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*Abstract.* Using a Hilbert space operator, we define a new subclass of analytic functions defined by  $p$ -valent  $q$ -SălăŢean operator and determine coefficient estimates, distortion bounds, radii of close-to-convexity, starlikeness, and convexity for the functions in this class. We also investigate extreme points and the modified Hadamard product.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

The sets of real numbers, complex numbers and positive integers are denoted by

$$\mathbb{R} = (-\infty, \infty), \quad \mathbb{C} = \mathbb{C}^* \cup \{0\} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} = \mathbb{N}_0 \setminus \{0\},$$

respectively.

Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be the class of analytic functions in the open unit disk

$$\mathbb{D} = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: |z| < 1\}.$$

For two functions  $f, g \in \mathcal{H}$ , we say that the function  $f$  is subordinate to  $g$  in  $\mathbb{D}$ , and write

$$f(z) \prec g(z), \quad z \in \mathbb{D},$$

if there exists a Schwarz function  $\Theta \in \mathcal{H}$  with

$$\Theta(0) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad |\Theta(z)| < 1, \quad z \in \mathbb{D}$$

such that

$$f(z) = g(\Theta(z)), \quad z \in \mathbb{D}.$$

It is known that

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

Also, we need the following basic definitions of the  $q$ -calculus which are used in this paper (see, for details, [5], [6]).

For  $0 < q < 1$ , the  $q$ -number and the  $q$ -factorial are defined by

$$[n]_q = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - q^n}{1 - q}, & n \in \mathbb{C}, \\ 1 + q + q^2 + \dots + q^{n-1}, & n \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

and

$$[n]_q! = \begin{cases} 1, & n = 0, \\ \prod_{r=1}^n [r]_q, & n \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

respectively. As  $q \rightarrow 1^-$ ,  $[n]_q \rightarrow n$  and  $[n]_q! \rightarrow n!$ .

For a function  $f$  defined on a subset of  $\mathbb{C}$ , Jackson's  $q$ -derivative  $\partial_q f$  is defined by (see [5], [6])

$$(1.1) \quad \partial_q f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{f(z) - f(qz)}{(1 - q)z}, & z \neq 0, \\ f'(0), & z = 0, \end{cases}$$

provided that  $f'(0)$  exists. Then for a function  $g(z) = z^k$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_q(z^k) &= [k]_q z^{k-1}, \\ \lim_{q \rightarrow 1^-} (\partial_q(z^k)) &= k z^{k-1} = g'(z), \end{aligned}$$

where  $g'$  is the ordinary derivative.

Let  $\mathcal{A}_p(n)$  denote the class of all functions of the form

$$(1.2) \quad f(z) = z^p + \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} a_k z^k, \quad p, n \in \mathbb{N}, \quad z \in \mathbb{D},$$

which are analytic and  $p$ -valent in the open unit disk  $\mathbb{D}$ . In particular, we set

$$\mathcal{A}_p(1) := \mathcal{A}_p, \quad \mathcal{A}_1(1) = \mathcal{A}_1 := \mathcal{A}.$$

For a function  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p(n)$  given by (1.2), we deduce from (1.1) that

$$(1.3) \quad \begin{cases} \partial_q^{(1)} f(z) = [p]_q z^{p-1} + \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} [k]_q a_k z^{k-1} =: \partial_q f(z), \\ \partial_q^{(2)} f(z) = [p]_q [p-1]_q z^{p-2} + \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} [k]_q [k-1]_q a_k z^{k-2}, \\ \vdots \\ \partial_q^{(p)} f(z) = [p]_q! + \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \frac{[k]_q!}{[k-p]_q!} a_k z^{k-p}, \end{cases}$$

where  $\partial_q^{(p)} f(z)$  is the  $p$ th  $q$ -derivative of  $f(z)$ . It is clear that the  $j$ th  $q$ -derivative  $\partial_q^{(j)} f$  of  $f$  is

$$(1.4) \quad \partial_q^{(j)} f(z) = \left( \prod_{r=1}^j [p-r+1]_q \right) z^{p-j} + \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \prod_{r=1}^j [k-r+1]_q \right) a_k z^{k-j}, \quad j \in \mathbb{N}.$$

