

SOME CONTOUR INTEGRALS INVOLVING G -FUNCTION OF TWO VARIABLES

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Some contour integrals involving G -function of two variables have been evaluated. On specialising the parameters the results for Meijer's G -function as particular cases are obtained.

For the sake of brevity we have used the symbol $\Delta(\delta, \alpha)$ for the set of parameters $\alpha/\delta, (\alpha + 1)/\delta, \dots, (\alpha + \delta - 1)/\delta$ and (a_p) stands for a_1, a_2, \dots, a_p throughout.

Agarwal¹ and Sharma² defined the G -function of two variables in the form of Mellin-Barnes type integral which has been represented by Bajpai³ as

$$G \left(\begin{matrix} (m_1, m_2); (n_1, n_2), n_3 \\ (p_1, p_2), p_3; (q_1, q_2), q_3 \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} \eta & (a_{p_1}); (c_{p_2}) \\ & (e_{p_3}) \\ \zeta & (b_{q_1}); (d_{q_2}) \\ & (f_{q_3}) \end{matrix} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi i)^2} \int_{L_1} \int_{L_2} \frac{\prod_{j=1}^{m_1} \Gamma(b_j - s) \prod_{j=1}^{n_1} \Gamma(1 - a_j + s) \prod_{j=1}^{m_2} \Gamma(d_j - t) \prod_{j=1}^{n_2} \Gamma(1 - c_j + t)}{\prod_{j=m_1+1}^{q_1} \Gamma(1 - b_j + s) \prod_{j=n_1+1}^{p_1} \Gamma(a_j - s) \prod_{j=m_2+1}^{q_2} \Gamma(1 - d_j + t) \prod_{j=n_2+1}^{p_2} \Gamma(c_j - t)} \times$$

$$\times \frac{\prod_{j=1}^{n_3} \Gamma(1 - e_j + s + t) \eta^s \zeta^t}{\prod_{j=n_3+1}^{p_3} \Gamma(e_j - s - t) \prod_{j=1}^{q_3} \Gamma(1 - f_j + s + t)} ds dt. \tag{1}$$

The contour L_1 is in the s -plane and runs from $-i\infty$ to $+i\infty$ with loops if necessary, to ensure that the poles of $\Gamma(b_j - s), j = 1, 2, \dots, m_1$ lie on the right and the poles of $\Gamma(1 - a_j + s), j = 1, 2, \dots, n_1$ and $\Gamma(1 - e_j + s + t), j = 1, 2, \dots, n_3$ to the left of the contour. Similarly the contour L_2 is in the t -plane and runs from $-i\infty$ to $+i\infty$ with loops, if necessary, to ensure that the poles of $\Gamma(d_j - t), j = 1, 2, \dots, m_2$ lie on the right and the poles of $\Gamma(1 - c_j + t), j = 1, 2, \dots, n_2$ and $\Gamma(1 - e_j + s + t), j = 1, 2, \dots, n_3$ lie to the left of the contour. Provided that

$$0 \leq m_1 \leq q_1; 0 \leq m_2 \leq q_2; 0 \leq n_1 \leq p_1; 0 \leq n_2 \leq p_2; 0 \leq n_3 \leq p_3;$$

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the integral converges if

$$\left. \begin{aligned} (p_3 + q_3 + p_1 + q_1) < 2(m_1 + n_1 + n_3); (p_3 + q_3 + p_2 + q_2) < 2(m_2 + n_2 + n_3); \\ |\arg \eta| < [m_1 + n_1 + n_3 - \frac{1}{2}(p_3 + q_3 + p_1 + q_1)]\pi \\ |\arg \zeta| < [m_2 + n_2 + n_3 - \frac{1}{2}(p_3 + q_3 + p_2 + q_2)]\pi \end{aligned} \right\} (2)$$

The right hand side of (1) shall, henceforth be denoted by $G \begin{bmatrix} \eta \\ \zeta \end{bmatrix}$

We establish the following integrals:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(2\pi i)} \int_{c-i\infty}^{c+i\infty} y^{\frac{1}{2}-\rho} I_\nu(xy) G \begin{matrix} (m_1, m_2); (n_1, n_2), n_3 \\ (p_1 + p_2), p_3; (q_1, q_2), q_3 \end{matrix} \left[\begin{matrix} \eta y^{2h} & (a_{p_1}); (c_{p_2}) \\ & (e_{p_3}) \\ \zeta & (b_{q_1}); (d_{q_2}) \\ & (f_{q_3}) \end{matrix} \right] dy \\ &= \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{\rho - \frac{3}{2}} (h)^{\frac{1}{2}-\rho} (2\pi)^{h-1} G \begin{matrix} (m_1, m_2); (n_1, n_2), n_3 \\ (p_1 + 2h, p_2), p_3; (q_1, q_2), q_3 \end{matrix} \left[\begin{matrix} \eta \left(\frac{2h}{x}\right)^{2h} & (a_{p_1}), \Delta \left(h, \frac{\rho + \nu + \frac{1}{2}}{2}\right), \Delta \left(h, \frac{\rho - \nu + \frac{1}{2}}{2}\right); (c_{p_2}) \\ & (e_{p_3}) \\ \zeta & (b_{q_1}); (d_{q_2}) \\ & (f_{q_3}) \end{matrix} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

where h is a positive number and

$$\operatorname{Re} [\rho + 2h(1 - a_j)] > |\operatorname{Re} \nu| - \frac{1}{2}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n_1.$$

