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# On the two-variable generalized Laguerre polynomials

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we introduce the two variable generalized Laguerre polynomials (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$ . Some properties of these polynomials such as generating functions, summation formulae and expansions are also discussed.

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## 1. Introduction

The two variable Laguerre polynomials (2VLP)  $L_n(x, y)$  are defined by the series (see [1–3]) as follows:

$$L_n(x, y) = n! \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(-1)^r y^{n-r} x^r}{(n-r)!(r!)^2} \quad (1)$$

and specified by the following generating functions:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} L_n(x, y) t^n = (1 - yt)^{-1} \exp\left(\frac{-xt}{1 - yt}\right), \quad (2)$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{L_n(x, y) t^n}{n!} = \exp(yt) C_0(xt), \quad (3)$$

where  $C_0(x)$  denotes the 0<sup>th</sup> order Tricomi function. The  $n^{\text{th}}$  order Tricomi function  $C_n(x)$  is defined as [4]:

$$C_n(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^r x^r}{r!(n+r)!}. \quad (4)$$

Also, the (2VLP)  $L_n(x, y)$  satisfy the following properties:

$$L_n(x, y) = y^n L_n(x/y), \quad L_n(x, 1) = L_n(x), \quad (5)$$

where  $L_n(x)$  are the ordinary Laguerre polynomials [5]

$$L_n(x) = n! \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(-1)^r x^r}{(n-r)!(r!)^2}. \quad (6)$$

The two variable associated Laguerre polynomials (2VALP)  $L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y)$  are defined by the series (see [1,6]) as follows:

$$L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y) = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(-1)^r (1 + \alpha)_n y^{n-r} x^r}{(1 + \alpha)_r (n-r)! r!} \quad (7)$$

and specified by the following generating functions:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y) t^n = (1 - yt)^{-1-\alpha} \exp\left(\frac{-xt}{1 - yt}\right), \quad (8)$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y)t^n}{(\alpha + 1)_n} = \Gamma(\alpha + 1) \exp(yt)C_{\alpha}(xt). \quad (9)$$

For  $\alpha = 0$ , equations (7), (8) and (9) reduces respectively to equations (1), (2) and (3). Also, the (2VALP)  $L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y)$  satisfy the following properties:

$$L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y) = y^n L_n^{(\alpha)}(x/y), \quad L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, 1) = L_n^{(\alpha)}(x), \quad (10)$$

where  $L_n^{(\alpha)}(x)$  are the generalized Laguerre polynomials of one variable [5].

$$L_n^{(\alpha)}(x) = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(-1)^r (1 + \alpha)_n x^r}{(1 + \alpha)_r (n - r)! r!}. \quad (11)$$

Further, the Laguerre polynomials  $L_n^{(\alpha)}(x)$  satisfy the following generating function [5]:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{L_n^{(\alpha)}(x)t^n}{(1 + \alpha)_n} = \exp(t) {}_0F_1[-; 1 + \alpha; -xt]. \quad (12)$$

The Jacobi polynomials  $P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x)$  [5] are define as:

$$P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x) = \frac{(1 + \alpha)_n}{n!} {}_2F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} -n, 1 + \alpha + \beta + n & ; & \frac{1 - x}{2} \\ 1 + \alpha & & \end{matrix} \right] \quad (13)$$

and specified by the following generating function:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x)t^n}{(\alpha + 1)_n (\beta + 1)_n} = {}_0F_1(-; 1 + \alpha; \frac{1}{2}(x - 1)t) {}_0F_1(-; 1 + \beta; \frac{1}{2}(x + 1)t). \quad (14)$$

When  $\alpha = \beta = 0$  the polynomials (13) become the Legendre polynomials  $P_n(x)$  [5]

$$P_n(x) = {}_2F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} -n, n + 1 & ; & \frac{1 - x}{2} \\ 1 & & \end{matrix} \right]. \quad (15)$$

