

## SHARING SET AND NORMAL FUNCTION OF HOLOMORPHIC FUNCTIONS

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we use the idea of sharing set to prove: Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of holomorphic functions in the unit disc,  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  be two distinct finite numbers and  $a_1 + a_2 \neq 0$ . If for any  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ ,  $E_f(S) = E_{f'}(S)$ ,  $S = \{a_1, a_2\}$ , in the unit disc, then  $f$  is an  $\alpha$ -normal function.

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## 1 Introduction and main results

Let  $D$  be a domain in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of meromorphic functions defined in  $D$ . The family  $\mathcal{F}$  is said to be normal in  $D$ , in the sense of Montel, if each sequence  $\{f_n\} \subset \mathcal{F}$  contains a subsequence  $\{f_{n_j}\}$  that converges, spherically locally uniformly in  $D$ , to a meromorphic function or to  $\infty$ . (see. [10])

In this paper, we assume that  $f, g$  are two meromorphic functions on  $D$  and  $S_1, S_2$  are two sets. We denote  $\overline{E}_f(S_1) \subset \overline{E}_g(S_2)$  by  $f(z) \in S_1 \Rightarrow g(z) \in S_2$ . If  $\overline{E}_f(S_1) = \overline{E}_g(S_2)$ , we denote this condition by  $f(z) \in S_1 \Leftrightarrow g(z) \in S_2$ . Similarly, if  $E_f(S_1) = E_g(S_2)$ , we denote this condition by  $f(z) \in S_1 = g(z) \in S_2$ . If the set  $S$  has only one element, say  $a$ , we denote  $f(z) \in S$  by  $f(z) = a$  (see [15]).

Schwick[14] was the first to draw a connection between values shared by functions in  $\mathcal{F}$  (and their derivatives) and the normality of the family  $\mathcal{F}$ . Specially, he showed that if there exist three distinct complex numbers  $a_1, a_2, a_3$  such that  $f$  and  $f'$  share  $a_j (j = 1, 2, 3)$  in  $D$  for each  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ , then  $\mathcal{F}$  is normal in  $D$ . Pang and Zalcman [9] extended this result as follows.

**Theorem A.** *Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of meromorphic functions in a domain  $D$ , and let  $a, b, c, d$  be complex numbers such that  $c \neq a$  and  $d \neq b$ . If for each  $f \in \mathcal{F}$  we have  $f(z) = a \Leftrightarrow f'(z) = b$  and  $f(z) = c \Leftrightarrow f'(z) = d$ , then  $\mathcal{F}$  is normal in  $D$ .*

**Definition 1.1** (see. [6, 7]) *A meromorphic function  $f$  is a normal function in the unit disc  $D$  if and only if there exists a constant  $C(f)$  (which depends on  $f$ ) such that*

$$(1 - |z|^2)f^{\sharp}(z) < C(f),$$

where  $f^{\sharp}(z) = |g'(z)|/(1 + |g(z)|^2)$  is the spherical derivative of  $f$ .

In 2000, X.C. Pang [8] considered the normal function by using the condition of share values.

**Theorem B.** *Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of meromorphic functions in the unit disc,  $a_1, a_2$  and  $a_3$  be three distinct finite numbers. If for any  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ ,*

$$\overline{E}_f(a_i) = \overline{E}_{f'}(a_i), \quad i = 1, 2, 3,$$

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in the unit disc, then there exists a positive  $M$ , such that for every  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ , we have

$$(1 - |z|^2)f^2(z) < M,$$

where  $M$  depends on  $a_1, a_2$  and  $a_3$ .

In fact, from the proof of Theorem B, one can get the following corollary.

**Corollary 1.2** *Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of holomorphic functions in the unit disc,  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  be two distinct finite numbers. If for any  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ ,*

$$\overline{E}_f(a_i) = \overline{E}_{f'}(a_i), \quad i = 1, 2,$$

in the unit disc, then the conclusion of Theorem B holds.

Recently, there exist a lot of studies in using the shared set to obtain the normal family (see [2, 4, 5]). X.J. Liu obtained a normal function by using the share set  $S = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$  corresponding Theorem B. Naturally, we ask whether there exists a normal function by using the shared set  $S = \{a_1, a_2\}$  corresponding to Corollary 1.2? In this paper, we study the question and get the following result.

