

ON A SUBCLASS OF UNIFORMLY CONVEX FUNCTIONS INVOLVING CHO-SRIVASTAVA OPERATOR

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Abstract. The authors introduce a new subclass $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ of functions which are analytic in the open disc $\Delta = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$. Various results studied include the coefficient estimates and distortion bounds, radii of close-to-convexity, starlikeness and convexity and integral means inequalities for functions belonging to the above class. Relevances of the main results are also briefly indicated.

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1. Introduction and Motivations

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

$$(1) \quad f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n,$$

which are analytic in the open unit disc $\Delta := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$. Let \mathcal{S} be a subclass of \mathcal{A} consisting of univalent functions in Δ . By $\mathcal{S}^*(\beta)$ and $\mathcal{K}(\beta)$, respectively, we mean the classes of analytic functions that satisfy the analytic conditions

$$\Re \left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right) > \beta, \quad \text{and} \quad \Re \left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) > \beta \quad (z \in \Delta)$$

for $0 \leq \beta < 1$. In particular, $\mathcal{S}^* = \mathcal{S}^*(0)$ and $\mathcal{K} = \mathcal{K}(0)$, respectively, are the well-known standard classes of starlike and convex functions. Let \mathcal{T} denote the subclass of \mathcal{S} of functions of the form

$$(2) \quad f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n \quad (a_n \geq 0),$$

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which are analytic in the open unit disc Δ , introduced and studied in [10]. Analogously to the subclasses $\mathcal{S}^*(\beta)$ and $\mathcal{K}(\beta)$ of \mathcal{S} , respectively, the subclasses of \mathcal{T} denoted by $\mathcal{T}^*(\beta)$ and $\mathcal{C}(\beta)$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$, have also been investigated in [10]. For functions $f \in \mathcal{A}$ given by (1) and $g \in \mathcal{A}$ given by $g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n z^n$, we define the Hadamard product (or convolution) of f and g by

$$(3) \quad (f * g)(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n b_n z^n \quad (z \in \Delta).$$

Also, for functions $f \in \mathcal{A}$, we recall the multiplier transformation $I(\lambda, k)$ introduced by Cho and Srivastava [3] which is defined by

$$(4) \quad I(\lambda, k)f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \Psi_n a_n z^n \quad (\lambda \geq 0; k \in \mathbb{Z}),$$

where

$$(5) \quad \Psi_n := \left(\frac{n + \lambda}{1 + \lambda} \right)^k$$

and, obviously it follows that

$$(6) \quad z (I(\lambda, k) f(z))' = (1 + \lambda)I(\lambda, k + 1) f(z) - \lambda I(\lambda, k) f(z).$$

In the special case when $\lambda = 1$, the operators $I(1, k)$ were studied earlier by Uralegaddi and Somanatha [15]. It may be observed that the operators $I(\lambda, k)$ are closely related to the multiplier transformations studied by Flett [4] and also to the differential and integral operators investigated by Sălăgean [8]. For comprehensive details of various convolution operators which are related to the multiplier transformations of Flett [4], one may refer to the paper of Li and Srivastava [5] (as well as the references cited by therein). For the purpose of this paper, we now define a unified class of analytic functions which is based on the Cho-Srivastava operator (1.4).

Definition 1. For $0 \leq \delta \leq \gamma \leq 1$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$ and $\alpha \geq 0$, and for all $z \in \Delta$, we let the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ consist of functions $f \in \mathcal{T}$ which satisfy the condition

$$(7) \quad \Re \left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - \beta \right) > \alpha \left| \frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1 \right|,$$

where

$$(8) \quad F(z) := F_1(z) + F_2(z) + F_3(z),$$

and

$$(9) \quad F_1(z) := \gamma \delta (1 + \lambda)^2 I(\lambda, k + 2) f(z),$$

$$(10) \quad F_2(z) := \{\gamma - \delta - \gamma \delta (1 + 2\lambda)\} (1 + \lambda) I(\lambda, k + 1) f(z),$$

$$(11) \quad F_3(z) := \{1 - (\lambda + 1)(\gamma - \delta - \gamma \delta \lambda)\} I(\lambda, k) f(z),$$

and $I(\lambda, k)f(z)$ is the Cho-Srivastava operator defined by (4).

The function class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ unifies many well known classes of analytic univalent functions. To illustrate, we observe that the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, 0, 0)$ was studied by Kamali and Kadioglu [7] and the class $\mathcal{UH}(0, \beta, 0, \gamma, 0, 0)$ was studied by Altintas in [1]. Also, many other classes including $\mathcal{UH}(0, \beta, 0, 0, 0, 0)$ and $\mathcal{UH}(0, \beta, 1, 0, 0, 0)$ were investigated by Srivastava *et al.* [14]. We further note that the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, 0, \gamma, 0, 0)$ is the known class of α -uniformly convex functions of order β studied by Aqlan *et al.* [2] (also see [13]).

