



## Weighted Statistical Approximation Properties of Univariate and Bivariate $\lambda$ -Kantorovich Operators

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**Abstract.** In this study, we consider statistical approximation properties of univariate and bivariate  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators. We estimate rate of weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence and prove a Voronovskaja-type approximation theorem by a family of linear operators using the notion of weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence. We give some estimates for differences of  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Durrmeyer, and  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators. We establish a Voronovskaja-type approximation theorem by weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence for the bivariate case.

### 1. Introduction

Statistical convergence was first introduced by Fast [8] and Steinhaus [10]. An extended definition of statistical convergence with the help of nonnegative regular matrix  $A = (a_{n,k})$ , called  $A$ -statistical convergence, was introduced by Kolk in [6]. Weighted statistical convergence was defined and studied by Karakaya et al. in [24] and also modified by Mursaleen et al. in [12]. For further information about statistical convergence we refer to [7, 21, 22].

Weighted mean matrix method is used to present some statistical approximation properties in terms of Korovkin-type statistical approximation theorem. An extended form of  $A$ -statistical convergence has been introduced by Mohiuddine et al. [19] and Mohiuddine [20], namely, weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence using a non-negative weighted regular matrix. A new characterization in terms of weighted regular matrix has been given and a Korovkin type approximation theorem through statistically weighted  $A$ -summable sequences of real or complex numbers has been proved, too.

Approximation theory has become a powerful tool to obtain prominent results in many fields of mathematics such as differential equations, orthogonal polynomials and computer-aided geometric design. Bernstein used famous polynomials nowadays called Bernstein polynomials, in 1912, to obtain an alternative proof of Weierstrass's fundamental theorem [5]. Approximation properties of Bernstein operators and their applications in Computer Aided Geometric Design and Computer Graphics have been extensively studied in many articles.

A new type  $\lambda$ -Bernstein operators have been introduced by Cai et al. in [15]. Bernstein operators were modified to create known Kantorovich operators in [14]. These kind of operators have been widely studied

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by many researchers.  $\lambda$ -Bernstein operators were also modified to define  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators by Acu et al. [1] as

$$K_{n,\lambda}(f; x) = (n+1) \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda; x) \int_{i/(n+1)}^{(i+1)/(n+1)} f(t) dt \quad (1)$$

with Bézier bases  $\tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda; x)$  [25]:

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{b}_{n,0}(\lambda; x) &= b_{n,0}(x) - \frac{\lambda}{n+1} b_{n+1,1}(x), \\ \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda; x) &= b_{n,i}(x) + \lambda \left( \frac{n-2i+1}{n^2-1} b_{n+1,i}(x) - \frac{n-2i-1}{n^2-1} b_{n+1,i+1}(x) \right), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1, \\ \tilde{b}_{n,n}(\lambda; x) &= b_{n,n}(x) - \frac{\lambda}{n+1} b_{n+1,n}(x), \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

where shape parameters  $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$  and the Bernstein basis functions  $b_{n,i}(x)$  are defined by

$$b_{n,i}(x) = \binom{n}{i} x^i (1-x)^{n-i} \quad (i = 0, \dots, n).$$

They proved a quantitative Voronovskaja type theorem by means of Ditzian-Totik modulus of smoothness and a Grüss-Voronovskaja type theorem for  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators.

In [16], Cai et al. have introduced Bzier variant of Kantorovich type  $\lambda$ -Bernstein operators. A global approximation theorem in terms of second order modulus of continuity and a direct approximation theorem by means of the Ditzian-Totik modulus of smoothness were established. Bojanic-Cheng decomposition method were combined with some analysis techniques to derive an asymptotic estimate on the rate of convergence for some absolutely continuous functions.

In [17], Cai et al. have introduced a family of GBS operators of bivariate tensor product of  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich type. They have given an estimate for the rate of convergence of such operators for B-continuous and B-differentiable functions using the mixed modulus of smoothness. They have also established a Voronovskaja type asymptotic formula for the bivariate  $\lambda$ -Bernstein-Kantorovich operators.

Very recently, Srivastava et al. constructed Stancu-type Bernstein operators based on Bézier bases with shape parameter  $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$  and calculated their moments. They established uniform convergence of the operators and global approximation result by means of Ditzian-Totik modulus of smoothness. they also constructed the bivariate case of Stancu-type  $\lambda$ -Bernstein operators and studied their approximation behaviors [9].

This paper is divided into five main sections. In Section 1, we give a local direct estimate of the rate of convergence with the help of Lipschitz-type function involving two parameters. In Section 2, we give some estimates for differences of  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Durrmeyer, and  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators. In Section 3, we study statistical approximation properties and estimate rate of weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence. In Section 4, we prove a Voronovskaja-type approximation theorem by  $\tilde{K}_{n,\lambda}(f; x)$  family of linear operators using the notion of weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence. In the final section of the paper, we establish a Voronovskaja-type approximation theorem by weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence for bivariate case. We compute rate of convergence with the help of Lipschitz-type function and modulus of continuity for bivariate case.

We need the following results throughout the paper.

**Lemma 1.1.** [1, Lemma 2.1] We have following equalities for  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators:

$$\begin{aligned} K_{n,\lambda}(1; x) &= 1; \\ K_{n,\lambda}(t; x) &= x + \frac{1-2x}{2(n+1)} + \frac{1-2x+x^{n+1}-(1-x)^{n+1}}{n^2-1} \lambda; \\ K_{n,\lambda}(t^2; x) &= x^2 + \frac{3nx(2-3x)-3x^2+1}{3(n+1)^2} + \frac{x^{n+1}-x+n(x^{n+1}+x-2x^2)}{(n-1)(n+1)^2} 2\lambda. \end{aligned}$$

First we give a local direct estimate of the rate of convergence with the help of Lipschitz-type function involving two parameters for operators (1). We write

$$Lip_M^{(k_1, k_2)}(\eta) := \left\{ f \in C[0, 1] : |f(t) - f(x)| \leq M \frac{|t - x|^\eta}{(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x + t)^{\frac{\eta}{2}}}; x \in (0, 1], t \in [0, 1] \right\}$$

for  $k_1 \geq 0, k_2 > 0$ , where  $\eta \in (0, 1]$  and  $M$  is a positive constant (see [13]).

