



On certain new formulas for the Horn's hypergeometric functions \mathcal{G}_1 , \mathcal{G}_2 and \mathcal{G}_3

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Abstract

Inspired by the recent work Sahin and Agha gave recursion formulas for \mathcal{G}_1 and \mathcal{G}_2 Horn hypergeometric functions (Sahin and Agha in *Miskolc Math Notes* 16(2):1153–1162, 2015). The object of work is to establish several new recursion relations, relevant differential recursion formulas, new integral operators, infinite summations and interesting results for Horn's hypergeometric functions \mathcal{G}_1 , \mathcal{G}_2 and \mathcal{G}_3 .

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1 Introduction and notations

The problem of recursion formulas is famous in the field of hypergeometric functions with respect to their parameters, see example [2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 15, 18]. In this direction, Sahin [12], Sahin and Agha [13] studied the recursion formulas of \mathcal{G}_1 and \mathcal{G}_2 Horn hypergeometric functions. Pathan et al. [9], Shehata and Moustafa [14] have investigated the properties and numerous extensions of various recursion formulas of Horn hypergeometric functions in depth.

In [10, 16, 17], the $\Gamma(\rho)$ Gamma function is defined as

$$\Gamma(\rho) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-t} t^{\rho-1} dt, \quad \Re(\rho) > 0. \quad (1.1)$$

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The Pochhammer symbol $(\rho)_m$ is given by

$$(\rho)_m = \frac{\Gamma(\rho + m)}{\Gamma(\rho)} = \begin{cases} 1, & (\rho \in \mathbb{C}, m = 0); \\ \rho(\rho + 1)(\rho + 2) \dots (\rho + m - 1), & (\rho \in \mathbb{C}, m \in \mathbb{N}), \end{cases} \tag{1.2}$$

$$(\rho)_{-\ell} = \frac{(-1)^\ell}{(1 - \rho)_\ell}, \quad (\rho \neq 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots, \ell \in \mathbb{N}), \tag{1.3}$$

$$(\rho)_{m-\ell} = \begin{cases} 0, & \ell > m; \\ \frac{(-1)^\ell (\rho)_m}{(1 - m - \rho)_\ell}, & 0 \leq \ell \leq m, m, \ell \in \mathbb{N} \end{cases} \tag{1.4}$$

and

$$(\rho)_{2m-\ell} = \begin{cases} 0, & \ell > 2m; \\ \frac{(-1)^\ell (\rho)_{2m}}{(1 - 2m - \rho)_\ell}, & 0 \leq \ell \leq 2m, m, \ell \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases} \tag{1.5}$$

where \mathbb{N} and \mathbb{C} represent the set of complex and natural numbers.

Following abbreviated notations to keep the paper are used (see [10, 16, 17]). We write

$$\begin{aligned} (\rho)_{m+1} &= \rho(\rho + 1)_m = (\rho + m)(\rho)_m, \\ (\rho)_{m-1} &= \frac{1}{\rho - 1}(\rho - 1)_m; \quad \rho \neq 1, \\ (\rho + 1)_m &= \left(1 + \frac{m}{\rho}\right)(\rho)_m; \quad \rho \neq 0, \\ (\rho - 1)_m &= (\rho - 1)(\rho)_{m-1} = \frac{\rho - 1}{\rho + m - 1}(\rho)_m; \quad \rho \neq 1 - m. \end{aligned} \tag{1.6}$$

The Horn’s functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 are defined by (see [6, 16, 17])

$$\mathcal{G}_1 = \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha, \beta, \gamma; x, y) = \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_{m+n}(\beta)_{n-m}(\gamma)_{m-n}}{m!n!} x^m y^n, \tag{1.7}$$

(β, γ satisfy conditions (1.3) and (1.4), $|x| < r, |y| < s, r + s < 1$),

$$\mathcal{G}_2 = \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x, y) = \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_m(\beta)_n(\gamma)_{n-m}(\delta)_{m-n}}{m!n!} x^m y^n, \tag{1.8}$$

(γ, δ satisfy conditions (1.3) and (1.4), $|x| < 1, |y| < 1$)

and

$$\mathcal{G}_3 = \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y) = \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_{2n-m}(\beta)_{2m-n}}{m!n!} x^m y^n, \tag{1.9}$$

(α, β satisfy conditions (1.3) and (1.5), $|x| < r, |y| < s, 27r^2s^2 + 18rs \pm 4(r - s) = 1$),

In order to keep the paper completed, the investigation of recursion formulas of Horn functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 are important, the most famous interesting and neglect any further discussions [3, 9, 14].

