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Fejér–Pachpatte–Mercer-Type Inequalities for Harmonically Convex Functions Involving Exponential Function in Kernel

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In the present study, fractional variants of Hermite–Hadamard, Hermite–Hadamard–Fejér, and Pachpatte inequalities are studied by employing Mercer concept. Firstly, new Hermite–Hadamard–Mercer-type inequalities are presented for harmonically convex functions involving fractional integral operators with exponential kernel. Then, weighted Hadamard–Fejér–Mercer-type inequalities involving exponential function as kernel are proved. Finally, Pachpatte–Mercer-type inequalities for products of harmonically convex functions via fractional integral operators with exponential kernel are constructed.

1. Introduction

Integral inequalities have been widely used in various sciences, including mathematical sciences, applied sciences, differential equations, and functional analysis. In the last two decades, these inequalities have gained attention from researchers. In most mathematical analysis areas, many types of integral inequalities are used. They are very important in approximation theory and numerical analysis, which estimate the error's approximation. Integral inequalities are useful tools in the study of different classes of differential equations and integral equations. They are today employed not only in mathematics but also in physics, computer science, and biology.

Convexity has several uses in business, medicine, industry, and art that have a significant impact on our daily lives. One of the most important applications of the convex function is the formulation of inequalities. Many equalities and inequalities have been defined for convex functions, but Jensen's inequality and the Hermite–Hadamard integral inequality are the most notable results [1–3]. The following

notion of convex function plays a significant role in optimization theory and in other fields of sciences.

Definition 1. A function $\Omega: I \subset \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called a convex function on I , if

$$\Omega(\eta \mathbf{a}_1 + (1 - \eta) \mathbf{a}_2) \leq \eta \Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta) \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2), \quad (1)$$

for all $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in I$ and $\eta \in [0, 1]$, holds.

The following classical Jensen's inequality is defined as generalization of convex functions.

Theorem 1 (see [1]). *Suppose that Ω is a convex function on $[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$; then,*

$$\Omega\left(\sum_{\ell=1}^n \eta_{\ell} \mathbf{x}_{\ell}\right) \leq \sum_{\ell=1}^n \eta_{\ell} \Omega(\mathbf{x}_{\ell}), \quad (2)$$

for all $\mathbf{x}_{\ell} \in [\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$ and $\eta_{\ell} \in [0, 1]$, where $\ell = 1, 2, \dots, n$ with $\sum_{\ell=1}^n \eta_{\ell} = 1$.

Inequality (2) is a key to extract applications in information theory. It is very useful in computing optimal bounds for joint and conditional entropies and mutual information (for instance, see [4–6] and the references therein).

Hermite–Hadamard inequalities may be considered as a refinement of the concept of convexity, and it is simply inferred from Jensen’s inequality as follows.

Theorem 2 (see [2]). *If Ω is a convex function on the interval $[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$ with $\mathbf{a}_1 < \mathbf{a}_2$, then*

$$\Omega\left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}{2}\right) \leq \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^{\mathbf{a}_2} \Omega(x) dx \leq \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2}. \quad (3)$$

It has been applied in several branches such as finance, engineering, and science (see [2]). In recent years, Hermite–Hadamard inequalities for convex functions have gotten a lot of attention, and as a result, there have been a lot of refinements and generalizations.

In 2003, Mercer presented a variant of Jensen’s inequality as follows.

Theorem 3 (see [7]). *Suppose that Ω is a convex function on the interval $[\theta_1, \theta_2]$; then,*

$$\Omega\left(\theta_1 + \theta_2 - \sum_{\ell=1}^n \eta_\ell x_\ell\right) \leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \sum_{\ell=1}^n \eta_\ell \Omega(x_\ell), \quad (4)$$

for all $x_\ell \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$ and $\eta_\ell \in [0, 1]$, where $\ell = 1, 2, \dots, n$ with $\sum_{\ell=1}^n \eta_\ell = 1$.

Over the years, the Jensen–Mercer inequality became a topic of foremost interest for many scholars as they have investigated and studied in various ways including bringing it to a higher dimension and acquiring it for convex operators along with its several refinements, operator variants for superquadratic functions, improvements, and many generalizations with applications in information theory (see [8–10]).

In [11], İşcan gave the definition of harmonic convexity as follows.

Definition 2. A function $\Omega: I \subset \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be harmonically convex on I , if

$$\Omega\left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\eta \mathbf{a}_1 + (1 - \eta) \mathbf{a}_2}\right) \leq \eta \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2) + (1 - \eta) \Omega(\mathbf{a}_1), \quad (5)$$

holds for all $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in I$ and $\eta \in [0, 1]$.

In [11], İşcan for the first time introduced the Hermite–Hadamard inequality for harmonically convex function along with the following identity.

Theorem 4 (see [11]). *Suppose that $\Omega: I \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a harmonically convex function and $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in I$ with $\mathbf{a}_1 < \mathbf{a}_2$. If $\Omega \in L[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$, then*

$$\Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) \leq \frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^{\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{\Omega(x)}{x^2} dx \leq \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2}. \quad (6)$$

Lemma 1 (see [11]). *If $\Omega: I \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a differentiable function on I° and $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in I$ with $\mathbf{a}_1 < \mathbf{a}_2$ and $\Omega' \in L[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2} - \frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^{\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{\Omega(x)}{x^2} dx \\ &= \frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2 (\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{1 - 2\eta}{(\eta \mathbf{a}_2 + (1 - \eta) \mathbf{a}_1)^2} \Omega' \\ & \quad \cdot \left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\eta \mathbf{a}_2 + (1 - \eta) \mathbf{a}_1} \right) d\eta. \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

The most prominent inequalities connected to the integral mean of a harmonically convex function are the Hermite–Hadamard inequalities or their weighted versions which are called Hermite–Hadamard–Fejér inequalities for harmonically convex functions. In [12], Chen and Wu established the Hermite–Hadamard–Fejér inequality for harmonically convex functions.

