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# A note on the $(h, q)$ -zeta-type function with weight $\alpha$

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## Abstract

The objective of this paper is to derive the symmetric property of an  $(h, q)$ -zeta function with weight  $\alpha$ . By using this property, we give some interesting identities for  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi polynomials with weight  $\alpha$ . As a result, our applications possess a number of interesting properties which we state in this paper.

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## 1 Introduction

Recently, Kim has developed a new method by using the  $q$ -Volkenborn integral (or  $p$ -adic  $q$ -integral on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ ) and has added weight to  $q$ -Bernoulli numbers and polynomials and investigated their interesting properties (see [1]). He also showed that these polynomials are closely related to weighted  $q$ -Bernstein polynomials and derived novel properties of  $q$ -Bernoulli numbers with weight  $\alpha$  by using the symmetric property of weighted  $q$ -Bernstein polynomials with the help of the  $q$ -Volkenborn integral (for more details, see [2]). Afterward, Araci *et al.* have introduced weighted  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi polynomials and defined  $(h, q)$ -zeta-type function with weight  $\alpha$  by applying the Mellin transformation to the generating function of the  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi polynomials with weight  $\alpha$  which interpolates for  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi polynomials with weight  $\alpha$  at negative integers (for details, see [3]). In this paper, we also consider a  $(h, q)$ -zeta-type function with weight  $\alpha$  and derive some interesting properties.

We firstly list some notations as follows.

Imagine that  $p$  is a fixed odd prime. Throughout this work,  $\mathbb{Z}$ ,  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ ,  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  and  $\mathbb{C}_p$  will denote by the ring of integers, the field of  $p$ -adic rational numbers and the completion of the algebraic closure of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ , respectively. Also, we denote  $\mathbb{N}^* = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$  and  $\exp(x) = e^x$ . Let  $v_p : \mathbb{C}_p \rightarrow \mathbb{Q} \cup \{\infty\}$  ( $\mathbb{Q}$  is the field of rational numbers) denote the  $p$ -adic valuation of  $\mathbb{C}_p$  normalized so that  $v_p(p) = 1$ . The absolute value on  $\mathbb{C}_p$  will be denoted as  $|\cdot|$ , and  $|x|_p = p^{-v_p(x)}$  for  $x \in \mathbb{C}_p$ . When one speaks of  $q$ -extensions,  $q$  is considered in many ways, e.g., as an indeterminate, a complex number  $q \in \mathbb{C}$ , or a  $p$ -adic number  $q \in \mathbb{C}_p$ . If  $q \in \mathbb{C}$ , we assume that  $|q| < 1$ . If  $q \in \mathbb{C}_p$ , we assume  $|1 - q|_p < p^{-\frac{1}{p-1}}$  so that  $q^x = \exp(x \log q)$  for  $|x|_p \leq 1$ . We use the following notation:

$$[x]_q = \frac{1 - q^x}{1 - q}, \quad [x]_{-q} = \frac{1 - (-q)^x}{1 + q}. \quad (1.1)$$

We want to note that  $\lim_{q \rightarrow 1} [x]_q = x$ ; cf. [1–23].

For a fixed positive integer  $d$ , set

$$X = X_d = \varinjlim_n \mathbb{Z}/dp^n\mathbb{Z},$$

$$X^* = \bigcup_{\substack{0 < a < dp \\ (a,p)=1}} a + dp\mathbb{Z}_p$$

and

$$a + dp^n\mathbb{Z}_p = \{x \in X \mid x \equiv a \pmod{dp^n}\},$$

where  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$  satisfies the condition  $0 \leq a < dp^n$  (see [1–23]).

The following  $p$ -adic  $q$ -Haar distribution was defined by Kim:

$$\mu_q(x + p^n\mathbb{Z}_p) = \frac{q^x}{[p^n]_q}$$

for any positive  $n$  (see [12, 13]).

