

**SOME NEW CLASSES OF ANALYTIC FUNCTIONS DEFINED BY
MEAN OF A CONVOLUTION OPERATOR**

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we use the inverse of most famous Carlson Shaffer operator and introduce some new classes of analytic functions. Some inclusion results, a radius problem are discussed. We also show that these classes are closed under convolution with a convex function.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Let A_p denotes the class of functions of the form

$$f(z) = z^p + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_{p+k} z^{p+k}, \quad (1.1)$$

which are analytic in the open unit disc $E = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ and $p \in N = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$. Further for $0 \leq \alpha < p$, $S_p^*(\alpha)$ and $K_p(\alpha)$ denotes the classes of all p -valently starlike and convex functions of order α respectively. Also the class of p -valently close-to-convex of order α type γ is denoted by $B_p(\alpha, \gamma)$ and is given by

$$B_p(\alpha, \gamma) = \left\{ f \in A_p : \exists g \in S_p^*(\gamma) \text{ s.t. } \operatorname{Re} \left(\frac{zf'(z)}{g(z)} \right) > \alpha, z \in E, , 0 \leq \alpha, \gamma < 1 \right\}.$$

The classes S_p^* and K_p was introduced by Goodman [3] and $B_p(\alpha, \gamma)$ was studied by Aouf [1]. Clearly

$$f \in K_p(\alpha) \iff \frac{zf'}{f} \in S_p^*(\alpha). \quad (1.2)$$

The convolution (or Hadamard product) is denoted and defined by

$$f(z) * g(z) = z^p + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_{p+k} b_{p+k} z^{p+k},$$

where

$$f(z) = z^p + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_{p+k} z^{p+k} \text{ and } g(z) = z^p + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_{p+k} z^{p+k}.$$

The generalized Bernadi operator is denoted and defined as,

$$J_{c,p}(f(z)) = \frac{c+p}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{c-1} f(t) dt, \quad c > -p. \quad (1.3)$$

Inspiring from carlson shaffer, Saitoh [7] introduced a linear operator, $L_p(a, c)$, ($a \in R, c \in C - \{0, -1, -2, \dots\}$) as:

$$L_p(a, c)f(z) = \phi_p(a, c; z) * f(z) = z^p + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_k}{(c)_k} a_{k+p} z^{p+k}, \quad (1.4)$$

where

$$\phi_p(a, c; z) = z^p + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_k}{(c)_k} z^{p+k},$$

and $(a)_k$ is Pochhammer symbol.

Al-Kharasani and Al-Hajiry [2] defined the linear operator $L_p^*(a, c)$ as

$$L_p^*(a, c)f(z) = \phi_p^*(a, c; z) * f(z), \quad (1.5)$$

where

$$\phi_p^*(a, c; z) * \phi_p^*(a, c; z) = \frac{z^p}{(1-z)^{p+1}}. \quad (1.6)$$

From (1.5) and (1.6) the following identity can be easily verified

$$L_p^*(a, c+1)f(z) = z (L_p^*(a, c)f(z))' + (c-1)L_p^*(a, c)f(z). \quad (1.7)$$

Using the operator $L_p^*(a, c)$, we introduce the following new classes of analytic functions.

Definition 1.1

$$S_p^*(a, c, \alpha) = \left\{ f \in A_p : \operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c)f(z)} \right] > \alpha, 0 \leq \alpha < 1 \right\}.$$

Definition 1.2

$$K_p^*(a, c, \alpha) = \left\{ f \in A_p : \operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{(z(L_p^*(a, c)f(z))')'}{(L_p^*(a, c)f(z))'} \right] > \alpha, 0 \leq \alpha < 1 \right\}.$$

Definition 1.3

$$B_p^*(a, c, \alpha, \gamma) = \left\{ f \in A_p : \exists g \in S_p^*(a, c, \gamma) \operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c)g(z)} \right] > \alpha, 0 \leq \alpha, \gamma < 1 \right\}.$$

2. PRELIMINARY RESULTS

We shall need the following lemmas in the proof of our main results:

Lemma 2.1 [4] *Let $u = u_1 + iu_2, v = v_1 + iv_2$ and $\psi(u, v)$ be a complex valued function satisfying the conditions:*

- (i) $\psi(u, v)$ is continuous in a domain $D \subseteq C \times C$.
- (ii) $(1, 0) \in D$ and $\psi(1, 0) > 0$.
- (iii) $\operatorname{Re}\psi(iu_2, v_1) \leq 0$, whenever $(iu_2, v_1) \in D$ and $v_1 \leq \frac{1}{2}(1 + u_2^2)$.