**Theorem 1.2.** *If  $f \in Lip_M^{(k_1, k_2)}(\eta)$ , then we have*

$$|K_{n, \lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq M \left[ \frac{3n + 4}{12(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x)(n + 1)^2} + \frac{|\lambda|}{2(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x)(n^2 - 1)} \right]^{\frac{\eta}{2}}$$

for all  $\lambda \in [-1, 1], x \in (0, 1]$  and  $\eta \in (0, 1]$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f \in Lip_M^{(k_1, k_2)}(\eta)$  and  $\eta \in (0, 1]$ . First we show the statement is true for  $\eta = 1$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} |K_{n, \lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq |K_{n, \lambda}(|f(t) - f(x)|; x)| + f(x) |K_{n, \lambda}(1; x) - 1| \\ &\leq \sum_{i=0}^n \left| f\left(\frac{i}{n}\right) - f(x) \right| \tilde{b}_{n, i}(\lambda; x) \\ &\leq M \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{\left| \frac{i}{n} - x \right|}{(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x + t)^{\frac{1}{2}}} \tilde{b}_{n, i}(\lambda; x) \end{aligned}$$

for  $f \in Lip_M^{(k_1, k_2)}(1)$ . By  $(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x + t)^{-1/2} \leq (k_1 x^2 + k_2 x)^{-1/2}$  for  $k_1 \geq 0, k_2 > 0$  and applying Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |K_{n, \lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq M(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x)^{-1/2} \sum_{i=0}^n \left| \frac{i}{n} - x \right| \tilde{b}_{n, i}(\lambda; x) \\ &= M(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x)^{-1/2} |K_{n, \lambda}(t - x; x)| \\ &\leq M|\alpha_n(x)|^{1/2} (k_1 x^2 + k_2 x)^{-1/2}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence the statement is true for  $\eta = 1$ . By monotonicity of operators  $K_{n, \lambda}(f; x)$  and applying Hölder’s inequality two times with  $a = 2/\eta, b = 2/(2 - \eta)$  we show the statement is true for  $\eta \in (0, 1]$ :

$$\begin{aligned} |K_{n, \lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq \sum_{i=0}^n \left| f\left(\frac{i}{n}\right) - f(x) \right| \tilde{b}_{n, i}(\lambda; x) \\ &\leq \left( \sum_{i=0}^n \left| f\left(\frac{i}{n}\right) - f(x) \right|^{\frac{2}{\eta}} \tilde{b}_{n, i}(\lambda; x) \right)^{\frac{\eta}{2}} \left( \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n, i}(\lambda; x) \right)^{\frac{2-\eta}{2}} \\ &\leq M \left( \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{\left(\frac{i}{n} - x\right)^2 \tilde{b}_{n, i}(\lambda; x)}{\frac{i}{n} + k_1 x^2 + k_2 x} \right)^{\frac{\eta}{2}} \\ &\leq M(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x)^{-\eta/2} \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^n \left(\frac{i}{n} - x\right)^2 \tilde{b}_{n, i}(\lambda; x) \right\}^{\frac{\eta}{2}} \\ &\leq M(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x + t)^{-\eta/2} K_{n, \lambda}^{\frac{\eta}{2}}((t - x)^2; x) \\ &\leq M \left[ \frac{3n + 4}{12(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x)(n + 1)^2} + \frac{|\lambda|}{2(k_1 x^2 + k_2 x)(n^2 - 1)} \right]^{\frac{\eta}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof.  $\square$

## 2. Estimates for differences between $\lambda$ -Bernstein type operators

In this part, we shall give some estimates for differences of  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Durrmeyer, and  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators.

There are two approaches to find estimates for differences of positive linear operators and their derivatives. We refer to [2] for details of differences of operators.

Consider  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators in (1),  $\lambda$ -Bernstein operators defined in [15] and  $\lambda$ -Durrmeyer operators defined in [3]. We write  $\lambda$ -Bernstein,  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich and  $\lambda$ -Durrmeyer operators as

$$\begin{aligned}
 B_{n,\lambda}(f; x) &= \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda; x) B_{i,n}(f); & B_{i,n}(f) &= f\left(\frac{i}{n}\right); \\
 K_{n,\lambda}(f; x) &= \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda; x) K_{i,n}(f); & K_{i,n}(f) &= (n+1) \int_{i/(n+1)}^{(i+1)/(n+1)} f(t) dt; \\
 D_{n,\lambda}(f; x) &= \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda; x) D_{i,n}(f); & D_{i,n}(f) &= (n+1) \int_0^1 b_{n,i}(t) f(t) dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 2.1.** [2] Let  $F : C(I) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a positive linear functional such that  $F(1) = 1$ . If we denote  $b^F = F(x)$  and

$$\mu_i^F = \frac{1}{i} F(e_1 - b^F e_0)^i,$$

then we have  $\mu_0^F = 1$ ,  $\mu_1^F = 0$  and  $\mu_2^F = \frac{1}{2} [F(e_2) - (b^F)^2]$ .

