



# On the constant $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(X)$ for the generalized Banaś-Frączek space

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## Abstract

In this paper, we study the generalized von Neumann-Jordan constant  $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(X)$  for the generalized Banaś-Frączek space and improve related results on the Banaś-Frączek space. The exact value of  $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(X)$  will be calculated for  $X$  to be the generalized Banaś-Frączek space  $\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p_1}^2$  in the case  $p \geq 2$  such that  $p_1 \geq p \geq 2$  or  $p \geq p_1 \geq 1$ .

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## 1. Introduction

The geometric constants have received widespread attention, for the reason that it can essentially reflect the geometric properties of a space. Recall that the von Neumann-Jordan constant  $C_{NJ}(X)$  of a Banach space  $X$  was introduced by Clarkson [2] as the smallest constant  $C$  for which

$$\frac{1}{C} \leq \frac{\|x+y\|^2 + \|x-y\|^2}{2(\|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2)} \leq C$$

holds for all  $x, y \in X$  with  $\|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 \neq 0$ . Several studies on the constant  $C_{NJ}(X)$  have been conducted by many authors (see, for example, [1, 4–13, 18, 19]), and they play an important role in the geometric theory of Banach spaces. Therefore the calculation of geometric constants for some concrete spaces is very important.

Recently, a generalized form of this constant was introduced as follows (see [3])

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(X) = \sup \left\{ \frac{\|x+y\|^p + \|x-y\|^p}{2^{p-1}(\|x\|^p + \|y\|^p)} : x, y \in X, (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \right\},$$

where  $p \geq 1$ .

Now let us collect some properties of this constant (see [3, 14–16, 20, 21]).

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- (i)  $1 \leq C_{NJ}^{(p)}(X) \leq 2$ ;
- (ii)  $X$  is uniformly non-square if and only if  $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(x) < 2$ .
- (iii) Let  $r \in (1, 2]$  and  $\frac{1}{r} + \frac{1}{r'} = 1$ . Then for  $X = L_r[0, 1]$ , we have

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(L_r[0, 1]) = \begin{cases} 2^{2-p}, & 1 \leq p \leq r; \\ 2^{\frac{p}{r}-p+1}, & r < p \leq r'; \\ 1, & r' < p \leq \infty; \end{cases}$$

- (iv) If  $p \geq 2$ , then  $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(X) \leq J(X)$ .
- (v) For the regular octagon space  $X$ , we have
- (a) If  $p \geq 2$ , then  $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(X) = 1 + (\sqrt{2} - 1)^p$ ;
- (b) If  $1 < p \leq 2$ , then  $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(X) = 2^{2-p} \left[ 1 + (\sqrt{2} - 1)^{\frac{p}{p-1}} \right]^{p-1}$ .

Recently, C. Yang et al. introduced the Banaś-Frączek space  $X_{\lambda,p}$  in [17], i.e.,  $\mathbb{R}^2$  endowed with the norm

$$\|(x, y)\|_{\lambda,p} = \max\{\lambda|x|, \|(x, y)\|_p\},$$

where  $\lambda > 1$  and  $p \geq 1$ . In [17], they showed that if  $p \geq 2$  and  $(\lambda^p - 1)^{p-2}(\lambda^2 - 1)^p \geq 1$ , then

$$C_{NJ}(X_{\lambda,p}) = 1 + \left(1 - \frac{1}{\lambda^p}\right)^{\frac{2}{p}}.$$

Also, Mitani and Stito and Takahashi introduced generalized Banaś-Frączek space  $\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p}^2$  which is  $\mathbb{R}^2$  endowed with the norm

$$\|(x, y)\| = \max\{a|x|, b|y|, \|(x, y)\|_p\}.$$

And for  $a > 1$  and  $a \geq b \geq 1$  with  $a^{-p} + b^{-p} > 1$ , they consider the  $C_{NJ}(X)$  for this space in [8, 9] as follows:

- (i) If  $p \geq 2$  and  $b \leq a(a^p - 1)^{\frac{p-2}{2p}}$ , then

$$C_{NJ}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p}^2) = 1 + b^2(1 - a^{-p})^{\frac{2}{p}}. \quad (1.1)$$

