

Voronovskaya Type Asymptotic Expansions for the Approximation by Symmetrized and Perturbed Hyperbolic Tangent Activated Convolution Type Operators, Ordinary and Fractional Approaches

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Abstract: Here we study further the symmetrized and perturbed hyperbolic tangent activated convolution type operators approximation properties. We derive Voronovskaya type asymptotic expansions for the errors of these approximations. We cover the cases of univariate: basic, Kantorovich and quadrature operators. We present ordinary and fractional results. At the end we give related simultaneous Voronovskaya type asymptotic expansions. Shape preservation via these operators is discussed too.

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1 Introduction

We are motivated by [1], Chapters 5, 6, 8, 9, 19, 25, and [2], Chapter 26.

In section 2, we present the needed neural network theory, especially the deformed, parametrized symmetrized theory, and we come up with a symmetrized mixed density function over \mathbb{R} .

In section 3, we give our basics and introduce our three activated hyperbolic tangent perturbed and symmetrized convolution type univariate operators: the basic, Kantorovich and quadrature types, and mention their related here properties, see [3].

In section 4, we present our main results, namely Voronovskaya type asymptotic expansions related to the approximations of above mentioned operators to the unit operator. We give ordinary differentiation and fractional differentiation results, as well as their simultaneous asymptotic expansions results.

We also present shape preservation results by our studied operators. Further inspiration here comes from [4]-[13].

2 About q -deformed and λ -parametrized hyperbolic tangent function $g_{q,\lambda}$

Here, all this initial background comes from Chapter 18, [2].

We use $g_{q,\lambda}$, see (1), and exhibit that it is a sigmoid function and we will present several of its properties related to the approximation by neural network operators.

So, let us consider the hyperbolic tangent activation function

$$g_{q,\lambda}(x) := \frac{e^{\lambda x} - q e^{-\lambda x}}{e^{\lambda x} + q e^{-\lambda x}}, \quad \lambda, q > 0, x \in \mathbb{R}. \quad (1)$$

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We have that

$$g_{q,\lambda}(0) = \frac{1-q}{1+q}.$$

We notice also that

$$g_{q,\lambda}(-x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda x} - q e^{\lambda x}}{e^{-\lambda x} + q e^{\lambda x}} = \frac{\frac{1}{q} e^{-\lambda x} - e^{\lambda x}}{\frac{1}{q} e^{-\lambda x} + e^{\lambda x}} = -\frac{\left(e^{\lambda x} - \frac{1}{q} e^{-\lambda x}\right)}{e^{\lambda x} + \frac{1}{q} e^{-\lambda x}} = -g_{\frac{1}{q},\lambda}(x). \quad (2)$$

That is

$$g_{q,\lambda}(-x) = -g_{\frac{1}{q},\lambda}(x), \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad (3)$$

and

$$g_{\frac{1}{q},\lambda}(x) = -g_{q,\lambda}(-x),$$

hence

$$g'_{\frac{1}{q},\lambda}(x) = g'_{q,\lambda}(-x). \quad (4)$$

It is

$$g_{q,\lambda}(x) = \frac{e^{2\lambda x} - q}{e^{2\lambda x} + q} = \frac{1 - \frac{q}{e^{2\lambda x}}}{1 + \frac{q}{e^{2\lambda x}}} \xrightarrow{(x \rightarrow +\infty)} 1,$$

i.e.

$$g_{q,\lambda}(+\infty) = 1, \quad (5)$$

Furthermore

$$g_{q,\lambda}(x) = \frac{e^{2\lambda x} - q}{e^{2\lambda x} + q} \xrightarrow{(x \rightarrow -\infty)} \frac{-q}{q} = -1,$$

i.e.

$$g_{q,\lambda}(-\infty) = -1. \quad (6)$$

We find that

$$g'_{q,\lambda}(x) = \frac{4q\lambda e^{2\lambda x}}{(e^{2\lambda x} + q)^2} > 0, \quad (7)$$

therefore $g_{q,\lambda}$ is strictly increasing.

Next we obtain ($x \in \mathbb{R}$)

$$g''_{q,\lambda}(x) = 8q\lambda^2 e^{2\lambda x} \left(\frac{q - e^{2\lambda x}}{(e^{2\lambda x} + q)^3} \right) \in C(\mathbb{R}). \quad (8)$$

We observe that

$$q - e^{2\lambda x} \geqslant 0 \Leftrightarrow q \geqslant e^{2\lambda x} \Leftrightarrow \ln q \geqslant 2\lambda x \Leftrightarrow x \leqslant \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}.$$

So, in case of $x < \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}$, we have that $g_{q,\lambda}$ is strictly concave up, with $g''_{q,\lambda}\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}\right) = 0$.

And in case of $x > \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}$, we have that $g_{q,\lambda}$ is strictly concave down.

Clearly, $g_{q,\lambda}$ is a shifted sigmoid function with $g_{q,\lambda}(0) = \frac{1-q}{1+q}$, and $g_{q,\lambda}(-x) = -g_{q^{-1},\lambda}(x)$, (a semi-odd function).

By $1 > -1$, $x+1 > x-1$, we consider the function

$$M_{q,\lambda}(x) := \frac{1}{4} (g_{q,\lambda}(x+1) - g_{q,\lambda}(x-1)) > 0, \quad (9)$$

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}; q, \lambda > 0$. Notice that $M_{q,\lambda}(\pm\infty) = 0$, so the x -axis is horizontal asymptote.

We have that

$$\begin{aligned} M_{q,\lambda}(-x) &= \frac{1}{4} (g_{q,\lambda}(-x+1) - g_{q,\lambda}(-x-1)) = \\ &= \frac{1}{4} (g_{q,\lambda}(-(x-1)) - g_{q,\lambda}(-(x+1))) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{4} \left(-g_{\frac{1}{q}, \lambda}(x-1) + g_{\frac{1}{q}, \lambda}(x+1) \right) = \\ & \frac{1}{4} \left(g_{\frac{1}{q}, \lambda}(x+1) - g_{\frac{1}{q}, \lambda}(x-1) \right) = M_{\frac{1}{q}, \lambda}(x), \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}. \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

Thus

$$M_{q, \lambda}(-x) = M_{\frac{1}{q}, \lambda}(x), \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}; q, \lambda > 0, \quad (11)$$

a deformed symmetry.

Next, we have that

$$M'_{q, \lambda}(x) = \frac{1}{4} \left(g'_{q, \lambda}(x+1) - g'_{q, \lambda}(x-1) \right), \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}. \quad (12)$$

Let $x < \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1$, then $x-1 < x+1 < \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}$ and $g'_{q, \lambda}(x+1) > g'_{q, \lambda}(x-1)$ (by $g_{q, \lambda}$ being strictly concave up for $x < \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}$), that is $M'_{q, \lambda}(x) > 0$. Hence $M_{q, \lambda}$ is strictly increasing over $(-\infty, \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1)$.

Let now $x-1 > \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}$, then $x+1 > x-1 > \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}$, and $g'_{q, \lambda}(x+1) < g'_{q, \lambda}(x-1)$, that is $M'_{q, \lambda}(x) < 0$.

Therefore $M_{q, \lambda}$ is strictly decreasing over $(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} + 1, +\infty)$.

Let us next consider, $\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1 \leq x \leq \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} + 1$. We have that

$$\begin{aligned} M''_{q, \lambda}(x) &= \frac{1}{4} \left(g''_{q, \lambda}(x+1) - g''_{q, \lambda}(x-1) \right) = \\ &2q\lambda^2 \left[e^{2\lambda(x+1)} \left(\frac{q - e^{2\lambda(x+1)}}{(e^{2\lambda(x+1)} + q)^3} \right) - e^{2\lambda(x-1)} \left(\frac{q - e^{2\lambda(x-1)}}{(e^{2\lambda(x-1)} + q)^3} \right) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

By $\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1 \leq x \Leftrightarrow \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} \leq x+1 \Leftrightarrow \ln q \leq 2\lambda(x+1) \Leftrightarrow q \leq e^{2\lambda(x+1)} \Leftrightarrow q - e^{2\lambda(x+1)} \leq 0$.

By $x \leq \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} + 1 \Leftrightarrow x-1 \leq \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} \Leftrightarrow 2\lambda(x-1) \leq \ln q \Leftrightarrow e^{2\lambda(x-1)} \leq q \Leftrightarrow q - e^{2\lambda(x-1)} \geq 0$.

