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# Hadamard Product Of Meromorphic *p*-valent Functions with Negative Coefficients

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#### Abstract

In this research we introduce the new class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$  of meromorphic *p*-valent functions with negative coefficient. Sharp results concerning coefficient inequalities, growth and distortion, radii of starlikeness and convexity and the extreme points for the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ are determined. Furthermore it is shown that the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$  is closed under convex linear combinations.

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### 1 Introduction

Let  $S_p$  (*p* a fixed integer greater that 0) denote the class of functions of the form  $f(z) = z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{p+n} z^{p+n}$  that are holomorphic and *p*-valent in a punctured disc  $E = \{0 < |z| < 1\}$ . Further let  $T_P$  denote the subclass of  $S_P$  consisting of function that can be expressed in the form

$$f(z) = z^{-p} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n}| z^{p+n}.$$
 (1)

A function  $f \in T_P$  is in  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$  if and only if

$$\left|\frac{(f')^{1-p}-p}{2\xi\Big((f')^{1-p}-\alpha\Big)-\Big((f')^{1-p}-p\Big)}\right|<\beta,$$

where  $|z| < 1, 0 \le \alpha < \frac{p}{2\xi}$ ,  $0 < \beta \le 1$   $\frac{1}{2} < \xi \le 1$ . Such type of study was carried out by Aouf (1) for  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta)$ . We note that  $P_1^*(\alpha) = P_1^*(0, \alpha, 1)$  is precisely the class of function in E studied by Caplinger (2). The class  $P_1^*(\alpha, 1, \beta) = P_1^*(\alpha, \beta)$  is the class of holomorphic function discussed by Juneja-Mogra (4). Gupta-Jain (3) studied the family of holomorphic univalent functions that have the form  $f(z) = z - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |a_n| z^n$  and satisfy the condition

$$\left| \frac{f'(z) - 1}{f'(z) + (1 - 2\alpha)} \right| < \beta, \qquad (0 \le \alpha < 1, 0 < \beta \le 1).$$

Kulkarni (5) has studied above mentioned properties for the functions having Taylor series expansion of the type  $f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ .

For a functions  $f \in T_P$  given by (1.1) and  $g \in T_P$  given by

$$f(z) = z^{-p} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |b_{p+n}| z^{p+n}.$$
(2)

We defined the Hadamard product (convolution) of f and g by

$$h(z) = (f * g)(z) = z^{-p} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n}|| b_{p+n} |z^{p+n}| = (g * f)(z).$$
(3)

Many important properties and characteristics of various interesting subclasses of the class  $T_P$  of meromorphic *p*-valent functions, were studied by Srivastava et.al.(7), Aouf et.al.(8), Mogra(9), Kulkarni et.al.(10), Moa'ath et.al.(11), Saibah and Maslina(12), Ghanim(13), Kamali(14) and Makinde(15).

A function given by (1.3) is said to be a member of the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$  if and only if,

$$\left|\frac{(f*g)^{\prime 1-p} - p}{2\xi \Big((f*g)^{\prime 1-p} - \alpha\Big) - \Big((f*g)^{\prime 1-p} - p\Big)}\right| \le \beta,\tag{4}$$

where  $0 \le \alpha < \frac{p}{2\xi}$ ,  $0 < \beta \le 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{2} < \xi \le 1$ , for all  $z \in D = |z| < 1$ .

In this paper, sharp results concerning coefficients, distrotion theorem and the radius of convexity for the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$  are determined using Hadamard product. Finally we prove that the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$  is closed under the arithmetic mean and convex linear combinations.

# 2 Coefficient Inequalities

In this section, we provide a sufficient condition for a function h, analytic in D to be in  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ .

