



## GENERALIZED FRACTIONAL HERMITE-HADAMARD TYPE INEQUALITIES FOR $m$ -CONVEX AND $(\alpha, m)$ -CONVEX FUNCTIONS

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**ABSTRACT.** In the present article, we derive some new inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type involving left-sided and right-sided generalized fractional integral operators for products of two  $m$ -convex and  $(\alpha, m)$ -convex functions, respectively. It is worth mentioning that the presented results have close connection with those in [6]. These new results generalize the existing Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for products of two functions. Therefore the ideas of this article may stimulate further research in this field.

### 1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

The inequalities discovered by C. Hermite and J. Hadamard for convex functions are very important in the literature (see, e.g., [11, p.137], [7]). These inequalities state that if  $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a convex function on the interval  $I$  of real numbers and  $a, b \in I$  with  $a < b$ , then

$$f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2}. \quad (1.1)$$

The inequality (1.1) has evoked the interest of many mathematicians. Especially in the last three decades numerous generalizations, variants and extensions of this inequality have been obtained, to mention a few, see ([2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14]) and the references cited therein.

$m$ -convexity was defined by Toader as follows:

**Definition 1.** (see [17]) *The function  $f : [0, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $b > 0$ , is said to be  $m$ -convex, where  $m \in [0, 1]$ , if we have*

$$f(tx + m(1-t)y) \leq tf(x) + m(1-t)f(y)$$

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

One says that  $f$  is  $m$ -concave if  $(-f)$  is  $m$ -convex. Denote by  $K_m(b)$  the class of all  $m$ -convex functions on  $[0, b]$  for which  $f(0) \leq 0$ .

Obviously, for  $m = 1$ , Definition 1 recaptures concept of standard convex functions on  $[0, b]$  and for  $m = 0$  the concept of starshaped functions. The notion of  $m$ -convexity has been further generalized in [9] as it is stated in the following definition.

**Definition 2.** (see [9]) *The function  $f : [0, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $b > 0$ , is said to be  $(\alpha, m)$ -convex, where  $(\alpha, m) \in [0, 1]^2$ , if one has*

$$f(tx + m(1-t)y) \leq t^\alpha f(x) + m(1-t^\alpha)f(y)$$

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

Denote by  $K_m^\alpha(b)$  the class of  $(\alpha, m)$ -convex functions on  $[0, b]$  for which  $f(0) \leq 0$ .

It can be easily seen that when  $(\alpha, m) \in \{(1, 1), (1, m)\}$  one obtains the following classes of functions: convex and  $m$ -convex, respectively. Note that  $K_1^1(b)$  is proper subclass of  $m$ -convex and  $(\alpha, m)$ -functions on  $[0, b]$ . The interested reader can find more about partial ordering of convexity in [11].

We recall some necessary definitions and preliminary results which are used and referred to throughout this paper as follows:

**Definition 3.** *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  $a \geq 0$  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 where  $\Gamma(\alpha) = \int_0^\infty e^{-t} t^{\alpha-1} du$ . Here is  $J_{a+}^0 f(x) = J_{b-}^0 f(x) = f(x)$ .

Some Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for products of two functions are proposed by Chen in [6] as follows:

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $f, g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ ,  $0 \leq a < b$ , be functions such that  $fg \in L_1[a, b]$ . If  $f$  is  $m_1$ -convex and  $g$  is  $m_2$ -convex on  $[a, b]$  with  $m_1, m_2 \in (0, 1]$ , then one has*

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)}{(b-a)^\alpha} J_{a+}^\alpha f(b)g(b) \\ \leq & \frac{f(a)g(a)}{\alpha+2} + \frac{m_2}{(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)} f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \\ & + \frac{m_1}{(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)} g(a)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) + \frac{2m_1m_2}{\alpha(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)} f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \end{aligned} \quad (1.2)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)}{(b-a)^\alpha} J_{b^-}^\alpha f(a)g(a) \\ \leq & \frac{f(b)g(b)}{\alpha+2} + \frac{m_2}{(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)} f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right) \\ & + \frac{m_1}{(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)} g(b)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) + \frac{2m_1m_2}{\alpha(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)} f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right). \end{aligned} \tag{1.3}$$

