

**FRACTIONAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS OF
HYPERGEOMETRIC FUNCTIONS AND
LAGUERRE POLYNOMIAL**

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Abstract: The object of this paper is to find a solution to fractional differential equations of hypergeometric function and Laguerre Polynomials by using Caputo derivatives.

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1. Introduction and Definitions

Caputo Derivative.

The fractional derivative [10] of $f(x)$ in the Caputo sense is defined as

$$\begin{aligned} D^\alpha f(x) &= I^{m-\alpha} D^m f(x) \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(m-\alpha)} \int_0^x (x-t)^{m-\alpha-1} f^{(m)}(t) dt. \end{aligned} \quad (1.1)$$

for $m-1 < \alpha \leq m, m \in N, x > 0$.

For the Caputo derivative, we have $D^\alpha C = 0$, is constant.

$$D^\alpha t^n = \begin{cases} 0 & n \leq \alpha - 1 \\ \frac{\Gamma(n+1)}{\Gamma(n-\alpha+1)} t^{n-\alpha} & n > \alpha - 1 \end{cases} \quad (1.2)$$

For more details see [5, 6, 12, 13, 14].

Laguerre Polynomial.

The Laguerre polynomial [15] of degree n is defined by

$$L_n(z) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n!}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} z^k, \quad k \leq n, n \in N. \quad (1.3)$$

Hypergeometric Function.

The Hypergeometric function [15], $F(\alpha, \beta; \gamma; z)$ is defined by

$$F[\alpha, \beta; \gamma; z] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_n (\beta)_n}{(\gamma)_n} \frac{z^n}{n!} \quad |z| < 1, \quad (1.4)$$

where α, β, γ are complex numbers and $\gamma \neq 0, -1, -2, \dots$.

The Pochhammer symbol $(\alpha)_n$ where α denotes any number, real or complex, and n any Positive, negative, or 0, is defined by

$$(\alpha)_n = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ \alpha(\alpha+1)\dots(\alpha+n-1) & \text{if } n \geq 1 \end{cases} \quad (1.5)$$

A natural generalization of the hypergeometric function $F(\cdot)$ is the generalized hypergeometric function is called ${}_pF_q$ with defined as

$${}_pF_q[a_1, a_2, \dots, a_p; b_1, b_2, \dots, b_q; z] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a_1)_n \dots (a_p)_n}{(b_1)_n \dots (b_q)_n} \frac{z^n}{n!}, \quad (1.6)$$

where $(a_i)_n = \frac{\Gamma(a_i+n)}{\Gamma(a_i)}$ and $(a)_n = (a_i)_n$ and p and q are positive integer or 0.

Mittag-Leffler Function

Mittag-Leffler function is defined by the special function

$$E_\eta(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^k}{\Gamma(1 + \eta k)}, \eta \in C, \Re(\eta) > 0, z \in C. \quad (1.7)$$

and its general form

$$E_{\eta, \mu}(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^k}{\Gamma(\mu + \eta k)}, \eta \in C, \Re(\eta) > 0, \Re(\mu) > 0, z \in C. \quad (1.8)$$

with C being the set of Complex numbers are called Mittag-Leffler functions [4, Section 18.1]. The former was introduced by Mittag Leffler [7] in connection with his method of summation of some divergent series.

2. Analysis of the Method

If hypergeometric function (1.4) suggests that the linear term $y(x)$ is decomposed by an infinite series of components:

$$y(x) = F(a, b; c; Ax^\alpha) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{(Ax^\alpha)^n}{n!} \tag{2.1}$$

Then from (1.1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} D^\alpha &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(m-\alpha)} \int_0^x (x-t)^{m-\alpha-1} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} (D^m t^{n\alpha}) dt. \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(m-\alpha)} \int_0^x (x-t)^{m-\alpha-1} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} \frac{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha-m+1)} t^{n\alpha-m} dt. \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(m-\alpha)} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} \frac{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha-m+1)} \int_0^x (x-t)^{m-\alpha-1} t^{n\alpha-m} dt. \\ D^\alpha y &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} \frac{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(\alpha(n-1)+1)} x^{\alpha(n-1)} \tag{2.2} \end{aligned}$$

$$D^{2\alpha} y = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} \frac{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(\alpha(n-2)+1)} x^{\alpha(n-2)} \tag{2.3}$$

And if Laguerre’s polynomial method [15] of degree n suggests that the linear terms $y(x)$ is decomposed by polynomial series of components:

$$y(x) = L_n(ax^\alpha) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n!}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} (ax^\alpha)^k, k \leq n, n \in N. \tag{2.4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D^\alpha y &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(m-\alpha)} \int_0^x (x-t)^{m-\alpha-1} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} (D^m t^{\alpha k}) dt. \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(m-\alpha)} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha k+1)}{\Gamma(\alpha k-m+1)} \int_0^x (x-t)^{m-\alpha-1} t^{\alpha k-m} dt. \tag{2.5} \end{aligned}$$

