

Approximation Properties of λ -Szász-Mirakian Operators *

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Abstract:

In this paper, we construct a new kind of λ -Szász-Mirakian operators with parameter $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$. The Korovkin type approximation theorem will be investigated. Finally, the Voronovskaja-type asymptotic formula and the Grüss-Voronovskaja type theorem for the class of λ -Szász-Mirakian operators are obtained.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The famous Szász-Mirakian operators are defined by

$$S_n(f; x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right) s_{n,k}(x), \quad (1)$$

where $x \in [0, \infty)$, $n = 1, 2, \dots$,

$$s_{n,k}(x) = e^{-nx} \frac{(nx)^k}{k!}. \quad (2)$$

The classical Szász-Mirakian operators have many approximation properties, we mention here the papers [1 ~ 5].

Recently, Ye et al [6], Cai et al [7], Acu et al [8] introduced and considered a new type Bézier-Bernstein operators. The authors have established a local approximation theorem. In this paper, we introduce a new generalization of Szász polynomials depending on the parameter λ as follows:

$$S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right) \tilde{s}_{n,k}(\lambda; x), \quad (3)$$

where $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$,

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{s}_{n,0}(\lambda; x) &= s_{n,0}(x) - \frac{\lambda}{n+1} s_{n+1,1}(x), \\ \tilde{s}_{n,k}(\lambda; x) &= s_{n,k}(x) + \lambda \left(\frac{n-2k+1}{n^2-1} s_{n+1,k}(x) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{n-2k-1}{n^2-1} s_{n+1,k+1}(x) \right) \quad (1 \leq k < \infty), \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

when $\lambda=0$, they reduce to (2).

Through the study and discussion of λ -Szász-Mirakian operators, we will estimate the moments and central moments of these operators (3). We investigate a Korovkin approximation theorem, establish a local approximation theorem, give a convergence theorem for the Lipschitz continuous functions. In Sect. 4, we give a quantitative Voronovskaja type theorem and a Grüss-Voronovskaja type theorem for the λ -Szász-Mirakian operators.

2. LEMMAS

In this section, we give the estimate of moments of the λ -Szász-Mirakian operators.

Lemma 2.1 For λ -Szász-Mirakian operators, we have the following equalities:

$$S_{n,\lambda}(1; x) = 1; \quad (5)$$

$$S_{n,\lambda}(t; x) = x + \left[\frac{1 - e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)} - \frac{2x}{n(n-1)} \right] \lambda; \quad (6)$$

$$\begin{aligned} S_{n,\lambda}(t^2; x) &= x^2 + \frac{x}{n} + \left[\frac{2}{n(n-1)} x - \frac{4(n+1)}{n^2(n-1)} x^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{e^{-(n+1)x} - 1}{n^2(n-1)} \right] \lambda; \quad (7) \end{aligned}$$

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$$S_{n,\lambda}(t^3; x) = x^3 + \frac{3}{n}x^2 + \frac{x}{n^2} + \left[\frac{-2}{n^3(n-1)}x + \frac{(3n-9)(n+1)}{n^3(n-1)}x^2 - \frac{6(n+1)^2}{n^3(n-1)}x^3 + \frac{1-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n^3(n-1)} \right] \lambda; \quad (8)$$

$$S_{n,\lambda}(t^4; x) = x^4 + \frac{6}{n}x^3 + \frac{7}{n^2}x^2 + \frac{x}{n^3} + \left[\frac{2n}{n^4(n-1)}x + \frac{(n+1)(6n-22)}{n^4(n-1)}x^2 + \frac{(4n-32)(n+1)^2}{n^4(n-1)}x^3 - \frac{8(n+1)^3}{n^4(n-1)}x^4 + \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}-1}{n^4(n-1)} \right] \lambda. \quad (9)$$

Proof : Noting that $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} s_{n,k}(x) = 1$, we can obtain (5). Next,

$$S_{n,\lambda}(t; x) = S_n(t; x) + \lambda \left[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{k}{n} \frac{n+1-2k}{n^2-1} s_{n+1,k}(x) - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{k}{n} \frac{n-1-2k}{n^2-1} s_{n+1,k+1}(x) \right].$$

We denote the latter two parts in the bracket of the last formula by A and B, then we have

$$S_{n,\lambda}(t; x) = x + \lambda(A + B).$$

First, we will compute A and B respectively.

