

# Results on Generalized Mittag-Leffler Function via Laplace Transform

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## Abstract

The present paper deals with the results involving Generalized Mittag-Leffler function by using Laplace Transform.

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## 1 Introduction

In 1903, Gosta Mittag-Leffler [3] introduced the function  $E_\alpha(z)$  as

$$E_\alpha(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{\Gamma(\alpha n + 1)} \quad (\alpha \in \mathbf{C}, \Re(\alpha) > 0) \quad (1)$$

In 1905, Wiman [7] studied the generalization of  $E_\alpha(z)$  as

$$E_{\alpha,\beta}(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{\Gamma(\alpha n + \beta)} \quad (\alpha \in \mathbf{C}, \Re(\alpha) > 0, \Re(\beta) > 0) \quad (2)$$

In 1971, Prabhakar [4] introduced the function  $E_{\alpha,\beta}^\gamma(z)$  defined as,

$$E_{\alpha,\beta}^\gamma(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\gamma)_n}{\Gamma(\alpha n + \beta)} \cdot \frac{z^n}{n!} \quad (\alpha \in \mathbf{C}, \Re(\alpha) > 0, \Re(\beta) > 0, \Re(\gamma) > 0) \quad (3)$$

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where  $(\gamma)_n$  is the Pochhammer symbol defined as,

$$(\gamma)_n = \begin{cases} 1 & (n = 0; \gamma \neq 0) \\ \gamma(\gamma + 1) \dots (\gamma + n - 1) & (n \in \mathbf{N}; \gamma \in \mathbf{C}) \end{cases}$$

where,  $\mathbf{N}$  being the set of positive integers.

If  $\gamma$  is neither zero nor a negative integer, then

$$(\gamma)_n = \frac{\Gamma(\gamma + n)}{\Gamma(\gamma)}$$

Shukla and Prajapati [6] introduced the function  $E_{\alpha, \beta}^{\gamma, q}(z)$ , defined by

$$E_{\alpha, \beta}^{\gamma, q}(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\gamma)_{qn}}{\Gamma(\alpha n + \beta)} \cdot \frac{z^n}{n!},$$

$$\text{where, } \alpha \in \mathbf{C}, \Re(\alpha) > 0, \Re(\beta) > 0, \Re(\gamma) > 0, q \in (0, 1) \cup \mathbf{N}. \quad (4)$$

The function  $E_{\alpha, \beta}^{\gamma, q}(z)$  converges absolutely for all  $z \in \mathbf{C}$  if  $q < \Re(\alpha) + 1$ . Shukla and Prajapati [5] used the following result,

$$(1 - z)^{-\gamma, q} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\gamma)_{qn}}{n!} z^n. \quad (5)$$

## Laplace Transform

The Laplace transform [2] of a real scalar function  $f(x)$  of the real variable  $x$ , with parameter  $t$ , is defined as

$$L_f(t) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-tx} f(x) dx, \quad \text{whenever } L_f(t) \text{ exists.} \quad (6)$$

## 2 Main Result

### Theorem.

If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \mu \in \mathbf{C}$  ( $\Re(\alpha), \Re(\beta), \Re(\gamma), \Re(\mu) > 0$ ) and  $q \in (0, 1) \cup \mathbf{N}$ . then,

$$L [(x - a)^{\beta + \mu - 1} \Gamma(\mu) E_{\alpha, \beta + \mu}^{\gamma, q}(x - a)^{\alpha}] = \Gamma(\mu) e^{-\alpha t} t^{-\beta - \mu} (1 - t^{-\alpha})^{-\gamma, q} \quad (7)$$

where,  $|t^{-\alpha}| < 1$ ,  $L_f(t)$  is defined as (6),  $E_{\alpha, \beta + \mu}^{\gamma, q}(x - a)^{\alpha}$  is defined as (4) and  $(1 - t^{-\alpha})^{-\gamma, q}$  is defined as (5).