For a function  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p(n)$  given by (1.2), using Jackson's  $q$ -derivative operator  $\partial_q f$ , El-Qadeem and Mamon [2] introduced the  $p$ -valent  $q$ -Sălăgean operator  $\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m: \mathcal{A}_p(n) \rightarrow \mathcal{A}_p(n)$ , as follows:

$$(1.5) \quad \begin{cases} \mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^0 f(z) = f(z), \\ \mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^1 f(z) = \frac{z \partial_q f(z)}{[p]_q} =: \mathfrak{D}_{p,q} f(z), \\ \mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(z) = \mathfrak{D}_{p,q}(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^{m-1} f(z)), \quad m \in \mathbb{N}. \end{cases}$$

If  $f$  is given by (1.2), then by (1.1) and (1.5), we have

$$(1.6) \quad \mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(z) = z^p + \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m a_k z^k, \quad m \in \mathbb{N}_0.$$

Let  $\mathcal{T}_p(n)$  denote the subclass of  $\mathcal{A}_p(n)$  consisting of functions of the form

$$(1.7) \quad f(z) = z^p - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} a_k z^k, \quad a_k \geq 0.$$

El-Qadeem and Mamon [2] introduced the following subclass of  $p$ -valent functions with negative coefficients:

For  $-1 \leq A < B \leq 1$  and  $0 \leq \alpha < [p]_q$ , let  $\mathcal{T}_{p,q}(m, n, \alpha; A, B)$  be the subclass of functions  $f \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  given by (1.7) which satisfy

$$(1.8) \quad \frac{z\partial_q(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(z))}{\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(z)} \prec ([p]_q - \alpha) \frac{1 + Az}{1 + Bz} + \alpha, \quad z \in \mathbb{D}.$$

We note that the subordination relation (1.8) is equivalent to

$$\left| \frac{z\partial_q(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(z))/\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(z) - [p]_q}{B(z\partial_q(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(z))/\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(z)) - [A[p]_q + \alpha(B - A)]} \right| < 1, \quad z \in \mathbb{D}.$$

Let  $H$  be a complex Hilbert space and  $L(H)$  denote the algebra of all bounded linear operators on  $H$ . For a complex-valued function  $f$  analytic in a domain  $E$  of the complex plain containing the spectrum  $\sigma(T)$  of the bounded linear operator  $T$ , let  $f(T)$  denote the operator on  $H$  defined by the Riesz-Dunford integral [1]

$$f(T) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C (zI - T)^{-1} f(z) dz,$$

where  $I$  is the identity operator on  $H$  and  $C$  is a positively oriented simple closed rectifiable closed contour containing the spectrum  $\sigma(T)$  in the interior domain [3]. The operator  $f(T)$  can also be defined by the series

$$f(T) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(k)}(0)}{k!} T^k$$

which converges in the norm topology.

Such type of work was earlier considered by Ghanim and Darus [4], Joshi et al. [7], Kim et al. [8] and Yu [9].

**Definition 1.1.** For  $0 < q < 1$ ,  $-1 \leq A < B \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha < [p]_q$ ,  $p, n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $m \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , a function  $f \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  given by (1.7) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$  if

$$\|T\partial_q(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)) - [p]_q \mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)\| < \|BT\partial_q(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)) - [A[p]_q + \alpha(B - A)]\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)\|$$

for all operators  $T$  with  $\|T\| < 1$  and  $T \neq \Theta$  ( $\Theta$  is the zero operator on  $H$ ).

