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## Radius of Starlikeness for Analytic Functions with Fixed Second Coefficient

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ABSTRACT. Sharp radius constants for certain classes of normalized analytic functions with fixed second coefficient, to be in the classes of starlike functions of positive order, parabolic starlike functions, and Sokól-Stankiewicz starlike functions are obtained. Our results extend several earlier works.

### 1. Introduction

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  denote the class of analytic functions f defined on  $\mathbb{D} := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ , which are normalized by the conditions f(0) = 0, and f'(0) = 1 and let  $\mathcal{S}$  denote its subclass consisting of univalent functions. The well-known Bieberbach theorem states that the second coefficient in the Maclaurin series of functions in  $\mathcal{S}$  is bounded by two. This estimate for the second coefficient plays an important role in the study

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of the class S, and for that reason, there has been considerable continued interest in the investigation of the class  $S_b \subset S$  of functions  $f(z) = z + a_2 z^2 + \cdots, a_2 = 2b$ for a fixed b with  $|b| \leq 1$ . The investigation on  $S_b$  was initiated as early as 1920 by Gronwall [7], where growth and distortion estimates were obtained for functions in  $S_b$ . Recently, Ali et al. [5] extended the theory of second-order differential subordination to the class of analytic functions with fixed second coefficient. Pursuant to that work, Nagpal and Ravichandran [15] obtained sufficient conditions for starlikeness and close-to-convexity. Differential superordinations were considered by Mendiratta et al. [13, 14], while Lee et al. [9] investigated other applications of differential subordination for functions with fixed second coefficient. Livingston problems for close-to-convex functions with fixed second coefficient were studied by Mendiratta and Ravichandran [12]. A survey on functions with fixed initial coefficient can be found in [2]. For  $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ , the classes  $S^*(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{K}(\alpha)$  of starlike functions of order  $\alpha$  and convex functions of order  $\alpha$  consist of functions  $f \in S$ satisfying respectively  $\operatorname{Re}\left(zf'(z)/f(z)\right) > \alpha$ , and  $\operatorname{Re}\left(1 + zf''(z)/f'(z)\right) > \alpha$ ; the classes  $S^* := S^*(0)$  and  $\mathcal{K} := \mathcal{K}(0)$  are the familiar classes of starlike and convex functions respectively. The second coefficient of functions in these classes satisfies respectively the inequalities  $|a_2| \leq 2(1-\alpha)$  and  $|a_2| \leq 1-\alpha$ . For notational convenience, let us denote by  $\mathcal{A}_b$ , the class of normalized analytic functions of the form  $f(z) = z + bz^2 + \cdots$ . For  $|b| \le 1$  and  $0 \le \alpha < 1$ , let  $\mathfrak{S}_b^*(\alpha) := \mathfrak{S}^*(\alpha) \bigcap \mathcal{A}_{2b(1-\alpha)}$  and  $\mathcal{K}_b(\alpha) := \mathcal{K}(\alpha) \bigcap \mathcal{A}_{b(1-\alpha)}$ . Functions in these classes are respectively called starlike and convex functions of order  $\alpha$  with fixed second coefficient. Let  $S_b^* := S_b^*(0)$  and  $\mathcal{K}_b := \mathcal{K}_b(0)$ . The class  $\mathcal{S}_L^*$  of Sokól-Stankiewicz starlike functions [22] consists of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  for which zf'(z)/f(z) lies in the region bounded by the right halfplane of the lemniscate of Bernoulli:  $|w^2 - 1| = 1$ . A function  $f \in S$  is uniformly convex if and only if  $\operatorname{Re}(1+zf''(z)/f'(z)) > |zf''(z)/f'(z)|$ . The corresponding class of starlike functions connected with the Alexander relation is the class of parabolic starlike functions, introduced by Rønning [19], given by

$$\mathcal{S}_P^* := \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) > \left|\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1\right| \right\}.$$

For a survey of uniformly starlike/convex functions, see [1]. For  $\beta > 1$ , the class  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$  consists of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfying  $\operatorname{Re}(zf'(z)/f(z)) < \beta$ . This class contains non-univalent functions and was investigated in [17, 24] (see also [4]). Clearly,  $\mathcal{S}_L^* \subset \mathcal{S}^*, \mathcal{S}_P^* \subset \mathcal{S}^*(1/2)$  while  $\mathcal{M}(\beta) \not\subset \mathcal{S}^*$ .

The classes of starlike, convex and several other functions are related to the class  $\mathcal{P}(\alpha)$ , of analytic functions  $p(z) = 1 + b_1 z + b_2 z^2 + \cdots$  satisfying  $\operatorname{Re}(p(z)) > \alpha$   $(0 \le \alpha < 1), \ \mathcal{P} := \mathcal{P}(0)$ . It is well known [16, p. 170] that  $|b_n| \le 2(1 - \alpha)$  for  $p \in \mathcal{P}(\alpha)$ . We shall denote by  $\mathcal{P}_b(\alpha)$  the subclass of  $\mathcal{P}(\alpha)$  consisting of functions of the form  $p(z) = 1 + 2b(1 - \alpha)z + \cdots$ ,  $|b| \le 1$ , and let  $\mathcal{P}_b := \mathcal{P}_b(0)$ .

Given two sub-families  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  of  $\mathcal{A}$ , the  $S_1$ -radius of  $S_2$  is defined to be the largest number  $\rho$  such that  $r^{-1}f(rz) \in S_1$  for all  $0 < r \leq \rho$  and for all  $f \in S_2$ . Several works on radius problems can be found in [18, 21, 23]. In a recent paper, Ali et al. [4] obtained sharp radius estimates for functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfying certain conditions on the ratio f/g for a given  $g \in \mathcal{A}$ . The radii results presented here are nice extensions of Ali et al. [4] and the works of [2, 18, 21, 23] for functions with fixed second coefficient, and include the radii results for the classes of starlike functions of positive order, parabolic starlike functions, and the Sokól-Stankiewicz starlike functions.

#### 2. Preliminaries

The results that are required in the present investigation are enlisted below:

**Lemma 2.1.**([11, Theorem 2]) Let  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ . If  $p \in \mathcal{P}_b(\alpha)$ , then, for |z| = r < 1,

$$\left|\frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)}\right| \le \frac{2(1-\alpha)r}{1-r^2} \frac{|b|r^2 + 2r + |b|}{(1-2\alpha)r^2 + 2(1-\alpha)|b|r+1}.$$

**Lemma 2.2.**([10, Lemma 1]) Let  $|b| \le 1$  and  $0 \le \alpha < 1$ . If  $p \in \mathcal{P}_b(\alpha)$ , then, for |z| = r < 1,  $|p(z) - C_b| \le D_b$ , where

$$C_b = \frac{(1+|b|r)^2 + (1-2\alpha)(|b|+r)^2 r^2}{(1+2|b|r+r^2)(1-r^2)}, \quad D_b = \frac{2(1-\alpha)(|b|+r)(1+|b|r)r}{(1+2|b|r+r^2)(1-r^2)}.$$

**Lemma 2.3.**([10, Theorem 1]) Let  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ . Suppose  $p \in \mathcal{P}_b(\alpha)$ . Then, for |z| = r < 1,

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)}\right) \geq \begin{cases} \frac{-2(1-\alpha)(|b|+2r+|b|r^2)r}{(1+2\alpha|b|r+(2\alpha-1)r^2)(1+2|b|r+r^2)}, & R' \leq R_b;\\ (2\sqrt{\alpha}C_1 - C_1 - \alpha)/(1-\alpha), & R' \geq R_b, \end{cases}$$

where  $R_b = C_b - D_b, R' = \sqrt{\alpha C_1}, C_b$  and  $D_b$  are as given in Lemma .