*Proof.*

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= L [(x - a)^{\beta+\mu-1} \Gamma(\mu) E_{\alpha, \beta+\mu}^{\gamma, q}(x - a)^\alpha] \\ &= \frac{\Gamma(\mu)}{e^{at}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\gamma)_{qn}}{\Gamma(\beta + \mu + \alpha n)} \frac{1}{n!} \frac{\Gamma(\beta + \mu + \alpha n)}{t^{\beta+\mu+\alpha n}} \\ &= \Gamma(\mu) e^{-at} t^{-\beta-\mu} (1 - t^{-\alpha})^{-\gamma, q}, |t^{-\alpha}| < 1 \\ &= \text{R.H.S.} \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$L [(x - a)^{\beta+\mu-1} \Gamma(\mu) E_{\alpha, \beta+\mu}^{\gamma, q}(x - a)^\alpha] = \Gamma(\mu) e^{-\alpha t} t^{-\beta-\mu} (1 - t^{-\alpha})^{-\gamma, q} \quad \square$$

### 2.1 Corollaries

Corollary I

$$\text{For } \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \in \mathbf{C} (\Re(\alpha), \Re(\beta), \Re(\gamma), \Re(\delta) > 0)$$

$$L [(x - a)^{\gamma-\alpha-1} E_{\beta, \gamma-\alpha}^\delta (a(x)^\alpha)] = t^{\gamma-\alpha} (1 - at^{-\beta})^{-\delta} \quad (8)$$

where,  $|t^{-\beta}| < 1$ ,  $L_f(t)$  is defined as (6) and  $E_{\beta, \gamma-\alpha}^\delta (ax^\beta)$  is defined as (3).

Corollary II

$$\text{For } \alpha, \beta \in \mathbf{C} (\Re(\alpha), \Re(\beta) > 0)$$

$$L \left[ \frac{x^{\beta-\alpha-1}}{\Gamma(\beta - \alpha)} + ax^{\beta-1} E_{\alpha, \beta}(ax^\alpha) \right] = t^{-\beta} [t^\alpha + a(1 - at^{-\alpha})^{-1}] \quad (9)$$

where,  $|t^{-\alpha}| < 1$ ,  $L_f(t)$  is defined as (6) and  $E_{\alpha, \beta}(ax^\alpha)$  is defined as (2).

Corollary III

$$\text{For } x > a \alpha, \lambda \in \mathbf{C} (\Re(\alpha) > 0)$$

$$L [e^{\lambda a} (x - a)^\alpha E_{1, \alpha+1}(\lambda x - \lambda a)] = e^{(\lambda-t)a} t^{-(\alpha+1)} \left( 1 - \frac{\lambda}{t} \right)^{-1} \quad (10)$$

where,  $|\frac{\lambda}{t}| < 1$ , where  $L_f(t)$  is defined by equation (6) and  $E_{1, \alpha+1}(\lambda x - \lambda a)$  is given by equation (2).

## 2.2 Some Special Cases

Case I:

If  $\alpha > 0, \gamma > 0$ , then

$$L [x^{\alpha\gamma-1} E_{\alpha\gamma,\alpha}^{\gamma}(-x^{\alpha})] = (1 + t^{\alpha})^{-\gamma}; |t^{\alpha}| < 1 \quad (11)$$

where  $L_f(t)$  is defined as (6),  $E_{\alpha\gamma,\alpha}^{\gamma}(-x^{\alpha})$  is defined as (3) and given by Mathai et al. [1].

Case II:

If  $\alpha > 0$ , then

$$L [x^{\alpha-1} E_{\alpha,\alpha}(-x^{\alpha})] = (1 + t^{\alpha})^{-1}; |t^{\alpha}| < 1 \quad (12)$$

where  $L_f(t)$  is defined as (6),  $E_{\alpha,\alpha}(-x^{\alpha})$  is defined as (2) and given by Mathai et al. [1].

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