

## Some extended trapezoid-type inequalities and applications

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### Abstract

In this paper, we shall establish some extended trapezoid-type

$$\left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \quad (a \leq x \leq c \leq y \leq b)$$

inequalities for differentiable convex functions and differentiable concave functions which are connected with Hermite-Hadamard inequality. Some error estimates for the midpoint, trapezoidal and Ostrowski formulae are also given.

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### 1. Introduction

Throughout in this paper, let  $a < b$  in  $\mathbb{R}$ .

The inequality

$$(1.1) \quad f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \leq (\geq) \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \leq (\geq) \frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2}$$

which holds for all convex (concave) functions  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , is known in the literature as Hermite-Hadamard inequality [7].

For some results which generalize, improve, and extend the inequality (1.1), see [1]-[6] and [8]-[15].

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In [11], Tseng *et al.* established the following Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality which refines the first inequality of (1.1).

**A. Theorem.** Suppose that  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a convex function on  $[a, b]$ . Then we have the inequality

$$(1.2) \quad \begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx. \end{aligned}$$

Using the similar proof of Theorem A, we also note that the inequalities in (1.2) are reversed when  $f$  is concave on  $[a, b]$ .

In [4], Dragomir and Agarwal established the following results connected with the second inequality in the inequality (1.1).

**B. Theorem.** Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a differentiable function on  $(a, b)$  with  $a < b$ . If  $|f'|$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ , then we have

$$(1.3) \quad \left| \frac{f(b) + f(a)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \leq \frac{b-a}{8} (|f'(a)| + |f'(b)|)$$

which is the trapezoid inequality provided  $|f'|$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ .

**C. Theorem.** Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a differentiable function on  $(a, b)$  with  $a < b$  and let  $p > 1$ . If  $|f'|^{p/(p-1)}$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ , then we have

$$(1.4) \quad \begin{aligned} &\left| \frac{f(b) + f(a)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{2(p+1)^{\frac{1}{p}}} \left[ \frac{|f'(a)|^{\frac{p}{p-1}} + |f'(b)|^{\frac{p}{p-1}}}{2} \right]^{\frac{p-1}{p}} \end{aligned}$$

which is the trapezoid inequality provided  $|f'|^{p/(p-1)}$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ .

In [10], Pearce and Pečarić established the following theorems that improve Theorem C, generalize Theorem D and give similar results of Theorems B-C with a concavity property instead of convexity.

**D. Theorem.** Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a differentiable function on  $(a, b)$  with  $a < b$  and  $q \geq 1$ . If  $|f'|^q$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ , then we have

$$(1.5) \quad \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \leq \frac{b-a}{4} \left[ \frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

which is the trapezoid inequality provided  $|f'|^q$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ .

**E. Theorem.** Under the assumptions of Theorem D. Then we have

$$(1.6) \quad \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \leq \frac{b-a}{4} \left[ \frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

which is the midpoint inequality provided  $|f'|^q$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ .

**F. Theorem.** Under the assumptions of Theorem D and  $|f'|^q$  ( $q \geq 1$ ) is concave on  $[a, b]$ . Then we have

$$(1.7) \quad \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \leq \frac{b-a}{4} \left| f'\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|$$

and

$$(1.8) \quad \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \leq \frac{b-a}{4} \left| f'\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|$$

which are the trapezoid inequality and the midpoint inequality provided  $|f'|^q$  is concave on  $[a, b]$ , respectively.

In [1], Alomari and Darus established the following Ostrowski-type inequalities.

**G. Theorem.** Under the assumptions of Theorem B. Then, for all  $x \in [a, b]$ , we have

$$(1.9) \quad \left| f(x) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \leq (b-a) \left[ \left( \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{b-x}{b-a} \right)^3 \right) |f'(a)| + \left( \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{x-a}{b-a} \right)^3 \right) |f'(b)| \right].$$

**H. Theorem.** Under the assumptions of Theorem D. Then, for all  $x \in [a, b]$ , we have

$$(1.10) \quad \left| f(x) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \leq \frac{b-a}{2^{\frac{1}{q}}} \left[ \left( \frac{x-a}{b-a} \right)^2 \left| f'\left(\frac{a+2x}{3}\right) \right| + \left( \frac{b-x}{b-a} \right)^2 \left| f'\left(\frac{2x+b}{3}\right) \right| \right].$$

From the above results, it is natural to consider the extended trapezoid-type formulae in the following lemma.

**1.1. Lemma.** Let  $a \leq x \leq c \leq y \leq b$ . Then we have the extended trapezoid-type formula

$$\left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right|$$

as follows:

(1) The trapezoid-type formula

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{f((1-\alpha)a + \alpha b) + f(\alpha a + (1-\alpha)b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \end{aligned}$$

as  $0 \leq \alpha \leq \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $x = (1-\alpha)a + \alpha b$ ,  $c = \frac{a+b}{2}$  and  $y = \alpha a + (1-\alpha)b$ .

(2) The trapezoid formula

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \end{aligned}$$

as  $x = a$ ,  $c = \frac{a+b}{2}$  and  $y = b$ .

(3) The midpoint formula

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ &= \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \end{aligned}$$

as  $x = c = y = \frac{a+b}{2}$ .

(4) *The Ostrowski formula*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ &= \left| f(x) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \end{aligned}$$

as  $x = c = y$ .

In this paper, we establish some extended trapezoid-type inequalities which reduce the trapezoid-type, midpoint-type, Ostrowski-type inequalities, and improve Theorems B and D-H. Some applications to special means of real numbers are given. Finally, the approximations for quadrature formulae are also given.

## 2. Extended trapezoid-type Inequality

Throughout in this section, let  $0 \leq \alpha \leq \gamma \leq 1 - \beta \leq 1$ ,  $a \leq x \leq c \leq y \leq b$  and let  $P_1, P_2, I_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, 4$ ),  $h(t), h_1(t)$  ( $t \in [a, b]$ ) be defined as follows.

$$(2.1) \quad P_1 = \frac{1}{3(b-a)^3} \left[ (x-a)^2 \left( \frac{3b-a}{2} - x \right) + (c-x)^2 \left( \frac{3b-c}{2} - x \right) + (y-c)^2 \left( \frac{3b-c}{2} - y \right) + (b-y)^3 \right].$$

$$(2.2) \quad P_2 = \frac{1}{3(b-a)^3} \left[ (x-a)^3 + (c-x)^2 \left( \frac{c-3a}{2} + x \right) + (y-c)^2 \left( \frac{c-3a}{2} + y \right) + (b-y)^2 \left( \frac{b-3a}{2} + y \right) \right].$$

$$(2.3) \quad I_1 = \frac{1}{3(b-a)^2(c-a)} \left[ (x-a)^2 \left( \frac{3c-a}{2} - x \right) + (c-x)^3 \right],$$

$$(2.4) \quad I_2 = \frac{1}{3(b-a)^2(c-a)} \left[ (c-x)^2 \left( \frac{c-3a}{2} + x \right) + (x-a)^3 \right],$$

$$(2.5) \quad I_3 = \frac{1}{3(b-a)^2(b-c)} \left[ (y-c)^2 \left( \frac{3b-c}{2} - y \right) + (b-y)^3 \right],$$

and

$$(2.6) \quad I_4 = \frac{1}{3(b-a)^2(b-c)} \left[ (b-y)^2 \left( \frac{b-3c}{2} + y \right) + (y-c)^3 \right]$$

where  $a < c < b$ .

