Basic Hypergeometric Series and Fourier Transform

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Abstract: In this paper, we shall make use of Bailey's transform and fourier transform, in order to establish summations formulae for basic hypergeometric series.

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1. Introduction, Notations and Definitions

We employ the usual notations

$$[a;q]_n = (1-a)(1-aq)\dots(1-aq^{n-1}), \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$
$$[a;q]_0 = 1,$$
$$[a_1, a_2, \dots, a_r; q]_n = [a_1;q]_n [a_2;q]_n \dots [a_r;q]_n.$$

and for |q| < 1,

$$[a;q]_{\infty} = \prod_{r=0}^{\infty} (1 - aq^r)$$
$$[a_1, a_2, \dots, a_r; q]_{\infty} = [a_1;q]_{\infty} [a_2;q]_{\infty} \dots [a_r;q]_{\infty}.$$

The basic hypergeometric series is defined as,

$${}_{r}\Phi_{s}\left[\begin{array}{c}a_{1},a_{2},...,a_{r};q;z\\b_{1},b_{2},...,b_{s}\end{array}\right] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty}\frac{(a_{1},a_{2},...,a_{r};q)_{n}z^{n}}{(q,b_{1},b_{2},...,b_{s};q)_{n}},$$
(1.1)

where for convergence (|z|, |q|) < 1, if 1 + s = r and for 1 + s > r, $|z| < \infty$.

W.N. Bailey [1] in 1944 established a simple but a very useful transform called as Bailey transform: if

$$\beta_n = \sum_{r=0}^n \alpha_r u_{n-r} v_{n+r}$$

and

$$\gamma_n = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \delta_r u_{r-n} v_{r+n},$$

where, α_r, δ_r, u_r and v_r be any functions of r only. Such that the series γ_n exists, then

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n \gamma_n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \beta_n \delta_n.$$
(1.2)

If we take, $u_r = v_r = 1$, in the above lemma, then it take the following form

$$\beta_n = \sum_{r=0}^n \alpha_r, \quad \text{and} \quad \gamma_n = \sum_{r=0}^\infty \delta_{r+n}$$

then under suitable convergence conditions

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n \gamma_n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \beta_n \delta_n \tag{1.3}$$

Let,

$$\alpha_r = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^\infty \sin rx f(x) dx = \bar{F}_r(r)$$

and

$$\delta_r = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^\infty \cos rx f(x) dx = \bar{F}_c(r)$$

then

$$\beta_n = \sum_{r=0}^n \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^\infty \sin rx f(x) dx = \sum_{r=0}^n \bar{F}_s(r).$$
$$\gamma_n = \sum_{r=0}^\infty \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^\infty \cos(r+n) x f(x) dx = \sum_{r=0}^\infty \bar{F}_c(r+n).$$

Putting the value of $\alpha_n, \gamma_n, \beta_n$ and δ_n in (1.3), we get

$$\sum_{n,r=0}^{\infty} \bar{F}_s(n) \bar{F}_c(r+n) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{r=0}^n \bar{F}_s(r) \right) \bar{F}_c(n)$$
(1.4)

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