

## GENERAL THREE POINTS INEQUALITIES FOR WEIGHTED RIEMANN-STIELTJES INTEGRAL

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**ABSTRACT.** In this paper we provide amongst others some simple error bounds in approximating the weighted Riemann-Stieltjes integral  $\int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t)$  by the use of three points formula

$$f(b) \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^d g(s) dv(s) - f(x) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t)$$

where  $x, c, d \in [a, b]$ ,  $g, v : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  under bounded variation and Lipschitzian assumptions for the function  $f$  and such that the involved Riemann-Stieltjes integrals exist.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Assume that  $u, f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  are bounded. If the Riemann-Stieltjes integral  $\int_a^b f(t) du(t)$  exists, we write for simplicity, like in [1, p. 142] that  $f \in \mathcal{R}_C(u, [a, b])$ , or  $\mathcal{R}_c(u)$  when the interval is implicitly known. If the functions  $u, f$  are real valued, then we write  $f \in \mathcal{R}(u, [a, b])$ , or  $\mathcal{R}(u)$ .

In order to approximate the Riemann-Stieltjes integral  $\int_a^b f(t) du(t)$  by the use of a three points formula, namely to establish bounds for the *error functional*

$$\begin{aligned} T\Theta(f, u; a, b, x, \alpha) := & (1 - \alpha) \{[u(b) - u(x)] f(b) + [u(x) - u(a)] f(a)\} \\ & + \alpha [u(b) - u(a)] f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) du(t), \end{aligned}$$

where  $\alpha \in [0, 1]$  and  $x \in [a, b]$ , under bounded variation assumptions for the functions  $u$  and  $f$  and such that the involved Riemann-Stieltjes integral exists, in the recent paper [26] we have obtained the following result:

**Theorem 1.** Let  $f, u : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  and  $x \in [a, b]$  are such that  $f \in \mathcal{R}_C(u, [a, b])$ . If  $f$  and  $u$  are of bounded variation, then

$$\begin{aligned} (1.1) \quad |T\Theta(f, u; a, b, x, \alpha)| \leq & \alpha \left[ \int_a^x \left( \bigvee_a^t (u) \right) d \left( \bigvee_a^t (f) \right) + \int_x^b \left( \bigvee_t^b (u) \right) d \left( \bigvee_a^t (f) \right) \right] \\ & + (1 - \alpha) \left[ \int_a^x \left( \bigvee_t^x (u) \right) d \left( \bigvee_a^t (f) \right) + \int_x^b \left( \bigvee_x^b (u) \right) d \left( \bigvee_a^t (f) \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
& \leq \max \{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\} \left( \bigvee_a^x (u) \bigvee_a^x (f) + \bigvee_x^b (u) \bigvee_x^b (f) \right) \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \max \{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \left( \bigvee_a^b (u) + \left| \bigvee_a^x (u) - \bigvee_x^b (u) \right| \right) \bigvee_a^b (f) \\ \left( \bigvee_a^b (f) + \left| \bigvee_a^x (f) - \bigvee_x^b (f) \right| \right) \bigvee_a^b (u) \end{array} \right. \\
& \quad \left. \leq \max \{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\} \bigvee_a^b (u) \bigvee_a^b (f). \right.
\end{aligned}$$

In [27] we also obtained the following result in the case of Lipschitzian integrands:

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $f, u : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  and  $x \in [a, b]$ . If  $f$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $L > 0$ , namely*

