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## Some Properties of a Class of Analytic Functions Involving a New Generalized Differential Operator

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ABSTRACT: In the present paper, we introduce a new generalized differential operator  $D^m_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)$  defined on the open unit disc  $U = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ . A novel subclass  $\Omega^m_m(\delta,\lambda,\alpha,\beta,b)$  by means of the operator  $D^m_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)$  is also introduced. Coefficient estimates, growth and distortion theorems, closure theorems, and class preserving integral operators for functions in the class  $\Omega^m_m(\delta,\lambda,\alpha,\beta,b)$  are discussed. Furthermore, sufficient conditions for close-to-convexity, starlikeness, and convexity for functions in the class  $\Omega^m_m(\delta,\lambda,\alpha,\beta,b)$  are obtained.

Key Words: Analytic functions, Close-to-convex functions, Differential operator, Integral operator.

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#### 1. Introduction

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

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

which are analytic and normalized in the open unit disc  $U = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ . For functions f in  $\mathcal{A}$ , we define the following new generalized differential operator as follows:

$$D^{0}_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)f(z) = f(z),$$

$$D^{1}_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)f(z) = \left(\frac{\mu + \lambda - (\beta - \sigma)(\lambda - \alpha)}{\mu + \lambda}\right)f(z) + \left(\frac{(\beta - \sigma)(\lambda - \alpha)}{\mu + \lambda}\right)zf'(z),$$

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$$D^{m}_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)f(z) = D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)(D^{m-1}_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)f(z)),$$
(1.2)

where  $\alpha, \sigma \geq 0, \beta, \lambda, \mu > 0, \lambda \neq \alpha$  and  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

If f is given by (1.1), then from (1.2) we see that

$$D^{m}_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (n-1)(\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^{m} a_{n}z^{n}, \quad (m \in \mathbb{N}_{0}).$$
(1.3)

We observe that the generalized differential operator  $D^m_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)$  reduces to several interesting many other differential operators considered earlier for different choices of  $\mu, \lambda, \sigma, \alpha$  and  $\beta$ :

(i)  $D_{1-\lambda,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1 + (n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)\right]^{m} a_{n}z^{n}$  was introduced and studied by Ramadan and Darus [8];

(ii)  $D_{1-\lambda,\lambda,0}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [1+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)\beta]^{m} a_{n}z^{n}$  was introduced and studied by Darus and Ibrahim [7];

(iii)  $D^m_{\mu,\lambda,0}(0,1)f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda n}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_n z^n$  was introduced and studied by Swamy [10];

(iv)  $D_{1-\lambda,\lambda,0}^m(0,1)f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [1 + (n-1)\lambda]^m a_n z^n$  was introduced and studied by Al-Oboudi [2];

(v)  $D_{0,1,0}^m(0,1)f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n^m a_n z^n$  was introduced and studied by Sălăgean [9].

With the aid of the differential operator  $D^m_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)$  we define the class

$$\Omega_m(\delta,\lambda,\alpha,\beta,b)$$

as follows:

A function f in  $\mathcal{A}$  is said to be in the class  $\Omega_m(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$  if it satisfies the condition:

$$\operatorname{Re}\left\{1+\frac{1}{b}\left[(1-\delta)\frac{D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z)}{z}+\delta(D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z))'-1\right]\right\}>0.$$
 (1.4)

Or, equivalently:

$$\left|\frac{(1-\delta)\frac{D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z)}{z} + \delta(D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z))' - 1}{(1-\delta)\frac{D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z)}{z} + \delta(D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z))' - 1 + 2b}\right| < 1,$$
(1.5)

where  $z \in U$ ,  $\delta \ge 0$ ,  $m \in \mathbb{N}_0$  and  $b \in \mathbb{C} - \{0\}$ .

