



# On a certain subclass of analytic functions defined by a differential operator

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## Abstract

In this paper, we introduce and study a new subclass of analytic functions which are defined by means of a new differential operator. Some results connected to coefficient estimates, growth and distortion theorems, radii of starlikeness, convexity close-to-convexity and integral means inequalities related to the subclass is obtained.

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## 1. Introduction

Let A denote the class of functions u of the form

$$u(z) = z + \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} a_{\eta} z^{\eta} \quad (1.1)$$

which are analytic in the open unit disc  $E = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$

A function u in the class A is said to be in the class  $ST(\alpha)$  of starlike functions of order  $\alpha$  in E, if it satisfy the inequality

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{zu'(z)}{u(z)} \right\} > \alpha, \quad (0 \leq \alpha < 1), z \in E \quad (1.2)$$

Note that  $ST(0) = ST$  is the class of Starlike functions.

Denote by T the subclass of A consisting of functions u of the

form

$$u(z) = z - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} a_{\eta} z^{\eta}, \quad (a_{\eta} \geq 0) \quad (1.3)$$

This subclass was introduced and extensively studied by Silvermann[4].

Let u be a function in the class A. We define the following differential operator introduced by Deniz and Ozkan [1].

$$D_{\lambda}^0 u(z) = u(z)$$

$$D_{\lambda}^1 u(z) = D_{\lambda} u(z) = \lambda z^3 (u(z))^m + (2\lambda + 1)z^2 (u(z))^{\eta} + zu'(z)$$

$$D_{\lambda}^2 u(z) = D_{\lambda} (D_{\lambda}^1 u(z))$$

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$$D_{\lambda}^m u(z) = D_{\lambda} (D_{\lambda}^{m-1} u(z))$$

where  $\lambda \geq 0$  and  $m \in N_0 = N \cup \{0\}$ . If u is given by (1.1), then from the definition of the operator  $D_{\lambda}^m u(z)$ , it is to see that

$$D_{\lambda}^m u(z) = z + \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) a_{\eta} z^{\eta} \quad (1.4)$$

where

$$\phi^m(\lambda, \eta) = \eta^{2m} [\lambda(\eta - 1) + 1]^m \quad (1.5)$$

If  $u \in T$  is given by (1.2) then we have

$$D_\lambda^m u(z) = z - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) a_\eta z^\eta \tag{1.6}$$

where  $\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)$  is given by (1.5)

Now we define the following new subclass motivated by Murugusunderamoorthy and Magesh [3]

**Definition 1.1.** The function  $u(z)$  of the form (1.1) is in the class  $S_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ , if it satisfies the inequality

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{z(D_\lambda^m u(z))'}{(1-\mu)z + \mu D_\lambda^m u(z)} - \alpha \right\} > \left| \frac{z(D_\lambda^m u(z))'}{(1-\mu)z + \mu D_\lambda^m u(z)} - 1 \right|$$

for  $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1, 0 \leq \gamma \leq 1$

Further we define  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma) = S_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma) \cap T$

The aim of present paper is to study the coefficient bounds, radii of close-to-convex and starlikeness convex linear combinations and integral means inequalities of the  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$

## 2. Coefficient bounds

**Theorem 2.1.** A function  $u(z)$  of the form (1.1) is in  $S_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ , then

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} [2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) |a_\eta| \leq 1 - \gamma \tag{2.1}$$

where  $0 \leq \mu \leq 1, 0 \leq \gamma \leq 1$  and  $\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)$  is given by (1.5)

