

## Differential subordination for classes of normalized analytic functions <sup>1</sup>

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### Abstract

We determine the sufficient conditions for subordination for new classes of normalized analytic functions with applications in fractional calculus in complex domain.

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## 1 Introduction and preliminaries.

Let  $\mathcal{A}_\alpha^+$  be the class of all normalized analytic functions  $F(z)$  in the open disk  $U := \{z \in \mathbb{C}, |z| < 1\}$ , take the form

$$F(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_{n,\alpha} z^{n+\alpha-1}, \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 1,$$

where  $a_{0,1} = 0$ ,  $a_{1,1} = 1$  satisfying  $F(0) = 0$  and  $F'(0) = 1$ . And let  $\mathcal{A}_\alpha^-$  be the class of all normalized analytic functions  $F(z)$  in the open disk  $U$  take the form

$$F(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_{n,\alpha} z^{n+\alpha-1}, \quad a_{n,\alpha} \geq 0; \quad n = 2, 3, \dots,$$

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satisfying  $F(0) = 0$  and  $F'(0) = 1$ . With a view to recalling the principle of subordination between analytic functions, let the functions  $f$  and  $g$  be analytic in  $U$ . Then we say that the function  $f$  is *subordinate* to  $g$  if there exists a Schwarz function  $w(z)$ , analytic in  $U$  such that

$$f(z) = g(w(z)), \quad z \in U.$$

We denote this subordination by

$$f \prec g \text{ or } f(z) \prec g(z), \quad z \in U.$$

If the function  $g$  is univalent in  $U$  the above subordination is equivalent to

$$f(0) = g(0) \text{ and } f(U) \subset g(U).$$

Let  $\phi : \mathbb{C}^3 \times U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  and let  $h$  be univalent in  $U$ . Assume that  $p, \phi$  are analytic and univalent in  $U$  if  $p$  satisfies the differential superordination

$$(1) \quad h(z) \prec \phi(p(z), zp'(z), z^2p''(z); z),$$

then  $p$  is called a solution of the differential superordination. (If  $f$  is subordinate to  $g$ , then  $g$  is called to be superordinate to  $f$ .) An analytic function  $q$  is called a *subordinant* if  $q \prec p$  for all  $p$  satisfying (1). An univalent function  $q$  such that  $p \prec q$  for all subordinants  $p$  of (1) is said to be the best subordinant.

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be the class of analytic functions of the form  $f(z) = z + a_2z^2 + \dots$ . Obradović and Owa [1] obtained sufficient conditions for certain normalized analytic functions  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  to satisfy

$$q_1(z) \prec \left[ \frac{f(z)}{z} \right]^\mu \prec q_2(z)$$

where  $q_1$  and  $q_2$  are given univalent functions in  $U$ . The main object of the present work is to apply a method based on the differential subordination in order to derive sufficient conditions for functions  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^+$  and  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^-$  to satisfy

$$(2) \quad \left[ \frac{F(z)}{z} \right]^\mu \prec q(z)$$

where  $q(z)$  is a given univalent function in  $U$  such that  $q(z) \neq 0$ . Moreover, we give applications for these results in fractional calculus. We shall need the following known results.

**Lemma 1** [2] Let  $q(z)$  be univalent in the unit disk  $U$  and  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  be analytic in a domain  $D$  containing  $q(U)$  with  $\phi(w) \neq 0$  when  $w \in q(U)$ . Set  $Q(z) := zq'(z)\phi(q(z))$ ,  $h(z) := \theta(q(z)) + Q(z)$ . Suppose that

1.  $Q(z)$  is starlike univalent in  $U$ , and
2.  $\Re \frac{zh'(z)}{Q(z)} > 0$  for  $z \in U$ .

If  $\theta(p(z)) + zp'(z)\phi(p(z)) \prec \theta(q(z)) + zq'(z)\phi(q(z))$  then  $p(z) \prec q(z)$  and  $q(z)$  is the best dominant.

