

**PERTURBED COMPANION OF OSTROWSKI TYPE  
INEQUALITY FOR FUNCTIONS WHOSE FIRST DERIVATIVES  
ARE OF BOUNDED VARIATION**

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, some perturbed companions of Ostrowski type integral inequalities for functions whose first derivatives are of bounded variation are established.

1. INTRODUCTION

In 1938, Ostrowski [29] established a following useful inequality:

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a differentiable mapping on  $(a, b)$  whose derivative  $f' : (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is bounded on  $(a, b)$ , i.e.  $\|f'\|_\infty := \sup_{t \in (a, b)} |f'(t)| < \infty$ . Then, we have the inequality*

$$(1.1) \quad \left| f(x) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right| \leq \left[ \frac{1}{4} + \frac{\left(x - \frac{a+b}{2}\right)^2}{(b-a)^2} \right] (b-a) \|f'\|_\infty,$$

for all  $x \in [a, b]$ .

The constant  $\frac{1}{4}$  is the best possible.

**Definition 1.** *Let  $P : a = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_n = b$  be any partition of  $[a, b]$  and let  $\Delta f(x_i) = f(x_{i+1}) - f(x_i)$ , then  $f$  is said to be of bounded variation if the sum*

$$\sum_{i=1}^m |\Delta f(x_i)|$$

is bounded for all such partitions.

**Definition 2.** *Let  $f$  be of bounded variation on  $[a, b]$ , and  $\sum \Delta f(P)$  denotes the sum  $\sum_{i=1}^n |\Delta f(x_i)|$  corresponding to the partition  $P$  of  $[a, b]$ . The number*

$$\bigvee_a^b(f) := \sup \left\{ \sum \Delta f(P) : P \in P([a, b]) \right\},$$

is called the total variation of  $f$  on  $[a, b]$ . Here  $P([a, b])$  denotes the family of partitions of  $[a, b]$ .

In [16], Dragomir proved the following Ostrowski type inequalities for functions of bounded variation:

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**Theorem 2.** Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a mapping of bounded variation on  $[a, b]$ . Then

$$(1.2) \quad \left| \int_a^b f(t)dt - (b-a)f(x) \right| \leq \left[ \frac{1}{2}(b-a) + \left| x - \frac{a+b}{2} \right| \right] \bigvee_a^b(f)$$

holds for all  $x \in [a, b]$ . The constant  $\frac{1}{2}$  is the best possible.

For a function of bounded variation  $v : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ . We define the *Cumulative Variation Function* (CVF)  $V : [a; b] \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  by

$$V(t) := \bigvee_a^t(v),$$

the total variation of  $v$  on the interval  $[a, t]$  with  $t \in [a, b]$ .

It is known that the CVF is monotonic nondecreasing on  $[a, b]$  and is continuous in a point  $c \in [a, b]$  if and only if the generating function  $v$  is continuous in that point. If  $v$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $L > 0$ , i.e.

$$|v(t) - v(s)| \leq L|t - s|, \text{ for any } t, s \in [a, b],$$

then  $V$  is also Lipschitzian with the same constant.

A simple proof of the following Lemma was given in [17].

**Lemma 1.** Let  $f, u : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ . If  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$  and  $u$  is of bounded variation on  $[a, b]$ , then the Riemann-Stieltjes integral  $\int_a^b f(t)du(t)$  exist and

$$(1.3) \quad \left| \int_a^b f(t)du(t) \right| \leq \int_a^b |f(t)|d\left(\bigvee_a^t(u)\right) \leq \max_{t \in [a, b]} |f(t)| \bigvee_a^b(u).$$

In [8], authors obtained the following companion of Ostrowski type inequalities for functions whose first derivatives are of bounded variation:

**Theorem 3.** Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be such that  $f'$  is a continuous function of bounded variation on  $[a, b]$ . Then we have the inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t)dt - \frac{1}{2}[f(x) + f(a+b-x)] \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \frac{1}{2} \left( x - \frac{3a+b}{4} \right) [f'(x) - f'(a+b-x)] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{16} \left[ \frac{5(x-a)^2 - 2(x-a)(b-x) + (b-x)^2}{b-a} + 4 \left| x - \frac{3a+b}{4} \right| \right] \bigvee_a^b(f') \end{aligned}$$

for any  $x \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]$ .

