

Subclass of Starlike Functions with Respect to Symmetric Conjugate Points

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Abstract

This paper consider $S_{sc}^*(A, B)$ as a class of functions f which are analytic in an open unit disc $\mathcal{D} = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ and satisfying the condition $\frac{2zf'(z)}{f(z)-f(-\bar{z})} \prec \frac{1+Az}{1+Bz}$, $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$, $z \in \mathcal{D}$. We obtain some properties of functions $f \in S_{sc}^*(A, B)$ such as coefficient estimates, distortion theorem, growth result and integral operator.

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1 Introduction

Let $\mathcal{U}$ be the class of functions which are analytic in the open unit disc $\mathcal{D} = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ given by

$$w(z) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k z^k$$

and satisfying the conditions

$$w(0) = 0, \quad |w(z)| < 1, \quad z \in \mathcal{D}.$$

Let $\mathcal{S}$ denote the class of functions f which are analytic and univalent in $\mathcal{D}$ of the form

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \quad z \in \mathcal{D}. \quad (1)$$

Also, let $\mathcal{S}_s^*$ be the subclass of $\mathcal{S}$ consisting of functions given by (1) satisfying

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z) - f(-z)} \right\} > 0, \quad z \in \mathcal{D}.$$

These functions are called starlike with respect to symmetric points and were introduced by Sakaguchi in 1959. El-Ashwah and Thomas in [2], introduced two other classes namely the class $\mathcal{S}_c^*$ consisting of functions starlike with respect to conjugate points and $\mathcal{S}_{sc}^*$ consisting of functions starlike with respect to symmetric conjugate points.

Further, let $f, g \in \mathcal{U}$. Then we say that f is subordinate to g , and we write $f \prec g$, if there exists a function $w \in \mathcal{U}$ such that $f(z) = g(w(z))$ for all $z \in \mathcal{D}$. Specially, if g is univalent in $\mathcal{D}$, then $f \prec g$ if and only if $f(0) = g(0)$ and $f(\mathcal{D}) \subseteq g(\mathcal{D})$.

In terms of subordination, Goel and Mehrotra in 1982 introduced a subclass of $\mathcal{S}_s^*$ denoted by $\mathcal{S}_s^*(A, B)$. Let $\mathcal{S}_s^*(A, B)$ denote the class of functions of the form (1) and satisfying the condition

$$\frac{2zf'(z)}{f(z) - f(-z)} \prec \frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz}, \quad -1 \leq B < A \leq 1, \quad z \in \mathcal{D}.$$

In this paper, let consider $\mathcal{S}_{sc}^*(A, B)$ be the class of functions of the form (1) and satisfying the condition

$$\frac{2zf'(z)}{f(z) - \overline{f(-\bar{z})}} \prec \frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz}, \quad -1 \leq B < A \leq 1, \quad z \in \mathcal{D}.$$

Obviously $\mathcal{S}_{sc}^*(A, B)$ is a subclass of the class $\mathcal{S}_{sc}^* = \mathcal{S}_{sc}^*(1, -1)$.

By definition of subordination, it follows that $f \in \mathcal{S}_{sc}^*(A, B)$ if and only if

$$\frac{2zf'(z)}{f(z) - \overline{f(-\bar{z})}} = \frac{1 + Aw(z)}{1 + Bw(z)} = P(z), \quad w \in \mathcal{U} \quad (2)$$

where

$$P(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} p_n z^n. \quad (3)$$

We study the class $\mathcal{S}_{sc}^*(A, B)$ and obtain coefficient estimates, distortion theorem, growth result and integral operator.

2 Preliminary Result

We need the following preliminary lemmas, required for proving our result.

Lemma 2.1 ([3]) *If $P(z)$ is given by (3) then*

$$|p_n| \leq (A - B). \quad (4)$$

Lemma 2.2 ([3]) *Let $N(z)$ be analytic and $M(z)$ starlike in D and $N(0) = M(0) = 0$. Then*

$$\frac{\left| \left(\frac{N'(z)}{M'(z)} - 1 \right) \right|}{\left| \left(A - B \frac{N'(z)}{M'(z)} \right) \right|} < 1$$

implies

$$\frac{\left| \left(\frac{N(z)}{M(z)} - 1 \right) \right|}{\left| \left(A - B \frac{N(z)}{M(z)} \right) \right|} < 1, \quad z \in \mathcal{D}.$$

3 Main Result

We give the coefficient inequalities for the class $\mathcal{S}_{sc}^*(A, B)$.

