

Parametric Extension of a Certain Family of Summation-Integral Type Operators

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, we introduce a parametric extension of a certain family of summation-integral type operators on the interval $[0, \infty)$. Firstly, we obtain test functions and central moments. Secondly, we investigate weighted approximation properties for these operators and estimate the rate of convergence. Then, we give a pointwise approximation for the Peetre K-functional and functions of the Lipschitz class. Moreover, we demonstrate Voronovskaja type theorem for the operators. Finally, the convergence properties of operators to some functions are illustrated by graphics.

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Introduction

Approximation to real-valued continuous functions with the help of positive linear operators is an important area in the approximation theory. All studies in this area originate from the Weierstrass theory [1]. A sequence of positive linear operators was introduced by Baskakov in 1957 [2], and in 1967, Durrmeyer defined a sequence of positive linear operators [3]. In 1977, Phillips defined an operator [4]. In 2003, Gupta introduced a general sequence of summation integral type operators $G_{n,c}$ [5], and then the approximation properties of the operators $G_{n,c}$ for continuous and unbounded functions specified on the interval $[0, \infty)$ were studied by Yüksel and İspir [6,7]. Chen, Tan and Liu studied on generalized Bernstein operators [8]. Later, Cai, Lian and Zhou introduced λ -Bernstein operators with parameter $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$ [9]. Recently, Aral proposed Baskakov operators which have a

non-negative real parametric generalization [10]. A lot of studies concerning generalizations of a sequence of linear positive operators have been done by many researchers [11-31].

In this paper, motivated by the α -Baskakov operators by Aral [10], we introduce a parametric extension of summation integral type operators named them $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ operators and study the approximation properties of these operators.

$G_{n,c}^\alpha$ operators

Let us define $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ operators on subset of all continuous functions on $[0, \infty)$ for which the following integral exists finitely.

$$G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) = n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^\alpha(x; c) \int_0^{\infty} P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) f(t) dt + P_{n,0}^\alpha(x; c) f(0)$$

$$P_{n,k}^\alpha(x; c) = \begin{cases} e^{-nx} \frac{(nx)^k}{k!}, & \text{if } c = 0 \\ \frac{(cx)^{k-1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k-1}} \left\{ \frac{acx}{(1+cx)} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} + (1-\alpha)(cx) \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} \right\}, & \text{if } c \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{0\} \text{ and } k \in \{0, 1\} \\ \frac{(cx)^{k-1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k-1}} \left\{ \frac{acx}{(1+cx)} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} - (1-\alpha)(1+cx) \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k-2)}{(k-2)! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} + (1-\alpha)(cx) \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} \right\}, & \text{if } c \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{0\} \text{ and } k \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{0, 1\} \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

with

$$P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{(k-1)! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+1)} \frac{(cx)^{k-1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}}. \quad (2)$$

Theorem 2.1 The $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ operators for $f(x)$ satisfy the following equation for $n > c$.

$$G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) = \alpha G_{n,c}(f; x) + (1 - \alpha) \tilde{G}_{n,c}(f; x),$$

where

$$\tilde{G}_{n,c}(f; x) = n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} P_{n-c,k}(x; c) \int_0^{\infty} g_{n,k}(t; c) f(t) dt + P_{n-c,0}(x; c) f(0)$$

and

$$g_{n,k}(t; c) = \left[\left(1 + \frac{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}} \right) P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) - \left(\frac{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}} \right) P_{n+c,k}(t; c) \right].$$

Proof.

The following identities hold.

$$\left(1 + \frac{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}} \right) \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c}\right)} = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k + 1\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + 1\right)}, \tag{3}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{(k-1)! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + 1\right)} = \left(\frac{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}} \right) \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c}\right)}. \tag{4}$$

$$G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) = \alpha n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \int_0^{\infty} P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) f(t) dt + \frac{\alpha}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}}} f(0) + (1 - \alpha) \left(k_{n,c}^1(f; x) - k_{n,c}^2(f; x) \right)$$

where

$$k_{n,c}^1(f; x) = n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k + 1\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + 1\right)} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}+k}} \int_0^{\infty} P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) f(t) dt + \frac{1}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}}} f(0).$$

If we use equation (3), we get

$$\begin{aligned} k_{n,c}^1(f; x) &= n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}} \right) \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c}\right)} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}+k}} \int_0^{\infty} P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) f(t) dt + \frac{1}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}}} f(0) \\ &= n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c}\right)} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}+k}} \int_0^{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}} \right) P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) f(t) dt + \frac{1}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}}} f(0). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we have

$$k_{n,c}^2(f; x) = n \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k - 1\right)}{(k-2)! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + 1\right)} \frac{(cx)^{k-1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}+k-1}} \int_0^{\infty} P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) f(t) dt.$$