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{k(n+1)}{n(n^2-1)} - \frac{2k^2}{n(n^2-1)} \right] \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}((n+1)x)^k}{k!} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{n-1}{n(n^2-1)} \cdot \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}((n+1)x)^{k-1}}{(k-1)!} (n+1)x - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n(n^2-1)} \cdot \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}((n+1)x)^{k-2}}{(k-2)!} ((n+1)x)^2 \\ &= \frac{x}{n} - \frac{2(n+1)}{n(n-1)}x^2. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} B &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{k}{n} \cdot \frac{n-2k-1}{n(n^2-1)} \cdot \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}((n+1)x)^{k+1}}{(k+1)!} \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{-2(k+1)}{n(n^2-1)} \cdot \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}((n+1)x)^k}{k!} (n+1)x \\ &\quad + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{n+3}{n(n^2-1)} \cdot \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}((n+1)x)^k}{k!} (n+1)x - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{n+1}{n(n^2-1)} \cdot \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}((n+1)x)^{k+1}}{(k+1)!} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{-2}{n(n^2-1)} \cdot \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}((n+1)x)^{k-1}}{(k-1)!} ((n+1)x)^2 - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n(n^2-1)} \cdot \frac{e^{-(n+1)x}((n+1)x)^k}{k!} (n+1)x \\ &\quad + \frac{(n+3)(n+1)}{n(n^2-1)}x - \frac{n+1}{n(n^2-1)}(1-e^{-(n+1)x}) \\ &= \frac{-2(n+1)}{n(n-1)}x^2 + \frac{n+1}{n(n-1)}x - \frac{1-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)}. \end{aligned}$$

Combining A and B, we have

$$S_{n,\lambda}(t; x) = x + \lambda \left(\frac{1-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)} - \frac{2x}{n(n-1)} \right),$$

therefore, we get (6).

Similarly, we can obtain (7), (8) and (9) by some computations, here we omit the details.

Lemma 2.2 Using Lemma 2.1 and some easy computation, for $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$, the central moments of λ -Szász-Mirakian operators are given below:

$$S_{n,\lambda}(t-x; x) = \left[\frac{1-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)} - \frac{2x}{n(n-1)} \right] \lambda \leq \frac{1+2x+e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)} = \phi_n(x); \quad (10)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x) &= \frac{x}{n} + \left[\frac{2e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)}x - \frac{4}{n^2(n-1)}x^2 + \frac{e^{-(n+1)x} - 1}{n^2(n-1)} \right] \lambda \\
 &\leq \frac{x}{n} + \frac{2xe^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)} + \frac{4x^2 + e^{-(n+1)x} + 1}{n^2(n-1)} = \psi_n(x);
 \end{aligned} \tag{11}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^4; x) &= \frac{3}{n^2}x^2 + \frac{x}{n^3} + \left[\left(\frac{-2}{n^3(n-1)} + \frac{4e^{-(n+1)x}}{n^3(n-1)} \right) x + \left(\frac{-8n-22}{n^4(n-1)} + \frac{6e^{-(n+1)x}}{n^2(n-1)} \right) x^2 \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \left(\frac{-24n-32}{n^4(n-1)} + \frac{4e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)} \right) x^3 - \frac{8}{n^4(n-1)}x^4 + \frac{e^{-(n+1)x} - 1}{n^4(n-1)} \right] \lambda.
 \end{aligned} \tag{12}$$

Lemma 2.3 For $x \in [0, \infty)$, $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} nS_{n,\lambda}(t-x; x) = 0; \tag{13}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} nS_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x) = x; \tag{14}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^2S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^4; x) = 3x^2. \tag{15}$$

3 DIRECT THEOREMS OF $S_{n,\lambda}$

The space $C[0, \infty)$ of all continuous and bounded functions on $[0, \infty)$ is a Banach space with sup-norm $\|f\| := \sup_{x \in [0, \infty)} |f(x)|$, and we estimate the rate of convergence by modulus of continuity.

