

p -SCHATTEN NORM INEQUALITIES OF OPIAL-HÖLDER TYPE

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ABSTRACT. A bounded linear operator on the Hilbert space H , $A \in \mathcal{B}(H)$, is said to belong to the *von Neumann-Schatten class* $\mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $1 \leq p < \infty$ if the p -Schatten norm is finite

$$\|A\|_p := [\operatorname{tr}(|A|^p)]^{1/p} < \infty,$$

where $\operatorname{tr}(\cdot)$ is the operator trace functional. Assume that $A : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $B : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_q(H)$, with $p, q > 1$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, are strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(a) = B(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, (b-\ell)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $B' \in L_{\alpha, (\ell-a)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$, where $\ell(t) = t$, $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_a^b \|A(t)B(t)\|_1 dt \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\ & \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b [(b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha] dt. \end{aligned}$$

1. INTRODUCTION

We recall the following Opial type inequalities:

Theorem 1. *Assume that $u : [a, b] \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is an absolutely continuous function on the interval $[a, b]$ and such that $u' \in L_2[a, b]$.*

(i) *If $u(a) = u(b) = 0$, then*

$$(1.1) \quad \int_a^b |u(t)u'(t)| dt \leq \frac{1}{4}(b-a) \int_a^b |u'(t)|^2 dt,$$

with equality if and only if

$$u(t) = \begin{cases} c(t-a) & \text{if } a \leq t \leq \frac{a+b}{2}, \\ c(b-t) & \text{if } \frac{a+b}{2} < t \leq b, \end{cases}$$

where c is an arbitrary constant;

(ii) *If $u(a) = 0$, then*

$$(1.2) \quad \int_a^b |u(t)u'(t)| dt \leq \frac{1}{2}(b-a) \int_a^b |u'(t)|^2 dt,$$

with equality if and only if $u(t) = c(t-a)$ for some constant c .

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The inequality (1.1) was obtained by Olech in [12] in which he gave a simplified proof of an inequality originally due in a slightly less general form to Zdzislaw Opial [13].

Embedded in Olech's proof is the half-interval form of Opial's inequality, also discovered by Beesack [4], which is satisfied by those u vanishing only at a .

For various proofs of the above inequalities, see [8]-[10] and [14].

In the recent paper [7] we obtained the following results:

Theorem 2. *Assume that $f, g : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ are absolutely continuous on $[a, b]$ with $f' \in L_\alpha[a, b]$ and $g' \in L_\beta[a, b]$ for $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$.*

(i) *If $g(a) = 0$, then*

$$(1.3) \quad \int_a^b |f'(t)g(t)| dt \leq \left(\int_a^b (t-a) |f'(t)|^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_a^b (b-t) |g'(t)|^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \\ \leq \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_a^b (t-a) |f'(t)|^\alpha dt + \frac{1}{\beta} \int_a^b (b-t) |g'(t)|^\beta dt.$$

(ii) *If $g(b) = 0$, then*

$$(1.4) \quad \int_a^b |f'(t)g(t)| dt \leq \left(\int_a^b (b-t) |f'(t)|^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_a^b (t-a) |g'(t)|^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \\ \leq \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_a^b (b-t) |f'(t)|^\alpha dt + \frac{1}{\beta} \int_a^b (t-a) |g'(t)|^\beta dt.$$

(iii) *If $g(a) = g(b) = 0$, then*

$$(1.5) \quad \int_a^b |f'(t)g(t)| dt \\ \leq \left(\int_a^b K(t) |f'(t)|^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_a^b \left| \frac{a+b}{2} - t \right| |g'(t)|^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \\ \leq \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_a^b K(t) |f'(t)|^\alpha dt + \frac{1}{\beta} \int_a^b \left| \frac{a+b}{2} - t \right| |g'(t)|^\beta dt,$$

where K is defined by

$$K(t) := \begin{cases} t-a & \text{if } a \leq t \leq \frac{a+b}{2}, \\ b-t & \text{if } \frac{a+b}{2} < t \leq b. \end{cases}$$

In particular, we have the Opial type inequalities [7]:

Corollary 1. *Assume that $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ are absolutely continuous on $[a, b]$ and $f' \in L_\alpha[a, b] \cap L_\beta[a, b]$ for $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$.*

(i) *If $f(a) = 0$, then*

$$(1.6) \quad \int_a^b |f'(t)f(t)| dt \leq \left(\int_a^b (t-a) |f'(t)|^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_a^b (b-t) |f'(t)|^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \\ \leq \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_a^b (t-a) |f'(t)|^\alpha dt + \frac{1}{\beta} \int_a^b (b-t) |f'(t)|^\beta dt.$$

(ii) If $f(b) = 0$, then

$$(1.7) \quad \int_a^b |f'(t)g(t)| dt \leq \left(\int_a^b (b-t)|f'(t)|^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)|f'(t)|^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \\ \leq \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_a^b (b-t)|f'(t)|^\alpha dt + \frac{1}{\beta} \int_a^b (t-a)|f'(t)|^\beta dt.$$

(iii) If $f(a) = f(b) = 0$, then

$$(1.8) \quad \int_a^b |f'(t)f(t)| dt \\ \leq \left(\int_a^b K(t)|f'(t)|^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_a^b \left| \frac{a+b}{2} - t \right| |f'(t)|^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \\ \leq \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_a^b K(t)|f'(t)|^\alpha dt + \frac{1}{\beta} \int_a^b \left| \frac{a+b}{2} - t \right| |f'(t)|^\beta dt.$$

In order to extend these results for p -Schatten norms of bounded linear operators we need the following preparations.

Let $(H; \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$ be a complex Hilbert space and $\mathcal{B}(H)$ the Banach algebra of all bounded linear operators on H . If $\{e_i\}_{i \in I}$ an orthonormal basis of H , we say that $A \in \mathcal{B}(H)$ is of *trace class* if

$$(1.9) \quad \|A\|_1 := \sum_{i \in I} \langle |A| e_i, e_i \rangle < \infty.$$

The definition of $\|A\|_1$ does not depend on the choice of the orthonormal basis $\{e_i\}_{i \in I}$. We denote by $\mathcal{B}_1(H)$ the set of trace class operators in $\mathcal{B}(H)$.

We define the *trace* of a trace class operator $A \in \mathcal{B}_1(H)$ to be

$$(1.10) \quad \text{tr}(A) := \sum_{i \in I} \langle A e_i, e_i \rangle,$$

where $\{e_i\}_{i \in I}$ an orthonormal basis of H . Note that this coincides with the usual definition of the trace if H is finite-dimensional. We observe that the series (1.10) converges absolutely and it is independent from the choice of basis.

The following result collects some properties of the trace:

Theorem 3. *We have:*

(i) If $A \in \mathcal{B}_1(H)$ then $A^* \in \mathcal{B}_1(H)$ and

$$(1.11) \quad \text{tr}(A^*) = \overline{\text{tr}(A)};$$

(ii) If $A \in \mathcal{B}_1(H)$ and $T \in \mathcal{B}(H)$, then $AT, TA \in \mathcal{B}_1(H)$ and

$$(1.12) \quad \text{tr}(AT) = \text{tr}(TA) \text{ and } |\text{tr}(AT)| \leq \|A\|_1 \|T\|;$$

(iii) $\text{tr}(\cdot)$ is a bounded linear functional on $\mathcal{B}_1(H)$ with $\|\text{tr}\| = 1$;

(iv) If $A, B \in \mathcal{B}_2(H)$ then $AB, BA \in \mathcal{B}_1(H)$ and $\text{tr}(AB) = \text{tr}(BA)$;

(v) $\mathcal{B}_{fin}(H)$ is a dense subspace of $\mathcal{B}_1(H)$.

