

## ON CERTAIN BAZILEVIC FUNCTIONS OF ORDER $\beta$

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### 1. Introduction.

Let  $\mathcal{A}(p, n)$  be the class of the functions of the form

$$(1.1) \quad f(z) = z^p + \sum_{k=n}^{\infty} a_{p+k} z^{p+k} \quad (n \in \{1, 2, 3, \dots\})$$

which are analytic in the unit disk  $U = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ .

A function  $f(z)$  belonging to  $\mathcal{A}(p, n)$  is said to be  $p$ -valently starlike of order  $\beta$  if it satisfies

$$(1.2) \quad \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right) > \beta$$

for some  $\beta (0 \leq \beta < p)$  and for all  $z \in U$ . We denote by  $\mathcal{S}^*(p, n, \beta)$  the subclass of  $\mathcal{A}(p, n)$  consisting of functions which are  $p$ -valently starlike of order  $\beta$ .

A function  $f(z)$  in  $\mathcal{A}(p, n)$  is said to be in the subclass  $\mathcal{B}(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$  of Bazilevič function class if it satisfies

$$(1.3) \quad \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{zf'(z)f(z)^{\alpha-1}}{g(z)^\alpha} \right) > \beta$$

for some  $\alpha (0 < \alpha)$  and  $\beta (0 \leq \beta < p)$ ,  $g(z) \in \mathcal{S}^*(p, n, 0)$  and for all  $z \in U$ . Further, let  $\mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$  be the subclass of  $\mathcal{B}(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$  for  $g(z) = z^p \in \mathcal{S}^*(p, 1, 0)$ .

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**REMARK.** 1.  $B_1(1, \alpha, \beta) = \mathcal{B}_1(1, 1, \alpha, \beta)$  were introduced and studied by Owa and Obradović ([4]) and  $B_1(1, \alpha, 0) = \mathcal{B}_1(1, 1, \alpha, 0)$  by Singh ([6]).

2.  $B(n, \alpha, \beta) = \mathcal{B}_1(1, n, \alpha, \beta)$  by Ponnusamy ([5]),  $B_1(p, \alpha, \beta) = \mathcal{B}_1(p, 1, \alpha, \beta)$  by Owa([3]) and  $B(1, 0) = \mathcal{B}_1(1, n, 1, 0), B(2, 0) = (1, n, 2, 0)$  by Cho([1]).

## 2. The Class $\mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$ .

In order to obtain our main result, we recall the following lemmas due to Owa([3]).

**LEMMA 1.** If  $f(z) \in B_1(n, \alpha, \beta) = \mathcal{B}_1(1, n, \alpha, \beta)$ , then

$$(2. 1) \quad \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f(z)}{z} \right)^\alpha > \frac{n + 2\alpha\beta}{n + 2\alpha} \quad (z \in U).$$

**LEMMA 2.** If  $f(z) \in B_1(n, \alpha, \beta) = \mathcal{B}_1(1, n, \alpha, \beta)$ , then

$$(2. 2) \quad \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f(z)}{z} \right)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} > \frac{n + \sqrt{n^2 + 4\alpha\beta(n + \alpha)}}{2(n + \alpha)} \quad (z \in U).$$

Using the above Lemma 1, we prove the following theorem.

**THEOREM 1.** Let  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$  with  $\alpha > 0$  and  $0 \leq \beta < p$ , then

$$(2. 3) \quad \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f(z)}{z^p} \right)^\alpha > \frac{n + 2\alpha\beta}{n + 2p\alpha} \quad (z \in U).$$

*Proof.* We define the function  $h(z)$  by  $h(z)^p = f(z)$  for  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$ . Then we have

$$(2. 4) \quad \frac{zf'(z)f(z)^{\alpha-1}}{z^{p\alpha}} = p \frac{zh'(z)h(z)^{p\alpha-1}}{z^{p\alpha}}$$

Since  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$  if and only if  $\operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{zf'(z)f(z)^{\alpha-1}}{z^{p\alpha}} \right) > \beta$ , from (2. 4) we get

$$(2. 5) \quad \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{zh'(z)h(z)^{p\alpha-1}}{z^{p\alpha}} \right) > \frac{\beta}{p}.$$