*Proof.* It suffices to show that

$$\left| \frac{z(D_\lambda^m u(z))'}{(1-\mu)z + \mu D_\lambda^m u(z)} - 1 \right| - \Re \left\{ \frac{z(D_\lambda^m u(z))'}{(1-\mu)z + \mu D_\lambda^m u(z)} - 1 \right\} \leq 1 - \gamma$$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{z(D_\lambda^m u(z))'}{(1-\mu)z + \mu D_\lambda^m u(z)} - 1 \right| - \Re \left\{ \frac{z(D_\lambda^m u(z))'}{(1-\mu)z + \mu D_\lambda^m u(z)} - 1 \right\} \\ & \leq 2 \left| \frac{z(D_\lambda^m u(z))'}{(1-\mu)z + \mu D_\lambda^m u(z)} - 1 \right| \\ & \leq \frac{2 \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} (\eta - \mu) \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) |a_\eta| |z|^{\eta-1}}{1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \mu \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) |a_\eta| |z|^{\eta-1}} \\ & \leq \frac{2 \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} (\eta - \mu) \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) |a_\eta|}{1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \mu \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) |a_\eta|} \end{aligned}$$

The last expression is bounded above by  $(1 - \gamma)$ , if

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} [2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) |a_\eta| \leq 1 - \gamma$$

and the proof is complete. □

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $0 \leq \mu \leq 1, 0 \leq \gamma \leq 1$ , then a function  $u$  of the form (1.3) to be in the class  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$  if and only if

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} [2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) |a_\eta| \leq 1 - \gamma \tag{2.2}$$

where  $\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)$  is given by (1.5)

*Proof.* In view of Theorem (2.1) we need only to prove the necessity. If  $u \in TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$  and  $z$  is real, then

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \eta \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) a_\eta z^{\eta-1}}{1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \mu \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) a_\eta z^{\eta-1}} - \gamma \right\} > \left| \frac{\sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} (\eta - \mu) \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) a_\eta z^{\eta-1}}{1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \mu \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) a_\eta z^{\eta-1}} \right|$$

Letting  $z \rightarrow 1$  along the real axis, we obtain the desired inequality

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} [2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) |a_\eta| \leq 1 - \gamma$$

where  $0 \leq \mu \leq 1, 0 \leq \gamma \leq 1$  and  $\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)$  is given by (1.5) □

**Corollary 2.3.** If  $u(z) \in TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ , then

$$|a_\eta| \leq \frac{1 - \gamma}{[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta)} \tag{2.3}$$

where  $0 \leq \mu \leq 1, 0 \leq \gamma \leq 1$  and  $\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)$  is given by (1.5). Equality holds for the function

$$u(z) = z - \frac{1 - \gamma}{[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta)} z^\eta \tag{2.4}$$

**Theorem 2.4.** Let  $u_1(z) = z$  and

$$u_\eta(z) = z - \frac{1 - \gamma}{[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta)} z^\eta, \quad \eta \geq 2 \tag{2.5}$$

Then  $u(z) \in TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ , if and only if, it can be expressed in the form

$$u(z) = \sum_{\eta=1}^{\infty} w_\eta u_\eta(z), \quad w_\eta \geq 0, \quad \sum_{\eta=1}^{\infty} w_\eta = 1 \tag{2.6}$$

*Proof.* Suppose  $u(z)$  can be written as in (2.6), then

$$u(z) = z - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} w_\eta \frac{1 - \gamma}{[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta)} z^\eta$$

Now,

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} w_\eta \frac{(1 - \gamma)[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{(1 - \gamma)[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)] \phi^m(\lambda, \eta)} = \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} w_\eta$$

$$= 1 - w_1 \leq 1$$



Thus  $u(z) \in TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ .

Conversely, let  $u(z) \in TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ , then by using (2.3), we get

$$w_\eta = \frac{[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{(1 - \gamma)} a_\eta, \quad \eta \geq 2$$

and  $w_1 = 1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty w_\eta$ . Then we have  $u(z) = \sum_{\eta=1}^\infty w_\eta u_\eta(z)$  and hence this completes the proof of Theorem.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.5.** *The class  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$  is a convex set.*

