

## Convergence of the $q$ Analogue of Szász-Beta-Stancu Operators

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**Abstract.** In the present paper, we propose the  $q$  analogue of Szász-Beta-Stancu operators. By estimate the moments, we establish direct results in terms of the modulus of smoothness. Investigate the rate of point-wise convergence and weighted approximation properties of the  $q$  operators. Voronovskaja type theorem is also obtained. Our results generalize and supplement some convergence results of the  $q$ -Szász-Beta operators, thus they improve the existing results.

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### 1 Introduction

For  $f \in C_\gamma[0, \infty)$ , a new type of Szász-Beta operator studied by Gupta and Noor in [1] is defined as

$$S_n(f; x) = \int_0^\infty W_n(x, t) f(t) dt = \sum_{v=1}^\infty s_{n,k}(x) \int_0^\infty f(t) b_{n,k}(t) dt + s_{n,0}(x) f(0), \quad (1.1)$$

where  $W_n(x, t) = \sum_{k=1}^\infty s_{n,k}(x) b_{n,k}(t) + s_{n,0}(x) \delta(t)$ ,  $\delta(t)$  being Dirac delta-function and

$$s_{n,k}(x) = e^{-nx} \frac{(nx)^k}{k!}, \quad b_{n,k}(t) = \frac{1}{B(n+1, k)} \frac{t^{k-1}}{(1+t)^{n+k+1}},$$

are respectively Szász and Beta basis functions. In [1] Gupta and Noor studied some approximation properties for the operators defined in (1.1) and obtained the rate of point-wise convergence, a Voronovskaja type asymptotic formula and an error estimate in simultaneous approximation.

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In 1987, Lupaş introduced a  $q$ -analogue of the Bernstein operator and investigated its approximating and shape preserving properties. Ten years later, Phillips [2] proposed another generalization of the classical Bernstein polynomials based on  $q$ -integers. He obtained the rate of convergence and Voronovskaya-type asymptotic formula for these new Bernstein operators. An extension to  $q$ -calculus of Szász-Mirakyan operators was given by Aral [7] and established a Voronovskaja theorem related to  $q$ -derivatives for these operators.

In recent years, the application of  $q$  calculus is the most interesting areas of research in the approximation theory. Several authors have proposed the  $q$  analogues of different linear positive operators and studied their approximation behaviors. Gupta [5] introduced a  $q$ -analogue of usual Bernstein-Durrmeyer operators and established the rate of convergence of these operators. Gupta [6] proposed a generalization of the Baskakov operators based on  $q$  integers and estimated the rate of convergence in the weighted norm and some shape preserving properties.

Very recently in [9], Gupta introduced the  $q$ -analogue of Szász-Beta operators defined as

$$S_{n,q}(f(t);x) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} q^{\frac{3k^2-3k}{2}} s_{n,k}^q(x) \int_0^{\infty/A} p_{n,k}^q(t) f(qt) d_q t + E_q(-[n]_q x) f(0), \tag{1.2}$$

where

$$s_{n,k}^q(x) = \frac{([n]_q x)^k}{[k]_q!} E_q(-[n]_q q^k x), \quad p_{n,k}^q(t) = \frac{1}{B_q(n+1,k)} \frac{t^{k-1}}{(1+t)_q^{n+k+1}}. \tag{1.3}$$

While for  $q=1$ , these operators coincide with the Szász-Beta operators defined by (1.1).

First, we give some basic definitions and notations of  $q$ -calculus. All of the results can be found in [10, 11]. Throughout the present paper, we consider  $q$  as a real number such that  $0 < q < 1$ . For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . The  $q$  integer and  $q$  factorial are respectively defined as

$$[n]_q = \frac{1-q^n}{1-q}, \quad [n]_q! = \begin{cases} [n]_q [n-1]_q \cdots [1]_q, & n \geq 1, \\ 1, & n = 0. \end{cases}$$

The  $q$ -binomial coefficients are given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix}_q = \frac{[n]_q!}{[k]_q! [n-k]_q!}, \quad 0 \leq k \leq n.$$

The  $q$ -Jackson integrals and the  $q$ -improper integrals are defined as (see [12])

$$\int_0^a f(x) d_q x = (1-q)a \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f(aq^n) q^n, \quad a > 0,$$

and

$$\int_0^{\infty/A} f(x) d_q x = (1-q) \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f\left(\frac{q^n}{A}\right) \frac{q^n}{A}, \quad A > 0, \tag{1.4}$$