# $(p, q)$-Genuine Baskakov-Durrmeyer operators 

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#### Abstract

In the present article, we propose the $(p, q)$ variant of genuine Baskakov Durrmeyer operators. We obtain moments and establish some direct results, which include weighted approximation and results in terms of modulus of continuity of second order.


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## 1. Introduction

The quantum calculus has many applications in different areas of mathematics, physics and engineering sciences. In the last two decades it was used widely by researchers in the field of approximation theory. Several new generalizations to the well known operators have been proposed and their approximation behavior has been discussed, see for instance [2], [7], [8], [13], [14], [15], [11, [16]-[19] and references therein. The extension of quantum calculus based on two parameters $(p, q)$ was discussed in special functions by Sahai and Yadav [22]. Very recently some approximation properties of certain $(p, q)$ operators have been discussed in [9], [12] and [10]. One can capture the quantum calculus results from $(p, q)$-calculus, but not conversely. Some basic notations and definitions of the $(p, q)$-calculus are mentioned as follows:
The $(p, q)$-numbers are defined as

$$
[n]_{p, q}=\frac{p^{n}-q^{n}}{p-q} .
$$

[^0]The $(p, q)$-factorial is defined by $[n]_{p, q}!=\prod_{k=1}^{n}[k]_{p, q}, n \geq 1,[0]_{p, q}!=1$. The $(p, q)$-binomial coefficient is given by

$$
\left[\begin{array}{l}
n \\
k
\end{array}\right]_{p, q}=\frac{[n]_{p, q}!}{[n-k]_{p, q}![k]_{p, q}!}, 0 \leq k \leq n .
$$

The $(p, q)$-derivative of the function $f$ is defined as

$$
D_{p, q} f(x)=\frac{f(p x)-f(q x)}{(p-q) x}, x \neq 0
$$

and $D_{p, q} f(0)=f^{\prime}(0)$, provided that f is differentiable at 0 . Note also that for $p=1$, the $(p, q)$ derivative reduces to the $q$-derivative.

Definition 1.1. ([20])Let $n$ is a nonnegative integer, we define the $(p, q)$-Gamma function as

$$
\Gamma_{p, q}(n+1)=\frac{(p \ominus q)_{p, q}^{n}}{(p-q)^{n}}=[n]_{p, q}!, \quad 0<q<p,
$$

where $(a \ominus b)_{p, q}^{n}=\prod_{i=0}^{n-1}\left(p^{i} a-q^{i} b\right)$.
Definition 1.2. The $(p, q)$-Beta function of second kind is defined as

$$
B_{p, q}(m, n)=\int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{t^{m-1}}{(1 \oplus p t)_{p, q}^{m+n}} d_{p, q} t, m, n \in \mathbb{N},
$$

where the $(p, q)$-power basis is defined as $(a \oplus b)_{p, q}^{n}=\prod_{i=0}^{n-1}\left(p^{i} a+q^{i} b\right)$.
Theorem 1.3. Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$. We have the following relation between $(p, q)$-Beta and ( $p, q$ )-Gamma function:

$$
B_{p, q}(m, n)=q^{[2-m(m-1)] / 2} p^{-m(m+1) / 2} \frac{\Gamma_{p, q}(m) \Gamma_{p, q}(n)}{\Gamma_{p, q}(m+n)} .
$$

In the present paper, we propose the $(p, q)$-genuine-Baskakov-Durrmeyer operators and estimate some approximation properties, which include weighted approximation result and direct results in terms of modulus of continuity of second order.

## 2. $(p, q)$-Baskakov-Durrmeyer Operators and Moments

The $(p, q)$-analogue of Baskakov operators for $x \in[0, \infty)$ and $0<q<p \leq 1$ is defined as

$$
\begin{equation*}
B_{n, p, q}(f, x)=\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) f\left(\frac{p^{n-1}[k]_{p, q}}{q^{k-1}[n]_{p, q}}\right), \tag{2.1}
\end{equation*}
$$

where

$$
b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x)=\left[\begin{array}{c}
n+k-1 \\
k
\end{array}\right]_{p, q} p^{k+n(n-1) / 2} q^{k(k-1) / 2} \frac{x^{k}}{(1 \oplus x)_{p, q}^{n+k}} .
$$

In case $p=1$, we get the $q$-Baskakov operators [1]. If $p=q=1$, we get at once the well known Baskakov operators.