**Lemma 2.4.**([5, Theorem 5.1]) If  $f(z) = z + a_2 z^2 + \cdots \in \mathcal{K}$ , then  $f \in S^*(\alpha)$ , where  $\alpha$  is the smallest positive root of the equation  $2\alpha^3 - |a_2|\alpha^2 - 4\alpha + 2 = 0$ , in the interval [1/2, 2/3].

**Lemma 2.5.**([3, Lemma 2.2]) For  $0 < a < \sqrt{2}$ , let  $r_a$  be given by

$$r_a = \begin{cases} (\sqrt{1-a^2} - (1-a^2))^{1/2}, & 0 < a \le 2\sqrt{2}/3; \\ \sqrt{2} - a, & 2\sqrt{2}/3 \le a < \sqrt{2}, \end{cases}$$

and for a > 0, let  $R_a$  be given by

$$R_a = \begin{cases} \sqrt{2} - a, & 0 < a \le 1/\sqrt{2}; \\ a, & 1/\sqrt{2} \le a. \end{cases}$$

Then  $\{w : |w-a| < r_a\} \subset \{w : |w^2 - 1| < 1\} \subset \{w : |w-a| < R_a\}.$ 

**Lemma 2.6.** ([20, Section 3]) Let a > 1/2. If the number  $R_a$  is given by

$$R_a = \begin{cases} a - 1/2, & 1/2 < a \le 3/2, \\ \sqrt{2a - 2}, & a \ge 3/2, \end{cases}$$

then  $\{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w-a| < R_a\} \subset \{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w-a| < \operatorname{Re} w\}.$ 

## 3. Radius constants

Let

(3.1) 
$$f(z) = z + a_2 z^2 + \cdots$$

and if  $\operatorname{Re}(f(z)/z) > 0$ , then  $f(z)/z \in \mathcal{P}$  and hence  $|a_2| \leq 2$ . So such functions can be given the series expansion:  $f(z) = z + 2bz^2 + \cdots$ , where  $|b| \leq 1$ .

**Definition 3.1.** For  $|b| \leq 1$ , let  $\mathcal{F}_b^1$  be the class of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}_{2b}$  such that  $\operatorname{Re}(f(z)/z) > 0$ .

We now give below the radius constants pertaining to the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b}^{1}$ :

**Theorem 3.2.** The sharp radius constants for the class  $\mathfrak{F}_b^1$  are enlisted below:

1. The  $S_L^*$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_0 \in (0, 1)$  of

(3.2) 
$$(\sqrt{2}-1)r^4 + 2\sqrt{2}|b|r^3 + 4r^2 + 2|b|(2-\sqrt{2})r - \sqrt{2} + 1 = 0,$$

2. The  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of

(3.3) 
$$(\beta - 1)r^4 + 2|b|\beta r^3 + 4r^2 + 2|b|(2 - \beta)r - \beta + 1 = 0$$

3. The  $S^*(\alpha)$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_2 \in (0,1)$  of

(3.4) 
$$(1-\alpha)r^4 + 2|b|(2-\alpha)r^3 + 4r^2 + 2|b|\alpha r + \alpha - 1 = 0.$$

4. The  $S_P^*$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_3 \in (0,1)$  of

(3.5) 
$$r^4 + 6|b|r^3 + 8r^2 + 2|b|r - 1 = 0$$

*Proof.* Clearly, the function  $p(z) = f(z)/z = 1 + 2bz + \cdots \in \mathcal{P}_b$  and

$$\frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)} = \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1.$$

Now by taking  $\alpha = 0$  in Lemma 2.1, we have

(3.6) 
$$\left|\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1\right| = \left|\frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)}\right| \le \frac{2r(|b|r^2 + 2r + |b|)}{(1 - r^2)(r^2 + 2|b|r + 1)}$$

(1) From Lemma 2.5, we see that

$$\left| \left( \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right)^2 - 1 \right| < 1$$

whenever the following inequality holds:

$$\frac{2r(|b|r^2 + 2r + |b|)}{(1 - r^2)(r^2 + 2|b|r + 1)} \le \sqrt{2} - 1,$$

which upon simplification, becomes

$$1 - \sqrt{2} + 2|b| \left(2 - \sqrt{2}\right)r + 4r^2 + 2\sqrt{2}|b|r^3 + \left(\sqrt{2} - 1\right)r^4 \le 0.$$

Therefore, the  $S_L^*$ -radius for the class  $\mathcal{F}_b^1$ , is the smallest positive root  $r_0 \in (0, 1)$  of (3.2).

To prove the sharpness, consider the function  $f_0$  defined by

(3.7) 
$$f_0(z) = \frac{z(1+2bz+z^2)}{1-z^2}$$

together with w(z) := z(z+b)/(1+bz). Then we see that

$$\frac{f_0(z)}{z} = \frac{1+w(z)}{1-w(z)},$$

where w is an analytic function satisfying the conditions of Schwarz's lemma in the unit disk  $\mathbb{D}$ , which leads to  $\operatorname{Re}(f_0(z)/z) > 0$  in  $\mathbb{D}$  and hence  $f_0 \in \mathcal{F}_b^1$ . Thus, for  $z = r_0$ , the root of (3.2), we have

$$\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = \frac{1+4br_0+4r_0^2-r_0^4}{(1-r_0^2)\left(1+2br_0+r_0^2\right)} = \sqrt{2},$$

it follows that

$$\left(\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)}\right)^2 - 1 = 1 \quad (z = r_0),$$

which establishes sharpness of the result.

(2) The inequality (3.6) shows that

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \le 1 + \frac{2r(|b|r^2 + 2r + |b|)}{(1 - r^2)(r^2 + 2|b|r + 1)} \le \beta,$$

if the following inequality

$$(\beta - 1)r^4 + 2|b|\beta r^3 + 4r^2 + 2(2 - \beta)|b|r + 1 - \beta \le 0$$

holds. Therefore, the  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_b^1$  is the smallest positive root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of (3.3). The result is sharp due to the function given in (3.7) as, for  $z = r_1$ , the root of (3.3), we see that

$$\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = \frac{1+4br_1+4r_1^2-r_1^4}{(1-r_1^2)\left(1+2br_1+r_1^2\right)} = \beta.$$

(3) In view of (3.6), it follows that

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \geq 1 - \frac{2r(|b|r^2 + 2r + |b|)}{(1 - r^2)(r^2 + 2|b|r + 1)} \geq \alpha,$$

whenever the following inequality

$$(1-\alpha)r^4 + 2|b|(2-\alpha)r^3 + 4r^2 + 2|b|\alpha r + \alpha - 1 \le 0$$

holds. Thus, the  $S^*(\alpha)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_b^1$  is the smallest positive root  $r_2 \in (0, 1)$  of (3.4).

