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Hermite-Hadamard Type Inequalities for *F*-Convex Function Involving Fractional Integrals

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Abstract. In this study, we firstly give some properties the family F and F-convex function which are defined by B. Samet. Then, we establish Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities involving fractional integrals via F-convex function. Some previous results are also recaptured as special cases

1. Introduction

Let $f: I \subseteq R \to R$ be a convex function on the interval I of real numbers and $a, b \in I$ with a < b. If f is a convex function then the following double inequality, which is well known in the literature as the Hermite–Hadamard inequality, holds [14]

$$f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \le \frac{1}{b-a} \int_{a}^{b} f(x)dx \le \frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2}.$$
 (1)

Note that some of the classical inequalities for means can be derived from (1) for appropriate particular selections of the mapping f. Both inequalities hold in the reversed direction if f is concave (1).

It is well known that the Hermite–Hadamard inequality plays an important role in nonlinear analysis. Over the last decade, this classical inequality has been improved and generalized in a number of ways; there have been a large number of research papers written on this subject, (see, [2, 3, 7, 8, 10, 13, 19, 20]) and the references therein.

Over the years, many type of convexity have been defined, such as quasi-convex [1], pseudo-convex [11], strongly convex [16], ε -convex [6], s-convex [5], h-convex [22] etc. Recently, Samet [17] have defined a new concept of convexity that depends on a certain function satisfying some axioms, that generalizes different types of convexity, including ε -convex functions, α -convex functions, h-convex functions, and many others.

Recall the family \mathcal{F} of mappings $F: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times [0,1] \to \mathbb{R}$ satisfying the following axioms:

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(A1) If $u_i \in L^1(0, 1)$, i = 1, 2, 3, then for every $\lambda \in [0, 1]$, we have

$$\int_{0}^{1} F(u_{1}(t), u_{2}(t), u_{3}(t), \lambda) dt = F\left(\int_{0}^{1} u_{1}(t) dt, \int_{0}^{1} u_{2}(t) dt, \int_{0}^{1} u_{3}(t) dt, \lambda\right).$$

(A2) For every $u \in L^1(0,1)$, $w \in L^{\infty}(0,1)$ and $(z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, we have

$$\int_{0}^{1} F(w(t)u(t), w(t)z_{1}, w(t)z_{2}, t)dt = T_{F,w}\left(\int_{0}^{1} w(t)u(t)dt, z_{1}, z_{2}\right),$$

where $T_{F,w}: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ is a function that depends on (F, w), and it is nondecreasing with respect to the first variable.

(A3) For any $(w, u_1, u_2, u_3) \in \mathbb{R}^4$, $u_4 \in [0, 1]$, we have

$$wF(u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4) = F(wu_1, wu_2, wu_3, u_4) + L_w$$

where $L_w \in \mathbb{R}$ is a constant that depends only on w.

Definition 1.1. Let $f : [a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$, $(a,b) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, a < b, be a given function. We say that f is a convex function with respect to some $F \in \mathcal{F}$ (or F-convex function) if

$$F(f(tx + (1 - t)y), f(x), f(y), t) \le 0, (x, y, t) \in [a, b] \times [a, b] \times [0, 1].$$

Remark 1.2. 1) Let $\varepsilon \ge 0$, and let $f:[a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$, $(a,b) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, a < b, be an ε -convex function, that is (see [6])

$$f(tx + (1-t)y) \le tf(x) + (1-t)f(y) + \varepsilon, \ (x,y,t) \in [a,b] \times [a,b] \times [0,1].$$

Define the functions $F : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times [0,1] \to \mathbb{R}$ by

$$F(u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4) = u_1 - u_4 u_2 - (1 - u_4) u_3 - \varepsilon$$
(2)

and $T_{F.w}: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ by

$$T_{F,w}(u_1, u_2, u_3) = u_1 - \left(\int_0^1 tw(t)dt\right)u_2 - \left(\int_0^1 (1 - t)w(t)dt\right)u_3 - \varepsilon.$$
 (3)

For

$$L_w = (1 - w)\varepsilon,\tag{4}$$

it is clear that $F \in \mathcal{F}$ and

$$F(f(tx + (1 - t)y), f(x), f(y), t) = f(tx + (1 - t)y) - tf(x) - (1 - t)f(y) - \varepsilon \le 0,$$

that is f is an F-convex function. Particularly, taking $\varepsilon = 0$, we show that if f is a convex function then f is an F-convex function with respect to F defined above.

