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## **On Some Integral Inequalities Analogs to Hilbert's Inequality**

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### **Abstract**

*In this paper we give some further extensions of well-known Hilbert's inequality. We give equivalent form in two dimensions as application.*

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### **1 Introduction**

The well-known Hilbert's inequality and its equivalent form are presented first:

**Theorem A:** [4] *If  $f$  and  $g \in L^2[0, \infty)$ , then the following inequalities hold and are equivalent*

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)g(y)}{x+y} dx dy \leq \pi \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}, \quad (1)$$

and

$$\int_0^\infty \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)}{x+y} dx \right)^2 dy \leq \pi^2 \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx, \quad (2)$$

where  $\pi$  and  $\pi^2$  are the best possible constants.

The classical Hilbert's integral inequality (1) had been generalized by Hardy-Riesz (see [2]) in 1925 as the following result.

If  $f, g$  are nonnegative functions such that  $0 < \int_0^\infty f^p(x)dx < \infty$  and

$0 < \int_0^\infty g^q(x)dx < \infty$ , where  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ , then

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)g(y)}{x+y} dx dy < \pi \csc\left(\frac{\pi}{p}\right) \left(\int_0^\infty f^p(x) dx\right)^{1/p} \left(\int_0^\infty g^q(y) dy\right)^{1/q}, \quad (3)$$

where the constant factor  $\pi \csc(\pi/p)$  is the best possible. When  $p=q=2$ , inequality (3) is reduced to (1).

In recent years, a number of mathematicians had given lots of generalizations of these inequalities. We mention here some of these contributions in this direction:

Li et al. [5] have proved the following Hardy- Hilbert's type inequality using the hypotheses of (1):

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{f(x)g(y)}{x+y+\max\{x,y\}} dx dy < c \left(\int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx\right)^{1/2} \left(\int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy\right)^{1/2}, \quad (4)$$

Where the constant factor  $c = \sqrt{2}(\pi - 2 - \tan^{-1}\sqrt{2}) = 1.7408\dots$  is the best possible.

Y. Li, Y. Qian, and B. He [6] deduced the following result:

**Theorem B:** If  $f, g \geq 0, 0 < \int_0^\infty f^2(x)dx < \infty$  and  $0 < \int_0^\infty g^2(x)dx < \infty$ , then one has

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|}{x+y+|x-y|} f(x)g(y) dx dy < 4 \left(\int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx\right)^{1/2} \left(\int_0^\infty g^2(x) dx\right)^{1/2}, \quad (5)$$

where the constant factors 4 is the best possible.

More and more results regarding this direction on Hilbert's type inequalities can be found for example in [3, 7, 8].

## 2 Main Results

In this paper, we give some analogs of Hilbert's type inequality. We will use the following lemma in establishing the main result.

**Lemma 2.1:** [1] *Let  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta$  be three non-negative real numbers. Then we have the following equations*

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\gamma}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^{1/2} dy &= \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\gamma}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{1/2} dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{2^{\gamma+1} |\ln t|^\gamma}{(\alpha + 1) + t^2(\beta - 1)} dt + \int_0^1 \frac{2^{\gamma+1} |\ln t|^\gamma}{t^2(\alpha - 1) + (\beta + 1)} dt = A, \end{aligned}$$

where  $A := A(\gamma, \alpha, \beta) \in [0, \infty]$ .

Another result stated in the following theorem [1] is under consideration.

**Theorem 2.1:** *If  $f, g$  are real functions such that  $0 < \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx < \infty$ ,  $0 < \int_0^\infty g^2(x) dx < \infty$ , then we have*

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\gamma}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} f(x) g(y) dx \\ \leq A \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}, \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

where  $A$  is defined in Lemma 2.1 and is the best possible.

In the following theorem, we introduce an equivalent form to inequality (6).

**Theorem 2.2:** *Suppose  $f \geq 0$  and  $0 < \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx < \infty$ , then*

$$\int_0^\infty \left[ \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\gamma}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} f(x) dx \right]^2 dy \leq A^2 \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx, \quad (7)$$

where  $A$  is defined in Lemma 2.1. Furthermore, Inequality (7) is equivalent to (6).

