

# Argument Estimates Of Strongly Close-to-star Functions In A Sector

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## Abstract

In the present investigation, we obtain some sufficient condition for a normalized strongly close-to-star functions in the open disk  $\mathbb{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$  to satisfy the condition

$$-\frac{\pi}{2}\beta \leq \arg \left\{ \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} \right\} \leq \frac{\pi}{2}\alpha, \quad 0 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq 1.$$

The aim of this paper is to generalize a result obtained by N.E.Cho and S.Owa.

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## 1 Introduction

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

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

which are *analytic* in the open unit disk  $\mathbb{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ . Let  $\mathcal{S}$  be the subclass of  $\mathcal{A}$  consisting of all univalent functions. Let us denote  $\mathcal{S}^*$ ,  $\mathcal{K}$  and  $\mathcal{C}$  be the subclasses of  $\mathcal{A}$ , consisting of functions which are respectively starlike, convex and close-to-convex in  $\mathbb{U}$ .

Let  $f(z)$  and  $g(z)$  be analytic functions in  $\mathbb{U}$ . We say that  $f(z)$  is subordinate to  $g(z)$  if there exist analytic function  $w(z)$  such that  $w(0) = 0, |w(z)| < 1$  with  $f(z) = g(w(z))$  and is denoted by  $f \prec g$ .

Let

$$\mathcal{S}^*[A, B] = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \prec \frac{1+Az}{1+Bz}, \quad z \in \mathbb{U} \quad -1 \leq B < A \leq 1 \right\}$$

and

$$\mathcal{K}[A, B] = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{A} : 1 + \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \prec \frac{1+Az}{1+Bz}, \quad z \in \mathbb{U} \quad -1 \leq B < A \leq 1 \right\}$$

The class  $\mathcal{S}^*[A, B]$  and related classes were studied by Janowski[1] and Silverman and Silvia [4] proved

that a function  $f(z)$  is in  $\mathcal{S}^*[A, B]$  iff

$$\left| \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} - \frac{1-AB}{1-B^2} \right| < \frac{A-B}{1-B^2} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}; B \neq -1) \quad (1.2)$$

$$\text{and } \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right\} > \frac{1-A}{2} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}; B = -1) \quad (1.3)$$

**Lemma 1.1.** [3] Let  $p(z)$  be analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  with  $p(0) = 1$  and  $p(z) \neq 0$ . If there exists two points  $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{U}$  such that  $|z_1| = |z_2|$

$$-\frac{\pi}{2}\beta = \arg p(z_1) < \arg p(z) < \arg p(z_2) = \frac{\pi}{2}\alpha, \quad \alpha, \beta > 0 \text{ and, for } |z| < |z_1| = |z_2|,$$

then we have

$$\frac{z_1 p'(z_1)}{p(z_1)} = i \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right) m$$

and

$$\frac{z_2 p'(z_2)}{p(z_2)} = i \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right) m$$

$$\text{where } m \geq \frac{1-|\delta|}{1+|\delta|} \text{ and } \delta = i \tan \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{\alpha + \beta} \right).$$

**Theorem 1.1.** Let  $f \in \mathcal{A}$ . If

$$\left| \arg \left\{ \left( \frac{f'(z)}{g'(z)} \right)^a \left( \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} \right)^b \right\} \right| \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \delta$$

for some

$$g(z) \in \mathcal{K}[A, B],$$

then

$$\left| \arg \left( \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} \right) \right| < \frac{\pi}{2} \alpha$$

where  $\alpha (0 < \alpha \leq 1)$  is the solution of the equation

$$\delta = \begin{cases} (a+b)\alpha + \frac{2}{\pi} a \tan^{-1} \frac{m\alpha \sin \frac{\pi}{2} (1-t(A, B))}{\frac{1+A}{1+B} + m\alpha \cos \frac{\pi}{2} (1-t(A, B))} & , B \neq -1 \\ (a+b)\alpha & , B = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{where } t(A, B) = \frac{2}{\pi} \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{A-B}{1-AB} \right).$$

*Proof.* Let  $p(z) = \frac{f(z)}{g(z)}$ ,  $q(z) = \frac{zg'(z)}{g(z)}$   
by differentiating logarithmically, we have

$$\frac{p'(z)}{p(z)} = \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} - \frac{g'(z)}{g(z)}$$

A simple computation shows that

$$\left( \frac{f'(z)}{g'(z)} \right)^a \left( \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} \right)^b = (p(z))^a + b \left( 1 + \frac{1}{q(z)} \frac{zp'(z)}{p(z)} \right)^a$$

Since  $g(z) \in \mathcal{K}[A, B]$ ,  $g(z) \in \mathcal{S}^*[A, B]$ .

If we take  $q(z) = \rho e^{i\frac{\pi}{2}\phi}$ ,  $z \in \mathbb{U}$ , then it follows from (1.2) and (1.3) that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1-A}{1-B} < \rho < \frac{1+A}{1+B}, \quad -t(A,B) < \phi < t(A,B), \text{ if } B \neq -1, \\ \text{and } \frac{1-A}{2} < \rho < \infty, \quad -1 < \phi < \infty, \text{ if } B = -1, \\ \text{where } t(A,B) = \frac{2}{\pi} \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{A-B}{1-AB} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Let  $p(z) = \frac{f(z)}{g(z)}$ ,  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $g \in \mathcal{A}$ . If there exists two points  $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{U}$  such that

$$-\frac{\pi}{2}\beta = \arg p(z_1) < \arg p(z) < \arg p(z_2) = \frac{\pi}{2}\alpha, \quad \alpha, \beta > 0 \text{ and, for } |z| < |z_1| = |z_2|,$$