In the past, many authors have worked on Ostrowski type inequalities for functions (bounded, of bounded variation, etc.) see for example ([1]-[10], [13]-[19], [27],[28],[30],[32]-[38]). Furthermore, several works were devoted to study of perturbed Ostrowski type inequalities for bounded functions and functions of bounded variation, please refer to ([11],[12], [20]-[26],[31],[35]). In this study, we establish

some perturbed companion of Ostrowski type inequalities for twice differentiable functions whose second derivatives are either bounded or of bounded variation.

## 2. SOME IDENTITIES

Before we start our main results, we state and prove the following lemma:

**Lemma 2.** *Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a twice differentiable function on  $(a, b)$ . Then for any  $\lambda_i(x)$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$  complex number and all  $x \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]$  the following identity holds*

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.1) \quad & \left(x - \frac{3a+b}{4}\right) \frac{f'(x) - f'(a+b-x)}{2} - \frac{f(x) + f(a+b-x)}{2} + \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \\
& - \frac{1}{6(b-a)} \left[ (x-a)^3 (\lambda_1(x) + \lambda_3(x)) + 2 \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - x\right)^3 \lambda_2(x) \right] \\
= & \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ \int_a^x (t-a)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_1(x)t] + \int_x^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_2(x)t] \right. \\
& \left. + \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_3(x)t] \right].
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Using the integration by parts, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.2) \quad & \int_a^x (t-a)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_1(x)t] \\
= & \int_a^x (t-a)^2 df'(t) - \lambda_1(x) \int_a^x (t-a)^2 dt \\
= & (x-a)^2 f'(x) - 2(x-a)f(x) + 2 \int_a^x f(t) dt - \frac{\lambda_1(x)}{3} (x-a)^3,
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.3) \quad & \int_x^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_2(x)t] \\
= & \int_x^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right)^2 df'(t) - \lambda_2(x) \int_x^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right)^2 dt \\
= & \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - x\right)^2 [f'(a+b-x) - f'(x)] \\
& - 2 \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - x\right) [f(a+b-x) + f(x)] + 2 \int_x^{a+b-x} f(t) dt \\
& - \frac{2}{3} \lambda_2(x) \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - x\right)^3
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.4) \quad & \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_3(x)t] \\
 &= \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b)^2 df'(t) - \lambda_3(x) \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b)^2 dt \\
 &= -(x-a)^2 f'(a+b-x) - 2(x-a)f(a+b-x) \\
 &\quad + 2 \int_{a+b-x}^b f(t)dt - \frac{\lambda_3(x)}{3}(x-a)^3.
 \end{aligned}$$

If we add the equality (2.2)-(2.4) and divide by  $2(b-a)$ , we obtain required identity.  $\square$

**Corollary 1.** *Under assumption of Lemma 2 with  $\lambda_i(x) = \lambda_i, i = 1, 2, 3$*

*i) if we choose  $x = a$ , we have*

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.5) \quad & \frac{b-a}{8} [f'(b) - f'(a)] - \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t)dt - \frac{(b-a)^2}{24} \lambda_2 \\
 &= \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \int_a^b \left( t - \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_2 t],
 \end{aligned}$$

*ii) if we choose  $x = \frac{a+b}{2}$ , we have*

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.6) \quad & \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t)dt - f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{(b-a)^2}{48} (\lambda_1 + \lambda_3) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (t-a)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_1 t] + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b (t-b)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_3 t] \right],
 \end{aligned}$$

*iii) if we choose  $x = \frac{3a+b}{4}$ , we have*

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.7) \quad & \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t)dt - \frac{1}{2} \left[ f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right] - \frac{(b-a)^2}{384} (\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 + \lambda_3) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ \int_a^{\frac{3a+b}{4}} (t-a)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_1 t] + \int_{\frac{3a+b}{4}}^{\frac{a+3b}{4}} \left( t - \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_2 t] \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \int_{\frac{a+3b}{4}}^b (t-b)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_3 t] \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 2.** *If we take  $\lambda_1 = -\lambda_3$  in (2.6), then we get*

