

Coefficient Bounds for Several Subclasses of Analytic and Bi-univalent Functions

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ABSTRACT. In the present paper, some generalizations of analytic functions have been considered and the bounds of the coefficients of these classes of bi-univalent functions have been investigated.

1. Introduction and Preliminaries

Let \mathcal{A} denote the class of functions of the form

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

which are analytic in the open unit disk $U = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$. Also let S denote the subclass of \mathcal{A} consisting of univalent functions in U . A function f in S is said to be starlike of order α ($0 \leq \alpha < 1$) in U if $Re(zf'(z)/f(z)) > \alpha$. We denote by $S^*(\alpha)$, the class of all such functions. A function f in S is said to be convex of order α ($0 \leq \alpha < 1$) in U if $Re(1 + zf''(z)/f'(z)) > \alpha$. Let $K(\alpha)$ denote the class of all those functions which are convex of order α in U . Mocanu [10] studied linear combinations of the representations of convex and starlike functions and defined the

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class of α -convex functions. In [9], it was shown that if

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ (1 - \alpha) \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha \left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \right\} > 0, \quad z \in U$$

then f is in the class of starlike functions $S^*(0)$ for α real and is in the class of convex functions $K(0)$ for $\alpha \geq 1$.

A function $f(z) \in S$ is said to be in the class of strongly starlike functions of order α , denoted by $S_s^*(\alpha)$, $0 \leq \alpha < 1$, if it satisfies the following inequality

$$\left| \arg \left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right) \right| \leq \frac{\alpha\pi}{2}, \quad z \in U,$$

and is said to be in the class of strongly convex functions of order α , $0 \leq \alpha < 1$, denoted by $K_c(\alpha)$, if it satisfies the following inequality

$$\left| \arg \left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \right| \leq \frac{\alpha\pi}{2}, \quad z \in U.$$

For two functions f and g , analytic in U , we say that the function f is subordinate to g , and write $f(z) \prec g(z)$, if there exists an analytic function $\varphi(z)$ defined in U with $\varphi(0) = 0$ and $|\varphi(z)| < 1$ such that $f(z) = g(\varphi(z))$.

For each $f \in S$, the Koebe one-quarter theorem [5] ensures the image of U under f contains a disk of radius $1/4$. Thus every univalent function $f \in S$ has an inverse f^{-1} satisfying

$$f^{-1}(f(z)) = z, \quad z \in U$$

and

$$f(f^{-1}(w)) = w, \quad |w| < r_0(f), \quad r_0(f) \geq \frac{1}{4}.$$

A function $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$ is said to be bi-univalent in U if both f and f^{-1} are univalent in U . If f given by (1.1) is bi-univalent, then a simple computation shows that $g = f^{-1}$ has the expansion

$$(1.2) \quad g(w) = w - a_2w^2 + (2a_2^2 - a_3)w^3 - (5a_2^3 - 5a_2a_3 + a_4)w^4 + \dots$$

Let Σ denote the class of all bi-univalent functions defined in the unit disk U .

Lewin [8] considered the class of bi-univalent functions Σ and obtained the following bound for the second coefficient in the Tylor-Maclaurin expansion as follows

$$|a_2| < 1.51,$$

for function $f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n \in \Sigma$. After that, Brannan and Clunie [3] conjectured that $|a_2| \leq \sqrt{2}$ for $f \in \Sigma$. Netanyahu [11] showed that $\max |a_2| = 4/3$ if $f \in \Sigma$. Brannan and Taha [4] studied some subclasses of bi-univalent functions, similar to the familiar subclasses of univalent functions consisting of strongly starlike,

starlike and convex functions. They introduced the class of bi-starlike functions and bi-convex functions and investigated estimates on the two initial coefficients. Until now, the coefficient estimate problem for each of the following Taylor-Maclaurin coefficients

$$|a_n|, \quad n \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{1, 2\}, \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, \dots\},$$

is presumably still an open problem. The bi-univalent functions was actually revived in the recent years by the pioneering work by Srivastava et al. [15]. In [15], two new subclasses of the function class Σ has been introduced and the estimates on the coefficients $|a_2|$ and $|a_3|$ for functions in these new subclasses of the function class Σ has been considered. After that, many authors investigated bounds for various subclasses of bi-univalent functions [1, 6, 12, 15, 16].

We notice that the class Σ is not empty. For example, the following functions are members of Σ :

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

However, the Koebe function is not a member of Σ .

