

## Inclusion and neighborhood properties of some analytic p-valent functions <sup>1</sup>

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### Abstract

By means of a certain extended derivative operator of Salagean type, the authors introduce and investigate two new subclasses of p-valently analytic function of complex order. The various results obtained here for each of these function classes include coefficient inequalities and the consequent inclusion relationships involving the neighborhoods of the p-valently analytic functions.

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## 1 Introduction

Let  $T(j, p)$  denote the class of functions of the form :

$$(1) \quad f(z) = z^p - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} a_k z^k \quad (a_k \geq 0; p, j \in N = \{1, 2, \dots\}),$$

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which are analytic and  $p$ -valent in the open unit disc  $U = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ . For a function  $f(z)$  in  $T(j, p)$ , we define

$$\begin{aligned} D_{\lambda,p}^0 f(z) &= f(z), \\ D_{\lambda,p}^1 f(z) &= D_{\lambda,p}(D_{\lambda,p}^0 f(z)) = (1 - \lambda)f(z) + \frac{\lambda}{p} z f'(z) \quad (\lambda \geq 0) \\ &= z^p - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})] a_k z^k, \\ D_{\lambda,p}^2 f(z) &= D_{\lambda,p}(D_{\lambda,p}^1 f(z)) \\ &= z^p - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^2 a_k z^k \end{aligned}$$

and

$$D_{\lambda,p}^n f(z) = D_{\lambda,p}(D_{\lambda,p}^{n-1} f(z)) \quad (n \in N).$$

It can be easily seen that

$$(2) \quad D_{\lambda,p}^n f(z) = z^p - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n a_k z^k$$

$$(p, j \in N; n \in N_0 = N \cup \{0\}).$$

We note that :

(i) By taking  $j = p = \lambda = 1$ , the differential operator  $D_{1,1}^n = D^n$  was introduced by Salagean[11];

(ii) By taking  $j = p = 1$ , the differential operator  $D_{\lambda,1}^n = D_{\lambda}^n$  was introduced by Al-Oboudi[1].

Now, making use of the differential operator  $D_{\lambda,p}^n f(z)$  given by (2), we introduce a new subclass  $H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$  of the  $p$ -valent analytic function class  $T(j, p)$  which consist of function  $f(z) \in T(j, p)$  satisfying the following inequality :

$$(3) \quad \left| \frac{1}{b} \left( \frac{z(D_{\lambda,p}^n f(z))'}{D_{\lambda,p}^n f(z)} - p \right) \right| < \beta \quad ,$$

$$(z \in U; p, j \in N; n \in N_0; \lambda \geq 0; b \in C \setminus \{0\}; 0 < \beta \leq 1).$$

We note that :

$$(i) H_j(n, p, 1, b, \beta) = H_j(n, p, b, \beta) = \left\{ f(z) \in T(j, p) : \left| \frac{1}{b} \left( \frac{z(D_p^n f(z))'}{D_p^n f(z)} - p \right) \right| < \beta \right.$$

$$(4) \quad (z \in U; p, j \in N; n \in N_0; b \in C \setminus \{0\}; 0 < \beta \leq 1);$$

$$(ii) H_j(0, p, 0, b, \beta) = S_j(p, b, \beta) = \left\{ f(z) \in T(j, p) : \left| \frac{1}{b} \left( \frac{z f'(z)}{f(z)} - p \right) \right| < \beta \right.$$

$$(5) \quad (z \in U; p, j \in N; b \in C \setminus \{0\}; 0 < \beta \leq 1);$$

$$(iii) H_j(1, p, \lambda, b, \beta) = C_j(p, \lambda, b, \beta) = \left\{ f(z) \in T(j, p) : \left| \frac{1}{b} \left( \frac{z F_{\lambda, p}'(z)}{F_{\lambda, p}(z)} - p \right) \right| < \beta \right.$$

$$(6)$$

$$(z \in U; p, j \in N; \lambda \geq 0; b \in C \setminus \{0\}; 0 < \beta \leq 1; F_{\lambda, p}(z) = (1 - \lambda)f(z) + \frac{\lambda}{p} z f'(z)).$$

