

On a subclass of bi-univalent functions associated to Horadam polynomials

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Abstract

In the present article, our goal is finding estimates on the Taylor-Maclaurin coefficients $|a_2|$ and $|a_3|$ for a new class of bi-univalent functions defined by means of the Horadam polynomials. Fekete-Szegő inequalities of functions belonging to this subclass are also founded.

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1 Introduction and Preliminaries

Let A be the family of functions $f(z)$ of the form

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

which are analytic in the open unit open disk $U = \{z : z \in \mathbb{C}, |z| < 1\}$. Let S be class of all functions in A which are univalent and normalized by the

conditions

$$f(0) = 0 = f'(0) - 1$$

in U . Two of the most famous subclasses of univalent functions class S are the class $S^*(\alpha)$ ($0 \leq \alpha < 1$) of starlike functions of order α and the class $K(\alpha)$ ($0 \leq \alpha < 1$) of convex functions of order α . For two functions f and g , are analytic in U , we say that the function f is subordinate to g in U , written as $f(z) \prec g(z), z \in U$, if there exists an analytic function $w(z)$ defined on U with

$$w(0) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad |w(z)| < 1 \quad \text{for all } z \in U,$$

such that $f(z) = g(w(z))$ for all $z \in U$. Also, it is known that

$$f(z) \prec g(z) \quad (z \in U) \Rightarrow f(0) = g(0) \quad \text{and} \quad f(U) \subset g(U).$$

For every univalent function $f \in S$ with inverse f^{-1} , is defined as

$$f^{-1}(f(z)) = z \quad (z \in U),$$

and

$$f^{-1}(f(w)) = w \quad (|w| < r_0(f); r_0(f) \geq \frac{1}{4}),$$

where

$$f^{-1}(w) = w + a_2w^2 + (2a_2^2 - 3a_3)w^3 - (5a_2^3 - 5a_2a_3 + a_4)w^4 + \dots \quad (2)$$

A function $f \in A$ is said to be bi-univalent in U if both $f(z)$ and $f^{-1}(z)$ are univalent in U . Earlier, Lewin [1] investigated the bi-univalent functions and derived that $|a_2| < 1.51$. Later, Brannan and Taha [2], Srivastava et al. [9] and many researchers (for examples, see [3]-[8]) proved some results within these coefficient for different classes.

Moreover, Brannan and Taha [2] introduced certain subclasses of the bi-univalent function class Σ' (see [10]), and they found non-sharp estimates for the initial for the classes $S_{\Sigma'}^*(\alpha)$ and $K_{\Sigma'}(\alpha)$ of bi-starlike functions of order α and bi-convex functions of order α in U , respectively, corresponding to the function classes $S^*(\alpha)$ and $K(\alpha)$.

Up to now, for the coefficient estimate problem for each of the following Taylor-Maclaurin coefficients $|a_n| (n \in N \setminus \{1, 2\})$ for each $f \in \Sigma'$ given by (1) is still an open problem.

Recently, Horcum and Kocer [11] considered Horadam polynomials $h_n(x)$, which are given by the following recurrence relation

$$h_n(x) = pxh_{n-1}(x) + qh_{n-2}(x), \quad (n \in N \geq 2), \quad (3)$$

with $h_1 = a$, $h_2 = bx$, and $h_3 = pbx^2 + aq$ where $(a, b, p, q$ are some real constants) .

The characteristic equation of recurrence relation (3) is

$$t^2 - pxt - q = 0. \quad (4)$$

This equation has two real roots;

$$\alpha = \frac{px + \sqrt{p^2x^2 + 4q}}{2},$$

and

$$\beta = \frac{px - \sqrt{p^2x^2 + 4q}}{2}.$$

Some special cases of the Horadam polynomials are:

- If $a = b = p = q = 1$, the Fibonacci polynomials sequence is obtained

$$F_n(x) = xF_{n-1}(x) + F_{n-2}(x), \quad F_1(x) = 1, \quad F_2(x) = x.$$

- If $a = 2, b = p = q = 1$, the Lucas polynomials sequence is obtained

$$L_{n-1}(x) = xL_{n-2}(x) + L_{n-3}(x), \quad L_0(x) = 2, \quad L_1(x) = x.$$

- If $a = q = 1, b = p = 2$, the Pell polynomials sequence is obtained

$$P_n(x) = 2xP_{n-1}(x) + P_{n-2}(x), \quad p_1(x) = 1, \quad P_2(x) = 2x.$$

- If $a = b = p = 2, q = 1$, the Pell-Lucas polynomials sequence is obtained

$$Q_{n-1}(x) = 2xQ_{n-2}(x) + Q_{n-3}(x), \quad Q_0(x) = 2, \quad Q_1(x) = 2x.$$

- If $a = 1, b = p = 2, q = -1$, the Chebyshev polynomials of second kind sequence is obtained

