# HANKEL DETERMINANTS OF CERTAIN ORDER FOR BOUNDED TURNING FUNCTIONS OF ORDER ALPHA

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The paper contains an estimation of the best possible upper bound (UB) for the third, fourth order Hankel determinants, 2-fold and 3-fold symmetric functions associated with bounded turning functions of order  $\alpha(0 \le \alpha < 1)$ , for a particular value of the parameter  $\alpha$ .

#### 1. Introduction

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  represent group of mappings f of the type

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

in  $\mathcal{U}_d = \{z \in \mathcal{C} : |z| < 1\}$ , denotes the open unit disc. Pommerenke [23] characterized the  $r^{th}$ -Hankel determinant of order n, for f with  $r, n \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \ldots\}$ , namely

$$H_{r,n}(f) = \begin{vmatrix} a_n & a_{n+1} & \dots & a_{n+r-1} \\ a_{n+1} & a_{n+2} & \dots & a_{n+r} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{n+r-1} & a_{n+r} & \dots & a_{n+2r-2} \end{vmatrix}.$$
 (1.2)

The Fekete-Szegö functional is obtained for r=2 and n=1 in (1.2), denoted by  $H_{2,1}(f)$ . Further, sharp bounds to the functional

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 $|a_2a_4 - a_3^2|$ , obtained for r = 2 and n = 2 in (1.2), called as Hankel determinant of order two, given by

$$H_{2,2}(f) = \begin{vmatrix} a_2 & a_3 \\ a_3 & a_4 \end{vmatrix} = a_2 a_4 - a_3^2.$$

In recent years, the research on the estimation of an upper bound (UB) to  $|H_{2,2}(f)|$  has been focused by many authors. The exact estimates of  $|H_{2,2}(f)|$  for the family of functions namely, bounded turning, starlike and convex, symbolized as  $\Re$ ,  $S^*$  and  $\mathcal{K}$  respectively fulfilling the conditions  $\operatorname{Re}\{f'(z)\} > 0$ ,  $\operatorname{Re}\{\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\} > 0$  and  $\operatorname{Re}\{1+\frac{zf''(z)}{f'(z)}\} > 0$  in the unit disc  $\mathcal{U}_d$ , were proved by Janteng et al. [11], [12] derived the bounds as  $\frac{4}{9}$ , 1, and  $\frac{1}{8}$ , respectively. Choosing r=2 and n=p+1 in (1.2), we obtain Hankel determinant of second order for the p-valent function (see [31]), given by

$$H_{2,p+1}(f) = \begin{vmatrix} a_{p+1} & a_{p+2} \\ a_{p+2} & a_{p+3} \end{vmatrix} = a_{p+1}a_{p+3} - a_{p+2}^2.$$

A very few papers have been dedicated to  $H_{3,1}(f)$ , named as  $3^{rd}$  order Hankel determinant obtained for r=3 and n=1 in (1.2). Babalola [5] is the first one, who tried to estimate an UB for  $|H_{3,1}(f)|$  for the classes  $\Re$ ,  $S^*$  and  $\mathcal{K}$ . As a consequence of this paper, many papers containing results associated with the Hankel determinant of order 3 (see [3], [6], [7], [13]-[15], [19]-[21], [24]-[30], [32], [34]) and very few papers on order 4 (see [2], [9]), for specific subsets of holomorphic functions were obtained. For our study in this paper, we choose  $H_{3,3}(f)$  and  $H_{4,1}(f)$ , called as Hankel determinant of third order and fourth order, respectively obtained for the values r=3, n=3 and r=4, n=1 in (1.2), given as follows.

$$H_{3,3}(f) = \begin{vmatrix} a_3 & a_4 & a_5 \\ a_4 & a_5 & a_6 \\ a_5 & a_6 & a_7 \end{vmatrix}, \tag{1.3}$$

and

$$H_{4,1}(f) = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 = 1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ a_2 & a_3 & a_4 & a_5 \\ a_3 & a_4 & a_5 & a_6 \\ a_4 & a_5 & a_6 & a_7 \end{vmatrix}.$$
 (1.4)

Motivated with the results obtained by the authors specified above, in the present paper, we estimate an UB to  $|H_{3,3,\alpha}(f)|$  and  $|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)|$  for the bounded turning functions of order  $\alpha$ , whose respective class is denoted by  $\Re(\alpha)$ , where  $\alpha \in [0,1)$ , defined as follows.