2) Let $f:[a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$, $(a,b) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, a < b, be an α -convex function, $\alpha \in (0,1]$, that is

$$f(tx + (1-t)y) \le t^{\alpha} f(x) + (1-t^{\alpha})f(y), (x,y,t) \in [a,b] \times [a,b] \times [0,1].$$

Define the functions $F : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times [0,1] \to \mathbb{R}$ by

$$F(u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4) = u_1 - u_4^{\alpha} u_2 - (1 - u_4^{\alpha}) u_3 \tag{5}$$

and $T_{F,w}: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ by

$$T_{F,w}(u_1, u_2, u_3) = u_1 - \left(\int_0^1 t^{\alpha} w(t)dt\right) u_2 - \left(\int_0^1 (1 - t^{\alpha}) w(t)dt\right) u_3.$$
 (6)

For $L_w = 0$, it is clear that $F \in \mathcal{F}$ and

$$F(f(tx+(1-t)y), f(x), f(y), t) = f(tx+(1-t)y) - t^{\alpha}f(x) - (1-t^{\alpha})f(y) \le 0,$$

that is *f* is an *F*–convex function.

3) Let $h: J \to [0, \infty)$ be a given function which is not identical to 0, where J is an interval in \mathbb{R} such that $(0,1) \subseteq J$. Let $f: [a,b] \to [0,\infty)$, $(a,b) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, a < b, be an h-convex function, that is (see [22])

$$f(tx + (1-t)y) \le h(t)f(x) + h(1-t)f(y), (x, y, t) \in [a, b] \times [a, b] \times [0, 1].$$

Define the functions $F : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times [0,1] \to \mathbb{R}$ by

$$F(u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4) = u_1 - h(u_4)u_2 - h(1 - u_4)u_3$$
(7)

and $T_{F,w}: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ by

$$T_{F,w}(u_1, u_2, u_3) = u_1 - \left(\int_0^1 h(t)w(t)dt\right)u_2 - \left(\int_0^1 h(1-t)w(t)dt\right)u_3.$$
 (8)

For $L_w = 0$, it is clear that $F \in \mathcal{F}$ and

$$F(f(tx + (1-t)y), f(x), f(y), t) = f(tx + (1-t)y) - h(t)f(x) - h(1-t)f(y) \le 0$$

that is *f* is an *F*-convex function.

In [17], the author established the following Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities using the new convexity concept:

Theorem 1.3. Let $f:[a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$, $(a,b) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, a < b, be an F-convex function, for some $F \in \mathcal{F}$. Suppose that $f \in L_1[a,b]$. Then

$$F\left(f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right), \frac{1}{b-a} \int_{a}^{b} f(x)dx, \frac{1}{b-a} \int_{a}^{b} f(x)dx, \frac{1}{2}\right) \le 0,$$

$$T_{F,1}\left(\frac{1}{b-a}\int_a^b f(x)dx, f(a), f(b)\right) \le 0.$$

Theorem 1.4. Let $f: I^{\circ} \subseteq \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable mapping on I° , $(a,b) \in I^{\circ} \times I^{\circ}$, a < b. Suppose that

- (i) |f'| is F-convex on [a,b], for some $F \in \mathcal{F}$
- (ii) the function $t \in (0,1) \to L_{w(t)}$ belongs to $L^1(0,1)$, where w(t) = |1-2t|. Then,

$$T_{E,w}\left(\frac{2}{b-a}\left|\frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2}-\frac{1}{b-a}\int_{a}^{b}f(x)dx\right|,\left|f'(a)\right|,\left|f'(b)\right|\right)+\int_{0}^{1}L_{w(t)}dt\leq0.$$

Theorem 1.5. Let $f: I^{\circ} \subseteq \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable mapping on I° , $(a,b) \in I^{\circ} \times I^{\circ}$, a < b and let p > 1. Suppose that $\left| f' \right|^{p/(p-1)}$ is F-convex on [a,b], for some $F \in \mathcal{F}$ and $\left| f' \right| \in L^{p/(p-1)}(a,b)$. Then

$$T_{F,1}\left(A(p,f), \left|f'(a)\right|^{p/(p-1)}, \left|f'(b)\right|^{p/(p-1)}\right) \le 0$$

where

$$A(p,f) = \left(\frac{2}{b-a}\right)^{\frac{p}{p-1}} (p+1)^{\frac{1}{p-1}} \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right|^{\frac{p}{p-1}}.$$

In the following we will give some necessary definitions and mathematical preliminaries of fractional calculus theory which are used further in this paper. More details, one can consult [4, 9, 12, 15].

