

On a result of D. D. Stancu

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ABSTRACT. We will present two results concerning some approximation properties of the bivariate operator of D.D. Stancu, using a different technique. The article presents a teaching method of calculation.

1. INTRODUCTION

For $\mathbb{R}^I = \{f; f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, I = [0, 1]\}$, in [5] D.D. Stancu has introduced the operator $S_m^{\alpha, \beta}$, defined for any function $f \in \mathbb{R}^I$, by

$$(S_m^{\alpha, \beta} f)(x) = \sum_{k=0}^m p_{m,k}(x) f\left(\frac{k + \alpha}{m + \beta}\right), \quad (1.1)$$

where

$$p_{m,k}(x) = \binom{m}{k} x^k (1-x)^{m-k} \quad \text{for any } 0 \leq \alpha \leq \beta. \quad (1.2)$$

Assume that $f \in \mathbb{R}^{I^2}$, $0 \leq \alpha_1 \leq \beta_1$ and $0 \leq \alpha_2 \leq \beta_2$. Denote by ${}_x S_m^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1)}$, ${}_y S_n^{(\alpha_2, \beta_2)}$ the parametric extensions of $S_m^{(\alpha, \beta)}$, i.e.

$$({}_x S_m^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1)} f)(x, y) = \sum_{k=0}^m p_{m,k}(x) f\left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1}, y\right) \quad (1.3)$$

$$({}_y S_n^{(\alpha_2, \beta_2)} f)(x, y) = \sum_{j=0}^n p_{n,j}(y) f\left(x, \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2}\right) \quad (1.4)$$

where the fundamental polynomials $p_{n,j}(y)$ are analogues with (1.2).

Proposition 1.1. *The parametric extensions ${}_x S_m^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1)}$, ${}_y S_n^{(\alpha_2, \beta_2)}$ satisfy*

$${}_x S_m^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1)} \cdot {}_y S_n^{(\alpha_2, \beta_2)} = {}_y S_n^{(\alpha_2, \beta_2)} \cdot {}_x S_m^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1)} = S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}.$$

Their product is the bivariate operator $S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} : \mathbb{R}^{I^2} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{I^2}$ which for any function $f \in \mathbb{R}^{I^2}$ gives the approximation

$$(S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} f)(x, y) = \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^n p_{m,k}(x) p_{n,j}(y) f\left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1}, \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2}\right). \quad (1.5)$$

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Properties of the bivariate operator of Stancu type were studied by D. Bărbosu in [1], [2], [3] and other papers. Next, we will present some of them.

Theorem 1.1. *The bivariate operator of Stancu type has the following properties: (i) it is linear and positive;*

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(ii)} \quad & \left(S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} e_{00} \right) (x, y) = 1; \\
& \left(S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} e_{10} \right) (x, y) = x + \frac{\alpha_1 - x\beta_1}{m + \beta_1}; \\
& \left(S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} e_{01} \right) (x, y) = y + \frac{\alpha_2 - y\beta_2}{n + \beta_2}; \\
& \left(S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} e_{20} \right) (x, y) = x^2 + \frac{mx(1-x)}{(m+\beta_2)} + \frac{(\alpha_1 - x\beta_1)(2mx + \beta_1x + \alpha_1)}{(m+\beta_1)^2}; \\
& \left(S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} e_{02} \right) (x, y) = y^2 + \frac{ny(1-y)}{(n+\beta_2)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_2 - y\beta_2)(2ny + \beta_2y + \alpha_2)}{(n+\beta_2)^2},
\end{aligned}$$

where we denote by $e_{ij}(x, y) = x^i y^j$ ($i = \overline{0, 2}, j = \overline{0, 2}$) the test functions.

(iii) if $f \in C(I^2)$,
then the sequence $\left\{ S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} f \right\}_{(m,n) \in \mathbb{N}^* \times \mathbb{N}^*}$ is uniformly convergent to f in I^2 .

Note that for $\alpha = \beta = 0$ the operator (1.1) is the classical Bernstein operator.