Motivated actually by the verified workable for applications of Horn functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 in many numerous areas of mathematics, physical, engineering and statistical sciences. This paper is complementary to publish paper [13], is prepared as follows. We establish new recursion formulas for the $\mathcal{G}_3(\alpha \pm \ell, \beta; x, y)$ to $\ell \in \mathbb{N}$ in Sect. 2. We present new

differential recursion formulas for the \mathcal{G}_1 , \mathcal{G}_2 and \mathcal{G}_3 in Sect. 3. In Sect. 4, we discuss the various new integral operators of the \mathcal{G}_1 , \mathcal{G}_2 and \mathcal{G}_3 . In Sect. 5, we derive the various infinite summation formulas of the \mathcal{G}_1 , \mathcal{G}_2 and \mathcal{G}_3 . Section 6, several concluding remarks of outcomes are described.

2 Recursion formulas of Horn function \mathcal{G}_3

Some recursion formulas of Horn function \mathcal{G}_3 are given here.

Theorem 2.1 For $\ell \in \mathbb{N}$. Recursion formulas for Horn function \mathcal{G}_3 are as follows

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + \ell, \beta; x, y) &= \mathcal{G}_3 + \frac{2y}{\beta - 1} \sum_{s=1}^{\ell} (\alpha + s) \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + s + 1, \beta - 1; x, y) \\ &\quad - \beta(\beta + 1)x \sum_{s=1}^{\ell} \frac{1}{(\alpha + s - 1)(\alpha + s - 2)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + s - 2, \beta + 2; x, y), \\ &\quad \beta \neq 1, \alpha \neq 1 - s, \alpha \neq 2 - s, s \in \mathbb{N} \end{aligned} \tag{2.1}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta + \ell; x, y) &= \mathcal{G}_3 + \frac{2x}{\alpha - 1} \sum_{s=1}^{\ell} (\beta + s) \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - 1, \beta + s + 1; x, y) \\ &\quad - \alpha(\alpha + 1)y \sum_{s=1}^{\ell} \frac{1}{(\beta + s - 1)(\beta + s - 2)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + 2, \beta + s - 2; x, y), \\ &\quad \alpha \neq 1, \beta \neq 1 - s, \beta \neq 2 - s, s \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

Proof From (1.9) and transformation

$$(\alpha + 1)_{2n-m} = (\alpha)_{2n-m} \left(1 + \frac{2n - m}{\alpha} \right), \quad \alpha \neq 0, \tag{2.3}$$

we get the relation:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + 1, \beta; x, y) &= \mathcal{G}_3 + \frac{2(\alpha + 1)y}{\beta - 1} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + 2, \beta - 1; x, y) \\ &\quad - \frac{\beta(\beta + 1)x}{\alpha(\alpha - 1)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - 1, \beta + 2; x, y), \quad \beta \neq 1, \alpha \neq 0, \alpha \neq 1. \end{aligned} \tag{2.4}$$

By applying this contiguous relation to Horn function \mathcal{G}_3 with the parameter $\alpha = \alpha + \ell$ through relation (2.4) for ℓ times, we get (2.1).

Using (1.9) and the relation

$$(\beta + 1)_{2m-n} = (\beta)_{2m-n} \left(1 + \frac{2m - n}{\beta} \right), \quad \beta \neq 0, \tag{2.5}$$

we obtain the contiguous function

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta + 1; x, y) &= \mathcal{G}_3 + \frac{2(\beta + 1)x}{\alpha - 1} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - 1, \beta + 2; x, y) \\ &\quad - \frac{\alpha(\alpha + 1)y}{\beta(\beta - 1)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + 2, \beta - 1; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, \beta \neq 0, 1. \end{aligned} \tag{2.6}$$

By iterating this method on \mathcal{G}_3 with the parameter $\beta + \ell$ for ℓ times in (2.6), we obtain the relation (2.2). □

3 Differential recursion formulas of $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3

Here, we obtain several differential recursion formulas of Horn’s functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 through using differential operators $\Theta_x = x \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ and $\Theta_y = y \frac{\partial}{\partial y}$.

