



Annulus for the zeros of the polynomial with perturbed monotonic coefficients

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ABSTRACT

In this paper we establish some more generalizations of Eneström – Kakeya theorem by taking the case when the monotonic coefficients are perturbed and hence finding annulus for the polynomial. Besides many consequences our results considerably improve the bounds in some cases as well.

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Introduction

The following classical result known as Eneström – Kakeya theorem [5,6] is famous in the theory of distribution of zeros of polynomials.

Theorem A. If $P(z) = \sum_{r=0}^n a_r z^r$ is a polynomial of degree n , such that

$$P(z) = \sum_{r=0}^n a_r z^r$$

$$a_n \geq a_{n-1} \geq \dots \geq a_1 \geq a_0 > 0..$$

then $P(z)$ has all its zeros in the disk $|z| \leq 1$

In the literature attempts have been made to extend and generalize the Eneström - Kakeya theorem . Joyal, Labelle and Rahman [4] extended it to the polynomials with general monotonic coefficients by showing that, if the coefficients of the polynomial satisfy the condition

$$a_n \geq a_{n-1} \geq \dots \geq a_1 \geq a_0$$

then all the zeros of $P(z)$ are contained in the disk

$$|z| \leq \frac{a_n - a_0 + |a_0|}{|a_n|}$$

Aziz and zargar [1] relaxed the hypothesis of Theorem A and proved :

Theorem B. If $P(z) = \sum_{r=0}^n a_r z^r$ a polynomial of degree n such that for some $\lambda \geq 1$,

$$P(z) = \sum_{r=0}^n a_r z^r$$

$$\lambda a_n \geq a_{n-1} \geq \dots \geq a_1 \geq a_0$$

Then $P(z)$ has all its zeros in the disk.

$$|z + \lambda - 1| \leq \frac{(a_n - a_0 + |a_0|)}{|a_n|}$$

On the other hand Y Choo [2] extended this theorem to the polynomials with perturbed monotonic coefficients, and proved the following:

Theorem C

Let $P(z) = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i z^i$ be the n th-order polynomial such that for some λ and k with $1 \leq k \leq n$

$$P(z) = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i z^i$$

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if $a_{n-k-1} \geq a_{n-k}$ then all the zeros of $P(z)$ lie in the disk $R_{11} \leq |z| \leq R_{12}$

where

$$R_{11} = \frac{a_0}{(|a_n| + a_n) + (\lambda - 1)(|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k}) - a_0}$$

And R_{12} is the positive root of the equation

$$R^{k+2} - \delta_1 R^{k+1} - |\gamma_1| = 0$$

$$\gamma_1 = \frac{((-1)a_{n-k}}{a_n} \quad \text{and} \quad \delta_1 = \frac{a_n + ((-1)a_{n-k} - a_0 + |a_0|)}{|a_n|}$$

If $a_{n-k} \geq a_{n-k+1}$, then all the zeros of $P(z)$ lie in the disk $R_{21} \leq |z| \leq R_{22}$

$$R_{21} = \frac{a_0}{(|a_n| + a_n) + (1 - \lambda)(|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k}) - a_0}$$

And R_{22} is the positive root of the equation

$$R^k - \delta_2 R^{k-1} - |\gamma_2| = 0$$

$$\gamma_2 = \frac{(1 - \lambda)a_{n-k}}{a_n} \quad \text{and} \quad \delta_2 = \frac{a_n + (1 - \lambda)a_{n-k} - a_0 + |a_0|}{|a_n|}$$

In this theorem we generalize the result of Y. Choo and prove the following result

