



SOME INEQUALITIES FOR n -TIME DIFFERENTIABLE MAPPINGS USING A MULTI-STEP KERNEL WITH APPLICATIONS

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we develop a new multi-step kernel and use it to establish new Ostrowski's type inequalities for n -time differentiable mappings, whose n -th derivatives satisfy convexity and quasi-convexity conditions. Applications of our findings to random variables and approximation of integrals are given.

1. INTRODUCTION

The classical Ostrowski inequality (1938, see [8]) is given as follows: if $x \in [x_1, x_2]$ then

$$\left| g(x) - \frac{1}{x_2 - x_1} \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(t) dt \right| \leq \left[\frac{1}{4} + \frac{(x - \frac{x_1+x_2}{2})^2}{(x_2 - x_1)^2} \right] (x_2 - x_1) \|g'\|_{\infty}, \quad (1.1)$$

where g is a differentiable function defined on a finite interval $[x_1, x_2]$, whose derivative is integrable and bounded over $[x_1, x_2]$. The constant $1/4$ is the best possible. When $x = \frac{x_1+x_2}{2}$, Inequality 1.1 reduces to the midpoint version

$$\left| g\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{x_2 - x_1} \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(t) dt \right| \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)}{4} \|g'\|_{\infty}.$$

The importance of Ostrowski's type inequalities is due to their applications in different aspects. For generalizations and variants of Ostrowski's type inequalities, we refer the reader to [2] and [4].

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Recently, several authors have derived Ostrowski's type inequalities for n -time differentiable mappings whose n -th derivatives satisfy different types of convexity conditions, see for example [?], [3], [5], [7], [10] and [12].

In particular, Ozdemir and Yildiz, in [9], obtained the following three theorems for n -time differentiable mappings .

Theorem 1.1. [9] Suppose that n is a positive integer, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ and $|g^{(n)}|$ is convex on $[x_1, x_2]$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(1 + (-1)^k) (x_2 - x_1)^{k+1}}{2^{k+1} (k + 1)!} g^{(k)} \left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} \right) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^n (n + 1)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(x_1)| + |g^{(n)}(x_2)|}{2} \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{1.2}$$

Theorem 1.2. [9] Suppose that n is a positive integer, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ and $|g^{(n)}|^q$ is convex on $[x_1, x_2]$, where $q > 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(1 + (-1)^k) (x_2 - x_1)^{k+1}}{2^{k+1} (k + 1)!} g^{(k)} \left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} \right) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{n+1} n!} \left(\frac{1}{1 + pm} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left[\left(\frac{|g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + 3 |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \frac{3 |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q}{4} \right], \end{aligned} \tag{1.3}$$

where $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$.

Theorem 1.3. [9] Suppose that n is a positive integer, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ and $|g^{(n)}|^q$ is convex on $[x_1, x_2]$, where $q \geq 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(1 + (-1)^k) (x_2 - x_1)^{k+1}}{2^{k+1} (k + 1)!} g^{(k)} \left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} \right) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{n+1} (n + 1)!} \left[\left(\frac{n + 1}{2n + 4} |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + \frac{n + 3}{2n + 4} |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left(\frac{n + 3}{2n + 4} |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + \frac{n + 1}{2n + 4} |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{1.4}$$

In this paper, we generalize the inequalities obtained by Ozdemir and Yildiz in [9] for convex and quasi convex functions using a multi-step kernel. Then we introduce some applications of our findings to random variables and approximation of integrals. Throught this paper, \mathbb{R} denotes the set of all real numbers and $J \subset \mathbb{R}$ denotes an interval. The concepts of convex and quasi convex functions, which are well known in the literature, are given as in the following two definitions.

Definition 1.1. [6] A function $g : J \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be convex if the inequality

$$g(tx_1 + (1 - t)x_2) \leq tg(x_1) + (1 - t)g(x_2),$$

holds for all $x_1, x_2 \in J$ and $t \in [0, 1]$.

Definition 1.2. [11] A function $g : J \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be quasi convex if the inequality

$$g(tx_1 + (1 - t)x_2) \leq \max \{g(x_1), g(x_2)\}$$

holds for all $x_1, x_2 \in J$ and $t \in [0, 1]$.

2. MAIN RESULTS

We start this section with the following two Lemmas.