- (ii) If  $p \geq 2$  and  $b \geq a(a^p - 1)^{\frac{p-2}{2p}}$ , then

$$C_{NJ}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p}^2) = b^2 \left( 1 + \left( \frac{b}{a} \right)^{\frac{2p}{2-p}} \right)^{1-\frac{2}{p}}. \quad (1.2)$$

- (iii) If  $1 \leq p < 2$  and  $a^{\frac{2p}{p-2}} + b^{\frac{2p}{p-2}} \leq 1$ , then

$$C_{NJ}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p}^2) = 1 + b^2(1 - a^{-p})^{\frac{2}{p}}. \quad (1.3)$$

In this paper, we consider the constant  $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(X)$  for the generalized Banaś-Frączek space and obtain the following results:

- (1) For  $a > 1, a \geq b \geq 1$  and  $p_1 \geq p \geq 2$  with  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} > 1$ .

- (i) If  $b \leq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ , then

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p_1}^2) = 1 + b^p(1 - a^{-p_1})^{\frac{p}{p_1}}.$$

- (ii) If  $b \geq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ , then

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p_1}^2) = b^p \left( 1 + \left( \frac{b}{a} \right)^{\frac{pp_1}{p-p_1}} \right)^{1-\frac{p}{p_1}}.$$

(2) For  $a > 1, a \geq b \geq 1, p \geq 2$  and  $p \geq p_1 \geq 1$  with  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} > 1$ . If  $a^{\frac{pp_1}{p_1-p}} + b^{\frac{pp_1}{p_1-p}} \leq 1$ , then

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p_1}^2) = 1 + b^p(1 - a^{-p_1})^{\frac{p}{p_1}}.$$

## 2. Main results

Recall that the norm  $\|\cdot\|$  on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  is said to be absolute if  $\|(x, y)\| = \|(|x|, |y|)\|$  for each  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . Before describing the main results, we give some lemmas.

**Lemma 2.1.** *Let  $p \geq 2$  and  $\|\cdot\|, \|\cdot\|_{\sim}$  be two absolute norms on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  satisfying the following conditions:*

- (i)  $\|u + v\|_{\sim}^p + \|u - v\|_{\sim}^p \leq 2^{p-1}(\|u\|_{\sim}^p + \|v\|_{\sim}^p)$  for any  $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2$ .
- (ii)  $\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}^p = \|(x, 0)\|_{\sim}^p + \|(0, y)\|_{\sim}^p$  for any  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ .
- (iii)  $\|(x, y)\| \leq \|(x, y)\|_{\sim}$  for any  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ .
- (iv)  $\|(1, 0)\| = \|(1, 0)\|_{\sim}$  and  $\|(0, 1)\| = \|(0, 1)\|_{\sim}$ .

Then

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}^2, \|\cdot\|) = \beta^p, \text{ where } \beta = \max \left\{ \frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} : (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2, (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \right\}.$$

**Proof.** By  $\|\cdot\| \leq \|\cdot\|_{\sim} \leq \beta\|\cdot\|$  and (i), we have

$$\begin{aligned} C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}^2, \|\cdot\|) &= \sup \left\{ \frac{\|u + v\|^p + \|u - v\|^p}{2^{p-1}(\|u\|^p + \|v\|^p)} : u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2, (u, v) \neq (0, 0) \right\} \\ &\leq \beta^p \sup \left\{ \frac{\|u + v\|_{\sim}^p + \|u - v\|_{\sim}^p}{2^{p-1}(\|u\|_{\sim}^p + \|v\|_{\sim}^p)} : u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2, (u, v) \neq (0, 0) \right\} \\ &\leq \beta^p. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, for any positive number  $\varepsilon$ , we can take  $(x_0, y_0) \in \mathbb{R}^2$  such that  $\frac{\|(x_0, y_0)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x_0, y_0)\|} > \beta - \varepsilon$ . Thus by (ii),

$$\begin{aligned} C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}^2, \|\cdot\|) &\geq \frac{\|(2x_0, 0)\|^p + \|(0, 2y_0)\|^p}{2^{p-1}(\|(x_0, y_0)\|^p + \|(x_0, -y_0)\|^p)} \\ &= \frac{\|(x_0, 0)\|_{\sim}^p + \|(0, y_0)\|_{\sim}^p}{\|(x_0, y_0)\|_{\sim}^p} \frac{\|(x_0, y_0)\|_{\sim}^p}{\|(x_0, y_0)\|^p} \\ &\geq (\beta - \varepsilon)^p. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}^2, \|\cdot\|) = \beta^p$ . □

