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## FOUR INEQUALITIES SIMILAR TO HARDY-HILBERT'S INTEGRAL INEQUALITY

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## Abstract

Four new different types of inequalities similar to Hardy-Hilbert's inequality are given.

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# 1. Introduction

Suppose that  $f$  and  $g$  are real functions, such that  $0 < \int_0^\infty f^2(t)dt < \infty$  and  $0 < \int_0^\infty g^2(t)dt < \infty$ , then

$$(1.1) \quad \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)g(y)}{x+y} < \pi \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(t)dt \int_0^\infty g^2(t)dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}},$$

where  $\pi$  is best possible. If  $(a_n)$  and  $(b_n)$  are sequences of real numbers such that  $0 < \sum_{n=1}^\infty a_n^2 < \infty$  and  $0 < \sum_{n=1}^\infty b_n^2 < \infty$ , then

$$(1.2) \quad \sum_{n=1}^\infty \sum_{m=1}^\infty \frac{a_m b_n}{m+n} < \pi \left( \sum_{n=1}^\infty a_n^2 \sum_{n=1}^\infty b_n^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

The inequalities (1.1) and (1.2) are called Hilbert's inequalities. These inequalities play an important role in analysis (cf. [1, Chap. 9]). In their recent papers Hu [5] and Gao [3] gave two distinct improvements of (1.1) and Gao [4] gave a strengthened version of (1.2).

The following definitions are given:

$$\varphi_\lambda(r) = \frac{r + \lambda - 2}{r} \quad (r = p, q), \quad k_\lambda(p) = B(\varphi_\lambda(p), \varphi_\lambda(q)),$$

and  $B$  is the beta function.

Recently, by introducing some parameters, Yang and Debnath [2] gave the following extensions:



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**Theorem A.** If  $f, g \geq 0$ ,  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ ,  $\lambda > 2 - \min \{p, q\}$ , such that

$$0 < \int_0^\infty t^{1-\lambda} f^p(t) dt < \infty \quad \text{and} \quad 0 < \int_0^\infty t^{1-\lambda} g^q(t) dt < \infty,$$

then

$$(1.3) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)g(y)}{(Ax + By)^\lambda} dx dy \\ & < \frac{k_\lambda(p)}{A^{\varphi_\lambda(p)} B^{\varphi_\lambda(q)}} \left( \int_0^\infty x^{1-\lambda} f^p(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_0^\infty y^{1-\lambda} g^q(y) dy \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}, \end{aligned}$$

where the constant factor  $[k_\lambda(p)/A^{\varphi_\lambda(p)} B^{\varphi_\lambda(q)}]$  is the best possible.

**Theorem B.** If  $f \geq 0$ ,  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ ,  $\lambda > 2 - \min \{p, q\}$ ,  $A, B > 0$  such that  $0 < \int_0^\infty t^{1-\lambda} f^p(t) dt < \infty$ , then

$$(1.4) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty y^{(\lambda-1)(p-1)} \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)}{(Ax + By)^\lambda} dx \right)^p dy \\ & < \left( \frac{k_\lambda(p)}{A^{\varphi_\lambda(p)} B^{\varphi_\lambda(q)}} \right)^p \int_0^\infty x^{1-\lambda} f^p(x) dx, \end{aligned}$$

where the constant factor  $[k_\lambda(p)/A^{\varphi_\lambda(p)} B^{\varphi_\lambda(q)}]^p$  is the best possible. The inequalities (1.3) and (1.4) are equivalent.




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**Theorem C.** If  $a_n, b_n > 0$  ( $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ),  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ ,  $2 - \min \{p, q\} < \lambda < 2$ ,  $A, B > 0$  such that

$$0 < \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{1-\lambda} a_n^p < \infty \quad \text{and} \quad 0 < \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{1-\lambda} b_n^q < \infty,$$

then

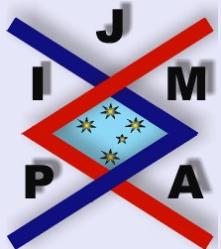
$$(1.5) \quad \begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_m b_n}{(Am + Bn)^{\lambda}} \\ & < \frac{k_{\lambda}(p)}{A^{\varphi_{\lambda}(p)} B^{\varphi_{\lambda}(q)}} \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{1-\lambda} a_n^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{1-\lambda} b_n^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}, \end{aligned}$$

where the constant factor  $[k_{\lambda}(p)/A^{\varphi_{\lambda}(p)} B^{\varphi_{\lambda}(q)}]$  is the best possible.

