

## BIVARIATE $\lambda$ - BERNSTEIN TYPE OPERATORS VIA (p,q)-CALCULUS

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**Abstract.** In this paper we have established an extension of the bivariate generalization of the  $(p, q)$ -Bernstein type operators involving parameter  $\lambda$ . We have gave some inequalities for the operators by means of partial and full modulus of continuity and obtain a Lipschitz type theorem.

### 1. Introduction

Let  $h \in C(S)$  with  $S = [0, 1]$ ,  $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$  and  $m_1 \in \mathbb{N}$ . In 2018, Cai et al. [16] proposed a new generalization of Bernstein operators based on a fixed real parameter  $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$  as

$$\mathcal{B}_{m_1}^\lambda(h; y_2) = \sum_{k=0}^{m_1} \bar{\Omega}_{m_1, k}^{(\lambda)}(y_2) h\left(\frac{k}{m_1}\right), \quad x \in S \quad (1.1)$$

where the basis functions  $\bar{\Omega}_{m_1, k}^{(\lambda)}(y_2)$  are defined as:

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\Omega}_{m_1, 0}^{(\lambda)}(y_2) &= \Omega_{m_1, 0}(y_2) - \frac{\lambda}{m_1 + 1} \Omega_{m_1+1, 1}(y_2) \\ \bar{\Omega}_{m_1, k}^{(\lambda)}(y_2) &= \Omega_{m_1, k}(y_2) + \lambda \left( \frac{m_1 - 2j + 1}{m_1^2 - 1} \Omega_{m_1+1, k}(y_2) - \frac{m_1 - 2j - 1}{m_1^2 - 1} \Omega_{m_1+1, k+1}(y_2) \right), \\ &\quad 1 \leq k \leq m_1 - 1 \\ \bar{\Omega}_{m_1, m_1}^{(\lambda)}(y_2) &= \Omega_{m_1, m_1}(y_2) - \frac{\lambda}{m_1 + 1} \Omega_{m_1+1, m_1}(y_2), \end{aligned} \quad (1.2)$$

The authors have studied the established of some Korovkin type approximation properties and the degree of approximation by means of the modulus of continuity, Voronovskaja-type results and shape preserving properties for these operators. This

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work took attention of researchers from approximation theory for a short time. Since that time, lots of researchers have put forth many relevant studies on this issue and numerous articles can be given interrelated with their work [1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 16, 18, 22, 15]. In the past two decades there has been a widespread application of  $(p, q)$ -calculus in the area of approximation theory. Mursaleen [20] was the first who introduced a  $(p, q)$ -analogue of the Bernstein operators. Later Mursaleen applied  $(p, q)$ -calculus to construct  $(p, q)$ -analogue of divided differences. Kang et al. [19] and some other researchers (see [25], [27], [9] and [6] etc.) studied the approximation properties of  $q$ -Bernstein polynomials. Malik et al. [21] presented a new analogue of Bernstein-Durrmeyer operators based on certain variants. Furthermore,  $(p, q)$ -analogue of Bernstein-Durrmeyer operators was defined and studied by Sharma [24]. Cai et al. [12] introduced a Bivariate tensor product  $(p, q)$   $(p, q)$ -analogue of Kantorovich-type Bernstein-Stancu-Schurer operators and studied some convergence properties of these operators. Again, Cai et. al. [13] gave a new generalized  $(p, q)$ -Bernstein operator and studied the rate of approximation with shape preserving properties and monotonicity of the operator. Now, we give some basic definitions based on the  $(p, q)$ -calculus, which are used in this paper.

Let  $p, q$  be any (fixed) positive real number and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , the  $(p, q)$ -integer  $[n]_{p, q}$  is defined as

$$[n]_{p, q} := \begin{cases} \frac{p^n - q^n}{p - q}, & \text{if } p \neq q \neq 1, \\ \frac{1 - q^n}{1 - q}, & \text{if } p = 1, \\ n, & \text{if } p = q = 1. \end{cases}$$

The  $(p, q)$ -factorial  $[n]_{p, q}!$  is defined by

$$[n]_{p, q}! := \begin{cases} [n]_{p, q} [n-1]_{p, q} \dots 1, & \text{if } n \in \mathbb{N}, \\ 1, & \text{if } n = 0. \end{cases}$$

Also, for any  $n$  and  $k$  in  $\mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$  such that  $0 \leq k \leq n$ , the  $(p, q)$ -binomial coefficient is given by

$$\binom{n}{k}_{p, q} := \frac{[n]_{p, q}!}{[n-k]_{p, q}! [k]_{p, q}!}.$$

Further, the  $(p, q)$ -analogue of Pochhammer symbol is defined by

$$(1+x)_{p, q}^n := \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} (p^i + q^i x), \quad \text{for } n \geq 1.$$

Cai et al. [14] considered the generalized Bernstein type operators based on parameters  $q$ -analogue and for fixed real parameter  $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$  as

$$B_{m_1, p_1, q_1}^\lambda(f; y_1) = \sum_{k_1=0}^{m_1} \bar{\Omega}_{m_1, k_1}^{(\lambda, q_1)}(y_1) f\left(\frac{[k_1]_{p_1, q_1}}{p_1^{k_1 - m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1}}\right), \quad y_1 \in [0, 1] \quad (1.3)$$

where the basis functions  $\bar{\Omega}_{m_1, k}^{(\lambda, q_1)}(y_2)$  are defined as:

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{\Omega}_{m_1, 0}^{(\lambda, p_1, q_1)}(y_1) &= \Omega_{m_1, 0}^{(p_1, q_1)}(y_1) - \frac{\lambda}{p_1^{1-m_1}[m_1]_{p_1, q_1+1}} \Omega_{m_1+1, 1}^{(p_1, q_1)}(y_2) \\ \bar{\Omega}_{m_1, j}^{(\lambda, p_1, q_1)}(y_1) &= \Omega_{m_1, j}^{(p_1, q_1)}(y_2) + \lambda \left( \frac{p_1^{1-m_1}[m_1]_{p_1, q_1} - 2p_1^{1-j}[j]_{p_1, q_1} + 1}{p_1^{2-2m_1}[m_1]_{p_1, q_1}^2 - 1} \Omega_{m_1+1, j}(y_1) - \right. \\ &\quad \left. \frac{p_1^{1-m_1}[m_1]_{(p_1, q_1)} - 2q_1 p_1^{-j}[j]_{p_1, q_1} - 1}{p_1^{2-2m_1}[m_1]_{p_1, q_1}^2 - 1} \Omega_{m_1+1, j+1}(y_1) \right), \quad 1 \leq j \leq m_1 - 1 \\ \bar{\Omega}_{m_1, m_1}^{(\lambda, p_1, q_1)}(y_1) &= \Omega_{m_1, m_1}^{(p_1, q_1)}(y_1) - \frac{\lambda}{p_1^{1-m_1}[m_1]_{p_1, q_1} + 1} \Omega_{m_1+1, m_1}^{(p_1, q_1)}(y_1),\end{aligned}\tag{1.4}$$

and  $\Omega_{m_1, j}^{(p_1, q_1)}(y_1) = \binom{m_2}{k}_{q_1} y_1^j \prod_{s=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^s y_1)$ . Note that for  $p_1 = 1$ , these operators reduce to  $(p, q)$ -analogue  $\lambda$ -Bernstein operators (1.1) and for  $p_1 = q_1 = \lambda = 1$ , (1.3) reduce to Bernstein operators [11].

Therefore, linear operators, in particular the limit  $(p, q)$ -Bernstein operator, are of significant interest for applications.

Our aim in the present paper is to construct an extension of the bivariate  $\lambda, q$ -Bernstein type operators involving parameters and obtain degree of approximation by means of the Lipschitz type space for functions two variables.

## 2. Construction of the bivariate $\lambda$ -Bernstein type $(p, q)$ -analogue operators

The aim of this section is to construct a bivariate extension of the  $\lambda$ -Bernstein  $(p, q)$ -operators. Let  $p_1 \geq 0, p_2 \geq 0$  be two given integers and let

$$B_{m_j, p_j, q_j}^{\lambda_j} : C(S) \rightarrow C(S), \quad j = 1, 2,$$

defined for any  $m_1, m_2, p_1, p_2, q_1, q_2 \in \mathbb{N}, \lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in (0, 1)$  and any  $g \in C(S), h \in C(S)$ , respectively by

$$B_{m_1, p_1, q_1}^{\lambda_1}(g; y_1) = \sum_{k_1=0}^{m_1} \bar{\Omega}_{m_1, k_1}^{(\lambda_1, q_1)}(y_1) g \left( \frac{[k_1]_{p_1, q_1}}{p_1^{k_1-m_1}[m_1]_{p_1, q_1}} \right), \quad y_1 \in [0, 1]\tag{2.5}$$

$$B_{m_2, p_2, q_2}^{\lambda_2}(h; y_2) = \sum_{k_2=0}^{m_2} \bar{\Omega}_{m_2, k_2}^{(\lambda_2, q_2)}(y_2) h \left( \frac{[k_2]_{p_2, q_2}}{p_2^{k_2-m_2}[m_2]_{p_2, q_2}} \right), \quad y_2 \in [0, 1]\tag{2.6}$$

where  $\bar{\Omega}_{m_i, k_i}^{(\lambda_i, q_i)}(y_i), i = 1, 2$ , defined as relation (1.4).

For  $S^2 = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$  let  $C(S^2)$  be the space of all continuous functions on  $S^2$ .

The parametric extensions (for this term, see [10], [17] or [5]) of (2.5) and (2.6) are the operators  $B_{m_1, p_1, q_1}^{\lambda_1}, B_{m_2, p_2, q_2}^{\lambda_2} : C(S^2) \rightarrow C(S^2)$  defined for any  $m_1, m_2 \in \mathbb{N}$  and any  $h \in C(S^2)$  as follows:

$$B_{m_1, p_1, q_1}^{\lambda_1, y_1}(h; y_1; y_2) = \sum_{k_1=0}^{m_1} \bar{\Omega}_{m_1, k_1}^{(\lambda_1, q_1)}(y_1) h \left( \frac{[k]_{p_1, q_1}}{p_1^{k-m_1}[m_1]_{p_1, q_1}}, y_2 \right),\tag{2.7}$$

$$B_{m_2, p_2, q_2}^{\lambda_2, y_2}(h; y_1; y_2) = \sum_{k_2=0}^{m_2} \bar{\Omega}_{m_2, k_2}^{(\lambda_2, q_2)}(y_2) h \left( y_1, \frac{[k_2]_{p_2, q_2}}{p_2^{k_2-m_2} [m_2]_{p_2, q_2}} \right). \quad (2.8)$$

For  $h \in C(S^2)$  and  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in [-1, 1]$ , the bivariate extension of the operator (1.3) is defined by

$$\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h; y_1, y_2) = \sum_{k_1=0}^{m_1} \sum_{k_2=0}^{m_2} \Omega_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)}(y_1, y_2) h \left( \frac{[k_1]_{p_1, q_1}}{p_1^{k_1-m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1}}, \frac{[k_2]_{p_2, q_2}}{p_2^{k_2-m_2} [m_2]_{p_2, q_2}} \right), \quad (2.9)$$

where  $\{q_{m_i}\}_{m_i \in \mathbb{N}}$  and  $\{p_{m_i}\}_{m_i \in \mathbb{N}}$  is a sequence satisfying  $0 < q_{m_i} < p_{m_i} \leq 1$  and

$$q_{m_i} \rightarrow 1, \quad q_{m_i}^{m_i} \rightarrow c_i; \quad \text{and} \quad p_{m_i} \rightarrow 1, \quad p_{m_i}^{m_i} \rightarrow d_i; \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2.$$

Further,  $\Omega_{m_1, m_2, j_1, j_2}^{(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)}(y_1, y_2) = \Omega_{m_1, j_1}^{(\lambda_1)}(y_1) \Omega_{m_2, j_2}^{(\lambda_2)}(y_2)$ , where  $\Omega_{m_1, j_1}^{(\lambda_1)}(y_1)$  and  $\Omega_{m_2, j_2}^{(\lambda_2)}(y_2)$  are defined similarly as  $\Omega_{m_1, j}^{(\lambda)}(y)$  in (1.4).