Remark 2.1. It can easily be verified

$$
B_{n, p, q}(1, x)=1, B_{n, p, q}(t, x)=x, B_{n, p, q}\left(t^{2}, x\right)=x^{2}+\frac{p^{n-1} x}{[n]_{p, q}}\left(1+\frac{p}{q} x\right) .
$$

Definition 2.2. Using $(p, q)$-Beta function of second kind, we propose below for $x \in[0, \infty), 0<$ $q<p \leq 1$ the $(p, q)$ genuine Baskakov-Durrmeyer operators

$$
\begin{align*}
D_{n}^{p, q}(f, x)= & \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \frac{1}{B_{p, q}(k, n+1)} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{t^{k-1}}{(1 \oplus p t)_{p, q}^{k+n+1}} f\left(q p^{n+k} t\right) d_{p, q} t \\
& +b_{n, 0}^{p, q}(x) f(0) \tag{2.2}
\end{align*}
$$

where $b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x)$ is as defined in 2.1.
Lemma 2.3. For $x \in[0, \infty), 0<q<p \leq 1$, we have

1. $D_{n}^{p, q}(1, x)=1$,
2. $D_{n}^{p, q}(t, x)=x$,
3. $D_{n}^{p, q}\left(t^{2}, x\right)=\frac{[n+1] p, q x^{2}+[2]_{p, q p^{n-2} q x}}{q^{2}[n-1] p, q}$.

Proof . Using (2.2) and Remark 2.1, we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
D_{n}^{p, q}(1, x) & =\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \frac{1}{B_{p, q}(k, n+1)} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{t^{k-1}}{(1 \oplus p t)_{p, q}^{k+n+1}} d_{p, q} t+b_{n, 0}^{p, q}(x) \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x)+b_{n, 0}^{p, q}(x)=\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x)=1 .
\end{aligned}
$$

Next, applying Remark 2.1, we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
D_{n}^{p, q}(t, x) & =\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \frac{1}{B_{p, q}(k, n+1)} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{t^{k} q p^{n+k}}{(1 \oplus p t)_{p, q}^{k+n+1}} d_{p, q} t \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \frac{1}{B_{p, q}(k, n+1)} q p^{n+k} B_{p, q}(k+1, n) \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \cdot \frac{p^{n-1}[k]_{p, q}}{q^{k-1}[n]_{p, q}} \\
& =B_{n, p, q}(t, x)=x .
\end{aligned}
$$

Also, using $[k+1]_{p, q}=q^{k}+p[k]_{p, q}$ and $[n+1]_{p, q}=p^{n}+q[n]_{p, q}$, we

$$
\begin{aligned}
D_{n}^{p, q}\left(t^{2}, x\right) & =\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \frac{1}{B_{p, q}(k, n+1)} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{t^{k+1} q^{2} p^{2 n+2 k}}{(1 \oplus p t)_{p, q}^{k+n+1}} d_{p, q} t \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \frac{1}{B_{p, q}(k, n+1)} q^{2} p^{2 n+2 k} B_{p, q}(k+1, n) \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \cdot \frac{p^{2 n-3}[k+1]_{p, q}[k]_{p, q}}{q^{2 k-1}[n]_{p, q}[n-1]_{p, q}} \\
& =\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \cdot \frac{p^{2 n-3}\left(q^{k}+p[k]_{p, q}\right)[k]_{p, q}}{q^{2 k-1}[n]_{p, q}[n-1]_{p, q}} \\
& =\frac{p^{n-2}}{[n-1]_{p, q}} B_{n, p, q}(t, x)+\frac{[n]_{p, q}}{q[n-1]_{p, q}} B_{n, p, q}\left(t^{2}, x\right) \\
& =\frac{p^{n-2} x}{[n-1]_{p, q}}+\frac{[n]_{p, q}}{q[n-1]_{p, q}}\left[x^{2}+\frac{p^{n-1} x}{[n]_{p, q}}\left(1+\frac{p}{q} x\right)\right] \\
& =\frac{[n+1]_{p, q} x^{2}+[2]_{p, q} p^{n-2} q x}{q^{2}[n-1]_{p, q}} .
\end{aligned}
$$

Remark 2.4. For $x \in[0, \infty), 0<q<p \leq 1$, we have

1. $D_{n}^{p, q}(t-x, x)=0$,
2. $D_{n}^{p, q}\left((t-x)^{2}, x\right)=\frac{[2]_{p, q} p^{n-2} x(p x+q)}{q^{2}[n-1]_{p, q}}$.