Theorem 1

Let $P(z) = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i z^i$ be the n th-order polynomial if $t_1 > t_2 \geq 0$ can be found such that for some λ and k with $1 \leq k \leq n$

$$a_r t_1 t_2 + a_{r-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_r \geq 0 \quad r = 2, 3, \dots, n: r \neq n - k$$

$$\lambda a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 + a_{n-k+1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-k+2} \geq 0 \quad \text{if } a_{n-k-1} \geq a_{n-k}$$

if $a_{n-k-1} \geq a_{n-k}$ then all the zeros of $P(z)$ lie in the disk $R_{11} \leq |z| \leq R_{12}$

where

$$R_{11} = \frac{a_0 t_1 t_2}{(|a_n| + a_n)t_1^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1)(|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k})t_1^{n-k+1} - a_0 t_1 t_2}$$

And R_{12} is the positive root of the equation

$$R^{k+2} - \delta_1 R^{k+1} - |\gamma_1| = 0$$

$$\gamma_1 = \frac{((-1)t_1 t_2 a_{n-k}}{a_n} \quad \text{and} \quad \delta_1 = \frac{a_n + ((-1)a_{n-k} \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} - \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} a_0 + \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} |a_0|)}{|a_n|}$$

If $a_{n-k} \geq a_{n-k+1}$, then all the zeros of $P(z)$ lie in the disk $R_{21} \leq |z| \leq R_{22}$

$$R_{21} = \frac{a_0 t_1 t_2}{(|a_n| + a_n)t_1^{n+2} + (1 - \lambda)(|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k})t_1^{n-k+1} - a_0 t_1 t_2}$$

And R_{22} is the positive root of the equation

$$R^k - \delta_2 R^{k-1} - |\gamma_2| = 0$$

$$\gamma_2 = \frac{(1 - \lambda)t_1 t_2 a_{n-k}}{a_n} \quad \text{and} \quad \delta_2 = \frac{a_n + \frac{(1 - \lambda)t_1}{t_1^{k+1}} a_{n-k} - \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} a_0 + \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} |a_0|}{|a_n|}$$

Remark 1 if we put $t_1 = t_2 = 1$ we get theorem D

Proof of the proof: Consider a polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} F(z) &= (t_1 + z)(t_2 - z)P(z) \\ &= \{t_1 t_2 + (t_1 - t_2)z - z^2\}(a_n z^n + a_{n-1} z^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 z + a_0) \\ &= -a_n z^{n+2} + \{a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1}\}z^{n+1} + \{a_n t_1 t_2 + a_{n-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-2}\}z^n \\ &\quad + \dots + \{a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 + a_{n-k+1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-k+2}\}z^{n-k} \\ &\quad + \dots + \{a_2 t_1 t_2 + a_1(t_1 - t_2) - a_0\}z^2 + \{a_1 t_1 t_2 + a_0(t_1 - t_2)\}z + a_0 t_1 t_2 \end{aligned}$$

if $a_{n-k-1} \geq a_{n-k}$ then $a_{n-k+1} \geq a_{n-k}$ and $F(z)$ can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} &= -a_n z^{n+2} - (\lambda - 1)a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 z^{n-k} + \{a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1}\}z^{n+1} \\ &\quad + \{a_n t_1 t_2 + a_{n-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-2}\}z^n \\ &\quad + \dots + \{\lambda a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 + a_{n-k-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-k-2}\}z^{n-k} \\ &\quad + \dots + \{a_2 t_1 t_2 + a_1(t_1 - t_2) - a_0\}z^2 + \{a_1 t_1 t_2 + a_0(t_1 - t_2)\}z + a_0 t_1 t_2 \end{aligned}$$

For $|z| > t_1$

$$\begin{aligned} |F(z)| &\geq |a_n z^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1)a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 z^{n-k} - |z|^{n+1} \{a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1}\} + (a_n t_1 t_2 + a_{n-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-2})/|z| + \\ &\geq |a_n z^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1)a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 z^{n-k} - |z|^{n+1} \{a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1}\} + a_n t_1 t_2 + a_{n-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-2} t_1 t_2 + \dots + \lambda a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 \\ &\geq |a_n z^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1)a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 z^{n-k} - |z|^{n+1} \left\{ a_n t_1 + (\lambda - 1)a_{n-k} \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} - a_0 \frac{t_2}{t_1^n} + \frac{|a_0| t_2}{t_1^n} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

