

APPROXIMATION PROPERTIES OF r th ORDER GENERALIZED BERNSTEIN POLYNOMIALS BASED ON q -CALCULUS

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Abstract. In this paper we introduce a generalization of Bernstein polynomials based on q calculus. With the help of Bohman-Korovkin type theorem, we obtain A -statistical approximation properties of these operators. Also, by using the Modulus of continuity and Lipschitz class, the statistical rate of convergence is established. We also give the rate of A -statistical convergence by means of Peetre's type K -functional. At last, approximation properties of a r th order generalization of these operators is discussed.

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1 Introduction

Phillips^[7] in 1997 proposed q -Bernstein polynomials based on q calculus as

$$B_{n,q}(f;x) = \sum_{k=0}^n f\left(\frac{[k]}{[n]}\right) \begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix} x^k (1-x)_q^{n-k-1}.$$

Very recently Heping^[12] obtained Voronovskaya type asymptotic formula for q -Bernstein operator. In 2002 Ostrovska S.^[9], studied the convergence of generalized Bernstein Polynomials. Study of A -statistical approximation by positive linear operators is attempted by O.Duman, C.Orhan in [8].

First, we recall the concept of A -statistical convergence.

Let $A = (a_{jn})_{j,n}$ be a non-negative infinite summability matrix. For a sequence $x := (x_n)_n$, A -transform of the sequence x , denoted by $Ax := (Ax)_j$, is given by

$$(Ax)_j := \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{jn}x_n,$$

provided that the series on the right hand side converges for each j . We say that A is regular (see [8]) if $\lim Ax = L$ whenever $\lim x = L$. Let A be a non-negative summability matrix. The sequence $x := (x_n)_n$ is said to be A -statistically convergent to a number L , if for any given $\varepsilon > 0$,

$$\lim_j \sum_{n:|x_n-L|\geq\varepsilon} a_{jn} = 0,$$

and we denote this limit by $st_A - \lim_n x_n = L$.

We also know that

1. (see [1],[4]) For $A := C_1$, the Cesàro matrix of order one defined as

$$c_{jn} := \begin{cases} \frac{1}{j}, & 1 \leq n \leq j, \\ 0, & n > j, \end{cases}$$

then A -statistical convergence coincides with statistical convergence.

2. Taking A as the identity matrix, A -statistical convergence coincides with ordinary convergence, i.e.

$$st_A - \lim_n x_n = \lim_n x_n = L.$$

2 Construction of Operator

Here we introduce a general family of q -Bernstein polynomials and compute the rate of convergence with help of modulus of continuity and Lipschitz class. Before introducing the operators, we mention certain definitions based on q -integers, for the DETAILS, see [10] and [11]. For each nonnegative integer k , the q -integer $[k]$ and the q -factorial $[k]!$ are respectively defined by

$$[k] := \begin{cases} (1 - q^k)/(1 - q), & q \neq 1, \\ k, & q = 1 \end{cases}.$$

and

$$[k]! := \begin{cases} [k][k-1]\cdots[1], & k \geq 1, \\ 1, & k = 0. \end{cases}$$