**Theorem D.** If  $a_n \geq 0$  ( $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ),  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ ,  $2 - \min \{p, q\} < \lambda \leq 2$ ,  $A, B > 0$  such that  $0 < \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{1-\lambda} a_n^p < \infty$ , then

$$(1.6) \quad \begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{(\lambda-1)(p-1)} \left( \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_m}{(Am + Bn)^{\lambda}} \right)^p \\ & < \left( \frac{k_{\lambda}(p)}{A^{\varphi_{\lambda}(p)} B^{\varphi_{\lambda}(q)}} \right)^p \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{1-\lambda} a_n^p, \end{aligned}$$

where the constant factor  $[k_{\lambda}(p)/A^{\varphi_{\lambda}(p)} B^{\varphi_{\lambda}(q)}]^p$  is the best possible. The inequalities (1.5) and (1.6) are equivalent.




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## 2. New Inequalities

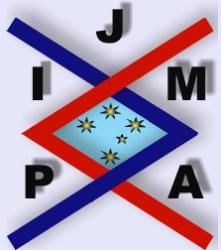
The aim of this paper is to give the following results:

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $\ln f$ ,  $\ln g$  be convex for nonnegative functions  $f$  and  $g$  such that  $f(0) = g(0) = 0$ ,  $f(\infty) = g(\infty) = \infty$ ,  $f'(s) \geq 0$ ,  $g'(s) \geq 0$ ,  $s \in \{x^p, y^q\}$ . Let  $\lambda > \max\{p, q\}$ ,  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ . Let

$$0 < \int_0^\infty \frac{t^{-p^2/q^2} [f(t^p)]^{2-\lambda+p/q}}{[f'(t)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dt < \infty,$$
$$0 < \int_0^\infty \frac{t^{-q^2/p^2} [g(t^q)]^{2-\lambda+q/p}}{[g'(t)]^{\frac{q}{p}}} dt < \infty,$$

then we have

$$(2.1) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(xy)g(xy)}{(f(x^p) + g(y^q))^\lambda} dxdy \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt[p]{p}\sqrt[q]{q}} B^{\frac{1}{p}}(p, \lambda - p) B^{\frac{1}{q}}(q, \lambda - q) \\ & \quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{t^{-p^2/q^2} [f(t^p)]^{2-\lambda+p/q}}{[f'(t)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ & \quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{t^{-q^2/p^2} [g(t^q)]^{2-\lambda+q/p}}{[g'(t)]^{\frac{q}{p}}} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned}$$



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*Proof.* Since  $\ln f$  is convex and  $xy \leq \frac{x^p}{p} + \frac{y^q}{q}$ , then

$$f(xy) = e^{\ln f(xy)} \leq e^{\ln f\left(\frac{x^p}{p} + \frac{y^q}{q}\right)} \leq e^{\frac{\ln f(x^p)}{p} + \frac{\ln f(y^q)}{q}} = f^{\frac{1}{p}}(x^p)f^{\frac{1}{q}}(y^q).$$

Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(xy)g(xy)}{(f(x^p) + g(y^q))^\lambda} dxdy \\ & \leq \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f^{\frac{1}{p}}(x^p)g^{\frac{1}{q}}(y^q)\frac{[g'(y^q)]^{\frac{1}{p}}}{[f'(x^p)]^{\frac{1}{q}}} \frac{y^{\frac{q-1}{p}}}{x^{\frac{p-1}{q}}} f^{\frac{1}{q}}(y^q)g^{\frac{1}{p}}(x^p)\frac{[f'(x^p)]^{\frac{1}{q}}}{[g'(y^q)]^{\frac{1}{p}}} \frac{x^{\frac{p-1}{q}}}{y^{\frac{q-1}{p}}}}{(f(x^p) + g(y^q))^{\frac{\lambda}{p}}} dxdy \\ & \leq \left( \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x^p)g^{p/q}(y^q)g'(y^q)y^{q-1}}{x^{(p-1)p/q}[f'(x^p)]^{\frac{p}{q}}(f(x^p) + g(y^q))^\lambda} dxdy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ & \quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(y^q)g^{q/p}(x^p)f'(x^p)x^{p-1}}{y^{(q-1)q/p}[g'(y^q)]^{\frac{q}{p}}(f(x^p) + g(y^q))^\lambda} dxdy \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & = M^{\frac{1}{p}}N^{\frac{1}{q}}, \quad \text{say.} \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$M = \frac{1}{q} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^{(1-p)p/q}[f(x^p)]^{2-\lambda+p/q}}{[f'(x)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dx \int_0^\infty \frac{\left(\frac{g(y^q)}{f(x^p)}\right)^{\frac{p}{q}} g'(y^q) \frac{qy^{q-1}}{f(x^p)}}{\left(1 + \frac{g(y^q)}{f(x^p)}\right)^\lambda} dy$$




