

ON PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL OPERATORS FOR $F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)$

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1. Introduction : In the application of Lie algebra to a special function it is usual to find two operators (called the generators of Lie algebra) which raise and lower the index (or parameter) of the special function under consideration [1]. The object of this paper is to present two partial differential operators, viz.

$$A = x(1-x) y u^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} - x y z u^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + y \frac{\partial}{\partial u} - y u^{-1}$$

$$B = x(1-x) y z^{-1} u^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + x y^2 z^{-1} u^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} - x y u^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + y z^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial u} - (1-x) y z^{-1} u^{-1},$$

such that **A** raises the index n and at the same time lowers the parameter γ of $F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)$, while **B** raises the index and lowers both parameters β, γ of $F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)$ at the same time.

In other words, we have,

$$(1.1) \quad A [y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] = (\gamma - 1) y^{n+1} z u^{\gamma-1} F(-n-1, \beta; \gamma-1; x)$$

$$B [y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] = (\gamma - 1) y^{n+1} z^{\beta-1} u^{\gamma-1} F(-n-1, \beta-1; \gamma-1; x).$$

The extended forms of the transformation groups generated by the operators **A, B** are given by

$$(1.2) \quad \exp(aA) f(x, y, z, u) = \frac{u}{u+ay} f\left(x \frac{u+ay}{u+axy}, y, \frac{zu}{u+axy}, u+ay\right)$$

$$\exp(bB) f(x, y, z, u) = \frac{zu}{zu+by(1-x)} f\left(x \frac{zu+by(1-x)}{zu}, \frac{yzu}{zu-bxy}, \frac{zu-bxy}{u}, u \frac{zu+by(1-x)}{zu-bxy}\right).$$

The introduction of such operators for $F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)$ helps us to derive the following generating relations :

$$(1.3) \quad (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} F\left(-n, \beta; \gamma; x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}\right)$$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\gamma+1)_m}{m!} F(-n-m, \beta; \gamma-m; x) t^m,$$

where $|t| < \min(1, |x|^{-1})$.

$$(1.4) \quad (1+xt)^{\beta-n-\gamma} (1+t(x-1))^{\gamma-1} F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x+xt(x-1)) \\ = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\gamma+1)_m}{m!} F(-n-m, \beta-m; \gamma-m; x) t^m$$

where $x \neq 1$, $|t| < \min(|x|^{-1}, |1-x|^{-1}, |x|^{-1}|1-x|^{-1})$

Furthermore, we have proved the following general theorems on generating relations for hypergeometric polynomials $F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)$.

Theorem I: If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$F(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) t^n.$$

Then,

$$(1.5) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y) t^n.$$

$$= (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} F\left(x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}, \frac{yt}{1-t}\right),$$

where

$$\sigma_n(y) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} y^k.$$

Theorem II: If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$F(x, y, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) g_n(y) t^n$$

where $g_n(y)$ is any arbitrary polynomial, then,

$$(1.6) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y, z) t^n$$

$$= (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} F\left[x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}, y, \frac{zt}{1-t}\right]$$

where,

$$\sigma_n(y, z) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} g_k(y) z^k.$$

Theorem III : If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$G(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) t^n$$

then,

$$(1.7) \quad (1-y)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} G\left(x \frac{1-y}{1-xy}, yt\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sigma_n(x, t) y^n,$$

where

$$\sigma_n(x, t) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n+k; x) t^k$$

Theorem IV : If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$F(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) t^n$$

then,

$$(1.8) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y) t^n \\ = (1+xt)^{\beta-\gamma} (1+t(x-1))^{\gamma-1} F\left[x+xt(x-1), \frac{yt(1+xt)}{1+(x-1)t}\right],$$

where

$$\sigma_n(y) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} y^k.$$

Theorem V : If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$F(x, y, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) g_n(y) t^n$$

where $g_n(y)$ is any arbitrary polynomial of y , then,

$$(1.9) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y, z) t^n \\ = (1+xt)^{\beta-\gamma} (1+(x-1)t)^{\gamma-1} F\left[x+xt(x-1), y, \frac{zt(1+xt)}{1+(x-1)t}\right],$$

where

$$\sigma_n(y, z) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} g_k(y) z^k$$

Theorem VI : If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$G(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) t^n$$

then

$$(1.10) \quad (1+xy)^{\beta-\gamma} (1+(x-1)y)^{\gamma-1} G\left(x+xy(x-1), \frac{yt}{1+xy}\right)$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sigma_n(x, t) y^n,$$

where

$$\sigma_n(x, t) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} F(-n, \beta-n+k; \gamma-n+k; x) t^k$$