**Proof:** Let

$$I = \int_0^\infty \left[ \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\gamma}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} f(x) dx \right]^2 dy. \quad (8)$$

Setting  $x = yz$ ,  $dx = ydz$ , then we get

$$I = \int_0^\infty \left[ \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln z|^\gamma}{\alpha z + \beta + |z-1|} f(yz) dz \right]^2 dy.$$

By Minkowski's inequality for integrals,

$$I \leq \left( \int_0^\infty \left[ \int_0^\infty \left( \frac{|\ln z|^\gamma}{\alpha z + \beta + |z-1|} f(yz) \right)^2 dy \right]^{1/2} dz \right)^2.$$

$$I \leq \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln z|^\gamma}{\alpha z + \beta + |z-1|} \left[ \int_0^\infty f^2(yz) dy \right]^{1/2} dz \right)^2.$$

Setting  $y = u/z$ ,  $dy = (1/z)du$ , then by Fubini's Theorem, we obtain

$$I \leq \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln z|^\gamma z^{-1/2}}{\alpha z + \beta + |z-1|} dz \left[ \int_0^\infty f^2(u) du \right]^{1/2} \right)^2,$$

$$\begin{aligned} I &\leq \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln z|^\gamma z^{-1/2}}{\alpha z + \beta + |z-1|} dz \right)^2 \int_0^\infty f^2(u) du, \\ &= A^2 \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx. \end{aligned}$$

Thus Inequality (7) holds.

Now, to prove that Inequality (7) is equivalent to (6): Suppose that Inequality (6) holds, and let

$$g(y) = \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\gamma}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x-y|} f(x) dx.$$

Hence

$$0 < \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy = \int_0^\infty \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\gamma}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x-y|} f(x) dx \right) g(y) dy.$$

By Fubini's Theorem and Inequalities (6),

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy &= \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\gamma}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x-y|} f(x) g(y) dx dy \\ &\leq A \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}. \end{aligned}$$

Notice that by Inequality (7),  $g \in L^2$ . So the last integral is finite, and hence

$$\left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2} \leq A \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2}.$$

Thus

$$\int_0^\infty \left[ \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} f(x) dx \right]^2 dy \leq A^2 \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx.$$

Conversly, if Inequality (7) holds, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} f(x) g(y) dx dy \\ &= \int_0^\infty \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} f(x) dx \right) g(y) dy. \end{aligned}$$

By Cauchy - Schwarz inequality we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} f(x) dx \right) g(y) dy \\ & \leq \left( \int_0^\infty \left[ \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} f(x) dx \right]^2 dy \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2} \\ & \leq A \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}. \end{aligned}$$

**Lemma 2.2:** [2] Let  $f$  be a nonnegative integrable function, and  $F(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt$ , then

$$\int_0^\infty \left( \frac{F(x)}{x} \right)^p dx < \left( \frac{p}{p-1} \right)^p \int_0^\infty f(x) dx, \quad p > 1.$$

Using the above lemma and together with Theorem 2.1, we introduce the following result.

**Theorem 2.3:** Let  $f, g \geq 0$ ,

$$F(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt, \quad G(y) = \int_0^y g(t) dt,$$

and assume that  $0 < \int_0^\infty f^2(x)dx < \infty$  and  $0 < \int_0^\infty g^2(y)dy < \infty$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} \frac{F(x) G(y)}{x y} dx dy \\ & \leq \mu \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}. \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

**Proof:** Let

$$I = \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} \frac{F(x) G(y)}{x y} dx dy .$$

By Holder's inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} I & \leq \left\{ \int_0^\infty \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^{1/2} dy \right) \left(\frac{F(x)}{x}\right)^2 dx \right\}^{1/2} \\ & \quad \times \left\{ \int_0^\infty \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{\alpha x + \beta y + |x - y|} \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{1/2} dx \right) \left(\frac{G(y)}{y}\right)^2 dy \right\}^{1/2} . \end{aligned}$$

By using Lemma 2.1,

$$\begin{aligned} I & \leq \left\{ \int_0^\infty A \left(\frac{F(x)}{x}\right)^2 dx \right\}^{1/2} \times \left\{ \int_0^\infty A \left(\frac{G(y)}{y}\right)^2 dy \right\}^{1/2} , \\ I & \leq A \left\{ \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{F(x)}{x}\right)^2 dx \right\}^{1/2} \left\{ \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{G(y)}{y}\right)^2 dy \right\}^{1/2} . \end{aligned}$$

Finally, by Lemma 2.2, for  $p=2$ , we have

$$I \leq 4 A \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2} .$$

Letting  $\mu = 4A$ , and inequality (9) is proved.

