

On Multivalent Functions with Negative and Missing Coefficients*

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Abstract Let $P_k(p, A, B)$ be the class of functions $f(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}$, $k \geq 2$ analytic in the unit disc $E = \{z: |z| < 1\}$ and satisfying the condition $|(zf'(z)/f(z) - p)/(Ap - Bzf'(z)/f(z))| < 1$ for $z \in E$ and $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$. In this paper we obtain representation formula, coefficient estimate, distortion and closure theorems and the radius of convexity for the class $P_k(p, A, B)$ under the assumption $-1 \leq B < 0$.

1. Introduction

Let $S(p)$ be the class of functions $f(z) = z^p + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} a_{n+p} z^{n+p}$ which are analytic in the unit disc $E = \{z: |z| < 1\}$. For $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$ let $P^*(p, A, B)$ be the class of those functions f of $S(p)$ which satisfy the condition

$$|(zf'(z)/f(z) - p)/(Ap - Bzf'(z)/f(z))| < 1 \text{ for } z \in E \quad (1)$$

Let T_p denote the sub-class of $S(p)$ consisting of p -valent functions in E and having Taylor expansion of the form

$$f(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}, \quad k \geq 2.$$

Let $P_k(p, A, B) = P^*(p, A, B) \cap T_p$.

Goel and Sohi [1], Sarangi and Uralegaddi [2], Shukla and Dashrath [3], Herb Silverman [4] have studied certain sub-classes of analytic functions with negative coefficients and Vinod Kumar [5] has recently studied the class of univalent functions with negative and missing coefficients.

In this paper, under the assumption $-1 \leq B < 0$, and $k \geq 2$, we obtain representation formula, coefficient estimate, distortion theorem, covering theorem and radius of convexity for $P_k(p, A, B)$.

We also obtain the class preserving integral operators of the form

$$F(z) = \frac{c+p}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{c-1} f(t) dt, \quad c > -1 \quad (2)$$

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for $P_k(p, A, B)$. Conversely when $F \in P_k(p, A, B)$ we determine the radiue of p -valence of f defined by (2). Lastly we show that the class $P_k(p, A, B)$ is closed under "Arithmetic mean" and "convex linear combinations".

2. Representation Formula

Theorem 1 The function $f(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}$ belongs to $P_k(p, A, B)$ if and only if it can be expressed in the form

$$f(z) = z^p \exp \left[p(A-B) \int_0^z \frac{t^{k-1} \phi(t)}{1 + B t^k \phi(t)} dt \right]$$

where $\phi(z)$ is analytic in E and satisfies $|\phi(z)| \leq 1$ for $z \in E$.

Proof Let $f(z) \in P_k(p, A, B)$. Then

$$|(zf'(z)/f(z) - p) / (Ap - Bzf'(z)/f(z))| < 1 \text{ for } z \in E$$

and since the absolute value vanishes for $z = 0$, we have

$$(zf'(z)/f(z) - p) / (Ap - Bzf'(z)/f(z)) = z^k \phi(z) \quad (1)$$

where $\phi(z)$ is analytic function in E and satisfies $|\phi(z)| \leq 1$ for $z \in E$. $(zf'(z)/f(z) - p) / (Ap - Bzf'(z)/f(z)) = z^k \phi(z)$ implies

$$\frac{1}{p(A-B)} \left[\frac{z^{-p} f(z) - p z^{-p-1} f(z)}{z^{-p} f(z)} \right] = \frac{z^{k-1} \phi(z)}{1 + B z^k \phi(z)}$$

which on integrating and simplifying gives

$$f(z) = z^p \exp \left[p(A-B) \int_0^z \frac{t^{k-1} \phi(t)}{1 + B t^k \phi(t)} dt \right]$$

conversly suppose

$$f(z) = z^p \exp \left[p(A-B) \int_0^z \frac{t^{k-1} \phi(t)}{1 + B t^k \phi(t)} dt \right] \quad (2)$$

implies $\log z^{-p} \cdot f(z) = p(A-B) \int_0^z \frac{t^{k-1} \phi(t)}{1 + B t^k \phi(t)} dt$

So differentiating and simplifying we get

$$\frac{1}{p(A-B)} \left[\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - p \right] = \frac{z^k \phi(z)}{1 + B z^k \phi(z)} \quad (3)$$

$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - p \right| = p(A-B) \frac{|z^k \phi(z)|}{|1 + B z^k \phi(z)|} < \frac{p(A-B)}{|1 + B z^k \phi(z)|}$$

Since $|z^k \phi(z)| < 1$.

