

# Approximation Properties of Bivariate Extension of $q$ -Stancu-Kantorovich Operators

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**Abstract:** In this paper we introduce a new  $q$ -Stancu-Kantorovich operators and we study some of their approximation properties. Furthermore, a Voronovskaja type theorem is also proven.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

In recent years, many researchers focused their attention on the study of generalized version in  $q$ -calculus of well-known linear and positive operators [3-5, 7-9]. The goal of this paper is to introduce a Kantorovich variant of  $q$ -Stancu operators and we investigate their approximation properties and rate of convergence using modulus of continuity. We mention some basic definitions and notations from  $q$ -calculus. Let  $q > 0$ . For each nonnegative integer  $k$ , the  $q$ -integer  $[k]$  and  $q$ -factorial  $[k]!$  are respectively defined by

$$[k] := \begin{cases} \frac{1-q^k}{1-q}, & q \neq 1, \\ k, & q = 1, \end{cases} \quad [k]! := \begin{cases} [k][k-1]\cdots[1], & k \geq 1, \\ 1, & k = 0. \end{cases}$$

For the integers  $n, k$  satisfying  $n \geq k \geq 0$ , the  $q$ -binomial coefficients are defined by

$$\begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix} := \frac{[n]!}{[k]![n-k]}.$$

We denote  $(a+b)_q^k = \prod_{j=0}^{k-1} (a+bq^j)$ .

The  $q$ -Jackson integral on the interval  $[0, b]$  is defined as

$$\int_0^b f(t) d_q t = (1-q)b \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} f(q^j b) q^j, \quad 0 < q < 1,$$

provided that sums converge absolutely.

In [3], the authors introduced a  $q$ -type generalization of Bernstein-Kantorovich operators as follows

$$B_{n,q}^*(f, x) := \sum_{k=0}^n p_{n,k}(q; x) \int_0^1 f\left(\frac{[k]+q^k t}{[n+1]}\right) d_q t, \quad (1)$$

where  $f \in C[0, 1]$ ,  $0 < q \leq 1$  and  $p_{n,k}(q; x) = \begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix} x^k (1-x)_{q}^{n-k}$ .

In [1], inspired by Mahmudov and Sabancigil's result we introduce a  $q$ -type generalization of Stancu-Kantorovich operators as follows

$$S_{n,q}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(f, x) = \sum_{k=0}^n p_{n,k}(q; x) \int_0^1 f\left(\frac{[k]+q^k t + \alpha}{[n+1] + \beta}\right) d_q t, \quad (2)$$

where  $0 \leq \alpha \leq \beta$ ,  $f \in C[0, 1]$ .

**Lemma 1.1.** [1] For all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $x \in [0, 1]$  and  $0 < q < 1$ , we have

$$S_{n,q}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(1, x) = 1,$$

$$S_{n,q}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(t, x) = \frac{2q}{[2][n+1] + \beta} x + \frac{\alpha}{[n+1] + \beta} + \frac{1}{[2]([n+1] + \beta)},$$

$$S_{n,q}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(t^2, x) = \frac{1}{([n+1] + \beta)^2}$$

$$\left\{ \frac{q^2(q+2)}{[3]} [n][n-1]x^2 + \frac{q[n]}{[2]} \left( 4\alpha + \frac{4+7q+q^2}{[3]} \right) x + \frac{2\alpha}{[2]} + \frac{1}{[3]} + \alpha^2 \right\}.$$

**Lemma 1.2.** [1] For all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $x \in [0, 1]$  and  $0 < q < 1$ , we have

$$S_{n,q}^{(\alpha, \beta)}((t-x)^2, x) \leq \frac{2[n+1]^2}{([n+1] + \beta)^2}$$

$$\left\{ \frac{4}{[n]} \left( x(1-x) + \frac{1}{[n]} \right) + \left( \frac{\alpha}{[n+1]} - \frac{\beta}{[n+1]} x \right)^2 \right\},$$

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$$S_{n,q}^{(\alpha,\beta)}((t-x)^4, x) \leq \frac{8[n+1]^2}{([n+1]+\beta)^2} \left\{ \frac{C}{[n]^2} \left( x(1-x) + \frac{1}{[n]^2} \right) + \left( \frac{\alpha}{[n+1]} - \frac{\beta}{[n+1]} x \right)^4 \right\},$$

where C is a positive absolute constant.