**Lemma 2** [3] Let  $q(z)$  be convex univalent in the unit disk  $U$  and  $\psi$  and  $\gamma \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\Re\{1 + \frac{zq''(z)}{q'(z)} + \frac{\psi}{\gamma}\} > 0$ . If  $p(z)$  is analytic in  $U$  and  $\psi p(z) + \gamma zp'(z) \prec \psi q(z) + \gamma zq'(z)$ , then  $p(z) \prec q(z)$  and  $q$  is the best dominant.

## 2 Main results.

In this section, we study sufficient subordination normalized analytic functions in the classes  $\mathcal{A}_\alpha^+$  and  $\mathcal{A}_\alpha^-$ .

**Theorem 1** Let the function  $q(z)$  be univalent in the unit disk  $U$  such that  $q(z) \neq 0$ ,  $\frac{zq'(z)}{q(z)}$  is starlike univalent in  $U$  and

$$(3) \quad \Re\left\{1 + \left(\frac{a}{bz} + 1\right)\left(\frac{zq''(z)}{q'(z)} - \frac{zq'(z)}{q(z)}\right)\right\} > 0, \quad b \neq 0, \quad z \neq 0, \quad q'(z) \neq 0, \quad z \in U.$$

If  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^+$  satisfies the subordination

$$(a + bz)\frac{\mu}{z}\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right) \prec (a + bz)\frac{q'(z)}{q(z)}, \quad F(z) \neq 0, \quad z \in U.$$

Then

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec q(z), \quad z \neq 0, \quad z \in U,$$

and  $q(z)$  is the best dominant.

**Proof.** Let the function  $p(z)$  be defined by

$$p(z) := \left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu, \quad z \neq 0, \quad z \in U.$$

By setting

$$\theta(\omega) := \frac{a\omega'}{\omega} \quad \text{and} \quad \phi(\omega) := \frac{b}{\omega}, \quad b \neq 0,$$

it can easily be observed that  $\theta(\omega)$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{C} - \{0\}$ ,  $\phi(\omega)$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{C} - \{0\}$  and that  $\phi(\omega) \neq 0$ ,  $\omega \in \mathbb{C} - \{0\}$ . Also we obtain

$$Q(z) = zq'(z)\phi(q(z)) = \frac{bzq'(z)}{q(z)} \text{ and } h(z) = \theta(q(z)) + Q(z) = (a + bz)\frac{q'(z)}{q(z)}.$$

It is clear that  $Q(z)$  is starlike univalent in  $U$ ,

$$\Re\left\{\frac{zh'(z)}{Q(z)}\right\} = \Re\left\{1 + \left(\frac{a}{bz} + 1\right)\left(\frac{zq''(z)}{q'(z)} - \frac{zq'(z)}{q(z)}\right)\right\} > 0.$$

Straightforward computation, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (a + bz)\frac{p'(z)}{p(z)} &= (a + bz)\frac{\mu}{z}\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right) \\ &\prec (a + bz)\frac{q'(z)}{q(z)} \end{aligned}$$

Then by the assumption of the theorem we have that the assertion of the theorem follows by an application of Lemma 1.

**Corollary 1** Assume that (3) holds and  $q$  is convex univalent in  $U$ . If  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^+$  and

$$(a + bz)\frac{\mu}{z}\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right) \prec \mu(a + bz)\frac{A - B}{(1 + Az)(1 + Bz)},$$

then

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec \left(\frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz}\right)^\mu, \quad -1 \leq B < A \leq 1$$

and  $q(z) = \left(\frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz}\right)^\mu$  is the best dominant.

**Corollary 2** Assume that (3) holds and  $q$  is convex univalent in  $U$ . If  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^+$  and

$$(a + bz)\frac{\mu}{z}\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right) \prec (a + bz)\frac{2\mu}{(1 + z)(1 - z)},$$

for  $z \in U$ ,  $\mu \neq 0$ , then

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec \left(\frac{1 + z}{1 - z}\right)^\mu$$

and  $q(z) = \left(\frac{1 + z}{1 - z}\right)^\mu$  is the best dominant.

**Corollary 3** Assume that (3) holds and  $q$  is convex univalent in  $U$ . If  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^+$  and

$$(a + bz)\frac{\mu}{z}\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right) \prec \mu A(a + bz)$$

for  $z \in U$ ,  $\mu \neq 0$ , then

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec e^{\mu Az}$$

and  $q(z) = e^{\mu Az}$  is the best dominant.