2. COEFFICIENT BOUNDS

**Theorem 2.1.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  given by (1.7) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$  for all proper contractions  $T$  with  $T \neq \Theta$  if and only if

$$(2.1) \quad \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \} a_k \leq ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A).$$

The result is sharp for the function

$$(2.2) \quad f(z) = z^p - \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}} z^k, \quad k \geq p+n.$$

*Proof.* Assume that (2.1) holds. Then

$$\begin{aligned} & \|T\partial_q(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)) - [p]_q \mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)\| \\ & \quad - \|BT\partial_q(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)) - [A[p]_q + \alpha(B-A)]\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)\| \\ & = \left\| \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} ([k]_q - [p]_q) \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m a_k T^k \right\| \\ & \quad - \left\| ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)T^p - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} (B[k]_q - A[p]_q - \alpha(B-A)) \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m a_k T^k \right\| \\ & \leq \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m a_k - ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A) \\ & \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

and hence  $f \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  is in the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ .

Conversely, let  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ , that is,

$$\|T\partial_q(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)) - [p]_q \mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)\| < \|BT\partial_q(\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)) - [A[p]_q + \alpha(B-A)]\mathfrak{D}_{p,q}^m f(T)\|.$$

From this inequality, it is obtained that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} ([k]_q - [p]_q) \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m a_k T^k \right\| \\ & < \left\| ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)T^p - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} (B[k]_q - A[p]_q - \alpha(B-A)) \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m a_k T^k \right\|. \end{aligned}$$

By choosing  $T = rI$  ( $0 < r < 1$ ) in above inequality, we get

$$\frac{\sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} ([k]_q - [p]_q) \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m a_k r^k}{([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)r^p - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} (B[k]_q - A[p]_q - \alpha(B-A)) \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m a_k r^k} < 1.$$

As  $r \rightarrow 1^-$ , (2.1) is obtained. □

**Corollary 2.1.** *If a function  $f \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  given by (1.7) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ , then*

$$a_k \leq \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \}}, \quad k \geq p + n.$$

The result is sharp for the function  $f$  of the form (2.2).

**Theorem 2.2.** *The class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$  is closed under convex combination.*

**Proof.** Let the functions

$$(2.3) \quad f(z) = z^p - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} a_k z^k \quad \text{and} \quad g(z) = z^p - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} b_k z^k, \quad a_k, b_k \geq 0$$

be in the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ . Then, by Theorem 2.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \} a_k &\leq ([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A), \\ \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \} b_k &\leq ([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A). \end{aligned}$$

For  $0 \leq \tau \leq 1$ , define the function  $\varphi$  as

$$\varphi(z) = \tau f(z) + (1 - \tau)g(z).$$

Then, we get

$$\varphi(z) = z^p - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} [\tau a_k + (1 - \tau)b_k] z^k, \quad \tau a_k + (1 - \tau)b_k \geq 0.$$

Now, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \} [\tau a_k + (1 - \tau)b_k] \\ &= \tau \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \} a_k \\ &\quad + (1 - \tau) \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \} b_k \\ &\leq \tau([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A) + (1 - \tau)([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A) \\ &= ([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A). \end{aligned}$$

So,  $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ . □

### 3. HADAMARD PRODUCT

Next for functions  $f, g \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  defined by (2.3), we introduce the modified Hadamard product

$$f * g(z) = z^p - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} a_k b_k z^k, \quad a_k, b_k \geq 0.$$

**Theorem 3.1.** *For functions  $f, g \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  defined by (2.3), let  $f, g \in \mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ . Then the Hadamard product  $f * g \in \mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \eta; T)$ , where*

$$\eta \leq [p]_q - \frac{([k]_q - [p]_q)([p]_q - \alpha)^2(B - A)(1 + B)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \}^2 - ([p]_q - \alpha)^2(B - A)^2}.$$

*Proof.* Let the functions  $f$  and  $g$  belong to the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ . From Theorem 2.1, we have

$$(3.1) \quad \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \frac{\{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \}}{([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A)} a_k \leq 1,$$

and

$$(3.2) \quad \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \frac{\{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \}}{([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A)} b_k \leq 1.$$

We need to find the largest  $\eta$  such that

$$\sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \frac{\{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \eta(B - A) \}}{([p]_q - \eta)(B - A)} a_k b_k \leq 1.$$

From (3.1) and (3.2) we find, by means of the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, that

$$(3.3) \quad \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \frac{\{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \}}{([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A)} \sqrt{a_k b_k} \leq 1.$$