> 0

if

$$\left| |z|^{k+2} + \frac{(\lambda - 1)a_{n-k} t_1 t_2}{a_n} \right| > |z|^{k+1} \left\{ \frac{a_n t_1 + (\lambda - 1)a_{n-k} \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} - a_0 \frac{t_2}{t_1^n} + \frac{|a_0| t_2}{t_1^n}}{a_n} \right\}$$

$$||z|^{k+2} - |a_1| > |z|^{k+1} \delta_1$$

Where

$$\gamma_1 = \frac{((- 1)t_1 t_2 a_{n-k}}{a_n} \quad \text{and} \quad \delta_1 = \frac{a_n + ((- 1)a_{n-k} \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} - \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} a_0 + \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} |a_0|}{|a_n|}$$

This inequality holds if

$$||z|^{k+2} - |a_1| > |z|^{k+1} \delta_1$$

Hence all the zeros of $P(z)$ with modulus greater than t_1 lie in the disk $|z| \leq R_{12}$ where R_{12} is the greatest positive root of the equation.

$$R^{k+2} - \delta_1 R^{k+1} - |\gamma_1| = 0$$

But the zeros of $P(z)$ with modulus less than or equal to t_1 are already contained in the disk $|z| \leq R_{12}$

For the inner bound consider the polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} F(z) &= (t_1 + z)(t_2 - z)P(z) \\ &= \{t_1 t_2 + (t_1 - t_2)z - z^2\}(a_n z^n + a_{n-1} z^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 z + a_0) \\ &= -a_n z^{n+2} + \{a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1}\}z^{n+1} + \{a_n t_1 t_2 + a_{n-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-2}\}z^n \\ &\quad + \dots + \{a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 + a_{n-k+1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-k+2}\}z^{n-k} \\ &\quad + \dots + \{a_2 t_1 t_2 + a_1(t_1 - t_2) - a_0\}z^2 + \{a_1 t_1 t_2 + a_0(t_1 - t_2)\}z + a_0 t_1 t_2 \\ &= a_0 t_1 t_2 + f(z) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= -a_n z^{n+2} + \{a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1}\}z^{n+1} + \{a_n t_1 t_2 + a_{n-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-2}\}z^n \\ &\quad + \dots + \{a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 + a_{n-k+1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-k+2}\}z^{n-k} \\ &\quad + \dots + \{a_2 t_1 t_2 + a_1(t_1 - t_2) - a_0\}z^2 + \{a_1 t_1 t_2 + a_0(t_1 - t_2)\}z \end{aligned}$$

If $|z| < t_1$

$$\begin{aligned} |f(z)| &\leq |a_n| t_1^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1) t_1^{n-k+1} t_2 |a_{n-k}| + a_n t_1^{n+2} - a_n t_1^{n+1} t_2 + a_{n-1} t_1^{n+1} - a_{n-1} t_1^n t_2 - \\ &\quad - a_{n-2} t_1^n + \dots + \lambda a_{n-k} t_1^{n-k+1} t_2 + a_{n-k-2} t_1^{n-k+1} t_2 - a_{n-k-2} t_1^{n-k+1} t_2 - a_{n-k-2} t_1^{n-k} + \dots \\ &\quad + a_2 t_1^3 t_2 + a_1 t_1^3 - a_1 t_1^2 t_2 - a_0 t_1^2 + a_1 t_1^2 t_2 + a_0 t_1^2 - a_0 t_1 t_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$|f(z)| \leq |a_n| t_1^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1) t_1^{n-k+1} t_2 |a_{n-k}| + a_n t_1^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1) a_{n-k} t_1^{n-k+1} t_2 - a_0 t_1 t_2$$

