



Fejér-Type Inequalities for Lipschitzian Functions and their Applications

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Abstract. In this paper, we shall establish some Fejér-type inequalities for L -Lipschitzian functions. These inequalities can connect with Fejér inequality (1). Also, some applications to convex function, γ -th moment, mathematical expectation of a random variable and Euler's Beta function are provided.

1. Introduction

Throughout this paper, let $I := [a, b]$ in \mathbb{R} with $a < b$.
The inequality

$$f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_a^b g(s) ds \leq \int_a^b f(s)g(s) ds \leq \frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2} \int_a^b g(s) ds \quad (1)$$

which holds for all convex functions $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and integrable, symmetric functions $g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+ \cup \{0\}$ is known as Fejér inequality [4]. If we choose $g(s) \equiv 1$, then inequality (1) reduces to Hermite-Hadamard inequality [5].

Recently, many authors improved, generalized and extended Hermite-Hadamard and Fejér inequalities (see [1]-[3], [6], [9], [10], [13] and [15]-[18]) or applied them to other inequalities (see [7], [8], [11], [12] and [14]).

The followings are the theorems we interest:

In [17, Theorem 5-6, Remark 6] and [18, Theorem 1], Yang and Tseng offered the following three theorems which refined (1).

Theorem 1.1. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be convex and let $g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+ \cup \{0\}$ be integrable and symmetric about $\frac{a+b}{2}$. If $P_g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by

$$P_g(s) := \int_a^b f\left(sx + (1-s)\frac{a+b}{2}\right)g(x) dx, \quad (2)$$

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then P_g is convex, increasing on $[0, 1]$ and , for all $s \in [0, 1]$,

$$f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_a^b g(x) dx = P_g(0) \leq P_g(s) \leq P_g(1) = \int_a^b f(x) g(x) dx.$$

Theorem 1.2. Let f, g be defined as Theorem 1.1. If $Q_g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by

$$Q_g(s) : = \frac{1}{2} \int_a^b \left[f\left(\left(\frac{1+s}{2}\right)a + \left(\frac{1-s}{2}\right)x\right) g\left(\frac{a+x}{2}\right) f\left(\left(\frac{1+s}{2}\right)b + \left(\frac{1-s}{2}\right)x\right) g\left(\frac{b+x}{2}\right) \right] dx, \tag{3}$$

then Q_g is convex, increasing on $[0, 1]$ and , for all $s \in [0, 1]$,

$$\int_a^b f(x) g(x) dx = Q_g(0) \leq Q_g(s) \leq Q_g(1) = \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} \int_a^b g(x) dx.$$

Theorem 1.3. Let f, g be defined as Theorem 1.1. If $G_g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by

$$G_g(s) := \frac{1}{\int_a^b g(x) dx} \int_a^b \int_a^b f(sx + (1-s)y) g(x) g(y) dx dy \tag{4}$$

then we obtain the following results:

(1) G_g is convex on $[0, 1]$, symmetric about $\frac{1}{2}$, decreasing on $\left[0, \frac{1}{2}\right]$ and increasing on $\left[\frac{1}{2}, 1\right]$,

$$\sup_{s \in [0,1]} G_g(s) = G_g(0) = G_g(1) = \int_a^b f(x) g(x) dx$$

and

$$\inf_{s \in [0,1]} G_g(s) = G_g\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{\int_a^b g(x) dx} \int_a^b \int_a^b f\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right) g(x) g(y) dx dy$$

(2)

$$P_g(s) \leq G_g(s) \quad (s \in (0, 1)).$$

Besides, Dragomir et al. [2] and Matić and Pečarić [9] provided the following theorem where are Hadamard-type inequalities for L -Lipschitzian functions.

Theorem 1.4. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a L -Lipschitzian function on the interval I of real numbers. Then we have

$$\left| \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{L(b-a)}{4} \tag{5}$$

and

$$\left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{L(b-a)}{4}. \tag{6}$$

Remark 1.5.

- (1) In Theorem 1.1, let $g(x) \equiv 1$. Then Theorem 1.1 reduces to [1, Theorem 1].
- (2) In Theorem 1.2, let $g(x) \equiv 1$. Then Theorem 1.2 reduces to [16, Theorem 1-2].
- (3) In Theorem 1.3, let $g(x) \equiv \frac{1}{b-a}$. Then Theorem 1.3 reduces to [1, Theorem 2].

