

## CLASS OF HARMONIC UNIVALENT FUNCTIONS DEFINED BY MODIFIED CATA'S OPERATOR

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### ABSTRACT

In this paper, we introduce a new class of harmonic univalent functions defined by modified Cata;  $s$  operator. Coefficient estimates, extreme points, distortion bounds and convex combination for functions belonging to this class are obtained and also for a class preserving integral operator. 2000 Mathematics Subject Classification: 30C45.

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### 1. INTRODUCTION

A continuous complex-valued function  $f = u + iv$  is defined in a simply connected complex domain  $D$  is said to be harmonic in  $D$  if both  $u$  and  $v$  are real harmonic in  $D$ . In any simply connected domain we can write

$$f = h + \bar{g} \quad (1.1)$$

where  $h$  and  $g$  are analytic in  $D$ . We call  $h$  the analytic part and  $g$  the co-analytic part of  $f$ . A necessary and sufficient condition for  $f$  to be locally univalent and sense-preserving in  $D$  is that  $|h'(z)| > |g'(z)|$  in  $D$  (see [5]).

Denote by  $S_H$  the class of functions  $f$  of the form (1.1) that are harmonic univalent and sense-preserving in the unit disk

$$U = \{z : |z| < 1\}$$

for which

$$f(0) = f_z(0) = 1 = 0.$$

Then for  $f = h + \bar{g} \in S_H$  we may express the analytic functions  $h$  and  $g$  as

$$h(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n ; g(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n, |b_1| < 1 \quad (1.2)$$

In [5] Clunie and Shell-Small investigated the class  $S_H$  as well as its geometric classes and obtained some coefficient bounds. Since then, there have been several related papers on  $\overline{S_H}$  and its classes.

Let  $S_H$  denote the pclasses of  $S_H$  consisting of functions  $f = h + \bar{g}$  such that  $h$  and  $g$  given by

$$h(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n ; g(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (1)^m b_n z^n, |b_1| < 1: \quad (1.3)$$

For  $m \in \mathbb{N}_0 = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$

$N = \{1, 2, \dots\}, \mu \geq 0$  and  $l \geq 0$ ; the extended multiplier transformation  $I_m(\mu; l)$  is defined by the following infinite series (see [2]):

$$I(\mu, \alpha)f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]^1 a_n z^n \quad (1.4)$$

It follows from (1.4) that (see [2])

$$\mu z(I^1(\mu, l))' = \alpha I^2(\mu, l)f(z) - \alpha I^1(\mu, l)f(z) - (1 - \mu + l)I^1(\mu, l)f(z) \quad ((\mu > 0) \text{ and}$$

$$I^{m_1}(\mu, l)(I^{m_2}(\mu, l)f(z)) = I^{m_1+m_2}(\mu, l)f(z) = I^{m_2}(\mu, l)(I^{m_1}(\mu, l)f(z)) \text{ for all integers } m_1 \text{ and } m_2:$$

We note that:  $I_0(\mu, l)f(z) = f(z)$  and  $I_1(1; 0)f(z) = zf^1(z)$ :

Also, we can write

$$I(\mu, l)f(z) = (\Phi_{\mu, l}^m * f)(z);$$

where

$$(\Phi_{\mu, l}^m * f)(z) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]^1 z^n :$$

Now we can define the modified Cata's operator as follows:

$$I(m, \mu, l)f(z) = I(\mu, l)h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{I^1(\mu, l)g(z)} \quad (1.5)$$

where

$$I(\mu, \alpha)h(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]^1 a_n z^n$$

and

$$I(\mu, \alpha)h(z) = (-1)^m + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]^1 a_n z^n$$

For  $1 < \gamma \leq 2$  and for all  $z \in U$ ; let  $SI^1(\mu, l)$  denote the family of harmonic functions  $f(z) = h + g$ ; where  $h$  and  $g$  given by (1.2) and satisfying the analytic criterion

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{I^m(\mu, l)h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{I^m(\mu, l)g(z)}}{z} \right\} < \gamma: \quad (1.6)$$

Let  $\overline{SI^m(\mu, l)}$  be the subclass of consisting of functions  $f = h + g$  such that  $h$  and  $g$  given by (1.3).

