

**SOME NEW INTEGRAL INEQUALITIES FOR FUNCTIONS
WHOSE DERIVATIVES OF ABSOLUTE VALUES ARE CONVEX
AND CONCAVE**

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we prove some new inequalities for the functions whose derivatives absolute values are convex and concave by dividing the interval $[a, b]$ to $n + 1$ equal even sub-intervals. We obtain some new results involving intermediate values of $|f'|$ in $[a, b]$ by using some classical inequalities like Hermite-Hadamard, Hölder, Power-Mean and Jensen.

1. INTRODUCTION

The function $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, is said to be convex, if we have

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

for all $x, y \in [a, b]$ and $t \in [0, 1]$. Geometrically, this means that if P, Q and R are three distinct points on the graph of f with Q between P and R , then Q is on or below chord PR . A huge amount of the researchers interested in this definition and there are several papers based on convexity. See the papers [1]-[7].

Let $f : I \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a convex function and let $a, b \in I$, with $a < b$. The following double inequality;

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

is known in the literature as Hadamard's inequality [2]. Both inequalities hold in the reversed direction if f is concave.

In a recent paper [1], Latif and Dragomir proved following Theorems:

Theorem 1. *Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ such that $f' \in L[a, b]$, where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|$ is convex on $[a, b]$ then the following inequality holds:*

$$(1.1) \quad \left| \frac{f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{3b+a}{4}\right)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(u) du \right| \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{96}\right) \left[|f'(a)| + 4 \left|f'\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right)\right| + 2 \left|f'\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)\right| + 4 \left|f'\left(\frac{a+3b}{2}\right)\right| + |f'(b)| \right].$$

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Theorem 2. Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ such that $f' \in L[a, b]$, where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|^q$ is convex on $[a, b]$ for some fixed $q > 1$, then the following inequality holds:

$$(1.2) \quad \left| \frac{f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{3b+a}{4}\right)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(u) du \right| \leq \left(\frac{1}{p+1}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \left(\frac{b-a}{16}\right) \\ \times \left\{ \left(\left| f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) \right|^q + |f'(a)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + \left| f'\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ \left. \left(\left| f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right|^q + \left| f'\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\left| f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right|^q + |f'(b)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\},$$

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

Theorem 3. Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ such that $f' \in L[a, b]$, where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|^q$ is convex on $[a, b]$ for some fixed $q \geq 1$, then the following inequality holds:

$$(1.3) \quad \left| \frac{f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{3b+a}{4}\right)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(u) du \right| \leq \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \left(\frac{b-a}{16}\right) \\ \times \left\{ \left(|f'(a)|^q + 2 \left| f'\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + 2 \left| f'\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ \left. \left(\left| f'\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + 2 \left| f'\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(2 \left| f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right|^q + |f'(b)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\},$$

Theorem 4. Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ such that $f' \in L[a, b]$, where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|$ is concave on $[a, b]$ for some fixed $q > 1$, then the following inequality holds:

$$(1.4) \quad \left| \frac{f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{3b+a}{4}\right)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(u) du \right| \\ \leq \left(\frac{q-1}{2q-1}\right)^{\frac{q-1}{q}} \left(\frac{b-a}{16}\right) \left[\left| f'\left(\frac{7a+b}{8}\right) \right| + \left| f'\left(\frac{5a+3b}{8}\right) \right| \right. \\ \left. + \left| f'\left(\frac{3a+5b}{8}\right) \right| + \left| f'\left(\frac{a+7b}{8}\right) \right| \right],$$

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

Theorem 5. Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ such that $f' \in L[a, b]$, where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|^q$ is concave on $[a, b]$ for some fixed

$q > 1$, then the following inequality holds:

$$(1.5) \quad \left| \frac{f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{3b+a}{4}\right)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(u) du \right| \\ \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{32} \right) \left[\left| f' \left(\frac{13a+3b}{12} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left(\frac{11a+5b}{12} \right) \right| \right. \\ \left. + \left| f' \left(\frac{5a+13b}{12} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left(\frac{3a+13b}{12} \right) \right| \right].$$

The main aim of this paper is to establish some new inequalities involving values of $|f'|$ at intermediate points of $[a, b]$ interval for functions whose absolute values of derivatives are convex and concave. In order to prove our results we divide the interval $[a, b]$ to $n + 1$ equal even sub-intervals.

