

ASYMPTOTICS FOR ORTHOGONAL POLYNOMIALS  
 BEYOND THE ANALYTIC BOUNDARY

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ABSTRACT. Let  $\mu$  be a finite positive measure on the unit circle and  $w_m(z) = \prod_{j=1}^m (z - \alpha_j)$  for  $|\alpha_j| > 1, j = 1, \dots, m$ . Using a relation between the orthonormal polynomials with respect to the measures  $d\mu/(2\pi)$  and  $|w_m(e^{i\theta})|^2 d\mu/(2\pi)$ , we derive the asymptotic behavior for orthonormal polynomials beyond the analytic boundary of the Szegő function. This is a generalization of some known results (see, e.g., [4] and [8]).

**1. Introduction.** Let  $\mu$  be a finite positive measure on the unit circle. Let  $\mu = \mu_a + \mu_s$  be its canonical decomposition into the absolutely continuous and the singular parts (with respect to Lebesgue measure on the unit circle). We denote by  $\mu'(\theta)$  the Radon-Nikodym derivative of  $\mu_a$  with respect to  $d\theta$ . Then  $\mu' \in L^1[0, 2\pi)$ ,  $\mu'(\theta) \geq 0$  almost everywhere, and we define its geometric mean  $G(\mu')$  by

$$G(\mu') := \exp \left\{ \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \log \mu'(\theta) d\theta \right\}.$$

If  $\log \mu' \in L^1[0, 2\pi)$  one can define the Szegő function for  $|z| < 1$  by

$$D(z) = D(d\mu, z) := \exp \left\{ \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \log \mu'(\theta) \frac{e^{i\theta} + z}{e^{i\theta} - z} d\theta \right\}.$$

It is known that (cf. [11, p. 276])  $D \in H^2(\{z : |z| < 1\})$  and for almost every  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi)$

$$\lim_{r \nearrow 1} D(d\mu, re^{i\theta}) = D(d\mu, e^{i\theta})$$

exists and  $|D(d\mu, e^{i\theta})|^2 = \mu'(\theta)$  for almost every  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi)$ . If  $\log \mu' \notin L^1[0, 2\pi)$  we define  $D(d\mu, z) \equiv 0$ . Denote by  $\mathcal{P}_n$  the set of polynomials of degree at most  $n$ . The  $*$ -transform  $p^*(z)$  of a polynomial of degree  $n$  is defined as  $p^*(z) = z^n \overline{p_n(1/\bar{z})}$ . Let  $\phi_n(z) = \kappa_n z^n + \dots \in \mathcal{P}_n, \kappa_n > 0$ ,

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be the  $n$ th orthonormal polynomial corresponding to  $d\mu/(2\pi)$  on the unit circle, i.e.,

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \phi_n(z) z^{-k} d\mu(\theta) = \kappa_n^{-1} \delta_{k,n}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, n, \quad z = e^{i\theta}.$$

It is well known that, from [11, Theorem 12.3.16],

$$(1) \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\phi_n(z)}{z^n} = \overline{D^{-1}(1/\bar{z})},$$

holds locally uniformly for  $|z| > 1$  if  $\log \mu' \in L^1[0, 2\pi)$ , here we say  $D^{-1}(z) = 1/D(z)$ . Furthermore, in [8], Nevai and Totik proved that if  $D^{-1}(z)$  has an analytic continuation to  $|z| < \rho$ ,  $\rho > 1$ , then (1) is also true for  $|z| > 1/\rho$ . The purpose of this paper is to study the asymptotic behavior of  $\phi_n(z)$  outside of the analytic region of  $D^{-1}(z)$ .

Instead of  $d\mu/(2\pi)$ , we consider the new measure  $|w_m(e^{i\theta})|^2 d\mu/(2\pi)$  on the unit circle, where  $w_m(z) := \prod_{i=1}^m (z - \alpha_i)$ . Suppose  $D^{-1}(z)$  is analytic in  $|z| < \rho$ ,  $\rho > 1$ , and  $\rho > \max_{1 \leq i \leq m} \{|\alpha_i|\}$ , then  $D_w^{-1} := D^{-1}(|w_m|^2 d\mu, z) = D^{-1}(z)/w_m(z)$  will create some “bad” points at  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m$ . Let  $\psi_n(z) = \eta_n z^n + \dots \in \mathcal{P}_n$ ,  $\eta_n > 0$ , be the  $n$ th orthonormal polynomial corresponding to  $|w_m(e^{i\theta})|^2 d\mu/(2\pi)$  on the unit circle, i.e.,

