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**A COMPREHENSIVE FAMILY OF BI-UNIVALENT FUNCTIONS  
LINKED WITH GEGENBAUER POLYNOMIALS**

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**ABSTRACT.** Making use of Gegenbauer polynomials, we initiate and explore a comprehensive family of regular and bi-univalent (or bi-Schlicht) functions in  $\mathfrak{D} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ . We investigate certain coefficients bounds and the Fekete-Szegö functional for functions in this family. We also present few interesting observations and provide relevant connections of the result investigated.

1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

Let the unit disc  $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$  be symbolized by  $\mathfrak{D}$ , where  $\mathbb{C}$  is the collection of all complex numbers. Let  $\mathbb{N} := \mathbb{N}_0 \setminus \{0\} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$  and  $\mathbb{R}$  be the set of real numbers. The set of normalized regular functions in  $\mathfrak{D}$  that have the power series of the form

$$g(z) = z + d_2 z^2 + d_3 z^3 + \dots = z + \sum_{j=2}^{\infty} d_j z^j, \quad (1.1)$$

be indicated by  $\mathcal{A}$  and the set of all functions of  $\mathcal{A}$  that are univalent (or schlicht) in  $\mathfrak{D}$  is symbolized by  $\mathcal{S}$ . As per the Koebe theorem (see [9]) any function  $g \in \mathcal{S}$  has an inverse function given by

$$g^{-1}(\omega) = f(\omega) = \omega - d_2 \omega^2 + (2d_2^2 - d_3)\omega^3 - (5d_2^3 - 5d_2 d_3 + d_4)\omega^4 + \dots, \quad (1.2)$$

such that  $z = g^{-1}(g(z))$ ,  $\omega = g(g^{-1}(\omega))$ ,  $|\omega| < r_0(g)$  and  $r_0(g) \geq 1/4$ ,  $z, \omega \in \mathfrak{D}$ .

A function  $g$  of  $\mathcal{A}$  is called bi-univalent (or bi-schlicht) in  $\mathfrak{D}$  if  $g$  and its inverse  $g^{-1}$  are both univalent (or schlicht) in  $\mathfrak{D}$ . Let  $\Sigma$  stands for the set of bi-univalent functions having the form (1.1). Investigations of the family  $\Sigma$  begun few decades ago by Lewin [20] and Brannan and Clunie [7]. Later, Tan [32] found some initial coefficient estimates of

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bi-univalent functions. Moreover, Brannan and Taha [6] examined certain classical subsets of  $\sum$  in  $\mathfrak{D}$ . Some interesting outcomes concerning initial bounds for certain special sets of  $\sum$  have been appeared in [1], [2], [8], [14], [15] and [24].

Recently, Kiepiela et al. [19] examined the Gegenbauer polynomials (or ultraspherical polynomials)  $C_j^\alpha(x)$ . They are orthogonal polynomials on  $[-1,1]$  that can be defined by the recurrence relation

$$C_j^\alpha(x) = \frac{2x(j + \alpha - 1)C_{j-1}^\alpha(x) - (j + 2\alpha - 2)C_{j-2}^\alpha(x)}{j}, C_0^\alpha(x) = 1, C_1^\alpha(x) = 2\alpha x, \quad (1.3)$$

where  $j \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{1\}$ . It is easy to see from (1.3) that  $C_2^\alpha(x) = 2\alpha(1 + \alpha)x^2 - \alpha$ . For  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ , a generating function of the sequence  $C_j^\alpha(x)$ ,  $j \in \mathbb{N}$ , is defined by (see [3]):

$$\mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, z) := \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} C_j^\alpha(x)z^j = \frac{1}{(1 - 2xz + z^2)^\alpha}, \quad (1.4)$$

where  $z \in \mathfrak{D}$  and  $x \in [-1,1]$ .

Two particular cases of  $C_j^\alpha(x)$  are *i*)  $C_j^1(x)$  the second kind Chebyshev polynomials and *ii*)  $C_j^{\frac{1}{2}}(x)$  the Legendre polynomials (See [4]).

Gegenbauer polynomials, Fibonacci polynomials, Pell-Lucas polynomials, Chebyshev polynomials, Horadam polynomials, Fermat-Lucas polynomials and generalizations of them have potential applications in branches such as architecture, physics, combinatorics, number theory, statistics and engineering. Additional information about these polynomials can be found in [12], [13], [16], [17] and [36]. More details about the famous Fekete-Szegő problem associated with Gegenbauer polynomials are available in the works of [3], [4], [35] and [31].

