

## SOME COMPACT GENERALIZATIONS OF WELL-KNOWN INEQUALITIES FOR POLYNOMIALS

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**Abstract.** Let  $P(z)$  be a polynomial of degree  $n$ . In this paper, we consider a problem of investigating the dependence of

$$\left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right|$$

on maximum and minimum of  $|P(z)|$  on  $|z| = k$  for arbitrary real or complex numbers  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1, R > 1, k \geq 1$  and establish certain sharp compact generalizations of well-known Bernstein-type inequalities for polynomials, from which a variety of interesting results follows as special cases. Besides we shall first obtain an interesting result which yields a number of well-known polynomial inequalities as special cases.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $\mathcal{P}_n$  denote the space of all complex polynomials  $P(z) = \sum_{j=0}^n a_j z^j$  of degree  $n$ . A famous result known as Bernstein's inequality (for reference, see [9], [11] or [12]) states that if  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$ , then

$$\max_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \leq n \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)|, \quad (1.1)$$

whereas concerning the maximum modulus of  $P(z)$  on the circle  $|z| = R > 1$ , we have

$$\max_{|z|=R} |P(z)| \leq R^n \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)|, \quad R \geq 1. \quad (1.2)$$

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(for reference, see [9] or [10]).

If we restrict ourselves to the class of polynomials  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  having no zero in  $|z| < 1$ , then inequalities (1.1) and (1.2) can be respectively replaced by

$$\operatorname{Max}_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \leq \frac{n}{2} \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=1} |P(z)|, \quad (1.3)$$

and

$$\operatorname{Max}_{|z|=R} |P(z)| \leq \frac{R^n + 1}{2} \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=1} |P(z)|, \quad R \geq 1. \quad (1.4)$$

Inequality (1.3) was conjectured by Erdős and later verified by Lax [7], whereas inequality (1.4) is due to Ankey and Ravilin [1].

Aziz and Dawood [2] further improved inequalities (1.3) and (1.4) under the same hypothesis and proved that,

$$\operatorname{Max}_{|z|=1} |P'(z)| \leq \frac{n}{2} \left\{ \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=1} |P(z)| - \operatorname{Min}_{|z|=1} |P(z)| \right\}, \quad (1.5)$$

$$\operatorname{Max}_{|z|=R} |P(z)| \leq \frac{R^n + 1}{2} \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=1} |P(z)| - \frac{R^n - 1}{2} \operatorname{Min}_{|z|=1} |P(z)|, \quad R \geq 1. \quad (1.6)$$

Jain [5] generalized both the inequalities (1.3) and (1.4) and proved that if  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z) \neq 0$  in  $|z| < 1$ , then for every real or complex number  $\beta$  with  $|\beta| \leq 1$ ,  $|z| = 1$  and  $R \geq 1$ ,

$$\left| zP'(z) + \frac{n\beta}{2} P(z) \right| \leq \frac{n}{2} \left\{ \left| 1 + \frac{\beta}{2} \right| + \left| \frac{\beta}{2} \right| \right\} \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=R>1} |P(z)|, \quad (1.7)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \left| P(Rz) + \beta \left( \frac{R+1}{2} \right)^n P(z) \right| &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \left| R^n + \beta \left( \frac{R+1}{2} \right)^n \right| \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left| 1 + \beta \left( \frac{R+1}{2} \right)^n \right| \right] \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=R>1} |P(z)|. \end{aligned} \quad (1.8)$$

Jain [6] obtained a result concerning minimum modulus of polynomials and proved the following:

**Theorem A.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and have all its zeros in  $|z| \leq 1$ , then for every real of complex  $\beta$  with  $|\beta| \leq 1$ ,*

$$\operatorname{Min}_{|z|=1} \left| zP'(z) + \frac{n\beta}{2} P(z) \right| \geq n \left| 1 + \frac{\beta}{2} \right| \operatorname{Min}_{|z|=1} |P(z)|. \quad (1.9)$$

As a refinement of inequalities (1.7) and (1.8), Jain [6] also established:

