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SUBORDINATION RESULTS ASSOCIATED WITH HADAMARD PRODUCT

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ABSTRACT. In the present investigation, we consider an unified class of functions of complex order using Hadamard's convolution. We obtain a necessary and sufficient condition for functions to be in these classes.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Let \mathcal{A} be the class of all analytic functions

$$(1.1) \quad f(z) = z + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z^3 + \dots$$

in the open unit disk $\Delta = \{z \in \mathbb{C}; |z| < 1\}$. A function $f \in \mathcal{A}$ is subordinate to a univalent function $g \in \mathcal{A}$, written $f(z) \prec g(z)$, if $f(0) = g(0)$ and $f(\Delta) \subseteq g(\Delta)$. Let Ω be the family of analytic functions $\omega(z)$ in the unit disc Δ satisfying the conditions $\omega(0) = 0$, $|\omega(z)| < 1$ for $z \in \Delta$. Note that $f(z) \prec g(z)$ if there is a function $w(z) \in \Omega$ such that $f(z) = g(w(z))$. Let \mathcal{S} be the subclass of \mathcal{A} consisting of univalent functions. The class $S^*(\phi)$, introduced and studied by Ma and Minda [7], consists of functions in $f \in \mathcal{S}$ for which

$$\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \prec \phi(z), \quad (z \in \Delta).$$

Recently, Ravichandran et al. [10] defined classes related to the class of starlike functions of complex order defined as

Definition 1.1. Let $b \neq 0$ be a complex number. Let $\phi(z)$ be an analytic function with positive real part on Δ with $\phi(0) = 1$, $\phi'(0) > 0$ which maps the unit disk Δ onto a region starlike with respect to 1 which is symmetric with respect to the real axis. Then the class $S_b^*(\phi)$ consists of all analytic functions $f \in \mathcal{A}$ satisfying

$$1 + \frac{1}{b} \left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right) \prec \phi(z).$$

The class $C_b(\phi)$ consists of functions $f \in \mathcal{A}$ satisfying

$$1 + \frac{1}{b} \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \prec \phi(z).$$

Following the work of Ma and Minda [7], Shanmugam and Sivasubramanian [16] obtained Fekete-Szegő inequality for the more general class $M_\alpha(\phi)$, defined by

$$\frac{\alpha z^2 f''(z) + zf'(z)}{(1-\alpha)f(z) + \alpha z f'(z)} \prec \phi(z),$$

where $\phi(z)$ satisfies the condition mentioned in Definition 1.1.

Let g be a fixed function. For

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

and

$$g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n z^n \in \mathcal{A},$$

the Hadamard product(or convolution product) is given by

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

For various choices of $g(z)$ we get different operators and are listed below.

- (1) For $g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_{n-1}(\alpha_2)_{n-1}, \dots, (\alpha_q)_{n-1}}{(\beta_1)_{n-1}(\beta_2)_{n-1}, \dots, (\beta_s)_{n-1}(1)_{n-1}} z^n$, we get the Dziok–Srivastava operator $H_{q,s}(\alpha)f(z)$ introduced by Dziok and Srivastava [5].

- (2) For $g(z) = \phi(a, c, z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n}{(c)_n} z^n$, we get the Carlson-Shaffer operator $L(a, c)f(z)$ introduced by Carlson-Shaffer [1].
- (3) For $g(z) = \frac{z}{(1-z)^{\lambda+1}}$, we get the Ruschweyh operator $D^\lambda f(z)$ introduced by Ruschweyh[13].
- (4) For $g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^m z^n$ ($m \geq 0$), we get the Sălăgean operator $D^m f(z)$ introduced by Sălăgean [15].
- (5) For $g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left(\frac{n+\lambda}{1+\lambda}\right)^k z^n$ ($\lambda \geq 0; k \in \mathbb{Z}$), we get the multiplier transformation $I(\lambda, k)$ introduced by Cho and Srivastava[3].
- (6) For $g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n \left(\frac{n+\lambda}{1+\lambda}\right)^k z^n$ ($\lambda \geq 0; k \in \mathbb{Z}$), the multiplier transformation $I(\lambda, k)$ introduced by Cho and Kim [2]

In this paper, we introduce a more general class of complex order $M[g, b, \alpha](\phi)$ which we define below.

Definition 1.2. Let $b \neq 0$ be a complex number. Let $\phi(z)$ be an analytic function with positive real part on Δ with $\phi(0) = 1, \phi'(0) > 0$ which maps the unit disk Δ onto a region starlike with respect to 1 which is symmetric with respect to the real axis. Then the class $M[g, b, \alpha](\phi)$ consists of all analytic functions $f \in \mathcal{A}$ satisfying

$$1 + \frac{1}{b} (\Psi(g, \alpha) - 1) \prec \phi(z), \quad (\alpha \geq 0)$$

where,

$$\Psi(g, \alpha) := \frac{\alpha z^2 (f * g)''(z) + z (f * g)'(z)}{(1 - \alpha)(f * g)(z) + \alpha z (f * g)'(z)}.$$

