

## CLASSES OF SPIRALLIKE FUNCTIONS DEFINED BY THE DZIOK-SRIVASTAVA OPERATOR

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Making use of the Dziok-Srivastava operator, in this paper we introduce two classes of analytic functions and investigate convolution properties, the necessary and sufficient condition, coefficient estimates and inclusion properties for these classes.

### 1. Introduction

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

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} a_k z^k \quad (1)$$

which are analytic in the open unit disk  $\mathbb{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ . Let  $\mathcal{S}^*(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{K}(\alpha)$  ( $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ) denote the subclasses of  $\mathcal{A}$  that consists, respectively, of starlike of order  $\alpha$  and convex of order  $\alpha$  in  $\mathbb{U}$ . It is well-known that Let  $\mathcal{S}^*(\alpha) \subset \mathcal{S}^*(0) = \mathcal{S}^*$  and  $\mathcal{K}(\alpha) = \mathcal{K}(0) \subset \mathcal{K}$ .

If  $f(z)$  and  $g(z)$  are analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$ , we say that  $f(z)$  is subordinate to  $g(z)$ , written  $f(z) \prec g(z)$  if there exists a Schwarz function  $\omega$ , which (by definition)

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is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  with  $\omega(0) = 0$  and  $|\omega(z)| < 1$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{U}$ , such that  $f(z) = g(\omega(z))$ ,  $z \in \mathbb{U}$ . Furthermore, if the function  $g(z)$  is univalent in  $\mathbb{U}$ , then we have the following equivalence, (cf., e.g., [5], [17] and [18]):

$$f(z) \prec g(z) \Leftrightarrow f(0) = g(0) \text{ and } f(\mathbb{U}) \subset g(\mathbb{U}).$$

For functions  $f$  given by (1) and  $g$  given by

$$g(z) = z + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} b_k z^k \quad (2)$$

the Hadamard product or convolution of  $f(z)$  and  $g(z)$  is defined by

$$(f * g)(z) = z + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} a_k b_k z^k = (g * f)(z). \quad (3)$$

Making use of the principal of subordination between analytic functions, we introduce the subclasses  $\mathcal{S}^\alpha[A, B]$  and  $\mathcal{K}^\alpha[A, B]$  of the class  $\mathcal{A}$  for  $|\alpha| < \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$  which are defined by (see [3], [4] and [19])

$$\mathcal{S}^\alpha[A, B] = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : e^{i\alpha} \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \prec \cos \alpha \left( \frac{1+Az}{1+Bz} \right) + i \sin \alpha (z \in \mathbb{U}) \right\}, \quad (4)$$

and

$$\mathcal{K}^\alpha[A, B] = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : e^{i\alpha} \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'(z)} \prec \cos \alpha \left( \frac{1+Az}{1+Bz} \right) + i \sin \alpha (z \in \mathbb{U}) \right\}. \quad (5)$$

We note that

$$\mathcal{S}^0[A, B] = \mathcal{S}[A, B], \quad \mathcal{K}^0[A, B] = \mathcal{K}[A, B] \quad (-1 \leq B < A \leq 1),$$

where the classes  $\mathcal{S}[A, B]$  and  $\mathcal{K}[A, B]$  are introduced and studied by many authors (see [1], [11], [13], [14], and [22]).

For complex parameters  $a_1, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s$  ( $b_j \notin \mathbb{Z}_0^- = \{0, -1, -2, \dots\}$ ;  $j = 1, \dots, s$ ), we define the generalized hypergeometric function

$${}_qF_s(a_1, \dots, a_i, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s; z)$$

by the following infinite series (see [23]):

$${}_qF_s(a_1, \dots, a_i, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s; z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a_1)_k \dots (a_q)_k z^k}{(b_1)_k \dots (b_s)_k k!}$$

$$(q \leq s + 1; q, s \in \mathbb{N}_0 = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}, \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, \dots\}; z \in U),$$

where  $(x)_k$  is the Pochhammer symbol defined, in terms of the Gamma function  $\Gamma$ , by

$$(x)_k = \frac{\Gamma(x+k)}{\Gamma(x)} = \begin{cases} 1 & (k = 0), \\ x(x+1)\dots(x+k-1) & (k \in \mathbb{N}). \end{cases}$$

Dziok and Srivastava [9] considered a linear operator  $H(a_1, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s) : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  defined by the following Hadamard product:

$$H(a_1, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s)f(z) = h(a_1, \dots, a_i, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s; z) * f(z), \quad (6)$$

where

$$h(a_1, \dots, a_i, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s; z) = z {}_qF_s(a_1, \dots, a_i, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s; z) \quad (7)$$

$$(q \leq s + 1; q, s \in \mathbb{N}_0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

