

On a class of Humbert-Hermite polynomials

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Abstract. A unified presentation of a class of Humbert's polynomials in two variables which generalizes the well known class of Gegenbauer, Humbert, Legendre, Chebyshev, Pincherle, Horadam, Kinnsy, Horadam-Pethe, Djordjević, Gould, Milovanović and Djordjević, Pathan and Khan polynomials and many not so called 'named' polynomials has inspired the present paper and the authors define here generalized Humbert-Hermite polynomials of two variables. Several expansions of Humbert-Hermite polynomials, Hermite-Gegenbauer (or ultraspherical) polynomials and Hermite-Chebyshev polynomials are proved.

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1. Introduction

The 2-variable Kampé de Fériet generalization of the Hermite polynomials [3] and [7] defined as

$$H_n(x, y) = n! \sum_{r=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} \frac{y^r x^{n-2r}}{r!(n-2r)!}. \quad (1.1)$$

These polynomials are usually defined by the generating function

$$e^{xt+yt^2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H_n(x, y) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \quad (1.2)$$

and reduce to the ordinary Hermite polynomials $H_n(x)$ (see [1]) when $y = -1$ and x is replaced by $2x$.

Next, we recall the definition of N -variable generalized Hermite polynomials $H_n(\{x\}_1^N)$ defined by Dattoli et al. [6, p.602]:

$$\exp \sum_{s=1}^N x_s t^s = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H_n(\{x\}_1^N) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \quad (1.3)$$

where $\{x\}_1^N = x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N$.

Generalized Hermite polynomials $H_n(\{x\}_1^N)$ for $N = 3$ also belong to those of Bell type as shown in [8, p.403(26)]. The Gould-Hooper polynomials $g_n^m(x, y)$ (see [5] and [10]) is a special case of (1.3). The notation $H_n^m(x, y)$ or $g_n^m(x, y)$ was given by Dattoli et al. [5]. These are specified by

$$e^{xt+yt^m} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H_n^m(x, y) \frac{t^n}{n!} \quad (1.4)$$

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Another generalization of Hermite polynomials which we wish to consider in this paper is given by $H_{n,m,\nu}(x, y)$ in the form of the generating function (see [16])

$$e^{\nu(x+y)t - (xy+1)t^m} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H_{n,m,\nu}(x, y) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \quad (1.5)$$

which reduces to the ordinary Hermite polynomials $H_n(x)$ when $\nu = 2, x = 0$ or $\nu = 2, y = 0$.

We draw attention to familiar generating relations given by

$$(1 - 2xt + t^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} P_n(x)t^n, \quad (1.6)$$

where $P_n(x)$ is Legendre's polynomial of first kind.

$$(1 - 2xt + t^2)^{-1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} U_n(x)t^n, \quad (1.7)$$

where $U_n(x)$ is Chebychev polynomial of second kind.

$$(1 - 2xt + t^2)^{-\nu} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} C_n^\nu(x)t^n, \quad (1.8)$$

where $C_n^\nu(x)$ is Gegenbauer's polynomial.

$$(1 - mxt + t^m)^{-\nu} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} h_{n,m}^\nu(x)t^n, \quad (1.9)$$

$$h_{n,m}^\nu(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{m} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^k (\nu)_{n+(1-m)k} (mx)^{n-mk}}{k!(n-mk)!},$$

where $h_{n,m}^\nu(x)$ is Humbert polynomial and m is a positive integer. The Pochhammer symbol $(a)_n$ is defined by

$$(a)_n = \frac{\Gamma(a+n)}{\Gamma(a)} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ a(a+1)(a+2)\cdots(a+n-1) & \text{if } n = 1, 2, 3, \dots \end{cases}$$

In 1965, Gould [11] gave the following generating relation

$$(c - mxt + yt^m)^p = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} P_n(m, x, y, p, c)t^n, \quad (1.10)$$

where m is a positive integer and other parameters are unrestricted in general. $P_n(m, x, y, p, c)$ is defined explicitly by [11, p.699]:

$$P_n(m, x, y, p, c) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{m} \rfloor} \binom{p}{k} \binom{p-k}{n-mk} c^{p-n+(m-1)k} y^k (-mx)^{n-mk}. \quad (1.11)$$

In 1989, Sinha [19] gave the following generating relation

$$[1 - 2xt + t^2(2x-1)]^{-\nu} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} S_n^\nu(x)t^n, \quad (1.12)$$

where

$$S_n^\nu(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^k (\nu)_{n-k} (2x)^{n-2k} (2x-1)^k}{k!(n-2k)!}, \quad (1.13)$$

$S_n^\nu(x)$ is the generalization of Shrestha polynomial $S_n(x)$ (see [16]).