The function  $f_0$  defined by

(3.8) 
$$f_0(z) = \frac{z(1-z^2)}{1-2bz+z^2}$$

is in the class  $\mathcal{F}_b^1$  because for the function  $f_0$  defined in (3.8), we have  $f_0(z)/z = (1-w(z))/(1+w(z))$ , where w(z) = z(z-b)/(1-bz) is an analytic function satisfying the conditions of Schwarz's lemma in the unit disk  $\mathbb{D}$ , and hence  $\operatorname{Re}(f_0(z)/z) > 0$  in  $\mathbb{D}$ . The result is sharp for the function given in (3.8) as, for  $z = -r_2$ , the root of (3.4), we have

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)}\right) = \frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = \frac{1 - r_2^2 \left(4 - 4br_2 + r_2^2\right)}{\left(1 - r_2^2\right)\left(1 - 2br_2 + r_2^2\right)} = \alpha,$$

which demonstrates sharpness.

(4) Lemma 2.6 shows that the disk (3.6) lies inside the parabolic region  $\Omega = \{w : |w-1| < \operatorname{Re} w\}$  provided that

$$\frac{2r(|b|r^2 + 2r + |b|)}{(1 - r^2)(r^2 + 2|b|r + 1)} \le \frac{1}{2}$$

or equivalently, if the inequality  $r^4 + 6|b|r^3 + 8r^2 + 2|b|r - 1 \leq 0$  holds. Thus, the  $S_P^*$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_b^1$  is the smallest positive root  $r_3 \in (0, 1)$  of (3.5).

The function defined in (3.8), for  $z = -r_3$  satisfies

$$\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = \frac{1 - r_3^2 \left(4 - 4br_3 + r_3^2\right)}{\left(1 - r_3^2\right)\left(1 - 2br_3 + r_3^2\right)} = \frac{1}{2},$$

which demonstrates sharpness. The following figures illustrate sharpness of the result.  $\hfill\square$ 

**Remark 3.3.** For  $\alpha = 0$ , part (3) of Theorem 3.1 reduces to the result [8, Theorem 2] of Goel.

Let

(3.9) 
$$g(z) = z + g_2 z^2 + \cdots$$

and assume that  $g(z)/z \in \mathcal{P}$ . Let f be given by (3.1) and  $\operatorname{Re}(f(z)/g(z)) > 0$ . Then we have  $|a_2| \leq |g_2| + 2 \leq 4$ . Our next theorem focuses on the class of functions involving these functions f and g with fixed second coefficients, whose series expansions are given respectively by  $f(z) = z + 4bz^2 + \cdots$  and  $g(z) = z + 2cz^2 + \cdots$ , where  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $|c| \leq 1$ .

**Definition 3.4.** For  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $|c| \leq 1$ , let

$$\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^2 := \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A}_{4b} : \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{f(z)}{g(z)}\right) > 0 \text{ and } \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{g(z)}{z}\right) > 0, \text{ where } g \in \mathcal{A}_{2c} \right\}.$$

Here below, we furnish the radius constants for the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b.c}^2$ :

**Theorem 3.5.** Assume that  $\gamma := |2b - c|$ . Then the sharp radius constants for the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^2$  are enlisted below:

(1) The  $S_L^*$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_0 \in (0,1)$  of

$$(\sqrt{2}-1)r^{6} + (|c|+\gamma)2\sqrt{2}r^{5} + (7+\sqrt{2}+4(1+\sqrt{2})|c|\gamma)r^{4} + 12(|c|+\gamma)r^{3}$$
(3.10)
$$+ (9-\sqrt{2}+4(3-\sqrt{2})|c|\gamma)r^{2} + 2(2-\sqrt{2})(|c|+\gamma)r - \sqrt{2} + 1 = 0.$$

(2) The  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of

$$(\beta - 1)r^{6} + 2\beta(|c| + \gamma)r^{5} + (7 + \beta + 4(1 + \beta)|c|\gamma)r^{4} + 12(|c| + \gamma)r^{3} (3.11) + (9 - \beta + 4(3 - \beta)|c|\gamma)r^{2} + 2(2 - \beta)(|c| + \gamma)r - \beta + 1 = 0.$$

(3) The  $S^*(\alpha)$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_2 \in (0,1)$  of

$$(1-\alpha)r^{6} + 2(2-\alpha)(|c|+\gamma)r^{5} + (9-\alpha+4(3-\alpha)|c|\gamma)r^{4} + 12(|c|+\gamma)r^{3}$$

$$(3.12)$$

$$+ (7+\alpha+4(1+\alpha)|c|\gamma)r^{2} + 2(|c|+\gamma)\alpha r + \alpha - 1 = 0.$$

(4) The  $S_P^*$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_3 \in (0,1)$  of (3.13)  $r^6 + 6(|c|+\gamma)r^5 + (17+20\gamma|c|)r^4 + 24(|c|+\gamma)r^3 + (15+12\gamma|c|)r^2 + 2(|c|+\gamma)r - 1 = 0.$  *Proof.* Let the functions p and h be defined by p(z) = g(z)/z, and h(z) = f(z)/g(z). Then

$$p(z) = 1 + 2cz + \cdots$$
 and  $h(z) = 1 + 2(2b - c)z + \cdots$ 

or  $p \in \mathcal{P}_c$  and  $h \in \mathcal{P}_{2b-c}$ . Since f(z) = zp(z)h(z), from Lemma 2.1 with  $\alpha = 0$ , we have

$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right| \le \left| \frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)} \right| + \left| \frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} \right| \le \frac{2r}{1 - r^2} \left( \frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{r^2 + 2|c|r + 1} + \frac{\gamma r^2 + 2r + \gamma}{r^2 + 2\gamma r + 1} \right).$$

(1) By Lemma 2.5, the function f satisfies  $|(zf'(z)/f(z))^2 - 1| < 1$ , for |z| < r, if the following inequality holds

$$\frac{2r}{1-r^2} \left( \frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{r^2 + 2|c|r+1} + \frac{\gamma r^2 + 2r + \gamma}{r^2 + 2\gamma r + 1} \right) \le \sqrt{2} - 1$$

or equivalently, if the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} (\sqrt{2}-1)r^6 + (|c|+\gamma)2\sqrt{2}r^5 + (7+\sqrt{2}+4(1+\sqrt{2})|c|\gamma)r^4 + 12(|c|+\gamma)r^3 \\ + (9-\sqrt{2}+4(3-\sqrt{2})|c|\gamma)r^2 + 2(2-\sqrt{2})(|c|+\gamma)r - \sqrt{2}+1 \le 0. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the  $S_L^*$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^2$  is the smallest positive root  $r_0 \in (0,1)$  of (3.10).

Consider the functions defined by

(3.15)

$$f_0(z) = \frac{z \left(1 + (4b - 2c)z + z^2\right) \left(1 + 2cz + z^2\right)}{\left(1 - z^2\right)^2} \quad \text{and} \quad g_0(z) = \frac{z \left(1 + 2cz + z^2\right)}{\left(1 - z^2\right)^2}.$$

The function  $f_0$  with the choice of  $g_0$ , defined above, is in the class  $\mathcal{F}^2_{b,c}$  because

$$rac{f_0(z)}{g_0(z)} = rac{1+w_1(z)}{1-w_1(z)} \ \ ext{and} \ \ rac{g_0(z)}{z} = rac{1+w_2(z)}{1-w_2(z)},$$

where  $w_1(z) = z(z+2b-c)/(1+(2b-c)z)$  with  $|2b-c| \leq 1$  and  $w_2(z) = z(z+c)/(1+cz)$  are analytic functions satisfying the conditions of Schwarz's lemma in the unit disk  $\mathbb{D}$ , and hence  $\operatorname{Re}(g_0(z)/z) > 0$  and  $\operatorname{Re}(f_0(z)/g_0(z)) > 0$  in  $\mathbb{D}$ . Since (3.16)

$$\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = 1 + \frac{2}{1 - r_0} + \frac{2}{1 + r_0} - \frac{2(1 + cr_0)}{1 + 2cr_0 + r_0^2} - \frac{2 + 4br_0 - 2cr_0}{1 + r_0(4b - 2c + r_0)} = \sqrt{2}, \quad (z = r_0),$$

we have

$$\left(\frac{zf_0(z)}{f_0(z)}\right)^2 - 1 \bigg| = 1.$$

Thus, the result is sharp.