$$h(t) = \begin{cases} t-a, & a \leq t < x \\ t-c, & x \leq t < y \\ t-b, & y \leq t \leq b \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad h_1(t) = \begin{cases} t-a, & a \leq t < x \\ c-t, & x \leq t < c \\ t-c, & c \leq t < y \\ b-t, & y \leq t \leq b \end{cases}.$$

In order to prove our main results, we need the following lemma and remark whose proof can be obtained by simple computations and  $r^2 + s^2 = (r+s)^2 - 2rs$ ,  $r^2 + s^2 + t^2 + u^2 = (r+s+t+u)^2 - [2(r+s)(t+u) + 2rs + 2tu]$  where  $r, s, t, u \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**2.1. Lemma.** Let  $a, b, x, c, y, P_1, P_2, I_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, 4$ ),  $h(t), h_1(t)$  ( $t \in [a, b]$ ) be defined as above. Then we have

$$|h(t)| = h_1(t) \quad (t \in [a, b]),$$

$$P_1 = \frac{1}{(b-a)^3} \int_a^b (b-t) h_1(t) dt \quad \text{and} \quad P_2 = \frac{1}{(b-a)^3} \int_a^b (t-a) h_1(t) dt,$$

As  $a < c < b$ ,

$$I_1 = \frac{1}{(b-a)^2(c-a)} \int_a^c (c-t) h_1(t) dt,$$

$$I_2 = \frac{1}{(b-a)^2(c-a)} \int_a^c (t-a) h_1(t) dt,$$

$$I_3 = \frac{1}{(b-a)^2(b-c)} \int_c^b (b-t) h_1(t) dt,$$

$$I_4 = \frac{1}{(b-a)^2(b-c)} \int_c^b (t-c) h_1(t) dt,$$

$$(2.7) \quad I_1 + \frac{b-c}{b-a} (I_2 + I_3) = P_1,$$

$$(2.8) \quad I_4 + \frac{c-a}{b-a} (I_2 + I_3) = P_2,$$

$$(2.9) \quad \begin{aligned} I_1 + I_2 &= \frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^c h_1(t) dt = \frac{1}{2(b-a)^2} [(x-a)^2 + (c-x)^2] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{c-a}{b-a} \right)^2 - \frac{(x-a)(c-x)}{(b-a)^2}, \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.10) \quad \begin{aligned} I_3 + I_4 &= \frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_c^b h_1(t) dt = \frac{1}{2(b-a)^2} [(y-c)^2 + (b-y)^2] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{b-c}{b-a} \right)^2 - \frac{(y-c)(b-y)}{(b-a)^2}, \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.11) \quad \begin{aligned} I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 &= P_1 + P_2 = \frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2(b-a)^2} [(x-a)^2 + (c-x)^2 + (y-c)^2 + (b-y)^2] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - \left[ \frac{(c-a)(b-c)}{(b-a)^2} + \frac{(x-a)(c-x)}{(b-a)^2} + \frac{(y-c)(b-y)}{(b-a)^2} \right], \\ &= \frac{aI_1 + cI_2}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^c h_1(t) dt \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{x-a}{b-a} \right)^2 (2x+a) + \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{c-x}{b-a} \right)^2 (2x+c), \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& cI_3 + bI_4 \\
&= \frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_c^b h_1(t) t dt \\
&= \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{y-c}{b-a} \right)^2 (2y+c) + \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{b-y}{b-a} \right)^2 (2y+b)
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$0 < P_1, P_2, I_i \leq I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 \leq \frac{1}{2} \quad (i = 1 \cdots 4).$$

**2.2. Remark.** Let  $\alpha \in [0, 1]$ ,  $x = (1 - \alpha)a + \alpha b$ ,  $c = \frac{a+b}{2}$  and  $y = \alpha a + (1 - \alpha)b$  in the identities (2.1) – (2.11). Then we have the identities

$$(2.12) \quad I_1 = I_4 = \frac{1}{3} \left[ \alpha^2 \left( \frac{3}{2}\gamma - 2\alpha \right) + 2 \left( \frac{1}{2} - \alpha \right)^3 \right] \quad \text{as } 0 < \gamma \leq 1,$$

$$I_2 = I_3 = \frac{1}{3} \left[ \left( \frac{1}{2} - \alpha \right)^2 \left( \frac{1}{2} + 2\alpha \right) + 2\alpha^3 \right] \quad \text{as } 0 \leq \gamma < 1,$$

$$(2.13) \quad P_1 = P_2 = I_1 + I_2 = I_3 + I_4 = \frac{1}{8} - \alpha \left( \frac{1}{2} - \alpha \right),$$

and

$$(2.14) \quad I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 = P_1 + P_2 = \frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1 - 2\alpha).$$

**2.3. Remark.** In Theorem 2.4, Let  $x = c = y$  in the identities (2.1) – (2.6) and (2.11). Then we have the identities

$$P_1 = \frac{(x-a)^2(3b-a-2x)}{6(b-a)^3} + \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{b-x}{b-a} \right)^3,$$

$$P_2 = \frac{(b-x)^2(b-3a+2x)}{6(b-a)^3} + \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{x-a}{b-a} \right)^3,$$

$$I_1 = \frac{1}{2}I_2 = \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{x-a}{b-a} \right)^2, \quad I_4 = \frac{1}{2}I_3 = \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{b-x}{b-a} \right)^2,$$

$$I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 = P_1 + P_2 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{(x-a)(b-x)}{(b-a)^2}$$

Now, we are ready to state and prove the main results.

**2.4. Theorem.** Let  $a, b, x, c, y, P_1, P_2, I_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, 4$ ),  $h(t), h_1(t)$  ( $t \in [a, b]$ ) be defined as above and let  $q, f$  be defined as in Theorem D. Then we have the following extended trapezoid-type inequalities.

(1) The following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.15) \quad & \left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\
& \leq (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) \left( \frac{P_1 |f'(a)|^q + P_2 |f'(b)|^q}{P_1 + P_2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.
\end{aligned}$$

(2) As  $a < c < b$ , we have the inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.16) \quad & \left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\
 & \leq (I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4) (b-a) \left( \frac{I_1 |f'(a)|^q + (I_2 + I_3) |f'(c)|^q + I_4 |f'(b)|^q}{I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 & \leq (P_1 + P_2) (b-a) \left( \frac{P_1 |f'(a)|^q + P_2 |f'(b)|^q}{P_1 + P_2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}
 \end{aligned}$$

which refines the inequality (2.15).

*Proof.* Using the integration by parts and simple computation, we have the following identity:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.17) \quad & \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b h(t) f'(t) dt \\
 & = \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

(1) Now, using Hölder's inequality, the convexity of  $|f'|^q$  and Lemma 2.1, we have the inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.18) \quad & \left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b h(t) f'(t) dt \right| \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b |h(t)| |f'(t)| dt \\
 & = \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b h_1(t) |f'(t)| dt \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) |f'(t)|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 & = \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) \left| f' \left( \frac{b-t}{b-a} \cdot a + \frac{t-a}{b-a} \cdot b \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left[ \int_a^b h_1(t) \frac{b-t}{b-a} |f'(a)|^q + h_1(t) \frac{t-a}{b-a} |f'(b)|^q dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 & = \left( \frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left( \frac{1}{(b-a)^3} \int_a^b h_1(t) (b-t) dt \cdot |f'(a)|^q \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \frac{1}{(b-a)^3} \int_a^b h_1(t) (t-a) dt \cdot |f'(b)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \cdot (b-a) \\
 & = (P_1 + P_2)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} (P_1 |f'(a)|^q + P_2 |f'(b)|^q)^{\frac{1}{q}} (b-a) \\
 & = (P_1 + P_2) (b-a) \left( \frac{P_1 |f'(a)|^q + P_2 |f'(b)|^q}{P_1 + P_2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

The inequality (2.15) follows from the identity (2.17) and the inequality (2.18).

