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LAGUERRE POLYNOMIALS WITH FOUR PARAMETERS

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ABSTRACT. The polynomials $P_n(x)$, which are orthonormal in the interval $[0, +\infty)$ with respect to the weight function $P(x) = (a+x)^{2\alpha}(x-b)^{2\beta}e^{-x}$, where $a > 0$, $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$, $b \geq 0$, $\beta > \frac{1}{2}$, are investigated. There are derived relations for coefficients of these polynomials, relations for the sums of k th powers $s_k^{(n)}$ of zeros of these polynomials, the relation giving a connection between the polynomials of different degrees and differential equations for the polynomials $P_n(x)$.

1. Introduction

The Laguerre polynomials $L_n(x)$ may be defined by the relation

$$L_n(x) = x^{-\alpha} e^x \frac{d^n}{dx^n} (x^{n+\alpha} e^{-x}), \quad (1)$$

and $L_0(x) = 1$, $\alpha > -1$. The system of polynomials $L_n(x)$ is orthogonal in the interval $I = [0, \infty)$ with respect to the function $L(x) = x^\alpha e^{-x}$, so for $n = 0, 1, \dots$,

$$\int_I L_n^2(x) L(x) dx = n! \Gamma(n + \alpha + 1), \quad \int_I L_n(x) L_m(x) L(x) dx = 0 \quad (2)$$

for $m \neq n$ (see [1; p. 93]).

In the work [2] J. Korous defined his polynomials $K_n(x)$, which are orthonormal in the interval $[0, +\infty)$ with respect to the weight function $K(x) = x^\alpha (a+x)^\beta e^{-x}$, where α, β, a are real numbers, $\alpha \geq -\frac{1}{2}$, $a > 0$.

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In the present work we will investigate the system of the polynomials $\{P_n(x)\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$, where

$$P_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k^{(n)} x^{n-k}, \quad a_0^{(n)} > 0, \quad (3)$$

which are orthonormal in the interval $I = [0, +\infty)$ with respect to the function

$$P(x) = (a+x)^{2\alpha}(x-b)^{2\beta} e^{-x}, \quad (4)$$

where $a > 0$, $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$, $b \geq 0$, $\beta > \frac{1}{2}$, i.e.

$$\int_0^{\infty} P_n(x)P_m(x)P(x) dx = \delta_{m,n}, \quad (5)$$

and $\delta_{n,n} = 1$, $\delta_{m,n} = 0$ for $m \neq n$.

Laguerre polynomials $L_n(x)$ and Korous polynomials $K_n(x)$ are special cases of considered polynomials $P_n(x)$.

In this work we derive some relations for coefficients of the polynomials (3), the relations (19) and (20) for the sums of k th powers $s_k^{(n)}$ of the zeros of these polynomials, the relation (24), which expresses a connection between polynomials of different degrees and differential equations (35) and (37).

2. Basic relations and lemmas for polynomials $P_n(x)$

NOTATION. For $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ we define

$$q_n = \frac{a_0^{(n-1)}}{a_0^{(n)}} \quad \text{for } n > 0, \quad q_n = 0 \quad \text{for } n \leq 0, \quad (6)$$

$$r_k^{(n)} = \frac{a_k^{(n)}}{a_0^{(n)}} \quad \text{for } k > 0, \quad r_k^{(n)} = 0 \quad \text{for } k < 0, \quad r_0^{(n)} = 1, \quad (7)$$

$$j_n = \int_I x P_n^2(x) P(x) dx. \quad (8)$$

Remark 1. $\pi_n(x) = \pi_n$ denotes arbitrary polynomial of at most n th degree.

Remark 2. c and c_i ($i = 1, 2, \dots$) are positive constants independent of n and x and t , respectively. The numbering of these constants in each lemma and theorem is independent of the numbering in the others.