When we write $k + 1$ instead of k in $k_{n,c}^2(f; x)$, we obtain

$$k_{n,c}^2(f; x) = n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{(k-1)! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + 1\right)} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}+k}} \int_0^{\infty} P_{n+c,k}(t; c) f(t) dt.$$

Again, if we use equation (4), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 k_{n,c}^2(f; x) &= n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c}\right)} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}+k}} \int_0^{\infty} P_{n+c,k}(t; c) f(t) dt \\
 &= n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c}\right)} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}+k}} \int_0^{\infty} \binom{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}} P_{n+c,k}(t; c) f(t) dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

Finally, subtracting $k_{n,c}^2(f; x)$ from $k_{n,c}^1(f; x)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 k_{n,c}^1(f; x) - k_{n,c}^2(f; x) &= n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c}\right)} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}+k}} \int_0^{\infty} \left[\left(1 + \frac{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}}\right) P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) - \binom{k}{\frac{n-c}{c}} P_{n+c,k}(t; c) \right] f(t) dt + \\
 &\quad \frac{1}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}}} f(0) \\
 &= n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n-c}{c}\right)} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}+k}} \int_0^{\infty} g_{n,k}(t; c) f(t) dt + \frac{1}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n-c}{c}}} f(0) \\
 &= n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} P_{n-c,k}(x; c) \int_0^{\infty} g_{n,k}(t; c) f(t) dt + P_{n-c,0}(x; c) f(0) \\
 &= \tilde{G}_{n,c}(f; x)
 \end{aligned}$$

and proof of the Theorem 2.1 is completed.

According to Theorem 2.1, $G_{n,c}^{\alpha}$ operators are positive provided that $\alpha \in [0,1]$. Here, the operators reduce to $G_{n,c}$ operators [7] for $\alpha = 1$.

Lemma 2.1 Let $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^m P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c)$ be series of $P_{n,k}^{\alpha}$ base functions defined in equation (1). Then, we have the following equalities for $m \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$.

- (i) $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^0 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) = 1$,
- (ii) $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^1 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) = nx - 2(1 - \alpha)cx$,
- (iii) $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^2 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) = nx - 4(1 - \alpha)cx - 4nc(1 - \alpha)x^2 + n(n + c)x^2$,
- (iv) $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^3 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) = nx - 8(1 - \alpha)cx - 18nc(1 - \alpha)x^2 + 3n(n + c)x^2 - 6nc(n + c)(1 - \alpha)x^3 + n(n + c)(n + 2c)x^3$,
- (v) $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^4 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) = nx - 16c(1 - \alpha)x - 64nc(1 - \alpha)x^2 + 7n(n + c)x^2 - 48nc(n + c)(1 - \alpha)x^3 + 6n(n + c)(n + 2c)x^3 - 8nc(n + c)(n + 2c)(1 - \alpha)x^4 + n(n + c)(n + 2c)(n + 3c)x^4$.

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i) } \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^0 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) &= \alpha \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} - (1 - \alpha) \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^{k-1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k-2}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k - 2\right)}{(k-2)! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} \\
 &\quad + (1 - \alpha)(1 + cx) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

When we write $k + 2$ instead of k in the second term of the above equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^0 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) &= \alpha \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} - (1 - \alpha) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} \\
 &\quad + (1 - \alpha)(1 + cx) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} \\
 &= \alpha - (1 - \alpha)cx + (1 - \alpha)(1 + cx) \\
 &= 1. \\
 \text{(ii) } \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^1 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha (cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} k - (1 - \alpha) \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^{k-1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k-2}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k - 2\right)}{(k-2)! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} k \\
 &\quad (1 - \alpha)(1 + cx) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k\right)}{k! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} k.
 \end{aligned}$$

When we write $k + 1$ instead of k in first and third terms of the above equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^1 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) &= \alpha \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^{k+1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k + 1\right)}{(k+1)! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} (k + 1) - (1 - \alpha) \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^{k-1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k-2}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k - 2\right)}{(k-2)! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} k \\
 &\quad + (1 - \alpha)(1 + cx) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^{k+1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c} + k + 1\right)}{(k+1)! \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{c}\right)} (k + 1).
 \end{aligned}$$

When we write $k + 2$ instead of k in the second term of the above equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^1 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) &= \alpha \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} - (1-\alpha) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^{k+1}}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} (k+2) \\ &\quad + (1-\alpha)(1+cx) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} \\ &= \alpha \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} - 2(1-\alpha) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} \\ &\quad - (1-\alpha) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} k + (1-\alpha)(1+cx) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})}. \end{aligned}$$

When we write $k + 1$ instead of k in the third term of the above equation, we yield

