General inequalities related Hermite-Hadamard inequality for generalized fractional integrals

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Abstract. In this article, we first establish a new general integral identity for differentiable functions with the help of generalized fractional integral operators introduced by Raina [8] and Agarwal *et al.* [1]. As a second, by using this identity we obtain some new fractional Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for functions whose absolute values of first derivatives are convex. Relevant connections of the results presented here with those involving Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals are also pointed out.

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1. Introduction and preliminaries

One of the most famous inequalities for convex functions is Hermite-Hadamard's inequality. This double inequality is stated as follows (see for example [3]).

Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a convex function on the interval I of real numbers and $a, b \in I$ with a < b. Then

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

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

 $f(\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y) \le \lambda f(x) + (1 - \lambda)f(y)$

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

Now, we will give some important definitions and mathematical preliminaries of fractional calculus theory which are used throughout of this paper.

Definition 1.2. [4] Let $f \in L_1[a, b]$. The Riemann-Liouville integrals $J_{a^+}^{\alpha} f$ and $J_{b^-}^{\alpha} f$ of order $\alpha > 0$ with $a \ge 0$ are defined by

$$J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{a}^{x} (x-t)^{\alpha-1} f(t)dt, \quad x > a$$

and

$$J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{x}^{b} (t-x)^{\alpha-1} f(t) dt, \quad x < b$$

respectively where

$$\Gamma(\alpha) = \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-u} u^{\alpha - 1} du$$

Here is $J_{a^+}^0 f(x) = J_{b^-}^0 f(x) = f(x)$. In the case of $\alpha = 1$, the fractional integral reduces to the classical integral.

In [5], Iqbal *et al.* proved a new identity for differentiable convex functions via Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals.

Lemma 1.3. Let $f:[a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on (a,b). If $f' \in L'[a,b]$, then the following identity for Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals holds:

$$f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[J_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b) + J_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a)\right] = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} I_{k},$$

where

$$I_{1} = \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\alpha} f'(tb + (1 - t)a) dt, \qquad I_{2} = \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} (-t^{\alpha}) f'(ta + (1 - t)b) dt,$$

$$I_{3} = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} (t^{\alpha} - 1) f'(tb + (1 - t)a) dt, \quad I_{4} = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} (1 - t^{\alpha}) f'(ta + (1 - t)b) dt.$$

By using the above identity, the authors obtained left-sided of Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for convex functions via Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals. Some other results related to those inequalities involving Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals can be found in the literature, for example, in [2, 7, 18, 16, 11] and the references therein.

In [8], Raina introduced a class of functions defined formally by

$$\mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda}(x) = \mathcal{F}^{\sigma(0), \sigma(1), \dots}_{\rho,\lambda}(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k)}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda)} x^k \quad (\rho, \lambda > 0; |x| < \mathbb{R})$$
(1.2)

where the coefficients $\sigma(k)$, $(k \in \mathbb{N} = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\})$, is a bounded sequence of positive real numbers and \mathbb{R} is the set of real numbers. With the help of (1.2), Raina [8] and Agarwal *et al.* [1] defined the following left-sided and right-sided fractional integral operators respectively, as follows:

$$\left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,a+;w}\varphi\right)(x) = \int_{a}^{x} (x-t)^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda}[w(x-t)^{\rho}]\varphi(t)dt \ (x>a), \tag{1.3}$$

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$$\left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,b-;w}\varphi\right)(x) = \int_{x}^{b} (t-x)^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda}[w(t-x)^{\rho}]\varphi(t)dt \ (x < b)$$
(1.4)

where $\lambda, \rho > 0, w \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\varphi(t)$ is such that the integral on the right side exits. It is easy to verify that $\left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,a+;w}\varphi\right)(x)$ and $\left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,b-;w}\varphi\right)(x)$ are bounded integral operators on L(a,b), if

$$\mathfrak{M} := \mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda+1}[w(b-a)^{\rho}] < \infty.$$
(1.5)

