

HERMITE-HADAMARD TYPE INEQUALITIES FOR P-CONVEX FUNCTIONS VIA KATUGAMPOLA FRACTIONAL INTEGRALS

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Abstract. In this paper, the authors establish the Hermite-Hadamard inequality for p -convex functions via Katugampola fractional integrals, followed by proving a new identity involving Katugampola fractional integrals. By using this identity, some new Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for classes of p -convex functions are obtained.

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1. Introduction

Definition 1.1. The function $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, is said to be convex, if the following inequality holds

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

for all $x, y \in I$ and $t \in [0, 1]$. We say f is concave if $(-f)$ is convex.

Now we will give a useful inequality for convex functions as below.

Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a convex function defined on an interval I of real numbers and $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. The following inequality

$$(1.1) \quad f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \leq \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2}$$

holds. This double inequality is known in the literature as Hermite-Hadamard integral inequality for convex functions. Both inequalities hold in the reserved direction, when f is concave. Hermite-Hadamard inequality for convex functions has

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received renewed attention in recent years and a remarkable variety of refinements and generalizations have been found; for example, see [1, 6, 7, 8, 10, 18, 11] and the references cited therein.

In [28], Zhang and Wan gave a definition of the p -convex function as follows.

Definition 1.2. Let I be a p -convex set. A function $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be a p -convex function or belongs to class $PC(I)$, if

$$f\left([tx^p + (1-t)y^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq tf(x) + (1-t)f(y)$$

for all $x, y \in I$ and $t \in [0, 1]$.

Remark 1.1. [28] An interval I is said to be a p -convex set, if $[tx^p + (1-t)y^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \in I$ for all $x, y \in I$ and $t \in [0, 1]$, where $p = 2k + 1$ or $p = n/m$, $n = 2r + 1$, $m = 2s + 1$ and $k, r, s \in \mathbb{N}$.

Remark 1.2. [9] If $I \subset (0, \infty)$ be a real interval and $p \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$, then for all $x, y \in I$ and $t \in [0, 1]$, $[tx^p + (1-t)y^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \in I$.

According to Remark 1.2, we can give a different version of the definition of the p -convex function as below.

Definition 1.3. [9] Let $I \subset (0, \infty)$ be a real interval and $p \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$. A function $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be a p -convex function, if

$$(1.2) \quad f\left([tx^p + (1-t)y^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq tf(x) + (1-t)f(y)$$

for all $x, y \in I$ and $t \in [0, 1]$. If the inequality is reserved, then f is said to be p -concave.

According to the definition above, it can easily be seen that for $p = 1$ and $p = -1$, p -convexity reduces to ordinary convexity and harmonically convexity [12] of functions defined on $I \subset (0, \infty)$ respectively.

In [3, Theorem 5], if we take $I \subset (0, \infty)$, $p \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ and $h(t) = t$, then we have the following inequalities for p -convex functions.

$f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a p -convex function and $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $f \in L[a, b]$, then we have

$$(1.3) \quad f\left(\left[\frac{a^p + b^p}{2}\right]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq \frac{p}{b^p - a^p} \int_a^b \frac{f(x)}{x^{1-p}} dx \leq \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2}.$$

For some results related to p -convex functions and its generalizations, we refer the reader to see now [3, 9, 22, 21, 28].

In [22, Lemma 2.4], if we take $I \subset (0, \infty)$ and $p \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$, then we have the following Lemma.

Lemma 1.1. *Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on I° and $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $f' \in L[a, b]$, then we have,*

$$(1.4) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{p}{b^p - a^p} \int_b^a \frac{f(x)}{x^{1-p}} dx \\ &= \frac{p}{b^p - a^p} \int_0^1 \frac{1 - 2t}{[ta^p + (1 - t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} f' \left([ta^p + (1 - t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) dt. \end{aligned}$$

We recall the following special functions and inequality.(see [16, 27])

(1) The Gamma Function:

The Gamma Γ function is defined by

$$\Gamma(z) = \Gamma(\alpha) = \int_0^\infty e^{-t} t^{\alpha-1} dt$$

for all complex numbers z with $\text{Re}(z) > 0$, respectively. The gamma function is a natural extension of the factorial from integers n to real (and complex) numbers z .

