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Some generalisations of analytic functions with respect to 2k-symmetric conjugate points

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Abstract: A new class of analytic functions with respect to 2k-symmetric conjugate points is introduced. This class combines the class of starlike functions and convex functions with respect to 2k-symmetric conjugate points. Some interesting properties such as subordinations, inclusion relationships, integral representations, convolution condition and inequalities are discussed in relation to the coefficients of this class of functions.

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INTRODUCTION

Let A be the class of functions f of the form:

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \quad (1)$$

which are analytic in the open unit disc $E = \{z : |z| < 1\}$. Let f and g be two functions which are analytic in E . We say that the function f is subordinate to the function g (represented by $f \prec g$ or $f(z) \prec g(z)$) in E if there exists a function w analytic in E with $w(0) = 0$ and $|w(z)| < 1$ in E such that $f(z) = g(w(z))$. In particular, if g is univalent in E , then $f(0) = g(0)$ and $f(E) \subset g(E)$. The classes of starlike and convex univalent functions are defined respectively as

$$S^* = \left\{ f : f \in A \text{ and } \operatorname{Re} \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} > 0, z \in E \right\},$$

$$C = \left\{ f : f \in A \text{ and } \operatorname{Re} \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'(z)} > 0, z \in E \right\}.$$

The class of $M(\lambda)$ of λ -convex function introduced by Mocanu [1] is defined as: Let $f \in A$ and $z^{-1}f(z)f'(z) \neq 0$. Then $f \in M(\lambda)$ for $\lambda \in R$ if

$$\operatorname{Re} \left[(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'(z)} \right] > 0, \quad z \in E.$$

A function f which is analytic in the open unit disc E is said to be starlike with respect to the symmetric points [2] if it satisfies

$$\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)-f(-z)} \prec \varphi(z), \quad z \in E,$$

where $\varphi(z) \in P$, the class of functions with positive real part. Such class of functions is denoted by $S_s^*(\varphi)$. Also, a function $f \in A$ is said to be in the class $C_s(\varphi)$ if and only if

$$zf' \in S_s^*(\varphi).$$

The class $C_s(\varphi)$ was studied by Stankiewicz [3]. A function f which is analytic in the open unit disc E is said to be starlike with respect to the symmetric conjugate points [4] if it satisfies

$$\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)-\overline{f(-\bar{z})}} \prec \varphi(z), \quad z \in E,$$

where $\varphi(z) \in P$, the class of functions with positive real part. Such class of functions is denoted by $S_{sc}^*(\varphi)$. Also, a function $f \in A$ is said to be in the class $C_{sc}(\varphi)$ if and only if

$$zf' \in S_{sc}^*(\varphi).$$

The classes $S_{sc}^*(\varphi)$ and $C_{sc}(\varphi)$ were studied by Ravichandran [5].

Al-Amiri et al. [6] introduced and investigated a class of functions starlike with respect to $2k$ -symmetric conjugate points $S_{sc}^k(\varphi)$ which satisfies the relation

$$\frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \prec \varphi(z), \quad z \in E,$$

where $\varphi(z) \in P$, $k \geq 2$ is a fixed positive integer and f_{2k} is defined by

$$f_{2k}(z) = \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{\mu=0}^{k-1} \left(\varepsilon^{-\mu} f(\varepsilon^\mu z) + \varepsilon^\mu \overline{f(\varepsilon^\mu \bar{z})} \right), \quad \varepsilon = \exp \frac{2\pi i}{k}. \quad (2)$$

It is clear that a function $f \in A$ is said to be in the class $C_{sc}^k(\varphi)$ if and only if

$$zf' \in S_{sc}^k(\varphi).$$

These classes, $S_{sc}^k(\varphi)$ of starlike functions with respect to $2k$ -symmetric conjugate points and $C_{sc}^k(\varphi)$ of convex functions with respect to $2k$ -symmetric conjugate points, were studied by Wang and Gao [7].

