

# Approximation of Modified Jakimovski-Leviatan-Beta Type Operators

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**ABSTRACT.** In the present paper, we define Jakimovski-Leviatan type modified operators. We study some approximation results for these operators. We also determine the order of convergence in terms of modulus of continuity, Lipschitz functions, Peetre's  $K$ -functional, second order modulus of continuity and weighted modulus of continuity.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

Appell polynomials were introduced in 1880 (see [4]). In 1969, Jakimovski and Leviatan introduced an operators  $P_n$  by using Appell polynomials [7]. The Appell polynomials are defined by the identity as follows:

$$(1.1) \quad S(u)e^{ux} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} p_k(x)u^k,$$

for an analytic function in the disk  $|u| < r$  ( $r > 1$ ) and  $p_n(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i \frac{x^{n-i}}{(n-i)!}$  ( $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ) taken  $S(u) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n u^n$ ,  $S(1) \neq 0$ . An exponential type the class of functions considerable on the semi-axis and satisfy the property  $|f(x)| \leq \kappa e^{\gamma x}$ , for some finite constants  $\kappa$ ,  $\gamma > 0$  and denote the set of such functions by  $E[0, \infty)$ . The sequence of infinite sum of the operators  $P_n$  is convergent and well-defined which are considered by the authors as follows [7]:

$$(1.2) \quad P_n(f; x) = \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} p_k(nx) f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right),$$

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , where  $n > \frac{\alpha}{\log r}$ . In case of  $\frac{\alpha n}{S(1)} \geq 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , Wood [20] proved that the operator  $P_n$  is positive on  $[0; 1)$ . For more results see also [13], [11] and [6]. They established that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n(f; x) \rightarrow f(x)$ , uniformly in each compact subset of  $[0, 1)$ .

If  $S(1) = 1$  in (1.2) we get  $p_n(x) = \frac{x^n}{n!}$ , and we recover the well-known classical Favard-Szász operators defined in 1950 by

$$(1.3) \quad S_n(f; x) = e^{-nx} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(nx)^k}{k!} f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right).$$

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In the last quarter of twentieth century, the quantum calculus (also known as  $q$ -calculus) was studied in [8, 12] (see [3, 14, 15, 18]).

## 2. CONSTRUCTION OF OPERATORS AND AUXILIARY RESULTS

In this paper, we define a Beta integral type modification of Jakimovski-Leviatan operators. We also introduce modified Jakimovski-Leviatan-Stancu type operators and obtain better approximation results. For  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $p_r(x) \geq 0$  and  $S(1) \neq 0$ , we define

$$(2.4) \quad J_n^*(f; x) = \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^r}{(1+t)^{r+n+1}} f(t) dt,$$

**Lemma 2.1.** *If we take  $e_i = t^{i-1}$  for  $i = 1, 2, 3$ . Let  $J_n^*(\cdot; \cdot)$  be the operators given by (2.4). Then for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $p_r(x) \geq 0$  and  $S(1) \neq 0$ , we have the following identities:*

- (1)  $J_n^*(e_1; x) = 1,$
- (2)  $J_n^*(e_2; x) = \left(\frac{n}{n-1}\right)x + \frac{1}{n-1} \left(\frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 1\right),$
- (3)  $J_n^*(e_3; x) = \frac{n^2}{(n-2)(n-1)}x^2 + \frac{2n}{(n-2)(n-1)} \left(\frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 2\right)x + \frac{1}{(n-2)(n-1)} \left(\frac{S''(1)}{S(1)} + \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 2\right).$

*Proof.* We can easily see that

$$(2.5) \quad \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) = S(1)e^{nx},$$

$$(2.6) \quad \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} rP_r(nx) = (S'(1) + nS(1)x)e^{nx},$$

$$(2.7) \quad \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} r^2P_r(nx) = (S''(1) + 2nS'(1)x + S'(1) + n^2S(1)x^2)e^{nx}.$$

(1) By taking  $f = e_1$

$$\begin{aligned} J_n^*(e_1; x) &= \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^r}{(1+t)^{r+n+1}} dt, \\ &= \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{B(r+1, n)}{B(r+1, n)} \\ &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

(2) By taking  $f = e_2$

$$\begin{aligned}
J_n^*(e_2; x) &= \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^{r+1}}{(1+t)^{r+n+1}} dt, \\
&= \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{B(r+2, n-1)}{B(r+1, n)} \\
&= \frac{r+1}{n-1} \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{B(r+1, n)}{B(r+1, n)} \\
&= \frac{1}{n-1} + \frac{1}{n-1} \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} r P_r(nx) \\
&= \frac{1}{n-1} + \frac{n}{n-1} \left( x + \frac{1}{n} \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} \right).
\end{aligned}$$