2. MAIN RESULTS

Theorem 2.2. (Stancu, D. D. [5]) *If $f \in C(I^2)$, then we have the estimation*

$$\left| f(x, y) - \left(S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} f \right) (x, y) \right| \leq \left(\frac{3}{2} \right)^2 \omega \left(f, \frac{\sqrt{m+4\beta_1}}{m+\beta_1}, \frac{\sqrt{n+4\beta_2}}{n+\beta_2} \right),$$

where ω denotes the first order modulus of smoothness.

We use the next result concerning the order of approximation.

Theorem 2.3. (Shisha, Mond, [3]) *Let X and Y be two compact intervals from \mathbb{R} . Consider $L : C(X \times Y) \rightarrow C(X \times Y)$ a linear and positive operator. Then for any $f \in C(X \times Y)$, (x, y) and $\delta_1, \delta_2 > 0$ is valid the estimation*

$$\begin{aligned}
|(f - L(f))(x, y)| & \leq |f(x, y)| \cdot |1 - L(1; x, y)| \\
& + \left[L(1; x, y) + \frac{1}{\delta_1} \sqrt{L((x - \cdot)^2; x, y)L(1; x, y)} \right. \\
& + \frac{1}{\delta_2} \sqrt{L((y - *)^2; x, y)L(1; x, y)} \\
& \left. + \frac{1}{\delta_1 \delta_2} \sqrt{L((x - \cdot)^2; x, y)L((y - *)^2; x, y)} \right] \omega(\delta_1, \delta_2), \tag{2.6}
\end{aligned}$$

where we denote by $x - \cdot$ and $y - *$ that x and y are fixed points.

Applying this theorem to the bivariate operator of Stancu, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 |f(x, y) - S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} f| &\leq |f(x, y)| \cdot |1 - S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(1; x, y)| \\
 &+ \left[S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(1; x, y) + \frac{1}{\delta_1} \sqrt{S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(1; x, y) S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((x - \cdot)^2; x, y)} \right. \\
 &+ \frac{1}{\delta_2} \sqrt{S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(1; x, y) S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((y - *)^2; x, y)} \\
 &\left. + \frac{1}{\delta_1 \delta_2} \sqrt{S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((x - \cdot)^2; x, y) S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((y - *)^2; x, y)} \right] \omega(\delta_1 \delta_2). \quad (2.7)
 \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Using the Theorem 1.1 we can write

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((x - \cdot)^2; x, y) &= \frac{mx(1-x)}{(m+\beta_1)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_1 - \beta_1 x)^2}{(m+\beta_1)^2} \\
 S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((y - *)^2; x, y) &= \frac{ny(1-y)}{(n+\beta_2)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_2 - \beta_2 y)^2}{(n+\beta_2)^2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence (2.7) is equivalent to the following

$$\begin{aligned}
 |f(x, y) - S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} f| &\leq \left[1 + \frac{1}{\delta_1} \sqrt{\frac{mx(1-x)}{(m+\beta_1)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_1 - \beta_1 x)^2}{(m+\beta_1)^2}} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{\delta_2} \sqrt{\frac{ny(1-y)}{(n+\beta_2)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_2 - \beta_2 y)^2}{(n+\beta_2)^2}} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{\delta_1 \delta_2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{mx(1-x)}{(m+\beta_1)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_1 - \beta_1 x)^2}{(m+\beta_1)^2} \right) \left(\frac{ny(1-y)}{(n+\beta_2)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_2 - \beta_2 y)^2}{(n+\beta_2)^2} \right)} \right] \omega(\delta_1, \delta_2) \\
 &\leq \left[1 + \frac{1}{\delta_1(m+\beta_1)} \sqrt{\frac{m}{4} + \beta} + \frac{1}{\delta_2(n+\beta_2)} \sqrt{\frac{n}{4} + \beta_2} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{\delta_1 \delta_2 (m+\beta_1)(n+\beta_2)} \sqrt{\left(\frac{m}{4} + \beta_1 \right) \left(\frac{n}{4} + \beta_2 \right)} \right] \omega(\delta_1, \delta_2). \quad (2.8)
 \end{aligned}$$

In the inequality (2.3) we put $\delta_1 = \frac{\sqrt{m+4\beta_1}}{m+\beta_1}$ and $\delta_2 = \frac{\sqrt{n+4\beta_2}}{n+\beta_2}$ and then we obtain the desired inequality. \square

Lemma 2.1. *Considering that δ is a positive number and $0 \leq \alpha \leq \beta$, we can write*

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} (m+\beta) \sum_{\left| \frac{k+\alpha}{m+\beta} - x \right| \geq \delta} p_{m,n}(x) \left(\frac{k+\alpha}{m+\beta} - x \right)^2 = 0,$$

for any $x \in [0, 1]$.

