

On Certain Classes of Univalent Functions with Negative and Missing Coefficients

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Abstract Let $p^*(A, B, k, a, \beta)$ be the class of functions $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$ ($a_1 > 0, k \geq 2$) regular and univalent in the unit disc $U = \{z: |z| < 1\}$ and satisfying

$$\left| \frac{f'(z) - a_1}{[A + (B - A)a\beta]a_1 - [A + (B - A)\beta]f'(z)} \right| < 1, z \in U,$$

where $-1 < B < A < 1$, $-1 < B < 0$, $0 < a < 1$ and $0 < \beta < 1$. We denote by $p_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ and $p_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, two subclasses of $p^*(A, B, k, a, \beta)$, consisting of the functions which satisfy $f(z_0) = z_0$ and $f'(z_0) = 1$, respectively, here $0 < z_0 < 1$. In this paper we obtain coefficient estimates, distortion and closure theorems and radius of convexity of order ρ ($0 < \rho < 1$) for the classes $p_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ and $p_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$.

1. Introduction.

Let $P^*(A, B, k, a, \beta)$ be the class of functions $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$ ($a_1 > 0, k \geq 2$) regular and univalent in the unit disc $U = \{z: |z| < 1\}$, and satisfying the condition

$$\left| \frac{f'(z) - a_1}{[A + (B - A)a\beta]a_1 - [A + (B - A)\beta]f'(z)} \right| < 1, z \in U, \quad (1.1)$$

where $-1 < B < A < 1$, $-1 < B < 0$, $0 < a < 1$ and $0 < \beta < 1$. Let $0 < z_0 < 1$. we introduce two subclasses, namely $P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ and $P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, of $P^*(A, B, k, a, \beta)$. A function f of $P^*(A, B, k, a, \beta)$ belongs to $P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ if $f(z_0) = z_0$, whereas $P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ is the class of those functions of $P^*(A, B, k, a, \beta)$ which satisfy $f'(z_0) = 1$.

In [3] Kumar and Shukla obtained coefficient estimates, distortion and closure theorems and radius of convexity of order ρ ($0 < \rho < 1$) for the classes $P_0(A, B, k, 0, 1, z_0)$ and $P_1(A, B, k, 0, 1, z_0)$. Also Kumar [2] has obtained many results including coefficient estimates, distortion theorems, radius of convexity and class preserving integral operators for the class $P^*(A, B, k, 0, 1)$ when $a_1 = 1$.

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In the present paper we obtained coefficient estimates, distortion and covering theorems and radius of convexity of order ρ ($0 \leq \rho < 1$) for the classes $P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ and $P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$. Further, it is shown that these classes are closed under "arithmetic mean" and "convex linear combinations".

2. Coefficient estimates

Theorem 1 If $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$ is analytic in U and satisfies $f(z_0) = z_0$.

Then $f \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ if and only if

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}\} |a_n| \leq (A-B)\beta(1-a). \quad (2.1)$$

The result is sharp.

Proof Since $f(z_0) = z_0$, we have

$$a_1 = 1 + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z_0^{n-1}. \quad (2.2)$$

Therefore, our theorem is proved if we show that $f \in P^*(A, B, k, a, \beta)$ if and only if

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) |a_n| \leq (A-B)\beta(1-a)a_1. \quad (2.3)$$

Suppose that the inequality (2.3) holds. Let $|z| = 1$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} & |f'(z) - a_1| = | [A + (B-A)a\beta]a_1 - [A + (B-A)\beta]f'(z) | \\ & = | - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| z^{n-1} | - | (A-B)\beta(1-a)a_1 + [A + (B-A)\beta] \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| z^{n-1} | \\ & \leq \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) |a_n|\} - (A-B)\beta(1-a)a_1 \leq 0. \end{aligned}$$

(since $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$, $-1 \leq B < 0$, $0 \leq a < 1$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$ and $(B-A)\beta < 0$).

Hence, by maximum modulus principle, $f \in P^*(A, B, k, a, \beta)$.

