



Symmetry Techniques and Generating Functions for Basic Analogue of Fox's H-Function

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ABSTRACT

The objective of this paper is to establish the q -recurrence relations, q -difference equations for basic analogue of Fox's H-function and then obtain the canonical equation associated with each family of multivariable q -analogue of Fox's H-function and generating functions of families of basic analogue of Fox's H-function. A significantly large number of works on the subject of H- function gives interesting account of the theory and its applications in many different areas of mathematical analysis. A lot of research work has been recently come up on the study and development of a function that is more general.

1.1 Present paper deals with symmetry techniques for derivation of generating functions of families of basic analogue of Fox's H-function. To each family of basic analogue of Fox's H-function, a canonical system of partial q -difference equations has been associated. Subsequently symmetries of these equations have been used to derive the generating functions.

First we derive the q -recurrence relations, q -difference equations for basic analogue of Fox's H-function and then obtain the canonical equation associated with each family of multivariable q -analogue of Fox's H-function. Also, we can derive the generating function for symmetry operators.

Saxena, et. al. [9] introduced the basic analogue of the H-function in terms of the Mellin Barnes type basic contour integral in the following form:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) \pi z^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s} \quad \dots(1.1.1)
 \end{aligned}$$

Where,

$$G(q\alpha) = \left\{ \prod_{n=0}^{\infty} (1 - q^{\alpha+n}) \right\}^{-1} = \frac{1}{(q^\alpha; q)_\infty} \quad \dots(1.1.2)$$

and $0 \leq m \leq B$; $0 \leq n \leq A$; α_j, β_j are all positive integers. The contour C is a line parallel to $\operatorname{Re}(ws) = 0$ with indentations, if necessary, in such a manner that all the poles of $G(q^{bj-\beta_js})$; $1 \leq j \leq n$ are to its left of C. The integral converges if $\operatorname{Re}[s \log(z) - \log \sin \pi s] < 0$ for large value of $|s|$ on the contour C, that is, if $|\{\arg(z) - w_2 w_1^{-1} \log |z|\}| < \pi$ where $|q| < 1$, $\log q = -w = w(w_1 + iw_2)$, w, w_1, w_2 are definite quantities, w_1 and w_2 being real. The Fox's H-function has been studied in detail by several mathematicians for its theoretical and applications points of view. This function has found wide-ranging applications in mathematical, physical, biological and statistical sciences. It would be interesting to observe that almost all the classical special functions expressible in terms of Fox's H-function along with their applications to the aforementioned fields can be found in the research monograph by Mathai, et. al. [3,4].

A new generalization was considered by Saxena, et. al. [9] in the form of the q-extensions of the Fox's H-function by mean of the Mellin – Barne's type of basic integral. The advantage of these new extensions of the Fox's H-functions lies in the fact that a number of q-special functions including the basic hyper geometric functions, happen to be the particular cases of the $H_q(\cdot)$ -functions, thus widening the scope for further applications. In a paper, Saxena, et. al. [8] besides proving some interesting relations, have established an important limit formula for the $H_q(\cdot)$ -function, when q tends to 1. Various basic functions expressible in terms of basic analogue of Fox's H-function with their applications can be found in the research papers due to Saxena, et. al. [10], Yadav, et. al. [11] and Purohit, et. al. [7].

1.2 Recurrence Relations

The following recurrence relations will be established in this section.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i)} \quad & \left(1 - q^{1-a_j} T_z^{a_j}\right) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \\
 &= H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_j-1, \alpha_j), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \\
 & \qquad \qquad \qquad 1 \leq j \leq n \dots (1.2.1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii)} \quad & \left(1 - q^{a_j-1} T_z^{-\alpha_j}\right) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \\
 &= H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), \dots, (a_j-1, \alpha_j), (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \\
 & \qquad \qquad \qquad n+1 \leq j \leq A \dots (1.2.2)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii)} \quad & \left(1 - q^{b_j} T_z^{-\beta_j}\right) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \\
 &= H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_l+1, \beta_j), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_1, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$1 \leq j \leq m \dots (1.2.3)$$

$$(iv) \left(1 - q^{-b_j} T_z^{\beta_j}\right) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \\ = H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_l + 1, \beta_j), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$1 \leq j \leq m \dots (1.2.4)$$

$$(v) z \left(1 - T_z^{-1}\right) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \\ = -H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1 + \alpha_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A + \alpha_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1 + \beta_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B + \beta_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \dots (1.2.5)$$

Proof of (i) To prove the results, we consider

$$\text{L.H.S.} = \left(1 - q^{1-a_j} T_z^{\alpha_j}\right) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right],$$

$$1 \leq j \leq n$$

On making use of definition (1.1.1) and q-dilation operator defined by Miller, et. al. [1]. The above expression becomes

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) (1 - q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) \pi z^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s}$$

by using (1.1.2), it becomes

$$H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_j - 1, \alpha_j), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$1 \leq j \leq n$$

$$= \text{R.H.S.}$$

This completes the proof.