The recent research trends are the outcomes of the study of function in the class  $\sum$  linked with any of the above mentioned polynomials, can be seen in [5], [21], [25], [26], [27], [29], [30], [33] and [34]. Generally interest was shown to estimate the initial Taylor-Maclaurin coefficients and the celebrated inequality of Fekete-Szegő for the special subfamilies of  $\sum$ . However, there is little work on bi-univalent functions linked with Gegenbauer polynomials. To initiate and explore the study on bi-univalent functions linked with Gegenbauer polynomials, we present a comprehensive family of  $\sum$  subordinate to Gegenbauer polynomials  $C_j^\alpha(x)$  as in (1.3) with the generating function (1.4).

For regular functions  $g$  and  $f$  in  $\mathfrak{D}$ ,  $g$  is said to subordinate to  $f$ , if there is a Schwarz function  $\psi$  in  $\mathfrak{D}$ , such that  $\psi(0) = 0$ ,  $|\psi(z)| < 1$  and  $g(z) = f(\psi(z))$ ,  $z \in \mathfrak{D}$ . This subordination is indicated as  $g \prec f$  or  $g(z) \prec f(z)$ . Specifically, when  $f \in \mathcal{S}$  in  $\mathfrak{D}$ , then  $g(z) \prec f(z) \iff g(0) = f(0)$  and  $g(\mathfrak{D}) \subset f(\mathfrak{D})$ .

Throughout this paper, the inverse function  $g^{-1}(\omega) = f(\omega)$  is as in (1.2) and  $\mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, z)$  is as in (1.4).

**Definition 1.1.** A function  $g$  in  $\sum$  having the power series (1.1) is said to be in the family  $S\mathfrak{G}_\alpha^\alpha(\gamma, \tau, \mu, x)$ ,  $0 \leq \gamma \leq 1$ ,  $\tau \geq 1$ ,  $\mu \geq 0$ ,  $1/2 < x \leq 1$  and  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ , if

$$\frac{z(g'(z))^\tau + \mu z^2 g''(z)}{\gamma g(z) + (1 - \gamma)z} \prec \mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, z), \quad z \in \mathfrak{D}$$

and

$$\frac{\omega(f'(\omega))^\tau + \mu\omega^2 f''(\omega)}{\gamma f(\omega) + (1 - \gamma)\omega} \prec \mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, \omega), \omega \in \mathfrak{D}.$$

The family  $S\mathfrak{S}_\sum^\alpha(\gamma, \tau, \mu, x)$  is of special interest for it contains many well-known as well as new subfamilies of  $\sum$  for particular values of  $\gamma, \tau$  and  $\mu$ , as illustrated below:

1.  $SK_\sum^\alpha(\tau, \mu, x) \equiv S\mathfrak{S}_\sum^\alpha(0, \tau, \mu, x)$  is the set of functions  $g \in \sum$  satisfying

$$(g'(z))^\tau + \mu z g''(z) \prec \mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, z) \quad \text{and} \quad (f'(\omega))^\tau + \mu\omega f''(\omega) \prec \mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, \omega), z, \omega \in \mathfrak{D}.$$

2.  $SL_\sum^\alpha(\tau, \mu, x) \equiv S\mathfrak{S}_\sum^\alpha(1, \tau, \mu, x)$  is the collection of functions  $g \in \sum$  satisfying

$$\frac{z(g'(z))^\tau}{g(z)} + \mu \left( \frac{z^2 g''(z)}{g(z)} \right) \prec \mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, z), z \in \mathfrak{D}$$

and

$$\frac{\omega(f'(\omega))^\tau}{f(\omega)} + \mu \left( \frac{\omega^2 f''(\omega)}{f(\omega)} \right) \prec \mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, \omega), \omega \in \mathfrak{D}.$$

3.  $SM_\sum^\alpha(\gamma, \tau, x) \equiv S\mathfrak{S}_\sum^\alpha(\gamma, \tau, 1, x)$  is the family of functions  $g \in \sum$  satisfying

$$\frac{z(g'(z))^\tau + z^2 g''(z)}{\gamma g(z) + (1 - \gamma)z} \prec \mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, z), z \in \mathfrak{D}$$

and

$$\frac{\omega(f'(\omega))^\tau + \omega^2 f''(\omega)}{\gamma f(\omega) + (1 - \gamma)\omega} \prec \mathcal{H}_\alpha(x, \omega), \omega \in \mathfrak{D}.$$

4. The function classes  $S\mathfrak{S}_\sum^\alpha(\gamma, 1, \mu, x)$  and  $S\mathfrak{S}_\sum^\alpha(\gamma, 0, \mu, x)$  were investigated in [31].

