

INTEGRALS INVOLVING APPELL'S FUNCTION F_4

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1. In this note we have evaluated a number of infinite integrals involving Appell's function F_4 with the help of a theorem recently given by SHARMA [2].

Throughout this note we use the following notations:

$$(1) \quad k_\mu\{f(x); p\} = \int_0^\infty (px)^{\frac{1}{2}} K_\mu(px) f(x) dx$$

$$(2) \quad H_\nu\{f(x); y\} = \int_0^\infty (xy)^{\frac{1}{2}} J_\nu(xy) f(x) dx.$$

2. The following results will be required.

If $f(x)$ and $H_\nu\{f(x); y\}$ both belong to $L(0, \infty)$, and if $R(\lambda \pm \mu + \nu \pm \sigma) > 0$, $R(\frac{1}{2} + \nu) > 0$, $R(p+a) > 0$, then [(2), p. 112]

$$(3) \quad \left\{ \begin{aligned} k_\mu\{x^{\lambda-2} K_\sigma(ax) f(x); p\} &= \sum_{\sigma, -\sigma} \frac{2^{\lambda-3} a^\sigma \Gamma(-\sigma)}{p^{\lambda+\nu+\sigma-\frac{1}{2}} \Gamma(1+\nu)} \times \\ &\times \Gamma\{\frac{1}{2}(\lambda + \sigma + \nu \pm \mu)\} \int_0^\infty y^{\nu+\frac{1}{2}} H_\nu\{f(x); y\} \times \\ &\times F_4\left[\frac{1}{2}(\lambda + \sigma + \nu - \mu), \frac{1}{2}(\lambda + \sigma + \nu + \mu); 1 + \nu, 1 + \sigma; -\frac{y^2}{p^2}, \frac{a^2}{p^2}\right] dy. \end{aligned} \right.$$

If $R(\lambda \pm \nu \pm \rho - 2\alpha_t) > 0$, $t = 1, \dots, m$; $R(p+c) > 0$, $2(m+n) \geq l+q$, then [(3), p. 73]

$$(4) \quad \left\{ \begin{aligned} &\int_0^\infty x^{\lambda-1} K_\nu(px) K_\rho(cx) G_{l,q}^{m,n} \left[\frac{4}{x^2} \left| \begin{matrix} \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l \\ \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{matrix} \right. \right] dx \\ &= \sum_{\nu, -\nu} \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{2^{\lambda-3} \pi p^{\nu+2r}}{[r \sin(-\nu\pi) \Gamma(\nu+1+r) c^{\lambda+\nu+2r}] \times} \\ &\times G_{l,q+\frac{1}{2}}^{m+\frac{1}{2},n} \left[c^2 \left| \begin{matrix} \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l \\ \frac{\lambda+\nu+\rho}{2} + r, \frac{\lambda+\nu-\rho}{2} + r, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{matrix} \right. \right]. \end{aligned} \right.$$

Also [(3), p. 74]

$$(5) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \sum_{\nu=-\nu}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\pi^{\frac{1}{2}} \operatorname{cosec}(-2\nu\pi)}{[r \Gamma(2\nu+1+r)]} G_{p,q+2}^{m+2,n} \left[z \left| \begin{array}{c} \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_p \\ a+\nu+r, b+\nu+r, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{array} \right. \right] \\ & = 2^{1-a-b} G_{p+2,q+4}^{m+4,n} \left[4z \left| \begin{array}{c} \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_p, \frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{a+b+1}{2} \\ a \pm \nu, b \pm \nu, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{array} \right. \right]. \end{aligned} \right.$$