(2) Let  $a < c < b$ . Using the inequality (2.18), the convexity of  $|f'|^q$  and Lemma 2.1, we have the inequalities

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.19) \quad & \left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b h(t) f'(t) dt \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) |f'(t)|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
& = \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left( \int_a^c h_1(t) |f'(t)|^q dt + \int_a^c h_1(t) |f'(t)|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
& = \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left[ \int_a^c h_1(t) \left| f' \left( \frac{c-t}{c-a} \cdot a + \frac{t-a}{c-a} \cdot c \right) \right|^q dt \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_c^b h_1(t) \left| f' \left( \frac{b-t}{b-c} \cdot c + \frac{t-c}{b-c} \cdot b \right) \right|^q dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
& \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left[ \int_a^c h_1(t) \left( \frac{c-t}{c-a} |f'(a)|^q + \frac{t-a}{c-a} |f'(c)|^q \right) dt \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_c^b h_1(t) \left( \frac{b-t}{b-c} |f'(c)|^q + \frac{t-c}{b-c} |f'(b)|^q \right) dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
& = \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left[ \int_a^c h_1(t) \left( \frac{c-t}{c-a} |f'(a)|^q + \frac{t-a}{c-a} |f'(c)|^q \right) dt \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_c^b h_1(t) \left( \frac{b-t}{b-c} |f'(c)|^q + \frac{t-c}{b-c} |f'(b)|^q \right) dt \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
& = \left( \frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left( \frac{|f'(a)|^q}{(b-a)^2(c-a)} \int_a^c (c-t) h_1(t) dt \right. \\
& \quad + \frac{|f'(c)|^q}{(b-a)^2(c-a)} \int_a^c (t-a) h_1(t) dt + \frac{|f'(c)|^q}{(b-a)^2(b-c)} \int_c^b (b-t) h_1(t) dt \\
& \quad \left. + \frac{|f'(b)|^q}{(b-a)^2(b-c)} \int_c^b h_1(t) (t-c) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \cdot (b-a) \\
& = (I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} (I_1 |f'(a)|^q + (I_2 + I_3) |f'(c)|^q + I_4 |f'(b)|^q)^{\frac{1}{q}} (b-a) \\
& = (I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4) (b-a) \left( \frac{I_1 |f'(a)|^q + (I_2 + I_3) |f'(c)|^q + I_4 |f'(b)|^q}{I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.20) \quad & \frac{I_1 |f'(a)|^q + (I_2 + I_3) |f'(c)|^q + I_4 |f'(b)|^q}{I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4} \\
& = \frac{I_1 |f'(a)|^q + I_4 |f'(b)|^q}{P_1 + P_2} + \frac{I_2 + I_3}{P_1 + P_2} \left| f' \left( \frac{b-c}{b-a} c + \frac{c-a}{b-a} a \right) \right|^q \\
& \leq \frac{[I_1 + \frac{b-c}{b-a} (I_2 + I_3)] |f'(a)|^q + [I_4 + \frac{c-a}{b-a} (I_2 + I_3)] |f'(b)|^q}{P_1 + P_2} \\
& = \frac{P_1 |f'(a)|^q + P_2 |f'(b)|^q}{P_1 + P_2}.
\end{aligned}$$



The inequality (2.16) follows from the identities (2.11), (2.17) and the inequalities (2.19)–(2.20). This completes the proof. ■

Under the conditions of Theorem 2.4, Remark 2.2 and the identities (2.11), (2.1)–(2.6), we have the following corollaries and remarks.

**2.5. Corollary.** Let  $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$ ,  $x = (1 - \alpha)a + \alpha b$ ,  $c = \frac{a+b}{2}$  and  $y = \alpha a + (1 - \alpha)b$ . Then, using Theorem 2.4 and Remark 2.2, we have the trapezoid-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{f((1 - \alpha)a + \alpha b) + f(\alpha a + (1 - \alpha)b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1 - 2\alpha) \right] (b - a) \left( \frac{I_1 |f'(a)|^q + 2I_2 |f'(\frac{a+b}{2})|^q + I_1 |f'(b)|^q}{2(I_1 + I_2)} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1 - 2\alpha) \right] (b - a) \left( \frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \end{aligned}$$

which is provided  $|f'|^q$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ .

**2.6. Remark.** Let  $\alpha = 0$ . Then, using Corollary 2.5 and Remark 2.2, we have  $I_1 = \frac{1}{12}$ ,  $I_2 = \frac{1}{24}$  and the trapezoid inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b - a}{4} \left( \frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(\frac{a+b}{2})|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq \frac{b - a}{4} \left( \frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \end{aligned}$$

which improves Theorems B and D.

**2.7. Remark.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$ . Then, using Corollary 2.5 and Remark 2.2, we have  $I_1 = \frac{1}{24}$ ,  $I_2 = \frac{1}{12}$  and the midpoint inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b - a}{4} \left( \frac{|f'(a)|^q + 4|f'(\frac{a+b}{2})|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{6} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq \frac{b - a}{4} \left( \frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \end{aligned}$$

which improves Theorem E.

**2.8. Remark.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{4}$ . Then, using Corollary 2.5 and Remark 2.2, we have  $I_1 = \frac{1}{32}$  and the inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{f(\frac{3a+b}{4}) + f(\frac{a+3b}{4})}{2} - \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b - a}{8} \left( \frac{|f'(a)|^q + 2|f'(\frac{a+b}{2})|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq \frac{b - a}{8} \left( \frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \end{aligned}$$

which is the second inequality in (1.2) provided  $|f'|^q$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ .

**2.9. Corollary.** Let  $P_1, P_2, I_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, 4$ ) be defined as in Remark 2.3. Then, using Theorem 2.4 and Remark 2.3, we have the following Ostrowski-type inequalities which are provided  $|f'|^q$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| f(x) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) \left( \frac{P_1 |f'(a)|^q + P_2 |f'(b)|^q}{P_1 + P_2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \end{aligned}$$

as  $x = c = y$  and  $a \leq x \leq b$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| f(x) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq 3(I_1 + I_4)(b-a) \left[ \frac{I_1 |f'(a)|^q + 2(I_1 + I_4) |f'(x)|^q + I_4 |f'(b)|^q}{3(I_1 + I_4)} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) \left( \frac{P_1 |f'(a)|^q + P_2 |f'(b)|^q}{P_1 + P_2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \end{aligned}$$

as  $x = c = y$  and  $a < x < b$ .

**2.10. Remark.** Let  $k_1(t) = (t-a)^2(3b-a-2t)$  and  $k_2(t) = (b-t)^2(b-3a+2t)$  be defined on  $[a, b]$ . By simple computations, we obtain that  $k_1$  is strictly increasing on  $[a, b]$ ,  $k_2$  is strictly decreasing on  $[a, b]$  and  $k_1(t), k_2(t) \leq (b-a)^3$  ( $t \in [a, b]$ ). Then, using the above inequalities, Corollary 2.9 improves Theorem G as  $q = 1$ .

**2.11. Theorem.** Let  $a, b, x, c, y, P_1, P_2, I_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, 4$ ),  $h(t), h_1(t)$  ( $t \in [a, b]$ ) be defined as above and let  $q, f$  be defined as in Theorem F. Then we have the following extended trapezoid-type inequalities.

