

## SIMULTANEOUS EXTENSIONS OF DIAZ-METCALF AND BUZANO INEQUALITIES

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*Dedicated to Professor Kichi-Suke Saito in commemoration of his retirement*

ABSTRACT. We give a simultaneous extension of Diaz-Metcalf and Buzano inequalities: Let  $z_1, \dots, z_m$  be nonzero vectors in a Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$ . Suppose that  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy that for each  $j = 1, \dots, m$  there exists a constant  $r_j$  such that  $0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re}\langle x_i, z_j \rangle}{\|x_i\|}$  for  $i = 1, \dots, n$ . If  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy  $\langle y_k, z_j \rangle = 0$  for  $k = 1, 2$  and  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , then

$$\left| \left\langle \sum x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| + \left( \sum \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum \|x_i\| \right)^2 \mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) \leq \mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) \left\| \sum x_i \right\|^2,$$

where  $\mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) := \frac{1}{2}(\|y_1\| \|y_2\| + |\langle y_1, y_2 \rangle|)$  and  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle z_h, z_j \rangle|$  for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ .

As an application, we discuss a refinement of an extended Heinz-Kato-Furuta inequality. Moreover, we show some variant inequalities of it by Furuta inequality and chaotic order.

### 1. Introduction

About 50 years ago, Wilf [20] proposed a reverse arithmetic-geometric mean inequality for complex numbers: *For complex numbers  $t_1, \dots, t_n$ , suppose that*

$$|\arg t_i| \leq \phi \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n. \tag{1.1}$$

*Then*

$$|t_1 \cdot t_2 \cdots t_n|^{\frac{1}{n}} \leq (\sec \phi) \frac{1}{n} |t_1 + t_2 + \cdots + t_n|. \tag{1.2}$$

As a matter of fact, the assumption (1.1) implies

$$\cos \phi \cdot (|t_1| + |t_2| + \cdots + |t_n|) \leq |t_1 + t_2 + \cdots + t_n| \tag{1.3}$$

by which the conclusion (1.2) is obtained via the arithmetic-geometric mean inequality.

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Afterward, Diaz and Metcalf [2] advanced it to the case of vectors in a Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$  with an inner product  $\langle x, z \rangle$  as follows:

**Diaz-Metcalf inequality.** *Let  $z$  be a unit vector in  $\mathcal{H}$ . Suppose that  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy that there exists a constant  $r$  such that*

$$0 \leq r \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle x_i, z \rangle}{\|x_i\|} \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

Then

$$r \sum_i \|x_i\| \leq \left\| \sum_i x_i \right\|.$$

In [9, Theorem 9], it was generalized by connecting the Selberg inequality, cf. [12]:

**Theorem A.** *Let  $z_1, \dots, z_m$  be vectors in  $\mathcal{H}$ . Suppose that  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy that for each  $j = 1, \dots, m$  there exists a constant  $r_j$  such that*

$$0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle x_i, z_j \rangle}{\|x_i\|} \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

If  $y \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfies  $\langle y, z_j \rangle = 0$  for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , then

$$|\langle x_1 + \dots + x_n, y \rangle|^2 + \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \|x_i\| \right)^2 \|y\|^2 \leq \left\| \sum_i x_i \right\|^2 \|y\|^2,$$

where  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle z_h, z_j \rangle|$  for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ .

On the other hand, we recall the Buzano inequality. For convenience, we denote by

$$\mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) := \frac{1}{2}(\|y_1\| \|y_2\| + |\langle y_1, y_2 \rangle|)$$

for  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$ . The inequality

$$|\langle x, y_1 \rangle \langle x, y_2 \rangle| \leq \frac{1}{2}(\|y_1\| \|y_2\| + |\langle y_1, y_2 \rangle|) \|x\|^2$$

holds for all  $x, y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$ , which includes the Schwarz inequality as in the case  $y_1 = y_2$ .