From (2) we have

$$\begin{aligned} f_{2k}(x^\mu z) &= x^\mu f_{2k}(z) \text{ and } \overline{f_{2k}(x^\mu \bar{z})} = x^{-\mu} f_{2k}(z); \\ f'_{2k}(x^\mu z) &= f'_{2k}(z) \text{ and } \overline{f'_{2k}(x^\mu \bar{z})} = f'_{2k}(z); \\ f''_{2k}(z) &= \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{\mu=0}^{k-1} \left(\varepsilon^\mu f''(\varepsilon^\mu z) + \varepsilon^{-\mu} \overline{f''(\varepsilon^\mu \bar{z})} \right). \end{aligned}$$

In terms of convolution,

$$\begin{aligned} f_{2k}(z) &= z + \sum_{j=2}^{\infty} \frac{a_j + \bar{a}_j}{2} c_j z^j \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left((f * h)(z) + \overline{(f * h)(\bar{z})} \right) \text{ where } h(z) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{\mu=2}^{k-1} z (1 - x^\mu z)^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Wang and Jiang [8] introduced and investigated the class $M_{sc}^{2k}(\lambda, \varphi)$ which is defined as:

Let $f \in A$ and $z^{-1}f(z)f'(z) \neq 0$. Then $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\lambda, \varphi)$ for $\lambda \in R$ if

$$\operatorname{Re} \left[(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \right] \prec \varphi(z), \quad z \in E,$$

where $\varphi(z) \in P$, $k \geq 2$ is a fixed positive integer and f_{2k} is defined by (2).

THE CLASS $M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$

Keeping in view the above mentioned classes, we now define the following subclass of analytic functions with respect to $2k$ -symmetric conjugate points.

Definition 1. Let $f \in A$ and f_{2k} be defined by (2). Then $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$ if and only if

$$\left| (1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} - 1 \right| \leq \beta \left| \alpha \left((1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \right) + 1 \right|, \quad z \in E, \quad (3)$$

where $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $0 < \beta \leq 1$, $\lambda > 0$, $k \geq 2$.

Special Cases

(i) For $\lambda = 1$, the class $M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$ yields the class $C_{sc}^{(k)}(\alpha, \beta)$, consisting of univalent functions satisfying the condition:

$$\left| \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} - 1 \right| \leq \beta \left| \alpha \left(\frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \right) + 1 \right|, \quad z \in E,$$

where $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $0 < \beta \leq 1$, and $k \geq 2$.

(ii) For $\lambda = 0$, the class $M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$ produces the class $S_{sc}^{(k)}(\alpha, \beta)$, satisfying the condition:

$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} - 1 \right| \leq \beta \left| \alpha \left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \right) + 1 \right|, \quad z \in E,$$

where $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $0 < \beta \leq 1$, and $k \geq 2$.

(iii) When $k = 2$, $\lambda = 1$ and $\alpha = \beta = 1$, we obtain the class C_{sc} [9].

(iv) For $k = 2$, $\lambda = 0$, $\alpha = \beta = 1$, $M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$ reduces to the class S_{sc}^* [10].

(v) Taking $k = 2$, $\lambda = 1$, $M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$ reduces to the class $C_{sc}(\alpha, \beta)$.

(vi) For $k = 2$, $\lambda = 0$, $M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$ reduces to the class $S_{sc}^*(\alpha, \beta)$.

PRELIMINARY RESULTS

Lemma 2 [11]. Suppose that the function ϕ is convex and univalent in E with $\phi(0)=1$ and

$$\operatorname{Re}(\beta\phi(z)+\gamma) > 0 \text{ for } \beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{C}, z \in E.$$

If p is analytic in E with $p(0)=1$, then

$$p(z) + \frac{zp'(z)}{\beta p(z)+\gamma} \prec \phi(z) \text{ implies } p(z) \prec \phi(z), z \in E.$$

Lemma 3 [12]. Let $\beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{C}$ and ϕ be a convex and univalent function with

$$\operatorname{Re}(\beta\phi(z)+\gamma) > 0, z \in E.$$

Also, let $h \in A : h(z) \prec \phi(z)$. If $p \in P$ and

$$p(z) + \frac{(zp'(z))}{\beta h(z)+\gamma} \prec \phi(z), \text{ then } p(z) \prec \phi(z).$$

