

**SOME PROPERTIES OF CERTAIN SUBCLASSES OF  
 MULTIVALENT FUNCTIONS INVOLVING THE  
 DZIOK-SRIVASTAVA OPERATOR**

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ABSTRACT. The main purpose of the present paper is to derive such results as inclusion relationships and convolution properties for certain new subclasses of multivalent analytic functions involving the Dziok-Srivastava operator. The results presented here would provide extensions of those given in earlier works. Several other new results are also obtained.

1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

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

$$f(z) = z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{n+p} z^{n+p} \quad (p \in \mathbb{N} := \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}), \quad (1.1)$$

which are *analytic* in the *open* unit disk

$$\mathbb{U} := \{z : z \in \mathbb{C} \text{ and } |z| < 1\}.$$

For simplicity, we write

$$\mathcal{A}_1 =: \mathcal{A}.$$

Let  $f, g \in \mathcal{A}_p$ , where  $f$  is given by (1.1) and  $g$  is defined by

$$g(z) = z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_{n+p} z^{n+p}.$$

Then the Hadamard product (or convolution)  $f * g$  of the functions  $f$  and  $g$  is defined by

$$(f * g)(z) := z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{n+p} b_{n+p} z^{n+p} =: (g * f)(z).$$

For parameters

$$\alpha_j \in \mathbb{C} \quad (j = 1, \dots, l) \quad \text{and} \quad \beta_j \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \mathbb{Z}_0^- \quad (\mathbb{Z}_0^- := \{0, -1, -2, \dots\}; j = 1, \dots, m),$$

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the generalized hypergeometric function

$${}_lF_m(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l; \beta_1, \dots, \beta_m; z)$$

is defined by the following infinite series:

$${}_lF_m(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l; \beta_1, \dots, \beta_m; z) := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{z^n}{n!}$$

$$(l \leq m+1; l, m \in \mathbb{N}_0 := \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}; z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

where  $(\lambda)_n$  is the Pochhammer symbol defined by

$$(\lambda)_n := \begin{cases} 1 & (n = 0), \\ \lambda(\lambda+1) \cdots (\lambda+n-1) & (n \in \mathbb{N}). \end{cases}$$

Recently, Dziok and Srivastava [8] introduced a linear operator

$$H_p(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l; \beta_1, \dots, \beta_m) : \mathcal{A}_p \longrightarrow \mathcal{A}_p$$

defined by the Hadamard product

$$H_p(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l; \beta_1, \dots, \beta_m)f(z) := [z^p {}_lF_m(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l; \beta_1, \dots, \beta_m)] * f(z) \quad (1.2)$$

$$(l \leq m+1; l, m \in \mathbb{N}_0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

If  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  is given by (1.1), then we have

$$H_p(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l; \beta_1, \dots, \beta_m)f(z) = z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} a_{n+p} \frac{z^{n+p}}{n!} \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}).$$

In order to make the notation simple, we write

$$H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) := H_p(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l; \beta_1, \dots, \beta_m) \quad (l \leq m+1; l, m \in \mathbb{N}_0).$$

It is easily verified from the definition (1.2) that

$$z (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) = \alpha_1 H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1)f(z) - (\alpha_1 - p)H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f(z). \quad (1.3)$$

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

$$p(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} p_n z^n,$$

which are analytic and convex in  $\mathbb{U}$  and satisfy the condition

$$\Re(p(z)) > 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

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

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

if there exists a Schwarz function  $\omega$ , which is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  with

$$\omega(0) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad |\omega(z)| < 1 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U})$$

such that

$$f(z) = g(\omega(z)) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Indeed, it is known that

$$f(z) \prec g(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}) \implies f(0) = g(0) \quad \text{and} \quad f(\mathbb{U}) \subset g(\mathbb{U}).$$

Furthermore, if the function  $g$  is univalent in  $\mathbb{U}$ , then we have the following equivalence:

$$f(z) \prec g(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}) \iff f(0) = g(0) \quad \text{and} \quad f(\mathbb{U}) \subset g(\mathbb{U}).$$