We note that for suitable choices of  $m$ ;  $\mu$ , and  $l$ ; we obtain the following subclasses:

(1) Putting  $\mu = 1$  and  $l = 0$ ; in (1.6), the class

reduces to the class  $\overline{SI^m}(\gamma) = \{ f \in S_{H\operatorname{Re}} \frac{D^m h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{D^m g(z)}}{z} < \gamma; 1 < \gamma \leq 2; m \in \mathbb{N}_0, z \in U \}$ ; where  $D_m$  is the modified Salagean operator (see [7]), the differential operator  $D_m$  was introduced by Salagean (see [8]);

(2) Putting  $\mu = 1$  and  $l = 1$ ; in (1.6), the class  $\overline{SI^m(1, 1, \gamma)}$  reduces to the class  $\overline{SI^m}(\gamma) = \{ f \in S_{H\operatorname{Re}} \frac{I^m h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{I^m g(z)}}{z} < \gamma; 1 < \gamma \leq 2; m \in \mathbb{Z} = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots\}, z \in U \}$ ;

where  $I^m$  is the modified Uralegaddi-Somanatha operator (see [9]), deÖned as follows:

$$I^m f(z) = I^m h(z) + \overline{(-1)^m (I^m g(z))}$$

(3) Putting  $\mu = 1$ ; in(1.6), the class  $\overline{SI^m(1,1,\gamma)}$  reduces to the class

$$\overline{SI^m(1,\gamma)} = \{ f \in S_H \text{Re} \frac{I_1^m h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{(I^m g(z))}}{z} < \gamma; 1 < \gamma \leq 2; m \in \mathbb{Z} = \{0, \pm 1 \pm 2 \pm 3 \pm \dots \dots \dots z \in U\}$$

where  $I^m$  is the modified Cho-Kim operator [3] (also see [4] ), defined as follows:  $I_1^m h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{(I^m g(z))}$

(4) Putting  $l = 0$ ; in(1.6), the class  $\overline{SI^m(\mu,\gamma)}$  reduces to the class

$$\overline{SI^m(\mu,\gamma)} = \{ f \in S_H \text{Re} \frac{D_\mu^m h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{(D^m g(z))}}{z} < \gamma; 1 < \gamma \leq 2; m \in \mathbb{N}_0 z \in U\}$$

where  $D_\mu^m$  is the modified Al-Oboudi operator (see [1]), deÖned as follows:

$$D_\mu^m f(z) = D_\mu^m h(z) + (1)^m \overline{D_\mu^m g(z)}: .$$

**2. COEFFICIENT ESTIMATES**

Unless otherwise mentioned, we shall assume in the reminder of this paper that, the parameters  $1 < \gamma \leq 2$ ;  $m \in \mathbb{N}_0$  and  $l \geq 0$ :

**Theorem 1:**

Let  $f = h + \bar{g}$  be so that  $h(z)$  and  $g(z)$  given by (1.2). Furthermore,

$$\text{let } \sum_{n=2}^\infty \left[ \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]^m |a_n| + \sum_{n=2}^\infty \left[ \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]^m |b_n| \leq \gamma - 1 \quad (2.1)$$

Then  $f(z)$  is sense-preserving, harmonic univalent in  $U$  and  $f(z) \in \overline{SI^m(\mu,1;\gamma)}$ . Proof.

If  $z_1 \neq z_2$ ; then

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{f(z_1) - f(z_2)}{h(z_1) - h(z_2)} \right| &\geq 1 - \left| \frac{\sum_{n=1}^\infty b_n (z_1^n - z_2^n)}{(z_1^n - z_2^n) + \sum_{n=1}^\infty b_n (z_1^n - z_2^n)} \right| \\ &> 1 - \left| \frac{\sum_{n=1}^\infty n |b_n|}{1 - \sum_{n=2}^\infty n |b_n|} \right| \\ &\geq 1 - \left| \frac{\left[ \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]^1 |b_n|}{\left[ \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]^1 |a_n|} \right| \end{aligned}$$

which proves univalence. Note that  $f(z)$  is sense-preserving in  $U$ . This is because

$$\begin{aligned} |h'(z)| &\geq 1 - \sum_{n=2}^\infty n |a_n| |z|^{n-1} \\ &> 1 - \sum_{n=2}^\infty n |a_n| \\ &\geq 1 - \sum_{n=2}^\infty \left[ \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]^1 |b_n| \geq \sum_{n=2}^\infty n |a_n| \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\geq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{[\frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\gamma-1}]_1}{\gamma-1} |b_n| \geq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n|b_n| \\ &> \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n|a_n| |z^{n-1}| \\ &\geq |g'(z)| \end{aligned}$$

Now we will show that  $f(z) \in \text{Slm}(\mu; l; \gamma)$ . We only need to show that if (2.1) holds then the condition (1.6) is satisfied.