**Theorem 1.3** *Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of holomorphic functions in the unit disc,  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  be two distinct finite numbers and  $a_1 + a_2 \neq 0$ . If for any  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ ,*

$$E_f(S) = E_{f'}(S), \quad S = \{a_1, a_2\},$$

in the unit disc, then there exists a positive  $M$ , such that for every  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ , we have

$$(1 - |z|^2)f^2(z) < M,$$

where  $M$  depends on  $S$ .

In the following, we give a example to show the condition  $a_1 + a_2 \neq 0$  is necessary.

**Example 1.4 ([5])** *Let  $S = \{-1, 1\}$ . Set  $\mathcal{F} = \{f_n(z) : n = 2, 3, 4, \dots\}$ , where*

$$f_n(z) = \frac{n+1}{2n}e^{nz} + \frac{n-1}{2n}e^{-nz}, \quad D = \{z : |z| < 1\}.$$

Then, for any  $f_n \in \mathcal{F}$ , we have

$$n^2[f_n^2(z) - 1] = f_n'^2(z) - 1.$$

Thus  $f_n$  and  $f_n'$  share  $S$  CM, but  $f_n$  is not a normal function in  $D$ .

From Case 1 in the proof of Theorem 1.3, we can easily get the following corollary.

**Corollary 1.5** *Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of functions holomorphic in a domain  $D$ , let  $a$  be a nonzero finite complex numbers. If for all  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ ,  $f$  and  $f'$  share  $S = \{0, a\}$  IM, then the conclusion of the theorem 1.3 holds.*

The following example shows that it is necessary that the complex numbers  $a$  is finite.



**Example 1.6** Let  $S = \{0, \infty\}$ . Set  $\mathcal{F} = \{e^{nz} : n = 1, 2, \dots\}$  in the unite disc  $\Delta$ , thus  $f_n = e^{nz}$  and  $f'_n = ne^{nz}$  share  $S$ , but  $f$  is not a normal function in  $\Delta$ .

**Definition 1.7 ([11])** Given  $0 < \alpha < \infty$ , if there exists a constant  $C_\alpha(f)$  such that

$$(1 - |z|^2)^\alpha f^2(z) < C_\alpha(f),$$

for each  $z \in D$ , we say that  $f$  is an  $\alpha$ -normal function in  $D$ .

$\alpha$ -normal functions may be viewed as the generalizations of normal functions. If we denote by  $N$  the class of the normal functions in  $D$  and denote by  $N^\alpha$  the class of the  $\alpha$ -normal functions in  $D$ , it is obvious that

$$N^{\alpha_1} \subset N \subset N^{\alpha_2}$$

for  $0 < \alpha_1 < 1 < \alpha_2 < \infty$ . The above inclusion relations are strict(see.[12]). Similarly, we can get the following generalized result.

**Theorem 1.8** Let  $\alpha \geq 1$ , and let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of holomorphic functions in the unit disc,  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  be two distinct finite numbers and  $a_1 + a_2 \neq 0$ . If for any  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ ,

$$E_f(S) = E_{f'}(S), \quad S = \{a_1, a_2\},$$

in the unit disc, then there exists a positive  $M$ , such that for every  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ , we have

$$(1 - |z|^2)^\alpha f^2(z) < M,$$

where  $M$  depends on  $S$ .

## 2 Lemmas

**Lemma 2.1 ([9])** Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of functions meromorphic on the unit disc, all of whose zeros have multiplicity at least  $k$ , and suppose that there exists  $A \geq 1$  such that  $|f^{(k)}(z)| \leq A$  whenever  $f \in \mathcal{F}$  and  $f(z) = 0$ ,  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ . Then if  $\mathcal{F}$  is not normal, then there exist, for each  $0 \leq \lambda \leq k$ ,

(a) a number  $0 < r < 1$ ;

(b) points  $z_n$ ,  $z_n < 1$ ;

(c) functions  $f_n \in \mathcal{F}$ , and

(d) positive number  $\rho_n \rightarrow 0$  such that  $\rho_n^{-\lambda} f_n(z_n + a_n \xi) = g_n(\xi) \rightarrow g(\xi)$  locally uniformly, where  $g$  is a nonconstant meromorphic function on  $C$  such that  $g^2(\xi) \leq g^2(0) = A + 1$ .

