



The study properties of subclass of Starlike functions

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Abstract

In this paper we introduce and investigate a certain subclass of univalent functions which are analytic in the unit disk U . Such results as coefficient inequalities. The results presented here would provide extensions of those given in earlier works.

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1 Introduction

Let Σ denote the class of functions of the form

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$$

which are analytic in the punctured open unit disk

$$U^* = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : 0 < |z| \leq 1\} =: U - \{0\}$$

where U is an open unit disk. Let for $0 \leq \alpha < 1$,

(1)

$$\Sigma^*(\alpha) = \{f \in \Sigma : \operatorname{Re}\left[\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right] < -\alpha\},$$

(2)

$$ME(\alpha) = \{f \in \Sigma : \operatorname{Re}(zf(z)) > \alpha \mid z^2 f'(z) + zf(z) \mid\},$$

(3)

$$MF(\alpha) = \{f \in \Sigma : \left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + 1 \right| < 1 - \alpha\}.$$

For $\alpha = 0$, we take $\Sigma(0) = \Sigma^*$ and $ME(0) = ME$ and for $\alpha = 1$, we take $MF(0) = MF$.

For some recent investigations on analytic starlike functions, see (for example) the earlier works [6] and the references cited in each of these earlier investigations.

Lemma 1.1 *Let $h(z) = 1 + b_1 z^1 + b_2 z^2 + \dots$ be analytic in the open unit disk U and $f(z) = \frac{h(z)}{z}$. Then*

$$1) f \in \Sigma^*(\alpha) \Leftrightarrow \operatorname{Re}\left[\frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)}\right] < 1 - \alpha,$$

$$2) f \in ME(\alpha) \Leftrightarrow \operatorname{Re}[h(z)] < \alpha \mid zh'(z) \mid,$$

$$3) f \in MF(\alpha) \Leftrightarrow \left| \frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} \right| < 1 - \alpha.$$

Definition 1.1 Denote by Λ the class of functions

$$h(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n = 1 + b_1 z^1 + b_2 z^2 + \dots \quad (1.1)$$

which are analytic in the open unit disk U . Further suppose for $0 \leq \alpha < 1$,

$$i) \Lambda^*(\alpha) = \{h \in \Lambda : \operatorname{Re}\left[\frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)}\right] < 1 - \alpha\},$$

$$ii) \Lambda E(\alpha) = \{h \in \Lambda : \operatorname{Re}[h(z)] > \alpha \mid zh'(z) \mid\},$$

$$iii) \Lambda F(\alpha) = \{h \in \Lambda : \left| \frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} \right| < 1 - \alpha\}.$$

For $\alpha = 0$, we take $\Lambda^*(0) = \Lambda^*$ and $\Lambda F(0) = \Lambda F$ and for $\alpha = 1$, we take $\Lambda E(1) = \Lambda E$.

Definition 1.2 Let $h, k \in \Lambda$ where h is given by (1.1) and k is given by

$$k(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n z^n = 1 + c_1 z^1 + c_2 z^2 + \dots$$

The Hadamard product (or convolution) $h * k$ is defined by

$$(h * k)(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n c_n z^n =: (k * h)(z).$$

2 Main results

We begin by proving inclusion relation between classes which are defined in the Section 1.

Lemma 2.1 (See [5]) *If the function $h \in \Lambda$ is given by (1), and satisfy the condition*

$$\operatorname{Re}[h(z)] > 0 \quad , \quad (z \in U)$$

then

$$|b_n| \leq 2 \quad , \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}).$$

Theorem 2.1 *For $\alpha \geq 1$,*

$$\Lambda E(\alpha) \subseteq \Lambda F\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \subseteq \Lambda^*\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right).$$

Also that $\alpha = 1$ all inclusions are proper.

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned} h \in \Lambda E(\alpha) &\Rightarrow \operatorname{Re}[h(z)] > \alpha |zh'(z)| \Rightarrow |h(z)| > \alpha |zh'(z)| \\ &\Rightarrow \left| \frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} \right| < \frac{1}{\alpha} \Rightarrow h \in \Lambda F\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right), \end{aligned}$$

And

$$h \in \Lambda F\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \Rightarrow \left| \frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} \right| < \frac{1}{\alpha} \Rightarrow \operatorname{Re}\left[\frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)}\right] < \frac{1}{\alpha} \Rightarrow h \in \Lambda^*\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right).$$

But for $\alpha = 1$ it is easy to see that $e^z \in \Lambda F - \Lambda E$ and $(1 - z)^2 \in \Lambda^* - \Lambda F$. \square

We begin by a sufficient condition for a function of the form (1.1) to be in the class $\Lambda E(\alpha)$.

Theorem 2.2 *Suppose $h \in \Lambda$ is given by (1.1). If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\alpha n + 1) |b_n| \leq 1$ then $h \in \Lambda E(\alpha)$.*

Proof. We get

$$\operatorname{Re}[h(z)] = \operatorname{Re}[1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n] \geq 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |b_n|,$$

And

$$\alpha |zh'(z)| = \alpha |\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n b_n z^n| \leq \alpha \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n |b_n|.$$

Therefore if

$$1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |b_n| \geq \alpha \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n |b_n| \text{ or } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\alpha n + 1) |b_n| \leq 1.$$

Hence we get our result. \square

Let $\Lambda E^+(\alpha)$ denote the subset of $\Lambda E(\alpha)$ such that all functions $h \in \Lambda E(\alpha)$ having the following form:

$$h(z) = 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n, \quad b_n \geq 0.$$

Corollary 2.1 *A function h of the form $h(z) = 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n$, $b_n \geq 0$ is in $\Lambda E^+(\alpha)$ if and only if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\alpha n + 1) b_n \leq 1$. The result is sharp for the function $h(z)$ given by*

$$h(z) = 1 - \frac{1}{\alpha n + 1} z^n.$$

Corollary 2.2 *The extreme points of $\Lambda E^+(\alpha)$ are $h_0(z) = 1, h_n(z) = 1 - \frac{1}{\alpha n + 1} z^n, n \in \mathbb{N}$. And $h \in \Lambda E^+(\alpha)$ if and only if h can be written in the form*

$$h(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n h_n(z), \quad c_n \geq 0, \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n = 1.$$

Corollary 2.3 *If $h(z) = 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n$, $b_n \geq 0$ is in $\Lambda E^+(\alpha)$, then*

$$1 - \frac{r}{1 + \alpha} \leq |h(z)| \leq 1 + \frac{r}{1 + \alpha},$$

with equality for $h(z) = 1 - \frac{1}{1 + \alpha} z$, $z = r, ir$.

Theorem 2.3 Let $h \in \Lambda$ be given by (1.1). Then $h \in \Lambda E(\alpha)$ if and only if

$$\operatorname{Re}\left[h(z) * \frac{1 + z(\alpha e^{i\theta} - 1)}{(1 - z)^2}\right] > 0, \quad (\text{For } z \in U, \quad \theta \in (-\pi, \pi]).$$

Proof. We get

$$h(z) + \alpha e^{i\theta} z h'(z) = h(z) * \left[\frac{1}{1 - z} + \alpha e^{i\theta} \frac{z}{(1 - z)^2} \right] = h(z) * \frac{1 + z(\alpha e^{i\theta} - 1)}{(1 - z)^2},$$

And

$$h \in \Lambda E(\alpha) \Leftrightarrow \operatorname{Re}[h(z)] > \alpha |zh'(z)| > -\alpha \operatorname{Re}[e^{i\theta} zh'(z)].$$

Hence we get our result. \square

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