**Theorem 2.** Let  $f, g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ ,  $0 \leq a < b$ , be functions such that  $fg \in L_1[a, b]$ . If  $f$  is  $(\alpha_1, m_1)$ -convex and  $g$  is  $(\alpha_2, m_2)$ -convex on  $[a, b]$  with  $(\alpha_1, m_1), (\alpha_2, m_2) \in (0, 1]^2$ , respectively, then one has

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)}{(b-a)^\alpha} J_{a^+}^\alpha f(b)g(b) \\ \leq & \frac{1}{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha} f(a)g(a) + \frac{\alpha_2}{(\alpha + \alpha_1)(\alpha + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2)} m_2 f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \\ & + \frac{\alpha_1}{(\alpha + \alpha_2)(\alpha + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2)} m_1 g(a)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) \\ & + \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\alpha + \alpha_1} - \frac{1}{\alpha + \alpha_2} + \frac{1}{\alpha + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2}\right) m_1 m_2 f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right), \end{aligned} \tag{1.4}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)}{(b-a)^\alpha} J_{b^-}^\alpha f(a)g(a) \\ \leq & \frac{1}{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha} f(b)g(b) + \frac{\alpha_2}{(\alpha + \alpha_1)(\alpha + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2)} m_2 f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right) \\ & + \frac{\alpha_1}{(\alpha + \alpha_2)(\alpha + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2)} m_1 g(b)f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right) \\ & + \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\alpha + \alpha_1} - \frac{1}{\alpha + \alpha_2} + \frac{1}{\alpha + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2}\right) m_1 m_2 f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right). \end{aligned} \tag{1.5}$$

In [12], Raina introduced a class of functions defined formally by

$$\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^\sigma(x) = \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^{\sigma(0),\sigma(1),\dots}(x) = \sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{\sigma(k)}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda)} x^k \quad (\rho, \lambda > 0; |x| < \mathbf{R}), \tag{1.6}$$

where the coefficients  $\sigma(k)$  ( $k \in \mathbb{N} = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ ) is a bounded sequence of positive real numbers and  $\mathbf{R}$  is the set of real numbers. With the help of (1.6), Raina [12] and Agarwal *et al.* [1] defined the following left-sided and right-sided fractional integral operators respectively, as follows:

$$(\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\lambda,a^+;w}^\sigma \varphi)(x) = \int_a^x (x-t)^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^\sigma[w(x-t)^\rho] \varphi(t) dt \quad (x > a > 0), \tag{1.7}$$

$$(\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\lambda,b-;w}^\sigma \varphi)(x) = \int_x^b (t-x)^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^\sigma [w(t-x)^\rho] \varphi(t) dt \quad (0 < x < b), \quad (1.8)$$

where  $\lambda, \rho > 0$ ,  $w \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\varphi(t)$  is such that the integral on the right side exists.

It is easy to verify that  $\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\lambda,a+;w}^\sigma \varphi(x)$  and  $\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\lambda,b-;w}^\sigma \varphi(x)$  are bounded integral operators on  $L(a, b)$ , if

$$\mathfrak{M} := \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^\sigma [w(b-a)^\rho] < \infty. \quad (1.9)$$

In fact, for  $\varphi \in L(a, b)$ , we have

$$\|\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\lambda,a+;w}^\sigma \varphi(x)\|_1 \leq \mathfrak{M}(b-a)^\lambda \|\varphi\|_1 \quad (1.10)$$

and

$$\|\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\lambda,b-;w}^\sigma \varphi(x)\|_1 \leq \mathfrak{M}(b-a)^\lambda \|\varphi\|_1 \quad (1.11)$$

where

$$\|\varphi\|_p := \left( \int_a^b |\varphi(t)|^p dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

Here, many useful fractional integral operators can be obtained by specializing the coefficient  $\sigma(k)$ . For instance the classical Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals  $J_{a+}^\alpha$  and  $J_{b-}^\alpha$  of order  $\alpha$  follow easily by setting  $\lambda = \alpha$ ,  $\sigma(0) = 1$  and  $w = 0$  in (1.7) and (1.8). Some recent results and properties concerning the fractional integral operators can be found [15, 16, 18, 19].