LEMMA 1. (RECCURENCE FORMULA FOR $P_n(x)$) Under notations (3), (6) and (8) for every n

$$(x - j_n)P_n(x) = q_{n+1}P_{n+1}(x) + q_nP_{n-1}(x). \tag{9}$$

Proof. See [1; p. 77]. □

LEMMA 2 (CHRISTOFFEL-DARBOUX FORMULA) Let $\{P_n(x)\}_{n=0}^\infty$ be a system of orthonormal polynomials in the interval $[0, +\infty)$. Denote

$$P_n(x, t) = \sum_{k=0}^n P_k(x)P_k(t). \tag{10}$$

Then for $x \neq t$

$$P_n(x, t) = q_{n+1}(x - t)^{-1} \{P_{n+1}(x)P_n(t) - P_n(x)P_{n+1}(t)\}. \tag{11}$$

Proof. (11) follows from (9). See [1; p. 79]. □

LEMMA 3. Every polynomial $F_n(x)$ of the n th degree can be expressed in the form

$$F_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \alpha_k P_k(x), \tag{12}$$

where

$$\alpha_k = \int_I F_n(t) P_k(t) P(t) dt. \tag{13}$$

Proof is well known.

LEMMA 4. Preserving the notation (8) we denote

$$i_n = 2\alpha a \int_I (x + a)^{-1} P_n^2(x) P(x) dx, \tag{14}$$

$$h_n = 2\beta b \int_I (x - b)^{-1} P_n^2(x) P(x) dx. \tag{15}$$

Then for $n = 1, 2, \dots$

$$j_n = 2n + 1 + 2\alpha + 2\beta - i_n + h_n. \tag{16}$$

Proof. We use integration by parts on (8). Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 j_n &= \int_I x P_n^2(x) P(x) \, dx \\
 &= - \int_I x P_n^2(x) [P(x) e^x] \, de^{-x} \\
 &= [-x P_n^2(x) P(x)]_0^\infty + \int_I 2x P_n(x) P_n'(x) P(x) \, dx \\
 &\quad + \int_I \{1 + 2\alpha x(x+a)^{-1} + 2\beta x(x-b)^{-1}\} P_n^2(x) P(x) \, dx \\
 &= 2n + 1 + 2\alpha + 2\beta - i_n + h_n,
 \end{aligned}$$

where in the last integral we substitute x by $x = x+a-a$ and by $x = x-b+b$, respectively and we use (5). \square

LEMMA 5. For $n \rightarrow +\infty$ the following relations hold

$$i_n = O(1), \quad (17)$$

$$h_n = O(1). \quad (18)$$

Proof. The relations (17) and (18) follow from (14) and (15). \square

LEMMA 6. Let $s_k^{(n)}$ for $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ be the sum of k th powers of zeros of the polynomials $P_n(x)$. Then

$$s_1^{(n)} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} j_k = -r_1^{(n)}, \quad (19)$$

$$s_2^{(n)} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (2q_k^2 + j_k^2), \quad (20)$$

$$-r_1^{(n)} = n^2 + (2\alpha + 2\beta)n + \sigma_n, \quad (21)$$

where

$$\sigma_n = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (h_k - i_k). \quad (22)$$

Proof.

I. There holds

$$s_1^{(n)} = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = -\frac{a_1(n)}{a_0(n)} = -r_1(n), \quad (\text{a})$$

where $r_k^{(n)}$ is defined in (7).

From recurrence formula (9) comparing coefficients at powers x^n we get

$$a_0^{(n)} r_1^{(n)} - j_n a_0^{(n)} = q_{n+1} a_0^{(n+1)} r_1^{(n+1)}.$$

Dividing this equation by $a_0^{(n)}$ and substituting for q_{n+1} according to (6) we have

$$r_1^{(n+1)} - r_1^{(n)} = -j_n. \tag{b}$$

Let us put for $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ $\delta_k^{(n)} = s_k^{(n)} - s_k^{(n-1)}$. From there using (a) and (b) we have

$$\delta_1^{(i)} = s_1^{(i)} - s_1^{(i-1)} = -r_1^{(i)} + r_1^{(i-1)} = j_{i-1} \tag{c}$$

(because $s_1^{(0)} = 0$).

