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Certain Properties for Spiral-Like Functions Associated with Ruscheweyh-Type q-Difference Operator

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Abstract

In this paper, making use of the Ruscheweyh- type q-difference operator $\mathcal{D}_q(\mathcal{R}_q^\alpha f(z))$ we introduce a new subclass of spiral-like functions and discuss some subordination results and Fekete-Szegö problem for this generalized function class. Further, some known and new results which follow as special cases of our results are also mentioned.

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1. Introduction

Let A denote the class of functions of the form

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

which are analytic and univalent in the open disc $\mathbb{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$. Let \mathscr{S} denote the subclass of \mathscr{A} consisting of functions that are univalent in \mathbb{T}

A function $f \in \mathscr{A}$ is said to be in the class of γ -spiral-like functions of order λ in \mathbb{U} , denoted by $\mathscr{S}^*(\gamma, \lambda)$ if

$$\Re\left(e^{i\gamma}\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right) > \lambda\cos\gamma, \ z \in \mathbb{U}$$
(1.2)

for $0 \le \lambda < 1$ and some real γ with $|\gamma| < \frac{\pi}{2}$. The class $\mathscr{S}^*(\gamma, \lambda)$ was studied by Libera [6] and Keogh and Merkes [5]. Note that $\mathscr{S}^*(\gamma, 0)$ is the class of spiral-like functions introduced by Špaček [15], $\mathscr{S}^*(0, \lambda) = \mathscr{S}^*(\lambda)$ is the class of starlike functions of order λ and $\mathscr{S}^*(0,0) = \mathscr{S}^*$ is the familiar class of starlike functions.

Let \mathscr{B} be the class of all analytic functions w in \mathbb{U} that satisfy the conditions w(0) = 0 and $|w(z)| < 1, z \in \mathbb{U}$.

For functions $f \in \mathscr{A}$ given by (1.1) and $g \in \mathscr{A}$ 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

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

We briefly recall here the notion of *q-operators* i.e. *q-difference operator* that play a vital role in the theory of hypergeometric series, quantum physics and in the operator theory. The application of *q-calculus* was initiated by Jackson [3] (also see [2, 11]). For the applications of q-calculus in geometric function theory, one may see the papers of Mohamad and Darus [7], Purohit and Raina [11], Mohamad and Sokól, [8].

Consider 0 < q < 1 and a non-negative integer n. The q-integer number or basic number n is defined by

$$[n]_q = \frac{1-q^n}{1-q} = 1+q+q^2+\ldots+q^{n-1}, \ [0]_q = 0.$$

For a non-integer number t we will denote $[t]_q = \frac{1-q^t}{1-a}$.

The *q*-shifted factorial is defined as follow

$$[0]! = 1, [n]! = [1]_q[2]_q \dots [n]_q.$$

Note that $\lim_{q\to 1^-}[n]_q=n$ and $\lim_{q\to 1^-}[n]!=n!$. The Jackson's q- $derivative\ operator$ or q-difference $derivative\ operator$ for a function $f\in\mathscr{A}$ is defined by

$$\mathcal{D}_{q}f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{f(qz) - f(z)}{z(q-1)} & , z \neq 0\\ f'(0) & , z = 0. \end{cases}$$
 (1.4)

Note that for $n \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, ...\}$ and $z \in \mathbb{U}$

$$\mathcal{D}_{a}z^{n} = [n]_{a}z^{n-1}. \tag{1.5}$$

For $t \in \mathbb{R}$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$, the *q-generalized Pochhammer symbol* is defined by

$$[t]_n = [t]_q [t+1]_q [t+2]_q \dots [t+n-1]_q.$$

Moreover, for t > 0 the *q-Gamma function* is given by

$$\Gamma_q(t+1) = [t]_q \Gamma_q(t)$$
 and $\Gamma_q(1) = 1$.

For details on *q-calculus* one can refer to [1, 3] and also the reference cited therein.

