

Certain Special Differential Superordinations Using Multiplier Transformation

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Abstract

In the present paper we establish several differential superordinations regarding the multiplier transformations

$$I(m, \lambda, l) f(z) = z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\lambda(j-1) + l + 1}{l + 1} \right)^m a_j z^j,$$

where $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $m \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$, $\lambda, l \geq 0$ and $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$,

$$\mathcal{A}_n = \{f \in \mathcal{H}(U) : f(z) = z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} a_j z^j, \quad z \in U\}.$$

A number of interesting consequences of some of these superordination results are discussed. Relevant connections of some of the new results obtained in this paper with those in earlier works are also provided.

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1 Introduction

Denote by U the unit disc of the complex plane, $U = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ and $\mathcal{H}(U)$ the space of holomorphic functions in U .

Let

$$\mathcal{A}_n = \{f \in \mathcal{H}(U) : f(z) = z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} a_j z^j, \quad z \in U\},$$

and

$$\mathcal{H}[a, n] = \{f \in \mathcal{H}(U) : f(z) = a + a_n z^n + a_{n+1} z^{n+1} + \dots, \quad z \in U\},$$

where $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $a \in \mathbb{C}$.

If f and g are analytic functions in U , we say that f is superordinate to g , written $g \prec f$, if there is a function w analytic in U , with $w(0) = 0$, $|w(z)| < 1$, for all $z \in U$ such that $g(z) = f(w(z))$ for all $z \in U$. If f is univalent, then $g \prec f$ if and only if $f(0) = g(0)$ and $g(U) \subseteq f(U)$.

Let $\psi : \mathbb{C}^2 \times U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ and h analytic in U . If p and $\psi(p(z), zp'(z); z)$ are univalent in U , $p, h \in \mathcal{H}(U)$ and satisfies the (first-order) differential superordination

$$h(z) \prec \psi(p(z), zp'(z); z), \quad z \in U, \quad (1)$$

then p is called a solution of the differential superordination. The analytic function q is called a subordinated of the solutions of the differential superordination, or more simply a subordinated, if $q \prec p$ for all p satisfying (1).

An univalent subordinated $\tilde{q}$ that satisfies $q \prec \tilde{q}$ for all subordinateds q of (1) is said to be the best subordinated of (1). The best subordinated is unique up to a rotation of U .

Definition 1.1 For $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $m \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$, $\lambda, l \geq 0$, the operator $I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)$ is defined by the following infinite series

$$I(m, \lambda, l)f(z) := z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\lambda(j-1) + l + 1}{l + 1} \right)^m a_j z^j.$$

Remark 1.2 It follows from the above definition that

$$I(0, \lambda, l)f(z) = f(z),$$

$$(l+1)I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z) = [l+1-\lambda]I(m, \lambda, l)f(z) + \lambda z(I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))',$$

for $z \in U$.

Remark 1.3 For $l = 0$, $\lambda \geq 0$, the operator $D_{\lambda}^m = I(m, \lambda, 0)$ was introduced and studied by Al-Oboudi [2], which reduced to the Sălăgean differential operator [4] for $\lambda = 1$.

Definition 1.4 We denote by Q the set of functions that are analytic and injective on $\overline{U} \setminus E(f)$, where $E(f) = \{\zeta \in \partial U : \lim_{z \rightarrow \zeta} f(z) = \infty\}$, and are such that $f'(\zeta) \neq 0$ for $\zeta \in \partial U \setminus E(f)$. The subclass of Q for which $f(0) = a$ is denoted by $Q(a)$.

We will use the following lemmas.

Lemma 1.5 (Miller and Mocanu [3, Th. 3.1.6, p. 71]) *Let h be a convex function with $h(0) = a$, and let $\gamma \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ be a complex number with $\operatorname{Re} \gamma \geq 0$. If $p \in \mathcal{H}[a, n] \cap Q$, $p(z) + \frac{1}{\gamma}zp'(z)$ is univalent in U and*

$$h(z) \prec p(z) + \frac{1}{\gamma}zp'(z), \quad z \in U,$$

then

$$q(z) \prec p(z), \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{\gamma}{nz^{\gamma/n}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\gamma/n-1}dt$, $z \in U$. The function q is convex and is the best subordinant.