Throughout this paper, we assume that

$$p, k \in \mathbb{N}, \quad l, m \in \mathbb{N}_0, \quad \varepsilon_k = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{k}\right),$$

$$f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} \varepsilon_k^{-jp} (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)(\varepsilon_k^j z) = z^p + \dots \quad (f \in \mathcal{A}_p), \quad (1.4)$$

$$g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) = \frac{1}{2} \left[ H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f(z) + \overline{H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f(\bar{z})} \right] = z^p + \dots \quad (f \in \mathcal{A}_p), \quad (1.5)$$

and

$$h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) = \frac{1}{2} \left[ H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f(z) - \overline{H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f(-\bar{z})} \right] = z^p + \dots \quad (f \in \mathcal{A}_p). \quad (1.6)$$

Clearly, for  $k = 1$ , we have

$$f_{p,1}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) = H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f(z).$$

In recent years, several authors obtained many interesting results involving the Dziok-Srivastava operator  $H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)$  (see, for details, [1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34]). In the present paper, by making use of the Dziok-Srivastava operator  $H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)$  and the above-mentioned principle of subordination between analytic functions, we introduce and investigate the following subclasses of the class  $\mathcal{A}_p$  of  $p$ -valent analytic functions.

**Definition 1.1.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  is said to be in the class  $\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  if it satisfies the subordination condition

$$\frac{z \left[ (1 - \alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1 - \alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}), \quad (1.7)$$

where  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$ ,  $f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)$  is defined by (1.4) and

$$f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

For simplicity, we write

$$\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(0; \alpha_1; \phi) =: \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Remark 1.1.** If we set

$$p = 1, \quad l = 2, \quad m = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \beta_1 = 1$$

in the class  $\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , then it reduces to the known class  $\mathcal{S}^{(k)}(\alpha; \phi)$  of functions  $\alpha$ -starlike with respect to  $k$ -symmetric points, which was studied earlier by Parvatham and Radha [21]. If we set

$$p = 1, \quad l = 2, \quad m = 1, \quad \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \beta_1 = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad \alpha = 0$$

in the class  $\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , then it reduces to the class  $\mathcal{S}^{(k)}(\phi)$  of functions starlike with respect to  $k$ -symmetric points, which was considered by Wang *et al.* [33]. Furthermore, we note that the class  $\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi)$  was introduced and investigated recently by Wang *et al.* [34] (see also Huang and Liu [12] and Xu and Yang [35]).

**Definition 1.2.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  is said to be in the class  $\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  if it satisfies the subordination condition

$$z \frac{\left[ (1-\alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1)f)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1-\alpha)g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

where  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$ ,  $g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)$  is defined by (1.5) and

$$g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

For simplicity, we write

$$\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(0; \alpha_1; \phi) =: \mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Definition 1.3.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  is said to be in the class  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  if it satisfies the subordination condition

$$z \frac{\left[ (1-\alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1)f)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1-\alpha)h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

where  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$ ,  $h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)$  is defined by (1.6) and

$$h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

For simplicity, we write

$$\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(0; \alpha_1; \phi) =: \mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Remark 1.2.** In 1996, Chen *et al.* [5] introduced and investigated a subclass  $\mathcal{S}_{sc}^*(\alpha)$  of  $\mathcal{A}$  consisting of functions which are  $\alpha$ -starlike with respect to symmetric conjugate points and satisfy the inequality

$$\Re \left( \frac{z \left[ (1-\alpha)f'(z) + \alpha(zf'(z))' \right]}{(1-\alpha)T_{sc}f(z) + \alpha z(T_{sc}f(z))'} \right) > 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

where

$$T_{sc}f(z) = \frac{1}{2} \left[ f(z) - \overline{f(-\bar{z})} \right].$$

It is easy to see that, if we set

$$p = 1, \quad l = 2, \quad m = 1, \quad \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \beta_1 = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad \phi(z) = \frac{1+z}{1-z}$$

in the class  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , then it reduces to the class  $\mathcal{S}_{sc}^*(\alpha)$ .

