

Coefficient Estimates for Sălăgean Type λ -bi-pseudo-starlike Functions

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we have constructed subclasses of bi-univalent functions associated with λ -bi-pseudo-starlike functions in the unit disc U . Furthermore we established bound on the coefficients for the subclasses $S_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(k, \alpha)$ and $S_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(k, \beta)$.

1. Introduction

Let A denote the class of functions f which are analytic in the open unit disc $U = \{z : z \in \mathbb{C} \text{ and } |z| < 1\}$, of the form

$$(1.1) \quad f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n.$$

Let S be the subclass of A consisting of the form (1.1) which are univalent in U . It is well known that every function $f \in S$ has an inverse f^{-1} , satisfying $f^{-1}(f(z)) = z$, ($z \in U$) and $f(f^{-1}(w)) = w$, ($|w| < r_0(f)$, $r_0(f) \geq \frac{1}{4}$), where

$$(1.2) \quad f^{-1}(w) = w - a_2 w^2 + (2a_2^2 - a_3) w^3 - (5a_2^3 - 5a_2 a_3 + a_4) w^4 + \dots$$

A function $f \in A$ is said to be bi-univalent in U if both f and f^{-1} are univalent in U . Let Σ denote the class of bi-univalent functions defined in the unit disc U . For a brief history and interesting examples of functions in the class Σ , see the

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pioneering work on this area by Srivastava *et al.* [15], which has apparently revived the study of bi-univalent functions in recent years. From the work of Srivastava *et al.* [15], we recall the following examples of functions in the class Σ :

$$\frac{z}{1-z}, \quad -\log(1-z), \quad \frac{1}{2} \log\left(\frac{1+z}{1-z}\right).$$

However, the familiar Koebe function is not a member of the bi-univalent function class Σ . Such other common examples of functions in S as

$$z - \frac{z^2}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{z}{1-z^2}$$

are also not members of Σ (see [15]).

Historically, Lewin [11] studied the class of bi-univalent functions, obtaining the bound 1.51 for the modulus of the second coefficient $|a_2|$. Subsequently, Brannan and Clunie [4] conjectured that $|a_2| \leq \sqrt{2}$ for $f \in \Sigma$. Later on, Netanyahu [12] showed that $\max |a_2| = \frac{4}{3}$ if $f(z) \in \Sigma$. Brannan and Taha [5] introduced certain subclasses of the bi-univalent function class Σ similar to the familiar subclasses $S^*(\beta)$ and $\mathcal{K}(\beta)$ of starlike and convex functions of order β ($0 \leq \beta < 1$) in \mathbb{U} , respectively (see [12]). The classes $S_{\Sigma}^*(\beta)$ and $\mathcal{K}_{\Sigma}(\beta)$ of bi-starlike functions of order β in \mathbb{U} and bi-convex functions of order β in \mathbb{U} , corresponding to the function classes $S^*(\beta)$ and $\mathcal{K}(\beta)$, were also introduced analogously. For each of the function classes $S_{\Sigma}^*(\beta)$ and $\mathcal{K}_{\Sigma}(\beta)$, they found non-sharp estimates for the initial coefficients. Recently, motivated substantially by the aforementioned work on this area Srivastava *et al.* [15], many authors investigated the coefficient bounds for various subclasses of bi-univalent functions (see, for example, [2, 6, 7, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21]). Not much is known about the bounds on the general coefficient $|a_n|$ for $n \geq 4$. In the literature, there are only a few works determining the general coefficient bounds for $|a_n|$ for the analytic bi-univalent functions (see, for example, [1, 8, 9]). The coefficient estimate problem for each of the coefficients $|a_n|$ ($n \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{1, 2\}$; $\mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$) is still an open problem.

For f belongs to A , Sălăgean (see [14]) defined differential operator D^k , $k \in \mathbb{N}_0 = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$, by

$$\begin{aligned} D^0 f(z) &= f(z); \\ D^1 f(z) &= Df(z) = zf'(z); \\ &\vdots \\ D^k f(z) &= D(D^{k-1}f(z)). \end{aligned}$$

We note that

$$D^k f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^k a_n z^n.$$

In this paper, motivated by the earlier work of Babalola [3] and Joshi et. al. [10], we aim at introducing two new subclasses of the function class Σ and find estimate on the coefficients $|a_2|$ and $|a_3|$ for functions in these new subclasses of the function class Σ employing the techniques used earlier by Srivastava et al. [15] (see also [7, 16, 22, 23, 24]).

We note the following lemma required for obtaining our results.