3. The main result to be proved is

$$(6) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^{\infty} y^{e+\nu} G_{l,q}^{m,n} \left[p^2 y^2 \left| \begin{array}{c} \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l \\ \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{array} \right. \right] F_4 \left[\alpha, \beta; 1+\nu, 1+\sigma; -\frac{y^2}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2} \right] dy \\ & = \frac{b^{\nu+e+1} \Gamma(1+\nu)}{2\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a/b)^{2r}}{[r(\sigma+1)]_r} \times \\ & \times G_{l+2,q+2}^{m+2,n+1} \left[b^2 p^2 \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1-\rho-\nu}{2}, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l, \frac{1-\rho+\nu}{2} \\ \alpha - \frac{\nu+\rho+1}{2} + r, \beta_1 - \frac{\nu+\rho+1}{2} + r, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{array} \right. \right] \end{aligned} \right.$$

for $R(b) > 0, 0 \leq n \leq l, 0 \leq m \leq q, 2(m+n) > l+q, |\arg p| < (m+n - \frac{1}{2}l - \frac{1}{2}q)\pi/2, -2 \min b_j - 1 < \rho + \nu < (2\alpha + 1 - 2 \max a_i)$ or $(2\beta + 1 - 2 \max a_i), i = 1, \dots, n, j = 1, \dots, m.$

Proof. If we start with

$$f(x) = 2^e x^{-e-\frac{1}{2}} G_{l+2,q}^{m,n+1} \left[\frac{4d^2}{x^2} \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1-\rho-\nu}{2}, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l, \frac{1-\rho+\nu}{2} \\ \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{array} \right. \right],$$

then [(1), p. 91, eq. 20]

$$H_\nu\{f(x); y\} = y^{e-\frac{1}{2}} G_{l,q}^{m,n} \left[d^2 y^2 \left| \begin{array}{c} \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l \\ \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{array} \right. \right].$$

Therefore the result (3) gives us

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{\sigma=-\sigma}^{\infty} \frac{2^{\lambda-e-3} a^\sigma \Gamma(-\sigma) \Gamma\{\frac{1}{2}(\lambda+\sigma+\nu \pm \mu)\}}{p^{\lambda+\nu+\sigma} \Gamma(1+\nu)} \times \int_0^{\infty} y^{e+\nu} G_{l,q}^{m,n} \left[d^2 y^2 \left| \begin{array}{c} \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l \\ \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{array} \right. \right] \times \\ & \times F_4 \left[\frac{1}{2}(\lambda+\sigma+\nu-\mu), \frac{1}{2}(\lambda+\sigma+\nu+\mu); 1+\nu, 1+\sigma; -\frac{y^2}{p^2}, \frac{a^2}{p^2} \right] dy = \\ & = \int_0^{\infty} x^{\lambda-e-2} K_\sigma(ax) K_\mu(px) G_{l+2,q}^{m,n+1} \left[\frac{4d^2}{x^2} \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1-\rho-\nu}{2}, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l, \frac{1-\rho+\nu}{2} \\ \beta_1, \dots, \beta_q \end{array} \right. \right] dx. \end{aligned}$$

Evaluating the integral on the right by (4), replacing d by p, p by $b,$ and on substituting α for $\frac{1}{2}(\lambda+\sigma+\nu-\mu), \beta$ for $\frac{1}{2}(\lambda+\sigma+\nu+\mu)$ we arrive at the result (6).

4. Particular cases: Many interesting particular cases of the result (6) are given below. These particular cases thus gives us the various integral transforms of the Appell's function F_4 .

(i) Taking $m=1, q=2, n=l=0, \beta_1 = \frac{\mu+\delta}{2}, \beta_2 = \frac{\delta-\mu}{2}$, we obtain

$$(7) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty y^{\varrho+\nu+\delta} J_\mu(py) F_4 \left[\alpha, \beta; 1+\nu, 1+\sigma; -\frac{y^2}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2} \right] dy = \\ & = \frac{p^{-\delta} b^{\nu+\varrho+1} \Gamma(1+\nu)}{2^{1-\delta} \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{(a/b)^{2r}}{\lfloor r(\sigma+1) \rfloor} \times \\ & \times G_{2,4}^{3,1} \left[\frac{b^2 p^2}{4} \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1-\varrho-\nu}{2}, \frac{1-\varrho+\nu}{2} \\ \alpha - \frac{\nu+\varrho+1}{2} + r, \beta - \frac{\nu+\varrho+1}{2} + r, \frac{\delta+\mu}{2}, \frac{\delta-\mu}{2} \end{array} \right. \right], \end{aligned} \right.$$

for $p > 0, R(b) > 0, R(\nu+1) > 0, R(\varrho+\nu+\mu+\delta+1) > 0, R(\varrho+\nu+\delta-2\alpha-\frac{1}{2}) < 0, R(\varrho+\nu+\delta-2\beta-\frac{1}{2}) < 0$.