**Lemma 1.3.** [1] Assume that  $0 < q_n < 1$ ,  $q_n \rightarrow 1$  and  $q_n^n \rightarrow a$ ,  $a \in [0, 1)$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Then we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} [n] S_{n,q_n}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(t-x, x) = -\frac{1+a+2\beta}{2} x + \alpha + \frac{1}{2},$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} [n] S_{n,q_n}^{(\alpha,\beta)}((t-x)^2, x) = -\frac{2a+1}{3} x^2 + x.$$

In [1], the following Voronovskaja type theorem for q-Stancu-Kantorovich operators was obtained:

**Theorem 1.4.** [1] Let  $f'' \in C[0,1]$  and  $q_n \in (0, 1)$ ,  $q_n \rightarrow 1$  and  $q_n^n \rightarrow a$ ,  $a \in [0, 1)$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Then we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} [n] \left( S_{n,q_n}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f, x) - f(x) \right) = \left( -\frac{1+a+2\beta}{2} x + \alpha + \frac{1}{2} \right) f'(x) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\frac{2a+1}{3} x^2 + x \right) f''(x).$$

A convergence theorem for the q-Stancu-Kantorovich operators was established in [1]:

**Theorem 1.5.** [1] Let  $(q_n)_n$ ,  $0 < q_n < 1$  be a sequence satisfying the following conditions

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} q_n = 1, \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} q_n^n = a, \quad a \in [0, 1). \tag{3}$$

Then for any  $f \in C[0, 1]$ , the sequence  $\{S_{n,q_n}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f, x)\}$  converges to  $f$  uniformly on  $[0, 1]$ .

## 2. CONSTRUCTION OF THE BIVARIATE OPERATORS

In this section we propose a bivariate extension of q-Stancu-Kantorovich operators. Let

$$S_{n_i,q_i}^{(\alpha,\beta)} : L_1[0,1] \rightarrow C[0,1], \quad i = \overline{1,2},$$

the operators defined for any  $n_1, n_2 \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $q_1, q_2 \in (0, 1)$  and any  $g, h \in [0, 1]$ , respectively by

$$S_{n_1,q_1}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(g; x) = \sum_{k=0}^{n_1} p_{n_1,k}(q_1; x) \int_0^1 g \left( \frac{[k] + q_1^k t + \alpha}{[n_1+1] + \beta} \right) dq_1 t, \tag{4}$$

$$S_{n_2,q_2}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(h; x) = \sum_{k=0}^{n_2} p_{n_2,k}(q_2; x) \int_0^1 h \left( \frac{[k] + q_2^k t + \alpha}{[n_2+1] + \beta} \right) dq_2 t. \tag{5}$$

The parametric extensions of (4) and (5) are the operators  $S_{n_1,q_1,x}^{(\alpha,\beta)}, S_{n_2,q_2,y}^{(\alpha,\beta)} : L_1([0, 1] \times [0, 1]) \rightarrow C([0, 1] \times [0, 1])$ , defined for any  $n_1, n_2 \in \mathbb{N}$  and any  $f \in L_1([0, 1] \times [0, 1])$  as follows:

$$S_{n_1,q_1,x}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f; x, y) = \sum_{k_1=0}^{n_1} p_{n_1,k_1}(q_1; x) \int_0^1 f \left( \frac{[k_1] + q_1^{k_1} t_1 + \alpha}{[n_1+1] + \beta}, y \right) dq_1 t_1,$$

$$S_{n_2,q_2,y}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f; x, y) = \sum_{k_2=0}^{n_2} p_{n_2,k_2}(q_2; y) \int_0^1 f \left( x, \frac{[k_2] + q_2^{k_2} t_2 + \alpha}{[n_2+1] + \beta} \right) dq_2 t_2.$$