Lemma 4 [13]. Let F be analytic and convex and univalent in E . If $f, g \in A$ and $f, g \prec F$, then

$$\sigma f + (1-\sigma)g \prec F, 0 \leq \sigma \leq 1.$$

MAIN RESULTS

Theorem 1. A function $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$ if and only if

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}.$$

Proof. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then from (3) we have

$$\left| (1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} - 1 \right| < \beta \left| \alpha \left[(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \right] + 1 \right|.$$

By taking $F_{2k}(z) = (1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)}$, we have

$$|F_{2k}(z) - 1|^2 < \beta^2 |\alpha F_{2k}(z) + 1|^2$$

or

$$(1-\alpha^2\beta^2) |F_{2k}(z)|^2 - 2(1+\alpha\beta^2) \operatorname{Re} F_{2k}(z) < \beta^2 - 1.$$

If $\alpha \neq 1$ or $\beta \neq 1$, then we have

$$|F_{2k}(z)|^2 - 2 \left(\frac{1+\alpha\beta^2}{1-\alpha^2\beta^2} \right) \operatorname{Re} F_{2k}(z) + \left(\frac{1+\alpha\beta^2}{1-\alpha^2\beta^2} \right)^2 < \frac{\beta^2 - 1}{1-\alpha^2\beta^2} + \left(\frac{1+\alpha\beta^2}{1-\alpha^2\beta^2} \right)^2$$

or

$$\left| F_{2k}(z) - \frac{1+\alpha\beta^2}{1-\alpha^2\beta^2} \right|^2 < \frac{\beta^2(1+\alpha)^2}{(1-\alpha^2\beta^2)^2},$$

which represents the disk with centre at $\frac{1+\alpha\beta^2}{1-\alpha^2\beta^2}$ and radius $\frac{\beta(1+\alpha)}{1-\alpha^2\beta^2}$. The function

$$\omega(z) \prec \phi(z) = \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}$$

maps the unit disk onto the disk

$$\left| \omega - \frac{1+\alpha\beta^2}{1-\alpha^2\beta^2} \right| < \frac{\beta(1+\alpha)}{1-\alpha^2\beta^2}$$

and we notice that $F_{2k}(E) \subset \phi(E)$, $F_{2k}(0) = \phi(0)$ and ϕ is univalent in E . Therefore, we get

$$F_{2k}(z) \prec \phi(z) = \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}.$$

Conversely, suppose that $F_{2k}(z) \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}$. Then using subordination, we write

$$F_{2k}(z) = \frac{1+\beta w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)} \quad (4)$$

where $|w(z)| < 1$. From (4) we have

$$|F_{2k}(z) - 1| = \left| \frac{1+\beta w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)} - 1 \right| = \left| \frac{\beta w(z) + \alpha\beta w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)} \right| = \beta \left| \frac{(1+\alpha)w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)} \right|. \quad (5)$$

Also,

$$|\alpha F_{2k}(z) + 1| = \left| \frac{\alpha + \alpha\beta w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)} + 1 \right| = \beta \left| \frac{1+\alpha}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)} \right|. \quad (6)$$

By using (6) in (5), we obtain

$$|F_{2k}(z) - 1| = \beta |(\alpha F_{2k}(z) + 1)w(z)| < \beta |\alpha F_{2k}(z) + 1|,$$

where $|w(z)| < 1$ for all $z \in E$. This implies that

$$\left| (1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} - 1 \right| < \beta \left| \alpha \left[(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \right] + 1 \right|.$$

Hence $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$.

Theorem 2. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then $f_{2k} \in M_{sc}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Furthermore, $f_{2k} \in S_{sc}^*(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$.