Using the definition of Ruscheweyh differential operator [12], in [4] Kanas and Răducanu introduced the Ruscheweyh q-differential operator

$$\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha} f(z) = f(z) * F_{q,\alpha+1}(z) \quad z \in \mathbb{U}, \alpha > -1$$

$$\tag{1.6}$$

where $f \in \mathcal{A}$ and

$$F_{q,\alpha+1}(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma_q(n+\alpha)}{[n-1]! \Gamma_q(1+\alpha)} z^n = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{[\alpha+1]_{n-1}}{[n-1]!} z^n, \quad z \in \mathbb{U}.$$
(1.7)

$$\mathscr{R}_q^0 f(z) = f(z), \qquad \mathscr{R}_q^1 f(z) = z \mathscr{D}_q f(z)$$

$$\mathscr{R}_q^m f(z) = \frac{z \mathscr{D}_q^m \left(z^{m-1} f(z) \right)}{[m]!} \quad m \in \mathbb{N}.$$

For $f \in \mathcal{A}$ given by (1.1), in view of (1.6) and (1.7), we obtain

$$\mathscr{R}_{q}^{\alpha}f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma_{q}(n+\alpha)}{[n-1]!\Gamma_{q}(1+\alpha)} a_{n} z^{n} = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{[\alpha+1]_{n-1}}{[n-1]!} a_{n} z^{n} \quad z \in \mathbb{U}.$$
(1.8)

It is easy to check that

$$\lim_{q \to 1^{-}} F_{q,\alpha+1}(z) = \frac{z}{(1-z)^{\alpha+1}}$$

$$\lim_{q \to 1^-} \mathscr{R}_q^{\alpha} f(z) = f(z) * \frac{z}{(1-z)^{\alpha+1}}.$$

From (1.8) we get

$$\mathscr{D}_q(\mathscr{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z)) = 1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n]_q \Psi_q(n,\alpha) a_n z^{n-1}$$
(1.9)

where

$$\Psi_q(n,\alpha) = \frac{\Gamma_q(n+\alpha)}{[n-1]!\Gamma_q(1+\alpha)} = \frac{[\alpha+1]_{n-1}}{[n-1]!}.$$
(1.10)

Making use of the generalized Ruscheweyh q-differential operator $\mathscr{R}^{\alpha}_{q}f(z)$, we introduce a new subclass of spiral-like functions. For $0 \le \lambda \le 1$, $0 \le \gamma < 1$ and $\frac{-\pi}{2} < \eta < \frac{\pi}{2}$, we let $\mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ be the subclass of A consisting of functions of the form (1.1) and satisfying the analytic condition:

$$\Re\left(e^{i\eta}\frac{z\mathcal{D}_q(\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z))}{(1-\lambda)z+\lambda\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z)}\right) > \gamma\cos\eta, \quad z \in \mathbb{U},\tag{1.11}$$

where $\mathcal{D}_q(R_q^{\alpha}f(z))$ is given by (1.9).

Example 1.1. For $\lambda = 1$, $0 \le \gamma < 1$ and $\frac{-\pi}{2} < \eta < \frac{\pi}{2}$, we let $\mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, 1) \equiv \mathscr{S}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma)$ be the subclass of \mathscr{A} consisting of functions of the form (1.1) and satisfying the analytic condition:

$$\Re\left(e^{i\eta}\frac{z\mathcal{D}_q(\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z))}{\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z)}\right) > \gamma\cos\eta, \quad z \in \mathbb{U},\tag{1.12}$$

where $\mathcal{D}_q(\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z))$ is given by (1.9).