The aim of this paper is to establish some Fejér-type inequalities for Lipschitzian functions through mappings (2), (3) and (4). The study results can generalize inequalities (5) and (6). Besides, some applications to convex function, γ -th moment, mathematical expectation of a random variable and Euler’s Beta function are presented afterwards.

2. Main Results

Throughout this section, let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a L -Lipschitzian function on I . For all $u, v \in I$, we have

$$|f(u) - f(v)| \leq L|u - v|$$

where L is positive constant.

In order to prove our main results, let us consider the following lemma.

Lemma 2.1. *Let $g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+ \cup \{0\}$ be integrable, nondecreasing on $[a, \eta]$ and nonincreasing on $(\eta, b]$. Then, we have*

$$\int_a^b s(x)g(x) dx \leq \frac{2\gamma - \eta - a}{2} \int_a^\eta g(x) dx + \frac{b + \eta - 2\delta}{2} \int_\eta^b g(x) dx \tag{7}$$

where

$$s(x) := \begin{cases} \gamma - x, & \text{if } \gamma \geq x, x \in [a, \eta] \\ x - \delta, & \text{if } x \geq \delta, x \in (\eta, b] \end{cases} .$$

Proof. Let $x \in [a, \eta]$. Since $g(x)$ is nondecreasing on $[a, \eta]$,

$$\int_a^x g(t) dt \quad (x \in [a, \eta])$$

is a convex function, whence

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_a^\eta (\gamma - x)g(x) dx & (8) \\ & \leq (\gamma - \eta) \int_a^\eta g(x) dx + \frac{1}{\eta - a} \int_a^\eta \left[(x - a) \int_a^\eta g(t) dt \right] dx \\ & = \frac{2\gamma - \eta - a}{2} \int_a^\eta g(x) dx. \end{aligned}$$

Now let $x \in (\eta, b]$. Similarly, we have

$$\int_\eta^b (x - \delta)g(x) dx \leq \frac{b + \eta - 2\delta}{2} \int_\eta^b g(x) dx. \tag{9}$$

Inequality (7) follows from inequalities (8) and (9). This completes the proof. \square

Now, we are ready to state and prove the main inequalities of Fejér’s type.

Theorem 2.2. *Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ satisfy L -Lipschitzian condition and $g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+ \cup \{0\}$ be integrable, nondecreasing on $\left[a, \frac{a+b}{2} \right]$ and symmetric about $\frac{a+b}{2}$. Then we obtain*

- (1) *The mapping P_g is α -Lipschitzian on $[0, 1]$.*
- (2) *We have the inequalities:*

$$\left| P_g(t) - \int_a^b f(x)g(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{1-t}{2}L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx, \tag{10}$$

$$\left| P_g(t) - f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_a^b g(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{t}{2}L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \tag{11}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P_g(t) - t \int_a^b f(x)g(x)dx - (1-t)f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_a^b g(x)dx \right| \\ & \leq \frac{t(1-t)}{2}L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x)dx \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

for all $t \in [0, 1]$, where $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x)dx$ and P_g is defined by (2).

Proof. (1) Since $u, v \in [0, 1]$ and f satisfies L -Lipschitzian condition, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & |P_g(u) - P_g(v)| \\ & \leq \int_a^b \left| f\left(ux + (1-u)\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - f\left(vx + (1-v)\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| g(x)dx \\ & \leq \int_a^b L|u-v| \left| \frac{a+b}{2} - x \right| g(x)dx = J. \end{aligned}$$

Now, by using g which is symmetric about $\frac{a+b}{2}$ and Lemma 2.1, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} J & = 2L|u-v| \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - x\right)g(x)dx \\ & \leq \frac{L}{2}(b-a) \left(\int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x)dx \right) |u-v|. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, for all $u, v \in [0, 1]$, we get

$$|P_g(u) - P_g(v)| \leq \frac{L}{2}(b-a) \left(\int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x)dx \right) |u-v|, \quad (13)$$

which yields that mapping P_g is α -Lipschitzian on $[0, 1]$.

(2) Inequalities (10) and (11) follow from (13) by choosing $u = t, v = 1$ and $u = t, v = 0$ respectively. Inequality (12) follows by adding t times (10) and $(1-t)$ times (11). This completes the proof. \square

Remark 2.3. In (13), let $u = 1, v = 0$ and $g(x) \equiv 1 (x \in I)$. Then inequality (13) reduces to (6) which was proved by Matić and Pečarić [9].