**Definition 1.4.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  is said to be in the class  $\mathfrak{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  if it satisfies the subordination condition

$$z \frac{\left[ (1-\alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1)f)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1-\alpha)\mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha \mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

where  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$ ,  $\mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)$  is defined as in (1.4) and

$$\mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

For simplicity, we write

$$\mathfrak{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(0; \alpha_1; \phi) =: \mathfrak{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Remark 1.3.** If we set

$$p = 1, \quad l = 2, \quad m = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \beta_1 = 1$$

in the class  $\mathfrak{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , then it reduces to the known class  $\mathcal{C}^{(k)}(\alpha, \phi)$  of functions  $\alpha$ -close-to-convex with respect to  $k$ -symmetric points, which was also studied earlier by Parvatham and Radha [21]. Furthermore, we also note that the class  $\mathfrak{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi)$  was introduced and investigated recently by Wang *et al.* [34].

**Definition 1.5.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  is said to be in the class  $\mathfrak{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  if it satisfies the subordination condition

$$\frac{z \left[ (1 - \alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1 - \alpha) \mathfrak{g}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha \mathfrak{g}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

where  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$ ,  $\mathfrak{g}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)$  is defined as in (1.5) and

$$\mathfrak{g}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

For simplicity, we write

$$\mathfrak{G}_p^{l,m}(0; \alpha_1; \phi) =: \mathfrak{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Definition 1.6.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  is said to be in the class  $\mathfrak{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  if it satisfies the subordination condition

$$\frac{z \left[ (1 - \alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1 - \alpha) \mathfrak{h}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha \mathfrak{h}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

where  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$ ,  $\mathfrak{h}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)$  is defined as in (1.6) and

$$\mathfrak{h}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \neq 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

For simplicity, we write

$$\mathfrak{H}_p^{l,m}(0; \alpha_1; \phi) =: \mathfrak{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

In order to establish our main results, we need the following lemmas.

**Lemma 1.1.** (See [10, 16]) *Let  $\beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{C}$ . Suppose that  $\phi(z)$  is convex and univalent in  $\mathbb{U}$  with*

$$\phi(0) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \Re(\beta\phi(z) + \gamma) > 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

*If  $\mathfrak{p}$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  with  $\mathfrak{p}(0) = 1$ , then the subordination*

$$\mathfrak{p}(z) + \frac{z\mathfrak{p}'(z)}{\beta\mathfrak{p}(z) + \gamma} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U})$$

*implies that*

$$\mathfrak{p}(z) \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

**Lemma 1.2.** (See [20]) *Let  $\beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{C}$ . Suppose that  $\phi(z)$  is convex and univalent in  $\mathbb{U}$  with*

$$\phi(0) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \Re(\beta\phi(z) + \gamma) > 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Also let

$$\mathbf{q}(z) \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

If  $\mathbf{p} \in \mathcal{P}$  and satisfies the subordination

$$\mathbf{p}(z) + \frac{z\mathbf{p}'(z)}{\beta\mathbf{q}(z) + \gamma} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

then

$$\mathbf{p}(z) \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

**Lemma 1.3.** *Let  $f \in \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ . Then*

$$\frac{z \left[ (1-\alpha) \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(z) + \alpha \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1) f \right)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1-\alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \quad (1.8)$$

Furthermore, if  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Then

$$\frac{z \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)'}{p f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

*Proof.* Making use of (1.4), we have

$$\begin{aligned} f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \varepsilon_k^j z) &= \frac{1}{k} \sum_{n=0}^{k-1} \varepsilon_k^{-np} (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f) (\varepsilon_k^{n+j} z) \\ &= \varepsilon_k^{jp} \cdot \frac{1}{k} \sum_{n=0}^{k-1} \varepsilon_k^{-(n+j)p} (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f) (\varepsilon_k^{n+j} z) \\ &= \varepsilon_k^{jp} f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \quad (j \in \{0, 1, \dots, k-1\}), \end{aligned} \quad (1.9)$$

and

$$\left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)' = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{n=0}^{k-1} \varepsilon_k^{-j(p-1)} (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f) (\varepsilon_k^j z). \quad (1.10)$$

