



ON q -MOCANU TYPE FUNCTIONS ASSOCIATED WITH q -RUSCHEWEYH DERIVATIVE OPERATOR

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we introduce certain subclasses of analytic functions defined by using the q -difference operator. Mainly we give several inclusion results for defined classes. Also, certain applications due to q -Ruscheweyh derivative operator will be discussed.

1. INTRODUCTION

Let \mathbf{A} denotes the class of analytic functions $f(z)$ in the open unit disk $E = \{z : |z| < 1\}$ such that

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

Subordination of two functions f and g is denoted by $f \prec g$ and defined as $f(z) = g(w(z))$, where $w(z)$ is Schwartz function in E (see [10]). Let S , S^* and C denote the subclasses of \mathbf{A} of univalent functions, starlike functions and convex functions respectively. Mocanu [11] introduced the class $M(\alpha)$ of α -convex functions $f \in S$ satisfies;

$$\left((1 - \alpha) \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha \frac{(zf'(z))'}{f'(z)} \right) \prec \frac{1+z}{1-z},$$

where $\alpha \in [0, 1]$, $\frac{f(z)}{z} f'(z) \neq 0$ and $z \in E$. We see that $M_0 = S^*$ and $M_1 = C$. This class is vastly studied by several authors, see [2, 14].

We recall here some basic definitions and concept details of q -calculus that are used in this paper.

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The q -difference operator, which was introduced by Jackson [7], defined by

$$D_q f(z) = \frac{f(z) - f(qz)}{(1 - q)z}; \quad q \neq 1, \quad z \neq 0,$$

for $q \in (0, 1)$. It is clear that $\lim_{q \rightarrow 1^-} D_q f(z) = f'(z)$, where $f'(z)$ is the ordinary derivative of the function.

For more properties of D_q ; see [3–5, 9, 18].

It can easily be seen that, for $n \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ and $z \in E$,

$$D_q \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n z^n \right\} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [n]_q z^{n-1},$$

where

$$[n]_q = \frac{1 - q^n}{1 - q} = 1 + q + q^2 + \dots .$$

We have the following rules of D_q .

$$D_q (af(z) \pm bg(z)) = aD_q f(z) \pm bD_q g(z).$$

$$D_q (f(z)g(z)) = f(qz)D_q(g(z)) + g(z)D_q(f(z)).$$

$$D_q \left(\frac{f(z)}{g(z)} \right) = \frac{D_q(f(z))g(z) - f(z)D_q(g(z))}{g(qz)g(z)}, \quad g(qz)g(z) \neq 0.$$

$$D_q (\log f(z)) = \frac{D_q(f(z))}{f(z)}.$$

Some properties related with function theory involving q -theory were first introduced by Ismail et al. [6].

Moreover, several authors studied in this matter such as [1, 12, 13, 15].

Now, by making use of the principle of subordination together with q -difference operator, we have the following classes:

Let a function $p \in \mathbf{A}$ with $p(0) = 1$ is in the class $\tilde{P}_q(\beta)$ if and only if

$$p(z) \prec p_{q,\beta}(z), \quad \text{where } p_{q,\beta}(z) = \left(\frac{1+z}{1-qz} \right)^\beta, \quad (0 < \beta \leq 1). \tag{1.2}$$

It is very easy to see that $p_{q,\beta}(z)$ is convex univalent in E for $0 < \beta \leq 1$. Also, $p_{q,\beta}(z)$ is symmetric with respect to the real axis, that is,

$$0 < \Re(p_{q,\beta}(z)) < \left(\frac{1}{1-q} \right)^\beta.$$

Definition 1.1. Let function $f \in \mathbf{A}$ and $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1, q \in (0, 1)$. Then $f \in M_q^\beta(\alpha)$ if and only if

$$J_q(\alpha, f) \in \tilde{P}_q(\beta),$$

where

$$J_q(\alpha, f) = (1 - \alpha) \frac{zD_q f}{f} + \alpha \frac{D_q(zD_q f)}{D_q f}.$$

Moreover, let us denote

$$M_q^\beta(0) = S_q^*(\beta), \quad M_q^\beta(1) = C_q(\beta).$$

A function $f \in \mathbf{A}$ is said to be in $S_q^*(\beta)$ and $C_q(\beta)$ if and only if

$$\frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} \prec p_{q,\beta}(z) \text{ and } \frac{D_q(zD_q f(z))}{D_q f(z)} \prec p_{q,\beta}(z),$$

respectively.

