

# Fekete-Szegő Estimate for a Class of Starlike Functions Involving Certain Analytic Multiplier Transform

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## Abstract

In this paper, we investigated the coefficient estimates and the Fekete-Szegő problem for the subclass of analytic univalent functions involving the linear transformation  $D_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma}^s f$  for the normalized analytic function

$$f(z) = z + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z^3 + \dots$$

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Analytic, Univalent, Starlike, Linear Transformation, Coefficient Estimates, Fekete-Szegő Inequality

## 1. Introduction

For the normalized analytic function  $f$  of the form:

$$f(z) = z + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z^3 + \dots, \quad a_n \in \mathbb{C} \quad (1)$$

in the unit disk  $U = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ , Fekete and Szegő [1], proved that,

$$|a_3 - \lambda a_2^2| \leq 1 + 2e^{-\frac{2\lambda}{1-\lambda}}, \quad 0 < \lambda \leq 1. \quad (2)$$

And for the Schwarzian derivative  $S_f$  given by

$$S_f = \left( \frac{f''}{f} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{f''}{f'} \right)^2 = \frac{f'''}{f'} - \frac{3}{2} \left( \frac{f''}{f'} \right)^2$$

Simple calculation shows that the coefficient functional  $\phi_f(\lambda) = a_3 - \lambda a_2^2$  is related to the Schwarzian derivative by

$$\phi_f(\lambda) = a_3 - \lambda a_2^2 = \frac{1}{6} \left( f'''(0) - \frac{3\lambda}{2} (f''(0))^2 \right)$$

on normalized analytic functions  $f$  in the unit disk. Kanas and Darwish [2] remarked that, when  $\lambda = 1, \phi_f(\lambda) = a_3 - a_2^2$ , becomes  $\frac{S_f(0)}{6}$ , where  $S_f$  denotes the Schwarzian derivative given in Equation (3) and that if we consider the  $n$ th root transformation

$$\left( f(z^n) \right)^{\frac{1}{n}} = z + c_{n+1} z^{2n+1} + c_{n+1} z^{2n+1} + \dots$$

of the function in Equation (1), then  $c_{n+1} = \frac{a_2}{2}$  and  $c_{2n+1} = \frac{a_3}{n} + \frac{(n-1)a_2^2}{2n^2}$ , so that

$$a_3 - \lambda a_2^2 = n \left( c_{2n+1} - \mu c_{n+1}^2 \right)$$

where  $\mu = \lambda n + (n-1)/2$ . Several authors have discussed the nature of  $\phi_f(\lambda)$  for the normalized univalent functions in the unit disk. This is known as Fekete-Szegő problem. Several authors have discussed the nature of  $\phi(f)$  for classes of normalized univalent functions in the unit disk and this is known as Fekete-Szegő problem. For example, Choi, Kim and Sugawa [3], gave a generalized prestarlike function, while in [4] Fekete-Szegő problem was solved using subordination principle. Moreover, in [5] [6] [7] [8] and [9] Fekete-Szegő problems were solved for class of close-to-convex functions. Authors in [10] [11] [12] and [13] also solved Fekete-Szegő for classes of normalized analytic functions.

Now, we denote by  $S$ , the set of all functions of the form (1) that are normalized analytic and univalent in the unit disk  $U = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ . Let  $S^*(\alpha), S^c(\alpha)$  be the classes of starlike and convex univalent function of order  $\alpha$ , of the form:

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$$S^* = \left\{ f \in S : \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{z f'(z)}{f(z)} \right) > \beta, 0 \leq \beta < 1, z \in U \right\} \tag{4}$$

Several authors have generalized notions of  $\alpha$ -starlikeness and  $\alpha$ -convexity onto a complex order  $\alpha$  see [14] [15] [16]. When  $\alpha = 0$  in Equations (4) and (5), the starlike, respectively, convex functions with respect to the origin are obtained. With the aid of Ruscheweyh derivative, Kumar *et al.* [17] introduced the class  $S_n(b)$  of functions  $f \in S$  as follows:

**Definition 1** Let  $b$  be a nonzero complex number, and let  $f$  be a univalent function of the form (1) such that  $D^n f(z) \neq 0$  for  $z \in U - \{0\}$ . We say that  $f$  belongs to  $S_n(b)$  if

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{b} \left( \frac{z (D^n f)'(z)}{D^n f(z)} - 1 \right) \right\} > 0 \tag{5}$$

Moreover, the author in [18] defined a linear transformation  $D_{\alpha,\beta,\gamma}^s f$  by

$$D_{\alpha,\beta,\gamma}^s f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left( \frac{\alpha + n\beta + n^2\gamma}{\alpha + \beta + \gamma} \right)^s a_n z^n, \quad \beta, \gamma \geq 0; \alpha \geq 1; s \in \mathbb{N} \cup 0, i(1 \leq i \leq k). \quad (6)$$

where  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Motivated by the work of Kanas and Darwish, using the subclass of Kumar et al, involving the linear transformation in Equation (6), we study the coefficient estimates and solved the Fekete-Szegő problem for the subclass  $S_n(b)$  involving the linear transformation  $D_{\alpha,\beta,\gamma}^s$ .

