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# Some Results on a Class of Analytic Functions Defined By Fractional Integral

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#### **Abstract**

In the present paper, we introduce a new class namely  $\pounds$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) of analytic functions, in terms of fractional integral operator and prove various sharp results. In our first result we obtain a necessary and sufficient condition for G (z) subsequently a containment relation is proved. We also find a class preserving integral operator.

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## 1 Introduction and Definitions

Let  $\mathcal{T}$  denote the class of the functions of the form

$$f(z) = a_1 z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \quad (a_1 > 0; a_n \ge 0)$$
 (1.1)

Which are univalent in the open unit disk  $u = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ .

A function f(z) belongs to the class  $\mathcal{T}^*(A, B, p)$  if and only if

$$\left| \frac{\frac{zf'(z)}{pf(z)} - 1}{\frac{Bzf'(z)}{pf(z)} - A} \right| < 1, \qquad z \in u$$

$$(1.2)$$

Where  $-1 \le A < B \le 1$ . The class  $\mathcal{T}^*$  (A, B, p) is studied by Goel and Sohi [5].

Now, we investigate a new class  $\mathfrak{L}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ), of analytic starlike functions, in terms of fractional integral operator, over the elements of  $\mathcal{T}^*$  (A, B, p) having negative coefficients.

A function G belongs to the class  $\mathbf{\pounds}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ), if it satisfies

$$G(z) = \frac{\Gamma(1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(1+p)} z^{-\delta} D_z^{-\delta} f(z), \quad z \in u$$
(1.3)

for some f(z) belonging to the class  $\mathcal{T}^*(A, B, p)$ .

Here  $D_z^{-\delta} f(z)$  denotes the fractional integral of f(z) of order  $\delta$ , defined by

$$D_z^{-\delta} f(z) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\delta)} \int_0^z \frac{f(\zeta)d\zeta}{(z-\zeta)^{1-\delta}} , \qquad (\delta > 0)$$
 (1.4)

Where f is an analytic function in a simply connected region of the z-plane containing the origin and the multiplicity of  $(z-\zeta)^{\delta-1}$  is removed by requiring  $\log(z-\zeta)$  to be real when  $(z-\zeta)>0$ .

By giving the specific values of parameters  $\delta$  and p, we obtain the following subclasses of univalent functions studied by Kumar [6] and Libra [3].

- (i) Taking p = 1 in (1.3), the class  $\mathbf{\pounds}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) reduces to the class  $\mathbf{\pounds}$  ( $\delta$ , k,  $\rho$ , f) for some f belongs to the class  $\mathcal{T}$  ( $\rho$ , k), studied by Kumar [6].
- (ii) Taking  $\delta = 1$  in (1.3), the class  $\mathbf{\pounds}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) reduces to the integral operator

$$G(z) = \frac{1+p}{z} \int_0^z f(\zeta) d\zeta$$

(iii) Taking p = 1 and  $\delta = 1$  in (1.3), the class  $\pounds$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) reduces to

$$G(z) = \frac{2}{z} \int_0^z f(\zeta) d\zeta$$

The integral operator studied by Libera [3]. Where the operator defined by (1.3) may be treated as generalization of the Libera integral operator.

In a paper Sharma and Singh [4] introduced the class G ( $\lambda$ ,  $\mu$ , A, B, b) of analytic functions f (z) of complex order b, using convolution technique. They estimated the coefficient an and generalized Ahuja [2] further obtained sufficient conditions for the function f (z) belonging to the class G ( $\lambda$ ,  $\mu$ , A, B, b) extending Chaudhary [1].

This motivates our main results in the setting of newly introduced class £ (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) of analytic functions.

#### 2 Main Results

To prove our main results, we state a lemma due to Goel and Sohi [5].