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

and  $u$  is of bounded variation, then  $f \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathbb{C}}(u, [a, b])$  and

$$\begin{aligned}
(1.2) \quad & |T\Theta(f, u; a, b, x, \alpha)| \\
& \leq \alpha L \left[ \int_a^x \left( \bigvee_a^t (u) \right) dt + \int_x^b \left( \bigvee_t^b (u) \right) dt \right] \\
& \quad + (1 - \alpha) L \left[ \int_a^x \left( \bigvee_t^x (u) \right) dt + \int_x^b \left( \bigvee_x^t (u) \right) dt \right] \\
& \leq \max \{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\} L \left( (x - a) \bigvee_a^x (u) + (b - x) \bigvee_x^b (u) \right) \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \max \{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\} L \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \left( \bigvee_a^b (u) + \left| \bigvee_a^x (u) - \bigvee_x^b (u) \right| \right) (b - a) \\ (b - a + |2x - a - b|) \bigvee_a^b (u) \end{array} \right. \\
& \quad \left. \leq \max \{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\} L (b - a) \bigvee_a^b (u). \right.
\end{aligned}$$

For various bounds on the error functional

$$D(f, u; a, b) := \int_a^b f(t) du(t) - \frac{1}{b - a} [u(b) - u(a)] \cdot \int_a^b f(t) dt$$

where  $f$  and  $u$  belong to different classes of function for which the Riemann-Stieltjes integral exists, see [22], [21], [20], and [8] and the references therein.

Bounds for the functional

$$\Theta(f, u; a, b, x) := \int_a^b f(t) du(t) - f(x) [u(b) - u(a)]$$

can be found in [15], [16] and [8], while for the functional

$$T(f, u; a, b, x) := \int_a^b f(t) du(t) - [u(b) - u(x)] f(b) - [u(x) - u(a)] f(a)$$

they may be found in [28], [8], [3] and [2]. The details are omitted.

In this paper we provide some simple error bounds in approximating the weighted Riemann-Stieltjes integral  $\int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t)$  by the use of various general three points formulae out of which we mention the following one

$$f(b) \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^d g(s) dv(s) - f(x) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t),$$

where  $x, c, d \in [a, b]$ ,  $g, v : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  under bounded variation and Lipschitzian assumptions for the function  $f$  and such that the involved Riemann-Stieltjes integral exist.

## 2. SOME PRELIMINARY FACTS

The following properties of Riemann-Stieltjes integral are well know, [1, p. 158-159]:

**Lemma 1.** Assume that  $f \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathbb{C}}(\alpha, [a, b])$  and  $f \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathbb{C}}(\alpha, [a, b])$  where  $\alpha \in \mathcal{BV}_{\mathbb{C}}[a, b]$ , namely of bounded variation on  $[a, b]$ . Define

$$F(x) := \int_a^x f(t) d\alpha(t)$$

and

$$G(x) := \int_a^x g(t) d\alpha(t)$$

where  $x \in [a, b]$ .

Then  $f \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathbb{C}}(G, [a, b])$ ,  $g \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathbb{C}}(F, [a, b])$ ,  $fg \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathbb{C}}(\alpha, [a, b])$  and we have

$$\int_a^b f(t) g(t) d\alpha(t) = \int_a^b f(t) dG(t) = \int_a^b g(t) dF(t).$$

If  $c \in [a, b]$  and consider the integral  $\int_c^t g(s) dv(s)$  that is assumed to exist for any  $t \in [a, b]$ , then

$$(2.1) \quad \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) = \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \int_a^c g(s) dv(s)$$

for any  $t \in [a, b]$ .

Indeed if  $t \in [c, b]$ , then (2.1) is obvious. If  $t \in [a, c]$ , then

$$\int_a^c g(s) dv(s) = \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) + \int_t^c g(s) dv(s),$$

which also gives (2.1).