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(2) The inequality (3.14) shows that

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \le 1 + \frac{2r}{1 - r^2} \left(\frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{r^2 + 2|c|r + 1} + \frac{\gamma r^2 + 2r + \gamma}{r^2 + 2\gamma r + 1}\right) \le \beta,$$

if the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} &(\beta-1)r^6 + 2\beta(|c|+\gamma)r^5 + (7+\beta+4(1+\beta)|c|\gamma)r^4 + 12(|c|+\gamma)r^3 \\ &+ (9-\beta+4(3-\beta)|c|\gamma)r^2 + 2(2-\beta)(|c|+\gamma)r - \beta + 1 \leq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence the  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}^2_{b,c}$  is the smallest positive root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of (3.11). The result is sharp due to the functions given in (3.15) as it can be seen for  $z = r_1$ 

$$(3.17) \quad \frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = 1 + \frac{2}{1-r_1} + \frac{2}{1+r_1} - \frac{2(1+cr_1)}{1+2cr_1+r_1^2} - \frac{2+4br_1-2cr_1}{1+r_1(4b-2c+r_1)} = \beta.$$

(3) In view of (3.14), it follows that

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \ge 1 - \frac{2r}{1 - r^2} \left(\frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{r^2 + 2|c|r + 1} + \frac{\gamma r^2 + 2r + \gamma}{r^2 + 2\gamma r + 1}\right) \ge \alpha,$$

if the following inequality holds:

$$(1-\alpha)r^{6} + 2(2-\alpha)(|c|+\gamma)r^{5} + (9-\alpha+4(3-\alpha)|c|\gamma)r^{4} + 12(|c|+\gamma)r^{3} + (7+\alpha+4(1+\alpha)|c|\gamma)r^{2} + 2(|c|+\gamma)\alpha r + \alpha - 1 \le 0.$$

Thus, the  $S^*(\alpha)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}^2_{b,c}$  is the smallest positive root  $r_2 \in (0,1)$  of (3.12).

Consider the functions defined by

(3.18) 
$$f_0(z) = \frac{z(1-z^2)^2}{(1-(4b-2c)z+z^2)(1-2cz+z^2)}$$
 and  $g_0(z) = \frac{z(1-z^2)}{(1-2cz+z^2)}$ 

The function  $f_0$ , with the choice of  $g_0$  defined in (3.18), is in the class  $\mathcal{F}_b^2$  because

$$\frac{f_0(z)}{g_0(z)} = \frac{1 - w_1(z)}{1 + w_1(z)} \text{ and } \frac{g_0(z)}{z} = \frac{1 - w_2(z)}{1 + w_2(z)},$$

where  $w_1(z) = z(z - (2b - c))/(1 - (2b - c)z)$  with  $|2b - c| \leq 1$  and  $w_2(z) = z(z-c)/(1-cz)$  are analytic functions satisfying the conditions of Schwarz's lemma in the unit disk  $\mathbb{D}$ , and hence  $\operatorname{Re}(g_0(z)/z) > 0$  and  $\operatorname{Re}(f_0(z)/g_0(z)) > 0$  in  $\mathbb{D}$ . The functions defined in (3.18) satisfy

$$\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = 1 - \frac{2}{1+r_2} - \frac{2}{1-r_2} + \frac{2+2cr_2}{1+2cr_2+r_2^2} + \frac{2(1+2br_2-cr_2)}{1+r_2(4b-2c+r_2)} = \alpha \quad (z=-r_2) + \frac{2}{1+r_2} + \frac{2}$$

which demonstrates the sharpness.

(4) By Lemma 2.6, the disk (3.14) lies inside the parabolic region  $\Omega = \{w : |w-1| < \operatorname{Re} w\}$  provided

$$\left|\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1\right| \le \frac{2r}{1 - r^2} \left(\frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{r^2 + 2|c|r + 1} + \frac{\gamma r^2 + 2r + \gamma}{r^2 + 2\gamma r + 1}\right) \le \frac{1}{2}$$

or equivalently, if  $r^6 + 6(|c| + \gamma)r^5 + (17 + 20\gamma|c|)r^4 + 24(|c| + \gamma)r^3 + (15 + 12\gamma|c|)r^2 + 2(|c| + \gamma)r - 1 \leq 0$ . Thus, the  $S_P^*$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_b^2$  is the smallest positive root  $r_3 \in (0, 1)$  of (3.13). The functions defined in (3.18) satisfy, for  $z = -r_3$ ,

$$\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = 1 - \frac{2}{1+r_3} - \frac{2}{1-r_3} + \frac{2(1+cr_3)}{1+2cr_3+r_3^2} + \frac{2(1+2br_3-cr_3)}{1+r_3(4b-2c+r_3)} = \frac{1}{2},$$

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which demonstrates sharpness.

**Remark 3.6.** Setting b = 1 = c, in Theorem 3.5, we obtain the result [4, Theorem 2.1] of Ali et al.

Let the functions f and g be given by (3.1) and (3.9) respectively. Assume that f and g are satisfying  $\operatorname{Re}(f(z)/g(z)) > 0$  and  $\operatorname{Re}(g(z)/z) > 1/2$  in  $\mathbb{D}$ . Then we have  $|a_2| \leq |g_2| + 2 \leq 3$ . In the following theorem we shall discuss some radius problems for functions with fixed second coefficients whose series expansion are given respectively by  $f(z) = z + 3bz^2 + \cdots$  and  $g(z) = z + cz^2 + \cdots$  with  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $|c| \leq 1$ .

**Definition 3.7.** For  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $|c| \leq 1$ , let

$$\mathcal{F}^3_{b,c} := \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A}_{3b} : \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{f(z)}{g(z)}\right) > 0, \text{ and } \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{g(z)}{z}\right) > \frac{1}{2}, \text{ where } g \in \mathcal{A}_c \right\}.$$

Now the radius constants for the class  $\mathcal{F}^3_{b,c}$  are established in the following result.

**Theorem 3.8.** Assume that  $\gamma_1 = |3b - c|$ . For the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^3$ ,

1. the  $S_L^*$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_0 \in (0,1)$  of

(3.19) 
$$\sqrt{2|c|r^5 + (1+\sqrt{2})(1+|c|\gamma_1)r^4 + (6|c| + \sqrt{2}(1+\sqrt{2})\gamma_1)r^3 } + (6+(3-\sqrt{2})|c|\gamma_1)r^2 + \sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2}-1)(|c|+\gamma_1)r - \sqrt{2}+1 = 0$$

and it is sharp.

