# SOME RECURRENCE FORMULAE FOR $G$-FUNCTION OF TWO VARIABLES-II 

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The object of this paper is to establish more recurrence relations for $G$-function of two variables. Certain known results for Meijer's $G$-function have been shown as particular cases.

Some identities and recurrence relations were recently given by the author as particular cases of finite series ${ }^{1}$ by using the derivatives of $G$-function of two variablés $s^{2,3}$. The symbol $(k, \delta)$ represents the set of parameters $k / \delta,(k+1) / \delta, \ldots,(k+\delta-1) / \delta$, where $\delta$ is a positive integer and $\left(a_{p}\right)$ stands for $a_{1}, a_{2}, \ldots, a p$ throughout this paper.

The $G$-function of two variables defined by Agarwal ${ }^{4}$ and Sharma ${ }^{5}$ has been denoted by Bajpaj ${ }^{6}$ as

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \left.\underset{G}{\left(m_{1}, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}, n_{2}\right), n_{3}} \quad\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
\left(p_{1}, p_{2}\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}, q_{2}\right), q_{3}
\end{array}\right] \begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{2}}\right) \\
y \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) \\
\left(h_{q}\right) ;\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}\right]=
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
\begin{align*}
& \frac{x^{s} y^{t}}{\underset{j=n_{8}+1}{\prod_{8}} \Gamma\left(e_{j}-s-t\right) \prod_{j=1}^{q_{3}} \Gamma\left(1-f_{j}+s+t\right)} d s d t . \tag{1}
\end{align*}
$$

The contour $L_{1}$ is in the $s$-plane and runs from - $i \infty$ to $+i \infty$ with loops if necessary, to ensure that the poles of $\Gamma\left(b_{j}-s\right), j=1,2, \ldots, m_{1}$ lic on the right and the poles of $\Gamma\left(1-a_{j}+s\right)$, $j=1,2, \ldots, n_{1}$ and $\Gamma\left(1-e_{j}+s+t\right), j=1,2, \ldots, n_{3}$ to the left of the contour. Similarly the contour $L_{2}$ is in the $t$-plane and runs from -i $i \infty$ to $+i \infty$ with loops if necessary, to ensure that the poles of $\Gamma\left(d_{j}-t\right) . j=1,2, \ldots, m_{2}$ lie on the right and the poles of $\Gamma\left(1-c_{j}+t\right), j=1,2, \ldots, n_{2}$ and $\Gamma\left(1-e_{j}+s+t\right), j=1,2, \ldots, n_{3}$ on the left of the contour.

Provided that

$$
0<m_{1} \leqslant q_{1}, 0<m_{2} \leqslant q_{2}, 0<n_{1} \leqslant p_{1}, 0<n_{2} \leqslant p_{2}, 0<n_{2} \leqslant p_{3}
$$

the integral converges if
$\left(p_{8}+q_{3}+p_{1}+q_{1}\right)<2\left(m_{1}+n_{1}+n_{3}\right) ;\left(p_{3}+q_{3}+p_{2}+q_{2}\right)<2\left(m_{2}+n_{3}+n_{3}\right)$
$|\arg x|<\left[m_{1}+n_{1}+n_{3}-\frac{1}{2}\left(p_{3}+q_{3}+p_{1}+q_{1}\right)\right] \pi$,
$|\arg y|<\left[m_{2}+n_{2}+n_{3}-\frac{1}{2}\left(p_{3}+q_{3}+p_{2}+q_{2}\right)\right]^{\prime} \pi$.
The right hand side of (1) shall henceforth be denoted by $G\left[\begin{array}{l}x \\ y\end{array}\right]$, whenever there is no chance of misunderstanding, and is the required $G$ function of two variables.

