

## ON PEČARIĆ'S INEQUALITY IN INNER PRODUCT SPACES

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### Abstract

Some related results to Pečarić's inequality in inner product spaces that generalises Bombieri's inequality, are given.

### 1. Introduction

In 1992, J. E. Pečarić [3] proved the following inequality for vectors in complex inner product spaces  $(H; (\cdot, \cdot))$ .

**Theorem 1.** *Suppose that  $x, y_1, \dots, y_n$  are vectors in  $H$  and  $c_1, \dots, c_n$  are complex numbers. Then the following inequalities*

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \sum_{i=1}^n c_i(x, y_i) \right|^2 &\leq \|x\|^2 \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^2 \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right) \\ &\leq \|x\|^2 \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^2 \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right), \end{aligned} \quad (1.1)$$

hold.

He also showed that for  $c_i = \overline{(x, y_i)}$ ,  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ , one gets

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^2 \right)^2 &\leq \|x\|^2 \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^2 \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right) \\ &\leq \|x\|^2 \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^2 \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right), \end{aligned} \quad (1.2)$$

which improves Bombieri's result [1] (see also [2, p. 394])

$$\sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^2 \leq \|x\|^2 \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right). \quad (1.3)$$

Note that (1.3) is in its turn a natural generalisation of *Bessel's inequality*

$$\sum_{i=1}^n |(x, e_i)|^2 \leq \|x\|^2, \quad x \in H, \quad (1.4)$$

which holds for the orthonormal vectors  $(e_i)_{1 \leq i \leq n}$ .

In this paper we point out some related results to Pečarić's inequality (1.1). Some results of Bombieri type are also mentioned.

## 2. Preliminary results

We start with the following lemma that is interesting in its own right.

**Lemma 1.** *Let  $z_1, \dots, z_n \in H$  and  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n \in \mathbf{K}$ . Then one has the inequalities:*

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i z_i \right\|^2 &\leq \\ &\leq \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^p \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right) \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^q \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right) \right)^{1/q} \end{aligned} \quad (2.1)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i|^2 \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)|; \\
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/\gamma q} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/p} \\
& \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/\delta q} \quad \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^q \right)^{1/q} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/q}; \\
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/\alpha p} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/q} \\
& \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/\beta q} \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1; \\
& \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/\alpha p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/\gamma q} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/p\beta} \\
& \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/\delta q} \\
& \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1 \text{ and } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\
& \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^q \right)^{1/q} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/\alpha p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/q} \\
& \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/p\beta}, \quad \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1; \\
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^p \right)^{1/p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/q}; \\
& \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^p \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/\gamma q} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/p} \\
& \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/\delta q}, \quad \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\
& \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^p \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^q \right)^{1/q} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right),
\end{aligned}$$

where  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ .

**Proof.**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left\| \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i z_i \right\|^2 &= \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i z_i \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j z_j \right) & (2.2) \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_i \bar{\alpha}_j (z_i, z_j) \left| \sum_{i=1}^n \right. \\
 &= \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_i \bar{\alpha}_j (z_i, z_j) \left| \right. \\
 &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n |\alpha_i| |\alpha_j| |(z_i, z_j)| =: M.
 \end{aligned}$$

If one uses the Hölder inequality for double sums, i.e., we recall it

$$\sum_{i,j=1}^n m_{ij} a_{ij} b_{ij} \leq \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n m_{ij} a_{ij}^p \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n m_{ij} b_{ij}^q \right)^{1/q} \quad (2.3)$$

where  $m_{ij}, a_{ij}, b_{ij} \geq 0$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ ,  $p > 1$ ; then

$$\begin{aligned}
 M &\leq \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| |\alpha_i|^p \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| |\alpha_i|^q \right)^{1/q} & (2.4) \\
 &= \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^p \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right) \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^q \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right) \right)^{1/q}
 \end{aligned}$$

and the first inequality in (2.1) is proved.

Observe that

$$\sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^p \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right) \leq \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i|^p \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)|; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/\alpha} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/\beta} \\ \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1; \\ \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^p \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right); \end{array} \right.$$

giving

$$\left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^p \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right) \right)^{1/p} \leq \quad (2.5)$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/p}; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/\alpha p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/\beta p} \\ \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^p \right)^{1/p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/p}. \end{array} \right.$$

Similarly, we have

$$\left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^q \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right) \right)^{1/q} \leq \quad (2.6)$$

$$\leq \begin{cases} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/q}; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/\gamma q} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/\delta q} \\ \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^q \right)^{1/q} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/q}. \end{cases}$$

Using (2.1) and (2.5) – (2.6), we deduce the 9 inequalities in the second part of (2.2).  $\square$

If we choose  $p = q = 2$ , then the following result holds.