The normal lemma is for  $\alpha$ -normal functions corresponding to Lemma 2.1.

**Lemma 2.2** Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a family of functions meromorphic on the unit disc, all of whose zeros have multiplicity at least  $k$ , and suppose that there exists  $A \geq 1$  such that  $|f^{(k)}(z)| \leq A$  whenever  $f \in \mathcal{F}$  and  $f(z) = 0$ ,  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ . Then if  $\mathcal{F}$  is not an  $\alpha$ -normal function, then there exist, for each  $0 \leq \lambda \leq k$  and  $1 \leq \alpha < \infty$ , there exist a sequence of points  $\{z_n\}$  in  $D$  and a sequence of positive numbers  $\{\rho_n\}$  such that  $|z_n| \rightarrow 1$ ,  $\rho_n \rightarrow 0$ , and the sequence of functions

$$\{g_n(\zeta)\} = \rho_n^{-\lambda} f(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n \zeta)$$

converges spherically and locally uniformly to a non-constant Yosida function in the  $\zeta$ -plane.

**Remark.** The case  $0 \leq \lambda < k$  is first proved by Chen and Wulan, see [12, 13] for a detail. We can prove the above lemma by the similar method with [13].



### 3 Proof of Theorem 1.8

Suppose, to the contrary, that we can find  $|z_n| < 1$  and  $f_n \in \mathcal{F}$  such that

$$g_n(z) = f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha z) \quad (3.1)$$

satisfy

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g_n^2(0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha f_n^2(z_n) = \infty.$$

Hence  $\{g_n(z)\}$  is not normal in the unit. By Lemma 2.1, we can find the positive number  $r$ ,  $0 < r < 1$ ; the complex numbers  $\zeta_n$ ,  $|\zeta_n| < 1$ ;  $\rho_n \rightarrow 0^+$  and  $g_n \in \mathcal{F}$  such that

$$G_n(\zeta) = g_n(\zeta_n + \rho_n \zeta) = f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n \zeta)$$

locally uniformly to a nonconstant entire function  $G(\zeta)$  on  $C$ .

We know  $G$  is a nonconstant entire function. Without loss of generality, we can assume that  $G - a_1$  has zeros in  $C$ . Let  $\zeta_0$  is a zero of  $G - a_1$ . Consider the family

$$\mathcal{H} = \{H_n(\zeta) : H_n(\zeta) = \frac{G_n(\zeta) - a_1}{(1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n}\},$$

We claim  $\mathcal{H}$  is not normal at  $\zeta_0$ . In fact,  $G(\zeta_0) = a_1$  and  $G(\zeta) \not\equiv a_1$ . From (3.1) and Hurwitz's Theorem, there exist  $\zeta_n$ ,  $\zeta_n \rightarrow \zeta_0$  and  $G_n(\zeta_n) = a_1$ . Then  $H_n(\zeta_n) = 0$ . However, there exists a positive number  $\delta$  such that  $\Delta_\delta = \{z \in D : 0 < |z - \zeta_0| < \delta\} \subset D$  and  $G(\zeta) \not\equiv a_1$  in  $\Delta_\delta$ . Thus for each  $\zeta \in \Delta_\delta$ ,  $G_n(\zeta) \not\equiv a_1$  (for  $n$  sufficiently large). Therefore for each  $\zeta \in \Delta_\delta$ , we have  $H(\zeta) = \infty$ . Thus we have proved that  $\mathcal{H}$  is not normal at  $\zeta_0$ .

Noting that

$$H_n(\zeta) = 0 \Rightarrow H_n'(\zeta) = a_1 \text{ or } a_2,$$

and using the Lemma 2.1 again we can find  $\tau_n \rightarrow \tau_0$ ,  $\eta_n \rightarrow 0$  and  $H_n \in \mathcal{H}$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} F_n(\xi) &= \frac{H_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi)}{\eta_n} = \frac{G_n(\tau_n + \rho_n \xi) - a_1}{\eta_n} \\ &= \frac{f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n (\tau_n + \eta_n \xi)) - a_1}{(1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n \eta_n} \end{aligned}$$

locally uniformly convergence to  $F(\xi)$  on  $C$ , where  $F$  is a nonconstant entire function such that  $F^2(\xi) \leq F^2(0) = M$ . In particular  $\rho(F) \leq 1$ .