*Remark 1.1.* We note that

- i)  $SK_\sum^\alpha(\tau, 1, x) \equiv SM_\sum^\alpha(0, \tau, x).$
- ii)  $SL_\sum^\alpha(\tau, 1, x) \equiv SM_\sum^\alpha(1, \tau, x).$

*Remark 1.2.* i) For  $\mu = 0$  and  $\tau = 1$ , the class  $SK_\sum^\alpha(1, 0, x) \equiv \mathcal{H}_\sum^\alpha(x)$  was studied by Amourah et al. [3].

ii) For  $\mu = 0$  and  $\tau = 1$ , the family  $SL_\sum^\alpha(1, 0, x) \equiv S_\sum^\alpha(x)$  was introduced by Amourah et al. [4].

In Section 2, we derive the estimates for  $|d_2|$ ,  $|d_3|$  and the inequality of Fekete-Szegö [11] for functions of the form (1.1)  $\in S\mathfrak{S}_\sum^\alpha(\gamma, \tau, \mu, x)$ . In Section 3, few interesting consequences and relevant connections of the result are mentioned.

## 2. COEFFICIENT BOUNDS AND FEKETE-SZEGÖ INEQUALITY

We determine the initial coefficients bounds and the inequality of Fekete-Szegö for functions in  $S\mathfrak{S}_\sum^\alpha(\gamma, \tau, \mu, x)$ , in the following theorem:

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $0 \leq \gamma \leq 1$ ,  $\tau \geq 1$ ,  $\mu \geq 0$ ,  $1/2 < x \leq 1$  and  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ . If the function  $g \in S\mathfrak{S}_{\sum}^{\alpha}(\gamma, \tau, \mu, x)$ , then

$$|d_2| \leq \frac{2|\alpha|x\sqrt{2x}}{\sqrt{|(2(\mu+\tau)-\gamma)^2(1-2x^2)+2(\gamma^2+2(\tau-\gamma)-4\mu(2\tau+\mu-3))\alpha x^2|}}, \quad (2.1)$$

$$|d_3| \leq \frac{4\alpha^2 x^2}{(2(\mu+\tau)-\gamma)^2} + \frac{2|\alpha|x}{(3(2\mu+\tau)-\gamma)} \quad (2.2)$$

and for  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$

$$|d_3 - \delta d_2^2| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{2|\alpha|x}{(3(2\mu+\tau)-\gamma)} & ; |1-\delta| \leq \mathfrak{J} \\ \frac{8\alpha^2 x^3 |1-\delta|}{|(2(\mu+\tau)-\gamma)^2(1-2x^2)+2(\gamma^2+2(\tau-\gamma)-4\mu(2\tau+\mu-3))\alpha x^2|} & ; |1-\delta| \geq \mathfrak{J}, \end{cases} \quad (2.3)$$

where

$$\mathfrak{J} = \left| \frac{(2(\mu+\tau)-\gamma)^2(1-2x^2)+2(\gamma^2+2(\tau-\gamma)-4\mu(2\tau+\mu-3))\alpha x^2}{4(3(2\mu+1)-\gamma)\alpha x^2} \right|. \quad (2.4)$$

*Proof.* Let  $g \in S\mathfrak{S}_{\sum}^{\alpha}(\gamma, \tau, \mu, x)$ . Then, for two regular functions  $\mathfrak{M}, \mathfrak{N}$  given by

$$\mathfrak{M}(z) = \mathfrak{m}_1 z + \mathfrak{m}_2 z^2 + \mathfrak{m}_3 z^3 + \dots \quad z \in \mathfrak{D}$$

and

$$\mathfrak{N}(\omega) = \mathfrak{n}_1 \omega + \mathfrak{n}_2 \omega^2 + \mathfrak{n}_3 \omega^3 + \dots, \quad \omega \in \mathfrak{D}$$

with  $\mathfrak{M}(0) = 0, \mathfrak{N}(0) = 0, |\mathfrak{M}(z)| < 1$  and  $|\mathfrak{N}(\omega)| < 1, z, \omega \in \mathfrak{D}$  and on account of Definition 1.1, we can write

$$\frac{z(g'(z))^{\tau} + \mu z^2 g''(z)}{\gamma g(z) + (1-\gamma)z} = \mathcal{H}_{\alpha}(x, \mathfrak{M}(z))$$

and

$$\frac{\omega(f'(\omega))^{\tau} + \mu \omega^2 f''(\omega)}{\gamma f(\omega) + (1-\gamma)\omega} = \mathcal{H}_{\alpha}(x, \mathfrak{N}(\omega)).$$