**Theorem 2.1** A function h(z) defined by (1.3) is in the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , if and only if,

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}| \le 2\beta\xi(p-\alpha),$$
(5)

where  $0 \le \alpha < \frac{p}{2\xi}$ ,  $0 < \beta \le 1$ ,  $\frac{1}{2} < \xi \le 1$ , for all  $z \in E$ . **Proof.**  $\Rightarrow$ Assume that |z| = 1, and  $h(z) \in P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , then

$$\begin{vmatrix} (f*g)^{\prime 1-p} - p \\ 2\xi \Big( (f*g)^{\prime 1-p} - \alpha \Big) - \Big( (f*g)^{\prime 1-p} - p \Big) \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= \left| \frac{-\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n) |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| z^n}{2\xi (p-\alpha) - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (2\xi - 1) (p+n) |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| z^n} \right|$$
$$\leq \frac{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n) |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}|}{2\xi (p-\alpha) - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (2\xi - 1) (p+n) |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}|} \le \beta$$

that is

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}| \le 2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)$$

 $\Leftarrow$  Conversely, we assume that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}| \le 2\beta\xi(p-\alpha).$$

To show  $h \in P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , we want to show that (1.4) satisfied.

$$\left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{(f*g)^{\prime 1-p} - p}{2\xi \Big( (f*g)^{\prime 1-p} - \alpha \Big) - \Big( (f*g)^{\prime 1-p} - p \Big)} \right| \\ = \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{-\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n) |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| z^n}{2\xi (p-\alpha) - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (2\xi - 1) (p+n) |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| z^n} \right| \le \beta. \end{array} \right|$$

Since  $|Re(z)| \leq |z|$  for all z we have

$$Re\left[\frac{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}(p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}|z^{n}}{2\xi(p-\alpha)-\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}(2\xi-1)(p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}|z^{n}}\right] \le \beta$$

select the value of z on the real axis so that  $(f * g)'(z)z^{1-p}$  is real. By simplifying the denominator in the above expression we get

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}|z^n \le 2\beta\xi(p-\alpha) - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\beta(2\xi-1)(p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}|z^n.$$

Letting  $z \to 1$  through real values, we obtain

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}| \le 2\beta\xi(p-\alpha),$$

then

$$\left|\frac{(f\ast g)^{\prime 1-p}-p}{2\xi\Big((f\ast g)^{\prime 1-p}-\alpha\Big)-\Big((f\ast g)^{\prime 1-p}-p\Big)}\right|\leq\beta.$$

so that  $h \in P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ .

the result is sharp for a function **h** of the form

$$h_{p+n}(z) = (f * g)(z) = z^{-p} - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+n)\left[1 + \beta(2\xi - 1)\right]} z^{p+n} \qquad (n \ge 1)$$
(6)

**corollary 2.1** Let the function h(z) be defined by (1.3). If  $(h)(z) \in P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , then

$$|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}| \le \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} \qquad (n\ge 1).$$
(7)

the result is sharp for the function  $h_{p+n}$  given by (2.2).

# 3 Distortion Theorem

A distortion property for functions h in the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , is given as follows:

**Theorem 3.1.** If the function (h)(z) defined by (1.3) is in the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , then for 0 < |z| = r < 1, we have

$$r^{p} - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+1)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}r^{p+1} \le |(h)(z)| \le r^{p} + \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+1)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}r^{p+1}$$
(8)

with equality for

$$h_{p+1}(z) = z^p - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+1)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}z^{p+1} \qquad (z=ir,r)$$
(9)

and

$$pr^{p-1} - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}r^{p} \le \left| (h)'(z) \right| \le pr^{p-1} + \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}r^{p}$$
(10)

with equality for,

$$h_{p+1}(z) = z^p - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+1)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}z^{p+1} \qquad (z=\pm ir,\pm r)$$

**Proof.** Since  $h \in P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , Theorem 2.1 yields the inequality

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| \le \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}.$$
(11)

Thus, for |z| = r < 1, and making use of (2.1) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left| (h)(z) \right| &= \left| z^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| z^{p+n} \right| \\ &\leq r^p + \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} r^{p+1} \quad \text{(substitute in (3.4) when } n = 1) \\ &\leq r^p + \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+1)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} r^{p+1}. \end{aligned}$$

And

$$(h)(z) \bigg| = \bigg| z^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| z^{p+n} \bigg|,$$
  

$$\geq r^p + \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} r^{p+1} \quad \text{(substitute in (3.4) when } n = 1)$$
  

$$\geq r^p - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+1)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} r^{p+1}.$$