Special cases:

- (i) If $q \rightarrow 1^-$, then the class $M_q^\beta(\alpha)$ reduces to the class $M^\beta(\alpha)$.
- (ii) If $q \rightarrow 1^-$ and $\beta = 1$, then the class $M_q^\beta(\alpha)$ reduces to the class $M(\alpha)$ introduced by Mocanu [11].
- (iii) If $q \rightarrow 1^-$, $\alpha = 0$ and $\beta = 1$, then the class $M_q^\beta(\alpha)$ reduces to the well known class S^* of starlike functions.
- (iv) If $q \rightarrow 1^-$, $\alpha = 1$ and $\beta = 1$, then the class $M_q^\beta(\alpha)$ reduces to the well known class C of convex functions.

The authors in [8], introduced an operator $R_q^\lambda : \mathbf{A} \rightarrow \mathbf{A}$ defined as:

$$R_q^\lambda f(z) = F_{\lambda+1,q}(z) * f(z) \tag{1.3}$$

$$= z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{[n + \lambda - 1]_q!}{[\lambda]_q! [n - 1]_q!} a_n z^n, \tag{1.4}$$

where $f \in \mathbf{A}$, $F_{\lambda+1,q}(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{[n + \lambda - 1]_q!}{[\lambda]_q! [n - 1]_q!} z^n$ and $*$ denotes convolution.

This series (1.4) is absolutely convergent in E . For $q \rightarrow 1^-$, we have the operator R^λ , called Ruscheweyh derivative operator introduced in [16].

In this case

$$\begin{aligned} R^\lambda f(z) &= \lim_{q \rightarrow 1^-} R_q^\lambda f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(n + \lambda - 1)!}{\lambda! (n - 1)!} a_n z^n \\ &= \frac{z}{(1 - z)^{\lambda+1}} * f(z). \end{aligned}$$

We note that $R_q^0 f(z) = f(z)$ and $R_q^1 f(z) = zD_q f(z)$. Also

$$R_q^n f(z) = \frac{zD_q^n(z^{n-1}f(z))}{[n]_q!}; \quad n \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}.$$

The following identity can be easily obtained from (1.4)

$$zD_q(R_q^\lambda f(z)) = \left(1 + \frac{[\lambda]_q}{q^\lambda}\right) R_q^{\lambda+1} f(z) - \frac{[\lambda]_q}{q^\lambda} R_q^\lambda f(z). \tag{1.5}$$

Now, we define

Definition 1.2. Let $f \in \mathbf{A}$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $q \in (0, 1)$ and $\beta \in (0, 1]$. Then

$$f \in M_q^\beta(n, \alpha) \text{ if and only if } R_q^n f(z) \in M_q^\beta(\alpha).$$

Moreover, let us denote

$$M_q^\beta(n, 0) = S_q^*(n, \beta) \text{ and } M_q^\beta(n, 1) = C_q(n, \beta).$$

Note that

$$f \in C_q(n, \beta) \Leftrightarrow zD_q f \in S_q^*(n, \beta). \tag{1.6}$$

2. MAIN RESULTS

We need the following basic result to prove our main results:

Lemma 2.1. [17] Let β and γ be complex numbers with $\beta \neq 0$ and let $h(z)$ be analytic in E with $h(0) = 1$ and $\text{Re}\{\beta h(z) + \gamma\} > 0$. If $p(z) = 1 + p_1z + p_2z^2 + \dots$ is analytic in E , then

$$p(z) + \frac{zD_q p(z)}{\beta p(z) + \gamma} \prec h(z)$$

implies that $p(z) \prec h(z)$.