We denote

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((u - y_1)^s (v - y_2)^t; y_1, y_2) = \mathcal{B}_{m_1, p_1, q_1}^{\lambda_1}((u - y_1)^s; y_1) \\ & \times \mathcal{B}_{m_2, p_2, q_2}^{\lambda_2}((v - y_2)^t; y_2) \\ = & \mu_{m_1, \lambda_1, s}(p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}, y_1) \mu_{m_2, \lambda_2, t}(p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}, y_2) \quad s, t \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.10)$$

**Lemma 2.1.** [14] *For the operators  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, p_1, q_1}^{\lambda}$ , we have*

$$\begin{aligned} (i) \quad & \mathcal{B}_{m_1, p_1, q_1}^{\lambda}(1; y_1) = 1; \\ (ii) \quad & \mathcal{B}_{m_1, p_1, q_1}^{\lambda}(t; y_1) = y_1 + \frac{2\lambda[m_1+1]_{p_1, q_1} y_1^2 (1-y_1^{n-1})}{p_1^m (p_1^{2-2m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1}^2 - 1)} \left(1 - \frac{q_1}{p_1}\right) + \frac{\lambda p_1^{m_1} (1-y_1^{m_1+1})}{q_1 [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} (p_1^{1-m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} - 1)} + \\ & \frac{\lambda [m_1+1]_{p_1, q_1} y_1 (1-y_1^{m_1})}{[m_1]_{p_1, q_1} (p_1^{1-m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} - 1)} \left(\frac{1}{p_1} - \frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{2}{p_1 (p_1^{1-m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} + 1)}\right) \\ & - \frac{\lambda \prod_{s=0}^{m_1-1} (p_1^s - q_1^s y_1)}{\frac{m_1(m_1-1)}{2} q_1 [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} (p_1^{1-m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} - 1)}. \\ (iii) \quad & \mathcal{B}_{m_1, p_1, q_1}^{\lambda}(t^2; y_1) = y_1^2 + \frac{p_1^{m_1-1} y_1 (1-y_1)}{[m_1]_{p_1, q_1}} + \frac{\lambda (q_1^2 - p_1^2) [m_1+1]_{p_1, q_1} y_1^2 (1-y_1^{n-1})}{p_1^2 q_1 [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} (p_1^{1-m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} + 1)} \\ & - \frac{p_1^{2m_1} \lambda (1-y_1^{m_1+1})}{q_1^2 [m_1]_{p_1, q_1}^2 (p_1^{1-m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} - 1)} + \frac{2\lambda (p_1^2 q_1 - p_1^3 - p_1 q_1^2 - q_1^3) [m_1+1]_{p_1, q_1} y_1^2 (1-y_1^{m_1-1})}{p_1^3 q_1 [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} (p_1^{2-2m_1} [m_2]_{p_1, q_1}^2 - 1)} \\ & + \frac{p_1^{m_1-2} (p_1^2 + q_1^2) \lambda [m_1+1]_{p_1, q_1} y_1 (1-y_1^{m_1})}{q_1^2 [m_1]_{p_1, q_1}^2 (p_1^{1-m_1} [m_2]_{p_1, q_1} + 1)} + \frac{p_1 \lambda \prod_{s=0}^{m_1-1} (p_1^s - q_1^s y_1)}{\frac{(m_1-1)(m_1-2)}{2} q_1^2 [m_1]_{p_1, q_1}^2 (p_1^{1-m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} - 1)} \\ & + \frac{2q_1 (p_1^2 - q_1^2) \lambda [m_1+1]_{p_1, q_1} [m_1-1]_{p_1, q_1} y_1^3 (1-y_1^{m_1-2})}{p_1^{m_1+2} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} (p_1^{2-2m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1}^2 - 1)} \\ & + \frac{2p_1^{m_1-1} (2q_1 - p_1) \lambda [m_1+1]_{p_1, q_1} y_1}{q_1^2 [m_1]_{p_1, q_1}^2 (p_1^{2-2m_1} [m_1]_{p_1, q_1}^2 - 1)} \left( \frac{\prod_{s=0}^{m_1-1} (p_1^s - q_1^s y_1)}{\frac{m_1(m_1-1)}{2} p_1} - (1 - y_1^{m_1}) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Let  $e_{rs}(y_1, y_2) = t_1^r t_2^s$ ,  $(r, s) \in \mathbb{N}_0 \times \mathbb{N}_0$ , with  $r + s \leq 2$ . In order to obtain the main results, we need the following lemmas:

**Lemma 2.2.** For the operators  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(i) \quad & \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(1; y_1, y_2) = 1; \\
(ii) \quad & \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{10}; y_1, y_2) = y_1 + \frac{[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1 (1-y_1^{m_1}) \lambda_1}{[m_1]_{q_1} ([m_1]_{q_1} - 1)} - \frac{2[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1 \lambda_1}{[m_1]_{q_1}^2 - 1} \left[ \frac{1-y_1^{m_1}}{[m_1]_{q_1}} + \right. \\
& \quad \left. q_1 y_1 (1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) \right] + \frac{\lambda_1}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1} ([m_1]_{q_1} + 1)} \left[ 1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^i y_1) - y_1^{m_1+1} - [m_1 + 1]_{q_1} y_1 (1 - y_1^{m_1}) \right] \\
& \quad + \frac{\lambda_1}{[m_1]_{q_1}^2 - 1} \left\{ 2[m_1 + 1]_{q_1} y_1^2 (1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) - \frac{2[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1}} (1 - y_1^{m_1}) + \frac{2}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1}} \left[ 1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^i y_1) - y_1^{m_1+1} \right] \right\}; \\
(iii) \quad & \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{20}; y_1, y_2) = y_1^2 + \frac{y_1 (1-y_1)}{[m_1]_{q_1}} + \frac{y_1 \lambda_1 [m_1+1]_{q_1}}{[m_1]_{q_1}} [q_1 y_1 (1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) + \frac{1-y_1^{m_1}}{[m_1]_{q_1}}] \\
& \quad - \frac{2[m_1+1]_{q_1} \lambda_1}{[m_1]_{q_1} ([m_1]_{q_1}^2 - 1)} \left[ \frac{y_1 (1-y_1^{m_1})}{[m_1]_{q_1}} + q_1 (2 + q_1) y_1^2 (1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) + q_1^3 [m_1 - 1]_{q_1} y_1^3 (1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) \right] \\
& \quad - \frac{\lambda_1}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1} ([m_1]_{q_1} + 1)} \left\{ [m_1 + 1]_{q_1} y_1^2 (1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) - \frac{[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1 (1-y_1^{m_1})}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1}} + \frac{1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^i y_1) - y_1^{m_1+1}}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1}} \right\} \\
& \quad + \frac{2\lambda_1}{[m_1]_{q_1} ([m_1]_{q_1}^2 - 1)} \left\{ q_1 [m_1 - 1]_{q_1} [m_1 + 1]_{q_1} y_1^3 (1 - y_1^{m_1-2}) - \frac{(1-q_1)[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1^2 (1-y_1^{m_1-1})}{q_1} \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \frac{[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1 (1-y_1^{m_1})}{q_1^2 [m_1]_{q_1}} - \frac{1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^i y_1) - y_1^{m_1+1}}{q_1^2 [m_1]_{q_1}} \right\} + \frac{2}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1}} \left[ 1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^i y_1) - y_1^{m_1+1} \right]; \\
(iv) \quad & \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{01}; y_1, y) = y_2 + \frac{[m_2+1]_{q_2} y_2 (1-y_2^{m_2}) \lambda_2}{[m_2]_{q_2} ([m_2]_{q_2} - 1)} - \frac{2[m_2+1]_{q_2} y_2 \lambda_2}{[m_2]_{q_2}^2 - 1} \left[ \frac{1-y_2^{m_2}}{[m_2]_{q_2}} + \right. \\
& \quad \left. q_2 y_2 (1 - y_2^{m_2-1}) \right] + \frac{\lambda_2}{q_2 [m_2]_{q_2} ([m_2]_{q_2} + 1)} \left[ 1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_2} (1 - q_2^i y_2) - y_2^{m_2+1} - [m_2 + 1]_{q_2} y_2 (1 - y_2^{m_2}) \right] \\
& \quad + \frac{\lambda_2}{[m_2]_{q_2}^2 - 1} \left\{ 2[m_2 + 1]_{q_2} y_2^2 (1 - y_2^{m_2-1}) - \frac{2[m_2+1]_{q_2} y_2}{q_2 [m_2]_{q_2}} (1 - y_2^{m_2}) + \frac{2}{q_2 [m_2]_{q_2}} \left[ 1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_2} (1 - q_2^i y_2) - y_2^{m_2+1} \right] \right\}; \\
(v) \quad & \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{02}; y_1, y_2) = y_2^2 + \frac{y_2 (1-y_2)}{[m_2]_{q_2}} + \frac{y_2 \lambda_2 [m_2+1]_{q_2}}{[m_2]_{q_2} ([m_2]_{q_2} - 1)} [q_2 y_2 (1 - y_2^{m_2-1}) + \frac{1-y_2^{m_2}}{[m_2]_{q_2}}] \\
& \quad - \frac{2[m_2+1]_{q_2} \lambda_2}{[m_2]_{q_2} ([m_2]_{q_2}^2 - 1)} \left[ \frac{y_2 (1-y_2^{m_2})}{[m_2]_{q_2}} + q_2 (2 + q_2) y_2^2 (1 - y_2^{m_2-1}) + q_2^3 [m_2 - 1]_{q_2} y_2^3 (1 - y_2^{m_2-1}) \right] \\
& \quad - \frac{\lambda_2}{q_2 [m_2]_{q_2} ([m_2]_{q_2} + 1)} \left\{ [m_2 + 1]_{q_2} y_2^2 (1 - y_2^{m_2-1}) - \frac{[m_2+1]_{q_2} y_2 (1-y_2^{m_2})}{q_2 [m_2]_{q_2}} + \frac{1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_2} (1 - q_2^i y_2) - y_2^{m_2+1}}{q_2 [m_2]_{q_2}} \right\} \\
& \quad + \frac{2\lambda_2}{[m_2]_{q_2} ([m_2]_{q_2}^2 - 1)} \left\{ q_2 [m_2 - 1]_{q_2} [m_2 + 1]_{q_2} y_2^3 (1 - y_2^{m_2-2}) - \frac{(1-q_2)[m_2+1]_{q_2} y_2^2 (1-y_2^{m_2-1})}{q_2} \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \frac{[m_2+1]_{q_2} y_2 (1-y_2^{m_2})}{q_2^2 [m_2]_{q_2}} - \frac{1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_2} (1 - q_2^i y_2) - y_2^{m_2+1}}{q_2^2 [m_2]_{q_2}} \right\};
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* The results follow from linearity of the operators  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}$  and Lemma 2.1.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.3.** Applying Lemma 2.2, we have