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $f, f'' \in C[0, 1]$ . We have the following estimates for difference of  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators:

- (i)  $|B_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - K_{n,\lambda}(f; x)| \leq \|f''\| \alpha_n(x, \lambda) + \omega_1(f, 1/(2n+2));$
- (ii)  $|B_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - K_{n,\lambda}(f; x)| \leq 3\omega_2(f, 1/(2\sqrt{6}n + 2\sqrt{6})) + 5\sqrt{6}\omega_1(f, 1/(2\sqrt{6}n + 2\sqrt{6})).$

*Proof.* We have

$$b^{B_{i,n}} = B_{i,n}(e_1) = \frac{i}{n} \text{ and } b^{K_{i,n}} = K_{i,n}(e_1) = \frac{2i+1}{2(n+1)}$$

for  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators. We also have

$$\max_{0 \leq i \leq n} |b^{B_{i,n}} - b^{K_{i,n}}| = \max_{0 \leq i \leq n} \frac{|n-2i|}{2n(n+1)} = \frac{1}{2(n+1)}.$$

Then the following equalities hold:

$$\mu_2^{B_{i,n}} = \frac{1}{2!} B_{i,n}(e_1 - b^{B_{i,n}} e_0)^2 = 0;$$

$$\mu_2^{K_{i,n}} = \frac{1}{2!} K_{i,n}(e_1 - b^{K_{i,n}} e_0)^2 = \frac{1}{24(n+1)^2}.$$

Hence we have

$$\alpha_n(x, \lambda) = \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda, x) (\mu_2^{B_{i,n}} + \mu_2^{K_{i,n}}) = \frac{1}{24(n+1)^2} \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda, x) = \frac{1}{24(n+1)^2}.$$

We prove the theorem if we apply [2, Theorem 3, Theorem 5].  $\square$

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $f, f'' \in C[0, 1]$ . We have the following estimates for difference of  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Durrmeyer operators:

- (i)  $|B_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - D_{n,\lambda}(f; x)| \leq \|f''\| \beta_n(x, \lambda) + \omega_1(f, 1/(n + 2));$
- (ii)  $|B_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - D_{n,\lambda}(f; x)| \leq 3\omega_2(f, \beta_n^{1/2}(x, \lambda)) + 5(n + 2)\beta_n^{-1/2}(x, \lambda)\omega_1(f, \beta_n^{1/2}(x, \lambda)).$

*Proof.* We have  $b^{B_{i,n}} = B_{i,n}(e_1) = \frac{i}{n}$  and  $b^{D_{i,n}} = D_{i,n}(e_1) = \frac{i+1}{n+2}$  for  $\lambda$ -Bernstein and  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators. We also have  $\max_i |b^{B_{i,n}} - b^{D_{i,n}}| = \frac{1}{n+2}$  since  $|b^{B_{i,n}} - b^{D_{i,n}}| = \frac{|n-2i|}{n(n+2)}$ .

Then the following equalities hold:

$$\mu_2^{B_{i,n}} = \frac{1}{2!} B_{i,n}(e_1 - b^{B_{i,n}}e_0)^2 = 0;$$

$$\mu_2^{D_{i,n}} = \frac{1}{2!} D_{i,n}(e_1 - b^{D_{i,n}}e_0)^2 = \frac{(i + 1)(n + 1 - i)}{2(n + 3)(n + 2)^2}.$$

Using all these relations we have

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_n(x, \lambda) &= \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda, x) (\mu_2^{B_{i,n}} + \mu_2^{D_{i,n}}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2(n + 3)(n + 2)^2} \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda, x)(i + 1)(n + 1 - i) \\ &= \frac{1}{2(n + 3)(n + 2)^2} \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda, x)(1 - i^2) + \frac{n}{2(n + 3)(n + 2)^2} \sum_{i=0}^n \tilde{b}_{n,i}(\lambda, x)(1 + i) \\ &= \frac{n + 1}{2(n + 3)(n + 2)^2} + \frac{n^2}{2(n + 3)(n + 2)^2} \left[ x(1 - x) - \frac{x(1 - x)}{n} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1 - 4x + 4x^2 - x^{n+1} - (1 - x)^{n+1}}{n(n - 1)} \lambda + \frac{1 - x^{n+1} - (1 - x)^{n+1}}{n^2(n - 1)} \lambda \right]. \end{aligned}$$

We prove the theorem if we apply [2, Theorem 3, Theorem 5].  $\square$

### 3. Statistical approximation properties of univariate $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators

This section is devoted to establish statistical approximation properties of univariate  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators and estimate the corresponding rate of convergence by weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence. First we give the needed notions and notations.

Natural density of  $K_n$  is denoted by  $\delta(K) = \lim_n \frac{1}{n} |K_n|$  provided that limit exists, where  $K_n = \{k \leq n : k \in K\}$ ,  $K \subseteq \mathbb{N}_0 := \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$  and vertical bars denote cardinality of the enclosed set. A sequence  $x = (x_n)$  of numbers is called statistically convergent to a number  $L$ , denoted by  $st\text{-}\lim_n x = L$ , if, for each  $\epsilon > 0$ ,

$$\delta\{n : n \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and } |x_n - L| \geq \epsilon\} = 0.$$

$A$ -transform of  $x$  denoted by  $Ax := \{(Ax)_n\}$  is defined as  $(Ax)_n = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_{nk}x_k$  for a given non-negative infinite summability matrix  $A = (a_{nk}), n, k \in \mathbb{N}$ . It is provided defined series converges for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ . If  $\lim_n (Ax)_n = L$  whenever  $\lim_n x_n = L$ , we say that  $A$  is a regular method. Then sequence  $x = (x_n)$  is said to be  $A$ -statistically convergent to  $L$ , denoted by  $st_A\text{-}\lim x = L$ , provided that for each  $\epsilon > 0$ ,

$$\sum_{k: |x_k - L| \geq \epsilon} a_{nk} = 0 \quad (n \rightarrow \infty).$$

$A$ -statistical convergence becomes ordinary statistical convergence which was introduced in [4] if we take  $A = (C_1)$ , the Cesaro matrix of order one, and it becomes classical convergence if we take  $A = I$ , the identity matrix. We know that every convergent sequence is statistically convergent to the same limit but not conversely.

Assume that  $q = (q_n)$  is a sequence of non-negative numbers so that  $q_0 > 0$  and  $Q_n = \sum_{k=0}^n q_k \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Then  $x = (x_n)$  is called weighted  $A$ -statistically convergent to  $L$ , if, for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{Q_n} \sum_{k=0}^n q_k \sum_{l:|x-l| \geq \varepsilon} a_{kl} = 0.$$

This relation is denoted by  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim x = L$  in this case. It is clear that weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence generalizes  $A$ -statistical convergence, which we recover by putting  $q_n = 1$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

We now give main results related to statistical approximation of operators in (1).