Theorem 2.2 implies the following corollary which is important in applications for convex function:

Corollary 2.4. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable convex mapping on I and $L = \sup_{x \in [a,b]} |f'(x)| < \infty$. Then we have the inequalities:

$$0 \leq \int_a^b f(x)g(x)dx - P_g(t) \leq \frac{1-t}{2}L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x)dx, \quad (14)$$

and

$$0 \leq P_g(t) - f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_a^b g(x)dx \leq \frac{t}{2}L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x)dx \quad (15)$$

for all $t \in [0, 1]$.

Theorem 2.5. Let f, g and α be defined as Theorem 2.2. Then we have

(1) The mapping Q_g is α -Lipschitzian on $[0, 1]$.

(2) We have the inequalities:

$$\left| Q_g(t) - \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} \int_a^b g(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{1-t}{2} L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx, \tag{16}$$

$$\left| Q_g(t) - \int_a^b f(x) g(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{t}{2} L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \tag{17}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| Q_g(t) - t \int_a^b f(x) g(x) dx - (1-t) \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} \int_a^b g(x) dx \right| \\ & \leq \frac{t(1-t)}{2} L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

for all $t \in [0, 1]$ and Q_g is defined by (3).

Proof. (1) Since $u, v \in [0, 1]$ and f satisfies L -Lipschitzian condition, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & |Q_g(u) - Q_g(v)| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \int_a^b \left[\left| f\left(\frac{1+u}{2}a + \frac{1-u}{2}x\right) - f\left(\frac{1+v}{2}a + \frac{1-v}{2}x\right) \right| g\left(\frac{a+x}{2}\right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left| f\left(\frac{1+u}{2}b + \frac{1-u}{2}x\right) - f\left(\frac{1+v}{2}b + \frac{1-v}{2}x\right) \right| g\left(\frac{x+b}{2}\right) \right] dx \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \int_a^b \left[L \left| \frac{u-v}{2}a + \frac{v-u}{2}x \right| g\left(\frac{a+x}{2}\right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + L \left| \frac{u-v}{2}b + \frac{v-u}{2}x \right| g\left(\frac{x+b}{2}\right) \right] dx \\ & = J_1 + J_2. \end{aligned}$$

By utilising g which is symmetric about $\frac{a+b}{2}$ and Lemma 2.1, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & J_1 + J_2 \\ & = \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} L \left| \frac{u-v}{2}a + \frac{v-u}{2}(2x-a) \right| g(x) dx \\ & \quad + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b L \left| \frac{u-v}{2}b + \frac{v-u}{2}(2x-b) \right| g(x) dx \\ & = L|u-v| \left(\int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (x-a) g(x) dx + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b (b-x) g(x) dx \right) \\ & \leq \frac{L|u-v|(b-a)}{2} \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, for all $u, v \in [0, 1]$, we get

$$|Q_g(u) - Q_g(v)| \leq \frac{L}{2} (b-a) \left(\int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \right) |u-v|, \tag{19}$$

which yields that mapping Q_g is α -Lipschitzian on $[0, 1]$.

(2) Inequalities (16) and (17) follow from (19) by choosing $u = t, v = 1$ and $u = t, v = 0$ respectively. Inequality (18) follows by adding t times (16) and $(1 - t)$ times (17). This completes the proof. \square

Remark 2.6. In (19), let $u = 1, v = 0$ and $g(x) \equiv 1 (x \in I)$. Then inequality (19) reduces to (5) which was proved by Dragomir et al. [2].

Theorem 2.5 implies the following corollary which is important in applications for convex function:

Corollary 2.7. Let f and L be defined as Corollary 2.4. Then we have the inequalities:

$$0 \leq \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} \int_a^b g(x) dx - Q_g(t) \leq \frac{1-t}{2} L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \tag{20}$$

and

$$0 \leq Q_g(t) - \int_a^b f(x) g(x) dx \leq \frac{t}{2} L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx, \tag{21}$$

for all $t \in [0, 1]$.

Theorem 2.8. Let f and g be defined as Theorem 2.2. Then we have

(1) The mapping G_g is β -Lipschitzian on $[0, 1]$.