Ragab [7] defined the Laguerre polynomials of two variables  $L^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$  as follows:

$$L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) = \frac{\Gamma(n + \alpha + 1)\Gamma(n + \beta + 1)}{n!} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(-y)^r L_{n-r}^{(\alpha)}(x)}{r! \Gamma(\alpha + n - r + 1)\Gamma(\beta + r + 1)}. \quad (16)$$

Chatterjea [8] obtained the following generating function for Ragab polynomials  $L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$ :

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)t^n}{(\alpha + 1)_n (\beta + 1)_n} = e^t {}_0F_1(-; 1 + \alpha; -xt) {}_0F_1(-; 1 + \beta; -yt). \quad (17)$$

The aim of the present paper is to introduce the two variable generalized Laguerre polynomials (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$  as a generalization of the above mentioned Laguerre polynomials  $L_n(x, y)$  and  $L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y)$ . Further, we discuss several properties of these polynomials such as generating functions, relationships with other polynomials, summation formulae and expansions of polynomials.

## 2. The two variable generalized Laguerre polynomials (2VGLP) ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$

In this section, we first define the two variable generalized Laguerre polynomials (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$ . Next, we present some generating functions for these polynomials.

**Definition 1.** The two variables generalized Laguerre polynomials (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$  are defined as:

$${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) = \frac{(1 + \alpha)_n (1 + \beta)_n}{n!} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(-1)^r y^{n-r} x^r}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r (n - r)! r!}. \tag{18}$$

**Remark 1.** 1. For  $\alpha = \beta = 0$  the (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$  in (18) reduces to the (2VLP)  $L(x, y)$ .  
 2. For  $\alpha = 0$  or  $\beta = 0$  the (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$  in (18) reduces to the (2VALP)  $L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y)$ .

**Theorem 2.** For the two variables generalized Laguerre polynomials (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$ . The following generating functions holds true:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) t^n = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(1 + \alpha)_r (1 + \beta)_r (-xt)^r}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r (r!)^2} {}_2F_1[1 + \alpha + r, 1 + \beta + r; 1 + r; yt], \tag{19}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(c)_n n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) t^n}{(1 + \alpha)_n (1 + \beta)_n} = (1 - yt)^{-c} {}_1F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} c & ; & -xt \\ 1 + \alpha + \beta & ; & 1 - yt \end{matrix} \right], \tag{20}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) t^n}{(1 + \alpha)_n (1 + \beta)_n} = \exp(yt) {}_0F_1[-; 1 + \alpha + \beta; -xt]. \tag{21}$$

**Proof of (19).** Denoting the left hand side of (19) by  $L$  and using the definition (18), we get

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(1 + \alpha)_n (1 + \beta)_n (-1)^r y^{n-r} x^r t^n}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r n! (n - r)! r!} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(1 + \alpha)_{n+r} (1 + \beta)_{n+r} (-1)^r y^n x^r t^{n+r}}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r (n + r)! n! r!} \\ &= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(1 + \alpha)_r (1 + \beta)_r (-xt)^r}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r (r!)^2} {}_2F_1[1 + \alpha + r, 1 + \beta + r; 1 + r; yt]. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of (19). □

**Proof of (20).** Denoting the left hand side of (20) by  $L$  and using the definition (18), we get

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(c)_n (-1)^r y^{n-r} x^r t^n}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r (n - r)! r!} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(c)_{n+r} (-1)^r y^n x^r t^{n+r}}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r n! r!} \\ &= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(c)_r (-xt)^r}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r r!} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(c + r)_n (yt)^n}{n!} \\ &= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(c)_r (-xt)^r}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r r!} (1 - yt)^{-c-r} \\ &= (1 - yt)^{-c} {}_1F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} c & ; & -xt \\ 1 + \alpha + \beta & ; & 1 - yt \end{matrix} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of (20). Similarly, (21) can be proved. □