Proof. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then by Theorem 1, we write

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z},$$

where f_{2k} is defined by (2), $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $0 < \beta \leq 1$, $k \geq 2$ is fixed positive integer, $\lambda > 0$ and $z \in E$. Using subordination, we write

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} = \frac{1+\beta w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)}. \quad (7)$$

On replacing z by $x^m z$ in (7) for $m = 0, 1, 2, \dots, k-1$, $x^{2k} = 1$, we have

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{x^m zf'(x^m z)}{f_{2k}(x^m z)} + \lambda \frac{f'(x^m z) + x^m zf''(x^m z)}{f'_{2k}(x^m z)} = \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)}. \quad (8)$$

Taking conjugate, we write

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{\overline{x^m z f'(x^m \bar{z})}}{f_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})} + \lambda \frac{\overline{f'(x^m \bar{z})} + \overline{x^m \bar{z} f''(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f'_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} = \frac{1+\beta w(x^m \bar{z})}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \bar{z})}. \quad (9)$$

Adding (8) and (9), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & (1-\lambda) \left\{ \frac{\overline{z f'(x^m z)}}{\overline{f_{2k}(x^m z)}} + \frac{\overline{x^m \bar{z} f'(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\} \\ & + \lambda \left\{ \frac{\overline{f'(x^m z)} + \overline{x^m z f''(x^m z)}}{\overline{f'_{2k}(x^m z)}} + \frac{\overline{f'(x^m \bar{z})} + \overline{x^m \bar{z} f''(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f'_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\} = \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} + \frac{1+\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}. \end{aligned}$$

By using (2) and applying summation for $m=0,1,2,\dots,k-1$ in the above equation, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{(1-\lambda)}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{\overline{z f'(x^m z)}}{\overline{f_{2k}(x^m z)}} + \frac{\overline{x^m \bar{z} f'(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\} \\ & + \frac{\lambda}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{\overline{f'(x^m z)} + \overline{x^m z f''(x^m z)}}{\overline{f'_{2k}(x^m z)}} + \frac{\overline{f'(x^m \bar{z})} + \overline{x^m \bar{z} f''(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f'_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\} \\ & = \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} + \frac{1+\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)}}{\overline{f_{2k}(z)}} + \lambda \frac{(\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)})'}{\overline{f'_{2k}(z)}} = \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} + \frac{1+\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\}$$

or

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)}}{\overline{f_{2k}(z)}} + \lambda \frac{(\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)})'}{\overline{f'_{2k}(z)}} = \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} + \frac{1+\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\} \in P[\alpha, \beta],$$

where $P[\alpha, \beta]$ is a convex set and $p(z) \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}$. This implies that

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)}}{\overline{f_{2k}(z)}} + \lambda \frac{(\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)})'}{\overline{f'_{2k}(z)}} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}, \quad (10)$$

which further implies that $f_{2k} \in M_{sc}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$.

Now, let $p(z) = \frac{\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)}}{\overline{f_{2k}(z)}}$. After some manipulation, we have

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)}}{\overline{f_{2k}(z)}} + \lambda \frac{(\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)})'}{\overline{f'_{2k}(z)}} = p(z) + \lambda \frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)}.$$

From (10), we obtain

$$p(z) + \lambda \frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}.$$

Using Lemma 2, we get

$$p(z) = \frac{\overline{z f'_{2k}(z)}}{\overline{f_{2k}(z)}} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}.$$

Hence $f_{2k} \in S_{sc}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$.

Theorem 3. Let $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $0 < \beta \leq 1$, $k \geq 2$ (fixed positive integer) and $\lambda > 0$. Then

$$M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda) \subset S_{sc}^{(k)}(\alpha, \beta).$$

Proof. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then by Theorem 1, we write

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'_{2k}(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z},$$

where $f_{2k}(z)$ is defined by (2). Now we let

$$p(z) = \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \text{ and } h(z) = \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)},$$

where p and h satisfy the conditions of Lemma 3. This implies that

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'_{2k}(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} = p(z) + \lambda \frac{zp'(z)}{h(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}. \quad (11)$$

From (11) and by using Lemma 3, we obtain

$$p(z) = \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z},$$

which implies that $f \in S_{sc}^{(k)}(\alpha, \beta)$. Hence

$$M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda) \subset S_{sc}^{(k)}(\alpha, \beta).$$

Theorem 4. Let $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$ and $0 < \beta \leq 1$, $0 \leq \lambda_1 < \lambda_2$. Then

$$M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda_2) \subset M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda_1).$$

Proof. Suppose that $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda_2)$. Then by Theorem 1 we have

$$h_2(z) = (1-\lambda_2) \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda_2 \frac{(zf'_{2k}(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}.$$

Also from Theorem 3, we write

$$h_1(z) = \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}.$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} (1-\lambda_1) \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda_1 \frac{(zf'_{2k}(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} &= \left(1 - \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2}\right) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} \left\{ (1-\lambda_2) \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda_2 \frac{(zf'_{2k}(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \right\} \\ &= \left(1 - \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2}\right) h_1(z) + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} h_2(z). \end{aligned}$$

Since $\frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}$ is a convex set, therefore by using Lemma 4 we get the required result.