Substituting $z^k \phi(z)$ from (1) and simplyfying we get

$$|(zf'(z)/f(z) - p) / (Ap - Bzf'(z)/f(z))| < 1.$$

Hence $f(z) \in P_k(p, A, B)$.

3. Coefficient Estimate

Theorem 2 A function $f(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}$ is in $P_k(p, A, B)$ if and only if

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |a_{n+p}| \leq (A-B)p.$$

Proof Suppose $\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |a_{n+p}| \leq (A-B)p$ is true. Then

$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - p \right| - \left| Ap - Bz \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} \right| < 0$$

provided

$$\left| - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n a_{n+p} z^{n+p} \right| - \left| (A-B)p z^p + (B-A)p \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p} + B \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p} \right| < 0$$

For $z = r < 1$ the left hand side of the above inequality is bounded above by

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_{n+p}| r^{n+p} - (B-A)p \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| r^{n+p} - B \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_{n+p}| r^{n+p} - (A-B)p r^p \\ &= \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |a_{n+p}| r^{n+p} - (A-B)p r^p \\ &< \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |a_{n+p}| - (A-B)p < 0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence $f(z) \in P_k(p, A, B)$.

Conversely suppose that $f(z) \in P_k(p, A, B)$ then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| (zf'(z)/f(z) - p) / (Ap - Bz f'(z)/f(z)) \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{- \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}}{(A-B)p z^p + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(B-A)p + Bn] |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}} \right| < 1 \quad \text{for } z \in E \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

Since $\operatorname{Re}(z) \leq |z|$ for all z , we have

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}}{(A-B)p z^p + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(B-A)p + Bn] |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}} \right\} < 1 \quad (2)$$

Choose values of z on real axis so that $\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}$ is real. Upon clearing the denominator of (2) and letting $z \rightarrow 1$ through real values, have

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n |a_{n+p}| \leq (A-B)p + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(B-A)p + Bn] |a_{n+p}|,$$

So $\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |a_{n+p}| \leq (A-B)p$. The function

$$f(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \frac{(A-B) p z^{n+p}}{[(1-B)n + (A-B)p]}$$

is an extremal function.

4. Distortion Properties

Theorem 3 If $f(z) \in P_k(p, A, B)$ then for $|z| = r$

$$r^p - \frac{(A-B) p r^{p+k}}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]} \leq |f(z)| \leq r^p + \frac{(A-B) p r^{p+k}}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]}$$

$$p r^{p-1} - \frac{p(p+1)(A-B) r^{n+k-1}}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]} \leq |f'(z)| \leq p r^{p-1} + \frac{p(p+1)(A+B) r^{n+k-1}}{[(1-B) + (A+B)p]}.$$

Proof From theorem (2) we have

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |a_{n+p}| \leq (A-B)p. \quad (1)$$

Now since $(1-B)n > (1-B)$ we have

$$[(1-B) + (A-B)p] \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| \leq \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |a_{n+p}| \leq (A-B)p$$

So

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| \leq \frac{(A-B)p}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]}. \quad (2)$$

Now we have

$$|f(z)| = |z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}| \leq r^p + \frac{(A-B) p r^{k+p}}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]} \quad (3)$$

and

$$|f(z)| \geq |z^p| - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| |z|^{n+p} = r^p - \frac{(A-B) p r^{k+p}}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]}. \quad (4)$$