Proof. From (1.5), we obtain the inequality

$$(m + \beta) \sum_{\left| \frac{k+\alpha}{m+\beta} - x \right| \geq \delta} p_{m,n}(x) \left(\frac{k + \alpha}{m + \beta} - x \right)^2 \leq \frac{(m + \beta)}{\delta^2} S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((x - \cdot)^4; x, y). \quad (2.9)$$

A simple computation yields

$$\begin{aligned} S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(\phi^3)(x, y) &= \frac{1}{(m + \beta)^3} [m(m - 1)(m - 2)x^3 + 3m(m - 1)x^2 \\ &\quad + mx + 3\alpha mx + 3\alpha x^2 m(m - 1) + 3m\alpha^2 x + \alpha^3], \\ S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(\phi^4)(x, y) &= \frac{1}{(m + \beta)^4} [m(m - 1)(m - 2)(m - 3)x^4 \\ &\quad + m(m - 1)(m - 2)(6 + 4\alpha)x^3 \\ &\quad + m(m - 1)(6\alpha^2 + 12\alpha + 7)x^2 \\ &\quad + m(4\alpha^3 + 6\alpha^2 + 4\alpha + 1)x + \alpha^3]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((x - \cdot)^4; x, y) = \frac{Q(m, x, \alpha, \beta)}{(m + \beta)^4}, \quad (2.10)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} Q(m, x, \alpha, \beta) &= x^4 [3m^2 - 8m\beta - 6m - 6m\beta^2 + \beta^4] \\ &\quad + x^3 [-6m^2 + 8m\alpha + 12m\beta + 12m\alpha\beta + 6m\beta^2 + 12m - 4\alpha\beta^2] \\ &\quad + x^2 [3m^2 - 6m\alpha^2 - 12m\alpha - 7m + 6\alpha^2\beta^2 - 12m\alpha\beta - 4m\beta] \\ &\quad + x [6m\alpha^2 + 4m\alpha + m - 3\alpha^3\beta] + \alpha^3. \end{aligned} \quad (2.11)$$

From (2.4) - (2.6) it follows that

$$(m + \beta) \sum_{\left| \frac{k+\alpha}{m+\beta} - x \right| \geq \delta} p_{m,n}(x) \left(\frac{k + \alpha}{m + \beta} - x \right)^2 \leq \frac{Q(m, x, \alpha, \beta)}{\delta^2 (m + \beta)^3}.$$

The proof of lemma is complete. \square

Theorem 2.4. If $(x, y) \in I^2$ and $f \in C(I^2)$ satisfy the properties

- (i) f has continuous partial derivatives;
- (ii) f has second partial derivatives,

then

$$\begin{aligned} &\min\{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\} [S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(f)(x, y) - f(x, y)] \\ &\leq (\alpha_1 - x\beta_1) \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x, y) + (\alpha_2 - y\beta_2) \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x, y) \\ &\quad + \frac{x(1-x)}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}(x, y) + \frac{y(1-y)}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}(x, y), \end{aligned} \quad (2.12)$$

with equality if $m + \beta_1 = n + \beta_2$.

Proof. Using the corresponding Taylor series, we get

$$\begin{aligned} f(s, t) &= f(x, y) + \frac{1}{1!} \left[(s-x) \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x, y) + (t-y) \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x, y) \right] \\ &+ \frac{1}{2!} \left[(s-x)^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}(x, y) + 2(s-x)(t-y) \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}(x, y) + (t-y)^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}(x, y) \right] \\ &+ (s-x)^2 \mu_1(s-x) + (s-x)(t-y) \mu_2(s-x, t-y) + (t-y)^2 \mu_3(t-y), \quad (2.13) \end{aligned}$$

where the mappings μ_1, μ_2, μ_3 are bounded and

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \mu_1(h) = 0, \quad \lim_{h_1, h_2 \rightarrow 0} \mu_2(h_1, h_2) = 0, \quad \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \mu_3(h) = 0.$$

