

# Application of subordination for estimating the Hankel determinant for subclass of univalent functions

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ABSTRACT. By using subordination structure, a new subclass of convex functions is introduced. The estimate of the third Hankel determinants is also investigated.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

The coefficient estimate of univalent functions is one of the most important subjects which has been addressed in many recent articles. See [5], [6] and [7]. The well-known Fekete- Szegő inequality and the bounds of second and third Hankel determinants are investigated. See [1], [3], [4], [8] and [9].

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  denote the class of univalent functions of the form

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

which are analytic in the open unit disk

$$\mathbb{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}.$$

Further, by  $\mathcal{S}$  we shall denote the class of all functions in  $\mathcal{A}$  which are normalized univalent in  $\mathbb{U}$ .

Let  $f$  and  $g$  be analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$ . Then  $f$  is said to be subordinate to  $g$ , written  $f \prec g$  or  $f(z) \prec g(z)$ , if there exists a function  $\omega$  analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$ , with  $\omega(0) = 0$ ,  $|\omega(z)| < 1$  such that  $f(z) = g(\omega(z))$ .

If  $g$  is univalent, the  $f \prec g$  if and only if  $f(0) = 0$  and  $f(\mathbb{U}) \subset g(\mathbb{U})$ .

Suppose that  $\mathcal{P}$  denote the class of analytic functions  $p$  of the type

$$p(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n \tag{1.2}$$

such that  $Re p(z) > 0$ . Also

$$SL^C = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : \left| \left( 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right)^2 - 1 \right| < 1, \quad z \in \mathbb{U} \right\}.$$

Thus the values of  $1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}$  where  $f \in SL^C$  lies in the region which bounded by the right half of the lemniscate of Bernoulli given by  $|\omega^2 - 1| < 1$ .

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It is easy to see that  $f \in SL^C$  if it satisfies the condition

$$1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \prec \sqrt{1+z}, \quad z \in \mathbb{U}. \quad (1.3)$$

The determinants of the  $q^{th}$  Hankel matrix denoted by

$$H_q(n) = \begin{vmatrix} a_n & a_{n+1} & \cdots & a_{n+q-1} \\ a_{n+1} & a_{n+2} & \cdots & a_{n+q-2} \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ a_{n+q-1} & a_{n+q-2} & \cdots & a_{n+2q-2} \end{vmatrix} \quad q \in \mathbb{N} \setminus 1, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

and is called the  $q^{th}$  Hankel determinant. In the particular cases  $q = 2, n = 1, a_1 = 1$  and  $q = 2, n = 2$ .

the Hankel determinant simplifies respectively to

$$H_2(1) = |a_3 - a_2^2| \quad \text{and} \quad H_2(2) = |a_2a_4 - a_3^2|.$$

In the case  $q = 3$  and  $n = 1$ ,

$$H_3(1) = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ a_3 & a_4 & a_5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$H_2(2)$  and  $H_3(1)$  are respectively called second and third Hankel determinant For  $f \in \mathcal{S}$ ,  $a_1 = 1$  so that,

$$H_3(1) = a_3(a_2a_4 - a_3^2) - a_4(a_1a_4 - a_2a_3) + a_5(a_1a_3 - a_2^2).$$

and by using the triangle inequality, we have

$$|H_3(1)| \leq |a_3||a_2a_4 - a_3^2| + |a_4||a_4 - a_2a_3| + |a_5||a_3 - a_2^2|.$$

In this paper, we introduce a new subclass of convex functions associated with differential subordination and extremum point.

**Lemma 1.1.** [7] *If  $p \in \mathcal{P}$  be of the form 1.2, Then*

$$2p_2 = p_1^2 + x(4 - p_1^2)$$

for some  $x, |x| \leq 1$ , and

$$4p_3 = p_1^3 + 2(4 - p_1^2)p_1x - (4 - p_1^2)p_1x^2 + 2(4 - p_1^2)(1 - |x|^2)z$$

for some  $z, |z| \leq 1$ .

## 2. MAIN RESULTS

In this section we obtain some coefficient estimates and bounds of third Hankel determinant.

