

# CERTAIN SPECIAL SUBCLASSES OF ANALYTIC FUNCTION ASSOCIATED WITH BI-UNIVALENT FUNCTIONS

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we have established and studied two new subclasses of bi-univalent functions defined in the open unit disc  $U$ . Furthermore, we find Taylor-Maclaurin coefficients  $|a_2|$  and  $|a_3|$  for these new subclasses .

## 1 Introduction

Let  $A$  denote the class of functions of the form :

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

which are analytic in the unit disc  $U = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ . Let  $S$  denote the subclass of  $A$ , which consists of functions of the form (1.1) that are univalent and normalized by the conditions  $f(0) = 0$  and  $f'(0) = 1$  in  $U$ .

A function  $f \in S$  is said to be starlike of order  $\alpha$  ( $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ) if and only if

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

and is convex of order  $\alpha$  ( $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ) if and only if

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

Denote these classes respectively by  $S^*(\alpha)$  and  $K(\alpha)$ .

It is well known by the Koebe one quarter theorem [4] that the image of  $U$  under every function  $f \in S$  contains a disc of radius  $\frac{1}{4}$ . Thus every univalent function  $f \in S$  has an inverse  $f^{-1}$ , satisfying  $f^{-1}(f(z)) = z$ ,  $z \in U$  and  $f(f^{-1}(w)) = w$ ,  $(|w| < r_0(f); r_0(f) \geq \frac{1}{4})$ .

The inverse of  $f(z)$  has a series expansion in some disc about the origin of the form

$$f^{-1}(w) = w + A_2 w^2 + A_3 w^3 + \dots \quad (1.2)$$

A function  $f(z)$  univalent in a neighborhood of the origin and its inverse satisfy the condition  $f(f^{-1}(w)) = w$ .

Using (1.1), we have

$$w = f^{-1}(w) + a_2 (f^{-1}(w))^2 + a_3 (f^{-1}(w))^3 + \dots \quad (1.3)$$

Now using (1.2), we get following result

$$f^{-1}(w) = w - a_2 w^2 + (2a_2^2 - a_3) w^3 - (5a_2^3 - 5a_2 a_3 + a_4) w^4 + \dots \quad (1.4)$$

A function  $f \in A$  is said to be bi-univalent in  $U$  if both  $f(z)$  and  $f^{-1}(z)$  are univalent in  $U$ . Let  $\Sigma$  denote the class of bi-univalent functions in  $U$  given by (1.1). Some examples of functions in the class  $\Sigma$  are

$$\frac{z}{1-z}, -\log(1-z), \frac{1}{2}\log\left(\frac{1+z}{1-z}\right) \text{ and so on.}$$

However, the familiar Koebe function is not bi-univalent. Also functions in  $S$  such as  $\frac{2z-z^2}{2}$  and  $\frac{z}{1-z^2}$  are not bi-univalent functions (see[10]).

In [6] Lewin first investigated the class  $\Sigma$  of bi-univalent functions and showed that  $|a_2| < 1.51$ . Subsequently, Brannan and Clunie [2] conjectured that  $|a_2| \leq \sqrt{2}$ . Netanyahu [7], on the other hand showed that  $\max_{f \in \Sigma} |a_2| = \frac{4}{3}$ .

The coefficient estimate problem for each of the Taylor-Maclaurin coefficients  $|a_n|$  ( $n \geq 3; n \in \mathbb{N}$ ) for each  $f \in \Sigma$  given by (1.1) is still an open problem.

In [3] Brannan and Taha introduced certain subclasses of bi-univalent function class  $\Sigma$  similar to the familiar subclasses  $S^*(\alpha)$  and  $K(\alpha)$  of the univalent function class  $S$ . Thus following Brannan and Taha [3], a function  $f \in A$  of the form (1.1) is in the class  $S^*_\Sigma(\alpha)$  ( $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ ) of strongly bi-starlike functions of order  $\alpha$  if it satisfies following conditions :

$$f \in \Sigma \text{ and } \left| \arg\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) \right| < \frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \quad (z \in U; 0 < \alpha \leq 1)$$

$$\text{and } \left| \arg\left(\frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)}\right) \right| < \frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \quad (w \in U; 0 < \alpha \leq 1),$$

where  $g$  is extension of  $f^{-1}$  to  $U$ . The classes  $S^*_\Sigma(\alpha)$  and  $K_\Sigma(\alpha)$  of bi-starlike function of order  $\alpha$  and bi-convex function of order  $\alpha$  respectively, corresponding to the function classes  $S^*(\alpha)$  and  $K(\alpha)$ , were also introduced analogously. For each of the function classes  $S^*_\Sigma(\alpha)$  and  $K_\Sigma(\alpha)$ , they found non-sharp estimates on the initial coefficients  $|a_2|$  and  $|a_3|$  ( for details see [3]).

