

On inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type for co-ordinated (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convex functions

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Abstract

In the paper, the authors establish some integral inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type for co-ordinated (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convex functions on a rectangle of the first quadrant in a plane.

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1. Introduction

The following definitions are known in the literature.

Definition 1.1. A function $f : I \subseteq \mathbb{R} = (-\infty, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be convex if $f(\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y) \leq \lambda f(x) + (1 - \lambda)f(y)$ holds for all $x, y \in I$ and $\lambda \in [0, 1]$.

Definition 1.2 ([7]). For $f : [0, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $m \in (0, 1]$, if $f(\lambda x + m(1 - \lambda)y) \leq \lambda f(x) + m(1 - \lambda)f(y)$ is valid for all $x, y \in [0, b]$ and $\lambda \in [0, 1]$, then we say that $f(x)$ is an m -convex function on $[0, b]$.

Definition 1.3 ([6]). For $f : [0, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $(\alpha, m) \in (0, 1] \times (0, 1]$, if $f(\lambda x + m(1 - \lambda)y) \leq \lambda^\alpha f(x) + m(1 - \lambda)^\alpha f(y)$ is valid for all $x, y \in [0, b]$ and $\lambda \in [0, 1]$, then we say that $f(x)$ is an (α, m) -convex function on $[0, b]$.

Definition 1.4 ([3, 4]). A function $f : \Delta = [a, b] \times [c, d] \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be convex on the co-ordinates on Δ if the partial mappings $f_y : u \in [a, b] \rightarrow f(u, y) \in \mathbb{R}$ and $f_x : v \in [c, d] \rightarrow f(x, v) \in \mathbb{R}$ are convex for all $x \in (a, b)$ and $y \in (c, d)$.

Definition 1.5. [3, 4] A function $f : \Delta = [a, b] \times [c, d] \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be convex on the co-ordinates on Δ if

$$f(tx + (1 - t)z, \lambda y + (1 - \lambda)w) \leq t\lambda f(x, y) + t(1 - \lambda)f(x, w) + (1 - t)\lambda f(z, y) + (1 - t)(1 - \lambda)f(z, w)$$

holds for all $t, \lambda \in [0, 1]$ and $(x, y), (z, w) \in \Delta$.

We now recall some inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type.

Theorem 1.1 ([5]). Let $f : \mathbb{R}_0 = [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be m -convex and $m \in (0, 1]$. If $f \in L_1([a, b])$ for $0 \leq a < b < \infty$, then

$$\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq \min \left\{ \frac{f(a) + mf(b/m)}{2}, \frac{mf(a/m) + f(b)}{2} \right\}.$$

Theorem 1.2 ([3, Theorem 2.2]). Let $f : \Delta = [a, b] \times [c, d] \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ be convex on the co-ordinates on Δ . Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) dx + \frac{1}{d-c} \int_c^d f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, y\right) dy \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{(b-a)(d-c)} \int_a^b \int_c^d f(x, y) dy dx \\ &\leq \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b [f(x, c) + f(x, d)] dx + \frac{1}{d-c} \int_c^d [f(a, y) + f(b, y)] dy \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{4} [f(a, c) + f(b, c) + f(a, d) + f(b, d)]. \end{aligned}$$

In [1, 2], the authors introduced the following co-ordinated (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convex functions.

Definition 1.6 ([1, 2]). For $m_1, m_2, \alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in (0, 1]$, a function $f : [0, b] \times [0, d] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be co-ordinated (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convex if

$$\begin{aligned} f(tx + m_1(1-t)z, \lambda y + m_2(1-\lambda)w) \\ \leq t^{\alpha_1} \lambda^{\alpha_2} f(x, y) + m_1(1-t^{\alpha_1}) \lambda^{\alpha_2} f(z, y) + m_2 t^{\alpha_1} (1-\lambda^{\alpha_2}) f(x, w) + m_1 m_2 (1-t^{\alpha_1})(1-\lambda^{\alpha_2}) f(z, w) \quad (1.1) \end{aligned}$$

holds for all $(t, \lambda) \in [0, 1] \times (0, 1)$ and $(x, y), (z, w) \in [0, b] \times [0, d]$.