Theorem 3.1 For $f \in C[0, \infty)$, $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$, λ -Szász-Mirakian operators $S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)$ converge to $f(x)$.

Proof: By the Korovkin theorem it suffices to show that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|S_{n,\lambda}(t^k; x) - x^k\| = 0; \quad k = 0, 1, 2.$$

We can obtain these conditions easily by (5), (6) and (7) of Lemma 2.1, thus the proof is completed.

The Peetre K-functional is defined by $K_2(f; \delta) := \inf_{g \in C^2[0, \infty)} \{\|f-g\| + \delta \|g''\|\}$, where $\delta > 0$ and $C^2[0, \infty) := \{g \in C[0, \infty) : g', g'' \in C[0, \infty)\}$. By [1], there exists an absolute constant $C > 0$ such that

$$K_2(f; \delta) \leq C\omega_2(f; \sqrt{\delta}), \tag{16}$$

where $\omega_2(f; \delta) := \sup_{0 < h \leq \delta} \sup_{x, x+h, x+2h \in [0, \infty)} |f(x+2h) - 2f(x+h) + f(x)|$ is the second order modulus of smoothness of $f \in C[0, \infty)$. We also denote the usual

modulus of continuity of $f \in C[0, \infty)$ by $\omega(f; \delta) := \sup_{0 < h \leq \delta} \sup_{x, x+h \in [0, \infty)} |f(x+h) - f(x)|$.

Theorem 3.2 For $f \in C[0, \infty)$, $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$, we have

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq C\omega_2(f; \sqrt{\phi_n(x) + \psi_n(x)}/2) + \omega(f; \phi_n(x)), \tag{17}$$

where C is a positive constant $\phi_n(x)$ and $\psi_n(x)$ are defined in (10) and (11).

Proof: For $S_{n,\lambda}(t-x; x) = 0$, we define the auxiliary operators

$$\tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(f; x) = S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f\left(x + \frac{1-2x-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)}\lambda\right) + f(x). \tag{18}$$

Using (5), (6), we know that the operators $\tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(f; x)$ are linear and preserve the linear functions:

$$\tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(t-x; x) = S_{n,\lambda}(t-x; x) - (t-x) + (x-x) = 0. \tag{19}$$

Let $g \in C^2[0, \infty)$, $t, x \in [0, \infty)$ by the Taylor's expansion, we have

$$g(t) - g(x) = g'(x)(t-x) + \int_x^t (t-y)g''(y)dy,$$

by (19), we get

$$\tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(g; x) = g(x) + \tilde{S}_{n,\lambda} \left(\int_x^t (t-y)g''(y)dy; x \right),$$

Hence, by (18) and (11), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & |\tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(g; x) - g(x)| \\ & \leq \left| S_{n,\lambda} \left(\int_x^t (t-y)g''(y)dy; x \right) \right| + \int_x^{x + \frac{1-2x-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)}\lambda} \left| x + \frac{1-2x-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)}\lambda - y \right| |g''(y)| dy \\ & \leq \left[S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x) + \frac{1+2x+e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)} \right] \|g''\| \\ & \leq [\psi_n(x) + \phi_n(x)] \|g''\|. \end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

On the other hand, by (18), (5), (4), we have

$$|\tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(f; x)| \leq |S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)| + 2\|f\| \leq 3\|f\|. \tag{21}$$

