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***I*- FUNCTIONS AND HEAT CONDUCTION IN A SQUARE PLATE**

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Abstract

The object of this paper is to obtain a solution of a heat conduction problem in a square plate by using the help of *I*-functions of several variables. Special cases include the results proved by Ambika A [1] and S. S. Srivastava and Ritu Srivastava [6 ,p.78-80].

1. Introduction

Notations and Results used :

$(a)_n$ stands for $a(a+1)\cdots(a+n-1)$

$(a_n) = \frac{\Gamma(a+n)}{\Gamma(a)}, m \geq 1$

${}_1(a_j; \alpha_j, A_j)_p$ stands for $(a_1; \alpha_1, A_1), (a_2, \alpha_2, A_2), \cdots, (a_p; \alpha_p, A_p)$.

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The I - function of r -variables introduced by Prathima, Nambisan and Santha Kumari [4,p.38] is defined and represented as:

$$I[z_1, \dots, z_r] = I_{P,Q;p_1,1;\dots,p_r,q_r}^{0,N;m_1,n_1;\dots,m_r,n_r} \left[\begin{matrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_r \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} {}_1(a_j; \alpha_j^{(1)}, \dots, \alpha_j^{(r)}; A_j)_P : {}_1(c_j^{(1)}, \gamma_j^{(1)}; C_j^{(1)})_{p_1}; \dots; {}_1(c_j^{(r)}, \gamma_j^{(r)}; C_j^{(r)})_{p_r} \\ {}_1(b_j; \beta_j^{(1)}, \dots, \beta_j^{(r)}; B_j)_P : {}_1(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; D_j^{(1)})_{q_1}; \dots; {}_1(d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; D_j^{(r)})_{q_r} \end{matrix} \right] \quad (1.1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi\omega)^r} \int_{L_1} \dots \int_{L_r} \theta_1(s_1) \dots \theta_r(s_r) \phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) z_1^{s_1} \dots z_r^{s_r} ds_1 \dots, ds_r.$$

where

$$\phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) = \frac{\prod_{j=1}^N \Gamma^{A_j}(1 - a_j + \sum_{i=1}^r \alpha_j^{(i)} s_i)}{\prod_{j=1}^Q \Gamma^{B_j}(1 - b_j + \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=N+1}^P \Gamma^{A_j}(a_j - \sum_{i=1}^r \alpha_j^{(i)} s_i)} \quad (1.2)$$

$$\theta_i(s_1) = \frac{\prod_{j=1}^{m_i} \Gamma^{D_j^{(i)}}(d_j^{(i)} - \delta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=1}^{n_i} \Gamma^{C_j^{(i)}}(1 - c_j^{(i)} + \gamma_j^{(i)} s_i)}{\prod_{j=m_i+1}^{q_i} \Gamma^{D_j^{(i)}}(1 - d_j^{(i)} + \delta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=n_i+1}^{p_i} \Gamma^{C_j^{(i)}}(c_j^{(i)} - \gamma_j^{(i)} s_i)} \quad (1.3)$$

Also $z_i \neq 0$ ($i = 1, \dots, r$), $\omega = \sqrt{-1}$, m_j, n_j, p_j, q_j ($j = 1, \dots, r$), N, P, Q are non-negative integers such that $0 \leq N \leq P$, $Q \geq 0$, $0 \leq m_j \leq q_j$, $0 \leq n_j \leq p_j$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, r$) (not all zero simultaneously), $\alpha_j^{(i)}$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, P, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$), $\beta_j^{(i)}$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, Q, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$), $\gamma_j^{(i)}$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, p_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$) and $\delta_j^{(i)}$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, q_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$) are positive numbers. a_j ($j = 1, 2, \dots, P$), b_j ($j = 1, 2, \dots, Q$), $c_j^{(i)}$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, p_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$) and $d_j^{(i)}$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, q_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$) are complex numbers. The exponents A_j ($j = 1, 2, \dots, P$), B_j ($j = 1, 2, \dots, Q$), $C_j^{(i)}$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, p_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$) and $D_j^{(i)}$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, q_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$) of various gamma functions may take non integer values.