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let  $A = (a_{nk})$  be a weighted non-negative regular summability matrix for  $n, k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $q = (q_n)$  be a sequence of non-negative numbers such that  $q_0 > 0$  and  $Q_n = \sum_{k=0}^n q_k \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . For any  $f \in C[0, 1]$ , we have*

$$S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|K_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)\|_{C[0,1]} = 0.$$

*Proof.* Consider sequence of functions  $e_j(x) = x^j$ , where  $j \in \{0, 1, 2\}$  and  $x \in [0, 1]$ . It is sufficient to satisfy

$$S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|K_{n,\lambda}(e_j; x) - e_j\|_{C[0,1]} = 0, \quad j = 0, 1, 2.$$

From Lemma 1.1, it is clear that

$$S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|K_{n,\lambda}(e_0; x) - e_0\|_{C[0,1]} = 0. \tag{3}$$

We also have

$$\begin{aligned} \|K_{n,\lambda}(e_1; x) - e_1\|_{C[0,1]} &= \sup_{x \in [0,1]} \left| \frac{1-2x}{2(n+1)} + \frac{1-2x+x^{n+1}-(1-x)^{n+1}}{n^2-1} \lambda \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2(n+1)} + \frac{|\lambda|}{2(n^2-1)} := A(n, \lambda). \end{aligned}$$

We define following sets

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega &:= \{n \in \mathbb{N} : \|K_{n,\lambda}(e_1; x) - e_1\|_{C[0,1]} \geq \bar{\varepsilon}\}, \\ \Omega_1 &:= \{n \in \mathbb{N} : A(n, \lambda) \geq \varepsilon - \bar{\varepsilon}\} \end{aligned}$$

choosing a number  $\varepsilon > 0$  for a given  $\bar{\varepsilon} > 0$  such that  $\varepsilon < \bar{\varepsilon}$ . Then we see the inclusion  $\Omega \subset \Omega_1$  is satisfied and

$$\frac{1}{Q_n} \sum_{k=0}^n q_k \sum_{l \in \Omega} a_{kl} \leq \frac{1}{Q_n} \sum_{k=0}^n q_k \sum_{l \in \Omega_1} a_{kl} \tag{4}$$

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Passing limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  in (4) we have

$$S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|K_{n,\lambda}(e_1; x) - e_1\|_{C[0,1]} = 0. \tag{5}$$

We also have

$$\begin{aligned} \|K_{n,\lambda}(e_2; x) - e_2\|_{C[0,1]} &= \sup_{x \in [0,1]} \left| \frac{3nx(2-3x) - 3x^2 + 1}{3(n+1)^2} + \frac{x^{n+1} - x + n(x^{n+1} + x - 2x^2)}{(n-1)(n+1)^2} 2\lambda \right| \\ &\leq \frac{15n+4}{(n+1)^2} + \frac{8|\lambda|}{n^2-1} := B(n, \lambda). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_n B(n, \lambda) = 0$ , we get

$$S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|K_{n,\lambda}(e_2; x) - e_2\|_{C[0,1]} = 0. \tag{6}$$

We get desired result combining (3), (5) and (6).  $\square$

We now estimate rate of weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence of operators  $K_{n,\lambda}(f; x)$ .

Let  $A = (a_{nk})$  be a weighted non-negative regular summability matrix and let  $q = (q_n)$  be a sequence of non-negative numbers such that  $q_0 > 0$  and  $Q_n = \sum_{k=0}^n q_k \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Also let  $(u_n)$  be a positive non-decreasing sequence. We say that a sequence  $x = (x_n)$  is weighted  $A$ -statistically convergent to  $L$  with the rate  $o(u_n)$  if

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{u_n Q_n} \sum_{k=0}^n q_k \sum_{l: |x_l - L| \geq \epsilon} a_{kl} = 0.$$

In this case, we write

$$[stat_A, q_n] - o(u_n) = x_n - L.$$

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $A = (a_{nk})$  be a weighted non-negative regular summability matrix. Assume that following condition yields:*

$$\omega(f, \varphi_n) = [stat_A, q_n] - o(u_n) \text{ on } [0, 1], \text{ where } \varphi_n = \sqrt{\|K_{n,\lambda}((s-x)^2; x)\|_{C[0,1]}}.$$

Then for every bounded  $f \in C[0, 1]$  we have

$$\|K_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)\|_{C[0,1]} = [stat_A, q_n] - o(u_n).$$

*Proof.* Let  $f(x, y) \in C[0, 1]$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned} |K_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq |K_{n,\lambda}(|f(t) - f(x)|; x)| + \psi |K_{n,\lambda}(1; x) - 1| \\ &\leq \omega(f, \delta) K_{n,\lambda}\left(\frac{|t-x|}{\delta} + 1; x\right) \\ &= \omega(f, \delta) K_{n,\lambda}(1; x) + \omega(f, \delta) \frac{1}{\delta^2} K_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x) \end{aligned}$$

for any  $x, s \in [0, 1]$ , where  $\psi = \sup_{x \in [0,1]} |f(x)|$ . Let  $\delta := \varphi_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Taking supremum over  $x \in [0, \infty)$  on both sides, we obtain

$$\|K_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)\|_{C[0,1]} \leq \omega(f, \varphi_n) + \omega(f, \varphi_n) \frac{1}{\varphi_n^2} \|K_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x)\|_{C[0,1]} = 2\omega(f, \varphi_n).$$

Consider following sets for a given  $\epsilon > 0$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{B} &= \{n : \|K_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)\|_{C[0,1]} \geq \epsilon\}, \\ \mathcal{W} &= \left\{n : \omega(f, \varphi_n) \geq \frac{\epsilon}{2}\right\}. \end{aligned}$$

The following inequality is clear satisfied:

$$\frac{1}{u_n Q_n} \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{l \in \mathcal{B}} q_k a_{kl} \leq \frac{1}{u_n Q_n} \sum_{k=0}^n \sum_{l \in \mathcal{W}} q_k a_{kl}.$$

We are led to the following fact by the hypothesis that

$$\|K_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)\|_{C[0,1]} = [stat_A, q_n] - o(u_n)$$

as asserted by Theorem 3.2.  $\square$

**4. A Voronovskaja-type approximation theorem by weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence**

We shall prove a Voronovskaja-type approximation theorem by  $\hat{K}_{n,\lambda}(f; x)$  family of linear operators using the notion of weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence.

