

COUNTER-EXAMPLES CONCERNING BRECKNER-CONVEXITY

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Abstract. In this paper, we examine convexity type inequalities. Let D be a nonempty convex subset of a linear space, $c > 0$ and $\alpha : D - D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a given even function. The inequality

$$f\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right) \leqslant cf(x) + cf(y) + \alpha(x-y) \quad (x, y \in D)$$

is the focus of our examinations. We will construct an example to show that for $c = 1$, this Jensen type inequality does not imply the convexity of the function. Then, we compare this inequality with Hermite–Hadamard type inequalities.

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