(2) The Beta Function:

$$\beta(x, y) = \frac{\Gamma(x)\Gamma(y)}{\Gamma(x + y)} = \int_0^1 t^{x-1} (1 - t)^{y-1} dt, \quad x, y > 0,$$

(3) The Hypergeometric Function

$${}_2F_1(a, b; c, z) = \frac{1}{\beta(b, c - b)} \int_0^1 t^{b-1} (1 - t)^{c-b-1} (1 - zt)^{-a} dt, \quad c > b > 0, |z| < 1.$$

Lemma 1.2. [24, 29] *For $0 < \alpha < 1$ and $0 \leq a < b$, we have*

$$|a^\alpha - b^\alpha| \leq (b - a)^\alpha.$$

Definition 1.4. Let $[a, b]$ be a finite interval on the real axis \mathbb{R} and $f \in L[a, b]$. The Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals $J_{a^+}^\alpha f$ and $J_{b^-}^\alpha f$ of order $\alpha > 0$ are defined by

$$\begin{aligned} J_{a^+}^\alpha f(x) &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_a^x (x - t)^{\alpha-1} f(t) dt, \quad x > a, \\ J_{b^-}^\alpha f(x) &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_x^b (t - x)^{\alpha-1} f(t) dt, \quad x < b \end{aligned}$$

respectively.(see [16])

In [26] Sarıkaya et al. proved the following theorem for Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals.

Theorem 1.1. *Let $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a positive function with $0 \leq a < b$ and $f \in L_1[a, b]$. If f is convex function on $[a, b]$, then the following inequality for fractional integrals holds:*

$$(1.5) \quad f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \leq \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^\alpha} [J_{a^+}^\alpha f(b) + J_{b^-}^\alpha f(a)] \leq \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2}$$

with $\alpha > 0$.

Definition 1.5. [17] Let the space $X_c^p(a, b)$ ($c \in \mathbb{R}$, $1 \leq p \leq \infty$) of those complex-valued Lebesgue measurable functions f on $[a, b]$ for which $\|f\|_{X_c^p} < \infty$, where the norm is defined by,

$$(1.6) \quad \|f\|_{X_c^p} = \left(\int_a^b |t^c f(t)|^p \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{1/p} < \infty$$

for $1 \leq p \leq \infty$, $c \in \mathbb{R}$ and for the case $p = \infty$,

$$(1.7) \quad \|f\|_{X_c^p} = \text{ess sup}_{a \leq t \leq b} [t^c |f(t)|] \quad (c \in \mathbb{R}).$$

Katugampola introduced a new fractional which generalizes the Riemann-Liouville and the Hadamard fractional integrals into a single form as follows.(see [13, 14, 15])

Definition 1.6. Let $[a, b] \subset \mathbb{R}$ be a finite interval. Then, the left-and right-side Katugampola fractional integrals of order ($\alpha > 0$) of $f \in X_c^p(a, b)$ are defined by

$${}^p I_{a^+}^\alpha f(x) = \frac{p^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_a^x \frac{t^{p-1}}{(x^p - t^p)^{1-\alpha}} f(t) dt \quad \text{and} \quad {}^p I_{b^-}^\alpha f(x) = \frac{p^{1-\alpha}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_x^b \frac{t^{p-1}}{(t^p - x^p)^{1-\alpha}} f(t) dt$$

with $a < x < b$ and $p > 0$, if the integral exists.

For more detailed information about fractional integrals and their applications, we refer the reader to see [4, 5, 2, 20, 23, 25, 19]

The aim of this paper is to establish some new Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for p -convex function via Katugampola fractional integral.