For more information on Hermite-Hadamard type inequalities for various kinds of convex functions, please refer to the monograph [4], recently published papers [1, 2, 8, 9], and closely related references therein.

In this paper, we will establish some integral inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type for co-ordinated (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convex functions.

2. Integral inequalities of Hermite-Hadamard type

Theorem 2.1. Let $f : \left[0, \frac{b}{m_1^2}\right] \times \left[0, \frac{d}{m_2^2}\right] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be an integrable function with $0 \leq a < b$ and $0 \leq c < d$ for some fixed $m_1, m_2 \in (0, 1]$. If f is co-ordinated (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convex on $\left[0, \frac{b}{m_1^2}\right] \times \left[0, \frac{d}{m_2^2}\right]$ for $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in (0, 1]$, then

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2+1}} \left[\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b G\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) dx + \frac{1}{d-c} \int_c^d G\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, y\right) dy \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2^{2(\alpha_1+\alpha_2)}(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b \left[G(x, y) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1}-1)G\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, y\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + m_2(2^{\alpha_2}-1)G\left(x, \frac{y}{m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 (2^{\alpha_1}-1)(2^{\alpha_2}-1)G\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{y}{m_2}\right) \right] dx dy, \end{aligned} \quad (2.1)$$

where

$$G(u, v) = f(u, v) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1}-1)f\left(\frac{u}{m_1}, v\right) + m_2(2^{\alpha_2}-1)f\left(u, \frac{v}{m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 (2^{\alpha_1}-1)(2^{\alpha_2}-1)f\left(\frac{u}{m_1}, \frac{v}{m_2}\right)$$

for $(u, v) \in \left[a, \frac{b}{m_1}\right] \times \left[c, \frac{d}{m_2}\right]$.

Proof. Using the (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convexity of f with $t = \lambda = \frac{1}{2}$ in (1.1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) &= \int_0^1 f\left(\frac{ta + (1-t)b + (1-t)a + tb}{2}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) dt \\ &\leq \int_0^1 \left[\frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}} f\left(ta + (1-t)b, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) + m_1\left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1}}\right) \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2}} f\left(\frac{(1-t)a + tb}{m_1}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) + m_2 \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1}} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2}}\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times f\left(ta + (1-t)b, \frac{c+d}{2m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1}}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2}}\right) f\left(\frac{(1-t)a + tb}{m_1}, \frac{c+d}{2m_2}\right) \right] dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(b-a)} \int_a^b \left\{ f\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1}-1)f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) \right\} dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + m_2(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)f\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2m_2}\right) + m_1m_2(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{c+d}{2m_2}\right)\Big\} dx \\
& = \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(b-a)} \int_a^b G\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) dx.
\end{aligned}$$

Taking $y = \lambda c + (1-\lambda)d$ for $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$ and using the (α_1, m_1) - (α_1, m_2) -convexity of f with $t = \lambda = \frac{1}{2}$ in (1.1) give

$$\begin{aligned}
f\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) & = \int_0^1 f\left(x, \frac{\lambda c + (1-\lambda)d + (1-\lambda)c + \lambda d}{2}\right) d\lambda \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}} \int_0^1 \left\{ f(x, \lambda c + (1-\lambda)d) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, (1-\lambda)c + \lambda d\right) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + m_2(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)f\left(x, \frac{\lambda c + (1-\lambda)d}{m_2}\right) + m_1m_2(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{(1-\lambda)c + \lambda d}{m_2}\right) \right\} d\lambda \\
& = \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(d-c)} \int_c^d G(x, y) dy
\end{aligned}$$

for $x \in [a, b]$. A direct calculation gives

$$f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) \leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(d-c)} \int_c^d G\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, y\right) dy, \quad f\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2m_2}\right) \leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(d-c)} \int_c^d G\left(x, \frac{y}{m_2}\right) dy,$$

and

$$f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{c+d}{2m_2}\right) \leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(d-c)} \int_c^d G\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{y}{m_2}\right) dy.$$