(3) By taking  $f = e_3$

$$\begin{aligned}
J_n^*(e_2; x) &= \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^{r+2}}{(1+t)^{r+n+1}} dt, \\
&= \frac{1}{(n-2)(n-1)} \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) (r^2 + 3r + 2) \\
&= \frac{2}{(n-2)(n-1)} + \frac{3}{(n-2)(n-1)} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + nx \right) \\
&+ \frac{1}{(n-2)(n-1)} \left( \frac{S''(1)}{S(1)} + 2nx \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + nx + n^2 x^2 \right).
\end{aligned}$$

□

**Lemma 2.2.** Take  $\eta_j = (e_i - x)^j$  for  $i = 2, j = 1, 2$ . Let  $J_n^*(\cdot; \cdot)$  be the operators given by (2.4). Then for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $p_r(x) \geq 0$  and  $S(1) \neq 0$ , we have the following identities:

$$1^\circ J_n^*(\eta_1; x) = \frac{x}{n} + \frac{1}{n-1} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 1 \right);$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&2^\circ J_n^*(\eta_2; x) \\
&= \frac{(n+2)}{(n-2)(n-1)} x^2 + \frac{2n}{(n-2)(n-1)} \left( \frac{2}{n} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} \right) + 1 \right) x + \frac{1}{(n-2)(n-1)} \left( \frac{S''(1)}{S(1)} + \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 2 \right) x.
\end{aligned}$$

Let  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $0 \leq \alpha < \beta$ . Then for  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $p_r(x) \geq 0$ , and  $S(1) \neq 0$ , we define

$$(2.8) \quad J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) = \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^r}{(1+t)^{r+n+1}} f \left( \frac{nt + \alpha}{n + \beta} \right) dt,$$

**Lemma 2.3.** Take  $e_i = t^{i-1}$  for  $i = 1, 2, 3$ . Let  $J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\cdot; \cdot)$  be the operators given by (2.8). Then for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $p_r(x) \geq 0$  and  $S(1) \neq 0$ , we have the following identities:

$$(1) J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_1; x) = 1$$

$$(2) J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_2; x) = \frac{n^4}{(n+\beta)(n-1)} x + \frac{n}{(n+\beta)(n-1)} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 1 \right) + \frac{\alpha}{n+\beta}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(3) J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_3; x) &= \frac{n^2}{(n+\beta)^2(n-2)(n-1)} x^2 + \frac{2n^2}{(n+\beta)^2(n-1)} \left\{ \frac{n}{n-2} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 2 \right) + \alpha \right\} x \\
&+ \frac{n^2}{(n+\beta)^2(n-2)(n-1)} \left( \frac{S''(1)}{S(1)} + \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 2 \right) + \frac{2n\alpha}{(n+\beta)^2(n-1)} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 1 \right) + \frac{\alpha^2}{(n+\beta)^2}.
\end{aligned}$$

### 3. MAIN RESULTS

We obtain the Korovkin type and weighted Korovkin type approximation theorems for the operators defined by (2.8).

Let  $C_B[0, \infty)$  be the set of all bounded and continuous functions on  $[0, \infty)$ , which is a linear normed space with

$$\|f\|_{C_B} = \sup_{x \geq 0} |f(x)|.$$

Let

$$C_\zeta[0, \infty) := \{f \in C[0, \infty) : |f(t)| \leq M(1+t)^\zeta \text{ for some } M > 0\},$$

and

$$H := \left\{ f \in C[0, \infty) : \frac{f(x)}{1+x^2} \text{ is convergent as } x \rightarrow \infty \right\}.$$

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $f \in C_\zeta[0, \infty) \cap H$  with  $\zeta \geq 2$ . Then for  $p_r(x) \geq 0$ ,  $S(1) \neq 0$ , the operators  $J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\cdot; \cdot)$  defined by (2.8) satisfy*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) \rightarrow f(x)$$

uniformly on each compact subset of  $[0, \infty)$ .

*Proof.* The proof is based on Lemma 2.3 and well known Korovkin's theorem regarding the convergence of a sequence of linear positive operators. So it is enough to prove the conditions

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} J_n^{\alpha, \beta}((e_i; x) = x^{i-1}, \quad i = 1, 2, 3 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

uniformly on  $[0, \infty]$ .