In our paper [8], we proposed a simultaneous extension of Selberg and Buzano inequalities:

**Theorem B.** *If  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy  $\langle y_k, z_j \rangle = 0$  for  $k = 1, 2$  and given nonzero vectors  $\{z_j; j = 1, 2, \dots, m\} \subset \mathcal{H}$ , then*

$$|\langle x, y_1 \rangle \langle x, y_2 \rangle| + \mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) \sum_j \frac{|\langle x, z_j \rangle|^2}{\sum_h |\langle z_h, z_j \rangle|} \leq \mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) \|x\|^2 \quad (1.4)$$

holds for all  $x \in \mathcal{H}$ .

In this note, we propose a simultaneous extension of Theorems A and B related to Diaz-Metcalf and Buzano inequalities. As an application, we discuss a refinement of an extended Heinz-Kato-Furuta inequality. Moreover, we show some variant inequalities of it by Furuta inequality and chaotic order.

## 2. Simultaneous extension of Diaz-Metcalf and Buzano inequalities

We propose a simultaneous extension of Diaz-Metcalf and Buzano inequalities.

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $z_1, \dots, z_m$  be nonzero vectors in  $\mathcal{H}$ . Suppose that  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy that for each  $j = 1, \dots, m$  there exists a constant  $r_j$  such that*

$$0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle x_i, z_j \rangle}{\|x_i\|} \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

If  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy  $\langle y_k, z_j \rangle = 0$  for  $k = 1, 2$  and  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \left\langle \sum_i x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| + \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \|x_i\| \right)^2 \mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) \\ & \leq \mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) \left\| \sum_i x_i \right\|^2, \end{aligned} \quad (2.1)$$

where  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle z_h, z_j \rangle|$  for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ .

*Proof.* We have

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) \left\{ \left\| \sum_i x_i \right\|^2 - \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \left( \sum_i \|x_i\| \right)^2 \right\} \\ & \geq \mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) \left( \left\| \sum_i x_i \right\|^2 - \sum_j \frac{(\operatorname{Re} \langle \sum_i x_i, z_j \rangle)^2}{c_j} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\geq \mathcal{B}(y_1, y_2) \left( \left\| \sum_i x_i \right\|^2 - \sum_j \frac{|\langle \sum_i x_i, z_j \rangle|^2}{c_j} \right) \\
&\geq \left| \left\langle \sum_i x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| \quad (\text{by Theorem B})
\end{aligned}$$

as desired.  $\square$

Next, we propose a generalization of (2.1) as follows:

**Corollary 2.2.** *Let  $T = U|T|$  be the polar decomposition of an operator  $T$  on  $\mathcal{H}$ . Let  $z_1, \dots, z_m$  be nonzero vectors in  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $\alpha, \beta \geq 0$  with  $\alpha + \beta \geq 1 \geq \alpha$ . Suppose that  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy that for each  $j = 1, \dots, m$  there exists a constant  $r_j$  such that*

$$0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle Tx_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^\alpha x_i \|} \quad \left( \text{resp. } 0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle |T|^{2\alpha} x_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^\alpha x_i \|} \right) \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

If  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy  $\langle |T^*|^{\beta+1-\alpha} y_k, z_j \rangle = 0$  (resp.  $\langle T|T|^{\alpha+\beta-1} z_j, y_k \rangle = 0$ ) for  $k = 1, 2$  and  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left| \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{\alpha+\beta-1} x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{\alpha+\beta-1} x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| \\
&\quad + \mathcal{B}(|T^*|^\beta y_1, |T^*|^\beta y_2) \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \| |T|^\alpha x_i \|^2 \right) \\
&\leq \mathcal{B}(|T^*|^\beta y_1, |T^*|^\beta y_2) \left\| \sum_i |T|^\alpha x_i \right\|^2
\end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

where  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T^*|^{2(1-\alpha)} z_h, z_j \rangle|$  (resp.  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T|^{2\alpha} z_h, z_j \rangle|$ ) for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ .

*Proof.* We apply Theorem 2.1 by replacing  $x_i, z_j, y_k$  to  $|T|^\alpha x_i, |T|^{1-\alpha} U^* z_j, U^* |T^*|^\beta y_k$  (resp.  $U|T|^\alpha x_i, U|T|^\alpha z_j, |T^*|^\beta y_k$ ).  $\square$

### 3. Extensions of Heinz-Kato-Furuta inequality

In [15], Furuta extended the Heinz-Kato inequality:

**The Heinz-Kato-Furuta inequality.** Let  $A$  and  $B$  be positive operators on  $\mathcal{H}$ . If  $T$  satisfies  $T^*T \leq A^2$  and  $TT^* \leq B^2$ , then

$$|\langle T|T|^{\alpha+\beta-1} x, y \rangle| \leq \|A^\alpha x\| \|B^\beta y\|$$

holds for all  $x, y \in \mathcal{H}$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in [0, 1]$  with  $\alpha + \beta \geq 1$ . In addition, if  $A$  and  $B$  are invertible, then  $\alpha + \beta \geq 1$  is unnecessary.

Afterwards, several authors have generalized it, e.g. [9], [10], [11].

In this section, we apply Corollary 2.2 to extend the Heinz-Kato-Furuta inequality. To do this, we use the following lemma in our paper [8]  $\square$

**Lemma C.** *If  $TT^* \leq B^2$  for some  $B \geq 0$ , then for  $\beta \in [0, 1]$*

$$\mathcal{B}(|T^*|^\beta y_1, |T^*|^\beta y_2) \leq \|B^\beta y_1\| \|B^\beta y_2\|$$

*holds for all  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$ .*

Now the following inequality follows from Corollary 2.2 and Lemma C:

**Corollary 3.1.** *Let  $T = U|T|$  be the polar decomposition of an operator  $T$  on  $\mathcal{H}$ . Let  $z_1, \dots, z_m$  be nonzero vectors in  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in [0, 1]$  with  $\alpha + \beta \geq 1$ . Suppose that  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy that for each  $j = 1, \dots, m$  there exists a constant  $r_j$  such that*

$$0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle Tx_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^\alpha x_i \|} \quad \left( \text{resp. } 0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle |T|^{2\alpha} x_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^\alpha x_i \|} \right) \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

*If  $T^*T \leq A^2$  and  $TT^* \leq B^2$  for some  $A, B \geq 0$ , and  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy*

$$\langle |T^*|^{\beta+1-\alpha} y_k, z_j \rangle = 0 \quad (\text{resp. } \langle T|T|^{\alpha+\beta-1} z_j, y_k \rangle = 0)$$

*for  $k = 1, 2$  and  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , then*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{\alpha+\beta-1} x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{\alpha+\beta-1} x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| \\ & + \mathcal{B}(|T^*|^\beta y_1, |T^*|^\beta y_2) \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \| |T|^\alpha x_i \| \right)^2 \\ & \leq \|B^\beta y_1\| \|B^\beta y_2\| \left\| \sum_i A^\alpha x_i \right\|^2 \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

*where  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T^*|^{2(1-\alpha)} z_h, z_j \rangle|$  (resp.  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T|^{2\alpha} z_h, z_j \rangle|$ ) for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ .*

Next we cite the Furuta inequality [13] for convenience:

**The Furuta inequality.**

If  $A \geq B \geq 0$ , then for each  $r \geq 0$ ,

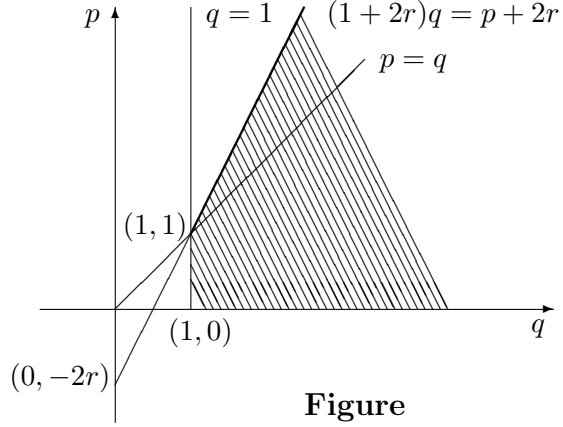
$$(i) \quad (B^r A^p B^r)^{\frac{1}{q}} \geq (B^r B^p B^r)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

