

# SOME UPPER BOUNDS FOR THE PERTURBED SLATER'S GAP OF CONVEX FUNCTIONS

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ABSTRACT. Let  $(\Omega, \mathcal{A}, \mu)$  be a measurable space consisting of a set  $\Omega$ , a  $\sigma$ -algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  of parts of  $\Omega$  and a countably additive and positive measure  $\mu$  on  $\mathcal{A}$  with values in  $\mathbb{R} \cup \{\infty\}$ . Assume, for simplicity, that  $\int_{\Omega} d\mu = 1$ . In this paper we establish some upper bounds for the perturbed Slater's gap

$$\Phi(u) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - u \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu$$

for some classes of differentiable convex functions  $\Phi$  defined on an interval  $I$  and  $u \in I$ . Applications for exponential, logarithm and power functions are also given.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Suppose that  $I$  is an interval of real numbers with interior  $\overset{\circ}{I}$  and  $\Phi : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a convex function on  $I$ . Then  $\Phi$  is continuous on  $\overset{\circ}{I}$  and has finite left and right derivatives at each point of  $\overset{\circ}{I}$ . Moreover, if  $x, y \in \overset{\circ}{I}$  and  $x < y$ , then  $\Phi'_-(x) \leq \Phi'_+(x) \leq \Phi'_-(y) \leq \Phi'_+(y)$  which shows that both  $\Phi'_-$  and  $\Phi'_+$  are nondecreasing function on  $\overset{\circ}{I}$ . It is also known that a convex function must be differentiable except for at most countably many points.

For a convex function  $\Phi : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , the subdifferential of  $\Phi$  denoted by  $\partial\Phi$  is the set of all functions  $\varphi : I \rightarrow [-\infty, \infty]$  such that  $\varphi(\overset{\circ}{I}) \subset \mathbb{R}$  and

$$\Phi(x) \geq \Phi(a) + (x - a)\varphi(a) \text{ for any } x, a \in I.$$

It is also well known that if  $\Phi$  is convex on  $I$ , then  $\partial\Phi$  is nonempty,  $\Phi'_-, \Phi'_+ \in \partial\Phi$  and if  $\varphi \in \partial\Phi$ , then

$$\Phi'_-(x) \leq \varphi(x) \leq \Phi'_+(x) \text{ for any } x \in \overset{\circ}{I}.$$

In particular,  $\varphi$  is a nondecreasing function.

If  $\Phi$  is differentiable and convex on  $\overset{\circ}{I}$ , then  $\partial\Phi = \{\Phi'\}$ .

Let  $(\Omega, \mathcal{A}, \mu)$  be a measurable space consisting of a set  $\Omega$ , a  $\sigma$ -algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  of parts of  $\Omega$  and a countably additive and positive measure  $\mu$  on  $\mathcal{A}$  with values in  $\mathbb{R} \cup \{\infty\}$ . Assume, for simplicity, that  $\int_{\Omega} d\mu = 1$ . Consider the *Lebesgue space*

$$L(\Omega, \mu) := \{f : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f \text{ is } \mu\text{-measurable and } \int_{\Omega} |f(t)| d\mu(t) < \infty\}.$$

For simplicity of notation we write everywhere in the sequel  $\int_{\Omega} w d\mu$  instead of  $\int_{\Omega} w(t) d\mu(t)$ .

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The following result is well known in the literature as *Slater's inequality*:

**Theorem 1** (Slater, 1981, [10]). *If  $\Phi : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a nonincreasing (nondecreasing) convex function,  $\varphi \in \partial\Phi$  and  $f : \Omega \rightarrow I$  is  $\mu$ -measurable and such that  $\Phi \circ f$ ,  $\varphi \circ f$ ,  $f \cdot \varphi \circ f \in L(\Omega, \mu)$  then*

$$(1.1) \quad \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu \leq \Phi \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\varphi \circ f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \varphi \circ f d\mu} \right).$$

As pointed out in [9], see also [3, p. 208], the monotonicity assumption for the derivative  $\varphi$  can be replaced with the condition

$$(1.2) \quad \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\varphi \circ f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \varphi \circ f d\mu} \in I,$$

which is more general and can hold for suitable points in  $I$  and for not necessarily monotonic functions.