Theorem 5 (see [12]). *Let $\Omega: I \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a harmonically convex function and $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in I$ with $\mathbf{a}_1 < \mathbf{a}_2$. If $\Omega \in L[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$ and $\omega: [\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is non-negative, integrable, and harmonically symmetric with respect to $2\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2 / \mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2$, that is, $\omega(x) = \omega(1/(1/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1/\mathbf{a}_2) - (1/x))$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^{\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{\omega(x)}{x^2} dx &\leq \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^{\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{\Omega(x) \omega(x)}{x^2} dx \\ &\leq \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^{\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{\omega(x)}{x^2} dx. \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

In [13], Chen and Wu obtained two Hermite–Hadamard-type inequalities for products of harmonically convex functions as follows.

Theorem 6 (see [13]). *Let $\Omega, \omega: [\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$, $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in (0, \infty)$, be functions such that $\Omega, \omega, \Omega\omega \in L[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$. If Ω and ω are harmonically convex on $[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$, then*

$$\frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^{\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{\Omega(x) \omega(x)}{x^2} dx \leq \frac{1}{3} M(\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + \frac{1}{6} N(\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2), \quad (9)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2\Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) \omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) &\leq \frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^{\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{\Omega(x) \omega(x)}{x^2} dx \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{6} M(\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + \frac{1}{3} N(\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2), \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

where $M(\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) = \Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) \omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2) \omega(\mathbf{a}_2)$ and $N(\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) = \Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) \omega(\mathbf{a}_2) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2) \omega(\mathbf{a}_1)$.

Fractional calculus is an extension of classical calculus. Fractional calculus is now a well-known technique in engineering science, with wide range of applications in material modeling. A growing number of degree considerations have recently been given to fractional calculus and its numerous applications. Fractional integral/derivative operators are extremely important in the development of fractional calculus. Fractional differential equations and dynamical frameworks were established a few decades ago as key tools for exhibiting a variety of phenomena in various branches of pure and applied sciences. Many physical problems can be modeled using fractional differential equations, including heat equations, wave equations, Poisson equations, and Laplace equations, biological populations, fluid mechanics, thermodynamics, viscoelasticity, vibration, advection-diffusion, groundwater flow with memory, and signal processing [14, 15]. Several studies have shown that fractional operators can accurately explain complex long memory and multiscale phenomena in materials that are difficult to capture using standard mathematical methods including classical differential calculus. The significance of fractional calculus can be more understandable, and several works involving fractional calculus have been done.

Several well-known inequalities and related results can be generalized and extended via fractional integral operators (see [16–19] and the references therein).

Definition 3 (see [15]). Let $\Omega \in L[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$. The Riemann–Liouville fractional integrals $J_{\mathbf{a}_1^+}^\alpha \Omega$ and $J_{\mathbf{a}_2^-}^\alpha \Omega$ of order $\alpha > 0$ with $\mathbf{a}_1 \geq 0$ are defined by

$$J_{\mathbf{a}_1^+}^\alpha \Omega(\kappa) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^\kappa (\kappa - u)^{\alpha-1} \Omega(u) du, \quad \kappa > \mathbf{a}_1,$$

$$J_{\mathbf{a}_2^-}^\alpha \Omega(\kappa) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_\kappa^{\mathbf{a}_2} (u - \kappa)^{\alpha-1} \Omega(u) du, \quad \kappa < \mathbf{a}_2,$$
(11)

respectively. Here, $\Gamma(\alpha)$ is the gamma function defined by $\Gamma(\alpha) = \int_0^\infty e^{-u} u^{\alpha-1} du$ and $J_{\mathbf{a}_1^+}^0 \Omega(\kappa) = J_{\mathbf{a}_2^-}^0 \Omega(\kappa) = \Omega(\kappa)$.

In [20], Iscan and Wu for the first time introduced Hermite–Hadamard-type inequalities for harmonically convex functions for Riemann–Liouville fractional integral operators along with the following integral identity.

Theorem 7 (see [20]). *Let $\Omega: [\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function with $\mathbf{a}_1 < \mathbf{a}_2$ and $\Omega \in L[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$. If Ω is a harmonically convex function, then*

$$\Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) \leq \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2} \left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}\right)^\alpha \left[J_{1/\mathbf{a}_1^-}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + J_{1/\mathbf{a}_2^+}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \leq \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2},$$
(12)

where $\mathbf{g}(u) = 1/u$.

Lemma 2 (see [20]). *Suppose that $\Omega: [\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a differentiable function on I° and $\Omega' \in L[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$; then,*

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2} - \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + 1)}{2} \left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}\right)^\alpha \left[J_{1/\mathbf{a}_1^-}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + J_{1/\mathbf{a}_2^+}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \\ &= \frac{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{[\eta^\alpha - (1 - \eta)^\alpha]}{(\eta\mathbf{a}_1 + (1 - \eta)\mathbf{a}_2)^2} \Omega' \left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\eta\mathbf{a}_1 + (1 - \eta)\mathbf{a}_2} \right) d\eta, \end{aligned}$$
(13)

where $\mathbf{g}(u) = 1/u$.

In [21], İşcan and Kunt represented the Hermite–Hadamard–Fejér-type inequality for harmonically convex functions in Riemann–Liouville fractional integral forms as follows.

