



Subclasses of analytic functions associated with Pascal distribution series

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Abstract

In the present paper we determine necessary and sufficient conditions for the Pascal distribution series to be in the subclasses $\mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$ and $\mathcal{C}(k, \lambda)$ of analytic functions. Further, we consider an integral operator related to Pascal distribution series. Some interesting special cases of our main results are also considered.

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1. Introduction and definitions

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

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

which are analytic in the open unit disk $\mathbb{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$. Further, let \mathcal{T} be a subclass of \mathcal{A} consisting of functions of the form

$$f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n. \quad (2)$$

A function f of the form (2) is in $\mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$ if it satisfies the condition

$$\left| \frac{\frac{zf'(z)}{(1-\lambda)f(z)+\lambda zf'(z)} - 1}{\frac{zf'(z)}{(1-\lambda)f(z)+\lambda zf'(z)} + 1} \right| < k, \quad (0 < k \leq 1, 0 \leq \lambda < 1, z \in \mathbb{U})$$

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and $f \in \mathcal{C}(k, \lambda)$ if and only if $zf' \in \mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$. The class $\mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$ was studied by Frasin et al. [7].

We note that $\mathcal{S}(k, 0) = \mathcal{S}(k)$ and $\mathcal{C}(k, 0) = \mathcal{C}(k)$, where the classes $\mathcal{S}(k)$ and $\mathcal{C}(k)$ were introduced and studied by Padmanabhan [17] (see also, [11], [16]).

A function $f \in \mathcal{A}$ is said to be in the class $\mathcal{R}^\tau(A, B)$, $\tau \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$, $-1 \leq B < A \leq 1$, if it satisfies the inequality

$$\left| \frac{f'(z) - 1}{(A - B)\tau - B[f'(z) - 1]} \right| < 1, \quad z \in \mathbb{U}.$$

This class was introduced by Dixit and Pal [3].

A variable X is said to be Pascal distribution if it takes the values $0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$ with probabilities

$(1 - q)^m, \frac{qm(1 - q)^m}{1!}, \frac{q^2m(m + 1)(1 - q)^m}{2!}, \frac{q^3m(m + 1)(m + 2)(1 - q)^m}{3!}, \dots$, respectively, where q and m are called the parameters, and thus

$$P(X = r) = \binom{r + m - 1}{m - 1} q^r (1 - q)^m, \quad (m \geq 1, 0 \leq q \leq 1, r = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots).$$

Very recently, El-Deeb et al. [5] (see also, [14, 1]) introduced a power series whose coefficients are probabilities of Pascal distribution, that is

$$\Psi_q^m(z) := z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \binom{n + m - 2}{m - 1} q^{n-1} (1 - q)^m z^n, \quad z \in \mathbb{U},$$

where $m \geq 1, 0 \leq q \leq 1$, and we note that, by ratio test the radius of convergence of above series is infinity. We also define the series

$$\Phi_q^m(z) := 2z - \Psi_q^m(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \binom{n + m - 2}{m - 1} q^{n-1} (1 - q)^m z^n, \quad z \in \mathbb{U}. \tag{3}$$

Let consider the linear operator $\mathcal{I}_q^m : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ defined by the convolution or Hadamard product

$$\mathcal{I}_q^m f(z) := \Psi_q^m(z) * f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \binom{n + m - 2}{m - 1} q^{n-1} (1 - q)^m a_n z^n, \quad z \in \mathbb{U},$$

where $m \geq 1$ and $0 \leq q \leq 1$.

