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Dirichet And Unitary Convolutions Of Arithmetic Functions.

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<u>Abstract</u>:- In this paper we study Arithmetic functions and its distributive and quasi distributive properties hold is general set-up of s-regular and A-regular convolutions. They hold in the case of Dirichet and Unitary Convolutions. We study the theorems of Pandmavashamma [3], Vidyanatha Swamy [7], Langford [2], Lambek [1].

(1) <u>Introduction</u>:- A system study of Vasu's S-regular and A-regular i.e. strong regular convolutions has been presented along with some results by Pandmavashamma [3] Balashekhar and Subrahimanya Saitri [4].

Theorem (1.1) for any three arithmetic functions f, g, h, where f is A- multiplicative, and A is any s-regular convolution

[1.1(1)]
$$F(g A h) = (f g) A (f h)$$

Holds if any only if f is completely A-multiplicative

Theorem (1.2) for any three A-multiplicative functions f_1 , f_2 , f_3 , we have

[1.2 (1)] f_1A (f_2 B f_3) = (f_1 A f_2) B (f_1 A f_3), where A is any A- regular convolution and B is the unitary regular convolution associated with A.

Theorem (1.3) for any four completely-A-multiplicative functions f_1 , f_2 , f_3 , f_4 we have

[1.3 (1)]
$$(f_1 f_3) A (f_1 f_4) A (f_2 f_3) A (f_3 f_4) = (f_1 A f_2) (f_3 A f_4) A \theta$$
 where

$$\theta(r) = \begin{cases} f_1\left(\sqrt{r}\right) f_2\left(\sqrt{r}\right) \ f_3\left(\sqrt{r}\right) \ f_4\left(\sqrt{r}\right), \text{if r is a square w. r. to} \\ \text{product representation of A} \\ 0 \qquad \text{, otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

We also indicate the corresponding distributive properties for six completely-A-multiplicative functions, an analogue of Theorem of Subbarao [5].

Theorem (1.4) For completely-A-multiplicative function f, g, h, k, u, v, we have

[1.4 (1)] (f A g) (h A k) (u A v)=(f hu A f hu A f ku A f kv A ghu A ghu A gku A gkv A θ).

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Where θ (n) is an A-multiplicative function defined for an arbitrary A-primitive p^t as follows:

$$\begin{array}{l} \textbf{1,} & \text{if } i=0 \\ \\ \textbf{0,} & \text{if } i=1 \text{ or } i=5, \rho(p^t)>4, \text{ or } i>6, \rho(p^t)>6 \\ \\ \textbf{-w,} & \text{if } i=2, \rho(p^t)\geq 2 \\ \\ \textbf{2 abcdrs } (a+b) \ (c+d) \ (r+s), \ \text{if } i=3, \rho(p^t)\geq 3 \\ \\ \textbf{-2 abcdrsw,} & \text{if } i=4, \rho(p^t)>4 \\ \\ \textbf{(abcdrs)}^3 \ , & \text{if } i=6, \rho(p^t)\geq 6 \end{array}$$

Where
$$f(p^t) = a$$
; $g(p^t) = b$; $h(p^t) = c$; $k(p^t) = d$; $u(p^t) = r$; $b(p^t) = s$

2. We make use of the generating power series and Bell series defined below:

$$f_{p^t}(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{\rho} f\left(P^{t_i}\right) x^i$$

is called the generating power series or Bell series to the base Pt.

If f is A-multiplicative, f is uniquely determined when f $_{p\,t}$ (x) are known for all A-primitives p^t .

Example (2.1): Mobius function $\mu_A = u_A^{-1}$ (associated with an A-divisor system), where u(n) = 1 for all n is determined by the generating power series.

[2.1 (1)]
$$\mu_{p^t}(x) = 1-x$$
.