We claim that

- (1)  $F$  only has finitely many zeros.
- (2)  $F(\xi) = 0 \Leftrightarrow F'(\xi) = a_1$  or  $a_2$ .

We first prove Claim (1). Suppose  $\zeta_0$  is a zero of  $G(\zeta) - a_1$  with multiplicity  $k$ . If  $F(\xi)$  has infinitely many zeros, then there exist  $k + 1$  distinct points  $\xi_j$  ( $j = 1, \dots, k + 1$ ) satisfying  $F(\xi_j) = 0$  ( $j = 1, \dots, k + 1$ ). Noting that  $F(\xi) \not\equiv 0$ , by Hurwitz's Theorem, there exists  $N$ , if  $n > N$ , we have  $F_n(\xi_{jn}) = 0$  ( $j = 1, \dots, k + 1$ ) and  $G_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_{jn}) - a_1 = 0$ . We have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \zeta_n + \eta_n \xi_{jn} = \zeta_0, \quad (j = 1, \dots, k + 1)$$

then  $\zeta_0$  is a zero of  $G(\zeta) - a_1$  with multiplicity at least  $k + 1$ , which is a contradiction. Thus we have proved Claim (1).



Next we prove Claim (2). Suppose that  $F(\xi_0) = 0$ , then by Hurwitz's Theorem, there exist  $\xi_n, \xi_n \rightarrow \xi_0$ , such that (for  $n$  sufficiently large)

$$F_n(\xi_n) = \frac{f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) - a_1}{(1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n \eta_n} = 0.$$

Thus  $f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) = a_1$ . By the assumption, we have

$$f'_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) = a_1 \text{ or } a_2,$$

hence

$$F'(\xi_0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f'_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) = a_1 \text{ or } a_2.$$

Thus we prove  $F(\xi) = 0 \Rightarrow F'(\xi) = a_1 \text{ or } a_2$ .

In the following, we will prove  $F'(\xi) = a_1 \text{ or } a_2 \Rightarrow F(\xi) = 0$ .

Suppose that  $F'(\xi_0) = a_1$ . Obviously  $F' \not\equiv a_1$ , for otherwise  $F^{\sharp}(0) \leq |F'(0)| = |a_1| < M$ , which is a contradiction. Then by Hurwitz's Theorem, there exist  $\xi_n, \xi_n \rightarrow \xi_0$ , such that (for  $n$  sufficiently large)

$$F'_n(\xi_n) = f'_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) = a_1.$$

It follows that  $F_n(\xi_n) = f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) = a_1 \text{ or } a_2$ .

If there exists a positive integer  $N$ , for each  $n > N$ , we have

$$f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) = a_2.$$

Then

$$F(\xi_0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) - a_1}{(1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n \eta_n} = \infty,$$

it contradicts with  $F'(\xi_0) = a_1$ . Hence there exists a subsequence of  $\{f_n\}$  (which, renumbering, we continue to denote by  $\{f_n\}$ ) satisfying that

$$f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) = a_1.$$

Thus we derive

$$F(\xi_0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_n)) - a_1}{(1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n \eta_n} = 0,$$

which implies  $F' = a \Rightarrow F = 0$ . Similarly, we can get  $F' = a_2 \Rightarrow F = 0$ . Hence we have proved claim (2).

Since  $\rho(F') = \rho(F) \leq 1$ , then by the Nevanlinna's second fundamental theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} T(r, F') &\leq \bar{N}\left(r, \frac{1}{F' - a_1}\right) + \bar{N}\left(r, \frac{1}{F' - a_2}\right) + S(r, F') \\ &\leq \bar{N}\left(r, \frac{1}{F' - a_1}\right) + \bar{N}\left(r, \frac{1}{F' - a_2}\right) + O(\log r) \\ &\leq \bar{N}\left(r, \frac{1}{F}\right) + O(\log r) \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$



From Claim (1), we get  $\overline{N}(r, \frac{1}{F}) = O(\log r)$ . Thus  $T(r, F') = O(\log r)$ , it is clear that  $F$  is a polynomial.