Or, equivalently

$$\frac{z(g'(z))^{\tau} + \mu z^2 g''(z)}{\gamma g(z) + (1-\gamma)z} = 1 + C_1^{\alpha}(x) + C_2^{\alpha}(x)\mathfrak{m}(z) + C_3^{\alpha}(x)(\mathfrak{m}(z))^2 + \dots \quad (2.5)$$

and

$$\frac{\omega(f'(\omega))^{\tau} + \mu \omega^2 f''(\omega)}{\gamma f(\omega) + (1-\gamma)\omega} = 1 + C_1^{\alpha}(x) + C_2^{\alpha}(x)\mathfrak{n}(\omega) + C_3^{\alpha}(x)(\mathfrak{n}(\omega))^2 + \dots \quad (2.6)$$

From (2.5) and (2.6), in view of (1.3), we find

$$\frac{z(g'(z))^{\tau} + \mu z^2 g''(z)}{\gamma g(z) + (1-\gamma)z} = 1 + C_1^{\alpha}(x)\mathfrak{m}_1 z + [C_1^{\alpha}(x)\mathfrak{m}_2 + C_2^{\alpha}(x)\mathfrak{m}_1^2]z^2 + \dots \quad (2.7)$$

and

$$\frac{\omega(f'(\omega))^{\tau} + \mu \omega^2 f''(\omega)}{\gamma f(\omega) + (1-\gamma)\omega} = 1 + C_1^{\alpha}(x)\mathfrak{n}_1 \omega + [C_1^{\alpha}(x)\mathfrak{n}_2 + C_1^{\alpha}(x)\mathfrak{n}_1^2]\omega^2 + \dots \quad (2.8)$$

Clearly, if  $|\mathfrak{M}(z)| = |\mathfrak{m}_1 z + \mathfrak{m}_2 z^2 + \mathfrak{m}_3 z^3 + \dots| < 1, z \in \mathfrak{D}$  and  $|\mathfrak{N}(\omega)| = |\mathfrak{n}_1 \omega + \mathfrak{n}_2 \omega^2 + \mathfrak{n}_3 \omega^3 + \dots| < 1, \omega \in \mathfrak{D}$ , then

$$|\mathfrak{m}_i| \leq 1 \text{ and } |\mathfrak{n}_i| \leq 1 \quad (i \in \mathbb{N}). \quad (2.9)$$

We get the following by equating the corresponding coefficients in (2.7) and (2.8):

$$(2(\mu + \tau) - \gamma)d_2 = C_1^\alpha(x)\mathfrak{m}_1, \quad (2.10)$$

$$(3(2\mu + \tau) - \gamma)d_3 + (\gamma^2 - 2\gamma(\mu + \tau) + 2\tau(\tau - 1))d_2^2 = C_1^\alpha(x)\mathfrak{m}_2 + C_2^\alpha(x)\mathfrak{m}_1^2, \quad (2.11)$$

$$-(2(\mu + \tau) - \gamma)d_2 = C_1^\alpha(x)\mathfrak{n}_1 \quad (2.12)$$

and

$$(3(2\mu + \tau) - \gamma)(2d_2^2 - d_3) + (\gamma^2 - 2\gamma(\mu + \tau) + 2\tau(\tau - 1))d_2^2 = C_1^\alpha(x)\mathfrak{n}_2 + C_2^\alpha(x)\mathfrak{n}_1^2. \quad (2.13)$$

It follows from (2.10) and (2.12) that

$$\mathfrak{m}_1 = -\mathfrak{n}_1, \quad (2.14)$$

$$2(2(\mu + 1) - \gamma)^2d_2^2 = (\mathfrak{m}_1^2 + \mathfrak{n}_1^2)(C_1^\alpha(x))^2. \quad (2.15)$$

If we add (2.11) and (2.13), then we obtain

$$2(\gamma^2 + (\tau - \gamma)(2\tau + 1) + 2\mu(3 - \gamma))d_2^2 = C_1^\alpha(x)(\mathfrak{m}_2 + \mathfrak{n}_2) + C_2^\alpha(x)(\mathfrak{m}_1^2 + \mathfrak{n}_1^2). \quad (2.16)$$

Substituting the value of  $\mathfrak{m}_1^2 + \mathfrak{n}_1^2$  from (2.15) in (2.16), we get

$$d_2^2 = \frac{(C_1^\alpha(x))^3(\mathfrak{m}_2 + \mathfrak{n}_2)}{2[(\gamma^2 + (\tau - \gamma)(2\tau + 1) + 2\mu(3 - \gamma))(C_1^\alpha(x))^2 - (2(\mu + \tau) - \gamma)^2C_2^\alpha(x)]}, \quad (2.17)$$

which yields (2.1) on using (2.9).