If  $a > 1, a \geq b \geq 1$  and  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} \leq 1$ , by taking  $u = \left(\frac{1}{a}, \frac{1}{b}\right)$  and  $v = \left(\frac{1}{a}, -\frac{1}{b}\right)$ , then

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p_1}^2) \geq \frac{\|u + v\|^p + \|u - v\|^p}{2^{p-1}(\|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2)} = 2.$$

Thus,  $C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p_1}^2) = 2$ . Therefore, we only to consider the case  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} > 1$ .

**Lemma 2.2.** *Let  $a > 1, a \geq b \geq 1$  and  $p_1 \geq p \geq 1$  with  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} > 1$ . If  $f(t) = \frac{(a^p t^p + b^p)^{\frac{1}{p}}}{(1 + t^{p_1})^{\frac{1}{p_1}}}$ ,  $t_1 = (a^{p_1} - 1)^{-\frac{1}{p_1}}$ ,  $t_2 = \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^{\frac{p}{p_1-p}}$  and  $t_3 = (b^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{1}{p_1}}$ , then*

(i) *f is non-decreasing on  $(0, t_2)$  and is non-increasing on  $(t_2, \infty)$ . Hence f has the maximum at  $t_2$ .*

(ii)  $f(t_3) \leq f(t_1)$ .

(iii) If  $b \leq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ , then  $t_3 \leq t_1 \leq t_2$  and

$$\max\{f(t) : t_3 \leq t \leq t_1\} = f(t_1) = \left(1 + b^p(1 - a^{-p_1})^{\frac{p}{p_1}}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

(iv) If  $b \geq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ , then  $t_3 \leq t_2 \leq t_1$  and

$$\max\{f(t) : t_3 \leq t \leq t_1\} = f(t_2) = b \left(1 + \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{\frac{pp_1}{p-p_1}}\right)^{\frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{p_1}}.$$

**Proof.** (i) Since  $f'(t) = (a^p t^p + b^p)^{\frac{1}{p}-1} (1 + t^{p_1})^{-\frac{1}{p_1}-1} t^{p-1} [a^p - b^p t^{p_1-p}]$ , we have (i).

(ii) It is easy to see that

$$f(t_1) = \left(1 + \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^p (a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p}{p_1}}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

and

$$f(t_3) = \left(1 + \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^p (b^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p}{p_1}}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

Hence  $f(t_3) \leq f(t_1)$  if and only if  $\frac{b}{a}(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{1}{p_1}} \geq \frac{a}{b}(b^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{1}{p_1}}$ , that is  $(b^{p_1} - a^{p_1})(a^{p_1} + b^{p_1} - a^{p_1}b^{p_1}) \leq 0$ . Thus it follow from  $a \geq b$  and  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} > 1$ .

(iii) Since  $b \leq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ , we obtain  $t_1 \leq t_2$ . By  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} > 1$ , we can get  $(a^{p_1} - 1)(b^{p_1} - 1) < 1$ , and this implies  $t_3 < t_1$ . Thus it follows from (i) that (iii) is valid.

(iv) From  $b \geq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ , we see that  $t_1 \geq t_2$  and  $a \geq b \geq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ . Thus,  $b^{p_1} - 1 \leq a^{p_1} - 1 \leq 1$  and  $t_3 \leq 1 \leq t_2 \leq t_1$ . Hence (iv) can also be obtained from (i).  $\square$

**Theorem 2.3.**  $a > 1, a \geq b \geq 1$  and  $p_1 \geq p \geq 2$  with  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} > 1$ .

(i) If  $b \leq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ , then

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p_1}^2) = 1 + b^p(1 - a^{-p_1})^{\frac{p}{p_1}}. \quad (2.1)$$

(ii) If  $b \geq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ , then

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}_{a,b,p_1}^2) = b^p \left(1 + \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{\frac{pp_1}{p-p_1}}\right)^{1 - \frac{p}{p_1}}. \quad (2.2)$$

**Proof.** We define the norm  $\|\cdot\|_{\sim}$  on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  by  $\|(x, y)\|_{\sim} = \|(ax, by)\|_p$ .

