

ON Q-LAPLACE TRANSFORMS AND MITTAG-LEFFLER TYPE FUNCTIONS

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ABSTRACT. In the present paper, the author derived the results based on q-Laplace transform of the K-Function introduced by Sharma[7]. Some special cases of interest are also discussed.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The q-Laplace transform was defined by Hahn[18] as

$$L(f(t); s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt \quad (1.1)$$

by means of the two q-integrals given below

$${}_qL_s(f(t)) = \frac{1}{(1-q)} \int_0^{s^{-1}} E_q(qst) f(t) d(t; q), \quad (1.2)$$

and

$${}_qL_s(f(t)) = \frac{1}{(1-q)} \int_0^{\infty} e_q(-st) f(t) d(t; q); \operatorname{Re}(s) > 0. \quad (1.3)$$

The q-integrals(see Gasper and Rahman[4]) of a function is defined by

$$\int_0^t f(x) d(x; q) = t(1-q) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} q^k f(tq^k), \quad (1.4)$$

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$$\int_t^{\infty} f(x)d(x; q) = t(1 - q) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} q^{-k} f(tq^{-k}), \quad (1.5)$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} f(x)d(x; q) = (1 - q) \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} q^k f(q^k). \quad (1.6)$$

In the theory of q-calculus [5], for $0 < |q| < 1$, the q-shifted factorial or q-analogue of Pochhammer symbol is defined by

$$(a; q)_k = \begin{cases} \prod_{j=0}^{k-1} (1 - aq^j), & \text{if } k > 0 \\ 1, & \text{if } k=0 \\ \prod_{j=0}^{\infty} (1 - aq^j), & \text{if } k \rightarrow \infty \end{cases}$$

Or equivalently

$$(a; q)_k = \frac{(a; q)_{\infty}}{(aq^k; q)_{\infty}}, k \in \mathbb{N} \quad (1.7)$$

and for any complex number α ,

$$(a; q)_{\alpha} = \frac{(a; q)_{\infty}}{(aq^{\alpha}; q)_{\infty}} \quad (1.8)$$

where the principal value of q^{α} is taken.

$$(q^{\alpha}; q)_n = \frac{(q^{\alpha}; q)_{\infty}}{(q^{\alpha+n}; q)_{\infty}}$$

The q-analogue of the power function is defined as

$$\begin{aligned} (a-b)_{\alpha} &= a^{\alpha} (b/a; q)_{\alpha} \\ &= a^{\alpha} \prod_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (b/a)q^j}{1 - (b/a)q^{j+\alpha}} = a^{\alpha} \frac{(b/a; q)_{\infty}}{(q^{\alpha}b/a; q)_{\infty}}, a \neq 0. \end{aligned} \quad (1.9)$$

The q-gamma function is defined as

$$\Gamma_q(\alpha) = \frac{G(q^\alpha)}{G(q)}(1-q)^{1-\alpha} = (1-q)_{\alpha-1}(1-q)^{1-\alpha}, \alpha \in \mathbb{R}/0, -1, -2, \dots \quad (1.10)$$

where

$$G(q^\alpha) = \frac{1}{(q^\alpha; q)_\infty}. \quad (1.11)$$

$$\Gamma_q(\alpha) = \frac{(q; q)_\infty}{(q^\alpha; q)_\infty}(1-q)^{1-\alpha}$$

where

$$\alpha \neq 0, -1, -2, \dots$$

The q-binomial series [5] is given by

$${}_1\phi_0[-; -; q, x] = \frac{1}{(x; q)_\infty} \quad (1.12)$$

$${}_1\phi_0[\alpha; -; q, x] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha; q)_n}{(q; q)_n} x^n = \frac{(\alpha x; q)_\infty}{(x; q)_\infty}. \quad (1.13)$$

The q-Binomial coefficients are given by [4] as

$$C_q(n, k) = \frac{(q; q)_n}{(q; q)_k (q; q)_{n-k}}. \quad (1.14)$$

The K-function was introduced by Sharma[7] as

$${}_A K_B^{\alpha, \beta; \gamma}(x)$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\prod_{i=0}^A (a_i)_r (\gamma)_r x^r}{\prod_{j=0}^B (b_j)_r r! \Gamma(\alpha r + \beta)} \quad (1.15)$$

where

$$\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{C}; \operatorname{Re}(\alpha), \operatorname{Re}(\beta), \operatorname{Re}(\gamma) > 0.$$

Further details of this function are given in [7].