Combining the above inequalities arrives at

$$\begin{aligned}
f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) & \leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(b-a)} \int_a^b G\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) dx \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2^{2(\alpha_1+\alpha_2)}(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b \left[G(x, y) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)G\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, y\right) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + m_2(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)G\left(x, \frac{y}{m_2}\right) + m_1m_2(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)G\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{y}{m_2}\right) \right] dx dy.
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) & \leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(d-c)} \int_c^d G\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, y\right) dy \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2^{2(\alpha_1+\alpha_2)}(b-a)(d-c)} \int_a^b \int_c^d \left[G(x, y) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)G\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, y\right) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + m_2(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)G\left(x, \frac{y}{m_2}\right) + m_1m_2(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)G\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{y}{m_2}\right) \right] dx dy.
\end{aligned}$$

Utilizing the last two inequalities leads to the inequality (2.1). The proof of Theorem 2.1 is complete. \square

Corollary 2.1.1. Under the conditions of Theorem 2.1,

1. if $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ and $m_1 = m_2 = m$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) & \leq \frac{1}{2^{2\alpha+1}} \left[\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b G\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) dx + \frac{1}{d-c} \int_c^d G\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, y\right) dy \right] \\
& \leq \frac{1}{16^\alpha(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b \left[G(x, y) + m(2^\alpha - 1)G\left(\frac{x}{m}, y\right) + m(2^\alpha - 1)G\left(x, \frac{y}{m}\right) + m^2(2^\alpha - 1)^2G\left(\frac{x}{m}, \frac{y}{m}\right) \right] dx dy;
\end{aligned}$$

2. if $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = 1$ and $m_1 = m_2 = m$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) & \leq \frac{1}{8} \left[\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b G\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) dx + \frac{1}{d-c} \int_c^d G\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, y\right) dy \right] \\
& \leq \frac{1}{16(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b \left[G(x, y) + mG\left(\frac{x}{m}, y\right) + mG\left(x, \frac{y}{m}\right) + m^2G\left(\frac{x}{m}, \frac{y}{m}\right) \right] dx dy.
\end{aligned}$$

Theorem 2.2. Let $f : \left[0, \frac{b}{m_1^2}\right] \times \left[0, \frac{d}{m_2^2}\right] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be an integrable function with $0 \leq a < b$ and $0 \leq c < d$ for some fixed $m_1, m_2 \in (0, 1]$. If f is co-ordinated (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convex on $\left[0, \frac{b}{m_1^2}\right] \times \left[0, \frac{d}{m_2^2}\right]$ for some fixed $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in (0, 1]$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+1}(\alpha_2+1)(b-a)} \int_a^b M(x, c, d) dx + \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2+1}(\alpha_1+1)(d-c)} \int_c^d N(a, b, y) dy \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2+1}(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2+1)} \left[2N(a, b, c) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1} + \alpha_1 - 1)N\left(\frac{a}{m_1}, \frac{b}{m_1}, c\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + m_2(2^{\alpha_2} + \alpha_2 - 1)N\left(a, b, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 [\alpha_2(2^{\alpha_1} - 1) + \alpha_1(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)]N\left(\frac{a}{m_1}, \frac{b}{m_1}, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) \right], \end{aligned}$$

where

$$M(x, w, z) = f(x, w) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, z\right) + m_2\alpha_2 f\left(x, \frac{w}{m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 \alpha_2 (2^{\alpha_1} - 1)f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{z}{m_2}\right)$$

and

$$N(u, v, y) = f(u, y) + m_1\alpha_1 f\left(\frac{v}{m_1}, y\right) + m_2(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)f\left(u, \frac{y}{m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 \alpha_1 (2^{\alpha_2} - 1)f\left(\frac{v}{m_1}, \frac{y}{m_2}\right)$$

for $x, u, v \in [a, \frac{b}{m_1}]$ and $y, w, z \in [c, \frac{d}{m_2}]$.