In 1991, Milovanović and Djordjević [14](see also [15])gave the following generating relation

$$(1 - 2xt + t^m)^{-\lambda} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p_{n,m}^\lambda(x)t^n, \quad (1.14)$$

where $m \in \mathbb{N}$ and $\lambda > -\frac{1}{2}$ and

$$p_{n,m}^\lambda(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{m} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^k (\lambda)_{n-(m-1)k} (2x)^{n-mk}}{k!(n-mk)!}. \quad (1.15)$$

It is to be noted that the polynomials represented by $p_{n,1}^\lambda(x)$, $p_{n,2}^\lambda(x)$ and $p_{n,3}^\lambda(x)$ are known as Horadam polynomials [12], Gegenbauer polynomials and Horadam-Pethe polynomials [13], respectively.

Many interesting generalizations to these polynomials appeared in the literature. In particular in 1997, Pathan and Khan [16,p.54] generalized these polynomials and gave the following generating relation

$$\begin{aligned} [c - ax + bt^m(2x - 1)^d]^{-\nu} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p_{n,m,a,b,c,d}^\nu(x)t^n \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \Theta_n(x)t^n, \end{aligned} \quad (1.16)$$

where

$$\Theta_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{m} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^k c^{-\nu-n+(m-1)k} (\nu)_{n+(1-m)k} (ax)^{n-mk} [b(2x-1)^d]^k}{k!(n-mk)!}. \quad (1.17)$$

Djordjević [9] provided a generalization of various polynomials of two variables in the form

$$[1 - 2(x+y)t + t^m(2xy+1)]^{-\alpha} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} G_n^{\alpha,m}(x,y)t^n, \quad (1.18)$$

where

$$G_n^{\alpha,m}(x,y) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{m} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^k (\alpha)_{n-(m-1)k} (2x+2y)^{n-mk} (2xy+1)^k}{k!(n-mk)!}. \quad (1.19)$$

Note that $G_n^{1,m}(x,y) = C_n^m(x,y)$ and $G_n^{1/2,m}(x,y) = P_n^m(x,y)$ where $C_n^m(x,y)$ and $U_n^m(x,y)$ are Chebyshev and Legendre polynomials of two variables, respectively.

For $m = 2$, $G_n^{\alpha,m}(x,y)$ reduces to a polynomial studied by Dave [4]. For $m = 2$ and $y = 0$, $G_n^{\alpha,m}(x,y)$ reduces to Gegenbauer polynomial and for $m = 3$ and $y = 0$, $G_n^{\alpha,m}(x,y)$ are Horadam-Pethe polynomials [13]. Further, for $y = 0$, $G_n^{\alpha,m}(x,y)$ reduces to a polynomial $p_{n,m}^\alpha(x)$ studied by Milovanović and Djordjević ([14]and [15]).

A generalization and unification of various polynomials mentioned above is provided by the definition of generalized Humbert polynomials in two variables given

recently by Pathan and Khan [17] which has the generating function

$$[a - (bx + cy)t + dt^m(exy - 1)^g]^{-h} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Q_{n,m,g,h}^{a,b,c,d,e}(x, y)t^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Q_n(x, y)t^n, \quad (1.20)$$

where $m \in \mathbb{N}$, $h > 0$ and the other parameters are unrestricted in general.

In (1.20), if we put $a = 1$, $b = c = 2$, $d = -1$, $e = -2$ and $g = 1$, then we get a generating relation (1.18) studied by Djordjević [9]. For $y = 1$, $e = 2$ and $c = 0$, we get a generating relation (1.16) studied by Pathan and Khan [16]. For $a = 1$, $b = 2$, $c = 0$, $d = 1$ and $g = 0$, we get a generating relation (1.14) studied by Milovanović - Djordjević [15]. For $a = 1$, $b = 2$, $m = 2$, $y = 1$, $e = 2$ and $g = 1$, we get a polynomial defined by Sinha [19] and for $c = 0$, $g = 0$, $d = y$ and $h = -p$, we get a generating relation (1.4) given by Gould [11]. Some more interesting special cases which are recorded by G.B. Djordjević and G.V. Milovanović in [10] can be established similarly.