Example 1.2. For $\lambda=0, 0 \leq \gamma < 1$ and $\frac{-\pi}{2} < \eta < \frac{\pi}{2}$, we let $\mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta,\gamma,0) \equiv \mathscr{R}_q^{\alpha}(\eta,\gamma)$ be the subclass of \mathscr{A} consisting of functions of the form (1.1) and satisfying the analytic condition:

$$\Re\left(e^{i\eta}\,\mathscr{D}_q(\mathscr{R}_q^\alpha f(z))\right) > \gamma\cos\eta,\, z \in \mathbb{U},\tag{1.13}$$

where $\mathcal{D}_q(\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha} f(z))$ is given by (1.9).

The object of the present paper is to investigate the coefficient estimates and subordination properties for the class of functions $\mathscr{G}^{\alpha}_{q}(\eta,\gamma,\lambda)$. Some interesting consequences of the results are also pointed out.

2. Membership characterizations

In this section we obtain several sufficient conditions for a function $f \in \mathscr{A}$ to be in the class $\mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$.

Theorem 2.1. Let $f \in \mathcal{A}$ and let δ be a real number with $0 \le \delta < 1$. If

$$\left| \frac{z \mathcal{D}_q(\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha} f(z))}{(1 - \lambda)z + \lambda \mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha} f(z)} - 1 \right| \le 1 - \delta, \ z \in \mathbb{U}$$
 (2.1)

then $f \in \mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ provided that

$$|\gamma| \le \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1-\delta}{1-\lambda}\right).$$

Proof. From (2.1) it follows that

$$\frac{z\mathcal{D}_q(\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z))}{(1-\lambda)z+\lambda\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z)}=1+(1-\delta)w(z),$$

where $w(z) \in \mathcal{B}$. We have

$$\begin{split} \Re\left(\,e^{i\eta}\frac{z\mathscr{Q}_q(\mathscr{R}_q^\alpha f(z))}{(1-\lambda)z+\lambda\mathscr{R}_q^\alpha f(z)}\,\right) &= \Re[e^{i\eta}(1+(1-\delta)w(z))]\\ &= \cos\eta + (1-\delta)\Re(e^{i\eta}w(z))\\ &\geq \cos\eta - (1-\delta)|e^{i\eta}w(z)|\\ &> \cos\eta - (1-\delta)\\ &\geq \gamma\cos\eta\,, \end{split}$$

provided that $|\eta| \leq \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1-\delta}{1-\gamma}\right)$. Thus, the proof is completed.

If in Theorem 2.1 we take $\delta = 1 - (1 - \gamma)\cos\eta$ we obtain the following result.

Corollary 2.2. Let $f \in \mathcal{A}$. If

$$\left| \frac{z \mathcal{D}_q(\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha} f(z))}{(1 - \lambda)z + \lambda \mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha} f(z)} - 1 \right| \le (1 - \gamma) \cos \eta, \ z \in \mathbb{U}$$
 (2.2)

then $f \in \mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$.

In the following theorem, we obtain a sufficient condition for f to be in $\mathscr{G}^{\alpha}_{a}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$.

Theorem 2.3. A function f(z) of the form (1.1) is in $\mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[([n]_q - \lambda) \sec \eta + (1 - \gamma) \lambda \right] \Psi_q(n, \alpha) |a_n| \le 1 - \gamma, \tag{2.3}$$

where $|\eta| < \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 \le \lambda \le 1, 0 \le \gamma < 1$ and $\Psi_q(n, \alpha)$ is given by (1.10).

Proof. In virtue of Corollary 2.2, it suffices to show that the condition (2.3) is satisfied. We have

$$\left| \frac{z \mathcal{D}_q(\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha} f(z))}{(1-\lambda)z + \lambda \mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha} f(z)} - 1 \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} ([n]_q - \lambda) \Psi_q(n, \alpha) a_n z^{n-1}}{1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \lambda \Psi_q(n, \alpha) a_n z^{n-1}} \right|$$

$$< \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} ([n]_q - \lambda) \Psi_q(n, \alpha) |a_n|}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \lambda \Psi_q(n, \alpha) |a_n|}.$$

The last expression is bounded above by $(1 - \gamma)\cos \eta$, if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} ([n]_q - \lambda) \Psi_q(n, \alpha) |a_n| \leq (1 - \gamma) \cos \eta \left(1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \lambda \Psi_q(n, \alpha) |a_n| \right)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[([n]_q - \lambda) \sec \eta + (1 - \gamma) \lambda \right] \Psi_q(n, \alpha) |a_n| \le 1 - \gamma.$$

This completes the proof of the Theorem 2.3.