An operator $A \in \mathcal{B}(H)$ is said to belong to the *von Neumann-Schatten class* $\mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $1 \leq p < \infty$ if the p -Schatten norm is finite [17, p. 60-64]

$$\|A\|_p := [\text{tr}(|A|^p)]^{1/p} < \infty.$$

For $1 < p < q < \infty$ we have that

$$(1.13) \quad \mathcal{B}_1(H) \subset \mathcal{B}_p(H) \subset \mathcal{B}_q(H) \subset \mathcal{B}(H)$$

and

$$(1.14) \quad \|A\|_1 \geq \|A\|_p \geq \|A\|_q \geq \|A\|.$$

For $p \geq 1$ the functional $\|\cdot\|_p$ is a *norm* on the $*$ -ideal $\mathcal{B}_p(H)$ and $(\mathcal{B}_p(H), \|\cdot\|_p)$ is a Banach space.

Also, see for instance [17, p. 60-64], for $p \geq 1$,

$$(1.15) \quad \|A\|_p = \|A^*\|_p, \quad A \in \mathcal{B}_p(H)$$

$$(1.16) \quad \|AB\|_p \leq \|A\|_p \|B\|_p, \quad A, B \in \mathcal{B}_p(H)$$

and

$$(1.17) \quad \|AB\|_p \leq \|A\|_p \|B\|, \quad \|BA\|_p \leq \|B\| \|A\|_p, \quad A \in \mathcal{B}_p(H), \quad B \in \mathcal{B}(H).$$

This implies that

$$(1.18) \quad \|CAB\|_p \leq \|C\| \|A\|_p \|B\|, \quad A \in \mathcal{B}_p(H), \quad B, C \in \mathcal{B}(H).$$

In terms of p -Schatten norm we have the *Hölder inequality* for $p, q > 1$ with $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$

$$(1.19) \quad (|\operatorname{tr}(AB)| \leq) \|AB\|_1 \leq \|A\|_p \|B\|_q, \quad A \in \mathcal{B}_p(H), \quad B \in \mathcal{B}_q(H).$$

For the theory of trace functionals and their applications the reader is referred to [16] and [17].

For some classical trace inequalities see [5], [6], and [11], which are continuations of the work of Bellman [4].

2. 1-SCHATTEN NORM INEQUALITIES

We consider the positive weight

$$(2.1) \quad w_a(t; a, b) := \frac{1}{2} \left[(b-a)^2 - (t-a)^2 \right] = (b-t) \left(\frac{b+t}{2} - a \right),$$

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

Theorem 4. *Assume that $A : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $B : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_q(H)$, with $p, q > 1$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, are strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(a) = B(a) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $B' \in L_{\alpha, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$, where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then*

$$(2.2) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_a^b \|A(t)B(t)\|_1 dt \\ & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\ & \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Since $A(a) = B(a) = 0$, hence $A(t) = \int_a^t A'(s) ds$ and $B(t) = \int_a^t B'(s) ds$ and we have by Hölder inequality (1.19) for $p, q > 1, \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.3) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t) B(t)\|_1 dt \\
 & \leq \int_a^b \|A(t)\|_p \|B(t)\|_q dt = \int_a^b \left\| \int_a^t A'(s) ds \right\|_p \left\| \int_a^t B'(s) ds \right\|_q dt \\
 & \leq \int_a^b \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p ds \right) \left(\int_a^t \|B'(s)\|_q ds \right) dt =: J.
 \end{aligned}$$

Applying twice Hölder's inequality, we get for $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, that

$$\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p ds \leq (t-a)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right)^{1/\beta}$$

and

$$\int_a^t \|B'(s)\|_q ds \leq (t-a)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^t \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right)^{1/\alpha}.$$

Therefore

$$J \leq \int_a^b (t-a) \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^t \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right)^{1/\alpha} dt.$$

By applying again Hölder's weighted inequality, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.4) \quad & \int_a^b (t-a) \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^t \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right)^{1/\alpha} dt \\
 & \leq \left[\int_a^b (t-a) \left(\left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right)^{1/\beta} \right)^\beta dt \right]^{1/\beta} \\
 & \quad \times \left[\int_a^b (t-a) \left(\left(\int_a^t \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right)^{1/\alpha} \right)^\alpha dt \right]^{1/\alpha} \\
 & = \left[\int_a^b (t-a) \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right) dt \right]^{1/\beta} \\
 & \quad \times \left[\int_a^b (t-a) \left(\int_a^t \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right) dt \right]^{1/\alpha} \\
 & =: L.
 \end{aligned}$$

