

## ON UNIVALENCE OF AN INTEGRAL OPERATOR

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### Abstract

In this work, we define an integral operator  $K_{\alpha,\beta}$ , for analytic functions  $f$  in the open unit disk  $\mathcal{U}$ ,  $\alpha, \beta$  be complex numbers, and we obtain certain conditions of the univalence for this integral operator.

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## 1 Introduction

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be the class of analytic functions  $f$  of the form

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

which are analytic in the open unit disk  $\mathcal{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ ,  $f(0) = f'(0) - 1 = 0$ . Let  $\mathcal{S}$  denote the subclass of  $\mathcal{A}$  consisting of all univalent functions  $f$  in  $\mathcal{U}$ .

We denote by  $\mathcal{P}$  the class of functions  $p$  which are analytic in  $\mathcal{U}$ ,  $p(0) = 1$  and  $\operatorname{Re} p(z) > 0$ , for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ .

For the functions  $f, g \in \mathcal{A}$ , the integral operator is defined by

$$K_{\alpha,\beta}(z) = \int_0^z \left( \frac{f(u)}{u} \right)^\alpha (g'(u))^\beta du, \quad (1.1)$$

for some complex numbers  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ .

For  $\beta = 0$ ,  $\alpha$  be a complex number,  $f \in \mathcal{A}$ , from (1.1) we have the integral operator Kim-Merkes [1],

$$H_\alpha(z) = \int_0^z \left( \frac{f(u)}{u} \right)^\alpha du. \quad (1.2)$$

From (1.1), for  $\alpha = 0$ ,  $\beta$  be a complex number,  $g \in \mathcal{A}$ , we obtain the integral operator Pfaltzgraß [4],

$$G_\beta(z) = \int_0^z (g'(u))^\beta du. \quad (1.3)$$

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## 2 Preliminary results

We need the following lemmas.

**Lemma 1.** [3]. Let  $\gamma$  be a complex number,  $0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1$  and  $f \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $f(z) = z + a_2 z^2 + \dots$ .  
If

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{z f''(z)}{f'(z)} \right| \leq 1, \quad (2.1)$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ , then for any complex number  $\delta$ ,  $\operatorname{Re} \delta \geq \operatorname{Re} \gamma$ , the function

$$F_\delta(z) = \left[ \delta \int_0^z u^{\delta-1} f'(u) \right]^{\frac{1}{\delta}} \quad (2.2)$$

is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .

**Lemma 2.** (Schwarz [2]). Let  $f$  be the function regular in the disk  $\mathcal{U}_R = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < R\}$  with  $|f(z)| < M$ ,  $M$  fixed. If  $f(z)$  has in  $z = 0$  one zero with multiply  $\geq m$ , then

$$|f(z)| \leq \frac{M}{R^m} |z|^m, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}_R), \quad (2.3)$$

the equality (in the inequality (2.3) for  $z \neq 0$ ) can hold only if

$$f(z) = e^{i\theta} \frac{M}{R^m} z^m,$$

where  $\theta$  is constant.

## 3 Main results

**Theorem 1.** Let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  be complex numbers,  $0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1$ ,  $M, L$  positive real numbers and the functions  $f, g$  from  $\mathcal{A}$ ,  $f(z) = z + a_2 z^2 + \dots$ ,  $g(z) = z + b_2 z^2 + \dots$ .  
If

$$\left| \frac{z f'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right| \leq M, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad (3.1)$$

$$\left| \frac{z g''(z)}{g'(z)} \right| \leq L, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}) \quad (3.2)$$

and

$$|\alpha| M + |\beta| L \leq \frac{(2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1)^{\frac{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1}{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}}{2}, \quad (3.3)$$

then the integral operator  $K_{\alpha, \beta}$  is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .

*Proof.* Function  $K_{\alpha,\beta}(z)$  is regular in  $\mathcal{U}$  and  $K_{\alpha,\beta}(0) = K'_{\alpha,\beta}(0) - 1 = 0$ . We have

$$\frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} = \alpha \left( \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right) + \beta \frac{zg''(z)}{g'(z)}, \quad (3.4)$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ .

From (3.4) we obtain

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} \right| \leq \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left[ |\alpha| \left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right| + |\beta| \left| \frac{zg''(z)}{g'(z)} \right| \right], \quad (3.5)$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ .

Using (3.1), (3.2) and Lemma 2 we have

$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right| \leq M|z|, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}),$$

$$\left| \frac{zg''(z)}{g'(z)} \right| \leq L|z|, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

and hence, by (3.5) we obtain

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} \right| \leq \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} |z| (|\alpha|M + |\beta|L), \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}). \quad (3.6)$$

Since

$$\max_{|z| \leq 1} \left[ \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} |z| \right] = \frac{2}{(2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1)^{\frac{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1}{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}},$$

from (3.3) and (3.6), we obtain

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} \right| \leq 1 \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}). \quad (3.7)$$

From (3.7) and by Lemma 1, for  $\delta = 1$ , it results that the integral operator  $K_{\alpha,\beta}$  belongs to the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 2.** Let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  be complex numbers,  $0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1$ ,  $L$  positive real number and the functions  $f \in \mathcal{S}$ ,  $g \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $f(z) = z + a_2z^2 + \dots$ ,  $g(z) = z + b_2z^2 + \dots$

If

$$\left| \frac{zg''(z)}{g'(z)} \right| \leq L, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad (3.8)$$

and

$$\frac{|\alpha|}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} + \frac{|\beta|L}{(2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1)^{\frac{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1}{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}} \leq \frac{1}{2}, \text{ for } 0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma < \frac{1}{2} \quad (3.9)$$

or

$$|\alpha| + \frac{|\beta|L}{(2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1)^{\frac{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1}{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}} \leq \frac{1}{2}, \text{ for } \frac{1}{2} \leq \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1, \quad (3.10)$$

then the integral operator  $K_{\alpha,\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$ .