Clearly  $\frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0$ , ( $n \rightarrow \infty$ ) we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_2; x) = x, \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_3; x) = x^2.$$

This completes the proof. □

In the space  $[0, \infty)$ , following Gadžiev [9,10,17], we recall the weighted spaces of the functions for which the analogous of the Korovkin theorem holds (see also [1,5,19]).

Let  $x \rightarrow \phi(x)$  be a continuous and strictly increasing function and  $\varrho(x) = 1 + \phi^2(x)$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \varrho(x) = \infty$ . Let  $B_\varrho[0, \infty)$  be a set of functions defined on  $[0, \infty)$  and satisfying

$$|f(x)| \leq M_f \varrho(x),$$

where  $M_f$  is a constant depending only on  $f$ . Its subset of continuous functions will be denoted by  $C_\varrho[0, \infty)$ , i.e.,  $C_\varrho[0, \infty) = B_\varrho[0, \infty) \cap C[0, \infty)$ . It is well known that a sequence of linear positive operators  $\{J_n^{\alpha, \beta}\}_{n \geq 1}$  maps  $C_\varrho[0, \infty)$  into  $B_\varrho[0, \infty)$  if and only if

$$|L_n(\varrho; x)| \leq K \varrho(x),$$

where  $x \in [0, \infty)$  and  $K$  is a positive constant. Note that  $B_\varrho[0, \infty)$  is a normed space with the norm

$$\|f\|_\varrho = \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{|f(x)|}{\varrho(x)}.$$

Finally, let  $C_\varrho^0[0, \infty)$  be a subset of  $C_\varrho[0, \infty)$  such that the limit

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{\varrho(x)} = K_f$$

exists and is finite.

Let  $B[0, 1]$  be the space of all bounded functions on  $[0, 1]$  and  $C[0, 1]$  be the space of all functions  $f$  continuous on  $[0, 1]$  equipped with norm

$$\|f\|_\infty = \sup_{x \in [0, 1]} |f(x)|, \quad f \in C[0, 1].$$

The famous Korovkin's theorems state as follows:

**Theorem 3.2** (cf. [16]). *Let  $\{L_n\}_{n \geq 1}$  be the sequence of linear positive operators acting from  $C[0, 1]$  into  $B[0, 1]$ . Then*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|L_n(t^k; x) - x^k\|_\infty = 0 \quad (k = 0, 1, 2),$$

if and only if for all  $f \in C[0, 1]$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|L_n(f(t); x) - f\|_\infty = 0.$$

**Theorem 3.3.** *Let  $\{J_n^{\alpha, \beta}\}_{n \geq 1}$  be the sequence of linear positive operators acting from  $C_\varrho[0, \infty)$  into  $B_\varrho[0, \infty)$  satisfies the conditions*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\varphi^{i-1}(t); x) - \varphi^{i-1}(x)\|_\varrho = 0 \quad (i = 1, 2, 3)$$

then for any function  $f \in C_\varrho^0[0, \infty)$ ,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f(t); x) - f\|_\varrho = 0.$$

*Proof.* For the completeness, we give some sketch of the proof for the version which will be used in our next result. Consider  $\varphi(x) = x$ ,  $\varrho(x) = 1 + x^2$ , and

$$\|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_i; x) - x^{i-1}\|_\varrho = \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_i; x) - x^{i-1}|}{1 + x^2}.$$

Then for  $i = 1, 2, 3$  it is easily proved that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_i; x) - x^{i-1}\|_\varrho = 0.$$

Hence by using the above Theorem 3.2, for any function  $f \in C_\varrho^0(\mathbb{R}^+)$ , we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f(t); x) - f\|_\varrho = 0.$$

□

**Theorem 3.4.** *Let  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $f \in C_\varrho^0[0, \infty)$  with  $\varrho(x) = 1 + x^2$ . Then for  $p_r(x) \geq 0$ ,  $S(1) \neq 0$ , we have*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f\|_\varrho \rightarrow 0.$$

*Proof.* Using Theorem 3.3 for  $\varphi(x) = x$  and  $\varrho(x) = 1 + x^2$ , we consider

$$\|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_i; x) - x^{i-1}\|_\varrho = \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_i; x) - x^{i-1}|}{1 + x^2},$$

for  $i = 1, 2, 3$ .