In this paper, some new Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for products of two different convex functions via generalized fractional integral operator are obtained.

## 2. INEQUALITIES FOR PRODUCT OF $m$ -CONVEX AND $(\alpha, m)$ -CONVEX FUNCTIONS

**Theorem 3.** *Let  $f, g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ ,  $0 \leq a < b$ , be functions such that  $fg \in L_1[a, b]$ . If  $f$  is  $m_1$ -convex and  $g$  is  $m_2$ -convex on  $[a, b]$  with  $m_1, m_2 \in (0, 1)$ , then one has*

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(b-a)^\alpha} (\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\alpha,a+;w}^\sigma)(fg(b)) \\ & \leq f(a)g(a) \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_1} [w(b-a)^\rho] + f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_2} [w(b-a)^\rho] \\ & \quad + g(a)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_3} [w(b-a)^\rho] + f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha+1}^{\sigma_4} [w(b-a)^\rho] \end{aligned} \quad (2.1)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(b-a)^\alpha} (\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\alpha,b^-;w}^\sigma)(fg(a)) \tag{2.2} \\ \leq & f(b)g(b)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_1}[w(b-a)^\rho] + f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_2}[w(b-a)^\rho] \\ & + g(b)f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_3}[w(b-a)^\rho] + f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha+1}^{\sigma_4}[w(b-a)^\rho], \end{aligned}$$

where  $\alpha > 0$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_1(k) & := \sigma(k)\frac{1}{\alpha + \rho k + 2}, & \sigma_2(k) & := \sigma(k)\frac{m_2}{(\alpha + \rho k + 1)(\alpha + \rho k + 2)}, \\ \sigma_3(k) & := \sigma(k)\frac{m_1}{(\alpha + \rho k + 1)(\alpha + \rho k + 2)}, & \sigma_4(k) & := \sigma(k)\frac{2m_1m_2}{(\alpha + \rho k + 1)(\alpha + \rho k + 2)}. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* By using the definitions of  $f$  and  $g$ , we can write

$$f(ta + (1-t)b) \leq tf(a) + m_1(1-t)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) \tag{2.3}$$

and

$$g(ta + (1-t)b) \leq tg(a) + m_2(1-t)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right). \tag{2.4}$$

By multiplying (2.3) and (2.4), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & f(ta + (1-t)b)g(ta + (1-t)b) \tag{2.5} \\ \leq & t^2f(a)g(a) + m_2f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)t(1-t) \\ & + m_1g(a)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)t(1-t) + m_1m_2f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)(1-t)^2. \end{aligned}$$

If we multiply both sides of (2.5) by  $t^{\alpha-1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]$ , then integrating with respect to  $t$  over  $[0, 1]$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]f(ta+(1-t)b)g(ta+(1-t)b)dt \\
= & \int_b^a \left(\frac{b-u}{b-a}\right)^{\alpha-1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-u)^\rho]f(u)g(u)\frac{du}{a-b} \\
= & \frac{1}{(b-a)^\alpha}(\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\alpha,a+;w}^\sigma)(fg(b)) \\
\leq & f(a)g(a)\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\
& +m_2f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)\int_0^1 t^\alpha(1-t)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\
& +m_1g(a)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)\int_0^1 t^\alpha(1-t)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\
& +m_1m_2f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)\int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1}(1-t)^2\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\
= & f(a)g(a)\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}\frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha+\rho k)}\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k+1}dt \\
& +m_2f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}\frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha+\rho k)}\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k}(1-t)dt \\
& +m_1g(a)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}\frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha+\rho k)}\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k}(1-t)dt \\
& +m_1m_2f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}\frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha+\rho k)}\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k-1}(1-t)^2dt \\
= & f(a)g(a)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_1}[w(b-a)^\rho]+f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_2}[w(b-a)^\rho] \\
& +g(a)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_3}[w(b-a)^\rho]+f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha+1}^{\sigma_4}[w(b-a)^\rho].
\end{aligned}$$