Definition 1.6. Let $f \in L_1[a,b]$. The Riemann-Liouville integrals $J_{a+}^{\alpha}f$ and $J_{b-}^{\alpha}f$ of order $\alpha > 0$ with $x \ge a$ are defined by

$$J_{a+}^{\alpha}f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{a}^{x} (x-t)^{\alpha-1} f(t)dt, \quad x > a$$

and

$$J_{b-}^{\alpha}f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{x}^{b} (t-x)^{\alpha-1} f(t)dt, \quad x < b$$

respectively. Here, $\Gamma(\alpha)$ is the Gamma function and $J_{a+}^0 f(x) = J_{b-}^0 f(x) = f(x)$.

It is remarkable that Sarikaya et al. [21] first give the following interesting integral inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type involving Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals.

Theorem 1.7. Let $f : [a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$ be a positive function with $0 \le a < b$ and $f \in L_1[a,b]$. If f is a convex function on [a,b], then the following inequalities for fractional integrals hold:

$$f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \le \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a+}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b-}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \le \frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2} \tag{9}$$

with $\alpha > 0$.

Meanwhile, Sarikaya et al. [21] presented the following important integral identity including the first-order derivative of f to establish many interesting Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for convexity functions via Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals of the order $\alpha > 0$.

Lemma 1.8. Let $f : [a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable mapping on (a,b) with a < b. If $f' \in L[a,b]$, then the following equality for fractional integrals holds:

$$\frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b - a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a+}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b-}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] = \frac{b - a}{2} \int_{0}^{1} \left[(1 - t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha} \right] f'(ta + (1 - t)b) dt. \tag{10}$$

2. Hermite-Hadamard Type Inequality Involving Fractional Integrals

In this section, we establish some inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type including fractional integrals via *F*–convex functions.

Theorem 2.1. Let $I \subseteq R$ be an interval, $f: I^{\circ} \subseteq \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a mapping on I° , $a, b \in I^{\circ}$, a < b. If f is F-convex on [a,b], for some $F \in \mathcal{F}$, then we have the inequalities

$$F\left(f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right), \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b), \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a), \frac{1}{2}\right) + \int_{0}^{1}L_{w(t)}dt \leq 0 \tag{11}$$

and

$$T_{F,w}\left(\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}\left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b)+J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a)\right],f(a)+f(b),f(a)+f(b)\right)+\int_{0}^{1}L_{w(t)}dt\leq0$$
(12)

where $w(t) = \alpha t^{\alpha-1}$.

Proof. Since *f* is *F*–convex, we have

$$F\left(f\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right), f(x), f(y), \frac{1}{2}\right) \le 0, \ x, y \in [a, b]$$

For x = ta + (1 - t)b and y = tb + (1 - t)a, we have

$$F\left(f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right), f(ta+(1-t)b), f(tb+(1-t)a), \frac{1}{2}\right) \le 0, \ t \in [0,1].$$

Multiplying this inequality by $w(t) = \alpha t^{\alpha-1}$ and using axiom (A3), we get

$$F\left(\alpha t^{\alpha-1}f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right),\alpha t^{\alpha-1}f(ta+(1-t)b),\alpha t^{\alpha-1}f(ta+(1-t)b),\frac{1}{2}\right)+L_{w(t)}\leq 0,$$

for $t \in [0,1]$. Integrating over [0,1] with respect to the variable t and using axiom (A1), we obtain

$$F\left(f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)\alpha\int_{0}^{1}t^{\alpha-1}dt,\alpha\int_{0}^{1}t^{\alpha-1}f(ta+(1-t)b)dt,\alpha\int_{0}^{1}t^{\alpha-1}f(ta+(1-t)b)dt,\frac{1}{2}\right)+\int_{0}^{1}L_{w(t)}dt\leq0.$$