According to Lemma 2.3 for  $i = 1$ , it is obvious that  $|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_1; x) - 1| \rightarrow 0$ , and therefore

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_1; x) - 1\|_\varrho = 0.$$

For  $i = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_2; x) - t|}{1 + x^2} &\leq \left| \frac{n^2}{(n + \beta)(n - 1)} - 1 \right| \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{x}{1 + x^2} \\ &+ \left| \frac{n}{(n + \beta)(n - 1)} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 1 \right) + \frac{\alpha}{n + \beta} \right| \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{1}{1 + x^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_2; x) - x\|_g = 0.$$

For  $i = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_3; x) - x^2|}{1 + x^2} &\leq \left| \frac{n^4}{(n + \beta)^2(n - 2)(n - 1)} - 1 \right| \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{x^2}{1 + x^2} \\ &+ \left| \frac{2n^2}{(n + \beta)^2(n - 2)(n - 1)} \left\{ \frac{n}{n - 2} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 2 \right) + \alpha \right\} \right| \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{x}{1 + x^2} \\ &+ \left| \frac{n^2}{(n + \beta)^2(n - 2)(n - 1)} \left( \frac{S''(1)}{S(1)} + \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 2 \right) \right| \\ &+ \frac{2n\alpha}{(n + \beta)^2(n - 1)} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} \right) + \frac{\alpha^2}{(n + \beta)^2} \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{1}{1 + x^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(e_3; x) - x^2\|_g = 0.$$

Which completes the proof of Korovkin's type theorem.  $\square$

#### 4. RATE OF CONVERGENCE

Here we calculate the rate of convergence of operators (2.8) by means of modulus of continuity and Lipschitz type functions.

Let  $f \in C_B[0, \infty]$  be the space of all bounded and uniformly continuous functions on  $[0, \infty)$  and  $x \geq 0$ . Then for  $\delta > 0$ , the modulus of continuity of  $f$  denoted by  $\omega(f, \delta)$  gives the maximum oscillation of  $f$  in any interval of length not exceeding  $\delta > 0$  and it is given by

$$(4.9) \quad \omega(f, \delta) = \sup_{|t-x| \leq \delta} |f(t) - f(x)|, \quad t \in [0, \infty).$$

It is known that  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0+} \omega(f, \delta) = 0$  for  $f \in C_B[0, \infty)$  and for any  $\delta > 0$  one has

$$(4.10) \quad |f(t) - f(x)| \leq \left( \frac{|t-x|}{\delta} + 1 \right) \omega(f, \delta).$$

Take  $\mu_j = (e_i - x)^j$  for  $i = 2, j = 1, 2$  and in the sequel we use the following notations:

$$(4.11) \quad \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta} = \sqrt{J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\mu_2; x)},$$

Here

$$J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\mu_j; x) = \begin{cases} \left( \frac{n^2}{(n + \beta)(n - 1)} - 1 \right) x + \frac{n}{(n + \beta)(n - 1)} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 1 \right) + \frac{\alpha}{n + \beta} \\ \text{for } j = 1, 0 < \alpha < \beta, \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R} \\ \left( \frac{n^4}{(n + \beta)^2(n - 2)(n - 1)} - \frac{2n^2}{(n + \beta)(n - 1)} + 1 \right) x^2 \\ + \left[ \frac{2n^2}{(n + \beta)^2(n - 1)} \left\{ \frac{n}{n - 2} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 2 \right) + \alpha \right\} \right. \\ \left. - \frac{2n}{(n + \beta)(n - 1)} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 1 \right) + \frac{2\alpha}{n + \beta} \right] x \\ + \frac{n^2}{(n + \beta)^2(n - 2)(n - 1)} \left( \frac{S''(1)}{S(1)} + \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 2 \right) \\ + \frac{2n\alpha}{(n + \beta)^2(n - 1)} \left( \frac{S'(1)}{S(1)} + 1 \right) + \frac{\alpha^2}{(n + \beta)^2} \\ \text{for } j = 2, 0 < \alpha < \beta, \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R} \end{cases}$$

when  $\alpha = \beta = 0$ , then  $\delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}$  is reduced to  $\delta_n^* = \sqrt{J_n^*(\eta_2; x)}$ .

**Theorem 4.5.** For  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $f \in C_B[0, \infty)$  the operators  $J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\cdot; \cdot)$  defined by (2.8) satisfying:

$$(4.12) \quad |J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 2\omega(f; \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}),$$

where  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $p_r(x) \geq 0$ ,  $S(1) \neq 0$  and  $\delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}$  is defined in (4.11).

