

# The Univalence Conditions For a New Integral Operator

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## Abstract

*The main object of the present paper is to discuss some univalence conditions for a new integral operator. Several other closely-related results are also considered.*

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## 1 Introduction

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  denote the class of functions of the form

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

which are analytic in the open unit disk

$$\mathcal{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$$

and satisfy the following usual normalization condition

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

We denote by  $\mathcal{S}$  the subclass of  $\mathcal{A}$  consisting of functions  $f(z)$  which are univalent in  $\mathcal{U}$ .

In order to prove our main results, we need:

In [5], Pascu gave the following univalence criterion:

**Theorem 1.1** [5] *Let  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$ . If  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies*

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

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$ , then the integral operator

$$F_\beta(z) = \left( \beta \int_0^z t^{\beta-1} f'(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$$

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

Further, Pescar [6] gave the following theorem:

**Theorem 1.2** [6] *Let  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$ ,  $c \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|c| \leq 1$ ,  $c \neq -1$ . If  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies*

$$\left| c|z|^{2\beta} + (1 - |z|^{2\beta}) \frac{zf''(z)}{\beta f'(z)} \right| \leq 1,$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  then the integral operator

$$F_\beta(z) = \left( \beta \int_0^z t^{\beta-1} f'(t) dt \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$$

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

**Definition 1.3** *A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  is said to be a member of the class  $\mathcal{B}(\mu, \alpha)$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ,  $\mu \geq 0$  if and only if*

$$\left| f'(z) \left( \frac{z}{f(z)} \right)^\mu - 1 \right| < 1 - \alpha \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}). \quad (2)$$

The family  $\mathcal{B}(\mu, \alpha)$  was introduced and studied by Frasin and Jahangiri (see [3]).

This family is a comprehensive class of analytic functions which includes various new classes of analytic univalent functions as well as some very well-known ones, such as  $\mathcal{B}(1, \alpha) = \mathcal{S}^*(\alpha)$ . Frasin and Darus in [2] (see also [1]) have been introduced another interesting subclass  $\mathcal{B}(2, \alpha) = \mathcal{B}(\alpha)$ .

Now, we define the following new integral operator.

**Definition 1.4** Let  $\gamma_i, \delta_i \in \mathbb{C}$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$ . We let

$$I_\beta(f_1, \dots, f_n; g_1, \dots, g_n) : \mathcal{A}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$$

be the integral operator given by

$$I_\beta(f_1, \dots, f_n; g_1, \dots, g_n)(z) = \left( \beta \int_0^z t^{\beta-1} \prod_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{f_i(t)}{t} \right)^{\delta_i} (e^{g_i(t)})^{\gamma_i} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}. \quad (3)$$

In the present paper, we study the univalence conditions for the integral operator  $I_\beta(f_1, \dots, f_n; g_1, \dots, g_n)(z)$  defined by (3) to be univalent in  $\mathcal{U}$ , when  $f_i, g_i \in \mathcal{B}(\mu_i, \alpha_i)$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha_i < 1$ ,  $\mu_i \geq 0$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ .

For this purpose, we need the familiar Schwarz Lemma (see, for details, [4])

**Lemma 1.5 (General Schwarz Lemma)** [4]. *Let the function  $f$  be regular in the disk  $\mathcal{U}_R = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < R\}$ , with  $|f(z)| < M$  for fixed  $M$ . If  $f$  has one zero with multiplicity order bigger than  $m$  for  $z = 0$ , then*

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

The equality can hold only if

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

where  $\theta$  is constant.

## 2 Main Results

**Theorem 2.1** *Let the functions  $f_i, g_i \in \mathcal{A}$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\beta, \delta_i, \gamma_i$  be complex numbers,  $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$  and  $M_i \geq 1, N_i \geq 1$  with*

$$\operatorname{Re}\beta \geq \sum_{i=1}^n [|\delta_i| ((2 - \alpha_i) M_i^{\mu_i - 1} + 1) + |\gamma_i| (2 - \alpha_i) N_i^{\mu_i}] \quad (4)$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ .

If  $f_i, g_i \in \mathcal{B}(\mu_i, \alpha_i)$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha_i < 1$ ,  $\mu_i \geq 0$  satisfy the conditions

$$|f_i(z)| \leq M_i \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad |g_i(z)| \leq N_i \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , then the integral operator  $I_\beta(f_1, \dots, f_n; g_1, \dots, g_n)(z)$  defined by (3) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .

**Proof.** We begin by setting

$$h(z) = \int_0^z \prod_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{f_i(t)}{t} \right)^{\delta_i} (e^{g_i(t)})^{\gamma_i} dt \quad (5)$$

and then we calculate for  $h(z)$  the derivatives of the first and second orders. From (5) we obtain

$$h'(z) = \prod_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{f_i(z)}{z} \right)^{\delta_i} (e^{g_i(z)})^{\gamma_i}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} h''(z) &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \delta_i \left( \frac{f_i(z)}{z} \right)^{\delta_i-1} \left( \frac{zf'_i(z) - f_i(z)}{z^2} \right) (e^{g_i(z)})^{\gamma_i} \right] \prod_{\substack{k=1 \\ k \neq i}}^n \left( \frac{f_k(z)}{z} \right)^{\delta_k} (e^{g_k(z)})^{\gamma_k} \\ &\quad + \left[ \left( \frac{f_i(z)}{z} \right)^{\delta_i} \gamma_i (e^{g_i(z)})^{\gamma_i-1} g'_i(z) e^{g_i(z)} \right] \prod_{\substack{k=1 \\ k \neq i}}^n \left( \frac{f_k(z)}{z} \right)^{\delta_k} (e^{g_k(z)})^{\gamma_k}. \end{aligned}$$

After the calculus we obtain that

$$\frac{zh''(z)}{h'(z)} = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \delta_i \left( \frac{zf'_i(z)}{f_i(z)} - 1 \right) + \gamma_i z g'_i(z) \right]. \quad (6)$$

Thus we have

$$\left| \frac{zh''(z)}{h'(z)} \right| \leq \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\delta_i| \left( \left| \frac{zf'_i(z)}{f_i(z)} \right| + 1 \right) + |\gamma_i| |zg'_i(z)| \right]$$

so

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re}\beta}}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \left| \frac{zh''(z)}{h'(z)} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re}\beta}}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\delta_i| \left( \left| \frac{zf'_i(z)}{f_i(z)} \right| + 1 \right) + |\gamma_i| |zg'_i(z)| \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re}\beta}}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\delta_i| \left( \left| f'_i(z) \left( \frac{z}{f_i(z)} \right)^{\mu_i} \right| \left| \frac{f_i(z)}{z} \right|^{\mu_i-1} + 1 \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + |\gamma_i| \left| g'_i(z) \left( \frac{z}{g_i(z)} \right)^{\mu_i} \right| \left| \frac{g_i(z)}{z} \right|^{\mu_i} |z| \right]. \end{aligned}$$

From the hypothesis of Theorem 2.1, we have

$$|f_i(z)| \leq M_i \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad |g_i(z)| \leq N_i \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}),$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , then by General Schwarz Lemma for the functions  $f_i, g_i$ , we obtain

$$|f_i(z)| \leq M_i |z| \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad |g_i(z)| \leq N_i |z| \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}) \quad (7)$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ .

Therefore, by using the inequalities (2) and (7), we arrive at the following inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re}\beta}}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \left| \frac{zh''(z)}{h'(z)} \right| \\ & \leq \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re}\beta}}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\delta_i| \left( \left( \left| f'_i(z) \left( \frac{z}{f_i(z)} \right)^{\mu_i} - 1 \right| + 1 \right) M_i^{\mu_i-1} + 1 \right) \right] \\ & \quad + \frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re}\beta}}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\gamma_i| \left( \left| g'_i(z) \left( \frac{z}{g_i(z)} \right)^{\mu_i} - 1 \right| + 1 \right) N_i^{\mu_i} \right] \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n [|\delta_i| ((2 - \alpha_i) M_i^{\mu_i-1} + 1) + |\gamma_i| (2 - \alpha_i) N_i^{\mu_i}] \end{aligned}$$

$z \in \mathcal{U}$ , which in the lights of the hypothesis (4) of Theorem 2.1, we obtain

$$\frac{1 - |z|^{2\operatorname{Re}\beta}}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \left| \frac{zh''(z)}{h'(z)} \right| \leq 1 \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}).$$

Applying Theorem 1.1 for the functions  $h(z)$  we obtain that the integral operator  $I_\beta(f_1, \dots, f_n; g_1, \dots, g_n)(z)$  defined by (3) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .

**Corollary 2.2** *Let the functions  $f_i, g_i \in \mathcal{A}$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\beta, \delta_i, \gamma_i$  be complex numbers,  $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$  and*

$$\operatorname{Re}\beta \geq \sum_{i=1}^n [|\delta_i| (3 - \alpha_i) + |\gamma_i| (2 - \alpha_i)]$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ .

If  $f_i, g_i \in \mathcal{S}^*(\alpha_i)$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha_i < 1$  satisfy the conditions

$$|f_i(z)| \leq 1 \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad |g_i(z)| \leq 1 \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , then the integral operator  $I_\beta(f_1, \dots, f_n; g_1, \dots, g_n)(z)$  defined by (3) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .

**Proof.** In Theorem 2.1, we consider  $\mu_i = 1$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ,  $M_1 = M_2 = \dots = M_n = 1$  and  $N_1 = N_2 = \dots = N_n = 1$ .

**Corollary 2.3** *Let the functions  $f, g \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $\beta, \delta, \gamma$  be complex numbers,  $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$  and  $M \geq 1, N \geq 1$  with*

$$\operatorname{Re}\beta \geq |\delta| \left( (2 - \alpha) M^{\mu-1} + 1 \right) + |\gamma| (2 - \alpha) N^\mu.$$

If  $f, g \in \mathcal{B}(\mu, \alpha)$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ,  $\mu \geq 0$  and

$$|f(z)| \leq M \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad |g(z)| \leq N \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

then the integral operator

$$I_\beta(f; g)(z) = \left( \beta \int_0^z t^{\beta-1} \left( \frac{f(t)}{t} \right)^\delta (e^{g(t)})^\gamma dt \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$$

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

**Proof.** In Theorem 2.1, we consider  $n = 1$ .

Making use of Theorem 1.2, we prove

**Theorem 2.4** *Let the functions  $f_i, g_i \in \mathcal{A}$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\beta, \delta_i, \gamma_i$  be complex numbers,  $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$  and  $M_i \geq 1, N_i \geq 1$  with*

$$\operatorname{Re}\beta \geq \sum_{i=1}^n [|\delta_i| \left( (2 - \alpha_i) M_i^{\mu_i-1} + 1 \right) + |\gamma_i| (2 - \alpha_i) N_i^{\mu_i}]$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ .

If  $f_i, g_i \in \mathcal{B}(\mu_i, \alpha_i)$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha_i < 1$ ,  $\mu_i \geq 0$  satisfy the conditions

$$|f_i(z)| \leq M_i \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad |g_i(z)| \leq N_i \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

and

$$|c| \leq 1 - \frac{1}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n [|\delta_i| \left( (2 - \alpha_i) M_i^{\mu_i-1} + 1 \right) + |\gamma_i| (2 - \alpha_i) N_i^{\mu_i}] \quad (8)$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , then the integral operator  $I_\beta(f_1, \dots, f_n; g_1, \dots, g_n)(z)$  defined by (3) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .

**Proof.** From the proof of Theorem 2.1, we have

$$\frac{zh''(z)}{h'(z)} = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \delta_i \left( \frac{zf'_i(z)}{f_i(z)} - 1 \right) + \gamma_i z g'_i(z) \right].$$

Thus, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left| c|z|^{2\beta} + \left(1 - |z|^{2\beta}\right) \frac{zh''(z)}{\beta h'(z)} \right| \\
 &= \left| c|z|^{2\beta} + \left(1 - |z|^{2\beta}\right) \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \delta_i \left( \frac{zf'_i(z)}{f_i(z)} - 1 \right) + \gamma_i z g'_i(z) \right] \right| \\
 &\leq |c| + \frac{1}{|\beta|} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\delta_i| \left( \left| \frac{zf'_i(z)}{f_i(z)} \right| + 1 \right) + |\gamma_i| |z g'_i(z)| \right] \\
 &\leq |c| + \frac{1}{|\beta|} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\delta_i| \left( \left| f'_i(z) \left( \frac{z}{f_i(z)} \right)^{\mu_i} \right| \left| \frac{f_i(z)}{z} \right|^{\mu_i-1} + 1 \right) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{|\beta|} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\gamma_i| \left| g'_i(z) \left( \frac{z}{g_i(z)} \right)^{\mu_i} \right| \left| \frac{g_i(z)}{z} \right|^{\mu_i} |z| \right] \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

From the hypothesis of Theorem 2.4, we have

$$|f_i(z)| \leq M_i \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}) \quad , \quad |g_i(z)| \leq N_i \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , then by General Schwarz Lemma for the functions  $f_i, g_i$  we obtain

$$|f_i(z)| \leq M_i |z| \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad |g_i(z)| \leq N_i |z| \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}) \quad (9)$$

for  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ .

Therefore, by using the inequalities (2) and (9), we arrive at the following inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left| c|z|^{2\beta} + \left(1 - |z|^{2\beta}\right) \frac{zh''(z)}{\beta h'(z)} \right| \\
 &\leq |c| + \frac{1}{|\beta|} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\delta_i| \left( \left( \left| f'_i(z) \left( \frac{z}{f_i(z)} \right)^{\mu_i} - 1 \right| + 1 \right) M_i^{\mu_i-1} + 1 \right) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{|\beta|} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\gamma_i| \left( \left| g'_i(z) \left( \frac{z}{g_i(z)} \right)^{\mu_i} - 1 \right| + 1 \right) N_i^{\mu_i} |z| \right] \right] \\
 &\leq |c| + \frac{1}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ |\delta_i| ((2 - \alpha_i) M_i^{\mu_i-1} + 1) + |\gamma_i| (2 - \alpha_i) N_i^{\mu_i} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$z \in \mathcal{U}$ , which in the lights of the hypothesis (8) of Theorem 2.4, we obtain

$$\left| c|z|^{2\beta} + \left(1 - |z|^{2\beta}\right) \frac{zh''(z)}{\beta h'(z)} \right| \leq 1 \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}).$$

Applying Theorem 1.2 for the functions  $h(z)$  we obtain that the integral operator  $I_\beta(f_1, \dots, f_n; g_1, \dots, g_n)(z)$  defined by (3) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .

**Corollary 2.5** *Let the functions  $f_i, g_i \in \mathcal{A}$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\beta, \delta_i, \gamma_i$  be complex numbers,  $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$  and*

$$\operatorname{Re}\beta \geq \sum_{i=1}^n [|\delta_i| (3 - \alpha_i) + |\gamma_i| (2 - \alpha_i)]$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ .

If  $f_i, g_i \in \mathcal{S}^*(\alpha_i)$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha_i < 1$  satisfy the conditions

$$|f_i(z)| \leq 1 \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad |g_i(z)| \leq 1 \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

and

$$|c| \leq 1 - \frac{1}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n [|\delta_i| (3 - \alpha_i) + |\gamma_i| (2 - \alpha_i)]$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , then the integral operator  $I_\beta(f_1, \dots, f_n; g_1, \dots, g_n)(z)$  defined by (3) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}$ .

**Proof.** In Theorem 2.4, we consider  $\mu_i = 1$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ,  $M_1 = M_2 = \dots = M_n = 1$  and  $N_1 = N_2 = \dots = N_n = 1$ .

**Corollary 2.6** *Let the functions  $f, g \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $\beta, \delta, \gamma$  be complex numbers,  $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$  and  $M \geq 1, N \geq 1$  with*

$$\operatorname{Re}\beta \geq [|\delta| ((2 - \alpha) M^{\mu-1} + 1) + |\gamma| (2 - \alpha) N^\mu].$$

If  $f, g \in \mathcal{B}(\mu, \alpha)$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha < 1, \mu \geq 0$  satisfy the conditions

$$|f(z)| \leq M \quad (z \in \mathcal{U}), \quad |g(z)| \leq N \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

and

$$|c| \leq 1 - \frac{1}{\operatorname{Re}\beta} [|\delta| ((2 - \alpha) M^{\mu-1} + 1) + |\gamma| (2 - \alpha) N^\mu]$$

then the integral operator

$$I_\beta(f; g)(z) = \left( \beta \int_0^z t^{\beta-1} \left( \frac{f(t)}{t} \right)^\delta (e^{g(t)})^\gamma \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$$

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

**Proof.** In Theorem 2.4, we consider  $n = 1$ .

### 3 Open Problem

New results can be obtained by using the integral operator defined in Definition 1.4 for other classes of analytic functions.

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