

## LYAPUNOV TYPE INEQUALITY FOR THE EQUATION INCLUDING 1-dim $p$ -LAPLACIAN

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*Abstract.* Lyapunov type inequality, for the existence of the solution of the equation including (generalized)  $p$ -Laplacian:

$$(-1)^{(m)}(|u^{(m)}(x)|^{p-2}u^{(m)}(x))^{(m)} = r(x)|u(x)|^{p-2}u(x) \quad (a \leq x \leq b)$$

under clamped boundary condition is obtained. The usage of the best constant of  $L^p$  Sobolev inequality clarifies the process for obtaining such inequality.

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