In the next section, motivated essentially by the recent work of Srivastava et al. [15], Frasin and Aouf [6], Xu et al. [16] and other authors, we investigate interesting subclasses of analytic and bi-univalent functions in the open unit disk U . So we estimate the first two Taylor-Maclaurin coefficients $|a_2|$ and $|a_3|$ for these classes.

2. Coefficient Estimates

In the sequel, it is assumed that φ is an analytic function with positive real part in the unit disk U , satisfying $\varphi(0) = 1$, $\varphi'(0) > 0$ and $\varphi(U)$ is symmetric with respect to the real axis. Assume also that

$$(2.1) \quad \varphi(z) = 1 + B_1z + B_2z^2 + B_3z^3 + \dots, \quad B_1 > 0.$$

Suppose that $u(z)$ and $v(z)$ are analytic in the unit disk U with $u(0) = v(0) = 0$, $|u(z)| < 1$, $|v(z)| < 1$ and suppose that

$$(2.2) \quad u(z) = b_1z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_nz^n, \quad v(z) = c_1z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_nz^n, \quad |z| < 1.$$

It is well known that

$$(2.3) \quad |b_1| \leq 1, \quad |b_2| \leq 1 - |b_1|^2, \quad |c_1| \leq 1, \quad |c_2| \leq 1 - |c_1|^2.$$

By a simple calculation, we have

$$(2.4) \quad \varphi(u(z)) = 1 + B_1b_1z + (B_1b_2 + B_2b_1^2)z^2 + \dots,$$

$$(2.5) \quad \varphi(v(w)) = 1 + B_1c_1w + (B_1c_2 + B_2c_1^2)w^2 + \dots$$

Definition 2.1. A function f given by (1.1) is said to be in the class $H_{\Sigma}(\alpha, \beta, \varphi)$, $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $\beta \geq 0$, if $f \in \Sigma$ and satisfies the following conditions $f \in \mathcal{A}$ is said to be in the class

$$(1 - \beta) \left[(1 - \alpha) \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha \left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \right] + \beta \frac{zf'(z) + \alpha z^2 f''(z)}{(1 - \alpha)f(z) + \alpha z f'(z)} \prec \varphi(z),$$

and

$$(1 - \beta) \left[(1 - \alpha) \frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)} + \alpha \left(1 + \frac{wg''(w)}{g'(w)} \right) \right] + \beta \frac{wg'(w) + \alpha w^2 g''(w)}{(1 - \alpha)g(w) + \alpha w g'(w)} \prec \varphi(w),$$

where $g(w) = f^{-1}(w)$ is given by (1.2).

For special choices for the number α , β and function φ , we can obtain several important classes of analytic functions. For example, $H_{\Sigma}(0, 0, \frac{1+(1-2\alpha)z}{1-z})$ is the class $S^*(\alpha)$, $H_{\Sigma}(1, 0, \frac{1+(1-2\alpha)z}{1-z})$ is the class $K(\alpha)$, $H_{\Sigma}(0, 0, (\frac{1+z}{1-z})^{\alpha})$ is the class $S_s^*(\alpha)$ and $H_{\Sigma}(1, 0, (\frac{1+z}{1-z})^{\alpha})$ is the class $K_c(\alpha)$. These classes of analytic functions were well investigated by many authors [2, 7, 9, 10, 13, 14].

For proving our results we used the subordination concept which have been used by many authors (for example see [1]).

Theorem 2.2. If $f \in H_{\Sigma}(\alpha, \beta, \varphi)$ is in \mathcal{A} , then

$$(2.6) \quad |a_2| \leq \frac{B_1 \sqrt{B_1}}{\sqrt{|(1 + \alpha)(B_1^2 - (1 + \alpha)B_2) + B_1^2 \alpha \beta (1 - \alpha)| + (\alpha + 1)^2 B_1}},$$

and

$$(2.7) \quad |a_3| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{B_1}{2(1 + 2\alpha)}, & B_1 \leq \frac{(1 + \alpha)^2}{2(1 + 2\alpha)}, \\ \frac{|(1 + \alpha)(B_1^2 - (1 + \alpha)B_2) + B_1^2 \alpha \beta (1 - \alpha)| + 2(1 + 2\alpha)B_1^3}{2(1 + 2\alpha)[(\alpha + 1)^2 B_1 + |(1 + \alpha)(B_1^2 - (1 + \alpha)B_2) + B_1^2 \alpha \beta (1 - \alpha)]}, & B_1 \geq \frac{(1 + \alpha)^2}{2(1 + 2\alpha)}. \end{cases}$$