**Theorem B.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and have no zero in  $|z| < 1$ , then for every real of complex  $\beta$  with  $|\beta| \leq 1$ ,*

$$\left| zP'(z) + \frac{n\beta}{2}P(z) \right| \leq \frac{n}{2} \left[ \left\{ \left| 1 + \frac{\beta}{2} \right| + \left| \frac{\beta}{2} \right| \right\} \text{Max}_{|z|=1} |P(z)| - \left\{ \left| 1 + \frac{\beta}{2} \right| - \left| \frac{\beta}{2} \right| \right\} \text{Min}_{|z|=1} |P(z)| \right], \tag{1.10}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Max}_{|z|=1} \left| P(Rz) + \beta \left( \frac{R+1}{2} \right)^n P(z) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \left\{ \left| R^n + \beta \left( \frac{R+1}{2} \right)^n \right| + \left| 1 + \beta \left( \frac{R+1}{2} \right)^n \right| \right\} \text{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| - \left\{ \left| R^n + \beta \left( \frac{R+1}{2} \right)^n \right| - \left| 1 + \beta \left( \frac{R+1}{2} \right)^n \right| \right\} \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{1.11}$$

Inequalities (1.9) and (1.10) have recently appeared in [4] also.

More recently, S. Mezerji *et. al* [8] proved the following generalization of inequalities (1.6) and (1.7) which also leads to a refinement of (1.8).

**Theorem C.** *If  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$ , having no zeros in  $|z| < k$ ,  $k \geq 1$ , then for  $|\beta| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Max}_{|z|=1} \left| P(Rk^2z) + \beta \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \left\{ k^n \left| R^n + \beta \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n \right| + \left| 1 + \beta \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n \right| \right\} \text{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| - \left\{ k^n \left| R^n + \beta \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n \right| - \left| 1 + \beta \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n \right| \right\} \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{1.12}$$

## 2. LEMMAS

For the proof of our theorems we need the following lemmas.

**Lemma 2.1.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z)$  have all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \leq 1$ , then for every  $R \geq 1$  and  $|z| = 1$ ,*

$$|P(Rz)| \geq \left( \frac{R+k}{1+k} \right)^n |P(z)|.$$

*Proof.* Since all the zeros of  $P(z)$  lie in  $|z| \leq k$ ,  $k \leq 1$  we write

$$P(z) = C \prod_{j=1}^n (z - r_j e^{i\theta_j}),$$

where  $r_j \leq k \leq 1$ . Now for  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ ,  $R > 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{Re^{i\theta} - r_j e^{i\theta_j}}{e^{i\theta} - r_j e^{i\theta_j}} \right| &= \left\{ \frac{R^2 + r_j^2 - 2Rr_j \cos(\theta - \theta_j)}{1 + r_j^2 - 2r_j \cos(\theta - \theta_j)} \right\}^{1/2}, \\ &\geq \left\{ \frac{R + r_j}{1 + r_j} \right\}, \\ &\geq \left\{ \frac{R + k}{1 + k} \right\}, \text{ for } j = 1, 2, \dots, n. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{P(Re^{i\theta})}{P(e^{i\theta})} \right| &= \prod_{j=1}^n \left| \frac{Re^{i\theta} - r_j e^{i\theta_j}}{e^{i\theta} - r_j e^{i\theta_j}} \right|, \\ &\geq \prod_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{R+k}{1+k} \right), \\ &= \left( \frac{R+k}{1+k} \right)^n, \end{aligned}$$

for  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ . This implies for  $|z| = 1$  and  $R > 1$ ,

$$|P(Rz)| \geq \left( \frac{R+k}{1+k} \right)^n |P(z)|,$$

which completes the proof of Lemma 2.1.  $\square$

**Lemma 2.2.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z)$  have no zero in  $|z| < k, k \geq 1$ , then for  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1, R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right|, \end{aligned} \tag{2.1}$$

where  $Q(z) = z^n \overline{P(1/\bar{z})}$ .

*Proof.* By hypothesis, the polynomial  $P(z) \neq 0$  in  $|z| < k, k \geq 1$ , therefore  $Q(z)$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  having all its zeros in  $|z| < (1/k) \leq 1$ . As

$$k^n |Q(z)| = |P(k^2z)| \text{ for } |z| = (1/k),$$

Applying Theorem 3.1 with  $F(z)$  replaced by  $k^n Q(z)$  we get for arbitrary real or complex numbers  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1, R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right| \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of Lemma 2.2. □

**Lemma 2.3.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $Q(z) = z^n \overline{P(1/\bar{z})}$  then for  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$ , with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1, R \geq 1, k \geq 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \quad + k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right| \\ & \leq \left[ k^n |z|^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right] \text{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)|. \end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

