

On Some Results for Subclass of β -spirallike Functions of Order α *

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Abstract

This paper introduces two new subclass of the classes of β -spirallike function of order α and β -convexlike function of order α . We prove a subordination relation for these classes of functions.

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1. Introduction

Let A denote the class of functions $f(z)$ defined by

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n \quad (1.1)$$

which are analytic in the unit disk $E = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$. Let S denote the subclass of A consisting of analytic and univalent functions in E . For $0 \leq \alpha < 1$, a function $f \in A$ is said to be starlike of order α if

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{z f'(z)}{f(z)} \right\} > \alpha \quad (z \in E). \quad (1.2)$$

We denote the class of such functions by $S^*(\alpha)$. A function $f \in A$ is said to be convex in E , if

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ 1 + \frac{z f''(z)}{f'(z)} \right\} > 0 \quad (z \in E). \quad (1.3)$$

We denote by K the class of all convex functions in E .

For $|\lambda| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 \leq \alpha < 1$, a function $f(z) \in A$ is said to be λ -spirallike of order α in E if

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ e^{i\lambda} \frac{z f'(z)}{f(z)} \right\} > \alpha \cos \lambda \quad (z \in E). \quad (1.4)$$

The class of such functions is denoted by $S_p^\alpha(\lambda)$ [2].

Definition 1. The convolution or Hadamard product of two power series $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ and $g(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n z^n$ are analytic in E , is defined as then their Hadamard product, $f * g$ is defined by the power series

$$(f * g)(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n b_n z^n.$$

The function $f * g$ is also analytic in E .

Definition 2. Let f be analytic in E and g be analytic and univalent in E with $f(0) = g(0)$. Then the subordination $f(z) \prec g(z)$ is equivalent to $f(E) \subset g(E)$.

Definition 3. A sequence $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ of complex numbers is said to be a subordinating factor sequence if whenever $f(z) = \sum_{k=1}^\infty a_k z^k$, $a_1 = 1$ is regular, univalent and convex in E , we have

$$\sum_{k=1}^\infty a_k b_k z^k \prec f(z)$$

in E .

The following lemma is due to Wilf [1].

Lemma 1. *The sequence $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ is a subordinating factor sequences if and only if*

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ 1 + 2 \sum_{n=1}^\infty b_n z^n \right\} > 0$$

for $z \in E$.

2. Some Definitions and Results for β -spirallike Function of Order α

Definition 4. Let $F(z) = \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}$ for $f(z) \in S$. A function $f(z) \in S$ is said to be in the class $S_\beta(\alpha)$ if it satisfies the inequality

$$\left| \frac{1}{e^{i\beta} F(z)} - \frac{1}{2\alpha} \right| < \frac{1}{2\alpha} \quad (z \in E) \tag{2.1}$$

for some real β and $0 < \alpha < 1$.

Theorem 1. $f(z) \in S_\beta(\alpha)$ iff $\operatorname{Re} \left(e^{i\beta} \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right) > \alpha$.

Proof. Let $F(z) = \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}$ for $f(z) \in S$. If $f(z) \in S_\beta(\alpha)$, we can write

$$\left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)}{2\alpha e^{i\beta} F(z)} \right| < \frac{1}{2\alpha}.$$

Then, we can obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
\left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)}{2\alpha e^{i\beta} F(z)} \right| < \frac{1}{2\alpha} &\Leftrightarrow \left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)}{2\alpha e^{i\beta} F(z)} \right|^2 < \left(\frac{1}{2\alpha} \right)^2 \\
&\Leftrightarrow (2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)) \left[\overline{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)} \right] < \left[e^{-i\beta} \overline{F(z)} \right] e^{i\beta} F(z) \\
&\Leftrightarrow (2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)) \left[\overline{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)} \right] < \left[e^{-i\beta} \overline{F(z)} \right] e^{i\beta} F(z) \\
&\Leftrightarrow 4\alpha^2 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta} \overline{F(z)} - 2\alpha e^{i\beta} F(z) + F(z) \overline{F(z)} < F(z) \overline{F(z)} \\
&\Leftrightarrow 4\alpha^2 - 2\alpha (e^{-i\beta} \overline{F(z)} + e^{i\beta} F(z)) < 0 \\
&\Leftrightarrow 2\alpha - 2\operatorname{Re}(e^{i\beta} F(z)) < 0 \\
&\Leftrightarrow \operatorname{Re}(e^{i\beta} F(z)) > \alpha \\
&\Leftrightarrow \operatorname{Re}\left(e^{i\beta} \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right) > \alpha.
\end{aligned}$$

Theorem 2. *If $f(z) \in A$ satisfies*

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \{n + |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|\} |a_n| \leq 1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| \quad (2.2)$$

for some $|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 < \alpha < \cos \beta$, then $f(z) \in S_{\beta}(\alpha)$.