2. MAIN RESULTS

We need following lemma to prove our main Theorems:

Lemma 1. Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $f' \in L[a, b]$ and n is an odd number then the following equality holds:

$$(2.1) \quad \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1} \right) \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left[\int_0^1 t f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b.2k}{n+1} \right) dt \right. \\ \left. + \int_0^1 (1-t) \cdot f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b.(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) dt \right] \\ = \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx.$$

Proof. Firstly, we take

$$I_{1k} = \int_0^1 \left[t f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b.2k}{n+1} \right) \right] dt \\ I_{2k} = \int_0^1 \left[(1-t) f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b.(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right] dt.$$

Hence, it is obvious that for $k = 0$, we have

$$I_{10} + I_{20} = \int_0^1 t f' \left(t \frac{an+b}{n+1} + (1-t)a \right) dt + \int_0^1 t f' \left(t \frac{a(n-1)+2b}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{an+b}{n+1} \right) dt.$$

Integrating by parts, we obtain

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

By making use of the substitutions $x = t \frac{an+b}{n+1} + (1-t)a$ and $y = t \frac{a(n-1)+2b}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{an+b}{n+1}$, we get

$$I_{10} + I_{20} = \frac{2(n+1)}{b-a} f \left(\frac{an+b}{n+1} \right) - \left(\frac{n+1}{b-a} \right)^2 \left[\int_a^{\frac{an+b}{n+1}} f(x) dx + \int_{\frac{an+b}{n+1}}^{\frac{a(n-1)+2b}{n+1}} f(x) dx \right].$$

By a similar argument, for $k=1$, we have

$$I_{11} + I_{21} = \frac{2(n+1)}{b-a} f \left(\frac{a(n-2)+3b}{n+1} \right) - \left(\frac{n+1}{b-a} \right)^2 \left[\int_{\frac{a(n-1)+2b}{n+1}}^{\frac{a(n-2)+3b}{n+1}} f(x) dx + \int_{\frac{a(n-2)+3b}{n+1}}^{\frac{a(n-3)+4b}{n+1}} f(x) dx \right].$$

If we apply same calculations from $k=2$ to $(n-1)/2$, we have

$$\frac{b-a}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} (I_{1k} + I_{2k}) = \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx.$$

Which is the desired result. \square

Theorem 6. Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|$ is convex on $[a, b]$ and n is an odd number then the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.2) \quad & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\
& \leq \frac{b-a}{6(n+1)} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left(4 \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right| \right. \\
& \left. + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} \right) \right| \right).
\end{aligned}$$

Proof. By using Lemma 1 and properties of modulus, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b-a}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left(\int_0^1 \left| t f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right| dt \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \int_0^1 \left| (1-t) f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right| dt \right). \end{aligned}$$

By using the convexity of $|f'|$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b-a}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right| \int_0^1 t^2 dt + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right| \int_0^1 t(1-t) dt \\ & \quad + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} \right) \right| \int_0^1 t(1-t) dt + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right| \int_0^1 (1-t)^2 dt \\ & = \frac{b-a}{6(n+1)} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left(4 \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} \right) \right| \right). \end{aligned}$$

Which completes the proof. \square

Corollary 1. *If we choose $n = 1$ in (2.2) we obtain the following result:*

$$\left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{b-a}{6} \left(4f' \left(\frac{a+b}{2} \right) + f'(a) + f'(b) \right).$$

Corollary 2. *Under the conditions of Theorem 6, the following inequality holds:*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b-a}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left[\left(\frac{n-2k}{n+1} \right) |f'(a)| + \left(\frac{2k+1}{n+1} \right) |f'(b)| \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Besides if $|f'(x)| \leq M$, for all $x \in [a, b]$, then we have also following inequality:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1} \right) \left(\frac{n-1}{2} \right) M. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. It follows directly from Theorem 6 and using the convexity of $|f'|$. \square

Remark 1. If we choose $n = 3$ in (2.2), this inequality reduces to (1.1).