**Lemma (1)** [5]: A function f (z) defined by (1.1) belongs to the class  $\mathcal{I}^*$  (A, B, p) if and only if

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ (1+B)n + (B-A)p \right\} \left| a_{p+n} \right| \le (B-A)p$$

(2.1)

The result is sharp with the external function

$$f(z) = z^{p} - \frac{(B-A)p}{\{(1+B)n + (B-A)p\}} z^{p+n} , \qquad (n \in N)$$
(2.2)

Now we obtain necessary and sufficient Condition:

**Theorem (1):** A function  $G(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |c_{p+n}| z^{p+n}$  belongs to the class £ (A, B, f,

 $p, \delta$ ) if and only if

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\left\{ (1+B)n + (B-A)p \right\}}{(B-A)p} \frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)} \Big| c_{p+n} \Big| \le 1$$
(3.1)

**Proof:** By definition G belongs to the class  $\mathfrak{L}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) if it satisfies the relation (1.3) for some f (z) belongs to  $\mathcal{T}^*$  (A, B, p). Let f(z) defined by (1.1), then after a simple computation, we obtain

$$G(z) = \frac{\Gamma(1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(1+p)} z^{-\delta} D_z^{-\delta} f(z)$$

$$= z^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)} \Big| a_{p+n} \Big| z^{p+n}$$
clearly
$$\left| c_{p+n} \right| = \frac{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)} \Big| a_{p+n} \Big|$$
or
$$\left| a_{p+n} \right| = \frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)} \Big| c_{p+n} \Big|, \qquad (n \in N)$$
(3.2)

The required result follows now by using (3.2) in Lemma (1).

Let G belongs to the class  $\mathbf{\pounds}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ), where f (z) defined by (1.1), then

(3.3) where 
$$|c_{p+n}| = \frac{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)} |a_{p+n}| = \frac{|a_{p+n}|}{\gamma(n,p,\delta)}$$
 and 
$$\gamma(n,p,\delta) = \frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)}.$$
 Clearly, 
$$\frac{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)} = \frac{(1+p)(2+p)......(n+p)}{(1+p+\delta)(2+p+\delta).....(n+p+\delta)}$$
 
$$\frac{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)} = \prod_{j=1}^{n} \frac{(j+p)}{(j+p+\delta)} < 1 \text{ for all } \delta > 0.$$
 Thus 
$$|c_{p+n}| < |a_{p+n}|, \text{ for all } n \ge 1 \text{ and therefore}$$
 
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\{(1+B)n+(B-A)p\}}{(B-A)p} |c_{p+n}| < \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\{(1+B)n+(B-A)p\}}{(B-A)p} |a_{p+n}| \le 1,$$

Since f (z) belongs to the class  $\mathcal{T}^*$  (A, B, p). Hence G belongs to the class  $\mathbf{\pounds}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) and thus we get containment relation

$$\mathfrak{L}(A, B, f, p, \delta) \subseteq \mathscr{T}^*(A, B, p).$$
 (3.4) Since 
$$\lim_{\beta \to 0} \mathfrak{L}(A, B, f, p, \delta) \equiv \mathscr{T}^*(A, B, p).$$

The relation (3.4) can also be written as  $\mathfrak{L}(A, B, f, p, \delta) \subseteq \lim_{\beta \to 0} \mathfrak{L}(A, B, f, p, \beta)$ .

### In our next result we obtain containment Relation:

**Theorem (2):** If  $0 < \beta \le \delta$ , then  $\mathfrak{L}(A, B, f, p, \delta) \subseteq \mathfrak{L}(A, B, f, p, \beta)$ .

**Proof:** Let the function G defined by (3.3) belongs to the class  $\mathbf{\pounds}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ). Then from (3.1), we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\left\{ (1+B)n + (B-A)p \right\}}{(B-A)p} \frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)} \Big| c_{p+n} \Big| \le 1.$$

Next, since  $\beta \le \delta$ , we have

(4.1)

$$\frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\beta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\beta)} = \prod_{j=1}^{n} \left\{ \frac{j+p+\beta}{j+p} \right\} \le \prod_{j=1}^{n} \left\{ \frac{j+p+\beta}{j+p} \right\}, \text{ since } \beta \le \delta$$

$$\frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\beta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\beta)} = \frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)}.$$

Therefore

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\left\{ (1+B)n + (B-A)p \right\}}{(B-A)p} \frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)} \Big| c_{p+n} \Big|$$

$$\leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\left\{ (1+B)n + (B-A)p \right\}}{(B-A)p} \frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\delta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\delta)} \Big| c_{p+n} \Big|$$
(4.2)

Using (4.1) in (4.2), we get

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\left\{ (1+B)n + (B-A)p \right\}}{(B-A)p} \frac{\Gamma(1+p)\Gamma(n+1+p+\beta)}{\Gamma(n+1+p)\Gamma(1+p+\beta)} \Big| c_{p+n} \Big| \le 1.$$

Hence G belongs to the class  $\mathbf{\pounds}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) and this complete the proof of the theorem.