Theorem 3.1 *Differential recursion formulas of function \mathcal{G}_3 are as follows*

$$\mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + \ell, \beta; x, y) = \prod_{i=0}^{\ell-1} \left(1 + \frac{2\Theta_y - \Theta_x}{\alpha + i} \right) \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 0 \tag{3.1}$$

and

$$\mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta + \ell, \gamma; x, y) = \prod_{i=0}^{\ell-1} \left(1 + \frac{2\Theta_x - \Theta_y}{\beta + i} \right) \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y), \quad \beta \neq 0. \tag{3.2}$$

Proof Defining the differential operators

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta_x x^m &= x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} x^m = m x^m, \\ \Theta_y y^n &= y \frac{\partial}{\partial y} y^n = n y^n. \end{aligned} \tag{3.3}$$

By using the above differential operators and (2.3), we get the differential recursion formula for \mathcal{G}_3

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + 1, \beta; x, y) &= \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(1 + \frac{2n-m}{\alpha} \right) (\alpha)_{2n-m} (\beta)_{2m-n}}{m!n!} x^m y^n \\ &= \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y) + 2 \frac{\Theta_y}{\alpha} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y) - \frac{\Theta_x}{\alpha} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y). \end{aligned} \tag{3.4}$$

By iterating this method on \mathcal{G}_3 for ℓ times in (3.4), we obtain (3.1). Similarly, using the above differential operators (3.3) and iterating this technique on \mathcal{G}_3 for ℓ times, we obtain (3.2). □

Theorem 3.2 *Differential recursion formulas for the functions \mathcal{G}_1 and \mathcal{G}_2*

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha + \ell, \beta, \gamma; x, y) &= \prod_{i=0}^{\ell-1} \left(1 + \frac{\Theta_x + \Theta_y}{\alpha + i} \right) \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha, \beta, \gamma; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 0, \\ \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha + \ell, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x, y) &= \prod_{i=0}^{\ell-1} \left(1 + \frac{\Theta_x}{\alpha + i} \right) \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 0, \end{aligned} \tag{3.5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha, \beta + \ell, \gamma; x, y) &= \prod_{i=0}^{\ell-1} \left(1 + \frac{\Theta_y - \Theta_x}{\beta + i} \right) \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha, \beta, \gamma; x, y), \quad \beta \neq -i, \\ \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta + \ell, \gamma, \delta; x, y) &= \prod_{i=0}^{\ell-1} \left(1 + \frac{\Theta_y}{\beta + i} \right) \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x, y), \quad \beta \neq -i, \end{aligned} \tag{3.6}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha, \beta, \gamma + \ell; x, y) &= \prod_{i=0}^{\ell-1} \left(1 + \frac{\Theta_x - \Theta_y}{\gamma + i} \right) \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha, \beta, \gamma; x, y), \quad \gamma \neq -i, \\ \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma + \ell, \delta; x, y) &= \prod_{i=0}^{\ell-1} \left(1 + \frac{\Theta_y - \Theta_x}{\gamma + i} \right) \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x, y), \quad \gamma \neq i \end{aligned} \tag{3.7}$$

and

$$\mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta + \ell; x, y) = \prod_{i=0}^{\ell-1} \left(1 + \frac{\Theta_x - \Theta_y}{\delta + i} \right) \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x, y), \quad \delta \neq -i \tag{3.8}$$

are established.

Theorem 3.3 *The derivative formulas for the functions $\mathcal{G}_3, \mathcal{G}_1$ and \mathcal{G}_2*

$$\frac{\partial^\ell}{\partial x^\ell} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y) = \frac{(-1)^\ell (\beta)_{2\ell}}{(1 - \alpha)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - \ell, \beta + 2\ell; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots \tag{3.9}$$

$$\frac{\partial^\ell}{\partial y^\ell} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y) = \frac{(-1)^\ell (\alpha)_{2\ell}}{(1 - \beta)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + 2\ell, \beta - \ell; x, y), \quad \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots \tag{3.10}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^\ell}{\partial x^\ell} \mathcal{G}_1 &= \frac{(-1)^\ell (\alpha)_\ell}{(1 - \beta)_\ell (\gamma)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha + \ell, \beta - \ell, \gamma + \ell; x, y), \quad \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, \\ \frac{\partial^\ell}{\partial x^\ell} \mathcal{G}_2 &= \frac{(-1)^\ell (\alpha)_\ell}{(1 - \gamma)_\ell (\delta)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha + \ell, \beta, \gamma - \ell, \delta + \ell; x, y), \quad \gamma \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots \end{aligned} \tag{3.11}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^\ell}{\partial y^\ell} \mathcal{G}_1 &= \frac{(-1)^\ell (\alpha)_\ell (\beta)_\ell}{(1 - \gamma)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha + \ell, \beta + \ell, \gamma - \ell; x, y), \quad \gamma \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, \\ \frac{\partial^\ell}{\partial y^\ell} \mathcal{G}_2 &= \frac{(-1)^\ell (\beta)_\ell (\gamma)_\ell}{(1 - \delta)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta + \ell, \gamma + \ell, \delta - \ell; x, y), \quad \delta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots \end{aligned} \tag{3.12}$$

are derived.