The I -function of r -variables is analytic if

$$\Psi_i = \sum_{j=1}^P A_j \alpha_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=1}^Q B_j \beta_j^{(i)} + \sum_{j=1}^{p_i} C_j^{(i)} \gamma_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=1}^{q_i} D_j^{(i)} \delta_j^{(i)} \leq 0, i = 1, 2, \dots, r.$$

The integral (1.5) converges absolutely if $|arg(z_i)| < \frac{1}{2}\Delta_i\pi, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ where

$$\Delta_i = \left(- \sum_{j=n+1}^P A_j \alpha_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=1}^Q B_j \beta_j^{(i)} + \sum_{j=1}^{m_i} D_j^{(i)} \delta_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=m_i+1}^{q_i} D_j^{(i)} \delta_j^{(i)} + \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} C_j^{(i)} \gamma_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=n_i+1}^{p_i} C_j^{(i)} \gamma_j^{(i)} \right) > 0 \quad (1.4)$$

On taking $D_j^{(i)} = 1 (j = 1, 2, \dots, m_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, r)$ in (1.1), then I -function will be deonted by

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{I}[z_1, \dots, z_r] &= I_{P,Q;p_1,q_1;\dots,p_r,q_r}^{0,N;m_1,n_1;\dots,m_r,n_r} \\ &\left[\begin{array}{c|c} z_1 & I_1 \\ \vdots & \\ z_r & I_2 \end{array} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi\omega)^r} \int_{L_1} \dots \int_{L_r} \bar{\theta}_1(s_1) \dots \bar{\theta}_r(s_r) \phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) z_1^{s_1} \dots z_r^{s_r} ds_1 \dots, ds_r. \quad (1.5) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= {}_1(a_j; \alpha_j^{(1)}, \dots, \alpha_j^{(r)}; A_j)_p : {}_1(c_j^{(1)}, \gamma_j^{(1)}; C_j^{(1)})_{p_1}; \dots; {}_1(c_j^{(r)}, \gamma_j^{(r)}; C_j^{(r)})_{p_r} \\ I_2 &= {}_1(b_j; \beta_j^{(1)}, \dots, \beta_j^{(r)}; B_j)_q : {}_1(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; 1)_{m_1}; {}_{m_1+1}(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; D_j^{(1)})_{q_1} \\ &\quad ; \dots; {}_1(d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; 1)_{m_r}; {}_{m_r+1}(d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; D_j^{(r)})_{q_r} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\bar{\theta}_i(s_i) = \frac{\prod_{j=1}^{m_i} \Gamma(d_j^{(i)} - \delta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=1}^{n_i} \Gamma^{C_j^{(i)}}(1 - c_j^{(i)} + \gamma_j^{(i)} s_i)}{\prod_{j=m_i+1}^{q_i} \Gamma^{D_j^{(i)}}(1 - d_j^{(i)} + \delta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=n_i+1}^{p_i} \Gamma^{C_j^{(i)}}(c_j^{(i)} - \gamma_j^{(i)} s_i)}$$

$i = 1, 2, \dots, r$.

The integral (1.5) converges absolutely if $|arg(z_i)| < \frac{1}{2}\Delta'_i\pi, i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ where

$$\Delta'_i = \left(- \sum_{j=n+1}^P A_j \alpha_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=1}^Q B_j \beta_j^{(i)} + \sum_{j=1}^{m_i} \delta_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=m_i+1}^{q_i} D_j^{(i)} \delta_j^{(i)} + \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} C_j^{(i)} \gamma_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=n_i+1}^{p_i} C_j^{(i)} \gamma_j^{(i)} \right) > 0.$$

Churchill [2,p.125].

If a square plate has its faces and edges $x = 0$ and $x = \pi$ ($0 < y < \pi$), insulated its edges $y = 0$ and $y = \pi$ ($0 < x < \pi$) are kept at temperatures zero and $f(x)$ respectively then its steady temperature $u(x, y)$ is given by

$$u(x, y) = \frac{a_0}{2\pi} y + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_n \sinh ny}{\sinh nx} \cos nx, \quad (1.6)$$

where

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \quad (1.7)$$

2. Heat Conduction in a Square Plate

Consider the Problem of determining $u(x, y)$, defined in (1.6) with $u(x, 0) = f(x)$ and

$$f(x) = (\sin x)^{m-1} I_{P,Q;p_1,q_1;\dots;p_r,q_r}^{0,N;m_1,n_1;\dots;m_r,n_r} \begin{bmatrix} z_1(\sin x)^{\lambda_1} & I_1 \\ \vdots & \\ z_r(\sin x)^{\lambda_r} & I_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (2.1)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= {}_1(a_j; \alpha_j^{(1)}, \dots, \alpha_j^{(r)}; A_j)_p : {}_1(c_j^{(1)}, \gamma_j^{(1)}; C_j^{(1)})_{p_1}; \dots; (c_j^{(r)}, \gamma_j^{(r)}; C_j^{(r)}) \\ I_2 &= {}_1(b_j; \beta_j^{(1)}, \beta_j^{(2)}; B_j)_Q : {}_1(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; 1)_{m_1;m_1+1} (d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; D_j^{(1)})_{q_1} \\ &\quad ; \dots ; {}_1(d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; 1)_{m_r;m_r+1} (d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; D_j^{(r)})_{q_r}. \end{aligned}$$