Lemma 1.6 (Miller and Mocanu [3]) *Let q be a convex function in U and let $h(z) = q(z) + \frac{1}{\gamma}zq'(z)$, $z \in U$, where $\operatorname{Re} \gamma \geq 0$.*

If $p \in \mathcal{H}[a, n] \cap Q$, $p(z) + \frac{1}{\gamma}zp'(z)$ is univalent in U and

$$q(z) + \frac{1}{\gamma}zq'(z) \prec p(z) + \frac{1}{\gamma}zp'(z), \quad z \in U,$$

then

$$q(z) \prec p(z), \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{\gamma}{nz^{\gamma/n}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\gamma/n-1}dt$, $z \in U$. The function q is the best subordinant.

2 Main results

Theorem 2.1 *Let h be a convex function in U with $h(0) = 1$. Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, $F(z) = I_c(f)(z) = \frac{c+2}{z^{c+1}} \int_0^z t^c f(t) dt$, $z \in U$, $\operatorname{Re} c > -2$, and suppose that $(I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))'$ is univalent in U , $(I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))' \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$ and*

$$h(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))', \quad z \in U, \quad (2)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))', \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{c+2}{nz^{\frac{c+2}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{c+2}{n}-1}dt$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Proof We have

$$z^{c+1}F(z) = (c+2) \int_0^z t^c f(t) dt$$

and differentiating it, with respect to z , we obtain $(c+1)F(z) + zF'(z) = (c+2)f(z)$ and

$$(c+1)I(m, \lambda, l)F(z) + z(I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))' = (c+2)I(m, \lambda, l)f(z), \quad z \in U.$$

Differentiating the last relation we have

$$(I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))' + \frac{1}{c+2}z(I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))'' = (I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))', \quad z \in U. \quad (3)$$

Using (3), the differential superordination (2) becomes

$$h(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))' + \frac{1}{c+2}z(I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))''. \quad (4)$$

Denote

$$p(z) = (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))', \quad z \in U. \quad (5)$$

Replacing (5) in (4) we obtain

$$h(z) \prec p(z) + \frac{1}{c+2}zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

Using Lemma 1.5 for $\gamma = c+2$, we have

$$q(z) \prec p(z), \quad z \in U, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad q(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))', \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{c+2}{nz^{\frac{c+2}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{c+2}{n}-1}dt$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.2 *Let q be a convex function in U and let $h(z) = q(z) + \frac{1}{c+2}zq'(z)$, where $z \in U$, $\text{Re } c > -2$.*

Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, $F(z) = I_c(f)(z) = \frac{c+2}{z^{c+1}} \int_0^z t^c f(t) dt$, $z \in U$ and suppose that $(I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))'$ is univalent in U , $(I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))' \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$ and

$$h(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))', \quad z \in U, \quad (6)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))', \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{c+2}{nz^{\frac{c+2}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{c+2}{n}-1}dt$. The function q is the best subordinant.

Proof Following the same steps as in the proof of Theorem 2.1 and considering $p(z) = (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))'$, $z \in U$, the differential superordination (6) becomes

$$h(z) = q(z) + \frac{1}{c+2}zq'(z) \prec p(z) + \frac{1}{c+2}zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

Using Lemma 1.6 for $\gamma = c+2$, we have

$$q(z) \prec p(z), \quad z \in U, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad q(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))', \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{c+2}{nz^{\frac{c+2}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{c+2}{n}-1}dt$. The function q is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.3 Let $h(z) = \frac{1+(2\beta-1)z}{1+z}$, where $\beta \in [0, 1)$. Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, $F(z) = I_c(f)(z) = \frac{c+2}{z^{c+1}} \int_0^z t^c f(t) dt$, $z \in U$, $\operatorname{Re} c > -2$, and suppose that $(I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))'$ is univalent in U , $(I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))' \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$ and

$$h(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))', \quad z \in U, \quad (7)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))', \quad z \in U,$$

where q is given by $q(z) = 2\beta - 1 + \frac{(c+2)(2-2\beta)}{nz^{\frac{c+2}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{t^{\frac{c+2}{n}-1}}{t+1} dt$, $z \in U$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Proof Following the same steps as in the proof of Theorem 2.1 and considering $p(z) = (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))'$, the differential superordination (7) becomes

$$h(z) = \frac{1 + (2\beta - 1)z}{1 + z} \prec p(z) + \frac{1}{c+2} zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

