

Coefficient Characterization For Some Spiral-Like Subclasses Of Generalized Rational Univalent Functions

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The aim of this paper is to introduce Spiral-like subclasses $SP_+^\lambda(b_1, \alpha)$ and $SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$ of generalized rational functions and study the geometric properties like coefficient characterization, growth and distortion bounds.

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Introduction

A function $f(z)$ which is normalized and analytic in the open unit disk around the origin, non-vanishing outside the origin and is of the form $f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ can take the form $\frac{z}{g(z)}$ where $g(z)$ has Taylor coefficients b_n 's in unit disk U .

Sufficient condition for functions of the form

$$\frac{z}{1+b_1z+\dots+b_nz^n}, \quad b_n \neq 0 \quad (1)$$

to be univalent in U was obtained by Mitrinovic [2]

Theorem[2] The function $f(z) = \frac{z}{1+\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n}$ is in S if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (n-1)|b_n| \leq 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |b_n| \leq 1.$$

Different subclasses of univalent rational functions were introduced by Reade et al. [5]. Also obtained sufficient conditions for $f(z) \in S$ to be in those subclasses.

Spacek [8] defined another interesting subclass of univalent functions, the class of spiral-like functions and proved that a function $f(z)$ is λ -spiral-like if it satisfies

$$\operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{e^{i\lambda} z f'(z)}{f(z)} \right] > 0 \text{ for some real } \lambda \left(|\lambda| \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \text{ and for all } z \text{ in } U.$$

The class of λ -spiral-like functions is denoted by SP^λ or S^λ .

A function $f(z)$ analytic on open unit disk U with the usual normalization is called λ -spiral-like of order α , if the inequality

$$\operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{e^{i\lambda} z f'(z)}{f(z)} \right] > \alpha \cos \lambda$$

holds for some real $\alpha, \lambda \left(0 \leq \alpha < 1, |\lambda| \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$ and for all z in U .

This class is known as the class of λ -spiral-like functions of order α and is denoted by $SP^\lambda(\alpha)$ or $S^\lambda(\alpha)$

And note that $SP^\lambda(\alpha) \subset SP^\lambda$, $SP^0(\alpha) = S^*(\alpha)$ and $SP^0(0) = S^*$.

Ahuja and Jain [1] proved the following sufficient condition on b_n 's for the function $f(z)$ of the form (1) to be λ - Robertson function of order α :

Theorem : Let $f(z) = \frac{z}{1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n}$ and α, λ be constants $0 \leq \alpha < 1$, $-\frac{\pi}{2} < \lambda < \frac{\pi}{2}$. $f(z)$ is said to be λ - Robertson function of order α if the coefficients b_n 's satisfy

$$\frac{3+(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda} |b_1| + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(k-1)(3k+(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda)}{(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda} |b_n| \leq 1.$$

Ahuja and Jain [1] studied the properties of spiral-likeness of rational functions.

Obradović and Ponnusamy [4] introduced a subclass of rational univalent functions S_+ , as the subclass of functions of S which can be expressed in the form

$$\frac{z}{f(z)} = b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)} \quad (2)$$

for some sequence $\{\lambda_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of non-negative real numbers with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n = 1$ and obtained necessary and sufficient conditions for functions of S to be in S_+ .

Theorem [4] Let $f \in A$. Then $f \in S_+$ if and only if f can take the form

$$\frac{z}{f(z)} = b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)}$$

for some sequence $\{\lambda_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of non-negative real numbers with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n = 1$ and

$$\frac{z}{f_n(z)} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{for } n = 1 \\ 1 + \frac{1}{n-1} z^n, & \text{for } n = 2, 3, \dots \end{cases}$$

This paper introduces spiral-like subclasses of generalized rational univalent functions for which this type of characterization could be derived.

Now, we define two subclasses of S_+ by fixing b_1 and obtain characterization for these subclasses similar to that in [4] for S_+ .

Section 1

Ahuja and Jain [1] obtained a condition on the coefficients $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ that ensures spiral-likeness of a class of functions of the form $f(z) = \frac{z}{1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n}$.

The condition is as follows:

Theorem[1] Let $f(z) = \frac{z}{1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n}$, and α, λ be constants such that $0 \leq \alpha < 1$, $\frac{-\pi}{2} < \lambda < \frac{\pi}{2}$. If the coefficients $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ satisfy

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [n + \{n^2 - 4(1 - \alpha)(n + \alpha - 1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}] |b_n| \leq 2(1 - \alpha) \cos \lambda$
then f is λ -spiral-like of order α in the unit disk U around the origin.