2. On a class of Humbert-Hermite polynomials

A generalization and unification of various polynomials mentioned above is provided by the definition of generalized Humbert-Hermite polynomials ${}_H G_n^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y)$ in two variables which has the generating function

$$[1 - 2(x + y)t + t^m(2xy + 1)]^{-\nu} e^{\alpha(x+y)t - (xy+1)t^m} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {}_H G_n^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y)t^n, \quad (2.1)$$

where $m \in \mathbb{N}$, $\alpha, \nu > 0$ and the other parameters are unrestricted in general. This is interesting since, as will be shown, the polynomials ${}_H G_n^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y)$ contain a number of known polynomials (see [4], [9], [10], [11], [12], [13], [14], [16], [17] and [18]).

Using the definitions of $H_{n,m,\nu}(x, y)$ and $G_n^{\alpha,m}(x, y)$ given by (1.5) and (1.18) in (2.1), we find the representation

$${}_H G_n^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{n! H_{k,m,\alpha}(x, y) G_{n-k}^{\nu,m}(x, y)}{k!}. \quad (2.2)$$

Some special cases of (2.2) are

$${}_H G_n^{\nu, 1, m}(x, y) = {}_H C_n^{\nu, m}(x, y) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{n! H_k^m(x, y) C_{n-k}^{\nu, m}(x, y)}{k!}.$$

Here ${}_H C_n^{\nu, m}(x, y)$ are Hermite-Gegenbauer polynomials of two variables.

$${}_H C_n^{1, m}(x, y) = {}_H U_n^m(x, y) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{n! H_k^m(x, y) U_{n-k}^m(x, y)}{k!},$$

where ${}_H U_n^m(x, y)$ are Hermite-Chebyshev polynomials of two variables.

$${}_H C_n^{1/2, m}(x, y) = {}_H P_n^m(x, y) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{n! H_k^m(x, y) P_{n-k}^m(x, y)}{k!},$$

where ${}_H P_n^m(x, y)$ are Hermite-Legendre polynomials of two variables.

As a special case, let $y = 0$ and $\alpha = 2$ be chosen in (2.1) so that generalized Humbert-Hermite polynomial ${}_H G_n^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y)$ of two variables reduces to Humbert-Hermite polynomial ${}_H G_n^{\nu, 2, m}(x, 0) = {}_H G_n^{\nu, m}(x)$ of one variable. Then (2.1) yields the

generating function

$$[1 - 2xt + t^m]^{-\nu} e^{2xt-t^m} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {}_H G_n^{\nu,m}(x) t^n. \quad (2.3)$$

Furthermore, the Hermite-Gegenbauer (or ultraspherical) polynomials ${}_H C_n^{\nu,2}(x) = {}_H C_n^{\nu}(x)$ of one variable, for nonnegative integer ν are given by

$$e^{2xt-t^2} (1 - 2xt + t^2)^{-\nu} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {}_H C_n^{\nu}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \quad (2.4)$$

Letting $\nu = 1/2$ and $\nu = 1$ in (2.4) gives

$$e^{2xt-t^2} (1 - 2xt + t^2)^{-1/2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {}_H P_n(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \quad (2.5)$$

where ${}_H P_n(x)$ are Hermite-Legendre polynomials and

$$e^{2xt-t^2} (1 - 2xt + t^2)^{-1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {}_H U_n(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \quad (2.6)$$

where ${}_H U_n(x)$ are Hermite-Chebyshev polynomials.

3. On expansions of Hermite-Chebyshev and Hermite-Gegenbauer polynomials

In this section, we prove several theorems on the expansions of Hermite-Gegenbauer and Hermite-Chebyshev polynomials of two variables. We will start with (2.1), (2.3) and a special case of (2.1) for $\nu = 1$,

$$[1 - 2(x+y)t + t^m(2xy+1)]^{-1} e^{\alpha(x+y)t - (xy+1)t^m} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {}_H U_n^{\alpha,m}(x,y) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \quad (3.1)$$

which will be used in obtaining the corollaries of the following theorem.