2. Main Results

Let $f : I \subset (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on I° , the interior of I , throughout this section,

$$K_f(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{p^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} [{}^p I_{a^+}^\alpha f(b) + {}^p I_{b^-}^\alpha f(a)]$$

will be taken, where $a, b \in I$, $\alpha > 0$ and Γ is Euler Gamma function.

Theorem 2.1. Let $f : I \subset (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a p -convex function, $p > 0$, $\alpha > 0$ and $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$. If $f \in L[a, b]$, then the following inequality for fractional integrals holds:

$$(2.1) \quad f\left(\left[\frac{a^p + b^p}{2}\right]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq \frac{p^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} [{}^p I_{a^+}^\alpha f(b) + {}^p I_{b^-}^\alpha f(a)] \leq \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2}.$$

Proof. Since f is p -convex function on $[a, b]$, we have for all $x, y \in [a, b]$ (with $t = \frac{1}{2}$ in 1.2)

$$f\left(\left[\frac{x^p + y^p}{2}\right]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq \frac{f(x) + f(y)}{2}.$$

By choosing $x = [ta^p + (1 - t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}$ and $y = [(1 - t)a^p + tb^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}$, then we get

$$(2.2) \quad 2f\left(\left[\frac{a^p + b^p}{2}\right]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq f\left([ta^p + (1 - t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) + f\left([(1 - t)a^p + tb^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right).$$

Multiplying both sides of the inequality of (2.2) by $t^{\alpha-1}$ and then integrating the resulting inequality with respect to t over $[0, 1]$, then we obtain,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2}{\alpha} f\left(\left[\frac{a^p + b^p}{2}\right]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) &\leq \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} f\left([ta^p + (1 - t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) dt \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} f\left([(1 - t)a^p + tb^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) dt \\ &= \int_b^a \left(\frac{b^p - x^p}{b^p - a^p}\right)^{\alpha-1} f(x) \frac{px^{p-1}}{a^p - b^p} dx \\ &\quad + \int_a^b \left(\frac{x^p - a^p}{b^p - a^p}\right)^{\alpha-1} f(x) \frac{px^{p-1}}{b^p - a^p} dx \\ &= \frac{p^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha)}{(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} [{}^p I_{a^+}^\alpha f(b) + {}^p I_{b^-}^\alpha f(a)]. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we have

$$f\left(\left[\frac{a^p + b^p}{2}\right]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq \frac{p^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} [{}^p I_{a^+}^\alpha f(b) + {}^p I_{b^-}^\alpha f(a)],$$

which completes the proof of the the first inequality. For the proof of the second inequality in (2.1), by using p -convexity of a function f , we can write,

$$f\left([ta^p + (1 - t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq tf(a) + (1 - t)f(b),$$

and

$$f\left(\left[(1-t)a^p + tb^p\right]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq (1-t)f(a) + tf(b).$$

By adding these inequalities, then we have,

$$(2.3) \quad f\left(\left[ta^p + (1-t)b^p\right]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) + f\left(\left[(1-t)a^p + tb^p\right]^{\frac{1}{p}}\right) \leq f(a) + f(b).$$

Multiplying both sides of the equation (2.3) by $t^{\alpha-1}$, $\alpha > 0$ and then integrating the resulting inequality with t over $[0, 1]$, we similarly obtain,

$$\frac{p^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} [{}^p I_{a^+}^\alpha f(b) + {}^p I_{b^-}^\alpha f(a)] \leq \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2}.$$

So the proof is completed. \square

Remark 2.1. In Theorem 2.1, if we take $p = 1$, then the inequality reduces to the inequality (1.5).

Remark 2.2. In Theorem 2.1, if we take $\alpha = 1$, then the inequality reduces to the inequality (1.3).