In fact, for $\varphi \in L(a, b)$, we have

$$||\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,a+;w}\varphi(x)||_{1} \leq \mathfrak{M}(b-a)^{\lambda}||\varphi||_{1}$$
(1.6)

and

$$||\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,b-;w}\varphi(x)||_{1} \le \mathfrak{M}(b-a)^{\lambda}||\varphi||_{1}$$
(1.7)

where

$$||\varphi||_p := \left(\int_a^b |\varphi(t)|^p dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

Here, many useful fractional integral operators can be obtained by specializing the coefficient $\sigma(k)$. For instance the classical Riemann-Liouville fractional integrals J_{a+}^{α} and J_{b-}^{α} of order α follow easily by setting $\lambda = \alpha$, $\sigma(0) = 1$ and w = 0 in (1.3) and (1.4). Also, to see more results and generalizations for convex and some other several convex functions classes, as Q(I), P(I), SX(h, I) and r-convex, involving generalized fractional integral operators, see [17, 14, 15, 10, 9, 13, 12, 19, 20] and references there in.

In this paper, we will prove a generalization of the identity given by Iqbal *et al.* in [5] by using generalized fractional integral operators. Then we will give some new Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for fractional integral operators.

2. Main results

We start by giving a generalization of Lemma 1, [5]. We will use an abbreviation throughout of this study,

$$M_f(a,b;w;J) = F^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda+1}[w(b-a)^{\rho}]f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{2(b-a)^{\lambda}}\left[\left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,a+;w}f\right)(b) + \left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,b-;w}f\right)(a)\right]$$

that is similar to the symbol " $L_f(a, b; w; J)$ " in [17].

Lemma 2.1. Let $f : [a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable mapping on (a,b) with a < b and $\lambda > 0$. If $f' \in L[a,b]$, then the following equality for generalized fractional integral operators holds:

$$M_f(a,b;w;J) = \frac{b-a}{2} (I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4)$$

where I_1 , I_2 , I_3 and I_4 given in the (2.1), (2.2), (2.3) and (2.4), respectively.

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Proof. Integrating by parts, we get

$$I_{1} = \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f'(tb+(1-t)a) dt$$
(2.1)
$$= t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \frac{f(tb+(1-t)a)}{b-a} \Big|_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} - \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \frac{f(tb+(1-t)a)}{b-a} dt = \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} \left[w \left(\frac{b-a}{2}\right)^{\rho} \right] f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{b-a} \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f(tb+(1-t)a) dt.$$

Analogously:

$$I_{2} = -\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f'(ta+(1-t)b) dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} w \left[\left(\frac{b-a}{2}\right)^{\rho} \right] f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)$$

$$- \frac{1}{b-a} \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f(ta+(1-t)b) dt$$
(2.2)

and

$$\begin{split} I_{3} &= \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] - \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] \right] f'(tb + (1-t)a) dt \quad (2.3) \\ &= t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \frac{f(tb + (1-t)a)}{b-a} \Big|_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \\ &- \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \frac{f(tb + (1-t)a)}{b-a} dt \\ &- \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] \frac{f(tb + (1-t)a)}{b-a} \Big|_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \\ &= \frac{1}{b-a} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \\ &- \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} \left[w\left(\frac{b-a}{2}\right)^{\rho} \right] f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \\ &- \frac{1}{b-a} \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f(tb + (1-t)a) dt. \end{split}$$

Analogously:

$$I_{4} = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] - t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \right] f'(ta+(1-t)b) dt \qquad (2.4)$$

$$= \frac{1}{b-a} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)$$

$$- \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} \left[w\left(\frac{b-a}{2}\right)^{\rho} \right] f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)$$

$$- \frac{1}{b-a} \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f(ta+(1-t)b) dt.$$