After subtracting (2.13) from (2.11) and then using (2.14), we obtain

$$d_3 = d_2^2 + \frac{C_1^\alpha(x)(\mathfrak{m}_2 - \mathfrak{n}_2)}{2(3(2\mu + \tau) - \gamma)}. \quad (2.18)$$

Then in view of (2.15), equation (2.18) becomes

$$d_3 = \frac{(C_1^\alpha(x))^2(\mathfrak{m}_1^2 + \mathfrak{n}_1^2)}{2(2(\mu + \tau) - \gamma)^2} + \frac{C_1^\alpha(x)(\mathfrak{m}_2 - \mathfrak{n}_2)}{2(3(2\mu + \tau) - \gamma)},$$

which gets (2.2) on applying (2.9).

From (2.17) and (2.18), for  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$ , we get

$$|d_3 - \delta d_2^2| = |C_1^\alpha(x)| \left| \left( \mathfrak{T}(\delta, x) + \frac{1}{2(3(2\mu + \tau) - \gamma)} \right) \mathfrak{m}_2 + \left( \mathfrak{T}(\delta, x) - \frac{1}{2(3(2\mu + \tau) - \gamma)} \right) \mathfrak{n}_2 \right|,$$

where

$$\mathfrak{T}(\delta, x) = \frac{(1 - \delta)(C_1^\alpha(x))^2}{2[(\gamma^2 + (\tau - \gamma)(2\tau + 1) + 2\mu(3 - \gamma))(C_1^\alpha(x))^2 - (2(\mu + 1) - \gamma)^2C_2^\alpha(x)]}.$$

In view of (1.3), we conclude that

$$|d_3 - \delta d_2^2| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{|C_1^\alpha(x)|}{(3(2\mu + \tau) - \gamma)} & ; 0 \leq |\mathfrak{T}(\delta, x)| \leq \frac{1}{2(3(2\mu + \tau) - \gamma)} \\ 2|C_1^\alpha(x)||\mathfrak{T}(\delta, x)| & ; |\mathfrak{T}(\delta, x)| \geq \frac{1}{2(3(2\mu + \tau) - \gamma)}, \end{cases}$$

which enable us to conclude (2.3) with  $\mathfrak{J}$  as in (2.4). Thus the proof of Theorem 2.1 is completed.  $\square$

*Remark 2.1.* a) By taking  $\tau = 1$  in the above theorem, we obtain a result of the authors [31, Theorem 2.1]. Further, setting i)  $\mu = 0$ , ii)  $\gamma = 0$  and iii)  $\gamma = 1$ , we obtain Corollaries 2.1, 2.2 and 2.3 of [31], respectively.

b) If we let  $\mu = 0$  in the above theorem, we get another result of the authors [31, Theorem 3.1]. Further, letting i)  $\gamma = 0$  and ii)  $\gamma = 1$ , we get [31, Corollary 3.1 and Corollary 3.2].

### 3. OUTCOME OF THE MAIN RESULT

Theorem 2.1 would yield the following outcome, when  $\gamma = 0$ .

**Corollary 3.1.** *If the function  $g \in SK_{\sum}^{\alpha}(\tau, \mu, x)$ , then*

$$\begin{aligned}|d_2| &\leq \frac{|\alpha|x\sqrt{2x}}{\sqrt{|(\mu+\tau)^2(1-2x^2)-(2\mu(\mu+2\tau-3)-\tau)\alpha x^2|}}, \\ |d_3| &\leq \frac{\alpha^2 x^2}{(\mu+\tau)^2} + \frac{2|\alpha|x}{3(2\mu+\tau)}\end{aligned}$$

and for  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$|d_3 - \delta d_2^2| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{2|\alpha|x}{3(2\mu+\tau)} & ; |1-\delta| \leq \left| \frac{(\mu+\tau)^2(1-2x^2)-(2\mu(\mu+2\tau-3)-\tau)\alpha x^2}{3(2\mu+\tau)\alpha x^2} \right| \\ \frac{2\alpha^2 x^3 |1-\delta|}{|(\mu+1)^2(1-2x^2)-(2\mu(\mu+2\tau-3)-\tau)\alpha x^2|} & ; |1-\delta| \geq \left| \frac{(\mu+\tau)^2(1-2x^2)-(2\mu(\mu+2\tau-3)-\tau)\alpha x^2}{3(2\mu+\tau)\alpha x^2} \right| \end{cases}.$$