Clearly,

$$M \left[\frac{z}{1-z}, b, 0 \right] (\phi) \equiv S_b^*(\phi),$$

$$M \left[\frac{z}{1-z}, b, 1 \right] (\phi) \equiv M \left[\frac{z}{(1-z)^2}, b, 0 \right] (\phi) \equiv C_b(\phi),$$

and $M \left[\frac{z}{(1-z)^2}, b, 1 \right] (\phi)$ consists of all analytic functions $f \in \mathcal{A}$ satisfying

$$1 + \frac{1}{b} \left(\frac{z^2 f'''(z) + 2z f''(z)}{z f''(z) + f'(z)} \right) \prec \phi(z).$$

Motivated essentially by the aforementioned works, we obtain certain necessary and sufficient conditions for the unified class of functions $M[g, b, \alpha](\phi)$ which we have defined. The Motivation of this paper is to generalize the results obtained by Srivastava and Lashin [17].

Our results includes several known results. To see this, let $M \left[\frac{z}{1-z}, b, 0 \right] (A, B) \equiv S^*(A, B, b)$ and $M \left[\frac{z}{1-z}, b, 0 \right] (A, B) \equiv C(A, B, b)$ ($b \neq 0$, complex) denote the classes $S_b^*(\phi)$ and $C_b(\phi)$ respectively when

$$\phi(z) = \frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz} \quad (-1 \leq B < A \leq 1).$$

The class $S^*(A, B, b)$ and therefore the class $S_b^*(\phi)$ specialize to several well-known classes of univalent functions for suitable choices of A, B and b . The class $S^*(A, B, 1)$ is denoted by $S^*(A, B)$.

Some of these classes are listed below where $ST(b)$ denotes $1 + \frac{1}{b} \left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right)$.

- (1) $S^*(1, -1, 1)$ is the class S^* of starlike functions [6, 4, 9].
- (2) $S^*(1, -1, b)$ is the class of starlike functions of complex order introduced by Wiatrowski [18]. We denote this class by S_b^* .
- (3) $S^*(1, -1, 1 - \beta)$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$, is the class $S^*(\beta)$ of starlike functions of order β . This class was introduced by Robertson [11].
- (4) $S^*(1, 0, b)$ is the set defined by $|ST(b) - 1| < 1$.
- (5) $S^*(\beta, 0, b)$ is the set defined by $|ST(b) - 1| < \beta$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$.
- (6) $S^*(\beta, -\beta, b)$ is the set defined by $\left| \frac{ST(b) - 1}{ST(b) + 1} \right| < \beta$, $0 \leq \beta < 1$.

To prove our main result, we need the following results.

The following result follows from a result of Ruscheweyh [13] for functions in the class $S^*(\phi)$ (see Ruscheweyh [14, Theorem 2.37, pages 86–88]).

Lemma 1.1. [10] *Let ϕ be a convex function defined on Δ , $\phi(0) = 1$. Define $F(z)$ by*

$$(1.2) \quad F(z) = z \exp \left(\int_0^z \frac{\phi(x) - 1}{x} dx \right).$$

Let $q(z) = 1 + c_1z + \dots$ be analytic in Δ . Then

$$(1.3) \quad 1 + \frac{zq'(z)}{q(z)} \prec \phi(z)$$

if and only if for all $|s| \leq 1$ and $|t| \leq 1$, we have

$$(1.4) \quad \frac{q(tz)}{q(sz)} \prec \frac{sF(tz)}{tF(sz)}.$$

Lemma 1.2. [8, Corollary 3.4h.1, p.135] *Let $q(z)$ be univalent in Δ and let $\varphi(z)$ be analytic in a domain containing $q(\Delta)$. If $\frac{zq'(z)}{\varphi(q(z))}$ is starlike, and*

$$zp'(z)\varphi(p(z)) \prec zq'(z)\varphi(q(z)),$$

then $p(z) \prec q(z)$ and $q(z)$ is the best dominant.

2. MAIN RESULTS

By making use of Lemma 1.1, we have the following:

Theorem 2.1. *Let $\phi(z)$ and $F(z)$ be as in Lemma 1.1. The function $f \in M[g, b, \alpha](\phi)$ if and only if for all $|s| \leq 1$ and $|t| \leq 1$, we have*

$$(2.1) \quad \left(\frac{s[(1-\alpha)(f * g)(tz) + \alpha z(f * g)'(tz)]}{t[(1-\alpha)(f * g)(sz) + \alpha z(f * g)'(sz)]} \right)^{1/b} \prec \frac{sF(tz)}{tF(sz)}.$$

Proof. Define the function $p(z)$ by

$$(2.2) \quad p(z) := \left(\frac{(1-\alpha)(f * g)(z) + \alpha z(f * g)'(z)}{z} \right)^{1/b}.$$

By taking logarithmic derivative of $p(z)$ given by (2.2), we get

$$(2.3) \quad \frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)} = \frac{1}{b} \left\{ \frac{\alpha z^2(f * g)''(z) + z(f * g)'(z)}{(1 - \alpha)(f * g)(z) + \alpha z(f * g)'(z)} - 1 \right\}.$$