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^1 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) &= \alpha \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} - 2(1-\alpha) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} \\ &\quad - (1-\alpha) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^{k+1} cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{(k+1)! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} (k+1) \\ &\quad + (1-\alpha)(1+cx) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})}. \end{aligned}$$

When we multiply and divide first, third and fourth terms of the above equation with n/c , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^1 P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) &= \alpha \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} \frac{n}{c} - 2(1-\alpha) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} \\ &\quad - (1-\alpha) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^{k+1} cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} \frac{n}{c} + (1-\alpha)(1+cx) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(cx)^k cx}{(1+cx)^{\frac{n}{c}+k+1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c})} \frac{n}{c} \\ &= \alpha nx - 2(1-\alpha)cx - (1-\alpha)ncx^2 + (1-\alpha)(1+cx)nx \\ &= nx - 2(1-\alpha)cx. \end{aligned}$$

We have proof (i) and (ii). Finally, making same process in (i) and (ii), we can obtain (iii), (iv) and (v) easily.

Lemma 2.2 Let $e_i(t) = t^i, n \neq jc$ and $j \leq i$ for every $i, j \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$. We have

- (i) $G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(e_0; x) = 1,$
- (ii) $G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(e_1; x) = \frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c} x,$
- (iii) $G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(e_2; x) = \frac{n(n+c)+4(\alpha-1)nc}{(n-c)(n-2c)} x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)} x,$
- (iv) $G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(e_3; x) = \frac{n(n+c)(n+2c)+6(\alpha-1)n(n+c)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)} x^3 + \frac{6n(n+c)+30(\alpha-1)nc}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)} x^2 + \frac{6n+24(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)} x,$
- (v) $G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(e_4; x) = \frac{n(n+c)(n+2c)(n+3c)+8(\alpha-1)n(n+c)(n+2c)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)(n-4c)} x^4 + \frac{12n(n+c)(n+2c)+84(\alpha-1)n(n+c)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)(n-4c)} x^3$
 $+ \frac{36n(n+c)+216(\alpha-1)nc}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)(n-4c)} x^2 + \frac{24n+120(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)(n-4c)} x.$

Proof.

The following identities are derived from Beta functions and equation (2).

$$\int_0^{\infty} P_{n+c,k-1}(t; c) t^i dt = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+k)}{(k-1)! \Gamma(\frac{n}{c}+1)} \frac{B(k+i, \frac{n}{c}-i)}{c^{i+1}}. \tag{5}$$

From equation (5) and Lemma 2.1, we have

- (i) $G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(e_0; x) = n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) \frac{1}{n} + P_{n,0}^{\alpha}(x; c)$
 $= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c)$
 $= 1,$
- (ii) $G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(e_1; x) = n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) \frac{k}{n(n-c)}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{n-c} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) k \\
 &= \frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c} x,
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii)} \quad G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(e_2; x) &= n \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) \frac{k(k+1)}{n(n-c)(n-2c)} \\
 &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) \frac{k^2}{(n-c)(n-2c)} + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) \frac{k}{(n-c)(n-2c)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{(n-c)(n-2c)} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) k^2 + \frac{1}{(n-c)(n-2c)} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P_{n,k}^{\alpha}(x; c) k \\
 &= \frac{n(n+c)+4(\alpha-1)nc}{(n-c)(n-2c)} x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)} x.
 \end{aligned}$$

We have proof (i), (ii) and (iii). Finally, if we make same process in (i), (ii) and (iii), we obtain (iv) and (v) easily.

Lemma 2.3 Let $\eta_i(t) = (t - x)^i$, $i \in \{1, 2, 4\}$ and $n \neq jc$, $j \leq i$ for every $j \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$. We have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i)} \quad G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(\eta_1; x) &= \frac{c+2(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)} x, \\
 \text{(ii)} \quad G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(\eta_2; x) &= \frac{2(n+c)c+8(\alpha-1)c^2}{(n-c)(n-2c)} x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)} x, \\
 \text{(iii)} \quad G_{n,c}^{\alpha}(\eta_4; x) &= \frac{12n^2c^2+156nc^3+24c^4+8(\alpha-1)c(24nc^2+24c^3)}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)(n-4c)} x^4 \\
 &\quad + \frac{24n^2c+264nc^2+12(\alpha-1)c(26nc+36c^2)}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)(n-4c)} x^3 \\
 &\quad + \frac{12n^2+132nc+24(\alpha-1)c(5n+16c)}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)(n-4c)} x^2 \\
 &\quad + \frac{24n+120(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)(n-3c)(n-4c)} x
 \end{aligned}$$

Weighted Approximation

$B_{\rho}[0, \infty)$ is the space of all functions that are defined on the unbounded interval $[0, \infty)$ satisfying the inequality