*Remark 3.1.* Corollary 3.1 reduces to Corollary 9 of Amurah et al. [4], when  $\tau = 1$  and  $\mu = 0$ .

Allowing  $\gamma = 1$  in Theorem 2.1, we arrive at the following:

**Corollary 3.2.** *If the function  $g \in SL_{\sum}^{\alpha}(\tau, \mu, x)$ , then*

$$\begin{aligned}|d_2| &\leq \frac{2|\alpha|x\sqrt{2x}}{\sqrt{|(2(\mu+\tau)-1)^2(1-2x^2)-2(4\mu(2\tau+\mu-3)-2\tau+1)\alpha x^2|}}, \\ |d_3| &\leq \frac{4\alpha^2 x^2}{(2(\mu+\tau)-1)^2} + \frac{2|\alpha|x}{3(2\mu+\tau)-1}\end{aligned}$$

and for some  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$|d_3 - \delta d_2^2| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{2|\alpha|x}{3(2\mu+\tau)-1} & ; |1-\delta| \leq \mathfrak{J}_1 \\ \frac{8\alpha^2 x^2 |1-\delta|}{|(2(\mu+\tau)-1)^2(1-2x^2)-2(4\mu(2\tau+\mu-3)-2\tau+1)\alpha x^2|} & ; |1-\delta| \geq \mathfrak{J}_1 \end{cases}$$

where  $\mathfrak{J}_1 = \left| \frac{(2(\mu+\tau)-1)^2(1-2x^2)-2(4\mu(2\tau+\mu-3)-2\tau+1)\alpha x^2}{4(3-\gamma)\alpha x^2} \right|$ .

*Remark 3.2.* Corollary 3.2 reduces to Corollary 8 of Amurah et al. [4] (also see [3]), when  $\tau = 1$  and  $\mu = 0$ .

Setting  $\mu = 1$  in Theorem 2.1, we have

**Corollary 3.3.** *If the function  $g \in SM_{\sum}^{\alpha}(\gamma, \tau, x)$ , then*

$$|d_2| \leq \frac{2|\alpha|x\sqrt{2x}}{\sqrt{|2(1+\tau)-\gamma|^2(1-2x^2)+2(\gamma^2-\gamma-6\tau+8)\alpha x^2|}},$$

$$|d_3| \leq \frac{4\alpha^2 x^2}{(2(1+\tau)-\gamma)^2} + \frac{|\alpha|x}{3(2+\tau)-\gamma}$$

and for  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$|d_3 - \delta d_2^2| \leq \begin{cases} \frac{|\alpha|x}{3(2+\tau)-\gamma} & ; |1-\delta| \leq \mathfrak{J}_2 \\ \frac{8\alpha^2 x^3 |1-\delta|}{[2(1+\tau)-\gamma]^2 (1-2x^2) + 2(\gamma^2-2\gamma-6\tau+8)\alpha x^2]} & ; |1-\delta| \geq \mathfrak{J}_2, \end{cases}$$

where  $\mathfrak{J}_2 = \left| \frac{2(1+\tau)-\gamma)^2(1-2x^2)+2(\gamma^2-2\gamma-6\tau+8)\alpha x^2}{4(3(2+\tau)-\gamma)\alpha x^2} \right|$ .

#### 4. CONCLUSION

A comprehensive family of regular and bi-univalent (or bi-schlicht) functions linked with Gegenbauer polynomials are initiated and explored. Bounds of the first two coefficients  $|d_2|$ ,  $|d_3|$  and the celebrated Fekete- Szegö functional have been fixed for the defined family. Through corollaries of our main results, we have highlighted many interesting new consequences.

The contents of the paper on a comprehensive family could inspire further research related to other trends such as families using  $q$  - derivative operator [10], [28],  $q$  - integral operator [18], meromorphic bi-univalent function families associated with Al-Oboudi differential operator [23] and families using integro-differential operators [22].

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