

Majorization Problems for Certain Analytic Functions

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Abstract

A subclass $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$ of certain analytic functions in the open unit disk \mathbb{U} is introduced. For the class $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$, a majorization problem for $f(z)$ belonging to $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$ is considered. Furthermore, we give the open problem for the coefficients $|c_n|$ of $f(z)$ belonging to $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, 1)$.

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1 Introduction

Let $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$ be the class of functions $h(z)$ of the form

$$h(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n z^n \quad (c_n \in \mathbb{C}) \quad (1.1)$$

which are analytic in the open unit disk $\mathbb{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ and satisfy

$$\operatorname{Re}\{h(z) + \alpha z^j h^{(j)}(z)\} > \beta \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}) \quad (1.2)$$

for some $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$, $\operatorname{Re}(\alpha) \geq 0$ and $0 \leq \beta < 1$, where $j \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$.

For $j = 1$, we can show the example in a function $h(z) \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, 1)$ making use of the manner due to Owa, Hayami and Kuroki [7].

Example 1 For $h(z)$ in the class $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, 1)$, we define the function $F(z)$ by

$$F(z) = \frac{h(z) + \alpha zh'(z) - \beta}{1 - \beta}. \quad (1.3)$$

Then, $F(z)$ is the Carathéodory function, since $F(0) = 1$ and $\operatorname{Re}F(z) > 0$. Hence, we can write

$$F(z) = \frac{h(z) + \alpha zh'(z) - \beta}{1 - \beta} = \int_{|x|=1} \frac{1+xz}{1-xz} d\mu(x), \quad (1.4)$$

where $\mu(x)$ is the probability measure on $X = \{x \in \mathbb{C} : |x| = 1\}$ (cf. [4]). Since (1.4) is equivalent to

$$\alpha \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} h(z) + zh'(z) \right) = \beta + (1 - \beta) \int_{|x|=1} \left(1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2x^n z^n \right) d\mu(x), \quad (1.5)$$

we have that

$$z^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} h(z) + zh'(z) \right) = \frac{1}{\alpha} z^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} \left\{ 1 + (1 - \beta) \int_{|x|=1} \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2x^n z^n \right) d\mu(x) \right\}. \quad (1.6)$$

Integrating both sides of (1.6), we know that

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^z \zeta^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} h(\zeta) + \zeta h'(\zeta) \right) d\zeta \\ &= \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_{|x|=1} \left\{ \int_0^z \left(\zeta^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} + 2(1 - \beta) \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x^n \zeta^{n+\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} \right) \right) d\zeta \right\} d\mu(x), \end{aligned} \quad (1.7)$$

that is, that

$$z^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} h(z) = z^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} + 2(1 - \beta) \int_{|x|=1} \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{1 + \alpha n} z^{n+\frac{1}{\alpha}} \right) d\mu(x). \quad (1.8)$$

This implies that $h(z) \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, 1)$ if and only if

$$h(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2(1 - \beta)}{1 + \alpha n} \int_{|x|=1} x^n d\mu(x) \right) z^n. \quad (1.9)$$

Let $f(z)$ and $g(z)$ be analytic in \mathbb{U} . Then $f(z)$ is said to be subordinate to $g(z)$ if there exists an analytic function $w(z)$ in \mathbb{U} satisfying $w(0) = 0$, $|w(z)| \leq |z|$ ($z \in \mathbb{U}$) and $f(z) = g(w(z))$. We denote this subordination by

$$f(z) \prec g(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}) \quad (\text{cf. Nehari[6, p. 226]}). \quad (1.10)$$

If $g(z)$ is univalent in \mathbb{U} , then this subordination $f(z) \prec g(z)$ is equivalent to $f(0) = g(0)$ and $f(\mathbb{U}) \subset g(\mathbb{U})$ (cf. Duren [2] or Goodman [3]).

Further, $f(z)$ is said to be quasi-subordinate to $g(z)$ if there exists an analytic function $w(z)$ such that $\frac{f(z)}{w(z)}$ is analytic in \mathbb{U} ,

$$\frac{f(z)}{w(z)} \prec g(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}), \quad (1.11)$$

and $|w(z)| \leq 1$ ($z \in \mathbb{U}$). We also denote this quasi-subordination by

$$f(z) \prec_q g(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \quad (1.12)$$

Note that the quasi-subordination (1.12) is equivalent to

$$f(z) = w(z)g(\phi(z)), \quad (1.13)$$

where $|w(z)| \leq 1$ ($z \in \mathbb{U}$) and $|\phi(z)| \leq |z|$ ($z \in \mathbb{U}$) (see Robertson [8]).

In the quasi-subordination (1.12), if $w(z) \equiv 1$, then (1.12) becomes the subordination (1.10).