Using the fact that  $\text{Re}\{\omega\} < \gamma$  if and only if  $|\omega - 1| < |\omega - (2\gamma - 1)|$  it suffices to show that

$$\left| \frac{\frac{I^m(\mu, l)h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{I^m(\mu, l)g(z)} - 1}{z}}{I^m(\mu, l)h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{I^m(\mu, l)g(z)} - (2\gamma - 1)} \right| < 1;$$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \frac{\frac{I^m(\mu, l)h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{I^m(\mu, l)g(z)} - 1}{z}}{I^m(\mu, l)h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{I^m(\mu, l)g(z)} - (2\gamma - 1)} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{\frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m a_n z^{n-1} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m \overline{b_n z^{n-1}}}{z}}{(2\gamma-1) + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m a_n z^{n-1} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m \overline{b_n z^{n-1}}} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{\frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m |a_n| |z^{n-1}| + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m |\overline{b_n}| |z^{n-1}|}{z} < \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m a_n z^{n-1} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m \overline{b_n z^{n-1}}}{(2\gamma-1) + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m a_n z^{n-1} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m \overline{b_n z^{n-1}}} \leq 1 \end{aligned}$$

which is bounded above by 1 by using (2.1). This completes the proof of Theorem 1.

Theorem 2. A function  $f(z)$  of the form (1.1) is in the class  $\overline{\text{Slm}}(\mu; l; \gamma)$  if and only if

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]_m |a_n| + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha} \right]_m |b_n| \leq \gamma - 1;$$

Proof. Since  $\overline{\text{Slm}}(\mu; l; \gamma) \subset \text{Slm}(\mu; l; \gamma)$ , we only need to prove the "only if" part of this theorem. To this end, for functions  $f(z)$  of the form Subclass of Harmonic Univalent Functions Defined by Modified Catais Operator

$$\text{Re} \left\{ \frac{I^m h(z) + (-1)^m \overline{I^m g(z)}}{z} \right\} < \gamma$$

is equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{Re} \left\{ \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m a_n z^{n-1} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m \overline{b_n z^{n-1}} \right\} \\ &\leq \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m a_n z^{n-1} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha+\mu(n-1)}{\alpha}]_m \overline{b_n z^{n-1}} \end{aligned}$$

$$< 1 + \frac{\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} |a_n| |z|^{n-1} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha + \mu(n-1)}{\alpha} |b_n| |z|^{n-1}}{z} < \gamma .$$

Letting  $z \rightarrow 1^-$  along the real axis, we obtain the inequality (2.1). This completes the proof of Theorem Theorem 2. {1}].

### 3. DISTORTION THEOREM

**Theorem 3:**

Let the function  $f(z)$  defined by (1.1) belong to the class  $SIm(\mu; l; \gamma)$ . Then for  $|z| = r < 1$ ; we have

$$(1 - |b_1|) r - \left[ \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \mu} \right]^m (\gamma - 1 - |b_1|) r^2 \leq |f(z)|$$

$$\leq (1 + |b_1|) r + \left[ \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \mu} \right]^m (\gamma - 1 - |b_1|) r^2 \leq |f(z)| \quad (3.1)$$

for  $|b_1| \leq \gamma - 1$ :

The results are sharp with equality for the functions  $f(z)$  defined by

$$f(z) = z + b_1 \bar{z} - \left[ \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \mu} \right]^m (\gamma - 1 - |b_1|) z^{-2} \quad (3.2) \text{ and } f(z) = z - b_1 \bar{z} - \left[ \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \mu} \right]^m (\gamma - 1 - |b_1|) z^{-2} \quad (3.3)$$

Proof. We only prove the right-hand inequality. The proof for the left-hand inequality is similar and will be omitted.