We construct a bivariate extension of the univariate q-Stancu-Kantorovich operators for  $f \in L_1([0, 1] \times [0, 1])$ ,  $q_1, q_2 \in (0, 1)$  and  $n_1, n_2 \in \mathbb{N}$  as follows:

$$S_{n_1,n_2,q_1,q_2}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f; x, y) = \sum_{k_1=0}^{n_1} \sum_{k_2=0}^{n_2} p_{n_1,k_1}(q_1; x) p_{n_2,k_2}(q_2; y)$$

$$\cdot \int_0^1 \int_0^1 f \left( \frac{[k_1] + q_1^{k_1} t_1 + \alpha}{[n_1+1] + \beta}, \frac{[k_2] + q_2^{k_2} t_2 + \alpha}{[n_2+1] + \beta} \right) dq_1 t_1 dq_2 t_2.$$

**Lemma 2.1.** We have

$$i) \quad S_{n_1,n_2,q_1,q_2}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f; x, y) = S_{n_1,q_1,x}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( S_{n_2,q_2,y}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f; x, y) \right),$$

$$ii) \quad S_{n_1,n_2,q_1,q_2}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f; x, y) = S_{n_2,q_2,y}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( S_{n_1,q_1,x}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f; x, y) \right).$$

*Proof.* It follows

$$S_{n_1,q_1,x}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( S_{n_2,q_2,y}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f; x, y) \right) = \sum_{k_1=0}^{n_1} p_{n_1,k_1}(q_1; x) \int_0^1 \sum_{k_2=0}^{n_2} p_{n_2,k_2}(q_2; y)$$

$$\cdot \int_0^1 f \left( \frac{[k_1] + q_1^{k_1} t_1 + \alpha}{[n_1+1] + \beta}, \frac{[k_2] + q_2^{k_2} t_2 + \alpha}{[n_2+1] + \beta} \right) dq_2 t_2 dq_1 t_1 =$$

$$S_{n_1,n_2,q_1,q_2}^{(\alpha,\beta)}(f; x, y).$$

Property (ii) can be proven in a similar way.

## 3. APPROXIMATION PROPERTIES OF THE BIVARIATE Q-STANCU-KANTOROVICH OPERATORS

Using the Volkov criterion we shall prove a convergence theorem for the bivariate q-Stancu-Kantorovich operators. First, we recall the result due to Volkov [10].

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $e_{ij}(x, y) = x_i y_j$ ,  $i, j \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$  be the two-dimensional test functions and

I, J compact intervals of the real line. Let  $L_{n_1, n_2} : C(I \times J) \rightarrow C(I \times J)$ ,  $(n_1, n_2) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  be linear positive operators. If

$$\lim_{n_1, n_2 \rightarrow \infty} L_{n_1, n_2} e_{ij} = e_{ij}, \quad (i, j) \in \{(0, 0), (1, 0), (0, 1)\},$$

$$\lim_{n_1, n_2 \rightarrow \infty} L_{n_1, n_2} (e_{20} + e_{02}) = e_{20} + e_{02},$$

uniformly on  $I \times J$ , then the sequence  $(L_{n_1, n_2} f)$  converges to  $f$  uniformly on  $I \times J$  for any  $f \in C(I \times J)$ .

**Lemma 3.2.** The bivariate q-Stancu-Kantorovich operators satisfy the equalities

a)  $S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(e_{00}; x, y) = 1;$

b) 
$$S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(e_{10}; x, y) = \frac{2q_1}{[2]} \frac{[n_1]}{[n_1 + 1] + \beta} x + \frac{\alpha}{[n_1 + 1] + \beta} + \frac{1}{[2]([n_1 + 1] + \beta)};$$

c) 
$$S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(e_{01}; x, y) = \frac{2q_2}{[2]} \frac{[n_2]}{[n_2 + 1] + \beta} y + \frac{\alpha}{[n_2 + 1] + \beta} + \frac{1}{[2]([n_2 + 1] + \beta)};$$

d) 
$$S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(e_{11}; x, y) = \left[ \frac{2q_1}{[2]} \frac{[n_1]}{[n_1 + 1] + \beta} x + \frac{\alpha}{[n_1 + 1] + \beta} + \frac{1}{[2]([n_1 + 1] + \beta)} \right] \cdot \left[ \frac{2q_2}{[2]} \frac{[n_2]}{[n_2 + 1] + \beta} y + \frac{\alpha}{[n_2 + 1] + \beta} + \frac{1}{[2]([n_2 + 1] + \beta)} \right];$$