*Proof.* Let  $M = \text{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)|$ , then by Rouché's theorem the polynomial  $F(z) = P(z) - \mu M$  does not vanish in  $|z| < k$ , for every  $\mu \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\mu| > 1$ . Applying

Lemma 2.2 to polynomial  $F(z)$ , we get for  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| F(Rk^2z) - \alpha F(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} F(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq k^n \left| H(Rz) - \alpha H(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} H(z) \right|, \end{aligned}$$

where  $H(z) = z^n \overline{F(1/\bar{z})}$ , replacing  $F(z)$  by  $P(z) - \mu M$  and  $H(z)$  by  $Q(z) - \bar{\mu} M z^n$ , we have for  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \mu \left\{ 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right\} M \right| \\ & \leq k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \bar{\mu} \left\{ R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right\} M z^n \right|, \end{aligned} \quad (2.3)$$

where  $Q(z) = z^n \overline{P(1/\bar{z})}$ . Choosing argument of  $\mu$  in the right hand side of inequality (2.3) such that

$$\begin{aligned} & k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \bar{\mu} \left\{ R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right\} M z^n \right| \\ & = k^n |\bar{\mu} z^n| M \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \\ & \quad - k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right|, \end{aligned} \quad (2.4)$$

which is possible by applying Corollary 3.4 to polynomial  $Q(z)$ , with replacing  $k$  by  $\frac{1}{k}$ , we get for  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & - |\mu| \left| \left\{ 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right\} M \right| \\ & \leq k^n |\bar{\mu} z^n| M \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \\ & - k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Equivalently for  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & + k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right| \\ & \leq M |\mu| \left[ k^n |z|^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \\ & \left. + \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Letting  $|\mu| \rightarrow 1$ , we get the conclusion of lemma 2.3 and this completes proof of Lemma 2.3. □

### 3. MAIN RESULTS

In this paper, we first present the following interesting result which yields a number of well-known polynomial inequalities as special cases.

**Theorem 3.1.** *If  $F \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $F(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \leq 1$ , and  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree at most  $n$  such that*

$$|P(z)| \leq |F(z)| \quad \text{for } |z| = k,$$

then for  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1, R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rz) - \alpha P(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(z) \right| \\ & \leq \left| F(Rz) - \alpha F(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} F(z) \right|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

The result is best possible and the equality holds for the polynomial  $P(z) = e^{i\gamma} F(z)$  where  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $F(z)$  is any polynomial having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ .

*Proof.* Since polynomial  $F(z)$  of degree  $n$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  and  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree at most  $n$  such that

$$|P(z)| \leq |F(z)| \quad \text{for } |z| = k, \quad (3.2)$$

therefore, if  $F(z)$  has a zero of multiplicity  $s$  at  $z = ke^{i\theta_0}$ , then  $P(z)$  has a zero of multiplicity at least  $s$  at  $z = ke^{i\theta_0}$ . If  $P(z)/F(z)$  is a constant, then inequality (3.1) is obvious. We now assume that  $P(z)/F(z)$  is not a constant, so that by the maximum modulus principle, it follows that

$$|P(z)| < |F(z)| \quad \text{for } |z| > k.$$

Suppose  $F(z)$  has  $m$  zeros on  $|z| = k$  where  $0 \leq m < n$ , so that we can write

$$F(z) = F_1(z)F_2(z),$$

where  $F_1(z)$  is a polynomial of degree  $m$  whose all zeros lie on  $|z| = k$  and  $F_2(z)$  is a polynomial of degree exactly  $n - m$  having all its zeros in  $|z| < k$ . This implies with the help of inequality (3.2) that

$$P(z) = P_1(z)F_1(z),$$

where  $P_1(z)$  is a polynomial of degree at most  $n - m$ . Again, from inequality (3.2), we have

$$|P_1(z)| \leq |F_2(z)| \quad \text{for } |z| = k,$$

where  $F_2(z) \neq 0$  for  $|z| = k$ . Therefore for every real or complex number  $\lambda$  with  $|\lambda| > 1$ , a direct application of Rouché's theorem shows that the zeros of the polynomial  $P_1(z) - \lambda F_2(z)$  of degree  $n - m \geq 1$  lie in  $|z| < k$  hence the polynomial