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

where M_f is a positive constant only depending on function f and $\rho(x) = 1 + \varphi(x)^2$. Here, $\varphi(x)$ is monotone increasing continuous function on the real axis. Also, let us define the spaces

$$C_{\rho}[0, \infty) = B_{\rho}[0, \infty) \cap C[0, \infty)$$

and

$$C_{\rho}^*[0, \infty) = \left\{ f \in C_{\rho}[0, \infty) : \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|f(x)|}{\rho(x)} < \infty \right\}$$

and endow them with the norm

$$\|f\|_{\rho} = \sup \left\{ \frac{|f(x)|}{\rho(x)} : x \in [0, \infty) \right\}.$$

Theorem 3.1[32,33]

a) There exists a sequence of linear positive operators $A_n: C_{\rho}[0, \infty) \rightarrow B_{\rho}[0, \infty)$ such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|A_n(\varphi^{\nu}) - \varphi^{\nu}\|_{\rho} = 0, \quad \nu = 0,1,2, \tag{6}$$

and there exists a function $f^* \in C_{\rho}[0, \infty) \setminus C_{\rho}^*[0, \infty)$ with

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|A_n(f^*) - f^*\|_{\rho} \geq 1.$$

b) If conditions (6) are satisfied by a sequence of linear positive operators $A_n: C_\rho[0, \infty) \rightarrow B_\rho[0, \infty)$, then for every $f \in C_\rho^*[0, \infty)$, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|A_n(f) - f\|_\rho = 0.$$

Choosing $\rho(x) = 1 + x^2$, we obtain the following theorems.

Theorem 3.2 For every $f \in C_\rho^*[0, \infty)$, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f) - f\|_\rho = 0.$$

Proof.

From Theorem 3.1, verifying the following three conditions is sufficient.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|G_{n,c}^\alpha(e_i) - e_i\|_\rho = 0, \quad i = 0, 1, 2. \tag{7}$$

Since $G_{n,c}^\alpha(e_0; x) = 1$, condition (7) holds for $i = 0$. From Lemma 2.2, we have the following inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} \|G_{n,c}^\alpha(e_1) - e_1\|_\rho &\leq \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{\left| \frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x - x \right|}{1+x^2} \\ &\leq \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{\left| \frac{(2\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x \right|}{1+x^2} \\ &\leq \left| \frac{(2\alpha-1)c}{n-c} \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, for $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|G_{n,c}^\alpha(e_1) - e_1\|_\rho = 0$ which implies that the condition in (7) holds for $i = 1$.

Similarly, we can write the following inequality.

$$\begin{aligned} \|G_{n,c}^\alpha(e_2) - e_2\|_\rho &\leq \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{\left| \frac{n(n+c)+4(\alpha-1)nc}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x - x^2 \right|}{1+x^2} \\ &\leq \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{\left| \left(\frac{4n\alpha c - 2c^2}{(n-c)(n-2c)} \right) x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x \right|}{1+x^2} \\ &\leq \left| \frac{4n\alpha c - 2c^2 + 2n+6|\alpha-1|c}{(n-c)(n-2c)} \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Then, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|G_{n,c}^\alpha(e_2) - e_2\|_\rho = 0$ which implies that the condition in (7) holds for $i = 2$.

Therefore, the proof is completed.

Rate of Convergence

We want to find the rate of convergence for the $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ operators in this section. As we know, if f isn't continuous uniformly on $[0, \infty)$, then $\omega(f, \delta)$ which is the usual first modulus of continuity doesn't tend to zero as $\delta \rightarrow 0$. For every $f \in C_\rho^*[0, \infty)$, a weighted modulus of continuity would be liked to define $\Omega(f, \delta)$ that tends to zero as $\delta \rightarrow 0$.

Let

$$\Omega(f, \delta) = \sup_{x \geq 0, |h| \leq \delta} \frac{|f(x+h) - f(x)|}{(1+x^2)(1+h^2)}, \quad \text{for } f \in C_\rho^*[0, \infty). \tag{8}$$

$\Omega(f, \delta)$ is called the weighted modulus of continuity of the function $f \in C_\rho^*[0, \infty)$ [34].

We will show that the weighted modulus of continuity defined in equation (8) has similar properties to the first modulus of continuity.

Lemma 4.1 [34] Let $f \in C_\rho^*[0, \infty)$. Then, we have

- (i) $\Omega(f, \delta)$ is a monotonically increasing function of δ ,
- (ii) for every $f \in C_\rho^*[0, \infty)$, $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \Omega(f, \delta) = 0$,
- (iii) for every $m \in \mathbb{N}$, $\Omega(f, m\delta) \leq m\Omega(f, \delta)$,
- (iv) for $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^+$, $\Omega(f, \lambda\delta) \leq (\lambda + 1)\Omega(f, \delta)$.