From there

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \delta_1^{(i)} = \sum_{i=1}^n [s_1^{(i)} - s_1^{(i-1)}]$$

and thus

$$s_1(n) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} j_i.$$

II. From recurrence formula (9) by comparing of coefficients at powers x^n and x^{n-1} , respectively, we get

$$\begin{aligned} a_0^{(n)} r_1^{(n)} - j_n a_0^{(n)} &= q_{n+1} a_0^{(n+1)} r_1^{(n+1)}, \\ a_0^{(n)} r_2^{(n)} - j_n a_0^{(n)} r_1^{(n)} &= q_{n+1} a_0^{(n+1)} r_2^{(n+1)} + a_0^{(n-1)} q_n. \end{aligned}$$

Dividing these two equations by $a_0^{(n)}$ and substituting for q_n and q_{n+1} according to (6) and, further, using known relation

$$s_2^{(n)} = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 = [s_1^{(n)}]^2 - 2r_2^{(n)} = -r_1^{(n)} s_1^{(n)} - 2r_2^{(n)},$$

i.e.

$$s_2^{(n)} + r_1^{(n)} s_1^{(n)} + 2r_2^{(n)} = 0, \tag{d}$$

we get

$$r_1^{(n+1)} - r_1^{(n)} = -j_n; \quad r_2^{(n+1)} - r_2^{(n)} = -q_n^2 - j_n r_1^{(n)}. \tag{e}$$

Further

$$\begin{aligned} s_2^{(n)} + r_1^{(n)} s_1^{(n)} + 2r_2^{(n)} &= 0, \\ s_2^{(n-1)} + r_1^{(n-1)} s_1^{(n-1)} + 2r_2^{(n-1)} &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Subtracting the second of these equations from the first and using (c) we have

$$\delta_2^{(n)} + r_1^{(n-1)}\delta_1^{(n)} + (r_1^{(n)} - r_1^{(n-1)})s_1^{(n)} + 2(r_2^{(n)} - r_2^{(n-1)}) = 0,$$

from where in virtue of (e), (c), (a)

$$\delta_2^{(n)} = -j_{n-1}r_1^{(n-1)} - j_{n-1}r_1^{(n)} + 2j_{n-1}r_1^{(n-1)} + 2q_{n-1}^2 = j_{n-1}^2 + 2q_{n-1}^2.$$

Because $s_2^{(0)} = 0$, it follows from there

$$s_2^{(n)} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (2q_k^2 + j_k^2).$$

III. From the relations (19) and (16) we get

$$\begin{aligned} -r_1^{(n)} &= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} j_k = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (2k + 1 + 2\alpha + 2\beta + h_k - i_k) \\ &= n(n-1) + n + 2\alpha n + 2\beta n + \sigma_n = n^2 + (2\alpha + 2\beta)n + \sigma_n, \end{aligned}$$

where σ_n is defined in (22). □

LEMMA 7. For $n \rightarrow +\infty$

$$\sigma_n = O(1). \tag{23}$$

Proof. (23) follows from (17), (18) and (22). □

LEMMA 8. For $n = 1, 2, \dots$ we have

$$xP_n'(x) = nP_n(x) + q_nP_{n-1}(x) + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \gamma_k P_k(x), \tag{24}$$

where

$$\gamma_k = i_n^{(k)} - h_n^{(k)}, \tag{25}$$

$$i_n^{(k)} = 2\alpha a \int_I (x+a)^{-1} P_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) dx, \tag{26}$$

$$h_n^{(k)} = 2\beta b \int_I (x-b)^{-1} P_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) dx. \tag{27}$$

Proof. According to (12)

$$xP_n'(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \beta_k P_k(x), \tag{a}$$

where

$$\beta_k = \int_I x P_n'(x) P_k(x) P(x) dx. \quad (b)$$

We use integration by parts to (b) and then

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_k &= [x P_n(x) P_k(x) P(x)]_0^\infty - \int_I P_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) dx \\ &\quad - \int_I x P_n(x) P_k'(x) P(x) dx + \int_I x P_n'(x) P_k(x) P(x) dx \\ &\quad - \int_I x [2\alpha(x+a)^{-1} + 2\beta(x-b)^{-1}] P_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) dx \\ &= \int_I x P_n(x) [P_k(x) - P_k'(x)] P(x) dx + (-2\alpha - 2\beta) \int_I P_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) dx \\ &\quad - \int_I P_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) dx + i_n^{(k)} - h_n^{(k)}. \end{aligned} \quad (c)$$