Using integration by parts, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_a^b (t-a) \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right) dt \\
&= \int_a^b \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right) d \left(\frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \right) \\
&= \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right) \left(\frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \right) \Big|_a^b - \int_a^b \frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta \beta dt \\
&= \frac{(b-a)^2}{2} \left(\int_a^b \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right) - \int_a^b \frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta \beta dt \\
&= \int_a^b \left[\frac{(b-a)^2}{2} - \frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \right] \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\int_a^b (t-a) \left(\int_a^t \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right) dt = \int_a^b \left[\frac{(b-a)^2}{2} - \frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \right] \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.5) \quad L &\leq \left(\int_a^b \left[\frac{(b-a)^2}{2} - \frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \right] \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \\
&\quad \times \left(\int_a^b \left[\frac{(b-a)^2}{2} - \frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \right] \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
&= \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha}.
\end{aligned}$$

This proves the first part of (2.2).

By utilising Young's inequality

$$(2.6) \quad \alpha^{1/\beta} \beta^{1/\alpha} \leq \frac{1}{\beta} \alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha} \beta, \text{ for } \alpha, \beta \geq 0,$$

where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
&\leq \frac{1}{\beta} \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt + \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \\
&= \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt,
\end{aligned}$$

which proves the last part of (2.2). \square

Remark 1. Assume that A' is differentiable on (a, b) . If $A(a) = A'(a) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $A'' \in L_{\alpha, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$, where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} +$

$\frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.7) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t) A'(t)\|_1 dt \\
 & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A''(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
 & \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|A''(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 2. Assume that A is differentiable on (a, b) with $A(a) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H)) \cap L_{\alpha, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$, where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.8) \quad & \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_1 dt \\
 & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
 & \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|A'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

Remark 2. We observe that for $\alpha = \beta = 2$, we get for $A(a) = 0$ that

$$(2.9) \quad \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_1 dt \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{2} \|A'(t)\|_p^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|A'(t)\|_q^2 \right] dt.$$

Moreover, for $p = q = 2$ we derive

$$(2.10) \quad \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_1 dt \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_2^2 dt.$$

Corollary 3. Assume that $C : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H) \cap \mathcal{B}_q(H)$, with $p, q > 1$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, are strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $C(a) = 0$ and $C' \in L_{\beta, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H)) \cap L_{\alpha, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$, where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.11) \quad & \int_a^b \|C(t)\|_2^2 dt \\
 & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|C'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|C'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
 & \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|C'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|C'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for $\alpha = \beta = 2$ we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.12) \quad & \int_a^b \|C(t)\|_2^2 dt \\
 & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|C'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|C'(t)\|_q^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
 & \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{2} \|C'(t)\|_p^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|C'(t)\|_q^2 \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, for $p = q = 2$ we derive

$$(2.13) \quad \int_a^b \|C(t)\|_2^2 dt \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|C'(t)\|_2^2 dt.$$

Proof. We have from (2.2) for $A(t) = C^*(t)$ and $B(t) = C(t)$, $t \in [a, b]$ that

$$(2.14) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_a^b \|C^*(t)C(t)\|_1 dt \\ & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|(C^*)'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|C'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\ & \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|(C^*)'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|C'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt. \end{aligned}$$

Observe that

$$\int_a^b \|C^*(t)C(t)\|_1 dt = \int_a^b \operatorname{tr} |C^*(t)C(t)| dt = \int_a^b \operatorname{tr} |C(t)|^2 dt = \int_a^b \|C(t)\|_2^2 dt$$

and, by (2.24)

$$\|(C^*)'(t)\|_p^\beta = \|(C')^*(t)\|_p^\beta = \|C'(t)\|_p^\beta,$$

and by making use of (2.14) we derive □

Now consider the dual weight

$$(2.15) \quad w_b(t; a, b) := \frac{1}{2} \left[(b-a)^2 - (b-t)^2 \right] = (t-a) \left(b - \frac{a+t}{2} \right),$$