Using the facts that

$$\int_0^1 t^{\alpha - 1} f(ta + (1 - t)b) dt = \frac{1}{(b - a)^{\alpha}} \int_a^b (b - x)^{\alpha - 1} f(x) dx = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)}{(b - a)^{\alpha}} J_{a^+}^{\alpha} f(b)$$

and

$$\int_0^1 t^{\alpha - 1} f(ta + (1 - t)b) dt = \frac{1}{(b - a)^{\alpha}} \int_a^b (x - a)^{\alpha - 1} f(x) dx = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)}{(b - a)^{\alpha}} J_{b^-}^{\alpha} f(a),$$

we obtain

$$F\left(f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right),\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}J_{a^+}^{\alpha}f(b),\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}J_{b^-}^{\alpha}f(a),\frac{1}{2}\right)+\int_0^1L_{w(t)}dt\leq 0$$

which gives (11).

On the other hand, since f is F-convex, we have

$$F(f(ta + (1 - t)b), f(a), f(b), t) \le 0, t \in [0, 1]$$

and

$$F(f(tb+(1-t)a), f(b), f(a), t) \le 0, t \in [0,1].$$

Using the linearity of *F*, we get

$$F(f(ta + (1-t)b) + f(tb + (1-t)a), f(a) + f(b), f(a) + f(b), t) \le 0, t \in [0,1].$$

Applying the axiom (A3) for $w(t) = \alpha t^{\alpha-1}$, we obtain

$$F\left(\alpha t^{\alpha-1} \left[f\left(ta + (1-t)b\right) + f\left(tb + (1-t)a\right) \right], \alpha t^{\alpha-1} \left[f(a) + f(b) \right], \alpha t^{\alpha-1} \left[f(a) + f(b) \right], t\right) + L_{w(t)} \le 0,$$

for $t \in [0,1]$. Integrating over [0,1] and using axiom (A2), we have

$$T_{F,w}\left(\int_0^1 \alpha t^{\alpha-1} \left[f\left(ta + (1-t)b\right) + f\left(tb + (1-t)a\right) \right] dt, f(a) + f(b), f(a) + f(b) \right) + \int_0^1 L_{w(t)} dt \le 0,$$

that is

$$T_{F,w}\left(\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b) + \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a), f(a) + f(b), f(a) + f(b)\right) + \int_{0}^{1}L_{w(t)}dt \leq 0.$$

This completes the proof. \Box

Corollary 2.2. If we choose $F(u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4) = u_1 - u_4u_2 - (1 - u_4)u_3 - \varepsilon$ in Theorem 2.1, then the function f is ε -convex on [a, b], $\varepsilon \ge 0$ and we have the inequality

$$f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \varepsilon \le \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^+}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^-}^{\alpha} f(a)\right] \le \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

Proof. Using (4) with $w(t) = \alpha t^{\alpha-1}$, we have

$$\int_{0}^{1} L_{w(t)}dt = \varepsilon \int_{0}^{1} (1 - \alpha t^{\alpha - 1})dt = 0.$$

$$\tag{13}$$

Using (2), (11) and (13), we get

$$0 \geq F\left(f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right), \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b), \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a), \frac{1}{2}\right) + \int_{0}^{1}L_{w(t)}dt$$
$$= f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{2}\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}}\left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a)\right] - \varepsilon,$$

that is

$$f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \varepsilon \le \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^+}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^-}^{\alpha} f(a) \right].$$

On the other hand, using (3) with $w(t) = \alpha t^{\alpha-1}$, we have

$$T_{F,w}(u_1, u_2, u_3) = u_1 - \alpha \left(\int_0^1 t^{\alpha} dt \right) u_2 - \alpha \left(\int_0^1 (1 - t) t^{\alpha - 1} dt \right) u_3 - \varepsilon = u_1 - \frac{\alpha u_2 + u_3}{\alpha + 1} - \varepsilon$$
 (14)

for $u_1, u_2, u_3 \in \mathbb{R}$. Hence, from (12) and (14), we obtain

$$0 \geq T_{F,w} \left(\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right], f(a) + f(b), f(a) + f(b) \right) + \int_{0}^{1} L_{w(t)} dt$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] - \frac{1}{\alpha+1} \left[\alpha \left(f(a) + f(b) \right) + \left(f(a) + f(b) \right) \right] - \varepsilon$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] - \left(f(a) + f(b) \right) - \varepsilon.$$

This implies that

$$\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^+}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^-}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \le f(a) + f(b) + \varepsilon$$

and thus the proof is completed. \Box

Remark 2.3. If we take $\varepsilon = 0$ in Corollary 2.2, then f is convex and we have the inequality (9).