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \psi_n(z) z^{-k} |w_m(z)|^2 d\mu(\theta) = \eta_n^{-1} \delta_{k,n},$$

$$k = 0, 1, \dots, n, \quad z = e^{i\theta}.$$

From the theorems in [8], we only know that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \psi_n(z)/z^n = \overline{D_w^{-1}(1/\bar{z})}$  in  $|z| > 1/\alpha$ ,  $\alpha := \min_{1 \leq i \leq m} \{|\alpha_i|\}$ . Our goal is to use a representation of  $\psi_n(z)$  in terms of  $\phi_n(z)$  (Theorem 1) in order to find the asymptotic behavior of  $\psi_n(z)$  in  $|z| > 1/\rho$  (Theorem 7). The special case  $d\mu = d\theta$  of this asymptotic result has been studied by Ismail and Ruedemann [4].

The asymptotic behavior of  $\psi_n(z)$  in  $|z| < 1/\rho$  is discussed in Section 4. The representation of  $\psi_n(z)$  is given in Section 2. Section 3 is devoted to some lemmas needed for the proof in Section 4.

**2. Comparison of  $\psi_n(z)$  and  $\phi_n(z)$ .** Our aim is to investigate the relationship between the orthonormal polynomials  $\phi_n(z)$  and  $\psi_n(z)$ .

The situation is very similar to adding  $m$  mass points distribution to the measure  $\mu$  and comparing the corresponding polynomials. Surprisingly similar results are valid (cf. [5]). In this section we derive a representation of  $\psi_n(z)$  in terms of  $\phi_n(z)$ . The determinant representation can be found in [1, 3, 4] and [10].

**Theorem 1.** *For  $n > m$ , we have*

$$(2) \quad w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z) = \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n}\phi_n(z) + \sum_{k=1}^m A_{n,k}K_{n-1}(z, \alpha_k),$$

and the ratio of the two leading coefficients satisfies

$$(3) \quad \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} - \frac{\kappa_n}{\eta_{n-m}} = \sum_{k=1}^m A_{n,k}\overline{\phi_n(\alpha_k)},$$

where

$$A_{n,k} := \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z)\overline{l_k(z)} d\mu, \quad z = e^{i\theta},$$

$l_k(z) := \prod_{i \neq k} (z - \alpha_i)/(\alpha_k - \alpha_i)$ , and

$$K_n(z, \xi) := \sum_{i=0}^n \overline{\phi_i(\xi)}\phi_i(z)$$

is the kernel polynomial associated with the orthonormal polynomials  $\phi_n(z)$ .

*Remark.* One can obtain  $A_{n,k}$  by letting  $z = \alpha_k$ ,  $k = 1, \dots, m$  in (2), and solve for  $A_{n,k}$  in terms of  $\phi_n(\alpha_i)$  and  $K_{n-1}(\alpha_i, \alpha_j)$ ,  $i, j = 1, \dots, m$ .

*Proof of Theorem 1.* It is clear that a Fourier expansion

$$(4) \quad w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z) = \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n}\phi_n(z) + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} a_j\phi_j(z)$$

always exists and that the Fourier coefficients are given by

$$a_j = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z) \psi_{n-m}(z) \overline{\phi_j(z)} d\mu, \quad z = e^{i\theta},$$

for  $j = 0, \dots, n-1$ . We now express  $a_j$  in terms of  $\phi_j(\alpha_k)$ ,  $k = 1, \dots, m$ . When  $j = 0, \dots, m-1$ , we have an expansion

$$\phi_j(z) = \sum_{k=1}^m \phi_j(\alpha_k) l_k(z),$$

and so

$$\begin{aligned} a_j &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z) \psi_{n-m}(z) \overline{\phi_j(z)} d\mu \\ (5) \quad &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z) \psi_{n-m}(z) \sum_{k=1}^m \overline{\phi_j(\alpha_k) l_k(z)} d\mu \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^m A_{n,k} \overline{\phi_j(\alpha_k)}, \quad z = e^{i\theta}. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, for  $j = m, \dots, n-1$ , we also have

$$\begin{aligned} a_j &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z) \psi_{n-m}(z) \overline{\phi_j(z)} d\mu \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |w_m(z)|^2 \psi_{n-m}(z) \left[ \frac{\overline{\phi_j(z) - \sum_{k=1}^m \phi_j(\alpha_k) l_k(z)}}{w_m(z)} \right] d\mu \\ (6) \quad &+ \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z) \psi_{n-m}(z) \sum_{k=1}^m \overline{\phi_j(\alpha_k) l_k(z)} d\mu \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z) \psi_{n-m}(z) \sum_{k=1}^m \overline{\phi_j(\alpha_k) l_k(z)} d\mu \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^m A_{n,k} \overline{\phi_j(\alpha_k)}, \quad z = e^{i\theta}, \end{aligned}$$