Proof. Let $f \in H_{\Sigma}(\alpha, \beta, \varphi)$ and $g = f^{-1}$. Then there exist two functions u and v ; analytic in U ; with $|u(z)| < 1$, $|v(w)| < 1$, $u(0) = v(0) = 0$, $z, w \in U$, given by (2.2), such that

$$(2.8) \quad (1 - \beta) \left[(1 - \alpha) \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha \left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \right] + \beta \frac{zf'(z) + \alpha z^2 f''(z)}{(1 - \alpha)f(z) + \alpha z f'(z)} = \varphi(u(z)),$$

and

$$(2.9) \quad (1 - \beta) \left[(1 - \alpha) \frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)} + \alpha \left(1 + \frac{wg''(w)}{g'(w)} \right) \right] + \beta \frac{wg'(w) + \alpha w^2 g''(w)}{(1 - \alpha)g(w) + \alpha w g'(w)} = \varphi(v(w)).$$

Since

$$(1 - \beta) \left[(1 - \alpha) \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha \left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \right] + \beta \frac{zf'(z) + \alpha z^2 f''(z)}{(1 - \alpha)f(z) + \alpha z f'(z)}$$

$$= 1 + (1 + \alpha)a_2 z + [2(1 + 2\alpha)a_3 - (1 + 3\alpha - \alpha\beta + \alpha^2\beta)a_2^2]z^2 + \dots$$

and

$$(1 - \beta) \left[(1 - \alpha) \frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)} + \alpha \left(1 + \frac{wg''(w)}{g'(w)} \right) \right] + \beta \frac{wg'(w) + \alpha w^2 g''(w)}{(1 - \alpha)g(w) + \alpha w g'(w)}$$

$$= 1 - (1 + \alpha)a_2 w - [(1 + 3\alpha - \alpha\beta + \alpha^2\beta)a_2^2 - 2(1 + 2\alpha)(2a_2^2 - a_3)]w^2 + \dots,$$

it follows from (2.4), (2.5), (2.8) and (2.9) that

$$(2.10) \quad (\alpha + 1)a_2 = B_1 b_1,$$

$$(2.11) \quad 2(1 + 2\alpha)a_3 - (1 + 3\alpha - \alpha\beta + \alpha^2\beta)a_2^2 = B_1 b_2 + B_2 b_1^2,$$

$$(2.12) \quad -(\alpha + 1)a_2 = B_1 c_1,$$

$$(2.13) \quad 2(1 + 2\alpha)(2a_2^2 - a_3) - (1 + 3\alpha - \alpha\beta + \alpha^2\beta)a_2^2 = B_1 c_2 + B_2 c_1^2.$$

From (2.10) and (2.12) we get

$$(2.14) \quad c_1 = -b_1,$$

and

$$(2.15) \quad 2(\alpha + 1)^2 a_2^2 = B_1^2 (b_1^2 + c_1^2).$$

By adding the relation (2.11) with the relation (2.13) and use (2.15) we can get

$$2[(1 + \alpha)(B_1^2 - (1 + \alpha)B_2) + B_1^2 \alpha \beta (1 - \alpha)] a_2^2 = B_1^3 (b_2 + c_2)$$

Now, in view of (2.3), (2.10) and (2.14) we have

$$2 \left| (1 + \alpha)(B_1^2 - (1 + \alpha)B_2) + B_1^2 \alpha \beta (1 - \alpha) \right| |a_2|^2 \leq B_1^3 (|b_2| + |c_2|)$$

$$\leq B_1^3 ((1 - |b_1|^2) + (1 - |c_1|^2))$$

$$\leq 2B_1^3 (1 - |b_1|^2)$$

$$= 2B_1^3 - 2(\alpha + 1)^2 B_1 |a_2|^2.$$

Then, we get

$$(2.16) \quad |a_2| \leq \frac{B_1 \sqrt{B_1}}{\sqrt{|(1+\alpha)(B_1^2 - (1+\alpha)B_2) + B_1^2 \alpha \beta(1-\alpha)| + (\alpha+1)^2 B_1}}.$$

Next, from (2.11) and (2.13), we have

$$4(1+2\alpha)a_3 = B_1(b_2 - c_2) + 4(1+2\alpha)a_2^2.$$

Then in view of (2.3) and (2.14), we have

$$\begin{aligned} 4(1+2\alpha)|a_3| &\leq 4(1+2\alpha)|a_2|^2 + B_1(|b_2| + |c_2|) \\ &\leq 4(1+2\alpha)|a_2|^2 + 2B_1(1 - |b_1|^2). \end{aligned}$$