In (2.8) we take $s = \frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1}$ and $t = \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2}$, multiply by $p_{m,k}(x)p_{n,j}(y)$ and we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \left(S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} f \right) (x, y) - f(x, y) &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x, y) S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((\cdot - x); x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x, y) S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((\cdot - y); x, y) \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}(x, y) S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((\cdot - x)^2; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}(x, y) S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((\cdot - x)(\cdot - y); x, y) \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}(x, y) S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((\cdot - y)^2; x, y) + (R_{m,n}f)(x, y), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} (R_{m,n}f)(x, y) &= \sum_{k=0}^m p_{m,k}(x) \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right)^2 \mu_1 \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right) \\ &+ \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^n p_{m,k}(x) p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right) \left(\frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right) \\ &\quad \cdot \mu_2 \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x, \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right) \\ &+ \sum_{j=0}^n p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right)^2 \mu_3 \left(\frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right). \quad (2.14) \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned}
S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((\cdot - x); x, y) &= \frac{\alpha_1 - x\beta_1}{m + \beta_1}, \\
S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(* - y); x, y) &= \frac{\alpha_2 - y\beta_2}{n + \beta_2}, \\
S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((\cdot - x)^2; x, y) &= \frac{mx(1-x)}{(m + \beta_1)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_1 - x\beta_1)^2}{(m + \beta_1)^2}, \\
S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(* - y)^2; x, y) &= \frac{ny(1-y)}{(n + \beta_2)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_2 - y\beta_2)^2}{(n + \beta_2)^2}, \\
S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}((\cdot - x)(* - y); x, y) &= \frac{\alpha_1 - x\beta_1}{m + \beta_1} \cdot \frac{\alpha_2 - y\beta_2}{n + \beta_2},
\end{aligned}$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)} f)(x, y) - f(x, y) &\leq \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x, y) \frac{\alpha_1 - x\beta_1}{m + \beta_1} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x, y) \frac{\alpha_2 - y\beta_2}{n + \beta_2} \\
&+ \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}(x, y) \left[\frac{x(1-x)}{m + \beta_1} + \frac{(\alpha_1 - x\beta_1)^2}{(m + \beta_1)^2} \right] + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}(x, y) \frac{\alpha_1 - x\beta_1}{m + \beta_1} \cdot \frac{\alpha_2 - y\beta_2}{n + \beta_2} \\
&+ \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}(x, y) \left[\frac{y(1-y)}{n + \beta_2} + \frac{(\alpha_2 - y\beta_2)^2}{(n + \beta_2)^2} \right] + (R_{m,n} f)(x, y).
\end{aligned}$$

Then, multiplying the previous inequality by $\min\{m, n\}$ we find

$$\begin{aligned}
&\lim_{m, n \rightarrow \infty} \min\{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\} \left[S_{m,n}^{(\alpha_1, \beta_1, \alpha_2, \beta_2)}(f)(x, y) - f(x, y) \right] \\
&\leq (\alpha_1 - x\beta_1) \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + (\alpha_2 - y\beta_2) \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x, y) \\
&+ \frac{x(1-x)}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}(x, y) + \frac{y(1-y)}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}(x, y) \\
&+ \lim_{m, n \rightarrow \infty} \min\{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\} R_{m,n}. \tag{2.15}
\end{aligned}$$

Now, we have to prove that

$$\lim_{m, n \rightarrow \infty} \min\{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\} R_{m,n} = 0.$$

Let $\epsilon > 0$. Since $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \mu_1(h) = 0$, there exists an $\delta' > 0$ such that for any $|h| < \delta'$ we have $|\mu_1(h)| < \epsilon$. Since $\lim_{h_1, h_2 \rightarrow 0} \mu_2(h_1, h_2) = 0$, there exists $\delta'' > 0$ such that for every $|h_1| < \delta''$ and $|h_2| < \delta''$ the inequality $|\mu_2(h_1, h_2)| < \epsilon$ holds. From $\lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \mu_3(k) = 0$ we obtain that there exists an $\delta''' > 0$ such that for any k , with $|k| < \delta'''$, we have $\mu_3(k) < \epsilon$. Consider $\delta = \max\{\delta', \delta'', \delta'''\}$. Hence, for every $h, (h_1, h_2), k$ with $|h| < \delta, |h_1| < \delta, |h_2| < \delta$ and $|k| < \delta$ we get $|\mu_1(h)| < \epsilon, |\mu_2(h_1, h_2)| < \epsilon, |\mu_3(k)| < \epsilon$.