(1) The following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} (2.21) \quad & \left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) \left| f' \left( \frac{P_1 a + P_2 b}{P_1 + P_2} \right) \right|. \end{aligned}$$

(2) As  $a < c < b$ , we have the inequality

$$\begin{aligned} (2.22) \quad & \left| \frac{c-a}{b-a} f(x) + \frac{b-c}{b-a} f(y) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq (b-a) \left[ (I_1 + I_2) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_1 a + I_2 c}{I_1 + I_2} \right) \right| + (I_3 + I_4) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_3 c + I_4 b}{I_3 + I_4} \right) \right| \right] \\ & \leq (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) \left| f' \left( \frac{P_1 a + P_2 b}{P_1 + P_2} \right) \right| \end{aligned}$$

which refines the inequality (2.21).

*Proof.* We observe that  $|f'|^q$  is concave on  $[a, b]$  implies  $|f'| = (|f'|^q)^{\frac{1}{q}}$  is also concave on  $[a, b]$ . Using the inequality (2.18), the Jensen's integral inequality and Lemma 2.1, we

have the following inequalities:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.23) \quad & \left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b h(t) f'(t) dt \right| \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b h_1(t) |f'(t)| dt \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right) \left| f' \left( \frac{\int_a^b h_1(t) t dt}{\int_a^b h_1(t) dt} \right) \right| \\
 & = (b-a) \left( \frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^b h_1(t) dt \right) \left| f' \left( \frac{\frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^b h_1(t) t dt}{\frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^b h_1(t) dt} \right) \right| \\
 & = (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) \left| f' \left( \frac{P_1 a + P_2 b}{P_1 + P_2} \right) \right|.
 \end{aligned}$$

The inequality (2.21) follows from the identity (2.17) and the inequality (2.23). Now, let  $a < c < b$ . Then we have the inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.24) \quad & \left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b h(t) f'(t) dt \right| \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b h_1(t) |f'(t)| dt \\
 & = \frac{1}{b-a} \left( \int_a^c h_1(t) |f'(t)| dt + \int_c^b h_1(t) |f'(t)| dt \right) \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left[ \int_a^c h_1(t) dt \left| f' \left( \frac{\frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^c h_1(t) t dt}{\frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^c h_1(t) dt} \right) \right| \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \int_c^b h_1(t) dt \left| f' \left( \frac{\int_c^b h_1(t) t dt}{\int_c^b h_1(t) dt} \right) \right| \right] \\
 & = (b-a) \left[ \frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^c h_1(t) dt \left| f' \left( \frac{\frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^c h_1(t) t dt}{\frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_a^c h_1(t) dt} \right) \right| \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_c^b h_1(t) dt \left| f' \left( \frac{\frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_c^b h_1(t) t dt}{\frac{1}{(b-a)^2} \int_c^b h_1(t) dt} \right) \right| \right] \\
 & = (b-a) \left[ (I_1 + I_2) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_1 a + I_2 c}{I_1 + I_2} \right) \right| + (I_3 + I_4) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_3 c + I_4 b}{I_3 + I_4} \right) \right| \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

Using the inequality (2.18), the convexity of  $|f'|^q$  and Lemma 2.1, we have the inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.25) \quad & (I_1 + I_2) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_1 a + I_2 c}{I_1 + I_2} \right) \right| + (I_3 + I_4) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_3 c + I_4 b}{I_3 + I_4} \right) \right| \\
 &= (I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4) \left[ \frac{I_1 + I_2}{I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4} \left| f' \left( \frac{I_1 a + I_2 c}{I_1 + I_2} \right) \right| \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{I_3 + I_4}{I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4} \left| f' \left( \frac{I_3 c + I_4 b}{I_3 + I_4} \right) \right| \right] \\
 &\leq (I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_1 a + (I_2 + I_3) c + I_4 b}{I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4} \right) \right| \\
 &= (I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_1 a + (I_2 + I_3) \left( \frac{b-c}{b-a} a + \frac{c-a}{b-a} b \right) + I_4 b}{I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4} \right) \right| \\
 &= (I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4) \left| f' \left( \frac{(I_1 + (I_2 + I_3) \frac{b-c}{b-a}) a + (I_4 + (I_2 + I_3) \frac{c-a}{b-a}) b}{I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4} \right) \right| \\
 &= (P_1 + P_2) \left| f' \left( \frac{P_1 a + P_2 b}{P_1 + P_2} \right) \right|.
 \end{aligned}$$

The inequality (2.22) follows from the identity (2.17) and the inequalities (2.24) – (2.25). This completes the proof. ■

Under the conditions of Theorem 2.11 and Remark 2.2, we have the following corollaries and remarks.

**2.12. Corollary.** Let  $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$ ,  $x = (1 - \alpha) a + \alpha b$ ,  $c = \frac{a+b}{2}$  and  $y = \alpha a + (1 - \alpha) b$ . Then, using Theorem 2.11 and Remark 2.2, we have the trapezoid-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left| \frac{f((1 - \alpha) a + \alpha b) + f(\alpha a + (1 - \alpha) b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\
 &\leq \left[ \frac{1}{8} - \alpha \left( \frac{1}{2} - \alpha \right) \right] (b - a) \left( \left| f' \left( \frac{I_1 a + I_2 \frac{a+b}{2}}{I_1 + I_2} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left( \frac{I_2 \frac{a+b}{2} + I_1 b}{I_1 + I_2} \right) \right| \right) \\
 &\leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \alpha (1 - 2\alpha) \right] (b - a) \left| f' \left( \frac{a + b}{2} \right) \right|
 \end{aligned}$$

which is provided  $|f'|^q$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ .

**2.13. Remark.** Let  $\alpha = 0$ . Then, using Corollary 2.12 and Remark 2.2, we have  $I_1 = \frac{1}{12}$ ,  $I_2 = \frac{1}{24}$  and the trapezoid inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\
 &\leq \frac{b - a}{8} \left( \left| f' \left( \frac{5a + b}{6} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left( \frac{a + 5b}{6} \right) \right| \right) \\
 &\leq \frac{b - a}{4} \left| f' \left( \frac{a + b}{2} \right) \right|
 \end{aligned}$$

which refines the inequality (1.7).

**2.14. Remark.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$ . Then, using Corollary 2.12 and Remark 2.2, we have  $I_1 = \frac{1}{24}$ ,  $I_2 = \frac{1}{12}$  and the midpoint inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b-a}{8} \left( \left| f'\left(\frac{2a+b}{3}\right) \right| + \left| f'\left(\frac{a+2b}{3}\right) \right| \right) \\ & \leq \frac{b-a}{4} \left| f'\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| \end{aligned}$$

which refines the inequality (1.8).

**2.15. Remark.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{4}$ . Then, using Corollary 2.12 and Remark 2.2, we have  $I_1 = I_2 = \frac{1}{32}$  and the inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b-a}{16} \left( \left| f'\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) \right| + \left| f'\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right| \right) \\ & \leq \frac{b-a}{8} \left| f'\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| \end{aligned}$$

which is the second inequality in (1.2) provided  $|f'|^q$  is concave on  $[a, b]$ .