**Special cases of (19), (20) and (21)**

1. For  $\alpha = \beta = 0$  and  $\beta = 0$ , (19) reduces respectively to (2) and (8).
2. For  $\alpha = \beta = 0$  and  $\beta = 0$ , (21) reduces respectively to (3) and (9).
3. For  $\alpha = \beta = 0$  and  $\beta = 0$ , (20) reduces respectively to the following well-known generating functions:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(c)_n L_n(x, y) t^n}{n!} = (1 - yt)^{-c} {}_1F_1 \left[ c; 1; \frac{-xt}{1 - yt} \right] \tag{22}$$

and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(c)_n L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y) t^n}{(1 + \alpha)_n} = (1 - yt)^{-c} {}_1F_1 \left[ c; 1 + \alpha; \frac{-xt}{1 - yt} \right]. \tag{23}$$

4. Taking  $c = \beta + 1$  and  $c = \alpha + 1$  in equation (20) and using Kummer’s first theorem [4]

$${}_1F_1[a; c; z] = e^z {}_1F_1[c - a; c; -z], \tag{24}$$

we get respectively the following generating functions:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) t^n}{(1 + \alpha)_n} = (1 - yt)^{-\beta - 1} \exp \left( \frac{-xt}{1 - yt} \right) {}_1F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} \alpha & ; & \frac{xt}{1 - yt} \\ 1 + \alpha + \beta & ; & \frac{xt}{1 - yt} \end{matrix} \right] \tag{25}$$

and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) t^n}{(1 + \beta)_n} = (1 - yt)^{-\alpha - 1} \exp \left( \frac{-xt}{1 - yt} \right) {}_1F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} \beta & ; & \frac{xt}{1 - yt} \\ 1 + \alpha + \beta & ; & \frac{xt}{1 - yt} \end{matrix} \right]. \tag{26}$$

5. Taking  $c = \alpha + \beta + 1$  in equation (20) and using (8), we have

$${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) = \frac{(1 + \alpha)_n (1 + \beta)_n}{n! (1 + \alpha + \beta)_n} L_n^{(\alpha + \beta)}(x, y). \tag{27}$$

6. Replacing  $x$  by  $xy$  in equation (21) and using (12), we have

$${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(xy, y) = y^n \frac{(1 + \alpha)_n (1 + \beta)_n}{n! (1 + \alpha + \beta)_n} L_n^{(\alpha + \beta)}(x). \tag{28}$$

### 3. Summation formulae

**Theorem 3.** The following summation formulae for the (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$  holds true:

$${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(1 + \alpha)_n (\alpha)_r r!}{(1 + \alpha)_r (1 + \beta)_r n!} L_{n-r}^{(\beta - \alpha)}(x, y) {}_G L_r^{(\alpha, \beta)}(-x, y), \tag{29}$$

$${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(1 + \alpha)_n (\alpha)_r}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r n!} L_{n-r}^{(\beta - \alpha)}(x, y) L_r^{(\alpha + \beta)}(-x, y), \tag{30}$$

$${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(1 + \beta)_n (\beta)_r r!}{(1 + \alpha)_r (1 + \beta)_r n!} L_{n-r}^{(\alpha - \beta)}(x, y) {}_G L_r^{(\alpha, \beta)}(-x, y), \tag{31}$$

$${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(1 + \beta)_n (\beta)_r}{(1 + \alpha + \beta)_r n!} L_{n-r}^{(\alpha - \beta)}(x, y) L_r^{(\alpha + \beta)}(-x, y). \tag{32}$$

**Proof of (29).** From (25), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) t^n}{(1 + \alpha)_n} &= \left( (1 - yt)^{-(\beta - \alpha) - 1} \exp \left( \frac{-xt}{1 - yt} \right) \right) \\ &\times \left( (1 - yt)^{-\alpha} {}_1F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} \alpha & ; & -\frac{xt}{1 - yt} \\ 1 + \alpha + \beta & ; & -\frac{xt}{1 - yt} \end{matrix} \right] \right). \end{aligned} \tag{33}$$