In view of Examples 1.1 and 1.2, we state the following corollaries.

Corollary 2.4. A function f(z) of the form (1.1) is in $\mathscr{S}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma)$ if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (([n]_q - 1) \sec \eta + (1 - \gamma)) \Psi_q(n, \alpha) |a_n| \le 1 - \gamma,$$

where $|\eta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$, and $0 \le \gamma < 1$.

Corollary 2.5. A function f(z) of the form (1.1) is in $\mathcal{R}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma)$ if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} ([n]_q \sec \eta) \Psi_q(n,\alpha) |a_n| \le 1 - \gamma,$$

where $|\eta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 \le \gamma < 1$.

Remark 2.6. We observe that Corollary 2.4, yields the result of Silverman [13] for special values of η and γ .

3. Subordination result

Before stating and proving our subordination result for the class $\mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$, we need the following definitions and a lemma due to Wilf [17].

Definition 3.1. Let $g,h \in \mathscr{A}$. The function g is said to be subordinate to the function h, denoted by $g \prec h$, if there exists a function $w \in \mathscr{B}$ such that g(z) = h(w(z)), for all $z \in \mathbb{U}$.

Definition 3.2. [17]. A sequence $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of complex numbers is said to be a subordinating factor sequence if, whenever $f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n z^n$, $a_1 = 1$ is regular, univalent and convex in \mathbb{U} , we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n a_n z^n \prec f(z), \ z \in \mathbb{U}. \tag{3.1}$$

Lemma 3.3. [17] The sequence $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ is a subordinating factor sequence if and only if

$$\Re\left\{1+2\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}b_nz^n\right\}>0,\ z\in\mathbb{U}.\tag{3.2}$$

Theorem 3.4. Let $f \in \mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ and g(z) be any function in the usual class of convex functions C, then

$$\frac{(([2]_q - \lambda) \sec \eta + \lambda(1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)}{2[1 - \gamma + (([2]_q - \lambda) \sec \eta + \lambda(1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)]} (f * g)(z) \prec g(z)$$

$$(3.3)$$

where $|\eta| < \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 \le \gamma < 1, 0 \le \lambda < 1$, with

$$\Psi_q(2,\alpha) = \frac{\Gamma_q(2+\alpha)}{\Gamma_q(1+\alpha)} \tag{3.4}$$

and

$$\Re\left\{f(z)\right\} > -\frac{1 - \gamma + (([2]_q - \lambda)\sec\eta + \lambda(1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)}{(([2]_q - \lambda)\sec\eta + \lambda(1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)}, z \in \mathbb{U}. \tag{3.5}$$

The constant factor $\frac{(([2]_q - \lambda)\sec\eta + \lambda(1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)}{2[1 - \gamma + (([2]_q - \lambda)\sec\eta + \lambda(1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)]}$ in (3.3) cannot be replaced by a larger number.