3. An Integral Required for the Sequel

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_0^{\pi} (\sin x)^{m-1} \cos nx \times I_{P,Q;p_1,q_1;\dots;p_r,q_r}^{0,N;m_1,n_1;\dots;m_r,n_r} \begin{bmatrix} z_1(\sin x)^{\lambda_1} & I_1 \\ \vdots & \\ z_r(\sin x)^{\lambda_r} & I_2 \end{bmatrix} dx \\ &= \frac{\pi \cos n \frac{\pi}{2}}{2^{m-1}} I_{P+1,Q+2;p_1,q_1;\dots;p_r,q_r}^{0,N+1;m_1,n_1;\dots;m_r,n_r} \begin{bmatrix} 2^{-\lambda_1} z_1 & I_3 \\ \vdots & \\ 2^{-\lambda_r} z_r & I_4 \end{bmatrix} \quad (3.1) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
I_1 &= {}_1(a_j; \alpha_j^{(1)}, \dots, \alpha_j^{(r)}; A_j)_p : {}_1(c_j^{(1)}, \gamma_j^{(1)}; C_j^{(1)})_{p_1}; \dots; (c_j^{(r)}, \gamma_j^{(r)}; C_j^{(r)})_{p_r} \\
I_2 &= {}_1(b_j; \beta_j^{(1)}, \beta_j^{(r)}; B_j)_Q : {}_1(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; 1)_{m_1; m_1+1} (d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; D_j^{(1)})_{q_1} \\
&\quad ; \dots; {}_1(d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; 1)_{m_r; m_r+1} (d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; D_j^{(r)})_{q_r} \\
I_3 &= (1-m, \lambda_1 \dots \lambda_r)_1; (a_j; \alpha_j^{(1)}, \dots, \alpha_j^{(r)}; A_j)_P : {}_1(c_j^{(1)}, \gamma_j^{(1)}; C_j^{(1)})_{p_1}; \dots; {}_1(c_j^{(r)}, \gamma_j^{(r)}; C_j^{(r)})_{p_r} \\
I_4 &= {}_1(b_j; \beta_j^{(1)}, \dots, \beta_j^{(r)}; B_j)_Q : \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{m}{2} - \frac{n}{2}, \frac{\lambda_1}{2}, \dots, \frac{\lambda_r}{2} \right)_1; \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{m}{2} + \frac{n}{2}, \frac{\lambda_1}{2}, \dots, \frac{\lambda_r}{2} \right); \\
&\quad {}_1(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; 1)_{m_1; m_1+1} (d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; D_j^{(1)})_{q_1}; \dots; (d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; 1)_{m_r; m_r+1} (d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; D_j^{(r)})_{q_r}
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\Delta_k &= \left(- \sum_{j=N+1}^P A_j \alpha_j^{(k)} - \sum_{j=1}^Q B_j \beta_j^{(k)} + \sum_{j=1}^{m_k} \delta_j^{(i)} \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \sum_{j=m_k+1}^{q_{ik}} D_j^{(k)} \delta_j^{(k)} + \sum_{j=1}^{n_k} C_j^{(k)} \gamma_j^{(k)} - \sum_{j=n_k+1}^{p_k} C_j^{(k)} \gamma_j^{(k)} \right) > 0
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$|arg(z_k)| < \frac{1}{2} \Delta_k \pi, \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, r, \quad Re(m) > 0.$$