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt - f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (t-a)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_1 t] + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b (t-b)^2 d[f'(t) + \lambda_1 t] \right], \end{aligned}$$

and choosing  $\lambda_1 = \lambda_3 = -\lambda_2$  in (2.7), we have the inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt - \frac{1}{2} \left[ f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ \int_a^{\frac{3a+b}{4}} (t-a)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_1 t] + \int_{\frac{3a+b}{4}}^{\frac{a+3b}{4}} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right)^2 d[f'(t) + \lambda_1 t] dt \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \int_{\frac{a+3b}{4}}^b (t-b)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_1 t] \right]. \end{aligned}$$

### 3. INEQUALITIES FOR FUNCTIONS WHOSE FIRST DERIVATIVES ARE OF BOUNDED VARIATION

We denote by  $\ell : [a, b] \rightarrow [a, b]$  the identity function, namely  $\ell(t) = t$  for any  $t \in [a, b]$ .

**Theorem 4.** *Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a twice differentiable function on  $I^\circ$  and  $[a, b] \subset I^\circ$ . If the first derivative  $f'$  is of bounded variation on  $[a, b]$ , then*

$$\begin{aligned} & (3.1) \\ & \left| \left( x - \frac{3a+b}{4} \right) \frac{f'(x) - f'(a+b-x)}{2} - \frac{f(x) + f(a+b-x)}{2} + \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \frac{1}{6(b-a)} \left[ (x-a)^3 (\lambda_1(x) + \lambda_3(x)) + 2 \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^3 \lambda_2(x) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left[ \int_a^x (t-a) \left( \bigvee_t^x (f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell) \right) dt + \int_x^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - t \right) \left( \bigvee_x^t (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell) \right) dt \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{a+b-x} \left( t - \frac{a+b}{2} \right) \left( \bigvee_t^{a+b-x} (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell) \right) dt + \int_{a+b-x}^b (b-t) \left( \bigvee_{a+b-x}^t (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right) dt \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\leq \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ (x-a)^2 \mathop{\int}_a^x (f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell) + \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - x\right)^2 \mathop{\int}_x^{a+b-x} (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + (x-a)^2 \mathop{\int}_{a+b-x}^b (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right] \\
 &\leq \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left\{ \begin{aligned} &(b-a)^2 \left[ \frac{1}{4} + \left| \frac{x - \frac{3a+b}{4}}{b-a} \right| \right]^2 \\ &\times \left[ \mathop{\int}_a^x (f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell) + \mathop{\int}_x^{a+b-x} (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell) + \mathop{\int}_{a+b-x}^b (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right] \\ &\left[ 2(x-a)^2 + \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - x\right)^2 \right] \\ &\times \max \left\{ \mathop{\int}_a^x (f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell), \mathop{\int}_x^{a+b-x} (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell), \mathop{\int}_{a+b-x}^b (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right\} \end{aligned} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]$ .

*Proof.* Taking the modulus identity (2.1) and using Lemma 1, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.2) \quad &\left| \left( x - \frac{3a+b}{4} \right) \frac{f'(x) - f'(a+b-x)}{2} - \frac{f(x) + f(a+b-x)}{2} + \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right. \\
 &\quad \left. - \frac{1}{6(b-a)} \left[ (x-a)^3 (\lambda_1(x) + \lambda_3(x)) + 2 \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^3 \lambda_2(x) \right] \right| \\
 = &\frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ \left| \int_a^x (t-a)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_1(x)t] \right| + \left| \int_x^{a+b-x} \left( t - \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_2(x)t] \right| \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \left| \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_3(x)t] \right| \right] \\
 \leq &\frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ \int_a^x (t-a)^2 d \left( \mathop{\int}_a^t (f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell) \right) \right. \\
 &\quad + \int_x^{a+b-x} \left( t - \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^2 d \left( \mathop{\int}_a^t (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell) \right) \\
 &\quad \left. + \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b)^2 d \left( \mathop{\int}_a^t (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right) \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