Replacing  $\alpha_1$  by  $\alpha_1 + 1$  in (1.9) and (1.10), respectively, we get

$$f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; \varepsilon_k^j z) = \varepsilon_k^{jp} f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \quad (j \in \{0, 1, \dots, k-1\}), \quad (1.11)$$

and

$$\left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \right)' = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{n=0}^{k-1} \varepsilon_k^{-j(p-1)} (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1) f) (\varepsilon_k^j z). \quad (1.12)$$

From (1.9) to (1.12), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & z \left[ \frac{(1-\alpha) \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(z) + \alpha \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1) f \right)'(z)}{p \left[ (1-\alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right]} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} \frac{\varepsilon_k^{-j(p-1)} z \left[ (1-\alpha) \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(\varepsilon_k^j z) + \alpha \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1) f \right)'(\varepsilon_k^j z) \right]}{p \left[ (1-\alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right]} \\
 &= \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} \frac{\varepsilon_k^j z \left[ (1-\alpha) \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(\varepsilon_k^j z) + \alpha \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1) f \right)'(\varepsilon_k^j z) \right]}{p \left[ (1-\alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \varepsilon_k^j z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; \varepsilon_k^j z) \right]}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{1.13}$$

Moreover, since  $f \in \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{q,s}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , it follows that

$$\frac{\varepsilon_k^j z \left[ (1-\alpha) \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(\varepsilon_k^j z) + \alpha \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1) f \right)'(\varepsilon_k^j z) \right]}{p \left[ (1-\alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \varepsilon_k^j z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; \varepsilon_k^j z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \tag{1.14}$$

$$(z \in \mathbb{U}; j \in \{0, 1, \dots, k-1\}).$$

By noting that  $\phi(z)$  is convex and univalent in  $\mathbb{U}$ , from (1.13) and (1.14), we conclude that the assertion (1.8) of Lemma 1.3 holds true.

Next, making use of the relationships (1.3) and (1.4), we know that

$$\begin{aligned}
 z \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)' + (\alpha_1 - p) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) &= \frac{\alpha_1}{k} \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} \varepsilon_k^{-jp} \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1) f \right)'(\varepsilon_k^j z) \\
 &= \alpha_1 f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z).
 \end{aligned} \tag{1.15}$$

Let  $f \in \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  and suppose that

$$\psi(z) = \frac{z \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)'}{p f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \tag{1.16}$$

Then  $\psi$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  and  $\psi(0) = 1$ . It follows from (1.15) and (1.16) that

$$\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z) = \alpha_1 \frac{f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z)}{f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \tag{1.17}$$

From (1.16) and (1.17), we have

$$z \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right)' = \frac{p}{\alpha_1} [z\psi'(z) + (\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))\psi(z)] f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z). \tag{1.18}$$

It now follows from (1.8), (1.16), (1.17) and (1.18) that

$$\begin{aligned}
& z \left[ (1-\alpha) \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(z) + \alpha \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1) f \right)'(z) \right] \\
& \quad \frac{p \left[ (1-\alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right]}{p(1-\alpha)\psi(z)f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} p[z\psi'(z) + (\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))\psi(z)]f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \\
& = \frac{p(1-\alpha)\psi(z)f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} p(\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))\psi(z)}{p(1-\alpha)f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} p(\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \\
& = \frac{(1-\alpha)\psi(z) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} [z\psi'(z) + (\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))\psi(z)]}{(1-\alpha) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} (\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))} \\
& = \frac{\frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} z\psi'(z) + \left[ (1-\alpha) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} (\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z)) \right] \psi(z)}{(1-\alpha) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} (\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))} \\
& = \psi(z) + \frac{z\psi'(z)}{\frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p + p\psi(z)} \prec \phi(z).
\end{aligned} \tag{1.19}$$

Since

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Thus, by (1.19) and Lemma 1.1, we know that

$$\psi(z) = \frac{z \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)'}{p f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \prec \phi(z).$$

This completes the proof of Lemma 1.3.  $\square$

By similarly applying the method of proof of Lemma 1.3 for the classes  $\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  and  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , we get the following results.

