

ON CONDUCTION OF HEAT IN A SEMI INFINITE
 CIRCULAR CYLINDER

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1. The object of this paper is to employ the Appell function F_4 [1, p.14] to obtain the solution of the differential equation of the conduction of heat in a semi-infinite circular cylinder.

Below we obtain some results required in the proof:

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-kt\xi^2} {}_1F_2 \left[\begin{matrix} 1, \\ 3/2, m+2, \end{matrix} \middle| -\frac{b^2\xi^2}{4} \right] (\xi) \sin(z\xi) d\xi$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}(z/4)}{(kt)^{3/2}} F_{0,2}^{1,1} \left[\begin{matrix} 3/2 : 1; & 1; \\ & 3/2, m+2 : 3/2, 1; \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} -b^2/4kt \\ -z^2/4kt \end{matrix} \right] \quad (1.1)$$

$$\int_0^a (r)^{\rho-1} \left(1 - \frac{r}{a}\right)^{\nu-1} {}_2F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -n, \beta+n, 1 - \frac{r}{a} \\ \nu, \end{matrix} \right] J_0(\eta_i r) dr$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\nu) \Gamma(\rho) \Gamma(\nu+\rho-\beta) (a)^\rho}{\Gamma(\nu+\rho+n) \Gamma(\nu+\rho-\beta-n)}$$

$$\times {}_4F_5 \left[\begin{matrix} \Delta(2, \rho), \Delta(2, \nu+\rho-\beta); \\ 1, \Delta(2, \nu+\rho+n), \Delta(2, \nu+\rho-\beta-n); \end{matrix} \middle| -1/4a^2\eta_i^2 \right] \quad (1.2)$$

provided $\text{Re}(\nu) > 0$, $\text{Re}(\rho) > 0$, $\text{Re}(\nu+\rho-\beta) > 0$, and $\Delta(m, \alpha)$ stands for $\frac{\alpha}{m}$,

$$\frac{\alpha+1}{m}, \dots, \frac{\alpha+m-1}{m}.$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-u^2/4kt} {}_2F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -n, \beta+n, \\ \beta-\nu+1, \end{matrix} \middle| b^2u^2 \right] \sinh\left(\frac{uz}{2kt}\right) du$$

$$= (z) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{(1)_s}{(3/2)_s} (z^2/4kt)^s {}_3F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -n, \beta+n, s+1 \\ \beta-\nu+1, \end{matrix} \middle| 4b^2kt \right] \quad (1.3)$$

In (1.2) and (1.3), n is a positive integer.

PROOF. i) Expressing the hypergeometric function ${}_1F_2$ in series form, and

evaluating the integral by [2, p.74(24)], we have,

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-kt\xi^2} {}_1F_2 \left[\begin{matrix} 1, \\ 3/2, m+2, \end{matrix} \middle| -\frac{b^2\xi^2}{4} \right] (\xi) \sin(z\xi) d\xi$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}(kt)^{-3/2}}{4} (z) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{(3/2)_s (1)_s (-b^2/4kt)^s}{s! (3/2)_s (m+2)_s} {}_1F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} s+3/2, \\ 3/2, \end{matrix} \middle| -z^2/4kt \right]$$

Now writing the function ${}_1F_1$ in series form and taking the sum of both the series on right hand side, we obtain the required result (1.1) where $F_{0,2}^{1,1}$ stands for the Kampe de Fériet function, [1, p.150].

ii) In left hand side of (1.2), replacing $1 - \frac{r}{a}$ by t , expressing the Bessel function as a series, evaluating the integral by [3, p.399(4)] and simplifying, we obtain the result (1.2).

iii) In left hand side of (1.3), expressing the hyperbolic function $\sinh(uz/2kt)$ as a series, evaluating the integral by [4, p.48, ex-17, (iii)] and simplifying we obtain the result (1.3).

2. In [5, pp.181-183], the problem of determining the distribution of temperature in a semi-infinite circular cylinder is considered. The cylinder is of radius 'a' whose faces $z=0$ and $r=a$ are kept at zero temperature and the flow of heat results from the initial distribution of temperature throughout the cylinder. The temperature $\theta(r, z, t)$ must satisfy the partial differential equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial z^2} = \frac{1}{k} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial t}$$

subject to the boundary and initial conditions as

$$\theta=0, \quad z=0, \quad 0 \leq r \leq a, \quad t > 0.$$

$$\theta=0, \quad r=a, \quad z > 0, \quad t > 0,$$

$$\theta(r, z, 0) = f(r, z).$$

The solution of the above boundary value problem as given by Snedden [5, p.182] is

$$\theta = 2/a^2 (2/\pi)^{1/2} \sum_i \frac{J_0(\eta_i r) e^{-kt\eta_i^2}}{J_1^2(\eta_i a)} \int_0^{\infty} F(\eta_i \xi) e^{-kt\xi^2} \sin(z\xi) d\xi \quad (2.1)$$

where the sum is taken over all the positive roots of the equation $J_0(\eta_i a) = 0$ and

$$F(\eta_i \xi) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} \sin(\xi z) dz \int_0^a r f(r, z) J_0(\eta_i r) dr \quad (2.2)$$