**DEFINITION 1.1.** A function  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  is said to be in the class  $\Re(\alpha), \alpha \in [0, 1)$ , if it satisfies the condition

$$\operatorname{Re}\left\{f'(z)\right\} > \alpha, \ z \in \mathcal{U}_d.$$
 (1.5)

In deriving our results, the required sharp estimates specified below, given in the form of lemmas, which holds suitable for functions possessing positive real part.

The collection  $\mathcal{P}$ , of all functions g, each one called as Caratheodóry function [8] of the form,

$$g(z) = 1 + \sum_{t=1}^{\infty} c_t z^t,$$
 (1.6)

holomorphic in  $\mathcal{U}_d$  and  $\operatorname{Re} g(z) > 0$ , for  $z \in \mathcal{U}_d$ .

**LEMMA 1.2** [10]. If  $g \in \mathcal{P}$ , then  $|c_i - \mu c_j c_{i-j}| \leq 2$ , satisfies for the values  $i, j \in \mathbb{N}$ , with i > j and  $\mu \in [0, 1]$ .

**LEMMA 1.3** [17]. If  $g \in \mathcal{P}$ , then  $|c_i - c_j c_{i-j}| \leq 2$ , holds for the values  $i, j \in \mathbb{N}$ , with i > j.

**LEMMA 1.4** [22]. For  $g \in \mathcal{P}$ , then  $|c_t| \leq 2$ , for  $t \in \mathbb{N}$ , equality occurs for the function  $h(z) = \frac{1+z}{1-z}$ ,  $z \in \mathcal{U}_d$ .

**LEMMA 1.5.** For  $g \in \mathcal{P}$ , then  $|c_m c_n - \lambda c_k c_l| \leq 4$ , for m + n = k + l with  $m, n, k, l \in \mathbb{N}$ , where  $\lambda \in [0, 1]$ .

Proof. In view of Lemma 1.2, consider

$$c_m c_n - \lambda c_k c_l = c_m c_n - c_{m+n} + c_{m+n} - \lambda c_k c_l$$

Using the condition m + n = k + l in the above expression, we have

$$c_m c_n - \lambda c_k c_l = c_m c_n - c_{m+n} + c_{k+l} - \lambda c_k c_l.$$

Taking modulus on both sides of the above expression and then applying the triangle inequality, we obtain

$$|c_m c_n - \lambda c_k c_l| \le |c_m c_n - c_{m+n}| + |c_{k+l} - \lambda c_k c_l| \le 2 + 2 = 4.$$

Hence the proof of the lemma.

**Lemma 1.6** [33]. For  $g \in \mathcal{P}$ , then

$$|c_2 - \lambda c_1^2| \le \begin{cases} 2 - \lambda |c_1|^2, \ \lambda \le \frac{1}{2} \\ 2 - (1 - \lambda)|c_1|^2, \ \lambda \ge \frac{1}{2}. \end{cases}$$

To procure our results, we adopt the procedure framed through Libera and Zlotkiewicz [16].

## 2. Bound of $|H_{3,3,\alpha}(f)|$ for the Set $\Re(\alpha)$

**THEOREM 2.1.** If  $f \in \Re(\alpha)$  and  $\alpha \in [0,1)$ , then

$$|H_{3,3,\alpha}(f)| \le \left\lceil \frac{22(1-\alpha)^3}{105} \right\rceil.$$

*Proof.* For  $f \in \Re(\alpha)$ , there exists a holomorphic function  $g \in \mathcal{P}$  such that

$$f'(z) - \alpha = (1 - \alpha)g(z). \tag{2.1}$$

Using the series representation for f and g in (2.1), a simple calculation gives

$$na_n = (1 - \alpha)c_{n-1}.$$
 (2.2)