In the present paper we obtain a characterization property giving coefficients estimates, distortion theorem and covering theorem, extreme points and radii of close-to-convexity, starlikeness and convexity and integral means inequalities for functions belonging to the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$.

2. Coefficient estimates and Distortion bounds

Theorem 1. *Let $f \in \mathcal{T}$ be given by (2), then $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ if and only if*

$$(12) \quad \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [\{n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta)\} \{(n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1\}] \Psi_n a_n \leq 1 - \beta,$$

where $0 \leq \delta \leq \gamma \leq 1$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$ and $\alpha \geq 0$. The result is sharp for the function

$$(13) \quad f(z) = z - \frac{1 - \beta}{\{n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta)\} \{(n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1\}} z^n \quad (n \geq 2).$$

Proof. Following [2], we assert that $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ if and only if the condition (7) is satisfied and this is equivalent to

$$(14) \quad \Re \left\{ \frac{zF'(z)(1 + \alpha e^{i\theta}) - F(z)\alpha e^{i\theta}}{F(z)} \right\} > \beta \quad (-\pi \leq \theta < \pi).$$

By putting $G(z) = zF'(z)(1 + \alpha e^{i\theta}) - F(z)\alpha e^{i\theta}$, (14) is equivalent to

$$|G(z) + (1 - \beta)F(z)| > |G(z) - (1 + \beta)F(z)| \quad (0 \leq \beta < 1),$$

where $F(z)$ is as defined in (8). Simple computations readily give

$$\begin{aligned} & |G(z) + (1 - \beta)F(z)| \geq (2 - \beta)|z| - \\ & - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\left\{ n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) + 1 \right\} \left\{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n a_n |z|^n \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & |G(z) - (1 + \beta)F(z)| \leq \beta|z| + \\ & + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\left\{ n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n a_n |z|^n. \end{aligned}$$

It follows that

$$|G(z) + (1 - \beta)F(z)| - |G(z) - (1 + \beta)F(z)| \geq 2(1 - \beta)|z| - 2 \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\left\{ n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n a_n |z|^n \geq 0,$$

which implies that $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$.

On the other hand, for all $-\pi \leq \theta < \pi$, we assume that

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} (1 + \alpha e^{i\theta}) - \alpha e^{i\theta} \right\} > \beta.$$

Choosing the values of z on the positive real axis such that $0 \leq |z| = r < 1$, and using the fact that $\Re \{-e^{i\theta}\} \geq -|e^{i\theta}| = -1$, the above inequality can be written as

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{(1 - \beta) - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\left\{ n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n a_n r^{n-1}}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\left\{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n a_n r^{n-1}} \right\} \geq 0,$$

which on letting $r \rightarrow 1^-$ yields the desired inequality (2.1). \square

Theorem 2. *If $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$, then*

$$(15)_n \leq \frac{1 - \beta}{\left[\left\{ n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n} \quad (n \geq 2),$$

where $0 \leq \delta \leq \gamma \leq 1$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$ and $\alpha \geq 0$. Equality in (15) holds for the function

$$(16)(z) = z - \frac{1 - \beta}{\left[\left\{ n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n} z^n.$$

It may be observed that for $\lambda = k = \delta = \gamma - 1 = \alpha = 0$, Theorem 1 corresponds to the following results due to Silverman [10].

Corollary 1. ([10]) *If $f \in \mathcal{T}$, then $f \in \mathcal{K}(\beta)$ if and only if*

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n - \beta)a_n \leq 1 - \beta.$$

Corollary 2. ([10]) *If $f \in \mathcal{K}(\beta)$, then $f \in \mathcal{T}^* \left(\frac{2}{3 - \beta} \right)$. The result is sharp for the extremal function*

$$f(z) = z - \frac{1 - \beta}{2(2 - \beta)} z^2.$$

Theorem 3. *If $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$, then $f \in \mathcal{T}^*(\eta)$, where*

$$\eta = 1 - \frac{1 - \beta}{\left[\left\{ 2(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ 2\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_2 - (1 - \beta)}.$$

This result is sharp with the extremal function given by

$$f(z) = z - \frac{1 - \beta}{\left[\left\{ 2(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ 2\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_2} z^2.$$

Proof. It is sufficient to show that (12) implies

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n - \eta) a_n \leq 1 - \eta.$$

In view of (2.4), we find that

$$(17) \quad \frac{n - \eta}{1 - \eta} \leq \frac{\left[\left\{ n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n}{1 - \beta} \quad (n \geq 2).$$

For $n \geq 2$, (17) is equivalent to

$$\eta \leq 1 - \frac{(n - 1)(1 - \beta)}{\left[\left\{ n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n - (1 - \beta)} = \Phi(n),$$

and since $\Phi(n) \leq \Phi(2)$ ($n \geq 2$), therefore, (17) holds true for any $0 \leq \delta \leq \gamma \leq 1$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$ and $\alpha \geq 0$. This completes the proof of Theorem 3. \square

The following results give the growth and distortion bounds for the class of functions $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ which can be established by adopting the well known methods of derivation and we omit the proof details.