Lemma 2.1. Suppose that n and m are positive integers, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. Suppose that $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$. Then for every $s_1, s_2 \in [0, 1]$ the identity

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{s_1}^{s_2} g(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{[(s_2 - r)^{k+1} g^{(k)}(x_2 + s_2(x_1 - x_2)) - (s_1 - r)^{k+1} g^{(k)}(x_2 + s_1(x_1 - x_2))]}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k} (k + 1)!} \\ & \quad + \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^n}{n!} \int_{s_1}^{s_2} (t - r)^n g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt, \end{aligned} \tag{2.1}$$

holds for each $r \in \mathbb{R}$.

Proof. Using integration by parts repeatedly, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{n!} \int_{s_1}^{s_2} (t - r)^n g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \\ &= - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(t - r)^{k+1} g^{(k)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2))}{(x_2 - x_1)^{n-k} (k + 1)!} \Bigg|_{s_1}^{s_2} \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{(x_2 - x_1)^n} \int_{s_1}^{s_2} g(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt. \end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

Multiplying (2.2) by $(x_2 - x_1)^n$, and substituting the upper and lower integral bounds, the result follows. \square

Lemma 2.2. Suppose that n and m are positive integers, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ then

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx \\ &= \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{[1 + (-1)^k] 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k+1)!} g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l-1)x_1 + (2^m - 2l + 1)x_2}{2^m} \right) \\ & \quad + (x_2 - x_1)^{n+1} \int_0^1 P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt, \end{aligned} \tag{2.3}$$

where

$$P_{n,m}(t) = \frac{1}{n!} \begin{cases} t^n, & \text{if } t \in [0, \frac{1}{2^m}] \\ (t - 2^{1-m}l)^n, & \text{if } t \in (\frac{2l-1}{2^m}, \frac{2l+1}{2^m}], l = 1, 2, \dots, 2^{m-1} - 1 \\ (t - 1)^n, & \text{if } t \in (1 - \frac{1}{2^m}, 1] \end{cases} .$$

Proof. Using Lemma 2.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^{\frac{1}{2^m}} g(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{[\left(\frac{1}{2^m}\right)^{k+1} g^{(k)} \left(\frac{x_1 + (2^m - 1)x_2}{2^m}\right)]}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k} (k+1)!} \\ & \quad + \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^n}{n!} \int_0^{\frac{1}{2^m}} P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt, \end{aligned} \tag{2.4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{(1-\frac{1}{2^m})}^1 g(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(-\frac{1}{2^m})^{k+1} g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2^m - 1)x_1 + x_2}{2^m}\right)}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k} (k+1)!} \\ & \quad + \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^n}{n!} \int_{(1-\frac{1}{2^m})}^1 P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt, \end{aligned} \tag{2.5}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\frac{2l-1}{2^m}}^{\frac{2l+1}{2^m}} g(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{[g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l+1)x_1 + (2^m - 2l - 1)x_2}{2^m}\right) + (-1)^k g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l-1)x_1 + (2^m - 2l + 1)x_2}{2^m}\right)]}{2^{m(k+1)} (x_2 - x_1)^{-k} (k+1)!} \\ & \quad + \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^n}{n!} \int_{\frac{2l-1}{2^m}}^{\frac{2l+1}{2^m}} P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt, \end{aligned} \tag{2.6}$$

for $l = 1, 2, \dots, 2^{m-1} - 1$. Combining (2.4), (2.5) and (2.6), the result follows. □

Theorem 2.1. *Suppose that n and m are positive integers, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ and $|g^{(n)}|$ is convex on $[x_1, x_2]$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. \times g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l - 1)x_1 + (2^m - 2l + 1)x_2}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{mn} (n + 1)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(x_1)| + |g^{(n)}(x_2)|}{2} \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{2.7}$$

Proof. Using convexity of $|g^{(n)}|$ on $[x_1, x_2]$, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_0^1 P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{n!} \int_0^{\frac{1}{2^m}} t^n \left[(1 - t) |g^{(n)}(x_2)| + t |g^{(n)}(x_1)| \right] dt \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \int_{\frac{2l-1}{2^m}}^{\frac{2l+1}{2^m}} \left| t - \frac{l}{2^{m-1}} \right|^n \left[(1 - t) |g^{(n)}(x_2)| + t |g^{(n)}(x_1)| \right] dt \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{n!} \int_{1-\frac{1}{2^m}}^1 (1 - t)^n \left[(1 - t) |g^{(n)}(x_2)| + t |g^{(n)}(x_1)| \right] dt \\ & = \frac{1}{2^{mn} (n + 1)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(x_1)| + |g^{(n)}(x_2)|}{2} \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{2.8}$$