For some related results, see [1], [7], [8] and [11]. Extensions for continuous functions of selfadjoint operators may be found in [4]-[6].

In this paper we establish some upper bounds for the perturbed Slater's gap

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for some classes of differentiable convex functions  $\Phi$  defined on an interval  $I$  and  $u \in I$ . Applications for exponential, logarithm and power functions are also given.

## 2. INEQUALITIES RELATED TO SLATER'S RESULT

We have:

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $\Phi : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a differentiable convex function on the interior of  $I$  denoted by  $\dot{I}$ . Assume that  $f : \Omega \rightarrow I$  is  $\mu$ -measurable and such that  $f$ ,  $\Phi \circ f$ ,  $\Phi' \circ f$ ,  $f \cdot \Phi' \circ f \in L(\Omega, \mu)$ . Then for all  $u \in I$ ,*

$$(2.1) \quad \begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \Phi(u) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - u \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\ &\leq \int_{\Omega} [\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)] (f - u) d\mu \\ &\leq \begin{cases} \text{esssup}_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)| \int_{\Omega} |f - u| d\mu, \\ \left( \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f - u|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \text{esssup}_{\Omega} |f - u| \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)| d\mu, \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

provided the integrals in the last term are finite.

*Proof.* By the gradient inequality we have

$$\Phi'(u)(u - v) \geq \Phi(u) - \Phi(v) \geq \Phi'(v)(u - v)$$

for all  $u, v \in I$ . This can be written as

$$\Phi'(u)(u - v) - \Phi'(v)(u - v) \geq \Phi(u) - \Phi(v) - \Phi'(v)(u - v) \geq 0,$$

which implies that

$$(2.2) \quad [\Phi'(u) - \Phi'(f(x))](u - f(x)) \geq \Phi(u) - \Phi(f(x)) - \Phi'(f(x))(u - f(x)) \geq 0,$$

for all  $u \in I$  and  $x \in \Omega$ .

Taking the integral over  $x \in \Omega$  in (2.2) we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\Omega} [\Phi'(u) - \Phi' \circ f](u - f) d\mu \\ & \geq \Phi(u) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - u \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \geq 0, \end{aligned}$$

for all  $u \in I$ , which proves the first two inequalities in (2.1).

Observe that

$$\begin{aligned} 0 & \leq \int_{\Omega} [\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)](f - u) d\mu = \left| \int_{\Omega} [\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)](f - u) d\mu \right| \\ & \leq \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)| |f - u| d\mu \\ & \leq \begin{cases} \text{esssup}_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)| \int_{\Omega} |f - u| d\mu, \\ (\int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)|^p d\mu)^{1/p} (\int_{\Omega} |f - u|^q d\mu)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \text{esssup}_{\Omega} |f - u| \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)| d\mu, \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

which proves the last part of (2.1).  $\square$

We have the following reverse of perturbed Jensen's inequality, see also [2] for the first inequality below:

**Corollary 1.** *With the assumptions of Theorem 2, we have*

$$(2.3) \quad \begin{aligned} 0 & \leq \Phi\left(\int_{\Omega} f d\mu\right) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\ & \leq \int_{\Omega} \left[ \Phi' \circ f - \Phi'\left(\int_{\Omega} f d\mu\right) \right] \left( f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right) d\mu \\ & \leq \begin{cases} \text{esssup}_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'\left(\int_{\Omega} f d\mu\right)| \int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| d\mu, \\ (\int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'\left(\int_{\Omega} f d\mu\right)|^p d\mu)^{1/p} (\int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu|^q d\mu)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \text{esssup}_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'\left(\int_{\Omega} f d\mu\right)| d\mu. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

We have the following reverse of perturbed Slater's inequality:

**Corollary 2.** *With the assumptions of Theorem 2 and if  $\int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu \neq 0$  and the Slater's point*

$$(2.4) \quad s := \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu} \in I,$$

then

$$(2.5) \quad 0 \leq \Phi(s) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu \leq \int_{\Omega} [\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(s)](f-s) d\mu$$

$$\leq \begin{cases} \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(s)| \int_{\Omega} |f-s| d\mu, \\ \left( \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(s)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f-s|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |f-s| \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(s)| d\mu. \end{cases}$$