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

Theorem 5. *Assume that $A : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $B : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_q(H)$, with $p, q > 1$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, are strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(b) = B(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, w_b}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $B' \in L_{\alpha, w_b}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$, where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then*

$$(2.16) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_a^b \|A(t)B(t)\|_1 dt \\ & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\ & \leq \int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Since $A(b) = B(b) = 0$, hence $A(t) = -\int_b^t A'(s) ds$ and $B(t) = -\int_b^t B'(s) ds$ and we have by Hölder inequality (1.19) for $p, q > 1, \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$,

$$(2.17) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_a^b \|A(t) B(t)\|_1 dt \\ & \leq \int_a^b \|A(t)\|_p \|B(t)\|_q dt = \int_a^b \left\| \int_t^b A'(s) ds \right\|_p \left\| \int_t^b B'(s) ds \right\|_q dt \\ & \leq \int_a^b \left(\int_t^b \|A'(s)\|_p ds \right) \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q ds \right) dt. \end{aligned}$$

Now, by using a similar argument as in the proof of Theorem 4 we deduce the desired inequality (2.16). \square

Remark 3. Assume that A' is strongly differentiable on (a, b) . If $A(b) = A'(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, w_b}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $A'' \in L_{\alpha, w_b}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$ where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$(2.18) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_a^b \|A(t) A'(t)\|_1 dt \\ & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|A''(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\ & \leq \int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|A''(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt. \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 4. Assume that A is strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(b) = 0$, then

$$(2.19) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_1 dt \\ & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\ & \leq \int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|A'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt, \end{aligned}$$

where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$.

Remark 4. We observe that for $\alpha = \beta = 2$, we get

$$(2.20) \quad \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_1 dt \leq \int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{2} \|A'(t)\|_p^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|A'(t)\|_q^2 \right] dt,$$

with the assumption that $A(b) = 0$. For $p = q = 2$ we get

$$(2.21) \quad \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_1 dt \leq \int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_2^2 dt,$$

with the assumption that $A(b) = 0$.

We also have:

Theorem 6. Assume that $A : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $B : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_q(H)$, with $p, q > 1$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, are strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(a) = B(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, (b-\ell)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $B' \in L_{\alpha, (\ell-a)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$, where $\ell(t) = t$, $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.22) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t)B(t)\|_1 dt \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
& \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt.
\end{aligned}$$

Proof. Since $A(a) = B(b) = 0$, hence $A(t) = \int_a^t A'(s) ds$ and $B(t) = -\int_t^b B'(s) ds$. Therefore, by Hölder inequality (1.19) for $p, q > 1$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.23) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t)B(t)\|_1 dt \\
& \leq \int_a^b \|A(t)\|_p \|B(t)\|_q dt = \int_a^b \left\| \int_a^t A'(s) ds \right\|_p \left\| \int_t^b B'(s) ds \right\|_q dt \\
& = \int_a^b (t-a)^{1/\alpha} (b-t)^{1/\beta} (t-a)^{-1/\alpha} \\
& \quad \times \left\| \int_a^t A'(s) ds \right\|_p (b-t)^{-1/\beta} \left\| \int_t^b B'(s) ds \right\|_q dt \\
& =: E.
\end{aligned}$$

By Hölder's integral inequality, we have

$$(t-a)^{-1/\alpha} \left\| \int_a^t A'(s) ds \right\|_p \leq \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right)^{1/\beta}$$

and

$$(b-t)^{-1/\beta} \left\| \int_t^b B'(s) ds \right\|_q \leq \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right)^{1/\alpha},$$

which imply that

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.24) \quad E & \leq \int_a^b (t-a)^{1/\alpha} (b-t)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
& = \int_a^b (b-t)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right)^{1/\beta} (t-a)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right)^{1/\alpha} dt.
\end{aligned}$$