Theorem 8 (see [21]). *Let $\Omega: I \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a harmonically convex function and $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in I$ with $\mathbf{a}_1 < \mathbf{a}_2$. If $\Omega \in L[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2]$ and $\omega: [\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is nonnegative, integrable, and harmonically symmetric with respect to $2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2/\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2$, that is, $\omega(\kappa) = \omega(1/(1/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1/\mathbf{a}_2) - (1/\kappa))$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} & \Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) \left[J_{1/\mathbf{a}_1^-}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + J_{1/\mathbf{a}_2^+}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \\ & \leq \left[J_{1/\mathbf{a}_1^-}^\alpha (\Omega \omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + J_{1/\mathbf{a}_2^+}^\alpha (\Omega \omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \\ & \leq \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2} \left[J_{1/\mathbf{a}_1^-}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + J_{1/\mathbf{a}_2^+}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right], \end{aligned}$$
(14)

where $\alpha > 0$ $\mathbf{g}(u) = 1/u$, $u \in [1/\mathbf{a}_2, 1/\mathbf{a}_1]$.

The importance of Hadamard-type inequalities is due to their roles in various fields of modern mathematics such as numerical analysis, probability, mathematical analysis, and related fields [2, 22]. Many researchers generalize and extend their studies to Hermite–Hadamard, Hermite–Hadamard–Fejér, and Pachpatte-type inequalities involving fractional integrals for various classes of convex functions (see [20, 21, 23, 24] and the references therein).

Recently (from 2020 to 2021), some new kinds of fractional treatment of Hermite–Jensen–Mercer-type inequalities for a variety of fractional integral operators were presented in [25–27]. All these results were investigated for convex functions or s -convex functions, and many applications to special functions like Bessel and q -digamma functions were obtained.

Since there is a massive literature about the development of fractional Mercer integral inequalities involving convex functions but still there exist many gaps to be filled for fractional integral inequalities for other classes of convex functions. Therefore, the basic aim of this paper is to present three new Hadamard–Mercer-type inequalities for harmonically convex functions using fractional integral operators with exponential kernel. We also give fractional Mercer integral inequalities for product of two harmonically convex functions. We hope that the new techniques formulated in this paper are more energizing than the accessible one.

Ahmad et al. [23] gave the definition of two new fractional integral operators with an exponential kernel.

Definition 4. Let $\Omega \in L(\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2)$. The fractional integral operators $I_{\mathbf{a}_1}^\alpha \Omega(\varkappa)$ and $I_{\mathbf{a}_2}^\alpha \Omega(\varkappa)$ of order $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ are, respectively, defined by

$$I_{\mathbf{a}_1}^\alpha \Omega(\varkappa) = \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^\varkappa \exp\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}(\varkappa-u)\right) \Omega(u) du, \quad \varkappa > \mathbf{a}_1,$$

$$I_{\mathbf{a}_2}^\alpha \Omega(\varkappa) = \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_\varkappa^{\mathbf{a}_2} \exp\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}(u-\varkappa)\right) \Omega(u) du, \quad \varkappa < \mathbf{a}_2. \tag{15}$$

Remark 1. If $\alpha = 1$, then

$$\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 1} I_{\mathbf{a}_1}^\alpha \Omega(\varkappa) = \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^\varkappa \Omega(u) du,$$

$$\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 1} I_{\mathbf{a}_2}^\alpha \Omega(\varkappa) = \int_\varkappa^{\mathbf{a}_2} \Omega(u) du. \tag{16}$$

For the convenience of expression, throughout the paper, we set

$$\rho = \frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha} \left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2} \right). \tag{17}$$

2. Hermite–Hadamard–Mercer-Type Inequalities for Harmonically Convex Function

Theorem 9. Suppose that $\Omega: [\theta_1, \theta_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a positive function with $0 \leq \theta_1 < \theta_2$. If Ω is a harmonically convex function on $[\theta_1, \theta_2]$ and $\Omega \in L[\theta_1, \theta_2]$, then

$$\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \frac{1-\alpha}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \left[I_{1/\mathbf{a}_1}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{1/\mathbf{a}_2}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right]$$

$$\leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right), \tag{18}$$

$$\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \leq \frac{1-\alpha}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]}$$

$$\cdot \left[I_{((1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_1))}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{((1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_2))}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right]$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right]$$

$$\leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2}, \tag{19}$$

for all $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$, $\alpha > 0$, $\mathbf{g}(u) = 1/u$, $u \in [1/\theta_2, 1/\theta_1]$ and ρ is defined in (17).

Proof. Using the Jensen–Mercer inequality for harmonically convex function, we have

$$\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\overline{\mathbf{a}_1} + \overline{\mathbf{a}_2}/2\overline{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2})}\right) \leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2)$$

$$- \frac{\Omega(\overline{\mathbf{a}_1}) + \Omega(\overline{\mathbf{a}_2})}{2}, \tag{20}$$

for all $\bar{a}_1, \bar{a}_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$. By changing of the variables $\bar{a}_1 = a_1 a_2 / \eta a_1 + (1 - \eta) a_2$, $\bar{a}_2 = a_1 a_2 / \eta a_2 + (1 - \eta) a_1$ for all $a_1, a_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$ and $\eta \in [0, 1]$ in (20), we obtain

$$\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (a_1 + a_2/2a_1 a_2)}\right) \leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{a_1 a_2}{\eta a_1 + (1 - \eta) a_2}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{a_1 a_2}{\eta a_2 + (1 - \eta) a_1}\right) \right]. \tag{21}$$