Let  $\mathcal{A}^*$  denote the subclass of  $\mathcal{A}$  consisting of functions of the form:

$$f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n, \qquad a_n \ge 0.$$
 (1.6)

Further, we shall define the class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$  by:

$$\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b) = \Omega_m(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b) \cap \mathcal{A}^*.$$
(1.7)

In our present paper, we obtain some interesting properties for functions in the class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ . We employ techniques similar to these used earlier by Al-Hawary et al. [1], Darus and Faisal [6], and Amourah et al. [3,4,5,11].

## 2. Coefficient Inequalities

In this section we find the coefficient estimates for the functions in the class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ . Our main characterization theorem for this function class is stated as Theorem 2.1 below.

**Theorem 2.1.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  given by (1.1) is in the class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$  if and only if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1 + \delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (n-1)(\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m a_n \le |b|, \qquad (2.1)$$

where  $\alpha, \sigma \geq 0, \beta, \lambda, \mu > 0, \lambda \neq \alpha$  and  $m \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

**Proof:** By definition,  $f \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$  if and only if the condition (1.5) is satisfied.

Suppose that  $f \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ , then for  $z \in U$  we have

$$\left| (1-\delta) \frac{D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z)}{z} + \delta(D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z))' - 1 \right| \\ - \left| (1-\delta) \frac{D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z)}{z} + \delta(D_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}^{m}(\alpha,\beta)f(z))' - 1 + 2b \right| = 0$$

$$\begin{split} &\left|\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_n z^{n-1}\right| \\ &-\left|2b-\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_n z^{n-1}\right| \\ &\leq \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_n \left|z^{n-1}\right| - 2\left|b\right| \\ &+\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_n \left|z^{n-1}\right| \\ &\leq \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_n - \left|b\right| \leq 0. \end{split}$$

This implies

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1 + \delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (n-1)(\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m a_n \le |b|.$$

Conversely, suppose the inequality (2.1) is satisfied then

$$\left|\frac{(1-\delta)\frac{D^m_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)f(z)}{z} + \delta(D^m_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)f(z))' - 1}{(1-\delta)\frac{D^m_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)f(z)}{z} + \delta(D^m_{\mu,\lambda,\sigma}(\alpha,\beta)f(z))' - 1 + 2b}\right| < 1.$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 2.1.

**Corollary 2.2.** If  $f \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$  is given by (1.1), then

$$a_n \le \frac{|b|}{\left[1 + \delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (n-1)(\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m}, \ n \ge 2.$$

# 3. Growth and Distortion Theorems

A growth and distortion property for function f to be in the class

$$\Omega_m^*(\delta,\lambda,\alpha,\beta,b)$$

is contained in the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.1.** If the function f defined by (1.6) is in the class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ , then for |z| = r < 1, we have

$$r - \frac{|b|}{[1+\delta] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m} r^2 \le |f(z)| \le r + \frac{|b|}{[1+\delta] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m} r^2$$

and

$$1 - \frac{2|b|}{\left[1+\delta\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m} r \le \left|f'(z)\right| \le 1 + \frac{2|b|}{\left[1+\delta\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m} r.$$

**Proof:** Since  $f \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ , from Theorem 2.1 readily yields the inequality

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n \le \frac{|b|}{\left[1+\delta\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m}.$$
(3.1)

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Thus, for |z| = r < 1, and making use of (3.1) we have

$$|f(z)| \le |z| + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n |z^n| \le r + r^2 \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n \le r + \frac{|b|}{[1+\delta] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m} r^2$$

and

$$|f(z)| \ge |z| - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n |z^n| \ge r - r^2 \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n \ge r - \frac{|b|}{[1+\delta] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m} r^2.$$

Also from Theorem 2.1, it follows that

$$\frac{[1+\delta]\left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m}{2}\sum_{n=2}^{\infty}na_n \le \sum_{n=2}^{\infty}[1+\delta(n-1)]\left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_n \le |b|$$

Hence

$$\left|f'(z)\right| \le 1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n \, |z^n| \le 1 + r \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n \le 1 + \frac{2 \, |b|}{\left[1 + \delta\right] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m} r.$$

and

$$\left|f'(z)\right| \ge 1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n \left|z^n\right| \ge 1 - r \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n \ge 1 - \frac{2\left|b\right|}{\left[1+\delta\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m} r.$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 3.1.