## 3. Direct Approximation

We consider the following class of functions:
Let $H_{x^{2}}[0, \infty)$ be the set of all functions $f$ defined on $[0, \infty)$ satisfying the condition $|f(x)| \leq$ $M_{f}\left(1+x^{2}\right)$, where $M_{f}$ is a constant depending only on $f$. By $C_{x^{2}}[0, \infty)$, we denote the subspace of all continuous functions belonging to $H_{x^{2}}[0, \infty)$. Also, let $C_{x^{2}}^{*}[0, \infty)$ be the subspace of all functions $f \in C_{x^{2}}[0, \infty)$, for which $\lim _{|x| \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{1+x^{2}}$ is finite. The norm on $C_{x^{2}}^{*}[0, \infty)$ is $\|f\|_{x^{2}}=\sup _{x \in[0, \infty)} \frac{|f(x)|}{1+x^{2}}$.

We discuss below the weighted approximation theorem:
Theorem 3.1. Let $p=p_{n}$ and $q=q_{n}$ satisfies $0<q_{n}<p_{n} \leq 1$ and for $n$ sufficiently large $p_{n} \rightarrow 1$, $q_{n} \rightarrow 1$ and $q_{n}^{n} \rightarrow 1$ and $p_{n}^{n} \rightarrow 1$. For each $f \in C_{x^{2}}^{*}[0, \infty)$, we have

$$
\lim _{n \rightarrow \infty}\left\|D_{n}^{p_{n}, q_{n}}(f)-f\right\|_{x^{2}}=0 .
$$

Proof . Using the Theorem in [6] we see that it is sufficient to verify the following three conditions

$$
\begin{equation*}
\lim _{n \rightarrow \infty}\left\|D_{n}^{p_{n}, q_{n}}\left(t^{\nu}, x\right)-x^{\nu}\right\|_{x^{2}}=0, \quad \nu=0,1,2 . \tag{3.1}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $D_{n}^{p_{n}, q_{n}}(1, x)=1$ and $D_{n}^{p_{n}, q_{n}}(t, x)=x$ the first condition of (3.1) is fulfilled for $\nu=0,1$.

For $n>1$, we can write

$$
\begin{aligned}
\left\|D_{n}^{p_{n}, q_{n}}\left(t^{2}, x\right)-x^{2}\right\|_{x^{2}} \leq & \left(\frac{[n+1]_{p_{n}, q_{n}}}{q_{n}^{2}[n-1]_{p_{n}, q_{n}}}\right) \sup _{x \in[0, \infty)} \frac{x^{2}}{1+x^{2}} \\
& +\left(\frac{[2]_{p_{n}, q_{n}} p_{n}^{n-2} q_{n}}{q_{n}^{2}[n-1]_{p_{n}, q_{n}}}\right) \sup _{x \in[0, \infty)} \frac{x}{1+x^{2}},
\end{aligned}
$$

which implies that for $v=2$

$$
\lim _{n \rightarrow \infty}\left\|D_{n}^{p_{n}, q_{n}}\left(t^{v}, x\right)-x^{v}\right\|_{x^{2}}=0 .
$$

Thus the proof is completed.
Let $C_{B}[0, \infty)$ denote the space of all real valued continuous and bounded functions on $[0, \infty)$. In this space we consider the norm

$$
\|f\|_{C_{B}}=\sup _{x \in[0, \infty)}|f(x)| .
$$

For $\delta \geq 0$, the second order modulus of continuity of function $f \in C_{B}[0, \infty)$ (see [5]) is defined as

$$
\widetilde{\omega}_{2}(f, \delta)=\sup _{\substack{x, u, v \geq 0 \\|u-v| \leq \delta}}|f(x+2 u)-2 f(x+u+v)+f(x+2 v)| .
$$