Theorem 2.1. Let $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $\beta \in (0, 1]$ and $q \in (0, 1)$. Then

$$M_q^\beta(\alpha) \subset S_q^*(\beta).$$

Proof. Let $f \in M_q^\beta(\alpha)$ and let

$$\frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} = p(z). \tag{2.1}$$

We note that $p(z)$ is analytic in E with $p(0) = 1$.

The q -logarithmic differentiation of (2.1) yields

$$\frac{D_q(zD_q(f(z)))}{D_q f(z)} - \frac{D_q(f(z))}{f(z)} = \frac{D_q p(z)}{p(z)}.$$

Equivalently

$$\frac{D_q(zD_q(f(z)))}{D_q f(z)} = p(z) + \frac{zD_q p(z)}{p(z)}.$$

Since $f \in M_q^\beta(\alpha)$, so we get

$$J_q(\alpha, f) = p(z) + \alpha \frac{zD_q p(z)}{p(z)} \prec p_{q,\beta}(z). \tag{2.2}$$

Since $Re \left\{ \frac{1}{\alpha} p_{q,\beta}(z) \right\} > 0$ in E , so by (2.2) together with Lemma 2.1, we obtain $p(z) \prec p_{q,\beta}(z)$. Consequently $f \in S_q^*(\beta)$. □

Corollary 2.1. For $q \rightarrow 1^-$, we have $M^\beta(\alpha) \subset S^*(\beta)$. Furthermore, for $\beta = 1$, $M(\alpha) \subset S^*$.

Corollary 2.2. For $q \rightarrow 1^-$, $\alpha = 1$ and $\beta = 1$, we have well known fundamental result $C \subset S^*$.

Theorem 2.2. Let $\alpha > 1$, $\beta \in (0, 1]$ and $q \in (0, 1)$. Then

$$M_q^\beta(\alpha) \subset C_q(\beta).$$

Proof. Let $f \in M_q^\beta(\alpha)$. Then, by Definition 1.1,

$$(1 - \alpha) \frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha \frac{D_q(zD_q f(z))}{D_q f(z)} = p_1(z) \in \tilde{P}_q(\beta).$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha \frac{D_q(zD_q f(z))}{D_q f(z)} &= (1 - \alpha) \frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha \frac{D_q(zD_q f(z))}{D_q f(z)} + (\alpha - 1) \frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} \\ &= (\alpha - 1) \frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} + p_1(z). \end{aligned}$$

This implies

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{D_q(zD_q f)}{D_q f} &= \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} - 1 \right) \frac{zD_q f}{f} + \frac{1}{\alpha} p_1(z) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} - 1 \right) p_2(z) + \frac{1}{\alpha} p_1(z). \end{aligned}$$

Since $p_1, p_2 \in \tilde{P}_q(\beta)$ and is $\tilde{P}_q(\beta)$ convex set, so $\frac{D_q(zD_q f)}{D_q f} \in \tilde{P}_q(\beta)$. Hence, proof is complete. □

Theorem 2.3. For $0 \leq \alpha_1 < \alpha_2 < 1$

$$M_q^\beta(\alpha_2) \subset M_q^\beta(\alpha_1).$$

Proof. For $\alpha_1 = 0$, this is obvious from Theorem 2.1.