Analogously, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
& f((1-t)a+tb)g((1-t)a+tb) \\
\leq & t^2f(b)g(b)+m_2f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)t(1-t) \\
& +m_1g(b)f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)t(1-t)+m_1m_2f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)(1-t)^2.
\end{aligned} \tag{2.6}$$

If we multiply both sides of (2.6) by  $t^{\alpha-1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]$ , then integrating with respect to  $t$  over  $[0, 1]$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]f((1-t)a+tb)g((1-t)a+tb)dt \\ = & \int_a^b \left(\frac{v-a}{b-a}\right)^{\alpha-1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(v-a)^\rho]f(v)g(v)\frac{dv}{b-a} \\ = & \frac{1}{(b-a)^\alpha}(\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\alpha,b^-;w}^\sigma)(fg(a)) \\ \leq & f(b)g(b)\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\ & +m_2f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\int_0^1 t^\alpha(1-t)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\ & +m_1g(b)f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)\int_0^1 t^\alpha(1-t)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\ & +m_1m_2f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1}(1-t)^2\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\ = & f(b)g(b)\sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha+\rho k)}\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k+1}dt \\ & +m_2f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha+\rho k)}\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k}(1-t)dt \\ & +m_1g(b)f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)\sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha+\rho k)}\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k}(1-t)dt \\ & +m_1m_2f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha+\rho k)}\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k-1}(1-t)^2dt \\ = & f(b)g(b)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_1}[w(b-a)^\rho]+f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_2}[w(b-a)^\rho] \\ & +g(b)f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_3}[w(b-a)^\rho]+f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha+1}^{\sigma_4}[w(b-a)^\rho]. \end{aligned}$$

Here, we used the facts that

$$\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k+1}dt = \frac{1}{\alpha+\rho k+2},$$

$$\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k}(1-t)dt = \frac{1}{(\alpha+\rho k+1)(\alpha+\rho k+2)},$$

$$\int_0^1 t^{\alpha+\rho k-1}(1-t)^2 dt = \frac{2}{(\alpha+\rho k)(\alpha+\rho k+1)(\alpha+\rho k+2)}.$$

This completes the proof.  $\square$

**Remark 1.** If we take  $\sigma(0) = 1$  and  $w = 0$  in the Theorem 3, then the inequalities (2.1) and (2.2) reduces to the inequalities (1.2) and (1.3), respectively.

**Theorem 4.** Let  $f, g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ ,  $0 \leq a < b$ , be functions such that  $fg \in L_1[a, b]$ . If  $f$  is  $(\alpha_1, m_1)$ -convex and  $g$  is  $(\alpha_2, m_2)$ -convex on  $[a, b]$  with  $(\alpha_1, m_1), (\alpha_2, m_2) \in (0, 1]^2$ , respectively, then one has