2. the  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of

(3.20) 
$$|c|\beta r^{5} + (1+\beta)(1+|c|\gamma_{1})r^{4} + (6|c| + (2+\beta)\gamma_{1})r^{3} + (6+(3-\beta)|c|\gamma_{1})r^{2} + (2-\beta)(|c|+\gamma_{1})r - \beta + 1 =$$

and it is sharp.

3. the  $S^*(\alpha)$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_2 \in (0,1)$  of

$$\begin{aligned} &-|c|\alpha r^{7} + (|c|(1-\alpha)(\gamma_{1}+2|c|)-1-\alpha)r^{6} + (|c|(2-\alpha)(3+2|c|\gamma_{1})-\alpha\gamma_{1})r^{5} \\ &+ (5+8|c|^{2}-\alpha+2(3-\alpha)|c|\gamma_{1})r^{4} + ((12+\alpha)|c|+2(2+|c|^{2}\alpha)\gamma_{1})r^{3} \\ &+ (5-2|c|^{2}+\alpha+2|c|^{2}\alpha + (1+3\alpha)|c|\gamma_{1})r^{2} + (2|c|+3|c|\alpha+\alpha\gamma_{1})r \end{aligned}$$

$$(3.21)$$

$$&+ \alpha - 1 = 0.$$

4. the  $S_P^*$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_3 \in (0,1)$  of

 $\begin{aligned} |c|r^{7} + (1+4|c|^{2}+3|c|\gamma_{1})r^{6} + (17|c|+3\gamma_{1}+8|c|^{2}\gamma_{1})r^{5} + (13+20|c|^{2}+16|c|\gamma_{1})r^{4} \\ (3.22) \\ &+ (31|c|+8\gamma_{1}+4|c|^{2}\gamma_{1})r^{3} + (11+5|c|\gamma_{1})r^{2} + (\gamma_{1}-|c|)r - 1 = 0. \end{aligned}$ 

 $\mathit{Proof.}$  Define the functions p and h by p(z)=g(z)/z and h(z)=f(z)/g(z)

(3.23) 
$$p(z) = 1 + cz + \cdots$$
 and  $h(z) = \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} = 1 + (3b - c)z + \cdots$ 

or  $p \in \mathcal{P}_{c/2}(1/2)$  and  $h \in \mathcal{P}_{(3b-c)/2}$ . Lemma 2.1 with  $\alpha = 0$  and  $\alpha = 1/2$  respectively lead to

(3.24) 
$$\left|\frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)}\right| \le \frac{r}{1-r^2} \frac{\gamma_1 r^2 + 4r + \gamma_1}{r^2 + \gamma_1 r + 1}$$
 and  $\left|\frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)}\right| \le \frac{r}{1-r^2} \frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{|c|r+1}.$ 

From (3.23), f(z)/z = p(z)h(z), and so the inequalities in (3.24) yields

(3.25) 
$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right| \leq \left| \frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} \right| + \left| \frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)} \right|$$
$$\leq \frac{r}{1 - r^2} \left( \frac{\gamma_1 r^2 + 4r + \gamma_1}{r^2 + \gamma_1 r + 1} + \frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{|c|r + 1} \right).$$

(1) By Lemma 2.5, the function f satisfies  $|(zf'(z)/f(z))^2 - 1| < 1$ , for |z| < r, if the following inequality holds

$$\frac{r}{1-r^2} \left( \frac{\gamma_1 r^2 + 4r + \gamma_1}{r^2 + \gamma_1 r + 1} + \frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{|c|r+1} \right) \leq \sqrt{2} - 1$$

or equivalently, if the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{2}|c|r^5 + (1+\sqrt{2})(1+|c|\gamma_1)r^4 + (6|c|+\sqrt{2}(1+\sqrt{2})\gamma_1)r^3 \\ + (6+(3-\sqrt{2})|c|\gamma_1)r^2 + \sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2}-1)(|c|+\gamma_1)r - \sqrt{2}+1 \le 0. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the  $S_L^*$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^3$  is the smallest positive root  $r_0 \in (0,1)$  of (3.19). Consider the functions defined by

(3.26) 
$$f_0(z) = \frac{z(1+(3b-c)z+z^2)(1+cz)}{(1-z^2)^2}$$
 and  $g_0(z) = \frac{z(1+cz)}{(1-z^2)}$ .

The function  $f_0$  with the choice  $g_0$ , defined in (3.26), is in the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^3$  because

$$\frac{f_0(z)}{g_0(z)} = \frac{1+w_1(z)}{1-w_1(z)} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{g_0(z)}{z} = \frac{1+w_2(z)}{1-w_2(z)},$$

where  $w_1(z) = z(z + (3b - c)/2)/(1 + ((3b - c)z/2))$  with  $|3b - c| \leq 2$  and  $w_2(z) = z(z + c/2)/(1 + cz/2)$  are analytic functions satisfying the conditions of Schwarz's lemma in the unit disk  $\mathbb{D}$ , and hence  $\operatorname{Re}(g_0(z)/z) > 1/2$  and  $\operatorname{Re}(f_0(z)/g_0(z)) > 0$  in  $\mathbb{D}$ . Since

$$\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = \frac{2}{1-r_0} + \frac{2}{1+r_0} - \frac{1}{1+cr_0} - \frac{2+3br_0 - cr_0}{1+r_0(3b-c+r_0)} = \sqrt{2},$$

for  $z = r_0$ , the root of (3.19), we have  $|(zf_0(z)/f_0(z))^2 - 1| = 1$ . Thus, the result is sharp.

(2) The inequality (3.25) shows that

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \le \frac{r}{1-r^2} \left(\frac{\gamma_1 r^2 + 4r + \gamma_1}{r^2 + \gamma_1 r + 1} + \frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{|c|r+1}\right) + 1 \le \beta,$$

if the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \beta |c|r^5 + (1+\beta)(1+|c|\gamma_1)r^4 + (6|c|+(2+\beta)\gamma_1)r^3 \\ + (6+(3-\beta)|c|\gamma_1)r^2 + (2-\beta)(|c|+\gamma_1)r - \beta + 1 \leq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^3$  is the smallest positive root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of (3.20). The result is sharp for the functions given in (3.26) as it can be seen that, for  $z = r_1$ , the root of (3.20), we have

$$\frac{zf_0'(z)}{f_0(z)} = \frac{2}{1-r_1} + \frac{2}{1+r_1} - \frac{1}{1+cr_1} - \frac{2+3br_1 - cr_1}{1+r_1(3b-c+r_1)} = \beta.$$

(3) Since f(z)/z = p(z)h(z), it follows from Lemma 2.1 and Lemma 2.3 that

$$(3.27) \ \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \ge 1 - \frac{(\gamma_1 r^2 + 4r + \gamma_1)r}{(r^2 + \gamma_1 r + 1)(1 - r^2)} + \frac{(|c| + 2r + |c|r^2)r}{(1 + 2|c|r + r^2)(1 + |c|r)} \ge \alpha,$$

if the following inequality holds:

$$- |c|\alpha r^{7} + (|c|(1-\alpha)(\gamma_{1}+2|c|)-1-\alpha)r^{6} + (|c|(2-\alpha)(3+2|c|\gamma_{1})-\alpha\gamma_{1})r^{5} + (5+8|c|^{2}-\alpha+2(3-\alpha)|c|\gamma_{1})r^{4} + ((12+\alpha)|c|+2(2+|c|^{2}\alpha)\gamma_{1})r^{3} + (5-2|c|^{2}+\alpha+2|c|^{2}\alpha+(1+3\alpha)|c|\gamma_{1})r^{2} + (2|c|+3|c|\alpha+\alpha\gamma_{1})r + \alpha - 1 \le 0.$$

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Thus, the  $S^*(\alpha)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}^3_{b,c}$  is the smallest positive root  $r_2 \in (0,1)$  of (3.21).

