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# Some inclusion results of certain subclass of analytic functions associated with Poisson distribution series

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#### Abstract

The purpose of the present paper is to investigate some characterization for Poisson distribution series to be in the new subclasses  $\mathcal{G}(\lambda, \alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{K}(\lambda, \alpha)$  of analytic functions.

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### 1. Introduction and Preliminaries

Let  $A$  be the class of functions  $f$  normalized by

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

which are analytic in the open disk  $\mathbb{U} = \{z : z \in \mathbb{C} \text{ and } |z| < 1\}$ . As usual, we denote by S the subclass of A consisting of functions which are normalized by  $f(0) = 0 = f'(0) - 1$ and also univalent in U. Denote by  $\mathcal{T}$  [19] the subclass of A consisting of functions of the form

$$
(1.2) \t f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \t a_n \ge 0, \t n = 2, 3, ....
$$

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Also, for functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  given by (1.1) and  $g \in \mathcal{A}$  given by

$$
g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n z^n,
$$

we define the Hadamard product (or convolution) of  $f$  and  $g$  by

(1.3) 
$$
(f * g)(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n b_n z^n, \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).
$$

The class  $S^*(\alpha)$  of starlike functions of order  $\alpha$   $(0 \leq \alpha < 1)$  may be defined as

$$
S^*(\alpha) = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : \Re\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) > \alpha, \ z \in \mathbb{U} \right\}.
$$

The class  $\mathcal{S}^*(\alpha)$  and the class  $\mathcal{K}(\alpha)$  of convex functions of order  $\alpha$   $(0 \leq \alpha < 1)$ 

$$
\mathcal{K}(\alpha) = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : \Re\left(1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}\right) > \alpha, \ z \in \mathbb{U} \right\}
$$

$$
= \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : zf' \in \mathcal{S}^*(\alpha) \right\}
$$

were introduced by Robertson in [17]. We also write  $S^*(0) = S^*$ , where  $S^*$  denotes the class of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  that  $f(\mathbb{U})$  is starlike with respect to the origin. Further,  $\mathcal{K}(0) = \mathcal{K}$  is the well-known standard class of convex functions. It is an established fact that  $f \in \mathcal{K}(\alpha) \Longleftrightarrow z f' \in \mathcal{S}^*(\alpha)$ .

A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  is said to be in the class  $f \in \mathbb{R}^{\tau}(A, B)$  if it satisfies the inequality

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

where  $z \in \mathbb{U}, \tau \in \mathbb{C}\backslash\{0\}, -1 \leq B < A \leq 1$ . The class  $\Re^{\tau}(A, B)$  was introduced earlier by Dixit and Pal [6]. If we put

$$
\tau = 1, \ A = \alpha \text{ and } B = -\alpha \ (0 < \alpha \le 1),
$$

we obtain the class of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfying the inequality

$$
\left|\frac{f'(z)-1}{f'(z)+1}\right| < \alpha \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}; 0 < \alpha \le 1)
$$

which was studied by (among others) Padmanabhan [12] and Caplinger and Causey [4].

Very recently, Porwal [13] introduce a power series whose coefficients are probabilities of Poisson distribution

$$
K(m, z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m} z^n, \qquad (z \in \mathbb{U})
$$

and we note that, by ratio test the radius of convergence of above series is infinity. In [13], Porwal also defined the series

$$
F(m, z) = 2z - K(m, z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m} z^n, \qquad (z \in \mathbb{U}).
$$

Now, we considered the linear operator

$$
\mathfrak{I}(m):\mathcal{A}\to\mathcal{A}
$$

defined by

(1.4) 
$$
\mathcal{I}(m)f = K(m, z) * f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m} a_n z^n.
$$

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Motivated by results on connections between various subclasses of analytic univalent functions by using generalized Bessel functions [1, 2, 3, 8, 11, 13, 15, 22], hypergeometric functions by Srivastava et al.  $[20]$  (see [5, 7, 9, 10, 18]) we obtain necessary and sufficient condition for functions  $F(m, z)$  in  $\mathcal{G}^*(\lambda, \alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{K}^*(\lambda, \alpha)$ . Further due to the works of Ramesha et al. [16], Padmanabhan [12],we estimate certain inclusion relations between the classes  $\mathbb{R}^{\tau}(A, B)$ , and  $\mathcal{G}^{*}(\lambda, \alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{K}^{*}(\lambda, \alpha)$ .

