

## UNIVALENCE OF TWO GENERAL INTEGRAL OPERATORS

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### Abstract

In this paper, we give some sufficient conditions for general two integral operators to be univalent in the open unit disk.

## 1 Introduction and definitions

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be the class of all analytic functions  $f(z)$  defined in the open unit disk  $\mathcal{U} = \{z : |z| < 1\}$  and normalized by the condition  $f(0) = 0 = f'(0) - 1$ . Further, by  $\mathcal{S}$  we shall denote the class of all functions in  $\mathcal{A}$  which are univalent in  $\mathcal{U}$ . Recently, Breaz and Breaz [6] and Breaz et al. [10] introduced and studied the integral operators

$$F_n(z) = \int_0^z \left(\frac{f_1(t)}{t}\right)^{\alpha_1} \dots \left(\frac{f_n(t)}{t}\right)^{\alpha_n} dt \quad (1)$$

and

$$F_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(z) = \int_0^z (f_1'(t))^{\alpha_1} \dots (f_n'(t))^{\alpha_n} dt \quad (2)$$

where  $f_i \in \mathcal{A}$  and for  $\alpha_i > 0$ , for all  $i = 1, \dots, n$  (see also [3, 4, 5, 7, 9]).

Breaz and Güney [8] considered the above integral operators and they obtained their properties on the classes  $\mathcal{S}_\alpha^*(b)$ ,  $\mathcal{C}_\alpha(b)$  of starlike and convex functions of complex order  $b$  and type  $\alpha$  introduced and studied by Frasin [11].

Very recently, Frasin [12] obtained some sufficient conditions for the above integral operators to be in the classes  $\mathcal{S}^*$ ,  $\mathcal{C}(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{UCV}$ , where  $\mathcal{C}(\alpha)$  and  $\mathcal{UCV}$  denote the subclasses of  $\mathcal{A}$  consisting of functions which are, respectively, close -to-convex of order  $\alpha$  ( $0 \leq \alpha < 1$ ) in  $\mathcal{U}$  and uniformly convex functions.

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In the present paper, we obtain some sufficient conditions for the above integral operators  $F_n(z)$  and  $F_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(z)$  to be univalent in  $\mathcal{U}$ .

In order to derive our main results, we have to recall here the following lemma:

**Lemma 1.1.** ([1]) Let  $f \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0$ . If for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$  the inequality

$$\operatorname{Re} \left\{ e^{i\theta} \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right\} \leq \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}(\beta) & \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re}(\beta) < 1 \\ \frac{1}{4} & \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(\beta) \geq 1 \end{cases} \quad (z \in \mathcal{U})$$

is valid, then the function

$$G_\beta(z) = \left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} f'(u) du \right\}^{1/\beta}$$

is in  $\mathcal{S}$ , for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

## 2 Main results.

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $\alpha_j > 0$  be real numbers for all  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ,  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0$ . If  $f_j \in \mathcal{A}$  for all  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$  satisfies

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf'_j(z)}{f_j(z)} \right) \leq \begin{cases} \frac{\operatorname{Re}(\beta)}{2 \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j} + \cos \theta & \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re}(\beta) < 1 \\ \frac{1}{4 \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j} + \cos \theta & \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(\beta) \geq 1 \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ , then the function

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} \prod_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{f_j(u)}{u} \right)^{\alpha_j} du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

*Proof.* From (1) we observe that  $F_n \in \mathcal{A}$ , i.e.  $F_n(0) = F'_n(0) - 1 = 0$ . On the other hand, it is easy to see that

$$F'_n(z) = \prod_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{f_j(z)}{z} \right)^{\alpha_j}$$

and

$$\left(\frac{zF_n''(z)}{F_n'(z)}\right) = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \left(\frac{zf_j'(z)}{f_j(z)}\right) - \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j$$

thus we have

$$\left(e^{i\theta} \frac{zF_n''(z)}{F_n'(z)}\right) = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \left(e^{i\theta} \frac{zf_j'(z)}{f_j(z)}\right) - e^{i\theta} \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j. \tag{4}$$

It follows from (4) and the hypothesis (3) that

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zF_n''(z)}{F_n'(z)} \right) &= \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf_j'(z)}{f_j(z)} \right) - (\cos \theta) \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \\ &\leq \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}(\beta) & \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re}(\beta) < 1 \\ \frac{1}{4} & \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(\beta) \geq 1 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ . Applying Lemma 1.1, we have