**2.16. Corollary.** Let  $P_1, P_2, I_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, 4$ ) be defined as in Remark 2.3. Then, using Theorem 2.11 and Remark 2.3, we have the following Ostrowski-type inequalities which are provided  $|f'|^q$  is convex on  $[a, b]$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| f(x) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) \left| f'\left(\frac{P_1 a + P_2 b}{P_1 + P_2}\right) \right| \end{aligned}$$

as  $x = c = y$  and  $a \leq x \leq b$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| f(x) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b-a}{2} \left[ \left(\frac{x-a}{b-a}\right)^2 \left| f'\left(\frac{a+2x}{3}\right) \right| + \left(\frac{b-x}{b-a}\right)^2 \left| f'\left(\frac{2x+b}{3}\right) \right| \right] \\ & \leq (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) \left| f'\left(\frac{P_1 a + P_2 b}{P_1 + P_2}\right) \right| \end{aligned}$$

as  $x = c = y$  and  $a < x < b$ .

**2.17. Remark.** Using the fact that  $2 \geq 2^{\frac{1}{q}}$  as  $q \geq 1$ , Corollary 3.3 improves Theorem H.

### 3. Applications for Special Means

In the literature, let us recall the following special means:

- (1) The weighted arithmetic mean

$$A_\alpha(u, v) = \alpha u + (1 - \alpha)v, \quad 0 \leq \alpha \leq 1, \quad u, v \in \mathbb{R}.$$

(2) The unweighted arithmetic mean

$$A(u, v) = \frac{u+v}{2}, \quad u, v \in \mathbb{R}.$$

(3) The harmonic mean

$$H(u, v) = \frac{2}{\frac{1}{u} + \frac{1}{v}}, \quad u, v > 0.$$

(4) The identric mean

$$I(u, v) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{e} \left( \frac{v^v}{u^u} \right)^{\frac{1}{v-u}} & \text{if } u \neq v, \quad u, v > 0. \\ u & \text{if } u = v \end{cases}$$

(5) The logarithmic mean

$$L(u, v) = \begin{cases} \frac{v-u}{\ln v - \ln u} & \text{if } u \neq v, \quad u, v > 0. \\ u & \text{if } u = v \end{cases}$$

(6) The  $p$ -logarithmic mean

$$L_p(u, v) = \begin{cases} \left[ \frac{v^{p+1} - u^{p+1}}{(p+1)(v-u)} \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} & \text{if } u \neq v, \quad u, v > 0, \quad p \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{-1, 0\}. \\ u & \text{if } u = v \end{cases}$$

(7) The  $p$ -power mean

$$M_p(u, v) = \left( \frac{u^p + v^p}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \quad u, v > 0, \quad p \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}.$$

(8) The weighted  $p$ -power mean

$$M_p \left( \begin{matrix} \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \\ u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n \end{matrix} \right) = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i u_i^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

where  $0 \leq \alpha_i \leq 1$ ,  $u_i > 0$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) with  $\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i = 1$ .

Using the above results, we have the following propositions, corollaries and remarks about the above special means:

**3.1. Proposition.** *In Corollary 2.5 and Corollary 2.9, let  $s \in (-\infty, 1] \cup [1 + \frac{1}{q}, \infty) \setminus \{-1, 0\}$ ,  $q \geq 1$ ,  $0 < a < b$  and let  $f(t) = t^s$  on  $[a, b]$ . Then we have the following trapezoid-type and Ostrowski-type inequalities.*

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{aligned} & |A(A_\alpha^s(b, a), A_\alpha^s(a, b)) - L_s^s(a, b)| \\ & \leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1 - 2\alpha) \right] |s| (b - a) M_q \left( \frac{I_1}{2(I_1 + I_2)}, \frac{I_2}{I_1 + I_2}, \frac{I_1}{2(I_1 + I_2)} \right) \\ & \leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1 - 2\alpha) \right] |s| (b - a) M_q(a^{s-1}, b^{s-1}) \end{aligned}$$

as  $\alpha \in [0, 1]$ ,  $x = (1 - \alpha)a + \alpha b$ ,  $c = \frac{a+b}{2}$  and  $y = \alpha a + (1 - \alpha)b$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & |x^s - L_s^s(a, b)| \\ & \leq (P_1 + P_2) |s| (b - a) M_q \left( \frac{P_1}{P_1 + P_2}, \frac{P_2}{P_1 + P_2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

as  $x = c = y$  and  $a \leq x \leq b$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & |x^s - L_s^s(a, b)| \\ & \leq 3(I_1 + I_4) |s| (b - a) M_q \left( \frac{I_1}{3(I_1 + I_4)}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{I_4}{3(I_1 + I_4)} \right) \\ & \leq (P_1 + P_2) |s| (b - a) M_q \left( \frac{P_1}{a^{s-1}}, \frac{P_2}{b^{s-1}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

as  $x = c = y$  and  $a < x < b$ .

**3.2. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = 0$  and in the inequality (3.1). Then, using the Hermite-Hadamard inequality (1.1), we have the following Hermite-Hadamard-type inequalities.

$$\begin{aligned} 0 & \leq A(a^s, b^s) - L_s^s(a, b) \\ & \leq \frac{|s|(b-a)}{4} M_q \left( a^{s-1}, \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}}, b^{s-1} \right) \\ & \leq \frac{|s|(b-a)}{4} M_q(a^{s-1}, b^{s-1}) \end{aligned}$$

as  $s \in (-\infty, 0) \cup \left[1 + \frac{1}{q}, \infty\right) \setminus \{-1\}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 0 & \leq L_s^s(a, b) - A(a^s, b^s) \\ & \leq \frac{s(b-a)}{4} M_q \left( a^{s-1}, \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}}, b^{s-1} \right) \\ & \leq \frac{s(b-a)}{4} M_q(a^{s-1}, b^{s-1}) \end{aligned}$$

as  $s \in (0, 1]$ .

**3.3. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$  and in the inequality (3.1). Then, using the Hermite-Hadamard inequality (1.1), we have the following Hermite-Hadamard-type inequalities.

$$\begin{aligned} 0 & \leq L_s^s(a, b) - A^s(a, b) \\ & \leq \frac{|s|(b-a)}{4} M_q \left( a^{s-1}, \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{6}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{6}}, b^{s-1} \right) \\ & \leq \frac{|s|(b-a)}{4} M_q(a^{s-1}, b^{s-1}) \end{aligned}$$

as  $s \in (-\infty, 0) \cup \left[1 + \frac{1}{q}, \infty\right) \setminus \{-1\}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 0 & \leq A^s(a, b) - L_s^s(a, b) \\ & \leq \frac{s(b-a)}{4} M_q \left( a^{s-1}, \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{6}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{6}}, b^{s-1} \right) \\ & \leq \frac{s(b-a)}{4} M_q(a^{s-1}, b^{s-1}) \end{aligned}$$

as  $s \in (0, 1]$ .

**3.4. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{4}$  in the inequality (3.1). Then, using the inequality (1.2), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequalities.

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq L_s^s(a, b) - A\left(A_{\frac{1}{4}}^s(b, a), A_{\frac{1}{4}}^s(a, b)\right) \\ &\leq \frac{|s|(b-a)}{8} M_q\left(a^{s-1}, \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}}, b^{s-1}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{|s|(b-a)}{8} M_q(a^{s-1}, b^{s-1}) \end{aligned}$$

as  $s \in (-\infty, 0) \cup \left[1 + \frac{1}{q}, \infty\right) \setminus \{-1\}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq A\left(A_{\frac{1}{4}}^s(b, a), A_{\frac{1}{4}}^s(a, b)\right) - L_s^s(a, b) \\ &\leq \frac{s(b-a)}{8} M_q\left(a^{s-1}, \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}}, b^{s-1}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{s(b-a)}{8} M_q(a^{s-1}, b^{s-1}) \end{aligned}$$

as  $s \in (0, 1]$ .

