

## Certain properties of the multivalent class of a second order inequality

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### Abstract

In this article, we define a class of multivalent function and calculate the necessary and sufficient condition for a function to be in such class. Using some relations among  $\frac{f(z)}{[z]^p}$ ,  $\frac{f'(z)}{[z]^p}$  and  $1 + \frac{f''(z)}{f'(z)}$ , we show that function in this family is convex.

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### 1. Introduction

We denote the open unit disc by

$$U = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}.$$

The set of functions

$$f: U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

analytic in the unit disc is denoted by  $\mathcal{H}(U)$ . For  $a \in \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . We denote and

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}[a, k] &= \{f(z) \in \mathcal{H}(U) : f(z) = a + a_k z^k + a_{k+1} z^{k+1} + \dots\}, \\ \mathcal{A}_k &= \{f(z) \in \mathcal{H}(U) : f(z) = z + a_{k+1} z^{k+1} + a_{k+2} z^{k+2} \dots\} \end{aligned} \quad (1.1)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_k(p) = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{H}(U) : f(z) = z^p + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} p^k a_k z^{k+p-1}, p \in \mathbb{N}, z \neq \frac{1}{p} \right\}$$

The subclass  $\mathcal{A}_k(p)$  was defined and studied by [1] and  $\mathcal{A}_k(1) = \mathcal{A}_k$ .

A function  $f$  in  $\mathcal{A}(p)$  is said to be  $p$ -valently convex in  $U$  if and only if

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$$\Re \left\{ 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right\} > 0 \tag{1.2}$$

and we denote the class of  $p$ -valently convex functions by  $C(p)$ .

Motivated by the work done by Kanas and Owa [4] with the expression

$$(1 - \alpha) \frac{f(z)}{z} + \alpha f'(z) + \beta z f''(z) < 1 + Mz, \tag{1.3}$$

where,

$$(f(z) \in A_k(1)), \quad \alpha \geq 1, \quad \alpha + 2\beta \geq 0, \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R},$$

in which they found some connections between certain second-order differential subordination and some subordination of the expressions:  $\frac{f(z)}{z}$ ,  $f'(z)$  and  $1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}$ . We define the class of analytic function  $\mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  which is different from

Kanas and Owa (1.3) expression.

The main aim of this article is to calculate the necessary and sufficient condition for a function  $f$  to be in the class  $\mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  and also estimate the coefficient

bound of  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  used the relations among

$\frac{f(z)}{[z]^p}$ ,  $\frac{f'(z)}{[z]^p}$  and  $1 + \frac{f''(z)}{f'(z)}$  to show that function  $f$  is in  $C(p)$ .

**Definition 1.1** Let  $\alpha, \beta$  be real numbers such that  $\alpha \geq 1, 0 < \beta < 1, \alpha > 2\beta p$  and  $f \in A_k(p)$ , we introduce a class of analytic function

$$\mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p) = \Re \left\{ \frac{\beta p(p-1)[f(z)]''}{[z^p]''} + \frac{[\alpha + 2\beta(1-p)]p[f(z)]'}{[z^p]'} + \frac{(p\beta - \alpha)(p-1)[f(z)]}{[z^p]} \right\} > \gamma, \tag{1.4}$$

where

$$z \in U, z \neq 0, p \in \mathbb{N}, \alpha \neq \gamma, 0 \leq \gamma < 1.$$

**Theorem 1.1** [2]  $p \in H[1, n]$  if and only if there is probability measure  $\{\mu\}$  on  $\chi$  such that  $p$

$$p(z) = \int_{\chi} \frac{1+xz}{1-xz} d\mu(x), (|z| < 1)$$

and  $\chi = \{x: |x| = 1\}$ . The correspondence between  $H[1, n]$  and the set of probability measure  $\{\mu\}$  on  $\chi$  given by [3] is one-to-one.

## 2. The necessary and sufficient condition of the functions in the Class

$$\mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$$

In this section we calculate the necessary and sufficient condition of the function  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  and also estimate its coefficient bounds.

