A Subclass of Univalent Functions Defined by Ruscheweyh Operator

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Abstract

The main object of this paper is to introduce a new class $\mathcal{GJ}_n(m, \lambda, \alpha)$ define by Ruscheweyh operator involving function $f(z) \in \mathcal{A}_n$. Parallel results, for some related classes including the class of starlike, convex and Bazilevic functions respectively, are also obtained.

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1. INTRODUCTION AND DEFINITIONS

Let A_n denote the class of function of the form

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} a_k z^k \tag{1.1}$$

which are analytic in the open unit disc $\mathbb{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ and the space of holomorphic functions in \mathbb{U} , $n \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \cdots\}$.

Let \mathcal{J}_n denote the subclass of functions that are univalent in \mathbb{U} .

By $S_n^*(\alpha) \subset \mathcal{J}_n$ denote the subclass of starlike functions of order α , $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ which satisfies the condition

$$\Re\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) > \alpha \qquad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$
(1.2)

Further, a function f(z) belonging to $\mathcal{K}_n(\alpha) \subset \mathcal{J}_n$ is said to be convex functions of order α , $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ in \mathbb{U} , if and only if

$$\Re\left(\frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}+1\right) > \alpha \qquad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$
(1.3)

and denote by $\mathcal{R}_n(\alpha)$ the class of functions in \mathcal{J}_n which satisfy the condition

$$\Re\{f'(z)\} > \alpha \quad (z \in \mathbb{U})$$

It is well known that $\mathcal{K}_n(\alpha) \subset S_n^*(\alpha) \subset \mathcal{J}_n$.

In [5] Ruscheweyh has define the operator

$$D^{h}: \mathcal{A}_{n} \longrightarrow \mathcal{A}_{n}, \ n \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, \cdots\},$$
$$D^{0}f(z) = f(z)$$
$$D^{1}f(z) = zf'(z)$$
$$(h+1)D^{h+1}f(z) = z[D^{h}f(z)]' + hD^{h}f(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

We note that if $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, then

$$D^{h}f(z) = z + \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} \frac{(h+k-1)!}{h!(k-1)!} a_{k} z^{k} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$
(1.4)

where $h \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\} = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \ldots\}.$

To prove our main theorem we shall need the following lemma.

Lemma 1.1. [3] Let q be analytic in \mathbb{U} with q(0) = 1 and suppose that

$$\Re\left(1+\frac{zq'(z)}{q(z)}\right) > \frac{3\alpha-1}{2\alpha} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

 $\textit{Then } \Re(q(z)) > \alpha \textit{ in } \mathbb{U}\textit{ and } \tfrac{1}{2} \leq \alpha < 1.$

2. MAIN RESULTS

Definition 2.1. A function $f(z) \in A_n$ is said to be a member of the class $\mathcal{GJ}_n(h, \lambda, \alpha)$ if

$$\left|\frac{D^{h+1}f(z)}{z}\left(\frac{D^{h}f(z)}{z}\right)^{\lambda} - 1\right| < 1 - \alpha, \quad z \in U \quad , \quad \lambda \ge -2 \quad and \quad \frac{1}{2} \le \alpha < 1$$
(2.1)

where D^h is the Ruscheweyh operator. Note that inequality (2.1) implies that

$$Re\left(\frac{D^{h+1}f(z)}{z}\left(\frac{D^hf(z)}{z}\right)^{\lambda}\right) > \alpha.$$
 $\frac{1}{2} \le \alpha < 1$

Remark 2.2. The function family $\mathcal{GJ}_n(h, \lambda, \alpha)$ is a comprehensive class of analytic functions which includes some known and new classes of analytic and univalent functions. For example,

- $I. \ \mathcal{GJ}_n(0,-1,\alpha) \equiv S_n^*(\alpha),$
- 2. $\mathcal{GJ}_n(1,-1,\alpha) \equiv \mathcal{K}_n(\alpha),$
- 3. $\mathcal{GJ}_n(0,0,\alpha) \equiv \mathcal{R}_n(\alpha)$,
- 4. $\mathcal{GJ}_1(0,\lambda,\alpha) \equiv \mathcal{B}(\lambda,\alpha) =$ $\left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : \left| f'(z) \left(\frac{f(z)}{z} \right)^{\lambda} - 1 \right| < 1 - \alpha; \lambda \ge -1, 0 \le \alpha < 1, \ z \in \mathbb{U} \right\}$ intoduced by Singh[4] and studied by Babalola[1].
- 5. $\mathcal{GS}_1(0, -2, \alpha) \equiv \mathcal{B}(\alpha)$ studied by Frasin and Darus[2].
- **Theorem 2.3.** If $f(z) \in A_n$ satisfies the condition