If we put $\frac{t}{x} = u$ in the above expression we arrive at

$$D^\alpha y = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha(k-1) + 1)} x^{\alpha(k-1)}. \quad (2.6)$$

And

$$D^{2\alpha} y = I^{m-2\alpha} D^m f(x) \quad (2.7)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(m-2\alpha)} \int_0^x (x-t)^{m-2\alpha-1} \sum_{k=2}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha k - m + 1)} t^{\alpha k - m} dt.$$

$$D^{2\alpha} y = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha(k-2) + 1)} x^{\alpha(k-2)}. \quad (2.8)$$

This based on Caupto Derivative.

3. Numerical Applications

Many researchers have studied linear fractional differential equations in different ways with different functions [1, 2, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17]. In this section, we consider some examples that demonstrate the hypergeometric function and Laguerre polynomial for solving linear differential equations with fractional derivatives.

Example 3.1. Consider the following differential equations [11]

$$D^\alpha y = A' y. \quad (3.1)$$

With (2.1), (2.2), and (2.3), We have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n (b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} \frac{\Gamma(n\alpha + 1)}{\Gamma((n-1)\alpha + 1)} x^{\alpha(n-1)} - A' \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n (b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} x^{n\alpha} = 0$$

Now Replacing n by $n + 1$ in the first summation, we get

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_{n+1} (b)_{n+1}}{(c)_{n+1}} \frac{A^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \frac{\Gamma((n+1)\alpha + 1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha + 1)} x^{\alpha n} - A' \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n (b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} x^{n\alpha} = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_{n+1} (b)_{n+1}}{(c)_{n+1}} \frac{A^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \frac{\Gamma((n+1)\alpha + 1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha + 1)} x^{\alpha n} - A' \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n (b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} x^{n\alpha} = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n (b)_n}{(c)_n} \left[\frac{(a+n)(b+n)}{(c+n)} \frac{A^{n+1}}{n+1} \frac{\Gamma((n+1)\alpha + 1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha + 1)} - A^n A' \right] \frac{x^{n\alpha}}{n!} = 0$$

With the coefficients equal to zero and identifying the coefficients, we obtain

$$\frac{(a+n)(b+n)}{(c+n)} \frac{A^{n+1}}{n+1} \frac{\Gamma((n+1)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)} - A^n A' = 0$$

at $n = 0$

$$A \frac{ab}{c} = \frac{A'}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}$$

at $n = 1$

$$A^2 \frac{a(a+1)b(b+1)}{c(c+1)2} = \frac{A'^2}{\Gamma(2\alpha+1)}$$

at $n = 2$

$$A^3 \frac{a(a+1)(a+2)b(b+1)(b+2)}{c(c+1)(c+2)3!} = \frac{A'^3}{\Gamma(3\alpha+1)}$$

and so on.

Substituting into (2.1) we get

$$y = 1 + A' \frac{x^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} + A'^2 \frac{x^{2\alpha}}{\Gamma(2\alpha+1)} + A'^3 \frac{x^{3\alpha}}{\Gamma(3\alpha+1)} + \dots \tag{3.2}$$

Example 3.2. Consider the following differential equations [11]

$$D^{2\alpha}y - y = 0. \tag{3.3}$$

With (2.1), (2.3), and (3.3), We get

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} \frac{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)}{\Gamma((n-2)\alpha+1)} x^{\alpha(n-2)} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} x^{n\alpha} = 0$$

Now Replacing n by $n + 2$ in the first summation, we get

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_{n+2}(b)_{n+2}}{(c)_{n+2}} \frac{A^{n+2}}{(n+2)!} \frac{\Gamma((n+2)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)} x^{\alpha n} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} x^{n\alpha} = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_{n+1}(b)_{n+1}}{(c)_{n+1}} \frac{A^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \frac{\Gamma((n+1)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)} x^{\alpha n} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} x^{n\alpha} = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(a)_{n+2}(b)_{n+2}}{(c)_{n+2}} \frac{A^{n+2}}{(n+1)(n+2)} \frac{\Gamma((n+2)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)} - A^n \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \right] \frac{x^{n\alpha}}{n!} = 0$$

With the coefficients equal to zero and identifying the coefficients, we obtain

$$\frac{(a)_{n+2}(b)_{n+2}}{(c)_{n+2}} \frac{A^{n+2}}{(n+1)(n+2)} \frac{\Gamma((n+2)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)} - A^n \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n}$$

at $n = 0$

$$(a+1)(b+1)ab\Gamma(2\alpha+1)A^2 = c(c+1).2.1$$

at $n = 1$

$$(a+1)(b+1)(a+2)(b+2)\Gamma(3\alpha+1)A^3 = (c+2)(c+1)3.2.A\Gamma(\alpha+1)$$

at $n = 2$

$$(a+3)(b+3)(a+2)(b+2)\Gamma(4\alpha+1)A^3 = (c+3)(c+2)4.3.A^2\Gamma(\alpha+1)$$

and so on.