$$G(z) = F_1(z) (P_1(z) - \lambda F_2(z)) = P(z) - \lambda F(z)$$

has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  with at least one zero in  $|z| < k$ , so that we can write

$$f(z) = (z - te^{i\delta})H(z),$$



where  $t < k$  and  $H(z)$  is a polynomial of degree  $n - 1$  having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ . Applying Lemma 2.1 to the polynomial  $H(z)$ , we obtain for every  $R > 1$  and  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} |G(Re^{i\theta})| &= |Re^{i\theta} - te^{i\delta}||H(Re^{i\theta})| \\ &\geq |Re^{i\theta} - te^{i\delta}| \left(\frac{R+k}{k+1}\right)^{n-1} |H(e^{i\theta})|, \\ &= \left(\frac{R+k}{k+1}\right)^{n-1} \frac{|Re^{i\theta} - te^{i\delta}|}{|e^{i\theta} - te^{i\delta}|} |(e^{i\theta} - te^{i\delta})H(e^{i\theta})|, \\ &\geq \left(\frac{R+k}{k+1}\right)^{n-1} \left(\frac{R+t}{1+t}\right) |G(e^{i\theta})|. \end{aligned}$$

This implies for  $R > 1$  and  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ ,

$$\left(\frac{1+t}{R+t}\right) |G(Re^{i\theta})| \geq \left(\frac{R+k}{k+1}\right)^{n-1} |G(e^{i\theta})|. \tag{3.3}$$

Since  $R > 1 > t$  so that  $G(Re^{i\theta}) \neq 0$  for  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$  and  $\frac{1+k}{k+R} > \frac{1+t}{R+t}$ , from inequality (3.3), we obtain

$$|G(Re^{i\theta})| > \left(\frac{R+k}{k+1}\right)^n |G(e^{i\theta})|, \quad R > 1 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq \theta < 2\pi. \tag{3.4}$$

Equivalently,

$$|G(Rz)| > \left(\frac{R+k}{k+1}\right)^n |G(z)|$$

for  $|z| = 1$  and  $R > 1$ . Hence for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} |G(Rz) - \alpha G(z)| &\geq |G(Rz)| - |\alpha| |G(z)| \\ &> \left\{ \left(\frac{R+k}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} |G(z)|, \quad \text{for } |z| = 1. \end{aligned} \tag{3.5}$$

Also, inequality (3.4) can be written in the form

$$|G(e^{i\theta})| < \left(\frac{k+1}{R+k}\right)^n |G(Re^{i\theta})|, \tag{3.6}$$

for every  $R > 1$  and  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ . Since  $G(Re^{i\theta}) \neq 0$  and  $\left(\frac{k+1}{R+k}\right)^n < 1$ , from inequality (3.6), we obtain for  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$  and  $R > 1$ ,

$$|G(e^{i\theta})| < |G(Re^{i\theta})|.$$

That is,

$$|G(z)| < |G(Rz)| \quad \text{for } |z| = 1.$$

Since all the zeros of  $G(Rz)$  lie in  $|z| \leq (k/R) < 1$ , a direct application of Rouché's theorem shows that the polynomial  $G(Rz) - \alpha G(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| < 1$  for every real or complex number  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1$ . Applying Rouché's theorem again, it follows from (3.5) that for arbitrary real or complex numbers  $\alpha, \beta$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ , all the zeros of the polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} T(z) &= G(Rz) - \alpha G(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} G(z) \\ &= \left[ P(Rz) - \alpha P(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(z) \right] \\ &\quad - \lambda \left[ F(Rz) - \alpha F(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} F(z) \right] \end{aligned}$$

lie in  $|z| < 1$ . This implies

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| P(Rz) - \alpha P(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(z) \right| \\ &\leq \left| F(Rz) - \alpha F(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} F(z) \right| \end{aligned} \quad (3.7)$$

for  $|z| \geq 1$  and  $R > 1$ . If inequality (3.7) is not true, then there a point  $z = z_0$  with  $|z_0| \geq 1$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| P(Rz_0) - \alpha P(z_0) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(z_0) \right| \\ &> \left| F(Rz_0) - \alpha F(z_0) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} F(z_0) \right| \end{aligned}$$