Multiplying by $\exp(-\rho\eta)$ on both sides of (21) and then integrating with respect to η over $[0, 1]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{[1 - \exp(-\rho)]}{\rho} \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (a_1 + a_2/2a_1 a_2)}\right) \\ & \leq \frac{[1 - \exp(-\rho)]}{\rho} [\Omega(a_1) + \Omega(a_2)] - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \\ & \quad \cdot \left[\Omega\left(\frac{a_1 a_2}{\eta a_1 + (1 - \eta) a_2}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{a_1 a_2}{\eta a_2 + (1 - \eta) a_1}\right) \right] d\eta \\ & = \frac{[1 - \exp(-\rho)]}{\rho} [\Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2)] - \frac{a_1 a_2}{2(a_2 - a_1)} \left[\int_{1/a_2}^{1/a_1} \exp\left(-\frac{1 - \alpha}{\alpha} \left(\frac{1}{a_1} - u\right)\right) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) du \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \int_{1/a_2}^{1/a_1} \exp\left(-\frac{1 - \alpha}{\alpha} \left(u - \frac{1}{a_2}\right)\right) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) du \right] \\ & = \frac{[1 - \exp(-\rho)]}{\rho} [\Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2)] - \frac{\alpha a_1 a_2}{2(a_2 - a_1)} \left[I_{1/a_2}^\alpha (\Omega \circ g)\left(\frac{1}{a_1}\right) + I_{1/a_1}^\alpha (\Omega \circ g)\left(\frac{1}{a_2}\right) \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{22}$$

Multiplying by $\rho/[1 - \exp(-\rho)]$ on both sides of above equation and putting the value of ρ which is given in (17), we get

$$\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - a_1 + a_2/2a_1 a_2}\right) \leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \frac{1 - \alpha}{2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} \left[I_{1/a_1}^\alpha (\Omega \circ g)\left(\frac{1}{a_2}\right) + I_{1/a_2}^\alpha (\Omega \circ g)\left(\frac{1}{a_1}\right) \right]. \tag{23}$$

Thus, the first inequality of (18) is proved. Now we prove the second inequality in (18); since Ω is a harmonically convex function, then, for $\eta \in [0, 1]$, it yields

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega\left(\frac{2a_1 a_2}{a_1 + a_2}\right) & = \Omega\left(\frac{2}{(\eta/a_1) + (1 - \eta/a_2) + (1 - \eta/a_1) + (\eta/a_2)}\right) \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{a_1 a_2}{\eta a_2 + (1 - \eta) a_1}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{a_1 a_2}{\eta a_1 + (1 - \eta) a_2}\right) \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{24}$$

Multiplying by $\exp(-\rho\eta)$ on both sides of (24) and then integrating with respect to η over $[0, 1]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{[1 - \exp(-\rho)]}{\rho} \Omega\left(\frac{2a_1 a_2}{a_1 + a_2}\right) \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \Omega\left(\frac{a_1 a_2}{\eta a_2 + (1 - \eta) a_1}\right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \Omega\left(\frac{a_1 a_2}{\eta a_1 + (1 - \eta) a_2}\right) d\eta \right] \\ & = \frac{\alpha a_1 a_2}{2(a_2 - a_1)} \left[I_{1/a_1}^\alpha (\Omega \circ g)\left(\frac{1}{a_2}\right) + I_{1/a_2}^\alpha (\Omega \circ g)\left(\frac{1}{a_1}\right) \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{25}$$

Then,

$$-\Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) \geq -\frac{1 - \alpha}{2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} \cdot \left[I_{1/\mathbf{a}_1}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathfrak{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{1/\mathbf{a}_2}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathfrak{g})\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right]. \quad (26)$$

Adding $\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)$ to both sides of (26), we find the second inequality of (18).

Now, we prove inequality (19). Since Ω is a harmonically convex function, then, we have that for any $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$,

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) &= \Omega\left(\frac{1}{1/2((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right] \\ &\leq \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2}. \end{aligned} \quad (27)$$

Replacing \mathbf{a}_1 and \mathbf{a}_2 by $1/(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)$ and $1/(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)$, respectively, in (27), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\eta/\mathbf{a}_1 + 1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1 + \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (28)$$

Multiplying by $\exp(-\rho\eta)$ on both sides of (28) and then integrating with respect to η over $[0, 1]$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{[1 - \exp(-\rho)]}{\rho} \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\eta/\mathbf{a}_1 + 1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) d\eta \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1 + \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) d\eta \right] \\ &\leq \frac{[1 - \exp(-\rho)]}{2\rho} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (29)$$

It is obvious that

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1}{2} \left[\int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) d\eta + \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1 + \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) d\eta \right] \\
 &= \frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{2(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)} \left[\int_{(1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^{(1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \exp\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha} \left(\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) - u\right)\right) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) du \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \int_{(1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^{(1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \exp\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha} \left(u - \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right)\right)\right) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) du \right] \\
 &= \frac{\alpha \mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{2(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)} \left[I_{((1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_1))}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{((1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_2))}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right].
 \end{aligned} \tag{30}$$

Using the Jensen–Mercer inequality for harmonically convex function, we conclude that

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \\
 & \leq \frac{1-\alpha}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \left[I_{((1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_1))}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{((1/\theta_1)+(1/\theta_2)-(1/\mathbf{a}_2))}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_1 - 1/\mathbf{a}_1}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_1 - 1/\mathbf{a}_2}\right) \right] \\
 & \leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{31}$$

So, inequality (19) is proved. □

$$\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 1} \frac{1-\alpha}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} = \frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{2(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)}. \tag{32}$$

Remark 2. If we take $\mathbf{a}_1 = \theta_1$ and $\mathbf{a}_2 = \theta_2$ in Theorem 9, then we have Theorem 2.1 in [24].