Lemma 1.1.([13]) *If $p(z) = 1 + p_1z + p_2z^2 + p_3z^3 + \dots$ is an analytic function in U with positive real part, then*

$$|p_n| \leq 2 \quad (n \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, \dots\})$$

and

$$(1.3) \quad \left| p_2 - \frac{p_1^2}{2} \right| \leq 2 - \frac{|p_1|^2}{2}.$$

2. Coefficient Bounds for the Function Class $S_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(k, \alpha)$

Definition 2.1. A function $f \in \Sigma$ is said to be *in the class $S_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(k, \alpha)$* if the following conditions are satisfied:

$$(2.1) \quad \left| \arg \left(\frac{z[(D^k f(z))']^{\lambda}}{D^k f(z)} \right) \right| < \frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \quad (0 < \alpha \leq 1, \lambda \geq 1, z \in U)$$

and

$$(2.2) \quad \left| \arg \left(\frac{w[(D^k g(w))']^{\lambda}}{D^k g(w)} \right) \right| < \frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \quad (0 < \alpha \leq 1, \lambda \geq 1, w \in U)$$

where the function $g = f^{-1}$.

Theorem 2.2. *Let f given by (1.1) be in the class $S_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(k, \alpha)$, $0 < \alpha \leq 1$. Then*

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{2\alpha}{\sqrt{(2\lambda - 1)(2\lambda + \alpha - 1)}}$$

and

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{2\alpha}{(3\lambda - 1)} + \frac{4\alpha^2}{(2\lambda - 1)^2}.$$

Proof. Let $f \in S_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(k, \alpha)$. Then

$$(2.3) \quad \frac{z \left[(D^k f(z))' \right]^{\lambda}}{D^k f(z)} = [p(z)]^{\alpha}$$

$$(2.4) \quad \frac{w \left[(D^k g(w))' \right]^\lambda}{D^k g(w)} = [q(w)]^\alpha$$

where $g = f^{-1}$, p, q in P and have the forms

$$p(z) = 1 + p_1 z + p_2 z^2 + \dots$$

and

$$q(w) = 1 + q_1 w + q_2 w^2 + \dots$$

Now, equating the coefficients in (2.3) and (2.4), we get

$$(2.5) \quad (2\lambda - 1) 2^k a_2 = \alpha p_1,$$

$$(2.6) \quad (3\lambda - 1) 3^k a_3 + (2\lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 1) 2^{2k} a_2^2 = \alpha p_2 + \frac{\alpha(\alpha - 1)}{2} p_1^2,$$

and

$$(2.7) \quad -(2\lambda - 1) 2^k a_2 = \alpha q_1,$$

$$(2.8) \quad (2\lambda^2 + 2\lambda - 1) 2^{2k} a_2^2 - (3\lambda - 1) 3^k a_3 = \alpha q_2 + \frac{\alpha(\alpha - 1)}{2} q_1^2.$$

From (2.5) and (2.7) we obtain

$$(2.9) \quad p_1 = -q_1$$

and

$$(2.10) \quad (2\lambda - 1)^2 2^{2k+1} a_2^2 = \alpha^2 (p_1^2 + q_1^2).$$

Also from (2.6), (2.8) and (2.10) we have

$$\begin{aligned} (2\lambda^2 - \lambda) 2^{2k+1} a_2^2 &= \alpha (p_2 + q_2) + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} (p_1^2 + q_1^2) \\ &= \alpha (p_2 + q_2) + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} \frac{(2\lambda-1)^2 2^{2k+1}}{\alpha^2} a_2^2. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we have

$$(2.11) \quad a_2^2 = \frac{\alpha^2 (p_2 + q_2)}{(2\lambda - 1)(2\lambda + \alpha - 1) 2^{2k}}.$$

Applying Lemma 1.1 for the coefficients p_2 and q_2 , we obtain

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{2^{1-k} \alpha}{\sqrt{(2\lambda - 1)(2\lambda + \alpha - 1)}}.$$

Next, in order to find the bound on $|a_3|$, by subtracting (2.8) from (2.6), we obtain

$$2(3\lambda - 1)3^k a_3 - 2(3\lambda - 1)2^{2k} a_2^2 = \alpha(p_2 - q_2) + \frac{\alpha(\alpha - 1)}{2}(p_1^2 - q_1^2).$$

Then, in view of (1.3) and (2.10), we have

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{2\alpha}{(3\lambda - 1)3^k} + \frac{4\alpha^2}{(2\lambda - 1)^2 2^{2k}}.$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 2.2. □

Putting $k = 0$ in Theorem 2.2, we have

Remark 2.3. ([10]) Let f given by (1.1) be in the class $S_\Sigma^\lambda(\alpha)$, $0 < \alpha \leq 1$. Then

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{2\alpha}{\sqrt{(2\lambda - 1)(2\lambda + \alpha - 1)}}$$

and

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{2\alpha}{(3\lambda - 1)} + \frac{4\alpha^2}{(2\lambda - 1)^2}.$$

3. Coefficient Bounds for the Function Class $S_\Sigma^\lambda(k, \beta)$

Definition 3.1. A function $f \in \Sigma$ is said to be in the class $S_\Sigma^\lambda(k, \beta)$ if the following conditions are satisfied:

$$(3.1) \quad \Re \left(\frac{z[(D^k f(z))']^\lambda}{D^k f(z)} \right) > \beta \quad (0 \leq \beta < 1, \lambda \geq 1, z \in U)$$

and

$$(3.2) \quad \Re \left(\frac{w[(D^k g(w))']^\lambda}{D^k g(w)} \right) > \beta \quad (0 \leq \beta < 1, \lambda \geq 1, w \in U)$$

where the function $g = f^{-1}$.

