

SOME PROPERTIES OF AN INTEGRAL OPERATOR

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we will prove, using Pescar's criterion, the univalence of an integral operator, considered for analytic functions in the open unit disk \mathcal{U} .

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1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

Let the unit disk $\mathcal{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| < 1\}$ and \mathcal{A} the class of functions of the form

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

which are analytic in \mathcal{U} and satisfy the condition $f(0) = f'(0) - 1 = 0$.

We denote by \mathcal{S} the subclass of \mathcal{A} containing univalent and regular functions. In 1996, V. Pescar has proved univalent condition:

Theorem 1. [4] *Let $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$ with $\operatorname{Re} \alpha > 0$ and $c \in \mathbb{C}$ with $|c| < 1$. We consider also a function $f(z)$ of the form (1) which is analytic in \mathcal{U} . If:*

$$\left| c|z|^{2\alpha} + (1 - |z|)^{2\alpha} \frac{z f_n''(z)}{\alpha f_n'(z)} \right| \leq 1,$$

for every $z \in \mathcal{U}$, then the function $F_\alpha(z)$ defined by:

$$F_\alpha(z) = \left(\alpha \int_0^z t^{\alpha-1} f'(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} \quad (2)$$

is univalent in \mathcal{U} .

In [3] Ozaki and Nunokawa gave the following result:

Theorem 2. *If $f \in \mathcal{A}$ satisfies the following inequality:*

$$\left| \frac{z^2 f'(z)}{f^2(z)} - 1 \right| \leq 1, \quad (3)$$

for every $z \in \mathcal{U}$, then f is univalent in \mathcal{U} .

Also, an important result that we will use in our paper is General Schwarz Lemma. We remind it here:

Lemma 3. [1] *Let the regular function f in the disk $\mathcal{U}_R = \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| < R\}$, with $|f(z)| < M$, M fixed. If f has in $z = 0$ one zero with multiplicity $\geq m$, then*

$$|f(z)| \leq \frac{M}{R^m} |z|^m, \quad z \in \mathcal{U}_R. \quad (4)$$

It is obviously that for $R = m = 1$ the relation (4) becomes:

$$\left| \frac{f(z)}{z} \right| \leq M, \quad z \in \mathcal{U}. \quad (5)$$

The goal of our paper is to introduce an integral operator, to prove the univalence for it and present some properties obtained from here.

2. MAIN RESULTS

Theorem 4. *Let $f_i \in \mathcal{A}$, $i = \overline{1, n}$, the functions that satisfy the inequality (3) α_i, γ, c be complex numbers with $\operatorname{Re} \gamma > 0$ and $M_i, N_i \in \mathbb{R}_+^*$, $M_i \geq 1$.*

If:

- i) $|f_i(z)| \leq M_i$, $i = \overline{1, n}$;*
- ii) $\left| \frac{f_i''(z)}{f_i'(z)} \right| \leq N_i$, $i = \overline{1, n}$;*
- iii) $|c| \leq 1 - \frac{1}{|\gamma|} \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i| (2M_i + N_i + 1)$,*

then the function:

$$G_n(z) = \left(\gamma \int_0^z u^{\gamma-1} \prod_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{u}{f_i(u) f_i'(u)} \right)^{\alpha_i} du \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}$$

is univalent in \mathcal{U} .

Proof. Let the function g_n , regular in \mathcal{U} and $g_n(0) = g'_n(0) - 1 = 0$, defined as:

$$g_n(z) = \int_0^z \prod_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{u}{f_i(u)f'_i(u)} \right)^{\alpha_i} du.$$

For this function we have:

$$g'_n(z) = \prod_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{z}{f_i(z)f'_i(z)} \right)^{\alpha_i}$$

and:

$$\begin{aligned} g''_n(z) &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ \left[\left(\frac{z}{f_i(z)f'_i(z)} \right)^{\alpha_i} \right]' \cdot \prod_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq i}}^n \left(\frac{z}{f_j(z)f'_j(z)} \right)^{\alpha_j} \right\} \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{z}{f_i(z)f'_i(z)} \right)^{\alpha_i} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \left(\frac{1}{z} - \frac{f'_i(z)}{f_i(z)} - \frac{f''_i(z)}{f'_i(z)} \right). \end{aligned}$$

So we have:

$$\frac{zg''_n(z)}{g'_n(z)} = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \left(1 - \frac{zf'_i(z)}{f_i(z)} - \frac{zf''_i(z)}{f'_i(z)} \right),$$

hence:

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{zg''_n(z)}{g'_n(z)} \right| &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i| \left(1 + \left| \frac{zf'_i(z)}{f_i(z)} \right| + \left| \frac{zf''_i(z)}{f'_i(z)} \right| \right) \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i| \left(1 + \left| \frac{z^2 f'_i(z)}{f_i^2(z)} \right| \cdot \left| \frac{f_i(z)}{z} \right| + \left| \frac{zf''_i(z)}{f'_i(z)} \right| \right). \end{aligned}$$

Because $|f_i(z)| \leq M_i$ and using Schwarz Lemma, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{zg''_n(z)}{g'_n(z)} \right| &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i| \left(1 + \left| \frac{z^2 f'_i(z)}{f_i^2(z)} \right| \cdot M_i + \left| \frac{zf''_i(z)}{f'_i(z)} \right| \right) \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i| \left(1 + \left| \frac{z^2 f'_i(z)}{f_i^2(z)} - 1 \right| \cdot M_i + M_i + \left| \frac{zf''_i(z)}{f'_i(z)} \right| \right). \end{aligned}$$

Applying inequality (3) and ii), we have:

$$\left| \frac{zg''_n(z)}{g'_n(z)} \right| \leq \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i| (2M_i + N_i + 1).$$

From this relation, we obtain:

$$\left| c|z|^{2\gamma} + (1 - |z|)^{2\gamma} \frac{zg_n''(z)}{\gamma g_n'(z)} \right| \leq |c| + \frac{1}{|\gamma|} \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i| (2M_i + N_i + 1).$$

So, because of iii), it results:

$$\left| c|z|^{2\gamma} + (1 - |z|)^{2\gamma} \frac{zg_n''(z)}{\gamma g_n'(z)} \right| \leq 1$$

and according with Theorem 1, we obtain that the function G_n is in the class \mathcal{S} .

Corollary 5. *Let $f \in \mathcal{A}$ a function that satisfy the inequality (3) α, γ, c be complex numbers with $\operatorname{Re} \gamma > 0$ and $M, N \in \mathbb{R}_+, M \geq 1$.*

If:

- i) $|f(z)| \leq M$;
- ii) $\left| \frac{f''(z)}{f'(z)} \right| \leq N$;
- iii) $|c| \leq 1 - \frac{|\alpha|}{|\gamma|} \sum_{i=1}^n (2M + N + 1)$, then the function:

$$G_n(z) := \left(\gamma \int_0^z u^{\gamma-1} \left(\frac{u}{f(u)f'(u)} \right)^\alpha du \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}$$

is univalent in \mathcal{U} .

Proof. We consider $n = 1$ in Theorem 4.

Corollary 6. *Let $f_i \in \mathcal{A}$, $i = \overline{1, n}$, the functions that satisfy the inequality (3) α, γ, c be complex numbers with $\operatorname{Re} \gamma > 0$ and $M_i, N_i \in \mathbb{R}_+, M_i \geq 1$.*

If:

- i) $|f_i(z)| \leq M_i$, $i = \overline{1, n}$;
- ii) $\left| \frac{f_i''(z)}{f_i'(z)} \right| \leq N_i$, $i = \overline{1, n}$;
- iii) $|c| \leq 1 - \frac{|\alpha|}{|\gamma|} \sum_{i=1}^n (2M_i + N_i + 1)$, then the function:

$$G_n(z) := \left(\gamma \int_0^z u^{\gamma-1} \prod_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{u}{f_i(u)f_i'(u)} \right)^\alpha du \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}$$

is univalent in \mathcal{U} .

Proof. We consider $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \dots = \alpha_n = \alpha$ in Theorem 4.

Corollary 7. Let $f_i \in A$, $i = \overline{1, n}$, the functions that satisfy the inequality (3) α_i, c be complex numbers and $M_i, N_i \in \mathbb{R}_+^*$, $M_i \geq 1$.

If:

- i) $|f_i(z)| \leq M_i$, $i = \overline{1, n}$;
- ii) $\left| \frac{f_i''(z)}{f_i'(z)} \right| \leq N_i$, $i = \overline{1, n}$;
- iii) $|c| \leq 1 - \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i| (2M_i + N_i + 1)$,

then the function:

$$G_n(z) := \int_0^z \prod_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{u}{f_i(u) f_i'(u)} \right)^{\alpha_i} du$$

is univalent in \mathcal{U} .

Proof. In Theorem 4, we consider $\gamma = 1$.

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