For  $0 \leq \lambda < 1$  and  $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ , we let  $\mathcal{G}(\lambda, \alpha)$  the subclass of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  which satisfy the condition

$$
(1.5) \qquad \Re\left(\frac{zf'(z)+\lambda z^2f''(z)}{f(z)}\right)>\alpha, \ (z\in\mathbb{U}).
$$

and also let  $\mathcal{K}(\lambda, \alpha)$  the subclass of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  which satisfy the condition

$$
(1.6) \qquad \Re\left(\frac{z[zf'(z) + \lambda z^2 f''(z)]'}{zf'(z)}\right) > \alpha, \ (z \in \mathbb{U}).
$$

Also denote  $\mathcal{G}^*(\lambda, \alpha) = \mathcal{G}(\lambda, \alpha) \cap \mathcal{T}$  and  $\mathcal{K}^*(\lambda, \alpha) = \mathcal{K}(\lambda, \alpha) \cap \mathcal{T}$ .

**1.1. Remark.** It is of interest to note that for  $\lambda = 0$ , we have  $\mathcal{G}(\lambda, \alpha) \equiv \mathcal{S}^*(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{K}(\lambda, \alpha) \equiv \mathcal{K}(\alpha)$ 

To prove the main results, we need the following Lemmas.

**1.2. Lemma.** [21] A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  belongs to the class  $\mathcal{G}(\lambda, \alpha)$  if

$$
\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n + \lambda n(n-1) - \alpha)|a_n| \leq 1 - \alpha.
$$

**1.3. Lemma.** [21] A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  belongs to the class  $\mathcal{K}(\lambda, \alpha)$  if

$$
\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n + \lambda n(n-1) - \alpha)|a_n| \leq 1 - \alpha.
$$

Further we can easily prove that the conditions are also necessary if  $f \in \mathcal{T}$ .

**1.4. Lemma.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{T}$  belongs to the class  $\mathcal{G}^*(\lambda, \alpha)$  if and only if

$$
\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n + \lambda n(n-1) - \alpha)|a_n| \leq 1 - \alpha.
$$

**1.5. Lemma.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{T}$  belongs to the class  $\mathcal{K}^*(\lambda, \alpha)$  if and only if

$$
\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n + \lambda n(n-1) - \alpha)|a_n| \leq 1 - \alpha.
$$

#### 2. Main Results

- **2.1. Theorem.** If  $m > 0$ , then  $F(m, z)$  is in  $\mathcal{G}^*(\lambda, \alpha)$  if and only if
- (2.1)  $e^m \left[ \lambda m^2 + (1+2\lambda)m \right] \leq 1-\alpha.$

*Proof.* Since  $F(m, z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty}$  $\frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}e^{-m}z^n$  and by virtue of Lemma 1.4, it suffices to show that

$$
\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n + \lambda n(n-1) - \alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m} \le 1 - \alpha.
$$

Let

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$$
\mathcal{L}_1(m,\lambda,\alpha) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n^2\lambda + n(1-\lambda) - \alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m}
$$

Writing  $n^2 = (n-1)(n-2) + 3(n-1) + 1$  and  $n = (n-1) + 1$ , and by simple computation, we get

$$
\mathcal{L}_1(m,\lambda,\alpha) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \lambda(n-1)(n-2)\frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}e^{-m}
$$
  
+  $(1+2\lambda)\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1)\frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}e^{-m} + (1-\alpha)\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}e^{-m}$   
=  $\lambda \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-3)!}e^{-m} + (1+2\lambda)\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-2)!}e^{-m}$   
+  $(1-\alpha)\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}e^{-m}$   
=  $e^{-m} [\lambda m^2 e^m + (1+2\lambda)me^m + (1-\alpha)(e^m - 1)]$   
=  $\lambda m^2 + (1+2\lambda)m + (1-\alpha)(1-e^{-m}).$ 

