\boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}\check{\mathbf{X}}^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U)]$ .

**Proof of Lemma S.11:** Along the lines of Lemma [S.10](#), we can prove that

$$\ell_n^O(H_0) - \ell_n^*(H_0) = O_p(1),$$

$$\ell_n^O(H_1) - \ell_n^*(H_1) = O_p(1),$$

which implies that  $T_{NP}^O = T_{NP}^* + O_p(1)$ . It remains to show that

$$\sigma_n^{-1}(T_{NP}^* - \mu_n) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(0, 1).$$

Denote  $\tilde{\eta}_{H_1}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha}) = \theta_0(U_i) + \boldsymbol{\alpha}^T \mathbf{Z}_i + \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i)$  by  $\tilde{\eta}_{i,H_1}^*$ , and  $q_1\{\tilde{\eta}_{i,H_1}^*\}$  by  $\varepsilon_i$ . Let  $\tilde{\ell}_n^*(H_1) = \sum_{i=1}^n Q(g^{-1}\{\tilde{\eta}_{i,H_1}^*\}, Y_i)$ . By the mean value

theory, there exists a  $\bar{\eta}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha})$  between  $\tilde{\eta}_{i,H_1}^*$  and  $\hat{\eta}_{H_1}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha})$  such that

$$\begin{aligned}
T_{NP}^* &= 2(\ell_n^*(H_1) - \ell_n^*(H_0)) \\
&= 2(\ell_n^*(H_1) - \tilde{\ell}_n^*(H_1)) - 2(\ell_n^*(H_0) - \tilde{\ell}_n^*(H_1)) \\
&= 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T (\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{H_1}^O(U_i) - \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i)) + \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{q}_{i,2} (\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{H_1}^O(U_i) - \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i))^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T (\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{H_1}^O(U_i) - \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i)) \\
&\quad + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i) - \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{q}_{i,2} \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i) \\
&= 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T (\mathbf{a}_n(U_i) + R_n(U_i))(1 + o_p(1)) \\
&\quad + \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{q}_{i,2} (\mathbf{a}_n(U_i) + R_n(U_i))^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T (\mathbf{a}_n(U_i) + R_n(U_i))(1 + o_p(1)) \\
&\quad + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i) - \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{q}_{i,2} \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i) \\
&= 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \mathbf{a}_n(U_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{q}_{i,2} \mathbf{a}_n(U_i)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \mathbf{a}_n(U_i) \\
&\quad + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i) - d_{2n} + R_n^{(1)} + R_n^{(2)} + R_n^{(3)} + o_p(h^{-1/2}) \\
&= \bar{T}_n + \bar{S}_n + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i) - d_{2n} + R_n^{(1)} + R_n^{(2)} + R_n^{(3)} + o_p(h^{-1/2})
\end{aligned}$$

where  $\bar{q}_{i,2}$  denotes  $q_2\{\bar{\eta}_{H_0}^*(\mathbf{V}_i; \boldsymbol{\alpha})\}$ ,  $d_{2n}$  is defined in Theorem 5, and  $\bar{T}_n$  and  $\bar{S}_n$  are defined in the proof of Lemma S.10. As the same argument of Lemma S.10, we have

$$T_{NP}^* - \mu_n + d_{2n} = \Upsilon(n)h^{-1/2} + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i \check{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U_i) + o_p(h^{-1/2}),$$

where  $\Upsilon(n)$  is defined in the proof of Lemma S.10. It is easy to see that the

variance of the second term on the right hand is  $\tilde{v}^2 = nE[\rho(\mathbf{V})\boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U)^T \check{\mathbf{X}}\check{\mathbf{X}}^T \boldsymbol{\theta}_n(U)] = O_p(h^{-1/4})$  by noting the assumption  $nh^4 \rightarrow 0$  and  $\boldsymbol{\theta}_n(u) = O_p(n^{-1/2}h^{-1/4})$ .

$$(T_{NP}^* - \mu_n + d_{2n})/\sigma_n \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} N(0, 1),$$

which completes the proof of Lemma [S.11](#).

□

**Proof of Theorem 5:** According to Lemma [S.11](#), this Theorem can be proved similarly to Theorem 3.

□





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