2. Derivation of the operators :

We know that $F(-n, \beta, \gamma, x)$ satisfies the following relations :

$$(2.1) \quad \frac{d}{dx} F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) = x^{-1} (1-x)^{-1} [(\beta x - \gamma + 1) F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) + (\gamma - 1) F(-n-1, \beta; \gamma-1; x)]$$

$$(2.2) \quad \frac{d}{dx} F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) = x^{-1} (1-x)^{-1} [x(\beta-n-1) - \gamma - 1] F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) + (\gamma - 1) F(-n-1, \beta-1; \gamma-1; x)]$$

Let $A = A_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + A_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + A_3 \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + A_4 \frac{\partial}{\partial u} + A_0$ be an operator such that

$$A[y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] = a_n y^{n+1} z^\beta u^{\gamma-1} F(-n-1, \beta; \gamma-1; x),$$

where each A_i is a function of x, y, z, u and independent of n, β, γ and a_n is a function of n, β, γ but independent of x, y, z, u . With the help of (2.1) we have

$$(2.3) \quad A[y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] = A_1 x^{-1} (1-x)^{-1} y^n z^\beta u^\gamma \{(\beta x - \gamma - 1) F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) + (\gamma - 1) F(-n-1, \beta; \gamma-1; x)\} + y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) \cdot \{A_2 n y^{-1} + A_3 \beta z^{-1} + A_4 \gamma u^{-1} + A_0\}.$$

In order to make the coefficients of $F(n-1, \beta; \gamma-1; x) y^{n+1} z^\beta u^{\gamma-1}$ independent of x, y, z, u , we choose $A_1 = x(1-x)yu^{-1}$, so that (2.3) reduces to

$$A[y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] = (\gamma-1)y^{n+1} z^\beta u^{\gamma-1} F(-n-1, \beta; \gamma-1; x) \\ + [(\beta x - \gamma + 1)yu^{-1} + A_2 ny^{-1} + A_3 \beta z^{-1} + A_4 \gamma u^{-1} + A_0] \\ \cdot y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)$$

In order to make the coefficients of $y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)$ zero we choose $A_2 = 0, A_3 = -xyzu^{-1}, A_4 = y, A_0 = -yu^{-1}$.

Thus we get

$$(2.4) \quad A = x(1-x)yu^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} - xyzu^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + y \frac{\partial}{\partial u} - yu^{-1},$$

for which

$$(2.5) \quad A[y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] = (\gamma-1) y^{n+1} z^\beta u^{\gamma-1} F(-n-1, \beta; \gamma-1; x)$$

Similarly, we have on using (2.2)

$$(2.6) \quad B = x(1-x)yz^{-1} u^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + xy^2 z^{-1} u^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} - xyu^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ + yz^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial u} - (1-x) yz^{-1} u^{-1},$$

for which

$$(2.7) \quad B[y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] \\ = (\gamma-1)y^{n+1} z^{\beta-1} u^{\gamma-1} F(-n-1, \beta-1; \gamma-1; x)$$

3. Extended form of the groups generated by A and B :

Let $\phi_1(x, y, z, u)$ be a function such that $A\phi_1 = 0$. Then on solving $A\phi_1 = 0$ we get a solution as $\phi_1 = yz^{-1}u(1-x)$, so that A reduces to $A' = x(1-x)yu^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} - xyzu^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + y \frac{\partial}{\partial u}$. Thus $A = \phi_1^{-1} A' \phi_1$

Now let X, Y, Z, U be a set of new variables for which

$$(3.1) \quad A'X = 1, \quad A'Y = 0, \quad A'Z = 0, \quad A'U = 0,$$

so that A reduces to $\frac{\partial}{\partial X}$.

Solving (3.1) we get, a set of solutions as

$$X = \frac{u}{y}, \quad Y = y, \quad Z = \frac{1-x}{z}, \quad U = \frac{x}{(1-x)u}$$

from which we get

$$x = \frac{XYU}{1+XYU}, y = Y, z = \frac{1}{Z(1+XYU)}, u = XY.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} e^{aA} f(x, y, z, u) &= \phi_1^{-1}(x, y, z, u) e^{aA'} [\phi_1(x, y, z, u) f(x, y, z, u)] \\ &= \phi_1^{-1}(x, y, z, u) \exp\left(a \frac{\partial}{\partial X}\right) g_1(X, Y, Z, U) \\ &= \phi_1^{-1}(x, y, z, u) g_1(X+a, Y, Z, U). \end{aligned}$$

