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Problems and results on polynomials and interpolation. (In English)

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A personal selection by P. $Erd\~os$ of recent results and open problems about polynomials and Lagrange interpolation. The following problem carries the offer of a \$ 250 reward: Let $f_n(z)$ be a polynomial of degree n with leading coefficient 1. Prove that the length of the curve(s) $|f_n(z)| = 1$ is maximal for $f_n(z) = z^n - 1$.

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