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SOME INEQUALITIES OF HERMITE-HADAMARD TYPE FOR h -CONVEX FUNCTIONS

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Abstract. In the paper, the authors establish some new integral inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type for h -convex functions.

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1. Introduction

Throughout this paper, we use the following notations:

$$\mathbb{R} = (-\infty, \infty), \quad \mathbb{R}_0 = [0, \infty), \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbb{R}_+ = (0, \infty).$$

We first recite some definitions of various convex functions.

Definition 1.1. A function $f : I \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be convex if

$$(1.1) \quad f(\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y) \leq \lambda f(x) + (1 - \lambda)f(y)$$

holds for all $x, y \in I$ and $\lambda \in [0, 1]$.

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Definition 1.2 ([17]). Let $I, J \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be intervals, $(0, 1) \subseteq J$, and $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a non-negative function. A function $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called h -convex, or say, f belongs to the class $\text{SX}(h, I)$, if f is non-negative and

$$(1.2) \quad f(tx + (1-t)y) \leq h(t)f(x) + h(1-t)f(y)$$

for all $x, y \in I$ and $t \in [0, 1]$.

The following theorems are some inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type for the above mentioned convex functions.

Theorem 1.3 ([9, Theorem 2.2]). *Let $f : I^\circ \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable mapping and $a, b \in I^\circ$ with $a < b$. If $|f'(x)|$ is convex on $[a, b]$, then*

$$(1.3) \quad \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{b-a}{8} (|f'(a)| + |f'(b)|).$$

Theorem 1.4 ([13, Theorem 4]). *Let $I \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be an open interval, $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$, $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a twice differentiable mapping such that $f''(x)$ is integrable. If $|f''(x)|$ is a convex function on $[a, b]$ and $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$, then*

$$(1.4) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| (\lambda - 1)f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \begin{cases} \frac{(b-a)^2}{24} \left\{ \left[\lambda^4 + (1+\lambda)(1-\lambda)^3 + \frac{5\lambda-3}{4} \right] |f''(a)| \right. \\ \quad \left. + \left[\lambda^4 + (2-\lambda)\lambda^3 + \frac{1-3\lambda}{4} \right] |f''(b)| \right\}, & 0 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{1}{2}; \\ \frac{(b-a)^2}{48} (3\lambda - 1) (|f''(a)| + |f''(b)|), & \frac{1}{2} \leq \lambda \leq 1. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

For more information on this topic, please refer to [1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 13, 14, 15, 17], recently published articles [4, 5, 8, 11, 12, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25] by the authors, and closely related references therein.

Theorem 1.5 ([2, Theorems 1 and 2]). *Let $I, J \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be intervals, $(0, 1) \subseteq J$, and $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a twice differentiable function on I° such that $f'' \in L([a, b])$ for $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f''|$ is an h -convex function on $[a, b]$ for some fixed $q > 1$, then*

$$(1.5) \quad \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \int_0^1 f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\frac{1}{2p+1} \right)^{1/p} \left[\int_a^b h(x) dx \right]^{1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left\{ \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right\}^{1/q} \right\}$$

and

$$(1.6) \quad \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{48} \left[\int_0^1 h(x) dx \right]^{1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left\{ \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right\}^{1/q} \right\},$$

where $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$.

In this paper, we will establish some new integral inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type for h -convex functions.

2. Lemmas

For establishing our new integral inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type for h -convex functions, we need the following integral identity.

Lemma 2.1. *Let $f : I \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a twice differentiable function I° and $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$. If $f'' \in L([a, b])$ for $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$, then*

$$(2.1) \quad \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \\ = \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \int_0^1 t(2\lambda-t) \left[f''\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) + f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right] dt.$$

Proof. Integrating by part yields

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \int_0^1 t(2\lambda-t) \left[f''\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) + f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right] dt \\ &= \frac{b-a}{8} \left[t(2\lambda-t) f'\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \Big|_0^1 + \int_0^1 (2t-2\lambda) f'\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) dt \right. \\ &\quad \left. - t(2\lambda-t) f'\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 (2t-2\lambda) f'\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) dt \right] \\ &= \frac{b-a}{4} \int_0^1 (t-\lambda) \left[f'\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - f'\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right] dt \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{2} \left[(t-\lambda) f\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 f\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) dt \right. \\
&\quad \left. + (t-\lambda) f\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 f\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) dt \right] \\
&= \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx.
\end{aligned}$$

The completes the proof of Lemma 2.1. \square

Lemma 2.2. *Let $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$ and $r > -1$. Then*

$$\int_0^1 t|2\lambda - t|^r dt = \begin{cases} \frac{(2\lambda)^{r+2} + (2\lambda + r + 1)(1 - 2\lambda)^{r+1}}{(r+1)(r+2)}, & 0 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{1}{2}, \\ \frac{(2\lambda)^{r+2} - (2\lambda + r + 1)(2\lambda - 1)^{r+1}}{(r+1)(r+2)}, & \frac{1}{2} \leq \lambda \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

Proof. The proof is straightforward. \square

3. Some new integral inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type

We are now in a position to establish some new integral inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type for differentiable and h -convex functions.