We establish the following identities :
If one value of $a_{h}, h=1,2, \ldots, n_{1}$ is equal to one value of $b_{j}, j=m_{1}+1, \ldots, q_{1}$; one value of $c_{h}, h=1,2, \ldots, n_{2}$ is equal to one value of $d_{j}, j=m_{2}+1, \ldots, q_{2}$ and one value of $e_{h}, h=1,2, \ldots, n_{3}$ is equal to one value of $f_{j}, j=1,2, \ldots, q_{3}$, the $G$-function of two variables reduces to one of lower order. For example

$$
\begin{align*}
& G\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y
\end{array} \left\lvert\, \begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{2}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{2}}\right) \\
b_{1}, b_{2}, \ldots, b_{q_{1}-1}, a_{1} ;\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{q}\right)
\end{array}\right.\right]= \\
& =\underset{\left(p_{l}-1, p_{2}\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}-1, q_{2}\right) q_{3}}{\left(m_{1}, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}-1, n_{2}\right), n_{3}}\left[\begin{array}{l|l}
x & \begin{array}{l}
a_{2}, \ldots, a_{p_{1}} ;\left(c_{p_{2}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) \\
h_{1}, \ldots, b_{q_{1}}-1\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}
\end{array}\right]  \tag{2}\\
& G\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y \\
y \\
\left.\begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{2}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) \\
\left(b_{1}\right) ; d_{1}, ., d_{q_{3}-1}, c_{1} \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}\right]=G\left(m_{1}, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}, n_{2}-1\right), n_{3} \\
\left(p_{1}, p_{2}-1\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}, q_{2}-1\right), q_{3}
\end{array}\left\{\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y
\end{array} \left\lvert\, \begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ; c_{2}, \ldots, c, \\
\left(e_{3}\right) \\
\left(p_{q_{1}}\right) ; d_{1}, \ldots, d_{q_{2}}-1 \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}\right.\right]\right.  \tag{3}\\
& G\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y \\
y \\
\left.\begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{2}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) ;\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) ;\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
e_{1}, f_{2}, f_{3}, \ldots, . q^{2}
\end{array}\right]=\begin{array}{l}
\left(m_{1}, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}, n_{2}\right), n_{3}-1 \\
\left(p_{1}, p_{2}\right), p_{3}-1 ;\left(q_{1}, q_{2}\right), q_{3}-1
\end{array}\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y
\end{array} \left\lvert\, \begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{2}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{3}}\right) \\
e_{2}, \cdots, e_{p_{2}} \\
\left(b_{q_{1}}\right) ;\left(i_{q_{3}}\right) \\
f_{2}, \ldots, f_{q_{3}}
\end{array}\right.\right]
\end{array}\right] \tag{4}
\end{align*}
$$

$$
\begin{align*}
& =G \begin{array}{l}
\left(m_{1}, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}-1, n_{2}-1\right), n_{3}-1 \\
\left(p_{1}-1, p_{2}-1\right), p_{3}-1 ;\left(q_{1}-1, q_{2}-1\right), q_{3}-1
\end{array}\left\{\begin{array}{l}
x
\end{array} \begin{array}{l}
a_{2}, \ldots, a_{p_{1}}, c_{2}, \ldots, c_{p_{3}} \\
y \\
\begin{array}{l}
e_{2}, \ldots, e_{p_{3}}, \ldots, b_{q_{1}}-1 ; d_{1}, . ., d_{q_{2}}-1 \\
h_{1}, \ldots \\
f_{2}, \ldots, f_{q_{3}}
\end{array}
\end{array}\right] \tag{5}
\end{align*}
$$

Also, if one value of $a_{h}, h=n_{1}+1, \ldots, p_{1}$ is equal to one value of $b_{j}, j=1,2, \ldots, m_{1}$; one value of $c_{h}, h=n_{2}+1, \ldots, p_{2}$ is equal to one value of $d_{j}, j=1,2, \ldots, m_{2}$, then the $G$-function of two variables reduces to one of a lower order. For example