Clearly by (13) we get that $M''_{q, \lambda}(x) \leq 0$, for $x \in [\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1, \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} + 1]$.

More precisely $M_{q, \lambda}$ is concave down over $[\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1, \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} + 1]$, and strictly concave down over $(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1, \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} + 1)$.

Consequently $M_{q, \lambda}$ has a bell-type shape over \mathbb{R} .

Of course it holds $M''_{q, \lambda}\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}\right) < 0$.

At $x = \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} M'_{q, \lambda}(x) &= \frac{1}{4} \left(g'_{q, \lambda}(x+1) - g'_{q, \lambda}(x-1) \right) = \\ &q\lambda \left(\frac{e^{2\lambda(x+1)}}{(e^{2\lambda(x+1)} + q)^2} - \frac{e^{2\lambda(x-1)}}{(e^{2\lambda(x-1)} + q)^2} \right). \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} M'_{q, \lambda}\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}\right) &= q\lambda \left(\frac{e^{2\lambda\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} + 1\right)}}{\left(e^{2\lambda\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} + 1\right)} + q\right)^2} - \frac{e^{2\lambda\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1\right)}}{\left(e^{2\lambda\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1\right)} + q\right)^2} \right) = \\ &\lambda \left(\frac{e^{2\lambda} (e^{-2\lambda} + 1)^2 - e^{-2\lambda} (e^{2\lambda} + 1)^2}{(e^{2\lambda} + 1)^2 (e^{-2\lambda} + 1)^2} \right) = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

That is, $\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}$ is the only critical number of $M_{q, \lambda}$ over \mathbb{R} . Hence at $x = \frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}$, $M_{q, \lambda}$ achieves its global maximum, which is

$$M_{q, \lambda}\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda}\right) = \frac{1}{4} \left[g_{q, \lambda}\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} + 1\right) - g_{q, \lambda}\left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} - 1\right) \right] = \quad (16)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{4} \left[\left(\frac{e^\lambda - e^{-\lambda}}{e^\lambda + e^{-\lambda}} \right) - \left(\frac{e^{-\lambda} - e^\lambda}{e^{-\lambda} + e^\lambda} \right) \right] = \\ \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{2(e^\lambda - e^{-\lambda})}{e^\lambda + e^{-\lambda}} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{e^\lambda - e^{-\lambda}}{e^\lambda + e^{-\lambda}} \right) = \frac{\tanh(\lambda)}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion: The maximum value of $M_{q,\lambda}$ is

$$M_{q,\lambda} \left(\frac{\ln q}{2\lambda} \right) = \frac{\tanh(\lambda)}{2}, \quad \lambda > 0. \quad (17)$$

We mention

Theorem 1.([2], Ch. 18, p. 458) We have that

$$\sum_{i=-\infty}^{\infty} M_{q,\lambda}(x-i) = 1, \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \forall \lambda, q > 0. \quad (18)$$

Also it holds

Theorem 2.([2], Ch. 18, p. 459) It holds

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} M_{q,\lambda}(x) dx = 1, \quad \lambda, q > 0. \quad (19)$$

So that $M_{q,\lambda}$ is a density function on $\mathbb{R}; \lambda, q > 0$.

Similarly we get that

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} M_{\frac{1}{q},\lambda}(x) dx = 1, \quad \lambda, q > 0, \quad (20)$$

so that $M_{\frac{1}{q},\lambda}$ is a density function.

Furthermore, we observe the symmetry

$$(M_{q,\lambda} + M_{\frac{1}{q},\lambda})(-x) = (M_{q,\lambda} + M_{\frac{1}{q},\lambda})(x), \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}. \quad (21)$$

Furthermore

$$\varphi = \frac{M_{q,\lambda} + M_{\frac{1}{q},\lambda}}{2} \quad (22)$$

is a new density function over \mathbb{R} , i.e.

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(x) dx = 1.$$

Clearly, then

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(nx-u) du = 1, \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, x \in \mathbb{R}. \quad (23)$$

3 Basics

We give

Definition 1.Let $f \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$ (continuous and bounded functions on \mathbb{R}), $n \in \mathbb{N}$. We define the following basic activated hyperbolic tangent perturbed convolution type operators

$$A_n(f)(x) := \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) \varphi(nx-u) du, \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}. \quad (24)$$

In this work we examine the quantitative convergence of A_n to the unit operator.
We study similarly the activated Kantorovich type operators,

$$\begin{aligned} A_n^*(f)(x) &:= n \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\int_{\frac{u}{n}}^{\frac{u+1}{n}} f(t) dt \right) \varphi(nx-u) du \\ &= n \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) dt \right) \varphi(nx-u) du, \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

where $f \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$,
and the activated Quadrature operators

$$\overline{A_n}(f)(x) := \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i f\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right) \right) \varphi(nx-u) du, \quad (26)$$

where $w_i \geq 0$, $\sum_{i=1}^r w_i = 1$; $f \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$.

An essential property follows:

Theorem 3. ([3]) Let $0 < \alpha < 1$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$: $n^{1-\alpha} > 2$. Then

$$\int_{\{u \in \mathbb{R}: |nx-u| \geq n^{1-\alpha}\}} \varphi(nx-u) du < \frac{\left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right)}{e^{2\lambda(n^{1-\alpha}-1)}}, \quad q, \lambda > 0. \quad (27)$$

By [3], we obtain that

$$\varphi(x) < \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \lambda e^{-2\lambda(x-1)}, \quad \forall x \geq 1. \quad (28)$$

We make

Remark. Let $i \in \mathbb{N}$ be fixed. Assume that $f \in C^{(i)}(\mathbb{R})$, with $f^{(j)} \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, for $j = 0, 1, \dots, i$.

We have that

$$A_n(f)(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f\left(x - \frac{z}{n}\right) \varphi(z) dz.$$

By applying repeatedly Leibnitz's rule we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^i A_n(f)(x)}{\partial x^i} &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f^{(i)}\left(x - \frac{z}{n}\right) \varphi(z) dz = \\ &\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f^{(i)}\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) \varphi(nx-u) du = A_n(f^{(i)})(x), \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}. \end{aligned} \quad (29)$$

Clearly, it is valid that

$$\frac{\partial^i A_n^*(f)(x)}{\partial x^i} = A_n^*(f^{(i)})(x), \quad (30)$$

and

$$\frac{\partial^i \overline{A_n}(f)(x)}{\partial x^i} = \overline{A_n}(f^{(i)})(x), \quad (31)$$

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$.

For $f \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, we obtain $A_n(f), A_n^*(f), \overline{A_n}(f) \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, see [3].

4 Main Results

Next, we give Voronovskaya type asymptotic expansions for the error of approximation.

We present about the basic operator.

Theorem 4. Let $0 < \alpha < 1$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ large enough; $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $f \in C^N(\mathbb{R})$, $N \in \mathbb{N}$, with $f^{(N)} \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$. Then

1)

$$A_n(f)(x) - f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n((\cdot - x)^j)(x) + o\left(\frac{1}{n^{\alpha(N-\varepsilon)}}\right), \quad (32)$$

the last (32) implies

$$n^{\alpha(N-\varepsilon)} \left[A_n(f)(x) - f(x) - \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n((\cdot - x)^j)(x) \right] \rightarrow 0, \quad (33)$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$.

2) when $f^{(j)}(x) = 0$, $j = 1, \dots, N$, we derive that

$$n^{\alpha(N-\varepsilon)} [A_n(f)(x) - f(x)] \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty, 0 < \varepsilon \leq N. \quad (34)$$

Of interest is the case $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$.

