

# About a King-type operator

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**Abstract:** In this paper we discuss some properties of a King-type operator. We give an approximation theorem and a Voronovskaja type theorem for this operator.

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## 1. Introduction

In [6], J.P. King defined linear positive operators which generalize the classical Bernstein operators. These operators reproduce the test functions  $e_0$  and  $e_2$ . In the papers [1], [2], [4], [5] and [7], operators of King’s type are studied. In this paper, we define new King-type operators which reproduce the test functions  $e_1$  and  $e_2$ . After studying its approximation properties, we give a Voronovskaja-type theorem.

## 2. Preliminaries

Let  $N$  be the set of positive integers and  $N_0 = N \cup \{0\}$ . In this section, we recall some notions and results which we will use in this article. Following [8], we consider  $I \subset R$ ,  $I$  an interval and we shall use the function sets:  $E(I)$ ,  $F(I)$  which are subsets of the set of real functions defined on  $I$ ,  $B(I) = \{f|f : I \rightarrow R, f \text{ bounded on } I\}$ ,  $C(I) = \{f|f : I \rightarrow R, f \text{ continuous on } I\}$  and  $C_B(I) = B(I) \cap C(I)$ . For  $x \in I$ , consider the function  $\psi_x : I \rightarrow R$ ,  $\psi_x(t) = t - x$ , for any  $t \in I$ . Let  $a, b, a', b'$  be real numbers,  $I \subset R$  interval,  $a < b, a' < b', [a, b] \subset I, [a', b'] \subset I$ , and  $[a, b] \cap [a', b'] \neq \emptyset$ . For any  $m \in N$ , consider the functions  $\varphi_{m,k} : I \rightarrow R$  with the property that  $\varphi_{m,k}(x) \geq 0$  for any  $x \in [a', b']$ , for any  $k \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots, m\}$  and the linear positive functionals  $A_{m,k} : E([a, b]) \rightarrow R$ , for any  $k \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots, m\}$ . For  $m \in N$ , define the operator:  $L_m^* : E([a, b]) \rightarrow F(I)$  by

$$(L_m^* f)(x) = \sum_{k=0}^m \varphi_{m,k}(x) A_{m,k}(f), \tag{1}$$

for any  $f \in E([a, b])$ , for any  $x \in I$  and for  $i \in N_0$ , define  $T_{m,i}^*$  by

$$\begin{aligned} (T_{m,i}^* L_m^*)(x) &= m^i (L_m^* \psi_x^i)(x) \\ &= m^i \sum_{k=0}^m \varphi_{m,k}(x) A_{m,k}(\psi_x^i), \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

for any  $x \in [a, b] \cap [a', b']$ . In the following, let  $s$  be a fixed natural number,  $s$  even and we suppose that the operators  $(L_m^*)_{m \geq 1}$  verify the condition: there exists the smallest  $\alpha_s, \alpha_{s+1} \in [0; \infty)$  so that

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(T_{m,j}^* L_m^*)(x)}{m^{\alpha_j}} = B_j(x) \in R, \tag{3}$$

for any  $x \in [a, b] \cap [a', b'], j \in \{s, s + 2\}$  and  $\alpha_{s+2} < \alpha_s + 2$ . (4)

If  $I \subset R$  is a given interval and  $f \in C_B(I)$ , then, the first order modulus of smoothness of  $f$  is the function  $\omega(f; \cdot) : [0; \infty) \rightarrow R$  defined for any  $\delta \geq 0$  by  $\omega(f; \delta) = \sup\{|f(x') - f(x'')| : x', x'' \in I; |x' - x''| \leq \delta\}$ .

*Remark.* For  $m \in N$ , the  $L_m^*$  operators are linear and positive.

**Theorem 1.[8]** Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow R$  be a function. If  $x \in [a, b] \cap [a', b']$  and  $f$  is a  $s$  times derivable function in  $x$ , the function  $f^{(s)}$  is continuous in  $x$ , then

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} m^{s-\alpha_s} \left[ (L_m^* f)(x) - \sum_{i=0}^s \frac{f^{(i)}(x)}{m^i i!} (T_{m,i}^* L_m^*)(x) \right] = 0. \tag{5}$$

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If  $f$  is a  $s$  times derivable function on  $[a, b]$ , the function  $f^{(s)}$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$  and there exists  $m(s) \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $k_j \in \mathbb{R}$  so that for any natural number  $m, m \geq m(s)$  and for any  $x \in [a, b] \cap [a', b']$  we have

$$\frac{(T_{m,j}^* L_m^*)(x)}{m^{\alpha_j}} \leq k_j, \tag{6}$$

where  $j \in \{s, s + 2\}$ , then the convergence given in (2.5) is uniform on  $[a, b] \cap [a', b']$  and

$$m^{s-\alpha_s} \left| (L_m^* f)(x) - \sum_{i=0}^s \frac{f^{(i)}(x)}{m^i i!} (T_{m,i}^* L_m^*)(x) \right| \leq \tag{7}$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{s!} (k_s + k_{s+2}) \omega \left( f^{(s)}; \frac{1}{\sqrt{m^{2+\alpha_s-\alpha_{s+2}}}} \right), \text{ for any } x \in [a, b] \cap [a', b'], \text{ for any natural number } m, m \geq m(s).$$