Adding the resulting equalities, we obtain

$$I_{1} + I_{2} + I_{3} + I_{4} = \frac{2}{b-a} \mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda+1} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)$$
(2.5)
$$-\frac{1}{b-a} \int_{0}^{1} t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f(ta+(1-t)b) dt$$
$$-\frac{1}{b-a} \int_{0}^{1} t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f(tb+(1-t)a) dt$$
$$= \frac{2}{b-a} \mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda+1} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)$$
$$-\frac{1}{(b-a)^{\lambda+1}} \left[\left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,a^{+};w} f \right) (b) + \left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,b^{-};w} f \right) (a) \right].$$

According to (1.3) and (1.4), changing variables with x = tb + (1 - t)a, we get

$$\int_0^1 t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda}[w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f(tb+(1-t)a) dt = \frac{1}{(b-a)^{\lambda}} \left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,a^+;w} f \right)(b)$$

and changing variables with x = ta + (1 - t)b, we have

$$\int_0^1 t^{\lambda-1} \mathcal{F}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda}[w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f(ta+(1-t)b) dt = \frac{1}{(b-a)^{\lambda}} \left(\mathcal{J}^{\sigma}_{\rho,\lambda,b^-;w} f \right)(a).$$

Thus multiplying both sides of (2.5) by $\frac{(b-a)}{2}$, we get desired result.

Remark 2.2. Taking $\lambda = \alpha$, $\sigma(0) = 1$ and w = 0, then the above equality reduces to equality in Lemma 1, [5].

By using the above generalized new lemma, we obtain some new Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities via generalized fractional integral operators.

Theorem 2.3. Let $f : [a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable mapping on (a,b) with a < b. If |f'| is convex on [a,b], then the following inequality for generalized fractional integral operators holds:

$$|M_{f}(a,b;w;J)| \leq \frac{(b-a)}{2} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma_{1}}[|w|(b-a)^{\rho}][|f'(a)| + |f'(b)|]$$

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where $\rho, \lambda > 0, w \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\sigma_1(k) = \sigma(k) \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k} - 1}{\lambda+\rho k+1}\right)$.

Proof. Using Lemma 2 and the convexity of |f'|, we have

$$\begin{split} |M_{f}(a,b;w;J)| &\leq \frac{b-a}{2} \left\{ |I_{1}| + |I_{2}| + |I_{3}| + |I_{4}| \right\} \\ &= \frac{b-a}{2} \left\{ \left| \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f'(tb + (1-t)a) dt \right| \\ &+ \left| \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} (-t^{\lambda}) \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] f'(ta + (1-t)b) dt \right| \\ &+ \left| \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] - \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \right] f'(tb + (1-t)a) dt \right| \\ &+ \left| \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] - t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \right] f'(tb + (1-t)a) dt \\ &+ \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda} \left| \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \right| |f'(tb + (1-t)a)| dt \\ &+ \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda} \left| \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] - \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] \right| |f'(tb + (1-t)a)| dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left| \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] - \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \right| |f'(ta + (1-t)b)| dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left| \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] - t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \right| |f'(ta + (1-t)b)| dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left| \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] - t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \right| |f'(ta + (1-t)b)| dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left| \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] - t^{\lambda} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \right| |f'(ta + (1-t)b)| dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left| \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho} t^{\rho}] \right| \left| f'(b) + (1-t) |f'(a)| \right| dt \\ &+ \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda+\rho k} \left[t |f'(a)| + (1-t) |f'(a)| \right] dt \\ &+ \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda+\rho k} \left[t |f'(a)| + (1-t) |f'(a)| \right] dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] \left[t |f'(a)| + (1-t) |f'(a)| \right] dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] \left[t |f'(a)| + (1-t) |f'(b)| \right] dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] \left[t |f'(a)| + (1-t) |f'(b)| \right] dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] \left[t |f'(a)| + (1-t) |f'(b)| \right] dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] \left[t |f'(a)| + (1-t) |f'(b)| \right] dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] \left[t |f'(a)| + (1-t) |f'(b)| \right] dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] \left[t |f'(a)| + (1-t) |f'(b)| \right] dt \\ &+ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[t - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] \left[t |f'(b)| + (1-t) \right$$