1. Let $k = n$.

Then in virtue of (8), (16), (14) and (15) from (c) we get (because $i_n^{(n)} = i_n$, $h_n^{(n)} = h_n$)

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_n &= j_n - n - 1 - 2\alpha - 2\beta + i_n - h_n \\ &= 2n + 1 + 2\alpha + 2\beta - i_n + h_n - n - 1 - 2\alpha - 2\beta + i_n - h_n = n. \end{aligned} \quad (d)$$

2. Let $k = n - 1$.

Then from (c) in virtue of (6) and (5) there is

$$\beta_{n-1} = q_n + i_n^{(n-1)} - h_n^{(n-1)}. \quad (e)$$

3. Let $k < n - 1$.

Then from (c) in virtue of (5) there is

$$\beta_k = i_n^{(k)} - h_n^{(k)} = \gamma_k. \quad (f)$$

From (c)–(f) we get (24). \square

LEMMA 9. *Let $n = 1, 2, \dots$. Then*

$$q_n^2 - 2\delta_n q_n + r_1^{(n)} = 0, \quad (28)$$

where q_n is defined in (6), $r_1^{(n)}$ in (7) and $2\delta_n = h_n^{(n-1)} - i_n^{(n-1)}$.

P r o o f . There holds

$$\int_I x P_n(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx = \frac{a_0^{(n-1)}}{a_0^{(n)}} = q_n. \quad (a)$$

Integrating left-hand side by parts we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 q_n &= - \int_I x P_n(x) P_{n-1}(x) [P(x) e^x] d e^{-x} \\
 &= [-x P_n(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x)]_0^\infty + \int_I x P_n'(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx \\
 &\quad + \int_I x [2\alpha(x+a)^{-1} + 2\beta(x-b)^{-1}] P_n(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx \\
 &= \int_I x P_n'(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx - 2\alpha a \int_I (x+a)^{-1} P_n(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx \\
 &\quad + 2\beta b \int_I (x-b)^{-1} P_n(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx \\
 &= J_n - i_n^{(n-1)} + h_n^{(n-1)},
 \end{aligned} \tag{b}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 J_n &= \int_I x P_n'(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx \\
 &= \int_I [n P_n(x) - r_1^{(n)} q_n^{-1} P_{n-1}(x) + \pi_{n-2}] P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx \\
 &= -r_1^{(n)} q_n^{-1},
 \end{aligned} \tag{c}$$

$$i_n^{(n-1)} = 2\alpha a \int_I (x+a)^{-1} P_n(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx, \tag{d}$$

$$h_n^{(n-1)} = 2\beta b \int_I (x-b)^{-1} P_n(x) P_{n-1}(x) P(x) dx. \tag{e}$$

From (b) in virtue of (c)–(e) we get

$$q_n = J_n + h_n^{(n-1)} - i_n^{(n-1)} = -r_1^{(n)} q_n^{-1} + 2\delta_n.$$

From there (28) follows. \square

LEMMA 10. For $n \rightarrow +\infty$

$$q_n = n + O(1). \tag{29}$$

P r o o f. (29) follows from (28), (17), (18), (21) and (22). \square

LEMMA 11. *Let $P_n(x)$ be a polynomial of the degree n and s_k be the sum of k th powers of its zeros. Then for a natural number r*

$$x^r P'_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{r-1} s_k x^{r-k-1} P_n(x) + \pi_{n-1}. \tag{30}$$

Proof. See [3; p. 352]. □

LEMMA 12. *Let $P_n(x)$ be a polynomial of the degree n and s_k be the sum of k th powers of its zeros. Then for a natural number r*

$$x^r P''_n(x) = P_n(x) \sum_{k=0}^{r-2} \sigma_k x^{r-k-2} + \pi_{n-1}, \tag{31}$$

where

$$\sigma_k = \sum_{m=0}^k s_m s_{k-m} - (k+1)s_k. \tag{32}$$

Proof. (31) follows from (30). □

3. Differential equations for polynomials $P_n(x)$

THEOREM 1. *Let us denote*

$$\varepsilon = \begin{cases} \alpha \\ \beta \end{cases} \quad \delta = \begin{cases} \beta \\ \alpha \end{cases} \quad \implies \varepsilon + \delta = \alpha + \beta, \tag{33}$$

$$e = \begin{cases} a \\ -b \end{cases} \quad f = \begin{cases} -b \\ a \end{cases} \quad \implies e + f = a - b. \tag{34}$$