Under the assumptions of Theorem 9 with $\alpha = 1$, one has

Remark 3. For $\alpha \rightarrow 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) & \leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \int_0^1 \Omega\left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\eta \mathbf{a}_1 + (1 - \eta) \mathbf{a}_2}\right) d\eta \\
 & \leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right),
 \end{aligned} \tag{33}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) & \leq \frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^{\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{1}{\eta^2} \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\eta)}\right) d\eta \\
 & \leq \Omega(\theta_1) + \Omega(\theta_2) - \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2},
 \end{aligned} \tag{34}$$

for all $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$. Inequalities (33) and (34) were proved by Baloch et al. in [28, Theorem 3.5] and [29, Theorem 2.1].

Remark 4. If $\alpha \rightarrow 1$, $\mathbf{a}_1 = \theta_1$, and $\mathbf{a}_2 = \theta_2$ in Theorem 9, then we have Hermite–Hadamard inequality (6) for harmonically convex function which was proved by İşcan in [11].

Lemma 3. Let $\Omega: [\theta_1, \theta_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on (θ_1, θ_2) with $\theta_1 < \theta_2$. If $\Omega' \in L[\theta_1, \theta_2]$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right] - \frac{1-\alpha}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \\ & \cdot \left[I^\alpha \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) + I^\alpha \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) \right] \\ & = \frac{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \left[\int_0^1 \frac{\exp(-\rho(1-\eta))}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))^2} \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) d\eta \right. \\ & \left. - \int_0^1 \frac{\exp(-\rho\eta)}{((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)))^2} \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) d\eta \right], \end{aligned} \quad (35)$$

for all $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$, $\alpha > 0$, and $\mathbf{g}(u) = 1/u$, $u \in [1/\theta_2, 1/\theta_1]$.

Proof. Let $A_\eta = 1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - (\eta/\mathbf{a}_1 + 1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)$. It suffices to note that

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right] - \frac{1-\alpha}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \\ & \cdot \left[I^\alpha_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1)} (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) + I^\alpha_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2)} (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) \right] \\ & = \frac{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \left[\int_0^1 \frac{\exp(-\rho(1-\eta))}{A_\eta^2} \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) d\eta \right. \\ & \left. - \int_0^1 \frac{\exp(-\rho\eta)}{A_\eta^2} \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) d\eta \right] = I_1 - I_2. \end{aligned} \quad (36)$$

By integrating by part, we have

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= \frac{1}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \left[\exp(-\rho(1-\eta)) \Omega \left(\frac{1}{A_\eta} \right) \Big|_0^1 - \rho \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \Omega \left(\frac{1}{A_\eta} \right) d\eta \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \left[\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) - \exp(-\rho) \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right. \\ & \left. - \rho \left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \right) \int_{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1}^{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2} \exp \left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha} \left(u - \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) \right) \right) \Omega \left(\frac{1}{u} \right) du \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \left[\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) - \exp(-\rho) \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right. \\ & \left. - \rho \left(\frac{\alpha\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \right) I^\alpha_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2)} (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) \right], \end{aligned} \quad (37)$$

and similarly we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_2 &= \frac{1}{2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} \left[\exp(-\rho\eta)\Omega\left(\frac{1}{A_\eta}\right) \Big|_0^1 - (-\rho) \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta)\Omega\left(\frac{1}{A_\eta}\right) d\eta \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} \left[\exp(-\rho)\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_1) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) - \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \rho \left(\frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \right) \int_{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_1) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_1) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \exp\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha} \left(\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) - u \right)\right) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) du \right] \tag{38} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} \left[\exp(-\rho)\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) - \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \rho \left(\frac{\alpha \mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \right) I_{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_1) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

Using (37) and (40) in (36), we get equality (35). \square

Remark 5. From Lemma 2 with $\alpha \rightarrow 1$, $\mathbf{a}_1 = \theta_1$, and $\mathbf{a}_2 = \theta_2$, we indeed have Lemma 1 which was proved by İşcan in [11].

Theorem 10. If $\Omega: I = [\theta_1, \theta_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a differentiable function on (θ_1, θ_2) with $\theta_1 < \theta_2$ and $\Omega' \in L[\theta_1, \theta_2]$. If $|\Omega'|$ is a harmonically convex on $[\theta_1, \theta_2]$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\left| \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right] - \frac{1-\alpha}{2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} \left[I_{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) \right. \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \left. + I_{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) \right] \right| \\
 &\leq \frac{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}{2\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2 [1 - \exp(-\rho)]} \int_0^{1/2} [\exp(-\rho\eta) - \exp(-\rho(1-\eta))] \left[\left(\frac{\eta}{\mu_1^2} + \frac{1-\eta}{\mu_2^2} \right) \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \right| \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \left(\frac{1-\eta}{\mu_1^2} + \frac{\eta}{\mu_2^2} \right) \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right| \right] d\eta, \tag{39}
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\mu_1 = \frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \left(\frac{\eta}{\mathbf{a}_1} + \frac{1-\eta}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right), \tag{40}$$

$$\mu_2 = \frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \left(\frac{1-\eta}{\mathbf{a}_1} + \frac{\eta}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right), \tag{41}$$

for all $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$, $\alpha > 0$, and $\mathbf{g}(u) = 1/u$, $u \in [1/\theta_2, 1/\theta_1]$.

