

A SHORT NOTE ON EXTON'S RESULT

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, authors derived some generating functions (partly bilateral and partly unilateral) involving exponential and Mittag-Leffler's functions in view of Exton's result [3].

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1. Introduction and Definition. The function

$$E_{\alpha}(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^k}{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)}, \quad \alpha > 0 \quad (1.1)$$

was introduced by Mittag-Leffler's [5] and was investigated systematically by several other authors (for detail, see [2, Chapter XVIII]).

The function

$$E_{\alpha, \beta}(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^k}{\Gamma(\alpha k + \beta)}, \quad \alpha, \beta > 0 \quad (1.2)$$

has properties very similar to those of Mittag-Leffler's function $E_{\alpha}(z)$ (See Wiman [9], Agarwal [1]).

In 1971, Prabhakar [7] introduced the function $E_{\alpha, \beta}^{\gamma}(z)$ in the form

$$E_{\alpha, \beta}^{\gamma}(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\gamma)_k}{\Gamma(\alpha k + \beta)} \frac{z^k}{k!}, \quad \alpha, \beta, \gamma > 0 \quad (1.3)$$

where $(\gamma)_k$ is the Pochhammer symbol (Rainville [8])

$$(\gamma)_0 = 1, (\gamma)_k = \gamma(\gamma + 1)(\gamma + 2) \dots (\gamma + k - 1).$$

The function $E_{\alpha, \beta}^{\gamma}(z)$ is most natural generalization of the exponential function $\exp(z)$, Mittag-Leffler function $E_{\alpha}(z)$ and Wiman's function $E_{\alpha, \beta}(z)$.

We note that

$$\left. \begin{aligned} E_{\alpha,\beta}^1(z) &= E_{\alpha,\beta}(z), E_{\alpha,1}(z) = E_{\alpha}(z), E_{1,\beta}(z) = \frac{1}{\Gamma\beta} {}_1F_1[1, \beta; z] \\ E_{1,1}^1(z) &= E_{1,1}(z) = E_1(z) = e^z, E_2(z^2) = \cosh z \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (1.4)$$

An interesting (partly bilateral and partly unilateral) generating function for $F_n^m(x)$, due to Exton [3, p.147(3)] is recalled here in the following (modified) from [see [6]]:

$$\exp\left(s+t-\frac{xt}{s}\right) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} s^m t^n F_n^m(x), \quad (1.5)$$

$$\text{where } F_n^m(x) = {}_1F_1(-n; m+1; x)/m!n! = L_n^m(x)/(m+n)!, \quad (1.6)$$

and $L_n^m(x)$ denotes the classical Laguerre polynomials, (see [8] and in what follows

$$m^* = \max(0, -m), (m \in \mathbb{Z} = 0, 1, 2, \dots) \quad (1.7)$$

so that all factorials in equation (1.5) have meaning.

2. Generating Relations.

Result-1. If $p, q, l \in \mathbb{N}$, then

$$\exp\left(s^p + t^q - \left(\frac{xt}{s}\right)^l\right) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} s^m t^n \sum_{r=0}^{\lfloor n/q \rfloor} \frac{(-x)^{lr}}{r! \left(\frac{m+lr}{p}\right)! \left(\frac{n-lr}{q}\right)!} \quad (2.1)$$

Special Cases

(i) For $p=q=l$, equation (2.1) reduces to

$$\exp\left(s^p + t^p - \left(\frac{xt}{s}\right)^p\right) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{(m/p)!(n/p)!} {}_1F_1\left[\begin{matrix} -n/p & ; \\ m/p+1 & ; \end{matrix} \middle| -(-x)^p\right]. \quad (2.2)$$

(ii) When $p=2$ in (2.2) or $p=q=l=2$ in equation (2.1), we have

$$\exp\left(s^2 + t^2 - \left(\frac{xt}{s}\right)^2\right) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{(m/2)!(n/2)!} {}_1F_1\left[\begin{matrix} -n/2 & ; \\ m/2+1 & ; \end{matrix} \middle| x^2\right]. \quad (2.3)$$

(iii) When $p=q=1$ in equation (2.1), we get

$$\exp\left(s+t - (xt/s)^l\right) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{m!n!} {}_1F_1\left[\begin{matrix} \prod_{j=1}^l \frac{-n+j-1}{l} & ; \\ \prod_{j=1}^l \frac{(m+1)+j-1}{l} + 1 & ; \end{matrix} \middle| x^l\right]. \quad (2.4)$$

For $l=1$, equation (2.4) reduces to (1.5). It can also be obtained from (2.1) by

taking $p=q=l=1$.

Result-2. If $p, q, l \in \mathbb{N}$ and $E_{\alpha, \beta}^\gamma$ is defined by (1.3), then

$$\begin{aligned} & E_{\alpha_1, \beta_1}^{\gamma_1} (s^p) E_{\alpha_2, \beta_2}^{\gamma_2} (t^q) E_{\alpha_3, \beta_3}^{\gamma_3} (-xt/s)^l \\ &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{\Gamma \beta_1 \Gamma \beta_2 \Gamma \beta_3} \sum_{r=0}^{[n/q]} \frac{(\gamma_1)_{\alpha_1} \binom{m+lr}{p} (\gamma_2)_{\alpha_2} \binom{n-lr}{q} (\gamma_3)_r (-x)^{lr}}{(\beta_1)_{\alpha_1} \binom{m+lr}{p} (\beta_2)_{\alpha_2} \binom{n-lr}{q} (\beta_3)_{\alpha_3 r}}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.5)$$

Special Cases.