Now following the earlier investigations by Goodman [7], Ruscheweyh [10], and others including Altintas and Owa [3], Altintas et al. ([4] and [5]), Murugusundaramoorthy and Srivastava [8], Raina and Srivastava [9], Aouf [6] and Srivastava and Orhan [13] (see also [2], [12] and [14]), we define the  $(j, \delta)$ -neighborhood of a function  $f(z) \in T(j, p)$  by (see, for example, [5, p. 1668])

$$(7) N_{j, \delta}(f) = \left\{ g : g \in T(j, p), g(z) = z^p - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} b_k z^k \text{ and } \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} k |a_k - b_k| \leq \delta \right\}.$$

In particular, if

$$(8) \quad h(z) = z^p \quad (p \in N),$$

we immediately have

$$(9) \quad N_{j, \delta}(h) = \left\{ g : g \in T(j, p), g(z) = z^p - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} b_k z^k \text{ and } \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} k |b_k| \leq \delta \right\}.$$

Also, let  $L_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu)$  denote the subclass of  $T(j, p)$  consisting of function  $f(z) \in T(j, p)$  which satisfy the inequality :

$$\left| \frac{1}{b} \left\{ \left[ (1 - \mu) \frac{D_{\lambda, p}^n f(z)}{z^p} + \mu \frac{D_{\lambda, p}^n f'(z)}{p z^{p-1}} \right] - 1 \right\} \right| < \beta$$

$$(10) \quad (z \in U; p, j \in N; n \in N_0; \lambda \geq 0; b \in C \setminus \{0\}; 0 < \beta \leq 1; \mu \geq 0).$$

We note that :

$$(i) \quad L_j(0, p, 0, b, \beta, \mu) = L_j(p, b, \beta, \mu)$$

$$= \left\{ f(z) \in T(j, p) : \left| \frac{1}{b} \left\{ \left[ (1 - \mu) \frac{f(z)}{z^p} + \mu \frac{f'(z)}{pz^{p-1}} \right] - 1 \right\} \right| < \beta \right.$$

$$(11) \quad (z \in U; p, j \in N; b \in C \setminus \{0\}; 0 < \beta \leq 1; \mu \geq 0).$$

## 2 Neighborhoods for the classes $H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$ and $L_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu)$

In our investigation of the inclusion relations involving  $N_{j,\delta}(h)$ , we shall require Lemmas 1 and 2 below.

**Lemma 1** *Let the function  $f(z) \in T(j, p)$  be defined by (1). Then  $f(z) \in H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$  if and only if*

$$(12) \quad \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n (k + \beta|b| - p)a_k \leq \beta|b|.$$

**Proof.** Let a function  $f(z)$  of the form (1) belong to the class  $H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$ .

Then, in view of (2) and (3), we obtain the following inequality :

$$(13) \quad \operatorname{Re}\left\{ \frac{z(D_{\lambda,p}^n f(z))'}{D_{\lambda,p}^n f(z)} - p \right\} > -\beta|b| \quad (z \in U),$$

or, equivalently,

$$(14) \quad \operatorname{Re}\left\{ \frac{-\sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n (k-p)a_k z^{k-p}}{1 - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n a_k z^{k-p}} \right\} > -\beta|b| \quad (z \in U).$$

Setting  $z = r$  ( $0 \leq r < 1$ ) in (14), we observe that the expression in the denominator of the left-hand side of (14) is positive for  $r = 0$  and also for all  $r$  ( $0 < r < 1$ ). Thus, by letting  $r \rightarrow 1^-$  through real values, (14) leads us to the desired assertion (12) of Lemma 1.

Conversaly, by applying the hypothesis (12) and letting  $|z| = 1$ , we find from (3) that

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{z(D_{\lambda,p}^n f(z))'}{D_{\lambda,p}^n f(z)} - p \right| &= \left| \frac{\sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n (k-p) a_k z^{k-p}}{1 - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n a_k z^{k-p}} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{\sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n (k-p) a_k}{1 - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n a_k} \\ &\leq \frac{\beta |b| \{1 - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n a_k\}}{1 - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n a_k} = \beta |b|. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, by the maximum modulus theorem, we have  $f(z) \in H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$ , which evidently completes the proof of Lemma 1.