- (i)  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(t - y_1; y_1, y_2) = \frac{2\lambda[m_2+1]_{p_1, q_1} y_1^2 (1 - y_1^{m_2-1})}{p_1^{m_2} (p_1^{2-2m_2} [m_2]_{p_1}^2 - 1)} (1 - \frac{q_1}{p_1})$   
 $+ \frac{\lambda p_1^{m_2} (1 - y_1^{m_2+1})}{q_1 [m_2]_{p_1, q_1} (p_1^{1-m_2} [m_2]_{p_1, q_1} - 1)} + \frac{\lambda [m_2+1]_{p_1, q_1} y_1 (1 - y_1^{m_2})}{[m_2]_{p_1, q_1} (p_1^{1-m_2} [m_2]_{p_1, q_1} - 1)} (\frac{1}{p_1}$   
 $- \frac{1}{q_1} - \frac{2}{p_1 (p_1^{1-m_2} [m_2]_{p_1, q_1} + 1)}) - \frac{\lambda \prod_{s=0}^{m_2} (p_1^s - q_1^s y_1)}{\frac{m_1(m_1-1)}{p_1} q_1 [m_1]_{p_1, q_1} (p_1^{1-m_1} [m_2]_{p_1, q_1} - 1)};$
- (ii)  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t_1 - y_1)^2; y_1, y_2) = \frac{y_1(1-y_1)}{[m_1]_{q_1}} + \frac{[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1 \lambda_1}{[m_1]_{q_1} ([m_1]_{q_1} - 1)} [q_1 y_1 (1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) +$   
 $\frac{1-y_1^{m_1}}{[m_1]_{q_1}} - 2y_1(1-y_1^{m_1})] - \frac{2[m_1+1]_{q_1} \lambda_1}{[m_1]_{q_1} ([m_1]_{q_1}^2 - 1)} [\frac{y_1(1-y_1^{m_1})}{[m_1]_{q_1}} + q_1(2+q_1)y_1^2(1-y_1^{m_1-1}) + q_1^3[m_1 -$   
 $1]_{q_1} y_1^3(1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) + \frac{4y_1[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1 \lambda_1}{[m_1]_{q_1}^2 - 1} [\frac{1-y_1^{m_1}}{[m_1]_{q_1}} + q_1 y_1(1 - y_1^{m_1-1})] -$   
 $\frac{\lambda_2}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1} ([m_1]_{q_1} + 1)} \{[m_1 + 1]_{q_1} y_1^2(1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) - \frac{[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1 (1-y_1^{m_1})}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1}} +$   
 $\frac{1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^i y_1) - y_1^{m_1+1}}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1}} - 2y_1[1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^i y_1) - y_1^{m_1+1} - [m_1 + 1]_{q_1} y_1(1 - y_1^{m_1})]\} +$   
 $\frac{2\lambda_2}{[m_1]_{q_1} ([m_1]_{q_1}^2 - 1)} \{q_1[m_1 - 1]_{q_1} [m_1 + 1]_{q_1} y_1^3(1 - y_1^{m_1-2}) - \frac{(1-q_1)[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1^2(1-y_1^{m_1-1})}{q_1} +$   
 $\frac{[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1(1-y_1^{m_1})}{q_1^2 [m_1]_{q_1}} - \frac{1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^i y_1) - y_1^{m_1+1}}{q_1^2 [m_1]_{q_1}}\} - 2y_1 \frac{\lambda_1}{[m_1]_{q_1}^2 - 1} \{2[m_1 + 1]_{q_1} y_1^2(1 - y_1^{m_1-1}) -$   
 $\frac{2[m_1+1]_{q_1} y_1}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1}} (1 - y_1^{m_1}) + \frac{2}{q_1 [m_1]_{q_1}} [1 - \prod_{i=0}^{m_1} (1 - q_1^i y_1) - y_1^{m_1+1}]\};$
- (iii)  $\lim_{m_1 \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t_1 - y_1)^2; y_1, y_2) \leq o\left(\frac{1}{[m_1]_{p_1, q_1}}\right) (1 + y_1 + y_1^2), \text{ as } m_1 \rightarrow \infty$
- (iv)  $\lim_{m_2 \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t_2 - y_2)^2; y_1, y_2) \leq o\left(\frac{1}{[m_2]_{p_2, q_2}}\right) (1 + y_2 + y_2^2), \text{ as } m_2 \rightarrow \infty.$

**Lemma 2.4.** Let  $h \in C(S^2)$ . Then  $\|\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((h); y_1, y_2)\| \leq \|h\|$ , where  $\|\cdot\|$  is the sup-norm in  $C(S^2)$ .

*Proof.* Using Lemma 2.2, we have

$$|\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h; y_1, y_2)| \leq \|h\| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{00}; y_1, y_2) = \|h\|.$$

□

**Lemma 2.5.** The generalized bivariate  $(p, q)$ -analogue of  $\lambda$ -Bernstein operator (1.3) interpolates the function  $h$  in the four corners of the unit square, i.e.,

$$\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(f; 0, 0) = f(0, 0); \quad \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(f; 0, 1) = f(0, 1)$$

$$\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(f; 1, 0) = f(1, 0); \quad \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(f; 1, 1) = f(1, 1).$$

*Proof.* The result is derived directly from paper [10]- Lemma 2.5. □

### 3. Main Results

In order to get the rate of convergence and degree of approximation for the operators  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}$ , we consider  $p_1 = p_{m_1}, p_2 = p_{m_2}$  and  $q_1 = q_{m_1}, q_2 = q_{m_2}$  such that

$0 < q_{m_1} < p_{m_1} \leq 1$  and  $0 \leq q_{m_2} < p_{m_2} \leq 1$  satisfying

$$\lim_{m_1 \rightarrow \infty} q_{m_1}^{m_1} \rightarrow a, \lim_{m_2 \rightarrow \infty} q_{m_2}^{m_2} \rightarrow b, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p_{m_1}^{m_1} \rightarrow c, \lim_{m_2 \rightarrow \infty} p_{m_2}^{m_2} \rightarrow d \quad (3.11)$$

and

$$\lim_{m_1 \rightarrow \infty} p_{m_1} \rightarrow 1, \lim_{m_2 \rightarrow \infty} p_{m_2} \rightarrow 1, \lim_{m_2 \rightarrow \infty} q_{m_2} \rightarrow 1, \lim_{m_2 \rightarrow \infty} q_{m_2} \rightarrow 1, \quad (3.12)$$

where  $0 \leq a, b < c, d < 1$ . Here, we recall the following result due to Volkov [16]:

**Theorem 3.1.** [26] *Let  $I$  and  $J$  be compact intervals of the real line. Let  $L_{m_2, m_1} : \mathcal{B}(I \times J) \rightarrow \mathcal{B}(I \times J)$ ,  $(m_2, m_1) \in N \times N$  be linear positive operators. If*

$$\lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} L_{m_2, m_1}(e_{ij}) = e_{x, y}, (i, j) \in \{(0, 0), (1, 0), (0, 1)\}$$

and

$$\lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} L_{m_2, m_1}(e_{20} + e_{02}) = e_{20} + e_{02},$$

uniformly on  $I \times J$ , then the sequence  $(L_{m_2, m_1} f)$  converges to  $f$  uniformly on  $I \times J$  for any  $f \in \mathcal{B}(I \times J)$

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $e_{ij}(y_1, y_2) = y_1^i y_2^j$  ( $0 \leq i+j \leq 2, i, j \in N$ ) be the test functions defined on  $J_1 \times J_2$  and  $(p_{m_1}), (q_{m_1}), (p_{m_2}), (q_{m_2})$  be the sequences defined by (3.11) and (3.12). If*

$$\lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{ij}; y_1, y_2) = e_{ij}(y_1, y_2), (i, j) \in \{(0, 0), (1, 0), (0, 1)\}$$

and

$$\lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{20} + e_{02}; y_1, y_2) = e_{20}(y_1, y_2) + e_{02}(y_1, y_2),$$

uniformly on  $J_1 \times J_2$ , then

$$\lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(f; y_1, y_2) = f(y_1, y_2),$$

uniformly for any  $f \in C(J_1 \times J_2)$ .

*Proof.* Using Lemma 2.2, it is obvious for  $i = j = 0$

$$\lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{00}; y_1, y_2) = e_{00}(y_1, y_2).$$

For  $i = 1$  and  $j = 0$ , we have

$$\lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{10}; y_1, y_2) = y_1.$$

For  $i = 0$  and  $j = 1$ , we have

$$\lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{01}; y_1, y_2) = y_1,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
& \lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{20} + e_{02}; y_1, y_2) \\
&= \lim_{m_1, m_2 \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{p_1^{m_2-1} b_{m_2}}{[m_2]_{p_1, q_1}} y_1 + \frac{q_1 [m_2 - 1]_{p_1, q_1}}{[m_2]_{p_1, q_1}} y_2^2 \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \frac{p_2^{m_1-1} b_{m_1}}{[m_1]_{p_2, q_2}} y_2 + \frac{q_2 [m_1 - 1]_{p_2, q_2}}{[m_1 - 2]_{p_2, q_2}} y_2^2 \right\} \\
& \lim_{m_2, m_1 \rightarrow \infty} (\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(e_{20} + e_{02}))(y_1, y_2) = e_{20}(y_1, y_2) + e_{02}(y_1, y_2).
\end{aligned}$$

From Theorem 3.1, we completes the proof of Theorem 3.2.  $\square$

In order to discuss the next results, let us recall the definitions of modulus of continuity and partial modulus of continuity

**Definition 3.3.** For  $h \in C(S^2)$  and  $\delta > 0$ , the full modulus of continuity in the bi-variate case is defined as

$$\omega_c(h; \delta) = \max_{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^2 (t_i - y_i)^2} \leq \delta} \{ |h(t_1, t_2) - h(y_1, y_2)| : (t_1, t_2), (y_1, y_2) \in S^2 \}. \quad (3.13)$$

For each fixed  $i = 1, 2$ , the partial modulus of continuity of  $h$  with respect to  $y_i$  is defined

$$\omega^{(1)}(h; \delta) = \sup \{ |h(x_1, y) - h(x_2, y)| : y \in [0, 1] \quad |x_1 - x_2| \leq \delta \}$$

and

$$\omega^{(2)}(h; \delta) = \sup \{ |h(x, y_1) - h(x, y_2)| : x \in [0, 1] \quad |y_1 - y_2| \leq \delta \}, \quad (3.14)$$

respectively.

The following version of the Shisha–Mond theorem [23] for estimating the rate of convergence is known.

**Theorem 3.4.** [23] Let  $L : C([a, b] \times [c, d]) \rightarrow C([a, b] \times [c, d])$  be a linear positive operator. For any  $f \in C([a, b] \times [c, d])$ , and  $(y_1, y_2) \in [a, b] \times [c, d]$  and any  $\delta_1 \in [0, b - a], \delta_2 \in [0, d - c]$ , the following inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
& |(LF)(x, y) - f(x, y)| \leq |Le_{0,0}(x, y) - 1| |f(x, y)| + \\
& + [Le_{0,0}(x, y) + \delta_1^{-1} \sqrt{Le_{0,0}(x, y)(L(\cdot - x))^2(x, y)} + \delta_2^{-1} \sqrt{Le_{0,0}(x, y)(L(* - y))^2(x, y)} + \\
& + \delta_1^{-1} \delta_2^{-1} \sqrt{Le_{0,0}(x, y)(L(\cdot - x))^2(x, y) Le_{0,0}(x, y)(L(* - y))^2(x, y)}] \omega_c(f; \delta_1, \delta_2),
\end{aligned}$$

holds.

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $h \in C(S^2)$  and  $(y_1, y_2) \in S^2$ . Then, for  $(m_1, m_2) \in \mathbb{N}^2$  and for any  $\delta_1, \delta_2 > 0$ , we have

$$|\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} h(y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2)| \leq 4\omega_{total}(h; \delta_1, \delta_2) \quad (3.15)$$

where  $\delta_1 = \sqrt{\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t - y_1)^2, y_1, y_2)}$  and  $\delta_2 = \sqrt{\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((s - y_2)^2, y_1, y_2)}$ .

