

# A NOTE ON NEIGHBORHOODS OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF ANALYTIC FUNCTIONS WITH NEGATIVE COEFFICIENTS

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ABSTRACT. The purpose of the present paper is to make use of the familiar concept of neighborhoods of analytic functions. Several inclusion relations associated with the  $(n, \delta)$  neighborhoods of various subclasses defined by Sălăgean operator are proved. Special cases of these results are shown to yield known results in the literature.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $\mathcal{T}(j)$  be the class of functions in the form

$$(1.1) \quad f(z) = z - \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} a_k z^k \quad (a_k \geq 0; \quad j \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\})$$

which are analytic in the open unit disc  $\mathcal{U} = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ .

Let  $\Omega$  be the class of functions  $\omega(z)$  analytic in  $\mathcal{U}$  such that  $\omega(0) = 0$ ,  $|\omega(z)| < 1$ .

For  $f(z)$  and  $g(z)$  in  $\mathcal{T}(j)$ ,  $f(z)$  is said to be subordinate to  $g(z) \in \mathcal{U}$  if there exists an analytic function  $\omega(z) \in \Omega$  such that  $f(z) = g(\omega(z))$ . This subordination [6] is denoted by

$$f(z) \prec g(z).$$

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Following [1, 7, 9] we define the  $(j, \delta)$ -neighborhood of a function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}(j)$  by

$$(1.2) \quad \mathbf{N}_{j,\delta}(f) = \{g \in \mathcal{T}(j); g(z) = z - \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} b_k z^k, \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k|a_k - b_k| \leq \delta\}.$$

In particular, for the identity function  $e(z) = z$ , we have

$$(1.3) \quad \mathbf{N}_{j,\delta}(f) = \{g \in \mathcal{T}(j); g(z) = z - \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} b_k z^k, \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k|b_k| \leq \delta\}.$$

The purpose of this paper is to investigate the  $(j, \delta)$ -neighborhoods of the certain subclasses of the class  $\mathcal{T}(j)$  of normalized analytic functions in  $\mathcal{U}$  with negative coefficients.

For a function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}(j)$ , we define

$$(1.4) \quad \begin{aligned} D^0 f(z) &= f(z), \\ D^1 f(z) &= Df(z) = zf'(z), \\ D^n f(z) &= D(D^{n-1}f(z)), \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}) \end{aligned}$$

where  $D^n$  is the differential operator introduced by Sălăgean [10]. Using the differential operator  $D^n$ , we define the class  $\mathcal{T}_j(n, m, A, B)$  as follows.

**Definition 1.1.** A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}(j)$  is in the class  $\mathcal{T}_j(n, m, A, B)$  if and only if

$$(1.5) \quad \frac{D^{n+m}f(z)}{D^n f(z)} \prec \frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz}, \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}_0 = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}, m \in \mathbb{N})$$

for  $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$  and for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ .

The operator  $D^{n+m}$  was studied by Sekine [11], Aouf et al. [2], Aouf et al. [3] and Hossen et al. [8]. We note that  $\mathcal{T}_j(n, m, 1 - 2\alpha, -1) = \mathcal{T}_j(n, m, \alpha)$  [4],  $\mathcal{T}_j(0, 1, \alpha) = \mathcal{S}_j^*(\alpha)$ , the class of starlike

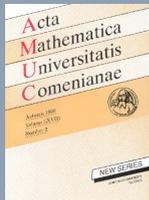


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functions of order  $\alpha$  and  $\mathcal{T}_j(1, 1, \alpha) = \mathcal{C}_j(\alpha)$ , the class of convex functions of order  $\alpha$  (Chatterjea [5] and Srivastava et al. [12]).

## 2. NEIGHBORHOOD FOR THE CLASS $\mathcal{T}_j(n, m, A, B)$

For the class  $\mathcal{T}_j(n, m, A, B)$ , we prove the following lemma.

**Lemma 2.1.** *A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{T}(j)$  is in the class  $\mathcal{T}_j(n, m, A, B)$  if and only if*

$$(2.1) \quad \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n [(1-B)k^m - (1-A)] a_k \leq A - B$$

for  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$ .

*Proof.* Suppose  $f(z) \in \mathcal{T}_j(n, m, A, B)$ , then

$$\frac{D^{n+m} f(z)}{D^n f(z)} = \frac{1 + A\omega(z)}{1 + B\omega(z)}.$$

Therefore

$$\omega(z) = \frac{D^n f(z) - D^{n+m} f(z)}{BD^{n+m} f(z) - AD^n f(z)}$$



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hence

$$|\omega(z)| = \left| \frac{D^{n+m}f(z) - D^n f(z)}{BD^{n+m}f(z) - AD^n f(z)} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n (k^m - 1) a_k z^k}{(A - B)z + \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n (Bk^m - A) a_k z^k} \right| < 1.$$