Let  $UD(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  be the set of uniformly differentiable functions on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ . We say that  $f$  is a uniformly differentiable function at a point  $a \in \mathbb{Z}_p$  if the difference quotient

$$F_f(x, y) = \frac{f(x) - f(y)}{x - y}$$

has a limit  $f'(a)$  as  $(x, y) \rightarrow (a, a)$  and denote this by  $f \in UD(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ . In [12] and [13], the  $p$ -adic  $q$ -integral of the function  $f \in UD(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  is defined by Kim as follows:

$$I_q(f) = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(\xi) d\mu_q(\xi) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{\xi=0}^{p^n-1} f(\xi) \mu_q(\xi + p^n\mathbb{Z}_p). \tag{1.2}$$

The bosonic integral is considered as the bosonic limit  $q \rightarrow 1$ ,  $I_1(f) = \lim_{q \rightarrow 1} I_q(f)$ . Similarly, the  $p$ -adic fermionic integration on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$  is defined by Kim [8] as follows:

$$I_{-q}(f) = \lim_{q \rightarrow -q} I_q(f) = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x) d\mu_{-q}(x). \tag{1.3}$$

By using a fermionic  $p$ -adic  $q$ -integral on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ ,  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi polynomials are defined by [3]

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\tilde{G}_{n+1,q}^{(\alpha,h)}(x)}{n+1} &= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{(h-1)\xi} [x + \xi]_{q^\alpha}^n d\mu_{-q}(\xi) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{[p^n]_{-q}} \sum_{\xi=0}^{p^n-1} (-1)^\xi [x + \xi]_{q^\alpha}^n q^{h\xi}. \end{aligned} \tag{1.4}$$

For  $x = 0$  in (1.4), we have  $\tilde{G}_{n,q}^{(\alpha,h)}(0) := \tilde{G}_{n,q}^{(\alpha,h)}$  are called  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi numbers with weight  $\alpha$  which is defined by

$$\tilde{G}_{0,q}^{(\alpha,h)} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad q^h \frac{\tilde{G}_{m+1}^{(\alpha,h)}(1)}{m+1} + \frac{\tilde{G}_{m+1}^{(\alpha,h)}}{m+1} = \begin{cases} [2]_q & \text{if } m = 0, \\ 0 & \text{if } m \neq 0. \end{cases}$$

By (1.4), we have a distribution formula for  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi polynomials, which is shown by [3]

$$\tilde{G}_{n+1,q}^{(\alpha,h)}(x) = \frac{[2]_q}{[2]_{q^a}} [a]_{q^a}^n \sum_{j=0}^{a-1} (-1)^j q^{jh} \tilde{G}_{n+1,q^a}^{(\alpha,h)}\left(\frac{x+j}{a}\right).$$

By applying some elementary methods, we will give symmetric properties of weighted  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi polynomials and a weighted  $(h, q)$ -zeta-type function. Consequently, our applications seem to be interesting and worthwhile for further works of many mathematicians in analytic numbers theory.

## 2 On the $(h, q)$ -zeta-type function

In this part, we firstly recall the  $(h, q)$ -zeta-type function with weight  $\alpha$  which is derived in [3] as follows:

$$\tilde{\zeta}_q^{(\alpha,h)}(s, x) = [2]_q \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m q^{mh}}{[m+x]_{q^\alpha}^s}, \tag{2.1}$$

where  $q \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $h \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\Re(s) > 1$ . It is clear that the special case  $h = 0$  and  $q \rightarrow 1$  in (2.1) reduces to the ordinary Hurwitz-Euler zeta function. Now, we consider (2.1) in the following form:

$$\tilde{\zeta}_{q^a}^{(\alpha,h)}\left(s, bx + \frac{bj}{a}\right) = [2]_{q^a} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m q^{mah}}{[m+bx+\frac{bj}{a}]_{q^{a\alpha}}^s}.$$