By Clarkson's inequality, for any  $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2$ , we have

$$\|u + v\|_{\sim}^p + \|u - v\|_{\sim}^p \leq 2^{p-1}(\|u\|_{\sim}^p + \|v\|_{\sim}^p).$$

Also,  $\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}^p = a^p|x|^p + b^p|y|^p = \|(x, 0)\|_{\sim}^p + \|(0, y)\|_{\sim}^p$  for any  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ . It is clear that  $\|(x, y)\| \leq \|(x, y)\|_{\sim}$  for any  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$  by  $a \geq b \geq 1$  and  $p_1 \geq p \geq 1$ .

Put  $\beta = \max \left\{ \frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} : (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2, (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \right\}$ .

(i) If  $b \leq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1-p}{pp_1}}$ , then we can show that  $\beta = f(t_1)$ .

In the case where  $x = 0$  or  $y = 0$ , since  $f(t_1) \geq 1$ , we can assume that  $x \neq 0$  and  $y \neq 0$ . Put  $t = \frac{|x|}{|y|}$ . We first consider the case  $\|(x, y)\| = a|x|$ . Since  $a|x| \geq \|(x, y)\|_{p_1}$ , we have

$t \geq (a^{p_1} - 1)^{-\frac{1}{p_1}} = t_1$ . Hence

$$\frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} = \frac{\|(ax, by)\|_p}{a|x|} = \|(1, \frac{b}{at})\|_p \leq \|(1, \frac{b}{at_1})\|_p = f(t_1).$$

Next, we consider the case  $\|(x, y)\| = b|y|$ . Since  $b|y| \geq \|(x, y)\|_{p_1}$ , we have  $t \leq (b^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{1}{p_1}} = t_3$ . Hence by Lemma 2.2

$$\frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} = \frac{\|(ax, by)\|_p}{b|y|} = \|(\frac{at}{b}, 1)\|_p \leq \|(\frac{at_3}{b}, 1)\|_p = f(t_3) \leq f(t_1).$$

Finally we consider the case  $\|(x, y)\| = \|(x, y)\|_{p_1}$ . Since  $\|(x, y)\|_{p_1} \geq a|x|$  and  $\|(x, y)\|_{p_1} \geq b|y|$ , it follows that  $t_3 \leq t \leq t_1$ . Then by Lemma 2.2, we also have

$$\frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} = \frac{\|(ax, by)\|_p}{\|(x, y)\|_{p_1}} = f(t) \leq f(t_1).$$

Thus,  $\beta \leq f(t_1)$ . Moreover, we have  $\frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} = f(t_1)$  for  $(x, y) = (t_1, 1)$ . Hence  $\beta = f(t_1)$  and (i) is valid by Lemma 2.1.

(ii) If  $b \geq a(a^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{p_1 - p}{pp_1}}$ , similar to (i), then we can get  $\beta = f(t_2)$ . Hence (ii) is also valid by Lemma 2.1.  $\square$

**Remark 2.4.** By taking  $p = 2$  and  $p_1 = p$  in Theorem 2.3, we can see that (2.1) and (2.2) can imply (1.1) and (1.2) respectively.

Next, we consider the case  $p \geq p_1$ .

**Lemma 2.5.** Let  $a > 1, a \geq b \geq 1$  and  $p \geq p_1 \geq 1$  with  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} > 1$ . If  $f(t) = \frac{(a^p t^p + b^p)^{\frac{1}{p}}}{(1 + t^{p_1})^{\frac{1}{p_1}}}$ ,  $t_1 = (a^{p_1} - 1)^{-\frac{1}{p_1}}$ ,  $t_2 = (\frac{a}{b})^{\frac{p}{p_1 - p}}$  and  $t_3 = (b^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{1}{p_1}}$ , then

(i)  $f$  is non-increasing on  $(0, t_2)$  and is non-decreasing on  $(t_2, \infty)$ . Hence  $f$  has the minimum at  $t_2$ .

(ii)  $f(t_3) \leq f(t_1)$ .

**Proof.** (i) Since  $f'(t) = (a^p t^p + b^p)^{\frac{1}{p} - 1} (1 + t^{p_1})^{-\frac{1}{p_1} - 1} t^{p_1 - 1} [a^p t^{p - p_1} - b^p]$ , we have (i).