then by lemma(1.1), we have

$$\frac{z_1 p'(z_1)}{p(z_1)} = -i \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{4} \right) \left( \frac{1 + t_1^2}{t_1} \right) m$$

and

$$\frac{z_2 p'(z_2)}{p(z_2)} = i \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{4} \right) \left( \frac{1 + t_2^2}{t_2} \right) m. \quad (1.4)$$

where

$$e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2} \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{\alpha + \beta} \right) (p(z_1)) \left( \frac{2}{\alpha + \beta} \right)} = -it_1$$

and

$$e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2} \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{\alpha + \beta} \right) (p(z_2)) \left( \frac{2}{\alpha + \beta} \right)} = it_2, \quad t_1, t_2 > 0. \quad (1.5)$$

and

$$m \geq \frac{1 - |\delta|}{1 + |\delta|} \quad (1.6)$$

Let us put  $z = z_2$ . Then from (1.4),(1.5)and (1.6), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \arg \left\{ \left( \frac{f'(z_2)}{g'(z_2)} \right)^a \left( \frac{f(z_2)}{g(z_2)} \right)^b \right\} &= (a+b) \arg p(z_2) + a \arg \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{q(z_2)} \frac{z_2 p'(z_2)}{p(z_2)} \right\} \\ &= (a+b) \frac{\pi}{2} \alpha + a \arg \left( 1 + \frac{e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}\phi}}{\rho} i \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{4} \right) \left( \frac{1}{t_2} + t_2 \right) m \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \alpha (a+b) + a \arg \left( \rho + m e^{i\frac{\pi}{2}(1-\phi)} \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{4} \right) \left( t_2 + \frac{1}{t_2} \right) \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \alpha (a+b) + a \arg \left( \rho + m \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{4} \right) \left( t_2 + \frac{1}{t_2} \right) \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{2} (1-\phi) + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} (1-\phi) \right) \right) \\ &\geq \frac{\pi}{2} \alpha (a+b) + a \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{m \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{4} \right) \left( t_2 + \frac{1}{t_2} \right) \sin \frac{\pi}{2} (1-\phi)}{\rho + m \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{4} \right) \left( t_2 + \frac{1}{t_2} \right) \cos \frac{\pi}{2} (1-\phi)} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Let us take  $g(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$ ,  $x > 0$ . Then attains the minimum value at  $x = 1$ . Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \arg \left\{ \left( \frac{f'(z_2)}{g'(z_2)} \right)^a \left( \frac{f(z_2)}{g(z_2)} \right)^b \right\} &\geq \frac{\pi}{2} \alpha(a+b) + \operatorname{atan}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{m \left( \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \right) \sin \frac{\pi}{2} (1-\phi)}{\rho + m \left( \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \right) \cos \frac{\pi}{2} (1-\phi)} \right\} \\ &\geq \frac{\pi}{2} \alpha(a+b) + \operatorname{atan}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{m \left( \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \right) \sin \frac{\pi}{2} (1-t(A,B))}{\frac{1+A}{1+B} + m \left( \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \right) \cos \frac{\pi}{2} (1-t(A,B))} \right\} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \delta \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\delta = \begin{cases} (a+b)\alpha + \frac{2}{\pi} \operatorname{atan}^{-1} \left[ \frac{m\alpha \sin \frac{\pi}{2} (1-t(A,B))}{\frac{1+A}{1+B} + m\alpha \cos \frac{\pi}{2} (1-t(A,B))} \right], & B \neq -1 \\ (a+b)\alpha & , B = -1 \end{cases},$$

$$t(A,B) = \frac{2}{\pi} \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{A-B}{1-AB} \right),$$

$$m = \frac{1-|\delta|}{1+|\delta|}, \text{ and } \delta = \operatorname{itan} \left( \frac{\alpha-\beta}{\alpha+\beta} \right).$$

This contradicts the assumption of the theorem. For the case  $z = z_1$ , applying the same method as above, we have

$$\arg \left\{ \left( \frac{f'(z_1)}{g'(z_1)} \right)^a \left( \frac{f(z_1)}{g(z_1)} \right)^b \right\} \leq -\frac{\pi}{2} \beta(a+b) - \operatorname{atan}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{m \left( \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \right) \sin \frac{\pi}{2} (1-\phi)}{\rho + m \left( \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \right) \cos \frac{\pi}{2} (1-\phi)} \right\}$$

This contradiction completes the proof of the theorem.  $\square$

Taking  $\alpha = \beta = 1$  in theorem (1.1), we have the result obtained by NAK Euncho and Shigeyoshi owa [2]

By setting  $a = 1, b = 0, \delta = 1, A = 1$  and  $B = -1$  in theorem (1.1), we have

**Corollary 1.1.** Every close-to-convex function is close-to-star in  $\mathbb{U}$ . ie,

$$\left| \arg \left( \frac{f'(z)}{g'(z)} \right) \right| < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

ie,

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f'(z)}{g'(z)} \right) \geq 0$$

or

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{f'(z)}{g'(z)} \right) \prec \frac{1+z}{1-z}.$$

If we put  $g(z) = z$  in theorem (1.1), then by letting  $B \rightarrow A (A < 1)$ , we obtain

**Corollary 1.2.** If  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  and

$$\left| \arg \left\{ (f'(z))^a \left( \frac{f(z)}{z} \right)^b \right\} \right| < \frac{\pi}{2} \delta \quad (a > 0, b \in \mathbb{R}, 0 < \delta \leq 1)$$

then

$$|\arg f'(z)| < \frac{\pi}{2} \delta$$

where  $\alpha (0 < \alpha \leq 1)$  is the solution of the equation:

$$\delta = (a + b)\alpha + \frac{2}{\pi}a \tan^{-1}(\alpha).$$

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