**Lemma 2.2.** *If  $p \in \mathcal{P}$ , then  $|p_k| \leq 2$  for each  $k$ . [2]*

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $f$  of the form 1.1 be in the class  $SL^C$ , Then*

$$|a_3 - a_2^2| \leq \frac{5}{24}.$$

*Proof.* If  $f \in SL^C$ , then it follows from 1.3 that

$$1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \prec \phi(z), \quad (2.4)$$

where  $\phi(z) = \sqrt{1+z}$ . Define a function

$$p(z) = \frac{1 + \omega(z)}{1 - \omega(z)} = 1 + p_1z + p_2z^2 + p_3z^3 + \dots$$

It is clear that  $p \in \mathcal{P}$ . This implies that

$$\omega(z) = \frac{p(z) - 1}{p(z) + 1}.$$

From 2.4, we have

$$1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} = \phi(\omega(z)).$$

with

$$\phi(\omega(z)) = \left( \frac{2p(z)}{p(z) + 1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

Now

$$\left( \frac{2p(z)}{p(z) + 1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 1 + \frac{1}{4}p_1z + \left( \frac{1}{4}p_2 - \frac{5}{32}p_1^2 \right)z^2 + \left( \frac{1}{4}p_3 - \frac{5}{16}p_1p_2 + \frac{13}{128}p_1^3 \right)z^3 \dots$$

Similarly,

$$\frac{1 + zf''(z)}{f'(z)} = 1 + 2a_2z + (6a_3 - 4a_2^2)z^2 + (12a_4 - 18a_2a_3 + 8a_2^3)z^3 \dots$$

Now, equating the coefficients we get

$$2a_2 = \frac{1}{4}p_1,$$

then

$$a_2 = \frac{1}{8}p_1. \tag{2.5}$$

and

$$6a_3 - 4a_2^2 = \frac{1}{4}p_2 - \frac{5}{32}p_1^2,$$

$$a_3 = \frac{1}{24}p_2 - \frac{1}{64}p_1^2. \tag{2.6}$$

and

$$12a_4 - 18a_2a_3 + 8a_2^3 = \frac{1}{4}p_3 - \frac{5}{16}p_1p_2 + \frac{13}{128}p_1^3$$

$$a_4 = \frac{1}{48}p_3 - \frac{7}{384}p_1p_2 + \frac{13}{3072}p_1^3. \tag{2.7}$$

Applying Lemma 2.2 for the coefficients  $p_1$  and  $p_2$ , we get:

$$|a_3 - a_2^2| \leq \frac{5}{24}.$$

□

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $f$  of the form 1.1 be in the class  $SL^C$ , Then

$$|a_2a_4 - a_3^2| \leq \frac{1}{72}.$$

*Proof.* From 2.5, 2.6 and 2.7, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} a_2 a_4 - a_3^2 &= \frac{1}{384} \left( p_1 p_3 - \frac{7}{8} p_1^2 p_2 + \frac{13}{64} p_1^4 \right) - \left( \frac{1}{24} p_2 - \frac{1}{64} p_1^2 \right)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{384} p_1 p_3 - \frac{7}{3072} p_1^2 p_2 + \frac{13}{24576} p_1^4 - \frac{1}{576} p_2^2 \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{768} p_1^2 p_2 - \frac{1}{4096} p_1^4 \\ &= \frac{1}{24576} \left( 64 p_1 p_3 + 24 p_1^2 p_2 - \frac{128}{3} p_2^2 + 7 p_1^4 \right). \end{aligned}$$

Putting the values of  $p_2$  and  $p_3$  from Lemma 1.1, letting  $p > 0$  and taking  $p_1 = p \in [0, 2]$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} |a_2 a_4 - a_3^2| &= \frac{1}{24576} \left| 16 p_1 (p_1^3 + 2(4 - p_1^2) p_1 x - (4 - p_1^2) p_1 x^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 2(4 - p_1^2)(1 - |x|^2)z) + 12 p_1^2 (p_1^2 + x(4 - p_1^2)) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{32}{3} (p_1^2 + x(4 - p_1^2)^2) + 16 p_1^2 (p_1^2 + x(4 - p_1^2)) - 6 p_1^4 \right|. \end{aligned}$$

After a simple calculation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} |a_2 a_4 - a_3^2| &= \frac{1}{24576} \left| \frac{82}{3} p^4 + \frac{116}{3} (4 - p^2) p^2 x \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 32(4 - p^2) p (1 - |x|^2) z - \frac{16}{3} (4 - p^2) (p^2 + 8) x^2 \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Now, applying the triangle inequality and replacing  $|x|$  by  $\rho$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |a_2 a_4 - a_3^2| &\leq \frac{1}{73728} \left| 82 p^4 + 192 p (4 - p^2) + 116 (4 - p^2) p^2 \rho + 16 \rho^2 (4 - p^2) (p^2 + 8) \right| \\ &= F(p, \rho). \end{aligned}$$