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$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{q} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^{-p^2/q^2} [f(x^p)]^{2-\lambda+p/q}}{[f'(x)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dx \int_0^\infty \frac{u^{p/q}}{(1+u)^\lambda} du \\
&= \frac{1}{q} B(p, \lambda - p) \int_0^\infty \frac{x^{-p^2/q^2} [f(x^p)]^{2-\lambda+p/q}}{[f'(x)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dx.
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

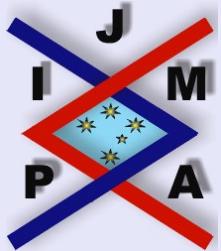
$$N = \frac{1}{p} B(q, \lambda - q) \int_0^\infty \frac{y^{-q^2/p^2} [g(y^q)]^{2-\lambda+q/p}}{[g'(y)]^{\frac{q}{p}}} dy.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
&\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(xy)g(xy)}{(f(x^p) + g(y^q))^\lambda} dxdy \\
&\leq \frac{1}{\sqrt[q]{p}\sqrt[p]{q}} B^{\frac{1}{p}}(p, \lambda - p) B^{\frac{1}{q}}(q, \lambda - q) \\
&\quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty t^{-p^2/q^2} \frac{[f(t^p)]^{2-\lambda+p/q}}{[f'(t)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\
&\quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty t^{-q^2/p^2} \frac{[g(t^q)]^{2-\lambda+q/p}}{[g'(t)]^{\frac{q}{p}}} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.
\end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $f, g, h$  be nonnegative functions,  $h(x, y)$  is homogeneous of order  $n$  such that  $h(0, 1) = h(1, 0) = 0$ ,  $h(\infty, 1) = h(1, \infty) = \infty$ . Let  $p > 1$ ,




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$$\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1,$$

$$0 < 1 + \mu - r < \lambda, \quad r \in \left\{ \frac{p}{q}, \frac{q}{p} \right\}, \quad h_x(x, y) \geq 0, \quad h_y(x, y) \geq 0,$$

where  $h_x = dh/dx$ ,  $0 < \int_0^\infty t^{p/q} f^p(t) dt < \infty$ ,  $0 < \int_0^\infty t^{q/p} g^q(t) dt < \infty$ , then

$$(2.2) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)g(y)h^\mu(x, y)}{(1 + h(x, y))^\lambda} dx dy \\ & \leq \frac{1}{n} B^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( 1 + \mu - \frac{p}{q}, \lambda - 1 - \mu + \frac{p}{q} \right) B^{\frac{1}{q}} \left( 1 + \mu - \frac{q}{p}, \lambda - 1 - \mu - \frac{q}{p} \right) \\ & \quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty t^{\frac{p}{q-1}} f^p(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_0^\infty t^{\frac{q}{p-1}} g^q(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Observe that

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)g(y)h^\mu(x, y)}{(1 + h(x, y))^\lambda} dx dy \\ & \leq \left( \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f^p(x)h^\mu(x, y)h_y(x, y)}{h_x^{p/q}(x, y)(1 + h(x, y))^\lambda} dx dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ & \quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{g^q(y)h^\mu(x, y)h_x(x, y)}{h_y^{q/p}(x, y)(1 + h(x, y))^\lambda} dx dy \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & = M^{\frac{1}{p}} N^{\frac{1}{q}}, \quad \text{say.} \end{aligned}$$




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Then

$$M = \int_0^\infty f^p(x)dx \int_0^\infty \frac{h^\mu(x,y)h_y(x,y)}{h_x^{p/q}(x,y)(1+h(x,y))^\lambda} dy.$$

