

# Some Coefficient Inequalities for Certain Subclasses of Analytic Functions with respect to $k$ -Symmetric Points

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## Abstract

In the present paper, we introduce two new subclasses  $B_\lambda^{(k)}(\alpha)$  and  $L_\lambda^{(k)}(\alpha)$  of analytic functions with respect to  $k$ -symmetric points. Some coefficient inequalities for functions belonging to these classes and their subclasses with positive coefficients are provided.

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## 1 Introduction

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

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

which are analytic in the open unit disk  $\Delta = \{z \in C : |z| < 1\}$ .

Let  $\mathcal{M}(\alpha)$  be the subclass of  $\mathcal{A}$  consisting of functions  $f(z)$  which satisfy the inequality

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right\} < \alpha \quad (z \in \Delta),$$

for some  $\alpha$  ( $\alpha > 1$ ) and let  $\mathcal{N}(\alpha)$  be the subclass of  $\mathcal{A}$  consisting of functions  $f(z)$  which satisfy the inequality

$$\Re \left\{ 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right\} < \alpha \quad (z \in \Delta),$$

for some  $\alpha$  ( $\alpha > 1$ ). The classes  $\mathcal{M}(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{N}(\alpha)$  were introduced and investigated recently by Owa and Nishiwaki [1] (see also Srivastava and Attiya [2]).

Motivated by  $\mathcal{M}(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{N}(\alpha)$ , the following two subclasses of analytic functions with respect to  $k$ -symmetric points were introduced and some interesting results were obtained by Zhi-Gang Wang et al. [3].

A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  is in the class  $\mathcal{M}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  if

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{zf'(z)}{f_k(z)} \right\} < \alpha \quad (z \in \Delta),$$

where  $\alpha > 1$ ,  $k \geq 1$  is a fixed positive integer and  $f_k(z)$  is defined by the following equality

$$f_k(z) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{\nu=0}^{k-1} \varepsilon^{-\nu} f(\varepsilon^{\nu} z), \quad (\varepsilon^k = 1; z \in \Delta) \quad (1)$$

And a function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  is in the class  $\mathcal{N}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  if and only if  $zf'(z) \in \mathcal{M}^{(k)}(\alpha)$ .

We now provide the following two classes  $\mathcal{M}_1^{(k)}(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{N}_1^{(k)}(\alpha)$ , which are subclasses with positive coefficients of the classes  $\mathcal{M}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{N}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  respectively.

$$\mathcal{M}_1^{(k)}(\alpha) = \left\{ f(z) \in \mathcal{M}^{(k)}(\alpha) : f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \text{ with } a_n \geq 0 (n \geq 2) \right\}$$

and

$$\mathcal{N}_1^{(k)}(\alpha) = \left\{ f(z) \in \mathcal{N}^{(k)}(\alpha) : f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \text{ with } a_n \geq 0 (n \geq 2) \right\}.$$

The subclasses  $\mathcal{M}_1^{(k)}(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{N}_1^{(k)}(\alpha)$  were introduced and studied by Zhi-Gang Wang et al. [3].

**Definition 1.1** A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  is in the class  $B_\lambda^{(k)}(\alpha)$  if

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z)}{[f_k(z)]^{(1-\lambda)}} \right\} < \alpha \quad (\lambda \geq 0, z \in \Delta)$$

where  $\alpha > 1$ ,  $k \geq 1$  is a fixed positive integer and  $f_k(z)$  is given by (1).

**Definition 1.2** A function  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  is in the class  $L_\lambda^{(k)}(\alpha)$  if

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{z f'(z) + \lambda z^2 f''(z)}{f_k(z)} \right\} < \alpha \quad (\lambda \geq 0, z \in \Delta)$$

where  $\alpha > 1$ ,  $k \geq 1$  is a fixed positive integer and  $f_k(z)$  is given by (1).

In the present paper, we shall provide some coefficient inequalities for functions belonging to the classes  $B_\lambda^{(k)}(\alpha)$  and  $L_\lambda^{(k)}(\alpha)$  and their subclasses with positive coefficients.

## 2 Main Results

**Theorem 2.1** Let  $\alpha > 1$ . If  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [(nk + 1) + |(nk + 1) - 2\alpha(1 - \lambda)|] |a_{nk+1}| + \sum_{\substack{n=2 \\ n \neq \ell k + 1}}^{\infty} 2n |a_n| \leq 2(\alpha - 1) \quad (2)$$

then  $f(z) \in B_\lambda^{(k)}(\alpha)$ .

**Proof** Suppose that  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  with  $\alpha > 1$ , it suffices to show that,

$$\left| \frac{z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z)}{[f_k(z)]^{(1-\lambda)}} \right| < \left| \frac{z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z)}{[f_k(z)]^{(1-\lambda)}} - 2\alpha \right|, \quad (z \in \Delta).$$

Let  $M$  be denoted by

$$\begin{aligned} M &= \left| z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z) \right| - \left| z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z) - 2\alpha [f_k(z)]^{(1-\lambda)} \right| \\ &= \left| z^{(1-\lambda)} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-\lambda} \right| \\ &\quad - \left| z^{(1-\lambda)} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-\lambda} - 2\alpha z^{(1-\lambda)} - 2\alpha(1 - \lambda) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n b_n z^{(n-\lambda)} \right| \end{aligned}$$

where  $b_n = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{\nu=0}^{k-1} \varepsilon^{(n-1)\nu}$ , ( $\varepsilon^k = 1$ ).