We start with the following simple fact:

**Lemma 2.** Let  $f, g, v : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{C}$  and  $x, c, d \in [a, b]$ . If  $g, fg \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathbb{C}}(v, [a, b])$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} (2.2) \quad & \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \\ & + \left( \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) + \mu - \lambda \right) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) + \int_x^b \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} (2.3) \quad & \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \\ & + f(x) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) + \int_x^b \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Assume that  $x, c, d \in [a, b]$ . Using the integration by parts formula for the Riemann-Stieltjes integral and Lemma 1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (2.4) \quad & \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) \\ & = \left( \int_c^t g(t) dv(t) - \lambda \right) f(t) \Big|_a^x - \int_a^x f(t) d \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) \\ & = \left( \int_c^x g(t) dv(t) - \lambda \right) f(x) - \left( \int_c^a g(t) dv(t) - \lambda \right) f(a) - \int_a^x f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \left( \int_c^x g(t) dv(t) - \lambda \right) f(x) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) - \int_a^x f(t) g(t) dv(t). \end{aligned}$$

In a similar way,

$$\begin{aligned} (2.5) \quad & \int_x^b \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) df(t) \\ & = \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(t) \Big|_x^b - \int_x^b f(t) d \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) \\ & = \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) - \left( \int_d^x g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(x) - \int_x^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \mu - \int_d^x g(s) dv(s) \right) f(x) - \int_x^b f(t) g(t) dv(t). \end{aligned}$$

If we add (2.4) and (2.5), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) + \int_x^b \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) df(t) \\ &= \left( \int_c^x g(t) dv(t) - \lambda \right) f(x) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \\ &+ \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \mu - \int_d^x g(s) dv(s) \right) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t), \end{aligned}$$

which is equivalent to the desired result (2.2)  $\square$

If we take  $d = c$  above, we get:

**Corollary 1.** Let  $f, g, v, f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{C}$  and  $x, c \in [a, b]$ . If  $g, fg \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathbb{C}}(v, [a, b])$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} (2.6) \quad & \left( \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \\ &+ (\mu - \lambda) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ &= \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) + \int_x^b \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} (2.7) \quad & \left( \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \\ &- \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) = \int_a^b \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 1.** If we take  $g(t) = 1$ ,  $t \in [a, b]$  in (2.2) and (2.3), then we get

$$\begin{aligned} (2.8) \quad & (v(b) - v(d) - \mu) f(b) + (\lambda + v(c) - v(a)) f(a) \\ &+ (v(d) + \mu - \lambda - v(c)) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) dv(t) \\ &= \int_a^x (v(t) - v(c) - \lambda) df(t) + \int_x^b (v(t) - v(d) - \mu) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

If we take  $\beta = v(d) + \mu$  and  $\gamma = \lambda + v(c)$ , then by (2.8) we get

$$\begin{aligned} (2.9) \quad & (v(b) - \beta) f(b) + (\gamma - v(a)) f(a) + (\beta - \gamma) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) dv(t) \\ &= \int_a^x (v(t) - \gamma) df(t) + \int_x^b (v(t) - \beta) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\beta = \gamma$  we get by (2.9) that

$$(2.10) \quad (v(b) - \beta) f(b) + (\beta - v(a)) f(a) - \int_a^b f(t) dv(t) = \int_a^b (v(t) - \beta) df(t).$$

**Remark 2.** If we take  $c = b$  and  $d = a$  in Lemma 2, then we get

$$(2.11) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left( \int_a^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \\ & + \left( \mu - \lambda - \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_x^b \left( \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) df(t) - \int_a^x \left( \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$  we obtain

$$(2.12) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left( \int_a^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \\ & - f(x) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_x^b \left( \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) - \int_a^x \left( \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

If we take  $c = a$  and  $d = b$  in Lemma 2, then we get

$$(2.13) \quad \begin{aligned} & \lambda f(a) - \mu f(b) + (\mu - \lambda) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_a^x \left( \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) - \int_x^b \left( \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \mu \right) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$  we obtain

$$(2.14) \quad \begin{aligned} & \lambda f(a) - \lambda f(b) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_a^x \left( \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) - \int_x^b \left( \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 3.** If we take  $g(t) = 1$ ,  $t \in [a, b]$  in (2.11), then we get

$$(2.15) \quad \begin{aligned} & (v(b) - v(a) - \mu) f(b) + (\lambda + v(b) - v(a)) f(a) \\ & + (\mu - \lambda - v(b) + v(a)) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_x^b (v(t) - v(a) - \mu) df(t) - \int_a^x (v(b) - v(t) + \lambda) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