the third equality being true because

$$\left\{ \phi_j(z) - \sum_{k=1}^m \phi_j(\alpha_k) l_k(z) \right\} / w_m(z) \in \mathcal{P}_{n-m-1},$$

and then use the orthonormality of  $\psi_{n-m}(z)$  with respect to  $|w_m(z)|^2 d\mu$ . Thus, by (4), (5) and (6), we see that

$$\begin{aligned} w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z) &= \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n}\phi_n(z) \\ &\quad + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \left( \sum_{k=1}^m A_{n,k}\overline{\phi_j(\alpha_k)} \right) \phi_j(z) \\ &= \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n}\phi_n(z) + \sum_{k=1}^m A_{n,k}K_{n-1}(z, \alpha_k). \end{aligned}$$

In order to prove (3), from (4) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z)\overline{\phi_n(z)} d\mu \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |w_m(z)|^2 \psi_{n-m}(z) \left[ \frac{\phi_n(z) - \sum_{k=1}^m \phi_n(\alpha_k)l_k(z)}{w_m(z)} \right] d\mu \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z) \sum_{k=1}^m \overline{\phi_n(\alpha_k)l_k(z)} d\mu \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |w_m(z)|^2 \psi_{n-m}(z) \kappa_n z^{m-n} d\mu \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z) \sum_{k=1}^m \overline{\phi_n(\alpha_k)l_k(z)} d\mu \\ &= \frac{\kappa_n}{\eta_{n-m}} + \sum_{k=1}^m A_{n,k}\overline{\phi_n(\alpha_k)}, \quad z = e^{i\theta}, \end{aligned}$$

the third equality being valid because

$$\left\{ \phi_n(z) - \sum_{k=1}^m \phi_n(\alpha_k)l_k(z) \right\} / w_m(z) = \kappa_n z^{n-m} + \dots$$

and then use the orthonormality of  $\psi_{n-m}(z)$  with respect to  $|w_m(z)|^2 d\mu$ .  $\square$

**3. Estimation for  $A_{n,k}$ .** In order to estimate  $\psi_n(z)$ , we would like to obtain an asymptotic expression for  $A_{n,k}$ . We say  $\mu \in N$  if

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\phi_n(0)}{\kappa_n} = 0.$$

It is well known that the condition  $\mu' > 0$  almost everywhere on the unit circle implies  $\mu \in N$  (cf. [6] or [9]). From now on, we will always assume that  $\alpha$ 's are all distinct. Let

$$B(z) := \prod_{j=1}^m \frac{(z - \alpha_j)}{(1 - \bar{\alpha}_j z)}.$$

Since the set  $\{(1 - \bar{\alpha}_j z)^{-1}\}_{j=1}^m$  is linearly independent, we have the unique expansion

$$(7) \quad B(z) = \frac{1}{B(0)} + \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{b_j}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_j z}.$$

We now discuss the asymptotic behavior for coefficients  $A_{n,k}$ .

**Theorem 2.** *If  $\mu \in N$ , then*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_{n,k} \overline{\phi_n(\alpha_k)} = -\frac{\overline{B(0)}}{|B(0)|} b_k, \quad k = 1, \dots, m,$$

where  $b_k, k = 1, \dots, m$  are defined in (7).

Before we give the proof of the theorem, we need the following lemmas.

**Lemma 3.** *If  $\mu \in N$ , then*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{K_{n-1}(z, \xi)}{\phi_n(\xi)\phi_n(z)} = \frac{1}{\xi z - 1},$$

holds locally uniformly for  $|z| > 1$  and  $|\xi| > 1$ .

*Proof.* By the Christoffel-Darboux formula (cf. [2, p. 3]), we have

$$K_{n-1}(z, \xi) = \frac{\overline{\phi_n^*(\xi)}\phi_n^*(z) - \overline{\phi_n(\xi)}\phi_n(z)}{1 - \bar{\xi}z}.$$

It is proven in [7] that  $\mu \in N$  implies

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\phi_n^*(z)}{\phi_n(z)} = 0,$$

locally uniformly for  $|z| > 1$ . The lemma then follows from the Christoffel-Darboux formula.  $\square$

**Lemma 4.** For points  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m$  outside the unit circle, the following matrix

$$\mathbf{C}_m := \left( \frac{1}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_j \alpha_i} \right)_{i,j=1}^m$$

is nonsingular. Furthermore,

$$\mathbf{C}_m^{-1} \mathbf{1} = -\overline{B(0)}(b_1, \dots, b_m)^T,$$

where  $\mathbf{1} = \mathbf{1}_m = (1, \dots, 1)^T$ , and the  $b_k$ 's are defined in (7).