But, this last expression is bounded above by  $1 - \alpha$  if and only if (2.1) is satisfied.  $\square$ 

**2.2. Theorem.** If  $m > 0$ , then  $F(m, z)$  is in  $\mathcal{K}^*(\lambda, \alpha)$  if and only if (2.2)  $e^{m} \left[ \lambda m^3 + (1+5\lambda)m^2 + (3+4\lambda-\alpha)m \right] \leq 1-\alpha.$ 

*Proof.* Since  $F(m, z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m} z^n$  and by virtue of Lemma 1.5, it suffices to show that

$$
\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n^3 \lambda + n^2 (1 - \lambda) - n\alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m} \le 1 - \alpha.
$$

Let

$$
\mathcal{L}_2(m,\lambda,\alpha) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n^3 \lambda + n^2 (1-\lambda) - n\alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m}
$$

Writing  $n^3 = (n-1)(n-2)(n-3) + 6(n-1)(n-2) + 7(n-1) + 1$ ,  $n^2 = (n-1)(n-2) + 3(n-1) + 1$  and  $n = (n-1)+1$ , we can rewrite the above terms as

$$
\mathcal{L}_2(m,\lambda,\alpha) = \lambda \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1)(n-2)(n-3) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m}
$$

$$
+ (1+5\lambda) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1)(n-2) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m}
$$

$$
+ (3+4\lambda-\alpha) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m}
$$

$$
+ (1-\alpha) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m}
$$

$$
= \lambda \sum_{n=4}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-4)!} e^{-m} + (1+5\lambda) \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-3)!} e^{-m}
$$
  
+  $(3+4\lambda - \alpha) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-2)!} e^{-m} + (1-\alpha) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m}$   
=  $e^{-m} [\lambda m^3 e^m + (1+5\lambda)m^2 e^m + (3+4\lambda - \alpha)me^m$   
+  $(1-\alpha)(e^m - 1)]$   
=  $\lambda m^3 + (1+5\lambda)m^2 + (3+4\lambda - \alpha)m + (1-\alpha)(1-e^{-m}).$ 

But, this last expression is bounded above by  $1 - \alpha$  if and only if (2.2) is satisfied.  $\square$ 

By taking  $\lambda = 0$ , in Theorem 2.1and 2.2 we state the following corollaries:

**2.3.** Corollary. If  $m > 0$ , then  $F(m, z)$  is in  $\mathcal{S}^*(\alpha)$  if

$$
(2.3) \qquad me^m \le 1 - \alpha.
$$

**2.4. Corollary.** If  $m > 0$ , then  $F(m, z)$  is  $in \mathcal{K}(\alpha)$  if

(2.4)  $e^m m(m+3-\alpha) \leq 1-\alpha$ .

## 3. Inclusion Properties

Making use of the following lemma, we will study the action of the Poisson distribution series on the classes  $\mathcal{K}(\lambda, \alpha)$ .

**3.1. Lemma.** [6] A function  $f \in \mathbb{R}^{\tau}(A, B)$  is of form (1.1), then

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

The bound given in (3.1) is sharp for

$$
f(z) = \int_0^z \left(1 + \frac{(A-B)|\tau|z^{n-1}}{1 + Bz^{n-1}}\right) dz \ \ (n \ge 2; \ z \in \mathbb{U})
$$

**3.2. Theorem.** Let  $m > 0$ . If  $f \in \mathbb{R}^T(A, B)$ , then  $\mathcal{I}(m)f \in \mathcal{K}(\lambda, \alpha)$  if and only if

$$
(3.2) \quad \frac{(A-B)|\tau|e^m \left[\lambda m^2 + (1+2\lambda)m\right]}{1 - (A-B)|\tau|(1 - e^{-m})} \le 1 - \alpha
$$
\n
$$
where \ \tau \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}, -1 \le B < A \le 1.
$$