By applying some basic operations to the above identity, that is, for any positive integers  $m$  and  $b$ , there exist unique non-negative integers  $k$  and  $i$  such that  $m = bk + i$  with  $0 \leq i \leq b - 1$ . For  $a \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$  and  $b \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$ . Thus, we can compute as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} & \tilde{\zeta}_{q^a}^{(\alpha,h)}\left(s, bx + \frac{bj}{a}\right) \\ &= [a]_{q^a}^s [2]_{q^a} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m q^{mah}}{[ma+abx+bj]_{q^{a\alpha}}^s} \\ &= [a]_{q^a}^s [2]_{q^a} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{i=0}^{b-1} \frac{(-1)^{i+mb} q^{(i+mb)ah}}{[(i+mb)a+abx+bj]_{q^{a\alpha}}^s} \\ &= [a]_{q^a}^s [2]_{q^a} \sum_{i=0}^{b-1} (-1)^i q^{iah} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m q^{mbah}}{[ab(m+x)+ai+bj]_{q^{a\alpha}}^s}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

From this, we can easily discover the following:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{j=0}^{a-1} (-1)^j q^{j b h} \tilde{\zeta}_{q^a}^{(\alpha, h)} \left( s, b x + \frac{b j}{a} \right) \\ &= [a]_{q^\alpha}^s [2]_{q^\alpha} \sum_{j=0}^{a-1} (-1)^j q^{j b h} \sum_{i=0}^{b-1} (-1)^i q^{i a h} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m q^{m b a h}}{[a b(m+x) + a i + b j]_{q^\alpha}^s}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.3)$$

Replacing  $a$  by  $b$  and  $j$  by  $i$  in (2.2), we have the following:

$$\tilde{\zeta}_{q^b}^{(\alpha, h)} \left( s, a x + \frac{a i}{b} \right) = [b]_{q^\alpha}^s [2]_{q^b} \sum_{j=0}^{a-1} (-1)^j q^{j b h} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m q^{m b a h}}{[a b(m+x) + a i + b j]_{q^\alpha}^s}.$$

By considering the above identity in (2.3), we can easily state the following theorem.

**Theorem 1** *The following identity is true:*

$$\frac{[2]_{q^b}}{[a]_{q^\alpha}^s} \sum_{i=0}^{a-1} (-1)^i q^{i b h} \tilde{\zeta}_{q^a}^{(\alpha, h)} \left( s, b x + \frac{b i}{a} \right) = \frac{[2]_{q^a}}{[b]_{q^\alpha}^s} \sum_{i=0}^{b-1} (-1)^i q^{i a h} \tilde{\zeta}_{q^b}^{(\alpha, h)} \left( s, a x + \frac{a i}{b} \right).$$

Now, setting  $b = 1$  in Theorem 1, we have the following distribution formula:

$$\tilde{\zeta}_q^{(\alpha, h)}(s, a x) = \frac{[2]_q}{[2]_{q^a} [a]_{q^\alpha}^s} \sum_{i=0}^{a-1} (-1)^i q^{i h} \tilde{\zeta}_{q^a}^{(\alpha, h)} \left( s, x + \frac{i}{a} \right). \quad (2.4)$$

Putting  $a = 2$  in (2.4) leads to the following corollary.

**Corollary 1** *The following identity holds true:*

$$\tilde{\zeta}_q^{(\alpha, h)}(s, 2x) = \frac{[2]_q}{[2]_{q^2} [2]_{q^\alpha}^s} \left( \tilde{\zeta}_{q^2}^{(\alpha, h)}(s, x) - q^h \tilde{\zeta}_{q^2}^{(\alpha, h)} \left( s, x + \frac{1}{2} \right) \right).$$

Taking  $s = -m$  into Theorem 1, we have the symmetric property of  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi polynomials by the following theorem.