Lemma 2.1. Let $f : I \subset (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function mapping with $0 \leq a < b$. If f' is differentiable on $[a, b]$, then the following inequality holds:

$$(2.4) \quad K_f(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \int_0^1 \frac{[(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha] f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right)}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt.$$

Proof. Let $M_p = ta^p + (1-t)b^p$. It suffices to note that

$$\begin{aligned} & K_f(\alpha, a, b) \\ &= \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \int_0^1 \frac{[(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha] f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right)}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\ (2.5) \quad &= \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \int_0^1 \frac{(1-t)^\alpha f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right)}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\ &\quad - \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \int_0^1 \frac{t^\alpha f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right)}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\ &= I_1 + I_2. \end{aligned}$$

By integrating the part, we have,

$$(2.6) \quad I_1 = -\frac{1}{2} \left[\begin{array}{l} (1-t)^{\alpha-1} f \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \Big|_0^1 \\ + \alpha \int_0^1 (1-t)^{\alpha-1} f \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) dt \end{array} \right],$$

if we take $x = [ta^p + (1 - t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= -\frac{1}{2} \left[-f(b) + \frac{p\alpha}{(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} \int_a^b \frac{(x^p - a^p)^{\alpha-1}}{x^{1-p}} f(x) dx \right] \\ &= \frac{f(b)}{2} - \frac{p\alpha}{2(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} \int_a^b \frac{(x^p - a^p)^{\alpha-1}}{x^{1-p}} f(x) dx \\ &= \frac{f(b)}{2} - \frac{p^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} [{}^p I_{b^-}^\alpha f(a)] \end{aligned}$$

and similarly we get I_2 ,

(2.7)

$$\begin{aligned} I_2 &= \frac{1}{2} \left[t^{\alpha-1} f \left([ta^p + (1 - t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \Big|_0^1 + \alpha \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} f \left([ta^p + (1 - t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) dt \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[-f(a) - \frac{p\alpha}{(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} \int_a^b \frac{(b^p - x^p)^{\alpha-1}}{x^{1-p}} f(x) dx \right] \\ &= \frac{f(a)}{2} - \frac{p\alpha}{2(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} \int_a^b \frac{(b^p - x^p)^{\alpha-1}}{x^{1-p}} f(x) dx \\ &= \frac{f(a)}{2} - \frac{p^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2(b^p - a^p)^\alpha} [{}^p I_{a^+}^\alpha f(b)]. \end{aligned}$$

By adding the results of (2.6) and (2.7) side by side in the equation (2.6), we obtain the inequality (2.4). This completes the proof. \square

Remark 2.3. Also in the equation (2.4) of Lemma (2.1), if we take specially $\alpha = 1$, then the inequality reduces to the equation (1.4).

By using Lemma 2.1, we can have the following fractional inequality.

Theorem 2.2. Let $f : I \subset (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $I^\circ, a, b \in I$ with $a < b, p > 0$, and $f' \in L[a, b]$. If $|f'|^q$ is p -convex on $[a, b]$ for $q \geq 1$ then the following inequality for fractional integrals holds:

(2.8)

$$|K_f(\alpha, a, b)| \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} M_1^{1-1/q}(\alpha, a, b) [M_2(\alpha, a, b) |f'(a)|^q + M_3(\alpha, a, b) |f'(b)|^q]^{1/q}$$

where

$$M_1(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha + 1} \left[{}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) + {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha + 1; \alpha + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
M_2(\alpha, a, b) &= \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha+2} \left[\begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{\alpha+1} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 2; \alpha+3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha+2; \alpha+3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \end{array} \right] \\
M_3(\alpha, a, b) &= \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha+1} \left[\begin{array}{l} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha+3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + \frac{1}{\alpha+1} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha+1; \alpha+3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \end{array} \right].
\end{aligned}$$

Proof. From Lemma 2.1 by using the property of the modulus, the power mean inequality and the p -convexity of $|f'|^q$, then we have,