and

$$(ii) \quad (A^r A^p A^r)^{\frac{1}{q}} \geq (A^r B^p A^r)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

hold for  $p \geq 0$  and  $q \geq 1$  with

$$(1 + 2r)q \geq p + 2r.$$



We refer [17] and [3] for mean theoretic proofs of it, and [14] for a one-page proof. The best possibility of the domain drawn in the Figure is proved by Tanahashi [18]. The Heinz -Kato-Furuta inequality has been extended by the use of the Furuta inequality in [16].

Now, we have the following extension of Corollary 2.2 by the Furuta inequality:

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $A$  be a positive operator on  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $T = U|T|$  be the polar decomposition of an operator  $T$  on  $\mathcal{H}$  such that  $T^*T \leq A^2$ . Let  $z_1, \dots, z_m$  be nonzero vectors in  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $\alpha, \beta \geq 0$  with  $(1+r)\alpha + (1+s)\beta \geq 1 \geq (1+r)\alpha$  for each  $r, s \geq 0$ . Suppose that  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy that for each  $j = 1, \dots, m$  there exists a constants  $r_j$  such that*

$$0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle T x_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^{(1+r)\alpha} x_i \|} \quad \left( \text{resp. } 0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle |T|^{2(1+r)\alpha} x_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^{(1+r)\alpha} x_i \|} \right) \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

If  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy  $\langle |T^*|^{(1+s)\beta+1-(1+r)\alpha} y_k, z_j \rangle = 0$  (resp.  $\langle T|T|^{(1+r)\alpha+(1+s)\beta-1} z_j, y_k \rangle = 0$ ) for  $k = 1, 2$  and  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{(1+r)\alpha+(1+s)\beta-1} x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{(1+r)\alpha+(1+s)\beta-1} x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| \\ & + \mathcal{B} (|T^*|^{(1+s)\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{(1+s)\beta} y_2) \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \| |T|^{(1+r)\alpha} x_i \| \right)^2 \\ & \leq \mathcal{B} (|T^*|^{(1+s)\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{(1+s)\beta} y_2) \left\langle (|T|^r A^{2p} |T|^r)^{\frac{(1+r)\alpha}{p+r}} \sum_i x_i, \sum_i x_i \right\rangle, \end{aligned} \quad (3.2)$$

where  $p \geq 1$  and  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T^*|^{2(1-(1+r)\alpha)} z_h, z_j \rangle|$  (resp.  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T|^{2(1+r)\alpha} z_h, z_j \rangle|$ ) for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ .

*Proof.* By replacing  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  to  $\alpha_1 = (1+r)\alpha$  and  $\beta_1 = (1+s)\beta$ , respectively in Corollary 2.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{\alpha_1+\beta_1-1}x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{\alpha_1+\beta_1-1}x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| \\ & + \mathcal{B}(|T^*|^{\beta_1}y_1, |T^*|^{\beta_1}y_2) \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \| |T|^{\alpha_1}x_i \| \right)^2 \\ & \leq \mathcal{B}(|T^*|^{\beta_1}y_1, |T^*|^{\beta_1}y_2) \left\langle |T|^{2\alpha_1} \sum_i x_i, \sum_i x_i \right\rangle \end{aligned}$$

where  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T^*|^{2(1-\alpha_1)}z_h, z_j \rangle|$  (resp.  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T|^{2\alpha_1}z_h, z_j \rangle|$ ) for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ . Next we replace  $A, B, r$  and  $q$  to  $A^2, |T|^2, \frac{r}{2}$  and  $\frac{p+r}{(1+r)\alpha}$ , respectively in the Furuta inequality. Then we have

$$|T|^{2\alpha_1} = |T|^{2(1+r)\alpha} \leq (|T|^r A^{2p} |T|^r)^{\frac{(1+r)\alpha}{p+r}}.$$

Combining them, we obtain the inequality (3.2).  $\square$

We remark that the condition  $(1+r)\alpha + (1+s)\beta \geq 1$  in above is unnecessary if  $T$  is either positive or invertible.