$$\Re\left(\frac{(h+2)D^{h+2}f(z)}{D^{h+1}f(z)} + \frac{\lambda(h+1)D^{h+1}f(z)}{D^{h}f(z)} - (1+\lambda)(h+1)\right) > \frac{3\alpha - 1}{2\alpha} \quad (2.2)$$

then $f(z) \in \mathcal{GJ}_n(h, \lambda, \alpha)$

Proof. For $z \in \mathbb{U}$, define an analytic function q(z) with q(0) = 1 by

$$q(z) = \frac{D^{n+1}f(z)}{z} \left(\frac{D^n f(z)}{z}\right)^{\lambda}$$

By simplification,

$$\ln q(z) = \ln(D^{h+1}f(z)) - \ln(z) + \lambda \ln(D^h f(z)) - \lambda \ln(z)$$

and by simple differentiation it implies that

$$\frac{q'(z)}{q(z)} = \frac{(D^{h+1}f(z))'}{(D^{h+1}f(z))} - \frac{1}{z} + \lambda \frac{(D^hf(z))'}{(D^hf(z))} - \lambda \frac{1}{z}$$

so that,

$$\Re\left(1+\frac{zq'(z)}{q(z)}\right) = \Re\left(\frac{(h+2)D^{h+2}f(z)}{D^{h+1}f(z)} + \frac{\lambda(h+1)D^{h+1}f(z)}{D^hf(z)} - (1+\lambda)(h+1)\right) > \frac{3\alpha-1}{2\alpha}$$

which, by Lemma 1.1, implies

$$Re\left(\frac{D^{n+1}f(z)}{z}\left(\frac{D^nf(z)}{z}\right)^{\lambda}\right) > \alpha, \qquad \left(\frac{1}{2} \le \alpha < 1\right).$$

Remark 2.4. When n = 1 and h = 0 in Theorem 2.3, we have the following theorem.

Theorem 2.5. [1] If $f \in A$ satisfies

$$\Re\left\{\left(1+\frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}\right)+\lambda\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right\}>\lambda+\frac{3\alpha-1}{2\alpha},\quad z\in\mathbb{U}$$

 $\textit{Then } \Re(q(z)) > \alpha \textit{ in } \mathbb{U}\textit{ and } \tfrac{1}{2} \leq \alpha < 1.$

From Theorem 2.3, the following Corollaries hold true.

Corollary 2.6. If $f(z) \in A_n$, and

$$\Re\left\{\frac{4z^2f''(z)+z^3f'''(z)+2zf'(z)}{z^2f''(z)+2zf'(z)}\right\} > \frac{1}{2} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

then

$$\Re [zf''(z) + f'(z)] > \frac{1}{2}, \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Corollary 2.7. If $f(z) \in A_n$ and

$$\Re\left\{\frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} - \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right\} > -\frac{3}{2} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

then

$$\Re\left[\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right] > \frac{1}{2}.$$

That is f(z) is starlike of order $\frac{1}{2}$, hence $f \in \mathcal{GJ}_n(0, -1, \frac{1}{2}) \equiv S_n^*(\alpha)$.

Corollary 2.8. If $f(z) \in A_n$ and

$$\Re\left\{1+\frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}\right\} > \frac{1}{2} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

then

$$\Re\left[f'(z)\right] > \frac{1}{2}.$$

In another words, if the function f(z) is convex of order $\frac{1}{2}$, then $f(z) \in \mathcal{GJ}_n(0,0,\frac{1}{2}) \equiv \mathcal{R}_n(\frac{1}{2})$

Corollary 2.9. If $f(z) \in A_n$ and

$$\Re\left\{2\left(\frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}+1\right)-\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right\}>0\quad(z\in\mathbb{U}),$$

then

$$\Re\left[\frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}}f'(z)}{f^{\frac{1}{2}}(z)}\right] > \frac{1}{2}.$$

That is f(z) is Bazilevic of order $\frac{1}{2}$, type $\frac{1}{2}$ in \mathbb{U} .

Corollary 2.10. If $f(z) \in A_n$ and

$$\Re\left\{2\left(\frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}+1\right)+\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right\}>1\quad(z\in\mathbb{U}),$$

then

$$\Re\left[\frac{f^{\frac{1}{2}}(z)f'(z)}{z^{\frac{1}{2}}}\right] > \frac{1}{2}.$$

That is f(z) is Bazilevic of order $\frac{1}{2}$, type $\frac{3}{2}$ in \mathbb{U} .

CONCLUSION

In this paper, using Ruscheweyh operator, we defined new subclass of univalent function and established some of its properties. Results obtained provide properties of certain subclasses of univalent functions.

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