

GRAND FURUTA INEQUALITY OF THREE VARIABLES

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ABSTRACT. Uchiyama gave a generalization of the grand Furuta inequality and Furuta discussed it based on his previous result. Motivated by such discussions, we consider grand Furuta type operator inequalities of 3 variables, whose hidden key is the chaotic order, i.e.,  $\log A \geq \log B$  for positive invertible operators  $A$  and  $B$ . Among others, Uchiyama’s theorem and Furuta’s theorem are appeared as follows: For  $A \geq B \geq C > 0$  and  $0 \leq t \leq 1 \leq p$

$$B \geq C \geq (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-t} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1}{\beta}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p) \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)$$

and

$$B \geq C \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-t} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1}{\beta}} C^p \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} C^p \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)$$

hold for  $\beta \geq p$  and  $r \geq t$ .

As a complement to our preceding inequality, we give an inequality for  $A \gg B \gg C$  and  $t \geq 0, 0 \leq p \leq \beta \leq 2p$ ,

$$C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{p+t}{\beta+t}} B^\beta \geq B^p \geq (C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p)^{\frac{p}{\beta}} \geq A^{-t} \natural_{\frac{p+t}{\beta+t}} (C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p).$$

**1. Introduction.** Throughout this note,  $A$  and  $B$  are positive operators on a Hilbert space. For convenience, we denote  $A \geq 0$  (resp.  $A > 0$ ) if  $A$  is a positive (resp. invertible) operator. The  $\alpha$ -power mean of  $A$  and  $B$  introduced by Kubo-Ando [19] is given by

$$A \natural_\alpha B = A^{\frac{1}{2}} (A^{-\frac{1}{2}} B A^{-\frac{1}{2}})^\alpha A^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \text{for } 0 \leq \alpha \leq 1.$$

The Furuta inequality [7] can be written by the form of  $\alpha$ -power mean as follows ([2],[3],[13],[14],[15]).

**Furuta inequality:** If  $A \geq B \geq 0$ , then

$$(F) \quad A^u \natural_{\frac{1-u}{p-u}} B^p \leq A \quad \text{and} \quad B \leq B^u \natural_{\frac{1-u}{p-u}} A^p$$

holds for  $u \leq 0$  and  $1 \leq p$ .

It is a marvelous extension of the Löwner-Heinz inequality:

$$(LH) \quad \text{If } A \geq B \geq 0, \text{ then } A^\alpha \geq B^\alpha \text{ for } 0 \leq \alpha \leq 1.$$

As shown in [13](cf.[8]), we can arrange (F) in one line as a satellite theorem of the the Furuta inequality as follows:

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If  $A \geq B \geq 0$ , then

$$(SF) \quad A^u \sharp_{\frac{1-u}{p-u}} B^p \leq B \leq A \leq B^u \sharp_{\frac{1-u}{p-u}} A^p$$

holds for all  $u \leq 0$  and  $p \geq 1$ .

For  $A, B > 0$ , we denote by  $A \gg B$  if  $\log A \geq \log B$  and call it the chaotic order ([3],[17],[18]). The next characterization of the chaotic order we obtained in [3] is useful and starting point of our following discussions about the chaotic order, so we call it chaotic Furuta inequality.

If  $A \gg B$ , then

$$(CF) \quad A^u \sharp_{\frac{-u}{p-u}} B^p \leq I \leq B^u \sharp_{\frac{-u}{p-u}} A^p$$

for any  $p \geq 0$  and  $u \leq 0$ .

A satellite theorem (SF) of the Furuta inequality (F) illustrates the difference between the usual order  $A \geq B$  and the chaotic order  $A \gg B$ . As a matter of fact, in [17] and [18] we have shown the following:

If  $A \gg B$ , then

$$(SCF) \quad A^u \sharp_{\frac{1-u}{p-u}} B^p \leq B \ll A \leq B^u \sharp_{\frac{1-u}{p-u}} A^p$$

holds for any  $p \geq 1$  and  $u \leq 0$ .

Further generalizations of (CF) and (SCF) have been given as follows [17]:

**Theorem A.** For  $A, B > 0$ , if  $A \gg B$ , then the following (1) and (2) hold.

$$(1) \quad A^u \sharp_{\frac{\delta-u}{p-u}} B^p \leq B^\delta \quad \text{and} \quad A^\delta \leq B^u \sharp_{\frac{\delta-u}{p-u}} A^p \quad \text{for } u \leq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq \delta \leq p$$

$$(2) \quad A^u \sharp_{\frac{\alpha-u}{p-u}} B^p \leq A^\alpha \quad \text{and} \quad B^\alpha \leq B^u \sharp_{\frac{\alpha-u}{p-u}} A^p \quad \text{for } u \leq \alpha \leq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq p.$$

These are main tools of our discussions below.