If  $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}$  is given by (1), then we have

$$H(a_1, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s)f(z) = z + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \Gamma_k[a_1; b_1] a_k z^k, \quad (8)$$

where

$$\Gamma_k[a_1; b_1] = \frac{(a_1)_{k-1} \dots (a_q)_{k-1}}{(b_1)_{k-1} \dots (b_s)_{k-1} k!}. \quad (9)$$

If, for convenience, we write

$$H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1] = H(a_1, \dots, a_q; b_1, \dots, b_s),$$

then one can easily verify from the definition (6) or (8) that (see [9]):

$$z(H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]f(z))' = a_1 H_{q,s}[a_1 + 1; b_1]f(z) - (a_1 - 1)H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]f(z), \quad (10)$$

and

$$z(H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1 + 1]f(z))' = b_1 H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]f(z) - (b_1 - 1)H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1 + 1]f(z). \quad (11)$$

It should be remarked that the linear operator  $H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]$  is a generalization of many other linear operators considered earlier. In particular, for  $f \in \mathcal{A}$ , we have

- (i)  $H_{2,1}(a, b; c)f(z) = (I_c^{a,b} f)(z)$  ( $a, b \in \mathbb{C}; c \notin \mathbb{Z}_0^-$ ), where the linear operator  $I_c^{a,b}$  was investigated by Hohlov [12];

- (ii)  $H_{2,1}(\delta + 1, 1; 1)f(z) = D^\delta f(z)$  ( $\delta > -1$ ), where  $D^\delta$  is the Ruscheweyh derivative of  $f(z)$  (see [21]);
- (iii)  $H_{2,1}(\mu + 1, 1; \mu + 2)f(z) = F_\mu(f)(z) = \frac{\mu + 1}{z^\mu} \int_0^z t^{\mu-1} f(t) dt$  with  $\mu > -1$ , where  $F_\mu$  is the Libera integral operator (see [2], [15] and [16]);
- (iv)  $H_{2,1}(a, 1; c)f(z) = L(a, c)f(z)$  ( $a \in \mathbb{R}; c \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Z}_0^-$ ), where  $L(a, c)$  is the Carlson-Shaffer operator (see [6]);
- (v)  $H_{2,1}(\lambda + 1, c; a)f(z) = I^\lambda(a, c)f(z)$  ( $a, c \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Z}_0^-; \lambda > -1$ ), where  $I^\lambda(a, c)$  is the Cho–Kwon–Srivastava operator (see [7]);
- (vi)  $H_{2,1}(\mu, 1; \lambda + 1)f(z) = I_{\lambda, \mu}f(z)$  ( $\lambda > -1; \mu > 0$ ), where the operator  $I_{\lambda, \mu}$  is the Choi–Saigo–Srivastava operator (see [8]) which is closely related to the Carlson–Shaffer [6] operator  $L(\mu, \lambda + 1)$ ;
- (vii)  $H_{2,1}(1, 1; n + 1)f(z) = I_n f(z)$  ( $n > -1$ ), where  $I_n$  is Noor operator of  $n$ -th order (see [20]).

Next, by using Dziok-Srivastava operator  $H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]$ , we introduce the following classes of analytic functions for  $s, q \in \mathbb{N}_0, |\alpha| < \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$ :

$$\mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B] = \{f \in \mathcal{A} : H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]f(z) \in \mathcal{S}^\alpha[A, B]\}, \quad (12)$$

and

$$\mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B] = \{f \in \mathcal{A} : H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]f(z) \in \mathcal{K}[A, B]\}. \quad (13)$$

We also note that

$$f(z) \in \mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B] \Leftrightarrow zf'(z) \in \mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B]. \quad (14)$$

In this paper, we investigate convolution properties of  $\mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B]$  and  $\mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B]$  associated with the operator  $H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]$ . Using convolution properties, we find the necessary and sufficient condition, coefficient estimates and inclusion properties for these classes.

## 2. Convolution Properties

Unless otherwise mentioned, we assume throughout this paper that  $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1, |\alpha| < \frac{\pi}{2}, |\zeta| = 1$  and  $\Gamma_k[a_1; b_1]$  is defined by (9). To prove our convolution properties, we shall need the following lemmas due to Bhoosurnath and Devadas [3, 4].