**Theorem 2.1** Let  $f \in A(p)$  be at least twice differentiable and  $f \in$

$$\mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p) \text{ be as defined in (1.4).}$$

A function  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  if and only if  $f(z)$  can be expressed as

$$f(z) = z^p + (\alpha - \gamma) \int_{\chi} \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2x^k}{(k+1)(\alpha+k\beta)} z^{k+p} \right] d\mu(x), \tag{2.1}$$

where  $\{\mu\}$  is probability measure on  $\chi$  such that  $\chi = \{x: |x| = 1\}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f \in A(p)$  with  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$ . We set then by (1.4),

$$F(z) = \beta z 2\phi''(z) + [\alpha + 2\beta] z\phi'(z) + \alpha\phi(z) - \gamma > 0 \tag{2.3}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(z) &= \frac{f(z)}{z^p}, \\ \frac{F(z)}{\alpha - \gamma} &\in \mathcal{H}[1, k]. \end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

By Theorem 1.1

$$\frac{F(z)}{\alpha - \gamma} = \int_{\chi} \frac{1+xz}{z-x} d\mu(x) \tag{2.4}$$

Equation (2.4) is equivalent to

$$F(z) + \gamma = \beta z^2 \varphi''(z) + [\alpha + 2\beta] z \varphi'(z) + \alpha \varphi(z) \tag{2.5}$$

$$= \gamma + (\alpha - \gamma) \int_{\chi} \left( 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2x^k z^k \right) d\mu(x).$$

and (2.4) can also be represented as

$$F(z) + \gamma = [\beta z^2 \varphi''(z)]' - [\alpha z \varphi'(z)]' = \int_{\chi} \left\{ \alpha + (\alpha - \gamma) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2x^k z^k \right\} d\mu(x). \tag{2.5}$$

Integrating both side of (2.5) with respect to z from 0 to z, gives

$$z^2 \varphi'(z) + \frac{\alpha}{\beta} z \varphi(z) = \frac{1}{\beta} \int_{\chi} \left\{ \alpha z + (\alpha - \gamma) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2x^k}{k+1} z^{k+1} \right\} d\mu(x). \tag{2.6}$$

Multiply both sides of (2.6) by  $z^{\frac{\alpha-2\beta}{\beta}}$  and integrating both sides of the result with respect to z from 0 to z, to get

$$\varphi(z) = \int_{\chi} \left\{ 1 + (\alpha - \gamma) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2x^k}{(k+1)(\alpha + k\beta)} z^k \right\} d\mu(x). \tag{2.7}$$

Hence substituting (2.2) in (2.7) yields (2.1). The converse of this deduction process holds and this shows that

$$f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p).$$

**Corollary 2.2** Let  $f \in A(p)$  be at least twice differentiable and  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  be as defined in (1.4), then

$$|a_k| \leq (\alpha - \gamma) \left[ \frac{2\alpha}{(k+1)(\alpha + k\beta)} \right]. \tag{2.8}$$

Equality holds for the function  $f$  given by

$$f(z) = z^p + (\alpha - \gamma) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2\alpha}{(k+1)(\alpha + k\beta)} z^{k+p-1}. \tag{2.9}$$

### 3. The criterion for $p$ -convexity

In this section we use some analytic connections among  $\frac{f(z)}{[z^p]}$ ,  $\frac{f'(z)}{[z^{p-1}]}$  and  $1 + \frac{f''(z)}{f'(z)}$  to show the function  $f \in C(p)$ .

**Theorem 3.1** Let  $f \in A(p)$  be at least twice differentiable and  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  be as defined in (1.4). A function

$f'$  is in  $\mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  if and only if  $f'$  can be expressed as

$$f'(z) = pz^{p-1} + 2(\alpha - \gamma) \int_{\chi} \frac{(k+p)}{(k+1)(\alpha + k\beta)} x^k z^{k+p-1} d\mu(x), \tag{3.1}$$

where  $\{\mu\}$  is probability measure on  $\chi$  such that  $\chi = \{x: |x| = 1\}$ .