(2) We have the inequalities:

$$\left| G_g(t) - \int_a^b f(x) g(x) dx \right| \leq \frac{7L(b-a)}{8} \max\{t, 1-t\} \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx, \tag{22}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| G_g(t) - \frac{1}{\int_a^b g(x) dx} \int_a^b \int_a^b f\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right) g(x) g(y) dx dy \right| \\ & \leq \frac{7L(b-a)}{16} |2t-1| \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \end{aligned} \tag{23}$$

and

$$|G_g(t) - P_g(t)| \leq \frac{1-t}{2} L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \tag{24}$$

where $\beta = \frac{7L(b-a)}{8} \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx$ and G_g is defined by (4).

Proof. (1) Since $u, v \in [0, 1]$ and f satisfies L -Lipschitzian condition, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & |G_g(u) - G_g(v)| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\int_a^b g(x) dx} \int_a^b \int_a^b |f(ux + (1-u)y) - f(vx + (1-v)y)| g(x) g(y) dx dy \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\int_a^b g(x) dx} L|u-v| \int_a^b \int_a^b |y-x| g(x) g(y) dx dy. \end{aligned}$$

The double integral in the inequality above can be illustrated as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_a^b \int_a^b |y-x| g(x) g(y) dx dy \\ = & \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(y) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} |y-x| g(x) dx dy + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(y) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (y-x) g(x) dx dy \\ & + \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(y) \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b (x-y) g(x) dx dy + \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(y) \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b |y-x| g(x) dx dy \\ = & J_1 + J_2 + J_3 + J_4. \end{aligned}$$

Now, by using Lemma 2.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} J_1 &= \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(y) \left(\int_a^y (y-x) g(x) dx + \int_y^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (x-y) g(x) dx \right) dy & (25) \\ &\leq \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(y) \left(\frac{y-a}{2} \int_a^y g(x) dx + \frac{\frac{a+b}{2}-y}{2} \int_y^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \right) dy \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \\ &\quad \cdot \left(\int_a^{\frac{3a+b}{4}} \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - y \right) g(y) dy + \int_{\frac{3a+b}{4}}^{\frac{a+b}{2}} (y-a) g(y) dy \right) \\ &\leq \frac{3}{8} (b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \cdot \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} J_2 &\leq \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b \left(y - \frac{3a+b}{4} \right) g(y) dy & (26) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{2} \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \cdot \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(x) dx, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} J_3 &\leq \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(x) dx \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} \left(\frac{a+3b}{4} - y \right) g(y) dy & (27) \\ &\leq \frac{b-a}{2} \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(x) dx \cdot \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} J_4 &= \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(y) \left(\int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^y (y-x) g(x) dx + \int_y^b (x-y) g(x) dx \right) dy & (28) \\ &\leq \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(y) \left(\frac{y-\frac{a+b}{2}}{2} \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^y g(x) dx + \frac{b-y}{2} \int_y^b g(x) dx \right) dy \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{1}{2} \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(x) dx \\ &\quad \cdot \left(\int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^{\frac{a+3b}{4}} (b-y) g(y) dy + \int_{\frac{a+3b}{4}}^b \left(y - \frac{a+b}{2}\right) g(y) dy \right) \\ &\leq \frac{3}{8} (b-a) \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(x) dx \cdot \int_{\frac{a+b}{2}}^b g(x) dx. \end{aligned}$$

Then, by using g which is symmetric about $\frac{a+b}{2}$ and inequalities (25)-(28), we obtain:

$$J_1 + J_2 + J_3 + J_4 \leq \frac{7(b-a)}{8} \left(\int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \right)^2.$$

Thus, for all $u, v \in [0, 1]$, we get

$$|G_g(u) - G_g(v)| \leq \frac{7L(b-a)}{8} \left(\int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \right) |u - v| \tag{29}$$

which yields that mapping G_g is β -Lipschitzian on $[0, 1]$.