In [9] Srivastava et al. introduced two new subclasses of analytic and bi-univalent functions as follows :

**Definition 1.1** A function  $f(z)$  given by (1.1) is said to be in the class  $H_\Sigma(\alpha)$  if the following conditions are satisfied :

$$f \in \Sigma \text{ and } |\arg(f'(z))| < \frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \quad (z \in U)$$

$$\text{and } |\arg(g'(w))| < \frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \quad (w \in U),$$

where  $0 < \alpha \leq 1$  and the function  $g$  is extension of  $f^{-1}$  to  $U$  and is given by

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

**Definition 1.2** A function  $f(z)$  given by (1.1) is said to be in the class  $H_\Sigma(\beta)$  if the following conditions are satisfied :

$$f \in \Sigma \text{ and } \operatorname{Re}(f'(z)) > \beta \quad (z \in U)$$

$$\text{and } \operatorname{Re}(g'(w)) > \beta \quad (w \in U),$$

where  $0 \leq \beta < 1$ , and the function  $g$  is extension of  $f^{-1}$  to  $U$  and is given by

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

In [1] Babalola defined the class  $\mathfrak{L}_\lambda(\beta)$  of  $\lambda$ -pseudo starlike functions of order  $\beta$  as follows.

**Definition 1.3** Let  $f \in A$ , suppose  $0 \leq \beta < 1$  and  $\lambda \geq 1$  is real then  $f(z) \in \mathfrak{L}_\lambda(\beta)$  in the unit

disc  $U$  if and only if

$$Re \left( \frac{z[f'(z)]^\lambda}{f(z)} \right) > \beta \quad (z \in U).$$

Also in [1] Babalola proved that all pseudo-starlike functions are Bazilevic of type  $\left(1 - \frac{1}{\lambda}\right)$ , order  $\beta^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}$  and univalent in open disc  $U$ . Recently, Joshi et al. [5] introduced and investigated the subclasses of bi-univalent functions associated with pseudo starlike functions.

Motivated by aforementioned work of Babalola [1], we introduce two new subclasses of bi-univalent function classes  $H_{\Sigma}^{\alpha, \lambda}$  and  $H_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(\beta)$  which is similar type to  $\lambda$ -pseudo starlike functions. We estimates on the initial coefficients  $|a_2|$  and  $|a_3|$  for these two new subclasses of bi-univalent functions. The techniques used are same as Srivastava et al.[10].

In order to derive our main results, we have to recall here the following Lemma.

**Lemma 1.1** [8] Let  $h \in P$  the family of all functions  $h$  analytic in  $U$  for which  $Re \{h(z)\} > 0$  and have the form

$$h(z) = 1 + p_1z + p_2z^2 + p_3z^3 + \dots \text{ for } z \in U.$$

Then  $|p_n| \leq 2$  for each  $n$ .

## 2 Coefficient bounds for the function class $H_{\Sigma}^{\alpha, \lambda}$ .

**Definition 2.1.** A function  $f(z)$  given by (1.1) is said to be in the class  $H_{\Sigma}^{\alpha, \lambda}$  if the following conditions are satisfied :

$$f \in \Sigma \text{ and } \left| arg(f'(z))^\lambda \right| < \frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \quad (z \in U) \tag{2.1}$$

$$\text{and } \left| arg(g'(w))^\lambda \right| < \frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \quad (w \in U), \tag{2.2}$$

where  $0 < \alpha \leq 1, \lambda > 0$  and the function  $g$  is extension of  $f^{-1}$  to  $U$  and is given by

$$g(w) = w - a_2w^2 + [2a_2^2 - a_3]w^3 + \dots \tag{2.3}$$

We state and prove the following results.