$$U_{n-1}(x) = 2xU_{n-2}(x) + U_{n-3}(x), \quad U_0(x) = 1, \quad U_1(x) = 2x.$$

- If $a = b = 1, p = 2, q = -1$, the Chebyshev polynomials of First kind sequence is obtained

$$T_{n-1}(x) = 2xT_{n-2}(x) + T_{n-3}(x), \quad T_0(x) = 1, \quad T_1(x) = x.$$

- If $x = 1$, The Horadam numbers sequence is obtained

$$h_{n-1}(1) = ph_{n-2}(1) + qh_{n-3}(1), \quad h_0(1) = a, \quad h_1(1) = b.$$

More details associated with these polynomials sequences in ([12], [13], [14], [15]).

Remark 1.1 [12] Let $\Omega(x, z)$ be the generating function of the Horadam polynomials $h_n(x)$. Then

$$\Omega(x, z) = \frac{a + (b - ap)xt}{1 - pxt - qt^2} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} h_n(x)z^{n-1}. \tag{5}$$

In this paper, Our goal is using the Horadam polynomials $h_n(x)$ and the generating function $\Omega(x, z)$ which are given by the recurrence relation (3) and (5), respectively, to introduce a new subclass of the bi-univalent function class Σ' . Also, we provide the initial coefficients and the Fekete-Szegő inequality for functions belonging to the class $\Sigma'(x)$.

2 Coefficient Bounds for the Class $\Sigma'(x)$

We begin by introducing the class $\Sigma'(x)$ of bi-univalent functions in the following definition.

Definition 2.1 A function $f \in \Sigma'$ given by (1) is said to be in the class $\Sigma'(x)$, if the following conditions are satisfied:

$$f'(z) \prec \Omega(x, z) + 1 - \alpha \tag{6}$$

and

$$g'(w) \prec \Omega(x, w) + 1 - \alpha \tag{7}$$

where the real constants a, b and q are as in (3) and $g = f^{-1}$ is given by (2).

Theorem 2.2 Let the function $f \in \Sigma'$ given by (1) be in the class $\Sigma'(x)$. Then

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{|bx|\sqrt{|bx|}}{\sqrt{|bx^2(3b - 4p) - 4aq|}} \tag{8}$$

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{|bx|}{3} + \frac{(bx)^2}{4}, \tag{9}$$

and for some $\eta \in R$,

$$|a_3 - \eta a_2^2| \leq \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \frac{|2bx|}{3}, & |\eta - 1| \leq 1 - \frac{|4(pbx^2 + qa)|}{3b^2x^2} \\ \frac{|bx|^3|1-\eta|}{3b^2x^2 - 4(pbx^2 + qa)}, & |\eta - 1| \geq 1 - \frac{|4(pbx^2 + qa)|}{3b^2x^2} \end{array} \right\}. \tag{10}$$

Proof

Let $f \in \Sigma'$ be given by the Taylor-Maclaurin expansion (1). Then, for some analytic functions Ψ and Φ such that $\Psi(0) = \Phi(0) = 0$, $|\psi(z)| < 1$ and $|\Phi(w)| < 1$, $z, w \in U$ and using Definition 1, we can write

$$f'(z) = \omega(x, \Phi(z)) + 1 - \alpha$$

and

$$g'(w) = \omega(x, \psi(w)) + 1 - \alpha$$

or, equivalently,

$$f'(z) = 1 + h_1(x) - a + h_2(x)\Phi(z) + h_3(x)[\Phi(z)]^3 + \dots \quad (11)$$

and

$$g'(z) = 1 + h_1(x) - a + h_2(x)\psi(w) + h_3(x)[\psi(w)]^3 + \dots \quad (12)$$