**Lemma 1.4.** *Let  $f \in \mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ . Then*

$$\frac{z \left[ (1-\alpha) \left( g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(z) + \alpha \left( g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1) f \right)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1-\alpha) g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Furthermore, if  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Then

$$\frac{z \left( g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)'}{p g_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

**Lemma 1.5.** *Let  $f \in \mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ . Then*

$$\frac{z \left[ (1-\alpha) \left( h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(z) + \alpha \left( h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1) f \right)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1-\alpha) h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1+1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Furthermore, if  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Then

$$\frac{z \left( h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)'}{p h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

In the present paper, we aim at proving such results as inclusion relationships and convolution properties for the function classes  $\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{S}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{S}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , and  $\mathfrak{S}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ . The results presented here would provide extensions of those given in earlier works. Several other new results are also obtained.

## 2. A SET OF INCLUSION RELATIONSHIPS

At first, we provide some inclusion relationships for the classes  $\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{S}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{S}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , and  $\mathfrak{S}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , which were defined in the preceding section.

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with*

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Then

$$\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi) \subset \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

*Proof.* Let  $f \in \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  and suppose that

$$q(z) = \frac{z \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) f \right)'(z)}{p f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \quad (2.1)$$

Then  $q$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  and  $q(0) = 1$ . It follows from (1.3) and (2.1) that

$$q(z) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) = \frac{\alpha_1}{p} H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1) f(z) - \frac{\alpha_1 - p}{p} H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f(z). \quad (2.2)$$

Differentiating both sides of (2.2) with respect to  $z$  and using (2.1), we have

$$z q'(z) + \left( \alpha_1 - p + \frac{z \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)'}{f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \right) q(z) = \frac{\alpha_1}{p} \frac{z \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1) f \right)'(z)}{f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)}. \quad (2.3)$$

It now follows from (1.7), (1.17), (2.1) and (2.3) that

$$\begin{aligned}
& z \left[ (1 - \alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f)'(z) \right] \\
& \quad \frac{p \left[ (1 - \alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \right]}{p(1 - \alpha)q(z)f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1}p [zq'(z) + (\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))q(z)] f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \\
& \quad = \frac{p \left[ (1 - \alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1}(\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right]}{(1 - \alpha)q(z) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} [zq'(z) + (\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))q(z)]} \\
& \quad = \frac{\frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1}zq'(z) + \left[ (1 - \alpha) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1}(\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z)) \right] q(z)}{(1 - \alpha) + \frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1}(\alpha_1 - p + p\psi(z))} \\
& \quad = q(z) + \frac{zq'(z)}{\frac{\alpha}{\alpha_1} - p + p\psi(z)} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).
\end{aligned} \tag{2.4}$$

Moreover, since

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

by Lemma 1.1, we know that

$$\psi(z) = \frac{z \left( f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)'}{p f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Thus, an application of Lemma 1.2 to (2.4), we have

$$q(z) \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

that is  $f \in \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi)$ . This implies that

$$\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi) \subset \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

Hence the proof of Theorem 2.1 is complete.  $\square$

In view of Lemmas 1.4 and 1.5, by similarly applying the method of proof of Theorem 2.1 for the classes  $\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  and  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , we easily get the following inclusion relationships.

**Corollary 2.1.** *Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with*

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

*Then*

$$\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi) \subset \mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Corollary 2.2.** *Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with*

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

*Then*

$$\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi) \subset \mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Theorem 2.2.** *Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with*

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

*Then*

$$\mathfrak{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi) \subset \mathfrak{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi). \quad (2.5)$$

*Proof.* Let  $f \in \mathfrak{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  and suppose that

$$p(z) = \frac{z (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)f)'(z)}{p_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}). \quad (2.6)$$

Then  $p$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  and  $p(0) = 1$ . It follows from (1.3) and (2.6) that

$$p(z) \mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) = \frac{\alpha_1}{p} H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f(z) - \frac{\alpha_1 - p}{p} H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f(z). \quad (2.7)$$