If $h(z) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k z^k$ is analytic in E such that $(h(z), zh'(z)) \in D$ and $\operatorname{Re}\psi(h(z), zh'(z)) > 0$ in E , then $\operatorname{Re} h(z) > 0$ in E .

Lemma 2.2 [5] *Let ψ be a convex and g be a starlike in E . Then for F analytic in E with $F(0) = 1$, then $\frac{\psi * Fg}{\psi * g}$ is contained in convex hull of $F(E)$.*

Lemma 2.3 [6] *Let p be an analytic function in E with $p(0) = 1$ and $\operatorname{Re}(p(z)) > 0, z \in E$, then for $s > 0$ and $\mu \neq -1$ (complex),*

$$\operatorname{Re} \left[p(z) + \frac{szp'(z)}{p(z) + \mu} \right] > 0 \quad \text{for } |z| < r_0,$$

where r_0 is given by

$$r_0 = \frac{|\mu + 1|}{\sqrt{A + (A^2 - |\mu^2 - 1|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}}. \tag{2.1}$$

and $A = 2(s + 1)^2 + |\mu|^2 - 1$.

3. MAIN RESULTS

Theorem 3.1 *For $0 \leq \alpha < p, c \geq p$,*

$$S_p^*(a, c + 1, \alpha) \subseteq S_p^*(a, c, \beta),$$

where

$$\beta = \frac{2[p - 2\alpha(p - c)]}{\sqrt{(2c - 2p - 2\alpha + 1)^2 + 8(p - 2\alpha(p - c)) + (2c - 2p - 2\alpha + 1)}}. \quad (3.1)$$

Proof. Let

$$\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c)f(z)} = H(z) = (p - \beta)h(z) + \beta. \quad (3.2)$$

We want to show that $H(z) \in P(\beta)$ or $h(z) \in P$.

From (1.7), (3.2) and after some simplification, we have

$$\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c)f(z)} - \alpha = (\beta - \alpha) + (p - \beta)h(z) + \frac{(p - \beta)zh'(z)}{(p - \beta)h(z) + (\beta + c - p)}.$$

Now by taking $u = h(z)$ and $v = zh'(z)$, we formulate a functional $\psi(u, v)$ as

$$\psi(u, v) = (\beta - \alpha) + (p - \beta)u(z) + \frac{(p - \beta)v(z)}{(p - \beta)u(z) + (\beta + c - p)}.$$

Then obviously $\psi(u, v)$ satisfies conditions (i) and (ii) of Lemma 2.1 in the domain $D \subseteq C \times \left(C - \left\{ \frac{\beta + c - p}{\beta - p} \right\} \right)$.

For the third condition we proceed as follows:

$$\operatorname{Re} \psi(iu_2, v_1) = (\beta - \alpha) + \frac{(p - \beta)(\beta + c - p)v_1}{(p - \beta)^2 u_2^2 + (\beta + c - p)^2}$$

When we put $v_1 \leq \frac{1}{2}(1 + u_2^2)$, then $\operatorname{Re} \psi(iu_2, v_1) \leq \frac{A + Bu_2^2}{2C}$, where

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2(\beta - \alpha)(\beta + c - p)^2 - (\beta + c - p)(p - \beta) \\ B &= 2(\beta - \alpha)(p - \beta)^2 - (\beta + c - p)(p - \beta) \\ C &= (\beta + c - p)^2 + (p - \beta)^2 u_2^2 > 0. \end{aligned}$$

We note that $\operatorname{Re} \psi(iu_2, v_1) \leq 0$ if and only if $A \leq 0$ and $B \leq 0$. From $A \leq 0$, we obtain β , as given by (3.1), and from $B \leq 0$ gives $0 \leq \beta < p$. Hence $H(z) \in P(\beta)$ and consequently $f(z) \in S_p^*(a, c, \beta)$.

Special Case. For $\alpha = 0, a = 1, c = 1, p = 1$, we obtain a well known result that every convex function is starlike of order $\frac{1}{2}$.

Theorem 3.2. For $0 \leq \alpha < p, c \geq p$,

$$K_p^*(a, c + 1, \alpha) \subseteq K_p^*(a, c, \alpha).$$

Proof. The proof follows immediately by using (1.2) and Theorem 3.1.