e) 
$$S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(e_{20}; x, y) = \frac{1}{([n_1 + 1] + \beta)^2} \left\{ \frac{q_1^2(q_1 + 2)}{[3]} [n_1][n_1 - 1]x^2 + \frac{q_1[n_1]}{[2]} \left( 4\alpha + \frac{4 + 7q_1 + q_1^2}{[3]} \right) x + \frac{2\alpha}{[2]} + \frac{1}{[3]} + \alpha^2 \right\};$$

f) 
$$S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(e_{02}; x, y) = \frac{1}{([n_2 + 1] + \beta)^2} \left\{ \frac{q_2^2(q_2 + 2)}{[3]} [n_2][n_2 - 1]x^2 + \frac{q_2[n_2]}{[2]} \left( 4\alpha + \frac{4 + 7q_2 + q_2^2}{[3]} \right) y + \frac{2\alpha}{[2]} + \frac{1}{[3]} + \alpha^2 \right\};$$

Applying Theorem 3.1 and Lemma 3.2, the following result holds.

**Theorem 3.3.** If the sequences  $(q_{1, n_1})$  and  $(q_{2, n_2})$  satisfy conditions

(6)  $\lim_{n_i \rightarrow \infty} q_{i, n_i}^{n_i} = a_i < 1$  and  $\lim_{n_i \rightarrow \infty} q_{i, n_i} = 1, i = 1, 2$

in the interval  $(0, 1)$ , then the sequence of bivariate generalized Stancu-Kantorovich  $S_{n_1, n_2, q_{1, n_1}, q_{2, n_2}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(f; x, y)$  converges uniformly to  $f(x, y)$  for any  $f \in C([0, 1] \times [0, 1])$ .

Using Shisha-Mond theorem [6] for the bivariate case we study the rate of convergence of  $S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}$  operators in terms of the first order modulus of smoothness.

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $f: I \times J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a real valued bounded function, where I and J are compact intervals on the real line. The function  $\omega_f: [0, \infty) \times [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by

$$\omega_f(\delta_1, \delta_2) = \sup \{|f(x_1, y_1) - f(x_2, y_2)| : (x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2) \in I \times J, |x_1 - y_1| \leq \delta_1, |x_2 - y_2| \leq \delta_2\}$$

is called modulus of continuity of the bivariate function.

Let I and J be compact intervals on the real line and  $B(I \times J)$  the set of bounded functions defined on  $I \times J$ .

**Theorem 3.4.** ([2]) Let  $L: C(I \times J) \rightarrow B(I \times J)$  be a linear positive operator and let  $\varphi_x: I \times J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \varphi_y: I \times J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined as  $\varphi_x(s, t) = |s - x|$ , respectively  $\varphi_y(s, t) = |t - y|$ ,  $(s, t), (x, y) \in I \times J$ . For any  $f \in C(I \times J), (x, y) \in I \times J, \delta_1 > 0, \delta_2 > 0$ , the following inequality

$$\begin{aligned} |Lf(x, y) - f(x, y)| &\leq |f(x, y)| \cdot |Le_{00}(x, y) - 1| \\ &+ \left\{ Le_{00}(x, y) + \delta_1^{-1} \sqrt{Le_{00}(x, y)L\varphi_x^2(x, y)} \right. \\ &+ \delta_2^{-1} \sqrt{Le_{00}(x, y)L\varphi_y^2(x, y)} \\ &\left. + \delta_1^{-1} \delta_2^{-1} \sqrt{L^2 e_{00}(x, y)L\varphi_x^2(x, y)L\varphi_y^2(x, y)} \right\} \omega_f(\delta_1, \delta_2) \end{aligned}$$

holds, where  $\omega_f$  denotes the bivariate modulus of continuity.

Using Lemma 3.2 we obtain the following expressions for the first and second central moments.