Proof. Let $f \in \mathscr{G}^{\alpha}_q(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ satisfy the coefficient inequality (2.3) and suppose that $g(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_n z^n \in C$. Then, by Definition 3.2, the subordination (3.3) of our theorem will hold true if the sequence

$$\left\{\frac{(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{2[1-\gamma+(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)]}a_n\right\}_{n=1}^\infty$$

is a subordinating factor sequence, with $a_1 = 1$. In view of Lemma 3.3, it is equivalent to the inequality

$$\Re\left\{1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(([2]_q - \lambda) \sec \eta + \lambda (1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)}{1 - \gamma + (([2]_q - \lambda) \sec \eta + \lambda (1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)} a_n z^n\right\} > 0, \ z \in \mathbb{U}.$$
(3.6)

By noting the fact that $\frac{[([n]_q - \lambda) \sec \eta + (1 - \gamma)\lambda]\Psi_q(n, \alpha)}{(1 - \gamma)}$ is an increasing function for $n \ge 2$ and in view of (2.3), when |z| = r < 1, we obtain

$$\begin{split} &\Re\left\{1+\frac{(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{1-\gamma+(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}\sum_{n=1}^\infty a_nz^n\right\}\\ &\geq 1-\frac{(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{1-\gamma+(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}r\\ &-\frac{1-\gamma}{1-\gamma+(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}r>0,\ |z|=r<1. \end{split}$$

This evidently proves the inequality (3.6) and hence also the subordination result (3.3) asserted by Theorem 3.4. The inequality (3.5) follows from (3.3) by taking $g(z) = \frac{z}{1-z} = z + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^n \in C$.

The sharpness of the multiplying factor in (3.3) can be established by considering a function $F(z) = z - \frac{1-\gamma}{1-\gamma+(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}z^2$, where $|\eta| < \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 \le \gamma < 1, 0 \le \lambda \le 1$ and $\Psi_q(2,\alpha)$ is given by (3.4). Clearly $F \in \mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta,\gamma,\lambda)$. Using (3.3) we

$$\frac{(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{2[1-\gamma+(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)]}F(z)\prec\frac{z}{1-z},$$

$$\min\left\{\Re\left(\frac{(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{2[1-\gamma+(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)]}F(z)\right)\right\}=-\frac{1}{2},\,z\in\mathbb{U}.$$
 This shows that the constant
$$\frac{(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{2[1-\gamma+(([2]_q-\lambda)\sec\eta+\lambda(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)]} \text{ cannot be replaced by any larger one.}$$

For $\lambda = 1$, we state the following corollary.

Corollary 3.5. *If* $f \in \mathscr{S}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma)$, then

$$\frac{(q \sec \eta + (1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)}{2[1 - \gamma + (q \sec \eta + (1 - \gamma))\Psi_q(2, \alpha)]}(f * g)(z) \prec g(z) \tag{3.7}$$

where $|\eta| < \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 < \gamma < 1, g \in C$ and

$$\Re\left\{f(z)\right\}>-\frac{1-\gamma+(q\sec\eta+(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{(q\sec\eta+(1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)},\,z\in\mathbb{U}.$$

The constant factor $\frac{(q \sec \eta + (1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{2[1-\gamma+(q \sec \eta + (1-\gamma))\Psi_q(2,\alpha)]}$ in (3.7) cannot be replaced by a larger one.

By taking $\lambda = 0$, we state the next corollary.

Corollary 3.6. *If* $f \in \mathcal{R}_{q}^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ *, then*

$$\frac{(1+q) \sec \eta \Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{2[1-\gamma + (1+q) \sec \eta \Psi_q(2,\alpha)]} (f*g)(z) \prec g(z) \tag{3.8}$$

where $|\eta| < \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 \le \gamma < 1, g \in C$ an

$$\Re\left\{f(z)\right\}>-\frac{1-\gamma+(1+q)\sec\eta\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{(1+q)\sec\eta\Psi_q(2,\alpha)},\,z\in\mathbb{U}.$$

The constant factor $\frac{(1+q)\sec\eta\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}{2[1-\gamma+(1+q)\sec\eta\Psi_q(2,\alpha)]}$ in (3.8) cannot be replaced by a larger one.

4. The Fekete-Szegö problem

The Fekete-Szegö problem consists in finding sharp upper bounds for the functional $|a_3 - \mu a_2^2|$ for various subclasses of \mathscr{A} (see [10], [16]). In order to obtain sharp upper-bounds for $|a_3 - \mu a_2^2|$ for the class $\mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ the following lemma is required (see, e.g., [9], p.108).