Thus, for  $|z| = r < 1$ , we have,

$$\begin{aligned} M &\leq r^{1-\lambda} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n|a_n|r^{n-\lambda} \\ &\quad - \left[ (2\alpha - 1)r^{1-\lambda} - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |n - 2\alpha(1 - \lambda)b_n| |a_n|r^{n-\lambda} \right] \\ &< \left\{ \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n + |n - 2\alpha(1 - \lambda)b_n|] |a_n| - 2(\alpha - 1) \right\} r \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

From the definition of  $b_n$ , we know

$$b_n = \begin{cases} 1, & n = \ell k + 1 \\ 0, & n \neq \ell k + 1 \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

Substituting (4) into inequality (3), we get,

$$\begin{aligned} M &< \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [(nk + 1) + |(nk + 1) - 2\alpha(1 - \lambda)|] |a_{nk+1}| \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \sum_{\substack{n=2 \\ n \neq \ell k + 1}}^{\infty} 2n|a_n| - 2(\alpha - 1) \right\} r \end{aligned}$$

From (2), we know that  $M < 0$ . Thus we have,

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z)}{[f_k(z)]^{(1-\lambda)}} \right\} < \alpha, \quad (z \in \Delta),$$

that is  $f(z) \in B_{\lambda}^{(k)}(\alpha)$ .

This completes the proof of Theorem 2.1.

**Theorem 2.2** *Let  $\alpha > 1$ . If  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies*

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [((nk + 1) + \lambda(nk + 1)(nk)) + |(nk + 1) + \lambda(nk + 1)(nk) - 2\alpha|] |a_{nk+1}| \\ &\quad + \sum_{\substack{n=2 \\ n \neq \ell k + 1}}^{\infty} 2[n + \lambda n(n - 1)] |a_n| \leq 2(\alpha - 1) \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

then  $f(z) \in L_{\lambda}^{(k)}(\alpha)$ .

The proof of Theorem 2.2 is similar to Theorem 2.1, so the details are omitted.

**Corollary 2.3** *By substituting  $\lambda = 0$  in Theorem 2.1 and Theorem 2.2, we have, for  $\alpha > 1$ ,  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies*

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [(nk + 1) + |(nk + 1) - 2\alpha|] |a_{nk+1}| + \sum_{\substack{n=2 \\ n \neq \ell k+1}}^{\infty} 2n|a_n| \leq 2(\alpha - 1) \quad (6)$$

then  $f(z) \in \mathcal{M}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  which was studied by Zhi-Gang Wang et al. [3].

We now provide the necessary and sufficient coefficient conditions for the following two classes  $B_{\lambda,1}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  and  $L_{\lambda,1}^{(k)}(\alpha)$ , which are subclasses with positive coefficients of the classes  $B_{\lambda}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  and  $L_{\lambda}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  respectively.

$$B_{\lambda,1}^{(k)}(\alpha) = \left\{ f(z) \in B_{\lambda}^{(k)}(\alpha) : f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \text{ with } a_n \geq 0 \ (n \geq 2) \right\}$$

and

$$L_{\lambda,1}^{(k)}(\alpha) = \left\{ f(z) \in L_{\lambda}^{(k)}(\alpha) : f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \text{ with } a_n \geq 0 \ (n \geq 2) \right\}.$$

**Theorem 2.4** *Let  $k \geq 2$ ,  $1 < \alpha \leq k + 1$  and  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$ , then  $f(z) \in B_{\lambda,1}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  if and only if*

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n a_n - \alpha(1 - \lambda) \sum_{\ell=1}^{\infty} a_{\ell k+1} \leq \alpha - 1$$

**Proof** In view of Theorem 2.1, we need only to prove the necessity. Let  $f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n \in B_{\lambda,1}^{(k)}(\alpha)$ , then  $a_n \geq 0$  for  $n \geq 2$  and

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z)}{[f_k(z)]^{(1-\lambda)}} \right\} < \alpha$$

this is equivalent to

$$\left| \frac{z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z)}{[f_k(z)]^{(1-\lambda)}} \right| < \left| \frac{z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z)}{[f_k(z)]^{(1-\lambda)}} - 2\alpha \right|$$

or equivalently,

$$|z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z)| < |z^{(1-\lambda)} f'(z) - 2\alpha [f_k(z)]^{(1-\lambda)}|.$$

Hence,

$$\left| 1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n z^{n-1} \right| < \left| 1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n z^{n-1} - 2\alpha - 2\alpha(1-\lambda) \sum_{\ell=1}^{\infty} a_{\ell k+1} z^{\ell k} \right|$$

Setting  $z \rightarrow 1^-$ , noting that  $a_n \geq 0$  for  $n \geq 2$  and  $\alpha > 1$ , we have,

$$1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n \leq 2\alpha - 1 + 2\alpha(1-\lambda) \sum_{\ell=1}^{\infty} a_{\ell k+1} - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n$$

that is,

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n - \alpha(1-\lambda) \sum_{\ell=1}^{\infty} a_{\ell k+1} \leq \alpha - 1.$$

Hence the proof of Theorem 2.4 is complete.

**Theorem 2.5** *Let  $k \geq 2$ ,  $1 < \alpha \leq k+1$  and  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$ , then  $f(z) \in L_{\lambda,1}^{(k)}(\alpha)$  if and only if*

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n + \lambda n(n-1)]a_n - \alpha \sum_{\ell=1}^{\infty} a_{\ell k+1} \leq \alpha - 1$$

The proof of Theorem 2.5 is similar to Theorem 2.4, so the details are omitted.

**Corollary 2.6** *By substituting  $\lambda = 0$  in Theorem 2.4 and Theorem 2.5, we have for  $k \geq 2$ ,  $1 < \alpha \leq k+1$  and  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$ , then  $f(z) \in \mathcal{M}_1^{(k)}(\alpha)$  if and only if*

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n - \alpha \sum_{\ell=1}^{\infty} a_{\ell k+1} \leq \alpha - 1$$

which was studied by Zhi-Gang Wang et al. [3].

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