

## Fourier series for Meijer's G-function

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**1. Introduction.** Recently KESARWANI [2] has given two FOURIER series for MEIJER'S G-functions. Two further series of this type are given in section 3 with the help of two integrals established in section 2.

In what follows for sake of brevity  $a_p$  denotes  $a_1 \dots a_p$ ;  $\delta$  is a positive integer and the symbol  $\Delta(\delta, \alpha)$  represents the set of parameters  $\frac{\alpha}{\delta}, \frac{\alpha+1}{\delta}, \dots, \frac{\alpha+\delta-1}{\delta}$ .

**2. The integrals.** The integrals to be established are

$$(2.1) \quad \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos(\alpha+\beta)\theta \cdot (\sin\theta)^{\alpha-1} (\cos\theta)^{\beta-1} \cdot G_{p,q}^{m,n} \left[ z (\tan\theta)^{2\delta} \left| \begin{matrix} a_p \\ b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right] d\theta = \frac{(2\delta)^{\alpha+\beta-1} 2^{-\delta}}{(\pi)^{\delta-1} \Gamma(\alpha+\beta)} \cdot G_{p+2\delta, q+2\delta}^{m+2\delta, n+\delta} \left[ z \left| \begin{matrix} \Delta(\delta, 1-\alpha/2), a_p, \Delta(\delta, \frac{1-\alpha}{2}) \\ \Delta(2\delta, \beta), b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right],$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} 2(m+n) &> p+q, \\ |\arg z| &< (m+n - \frac{1}{2}p - \frac{1}{2}q)\pi, \\ \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) &> 0, \operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.2) \quad \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin(\alpha+\beta)\theta \cdot (\sin\theta)^{\alpha-1} (\cos\theta)^{\beta-1} \cdot G_{p,q}^{m,n} \left[ z (\tan\theta)^{2\delta} \left| \begin{matrix} a_p \\ b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right] d\theta = \frac{(2\delta)^{\alpha+\beta-1} 2^{-\delta}}{(\pi)^{\delta-1} \Gamma(\alpha+\beta)} \cdot G_{p+2\delta, q+2\delta}^{m+2\delta, n+\delta} \left[ z \left| \begin{matrix} \Delta(\delta, \frac{1-\alpha}{2}), a_p, \Delta(\delta, 1-\alpha/2) \\ \Delta(2\delta, \beta), b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right],$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} 2(m+n) &> p+q, \\ |\arg z| &< (m+n - \frac{1}{2}p - \frac{1}{2}q)\pi, \\ \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) &> -1, \operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0. \end{aligned}$$

**PROOF.** To establish (2.1), expressing the G-function as a MELLIN — BARNES type integral [1, p. 207, (1)] and interchanging the order of integration, which is justified due to the absolute convergence of the integrals involved in the process, we have

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_L \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m \Gamma(b_j - s) \prod_{j=1}^n \Gamma(1 - a_j + s) z^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^q \Gamma(1 - b_j + s) \prod_{j=n+1}^p \Gamma(a_j - s)} \cdot \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos(\alpha+\beta)\theta \cdot (\sin\theta)^{\alpha+2s\delta-1} \cdot (\cos\theta)^{\beta-2s\delta-1} d\theta ds.$$

Now evaluating the inner integral with the help of the modified form of the formula [3, p. 450, (2)], viz.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos(\alpha+\beta)\theta \cdot (\sin\theta)^{\alpha-1} (\cos\theta)^{\beta-1} d\theta &= \frac{\Gamma(\pi) 2^{\alpha-1} \Gamma(\alpha/2) \Gamma(\beta)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{1-\alpha}{2}\right) \Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}, \\ \operatorname{Re}(\alpha) &> 0, \operatorname{Re}(\beta) > 0, \end{aligned}$$

and using the multiplication formula for the gamma function [1, p. 4, (11)], we get

$$\frac{(2\delta)^{\alpha+\beta-1} 2^{-\delta}}{(\pi)^{\delta-1} \Gamma(\alpha+\beta)} \cdot \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_L \frac{A}{B} ds,$$

where

$$A = \prod_{j=1}^m \Gamma(b_j - s) \prod_{j=1}^n \Gamma(1 - a_j + s)$$

$$\cdot \prod_{i=0}^{\delta-1} \Gamma\left(\frac{\alpha/2 + i}{\delta} + s\right) \prod_{i=0}^{2\delta-1} \Gamma\left(\frac{\beta+i}{2\delta} - s\right) z_i^s,$$

and

$$B = \prod_{j=m+1}^q \Gamma(1 - b_j + s) \prod_{j=n+1}^p \Gamma(a_j - s)$$

$$\cdot \prod_{i=0}^{\delta-1} \Gamma\left(\frac{1-\alpha}{2} + i - s\right).$$

On applying [1, p. 207, (1)], the value of the integral (2. 1) is obtained.

The integral (2. 2) is established on applying the same procedure as above and using the modified form of the formula [3, p. 450, (3)].