**Theorem 2** *The following identity is true:*

$$[2]_{q^b} [a]_{q^\alpha}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{a-1} (-1)^j q^{j b h} \tilde{G}_{m, q^a}^{(\alpha, h)} \left( b x + \frac{b j}{a} \right) = [2]_{q^a} [b]_{q^\alpha}^{m-1} \sum_{i=0}^{b-1} (-1)^i q^{i a h} \tilde{G}_{m, q^b}^{(\alpha, h)} \left( a x + \frac{a i}{b} \right).$$

Now also, setting  $b = 1$  and replacing  $x$  by  $\frac{x}{a}$  in the above theorem, we can rewrite the following  $(h, q)$ -Genocchi polynomials with weight  $\alpha$ :

$$\tilde{G}_{n, q}^{(\alpha, h)}(x) = \frac{[2]_q}{[2]_{q^a}} [a]_{q^\alpha}^{n-1} \sum_{i=0}^{a-1} (-1)^i q^{i h} \tilde{G}_{n, q^a}^{(\alpha, h)} \left( \frac{x+i}{a} \right) \quad (2 \nmid a).$$

Due to Araci *et al.* [3], we develop as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \tilde{G}_{n,q}^{(\alpha,h)}(x+y) \frac{t^n}{n!} &= [2]_q t \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^m q^{mh} e^{t[x+y+m]_{q^\alpha}} \\ &= [2]_q t \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^m q^{mh} e^{t[y]_{q^\alpha}} e^{(q^{\alpha y} t)[x+m]_{q^\alpha}} \\ &= \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} [y]_{q^\alpha}^n \frac{t^n}{n!} \right) \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} q^{\alpha(n-1)y} \tilde{G}_{n,q}^{(\alpha,h)}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!} \right). \end{aligned}$$

By using the Cauchy product, we see that

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{j=0}^n \binom{n}{j} q^{\alpha(j-1)y} \tilde{G}_{j,q}^{(\alpha,h)}(x) [y]_{q^\alpha}^{n-j} \right) \frac{t^n}{n!}.$$

Thus, by comparing the coefficients of  $\frac{t^n}{n!}$ , we state the following corollary.

**Corollary 2** *The following equality holds true:*

$$\tilde{G}_{n,q}^{(\alpha,h)}(x+y) = \sum_{j=0}^n \binom{n}{j} q^{\alpha(j-1)y} \tilde{G}_{j,q}^{(\alpha,h)}(x) [y]_{q^\alpha}^{n-j}. \tag{2.5}$$

By using Theorem 2 and (2.5), we readily derive the following symmetric relation after some applications.

**Theorem 3** *The following equality holds true:*

$$\begin{aligned} [2]_{q^b} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} [a]_{q^\alpha}^{i-1} [b]_{q^\alpha}^{m-i} \tilde{G}_{i,q^\alpha}^{(\alpha,h)}(bx) \tilde{S}_{m-i,q^b,h+i-1}^{(\alpha)}(a) \\ = [2]_{q^a} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} [b]_{q^\alpha}^{i-1} [a]_{q^\alpha}^{m-i} \tilde{G}_{i,q^b}^{(\alpha,h)}(ax) \tilde{S}_{m-i,q^a,h+i-1}^{(\alpha)}(b), \end{aligned}$$

where  $\tilde{S}_{m,q,i}^{(\alpha)}(a) = \sum_{j=0}^{a-1} (-1)^j q^{ij} [j]_{q^\alpha}^m$ .

When  $q \rightarrow 1$  into Theorem 3, it leads to the following corollary.

**Corollary 3** *The following identity holds true:*

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} a^{i-1} b^{m-i} G_i(bx) S_{m-i}(a) \\ = \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} b^{i-1} a^{m-i} G_i(ax) S_{m-i}(b), \end{aligned}$$

where  $S_m(a) = \sum_{j=0}^{a-1} (-1)^j j^m$  and  $G_n(x)$  are called the ordinary Genocchi polynomials which are defined via the following generating function:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} G_n(x) \frac{t^n}{n!} = \frac{2t}{e^t + 1} e^{xt}.$$

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