

## A NEW SUBCLASS OF HARMONIC UNIVALENT FUNCTIONS ASSOCIATED WITH $q$ -CALCULUS

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### Abstract

The purpose of the present paper is to introduce a new subclass of harmonic univalent functions by applying  $q$ -calculus. Coefficient inequalities, extreme points, distortion bounds, covering results, convolution condition and convex combination are determined for this class. Finally, we discuss a class preserving integral operator for this class.

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## 1 Introduction

A continuous complex valued function  $f = u + iv$  defined in a simply-connected domain  $\mathbb{D}$  is said to be harmonic in  $\mathbb{D}$  if both  $u$  and  $v$  are real harmonic in  $\mathbb{D}$ . In any simply-connected domain we can express  $f = h + \bar{g}$ , where  $h$  and  $g$  are analytic in  $\mathbb{D}$ , called the analytic and co-analytic part of the function  $f$ , respectively. The jacobian of the function  $f = h + \bar{g}$  is given by  $J_f(z) = |h'(z)|^2 - |g'(z)|^2$ . According to Lewy's theorem every harmonic function  $f = h + \bar{g}$  is locally univalent and sense preserving in  $\mathbb{D}$  is that  $|h'(z)|^2 > |g'(z)|^2$ ,  $z \in \mathbb{D}$ . For detail study one may refer to Clunie and Sheil-Small [5], Duren [7], (see also [1, 2, 8, 15, 18]).

Further, we denote  $S_H$  the class of function  $f = h + \bar{g}$  which are harmonic, univalent and sense-preserving in the open unit disc  $U = \{z : |z| < 1\}$  for which  $f(0) = f_z(0) - 1 = 0$ .

If  $f = h + \bar{g} \in S_H$  then  $h$  and  $g$  are of the form

$$h(z) = z + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} a_k z^k \text{ and } g(z) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k z^k, |b_1| < 1. \quad (1.1)$$

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It is worthy to note that for  $g(z) = 0$  the class  $S_H$  reduced to the class  $S$  of analytic univalent functions. For this class  $f(z)$  can be written as

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} a_k z^k. \quad (1.2)$$

The following definitions of fractional derivatives are given by Owa [12] and Srivastwa and Owa [21]

**Definition 1.1.** *The fractional derivative of order  $\lambda$  is defined for a function  $f(z)$  by*

$$D_z^\lambda f(z) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(1-\lambda)} \frac{d}{dz} \int_0^z \frac{f(\xi)}{(z-\xi)^\lambda} d\xi, \quad (1.3)$$

where  $0 \leq \lambda < 1$ ,  $f(z)$  is an analytic function in a simply-connected region of the  $z$  plane containing the origin and the multiplicity of  $(z-\xi)^{-\lambda}$  is removed by requiring  $\log(z-\xi)$  to be real when  $(z-\xi) > 0$ .

**Definition 1.2.** *Under the hypothesis of Definition 1.1, the fractional derivative of order  $n + \lambda$  is defined for a function  $f(z)$  by*

$$D_z^{n+\lambda} f(z) = \frac{d^n}{dz^n} D_z^\lambda f(z),$$

where  $0 \leq \lambda < 1$  and  $n \in N_0 = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ .

Using the Definition 1.1 and 1.2, Owa and Srivastava [13] introduced the following fractional calculus operator

$\Omega^\lambda : A \rightarrow A$ , which is defined as  $\Omega^\lambda f(z) = \Gamma(2-\lambda) z^\lambda D_z^\lambda f(z)$ , ( $\lambda \neq 2, 3, \dots$ ), where  $A$  denotes the class of functions  $f$  of the form (1.2) which are analytic in  $U$ .

Recently, it has come to know that the concept of  $q$ -calculus is widely used in Geometric function theory. By using the definition of  $q$ -calculus various new subclasses of analytic and harmonic univalent functions were investigated by several researchers. In this direction noteworthy contribution may be found in [3], [11] and [16].

The concept of  $q$ -calculus were initially introduced by Jackson [9] (see also [4]). They defined the  $q$ -number for  $k \in N$  in the following way

$$[k]_q = \frac{1-q^k}{1-q}, 0 \leq q < 1. \quad (1.4)$$

It is easy to see that  $[k]_q$  can be represented as a geometric series in the following way  $[k]_q = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} q^i$ .

Obviously,  $\lim_{k \rightarrow -\infty} [k]_q = \frac{1}{1-q}$  and  $\lim_{q \rightarrow -1} [k]_q = k$ .