*Proof.* Let the function

$$u_j(z) = z - \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty a_{\eta,j} z^\eta, \quad a_{\eta,j} \geq 0, \quad j = 1, 2 \quad (2.7)$$

be in the class  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ . It is sufficient to show that the function  $h(z)$  defined by

$$h(z) = \xi u_1(z) + (1 - \xi)u_2(z), \quad 0 \leq \xi < 1,$$

in the class  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ . Since

$$h(z) = z - \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty [\xi a_{\eta,1} + (1 - \xi)a_{\eta,2}]z^\eta,$$

An easy computation with the aid of Theorem (2.2) gives

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty [2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\xi \phi^m(\lambda, \eta) a_{\eta,1} + \\ & \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty [2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)](1 - \xi)\phi^m(\lambda, \eta) a_{\eta,2} \\ & \leq \xi(1 - \gamma) + (1 - \xi)(1 - \gamma) \\ & \leq (1 - \gamma) \end{aligned}$$

which implies that  $h \in TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$

Hence  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$  is convex.  $\square$

### 3. Radii of Close-to-Convexity, Starlikeness and Convexity

In this section, we obtain the radii of close-to-convexity, starlikeness and convexity for the class  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let the function  $u(z)$  defined by (1.3) belong to the class  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ , then  $u(z)$  is close-to-convex of order  $\delta$  ( $0 \leq \delta < 1$ ) in the disc  $|z| < r_1$ , where*

$$r_1 = \inf_{\eta \geq 2} \left[ \frac{(1 - \delta) \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty [2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{\eta(1 - \gamma)} \right]^{1/\eta-1}, \quad \eta \geq 2 \quad (3.1)$$

The result is sharp, with the external function  $u(z)$  is given by (2.5)

*Proof.* Given  $u \in T$  and  $u$  is close-to-convex of order  $\delta$ , we have

$$|f'(z) - 1| < 1 - \delta \quad (3.2)$$

For the left hand side of (3.2), we have

$$|u'(z) - 1| \leq \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty \eta a_\eta |z|^{\eta-1}$$

The last expression is less than  $1 - \delta$

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^\infty \frac{\eta}{1 - \delta} a_\eta |z|^{\eta-1} \leq 1$$

Using the fact, that  $u(z) \in TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$  if and only if

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^\infty \frac{[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{1 - \gamma} a_\eta \leq 1$$

We can see that (3.2) is true, if

$$\frac{\eta}{1 - \delta} |z|^{\eta-1} \leq \frac{[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{1 - \gamma}$$

or, equivalently

$$|z| \leq \left\{ \frac{(1 - \delta)[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{\eta(1 - \gamma)} \right\}^{1/\eta-1}$$

which completes the proof.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let the function  $u(z)$  defined by (1.3) belong to the class  $TS_\lambda^m(\mu, \gamma)$ . Then  $u(z)$  is starlike of order  $\delta$  ( $0 \leq \delta < 1$ ) in the disc  $|z| < r_2$ , where*

$$r_2 = \inf_{\eta \geq 2} \left[ \frac{(1 - \delta) \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty [2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{(\eta - \delta)(1 - \gamma)} \right]^{1/\eta-1} \quad (3.3)$$

The result is sharp, with external function  $u(z)$  is given by (2.5)

*Proof.* Given  $u \in T$  and  $u$  is starlike of order  $\delta$ , we have

$$\left| \frac{zu'(z)}{u(z)} - 1 \right| < 1 - \delta \quad (3.4)$$

For the left hand side of (3.4), we have

$$\left| \frac{zu'(z)}{u(z)} - 1 \right| \leq \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty \frac{(\eta - 1)a_\eta |z|^{\eta-1}}{1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^\infty a_\eta |z|^{\eta-1}}$$

The last expression is less than  $1 - \delta$  if

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^\infty \frac{\eta - \delta}{1 - \delta} a_\eta |z|^{\eta-1} < 1$$



Using the fact that  $u(z) \in TS_{\lambda}^m(\mu, \gamma)$  if and only if

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \frac{[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{1 - \gamma} a_{\eta} \leq 1$$

