

Simultaneous approximation on generalized Bernstein–Durrmeyer operators

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Abstract In the present paper, we study some theorems on approximation of the r -th derivative of a given function f by corresponding r -th derivative of the generalized Bernstein operator.

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1 Introduction

Very recently Deo et al. [4] introduced modified Bernstein operator B_n defined as:

$$(B_n f)(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n p_{n,k}(x) f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right), \quad (1.1)$$

where

$$p_{n,k}(x) = \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \binom{n}{k} x^k \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - x\right)^{n-k} \quad \text{and} \quad x \in \left[0, 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right].$$

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In this context Deo [1] has studied direct as well as converse results for the Beta operators and in [2, 3] Deo has given Voronovskaya type results for exponential operators.

To approximate Lebesgue integrable functions on the interval $[0, 1]$, Durrmeyer [6] first proposed integrated Bernstein polynomial. Later Derriennic [5], Gupta [7], Gupta and Srivastava [8] and Heilmann [9] studied so called Bernstein–Durrmeyer operators in detail and established many interesting properties of these operators. We study the following Durrmeyer variant of the operator (1.1) as:

$$(M_n f)(x) = n \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^2 \sum_{k=0}^n p_{n,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} p_{n,k}(t) f(t) dt, \quad (1.2)$$

where $p_{n,k}(x)$ is defined in (1.1) above. In the operators (1.2), the interval of the definition of integrability of function has been contracted from class $[0, 1]$ to $[0, 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}]$.

In this paper we prove some theorems on the approximation of r -th derivative of a function f by the corresponding operators $(M_n^{(r)})$.

2 Auxiliary results

In this section, we shall mention some definitions and certain lemmas to prove our main theorems.

Lemma 2.1 *If f is differentiable r times on $[0, 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}]$, then we get*

$$(M_n^{(r)} f)(x) = \frac{(n+1)^{2(r+1)}}{n^{2r+1}} \frac{(n!)^2}{(n-r)!(n+r)!} \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} p_{n-r,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} p_{n+r,k+r}(t) f^{(r)}(t) dt. \quad (2.1)$$

Proof We have by Leibnitz's theorem

$$\begin{aligned} (M_n^{(r)} f)(x) &= \frac{(n+1)^{n+2}}{n^{n+1}} \sum_{i=0}^r \sum_{k=0}^{n-r+i} \binom{r}{i} \frac{(-1)^{r-i} n! x^{k-i}}{(k-i)!(n-k-r+i)!} \\ &\quad \cdot \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - x\right)^{n-k-r+i} \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} p_{n,k}(t) f(t) dt \\ &= \frac{(n+1)^{r+2}}{n^{r+1}} \sum_{k=i}^{n-r+i} \sum_{i=0}^r \binom{r}{i} \frac{(-1)^{r-i} n!}{(n-r)!} p_{n-r,k-i}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} p_{n,k}(t) f(t) dt \\ &= \frac{(n+1)^{r+2}}{n^{r+1}} \frac{n!}{(n-r)!} \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} (-1)^r p_{n-r,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} \sum_{i=0}^r \binom{r}{i} (-1)^i p_{n,k+i}(t) f(t) dt. \end{aligned}$$

Again using Leibnitz’s theorem

$$\frac{d^r}{dt^r} p_{n+r,k+r}(t) = \sum_{i=0}^r \binom{r}{i} (-1)^i \frac{(n+r)!}{n!} \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^r p_{n,k+i}(t)$$

$$(M_n^{(r)} f)(x) = \frac{(n+1)^{2(r+1)}}{n^{2r+1}} \frac{(n!)^2}{(n-r)!(n+r)!} \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} p_{n-r,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} (-1)^r p_{n+r,k+r}^{(r)}(t) f(t) dt.$$