*Proof.* For our sequence of positive linear operators  $\{J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\cdot; \cdot)\}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f(x) &= J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f(x)J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(1; x) \\ &= J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f(t) - f(x); x) \\ &\leq J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(|f(t) - f(x)|; x), \end{aligned}$$

since  $J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(1; x) = 1$ . From (4.9) and (4.10) easily we get

$$\begin{aligned} |J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq J_n^{\alpha, \beta} \left( 1 + \frac{|t - x|}{\delta}; x \right) \omega(f; \delta) \\ &= \left( 1 + \frac{1}{\delta} J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(|t - x|; x) \right) \omega(f; \delta). \end{aligned}$$

Cauchy-Schwarz inequality give us

$$J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(|t - x|; x) \leq J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(1; x)^{\frac{1}{2}} J_n^{\alpha, \beta}((t - x)^2; x)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

so that

$$(4.13) \quad |J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq \left( 1 + \frac{1}{\delta} J_n^{\alpha, \beta}((t - x)^2; x)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \omega(f; \delta).$$

Finally, putting  $\delta = \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta} = \sqrt{J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\mu_2; x)}$  we get the assertion. □

**Remark 4.1.** Choosing  $\delta = \frac{1}{n+\beta}$  in (4.13) we obtain the following estimate

$$(4.14) \quad |J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq (1 + (n + \beta)\delta_n^{\alpha,\beta}) \omega\left(f; \frac{1}{n + \beta}\right),$$

where  $\delta_n^*$  defined in (4.11).

**Remark 4.2.** For  $\alpha = \beta = 0$  the corresponding estimate for the sequence of positive linear operators  $\{J_n^{\alpha,\beta}\}$  is reduced to  $\{J_n^*\}$  defined by (2.4) which can take the form as

$$(4.15) \quad |J_n^*(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 2\omega(f; \delta_n^*),$$

where  $\delta_n^* = \sqrt{J_n^*(\eta_2; x)}$ .

Now we give the rate of convergence of the operators  $J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(f; x)$  defined in (2.8) in terms of the elements of the usual Lipschitz class  $Lip_M(\nu)$ . Let  $f \in C_B[0, \infty)$ ,  $M > 0$  and  $0 < \nu \leq 1$ . The class  $Lip_M(\nu)$  is defined as

$$(4.16) \quad Lip_M(\nu) = \{f : |f(\zeta_1) - f(\zeta_2)| \leq M|\zeta_1 - \zeta_2|^\nu \ (\zeta_1, \zeta_2 \in [0, \infty))\}.$$

**Theorem 4.6.** Suppose  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $f \in Lip_M(\nu)$  with  $(M > 0, 0 < \nu \leq 1)$ . Then operators  $J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(\cdot; \cdot)$  defined by (2.8) satisfying:

$$|J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq M (\delta_n^{\alpha,\beta})^{\nu/2},$$

where  $\delta_n^{\alpha,\beta}$  is defined in (4.11).

*Proof.* Use (4.16) and apply Hölder's inequality

$$\begin{aligned} |J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq |J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(f(t) - f(x); x)| \\ &\leq J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(|f(t) - f(x)|; x) \\ &\leq M J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(|t - x|^\nu; x). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} &|J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(f; x) - f(x)| \\ &\leq M \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^r}{(1+t)^{r+n+1}} |t-x|^\nu dt \\ &= M \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \left( \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \right)^{\frac{2-\nu}{2}} \\ &\quad \times \left( P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \right)^{\frac{\nu}{2}} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^r}{(1+t)^{r+n+1}} |t-x|^\nu dt \\ &\leq M \left( \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^r}{(1+t)^{r+n+1}} dt \right)^{\frac{2-\nu}{2}} \\ &\quad \times \left( \frac{e^{-nx}}{S(1)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} P_r(nx) \frac{1}{B(r+1, n)} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^r}{(1+t)^{r+n+1}} |t-x|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{\nu}{2}} \\ &= M J_n^{\alpha,\beta}(\mu_2; x)^{\frac{\nu}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. □



Let

$$(4.17) \quad C_B^2[0, \infty) = \{g \in C_B[0, \infty) : g', g'' \in C_B[0, \infty)\},$$

with the norm

$$(4.18) \quad \|g\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)} = \|g\|_{C_B[0, \infty)} + \|g'\|_{C_B[0, \infty)} + \|g''\|_{C_B[0, \infty)},$$

where

$$(4.19) \quad \|g\|_{C_B[0, \infty)} = \sup_{x \in [0, \infty)} |g(x)|.$$

**Theorem 4.7.** *Let  $x \in [0, \infty)$  and  $J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\cdot; \cdot)$  be the operator defined by (2.8). Then for any  $g \in C_B^2[0, \infty)$ , we have*

$$|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq \frac{1}{2} \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta} (2 + \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}) \|g\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)},$$

where  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $p_r(x) \geq 0$ ,  $S(1) \neq 0$  and  $\delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}$  is defined in (4.11).