Theorem 4. *If $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$, then ($z = re^{i\theta} \in \Delta$):*

$$(18) \quad r - B(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda)r^2 \leq |f(z)| \leq r + B(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda)r^2,$$

where

$$(19) \quad B(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda) := \frac{1 - \beta}{\left[\left\{ 2(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ 2\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_2}$$

and Ψ_2 is given by (5)

Theorem 5. *If $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$, then ($|z| = r < 1$):*

$$(20) \quad 1 - B(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda)r \leq |f'(z)| \leq 1 + B(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda)r,$$

where $B(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda)$ is given by (2.8).

The equality in Theorems 4 and 5 hold for the function given by

$$f(z) = z - \frac{1 - \beta}{\left[\left\{ 2(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ 2\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_2} z^2.$$

3. Radii of close-to-convexity, starlikeness and convexity

The following results giving the radii of convexity, starlikeness and convexity for a function f to belong to the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ can be established by following similar lines of proof as given in [13] and [14]. We merely state here these results and omit their proof details.

Theorem 6. *Let the function $f \in \mathcal{T}$ be in the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$, then $f(z)$ is close-to-convex of order ρ ($0 \leq \rho < 1$) in $|z| < r_1(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \rho)$, where*

$$r_1(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \rho) = \inf_n \left[\frac{(1-\rho) [\{n(\alpha+1) - (\alpha+\beta)\} \{ (n-1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \}] \Psi_n}{n(1-\beta)} \right]^{\frac{1}{n-1}}$$

for $n \geq 2$ with Ψ_n defined as in (5). The result is sharp for the function $f(z)$ given by (13).

Theorem 7. *Let the function $f(z)$ defined by (2) be in the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$, then $f(z)$ is starlike of order ρ ($0 \leq \rho < 1$) in $|z| < r_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \rho)$, where*

$$r_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \rho) = \inf_n \left[\frac{(1-\rho) [\{n(\alpha+1) - (\alpha+\beta)\} \{ (n-1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \}] \Psi_n}{(n-\rho)(1-\beta)} \right]^{\frac{1}{n-1}}$$

for $n \geq 2$ with Ψ_n defined as in (5). The result is sharp for the function $f(z)$ given by (13).

Theorem 8. *Let the function $f(z)$ defined by (2) be in the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$, then $f(z)$ is convex of order ρ ($0 \leq \rho < 1$) in $|z| < r_3(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \rho)$, where*

$$r_3(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \rho) = \inf_n \left[\frac{(1-\rho) [\{n(\alpha+1) - (\alpha+\beta)\} \{ (n-1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \}] \Psi_n}{n(n-\rho)(1-\beta)} \right]^{\frac{1}{n-1}}$$

for $n \geq 2$ with Ψ_n defined as in (5). The result is sharp for the function $f(z)$ given by (13).

4. Extreme points of the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$

Theorem 9. *Let $f_1(z) = z$ and*

$$(21) \quad f_n(z) = z - \frac{1-\beta}{[\{n(\alpha+1) - (\alpha+\beta)\} \{ (n-1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \}] \Psi_n} z^n,$$

for $n \geq 2$ and Ψ_n be as defined in (5). Then $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ if and only if it can be represented in the form

$$(22) \quad f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n f_n(z) \quad (\mu_n \geq 0), \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n = 1.$$

Proof. Suppose $f(z)$ is expressible in the form (22). Then

$$f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \left\{ \frac{1 - \beta}{[\{n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta)\} \{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1\}] \Psi_n} \right\} z^n.$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{[\{n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta)\} \{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1\}] \Psi_n (1 - \beta)}{(1 - \beta) [\{n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta)\} \{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1\}] \Psi_n} \\ & = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n = 1 - \mu_1 \leq 1, \end{aligned}$$

which implies that $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$. Conversely, suppose $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$. Using (15), we may write

$$\mu_n = \frac{[\{n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta)\} \{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1\}] \Psi_n}{1 - \beta} a_n \quad (n \geq 2)$$

and $\mu_1 = 1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n$. This gives $f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n f_n(z)$, where $f_n(z)$ is given by (21). □

Corollary 3. *The extreme points of $f \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ are the functions $f_1(z) = z$ and*

$$f_n(z) = z - \frac{1 - \beta}{[\{n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta)\} \{ (n - 1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1\}] \Psi_n} z^n \quad (n \geq 2).$$