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(b-a)^\alpha} (\mathcal{J}_{\rho, \alpha, a+; w}^\sigma)(fg(b)) \\ & \leq f(a)g(a) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_5} [w(b-a)^\rho] + f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_6} [w(b-a)^\rho] \\ & \quad + g(a)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_7} [w(b-a)^\rho] + f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_8} [w(b-a)^\rho] \end{aligned} \quad (2.7)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(b-a)^\alpha} (\mathcal{J}_{\rho, \alpha, b-; w}^\sigma)(fg(a)) \\ & \leq f(b)g(b) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_5} [w(b-a)^\rho] + f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_6} [w(b-a)^\rho] \\ & \quad + g(b)f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_7} [w(b-a)^\rho] + f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_8} [w(b-a)^\rho], \end{aligned} \quad (2.8)$$

where  $\alpha > 0$  and

$$\sigma_5(k) := \sigma(k) \frac{1}{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha + \rho k},$$

$$\sigma_6(k) := \sigma(k) \frac{\alpha_2 m_2}{(\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1)(\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2)},$$

$$\sigma_7(k) := \sigma(k) \frac{\alpha_1 m_1}{(\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_2)(\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2)},$$

$$\sigma_8(k) := \sigma(k) \left( \frac{1}{\alpha + \rho k} - \frac{1}{\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1} - \frac{1}{\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_2} + \frac{1}{\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2} \right) m_1 m_2.$$

*Proof.* By using the definitions of  $f$  and  $g$ , we can write

$$f(ta + (1-t)b) \leq t^{\alpha_1} f(a) + m_1(1-t^{\alpha_1}) f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) \quad (2.9)$$

and

$$g(ta + (1-t)b) \leq t^{\alpha_2} g(a) + m_2(1-t^{\alpha_2}) g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right). \quad (2.10)$$



By multiplying (2.9) and (2.10), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & f(ta + (1 - t)b)g(ta + (1 - t)b) \\
 \leq & t^{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2} f(a)g(a) + m_2 f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) t^{\alpha_1} (1 - t^{\alpha_2}) \\
 & + m_1 g(a) f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) t^{\alpha_2} (1 - t^{\alpha_1}) \\
 & + m_1 m_2 f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) (1 - t^{\alpha_1})(1 - t^{\alpha_2}). \tag{2.11}
 \end{aligned}$$

If we multiply both sides of (2.11) by  $t^{\alpha-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]$ , then integrating with respect to  $t$  over  $[0, 1]$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho] f(ta + (1 - t)b)g(ta + (1 - t)b) dt \\
 = & \int_b^a \left(\frac{b-u}{b-a}\right)^{\alpha-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^\sigma[w(b-u)^\rho] f(u)g(u) \frac{du}{a-b} \\
 = & \frac{1}{(b-a)^\alpha} (\mathcal{J}_{\rho, \alpha, a+; w}^\sigma)(fg(b)) \\
 \leq & f(a)g(a) \int_0^1 t^{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha - 1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho] dt \\
 & + m_2 f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} t^{\alpha_1} (1 - t^{\alpha_2}) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho] dt \\
 & + m_1 g(a) f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} t^{\alpha_2} (1 - t^{\alpha_1}) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho] dt \\
 & + m_1 m_2 f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} (1 - t^{\alpha_1})(1 - t^{\alpha_2}) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho] dt \\
 = & f(a)g(a) \sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha + \rho k)} \int_0^1 t^{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha + \rho k - 1} dt \\
 & + m_2 f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha + \rho k)} \int_0^1 t^{\alpha + \rho k - 1} t^{\alpha_1} (1 - t^{\alpha_2}) dt \\
 & + m_1 g(a) f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) \sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha + \rho k)} \int_0^1 t^{\alpha + \rho k - 1} t^{\alpha_2} (1 - t^{\alpha_1}) dt \\
 & + m_1 m_2 f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right) g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right) \sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha + \rho k)} \int_0^1 t^{\alpha + \rho k - 1} (1 - t^{\alpha_1})(1 - t^{\alpha_2}) dt
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= f(a)g(a)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_5}[w(b-a)^\rho] + f(a)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_6}[w(b-a)^\rho] \\
&\quad + g(a)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_7}[w(b-a)^\rho] + f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{b}{m_2}\right)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^{\sigma_8}[w(b-a)^\rho].
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&f((1-t)a+tb)g((1-t)a+tb) \\
&\leq t^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}f(b)g(b) + m_2f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)t^{\alpha_1}(1-t^{\alpha_2}) \\
&\quad + m_1g(b)f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)t^{\alpha_2}(1-t^{\alpha_1}) \\
&\quad + m_1m_2f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)(1-t^{\alpha_1})(1-t^{\alpha_2}). \tag{2.12}
\end{aligned}$$