Let  $f(z) \in \overline{SIm}(\mu; l; \gamma)$ . Taking the absolute value of we have

$$|f(z)| \leq (1 - |b_1|) r + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (|a_n| + |b_n|) r^n$$

$$\leq (1 - |b_1|) r + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (|a_n| + |b_n|) r^2$$

$$= (1 - |b_1|) r + \frac{(\gamma - 1)(\alpha)^m}{(\alpha + \mu)^m} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left( \frac{(\alpha + \mu)^m}{(\gamma - 1)(\alpha)^m} |a_n| + \frac{(\alpha + \mu)^m}{(\gamma - 1)(\alpha)^m} |b_n| \right) r^2$$

$$\leq (1 + |b_1|) r + \frac{(\gamma - 1)(\alpha)^m}{(\alpha + \mu)^m} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left( \frac{(\alpha + \mu(n-1))^m}{(\gamma - 1)(\alpha)^m} |a_n| + \frac{(\alpha + \mu(n-1))^m}{(\gamma - 1)(\alpha)^m} |b_n| \right) r^2$$

$$\leq (1 + |b_1|) r + \frac{(\gamma - 1)(\alpha)^m}{(\alpha + \mu)^m} \left( 1 + \frac{|b_1|}{\gamma - 1} \right) r^2$$

$$\leq (1 + |b_1|) r + \frac{(\alpha)^m}{(\alpha + \mu)^m} (\gamma - 1 + |b_1|) r^2$$

Similarly we can prove  $|f(z)| \geq (\gamma - 1 + |b_1|) r - \frac{(\alpha)^m}{(\alpha + \mu)^m} (\gamma - 1 + |b_1|) r^2$  The functions  $f(z)$  given by (3.2) and (3.3), respectively, for  $|b_1| \leq 1$  show that the bounds given in Theorem 3 are sharp. Extreme points

**Theorem 4:**

Let  $f(z)$  be given by (1.1). Then  $f(z) \in SIm(\mu; l; \gamma)$ . if and only if

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\mu_n h_n(z) + \eta_n g_n(z)) r^n \quad (4.1)$$

where  $h_1(z) = z$ ;

$$h_n(z) = z + \left[ \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \mu(n-1)} \right]^m (\gamma - 1) z^n \quad (n \geq 2; m \in \mathbb{N}_0) \quad (4.2)$$

and

$$g_n(z) = z + (-1)^m \left[ \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \mu(n-1)} \right]^m (\gamma - 1) \bar{z}^n \quad (n \geq 2; m \in \mathbb{N}_0) \quad (4.3)$$

$\mu_n \geq 0, \eta_n \geq 0; \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\mu_n + \eta_n) = 1$ : In particular, the extreme points of the class  $\overline{SI}^m(\mu; l; \gamma)$  are  $\{h_n\}$  and  $\{g_n\}$  respectively.

## 5. CONVOLUTION AND CONVEX COMBINATION

For our next theorem, we need to define the convolution of two harmonic functions. For harmonic functions of the form:

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |b_n| \bar{z}^n \quad (5.1) \text{ and}$$

$$F(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |A_n| z^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |B_n| \bar{z}^n \quad (5.2)$$

the convolution of  $f$  and  $F$  is given by

$(f * F)(z) = f(z) * F(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n A_n| z^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n B_n| \bar{z}^n$ : (5.3) Using this definition, the next theorem shows that the class  $B_n$  is closed under convolution. Theorem 5:

For  $1 < \gamma \leq \lambda \leq 2$ ; let  $\overline{SI}^m(\mu; l; \gamma)$  where  $f(z)$  is given by (5.1) and

$F \in \overline{SI}^m(\mu; l; \gamma)$  where  $F(z)$  is given by (5.2). Then  $\overline{SI}^m(\mu; l; \gamma) \subset \overline{SI}^m(\mu; l; \gamma)$

### Theorem 6:

The class  $\overline{SI}^m(\mu; l; \gamma)$  is closed under convex combination

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### Theorem 7:

Let the function  $f(z)$  defined by (1.1) be in the class  $\overline{SI}^m(\mu; l; \gamma)$  and let  $c$  be a real number such that  $c > -1$ : Then the function  $F(z)$  defined by

$$F(z) = \frac{c+1}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{c-1} h(t) dt + \frac{c+1}{z^c} \overline{\int_0^z t^{c-1} h(t) dt} \quad (c > -1) \quad (6.1) \text{ also belongs to the class } \overline{SI}^m(\mu; l; \gamma)$$

### Remark 2:

Specializing the parameters  $l$ ; and  $m$ , in the above results, we obtain the corresponding results for the corresponding classes de Öned in the introduction.

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