If this equality we take  $\mu = \lambda$ , then we get

$$(2.16) \quad \begin{aligned} & (v(b) - v(a) - \lambda) f(b) + (\lambda + v(b) - v(a)) f(a) \\ & - (v(b) - v(a)) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_x^b (v(t) - v(a) - \lambda) df(t) - \int_a^x (v(b) - v(t) + \lambda) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 4.** If we take  $\mu = -\int_a^d g(s) dv(s)$  and  $\lambda = \int_c^b g(t) dv(t)$  in (2.2), then we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_a^b g(s) dv(s) (f(b) + f(a)) \\ & + \left( \int_c^x g(t) dv(t) - \int_d^x g(s) dv(s) - \int_a^d g(s) dv(s) - \int_c^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(x) \\ & \quad - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \int_c^b g(t) dv(t) \right) df(t) \\ & \quad + \int_x^b \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) + \int_a^d g(s) dv(s) \right) df(t), \end{aligned}$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned} (2.17) \quad & [f(b) + f(a) - f(x)] \int_a^b g(s) dv(s) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_x^b \left( \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right) df(t) - \int_a^x \left( \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right) df(t). \end{aligned}$$

If we take  $\lambda = \int_c^d g(t) dv(t)$  and  $\mu = -\int_c^d g(t) dv(t)$ , then by (2.2) we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) + \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) \right) f(b) \\ & + \left( \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \\ & + \left( \int_c^x g(t) dv(t) - \int_d^x g(s) dv(s) - \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) - \int_c^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(x) \\ & \quad - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\ & = \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) \right) df(t) \\ & \quad + \int_x^b \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) + \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) \right) df(t), \end{aligned}$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.18) \quad & f(b) \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^d g(t) dv(t) - f(x) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) \\
 & - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\
 & = \int_a^x \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) \right) df(t) + \int_x^b \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) \right) df(t).
 \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 5.** If we take  $\mu = \int_d^b g(s) dv(s)$  and  $\lambda = -\int_a^c g(t) dv(t)$  in (2.2), then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left( \int_c^x g(t) dv(t) + \int_x^d g(s) dv(s) + \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(x) \\
 & - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\
 & = \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) df(t) \\
 & + \int_x^b \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) \right) df(t),
 \end{aligned}$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.19) \quad & f(x) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \\
 & = \int_a^x \left( \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right) df(t) - \int_x^b \left( \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right) df(t).
 \end{aligned}$$

### 3. INEQUALITIES FOR INTEGRANDS OF BOUNDED VARIATION

We have:

**Theorem 3.** Assume that  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is of bounded variation,  $g, v : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{C}$  and  $x, c, d \in [a, b]$  are such that the Riemann-Stieltjes integrals below exist. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.1) \quad & \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
 & \left. + \left( \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) + \mu - \lambda \right) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \right| \\
 & \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f).
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.2) \quad & \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + f(x) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f).
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* It is well known that, if  $p : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is continuous and  $v : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  of bounded variation, then [1]

$$(3.3) \quad \left| \int_a^b p(t) dv(t) \right| \leq \int_a^b |p(t)| d \left( \bigvee_a^t (v) \right) \leq \max_{t \in [a, b]} |p(t)| \bigvee_a^b (v).$$

By using the identity (2.2) and the property (3.3) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \left( \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) + \mu - \lambda \right) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \left| \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) \right| + \left| \int_x^b \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) df(t) \right| \\
& \leq \int_a^x \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| d \left( \bigvee_a^t (f) \right) + \int_x^b \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| d \left( \bigvee_x^t (f) \right) \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \bigvee_x^b (f),
\end{aligned}$$

which proves the first inequality in (3.1).