**Remark 1.** Since for the Slater point  $s$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\Omega} [\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(s)](f-s) d\mu \\ &= \int_{\Omega} f \Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(s) \int_{\Omega} f d\mu - s \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f + \Phi'(s) s \\ &= \Phi'(s) \left( s - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right), \end{aligned}$$

then (2.5) can also be written as

$$(2.6) \quad 0 \leq \Phi(s) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu \leq \Phi'(s) \left( s - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)$$

$$\leq \begin{cases} \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(s)| \int_{\Omega} |f-s| d\mu, \\ \left( \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(s)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f-s|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |f-s| \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(s)| d\mu. \end{cases}$$

**Corollary 3.** With the assumptions of Theorem 2 and if there exists an interval  $[m, M] \subset I$  such that  $m \leq f \leq M$   $\mu$ -a.e. on  $\Omega$ , then

$$(2.7) \quad 0 \leq \Phi\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - \frac{m+M}{2} \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu$$

$$\leq \int_{\Omega} \left[ \Phi' \circ f - \Phi'\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right) \right] \left( f - \frac{m+M}{2} \right) d\mu$$

$$\leq \begin{cases} \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right)| \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{m+M}{2} \right| d\mu, \\ \left( \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{m+M}{2} \right|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{m+M}{2} \right| \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right)| d\mu. \end{cases}$$

**Remark 2.** Since  $m \leq f \leq M$   $\mu$ -a.e. on  $\Omega$  is equivalent to

$$\left| f - \frac{m+M}{2} \right| \leq \frac{1}{2} (M-m) \quad \mu\text{-a.e. on } \Omega,$$

then from the third branch of (2.7) we obtain the following inequality of interest

$$(2.8) \quad 0 \leq \Phi \left( \frac{m+M}{2} \right) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - \frac{m+M}{2} \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\ \leq \frac{1}{2} (M-m) \int_{\Omega} \left| \Phi' \circ f - \Phi' \left( \frac{m+M}{2} \right) \right| d\mu.$$

**Corollary 4.** *With the assumptions of Corollary 4 we have*

$$(2.9) \quad 0 \leq \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \Phi(u) du - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu \\ - \frac{m+M}{2} \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\ \leq \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \int_{\Omega} [\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)] (f-u) d\mu \\ \leq \begin{cases} \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M (\operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)| \int_{\Omega} |f-u| d\mu) du, \\ \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \left[ \left( \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f-u|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q} \right] du, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M [\operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |f-u| \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)| d\mu] du, \\ \begin{cases} \sup_{u \in [m, M]} (\operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)|) \\ \times \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \int_{\Omega} |f-u| d\mu du, \\ \left( \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)|^p d\mu du \right)^{1/p} \\ \times \left( \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \int_{\Omega} |f-u|^q d\mu du \right)^{1/q} \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1 \end{cases} \\ \begin{cases} \sup_{u \in [m, M]} (\operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |f-u|) \\ \times \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(u)| d\mu du. \end{cases} \end{cases}$$

The proof follows by taking the integral mean  $\frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M$  in (2.1) and making use of the Hölder's integral inequality.

**Corollary 5.** *With the assumptions of Corollary 4 and if there exists  $t \in I$ , a trapezoid point, such that*

$$(2.10) \quad \Phi(t) = \frac{\Phi(m) + \Phi(M)}{2},$$

then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.11) \quad 0 &\leq \frac{\Phi(m) + \Phi(M)}{2} - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - t \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\
&\leq \int_{\Omega} [\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(t)] (f - t) d\mu \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(t)| \int_{\Omega} |f - t| d\mu, \\ (\int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(t)|^p d\mu)^{1/p} (\int_{\Omega} |f - t|^q d\mu)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |f - t| \int_{\Omega} |\Phi' \circ f - \Phi'(t)| d\mu. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

**Remark 3.** If the function  $\Phi$  is strictly monotonic on  $[m, M]$ , then we can take

$$t = \Phi^{-1} \left( \frac{\Phi(m) + \Phi(M)}{2} \right).$$

When more conditions are imposed on the derivative, we have:

**Corollary 6.** With the assumptions of Theorem 2 and if  $\Phi'$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $L > 0$  on  $\dot{I}$ , namely

$$|\Phi'(u) - \Phi'(v)| \leq L |u - v| \text{ for all } u, v \in \dot{I},$$

then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.12) \quad 0 &\leq \Phi(u) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - u \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\
&\leq L \int_{\Omega} (f - u)^2 d\mu = L \left( \int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu - 2u \int_{\Omega} f d\mu + u^2 \right).
\end{aligned}$$

In particular, we have the following upper bound in terms of variance

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.13) \quad 0 &\leq \Phi \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\
&\leq L \left[ \int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu - \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^2 \right].
\end{aligned}$$

If, in addition, the condition (2.4) is satisfied, then

$$(2.14) \quad 0 \leq \Phi(s) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu \leq L \left( \int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu - 2s \int_{\Omega} f d\mu + s^2 \right).$$

If there exists an interval  $[m, M] \subset I$  such that  $m \leq f \leq M$   $\mu$ -a.e. on  $\Omega$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.15) \quad 0 &\leq \Phi \left( \frac{m+M}{2} \right) - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu \\
&\quad - \frac{m+M}{2} \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\
&\leq L \int_{\Omega} \left( f - \frac{m+M}{2} \right)^2 d\mu \leq \frac{1}{4} (M - m)^2.
\end{aligned}$$

We also have

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.16) \quad 0 &\leq \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \Phi(u) du - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu \\
&\quad - \frac{m+M}{2} \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\
&\leq \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \left( \int_{\Omega} (f-u)^2 d\mu \right) du \\
&= \int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu - 2 \frac{m+M}{2} \int_{\Omega} f d\mu + \frac{m^2 + mM + M^2}{3}.
\end{aligned}$$

If the condition (2.10) is satisfied, then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.17) \quad 0 &\leq \frac{\Phi(m) + \Phi(M)}{2} - \int_{\Omega} \Phi \circ f d\mu - t \int_{\Omega} \Phi' \circ f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f \cdot (\Phi' \circ f) d\mu \\
&\leq L \int_{\Omega} (f-t)^2 d\mu.
\end{aligned}$$

The discrete case is important for applications.

Let  $\Phi : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a differentiable convex function on the interior of  $I$  denoted by  $\hat{I}$ . Assume that  $x_i \in I$  and  $p_i \geq 0$ ,  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  with  $\sum_{i=1}^n p_i = 1$ . Then for all  $u \in I$  we have by (2.1) that

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.18) \quad 0 &\leq \Phi(u) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) - u \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\
&\leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i [\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(u)] (x_i - u) \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(u)| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |x_i - u|, \\ (\sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(u)|^p d\mu)^{1/p} (\sum_{i=1}^n p_i |x_i - u|^q)^{1/q} \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |x_i - u| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(u)|. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

From (2.3) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.19) \quad 0 &\leq \Phi \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k \right) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\
&\leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left[ \Phi'(x_i) - \Phi' \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k \right) \right] \left( x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k \right) \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k)| \\ \times \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k|, \\ (\sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k)|^p)^{1/p} \\ \times (\sum_{i=1}^n p_i |x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k|^q)^{1/q}, \quad p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_k)|. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

Now, assume that  $\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) \neq 0$  and

$$(2.20) \quad s := \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i)} \in I,$$

then by (2.5) we get

$$(2.21) \quad 0 \leq \Phi(s) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i [\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(s)](x_i - s) \\ \leq \begin{cases} \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(s)| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |x_i - s|, \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(s)|^p \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |x_i - s|^q \right)^{1/q} \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |x_i - s| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(s)|. \end{cases}$$

If there exists an interval  $[m, M] \subset I$  such that  $m \leq x_i \leq M$  for  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ , then

$$(2.22) \quad 0 \leq \Phi\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) - \frac{m+M}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\ \leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left[ \Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right) \right] \left( x_i - \frac{m+M}{2} \right) \\ \leq \begin{cases} \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right)| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| x_i - \frac{m+M}{2} \right|, \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right)|^p \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| x_i - \frac{m+M}{2} \right|^q \right)^{1/q} \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} \left| x_i - \frac{m+M}{2} \right| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right)|. \end{cases}$$