Proof. It suffices to show that

$$\left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)}{e^{i\beta} F(z)} \right| < 1$$

for some $|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 < \alpha < \cos \beta$, where $F(z) = \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}$. Note that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)}{e^{i\beta} F(z)} \right| &= \left| \frac{2\alpha f(z) - e^{i\beta} z f'(z)}{e^{i\beta} z f'(z)} \right| \\
 &= \left| \frac{2\alpha e^{-i\beta} f(z) - z f'(z)}{z f'(z)} \right| \\
 &= \left| \frac{(1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}) + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}) |a_n| z^{n-1}}{1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-1}} \right| \\
 &\leq \frac{|1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| |a_n| |z|^{n-1}}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n |a_n| |z|^{n-1}} \quad (2.3) \\
 &< \frac{|1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| |a_n|}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n |a_n|}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \{n + |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|\} |a_n| \leq 1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|$$

for some $|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 < \alpha < \cos \beta$, then

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| |a_n| \leq 1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n |a_n|.$$

Using this inequality in (2.3), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} F(z)}{e^{i\beta} F(z)} \right| &< \frac{|1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| |a_n|}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n |a_n|} \\
 &\leq \frac{|1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| + 1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n |a_n|}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n |a_n|} \\
 &= 1.
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $f(z) \in S_\beta(\alpha)$ for some $|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 < \alpha < \cos \beta$.

Taking $\beta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ in Theorem 2, we have the following Corollary 1

Corollary 1. $f(z) \in A$ satisfies

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left\{ n + \sqrt{n^2 - 2\sqrt{2}\alpha n + 4\alpha^2} \right\} |a_n| \leq 1 - \sqrt{1 - 2\sqrt{2}\alpha + 4\alpha^2}$$

for some $0 < \alpha < \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$, then $f(z) \in S_{\frac{\pi}{4}}(\alpha)$.

Remark 1. Owa, Ochiai and Srivastava [4] have considered the subclass $M(\alpha)$ of A consisting of functions $f(z)$ such that

$$\left| \frac{f(z)}{zf'(z)} - \frac{1}{2\alpha} \right| < \frac{1}{2\alpha} \quad (z \in E, 0 < \alpha < 1).$$

Owa, Ochiai and Srivastava [4] have proved the following theorem.

Theorem 3. Let $0 < \alpha < 1$. If $f(z) \in A$ satisfies the following coefficient inequality:

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n - \alpha) |a_n| \leq \frac{1}{2} (1 - |1 - 2\alpha|) = \begin{cases} \alpha; & (0 < \alpha \leq \frac{1}{2}) \\ 1 - \alpha; & (\frac{1}{2} \leq \alpha < 1) \end{cases},$$

then $f(z) \in M(\alpha)$.

Putting $\beta = 0$ in Theorem 2, we get the Theorem 3 given by Owa, Ochiai and Srivastava [4].

Let us denote by $G(\beta, \alpha)$, the class of functions $f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ whose coefficients satisfy the condition (2.2).

Theorem 4. Let $f \in G(\beta, \alpha)$. Then

$$\frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2(2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|)} (f * g)(z) \prec g(z) \quad (2.4)$$

for $z \in E$ and for every function $g(z)$ in the class K .

In particular

$$\operatorname{Re} f(z) > -\frac{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}$$

for $z \in E$. The constant $\frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2(2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|)}$ cannot be replaced by any larger one.

Proof. Let $f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ be in $G(\beta, \alpha)$ and let $g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_n z^n$ be in K . Then

$$\frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2(2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|)} (f * g)(z) = \frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2(2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|)} \left(z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n c_n z^n \right)$$

Thus, by definition 3, the assertion of our theorem will hold if the sequence

$$\left(\frac{\{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|\} a_n}{2(2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|)} \right)_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

is subordinating factor sequence, with $a_1 = 1$. In view of Lemma 1, this will be the case if and only if

$$Re \left[1 + 2 \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2(2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|)} a_n z^n \right] > 0 \tag{2.5}$$

for $z \in E$.