Theorem 3.1 *Let $f \in \mathcal{S}_{sc}^*(A, B)$, then for $n \geq 1$,*

$$|a_{2n}| \leq \frac{(A - B)}{n!2^n} \prod_{j=1}^{n-1} (A - B + 2j), \quad (5)$$

and

$$|a_{2n+1}| \leq \frac{(A - B)}{n!2^n} \prod_{j=1}^{n-1} (A - B + 2j). \quad (6)$$

Proof.

For (2) and (3), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & z + 2a_2z^2 + 3a_3z^3 + \dots + 2na_{2n}z^{2n} + (2n+1)a_{2n+1}z^{2n+1} + \dots \\
 &= (z + a_3z^3 + a_5z^5 + \dots + a_{2n-1}z^{2n-1} + a_{2n+1}z^{2n+1} + \dots) \\
 &\quad \bullet (1 + p_1z + p_2z^2 + \dots + p_{2n}z^{2n} + p_{2n+1}z^{2n+1} + \dots)
 \end{aligned}$$

Equating the coefficients of like powers of z , we have

$$2a_2 = p_1, \quad 2a_3 = p_2 \quad (7)$$

$$4a_4 = p_3 + a_3p_1, \quad 4a_5 = p_4 + a_3p_2 \quad (8)$$

$$(2n)a_{2n} = p_{2n-1} + a_3p_{2n-3} + a_3p_{2n-5} + \dots + a_{2n-1}p_1 \quad (9)$$

$$(2n)a_{2n+1} = p_{2n} + a_3p_{2n-2} + a_5p_{2n-4} + \dots + a_{2n-1}p_2. \quad (10)$$

Easily using Lemma 2.1 and (7), we get

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{(A-B)}{2}, \quad |a_3| \leq \frac{(A-B)}{2}. \quad (11)$$

Again by applying (11) and followed by Lemma 2.1, we get from (8)

$$|a_4| \leq \frac{(A-B)(A-B+2)}{2!2^2}, \quad |a_5| \leq \frac{(A-B)(A-B+2)}{2!2^2}.$$

It follows that (5) and (6) hold for $n=1,2$. We now prove (5) using induction.

Equation (9) in conjunction with Lemma 2.1 yield

$$|a_{2n}| \leq \frac{(A-B)}{2n} \left[1 + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} |a_{2k+1}| \right] \quad (12)$$

We assume that (5) holds for $k=3,4,\dots,(n-1)$. Then from (12), we obtain

$$|a_{2n}| \leq \frac{A-B}{2n} \left[1 + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \frac{A-B}{k!2^k} \prod_{j=1}^{k-1} (A-B+2j) \right]. \quad (13)$$

In order to complete the proof, it is sufficient to show that

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{A-B}{2m} \left[1 + \sum_{k=1}^{m-1} \frac{A-B}{k!2^k} \prod_{j=1}^{k-1} (A-B+2j) \right] \\ &= \frac{A-B}{m!2^m} \prod_{j=1}^{m-1} (A-B+2j), \quad (m = 3, 4, \dots, n). \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

(14) is valid for $m = 3$.

Let us suppose that (14) is true for all m , $3 < m \leq (n-1)$. Then from (13)

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{A-B}{2n} \left[1 + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \frac{A-B}{k!2^k} \prod_{j=1}^{k-1} (A-B+2j) \right] \\ &= \left(\frac{n-1}{n} \right) \left(\frac{A-B}{2(n-1)} \left(1 + \sum_{k=1}^{n-2} \frac{A-B}{k!2^k} \prod_{j=1}^{k-1} (A-B+2j) \right) \right) \\ & \quad + \frac{A-B}{2n} \frac{A-B}{(n-1)!2^{n-1}} \prod_{j=1}^{n-2} (A-B+2j) \\ &= \frac{n-1}{n} \frac{A-B}{(n-1)!2^{n-1}} \prod_{j=1}^{n-2} (A-B+2j) \\ & \quad + \frac{A-B}{2n} \frac{A-B}{(n-1)!2^{n-1}} \prod_{j=1}^{n-2} (A-B+2j) \\ &= \frac{A-B}{(n-1)!2^{n-1}} \prod_{j=1}^{n-2} (A-B+2j) \frac{(A-B+2(n-1))}{2n} \\ &= \frac{A-B}{n!2^n} \prod_{j=1}^{n-1} (A-B+2j) \end{aligned}$$

Thus, (14) holds for $m = n$ and hence (5) follows. Similarly, we can prove (6).