Using Identity 2.3 and Inequality 2.8, the result follows. □

Remark 2.1. *In Theorem 2.1,*

- (1) *If $m = 1$, Inequality 2.7 reduces to Inequality 1.2.*
- (2) *If $m = 2$, Inequality 2.7 reduces to*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-2(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \left[g^{(k)} \left(\frac{3x_1 + x_2}{4} \right) \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. + g^{(k)} \left(\frac{x_1 + 3x_2}{4} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{2n} (n + 1)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(x_1)| + |g^{(n)}(x_2)|}{2} \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{2.9}$$

(3) If $m = 3$, Inequality 2.7 reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-3(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \left[g^{(k)} \left(\frac{7x_1 + x_2}{8} \right) \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. + g^{(k)} \left(\frac{5x_1 + 3x_2}{8} \right) + g^{(k)} \left(\frac{3x_1 + 5x_2}{8} \right) + g^{(k)} \left(\frac{x_1 + 7x_2}{8} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{3n} (n + 1)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(x_1)| + |g^{(n)}(x_2)|}{2} \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{2.10}$$

Theorem 2.2. Suppose that n and m are positive integers, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ and $|g^{(n)}|^q$ is convex on $[x_1, x_2]$, where $q > 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. \times g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l - 1)x_1 + (2^m - 2l + 1)x_2}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{m(n+1)} n!} \left(\frac{1}{1 + pm} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ & \quad \times \left[\left(\frac{1}{2^{m+1}} |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{m+1}} \right) |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left(\left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{m+1}} \right) |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + \frac{1}{2^{m+1}} |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + 2 \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \left(\frac{l}{2^{m-1}} |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + \left(1 - \frac{l}{2^{m-1}} \right) |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right], \end{aligned} \tag{2.11}$$

where $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$.

Proof. Using Holder’s inequality, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_0^1 P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{n!} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{2^m}} t^{pn} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{2^m}} |g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2))|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \left(\int_{\frac{2l-1}{2^m}}^{\frac{2l+1}{2^m}} \left| t - \frac{l}{2^{m-1}} \right|^{pn} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_{\frac{2l-1}{2^m}}^{\frac{2l+1}{2^m}} |g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2))|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{n!} \left(\int_{1-\frac{1}{2^m}}^1 (1-t)^{pn} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_{1-\frac{1}{2^m}}^1 |g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2))|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.12}$$

Using convexity of $|g^{(n)}|^q$ on $[x_1, x_2]$, we find that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_0^1 P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2^{m(n+1)} n!} \left(\frac{1}{1+pn} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ & \quad \times \left[\left(\frac{1}{2^{m+1}} |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{m+1}} \right) |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \quad + \left. \left(\left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{m+1}} \right) |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + \frac{1}{2^{m+1}} |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + 2 \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \left(\frac{l}{2^{m-1}} |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + \left(1 - \frac{l}{2^{m-1}} \right) |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{2.13}$$

Using Identity 2.3 and Inequality 2.13, the result follows. □

Remark 2.2. In Theorem 2.2,

- (1) If $m = 1$, Inequality 2.11 reduces to Inequality 1.3.
- (2) If $m = 2$, Inequality 2.11 reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-2(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k+1)!} \left(g^{(k)} \left(\frac{3x_1 + x_2}{4} \right) \right. \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. \left. + g^{(k)} \left(\frac{x_1 + 3x_2}{4} \right) \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{2(n+1)} n!} \left(\frac{1}{1+pn} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left[2 \left(\frac{|g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left(\frac{7|g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q}{8} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\frac{|g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + 7|g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q}{8} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{2.14}$$