Theorem 3.1. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x, y \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{{}_H H_r^m(\alpha k(x+y), -k(xy+1)) G_{n-r}^{\nu k,m}(x,y)}{r!} \\ &= \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H G_{n_1}^{\nu,\alpha,m}(x,y) {}_H G_{n_2}^{\nu,\alpha,m}(x,y) \cdots {}_H G_{n_k}^{\nu,\alpha,m}(x,y)}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_k!}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.2)$$

Proof. The definition of ${}_H G_n^{\nu,\alpha,m}(x,y)$ given in (2.1) can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[[1 - 2(x+y)t + t^m(2xy+1)]^{-\nu} e^{\alpha(x+y)t - (xy+1)t^m} \right]^k \\ &= [1 - 2(x+y)t + t^m(2xy+1)]^{-\nu k} e^{\alpha k(x+y)t - k(xy+1)t^m} = \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {}_H G_n^{\nu,\alpha,m}(x,y) \frac{t^n}{n!} \right]^k. \end{aligned}$$

Using (1.4), we can write

$$e^{\alpha k(x+y)t - k(xy+1)t^m} = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} {}_H H_r^m(\alpha k(x+y), -k(xy+1)) \frac{t^r}{r!}.$$

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Thus it follows that the above result is essentially equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} G_n^{\nu k, m}(x, y) t^n \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{H_r^m(\alpha k(x+y), -k(xy+1)) t^r}{r!} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H G_{n_1}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y) {}_H G_{n_2}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y) \cdots {}_H G_{n_k}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y)}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_k!} t^n. \end{aligned}$$

An application of manipulation of series yields

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{H_r^m(\alpha k(x+y), -k(xy+1)) G_{n-r}^{\nu k, m}(x, y)}{r!} t^n \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H G_{n_1}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y) {}_H G_{n_2}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y) \cdots {}_H G_{n_k}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y)}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_k!} t^n. \end{aligned}$$

Now equating coefficients of t^n on both sides of the resulting equation will give the required result. \square

Remark 3.1. Setting $\nu = 1$ in Theorem 3.1, the result reduces to

Corollary 3.1. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x, y \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{H_r^m(\alpha k(x+y), -k(xy+1)) C_{n-r}^{k, m}(x, y)}{r!} \\ &= \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H U_{n_1}^{\alpha, m}(x, y) {}_H U_{n_2}^{\alpha, m}(x, y) \cdots {}_H U_{n_k}^{\alpha, m}(x, y)}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_k!}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

Remark 3.2. Setting $\nu = 0$ in Theorem 3.1, the result reduces to

Corollary 3.2. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x, y \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{H_n^m(\alpha k(x+y), -k(xy+1))}{n!} \\ &= \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H \alpha_{n_1}^{\alpha, m}(x, y) {}_H \alpha_{n_2}^{\alpha, m}(x, y) \cdots {}_H \alpha_{n_k}^{\alpha, m}(x, y)}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_k!}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

Remark 3.3. Setting $\alpha = m = 2$, $\nu, y = 0$ in Theorem 3.1, the result reduces to known result of Batahan and Shehata [2, p.50., Eq.(2.1)].

Corollary 3.3. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\sum_{r=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} \frac{(-k)^r (2kx)^{n-2r}}{(n-2r)r!} = \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{H_{n_1}(x) H_{n_2}(x) \cdots H_{n_k}(x)}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_k!}. \quad (3.5)$$

Theorem 3.2. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $X, Y \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{H_r^m(\alpha k(X+Y), -k(XY+1)) G_{n-r}^{\nu k, m}(X, Y)}{r!} \\ &= \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H G_{n_1}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(X, Y) {}_H G_{n_2}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(X, Y) \cdots {}_H G_{n_k}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(X, Y)}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_k!}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.6)$$

where $X = \sum_{i=0}^k x_i$ and $Y = \sum_{j=0}^k y_j$.

Proof. The definition of ${}_H G_n^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x, y)$ can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[[1 - 2(X + Y)t + t^m(2XY + 1)]^{-\nu} e^{\alpha(X+Y)t - (XY+1)t^m} \right]^k \\ &= [1 - 2(X + Y)t + t^m(2XY + 1)]^{-\nu k} e^{\alpha k(X+Y)t - k(XY+1)t^m} \\ &= \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {}_H G_n^{\nu, \alpha, m}(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_k, y_1 + y_2 + \dots + y_k) \frac{t^n}{n!} \right]^k. \end{aligned}$$

Using (1.4), we can write

$$e^{\alpha k(X+Y)t - k(XY+1)t^m} = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} H_n^m(\alpha k(X + Y), -k(XY + 1)) \frac{t^r}{r!}.$$