Now, we can write

$$\begin{aligned} & Re \left[1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} a_n z^n \right] \\ = & Re \left[1 + \frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} z + \frac{1}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|) a_n z^n \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Because of $1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| \leq n + |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|$ for all $n \geq 2$, $|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and

$0 < \alpha < \cos \beta$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \operatorname{Re} \left[1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} a_n z^n \right] \\
& > \left[1 - \frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} r - \frac{1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n + |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} |a_n| r^n \right] \\
& \geq \left[1 - \frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} r - \frac{1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} r \right] \\
& = \left[1 - \frac{r}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} (1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| + 1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|) \right] \\
& = 1 - \frac{2r}{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} \\
& > 0.
\end{aligned}$$

This prove the first assertion. That

$$\operatorname{Re} f(z) > -\frac{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}$$

for $f(z) \in G(\beta, \alpha)$ follows by taking $g(z) = \frac{z}{1-z}$ in (2.4).

To prove the sharpness of the constant $\{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|\} / 2 \{2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|\}$ we consider the function

$$\begin{aligned}
f_0(z) &= z - \frac{1}{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|} z^2 \quad \left(|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 < \alpha < \cos \beta \right), \quad (2.6) \\
&\quad \left(|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 < \alpha < \cos \beta \right),
\end{aligned}$$

which is a member of the class $G(\beta, \alpha)$. Thus from the relation (2.4), we obtain

$$\frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2(2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|)} f_0(z) \prec \frac{z}{1-z}. \quad (2.7)$$

It can be verified that

$$\min_{|z| \leq 1} \operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{1 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2(2 + |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|)} f_0(z) \right] = -\frac{1}{2}. \quad (2.8)$$

This shows that the constant $\frac{1+|1-2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|}{2(2+|1-2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|)}$ is the best possible.

To prove Theorem 5, first we give the following result due to Miller and Mocanu [5].

Lemma 2. *Let $\phi(u, v)$ be a complex-valued function such that*

$$\phi : D \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad D \subset \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}$$

\mathbb{C} being (as usual) the complex plane, and let $u = u_1 + iu_2$ and $v = v_1 + iv_2$.

Suppose that the function $\phi(u, v)$ satisfies each of the following conditions:

- (i) $\phi(u, v)$ is continuous in D ;
- (ii) $(1, 0) \in D$ and $\operatorname{Re} \{ \phi(1, 0) \} > 0$;
- (iii) $\operatorname{Re} \{ \phi(iu_2, v_1) \} \leq 0$ for all $(iu_2, v_1) \in D$ such that

$$v_1 \leq -(1 + u_2^2) / 2.$$

Let

$$p(z) = 1 + p_1z + p_2z^2 + \dots$$

be analytic (regular) in the unit disk E such that

$$(p(z), zp'(z)) \in D$$

for all $z \in E$. If

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \phi(p(z), zp'(z)) \right\} > 0 \quad (z \in E),$$

then

$$\operatorname{Re} \{ p(z) \} > 0 \quad (z \in E).$$

Theorem 5. *Let the function $f(z)$ defined by (1.1) be in the class $S_\beta(\alpha)$ and let*

$$0 < \xi \leq \frac{1}{2(\cos \beta - \alpha)} \text{ and } 0 < \alpha < \cos \beta. \tag{2.9}$$

Then we have

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \left(\frac{f(z)}{z} \right)^{\xi e^{i\beta}} \right\} > \frac{1}{2\xi(\cos \beta - \alpha) + 1} \quad (z \in E). \tag{2.10}$$

Proof. If we put

$$A = \frac{1}{2\xi(\cos\beta - \alpha) + 1}$$

and

$$\left(\frac{f(z)}{z}\right)^{\xi e^{i\beta}} = (1-A)p(z) + A \quad (2.11)$$

where ξ satisfies (2.9) then $p(z)$ is regular in the unit disk E and $p(z) = 1 + p_1z + \dots$