Now, using (8) and (20), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) t^n}{(1 + \alpha)_n} &= \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} L_n^{(\beta - \alpha)}(x, y) t^n \right) \left( \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{r! (\alpha)_r {}_G L_r^{(\alpha, \beta)}(-x, y) t^r}{(1 + \alpha)_r (1 + \beta)_r} \right) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(\alpha)_r r!}{(1 + \alpha)_r (1 + \beta)_r} L_{n-r}^{(\beta - \alpha)}(x, y) {}_G L_r^{(\alpha, \beta)}(-x, y) t^n. \end{aligned} \tag{34}$$

Equating the coefficient of  $t^n$  on both sides of (34), we get the desired result (29).

Similarly, we can obtain (30) by using (8) and (23) in (33). □

**Proof of (31).** From (26), we have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) t^n}{(1 + \beta)_n} = \left( (1 - yt)^{-(\alpha - \beta) - 1} \exp\left(\frac{-xt}{1 - yt}\right) \times \left( (1 - yt)^{-\beta} {}_1F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} \beta & ; & -\frac{-xt}{1 - yt} \\ 1 + \alpha + \beta & ; & \end{matrix} \right] \right) \right). \tag{35}$$

Now, using (8) and (20), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y) t^n}{(1 + \beta)_n} &= \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} L_n^{(\alpha - \beta)}(x, y) t^n \right) \left( \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{r! (\beta)_r {}_G L_r^{(\alpha, \beta)}(-x, y) t^r}{(1 + \alpha)_r (1 + \beta)_r} \right) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(\beta)_r r!}{(1 + \alpha)_r (1 + \beta)_r} L_{n-r}^{(\alpha - \beta)}(x, y) {}_G L_r^{(\alpha, \beta)}(-x, y) t^n. \end{aligned} \tag{36}$$

Equating the coefficient of  $t^n$  on both sides of (36), we get the desired result (31).

Similarly, we can obtain (32) by using (8) and (23) in (35). □

- Remark 2.**
1. For  $\alpha = 0$  or  $\beta = 0$ , the results (29), (30), (31) and (32) reduces to summation formulae for the (2VALP)  $L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y)$ .
  2. For  $\alpha = \beta = 0$ , the results (29), (30), (31) and (32) reduces to summation formulae for the (2VLP)  $L_n(x, y)$ .

#### 4. Expansions of polynomials

**Theorem 4.** The following expansions of Jacobi polynomials  $P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x)$  in terms of the (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x, y)$  holds true:

$$\begin{aligned} P_n^{(\alpha + \lambda, \beta + \mu)}(x) &= \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(n - r)! r! (\alpha + \lambda + 1)_n (\beta + \mu + 1)_n}{(1 + \alpha)_{n-r} (1 + \lambda)_{n-r} (1 + \beta)_r (1 + \mu)_r} \\ &\times {}_G L_{n-r}^{(\alpha, \lambda)}\left(\frac{1}{2}(1 - x), -y\right) {}_G L_r^{(\beta, \mu)}\left(-\frac{1}{2}(1 + x), -y\right), \end{aligned} \tag{37}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_n^{(\alpha + \lambda, \beta + \mu)}(x) &= \sum_{r=0}^n \sum_{s=0}^{n-r} \frac{(n - r - s)! r! (1 + \alpha + \lambda)_n (1 + \beta + \mu)_n (-1)^s (y + z)^s}{(1 + \alpha)_{n-r-s} (1 + \lambda)_{n-r-s} (1 + \beta)_r (1 + \mu)_r s!} \\ &\times {}_G L_{n-r-s}^{(\alpha, \lambda)}\left(\frac{1}{2}(1 - x), y\right) {}_G L_r^{(\beta, \mu)}\left(-\frac{1}{2}(1 + x), z\right), \end{aligned} \tag{38}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_n^{(\alpha + \lambda, \beta + \mu)}(x) &= \sum_{r=0}^n \sum_{s=0}^{n-r} \frac{(n - r - s)! (-y)^r \left(\frac{1}{2}(1 + x)\right)^s}{r! s!} \\ &\times \frac{(1 + \alpha + \lambda)_n (1 + \beta + \mu)_n}{(1 + \alpha)_{n-r-s} (1 + \lambda)_{n-r-s} (1 + \beta + \mu)_r} {}_G L_{n-r-s}^{(\alpha, \lambda)}\left(\frac{1}{2}(1 - x), y\right). \end{aligned} \tag{39}$$