Differentiating both sides of (2.7) with respect to  $z$  and using (2.6), we have

$$zp'(z) + \left( \alpha_1 - p + \frac{z (\mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z))'}{\mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \right) p(z) = \frac{\alpha_1 z (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f)'(z)}{p \mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)}.$$

Furthermore, we suppose that

$$\varphi(z) = \frac{z (\mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z))'}{p \mathfrak{f}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

The remainder of the proof of Theorem 2.2 is similar to that of Theorem 2.1. We, therefore, choose to omit the analogous details involved. We thus find that

$$p(z) \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}),$$

which implies that  $f \in \mathfrak{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi)$ . The proof of Theorem 2.2 is evidently completed.  $\square$

By similarly applying the method of proof of Theorem 2.1 for the classes  $\mathfrak{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  and  $\mathfrak{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , we easily get the following inclusion relationships.

**Corollary 2.3.** *Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with*

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

*Then*

$$\mathfrak{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi) \subset \mathfrak{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Corollary 2.4.** *Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with*

$$\Re \left( p\phi(z) + \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha} - p \right) > 0 \quad (\alpha > 0; z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

*Then*

$$\mathfrak{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi) \subset \mathfrak{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

By similarly applying the method of proof of Theorems 1 and 2 obtained by Wang *et al.* [34] for the function classes  $\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathfrak{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  and  $\mathfrak{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , we also easily get the following inclusion relationships.

**Corollary 2.5.** Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with

$$\Re(p\phi(z) + \alpha_1 - p) > 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Then

$$\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; \phi) \subset \mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Corollary 2.6.** Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with

$$\Re(p\phi(z) + \alpha_1 - p) > 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Then

$$\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; \phi) \subset \mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Corollary 2.7.** Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with

$$\Re(p\phi(z) + \alpha_1 - p) > 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Then

$$\mathfrak{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; \phi) \subset \mathfrak{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

**Corollary 2.8.** Let  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$  with

$$\Re(p\phi(z) + \alpha_1 - p) > 0 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

Then

$$\mathfrak{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; \phi) \subset \mathfrak{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi).$$

### 3. CONVOLUTION PROPERTIES

In this section, we provide some convolution properties for the function classes  $\mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ ,  $\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , and  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  and  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  if and only if

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{z} \left\{ f * \left[ (1 - \alpha) \left( pz^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{n+p}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) \right. \right. \\ & \quad - p(1 - \alpha)\phi(e^{i\theta}) \left( z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{1}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) * \left( \frac{1}{k} \sum_{v=0}^{k-1} \frac{z^p}{1 - \varepsilon^v z} \right) \\ & \quad + \alpha \left( pz^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1 + 1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{n+p}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) \\ & \quad \left. \left. - p\alpha\phi(e^{i\theta}) \left( z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1 + 1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{1}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) * \left( \frac{1}{k} \sum_{v=0}^{k-1} \frac{z^p}{1 - \varepsilon^v z} \right) \right] \right\} \neq 0 \\ & \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}; 0 \leq \theta < 2\pi). \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Suppose that  $f \in \mathcal{F}_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ . Since

$$\frac{z \left[ (1 - \alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1 - \alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \right]} \prec \phi(z) \quad (z \in \mathbb{U})$$

is equivalent to

$$\frac{z \left[ (1 - \alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f)'(z) \right]}{p \left[ (1 - \alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \right]} \neq \phi(e^{i\theta}) \quad (0 \leq \theta < 2\pi), \quad (3.1)$$

it is easy to see that the condition (3.1) can be written as follows:

$$\frac{1}{z} \left\{ z \left[ (1 - \alpha) (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) + \alpha (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f)'(z) \right] - p \left[ (1 - \alpha) f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) + \alpha f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) \right] \phi(e^{i\theta}) \right\} \neq 0 \quad (0 \leq \theta < 2\pi). \quad (3.2)$$

On the other hand, we know from (1.2) that

$$z (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z) = \left( pz^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{n+p}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) * f(z). \quad (3.3)$$