In the following, we consider two cases:

Case 1:  $a_1 a_2 = 0$ . Without loss of generality we assume  $a_1 = 0$ . We know that  $F'$  has zeros, then  $F$  has multiple zeros. We assume  $\deg(F) = n$ , then  $T(r, F') = (n-1)\log r$  and  $S(r, F') = O(1)$ . By (3.2) we get

$$T(r, F') = (n-1)\log r \leq \overline{N}(r, \frac{1}{F}) + O(1) \leq (n-1)\log r$$

Thus we derive that  $F$  only has one multiple zeros with multiplicity 2 and  $F'$  only has one zero with multiplicity 1, which yields that  $n = 2$ . Set  $F' = B(\xi - \xi_0)$ , then  $F = (B/2)(\xi - \xi_0)^2$ , which contradicts with  $F' = a_2 \Rightarrow F = 0$ . This completes the proof of Case 1.

Case 2:  $a_1 a_2 \neq 0$ . We first prove  $F = 0 \Rightarrow F' = a_1$  or  $a_2$ . From  $a_1 a_2 \neq 0$ , we get  $F = 0 \rightarrow F' = a_1$  or  $a_2$ . Thus we only need to prove  $F' = a_1$  or  $a_2 \rightarrow F = 0$ .

Suppose  $\xi_0$  is a zero of  $F' - a_1$  with multiplicity  $m$ . By Rouché theorem, there exist  $m$  sequences  $\{\xi_{in}\} (i = 1, 2, \dots, m)$  on  $D_{\delta/2} = \{\xi : |\xi - \xi_0| < \delta/2\}$  such that  $F'_n(\xi_{in}) = a_1$ . Then

$$f'_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_{in})) = F'_n(\xi_{in}) = a_1 \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, m).$$

By  $f$  and  $f'$  share  $\{a_1, a_2\}$  CM, we get  $f' - a_1$  only has simple zeros. That is  $\xi_{in} \neq \xi_{jn} (1 \leq i \neq j \leq m)$ . We obtain

$$f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_{in})) = a_1 \text{ or } a_2 \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, m).$$

We claim that there exist infinitely many  $n$  satisfying

$$f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_{in})) = a_1 \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, m). \quad (3.3)$$

Otherwise we may assume that for all  $n$ , there exist  $j \in (1, \dots, m)$  satisfying

$$f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_{in})) = a_2.$$

We take a fixed number  $l \in (1, \dots, m)$  satisfying (for infinitely many  $n$ )

$$f_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_{in})) = a_2.$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} F(\xi_0) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f'_n(z_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \zeta_n + (1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n(\tau_n + \eta_n \xi_{in})) - a_1}{(1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n \eta_n} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_2 - a_1}{(1 - |z_n|^2)^\alpha \rho_n \eta_n} = \infty, \end{aligned}$$

which contradicts with  $F'(\xi_0) = a_1$ . This proves (3.3). Therefore,

$$F_n(\xi_{in}) = 0, \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, m)$$



and  $\xi_{in} \neq \xi_{jn}$  ( $1 \leq i \neq j \leq m$ ). As  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we get  $\xi_0$  is a zero of  $F$  with multiplicity at least  $m$ . This proves  $F' = a_1 \rightarrow F = 0$ . Similarly we can get  $F' = a_2 \rightarrow F = 0$ . Thus we have proved

$$F = 0 \Rightarrow F' = a_1 \text{ or } a_2.$$

From this we know  $F' - a_1$  and  $F' - a_2$  only have simple zeros. Suppose that  $\deg(F) = n$ , then  $n = 2(n-1)$  and  $n = 2$ . Set  $F = A(\xi - \xi_1)(\xi - \xi_2)$ , then  $F' = A(2\xi - \xi_1 - \xi_2)$ .

Without loss of generality, we assume that  $F'(\xi_1) = a_1$  and  $F'(\xi_2) = a_2$ , we get  $a_1 + a_2 = 0$ . It is a contradiction.

Thus we complete the proof of Theorem 1.3.

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### РАЗДЕЛЕННОЕ МНОЖЕСТВО И НОРМАЛЬНАЯ ФУНКЦИЯ ГОЛОМОРФНЫХ ОТОБРАЖЕНИЙ

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