Motivated by several earlier results on connections between various subclasses of analytic and univalent functions, by using hypergeometric functions (see for example, [2, 7, 10, 19, 20]) and by using various distributions such as Yule-Simon distribution, Logarithmic distribution, Poisson distribution, Binomial distribution, Beta-Binomial distribution, Zeta distribution, Geometric distribution and Bernoulli distribution (see for example, [4, 6, 8, 9, 12, 13, 18, 15]), in this paper, we determine the necessary and sufficient conditions for $\Phi_q^m(z)$ to be in our classes $\mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$ and $\mathcal{C}(k, \lambda)$ and connections of these subclasses with $\mathcal{R}^\tau(A, B)$. Finally, we give conditions for the integral operator $\mathcal{G}_q^m(m, z) = \int_0^z \frac{\Phi_q^m(t)}{t} dt$ belonging to the above classes.

2. Preliminary lemmas

To establish our main results, we need the following Lemmas.

Lemma 2.1. [7] *A function f of the form (2) is in $\mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$ if and only if it satisfies*

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n((1 - \lambda) + k(1 + \lambda)) - (1 - \lambda)(1 - k)] |a_n| \leq 2k \tag{4}$$

where $0 < k \leq 1$ and $0 \leq \lambda < 1$. The result is sharp.

Lemma 2.2. [7] A function f of the form (2) is in $\mathcal{C}(k, \lambda)$ if and only if it satisfies

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n[n((1 - \lambda) + k(1 + \lambda)) - (1 - \lambda)(1 - k)] |a_n| \leq 2k \tag{5}$$

where $0 < k \leq 1$ and $0 \leq \lambda < 1$. The result is sharp.

Lemma 2.3. [3] If $f \in \mathcal{R}^\tau(A, B)$ is of the form (1), then

$$|a_n| \leq (A - B) \frac{|\tau|}{n}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N} - \{1\}.$$

The result is sharp for the function

$$f(z) = \int_0^z \left(1 + (A - B) \frac{\tau t^{n-1}}{1 + B t^{n-1}}\right) dt, \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}; n \in \mathbb{N} - \{1\}).$$

3. Necessary and sufficient conditions

For convenience throughout in the sequel, we use the following identities that hold at least for $m \geq 2$ and $0 \leq q < 1$:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{n+m-1}{m-1} q^n &= \frac{1}{(1-q)^m}, & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{n+m-2}{m-2} q^n &= \frac{1}{(1-q)^{m-1}}, \\ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{n+m}{m} q^n &= \frac{1}{(1-q)^{m+1}}, & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{n+m+1}{m+1} q^n &= \frac{1}{(1-q)^{m+2}}. \end{aligned}$$

By simple calculations we derive the following relations:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{n+m-1}{m-1} q^n - 1 = \frac{1}{(1-q)^m} - 1, \\ \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1) \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} &= qm \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{n+m}{m} q^n = \frac{qm}{(1-q)^{m+1}}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} (n-1)(n-2) \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} &= q^2 m(m+1) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{n+m+1}{m+1} q^n \\ &= \frac{q^2 m(m+1)}{(1-q)^{m+2}}. \end{aligned}$$

Unless otherwise mentioned, we shall assume in this paper that $0 < k \leq 1$, $0 \leq \lambda < 1$, while $m \geq 1$ and $0 \leq q < 1$.

Firstly, we obtain the necessary and sufficient conditions for Φ_q^m to be in the class $\mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$.

Theorem 3.1. We have $\Phi_q^m \in \mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$, if and only if

$$((1 - \lambda) + k(1 + \lambda)) \frac{q m}{(1 - q)^{m+1}} \leq 2k. \tag{6}$$

Proof. Since

$$\Phi_q^m(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} (1-q)^m z^n \tag{7}$$

in view of Lemma 2.1, it suffices to show that

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n((1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)) - (1-\lambda)(1-k)] \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} (1-q)^m \leq 2k. \tag{8}$$

Writing

$$n = (n-1) + 1$$

in (8) we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n((1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)) - (1-\lambda)(1-k)] \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} (1-q)^m \\ & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [(n-1)((1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)) + 2k] \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} (1-q)^m \\ = & [(1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)] \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1) \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} (1-q)^m \\ & + 2k \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} (1-q)^m \\ = & ((1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)) \frac{q}{1-q} + 2k(1 - (1-q)^m). \end{aligned}$$