Proof. Since $|\Omega'|$ is a harmonically convex on $[\theta_1, \theta_2]$, using Lemma 2, we can obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right] - \frac{1-\alpha}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) \right] \right| \\
& \leq \frac{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \int_0^1 \frac{|\exp(-\rho\eta) - \exp(-\rho(1-\eta))|}{((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)))^2} \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \right| d\eta \\
& \leq \frac{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \left[\int_0^{1/2} \frac{[\exp(-\rho\eta) - \exp(-\rho(1-\eta))]}{((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)))^2} \left(\eta \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \right| \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + (1-\eta) \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right| \right) d\eta + \int_{1/2}^1 \frac{[\exp(-\rho(1-\eta)) - \exp(-\rho\eta)]}{((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)))^2} \right. \\
& \quad \cdot \left(\eta \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \right| \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + (1-\eta) \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right| \right) d\eta \right] \leq \frac{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \\
& \quad \cdot \left[\int_0^{1/2} \frac{[\exp(-\rho\eta) - \exp(-\rho(1-\eta))]}{((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)))^2} \left(\eta \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \right| \right) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + (1-\eta) \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right| \right) d\eta + \int_0^{1/2} \frac{[\exp(-\rho\eta) - \exp(-\rho(1-\eta))]}{((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)))^2} \\
& \quad \cdot \left((1-\eta) \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \right| \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + \eta \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right| \right) d\eta \right] \\
& = \frac{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1}{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} \int_0^{1/2} [\exp(-\rho\eta) - \exp(-\rho(1-\eta))] \\
& \quad \cdot \left[\left(\frac{\eta}{\mu_1^2} + \frac{1-\eta}{\mu_2^2} \right) \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \right| + \left(\frac{1-\eta}{\mu_1^2} + \frac{\eta}{\mu_2^2} \right) \left| \Omega' \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right| \right] d\eta.
\end{aligned} \tag{42}$$

This completes the proof.

Remark 6. For $\alpha \rightarrow 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 1} \frac{1-\alpha}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} &= \frac{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{2(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)}, \\
\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 1} \frac{\exp(-\rho\eta) - \exp(-\rho(1-\eta))}{2[1-\exp(-\rho)]} &= \frac{1-2\eta}{2}.
\end{aligned} \tag{43}$$

□ If $\alpha \rightarrow 1$, $\mathbf{a}_1 = \theta_1$, and $\mathbf{a}_2 = \theta_2$ in Theorem 10, then we get Theorem 2.6 which was proved by İşcan in [11].

3. Fejér–Hadamard–Mercer-Type Inequality for Harmonically Convex Function

Theorem 11. If $\Omega: I \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a harmonically convex function for $\theta_1, \theta_2 \in I$ with $\theta_1 < \theta_2$. such that If $\Omega \in L[\theta_1, \theta_2]$ and $\omega: [\theta_1, \theta_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is nonnegative,

integrable, and harmonically symmetric with respect to $2\theta_1\theta_2/\theta_1 + \theta_2$, that is, $\omega(\chi) = \omega(1/(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\chi))$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \\ & \leq \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right] \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right], \end{aligned} \tag{44}$$

for all $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$, $\alpha > 0$, and $\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{u}) = 1/\mathbf{u}$, $u \in [1/\theta_2, 1/\theta_1]$.

Proof. If Ω is a harmonically convex function on $[\theta_1, \theta_2]$, then for all $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$,

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) &= \Omega\left(\frac{1}{1/2((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + \eta/\mathbf{a}_2}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right] \leq \frac{\Omega(\mathbf{a}_1) + \Omega(\mathbf{a}_2)}{2}. \end{aligned} \tag{45}$$

Replacing \mathbf{a}_1 and \mathbf{a}_2 by $1/(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)$ and $1/(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)$, respectively, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right] \\ &\leq \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{46}$$

Multiplying by

$$\exp(-\rho\eta)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right), \tag{47}$$

on both sides of (46) and then integrating with respect to η over $[0, 1]$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
& 2\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) d\eta \\
& \leq \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta)\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) d\eta \\
& + \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta)\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) d\eta \\
& \leq \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right)\right] \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) d\eta,
\end{aligned} \tag{48}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta)\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) d\eta \\
& + \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta)\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) d\eta \\
& = \frac{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \left[\int_{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1}^{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2} \exp\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\left(u - \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right)\right)\right) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)) + ((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)) - u}\right) \right. \\
& \quad \left. \omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) du + \int_{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1}^{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2} \exp\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\left(u - \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right)\right)\right) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) \omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) du \right] \\
& = \frac{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \left[\int_{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1}^{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2} \exp\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\left(\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) - u\right)\right) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) \omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) \right. \\
& \quad \cdot \left. \left(\frac{1}{((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)) + ((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)) - u}\right) du \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1}^{1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2} \exp\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\left(u - ((1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1))\right)\right) \Omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) \omega\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) du \right] \\
& = \frac{\alpha\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right].
\end{aligned} \tag{49}$$

That is,

$$\begin{aligned}
& 2\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) d\eta \\
& \leq \frac{\alpha\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \\
& \leq \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right] \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \\
& \quad \cdot \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1-\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) d\eta.
\end{aligned} \tag{50}$$

Since ω is symmetric with respect to $2\theta_1\theta_2/\theta_1 + \theta_2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_2)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_1} \right) \\
 &= I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_1)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_2} \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_1)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_2} \right) + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_2)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_1} \right) \right].
 \end{aligned} \tag{51}$$

Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_1)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_2} \right) + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_2)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_1} \right) \right] \\
 & \leq \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_1)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_2} \right) + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_2)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_1} \right) \right] \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_1) - (1/a_1)} \right) + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_1) - (1/a_2)} \right) \right] \left[I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_1)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_2} \right) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + I_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_2)}^\alpha (\omega \circ \mathfrak{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{a_1} \right) \right].
 \end{aligned} \tag{52}$$

Thus, the proof of Theorem 11 is complete. \square

Remark 8. Under the assumptions of Theorem 11 with $\alpha = 1$, we have

Remark 7. If we take $\mathbf{a}_1 = \theta_1$ and $\mathbf{a}_2 = \theta_2$ in Theorem 11, we will get Theorem 3.2 in [24].