**Lemma 2.1** ([3]). *The function  $f(z)$  defined by (1) is in the class  $S^\alpha[A, B]$  if and only if*

$$\frac{1}{z} \left[ f(z) * (1 - Mz) \frac{z}{(1-z)^2} \right] \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}), \tag{15}$$

where

$$M = \frac{e^{i\alpha} + (A \cos \alpha + iB \sin \alpha) \zeta}{(A - B) \zeta \cos \alpha}. \tag{16}$$

**Lemma 2.2** ([4] Lemma 3 with  $n = 1$ ). *The function  $f(z)$  defined by (1) is in the class  $\mathcal{K}^\alpha[A, B]$  if and only if*

$$\frac{1}{z} \left[ f(z) * (1 - Nz) \frac{z}{(1-z)^3} \right] \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}), \tag{17}$$

where

$$N = \frac{2e^{i\alpha} + [(A + B) \cos \alpha + i2B \sin \alpha] \zeta}{(A - B) \zeta \cos \alpha}. \tag{18}$$

**Theorem 2.3.** *A necessary and sufficient condition for the function  $f$  defined by (1) to be in the class  $S_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B]$  is that*

$$1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{(k-1 + kB\zeta) e^{i\alpha} - (A \cos \alpha + iB \sin \alpha) \zeta}{(A - B) \zeta \cos \alpha} \Gamma_k[a_1; b_1] a_k z^{k-1} \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \tag{19}$$

*Proof.* From Lemma 2.1, we find that  $f(z) \in S_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B]$  if and only if

$$\frac{1}{z} \left[ H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1] f(z) * (1 - Mz) \frac{z}{(1-z)^2} \right] \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}), \tag{20}$$

where  $M$  is given by (16). From (8), the left hand side of (20) may be written as

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{z} \left[ H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1] f(z) * \left( \frac{z}{(1-z)^2} - \frac{Mz^2}{(1-z)^2} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z} \left[ z(H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1] f(z))' - M \left\{ z(H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1] f(z))' - H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1] f(z) \right\} \right] \\ &= 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{(k-1 + kB\zeta) e^{i\alpha} - (A \cos \alpha + iB \sin \alpha) \zeta}{(A - B) \zeta \cos \alpha} \Gamma_k[a_1; b_1] a_k z^{k-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the proof of The Theorem 2.3 is completed. □

**Theorem 2.4.** *A necessary and sufficient condition for the function  $f$  defined by (1) to be in the class  $\mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1; A, B]$  is that*

$$1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} k \frac{(k-1)e^{i\alpha} - [(A-kB)\cos\alpha - i(k-1)B\sin\alpha]\zeta}{(A-B)\zeta\cos\alpha} \Gamma_k [a_1; b_1] a_k z^{k-1} \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \quad (21)$$

*Proof.* From Theorem 2.3, we find that  $f(z) \in \mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1; A, B]$  if and only if

$$\frac{1}{z} \left[ H_{q,s} [a_1; b_1] f(z) * (1 - Nz) \frac{z}{(1-z)^3} \right] \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}), \quad (22)$$

where  $N$  is given by (18). From (8), the left hand side of (22) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{z} \left[ H_{q,s} [a_1; b_1] f(z) * \left( \frac{z}{(1-z)^3} - \frac{z^2}{(1-z)^3} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z} \left[ \frac{1}{2} z (z H_{q,s} [a_1; b_1] f(z))'' - \right. \\ & \quad \left. N \left\{ \frac{1}{2} z (z H_{q,s} [a_1; b_1] f(z))'' - z (H_{q,s} [a_1; b_1] f(z))' \right\} \right] \\ &= 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} k \frac{(k-1)e^{i\alpha} - [(A-kB)\cos\alpha - i(k-1)B\sin\alpha]\zeta}{(A-B)\zeta\cos\alpha} \Gamma_k [a_1; b_1] a_k z^{k-1}, \end{aligned}$$

this proves Theorem 2.4. □

### 3. Coefficient Estimates and Inclusion Properties

Unless otherwise mentioned, we assume throughout this section that  $a_i > 0$  ( $i = 1, \dots, q$ ) and  $b_j > 0$  ( $j = 1, \dots, s$ ).

As an applications of Theorems 2.3 and 2.4, we next determine coefficient estimates and inclusion properties for a function of the form (1) to be in the classes  $\mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1; A, B]$  and  $\mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1; A, B]$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** *If the function  $f(z)$  defined by (1) belongs to  $\mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1; A, B]$ , then*

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} (k-1 + |A + iB\sin\alpha - kB e^{i\alpha}|) \Gamma_k [a_1; b_1] |a_k| \leq (A-B)\cos\alpha. \quad (23)$$