Similarly, we can prove the following lemma.

**Lemma 2** *Let the function  $f(z) \in T(j, p)$  be defined by (1). Then  $f(z) \in L_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu)$  if and only if*

$$(15) \quad \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} [1 + \lambda(\frac{k-p}{p})]^n [p + \mu(k-p)] a_k \leq p\beta |b|.$$

Our first inclusion relation involving  $N_{j,\delta}(h)$  is given in the following theorem.

**Theorem 1** *Let*

$$(16) \quad \delta = \frac{(j+p)\beta |b|}{(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n (j + \beta |b|)} \quad (p > |b|),$$

then

$$(17) \quad H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta) \subset N_{j, \delta}(h).$$

**Proof.** Let  $f(z) \in H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$ . Then, in view of the assertion (12) of Lemma 1, we have

$$(18) \quad \left(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p}\right)^n (j + \beta |b|) \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} a_k \leq \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} \left[1 + \lambda \left(\frac{k-p}{p}\right)\right]^n (k + \beta |b| - p) a_k \leq \beta |b|,$$

which readily yields

$$(19) \quad \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} a_k \leq \frac{\beta |b|}{\left(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p}\right)^n (j + \beta |b|)}.$$

Making use of (12) again, in conjunction with (19), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \left(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p}\right)^n \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} k a_k &\leq \beta |b| + (p - \beta |b|) \left(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p}\right)^n \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} a_k \\ &\leq \beta |b| + \frac{\beta |b| (p - \beta |b|)}{(j + \beta |b|)} = \frac{(j + p) \beta |b|}{(j + \beta |b|)}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$(20) \quad \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} k a_k \leq \frac{(j + p) \beta |b|}{\left(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p}\right)^n (j + \beta |b|)} = \delta \quad (p > |b|),$$

which, by means of the definition (9), establishes the inclusion (17) asserted by Theorem 1.

Putting (i)  $n = \lambda = 0$  and (ii)  $n = 1$  in Theorem 1, we obtain the following results.

**Corollary 1** *Let*

$$(21) \quad \delta = \frac{(j + p) \beta |b|}{(j + \beta |b|)} \quad (p > |b|),$$

then

$$(22) \quad S_j(p, b, \beta) \subset N_{j, \delta}(h).$$

**Corollary 2** *Let*

$$(23) \quad \delta = \frac{(j+p)p\beta|b|}{(p+\lambda j)(j+\beta|b|)} \quad (p > |b|),$$

*then*

$$(24) \quad C_j(p, \lambda, b, \beta) \subset N_{j,\delta}(h).$$

In a similar manner, by applying the assertion (15) of Lemma 2 instead of the assertion (12) of Lemma 1 to functions in the class  $L_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu)$ , we can prove the following inclusion relationship.

**Theorem 2** *If*

$$(25) \quad \delta = \frac{(j+p)p\beta|b|}{\left(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p}\right)^n (p + \mu j)} \quad (\mu > 1),$$

*then*

$$(26) \quad L_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu) \subset N_{j,\delta}(h).$$

Putting  $n = \lambda = 0$  in Theorem 2, we obtain the following result.

**Corollary 3** *If*

$$(27) \quad \delta = \frac{(j+p)p\beta|b|}{(p + \mu j)},$$

*then*

$$(28) \quad L_j(p, b, \beta, \mu) \subset N_{j,\delta}(h).$$

### 3 Neighborhoods for the classes $H_j^{(\alpha)}(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$ and $L_j^{(\alpha)}(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu)$

In this section, we determine the neighborhood for the each classes  $H_j^{(\alpha)}(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$  and  $L_j^{(\alpha)}(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu)$ , which we define as follows. A function  $f(z) \in T(j, p)$  is said to be in the class  $H_j^{(\alpha)}(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$  if there exists a function  $g(z) \in H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$  such that

$$(29) \quad \left| \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} - 1 \right| < p - \alpha \quad (z \in U; 0 \leq \alpha < p).$$

Analogously, a function  $f(z) \in T(j, p)$  is said to be in the class  $L_j^{(\alpha)}(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu)$  if there exists a function  $g(z) \in L_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu)$  such that the inequality (29) holds true.