From the operator monotonicity of the logarithmic function, we introduced the chaotic order among positive invertible operators by  $A \gg B$  if  $\log A \geq \log B$  in [4], and obtained a characterization of the chaotic order in terms of Furuta's type operator inequality [5], [6] and [7]. We show a variant of Corollary 2.2 by chaotic order. For this, we use the following characterization of the chaotic order which is an extension of Ando's theorem [4], [5], [6], [7] and [19] for a polished proof.

**Theorem D.** *For positive invertible operators  $A$  and  $B$ ,  $A \gg B$  if and only if*

$$(B^r A^p B^r)^{\frac{1}{q}} \geq (B^r B^p B^r)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

*holds for  $q \geq 1, p, r \geq 0$  with  $2rq \geq p + 2r$ .*

We now show the chaotic version of Corollary 2.2 by applying Theorem D:

**Theorem 3.3.** *Let  $A$  be a positive operator on  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $T = U|T|$  be the polar decomposition of an operator  $T$  on  $\mathcal{H}$  such that  $T^*T \ll A^2$ . Let  $z_1, \dots, z_m$  be nonzero vectors in  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in [0, 1]$  with  $r\alpha + s\beta \geq 1 \geq r\alpha$  for each  $r, s \geq 0$ . Suppose that  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy that for each  $j = 1, \dots, m$  there exists a*

constant  $r_j$  such that

$$0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle Tx_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^{r\alpha} x_i \|} \quad \left( \text{resp. } 0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle |T|^{2r\alpha} x_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^{r\alpha} x_i \|} \right) \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

If  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy  $\langle |T^*|^{s\beta+1-r\alpha} y_k, z_j \rangle = 0$  (resp.  $\langle T|T|^{r\alpha+s\beta-1} z_j, y_k \rangle = 0$ ) for  $k = 1, 2$  and  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{r\alpha+s\beta-1} x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{r\alpha+s\beta-1} x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| \\ & + \mathcal{B}(|T^*|^{s\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{s\beta} y_2) \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \| |T|^{r\alpha} x_i \| \right)^2 \\ & \leq \mathcal{B}(|T^*|^{s\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{s\beta} y_2) \left\langle (|T|^r A^{2p} |T|^r)^{\frac{r\alpha}{p+r}} \sum_i x_i, \sum_i x_i \right\rangle, \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

where  $p \geq 0$  and  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T^*|^{2(1-r\alpha)} z_h, z_j \rangle|$  (resp.  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T|^{2r\alpha} z_h, z_j \rangle|$ ) for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ .

*Proof.* By replacing  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  to  $r\alpha$  and  $s\beta$ , respectively in Corollary 2.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{r\alpha+s\beta-1} x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i T|T|^{r\alpha+s\beta-1} x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| \\ & + \mathcal{B}(|T^*|^{s\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{s\beta} y_2) \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \| |T|^{r\alpha} x_i \| \right)^2 \\ & \leq \mathcal{B}(|T^*|^{s\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{s\beta} y_2) \left\langle |T|^{2r\alpha} \sum_i x_i, \sum_i x_i \right\rangle \end{aligned}$$

where  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T^*|^{2(1-r\alpha)} z_h, z_j \rangle|$  (resp.  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T|^{2r\alpha} z_h, z_j \rangle|$ ) for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ .

Moreover we replace  $A, B, r$  and  $q$  to  $A^2, |T|^2, \frac{r}{2}$  and  $\frac{p+r}{r\alpha}$ , respectively in Theorem D. Then we have

$$|T|^{2r\alpha} \leq (|T|^r A^{2p} |T|^r)^{\frac{r\alpha}{p+r}}.$$

Combining inequalities above, we obtain the desired inequality (3.3).  $\square$

Next we interpolate between Theorems 3.2 and 3.3 by the use of Furuta's type operator inequality which interpolates the Furuta inequality and Theorem D.