By using Lemma 1.5 for $\gamma = c + 2$, we have $q(z) \prec p(z)$, i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} q(z) &= \frac{c+2}{nz^{\frac{c+2}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{c+2}{n}-1} dt = \frac{c+2}{nz^{\frac{c+2}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{1 + (2\beta - 1)t}{1 + t} t^{\frac{c+2}{n}-1} dt \\ &= 2\beta - 1 + \frac{(c+2)(2-2\beta)}{nz^{\frac{c+2}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{t^{\frac{c+2}{n}-1}}{t+1} dt \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)F(z))', \quad z \in U. \end{aligned}$$

The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.4 Let h be a convex function, $h(0) = 1$. Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$ and suppose that $(I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))'$ is univalent and $\frac{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}{z} \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$.

If

$$h(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))', \quad z \in U, \quad (8)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec \frac{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}{z}, \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Proof By using the properties of operator $I(m, \lambda, l)$, we have

$$I(m, \lambda, l)f(z) = z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1 + \lambda(j-1) + l}{l+1} \right)^m a_j z^j, \quad z \in U.$$

Consider $p(z) = \frac{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}{z} = \frac{z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1+\lambda(j-1)+l}{l+1}\right)^m a_j z^j}{z} = 1 + p_n z^n + p_{n+1} z^{n+1} + \dots, z \in U$. We deduce that $p \in \mathcal{H}[1, n]$.

Let $I(m, \lambda, l)f(z) = zp(z)$, $z \in U$. Differentiating we obtain $(I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))' = p(z) + zp'(z)$, $z \in U$.

Then (8) becomes

$$h(z) \prec p(z) + zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

By using Lemma 1.5 for $\gamma = 1$, we have

$$q(z) \prec p(z), \quad z \in U, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad q(z) \prec \frac{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}{z}, \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.5 Let q be convex in U and let h be defined by $h(z) = q(z) + zq'(z)$.

If $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, suppose that $(I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))'$ is univalent and $\frac{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}{z} \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$ and satisfies the differential superordination

$$h(z) = q(z) + zq'(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))', \quad z \in U, \quad (9)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec \frac{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}{z}, \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt$. The function q is the best subordinant.

Proof Following the same steps as in the proof of Theorem 2.4 and considering $p(z) = \frac{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}{z}$, the differential superordination (9) becomes

$$q(z) + zq'(z) \prec p(z) + zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

Using Lemma 1.6 for $\gamma = 1$, we have

$$q(z) \prec p(z), \quad z \in U, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt \prec \frac{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}{z}, \quad z \in U,$$

and q is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.6 Let $h(z) = \frac{1+(2\beta-1)z}{1+z}$ be a convex function in U , where $0 \leq \beta < 1$. Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$ and suppose that $(I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))'$ is univalent and $\frac{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}{z} \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$.

If

$$h(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))', \quad z \in U, \quad (10)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec \frac{I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)}{z}, \quad z \in U,$$

where q is given by $q(z) = 2\beta - 1 + \frac{2-2\beta}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{t^{\frac{1}{n}-1}}{t+1} dt$, $z \in U$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Proof Following the same steps as in the proof of Theorem 2.4 and considering $p(z) = \frac{I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)}{z}$, the differential superordination (10) becomes

$$h(z) = \frac{1 + (2\beta - 1)z}{1 + z} \prec p(z) + zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

By using Lemma 1.5 for $\gamma = 1$, we have $q(z) \prec p(z)$, i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} q(z) &= \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{1 + (2\beta - 1)t}{1 + t} t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt \\ &= 2\beta - 1 + \frac{2 - 2\beta}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{t^{\frac{1}{n}-1}}{t + 1} dt \prec \frac{I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)}{z}, \quad z \in U. \end{aligned}$$

The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.7 Let h be a convex function, $h(0) = 1$. Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$ and suppose that $\left(\frac{zI(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} \right)'$ is univalent and $\frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap \mathcal{Q}$.