With the aid of Theorem (1), we immediately obtain the following theorems.

**Theorem (3):** Let  $0 \le \delta \le 1$ ,  $-1 \le A_1 \le A_2 < 1$  and  $0 \le B \le 1$ . Then

$$\pounds (A_1, B, f, p, \delta) \subseteq \pounds (A_2, B, f, p, \delta).$$

**Theorem (4):** Let  $0 \le \delta \le 1$ ,  $-1 \le A < 1$  and  $0 \le B_1 \le B_2 \le 1$ . Then

$$\boldsymbol{\mathfrak{t}}\left(A,\,B_{1},\,f,\,p,\,\delta\right)\subseteq\;\boldsymbol{\mathfrak{t}}\left(A,\,B_{2},\,f,\,p,\,\delta\right)$$

**Corollary (4.1):** Let  $0 \le \delta \le 1$ ,  $-1 \le A_1 \le A_2 < 1$  and  $0 \le B_1 \le B_2 \le 1$ . Then

$$\boldsymbol{\pounds}\left(A_{1},B_{1},f,p,\delta\right)\subseteq\;\boldsymbol{\pounds}\left(A_{1},B_{1},f,p,\delta\right)\subseteq\;\boldsymbol{\pounds}\left(A_{2},B_{1},f,p,\delta\right).$$

**Theorem (5):** Let  $0 \le \delta \le 1$ ,  $-1 \le A < 1$  and  $0 \le B \le 1$ . Then

 $\pounds$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) =  $\pounds$  {(1-B+2A/1+B) f, p,  $\delta$ ). More generally, -1 $\le$ A' $\le$ 1 and 0 $\le$ B' $\le$ 1, then

£ (A, B, f, p, 
$$\delta$$
) = £ (A', B', f, p,  $\delta$ ) if and only if  $\{(1+B) + (B-A)p\}/(B-A)p = \{(1+B') + (B'-A')p\}/(B'-A')p$ 

Finally we obtain a result for integral Operator:

**Theorem** (6): Let c be a real number such that c > -p. If G belongs to the class

 $\mathbf{\mathfrak{L}}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ), then the function F defined by  $F(z) = \frac{c+p}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{c-1} G(t) dt$  is also an element of  $\mathbf{\mathfrak{L}}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ).

**Proof:** Let the function G defined by  $G(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |c_{p+n}| z^{p+n}$ . Then by definition

of F (z) it is clear that  $F(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |d_{p+n}| z^{p+n}$ ,

Where 
$$\left| d_{p+n} \right| = \left( \frac{c+p}{c+p+n} \right) \left| c_{p+n} \right| < \left| c_{p+n} \right|$$
. Therefore

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\left\{ (1+B)n + (B-A)p \right\}}{(B-A)p} \gamma(n, p, \delta) \left| d_{p+n} \right|$$

$$\leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\left\{ (1+B)n + (B-A)p \right\}}{(B-A)p} \gamma(n, p, \delta) \left| c_{p+n} \right|$$

$$\leq 1, \text{ by theorem (1). Hence, F (z) is also an element of } \mathbf{\pounds} (A, B, f, p, \delta).$$

# 3 Open Problem

In our last section, we suggest an open problem as follows:

Let c be a real number such that c > -p. If F belongs to the class  $\mathbf{\pounds}$  (A, B, f, p,  $\delta$ ) and if

$$F(z) = \frac{c+p}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{c-1} G(t) dt$$

Then

- i.) Whether G (z) is starlike?
- ii.) Whether the result is sharp?

or

In other words does the converse problem of the above **Theorem 6** exist?

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