Theorem 5. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then we have

$$f_{2k}(z) = \left[\frac{1}{\lambda} \int_0^z \frac{1}{u} \left[u \exp \int_0^u \frac{(1+\alpha)\beta}{\varsigma} \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left(\frac{w(x^m \varsigma)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \varsigma)} + \frac{\overline{w(x^m \varsigma)}}{1-\alpha\beta \overline{w(x^m \varsigma)}} \right) d\varsigma \right]^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} du \right],$$

where f_{2k} is defined by equality (2), $\lambda \neq 0$, w is analytic in E with $w(0)=0$ and $|w(z)|<1$.

Proof. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then from Theorem 1, we have

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z}.$$

By using subordination, we have

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} = \frac{1+\beta w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)},$$

where w is analytic with $w(0)=0$ and $|w(z)|<1$. Replacing z by $x^m z$ for $m=0, 1, 2, \dots, k-1$, $w = \exp \frac{2\pi j}{k}$ and using (2), we write

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{x^m zf'(x^m z)}{f_{2k}(x^m z)} + \lambda \frac{f'(x^m z) + x^m zf''(x^m z)}{f'_{2k}(x^m z)} = \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} \quad (12)$$

and

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{\overline{x^m zf'(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} + \lambda \frac{\overline{f'(x^m \bar{z})} + \overline{x^m zf''(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f'_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} = \frac{1+\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}. \quad (13)$$

Adding (12) and (13), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & (1-\lambda) \left\{ \frac{zf'(x^m z)}{f_{2k}(x^m z)} + \frac{\overline{x^m \bar{z} f'(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\} \\ & + \lambda \left\{ \frac{f'(x^m z) + x^m zf''(x^m z)}{f'_{2k}(x^m z)} + \frac{\overline{f'(x^m \bar{z})} + \overline{x^m \bar{z} f''(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f'_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\} = \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} + \frac{1+\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}. \end{aligned}$$

Again using (2) and applying summation for $m=0, 1, 2, \dots, k-1$ in the above equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{(1-\lambda)}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{zf'(x^m z)}{f_{2k}(x^m z)} + \frac{\overline{x^m \bar{z} f'(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\} \\ & + \frac{\lambda}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{f'(x^m z) + x^m zf''(x^m z)}{f'_{2k}(x^m z)} + \frac{\overline{f'(x^m \bar{z})} + \overline{x^m \bar{z} f''(x^m \bar{z})}}{\overline{f'_{2k}(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\} \\ & = \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} + \frac{1+\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'_{2k}(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} = \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} + \frac{1+\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}} \right\}. \quad (14)$$

From (13), we obtain

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \left(\frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \right)' - \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left\{ \frac{1+\beta w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} + \frac{1+\beta \overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \bar{z})} \right\} - \frac{1}{z}$$

or

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \left(\frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \right)' - \frac{1}{z} = \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \frac{(1+\alpha)\beta}{z} \left(\frac{w(x^m z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m z)} + \frac{\overline{w(x^m \bar{z})}}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \bar{z})} \right).$$

On integration, we have

$$\log \left\{ \frac{(f_{2k}(z))^{1-\lambda} (zf'_{2k}(z))^\lambda}{z} \right\} = \int_0^z \frac{(1+\alpha)\beta}{\varsigma} \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left(\frac{w(x^m \varsigma)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \varsigma)} + \frac{\overline{w(x^m \bar{\varsigma})}}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \bar{\varsigma})} \right) d\varsigma$$

or

$$\left[\frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \right]^\lambda f_{2k}(z) = z \exp \int_0^z \frac{(1+\alpha)\beta}{\varsigma} \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left(\frac{w(x^m \varsigma)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \varsigma)} + \frac{\overline{w(x^m \bar{\varsigma})}}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \bar{\varsigma})} \right) d\varsigma. \quad (15)$$