**Theorem 4.1.** *Let  $A = (a_{nk})$  be a weighted non-negative regular summability matrix and let  $(x_n)$  be a sequence of real numbers such that  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim x_n = 0$ . Also let  $\hat{K}_{n,\lambda}(f; x)$  be a sequence of positive linear operators acting from  $C_B[0, 1]$  into  $C[0, 1]$  defined by*

$$\hat{K}_{n,\lambda}(f; x) = (1 + x_n)K_{n,\lambda}(f; x).$$

Then for every  $f(x, y) \in C_B[0, 1]$ , and  $f', f'' \in C_B[0, 1]$  we have

$$S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \{ \hat{K}_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x) \} = \frac{f'(x)}{2}(1 - 2x) + \frac{f''(x)}{2}x(1 - x).$$

*Proof.* Let  $x \in [0, 1]$  and  $f', f'' \in C_B[0, 1]$ . Applying  $\hat{K}_{n,\lambda}(f; x)$  to both sides of Taylor’s expansion theorem, we have

$$\hat{K}_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x) = f'(x)\hat{K}_{n,\lambda}(t - x; x) + \frac{f''(x)}{2}\hat{K}_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2; x) + \hat{K}_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2\epsilon(x, t); x),$$

which yields to

$$n \{ \hat{K}_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x) \} = nf'(x)(1 + x_n)K_{n,\lambda}(t - x; x) + \frac{n}{2}f''(x)(1 + x_n)K_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2; x) + n(1 + x_n)K_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2\epsilon(x, t); x).$$

We also have the following relations

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| n \{ \hat{K}_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x) \} - \left\{ f'(x) \left( \frac{n(1 - 2x)}{2(n + 1)} + \frac{n(1 - 2x + x^{n+1} - (1 - x)^{n+1})}{n^2 - 1} \right) \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. + \frac{f''(x)}{2} \left( \frac{nx(1 - x)}{n + 1} + \frac{n(1 - 6x + 6x^2)}{3(n + 1)^2} + \frac{2n[x^{n+1}(1x) + x(1x)^{n+1}]}{n^2 1} \right) \right\} \right| \\ & = nf'(x)x_n K_{n,\lambda}(t - x; x) + \frac{n}{2}f''(x)x_n K_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2; x) + n(1 + x_n)K_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2\epsilon(x, t); x) \\ & \leq x_n \left\{ nf'(x)A(n, \lambda) + n \frac{f''(x)}{2}C(n, \lambda) \right\} + n(1 + x_n)K_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2\epsilon(x, t); x) \\ & \leq x_n \{ n\Delta_1 A(n, \lambda) + n\Delta_2 C(n, \lambda) \} + n(1 + x_n)K_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2\epsilon(x, t); x), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} K_{n,\lambda}(t - x; x) &= \frac{1 - 2x}{2(n + 1)} + \frac{1 - 2x + x^{n+1} - (1 - x)^{n+1}}{n^2 - 1} \leq \frac{1}{2(n + 1)} + \frac{|\lambda|}{n^2 - 1}; \\ K_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2; x) &= \frac{nx(1 - x)}{(n + 1)^2} + \frac{1 - 3x + 3x^2}{3(n + 1)^2} + \frac{2\lambda[x^{n+1}(1x) + x(1x)^{n+1}]}{n^2 1} + \frac{4\lambda x(1 - x)}{(n + 1)^2(n 1)} \\ &\leq \frac{3n + 4}{12(n + 1)^2} + \frac{|\lambda|}{n^2 1} := C(n, \lambda) \end{aligned}$$

by [1, Lemma 2.3] and

$$\Delta_1 = \sup_{x \in [0,1]} |f'(x)| \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta_2 = \sup_{x \in [0,1]} |f''(x)|.$$

Moreover, by Theorem 3.1 we obtain

$$S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n (K_{n,\lambda}((t - x)^2\epsilon(x, t); x)) = 0.$$

Since  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim x_n = 0$ , we get desired result.  $\square$



**5. Approximation properties of bivariate  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators**

In this part, we establish a Voronovskaja-type approximation theorem by weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence for bivariate case. We compute rate of convergence with the help of Lipschitz-type function and modulus of continuity for bivariate case.

Let  $\mathcal{I} = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$  and  $(x, y) \in \mathcal{I}$ , then we consider bivariate  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators

$$\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) = (n + 1)(m + 1) \sum_{k_1=0}^n \sum_{k_2=0}^m \tilde{b}_{n,k_1}(\lambda_1; x) \tilde{b}_{m,k_2}(\lambda_2; y) \int_{\frac{k_1}{n+1}}^{\frac{k_1+1}{n+1}} \int_{\frac{k_2}{m+1}}^{\frac{k_2+1}{m+1}} f(u, v) du dv$$

for  $f(x, y) \in C(\mathcal{I})$ , where Bézier bases  $\tilde{b}_{n,k_1}(\lambda_1; x)$  and  $\tilde{b}_{m,k_2}(\lambda_2; x)$  ( $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in [-1, -1]$ ) are defined in (2).