Observe that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} \left( \bigvee_a^x (f) + \bigvee_x^b (f) \right) \\
& = \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f),
\end{aligned}$$

which proves the last part of (3.1).  $\square$

**Remark 6.** If  $m \in (a, b)$  is such that  $\bigvee_a^m(f) = \bigvee_m^b(f)$ , then under the assumptions of Theorem 3 we have the inequalities

$$(3.4) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left( \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) + \mu - \lambda \right) f(m) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \max_{t \in [a, m]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| + \max_{t \in [m, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right] \bigvee_a^b(f) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(3.5) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + f(m) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \max_{t \in [a, m]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| + \max_{t \in [m, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \right] \bigvee_a^b(f). \end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 2.** With the assumptions of Theorem 3, and if  $d = c$ , then

$$(3.6) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| \left( \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + (\mu - \lambda) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x(f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \bigvee_x^b(f) \\ & \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b(f). \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$ , we get

$$(3.7) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| \left( \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x(f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_x^b(f) \\ & \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b(f). \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 7.** If we take  $c = x$  in Corollary 2, then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.8) \quad & \left| \left( \int_x^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^x g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + (\mu - \lambda) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
 & \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f).
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.9) \quad & \left| \left( \int_x^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^x g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
 & \leq \max_{t \in [a, b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^b (f).
 \end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 3.** With the assumptions of Theorem 3, and if  $c = b$  and  $d = a$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.10) \quad & \left| \left( \int_a^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \left( \mu - \lambda - \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
 & \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f).
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.11) \quad & \left| \left( \int_a^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
& \quad \left. - \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f).
\end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 4.** With the assumptions of Theorem 3 and if the Riemann-Stieltjes integrals below exist, then

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.12) \quad & \left| f(b) \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^d g(t) dv(t) - f(x) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) \right. \\
& \quad \left. - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f).
\end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $c = a$  and  $d = b$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.13) \quad & \left| [f(b) + f(a) - f(x)] \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f)
\end{aligned}$$

for  $c = b$  and  $d = a$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.14) \quad & \left| f(x) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f)
\end{aligned}$$

and for  $c = d = x$

$$(3.15) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| f(b) \int_x^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^x g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_t^x g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\ & \leq \max_{t \in [a,b]} \left| \int_t^x g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^b (f). \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 8.** If  $m \in (a, b)$  is such that  $\bigvee_a^m (f) = \bigvee_m^b (f)$ , then under the assumptions of Corollary 4, we have

$$(3.16) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| f(b) \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^d g(t) dv(t) - f(m) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \max_{t \in [a,m]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [m,b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] \bigvee_a^b (f), \end{aligned}$$

$$(3.17) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| [f(b) + f(a) - f(m)] \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \max_{t \in [a,m]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [m,b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] \bigvee_a^b (f), \end{aligned}$$

$$(3.18) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| f(m) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a,m]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right|, \max_{t \in [m,b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(3.19) \quad \begin{aligned} & \left| f(b) \int_m^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^m g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \max_{t \in [a,m]} \left| \int_t^m g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [m,b]} \left| \int_m^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] \bigvee_a^b (f). \end{aligned}$$

Using the equalities (2.9) and (2.10) one can obtain various inequalities as in the recent paper [26]. The details are omitted.

## 4. INEQUALITIES FOR LIPSCHITZIAN INTEGRANDS

We say that the function  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is *Lipschitzian* with constant  $L > 0$  if

$$(4.1) \quad |f(t) - f(s)| \leq L |t - s| \text{ for all } t, s \in [a, b].$$

**Theorem 4.** Assume that  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is Lipschitzian with constant  $L > 0$ ,  $g, v : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{C}$  and  $x, c, d \in [a, b]$  are such that the Riemann-Stieltjes integrals below exist. Then