Thus  $h(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(1, n, p\alpha, \frac{\beta}{p})$ . By Lemma 1,

$$(2.6) \quad \begin{aligned} Re \left( \frac{f(z)}{z^p} \right)^\alpha &= Re \left( \frac{h(z)}{z} \right)^{p\alpha} \\ &> \frac{n + 2\alpha\beta}{n + 2p\alpha}. \end{aligned}$$

Letting  $n = 1$  in Theorem 1, we have

**COROLLARY 1 ([2]).** If  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}(p, \alpha, \beta) = \mathcal{B}_1(p, 1, \alpha, \beta)$  with  $\alpha > 0$  and  $0 \leq \beta < p$ , then

$$(2.7) \quad Re \left( \frac{f(z)}{z^p} \right)^\alpha > \frac{1 + 2\alpha\beta}{1 + 2p\alpha} \quad (z \in U).$$

Letting  $p = 1, n = 1$  in Theorem 1, we get

**COROLLARY 2 ([4]).**  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(1, \alpha, \beta) = \mathcal{B}_1(1, 1, \alpha, \beta)$  ( $\alpha > 0, 0 \leq \beta < p$ ) then

$$(2.8) \quad Re \left( \frac{f(z)}{z} \right)^\alpha > \frac{1 + 2\alpha\beta}{1 + 2\alpha} \quad (z \in U).$$

Letting  $p = 1, \alpha = 1$  in Theorem 1, we have

**COROLLARY 3.** If  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}(n) = \mathcal{A}(1, n)$  with  $Re f'(z) > \beta$ , then

$$(2.9) \quad Re \left( \frac{f(z)}{z} \right) > \frac{n + 2\beta}{n + 2} \quad (z \in U).$$

**REMARK.** If we take  $\beta = 0$  in Corollary 3, we have the Theorem 2 by Cho ([1]).

Using the above Lemma 2, we have the following

**THEOREM 2.** Let  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$  with  $\alpha > 0$  and  $0 \leq \beta < p$ , then

$$(2.10) \quad \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f(z)}{z^p} \right)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} > \frac{n + \sqrt{n^2 + 4p\alpha\beta(n + p\alpha)}}{2(n + p\alpha)} \quad (z \in U).$$

*Proof.* We define the function  $h(z)^p = f(z)$  for  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$  as Theorem 1. Then we have

$$h(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(1, n, p\alpha, \frac{\beta}{p}).$$

By Lemma 2, we have

(2.11)

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f(z)}{z^p} \right)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} &= \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{h(z)}{z} \right)^{\frac{p\alpha}{2}} \\ &> \frac{n + \sqrt{n^2 + 4p\alpha\beta(n + p\alpha)}}{2(n + p\alpha)}. \end{aligned}$$

Letting  $n = 1$  in Theorem 2, we have

**COROLLARY 4.** Let  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(p, 1, \alpha, \beta)$  with  $\alpha > 0$  and  $0 \leq \beta < p$ , then

$$(2.12) \quad \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f(z)}{z^p} \right)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} > \frac{1 + \sqrt{1 + 4\alpha\beta(1 + p\alpha)}}{2 + 2p\alpha} \quad (z \in U).$$

Letting  $p = 1$  in Theorem 2, we have

**COROLLARY 5([3]).** If  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}(n, \alpha, \beta) = \mathcal{B}_1(1, n, \alpha, \beta)$  with  $\alpha > 0$  and  $0 \leq \beta < 1$ , then

$$(2.13) \quad \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f(z)}{z^p} \right)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} > \frac{n + \sqrt{n^2 + 4\alpha\beta(n + p\alpha)}}{2(n + \alpha)} \quad (z \in U).$$

If we take  $p = 1, \alpha = 2$  in Theorem 2, we have

COROLLARY 6([1]). If  $f(z) \in B(n, 2) = \mathcal{B}_1(1, n, 2, \beta)$ , then

$$(2.14) \quad \frac{f(z)}{z} > \frac{n + \sqrt{n^2 + 8\beta(n + \alpha)}}{2(n + 2)}.$$

REMARK. If we take  $\beta = 0$  in Corollary 6, we have Theorem 3 due to Cho([1]).