*Proof.* From Theorem 3.4, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & |\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} h(y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2)| \leq \omega_c(f; \delta_1, \delta_2) \\ & \left[ 1 + \delta_1^{-1} \sqrt{\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t - y_1)^2, y_1, y_2)} + \delta_2^{-1} \sqrt{\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((s - y_2)^2, y_1, y_2)} \right. \\ & \left. + \delta_1^{-1} \delta_2^{-1} \sqrt{\sqrt{\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t - y_1)^2, y_1, y_2)} \sqrt{\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((s - y_2)^2, y_1, y_2)}} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

On choosing

$$\delta_1 = \sqrt{\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t - y_1)^2, y_1, y_2)} \text{ and } \delta_2 = \sqrt{\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((s - y_2)^2, y_1, y_2)},$$

we get the requires result.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.6.** Let  $h \in C(S^2)$ , then the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h(t_1, t_2); y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2)| & \leq 2 \left\{ \omega^{(1)}(h; \sqrt{\mu_{m_1, \lambda_1, 2}(q_{m_1}, y_1)}) \right. \\ & \left. + \omega^{(2)}(h; \sqrt{\mu_{m_2, \lambda_2, 2}(q_{m_2}, y_2)}) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Using the definition of partial modulus of continuity  $\omega^{(i)}(f; \delta), i = 1, 2$ , we may write

$$\begin{aligned} & |\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h(t_1, t_2); y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2)| \\ & \leq \sum_{j_1=0}^{m_1} \sum_{j_2=0}^{m_2} \Omega_{m_1, m_2, j_1, j_2}^{(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)}(y_1, y_2) |h(t_1, t_2) - h(t_1, y_2)| \\ & + \sum_{j_1=0}^{m_1} \sum_{j_2=0}^{m_2} \Omega_{m_1, m_2, j_1, j_2}^{(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)}(y_1, y_2) |h(t_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2)| \\ & \leq \sum_{j_1=0}^{m_1} \sum_{j_2=0}^{m_2} \Omega_{m_1, m_2, j_1, j_2}^{(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)}(y_1, y_2) (\omega^{(2)}(h; |t_2 - y_2|); y_1, y_2) \\ & + \sum_{j_1=0}^{m_1} \sum_{j_2=0}^{m_2} \Omega_{m_1, m_2, j_1, j_2}^{(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)}(y_1, y_2) (\omega^{(1)}(h; |t_1 - y_1|); y_1, y_2) \}. \end{aligned}$$

Applying Cauchy Schwarz inequality with  $\delta_1 = (\mu_{m_1, \lambda_1, 2}(q_{m_1}, y_1))^{\frac{1}{2}}$  and  $\delta_2 = (\mu_{m_2, \lambda_2, 2}(q_{m_2}, y_2))^{\frac{1}{2}}$ , we obtain the desired result.  $\square$

Now, we want to give the quantitative result in terms of the Lipschitz class functions. For any functions  $h : S^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $0 < \varkappa \leq 1$ , the function  $h$  is said to be in Lipschitz class  $Lip_M \varkappa(S^2)$  if  $\exists$  a  $M > 0$  such that

$$Lip_M \varkappa := \left\{ h : |h(s_1, s_2) - h(y_1, y_2)| \leq M \frac{\|u - v\|^\varkappa}{(\|u\| + y_1 + y_2)^{\frac{\varkappa}{2}}} \right\},$$

$\forall s = (s_1, s_2), t = (y_1, y_2) \in S^2$ , where  $\|s - t\| = \{(s_1 - y_1)^2 + (s_2 - y_2)^2\}^{1/2}$  is the Euclidean norm and  $M$  is a positive real constant.

The following theorem yields us a estimate of error for functions in  $Lip_M \varkappa$ , by the operators  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}$ .

**Theorem 3.7.** *Let  $h \in Lip_M \varkappa$ . Then for sufficiently large  $m$  and  $n$  and for all  $y_1, y_2 \in S^2$ , there holds the inequality*

$$\left\| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h) - h \right\|_{C(I^2)} \leq \frac{M}{(y_1 + y_2)^{\frac{\varkappa}{2}}} \left\{ [m_1]_{q_{m_1}}^{-1} + [m_2]_{q_{m_2}}^{-1} \right\}^{\varkappa/2}$$

where  $M > 0$  is a constant.

*Proof.* Let  $0 < \varkappa < 1$ . Then, taking into account that  $g \in Lip_M \varkappa$ , and using the monotonicity and linearity of operators  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h; y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2) \right| &\leq \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(|h(s_1, s_2) - h(y_1, y_2)|; y_1, y_2) \\ &\leq M \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} \left( \frac{\|u - v\|^\varkappa}{(\|u\| + y_1 + y_2)^{\frac{\varkappa}{2}}}; y_1, y_2 \right) \\ &\leq \frac{M}{(y_1 + y_2)^{\frac{\varkappa}{2}}} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(\|u - v\|^\varkappa; y_1, y_2) \end{aligned}$$

where  $s = (s_1, s_2), t = (y_1, y_2) \in S^2$ . Now, applying Holder's inequality with  $u_1 = \frac{2}{\kappa_1}$ ,  $u_2 = \frac{2}{2-\kappa_2}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h; y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2) \right| &\leq \frac{M}{(y_1 + y_2)^{\frac{\varkappa}{2}}} \left\{ \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(\|s - t\|^2; y_1, y_2) \right\}^{\frac{\varkappa}{2}} \\ &\leq \frac{M}{(y_1 + y_2)^{\frac{\varkappa}{2}}} \{ \mu_{m_1, \lambda_1, 2}(q_{m_2}, y_1) + \mu_{m_2, \lambda_2, 2}(q_{m_2}, y_2) \}^{\varkappa/2}, \end{aligned}$$

which leads to the required result on applying Corollary 2.3. Similarly the authentication for  $\varkappa = 1$ .  $\square$

Let  $C'(S^2)$  denote the space of continuous functions  $h(y_1, y_2)$  on  $S^2$  whose first order partial derivatives  $g'_{y_1}$  and  $g'_{y_2}$  are also continuous on  $S^2$ .