Lemma 4.1. Let the function $w \in \mathcal{B}$ be given by

$$w(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} w_n z^n, \ z \in \mathbb{U}.$$

Then

$$|w_1| \le 1$$
 and $|w_2| \le 1 - |w_1|^2$ (4.1)

and

$$|w_2 - sw_1^2| \le \max\{1, |s|\}$$
 for any complex number s. (4.2)

The functions w(z) = z and $w(z) = z^2$ or one of their rotations show that both inequalities (4.1) and (4.2) are sharp.

For the constants γ , η with $0 \le \gamma < 1$ and $|\eta| < \frac{\pi}{2}$ denote

$$p_{\gamma,\eta}(z) = \frac{1 + e^{-i\eta} \left(e^{-i\eta} - 2\gamma \cos \eta \right) z}{1 - z}, \ z \in \mathbb{U}. \tag{4.3}$$

The function $p_{\gamma,\eta}(z)$ maps the open unit disk onto the half-plane

$$H_{\gamma,\eta} = \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C} : \Re(e^{i\eta}z) > \gamma \cos \eta \right\}.$$

If

$$p_{\gamma,\eta}(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} p_n z^n$$

then it is easy to check that

$$p_n = 2e^{-i\eta}(1-\gamma)\cos\eta, \text{ for all } n \ge 1.$$

$$(4.4)$$

First we obtain sharp upper-bounds for the Fekete-Szegő functional $|a_3 - \mu a_2|$ with μ real parameter.

Theorem 4.2. Let $f \in \mathscr{G}^{\alpha}_q(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ be given by (1.1) and let μ be a real number. Then

$$|a_3 - \mu a_2^2| \le$$

$$\begin{cases}
\frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^{2}-\lambda)\Psi_{q}(3,\alpha)} \left[1 + \frac{2(1-\gamma)\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} - \mu \frac{2(1-\gamma)(1+q+q^{2}-\lambda)}{(1+q-\lambda)^{2}} \cdot \frac{\Psi_{q}(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_{q}^{2}(2,\alpha)} \right], & \text{if } \mu \leq \sigma_{1} \\
\frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^{2}-\lambda)\Psi_{q}(3,\alpha)}, & \text{if } \sigma_{1} \leq \mu \leq \sigma_{2} \\
\frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^{2}-\lambda)\Psi_{q}(3,\alpha)} \left[\mu \frac{2(1-\gamma)(1+q+q^{2}-\lambda)}{(1+q-\lambda)^{2}} \cdot \frac{\Psi_{q}(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_{q}^{2}(2,\alpha)} + \frac{2(1-\gamma)\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} - 1 \right], & \text{if } \mu \geq \sigma_{2}
\end{cases} \tag{4.5}$$

where

$$\sigma_{1} = \frac{\lambda(1+q-\lambda)}{1+q+q^{2}-\lambda} \cdot \frac{\Psi_{q}^{2}(2,\alpha)}{\Psi_{q}(3,\alpha)}$$

$$(4.6)$$

$$\sigma_2 = \frac{(1+q-\lambda)(1+q-\lambda\gamma)}{(1-\gamma)(1+q+q^2-\lambda)} \cdot \frac{\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)}{\Psi_q(3,\alpha)} \tag{4.7}$$

and $\Psi_a(2,\alpha), \Psi_a(3,\alpha)$ are defined by (1.10) with n=2 and n=3 respectively. All estimates are sharp.