By (18) and (21), we get

$$\begin{aligned} |S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| &= \left| \tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(f; x) + f \left(x + \frac{1-2x-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)}\lambda \right) - 2f(x) \right| \\ &= \left| \tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(f-g+g; x) + f \left(x + \frac{1-2x-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)}\lambda \right) - 2f(x) \right| \\ &\leq \left| \tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(f-g; x) - (f-g)(x) \right| + |\tilde{S}_{n,\lambda}(g; x) - g(x)| \\ &\quad + \left| f \left(x + \frac{1-2x-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)}\lambda \right) - f(x) \right| \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$f \left(x + \frac{1-2x-e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)}\lambda \right) - f(x) \leq f(x + \phi_n(x)) - f(x) \leq \omega(f; \phi_n(x)). \tag{22}$$

By (20), (21) and (22), we get

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 4\|f-g\| + [\psi_n(x) + \phi_n(x)] \|g''\| + \omega(f; \phi_n(x)).$$

Hence, taking infimum on the right hand side over all $g \in C^2[0, \infty)$, we have

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq 4K_2 \left(f; \frac{\phi_n(x) + \psi_n(x)}{4} \right) + \omega(f; \phi_n(x)).$$

By (16), we have

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq C\omega_2(f; \sqrt{\phi_n(x) + \psi_n(x)}/2) + \omega(f; \phi_n(x)),$$

where $\phi_n(x)$ and $\psi_n(x)$ are defined in (10) and (11). Thus the proof is completed.

Theorem 3.3 If $f \in C^1[0, \infty) := \{f : f' \text{ is continuous and bounded on } [0, \infty)\}$, then

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq \phi_n(x) |f'(x)| + 2\sqrt{\psi_n(x)} \omega(f'; \sqrt{\psi_n(x)}).$$

Proof: For any $x, t \in [0, \infty)$, $f \in C^1[0, \infty)$, we have

$$f(t) - f(x) = (t-x)f'(x) + \int_x^t (f'(y) - f'(x))dy.$$

Applying $S_{n,\lambda}(\cdot; x)$ to both side of the above relation, we get

$$S_{n,\lambda}(f(t) - f(x); x) = f'(x)S_{n,\lambda}(t-x, x) + S_{n,\lambda} \left(\int_x^t (f'(y) - f'(x))dy; x \right).$$

Using the following property of modulus of continuity

$$|f(y) - f(x)| \leq \omega(f; |y-x|) \leq \left(\frac{|y-x|}{\delta} + 1 \right) \omega(f; \delta), \delta > 0,$$

we get

$$\left| \int_x^t |f'(y) - f'(x)| dy \right| \leq \omega(f'; \delta) \left[\frac{(t-x)^2}{\delta} + |t-x| \right],$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} |S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq |f'(x)| \cdot |S_{n,\lambda}(t-x; x)| + S_{n,\lambda} \left| \int_x^t |f'(y) - f'(x)| dy \right| \\ &\leq |f'(x)| \cdot |S_{n,\lambda}(t-x; x)| + \omega(f'; \delta) \left[\frac{S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x)}{\delta} + S_{n,\lambda}(|t-x; x)| \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Using the Hölder's inequality to the right hand side, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| &\leq |f'(x)| \cdot \phi_n(x) + \omega(f'; \delta) \cdot \sqrt{\psi_n(x)} \left[\frac{\sqrt{\psi_n(x)}}{\delta} + 1 \right] \\ &\leq |f'(x)| \cdot \phi_n(x) + 2\sqrt{\psi_n(x)} \omega(f'; \sqrt{\psi_n(x)}), \end{aligned}$$

where $\delta = \sqrt{\psi_n(x)}$, we get the result.

A function f belongs to $Lip_M(\alpha)$, here $0 < \alpha \leq 1$, if the inequality

$$|f(t) - f(x)| \leq M|t-x|^\alpha \tag{23}$$

holds for all $t \in [0, \infty)$.

Theorem 3.4 Let $f \in Lip_M(\alpha)$, $x \in [0, \infty)$ and $\lambda \in [-1, 1]$, then we have

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq M[\psi_n(x)]^{\frac{\alpha}{2}},$$

where $\psi_n(x)$ is given by the relation (11).