For analytic functions $f(z)$ and $g(z)$ in \mathbb{U} , we say that $f(z)$ is majorized by $g(z)$ if there exists an analytic function $w(z)$ in \mathbb{U} satisfying $|w(z)| \leq 1$ and $f(z) = w(z)g(z)$ ($z \in \mathbb{U}$). We denote this majorization by

$$f(z) \ll g(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}) \quad (\text{see MacGregor[5]}). \quad (1.14)$$

If we take $\phi(z) = z$ in (1.13), then the quasi-subordination (1.12) becomes the majorization (1.14).

Altintas and Owa [1] have considered some problems for the majorizations of $f(z)$.

2 A majorization problem

To consider our problems, we need the following lemmas.

Lemma 1 *If $h(z)$ is in the class $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$ with $c_n = |c_n|e^{i(n\theta+\pi)}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$), then*

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |c_n| + \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) \sum_{n=j}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{(n-j)!} |c_n| \leq 1 - \beta. \quad (2.1)$$

Proof For $h(z) \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$, we note that

$$1 + \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n z^n + \alpha \sum_{n=j}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{(n-j)!} c_n z^n \right\} > \beta \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \quad (2.2)$$

Since $c_n = |c_n|e^{i(n\theta+\pi)}$, we consider z such that $z = |z|e^{-i\theta}$ ($z \in \mathbb{U}$). Then we can write

$$c_n z^n = |c_n||z|^n e^{i\pi} = -|c_n||z|^n. \quad (2.3)$$

This implies that

$$1 - \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |c_n||z|^n + \alpha \sum_{n=j}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{(n-j)!} |c_n||z|^n \right\} > \beta. \quad (2.4)$$

Letting $|z| \rightarrow 1^-$, we see from (2.4) that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |c_n| + \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) \sum_{n=j}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{(n-j)!} |c_n| \leq 1 - \beta, \quad (2.5)$$

which completes the proof of our lemma.

Taking $j = 1$ in Lemma 1, we have the following result which is the improvement of the lemma by Altintas and Owa [1].

Corollary 1 *If $h(z)$ is in the class $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, 1)$ with $c_n = |c_n|e^{i(n\theta+\pi)}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$), then*

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 + n\operatorname{Re}(\alpha)) |c_n| \leq 1 - \beta.$$

With the help of Lemma 1, we have

Lemma 2 If $h(z)$ is in the class $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$ with $c_n = |c_n|e^{i(n\theta+\pi)}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$), then

$$1 - \frac{1 - \beta}{1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)} |z| \leq \operatorname{Re}(h(z)) \leq |h(z)| \leq 1 + \frac{1 - \beta}{1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)} |z| \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}) \quad (2.6)$$

where $A_j = \begin{cases} 0 & (n < j) \\ 1 & (n \geq j) \end{cases}$.

Proof Since $h(z) \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$, we have

$$|h(z)| \leq 1 + |z| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |c_n|. \quad (2.7)$$

Noting that

$$\frac{n!}{(n-j)!} \geq j! \quad (n = j, j+1, j+2, \dots), \quad (2.8)$$

we see that by Lemma 1

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |c_n| + j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) \sum_{n=j}^{\infty} |c_n| \leq 1 - \beta, \quad (2.9)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |c_n| \leq \frac{1 - \beta}{1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)}, \quad (2.10)$$

where $A_j = \begin{cases} 0 & (n < j) \\ 1 & (n \geq j) \end{cases}$.

Therefore, with the help of (2.7) and (2.10), we obtain

$$|h(z)| \leq 1 + \frac{1 - \beta}{1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)} |z| \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \quad (2.11)$$

On the other hand, by means of (2.10), we see that

$$\operatorname{Re}(h(z)) = 1 + \operatorname{Re} \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n z^n \right) \geq 1 - \left| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n z^n \right| \quad (2.12)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\geq 1 - |z| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |c_n| \\ &\geq 1 - \frac{1 - \beta}{1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)} |z|. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the proof of the lemma is completed.

If we take $j = 1$ in Lemma 2, we have the following corollary which is the improvement of the result due to Altintas and Owa [1].

Corollary 2 *If $h(z)$ is in the class $\mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, 1)$ with $c_n = |c_n|e^{i(n\theta+\pi)}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$), then*

$$1 - \frac{1 - \beta}{1 + \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)} |z| \leq \operatorname{Re}(h(z)) \leq |h(z)| \leq 1 + \frac{1 - \beta}{1 + \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)} |z| \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Now, we derive

Theorem 1 *Let $f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ ($a_1 \neq 0$) be analytic in \mathbb{U} . If $f(z) \ll g(z)$ and $\frac{zg'(z)}{g(z)} = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n z^n \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$ with $c_n = |c_n|e^{i(n\theta+\pi)}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$), then*

$$|f'(z)| \leq |g'(z)| \quad (|z| \leq r(\alpha, \beta, j)), \quad (2.13)$$

where $r(\alpha, \beta, j)$ is the root of the following equation

$$(1 - \beta)r^3 - (1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha))r^2 + (\beta - 2A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) - 3)r + 1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) = 0 \quad (2.14)$$

contained in the interval $(0, 1)$.