Differentiating with respect to  $\rho$ , we have

$$\frac{\partial F(p, \rho)}{\partial \rho} = \frac{1}{73728} (116(4 - p^2) p^2 + 32 \rho (4 - p^2) (p^2 + 8)).$$

It is clear that  $\frac{\partial F(p, \rho)}{\partial \rho} > 0$ , which shows that  $F(p, \rho)$  is an increasing function on the closed interval  $[0, 1]$ . This implies that maximum occurs at  $\rho = 1$ . Therefore

$\text{Max } F(p, \rho) = F(p, 1) = G(p)$ . Now

$$G(p) = \frac{1}{73728} (-148 p^4 + 336 p^2 + 1024).$$

Therefore

$$G'(p) = \frac{1}{73728} (-592 p^3 + 672 p)$$

and

$$G''(p) = \frac{1}{73728} (-1776 p^2 + 672) < 0$$

for  $p = 0$ . This shows that maximum of  $G(p)$  occurs at  $p = 0$ . Hence, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |a_2 a_4 - a_3^2| &\leq \frac{1024}{73728} \\ &= \frac{1}{72}. \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 2.3.** *Let  $f$  of the form 1.1 be in the class  $SL^C$ , Then*

$$|a_2a_3 - a_4| \leq \frac{1}{12}.$$

*Proof.* Since

$$\begin{aligned} a_2 &= \frac{1}{8}p_1, \\ a_3 &= \frac{1}{24}p_2 - \frac{1}{64}p_1^2, \\ a_4 &= \frac{1}{48}p_3 - \frac{7}{384}p_1p_2 + \frac{13}{3072}p_1^3, \end{aligned}$$

therefore, by using Lemma 1.2 and replacing  $|x|$  by  $\rho$ , we have

$$|a_2a_3 - a_4| \leq \frac{1}{3072} \left| 39p^3 + 64(4 - p^2) + 4(4 - p^2)p\rho + 16p\rho^2(4 - p^2) \right|.$$

Let

$$F_1(p, \rho) = \frac{1}{3072} \left| 39p^3 + 64(4 - p^2) + 4(4 - p^2)p\rho + 16p\rho^2(4 - p^2) \right|. \tag{2.8}$$

We assume that the upper bound occurs at the interior of the rectangle  $[0, 2] \times [0, 1]$ . Differentiating 2.8 with respect to  $\rho$ , we have

$$\frac{\partial F_1(p, \rho)}{\partial \rho} = \frac{1}{3072} (4p(4 - p^2) + 64p\rho(4 - p^2)).$$

For  $0 < \rho < 1$ , and fixed  $p \in (0, 2)$ , it is clear that  $\frac{\partial F_1(p, \rho)}{\partial \rho} < 0$ , which shows that  $F_1(p, \rho)$  is an decreasing function of  $p$ , which contradicts our assumption, therefore  $Max F_1(p, \rho) = F_1(p, 0) = G_1(p)$ . Now

$$G_1(p) = \frac{1}{3072} (-4p^3 + 16p).$$

So

$$G'_1(p) = \frac{1}{3072} (-12p^2 + 16)$$

and

$$G''_1(p) = \frac{1}{3072} (-24p) < 0$$

for  $p = 0$ . This shows that maximum of  $G_1(p)$  occurs at  $p = 0$ . Hence, we get the required result.

□

**Lemma 2.3.** *If the function  $f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n$  belongs to the class  $SL^C$ , then*

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{1}{4}, \quad |a_3| \leq \frac{1}{12}, \quad |a_4| \leq \frac{1}{24}, \quad |a_5| \leq \frac{1}{40}.$$

*These estimations are sharp.*

**Theorem 2.4.** *Let  $f$  of the form 1.1 be in the class  $SL^C$ , Then*

$$|H_3(1)| \leq \frac{49}{8640}.$$

*Proof.* Since

$$H_3(1) = a_3(a_2a_4 - a_3^2) - a_4(a_1a_4 - a_2a_3) + a_5(a_1a_3 - a_2^2),$$

Now, using the triangle inequality, we obtain

$$|H_3(1)| \leq |a_3||a_2a_4 - a_3^2| + |a_4||a_4 - a_2a_3| + |a_5||a_3 - a_2^2|.$$

Using the fact that  $a_1 = 1$  with the results of Theorem 2.1, Theorem 2.2, Theorem 2.3 and Lemma 2.3, we obtain

$$|H_3(1)| \leq \frac{49}{8640}.$$

□

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