**2. Grand Furuta inequality.** As a generalization of the Furuta inequality, Furuta [9] had given an inequality which we called the grand Furuta inequality in [4],[5] and [16]. It interpolates the Furuta inequality and the Ando-Hiai inequality [1] which is equivalent to the main result of log majorization. We here cite it in terms of operator mean:

**The grand Furuta inequality:** If  $A \geq B \geq 0$  and  $A$  is invertible, then for each  $1 \leq p$  and  $0 \leq t \leq 1$ ,

$$(GF) \quad A^{-r+t} \sharp_{\frac{1-t+r}{(p-t)s+r}} (A^t \natural_s B^p) \leq A \quad \text{and} \quad B \leq B^{-r+t} \sharp_{\frac{1-t+r}{(p-t)s+r}} (B^t \natural_s A^p)$$

holds for  $t \leq r$  and  $1 \leq s$ .

The best possibility of the power  $\frac{1-t+r}{(p-t)s+r}$  is shown in [20]. The notation  $\natural_s$  is defined by  $A \natural_s B = A^{\frac{1}{2}}(A^{-\frac{1}{2}}BA^{-\frac{1}{2}})^s A^{\frac{1}{2}}$  for  $s \notin [0, 1]$ . Replacing  $s$  in (GF) with  $\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}$  for  $1 \leq p \leq \beta$ ,

we can state this theorem by the satellite form as follows [16]:

If  $A \geq B > 0$ , then the following (\*) holds for  $0 \leq t \leq 1 \leq p \leq \beta$  and  $u \leq 0$ .  
 (\*)  $A^u \#_{\frac{1-u}{\beta-u}} (A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} B^p) \leq (A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} B^p)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \leq B \leq A \leq (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} A^p)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \leq B^u \#_{\frac{1-u}{\beta-u}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} A^p)$ .

The middle part in (\*) had been obtained in [4], [5] and this is the most important improvement of (GF). Now we prepare a similar one which is needed below:

**Theorem 1.** Let  $A \geq B > 0$  and  $0 \leq t \leq 1 \leq p$ . Then

$$H(\beta) = (A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} B^p)^{\frac{p}{\beta}}$$

is a decreasing function with  $\beta \geq p$  and in particular  $H(\beta) \leq B^p$  for  $\beta \geq p$ .

**Proof.** First of all, suppose that  $1 \leq \frac{\beta-t}{p-t} \leq 2$ . Then

$$A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} B^p = B^p \natural_{\frac{p-\beta}{p-t}} A^t = B^p (B^{-p} \#_{\frac{\beta-p}{p-t}} A^{-t}) B^p \leq B^p (B^{-p} \#_{\frac{\beta-p}{p-t}} B^{-t}) B^p = B^\beta$$

By (LH), we have  $(A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} B^p)^{\frac{p}{\beta}} \leq B^p$ .

Since  $p \geq 1$ , we have  $B_1 = (A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} B^p)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \leq B \leq A$ . Next if we take  $\beta_1$  with  $1 \leq \frac{\beta_1-t}{\beta-t} \leq 2$ , then the preceding argument ensures that

$$A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta_1-t}{p-t}} B^p = A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta_1-t}{\beta-t}} (A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} B^p) = A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta_1-t}{\beta-t}} B_1^\beta \leq B_1^{\beta_1},$$

that is,  $A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta_1-t}{p-t}} B^p \leq (A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} B^p)^{\frac{\beta_1}{\beta}}$ . So

$$(A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta_1-t}{p-t}} B^p)^{\frac{p}{\beta_1}} \leq (A^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} B^p)^{\frac{p}{\beta}} \leq B^p$$

follows from (LH), which shows the monotonicity of  $H(\beta)$  and  $H(\beta) \leq B^p$  for  $\beta \geq p$ .

**3. Furuta’s generalization of Uchiyama’s theorem.**

Recently, Uchiyama [21] has shown the following inequality as an extension of (GF).

If  $A \geq B \geq C > 0$ , then for each  $0 \leq t \leq 1 \leq p$

(U) 
$$A^{1-t} \geq A^{-r} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{(p-t)s+r}} (B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}})^s$$

holds for  $r \geq t$  and  $s \geq 1$ .

Furuta [10] extended this result to the following two directions.  
 For  $A \geq B \geq C > 0$  and  $0 \leq t \leq 1 \leq p$ ,  $t \leq r$ ,  $1 \leq s$ , the followings hold.