In order to prove the converse, let $f \in P^*(A, B, k, a, \beta)$. It follows, therefore, that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{f'(z) - a_1}{[A + (B-A)a\beta]a_1 - [A + (B-A)\beta]f'(z)} \right| \\ & = \left| \frac{- \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| z^{n-1}}{(A-B)\beta(1-a)a_1 + [A + (B-A)\beta] \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| z^{n-1}} \right| < 1, z \in U. \end{aligned}$$

Since $|Re(z)| < |z|$ for all z , we have

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| z^{n-1}}{(A-B)\beta(1-a)a_1 + [A + (B-A)\beta] \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| z^{n-1}} \right\} < 1.$$

Choose values of z on the real axis so that $f'(z)$ is real. Upon clearing the

denominator in this last inequality and letting $z \rightarrow 1$ through real values, we easily arrive at (2.3). The inequality (2.1) follows now by eliminating a_1 from (2.2) and (2.3).

Equality holds in (2.1) for the function

$$f(z) = \frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)z - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z^n}{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}} \quad (n = k, k+1, \dots),$$

and hence the result is sharp.

Corollary 1 Let $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$. If $f \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, then

$$|a_n| \leq \frac{(A-B)\beta(1-a)}{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}}.$$

Theorem 2 Let $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$. If f is regular in U and satisfies $f'(z_0) = 1$, then $f \in P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ if and only if

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n \{ (1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1} \} |a_n| \leq (A-B)\beta(1-a).$$

The result is sharp.

Proof Since $f'(z_0) = 1$, we have

$$a_1 = 1 + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| z_0^{n-1}. \quad (2.4)$$

Eliminating a_1 from (2.3) and (2.4) we get the required result.

Sharpness follows if we take

$$f(z) = \frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)z - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z^n}{n \{ (1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1} \}} \quad (n = k, k+1, \dots).$$

Corollary 2 Let $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$. If $f \in P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, then

$$|a_n| \leq \frac{(A-B)\beta(1-a)}{n \{ (1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1} \}}.$$

3. Distortion properties

Theorem 3 If $f \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ and $|z| = r$, then

$$ar - br^k \leq |f(z)| \leq ar + br^k \quad (3.1)$$

and

$$a - kbr^{k-1} \leq |f'(z)| \leq a + kbr^{k-1}, \quad (3.2)$$

where

$$a = \frac{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta)}{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}}$$

and

$$b = \frac{(A-B)\beta(1-a)}{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}}.$$

The result is sharp.

Proof Let $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$. Then, it follows from Theorem 1 that

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| \leq \frac{(A-B)\beta(1-a)}{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}} \quad (3.3)$$

and

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| \leq \frac{k(A-B)\beta(1-a)}{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}}. \quad (3.4)$$

Also, from the representation of $f(z)$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} |f(z)| &\leq a_1 r + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| r^n \leq a_1 r + r^k \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n|, \\ |f(z)| &\geq a_1 r - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| r^n \geq a_1 r - r^k \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| \\ |f(z)| &\leq a_1 + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| r^{n-1} \leq a_1 + r^{k-1} \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n|, \\ |f(z)| &\geq a_1 - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| r^{n-1} \geq a_1 - r^{k-1} \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n|. \end{aligned}$$

The required inequalities follow now by using (2.2), (3.3) and (3.4) in the above four inequalities.

To establish the sharpness of the result we take

$$f(z) = \frac{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta)z - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z^k}{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}}.$$

For this function, equality on the left hand side of (3.1) and (3.2) is attained at $z=r$, whereas, the equality on the right hand side is attained at $z=re^{k/(k-1)}$. Hence the result is sharp.

Letting $r \rightarrow 1$ in (3.1) we have the following:

Corollary 3 If $f \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, then the disc U is mapped by f onto a domain that contains the disc

$$|w| < \frac{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)}{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}}.$$

The result is sharp.