Particular cases: i) If $f(r, z) = f(r) g(z)$ then

$$\theta = \frac{2e^{-z^2/4kt}}{a^2 \sqrt{\pi kt}} \sum_i \frac{J_0(\eta_i r) \bar{f}_J(\eta_i) e^{-kt\eta_i^2}}{J_1^2(\eta_i a)} \times \int_0^\infty g(u) \sinh(uz/2kt) e^{-u^2/4kt} du \quad (2.3)$$

$$\text{where } \bar{f}_J(\eta_i) = \int_0^a r f(r) J_0(\eta_i r) dr \quad (2.4)$$

ii) If $f(r, z) = g(z)$:

then the solution reduces to

$$\theta = \frac{2 e^{-z^2/4kt}}{\sqrt{\pi kt}} \sum_i \frac{J_0(\eta_i r) e^{-kt\eta_i^2}}{(a\eta_i) J_1(a\eta_i)} \times \int_0^\infty g(u) \sinh(uz/2kt) e^{-u^2/4kt} du \quad (2.5)$$

3. In this article, we have employed the Appell function F_4 to obtain the solution of the differential equation of the conduction of heat in a semi-infinite circular cylinder considered in the last article.

i) Let

$$f(r, z) = (r)^{\rho-2} (a-r)^{\nu-1} F_4[\alpha, \beta, \nu, \delta, (a-r)(b^2-z^2), (z^2-b^2)r]$$

substituting this value of $f(r, z)$ in (2.2), we have after simplification,

$$F(\eta_i \xi) = \left(\frac{2}{\pi}\right)^{1/2} \sum_{m,n=0}^\infty \frac{(\alpha)_{m+n} (\beta)_{m+n} (-1)^n}{m! n! (\nu)_m (\delta)_n} \times \int_0^\infty (b^2-z^2)^{m+n} \sin(\xi z) dz \int_0^a (r)^{\rho+n-1} (a-r)^{\nu+m-1} J_0(\eta_i r) dr$$

Evaluating the integrals by [3, p.193, (56)] and [2, p.69, (7) and p.372], we have

$$F(\eta_i \xi) = \frac{B(\rho, \nu) (\xi)(a)^{\rho+\nu-1}}{(2\pi)^{1/2}} \times \sum_{m,n=0}^\infty \frac{(\alpha)_{m+n} (\beta)_{m+n} (1)_{m+n} (\rho)_n (-1)^n (b)^{2m+2n+2} (a)^{m+n}}{m! n! (2)_{m+n} (\delta)_n (\rho+\nu)_{m+n}} \times {}_1F_2\left[1, \quad -b^2 \xi^2/4\right] {}_2F_3\left[\Delta(2, \rho+n), \quad -\eta_i^2 a^2/4\right]$$

on taking the Cauchy's product between the series in m and n , we obtain after simplification,

$$F(\eta_i \xi) = \frac{B(\rho, \nu) (\xi) (a)^{\rho+\nu-1}}{(2\pi)^{1/2}} \\ \times \sum_{m,r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_m (\beta)_m (\rho)_{2r} (a)^m (b)^{2m+2} \left(\frac{-\eta_i^2 a^2}{4}\right)^r}{(2)_m (\rho+\nu)_{m+2r} r! (1)_r} \\ \times {}_1F_2 \left[\begin{matrix} 1, \\ \frac{3}{2}, m+2, \frac{-b^2 \xi^2}{4} \end{matrix} \right] {}_2F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -m, \rho+2r, \\ \delta \end{matrix} \right].$$

Making use of the results [4, p.23, (7.2)] and

$$\Gamma(a-n) = \frac{\Gamma(a) (-1)^n}{(1-a)_n}, \text{ we have on summing the series of } r,$$

$$F(\eta_i \xi) = \frac{B(\rho, \nu) (\xi) (a)^{\rho+\nu-1}}{(2\pi)^{1/2}} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_m (\beta)_m (\delta-\rho)_m (a)^m (b)^{2m+2}}{(2)_m (\rho+\nu)_m (\delta)_m} \\ \times {}_1F_2 \left[\begin{matrix} 1, \\ 3/2, m+2, -b^2 \xi^2/4 \end{matrix} \right] {}_4F_5 \left[\begin{matrix} \Delta(2, \rho), \Delta(2, \rho-\delta+1), \frac{-\eta_i^2 a^2}{4} \\ 1, \Delta(2, \rho+\nu+m), \Delta(2, \rho+\delta-m+1) \end{matrix} \right]$$