Moreover, from the definition of  $f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) &= H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f(z) * \left( \frac{1}{k} \sum_{v=0}^{k-1} \frac{z^p}{1 - \varepsilon^v z} \right) \\ &= \left( z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{1}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) * \left( \frac{1}{k} \sum_{v=0}^{k-1} \frac{z^p}{1 - \varepsilon^v z} \right) * f(z). \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

Replacing  $\alpha_1$  by  $\alpha_1 + 1$  in (3.3) and (3.4), we know that (3.3) and (3.4) also hold true, that is,

$$z (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f)'(z) = \left( pz^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1 + 1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{n+p}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) * f(z), \quad (3.5)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} f_{p,k}^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1; z) &= H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1 + 1)f(z) * \left( \frac{1}{k} \sum_{v=0}^{k-1} \frac{z^p}{1 - \varepsilon^v z} \right) \\ &= \left( z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1 + 1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{1}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) * \left( \frac{1}{k} \sum_{v=0}^{k-1} \frac{z^p}{1 - \varepsilon^v z} \right) * f(z). \end{aligned} \quad (3.6)$$

Upon substituting from (3.3) to (3.6) into (3.2), we easily deduce the convolution property asserted by Theorem 3.1.

By similarly applying the method of proof of Theorem 3.1 for the classes  $\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  and  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , we easily get the following convolution properties.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.1.** *Let  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  and  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  if and only if*

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{z} \left\{ f * \left[ (1 - \alpha) \left( pz^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{n+p}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) - \frac{p(1-\alpha)\phi(e^{i\theta})}{2} h_1 \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. + \alpha \left( pz^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1+1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{n+p}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) - \frac{p\alpha\phi(e^{i\theta})}{2} h_2 \right] \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \frac{p(1-\alpha)\phi(e^{i\theta})}{2} \overline{(h_1 * f)(\bar{z})} - \frac{p\alpha\phi(e^{i\theta})}{2} \overline{(h_2 * f)(\bar{z})} \right\} \neq 0 \quad (0 \leq \theta < 2\pi), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$h_1(z) = z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{1}{n!} z^{n+p}, \quad (3.7)$$

and

$$h_2(z) = z^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1+1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{1}{n!} z^{n+p}. \quad (3.8)$$

**Corollary 3.2.** *Let  $f \in \mathcal{A}_p$  and  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}$ . Then  $f \in \mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$  if and only if*

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{z} \left\{ f * \left[ (1 - \alpha) \left( pz^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{n+p}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) - \frac{p(1-\alpha)\phi(e^{i\theta})}{2} h_1 \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. + \alpha \left( pz^p + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha_1+1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n}{(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n} \frac{n+p}{n!} z^{n+p} \right) - \frac{p\alpha\phi(e^{i\theta})}{2} h_2 \right] \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \frac{p(1-\alpha)\phi(e^{i\theta})}{2} \overline{(h_1 * f)(-\bar{z})} + \frac{p\alpha\phi(e^{i\theta})}{2} \overline{(h_2 * f)(-\bar{z})} \right\} \neq 0 \quad (0 \leq \theta < 2\pi), \end{aligned}$$

where  $h_1$  and  $h_2$  are given by (3.7) and (3.8), respectively.

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $f \in \mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi)$ . Then*

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) = & \left[ p \int_0^z \zeta^{p-1} \phi(\omega(\zeta)) \cdot \exp \left( \frac{p}{2} \int_0^\zeta \frac{\phi(\omega(\xi)) - \overline{\phi(\omega(-\bar{\xi}))} - 2}{\xi} d\xi \right) d\zeta \right] \\ & * \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n!(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n}{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n} z^{n+p} \right), \end{aligned} \quad (3.9)$$

where  $\omega$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  with

$$\omega(0) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad |\omega(z)| < 1 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

*Proof.* From the definition of  $\mathcal{H}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi)$ , we know that

$$\frac{z (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z)}{p h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} = \frac{2z (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)'(z)}{p \left[ (H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)(z) - \overline{(H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1)f)(-\bar{z})} \right]} = \phi(\omega(z)), \quad (3.10)$$

where  $\omega$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  with

$$\omega(0) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad |\omega(z)| < 1 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

