

## Coefficient Estimates for Certain Subclasses of Bi-Univalent Ma-Minda Mocanu-Convex Functions

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we introduce and investigate a new subclass of the function class  $\Sigma$  of bi-univalent functions of the Mocanu-convex type defined in the open unit disk, satisfy Ma and Minda subordination conditions. Furthermore, we find estimates on the Taylor-Maclaurin coefficients  $|a_2|$  and  $|a_3|$  for functions in the new subclass introduced here. Further Application of Hohlov operator to this class is obtained. Several (known or new) consequences of the results are also pointed out.

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## 1 Introduction

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

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n \quad (1.1)$$

normalized by the conditions  $f(0) = 0 = f'(0) - 1$  defined in the open unit disk  $\Delta = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ . A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  is said to be bi-univalent in  $\Delta$  if both  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  are univalent in  $\Delta$ . Let  $\Sigma$  denote the class of bi-univalent functions defined in the unit disk  $\Delta$ . Since  $f \in \Sigma$

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has the Maclaurin series given by (1.1), a computation shows that its inverse  $g = f^{-1}$  has the expansion

$$g(w) = f^{-1}(w) = w - a_2w^2 + (2a_2^2 - a_3)w^3 + \dots \tag{1.2}$$

An analytic function  $f$  is subordinate to an analytic function  $g$ , written as  $f(z) \prec g(z)$ , provided there is an analytic function  $w$  defined on  $\Delta$  with  $w(0) = 0$  and  $|w(z)| < 1$  satisfying  $f(z) = g(w(z))$ . Ma and Minda [5] unified various subclasses of starlike and convex functions for which either of the quantity  $zf'(z)/f(z)$  or  $1 + zf''(z)/f'(z)$  is subordinate to a more general superordinate function. For this purpose, they considered an analytic function  $\phi$  with positive real part in the unit disk  $\Delta$ ,  $\phi(0) = 1$ ,  $\phi'(0) > 0$ , and  $\phi$  maps  $\Delta$  onto a region starlike with respect to 1 and symmetric with respect to the real axis. The class of Ma-Minda starlike functions consists of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfying the subordination  $zf'(z)/f(z) \prec \phi(z)$ . Similarly, the class of Ma-Minda convex functions of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfying the subordination  $1 + zf''(z)/f'(z) \prec \phi(z)$ . A function  $f$  is bi-starlike of Ma-Minda type or bi-convex of Ma-Minda type if both  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  are respectively Ma-Minda starlike or convex. These classes are denoted respectively by  $\mathcal{S}_\Sigma^*(\phi)$  and  $\mathcal{K}_\Sigma(\phi)$ . Also denote by  $\mathcal{M}_\Sigma(\lambda, \phi)$  the class of Ma-Minda Mocanu-convex functions consists of functions  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfying the subordination

$$(1 - \lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \lambda \left( 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \prec \phi(z), \quad \lambda \geq 0.$$

In the sequel, it is assumed that  $\phi$  is an analytic function with positive real part in the unit disk  $\Delta$ , satisfying  $\phi(0) = 1$ ,  $\phi'(0) > 0$ , and  $\phi(\Delta)$  is symmetric with respect to the real axis. Such a function has a series expansion of the form

$$\phi(z) = 1 + B_1z + B_2z^2 + B_3z^3 + \dots, \quad B_1 > 0. \tag{1.3}$$

Recently there has been triggering interest to study bi-univalent functions (see [7, 9, 10]). Motivated by the works of Ali et al. [1] and Goyal and Goswami [3], in this paper we introduce a new subclass  $\mathcal{SP}_\Sigma^\gamma(\lambda, h)$  of bi-univalent functions to estimate the coefficients  $|a_2|$  and  $|a_3|$  for the functions in the class  $\mathcal{SP}_\Sigma^\gamma(\lambda, h)$ .

**Definition 1.1.** Let  $h : \Delta \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a convex univalent function such that  $h(0) = 1$  and  $\Re(h(z)) > 0$ ,  $z \in \Delta$ . A function  $f(z)$  is said to be in the class  $\mathcal{SP}_\Sigma^\gamma(\lambda, h)$  if the following conditions are satisfied:

$$e^{i\gamma} \left[ (1 - \lambda) \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \lambda \left( 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \right] \prec h(z) \cos \gamma + i \sin \gamma, \quad f \in \Sigma, \quad z \in \Delta, \tag{1.4}$$

and

$$e^{i\gamma} \left[ (1 - \lambda) \frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)} + \lambda \left( 1 + \frac{wg''(w)}{g'(w)} \right) \right] \prec h(w) \cos \gamma + i \sin \gamma, \quad w \in \Delta, \tag{1.5}$$

where  $\gamma \in (-\pi/2, \pi/2)$ ,  $\lambda \geq 0$  and  $g = f^{-1}$ .