Theorem 3.3. For $0 \leq \alpha < p, c \geq p$,

$$B_p^*(a, c + 1, \alpha, \gamma) \subseteq B_p^*(a, c, \alpha, \gamma).$$

Proof. Let

$$\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c)g(z)} = H(z) = (p - \alpha)h(z) + \alpha. \quad (3.3)$$

Using (1.7), (3.3) and after some simplification, we have

$$\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c + 1)f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c + 1)g(z)} - \alpha = (p - \alpha)h(z) + \frac{(p - \alpha)zh'(z)}{(c - p) + H_0(z)},$$

where

$$H_0(z) = \frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)g(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c)g(z)}.$$

Now by taking $u = h(z)$ and $v = zh'(z)$, we formulate the function $\psi(u, v)$ as

$$\psi(u, v) = (p - \alpha) + \frac{(p - \beta)v(z)}{(c - p) + H_0(z)}.$$

Then clearly $\psi(u, v)$ satisfies all the conditions of Lemma 2.1. Hence $H(z) \in P(\alpha)$ and consequently $f \in B_p^*(a, c, \alpha, \gamma)$.

Theorem 3.4. Let $f \in S_p^*(a, c, \alpha)$, then $J_{c,p}f \in S_p^*(a, c, \alpha)$.

Proof. Let

$$\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)J_{c,p}f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c)J_{c,p}f(z)} = H(z) = (p - \alpha)h(z) + \alpha. \quad (3.4)$$

Using (2.6), (3.4) and after some simplification, we have

$$\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c)f(z)} = (p - \alpha)h(z) + \frac{(p - \alpha)zh'(z)}{(p - \alpha)h(z) + (\alpha + c)} \in P(\alpha).$$

Now by taking $u = h(z)$ & $v = zh'(z)$, we formulate the function $\psi(u, v)$ as

$$\psi(u, v) = (p - \alpha) + \frac{(p - \alpha)v(z)}{(p - \alpha)h(z) + (\alpha + c)}.$$

Then clearly $\psi(u, v)$ satisfies all the conditions of Lemma 2.1. Hence $H(z) \in P(\alpha)$ and consequently $J_{c,p}f \in S_p^*(a, c, \alpha)$.

Theorem 3.5. *If $\phi \in C$ and $f \in S_p^*(a, c, \alpha)$ then $\phi * f \in S_p^*(a, c, \alpha)$.*

Proof. Let $G = \phi * f$. Then

$$L_p^*(a, c)G = \phi * (L_p^*(a, c) * f). \tag{3.5}$$

By logarithmic differentiation of (3.5) and after some simplification, we have

$$\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)G)'}{L_p^*(a, c)G} = \frac{\phi * FL_p^*(a, c)f}{\phi * L_p^*(a, c)f},$$

where

$$F = \frac{z(L_p^*(a, c) * f)'}{L_p^*(a, c) * f}.$$

As $f \in S_p^*(a, c, \alpha)$, therefore by using Lemma 2.2, it follows at once that $\phi * f \in S_p^*(a, c, \alpha)$.

Theorem 3.6. *Let $f(z) \in S_p^*(a, c, \alpha)$, then $f(z) \in S_p^*(a, c + 1, \alpha)$ for $|z| < r$, where r is given by (2.1), with $s = \frac{1}{p-\alpha}$, $\mu = \frac{\alpha+p-1}{p-\alpha}$.*

Proof. Let $f(z) \in S_p^*(a, c, \alpha)$ then

$$\frac{z(L_p^*(a, c)f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c)f(z)} = H(z) = \alpha + (p - \alpha)h, \quad h \in P. \tag{3.6}$$

Working in the same way as in Theorem 3.1, we have

$$\frac{1}{p - \alpha} \left\{ \frac{z(L_p^*(a, c + 1)f(z))'}{L_p^*(a, c + 1)f(z)} - \alpha \right\} = h(z) + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{p-\alpha}\right)zh'(z)}{h(z) + \frac{\alpha+p-1}{p-\alpha}}$$

Then by using Lemma 2.3 with $s = \frac{1}{p-\alpha}$, and $\mu = \frac{\alpha+p-1}{p-\alpha} \neq -1$, we have $f(z) \in S_p^*(a, c + 1, \alpha)$ for $|z| < r$, where r is given by (2.1) and this radius is best possible.

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