Theorem 7. Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|^q$ is convex on $[a, b]$ for some fixed $q \geq 1$ and n is an odd number, then the following inequality holds:

$$(2.3) \quad \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1}\right) \left(\frac{1}{p+1}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left\{ \left[\frac{1}{2} \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. + \frac{1}{2} \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q + \frac{1}{2} \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\},$$

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

Proof. From Lemma 1 and by using the Hölder inequality, we have

$$(2.4) \quad \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ \leq \frac{b-a}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left\{ \left(\int_0^1 t^p dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \right. \\ \times \left(\int_0^1 \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ \left. + \left(\int_0^1 (1-t)^p dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \right. \\ \left. \times \left(\int_0^1 \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\}$$

Since $|f'|^q$ is convex on $[a, b]$, we have

$$\int_0^1 \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \\ \leq \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t dt + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \int_0^1 (1-t) dt \\ = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \right].$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_0^1 \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \right]. \end{aligned}$$

By using the last two inequalities in (2.4), we obtain the desired result. \square

Corollary 3. *If we choose $n = 1$ in (2.3), we obtain the following result:*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| f \left(\frac{a+b}{2} \right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{2} \right) \left(\frac{1}{p+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^q \\ & \times \left\{ \left[\left| f' \left(\frac{a+b}{2} \right) \right|^q + |f'(a)|^q \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left[|f'(b)|^q + \left| f' \left(\frac{a+b}{2} \right) \right|^q \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 4. *Under the conditions of Theorem 7, the following inequality holds:*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1} \right) \left(\frac{1}{p+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left\{ \left[\left(\frac{2n-4k+1}{n+1} \right) |f'(a)| + \left(\frac{4k+1}{n+1} \right) |f'(b)| \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \left. + \left[\left(\frac{2n-4k-1}{n+1} \right) |f'(a)| + \left(\frac{4k+3}{n+1} \right) |f'(b)| \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Besides if $|f'(x)|^q \leq M$, for all $x \in [a, b]$, then we have also following inequality:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1} \right) \left(\frac{1}{p+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\frac{(n-1)^2}{2} \right) (M)^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. It follows from Theorem 7 using the convexity of $|f'|^q$ and the fact

$$\sum_{k=1}^n (u_k + v_k)^s \leq \sum_{k=1}^n (u_k)^s + \sum_{k=1}^n (v_k)^s, \quad u_k, v_k \geq 0, \quad 1 \leq k \leq n, \quad 0 \leq s < 1. \quad \square$$

Remark 2. *If we choose $n = 3$ in (2.3), this inequality reduces to (1.2).*

Theorem 8. *Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ such that $f' \in L[a, b]$, where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|^q$ is convex on $[a, b]$ for some fixed*

$q \geq 1$ and n is an odd number, then the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.5) \quad & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\
& \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left\{ \left[2 \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \left[2 \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Proof. From Lemma 1 and by using the well-known Power mean inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.6) \quad & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\
& \leq \frac{b-a}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left\{ \left(\int_0^1 t dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\
& \quad \times \left(\int_0^1 t \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
& \quad + \left(\int_0^1 (1-t) dt \right)^{(1-\frac{1}{q})} \\
& \quad \left. \times \left(\int_0^1 (1-t) \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

Since $|f|^q$ is convex on $[a, b]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^1 t \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \\
& \leq \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t^2 dt + \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q \int_0^1 t(1-t) dt \\
& = \frac{1}{3} \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q + \frac{1}{6} \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q.
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \int_0^1 (1-t) \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{6} \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q + \frac{1}{3} \left| f' \left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q
\end{aligned}$$

Using the last two inequalities in (2.6), we get the result. \square

Corollary 5. *If we choose $n = 1$ in (2.5), we obtain the following result:*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{8}\right) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \times \left[2 \left| f'\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q + |f'(a)|^q \right]^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left[2 |f'(b)|^q + \left| f'\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right|^q \right]^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 6. *Under the conditions of Theorem 8, using the same arguments as in Corollary 4, the following inequality holds:*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left\{ \left[\left(\frac{3n-6k+1}{n+1}\right) |f'(a)| + \left(\frac{6k+2}{n+1}\right) |f'(b)| \right]^q \right. \\ & \left. + \left[\left(\frac{3n-6k-2}{n+1}\right) |f'(a)| + \left(\frac{6k+5}{n+1}\right) |f'(b)| \right]^q \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned}$$

Besides if $|f'(x)|^q \leq M$, for all $x \in [a, b]$, then we have also following inequality:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} (n-1) (M)^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned}$$

Remark 3. *If we choose $n = 3$ in (2.3), this inequality reduces to (1.3).*

Theorem 9. *Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ such that $f' \in L[a, b]$, where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|^q$ is concave on $[a, b]$ for some fixed $q > 1$, and n is an odd number, then the following inequality holds:*

$$\begin{aligned} (2.7) \quad & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1}\right) \left(\frac{q-1}{2q-1}\right) \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left(\left| f'\left(\frac{a(2n-4k+1)+b(4k+1)}{2(n+1)}\right) \right|^q + \left| f'\left(\frac{a(2n-4k-1)+b(4k+3)}{2(n+1)}\right) \right|^q \right) \end{aligned}$$