Let $f \in M_q^\beta(\alpha_2)$. Then, by Definition 1.1,

$$(1 - \alpha_2) \frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha_2 \frac{D_q(zD_q f(z))}{D_q f(z)} = q_1(z) \in \tilde{P}_q(\beta). \tag{2.3}$$

Now, we can easily write

$$J_q(\alpha_1, f(z)) = \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha_2} q_1(z) + \left(1 - \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha_2} \right) q_2(z), \tag{2.4}$$

where we have used (2.3) and $\frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} = q_2(z) \in \tilde{P}_q(\beta)$. Since $\tilde{P}_q(\beta)$ is convex set, so (2.4) follows our required result. □

Remark 2.1. If $\alpha_2 = 1$ and let $f \in M_q^\beta(1) = C_q(\beta)$. Then, from Theorem 2.3, we can write

$$f \in M_q^\beta(\alpha_1), \text{ for } 0 \leq \alpha_1 < 1,$$

Now, by making use of Theorem 2.1, we obtain $f \in S_q^*(\beta)$. Thus we have, $C_q(\beta) \subset S_q^*(\beta)$.

We develop some applications in terms of q-linear operator, which we call q-Ruscheweyh derivative operator, given by (1.3).

Theorem 2.4. Let $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1, \beta \in (0, 1], n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and $q \in (0, 1)$. Then

$$M_q^\beta(n + 1, \alpha) \subset S_q^*(n + 1, \beta).$$

Proof. One can easily prove this result by using similar arguments as used in Theorem 2.1 and letting

$$\frac{zD_q f_{n+1,q}(z)}{f_{n+1,q}(z)} = p(z) \text{ (for } f_{n+1,q}(z) = R_q^{n+1} f(z)),$$

where $p(z)$ is analytic in E with $p(0) = 1$. □

Theorem 2.5. Let $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1, \beta \in (0, 1], n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and $q \in (0, 1)$. Then

$$S_q^*(n + 1, \beta) \subset S_q^*(n, \beta).$$

Proof. Let $f \in S_q^*(n + 1, \beta)$ and let $f_{n+1}(z) = R_q^{n+1} f(z)$. Then

$$\frac{zD_q f_{n+1,q}(z)}{f_{n+1,q}(z)} \prec p_{q,\beta}(z),$$

where $p_{q,\beta}(z)$ is given by (1.2).

Now, let

$$\frac{zD_q f_{n,q}(z)}{f_{n,q}(z)} = H(z), \tag{2.5}$$

where $H(z)$ is analytic in E with $H(0) = 1$. Using identity (1.5) and (2.5), we get

$$\frac{zD_q (f_{n,q}(z))}{f_{n,q}(z)} = (1 + N_q) \frac{f_{n+1,q}(z)}{f_{n,q}(z)} - N_q,$$

equivalently

$$(1 + N_q) \frac{f_{n+1,q}(z)}{f_{n,q}(z)} = H(z) + N_q, \left(\text{for } N_q = \frac{[n]_q}{q^n} \right).$$

The q-logarithmic differentiation yields,

$$\frac{zD_q (f_{n+1,q}(z))}{f_{n+1,q}(z)} = p(z) + \frac{zD_q H(z)}{H(z) + N_q}. \tag{2.6}$$

Since $f \in S_q^*(n + 1, \beta)$, So (2.6) implies

$$p(z) + \frac{zD_q H(z)}{H(z) + N_q} \prec p_{q,\beta}(z). \tag{2.7}$$

Since $Re \{p_{q,\beta}(z) + N_q\} > 0$ in E , we use Lemma 2.1 along with (2.7), to get $H(z) \prec p_{q,\beta}(z)$. Consequently, $f \in S_q^*(n, \beta)$. □

Theorem 2.6. *Let $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$, $\beta \in (0, 1]$, $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and $q \in (0, 1)$. Then*

$$C_q(n + 1, \beta) \subset C_q(n, \beta).$$

Proof. Let

$$\begin{aligned} f &\in C_q(n + 1, \beta) \\ \Leftrightarrow zf' &\in S_q^*(n + 1, \beta) && \text{(by (1.6))} \\ \Rightarrow zf' &\in S_q^*(n, \beta) && \text{(by Theorem 2.5)} \\ \Leftrightarrow f &\in C_q(n, \beta). && \text{(by (1.6))} \end{aligned}$$