$G\left[\begin{array}{l}x \\ y \\ \left.y \begin{array}{l}a_{1}, \ldots . a_{p_{1}-1}, b_{1} ; c_{1}, \ldots, c_{p_{2}-1}, d_{1} \\ \left(e_{p_{1}}\right) \\ \left(b_{q_{1}}\right) \\ \left(f_{q_{0}}\right)\end{array}\right)\left(d_{q_{2}}\right)\end{array}\right]=$
$=\stackrel{\left(m_{1}-1, m_{2}-1\right) ;\left(n_{1}, n_{2}\right), n_{3}}{G} \quad\left(p_{1}-1, p_{2}-1\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}-1, q_{2}-1\right), q_{3}\left\{\begin{array}{l}\left.x \left\lvert\, \begin{array}{l}a_{1}, \ldots, a_{p_{1}}-1 ; c_{1}, \ldots, c_{p_{8}-1} \\ y \\ \begin{array}{l}\left(e_{p_{2}}\right) \\ b_{2} \\ \left(f_{q_{3}}\right)\end{array}, \ldots, b_{q_{1}} ; d_{2}, \ldots, d_{q_{3}}\end{array}\right.\right]\end{array}\right\}$
The proofs of the above-mentioned identities are very simple and are therefore omitted.
$G\left[\begin{array}{l}x \\ y\end{array}\right]=(2 \pi)^{w} k \begin{gathered}\left(m_{1} k, m_{2} k\right) ;\left(n_{1} k, n_{2} k\right), n_{2} k \\ \left(k p_{1}, k p_{2}\right), k p_{3} ;\left(k q_{1}, k q_{2}\right), k q_{3}\end{gathered}\left\{\left.\begin{array}{c}\frac{x^{k}}{\left.(k)^{k\left(q_{1}+q_{3}-p_{1}-p_{3}\right.}\right)} \\ (k)^{k\left(q_{3}+g_{3}-p_{3}-p_{3}\right)}\end{array} \right\rvert\,\right.$

$$
\left[\begin{array}{l}
\Delta\left(k, a_{1}\right), \ldots, \Delta\left(k, a_{p_{1}}\right) ; \Delta\left(k, c_{1}\right), \ldots, \Delta\left(k, c_{p_{2}}\right)  \tag{9}\\
\Delta\left(k, e_{1}\right), \ldots, \Delta\left(k, e_{p_{2}}\right) \\
\Delta\left(k, b_{1}\right), \ldots, \Delta\left(k, b_{q_{1}}\right) ; \Delta\left(k, d_{1}\right), \ldots, \Delta\left(k, d_{q_{3}}\right) \\
\Delta\left(k, f_{1}\right), \ldots, \Delta\left(k, f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}\right]
$$

where
$u=(k-1)\left[\frac{1}{2}\left(p_{1}+q_{1}+p_{2}+q_{2}+p_{3}+q_{3}\right)-\left(m_{1}+n_{1}+m_{2}+n_{2}+n_{3}\right)\right]$
$v=\sum_{j=1}^{q_{1}} b_{j} \sum_{j=1}^{p_{1}} a_{j}+\sum_{j=1}^{q_{2}} d_{j}-\sum_{j=1}^{p_{2}} c_{j}+\sum_{j=1}^{q_{3}} f_{j}-\sum_{j=1}^{p_{\mathrm{a}}} e_{j}+\frac{1}{2}\left(p_{1}+p_{2}+p_{3}-q_{1}-q_{2}-q_{3}\right)+2$
Proof
To prove (9), expressing $G$-function on the left hand side as (1) and replacing $s$ by $k s$ and $t \mathrm{by} k t$, we get

.$\frac{\prod_{j=1}^{n} \Gamma\left(1-e_{j}+k s+k t\right) x^{k s} y^{k t}}{\substack{\boldsymbol{p}_{s}} \Gamma\left(e_{j}-k s-k t\right) \prod_{\substack{s \\ j=1}}^{q_{3}+1} \Gamma\left(1-f_{j}+k s+k t\right)} d s d t$.
${ }^{*}$ Now using multiplication formula for Gamma function [7, p, 11, (1)] and (1), the formula (9) is established.