Putting the values of  $a_j, j \in \{3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$  in the expanded determinant of  $H_{3,3,\alpha}$ , given in (1.3), it simplifies to

$$H_{3,3,\alpha}(f) = \frac{(1-\alpha)^3}{378000} \left[ 3600c_2c_4c_6 - 3500c_2c_5^2 - 3375c_3^2c_6 + 6300c_3c_4c_5 - 3024c_4^3 \right]. \tag{2.3}$$

Grouping the terms in the expression (2.3) in order to apply the lemmas mentioned in this paper, we have

$$H_{3,3,\alpha}(f) = \frac{(1-\alpha)^3}{378000} \left\{ 3024c_4[c_3c_5 - c_4^2] + 3276c_5[c_3c_-c_2c_5] + 3375c_2[c_2c_4 - c_3^2] + 225c_2[c_4c_6 - \frac{224}{225}c_5^2] \right\}. \quad (2.4)$$

Taking modulus on both side of the expression (2.4), we obtain

$$|H_{3,3,\alpha}(f)| \leq \frac{(1-\alpha)^3}{378000} \left\{ 3024|c_4||c_3c_5 - c_4^2| + 3276|c_5||c_3c_-c_2c_5| + 3375|c_2||c_2c_4 - c_3^2| + 225|c_2||c_4c_6 - \frac{224}{225}c_5^2| \right\}.$$

$$(2.5)$$

Upon applying Lemmas 1.4 and 1.5 in (2.5), it yields

$$|H_{3,3,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[\frac{22(1-\alpha)^3}{105}\right].$$
 (2.6)

Hence the proof of our theorem.

## 3. Bound of $|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)|$ for the Set $\Re(\alpha)$

**THEOREM 3.1.** If  $f \in \Re(\alpha)$  and  $\alpha \in [0,1)$ , then

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{(1-\alpha)^3 \left(-17977\alpha + 47250\right)}{94500}, & \alpha \in \left[0, \frac{1827}{12800}\right] \cup \left[\frac{10973}{12800}, 1\right) \\ \frac{(1-\alpha)^3 \left(-460211200\alpha^2\right)}{+3337929} \\ +1162828800\alpha\right)}{2419200000\alpha}, & \alpha \in \left[\frac{1827}{12800}, \frac{1}{2}\right] \\ \frac{(1-\alpha)^2 \left(-460211200\alpha^2\right)}{-1623040000\alpha} \\ \frac{(1-\alpha)^2 \left(-1623040000\alpha\right)}{24192000000}, & \alpha \in \left[\frac{1}{2}, \frac{10973}{12800}\right] \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* For  $f \in \Re(\alpha)$ , using the values of  $a_j, j \in \{3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$  in the expande determinant  $H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)$  given in (1.4), it yields

$$H_{4,1,\alpha}(f) = \frac{(1-\alpha)^3}{6048000} \left[ 23625(1-\alpha)c_3^4 - 75600(1-\alpha)c_2c_4c_3^2 - 54000c_6c_3^2 - 63000(1-\alpha)c_5c_3^2c_1 + 100800c_4c_5c_3 + 56000(1-\alpha)c_2^2c_5c_3 + 72000(1-\alpha)c_2c_6c_3c_1 + 60480(1-\alpha)c_4^2c_3c_1 - 48384c_4^3 + 26880(1-\alpha)c_2^2c_4^2 + 57600c_2c_4c_6 - 32000(1-\alpha)c_2^3c_6 - 43200(1-\alpha)c_4c_6c_1^2 - 56000c_2c_5^2 + 42000(1-\alpha)c_5^2c_1^2 - 67200(1-\alpha)c_2c_4c_5c_1 \right].$$
(3.1)