But all the zeros of  $F(Rz)$  lie in  $|z| < (k/R) < 1$ , therefore, it follows (as in case of  $G(z)$ ) that all the zeros of  $F(Rz) - \alpha F(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} F(z)$  lie in  $|z| < 1$ . Hence

$$F(Rz_0) - \alpha F(z_0) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} F(z_0) \neq 0$$

with  $|z_0| \geq 1$ . We take

$$\lambda = \frac{P(Rz_0) - \alpha P(z_0) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(z_0)}{F(Rz_0) - \alpha F(z_0) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} F(z_0)},$$

then  $\lambda$  is a well defined real or complex number with  $|\lambda| > 1$  and with this choice of  $\lambda$ , we obtain  $T(z_0) = 0$  where  $|z_0| \geq 1$ . This contradicts the fact that all the zeros of  $T(z)$  lie in  $|z| < 1$ . Thus (3.7) holds for  $|\alpha| \leq 1$ ,  $|\beta| \leq 1$ ,  $|z| \geq 1$ , and  $R > 1$ .  $\square$

If we choose  $\alpha = 0$  in Theorem 3.1, we get the following:

**Corollary 3.2.** *If  $F \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \leq 1$ , and  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree at most  $n$  such that*

$$|P(z)| \leq |F(z)| \text{ for } |z| = k,$$

then for  $|\beta| \leq 1$ ,  $R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,

$$\left| P(Rz) + \beta \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n P(z) \right| \leq \left| F(Rz) + \beta \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n F(z) \right|. \quad (3.8)$$

The result is sharp, and the equality holds for the polynomial  $P(z) = e^{i\gamma}F(z)$  where  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$ .

Next take  $\alpha = 1$  in inequality (3.1) and divide the two sides by  $R - 1$  and then make  $R \rightarrow 1$ , we get:

**Corollary 3.3.** *If  $F \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $F(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \leq 1$ , and  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree at most  $n$  such that*

$$|P(z)| \leq |F(z)| \text{ for } |z| = k,$$

then for  $|\beta| \leq 1$ ,  $R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,

$$\left| zP'(z) + \frac{n\beta}{k+1}P(z) \right| \leq \left| zF'(z) + \frac{n\beta}{k+1}F(z) \right|. \quad (3.9)$$

The result is sharp, and the equality holds for the polynomial  $P(z) = e^{i\gamma}F(z)$  where  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $F(z)$  is any polynomial having all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$ .

Setting  $F(z) = z^n M/k^n$ , where  $M = \underset{|z|=k}{\text{Max}} |P(z)|$  in Theorem 3.1, we get the following result:

**Corollary 3.4.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  then for  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1$ ,  $|\beta| \leq 1$ ,  $k \leq 1$ ,  $R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rz) - \alpha P(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(z) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{|z|^n}{k^n} \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=k \leq 1} |P(z)|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.10)$$

*The result is best possible and equality in (3.10) holds for  $P(z) = az^n$ ,  $a \neq 0$ .*

Again, if we choose  $\alpha = 1$  in Corollary 3.4, and divide the two sides of inequality (3.10) by  $R - 1$  and then making  $R \rightarrow 1$ , we get:

**Corollary 3.5.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  then for  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\beta| \leq 1$ ,  $k \leq 1$ ,  $R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,*

$$\left| zP'(z) + \frac{n\beta}{k+1} P(z) \right| \leq \frac{n|z|^n}{k^n} \left| 1 + \frac{\beta}{k+1} \right| \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)|. \quad (3.11)$$

*For  $\alpha = 0$  (3.10) reduces to*

$$\left| P(Rz) + \beta \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n P(z) \right| \leq \frac{|z|^n}{k^n} \left| R^n + \beta \left( \frac{R+k}{k+1} \right)^n \right| \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \quad (3.12)$$

*for  $|z| \geq 1$ .*

*The result is sharp and equality in (3.11) and (3.12) holds for  $P(z) = az^n$ ,  $a \neq 0$ .*

The following compact generalization of inequalities (1.1) and (1.2) immediately follows from Theorem 3.1, by taking  $k = 1$  and  $\beta = 0$  in (3.10).