From (2.11) after taking the logarithmical differentiation we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \xi e^{i\beta} \left[\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} - \frac{1}{z} \right] &= (1-A) \frac{p'(z)}{(1-A)p(z) + A} \\ \Rightarrow e^{i\beta} \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - e^{i\beta} &= (1-A) \frac{zp'(z)}{\xi \{(1-A)p(z) + A\}}, \end{aligned}$$

and from there

$$e^{i\beta} \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - \alpha = e^{i\beta} - \alpha + (1-A) \frac{zp'(z)}{\xi \{(1-A)p(z) + A\}}. \quad (2.12)$$

Since $f(z) \in S_\beta(\alpha)$ then from (2.12) we get

$$Re \left\{ e^{i\beta} - \alpha + (1-A) \frac{zp'(z)}{\xi \{(1-A)p(z) + A\}} \right\} > 0, \quad (z \in E, 0 < \alpha < \cos\beta).$$

Let consider the function $\theta(u, v)$ defined by

$$\theta(u, v) = e^{i\beta} - \alpha + (1-A) \frac{v}{\xi \{(1-A)u + A\}},$$

where $u = p(z)$ and $v = zp'(z)$. Then $\theta(u, v)$ is continuous in $D = (\mathbb{C} - \{\frac{A}{A-1}\}) \times \mathbb{C}$.

Also, $(1, 0) \in D$ and $Re \{\theta(1, 0)\} = \cos\beta - \alpha > 0$. Furthermore, for all $(iu_2, v_1) \in D$ such that

$$v_1 \leq -\frac{1 + u_2^2}{2},$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Re} \{ \theta(iu_2, v_1) \} &= \cos \beta - \alpha + \operatorname{Re} \left\{ (1 - A) \frac{v_1}{\xi [(1 - A)iu_2 + A]} \right\} \\ &= \cos \beta - \alpha + \frac{A(1 - A)v_1}{\xi [(1 - A)^2 u_2^2 + A^2]} \\ &\leq \cos \beta - \alpha - \frac{A(1 - A)(1 + u_2^2)}{2\xi [(1 - A)^2 u_2^2 + A^2]} \\ &= (\cos \beta - \alpha) \frac{A^2 [4\xi^2 (\cos \beta - \alpha)^2 - 1] u_2^2}{[(1 - A)^2 u_2^2 + A^2]} \\ &\leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

because $0 < \alpha < \cos \beta$ and $4\xi^2 (\cos \beta - \alpha)^2 - 1 \leq 0 \Rightarrow \xi \leq \frac{1}{2(\cos \beta - \alpha)}$. Therefore, the function $\theta(u, v)$ satisfies the conditions in Lemma 2. This proves that $\operatorname{Re} \{p(z)\} > 0$ for $z \in E$, that is, that from (2.11)

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \left(\frac{f(z)}{z} \right)^{\xi e^{i\beta}} \right\} &> A \\ \Rightarrow \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \left(\frac{f(z)}{z} \right)^{\xi e^{i\beta}} \right\} &> \frac{1}{2\xi (\cos \beta - \alpha) + 1} \end{aligned}$$

which is equivalent to the statement Theorem 5.

Taking $\beta = 0$ in Theorem 5, we obtain the following Corollary 2.

Corollary 2. *Let the function $f(z)$ defined by (1.1) be in the class $S_0(\alpha)$ and let $0 < \xi \leq \frac{1}{2(1-\alpha)}$ and $0 < \alpha < 0$.*

Then we have

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \left(\frac{f(z)}{z} \right)^\xi \right\} > \frac{1}{2\xi (1 - \alpha) + 1} \quad (z \in E).$$

Remark 2. *If we take $\lambda = 0$ in Theorem 1 given by Obradovic and Owa [3], we can obtain Corollary 2.*

3. Some definitions and results for β -convexlike function of order α

Definition 5. Let $G(z) = 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}$ for $f(z) \in S$. A function $f(z) \in S$ is said to be in the class $K_\beta(\alpha)$ if it satisfies the inequality

$$\left| \frac{1}{e^{i\beta}G(z)} - \frac{1}{2\alpha} \right| < \frac{1}{2\alpha} \quad (z \in E) \quad (3.1)$$

for some real β and $0 < \alpha < 1$.

Theorem 6. $f(z) \in K_\beta(\alpha)$ iff $Re \left\{ e^{i\beta} \left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \right\} > \alpha$.