Proof Differentiating (1.9) with respect to x , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y) &= \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{m(\alpha)_{2n-m} (\beta)_{2m-n}}{m!n!} x^{m-1} y^n = \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_{2n-m-1} (\beta)_{2m-n+2}}{m!n!} x^m y^n \\ &= \frac{\beta(\beta + 1)}{\alpha - 1} \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha - 1)_{2n-m} (\beta + 2)_{2m-n}}{m!n!} x^m y^n = \frac{\beta(\beta + 1)}{\alpha - 1} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - 1, \beta + 2; x, y). \end{aligned}$$

Repeating the above relation, we arrive at

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^\ell}{\partial x^\ell} \mathcal{G}_3 &= \frac{\beta(\beta + 1) \dots (\beta + 2\ell - 1)}{(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2) \dots (\alpha - \ell)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - \ell, \beta + 2\ell; x, y) \\ &= \frac{(-1)^\ell \beta(\beta + 1) \dots (\beta + 2\ell - 1)}{(1 - \alpha)(2 - \alpha) \dots (\ell - \alpha)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - \ell, \beta + 2\ell; x, y) \\ &= \frac{(-1)^\ell (\beta)_{2\ell}}{(1 - \beta)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - \ell, \beta + 2\ell; x, y). \end{aligned}$$

The derivative (1.9) with respect to y , we proceed

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta; x, y) = \frac{\alpha(\alpha + 1)}{\beta - 1} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + 2, \beta - 1; x, y).$$

By iterating this approach on the r th derivatives, we get (3.10). Similar way, we prove the Eqs. (3.11) and (3.12). □

4 Integral operators of $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3

Now, we define an integral operator $\check{\mathbb{I}}$ acting on the Horn functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 such that [1]

$$\check{\mathbb{I}} = \frac{1}{x} \int_0^x dx + \frac{1}{y} \int_0^y dy, \tag{4.1}$$

where the integration is carried out with respect to each variable individually on the assumption that the other is constant.

Theorem 4.1 *The following integration formulas of the Horn functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 hold true:*

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbb{I}}^2 \mathcal{G}_1 &= \frac{\beta(\beta + 1)}{x^2(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)(\gamma - 1)(\gamma - 2)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 2, \beta + 2, \gamma - 2; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{2}{xy(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 2, \beta, \gamma; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\gamma(\gamma + 1)}{y^2(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)(\beta - 1)(\beta - 2)} \mathcal{G}_1 \\ &(\alpha - 2, \beta - 2, \beta + 2; x, y), \alpha, \beta, \gamma \neq 1, 2, x, y \neq 0, \end{aligned} \tag{4.2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbb{I}}^2 \mathcal{G}_2 &= \frac{\gamma(\gamma + 1)}{x^2(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)(\delta - 1)(\delta - 2)} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha - 2, \beta, \gamma + 2, \delta - 2; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{2}{xy(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)(\beta - 1)(\beta - 2)} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha - 2, \beta - 2, \gamma, \delta; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\delta(\delta + 1)}{y^2(\beta - 1)(\beta - 2)(\gamma - 1)(\gamma - 2)} \mathcal{G}_2 \\ &(\alpha, \beta - 2, \gamma - 2, \delta + 2; x, y), \alpha, \beta, \gamma \neq 1, 2, x, y \neq 0 \end{aligned} \tag{4.3}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbb{I}}^2 \mathcal{G}_3 &= \frac{a(\alpha + 1)}{x^2(\beta - 1)(\beta - 2)(\beta - 3)(\beta - 4)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + 2, \beta - 4; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{2}{xy(\alpha - 1)(\beta - 1)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - 1, \beta - 1; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\beta(\beta + 1)}{y^2(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)(\alpha - 3)(\alpha - 4)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - 4, \beta + 2; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, 4, x, y \neq 0. \end{aligned} \tag{4.4}$$