The  $q$ -derivative for a function  $f$  is defined as

$$D_q(f(z)) = \frac{f(qz) - f(z)}{(q-1)z}, q \neq 1, z \neq 0$$

and  $D_q(f(0)) = f'(0)$ , provided  $f'(0)$  exists.

If we take the function  $h(z) = z^k$  then the  $q$ - derivative of  $h(z)$  is defined as

$$D_q(h(z)) = D_q(z^k) = \frac{1-q^k}{1-q} z^{k-1} = [k]_q z^{k-1}.$$

Then  $\lim_{q \rightarrow 1} D_q(h(z)) = \lim_{q \rightarrow 1} [k]_q (z^{k-1}) = kz^{k-1} = h'(z)$

where  $h'$  is the ordinary derivative

Now, we define the subclass  $S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  of  $S_H$  consisting of functions  $f$  of the form (1.1) satisfying the following condition

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{z[D_q(\Omega^\lambda h(z))] - \overline{zD_q(\Omega^\lambda g(z))}}{\mu(z[D_q(\Omega^\lambda h(z))] - \overline{z[D_q(\Omega^\lambda g(z))]]) + (1 - \mu)\{\Omega^\lambda h(z) + \overline{\Omega^\lambda g(z)}\}} \right\} \geq \alpha \quad (1.5)$$

where  $0 \leq \alpha < 1, 0 \leq \mu < 1, 0 \leq \lambda < 1, 0 < q < 1$ .

Next, we define  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  be the subclass of  $S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  for which  $f(z) = h(z) + \overline{g(z)}$ , where  $h(z)$  and  $g(z)$  are of the form

$$h(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} |a_k| z^k, g(z) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k| z^k, |b_1| < 1. \quad (1.6)$$

It should be worthy to note that for specific values of  $\alpha, \mu, \lambda, q$  on the subclasses  $S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  and  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ , we obtain the following known subclasses of  $S_H$  studied earlier by various researchers.

1.  $S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, 1) \equiv S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu)$  and  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, 1) \equiv TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu)$  studied by Porwal and Kanaujia [17].
2.  $S_H(\alpha, \lambda, 0, 1) \equiv S_H(\alpha, \lambda)$  and  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, 0, 1) \equiv TS_H(\alpha, \lambda)$  studied by Dixit and Porwal [6].
3.  $S_H(\alpha, 0, \mu, 1) \equiv S_H(\alpha, \mu)$  and  $TS_H(\alpha, 0, \mu, 1) \equiv TS_H(\alpha, \mu)$  studied by Öztürk et.al. [14].
4.  $S_H(\alpha, 0, 0, 1) \equiv S_H^*(\alpha, )$  and  $TS_H(\alpha, 0, 0, 1) \equiv TS_H^*(\alpha)$  studied by Jahangiri [10].
5.  $S_H(0, 0, 0, 1) \equiv S_H^*$  and  $TS_H(0, 0, 0, 1) \equiv TS_H^*$  studied by Silverman [19], Silverman and Silvia [20].

In the present paper, we obtain coefficient inequality, extreme points, distortion bounds, covering results, convolution condition and convex combination for the class  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ . Finally, we discuss a class preserving integral operator and  $q$ - Jackson type integral operator for this class.

## 2 Main results

In our first theorem, we give a sufficient coefficient bound for function in the class  $S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $f = h + \bar{g}$  be such that  $h$  and  $g$  are given by (1.1). Furthermore let

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k| + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k| \leq 1. \quad (2.1)$$

where  $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ,  $0 \leq \mu < 1$ ,  $0 \leq \lambda < 1$ ,  $0 < q < 1$  and

$$\phi(k, \lambda) = \frac{\Gamma(k+1)\Gamma(2-\lambda)}{\Gamma(k+1-\lambda)}$$

Then  $f$  is sense-preserving, harmonic univalent in  $U$  and  $f \in S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .

*Proof.* First we note that  $f$  is locally univalent and sense-preserving in  $U$ . This is because

$$\begin{aligned} |h'(z)| &\geq 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} k |a_k| r^{k-1} \\ &> 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} k |a_k| \\ &\geq 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k| \\ &\geq \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k| \\ &\geq \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k |b_k| \\ &> \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k |b_k| r^{k-1} \\ &\geq |g'(z)|. \end{aligned}$$

To Show that  $f$  is univalent in  $U$ , suppose that  $z_1, z_2 \in U$  such that  $z_1 \neq z_2$  then

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{f(z_1) - f(z_2)}{h(z_1) - h(z_2)} \right| &\geq 1 - \left| \frac{g(z_1) - g(z_2)}{h(z_1) - h(z_2)} \right| = \left| \frac{1 - \sum_{k=1}^{k=\infty} b_k (z_1^k - z_2^k)}{z_1 - z_2 + \sum_{k=2}^{k=\infty} a_k (z_1^k - z_2^k)} \right| \\ &> 1 - \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{k=\infty} k |b_k|}{1 - \sum_{k=2}^{k=\infty} k |a_k|} \geq \frac{1 - \sum_{k=1}^{k=\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k|}{1 - \sum_{k=2}^{k=\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k|} \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Now, we show that  $f \in S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ , using the fact that  $\Re\{w\} \geq \alpha$ , if and only if,  $|1 - \alpha + w| \geq |1 + \alpha - w|$  it suffices to show that

$$|A(z) + (1-\alpha)B(z)| - |A(z) - (1+\alpha)B(z)| \geq 0, \quad (2.2)$$

where  $A(z) = z[D_q(\Omega^\lambda h(z))] - z\overline{[D_q(\Omega^\lambda g(z))]}$  and

$$B(z) = \mu z[D_q(\Omega^\lambda h(z))] - z\overline{[D_q(\Omega^\lambda g(z))]} + (1 - \mu)\{\Omega^\lambda h(z) + \overline{\Omega^\lambda g(z)}\}.$$

Substituting the values of  $A(z)$  and  $B(z)$  in L.H.S. of (2.2) and performing the simple calculation, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} &= |(2 - \alpha)z + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} [k]_q + (1 - \alpha)\mu[k]_q + (1 - \alpha)(1 - \mu)\phi(k, \lambda)a_k z^k \\ &| - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} [k]_q - (1 - \alpha)\mu[k]_q - (1 - \alpha)(1 - \mu)\phi(k, \lambda)b_k z^k | \\ &| - \alpha z + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} [k]_q - (1 - \alpha)\mu[k]_q - (1 - \alpha)(1 - \mu)\phi(k, \lambda)a_k z^k | \\ &| - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} [k]_q - (1 - \alpha)\mu[k]_q + (1 - \alpha)(1 - \mu)\phi(k, \lambda)b_k z^k | \\ &\geq 2(1 - \alpha)|z| \left[ 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{k=\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k| |z|^{k-1} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k| |z|^{k-1} \right] \\ &> 2(1 - \alpha)|z| \left[ 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{k=\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k| \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \sum_{k=1}^{k=\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k| \right] \geq 0, \quad (\text{Using (2.1)}). \end{aligned}$$

The coefficient bound given by (2.1) is sharp because equality holds for the following functions

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= z + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{1 - \alpha}{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)} \phi(k, \lambda) \right\} x_k z^k \\ &+ \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{1 - \alpha}{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)} \phi(k, \lambda) \right\} \overline{y_k z^k}, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} |x_k| + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |y_k| = 1.$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 2.1. □

In our next theorem, we prove that the condition (2.1) is also necessary for the function  $f = h + \bar{g}$ , where  $h$  and  $g$  are of the form (1.6).

**Theorem 2.2.** Let the function  $f = h + \bar{g}$  be such that  $h$  and  $g$  are given by (1.6). Then  $f \in S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ , if and only if

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k| \\ & + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k| \leq 1 - \alpha, \end{aligned} \quad (2.3)$$

where  $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ,  $0 \leq \mu < 1$ ,  $0 \leq \lambda < 1$ ,  $0 < q < 1$  and

$$\phi(k, \lambda) = \frac{\Gamma(k+1)\Gamma(2-\lambda)}{\Gamma(k+1-\lambda)}.$$

*Proof.* Since  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q) \subset S_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  this gives the if part of the theorem. To this end, for function  $f$  of the form (1.6), we notice that the condition

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{z[D_q(\Omega^\lambda h(z))] - \overline{zD_q(\Omega^\lambda g(z))}}{\mu(z[D_q(\Omega^\lambda h(z))] - \overline{z[D_q(\Omega^\lambda g(z))]]) + (1 - \mu)\{\Omega^\lambda h(z) + \overline{\Omega^\lambda g(z)}\}} \right\} \geq \alpha$$

is equivalent to

$$\Re \left\{ \frac{\begin{aligned} & (1 - \alpha)z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \{[k]_q + (1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k| z^k \\ & - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k| \bar{z}^k \end{aligned}}{\begin{aligned} & z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \{[k]_q \mu + (1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k| z^k \\ & - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \{[k]_q \mu - (1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k| \bar{z}^k \end{aligned}} \right\} \geq \alpha.$$

