

INTEGRAL OPERATORS PRESERVING SUBORDINATION AND HARDY CLASSES

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Abstract: In this paper we obtain some results for Hardy classes of some integral operators preserving subordination.

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1. Introduction

Let be U unit disk, $H(U)$ space of analytic functions in U , $E \subset H(U)$ and $I : E \rightarrow H(U)$ integral operator. We say that I is preserving subordination if:

$$f \prec g \Rightarrow I[f] \prec I[g]. \quad (1)$$

In 1935, G.M. Goluzin considered the operator of Alexander $I : H_0 \rightarrow H(U)$ defined by:

$$I[f](z) = \int_0^z f(t) t^{-1} dt \quad (2)$$

when $H_0 = \{f \in H(U) \mid f(0) = 0\}$. He showed that if g is convex than (1) is satisfied.

In 1970, T. Suffridge extended this result to the case when g is starlike.

In 1981, S.S. Miller and P.T. Mocanu [4] using differential subordination theory, extended this results considering the operator $I : H_0 \rightarrow H(U)$ defined by:

$$I[f](z) = \left[\int_0^z f''(t) t^{-1} dt \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \quad (3)$$

He showed that if $\beta \geq 1$ and g is a starlike function this operator is preserving subordination.

In 1975, D. Halkenbeck and S. Ruscheweyh showed that if $\gamma \neq 0$, $\operatorname{Re}\gamma \geq 0$ and g is convex then the operator $I : H(U) \rightarrow H(U)$, defined by [17]:

$$I[f](z) = \frac{1}{z^\gamma} \int_0^z f(t) t^{\gamma-1} dt, \quad (4)$$

is preserving subordination.

In 1989, S.S. Miller and P.T. Mocanu considered the operator of Singh: $I : E \rightarrow H(U)$

$$I[f](z) = \left(\frac{1}{z^\gamma} \int_0^z f^\beta(t) t^{\gamma-1} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \quad (5)$$

determined the conditions for preserving subordination.

2. Preliminaries

For $f \in H(U)$ and $z = re^{i\theta}$ we denote $M(r, f) = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} |f(re^{i\theta})|^p d\theta \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$, for $0 < p < \infty$. In non-integer p equivalent to H realizations of H function length [3][8]

$$M_\infty(r, f) = \sup_{0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi} |f(re^{i\theta})|, \text{ for } p = \infty.$$

A function is said to be of Hardy class H^p , $0 < p \leq \infty$ if $M(r, f)$ remains bounded as $r \rightarrow 1^-$. H^∞ is the class of bounded analytic functions in the unit disk.

Let β and γ be complex constants with $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$, $\operatorname{Re}\gamma \geq 0$ and let $E_{\beta, \gamma}$ be defined as follows:

$$E_{\beta, \gamma} = \begin{cases} H(U), & \text{if } \beta = 1, \gamma \neq 0 \\ H_0, & \text{if } \beta = 1, \gamma = 0 \\ \{f \in H(U) \mid f(z) = z^j h(z), h(z) \neq 0, j \geq 1\}, & \text{if } \frac{1}{\beta} \in \mathbb{N} - \{1\} \\ \{f \in H_0 \mid f'(0) \neq 0, \operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{f''(z)}{f'(z)} + \gamma \right] > 0\}, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Note that $E_{\beta, 0}$ with $\beta > 0$ and $\frac{1}{\beta} \notin \mathbb{N}$ is the class of starlike functions.

Lemma 1. [3]. Let $f \in E_{\beta, 0}$ with $\beta > 0$ and let $g(z) = b_1 z + b_2 z^2 + \dots$ be starlike functions in U . If the operator $F : E_{\beta, 0} \rightarrow H(U)$ is defined by:

$$F[f](z) = \left[\int_0^z f^\beta(t) t^{\gamma-1} dt \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$$

then F is univalent and $f \prec g \Rightarrow F[f] \prec F[g]$.

Lemma 2. [3]. Let $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$, $\operatorname{Re}\gamma \geq 0$ and $f, g \in E_{\beta, \gamma}$ with $g'(0) \neq 0$. Let

$$\text{where } \delta = \frac{\beta + \gamma}{2} + \frac{1}{2}, \quad \operatorname{Re} \left[(\beta - 1) \frac{zg'(z)}{g(z)} + \left(1 + \frac{zg''(z)}{g'(z)} \right) \right] > -\delta \quad (6)$$

when

$$\delta = \min \left\{ \operatorname{Re}\gamma, \frac{2\operatorname{Re}\beta \operatorname{Re}\gamma}{((\beta + \gamma) + |\beta - \gamma|)^2} \right\}.$$

If $I : E_{\beta, \gamma} \rightarrow H(U)$ is the operator (5) then $I[g]$ is univalent and $f \prec g \Rightarrow I[f] \prec I[g]$.