Taking $\varrho=1, \delta=0, \mu=\nu$ in (7), we get

$$(8) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty y^{\nu+1} J_\nu(py) F_4 \left[\alpha, \beta; 1+\nu, 1+\sigma; -\frac{y^2}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2} \right] dy = \\ & = \frac{b^{\alpha+\beta} p^{\alpha+\beta-\nu-\sigma-2} \Gamma(\nu+1) \Gamma(\sigma+1)}{2^{\alpha+\beta-\nu-\sigma-2} a^\sigma \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} K_{\alpha-\beta}(bp) I_\sigma(ap), \end{aligned} \right.$$

for $p > 0, R(b) > 0, R(\nu+1) > 0, R(\frac{1}{2}+\nu-2\alpha) < 0, R(\frac{1}{2}+\nu-2\beta) < 0$.

(8) is a well-known result due to W. N. BAILEY [(2), p. 110, eq. 15].

(ii) Taking $m=q=2, n=l=0, \beta_1 = \frac{\delta+\mu}{2}, \beta_2 = \frac{\delta-\mu}{2}$, we get

$$(9) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty y^{\varrho+\nu+\delta} K_\mu(py) F_4 \left[\alpha, \beta; 1+\nu, 1+\sigma; -\frac{y^2}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2} \right] dy = \\ & = \frac{b^{\nu+\varrho+1} \Gamma(1+\nu)}{2^{3-\delta} p^\delta \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{(a/b)^{2r}}{\lfloor r(\sigma+1) \rfloor} \times \\ & \times G_{2,4}^{4,1} \left[\frac{b^2 p^2}{4} \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1-\varrho-\nu}{2}, \frac{1-\varrho+\nu}{2} \\ \alpha - \frac{\nu+\varrho+1}{2} + r, \beta - \frac{\nu+\varrho+1}{2} + r, \frac{\delta+\mu}{2}, \frac{\delta-\mu}{2} \end{array} \right. \right], \end{aligned} \right.$$

for $R(p) > 0, R(b) > 0, R(\delta+\varrho+\nu \pm \mu+1) > 0$.

When $\mu = \pm \frac{1}{2}$, (9) yields the following result:

$$(10) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^{\infty} y^{\delta+e+v-\frac{1}{2}} e^{-vy} F_4 \left[\alpha, \beta; 1+v, 1+\sigma; -\frac{y^2}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2} \right] dy = \\ & = \frac{2^{\delta-\frac{1}{2}} b^{v+e+1} \Gamma(1+v)}{\pi^{\frac{1}{2}} p^{\delta-\frac{1}{2}} \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a/b)^{2r}}{\lfloor r(\sigma+1) \rfloor} \times \\ & \times G_{2,4}^{4,1} \left[\frac{b^2 p^2}{4} \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1-\rho-v}{2}, \frac{1-\rho+v}{2} \\ \alpha - \frac{v+\rho+1}{2} + r, \beta - \frac{v+\rho+1}{2} + r, \frac{\delta}{2} + \frac{1}{4}, \frac{\delta}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \end{array} \right. \right], \end{aligned} \right.$$

for $R(p) > 0$, $R(b) > 0$, $R(\delta + \rho + v + \frac{1}{2}) > 0$.