**Theorem 2** Let the function  $q(z)$  be convex univalent in the unit disk  $U$  such that  $q'(z) \neq 0$  and

$$(4) \quad \Re\left\{1 + \frac{zq''(z)}{q'(z)} + \frac{1}{\gamma}\right\} > 0, \quad \gamma \neq 0.$$

Suppose that  $\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu$  is analytic in  $U$ . If  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^-$  satisfies the subordination

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \left[1 + \gamma\mu\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right)\right] \prec q(z) + \gamma zq'(z), \quad F(z) \neq 0.$$

Then

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec q(z), \quad z \in U, z \neq 0$$

and  $q(z)$  is the best dominant.

**Proof.** Let the function  $p(z)$  be defined by

$$p(z) := \left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu, \quad z \neq 0, z \in U.$$

By setting  $\psi = 1$ , it can easily be observed that

$$\begin{aligned} p(z) + \gamma zp'(z) &= \left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \left[1 + \gamma\mu\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right)\right] \\ &\prec q(z) + \gamma zq'(z). \end{aligned}$$

Then by the assumption of the theorem we have that the assertion of the theorem follows by an application of Lemma 2.

**Corollary 4** Assume that (4) holds and  $q$  is convex univalent in  $U$ . If  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^-$  and

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu [1 + \gamma\mu\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right)] \prec \left(\frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz}\right)^\mu + \mu\gamma z(A - B) \frac{(1 + Az)^{\mu-1}}{(1 + Bz)^{\mu+1}}$$

then

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec \left(\frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz}\right)^\mu, \quad -1 \leq B < A \leq 1$$

and  $q(z) = \left(\frac{1+Az}{1+Bz}\right)^\mu$  is the best dominant.

**Corollary 5** Assume that (4) holds and  $q$  is convex univalent in  $U$ . If  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^-$  and

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu [1 + \gamma\mu\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right)] \prec \left[\frac{1+z}{1-z}\right]^\mu \left\{1 + \frac{2\gamma\mu z}{1-z^2}\right\}$$

for  $z \in U$ ,  $\mu \neq 0$ , then

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec \left(\frac{1+z}{1-z}\right)^\mu$$

and  $q(z) = \left(\frac{1+z}{1-z}\right)^\mu$  is the best dominant.

**Corollary 6** Assume that (4) holds and  $q$  is convex univalent in  $U$ . If  $F \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^-$  and

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu [1 + \gamma\mu\left(\frac{zF'(z)}{F(z)} - 1\right)] \prec e^{\mu Az} (1 + \mu\gamma Az)$$

for  $z \in U$ ,  $\mu \neq 0$ , then

$$\left(\frac{F(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec e^{\mu Az}$$

and  $q(z) = e^{\mu Az}$  is the best dominant.

### 3 Applications.

In this section, we introduce some applications of section (2) containing fractional integral operators. Assume that  $f(z) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \varphi_n z^n$  and let us begin with the following definitions

**Definition 1** [4] The fractional integral of order  $\alpha$  is defined, for a function  $f$ , by

$$I_z^\alpha f(z) := \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^z f(\zeta) (z - \zeta)^{\alpha-1} d\zeta; \quad \alpha > 0,$$

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

From Definition 1 and see ([5]), thus  $z + I_z^\alpha f(z) \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^+$  and  $z - I_z^\alpha f(z) \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^-$  ( $\varphi_n \geq 0$ ), then we have the following results

**Theorem 3** *Let the assumptions of Theorem 1 hold, then*

$$\left(\frac{z + I_z^\alpha f(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec q(z),$$

and  $q(z)$  is the best dominant.

**Proof.** Let the function  $F(z)$  be defined by

$$F(z) := z + I_z^\alpha f(z), \quad z \in U, z \neq 0.$$

**Theorem 4** *Let the assumptions of Theorem 2 hold, then*

$$\left(\frac{z - I_z^\alpha f(z)}{z}\right)^\mu \prec q(z),$$

and  $q(z)$  is the best dominant.