If we multiply both sides of (2.12) by  $t^{\alpha-1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]$ , then integrating with respect to  $t$  over  $[0, 1]$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
&\int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]f((1-t)a+tb)g((1-t)a+tb)dt \\
&= \int_a^b \left(\frac{v-a}{b-a}\right)^{\alpha-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(v-a)^\rho]f(v)g(v)\frac{dv}{b-a} \\
&= \frac{1}{(b-a)^\alpha}(\mathcal{J}_{\rho,\alpha,b^-;w}^\sigma)(fg(a)) \\
&\leq f(b)g(b)\int_0^1 t^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2+\alpha-1}\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\
&\quad + m_2f(b)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1}t^{\alpha_1}(1-t^{\alpha_2})\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\
&\quad + m_1g(b)f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)\int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1}t^{\alpha_2}(1-t^{\alpha_1})\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt \\
&\quad + m_1m_2f\left(\frac{a}{m_1}\right)g\left(\frac{a}{m_2}\right)\int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1}(1-t^{\alpha_1})(1-t^{\alpha_2})\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\alpha}^\sigma[w(b-a)^\rho t^\rho]dt
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= f(b)g(b) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha + \rho k)} \int_0^1 t^{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha + \rho k - 1} dt \\
 &\quad + m_2 f(b)g \left( \frac{a}{m_2} \right) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha + \rho k)} \int_0^1 t^{\alpha + \rho k - 1} t^{\alpha_1} (1 - t^{\alpha_2}) dt \\
 &\quad + m_1 g(b)f \left( \frac{a}{m_1} \right) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha + \rho k)} \int_0^1 t^{\alpha + \rho k - 1} t^{\alpha_2} (1 - t^{\alpha_1}) dt \\
 &\quad + m_1 m_2 f \left( \frac{a}{m_1} \right) g \left( \frac{a}{m_2} \right) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k)w^k(b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\alpha + \rho k)} \int_0^1 t^{\alpha + \rho k - 1} (1 - t^{\alpha_1})(1 - t^{\alpha_2}) dt \\
 &= f(b)g(b) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_5} [w(b-a)^\rho] + f(b)g \left( \frac{a}{m_2} \right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_6} [w(b-a)^\rho] \\
 &\quad + g(b)f \left( \frac{a}{m_1} \right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_7} [w(b-a)^\rho] + f \left( \frac{a}{m_1} \right) g \left( \frac{a}{m_2} \right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho, \alpha}^{\sigma_8} [w(b-a)^\rho].
 \end{aligned}$$

Here, we used the facts that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^1 t^{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha + \rho k - 1} dt &= \frac{1}{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha + \rho k}, \\
 \int_0^1 t^{\alpha + \rho k - 1} t^{\alpha_1} (1 - t^{\alpha_2}) dt &= \frac{\alpha_2}{(\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1)(\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2)}, \\
 \int_0^1 t^{\alpha + \rho k - 1} t^{\alpha_2} (1 - t^{\alpha_1}) dt &= \frac{\alpha_1}{(\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_2)(\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2)}, \\
 \int_0^1 t^{\alpha + \rho k - 1} (1 - t^{\alpha_1})(1 - t^{\alpha_2}) dt &= \frac{1}{\alpha + \rho k} - \frac{1}{\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1} \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_2} + \frac{1}{\alpha + \rho k + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. □

**Remark 2.** If we take  $\sigma(0) = 1$  and  $w = 0$  in the Theorem 4, then the inequalities (2.7) and (2.8) reduces to the inequalities (1.4) and (1.5), respectively.

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