### 3. The study the convergence and a Voronovskaja-type theorem

In the following, we consider a fixed number  $m_0 \in \mathbb{N}, m_0 > 2$ . For the function  $f : [0; 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , we define the sequence of operators  $(B_m^* f)_{m \geq m_0}$  by

$$(B_m^* f)(x) = \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{-m} \sum_{k=0}^m mk(1-x)^{m-k} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^k f\left(\frac{k}{m}\right), \tag{8}$$

for any  $m \geq m_0$  and any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ . For fixed  $m_0$ , from  $m \geq m_0$  it results that  $m > m_0 - 1$ . Then, from  $x \geq \frac{1}{m_0-1}$  we have  $mx - 1 \geq \frac{m-m_0+1}{m_0-1} > 0$ , so  $mx - 1 \neq 0$  for any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ .

In the following, we use the construction and the results from the first section. For the operator above, we have  $\varphi_{m,k}(x) = \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{-m} mk(1-x)^{m-k} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^k$  and  $A_{m,k} = f\left(\frac{k}{m}\right)$ , for any  $m \geq m_0$ , any  $k \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots, m\}$  and any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ .

If  $m \in \mathbb{N}, m \geq m_0$ , then the operator  $B_m^*$  is linear and positive.

The verify is immediate.

**Lemma 1.** *The identities*

$$(B_m^* e_0)(x) = \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1}, \tag{9}$$

$$(B_m^* e_1)(x) = x, \tag{10}$$

$$(B_m^* e_2)(x) = x^2, \tag{11}$$

$$(T_{m,0}^* B_m^*)(x) = \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1}, \tag{12}$$

$$(T_{m,1}^* B_m^*)(x) = \frac{mx(x-1)}{mx-1}, \tag{13}$$

$$(T_{m,2}^* B_m^*)(x) = \frac{m^2 x^2 (1-x)}{mx-1} \tag{14}$$

hold for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}, m \geq m_0$  and any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ .

*Proof.* We have that

$$(B_m^* e_0)(x) = \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{-m} \sum_{k=0}^m mk(1-x)^{m-k} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^k$$

$$= \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{-m} \left(1 - x + x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^m$$

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$$= \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1},$$

$$(B_m^* e_1)(x) = \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{-m} \sum_{k=0}^m mk(1-x)^{m-k} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^k \frac{k}{m}$$

$$= \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{-m} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^m m - 1k - 1(1-x)^{(m-1)-(k-1)} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{k-1}$$

$$= \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{-m} \frac{mx-1}{m} \left(1 - x + x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{m-1} = x,$$

$$(B_m^* e_2)(x) = \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{-m} \sum_{k=0}^m \frac{k^2}{m^2} mk(1-x)^{m-k} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^k$$

$$= \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{-m} \left(\frac{m-1}{m} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^2 \sum_{k=2}^m m - 2k - 2(1-x)^{m-k} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{k-2} + \frac{1}{m} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{k-1}\right)$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^m C_{k-1}^{m-1} (1-x)^{m-k} \left(x - \frac{1}{m}\right)^{k-1} = x^2,$$

which means that (3.2)-(3.4) hold.

By using the relations (3.2)-(3.4) we have that

$$(T_{m,0}^* B_m^*)(x) = (B_m^* e_0)(x) = \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1},$$

$$(T_{m,1}^* B_m^*)(x) = m(B_m^* \psi_x)(x) = m((B_m^* e_1)(x) - x(B_m^* e_0)(x))$$

$$= \frac{mx(x-1)}{mx-1},$$

$$(T_{m,2}^* B_m^*)(x) = m^2(B_m^* \psi_x^2)(x)$$

$$= m^2((B_m^* e_2)(x) - 2x(B_m^* e_1)(x) + x^2(B_m^* e_0)(x)),$$

from where (3.5)-(3.7) follows.

**Lemma 2.** We have that

$$B_0(x) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} (T_{m,0}^* B_m^*)(x) = 1 \tag{15}$$

$$B_2(x) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(T_{m,2}^* B_m^*)(x)}{m} = x(1-x) \tag{16}$$

for any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$  and

$$(T_{m,0}^* B_m^*)(x) \leq m_0 - 1 = k_0 \tag{17}$$

$$\frac{(T_{m,2}^* B_m^*)(x)}{m} \leq \frac{m_0}{4} = k_2 \tag{18}$$

for any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ .

*Proof.* The relations (3.8)-(3.9) results immediately from Lemma 1. The function  $\frac{x}{mx-1}$  is decreasing on  $\left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ , so the maximum is obtained for  $x = \frac{1}{m_0-1}$ . On the other hand, the inequality  $x(1-x) \leq \frac{1}{4}$  holds, for any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ . Then  $\frac{(T_{m,2}^* B_m^*)(x)}{m} = m \frac{x}{mx-1} x(1-x) \leq \frac{m}{4(m-m_0+1)}$ , and because  $\frac{m}{m-m_0+1} \leq m_0$ , for any  $m \in N, m \geq m_0$ , inequality (3.11) is obtained. Similarly, we have that  $(T_{m,0}^* B_m^*)(x) = (m-1) \frac{x}{mx-1} \leq \frac{m-1}{m-m_0+1} \leq m_0 - 1$ , so (3.10) results.

**Theorem 2.** Let  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow R$  be a continuous function on  $[0, 1]$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} |(B_m^* f)(x) - f(x)| &\leq |f(x)| \frac{1-x}{mx-1} + \frac{x}{mx-1} \\ &\left(m-1 + \frac{1}{\delta} \sqrt{(m-1)x(1-x)}\right) \omega(f; \delta), \\ |(B_m^* f)(x) - f(x)| &\leq \frac{(m_0-2)M}{m-m_0+1} + \frac{2(m-1)}{m-m_0+1} \omega \\ &\left(f; \frac{1}{2\sqrt{m-1}}\right) \end{aligned} \tag{18} \text{ for any}$$

$\delta > 0, m \in N, m \geq m_0$  and  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ , where  $M = \sup \left\{ |f(x)| : x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right] \right\}$ .

*Proof.* We have  $(B_m^* \psi_x^2)(x) = \frac{(T_{m,2}^* B_m^*)(x)}{m^2}$  and by taking (3.7) into account we obtain  $(B_m^* \psi_x^2)(x) = \frac{x^2(1-x)}{mx-1}$ . Now, by using Shisha-Mond Theorem (see [3]), we obtain inequality (3.12). We take that  $\frac{1-x}{mx-1} \leq \frac{m_0-2}{m-m_0+1}, \frac{x}{mx-1} \leq \frac{1}{m-m_0+1}$  and  $x(1-x) \leq \frac{1}{4}$  for any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ , any  $m \in N, m \geq m_0$  and we consider  $\delta = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{m-1}}$ . Then, from (3.12), (3.13) follows.

**Lemma 3.** Let  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow R$  be a continuous function on  $[0, 1]$ .

There exists  $m(0)$  so that

$$\left| (B_m^* f)(x) - \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} f(x) \right| \tag{19}$$

$$\leq \frac{5m_0-1}{4} \omega \left( f; \frac{1}{\sqrt{m}} \right),$$

$$|(B_m^* f)(x) - f(x)| \leq |f(x)| \frac{1-x}{mx-1} \tag{20}$$

$$+ \frac{5m_0-1}{4} \omega \left( f; \frac{1}{\sqrt{m}} \right)$$

for any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$  and any  $m \in N, m \geq m(0), m(0)$  introduced in Theorem 1.

*Proof.* The relations (3.14) results from Theorem 1 for  $s = 0$ , Lemma 1 and Lemma 2. By using the inequality

$|a-c| - |b-c| \leq |a-b|$ , where  $a, b, c \in R$ , we have that

$$\begin{aligned} |(B_m^* f)(x) - f(x)| &- \left| \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} f(x) - f(x) \right| \\ &\leq \left| (B_m^* f)(x) - \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} f(x) \right|, \end{aligned}$$

and taking (3.14) into account, the inequality (3.15) is obtained.

**Theorem 3.** Let  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow R$  be a continuous function on  $[0, 1]$ . Then

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} (B_m^* f)(x) = f(x) \tag{21}$$

uniformly on  $\left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ . There exists  $m(0)$  so that

$$|(B_m^* f)(x) - f(x)| \leq \frac{(m_0-2)M}{m-m_0+1} \tag{22}$$

$$+ \frac{5m_0-1}{4} \omega \left( f; \frac{1}{\sqrt{m}} \right)$$

for any  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$  and any  $m \in N, m \geq m(0)$ .

*Proof.* By using the inequality  $\frac{1-x}{mx-1} \leq \frac{m_0-2}{m-m_0+1}$  demonstrated in Theorem 2 and taking (3.15) into account, the inequality (3.17) is obtained. The relation (3.16) results from (3.17).

**Theorem 4.** Let  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow R$  be a continuous function on  $[0, 1]$ . If  $x \in \left[\frac{1}{m_0-1}, 1\right]$ ,  $f$  is two times differentiable in  $x$  and  $f^{(2)}$  is continuous in  $x$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} m \left( (B_m^* f)(x) - \frac{(m-1)x}{mx-1} f(x) \right) \\ &= (x-1) f^{(1)}(x) + \frac{x(1-x)}{2} f^{(2)}(x), \\ \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} m \left( (B_m^* f)(x) - f(x) \right) \\ &= \frac{1-x}{x} f(x) + (x-1) f^{(1)}(x) + \frac{x(1-x)}{2} f^{(2)}(x). \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Relation (3.18) results from Theorem 1 for  $s = 2$ , Lemma 1 and Lemma 2. From (3.18), it results (3.19).

*Remark.* Theorem 4 is a Voronovskaja's type theorem.

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