The above condition must hold for all values of  $z$ ,  $|z| = r < 1$ . Upon choosing the values of  $z$  on the positive real axis where  $0 \leq z = r < 1$ , we must have

$$\left\{ \frac{\begin{aligned} & (1 - \alpha) - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \{[k]_q + (1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k| r^{k-1} \\ & - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k| r^{k-1} \end{aligned}}{\begin{aligned} & 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \{[k]_q \mu + (1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k| r^{k-1} \\ & - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \{[k]_q \mu - (1 - \mu)\} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k| r^{k-1} \end{aligned}} \right\} \geq 0 \quad (2.4)$$

If the condition (2.3) does not hold then the numerator in (2.4) is negative for  $r$  sufficiently close to 1. Thus there exists a  $z_0 = r_0$  in  $(0, 1)$  for which the quotient in (2.4) is negative. This contradicts the required condition for  $f \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  and so the proof is complete.  $\square$

Next, we determine the extreme points of closed convex hulls of  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  denoted by  $clcoTS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .

**Theorem 2.3.** *If  $f \in clcoTS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ , if and only if*

$$f(z) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \{x_k h_k(z) + y_k g_k(z)\} \tag{2.5}$$

where  $h_1(z) = z$

$$h_k(z) = z - \frac{1 - \alpha}{\{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)\}\phi(k, \lambda)} z^k, (k = 2, 3, 4, \dots)$$

$$g_k(z) = z + \frac{1 - \alpha}{\{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)\}\phi(k, \lambda)} \bar{z}^k, (k = 1, 2, 3, \dots),$$

$$x_k \geq 0, y_k \geq 0, \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (x_k + y_k) = 1.$$

In particular, the extreme points of  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  are  $\{h_k\}$  and  $\{g_k\}$ .

*Proof.* For function  $f$  of the form (2.5), we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \{x_k h_k(z) + y_k g_k(z)\} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (x_k + y_k)z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{1 - \alpha}{\{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)\}\phi(k, \lambda)} x_k z^k \\ &\quad + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - \alpha}{\{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)\}\phi(k, \lambda)} y_k \bar{z}^k, \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) \left\{ \frac{1 - \alpha}{\{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)\}\phi(k, \lambda)} \right\} x_k \\ &+ \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) \left\{ \frac{1 - \alpha}{\{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)\}\phi(k, \lambda)} \right\} y_k \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x_k + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} y_k = 1 - x_1 \leq 1 \end{aligned}$$

and so  $f \in clcoTS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .  
Conversely, suppose that  $f \in clcoTS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ . Set

$$\begin{aligned} x_k &= \frac{k(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) |a_k|, (k = 2, 3, 4, \dots) \\ y_k &= \frac{\{k(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)\}}{1 - \alpha} \phi(k, \lambda) |b_k|, (k = 1, 2, 3, \dots). \end{aligned}$$

then from Theorem 2.2, we have  $0 \leq x_k \leq 1$  ( $k = 2, 3, 4, \dots$ ) and  $0 \leq y_k \leq 1$  ( $k = 2, 3, 4, \dots$ ), we define

$$x_1 = 1 - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} x_k - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} y_k$$

and note that by Theorem 2.2,  $x_1 \geq 0$ . Consequently, we obtain

$$f(z) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \{x_k h_k(z) + y_k g_k(z)\}$$

as required. □

In our next theorem, we obtain the bounds for function in  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  which yields a covering results for this class.

**Theorem 2.4.** *Let  $f \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  then*

$$|f(z)| \leq (1 + |b_1|)r + \left( \frac{1 - \alpha}{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)} - \frac{1 + \alpha(1 - 2\mu)}{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)} |b_1| \right) \frac{2 - \lambda}{2} r^2$$

and

$$|f(z)| \geq (1 - |b_1|)r - \left( \frac{1 - \alpha}{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)} - \frac{1 + \alpha(1 - 2\mu)}{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)} |b_1| \right) \frac{2 - \lambda}{2} r^2 |z| \\ = r < 1.$$