**3.5. Proposition.** In Corollary 2.12 and Corollary 2.16, let  $s \in \left[1, 1 + \frac{1}{q}\right]$ ,  $q \geq 1$ ,  $0 \leq a \leq x \leq c \leq y \leq b$  and let  $f(t) = t^s$  on  $[a, b]$ . Then we have the following trapezoid-type and Ostrowski-type inequalities.

$$\begin{aligned} (3.2) \quad &|A(A_\alpha^s(b, a), A_\alpha^s(a, b)) - L_s^s(a, b)| \\ &\leq \left[\frac{1}{8} - \alpha\left(\frac{1}{2} - \alpha\right)\right] s(b-a) \left[A_{\frac{I_1}{I_1+I_2}}^{s-1}\left(a, \frac{a+b}{2}\right) + A_{\frac{I_1}{I_1+I_2}}^{s-1}\left(b, \frac{a+b}{2}\right)\right] \\ &\leq \left[\frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1-2\alpha)\right] s(b-a) A^{s-1}(a, b). \end{aligned}$$

As  $x = c = y$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} &|x - L_s^s(a, b)| \\ &\leq (P_1 + P_2) s(b-a) A_{\frac{P_1}{P_1+P_2}}^{s-1}(a, b) \end{aligned}$$

As  $x = c = y$  and  $a < x < b$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} &|x - L_s^s(a, b)| \\ &\leq 3(I_1 + I_4) s(b-a) \left[A_{\frac{1}{3}}^{s-1}(a, x) + A_{\frac{1}{3}}^{s-1}(b, x)\right] \\ &\leq (P_1 + P_2) s(b-a) A_{\frac{P_1}{P_1+P_2}}^{s-1}(a, b). \end{aligned}$$

**3.6. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = 0$  and in the inequality (3.2). Then, using the Hermite-Hadamard inequality (1.1), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq L_s^s(a, b) - A(a^s, b^s) \leq \frac{s(b-a)}{8} \left[A_{\frac{1}{6}}^{s-1}(a, b) + A_{\frac{1}{6}}^{s-1}(b, a)\right] \\ &\leq \frac{s(b-a)}{4} A^{s-1}(a, b). \end{aligned}$$



**3.7. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$  in the inequality (3.2). Then, using the Hermite-Hadamard inequality (1.1), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq A^s(a, b) - L_s^s(a, b) \leq \frac{s(b-a)}{8} \left[ A_{\frac{1}{3}}^{s-1}(a, b) + A_{\frac{1}{3}}^{s-1}(b, a) \right] \\ &\leq \frac{s(b-a)}{4} A^{s-1}(a, b). \end{aligned}$$

**3.8. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{4}$  in the inequality (3.2). Then, using the inequality (1.2), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq A \left( A_{\frac{1}{4}}^s(b, a), A_{\frac{1}{4}}^s(a, b) \right) - L_s^s(a, b) \\ &\leq \frac{s(b-a)}{16} \left[ A_{\frac{1}{4}}^{s-1}(a, b) + A_{\frac{1}{4}}^{s-1}(b, a) \right] \\ &\leq \frac{s(b-a)}{8} A^{s-1}(a, b). \end{aligned}$$

**3.9. Proposition.** In Corollary 2.5 and Corollary 2.9, let  $q \geq 1, 0 < a \leq x \leq c \leq y \leq b$  and let  $f(t) = \frac{1}{t}$  on  $[a, b]$ . Then we have the following trapezoid-type and Ostrowski-type inequalities.

$$\begin{aligned} (3.3) \quad &|H^{-1}(A_\alpha(b, a), A_\alpha(a, b)) - L^{-1}(a, b)| \\ &\leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1 - 2\alpha) \right] (b-a) M_q \left( \frac{I_1}{2(I_1+I_2)}, \frac{I_2}{I_1+I_2}, \frac{I_1}{2(I_1+I_2)} \right) \\ &\leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1 - 2\alpha) \right] (b-a) M_q(a^{-2}, b^{-2}). \end{aligned}$$

As  $x = c = y$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \frac{1}{x} - L^{-1}(a, b) \right| \\ &\leq (P_1 + P_2) (b-a) M_q \left( \frac{P_1}{P_1+P_2}, \frac{P_2}{P_1+P_2} \right). \end{aligned}$$

As  $x = c = y$  and  $a < x < b$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \frac{1}{x} - L^{-1}(a, b) \right| \\ &\leq 3(I_1 + I_4) (b-a) M_q \left( \frac{I_1}{3(I_1+I_4)}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{I_4}{3(I_1+I_4)} \right) \\ &\leq (P_1 + P_2) (b-a) M_q \left( \frac{P_1}{P_1+P_2}, \frac{P_2}{P_1+P_2} \right). \end{aligned}$$

**3.10. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = 0$  and in the inequality (3.3). Then, using the Hermite-Hadamard inequality (1.1), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq H^{-1}(a, b) - L^{-1}(a, b) \leq \frac{b-a}{4} M_q \left( a^{-2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, b^{-2} \right) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{4} M_q(a^{-2}, b^{-2}). \end{aligned}$$

**3.11. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$  in the inequality (3.3). Then, using the Hermite-Hadamard inequality (1.1), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq L^{-1}(a, b) - A^{-1}(a, b) \leq \frac{b-a}{4} M_q \left( a^{-2}, \left( \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^{-2}, b^{-2} \right) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{4} M_q(a^{-2}, b^{-2}). \end{aligned}$$

**3.12. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{4}$  in the inequality (3.3). Then, using the inequality (1.2), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq L^{-1}(a, b) - H^{-1} \left( A_{\frac{1}{4}}(b, a), A_{\frac{1}{4}}(a, b) \right) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{8} M_q \left( a^{-2}, \left( \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^{-2}, b^{-2} \right) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{8} M_q(a^{-2}, b^{-2}). \end{aligned}$$

**3.13. Proposition.** In Corollary 2.5 and Corollary 2.9, let  $q \geq 1, 0 < a \leq x \leq c \leq y \leq b$  and let  $f(t) = \ln t$  on  $[a, b]$ . Then we have the following trapezoid-type and Ostrowski-type inequalities.

$$\begin{aligned} (3.4) \quad &|A(\ln A_\alpha(a, b), \ln A_\alpha(b, a)) - \ln I(a, b)| \\ &\leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1 - 2\alpha) \right] (b-a) M_q \left( \frac{I_1}{2(I_1+I_2)}, \frac{I_2}{I_1+I_2}, \frac{I_1}{2(I_1+I_2)} \right) \\ &\leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \alpha(1 - 2\alpha) \right] (b-a) M_q(a^{-1}, b^{-1}). \end{aligned}$$

As  $x = c = y$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} &|\ln x - \ln I(a, b)| \\ &\leq (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) M_q \left( \frac{P_1}{P_1+P_2}, \frac{P_2}{P_1+P_2} \right). \end{aligned}$$

As  $x = c = y$  and  $a < x < b$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} &|\ln x - \ln I(a, b)| \\ &\leq 3(I_1 + I_4)(b-a) M_q \left( \frac{I_1}{3(I_1+I_4)}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{I_4}{3(I_1+I_4)} \right) \\ &\leq (P_1 + P_2)(b-a) M_q \left( \frac{P_1}{P_1+P_2}, \frac{P_2}{P_1+P_2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