By imposing this condition, this section introduces a subclass $SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$ of rational univalent functions by fixing b_1 of $g(z)$. And studies coefficient characterization, growth and distortion bounds for the subclass $SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$.

Definition 1.1

Let $b_1 \in \mathbb{C}$, $0 \leq |b_1| \leq 1$ be fixed and $0 \leq \alpha < 1$.

$SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha) = \{f(z) \in S : \frac{z}{f(z)} = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n, z \in U$

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [n + \{n^2 - 4(1 - \alpha)(n + \alpha - 1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}] b_n \leq 2(1 - \alpha) \cos \lambda$, for $b_n \geq 0$,

$$0 \leq \alpha < 1, \frac{-\pi}{2} < \lambda < \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \text{for } n \geq 2\}.$$

(3) The following result gives coefficient

characterization for the class $SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$:

Theorem 1.2

Let $f(z) \in S$ for $z \in U$ and $f(z) = \frac{z}{1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n}$ and $b_1 \in \mathbb{C}$, $0 \leq |b_1| \leq 1$ be fixed.

Then $f(z) \in SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$ for $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ if and only if $f(z)$ has the form

$$\frac{z}{f(z)} = b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)} \quad (4)$$

for some sequence $\{\mu_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of non-negative real numbers with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n = 1$ and

$$\frac{z}{f_n(z)} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{for } n = 1 \\ 1 + \frac{2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n, & \text{for } n = 2, 3, \dots \end{cases}$$

Proof: Suppose $f(z) \in S$ has the form $\frac{z}{f(z)} = b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)}$ for some sequence $\{\mu_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of non-negative real numbers with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n = 1$.

Now, to prove that the function $f(z) \in SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$ rewrite the function

$\frac{z}{f(z)}$ as

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z}{f(z)} &= b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)} \\ &= b_1 z + \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \left[1 + \frac{2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n \right] \end{aligned}$$

(by the

definition of $\frac{z}{f_n(z)}$)

$$\begin{aligned} &= b_1 z + \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n + \\ \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \left[&\frac{2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n \right] \\ &= 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \left[\frac{2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n \right] \\ &= 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n z^n \text{ where} \\ b_n &= \mu_n \left[\frac{2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}} \right] \geq 0 \text{ for} \end{aligned}$$

$n \geq 2$.

Choosing $\mu_1 \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$|b_1| \leq \left[\frac{2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda}{1 + \{1 - 4(1-\alpha)(\alpha)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}} \right] \mu_1 \leq 1,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{This gives } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}] b_n &= [1 + \{1 - 4(1-\alpha)(\alpha)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}] |b_1| \\ &\quad + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}] b_n \\ &\leq [2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda] \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda] \mu_n \\ &= [2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda] (\mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n) = 2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda \end{aligned}$$

Thus $f(z)$ satisfies (3).

This shows that $f(z) \in SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$

Conversely, suppose $f(z) \in SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$.

Then by the definition of $SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2 \lambda\}^{1/2}] |b_n| \leq 2(1-\alpha) \cos \lambda.$$

Now, taking

$$\mu_n = \frac{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}}{2(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda} b_n \text{ for } n = 2, 3, \dots,$$

and $\mu_1 = 1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n$

then the function takes the form

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z}{f(z)} &= 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n z^n \\ &= \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n + b_1 z + \\ \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n \\ &= b_1 z + \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \left[1 + \frac{2(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n \right] \\ &= b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)} \end{aligned}$$

Hence the theorem is proved.

Next results give growth and distortion bounds for the functions of subclass $SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$

Theorem 1.3

If $f(z) \in SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$, $z \in U$, for $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ and $0 \leq |b_1| \leq 1$, $|z| = r < 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \max \left\{ 0, 1 - |b_1|r - \frac{(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r^2 \right\} &\leq \left| \frac{z}{f(z)} \right| \\ &\leq 1 + |b_1|r + \\ \frac{(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r^2 \end{aligned}$$

Proof: Since $f(z) \in SP_+^{\lambda}(b_1, \alpha)$, $z \in U$, by Theorem 1.2,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z}{f(z)} &= b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)} \\ &= b_1 z + \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n + \\ \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n \\ &= 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

$$\text{Thus } \left| \frac{z}{f(z)} \right| \leq 1 + |b_1|z +$$

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n \right| \\ \leq 1 + |b_1||z| + \\ |z|^2 \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} \right| \\ \leq 1 + |b_1|r + \frac{(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r^2 \text{ for } |z| = r < 1. \end{aligned}$$