On calculation we get

$$(3.2) \quad e^{aA} f(x, y, z, u) = \frac{u}{u+ay} f\left[x \frac{u+ay}{u+axy}, y, \frac{zu}{u+axy}, u+ay\right]$$

Similarly, $B\phi_2=0$ gives a solution $\phi_2 = x^a y u^{-1}$, so that B reduces to B' and $B = \phi_2^{-1} B' \phi_2$. For the new set of variables X, Y, Z, U, such that

$$(3.3) \quad B'X=1, B'Y=0, B'Z=0, B'U=0,$$

which gives a solution as,

$$x = \frac{Z+XY^2 U}{Z}, y = \frac{-Z}{XYU}, z = -XYU, u = \frac{XY^2 U+Z}{X^2 Y^2 U^2}.$$

Now

$$e^{bB} f(x, y, z, u) = \phi_2^{-1}(x, y, z, u) e^{bB'} [\phi_2(x, y, z, u) f(x, y, z, u)]$$

Thus

$$(3.4) \quad e^{bB} f(x, y, z, u) = \frac{zu}{zu+by(1-x)} f\left[x \frac{zu+by(1-x)}{zu}, \frac{yzu}{zu-bxy}, \frac{zu-bxy}{u}, u \frac{zu+by(1-x)}{zu-bxy}\right].$$

4. Application of the operator 'A' :

I. First we notice that

$$\begin{aligned} (4.1) \quad e^{aA} [y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] &= \frac{u}{u+ay} y^n \left(\frac{zu}{u+axy}\right)^\beta (u+ay)^\gamma \\ & \quad F\left(-n, \beta; \gamma; x \frac{u+ay}{u+axy}\right) \\ &= y^n z^\beta u^\gamma \left(1 + \frac{ay}{u}\right)^{\gamma-1} \left(1 + \frac{ay}{u} x\right)^{-\beta} F\left(-n, \beta; \gamma; x \frac{1 + \frac{ay}{u}}{1 + \frac{ay}{u} x}\right). \end{aligned}$$

On the otherhand,

$$(4.2) \quad e^{ay} [y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{a^m}{m!} A^m [y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] \\ = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{a^m}{m!} (-1)^m (-\gamma+1)_m y^{n+m} z^\beta u^{\gamma-m} F(-n-m, \beta; \gamma-m; x).$$

Equating and using the substitution $\frac{-ay}{u} = t$, we get

$$(4.3) \quad (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} F\left(-n, \beta; \gamma; x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}\right) \\ = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\gamma+1)_m}{m!} F(-n-m, \beta; \gamma-m; x) t^m$$

where $|t| < \min(1, |x|^{-1})$.

Now making use of the relation (4.3) we shall derive the following general theorems on generating functions :

Theorem I : If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$F(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) t^n$$

then

$$(4.4) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y) t^n \\ = (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} F\left(x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}, \frac{yt}{1-t}\right),$$

where

$$\sigma_n(y) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} y^k$$

Proof : We have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y) t^n \\ = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} y^k F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) t^n$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k (yt)^k \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_n}{n!} F(-n-k, \beta; \gamma-n-k; x) t^n \\
&= (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k F\left(-k, \beta; \gamma-k; x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}\right) \left(\frac{yt}{1-t}\right)^k \\
&= (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} F\left[x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}, \frac{yt}{1-t}\right].
\end{aligned}$$

Theorem II : If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$F(x, y, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) g_n(y) t^n$$

where $g_n(y)$ is any arbitrary polynomial, then

$$\begin{aligned}
(4.5) \quad &\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y, z) t^n \\
&= (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} F\left(x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}, y, \frac{zt}{1-t}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{where } \sigma_n(y, z) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} g_k(y) z^k$$

Proof : We have,

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y, z) t^n \\
&= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} g_k(y) z^k F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n; x) t^n \\
&= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k g_k(y) (zt)^k \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_n}{n!} F(-n-k, \beta; \gamma-n-k; x) t^n \\
&= (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k g_k(y) F\left(-k, \beta; \gamma-k; x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}\right) \left(\frac{zt}{1-t}\right)^k \\
&= (1-t)^{\gamma-1} (1-xt)^{-\beta} F\left(x \frac{1-t}{1-xt}, y, \frac{zt}{1-t}\right).
\end{aligned}$$

II. Next we shall use the operator Δ to derive another general theorem on generating function.

Theorem III : If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$G(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) t^n$$

then

$$(4.6) \quad (1-y)^{\gamma-1} (1-xy)^{-\beta} G\left(x \frac{1-y}{1+xy}, ty\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sigma_n(x, t) y^n$$

where

$$\sigma_n(x, t) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n+k; x) t^k$$

Proof : We have, $G(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) t^n$.