(iii) Taking $m=2$, $n=0$, $l=1$, $q=3$, $\alpha_1 = \frac{\delta-\mu-1}{2}$, $\beta_1 = \frac{\delta-\mu}{2}$, $\beta_2 = \frac{\delta+\mu}{2}$, $\beta_3 = \frac{\delta-\mu-1}{2}$, then

$$(11) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^{\infty} y^{e+v+\delta} Y_\nu(py) F_4 \left[\alpha, \beta; 1+v, 1+\sigma; -\frac{y^2}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2} \right] dy = \\ & = \frac{2^{\delta-1} b^{v+e+1} \Gamma(1+v)}{p^\delta \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a/b)^{2r}}{\lfloor r(\sigma+1) \rfloor} \times \\ & \times G_{3,5}^{4,1} \left[\frac{b^2 p^2}{4} \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1-\rho-v}{2}, \frac{\delta-\mu-1}{2}, \frac{1-\rho+v}{2} \\ \alpha - \frac{v+\rho+1}{2} + r, \beta - \frac{v+\rho+1}{2} + r, \frac{\delta-\mu}{2}, \frac{\delta+\mu}{2}, \frac{\delta-\mu-1}{2} \end{array} \right. \right], \end{aligned} \right.$$

for $p > 0$, $R(b) > 0$, $R(\rho + v + \delta \pm \mu + 1) > 0$, $R(\rho + v + \delta - 2\alpha - \frac{1}{2}) < 0$, $R(\rho + v + \delta - 2\beta - \frac{1}{2}) < 0$.

(iv) Taking $m=n=l=1$, $q=3$, $\alpha_1 = \frac{1+\delta+\mu}{2}$, $\beta_1 = \frac{1+\delta+\mu}{2}$, $\beta_2 = \frac{\delta-\mu}{2}$, $\beta_3 = \frac{\delta+\mu}{2}$, we get

$$(12) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^{\infty} y^{e+v+\delta} H_\mu(py) F_4 \left[\alpha, \beta; 1+v, 1+\sigma; -\frac{y^2}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2} \right] dy = \\ & = \frac{2^{\delta-1} b^{v+e+1} \Gamma(1+v)}{p^\delta \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a/b)^{2r}}{\lfloor r(\sigma+1) \rfloor} \times \\ & \times G_{3,5}^{3,2} \left[\frac{b^2 p^2}{4} \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1-\rho-v}{2}, \frac{1+\delta+\mu}{2}, \frac{1-\rho+v}{2} \\ \alpha - \frac{v+\rho+1}{2} + r, \beta - \frac{v+\rho+1}{2} + r, \frac{1+\delta+\mu}{2}, \frac{\delta-\mu}{2}, \frac{\delta+\mu}{2} \end{array} \right. \right], \end{aligned} \right.$$

for $p > 0$, $R(b) > 0$, $R(\rho + v + \delta + \mu + 2) > 0$, $R(\rho + v + \delta - 2\alpha - \frac{1}{2}) < 0$, $R(\rho + v + \delta - 2\beta - \frac{1}{2}) < 0$, $R(\rho + v + \delta + \mu - 2\alpha) < 0$, $R(\rho + v + \delta + \mu - 2\beta) < 0$.

(v) Taking $m = q = 2, n = 0, l = 1, \alpha_1 = 1 - k + l, \beta_1 = l + m + \frac{1}{2}, \beta_2 = l - m + \frac{1}{2}$, then

$$(13) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty y^l + \frac{\rho + \nu - 1}{2} e^{-(xy)^{1/2}} W_{k,m}(py) F_4 \left[\alpha, \beta; 1 + \nu, 1 + \sigma; -\frac{y}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2} \right] dy = \\ & = \frac{b^{\nu+e+1} \Gamma(1 + \nu)}{p^l \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{(a/b)^{2r}}{\Gamma(\sigma + 1)_r} \times \\ & \times G_{3,4}^{4,1} \left[b^2 p \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1 - \rho - \nu}{2}, 1 - k + l, \frac{1 - \rho + \nu}{2} \\ \alpha - \frac{\nu + \rho + 1}{2} + r, \beta - \frac{\nu + \rho + 1}{2} + r, l + m + \frac{1}{2}, l - m + \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right. \right], \end{aligned} \right.$$

for $R(p) > 0, R(b) > 0, R(\nu + 1) > 0, R(\rho + \nu + 2l \pm 2m + 2) > 0$.