**Lemma 3.5.** The bivariate q-Stancu-Kantorovich operators satisfies the equalities

a) 
$$S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(s - x; x, y) = \left( \frac{2q_1}{[2]} \frac{[n_1]}{[n_1 + 1] + \beta} - 1 \right) x + \frac{\alpha}{[n_1 + 1] + \beta} + \frac{1}{[2]([n_1 + 1] + \beta)},$$

$$b) S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(t - y; x, y) = \left( \frac{2q_2}{[2]} \frac{[n_2]}{[n_2 + 1] + \beta} - 1 \right) y + \frac{\alpha}{[n_2 + 1] + \beta} + \frac{1}{[2]([n_2 + 1] + \beta)},$$

$$c) S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(\varphi_x^2; x, y) = \left\{ \frac{q_1^2(q_1 + 2)}{[3]} \cdot \frac{[n_1][n_1 - 1]}{([n_1 + 1] + \beta)^2} - \frac{4q_1}{[2]} \cdot \frac{[n_1]}{[n_1 + 1] + \beta} + 1 \right\} x^2 + \frac{1}{[n_1 + 1] + \beta} \left\{ \frac{q_1[n_1]}{[2]([n_1 + 1] + \beta)} \left( 4\alpha + \frac{4 + 7q_1 + q_1^2}{[3]} \right) - 2 \left( \alpha + \frac{1}{[2]} \right) \right\} x + \frac{1}{([n_1 + 1] + \beta)^2} \left( \frac{2\alpha}{[2]} + \frac{1}{[3]} + \alpha^2 \right),$$

$$d) S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(\varphi_y^2; x, y) = \left\{ \frac{q_2^2(q_2 + 2)}{[3]} \cdot \frac{[n_2][n_2 - 1]}{([n_2 + 1] + \beta)^2} - \frac{4q_2}{[2]} \cdot \frac{[n_2]}{[n_2 + 1] + \beta} + 1 \right\} y^2 + \frac{1}{[n_2 + 1] + \beta} \left\{ \frac{q_2[n_2]}{[2]([n_2 + 1] + \beta)} \left( 4\alpha + \frac{4 + 7q_2 + q_2^2}{[3]} \right) - 2 \left( \alpha + \frac{1}{[2]} \right) \right\} y + \frac{1}{([n_2 + 1] + \beta)^2} \left( \frac{2\alpha}{[2]} + \frac{1}{[3]} + \alpha^2 \right).$$

Taking Theorem 3.4 and Lemma 3.5 into account, we shall prove

**Theorem 3.6.** If the sequences  $(q_{1,n_1})$  and  $(q_{2,n_2})$  satisfy conditions (6) in the interval  $(0, 1)$ , then

$$\left| S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(f; x, y) - f(x, y) \right| \leq 4\omega_f(\delta_1, \delta_2),$$

where

$$\delta_1 = \sqrt{S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(\varphi_x^2; x, y)} \text{ and } \delta_2 = \sqrt{S_{n_1, n_2, q_1, q_2}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(\varphi_y^2; x, y)}.$$

#### 4. A VORONOVSKAYA-TYPE THEOREM FOR BIVARIATE OPERATORS

In this section we prove a Voronovskaya type theorem for bivariate extension of  $q$ -Stancu-Kantorovich operators.

**Theorem 4.1.** Let  $(q_{1,n})$  and  $(q_{2,n})$  be sequences in the interval  $(0, 1)$  satisfying (6). Suppose that

$f \in C^2([0, 1] \times [0, 1])$ . Then for every  $(x, y) \in [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ , one has

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} [n] \left\{ S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(f; x, y) - f(x, y) \right\} = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \begin{aligned} &[-(1 + a + 2\beta)x + 2\alpha + 1] f'_x(x, y) + \\ &[-(1 + a + 2\beta)y + 2\alpha + 1] f'_y(x, y) \\ &+ \left( -\frac{2a + 1}{3} x^2 + x \right) f''_{x^2}(x, y) + \left( -\frac{2a + 1}{3} y^2 + y \right) f''_{y^2}(x, y) \end{aligned} \right\}.$$