And $\left| \frac{z}{f(z)} \right| \geq 1 - |b_1 z| -$

$$\left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\alpha)}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n \right|$$

$$\geq 1 - |b_1| |z| -$$

$$|z|^2 \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\alpha)}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} \right|$$

$$\geq 1 - |b_1| r - \frac{(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r^2 \text{ for } |z| = r < 1$$

Therefore

$$\max \left\{ 0, 1 - |b_1| r - \frac{(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r^2 \right\} \leq \left| \frac{z}{f(z)} \right|$$

$$\leq 1 + |b_1| r +$$

$$\frac{(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r^2$$

Theorem 1.4

If $f(z) \in SP_+^\lambda(b_1, \alpha)$, $z \in U$, for $0 \leq \alpha < 1$, $0 \leq |b_1| \leq 1$ and $|z| = r < 1$, then

$$\max \left\{ 0, |b_1| - \frac{2(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r \right\} \leq \left| \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' \right| \leq |b_1| +$$

$$\frac{2(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r$$

Proof: Since $f(z) \in SP_+^\lambda(b_1, \alpha)$, from (5) the function $\frac{z}{f(z)}$ can be expressed as

$$\frac{z}{f(z)} = 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^n$$

$$\left| \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' \right| = b_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2n(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^{n-1}$$

$$\left| \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' \right| \leq |b_1| + \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2n(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^{n-1} \right|$$

$$\leq |b_1| + |z| \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2n(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} \right|$$

$$\leq |b_1| + \frac{2(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r \text{ for } |z| = r < 1$$

and

$$\left| \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' \right| \geq |b_1| - \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2n(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} z^{n-1} \right|$$

$$\geq |b_1| - |z| \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2n(1-\alpha)\cos\lambda}{n + \{n^2 - 4(1-\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} \right|$$

$$\geq |b_1| - \frac{2(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r \text{ for } |z| = r < 1$$

Therefore

$$\max \left\{ 0, |b_1| - \frac{2(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r \right\} \leq \left| \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' \right| \leq |b_1| +$$

$$\frac{2(1-\alpha)}{1 + \{1 - (1-\alpha^2)\cos^2\lambda\}^{1/2}} r$$

Section 2

Ahuja and Jain [1] obtained coefficient bounds for Taylor coefficients b_n 's of $f(z)$ for $f(z)$ to be in $SP(\lambda, \rho)$.

Proposition [1]

If $f(z) = \frac{z}{1+\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n}$ for z in U , b_n 's are complex, λ is real with $|\lambda| < \pi/2$ and

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|) |b_n| \leq 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda$$

Then $f(z) \in SP(\lambda, \rho)$.

Imposing this condition, next section introduces a subclass $SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$ of rational univalent functions by fixing b_1 and gives coefficient characterization, growth and distortion bounds for the subclass $SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$.

Definition 2.1

Let $b_1 \in \mathbb{C}$, $0 \leq |b_1| \leq 1$ be fixed and $0 \leq \alpha < 1$.

Define

$$SP_+(\lambda, \rho) = \{f(z) \in S : f(z) = \frac{z}{1+\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n}, z \in U \text{ and } b_n \geq 0 \text{ for } n \geq 2, \lambda \text{ is real with } |\lambda| < \pi/2 \text{ and } b_n \geq$$

$$0 \text{ for } n \geq 2, \lambda \text{ is real with } |\lambda| < \pi/2 \text{ and } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|) b_n \leq 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda\} \quad (6)$$

Coefficient characterization for the subclass $SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$ of S_+ is given by the following result:

Theorem 2.2

Let $f(z) \in S$ for $z \in U$ be of the form $f(z) = \frac{z}{1+\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n}$ and $b_1 \in \mathbb{C}$, $|b_1| \leq 1$ be fixed.

Then $f(z) \in SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$ if and only if $f(z)$ has the form

$$\frac{z}{f(z)} = b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)} \quad (7)$$

For some sequence $\{\mu_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of non-negative real numbers with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n = 1$ and

$$\frac{z}{f_n(z)} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{for } n = 1 \\ 1 + \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n, & \text{for } n = 2, 3, \dots \end{cases}$$

Proof : Suppose $f(z) \in S$ has the form $\frac{z}{f(z)} = b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)}$ for some sequence $\{\mu_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of non-negative real numbers with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n = 1$.