Since  $m \leq x_i \leq M$  for  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  is equivalent to

$$\left| x_i - \frac{m+M}{2} \right| \leq \frac{1}{2} (M - m), \quad i \in \{1, \dots, n\},$$

then from the third branch of (2.7) we obtain the following inequality of interest

$$(2.23) \quad 0 \leq \Phi\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) - \frac{m+M}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\ \leq \frac{1}{2} (M - m) \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'\left(\frac{m+M}{2}\right) \right|.$$

If there exists  $t \in I$  such that

$$(2.24) \quad \Phi(t) = \frac{\Phi(m) + \Phi(M)}{2},$$



then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.25) \quad 0 &\leq \frac{\Phi(m) + \Phi(M)}{2} - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) - t \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\
&\leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i [\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(t)] (x_i - t) \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(t)| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |x_i - t|, \\ (\sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(t)|^p)^{1/p} (\sum_{i=1}^n p_i |x_i - t|^q)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |x_i - t| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\Phi'(x_i) - \Phi'(t)|. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

If  $\Phi'$  is Lipschitzian with the constant  $L > 0$  on  $\hat{I}$ , namely

$$|\Phi'(u) - \Phi'(v)| \leq L|u - v| \text{ for all } u, v \in \hat{I},$$

then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.26) \quad 0 &\leq \Phi(u) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) - u \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\
&\leq L \sum_{i=1}^n p_i (x_i - u)^2 = L \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i^2 - 2u \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i + u^2 \right).
\end{aligned}$$

In particular, we have the following upper bound in terms of variance

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.27) \quad 0 &\leq \Phi \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\
&\leq L \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i^2 - \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right)^2 \right].
\end{aligned}$$

If, in addition, the condition (2.4) is satisfied, then

$$(2.28) \quad 0 \leq \Phi(s) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) \leq L \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i^2 - 2s \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i + s^2 \right).$$

If there exists an interval  $[m, M] \subset I$  such that  $m \leq x_i \leq M$  for  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.29) \quad 0 &\leq \Phi \left( \frac{m+M}{2} \right) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) \\
&\quad - \frac{m+M}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\
&\leq L \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left( x_i - \frac{m+M}{2} \right)^2 d\mu \leq \frac{1}{4} (M - m)^2.
\end{aligned}$$

We also have

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.30) \quad 0 &\leq \frac{1}{M-m} \int_m^M \Phi(u) du - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) \\
&\quad - \frac{m+M}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\
&\leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i^2 - 2 \frac{m+M}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i + \frac{m^2 + mM + M^2}{3}.
\end{aligned}$$

If the condition (2.10) is satisfied, then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.31) \quad 0 &\leq \frac{\Phi(m) + \Phi(M)}{2} - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi(x_i) - t \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \Phi'(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \Phi'(x_i) \\
&\leq L \sum_{i=1}^n p_i (x_i - t)^2.
\end{aligned}$$

### 3. SOME INEQUALITIES FOR EXPONENTIAL

If we consider the exponential function  $\Phi_\alpha : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (0, \infty)$ ,  $\Phi_\alpha(x) = \exp(\alpha x)$ ,  $\alpha \neq 0$ , then by (2.1) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.1) \quad 0 &\leq \exp(\alpha u) - \int_{\Omega} (1 + \alpha u - \alpha f) \exp(\alpha f) d\mu \\
&\leq \alpha \int_{\Omega} [\exp(\alpha f) - \exp(\alpha u)] (f - u) d\mu \\
&\leq \begin{cases} |\alpha| \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} |\exp(\alpha f) - \exp(\alpha u)| \int_{\Omega} |f - u| d\mu, \\ |\alpha| \left( \int_{\Omega} |\exp(\alpha f) - \exp(\alpha u)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f - u|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ |\alpha| \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} |f - u| \int_{\Omega} |\exp(\alpha f) - \exp(\alpha u)| d\mu. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