Next, we give distortion bound, growth result and preserving integral operator for the class $S_{sc}^*(A, B)$.

Theorem 3.2 Let $f \in S_{sc}^*(A, B)$, then for $|z| = r$, $0 < r < 1$,

$$\frac{1-Ar}{(1-Br)(1+r^2)} \leq |f'(z)| \leq \frac{1+Ar}{(1+Br)(1-r^2)} \quad (15)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{1+B^2} \left((A-B) \ln \left(\frac{1-Br}{\sqrt{1+r^2}} \right) + (1+AB) \tan^{-1} r \right) &\leq |f(z)| \\ \frac{1}{1-B^2} \left((A-B) \ln \left(\frac{1+Br}{\sqrt{1-r^2}} \right) + (1-AB) \ln \left(\frac{1+r}{1-r} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) &. \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

The bounds are sharp.

Proof.

Put $h(z) = \frac{f(z) - \overline{f(-\bar{z})}}{2}$. Then from (2), we obtain

$$|zf'(z)| = |h(z)| \left| \frac{1+Aw(z)}{1+Bw(z)} \right|. \quad (17)$$

Since h is odd starlike, it follows that (see [1])

$$\frac{r}{(1+r^2)} \leq |h(z)| \leq \frac{r}{(1-r^2)}. \quad (18)$$

Furthermore, for $w \in \mathcal{U}$, it can also be easily established that

$$\frac{1-Ar}{1-Br} \leq \left| \frac{1+Aw(z)}{1+Bw(z)} \right| \leq \frac{1+Ar}{1+Br}. \quad (19)$$

Applying results (18) and (19) in (17) we obtain (15). Next, set $|z| = r$, and upon elementary integration of (15) will give the results in (16). The extremal functions corresponding to the left and right sides of (15) and (16) are, respectively

$$f(z) = \int_0^z \frac{(1-At)}{(1-Bt)(1+t^2)} dt$$

and

$$f(z) = \int_0^z \frac{(1+At)}{(1+Bt)(1-t^2)} dt.$$

Theorem 3.3 If $f \in S_{sc}^*(A, B)$ then $F \in S_{sc}^*(A, B)$, where

$$F(z) = \frac{2}{z} \int_0^z f(t) dt.$$

Proof.

With the given F above, consider

$$\frac{2zF'(z)}{F(z) - \overline{F(-\bar{z})}} = \frac{zf(z) - \int_0^z f(t)dt}{\frac{1}{2} \left[\int_0^z f(t)dt - \int_0^z \overline{f(-\bar{t})}dt \right]}.$$

Suppose, we let $N(z)$ and $M(z)$ be the numerator and denominator functions respectively. It can be shown that

$$M(z) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\int_0^z f(t)dt - \int_0^z \overline{f(-\bar{t})}dt \right]$$

is starlike. Furthermore,

$$\frac{N'(z)}{M'(z)} = \frac{2zf'(z)}{f(z) - \overline{f(-\bar{t})}} \quad \text{with } f \in S_{sc}^*(A, B).$$

Thus

$$\frac{N'(z)}{M'(z)} = \frac{1 + Aw(z)}{1 + Bw(z)}, \quad w \in \mathcal{U}.$$

This implies that

$$\frac{\left| \left(\frac{N'(z)}{M'(z)} - 1 \right) \right|}{\left| \left(A - B \frac{N'(z)}{M'(z)} \right) \right|} < 1.$$

Hence, by Lemma 2.2, we have

$$\frac{\left| \left(\frac{N(z)}{M(z)} - 1 \right) \right|}{\left| \left(A - B \frac{N(z)}{M(z)} \right) \right|} < 1, \quad z \in \mathcal{D}$$

or equivalently,

$$\frac{N(z)}{M(z)} = \frac{1 + Aw_1(z)}{1 + Bw_1(z)}, \quad w_1 \in \mathcal{U}.$$

Thus $F \in S_{sc}^*(A, B)$.

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