Proof Acting the definition $\check{\mathbb{I}}$ on the function \mathcal{G}_1 , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbb{I}} \mathcal{G}_1 &= \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{m+1} + \frac{1}{n+1} \right) \frac{(\alpha)_{m+n}(\beta)_{n-m}(\gamma)_{m-n}}{m!n!} x^m y^n \\ &= \frac{\beta}{x(\alpha - 1)(\gamma - 1)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 1, \beta + 1; \gamma - 1; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\gamma}{y(\alpha - 1)(\beta - 1)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 1, \beta - 1, \gamma + 1; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta, \gamma \neq 1, x, y \neq 0. \end{aligned}$$

We can be written $\check{\mathbb{I}} = \check{\mathbb{I}}_x + \check{\mathbb{I}}_y$ where $\check{\mathbb{I}}_x = \frac{1}{x} \int_0^x dx$ and $\check{\mathbb{I}}_y = \frac{1}{y} \int_0^y dy$, then the operator $\check{\mathbb{I}}^2$ is such that

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbb{I}}^2 &= \check{\mathbb{I}}\check{\mathbb{I}} = (\check{\mathbb{I}}_x)^2 + 2\check{\mathbb{I}}_x\check{\mathbb{I}}_y + (\check{\mathbb{I}}_y)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{x^2} \int_0^x \int_0^x dx dx + \frac{2}{xy} \int_0^x \int_0^y dx dy + \frac{1}{y^2} \int_0^y \int_0^y dy dy. \end{aligned}$$

Using the integral operator $\check{\mathbb{I}}^2$, we get (4.2). Similarly, we obtain the relations (4.3) and (4.4).

Theorem 4.2 *The new integration formulas of the Horn functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 hold true:*

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbb{I}}^\ell \mathcal{G}_1 &= \frac{1}{x^\ell y^\ell (1 - \alpha)_{2\ell}} \prod_{k=1}^{\ell} (\Theta_x + \Theta_y - k + 1) \mathcal{G}_1 \\ &(\alpha - 2\ell, \beta, \gamma; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, x, y \neq 0, \end{aligned} \tag{4.5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbb{I}}^\ell \mathcal{G}_2 &= \frac{1}{x^\ell y^\ell (1 - \alpha)_{2\ell} (1 - \beta)_\ell} \\ &\times \prod_{k=1}^{\ell} (\Theta_x + \Theta_y - k + 1) \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha - \ell, \beta - \ell, \gamma, \delta; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, x, y \neq 0 \end{aligned} \tag{4.6}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbb{I}}^\ell \mathcal{G}_3 &= \frac{1}{x^\ell y^\ell (1 - \alpha)_\ell (1 - \beta)_\ell} \prod_{k=1}^{\ell} (\Theta_x + \Theta_y - k + 1) \mathcal{G}_3 \\ &(\alpha - \ell, \beta - \ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, x, y \neq 0. \end{aligned} \tag{4.7}$$

Proof Using the operators $\check{\mathbb{I}}, \Theta_x$ and Θ_y , we get

$$\check{\mathbb{I}} \mathcal{G}_1 = \sum_{m,n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(m+n+2)(\alpha)_{m+n}(\beta)_{n-m}(\gamma)_{m-n}}{(m+1)!(n+1)!} x^m y^n$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(m+n)(\alpha)_{m+n-2}(\beta)_{n-m}(\gamma)_{m-n}}{m!n!} x^{m-1} y^{n-1} \\
 &= \frac{\Theta_x + \Theta_y}{xy(\alpha-1)(\alpha-2)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha-2, \beta, \gamma; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, 2, x, y \neq 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

Iterating, for ℓ times, this integral $\check{\mathbb{I}}$ and differential operators on \mathcal{G}_1 , we get the formula (4.5). Similar, we obtain the formulas (4.6) and (4.7). □