**Proof of (37).** Taking the generating function (14), replacing  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  by  $\alpha + \lambda$  and  $\beta + \mu$  respectively and using (21), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{P_n^{(\alpha + \lambda, \beta + \mu)}(x) t^n}{(\alpha + \lambda + 1)_n (\beta + \mu + 1)_n} &= \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha, \lambda)}\left(\frac{1}{2}(1 - x), y\right) t^n}{(1 + \alpha)_n (1 + \lambda)_n} \right) \left( \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{r! {}_G L_r^{(\beta, \mu)}\left(-\frac{1}{2}(1 + x), -y\right) t^r}{(1 + \beta)_r (1 + \mu)_r} \right) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(n - r)! r! {}_G L_{n-r}^{(\alpha, \lambda)}\left(\frac{1}{2}(1 - x), y\right) {}_G L_r^{(\beta, \mu)}\left(-\frac{1}{2}(1 + x), -y\right) t^n}{(1 + \alpha)_{n-r} (1 + \lambda)_{n-r} (1 + \beta)_r (1 + \mu)_r}. \end{aligned}$$

Now, equating the coefficient of  $t^n$  from both sides, we get the desired result (37).

Similarly, we can prove (38) and (39). □

**Remark 3.** For  $\lambda = \mu = 0$ , the results (37), (38) and (39) reduces to the expansions of Jacobi polynomials  $P_n^{(\alpha,\beta)}(x)$  in terms of the (2VALP)  $L_n^{(\alpha)}(x, y)$ .

**Remark 4.** For  $\alpha = \beta = \lambda = \mu = 0$ , the results (37), (38) and (39) reduces to the following summation formulae for the classical Legendre polynomials  $P_n(x)$  in terms of the (2VLP)  $L_n(x, y)$ :

$$P_n(x) = n! \sum_{r=0}^n \binom{n}{r} L_{n-r}\left(\frac{1}{2}(1-x), y\right) L_r\left(-\frac{1}{2}(1+x), -y\right), \tag{40}$$

$$P_n(x) = n! \sum_{r=0}^n \sum_{s=0}^{n-r} \binom{n}{r} \binom{n-r}{s} (-1)^s (y+z)^s L_{n-r-s}\left(\frac{1}{2}(1-x), y\right) L_r\left(-\frac{1}{2}(1+x), z\right), \tag{41}$$

$$P_n(x) = n! \sum_{r=0}^n \sum_{s=0}^{n-r} \binom{n}{r} \binom{n-r}{s} \frac{(-y)^r \left(\frac{1}{2}(1+x)\right)^s}{s!} L_{n-r-s}\left(\frac{1}{2}(1-x), y\right). \tag{42}$$