Proof of (ii) To prove the result,

we consider

$$\text{L.H.S.} = \left(1 - q^{a_j-1} T_z^{-\alpha_j}\right) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right],$$

On making use of definition (1.1.1) and q-dilation operator, the above expression becomes

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j-\beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j+\alpha_j s}) (1-q^{1-a_j-\alpha_j s}) \pi z^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j+\beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j-\alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s}$$

by using (1.1.2), it becomes

$$H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), \dots, (a_j-1, \alpha_j), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$; n+1 \leq j \leq A$$

= R.H.S.

This completes the proof.

Proof of (iii) To prove the result,

We consider

$$\text{L.H.S.} = \left(1 - q^{b_j} T_z^{-\beta_j}\right) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right],$$

On making use of definition (1.1.1) and q-dilation operator, the above expression becomes

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j-\beta_j s}) (1-q^{b_j-\beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j+\alpha_j s}) \pi z^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j+\beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j-\alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s}$$

by using (1.1.2), it becomes

$$= H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_m, \alpha_m), (a_{m+1}, \alpha_{m+1}), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_l+1, \beta_l), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_1, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$; 1 \leq j \leq m$$

= R.H.S.

This completes the proof.

Proof of (iv) To prove the result, we consider

$$\text{L.H.S.} = \left(1 - q^{-b_j} T_z^{\beta_j}\right) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right],$$

$$m+1 \leq j \leq B$$

On making use of definition (1.1.1) and q-dilation operator, the above expression becomes

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) (1 - q^{b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) \pi z^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s}$$

by using (1.1.2), it becomes

$$= H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_l + 1, \beta_j), \dots, (b_1, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$; m+1 \leq j \leq B$$

= R.H.S.

This completes the proof.

Proof of (v) To prove the result, we consider

$$\text{L.H.S.} = z(1 - T_z^{-1}) H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right],$$

On making use of definition (1.1.1) and q-dilation operator, the above expression becomes

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) (1 - q^{-s}) \pi z^{s+1}}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s}$$

This integral takes the form

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) \pi z^{s+1}}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{-s}) \sin \pi s} ds; \text{ using (1.1.2)}$$

Replacing $s+1$ by t in this integral, it becomes

$$-\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{(b_j - \beta_j s) - \beta_j t}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-(a_j + \alpha_j) + \alpha_j t}) \pi \zeta^t}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{(1-b_j + \beta_j s) + \beta_j t}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{(a_j + \alpha_j) - \alpha_j t}) G(q^{1-y}) \sin \pi t} dt$$

which equals

$$-H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[z; q \begin{matrix} |(a_1 + \alpha_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A + \alpha_A, \alpha_A)| \\ |(b_1 + \beta_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B + \beta_B, \beta_B)| \end{matrix} \right]$$

= R.H.S.

This completes the proof.

Note that, relations (1.2.1) to (1.2.5) imply the fundamental q-difference equation satisfied by $H_{A,B}^{m,n}$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \{z(1-T_z^{-1})(1-q^{1-a_1}T_z^{\alpha_1})^{\alpha_1} \dots (1-q^{1-a_n}T_z^{\alpha_n})^{\alpha_n} (1-q^{a_{n+1}-1}T_z^{-\alpha_{n+1}})^{\alpha_{n+1}} \\ & \dots (1-q^{a_A-1}T_z^{-\alpha_A})^{\alpha_A} + (1-q^{b_1}T_z^{-\beta_1})^{\beta_1} \dots (1-q^{b_m}T_z^{-\beta_m})^{\beta_m} \\ & (1-q^{-b_{m+1}}T_z^{\beta_{m+1}})^{\beta_{m+1}} \dots (1-q^{-b_B}T_z^{\beta_B})^{\beta_B}\} H_{A,B}^{m,n} = 0 \end{aligned} \quad \dots\dots(1.2.6)$$

1.3 Canonical Equations

Now, we define the basis function $\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n}$ of A+B+1 variables by

$$\begin{aligned} & \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \begin{matrix} |(a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A)| \\ |(b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B)| \end{matrix} \right] \\ & = H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \begin{matrix} |(a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A)| \\ |(b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B)| \end{matrix} \right] \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B} \dots \dots(1.3.1) \end{aligned}$$

The q-difference operators Δ_j^\pm are defined by

$$\Delta_j^\pm f(u_j) = u_j^{-1} [f(u_j) - f(q^\pm u_j)] \quad \dots\dots(1.3.2)$$