It follows from (2.10) that

$$2B_1(1+2\alpha)|a_3| \leq [2B_1(1+2\lambda) - (1+\alpha)^2]|a_2|^2 + B_1^2.$$

Now from (2.16) we have

$$|a_3| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{B_1}{2(1+2\alpha)}, & B_1 \leq \frac{(1+\alpha)^2}{2(1+2\alpha)}, \\ \frac{|(1+\alpha)(B_1^2 - (1+\alpha)B_2) + B_1^2 \alpha \beta(1-\alpha)| + 2(1+2\alpha)B_1^3}{2(1+2\alpha)[(\alpha+1)^2 B_1 + |(1+\alpha)(B_1^2 - (1+\alpha)B_2) + B_1^2 \alpha \beta(1-\alpha)]}, & B_1 \geq \frac{(1+\alpha)^2}{2(1+2\alpha)}. \end{cases}$$

This completes the proof. \square

Remark 2.3. Let

$$\varphi(z) = \left(\frac{1+z}{1-z}\right)^\gamma = 1 + 2\gamma z + 2\gamma^2 z^2 + \dots, \quad 0 < \gamma \leq 1$$

then inequalities (2.6) and (2.7) become

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

and

$$|a_3| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{\gamma}{1+2\alpha}, & \gamma \leq \frac{(1+\alpha)^2}{4(1+2\alpha)}, \\ \frac{(1-\alpha)(1+\alpha+2\alpha\beta) + 16\gamma(1+2\alpha)}{\gamma(1+2\alpha)(1-\alpha)(1+\alpha+2\alpha\beta)}, & \gamma \geq \frac{(1+\alpha)^2}{4(1+2\alpha)}. \end{cases}$$

Definition 2.4. A function f given by (1.1) is said to be in the class $C_\Sigma(\lambda, \varphi)$, $0 \leq \lambda < 1$, if $f \in \Sigma$ and satisfies the following conditions

$$\frac{\lambda z^3 f'''(z) + (2\lambda + 1)z^2 f''(z) + z f'(z)}{\lambda z^2 f''(z) + z f'(z)} \prec \varphi(z),$$

and

$$\frac{\lambda w^3 g'''(w) + (2\lambda + 1)w^2 g''(w) + w g'(w)}{\lambda w^2 g''(w) + w g'(w)} \prec \varphi(w),$$

where $g(w) = f^{-1}(w)$ is given by (1.2).

Theorem 2.5. If $f \in C_\Sigma(\lambda, \varphi)$ is in \mathcal{A} , then

$$(2.17) \quad |a_2| \leq \frac{B_1 \sqrt{B_1}}{\sqrt{|2(2\lambda + 1 - 2\lambda^2)B_1^2 - 4(\lambda + 1)^2 B_2| + 4(\lambda + 1)^2 B_1}},$$

and

$$(2.18) \quad |a_3| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{B_1}{6(1 + 2\lambda)}, & B_1 \leq \frac{2(1 + \lambda)^2}{3(1 + 2\lambda)}, \\ \frac{|(2\lambda + 1 - 2\lambda^2)B_1^2 - 2(\lambda + 1)^2 B_2| + 3(1 + 2\lambda)B_1^3}{3(1 + 2\lambda)[|2(2\lambda + 1 - 2\lambda^2)B_1^2 - 4(\lambda + 1)^2 B_2| + 4(\lambda + 1)^2 B_1]}, & B_1 \geq \frac{2(1 + \lambda)^2}{3(1 + 2\lambda)}. \end{cases}$$

Proof. Let $f \in C_\Sigma(\lambda, \varphi)$ and $g = f^{-1}$. Then there are analytic functions $u, v : U \rightarrow U$ given by (2.2) such that

$$(2.19) \quad \frac{\lambda z^3 f'''(z) + (2\lambda + 1)z^2 f''(z) + z f'(z)}{\lambda z^2 f''(z) + z f'(z)} = \varphi(u(z)),$$

and

$$(2.20) \quad \frac{\lambda w^3 g'''(w) + (2\lambda + 1)w^2 g''(w) + w g'(w)}{\lambda w^2 g''(w) + w g'(w)} = \varphi(v(w)).$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\lambda z^3 f'''(z) + (2\lambda + 1)z^2 f''(z) + z f'(z)}{\lambda z^2 f''(z) + z f'(z)} \\ &= 1 + 2(\lambda + 1)a_2 z + 2 \left((1 + 2\lambda)(3a_3 - 2a_2^2) - 2\lambda^2 a_2^2 \right) z^2 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\lambda w^3 g'''(w) + (2\lambda + 1)w^2 g''(w) + w g'(w)}{\lambda w^2 g''(w) + w g'(w)} \\ &= 1 - 2(\lambda + 1)a_2 w + \left(2(1 + 2\lambda)(4a_2^2 - 3a_3) - 4\lambda^2 a_2^2 \right) w^2 + \dots, \end{aligned}$$