If we take in (3.1)  $u = \int_{\Omega} f d\mu$ , then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.2) \quad 0 &\leq \exp\left(\alpha \int_{\Omega} f d\mu\right) - \int_{\Omega} \left(1 + \alpha \int_{\Omega} f d\mu - \alpha f\right) \exp(\alpha f) d\mu \\
&\leq \alpha \int_{\Omega} \left[ \exp(\alpha f) - \exp\left(\alpha \int_{\Omega} f d\mu\right) \right] \left( f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right) d\mu \\
&\leq \begin{cases} |\alpha| \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} |\exp(\alpha f) - \exp(\alpha \int_{\Omega} f d\mu)| \int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| d\mu, \\ |\alpha| \left( \int_{\Omega} |\exp(\alpha f) - \exp(\alpha \int_{\Omega} f d\mu)|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \\ \times \left( \int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ |\alpha| \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| \\ \times \int_{\Omega} |\exp(\alpha f) - \exp(\alpha \int_{\Omega} f d\mu)| d\mu. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

Also, if we take in (3.1)

$$s = \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu},$$

then we get

$$(3.3) \quad \begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \exp\left(\alpha \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}\right) - \int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu \\ &\leq \alpha \int_{\Omega} \left[ \exp(\alpha f) - \exp\left(\alpha \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}\right) \right] \\ &\quad \times \left( f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu} \right) d\mu \\ &\leq \begin{cases} |\alpha| \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| \exp(\alpha f) - \exp\left(\alpha \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}\right) \right| \\ \quad \times \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu} \right| d\mu, \\ \\ |\alpha| \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| \exp(\alpha f) - \exp\left(\alpha \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}\right) \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \\ \quad \times \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu} \right|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \quad p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \\ \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu} \right| \\ \quad \times \int_{\Omega} \left| \exp(\alpha f) - \exp\left(\alpha \frac{\int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu}\right) \right| d\mu. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

If  $m \leq f \leq M$   $\mu$ -a.e. on  $\Omega$ , then from the third branch of (2.7) we obtain the following inequality of interest

$$(3.4) \quad \begin{aligned} 0 &\leq \exp\left(\alpha \frac{m+M}{2}\right) - \int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu \\ &\quad - \alpha \frac{m+M}{2} \int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu + \alpha \int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} |\alpha| (M-m) \int_{\Omega} \left| \exp(\alpha f) - \exp\left(\alpha \frac{m+M}{2}\right) \right| d\mu. \end{aligned}$$

If

$$\exp(\alpha t) = \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2},$$

namely

$$t = \frac{1}{\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right),$$

then by (2.11) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.5) \quad 0 &\leq \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} - \int_{\Omega} \exp(\alpha f) d\mu \\
&\quad - \frac{1}{\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right) \int_{\Omega} \exp \alpha(f) d\mu + \alpha \int_{\Omega} f \cdot \exp(\alpha f) d\mu \\
&\leq \alpha \int_{\Omega} \left[ \exp(\alpha f) - \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right] \\
&\quad \times \left[ f - \frac{1}{\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right) \right] d\mu \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \left| \alpha \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| \exp(\alpha f) - \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right| \right. \\ \quad \times \left. \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{1}{\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right) \right| d\mu, \right. \\ \\ \left| \alpha \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| \exp(\alpha f) - \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \right. \\ \quad \times \left. \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{1}{\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right) \right|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q} \right. \\ \quad p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \\ \left| \alpha \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{1}{\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right) \right| \right. \\ \quad \times \left. \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{1}{\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\exp(\alpha m) + \exp(\alpha M)}{2} \right) \right| d\mu. \right. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

If we write the inequality (2.19) for the exponential function, then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.6) \quad 0 &\leq \exp \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i) \\
&\quad - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i) \\
&\leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left[ \exp(x_i) - \exp \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right) \right] \left( x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right) \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} \left| \exp(x_i) - \exp \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right) \right| \\ \quad \times \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right|, \\ \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \exp(x_i) - \exp \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right) \right|^p \right)^{1/p} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right|^q \right)^{1/q}, \quad p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \\ \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} \left| x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \exp(x_i) - \exp \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \right) \right| \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

for all  $x_i \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  and  $p_i \geq 0$ ,  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  with  $\sum_{i=1}^n p_i = 1$ .