*Proof.* Let  $f \in C^2([0, 1] \times [0, 1])$  and  $(x_0, y_0) \in [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$  be fixed point. By the Taylor formula, it follows

$$f(t, s) = f(x_0, y_0) + f'_x(x_0, y_0)(t - x_0) + f'_y(x_0, y_0)(s - y_0) + \frac{1}{2} \left\{ f''_{x^2}(x_0, y_0)(t - x_0)^2 + 2f''_{xy}(x_0, y_0)(t - x_0)(s - y_0) + f''_{y^2}(x_0, y_0)(s - y_0)^2 \right\} + \varphi(t, s) \left( (t - x_0)^2 + (s - y_0)^2 \right),$$

where  $(t, s) \in [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$  and  $\lim_{(t,s) \rightarrow (x_0, y_0)} \varphi(t, s) = 0$ . From the linearity of  $S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(f(t, s); x_0, y_0) &= f(x_0, y_0) + f'_x(x_0, y_0) S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(t - x_0; x_0, y_0) \\ &+ f'_y(x_0, y_0) S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(s - y_0; x_0, y_0) + \\ &\frac{1}{2} \left\{ f''_{x^2} S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}((t - x_0)^2; x_0, y_0) \right. \\ &+ 2f''_{xy}(x_0, y_0) S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}((t - x_0)(s - y_0); x_0, y_0) \\ &+ f''_{y^2}(x_0, y_0) S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}((s - y_0)^2; x_0, y_0) \left. \right\} \\ &+ S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(\varphi(t, s) \left( (t - x_0)^2 + (s - y_0)^2 \right); x_0, y_0) \\ &= f(x_0, y_0) + f'_x(x_0, y_0) S_{n, q_{1,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(t - x_0; x_0) + f'_y(x_0, y_0) S_{n, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(s - y_0; y_0) \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \left\{ f''_{x^2}(x_0, y_0) S_{n, q_{1,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}((t - x_0)^2; x_0) + 2f''_{xy}(x_0, y_0) S_{n, q_{1,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(t - x_0; x_0) S_{n, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(s - y_0; y_0) \right. \\ &+ f''_{y^2}(x_0, y_0) S_{n, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}((s - y_0)^2; y_0) \left. \right\} \\ &+ S_{n, n, q_{1,n}, q_{2,n}}^{(\alpha, \beta)}(\varphi(t, s) \left( (t - x_0)^2 + (s - y_0)^2 \right); x_0, y_0) \end{aligned}$$

By the Hölder inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| S_{n,n,q_1,n,q_2,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( \varphi(t,s) \left( (t-x_0)^2 + (s-y_0)^2 \right); x_0, y_0 \right) \right| \\ & \leq \left\{ S_{n,n,q_1,n,q_2,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( \varphi^2(t,s); x_0, y_0 \right) \right\}^{1/2} \\ & \quad \left\{ S_{n,n,q_1,n,q_2,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( \left( (t-x_0)^2 + (s-y_0)^2 \right)^2; x_0, y_0 \right) \right\}^{1/2} \\ & \leq \sqrt{2} \left\{ S_{n,n,q_1,n,q_2,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( \varphi^2(t,s); x_0, y_0 \right) \right\}^{1/2} \\ & \quad \cdot \left\{ S_{n,n,q_1,n,q_2,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( (t-x_0)^4; x_0, y_0 \right) + S_{n,n,q_1,n,q_2,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( (s-y_0)^4; x_0, y_0 \right) \right\}^{1/2}. \end{aligned}$$

Using Theorem 3.3, we obtain

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_{n,n,q_1,n,q_2,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( \varphi^2(t,s); x_0, y_0 \right) = \varphi^2(x_0, y_0) = 0,$$

but from Lemma 1.2 we have

$$[n] S_{n,q_1,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( (t-x_0)^4; x_0 \right) = O\left(\frac{1}{[n]}\right),$$

$$[n] S_{n,q_2,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( (s-y_0)^4; y_0 \right) = O\left(\frac{1}{[n]}\right),$$

therefore

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_{n,n,q_1,n,q_2,n}^{(\alpha,\beta)} \left( \varphi(t,s) \left( (t-x_0)^2 + (s-y_0)^2 \right); x_0, y_0 \right) = 0.$$

Then using Lemma 1.3 theorem is proved.

### 5. NUMERICAL EXAMPLES

In this section we give some numerical results using Matlab and we show that when  $0 < q_1 < 1$ ,  $0 < q_2 < 1$  and  $n_1, n_2$  are increasing, the maximum error is smaller, as follows from the convergence properties of  $q$ -Stancu-Kantorovich operators.