Theorem 4.1 For $f \in C_p^*[0, \infty)$, $M > 0$ and $\bar{\rho}(x) = 1 + x^5$, we get

$$\|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f) - f\|_{\bar{\rho}} \leq M\Omega\left(f, \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}\right).$$

Proof.

From the definition $\Omega(f, \delta)$ and Lemma 4.1(iv), we can write

$$|f(t) - f(x)| \leq (1 + (t - x)^2)(1 + x^2) \left(1 + \frac{|t-x|}{\delta}\right) \Omega(f, \delta).$$

Then, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |G_{n,c}^\alpha(f(t) - f(x); x)| &\leq G_{n,c}^\alpha(|f(t) - f(x)|; x) \\ &\leq \Omega(f, \delta)(1 + x^2)G_{n,c}^\alpha\left((1 + (t - x)^2) \left(1 + \frac{|t-x|}{\delta}\right); x\right) \\ &= \Omega(f, \delta)(1 + x^2) \left[G_{n,c}^\alpha(1 + (t - x)^2; x) + G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\frac{|t-x|}{\delta}; x\right) + G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\frac{|t-x|^3}{\delta}; x\right)\right]. \end{aligned} \tag{9}$$

Applying the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality to the second and third term of (9), we obtain

$$G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\frac{|t-x|}{\delta}; x\right) \leq \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\frac{|t-x|^2}{\delta^2}; x\right)} \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha(1; x)}$$

and

$$G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\frac{|t-x|^3}{\delta}; x\right) \leq \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha((t-x)^4; x)} \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\frac{|t-x|^2}{\delta^2}; x\right)}. \tag{10}$$

Due to (9) and (10) we get

$$G_{n,c}^\alpha(|f(t) - f(x)|; x) \leq \Omega(f, \delta)(1 + x^2) \left[G_{n,c}^\alpha(1 + (t - x)^2; x) + \frac{1}{\delta} \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x)^2; x)} + \frac{1}{\delta} \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x)^4; x)} \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x)^2; x)}\right].$$

There exist positive constants M_1 and M_2 such that

$$G_{n,c}^\alpha(1 + (t - x)^2; x) \leq M_1(1 + x^2), \tag{11}$$

$$\sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x)^4; x)} \leq M_2(1 + x^2). \tag{12}$$

Notice that from Lemma 2.3, we have

$$G_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x)^2; x) = \frac{2(n+c)c+8(\alpha-1)c^2}{(n-c)(n-2c)} x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)} x.$$

Hence, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\frac{|t-x|^2}{\delta^2}; x\right)} &\leq \frac{1}{\delta} O\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}\right) \sqrt{(x + x^2)} \\ &\leq M_3 \frac{(1+x)}{\delta\sqrt{n}}. \end{aligned} \tag{13}$$

Then, from (12) and (13) we yield

$$\sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x)^4; x)} \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\frac{|t-x|^2}{\delta^2}; x\right)} \leq M_5 \frac{1+x^3}{\delta\sqrt{n}}, \tag{14}$$

where $M_5 = M_2M_3M_4$ and $M_4 = \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{(1+x^2)(1+x)}{1+x^3}$.

Lastly, from (11)–(14) and choosing $M_8 = M_1M_6 + M_3M_7 + M_5$ where $M_6 = \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{1+x^2}{1+x^3}$, $M_7 = \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{1+x}{1+x^3}$; choosing $M = M_8M_9$ where $M_9 = \sup_{x \geq 0} \frac{(1+x^2)(1+x^3)}{1+x^5}$ and choosing $\delta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$ then combining the estimate between (9) and (14), we end up with the result of

$$|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f(t) - f(x); x)| \leq M(1 + x^5)\Omega\left(f, \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}\right).$$

Therefore, we reach the result of the theorem.

Pointwise approximation properties by $G_{n,c}^\alpha$

The usual modulus of continuity of $f \in \hat{C}_B[0, \infty)$ is given by

$$\omega(f, \delta) = \sup_{|x-y| \leq \delta} |f(x) - f(y)|, \tag{15}$$

where $\hat{C}_B[0, \infty)$ space of uniformly continuous and bounded functions on $[0, \infty)$.

Theorem 5.1 Let $f \in \hat{C}_B[0, \infty)$, then the following inequality holds

$$|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 2\omega\left(f, \sqrt{\Theta_n(x)}\right),$$

where $\Theta_n(x) = G_{n,c}^\alpha(\eta_2; x)$.

Proof.