Rearranging, the terms in (3.1), to apply lemmas mentioned in this paper, we have

$$H_{4,1,\alpha}(f) = \frac{(1-\alpha)^3}{6048000} \left[ 32000c_2c_6 \left( c_4 - (1-\alpha)c_2^2 \right) \right. \\ \left. - 30375c_3c_6 \left( c_3 - (1-\alpha)c_1c_2 \right) \right. \\ \left. + 56000 \left( c_5 - (1-\alpha)c_2c_3 \right) \left[ c_3c_4 - c_2c_5 \right] \right. \\ \left. + 48384 \left( c_4 - (1-\alpha)c_1c_3 \right) \left[ c_3c_5 - c_4^2 \right] \right. \\ \left. + 25600c_4c_6 \left( c_2 - (1-\alpha)c_1^2 \right) \right. \\ \left. + 42000 (1-\alpha) \left( c_1c_5 - \frac{4}{5}c_2c_4 \right)^2 \right. \\ \left. - 23625 \left( c_3^2 - \frac{14616}{23625}c_1c_5 \right) \left( c_6 - (1-\alpha)c_3^2 \right) \right. \\ \left. + 17600 (1-\alpha) \left( c_1c_6 - \frac{8512}{17600}c_3c_4 \right) \left( c_2c_3 - c_1c_4 \right) \right. \\ \left. - 14616c_1c_6 \left( c_5 - \frac{11717(1-\alpha)}{14616}c_2c_3 \right) \right. \\ \left. + 12308 (1-\alpha)c_2c_3 \left( c_1c_6 - \frac{11088}{12308}c_3c_4 \right) \right. \\ \left. - 3584c_3c_4 \left( c_5 - (1-\alpha)c_1c_4 \right) \right]. \tag{3.2}$$

Taking modulus on both sides in (3.2), we have

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| = \frac{(1-\alpha)^3}{6048000} [32000|c_2||c_6||c_4 - (1-\alpha)c_2^2| + 30375|c_3||c_6||c_3 - (1-\alpha)c_1c_2| + 56000|c_5 - (1-\alpha)c_2c_3||c_3c_4 - c_2c_5| + 48384|c_4 - (1-\alpha)c_1c_3||c_3c_5 - c_4^2| + 25600|c_4||c_6||c_2 - (1-\alpha)c_1^2| + 42000(1-\alpha)|c_1c_5 - \frac{4}{5}c_2c_4|^2 + 23625|c_3^2 - \frac{14616}{23625}c_1c_5||c_6 - (1-\alpha)c_3^2| + 17600(1-\alpha)|c_1c_6 - \frac{8512}{17600}c_3c_4||c_2c_3 - c_1c_4| + 14616|c_1||c_6||c_5 - \frac{11717(1-\alpha)}{14616}c_2c_3| + 12308(1-\alpha)|c_2||c_3||c_1c_6 - \frac{11088}{12308}c_3c_4| + 3584|c_3||c_4||c_5 - (1-\alpha)c_1c_4|].$$
 (3.3)

Case 1: When  $\alpha \in \left[0, \frac{1827}{12800}\right] \cup \left[\frac{10973}{12800}, 1\right)$ 

Applying Lemmas 1.3, 1.4 and 1.5, a simple calculation yeilds

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[\frac{\left(1-\alpha\right)^3 \left(-17977\alpha + 47250\right)}{94500}\right].$$
 (3.4)

Case 2: When  $\alpha \in \left[\frac{1827}{12800}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$ 

Applying Lemmas 1.3, 1.4, 1.5 and 1.6 in (3.3) and using  $|c_1|$ x, upon simplification, it simplifies to

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[ \frac{\left(1-\alpha\right)^3 \left(-3200\alpha x^2 + 1827x + 90846 - 35954\alpha\right)}{189000} \right]. \tag{3.5}$$

Now,

$$F_1(x) = \left[ -3200\alpha x^2 + 1827x + 90846 - 35954\alpha \right]$$
 (3.6)

We observe that the function in (3.6) attains its maximum at  $x = \frac{1827}{6400\alpha}$ , so for  $x = \frac{1827}{6400\alpha}$  in  $F_1(x)$ , upon simplification, we obtain

$$F_1 \max = F_1 \left( \frac{1827}{6400\alpha} \right) = -35954\alpha + \frac{3337929}{12800\alpha} + 90846. \tag{3.7}$$

From (3.5) and (3.7) upon simplification, we get

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[ \frac{\left(1-\alpha\right)^3 \left(-460211200\alpha^2 + 3337929 + 1162828800\alpha\right)}{2419200000\alpha} \right]. \tag{3.8}$$