But this last expression is bounded above by $2k$ if and only if (6) holds. □

Theorem 3.2. *We have $\Phi_q^m \in \mathcal{C}(k, \lambda)$ if and only if*

$$\begin{aligned} & [(1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)] \frac{q^2 m(m+1)}{(1-q)^{m+2}} \\ & + [(1-\lambda)(2+k) + 3k(1+\lambda)] \frac{q}{(1-q)^{m+1}} \leq 2k. \end{aligned} \tag{9}$$

Proof. In view of Lemma 2.2, we must show that

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n[n((1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)) - (1-\lambda)(1-k)] \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1} (1-q)^m \leq 2k. \tag{10}$$

Writing

$$n^2 = (n-1)(n-2) + 3(n-1) + 1 \quad \text{and} \quad n = (n-1) + 1,$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n[n((1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)) - (1-\lambda)(1-k)] \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1}(1-q)^m \\
 = & [(1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)] \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} (n-1)(n-2) \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1}(1-q)^m \\
 & + [(1-\lambda)(2+k) + 3k(1+\lambda)] \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1) \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1}(1-q)^m \\
 & + 2k \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1}(1-q)^m \\
 = & [(1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)] \frac{q^2 m(m+1)}{(1-q)^2} \\
 & + [(1-\lambda)(2+k) + 3k(1+\lambda)] \frac{q m}{(1-q)} + 2k(1 - (1-q)^m).
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we see that the last expression is bounded above by $2k$ if (9) is satisfied. □

4. Inclusion Properties

Making use of Lemma 2.3, we will study the action of the Pascal distribution series on the classes $\mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$ and $\mathcal{C}(k, \lambda)$.

Theorem 4.1. *Let $m > 1$. If $f \in \mathcal{R}^\tau(A, B)$, then $\mathcal{I}_q^m \in \mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$ if*

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (A - B)|\tau| \left[[(1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)] (1 - (1-q)^m) \right. \\
 & \left. - \frac{(1-\lambda)(1-k)}{q(m-1)} [(1-q) - (1-q)^m - q(m-1)(1-q)^m] \right] \\
 \leq & 2k.
 \end{aligned} \tag{11}$$

Proof. In view of Lemma 2.1, it suffices to show that

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n((1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)) - (1-\lambda)(1-k)] \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1}(1-q)^m |a_n| \leq 2k.$$

Since $f \in \mathcal{R}^\tau(A, B)$, then by Lemma 2.3, we have

$$|a_n| \leq \frac{(A - B)|\tau|}{n}. \tag{12}$$

Thus, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n((1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)) - (1-\lambda)(1-k)] \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1}(1-q)^m |a_n| \\
 \leq & (A - B)|\tau| \left[\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [(1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)] \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1}(1-q)^m \right. \\
 & \left. - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} [(1-\lambda)(1-k)] \binom{n+m-2}{m-1} q^{n-1}(1-q)^m \right] \\
 = & (A - B)|\tau| \left[[(1-\lambda) + k(1+\lambda)] (1 - (1-q)^m) \right. \\
 & \left. - \frac{(1-\lambda)(1-k)}{q(m-1)} [(1-q) - (1-q)^m - q(m-1)(1-q)^m] \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

But this last expression is bounded by $2k$, if (11) holds, which completes the proof of Theorem 4.1. □

Applying Lemma 2.2 and using the same technique as in the proof of Theorem 4.1 we have the following result:

Theorem 4.2. *Let $m \geq 1$. If $f \in \mathcal{R}^\tau(A, B)$, then $\mathcal{I}_q^m \in \mathcal{C}(k, \lambda)$ if*

$$(A - B)|\tau| \left[((1 - \lambda) + k(1 + \lambda)) \frac{q m}{1 - q} + 2k(1 - (1 - q)^m) \right] \leq 2k. \tag{13}$$

5. An integral operator

Theorem 5.1. *If $m \geq 1$, then the integral operator*

$$\mathcal{G}_q^m(m, z) = \int_0^z \frac{\Phi_q^m(t)}{t} dt \tag{14}$$

is in $\mathcal{C}(k, \lambda)$ if and only if inequality (6) is satisfied.