Since $f(0) = 0$ it follows from Schwarz lemma that

$$|f(z)| \leq \{(|a_n| + a_n a_{n-k} t_1^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1) t_1^{n-k+1} t_2 (|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k}) - a_0 t_1 t_2)\} |z|: \text{ for } |z| < t_1$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} |P(z)| &\geq a_0 t_1 t_2 - |f(z)| \\ &\geq a_0 t_1 t_2 - \{(|a_n| + a_n a_{n-k} t_1^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1) t_1^{n-k+1} t_2 (|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k}) - a_0 t_1 t_2)\} |z|: \text{ for } |z| < t_1 \end{aligned}$$

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$$|z| < \frac{a_0 t_1 t_2}{(|a_n| + a_n a_{n-k} t_1^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1) t_1^{n-k+1} t_2 (|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k}) - a_0 t_1 t_2)} = R_{11}$$

Consequently $P(z)$ does not vanish in $|z| < R_{11}$.
 . Since $R_{11} < t_1$, the first part of the theorem is proved.

The second part can be proved similarly if $a_{n-k} \geq a_{n-k+1}$ then $a_{n-k} \geq a_{n-k+1}$ and $F(z)$ can be written as

$$F(z) = -a_n z^{n+2} - (1 - \lambda) a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 z^{n-k+2} + \{a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1}\}z^{n+1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &+ \{a_n t_1 t_2 + a_{n-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-2}\}z^n \\
 &+ \dots + \{a_{n-k+2} t_1 t_2 + a_{n-k+1}(t_1 - t_2) - \lambda a_{n-k}\}z^{n-k} \\
 &+ \dots + \{a_2 t_1 t_2 + a_1(t_1 - t_2) - a_0\}z^2 + \{a_1 t_1 t_2 + a_0(t_1 - t_2)\}z + a_0 t_1 t_2
 \end{aligned}$$

For $|z| > t_1$

$$\geq |a_n z^{n+2} + (1 - \lambda)a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 z^{n-k+2}| - |z|^{n+1} \left\{ a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1} + a_n t_2 + a_{n-1} - a_{n-2} \frac{t_2}{t_1} + \dots + \lambda a_{n-k} \frac{1}{t_1^{k+1}} + \dots + a_1 \frac{1}{t_1^{n-1}} - a_0 \frac{t_2}{t_1} + \frac{|a_0|t_2}{t_1^n} \right\}$$

$$\geq |a_n z^{n+2} + (\lambda - 1)a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 z^{n-k}| - |z|^{n+1} \left\{ a_n t_1 + (1 - \lambda)a_{n-k} \frac{1}{t_1^{k+1}} - a_0 \frac{t_2}{t_1^n} + \frac{|a_0|t_2}{t_1^n} \right\}$$

> 0

if

$$\left| |z|^{k+2} + \frac{(1 - \lambda)a_{n-k} t_1 t_2}{a_n} \right| > |z|^{k+1} \left\{ \frac{a_n t_1 + (1 - \lambda)a_{n-k} \frac{1}{t_1^{k+1}} - a_0 \frac{t_2}{t_1^n} + \frac{|a_0|t_2}{t_1^n}}{a_n} \right\}$$

$$||z|^k + (1 - \lambda) \frac{t_1 t_2}{a_n} > |z|^k (k - 1) \delta_2$$

Where

$$\gamma_2 = \frac{(1 - \lambda) t_1 t_2 a_{n-k}}{a_n} \quad \text{and} \quad \delta_2 = \frac{a_n + \frac{(1 - \lambda) t_1 t_2}{t_1^{k+1}} a_{n-k} - \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} a_0 + \frac{t_2}{t_1^k} |a_0|}{|a_n|}$$

This inequality holds if

$$||z|^k - (1 - \lambda) \frac{t_1 t_2}{a_n} > |z|^k (k - 1) \delta_2$$

Hence all the zeros of $P(z)$ with modulus greater than t_1 lie in the disk $|z| \leq R_{22}$ where R_{22} is the greatest positive root of the equation.