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

Proof. From Lemma 1 and using the well-known Hölder inequality for $q > 1$ and $p = \frac{q}{q-1}$, we have

$$(2.8) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \frac{b-a}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left(\left(\int_0^1 t^{\frac{q}{q-1}} dt \right)^{\frac{q-1}{q}} \left(\int_0^1 \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b2k}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left(\int_0^1 (1-t)^{\frac{q}{q-1}} dt \right)^{\frac{q-1}{q}} \left(\int_0^1 \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Since $|f|^q$ is concave on $[a, b]$ and by using the Hadamard inequality for concave functions, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b2k}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \\ & \leq \left| f' \left(\frac{\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b2k}{n+1}}{2} \right) \right|^q = \left| f' \left(\frac{a(2n-4k+1)+b(4k+1)}{2(n+1)} \right) \right|^q \end{aligned}$$

and similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right|^q dt \\ & \leq \left| f' \left(\frac{\frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}}{2} \right) \right|^q = \left| f' \left(\frac{a(2n-4k-1)+b(4k+3)}{2(n+1)} \right) \right|^q. \end{aligned}$$

Using these two inequalities in (2.8), we get the desired result. \square

Corollary 7. *If we choose $n = 1$ in (2.7), we obtain the following result:*

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

Corollary 8. *Under the conditions of Theorem 9 and assume that $|f'|$ is a linear function, the following inequality holds:*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \left(\frac{b-a}{n+1} \right) \left(\frac{q-1}{2q-1} \right) 2 \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left[\left(\frac{n-k}{n+1} \right) |f'(a)| + \left(\frac{k+1}{n+1} \right) |f'(b)| \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. It follows directly from Theorem 9 and linearity of $|f'|$. \square

Remark 4. If we choose $n = 3$ in (2.7), this inequality reduces to (1.4).

Theorem 10. Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $\overset{\circ}{I}$ such that $f' \in L[a, b]$, where $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $|f'|^q$ is concave on $[a, b]$ for some fixed $q > 1$ and n is an odd number, then the following inequality holds:

$$(2.9) \quad \left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ \leq \frac{b-a}{(n+1)} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left[\left| f' \left(\frac{2}{3} \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + \frac{1}{3} \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) \right| \right. \\ \left. + \left| f' \left(\frac{1}{3} \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + \frac{2}{3} \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right| \right].$$

Proof. We know that if $|f'|^q$ is concave, then $|f'|$ is also concave (See: [1]). From Lemma 1 and property of modulus, we have

$$\left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ \leq \frac{b-a}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left[\int_0^1 |f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right)| dt \right. \\ \left. + \int_0^1 (1-t) \cdot \left| f' \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) \right| dt \right].$$

Since $|f'|$ is concave, by using Jensen Inequality, we obtain

$$\leq \frac{b-a}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} \left[\left(\int_0^1 t dt \right) \left| f' \left(\frac{\int_0^1 t \left(t \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k+1)+b(2k)}{n+1} \right) dt}{\int_0^1 t dt} \right) \right| \right. \\ \left. + \left(\int_0^1 (1-t) dt \right) \left| f' \left(\frac{\int_0^1 (1-t) \left(t \frac{a(n-2k-1)+b(2k+2)}{n+1} + (1-t) \frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1} \right) dt}{\int_0^1 (1-t) dt} \right) \right| \right].$$

which is equivalent to (2.9). This completes proof. \square

Corollary 9. If we choose $n = 1$ in (2.9), we obtain the following result:

$$\left| 2f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{2}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \\ \leq \frac{b-a}{4} \left[\left| f' \left(\frac{2a+b}{3} \right) \right| + \left| f' \left(\frac{a+2b}{3} \right) \right| \right].$$

Corollary 10. *Under the conditions of Theorem 10 and assume that $|f'|$ is a linear function, the following inequality holds:*

$$\left| \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} 2f\left(\frac{a(n-2k)+b(2k+1)}{n+1}\right) - \frac{n+1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{2(b-a)}{n+1} \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} [(n-2k)|f'(a)| + (2k+n)|f'(b)|].$$

Proof. It follows directly from Theorem 10 and linearity of $|f'|$. □

Remark 5. *If we choose $n = 3$ in (2.9), this inequality reduces to (1.5).*

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