**Definition 2** Let  $b$  be a nonzero complex number, and  $f$  a univalent function of the form (1) such that  $H^n(z) \neq 0$  for  $z \in U - \{0\}$ . We say that  $f$  belongs to  $S_n(b)$  if

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{b} \left( \frac{z(H^n)'(z)}{H^n(z)} - 1 \right) \right\} > 0, \quad z \in U, \quad (7)$$

where  $H = D_{\alpha,\beta,\gamma}^s f$  is as given in Equation (6).

The following results shall be employed in the proof of the main results of this study.

**Lemma 1** [19] Let  $P$  be the class of analytic functions in  $U$  with  $p(0) = 1$ ,  $\operatorname{Re} p(z) > 0$  and of the form

$$p(z) = 1 + c_1 z + c_2 z^2 + \dots, \quad (8)$$

then

$$|c_n| \leq 2, \quad n \geq 1.$$

If  $|c_1| = 2$ , then  $p(z) \equiv p_1 = \frac{1 + \gamma_1 z}{1 - \gamma_1 z}$  with  $\gamma_1 = \frac{c_1}{2}$ . Conversely, if  $p(z) \equiv p_1$  for some  $\gamma_1 = 1$ , then  $c_1 = 2\gamma_1$  and  $|c_1| = 2$ . Furthermore, we have

$$\left| c_2 - \frac{c_1^2}{2} \right| \leq 2 - \frac{|c_1|^2}{2}.$$

If  $|c_1| < 2$  and  $\left| c_2 - \frac{c_1^2}{2} \right| = 2 - \frac{|c_1|^2}{2}$ , then  $p(z) \equiv p_2$ , where

$$p_2(z) = \frac{1 + z \frac{\gamma_2 z + \gamma_1}{1 + \gamma_1 \gamma_2 z}}{1 - z \frac{\gamma_2 z + \gamma_1}{1 + \gamma_1 \gamma_2 z}}$$

and  $\gamma_1 = \frac{c_1}{2}$ ,  $\gamma_2 = \frac{2c_2 - c_1^2}{4 - |c_1|^2}$ . Conversely, if  $p(z) = p_2$  for some  $\gamma_1 < 1$  and

$$\gamma_2 = 1, \text{ then } \gamma_1 = \frac{c_1}{2}, \quad \gamma_2 = \frac{2c_2 - c_1^2}{4 - |c_1|^2} \text{ and } \left| c_2 - \frac{c_1^2}{2} \right| = 2 - \frac{|c_1|^2}{2}.$$

In what follows, we give the statement and proof of the results of this study.

### 2. Coefficient Estimates for...

**Theorem 1** Let  $n \geq 0$  and  $b$  a non-zero complex number. If  $f$  of the form (1) is in  $S_n(b)$ , then

$$|a_2^i| \leq 2|b| \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s$$

and

$$|a_3^i| \leq |b| \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s \max[1, |1 + 2b|], \beta, \gamma \geq 0; \alpha \geq 1; s \in \mathbb{N} \cup 0, i(1 \leq i \leq k).$$

**Proof 1** Let  $f \in S_n(b)$ , then by definition 2, there exist a class of analytic function  $p$  given by

$$p(z) = 1 + c_1z + c_2z^2 + \dots$$

satisfying  $P(0) = 1$  and  $\text{Re}(p(z)) > 0$  such that

$$1 + \frac{1}{b} \left( \frac{z(H^n)'(z)}{H^n(z)} - 1 \right) = 1 + c_1z + c_2z^2 + \dots \tag{9}$$

where  $H = D_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^s$ .

From Equation (9), we have:

$$\frac{z(H^n)'(z)}{H^n(z)} = 1 + b(p(z) - 1) \tag{10}$$

Equating coefficients in Equation (10) using Equation (6) with  $D_{\alpha,\beta,\gamma}^s f(z) = z + A_2z^2 + A_3z^3 + \dots$ , we have

$$A_2 = bc_1 \tag{11}$$

$$A_3 = \frac{b}{2} [c_2 + bc_1^2] \tag{12}$$

$$\equiv \frac{b}{2} \left( c_2 - \frac{c_1^2}{2} \right) + (1 + 2b) \frac{bc_1^2}{4} \tag{13}$$

From Equations (12) and (13) using Equation (6), we have,

$$a_2 = b \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s c_1 \tag{14}$$

respectively

$$a_3 = \frac{b}{2} \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s [c_2 + bc_1^2] \tag{15}$$

On the account of Equations (14) and (15) using Lemma 1, we have

$$|a_2| = \left| b \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s c_1 \right| \leq 2|b| \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} |a_3| &= \left| \frac{b}{2} \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s \left[ c_2 - \frac{c_1}{2} + \frac{1+2b}{2} c_1^2 \right] \right| \\ &\leq \frac{|b|}{2} \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s \left[ 2 - \frac{|c_1|}{2} + \frac{|1+2b|}{2} |c_1|^2 \right] \\ &= \frac{|b|}{2} \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s \left[ 2 + \frac{|c_1|}{2} (|1+2b| - 1) \right] \\ &\leq |b| \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s [1, 1 + |1+2b| - 1] \\ &= |b| \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma} \right)^s \max[1, |1+2b|]. \end{aligned}$$

which proves theorem 1.