Proof. Setting $y = \lambda c + (1-\lambda)d$ for $0 < \lambda < 1$. From the (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convexity of f with $t = \frac{1}{2}$ and $0 < \lambda < 1$ in (1.1), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy &= \frac{1}{b-a} \int_0^1 \int_a^b f(x, \lambda c + (1-\lambda)d) dx d\lambda \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1}(b-a)} \int_0^1 \int_a^b \left\{ \lambda^{\alpha_2} f(x, c) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)\lambda^{\alpha_2} f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, c\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + m_2(1 - \lambda^{\alpha_2})f\left(x, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 (2^{\alpha_1} - 1)(1 - \lambda^{\alpha_2})f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) \right\} dx d\lambda \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1}(\alpha_2+1)(b-a)} \int_a^b M(x, c, d) dx. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously, if letting $x = ta + (1-t)b$ for $0 \leq t \leq 1$ and using the (α_1, m_1) - (α_2, m_2) -convexity of f with $0 \leq t \leq 1$ and $\lambda = \frac{1}{2}$ in (1.1), it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x, c) dx &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2}} \int_0^1 \left\{ t^{\alpha_1} f(a, c) + m_1(1 - t^{\alpha_1})f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}, c\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + m_2 t^{\alpha_1} (2^{\alpha_2} - 1)f\left(a, \frac{c}{m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 (1 - t^{\alpha_1})(2^{\alpha_2} - 1)f\left(\frac{b}{m_1}, \frac{c}{m_2}\right) \right\} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2}(\alpha_1+1)} N(a, b, c) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, c\right) dx &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2}(\alpha_1+1)} N\left(\frac{a}{m_1}, \frac{b}{m_1}, c\right), \quad \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f\left(x, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) dx \leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2}(\alpha_1+1)} N\left(a, b, \frac{d}{m_2}\right), \\ \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f\left(\frac{x}{m_1}, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) dx &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2}(\alpha_1+1)} N\left(\frac{a}{m_1}, \frac{b}{m_1}, \frac{d}{m_2}\right). \end{aligned}$$

When combining the above inequalities, we find

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1}(\alpha_2+1)(b-a)} \int_a^b M(x, c, d) dx \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2+1)} \left[N(a, b, c) + m_1(2^{\alpha_1} - 1)N\left(\frac{a}{m_1}, \frac{b}{m_1}, c\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + m_2\alpha_2 N\left(a, b, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 \alpha_2 (2^{\alpha_1} - 1)N\left(\frac{a}{m_1}, \frac{b}{m_1}, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we have

$$\frac{1}{(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy \leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_2}(\alpha_1+1)(d-c)} \int_c^d N(a, b, y) dy$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2+1)} \left[N(a, b, c) + m_1 \alpha_1 N\left(\frac{a}{m_1}, \frac{b}{m_1}, c\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + m_2 (2^{\alpha_2} - 1) N\left(a, b, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) + m_1 m_2 \alpha_1 (2^{\alpha_2} - 1) N\left(\frac{a}{m_1}, \frac{b}{m_1}, \frac{d}{m_2}\right) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Combining the last two inequalities leads to the inequality in Theorem 2.2. The proof of Theorem 2.2 is thus complete. \square

Corollary 2.2.1. Under the conditions of Theorem 2.2, if $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ and $m_1 = m_2 = m$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha+1}(\alpha+1)} \left[\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b M(x, c, d) dx + \frac{1}{(d-c)} \int_c^d N(a, b, y) dy \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2^{2\alpha+1}(\alpha+1)^2} \left[2N(a, b, c) + m(2^\alpha + \alpha - 1) N\left(\frac{a}{m}, \frac{b}{m}, c\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + m(2^\alpha + \alpha - 1) N\left(a, b, \frac{d}{m}\right) + 2m^2 \alpha (2^\alpha - 1) N\left(\frac{a}{m}, \frac{b}{m}, \frac{d}{m}\right) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 2.2.2. Under the assumptions of Theorems 2.1 and 2.2, if $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ and $m_1 = m_2 = m$, then

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f\left(x, \frac{c+d}{2}\right) dx + \frac{1}{d-c} \int_c^d f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}, y\right) dy \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{(b-a)(d-c)} \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2^{\alpha+1}} \left[\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b [f(x, c) + (2^\alpha - 1)f(x, d)] dx + \frac{1}{d-c} \int_c^d [f(a, y) + (2^\alpha - 1)f(b, y)] dy \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2^{2\alpha+1}(\alpha+1)^2} \left[2N(a, b, c) + m(2^\alpha + \alpha - 1) N\left(\frac{a}{m}, \frac{b}{m}, c\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + m(2^\alpha + \alpha - 1) N\left(a, b, \frac{d}{m}\right) + 2m^2 \alpha (2^\alpha - 1) N\left(\frac{a}{m}, \frac{b}{m}, \frac{d}{m}\right) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

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