**3.14. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = 0$  and in the inequality (3.4). Then, using the Hermite-Hadamard inequality (1.1), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \ln I(a, b) - A(\ln a, \ln b) \leq \frac{b-a}{4} M_q \left( a^{-1}, \left( \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^{-1}, b^{-1} \right) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{4} M_q(a^{-1}, b^{-1}). \end{aligned}$$

**3.15. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$  in the inequality (3.3). Then, using the Hermite-Hadamard inequality (1.1), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \ln A(a, b) - \ln I(a, b) \leq \frac{b-a}{4} M_q \left( a^{-1}, \left( \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^{-1}, b^{-1} \right) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{4} M_q(a^{-1}, b^{-1}). \end{aligned}$$

**3.16. Corollary.** Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{4}$  in the inequality (3.3). Then, using the inequality (1.2), we have the Hermite-Hadamard-type inequality

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq A\left(\ln A_{\frac{1}{4}}(a, b), \ln A_{\frac{1}{4}}(b, a)\right) - \ln I(a, b) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{8} M_q\left(a^{-1}, \left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}\right)^{-1}, b^{-1}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{8} M_q(a^{-1}, b^{-1}). \end{aligned}$$

#### 4. Applications for the extended Trapezoid Quadrature Formula

Throughout in this section, let  $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$ ,  $L_n : a = t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_{n-1} < t_n = b$  be a partition of the interval  $[a, b]$ ,  $\xi_i \leq x_i \leq \zeta_i$  in  $[t_i, t_{i+1}]$ ,  $l_i = t_{i+1} - t_i$ , ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) let  $P_1(i), P_2, I_j(i)$  ( $j = 1, \dots, 4; i = 1, \dots, n$ ) be defined as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} P_1(i) &= \frac{1}{3l_i^3} \left[ (x_i - t_i)^2 \left( \frac{3t_{i+1} - t_i}{2} - \xi_i \right) + (x_i - \xi_i)^2 \left( \frac{3t_{i+1} - x_i}{2} - \xi_i \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (\zeta_i - x_i)^2 \left( \frac{3t_{i+1} - x_i}{2} - \zeta_i \right) + (t_{i+1} - \zeta_i)^3 \right] \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} P_2(i) &= \frac{1}{3l_i^3} \left[ (\xi_i - t_i)^3 + (x_i - \xi_i)^2 \left( \frac{x_i - 3t_i}{2} + \xi_i \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (\zeta_i - x_i)^2 \left( \frac{x_i - 3t_i}{2} + \zeta_i \right) + (t_{i+1} - \zeta_i)^2 \left( \frac{t_{i+1} - 3t_i}{2} + \zeta_i \right) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

As  $t_i < x_i < t_{i+1}$ ,

$$I_1(i) = \frac{1}{3l_i^2(x_i - t_i)} \left[ (\xi_i - t_i)^2 \left( \frac{3x_i - t_i}{2} - \xi_i \right) + (x_i - \xi_i)^3 \right],$$

$$I_2(i) = \frac{1}{3l_i^2(x_i - t_i)} \left[ (x_i - \xi_i)^2 \left( \frac{x_i - 3t_i}{2} + \xi_i \right) + (\xi_i - t_i)^3 \right],$$

$$I_3(i) = \frac{1}{3l_i^2(t_{i+1} - x_i)} \left[ (\zeta_i - x_i)^2 \left( \frac{3t_{i+1} - x_i}{2} - \zeta_i \right) + (t_{i+1} - \zeta_i)^3 \right]$$

and

$$I_4(i) = \frac{1}{3l_i^2(t_{i+1} - x_i)} \left[ (t_{i+1} - \zeta_i)^2 \left( \frac{t_{i+1} - 3x_i}{2} + \zeta_i \right) + (\zeta_i - x_i)^3 \right].$$

Define the extended Trapezoid quadrature formula

$$(4.1) \quad \int_a^b f(t) dt = T(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta) + R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)$$

where

$$(4.2) \quad T(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{x_i - t_i}{t_{i+1} - t_i} f(\xi_i) + \frac{t_{i+1} - x_i}{t_{i+1} - t_i} f(\zeta_i)$$

and the remainder term  $R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)$  denotes the associated approximation error of  $\int_a^b f(t) dt$  by  $T(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)$ .

Now, we have the following special formulae.

(1) The trapezoid formula

$$(4.3) \quad T(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta) = T_0(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{f(t_i) + f(t_{i+1})}{2} l_i$$

where  $\xi_i = t_i$  and  $\zeta_i = t_{i+1}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ).

(2) The midpoint formula

$$(4.4) \quad T(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta) = M(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} f\left(\frac{t_i + t_{i+1}}{2}\right) l_i$$

where  $\xi_i = \zeta_i = \frac{t_i + t_{i+1}}{2}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ).

(3) The Ostrowski formula

$$(4.5) \quad T(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta) = O(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} f(x_i) l_i$$

where  $\xi_i = \zeta_i = x_i$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ).

**4.1. Theorem.** Let  $f$  be defined as in Theorem 2.4 and let  $\int_a^b f(t)dt$ ,  $T(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)$  and  $R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)$  be defined as in the identity (4.1). Then, the remainder term  $R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)$  satisfies the following estimates.

(1) We have the inequality

$$(4.6) \quad \begin{aligned} & |R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)| \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2 \left( \frac{P_1(i) |f'(\xi_i)|^q + P_2(i) |f'(\zeta_i)|^q}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq \max\{|f'(a)|, |f'(b)|\} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2. \end{aligned}$$

(2) Let  $t_i < x_i < t_{i+1}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ). Then we have the inequality

$$(4.7) \quad \begin{aligned} & |R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)| \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \left\{ \left( \sum_{j=1}^4 I_j(i) \right) l_i^2 \right. \\ & \quad \times \left. \left( \frac{I_1(i) |f'(t_i)|^q + (I_2(i) + I_3(i)) |f'(x_i)|^q + I_4(i) |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{\sum_{j=1}^4 I_j(i)} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\} \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2 \left( \frac{P_1(i) |f'(t_i)|^q + P_2(i) |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq \max\{|f'(a)|, |f'(b)|\} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Apply Theorem 2.4 on the intervals  $[t_i, t_{i+1}]$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) to get the following inequalities.

(1) For all  $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ , we have the inequality

$$(4.8) \quad \left| \frac{f(\xi_i) + f(\zeta_i)}{2} l_i - \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} f(s) ds \right| \\ \leq (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2 \left( \frac{P_1(i) |f'(t_i)|^q + P_2(i) |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

(2) Let  $t_i < x_i < t_{i+1}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ). Then we have the inequality

$$(4.9) \quad \left| \frac{f(\xi_i) + f(\zeta_i)}{2} l_i - \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} f(s) ds \right| \\ \leq \left( \sum_{j=1}^4 I_j(i) \right) l_i^2 \\ \times \left( \frac{I_1(i) |f'(t_i)|^q + (I_2(i) + I_3(i)) |f'(x_i)|^q + I_4(i) |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{\sum_{j=1}^4 I_j(i)} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ \leq (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2 \left( \frac{P_1(i) |f'(t_i)|^q + P_2(i) |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

Using the convexity of  $|f'|^q$ , we have the inequality

$$(4.10) \quad \left( \frac{P_1(i) |f'(t_i)|^q + P_2(i) |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ \leq \left[ \frac{P_1(i)}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \left( \frac{b-t_i}{b-a} |f'(a)|^q + \frac{t_i-a}{b-a} |f'(b)|^q \right) \right. \\ \left. + \frac{P_2(i)}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \left( \frac{b-t_{i+1}}{b-a} |f'(a)|^q + \frac{t_{i+1}-a}{b-a} |f'(b)|^q \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ \leq (\max\{|f'(a)|^q, |f'(b)|^q\})^{\frac{1}{q}} = \max\{|f'(a)|, |f'(b)|\}$$

for all  $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ .

The inequalities (4.6) and (4.7) follow from the inequalities (4.10) – (4.10) and the generalized triangle inequality.

This completes the proof. ■

**4.2. Corollary.** In Theorem 4.1, let  $\xi_i = t_i, \zeta_i = t_{i+1}$  and  $x_i = \frac{t_i+t_{i+1}}{2}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ). Then  $P_1(i) = P_2(i) = \frac{1}{8}, I_1(i) = I_4(i) = \frac{1}{12}, I_2(i) = I_3(i) = \frac{1}{24}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) and the trapezoid-type error satisfies

$$|R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)| \\ \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{4} \left[ \frac{|f'(t_i)|^q + \left| f' \left( \frac{t_i+t_{i+1}}{2} \right) \right|^q + |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{3} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{4} \left[ \frac{|f'(t_i)|^q + |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{2} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ \leq \max\{|f'(a)|, |f'(b)|\} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{4}$$

which improves Proposition 3 in [11].

**4.3. Corollary.** In Theorem 4.1, let  $\xi_i = \zeta_i = x_i = \frac{t_i+t_{i+1}}{2} = (i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1)$ . Then  $P_1(i) = P_2(i) = \frac{1}{8}$ ,  $I_1(i) = I_4(i) = \frac{1}{24}$ ,  $I_2(i) = I_3(i) = \frac{1}{12}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) and the midpoint-type error satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} & |R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)| \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} l_i^2 \left[ \frac{|f'(t_i)|^q + 4 \left| f' \left( \frac{t_i+t_{i+1}}{2} \right) \right|^q + |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{6} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{4} \left[ \frac{|f'(t_i)|^q + |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{2} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq \max \{ |f'(a)|, |f'(b)| \} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

**4.4. Corollary.** In Theorem 4.1, let  $\xi_i = \zeta_i = x_i \in (t_i, t_{i+1})$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ). Then

$$\begin{aligned} P_1(i) &= \frac{(x_i - t_i)^2 (3t_{i+1} - t_i - 2x)}{6(t_{i+1} - t_i)^3} + \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{t_{i+1} - x}{t_{i+1} - t_i} \right)^3, \\ P_2(i) &= \frac{(t_{i+1} - x)^2 (t_{i+1} - 3t_i + 2x)}{6(t_{i+1} - t_i)^3} + \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{x_i - t_i}{t_{i+1} - t_i} \right)^3, \\ I_1(i) &= \frac{1}{2} I_2(i) = \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{x_i - t_i}{t_{i+1} - t_i} \right)^2, \\ I_4(i) &= \frac{1}{2} I_3(i) = \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{t_{i+1} - x_i}{t_{i+1} - t_i} \right)^2, \\ \sum_{j=0}^4 I_j(i) &= P_1(i) + P_2(i) \\ &= 3(I_1(i) + I_4(i)) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{(x_i - t_i)(t_{i+1} - x_i)}{(t_{i+1} - t_i)^2} \end{aligned}$$

and the Ostrowski-type error satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} & |R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)| \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \left\{ 3(I_1(i) + I_4(i)) l_i^2 \right. \\ & \quad \times \left. \left[ \frac{I_1(i) |f'(t_i)|^q + 2(I_1(i) + I_4(i)) \left| f' \left( \frac{t_i+t_{i+1}}{2} \right) \right|^q + I_4(i) |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{3(I_1(i) + I_4(i))} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\} \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2 \left[ \frac{P_1(i) |f'(t_i)|^q + P_2(i) |f'(t_{i+1})|^q}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \leq \max \{ |f'(a)|, |f'(b)| \} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, using Theorem 2.11 we can prove the following theorem.

**4.5. Theorem.** Let  $f$  be defined as in Theorem 2.11 and let  $\int_a^b f(t)dt, T(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)$  and  $R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)$  be defined as in the identity (4.1). Then, the remainder term  $R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)$  satisfies the following estimates.

(1) We have the inequality

$$|R(f, I_n, \xi, \zeta)| \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2 \left| f' \left( \frac{P_1(i) t_i + P_2(i) t_{i+1}}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \right) \right|$$

for all  $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ .

(2) Let  $t_i < x_i < t_{i+1}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ). Then we have the inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & |R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)| \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} l_i^2 \left[ (I_1(i) + I_2(i)) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_1(i) t_i + I_2(i) x_i}{I_1(i) + I_2(i)} \right) \right| \right. \\ & \quad \left. + (I_3(i) + I_4(i)) \left| f' \left( \frac{I_3(i) x_i + I_4(i) t_{i+1}}{I_3(i) + I_4(i)} \right) \right| \right] \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2 \left| f' \left( \frac{P_1(i) t_i + P_2(i) t_{i+1}}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \right) \right|. \end{aligned}$$

**4.6. Corollary.** In Theorem 4.5, let  $\xi_i = t_i, \zeta_i = t_{i+1}$  and  $x_i = \frac{t_i + t_{i+1}}{2}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ). Then  $P_1(i) = P_2(i) = \frac{1}{8}, I_1(i) = I_4(i) = \frac{1}{12}, I_2(i) = I_3(i) = \frac{1}{24}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) and the trapezoid-type error satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} & |R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)| \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{8} \left( \left| f' \left( \frac{5t_i + t_{i+1}}{6} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left( \frac{t_i + 5t_{i+1}}{6} \right) \right| \right) \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{4} \left| f' \left( \frac{t_i + t_{i+1}}{2} \right) \right| \end{aligned}$$

which improves Proposition 4 in [11].

**4.7. Corollary.** In Theorem 4.5, let  $\xi_i = \zeta_i = x_i = \frac{t_i + t_{i+1}}{2}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ). Then  $P_1(i) = P_2(i) = \frac{1}{8}, I_1(i) = I_4(i) = \frac{1}{24}, I_2(i) = I_3(i) = \frac{1}{12}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) and the midpoint-type error satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} & |R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)| \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{8} \left( \left| f' \left( \frac{2t_i + t_{i+1}}{3} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left( \frac{t_i + 2t_{i+1}}{3} \right) \right| \right) \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{4} \left| f' \left( \frac{t_i + t_{i+1}}{2} \right) \right| \end{aligned}$$

**4.8. Corollary.** In Theorem 4.5, let  $\xi_i = \zeta_i = x_i \in (t_i, t_{i+1})$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ). Then the Ostrowski-type error satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} & |R(f, L_n, \xi, \zeta)| \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{l_i^2}{2} \left[ \left( \frac{x_i - t_i}{t_{i+1} - t_i} \right)^2 \left| f' \left( \frac{t_i + 2x_i}{3} \right) \right| + \left( \frac{t_{i+1} - x_i}{t_{i+1} - t_i} \right)^2 \left| f' \left( \frac{2x_i + t_{i+1}}{3} \right) \right| \right] \\ & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (P_1(i) + P_2(i)) l_i^2 \left| f' \left( \frac{P_1(i) t_i + P_2(i) t_{i+1}}{P_1(i) + P_2(i)} \right) \right|, \end{aligned}$$

where  $P_1(i), P_2(i)$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) is defined as in Corollary 4.7 and  $t_i < x_i < t_{i+1}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ).

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