Theorem 3.1. *Let $I, J \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be intervals, $(0, 1) \subseteq J$, and $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a twice differentiable function on I° such that $f'' \in L([a, b])$ for $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$ and $|f''|^q$ is an h -convex function on $[a, b]$ for $q \geq 1$, then*

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.1) \quad & \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} [H_1(\lambda)]^{1-1/q} \\
& \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t|2\lambda - t|h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t|2\lambda - t|h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t|2\lambda - t|h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t|2\lambda - t|h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\},
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$(3.2) \quad H_1(\lambda) = \begin{cases} \frac{8\lambda^3 - 3\lambda + 1}{3}, & 0 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{1}{2}, \\ \frac{3\lambda - 1}{3}, & \frac{1}{2} \leq \lambda \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

Proof. From Lemma 2.1 and Hölder's inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.3) \quad & \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1 - \lambda) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\
& \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left\{ \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| \left[\left| f''\left((1-t)a+t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| + \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2}+(1-t)b\right) \right| \right] dt \right\} \\
& \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| dt \right)^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[\int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| \left| f''\left((1-t)a+t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \left[\int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2}+(1-t)b\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Using Lemma 2.2, we have

$$(3.4) \quad \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| dt = \begin{cases} \frac{8\lambda^3 - 3\lambda + 1}{3}, & 0 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{3\lambda - 1}{3}, & \frac{1}{2} \leq \lambda \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

Therefore, by the h -convexity of $|f''|^q$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.5) \quad & \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| \left| f''\left((1-t)a+t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q dt \\
& \leq |f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| h(t) dt
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.6) \quad & \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2}+(1-t)b\right) \right|^q dt \\
& \leq \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| h(1-t) dt.
\end{aligned}$$

Substituting the equation (3.4) and the inequalities (3.5) and (3.6) into the inequality (3.3) yields the inequality (3.1). Theorem 3.1 is thus proved. \square

Corollary 3.2. Under the conditions of Theorem 3.1, if $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$ is symmetric to $\frac{1}{2}$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1 - \lambda) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left[\int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \\
& \times [H_1(\lambda)]^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\};
\end{aligned}$$

Furthermore, if $\lambda = 0$ also, then

$$(3.7) \quad \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{3^{1/q}(b-a)^2}{48} \left[\int_0^1 t^2 h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\}.$$

Corollary 3.3. Under the conditions of Theorem 3.1, when $q = 1$, we have

$$(3.8) \quad \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \\ \times \left\{ [|f''(a)| + |f''(b)|] \int_0^1 t|2\lambda - t|h(1-t) dt + 2 \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| \int_0^1 t|2\lambda - t|h(t) dt \right\}.$$

Corollary 3.4. Under the conditions of Theorem 3.1,

(1) when $\lambda = 0$, we have

$$(3.9) \quad \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{3^{1/q}(b-a)^2}{48} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t^2 h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^2 h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^2 h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t^2 h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\};$$

(2) when $\lambda = \frac{1}{3}$, we have

$$(3.10) \quad \left| \frac{1}{6} \left[f(a) + f(b) + 4f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right] - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{162} \left(\frac{81}{8} \right)^{1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t \left| \frac{2}{3} - t \right| h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} \int_0^1 t \left| \frac{2}{3} - t \right| h(t) dt \right. \\ \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t \left| \frac{2}{3} - t \right| h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t \left| \frac{2}{3} - t \right| h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\};$$

(3) when $\lambda = \frac{1}{2}$, we have

$$(3.11) \quad \left| \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right] - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ \leq \frac{6^{1/q}(b-a)^2}{96} \left(\int_0^1 t(1-t) h(t) dt \right) \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\};$$

(4) when $\lambda = 1$, we have

$$(3.12) \quad \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{24} \left(\frac{3}{2} \right)^{1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t(2-t)h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t(2-t)h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\int_0^1 t(2-t)h(t) dt \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t(2-t)h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}.$$