Proof. We have that

$$f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) = \sum_{j=0}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(\frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j + \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{\left(\frac{u}{n} - t\right)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt. \quad (35)$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) \varphi(nx - u) &= \sum_{j=0}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \varphi(nx - u) \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{\left(\frac{u}{n} - t\right)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt. \end{aligned} \quad (36)$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} A_n(f)(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) \varphi(nx - u) du = \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j du + \\ &\quad \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{\left(\frac{u}{n} - t\right)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) du. \end{aligned} \quad (37)$$

Thus, it holds

$$\begin{aligned} A_n(f)(x) - f(x) &= \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j du \\ &\quad + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{\left(\frac{u}{n} - t\right)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) du. \end{aligned} \quad (38)$$

Call

$$R_n(x) := \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{\left(\frac{u}{n} - t\right)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) du.$$

Call

$$\gamma(u) := \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{\left(\frac{u}{n} - t\right)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt. \quad (39)$$

Let $|\frac{u}{n} - x| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}$.

i) Case of $\frac{u}{n} \geq x$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |\gamma(u)| &\leq \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left| f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x) \right| \frac{(\frac{u}{n} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \leq \\ &2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \frac{(\frac{u}{n} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt = \\ &2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty \frac{(\frac{u}{n} - t)^N}{N!} \leq \frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N! n^{\alpha N}}. \end{aligned} \quad (40)$$

ii) Case of $\frac{u}{n} < x$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |\gamma(u)| &= \left| \int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x) \right) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right| \leq \\ &\int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left| f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x) \right| \frac{(t - \frac{u}{n})^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \leq \\ &2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty \int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \frac{(t - \frac{u}{n})^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt = \\ &\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N!} \left(x - \frac{u}{n} \right)^N \leq \frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N! n^{\alpha N}}. \end{aligned} \quad (41)$$

Therefore, it holds

$$|\gamma(u)| \leq \frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N! n^{\alpha N}}, \quad (42)$$

when $|\frac{u}{n} - x| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}$.

Consequently, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \int_{|\frac{u}{n} - x| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x) \right) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) du \right| \leq \\ &\int_{|\frac{u}{n} - x| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx - u) |\gamma(u)| du \leq \frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N! n^{\alpha N}}. \end{aligned} \quad (43)$$

Next, we treat

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \int_{|\frac{u}{n} - x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x) \right) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) du \right| \leq \\ &\int_{|\frac{u}{n} - x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx - u) \left| \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x) \right) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right| du = \\ &\int_{|\frac{u}{n} - x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx - u) |\gamma(u)| du =: (\xi_1). \end{aligned} \quad (44)$$

Let $\frac{u}{n} \geq x$, then

$$|\gamma(u)| \leq 2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty \frac{(\frac{u}{n} - x)^N}{N!}.$$

If $\frac{u}{n} < x$, then

$$\begin{aligned} |\gamma(u)| &= \left| \int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x) \right) \frac{\left(\frac{u}{n} - t\right)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right| \leq \\ &2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} \int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \frac{\left(t - \frac{u}{n}\right)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt = 2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} \frac{\left(x - \frac{u}{n}\right)^N}{N!}. \end{aligned} \quad (45)$$

Consequently, we get that

$$|\gamma(u)| \leq 2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} \frac{|x - \frac{u}{n}|^N}{N!}. \quad (46)$$

Furthermore, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} (\xi_1) &\leq \frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \int_{\left|\frac{u}{n} - x\right| \geq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx - u) \left|x - \frac{u}{n}\right|^N du = \\ &\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N N!} \int_{|nx - u| \geq n^{1-\alpha}} \varphi(|nx - u|) |nx - u|^N du \stackrel{(28)}{\leq} \end{aligned}$$

(here it is $\Delta := \{u \in \mathbb{R} : |nx - u| \geq n^{1-\alpha}\}$)

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \lambda \int_{\Delta} e^{2\lambda(|nx - u| - 1)} |nx - u|^N du = \\ &\frac{4 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \lambda \int_{n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda(x-1)} x^N dx = \\ &\frac{4 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \int_{n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda x} x^N dx = \\ &\frac{4 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \lambda \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^{N+1}} \int_{n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda x} (2\lambda x)^N d(2\lambda x) = \end{aligned} \quad (47)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^N} \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-y} y^N dy \leq \\ &\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^N} 2^N N! \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-y} e^{\frac{y}{2}} dy = \\ &\frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^N} \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{y}{2}} dy = \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{\lambda^N} (-2) \left(e^{-\frac{y}{2}}|_{2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty}\right) = \\ &\frac{4 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{\lambda^N} \left(e^{-\frac{y}{2}}|_{2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty}\right) = \\ &\frac{4 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^N} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{\lambda^N} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}. \end{aligned} \quad (48)$$

We have proved that

$$\left| \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \geq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n}-t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) du \right| \leq (49)$$

$$\frac{4 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{\lambda^N} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\alpha}} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Finally, we have that

$$|R_n(x)| \leq \left| \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n}-t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) du \right|$$

$$+ \left| \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \geq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n}-t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) du \right| \leq$$

$$\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N! n^{\alpha N}} + \frac{4 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{\lambda^N} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\alpha}} \leq \frac{4 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N! n^{\alpha N}}, \quad (50)$$

for large enough $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Hence it holds

$$|R_n(x)| = O\left(\frac{1}{n^{\alpha N}}\right), \quad (51)$$

and

$$|R_n(x)| = o(1). \quad (52)$$

And, letting $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$, we derive

$$\frac{|R_n(x)|}{\left(\frac{1}{n^{\alpha(N-\varepsilon)}}\right)} \leq \frac{4 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n^{\alpha\varepsilon}}\right) \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty. \quad (53)$$

I.e.

$$|R_n(x)| = o\left(\frac{1}{n^{\alpha(N-\varepsilon)}}\right), \quad (54)$$

proving the claim.

We continue with the Kantorovich operator.

Theorem 5. Let $0 < \alpha < 1$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ large enough; $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $f \in C^N(\mathbb{R})$, $N \in \mathbb{N}$, with $f^{(N)} \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$. Then
I)

$$A_n^*(f)(x) - f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n^*\left((\cdot-x)^j\right)(x) + o\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}\right), \quad (55)$$

the last (55) implies

$$\frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}} \left[A_n^*(f)(x) - f(x) - \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n^*\left((\cdot-x)^j\right)(x) \right] \rightarrow 0, \quad (56)$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$.

2) when $f^{(j)}(x) = 0$, $j = 1, \dots, N$, we derive that

$$\frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}} [A_n^*(f)(x) - f(x)] \rightarrow 0, \quad (57)$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$. Of interest is the case $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$.

Proof. We have that

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds, \end{aligned} \quad (58)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) dt &= \sum_{j=0}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j dt + \\ &\quad \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt. \end{aligned} \quad (59)$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} n \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du &= \\ \sum_{j=0}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} n \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du + \\ n \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du. \end{aligned} \quad (60)$$

Furthermore, it holds

$$A_n^*(f)(x) - f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n^*\left((\cdot - x)^j\right)(x) + R_n(x), \quad (61)$$

where

$$R_n(x) := n$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du. \quad (62)$$

Call

$$\lambda(u) := n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)\right) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt. \quad (63)$$

Let $\left|\frac{u}{n} - x\right| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}$, ($0 < \alpha < 1$).

i) Case of $t + \frac{u}{n} \geq x$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |\lambda(u)| &\leq n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left|f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)\right| \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \leq \\ &2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \leq \\ &\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N!} n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(|t| + \left|\frac{u}{n} - x\right| \right)^N dt \leq \\ &\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha} \right)^N. \end{aligned} \quad (64)$$

So that

$$|\lambda(u)| \leq \frac{2\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^{\alpha}}\right)^N. \quad (65)$$

ii) Case of $t + \frac{u}{n} < x$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |\lambda(u)| &= n \left| \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right| = \\ &n \left| \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x (f^{(N)}(x) - f^{(N)}(s)) \frac{(s - (t + \frac{u}{n}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right| \leq \\ &n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x |f^{(N)}(x) - f^{(N)}(s)| \frac{(s - (t + \frac{u}{n}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \leq \\ &2\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x \frac{(s - (t + \frac{u}{n}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt = \\ &\frac{2\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(x - \left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right)\right)^N dt \leq \end{aligned} \quad (66)$$

(by $x - (t + \frac{u}{n}) = |x - t - \frac{u}{n}| \leq |\frac{u}{n} - x| + |t|$)

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{2\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\left|\frac{u}{n} - x\right| + |t| \right)^N dt \leq \\ &\frac{2\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^{\alpha}}\right)^N. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently, it holds

$$|\lambda(u)| \leq \frac{2\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^{\alpha}}\right)^N, \quad (68)$$

when $|\frac{u}{n} - x| < \frac{1}{n^{\alpha}}$.

