

SHARP BOUNDS FOR SEIFFERT MEAN IN TERMS OF WEIGHTED POWER MEANS OF ARITHMETIC MEAN AND GEOMETRIC MEAN

ZHEN-HANG YANG

Abstract. For $a, b > 0$ with $a \neq b$, let $P = (a - b)/(4 \arctan \sqrt{a/b} - \pi)$, $A = (a + b)/2$, $G = \sqrt{ab}$ denote the Seiffert mean, arithmetic mean, geometric mean of a and b , respectively. In this paper, we present new sharp bounds for Seiffert P in terms of weighted power means of arithmetic mean A and geometric mean G :

$$\left(\frac{2}{3}A^{p_1} + \frac{1}{3}G^{p_1}\right)^{1/p_1} < P < \left(\frac{2}{3}A^{p_2} + \frac{1}{3}G^{p_2}\right)^{1/p_2},$$

where $p_1 = 4/5$ and $p_2 = \log_{\pi/2}(3/2)$ are the best possible constants. Moreover, our sharp bounds for P are compared with other known ones, which yields a chain of inequalities involving Seiffert mean P .

Mathematics subject classification (2010): Primary 26E60, 26D05; secondary 33B10.

Keywords and phrases: Seiffert mean, arithmetic mean, geometric mean, power mean, sharp bound.

REFERENCES

- [1] P. S. BULLEN, D. S. MITRINOVIĆ AND P. M. VASIĆ, *Means and Their Inequalities*, Dordrecht 1988.
- [2] CH.-P. CHEN AND W.-S. CHEUNG, *Sharp Cusa and Becker-Stark inequalities*, *J. Inequal. Appl.*, (2011), 136; available online at <http://www.journalofinequalitiesandapplications.com/content/2011/1/136>.
- [3] Y.-M. CHU, Y.-F. QIU, M.-K. WANG, AND G.-D. WANG, *The optimal convex combination bounds of arithmetic and harmonic means for the Seiffert's mean*, *J. Inequal. Appl.*, (2010), Art. ID 436457, 7 pages.
- [4] Y.-M. CHU, Y.-F. QIU, AND M.-K. WANG, *Sharp power mean bounds for the combination of seiffert and geometric means*, *Abstr. Appl. Anal.*, (2010), Art. ID 108920, 12 pages.
- [5] P. A. HÄSTÖ, *A monotonicity property of ratios of symmetric homogeneous means*, *J. Inequal. Pure Appl. Math.*, **3**, 5 (2002), Art. 71, pp. 23
- [6] P. A. HÄSTÖ, *Optimal inequalities between Seiffert's mean and power mean*, *Math. Inequal. Appl.*, **7**, 1 (2004), 47–53.
- [7] D. HE AND ZH.-J. SHEN, *Advances in research on Seiffert mean*, *Communications in inequalities research*, **17**, 4 (2010), Art. 26; available online: <http://old.irgoc.org/Article/UploadFiles/201010/20101026104515652.pdf>.
- [8] C. HUYGENS, *Oeuvres Completes 1888-1940*, Société Hollandaise des Science, Haga.
- [9] A. A. JAGERS, *Solution of problem 887*, *Nieuw Arch. Wisk.*, **12** (1994), 2 30–231.
- [10] R. KLÉN, M. VISURI AND M. VUORINEN, *On Jordan type inequalities for hyperbolic functions*, *J. Inequal. Appl.*, (2010), Art. ID 362548, 14 pages.
- [11] O. KOUBA, *New bounds for the identric mean of two arguments*, *J. Inequal. Pure Appl. Math.*, **9**, 3 (2008), Art. 71, 6 pages.
- [12] H. LIU AND X.-J. MENG, *The optimal convex combination bounds for Seiffert's mean*, *J. Inequal. Appl.*, (2011), Art. ID 686834, 9 pages.
- [13] C. MORTITI, *The natural approach of Wilker-Cusa-Huygens inequalities*, *Math. Inequal. Appl.*, **14**, 3 (2011), 535–541.
- [14] E. NEUMAN AND J. SÁNDOR, *On the Schwab-Borchardt mean*, *Math. Pannon.*, **17**, 1 (2006), 49–59.

- [15] E. NEUMAN, *On Wilker and Huygens inequalities*, Math. Inequal. Appl., **15**, 2 (2012), 271–279.
- [16] J. SÁNDOR, *On certain inequalities for means III*, Arch. Math., **76** (2001), 34–40.
- [17] H.-J. SEIFFERT, *Werte zwischen dem geometrischen und dem arithmetischen Mittel zweier Zahlen*, Elem. Math., **42** (1987), 105–107.
- [18] H.-J. SEIFFERT, *Problem 887*, Nieuw Arch. Wisk., **4**, 11 (1993), 176.
- [19] H.-J. SEIFFERT, *Aufgabe 16, Die Wurzel*, **29** (1995), 221–222.
- [20] S.-S. WANG AND Y.-M. CHU, *The best bounds of the combination of arithmetic and harmonic means for the Seiffert's mean*, Int. J. Math. Anal. (Ruse), **4**, 21–24 (2010), 1079–1084.
- [21] M.-K. WANG, Y.-F. QIU, AND Y.-M. CHU, *Sharp bounds for Seiffert means in terms of Lehmer means*, J. Math. Inequal., **4**, 4 (2010), 581–586.
- [22] L. ZHU, *Inequalities for hyperbolic functions and their applications*, J. Inequal. Appl., **2010** (2010), Art. ID 130821, 10 pages.