(ii) The same as the proof of (ii) in Lemma 2.2.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.6.**  $a > 1, a \geq b \geq 1, p \geq 2$  and  $p \geq p_1 \geq 1$  with  $a^{-p_1} + b^{-p_1} > 1$ . If  $a^{\frac{pp_1}{p_1 - p}} + b^{\frac{pp_1}{p_1 - p}} \leq 1$ , then

$$C_{NJ}^{(p)}(\mathbb{R}_{a, b, p_1}^2) = 1 + b^p (1 - a^{-p_1})^{\frac{p}{p_1}}. \quad (2.3)$$

**Proof.** We define the norm  $\|\cdot\|_{\sim}$  on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  by  $\|(x, y)\|_{\sim} = \|(ax, by)\|_p$ .

By Clarkson's inequality, for any  $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2$ , we have

$$\|u + v\|_{\sim}^p + \|u - v\|_{\sim}^p \leq 2^{p-1} (\|u\|_{\sim}^p + \|v\|_{\sim}^p).$$

Also,  $\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}^p = a^p |x|^p + b^p |y|^p = \|(x, 0)\|_{\sim}^p + \|(0, y)\|_{\sim}^p$  for any  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ .

By Hölder's inequality, we have

$$\|(x, y)\|_{p_1}^{p_1} = |ax|^{p_1} a^{-p_1} + |by|^{p_1} b^{-p_1} \leq (|ax|^p + |by|^p)^{\frac{p_1}{p}} (a^{\frac{pp_1}{p_1 - p}} + b^{\frac{pp_1}{p_1 - p}})^{1 - \frac{p_1}{p}},$$

which implies  $\|(x, y)\| \leq \|(x, y)\|_{\sim}$  for any  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$  by  $a^{\frac{pp_1}{p_1 - p}} + b^{\frac{pp_1}{p_1 - p}} \leq 1$ .

Put  $\beta = \max \left\{ \frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} : (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2, (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \right\}$ .

Firstly, we show that  $\beta \leq f(t_1)$ .

In the case where  $x = 0$  or  $y = 0$ , since  $f(t_1) \geq 1$ , we can assume that  $x \neq 0$  and  $y \neq 0$ . Put  $t = \frac{|x|}{|y|}$ . We first consider the case  $\|(x, y)\| = a|x|$ . Since  $a|x| \geq \|(x, y)\|_{p_1}$ , we have  $t \geq (a^{p_1} - 1)^{-\frac{1}{p_1}} = t_1$ . Hence

$$\frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} = \frac{\|(ax, by)\|_p}{a|x|} = \|(1, \frac{b}{at})\|_p \leq \|(1, \frac{b}{at_1})\|_p = f(t_1).$$

Next, we consider the case  $\|(x, y)\| = b|y|$ . Since  $b|y| \geq \|(x, y)\|_{p_1}$ , we have  $t \leq (b^{p_1} - 1)^{\frac{1}{p_1}} = t_3$ . Hence by Lemma 2.5

$$\frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} = \frac{\|(ax, by)\|_p}{b|y|} = \|(\frac{at}{b}, 1)\|_p \leq \|(\frac{at_3}{b}, 1)\|_p = f(t_3) \leq f(t_1).$$

Finally, we consider the case  $\|(x, y)\| = \|(x, y)\|_{p_1}$ . Since  $\|(x, y)\|_{p_1} \geq a|x|$  and  $\|(x, y)\|_{p_1} \geq b|y|$ , it follows that  $t_3 \leq t \leq t_1$ . Then by Lemma 2.5, we also have

$$\frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} = \frac{\|(ax, by)\|_p}{\|(x, y)\|_{p_1}} = f(t) \leq f(t_1).$$

Thus,  $\beta \leq f(t_1)$ . Moreover, we have  $\frac{\|(x, y)\|_{\sim}}{\|(x, y)\|} = f(t_1)$  for  $(x, y) = (t_1, 1)$ . Hence  $\beta = f(t_1)$  and (2.3) is valid by Lemma 2.1. □

**Remark 2.7.** By taking  $p = 2$  and  $p_1 = p$  in Theorem 2.6, we can see that (2.3) can imply (1.3).

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