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$$\begin{split} + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] (1-t) \, dt + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] t dt \\ + \left| f'(b) \right| \left[\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda+\rho k+1} dt + \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda+\rho k} \left(1 - t \right) dt \\ + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] t dt + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1 - t^{\lambda+\rho k} \right] (1-t) \, dt \\ \end{bmatrix} \bigg\} \\ = \left(\frac{b-a}{2} \right) \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma} [w(b-a)^{\rho}] \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k} - 1}{\lambda+\rho k+1} \right) [|f'(a)| + |f'(b)|] \end{split}$$

where we used the facts that

$$\begin{split} \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda+\rho k} \left(1-t\right) dt &= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1}}{\lambda+\rho k+1} - \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}, \\ \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda+\rho k+1} dt &= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}, \\ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1-t^{\lambda+\rho k}\right] \left(1-t\right) dt &= \frac{1}{8} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1} - 1}{\lambda+\rho k+1} + \frac{1-\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}, \\ \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[1-t^{\lambda+\rho k}\right] t dt &= \frac{3}{8} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2} - 1}{\lambda+\rho k+2}. \end{split}$$

The proof is completed.

Corollary 2.4. If we choose $\lambda = \alpha, \sigma(0) = 1$ and w = 0 in Theorem 2.1, we have

$$\left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{\Gamma\left(\alpha+1\right)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[\mathcal{J}_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b) + \mathcal{J}_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a)\right] \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{b-a}{4} \left(\frac{\alpha+2^{1-\alpha}-1}{\alpha+1}\right) \left[|f'(a)| + |f'(b)| \right].$$

Remark 2.5. The above inequality is better than one that was given in Theorem 2 of [5].

Remark 2.6. If we choose $\alpha = 1$ in Corollary 1, we get the inequality in Theorem 2.2 in [6].

Theorem 2.7. Let $f : [a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable mapping on (a,b) with a < b. If $|f'|^q$ is convex on [a,b] for some fixed q > 1, then the following inequality for generalized fractional integral operators holds:

$$|M_{f}(a,b;w;J)| \leq \frac{(b-a)\mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma_{2}}[|w|(b-a)^{\rho}]}{2} \times \left\{ \left(\frac{3|f'(a)|^{q} + |f'(b)|^{q}}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\frac{|f'(a)|^{q} + 3|f'(b)|^{q}}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\}$$

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where $\rho, \lambda > 0, w \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\phi = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left(1 - t^{\lambda + \rho k}\right)^{p} dt$$

and

$$\sigma_2(k) = \sigma(k) \left[\left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{(\lambda+\rho k)p+1}}{(\lambda+\rho k)p+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + \phi^{\frac{1}{p}} \right].$$

Proof. By using Lemma 2 and properties of modulus, we have

$$|M_f(a,b;w;J)| \le \frac{b-a}{2} \left[|I_1| + |I_2| + |I_3| + |I_4| \right].$$
(2.6)

Then by using Hölder integral inequality and convexity of $\left|f'\right|^q$, we have

$$|I_{1}| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k+\lambda+1)}$$

$$\times \left(\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} (t^{\lambda+\rho k})^{p} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} [t |f'(b)|^{q} + (1-t) |f'(a)|^{q}] dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k+\lambda+1)} \left(\frac{(\frac{1}{2})^{(\lambda+\rho k)p+1}}{(\lambda+\rho k)p+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\frac{3 |f'(a)|^{q} + |f'(b)|^{q}}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}},$$

$$(2.7)$$

$$|I_{2}| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)}$$

$$\times \left(\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} (t^{\lambda + \rho k})^{p} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} [t |f'(a)|^{q} + (1-t) |f'(b)|^{q}] dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)} \left(\frac{(\frac{1}{2})^{(\lambda + \rho k)p + 1}}{(\lambda + \rho k)p + 1} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\frac{|f'(a)|^{q} + 3 |f'(b)|^{q}}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}},$$
(2.8)