From Lemma 2.3 and Shisha Mond Theorem [35] which states that if $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ is a linear positive operator, then for any bounded function f we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq \omega(f, \delta) \left(1 + \frac{1}{\delta} \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha(\eta_2; x)}\right) \\ &= \omega(f, \delta) \left(1 + \frac{1}{\delta} \sqrt{\Theta_n(x)}\right) \\ &\leq 2\omega\left(f, \sqrt{\Theta_n(x)}\right), \end{aligned}$$

where $\delta = \sqrt{\Theta_n(x)}$.

Now, we mention the rate of convergence of $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ whereby Peetre \mathcal{K} -functional [36].

Let us define the space $\hat{C}_B^2[0, \infty) = \{f \in \hat{C}_B[0, \infty) : f', f'' \in \hat{C}_B[0, \infty)\}$ and endow it with the norm $\|f\|_{\hat{C}_B[0, \infty)} = \|f\|_{\hat{C}_B[0, \infty)} + \|f'\|_{\hat{C}_B[0, \infty)} + \|f''\|_{\hat{C}_B[0, \infty)}$ and $\hat{C}_B[0, \infty)$ with the norm $\|f\|_{\hat{C}_B[0, \infty)} = \sup\{|f(x)| : x \in [0, \infty)\}$.

For $g \in \hat{C}_B^2[0, \infty)$, $f \in \hat{C}_B[0, \infty)$ and $\delta > 0$, the Peetre \mathcal{K} -functional is defined by

$$\mathcal{K}(f, \delta) = \inf_{g \in \hat{C}_B^2[0, \infty)} \{ \|f - g\|_{\hat{C}_B[0, \infty)} + \delta \|g''\|_{\hat{C}_B[0, \infty)} \}.$$

There exists an absolute constant $M \in \mathbb{R}^+$, such that

$$\mathcal{K}(f, \delta) \leq M\omega_2(f, \sqrt{\delta}),$$

where $\omega_2(f, \sqrt{\delta})$ is the second order modulus of continuity of $f \in \hat{C}_B[0, \infty)$. $\omega_2(f, \sqrt{\delta})$ defined as

$$\omega_2(f, \sqrt{\delta}) \leq \sup_{0 < h \leq \sqrt{\delta}} \sup_{x, x+h \in [0, \infty)} |f(x+2h) - 2f(x+h) + f(x)|.$$

Theorem 5.2 Let $f \in \widehat{C}_B[0, \infty)$ and $x \in [0, \infty)$. Then, there exists a constant $M \in \mathbb{R}^+$ such that

$$|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 4M\omega_2(f, \sqrt{\delta_n(x)}) + \omega\left(f, \frac{2(\alpha-1)c+c}{n-c}x\right),$$

where $\delta_n(x) = \frac{2(n+c)c+8(\alpha-1)c^2}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x^2 + \frac{(2\alpha-1)^2c^2}{(n-c)(n-c)}x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x$, $n \neq c$ and $n \neq 2c$.

Proof.

Let $f \in \widehat{C}_B[0, \infty)$ and $t \in [0, \infty)$. Then by Taylor's expansion we have

$$g(t) - g(x) = (t-x)g'(x) + \int_x^t (t-u)g''(u)du. \tag{16}$$

When we apply $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ to both sides of the above equation (16), we get $G_{n,c}^\alpha(g(t-x); x) \neq 0$. So, we must define an operator as follows

$$\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) = G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f\left(\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x\right) + f(x). \tag{17}$$

Now, applying $\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha$ to both side of the equation (16), we get

$$\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha(g; x) - g(x) = \check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\int_x^t (t-u)g''(u)du; x\right).$$

From the definition of equation (17), we yield

$$\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha(g; x) - g(x) = G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\int_x^t (t-u)g''(u)du; x\right) - \int_x^{\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x} \left(\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x-u\right)g''(u)du + \int_x^x (x-u)g''(u)du.$$

Using linearity and positivity properties of $G_{n,c}^\alpha$, we write the inequality

$$\begin{aligned} |\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha(g; x) - g(x)| &\leq \left|G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\int_x^t (t-u)g''(u)du; x\right)\right| + \left|\int_x^{\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x} \left(\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x-u\right)g''(u)du\right| \\ &\leq G_{n,c}^\alpha\left(\int_x^t |t-u||g''(u)|du; x\right) + \int_x^{\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x} \left|\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x-u\right| |g''(u)|du. \end{aligned}$$

Then, we get

$$|\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha(g; x) - g(x)| \leq \|g''\|_{\widehat{C}_B[0,\infty)} G_{n,c}^\alpha((t-x)^2; x) + \|g''\|_{\widehat{C}_B[0,\infty)} \left(\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x-x\right)^2.$$