2. RELATIONSHIP OF THE K -FUNCTION WITH ANOTHER SPECIAL FUNCTIONS

The function defined by (1.15) related with the following special functions as: (i) If we set $\gamma = 1$, we get

$${}_A K_B^{\alpha, \beta; \gamma}(x) = {}_A M_B^{\alpha, \beta}(x) \tag{2.1}$$

where ${}_A M_B^{\alpha, \beta}(x)$ is the generalized M-series introduced by Sharma and Jain[8].

(ii) If we take $\beta = \gamma = 1$, we arrive at

$${}_A K_B^{\alpha, 1; 1}(x) = {}_A M_B^{\alpha, 1}(x) = {}_A M_B^{\alpha}(x) \tag{2.2}$$

where ${}_A M_B^{\alpha}(x)$ is the M-series given by Sharma[9].

(iii) If we put $A = B = 0$, we arrive at

$${}_0 K_0^{\alpha, \beta; \gamma}(x) = E_{\alpha, \beta}^{\gamma}(x) \tag{2.3}$$

where $E_{\alpha, \beta}^{\gamma}(x)$ is the generalized Mittag-Leffler function given by Prabhakar[15].

(iv) If we put $A = B = 0, \gamma = 1$, we arrive at

$${}_0 K_0^{\alpha, \beta; 1}(x) = E_{\alpha, \beta; 1}^{\gamma}(x) = E_{\alpha, \beta}^{\gamma}(x) \tag{2.4}$$

where is the generalized Mittag-Leffler function given by Wiman[1].

(v) If we put $A = B = 0, \beta = \gamma = 1$, we arrive at

$${}_0 K_0^{\alpha, 1; 1}(x) = E_{\alpha, 1}^1(x) = E_{\alpha, 1}(x) = E_{\alpha}(x) \tag{2.5}$$

where $E_{\alpha}(x)$ is the Mittag-Leffler function given by Mittag-Leffler[5,6].

(vi) If we put $A = B = 0, \alpha = \beta = \gamma = 1$, we arrive at

$${}_0 K_0^{1, 1; 1}(x) = E_{1, 1}^1(x) = E_{1, 1}(x) = E_1(x) = e^x \tag{2.6}$$

where e^x is the exponential function given by [2].

3. MAIN RESULTS

In this section we investigate the q -Laplace transform of the K -function.

Theorem 3.1. *Let $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{C}; \operatorname{Re}(\alpha), \operatorname{Re}(\beta), \operatorname{Re}(\gamma) > 0$, then*

$$\begin{aligned} & {}_qL_s(x_A^\lambda K_B^{\alpha, \beta; \gamma}(x)) \\ &= \frac{(q; q)_\infty}{s^{1+\lambda}} \times \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\prod_{i=0}^A (a_i)_r (\gamma)_r}{\prod_{j=0}^B (b_j)_r r! \Gamma(\alpha r + \beta) s^r (q^{\lambda+r}; q)_\infty} \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

Proof:

With the help of (1.4), equation(1.2) can be written as

$${}_qL_s(f(t)) = \frac{(q; q)_\infty}{s} \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{q^k f(s^{-1}q^k)}{(q; q)_k} \quad (3.2)$$

Taking $f(x) = x_A^\lambda K_B^{\alpha, \beta; \gamma}(x)$ in the above equation and making the use of definition(1.15), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & {}_qL_s(x_A^\lambda K_B^{\alpha, \beta; \gamma}(x)) \\ &= \frac{(q; q)_\infty}{s^{1+\lambda}} \times \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{q^{\lambda j}}{(q; q)_j} \times \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\prod_{i=0}^A (a_i)_r}{\prod_{j=0}^B (b_j)_r} \\ & \quad \times \frac{(\gamma)_r}{r! \Gamma(\alpha r + \beta)} (s^{-1}q^j)^r \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

On interchanging the order of summations and then summing the resulting with the help of (1.12), the right hand side of (3.3) converted to

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{(q; q)_\infty}{s^{1+\lambda}} \times \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\prod_{i=0}^A (a_i)_r}{\prod_{j=0}^B (b_j)_r} \\ & \quad \times \frac{(\gamma)_r}{r! \Gamma(\alpha r + \beta) s^r (q^{\lambda+r}; q)_\infty} \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

which is the desired result.

4. SPECIAL CASES

Theorem(3.1) leads to the q-Laplace transform of generalized M-series[8], M-series[9], generalized Mittag-Leffler functions[1,15], Mittag-Leffler function[5,6] and exponential function[2] after implementing the necessary changes in the values of A, B, α, β and γ as mentioned in the section 2.

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