As an immediate consequence of Lemma 1.1 we have the following lemma:

**Lemma 5.1.** *The following equalities hold:*

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(1; x, y) &= 1; \\ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(s; x, y) &= x + \frac{1 - 2x}{2(n + 1)} + \frac{1 - 2x + x^{n+1} - (1 - x)^{n+1}}{n^2 - 1} \lambda_1; \\ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(t; x, y) &= y + \frac{1 - 2y}{2(m + 1)} + \frac{1 - 2y + y^{m+1} - (1 - y)^{m+1}}{m^2 - 1} \lambda_2; \\ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(s^2; x, y) &= x^2 + \frac{3nx(2 - 3x) - 3x^2 + 1}{3(n + 1)^2} + \frac{x^{n+1} - x + n(x^{n+1} + x - 2x^2)}{(n - 1)(n + 1)^2} 2\lambda_1; \\ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(t^2; x, y) &= y^2 + \frac{3my(2 - 3y) - 3y^2 + 1}{3(m + 1)^2} + \frac{y^{m+1} - y + m(y^{m+1} + y - 2y^2)}{(m - 1)(m + 1)^2} 2\lambda_2. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 5.2.** *The sequence  $\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y)$  of operators convergences uniformly to  $f(x, y)$  by weighted  $A$ -statistical convergence on  $\mathcal{I}$  for each  $f(x, y) \in C(\mathcal{I})$ , where  $C(\mathcal{I})$  is the set of all real valued continuous functions on  $\mathcal{I}$  with the norm*

$$\|f\|_{C(\mathcal{I})} = \sup_{(x,y) \in \mathcal{I}} |f(x, y)|.$$

*Proof.* It is enough to prove the following condition

$$S_A^{\bar{N}} - \lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(e_{ij}(x, y); x, y) = x^i y^j, \quad (i, j) \in \{(0, 0), (1, 0), (0, 1)\}$$

converges uniformly on  $\mathcal{I}$ . We clearly have

$$S_A^{\bar{N}} - \lim_{m,n \rightarrow \infty} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(e_{00}(x, y); x, y) = e_{00}.$$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} S_A^{\bar{N}} - \lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(e_{10}(x, y); x, y) &= S_A^{\bar{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( x + \frac{(1 - 2x)(n + 1) + 2x^{n+1} - 2(1 - x)^{n+1}}{2(n^2 - 1)} \lambda_1 \right) \\ &= e_{10}(x, y); \\ S_A^{\bar{N}} - \lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(e_{01}(x, y); x, y) &= S_A^{\bar{N}} - \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \left( y + \frac{(1 - 2y)(m + 1) + 2y^{m+1} - 2(1 - y)^{m+1}}{2(m^2 - 1)} \lambda_2 \right) \\ &= e_{01}(x, y) \end{aligned}$$

by Lemma 5.1, and

$$\begin{aligned} & S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2} (e_{02}(x, y) + e_{20}(x, y); x, y) \\ &= S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ x^2 + \frac{3nx(2-3x) - 3x^2 + 1}{3(n+1)^2} + \frac{x^{n+1} - x + n(x^{n+1} + x - 2x^2)}{(n-1)(n+1)^2} 2\lambda_1 \right. \\ &\quad \left. + y^2 + \frac{3my(2-3y) - 3y^2 + 1}{3(m+1)^2} + \frac{y^{m+1} - y + m(y^{m+1} + y - 2y^2)}{(m-1)(m+1)^2} 2\lambda_2 \right\} \\ &= e_{02}(x, y) + e_{20}(x, y). \end{aligned}$$

Bearing in mind the above conditions and Korovkin type theorem established by Volkov [23]

$$S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{m,n \rightarrow \infty} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2} (e_{ij}(x, y); x, y) = x^i y^j$$

converges uniformly.  $\square$

5.1. A weighted A-statistical Voronovskaja-type theorem for bivariate case

**Lemma 5.3.** Let  $A = (a_{nk})$  be a weighted non-negative regular summability matrix and let  $(x_n)$  be a sequence of real numbers such that  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim x_n = 0$ . Also let  $\mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y)$  be a sequence of positive linear operators acting from  $C_B(\mathcal{I})$  into  $C(\mathcal{I})$  defined by

$$\mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) = (1 + x_n) \bar{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y).$$

Then, we have

$$\begin{aligned} S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(s - x; x, y) &= \frac{1 - 2x}{2}; \\ S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(t - y; x, y) &= \frac{1 - 2y}{2}; \\ S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s - x)^2; x, y) &= x(1 - x); \\ S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((t - y)^2; x, y) &= y(1 - y). \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Since  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim x_n = 0$  holds, the following relation

$$\begin{aligned} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(s - x; x, y) &= n (1 + x_n) \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(s - x; x, y) \\ &= n (1 + x_n) \left[ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(s; x, y) - x \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(1; x, y) \right] \\ &= (1 + x_n) \left[ \frac{n(1 - 2x)}{2(n+1)} + \frac{1 - 2x + x^{n+1} - (1 - x)^{n+1}}{n^2 - 1} n\lambda_1 \right] \end{aligned}$$

implies  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(s - x; x, y) = (1 - 2x)/2$ . Also the following relation

$$\begin{aligned} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s - x)^2; x, y) &= n (1 + x_n) \bar{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s - x)^2; x, y) \\ &= n (1 + x_n) \left[ \bar{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(s^2; x, y) - 2x \bar{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(sx, y) + x^2 \bar{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(1; x, y) \right] \\ &= (1 + x_n) \left[ \frac{n^2 x(1 - x)}{(n+1)^2} + \frac{n(1 - 3x(1 - x))}{3(n+1)^2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{2n\lambda_1(x^{n+1}(1 - x) + x(1 - x)^{n+1})}{n^2 - 1} + \frac{4n\lambda_1 x(1 - x)}{(n+1)^2(n1)} \right] \end{aligned}$$

implies  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s - x)^2; x, y) = x(1 - x)$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 5.4.** Let  $f(x, y) \in C^2(I)$ , then, we have

$$S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[ \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y) \right] = \frac{1-2x}{2} f_x + \frac{1-2y}{2} f_y + \frac{x(1-x)}{2} f_{xx} + \frac{y(1-y)}{2} f_{yy}.$$