If

$$h(z) \prec \left(\frac{zI(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} \right)', \quad z \in U, \quad (11)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec \frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}, \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Proof For $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, $f(z) = z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} a_j z^j$ we have $I(m, \lambda, l)f(z) = z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1+\lambda(j-1)+l}{l+1} \right)^m a_j z^j$, $z \in U$.
Consider

$$p(z) = \frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} = \frac{z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1+\lambda(j-1)+l}{l+1} \right)^{m+1} a_j z^j}{z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1+\lambda(j-1)+l}{l+1} \right)^m a_j z^j}.$$

We have $p'(z) = \frac{(I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z))'}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} - p(z) \cdot \frac{(I(m, \lambda, l)f(z))'}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}$ and we obtain $p(z) + z \cdot p'(z) = \left(\frac{zI(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} \right)'$.

Relation (11) becomes

$$h(z) \prec p(z) + zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

By using Lemma 1.5 for $\gamma = 1$, we have

$$q(z) \prec p(z), \quad z \in U, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad q(z) \prec \frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}, \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{1}{n}-1}dt$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.8 *Let q be a convex function and h be defined by $h(z) = q(z) + zq'(z)$. Let $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$ and suppose that $\left(\frac{zI(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} \right)'$ is univalent and $\frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$.*

If

$$h(z) = q(z) + zq'(z) \prec \left(\frac{zI(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} \right)', \quad z \in U, \quad (12)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec \frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}, \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{1}{n}-1}dt$. The function q is the best subordinant.

Proof Following the same steps as in the proof of Theorem 2.7 and considering $p(z) = \frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}$, the differential superordination (12) becomes

$$h(z) = q(z) + zq'(z) \prec p(z) + zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

By using Lemma 1.6 for $\gamma = 1$, we have $q(z) \prec p(z)$, $z \in U$, i.e.

$$q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t)t^{\frac{1}{n}-1}dt \prec \frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)}, \quad z \in U,$$

and q is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.9 *Let $h(z) = \frac{1+(2\beta-1)z}{1+z}$ be a convex function in U , where $0 \leq \beta < 1$. Let $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$ and suppose that $\left(\frac{zI(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} \right)'$ is univalent and $\frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l)f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l)f(z)} \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$.*

If

$$h(z) \prec \left(\frac{z I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)} \right)', \quad z \in U, \quad (13)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec \frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)}, \quad z \in U,$$

where q is given by $q(z) = 2\beta - 1 + \frac{2-2\beta}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{t^{\frac{1}{n}-1}}{t+1} dt$, $z \in U$. The function q is convex and it is the best subdominant.

Proof Following the same steps as in the proof of Theorem 2.7 and considering $p(z) = \frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)}$, the differential superordination (13) becomes

$$h(z) = \frac{1 + (2\beta - 1)z}{1 + z} \prec p(z) + zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

By using Lemma 1.5 for $\gamma = 1$, we have $q(z) \prec p(z)$, i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} q(z) &= \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{1 + (2\beta - 1)t}{1 + t} t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt \\ &= 2\beta - 1 + \frac{2 - 2\beta}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{t^{\frac{1}{n}-1}}{t + 1} dt \prec \frac{I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z)}{I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)}, \quad z \in U. \end{aligned}$$

The function q is convex and it is the best subdominant.

Theorem 2.10 Let $h \in \mathcal{H}(U)$ be a convex function in U with $h(0) = 1$ and let $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, $\frac{l+1}{\lambda} I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z) + (2 - \frac{l+1}{\lambda}) I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)$ is univalent and $[I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)]' \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$.

If

$$h(z) \prec \frac{l+1}{\lambda} I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z) + \left(2 - \frac{l+1}{\lambda}\right) I(m, \lambda, l) f(z), \quad z \in U \quad (14)$$

holds, then

$$q(z) \prec [I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)]', \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt$. The function q is convex and it is the best subdominant.

Proof For $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, $f(z) = z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} a_j z^j$ we have $I(m, \lambda, l) f(z) = z + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1+\lambda(j-1)+l}{l+1} \right)^m a_j z^j$, $z \in U$.