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $f(z)$  given by (1.1) be in the class  $H_{\Sigma}^{\alpha, \lambda}$ . Then

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{2\alpha}{\sqrt{2\lambda(2\lambda + \alpha)}} \tag{2.4}$$

and

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{\alpha(2\lambda + 3\alpha)}{3\lambda^2}. \tag{2.5}$$

*Proof.* We can write the argument inequality in (2.1) and (2.2) as

$$[f'(z)]^\lambda = [p(z)]^\alpha \tag{2.6}$$

and

$$[g'(w)]^\lambda = [q(w)]^\alpha \tag{2.7}$$

respectively.

Where  $p(z)$  and  $q(w)$  satisfy the inequalities  $Re(p(z)) > 0 \ (z \in U)$  and  $Re(q(w)) > 0 \ (w \in U)$ . Furthermore the functions  $p(z), q(w) \in P$  have the forms

$$p(z) = 1 + p_1z + p_2z^2 + p_3z^3 + \dots$$

and

$$q(w) = 1 + q_1w + q_2w^2 + q_3w^3 + \dots$$

Clearly,

$$[p(z)]^\alpha = 1 + \alpha p_1 z + \left( \alpha p_2 + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} p_1^2 \right) z^2 + \dots \quad (2.8)$$

and

$$[q(w)]^\alpha = 1 + \alpha q_1 w + \left( \alpha q_2 + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} q_1^2 \right) w^2 + \dots \quad (2.9)$$

Also

$$[f'(z)]^\lambda = 1 + 2\lambda a_2 z + [3\lambda a_3 + 2\lambda(\lambda-1)a_2^2]z^2 + \dots \quad (2.10)$$

and

$$[g'(w)]^\lambda = 1 - 2\lambda a_2 w + [(2\lambda^2 + 4\lambda)a_2^2 - 3\lambda a_3]w^2 + \dots \quad (2.11)$$

Now equating the coefficients in (2.6) and (2.7) we get

$$2\lambda a_2 = \alpha p_1, \quad (2.12)$$

$$3\lambda a_3 + 2\lambda(\lambda-1)a_2^2 = \alpha p_2 + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} p_1^2, \quad (2.13)$$

$$-2\lambda a_2 = \alpha q_1, \quad (2.14)$$

$$(2\lambda^2 + 4\lambda)a_2^2 - 3\lambda a_3 = \alpha q_2 + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} q_1^2. \quad (2.15)$$

From equations (2.12) and (2.14) we get

$$p_1 = -q_1 \quad (2.16)$$

and

$$8\lambda^2 a_2^2 = \alpha^2 (p_1^2 + q_1^2). \quad (2.17)$$

Now by adding equations (2.13) and (2.15), we get

$$(4\lambda^2 + 2\lambda)a_2^2 = \alpha(p_2 + q_2) + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} (p_1^2 + q_1^2),$$

by using (2.17), we get

$$\begin{aligned} (4\lambda^2 + 2\lambda)a_2^2 &= \alpha(p_2 + q_2) + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} \left( \frac{8\lambda^2 a_2^2}{\alpha^2} \right) \\ \Rightarrow a_2^2 &= \frac{\alpha^2 (p_2 + q_2)}{2\lambda(2\lambda + \alpha)}. \end{aligned}$$

Applying Lemma 1 for the coefficients  $p_2$  and  $q_2$ , we have

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

This gives the bound on  $|a_2|$  as given in (2.4).

Next, in order to find the bound on  $|a_3|$ , by subtracting (2.15) from (2.13) we get

$$6\lambda a_3 - 6\lambda a_2^2 = \alpha(p_2 - q_2) + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} (p_1^2 - q_1^2).$$

From (2.16) we get  $p_1^2 = q_1^2$  and also using (2.17) we have

$$6\lambda a_3 = \frac{3\alpha^2 p_1^2}{2\lambda} + \alpha(p_2 - q_2)$$

$$a_3 = \frac{\alpha^2 p_1^2}{4\lambda^2} + \frac{\alpha(p_2 - q_2)}{6\lambda}.$$

Applying Lemma 1 for the coefficients  $p_1, p_2$  and  $q_2$ , we get

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

This completes the proof of Theorem 1. □

### 3 Coefficient bounds for the function class $H_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(\beta)$ .

**Definition 3.1.** A function  $f(z)$  given by (1.1) is said to be in the class  $H_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(\beta)$  if the following conditions are satisfied :

$$f \in \Sigma \text{ and } Re[(f'(z))^{\lambda}] > \beta \tag{3.1}$$

$$\text{and } Re[(g'(w))^{\lambda}] > \beta. \tag{3.2}$$

where  $z \in U, w \in U, 0 \leq \beta < 1, \lambda > 0$  and the function  $g$  is defined in (2.3). For functions in the class  $H_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(\beta)$  the following coefficient estimates hold.