*Proof.* Since

$$\left| 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{(k-1 + kB\zeta) e^{i\alpha} - (A\cos\alpha + iB\sin\alpha)\zeta}{(A-B)\zeta\cos\alpha} \Gamma_k [a_1; b_1] a_k z^{k-1} \right|$$

$$\geq 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left| \frac{(k-1+kB\zeta)e^{i\alpha} - (A\cos\alpha + iB\sin\alpha)\zeta}{(A-B)\zeta\cos\alpha} \right| \Gamma_k[a_1; b_1] |a_k|,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{(k-1+kB\zeta)e^{i\alpha} - (A\cos\alpha + iB\sin\alpha)\zeta}{(A-B)\zeta\cos\alpha} \right| \\ &= \frac{|(k-1)e^{i\alpha} - (A\cos\alpha + iB\sin\alpha - kB e^{i\alpha})|}{(A-B)\cos\alpha} \\ &\leq \frac{(k-1) + |A\cos\alpha + iB\sin\alpha - kB e^{i\alpha}|}{(A-B)\cos\alpha}, \end{aligned}$$

the result follows from Theorem 2.3. □

Similarly, we can prove the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.2.** *If the function  $f(z)$  defined by (1) belongs  $\mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B]$ , then*

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} k \{ (k-1) + |(A-kB)\cos\alpha - i(k-1)B\sin\alpha| \} \Gamma_k[a_1; b_1] |a_k| \leq (A-B)\cos\alpha. \quad (24)$$

We will discuss two inclusion relations for the classes  $\mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B]$  and  $\mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B]$ . To prove these results we shall require the following lemma:

**Lemma 3.3** ([10]). *Let  $h$  be convex (univalent) in  $\mathbb{U}$ , with  $\Re\{\gamma h(z) + \eta\} > 0$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{U}$ . If  $p$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$ , with  $p(0) = h(0)$ , then*

$$p(z) + \frac{zp'(z)}{\gamma p(z) + \eta} \prec h(z) \Rightarrow p(z) \prec h(z).$$

**Theorem 3.4.** *Suppose that*

$$\Re \left\{ e^{-i\alpha} \frac{z}{1+Bz} \right\} > -\frac{a_1}{(A-B)\cos\alpha} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \quad (25)$$

*If  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1 + 1; A, B]$ , with  $H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]f(z) \neq 0$  ( $z \in \mathbb{U}$ ), then  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1; A, B]$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose that  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha[a_1 + 1; A, B]$ , and define the function

$$p(z) = e^{i\alpha} z \frac{(H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]f(z))'}{H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1]f(z)} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \quad (26)$$

Then  $p$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  with  $p(0) = e^{i\alpha}$ , and using the relation (10), from (26) we obtain

$$e^{-i\alpha} p(z) + a_1 - 1 = a_1 \frac{H_{q,s}[a_1 + 1; b_1] f(z)}{H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1] f(z)}. \tag{27}$$

Differentiating logarithmically (27) with respect to  $z$  and then using (26), we deduce that

$$p(z) + \frac{z p'(z)}{e^{-i\alpha} p(z) + a_1 - 1} \prec \cos \alpha \left( \frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz} \right) + i \sin \alpha = h(z). \tag{28}$$

From (25), we see that  $\Re \{ e^{-i\alpha} h(z) + a_1 - 1 \} > 0, z \in \mathbb{U}$ . Since the function  $h(z)$  is convex (univalent) in  $\mathbb{U}$  with  $h(0) = e^{i\alpha}$ , according to Lemma 3.3 the subordination (28) implies  $p(z) \prec h(z)$ , which proves that  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1; A, B]$ .  $\square$

From the duality formula (14), the above theorem yields the following inclusion:

**Theorem 3.5.** *Suppose that (25) holds and  $H_{q,s}[a_1; b_1] f(z) \neq 0$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{U}$ . If  $f \in \mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1 + 1; A, B]$ , then  $f \in \mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1; A, B]$ .*

*Proof.* Applying (14) and Theorem 3.4, we observe that

$$\begin{aligned} f \in \mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1 + 1; A, B] &\iff z f' \in \mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1 + 1; A, B] \text{ (from (14))} \\ &\implies z f' \in \mathcal{S}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1; A, B] \text{ (by Theorem 3.4)} \\ &\iff f \in \mathcal{K}_{q,s}^\alpha [a_1; A, B], \end{aligned}$$

which evidently proves Theorem 3.5.  $\square$

**Remark 3.6.** (i) Taking  $q = 2, s = 1, a_1 = n + 1 (n > -1)$  and  $a_2 = b_1 = 1$  in Theorems 2.3, 3.1 and 3.4, respectively, we obtain the results obtained by Bhoosnurmath and Devadas [4, Theorems 1,3 and 4, respectively];  
 (ii) Taking  $q = 2, s = 1, a_1 = n + 1 (n > -1), a_2 = b_1 = 1, \alpha = 0$  and  $\bar{\zeta} = -\zeta$  in Theorems 2.3, 3.1 and 3.4, respectively, we obtain the results obtained by Ahuja [1, Theorems 1, 3 and 5, respectively];  
 (iii) For special choices for  $a_i (i = 1, \dots, q)$  and  $b_j (j = 1, \dots, s)$ , where  $q, s \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , we can obtain corresponding results for different linear operators which are defined in the introduction.

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