By Hölder's integral inequality, we also have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.25) \quad & \int_a^b (b-t)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right)^{1/\beta} (t-a)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
 & \leq \left(\int_a^b \left[(b-t)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right)^{1/\beta} \right]^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \\
 & \quad \times \left(\int_a^b \left[(t-a)^{1/\alpha} \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right)^{1/\alpha} \right]^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
 & = \left(\int_a^b (b-t) \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right) dt \right)^{1/\beta} \\
 & \quad \times \left(\int_a^b (t-a) \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right) dt \right)^{1/\alpha}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Using integration by parts, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.26) \quad & \int_a^b (b-t) \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right) dt \\
 & = - \int_a^b \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right) d \left(\frac{(b-t)^2}{2} \right) \\
 & = - \left[\left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p^\beta ds \right) \left(\frac{(b-t)^2}{2} \right) \Big|_a^b - \int_a^b \frac{(b-t)^2}{2} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right] \\
 & = \frac{1}{2} \int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.27) \quad & \int_a^b (t-a) \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right) dt \\
 & = \int_a^b \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right) dt \left(\frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \right) \\
 & = \left(\int_t^b \|B'(s)\|_q^\alpha ds \right) \frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \Big|_a^b + \int_a^b \frac{(t-a)^2}{2} \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \\
 & = \frac{1}{2} \int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt,
 \end{aligned}$$

which proves the first inequality in (2.18).

The last part follows by Young's inequality (2.6). \square

Corollary 5. *Assume that A is strongly differentiable with $A(a) = A(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, (b-\ell)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H)) \cap L_{\alpha, (\ell-a)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$, where $\ell(t) = t$, $\alpha, \beta > 1$*

with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.28) \quad & \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_1 dt \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|A'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
& \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + (t-a)^2 \|A'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt.
\end{aligned}$$

Remark 5. Assume that A, B are strongly differentiable with $A(a) = B(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{2,(b-\ell)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $B' \in L_{2,(\ell-a)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$ where $\ell(t) = t$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.29) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t)B(t)\|_1 dt \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_q^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
& \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^2 + (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_q^2 \right] dt.
\end{aligned}$$

Also, if $A(a) = A(b) = 0$, then for $\alpha = \beta = 2$

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.30) \quad & \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_1 dt \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|A'(t)\|_q^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
& \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^2 + (t-a)^2 \|A'(t)\|_q^2 \right] dt.
\end{aligned}$$

Moreover, for $p = q = 2$ we derive

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.31) \quad & \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_1 dt \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_2^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|A'(t)\|_2^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
& \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 + (t-a)^2 \right] \|A'(t)\|_2^2 dt.
\end{aligned}$$

We also have:

Corollary 6. Assume that $C : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H) \cap \mathcal{B}_q(H)$, with $p, q > 1$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, is strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $C(a) = C(b) = 0$ and $C' \in L_{\beta,(b-\ell)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H)) \cap L_{\alpha,(\ell-a)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_q(H))$, where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$,

then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.32) \quad & \int_a^b \|C(t)\|_2^2 dt \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|C'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|C'(t)\|_q^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 \|C'(t)\|_p^\beta + (t-a)^2 \|C'(t)\|_q^\alpha \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for $\alpha = \beta = 2$ we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.33) \quad & \int_a^b \|C(t)\|_2^2 dt \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|C'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|C'(t)\|_q^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 \|C'(t)\|_p^2 + (t-a)^2 \|C'(t)\|_q^2 \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, for $p = q = 2$ we derive

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.34) \quad & \int_a^b \|C(t)\|_2^2 dt \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|C'(t)\|_2^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|C'(t)\|_2^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 + (t-a)^2 \right] \|C'(t)\|_2^2 dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

3. p -SCHATTEN NORM INEQUALITIES

We also have the following result for the p -Schatten norm:

Theorem 7. Assume that $A, B : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$ with $p \geq 1$, are strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(a) = B(a) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $B' \in L_{\alpha, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.1) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t)B(t)\|_p dt \\
 & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|B'(t)\|_p^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
 & \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|B'(t)\|_p^\alpha \right] dt,
 \end{aligned}$$

where $w_a(t; a, b)$ is given by (2.1).