Substituting into (2.1), we get

$$y = 1 + \frac{ab}{c}Ax^\alpha + \frac{1}{\Gamma(2\alpha+1)}x^{2\alpha} + \frac{ab}{c} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(3\alpha+1)}Ax^{3\alpha} + \dots \quad (3.4)$$

Example 3.3. Consider the following differential equations [11]

$$D^{2\alpha}y + D^\alpha y - 2y = 0. \quad (3.5)$$

With (2.1), (2.2) and (2.3) in (3.5), We get

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} \frac{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)}{\Gamma((n-2)\alpha+1)} x^{\alpha(n-2)} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} \frac{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)}{\Gamma((n-1)\alpha+1)} x^{(n-1)\alpha} - 2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} x^{n\alpha} = 0.$$

Now Replacing n by $n+2$ in the first summation, and n by $n+1$ in the second summation, we get

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_{n+2}(b)_{n+2}}{(c)_{n+2}} \frac{A^{n+2}}{(n+2)!} \frac{\Gamma((n+2)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)} x^{\alpha n} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_{n+1}(b)_{n+1}}{(c)_{n+1}} \frac{A^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \frac{\Gamma((n+1)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)} x^{n\alpha} - 2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{A^n}{n!} x^{n\alpha} = 0.$$

With the coefficients equal to zero and identifying the coefficients, we obtain

$$\frac{(a)_{n+2}(b)_{n+2}}{(c)_{n+2}} \frac{A^{n+2}}{(n+2)(n+1)} \frac{\Gamma((n+2)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)} + \frac{(a)_{n+1}(b)_{n+1}}{(c)_{n+1}} \frac{A^{n+1}}{(n+1)} \frac{\Gamma((n+1)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)} - 2 \frac{(a)_n(b)_n}{(c)_n} A^n = 0$$

at $n = 0$

$$a(a+1)b(b+1)\Gamma(2\alpha+1)A^2 + 2ab(c+1)\Gamma(\alpha+1) - 4(c+1)c = 0$$

at $n = 1$

$$(a+1)(a+2)(b+1)(b+2)\Gamma(3\alpha+1)A^3 + 3(a+1)(b+1)(c+2)\Gamma(2\alpha+1)A^2 - 2.6(c+2)(c+1)\Gamma(\alpha+1)A = 0$$

$n = 2$

$$(a+2)(a+3)(b+2)(b+3)\Gamma(4\alpha+1)A^4 + 4(a+2)(b+2)(c+3)\Gamma(3\alpha+1)A^3 - 24(c+3)(c+2)\Gamma(2\alpha+1)A^2 = 0$$

and so on.

Substituting into (2.1) we find that

$$y = 1 + \frac{ab}{c}Ax^\alpha + \frac{2c - ab\Gamma(\alpha+1)A}{c\Gamma(2\alpha+1)}x^{2\alpha} + \frac{3ab\Gamma(\alpha+1)A - 2c}{c\Gamma(3\alpha+1)}x^{3\alpha} + \dots \quad (3.6)$$

Example 3.4. Consider the following differential equations [11]

$$D^\alpha y = Ay. \quad (3.7)$$

With (2.4) and (2.6), We get

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha(k-1) + 1)} x^{\alpha(k-1)} - A \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} x^{\alpha k} = 0.$$

Now Replacing k by $k + 1$ in the first summation, we get

$$\sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^{k+1} n! a^{k+1}}{(n-k-1)!((k+1)!)^2} \frac{\Gamma((k+1)\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)} x^{\alpha k} - A \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} x^{\alpha k} = 0.$$

With the coefficients equal to zero and identifying the coefficients, we obtain

$$\frac{-a\Gamma(\alpha(k+1)+1)}{((k+1)!)^2\Gamma(\alpha k+1)} - A\frac{1}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} = 0$$

at $k = 0$

$$a = -\frac{A}{n\Gamma(\alpha+1)}$$

at $k = 1$

$$a^2 = \frac{2^2 A^2}{n(n-1)\Gamma(2\alpha+1)}$$

at $k = 2$

$$a^3 = \frac{2^2 3^2 A^3}{n(n-1)(n-2)\Gamma(3\alpha+1)}$$

and so on.