Replacing t by ty and multiplying both sides by $z^\beta u^\gamma$, we have, on applying the operator $e^{a\Delta}$ to both sides,

$$e^{a\Delta} [G(x, ty) z^\beta u^\gamma] = e^{a\Delta} \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) t^n y^n z^\beta u^\gamma \right]$$

The left member becomes

$$\frac{u}{u+ay} G\left(x \frac{u+ay}{u+axy}, ty\right) \left(\frac{zu}{u+axy}\right)^\beta (u+ay)^\gamma.$$

On the other hand the right member becomes

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_n t^n \frac{a^m}{m!} \Delta^m [y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_n t^n \frac{(-a)^m}{m!} (-\gamma+1)_m y^{n+m} z^\beta u^{\gamma-m} F(-n-m, \beta; \gamma-m; x) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_{n-m} t^{n-m} \frac{(-a)^m}{m!} (-\gamma+1)_m y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma-m; x) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y^n \sum_{m=0}^n a_{n-m} \frac{(-\gamma+1)_m}{m!} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-m; x) t^{n-m} \left(\frac{-a}{u}\right)^m z^\beta u^\gamma$$

Thus

$$\left(1 + \frac{a}{u} y\right)^{\gamma-1} \left(1 + \frac{a}{u} xy\right)^{-\beta} G\left(x \frac{1 + \frac{a}{u} y}{1 + \frac{a}{u} xy}, ty\right)$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sigma_n(x, t, u) y^n,$$

where

$$\sigma_n(x, t, u) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n+k; x) t^k \left(\frac{-a}{u}\right)^{n-k}$$

Putting $-\frac{a}{u} = 1$, we get

$$(1-y)^{\gamma-1} (1-xy)^{-\beta} G\left(x \frac{1-y}{1-xy}, ty\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sigma_n(x, t) y^n,$$

where

$$\sigma_n(x, t) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} F(-n, \beta; \gamma-n+k; x) t^k.$$

5. Application of the operator 'B' :

I. First we notice that

$$(5.1) \quad e^{bB} [y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] = \frac{zu}{zu+by(1-x)} \left(\frac{yzu}{zu-bxy}\right)^n \left(\frac{zu-bxy}{u}\right)^\beta \\ \cdot \left[u \frac{zu+by(1-x)}{zu-bxy}\right]^\gamma F\left(-n, \beta; \gamma; x \frac{zu+by(1-x)}{zu}\right).$$

On the otherhand,

$$(5.2) \quad e^{bB} [y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x)] = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{b^m}{m!} B^m y^n z^\beta u^\gamma F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) \\ = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-b)^m}{m!} (-\gamma+1)_m y^{n+m} z^{\beta-m} u^{\gamma-m} F(-n-m, \beta-m; \gamma-m; x).$$

Equating (5.1) and (5.2) and using the substitution $-\frac{hy}{zu} = t$, we get

$$(5.3) \quad (1+xt)^{\beta-\gamma-n} (1-t+xt)^{\gamma-1} F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x+xt(x-1))$$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\gamma+1)_m}{m!} F(-n-m, \beta-m; \gamma-m; x) t^m$$

where $|t| < \min(|x|^{-1}, |1-x|^{-1}, |x|^{-1}|1-x|^{-1})$.

Now making use of the relations (5.3) we shall derive two new general theorems on generating function.

Theorem IV : If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$F(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) t^n$$

then

$$(5.4) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y) t^n = (1+xt)^{\beta-\gamma} (1-t+xt)^{\gamma-1} F\left[x+xt(x-1), \frac{yt(1+xt)}{1+(x-1)t}\right]$$

where

$$\sigma_n(y) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} y^k$$

Proof : We have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y) t^n \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} y^k F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) t^n \\ &= \sum_{n,k=0}^{\infty} a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_n}{n!} y^k t^{n+k} F(-n-k, \beta-n-k; \gamma-n-k; x) \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k (yt)^k \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_n}{n!} F(-k-n, \beta-k-n; \gamma-k-n; x) t^n \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (1+xt)^{\beta-\gamma} (1-t+xt)^{\gamma-1} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k F(-k, \beta-k; \gamma-k; x+xt(x-1)) \\
&\quad \cdot \left[\frac{yt(1+xt)}{1+(x-1)t} \right]^k \\
&= (1+xt)^{\beta-\gamma} (1-t+xt)^{\gamma-1} F \left[x+xt(x-1), \frac{yt(1+xt)}{1+(x-1)t} \right]
\end{aligned}$$