Theorem 4.3 For Horn functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 , we have the integral operators $\check{\mathbb{I}}_x^\ell$ and $\check{\mathbb{I}}_y^\ell$:

$$\check{\mathbb{I}}_x^\ell \mathcal{G}_1 = \frac{(\beta)_\ell}{x^\ell(1-\alpha)_\ell(1-\gamma)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha-\ell, \beta+\ell, \gamma-\ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \gamma \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, x \neq 0, \tag{4.8}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \check{\mathbb{I}}_y^\ell \mathcal{G}_1 &= \frac{(-1)^\ell(\gamma)_\ell}{y^\ell(1-\alpha)_\ell(1-\beta)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha-\ell, \beta-\ell, \gamma+\ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, y \neq 0, \\
 \left(\check{\mathbb{I}}_x \check{\mathbb{I}}_y\right)^\ell \mathcal{G}_1 &= \frac{(-1)^\ell}{x^\ell y^\ell (1-\alpha)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha-\ell, \beta, \gamma; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, x, y \neq 0,
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.9}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \check{\mathbb{I}}_x^\ell \mathcal{G}_2 &= \frac{(\gamma)_\ell}{x^\ell(1-\alpha)_\ell(1-\delta)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha-\ell, \beta, \gamma+\ell, \delta-\ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \delta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, x \neq 0, \\
 \check{\mathbb{I}}_y^\ell \mathcal{G}_2 &= \frac{(-1)^\ell(\delta)_\ell}{y^\ell(1-\beta)_\ell(1-\gamma)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta-\ell, \gamma-\ell, \delta+\ell; x, y), \quad \beta, \gamma \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, y \neq 0, \\
 \left(\check{\mathbb{I}}_x \check{\mathbb{I}}_y\right)^\ell \mathcal{G}_2 &= \frac{1}{x^\ell y^\ell (1-\alpha)_\ell (1-\beta)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha-\ell, \beta-\ell, c, \delta; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, x, y \neq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.10}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 \check{\mathbb{I}}_x^\ell \mathcal{G}_3 &= \frac{(-1)^\ell(\alpha)_\ell}{x^\ell(1-\beta)_{2\ell}} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha+\ell, \beta-2\ell; x, y), \quad \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, x \neq 0, \\
 \check{\mathbb{I}}_y^\ell \mathcal{G}_3 &= \frac{(-1)^\ell(\beta)_\ell}{y^\ell(1-\alpha)_{2\ell}} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha-2\ell, \beta+\ell; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, y \neq 0, \\
 \left(\check{\mathbb{I}}_x \check{\mathbb{I}}_y\right)^\ell \mathcal{G}_3 &= \frac{1}{x^\ell y^\ell (1-\alpha)^\ell (1-\beta)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha-\ell, \beta-\ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, x, y \neq 0.
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.11}$$

Proof Using the operator related to $\check{\mathbb{I}}_x$, we get

$$\check{\mathbb{I}}_x \mathcal{G}_1 = \frac{\beta}{x(\alpha-1)(\gamma-1)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha-1, \beta+1, \gamma-1; x, y), \quad \alpha, \gamma \neq 1, x \neq 0.$$

By making use of the operation for ℓ times, we get the desired (4.8).

Similarly, for \mathcal{J}_y and $\mathcal{J}_x \mathcal{J}_y$, by applying use of the above operations, we obtain (4.9)–(4.11).

Now, the operator $\check{\mathbb{I}}$ [1] is considered in the form

$$\check{\mathbb{I}} = \int_0^x dx + \int_0^y dy. \tag{4.12}$$

Theorem 4.4 *The integral operators for $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 are*

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbf{I}}^2 \mathcal{G}_1 &= \frac{\beta(\beta + 1)}{(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)(\gamma - 1)(\gamma - 2)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 2, \beta + 2, \gamma - 2; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{2}{(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 2, \beta, \gamma; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\gamma(\gamma + 1)}{(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)(\beta - 1)(\beta - 2)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 2, \beta - 2, \gamma + 2; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta, \gamma \neq 1, 2, \end{aligned} \tag{4.13}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbf{I}}^2 \mathcal{G}_2 &= \frac{c(\gamma + 1)}{(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)(\delta - 1)(\delta - 2)} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha - 2, \beta, \gamma + 2, \delta - 2; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{2}{(\alpha - 1)(\beta - 1)} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha - 1, \beta - 1, \gamma, \delta; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\delta(\delta + 1)}{(\beta - 1)(\beta - 2)(\gamma - 1)(\gamma - 2)} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta - 2, \gamma - 2, \delta + 2; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \neq 1, 2 \end{aligned} \tag{4.14}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbf{I}}^2 \mathcal{G}_3 &= \frac{a(\alpha + 1)}{(\beta - 1)(\beta - 2)(\beta - 3)(\beta - 4)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + 2, \beta - 4; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{2}{(\alpha - 1)(\beta - 1)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - 1, \beta - 1; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\beta(\beta + 1)}{(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 2)(\alpha - 3)(\alpha - 4)} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - 4, \beta + 2; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, 4. \end{aligned} \tag{4.15}$$