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \int_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_1)}^{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_2)} \frac{\omega(\chi)}{\chi^2} d\chi \\
 & \leq \int_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_1)}^{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_2)} \frac{\Omega(\chi)}{\chi^2} \omega(\chi) d\chi \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/a_1)} \right) + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/a_2)} \right) \right] \int_{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_1)}^{(1/\theta_1+1/\theta_2-1/a_2)} \frac{\omega(\chi)}{\chi^2} d\chi.
 \end{aligned} \tag{53}$$

Remark 9. If $\alpha = 1$, $\mathbf{a}_1 = \theta_1$, and $\mathbf{a}_2 = \theta_2$ in Theorem 11, then we can get Hermite–Hadamard–Fejér inequality (8) for harmonically convex function which was proved by Chen and Wu in [12].

4. Pachpatte–Mercer-Type Inequality for Harmonically Convex Function

Theorem 12. Let $\Omega, \omega: [\theta_1, \theta_2] \subseteq (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be functions such that $\Omega, \omega, \Omega\omega \in L[\theta_1, \theta_2]$. If Ω and ω are harmonically convex on $[\theta_1, \theta_2]$, then

$$\frac{\alpha \mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{2(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)} \left[I_{((1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_1))}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) + I_{(1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) \right] \leq \frac{\rho^2 - 2\rho + 4 - (\rho^2 + 2\rho + 4)\exp(-\rho)}{2\rho^3} M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + \frac{\rho - 2 + \exp(-\rho)(\rho + 2)}{\rho^3} N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2), \tag{54}$$

$$2\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \leq \frac{1 - \alpha}{2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} \left[I_{(1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) + I_{(1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) \right] + \frac{\rho - 2 + \exp(-\rho)(\rho + 2)}{\rho^2 [1 - \exp(-\rho)]} M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + \frac{\rho^2 - 2\rho + 4 - (\rho^2 + 2\rho + 4)\exp(-\rho)}{2\rho^2 [1 - \exp(-\rho)]} N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2), \tag{55}$$

where

$$M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) = \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right), \tag{56}$$

$$N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) = \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right),$$

for all $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2 \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$, $\alpha > 0$, and $\mathbf{g}(u) = 1/u$, $u \in [1/\theta_2, 1/\theta_1]$.

Proof. Since Ω and ω are harmonically convex on $[\theta_1, \theta_2]$, then for all $\eta \in [0, 1]$, we have

$$\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \leq \eta^2 \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) + (1 - \eta)^2 \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & + \eta(1 - \eta) \left[\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right. \\
 & \left. + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \right], \\
 & \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \\
 & \leq \eta^2 \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \\
 & \quad + (1 - \eta)^2 \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \\
 & \quad + \eta(1 - \eta) \left[\Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)} \right) \right]. \tag{57}
 \end{aligned}$$

Adding these inequalities, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \\
 & \quad + \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \\
 & \leq (2\eta^2 - 2\eta + 1)M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + 2\eta(1 - \eta)N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2). \tag{58}
 \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying by $\exp(-\rho\eta)$ on both sides of (58) and then integrating with respect to $\eta \in [0, 1]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) d\eta \\
 & \quad + \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \Omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) \omega \left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))} \right) d\eta \\
 & \leq M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) (2\eta^2 - 2\eta + 1) d\eta + N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) 2\eta(1 - \eta) d\eta \\
 & = \frac{\rho^2 - 2\rho + 4 - (\rho^2 + 2\rho + 4)\exp(-\rho)}{\rho^3} M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + 2 \left(\frac{\rho - 2 + \exp(-\rho)(\rho + 2)}{\rho^3} \right) N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2). \tag{59}
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\alpha \mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{2(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)} \left[I_{(1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\Omega \omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2} \right) + I_{(1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega \omega \circ \mathbf{g}) \left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1} \right) \right] \\
 & \leq \frac{\rho^2 - 2\rho + 4 - (\rho^2 + 2\rho + 4)\exp(-\rho)}{2\rho^3} M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + \frac{\rho - 2 + \exp(-\rho)(\rho + 2)}{\rho^3} N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2). \tag{60}
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, inequality (54) is proved. Now we prove inequality (55). By using harmonic convexity of the function Ω on $[\theta_1, \theta_2]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right)\omega\left(\frac{2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2}\right) &= \Omega\left(\frac{1}{1/2((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \\ &\quad \cdot \omega\left(\frac{1}{1/2((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right] \\ &\quad \cdot \frac{1}{2} \left[\omega\left(\frac{1}{(\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) + \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{61}$$

Replacing \mathbf{a}_1 and \mathbf{a}_2 by $1/(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_1)$ and $1/(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (1/\mathbf{a}_2)$, respectively, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right] \\ &\quad \cdot \frac{1}{2} \left[\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{4} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. \cdot \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right] + \frac{\eta(1 - \eta)}{2} M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + \frac{2\eta^2 - 2\eta + 1}{4} N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2). \end{aligned} \tag{62}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} &\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{4} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right)\omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4} \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. \cdot \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right] + \frac{\eta(1 - \eta)}{2} M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + \frac{2\eta^2 - 2\eta + 1}{4} N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2). \end{aligned} \tag{63}$$