**Theorem 3** *If  $g(z) \in H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$  and*

$$(30) \quad \alpha = p - \frac{\delta(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n(j + \beta |b|)}{(j + p)[(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n(j + \beta |b|) - \beta |b|]},$$

*then*

$$(31) \quad N_{j,\delta}(g) \subset H_j^{(\alpha)}(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta),$$

*where*

$$(32) \quad \delta \leq p(j + p) \{1 - \beta |b| [(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n(j + \beta |b|)]^{-1}\}.$$

**Proof.** Suppose that  $f(z) \in N_{j,\delta}(g)$ . We find from (7) that

$$(33) \quad \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} k |a_k - b_k| \leq \delta,$$



which readily implies that

$$(34) \quad \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} |a_k - b_k| \leq \frac{\delta}{j+p} \quad (p, j \in N).$$

Next, since  $g(z) \in H_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$ , we have [cf. equation (19)]

$$(35) \quad \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} b_k \leq \frac{\beta |b|}{(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n (j + \beta |b|)},$$

so that

$$(36) \quad \left| \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} - 1 \right| \leq \frac{\sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} |a_k - b_k|}{1 - \sum_{k=j+p}^{\infty} b_k} \leq \frac{\delta}{j+p} \cdot \frac{(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n (j + \beta |b|)}{[(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n (j + \beta |b|) - \beta |b|]}$$

$$= p - \alpha,$$

provided that  $\alpha$  is given by (30). Thus, by the above definition,  $f(z) \in H_j^{(\alpha)}(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta)$  for  $\alpha$  given by (30). This evidently proves Theorem 3.

Putting (i)  $n = \lambda = 0$  and (ii)  $n = 1$  in Theorem 3, we obtain the following results.

**Corollary 4** *If  $g(z) \in S_j(p, b, \beta)$  and*

$$(37) \quad \alpha = p - \frac{\delta(j + \beta |b|)}{(j+p)[(j + \beta |b|) - \beta |b|]},$$

*then*

$$(38) \quad N_{j,\delta}(g) \subset S_j^{(\alpha)}(p, b, \beta),$$

*where*

$$(39) \quad \delta \leq p(j+p)\{1 - \beta |b| (j + \beta |b|)^{-1}\}.$$

**Corollary 5** If  $g(z) \in C_j(p, \lambda, b, \beta)$  and

$$(40) \quad \alpha = p - \frac{\delta(p + \lambda j)(j + \beta |b|)}{(j + p)[(p + \lambda j)(j + \beta |b|) - p\beta |b|]},$$

then

$$N_{j,\delta}(g) \subset C_j^{(\alpha)}(p, \lambda, b, \beta),$$

where

$$(41) \quad \delta \leq p(j + p)\{1 - p\beta |b| [(p + \lambda j)(j + \beta |b|)]^{-1}\}.$$

The proof of Theorem 4 below is similar to that the proof of Theorem 3 above.

We, therefore, skip its proof.

**Theorem 4** If  $g(z) \in L_j(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu)$  and

$$(42) \quad \alpha = p - \frac{\delta(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n(p + \mu j)}{(j + p)[(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n(p + \mu j) - p\beta |b|]},$$

then

$$(43) \quad N_{j,\delta}(g) \subset L_j^{(\alpha)}(n, p, \lambda, b, \beta, \mu),$$

where

$$(44) \quad \delta \leq p(j + p)\{1 - p\beta |b| [(1 + \frac{\lambda j}{p})^n(p + \mu j)]^{-1}\}.$$

Putting  $n = \lambda = 0$  in Theorem 4, we obtain the following result.

**Corollary 6** If  $g(z) \in L_j(p, b, \beta, \mu)$  and

$$(45) \quad \alpha = p - \frac{\delta(p + \mu j)}{(j + p)[(p + \mu j) - p\beta |b|]},$$

then

$$(46) \quad N_{j,\delta}(g) \subset L_j^{(\alpha)}(p, b, \beta, \mu),$$

where

$$(47) \quad \delta \leq p(j + p)\{1 - p\beta |b| (p + \mu j)^{-1}\}.$$

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