### 3. The Fekete-Szegő Problem for the Subclasses $S_n(b)$

**Theorem 2** Let  $b$  be a nonzero complex number and  $f \in S_n(b)$ . Then  $\mu \in \mathbb{C}$ , the following holds.

$$|a_3 - \mu a_2^2| \leq b \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma} \right)^s \max \left\{ 1, \left| 1 + 2b - 2b\mu \frac{(\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma)^s}{(\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma)^{2s}} \right| \right\}$$

**Proof 2** From Equations (14) and (15), we have

$$\begin{aligned} a_3 - \mu a_2^2 &= \frac{b}{2} t_3^{-s} [c_2 + bc_1^2] - \mu (bt_2^{-s} c_1)^2 \\ &= \frac{b}{2} t_3^{-s} [c_2 + bc_1^2 - 2b\mu t_3^{-s} t_2^{2s} c_1^2] \\ &= \frac{b}{2} t_3^{-s} \left[ c_2 - \frac{c_1^2}{2} + \frac{c_1^2}{2} \left( 1 + 2b - 2b\mu \frac{(\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma)^s}{(\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma)^{2s}} \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

where  $t_2 = \left( \frac{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma}{\alpha + \beta + \gamma} \right)$  and  $t_3 = \left( \frac{\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma}{\alpha + \beta + \gamma} \right)$ .

Applying Lemma 1 to the above last inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |a_3 - \mu a_2^2| &\leq \frac{b}{2} t_3^{-s} \left[ 2 + \frac{c_1^2}{2} \left( \left| 1 + 2b - 2b\mu \frac{(\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma)^s}{(\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma)^{2s}} \right| - 1 \right) \right] \\ &\leq bt_3^{-s} \max \left\{ 1, \left( \left| 1 + 2b - 2b\mu \frac{(\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma)^s}{(\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma)^{2s}} \right| \right) \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

This proves the theorem.

**Theorem 3** Let  $b$  be a nonzero complex number and  $f \in S_n(b)$ . Then  $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ , the following holds.

$$|a_3 - \mu a_2^2| \leq \begin{cases} bt_3^{-s} \left[ 1 + 2b \left( 1 - \mu \frac{(\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma)^s}{(\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma)^{2s}} \right) \right] & \text{if } \mu \leq t_3^{-s} \\ bt_3^{-s} & \text{if } t_3^{-s} \leq \mu \leq t_3^{-s} \frac{1+2b}{2b} \\ bt_3^{-s} \left[ 2b \left( \mu \frac{(\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma)^s}{(\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma)^{2s}} - 1 \right) - 1 \right] & \text{if } \mu \geq t_3^{-s} \frac{1+2b}{2b} \end{cases} \quad (17)$$

where  $t_3 = \left( \frac{\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma}{\alpha + \beta + \gamma} \right)$ .

**Proof 3** Let  $\mu \leq t_3^{-s}$ . From Equation (17), we have

$$|a_3 - \mu a_2^2| \leq bt_3^{-s} \left[ 1 + 2b \left( 1 - \mu \frac{(\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma)^s}{(\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma)^{2s}} \right) \right]$$

Now, using the above calculations with  $t_3^{-s} \leq \mu \leq t_3^{-s} \frac{1+2b}{2b}$ , we have

$$|a_3 - \mu a_2^2| \leq bt_3^{-s}$$

and conclusively, let  $\mu \geq t_3^{-s} \frac{1+2b}{2b}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} |a_3 - \mu a_2^2| &\leq \frac{b}{2} t_3^{-s} \left[ 2 + \frac{|c_1|^2}{2} \left( 2\mu b \frac{(\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma)^s}{(\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma)^{2s}} - 2 - 2b \right) \right] \\ &\leq bt_3^{-s} \left[ 2\mu b \frac{(\alpha + 3\beta + 9\gamma)^s}{(\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma)^{2s}} - 1 - 2b \right] \end{aligned}$$

This concludes the proof of the theorem 3.

### 4. Conclusions

The result in this paper extends the work of Kanas and Darwish as it is evident that for  $s=1$  and  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{\alpha + 2\beta + 4\gamma}{2}$ ,  $s=0$  in the first part, respectively second part of the theorem 1 yields the first part respectively second part of the theorem 2.2 for  $n=0$  in Kanas and Darwish. Moreover when  $n > 1$  and  $\beta, \gamma \geq 0; \alpha \geq 1$  in Equation (6), the result in this study gives finer initial coefficient estimates and bound for Fekete-Szegő problem.

It will also be interesting to check the effect of the linear transformation given in (6) on other subclasses of normalized analytic functions.

### Conflicts of Interest

The authors declare no conflicts of interest regarding the publication of this paper.

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