$$\begin{aligned} (4.2) \quad & \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left( \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) + \mu - \lambda \right) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (x - a) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| (b - x) \right] \\ & \leq L \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} (b - a). \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} (4.3) \quad & \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + f(x) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ & \leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (x - a) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (b - x) \right] \\ & \leq L \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \right\} (b - a). \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* It is well known that, if  $p : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is Riemann integrable and  $v : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $L > 0$ , then

$$(4.4) \quad \left| \int_a^b p(t) dv(t) \right| \leq L \int_a^b |p(t)| dt.$$

By using the identity (2.2) and the property (4.4) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \left( \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) + \mu - \lambda \right) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \left| \int_a^x \left( \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) df(t) \right| + \left| \int_x^b \left( \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) df(t) \right| \\
& \leq L \int_a^x \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| dt + L \int_x^b \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| dt \\
& \leq L \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| (b-x),
\end{aligned}$$

which proves the first inequality in (4.2).

The rest is obvious.  $\square$

**Remark 9.** For  $x = \frac{a+b}{2}$  in (4.2) and (4.3) we get, under the assumptions of Theorem 4, that

$$\begin{aligned}
(4.5) \quad & \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \left( \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) + \mu - \lambda \right) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| + \max_{t \in [\frac{a+b}{2}, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right] (b-a).
\end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(4.6) \quad & \left| \left( \int_d^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| + \max_{t \in [\frac{a+b}{2}, b]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \right] (b-a).
\end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 5.** *With the assumptions of Theorem 4, and if  $d = c$ , then*

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.7) \quad & \left| \left( \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + (\mu - \lambda) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
 & \leq \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f).
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.8) \quad & \left| \left( \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^c g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (b-x) \right] \\
 & \leq L \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \right\} (b-a).
 \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 10.** If we take  $c = x$  in Corollary 5, then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.9) \quad & \left| \left( \int_x^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^x g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + (\mu - \lambda) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| (b-x) \right] \\
 & \leq L \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} (b-a).
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(4.10) \quad & \left| \left( \int_x^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^x g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
& \quad \left. - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
\leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (b-x) \right] \\
\leq L \max_{t \in [a,b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (b-a).
\end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 6.** With the assumptions of Theorem 4, and if  $c = b$  and  $d = a$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
(4.11) \quad & \left| \left( \int_a^b g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \left( \mu - \lambda - \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(x) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
\leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| (b-x) \right] \\
\leq L \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \mu \right| \right\} (b-a).
\end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $\mu = \lambda$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(4.12) \quad & \left| \left( \int_a^b g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right) f(b) + \left( \lambda + \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) \right) f(a) \right. \\
& \quad \left. - f(x) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
\leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| (b-x) \right] \\
\leq L \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) + \lambda \right|, \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) - \lambda \right| \right\} (b-a).
\end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 7.** *With the assumptions of Theorem 4 and if the Riemann-Stieltjes integrals below exist, then*

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.13) \quad & \left| f(b) \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^d g(t) dv(t) - f(x) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 \leq & L \left[ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) \right| (b-x) \right] \\
 \leq & L \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) \right|, \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right\} (b-a).
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for  $c = a$  and  $d = b$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.14) \quad & \left| [f(b) + f(a) - f(x)] \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 \leq & \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
 \leq & \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right|, \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f)
 \end{aligned}$$

for  $c = b$  and  $d = a$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.15) \quad & \left| f(x) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 \leq & L \left[ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| (b-x) \right] \\
 \leq & L \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right|, \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \right\} (b-a)
 \end{aligned}$$

and for  $c = d = x$  we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.16) \quad & \left| f(b) \int_x^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^x g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 \leq & L \left[ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_t^x g(s) dv(s) \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) \right| (b-x) \right] \\
 \leq & L \max_{t \in [a,b]} \left| \int_t^x g(s) dv(s) \right| (b-a).
 \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 11.** If we take  $x = \frac{a+b}{2}$ , then under the assumptions of Corollary 7, we have