We can say (3.4) is true, if

$$\sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \frac{\eta - \delta}{1 - \delta} |z|^{\eta-1} \leq \frac{[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{1 - \gamma}$$

or equivalently

$$|z|^{\eta-1} \leq \frac{(1 - \delta)[2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)}{(\eta - \delta)(1 - \gamma)}$$

which yields the starlikeness of the family. □

### 4. Integral Means Inequalities

In [4], Silverman found that the function  $u_2(z) = z - \frac{z^2}{2}$  is often extremal over the family T. He applied this function to resolve his integral means inequality conjectured [5] and setted in [6], that

$$\int_0^{2\pi} |u(re^{i\phi})|^{\tau} d\phi \leq \int_0^{2\pi} |u_2(re^{i\phi})|^{\tau} d\phi$$

for all  $u \in T$ ,  $\tau > 0$  and  $0 < r < 1$ . In [6], he also proved his conjecture for the subclasses  $T^*(\alpha)$  and  $C(\alpha)$  of T.

Now, we prove Silverman’s conjecture for the class of functions  $TS_{\lambda}^m(\mu, \gamma)$

We need the concept of subordination between analytic functions and a subordination theorem of Littlewood [2].

Two functions  $u$  and  $v$ , which are analytic in E, the function  $u$  is said to be subordinate to  $v$  in E, if there exists a function  $w$  analytic in E with  $w(0) = 0$ ,  $|w(z)| < 1$ , ( $z \in E$ ) such that  $u(z) = v(w(z))$ , ( $z \in E$ ). We denote this subordination by  $u(z) \prec v(z)$ . ( $\prec$  denote subordination)

**Lemma 4.1.** *If the function  $u$  and  $v$  are analytic in E with  $u(z) \prec v(z)$ , then for  $\tau > 0$  and  $z = re^{i\phi}$ ,  $0 < r < 1$*

$$\int_0^{2\pi} |v(re^{i\phi})|^{\tau} d\phi \leq \int_0^{2\pi} |u(re^{i\phi})|^{\tau} d\phi$$

Now, we discuss the integral means inequalities for functions  $u$  in  $TS_{\lambda}^m(\mu, \gamma)$

**Theorem 4.2.**  *$u \in TS_{\lambda}^m(\mu, \gamma)$ ,  $0 \leq \mu < 1$ ,  $0 \leq \gamma < 1$  and  $u_2(z)$  be defined by*

$$u_2(z) = z - \frac{1 - \gamma}{\phi_2(\lambda, \gamma)} z^2 \tag{4.1}$$

*Proof.* For  $u(z) = z - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} a_{\eta} z^{\eta}$ , (4.1) is equivalent to

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \left| 1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} a_{\eta} z^{\eta-1} \right|^{\tau} d\phi \leq \int_0^{2\pi} \left| 1 - \frac{1 - \gamma}{\phi_2(\lambda, \gamma)} z \right|^{\tau} d\phi$$

By Lemma (4.1), it is enough to prove that

$$1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} a_{\eta} z^{\eta-1} \prec 1 - \frac{1 - \gamma}{\phi_2(\lambda, \gamma)} z,$$

Assuming

$$1 - \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} a_{\eta} z^{\eta-1} \prec 1 - \frac{1 - \gamma}{\phi_2(\lambda, \gamma)} w(z),$$

and using (2.2), we obtain

$$|w(z)| = \left| \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \frac{\phi_2(\lambda, \gamma)}{1 - \gamma} a_{\eta} z^{\eta-1} \right| \leq |z| \sum_{\eta=2}^{\infty} \frac{\phi_2(\lambda, \gamma)}{1 - \gamma} a_{\eta} \leq |z|$$

where

$$\phi_{\eta}(\lambda, \gamma) = [2\eta - \mu(\gamma + 1)]\phi^m(\lambda, \eta)$$

This completes the proof □

### 5. Conclusion

This research has introduced a new linear differential operator related to Analytic function and studied some basic properties of geometric function theory . Accordingly, some results related to closure theorems have also been considered, inviting future research for this field of study.

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