Let

$$p(z) = (I(m, \lambda, l) f(z))' \quad (15)$$

$$= 1 + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1 + \lambda(j-1) + l}{l+1} \right)^m j a_j z^{j-1} = 1 + p_n z^n + p_{n+1} z^{n+1} + \dots$$

We obtain $p(z) + z \cdot p'(z) = I(m, \lambda, l) f(z) + z (I(m, \lambda, l) f(z))' = I(m, \lambda, l) f(z) + \frac{(l+1)I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z) - (l+1-\lambda)I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)}{\lambda} = \frac{l+1}{\lambda} I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z) + \left(2 - \frac{l+1}{\lambda}\right) I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)$.

Using (15), the differential superordination (14) becomes

$$h(z) \prec p(z) + zp'(z).$$

By using Lemma 1.5 for $\gamma = 1$, we have

$$q(z) \prec p(z), \quad z \in U, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad q(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l) f(z))', \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.11 *Let q be a convex function in U and $h(z) = q(z) + zq'(z)$. Let $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, suppose that $\frac{l+1}{\lambda} I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z) + \left(2 - \frac{l+1}{\lambda}\right) I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)$ is univalent in U and $[I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)]' \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$.*

If

$$h(z) = q(z) + zq'(z) \prec \frac{l+1}{\lambda} I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z) + \left(2 - \frac{l+1}{\lambda}\right) I(m, \lambda, l) f(z), \quad z \in U, \quad (16)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l) f(z))', \quad z \in U,$$

where $q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt$. The function q is the best subordinant.

Proof Following the same steps as in the proof of Theorem 2.10 and considering $p(z) = (I(m, \lambda, l) f(z))'$, the differential superordination (16) becomes

$$h(z) = q(z) + zq'(z) \prec p(z) + zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

By using Lemma 1.6 for $\gamma = 1$, we have $q(z) \prec p(z)$, i.e.,

$$q(z) = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt \prec (I(m, \lambda, l) f(z))', \quad z \in U.$$

The function q is the best subordinant.

Theorem 2.12 *Let $h(z) = \frac{1+(2\beta-1)z}{1+z}$ be a convex function in U , where $0 \leq \beta < 1$. Let $\lambda, l \geq 0$, $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, $f \in \mathcal{A}_n$, suppose that $\frac{l+1}{\lambda} I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z) + \left(2 - \frac{l+1}{\lambda}\right) I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)$ is univalent in U and $[I(m, \lambda, l) f(z)]' \in \mathcal{H}[1, n] \cap Q$.*

If

$$h(z) \prec \frac{l+1}{\lambda} I(m+1, \lambda, l) f(z) + \left(2 - \frac{l+1}{\lambda}\right) I(m, \lambda, l) f(z), \quad z \in U, \quad (17)$$

then

$$q(z) \prec (I(m, \lambda, l) f(z))', \quad z \in U,$$

where q is given by $q(z) = 2\beta - 1 + \frac{2-2\beta}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{t^{\frac{1}{n}-1}}{t+1} dt$, $z \in U$. The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

Proof Following the same steps as in the proof of Theorem 2.10 and considering $p(z) = (I(m, \lambda, l) f(z))'$, the differential superordination (17) becomes

$$h(z) = \frac{1 + (2\beta - 1)z}{1 + z} \prec p(z) + zp'(z), \quad z \in U.$$

By using Lemma 1.5 for $\gamma = 1$, we have $q(z) \prec p(z)$, i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} q(z) &= \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z h(t) t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt = \frac{1}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{1 + (2\beta - 1)t}{1 + t} t^{\frac{1}{n}-1} dt \\ &= 2\beta - 1 + \frac{2 - 2\beta}{nz^{\frac{1}{n}}} \int_0^z \frac{t^{\frac{1}{n}-1}}{t + 1} dt \prec (I(m, \lambda, l) f(z))', \quad z \in U. \end{aligned}$$

The function q is convex and it is the best subordinant.

3 Open Problem

The definitions, theorems and corollaries we established in this paper can be extended by using the notion of superordination. One can use the operator from Definition 1.1 and the same technique to prove earlier results and to obtain a new set of results. Compare these results with the results given by [3].

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