Let us consider function  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f(x, y) = x^2y^2 + x^2y - y^2$ .

**Example 5.1.** For  $n_1 = 100$ ,  $n_2 = 100$ ,  $a = 2$ ,  $b = 3$ ,  $q_1 = 0.6$ ,  $q_2 = 0.6$ , it follows the maximum error is 0.687918104177673.

**Example 5.2.** For  $n_1 = 400$ ,  $n_2 = 400$ ,  $a = 2$ ,  $b = 3$ ,  $q_1 = 0.8$ ,  $q_2 = 0.8$ , it follows the maximum error is 0.445396492537402.

**Example 5.3.** For  $n_1 = 800$ ,  $n_2 = 800$ ,  $a = 2$ ,  $b = 3$ ,  $q_1 = 0.9$ ,  $q_2 = 0.9$ , it follows the maximum error is 0.275784239758968.

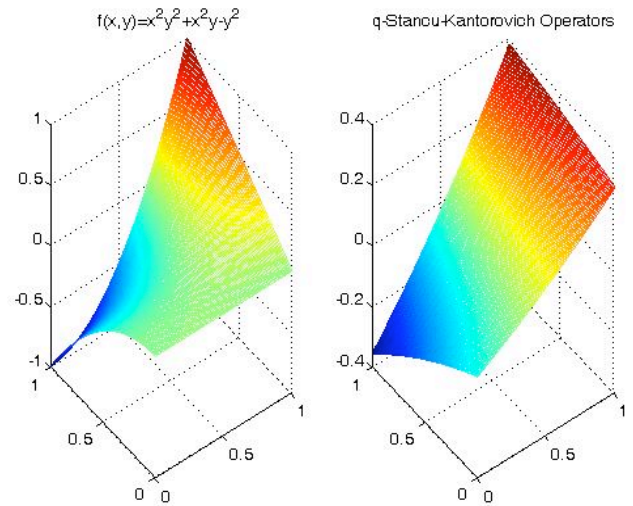


Figure 1:

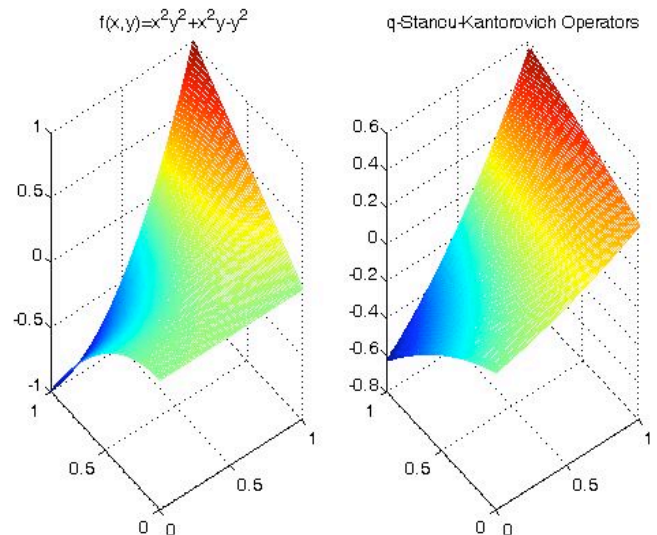


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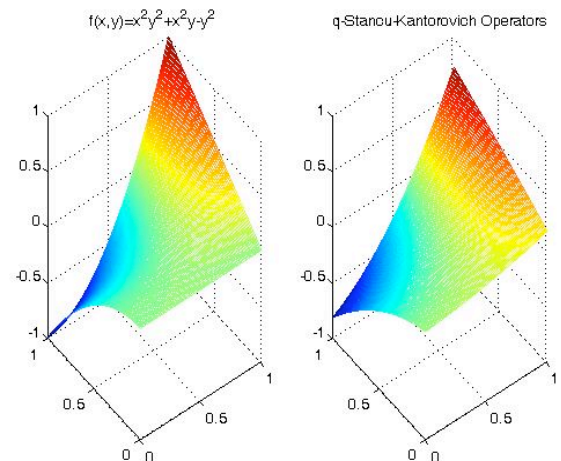


Figure 3:

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