(1) 
$$B^{1-t} \geq B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C B^{-\frac{t}{2}} \geq A^{-t} \#_{\frac{1}{(p-t)s+t}} (B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}})^s \geq A^{-r} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{(p-t)s+r}} (B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}})^s$$

(2) 
$$B^{1-t} \geq B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C B^{-\frac{t}{2}} \geq A^{-r} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{p-t+r}} B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}} \geq A^{-r} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{(p-t)s+r}} (B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}})^s$$

The proofs of these in [10] are depending on the results in [12] and a little complicated. So we prove them directly in our own methods. Our expressions of Furta's results (1) and (2) are given as follows by replacing  $s$  with  $\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}$  for  $\beta \geq p$  and we can obtain a little precise forms.

**Theorem 2.** *If  $A \geq B \geq C > 0$  and  $0 \leq t \leq 1 \leq p$ , then*

$$(1) \quad B \geq C \geq (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-t} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1}{\beta}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p) \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)$$

and

$$(2) \quad B \geq C \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-t} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1}{p}} C^p \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{p-t+r}} C^p \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)$$

hold for  $\beta \geq p$  and  $r \geq t$ .

**Proof.** (1) First of all, the assumption  $B \geq C > 0$  ensures  $(B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \leq C$  by (\*). Let  $D = (B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{1}{p-t}}$ , then

$$A^{-t} \natural_{\frac{t}{\beta}} D^{\beta-t} \leq B^{-t} \natural_{\frac{t}{\beta}} D^{\beta-t} = B^{-\frac{t}{2}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)^{\frac{t}{\beta}} B^{-\frac{t}{2}} \leq B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^t B^{-\frac{t}{2}} \leq B^{-\frac{t}{2}} B^t B^{-\frac{t}{2}} = I,$$

that is,

$$(\dagger) \quad (A^{\frac{t}{2}} D^{\beta-t} A^{\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{t}{\beta}} \leq A^t$$

and we have  $(A^{\frac{t}{2}} D^{\beta-t} A^{\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \ll A$ .

Therefore by (SCF),  $A^{-r+t} \natural_{\frac{1-(t-r)}{\beta-(t-r)}} \{(A^{\frac{t}{2}} D^{\beta-t} A^{\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{1}{\beta}}\}^{\beta} \leq (A^{\frac{t}{2}} D^{\beta-t} A^{\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$ , namely,

$$A^{-r} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} D^{\beta-t} \leq A^{-t} \natural_{\frac{1}{\beta}} D^{\beta-t}.$$

Since  $B^{\frac{t}{2}} D^{\beta-t} B^{\frac{t}{2}} = B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p) &\leq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-t} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1}{\beta}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p) \\ &\leq B^{\frac{t}{2}} B^{-t} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1}{\beta}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p) = (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \leq C \leq B. \end{aligned}$$

(2) is also shown as follows: Since  $A \gg (A^{\frac{t}{2}} D^{\beta-t} A^{\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$  as in above, Theorem A (1) implies that

$$A^{-r+t} \natural_{\frac{p-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} A^{\frac{t}{2}} D^{\beta-t} A^{\frac{t}{2}} \leq (A^{\frac{t}{2}} D^{\beta-t} A^{\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{p}{\beta}}.$$

Multiplying  $A^{-\frac{t}{2}}$  from the both sides of the above, we have

$$A^{-r} \natural_{\frac{p+r-t}{\beta+r-t}} D^{\beta-t} \leq A^{-t} \natural_{\frac{p}{\beta}} D^{\beta-t} \leq B^{-t} \natural_{\frac{p}{\beta}} D^{\beta-t} = B^{-\frac{t}{2}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)^{\frac{p}{\beta}} B^{-\frac{t}{2}} \leq B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}},$$

where the final inequality follows from Theorem 1. Again multiplying  $B^{\frac{t}{2}}$  to each sides of this formula, we have

$$B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{p-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p) \leq C^p.$$

Hence it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} &B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p) \\ &= B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{p-t+r}} \{B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{p-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)\} \\ &\leq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \natural_{\frac{1-t+r}{p-t+r}} C^p. \end{aligned}$$

The rest inequalities follow from (1) as the case  $\beta = p$ .

A key point of this theorem is to attain the condition (†). Several conditions are considerable to attain (†) but the condition  $A \gg D = (B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{1}{p-t}}$  is playing an essential role in our proofs. So we reconstruct our discussions under this condition.