From (11) and (12), we obtain

$$f'(z) = 1 + h_2(x)p_1z + [h_2(x)p_2 + h_3(x)p_1^2]z^2 + \dots \quad (13)$$

and

$$f'(z) = 1 + h_2(x)p_1w + [h_2(x)q_2 + h_3(x)q_1^2]w^2 + \dots \quad (14)$$

Notice that if

$$|\Phi(z)| = |p_1z + p_2z^2 + p_3z^3 + \dots| < 1 \quad (z \in U)$$

and

$$|\psi(w)| = |q_1w + q_2w^2 + q_3w^3 + \dots| < 1 \quad (w \in U),$$

then

$$|p_i| \leq 1 \quad \text{and} \quad |q_i| \leq 1 \quad (i \in N).$$

Thus, upon comparing the corresponding coefficients in (13) and (14), we have

$$2a_2 = h_2(x)p_1 \quad (15)$$

$$3a_3 = h_2(x)p_2 + h_3(x)p_1^2 \quad (16)$$

$$-2a_2 = h_2(x)q_1 \quad (17)$$

$$3[2a_2^2 - a_3] = h_2(x)q_2 + h_3(x)q_1^2. \quad (18)$$

From (15) and (17), we find that

$$p_1 = -q_1 \quad (19)$$

and

$$8a_2^2 = h_2^2(x)(p_1^2 + q_1^2). \quad (20)$$

Also, by using (18) and (16), we obtain

$$6a_2^2 = h_2(x)(p_2 + q_2) + h_3(x)(p_1^2 + q_1^2). \quad (21)$$

By using (19) in (21), we get

$$\left[6 - \frac{8h_3(x)}{[h_2(x)]^2}\right] a_2^2 = h_2(x)(p_2 + q_2). \quad (22)$$

From (3), and (22), we have the desired inequality (8).

Next, by subtracting (18) from (16), we have

$$6[a_3 - a_2^2] = h_2(x)(p_2 - q_2) + h_3(x)(p_1^2 - q_1^2). \quad (23)$$

In view of (19) and (20), Equation (23) becomes

$$a_3 = a_2^2 + \frac{h_2(x)(p_2 - q_2)}{6}. \quad (24)$$

Hence using (19) and applying (3), we get desired inequality (9).

Now, by using (22) and (24) for some $\eta \in R$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} a_3 - \eta a_2^2 &= \frac{[h_2(x)]^3(1 - \eta)(p_2 + q_2)}{6[h_2(x)]^2 - 8h_3(x)} + \frac{h_2(x)(p_2 - q_2)}{6} \\ &= h_2(x) \left[\left(\Theta(\eta, x) + \frac{1}{6} \right) p_2 + \left(\Theta(\eta, x) - \frac{1}{6} \right) q_2 \right], \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\Theta(\eta, x) = \frac{[h_2(x)]^2(1 - \eta)}{6[h_2(x)]^2 - 8h_3(x)}.$$

So, we conclude that

$$|a_3 - \eta a_2^2| \leq \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \frac{h_2(x)}{3} & , \quad |\Theta(\eta, x)| \leq \frac{1}{6} \\ 4h_2(x)|\Theta(\eta, x)| & , \quad |\Theta(\eta, x)| \geq \frac{1}{6} \end{array} \right\}.$$

This proves Theorem 2.2.

In light of Remark 1.1, Theorem 2.2 would yield the following known result.

Corollary 2.3 For $t \in (1/2, 1)$, let the function $f \in \Sigma'$ given by (1) be in the class $\Sigma'(t)$. Then

$$|a_2| \leq \frac{t\sqrt{2t}}{\sqrt{|1 - t^2|}} \quad (25)$$

$$|a_3| \leq \frac{2t}{3} + t^2, \quad (26)$$

and for some $\eta \in R$,

$$|a_3 - \eta a_2^2| \leq \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \frac{4t}{3} & , \quad |\eta - 1| \leq \frac{1-t^2}{3t^2} \\ \frac{2|\eta-1|}{1-t^2} & , \quad |\eta - 1| \geq \frac{1-t^2}{3t^2} \end{array} \right\}. \quad (27)$$

Taking $\eta = 1$ in Corollary 1, we get the following consequence.

Corollary 2.4 For $t \in (1/2, 1)$, let the function $f \in \Sigma'$ given by (1) be in the class $\Sigma'(t)$. Then

$$|a_3 - a_2^2| \leq \frac{4t}{3}. \quad (28)$$

3 Future Work

This section suggests obtaining Hankel determinants of second and third order for the class $\Sigma'(x)$ of bi-univalent functions.

Another investigation to consider, Magesh et al. [16] obtained initial estimates for certain subclasses of bi-univalent functions. Obtaining Hankel determinants of second and third order are issues to be investigated.

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