The result now follows from Lemma 1.1. ■

Letting $g(z) = \frac{z}{1-z}$ and $\alpha = 0$ in Theorem 2.1, we obtain

Corollary 2.2. *Let $\phi(z)$ and $F(z)$ be as in Lemma 1.1. The function $f \in S_b^*(\phi)$ if and only if for all $|s| \leq 1$ and $|t| \leq 1$, we have*

$$(2.4) \quad \left(\frac{sf(tz)}{tf(sz)} \right)^{\frac{1}{b}} \prec \frac{sF(tz)}{tF(sz)}.$$

Letting $g(z) = \frac{z}{1-z}$ and $\alpha = 1$ in Theorem 2.1, we obtain

Corollary 2.3. *Let $\phi(z)$ and $F(z)$ be as in Lemma 1.1. The function $f \in C_b(\phi)$ if and only if for all $|s| \leq 1$ and $|t| \leq 1$, we have*

$$\left(\frac{f'(tz)}{f'(sz)} \right)^{\frac{1}{b}} \prec \frac{sF(tz)}{tF(sz)}.$$

As an immediate consequence of the above Corollary 2.3, we have

Corollary 2.4. *Let $\phi(z)$ and $F(z)$ be as in Lemma 1.1. If $f \in S_b^*(\phi)$, then we have*

$$(2.5) \quad \frac{f(z)}{z} \prec \left(\frac{F(z)}{z} \right)^b.$$

Letting $g(z) = \frac{z}{(1-z)^2}$ and $\alpha = 1$ in Theorem 2.1, we have

Corollary 2.5. *Let $\phi(z)$ and $F(z)$ be as in Lemma 1.1. Then*

$$(2.6) \quad 1 + \frac{1}{b} \left(\frac{z^2 f'''(z) + 2z f''(z)}{z f''(z) + f'(z)} \right) \prec \phi(z).$$

if and only if for all $|s| \leq 1$ and $|t| \leq 1$, we have

$$\left(\frac{(zf')'(tz)}{(zf')'(sz)} \right)^{\frac{1}{b}} \prec \frac{sF(tz)}{tF(sz)}.$$

Theorem 2.6. *Let ϕ starlike with respect to 1 and $F(z)$ is given by (1.2) be starlike. If $f \in M[g, b, \alpha](\phi)$, then we have*

$$(2.7) \quad \frac{(1 - \alpha)(f * g)(z) + \alpha z(f * g)'(z)}{z} \prec \left(\frac{F(z)}{z} \right)^b.$$

Proof. Define the functions $p(z)$ and $q(z)$ by

$$p(z) := \left(\frac{(1 - \alpha)(f * g)(z) + \alpha z(f * g)'(z)}{z} \right)^{1/b}, \quad q(z) := \left(\frac{F(z)}{z} \right).$$

Then a computation yields

$$1 + \frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)} = 1 + \frac{1}{b} (\Psi(g, \alpha) - 1)$$

where

$$\Psi(g, \alpha) = \left\{ \frac{\alpha z^2(f * g)''(z) + z(f * g)'(z)}{(1 - \alpha)(f * g)(z) + \alpha z(f * g)'(z)} - 1 \right\}$$

and

$$\frac{zq'(z)}{q(z)} = \left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1 \right) = \phi(z) - 1.$$

Since $f \in M[g, b, \alpha](\phi)$, we have

$$\frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)} = \frac{1}{b} (\Psi(g, \alpha) - 1) \prec \phi(z) - 1 = \frac{zq'(z)}{q(z)}.$$

The result now follows by an application of Lemma 1.2. ■

Letting $g(z) = \frac{z}{(1 - z)^2}$ and $\alpha = 1$ in Theorem 2.6, we have

Corollary 2.7. *Let ϕ starlike with respect to 1 and $F(z)$ is given by (1.2) be starlike. If*

$$(2.8) \quad 1 + \frac{1}{b} \left(\frac{z^2 f'''(z) + 2z f''(z)}{z f''(z) + f'(z)} \right) \prec \phi(z).$$

then we have

$$(2.9) \quad z f''(z) + f'(z) \prec \left(\frac{F(z)}{z} \right)^b.$$

By taking $\phi(z) = \frac{1 + z}{1 - z}$, $g(z) = \frac{z}{1 - z}$ and $\alpha = 0$ in Theorem 2.6, we get the following result of Srivastava and Lashin [17]:

Corollary 2.8. *If $f \in S_b^*$, then*

$$\frac{f(z)}{z} \prec \frac{1}{(1 - z)^{2b}}.$$

By taking $\phi(z) = \frac{1 + z}{1 - z}$, $g(z) = \frac{z}{1 - z}$ and $\alpha = 1$ in Theorem 2.6, we get another result of Srivastava and Lashin [17]:

Corollary 2.9. *If $f \in C_b$, then*

$$f'(z) \prec \frac{1}{(1 - z)^{2b}}.$$

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