**3. The Fourier Series.** The FOURIER series to be established are

$$(3. 1) \quad (\sin \Phi/2)^{\alpha-1} (\cos \Phi/2)^{2t-\alpha-1}$$

$$\cdot G_{p,q}^{m,n} \left[ z (\tan \Phi/2)^{2\delta} \left| \begin{matrix} a_p \\ b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right] = \frac{4}{(2\pi)^\delta} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2\delta)^{2r-1}}{\Gamma(2r)}$$

$$\cdot G_{p+2\delta,q+2\delta}^{m+2\delta,n+\delta} \left[ z \left| \begin{matrix} \Delta(\delta, 1-\alpha/2), a_p, \Delta\left(\delta, \frac{1-\alpha}{2}\right) \\ \Delta(2\delta, 2r-\alpha), b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right] \cos r\Phi,$$

where

$$2(m+n) > p+q,$$

$$|\arg z| < (m+n - \frac{1}{2}p - \frac{1}{2}q)\pi,$$

$$2t > \text{Re}(\alpha) > 0, \quad t = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$(3. 2) \quad (\sin \Phi/2)^{\alpha-1} (\cos \Phi/2)^{2t-\alpha-1}$$

$$\cdot G_{p,q}^{m,n} \left[ z (\tan \Phi/2)^{2\delta} \left| \begin{matrix} a_p \\ b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right] = \frac{4}{(2\pi)^\delta} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2\delta)^{2r-1}}{\Gamma(2r)}$$

$$\cdot G_{p+2\delta,q+2\delta}^{m+2\delta,n+\delta} \left[ z \left| \begin{matrix} \Delta\left(\delta, \frac{1-\alpha}{2}\right), a_p, \Delta(\delta, 1-\alpha/2) \\ \Delta(2\delta, 2r-\alpha) \end{matrix} \right. \right] \sin r\Phi,$$

where

$$2(m+n) > p+q,$$

$$|\arg z| < (m+n - \frac{1}{2}p - \frac{1}{2}q)\pi,$$

$$2t > \text{Re}(\alpha) > -1, \quad t = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

PROOF. To prove (3. 1), let

$$(3. 3) \quad f(\Phi) = (\sin \Phi/2)^{\alpha-1} (\cos \Phi/2)^{2t-\alpha-1}$$

$$\cdot G_{p,q}^{m,n} \left[ z (\tan \Phi/2)^{2\delta} \left| \begin{matrix} a_p \\ b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right]$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} A_r \cos r\Phi.$$

Equation (3. 3) is valid since  $f(\Phi)$  is continuous and of bounded variation in the open interval  $(0, \pi)$ .

Now multiplying both sides of (3. 3) by  $\cos t\Phi$  and integrating with respect to  $\Phi$  from 0 to  $\pi$ , we get

$$\int_0^\pi \cos t\Phi (\sin \Phi/2)^{\alpha-1} (\cos \Phi/2)^{2t-\alpha-1}$$

$$\cdot G_{p,q}^{m,n} \left[ z (\tan \Phi/2)^{2\delta} \left| \begin{matrix} a_p \\ b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right] d\Phi$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} A_r \int_0^\pi \cos r\Phi \cos t\Phi d\Phi.$$

Using (2. 1) [with  $\theta = \Phi/2$ ,  $\alpha + \beta = 2t$ ] and the orthogonality property of the cosine functions, we obtain

$$(3. 4) \quad A_t = \frac{4(2\delta)^{2t-1}}{(2\pi)^\delta \Gamma(2t)}$$

$$\cdot G_{p+2\delta,q+2\delta}^{m+2\delta,n+\delta} \left[ z \left| \begin{matrix} \Delta(\delta, 1-\alpha/2), a_p, \Delta\left(\delta, \frac{1-\alpha}{2}\right) \\ \Delta(2\delta, 2t-\alpha), b_q \end{matrix} \right. \right].$$

With the help of (3.3) and (3.4), the result (3.1) follows immediately.

Formula (3.2) can be derived with the help of (2.2) in the same manner.

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## El operador elasticidad y las transformaciones adiabáticas de los gases perfectos

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Continuando con el estudio y la búsqueda de aplicaciones del operador elasticidad en diversas ramas de la Ciencia, [1], [2], presentamos en esta Nota un ejemplo sencillo de la posibilidad de aplicar el concepto de elasticidad de una función, [3], a las transformaciones adiabáticas de los gases perfectos, obteniendo diversas expresiones para las capacidades caloríficas molares en función de las elasticidades de la presión y de la temperatura absoluta.

**Cálculo de la elasticidad de la presión, respecto del volumen, en una transformación adiabática de un gas perfecto.**

Diferenciando la ecuación de estado de los gases perfectos, referida a un mol, se obtiene:

$$(1) \quad dT = \frac{p dV + V dp}{R}$$

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en donde  $R$  es la constante universal de los gases perfectos.

La forma diferencial del Primer Principio de Termodinámica, aplicado a un gas perfecto es, [4]:

$$(2) \quad dQ = C_v dT + p dV$$

en donde  $C_v$  es la capacidad calorífica a volumen constante de un mol de gas. Por la propia definición de gas perfecto,  $C_v$  es independiente de la temperatura absoluta.

Combinando las dos expresiones anteriores se obtiene:

$$(3) \quad dQ = \frac{C_v + R}{R} p dV + \frac{C_v}{R} V dp$$

En una transformación adiabática (que supondremos reversible) será:

$$(4) \quad (C_v + R) p dV + C_v V dp = 0$$

Durante la transformación adiabática, la presión es una bien conocida función del volumen, que sería fácil de deducir si ello fuera necesario para nuestros fines.