

ON A CERTAIN CLASS OF UNIFORMLY CONVEX UNIVALENT FUNCTIONS USING RUSCHEWEYGH DIFFERENTIAL OPERATOR

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Abstract: In this paper, using Ruscheweygh differential operator, we have introduce new class of univalent uniformly convex functions in the unit disc $D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ and obtain the coefficient bounds, extreme bounds and radius of starlikeness for the functions belonging to this generalized class. The various results obtained in this paper are sharp.

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Introduction: Let S be the class of analytic functions defined on the open unit disk $D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ and normalized by the conditions $f(0) = 0$ and $f'(0) = 1$. A function $f \in S$ has Taylor's series expansion of the form $f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ (1.1) G.Murugusundaramoorthy[8], Goodman [9],[10] and Ronning [11], [12] have studied the following subclasses.

1. A function $f(z) \in S$ is said to be in the class $S(\alpha, \beta)$ of uniformly β starlike function if it satisfies the condition $\text{Re}\left\{1 + \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} - \alpha\right\} > \beta \left|\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1\right|$ (1.2) where $-1 < \alpha \leq 1$ and $\beta \geq 0$.
2. A function $f(z) \in S$ is said to be in the class $UCV(\alpha, \beta)$ of uniformly convex function if it satisfies the condition $\text{Re}\left\{1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} - \alpha\right\} > \beta \left|\frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} - 1\right|$ (1.3)

It follows from (1.2) and (1.3) that $f(z) \in UCV(\alpha, \beta)$ is equivalent to $zf'(z) \in S(\alpha, \beta)$

Given two functions $f, g \in S$, where $f(z)$ is given by (1.1) and $g(z)$ is given by

$$g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n z^n \quad (1.4)$$

The Hadamard product of f and g , denoted by f^*g and is defined by

$$f^*g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n b_n z^n \quad (1.5)$$

The Ruscheweygh derivative of order k is denoted by $D^k f$ and is defined as follows: If

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \text{ then}$$

$$D^k f(z) = \frac{z}{(1-z)^{k+1}} * f(z), \text{ where } * \text{ denotes the Hadamard}$$

product of two analytic functions

We have,

$$D^k f(z) = \frac{z}{(1-z)^{k+1}} * f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k) a_n z^n, \quad k > -1, z \in D,$$

where,

$$B_n(k) = \frac{(k+1)(k+2)\dots(k+n-1)}{(n-1)!}$$

Let

$$D^*(\alpha, \beta) = \left\{ f(z) \in S : \left| \frac{\frac{z(D^k f(z))' - 1}{D^k f(z)}}{\frac{\beta z(D^k f(z))' - \alpha}{D^k f(z)}} \right| < \mu \right\} \quad (1.6)$$

where, $-1 \leq \beta \leq \alpha \leq 1, 0 < \mu \leq 1$ and $D^k f$ represents Ruscheweygh derivative of order k .

Let T denote the subclass of A consisting of functions of the form

$$f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n \quad (a_n \geq 0). \quad (1.7)$$

Let $D^{**}(\alpha, \beta) = D^*(\alpha, \beta) \cap T$.

Properties of the class $D^*(\alpha, \beta)$:

Theorem 2.1: A function f defined by (1.1) is in the class $D^*(\alpha, \beta)$ if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]|a_n| < \mu(\beta - \alpha) \quad (2.1)$$

Proof: Let $|z| = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Since } \left| \frac{\frac{z(D^k f(z))' - 1}{D^k f(z)}}{\frac{\beta z(D^k f(z))' - \alpha}{D^k f(z)}} \right| &= \left| \frac{z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n B_n(k) a_n z^n - 1}{z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k) a_n z^n} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1) B_n(k) a_n z^n}{(\beta - \alpha)z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n\beta - \alpha) B_n(k) a_n z^n} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1) B_n(k) |a_n| |z|^n}{(\beta - \alpha)|z| - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n\beta - \alpha) B_n(k) |a_n| |z|^n} \\ &\leq \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1) B_n(k) |a_n|}{(\beta - \alpha) - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n\beta - \alpha) B_n(k) |a_n|} \quad (2.2) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, if $f(z)$ satisfies the inequality (2.1), then the inequality (2.2) is less than μ and hence by maximum modulus theorem $f(z) \in D^*(\alpha, \beta)$.

Theorem 2.2: A function f is in the class $D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$ if and only if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]|a_n| \leq \mu(\beta - \alpha) \quad (2.1)$$

Proof: In view of theorem (2.1), we need only to prove the necessary part.