The Steklov mean function for $f \in C_{B}$ is considered as

$$
\begin{equation*}
f_{h}(x)=\frac{4}{h^{2}} \int_{0}^{\frac{h}{2}} \int_{0}^{\frac{h}{2}}[2 f(x+u+v)-f(x+2(u+v))] d u d v . \tag{3.2}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $f_{h} \in C_{B}$ we can write

$$
f_{h}(x)-f(x)=\frac{4}{h^{2}} \int_{0}^{\frac{h}{2}} \int_{0}^{\frac{h}{2}}[2 f(x+u+v)-f(x+2(u+v))-f(x)] d u d v .
$$

It is obvious that

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\|f_{h}-f\right\|_{C_{B}} \leq \widetilde{\omega}_{2}(f, h) . \tag{3.3}
\end{equation*}
$$

If $f$ is continuous, then $f_{h}^{\prime \prime} \in C_{B}$ and

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\|f_{h}^{\prime \prime}\right\|_{C_{B}} \leq \frac{9}{h^{2}} \widetilde{\omega}_{2}(f, h) . \tag{3.4}
\end{equation*}
$$

Theorem 3.2. Let $q \in(0,1)$ and $p \in(q, 1]$. The operator $D_{n}^{p, q}$ maps space $C_{B}$ into $C_{B}$ and

$$
\left\|D_{n}^{p, q}(f)\right\|_{C_{B}} \leq\|f\|_{C_{B}}
$$

Proof . Let $q \in(0,1)$ and $p \in(q, 1]$. From Lemma 2.3 we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
\left|D_{n}^{p, q}(f, x)\right| & \leq \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{n, k}^{p, q}(x) \frac{1}{B_{p, q}(k, n+1)} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{t^{k-1}}{(1 \oplus p t)_{p, q}^{k+n+1}}\left|f\left(q p^{n+k} t\right)\right| d_{p, q} t+b_{n, 0}^{p, q}(x)|f(0)| \\
& =\sup _{x \in[0, \infty)}|f(x)| D_{n}^{p, q}(1, x)=\|f\|_{C_{B}} .
\end{aligned}
$$

We study in the following theorem the degree of approximation in terms of second order modulus of continuity. We apply linear approximate method viz. Steklov mean to prove the theorem.

Theorem 3.3. Let $q \in(0,1)$ and $p \in(q, 1]$. If $f \in C_{B}$, then

$$
\left|D_{n}^{p, q}(f, x)-f(x)\right| \leq 9 \widetilde{\omega}_{2}\left(f, \frac{1}{\sqrt{[n-1]_{p, q}}}\right)\left[1+\frac{x p^{n-2}(p x+q)}{q^{2}}\right] .
$$

Proof. We use the Steklov function $f_{h}$ defined by (3.2). For $x \geq 0$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
\left|D_{n}^{p, q}(f, x)-f(x)\right| \leq & D_{n}^{p, q}\left(\left|f-f_{h}\right|, x\right)+\left|D_{n}^{p, q}\left(f_{h}-f_{h}(x), x\right)\right| \\
& +\left|f_{h}(x)-f(x)\right| .
\end{aligned}
$$

By (3.3) we can write

$$
D_{n}^{p, q}\left(\left|f-f_{h}\right|, x\right) \leq\left\|D_{n}^{p, q}\left(f-f_{h}\right)\right\|_{C_{B}} \leq\left\|f-f_{h}\right\|_{C_{B}} \leq \widetilde{\omega}_{2}(f, h) .
$$

By Taylor's expansion, we have

$$
\left|D_{n}^{p, q}\left(f_{h}-f_{h}(x), x\right)\right| \leq\left|f_{h}^{\prime}(x)\right| D_{n}^{p, q}(t-x, x)+\frac{1}{2}\left\|f_{h}^{\prime \prime}\right\|_{C_{B}} D_{n}^{p, q}\left((t-x)^{2}, x\right) .
$$

By Lemma 2.3 and (3.4) we have

$$
\left|D_{n}^{p, q}\left(f_{h}-f_{h}(x), x\right)\right| \leq \frac{9}{2 h^{2}} \widetilde{\omega}_{2}(f, h) D_{n}^{p, q}\left((t-x)^{2}, x\right),
$$

where $D_{n}^{p, q}\left((t-x)^{2}, x\right)$ is as defined in Remark 2.4 for $x \geq 0, h>0$. Setting $h=\sqrt{\frac{1}{[n-1]_{p, q}}}$, we get the desired result.