From results (3) and (4) we have

$$r^p - \frac{(A-B) p r^{k+p}}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]} \leq r^p + \frac{(A-B) p r^{k+p}}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]}. \quad (x)$$

Further

$$|f'(z)| \leq p r^{p-1} + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} (n+p) |a_{n+p}| r^{n+p-1} \quad (5)$$

and

$$|f'(z)| \leq p r^{p-1} + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} (n+p) |a_{n+p}| r^{n+p-1}. \quad (6)$$

Using the result $\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| \leq \frac{(A-B)p}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]}$ in the result $\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |a_{n+p}| \leq (A-B)p$ of theorem 2 and simplifying we have

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} (n+p) |a_{n+p}| \leq \frac{p(p+1)(A-B)}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]}.$$

Substituting this value of $\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} (n+p) |a_{n+p}|$ in (5) and (6) we have

$$\begin{aligned} pr^{p-1} - \frac{p(p+1)(A-B)r^{k+p-1}}{(1-B) + (A-B)p} &\leq |f'(z)| \\ &\leq pr^{p-1} + \frac{p(p+1)(A-B)r^{k+p-1}}{(1-B) + (A-B)p}. \end{aligned} \quad (y)$$

Equality in (x) and (y) is obtained if we take

$$f(z) = z^p - \frac{(A+B)pz^{k+p}}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]}.$$

Corollary If $f \in P_k(p, A, B)$ then the disc E is mapped by f onto a domain that contains the disc $|w| < \frac{1-B}{(1-B) + (A-B)p}$. The result is sharp

with extremal function $f(z) = \frac{(A-B)pz^{k+p}}{(1-B) + (A-B)p}$

Proof By letting $r \rightarrow 1$ in the L.H.S. of inequality (x) we have

$$1 - \frac{(A-B)p}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]} \leq |f(z)|$$

hence

$$\frac{1-B}{(1-B) + (A-B)p} \leq |f(z)|$$

so f maps the disc E onto a domain that contains the disc

$$|w| < \frac{1-B}{[(1-B) + (A-B)p]}.$$

5. Integral Operators

Theorem 4 Let c be a real number such that $c > -1$. If $f \in P_k(p, A, B)$ then the function F defined by $F(z) = \frac{c+p}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{c-1} f(t) dt$ also belongs to $P_k(p, A, B)$.

Proof Let $f(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}$. Then

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

implies

$$F(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \frac{p+c}{n+p+c} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p} = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |b_{n+p}| z^{n+p},$$

where $|b_{n+p}| = \frac{(p+c)}{n+p+c} |a_{n+p}|$.

Therefore using theorem (2) for the coefficients of $F(z)$ we have

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |b_{n+p}| = \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] \left(\frac{c+p}{n+p+c} \right) |a_{n+p}|$$

$$\leq (A-B)p \text{ since } \frac{c+p}{n+c+p} < 1 \text{ and } f \in P_k(p, A, B).$$

Hence $F \in P_k(p, A, B)$.

6. Radius of Convexity

Theorem 5 If $f(z) \in P_k(p, A, B)$, then $f(z)$ is p -valently convex in the disc $|z| < R_p$, where

$$R_p = \inf_{n \geq k} \left\{ \left[\frac{(1-B)n + (A-B)p}{(A-B)p} \right] \left(\frac{p}{n+p} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{1}{n}} \text{ for } |z| < R_p.$$

Proof It is sufficient to show that $\left| \left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) - p \right| \leq p$ for $|z| < R_p$.