Result (2.2): If f is completed-A-multiplicative, then $f(p^{ti}) = f(p^t)^i$, for $0 \le i \le \rho(p^t)$

Where pt is an A-primitive and its generating power series to the base pt is

[2.2 (2)]
$$f_{p^t}(x) = 1-f(p^t)x^{-1} \pmod{x^{\rho+1}} = 1-f(p^t)x^{-1}|_{\rho}$$

the binomial series (1-f (pt) x)-1 truncated to degree $\rho.$ Likewise we have

Result (2.3): If f and g are A-multiplicative then

[2.3 (1)]
$$(fAg)_{pt}(x) = f_{pt}(x)^{A} g_{pt}(x)$$

Where $\overset{A}{x}$ indicates that the product is the formal product of the concerned power series modulo

 $x^{\rho+1}$. We also have

Result (2.4): If f_1 and f_2 are completely -A-multiplicative and f_1 (p^t) = a, f_2 (p^t) = b then

[2.4 (1)]
$$(f_1 f_2)_{p^t} (x) = [1-abx]^{-1}|_{\rho}$$

We know

Result (2.5):
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{a^{n+1} - b^{n+1}}{a - b} \right] \left[\frac{c^{n+1} - d^{n+1}}{c - d} \right] x^{n}$$

 $= \frac{(1-a b c d x^2)}{(1-a c x) (1-bcx)(1-a d x)(1-b d x)}$ Sivaramakrishnan [6].

Hence on truncating to the degree x^{ρ} , we have

Result (2.6):
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \left[\frac{a^{n+1} - b^{n+1}}{a - b} \right] \left[\frac{c^{n+1} - d^{n+1}}{c - d} \right] x^n \right\} \Big|_{\rho}$$
$$= \frac{(1 - a b c d x^2)}{(1 - a c x)(1 - b c x)(1 - a d x)(1 - b d x)} \Big|_{\rho}$$

3. We all prove theorem (1.1) in a more general form.

Definition (3.1): A product k= g A h for any two arithmetic functions g, h is called a discriminative A-product if k (n) = g(1) h(n) + g(n) h(1) holds only when n is A-primitive.

In otherwords, k = g A h is a discriminative -A-product only if

[3.1 (1)
$$\sum_{\substack{d \in A(n) \\ d \neq 1, d \neq n}} g(d)h\left(\frac{n}{d}\right) \neq 0 \text{ when n is not } A - \text{primitive}$$

Theorem (3.2): Let f, g, h be any three arithmetic functions, then f is completely-A- multiplicative if and only if [1.1(1)] holds for a discriminative -A-product k = gAh.

Proof: It is easy to verify that [1.1 (1)] holds for all arithmetic functions g, h whenever f is completely -Amultiplicative. In particular, it holds when k = gAh, a discriminative A-product.

For the converse, we assume $r = p_1^{t_1} p_2^{t_2} \dots p_m^{t_m}$, where the A-primitives $p_i^{t_i}$ are distinct or not.

We prove by induction on m, the necessary result for completely-A-multiplicatively, viz.,

[3.2 (1)]
$$f\begin{pmatrix} m & p & t_i \\ \prod & p & t_i \\ i=1 \end{pmatrix} = \prod_{i=1}^m f(p & t_i)$$

If m = 1, (3.2) is trivial.

Assume (3.2) is true for all m < n. Let gAh be a discriminative

A-product and m = n. Then, since f satisfies [1.1(2)],

$$f(p \, \frac{t_1}{1} \, p \, \frac{t_2}{2} \dots p \, \frac{t_n}{n}) \sum_{d \in A(r)} g(d)h(\frac{r}{d}) = \sum_{d \in A(r)} f(d)g(d)f(\frac{r}{d}) g(\frac{r}{d})$$

$$= f(p_{1}^{t_{1}}) f(p_{m}^{t_{m}}) \sum_{\substack{d \in A(n) \\ d \neq 1 \ d \neq n}} g(d) + f(p_{1}^{t_{1}} \dots p_{n}^{t_{n}}) h(p_{1}^{t_{1}} \dots p_{n}^{t_{n}}) g(1)$$

+
$$f(p_1^{t_1}...p_n^{t_n}) h(1) g(p_1^{t_1}...p_n^{t_n})$$

Therefore

$$\left[f(p_1^{t_1}, \dots, p_n^{t_n}) - f(p_1^{t_1}, \dots, f(p_n^{t_n}) \right] \sum_{\substack{d \in A(n) \\ d \neq 1, d \neq n}} g(d) h\left(\frac{n}{d}\right) = 0,$$

So, That (3.2) holds for m = n, as the product g A h is discriminative.