If $f(z) \in D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$ then,

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{\frac{z(D^k f(z))' - 1}{D^k f(z)}}{\frac{\beta z(D^k f(z))' - \alpha}{D^k f(z)}} \right| &< \mu \\ \text{i.e. } \left| \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1) B_n(k) a_n z^n}{(\beta - \alpha)z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n\beta - \alpha) B_n(k) a_n z^n} \right| &< \mu \end{aligned}$$

Since $|\text{Re}\{z\}| \leq |z|$, we have

$$\text{Re} \left\{ \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n B_n(k) a_n z^{n-1}}{(\beta - \alpha)z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n\beta - \alpha) B_n(k) a_n z^n} \right\} < \mu$$

The above condition must hold for all values of $z; |z| = r < 1$.

Upon choosing the value of z to be real and letting $z \rightarrow 1^-$, we get

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]|a_n| \leq \mu(\beta - \alpha)$$

Corollary 2.1: If $f(z) \in D^*(\alpha, \beta)$

$$|a_n| \leq \frac{\mu(\beta - \alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]} \quad (n = 2, 3, \dots).$$

Proof: By theorem (2.1) , if $f(z) \in D^*(\alpha, \beta)$ then $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)]|a_n| \leq \mu(\beta-\alpha)$.
 $\Rightarrow |a_n| \leq \frac{\mu(\beta-\alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1)+\mu(n\beta-\alpha)]}$ (n=2,3,...).

Theorem: 2.3 Let $f(z)$ defined by (1.1) and $g(z)$ defined by (1.2) be in the class $D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$. Then the function $h(z) = \xi f(z) + (1-\xi)g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_n z^n$, where $c_n = \xi a_n + (1-\xi)b_n$, ($0 \leq \xi \leq 1$) belongs to the class $D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$.

Proof: Since $f(z)$ and $g(z) \in D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$, we have $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)]|a_n| \leq \mu(\beta-\alpha)$ and $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)]|b_n| \leq \mu(\beta-\alpha)$.
 Clearly, $h(z) = \xi f(z) + (1-\xi)g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_n z^n$, where $c_n = \xi a_n + (1-\xi)b_n$.
 Consider

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)]|c_n| \\ &= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)]|\xi a_n + (1-\xi)b_n| \\ &\leq \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)]|a_n|\xi + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)]|b_n|(1-\xi) \\ &\leq \mu(\beta-\alpha)\xi + \mu(\beta-\alpha)(1-\xi) = \mu(\beta-\alpha) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $h(z) \in D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$. Thus the set $D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$ is closed under convex linear combination.

Theorem 2.4(Extreme Points).

Let $f_1(z) = z$ and for $n=2,3, 4, \dots$

$$f_n(z) = z - \frac{\mu(\beta-\alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1)+\mu(n\beta-\alpha)]} z^n.$$

Then $f(z) \in D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$ if and only if $f(z)$ can be expressed as $f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \xi_n f_n(z)$ where $\xi_n \geq 0$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \xi_n = 1$.

Proof: Suppose that $f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \xi_n f_n(z)$, then

$$f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\mu(\beta-\alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1)+\mu(n\beta-\alpha)]} \xi_n z^n$$

$= z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_n z^n$, where,

$$c_n = \frac{\mu(\beta-\alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)]} \xi_n$$

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)]c_n \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)] * \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[\frac{\mu(\beta-\alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1)+\mu(n\beta-\alpha)]} \right].$$

$$= \mu(\beta-\alpha) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \xi_n \leq \mu(\beta-\alpha),$$

Since $0 \leq \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \xi_n \leq 1$.

Hence $f(z) \in D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$.

Conversely, suppose that

$$f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n \in D^{**}(\alpha, \beta).$$

Therefore we have by corollary (2.1)

$$a_n \leq \frac{\mu(\beta-\alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1)+\mu(n\beta-\alpha)]}$$

Setting $\xi_n = \frac{B_n(k)[(n-1)+\mu(n\beta-\alpha)]}{\mu(\beta-\alpha)} a_n$ for

$n=2,3,4,5,\dots$ and $\xi_1 = 1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \xi_n$

We see that $\xi_n \geq 0$, for $n=2,3,\dots$ and

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \xi_n = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{B_n(k)[(n-1)+\mu(n\beta-\alpha)]}{\mu(\beta-\alpha)} a_n \leq 1,$$

since $f(z) \in D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$.

$\xi_1 = 1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \xi_n \geq 0$. Thus $\xi_n \geq 0$ for

$n=1, 2, 3,\dots$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \xi_n = 1$

Now $f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n$

$$= z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\mu(\beta-\alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1)+\mu(n\beta-\alpha)]} z^n \xi_n$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \xi_n f_n(z).$$

Hence the proof.

Closure Theorem:

Theorem 3.1: Let the function f_i defined by

$f_i(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_{n,i} z^n (a_{n,i} \geq 0)$ be in the class $D^{**}(\alpha_i, \beta_i)$ where $-1 \leq \beta_i \leq \alpha_i \leq 1$

for each $i=1,2,\dots,m$.