Theorem 3 Let  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$  with  $\alpha$  and  $0 \leq \beta < p$  and  $G(z)$  defined by

$$(2.15) \quad G(Z) = (z^{p\gamma} f(z)^\alpha)^{\frac{1}{\alpha+\gamma}} \quad (\gamma \geq 0).$$

Then  $G(z)$  is in the class  $\mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha + \gamma, \delta)$ , where

$$(2.16) \quad \delta = \frac{1}{\alpha + \gamma} \left( \frac{p\gamma(n + 2\alpha\beta)}{n + 2p\alpha} + \alpha\beta \right).$$

*Proof.* Differentiating both sides of (2.15) we have

$$(2.17) \quad (\alpha + \gamma)G'(z)G(z)^{(\alpha+\gamma)-1} = p\gamma z^{p\gamma-1} f(z)^\alpha + \alpha z^{p\gamma} f'(z) f(z)^{\alpha-1}.$$

By Theorem 1 and (2.17), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{zG'(z)G(z)^{(\alpha+\gamma)-1}}{z^{p(\alpha+\gamma)}} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\alpha + \gamma} \left( p\gamma \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f(z)}{z^p} \right) + \alpha \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{zf'(z)f(z)^{\alpha-1}}{z^{p\alpha}} \right) \right) \\ &\geq \frac{1}{\alpha + \gamma} \left( \frac{p\gamma(n + 2\alpha\beta)}{n + 2p\alpha} + \alpha\beta \right). \end{aligned}$$

Letting  $n = 1$  in Theorem 3, we have

**COROLLARY 7([3]).** Let  $f(z) \in B_1(p, \alpha, \beta) = \mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha, \beta)$  with  $\alpha$  and  $0 \leq \beta < p$  and  $G(z)$  defined by

$$(2.18) \quad G_1(Z)^{\alpha+\gamma} = z^{p\gamma} f(z)^\alpha \quad (\gamma \geq 0).$$

is in the class  $B_1(p, \alpha + \gamma) = \mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha + \gamma, \delta)$ , where

$$(2.19) \quad \delta = \frac{1}{\alpha + \gamma} \left( \frac{p\gamma(n + 2\alpha\beta)}{1 + 2p\alpha} + \alpha\beta \right).$$

**THEOREM 4.** Let  $f(z) \in \mathcal{B}_1(p, n, \alpha\beta)$  with  $\alpha > 0$  and  $0 \leq \beta < p$  and  $H(z)$  defined by

$$(2.20) \quad H(z) = (z^{p\gamma} f(z)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}})^{\frac{2}{\alpha+2\gamma}}.$$

Then  $H(z)$  is in the class  $B_1(p, n, \frac{\alpha}{2} + \gamma, \delta)$ , where

$$(2.21) \quad \delta = \frac{1}{\alpha + 2\gamma} \left( \frac{p\gamma(n + \sqrt{n^2 + 4\alpha\beta(n + \beta\alpha)})}{n + p\alpha} + 2\alpha\beta \right).$$

*Proof.* Differentiating both side of (2. 20), we have

$$\left( \frac{\alpha}{2} + \gamma \right) H'(z) H(z)^{\frac{\alpha}{2} + \gamma - 1} = p\gamma z^{p\gamma-1} f(z)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} + \frac{\alpha}{2} z^{p\gamma} f'(z) f(z)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}-1},$$

or

$$\frac{zH'(z)H(z)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}+\gamma-1}}{z^{p(\frac{\alpha}{2}+\gamma)}} = \frac{2p\gamma}{\alpha + 2\gamma} \left( \frac{f(z)}{z^p} \right)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}} + \frac{2\alpha}{\alpha + 2\gamma} \left( \frac{zf'(z)f(z)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}-1}}{z^{p\frac{\alpha}{2}}} \right).$$

By Theorem 2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} Re \left( \frac{zH'(z)H(z)^{\frac{\alpha}{2}+\gamma-1}}{z^{p(\frac{\alpha}{2}+\gamma)}} \right) \\ \geq \frac{1}{\alpha+2\gamma} \left( \frac{p\gamma(n+\sqrt{n^2+4\alpha\beta(n+\beta\alpha)})}{n+p\alpha} + 2\alpha\beta \right). \end{aligned}$$

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