Thus

$$(2.2) \quad \Re \left\{ \frac{\sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n (k^m - 1) a_k z^k}{(A - B)z + \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n (Bk^m - A) a_k z^k} \right\} < 1.$$

Take  $z = r$  with  $0 < r < 1$ . Then for sufficiently small  $r$ , the denominator of (2.2) is positive and so it is positive for all  $r$  with  $0 < r < 1$ , since  $\omega(z)$  is analytic for  $|z| < 1$ . Then (2.2) gives

$$\sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n (1 - k^m) a_k r^k < (B - A)r - B \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^{n+m} a_k r^k + A \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n a_k r^k$$

i.e.,

$$\sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n [(1 - B)k^m - (1 - A)] a_k r^k < (A - B)r$$

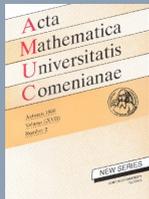


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and (2.1) follows on letting  $r \rightarrow 1$ .

Conversely, for  $|z| = r$ ,  $0 < r < 1$ , we have  $r^k < r$ , i.e.,

$$\sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n [(1-B)k^m - (1-A)] a_k r^k < \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n [k^m(1-B) - (1-A)] a_k r < (A-B)r,$$

by (2.1), so we have,

$$\left| \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n (k^m - 1) a_k z^k \right| \leq \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n (k^m - 1) a_k r^k$$

i.e.,

$$\left| \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n (k^m - 1) a_k z^k \right| < (A-B)r + \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} (Bk^m - A) k^n a_k r^k$$

i.e.,

$$\left| \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k^n (k^m - 1) a_k z^k \right| \leq \left| (A-B)z + \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} (Bk^m - A) k^n a_k z^k \right|.$$

This proves that  $\frac{D^{n+m} f(z)}{D^n f(z)}$  is of the form  $\frac{1+A\omega(z)}{1+B\omega(z)}$  and hence  $f(z) \in \mathcal{T}_j(n, m, A, B)$  and the proof is complete. □

Applying the above lemma, we prove the following.

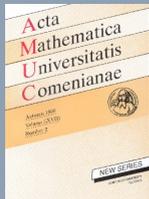


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**Theorem 2.2.**  $\mathcal{T}_j(n, m, A, B) \subset \mathcal{N}_{j,\delta}(e)$ , where

$$(2.3) \quad \delta = \frac{A - B}{(j + 1)^{n-1}[(1 - B)(j + 1)^m - (1 - A)]}$$

*Proof.* It follows from (2.1) that if  $f(z) \in \mathcal{T}_j(n, m, A, B)$ , then

$$(2.4) \quad (j + 1)^{n-1}[(1 - B)(j + 1)^m - (1 - A)] \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} ka_k \leq A - B$$

which implies

$$(2.5) \quad \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} ka_k \leq \frac{A - B}{(j + 1)^{n-1}[(1 - B)(j + 1)^m - (1 - A)]} = \delta.$$

Using (1.3), we get the result. □

Putting  $j = 1$  in Theorem 2.2, we have the following.

**Corollary 2.3.**  $\mathcal{T}_1(n, m, A, B) \subset \mathcal{N}_{1,\delta}(e)$ , where

$$\delta = \frac{A - B}{2^{n-1}[(1 - B)2^m - (1 - A)]}.$$

### 3. NEIGHBORHOODS FOR THE CLASSES $\mathcal{R}_j(n, A, B)$ AND $\mathcal{P}_j(n, A, B)$

We define the following classes.

**Definition 3.1.** A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{T}(j)$  is said to be in the class  $f(z) \in \mathcal{R}_j(n, A, B)$  if it satisfies

$$(3.1) \quad (D^n f(z))' \prec \frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz} \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

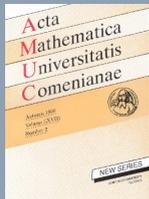


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for  $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

**Definition 3.2.** A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{T}(j)$  is said to be a member of the class  $\mathcal{P}_j(n, A, B)$  if it satisfies

$$(3.2) \quad \frac{D^n f(z)}{z} \prec \frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz} \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

for  $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

So, we have the following results.

**Lemma 3.3.** A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{T}(j)$  is in the class  $\mathcal{R}_j(n, A, B)$  if and only if

$$(3.3) \quad \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} (1 - B)k^{n+1}a_k \leq A - B.$$

**Lemma 3.4.** A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{T}(j)$  is in the class  $\mathcal{P}_j(n, A, B)$  if and only if

$$(3.4) \quad \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} (1 - B)k^n a_k \leq A - B$$

From the above Lemmas, we see that  $\mathcal{R}_j(n, A, B) \subset \mathcal{P}_j(n, A, B)$

**Theorem 3.5.**  $\mathcal{R}_j(n, A, B) \subset \mathcal{N}_{j,\delta}(e)$  where

$$(3.5) \quad \delta = \frac{A - B}{(j + 1)^n (1 - B)}.$$

*Proof.* If  $f(z) \in \mathcal{R}_j(n, A, B)$ , we have

$$(3.6) \quad (j + 1)^n \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} (1 - B)ka_k \leq A - B$$