**Corollary 3.6.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$ , then for  $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1$ ,  $R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,*

$$|P(Rz) - \alpha P(z)| \leq |z|^n |R^n - \alpha| \operatorname{Max}_{|z|=1} |P(z)|. \quad (3.13)$$

*The result is best possible as shown by  $P(z) = az^n$ ,  $a \neq 0$ .*

**Remark 3.7.** *For  $\alpha = 0$ , (3.13) reduces to (1.2). For  $\alpha = 1$ , if we divide the two sides of (3.13) by  $R - 1$  and make  $R \rightarrow 1$ , we get inequality (1.1).*

If we take  $\beta = 0$  in Theorem 3.1, then inequality (3.1) reduces to following:

**Corollary 3.8.** *If  $F \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $F(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \leq 1$ , and  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree at most  $n$  such that*

$$|P(z)| \leq |F(z)| \text{ for } |z| = k,$$

*then for  $|\alpha| \leq 1, R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,*

$$|P(Rz) - \alpha P(z)| \leq |F(Rz) - \alpha F(z)|. \tag{3.14}$$

*The result is sharp and equality holds for  $P(z) = e^{i\gamma} F(z)$  where  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$ .*

Dividing the two sides of inequality (3.14) by  $R - 1$  with  $\alpha = 1$  and making  $R \rightarrow 1$ , we get:

**Corollary 3.9.** *If  $F \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $F(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \leq 1$ , and  $P(z)$  is a polynomial of degree at most  $n$  such that*

$$|P(z)| \leq |F(z)| \text{ for } |z| = k,$$

*then for  $|z| \geq 1$ ,*

$$|P'(z)| \leq |F'(z)|. \tag{3.15}$$

*The result is sharp and equality holds for  $P(z) = e^{i\gamma} F(z)$  where  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$ .*

Next, we present the following result which includes Theorem A as a special case.

**Theorem 3.10.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \geq 1$  then for  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Min}_{|z|=1} \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \geq k^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)|. \end{aligned} \tag{3.16}$$

*The result is best possible as shown by  $P(z) = az^n, a \neq 0$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $m = \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)|$ . If  $P(z)$  has zeros on  $|z| = k, k \geq 1$ , then the result is trivially true. Assume all the zeros of  $P(z)$  lie in  $|z| < k, k \geq 1$ , therefore all the zeros of polynomial  $P(k^2z)$  lie in  $|z| < (1/k)$  where  $(1/k) \leq 1$  and  $m = \text{Min}_{|z|=1/k} |P(k^2z)| > 0$ . For every  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\lambda| < 1$ , then it follows by Rouché's theorem that the polynomial  $f(z) = P(k^2z) - \lambda mk^n z^n$  have all its zeros in lie  $|z| < 1/k$ , where  $1/k \leq 1$ , applying Lemma 2.1 to  $f(z)$ , we have

$$|f(Rz)| \geq \left(\frac{Rk+1}{1+k}\right)^n |f(z)| \quad \text{for } |z| = 1.$$

Which implies,

$$|f(Rz)| > |f(z)| \quad \text{for } R > 1 \quad \text{and } |z| = 1.$$

Thus by Rouché's theorem for  $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1$  all the zeros of  $F(z) = f(Rz) - \alpha f(z)$  lie in  $|z| < 1$ . and, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |f(Rz) - \alpha f(z)| &\geq |f(Rz)| - |\alpha f(z)| \\ &> \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} |f(z)| \end{aligned}$$

for  $|z| = 1$  and  $R > 1$ . Again by Rouché's theorem for  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\beta| \leq 1$ , the zeros of the polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} g(z) &= f(Rz) - \alpha f(z) + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{R+k}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} f(z) \\ &= \left[ P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right] \\ &\quad - \lambda mk^n z^n \left[ R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right] \end{aligned}$$

lie in  $|z| < 1$ . This gives

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ &\geq k^n |z|^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| m \end{aligned} \quad (3.17)$$

for  $|z| \geq 1$ .

If inequality (3.17) is not true, then there exists  $z_0 \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|z_0| \geq 1$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| P(Rk^2z_0) - \alpha P(k^2z_0) + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z_0) \right| \\ &< k^n |z_0|^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| m \end{aligned}$$

We take

$$\lambda = \frac{[P(Rk^2z_0) - \alpha P(k^2z_0) + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z_0)]}{mk^n|z_0|^n [R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{R+k}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\}]},$$

then  $|\lambda| < 1$  and with this choice of  $\lambda$ , we have  $g(z_0) = 0$ , with  $|z_0| \geq 1$ , which is contradiction, since all the zeros of  $g(z)$  lie in  $|z| < 1$ . Hence, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \geq k^n|z|^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left(\frac{Rk+1}{k+1}\right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \end{aligned}$$

for  $|z| \geq 1, R > 1$  which immediately leads to inequality (3.17) and this completes the proof of Theorem 3.10.  $\square$