it follows from (2.4), (2.5), (2.19) and (2.20) that

$$(2.21) \quad 2(\lambda + 1)a_2 = B_1b_1,$$

$$(2.22) \quad 2(1 + 2\lambda)(3a_3 - 2a_2^2) - 4\lambda^2a_2^2 = B_1b_2 + B_2b_1^2,$$

$$(2.23) \quad -2(\lambda + 1)a_2 = B_1c_1,$$

$$(2.24) \quad 2(1 + 2\lambda)(4a_2^2 - 3a_3) - 4\lambda^2a_2^2 = B_1c_2 + B_2c_1^2.$$

From (2.21) and (2.23) we get

$$(2.25) \quad c_1 = -b_1,$$

and

$$(2.26) \quad 8(\lambda + 1)^2a_2^2 = B_1^2(b_1^2 + c_1^2).$$

By adding the relation (2.22) with the relation (2.24) and use (2.26) we have

$$2\left(B_1^2(4\lambda - 4\lambda^2 + 2) - 4(\lambda + 1)^2B_2\right)a_2^2 = B_1^3(b_2 + c_2).$$

Now, in view of (2.3), (2.21) and (2.25) we have

$$\begin{aligned} 2\left|B_1^2(4\lambda - 4\lambda^2 + 2) - 4(\lambda + 1)^2B_2\right| |a_2|^2 &\leq B_1^3(|b_2| + |c_2|) \\ &\leq B_1^3((1 - |b_1|^2) + (1 - |c_1|^2)) \\ &\leq 2B_1^3(1 - |b_1|^2) \\ &= 2B_1^3 - 8(\lambda + 1)^2B_1|a_2|^2. \end{aligned}$$

Then, we get

$$(2.27) \quad |a_2| \leq \frac{B_1\sqrt{B_1}}{\sqrt{|2(2\lambda + 1 - 2\lambda^2)B_1^2 - 4(\lambda + 1)^2B_2| + 4(\lambda + 1)^2B_1}}.$$

Next, from (2.22) and (2.24), we have

$$12(1 + 2\lambda)a_3 = B_1(b_2 - c_2) + 12(1 + 2\lambda)a_2^2.$$

Then in view of (2.3) and (2.25), we have

$$\begin{aligned} 12(1 + 2\lambda)|a_3| &\leq 12(1 + 2\lambda)|a_2|^2 + B_1(|b_2| + |c_2|) \\ &\leq 12(1 + 2\lambda)|a_2|^2 + 2B_1(1 - |b_1|^2). \end{aligned}$$

It follows from (2.21) that

$$6B_1(1 + 2\lambda)|a_3| \leq [6B_1(1 + 2\lambda) - 4(1 + \lambda)^2]|a_2|^2 + B_1^2.$$

Now from (2.27) we have

$$|a_3| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{B_1}{6(1 + 2\lambda)}, & B_1 \leq \frac{2(1 + \lambda)^2}{3(1 + 2\lambda)}, \\ \frac{|(2\lambda + 1 - 2\lambda^2)B_1^2 - 2(\lambda + 1)^2B_2| + 3(1 + 2\lambda)B_1^3}{3(1 + 2\lambda)[|2(2\lambda + 1 - 2\lambda^2)B_1^2 - 4(\lambda + 1)^2B_2| + 4(\lambda + 1)^2B_1]}, & B_1 \geq \frac{2(1 + \lambda)^2}{3(1 + 2\lambda)}. \end{cases}$$

This completes the proof. □

Remark 2.6. If let

$$\varphi(z) = \left(\frac{1 + z}{1 - z}\right)^\alpha = 1 + 2\alpha z + 2\alpha^2 z^2 + \dots, \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 1$$

in theorem 2.5, then inequalities (2.17) and (2.18) become

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{\lambda(2 + \lambda + 3\alpha\lambda)}},$$

and

$$|a_3| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{\alpha}{3(1 + 2\lambda)}, & \alpha \leq \frac{(1 + \lambda)^2}{3(1 + 2\lambda)}, \\ \frac{\alpha(2\alpha + \lambda(3\alpha + \lambda))}{2\lambda(1 + 2\lambda)(1 - \alpha)(1 + \lambda + 3\alpha\lambda)}, & \alpha \geq \frac{(1 + \lambda)^2}{3(1 + 2\lambda)}. \end{cases}$$

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