Our next result yields us the rate of approximation for continuously differentiable functions on  $S^2$  by the operators  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}$

**Theorem 3.8.** *Let  $h \in C'(S^2)$ . Then for sufficiently large  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ , we have*

$$\left\| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h) - h \right\|_{C(S^2)} \leq A \left( \left\| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1} \right\|_{C(S^2)} [m_1]_{q_{m_1}}^{-1/2} + \left\| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2} \right\|_{C(S^2)} [m_2]_{q_{m_2}}^{-1/2} \right),$$

where  $A$  is some positive constant.

*Proof.* For  $y_1, y_2 \in S^2$  be arbitrary, we may write

$$h(t_1, t_2) - h(y_1, y_2) = \int_{y_1}^{t_1} \frac{\partial h}{\partial \eta}(\eta, t_2) d\eta + \int_{y_2}^{t_2} \frac{\partial h}{\partial \phi}(y_1, \phi) d\phi, \quad \text{for } (t_1, t_2) \in S^2.$$

Hence, applying the operator  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}$  on both sides of the above equation, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h; y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2) &= \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} \left( \int_{y_1}^{t_1} \frac{\partial h}{\partial \eta}(\eta, t_2) d\eta; y_1, y_2 \right) \\ &\quad + \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_2}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} \left( \int_{y_2}^{t_2} \frac{\partial h}{\partial \phi}(y_1, \phi) d\phi; y_1, y_2 \right). \end{aligned}$$

By using sup-norm on  $S^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \int_{y_1}^{t_1} h'_\eta(\eta, t_2) d\eta \right| &\leq \left\| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1} \right\|_{C(S^2)} |t_1 - y_1|, \\ \left| \int_{y_2}^{t_2} \frac{\partial h}{\partial \phi}(y_1, \phi) d\phi \right| &\leq \left\| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2} \right\|_{C(S^2)} |t_2 - y_2|. \end{aligned}$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h; y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2) \right| &\leq \left\| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1} \right\|_{C(S^2)} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(|t_1 - y_1|; y_1, y_2) \\ &\quad + \left\| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2} \right\|_{C(S^2)} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(|t_2 - y_2|; y_1, y_2). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, applying the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality and Corollary 2.3, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h; y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2) \right| &\leq \left\| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1} \right\|_{C(S^2)} \left\{ \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t_1 - y_1)^2; y_1, y_2) \right\}^{1/2} \\ &\quad + \left\| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2} \right\|_{C(S^2)} \left\{ \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t_2 - y_2)^2; y_1, y_2) \right\}^{1/2}, \end{aligned}$$

from which the desired result is immediate.  $\square$

The following result yields the degree of approximation of  $h$  by  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}$  in terms of the partial mod of continuity of the partial derivatives of  $h$ .

**Theorem 3.9.** *Let  $h \in C'(S^2)$  then for sufficiently large  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ , we have*

$$\left\| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h) - h \right\|_{C(S^2)} \leq B \sum_{i=1}^2 [m_i]_{q_{m_i}}^{-1/2} \left\{ 1 + 2\omega^{(i)} \left( \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_i}; [m_i]_{q_{m_i}}^{-1/2} \right) \right\}$$

where  $\omega^{(i)} \left( \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_i}; \cdot \right)$  are the partial mod of continuity of  $\frac{\partial h}{\partial y_i}$  for  $i = 1, 2$  and  $B$  is some positive constant.

*Proof.* If we use the mean value theorem in the following form, we have

$$\begin{aligned} h(t_1, t_2) - h(y_1, y_2) &= (t_1 - y_1) \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1}(\eta, y_2) + (t_2 - y_2) \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2}(y_1, \varkappa) \\ &= (t_1 - y_1) \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1}(y_1, y_2) + (t_1 - y_1) \left( \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1}(\eta, y_2) - \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1}(y_1, y_2) \right) \\ &\quad + (t_2 - y_2) \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2}(y_1, y_2) + (t_2 - y_2) \left( \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2}(y_1, \varkappa) - \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2}(y_1, y_2) \right), \end{aligned}$$

where  $y_1 < \eta < t_1$  and  $y_2 < \varkappa < t_2$ . Applying the operator  $\mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}$  to both sides, we deduce that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h; y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2) &= \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1}(y_1, y_2) \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} \\ &\quad + \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} \left( (t_1 - y_1) \left( \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1}(\eta, y_2) - \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1}(y_1, y_2) \right); y_1, y_2 \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2}(y_1, y_2) \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} \\
& + \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} \left( (t_2 - y_2) \left( \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2}(y_1, \kappa) - \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2}(y_1, y_2) \right); y_1, y_2 \right).
\end{aligned}$$

Since  $\frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1}$  and  $\frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2}$  are continuous in  $S^2$  there exist positive constants  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  such that  $\left| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_1} \right| \leq A_1$  and  $\left| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_2} \right| \leq A_2$ , for all  $(y_1, y_2) \in S^2$ . Hence, applying the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(h; y_1, y_2) - h(y_1, y_2) \right| \leq \sum_{i=1}^2 \left| \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_i} \right| \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}(|t_i - y_i|; y_1, y_2) \\
& + \sum_{i=1}^2 \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}} \left( |t_i - y_i| \left( 1 + \frac{|t_i - y_i|}{\delta_i} \right); y_1, y_2 \right) \omega^{(i)} \left( \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_i}; \delta_i \right) \\
& \leq \sum_{i=1}^2 \left\{ M_i \left\{ \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t_i - y_i)^2; y_1, y_2) \right\}^{1/2} \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \omega^{(i)} \left( \frac{\partial h}{\partial y_i}; \delta_i \right) \left[ \left\{ \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t_i - y_i)^2; y_1, y_2) \right\}^{1/2} \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + \frac{1}{\delta_i} \mathcal{B}_{m_1, m_2, p_{m_1}, q_{m_1}}^{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, p_{m_2}, q_{m_2}}((t_i - y_i)^2; y_1, y_2) \right] \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

Choosing  $\delta_i = ([m_i]_{q_{m_i}})^{-1/2}$ ,  $i = 1, 2$  we get the required result.  $\square$

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