(4) From (3.25) and (3.27), it is clear that  $|(zf'(z)/f(z))-1|<\mathrm{Re}(zf'(z)/f(z))$  provided

$$1 - \frac{(\gamma_1 r^2 + 4r + \gamma_1)r}{(r^2 + \gamma_1 r + 1)(1 - r^2)} + \frac{(|c| + 2r + |c|r^2)r}{(1 + 2|c|r + r^2)(1 + |c|r)}$$
$$\geq \frac{r}{1 - r^2} \left(\frac{\gamma_1 r^2 + 4r + \gamma_1}{r^2 + \gamma_1 r + 1} + \frac{|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|}{|c|r + 1}\right)$$

or equivalently, if the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} |c|r^7 + (1+4|c|^2 + 3|c|\gamma_1)r^6 + (17|c| + 3\gamma_1 + 8|c|^2\gamma_1)r^5 + (13+20|c|^2 + 16|c|\gamma_1)r^4 \\ + (31|c| + 8\gamma_1 + 4|c|^2\gamma_1)r^3 + (11+5|c|\gamma_1)r^2 + (\gamma_1 - |c|)r - 1 \le 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus the  $S_P^*$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^3$  is the smallest positive root  $r_3$  in (0,1) of (3.22).

**Remark 3.9.** Putting b = 1 = c in Theorem 3.8, we obtain the result [4, Theorem 2.2] of Ali et al.

Now consider the functions f and g, given by (3.1) and (3.9) respectively. Suppose that f and g satisfy the conditions |f(z)/g(z) - 1| < 1 and  $\operatorname{Re}(g(z)/z) > 0$  in  $\mathbb{D}$ . Then it follows that  $|a_2| \leq |g_2| + 2 \leq 3$ . Thus such functions with fixed second coefficient, satisfying the above conditions can have the series expansion namely  $f(z) = z + 3bz^2 + \cdots$  and  $g(z) = z + 2cz^2 + \cdots$  with  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $|c| \leq 1$ .

**Definition 3.10.** For  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $|c| \leq 1$ , let

$$\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^4 := \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A}_{3b} : \left| \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} - 1 \right| < 1, and \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{g(z)}{z}\right) > 0, where \ g \in \mathcal{A}_{2c} \right\}.$$

Now in the following result, we provide the radius constants for the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b.c}^3$ .

**Theorem 3.11.** Assume that  $\delta := |2c - 3b|$ . For the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^4$ ,

1. the  $S_L^*$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_0 \in (0,1)$  of

(3.28) 
$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{2}\delta r^5 + (1+\sqrt{2})(1+2\delta|c|)r^4 + 2(3\delta+\sqrt{2}(1+\sqrt{2})|c|)r^3 \\ + 2(3+(3-\sqrt{2})\delta|c|)r^2 + (2-\sqrt{2})(\delta+2|c|)r - \sqrt{2} + 1 = 0. \end{aligned}$$

2. the  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of

(3.29) 
$$\beta \delta r^5 + (1+\beta)(1+2\delta|c|)r^4 + 2(3\delta+2|c|+|c|\beta)r^3 + 2(3+(3-\beta)\delta|c|)r^2 + (2-\beta)(\delta+2|c|)r - \beta + 1 = 0.$$

3. the  $f \in S^*(\alpha)$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_2 \in (0,1)$  of

(3.30) 
$$(2-\alpha)\delta r^5 + (1+2\delta|c|)(3-\alpha)r^4 + 2(3\delta+4|c|-|c|\alpha)r^3 + (\delta+2|c|)\alpha r^2 + 2(3+(1+\alpha)\delta|c|)r + \alpha - 1 = 0.$$

4. the  $S_P^*$ -radius is the smallest positive root  $r_3 \in (0,1)$  of

$$(3.31) \ 3\delta r^5 + 5(1+2\delta|c|)r^4 + 2(6\delta+7|c|)r^3 + 6(2+\delta|c|)r^2 + (\delta+2|c|)r - 1 = 0.$$

*Proof.* It is easy to see that |f(z)/g(z) - 1| < 1 if and only if  $\operatorname{Re}(g(z)/f(z)) > 1/2$ . Define the functions p and h by p(z) = g(z)/z, and h(z) = g(z)/f(z). Then

$$p(z) = 1 + 2cz + \cdots$$
 and  $h(z) = \frac{g(z)}{f(z)} = 1 + (2c - 3b)z + \cdots$ 

or  $p \in \mathcal{P}_c$  and  $h \in \mathcal{P}_{(2c-3b)/2}(1/2)$ . Lemma 2.1 with  $\alpha = 0$  and  $\alpha = 1/2$  respectively lead to

(3.32) 
$$\left|\frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)}\right| \le \frac{2r(|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|)}{(1 - r^2)(r^2 + 2|c|r + 1)} \text{ and } \left|\frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)}\right| \le \frac{r(\delta r^2 + 2r + \delta)}{(1 - r^2)(\delta r + 1)}$$

respectively, where  $\delta := |2c - 3b|$ . Since zp(z) = f(z)h(z), from (3.32), we have

(3.33) 
$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right| \le \left| \frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)} \right| + \left| \frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} \right|$$
$$\le \frac{r}{1 - r^2} \left( \frac{2(|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|)}{r^2 + 2qr + 1} + \frac{(\delta r^2 + 2r + \delta)}{\delta r + 1} \right)$$

(1) By Lemma 2.5, the function f satisfies  $|(zf'(z)/f(z))^2 - 1| < 1$ , if the following inequality holds:

$$\frac{r}{1-r^2} \left( \frac{2(|c|r^2+2r+|c|)}{r^2+2qr+1} + \frac{(\delta r^2+2r+\delta)}{\delta r+1} \right) \le \sqrt{2} - 1,$$

or equivalently, if

$$\begin{split} \sqrt{2}\delta r^5 + (1+\sqrt{2})(1+2\delta|c|)r^4 + 2(3\delta+\sqrt{2}(1+\sqrt{2})|c|)r^3 \\ + 2(3+(3-\sqrt{2})\delta|c|)r^2 + (2-\sqrt{2})(\delta+2|c|)r - \sqrt{2} + 1 \leq 0. \end{split}$$

Therefore the  $S_L^*$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^4$  is the smallest positive root  $r_0 \in (0,1)$  of (3.28).

(2) Using (3.33), we get

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \le 1 + \frac{r}{1 - r^2} \left(\frac{2(|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|)}{r^2 + 2qr + 1} + \frac{(\delta r^2 + 2r + \delta)}{\delta r + 1}\right) \le \beta$$

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if the following inequality holds:

$$\beta \delta r^5 + (1+\beta)(1+2\delta|c|)r^4 + 2(3\delta+2|c|+|c|\beta)r^3 + 2(3+(3-\beta)\delta|c|)r^2 + (2-\beta)(\delta+2|c|)r-\beta+1 \le 0.$$

Therefore, the  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^4$  is the smallest positive root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of (3.29).