Case 3: When 
$$\alpha \in \left[\frac{1}{2}, \frac{10973}{12800}\right]$$

Applying Lemmas 1.3, 1.4, 1.5 and 1.6 in (3.3) and using  $|c_1| = x$ , upon simplification, it simplifies to

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \frac{(1-\alpha)^3 (-3200x^2 + 1827x - 35954\alpha + 3200\alpha x^2 + 90846)}{18900}.$$
(3.9)

Now,

$$F_2(x) = (-3200x^2 + 1827x - 35954\alpha + 3200\alpha x^2 + 90846).$$
 (3.10)

We observe that the function in (3.10) attains its maximum at  $x = \frac{1827}{6400(1-\alpha)}$ , so for  $x = \frac{1827}{6400(1-\alpha)}$  in  $F_2(x)$ , after simplification, we obtained

$$F_2 \max = F_2 \left( \frac{1827}{6400(1-\alpha)} \right)$$

$$= \left[ \frac{-460211200\alpha^2 + 460211200\alpha - 3337929}{12800\alpha - 12800} + 90846 \right].$$
(3.11)

From (3.9) and (3.11) upon simplification, we get

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[\frac{\left(1-\alpha\right)^2 \left(460211200\alpha^2 - 1623040000\alpha + 1166166729\right)}{2419200000}\right]. \tag{3.12}$$

Hence theorem.  $\Box$ 

## 4. Bound of $|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)|$ for the Set $\Re^{(m)}(\alpha)$

If a rotation of the unit disc,  $\mathcal{U}_d$  about the origin through an angle  $\frac{2\pi}{m}$  carries  $\mathcal{U}_d$  on it self, it is said to be m-fold symmetric, where  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . In  $\mathcal{U}_d$ , it is obvious that holomorphic mapping f is m-fold symmetric, if for each  $z \in \mathcal{U}_d$ 

$$f(e^{\frac{2\pi i}{m}}z) = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{m}}f(z).$$

The class of all m-fold ultivalent functions is denoted by  $S^m$ , for which every member has the Taylor series expansion namely,

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_{mk+1} z^{mk+1}, \tag{4.1}$$

The subclass  $\Re^{(m)}(\alpha)$  of  $\mathcal{S}^{(m)}$  is the collection of m-fold symmetric funtions with bounded turning. It is clear that, for a holomorphic function f given in (4.1), a member of the class  $\Re^{(m)}(\alpha)$  if and only if

$$f'(z) - \alpha = (1 - \alpha)g(z), \text{ with } g \in \mathcal{P}^{(m)},$$
 (4.2)

where the set  $\mathcal{P}^{(m)}$  is defined by

$$\mathcal{P}^{(m)} = \left\{ g \in \mathcal{P}^{(m)} : g(z) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_{mk} z^{mk}, \ (z \in \mathcal{U}_d) \right\}. \tag{4.3}$$

**THEOREM 4.1.** If  $f \in \Re^{(2)}$ , then  $|H_{3,3}(f)| \leq \frac{8(1-\alpha)^3}{105}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f \in \Re^{(2)}(\alpha)$ . Then there exist a function  $g \in \mathcal{P}^{(2)}$ such that

$$f'(z) - \alpha = (1 - \alpha)g(z). \tag{4.4}$$

From (4.1), (4.2) and (4.4), a simple calculation results

$$a_{2n+1} = \frac{(1-\alpha)c_{2n}}{2n+1}$$
, for  $n \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ . (4.5)

Expanding the determinant namely  $H_{3,3,\alpha}(f)$  given in (1.4) with  $a_2 =$  $a_4 = a_6 = 0$ , we obtain

$$H_{3,3,\alpha}(f) = (1-\alpha)^3 a_5(a_3 a_7 - a_5^2). \tag{4.6}$$

Substituting the values of  $a_3$ ,  $a_5$  and  $a_7$  from (4.5), in the expression (4.6), it simplifies to give

$$H_{3,3,\alpha}(f) = \frac{(1-\alpha)^3 c_4}{105} \left[ c_2 c_6 - \frac{21}{25} c_4^2 \right]. \tag{4.7}$$