Using the integration by parts in the Riemann-Stieltjes integral, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.3) \quad & \int_a^x (t-a)^2 d\left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell)\right) \\
&= (t-a)^2 \underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell) \Big|_a^x - 2 \int_a^x (t-a) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell)\right) dt \\
&= (x-a)^2 \underset{a}{\overset{x}{V}}(f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell) - 2 \int_a^x (t-a) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell)\right) dt \\
&= 2 \int_a^x (t-a) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{x}{V}}(f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell)\right) dt - 2 \int_a^x (t-a) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell)\right) dt \\
&= 2 \int_a^x (t-a) \left(\underset{t}{\overset{x}{V}}(f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell)\right) dt,
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.4) \quad & \int_x^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right)^2 d\left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) \\
&= \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right)^2 \left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) \Big|_x^{a+b-x} - 2 \int_x^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) dt \\
&= \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - x\right)^2 \left(\underset{a}{\overset{a+b-x}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) - \left(x - \frac{a+b}{2}\right)^2 \left(\underset{a}{\overset{x}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) \\
&\quad - 2 \int_x^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) dt \\
&= 2 \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{a+b-x}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) dt - 2 \int_x^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - t\right) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{x}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) dt \\
&\quad + 2 \int_x^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - t\right) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) dt - 2 \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) \left(\underset{a}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) dt \\
&= 2 \int_x^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - t\right) \left(\underset{x}{\overset{t}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) dt + 2 \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) \left(\underset{t}{\overset{a+b-x}{V}}(f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) dt
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.5) \quad & \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b)^2 d \left( \bigvee_a^t (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right) \\
 = & (t-b)^2 \bigvee_a^t (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \Big|_{a+b-x}^b - 2 \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b) \bigvee_a^t (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) dt \\
 = & -(x-a)^2 \left( \bigvee_a^{a+b-x} (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right) - 2 \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b) \left( \bigvee_a^t (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right) dt \\
 = & -2 \int_{a+b-x}^b (b-t) \left( \bigvee_a^{a+b-x} (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right) dt + 2 \int_{a+b-x}^b (b-t) \left( \bigvee_a^t (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right) dt \\
 = & 2 \int_{a+b-x}^b (b-t) \left( \bigvee_{a+b-x}^t (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell) \right) dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

If we substitute the equalities (3.3)-(3.5) in (3.2), we have the first inequality in (3.1).

Here, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.6) \quad & \int_a^x (t-a) \left( \bigvee_t^x (f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell) \right) dt \leq \left( \bigvee_a^x (f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell) \right) \int_a^x (t-a) dt \\
 & = \frac{(x-a)^2}{2} \bigvee_a^x (f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell),
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.7) \quad & \int_x^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - t \right) \left( \bigvee_x^t (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell) \right) dt \\
 & \leq \left( \bigvee_x^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell) \right) \int_x^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - t \right) dt \\
 & = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^2 \bigvee_x^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell),
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
(3.8) \quad & \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) \left(\bigvee_t^{a+b-x} (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) dt \\
& \leq \left(\bigvee_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{a+b-x} (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)\right) \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{a+b-x} \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) dt \\
& = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - x\right)^2 \bigvee_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{a+b-x} (f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell)
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.9) \quad & \int_{a+b-x}^b (b-t) \left(\bigvee_{a+b-x}^t (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell)\right) dt \\
& \leq \left(\bigvee_{a+b-x}^b (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell)\right) \int_{a+b-x}^b (b-t) dt \\
& = \frac{(x-a)^2}{2} \bigvee_{a+b-x}^b (f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell).
\end{aligned}$$

With the inequalities (3.6)-(3.9), we obtain the second inequality in (3.1).