Let us consider sets

$$\begin{aligned}
I &= \{0, 1, 2, \dots, m\}, \\
J &= \{0, 1, 2, \dots, n\}, \\
I_1 &= \left\{ k \in I; \left| \frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right| < \delta \right\}, \\
I_2 &= \left\{ k \in I; \left| \frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right| \geq \delta \right\}, \\
J_1 &= \left\{ j \in J; \left| \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right| < \delta \right\}, \\
J_2 &= \left\{ j \in J; \left| \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right| \geq \delta \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

The maps μ_1, μ_2 and μ_3 are bounded, so that we can write

$$\begin{aligned}
|R_{m,n}| &\leq \sum_{k \in I_1} p_{m,k}(x) \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right)^2 \left| \mu_1 \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right) \right| \\
&\quad + \sum_{k \in I_2} p_{m,k}(x) \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right)^2 \left| \mu_1 \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right) \right| \\
&\quad + \sum_{k \in I_1} \sum_{j \in J_1} p_{m,k}(x) p_{n,j}(y) \left| \frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right| \cdot \left| \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right| \mu_2 \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x, \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right) \\
&\quad + (\sup |\mu_2|) \left(\sum_{k \in I_1} p_{m,k}(x) \left| \frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right| \right) \left(\sum_{j \in J_2} p_{n,j}(y) \left| \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right| \right) \\
&\quad + (\sup |\mu_2|) \left(\sum_{k \in I_2} p_{m,k}(x) \left| \frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right| \right) \left(\sum_{j \in J_1} p_{n,j}(y) \left| \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right| \right) \\
&\quad + (\sup |\mu_2|) \left(\sum_{k \in I_2} p_{m,k}(x) \left| \frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right| \right) \left(\sum_{j \in J_2} p_{n,j}(y) \left| \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right| \right) \\
&\quad + \sum_{j \in J_1} p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right)^2 \left| \mu_3 \left(\frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right) \right| \\
&\quad + (\sup |\mu_3|) \sum_{j \in J_2} p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right)^2.
\end{aligned} \tag{2.16}$$

For $k \in I_1$ and $j \in J_1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\left| \mu_1 \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right) \right| &< \varepsilon, \\
\left| \mu_2 \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x, \frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right) \right| &< \varepsilon
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\left| \mu_3 \left(\frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right) \right| < \varepsilon.$$

Moreover we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k \in I_1} p_{m,k}(x) \left(\frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right)^2 &\leq \sum_{k \in I_1} p_{m,k}(x) \leq \sum_{k=0}^m p_{m,k}(x) = 1; \\ \left(\sum_{k \in I_1} p_{m,k}(x) \left| \frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right| \right) \left(\sum_{j \in J_2} p_{n,j}(y) \left| \frac{j+\alpha_2}{n+\beta_2} - y \right| \right) &\leq \frac{\alpha_1 - x\beta_1}{m+\beta_1} \cdot \frac{\alpha_2 - y\beta_2}{n+\beta_2}; \\ \left(\sum_{k \in I_2} p_{m,k}(x) \left| \frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right| \right) \left(\sum_{j \in J_1} p_{n,j}(y) \left| \frac{j+\alpha_2}{n+\beta_2} - y \right| \right) &\leq \frac{\alpha_1 - x\beta_1}{m+\beta_1} \cdot \frac{\alpha_2 - y\beta_2}{n+\beta_2}; \\ \left(\sum_{k \in I_2} p_{m,k}(x) \left| \frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right| \right) \left(\sum_{j \in J_2} p_{n,j}(y) \left| \frac{j+\alpha_2}{n+\beta_2} - y \right| \right) &\leq \frac{\alpha_1 - x\beta_1}{m+\beta_1} \cdot \frac{\alpha_2 - y\beta_2}{n+\beta_2}; \\ \sum_{j \in J_1} p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{j+\alpha_2}{n+\beta_2} - y \right)^2 &\leq \sum_{j \in J_1} p_{n,j}(y) \leq \sum_{j=0}^m p_{n,j}(y) = 1; \\ \sum_{k \in I_1} \sum_{j \in J_1} p_{m,k}(x) p_{n,j}(y) \left| \frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right| \cdot \left| \frac{j+\alpha_2}{n+\beta_2} - y \right| &\leq \sum_{k \in I_1} \sum_{j \in J_1} p_{m,k}(x) p_{n,j}(y) \leq 1. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently (2.11) is equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned} |(R_{m,n}f)(x,y)| &\leq 3\varepsilon + (\sup |\mu_1|) \sum_{k \in I_2} p_{m,k}(x) \left(\frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right)^2 \\ &\quad + 3(\sup |\mu_2|) \frac{\alpha_1 - x\beta_1}{m+\beta_1} \cdot \frac{\alpha_2 - y\beta_2}{n+\beta_2} + (\sup |\mu_3|) \sum_{j \in J_2} p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{j+\alpha_2}{n+\beta_2} - y \right)^2. \end{aligned} \quad (2.17)$$