Theorem 3.5. Let $I, J \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be intervals, $(0, 1) \subseteq J$, and $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a twice differentiable function on I° such that $f'' \in L([a, b])$ for $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$ and $|f''|^q$ is an h -convex function on $[a, b]$ for $q > 1$, then

$$(3.13) \quad \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda)f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} [H_2(\lambda)]^{1-1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 th(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 th(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 th(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 th(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\},$$

where

$$(3.14) \quad H_2(\lambda) = \begin{cases} (q-1)[(q-1)(2\lambda)^{(3q-2)/(q-1)} + \\ \quad +(2q+2\lambda q-2\lambda-1)(1-2\lambda)^{(2q-1)/(q-1)}] \\ \quad \frac{(2q-1)(3q-2)}{(q-1)\{(q-1)(2\lambda)^{(3q-2)/(q-1)} + \\ \quad +[2q-4\lambda^2(q-1)-2\lambda q-1](2\lambda-1)^{q/(q-1)}\}} & 0 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{1}{2}, \\ \frac{(2q-1)(3q-2)}{(q-1)\{(q-1)(2\lambda)^{(3q-2)/(q-1)} + \\ \quad +[2q-4\lambda^2(q-1)-2\lambda q-1](2\lambda-1)^{q/(q-1)}\}} & \frac{1}{2} \leq \lambda \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

Proof. Using Lemma 2.1, Hölder's inequality, and the h -convexity of $|f''|^q$, we have

$$\left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda)f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \\ \times \left\{ \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| \left[\left| f''\left((1-t)a+t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| + \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2}+(1-t)b\right) \right| \right] dt \right\} \\ \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left[\int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t|^{q/(q-1)} dt \right]^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[\int_0^1 t \left| f''\left((1-t)a+t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\int_0^1 t \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2}+(1-t)b\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} [H_2(\lambda)]^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 th(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 th(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left\{ \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 th(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 th(1-t) dt \right\}^{1/q} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

where we used Lemma 2.2 to deduce $H_2(\lambda)$. The proof of Theorem 3.5 is complete. \square

Corollary 3.6. *Under the conditions of Theorem 3.5, if $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$ is symmetric to $\frac{1}{2}$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} (3.15) \quad &\left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda)f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} [H_2(\lambda)]^{1-1/q} \\ &\times \left[\int_0^1 th(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\}; \end{aligned}$$

Furthermore, if $\lambda = 0$ also, then

$$\begin{aligned} (3.16) \quad &\left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\frac{q-1}{3q-2} \right)^{1-1/q} \left[\int_0^1 th(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \\ &\times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Remark 3.7. *Under the conditions of Theorem 3.5, if $\lambda = 0, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}, 1$, we have*

$$\begin{aligned} H_2\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) &= \frac{q-1}{(2q-1)(3q-2)} \left[(q-1)\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{(3q-2)/(q-1)} + (8q-5)\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{(3q-2)/(q-1)} \right], \\ H_2(0) &= \frac{q-1}{3q-2}, \quad H_2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{(q-1)^2}{(2q-1)(3q-2)}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$H_2(1) = \frac{q-1}{(2q-1)(3q-2)} [2^{(3q-2)/(q-1)}(q-1) - 4q + 3].$$

Theorem 3.8. *Let $I, J \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be intervals, $(0, 1) \subseteq J$, and $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a twice differentiable function on I° such that $f'' \in L([a, b])$ for $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$ and $|f''|^q$ is an h -convex function on $[a, b]$ for $q > 1$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} (3.17) \quad &\left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda)f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} [H_3(\lambda)]^{1-1/q} \\ &\times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

$$+ \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \Bigg\},$$

where

$$(3.18) \quad H_3(\lambda) = \begin{cases} \frac{(q-1)[(2\lambda)^{(2q-1)/(q-1)} + (1-2\lambda)^{(2q-1)/(q-1)}]}{2q-1}, & 0 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{1}{2}, \\ \frac{(q-1)[(2\lambda)^{(2q-1)/(q-1)} - (2\lambda-1)^{(2q-1)/(q-1)}]}{2q-1}, & \frac{1}{2} \leq \lambda \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

Proof. By Lemma 2.1, Hölder's inequality, and the h -convexity of $|f''|^q$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda)f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left\{ \int_0^1 t|2\lambda-t| \left[\left| f''\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| + \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right| \right] dt \right\} \\ & \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left[\int_0^1 |2\lambda-t|^{q/(q-1)} dt \right]^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[\int_0^1 t^q \left| f''\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left[\int_0^1 t^q \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right\} \\ & \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} [H_3(\lambda)]^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t^q h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

The proof of Theorem 3.8 is complete. \square

Corollary 3.9. Under the conditions of Theorem 3.8, if $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$ is symmetric to $\frac{1}{2}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1-\lambda)f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} [H_3(\lambda)]^{1-1/q} \\ & \times \left[\int_0^1 t^q h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Remark 3.10. Under the conditions of Theorem 3.8, if $\lambda = 0, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}, 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} H_3(0) &= \frac{q-1}{2q-1}, \quad H_3\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = \frac{q-1}{2q-1} \left[\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{(2q-1)/(q-1)} + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{(2q-1)/(q-1)} \right], \\ H_3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) &= \frac{q-1}{2q-1}, \quad H_3(1) = \frac{q-1}{2q-1} [2^{(2q-1)/(q-1)} - 1]. \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 3.11. Let $I, J \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be intervals, $(0, 1) \subseteq J$, and $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a twice differentiable function on I° such that $f'' \in L([a, b])$ for $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$ and $|f''|^q$ is an h -convex function on $[a, b]$ for $q > 1$, then

$$(3.19) \quad \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1 - \lambda) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\frac{q-1}{2q-1} \right)^{1-1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}.$$