The last inequality obvious by maximum properties.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.** *Under assumption of Theorem 4 with  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3 \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  
i) if we choose  $x = a$ , then we have*

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.10) \quad & \left| \frac{b-a}{8} [f'(b) - f'(a)] - \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt - \frac{(b-a)^2}{24} \lambda_2 \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left[ \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - t\right) \left(\bigvee_a^t (f' - \lambda_2\ell)\right) dt \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b \left(t - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) \left(\bigvee_t^b (f' - \lambda_2\ell)\right) dt \right] \\
& \leq \frac{(b-a)}{8} \bigvee_a^b (f' - \lambda_2\ell).
\end{aligned}$$

ii) if we choose  $x = \frac{a+b}{2}$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.11) \quad & \left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt - f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{(b-a)^2}{48} [\gamma_1 + \gamma_3] \right| \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left[ \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (t-a) \left( \bigvee_t (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) \right) dt + \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b (b-t) \left( \bigvee_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^t (f' - \lambda_3 \ell) \right) dt \right] \\
 & \leq \frac{(b-a)}{8} \left[ \bigvee_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) + \bigvee_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b (f' - \lambda_3 \ell) \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

iii) if we choose  $x = \frac{3a+b}{4}$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.12) \quad & \left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt - \frac{1}{2} \left[ f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right] - \frac{(b-a)^2}{384} [\lambda_1 + 2\gamma_2 + \lambda_3] \right| \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left[ \int_a^{\frac{3a+b}{4}} (t-a) \left( \bigvee_t (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) \right) dt + \int_{\frac{3a+b}{4}}^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - t \right) \left( \bigvee_{\frac{3a+b}{4}}^t (f' - \lambda_2 \ell) \right) dt \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{\frac{a+3b}{4}} \left( t - \frac{a+b}{2} \right) \left( \bigvee_t (f' - \lambda_2 \ell) \right) dt + \int_{\frac{a+3b}{4}}^b (b-t) \left( \bigvee_{\frac{a+3b}{4}}^t (f' - \lambda_3 \ell) \right) dt \right] \\
 & \leq \frac{(b-a)}{32} \left[ \bigvee_a^{\frac{3a+b}{4}} (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) + \bigvee_{\frac{3a+b}{4}}^{\frac{a+3b}{4}} (f' - \lambda_2 \ell) + \bigvee_{\frac{a+3b}{4}}^b (f' - \lambda_3 \ell) \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 4.** If we choose  $\gamma_1 = -\gamma_3$  in (3.11) and  $\gamma_1 = \gamma_3 = -\gamma_2$  in (3.12), then we have the following inequality respectively,

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.13) \quad & \left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt - f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left[ \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (t-a) \left( \bigvee_t (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) \right) dt + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b (b-t) \left( \bigvee_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^t (f' + \lambda_1 \ell) \right) dt \right] \\
 & \leq \frac{(b-a)}{8} \left[ \bigvee_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) + \bigvee_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b (f' + \lambda_1 \ell) \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.14) \quad & \left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt - \frac{1}{2} \left[ f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right] \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \left[ \int_a^{\frac{3a+b}{4}} (t-a) \left( \bigvee_t (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) \right) dt + \int_{\frac{3a+b}{4}}^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - t \right) \left( \bigvee_{\frac{3a+b}{4}}^t (f' + \lambda_1 \ell) \right) dt \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{\frac{a+3b}{4}} \left( t - \frac{a+b}{2} \right) \left( \bigvee_t (f' + \lambda_1 \ell) \right) dt + \int_{\frac{a+3b}{4}}^b (b-t) \left( \bigvee_{\frac{a+3b}{4}}^t (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) \right) dt \right] \\
& \leq \frac{(b-a)}{32} \left[ \bigvee_a^{\frac{3a+b}{4}} (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) + \bigvee_{\frac{3a+b}{4}}^{\frac{a+3b}{4}} (f' + \lambda_1 \ell) \bigvee_{\frac{a+3b}{4}}^b (f' - \lambda_1 \ell) \right].
\end{aligned}$$