**Corollary 1.** *If  $z_1, \dots, z_n \in H$  and  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n \in \mathbf{K}$ , then one has*

$$\left\| \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i z_i \right\|^2 \leq \quad (2.7)$$

$$\leq \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^2 \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i|^2 \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)|; \\
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{2\gamma} \right)^{1/2\gamma} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/2\delta}, \\
& \quad \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^2 \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/2} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/2}; \\
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{2\alpha} \right)^{1/2\alpha} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/2\beta}, \\
& \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1; \\
& \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{2\alpha} \right)^{1/2\alpha} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{2\gamma} \right)^{1/2\gamma} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/2\beta} \\
& \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/2\delta} \\
& \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1 \text{ and } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\
& \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^2 \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{2\alpha} \right)^{1/2\alpha} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/2} \\
& \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/2\beta}, \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1; \\
& \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^2 \right)^{1/2} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/2}; \\
& \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^2 \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^{2\gamma} \right)^{1/2\gamma} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^{1/2} \\
& \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/2\delta}, \quad \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\
& \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^2 \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(z_i, z_j)| \right).
\end{aligned}$$

### 3. Some Pečarić Type Inequalities

We are now able to point out the following result which complements and generalises the inequality (1.1) due to J. Pečarić.

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $x, y_1, \dots, y_n$  be vectors of an inner product space  $(H; \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$  and  $c_1, \dots, c_n \in \mathbf{K}$ . Then one has the inequalities:*

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^n c_i(x, y_i) \right|^2 \leq \quad (3.1)$$

$$\leq \|x\|^2 \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^p \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right) \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^q \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right) \right)^{1/q}$$

$$\leq \|x\|^2 \times \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |c_i|^2 \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)|; \\ \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |c_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/\gamma q} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/\delta q}, \\ \quad \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\ \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |c_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^q \right)^{1/q} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/q}; \\ \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |c_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/\alpha p} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/q} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/p\beta}, \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/\alpha p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/\gamma q} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/p\beta} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/\delta q} \\ \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1 \text{ and } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^q \right)^{1/q} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/\alpha p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/q} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/p\beta}, \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\ \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |c_i| \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^p \right)^{1/p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/q}; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^p \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/\gamma q} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/p} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/\delta q}, \quad \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^p \right)^{1/p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |c_i|^q \right)^{1/q} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right); \end{array} \right.$$



where  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ .

**Proof.** We note that

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c_i(x, y_i) = \left( x, \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{c}_i y_i \right).$$

Using Schwarz's inequality in inner product spaces, we have

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^n c_i(x, y_i) \right|^2 \leq \|x\|^2 \left\| \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{c}_i y_i \right\|^2. \quad (3.2)$$

Finally, using Lemma 1 with  $\alpha_i = \bar{c}_i$ ,  $z_i = y_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, n$ ), we deduce the desired inequality (3.1).  $\square$

**Remark 1.** If in (3.1) we choose  $p = q = 2$ , we obtain amongst others, the result (1.1) due to J. Pečarić.

#### 4. Some Results of Bombieri Type

The following results of Bombieri type hold.

**Theorem 3.** Let  $x, y_1, \dots, y_n \in H$ . Then one has the inequality:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^2 &\leq \quad (4.1) \\ &\leq \|x\| \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^p \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right) \right]^{1/2p} \\ &\quad \times \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^q \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right) \right]^{1/2q} \end{aligned}$$

$$\leq \|x\| \times \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |(x, y_i)| \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2}; \\ \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |(x, y_i)|^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/2\gamma q} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2p} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/2\delta q} \quad \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\ \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |(x, y_i)|^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^q \right)^{1/2q} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2q}; \\ \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |(x, y_i)|^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/2\alpha p} \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2q} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/p\beta} \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/2\alpha p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/2\gamma q} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/2p\beta} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/2\delta q} \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1 \text{ and } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^q \right)^{1/2q} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^{\alpha p} \right)^{1/2\alpha p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2p} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\beta \right)^{1/2p\beta}, \quad \text{if } \alpha > 1, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 1; \\ \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |(x, y_i)|^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^p \right)^{1/2p} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2p} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2q}; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^p \right)^{1/2p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^{\gamma q} \right)^{1/2\gamma q} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2p} \\ \quad \times \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^\delta \right)^{1/2\delta q}, \quad \text{if } \gamma > 1, \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta} = 1; \\ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^p \right)^{1/2p} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^q \right)^{1/2q} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)| \right)^{1/2} \end{array} \right.$$

where  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ .

**Proof.** The proof follows by Theorem 2 on choosing  $c_i = \overline{(x, y_i)}$ ,  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  and taking the square root in both sides of the inequalities involved. We omit the details.  $\square$

**Remark 2.** We observe, by the last inequality in (4.1), we get

$$\frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^2\right)^2}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^p\right)^{1/p} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |(x, y_i)|^q\right)^q} \leq \|x\|^2 \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left(\sum_{j=1}^n |(y_i, y_j)|\right),$$

where  $p > 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ .

If in this inequality we choose  $p = q = 2$ , then we recapture Bombieri's result (1.3).

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## ЗА НЕРАВЕНСТВОТО НА ПЕЧАРИЌ ВО ПРОСТОРИ СО СКАЛАРЕН ПРОИЗВОД

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### Резиме

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