To prove that the function $f(z) \in SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$, rewrite $\frac{z}{f(z)}$ as

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z}{f(z)} &= b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)} \\ &= b_1 z + \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \left[1 + \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n \right] \end{aligned} \quad (\text{by the definition})$$

of $\frac{z}{f_n(z)}$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= b_1 z + \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n \\
&= 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n \\
&= 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n z^n \\
&\quad \text{where } b_n = \mu_n \left[\frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} \right] \geq 0
\end{aligned}$$

for $n \geq 2$.

Taking $b_1 \leq \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} \mu_1$,

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|) b_n \\
&= [1 + |e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|] b_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|] b_n \\
&\leq [2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda] \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda] \mu_n \\
&= [2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda] (\mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n) = 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda
\end{aligned}$$

Thus $f(z) \in SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$, by the definition of $SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$

Conversely, suppose $(z) \in SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$.

Then by the definition of $SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$,

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|) b_n \leq 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda$$

Taking

$$\mu_n = \frac{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|}{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda} b_n, \quad \text{for } n \geq 2 \quad \text{and} \quad \mu_1 = 1 - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n$$

the function $\frac{z}{f(z)}$ takes the form

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{z}{f(z)} &= 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n z^n \\
&= \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n + b_1 z + \\
\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n \\
&= b_1 z + \mu_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \left[1 + \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n \right] \\
&= b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)}
\end{aligned}$$

Thus the theorem is proved.

The next two results give growth and distortion bounds for the subclass $SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$

Theorem 2.3

If $f(z) \in SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$ for $z \in U$, $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ and $0 \leq |b_1| \leq 1$, for $|z| = r < 1$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
\max \left\{ 0, 1 - |b_1|r - \frac{(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r^2 \right\} &\leq \left| \frac{z}{f(z)} \right| \\
&\leq 1 + |b_1|r + \frac{(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r^2
\end{aligned}$$

Proof: Since $f(z) \in SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$, by Theorem 2.2, the function $\frac{z}{f(z)}$ has the form

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{z}{f(z)} &= b_1 z + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{z}{f_n(z)} \\
 &= 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n \\
 (8) \quad \left| \frac{z}{f(z)} \right| &\leq 1 + |b_1| z + \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n \right| \\
 &\leq 1 + |b_1| |z| + |z|^2 \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} \right| \\
 &\leq 1 + |b_1| r + \frac{(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r^2 \text{ for } |z| = r < 1
 \end{aligned}$$

Also from (8), it can be shown that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left| \frac{z}{f(z)} \right| &\geq 1 - |b_1| z - \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n \right| \\
 &\geq 1 - |b_1| |z| - \\
 |z|^2 \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} \right| &\geq 1 - |b_1| r - \frac{(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r^2 \text{ for } |z| = r < 1
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
 \max \left\{ 0, 1 - |b_1| r - \frac{(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r^2 \right\} &\leq \left| \frac{z}{f(z)} \right| \\
 &\leq 1 + |b_1| r + \\
 \frac{(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 2.4

If $f(z) \in SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$ for $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ and $0 \leq |b_1| \leq 1$, for $|z| = r < 1$, then

$$\max \left\{ 0, |b_1| - \frac{2(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r \right\} \leq \left| \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' \right| \leq |b_1| + \frac{2(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r.$$

Proof: Since $f(z) \in SP_+(\lambda, \rho)$, from (8), the function $\frac{z}{f(z)}$ can be expressed as

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{z}{f(z)} &= 1 + b_1 z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} z^n \\
 \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' &= b_1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} n z^{n-1} \\
 \left| \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' \right| &\leq |b_1| + \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} n z^{n-1} \right|
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq |b_1| + |z| \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} n \right| \\ &\leq |b_1| + \frac{2(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r \text{ for } |z| = r < 1 \end{aligned}$$

and also

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' \right| &\geq |b_1| - \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} n z^{n-1} \right| \\ &\geq |b_1| - |z| \left| \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \mu_n \frac{2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda}{n + |n e^{i\lambda} - 2(1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} n \right| \\ &\geq |b_1| - \frac{2(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r \text{ for } |z| = r < 1 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \max \left\{ 0, |b_1| - \frac{2(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r \right\} &\leq \left| \left\{ \frac{z}{f(z)} \right\}' \right| \\ &\leq |b_1| + \frac{2(1-\rho)}{1 + |e^{i\lambda} - (1-\rho) \cos \lambda|} r \end{aligned}$$

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