Theorem 2.3. Suppose that n and m are positive integers, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ and $|g^{(n)}|^q$ is convex on $[x_1, x_2]$, where $q \geq 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k+1)!} \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. \times g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l-1)x_1 + (2^m - 2l + 1)x_2}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{m(n+1)} (n+1)!} \\ & \quad \times \left[\left(\frac{2^{-m}(n+1)}{(n+2)} |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q + \left(1 - \frac{2^{-m}(n+1)}{(n+2)} \right) |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \end{aligned} \tag{2.15}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &+ 2 \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \left(2^{1-m} \left| g^{(n)}(x_1) \right|^q + (1 - 2^{1-m}l) \left| g^{(n)}(x_2) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &+ \left[\left(1 - \frac{2^{-m}(n+1)}{(n+2)} \right) \left| g^{(n)}(x_1) \right|^q + \frac{2^{-m}(n+1)}{(n+2)} \left| g^{(n)}(x_2) \right|^q \right]^{\frac{1}{q}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Using convexity of $|g^{(n)}|^q$ on $[x_1, x_2]$, we get that

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\left| \int_0^1 P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \right| \tag{2.16} \\
 &\leq \frac{1}{n!} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{2^m}} t^n dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{2^m}} t^n \left| g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &+ \frac{1}{n!} \left(\int_{1-\frac{1}{2^m}}^1 (1-t)^n dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_{1-\frac{1}{2^m}}^1 (1-t)^n \left| g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &+ \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \left[\left(\int_{\frac{2l-1}{2^m}}^{\frac{2l+1}{2^m}} \left| t - \frac{l}{2^{m-1}} \right|^n dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \right. \\
 &\times \left. \left(\int_{\frac{2l-1}{2^m}}^{\frac{2l+1}{2^m}} \left| t - \frac{l}{2^{m-1}} \right|^n \left| g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) \right|^q dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right] \\
 &\leq \frac{2^{-m(n+1)}}{(n+1)!} \left(\frac{2^{-m}(n+1)}{(n+2)} \left| g^{(n)}(x_1) \right|^q + \left(1 - \frac{2^{-m}(n+1)}{(n+2)} \right) \left| g^{(n)}(x_2) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &+ \frac{2^{-m(n+1)}}{(n+1)!} \left(\left(1 - \frac{2^{-m}(n+1)}{(n+2)} \right) \left| g^{(n)}(x_1) \right|^q + \frac{2^{-m}(n+1)}{(n+2)} \left| g^{(n)}(x_2) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &+ \frac{2^{-m(n+1)+1}}{(n+1)!} \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \left(2^{1-m} \left| g^{(n)}(x_1) \right|^q + (1 - 2^{1-m}l) \left| g^{(n)}(x_2) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Using (2.3) and (2.16), the result follows. □

Remark 2.3. In Theorem 2.3,

- (1) If $m = 1$, Inequality 2.15 reduces to Inequality 1.4.
- (2) If $m = 2$, Inequality 2.15 reduces to

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-2(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k+1)!} \left(g^{(k)} \left(\frac{3x_1 + x_2}{4} \right) \right. \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \left. + g^{(k)} \left(\frac{x_1 + 3x_2}{4} \right) \right) \right] \right| \tag{2.17} \\
 &\leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{2(n+1)} (n+1)!} \left(\left(\frac{n+1}{4n+8} \right) \left| g^{(n)}(x_1) \right|^q + \left(\frac{3n+7}{4n+8} \right) \left| g^{(n)}(x_2) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &+ \frac{2(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{2(n+1)} (n+1)!} \left(\frac{\left| g^{(n)}(x_1) \right|^q + \left| g^{(n)}(x_2) \right|^q}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\
 &+ \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{2(n+1)} (n+1)!} \left(\left(\frac{3n+7}{4n+8} \right) \left| g^{(n)}(x_1) \right|^q + \left(\frac{n+1}{4n+8} \right) \left| g^{(n)}(x_2) \right|^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 2.4. *Suppose that n and m are positive integers, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ and $|g^{(n)}|$ is quasi-convex on $[x_1, x_2]$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. \times g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l - 1)x_1 + (2^m - 2l + 1)x_2}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{mn} (n + 1)!} \max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|, |g^{(n)}(x_2)| \right\}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.18}$$