*Proof.* First we write the Taylor’s formula of  $f(s, t)$

$$f(s, t) = f(x, y) + f_x(s-x) + f_y(t-y) + \frac{1}{2} \left\{ f_{xx}(s-x)^2 + 2f_{xy}(s-x)(t-y) + f_{yy}(t-y)^2 \right\} + \varepsilon(s, t) \left( (s-x)^2 + (t-y)^2 \right) \tag{7}$$

for  $(x, y) \in I$ , where  $(s, t) \in I$  and  $\varepsilon(s, t) \rightarrow 0$  as  $(s, t) \rightarrow (x, y)$ . If we apply sequence of operators  $\mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y)$  on (7) bearing in mind linearity of operator, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; s, t) - f(x, y) &= f_x(x, y) \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s-x); x, y) + f_y(x, y) \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((t-y); x, y) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} \left\{ f_{xx} \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s-x)^2; x, y) + 2f_{xy} \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s-x)(t-y); x, y) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + f_{yy} \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((t-y)^2; x, y) \right\} + \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(\varepsilon(s, t) \left( (s-x)^2 + (t-y)^2 \right); x, y). \end{aligned}$$

Applying weighted  $A$  statistical limit to both sides of the last equality as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[ \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; s, t) - f(x, y) \right] &= S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left\{ f_x(x, y) \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s-x); x, y) + f_y(x, y) \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((t-y); x, y) \right\} \\ &\quad + S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{2} \left\{ f_{xx} \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s-x)^2; x, y) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 2f_{xy} \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s-x)(t-y); x, y) + f_{yy} \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((t-y)^2; x, y) \right\} \\ &\quad + S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(\varepsilon(s, t) \left( (s-x)^2 + (t-y)^2 \right); x, y). \end{aligned}$$

If we apply Hölder inequality to the last term of previous equality, we have

$$\mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(\varepsilon(s, t) \left( (s-x)^2 + (t-y)^2 \right); x, y) \leq \sqrt{2} \sqrt{\mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(\varepsilon^2(s, t); x, y)} \sqrt{\mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(\varepsilon(s, t) \left( (s-x)^4 + (t-y)^4 \right); x, y)}.$$

Since  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_n n^2 \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s-x)^4; x, y)$  and  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_n n^2 \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((t-y)^4; x, y)$  are finite and  $\lim_n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(\varepsilon^2(s, t); x, y) = \varepsilon^2(x, y) = 0$ , we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^2 \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(\varepsilon(s, t) \left( (s-x)^4 + (t-y)^4 \right); x, y) = 0.$$

By Lemma 5.3 and  $S_A^{\tilde{N}} - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \mathbb{K}_{n,n}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s-x)(t-y); x, y) = 0$  we obtain the desired result.  $\square$

5.2. Rates of convergence of bivariate operators

Now we compute the rate of convergence of operators  $\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y)$  to  $f(x, y)$  by means of the modulus of continuity. We first give the needed definitions.

Complete modulus of continuity for a bivariate case is defined as follows:

$$\omega(f, \delta) = \sup \left\{ |f(s, t) - f(x, y)| : \sqrt{(s-x)^2 + (t-y)^2} \leq \delta \right\}$$

for  $f \in C(I_{ab})$  and for every  $(s, t), (x, y) \in I_{ab} = [0, a] \times [0, b]$ . Partial moduli of continuity with respect to  $x$  and  $y$  are defined as

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_1(f, \delta) &= \sup \{ |f(x_1, y) - f(x_2, y)| : y \in [0, b] \text{ and } |x_1 - x_2| \leq \delta \}, \\ \omega_2(f, \delta) &= \sup \{ |f(x, y_1) - f(x, y_2)| : x \in [0, a] \text{ and } |y_1 - y_2| \leq \delta \}. \end{aligned}$$

Peetre’s  $K$ -functional is given by

$$K(f, \delta) = \inf_{g \in C^2(I_{ab})} \{ \|f - g\|_{C(I_{ab})} + \delta \|g\|_{C^2(I_{ab})} \}$$

for  $\delta > 0$ , where  $C^2(I_{ab})$  is the space of functions of  $f$  such that  $f, \frac{\partial^j f}{\partial x^j}$  and  $\frac{\partial^j f}{\partial y^j}$  ( $j = 1, 2$ ) in  $C(I_{ab})$  [11]. We now give an estimate of the rates of convergence of operators  $\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y)$ .

**Theorem 5.5.** *Let  $f(x, y) \in C(I)$ , then we have*

$$|\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| \leq 4\omega\left(f; \sqrt{C(n, \lambda_1)}, \sqrt{C(m, \lambda_2)}\right)$$

for all  $x \in I$ , where  $C(n, \lambda_1)$  and  $C(m, \lambda_2)$  are defined in Theorem 4.1.

*Proof.* The following inequalities are satisfied

$$\begin{aligned} & |\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| \\ & \leq \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|f(s, t) - f(x, y)|; x, y) \\ & \leq \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}\left(\omega\left(f; \sqrt{(s-x)^2 + (t-y)^2}\right); x, y\right) \\ & \leq \omega\left(f; \sqrt{C(n, \lambda_1)}, \sqrt{C(m, \lambda_2)}\right) \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{C(n, \lambda_1)C(m, \lambda_2)}} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}\left(\sqrt{(s-x)^2 + (t-y)^2}; x, y\right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

because defined bivariate  $\lambda$ -Kantorovich operators are linear and positive by definition of operators and complete modulus of continuity of  $f(x, y)$ . We also have

$$\begin{aligned} |\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| & \leq \omega\left(f; \sqrt{C(n, \lambda_1)}, \sqrt{C(m, \lambda_2)}\right) \\ & \times \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{C(n, \lambda_1)C(m, \lambda_2)}} \left\{ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}\left((s-x)^2; x, y\right) \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}\left((t-y)^2; x, y\right) \right\}^{1/2} \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{\sqrt{\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}\left((s-x)^2; x, y\right)}}{\sqrt{C(n, \lambda_1)}} + \frac{\sqrt{\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}\left((t-y)^2; x, y\right)}}{\sqrt{C(m, \lambda_2)}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

by Cauchy-Schwartz inequality. Choosing  $C(n, \lambda_1) = \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}\left((s-x)^2; x, y\right)$  and  $C(m, \lambda_2) = \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}\left((t-y)^2; x, y\right)$  for all  $(x, y) \in I$  we complete the proof.  $\square$

**Theorem 5.6.** *Let  $f(x, y) \in C(I)$ , then the following inequality holds*

$$|\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| \leq 2 \left[ \omega_1\left(f; C^{1/2}(n, \lambda_1)\right) + \omega_2\left(f; C^{1/2}(m, \lambda_2)\right) \right],$$

where  $C(n, \lambda_1)$  and  $C(m, \lambda_2)$  are defined in Theorem 4.1.