Theorem 3.2. Let f given by (1.1) be in the class $S_\Sigma^\lambda(k, \beta)$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$. Then

$$|a_2| \leq \sqrt{\frac{2(1 - \beta)}{\lambda(2\lambda - 1)2^{2k}}}$$

and

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{2(1 - \beta)}{(3\lambda - 1)3^k} + \frac{4(1 - \beta)^2}{(2\lambda - 1)^2 2^{2k}}.$$

Proof. Let $f \in S_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(k, \beta)$. Then

$$(3.3) \quad \frac{z \left[(D^k f(z))' \right]^{\lambda}}{D^k f(z)} = \beta + (1 - \beta)p(z)$$

$$(3.4) \quad \frac{w \left[(D^k g(w))' \right]^{\lambda}}{D^k g(w)} = \beta + (1 - \beta)q(w)$$

where $p, q \in P$ and $g = f^{-1}$.

It follows from (3.3) and (3.4) that

$$(3.5) \quad (2\lambda - 1) 2^k a_2 = (1 - \beta)p_1,$$

$$(3.6) \quad (3\lambda - 1) 3^k a_3 + (2\lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 1) 2^{2k} a_2^2 = (1 - \beta)p_2,$$

and

$$(3.7) \quad -(2\lambda - 1) 2^k a_2 = (1 - \beta)q_1,$$

$$(3.8) \quad (2\lambda^2 + 2\lambda - 1) 2^{2k} a_2^2 - (3\lambda - 1) 3^k a_3 = (1 - \beta)q_2.$$

From (3.6) and (3.8) we obtain

$$(3.9) \quad p_1 = -q_1$$

and

$$(3.10) \quad (2\lambda - 1)^2 2^{2k+1} a_2^2 = (1 - \beta)^2 (p_1^2 + q_1^2).$$

Also from (3.6), (3.8) and (3.9) we have

$$(2\lambda^2 - \lambda) 2^{2k+1} a_2^2 = (1 - \beta) (p_2 + q_2).$$

Therefore, we have

$$(3.11) \quad a_2^2 = \frac{(1 - \beta) (p_2 + q_2)}{(2\lambda^2 - \lambda) 2^{2k+1}}.$$

Applying Lemma 1.1 for the coefficients p_2 and q_2 , we obtain

$$|a_2| \leq \sqrt{\frac{2(1 - \beta)}{\lambda(2\lambda - 1)2^{2k}}}.$$

Next, in order to find the bound on $|a_3|$, by subtracting (3.8) from (3.6), we obtain

$$2(3\lambda - 1)3^k a_3 - 2(3\lambda - 1)2^{2k} a_2^2 = (1 - \beta)(p_2 - q_2).$$

Then, in view of (1.3) and (3.11), we have

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{2(1 - \beta)}{(3\lambda - 1)3^k} + \frac{4(1 - \beta)^2}{(2\lambda - 1)^2 2^{2k}}.$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 3.2. \square

Putting $k = 0$ in Theorem 3.2, we have

Remark 3.3. ([10]) Let f given by (1.1) be in the class $S_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(\beta)$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$. Then

$$|a_2| \leq \sqrt{\frac{2(1 - \beta)}{\lambda(2\lambda - 1)}}$$

and

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{2(1 - \beta)}{(3\lambda - 1)} + \frac{4(1 - \beta)^2}{(2\lambda - 1)^2}.$$

Taking $k = 0$ and $\lambda = 1$ in Theorems 2.2 and 3.2 one can get the following corollaries.

Corollary 3.4. Let f given by (1.1) be in the class $S_{\Sigma}(\alpha)$, $0 < \alpha \leq 1$. Then

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{2\alpha}{\sqrt{\alpha + 1}}$$

and

$$|a_3| \leq \alpha + 4\alpha^2.$$

Corollary 3.5. Let f given by (1.1) be in the class $S_{\Sigma}(\beta)$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$. Then

$$|a_2| \leq \sqrt{2(1 - \beta)}$$

and

$$|a_3| \leq (1 - \beta) + 4(1 - \beta)^2.$$

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