Therefore, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| n \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du \right| \\ &\leq \frac{2\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^{\alpha}}\right)^N. \end{aligned} \quad (69)$$

Next, we treat

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \int_{|\frac{u}{n} - x| \geq \frac{1}{n^{\alpha}}} n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du \right| \\ &\leq \int_{|\frac{u}{n} - x| \geq \frac{1}{n^{\alpha}}} \left| n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right) \right| \end{aligned} \quad (70)$$

$$\varphi(nx - u) du =: (\psi_1).$$

We also have that

$$\begin{aligned} |\lambda(u)| &= \left| n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right) \right| \leq \\ &n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left| \int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right| dt \right) \leq \end{aligned} \quad (71)$$

(let $t + \frac{u}{n} \geq x$)

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right) &= \\ 2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \frac{(t + \frac{u}{n} - x)^N}{N!} dt \right) &\leq \\ 2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \frac{(|t| + |\frac{u}{n} - x|)^N}{N!} dt \right) &\leq \\ \frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \right)^N. \end{aligned}$$

So, when $t + \frac{u}{n} \geq x$, we obtain

$$|\lambda(u)| \leq 2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \right)^N}{N!}. \quad (72)$$

If $t + \frac{u}{n} < x$, then

$$\begin{aligned} |\lambda(u)| &= n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left| \int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x (f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(s - (t + \frac{u}{n}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right| dt \right) \leq \\ &2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x \frac{(s - (t + \frac{u}{n}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right) = \\ &2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \frac{(x - (t + \frac{u}{n}))^N}{N!} dt \right) \leq \\ &2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty} n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \frac{(|t| + |\frac{u}{n} - x|)^N}{N!} dt \right) \leq \\ &\frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \right)^N. \end{aligned} \quad (73)$$

Consequently, we get that

$$|\lambda(u)| \leq \frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \right)^N. \quad (74)$$

Furthermore, we obtain

$$(\psi_1) \leq \left(\int_{|\frac{u}{n} - x| \geq \frac{1}{n\alpha}} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \right)^N \varphi(nx - u) du \right) \frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} =$$

$$\frac{2^N \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{N!} \int_{|nx-u| \geq n^{1-\alpha}} \left(\frac{1}{n^N} + \frac{|nx-u|^N}{n^N} \right) \varphi(nx-u) du \leq \quad (75)$$

$$\frac{2^N \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(\int_{|nx-u| \geq n^{1-\alpha}} (1 + |nx-u|^N) \varphi(|nx-u|) du \right) \stackrel{(28)}{\leq}$$

(here it is $\Delta := \{u \in \mathbb{R} : |nx-u| \geq n^{1-\alpha}\}$)

$$\frac{2^N \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(\left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda \int_{\Delta} (1 + |nx-u|^N) e^{-2\lambda(|nx-u|-1)} du \right) =$$

$$\frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda \int_{n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda(x-1)} (1+x^N) dx =$$

$$\frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \int_{n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda x} (1+x^N) dx =$$

$$\frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\int_{n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda x} dx + \int_{n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda x} x^N dx \right] = \quad (76)$$

$$\frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{e^{-2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}}{2\lambda} + \int_{n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda x} x^N dx \right] =$$

$$\frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{e^{-2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}}{2\lambda} + \frac{1}{(2\lambda)^{N+1}} \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-y} y^N dy \right] \leq$$

$$\frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{e^{-2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}}{2\lambda} + \frac{2^N N!}{(2\lambda)^{N+1}} \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}^{\infty} e^{-y} dy \right] = \quad (77)$$

$$\frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{e^{-2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}}{2\lambda} + \frac{2^{N+1} N!}{(2\lambda)^{N+1}} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\alpha}} \right] =$$

$$\frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{e^{-2\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}}{2\lambda} + \frac{N!}{\lambda^{N+1}} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\alpha}} \right] \leq \quad (78)$$

$$\leq \frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{N!}{\lambda^N} \right] e^{-\lambda n^{1-\alpha}}.$$

We have proved that

$$\left| \int_{|\frac{u}{n}-x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} n \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} (f^{(N)}(s) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(t+\frac{u}{n}-s)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} ds \right) dt \right) \varphi(nx-u) du \right| \quad (79)$$

$$\leq \frac{2^{N+1} \|f^{(N)}\|_\infty}{n^N N!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{N!}{\lambda^N} \right] e^{-\lambda n^{1-\alpha}} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Finally, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} |R_n(x)| &\leq \frac{2\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^N + \\ &\frac{2^{N+1}\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{n^NN!} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) e^{2\lambda} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{N!}{\lambda^N}\right) e^{-\lambda n^{1-\alpha}} \leq \frac{4\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^N, \end{aligned} \quad (80)$$

for large enough $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Hence it holds

$$|R_n(x)| = O\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^N\right), \quad (81)$$

and

$$|R_n(x)| = o(1). \quad (82)$$

And, letting $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$, we derive

$$\frac{|R_n(x)|}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}} \leq \frac{4\|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^\varepsilon \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty. \quad (83)$$

I.e.

$$|R_n(x)| = o\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}\right), \quad (84)$$

proving the claim.

We continue with the Quadrature operator.

Theorem 6. Let $0 < \alpha < 1$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ large enough; $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $f \in C^N(\mathbb{R})$, $N \in \mathbb{N}$, with $f^{(N)} \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$. Then

1)

$$\overline{A_n}(f)(x) - f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \overline{A_n}((\cdot - x)^j)(x) + o\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}\right), \quad (85)$$

the last (85) implies

$$\frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}} \left[\overline{A_n}(f)(x) - f(x) - \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \overline{A_n}((\cdot - x)^j)(x) \right] \rightarrow 0, \quad (86)$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$.

2) when $f^{(j)}(x) = 0$, $j = 1, \dots, N$, we derive that

$$\frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}} [\overline{A_n}(f)(x) - f(x)] \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty, 0 < \varepsilon \leq N. \quad (87)$$

Of interest is the case $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$.

Proof. We have that

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x\right)^j + \\ &\int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt, \end{aligned} \quad (88)$$

and

$$\sum_{i=1}^r w_i f\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right) = \sum_{j=0}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x\right)^j + \quad (89)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt.$$

Furthermore it holds

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{A}_n(f)(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i f\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right) \right) \varphi(nx-u) du = \\ &\quad \sum_{j=0}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x \right)^j \varphi(nx-u) du \right) \\ &\quad + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) \varphi(nx-u) du, \end{aligned} \quad (90)$$

and it is

$$\overline{A}_n(f)(x) - f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(\overline{A}_n((\cdot-x)^j)(x) \right) + R_n(x), \quad (91)$$

where

$$R_n(x) :=$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) \varphi(nx-u) du. \quad (92)$$

Let

$$\delta(u) := \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt.$$

Let $\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}$.

i) Case of $\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} \geq x$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |\delta(u)| &\leq 2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_\infty \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} \frac{(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt = \\ &\quad \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_\infty}{N!} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x \right)^N \leq \\ &\quad \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_\infty}{N!} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| + \frac{i}{nr} \right)^N \leq \\ &\quad \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_\infty}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n^\alpha} + \frac{1}{n} \right)^N. \end{aligned} \quad (93)$$

So that

$$|\delta(u)| \leq \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_\infty}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha} \right)^N. \quad (94)$$

ii) Case of $\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} < x$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |\delta(u)| &= \left| \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(t - (\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right| \leq \\ &\quad \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x \left| f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x) \right| \frac{(t - (\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \leq \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& 2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_{\infty} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x \frac{(t - (\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt = \\
& \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_{\infty}}{N!} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(x - \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} \right) \right)^N \leq \\
& \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_{\infty}}{N!} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\left| x - \frac{u}{n} \right| + \frac{i}{nr} \right)^N \leq \\
& \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n^\alpha} + \frac{1}{n} \right)^N.
\end{aligned} \tag{95}$$

So, when $\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}$, we get that

$$|\delta(u)| \leq \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n^\alpha} + \frac{1}{n} \right)^N. \tag{96}$$

Consequently, we have that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du \right| \\
& \leq \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx - u) |\delta(u)| du \leq \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha} \right)^N.
\end{aligned} \tag{97}$$

Next, we treat

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \geq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - t)^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right) du \right| \\
& \leq \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \geq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}} \varphi(nx - u) |\delta(u)| du =: (\varphi_1).
\end{aligned} \tag{98}$$

Let $\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} \geq x$, then

$$|\delta(u)| \leq \frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_{\infty}}{N!} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x \right)^N. \tag{99}$$

Let $\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} < x$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
|\delta(u)| &= \left| \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x (f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)) \frac{(t - (\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \right| \leq \\
&\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x |f^{(N)}(t) - f^{(N)}(x)| \frac{(t - (\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}))^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} dt \leq \\
&\frac{2 \left\| f^{(N)} \right\|_{\infty}}{N!} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(x - \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} \right) \right)^N.
\end{aligned} \tag{100}$$

Consequently, we get that

$$|\delta(u)| \leq \frac{2 \|f^{(N)}\|_{\infty}}{N!} \left(\left| x - \frac{u}{n} \right| + \frac{1}{n} \right)^N \quad (101)$$

(see also (74)).