*Proof.* By definition of partial modulus of continuity of  $f(x, y)$  and Cauchy-Schwartz inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| & \leq \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|f(s, t) - f(x, y)|; x, y) \\ & \leq \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|f(s, t) - f(x, t)|; x, y) + \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|f(x, t) - f(x, y)|; x, y) \\ & \leq \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|\omega_1(f; |s-x|)|; x, y) + \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|\omega_2(f; |t-y|)|; x, y) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \omega_1(f, C(n, \lambda_1)) \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{C(n, \lambda_1)} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|s-x|; x, y) \right] \\ &\quad + \omega_2(f, C(m, \lambda_2)) \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{C(m, \lambda_2)} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|t-y|; x, y) \right] \\ &\leq \omega_1(f, C^{1/2}(n, \lambda_1)) \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{C^{1/2}(n, \lambda_1)} \left( \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s-x)^2; x, y) \right)^{1/2} \right] \\ &\quad + \omega_2(f, C^{1/2}(m, \lambda_2)) \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{C^{1/2}(m, \lambda_2)} \left( \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((t-y)^2; x, y) \right)^{1/2} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Choosing  $C(n, \lambda_1)$  and  $C(m, \lambda_2)$  as defined in Theorem 4.1, we complete the proof.  $\square$

We define the Lipschitz class  $LipM(\widehat{\beta}_1, \widehat{\beta}_2)$  for the bivariate case as follows:

$$|f(s, t) - f(x, y)| \leq M |s - x|^{\widehat{\beta}_1} |t - y|^{\widehat{\beta}_2}$$

for  $\widehat{\beta}_1, \widehat{\beta}_2 \in (0, 1]$  and  $(s, t), (x, y) \in \mathcal{I}_{ab}$ .

**Theorem 5.7.** *Let  $f \in LipM(\widehat{\beta}_1, \widehat{\beta}_2)$ . Then, for all  $(x, y) \in \mathcal{I}_{ab}$ , we have*

$$|\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| \leq MC^{\widehat{\beta}_1/2}(n, \lambda_1)C^{\widehat{\beta}_2/2}(m, \lambda_2),$$

where  $C(n, \lambda_1)$  and  $C(m, \lambda_2)$  are defined in Theorem 4.1.

*Proof.* We have

$$\begin{aligned} |\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| &\leq \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|f(s, t) - f(x, y)|; x, y) \\ &\leq M \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|s - x|^{\widehat{\beta}_1} |t - y|^{\widehat{\beta}_2}; x, y) \\ &= M \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|s - x|^{\widehat{\beta}_1}; x, y) \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|t - y|^{\widehat{\beta}_2}; x, y), \end{aligned}$$

since  $f \in LipM(\widehat{\beta}_1, \widehat{\beta}_2)$ . Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} &|\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| \\ &\leq M \{ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|s - x|^2; x, y) \}^{\widehat{\beta}_1/2} \{ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(1; x, y) \}^{\widehat{\beta}_1/2} \{ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|t - y|^2; x, y) \}^{\widehat{\beta}_2/2} \{ \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(1; x, y) \}^{\widehat{\beta}_2/2} \\ &= MC^{\widehat{\beta}_1/2}(n, \lambda_1)C^{\widehat{\beta}_2/2}(m, \lambda_2) \end{aligned}$$

by applying the Hölder's inequality for  $\widehat{p}_1 = \frac{2}{\widehat{\beta}_1}, \widehat{q}_1 = \frac{2}{2-\widehat{\beta}_1}$  and  $\widehat{p}_2 = \frac{1}{\widehat{\beta}_2}, \widehat{q}_2 = \frac{2}{2-\widehat{\beta}_2}$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 5.8.** *Let  $f(x, y) \in C^1(\mathcal{I}_{ab})$ , then we have*

$$|\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| \leq C^{1/2}(n, \lambda_1) \|f_x(x, y)\|_{C(\mathcal{I}_{ab})} + C^{1/2}(m, \lambda_2) \|f_y(x, y)\|_{C(\mathcal{I}_{ab})},$$

where  $C(n, \lambda_1)$  and  $C(m, \lambda_2)$  are defined in Theorem 4.1.

*Proof.* The following equality holds

$$f(t) - f(s) = \int_x^t f_u(u, s) du + \int_y^s f_v(x, v) dv$$

for  $(s, t) \in \mathcal{I}_{ab}$ . Applying defined operators on both sides of the last equality, we have

$$|\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)| \leq \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2} \left( \left| \int_x^t f_u(u, s) du \right|; x, y \right) + \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2} \left( \left| \int_y^s f_v(x, v) dv \right|; x, y \right).$$

By the help of following relations

$$\left| \int_x^t f_u(u, s) du \right| \leq \|f_x(x, y)\|_{C(I_{ab})} |s - x|;$$

$$\left| \int_y^s f_v(x, v) dv \right| \leq \|f_y(x, y)\|_{C(I_{ab})} |t - y|,$$

we have

$$|\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y)|$$

$$\leq \|f_x(x, y)\|_{C(I_{ab})} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|s - x|; x, y) + \|f_y(x, y)\|_{C(I_{ab})} \bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(|t - y|; x, y).$$

Using Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, we have

$$\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(f; x, y) - f(x, y) \leq \|f_x(x, y)\|_{C(I_{ab})} \{\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((s - x)^2; x, y)\}^{1/2} \{\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(1; x, y)\}^{1/2}$$

$$+ \|f_y(x, y)\|_{C(I_{ab})} \{\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}((t - y)^2; x, y)\}^{1/2} \{\bar{K}_{n,m}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2}(1; x, y)\}^{1/2}.$$

This completes the proof.  $\square$

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