In particular, for $\alpha = \beta = 2$ we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.2) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t)B(t)\|_p dt \\
& \leq \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|B'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
& \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{2} \|A'(t)\|_p^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|B'(t)\|_p^2 \right] dt.
\end{aligned}$$

Proof. Since $A(a) = B(a) = 0$, hence $A(t) = \int_a^t A'(s) ds$ and $B(t) = \int_a^t B'(s) ds$ and we have by (1.16) for $p \geq 1$, that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_a^b \|A(t)B(t)\|_p dt \\
& \leq \int_a^b \|A(t)\|_p \|B(t)\|_p dt = \int_a^b \left\| \int_a^t A'(s) ds \right\|_p \left\| \int_a^t B'(s) ds \right\|_p dt \\
& \leq \int_a^b \left(\int_a^t \|A'(s)\|_p ds \right) \left(\int_a^t \|B'(s)\|_p ds \right) dt.
\end{aligned}$$

By utilising a similar argument to the one in the proof of Theorem 4 we deduce the desired result (3.1). \square

Remark 6. Assume that $A : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $p \geq 1$ is strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(a) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{2, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, then by (3.2) we derive

$$(3.3) \quad \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_p dt \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt.$$

Corollary 7. Assume that $C : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, with $p \geq 1$, is strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $C(a) = 0$ and $C' \in L_{\beta, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H)) \cap L_{\alpha, w_a}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.4) \quad & \int_a^b \|C(t)\|_{2p}^2 dt \\
& \leq \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|C'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|C'(t)\|_p^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
& \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|C'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|C'(t)\|_p^\alpha \right] dt.
\end{aligned}$$

In particular, for $\alpha = \beta = 2$ we get

$$(3.5) \quad \int_a^b \|C(t)\|_{2p}^2 dt \leq \int_a^b w_a(t; a, b) \|C'(t)\|_p^2 dt.$$

Also, we have:

Theorem 8. Assume that $A, B : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $p \geq 1$, are strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(b) = B(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, w_b}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $B' \in$

$L_{\alpha, w_b}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, where $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.6) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t) B(t)\|_p dt \\
 & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|B'(t)\|_p^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
 & \leq \int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{\beta} \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha} \|B'(t)\|_p^\alpha \right] dt,
 \end{aligned}$$

where $w_b(t; a, b)$ is given by (2.15).

In particular, for $\alpha = \beta = 2$ we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.7) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t) B(t)\|_p dt \\
 & \leq \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|B'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
 & \leq \int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \left[\frac{1}{2} \|A'(t)\|_p^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|B'(t)\|_p^2 \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

Remark 7. Assume that $A : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $p \geq 1$ is strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{2, w_b}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, then by (3.2) we derive

$$(3.8) \quad \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_p dt \leq \int_a^b w_b(t; a, b) \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt.$$

Finally, we can state:

Theorem 9. Assume that $A, B : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, with $p \geq 1$, are strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(a) = B(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{\beta, (b-\ell)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, $B' \in L_{\alpha, (\ell-a)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, where $\ell(t) = t$, $\alpha, \beta > 1$ with $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.9) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t) B(t)\|_p dt \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta dt \right)^{1/\beta} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_p^\alpha dt \right)^{1/\alpha} \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^\beta + (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_p^\alpha \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for $\alpha = \beta = 2$ we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.10) \quad & \int_a^b \|A(t) B(t)\|_p dt \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b \left[(b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^2 + (t-a)^2 \|B'(t)\|_p^2 \right] dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

Remark 8. Assume that $A : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_p(H)$, $p \geq 1$ is strongly differentiable on (a, b) with $A(a) = A(b) = 0$ and $A' \in L_{2, (b-\ell)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H)) \cap L_{2, (\ell-a)^2}([a, b], \mathcal{B}_p(H))$, then by (3.2) we derive

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.11) \quad & \int_a^b \|A^2(t)\|_p dt \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_a^b (b-t)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \left(\int_a^b (t-a)^2 \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_a^b [(b-t)^2 + (t-a)^2] \|A'(t)\|_p^2 dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

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