(2) Inequalities (22) and (23) follow from (29) by choosing $u = t, v = 1$ or 0 and $u = t, v = \frac{1}{2}$ respectively. Now, we shall prove inequality (24). Since f is L -Lipschitzian, we can write

$$\left| f(tx + (1-t)y) - f\left(tx + (1-t)\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \right| \leq L(1-t) \left| y - \frac{a+b}{2} \right| \tag{30}$$

for all $t \in [0, 1]$ and $x, y \in I$. By multiplying inequality (30) by $g(x)g(y)$ and then integrating the result on $I \times I$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \int_a^b \int_a^b f(tx + (1-t)y) g(x) g(y) dx dy \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \int_a^b g(y) dy \int_a^b f\left(tx + (1-t)\frac{a+b}{2}\right) g(x) dx \right| \\ &\leq L(1-t) \int_a^b g(x) dx \int_a^b \left| y - \frac{a+b}{2} \right| g(y) dy. \end{aligned}$$

Note that, by Lemma 2.1, we get

$$\int_a^b \left| y - \frac{a+b}{2} \right| g(y) dy \leq \frac{b-a}{2} \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(y) dy.$$

Therefore, we can get

$$|G_g(t) - P_g(t)| \leq \frac{1-t}{2} L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx$$

for all $t \in [0, 1]$ which proves inequality (24). This completes the proof. \square

Theorem 2.8 implies the following corollary which is important in applications for convex function:

Corollary 2.9. Let f and L be defined as Corollary 2.4. Then we have the inequalities:

$$0 \leq \int_a^b f(x)g(x) dx - G_g(t) \leq \frac{7L(b-a)}{8} \max\{t, 1-t\} \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx, \tag{31}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\leq G_g(t) - \frac{1}{\int_a^b g(x) dx} \int_a^b \int_a^b f\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right)g(x)g(y) dx dy \\ &\leq \frac{7L(b-a)}{16} |2t-1| \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \end{aligned} \tag{32}$$

and

$$0 \leq G_g(t) - P_g(t) \leq \frac{1-t}{2} L(b-a) \int_a^{\frac{a+b}{2}} g(x) dx \tag{33}$$

for all $t \in [0, 1]$.

3. Applications

In this section, we apply our results to γ -th moment of a random variable and Euler’s Beta function.

3.1. The Applications to γ -th Moment of a Random Variable

Throughout this subsection, let $0 < a < b$, $\gamma \geq 0$ and let X be a continuous random variable having the continuous probability density function $g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+ \cup \{0\}$ which is nondecreasing on $\left[a, \frac{a+b}{2}\right]$, symmetric about $\frac{a+b}{2}$, and then γ -th moment of X about the origin is defined as follows.

$$E_\gamma(X) = \int_a^b u^\gamma g(u) du$$

which is assumed to be finite.

To prove the results of this section, we need the following lemma [6, Lemma 1].

Lemma 3.1. Let $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be differentiable with $\|f'\|_\infty < \infty$. Then f is L -Lipschitzian function on $[a, b]$ where $L = \|f'\|_\infty$.

Now, we present some applications of our result to γ -th moment of a random variable.

Proposition 3.2. The inequality

$$\left| E_\gamma(X) - (1-\delta) \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)^\gamma - \delta \left(\frac{a^\gamma + b^\gamma}{2}\right) \right| \leq \frac{\gamma b^{\gamma-1}}{4} (b-a) \tag{34}$$

holds, for $\gamma \geq 0$, $0 \leq \delta \leq 1$ and $0 < a < b$.

Proof. Let $f(x) = x^\gamma$ ($x \in I, \gamma \geq 0$), we observe that $\|f'\|_\infty = \gamma b^{\gamma-1}$ in Lemma 3.1. Since

$$\int_a^b f(x)g(x) dx = E_\gamma(X), \quad \int_a^b g(x) dx = 1$$

and

$$f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \int_a^b g(x) dx = \left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)^\gamma, \quad \frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2} \int_a^b g(x) dx = \frac{a^\gamma + b^\gamma}{2}.$$

The result follows immediately from inequalities (13) and (19). \square

Remark 3.3. In Proposition 3.2, let $\delta = 0$ and $\delta = 1$. Then we have

$$\left| E_\gamma(X) - \left(\frac{a+b}{2} \right)^\gamma \right| \leq \frac{\gamma b^{\gamma-1}}{4} (b-a) \quad (35)$$

and

$$\left| E_\gamma(X) - \frac{a^\gamma + b^\gamma}{2} \right| \leq \frac{\gamma b^{\gamma-1}}{4} (b-a) \quad (36)$$

holds, for $\gamma \geq 0, 0 < a < b$.