# 4. Closure Theorems

Let the functions  $f_j(z), j = 1, 2, \cdots, I$ , be defined by

$$f_j(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_{n,j} z^n, \quad a_{n,j} \ge 0$$
 (4.1)

for  $z \in U$ .

Closure theorems for the class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta,\lambda,\alpha,\beta,b)$  are given by the following theorems.

**Theorem 4.1.** Let the functions  $f_j(z)$  defined by (4.1) be in the class

$$\Omega_m^*(\delta,\lambda,\alpha,\beta,b),$$

 $\alpha, \sigma \geq 0, \ \beta, \lambda, \mu > 0, \ \lambda \neq \alpha$  and  $m \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , for every  $j = 1, 2, \cdots, I$ . Then the function G(z) defined by

$$G(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} p_n z^n, \quad p_n \ge 0$$
 (4.2)

is a member of the class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ , where

$$p_n = \frac{1}{I} \sum_{j=1}^{I} a_{n,j} \quad (n \ge 2).$$

**Proof:** Since  $f_j(z) \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ , it follows from Theorem 2.1 that

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1 + \delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (n-1)(\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m a_{n,j} \le |b|$$

for every  $j = 1, 2, \cdots, I$ .

Hence,

$$\begin{split} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m p_n \\ &= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m \left\{\frac{1}{I} \sum_{j=1}^{I} a_{n,j}\right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{I} \sum_{j=1}^{I} \left(\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_{n,j}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{I} \sum_{j=1}^{I} |b| = |b| \end{split}$$

which implies that  $G(z) \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ .

**Theorem 4.2.** The class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$  is closed under convex linear combination, where  $\alpha, \sigma \geq 0, \beta, \lambda, \mu > 0, \lambda \neq \alpha$  and  $m \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

**Proof:** Suppose that the functions  $f_j(z)$  (j = 1, 2) defined by (4.1) are in the class  $\Omega_m(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ . It is sufficient to prove that the function

$$H(z) = \varphi f_1(z) + (1 - \varphi) f_2(z) \quad (0 \le \varphi \le 1)$$
(4.3)

is also in the class  $\Omega_m(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ . Since, for  $0 \le \varphi \le 1$ ,

$$H(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \{\varphi a_{n,1} + (1-\varphi)a_{n,2}\} z^n,$$

we observe that

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m \left\{\varphi a_{n,1}+(1-\varphi)a_{n,2}\right\}$$
$$=\varphi \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_{n,1}$$
$$+\left(1-\varphi\right) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m a_{n,2}$$
$$\leq \varphi \left|b\right|+(1-\varphi) \left|b\right| = \left|b\right|.$$

Hence  $H(z) \in \Omega_m(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ . This completes the proof of Theorem 4.2.  $\Box$ 

## 5. Integral Operators

In this section, we consider integral transforms of functions in the class

$$\Omega_m^*(\delta,\lambda,\alpha,\beta,b).$$

**Theorem 5.1.** If the function f defined by (1.6) is in the class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ , where  $\alpha, \sigma \geq 0, \beta, \lambda, \mu > 0, \lambda \neq \alpha, m \in \mathbb{N}_0$ . Then the function F(z) defined by

$$F(z) = \frac{c+1}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{c-1} f(t) dt, \quad (c > -1)$$
(5.1)

also belongs to the class  $\Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ .

**Proof:** From (5.1), it follows that  $F(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} k_n z^n$ , where  $k_n = \left(\frac{c+1}{c+n}\right) a_n$ . Therefore

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1 + \delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (n-1)(\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m k_n$$
$$= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1 + \delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (n-1)(\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m \left(\frac{c+1}{c+n}\right) a_n$$
$$\leq \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1 + \delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (n-1)(\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m a_n \le |b|,$$

since  $f(z) \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ . Hence by Theorem 2.1,  $F(z) \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ .  $\Box$ 

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## 6. Close-to-Convexity, Starlikeness and Convexity

A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  is said to be close-to-convex of order  $\eta$  if it satisfies

$$\operatorname{Re}\left\{f'(z)\right\} > \eta,\tag{6.1}$$

for some  $\eta(0 \le \eta \le 1)$  and for all  $z \in U$ . Also a function  $f \in A$  is said to be starlike of order  $\eta$  if it satisfies

$$\operatorname{Re}\left\{\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right\} > \eta,\tag{6.2}$$

for some  $\eta(0 \leq \eta \leq 1)$  and for all  $z \in U$ . Further, a function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  is said to be convex of order  $\eta$ , if and only if zf'(z) is starlike of order  $\eta$ , that is if

$$\operatorname{Re}\left\{1 + \frac{zf^{''}(z)}{f'(z)}\right\} > \eta, \tag{6.3}$$

for some  $\eta(0 \le \eta \le 1)$  and for all  $z \in U$ .

**Theorem 6.1.** If  $f \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ , then f(z) is close-to-convex of order  $\eta$  in  $|z| < h_1(\mu, \delta, b, \eta)$ , where

$$h_1(\mu,\delta,b,\eta) = \inf_n \left\{ \frac{(1-\eta) \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m}{n \left|b\right|} \right\}^{\frac{1}{n-1}}.$$

**Proof:** It is sufficient to show that

$$\left|f'(z) - 1\right| < \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} na_n \left|z\right|^{n-1} \le 1 - \eta$$
 (6.4)

and

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[1 + \delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu + \lambda + (n-1)(\lambda - \alpha)(\beta - \sigma)}{\mu + \lambda}\right]^m a_n \le |b|.$$

Observe that (6.4) is true if

$$\frac{n\left|z\right|^{n-1}}{1-\eta} \le \frac{\left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m}{|b|}.$$
(6.5)

Solving (6.5) for |z|, we obtain

$$|z| \leq \left\{ \frac{(1-\eta)\left[1+\delta(n-1)\right]\left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m}{n\left|b\right|} \right\}^{\frac{1}{n-1}} (n \geq 2).$$

**Theorem 6.2.** If  $f \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ , then f(z) is starlike of order  $\eta$  in  $|z| < h_2(\mu, \delta, b, \eta)$ , where

$$h_2(\mu,\delta,b,\eta) = \inf_n \left\{ \frac{(1-\eta) \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m}{(n-\eta) \left|b\right|} \right\}^{\frac{1}{n-1}}.$$

**Proof:** We must show that  $\left|\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1\right| < 1 - \eta$  for  $|z| < h_2(\mu, \delta, b, \eta)$ .

Since

$$\left|\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1\right| \le \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1)a_n |z|^{n-1}}{1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} a_n |z|^{n-1}}$$
  
if  $\frac{(n-\eta)|z|^{n-1}}{1-\eta} \le \frac{[1+\delta(n-1)]\left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m}{|b|}, f(z)$  is starlike of order  $\eta$ .  $\Box$ 

**Corollary 6.3.** If  $f \in \Omega_m^*(\delta, \lambda, \alpha, \beta, b)$ , then f(z) is convex of order  $\eta$  in  $|z| < h_3(\mu, \delta, b, \eta)$ , where

$$h_3(\mu,\delta,b,\eta) = \inf_n \left\{ \frac{(1-\eta) \left[1+\delta(n-1)\right] \left[\frac{\mu+\lambda+(n-1)(\lambda-\alpha)(\beta-\sigma)}{\mu+\lambda}\right]^m}{n(n-\eta) \left|b\right|} \right\}^{\frac{1}{n-1}}.$$

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