If we divide the two sides of inequality (3.16) by  $R - 1$  with  $\alpha = 1$  and then making  $R \rightarrow 1$  we get:

**Corollary 3.11.** *If  $P(z) \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and have all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \geq 1$  then for  $|\beta| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$*

$$\text{Min}_{|z|=1} \left| kzP'(k^2z) + \frac{n\beta}{k+1} P(k^2z) \right| \geq nk^{n-1} \left| 1 + \frac{n\beta k}{k+1} \right| \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \quad (3.18)$$

. *The result is sharp.*

**Remark 3.12.** *For  $k = 1$ , inequality (3.18) reduces to Theorem A.*

Setting  $\beta = 0$  in theorem 3.10, we obtain :

**Corollary 3.13.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \geq 1$  then for  $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ ,*

$$\text{Min}_{|z|=1} |P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z)| \geq k^n |R^n - \alpha| \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)|. \quad (3.19)$$

For polynomials  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  having no zero in  $|z| < k$ , we establish the following result which leads to a compact generalization of inequalities (1.7) and (1.8).

**Theorem 3.14.** *If  $P(z) \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z)$  does not vanish in  $|z| < k, k \geq 1$  then for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1, R > 1$  and  $|z| \geq 1$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \\ & \quad \left. + k^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| |z|^n \right] \text{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \end{aligned} \quad (3.20)$$

*Proof.* Since  $P(z)$  does not vanish in  $|z| < k, k \geq 1$ , by Lemma 2.2, we have for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right| \end{aligned} \quad (3.21)$$

for  $|z| \geq 1$  and where  $Q(z) = z^n \overline{P(1/\bar{z})}$ . Inequality (3.21) in conjunction with Lemma 2.3 gives for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & 2 \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \quad + k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right| \\ & \leq \left[ k^n |z|^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right] \text{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)|, \end{aligned}$$

for  $|z| \geq 1$ . This completes the proof.  $\square$

**Remark 3.15.** *If we take  $\alpha = k = 1$  in Theorem 3.14 and divide two sides of inequality (3.20) by  $R - 1$  and then make  $R \rightarrow 1$ , we get inequality (1.7), whereas inequality (1.8) follows from Theorem 3.14, when  $\alpha = 0$  and  $k = 1$ .*



**Remark 3.16.** *If we choose  $k = 1$  in inequality (3.20), then Theorem 3.14 reduces to the result proved by Aziz and Rather [3].*

As a refinement of Theorem 3.14 and a generalization of Theorem C, we finally prove the following result, which provides a compact generalization of inequalities (1.7), (1.8) and (1.12) as well.

**Theorem 3.17.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z)$  does not vanish in  $|z| < k, k \geq 1$  then for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Max}_{|z|=1} \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \left\{ k^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \right. \\
 & \quad \left. \left. + \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right\} \text{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \right. \\
 & \quad \left. - \left\{ k^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \right. \\
 & \quad \left. \left. - \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right\} \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \right]. \tag{3.22}
 \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Let  $m = \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)|$ . If  $P(z)$  has a zero on  $|z| = k$ , then the result follows from Theorem 3.14. Therefore, we assume that  $P(z)$  has all its zeros in  $|z| > k$  where  $k \geq 1$  so that  $m > 0$ . Now for every  $\lambda$  with  $|\lambda| < 1$ , it follows by Rouché’s theorem, that the polynomial  $h(z) = P(z) - \lambda m$  does not vanish in  $|z| < k$ . Applying Lemma 2.2 to the polynomial  $h(z)$ , then for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1, R > 1$ , and  $|z| \geq 1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left| h(Rk^2z) - \alpha h(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} h(k^2z) \right| \\
 & \leq k^n \left| Q_1(Rz) - \alpha Q_1(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q_1(z) \right|
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $Q_1(z) = z^n \overline{h(1/\bar{z})}$ . Equivalently,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \lambda \left[ 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right] m \right| \\ & \leq k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \bar{\lambda} \left[ R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right] m \right| \text{ for } |z| = 1. \end{aligned} \quad (3.23)$$