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} F_n'(u) du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

or, equivalently

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} \prod_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{f_j(u)}{u} \right)^{\alpha_j} du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

This completes the proof. □

Letting  $n = 1$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha$  and  $f_1 = f$  in Theorem 2.1, we have

**Corollary 2.2.** *Let  $\alpha > 0$  be real number,  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0$ . If  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies*

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right) \leq \begin{cases} \frac{\operatorname{Re}(\beta)}{2\alpha} + \cos \theta & \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re}(\beta) < 1 \\ \frac{1}{4\alpha} + \cos \theta & \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(\beta) \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ , then the function

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} \left( \frac{f(u)}{u} \right)^\alpha du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

Letting  $\alpha = 1$  in Corollary 2.2, we have

**Corollary 2.3.** Let  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0$ . If  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right) \leq \begin{cases} \frac{\operatorname{Re}(\beta)}{2} + \cos \theta & \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re}(\beta) < 1 \\ \frac{1}{4} + \cos \theta & \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(\beta) \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ , then the function

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-2} f(u) du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

Letting  $\beta = 1$  in Corollary 2.3, we have

**Corollary 2.4.** If  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right) \leq \frac{1}{4} + \cos \theta$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ , then the function

$$\int_0^z \frac{f(u)}{u} du \in \mathcal{S}$$

for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

Next, we have

**Theorem 2.5.** Let  $\alpha_j > 0$  be real numbers for all  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ,  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0$ . If  $f_j \in \mathcal{A}$  for all  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$  satisfies

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf_j''(z)}{f_j'(z)} \right) \leq \begin{cases} \frac{\operatorname{Re}(\beta)}{2 \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j} & \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re}(\beta) < 1 \\ \frac{1}{4 \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j} & \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(\beta) \geq 1 \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ , then the function

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} \prod_{j=1}^n (f_j'(u))^{\alpha_j} du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

*Proof.* It follows from (2) that  $F_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(0) = F'_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(0) - 1 = 0$ . Also a simple computation yields

$$\left( \frac{zF''_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(z)}{F'_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(z)} \right) = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \left( \frac{zf''_j(z)}{f'_j(z)} \right). \tag{6}$$

Thus we have

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zF''_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(z)}{F'_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(z)} \right) = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf''_j(z)}{f'_j(z)} \right). \tag{7}$$

Since  $f_j$  satisfies the condition (5) for every  $j = 1, \dots, n$ , then from (7), we obtain

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zF''_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(z)}{F'_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(z)} \right) \leq \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}(\beta) & \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re}(\beta) < 1 \\ \frac{1}{4} & \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(\beta) \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ . Lemma 1.1 implies that

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} F'_{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n}(u) du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

or, equivalently

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} \prod_{j=1}^n (f'_j(u))^{\alpha_j} du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ . □

Letting  $n = 1$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha$  and  $f_1 = f$  in Theorem 2.5, we have

**Corollary 2.6.** *Let  $\alpha > 0$  be real number,  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0$ . If  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies*

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \leq \begin{cases} \frac{\operatorname{Re}(\beta)}{2\alpha} & \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re}(\beta) < 1 \\ \frac{1}{4\alpha} & \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(\beta) \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ , then the function

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} (f'(u))^\alpha du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

Letting  $\alpha = 1$  in Corollary 2.6, we have

**Corollary 2.7.** *Let  $\beta \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0$ . If  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies*

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \leq \begin{cases} \frac{\operatorname{Re}(\beta)}{2} & \text{for } 0 < \operatorname{Re}(\beta) < 1 \\ \frac{1}{4} & \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(\beta) \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

*for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ , then the function*

$$\left\{ \beta \int_0^z u^{\beta-1} f'(u) du \right\}^{1/\beta} \in \mathcal{S}$$

*for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .*

Letting  $\beta = 1$  in Corollary 2.7, we obtain the following result of Blezu and Pascu [2].

**Corollary 2.8.** *([2]) If  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies*

$$\operatorname{Re} \left( e^{i\theta} \frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)} \right) \leq \frac{1}{4}$$

*for all  $z \in \mathcal{U}$  and for some  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ , then  $f \in \mathcal{S}$  for all  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ .*

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