Similar results hold for

$$\begin{aligned} & G \begin{bmatrix} \eta \\ \zeta (y)^{2h} \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } G \begin{bmatrix} \eta (y)^{2h} \\ \zeta (y)^{2h} \end{bmatrix} \\ & \frac{1}{(2\pi i)} \int_{c-i\infty}^{c+i\infty} e^{x\mu} (x + \alpha)^{-\nu} G \begin{matrix} (m_1, m_2); (n_1, n_2), n_3 \\ (p_1, p_2), p_3; (q_1, q_2), q_3 \end{matrix} \left[\begin{matrix} \eta (x + \alpha)^\delta & (a_{p_1}); (c)_{p_2} \\ & (e_{p_3}) \\ \zeta & (b_{q_1}); (d_{q_2}) \\ & (f_{q_3}) \end{matrix} \right] dx \\ &= \frac{\mu^{\nu-1} e^{-\alpha\mu}}{(2\pi)^{\frac{1}{2}-\frac{\delta}{2}} (\delta)^{\nu-\frac{1}{2}}} G \begin{matrix} (m_1, m_2); (n_1, n_2), n_3 \\ (p_1 + \delta, p_2), p_3; (q_1, q_2), q_3 \end{matrix} \left[\begin{matrix} \eta \left(\frac{\delta}{\mu}\right)^\delta & (a_{p_1}), \Delta(\delta, \nu); (c_{p_2}) \\ & (e_{p_3}) \\ \zeta & (b_{q_1}); (d_{q_2}) \\ & (f_{q_3}) \end{matrix} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

where δ is a positive number and

$$Re [\nu + \delta (1 - a_j)] > 0, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n_1$$

Similar results hold for

$$G \left[\begin{matrix} \eta (x + \alpha)^\delta \\ \zeta (x + \alpha)^\delta \end{matrix} \right] \text{ and } G \left[\begin{matrix} \eta \\ \zeta (x + \alpha)^\delta \end{matrix} \right]$$

In all the above integrals, the conditions of validity are same as (2).

Proof:—To prove (3), expressing the G -function on the left as in (1) changing the order of integration and evaluating the inner integral with the help of the integral

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{c-i\infty}^{c+i\infty} y^{\frac{1}{2}-\rho} L_\nu(xy) dy = \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{\rho-\frac{3}{2}}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\rho+\nu+\frac{1}{2}}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\rho-\nu+\frac{1}{2}}{2}\right)}, \quad Re(\rho) > |Re \nu| - \frac{1}{2}$$

which follows from reference 4. We get that left hand side of (3) equals

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(2\pi i)^2} \int_{L_1} \int_{L_2} \frac{\prod_{j=1}^{m_1} \Gamma(b_j-s) \prod_{j=1}^{n_1} \Gamma(1-a_j+s) \prod_{j=1}^{m_2} \Gamma(d_j-t)}{\prod_{j=m_1+1}^{q_1} \Gamma(1-b_j+s) \prod_{j=n_1+1}^{p_1} \Gamma(a_j-s) \prod_{j=m_2+1}^{q_2} \Gamma(1-d_j+t) \prod_{j=n_2+1}^{p_2} \Gamma(c_j-t)} \times \\ & \times \frac{\prod_{j=1}^{n_3} \Gamma(1-e_j+t) \prod_{j=1}^{n_3} \Gamma(1-e_j+s+t) \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{\rho-2h} s^{-\frac{3}{2}} \eta^s \xi^t}{\prod_{j=n_3+1}^{p_3} \Gamma(e_j-s-t) \prod_{j=1}^{q_3} \Gamma(1-f_j+s+t) \Gamma\left(\frac{\rho+\nu+\frac{1}{2}}{2} - h s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\rho-\nu+\frac{1}{2}}{2} - h s\right)} ds dt. \end{aligned}$$

Now using (1) and multiplication formula for Gamma functions⁵, the integral (3) is proved.

The integral (4) is established by adopting the same method as above and using the formula⁶ viz.

$$\frac{1}{(2\pi i)} \int_{c-i\infty}^{c+i\infty} e^{x\mu} (x+\alpha)^{-\nu} dx = \frac{\mu^{\nu-1} e^{-\alpha\mu}}{\Gamma_\nu}, \quad Re(\nu) > 0$$

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Putting $m_2 = q_2 = 1, n_2 = n_3 = p_2 = p_3 = q_3 = 0$, and making use of the formula given by Bajpai³ viz.

$$G \left(\begin{matrix} (m, 1); (n, 0), 0 \\ (p, 0), 0; (q, 1), 0 \end{matrix} \left[\begin{matrix} x \\ y \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_p); \text{---} \\ (b_q); 0 \end{matrix} \right] \right) = e^{-y} G \left(\begin{matrix} m, n \\ p, q \end{matrix} \left[\begin{matrix} x \\ x \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_p) \\ (b_q) \end{matrix} \right] \right) \quad (5)$$

we get from (4),

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(2\pi i)} \int_{c-i\infty}^{c+i\infty} e^{x\mu} (x+\alpha)^{-\nu} G_{p_1, q_1}^{m_1, n_1} \left[\eta (x+\alpha)^\delta \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_{p_1}) \\ (b_{q_1}) \end{matrix} \right] dx \\ &= \frac{\mu^{\nu-1} e^{-\alpha\mu}}{(2\pi)^{\frac{1}{2}-\frac{\delta}{2}} (\delta)^{\nu-\frac{1}{2}}} G_{p_1+\delta, q_1}^{m_1, n_1} \left[\eta \left(\frac{\delta}{\mu} \right)^\delta \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_{p_1}), \Delta(\delta, \nu) \\ (b_{q_1}) \end{matrix} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

Specialising the parameters as above and making use of (5), we get an integral⁷ as a particular case of (3).

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