Remark 3.4. In Proposition 3.2, let $\delta = 1/2$ and $\delta = 1/3$. Then we have

$$\left| E_\gamma(X) - \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{a^\gamma + b^\gamma}{2} + \left(\frac{a+b}{2} \right)^\gamma \right] \right| \leq \frac{\gamma b^{\gamma-1}}{4} (b-a) \quad (37)$$

$$\left| E_\gamma(X) - \frac{1}{6} \left[a^\gamma + 4 \left(\frac{a+b}{2} \right)^\gamma + b^\gamma \right] \right| \leq \frac{\gamma b^{\gamma-1}}{4} (b-a) \quad (38)$$

holds, for $\gamma \geq 0, 0 < a < b$.

Proposition 3.5. The inequality

$$\left| E_\gamma(X) - \int_a^b \int_a^b \left(\frac{x+y}{2} \right)^\gamma g(x)g(y) dx dy \right| \leq \frac{7\gamma b^{\gamma-1}}{32} (b-a) \quad (39)$$

holds, for $\gamma \geq 0, 0 < a < b$.

Proof. The proof is similar to Proposition 3.2 by using inequality (29). \square

3.2. The Applications to Euler's Beta Function

Throughout this subsection, let us recall the *Beta function* of Euler, that is

$$B(p, q) := \int_0^1 t^{p-1} (1-t)^{q-1} dt \quad (p, q > -1).$$

We have for $r \geq 1$, that

$$B(p+r, p) := \int_0^1 t^{p-1} (1-t)^{p-1} t^r dt. \quad (40)$$

In [3], for $r \geq 1, t \in [0, 1]$, that

$$H_B^{[r]}(t, p) := \frac{1}{B(p, p)} \int_0^1 u^{p-1} (1-u)^{p-1} \left[tu + \frac{1}{2}(1-t) \right]^r du \quad (41)$$

and

$$F_B^{[r]}(t, p) := \frac{1}{B^2(p, p)} \int_0^1 \int_0^1 u^{p-1} v^{p-1} (1-u)^{p-1} (1-v)^{p-1} [tu + (1-t)v]^r dudv. \quad (42)$$

Define $g : (0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by

$$g(t) := \frac{1}{B(p, p)} t^{p-1} (1-t)^{p-1}.$$

It is clear that

$$g(t) = g(1-t) \text{ for all } t \in (0, 1)$$

and

$$\int_0^1 g(t) dt = 1.$$

Based on (40), (41) and (42), we can obtain the following propositions of Beta function:

Proposition 3.6. *The inequality*

$$\left| \frac{B(p+r, p)}{B(p, p)} - \frac{1-\delta}{2^r} - \frac{\delta}{2} \right| \leq \frac{r}{4} \quad (43)$$

holds, for all $r \geq 1$, $0 \leq \delta \leq 1$ and $p > -1$.

Proof. Define $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by $f(t) := t^r$, $r \geq 1$, we observe that $\|f'\|_\infty = r$ in Lemma 3.1. Since

$$\int_a^b f(t) g(t) dt = \frac{1}{B(p, p)} \int_0^1 t^{p-1} (1-t)^{p-1} t^r dt = \frac{B(p+r, p)}{B(p, p)}.$$

The result follows immediately from inequalities (13) and (19). \square

Proposition 3.7. *The inequality*

$$\left| H_B^{[r]}(t, p) - t \frac{B(p+r, p)}{B(p, p)} - (1-t) \frac{1}{2^r} \right| \leq \frac{rt(1-t)}{4} \quad (44)$$

holds, for all, $r \geq 1$, $0 \leq t \leq 1$ and $p > -1$.

Proof. The proof is similar to Proposition 3.6 by using inequality (12). \square

By using inequalities (22) and (24), we can state the following propositions.

Proposition 3.8. *The inequality*

$$\left| F_B^{[r]}(t, p) - \frac{B(p+r, p)}{B(p, p)} \right| \leq \frac{7r}{16} \max\{t, 1-t\} \quad (45)$$

holds, for all, $r \geq 1$, $0 \leq t \leq 1$ and $p > -1$.

Proposition 3.9. *The inequality*

$$\left| F_B^{[r]}(t, p) - H_B^{[r]}(t, p) \right| \leq \frac{r(1-t)}{4} \quad (46)$$

holds, for all, $r \geq 1$, $0 \leq t \leq 1$ and $p > -1$.

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