Proof. Using Lemma 2.1, Hölder's inequality, and the h -convexity of $|f''|^q$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1 - \lambda) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left\{ \int_0^1 t |2\lambda - t| \left[\left| f''\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| + \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right| \right] dt \right\} \\ & \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left[\int_0^1 t^{q/(q-1)} dt \right]^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[\int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q \left| f''\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left[\int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right\} \\ & \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\frac{q-1}{2q-1} \right)^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q h(1-t) dt \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q h(t) dt \right. \\ & \quad \left. + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

The proof of Theorem 3.11 is complete. \square

Corollary 3.12. Under the conditions of Theorem 3.11, if $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$ is symmetric to $\frac{1}{2}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \lambda \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + (1 - \lambda) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left[\int_0^1 |2\lambda - t|^q h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \\ & \times \left(\frac{q-1}{2q-1} \right)^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 3.13. Let $I, J \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be intervals, $(0, 1) \subseteq J$, and $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a twice differentiable function on I° such that $f'' \in L([a, b])$ for $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f''|^q$ is an h -convex function on $[a, b]$ for $q > 1$ and $2q \geq r \geq 0$, then

$$(3.20) \quad \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\frac{q-1}{3q-r-1} \right)^{1-1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t^r h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^r h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^r h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t^r h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}.$$

Proof. Using Lemma 2.1, Hölder's inequality, and the h -convexity of $|f''|^q$, we have

$$\left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\int_0^1 t^{(2q-r)/(q-1)} dt \right)^{1-1/q} \left\{ \left[\int_0^1 t^r \left| f''\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\int_0^1 t^r \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right\} \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\frac{q-1}{3q-r-1} \right)^{1-1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t^r h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^r h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^r h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t^r h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}.$$

The proof of Theorem 3.13 is complete. \square

Corollary 3.14. Under the conditions of Theorem 3.13, if $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$ is symmetric to $\frac{1}{2}$, then

$$(3.21) \quad \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\frac{q-1}{3q-r-1} \right)^{1-1/q} \left[\int_0^1 t^r h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \\ \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\};$$

Furthermore,

(1) if $r = 0$ also, we have

$$\left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left(\frac{q-1}{3q-1} \right)^{1-1/q} \left[\int_0^1 h(t) dt \right]^{1/q}$$

$$\times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\};$$

(2) if $r = 2q$ also, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| &\leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left[\int_0^1 t^{2q} h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \\ &\times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{1/q} + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f''(b)|^q \right]^{1/q} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 3.15. Let $I, J \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be intervals, $(0, 1) \subseteq J$, and $h : J \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a twice differentiable function on I° such that $f'' \in L([a, b])$ for $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f''|^q$ is an h -convex function on $[a, b]$ for $q > 1$ and $q \geq r, s \geq 0$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right] - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| &\leq B^{1-1/q} \left(\frac{2q-r-1}{q-1}, \frac{2q-s-1}{q-1} \right) \\ &\times \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

where $B(\alpha, \beta)$ denotes the well known Beta function which may be defined by

$$(3.22) \quad B(\alpha, \beta) = \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} (1-t)^{\beta-1} dt, \quad \alpha, \beta > 0.$$

Proof. Using Lemma 2.1, Hölder's inequality, and the h -convexity of $|f''|^q$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right] - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ &\leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left\{ \int_0^1 t(1-t) \left[\left| f''\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| + \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right| \right] dt \right\} \\ &\leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left[\int_0^1 t^{(q-r)/(q-1)} (1-t)^{(q-s)/(q-1)} dt \right]^{1-1/q} \\ &\quad \times \left\{ \left[\int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s \left| f''\left((1-t)a + t\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left[\int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s \left| f''\left(t\frac{a+b}{2} + (1-t)b\right) \right|^q dt \right]^{1/q} \right\} \\ &\leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{16} \left[B\left(\frac{2q-r-1}{q-1}, \frac{2q-s-1}{q-1}\right) \right]^{1-1/q} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \times \left\{ \left[|f''(a)|^q \int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s h(1-t) dt + \left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s h(t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right. \\ & \left. + \left[\left| f''\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s h(t) dt + |f''(b)|^q \int_0^1 t^r (1-t)^s h(1-t) dt \right]^{1/q} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

The proof of Theorem 3.15 is complete. \square

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