*Proof.* From (3.4) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} \right| \leq \\ & \leq \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left[ |\alpha| \left( \left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right| + 1 \right) + |\beta| \left| \frac{zg''(z)}{g'(z)} \right| \right], \end{aligned} \quad (3.11)$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ .

Since  $f \in \mathcal{S}$ , we have

$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right| \leq \frac{1 + |z|}{1 - |z|}, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}). \quad (3.12)$$

and from (3.8), using Lemma 2, we get

$$\left| \frac{zg''(z)}{g'(z)} \right| \leq L|z|, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}). \quad (3.13)$$

From (3.12), (3.13) and (3.11) we obtain

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} \right| \leq \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{1 - |z|} \frac{2|\alpha|}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} + \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} |z| |\beta| L, \quad (3.14)$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ .

We define the function  $\psi : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\Psi(x) = \frac{1-x^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{1-x}$ ,  $x = |z|$ . We have

$$\max_{x \in [0,1]} \Psi(x) = 1, \text{ for } 0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma < \frac{1}{2} \quad (3.15)$$

and

$$\max_{x \in [0,1]} \Psi(x) = 2\operatorname{Re} \gamma, \text{ for } \frac{1}{2} \leq \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1. \quad (3.16)$$

Let us consider the function  $Q : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $Q(x) = \frac{1-x^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \cdot x$ ,  $x = |z|$ . We obtain

$$\max_{x \in [0,1]} Q(x) = \frac{2}{(2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1)^{\frac{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1}{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}}. \quad (3.17)$$

For  $0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma < \frac{1}{2}$ , from (3.15), (3.17) and (3.14) we have

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} \right| \leq \frac{2|\alpha|}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} + \frac{2|\beta|L}{(2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1)^{\frac{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1}{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}}, \quad (3.18)$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ . Using (3.9) and (3.18) we obtain

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} \right| \leq 1, \quad \left( z \in \mathcal{U}; 0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma < \frac{1}{2} \right). \quad (3.19)$$

For  $\frac{1}{2} \leq \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1$ , from (3.16), (3.17) and (3.14) we get

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} \right| \leq 2|\alpha| + \frac{2|\beta|L}{(2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1)^{\frac{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1}{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}}, \quad (3.20)$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ .

Using (3.10) and (3.20) we obtain

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} \gamma} \left| \frac{zK''_{\alpha,\beta}(z)}{K'_{\alpha,\beta}(z)} \right| \leq 1, \quad \left( z \in \mathcal{U}; \frac{1}{2} \leq \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1 \right). \quad (3.21)$$

From (3.19) and (3.21), by Lemma 1, for  $\delta = 1$ , it results that  $K_{\alpha,\beta}$  belongs to class  $\mathcal{S}$ .  $\square$

## 4 Corollaries

**Corollary 1.** *Let  $\alpha, \gamma$  be complex numbers,  $0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1$ ,  $M$  positive real number and the function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $f(z) = z + a_2z^2 + \dots$*

*If*

$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - 1 \right| \leq M, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad (4.1)$$

*and*

$$|\alpha| \leq \frac{(2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1)^{\frac{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1}{2\operatorname{Re} \gamma}}}{2M}, \quad (4.2)$$

*then the integral operator  $H_\alpha$ , defined by (1.2), is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .*

*Proof.* For  $\beta = 0$  in Theorem 1, we obtain the Corollary 1.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.** Let  $\beta, \gamma$  be complex numbers,  $0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1$ ,  $L$  positive real number and the function  $g \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $g(z) = z + b_2 z^2 + \dots$

If

$$\left| \frac{z g''(z)}{g'(z)} \right| \leq L, \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad (4.3)$$

and

$$|\beta| \leq \frac{(2 \operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1)^{\frac{2 \operatorname{Re} \gamma + 1}{2 \operatorname{Re} \gamma}}}{2L}, \quad (4.4)$$

then the integral operator  $G_\beta$ , defined by (1.3), is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .

*Proof.* We take  $\alpha = 0$  in Theorem 1. □

**Corollary 3.** Let  $\alpha, \beta$  be complex numbers,  $0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1$  and the function  $f \in \mathcal{S}$ ,  $f(z) = z + a_2 z^2 + \dots$

If

$$|\alpha| \leq \frac{\operatorname{Re} \gamma}{2}, \quad \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re} \gamma < \frac{1}{2} \quad (4.5)$$

or

$$|\alpha| \leq \frac{1}{2}, \quad \text{for } \frac{1}{2} \leq \operatorname{Re} \gamma \leq 1, \quad (4.6)$$

then the integral operator  $H_\alpha \in \mathcal{S}$ .

*Proof.* For  $\beta = 0$  in Theorem 2, we have the Corollary 3. □

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