Let  $y = xv$ ,  $dy = xdv$  and hence

$$\begin{aligned} h_y(x,y) &= \frac{dh(x,xv)}{dy} = x^n \frac{dh(1,v)}{dy} = x^{n-1} \frac{dh(1,v)}{dv} = x^{n-1}h_v(1,v), \\ h_x(x,y) &= \frac{dh(x,xv)}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}x^n h(1,v) = nx^{n-1}h(1,v), \end{aligned}$$

therefore

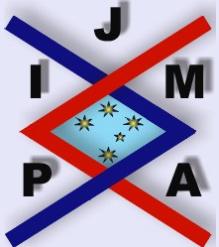
$$\begin{aligned} M &= \frac{1}{n^{p/q}} \int_0^\infty x^{p/q-1} f^p(x) dx \int_0^\infty \frac{[x^n h(1,v)]^{\mu-p/q} x^n h_v(1,v)}{(1+x^n h(1,v))^\lambda} dv \\ &= \frac{1}{n^{p/q}} B\left(1 + \mu - \frac{p}{q}, \lambda - 1 - \mu + \frac{p}{q}\right) \int_0^\infty x^{p/q-1} f^p(x) dx. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$N = \frac{1}{n^{q/p}} B\left(1 + \mu - \frac{q}{p}, \lambda - 1 - \mu + \frac{q}{p}\right) \int_0^\infty y^{q/p-1} g^q(y) dy.$$

This implies

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)g(y)h^\mu(x,y)}{(1+h(x,y))^\lambda} dxdy$$



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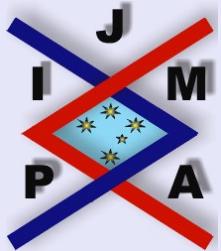
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$$\leq \frac{1}{n} B^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( 1 + \mu - \frac{p}{q}, \lambda - 1 - \mu + \frac{p}{q} \right) B^{\frac{1}{q}} \left( 1 + \mu - \frac{q}{p}, \lambda - 1 - \mu + \frac{q}{p} \right) \\ \times \left( \int_0^\infty t^{p/q-1} f^p(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_0^\infty t^{q/p-1} g^q(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

□



The following lemma is needed for the coming result.

**Lemma 2.3.** Let  $s \geq 1$ ,  $0 < 1 + \mu \leq \min \{\alpha, \lambda\}$  and define

$$f(s) = s^{-\alpha} \int_0^s \frac{t^\mu}{(1+t)^\lambda} dt,$$

then  $f(s) \leq f(1)$ .

*Proof.* We have

$$f'(s) = s^{-\alpha} \frac{s^\mu}{(1+s)^\lambda} + \int_0^s \frac{t^\mu}{(1+t)^\lambda} dt (-\alpha) s^{-\alpha-1} \\ \leq \frac{s^{\mu-\alpha}}{(1+s)^\lambda} - \frac{\alpha s^{-\alpha-1}}{(1+s)^\lambda} \int_0^s t^\mu dt \\ = \frac{s^{\mu-\alpha}}{(1+s)^\lambda} \left( 1 - \frac{\alpha}{1+\mu} \right) \leq 0.$$

This shows that  $f$  is nonincreasing and hence  $f(s) \leq f(1)$ . □

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**Theorem 2.4.** Let  $f, g, F, G$  be nonnegative functions such that  $F(s) = \int_0^s f(t)dt$ ,  $G(s) = \int_0^s g(t)dt$ , let,  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ ,  $(1 - \lambda/2)r \leq \lambda/2 + \alpha \leq 2\alpha$ ,  $r \in \left\{\frac{p}{q}, \frac{q}{p}\right\}$ ,

$$0 < \int_0^x (x-t)t^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q-\lambda/2-\alpha}F^{p-1}(t)f(t)dt < \infty,$$