In terms of operator (1.3.2) and with the help of the relations (1.2.1) to (1.2.5), we obtain the following recurrence relations.

$$(i) \Delta_j^- \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$-\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_j-1, \alpha_j), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$1 \leq j \leq n \dots \dots (1.3.3)$

$$(ii) \Delta_j^- \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$-\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), (a_j-1, \alpha_j), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$; n+1 \leq j \leq A \dots \dots (1.3.4)$

$$(iii) \Delta_j^- \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$-\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_l+1, \beta_j), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$; A+1 \leq j \leq A+m \dots \dots (1.3.5)$

$$(iv) \Delta_j^+ \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$-\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$q \left| \begin{array}{c} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_l + 1, \beta_j), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right.$$

$$A+m+1 \leq j \leq A+B \dots (1.3.6)$$

$$(v) \Delta_{A+B+1}^+ \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \left| \begin{array}{c} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right. \right]$$

$$= -\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; \right.$$

$$q \left| \begin{array}{c} (a_1 + \alpha_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A + \alpha_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1 + \beta_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B + \beta_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right. \dots (1.3.7)$$

Proof of (i) We consider, L.H.S

$$\Delta_{A+B+1}^- \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \left| \begin{array}{c} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right. \right], 1 \leq j \leq n$$

$$= \Delta_j^- H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \left| \begin{array}{c} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right. \right]$$

$$u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

In view of (1.1.1) and (1.3.2) R.H.S can be expressed as

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) (1 - q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) \pi \left(\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}} \right)^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s} ds$$

$$u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_j^{(a_j-1)-1} \dots u_n^{a_n-1} u_n^{a_{n+1}-1} u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

In view of (1.1.2), it takes the form

$$H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; \right.$$

$$q \left| \begin{array}{c} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_j - 1, \alpha_j), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right.$$

$$u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_j^{(a_j-1)-1} \dots u_n^{a_n-1} u_n^{a_{n+1}-1} u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

With the help of (1.3.1), it becomes

$$\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{array}{l} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_j - 1, \alpha_j), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right. \right. \\ 1 \leq j \leq n \\ = \text{R.H.S.}$$

This completes the proof.

Proof of (ii) We consider, L.H.S.

$$\Delta_j^+ \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{array}{l} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right. \right. \\ n + 1 \leq j \leq A \\ = \Delta_j^+ H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{array}{l} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right. \right. \\ u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

In view of (1.1.1) and (1.3.2) this can be expressed as

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) (1 - q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) \pi \left(\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}} \right)^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s} ds \\ u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_n^{a_n-1} u_{n+1}^{a_{n+1}-1} \dots u_j^{(a_j-1)-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

In view of (1.1.2), it takes the form

$$H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{array}{l} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), \dots, (a_j - 1, \alpha_j), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right. \right. \\$$

$$u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_n^{a_n-1} u_n^{a_{n+1}-1} \dots u_j^{(a_j-1)-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

With the help of (1.3.1), it becomes

$$\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{array}{l} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_n, \alpha_n), (a_{n+1}, \alpha_{n+1}), \dots, (a_j - 1, \alpha_j), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right]$$

$$; n+1 \leq j \leq A$$

= R.H.S.

This completes the proof.

Proof of (iii) We consider, L.H.S.

$$\Delta_j^- \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{array}{l} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right],$$

$$A + 1 \leq j \leq A+m$$

In view of (1.1.1) and (1.3.2) this can be expressed as

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \alpha_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \beta_j s}) (1 - q^{-b_j + \beta_j s}) \pi \left(\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}} \right)^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \alpha_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s} ds$$

$$u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_j^{-(b_j+1)} u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

In view of (1.1.2), it takes the form

$$H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \middle| \begin{array}{l} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_l + 1, \beta_j), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right]$$

$$u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+j}^{-(b_j+1)} u_{A+m}^{-b_m} u_{A+m+1}^{-b_{m+1}} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

With the help of (1.3.1), it becomes

$$\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; \right.$$

$$q \left[\begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), & \dots & (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_j + 1, \beta_j), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$; A+1 \leq j \leq A+m$$

= R.H.S.

This completes the proof.