Proof :

$$\begin{aligned}
&\int_0^\pi (\sin x)^{m-1} \cos nx \ I_{P,Q:m_1,n_1;\dots;m_r,n_r}^{0,N:p_1,q_1;\dots;p_r,q_r} \begin{bmatrix} z_1 (\sin x)^{\lambda_1} & I_1 \\ \vdots & \\ z_r (\sin x)^{\lambda_r} & I_2 \end{bmatrix} dx \\
&= \int_0^\pi (\sin x)^{m-1} \cos nx \\
&\quad \times \left(\frac{1}{(2\pi\omega)^r} \int_{L_1} \dots \int_{L_r} \bar{\theta}_1(s_1) \dots \bar{\theta}_r(s_r) \phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) \right. \\
&\quad \left. z_1^{s_1} (\sin x)^{\lambda_1 s_1} \dots z_r^{s_r} (\sin x)^{\lambda_r s_r} ds_1 \dots ds_r \right) dx
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{(2\pi\omega)^r} \int_{L_1} \cdots \int_{L_r} \bar{\theta}_1(s_1) \cdots \bar{\theta}_r(s_r) \phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) z_1^{s_1} \cdots z_r^{s_r} \\
&\quad \times \left(\int_0^\pi (\sin x)^{m-1+\lambda_1 s_1 + \cdots + \lambda_r s_r} \cos nx dx \right) ds_1 \cdots ds_r \\
&\quad \frac{1}{(2\pi\omega)^r} \int_{L_1} \cdots \int_{L_r} \bar{\theta}_1(s_1) \cdots \bar{\theta}_r(s_r) \phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) z_1^{s_1} \cdots z_r^{s_r} \\
&\quad \times \left(\frac{\pi \cos n \frac{\pi}{2} \Gamma(\lambda_1 s_1 + \cdots + \lambda_r s_r + m)}{2^{\lambda_1 s_1 + \cdots + \lambda_r s_r + m-1} \frac{\Gamma(\lambda_1 s_1 + \cdots + \lambda_r s_r + m + n + 1)}{2} \frac{\Gamma(\lambda_1 s_1 + \cdots + \lambda_r s_r + m - n + 1)}{2}} \right) ds_1 \cdots ds_r \\
&= \frac{\pi \cos n \frac{\pi}{2}}{2^{m-1}} I_{P+1, Q+2; p_1, q_1; \dots; p_r, q_r}^{0, N+1; m_1, n_1; \dots; m_r, n_r} \left[\begin{array}{c} 2^{-\lambda_1} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ 2^{-\lambda_r} z_r \end{array} \middle| \begin{array}{c} I_3 \\ I_4 \end{array} \right] \\
I_3 &= (1-m, \lambda_1 \cdots \lambda_r)_1; (a_j; \alpha_j^{(1)}, \dots, \alpha_j^{(r)}; A_j)_P; {}_1(c_j^{(1)}, \gamma_j^{(1)}; C_j^{(1)})_{p_1}; \dots; {}_1(c_j^{(r)}, \gamma_j^{(r)}; C_j^{(r)})_{p_r} \\
I_4 &= {}_1(b_j; \beta_j^{(1)}, \dots, \beta_j^{(r)}; B_j)_Q; \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{m}{2} - \frac{n}{2}, \frac{\lambda_1}{2}, \dots, \frac{\lambda_r}{2} \right)_1; \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{m}{2} + \frac{n}{2}, \frac{\lambda_1}{2}, \dots, \frac{\lambda_r}{2} \right); \\
&\quad {}_1(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; 1)_{m_1}; {}_{m_1+1}(d_1^{(j)}, \delta_j^{(1)}, D_j^{(1)})_{q_1}; \dots; (d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}, 1)_{m_r}; {}_{m_r+1}(d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; D_j^{(r)})_{q_r}.
\end{aligned}$$

4. Solution of the Problem

Combining (1.7) and (2.1), and making use of the integral (3.1), we derive

$$\begin{aligned}
a_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi (\sin x)^{m-1} \cos nx \times I_{P, Q; p_1, q_1; \dots; p_r, q_r}^{0, N; m_1, n_1; \dots; m_r, n_r} \left[\begin{array}{c} z_1 (\sin x)^{\lambda_1} \\ \vdots \\ z_r (\sin x)^{\lambda_r} \end{array} \middle| \begin{array}{c} I_1 \\ I_2 \end{array} \right] dx \\
&= \frac{\pi \cos n \frac{\pi}{2}}{2^{m-1}} I_{P+1, Q+2; p_1, q_1; \dots; p_r, q_r}^{0, N+1; m_1, n_1; \dots; m_r, n_r} \left[\begin{array}{c} 2^{-\lambda_1} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ 2^{-\lambda_r} z_r \end{array} \middle| \begin{array}{c} I_3 \\ I_4 \end{array} \right] \quad (4.1)
\end{aligned}$$

On putting the value of a_n in (1.6) we get the following required solution of the problem.

$$u(x, y) = \frac{a_0}{2\pi} y + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\pi \cos n \frac{\pi}{2}}{2^{m-2}} \frac{\sinh ny}{\sinh nx} \cos nx I_{P+1, Q+2; p_1, q_1; \dots; p_r, q_r}^{0, N+1; m_1, n_1; \dots; m_r, n_r} \left[\begin{array}{c} 2^{-\lambda_1} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ 2^{-\lambda_r} z_r \end{array} \middle| \begin{array}{c} I_3 \\ I_4 \end{array} \right] \quad (4.2)$$

provided that the condition stated with (3.1) are satisfied.