*Proof.* We only prove the right hand inequality. The proof for left hand inequality is similar and will be omitted. Let  $f \in TS_h(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ . Then taking the absolute value of  $f$  we have

$$|f(z)| \leq (1 + |b_1|)r + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} (|a_k| + |b_k|)r^2 \\ = (1 + |b_1|)r + \frac{1 - \alpha}{\{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)\}\phi(2, \lambda)} \times \\ \times \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left( \frac{\{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)\}\phi(2, \lambda)}{1 - \alpha} (|a_k| + |b_k|) \right) r^2 \\ \leq (1 + |b_1|)r + \frac{(1 - \alpha)(2 - \lambda)}{2\{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)\}} \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left( \frac{\{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)\}}{1 - \alpha} |a_k| + \right. \\ \left. \frac{\{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)\}}{1 - \alpha} |b_k| \right) \phi(k, \lambda) r^2 \\ \leq (1 + |b_1|)r + \frac{(1 - \alpha)(2 - \lambda)}{2\{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)\}} \left( 1 - \frac{1 + \alpha(1 - 2\mu)}{1 - \alpha} |b_1| \right) r^2 \\ \leq (1 + |b_1|)r + \left( \frac{1 - \alpha}{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)} - \frac{1 + \alpha(1 - 2\mu)}{1 + q - \alpha(1 + q\mu)} |b_1| \right) \frac{2 - \lambda}{2} r^2.$$

□



The following covering result follows from the left hand inequality of Theorem 2.4.

**Corollary 2.5.** *Let  $f \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ . Then*

$$\left\{ w : |w| < \left( 1 - \frac{(1-\alpha)(2-\lambda)}{2(1+q-\alpha(1+q\mu))} - \left( 1 - \frac{[1+\alpha(1-2\mu)](2-\lambda)}{2(1+q-\alpha(1+q\mu))} \right) |b_1| \right) \right\} \subset f(U).$$

### 3 Convolution and convex combination

In this section, we prove that the class  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  is closed under convolution and convex combination. Now, we need the following definition of convolution of two harmonic functions.

**Definition 3.1.** *Let the function  $f(z)$  and  $F(z)$  be defined by*

$$f(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} |a_k|z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k|\bar{z}^k$$

and

$$F(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} |A_k|z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |B_k|\bar{z}^k.$$

Then the convolution of  $f(z)$  and  $F(z)$  are denoted by  $f(z) * F(z)$  and defined by

$$(f * F)(z) = f(z) * F(z)$$

$$(f * F)(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} |a_k||A_k|z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k||B_k|\bar{z}^k. \tag{3.1}$$

Using this definition we show that the class  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  is closed under convolution.

**Theorem 3.2.** *For  $0 \leq \beta \leq \alpha < 1$ , let  $f \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  and  $F \in TS_H(\beta, \lambda, \mu, q)$ . Then  $(f * F) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q) \subset TS_H(\beta, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $f(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} |a_k|z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k|\bar{z}^k$  be in  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  and  $F(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} |A_k|z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |B_k|\bar{z}^k$  be in  $TS_H(\beta, \lambda, \mu, q)$ . Then the convolution  $(f * F)(z)$  is given by (3.1). To prove that  $(f * F) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ , from Theorem 2.2 it is sufficient to show that

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \right\} |a_k A_k| \phi(k, \lambda) + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \right\} |b_k B_k| \phi(k, \lambda) \leq 1 - \alpha.$$

Since  $F \in TS_H(\beta, \lambda, \mu, q)$  then by Theorem 2.2, we obtain  $|A_k| \leq 1$ , and  $|B_k| \leq 1$

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} |a_k A_k| \phi(k, \lambda) + \\
& \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} |b_k B_k| \phi(k, \lambda) \\
\leq & \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} |a_k| \phi(k, \lambda) + \\
& \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} |b_k| \phi(k, \lambda) \\
\leq & 1, \quad \text{since } (f)(z) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q).
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $(f * F)(z) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .  $\square$

In our next theorem, we prove that the class  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  is closed under convex combination.

**Theorem 3.3.** *The class  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  is closed under convex combination.*

*Proof.* For  $\alpha = 1, 2, 3, \dots$  let  $f_i(z) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  where  $f_i(z)$  is of the form

$$f_i(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} |a_{k_i}| z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_{k_i}| \bar{z}^k.$$

Then from Theorem 2.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} |a_{k_i}| \phi(k, \lambda) + \\
& \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} |b_{k_i}| \phi(k, \lambda) \leq 1.
\end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

For  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} t_i = 1, 0 \leq t_i \leq 1$ , the convex combination of  $f_i$  may be written as

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} t_i f_i(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} t_i |a_{k_i}| \right) z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} t_i |b_{k_i}| \right) \bar{z}^k.$$