If  $x_i = \ln y_i$ ,  $y_i > 0$ ,  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ , then by (3.6) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.7) \quad 0 &\leq \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i} - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i - \ln \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i} \right) \sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i + \ln \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right) \\
&\leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left( y_i - \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i} \right) \left[ \ln y_i - \ln \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i} \right) \right] \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |y_i - \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i}| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\ln y_i - \ln (\prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i})|, \\ (\sum_{i=1}^n p_i |y_i - \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i}|^p)^{1/p} (\sum_{i=1}^n p_i |\ln y_i - \ln (\prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i})|^q)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |\ln y_i - \ln (\prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i})| \sum_{i=1}^n p_i |y_i - \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i}|. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

For  $\Phi(x) = \exp x$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , consider

$$(3.8) \quad s = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)},$$

then by (2.5) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.9) \quad 0 &\leq \exp \left( \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)} \right) - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i) \\
&\leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left[ \exp(x_i) - \exp \left( \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)} \right) \right] \\
&\quad \times \left( x_i - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)} \right) \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} \left| \exp(x_i) - \exp \left( \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)} \right) \right| \\ \quad \times \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| x_i - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)} \right|, \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \exp(x_i) - \exp \left( \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)} \right) \right|^p \right)^{1/p} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| x_i - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)} \right|^q \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} \left| x_i - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)} \right| \\ \quad \times \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \exp(x_i) - \exp \left( \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \exp(x_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \exp(x_i)} \right) \right|. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

If  $x_i = \ln y_i$ ,  $y_i > 0$ ,  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ , then

$$(3.10) \quad s := \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i \ln y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} = \frac{\ln \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)}{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i},$$

then by (3.9) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.11) \quad 0 &\leq \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i \\
&\leq \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left[ y_i - \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} \right] \\
&\quad \times \left( \ln y_i - \ln \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} \right) \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} \left| y_i - \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} \right| \\ \quad \times \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \ln y_i - \ln \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} \right|, \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| y_i - \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} \right|^p \right)^{1/p} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| \ln y_i - \ln \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} \right|^q \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} \left| \ln y_i - \ln \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} \right| \\ \quad \times \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \left| y_i - \left( \prod_{i=1}^n y_i^{p_i y_i} \right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i y_i} \right|. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

#### 4. SOME INEQUALITIES FOR LOGARITHM

If we consider the convex function  $\Phi(x) = -\ln x$ ,  $x > 0$ ,  $u > 0$ , then by (2.1) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(4.1) \quad 0 &\leq \int_{\Omega} \ln f d\mu + u \int_{\Omega} \frac{1}{f} d\mu - \ln u - 1 \leq \frac{1}{u} \int_{\Omega} \frac{(f-u)^2}{f} d\mu \\
&\leq \begin{cases} \frac{1}{u} \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| \frac{f-u}{f} \right| \int_{\Omega} |f-u| d\mu, \\ \frac{1}{u} \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| \frac{f-u}{f} \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f-u|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \frac{1}{u} \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |f-u| \int_{\Omega} \left| \frac{f-u}{f} \right| d\mu. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

If we take  $u = \int_{\Omega} f d\mu > 0$  in (4.1), then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(4.2) \quad 0 &\leq \int_{\Omega} \ln f d\mu + \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \int_{\Omega} \frac{1}{f} d\mu - \ln \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right) - 1 \\
&\leq \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \int_{\Omega} \frac{(f-u)^2}{f} d\mu
\end{aligned}$$

$$\leq \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| \frac{f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu}{f} \right| \int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| d\mu, \\ \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| \frac{f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu}{f} \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| \int_{\Omega} \left| \frac{f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu}{f} \right| d\mu. \end{cases}$$

Observe that for the logarithmic function the Slater point is

$$(4.3) \quad s = \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f}},$$

then by (2.5)

$$(4.4) \quad 0 \leq \int_{\Omega} \ln f d\mu - \ln \left( \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f}} \right) \leq \int_{\Omega} \left( \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f} - \frac{1}{f} \right) \left( f - \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f}} \right) d\mu$$

$$\leq \begin{cases} \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f} - \frac{1}{f} \right| \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f}} \right| d\mu, \\ \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f} - \frac{1}{f} \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f}} \right|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{1}{\int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f}} \right| \int_{\Omega} \left| \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\mu}{f} - \frac{1}{f} \right| d\mu. \end{cases}$$