Proof Acting by this integral operator $\check{\mathbf{I}}$ on the Horn’s function \mathcal{G}_1 , it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \check{\mathbf{I}} \mathcal{G}_1 &= \sum_{m=1, n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_{m+n}(\beta)_{n-m}(\gamma)_{m-n}}{(m + 1)!n!} x^{m+1} y^n \\ &+ \sum_{m=0, n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_{m+n}(\beta)_{n-m}(\gamma)_{m-n}}{m!(n + 1)!} x^m y^{n+1} \\ &= \frac{\beta}{(\alpha - 1)(\gamma - 1)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 1, \beta, \gamma - 1; x, y) \\ &+ \frac{\gamma}{(\alpha - 1)(\beta - 1)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 1, \beta - 1, \gamma + 1; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta, \gamma \neq 1. \end{aligned}$$

By repeating the integral operator again for Horn function \mathcal{G}_1 , we get (4.13). In similar way, we obtain the Eqs. (4.14) and (4.15)

Theorem 4.5 *The connections between integral and differential operators of $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 are*

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}^\ell \mathcal{G}_1 = \frac{1}{(1 - \alpha)_{2\ell}} \prod_{k=1}^{\ell} (\Theta_x + \Theta_y - k + 1) \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 2\ell, \beta, \gamma; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, \tag{4.16}$$

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}^\ell \mathcal{G}_2 = \frac{1}{(1-\alpha)_{2\ell}} \prod_{k=1}^\ell (\Theta_x + \Theta_y - k + 1) \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha - 2\ell, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots \tag{4.17}$$

and

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}^\ell \mathcal{G}_3 = \frac{1}{(1-\alpha)_\ell(1-\beta)_\ell} \prod_{k=1}^\ell (\Theta_x + \Theta_y - k + 1) \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - \ell, \beta - \ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots \tag{4.18}$$

Proof By using the integral operator and differential operators for \mathcal{G}_1 , we get

$$\check{\mathbf{I}} \mathcal{G}_1 = \frac{1}{(\alpha-1)(\alpha-2)} (\Theta_x + \Theta_y) \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 2, \beta, \gamma; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, 2.$$

Iteration the above relation for ℓ times, implies (4.16). In similar way, we obtain the Eqs. (4.17) and (4.18)

Theorem 4.6 We have the integral operators $\check{\mathbf{I}}_x^\ell$ and $\check{\mathbf{I}}_y^\ell$ for Horn functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 :

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}_x^\ell \mathcal{G}_1 = \frac{(\beta)_\ell}{(1-\alpha)_\ell(1-\gamma)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - \ell, \beta + \ell, \gamma - \ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \gamma \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, \tag{4.19}$$

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}_y^\ell \mathcal{G}_1 = \frac{(\gamma)_\ell}{(1-\alpha)_\ell(1-\alpha)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - \ell, \beta - \ell, \gamma + \ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots, \tag{4.20}$$

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}_x^\ell \mathcal{G}_2 = \frac{(\gamma)_\ell}{(1-\alpha)_\ell(1-\delta)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha - \ell, \beta, \gamma + \ell, \delta - \ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \delta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots,$$

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}_y^\ell \mathcal{G}_2 = \frac{(\delta)_\ell}{(1-\beta)_\ell(1-\gamma)_\ell} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta - \ell, \gamma - \ell, \delta + \ell; x, y), \quad \alpha, \beta, \gamma \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots \tag{4.21}$$

and

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}^\ell \mathcal{G}_3 = \frac{(-1)^\ell (\alpha)_\ell}{(1-\beta)_{2\ell}} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + \ell, \beta - 2\ell; x, y), \quad \beta \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots,$$

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}^\ell \mathcal{G}_3 = \frac{(-1)^\ell (\beta)_\ell}{(1-\alpha)_{2\ell}} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha - 2\ell, \beta + \ell; x, y), \quad \alpha \neq 1, 2, 3, \dots \tag{4.22}$$