Thus it follows that the above result is essentially equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} G_n^{\nu k, m}(X, Y) t^n \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} H_n^m(\alpha k(X + Y), -k(XY + 1)) \frac{t^r}{r!} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H G_{n_1}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(X, Y) {}_H G_{n_2}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(X, Y) \dots {}_H G_{n_k}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(X, Y)}{n_1! n_2! \dots n_k!} t^n. \end{aligned}$$

An application of manipulation of series yields

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{H_r^m(\alpha k(X + Y), -k(XY + 1)) G_{n-r}^{\nu k, m}(X, Y)}{r!} t^n \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H G_{n_1}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(X, Y) {}_H G_{n_2}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(X, Y) \dots {}_H G_{n_k}^{\nu, \alpha, m}(X, Y)}{n_1! n_2! \dots n_k!} t^n. \end{aligned}$$

Now equating coefficients of t on both sides of the resulting equation will give the required result. \square

Remark 3.4. Setting $\nu = 1$ in Theorem 3.2, the result reduces to

Corollary 3.4. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x, y \in \mathbb{C}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{H_r^m(\alpha k(X + Y), -k(XY + 1)) C_{n-r}^{k, m}(X, Y)}{r!} \\ &= \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H U_{n_1}^{\alpha, m}(X, Y) {}_H U_{n_2}^{\alpha, m}(X, Y) \dots {}_H U_{n_k}^{\alpha, m}(X, Y)}{n_1! n_2! \dots n_k!}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.7)$$

Remark 3.5. Setting $\nu = 0$ in Theorem 3.2, the result reduces to

Corollary 3.5. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $X, Y \in \mathbb{C}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{H_n^m(\alpha k(X + Y), -k(XY + 1))}{n!} \\ &= \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{{}_H U_{n_1}^{\alpha, m}(X, Y) {}_H U_{n_2}^{\alpha, m}(X, Y) \dots {}_H U_{n_k}^{\alpha, m}(X, Y)}{n_1! n_2! \dots n_k!}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.8)$$

Remark 3.6. Setting $\alpha = m = 2$, $\nu = 0$, $x_2 = \dots = x_k = 0$, $y_1 = \dots = y_k = 0$ and replacing x_1 by x in Theorem 3.2, the result reduces to known result of Batahan and Shehata [2, p.51., Eq.(2.4)].

Corollary 3.6. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x \in \mathbb{C}$, we have

$$\sum_{r=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} \frac{(-k)^r (2kx)^{n-2r}}{(n-2r)r!} = \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} \frac{H_{n_1}(x)H_{n_2}(x)\cdots H_{n_k}(x)}{n_1!n_2!\cdots n_k!}. \quad (3.9)$$

Theorem 3.3. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x, y \in \mathbb{C}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{s=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{m} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^s (\nu k)_{n-(m-1)s} (2x+2y)^{n-ms} (2xy+1)^s}{s! (n-ms)!} \\ &= \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} G_{n_1}^{\nu,m}(x,y) G_{n_2}^{\nu,m}(x,y) \cdots G_{n_k}^{\nu,m}(x,y). \end{aligned} \quad (3.10)$$

Proof. Using the power series of $[1-2(x+y)t+t^m(2xy+1)]^{-k}$ and making the necessary series arrangements gives

$$[1-2(x+y)t+t^m(2xy+1)]^{-\nu k} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{s=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{m} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^s (\nu k)_{n-(m-1)s} (2x+2y)^{n-ms} (2xy+1)^s}{s! (n-ms)!} t^n.$$

In addition to this, we can write

$$\begin{aligned} [1-2(x+y)t+t^m(2xy+1)]^{-k} &= [[1-2(x+y)t+t^m(2xy+1)]^{-\nu}]^k = \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} G_n^{\nu,m}(x,y) t^n \right]^k \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} G_{n_1}^{\nu,m}(x,y) G_{n_2}^{\nu,m}(x,y) \cdots G_{n_k}^{\nu,m}(x,y) t^n. \end{aligned}$$

Now equating coefficients of t on both sides of the resulting equation will give the required result. \square

Remark 3.7. For $\nu = 1$ in Theorem 3.3, the result reduces to

Corollary 3.7. For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x, y \in \mathbb{C}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{s=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{m} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^s (k)_{n-(m-1)s} (2x+2y)^{n-ms} (2xy+1)^s}{s! (n-ms)!} \\ &= \sum_{n_1+n_2+\dots+n_k=n} U_{n_1}^m(x,y) U_{n_2}^m(x,y) \cdots U_{n_k}^m(x,y). \end{aligned} \quad (3.11)$$

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