Then the function h defined by

$$h(z) = z - \frac{1}{m} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (\sum_{i=1}^m a_{n,i}) z^n$$

is in the class $D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$ where $\alpha = \min_{1 \leq i \leq m} \{\alpha_i\}$ and $\beta = \max_{1 \leq i \leq m} \{\beta_i\}$ (2.3)

Proof: Since $f_i(z) \in D^{**}(\alpha_i, \beta_i)$

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta_i - \alpha_i)]|a_{n,i}| \leq \mu(\beta_i - \alpha_i).$$

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta_i - \alpha_i)] \left| \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m a_{n,i} \right| \\ &= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta_i - \alpha_i)] |a_{n,i}|) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \mu(\beta_i - \alpha_i) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \mu(\beta - \alpha) = \mu(\beta - \alpha). \end{aligned}$$

Hence by Theorem 2.2, we have

$h(z) \in D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$, where α and β is given by (2.3).

This completes the proof of the theorem.

Next we prove the theorem for the radius of starlikeness and convexity.

Radius of Starlikeness and Convexity:

Theorem 4.1

Let $f(z) \in D^{**}(\alpha, \beta)$ Then

$f(z)$ is starlike of order δ ($0 \leq \delta < 1$) in the disc $|z| \leq r$, where

$$r = \inf_{n \geq 2} \left\{ \frac{(n-1)a_n z^n + \mu(n\beta-\alpha)(2-1-\delta)B_n(k)}{\mu(\beta-\alpha)(2-n-\delta)} \right\}^{\frac{1}{n-1}}$$

The results are sharp for the function

$$f(z) = z - \frac{\mu(\beta - \alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]} z^n$$

(n = 2, 3, ...)

Proof: If a function f(z) is starlike of order δ (0 ≤ δ < 1), then we have $\text{Re} \left\{ \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right\} > \delta$.

That is $\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right| < 1 - \delta$.

Now $\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right| \leq \left| \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1)a_n z^n}{z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n} \right| < 1 - \delta$

⇒ $|\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1)a_n z^n| < (1 - \delta) \times |z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n|$.

Hence $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(2-n-\delta)}{1-\delta} a_n |z|^{n-1} < 1$

We note that f(z) ∈ D^{**}(α, β) if and only if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]|a_n|}{\mu(\beta - \alpha)} < 1$$

Hence we get

$$\frac{(2-n-\delta)}{1-\delta} |z|^{n-1} < \frac{B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]}{\mu(\beta - \alpha)}$$

Thus $|z| \leq r = \inf_{n \geq 2} \left\{ \frac{(n-1)a_n z^n + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)[(2-1-\delta)B_n(k)]}{\mu(\beta - \alpha)(2-n-\delta)} \right\}^{\frac{1}{n-1}}$

for n=2,3,4,... which proves starlikeness of family.

Theorem 4.2

Let f(z) ∈ D^{**}(α, β)

Then f(z) is convex of order (0 ≤ δ < 1) in the disc

$|z| \leq r$, where

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$$r = \inf_{n \geq 2} \left\{ \frac{(n-1)a_n z^n + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)[(2-1-\delta)B_n(k)]}{n\mu(\beta - \alpha)(2-n-\delta)} \right\}^{\frac{1}{n-1}}$$

The results are sharp for the function

$$f(z) = z - \frac{\mu(\beta - \alpha)}{B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]} z^n$$

(n = 2,3, ...)

Proof: A function f(z) is convex of order δ (0 ≤ δ < 1) if

and only if $\text{Re} \left\{ 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right\} > \delta$ that is $\left| \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right| < 1 - \delta$

Thus $\left| \frac{-\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n-1)a_n z^{n-1}}{z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n} \right| < 1 - \delta$

That is $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n(2-n-\delta)}{1-\delta} a_n |z|^{n-1} < 1$

We note that f(z) ∈ D^{**}(α, β) if and only if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]|a_n|}{\mu(\beta - \alpha)} < 1$$

Hence we get

$$\frac{n(2-n-\delta)}{1-\delta} |z|^{n-1} < \frac{B_n(k)[(n-1) + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)]}{\mu(\beta - \alpha)}$$

Thus

$|z| \leq r = \inf_{n \geq 2} \left\{ \frac{(n-1)a_n z^n + \mu(n\beta - \alpha)[(2-1-\delta)B_n(k)]}{n\mu(\beta - \alpha)(2-n-\delta)} \right\}^{\frac{1}{n-1}}$ for

n = 2, 3, 4, ... which proves the convex property of the family.

Conclusion: This paper gives the some geometric properties of some subclass of univalent functions.

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