Also from Theorem 2.1, it follows that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}|z^{p+n} \le \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}.$$
(12)

 $\operatorname{thus}$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \left| (h)'(z) \right| &= \left| p z^{p-1} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n) |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| z^{p+n-1} \right| \\ &\leq p r^{p-1} + \frac{2\beta \xi(p-\alpha)}{[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} r^p. \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} |(h)(z)| &= \left| p z^{p-1} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n) |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| z^{p+n-1} \right| \\ &\geq p r^{p-1} - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} r^p. \end{aligned}$$

Hence completes the proof of Theorem 3.1.

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $(h)(z) \in P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ . Then the disc |z| < 1 is mapped on to a domain that contains the disc

$$|w| < \frac{(p+1) + \beta[(2\xi - 1) + 2\xi\alpha]}{(p+1)[1 + \beta(2\xi - 1)]}.$$

**proof.** The result follows upon letting  $r \to 1$  in (3.3). that is

$$\begin{split} |w| &< 1 - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+1)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} \\ &< \frac{(p+1) + (p+1)\beta(2\xi-1) - 2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+1)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} \\ &< \frac{(p+1) + \beta[(2\xi-1) + 2\xi\alpha]}{(p+1)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}. \end{split}$$

# 4 Radii of Starlikeness and Convexity

The radii of starlikeness and convexity for the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , is given by the following theorem:

**Theorem 4.1.** If the function (h)(z) defined by (1.3) is in the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , then (h)(z) is starlike in the disk  $|z| < r(p, \alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , where  $r(p, \alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , is the largest value for which

$$r = r(p, \alpha, \beta, \xi) = \inf_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left( \frac{p[1 + \beta(2\xi - 1)]}{2\beta\xi(p - \alpha)} \right)^{\frac{1}{n}} \qquad (n = 1, 2, 3, ...)$$

The result is sharp for functions  $h_{p+n}(z)$  given by (2.2).

**Proof.** It suffices to show that

$$\left|\frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} - p\right| \le p,$$

for |z| < 1, we have

$$\left| \frac{zh'(z)}{h(z)} - p \right| \leq \left| \frac{-\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}|z^{p+n}}{z^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}|z^{p+n}} \right|$$
  
$$\leq \frac{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}||z|^{p+n}}{|z|^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}||z|^{p+n}} \leq p.$$
(13)

The inquality (13) above holds true if

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| |z|^{p+n} \le p |z|^p - p \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| |z|^{p+n}$$

and it follows that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}||z|^n \le \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}|z|^n \le p,$$

thus h(z) is starlike if,

$$\frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}|z|^n \le p, \qquad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

then we have,

$$r(p,\alpha,\beta,\xi) = \inf_{n \in N} \left( \frac{p[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)} \right)^{\frac{1}{n}} \qquad (n = 1, 2, 3, ...)$$

as required.

**Theorem 4.2.** If the function (h)(z) defined by (1.3) is in the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , then (h)(z) is convex in the disk  $|z| < r(p, \alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , where  $r(p, \alpha, \beta, \xi)$ , is the largest value for which

$$r(p,\alpha,\beta,\xi) = \inf_{n \in N} \left( \frac{p^2 [1 + \beta(2\xi - 1)]}{(p+n)2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)} \right)^{\frac{1}{n}} \qquad (n = 1, 2, 3, ...)$$

The result is sharp for functions  $h_{p+n}(z)$  given by (2.2).

**Proof.** It suffices to show that

$$\left| \left( 1 + \frac{zh''(z)}{h'(z)} \right) - p \right| \le p.$$

for |z| < 1, we have

$$\left| \left( 1 + \frac{zh''(z)}{h'(z)} \right) - p \right| = \left| \frac{zh''(z) + (1-p)h'(z)}{h'(z)} \right|$$
$$= \left| \frac{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}|z^{n}}{p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}|z^{n}} \right|$$
$$\leq \frac{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}||z|^{n}}{p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)|a_{p+n}||b_{p+n}||z|^{n}} \leq p.$$
(14)