Proof. Using quasi-convexity of $|g^{(n)}|$ on $[x_1, x_2]$, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_0^1 P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{\max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|, |g^{(n)}(x_2)| \right\}}{n!} \left[\int_0^{\frac{1}{2^m}} t^n dt \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \int_{\frac{2l-1}{2^m}}^{\frac{2l+1}{2^m}} \left| t - \frac{l}{2^{m-1}} \right|^n dt + \int_{1-\frac{1}{2^m}}^1 (1-t)^n dt \right] \\ & = \frac{1}{2^{mn} (n + 1)!} \max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|, |g^{(n)}(x_2)| \right\}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.19}$$

Using Identity 2.3 and Inequality 2.19, the result follows. □

Theorem 2.5. *Suppose that n and m are positive integers, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ and $|g^{(n)}|^q$ is quasi-convex on $[x_1, x_2]$, where $q > 1$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}-1} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. \times g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l - 1)x_1 + (2^m - 2l + 1)x_2}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{mn} n!} \left(\frac{1}{1 + pn} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q, |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right\} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}, \end{aligned} \tag{2.20}$$

where $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$.

Proof. Using Holder’s inequality and quasi-convexity of $|g^{(n)}|^q$ on $[x_1, x_2]$, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_0^1 P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{2^{-m(n+1)+1}}{n!} \left(\frac{1}{1+pn} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left[\left(\max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q, |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right\} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + (2^{m-1} - 1) \left(\max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q, |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right\} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right] \\ & = \frac{1}{2^{mn}n!} \left(\frac{1}{1+pn} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q, |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right\} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \end{aligned} \tag{2.21}$$

Using (2.3) and (2.21), the result follows. □

Theorem 2.6. *Suppose that n and m are positive integers, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $x_1, x_2 \in J^\circ$ with $x_1 < x_2$. If $g^{(n)} \in L_1([x_1, x_2])$ and $|g^{(n)}|^q$ is quasi-convex on $[x_1, x_2]$, where $q \geq 1$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} g(x) dx - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(x_2 - x_1)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. \times g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l - 1)x_1 + (2^m - 2l + 1)x_2}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(x_2 - x_1)^{n+1}}{2^{mn} (n + 1)!} \left(\max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q, |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right\} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \end{aligned} \tag{2.22}$$

Proof. Using quasi-convexity of $|g^{(n)}|^q$ on $[x_1, x_2]$, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_0^1 P_{n,m}(t) g^{(n)}(x_2 + t(x_1 - x_2)) dt \right| \\ & \leq \frac{2}{2^{mn+m} (n + 1)!} \left(\max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q, |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right\} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & \quad + \frac{2}{2^{mn+m} (n + 1)!} (2^{m-1} - 1) \left(\max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q, |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right\} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ & = \frac{1}{2^{mn} (n + 1)!} \left(\max \left\{ |g^{(n)}(x_1)|^q, |g^{(n)}(x_2)|^q \right\} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.23}$$

Using (2.3) and (2.23), the result follows. □

3. SOME APPLICATIONS

We start this section with an application to approximation of an integral. Recall that a partition D of a finite interval $[c, d], c < d$, is a finite sequence of numbers $c = c_0 < c_1 < \dots < c_n = d$.

Proposition 3.1. *Suppose that n and m are positive integers, $g : J \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is n -time differentiable mapping on J° and $c, d \in J^\circ$ with $c < d$. Let $D : c = c_0 < c_1 < \dots < c_n = d$ be a partition of $[c, d]$. If*

$g^{(n)} \in L_1([c, d])$ and $|g^{(n)}|$ is convex on $[c, d]$, then

$$\int_c^d g(x) dx = A(g, D) + E(g, D), \tag{3.1}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} & A(g, D) \tag{3.2} \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(c_{j+1} - c_j)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \right. \\ & \quad \left. \times g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l - 1) c_j + (2^m - 2l + 1) c_{j+1}}{2^m} \right) \right], \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & |E(g, D)| \tag{3.3} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2^{mn+1} (n + 1)!} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (c_{j+1} - c_j)^{n+1} \left(|g^{(n)}(c_j)| + |g^{(n)}(c_{j+1})| \right). \end{aligned}$$