$$(4.17) \quad \left| f(b) \int_c^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^d g(t) dv(t) - f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_c^d g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ \leq \frac{1}{2} L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]} \left| \int_d^t g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [\frac{a+b}{2}, b]} \left| \int_c^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] (b-a),$$

$$(4.18) \quad \left| \left[ f(b) + f(a) - f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right] \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ \leq \frac{1}{2} L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [\frac{a+b}{2}, b]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] (b-a),$$

$$(4.19) \quad \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ \leq \frac{1}{2} L \max \left\{ \max_{t \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right|, \max_{t \in [\frac{a+b}{2}, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \right\} (b-a)$$

and

$$(4.20) \quad \left| f(b) \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\ \leq \frac{1}{2} L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]} \left| \int_t^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [\frac{a+b}{2}, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] (b-a).$$

## 5. SOME SIMPLER ERROR BOUNDS

If  $g : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is continuous and  $v : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is of bounded variation, then the Riemann-Stieltjes integrals  $\int_a^t g(s) dv(s)$  and  $\int_t^b g(s) dv(s)$  exist for  $t \in [a, b]$  and

$$\left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \leq \int_a^t |g(s)| d\left( \bigvee_a^s (v) \right) \leq \max_{s \in [a, t]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^t (v)$$

and

$$\left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \leq \int_t^b |g(s)| d\left( \bigvee_t^s (v) \right) \leq \max_{s \in [t, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_t^b (v),$$

which implies that

$$\max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \leq \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (v)$$

and

$$\max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \leq \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (v),$$

for  $x \in (a, b)$ .

Therefore, by (3.14) we get for  $x \in (a, b)$  that

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.1) \quad & \left| f(x) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (v) \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (v) \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \begin{cases} \max \left\{ \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (v), \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (v) \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f), \\ \max \left\{ \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (f), \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (f) \right\} \bigvee_a^b (v) \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

provided  $f, v$  are of bounded variation and  $g$  is continuous and such that the integral  $\int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t)$  exists.

If  $m \in (a, b)$  is such that  $\bigvee_a^m (f) = \bigvee_m^b (f)$ , then from the first inequality in (5.1) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.2) \quad & \left| f(m) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \max_{t \in [a, m]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [m, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] \bigvee_a^b (f).
\end{aligned}$$

If  $p \in (a, b)$  is such that  $\bigvee_a^p (v) = \bigvee_p^b (v)$ , then from the inequality (5.1) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.3) \quad & \left| f(p) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, p]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^p (f) + \max_{t \in [p, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_p^b (f) \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \max_{s \in [a, p]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^p (f) + \max_{s \in [p, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_p^b (f) \right] \bigvee_a^b (v).
\end{aligned}$$

By (4.15) we also get for  $x \in (a, b)$  that

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.4) \quad & \left| f(x) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| (b-x) \right] \\
& \leq L \left[ \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (v) (x-a) + \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (v) (b-x) \right] \\
& \leq L \begin{cases} \max \left\{ \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (v), \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (v) \right\} (b-a), \\ \max \left\{ \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| (x-a), \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| (b-x) \right\} \bigvee_a^b (v) \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

provided  $v$  is of bounded variation,  $f$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $L > 0$  and  $g$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ .

In particular, for  $x = \frac{a+b}{2}$  we get from the first inequality in (5.4) that

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.5) \quad & \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [\frac{a+b}{2}, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] (b-a).
\end{aligned}$$

If  $p \in (a, b)$  is such that  $\bigvee_a^p (v) = \bigvee_p^b (v)$ , then from the inequality (5.4) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.6) \quad & \left| f(p) \int_a^b g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, p]} \left| \int_a^t g(s) dv(s) \right| (p-a) + \max_{t \in [p, b]} \left| \int_t^b g(s) dv(s) \right| (b-p) \right] \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} L \left[ \max_{s \in [a, p]} |g(s)| (p-a) + \max_{s \in [p, b]} |g(s)| (b-p) \right] \bigvee_a^b (v).
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly, by (3.15) we have for  $x \in (a, b)$  that