Taking modulus on both sides in the expression (4.7), we have

$$|H_{3,3,\alpha}(f)| \le \frac{(1-\alpha)^3|c_4|}{105} |c_2c_6 - \frac{21}{25}c_4^2|.$$
 (4.8)

Applying the Lemma 1.4 and 1.5 in (4.8), we obtain

$$|H_{3,3,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[\frac{8(1-\alpha)^3}{105}\right].$$
 (4.9)

**THEOREM 4.2.** If  $f \in \Re^{(2)}(\alpha), \ \alpha \in [0,1), \ then$ 

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \begin{cases} \left[\frac{4(1-\alpha)^3(2-20\alpha)}{945}\right], & \alpha \in \left[0, \frac{1}{10}\right] \\ \left[\frac{4(1-\alpha)^3(-2+20\alpha)}{945}\right], & \alpha \in \left[\frac{1}{10}, 1\right) \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* Let  $f \in \Re^{(2)}(\alpha)$ , upon expanding the determinant namely  $H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)$  given in (1.4) with  $a_2 = a_4 = a_6 = 0$ , we obtain

$$H_{4,1,\alpha}(f) = (a_3^2 - a_5)(a_5^2 - a_3 a_7).$$
 (4.10)

Substituting the values of  $a_3$ ,  $a_5$  and  $a_7$  from (4.5), in the expression (4.10), it simplifies to

$$H_{4,1,\alpha}(f) = \frac{(1-\alpha)^3}{105} \left(c_4 - (1-\alpha)\frac{5}{9}c_2^2\right) \left(c_2c_6 - \frac{21}{25}c_4^2\right). \tag{4.11}$$

Now, in view of obvious equivalence  $g \in \mathcal{P}^{(2)} \iff q \in \mathcal{P}$  provided  $g(z) = q(z^2)$ , we can write

$$\max \left\{ \left( c_4 - (1 - \alpha) \frac{5}{9} c_2^2 \right) : g \in \mathcal{P}^{(2)} \right\},\,$$

as

$$\max \left\{ \left( c_2 - (1 - \alpha) \frac{5}{9} c_1^2 \right) : g \in \mathcal{P} \right\}. \tag{4.12}$$

From expressions (4.11) and (4.12), we obtained

$$H_{4,1,\alpha}(f) = \frac{(1-\alpha)^3}{105} \left(c_2 - (1-\alpha)\frac{5}{9}c_1^2\right) \left(c_2c_6 - \frac{21}{25}c_4^2\right). \tag{4.13}$$

Case-1: When  $\alpha \in \left[0, \frac{1}{10}\right)$  Taking modulus on both side in (4.13), upon applying Lemmas 1.4, 1.5 and 1.6, after simplification, it simplifies to

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[\frac{4(1-\alpha)^3(2-20\alpha)}{945}\right].$$
 (4.14)

Case-2: When  $\alpha \in \left[\frac{1}{10}, 1\right)$  Taking modulus on both side in (4.13),applying Lemmas 1.4, 1.5 and 1.6, upon simplification, yeilds

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[\frac{4(1-\alpha)^3(-2+20\alpha)}{945}\right].$$
 (4.15)

Hence the theorem.

**THEOREM 4.3.** If  $f \in \Re^{(3)}(\alpha)$ ,  $\alpha \in [0,1)$ , then

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[\frac{(1-\alpha)^3(1+7\alpha)}{112}\right].$$

*Proof.* Let  $f \in \Re^{(3)}(\alpha)$ . Then there exist a function  $g \in \mathcal{P}^{(m)}$ such that

$$f'(z) - \alpha = (1 - \alpha)g(z).$$
 (4.16)

From (4.1),(4.2) and (4.17), a simple calculation results

$$a_4 = \frac{(1-\alpha)c_3}{4}$$
 and  $a_7 = \frac{(1-\alpha)c_6}{7}$ . (4.17)