Proof. For each $j = 0, 1, \dots, n - 1$, applying Theorem 2.1 over the interval $[c_j, c_{j+1}]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_{c_j}^{c_{j+1}} g(x) dx - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(c_{j+1} - c_j)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \right. \right. \tag{3.4} \\ & \quad \left. \left. \times g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l - 1) c_j + (2^m - 2l + 1) c_{j+1}}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ &\leq \frac{(c_{j+1} - c_j)^{n+1}}{2^{mn} (n + 1)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(c_j)| + |g^{(n)}(c_{j+1})|}{2} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Note that

$$\begin{aligned} E(g, D) &= \int_c^d g(x) dx - A(g, D) \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \left(\left[\int_{c_j}^{c_{j+1}} g(x) dx - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(c_{j+1} - c_j)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. \times g^{(k)} \left(\frac{(2l - 1) c_j + (2^m - 2l + 1) c_{j+1}}{2^m} \right) \right] \right). \end{aligned}$$

Using the triangle inequality and Inequality 3.4, we get that

$$|E(g, D)| \leq \frac{1}{2^{mn+1} (n + 1)!} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (c_{j+1} - c_j)^{n+1} \left(|g^{(n)}(c_j)| + |g^{(n)}(c_{j+1})| \right).$$

□

The second application will be devoted to random variables.

Proposition 3.2. *Let X be a random variable taking its values in the finite interval $[c, d]$, where $0 < c < d$, with a probability density function $g : [c, d] \rightarrow [0, 1]$. If g is n -time differentiable, $g^{(n)} \in L_1([c, d])$ and $|g^{(n)}|$ is convex on $[c, d]$, then for any positive integer m ,*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| E(X) - \left[d - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=1}^n \left(\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(d-c)^{-k-1} (k+1)!} \right. \right. \right. \\ & \quad \times g^{(k-1)} \left(\frac{(2l-1)c + (2^m - 2l + 1)d}{2^m} \right) \\ & \quad \left. \left. \left. - \frac{2^{-m+1}}{(d-c)^{-1}} \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \Pr \left(X \leq \frac{(2l-1)c + (2^m - 2l + 1)d}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(d-c)^{n+2}}{2^{m(n+1)} (n+2)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(c)| + |g^{(n)}(d)|}{2} \right], \end{aligned} \tag{3.5}$$

where $E(X)$ is the expectation of X .

Proof. Let $G(x) = \int_c^x g(t) dt$ for $x \in [c, d]$. Using integration by parts and the facts that $G' = g$ and $G(d) = 1$, we get that

$$E(X) = d - \int_c^d G(t) dt.$$

Since $G^{(k+1)} = g^{(k)}$, $0 \leq k \leq n$, applying Theorem 2.1 on G , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_c^d G(t) dt - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=1}^n \left[\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(d-c)^{-k-1} (k+1)!} \right. \right. \\ & \quad \times g^{(k-1)} \left(\frac{(2l-1)c + (2^m - 2l + 1)d}{2^m} \right) \\ & \quad \left. \left. - \frac{2^{-m+1}}{(d-c)^{-1}} \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \Pr \left(X \leq \frac{(2l-1)c + (2^m - 2l + 1)d}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(d-c)^{n+2}}{2^{m(n+1)} (n+2)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(c)| + |g^{(n)}(d)|}{2} \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{3.6}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| E(X) - \left[d - \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \sum_{k=1}^n \left(\frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-m(k+1)}}{(d-c)^{-k-1} (k+1)!} \right. \right. \right. \\ & \quad \times g^{(k-1)} \left(\frac{(2l-1)c + (2^m - 2l + 1)d}{2^m} \right) \\ & \quad \left. \left. \left. - \frac{2^{-m+1}}{(d-c)^{-1}} \sum_{l=1}^{2^{m-1}} \Pr \left(X \leq \frac{(2l-1)c + (2^m - 2l + 1)d}{2^m} \right) \right] \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(d-c)^{n+2}}{2^{m(n+1)} (n+2)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(c)| + |g^{(n)}(d)|}{2} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

□

Remark 3.1. In Proposition 3.2, if $m = 1$ then Identity 3.5 reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| E(X) - d + (d - c) \Pr \left(X \leq \frac{c + d}{2} \right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{(1 + (-1)^k) 2^{-(k+1)}}{(d - c)^{-k-1} (k + 1)!} g^{(k-1)} \left(\frac{c + d}{2} \right) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{(d - c)^{n+2}}{2^{(n+1)} (n + 2)!} \left[\frac{|g^{(n)}(c)| + |g^{(n)}(d)|}{2} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.7)$$

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