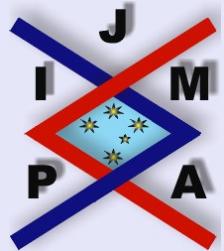
$$0 < \int_0^x (x-t)t^{(1-\lambda/2)q/p-\lambda/2-\alpha}G^{q-1}(t)g(t)dt < \infty,$$

then

$$(2.3) \quad \begin{aligned} \int_0^x \int_0^x \frac{F(s)G(t)}{(s+t)^\lambda} ds dt &\leq \frac{\sqrt[p]{p} \sqrt[q]{q}}{2} x^\alpha B\left(\frac{\lambda}{2}, \frac{\lambda}{2}\right) \\ &\times \left( \int_0^x (x-t)t^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q-\lambda/2-\alpha}F^{p-1}(t)f(t)dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\times \left( \int_0^x (x-t)t^{(1-\lambda/2)q/p-\lambda/2-\alpha}G^{q-1}(t)g(t)dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Observe that

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_0^x \int_0^x \frac{F(s)G(t)}{(s+t)^\lambda} ds dt \\ &= \int_0^x \int_0^x \frac{F(s) \left(\frac{t^{1/p}}{s^{1/q}}\right)^{\lambda/2-1}}{(s+t)^{\lambda/p}} \cdot \frac{G(t) \left(\frac{s^{1/q}}{t^{1/p}}\right)^{\lambda/2-1}}{(s+t)^{\lambda/q}} ds dt \end{aligned}$$




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$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \left( \int_0^x \int_0^x \frac{F^p(s)t^{\lambda/2-1}}{(s+t)^\lambda s^{(\lambda/2-1)p/q}} ds dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left( \int_0^x \int_0^x \frac{G^q(t)s^{\lambda/2-1}}{(s+t)^\lambda t^{(\lambda/2-1)q/p}} ds dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ &= M^{\frac{1}{p}} N^{\frac{1}{q}}, \quad \text{say.} \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} M &= \int_0^x s^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q-\lambda/2} F^p(s) ds \int_0^x \frac{\left(\frac{t}{s}\right)^{\lambda/2-1} \frac{1}{s}}{\left(1+\frac{t}{s}\right)^\lambda} dt \\ &= \int_0^x s^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q-\lambda/2} F^p(s) ds \left(\frac{x}{s}\right)^\alpha \left(\frac{x}{s}\right)^{-\alpha} \int_0^{x/s} \frac{u^{\lambda/2-1}}{(1+u)^\lambda} du \\ &\leq \int_0^x s^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q-\lambda/2} F^p(s) ds \left(\frac{x}{s}\right)^\alpha \int_0^1 \frac{u^{\lambda/2-1}}{(1+u)^\lambda} du \\ &= \frac{x^\alpha}{2} B\left(\frac{\lambda}{2}, \frac{\lambda}{2}\right) \int_0^x s^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q-\lambda/2-\alpha} F^p(s) ds, \end{aligned}$$

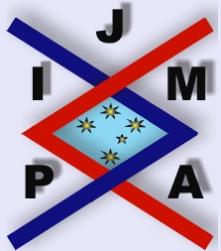
by virtue of the lemma.

As

$$F^p(s) = p \int_0^s F^{p-1}(u) f(u) du,$$

then

$$M = \frac{p}{2} x^\alpha B\left(\frac{\lambda}{2}, \frac{\lambda}{2}\right) \int_0^x s^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q-\lambda/2-\alpha} ds \int_0^s F^{p-1}(u) f(u) du$$




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$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{p}{2} x^\alpha B\left(\frac{\lambda}{2}, \frac{\lambda}{2}\right) \int_0^x \int_0^s u^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q - \lambda/2 - \alpha} F^{p-1}(u) f(u) ds du \\
&= \frac{p}{2} x^\alpha B\left(\frac{\lambda}{2}, \frac{\lambda}{2}\right) \int_0^x (x-s)s^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q - \lambda/2 - \alpha} F^{p-1}(s) f(s) ds.
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$N = \frac{q}{2} x^\alpha B\left(\frac{\lambda}{2}, \frac{\lambda}{2}\right) \int_0^x (x-t)t^{(1-\lambda/2)q/p - \lambda/2 - \alpha} G^{q-1}(t) g(t) dt.$$

Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&\int_0^x \int_0^x \frac{F(s)G(t)}{(s+t)^\lambda} ds dt \\
&\leq \frac{\sqrt[p]{p} \sqrt[q]{q}}{2} x^\alpha B\left(\frac{\lambda}{2}, \frac{\lambda}{2}\right) \left( \int_0^x (x-t)t^{(1-\lambda/2)p/q - \lambda/2 - \alpha} F^{p-1}(t) f(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\
&\quad \times \left( \int_0^x (x-t)t^{(1-\lambda/2)q/p - \lambda/2 - \alpha} G^{q-1}(t) g(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.
\end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 2.5.** Let  $f, g$  be nonnegative functions,  $f$  is submultiplicative and  $g$  is concave nonincreasing,  $f'(x), g'(y) \geq 0$ ,  $f(0) = g(0) = 0$ ,  $f(\infty) = g(\infty) =$