Corollary 2.4. If we choose $F(u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4) = u_1 - h(u_4)u_2 - h(1 - u_4)u_3$ in Theorem 2.1, then the function f is h-convex on [a, b] and we have the inequality

$$\frac{1}{2h\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)}f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \leq \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}}\left[J_{a^+}^{\alpha}f(b) + J_{b^-}^{\alpha}f(a)\right] \leq \alpha\left(\int_0^1 \left[h(t) + h(1-t)\right]t^{\alpha-1}dt\right)\frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2}.$$

Proof. Using (4) and (11) with $L_{w(t)} = 0$, we have

$$0 \geq F\left(f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right), \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b), \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a), \frac{1}{2}\right) + \int_{0}^{1} L_{w(t)} dt$$

$$= f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - h\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a)\right],$$

that is

$$\frac{1}{2h\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)}f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \leq \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}}\left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a)\right].$$

On the other hand, using (8) and (12) with $w(t) = \alpha t^{\alpha-1}$, we obtain

$$0 \geq T_{F,w} \left(\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right], f(a) + f(b), f(a) + f(b) \right) + \int_{0}^{1} L_{w(t)} dt$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] - \alpha \left[\int_{0}^{1} h(t) t^{\alpha-1} dt + \int_{0}^{1} h(1-t) t^{\alpha-1} dt \right] \left[f(a) + f(b) \right]$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] - \alpha \left(\int_{0}^{1} \left[h(t) + h(1-t) \right] t^{\alpha-1} dt \right) \left[f(a) + f(b) \right],$$

that is,

$$\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^+}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^-}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \leq \alpha \left(\int_0^1 \left[h(t) + h(1-t) \right] t^{\alpha-1} dt \right) \left[f(a) + f(b) \right]$$

and thus the proof is completed. \Box

Theorem 2.5. Let $I \subseteq R$ be an interval, $f: I^{\circ} \subseteq \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable mapping on I° , $a, b \in I^{\circ}$, a < b. Suppose that |f'| is F-convex on [a,b], for some $F \in \mathcal{F}$ and the function $t \in [0,1] \to L_{w(t)}$ belongs to $L_1[0,1]$, where $w(t) = |(1-t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha}|$. Then, we have the inequality

$$T_{F,w}\left(\frac{2}{b-a}\left|\frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2}-\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}}\left[J_{a^+}^{\alpha}f(b)+J_{b^-}^{\alpha}f(a)\right]\right|,\left|f'(a)\right|,\left|f'(b)\right|\right)+\int_0^1L_{w(t)}dt\leq 0.$$

Proof. Since |f'| is *F*-convex, we have

$$F(|f'(ta+(1-t)b)|, |f'(a)|, |f'(b)|, t) \le 0, t \in [0,1].$$

Using axiom (A3) with $w(t) = |(1-t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha}|$, we get

$$F\left(w(t)\left|f'(ta+(1-t)b)\right|,w(t)\left|f'(a)\right|,w(t)\left|f'(b)\right|,t\right)+L_{w(t)}\leq 0,\ t\in[0,1]\,.$$

Integrating over [0, 1] and using axiom (A2), we obtain

$$T_{F,w}\left(\int_0^1 w(t) \left| f'(ta+(1-t)b) \right| dt, \left| f'(a) \right|, \left| f'(b) \right| \right) + \int_0^1 L_{w(t)} dt \leq 0, \ t \in [0,1] \, .$$

From Lemma 1.8, we have

$$\frac{2}{b-a} \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \right| \leq \int_{0}^{1} w(t) \left| f'(ta + (1-t)b) \right| dt.$$