Now, from the inequality

$$\begin{aligned} \min \{m+\beta_1, n+\beta_2\} \sum_{k \in I_2} p_{m,k}(x) \left(\frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right)^2 \\ \leq (m+\beta_1) \sum_{\left| \frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right| \geq \delta} p_{m,k}(x) \left(\frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right)^2 \end{aligned} \quad (2.18)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \min \{m+\beta_1, n+\beta_2\} \sum_{j \in J_2} p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{j+\alpha_2}{n+\beta_2} - y \right)^2 \\ \leq (n+\beta_2) \sum_{\left| \frac{j+\alpha_2}{n+\beta_2} - y \right| \geq \delta} p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{j+\alpha_2}{n+\beta_2} - y \right)^2 \end{aligned} \quad (2.19)$$

and Lemma 2.1, we obtain

$$\min_{m,n \rightarrow \infty} \{m+\beta_1, n+\beta_2\} \sum_{k \in I_2} p_{m,k}(x) \left(\frac{k+\alpha_1}{m+\beta_1} - x \right)^2 = 0$$

and

$$\min_{m,n \rightarrow \infty} \{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\} \sum_{j \in J_2} p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right)^2 = 0.$$

Hence, there are $m'_0, n'_0 \in N$ such that for every $m, n \in N$ with $m \geq m'_0$ and $n \geq n'_0$ we have

$$\min \{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\} \sum_{k \in I_2} p_{m,k}(x) \left(\frac{k + \alpha_1}{m + \beta_1} - x \right)^2 < \epsilon (\sup |\mu_1|)^{-1} \quad (2.20)$$

and

$$\min \{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\} \sum_{j \in J_2} p_{n,j}(y) \left(\frac{j + \alpha_2}{n + \beta_2} - y \right)^2 < \epsilon (\sup |\mu_3|)^{-1}. \quad (2.21)$$

Since,

$$\lim_{m,n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\alpha_1 - x\beta_1)(\alpha_2 - y\beta_2)}{\max \{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\}} = 0 \quad (2.22)$$

then there exist $m''_0, n''_0 \in N$ such that for every $m, n \in N$, with $m \geq m''_0$ and $n \geq n''_0$ we have

$$\frac{(\alpha_1 - x\beta_1)(\alpha_2 - y\beta_2)}{\max \{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\}} < \epsilon (\sup |\mu_2|)^{-1}. \quad (2.23)$$

Let $m_0 = \max \{m'_0, m''_0\}$ and $n_0 = \max \{n'_0, n''_0\}$. Hence for any $m, n \in N$ with $m \geq m_0$ and $n \geq n_0$, by (2.14), (2.15) and (2.17) we can write

$$\min \{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\} |(R_{m,n}f)(x, y)| < \epsilon (3 \min \{m + \beta_1, n + \beta_2\} + 5). \quad (2.24)$$

This is equivalent with

$$\min \{m, n\} (R_{m,n}f)(x, y) = 0.$$

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