*Proof.* Let f be of the form (1.1) belong to the class  $\mathbb{R}^{\tau}(A, B)$  then by virtue of Lemma 1.5, it suffices to show that

$$
\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n^2\lambda + n(1-\lambda) - \alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m} |a_n| \le 1 - \alpha.
$$

Let

$$
\mathcal{L}_3(m,\lambda,\alpha) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n^2\lambda + n(1-\lambda) - \alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m} |a_n|.
$$

Since  $f \in \Re^{\tau}(A, B)$  by Lemma 3.1 we have  $|a_n| \leq (A - B) \frac{|\tau|}{n}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{1\}$ , hence we get

$$
\mathcal{L}_3(m,\lambda,\alpha) \le e^{-m} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n^2 \lambda + n(1-\lambda) - \alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} (A - B)|\tau|
$$
  

$$
\le (A - B)|\tau|e^{-m} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n^2 \lambda + n(1-\lambda) - \alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}
$$

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Writing  $n^2 = (n-1)(n-2) + 3(n-1) + 1$  and  $n = (n-1) + 1$ , and by using the similar arguments as in the proof of Theorem 2.1, we get

$$
\mathcal{L}_3(m,\lambda,\alpha) \le (A-B)|\tau| \left[\lambda m^2 + (1+2\lambda)m + (1-\alpha)(1-e^{-m})\right].
$$

But, the last expression is bounded above by  $1 - \alpha$  if and only if (3.2) is satisfied. Hence the proof is completed.

**3.3. Corollary.** Let  $m > 0$  and  $\lambda = 0$ . If  $f \in \mathbb{R}^{\tau}(A, B)$ , then  $\mathbb{I}(m)f \in \mathcal{K}(\alpha)$  if and only if

$$
(A - B)|\tau|m [1 - (A - B)|\tau|(1 - e^{-m})^{-1} \le 1 - \alpha
$$

where  $\tau \in \mathbb{C} \backslash \{0\} - 1 \leq B < A \leq 1$ .

**3.4. Theorem.** Let  $m > 0$ , then

$$
G(m, z) = \int_0^z \frac{F(m, t)}{t} dt
$$

is in  $\mathcal{K}^*(\lambda, \alpha)$  if and only if

$$
(3.3) \qquad e^m \left[ \lambda m^2 + (1+2\lambda)m \right] \le 1 - \alpha.
$$

Proof. Since

$$
G(m, z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-m} m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} \frac{z^n}{n} = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-m} m^{n-1}}{n!} z^n
$$

by Lemma 1.5, we need only to show that

$$
\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n^2\lambda + n(1-\lambda) - \alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{n!} e^{-m} \le 1 - \alpha.
$$

Now, let

$$
\mathcal{L}_4(m,\lambda,\alpha) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n^2\lambda + n(1-\lambda) - \alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{n!} e^{-m}
$$

$$
= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n^2\lambda + n(1-\lambda) - \alpha) \frac{m^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-m}.
$$

Hence ,writing  $n^2 = (n-1)(n-2) + 3(n-1) + 1$  and  $n = (n-1) + 1$ , and by using the similar arguments as in the proof of Theorem 2.1, we have

$$
\mathcal{L}_4(m,\lambda,\alpha) \le \lambda m^2 + (1+2\lambda)m + (1-\alpha)(1-e^{-m}),
$$

which is bounded above by  $1 - \alpha$  if and only if (3.3) holds.

**3.5. Theorem.** Let  $m > 0$ , then  $G(m, z) = \int_0^z \frac{F(m, t)}{t} dt$  is in  $\mathcal{G}^*(\lambda, \alpha)$  if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$ α

(3.4) 
$$
m\lambda + \left(1 - \frac{\alpha}{m}\right)\left(1 - e^{-m}\right) + \alpha e^{-m} \le 1 - \alpha.
$$

Proof. The proof of theorem is similar to that of Theorem 3.4, hence we omit the details involved.

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