(3) Inequality in (3.33) implies that

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \ge 1 - \frac{r}{1 - r^2} \left(\frac{2(|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|)}{r^2 + 2qr + 1} + \frac{(\delta r^2 + 2r + \delta)}{\delta r + 1}\right) \ge \alpha$$

if the following inequality holds:

$$(2-\alpha)\delta r^5 + (1+2\delta|c|)(3-\alpha)r^4 + 2(3\delta+4|c|-|c|\alpha)r^3 + (\delta+2|c|)\alpha r^2 + 2(3+(1+\alpha)\delta|c|)r + \alpha - 1 \le 0.$$

Thus, the  $S^*(\alpha)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^4$  is the smallest positive root in  $r_2 \in (0,1)$  of (3.30).

(4) Lemma 2.6 shows that the disk (3.33) lies inside  $\Omega = \{w : |w - 1| < \operatorname{Re} w\}$ , the parabolic region, provided

$$\left|\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1\right| \le \frac{r}{1 - r^2} \left(\frac{2(|c|r^2 + 2r + |c|)}{r^2 + 2qr + 1} + \frac{(\delta r^2 + 2r + \delta)}{\delta r + 1}\right) \le \frac{1}{2}$$

if the following inequality holds:

$$3\delta r^5 + 5(1+2\delta|c|)r^4 + 2(6\delta+7|c|)r^3 + 6(2+\delta|c|)r^2 + (\delta+2|c|)r - 1 \le 0.$$

Therefore, the  $\mathcal{S}_P^*$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^4$  is the smallest positive root  $r_3 \in (0,1)$  of (3.31).

**Remark 3.12.** Note that, in addition, we obtain the following sharp results of [4, Theorem 2.3] of Ali et al. as special case to parts (3) and (4) of Theorem 3.11 when b = 1 = c.

For the class  $\mathcal{F}_{1,1}^4$ ,

(1) the 
$$S_L^*$$
-radius,  $r_0 = \frac{2(2-\sqrt{2})}{\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{17-4\sqrt{2}}+3)}$ ,

(2) the 
$$\mathcal{M}(\beta)$$
-radius,  $r_1 = \frac{2(\beta-1)}{3+\sqrt{9+4\beta(\beta-1)}}$ ,

(3) the sharp 
$$f \in S^*(\alpha)$$
-radius,  $r_2 = \frac{2(1-\alpha)}{3+\sqrt{9+4\beta(1-\alpha)(2-\alpha)}}$ ,

(4) the sharp  $S_P^*$ -radius,  $r_3 = \frac{2\sqrt{3}-3}{3}$ .

Consider the functions f and g given by (3.1) and (3.9) respectively. Further assume that f and g satisfy the condition |f(z)/g(z) - 1| < 1 and g is a convex function in the unit disk  $\mathbb{D}$ . Then we have  $|a_2| \leq |g_2| + 1 \leq 2$ . In the next theorem, we consider such functions with fixed second coefficient, whose series expansion are given by  $f(z) = z + 2bz^2 + \cdots$  and  $g(z) = z + cz^2 + \cdots$  with  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $|c| \leq 1$ .

**Definition 3.13.** For  $|b| \leq 1$  and  $|c| \leq 1$ , let

$$\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^5 := \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A}_{2b} : \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{f(z)}{g(z)}\right) > 0, \text{ where } g \in \mathcal{A}_c \cap \mathcal{K} = \mathcal{K}_c \right\}.$$

We now obtain the radius constants for the class  $\mathcal{F}^3_{b,c}$  in the following result.

**Theorem 3.14.** Assume that  $\delta_1 := |c - 2b|$ . For the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^5$ ,

1. the  $S^*(\lambda)$ -radius is the smallest root  $r_0 \in (0, 1)$  of

$$\begin{aligned} (\delta_1 + \beta_0 \delta_1 - \delta_1 \lambda) r^5 + (2 + \beta_0 + 3|c|\delta_1 + |c|\beta_0 \delta_1 - \lambda - 2|c|\delta_1 \lambda) r^4 \\ + (5|c| + |c|\beta_0 + 3\delta_1 - \beta_0 \delta_1 - 2|c|\lambda) r^3 + (3 - \beta_0 + (1 - \beta_0 + 2\lambda)\delta_1|c|) r^2 \\ (3.34) \\ + (2|c|\lambda + \delta_1 \lambda - |c| - |c|\beta_0) r + \lambda - 1 = 0, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\beta_0 = 2\alpha_0 - 1$  and  $\alpha_0 \in (0, 1)$  is the smallest positive root of the equation

$$2\alpha^3 - q\alpha^2 - 4\alpha + 2 = 0$$

in the interval [1/2, 2/3].

2. the  $S_P^*$ -radius is the smallest root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of

$$(\delta_1 + 2\beta_0\delta_1)r^5 + (3 + 2\beta_0 + 4|c|\delta_1 - 2|c|\beta_0\delta_1)r^4 + (8|c| - 2|c|\beta_0 + 6\delta_1 - 2\beta_0\delta_1 + 2|c|\beta_0\delta_1 - 2|c|^2\beta_0\delta_1)r^3 + (6 - 2\beta_0 + 2|c|\beta_0 - 2|c|^2\beta_0 + 4|c|\delta_1 - 2|c|\beta_0\delta_1)r^2 + (-2|c|\beta_0 + \delta_1)r - 1 = 0.$$
(3.35)

3. the  $S_L^*$ -radius is the smallest root  $r_2 \in (0,1)$  of

$$(\delta_{1} + \sqrt{2}\delta_{1} - \beta_{0}\delta_{1})r^{5} + (2 + \sqrt{2} - \beta_{0} + 3q\delta_{1} + 2\sqrt{2}|c|\delta_{1} - |c|\beta_{0}\delta_{1})r^{4} + (5|c| + 2\sqrt{2}|c| - |c|\beta_{0} + 3\delta_{1} + 2|c|^{2}\delta_{1} - \beta_{0}\delta_{1} - |c|\beta_{0}\delta_{1} - |c|^{2}\beta_{0}\delta_{1})r^{3} + (3 + 2|c|^{2} - \beta_{0} - |c|\beta_{0} - |c|^{2}\beta_{0} + 5|c|\delta_{1} - 2\sqrt{2}|c|\delta_{1} - |c|\beta_{0}\delta_{1})r^{2} (3.36) + (3|c| - 2\sqrt{2}|c| - |c|\beta_{0} + 2\delta_{1} - \sqrt{2}\delta_{1})r - \sqrt{2} + 1 = 0.$$

4. the  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius is the smallest root  $r_3 \in (0,1)$  of

$$(\delta_{1} + \beta \delta_{1} - \beta_{0} \delta_{1})r^{5} + (2 + \beta - \beta_{0} + 3|c|\delta_{1} + 2\beta|c|\delta_{1} - |c|\beta_{0}\delta_{1})r^{4} + (5|c| + 2\beta|c| - |c|\beta_{0} + 3\delta_{1} + 2|c|^{2}\delta_{1} - \beta_{0}\delta_{1} - |c|\beta_{0}\delta_{1} - |c|^{2}\beta_{0}\delta_{1})r^{3} + (3 + 2|c|^{2} - \beta_{0} - |c|\beta_{0} - |c|^{2}\beta_{0} + 5|c|\delta_{1} - 2b|c|\delta_{1} - |c|\beta_{0}\delta_{1})r^{2} (3.37) + (|c| - 2\beta|c| - |c|\beta_{0} + 2\delta_{1} - \beta\delta_{1})r - \beta + 1 = 0.$$