For $f \in C_{B}[0, \infty)$ the $K$-functional are defined as

$$
K_{2}(f, \delta)=\inf \left\{\|f-g\|_{C_{B}}+\delta\left\|g^{\prime \prime}\right\|_{C_{B}}\right\},
$$

where $\delta>0$ and $W^{2}=\left\{g \in C_{B}[0, \infty): g^{\prime}, g^{\prime \prime} \in C_{B}[0, \infty)\right\}$. By [3, p. 177, Theorem 2.4] there exists an absolute constant $C>0$ such that

$$
\begin{equation*}
K_{2}(f, \delta) \leq C \omega_{2}(f, \sqrt{\delta}) \tag{3.5}
\end{equation*}
$$

where

$$
\omega_{2}(f, \sqrt{\delta})=\sup _{0<h \leq \sqrt{\delta}} \sup _{x \in[0, \infty)}|f(x+2 h)-2 f(x+h)+f(x)|
$$

is the second order modulus of smoothness of $f \in C_{B}[0, \infty)$.
The following theorem is also in terms of modulus of continuity, here we use $K$-functional.
Theorem 3.4. Let $f \in C_{B}[0, \infty)$, with $q \in(0,1)$. Then for every $x \in[0, \infty)$ and $n \geq 1$, we have

$$
\left|D_{n}^{p, q}(f, x)-f(x)\right| \leq C \omega_{2}\left(f, \sqrt{\frac{[2]_{p, q} p^{n-2} x(p x+q)}{q^{2}[n-1]_{p, q}}}\right)
$$

where $C$ is an absolute constant.

Proof. Let $g \in W^{2}$, by Taylor's theorem, we have

$$
g(t)=g(x)+g^{\prime}(x)(t-x)+\int_{x}^{t}(t-u) g^{\prime \prime}(u) d u, \quad t \in[0, \infty)
$$

Using Remark 2.4, we get

$$
D_{n}^{p, q}(g, x)=g(x)+D_{n}^{p, q}\left(\int_{x}^{t}(t-u) g^{\prime \prime}(u) d u, x\right) .
$$

Obviously, we have

$$
\left|\int_{x}^{t}(t-u) g^{\prime \prime}(u)\right| \leq\left.(t-x)^{2}\left\|g^{\prime \prime}\right\|\right|_{C_{B}}
$$

Thus

$$
\begin{aligned}
\left|D_{n}^{p, q}(g, x)-g(x)\right| & \left.\leq D_{n}^{p, q}(t-x)^{2}, x\right)\left\|g^{\prime \prime}\right\| \|_{C_{B}} \\
& =\frac{[2]_{p, q} p^{n-2} x(p x+q)}{q^{2}[n-1]_{p, q}}\left\|g^{\prime \prime}\right\|_{C_{B}} .
\end{aligned}
$$

Using Theorem 3.2, we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
\left|D_{n}^{p, q}(f, x)-f(x)\right| & \leq\left|D_{n}^{q}(f-g, x)-(f-g)(x)\right|+\left|D_{n}^{p, q}(g, x)-g(x)\right| \\
& \leq 2\|f-g\|_{C_{B}}+\frac{[2]_{p, q} p^{n-2} x(p x+q)}{q^{2}[n-1]_{p, q}}\left\|g^{\prime \prime}\right\|_{C_{B}} .
\end{aligned}
$$

Taking infimum on the right hand side over all $g \in W^{2}$, we get the desired result. This completes the proof of the theorem.

Remark 3.5. For $q \in(0,1)$ and $p \in(q, 1]$ it is seen that $\lim _{n \rightarrow \infty}[n]_{p, q}=1 /(q-p)$. In order to obtain convergence estimates of $(p, q)$ genuine Baskakov operators, we assume $p=\left(p_{n}\right)$ and $q=\left(q_{n}\right)$ such that $0<q_{n}<p_{n} \leq 1$ and for $n$ sufficiently large $p_{n} \rightarrow 1, q_{n} \rightarrow 1, p_{n}^{n} \rightarrow a, q_{n}^{n} \rightarrow b$ and $[n]_{p_{n}, q_{n}} \rightarrow \infty$.

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