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.9) \quad & |K_f(\alpha, a, b)| \\
& \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha| \left| f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \right|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\
& \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left(\int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \right)^{1-1/q} \\
& \quad \times \left(\int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha| \left| f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \right|^q}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \right)^{1/q} \\
& \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left(\int_0^1 \frac{[(1-t)^\alpha + t^\alpha]}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \right)^{1-1/q} \\
& \quad \times \left(\int_0^1 \frac{[(1-t)^\alpha + t^\alpha]}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} [t|f'(a)|^q + (1-t)t|f'(b)|^q] dt \right)^{1/q} \\
(2.10) \quad & = \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} M_1^{1-1/q}(\alpha, a, b) [M_2(\alpha, a, b) |f'(a)|^q + M_3(\alpha, a, b) |f'(b)|^q]^{1/q},
\end{aligned}$$

where, by simple computation, we obtain,

$$\begin{aligned}
(2.11) \quad M_1(\alpha, a, b) &= \int_0^1 \frac{[(1-t)^\alpha + t^\alpha]}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\
&= \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha+1} \left[\begin{array}{l} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha+2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha+1; \alpha+2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \end{array} \right] \\
M_2(\alpha, a, b) &= \int_0^1 \frac{[(1-t)^\alpha + t^\alpha]}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} t dt
\end{aligned}$$

$$(2.12) \quad = \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha + 2} \left[\begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{\alpha+1} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 2; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha + 2; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \end{array} \right]$$

$$(2.13) \quad M_3(\alpha, a, b) = \int_0^1 \frac{[(1-t)^\alpha + t^\alpha]}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} (1-t) dt$$

$$= \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha + 1} \left[\begin{array}{l} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + \frac{1}{\alpha+1} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha + 1; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \end{array} \right].$$

Then by using the results from the equations (2.11)-(2.13) in the equation (2.10), we have desired result (2.9). This completes the proof. \square

Remark 2.4. If we specially take $\alpha = 1$, in inequality 2.9, then the inequality reduces to [22, Theorem 3.2].

When $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ by using Lemma 1.2 and Lemma 2.1, we have another fractional integral inequality for p convex functions as follows.

Theorem 2.3. Let $f : I \subset (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $I^\circ, a, b \in I$ with $a < b, p > 0$, and $f' \in L[a, b]$. If $|f'|^q$ is p -convex on $[a, b]$ for $q \geq 1$, then the following inequality for fractional integrals holds:

$$(2.14) \quad |K_f(\alpha, a, b)| \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2^p} M_4^{1-1/q}(\alpha, a, b) [M_5(\alpha, a, b) |f'(a)|^q + M_6(\alpha, a, b) |f'(b)|^q]^{1/q}$$

where

$$M_4(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha + 1} \left[\begin{array}{l} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha + 1; \alpha + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ - {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 2; \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \right) \end{array} \right]$$

$$M_5(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha + 2} \left[\begin{array}{l} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha + 2; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ - \frac{1}{\alpha+1} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 2; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + \frac{1}{2(\alpha+1)} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 2; \alpha + 3; \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \right) \end{array} \right]$$

$$M_6(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha + 2} \left[\begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{\alpha+1} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha + 1; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ - {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 2; \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \right) \\ - \frac{1}{2(\alpha+1)} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 2; \alpha + 3; \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \right) \end{array} \right]$$

and $0 < \alpha \leq 1$.

Proof. From Lemma 2.1 using the property of the modulus, the power mean inequality and the p -convexity of $|f'|^q$, we have,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & |K_f(\alpha, a, b)| \\
 (2.15) \leq & \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha| \left| f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \right|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\
 & \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left(\int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \right)^{1-1/q} \\
 & \quad \times \left(\int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha| \left| f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \right|^q}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \right)^{1/q} \\
 (2.16) & \\
 & \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left(\int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \right)^{1-1/q} \\
 & \quad \times \left(\int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} [t|f'(a)|^q + (1-t)t|f'(b)|^q] dt \right)^{1/q} \\
 (2.17) = & \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} K_4^{1-1/q}(\alpha, a, b) [K_5(\alpha, a, b)|f'(a)|^q + K_6(\alpha, a, b)|f'(b)|^q]^{1/q},
 \end{aligned}$$