Theorem 4 If $f \in P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ and $|z|=r$, then

$$cr - dr^k \leq |f(z)| \leq cr + dr^k \quad (3.5)$$

and

$$c - dkr^{k-1} \leq |f'(z)| \leq c + dkr^{k-1}, \quad (3.6)$$

where

$$c = \frac{(1-A-(B-A)\beta)}{(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}}$$

and

$$d = \frac{(A-B)\beta(1-a)}{k\{(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}\}}.$$

The result is sharp.

Proof Let $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$. Then, it follows from Theorem 2 that

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| \leq \frac{(A-B)\beta(1-a)}{k\{(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}\}}$$

and

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| \leq \frac{(A-B)\beta(1-a)}{(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}}.$$

The required bounds for $|f(z)|$ and $|f'(z)|$ can be obtained now in the same way as obtained in the preceding theorem.

Equality in (3.5) and (3.6) is attained if we take

$$f(z) = \frac{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta)z - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z^k}{k\{(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}\}}.$$

Letting $r \rightarrow 1$ in (3.5) we have the following:

Corollary 4. If $f \in P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, then the disc U is mapped by f onto a domain that contains the disc

$$|w| \leq \frac{k(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)}{k\{(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{k-1}\}}.$$

The result is sharp.

4. Radius of convexity

In this section we determine the radius of convexity of order ρ ($0 < \rho < 1$) for the classes $P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ and $P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$.

Theorem 5 If $f \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ or $P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, then f is convex function of order ρ in the disc $|z| < R^*$, where

$$R^* = \inf_{n \geq k} \left[\frac{(1-A-(B-A)\beta)(1-\rho)}{(A-B)\beta(1-a)(n-\rho)} \right]^{\frac{1}{(n-1)}}$$

This result is sharp.

Proof In order to establish the theorem, it suffices to show that $\left| \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right|$

$< (1-\rho)$ holds in $|z| < R^*$.

Let $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right| &= \left| - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n(n-1) |a_n| z^{n-1} / (a_1 - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| z^{n-1}) \right| \\ &\leq \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n(n-1) |a_n| |z|^{n-1} / (a_1 - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_n| |z|^{n-1}). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $\left| \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right| < (1-\rho)$ holds if

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n(n-\rho) |a_n| |z|^{n-1} < (1-\rho)a_1. \quad (4.1)$$

when $f \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, using (2.2) we find that the inequality (4.1) is equivalent to

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [n(n-\rho) |z|^{n-1} - (1-\rho)z_0^{n-1}] |a_n| < (1-\rho). \quad (4.2)$$

But Theorem 1 ensures

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-\rho) \left\{ \frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)}{(A-B)\beta(1-a)} - z_0^{n-1} \right\} |a_n|] \leq (1-\rho).$$

Hence (4.2) holds if

$$\begin{aligned} & n(n-\rho) |z|^{n-1} - (1-\rho)z_0^{n-1} |a_n| < \\ & (1-\rho) \left\{ \frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)}{(A-B)\beta(1-a)} - z_0^{n-1} \right\} |a_n|, \text{ for each } n=k, k+1, \dots \end{aligned}$$

or if

$$|z| < \left[\frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)}{(A-B)\beta(1-a)} \cdot \left(\frac{1-\rho}{n-\rho} \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{(n-1)}} \text{ for each } n=k, k+1, \dots$$

Thus f is convex function of order ρ in $|z| < R^*$.

In other case when $f \in P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, using (2.4) we find

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [n(n-\rho) |z|^{n-1} - (1-\rho)z_0^{n-1}] |a_n| < (1-\rho). \quad (4.3)$$

Therefore, in view of Theorem 2, the inequality (4.3) holds if

$$\begin{aligned} & n(n-\rho) |z|^{n-1} - (1-\rho)z_0^{n-1} |a_n| < \\ & n(1-\rho) \left\{ \frac{(1-A-(B-A)\beta)}{(A-B)\beta(1-a)} - z_0^{n-1} \right\} |a_n|, \text{ for each } n=k+1, k+1, \dots \end{aligned}$$

or if

$$|z| < \left[\frac{(1-A-(B-A)\beta)}{(A-B)\beta(1-a)} \cdot \left(\frac{1-\rho}{n-\rho} \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{(n-1)}}, \text{ for each } n=k, k+1, \dots.$$

This completes the proof of the theorem.