In particular, the converse is true, when [1.1 (1)] holds for all arithmetic functions f, g, h.

Proof of the Theorem (1.2): It is enough if we that the result is true for $p^{i\,t}$, $1 \le i \le \rho$ for any A-primitive p^t . Note that for any A-regular convolution there exist a corresponding unique "unitary" s-regular convolution B. In fact

$$(f_2 B f_3) p^{it}) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i = 0 \\ f_2 (p^{it}) + f_3(p^{it}), & \text{if } i \ge 1 \end{cases}$$

$$(f_1 A (f_2 B f_3) (p^{it}) = \sum_{1 \le j+\ell \le i}^{\sum f} (p^{jt}) f_2 (p^{\ell t}) + f_3 (p^{\ell t}) + f_1 (p^{it})$$

$$\left(f_1 \, A f_k\right) \left(p^{it}\right) = \sum_{0 \, \leq j+\ell \, \leq i}^{\sum} f_1\left(p^{jt}\right) f_k\left(p^{\ell t}\right) \text{, } k = 2\text{, } 3$$

Therefore

$$(f_1 A (f_2 B f_3) B f_1) (p^{it}) = (f_1 A f_3) (p^{it}).$$

Hence

$$f_1 A (f_2 B f_3) B f_1 = (f_1 A f_2) B (f_1 A f_3)$$

Proof of the theorem (1.3): Consider any primitive base pt.

Let
$$a_i = f_1(p^t)$$
, $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$,

$$a_1 \neq a_2$$
; $a_3 \neq a_4$

Then for any i, j = 1, 2, 3, 4 i $\neq j$ we have,

$$(f_1 A f_j)_{pt} (x) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{\rho} \left[\frac{a_i^{\ell+1} - a_j^{\ell+1}}{a_i - a_j} \right] x^{\ell} \dots \dots$$

and

$$(f_i \ f_i)_{p^t} (x) = 1 + \sum_{\ell=1}^{\rho} a_i^{\ell} \ a_i^{\ell} \ x^{\ell}$$

Then if $f = (f_1 A f_2) (f_3 A f_4)$ in view of, [2.4 (1)] we have

$$F_{pt}(x) = (1-a_1 \ a_2 \ a_3 \ a_4 \ x^2) (1-a_1 \ a_3 \ x)^{-1} (1-a_2 \ a_3)^{-1}$$

$$(1-a_1 \ a_4 \ x)^{-1} (1-a_2 \ a_4 \ x)^{-1}$$

Further, we will have

$$\theta_{pt}(x) = 1-a_1 \ a_2 \ a_3 \ a_4 \ x^2 + \dots + a_1^{\ell} \ a_2^{\ell} \ a_3^{\ell} \ a_4^{\ell} \ x^{2\ell}$$

$$= (1-a_1 \ a_2 \ a_3 \ a_4 \ x^2)^{-1}|_{\rho}$$

Where $\ell = [\rho(p^{t})/2]$.

Hence Theorem (1.3) follows:

Proof of Theorem (1.4): It follows on the same lines, using generating power series to bases p^t modulo $x^{\rho+1}$ and on verifying that left side of (1.9) has the generating series to base p^t given by

Conclusion: The proof Theorem (1.1), (1.2), (1.3) and (1.4) follows with the use of generating power series and Bell series so that (3.2) holds for m=n as the product of g A h is discriminative. In particular the converse is true when [1.1 (1)] holds for all arithmetic function f, g, h.

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