Now $f(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p}$. So

$$1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} - p = \frac{- \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n(n+p) |a_{n+p}| z^n}{p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} (n+p) |a_{n+p}| z^n}.$$

Therefore

$$\left| 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} - p \right| \leq p \text{ if } \frac{\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n(n+p) |a_{n+p}| |z|^n}{p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} (n+p) |a_{n+p}| |z|^n} \leq p$$

or

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \left(\frac{n+p}{p} \right)^2 |a_{n+p}| |z|^n \leq 1. \quad (1)$$

From theorem 2 we have

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(1-B)n + (A-B)p}{(A-B)p} \right] |a_{n+p}| \leq 1.$$

Hence (1) will be satisfied if

$$\left(\frac{n+p}{p} \right)^2 |z|^n \leq \left[\frac{(1-B)n + (A-B)p}{(A-B)p} \right]$$

or if

$$|z| \leq \left[\left\{ \frac{(1-B)n + (A-B)p}{(A-B)p} \right\} \left(\frac{p}{n+p} \right)^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{n}}.$$

So $f(z)$ is p -valently convex in the disc

$$|z| < R_p = \inf_{n \geq k} \left[\left\{ \frac{(1-B)n + (A-B)p}{(A-B)p} \right\} \left(\frac{p}{n+p} \right)^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{n}}.$$

7. Closure Properties

In this section, we show that the class $P_k(p, A, B)$ is closed under 'Arithmetic mean' and 'Convex linear combinations'.

Theorem 6 If $f_j(z) = z^p - \sum_{n_j=k}^{\infty} |a_{n_j+p}| z^{n_j+p} \in P_k(p, A, B)$, then $h(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |b_{n+p}| z^{n+p}$

also belongs to $P_k(p, A, B)$, where $b_{n+p} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m a_{n_j+p}$.

Proof Since $f_j \in P_k(p, A, B)$ it follows from theorem 2 that

$$\sum_{n_j=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n_j + (A-B)p] |a_{n_j+p}| - (A-B)p \leq 0, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

and

$$b_{n+p} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m a_{n_j+p}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore we have } & \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] |b_{n+p}| \\ &= \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] \left| \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m a_{n_j+p} \right| \\ &\leq \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m |a_{n_j+p}|, \\ &\leq (A-B)p \quad (\text{Since } |b_{n+p}| < \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m |a_{n_j+p}|) \end{aligned}$$

Hence from theorem 2 $h(z)$ belongs to $P_k(p, A, B)$.

Theorem 7 Let $f_p(z) = z^p$ and $f_{n+p}(z) = z^p - \frac{(A-B)p z^{n+p}}{[(1-B)n + (A-B)p]}$. Then $f \in P_k(p, A, B)$ if and only if it can be expressed in the form

$$f(z) = \lambda_1 f_p(z) + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n f_{n+p}(z)$$

where $\lambda_n \geq 0$ and $\lambda_1 + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n = 1$.

Proof Let us suppose that

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \lambda_1 f_p(z) + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n f_{n+p}(z) \\ &= \left(1 - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n \right) z^p + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n \left[z^p - \frac{(A-B)p z^{n+p}}{(1-B)n + (A-B)p} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$= z^p - \frac{\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n (A-B) p z^{n+p}}{[(1-B)n + (A-B)p]}.$$

Then from theorem 2 we have

$$\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} [(1-B)n + (A-B)p] \left\{ \frac{(A-B)p\lambda_n}{[(1-B)n + (A-B)p]} \right\} \leq (A-B)p \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n \leq (A-B)p$$

since $\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n = 1 - \lambda_1 \leq 1$.

Hence $f \in P_k(p, A, B)$.

Conversely, suppose $f \in P_k(p, A, B)$. It follows from theorem 2 that $|a_{n+p}|$

$$\leq \frac{(A-B)p}{[(1-B)n + (A-B)p]}.$$

Setting

$$\lambda_n = \left[\frac{(1-B)n + (A-B)p}{(A-B)p} \right] \quad (1)$$

where $n = k, k+1$ and $\lambda_1 = 1 - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} |a_{n+p}| z^{n+p} = z^p - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n z^{n+p} + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n z^{n+p} - \frac{\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n (A-B)p z^{n+p}}{[(1-B)n + (A-B)p]} \\ &= z^p \left(1 - \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n \right) + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n \left[z^p - \frac{(A-B)p z^{n+p}}{[(1-B)n + (A-B)p]} \right] \\ &= \lambda_1 f_p + \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} \lambda_n f_{n+p}(z). \end{aligned}$$

Hence the theorem.

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