$$R^k - \delta_2 R^{k-1} - |\gamma_2| = 0$$

But the zeros of $P(z)$ with modulus less than or equal to t_1 are already contained in the disk $|z| \leq R_{22}$

For the inner bound consider the polynomial

$$\begin{aligned}
 F(z) &= (t_1 + z)(t_2 - z)P(z) \\
 &= \{t_1 t_2 + (t_1 - t_2)z - z^2\}(a_n z^n + a_{n-1} z^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 z + a_0) \\
 &= -a_n z^{n+2} + \{a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1}\}z^{n+1} + \{a_n t_1 t_2 + a_{n-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-2}\}z^n \\
 &+ \dots + \{a_{n-k} t_1 t_2 + a_{n-k+1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-k+2}\}z^{n-k} \\
 &+ \dots + \{a_2 t_1 t_2 + a_1(t_1 - t_2) - a_0\}z^2 + \{a_1 t_1 t_2 + a_0(t_1 - t_2)\}z + a_0 t_1 t_2 \\
 &= a_0 t_1 t_2 + f(z)
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$f(z) = -a_n z^{n+2} + \{a_n(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-1}\}z^{n+1} + \{a_n t_1 t_2 + a_{n-1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-2}\}z^n$$

$$+ \dots + \{a_{n-k}t_1t_2 + a_{n-k+1}(t_1 - t_2) - a_{n-k+2}\}z^{n-k}$$

$$+ \dots + \{a_2t_1t_2 + a_1(t_1 - t_2) - a_0\}z^2 + \{a_1t_1t_2 + a_0(t_1 - t_2)\}z$$

If $|z| < t_1$

$$|f(z)| \leq |a_n|t_1^{n+2} + (1 - \lambda)t_1^{n-k+1}|a_{n-k}| + a_nt_1^{n+2} - a_nt_1^{n+1}t_2 + a_{n-1}t_1^{n+1} - a_{n-1}t_1^n t_2 -$$

$$- a_{n-2}t_1^n + \dots + \lambda a_{n-k}t_1^{n-k+2} + a_{n-k-2}t_1^{n-k+1}t_2 - a_{n-k-2}t_1^{n-k+1}t_2 - a_{n-k-2}t_1^{n-k} + \dots$$

$$+ a_2t_1^3t_2 + a_1t_1^3 - a_1t_1^2t_2 - a_0t_1^2 + a_1t_1^2t_2 + a_0t_1^2 - a_0t_1t_2$$

$$|f(z)| \leq |a_n|t_1^{n+2} + (1 - \lambda)t_1^{n-k+1}|a_{n-k}| + a_nt_1^{n+2} + (1 - \lambda)a_{n-k}t_1^{n-k+2} - a_0t_1t_2$$

Since $f(0) = 0$ it follows from Schwarz lemma that

$$|f(z)| \leq \{(|a_n| + a_n)a_{n-k}t_1^{n+2} + (1 - \lambda)t_1^{n-k+2}(|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k}) - a_0t_1t_2\}|z|: \text{ for } |z| < t_1$$

Hence

$$|P(z)| \geq a_0t_1t_2 - |f(z)|$$

$$\geq a_0t_1t_2 - \{(|a_n| + a_n)a_{n-k}t_1^{n+2} + (1 - \lambda)t_1^{n-k+2}(|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k}) - a_0t_1t_2\}|z|: \text{ for } |z| < t_1$$

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$$|z| < \frac{a_0t_1t_2}{(|a_n| + a_n)t_1^{n+2} + (1 - \lambda)(|a_{n-k}| + a_{n-k})t_1^{n-k+2} - a_0t_1t_2} = R_{21}$$

Consequently $P(z)$ does not vanish in $|z| < R_{21}$. Since $R_{21} < t_1$, the second part of the theorem is proved.

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