Substituting into (2.4), we get

$$y = 1 + A\frac{x^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha+1)} + A^2\frac{x^{2\alpha}}{\Gamma(2\alpha+1)} + \dots + A^n\frac{x^{n\alpha}}{\Gamma(n\alpha+1)}. \quad (3.8)$$

Example 3.5. Consider the following differential equations [11]

$$D^{2\alpha}y - y = 0. \quad (3.9)$$

With Equation (2.4), (2.8), we have

$$\sum_{k=2}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha k+1)}{\Gamma(\alpha(k-2)+1)} x^{\alpha(k-2)} - \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} x^{\alpha k} = 0.$$

Now Replacing k by $k+2$ in the first summation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^{k+2} n! a^{k+2}}{(n-k-2)!((k+2)!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha(k+2)+1)}{\Gamma(\alpha k+1)} x^{\alpha k} \\ & - \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)(n-k-1)(n-k-2)!(k!)^2} x^{\alpha k} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

With the coefficients equal to zero and identifying the coefficients, we obtain

$$\frac{a^{k+2}}{((k+2)!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha(k+2)+1)}{\Gamma(\alpha k+1)} - \frac{a^k}{(n-k)(n-k-1)(k!)^2} = 0$$

at $k = 0$

$$a^2 n(n-1)\Gamma(2\alpha+1) = 1^2 2^2$$

at $k = 1$

$$a^3(n-1)(n-2)\Gamma(3\alpha+1) = a^2 3^2 \Gamma(\alpha+1)$$

at $k = 2$

$$a^4(n-2)(n-3)\Gamma(4\alpha+1) = a^2 3^2 4^2 \Gamma(2\alpha+1)$$

and so on.

From (2.4), we get

$$y = 1 - anx^\alpha + \frac{x^{2\alpha}}{\Gamma(2\alpha+1)} - \frac{an\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{\Gamma(3\alpha+1)}x^{3\alpha} + \dots + n \text{ terms.} \tag{3.10}$$

Example 3.6. Consider the following differential equations [11]

$$D^{2\alpha}y + D^\alpha y - 2y = 0. \tag{3.11}$$

With Equation (2.4), (2.6) and (2.8) in (3.11) We get

$$\sum_{k=2}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha(k-2) + 1)} x^{\alpha(k-2)} + \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha(k-1) + 1)} x^{\alpha(k-1)} - 2 \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} x^{\alpha k} = 0.$$

Now Replacing k by $k + 2$ in the first summation and k by $k + 1$ in the second summation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^{k+2} n! a^{k+2}}{(n-k-2)!((k+2)!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha(k+2) + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)} x^{\alpha k} \\ & + \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^{k+1} n! a^{k+1}}{(n-k-1)!((k+1)!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha(k+1) + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)} x^{\alpha k} \\ & - 2 \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-1)^k n! a^k}{(n-k)!(k!)^2} x^{\alpha k} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

With the coefficients equal to zero and identifying the coefficients, we obtain

$$\frac{a^{k+2}}{((k+2)!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha(k+2) + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)} - \frac{a^{k+1}}{(n-k-1)!((k+1)!)^2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha(k+1) + 1)}{\Gamma(\alpha k + 1)}$$

$$-2 \frac{a^k}{(n-k)(n-k-1)(k!)^2} = 0$$

at $k = 0$

$$a^2 n(n-1)\Gamma(2\alpha+1) - an2^2\Gamma(\alpha+1) - 2a^0 1^2 2^2 = 0$$

at $k = 1$

$$a^3(n-1)(n-2)\Gamma(3\alpha+1) - a^2 3^2(n-1)\Gamma(2\alpha+1) - 2a^2 3^2 \Gamma(\alpha+1) = 0$$

at $k = 2$

$$a^4(n-2)(n-3)\Gamma(4\alpha+1) - a^3 4^2(n-2)\Gamma(3\alpha+1) - 2a^2 3^2 4^2 \Gamma(2\alpha+1) = 0$$

and so on.

From (2.4), we get

$$y = 1 - anx^\alpha + n(n-1) \left(\frac{8 + 4an\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{n(n-1)\Gamma(2\alpha+1)} \right) \frac{x^{2\alpha}}{(2!)^2}$$

$$-n(n-1)(n-2) \left(\frac{72 + 108an\Gamma(\alpha+1)}{n(n-1)(n-2)\Gamma(3\alpha+1)} \right) \frac{x^{3\alpha}}{(3!)^2} + \dots + n \text{ terms} \quad (3.12)$$

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