Let

$$F_{2k}(z) = \left[\frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \right]^\lambda f_{2k}(z), \quad F_{2k}(0) = 0, \quad F'_{2k}(0) = 1. \quad (16)$$

Since f_{2k} is λ -convex and if λ is not an integer, we can select a suitable branch so that $F_{2k}(z)$ is analytic in E . Logarithmic differentiation of (16) gives

$$\frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{F_{2k}(z)} = (1-\lambda) \frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \left(\frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \right)'.$$

Since f_{2k} is λ -convex in E , F_{2k} is starlike in E . Now we solve (15) for f_{2k} by assuming that $\lambda \neq 0$. (The case when $\lambda = 0$ gives $f_{2k}(z) = F_{2k}(z)$). A formal manipulation leads to the solution:

$$f_{2k}(z) = \left[\frac{1}{\lambda} \int_0^z \frac{(F_{2k}(\varsigma))^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}}{\varsigma} d\varsigma \right]^\lambda.$$

By using (15), we have

$$F_{2k}(z) = \left[\frac{zf'_{2k}(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \right]^\lambda f_{2k}(z) = z \exp \int_0^z \frac{(1+\alpha)\beta}{\varsigma} \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left(\frac{w(x^m \varsigma)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \varsigma)} + \frac{\overline{w(x^m \bar{\varsigma})}}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \bar{\varsigma})} \right) d\varsigma$$

or

$$f_{2k}(z) = \left[\frac{1}{\lambda} \int_0^z \frac{1}{u} \left[u \exp \int_0^u \frac{(1+\alpha)\beta}{\varsigma} \frac{1}{2k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \left(\frac{w(x^m \varsigma)}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \varsigma)} + \frac{\overline{w(x^m \bar{\varsigma})}}{1-\alpha\beta w(x^m \bar{\varsigma})} \right) d\varsigma \right]^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} du \right]^\lambda,$$

which is the required integral representation for f_{2k} when $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$.

Theorem 6. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then

$$f(z) = \int_0^z \frac{1+c}{u [f_{2k}(u)]^c} \left[\int_0^u [f_{2k}(t)]^c f'_{2k}(t) \frac{1+\beta w(t)}{1-\alpha\beta w(t)} dt \right] du,$$

where f_{2k} is defined by (2), w is analytic in E with $w(0)=0$, $|w(z)|<1$ and $c=\frac{1}{\lambda}$. If $\lambda=0$, then we have

$$f(z) = \int_0^z \frac{f_{2k}(u)}{u} \frac{1+\beta w(u)}{1-\alpha\beta w(u)} du.$$

Proof. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then by Theorem 1, we have

$$(1-\lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} + \lambda \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'_{2k}(z)} = \frac{1+\beta w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)},$$

where w is analytic in E with $w(0)=0$ and $|w(z)|<1$. For $\lambda \neq 0$, multiplying both sides by

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} [f_{2k}(z)]^{\frac{1}{\lambda}-1} f'_{2k}(z), \text{ we get}$$

$$czf'(z)[f_{2k}(z)]^{c-1} f'_{2k}(z) + [f_{2k}(z)]^c (zf'(z))' = (1+c)[f_{2k}(z)]^c f'_{2k}(z) \frac{1+\beta w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)},$$

where $c=1/\lambda$. The left-hand side of the above equation is the exact differential of $zf'(z)[f_{2k}(z)]^c$. Therefore, on integrating both sides with respect to z we obtain

$$f'(z) = \frac{1+c}{z [f_{2k}(z)]^c} \int_0^z [f_{2k}(\zeta)]^c f'_{2k}(\zeta) \frac{1+\beta w(\zeta)}{1-\alpha\beta w(\zeta)} d\zeta.$$

Therefore,

$$f(z) = \int_0^z \frac{1+c}{u [f_{2k}(u)]^c} \left[\int_0^u [f_{2k}(t)]^c f'_{2k}(t) \frac{1+\beta w(t)}{1-\alpha\beta w(t)} dt \right] du.$$