Substituting this value of $F(\eta_i \xi)$ in (2.1) and evaluating the integral with the help of (1.1) we obtain finally,

$$\theta(r, z, t) = \frac{B(\rho, \nu) (z/2) (a)^{\rho+\nu-3}}{\sqrt{\pi} (kt)^{3/2}} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_m (\beta)_m (\delta-\rho)_m (a)^m (b)^{2m+2}}{(2)_m (\rho+\nu)_m (\delta)_m} \\ \times F_{0,2}^{1,1} \left[\begin{matrix} 3/2 : 1; & 1; \\ & : 3/2, m+2 : 3/2, 1; \end{matrix} \left| \begin{matrix} -b^2/4kt \\ -z^2/4kt \end{matrix} \right. \right] \\ \times \sum_i \frac{J_0(\eta_i r) \cdot e^{-kt\eta_i^2}}{J_1^2(\eta_i a)} {}_4F_5 \left[\begin{matrix} \Delta(2, \rho), \Delta(2, \rho-\delta+1), -\eta_i^2 a^2/4 \\ 1, \Delta(2, \rho+\nu+m), \Delta(2, \rho-\delta-m+1), \end{matrix} \right]$$

ii) Let

$$f(r, z) = (r)^{\rho-2} \left(1 - \frac{r}{a}\right)^{\nu-1} F_4 \left[-n, \beta+n; \nu, \beta-\nu+1; \left(1 - \frac{r}{a}\right)(1-b^2 z^2), \frac{b^2 z^2 r}{a} \right].$$

Making use of the formula [6, p.82, (1)], (3.2) can be written as

$$f(r, z) = f(r) g(z)$$

where $f(r) = (r)^{\rho-2} \left(1 - \frac{r}{a}\right)^{\nu-1} {}_2F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -n, \beta+n, \\ \nu \end{matrix} \middle| 1 - \frac{r}{a} \right]$

and $g(z) = {}_2F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -n, \beta+n, \\ \beta-\nu+1, \end{matrix} \middle| b^2 z^2 \right]$

Substituting these values of $f(r)$ and $g(z)$ in (2.3) and evaluating the integrals by (1.2) and (1.3), we have on obvious simplification,

$$\theta = \frac{\Gamma(\nu) \Gamma(\rho) \Gamma(\nu+\rho-\beta) (2z) (a)^{\rho-2} e^{-z^2/4kt}}{\Gamma(\nu+\rho+n) \Gamma(\nu+\rho-\beta-n) (\pi kt)^{1/2}}$$

$$\times \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{(z^2/4kt)^s}{(3/2)_s} {}_3F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -n, \beta+n, 1+s, \\ \beta-\nu+1, \end{matrix} \middle| 4b^2 kt \right] \sum_i \frac{J_0(\eta_i r) e^{-kt\eta_i^2}}{J_1^2(\eta_i a)}$$

$$\times {}_4F_5 \left[\begin{matrix} \Delta(2, \rho), \Delta(2, \nu+\rho-\beta), \\ 1, \Delta(2, \nu+\rho+n), \Delta(2, \nu+\rho-\beta-n), \end{matrix} \middle| -\frac{1}{4} a^2 \eta_i^2 \right]$$

iii) If $f(r)=1$ and $g(z) = {}_2F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -n, \beta+n, \\ \beta-\nu+1, \end{matrix} \middle| b^2 z^2 \right]$ (3.3)

then substituting this value of $g(z)$ in (2.5) and evaluating the integral by (1.3), we have the result

$$\theta(r, z, t) = \frac{(2z) e^{-z^2/4kt}}{(\pi kt)^{1/2}} \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{(z^2/4kt)^s}{(3/2)_s} {}_3F_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -n, \beta+n, 1+s, \\ \beta-\nu+1, \end{matrix} \middle| 4b^2 kt \right]$$

$$\times \sum_i \frac{J_0(\eta_i r) e^{-kt\eta_i^2}}{(a\eta_i) J_1(a\eta_i)} \quad (3.1)$$

The hypergeometric polynomials $f(r)$ and $g(z)$ used in obtaining the results (3.3) and (3.4) can be reduced to known polynomials just as Jacobi, Laguerre etc. and the special cases can be obtained. Similarly the Appell function F_4 employed in obtaining (3.1) can be reduced to confluent hypergeometric function ϕ_2 [1, p.126, 5⁰] which in turn can be reduced to Whittakar function of two variables [1, p.132, (29)] and interesting results can be obtained.

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