The quantity

$$\left| \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \geq \frac{1}{n^{\alpha}}} \varphi(nx - u) \delta(u) du \right| \leq (\varphi_1) \leq \dots \quad (102)$$

is estimated as in Theorem 5 based on (101).

We finish as in the proof of Theorem 5.

We need the following.

Definition 2. A function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is absolutely continuous over \mathbb{R} , iff $f|_{[a,b]}$ is absolutely continuous, for every $[a,b] \subset \mathbb{R}$. We write $f \in AC^n(\mathbb{R})$, iff $f^{(n-1)} \in AC(\mathbb{R})$ (absolutely continuous functions over \mathbb{R}), $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Definition 3. Let $v \geq 0$, $n = \lceil v \rceil$ ($\lceil \cdot \rceil$ is the ceiling of the number), $f \in AC^n(\mathbb{R})$. We call left Caputo fractional derivative ([18], [19], [16], pp. 49-52) the function

$$D_{*a}^v f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(n-v)} \int_a^x (x-t)^{n-v-1} f^{(n)}(t) dt, \quad (103)$$

$\forall x \in [a, \infty)$, $a \in \mathbb{R}$, where Γ is the gamma function.

Notice $D_{*a}^v f \in L_1([a, b])$ and $D_{*a}^v f$ exists a.e. on $[a, b]$, $\forall [a, b] \subset \mathbb{R}$.

We set $D_{*a}^0 f(x) = f(x)$, $\forall x \in [a, \infty)$.

We need

Lemma 1. (see also [15]) Let $v > 0$, $v \notin \mathbb{N}$, $n = \lceil v \rceil$, $f \in C^{n-1}(\mathbb{R})$ and $f^{(n)} \in L_{\infty}(\mathbb{R})$. Then $D_{*a}^v f(a) = 0$ for any $a \in \mathbb{R}$.

Definition 4. (see also [14, 17, 18]) Let $f \in AC^m(\mathbb{R})$, $m = \lceil \alpha \rceil$, $\alpha > 0$. The right Caputo fractional derivative of order $\alpha > 0$ is given by

$$D_{b-}^{\alpha} f(x) = \frac{(-1)^m}{\Gamma(m-\alpha)} \int_x^b (z-x)^{m-\alpha-1} f^{(m)}(z) dz, \quad (104)$$

$\forall x \in (-\infty, b]$, $b \in \mathbb{R}$. We set $D_{b-}^0 f(x) = f(x)$.

Notice $D_{b-}^{\alpha} f \in L_1([a, b])$ and $D_{b-}^{\alpha} f$ exists a.e. on $[a, b]$, $\forall [a, b] \subset \mathbb{R}$.

Lemma 2. (see also [15]) Let $f \in C^{m-1}(\mathbb{R})$, $f^{(m)} \in L_{\infty}(\mathbb{R})$, $m = \lceil \alpha \rceil$, $\alpha > 0$. Then $D_{b-}^{\alpha} f(b) = 0$, for any $b \in \mathbb{R}$.

We assume that

$$\begin{aligned} D_{*x_0}^{\alpha} f(x) &= 0, \text{ for } x < x_0, \\ \text{and} \\ D_{x_0-}^{\alpha} f(x) &= 0, \text{ for } x > x_0. \end{aligned} \quad (105)$$

We mention

Proposition 1. (see also [15]) Let $f \in C^n(\mathbb{R})$, $n = \lceil v \rceil$, $v > 0$. Then $D_{*a}^v f(x)$ is continuous in $x \in [a, \infty)$, $a \in \mathbb{R}$.

Also we have

Proposition 2. (see also [15]) Let $f \in C^m(\mathbb{R})$, $m = \lceil \alpha \rceil$, $\alpha > 0$. Then $D_{b-}^{\alpha} f(x)$ is continuous in $x \in (-\infty, b]$, $b \in \mathbb{R}$.

We further mention

Proposition 3. (see also [15]) Let $f \in C^{m-1}(\mathbb{R})$, $f^{(m)} \in L_{\infty}(\mathbb{R})$, $m = \lceil \alpha \rceil$, $\alpha > 0$ and let $x, x_0 \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq x_0$. Then $D_{*x_0}^{\alpha} f(x)$ is continuous in x_0 .

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Proposition 5.(see also [15]) Let $f \in C^m(\mathbb{R})$, $m = \lceil \alpha \rceil$, $\alpha > 0$; $x, x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$. Then $D_{*x_0}^\alpha f(x), D_{x_0-}^\alpha f(x)$ are jointly continuous functions in (x, x_0) from $R^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

Next we treat the fractional case of Voronovskaya type asymptotic expansions. We start with the basic operators.

Theorem 7.Let $\alpha > 0$, $N = \lceil \alpha \rceil$, $\alpha \notin \mathbb{N}$, $f \in AC^N(\mathbb{R})$, $f^{(N)} \in L_\infty(\mathbb{R})$, $0 < \beta < 1$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ large enough. Assume that both $\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)}, \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]}$ are finite, $0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha$. Then
I)

$$A_n(f)(x) - f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n((\cdot - x)^j)(x) + o\left(\frac{1}{n^{\beta(\alpha-\varepsilon)}}\right), \quad (106)$$

the last (106) implies

$$n^{\beta(\alpha-\varepsilon)} \left[A_n(f)(x) - f(x) - \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n((\cdot - x)^j)(x) \right] \rightarrow 0,$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha$.

2) when $N = 1$, or $f^{(j)}(x) = 0$, $j = 1, \dots, N-1$, we get that

$$n^{\beta(\alpha-\varepsilon)} [A_n(f)(x) - f(x)] \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty, \text{ } 0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha. \quad (107)$$

Of interest is the case $\beta = \frac{1}{2}$.

Proof. Let $x \in \mathbb{R}$. We have that $D_{x-}^\alpha f(x) = D_{*x}^\alpha f(x) = 0$.

From [16], p. 54, we get the left Caputo fractional Taylor formula that

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(\frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n} - s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (108)$$

for all $x \leq \frac{u}{n} < \infty$.

Also from [14], using the right Caputo fractional Taylor formula we get

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(\frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \frac{u}{n}\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (109)$$

for all $-\infty < \frac{u}{n} \leq x$.

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) \varphi(nx - u) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{\varphi(nx - u)}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(s - \frac{u}{n}\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (110)$$

for all $x \leq \frac{u}{n} < \infty$, and

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) \varphi(nx - u) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{\varphi(nx - u)}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \frac{u}{n}\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (111)$$

for all $-\infty < \frac{u}{n} \leq x$.

Therefore we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{nx}^{\infty} f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) \varphi(nx-u) du &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \int_{nx}^{\infty} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\frac{u}{n}-x\right)^j du + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{nx}^{\infty} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n}-s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) du, \end{aligned} \quad (112)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{nx} f\left(\frac{u}{n}\right) \varphi(nx-u) du &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\frac{u}{n}-x\right)^j du + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s-\frac{u}{n}\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) du. \end{aligned} \quad (113)$$

Adding the last two equalities (112), (113) we have

$$\begin{aligned} A_n(f)(x) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n((\cdot-x)^j)(x) + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \left[\int_{nx}^{\infty} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n}-s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) du \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s-\frac{u}{n}\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) du \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (114)$$

Consequently, it holds

$$A_n(f)(x) - f(x) - \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n((\cdot-x)^j)(x) = R_n(x), \quad (115)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} R_n(x) &:= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \\ &\quad \left[\int_{-\infty}^{nx} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s-\frac{u}{n}\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) du \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \int_{nx}^{\infty} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n}-s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) du \right], \end{aligned} \quad (116)$$

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$.

Denote by

$$R_{n1}(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s-\frac{u}{n}\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) du, \quad (117)$$

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq \frac{u}{n} > -\infty$,
and

$$R_{n2}(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{nx}^{\infty} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n}-s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) du, \quad (118)$$

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R} : \infty > \frac{u}{n} \geq x$.

That is

$$R_n(x) = R_{n1}(x) + R_{n2}(x), \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}. \quad (119)$$

Let first $\left|\frac{u}{n}-x\right| < \frac{1}{n^{\beta}}$.