$$|I_{3}| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)}$$

$$\times \left(\int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left(1 - t^{\lambda + \rho k} \right)^{p} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[t |f'(b)|^{q} + (1-t) |f'(a)|^{q} \right] dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)} \phi^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\frac{|f'(a)|^{q} + 3 |f'(b)|^{q}}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$
(2.9)

and

$$|I_{4}| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)}$$

$$\times \left(\int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left(1 - t^{\lambda + \rho k} \right)^{p} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left[t |f'(a)|^{q} + (1-t) |f'(b)|^{q} \right] dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)} \phi^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\frac{|f'(b)|^{q} + 3 |f'(a)|^{q}}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$
(2.10)

where $\phi = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} (1 - t^{\lambda + \rho k})^{p} dt$.

If we use the inequalities (2.7), (2.8), (2.9) and (2.10) in the inequality (2.6), we get the desired result. So, the proof is completed. \Box

Corollary 2.8. If we choose $\lambda = \alpha, \sigma(0) = 1$ and w = 0 in Theorem 2.2, we have

$$\begin{split} & \left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{\Gamma\left(\alpha+1\right)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[\mathcal{J}_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b) + \mathcal{J}_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a)\right] \right| \\ \leq & \frac{b-a}{2} \left\{ \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha p+1}}{\alpha p+1}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + \Omega^{\frac{1}{p}} \right\} \\ & \times \left\{ \left(\frac{3\left|f'\left(a\right)\right|^{q} + \left|f'\left(b\right)\right|^{q}}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\frac{\left|f'\left(a\right)\right|^{q} + 3\left|f'\left(b\right)\right|^{q}}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\} \\ \leq & \frac{b-a}{2} \left\{ \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha p+1}}{\alpha p+1}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + \Omega^{\frac{1}{p}} \right\} \left(\frac{3^{\frac{1}{q}} + 1}{4^{\frac{1}{q}}}\right) \left[\left|f'\left(a\right)\right| + \left|f'\left(b\right)\right| \right] \end{split}$$

where we used the fact that

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} (a_i + b_i)^r \le \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i^r + \sum_{i=1}^{n} b_i^r$$
(2.11)

for $0 \le r < 1, a_1, a_2, a_3, ..., a_n \ge 0$ and $b_1, b_2, b_3, ..., b_n \ge 0$. Also,

$$\Omega = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} \left(1 - t^{\alpha}\right)^{p} dt$$

The following result is obtained by using the well-known power-mean integral inequality.

Theorem 2.9. Let $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable mapping on (a, b) with a < b. If $|f'|^{\frac{p}{p-1}}$ is convex on [a, b] for some fixed p > 1 with $q = \frac{p}{p-1}$, then the following

inequality for generalized fractional integral operators holds:

$$|M_{f}(a,b;w;J)| \leq \frac{b-a}{2} \mathcal{F}_{\rho,\lambda+1}^{\sigma}[|w|(b-a)^{\rho}](|f'(a)| + |f'(b)|)$$

$$\times \left\{ \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1}}{\lambda+\rho k+1} \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \mu_{1} + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1} - 1}{\lambda+\rho k+1} \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \mu_{2} \right\}$$
(2.12)

 $\rho, \lambda > 0, w \in \mathbb{R}$ and where

$$\mu_1 = \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1}}{\lambda+\rho k+1} - \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

and

$$\mu_2 = \left(\frac{3}{8} + \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda + \rho k + 2}}{\lambda + \rho k + 2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\frac{1}{8} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda + \rho k + 1} - 1}{\lambda + \rho k + 1} + \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda + \rho k + 2}}{\lambda + \rho k + 2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