$$
\begin{align*}
& G\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y
\end{array}\right]=\frac{1}{2 \pi i}\left\{\begin{array}{lc|l} 
& \left(m_{1}+1, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}, n_{2}\right), n_{3} \\
\left(\pi b_{m_{1+1}}\right. & G\left(p_{1}, p_{2}\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}, q_{2}\right), q_{3}
\end{array}\left\{\begin{array}{l}
x e^{-i \pi} \\
y
\end{array} \begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{2}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) ;\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(b_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{\left.q_{3}\right)}\right)
\end{array}\right]-\right. \\
& \left.-(e)^{-i \pi b_{m_{1+1}}} \underset{G_{1}^{\left(m_{1}+1, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}, n_{2}\right), n_{3}}}{\left(p_{1}\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}, q_{2}\right), q_{3}} \quad\left[\begin{array}{l|l}
x e^{i \pi} & \begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{r_{2}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) \\
\left(q_{1_{2}}\right) ;\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}
\end{array}\right]\right\} \tag{10}
\end{align*}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \left.-\quad(e)^{-i \pi d m_{2+1}} \quad G^{\left(m_{1}, m_{2}+1\right) ;\left(n_{1}, n_{2}\right), n_{3}}\left[\begin{array}{l|l}
x & \left.\begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{3}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) \\
\left(b_{q_{1}}\right) ;\left(p_{2}\right), p_{3} ;
\end{array}\right] \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}\right]\right\}
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& -(e)^{-i \pi n_{1}+1} \quad \begin{array}{cc|l}
\left(m_{1}, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}+1, n_{2}\right), n_{3} \\
& \left(p_{1}, p_{2}\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}, q_{2}\right), q_{3}
\end{array}\left[\begin{array}{l|l}
x e^{i \pi} & \left.\begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{2}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) \\
\left(b_{1}\right) ;\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}\right]
\end{array}\right] \frac{1}{c}(12)
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
\begin{align*}
& \left.-(e)^{-i \pi e} n_{3}+1 \quad \begin{array}{ll}
\left.G_{1}, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}, n_{2}\right), n_{3}+1 \\
\left(p_{1}, p_{2}\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}, q_{2}\right), q_{3}
\end{array}\left\{\begin{array}{l}
x e^{i \pi} \\
y e^{i \pi}
\end{array} \begin{array}{l}
\left(\begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{3}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) \\
\left(b_{q_{2}}\right) ;\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}\right.
\end{array}\right]\right\} \tag{14}
\end{align*}
$$

## Proof

To prove (10), expressing the $G$-function on the left hand side as (1) and multiplying the numerator and denominator by $\Gamma\left(b_{m_{1}+1}-s\right)$, we get,

$x^{s} y^{t}$
$d s d t$. (15)

$$
\prod_{j=n_{3}+1}^{p_{3}} \Gamma\left(e_{j}-s-t\right) \prod_{j=1}^{q_{3}} \Gamma\left(1-f_{j}+s+t\right) \quad \Gamma\left(b_{m_{1}+1}-s\right) \Gamma\left(1-b_{m_{1}+1}+s\right)
$$

Now by virtue of the relation

$$
\Gamma_{z} \Gamma(1-z)=\frac{\pi}{\sin \pi z}=\frac{2 \pi i}{e^{i \pi z}-e^{-i \pi z}}
$$

we see that

$$
\begin{equation*}
\Gamma\left(b_{m_{1}+1}-s\right) \quad \Gamma\left(1-b_{m_{1}+1}+s\right)=\frac{2 \pi i}{(e)^{i \pi}\left(\frac{b_{m_{1}+1}-s}{}\right)-(e)^{-i \pi}\left(b_{m_{1}+1^{-s}}\right)} \tag{16}
\end{equation*}
$$

The relation (10) is proved by using (15), (16) and (1).
By adopting the same procedure as for (10), the formulae (11)-(14) are proved.