Proof Now, we consider the integral operator $\check{\mathbf{I}}_x^\ell$, where $\check{\mathbf{I}}_x = \int_0^x dx$ such that $\check{\mathbf{I}}_x^\ell = \check{\mathbf{I}}_x I_x^{\ell-1}$, we get

$$\check{\mathbf{I}}_x \mathcal{G}_1 = \frac{\beta}{(\alpha-1)(\gamma-1)} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha - 1, \beta + 1, \gamma - 1; x, y), \quad \alpha, \gamma \neq 1.$$

Iteration the above formula for ℓ times, implies (4.19). Similarly the integral operator $\check{\mathbf{I}}_y^\ell$, the relations (4.20)–(4.22) can be proved. \square

Theorem 4.7 The following integral for Horn’s hypergeometric functions \mathcal{G}_2 holds true:

$$\mathcal{G}_2 = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-t-u} t^{\alpha-1} u^{\beta-1} e^{\frac{u^2x}{t}} e^{\frac{t^2y}{u}} dt du. \tag{4.23}$$

Proof Starting from (1.9) and using the gamma function, we obtain the integral for \mathcal{G}_2 (4.23). \square

5 Infinite summation for $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3

Here, we derive some infinite summation for $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 .

Theorem 5.1 For $|t| < 1$, the infinite summation for Horn’s functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3

$$\sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_{\ell}}{\ell!} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha + \ell, \beta, \gamma; x, y) t^{\ell} = (1 - t)^{-\alpha} \mathcal{G}_1\left(\alpha, \beta, \gamma; \frac{x}{1 - t}, \frac{y}{1 - t}\right), \tag{5.1}$$

$$\sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\beta)_{\ell}}{\ell!} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha, \beta + \ell, \gamma; x, y) t^{\ell} = (1 - t)^{-\beta} \mathcal{G}_1\left(\alpha, \beta, \gamma; x(1 - t), \frac{y}{1 - t}\right),$$

$$\sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\gamma)_{\ell}}{\ell!} \mathcal{G}_1(\alpha, \beta, \gamma + \ell; x, y) t^{\ell} = (1 - t)^{-\gamma} \mathcal{G}_1\left(\alpha, \beta, \gamma; \frac{x}{1 - t}, y(1 - t)\right), \tag{5.2}$$

$$\sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_{\ell}}{\ell!} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha + \ell, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x, y) t^{\ell} = (1 - t)^{-\alpha} \mathcal{G}_2\left(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; \frac{x}{1 - t}, y\right),$$

$$\sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\beta)_{\ell}}{\ell!} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta + \ell, \gamma, \delta; x, y) t^{\ell} = (1 - t)^{-\beta} \mathcal{G}_2\left(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x, \frac{y}{1 - t}\right),$$

$$\sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\gamma)_{\ell}}{\ell!} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma + \ell, \delta; x, y) t^{\ell} = (1 - t)^{-\gamma} \mathcal{G}_2\left(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; x(1 - t), \frac{y}{1 - t}\right),$$

$$\sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\delta)_{\ell}}{\ell!} \mathcal{G}_2(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta + \ell; x, y) t^{\ell} = (1 - t)^{-\delta} \mathcal{G}_2\left(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; \frac{x}{1 - t}, y(1 - t)\right) \tag{5.3}$$

and

$$\sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_{\ell}}{\ell!} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha + \ell, \beta; x, y) t^{\ell} = (1 - t)^{-\alpha} \mathcal{G}_3\left(\alpha, \beta; x(1 - t), \frac{y}{(1 - t)^2}\right),$$

$$\sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\beta)_{\ell}}{\ell!} \mathcal{G}_3(\alpha, \beta + \ell; x, y) t^{\ell} = (1 - t)^{-\beta} \mathcal{G}_3\left(\alpha, \beta; \frac{x}{(1 - t)^2}, y(1 - t)\right) \tag{5.4}$$

are established.

Proof With the help of the fact that

$$(1 - t)^{-\alpha} = \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_{\ell}}{\ell!} t^{\ell}, \quad |t| < 1,$$

expanding the sums, collecting the expression of the right-hand side (5.1) and after some simplification, we obtain (5.1). In a similar manner, the infinite summation formulas (5.2)–(5.4) can be established.

6 Concluding remarks

As a brief consequence of the numerous new recursion formulas, integral operators, infinite summation formulas and interesting results of Horn functions $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ and \mathcal{G}_3 which we

have discussed, an analytic procedure to calculate many of the various outcomes has been established. Our analytic expressions can be used as a benchmark for the accuracy of unique approximation approaches designed mainly for the investigation of radiation discipline problems.

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