Theorem V : If these exists a generating function of the form :

$$F(x, y, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) g_n(y) t^n$$

where $g_n(y)$ is any arbitrary polynomial, then

$$(5.5) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y, z) t^n$$

$$= (1+xt)^{\beta-\gamma} (1-t+xt)^{\gamma-1} F \left[x+xt(x-1), y, \frac{zt(1+xt)}{1+(x-1)t} \right]$$

where,

$$\sigma_n(y, z) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} g_k(y) z^k$$

Proof : We have

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) \sigma_n(y, z) t^n \\
&= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} g_k(y) z^k F(-n, \beta-n; \gamma-n; x) t^n \\
&= \sum_{n,k=0}^{\infty} a_k \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_n}{n!} g_k(y) z^k t^{n+k} F(-n-k, \beta-n-k; \gamma-n-k; x) \\
&= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k (zt)^k g_k(y) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\gamma+k+1)_n}{n!} \\
&\quad \cdot F(-n-k, \beta-n-k; \gamma-n-k; x) t^n
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (1+xt)^{\beta-\gamma} (1-t+xt)^{\gamma-1} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k g_k(y) \left[\frac{zt(1+xt)}{1+(x-1)t} \right]^k \\
 &\quad \cdot F(-k, \beta-k; \gamma-k; x+xt(x-1)) \\
 &= (1+xt)^{\beta-\gamma} (1-t+xt)^{\gamma-1} F\left[x+xt(x-1), y, \frac{zt(1+xt)}{1+(x-1)t}\right]
 \end{aligned}$$

II. Next we shall use the operator B to derive another new general theorem on generating function :

Theorem VI : If there exists a generating function of the form :

$$G(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) t^n$$

then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (5.6) \quad &(1+xy)^{\beta-\gamma} (1-y+xy)^{\gamma-1} G\left(x+xy(x-1), \frac{yt}{(1+xy)}\right) \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sigma_n(x, t) y^n
 \end{aligned}$$

where,

$$\sigma_n(x, t) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} F(-n, \beta-n+k; \gamma-n+k; x) t^k$$

Proof : We have

$$G(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) t^n$$

Replacing t by ty and multiplying both sides by $z^\beta u^\gamma$, we have, on applying operator e^{bB} to both sides,

$$e^{bB} [G(x, ty) z^\beta u^\gamma] = e^{bB} \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) t^n y^n z^\beta u^\gamma \right]$$

The left member becomes

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{zu}{zu+by(1-x)} \left(\frac{zu-bxy}{u} \right)^\beta \left[u \frac{zu+by(1-x)}{zu-bxy} \right]^\gamma \\
 &\quad \cdot G\left[x \frac{zu+by(1-x)}{zu}, \frac{tyzu}{zu-bxy}\right]
 \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, the right member becomes

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_n \frac{b^m}{m!} B^m [F(-n, \beta; \gamma; x) t^n y^n z^\beta u^\gamma] \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_n t^n \frac{(-\gamma+1)_m}{m!} (-b)^m F(-n-m, \beta-m; \gamma-m; x) \\
 & \quad \cdot y^{n+m} z^{\beta-m} u^{\gamma-m} \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^n a_{n-m} t^{n-m} \frac{(-\gamma+1)_m}{m!} (-b)^m y^n z^{\beta-m} u^{\gamma-m} \\
 & \quad \cdot F(-n, \beta-m; \gamma-m; x) \\
 &= z^\beta u^\gamma \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y^n \sum_{m=0}^n a_{n-m} \frac{(-\gamma+1)_m}{m!} \left(\frac{-b}{zu}\right)^m \\
 & \quad F(-n, \beta-m; \gamma-m; x) t^{n-m} \\
 &= z^\beta u^\gamma \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sigma_n(x, t, z, u) y^n,
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sigma_n(x, t, z, u) &= \sum_{k=0}^n a_{n-k} \frac{(-\gamma+1)_k}{k!} \left(\frac{-b}{zu}\right)^k F(-n, \beta-k; \gamma-k; x) t^{n-k} \\
 &= \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} F(-n, \beta-n+k; \gamma-n+k; x) t^k \left(\frac{-b}{zu}\right)^{n-k}
 \end{aligned}$$

Equating and using $\frac{-b}{zu} = 1$, we get,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (1+xy)^{\beta-\gamma} (1-y+xy)^{\gamma-1} G\left[x+xy(x-1), \frac{ty}{1+xy}\right] \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sigma_n(x, t) y^n,
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\sigma_n(x, t) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \frac{(-\gamma+1)_{n-k}}{(n-k)!} F(-n, \beta-n+k; \gamma-n+k; x) t^k$$

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