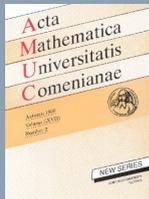


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which implies

$$(3.7) \quad \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} ka_k \leq \frac{A-B}{(1-B)(j+1)^n} = \delta.$$

□

**Corollary 3.6.**  $\mathcal{R}_1(n, A, B) \subset \mathcal{N}_{1,\delta}(e)$  where  $\delta = \frac{A-B}{2^n(1-B)}$

**Theorem 3.7.**  $\mathcal{P}_j(n, A, B) \subset \mathcal{N}_{j,\delta}(e)$  where

$$(3.8) \quad \delta = \frac{A-B}{(j+1)^{n-1}(1-B)}.$$

*Proof.* If  $f(z) \in \mathcal{P}_j(n, A, B)$  we have

$$(j+1)^{n-1} \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} (1-B)ka_k \leq A-B$$

which gives

$$(3.9) \quad \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} ka_k \leq \frac{A-B}{(1-B)(j+1)^{n-1}} = \delta$$

□

that, in view of definition (1.3) proves Theorem 3.7.

Putting  $j = 1$  in Theorem 3.7, we have the following.

**Corollary 3.8.**

$$\mathcal{P}_1(n, A, B) \subset \mathcal{N}_{1,\delta}(e)$$

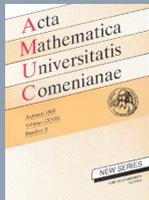


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where

$$\delta = \frac{A - B}{2^{n-1}(1 - B)}$$

#### 4. NEIGHBORHOOD OF THE CLASS $\mathcal{K}_j(n, m, A, B, C, D)$

**Definition 4.1.** A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{T}(j)$  is said to be in the class  $\mathcal{K}_j(n, m, A, B, C, D)$  if it satisfies

$$(4.1) \quad \left| \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} - 1 \right| < \frac{A - B}{1 - B} \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

for  $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$ ,  $-1 \leq D < C \leq 1$  and  $g(z) \in \mathcal{T}_j(n, m, C, D)$ .

**Theorem 4.2.**  $\mathcal{N}_{j,\delta}(g) \subset \mathcal{K}_j(n, m, A, B, C, D)$  where  $g(z) \in \mathcal{T}_j(n, m, C, D)$  and

$$(4.2) \quad \frac{1 - A}{1 - B} = 1 - \frac{(j + 1)^m [(1 - D)(j + 1)^m - (1 - C)] \delta}{(j + 1)^n [(1 - D)(j + 1)^m - (1 - C)] - (C - D)}$$

where

$$\delta \leq (1 - D)(j + 1) - (C - D)(j + 1)^{1-n} [(1 - D)(j + 1)^m - (1 - C)]^{-1}.$$

*Proof.* Let  $f(z)$  be in  $\mathcal{N}_{j,\delta}(g)$  for  $g(z) \in \mathcal{T}_j(n, m, C, D)$  then

$$(4.3) \quad \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} k|a_k - b_k| \leq \delta \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} b_k \leq \frac{C - D}{(j + 1)^n [(1 - D)(j + 1)^m - (1 - C)]}.$$

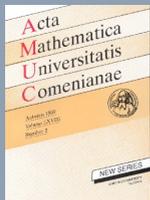


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Consider,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left| \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} - 1 \right| \\
 & \leq \frac{\sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} |a_k - b_k|}{1 - \sum_{k=j+1}^{\infty} b_k} \\
 & \leq \frac{\delta}{j+1} \cdot \frac{(j+1)^n [(j+1)^m (1-D) - (1-C)]}{(j+1)^n [(j+1)^m (1-D) - (1-C)] - (C-D)} \\
 & = \frac{(j+1)^{n-1} [(j+1)^m (1-D) - (1-C)]}{(j+1)^n [(j+1)^m (1-D) - (1-C)] - (C-D)} \\
 & = \frac{A-B}{1-B}.
 \end{aligned}$$

This implies that  $f(z) \in \mathcal{K}_j(n, m, A, B, C, D)$ . □

Putting  $j = 1$  in Theorem 4.2, we have the following.

**Corollary 4.3.**  $\mathcal{N}_{1,\delta}(g) \subset \mathcal{K}_1(n, m, A, B, C, D)$  where  $g(z) \in \mathcal{T}_1(n, m, C, D)$  and

$$\alpha = 1 - \frac{2^{n-1} [2^m (1-D) - (1-B)] \delta}{2^n [2^m (1-D) - (1-B)] - (C-D)}.$$

**Remark 4.4.** For  $A = 1 - 2\alpha$ ,  $B = -1$ ,  $C = 1 - 2\beta$ ,  $D = -1$  we get the results obtained by Aouf [4].



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