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$$\infty, p > 1, \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1, 0 < a + 1 < \lambda, 0 < b + 1 < \lambda,$$

$$0 < \int_0^\infty \frac{[f(x)]^{\mu p - bp/q} [g(x)]^{1+a-\lambda}}{[f'(x)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dx < \infty,$$

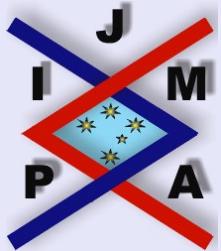
$$0 < \int_0^\infty \frac{[g(y)]^{\mu q - aq/p} [f(y)]^{1+b-\lambda}}{[g'(y)]^{\frac{q}{p}}} dy < \infty,$$

then

$$(2.4) \quad \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f^\mu(xy)}{g^{\lambda/2}(xy)} dxdy \\ & \leq 2^{\lambda/2} B^{\frac{1}{p}} (a+1, \lambda-a-1) B^{\frac{1}{q}} (b+1, \lambda-b-1) \\ & \quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{[f(t)]^{\mu p} [g(t)]^{1+a-\lambda-bp/q}}{[g'(t)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ & \quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{[f(t)]^{\mu q} [g(t)]^{1+b-\lambda-aq/p}}{[g'(t)]^{\frac{q}{p}}} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Since  $\sqrt{xy} \leq \frac{x+y}{2}$ , then

$$g(xy) = g((\sqrt{xy})^2) \geq (g(\sqrt{xy}))^2 \geq \left(g\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right)\right)^2 \geq \left(\frac{g(x) + g(y)}{2}\right)^2,$$




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and hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f^\mu(xy)}{g^{\lambda/2}(xy)} dx dy \\
 & \leq 2^{\lambda/2} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f^\mu(x)f^\mu(y)}{(g(x) + g(y))^\lambda} dx dy \\
 & = 2^{\lambda/2} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f^\mu(x) \frac{[g(y)]^{a/p}}{[g(x)]^{b/q}} \frac{[g'(y)]^{1/p}}{[g'(x)]^{1/q}}}{(g(x) + g(y))^{\frac{\lambda}{p}}} \cdot \frac{f^\mu(y) \frac{[g(x)]^{b/q}}{[g(y)]^{a/p}} \cdot \frac{[g'(x)]^{1/q}}{[g'(y)]^{1/p}}}{(g(x) + g(y))^{\frac{\lambda}{q}}} \\
 & \leq 2^{\lambda/2} \left( \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f^{\mu p}(x) g^a(y) g'(y)}{[g(x)]^{bp/q} [g'(x)]^{\frac{p}{q}} (g(x) + g(y))^\lambda} dx dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\
 & \quad \times \left( \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f^{\mu q}(y) g^b(x) g'(x)}{[g(y)]^{aq/p} [g'(y)]^{\frac{q}{p}} (g(x) + g(y))^\lambda} dx dy \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 & = 2^{\lambda/2} M^{\frac{1}{p}} N^{\frac{1}{q}}, \quad \text{say.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 M &= \int_0^\infty \frac{[f(x)]^{\mu p} [g(x)]^{1+a-\lambda-bp/q}}{[g'(x)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dx \int_0^\infty \frac{\left(\frac{g(y)}{g(x)}\right)^a \frac{g'(y)}{g(x)}}{\left(1 + \frac{g(y)}{g(x)}\right)^\lambda} dy \\
 &= B(a+1, \lambda - a - 1) \int_0^\infty \frac{[f(x)]^{\eta p} [g(x)]^{1+a-\lambda-bp/q}}{[g'(x)]^{\frac{p}{q}}} dx.
 \end{aligned}$$




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Similarly, we can show that

$$N = B(b+1, \lambda - b - 1) \int_0^\infty \frac{[f(y)]^{\mu q} [g(y)]^{1+b-\lambda-aq/p}}{[g'(y)]^{\frac{q}{p}}} dy.$$

The result follows. □



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