where by using Lemma 1.2 and by simple calculations of integrals, we obtain,

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_4 &= \int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\
 &= \int_0^{1/2} \frac{(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt + \int_{1/2}^1 \frac{t^\alpha - (1-t)^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\
 &= \int_0^1 \frac{t^\alpha - (1-t)^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt + 2 \int_0^{1/2} \frac{(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\
 &\leq \int_0^1 \frac{t^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt - \int_0^1 \frac{(1-t)^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\
 &\quad + 2 \int_0^{1/2} \frac{(1-2t)^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.18) \quad = M_4(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha + 1} \left[\begin{array}{l} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha + 1; \alpha + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) - \\ {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 2; \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \right) \end{array} \right],$$

$$\begin{aligned} K_5 &= \int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} t dt \\ &\leq \int_0^1 \frac{t^{\alpha+1}}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt - \int_0^1 \frac{(1-t)^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} t dt \\ &\quad + 2 \int_0^{1/2} \frac{(1-2t)^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} t dt \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.19) \quad = M_5(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha + 2} \left[\begin{array}{l} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha + 2; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ - \frac{1}{\alpha+1} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 2; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + \frac{1}{2(\alpha+1)} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 2; \alpha + 3; \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \right) \end{array} \right],$$

$$\begin{aligned} K_6 &= \int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} (1-t) dt \\ &\leq \int_0^1 \frac{t^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} (1-t) dt - \int_0^1 \frac{(1-t)^{\alpha+1}}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\ &\quad + 2 \int_0^{1/2} \frac{(1-2t)^\alpha}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} (1-t) dt \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.20) \quad = M_6(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{1-p}}{\alpha + 2} \left[\begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{\alpha+1} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, \alpha + 1; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ - {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 3; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \\ + {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 1; \alpha + 2; \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \right) \\ - \frac{1}{2(\alpha+1)} {}_2F_1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}, 2; \alpha + 3; \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right) \right) \end{array} \right].$$

Then by using the results from the equations (2.18)-(2.20), we have the desired inequality (2.15). This completes the proof. \square

Theorem 2.4. Let $f : I \subset (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on I° , $a, b \in I$ with $a < b$, $p > 0$, and $f' \in L[a, b]$. If $|f'|^q$ is p -convex on $[a, b]$ for $q \geq 1$, then the following inequality for fractional integrals holds:

$$(2.21) |K_f(\alpha, a, b)| \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} M_7^{1/r}(\alpha, a, b) \left(\frac{1}{\alpha q + 1} \right)^{1/q} \left(\frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right)^{1/q}$$

where

$$M_7(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{1-p}}{2} {}_2F_1 \left(r - \frac{r}{p}, 1; 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right)$$

and $1/r + 1/q = 1$.

Proof. From Lemma 1.2 and Lemma 2.1, by using the property of the modulus, the Hölder inequality and the p -convexity of $|f'|^q$, we obtain,

$$\begin{aligned} & |K_f(\alpha, a, b)| \\ & \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha| \left| f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \right|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\ & \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left(\int_0^1 \frac{1}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{r-\frac{r}{p}}} dt \right)^{1/r} \\ & \quad \times \left(\int_0^1 |(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha|^q \left| f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{1/q} \\ (2.22) \quad & \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left(\int_0^1 \frac{1}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{r-\frac{r}{p}}} dt \right)^{1/r} \\ & \quad \times \left(\int_0^1 |1-2t|^{\alpha q} [t|f'(a)|^q + (1-t)t|f'(b)|^q] dt \right)^{1/q} \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.23) \quad = \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} M_7^{1/r}(\alpha, a, b) \left(\frac{1}{\alpha q + 1} \right)^{1/q} \left(\frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right)^{1/q},$$