Proof of (iv) We consider, L.H.S.

$$\Delta_j^+ \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \left[\begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \right],$$

$$A+m+1 \leq j \leq A+B$$

In view of (1.1.1) and (1.3.2) this can be expressed as

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) (1 - q^{-b_j + \beta_j s}) \pi \left(\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}} \right)^s ds}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s} u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+m}^{-b_m} u_{A+m+1}^{-b_{m+1}} u_j^{-(b_j+1)} u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

In view of (1.1.2), it takes the form

$$H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; \right.$$

$$q \left[\begin{matrix} (a_1, \alpha_1), & \dots & (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_l + 1, \beta_j), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} u_{A+m+1}^{-b_{m+1}} \dots u_{A+j}^{-(b_j+1)} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B}$$

With the help of (1.3.1), it becomes

$$\Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; \right.$$

$$q \left[\begin{array}{c} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_m, \beta_m), (b_{m+1}, \beta_{m+1}), \dots, (b_j + 1, \beta_j), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right]$$

$$; A+m+1 \leq j \leq A+B$$

= R.H.S.

This completes the proof.

Proof of (v)

We consider, L.H.S.

$$\Delta_{A+B+1}^+ \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}} ; q \left[\begin{array}{c} (a_1, \alpha_1), \dots, (a_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1, \beta_1), \dots, (b_B, \beta_B) \end{array} \right] \right],$$

In view of (1.1.1) and (1.3.2) this can be expressed as

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) (1-q^{-s}) \pi \left(\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}} \right)^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s} ds$$

$$u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B} u_{A+B+1}^{-1}$$

Employing (1.1.2), it takes the form

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{b_j - \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) \pi \left(\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}} \right)^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-b_j + \beta_j s}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{a_j - \alpha_j s}) G(q^{1-s}) \sin \pi s} ds$$

$$u_1^{a_1-1} \dots u_A^{a_A-1} u_{A+1}^{-b_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{-b_B} u_{A+B+1}^{-1}$$

Replacing $s+1$ by t , it becomes

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\prod_{j=1}^m G(q^{(b_j - \beta_j s) - \beta_j t}) \prod_{j=1}^n G(q^{1-a_j + \alpha_j s}) \pi \left(\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}} \right)^s}{\prod_{j=m+1}^B G(q^{1-(b_j + \beta_j) + \beta_j t}) \prod_{j=n+1}^A G(q^{(a_j - \alpha_j) - \alpha_j t}) G(q^{1-t}) \sin \pi t} ds$$

$$u_1^{(a_1 + \alpha_1) - 1} \dots u_A^{(a_A - \alpha_A) - 1} u_{A+1}^{-(b_1 + \beta_1)} \dots u_{A+B}^{-(b_B + \beta_B)}$$

It can be further put as

$$- H_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \begin{matrix} (a_1 + \alpha_1, \alpha_1), & \dots & (a_A + \alpha_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1 + \beta_1, \beta_1), & \dots & (b_B + \beta_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right] \\ u_1^{(a_1 + \alpha_1) - 1} \dots u_A^{(a_A - \alpha_A) - 1} u_{A+1}^{-(b_1 + \beta_1)} \dots u_{A+B}^{-(b_B + \beta_B)}$$

$; A+m+1 \leq j \leq A+B$

With help of (1.3.1), it becomes

$$- \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} \left[\frac{u_{A+1}^{\beta_1} \dots u_{A+B}^{\beta_B}}{u_1^{\alpha_1} \dots u_A^{\alpha_A}} \cdot \frac{1}{u_{A+B+1}}; q \begin{matrix} (a_1 + \alpha_1, \alpha_1), & \dots & (a_A + \alpha_A, \alpha_A) \\ (b_1 + \beta_1, \beta_1), & \dots & (b_B + \beta_B, \beta_B) \end{matrix} \right]$$

= R.H.S.

This completes the proof.

On making use of (1.3.3) of (1.3.7), equation (1.2.6) becomes the canonical q-difference equation

$$\left(\Delta_1^{-\alpha_1} \dots \Delta_n^{-\alpha_n} \Delta_{n+1}^{+\alpha_{n+1}} \dots \Delta_A^{+\alpha_A} \Delta_{A+B+1}^+ + \Delta_{A+1}^{-\beta_1} \dots \Delta_{A+m}^{-\beta_m} \Delta_{A+m+1}^{+\beta_{m+1}} \dots \Delta_{A+m}^{-\beta_B} \right) \Psi_{A,B}^{m,n} = 0$$

... (1.3.8)

The q-difference operators $\Delta_j^- (1 \leq j \leq n)$, $\Delta_j^+ (n+1 \leq j \leq A)$, $\Delta_j^- (A+1 \leq j \leq A+m)$, $\Delta_j^+ (A+m+1 \leq j \leq A+B)$ and Δ_{A+B+1}^+ are symmetry operators for the canonical equation (1.3.8).

The detailed account of the q-difference equations, canonical equations and symmetry operators are available in the monograph due to Agrawal, Kalnins and Miller [1], Kalnins and Miller [2] and Miller [5,6].

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