Call

$$\gamma_{n1}(x) := \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s-\frac{u}{n}\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds, \quad (120)$$

and

$$\gamma_{n2}(x) := \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n} - s \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds. \quad (121)$$

Let assume that $x \geq \frac{u}{n}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} |\gamma_{n1}(x)| &\leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \frac{u}{n} \right)^{\alpha-1} |D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)| ds \leq \\ &\leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(x - \frac{u}{n} \right)^\alpha \leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)n^{\alpha\beta}}. \end{aligned} \quad (122)$$

Hence

$$|\gamma_{n1}(x)| \leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)n^{\alpha\beta}}, \quad (123)$$

for $x \geq \frac{u}{n}$ and $\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\beta}$.

Let us assume that $x \leq \frac{u}{n}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} |\gamma_{n2}(x)| &\leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n} - s \right)^{\alpha-1} |D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)| ds \\ &\leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n} - s \right)^{\alpha-1} ds = \\ &= \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\frac{u}{n} - x \right)^\alpha \leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)n^{\alpha\beta}}. \end{aligned} \quad (124)$$

We have proved that

$$|\gamma_{n2}(x)| \leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)n^{\alpha\beta}}, \quad (125)$$

for $x \leq \frac{u}{n}$ and $\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\beta}$.

Consequently we get

$$|R_{n1}(x)| \Big|_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)n^{\alpha\beta}}, \quad (126)$$

and

$$|R_{n2}(x)| \Big|_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)n^{\alpha\beta}}. \quad (127)$$

Furthermore we have that

$$|\gamma_{n1}(x)| \leq \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]} \frac{\left(x - \frac{u}{n} \right)^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}, \quad (128)$$

where $x \geq \frac{u}{n} > -\infty$,

and

$$|\gamma_{n2}(x)| \leq \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)} \frac{\left(\frac{u}{n} - x \right)^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}, \quad (129)$$

where $\infty > \frac{u}{n} \geq x$.

Next, we see that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \left| \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \varphi(nx - u) \left(\int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \frac{u}{n} \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f)(s) ds \right) du \right| &\leq \\ \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \varphi(nx - u) \left| \int_{\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \frac{u}{n} \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f)(s) ds \right| du &\leq \end{aligned} \quad (130)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \int_{|\frac{u}{n}-x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \varphi(nx-u) \left(x-\frac{u}{n}\right)^\alpha du = \\
& \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \int_{|u-nx| \geq n^{1-\beta}} \varphi(|nx-u|) |nx-u|^\alpha du \stackrel{(28)}{\leq} \\
& \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \lambda \int_{|u-nx| \geq n^{1-\beta}} e^{-2\lambda(|nx-u|-1)} |nx-u|^\alpha du = \\
& \frac{2 \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \lambda \int_{n^{1-\beta}}^\infty e^{-2\lambda(x-1)} x^\alpha dx = \\
& \frac{2 \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \lambda \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^{\alpha+1}} \int_{n^{1-\beta}}^\infty e^{-2\lambda x} (2\lambda x)^\alpha d(x2\lambda) = \\
& \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^\alpha} \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\beta}}^\infty e^{-y} y^\alpha dy \leq \\
& \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^\alpha} \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\beta}}^\infty e^{-y} y^N dy \leq \\
& \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^\alpha} 2^N N! \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\beta}}^\infty e^{-y} e^{\frac{y}{2}} dy = \\
& \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^\alpha} 2^N N! \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\beta}}^\infty e^{-\frac{y}{2}} dy = \\
& \frac{2^{N+1} N! \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}}. \tag{131}
\end{aligned}$$

We have proved that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \left| \int_{|\frac{u}{n}-x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(s - \frac{u}{n}\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f)(s) ds \right) du \right| \leq \\
& \frac{2^{N+1} N! \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}}. \tag{133}
\end{aligned}$$

Next, we see that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \left| \int_{|\frac{u}{n}-x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n} - s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f)(s) ds \right) du \right| \leq \\
& \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{|\frac{u}{n}-x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \varphi(nx-u) \left| \int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n} - s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f)(s) ds \right| du \leq \\
& \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \int_{|\frac{u}{n}-x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\frac{u}{n} - x\right)^\alpha du = \\
& \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \int_{|u-nx| \geq n^{1-\beta}} \varphi(|nx-u|) |nx-u|^\alpha du \leq \tag{134}
\end{aligned}$$

(as before)

$$\frac{2^{N+1} N! \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}}.$$

Therefore it holds

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \left| \int_{|\frac{u}{n}-x| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\int_x^{\frac{u}{n}} \left(\frac{u}{n} - s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f)(s) ds \right) du \right| \leq \tag{135}$$

$$\frac{2^{N+1}N! \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) \frac{e^{2\lambda}}{(2\lambda)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}}.$$

Consequently, we derive

$$|R_n(x)| \leq \frac{1}{n^{\alpha\beta} \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left[\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]} + \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)} \right] + \\ \left\{ \left[\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]} + \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)} \right] \frac{2^{N+1}N! \left(q + \frac{1}{q}\right) e^{2\lambda}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)(2\lambda)^\alpha n^\alpha e^{\lambda n^{1-\beta}}} \right\}. \quad (136)$$

We need $2\lambda n^{1-\beta} \geq 1$, iff $n^{1-\beta} \geq \frac{1}{2\lambda}$, iff $n \geq \frac{1}{(2\lambda)^{1-\beta}}$.

- (i) In the case of $0 < 2\lambda \leq 1$ (i.e. $0 < \lambda \leq \frac{1}{2}$), then $\frac{1}{2\lambda} \geq 1$, and $\frac{1}{(2\lambda)^{1-\beta}} \geq 1$, so for large enough $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we can have $2\lambda n^{1-\beta} \geq 1$.
- (ii) If $2\lambda > 1$ (i.e. $\lambda > \frac{1}{2}$), then $\frac{1}{2\lambda} < 1$ and $\frac{1}{(2\lambda)^{1-\beta}} < 1$. So for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we have that $2\lambda n^{1-\beta} \geq 1$.

For large enough $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we derive that

$$|R_n(x)| \leq \frac{2 \left[\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]} + \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)} \right]}{\Gamma(\alpha+1) n^{\alpha\beta}}. \quad (137)$$

That is

$$|R_n(x)| = O\left(\frac{1}{n^{\alpha\beta}}\right), \quad (138)$$

and

$$|R_n(x)| = o(1). \quad (139)$$

And, letting $0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha$, we obtain

$$\frac{|R_n(x)|}{\left(\frac{1}{n^{\beta(\alpha-\varepsilon)}}\right)} \leq \frac{2 \left[\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]} + \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)} \right]}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\frac{1}{n^{\beta\varepsilon}}\right) \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty. \quad (140)$$

I.e.

$$|R_n(x)| = o\left(\frac{1}{n^{\beta(\alpha-\varepsilon)}}\right), \quad (141)$$

proving the claim.

We continue with the Kantorovich operators.

Theorem 8. Here all are as in Theorem 7. Then

1)

$$A_n^*(f)(x) - f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n^*\left((\cdot-x)^j\right)(x) + o\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon}\right), \quad (142)$$

the last (142) implies

$$\frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon}} \left[A_n^*(f)(x) - f(x) - \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n^*\left((\cdot-x)^j\right)(x) \right] \rightarrow 0, \quad (143)$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha$.

2) when $N = 1$, or $f^{(j)}(x) = 0$, $j = 1, \dots, N-1$, we get that

$$\frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon}} [A_n^*(f)(x) - f(x)] \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty, 0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha. \quad (144)$$

Of interest is the case of $\beta = \frac{1}{2}$.

Proof. Let $x \in \mathbb{R}$. We have that $D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(x) = D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(x) = 0$.

We can write

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (145)$$

for all $x \leq t + \frac{u}{n} < \infty$.

Also it holds

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right)\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (146)$$

for all $-\infty < t + \frac{u}{n} \leq x$.

Hence we see

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) dt &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j dt + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) dt, \end{aligned} \quad (147)$$

for all $x \leq t + \frac{u}{n} < \infty$, iff $nx \leq nt + u < \infty$.

And, also it holds

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) dt &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j dt + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right)\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) dt, \end{aligned} \quad (148)$$

for all $-\infty < t + \frac{u}{n} \leq x$, iff $-\infty < nt + u \leq nx$.