Let $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} & P^{-1}(x) \frac{d}{dx} [(x+e)xP'_n(x)P(x)] - 2\delta f(e-f)(x+f)^{-1}P'_n(x) \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad + [n(x+e-1) + \sigma_n]P_n(x) \\ & = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \chi_k P_k(x) + q_n P_{n-1}(x), \end{aligned} \tag{35}$$

where σ_n is defined in (22),

$$\chi_k = -2\delta(e-f)f^{-1}P_k(0)P_n(0)P(0) \tag{36}$$

and

$$xP_n''(x) + [2\delta - f(x+f)^{-1}]P_n'(x) + \left[n + \frac{\sigma_n - n}{x+e}\right]P_n(x) = \frac{1}{x+e}R_n(x), \quad (37)$$

where $R_n(x) = \pi_{n-1}$.

Proof.

a) Let

$$B_n(x) = P^{-1}(x) \frac{d}{dx} [x(x+e)P_n'(x)P(x)], \quad (a)$$

i.e. according to (4)

$$B_n(x) = P^{-1}(x) \frac{d}{dx} \{x(x+e)P_n'(x)[(x+e)^{2\varepsilon}(x+f)^{2\delta}]e^{-x}\}.$$

Then from the previous relation we get

$$\begin{aligned} B_n(x) &= x(x+e)P_n''(x) + [-x(x+e) + (x+e) + x \\ &\quad + x(x+e)2\varepsilon(x+e)^{-1} + 2\delta x(x+e)(x+f)^{-1}]P_n'(x) \\ &= x(x+e)P_n''(x) \\ &\quad + [-x^2 + (2+2\varepsilon-e)x + 2\delta x(x+e)(x+f)^{-1} + e]P_n'(x). \end{aligned} \quad (b)$$

At first we take the expression $x(x+e)(x+f)^{-1}$ which can be written in the form

$$\begin{aligned} x(x+e)(x+f)^{-1} &= [(x+f)(x+e) - f(x+e)](x+f)^{-1} \\ &= x+e - f(x+e)(x+f)^{-1} \\ &= x+e - f[(x+f) + (e-f)](x+f)^{-1} \\ &= x+e - f - f(e-f)(x+f)^{-1}. \end{aligned} \quad (c)$$

Substituting (c) into (b) we get

$$\begin{aligned} B_n(x) &= x(x+e)P_n''(x) + \{-x^2 + (2+2\varepsilon-e)x \\ &\quad + 2\delta[x+e-f-f(e-f)(x+f)^{-1}] + e\}P_n'(x) \\ &= x(x+e)P_n''(x) + \{-x^2 + (2+2\varepsilon+2\delta-e)x \\ &\quad + e + 2\delta(e-f) + 2\delta f(e-f)(x+f)^{-1}\}P_n'(x). \end{aligned} \quad (d)$$

Because according to (30) and (31) there is

$$x(x+e)P_n''(x) = n(n-1)P_n(x) + \pi_{n-1}, \quad (e)$$

$$-x^2P_n'(x) = (-nx + r_1^{(n)})P_n(x) + \pi_{n-1}, \quad (f)$$

$$xP_n'(x) = nP_n(x) + \pi_{n-1}, \quad (g)$$

then from (d) under notation

$$C_n(x) = 2\delta f(e-f)(x+f)^{-1}P'_n(x) \quad (\text{h})$$

we have

$$B_n(x) - C_n(x) + [-n(n-1) + nx - r_1^{(n)} - (2 + 2\varepsilon + 2\delta - e)n]P_n(x) = \pi_{n-i}.$$

From there by using (21) (because $2\alpha + 2\beta = 2\varepsilon + 2\delta$)

$$B_n(x) - C_n(x) + [n(x+e) - n + \sigma_n]P_n(x) = \pi_{n-i} = A_n(x). \quad (\text{i})$$