From Lemma 2.3, we write

$$\begin{aligned} |\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha(g; x) - g(x)| &\leq \|g''\|_{\widehat{C}_B[0,\infty)} \left(\frac{2(n+c)c+8(\alpha-1)c^2}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x\right) \\ &\quad + \|g''\|_{\widehat{C}_B[0,\infty)} \left(\frac{(2\alpha-1)^2c^2}{(n-c)(n-c)}x^2\right) \\ &= \|g''\|_{\widehat{C}_B[0,\infty)} \left(\frac{2(n+c)c+8(\alpha-1)c^2}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x^2 + \frac{(2\alpha-1)^2c^2}{(n-c)(n-c)}x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x\right) \\ &= \|g''\|_{\widehat{C}_B[0,\infty)} \delta_n(x), \end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

where $\delta_n(x) = \frac{2(n+c)c+8(\alpha-1)c^2}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x^2 + \frac{(2\alpha-1)^2c^2}{(n-c)(n-c)}x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x$.

From equation (17) for $f \in \widehat{C}_B[0, \infty)$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} |\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x)| &\leq |G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x)| + \left|f\left(\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x\right)\right| + |f(x)| \\ &\leq G_{n,c}^\alpha(|f|; x) + \|f\|_{\widehat{C}_B[0,\infty)} + \|f\|_{\widehat{C}_B[0,\infty)} \\ &\leq 3\|f\|_{\widehat{C}_B[0,\infty)}. \end{aligned} \tag{19}$$

From equation (17), we obtain

$$|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)| \leq |\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha((f - g); x) - (f - g)(x)| + |\check{G}_{n,c}^\alpha(g; x) - g(x)| + \left| f\left(\frac{n+2(\alpha-1)c}{n-c}x\right) - f(x) \right|. \tag{20}$$

From (15) and (17)–(20), we yield

$$|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 4\|f - g\|_{\hat{C}_B[0,\infty)} + \|g''\|_{\hat{C}_B[0,\infty)} \delta_n(x) + \omega\left(f, \frac{2(\alpha - 1)c + c}{n - c}x\right).$$

Taking infimum on the right side of the above inequality overall $g \in \hat{C}_B^2[0, \infty)$, we get

$$|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 4\mathcal{K}(f, \delta_n(x)) + \omega\left(f, \frac{2(\alpha - 1)c + c}{n - c}x\right).$$

Consequently, we get

$$|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 4M\omega_2(f, \sqrt{\delta_n(x)}) + \omega\left(f, \frac{2(\alpha - 1)c + c}{n - c}x\right).$$

Theorem 5.3 Let $f \in \text{Lip}_M(\sigma)$ with $M > 0$ and $0 < \sigma \leq 1$. Then the operators $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ satisfy

$$|G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)| \leq M(\theta_n(x))^{\sigma/2},$$

where $\text{Lip}_M(\sigma) := \{f \in \hat{C}_B[0, \infty) : |f(t) - f(x)| \leq M|t - x|^\sigma, t, x \in [0, \infty)\}$.

Proof.

If f satisfies the Lipschitz conditions, we have

$$|f(t) - f(x)| \leq M|t - x|^\sigma. \tag{21}$$

By the linearity and positivity properties of $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ and inequality (21), we get

Thanks to Lemma 2.3 and using Hölder inequality with $p = \frac{2}{\sigma}$, $q = \frac{2}{2-\sigma}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq MG_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x)^2; x)^{\sigma/2} \\ &= M\left(\frac{2(n+c)c+8(\alpha-1)c^2}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x^2 + \frac{2n+6(\alpha-1)c}{(n-c)(n-2c)}x\right)^{\sigma/2} \\ &= M(\theta_n(x))^{\sigma/2} \text{ for } n \neq c \text{ and } n \neq 2c. \end{aligned}$$

Voronovskaja Type Theorem

Theorem 6.1 Let $f \in \hat{C}_B^2[0, \infty)$. Then the following equality holds

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n(G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x)) = (2\alpha - 1)(cx)f'(x) + (cx^2 + x)f''(x).$$

Proof.

For any $x \geq 0$, using Lemma 2.3 we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} nG_{n,c}^\alpha(n_1; x) = (2\alpha - 1)(cx), \tag{22}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} nG_{n,c}^\alpha(n_2; x) = 2cx^2 + 2x, \tag{23}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^2 G_{n,c}^\alpha(n_4; x) = 12c^2x^4 + 24cx^3 + 12x^2. \tag{24}$$

By using Taylor's formula, we write

$$f(t) = f(x) + f'(x)(t - x) + \frac{1}{2} f''(x)(t - x)^2 + \mu(t, x)(t - x)^2, \tag{25}$$

where $\mu(t; x)$ is Peano form of the remainder term and $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \mu(t, x) = 0$.