**Theorem 3.** *If  $A, B, C > 0$  satisfy  $A \gg D = (B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{1}{p-t}}$  for some  $0 \leq t \leq 1 \leq p$ , the the following (1) and (2) hold for  $\beta \geq p$  and  $r \geq t$ .*

$$(1) \quad B^t \#_{\frac{1-t}{p-t}} C^p \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-t} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \#_{\frac{1}{\beta}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p) \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)$$

$$(2) \quad B^t \#_{\frac{1-t}{p-t}} C^p \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-t} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \#_{\frac{1}{p}} C^p \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{p-t+r}} C^p \geq B^{\frac{t}{2}} A^{-r} B^{\frac{t}{2}} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} (B^t \natural_{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} C^p)$$

**Proof.** (1) follows from Theorem A.

$$\begin{aligned} A^{-r} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} D^{\beta-t} &= D^{\beta-t} \#_{\frac{\beta-1}{\beta-t+r}} A^{-r} = D^{\beta-t} \#_{\frac{\beta-1}{\beta}} (D^{\beta-t} \#_{\frac{\beta}{\beta-t+r}} A^{-r}) \\ &= D^{\beta-t} \#_{\frac{\beta-1}{\beta}} (A^{-r} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} D^{\beta-t}) \leq D^{\beta-t} \#_{\frac{\beta-1}{\beta}} A^{-t} = A^{-t} \#_{\frac{1}{\beta}} D^{\beta-t} \\ &= A^{-t} \#_{\frac{1-t+t}{\beta-t+t}} (B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{\beta-t}{p-t}} \leq (B^{-\frac{t}{2}} C^p B^{-\frac{t}{2}})^{\frac{1-t}{p-t}} \end{aligned}$$

The first inequality is assured by (2) of Theorem A and the second one by (1) of theorem A. Multiplying  $B^{\frac{t}{2}}$  both sides of each term, we have the conclusion. Most parts of (2) are obtained from (1) by putting  $\beta = p$  in (1) except the final inequality, which is also owing to (2) of Theorem A as follows:

$$A^{-r} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} D^{\beta-t} = A^{-r} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{p-t+r}} \{A^{-r} \#_{\frac{p-t+r}{\beta-t+r}} D^{\beta-t}\} \leq A^{-r} \#_{\frac{1-t+r}{p-t+r}} D^{p-t}$$

Multiplying  $B^{\frac{t}{2}}$  to each term from both sides, we have the conclusion.

**4. A variant of Theorem 2 under the chaotic order.**

Recently, we proposed in [5] the following inequality because (U) seems to be a skewed form of (SGF) from our view point.

**Theorem B.** *If  $A, B, C > 0$  satisfy  $A \gg B$  and  $B \geq C$ , then for each  $0 \leq t \leq 1$*

$$B \geq C \geq (B^t \natural_s C^p)^{\frac{1}{(p-t)s+t}} \geq A^{-r+t} \#_{\frac{1+r-t}{(p-t)s+r}} (B^t \natural_s C^p)$$

*holds for all  $p \geq 1, s \geq 1$  and  $r \geq t$ .*

In this inequality, if  $A \geq B = C$ , then we have (F) and if  $A = B \geq C$ , then (GF) is obtained. But the assumption  $A \gg B \geq C$  is unbalanced, so we study its variant under  $A \gg B \gg C$ .

**Theorem 4.** *If  $A, B, C > 0$  satisfy  $A \gg B \gg C$ , then for  $t \geq 0$  and  $0 \leq p \leq \beta \leq 2p$*

$$C^{-t} \#_{\frac{p+t}{\beta+t}} B^\beta \geq B^p \geq (C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p)^{\frac{p}{\beta}} \geq A^{-t} \#_{\frac{p+t}{\beta+t}} (C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p).$$

**Proof.** Since the first inequality is obtained by Theorem A (1), we show the rest inequalities.

$$\begin{aligned} C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p &= B^p \natural_{\frac{p-\beta}{p+t}} C^{-t} = B^p (B^{-p} \sharp_{\frac{\beta-p}{p+t}} C^t) B^p \\ &= B^p (C^{-t} \sharp_{\frac{2p-\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p)^{-1} B^p \leq B^p B^{-2p+\beta} B^p = B^\beta \end{aligned}$$

We have  $(C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p)^{\frac{p}{\beta}} \leq B^p$  by (LH) and  $(C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \ll B$ , see [6;Theorem 1](cf.[18;Lemma 4]). So  $A \gg (C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$  is obtained and by Theorem A (1) we have

$$A^{-t} \sharp_{\frac{p+t}{\beta+t}} (C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p) \leq (C^{-t} \natural_{\frac{\beta+t}{p+t}} B^p)^{\frac{p}{\beta}}.$$

**Remark.** If we put  $B = C$  in Theorem 4, then  $A^{-t} \sharp_{\frac{p+t}{\beta+t}} B^p$  is obtained. That is, Theorem 4 is a generalization of Theorem A (1).

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