(i) For $\gamma_1 = \gamma_2 = \gamma_3 = 1$, equation (2.5) reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} & E_{\alpha_1, \beta_1} (s^p) E_{\alpha_2, \beta_2} (t^q) E_{\alpha_3, \beta_3} \left(\frac{-xt}{s} \right)^l \\ &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{\Gamma \beta_1 \Gamma \beta_2 \Gamma \beta_3} \sum_{r=0}^{[n/q]} \frac{(-x)^{lr}}{(\beta_1)_{\alpha_1} \binom{m+lr}{p} (\beta_2)_{\alpha_2} \binom{n-lr}{q} (\beta_3)_{\alpha_3 r}}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

(ii) When $p=q=l$ in equation (2.5), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & E_{\alpha_1, \beta_1} (s^p) E_{\alpha_2, \beta_2} (t^q) E_{\alpha_3, \beta_3} \left(\frac{-xt}{s} \right)^p \\ &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{\Gamma \beta_1 \Gamma \beta_2 \Gamma \beta_3} \sum_{r=0}^{[n/p]} \frac{(-x)^{pr}}{(\beta_1)_{\alpha_1} \binom{m+pr}{p} (\beta_2)_{\alpha_2} \binom{n-pr}{p} (\beta_3)_{\alpha_3 r}}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.7)$$

For $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \beta_3 = 1$ equation (2.7) reduces to (2.2) and also to (1.5) for $p=1$.

(iii) If $\gamma_1 = \gamma_2 = \gamma_3 = 1$ and $p=q=l=1$ in equation (2.5), we get known generating function of Kamarujjama and Khursheed [4]

$$\begin{aligned} & E_{\alpha_1, \beta_1} (s) E_{\alpha_2, \beta_2} (t) E_{\alpha_3, \beta_3} \left(\frac{-xt}{s} \right) \\ &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{\Gamma \beta_1 \Gamma \beta_2 \Gamma \beta_3} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(-x)^r}{(\beta_1)_{\alpha_1} \binom{m+r}{1} (\beta_2)_{\alpha_2} \binom{n-r}{1} (\beta_3)_{\alpha_3 r}}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.8)$$

(iv) When $p=2$ in equation (2.7) or $p=q=l=2$ in equation (2.6), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & E_{\alpha_1, \beta_1} (s^2) E_{\alpha_2, \beta_2} (t^2) E_{\alpha_3, \beta_3} \left(\frac{-xt}{s} \right)^2 \\ &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{\Gamma \beta_1 \Gamma \beta_2 \Gamma \beta_3} \sum_{r=0}^{[n/2]} \frac{(-x)^{2r}}{(\beta_1)_{\alpha_1} \binom{m+r}{2} (\beta_2)_{\alpha_2} \binom{n-r}{2} (\beta_3)_{\alpha_3 r}}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.9)$$

For $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \beta_3 = 1$ equation (2.9) reduces to (2.3).

Now putting $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = 2, \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \beta_3 = 1$ in equation (2.9) and using a relation (1.4), we obtain a generating function of hypergeometric function ${}_2F_3$ in terms of hyperbolic cosine functions.

$$\cosh s \cosh t \cosh(xt/s) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^{2m} t^{2n}}{(2m)!(2n)!} {}_2F_3 \left[\begin{matrix} -n, -n+1/2 & ; \\ m+1, m+1/2, 1/2 & ; \end{matrix} x^2/4 \right]. \quad (2.10)$$

(v) For $p = q = 1$, equation (2.6) reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} E_{\alpha_1, \beta_1}(s) E_{\alpha_2, \beta_2}(t) E_{\alpha_3, \beta_3} \left(\frac{-xt}{s} \right)^l \\ = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{\Gamma \beta_1 \Gamma \beta_2 \Gamma \beta_3} \sum_{r=0}^{[n/l]} \frac{(-x)^{lr}}{(\beta_1)_{\alpha_1(m+lr)} (\beta_2)_{\alpha_2(n-lr)} (\beta_3)_{\alpha_3 r}}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.11)$$

For $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \beta_3 = 1$, equation (2.11) reduces to (2.4) and also to (1.5) for $l=1$.

(vi) For $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = 1$ and $l=1$, equation (2.11) reduces to a following generating relation

$${}_1F_1[1, \beta_1; s] \cdot {}_1F_1[1, \beta_2; t] \cdot {}_1F_1[1, \beta_3; -xt/s] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=m^*}^{\infty} \frac{s^m t^n}{(\beta_1)_m (\beta_2)_n} {}_2F_2 \left[\begin{matrix} 1, 1-\beta_2-n & ; \\ \beta_1+m, \beta_3 & ; \end{matrix} x \right] \quad (2.12)$$

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