**Theorem 3.4.** *Let  $A$  be a positive operator on  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $T = U|T|$  be the polar decomposition of an operator  $T$  on  $\mathcal{H}$  such that  $|T|^{2\delta} \leq A^{2\delta}$  for some  $\delta \in (0, 1]$ . Let  $z_1, \dots, z_m$  be nonzero vectors in  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in [0, 1]$  with  $(\delta + r)\alpha + (\delta + s)\beta \geq$*



$1 \geq (\delta + r)\alpha$  for each  $r, s \geq 0$ . Suppose that  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy that for each  $j = 1, \dots, m$  there exists a constant  $r_j$  such that

$$0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle T x_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^{(\delta+r)\alpha} x_i \|} \quad \left( \text{resp. } 0 \leq r_j \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \langle |T|^{2(\delta+r)\alpha} x_i, z_j \rangle}{\| |T|^{(\delta+r)\alpha} x_i \|} \right) \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

If  $y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{H}$  satisfy  $\langle |T^*|^{(\delta+s)\beta+1-(\delta+r)\alpha} y_k, z_j \rangle = 0$  (resp.  $\langle |T|^{(\delta+r)\alpha+(\delta+s)\beta-1} z_j, y_k \rangle = 0$ ) for  $k = 1, 2$  and  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \left\langle \sum_i T |T|^{(\delta+r)\alpha+(\delta+s)\beta-1} x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i T |T|^{(\delta+r)\alpha+(\delta+s)\beta-1} x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| \\ & + \mathcal{B} (|T^*|^{(\delta+s)\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{(\delta+s)\beta} y_2) \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \| |T|^{(\delta+r)\alpha} x_i \| \right)^2 \\ & \leq \mathcal{B} (|T^*|^{(\delta+s)\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{(\delta+s)\beta} y_2) \left\langle (|T|^r A^{2p} |T|^r)^{\frac{(\delta+r)\alpha}{p+r}} \sum_i x_i, \sum_i x_i \right\rangle, \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

where  $p \geq \delta$  and  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T^*|^{2(1-(\delta+r)\alpha)} z_h, z_j \rangle|$  (resp.  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T|^{2(\delta+r)\alpha} z_h, z_j \rangle|$ ) for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ .

*Proof.* By Corollary 2.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \left\langle \sum_i T |T|^{(\delta+r)\alpha+(\delta+s)\beta-1} x_i, y_1 \right\rangle \left\langle \sum_i T |T|^{(\delta+r)\alpha+(\delta+s)\beta-1} x_i, y_2 \right\rangle \right| \\ & + \mathcal{B} (|T^*|^{(\delta+s)\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{(\delta+s)\beta} y_2) \left( \sum_j \frac{r_j^2}{c_j} \right) \left( \sum_i \| |T|^{(\delta+r)\alpha} x_i \| \right)^2 \\ & \leq \mathcal{B} (|T^*|^{(\delta+s)\beta} y_1, |T^*|^{(\delta+s)\beta} y_2) \left\langle |T|^{2(\delta+r)\alpha} \sum_i x_i, \sum_i x_i \right\rangle \end{aligned}$$

where  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T^*|^{2(1-(\delta+r)\alpha)} z_h, z_j \rangle|$  (resp.  $c_j = \sum_h |\langle |T|^{2(\delta+r)\alpha} z_h, z_j \rangle|$ ) for  $j = 1, \dots, m$ . Moreover the following inequality is known in [6]:

$$|T|^{2(\delta+r)\alpha} \leq (|T|^r A^{2p} |T|^r)^{\frac{(\delta+r)\alpha}{p+r}}.$$

Combining above inequalities, we obtain the desired inequality (3.4).  $\square$

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