Proof For $g(z)$ such that $\frac{zg'(z)}{g(z)} \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, j)$, we have from Lemma 2 that

$$\left| \frac{zg'(z)}{g(z)} \right| \geq 1 - \frac{1 - \beta}{1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)} r \quad (|z| = r), \quad (2.15)$$

or

$$|g(z)| \leq \frac{(1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)) r}{1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) - (1 - \beta) r} |g'(z)| \quad (|z| = r). \quad (2.16)$$

Since $f(z) \ll g(z)$, there exists an analytic function $w(z)$ such that $f(z) = w(z)g(z)$ and $|w(z)| \leq 1$ ($z \in \mathbb{U}$). Thus we have

$$f'(z) = w(z)g'(z) + w'(z)g(z). \quad (2.17)$$

Noting that $w(z)$ satisfies

$$|w'(z)| \leq \frac{1 - |w(z)|^2}{1 - |z|^2} \quad (z \in U) \quad (\text{cf. [6, p. 168]}), \quad (2.18)$$

we see that

$$|f'(z)| \leq \frac{H(X)|g'(z)|}{(1 - r^2)(1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) - (1 - \beta)r)}, \quad (2.19)$$

where $X = |w(z)|$ and $H(X)$ is defined by

$$\begin{aligned} H(X) = & -(1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)) r X^2 + (1 - r^2)(1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) - (1 - \beta)r) X \\ & + (1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)) r \quad (0 \leq X \leq 1). \end{aligned}$$

Then we see that $H(X)$ takes its maximum value at $X = 1$ with the condition (2.14). Also, if $0 \leq a \leq r(\alpha, \beta, j)$ for $r(\alpha, \beta, j)$ ($0 < r(\alpha, \beta, j) < 1$) to be the root of the equation (2.14), then the function

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(X) = & -(1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)) a X^2 \\ & + (1 - a^2)(1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) - (1 - \beta)a) X + (1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha)) a \end{aligned} \quad (2.20)$$

increases in the interval $0 \leq X \leq 1$ so that $\psi(X)$ does not exceed

$$\psi(1) = (1 - a^2)(1 + A_j j! \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) - (1 - \beta)a).$$

Therefore, from this fact, the inequality (2.19) gives the inequality (2.13).

Letting $j = 1$ in Theorem 1, we obtain the following corollary which is the improvement of the theorem by Altintas and Owa [1].

Corollary 3 *Let $f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ ($a_1 \neq 0$) be analytic in \mathbb{U} . If $f(z) \ll g(z)$ and $\frac{zg'(z)}{g(z)} = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n z^n \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, 1)$ with $c_n = |c_n|e^{i(n\theta+\pi)}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$), then*

$$|f'(z)| \leq |g'(z)| \quad (|z| \leq r(\alpha, \beta, 1)),$$

where $r(\alpha, \beta, 1)$ is the root of the equation

$$(1 - \beta)r^3 - (1 + \operatorname{Re}(\alpha))r^2 + (\beta - 2\operatorname{Re}(\alpha) - 3)r + 1 + \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) = 0$$

contained in the interval $(0, 1)$.

3 Open problem for the coefficients

In Example 1, we give the function $h(z) \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, 1)$ as

$$h(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2(1-\beta)}{1+\alpha n} \int_{|x|=1} x^n d\mu(x) \right) z^n.$$

Since

$$h(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n z^n,$$

we see that

$$c_n = \frac{2(1-\beta)}{1+\alpha n} \int_{|x|=1} x^n d\mu(x) \quad (n = 1, 2, 3, \dots). \quad (3.1)$$

Further in Corollary 1, we consider $h(z) \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha, \beta, 1)$ with

$$c_n = |c_n|e^{i(n\theta+\pi)} = -|c_n|e^{in\theta} \quad (n = 1, 2, 3, \dots). \quad (3.2)$$

Therefore, we need to find the probability measure $\mu(x)$ which satisfies

$$-|c_n|e^{in\theta} = \frac{2(1-\beta)}{1+\alpha n} \int_{|x|=1} x^n d\mu(x),$$

that is,

$$\int_{|x|=1} x^n d\mu(x) = -\frac{(1 + \alpha n)|c_n|}{2(1 - \beta)} e^{in\theta} \quad (n = 1, 2, 3, \dots). \quad (3.3)$$

In this paper, we don't find such a probability measure $\mu(x)$. How can we find the probability measure $\mu(x)$ which satisfies (3.3) for each $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$?

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