Proof. Suppose that $f \in \mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ is given by (1.1). Then, from the definition of the class $\mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$, there exists $w \in \mathscr{B}$, $w(z) = w_1 z + w_2 z^2 + w_3 z^3 + \dots$ such that

$$\frac{z\mathscr{D}_q(\mathscr{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z))}{(1-\lambda)z+\lambda\mathscr{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z)}=p_{\gamma,\eta}(w(z)),\ z\in\mathbb{U}. \tag{4.8}$$

We have

$$\frac{z\mathscr{D}_q(\mathscr{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z))}{(1-\lambda)z+\lambda\mathscr{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z)}$$

$$=1+([2]_q-\lambda)\Psi_q(2,\alpha)a_2z+[(\lambda^2-[2]_q\lambda)\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)a_2^2+([3]_q-\lambda)\Psi_q(3,\alpha)a_3]z^2+\dots$$

or

$$\frac{z\mathscr{D}_q(\mathscr{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z))}{(1-\lambda)z+\lambda\mathscr{R}_q^{\alpha}f(z)}$$

$$= 1 + (1 + q - \lambda)\Psi_q(2, \alpha)a_2z + [(\lambda^2 - q\lambda - \lambda)\Psi_q^2(2, \alpha)a_2^2 + (1 + q + q^2 - \lambda)\Psi_q(3, \alpha)a_3]z^2 + \dots$$

$$(4.9)$$

Set $p_{\gamma,\eta}(z) = 1 + p_1 z + p_2 z^2 + p_3 z^3 + \dots$ From (4.4) we have

$$p_1 = p_2 = 2e^{-i\eta}(1-\gamma)\cos\eta$$
.

Equating the coefficients of z and z^2 on both sides of (4.8) and taking into account (4.9), we obtain

$$a_2 = \frac{p_1 w_1}{(1+q-\lambda)\Psi_q(2,\alpha)} \text{ and } a_3 = \frac{1}{(1+q+q^2-\lambda)\Psi_q(3,\alpha)} \left[p_1 w_2 + \left(p_2 + \frac{\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} p_1^2 \right) w_1^2 \right].$$

and thus we obtain

$$a_2 = \frac{2e^{-i\eta}(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q-\lambda)\Psi_q(2,\alpha)}w_1 \tag{4.10}$$

and

$$a_{3} = \frac{2e^{-i\eta}(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^{2}-\lambda)\Psi_{q}(3,\alpha)} \left[w_{2} + \left(1 + \frac{2\lambda e^{-i\eta}(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{1+q-\lambda}\right)w_{1}^{2} \right]. \tag{4.11}$$

It follows

$$|a_3 - \mu a_2^2| \leq \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^2-\lambda)\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}$$

$$\times \left\{ |w_2| + \left| 1 + \frac{2e^{-i\eta}(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{1+q-\lambda} \left(\lambda - \mu \frac{1+q+q^2-\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} \cdot \frac{\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)} \right) \right| |w_1|^2 \right\}.$$

Making use of Lemma 4.1 (4.1) we have

$$|a_3 - \mu a_2^2| \le \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^2-\lambda)\Psi_a(3,\alpha)}$$

$$\times \left\{ 1 + \left[\left| 1 + \frac{2e^{-i\eta}(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{1+q-\lambda} \left(\lambda - \mu \frac{1+q+q^2-\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} \cdot \frac{\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)} \right) \right| - 1 \right] |w_1|^2 \right\}.$$

or

$$\left| a_3 - \mu a_2^2 \right| \le \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^2-\eta)\Psi_a(3,\alpha)} \left[1 + \left(\sqrt{1 + M(2+M)\cos^2\eta} - 1 \right) |w_1|^2 \right],\tag{4.12}$$

where

$$M = \frac{2(1-\gamma)}{1+q-\lambda} \left(\lambda - \mu \frac{1+q+q^2-\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} \cdot \frac{\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)} \right). \tag{4.13}$$

Denote by

$$F(x,y) = 1 + \left(\sqrt{1 + M(2 + M)x^2} - 1\right)y^2 \text{ where } x = \cos\eta, \ y = |w_1| \text{ and } (x,y) \in [0,1] \times [0,1].$$

Simple calculation shows that the function F(x,y) does not have a local maximum at any interior point of the open rectangle $(0,1) \times (0,1)$. Thus, the maximum must be attained at a boundary point. Since F(x,0) = 1, F(0,y) = 1 and F(1,1) = |1+M|, it follows that the maximal value of F(x,y) may be F(0,0) = 1 or F(1,1) = |1+M|.