after calculations of integrals in the inequality (2.21) as follows,

$$(2.24) M_7(\alpha, a, b) = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{r-\frac{r}{p}}} dt = \frac{b^{1-p}}{2} {}_2F_1 \left(r - \frac{r}{p}, 1; 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right)$$

$$(2.25) \quad \int_0^1 |1 - 2t|^{\alpha q} t dt = \int_0^{1/2} (1 - 2t)^{\alpha q} t dt + \int_{1/2}^1 (2t - 1)^{\alpha q} t dt = \frac{1}{2(\alpha q + 1)}$$

$$(2.26) \quad \int_0^1 |1 - 2t|^{\alpha q} (1 - t) dt = \frac{1}{2(\alpha q + 1)}.$$

Then by using the results from the equations (2.24)-(2.26) in the equation (2.23), then we have the desired result (2.21). This completes the proof. \square

Theorem 2.5. *Let $f : I \subset (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on $I^\circ, a, b \in I$ with $a < b, p > 0$, and $f' \in L[a, b]$. If $|f'|^q$ is p -convex on $[a, b]$ for $q \geq 1$, then the following inequality for fractional integrals holds:*

$$(2.27) \quad |K_f(\alpha, a, b)| \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left(M_8^{1/r}(\alpha, a, b) + M_9^{1/r}(\alpha, a, b) \right) \left(\frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right)^{1/q}$$

where

$$M_8(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{(1-p)r}}{\alpha p + 1} F_1 \left(r - \frac{r}{p}, 1; \alpha r + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right)$$

$$M_9(\alpha, a, b) = \frac{b^{(1-p)r}}{\alpha p + 1} F_1 \left(r - \frac{r}{p}, \alpha r + 1; \alpha r + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p} \right)$$

and $1/r + 1/q = 1$.

Proof. From Lemma 2.1, by using the property of the modulus, the Hölder inequality and the p -convexity of $|f'|^q$, then we obtain,

$$(2.28) \quad \begin{aligned} & |K_f(\alpha, a, b)| \\ & \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \int_0^1 \frac{|(1-t)^\alpha - t^\alpha| \left| f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \right|}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}} dt \\ & \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \left(\int_0^1 \frac{(1-t)^{\alpha r}}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{r-\frac{r}{p}}} dt \right)^{1/r} \left(\int_0^1 \left| f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & + \left(\int_0^1 \frac{t^{\alpha r}}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{r-\frac{r}{p}}} dt \right)^{1/r} \left(\int_0^1 \left| f' \left([ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \right) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \end{aligned} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.29) \quad \leq \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left(M_8^{1/r}(\alpha, a, b) + M_9^{1/r}(\alpha, a, b) \right) \left(\int_0^1 t |f'(a)|^q + (1-t) |f'(b)|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

$$= \frac{b^p - a^p}{2p} \left(M_8^{1/r}(\alpha, a, b) + M_9^{1/r}(\alpha, a, b) \right) \left(\frac{|f'(a)|^q + |f'(b)|^q}{2} \right)^{1/q},$$

after calculations of integrals in the inequality (2.28) as follows,

(2.30)

$$M_8(\alpha, a, b) = \int_0^1 \frac{(1-t)^{\alpha r}}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{r-\frac{r}{p}}} dt = \frac{b^{(1-p)r}}{\alpha p + 1} {}_2F_1\left(r - \frac{r}{p}, 1; \alpha r + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p}\right)$$

(2.31)

$$M_9(\alpha, a, b) = \int_0^1 \frac{t^{\alpha r}}{[ta^p + (1-t)b^p]^{r-\frac{r}{p}}} dt = \frac{b^{(1-p)r}}{\alpha p + 1} {}_2F_1\left(r - \frac{r}{p}, \alpha r + 1; \alpha r + 2; 1 - \frac{a^p}{b^p}\right).$$

Then by using the results from the equations (2.31)-(2.32) in the equation (2.29), then we have the desired inequality (2.28). This completes the proof. \square

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