Proof: Since $S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)$ are linear positive operators and $f \in Lip_M(\alpha)$, we have

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq M \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \tilde{s}_{n,k}(\lambda; x) \left| \frac{k}{n} - x \right|^\alpha.$$

Applying the Hölder's inequality for the sum in the right side of the above relation, we obtain

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x)| \leq M \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left[\tilde{s}_{n,k}(\lambda; x) \left(\frac{k}{n} - x \right)^2 \right]^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \left[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \tilde{s}_{n,k}(\lambda; x) \right]^{\frac{2-\alpha}{2}} \leq M [\psi_n(x)]^{\frac{\alpha}{2}}.$$

4. VORONOVSKAJA-TYPE THEOREMS

In this section, we will prove the Voronovskaja type theorems for the operator $S_{n,\lambda}$ by means of the Ditzian-Totik modulus of smoothness defined as follows:

$$\omega_\varphi(f; t) = \sup_{0 < h \leq t} \left\{ \left| f\left(x + \frac{h\varphi(x)}{2}\right) - f\left(x - \frac{h\varphi(x)}{2}\right) \right|, x \pm \frac{h\varphi(x)}{2} \in [0, \infty) \right\}, \tag{24}$$

where $\varphi(x) = \sqrt{x}$ and $f \in C[0, \infty)$. The corresponding K-functional is given by

$$K_\varphi(f; t) = \inf_{h \in W_\varphi[0, \infty)} \{ \|f - h\| + t\|\varphi h'\| \}, \quad (t > 0), \tag{25}$$

here $W_\varphi[0, \infty) = \{h : h \in AC_{loc}[0, \infty), \|\varphi h'\| < \infty\}$ and $AC_{loc}[0, \infty)$ is the class of absolutely continuous functions on every interval $[a, b] \subset [0, \infty)$. The K-functional and the Ditzian-Totik first order modulus of smoothness has the following relation:

$$K_\varphi(f; t) \leq C\omega_\varphi(f; t), \tag{26}$$

where $C > 0$ is a constant.

Theorem 4.1 For any $f \in C^2[0, \infty) := \{f : f'' \text{ is continuous and bounded on } [0, \infty)\}$, and n sufficiently large, the following inequality holds:

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x) - E_n(x; \lambda)f'(x) - \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)f''(x)| \leq \frac{1}{n}C\varphi^2(x)\omega_\varphi(f''; n^{-\frac{1}{2}}),$$

where

$$E_n(x; \lambda) = \frac{1 - e^{-(n+1)x} - 2x}{n(n-1)} \lambda = S_{n,\lambda}(t-x; x);$$

$$F_n(x; \lambda) = \frac{x}{n} + \left[\frac{2e^{-(n+1)x}}{n(n-1)} x - \frac{4}{n^2(n-1)} x^2 + \frac{e^{-(n+1)x} - 1}{n^2(n-1)} \right] \lambda = S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x),$$

and C is a positive constant.

Proof: For $f \in C^2[0, \infty)$, $t, x \in [0, \infty)$, by the Taylor's expansion, we have

$$f(t) = f(x) + f'(x)(t-x) + \int_x^t (t-y)f''(y)dy.$$

Noting

$$\int_x^t (t-y)f''(x)dy = \frac{1}{2}(t-x)^2 f''(x),$$

hence

$$f(t) - f(x) - f'(x)(t-x) - \frac{1}{2}(t-x)^2 f''(x) = \int_x^t (t-y)[f''(y) - f''(x)]dy.$$

Applying $S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)$ to both side of the above relation, we get

$$|S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x) - E_n(x; \lambda)f'(x) - \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)f''(x)| \leq S_{n,\lambda} \left(\left| \int_x^t |t-y| \cdot |f''(y) - f''(x)| dy \right|; x \right). \quad (27)$$

The quantity $\left| \int_x^t |t-y| |f''(y) - f''(x)| dy \right|$ was estimated in [15, p.337] as follows:

$$\left| \int_x^t |t-y| |f''(y) - f''(x)| dy \right| \leq 2\|g'' - h\|(t-x)^2 + 2\|\varphi h'\|\varphi^{-1}(x)|t-x|^3, \quad (28)$$

where $h \in W_\varphi[0, \infty)$.