Upon expanding the determinant namely  $H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)$  given in (1.4) with  $a_2 = a_3 = a_5 = a_6 = 0$ , we obtain

$$H_{4,1,\alpha}(f) = a_4^2 (a_4^2 - a_7).$$
 (4.18)

Substituting the values of  $a_4$  and  $a_7$  from (4.18), in the expression (4.19), it simplifies to

$$H_{4,1,\alpha}(f) = \frac{(1-\alpha)^3 c_3^2}{16} \left(\frac{(1-\alpha)c_3^2}{16} - \frac{c_6}{7}\right). \tag{4.19}$$

Rearranging the terms in the expression (4.20) in order to apply lemmas mentioned in this paper, we have

$$H_{4,1,\alpha}(f) = -\frac{(1-\alpha)^3 c_3^2}{112} \left(c_6 - \frac{7(1-\alpha)}{16}c_3^2\right). \tag{4.20}$$

Now, in view of equivalence  $g \in \mathcal{P}^{(3)} \iff q \in \mathcal{P}$  provided  $g(z) = q(z^3)$ , we can write

$$\max \left\{ c_3^2 \left( c_6 - \frac{7(1-\alpha)}{16} c_3^2 \right) : g \in \mathcal{P}^{(3)} \right\},\,$$

as

$$\max \left\{ c_1^2 \left( c_2 - \frac{7(1-\alpha)}{16} c_1^2 \right) : g \in \mathcal{P} \right\}. \tag{4.21}$$

From equations (4.21) and (4.22), we get

$$H_{4,1,\alpha}(f) = -\frac{(1-\alpha)^3 c_1^2}{112} \left(c_2 - \frac{7(1-\alpha)}{16}c_1^2\right). \tag{4.22}$$

Taking modulus on both side of the equation (4.23), we obtain

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \frac{(1-\alpha)^3|c_1|^2}{112} |c_2 - \frac{7(1-\alpha)}{16}c_1^2|. \tag{4.23}$$

Upon applying the Lemmas 1.4 and 1.6 in the expression (4.24), we obtained

$$|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)| \le \left[\frac{(1-\alpha)^3(1+7\alpha)}{112}\right].$$
 (4.24)

Thus, the theorem is proved.

### 5. Remarks

**Remark 5.1.** For the choice of  $\alpha = 0$  in (2.6), we get

$$|H_{3,3}(f)| \le \frac{22}{105} \approx 0.209523.$$

The inequality obtained here is more refined than that of Arif et al. [1].

**Remark 5.2.** For  $\alpha = 0$  in (3.4), we obtain

$$|H_{4,1}(f)| \le \frac{1}{2}.$$

The bound obtained above is more refined than that of Arif et al. [3].

**Remark 5.3.** For the choice of  $\alpha = 0$  in (4.9), we get

$$|H_{3,3}(f)| \le \frac{8}{105} \approx 0.07619.$$

**Remark 5.4.** For the choice  $\alpha = 0$  in (4.14)

$$|H_{4,1}(f)| \le \frac{8}{945} \approx 0.008465,$$
 (5.1)

the obtained bound is more refined than the bound developed by Arief et al. [3].

**Remark 5.5.** For the choice of  $\alpha = 0$  in (4.25), we obtained

$$|H_{4,1}(f)| \le \frac{1}{112} \approx 0.0089285,$$
 (5.2)

the obtained bound is more refined than that of Arief et al. [3].

CONCLUDING REMARKS AND SCOPE OF FURTHER RESEARCH: In this paper, we estimated an upper bound for the Hankel determinants of third and fourth orders for the class  $R(\alpha)$ ,  $(0 \le \alpha < 1)$ of bounded turning functions of order  $\alpha$ . The bounds obtained are more refined than the bounds obtained by the earlier authors, when the parameter  $\alpha = 0$ . Further, the bounds estimated for two-fold and three-fold symmetric functions for  $|H_{4,1,\alpha}(f)|$  are more polished, for  $\alpha = 0$ . Finally, one can also attempt to find sharp bounds for  $|H_{3,3}(f)|$ ,  $|H_{4,1}(f)|$  the functions belonging to the same class  $R(\alpha)$ .

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