Further integrating by parts r times, we get the required result. □

Lemma 2.2 Let $r, m \in \mathbb{N}^0$ (the set of non-negative integers), $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x \in [0, \infty)$. Let the m -th order moments are defined by if

$$\mu_{n,m}(x) = (n+r+1) \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} p_{n-r,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} p_{n+r,k+r}(t) (t-x)^m dt,$$

then we get

$$\mu_{n,0}(x) = 1, \quad \mu_{n,1}(x) = \frac{(1+r)\{n-2x(n+1)\}}{(n+1)(n+r+2)}, \tag{2.2}$$

$$\mu_{n,2}(x) = \frac{(r+1)(r+2)\{n-2x(n+1)\}^2}{(n+1)^2(n+r+2)(n+r+3)} + \frac{2x\{n-x(n+1)\}}{(n+r+2)(n+r+3)} \tag{2.3}$$

and

$$(m+n+r+2)\mu_{n,m+1}(x) = (1+m+r) \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - 2x\right) \mu_{n,m}(x) + 2mx \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - x\right) \mu_{n,m-1}(x) + x \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - x\right) \mu'_{n,m}(x). \tag{2.4}$$

Consequently,

- (i) $\mu_{n,m}(x)$ is a polynomial in x of degree $\leq m$;
- (ii) $\mu_{n,m}(x) = O(n^{-[\frac{m+1}{2}]})$, where $[\alpha]$ denotes the integral part of α .

Proof The values of $\mu_{n,0}$ and $\mu_{n,1}$ can easily follows from the definition. We prove the recurrence relation as follows:

$$\mu'_{n,m}(x) = (n+r+1) \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} p'_{n-r,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} p_{n+r,k+r}(t) (t-x)^m dt - m\mu_{n,m-1}(x)$$

Using the following relation

$$x \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - x\right) p'_{n,k}(x) = n \left(\frac{k}{n+1} - x\right) p_{n,k}(x), \tag{2.5}$$

then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & x \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - x \right) \{ \mu'_{n,m}(x) + m\mu_{n,m-1}(x) \} \\
 &= (n+r+1) \left(1 + \frac{1}{n} \right) \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} p_{n-r,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} \left\{ \frac{nk}{n+1} - (n-r)x \right\} p_{n+r,k+r}(t)(t-x)^m dt \\
 &= (n+r+1) \left(1 + \frac{1}{n} \right) \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} p_{n-r,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} t \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - t \right) p'_{n+r,k+r}(t)(t-x)^m dt \\
 &\quad - r \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - 2x \right) \mu_{n,m}(x) + (n+r)\mu_{n,m+1}(x) \\
 &= (n+r+1) \left(1 + \frac{1}{n} \right) \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} p_{n-r,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} \left[-(t-x)^{m+2} + \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - 2x \right) (t-x)^{m+1} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + x \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - x \right) (t-x)^m \right] p'_{n+r,k+r}(t) - r \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - 2x \right) \mu_{n,m}(x) + (n+r)\mu_{n,m+1}(x) \\
 &= (m+2)\mu_{n,m+1}(x) - \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - 2x \right) (m+1)\mu_{n,m}(x) - mx \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - x \right) \mu_{n,m-1}(x) \\
 &\quad - r \left(\frac{n}{n+1} - 2x \right) \mu_{n,m}(x) + (n+r)\mu_{n,m+1}(x).
 \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of the recurrence relation. The values of $\mu_{n,1}(x)$ and $\mu_{n,2}(x)$ can be easily obtained from the above recurrence relation. □

3 Main results

In this section we shall prove the following main results.

Theorem 3.1 *If $f^{(r)}$ is a bounded and integrable in $[0, 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}]$ and admits $(r + 2)$ -th derivative at a point $x \in [0, 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}]$, then*

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[\frac{n^{2r}(n-r)!(n+r+1)!}{(n+1)^{2r+1}(n!)^2} \left(M_n^{(r)} f \right) (x) - f^{(r)}(x) \right] \\
 &= (1-2x)(1+r)f^{(r+1)}(x) + x(1-x)f^{(r+2)}(x).
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.1}$$

Proof By Taylor’s formula, we have

$$f^{(r)}(t) = f^{(r)}(x) + (t-x)f^{(r+1)}(x) + \frac{(t-x)^2}{2} f^{(r+2)}(x) + \frac{(t-x)^2}{2} \zeta(t-x), \tag{3.2}$$

where $\zeta(u) \rightarrow 0$ as $u \rightarrow 0$ and ζ is a bounded and integrable function on $[-x, 1-x]$.