Then by the condition (3.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} \right\} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} t_i |a_{k_i}| \right) \phi(k, \lambda) + \\
& \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} \right\} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} t_i |b_{k_i}| \right) \phi(k, \lambda)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} t_i \left\{ \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} |a_{k_i}| \phi(k, \lambda) + \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} |b_{k_i}| \phi(k, \lambda) \right\} \\
 &\leq \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} t_i \leq 1.
 \end{aligned}$$

Then by Theorem 2.2, we have  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} t_i f_i(z) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ . □

### 4 A family of class preserving integral operators

**Definition 4.1.** Let  $f(z) = h(z) + \overline{g(z)}$  be defined by (1.1) then  $F(z)$  be defined by the relation

$$F(z) = \frac{c+1}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{c-1} h(t) dt + \overline{\frac{c+1}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{c-1} g(t) dt}, \quad (c > -1). \tag{4.1}$$

**Theorem 4.2.** Let  $f(z) = h(z) + \overline{g(z)} \in S_H$  be given by (1.6) and  $f(z) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$   $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ,  $0 \leq \mu \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$  and  $0 < q < 1$ . Then  $F(z)$  defined by (4.1) is also in the class  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .

*Proof.* From the representation of (4.1) it follows that

$$F(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{c+1}{c+k} |a_k| z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{c+1}{c+k} |b_k| \bar{z}^k. \tag{4.2}$$

Since  $f \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} |a_k| \phi(k, \lambda) + \\
 &\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} |b_k| \phi(k, \lambda) \leq 1.
 \end{aligned}$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} \frac{c+1}{c+k} |a_k| \phi(k, \lambda) + \\
 &\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) + \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} \frac{c+1}{c+k} |b_k| \phi(k, \lambda) \\
 &\leq \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{[k]_q(1 - \alpha\mu) - \alpha(1 - \mu)}{1 - \alpha} \right\} |a_k| \phi(k, \lambda) +
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} \right\} |b_k| \phi(k, \lambda) \leq 1.$$

Then by Theorem 2.2, we have  $F(z) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .  $\square$

**Definition 4.3.** Let  $f = h + \bar{g}$  be defined by (1.1). Then the  $q$ - Jackson type integral operator  $F_q : H \rightarrow H$  is defined by the relation

$$F_q(z) = \frac{[c]_q}{z^{c+1}} \int_0^z t^c h(t) d_q t + \overline{\frac{[c]_q}{z^{c+1}} \int_0^z t^c g(t) d_q t} \quad (4.3)$$

where  $[c]_q$  is the  $q$ - number defined by (1.4) and  $H$  is the class of functions of the form (1.1), which are harmonic in  $U$ .

**Theorem 4.4.** Let  $f(z) = h(z) + \overline{g(z)} \in S_H$  be given by (1.6) and  $f(z) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$  where  $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ,  $0 \leq \mu \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$  and  $0 < q < 1$ . Then  $F_q(z)$  defined by (4.3) is in the class  $TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .

*Proof.* Let

$$f(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} |a_k| z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k| \bar{z}^k. \quad (4.4)$$

Since  $f \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ , then by Theorem 2.2, we have

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} \right\} |a_k| \phi(k, \lambda) + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{\{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)\}}{1-\alpha} \right\} |b_k| \phi(k, \lambda) \leq 1.$$

From the representation of (4.3), we have

$$F_q(z) = z - \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{[c]_q}{[k+c+1]_q} |a_k| z^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{[c]_q}{[k+c+1]_q} |b_k| \bar{z}^k.$$

since

$$\begin{aligned} & [k+c+1]_q - [c]_q \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{k+c} q^i - \sum_{k=0}^{c-1} q^i \\ &= \sum_{i=c}^{k+c} q^i > 0 \\ \Rightarrow [k+c+1]_q > [c]_q &\Rightarrow \frac{[c]_q}{[k+c+1]_q} < 1. \end{aligned}$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \frac{[c]_q}{[c+k+1]_q} |a_k| \phi(k, \lambda) + \\ & \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} \frac{[c]_q}{[c+k+1]_q} |b_k| \phi(k, \lambda) \\ & \leq \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) - \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} |a_k| \phi(k, \lambda) + \\ & \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q(1-\alpha\mu) + \alpha(1-\mu)}{1-\alpha} |b_k| \phi(k, \lambda) \leq 1. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, by Theorem 2.2, we have  $F_q(z) \in TS_H(\alpha, \lambda, \mu, q)$ .  $\square$

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