#### 4. INEQUALITIES FOR FUNCTIONS WHOSE FIRST DERIVATIVES ARE LIPSCHITZIAN

**Theorem 5.** Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a twice differentiable function on  $I^\circ$  and  $[a, b] \subset I^\circ$ . If  $f' - \lambda_1(x)\ell$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $K_1(x)$  on the interval  $[a, x]$ ,  $f' - \lambda_2(x)\ell$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $K_2(x)$  on the interval  $[x, a+b-x]$ , and  $f' - \lambda_3(x)\ell$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $K_3(x)$  on the interval  $[a+b-x, b]$  then, for any  $x \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]$  and  $\lambda_i(x)$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$  complex numbers, we have the inequalities

$$\begin{aligned}
(4.1) \quad & \left| \left( x - \frac{3a+b}{4} \right) \frac{f'(x) - f'(a+b-x)}{2} - \frac{f(x) + f(a+b-x)}{2} + \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right. \\
& \quad \left. - \frac{1}{6(b-a)} \left[ (x-a)^3 (\lambda_1(x) + \lambda_3(x)) + 2 \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^3 \lambda_2(x) \right] \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{6(b-a)} \left[ K_1(x) (x-a)^3 + 2K_2(x) \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^3 + K_3(x) (x-a)^3 \right] \\
& \leq \frac{1}{3(b-a)} \left[ (x-a)^3 + \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^3 \right] \max \{ K_1(x), K_2(x), K_3(x) \}
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* It is known that, if  $g : [c, d] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is Riemann integrable and  $u : [c, d] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $K > 0$ , then the Riemann-Stieltje integral  $\int_c^d g(t) du(t)$  exist and

$$\left| \int_c^d g(t) du(t) \right| \leq K \int_c^d |g(t)| dt.$$

Taking the modulus (2.1), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.2) \quad & \left| \left( x - \frac{3a+b}{4} \right) \frac{f'(x) - f'(a+b-x)}{2} - \frac{f(x) + f(a+b-x)}{2} + \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt \right. \\
 & \left. - \frac{1}{6(b-a)} \left[ (x-a)^3 (\lambda_1(x) + \lambda_3(x)) + 2 \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^3 \lambda_2(x) \right] \right| \\
 \leq & \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ \left| \int_a^x (t-a)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_1(x)t] \right| + \left| \int_x^{a+b-x} \left( t - \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_2(x)t] \right| \right. \\
 & \left. + \left| \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b)^2 d[f'(t) - \lambda_3(x)t] \right| \right] \\
 \leq & \frac{1}{2(b-a)} \left[ K_1(x) \int_a^x (t-a)^2 dt + K_2(x) \int_x^{a+b-x} \left( t - \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^2 dt \right. \\
 & \left. + K_3(x) \int_{a+b-x}^b (t-b)^2 dt \right] \\
 = & \frac{1}{6(b-a)} \left[ K_1(x) (x-a)^3 + 2K_2(x) \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^3 + K_3(x) (x-a)^3 \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

which completes the proof of the first inequality in (4.1).

For the second inequality, using the property of maximum in the last line in (4.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & K_1(x) (x-a)^3 + 2K_2(x) \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^3 + K_3(x) (x-a)^3 \\
 \leq & 2 \left[ (x-a)^3 + \left( \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right)^3 \right] \max \{ K_1(x), K_2(x), K_3(x) \}.
 \end{aligned}$$

This proves the theorem. □

**Corollary 5.** *Under the assumption of Theorem 5, we have the following inequalities for the spacial cases,*

i) for  $x = \frac{a+b}{2}$ ,

$$\left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt - f \left( \frac{a+b}{2} \right) - \frac{(b-a)^2}{48} [\lambda_1 + \lambda_3] \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{24} \left[ \frac{K_1 + K_3}{2} \right]$$

ii) for  $x = \frac{3a+b}{4}$

$$\left| \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t) dt - \frac{1}{2} \left[ f\left(\frac{3a+b}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{a+3b}{4}\right) \right] - \frac{(b-a)^2}{384} [\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 + \lambda_3] \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{(b-a)^2}{96} \left[ \frac{K_1 + 2K_2 + K_3}{4} \right].$$

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