Since $T_{E,w}$ is nondecreasing with respect to the first variable, we establish

$$T_{F,w}\left(\frac{2}{b-a}\left|\frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2}-\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}}\left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b)+J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a)\right]\right|,\left|f'(a)\right|,\left|f'(b)\right|\right)+\int_{0}^{1}L_{w(t)}dt\leq0.$$

The proof is completed. \Box

Corollary 2.6. Under assumptions of Theorem 2.5, if we choose $F(u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4) = u_1 - u_4u_2 - (1 - u_4)u_3 - \varepsilon$, then the function |f'| is ε -convex on [a, b], $\varepsilon \ge 0$ and we have the inequality

$$\left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b - a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{b - a}{2(\alpha + 1)} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha}} \right) \left[\left| f'(a) \right| + \left| f'(b) \right| + 2\varepsilon \right].$$

Proof. From (4) with $w(t) = |(1-t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha}|$, we have

$$\int_{0}^{1} L_{w(t)}dt = \varepsilon \int_{0}^{1} (1 - |(1 - t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha}|)dt$$

$$= \varepsilon \left[\int_{0}^{1/2} (1 - (1 - t)^{\alpha} + t^{\alpha})dt + \int_{1/2}^{1} (1 + (1 - t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha})dt \right]$$

$$= \varepsilon \left(1 - \frac{2}{\alpha + 1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha}} \right) \right).$$

Using (3) with $w(t) = |(1 - t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha}|$

$$T_{F,w}(u_1, u_2, u_3) = u_1 - \alpha \left(\int_0^1 t \, |(1-t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha}| \, dt \right) u_2 - \alpha \left(\int_0^1 (1-t) \, |(1-t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha}| \, dt \right) u_3 - \varepsilon$$

$$= u_1 - \frac{1}{\alpha + 1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha}} \right) (u_2 + u_3) - \varepsilon$$

for $u_1, u_2, u_3 \in \mathbb{R}$. Then, by Theorem 2.5, we have

$$0 \geq T_{F,w} \left(\frac{2}{b-a} \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \right|, |f'(a)|, |f'(b)| + \int_{0}^{1} L_{w(t)} dt$$

$$= \frac{2}{b-a} \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \right|$$

$$- \frac{1}{\alpha+1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha}} \right) \left[|f'(a)| + |f'(b)| \right] - \varepsilon + \varepsilon \left(1 - \frac{2}{\alpha+1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha}} \right) \right).$$

This completes the proof. \Box

Remark 2.7. If we choose $\varepsilon = 0$ in Corollary 2.6, then |f'| is convex and we have the inequality

$$\left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b - a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{b - a}{2(\alpha + 1)} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha}} \right) \left[\left| f'(a) \right| + \left| f'(b) \right| \right]$$

which is given by Sarikaya et. al in [21].

Corollary 2.8. Under assumption of Theorem 2.5, if we choose $F(u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4) = u_1 - h(u_4)u_2 - h(1 - u_4)u_3$, then the function |f'| is h-convex on [a, b] and we have the inequality

$$\left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b - a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{b - a}{2} \left(\int_{0}^{1} h(t) \left| (1 - t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha} \right| dt \right) \left[\left| f'(a) \right| + \left| f'(b) \right| \right].$$

Proof. From (8) with $w(t) = |(1-t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha}|$, we have

$$\left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b - a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha} f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha} f(a) \right] \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{b - a}{2} \left(\int_{0}^{1} h(t) \left| (1 - t)^{\alpha} - t^{\alpha} \right| dt \right) \left[\left| f'(a) \right| + \left| f'(b) \right| \right].$$

for $u_1, u_2, u_3 \in \mathbb{R}$. Then, by Theorem 2.5,

$$T_{F,w}\left(\frac{2}{b-a}\left|\frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2}-\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}}\left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b)+J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a)\right]\right|,\left|f'(a)\right|,\left|f'(b)\right|\right)$$

$$=\frac{2}{b-a}\left|\frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2}-\frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}}\left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b)+J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a)\right]\right|$$

$$-\left(\int_{0}^{1}h(t)\left|(1-t)^{\alpha}-t^{\alpha}\right|dt\right)\left[\left|f'(a)\right|+\left|f'(b)\right|\right]\leq0.$$

This completes the proof. \Box

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