Thus it is enough to show that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \frac{\{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \eta(B - A) \}}{([p]_q - \eta)(B - A)} a_k b_k \\ & \leq \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \frac{\{ [k]_q(1 + B) - [p]_q(1 + A) - \alpha(B - A) \}}{([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A)} \sqrt{a_k b_k}, \end{aligned}$$



or, equivalently, that

$$(3.4) \quad \sqrt{a_k b_k} \leq \frac{([p]_q - \eta)\{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A)\}}{([p]_q - \alpha)\{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \eta(B-A)\}}.$$

On the other hand, from (3.3) we have

$$(3.5) \quad \sqrt{a_k b_k} \leq \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m\{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A)\}}.$$

Therefore in view of (3.4) and (3.5) it is enough to show that

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m\{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A)\}} \\ & \leq \frac{([p]_q - \eta)\{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A)\}}{([p]_q - \alpha)\{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \eta(B-A)\}} \end{aligned}$$

which simplifies to

$$\eta \leq [p]_q - \frac{([k]_q - [p]_q)([p]_q - \alpha)^2(B-A)(1+B)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m\{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A)\}^2 - ([p]_q - \alpha)^2(B-A)^2}.$$

□

#### 4. DISTORTION THEOREM

**Theorem 4.1.** *If a function  $f \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  given by (1.7) is in the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$  for  $\|T\| < 1$  with  $T \neq \Theta$ , then*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\{ \prod_{r=1}^j [p-r+1]_q \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \frac{[p]_q^m ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A) \prod_{r=1}^j [p+n-r+1]_q}{[p+n]_q^m \{ [p+n]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}} \|T\|^n \right\} \|T\|^{p-j} \\ & \leq \|\partial_q^{(j)} f(T)\| \\ & \leq \left\{ \prod_{r=1}^j [p-r+1]_q \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \frac{[p]_q^m ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A) \prod_{r=1}^j [p+n-r+1]_q}{[p+n]_q^m \{ [p+n]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}} \|T\|^n \right\} \|T\|^{p-j}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\partial_q^{(j)}$  is given by (1.4). The result is sharp for the function

$$f(z) = z^p - \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)}{([p+n]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [p+n]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}} z^{p+n}.$$

Proof. According to Theorem 2.1, we obtain

$$(4.1) \quad \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} a_k \leq \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A)}{([p+n]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [p+n]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}}.$$

Thus the desired results follow from (1.4) and (4.1).  $\square$

## 5. EXTREME POINTS

**Theorem 5.1.** *Let*

$$f_{p+n-1}(z) = z^p$$

and

$$(5.1) \quad f_k(z) = z^p - \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}} z^k, \quad k \geq p+n.$$

Then  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$  if and only if it can be represented in the form

$$f(z) = \sum_{k=p+n-1}^{\infty} \gamma_k f_k(z) \quad \left( \gamma_k \geq 0, \quad \sum_{k=p+n-1}^{\infty} \gamma_k = 1 \right).$$

Proof. Assume that  $f(z) = \sum_{k=p+n-1}^{\infty} \gamma_k f_k(z)$ . Then, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=p+n-1}^{\infty} \gamma_k f_k(z) \\ &= \gamma_{p+n-1} f_{p+n-1}(z) + \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \gamma_k f_k(z) \\ &= \left( 1 - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \gamma_k \right) z^p \\ & \quad + \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \gamma_k \left( z^p - \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}} z^k \right) \\ &= z^p - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \gamma_k \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B - A)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}} z^k. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \frac{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \} \gamma_k ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}} \\ &= ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A) \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \gamma_k \\ &= ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)(1 - \gamma_{p+n-1}) \\ &\leq ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, by Theorem 2.1,  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ .

Conversely, suppose that  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ . Since, by Corollary 2.1,

$$a_k \leq \frac{([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)}{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}}, \quad k \geq p+n,$$

setting

$$\gamma_k = \frac{([k]_q/[p]_q)^m \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}}{([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)} a_k, \quad k \geq p+n$$

and  $\gamma_{p+n-1} = 1 - \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \gamma_k$ , we obtain

$$f(z) = \gamma_{p+n-1} f_{p+n-1}(z) + \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \gamma_k f_k(z).$$

This completes the proof of the theorem. □

## 6. RADII OF CLOSE-TO-CONVEXITY, STARLIKENESS, AND CONVEXITY

We now find the radii of close-to-convexity, starlikeness, and convexity for functions belonging to the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ .

**Theorem 6.1.** *Let the function  $f \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  defined by (1.7) belongs to the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ . Then  $f$  is  $p$ -valently close-to-convex of order  $\varrho$  ( $0 \leq \varrho < [p]_q$ ) in the disk  $\|T\| < r_1$ , where*

$$r_1 = \inf_k \left\{ \frac{([p]_q - \varrho) [k]_q^{m-1} \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}}{[p]_q^m ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)} \right\}^{1/(k-p)}, \quad k \geq p+n.$$

The result is sharp for the extremal function  $f$  given by (2.2).

Proof. It is sufficient to show that

$$(6.1) \quad \|T^{1-p}\partial_q f(T) - [p]_q\| < [p]_q - \varrho.$$

Since  $f \in \mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ , by Theorem 2.1 we have

$$\sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \frac{\{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A)\}}{([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)} a_k \leq 1.$$

So the inequality

$$\|T^{1-p}\partial_q f(T) - [p]_q\| = \left\| \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} [k]_q a_k T^{k-p} \right\| \leq \sum_{k=p+n}^{\infty} [k]_q a_k \|T\|^{k-p} < [p]_q - \varrho$$

holds true if

$$\frac{[k]_q \|T\|^{k-p}}{[p]_q - \varrho} \leq \left( \frac{[k]_q}{[p]_q} \right)^m \frac{\{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A)\}}{([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)}.$$

Then, (6.1) holds true if

$$\|T\|^{k-p} \leq \frac{([p]_q - \varrho)[k]_q^{m-1} \{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A)\}}{[p]_q^m ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)}, \quad k \geq p+n,$$

which yields the close-to-convexity of the family and completes the proof.  $\square$

**Theorem 6.2.** *Let the function  $f \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  defined by (1.7) belongs to the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ . Then  $f$  is  $p$ -valently starlike of order  $\varrho$  ( $0 \leq \varrho < [p]_q$ ) in the disk  $\|T\| < r_2$ , where*

$$r_2 = \inf_k \left\{ \frac{([p]_q - \varrho)[k]_q^m \{[k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A)\}}{([k]_q - \varrho)[p]_q^m ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)} \right\}^{1/(k-p)}, \quad k \geq p+n.$$

The result is sharp for the extremal function  $f$  given by (2.2).

Proof. By using the technique employed in the proof of Theorem 6.1, we can show that

$$\left\| \frac{T\partial_q f(T)}{f(T)} - [p]_q \right\| < [p]_q - \varrho$$

for  $\|T\| < r_2$ , and prove that the assertion of the theorem is true.  $\square$

**Theorem 6.3.** Let the function  $f \in \mathcal{T}_p(n)$  defined by (1.7) belongs to the class  $\mathcal{S}_{p,q}(m, n; A, B, \alpha; T)$ . Then  $f$  is  $p$ -valently convex of order  $\varrho$  ( $0 \leq \varrho < [p]_q$ ) in the disk  $\|T\| < r_3$ , where

$$r_3 = \inf_k \left\{ \frac{([p]_q - \varrho)[k]_q^{m-1} \{ [k]_q(1+B) - [p]_q(1+A) - \alpha(B-A) \}}{([k]_q - \varrho)[p]_q^{m-1} ([p]_q - \alpha)(B-A)} \right\}^{1/(k-p)}, \quad k \geq p+n$$

The result is sharp for the extremal function  $f$  given by (2.2).

**Proof.** By using the technique employed in the proof of Theorem 6.1, we can show that

$$\left\| \frac{\partial_q(T \partial_q f(T))}{\partial_q f(T)} - [p]_q \right\| < [p]_q - \varrho$$

for  $\|T\| < r_3$ , and prove that the assertion of the theorem is true. □

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