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $f(z)$  given by (1.1) be in the class  $H_{\Sigma}^{\lambda}(\beta)$ . Then

$$|a_2| \leq \sqrt{\frac{2(1-\beta)}{\lambda(2\lambda+1)}} \tag{3.3}$$

and

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{(1-\beta)(2\lambda-3\beta+3)}{3\lambda^2}. \tag{3.4}$$

*Proof.* First of all, the argument inequalities in (3.1) and (3.2) can be written in their equivalent forms as :

$$(f'(z))^{\lambda} = \beta + (1-\beta)p(z) \tag{3.5}$$

and

$$(g'(w))^{\lambda} = \beta + (1-\beta)q(w) \tag{3.6}$$

respectively.

Where  $p(z), q(w) \in P$  and have the forms

$$p(z) = 1 + p_1z + p_2z^2 + p_3z^3 + \dots$$

and

$$q(w) = 1 + q_1w + q_2w^2 + q_3w^3 + \dots$$

Clearly,

$$\beta + (1-\beta)p(z) = 1 + (1-\beta)p_1z + (1-\beta)p_2z^2 + \dots$$

and

$$\beta + (1 - \beta)q(w) = 1 + (1 - \beta)q_1w + (1 - \beta)q_2w^2 + \dots .$$

Also

$$(f'(z))^\lambda = 1 + 2\lambda a_2z + [3\lambda a_3 + 2\lambda(\lambda - 1)a_2^2]z^2 + \dots$$

and

$$(g'(w))^\lambda = 1 - 2\lambda a_2w + [(2\lambda^2 + 4\lambda)a_2^2 - 3\lambda a_3]w^2 + \dots .$$

Now, equating the coefficients in (3.5) and (3.6), we get

$$2\lambda a_2 = (1 - \beta)p_1 , \tag{3.7}$$

$$3\lambda a_3 + 2(\lambda^2 - \lambda)a_2^2 = (1 - \beta)p_2 , \tag{3.8}$$

$$-2\lambda a_2 = (1 - \beta)q_1 , \tag{3.9}$$

$$(2\lambda^2 + 4\lambda)a_2^2 - 3\lambda a_3 = (1 - \beta)q_2. \tag{3.10}$$

From equations (3.7) and (3.9), we have

$$p_1 = -q_1 \tag{3.11}$$

and

$$8\lambda^2 a_2^2 = (1 - \beta)^2(p_1^2 + q_1^2) . \tag{3.12}$$

Now, by adding equations (3.8) and (3.10), we get

$$\begin{aligned} (4\lambda^2 + 2\lambda)a_2^2 &= (1 - \beta)(p_2 + q_2) \\ \Rightarrow |a_2^2| &\leq \frac{(1 - \beta)(|p_2| + |q_2|)}{(4\lambda^2 + 2\lambda)} . \end{aligned}$$

Applying Lemma 1 for the coefficients  $p_2$  and  $q_2$ , we have

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

Which is the bound on  $|a_2|$  as given in (3.3).

Next, in order to find the bound on  $|a_3|$ , by subtracting (3.10) from (3.8), we get

$$\begin{aligned} 6\lambda a_3 - 6\lambda a_2^2 &= (1 - \beta)(p_2 - q_2). \\ 6\lambda a_3 &= 6\lambda a_2^2 + (1 - \beta)(p_2 - q_2). \end{aligned}$$

From (3.11), we get  $p_1^2 = q_1^2$  and also using (3.12) we have

$$a_3 = \frac{(1 - \beta)^2(p_1^2)}{4\lambda^2} + \frac{(1 - \beta)(p_2 - q_2)}{6\lambda} .$$

Applying Lemma 1 for the coefficients  $p_1, p_2$  and  $q_2$ , we get

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

This completes the proof of Theorem 2.

□

By specializing the parameter in this work we get result studied by earlier author.

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