If $\lambda=0$, then we have

$$f'(z) = \frac{f_{2k}(z)}{z} \frac{1+\beta w(z)}{1-\alpha\beta w(z)}.$$

Hence

$$f(z) = \int_0^z \frac{f_{2k}(u)}{u} \frac{1+\beta w(u)}{1-\alpha\beta w(u)} du.$$

Theorem 7. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then

$$\frac{1}{z} \left\{ f(z) * \left(\frac{z}{(1-z)^2} - \frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{2(1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta})} h(z) \right) \right\} - \frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{2(1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta})} \overline{(f * h)(z)} \neq 0,$$

where $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$, $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $0 < \beta \leq 1$, $\lambda > 0$ and $z \in E$.

Proof. Let $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$. Then by using Theorem 2 we have

$$f \in S_{sc}^{(k)}(\alpha, \beta),$$

which implies that, for $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$, we can write

$$\frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \prec \frac{1+\beta z}{1-\alpha\beta z},$$

and $\frac{zf'(z)}{f_{2k}(z)} \neq \frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta}}$ implies that $zf'(z) - \left(\frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta}}\right)f_{2k}(z) \neq 0$.

Therefore,

$$\frac{1}{z} \left\{ zf'(z) - \left(\frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta}}\right) f_{2k}(z) \right\} \neq 0. \quad (17)$$

For $zf'(z) = f(z) * \frac{z}{(1-z)^2}$ and $f_{2k}(z) = z + \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_j + \bar{a}_j}{2} c_j z^j = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ (f * h)(z) + \overline{(f * h)(\bar{z})} \right\}$, where

$h(z) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{m=0}^{k-1} \frac{z}{1-w^m(z)}$, from (17) we obtain

$$\frac{1}{z} \left\{ f(z) * \frac{z}{(1-z)^2} - \left(\frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta}}\right) \frac{1}{2} \left\{ (f * h)(z) + \overline{(f * h)(\bar{z})} \right\} \right\} \neq 0$$

or

$$\frac{1}{z} \left\{ f(z) * \frac{z}{(1-z)^2} - \left(\frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta}}\right) (f * h)(z) - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta}}\right) \overline{(f * h)(\bar{z})} \right\} \neq 0$$

or

$$\frac{1}{z} \left\{ f(z) * \left(\frac{z}{(1-z)^2} - \frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{2(1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta})} h(z) \right) \right\} - \frac{1+\beta e^{i\theta}}{2(1-\alpha\beta e^{i\theta})} \overline{(f * h)(\bar{z})} \neq 0.$$

Theorem 8. Let $f(z) = z + \sum_{j=2}^{\infty} a_j z^j$ be analytic in E and $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $0 < \beta \leq 1$, $k \geq 2$, $\lambda \geq 0$ with

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{j=2, j \neq lk+1}^{\infty} ((1-\lambda)(1-\alpha\beta)j + \lambda(1-\alpha\beta)j^2) |a_j| + \\ & \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} [((1-\lambda)(jk+1) + \lambda(1-\alpha\beta) + (1-\beta)(2+jk)) |Re(a_{jk+1})a_{jk+1}| + \\ & \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (1-\alpha\beta)(jk+1)^2 |Re(a_{jk+1})a_{jk+1}| + (1-\beta) \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (jk+1) |Re(a_{jk+1})|^2] < \beta(1+\alpha) - 2, \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

where $l = 0, 1, 2, \dots$. Then $f \in M_{sc}^{2k}(\alpha, \beta, \lambda)$.

Proof. For the proof of this theorem, the desired result can be obtained by using series representation (1) and (2) of f and f_{2k} respectively in

$$\begin{aligned} M = & |(1-\lambda)zf'(z)f'_{2k}(z) + \lambda(zf'(z))'f_{2k}(z) - f_{2k}(z)f'_{2k}(z)| - \\ & \beta |\alpha \{ (1-\lambda)zf'(z)f'_{2k}(z) + \lambda(zf'(z))'f_{2k}(z) \} + f_{2k}(z)f'_{2k}(z)| \end{aligned}$$

and then applying the condition given above in (18).

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