*Proof.* See [5].  $\square$

**Lemma 5.** For all  $n \geq m$ , we have  $\eta_{n-m}/\kappa_n \leq 1$ .

*Proof.* From the extremal property of the monic polynomial  $\kappa_n^{-1}\phi_n(z)$  (cf. [11, p. 289]),

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\kappa_n^2} &= \min_{p \in \mathcal{P}_{n-1}} \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |z^n + p(z)|^2 d\mu \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left| \frac{\psi_{n-m}(z)}{\eta_{n-m}} \right|^2 |w_m(z)|^2 d\mu \\ &= \frac{1}{\eta_{n-m}^2}. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

We are now ready to prove Theorem 2.

*Proof of Theorem 2.* We first show the existence of  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \eta_{n-m}/\kappa_n$  and calculate the value of this limit. By Lemma 5, every subsequence

of  $\{\eta_{n-m}/\kappa_n\}_{n=m}^\infty$  contains a convergent subsequence. Let  $r \geq 0$  be a limit point of this sequence, and  $\Lambda \subseteq \{m, m+1, \dots\}$  satisfy

$$(8) \quad \lim_{\substack{n \rightarrow \infty \\ n \in \Lambda}} \eta_{n-m}/\kappa_n = r.$$

From Theorem 1, we know that

$$(9) \quad \frac{w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z)}{\phi_n(z)} = \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} + \sum_{j=1}^m \left\{ A_{n,j} \overline{\phi_n(\alpha_j)} \frac{(1 - \bar{\alpha}_j z) K_{n-1}(z, \alpha_j)}{\phi_n(\alpha_j) \phi_n(z)} \right\} \frac{1}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_j z}.$$

Setting  $z = \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m$ , by Lemma 3, we can obtain

$$\frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} \mathbf{1} = \mathbf{C}_m [\mathbf{X}(1 + o(1))], \quad n \rightarrow \infty,$$

where  $\mathbf{C}_m$  is defined as in Lemma 4,  $\mathbf{X} := (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m)^T$ , and  $x_i := A_{n,i} \overline{\phi_n(\alpha_i)}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, m$ . From Lemma 4, we have

$$\mathbf{X}(1 + o(1)) = \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} \mathbf{C}_m^{-1} \mathbf{1} = -\frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} \overline{B(0)} (b_1, \dots, b_m)^T,$$

and so, by use of (8),

$$(10) \quad \lim_{\substack{n \rightarrow \infty \\ n \in \Lambda}} x_j = \lim_{\substack{n \rightarrow \infty \\ n \in \Lambda}} A_{n,j} \overline{\phi_n(\alpha_j)} = -r \overline{B(0)} b_j, \\ j = 1, \dots, m.$$

Now let  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $n \in \Lambda$  in (3) yield

$$r - \frac{1}{r} = -r \overline{B(0)} \sum_{j=1}^m b_j = -r \overline{B(0)} [B(0) - 1/\overline{B(0)}].$$

Hence,  $r = |B(0)|^{-1}$ . Since  $r$  is an arbitrary limit point of  $\{\eta_{n-m}/\kappa_n\}$ , we see that the  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \eta_{n-m}/\kappa_n$  must exist and be equal to  $|B(0)|^{-1}$ . Finally from (10) we see that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_{n,k} \overline{\phi_n(\alpha_k)} = -\frac{\overline{B(0)}}{|B(0)|} b_k, \quad k = 1, \dots, m.$$



This completes the proof of the theorem.  $\square$

The following result is a special case of theorems in [7].

**Corollary 6.** *If  $\mu \in N$ , then*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\psi_{n-m}(z)}{\phi_n(z)} = \frac{\overline{B(0)}}{|B(0)|} \frac{1}{\prod_{j=1}^m (1 - \bar{\alpha}_j z)}$$

holds locally uniformly in  $|z| > 1$ .