Theorem 10. *The class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ is a convex set.*

Proof. Suppose the functions

$$(23) \quad f_j(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_{n,j} z^n \quad (a_{n,j} \geq 0; \quad j = 1, 2)$$

be in the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$. It sufficient to show that the function $g(z)$ defined by

$$g(z) = \mu f_1(z) + (1 - \mu) f_2(z) \quad (0 \leq \mu \leq 1)$$

is in the class $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$. Since

$$g(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [\mu a_{n,1} + (1 - \mu)a_{n,2}]z^n,$$

and applying Theorem 1, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\{n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta)\} \left\{ (n-1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_n[\mu a_{n,1} + (1 - \mu)a_{n,2}] \\ \leq \mu(1 - \beta) + (1 - \mu)(1 - \beta) \leq 1 - \beta, \end{aligned}$$

which asserts that $g \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$. Hence $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ is convex. \square

5. Integral Means Inequalities

Lemma 1. ([6]) *If the functions f and g are analytic in Δ with $g \prec f$, then for $\eta > 0$, and $0 < r < 1$:*

$$(24) \quad \int_0^{2\pi} |g(re^{i\theta})|^\eta d\theta \leq \int_0^{2\pi} |f(re^{i\theta})|^\eta d\theta.$$

In [10], Silverman found that the function $f_2(z) = z - \frac{z^2}{2}$ is often extremal over the family \mathcal{T} . He applied this function to obtain the following integral means inequality (which was conjectured in [11] and settled in [12]):

$$\int_0^{2\pi} |f(re^{i\theta})|^\eta d\theta \leq \int_0^{2\pi} |f_2(re^{i\theta})|^\eta d\theta$$

for all $f \in \mathcal{T}$, $\eta > 0$ and $0 < r < 1$. In [12], he also proved his conjecture for the subclasses $T^*(\beta)$ and $C(\beta)$ of \mathcal{T} .

In this section, we obtain integral means inequalities for the functions in the family $\mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$. By assigning appropriate values to the parameters $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k$, we can deduce various integral means inequalities for various known as well as new subclasses. We prove the following result.

Theorem 11. *Suppose $f(z) \in \mathcal{UH}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, k)$ and $\eta > 0$. If $f_2(z)$ is defined by*

$$f_2(z) = z - \frac{1 - \beta}{\Phi(\alpha, \beta, \delta, \lambda, \gamma, k, 2)} z^2,$$

where

$$(25) \quad \Phi(\alpha, \beta, \delta, \lambda, \gamma, k, 2) = (2 - \beta) \left[\left\{ 2(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \left\{ (2\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1 \right\} \right] \Psi_2$$

$$\Psi_2 := \left(\frac{2 + \lambda}{1 + \lambda} \right)^k,$$

then for $z = re^{i\theta}$ ($0 < r < 1$):

$$(26) \quad \int_0^{2\pi} |f(z)|^\eta d\theta \leq \int_0^{2\pi} |f_2(z)|^\eta d\theta.$$

Proof. For

$$f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n,$$

(26) is equivalent to proving that

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \left| 1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| z^{n-1} \right|^\eta d\theta \leq \int_0^{2\pi} \left| 1 - \frac{(1-\gamma)}{\Phi(\alpha, \beta, \delta, \lambda, \gamma, k, 2)} z \right|^\eta d\theta.$$

By Lemma 1, it suffices to show that

$$1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| z^{n-1} < 1 - \frac{1-\gamma}{\Phi(\alpha, \beta, \delta, \lambda, \gamma, k, 2)} z.$$

Setting

$$(27) \quad 1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| z^{n-1} = 1 - \frac{1-\gamma}{\Phi(\alpha, \beta, \delta, \lambda, \gamma, k, 2)} w(z),$$

and using (12), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |w(z)| &= \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\Phi(\alpha, \beta, \delta, \lambda, \gamma, k, n)}{1-\gamma} |a_n| z^{n-1} \right| \\ &\leq |z| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\Phi(\alpha, \beta, \delta, \lambda, \gamma, k, n)}{1-\gamma} |a_n| \\ &\leq |z|, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\Phi(\alpha, \beta, \delta, \lambda, \gamma, k, n) = [\{n(\alpha + 1) - (\alpha + \beta)\} \{(n-1)(n\gamma\delta + \gamma - \delta) + 1\}] \Psi_n$$

and Ψ_n is given by (5). This completes the proof of Theorem 11. \square

Finally, we conclude this paper by remarking that by suitably specializing the values of the parameters λ , k , δ , γ , and α in the various results mentioned in this paper, we would be led to some interesting results including those which were obtained in [7], [9], [10] and [12].

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