When we apply $G_{n,c}^\alpha$ to (25) and use linearity of $G_{n,c}^\alpha$, we have

$$G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x) = f'(x)G_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x); x) + \frac{1}{2} f''(x)G_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x)^2; x) + G_{n,c}^\alpha(\mu(t, x)(t - x)^2; x). \tag{26}$$

When we multiply (26) by n , take the limit n goes to infinity and use (22) and (23), we achieve

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left(G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x) \right) = (2\alpha - 1)(cx)f'(x) + (cx^2 + x)f''(x) + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} nG_{n,c}^\alpha(\mu(t, x)(t - x)^2; x). \tag{27}$$

If we use Cauchy-Schwarz inequality for the remainder term in equation (27), we obtain

$$nG_{n,c}^\alpha(\mu(t, x)(t - x)^2; x) \leq \sqrt{G_{n,c}^\alpha(\mu^2(t, x); x)} \sqrt{n^2 G_{n,c}^\alpha((t - x)^4; x)}.$$

Let $\psi(t, x) = \mu^2(t, x)$. Since $\psi(\cdot, x)$ is continuous at $t \in [0, \infty)$ and $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \mu(t, x) = 0$, we observe that

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \mu^2(t, x) = \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \psi(t, x) = \psi(x, x) = 0. \tag{28}$$

When we use (24) and (28), we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} nG_{n,c}^\alpha(\mu(t, x)(t - x)^2; x) = 0. \tag{29}$$

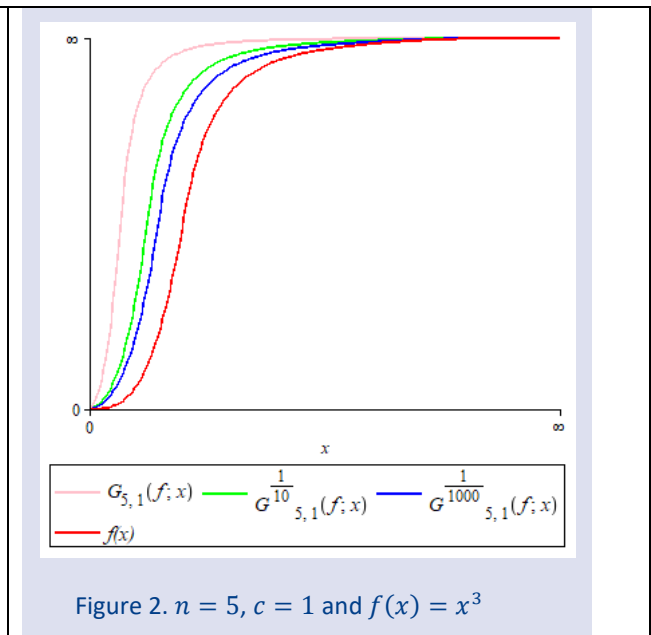
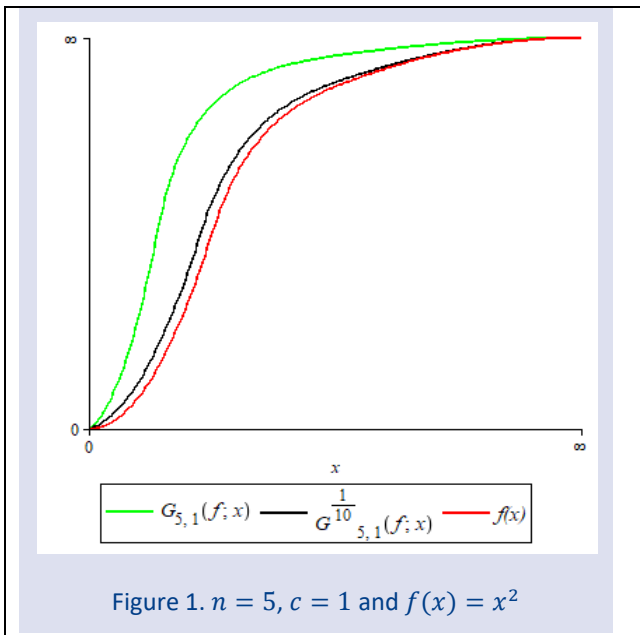
Finally, from (27) and (29) we yield

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left(G_{n,c}^\alpha(f; x) - f(x) \right) = (2\alpha - 1)(cx)f'(x) + (cx^2 + x)f''(x).$$

Therefore, we complete the proof.

Graphical Analysis

In this section, the convergence of the operators $G_{5,c}^\alpha$ with function $f(x) = x^2$ is illustrated in Figure 1 for different values of $\alpha = 1, \alpha = 1/10$ and $c = 1$ on the interval $[0, \infty)$. Also, the convergence of the operators $G_{5,c}^\alpha$ with the function $f(x) = x^3$ is illustrated in Figure 2 for different values of $\alpha = 1, \alpha = 1/10, \alpha = 1/1000$ and $c = 1$ on the interval $[0, \infty)$.



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