□

Remark 2.2. *From Theorem 2.4 and Theorem 2.5, we can extend the inclusions as following*

$$\begin{aligned} M_q^\beta(n + 1, \alpha) &\subset S_q^*(n + 1, \beta) \subset S_q^*(n, \beta) \subset \dots \subset S_q^*(\beta). \\ C_q(n + 1, \beta) &\subset C_q(n, \beta) \subset \dots \subset C_q(\beta). \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 2.7. *Let $f \in \mathbf{A}$. Then $f \in M_q^\beta(n + 1, \alpha)$, $\alpha \neq 0$, if and only if there exists $g \in S_q^*(n + 1, \beta)$ such that*

$$f(z) = \left[\frac{1}{\alpha} \right]_q \left[\int_0^t t^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} \left(\frac{g(t)}{t} \right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} d_q t \right]^\alpha. \tag{2.8}$$

Proof. Let $f \in M_q^\beta(n + 1, \alpha)$. Then

$$J_q(\alpha, f) = (1 - \alpha) \frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha \frac{D_q(zD_q f(z))}{D_q f(z)} \in \tilde{P}_q(\beta). \tag{2.9}$$

On some simple calculations of (2.8), we get

$$zD_q f(z) (f(z))^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} = (g(z))^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}. \tag{2.10}$$

The q-logarithmic differentiation of (2.10), gives

$$(1 - \alpha) \frac{zD_q f(z)}{f(z)} + \alpha \frac{D_q(zD_q f(z))}{D_q f(z)} = \frac{zD_q g(z)}{g(z)}. \tag{2.11}$$

From (2.9) and (2.11), we conclude our required result. □

Theorem 2.8. Let $f \in \mathbf{A}$ and define, for $f \in M_q^\beta(n, \alpha)$,

$$F_{c,q}(z) = \frac{[c+1]_q}{z^c} \int_0^z t^{b-1} f(t) d_q t. \tag{2.12}$$

Then $F_{c,q} \in S_q^*(n, \beta)$.

Proof. Let $f \in M_q^\beta(n, \alpha)$. If we set, for $F_{c,q}^n(z) = R_q^n(F_{c,q}(z))$

$$\frac{zD_q(F_{c,q}^n(z))}{F_{c,q}^n(z)} = Q(z), \tag{2.13}$$

where $Q(z)$ is analytic in E with $Q(0) = 1$.

From (2.12), we can write

$$\frac{D_q(z^c F_{c,q}(z))}{[c+1]_q} = z^{c-1} f(z).$$

Using product rule of the q -difference operator, we get

$$zD_q F_{c,q}(z) = \left(1 + \frac{[c]_q}{q^c}\right) f(z) - \frac{[c]_q}{q^c} F_{c,q}(z). \tag{2.14}$$

From (2.13), (2.14) and (1.3), we have

$$Q(z) = \left(1 + \frac{[c]_q}{q^c}\right) \frac{z(f_{n,q}(z))}{F_{c,q}^n(z)} - \frac{[c]_q}{q^c},$$

where $F_{c,q}^n(z) = R_q^n(F_{c,q}(z))$ and $f_{n,q}(z) = R_q^n(f(z))$

On q -logarithmic differentiation, we get

$$\frac{zD_q(f_{n,q}(z))}{f_{n,q}(z)} = Q(z) + \frac{zD_q Q(z)}{Q(z) + [N]_q}, \quad \left(\text{for } N_q = \frac{[c]_q}{q^c}\right). \tag{2.15}$$

Since $f \in M_q^\beta(n, \alpha) \subset S_q^*(n, \beta)$, so (2.15) implies

$$Q(z) + \frac{zD_q Q(z)}{Q(z) + [c]_q} \prec p_{q,\beta}(z).$$

Now, by applying Lemma 2.1, we conclude $Q(z) \prec p_{q,\beta}(z)$. Consequently, $\frac{zD_q(F_{c,q}^n(z))}{F_{c,q}^n(z)} \prec p_{q,\beta}(z)$. Hence $F_{c,q} \in S_q^*(n, \beta)$. □

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