Therefore we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} n \int_{nx}^{\infty} &\left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du = \\ &\sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} n \int_{nx}^{\infty} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} n \int_{nx}^{\infty} \varphi(nx - u) \\ &\quad \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{*x}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) dt \right) du, \end{aligned} \quad (149)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} n \int_{-\infty}^{nx} &\left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} f\left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right) dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du = \\ &\sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} n \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - x\right)^j dt \right) \varphi(nx - u) du + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} n \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \varphi(nx - u) \\ &\quad \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \left(t + \frac{u}{n}\right)\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(s) - D_{x-}^{\alpha} f(x)) ds \right) dt \right) du. \end{aligned} \quad (150)$$

Adding the last two (149) and (150), we derive

$$A_n^*(f)(x) - f(x) - \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} A_n^*\left((\cdot-x)^j\right)(x) = R_n^*(x), \quad (151)$$

where

$$R_n^*(x) = R_{n1}^*(x) + R_{n2}^*(x), \quad (152)$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} R_{n2}^*(x) &:= \frac{n}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{nx}^{\infty} \varphi(nx-u) \\ &\quad \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - s \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds \right) dt \right) du, \end{aligned} \quad (153)$$

$nx \leq nt + u < \infty$,

and

$$\begin{aligned} R_{n1}^*(x) &:= \frac{n}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \varphi(nx-u) \\ &\quad \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \left(t + \frac{u}{n} \right) \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)) ds \right) dt \right) du, \end{aligned} \quad (154)$$

$-\infty < nt + u \leq nx$.

Let $\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\beta}$.

Call

$$\delta_{n1}(x) := \frac{n}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_{t+\frac{u}{n}}^x \left(s - \left(t + \frac{u}{n} \right) \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)) ds \right) dt, \quad (155)$$

and

$$\delta_{n2}(x) := \frac{n}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \left(\int_x^{t+\frac{u}{n}} \left(t + \frac{u}{n} - s \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds \right) dt. \quad (156)$$

We have that

$$\begin{aligned} |\delta_{n1}(x)| &\leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \frac{(x-t-\frac{u}{n})^\alpha}{\alpha} dt = \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^\alpha, \end{aligned} \quad (157)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} |\delta_{n2}(x)| &\leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \frac{(t+\frac{u}{n}-x)^\alpha}{\alpha} dt = \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^\alpha. \end{aligned} \quad (158)$$

Consequently, we get that

$$|R_{n1}^*(x)| \Big|_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^\alpha, \quad (159)$$

and

$$|R_{n2}^*(x)| \Big|_{\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^\alpha. \quad (160)$$

We continue as follows: it is

$$|\delta_{n1}(x)| \leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} n \int_0^{\frac{1}{n}} \frac{(x-t-\frac{u}{n})^\alpha}{\alpha} dt \leq \quad (161)$$

$$\frac{\|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\left|x - \frac{u}{n}\right| + \frac{1}{n} \right)^{\alpha},$$

and

$$|\delta_{n2}(x)| \leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,[x,\infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\left|x - \frac{u}{n}\right| + \frac{1}{n} \right)^{\alpha}. \quad (162)$$

We have that

$$\begin{aligned} & |R_{n1}^*(x)| \Big|_{x-\frac{u}{n} \geq \frac{1}{n^{\beta}}} \leq \\ & \frac{\|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \int_{(-\infty,nx] \cap |x-\frac{u}{n}| \geq \frac{1}{n^{\beta}}} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\left|x - \frac{u}{n}\right| + \frac{1}{n} \right)^{\alpha} du = \\ & \frac{\|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^{\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \int_{(-\infty,nx] \cap |nx-u| \geq n^{1-\beta}} \varphi(nx-u) (|nx-u|+1)^{\alpha} du \leq \end{aligned} \quad (163)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^{\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \int_{|nx-u| \geq n^{1-\beta}} \varphi(|nx-u|) (|nx-u|+1)^N du \leq \end{aligned} \quad (164)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[\int_{|nx-u| \geq n^{1-\beta}} \varphi(|nx-u|) du + \int_{|nx-u| \geq n^{1-\beta}} \varphi(|nx-u|) |nx-u|^N du \right] \stackrel{(28)}{\leq} \\ & \frac{2^{N-1} \|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^{\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[\int_{|nx-u| \geq n^{1-\beta}} e^{-2\lambda(|nx-u|-1)} du + \int_{|nx-u| \geq n^{1-\beta}} e^{-2\lambda(|nx-u|-1)} |nx-u|^N du \right] = \quad (165)$$

$$\frac{2^N \|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^{\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda \left[\int_{n^{1-\beta}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda(x-1)} dx + \int_{n^{1-\beta}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda(x-1)} x^N dx \right] =$$

$$\frac{2^N \|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^{\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\int_{n^{1-\beta}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda x} dx + \int_{n^{1-\beta}}^{\infty} e^{-2\lambda x} x^N dx \right] =$$

$$\frac{2^N \|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^{\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2\lambda} \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\beta}}^{\infty} e^{-y} dy + \frac{1}{(2\lambda)^{N+1}} \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\beta}}^{\infty} e^{-y} y^N dy \right] \leq \quad (166)$$

$$\frac{2^N \|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^{\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2\lambda} e^{-2\lambda n^{1-\beta}} + \frac{2^N N!}{(2\lambda)^{N+1}} \int_{2\lambda n^{1-\beta}}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{y}{2}} dy \right] =$$

$$\frac{2^N \|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^{\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2\lambda} e^{-2\lambda n^{1-\beta}} + \frac{2^{N+1} N!}{(2\lambda)^{N+1}} e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}} \right] \leq \quad (167)$$

$$\frac{2^N \|D_{x-}^{\alpha}f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{n^{\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2\lambda} + \frac{2^{N+1} N!}{(2\lambda)^{N+1}} \right] e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}} =$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{2^N \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) \lambda e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2\lambda} + \frac{N!}{\lambda^{N+1}} \right] e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}} = \\ & \frac{2^N \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{N!}{\lambda^N} \right] e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned} \quad (168)$$

So that it holds

$$\begin{aligned} |R_{n1}^*(x)| & \Big|_{|x-\frac{u}{n}| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \leq \\ & \frac{2^N \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{N!}{\lambda^N} \right] e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned} \quad (169)$$

Similarly, we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} |R_{n2}^*(x)| & \Big|_{|x-\frac{u}{n}| \geq \frac{1}{n^\beta}} \leq \\ & \frac{2^N \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)}}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{N!}{\lambda^N} \right] e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}}. \end{aligned} \quad (170)$$

At the end we get

$$\begin{aligned} |R_n^*(x)| & \leq \frac{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left[\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]} + \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)} \right] + \\ & \left[\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]} + \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)} \right] \\ & \frac{2^N}{n^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(q + \frac{1}{q} \right) e^{2\lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{N!}{\lambda^N} \right] e^{-\lambda n^{1-\beta}}. \end{aligned} \quad (171)$$

So for large enough $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we obtain

$$|R_n^*(x)| \leq \frac{2 \left[\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]} + \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)} \right]}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^\alpha. \quad (172)$$

Hence it holds

$$|R_n^*(x)| = O \left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^\alpha \right), \quad (173)$$

and

$$|R_n^*(x)| = o(1). \quad (174)$$

And, letting $0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha$, we obtain

$$\frac{|R_n^*(x)|}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon}} \leq \frac{2 \left[\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]} + \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)} \right]}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^\varepsilon \rightarrow 0, \quad (175)$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

I.e.

$$|R_n^*(x)| = o \left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon} \right), \quad (176)$$

proving the theorem.

We continue with the quadrature operators.

Theorem 9. Here all are as in Theorem 7. Then

1)

$$\overline{A_n}(f)(x) - f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \overline{A_n}\left((\cdot - x)^j\right)(x) + o\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon}\right), \quad (177)$$

the last (177) implies

$$\frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon}} \left[\overline{A_n}(f)(x) - f(x) - \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \overline{A_n}\left((\cdot - x)^j\right)(x) \right] \rightarrow 0, \quad (178)$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha$.

2) when $N = 1$, or $f^{(j)}(x) = 0$, $j = 1, \dots, N-1$, we get that

$$\frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon}} [\overline{A_n}(f)(x) - f(x)] \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty, 0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha. \quad (179)$$

Of interest is the case of $\beta = \frac{1}{2}$.

Proof. Let $x \in \mathbb{R}$. We have that $D_{x-}^\alpha f(x) = D_{*x}^\alpha f(x) = 0$.