*Proof.* Let  $g \in C_B^2[0, \infty)$ . Then by using the generalized mean value theorem in the Taylor series expansion we have

$$g(t) = g(x) + g'(x)(t-x) + g''(\psi) \frac{(t-x)^2}{2},$$

which follows

$$|g(t) - g(x)| \leq M_1 |t-x| + \frac{1}{2} M_2 (t-x)^2,$$

where by using the result of (4.18) and (4.19) we have

$$M_1 = \sup_{x \in [0, \infty)} |g'(x)| = \|g'\|_{C_B[0, \infty)} \leq \|g\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)},$$

$$M_2 = \sup_{x \in [0, \infty)} |g''(x)| = \|g''\|_{C_B[0, \infty)} \leq \|g\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)},$$

again from 4.18, we have

$$|g(t) - g(x)| \leq \left( |t-x| + \frac{1}{2} (t-x)^2 \right) \|g\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)}.$$

Since

$$|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(g, x) - g(x)| = |J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(g(t) - g(x); x)| \leq J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(|g(t) - g(x)|; x),$$

and also

$$J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(|t-x|; x) \leq J_n^{\alpha, \beta}((t-x)^2; x)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned} |J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(g; x) - g(x)| &\leq \left( J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(|t-x|; x) + \frac{1}{2} J_n^{\alpha, \beta}((t-x)^2; x) \right) \|g\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta} (2 + \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}) \|g\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)}. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. □

The Peetre’s  $K$ -functional is defined by

$$(4.20) \quad K_2(f, \delta) = \inf_{C_B^2[0, \infty)} \left\{ \|f - g\|_{C_B[0, \infty)} + \delta \|g''\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)} : g \in \mathcal{W}^2 \right\},$$

where

$$(4.21) \quad \mathcal{W}^2 = \{g \in C_B[0, \infty) : g', g'' \in C_B[0, \infty)\}.$$

There exists a positive constant  $C > 0$  such that  $K_2(f, \delta) \leq C\omega_2(f, \delta^{1/2})$ ,  $\delta > 0$ , where the second order modulus of continuity is given by

$$(4.22) \quad \omega_2(f, \delta^{1/2}) = \sup_{0 < h < \delta^{1/2}} \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^+} |f(x + 2h) - 2f(x + h) + f(x)|.$$

**Theorem 4.8.** *Suppose  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $f \in C_B[0, \infty)$ . Then the operators  $J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(\cdot; \cdot)$  defined by (2.8) satisfying*

$$|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 2M \left\{ \omega_2 \left( f; \sqrt{\Delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}} \right) + \min(1, \Delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}) \|f\|_{C_B[0, \infty)} \right\},$$

where  $M$  is a positive constant,  $p_r(x) \geq 0$ ,  $S(1) \neq 0$  and  $\Delta_n^{\alpha, \beta} = \frac{(2 + \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta})\delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}}{4}$ .

*Proof.* As previous we easily conclude that

$$\begin{aligned} |J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq |J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f - g; x)| + |J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(g; x) - g(x)| + |f(x) - g(x)|, \\ &\leq 2\|f - g\|_{C_B[0, \infty)} + \frac{\delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}}{2}(2 + \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta})\|g\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)}, \\ &\leq 2 \left( \|f - g\|_{C_B[0, \infty)} + \frac{\delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}}{4}(2 + \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta})\|g\|_{C_B^2[0, \infty)} \right). \end{aligned}$$

By taking infimum over all  $g \in C_B^2[0, \infty)$  and by using (4.20), we get

$$|J_n^{\alpha, \beta}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 2K_2 \left( f; \frac{\delta_n^{\alpha, \beta}(2 + \delta_n^{\alpha, \beta})}{4} \right).$$

Now for an absolute constant  $M > 0$  in [2] we use the relation

$$K_2(f; \delta) \leq M\{\omega_2(f; \sqrt{\delta}) + \min(1, \delta)\|f\|\}.$$

This completes the proof. □

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