Sharpness for the class $P_0(A, B, a, \beta, k, z_0)$ follows by taking

$$f(z) = \frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)z - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z^n}{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}},$$

whereas, for the class $P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, sharpness follows if we take

$$f(z) = \frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)z - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z^n}{n\{(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}\}}.$$

5. Closure properties

In this section we show that both the classes under consideration are clos-

ed under "arithmetic mean" and "convex linear combinations".

Theorem 6 Let $f_j(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{nj}| z^n$, $j = 1, 2, \dots$, and $h(z) = b_1 z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |b_n| z^n$,

where $b_1 = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \lambda_j a_{1j}$, $b_n = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \lambda_j a_{nj}$, ($n = k, k+1, \dots$), $\lambda_j \geq 0$ and $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \lambda_j = 1$. If $f_j \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ (or $P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$) for each $j = 1, 2, \dots$, then $h \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ (or $P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$).

Proof If $f_j \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$, then we get from Theorem 1 that

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}\} |a_{nj}| \leq (A-B)\beta(1-a), \quad j = 1, 2, \dots.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}\} |b_n| \\ & \leq \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [\{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}\} \{\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \lambda_j |a_{nj}|\}] \\ & \leq (A-B)\beta(1-a). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, by Theorem 1, $h \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$.

Similarly, by using Theorem 2, we can prove that $h \in P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ if $f_j \in P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ for each $j = 1, 2, \dots$.

Theorem 7 Let $f_1(z) = z$ and

$$f_n(z) = \frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)z - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z^n}{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}} \quad (n = k, k+1, \dots).$$

Then $f \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ if and only if it can be expressed in the form

$$f(z) = \lambda_1 f_1(z) + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n f_n(z),$$

where $\lambda_n \geq 0$ and $\lambda_1 + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n = 1$.

Proof Let us suppose that

$$f(z) = \lambda_1 f_1(z) + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n f_n(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n,$$

where

$$a_1 = \lambda_1 + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)\lambda_n}{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}}$$

and

$$|a_n| = \frac{(A-B)\beta(1-a)\lambda_n}{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}}, \quad (n = k, k+1, \dots).$$

Then it is easy to see that $f(z_0) = z_0$ and the condition (2.1) is satisfied. Hence

$f \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$.

Conversely, let $f \in P_0(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ and $f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$. Then, by

Corollary 1, we have

$$|a_n| \leq \frac{(A-B)\beta(1-a)}{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}}, \quad (n = k, k+1, \dots).$$

Setting

$$\lambda_n = \left[\frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}}{(A-B)\beta(1-a)} \right] |a_n|, \quad (n = k, k+1, \dots).$$

and

$$\lambda_1 = 1 - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n,$$

we have

$$f(z) = \lambda_1 f_1(z) + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n f_n(z).$$

The proof is completed now.

The following theorem can be proved on the lines of the proof of preceding theorem. We omit the details of its proof.

Theorem 8 Let $f_1(z) = z$ and

$$f_n(z) = \frac{n(1-A-(B-A)\beta)z - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z^n}{n\{(1-A-(B-A)\beta) - (A-B)\beta(1-a)z_0^{n-1}\}} \quad (n = k, k+1, \dots).$$

Then $f \in P_1(A, B, k, a, \beta, z_0)$ if and only if it can be expressed in the form

$$f(z) = \lambda_1 f_1(z) + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n f_n(z),$$

where $\lambda_n \geq 0$ and $\lambda_1 + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n = 1$.

Remarks

1. Putting $a = 0$ and $\beta = 1$ in the above results, we get the results obtained by Kumar and Shukla [3].

2. Putting $A = \beta$ and $B = \beta - 2\gamma$, $0 < \beta \leq 1$ and $\frac{1}{2} \leq \gamma \leq 1$ in the above results, we get the results obtained by Guqta and Ahmad [1].

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