We can write

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (180)$$

for all $x \leq \frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} < \infty$, $i = 1, \dots, r$.

Also, it holds

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x \left(s - \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right)\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (181)$$

for all $-\infty < \frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} \leq x$, $i = 1, \dots, r$.

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i f\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - s\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (182)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i f\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right) &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x\right)^j + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x \left(s - \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right)\right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds. \end{aligned} \quad (183)$$

Furthermore it holds

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_{nx}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i f\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}\right) \right) \varphi(nx - u) du = \\ &\quad \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \int_{nx}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x\right)^j \right) \varphi(nx - u) du + \end{aligned} \quad (184)$$

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{nx}^{\infty} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - s \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds \right) du,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i f \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} \right) \right) \varphi(nx-u) du = \\ & \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x \right)^j \right) \varphi(nx-u) du + \\ & \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \varphi(nx-u) \left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x \left(s - \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} \right) \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)) ds \right) du. \end{aligned} \quad (185)$$

Adding the last two (184), (185), we obtain

$$\overline{A_n}(f)(x) - f(x) - \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j)}(x)}{j!} \overline{A_n}((\cdot-x)^j)(x) = \overline{R_n}(x), \quad (186)$$

where

$$\overline{R_n}(x) = \overline{R_{n1}}(x) + \overline{R_{n2}}(x), \quad (187)$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{R_{n1}}(x) &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{-\infty}^{nx} \varphi(nx-u) \\ &\left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x \left(s - \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} \right) \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)) ds \right) du, \end{aligned} \quad (188)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{R_{n2}}(x) &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{nx}^{\infty} \varphi(nx-u) \\ &\left(\sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - s \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds \right) du. \end{aligned}$$

Let $\left| \frac{u}{n} - x \right| < \frac{1}{n^\beta}$.

Call

$$\varepsilon_{n1}(x) := \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}}^x \left(s - \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} \right) \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{x-}^\alpha f(s) - D_{x-}^\alpha f(x)) ds, \quad (189)$$

and

$$\varepsilon_{n2}(x) := \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \int_x^{\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr}} \left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - s \right)^{\alpha-1} (D_{*x}^\alpha f(s) - D_{*x}^\alpha f(x)) ds. \quad (190)$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} |\varepsilon_{n1}(x)| &\leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]} \frac{(x - \frac{u}{n} - \frac{i}{nr})^\alpha}{\alpha} \leq \\ &\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]} \left(\frac{1}{n^\beta} + \frac{1}{n} \right)^\alpha. \end{aligned} \quad (191)$$

Therefore it holds

$$|\varepsilon_{n1}(x)| \leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty,(-\infty,x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta} \right)^\alpha. \quad (192)$$

Furthermore we see that

$$\begin{aligned} |\varepsilon_{n2}(x)| &\leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \sum_{i=1}^r w_i \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)} \frac{\left(\frac{u}{n} + \frac{i}{nr} - x\right)^\alpha}{\alpha} \leq \\ &\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)} \left(\frac{1}{n^\beta} + \frac{1}{n}\right)^\alpha. \end{aligned} \quad (193)$$

That is

$$|\varepsilon_{n2}(x)| \leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^\alpha. \quad (194)$$

Consequently, we get that

$$|\overline{R_{n1}}(x)| \Big|_{\left|\frac{u}{n}-x\right|<\frac{1}{n^\beta}} \leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}, \quad (195)$$

and

$$|\overline{R_{n2}}(x)| \Big|_{\left|\frac{u}{n}-x\right|<\frac{1}{n^\beta}} \leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)} \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}. \quad (196)$$

Furthermore it holds

$$|\varepsilon_{n1}(x)| \leq \frac{\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\left|x - \frac{u}{n}\right| + \frac{1}{n}\right)^\alpha, \quad (197)$$

and

$$|\varepsilon_{n2}(x)| \leq \frac{\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)}}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} \left(\left|x - \frac{u}{n}\right| + \frac{1}{n}\right)^\alpha. \quad (198)$$

The rest of the proof is similar to Theorem 8. As such it is omitted.

We make

Remark. Let $i \in \mathbb{N}$ be fixed. Assume that $f \in C^{(i)}(\mathbb{R})$, with $f^{(j)} \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, for $j = 0, 1, \dots, i$. We derive from Remark 3 that

$$\begin{aligned} (A_n(f))^{(j)}(x) &= A_n(f^{(j)})(x), \\ (A_n^*(f))^{(j)}(x) &= A_n^*(f^{(j)})(x), \\ (\overline{A_n}(f))^{(j)}(x) &= \overline{A_n}(f^{(j)})(x), \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \end{aligned} \quad (199)$$

for all $j = 1, \dots, i$.

Let $f^{(j)} \underset{(<0)}{\geq} 0$, then $(A_n(f))^{(j)}$, $(A_n^*(f))^{(j)}$, $(\overline{A_n}(f))^{(j)} \underset{(<0)}{\geq} 0$, respectively. So we have preservation of monotonicity, and convexity-concavity, etc.

Next, we finish with simultaneous Voronovskaya type asymptotic expansions.

Theorem 10. Let $0 < \alpha < 1$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ large enough, $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $j = 0, 1, \dots, i \in \mathbb{N}$, $i \in \mathbb{N}$ is fixed, $f^{(j)} \in C^N(\mathbb{R})$, $N \in \mathbb{N}$; for $f^{(j)} \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, with $f^{(N+j)} \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$; $0 < \varepsilon \leq N$. Then

1)

$$(A_n(f))^{(j)}(x) - f^{(j)}(x) - \sum_{\lambda=1}^N \frac{f^{(j+\lambda)}(x)}{\lambda!} A_n((\cdot-x)^\lambda)(x) = o\left(\frac{1}{n^{\alpha(N-\varepsilon)}}\right), \quad (200)$$

2)

$$(A_n^*(f))^{(j)}(x) - f^{(j)}(x) - \sum_{\lambda=1}^N \frac{f^{(j+\lambda)}(x)}{\lambda!} A_n^*((\cdot-x)^\lambda)(x) = o\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}\right), \quad (201)$$

and

3)

$$(\overline{A_n}(f))^{(j)}(x) - f^{(j)}(x) - \sum_{\lambda=1}^N \frac{f^{(j+\lambda)}(x)}{\lambda!} \overline{A_n}((\cdot-x)^\lambda)(x) = o\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\alpha}\right)^{N-\varepsilon}\right). \quad (202)$$

Proof. By Theorems 4- 6 and Remark 4.

Theorem 11. Let $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $\alpha > 0$, $N = \lceil \alpha \rceil$, $\alpha \notin \mathbb{N}$, $0 < \beta < 1$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ large enough. Here $i \in \mathbb{N}$ is fixed and $j = 0, 1, \dots, i$; $f^{(j)} \in C_B(\mathbb{R})$, $f^{(j)} \in AC^N(\mathbb{R})$, $f^{(j+N)} \in L_\infty(\mathbb{R})$. Assume that $\|D_{*x}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, [x, \infty)}$, $\|D_{x-}^\alpha f\|_{\infty, (-\infty, x]}$ are finite, $0 < \varepsilon \leq \alpha$. Then

1)

$$(A_n(f))^{(j)}(x) - f^{(j)}(x) - \sum_{\lambda=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j+\lambda)}(x)}{\lambda!} A_n((\cdot - x)^\lambda)(x) = o\left(\frac{1}{n^{\beta(\alpha-\varepsilon)}}\right), \quad (203)$$

2)

$$(A_n^*(f))^{(j)}(x) - f^{(j)}(x) - \sum_{\lambda=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j+\lambda)}(x)}{\lambda!} A_n^*((\cdot - x)^\lambda)(x) = o\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon}\right), \quad (204)$$

and

3)

$$(\overline{A_n}(f))^{(j)}(x) - f^{(j)}(x) - \sum_{\lambda=1}^{N-1} \frac{f^{(j+\lambda)}(x)}{\lambda!} \overline{A_n}((\cdot - x)^\lambda)(x) = o\left(\left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n^\beta}\right)^{\alpha-\varepsilon}\right). \quad (205)$$

Proof. By Theorems 7-9 and Remark 4.

Conclusion: Here we presented the new idea of going from the neural networks main tools, the activation functions, to convolution integrals approximation Voronovsaka type asymptotic expansions. That is the rare case of employing applied mathematics to theoretical ones.

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