Multiplying by $\exp(-\rho\eta)$ on both sides of (63) and then integrating with respect to $\eta \in [0, 1]$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1 - \exp(-\rho)}{\rho} \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{4} \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((\eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right] d\eta \\
 & \quad + \frac{1}{4} \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \left[\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - ((1 - \eta/\mathbf{a}_1) + (\eta/\mathbf{a}_2))}\right) \right] d\eta \\
 & \quad + M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \frac{\eta(1 - \eta)}{2} d\eta + N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) \int_0^1 \exp(-\rho\eta) \frac{2\eta^2 - 2\eta + 1}{4} d\eta \\
 & = \frac{\alpha\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{4(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)} \left[I_{(1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{(1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \\
 & \quad + \frac{\rho - 2 + \exp(-\rho)(\rho + 2)}{2\rho^3} M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + \frac{\rho^2 - 2\rho + 4 - (\rho^2 + 2\rho + 4)\exp(-\rho)}{4\rho^3} N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2).
 \end{aligned} \tag{64}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \\
 & \leq \frac{1 - \alpha}{4[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} \left[I_{(1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_1)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_2}\right) + I_{(1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_2)}^\alpha (\Omega\omega \circ \mathbf{g})\left(\frac{1}{\theta_1} + \frac{1}{\theta_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{a}_1}\right) \right] \\
 & \quad + \frac{\rho - 2 + \exp(-\rho)(\rho + 2)}{2\rho^2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2) + \frac{\rho^2 - 2\rho + 4 - (\rho^2 + 2\rho + 4)\exp(-\rho)}{4\rho^2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2).
 \end{aligned} \tag{65}$$

Remark 10. If we take $\mathbf{a}_1 = \theta_1$ and $\mathbf{a}_2 = \theta_2$ in Theorem 12, then we get Theorem 12 in [24].

Remark 11. For $\alpha \rightarrow 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 1} \frac{1 - \alpha}{2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} &= \frac{\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2}{2(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1)}, \\
 \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 1} \frac{\rho - 2 + \exp(-\rho)(\rho + 2)}{\rho^3} &= \frac{1}{6}, \\
 \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 1} \frac{\rho^2 - 2\rho + 4 - (\rho^2 + 2\rho + 4)\exp(-\rho)}{2\rho^2[1 - \exp(-\rho)]} &= \frac{1}{3}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{66}$$

Under the assumptions of Theorem 12 with $\alpha = 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \int_{1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_1}^{1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{\Omega(\chi)}{\chi^2} \omega(\chi) d\chi &\leq \frac{M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2)}{3} + \frac{N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2)}{6}, \\ &2\Omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \omega\left(\frac{1}{(1/\theta_1) + (1/\theta_2) - (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2/2\mathbf{a}_1\mathbf{a}_2)}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{a}_2}{\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1} \int_{1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_1}^{1/\theta_1 + 1/\theta_2 - 1/\mathbf{a}_2} \frac{\Omega(\chi)}{\chi^2} \omega(\chi) d\chi + \frac{M(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2)}{6} + \frac{N(\theta_1, \theta_2, \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2)}{3}. \end{aligned} \quad (67)$$

Remark 12. If $\alpha = 1$, $\mathbf{a}_1 = \theta_1$, and $\mathbf{a}_2 = \theta_2$ in Theorem 12, then we obtain inequalities (9) and (10) for harmonically convex functions proved by Chen and Wu in [13].

5. Concluding Remarks and Future Directions

In this study, we introduce for the first time the unified variants of Hermite–Hadamard, Fejér–Hadamard, and Pachpatte–Mercer-type inequalities for harmonically convex functions for fractional integral operators with the exponential kernel. New integral identity involving fractional integral operators with exponential kernel is developed. A compact analysis of newly obtained results and their connections is explained in Remarks 2–12. As special cases, we get Hermite–Hadamard, Fejér–Hadamard, and Pachpatte–Mercer-type inequalities for classical calculus with explicit boundary values. Some particular cases reflect the related existing results. One of the direct impact and utilization of the results extracted in this paper is to obtain inequalities involving following new fractional integral operators containing Mittag-Leffler nonsingular kernels:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{I}_{\mathbf{a}_1}^\alpha \Omega(\chi) &= \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_{\mathbf{a}_1}^\chi E_{\alpha,1}\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}(\chi-u)^\alpha\right) \Omega(u) du, \quad \chi > \mathbf{a}_1, \\ \mathbb{I}_{\mathbf{a}_2}^\alpha \Omega(\chi) &= \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_\chi^{\mathbf{a}_2} E_{\alpha,1}\left(-\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}(u-\chi)^\alpha\right) \Omega(u) du, \quad \chi < \mathbf{a}_2, \end{aligned} \quad (68)$$

for $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ and $\Omega \in L(\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2)$, where $E_{\alpha,\nu}(\xi)$ is a Mittag-Leffler-type function:

$$E_{\alpha,\nu}(\xi) = \sum_{t=0}^{\infty} \frac{\xi^t}{\Gamma(\alpha t + \nu)}. \quad (69)$$

These integral inequalities may be helpful in the circumstances where upper and lower bounds matter for fractional integral operators involving nonlocal kernels. It is natural to investigate such results for other general convexities like harmonically h -convex functions introduced by Noor et al. in [30]. Also, it is interesting to construct such inequalities over fractal domains where we may get optimal and sharp local fractional integral inequalities involving Mittag-Leffler kernel.

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No data were used to support this study.

Conflicts of Interest

The authors declare that they have no conflicts of interest.

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