*Proof.* The proof follows from (9) in the proof of Theorem 2, Theorem 2, Lemma 3 and the expansion of  $B(z)$  in (7).  $\square$

**4. Asymptotic behavior outside the analytic region.** We now have all results needed for proving the asymptotic behavior of  $\psi_n(z)$  in  $|z| > 1/\rho$ .

**Theorem 7.** *Suppose  $D^{-1}(z)$  has an analytic continuation to the disk  $|z| < \rho$ , and  $\rho > \max_{1 \leq i \leq m} \{|\alpha_i|\}$ . Then*

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_{n-m}(z)w_m(z) &= \frac{\overline{B(0)}}{|B(0)|} \left[ \frac{B(z)z^n}{D(1/z)} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{b_j}{(1 - \bar{\alpha}_j z)} \frac{D^2(1/\bar{\alpha}_j)}{D(z)} \frac{1}{\bar{\alpha}_j^n} \right] + o(\alpha_z^n) \end{aligned}$$

holds locally uniformly for  $1/\rho < |z| < \rho$ , where  $\alpha_z := \max\{|z|, 1/\alpha\}$  and  $\alpha := \min_{1 \leq i \leq m} \{|\alpha_i|\}$ .

*Proof of Theorem 7.* From Theorem 1, we obtain that

$$(11) \quad w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z) = \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} \phi_n(z) + \sum_{k=1}^m A_{n,k} K_{n-1}(z, \alpha_k).$$

Next we want to estimate the righthand side of (11). First from the theorems in [8], we have

$$(12) \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\phi_n(z)}{z^n} = \overline{D^{-1}(1/\bar{z})}$$

locally uniformly for  $|z| > 1/\rho$ . Thus, for  $1/\rho < |z|$ , we see that

$$(13) \quad \phi_n(z) = z^n \overline{D^{-1}(1/\bar{z})} + o(|z|^n).$$

On the other hand, from (1), we have

$$(14) \quad \phi_n^*(z) = D^{-1}(z) + o(1)$$

for  $|z| < \rho$ , and so

$$(15) \quad \phi_n^*(\alpha_k) = D^{-1}(\alpha_k) + o(1)$$

for  $k = 1, \dots, m$ . Also from Theorem 2 and (13), we have

$$(16) \quad A_{n,k} = -\frac{\overline{B(0)}}{|B(0)|} \frac{b_k D(1/\bar{\alpha}_k)}{\bar{\alpha}_k^n} + o\left(\frac{1}{|\alpha_k|^n}\right)$$

for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, m$ . According to the proof of Theorem 2, we see that

$$(17) \quad \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} = \frac{1}{|B(0)|} + o(1).$$

From Christoffel-Darboux formula, (11), (13), (14), (15), (16) and (17) we have, for  $|z| > 1/\rho$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} w_m(z)\psi_{n-m}(z) &= \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} \phi_n(z) \\ &\quad + \sum_{k=1}^m A_{n,k} \frac{\overline{\phi_n^*(\alpha_k)} \phi_n^*(z) - \overline{\phi_n(\alpha_k)} \phi_n(z)}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_k z} \\ &= \left[ \frac{\eta_{n-m}}{\kappa_n} - \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{A_{n,k} \overline{\phi_n(\alpha_k)}}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_k z} \right] \phi_n(z) \\ &\quad + \left[ \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{A_{n,k} \overline{\phi_n^*(\alpha_k)}}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_k z} \right] \phi_n^*(z) \\ &= \frac{\overline{B(0)}}{|B(0)|} \left[ \frac{1}{\overline{B(0)}} + \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{b_k}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_k z} \right] \frac{z^n}{\overline{D(1/\bar{z})}} \\ &\quad - \frac{\overline{B(0)}}{|B(0)|} \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{b_k D(1/\bar{\alpha}_k)}{(1 - \bar{\alpha}_k z) \bar{\alpha}_k^n \overline{D(\alpha_k)} D(z)} \\ &\quad + o(|z|^n) + o(\alpha^{-n}) \\ &= \frac{\overline{B(0)}}{|B(0)|} \left[ \frac{B(z) z^n}{\overline{D(1/\bar{z})}} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{b_j D(1/\bar{\alpha}_j)}{(1 - \bar{\alpha}_j z) \bar{\alpha}_j^n \overline{D(\alpha_j)} D(z)} \right] + o(\alpha_z^n), \end{aligned}$$

the last equality being valid because of the expansion of  $B(z)$  in (7). Together with  $\overline{D(\alpha_j)} = D^{-1}(1/\bar{\alpha}_j)$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , we complete the proof of the theorem.  $\square$

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