Proof. Let $G(z) = 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}$ for $f(z) \in S$. If $f(z) \in K_\beta(\alpha)$, we can write

$$\left| \frac{1}{e^{i\beta}G(z)} - \frac{1}{2\alpha} \right| < \frac{1}{2\alpha}.$$

Then, we can obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{1}{e^{i\beta}G(z)} - \frac{1}{2\alpha} \right| < \frac{1}{2\alpha} &\Leftrightarrow \left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta}G(z)}{2\alpha e^{i\beta}G(z)} \right| < \frac{1}{2\alpha} \\ &\Leftrightarrow \left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta}G(z)}{2\alpha e^{i\beta}G(z)} \right| < \frac{1}{2\alpha} \\ &\Leftrightarrow \left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta}G(z)}{2\alpha e^{i\beta}G(z)} \right|^2 < \left(\frac{1}{2\alpha} \right)^2 \\ &\Leftrightarrow (2\alpha - e^{i\beta}G(z)) \cdot \overline{(2\alpha - e^{i\beta}G(z))} < (e^{i\beta}G(z)) \cdot \overline{(e^{-i\beta}G(z))} \\ &\Leftrightarrow 4\alpha^2 - 2\alpha \left(e^{-i\beta} \overline{G(z)} + e^{i\beta} G(z) \right) < 0 \\ &\Leftrightarrow Re \{ e^{i\beta} G(z) \} > \alpha \\ &\Leftrightarrow Re \left\{ e^{i\beta} \left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \right\} > \alpha. \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 7. If $f(z) \in A$ satisfies

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n + |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|) |a_n| \leq 1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| \quad (3.2)$$

for some $|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 < \alpha < \cos \beta$, then $f(z) \in K_\beta(\alpha)$.

Proof. It suffices to show that

$$\left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} G(z)}{e^{i\beta} G(z)} \right| < 1$$

for some $|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 < \alpha < 1$. By definition $G(z) = 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}$, we can write

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta} G(z)}{e^{i\beta} G(z)} \right| &= \left| \frac{2\alpha e^{-i\beta} f'(z) - \{f'(z) + zf''(z)\}}{f'(z) + zf''(z)} \right| & (3.3) \\ &= \left| \frac{(2\alpha e^{-i\beta} - 1) f'(z) - zf''(z)}{f'(z) + zf''(z)} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{(2\alpha e^{-i\beta} - 1) + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (2\alpha e^{-i\beta} - n) na_n z^{n-1}}{1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^2 a_n z^{n-1}} \right| \\ &< \frac{|1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| |a_n|}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^2 |a_n|}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n (n + |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|) |a_n| \leq 1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}|$$

for some $|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 < \alpha < 1$, then

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| |a_n| \leq 1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^2 |a_n|.$$

Using this inequality in (3.3), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
\left| \frac{2\alpha - e^{i\beta}G(z)}{e^{i\beta}G(z)} \right| &< \frac{|1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n |n - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| |a_n|}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^2 |a_n|} \\
&\leq \frac{|1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| + 1 - |1 - 2\alpha e^{-i\beta}| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^2 |a_n|}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^2 |a_n|} \\
&= \frac{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^2 |a_n|}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^2 |a_n|} = 1.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore $f(z) \in K_{\beta}(\alpha)$ for some $|\beta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 < \alpha < \cos\beta$.

Taking $\beta = 0$ in Theorem 7, we obtain Theorem 8[4].

Theorem 8. *Let $0 < \alpha < 1$. If $f(z) \in A$ satisfies the following coefficient inequality:*

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n - \alpha) |a_n| \leq \frac{1}{2} (1 - |1 - 2\alpha|) = \begin{cases} \alpha; & (0 < \alpha \leq \frac{1}{2}) \\ 1 - \alpha; & (\frac{1}{2} \leq \alpha < 1) \end{cases},$$

then $f(z) \in N(\alpha)$.

Taking $\beta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ in Theorem 7, we can write the following Corollary 3.

Corollary 3. *If $f(z) \in A$ satisfies*

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n \left(n + \sqrt{n^2 - 2\sqrt{2}\alpha n + 4\alpha^2} \right) |a_n| \leq 1 - \sqrt{1 - 2\sqrt{2}\alpha + 4\alpha^2}$$

for some $0 < \alpha < \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$, then $f(z) \in K_{\frac{\pi}{4}}(\alpha)$.

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