From (3.10), we get

$$\frac{2z \overline{\left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(-\bar{z})}}{p \left[ \overline{\left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)(z)} - \overline{\left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)(-\bar{z})} \right]} = \overline{\phi(\omega(-\bar{z}))}. \quad (3.11)$$

It now follows from (3.10) and (3.11) that

$$\frac{z \left( h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)'}{p h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \phi(\omega(z)) - \overline{\phi(\omega(-\bar{z}))} \right]. \quad (3.12)$$

We next find from (3.12) that

$$\frac{\left( h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) \right)'}{h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)} - \frac{p}{z} = \frac{p}{2} \cdot \frac{\phi(\omega(z)) - \overline{\phi(\omega(-\bar{z}))} - 2}{z}. \quad (3.13)$$

Upon integrating (3.13), we have

$$\log \left( \frac{h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)}{z^p} \right) = \frac{p}{2} \int_0^z \frac{\phi(\omega(\xi)) - \overline{\phi(\omega(-\bar{\xi}))} - 2}{\xi} d\xi, \quad (3.14)$$

which implies that

$$h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z) = z^p \cdot \exp \left( \frac{p}{2} \int_0^z \frac{\phi(\omega(\xi)) - \overline{\phi(\omega(-\bar{\xi}))} - 2}{\xi} d\xi \right). \quad (3.15)$$

It now follows from (3.10) and (3.15) that

$$\begin{aligned} \left( H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f \right)'(z) &= \frac{p h_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; z)}{z} \cdot \phi(\omega(z)) \\ &= p z^{p-1} \phi(\omega(z)) \cdot \exp \left( \frac{p}{2} \int_0^z \frac{\phi(\omega(\xi)) - \overline{\phi(\omega(-\bar{\xi}))} - 2}{\xi} d\xi \right). \end{aligned} \quad (3.16)$$

Upon integrating (3.16), we get

$$H_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1) f(z) = p \int_0^z \zeta^{p-1} \phi(\omega(\zeta)) \cdot \exp \left( \frac{p}{2} \int_0^\zeta \frac{\phi(\omega(\xi)) - \overline{\phi(\omega(-\bar{\xi}))} - 2}{\xi} d\xi \right) d\zeta. \quad (3.17)$$

Combining (1.2) and (3.17), we find that

$$\begin{aligned} p \int_0^z \zeta^{p-1} \phi(\omega(\zeta)) \cdot \exp \left( \frac{p}{2} \int_0^\zeta \frac{\phi(\omega(\xi)) - \overline{\phi(\omega(-\bar{\xi}))} - 2}{\xi} d\xi \right) d\zeta \\ = [z^P {}_l F_m(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l; \beta_1, \dots, \beta_m)] * f(z). \end{aligned} \quad (3.18)$$

Thus, from (3.18), we easily get the convolution property (3.9).  $\square$

**Remark 3.1.** Putting

$$p = 1, \quad l = 2, \quad m = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \beta_1 = 1$$

in Theorem 3.2, we get the corresponding result obtained by Ravichandran [25].

By similarly applying the method of proof of Theorem 3.2 for the class  $\mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha; \alpha_1; \phi)$ , we easily get the following convolution property.

**Corollary 3.3.** *Let  $f \in \mathcal{G}_p^{l,m}(\alpha_1; \phi)$ . Then*

$$f(z) = \left[ p \int_0^z \zeta^{p-1} \phi(\omega(\zeta)) \cdot \exp \left( \frac{p}{2} \int_0^\zeta \frac{\phi(\omega(\xi)) + \overline{\phi(\omega(\bar{\xi}))} - 2}{\xi} d\xi \right) d\zeta \right] \\ * \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n!(\beta_1)_n \cdots (\beta_m)_n}{(\alpha_1)_n \cdots (\alpha_l)_n} z^{n+p} \right),$$

where  $\omega$  is analytic in  $\mathbb{U}$  with

$$\omega(0) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad |\omega(z)| < 1 \quad (z \in \mathbb{U}).$$

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