*Proof* Let  $f \in A(p)$  with  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$ . We set

$$\phi(z) = \frac{f'(z)}{[z^p]',} \tag{3.2}$$

then by (1.4)

$$G(z) = z\beta p\phi'(z) + p[\alpha + \beta(1 - p)]\phi(z) + \frac{(p\beta - \alpha)(p - 1)[f(z)]}{[z^p]} - \gamma > 0 \tag{3.3}$$

and

$$\frac{G(z)}{\alpha - \gamma} \in \mathcal{H}[1, k]. \tag{3.4}$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned} & \beta p \left[ z\phi(z) + \frac{[\alpha + \beta(1 - p)]}{\beta} \phi(z) \right] \\ &= p[\alpha + \beta(1 - p)] + 2(\alpha - \gamma) \int_x \frac{(k + p) [\beta(k + 1 - p) + \alpha]}{(k + 1)(\alpha + k\beta)} x^k z^k d\mu(x) \end{aligned} \tag{3.5}$$

(3.5)

Multiplying equation by  $z^{\frac{\alpha-\beta p}{\beta}}$  and integrating

both sides with respect to  $z$  from, 0 to  $z$  gives,

$$\phi(z) = 1 + 2(\alpha - \gamma) \int_x \frac{(k + p)}{p(k + 1)(\alpha + k\beta)} x^k z^k d\mu(x) \tag{3.6}$$

and simply calculations on (3.6) yields (3.1).

If (3.1) holds, reverse calculation shows that  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha,\beta,\gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$ .

**Theorem 3.2** Let  $f \in A(p)$  be at least twice differentiable and  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha,\beta,\gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  be as defined in (1.4), with  $\alpha \geq 1, 0 < \beta < 1, \alpha > 2\beta p$  then,  $f \in C(p)$ .

*Proof* Let  $f \in A(p)$  with  $f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha,\beta,\gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$ . We set

$$\begin{aligned} \vartheta(z) &= 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}, \tag{3.7} \\ h(z) &= \frac{\beta p(p - 1)f'(z)(\vartheta(z) - 1)}{z[z^p]''} + \frac{[\alpha + 2\beta(1 - p)]p[f(z)]'}{[z^p]'} + \frac{(p\beta - \alpha)(p - 1)[f(z)]}{[z^p]} - \gamma > 0 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\frac{h(z)}{\alpha - \gamma} \in \mathcal{H}[1, k] \tag{3.8}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{f'(z) [\beta\vartheta(z) - 2\beta p + \beta + \alpha]}{z^{p-1}} \\ &= p[\alpha + \beta(1 - p)] + 2(\alpha - \gamma) \int_x \frac{(k + p) [\beta(k + 1 - p) + \alpha]}{(k - 1)(k\beta + \alpha)} x^k z^k d\mu(x). \end{aligned} \tag{3.9}$$

Let

$$T(z) = \frac{f'(z) [\beta\vartheta(z) - 2\beta p + \beta + \alpha]}{z^{p-1}}$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Re} \left\{ z^{p-1} \frac{T(z)}{f'(z)} \right\} &= \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{[\beta\vartheta(z) - 2\beta p + \beta + \alpha]}{1} \right\} \\ &\geq \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{z^{p-1} f'(z)}{f'(z) z^{p-1}} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\frac{f'(z)}{z^{p-1}}$  is Equation (3.1) divided by  $z^{p-1}$ . Hence

$$\operatorname{Re}\{\vartheta(z)\} > 0.$$

Hence, Theorem 3.2 is proven.

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#### 4. Conclusion

In this article, we calculated the necessary and sufficient condition for

$f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$  and estimated the extreme functions of

$f \in \mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$ . We also showed that if  $f$  is in the family  $\mathcal{Q}_{(\alpha, \beta; \gamma)}^{(2)}(f(z), f'(z), f''(z); p)$ , then  $f \in C(p)$ .

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