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.7) \quad & \left| f(b) \int_x^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^x g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, x]} \left| \int_t^x g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{t \in [x, b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (v) \bigvee_a^x (f) + \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (v) \bigvee_x^b (f) \\
& \leq \begin{cases} \max \left\{ \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (v), \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (v) \right\} \bigvee_a^b (f) \\ \max \left\{ \max_{s \in [a, x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (f), \max_{s \in [x, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (f) \right\} \bigvee_a^b (v) \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

provided  $f, v$  are of bounded variation and  $g$  is continuous and such that the integral  $\int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t)$  exists.

If  $m \in (a, b)$  is such that  $\bigvee_a^m (f) = \bigvee_m^b (f)$ , then from the first inequality in (5.7) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.8) \quad & \left| f(b) \int_m^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^m g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \max_{t \in [a, m]} \left| \int_t^m g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [m, b]} \left| \int_m^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] \bigvee_a^b (f).
\end{aligned}$$

If  $p \in (a, b)$  is such that  $\bigvee_a^p (v) = \bigvee_p^b (v)$ , then from the inequality (5.1) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.9) \quad & \left| f(b) \int_p^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^p g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
& \leq \max_{t \in [a, p]} \left| \int_t^p g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_a^p (f) + \max_{t \in [p, b]} \left| \int_p^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \bigvee_p^b (f) \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \max_{s \in [a, p]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^p (f) + \max_{s \in [p, b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_p^b (f) \right] \bigvee_a^b (v).
\end{aligned}$$

From (4.16) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (5.10) \quad & \left| f(b) \int_x^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^x g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a,x]} \left| \int_t^x g(s) dv(s) \right| (x-a) + \max_{t \in [x,b]} \left| \int_x^t g(s) dv(s) \right| (b-x) \right] \\
 & \leq L \left[ \max_{s \in [a,x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (v) (x-a) + \max_{s \in [x,b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (v) (b-x) \right] \\
 & \leq L \begin{cases} \max \left\{ \max_{s \in [a,x]} |g(s)| \bigvee_a^x (v), \max_{s \in [x,b]} |g(s)| \bigvee_x^b (v) \right\} (b-a), \\ \max \left\{ \max_{s \in [a,x]} |g(s)| (x-a), \max_{s \in [x,b]} |g(s)| (b-x) \right\} \bigvee_a^b (v) \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

provided that  $v$  is of bounded variation,  $f$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $L > 0$  and  $g$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ .

In particular, for  $x = \frac{a+b}{2}$  we get from the first inequality in (5.10) that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (5.11) \quad & \left| f(b) \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} L \left[ \max_{t \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}]} \left| \int_t^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(s) dv(s) \right| + \max_{t \in [\frac{a+b}{2}, b]} \left| \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^t g(s) dv(s) \right| \right] (b-a).
 \end{aligned}$$

If  $p \in (a, b)$  is such that  $\bigvee_a^p (v) = \bigvee_p^b (v)$ , then from the inequality (5.10) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (5.12) \quad & \left| f(b) \int_p^b g(s) dv(s) + f(a) \int_a^p g(t) dv(t) - \int_a^b f(t) g(t) dv(t) \right| \\
 & \leq L \left[ \max_{t \in [a,p]} \left| \int_t^p g(s) dv(s) \right| (p-a) + \max_{t \in [p,b]} \left| \int_p^t g(s) dv(s) \right| (b-p) \right] \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} L \left[ \max_{s \in [a,x]} |g(s)| (p-a) + \max_{s \in [x,b]} |g(s)| (b-p) \right] \bigvee_a^b (v).
 \end{aligned}$$

Using the equalities (2.9) and (2.10) one can obtain various inequalities as in the recent paper [27]. The details are omitted.

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