**Corollary 2.1:** Let  $\alpha = \beta = 1$  in **Theorem 2.3**, then we obtain

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\nu}{x + y + |x - y|} \frac{F(x) G(y)}{x y} dx dy$$

$$\leq K_\gamma \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}, \tag{10}$$

where the constant

$$K_\gamma = \int_0^1 2^{\gamma+1} |\ln h|^\gamma dh = 2\gamma K_{\gamma-1}. \text{ Here, } \gamma = 1, 2, 3, \dots \text{ and } K_0 = 2.$$

**Proof:** The proof of (10) is similar to that of (9), and here we only prove that:

$$K_\gamma = \int_0^1 2^{\gamma+1} |\ln h|^\gamma dh = 2\gamma K_{\gamma-1}. \tag{11}$$

We have 
$$K_\gamma = \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y|^\gamma}{x + y + |x - y|} \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^{1/2} dy = \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln t|^\gamma}{1 + t + |1 - t|} \left(\frac{1}{t}\right)^{1/2} dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{|\ln t|^\gamma}{2} \left(\frac{1}{t}\right)^{1/2} dt + \int_1^\infty \frac{|\ln t|^\gamma}{2t} \left(\frac{1}{t}\right)^{1/2} dt.$$

For the last integral, take  $t = s^{-1}$  and rewrite this integral in term of  $t$ , We obtain

$$K_\gamma = \int_0^1 \frac{|\ln t|^\gamma}{2} \left(\frac{1}{t}\right)^{1/2} dt + \int_0^1 \frac{|\ln t|^\gamma}{2} \left(\frac{1}{t}\right)^{1/2} dt = \int_0^1 |\ln t|^\gamma \left(\frac{1}{t}\right)^{1/2} dt.$$

Setting  $h = t^{1/2}$ , we get

$$K_\gamma = \int_0^1 2^{\gamma+1} |\ln h|^\gamma dh = 2\gamma K_{\gamma-1}.$$

### 3 Several Special Cases

We now introduce some special inequalities of (9) by choosing different values for  $\gamma$ ,  $\alpha$ , and  $\beta$ .

(1) If  $\gamma = \alpha = 0$ ,  $\beta = 1$ , then we obtain

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{y + |x - y|} \frac{F(x)}{x} \frac{G(y)}{y} dx dy$$

$$\leq \mu \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}, \tag{12}$$

where  $\mu = 4A$  and from Lemma 2.1,

$$\begin{aligned}
 A &= \int_0^1 \frac{2}{1} dt + \int_0^1 \frac{2}{-t^2 + 2} dt = 2 + 2 \int_0^1 \left( \frac{1/2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}-t} + \frac{1/2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}+t} \right) dt \\
 &= 2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( -\ln|\sqrt{2}-t| \Big|_0^1 + \ln|\sqrt{2}+t| \Big|_0^1 \right) = 3.24646.
 \end{aligned}$$

(2) If  $\gamma = 0$ ,  $\alpha = 1$ ,  $\beta = 2$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{x+2y+|x-y|} \frac{F(x)G(y)}{x y} dx dy \\
 &\leq \mu \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}, \tag{13}
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mu = 4A$  and from Lemma 2.1,

$$\begin{aligned}
 A &= \int_0^1 \frac{2}{2+t^2} dt + \int_0^1 \frac{2}{3} dt = 2 \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} 0 \right] + \frac{2}{3} \\
 &= 2.2071.
 \end{aligned}$$

(3) If  $\gamma = 1$ ,  $\alpha = \beta = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{|\ln x - \ln y| F(x)G(y)}{|x-y| x y} dx dy \\
 &\leq \mu \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}, \tag{14}
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mu = 4A$ , and from Lemma 2.1,

$$A = \int_0^1 \frac{-4 \ln t}{1-t^2} dt + \int_0^1 \frac{-4 \ln t}{-t^2+1} dt = -8 \int_0^1 \frac{\ln t}{1-t^2} dt.$$

Since

$$\int_0^1 \frac{\ln t}{t-1} t^{-1/2} dt = \pi^2.$$

Then we have

$$A = -8 \int_0^1 \frac{\ln t}{1-t^2} dt = 2\pi^2.$$

(4) If  $\gamma = \alpha = 0$ ,  $\beta = 2$ , then

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{2y + |x - y|} \frac{F(x)}{x} \frac{G(y)}{y} dx dy$$

$$\leq \mu \left( \int_0^\infty f^2(x) dx \right)^{1/2} \left( \int_0^\infty g^2(y) dy \right)^{1/2}, \quad (15)$$

where  $\mu = 4A$  and from Lemma 2.1,

$$A = \int_0^1 \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt + \int_0^1 \frac{2}{-t^2+3} dt = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2 \int_0^1 \left( \frac{1/2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}-t} + \frac{1/2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}+t} \right) dt$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left( -\ln|\sqrt{3}-t| \Big|_0^1 + \ln|\sqrt{3}+t| \Big|_0^1 \right) = 1.968.$$

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