Proof. According to ((14)) it follows that

$$\mathcal{G}_q^m(m, z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \binom{n + m - 2}{m - 1} q^{n-1} (1 - q)^m \frac{z^n}{n}$$

then by Lemma 2.2, we need only to show that

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n [n((1 - \lambda) + k(1 + \lambda)) - (1 - \lambda)(1 - k)] \times \frac{1}{n} \binom{n + m - 2}{m - 1} q^{n-1} (1 - q)^m \leq 2k,$$

or, equivalently

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n((1 - \lambda) + k(1 + \lambda)) - (1 - \lambda)(1 - k)] \binom{n + m - 2}{m - 1} q^{n-1} (1 - q)^m \leq 2k. \tag{15}$$

The remaining part of the proof of Theorem 5.1 is similar to that of Theorem 3.1, and so we omit the details. □

Theorem 5.2. *If $m > 1$, then the integral operator $\mathcal{G}_q^m(m, z)$ given by ((14)) is in $\mathcal{S}(k, \lambda)$ if and only if*

$$\begin{aligned} & [(1 - \lambda) + k(1 + \lambda)] (1 - (1 - q)^m) \\ & - \frac{(1 - \lambda)(1 - k)}{q(m - 1)} [(1 - q) - (1 - q)^m - q(m - 1)(1 - q)^m] \\ & \leq 2k. \end{aligned}$$

The proof of Theorem 5.2 is lines similar to the proof of Theorem 5.1, so we omitted the proof of this theorem.

6. Corollaries and consequences

By specializing the parameter $\lambda = 0$ in the above theorems we obtain the following corollaries.

Corollary 6.1. *We have $\Phi_q^m \in \mathcal{S}(k)$, if and only if*

$$\frac{q m(1 + k)}{(1 - q)^{m+1}} \leq 2k. \tag{16}$$

Corollary 6.2. We have $\Phi_q^m \in \mathcal{C}(k)$ if and only if

$$\frac{q^2 m(m+1)(1+k)}{(1-q)^{m+2}} + \frac{2q m(1+2k)}{(1-q)^{m+1}} \leq 2k. \quad (17)$$

Corollary 6.3. Let $m > 1$. If $f \in \mathcal{R}^\tau(A, B)$, then $\mathcal{I}_q^m \in \mathcal{S}(k)$ if

$$\begin{aligned} & (A-B)|\tau| \left[(1+k)(1-(1-q)^m) \right. \\ & \left. - \frac{(1-k)}{q(m-1)} [(1-q) - (1-q)^m - q(m-1)(1-q)^m] \right] \\ & \leq 2k. \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

Corollary 6.4. Let $m \geq 1$. If $f \in \mathcal{R}^\tau(A, B)$, then $\mathcal{I}_q^m f \in \mathcal{C}(k)$ if

$$(A-B)|\tau| \left[(1+k) \frac{q m}{1-q} + 2k(1-(1-q)^m) \right] \leq 2k. \quad (19)$$

Corollary 6.5. If $m \geq 1$, then the integral operator $\mathcal{G}_q^m(m, z)$ given by (14) is in $\mathcal{C}(k)$ if and only if inequality (16) is satisfied.

If $m > 1$, then the integral operator $\mathcal{G}_q^m(m, z)$ given by (14) is in $\mathcal{S}(k)$ if and only if

$$\begin{aligned} & (1+k)(1-(1-q)^m) \\ & - \frac{(1-k)}{q(m-1)} [(1-q) - (1-q)^m - q(m-1)(1-q)^m] \\ & \leq 2k. \end{aligned}$$

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