## 5. SOME INEQUALITIES FOR POWER FUNCTION

The power function  $\Phi_r(x) = x^r$ ,  $r \in (-\infty, 0) \cup [1, \infty)$  is convex on  $(0, \infty)$  and by (2.1) we get

$$(5.1) \quad 0 \leq u^r - ru \int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu + (r-1) \int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu$$

$$\leq r \int_{\Omega} (f^{r-1} - u^{r-1}) (f - u) d\mu$$

$$\leq \begin{cases} |r| \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |f^{r-1} - u^{r-1}| \int_{\Omega} |f - u| d\mu, \\ |r| \left( \int_{\Omega} |f^{r-1} - u^{r-1}|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f - u|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ |r| \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} |f - u| \int_{\Omega} |f^{r-1} - u^{r-1}| d\mu. \end{cases}$$

If in this inequality, we take  $u = \int_{\Omega} f d\mu$ , then

$$(5.2) \quad 0 \leq \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^r - r \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu + (r-1) \int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu$$

$$\leq r \int_{\Omega} \left( f^{r-1} - \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^{r-1} \right) \left( f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right) d\mu$$

$$\leq \begin{cases} |r| \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} \left| f^{r-1} - \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^{r-1} \right| \int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| d\mu, \\ |r| \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f^{r-1} - \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^{r-1} \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ |r| \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| \int_{\Omega} \left| f^{r-1} - \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^{r-1} \right| d\mu. \end{cases}$$

For the power function the Slater point is

$$(5.3) \quad s = \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu},$$

then by (2.6) we get

$$(5.4) \quad 0 \leq \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu} \right)^r - \int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu \\ \leq r \int_{\Omega} \left[ f^{r-1} - \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu} \right)^{r-1} \right] \left[ f - \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu} \right)^{r-1} \right] d\mu \\ \leq \begin{cases} |r| \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} \left| f^{r-1} - \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu} \right)^{r-1} \right| \\ \times \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu} \right)^{r-1} \right| d\mu, \\ |r| \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f^{r-1} - \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu} \right)^{r-1} \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \\ \times \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu} \right)^{r-1} \right|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \quad p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ |r| \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} \left| f - \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu} \right)^{r-1} \right| \\ \times \int_{\Omega} \left| f^{r-1} - \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^r d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f^{r-1} d\mu} \right)^{r-1} \right| d\mu. \end{cases}$$

If we take  $r = -1$  in (5.2), then we get

$$(5.5) \quad 0 \leq \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^{-1} + \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \int_{\Omega} f^{-2} d\mu - 2 \int_{\Omega} f^{-1} d\mu \\ \leq \int_{\Omega} \left( \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^{-2} - f^{-2} \right) \left( f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right) d\mu \\ \leq \begin{cases} \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} \left| f^{r-2} - \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^{-2} \right| \int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| d\mu, \\ \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f^{r-2} - \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^{-2} \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \left( \int_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu|^q d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, \\ \operatorname{essup}_{\Omega} |f - \int_{\Omega} f d\mu| \int_{\Omega} \left| f^{r-2} - \left( \int_{\Omega} f d\mu \right)^{-2} \right| d\mu. \end{cases}$$



If we take in (5.4)  $r = 2$ , then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (5.6) \quad 0 &\leq \left( \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \right)^2 - \int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu \\
 &\leq 2 \int_{\Omega} \left( f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \right) \left( f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \right) d\mu \\
 &\leq \begin{cases} 2 \operatorname{esssup}_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \right| \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \right| d\mu, \\ 2 \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \right|^p d\mu \right)^{1/p} \times \left( \int_{\Omega} \left| f - \frac{\int_{\Omega} f^2 d\mu}{\int_{\Omega} f d\mu} \right|^{q(r-1)} d\mu \right)^{1/q}, \\ p, q > 1 \text{ with } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1. \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

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