Since all the zeros of  $Q(z/k^2)$  lie in  $|z| \leq k$ ,  $k \geq 1$ , then by Theorem 3.10 applied to  $Q(z/k^2)$ , we have for  $R > 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Min}_{|z|=1} \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right| \\ & \geq k^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |Q(z/k^2)| \\ & = \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \\ & = \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| m. \end{aligned} \quad (3.24)$$

Now, choosing the argument of  $\lambda$  on the right hand side of inequality 3.23 such that

$$\begin{aligned} & k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \bar{\lambda} \left\{ R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right\} m z^n \right| \\ & = k^n \left[ \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right| \right. \\ & \quad \left. - |\bar{\lambda}| \left| \left\{ R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right\} m \right| \right], \end{aligned}$$

for  $|z| = 1$ , which is possible by inequality (3.24). We get for  $|z| = 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \quad - |\lambda| \left| \left\{ 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right\} m \right| \\ & \leq k^n \left| Q(Rz) - \alpha Q(z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(z) \right| \\ & \quad - |\lambda| k^n \left| \left\{ R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right\} m \right| \end{aligned}$$

Equivalently for  $|z| = 1, R > 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \quad - k^n \left| Q(Rk^2z) - \alpha Q(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq |\lambda| \left[ \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right] m. \end{aligned} \quad (3.25)$$

Letting  $|\lambda| \rightarrow 1$  in inequality (3.25), we obtain for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1, R > 1$  and  $|z| = 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \quad - k^n \left| Q(Rk^2z) - \alpha Q(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} Q(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq \left[ \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right] m. \end{aligned} \quad (3.26)$$

Inequality (3.26) in conjunction with Lemma (2.3) gives for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1, R > 1$  and  $|z| = 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & 2 \left| P(Rk^2z) - \alpha P(k^2z) + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq \left[ \left\{ k^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \right. \\ & \quad + \left. \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right\} \text{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \\ & \quad - \left\{ k^n \left| R^n - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. - \left| 1 - \alpha + \beta \left\{ \left( \frac{Rk+1}{k+1} \right)^n - |\alpha| \right\} \right| \right\} \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Which is equivalent to inequality (3.22) and thus completes the proof of theorem 3.17. □

For  $\alpha = 0$  Theorem 3.17 reduces to Theorem C.

If we take  $\alpha = 1$  divide the two sides of inequality (3.22) by  $R - 1$  and then letting  $R \rightarrow 1$ , we get:

**Corollary 3.18.** *If  $P(z) \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z)$  does not vanish in  $|z| \leq k$  where  $k \geq 1$ , then for  $|\beta| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Max}_{|z|=1} \left| kzP'(k^2z) + \frac{n\beta}{k+1} P(k^2z) \right| \\ & \leq \frac{n}{2} \left[ \left\{ k^{n-1} \left| 1 + \frac{\beta k}{k+1} \right| + \left| \frac{\beta}{k+1} \right| \right\} \text{Max}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \left\{ k^{n-1} \left| 1 + \frac{\beta k}{k+1} \right| - \left| \frac{\beta}{k+1} \right| \right\} \text{Min}_{|z|=k} |P(z)| \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{3.27}$$

**Remark 3.19.** *For  $k = 1$ , inequality (3.27) reduces to Theorem B.*

The following result immediately follows from Theorem 3.17 by taking  $\beta = 0$  and  $k = 1$ .

**Corollary 3.20.** *If  $P \in \mathcal{P}_n$  and  $P(z)$  does not vanish in  $|z| < 1$ , then for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\alpha| \leq 1, |\beta| \leq 1$  and  $R > 1$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned} \max_{|z|=1} |P(Rz) - \alpha P(z)| &\leq \left( \frac{|R^n - \alpha| + |1 - \alpha|}{2} \right) \max_{|z|=1} |P(z)| \\ &\quad - \left( \frac{|R^n - \alpha| - |1 - \alpha|}{2} \right) \min_{|z|=1} |P(z)|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.28)$$

*The result is sharp and extremal polynomial is  $P(z) = az^n + b, |a| = |b| \neq 0$ .*

**Remark 3.21.** *For  $\alpha = 0$ , inequality (3.28) reduces to inequality (1.6). Also if we divide the two sides of inequality (3.28) by  $R - 1$  with  $\alpha = 1$  and let  $R \rightarrow 1$ , we get inequality (1.5).*

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