**Proof.** Let the function  $F(z)$  be defined by

$$F(z) := z - I_z^\alpha f(z), \quad z \in U, z \neq 0.$$

Let  $F(a, b; c; z)$  be the Gauss hypergeometric function (see [6]) defined, for  $z \in U$ , by

$$F(a, b; c; z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n (b)_n}{(c)_n (1)_n} z^n,$$

where is the Pochhammer symbol defined by

$$(a)_n := \frac{\Gamma(a+n)}{\Gamma(a)} = \begin{cases} 1, & (n = 0); \\ a(a+1)(a+2)\dots(a+n-1), & (n \in \mathbb{N}). \end{cases}$$

We need the following definitions of fractional operators in the Saigo type fractional calculus (see [7],[8]).

**Definition 2** For  $\alpha > 0$  and  $\beta, \eta \in \mathbb{R}$ , the fractional integral operator  $I_{0,z}^{\alpha,\beta,\eta}$  is defined by

$$I_{0,z}^{\alpha,\beta,\eta} f(z) = \frac{z^{-\alpha-\beta}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^z (z-\zeta)^{\alpha-1} F(\alpha+\beta, -\eta; \alpha; 1-\frac{\zeta}{z}) f(\zeta) d\zeta$$

where the function  $f(z)$  is analytic in a simply-connected region of the  $z$ -plane containing the origin, with the order

$$f(z) = O(|z|^\epsilon)(z \rightarrow 0), \quad \epsilon > \max\{0, \beta - \eta\} - 1$$

and the multiplicity of  $(z-\zeta)^{\alpha-1}$  is removed by requiring  $\log(z-\zeta)$  to be real when  $z-\zeta > 0$ .

From Definition 2, with  $\beta < 0$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} I_{0,z}^{\alpha,\beta,\eta} f(z) &= \frac{z^{-\alpha-\beta}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^z (z-\zeta)^{\alpha-1} F(\alpha+\beta, -\eta; \alpha; 1-\frac{\zeta}{z}) f(\zeta) d\zeta \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha+\beta)_n (-\eta)_n}{(\alpha)_n (1)_n} \frac{z^{-\alpha-\beta}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^z (z-\zeta)^{\alpha-1} (1-\frac{\zeta}{z})^n f(\zeta) d\zeta \\ &:= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} B_n \frac{z^{-\alpha-\beta-n}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^z (z-\zeta)^{n+\alpha-1} f(\zeta) d\zeta \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} B_n \frac{z^{-\beta-1}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} f(\zeta) \\ &:= \frac{\bar{B}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \varphi_n z^{n-\beta-1} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\bar{B} := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} B_n$ . Denote  $a_n := \frac{\bar{B}\varphi_n}{\Gamma(\alpha)}$ ,  $\forall n = 2, 3, \dots$ , and let  $\alpha = -\beta$  thus  $z + I_{0,z}^{\alpha,\beta,\eta} f(z) \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^+$  and  $z - I_{0,z}^{\alpha,\beta,\eta} f(z) \in \mathcal{A}_\alpha^-$  ( $\varphi_n \geq 0$ ), then we have the following results

**Theorem 5** Let the assumptions of Theorem 1 hold, then

$$\left( \frac{z + I_{0,z}^{\alpha,\beta,\eta} f(z)}{z} \right)^\mu \prec q(z),$$

and  $q(z)$  is the best dominant.



**Proof.** Let the function  $F(z)$  be defined by

$$F(z) := z + I_{0,z}^{\alpha,\beta,\eta} f(z), \quad z \in U, z \neq 0.$$

**Theorem 6** *Let the assumptions of Theorem 2 hold, then*

$$\left( \frac{z - I_{0,z}^{\alpha,\beta,\eta} f(z)}{z} \right)^\mu \prec q(z),$$

and  $q(z)$  is the best dominant.

**Proof.** Let the function  $F(z)$  be defined by

$$F(z) := z - I_{0,z}^{\alpha,\beta,\eta} f(z), \quad z \in U, z \neq 0.$$

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