$$
\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y \\
y\left(\begin{array}{l}
a,\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) \\
\left(e_{p_{3}}\right) \\
a,\left(b_{q_{1}}\right) ; c,\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}\right.
\end{array}\right]=\left(-1,(-1)\left(c_{p_{2}}\right)\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y
\end{array}\right](17)\right.
$$

where $a_{n_{1}}=a+r, \epsilon_{n_{2}}=c+k, r$ and $k$ are integers.

$$
\begin{align*}
& =(-1)(-1) G^{r}\left(m_{1}+1, m_{2}+1\right) ;\left(n_{1}, n_{2}\right), n_{3} \\
& \left(p_{1}+1, p_{2}+1\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}+1, q_{2}+1\right), q_{3} \\
& {\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y \\
\begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p_{1}}\right), a ;\left(c_{p_{2}}\right) c \\
\left(e_{r}\right) \\
b,\left(b_{q_{1}}\right) ; \boldsymbol{a},\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}
\end{array}\right]} \tag{18}
\end{align*}
$$

where $a-b=r, a-d=k, r$ and $k$ are integers or zero.
(17) and (18) are proved by using (1) and Rainville ${ }^{8}$
$x^{n} \frac{\partial^{n}}{\partial x^{n}} G\left[\begin{array}{l}x \\ y\end{array}\right]=\underset{\left(p_{1}+1, p_{2}\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}+1, \eta_{2}\right), q_{3}}{\left(m_{1}, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}+1, n_{2}\right), n_{3}}\left[\begin{array}{l}x\end{array}\left[\begin{array}{l}0,\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(a_{p_{2}}\right) \\ y \\ \left(e_{p_{3}}\right), n ;\left(a_{q_{2}}\right) \\ \left(b_{q_{1}}\right) \\ \left(f q_{3}\right)\end{array}\right]\right.$
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A similar result is true for

$$
\begin{gather*}
y^{n} \frac{\partial^{n}}{\partial y^{n}} G\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y
\end{array}\right] \\
x^{n} \frac{n}{\partial x^{n}} G\left[\begin{array}{l}
x^{-1} \\
y
\end{array}\right]=(-)^{n} \begin{array}{c}
\left(m_{1}, m_{2}\right) ;\left(n_{1}+1, n_{2}\right), n_{3} \\
\left(p_{1}+1, p_{2}\right), p_{3} ;\left(q_{1}+1, q_{2}\right), q_{3}
\end{array}\left[\begin{array}{l}
\left.x^{-1} \left\lvert\, \begin{array}{l}
1-n,\left(a_{p_{1}}\right) ;\left(c_{p_{3}}\right) \\
y\left[\begin{array}{l}
\left(e_{p_{2}}\right) \\
\left(b_{q_{1}}\right), 1 ;\left(d_{q_{2}}\right) \\
\left(f_{q_{3}}\right)
\end{array}\right.
\end{array}\right.\right]
\end{array}\right] \tag{20}
\end{gather*}
$$

A similar result holds for

$$
y^{n} \frac{\partial^{n}}{\partial y^{n}} G\left[\begin{array}{c}
x \\
y^{-1}
\end{array}\right]
$$

The proofs for (19) and (20) are very simple and follow by expressing the $G$-function on the left hand side as in (1), changing the order of integration and differentiation and again using (1).

Particular cases:-Putting $m_{2}=q_{2}=1, n_{2}=n_{3}=p_{2}=p_{3}=q_{3}=0$ and making use of the formula given by Bajpaie viz.

$$
\underset{(p, 0), 0 ;(q, 1), 0}{(\dot{m}, 1) ;(n, 0), 0}\left[\begin{array}{l}
x \\
y
\end{array} \left\lvert\, \begin{array}{l}
\left(a_{p}\right) ; \cdots \\
\left(b_{q}\right) ; 0
\end{array}\right.\right]=e^{-y} m_{G} n\binom{\left(a_{p}\right)}{p, q}
$$

we get the known results ${ }^{6}$ from (2), (6), (10), (12), (19) and (20).

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