**Remark 5.** The results (40) and (41) are known results of Khan and Al-Gonah [9].

**Theorem 5.** The following expansions of Ragab polynomials  $L_n^{(\alpha,\beta)}(x, y)$  in terms of the (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha\beta)}(x, y)$  holds true:

$$L_n^{(\alpha+\lambda,\beta+\mu)}(x, y) = \frac{(\alpha + \lambda + 1)_n (\beta + \mu + 1)_n}{n!} \times \sum_{r=0}^n \sum_{s=0}^{n-r} \frac{(n-r-s)! r!}{(1+\alpha)_{n-r-s} (1+\lambda)_{n-r-s} (1+\beta)_r (1+\mu)_r s!} {}_G L_{n-r-s}^{(\alpha,\lambda)}(x, y) {}_G L_r^{(\beta,\mu)}(y, -y), \tag{43}$$

$$L_n^{(\alpha+\lambda,\beta+\mu)}(x, y) = \frac{(\alpha + \lambda + 1)_n (\beta + \mu + 1)_n}{n!} \times \sum_{r=0}^n \sum_{s=0}^{n-r} \frac{(n-r-s)! r! (-1)^s (x+y-1)^s}{(1+\alpha)_{n-r-s} (1+\lambda)_{n-r-s} (1+\beta)_r (1+\mu)_r s!} {}_G L_{n-r-s}^{(\alpha,\lambda)}(x, y) {}_G L_r^{(\beta,\mu)}(y, x), \tag{44}$$

$$L_n^{(\alpha+\lambda,\beta)}(x, y) = \frac{(\alpha + \lambda + 1)_n (\beta + 1)_n}{n!} \times \sum_{r=0}^n \sum_{s=0}^{n-r} \frac{(n-r-s)! (-y)^s}{(1+\alpha)_{n-r-s} (1+\lambda)_{n-r-s} (1+\beta)_r s!} {}_G L_{n-r-s}^{(\alpha,\lambda)}(x, y) L_r^{(\beta)}(y), \tag{45}$$

$$L_n^{(\alpha,\beta+\mu)}(x, y) = \frac{(\alpha + 1)_n (\beta + \mu + 1)_n}{n!} \times \sum_{r=0}^n \sum_{s=0}^{n-r} \frac{(n-r-s)! (-x)^s}{(1+\beta)_{n-r-s} (1+\mu)_{n-r-s} (1+\alpha)_r s!} {}_G L_{n-r-s}^{(\beta,\mu)}(y, x) L_r^{(\alpha)}(x). \tag{46}$$

**Proof of (43).** Taking the generating function (17), replacing  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  by  $\alpha + \lambda$  and  $\beta + \mu$  respectively and using (21), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! L_n^{(\alpha+\lambda,\beta+\mu)}(x, y) t^n}{(\alpha + \lambda + 1)_n (\beta + \mu + 1)_n} &= \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n! {}_G L_n^{(\alpha,\lambda)}(x, y) t^n}{(1+\alpha)_n (1+\lambda)_n} \right) \left( \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{r! {}_G L_r^{(\beta,\mu)}(y, -y) t^r}{(1+\beta)_r (1+\mu)_r} \right) \left( \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^s}{s!} \right) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \sum_{s=0}^{n-r} \frac{(n-r-s)! r! {}_G L_{n-r-s}^{(\alpha,\lambda)}(x, y) {}_G L_r^{(\beta,\mu)}(y, -y) t^n}{(1+\alpha)_{n-r-s} (1+\lambda)_{n-r-s} (1+\beta)_r (1+\mu)_r s!} \end{aligned}$$

Now, equating the coefficient of  $t^n$  from both sides, we get the desired result (43).

Similarly, we can prove (44), (45) and (46). □

**Remark 6.** For  $\lambda = \mu = 0$ , the results (43), (44), (45) and (46) reduces to the expansions of Ragab polynomials  $L_n^{(\alpha,\beta)}(x,y)$  in terms of the (2VALP)  $L_n^{(\alpha)}(x,y)$ .

## 5. Conclusion

In this paper, the two variable generalized Laguerre polynomials (2VGLP)  ${}_G L_n^{(\alpha,\beta)}(x,y)$  are introduced and certain properties of these polynomials are deduced. The results of this paper are important tool for discuss certain properties of other polynomials.

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