According to (12) and (13)

$$A_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \chi_k P_k(x), \quad (\text{j})$$

where

$$\chi_k = \int_I A_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) \, dx, \quad (\text{k})$$

so by using (i)

$$\chi_k = \int_I [B_n(x) - C_n(x)] P_k(x) P(x) \, dx + \int_I [nx + en - n + \sigma_n] P_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) \, dx. \quad (\text{l})$$

Using (a) for every k

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_I B_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) \, dx \\ &= \int_I P_k(x) \, d[x(x+e)P'_n(x)P(x)] \\ &= [P_k(x)x(x+e)P'_n(x)P(x)]_0^\infty - \int_I P'_k(x)P'_n(x)x(x+e)P(x) \, dx \\ &= \int_I P_n(x) \frac{d}{dx} [x(x+e)P'_k(x)P(x)] \, dx \\ &= \int_I P_n(x) B_k(x) P(x) \, dx, \end{aligned}$$

so

$$\int_I B_n(x) P_k(x) P(x) \, dx = \int_I P_n(x) B_k(x) P(x) \, dx. \quad (\text{m})$$

Because according to (i)

$$A_k(x) = B_k(x) - C_k(x) + kxP_k(x) + \pi_k(x) = \pi_{k-1},$$

from there

$$B_k(x) = C_k(x) - kxP_k(x) + \pi_k(x). \quad (\text{n})$$

Then from (m) using (n)

$$\int_I B_n(x)P_k(x) dx = \int_I P_n(x)C_k(x)P(x) dx - \int_I P_n(x)[kxP_k(x) + \pi_k]P(x) dx. \quad (\text{o})$$

For $k < n - 1$ from (l) by using (o) and (5)

$$\chi_k = \int_I [P_n(x)C_k(x) - C_n(x)P_k(x)]P(x) dx. \quad (\text{p})$$

For $k = n - 1$ from (l) using (o), (5) and (28a)

$$\chi_{n-1} = \int_I P_n(x)C_{n-1}(x)P(x) dx - (n-1)q_n + q_n n - \int_I P_{n-1}(x)C_n(x)P(x) dx,$$

and thus

$$\chi_{n-1} = \int_I [P_n(x)C_{n-1}(x) - C_n(x)P_{n-1}(x)]P(x) dx + q_n. \quad (\text{r})$$

Let us denote in (h)

$$K = 2\delta(e - f)f. \quad (\text{s})$$

Then from (p) using (h) after integration by parts we have

$$\begin{aligned} \chi_k &= K \int_I (x+f)^{-1} [P'_k(x)P_n(x) - P'_n(x)P_k(x)]P(x) dx \\ &= K \int_I (x+f)^{-1} \frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{P_k(x)}{P_n(x)} \right] P_n^2(x)P(x) dx \\ &= -Kf^{-1}P_k(0)P_n(0)P(0) + K \int_I (x+f)^{-2} P_k(x)P_n(x)P(x) dx \\ &\quad + K \int_I (x+f)^{-1} P_k(x)P_n(x)P(x) dx \quad (\text{t}) \\ &\quad + K \int_I (x+f)^{-1} [2\varepsilon(x+a)^{-1} + 2\delta(x-b)^{-1}] P_k(x)P_n(x)P(x) dx \\ &\quad - 2K \int_I (x+f)^{-1} P_k(x)P'_n(x)P(x) dx. \end{aligned}$$

The integrals on the right-hand side of (t) equal to zero according to (5) besides the last one.

Substituting the last nonzero integral into (j) and using (10) we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} P_k(x) \int_I (t+f)^{-1} P_k(t) P'_n(t) P(t) dt = \int_I (t+f)^{-1} P'_n(t) P_{n-1}(x, t) P(t) dt = 0,$$

because $P_{n-1}(x, t) = \pi_{n-1}$ at t and $P_{n-1}(x, t)(t+f)^{-1} = \pi_{n-2}$.

Hence for $k < n-1$ there is

$$\chi_k = -K f^{-1} P_k(0) P_n(0) P(0), \quad f > 0.$$

Substituting (24) into (35) and dividing by positive expression $(x+e)$, we get (37). \square

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