Using Lemma 2.3 it follows that there exists a constant $C > 0$ such that, for n sufficiently large,

$$S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x) \leq \frac{C}{2n} \varphi^2(x) \quad \text{and} \quad S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^4; x) \leq \frac{C}{2n^2} \varphi^4(x). \quad (29)$$

From (27)-(29) and applying the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & |S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x) - E_n(x; \lambda)f'(x) - \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)f''(x)| \\ & \leq 2\|f'' - h\|S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x) + 2\|\varphi h'\|\varphi^{-1}(x)S_{n,\lambda}(|t-x|^3; x) \\ & \leq \frac{C}{n} \varphi^2(x) \|f'' - h\| + 2\|\varphi h'\|\varphi^{-1}(x) (S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^2; x))^{\frac{1}{2}} (S_{n,\lambda}((t-x)^4; x))^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ & \leq \frac{C}{n} \varphi^2(x) \{ \|f'' - h\| + n^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|\varphi h'\| \} \\ & \leq \frac{1}{n} C \varphi^2(x) \omega_\varphi(f''; n^{-\frac{1}{2}}). \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 4.1 If $f \in C^2[0, \infty)$, then

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \{ S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x) - E_n(x; \lambda)f'(x) - \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)f''(x) \} = 0,$$

where $E_n(x; \lambda)$ and $F_n(x; \lambda)$ are defined in Theorem 4.1.

The Grüss type approximation theorem have been made by many authors [9 ~ 14]. Next, we will provide a Grüss-Voronovskaja type theorem for λ -Szász-Mirakian operators.

Theorem 4.2 If $f, g \in C^2[0, \infty)$, for each $x \in [0, \infty)$, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \{ S_{n,\lambda}((fg); x) - S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)S_{n,\lambda}(g; x) \} = xf'(x)g'(x).$$

Proof: Since

$$\begin{aligned}
 & S_{n,\lambda}((fg); x) - S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)S_{n,\lambda}(g; x) \\
 = & S_{n,\lambda}((fg); x) - f(x)g(x) - E_n(x; \lambda)(fg)'(x) - \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)(fg)'' \\
 & - S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)[S_{n,\lambda}(g; x) - g(x) - E_n(x; \lambda)g'(x) - \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)g''(x)] \\
 & - g(x)[S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - f(x) - E_n(x; \lambda)f'(x) - \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)f''(x)] \\
 & + \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)[(fg)''(x) - g''(x)S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - g(x)f''(x)] \\
 & + E_n(x; \lambda)[(fg)'(x) - g'(x)S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - g(x)f'(x)],
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(fg)'' = (f'g + fg')' = f''g + 2f'g' + fg'', \quad (fg)' = f'g + fg'.$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)[(fg)''(x) - g''(x)S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - g(x)f''(x)] \\
 = & \frac{1}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)[2f'(x)g'(x) + f(x)g''(x) - g''(x)S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)]; \\
 & E_n(x; \lambda)[(fg)'(x) - g'(x)S_{n,\lambda}(f; x) - g(x)f'(x)] \\
 = & E_n(x; \lambda)[f(x)g'(x) - g'(x)S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)].
 \end{aligned}$$

Using Theorem 3.1 and Corollary 4.1, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n\{S_{n,\lambda}((fg); x) - S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)S_{n,\lambda}(g; x)\} \\
 = & 0 + 0 + 0 + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n f'(x)g'(x)F_n(x; \lambda) + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{2}F_n(x; \lambda)g''(x)[f(x) - S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)] \\
 & + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n E_n(x; \lambda)g'(x)[f(x) - S_{n,\lambda}(f; x)] \\
 = & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n f'(x)g'(x) \cdot F_n(x; \lambda) \\
 = & f'(x)g'(x)x.
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, Theorem 4.2 is proved.

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