3. Main Results

Theorem 1. If $f \in H_0$, g is a starlike function, $f \prec g$ and I is the Alexander's operator (2), then

- (i) $I[f] \in H^{\frac{1-\lambda}{2}}$, for all $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$; (ii) $I^n(f) \in H^\infty$, $n \geq 2$ ($I^n = \underbrace{I \circ \cdots \circ I}_{n \text{ times}}$)

Proof. Since the Alexander operator preserves subordination we have $I[f] \prec I[g]$. Because g is starlike function from [1] we have $I[g] \in H^\lambda$, $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$. Applying the subordination's theorem of Littlewood we obtain $I[f] \in H^\lambda$, $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$. From theorem 7 [1] we have for the Alexander's operator $I^n(f) \in H^\infty$.

Theorem 2. If $f \in H_0$, g is convex function and I is the Bernardi's operator: $I[f](z) = \frac{1+\gamma}{2} \int_0^z f(t) t^{\gamma-1} dt$, with $\operatorname{Re}\gamma > 0$ and $f \prec g$, then $I^n(f) \in H^\infty$.

Proof. Since the Bernardi's operator differs only by a constant from the operator (4), it has the same Hardy class as (4). Since g is convex function and from Theorem 7 [1] we have $I[g] \in H^\infty$, hence $I[f] \in H^\infty$.

If we consider the all analytical functions such that for any function from this class there exists a convex function to which it is subordinated, then the Bernardi's operator transform this class into the class of bounded functions.

Theorem 3. Let $f \in H_0$ and $\beta \geq 1$, $\gamma = 0$ in the operator of Singh (5) and let g starlike function that $f \prec g$ then $I^n[f] \in H^\infty$.

- (i) if $\beta > \frac{n}{2}$ then $I^n[f] \in H^{\frac{2p}{\beta-p}}$, $(\forall p)$ $p < \frac{1}{2}$; (ii) if $\beta \leq \frac{n}{2}$ then $I^n[f] \in H^\infty$.

Proof. The operator of Singh for $\gamma = 0$ differs from the operator $F[f](z) = \left[\int_0^z f^\beta(t) t^{-1} dt \right]$ by a constant so that they have the same Hardy class. If $\beta \geq 1$ and g is starlike then F preserves subordination. From $f \prec g$ and $I(g) \in H^\infty$, $\lambda = \frac{\beta p}{\beta-p}$, $p < \frac{1}{2}$ we have

$I(f) \in H^\lambda$. From Theorem 7 [1] we obtain for $\beta > \frac{n}{2}$, $I^n[f] \in H^{\frac{n\beta}{\beta-n}}$ and for $\beta \leq \frac{n}{2}$, $I^n[f] \in H^\infty$.

Theorem 4. Let $f \in E_{\beta,0}$ with $\beta > 0$ and let $f \prec g$, $g(z) = b_1 z + b_2 z^2 + \dots$ is starlike in U . If I is the operator of Singh then

- (i) if $\beta > \frac{n}{2}$ then $I^{n+1}(f) \in H^{\frac{n\beta}{\beta-n}}$, $p < \frac{1}{2}$; (ii) if $\beta \leq \frac{n}{2}$ then $I^{n+1}(f) \in H^\infty$.

Proof. From Lemma 1 we have that for the operator $F[f](z) = \left[\int_0^z f^\beta(t) t^{-1} dt \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$, $f \prec g \Rightarrow F(f) \prec G(g)$. Hence $F(f) \in H^\lambda$, $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$. For the operator $B[f](z) = \left(\int_0^z f^\beta(t) t^{-1} dt \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$ we have $B(f) \in H^\lambda$, $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$. Let $I = A \circ B$ be the operator of Singh where $A[f](z) = \left(\frac{\beta+n}{\beta+n-1} f^\beta(z) \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$. The operator $A \in H^p$ for $f \in H^p$. Hence $A(B) \in H^\lambda$, $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$ and $I(f) \in H^\lambda$, $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$. From Theorem 7 [1] we obtain the result.

The following result is important for the operator of Singh since β is complex number.

Theorem 5. If $\beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{C}$, $\operatorname{Re}\beta > 0$, $\operatorname{Re}\gamma > 0$ and $f, g \in E_{\beta, \gamma}$ with $g'(0) \neq 0$ and g verifies (6) and $f \prec g$ then for the integral operator of Singh I we have: $I[f] \in H^\lambda$, $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$.

Proof. From Lemma 2 we have for the operator F defined by (5) $f \prec g \Rightarrow F(f) \prec F(g)$ and F is univalent. Hence $F(f) \in H^\lambda$, $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$. $I[f]$ and $F[f]$ are different by a constant. Hence we obtain $I[f] \in H^\lambda$, $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$.

Corollary. If g is an analytic function, $g'(0) \neq 0$ and $\operatorname{Re} \left[1 + \frac{sg''(z)}{g'(z)} \right] > \frac{1}{2}$, then for $G(z) = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^z g(t) dt$ we have $G \in H^\lambda$ for all $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$.

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