*Proof.* Define the functions h and p by h(z) = g(z)/f(z), and p(z) = zg'(z)/g(z). Then

$$h(z) = 1 + (c - 2b)z + \cdots$$
 and  $p(z) = 1 + cz + \cdots$ 

Since |f(z)/g(z) - 1| < 1 if and only if  $\operatorname{Re}(g(z)/f(z)) > 1/2$ , we have  $h \in \mathcal{P}_{(c-2b)/2}(1/2)$ . An application of Lemma 2.1 to the function h(z), gives

(3.38) 
$$\left|\frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)}\right| \le \frac{(\delta_1 r^2 + 2r + \delta_1)r}{(\delta_1 r + 1)(1 - r^2)},$$

where  $\delta_1 := |c - 2b|$ . Since  $g(z) = z + cz^2 + \cdots \in \mathcal{K}_c$ , it follows from Lemma that

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zg'(z)}{g(z)}\right) > \alpha_0,$$

where  $\alpha_0$  is the smallest positive root of the equation  $2\alpha^3 - |c|\alpha^2 - 4\alpha + 2 = 0$  in the interval [1/2, 2/3]. Thus  $\operatorname{Re}(p(z)) > \alpha_0$ .

(1) An application of Lemma with  $\alpha = \alpha_0$ , gives

$$(3.39) |p(z) - C_c| \le D_c$$

where

$$C_c = \frac{(1+|c|r)^2 - \beta_0(|c|+r)^2 r^2}{(1+2|c|r+r^2)(1-r^2)}, \quad D_c = \frac{(1-\beta_0)(|c|+r)(1+|c|r)r}{(1+2|c|r+r^2)(1-r^2)} \text{ and } \beta_0 = 2\alpha_0 - 1.$$

Since h(z) = g(z)/f(z) and p(z) = zg'(z)/g(z), we have

(3.40) 
$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - C_c \right| \le |p(z) - C_c| + \left| \frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} \right|.$$

From (3.39), (3.38) and (3.40), we have

(3.41) 
$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - C_c \right| \le D_c + \frac{(\delta_1 r^2 + 2r + \delta_1)r}{(\delta_1 r + 1)(1 - r^2)}.$$

Clearly  $f \in S^*(\lambda)$ , provided that

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \ge C_c - D_c - \frac{(\delta_1 r^2 + 2r + \delta_1)r}{(\delta_1 r + 1)(1 - r^2)} \ge \lambda$$

or equivalently, if the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} &(\delta_1 + \beta_0 \delta_1 - \delta_1 \lambda) r^5 + (2 + \beta_0 + 3|c|\delta_1 + |c|\beta_0 \delta_1 - \lambda - 2|c|\delta_1 \lambda) r^4 \\ &+ (5|c| + |c|\beta_0 + 3\delta_1 - \beta_0 \delta_1 - 2|c|\lambda) r^3 + (3 - \beta_0 + (\delta_1 - \beta_0 \delta_1 + 2\delta_1 \lambda)|c|) r^2 \\ &+ (-|c| - |c|\beta_0 + 2|c|\lambda + \delta_1 \lambda) r - 1 + \lambda \le 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the  $S^*(\lambda)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}^5_{b,c}$  is the smallest positive root  $r_0 \in (0,1)$  of (3.34).

(2) In view of Lemma 2.6, the disk given in (3.41) lies inside the parabolic region given by  $\Omega := \{w : |w - 1| < \operatorname{Re} w\}$  provided

$$D_c + \frac{(\delta_1 r^2 + 2r + \delta_1)r}{(\delta_1 r + 1)(1 - r^2)} \le C_c - 1/2$$

or equivalently, if the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{split} &(\delta_1+2\beta_0\delta_1)r^5+(3+2\beta_0+4|c|\delta_1-2|c|\beta_0\delta_1)r^4\\ &+(8|c|-2|c|\beta_0+6\delta_1-2\beta_0\delta_1+2|c|\beta_0\delta_1-2|c|^2\beta_0\delta_1)r^3\\ &+(6-2\beta_0+2|c|\beta_0-2|c|^2\beta_0+4|c|\delta_1-2|c|\beta_0\delta_1)r^2+(\delta_1-2|c|\beta_0)r-1\leq 0. \end{split}$$

Hence the  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^5$  is the smallest positive root  $r_1 \in (0,1)$  of (3.35).

(3) From Lemma 2.5, the function f satisfies  $|(zf'(z)/f(z))^2 - 1| < 1$ , in |z| < r, if the following inequality holds:

$$D_c + \frac{(\delta_1 r^2 + 2r + \delta_1)r}{(\delta_1 r + 1)(1 - r^2)} \le \sqrt{2} - C_c,$$

or equivalently, if the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} &(\delta_1 + \sqrt{2}\delta_1 - \beta_0\delta_1)r^5 + (2 + \sqrt{2} - \beta_0 + 3q\delta_1 + 2\sqrt{2}|c|\delta_1 - |c|\beta_0\delta_1)r^4 \\ &+ (5|c| + 2\sqrt{2}|c| - |c|\beta_0 + 3\delta_1 + 2|c|^2\delta_1 - \beta_0\delta_1 - |c|\beta_0\delta_1 - |c|^2\beta_0\delta_1)r^3 \\ &+ (3 + 2|c|^2 - \beta_0 - |c|\beta_0 - |c|^2\beta_0 + 5|c|\delta_1 - 2\sqrt{2}|c|\delta_1 - |c|\beta_0\delta_1)r^2 \\ &+ (3|c| - 2\sqrt{2}|c| - |c|\beta_0 + 2\delta_1 - \sqrt{2}\delta_1)r - \sqrt{2} + 1 \le 0. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the  $S_L^*$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^5$  is the smallest positive root  $r_2 \in (0,1)$  of (3.36).

(4) From (3.41), we have

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \le C_c + D_c + \frac{(\delta_1 r^2 + 2r + \delta_1)r}{(\delta_1 r + 1)(1 - r^2)} \le \beta.$$

if the following inequality holds:

$$\begin{split} &(\delta_1 + \beta \delta_1 - \beta_0 \delta_1)r^5 + (2 + \beta - \beta_0 + 3|c|\delta_1 + 2\beta|c|\delta_1 - |c|\beta_0 \delta_1)r^4 \\ &+ (5|c| + 2\beta|c| - |c|\beta_0 + 3\delta_1 + 2|c|^2\delta_1 - \beta_0\delta_1 - |c|\beta_0\delta_1 - |c|^2\beta_0\delta_1)r^3 \\ &+ (3 + 2|c|^2 - \beta_0 - |c|\beta_0 - |c|^2\beta_0 + 5|c|\delta_1 - 2b|c|\delta_1 - |c|\beta_0\delta_1)r^2 \\ &+ (|c| - 2\beta|c| - |c|\beta_0 + 2\delta_1 - \beta\delta_1)r - \beta + 1 = 0. \end{split}$$

Therefore, the  $\mathcal{M}(\beta)$ -radius of the class  $\mathcal{F}_{b,c}^5$  is the smallest positive root  $r_3 \in (0,1)$  of (3.37).

**Remark 3.15.** Note that for b = 1 = c, Theorem 3.14 reduces to the result [4, Theorem 2.5] of Ali *et al.* 

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