The inquality (14) above holds true if

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{p+n}{p}\right)^2 |a_{p+n}| |b_{p+n}| |z|^n \le 1.$$

and it follows that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{p+n}{p}\right)^2 \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} |z|^n \le 1.$$

then (h)(z) is convex if,

$$\left(\frac{p+n}{p}\right)^2 |z|^n \le \frac{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)},$$

then we have,

$$r(p,\alpha,\beta,\xi) = \inf_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left( \frac{p^2 [1 + \beta(2\xi - 1)]}{(p+n)2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)} \right)^{\frac{1}{n}} \qquad (n = 1, 2, 3, ...)$$

as required.

# 5 Convex Linear Combination

Our next result involves a linear combination of function h of the type (1.3).

Theorem 5.1. Let

$$h_p(z) = z^p,\tag{15}$$

and

$$h_{p+n}(z) = z^p - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}z^{p+n}, \qquad (n \ge 1)$$
(16)

then  $h\in P_p^*(\alpha,\beta,\xi)$  if and only if it can be expressed in the form

$$h(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_{p+n} h_{p+n}(z), \qquad (17)$$
$$\lambda_{p+n} \ge 0 \qquad \text{and} \qquad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_{p+n} = 1.$$

**Proof.**  $\leftarrow$  From (6.1),(6.12) and (6.13), it is easily seen that

where

$$h(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_{p+n} h_{p+n}(z),$$
  
$$= z^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)\lambda_{p+n}}{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} z^{p+n}$$

then it follows that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)} \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)\lambda_{p+n}}{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_{p+n} = 1 - \lambda_p \le 1$$

it follows from Theorem 2.1 that the function  $h \in P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ .

 $\Leftarrow$  Conversely, let us suppose that  $h\in P_p^*(\alpha,\beta,\xi).$  Then

$$\left|a_{p+n}\right| \left|b_{p+n}\right| \le \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}$$
  $(n\ge 0).$ 

Setting

$$\lambda_{p+n} = \frac{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)} \Big| a_{p+n} \Big| \Big| b_{p+n} \Big| \qquad (n \ge 0),$$

It follows that

$$h(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_{p+n} h_{p+n}(z)$$

this complete the proof of theorem.

**Corollary 5.1** The extreme points of  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$  are the function

$$h_p(z) = z^p, (18)$$

and

$$h_{p+n}(z) = z^p - \frac{2\beta\xi(p-\alpha)}{(p+n)[1+\beta(2\xi-1)]}z^{p+n}, \qquad n \ge 1$$
(19)

**Theorem 5.2.** The class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$  is closed under convex linear combinations. **Proof.** Suppose that the functions  $h_1$  and  $h_2$  defined by,

$$h_i(z) = z^p - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n,i}| |b_{p+n,i}| z^{p+n} \qquad (i = 1, 2; z \in E)$$
(20)

are in the class  $P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ .

Setting  $h(z) = \mu h_1(z) + (1 - \mu)h_2(z)$  we want to show that  $h \in P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ . For  $(0 \le \mu \le 1)$ , we can write

$$h(z) = z^{p} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \mu |a_{p+n,1}| |b_{p+n,1}| + (1-\mu) |a_{p+n,2}| |b_{p+n,2}| \right\} z^{p+n}, \qquad (z \in D)$$

In view of theorem 2.1, we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)[(1+\beta(2\xi-1))] \Big\{ \mu |a_{p+n,1}| |b_{p+n,1}| + (1-\mu)|a_{p+n,2}| |b_{p+n,2}| \Big\} z^{p+n},$$

$$= \mu \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (p+n)[(1+\beta(2\xi-1))] |a_{p+n,1}| |b_{p+n,1}| + (1-\mu) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_{p+n,2}| |b_{p+n,2}|,$$

$$\leq \mu \Big\{ 2\beta\xi(p-\alpha) \Big\} + (1-\mu) \Big\{ 2\beta\xi(p-\alpha) \Big\} = 2\beta\xi(p-\alpha),$$

which show that  $h \in P_p^*(\alpha, \beta, \xi)$ . Hence the theorem.

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