On taking $z_i = 0$ and $\lambda_i = 0$ for $i \geq 2$, (3.1) reduces to the result involving I -functions of 2-variables as follows:

Corollary 1 :

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\pi (\sin x)^{m-1} \cos nx \times I_{P,Q;p_1,q_1;p_2,q_2}^{0,N;m_1,n_1;m_2,n_2} \left[\begin{matrix} z_1(\sin x)^{\lambda_1} \\ \vdots \\ z_2(\sin x)^{\lambda_2} \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} J_1 \\ J_2 \end{matrix} \right] dx \\ &= \frac{\pi \cos n \frac{\pi}{2}}{2^{m-1}} I_{P+1,Q+2;p_1,q_1;p_2,q_2}^{0,N+1;m_1,n_1;m_2,n_2} \left[\begin{matrix} 2^{-\lambda_1} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ 2^{-\lambda_r} z_r \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} J_3 \\ J_4 \end{matrix} \right] \quad (4.3) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} J_1 &= {}_1(a_j; \alpha_j^{(1)}, \alpha_j^{(2)}; A_j)_P : {}_1(c_j^{(1)}, \gamma_j^{(1)}; C_j^{(1)})_{p_1} : {}_1(c_j^{(2)}, \gamma_j^{(2)}; C_j^{(2)})_{p_2} \\ J_2 &= {}_1(b_j; \beta_j^{(1)}, \beta_j^{(2)}; B_j)_Q : {}_1(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; 1)_{m_1; m_1+1} (d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; D_j^{(1)})_{q_1}; \\ & \quad {}_1(d_j^{(2)}, \delta_j^{(2)}; 1)_{m_2; m_2+1} (d_j^{(2)}, \delta_j^{(2)}; D_j^{(2)})_{q_2}. \\ J_3 &= (1-m, \lambda_1, \lambda_2)_1; (a_j; \alpha_j^{(1)}, \alpha_j^{(2)}; A_j)_P : {}_1(c_j^{(1)}, \gamma_j^{(1)}; C_j^{(1)})_{p_1}; {}_1(c_j^{(2)}, \gamma_j^{(2)}; C_j^{(2)})_{p_2} \\ J_4 &= {}_1(b_j; \beta_j^{(1)}, \beta_j^{(2)}; B_j)_Q : \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{m}{2} - \frac{n}{2}, \frac{\lambda_1}{2} \right); \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{m}{2} + \frac{n}{2}, \frac{\lambda_2}{2} \right); \\ & \quad {}_1(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; 1)_{m_1}; {}_{m_1+1}(d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; D_j^{(1)})_{q_1}; (d_j^{(2)}, \delta_j^{(2)}, 1)_{m_2}; {}_{m_2+1}(d_j^{(2)}, \delta_j^{(2)}; D_j^{(2)})_{q_2}. \end{aligned}$$

and

$$|\arg(z_k)| < \frac{1}{2} \Delta_k \pi, \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, r, \quad \operatorname{Re}(m) > 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_k &= \left(- \sum_{j=N+1}^P A_j \alpha_j^{(k)} - \sum_{j=1}^Q B_j \beta_j^{(k)} + \sum_{j=1}^{m_k} \delta_j^{(k)} \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \sum_{j=m_k+1}^{q_{ik}} D_j^{(k)} \delta_j^{(k)} + \sum_{j=1}^{n_k} C_j^{(k)} \gamma_j^{(k)} - \sum_{j=n_k+1}^{p_k} C_j^{(k)} \gamma_j^{(k)} \right) > 0. \end{aligned}$$

Remark 1 : On taking $z_2 = 0$ and $\lambda_2 = 0$, (4.3) reduces to the result proved by Ambika [1].

Remark 2 : On taking $A_j = B_j = C_j^{(i)} = D_j^{(i)} = 1$ ($i, j = 1, 2, \dots, r$), Remark 1 reduces to the result proved by S. S. Srivastava and Ritu Srivastava [6, p.79].

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