Proof. By using Lemma 2 and properties of modulus, we have

$$|M_f(a,b;w;J)| \le \frac{b-a}{2} \{|I_1| + |I_2| + |I_3| + |I_4|\}\$$

Then by using the power mean-integral inequality for p > 1, we have

$$|I_{1}| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)}$$

$$\times \left(\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda+\rho k} dt \right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left(\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda+\rho k} |f'(tb+(1-t)a)|^{q} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$
(2.13)

and by using convexity of $|f'|^{\frac{p}{p-1}}$ in (2.13), we have

$$\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\lambda+\rho k} |f'(tb+(1-t)a)|^{q} dt = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2} |f'(b)|^{q} + \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1}}{\lambda+\rho k+1} - \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}\right) |f'(a)|^{q}.$$

If we use last equality in inequality of (2.13), then we get the following inequality as

$$|I_1| \le \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^k (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)}$$

$$\times \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1}}{\lambda+\rho k+1}\right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left\{ \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2} \left|f'\left(b\right)\right|^{q} + \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1}}{\lambda+\rho k+1} - \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}\right) \left|f'\left(a\right)\right|^{q} \right\}$$

As similar to computation of $|I_1|$, we can get $|I_2|$, $|I_3|$ and $|I_4|$ as following:

$$|I_{2}| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho_{k}}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)}$$

$$\times \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1}}{\lambda+\rho k+1}\right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \left\{\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2} |f'(a)|^{q} + \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1}}{\lambda+\rho k+1} - \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}\right) |f'(b)|^{q} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}},$$

$$|I_{3}| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^{k} (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k+\lambda+1)} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1} - 1}{\lambda+\rho k+1}\right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}}$$

$$\times \left\{ \left(\frac{3}{8} + \frac{1-\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}\right) |f'(b)|^{q} + \left(\frac{1}{8} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+1} - 1}{\lambda+\rho k+1} + \frac{1-\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda+\rho k+2}}{\lambda+\rho k+2}\right) |f'(a)|^{q} \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}$$
and

$$|I_4| \le \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma(k) |w|^k (b-a)^{\rho k}}{\Gamma(\rho k + \lambda + 1)} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda + \rho k + 1} - 1}{\lambda + \rho k + 1}\right)^{1 - \frac{1}{q}} \\ \times \left\{ \left(\frac{3}{8} + \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda + \rho k + 2}}{\lambda + \rho k + 2}\right) |f'(a)|^q + \left(\frac{1}{8} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda + \rho k + 1} - 1}{\lambda + \rho k + 1} + \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda + \rho k + 2}}{\lambda + \rho k + 2}\right) |f'(b)|^q \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

Then by using the fact (2.11) in the inequalities of $|I_1|$, $|I_2|$, $|I_3|$ and $|I_4|$ and by using necessary arrangement we get the desired result in (2.12).

Corollary 2.10. If we choose $\lambda = \alpha, \sigma(0) = 1$ and w = 0 in Theorem 2.3, we have

$$\left| f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) - \frac{\Gamma\left(\alpha+1\right)}{2(b-a)^{\alpha}} \left[\mathcal{J}_{a^{+}}^{\alpha}f(b) + \mathcal{J}_{b^{-}}^{\alpha}f(a) \right] \right| \\ \leq \frac{b-a}{2} \left\{ \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha+1}}{\alpha+1}\right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \eta_{1} + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha+1} - 1}{\alpha+1}\right)^{1-\frac{1}{q}} \eta_{2} \right\} \left[|f'(a)| + |f'(b)| \right]$$

where

$$\eta_1 = \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha+2}}{\alpha+2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha+1}}{\alpha+1} - \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha+2}}{\alpha+2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

and

$$\eta_2 = \left(\frac{3}{8} + \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha+2}}{\alpha+2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}} + \left(\frac{1}{8} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha+1} - 1}{\alpha+1} + \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\alpha+2}}{\alpha+2}\right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

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