(vi) Finally taking $m = 1, n = l = q = 2, \beta_1 = 0$ we get

$$(14) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty y^{\rho + \nu} {}_2F_1[1 - \alpha_1, 1 - \alpha_2; 1 - \beta_2; -p^2 y^2] F_4 \left[\alpha, \beta; 1 + \nu, 1 + \sigma; -\frac{y^2}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2} \right] dy = \\ & = \frac{b^{\nu+e+1} \Gamma(1 + \nu) \Gamma(1 - \beta_2)}{2 \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta) \Gamma(1 - \alpha_1) \Gamma(1 - \alpha_2)} \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{(a/b)^{2r}}{\Gamma(\sigma + 1)_r} \times \\ & \times G_{4,4}^{3,3} \left[b^2 p^2 \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1 - \rho - \nu}{2}, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \frac{1 - \rho + \nu}{2} \\ \alpha - \frac{\nu + \rho + 1}{2} + r, \beta - \frac{\nu + \rho + 1}{2} + r, 0, \beta_2 \end{array} \right. \right], \end{aligned} \right.$$

for $R(b) > 0, R(\rho + \nu + 1) > 0, R(\rho + \nu + 2\alpha_1 - 2\alpha - 1) < 0, R(\rho + \nu + 2\alpha_1 - 2\beta - 1) < 0, R(\rho + \nu + 2\alpha_2 - 2\alpha - 1) < 0, R(\rho + \nu + 2\alpha_2 - 2\beta - 1) < 0$.

The above result is more general than the result recently given by SHARMA [(2), p. 111].

Comparing (14) with [(2), p. 111], we get

$$(15) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^r (a/b)^{2r}}{\Gamma(\sigma + 1)_r} G_{2,2}^{2,2} \left[b^2 p^2 \left| \begin{array}{c} \alpha_1, \alpha_2 \\ \alpha - \nu - 1 + r, \beta - \nu - 1 + r \end{array} \right. \right] = \\ & = \sum_{\alpha_1, \alpha_2} (bp)^{2\alpha_1 - 2} \Gamma(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) \Gamma(\alpha - \alpha_1 - \nu) \Gamma(\beta - \alpha_1 - \nu) \times \\ & \times F_4 \left[\alpha - \alpha_1 - \nu, \beta - \alpha_1 - \nu; 1 + \sigma, \alpha_2 - \alpha_1 + 1; -\frac{a^2}{b^2}, \frac{1}{p^2 b^2} \right]. \end{aligned} \right.$$

Replacing ν by $-\nu$, putting $b = ia, \sigma = 2\nu$, multiplying both sides by $\operatorname{cosec}(-2\nu\pi)$ and summing for $\nu, -\nu$, we have

$$(16) \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \sum_{\nu, -\nu} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\operatorname{cosec}(-2\nu\pi)}{r \Gamma(2\nu+1+r)} G_{2,2}^{2,2} \left[b^2 p^2 \middle| \begin{matrix} \alpha_1, \alpha_2 \\ \alpha-1+\nu+r, \beta-1+\nu+r \end{matrix} \right] = \\ & = \sum_{\nu, -\nu} \sum_{\alpha_1, \alpha_2} \frac{\operatorname{cosec}(-2\nu\pi) \Gamma(\alpha_1-\alpha_2) \Gamma(\alpha-\alpha_1+\nu) \Gamma(\beta-\alpha_1+\nu)}{(bp)^{2-2\alpha_1} \Gamma(2\nu+1)} \times \\ & \times F_4 \left[\alpha-\alpha_1+\nu, \beta-\alpha_1+\nu; 1+2\nu, \alpha_2-\alpha_1+1; 1, \frac{1}{p^2 b^2} \right] = \\ & = \pi^{-\frac{1}{2}} 2^{3-\alpha-\beta} G_{4,4}^{4,2} \left[4 b^2 p^2 \middle| \begin{matrix} \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \frac{\alpha+\beta-2}{2}, \frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2} \\ \alpha-1 \pm \nu, \beta-1 \pm \nu \end{matrix} \right] \end{aligned} \right.$$

by (5).

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