Therefore, from (4.12) we obtain

$$\left| a_3 - \mu a_2^2 \right| \le \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^2-\eta)\Psi_q(3,\alpha)} \max\left\{ 1, |1+M| \right\}. \tag{4.14}$$

where M is given by (4.13).

Consider first the case $|1+M| \ge 1$. If $\mu \le \sigma_1$, where σ_1 is given by (4.6), then $M \ge 0$ and from (4.14) we obtain

$$|a_3 - \mu a_2^2| \leq \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^2-\lambda)\Psi_q(3,\alpha)} \left[1 + \frac{2(1-\gamma)\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} - \mu \frac{2(1-\gamma)(1+q+q^2-\lambda)}{(1+q-\lambda)^2} \cdot \frac{\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)} \right]$$

which is the first part of the inequality (4.5). If $\mu \ge \sigma_2$, where σ_2 is given by (4.7), then $M \le -2$ and it follows from (4.14) that

$$|a_3 - \mu a_2^2| \leq \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^2-\lambda)\Psi_q(3,\alpha)} \left[\mu \frac{2(1-\gamma)(1+q+q^2-\lambda)}{(1+q-\lambda)^2} \cdot \frac{\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)} + \frac{2(1-\gamma)\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} - 1 \right]$$

and this is the third part of (4.5).

Next, suppose $\sigma_1 \le \mu \le \sigma_2$. Then, $|1+M| \le 1$ and thus, from (4.14) we obtain

$$\left| a_3 - \mu a_2^2 \right| \le \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^2-\lambda)\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}$$

which is the second part of the inequality (4.5).

In view of Lemma 4.1, the results are sharp for w(z) = z and $w(z) = z^2$ or one of their rotations.

Next, we consider the Fekete-Szegö problem for the class $\mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta,\gamma,\lambda)$ with μ complex parameter.

Theorem 4.3. Let $f \in \mathcal{G}_a^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$ be given by (1.1) and let μ be a complex number. Then,

$$\left| a_3 - \mu a_2^2 \right| \le \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^2-\eta)\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}$$

$$\times \max \left\{ 1, \left| \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{1+q-\lambda} \left(\mu \frac{1+q+q^2-\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} \cdot \frac{\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)} - \lambda \right) - e^{i\eta} \right| \right\} \tag{4.15}$$

The result is sharp.

Proof. Assume that $f \in \mathscr{G}_q^{\alpha}(\eta, \gamma, \lambda)$. Making use of (4.10) and (4.11) we obtain

$$\left|a_3 - \mu a_2^2\right| \leq \frac{2(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{(1+q+q^2-\eta)\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}$$

$$\times \left| w_2 - \left[-\frac{2e^{-i\eta}(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{1+q-\lambda} \left(\lambda - \mu \frac{1+q+q^2-\lambda}{1+q-\lambda} \cdot \frac{\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)} \right) - 1 \right] w_1^2 \right|$$

The inequality (4.15) follows as an application of Lemma 4.1(4.2) with

$$s = \frac{2e^{-i\eta}(1-\gamma)\cos\eta}{1+q-\lambda}\left(\mu\frac{1+q+q^2-\lambda}{1+q-\lambda}\cdot\frac{\Psi_q(3,\alpha)}{\Psi_q^2(2,\alpha)}-\lambda\right)-1.$$

Remark 4.4. By specializing the parameters $\lambda = 0$ and $\lambda = 1$ one can state the above discussed results for function f in the subclasses defined in Example 1.1 and 1.2 respectively.

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