Now, using (3.2) and by Lemma 2.2, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{n^{2r}(n-r)!(n+r+1)!}{(n+1)^{2r+1}(n!)^2} \left(M_n^{(r)} f \right) (x) - f^{(r)}(x) \\ &= \left\{ \frac{(1+r)\{n-2x(n+1)\}}{(n+1)(n+r+2)} \right\} f^{(r+1)}(x) \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{(r+1)(r+2)\{n-2x(n+1)\}^2}{(n+1)^2(n+r+2)(n+r+3)} + \frac{2x\{n-x(n+1)\}}{(n+r+2)(n+r+3)} \right\} f^{(r+2)}(x) + R_{n,r}(x), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$R_{n,r}(x) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} p_{n-r,k}(x) \int_0^{\frac{n}{n+1}} p_{n+r,k+r}(t)(t-x)^2 \zeta(t-x) dt.$$

Now we have to show that $nR_{n,r} \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Let $K = \sup_{u \in [-x, 1-x]} |\zeta(u)|$ and let $\varepsilon > 0$.

Choose $\delta > 0$ such that $|\zeta(u)| < \varepsilon$ when $|u| \leq \delta$. So for all $t \in [0, 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}]$, we have $|\zeta(t-x)| < \varepsilon + K \frac{(t-x)^2}{\delta^2}$. Clearly

$$\begin{aligned} |nR_{n,r}(x)| &< \frac{n\varepsilon}{2} M_n^{(r)}(t-x)^2(x) + \frac{Kn}{2\delta^2} M_n^{(r)}(t-x)^4(x) \\ &= \frac{n\varepsilon}{2} \left\{ \frac{(r+1)(r+2)\{n-2x(n+1)\}^2}{(n+1)^2(n+r+2)(n+r+3)} + \frac{2x\{n-x(n+1)\}}{(n+r+2)(n+r+3)} \right\} \\ & \quad + \frac{K}{2\delta^2} O\left(\frac{1}{n}\right), \end{aligned}$$

since $\varepsilon > 0$ is arbitrary, this implies that $|nR_{n,r}(x)| \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Thus as $n \rightarrow \infty$, we get the required result from (3.2). This completes the proof of the theorem. \square

Theorem 3.2 *If $f^{(r+1)} \in C[0, 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}]$ and let $\omega(f^{(r+1)}; \cdot)$ be the moduli of continuity of $f^{(r+1)}$. Then for $n \geq r$, ($r = 0, 1, 2, \dots$), we have*

$$\left\| M_n^{(r)} - f^{(r)} \right\| \leq \left\| f^{(r+1)} \right\| + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{n}} \left\{ \sqrt{\lambda}r + \frac{\lambda r}{2} \right\} \omega\left(f^{(r+1)}; \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}\right), \tag{3.3}$$

where the norm is sup-norm over $[0, 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}]$, and $\lambda r = 1 + \frac{r}{2}$.

Proof Following [10] and by the Taylor formula

$$f^{(r)}(t) - f^{(r)}(x) = (t-x)f^{(r+1)}(x) + \int_x^t \left\{ f^{(r+1)}(y) - f^{(r+1)}(x) \right\}.$$

Now, applying (2.1) to the above and using the inequality

$$\left| f^{(r+1)}(y) - f^{(r+1)}(x) \right| \leq \left\{ 1 + \frac{|y-x|}{\delta} \right\} \omega\left(f^{(r+1)}; \delta\right),$$

and the results (2.2) and (2.3), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \left(M_n^{(r)} f \right) (x) - f^{(r)}(x) \right| \\
& \leq \left| f^{(r+1)}(x) \right| \left| M_n^{(r)}(t-x)(x) \right| + \omega \left(f^{(r+1)}; \delta \right) M_n^{(r)} \left[\int_x^t 1 + \frac{|y-x|}{\delta} dy \right] (x), \\
& \leq \left| f^{(r+1)}(x) \right| \left| M_n^{(r)}(t-x)(x) \right| + \omega \left(f^{(r+1)}; \delta \right) \\
& \quad \times \left\{ \sqrt{M_n^{(r)}(t-x)^2(x)} + \frac{1}{2\delta} M_n^{(r)}(t-x)^2(x) \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Choosing $\delta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$ and using the result (2.3), we get the required result (3.3). This completes the proof. \square

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