

Bessel Function:

The Bessel function of 1st kind is defined as

$$J_n(z) = \frac{(z/2)^n}{\Gamma(1+n)} {}_0F_1\left(-; 1+n; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

where n is not a negative integer.

If n is a negative integer, then

$$J_n(z) = (-1)^n J_{-n}(z)$$

Equation (1) may be written as.

$$J_n(z) = \frac{(z/2)^n}{\Gamma(1+n)} {}_0F_1\left(-; 1+n; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)$$

$$= \frac{(z/2)^n}{\Gamma(1+n)} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(1+n)_m} \cdot \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m}}{m! \cdot 2^{2m}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(1+n)} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma(1+n)}{\Gamma(1+n+m)} \cdot \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+n}}{m! \cdot 2^{2m+n}}$$

$$J_n(z) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+n}}{2^{2m+n} m! \Gamma(1+n+m)}$$

If we replace z by $-z$ then

$$J_n(-z) = (-1)^n J_n(z)$$

Bessel's Differential Equation:

$$\{c(c+b-1) - y\} u = 0, \quad \text{--- (1)} \quad c = y \frac{d}{dy}$$

$$\text{let } b = 1+n, \quad y = -\frac{z^2}{4}$$

where $u = {}_0F_1(-; b; y)$ is a solution of eqn (1).

Now let $b = 1+n, \quad y = -\frac{z^2}{4}$ put in eqn (1)

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$$zU'' + (2n+1)U' + zU = 0 \quad \text{where} \quad u = {}_0F_1\left(-, 1+n, -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)$$

$$\text{Now let } w = z^n u$$

$$\Rightarrow u = z^{-n} w$$

Then we have the following differential eq.

$$z^2 w'' + z w' + (z^2 - n^2) w = 0, \quad (2)$$

where $w = z^n {}_0F_1\left(-, 1+n, -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)$ is a solution of eq. (2) which is called Bessel differential equation.

$$\theta(\theta+b-1)u = \theta(\theta+b-1) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(b)_n} \frac{y^m}{m!}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} m(m+b-1) \frac{1}{(b)_n} \frac{y^m}{m!}$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (m+b-1) \frac{1}{(b)_n} \frac{y^m}{(m-1)!}$$

* Replace m by $m+1$

$$\theta(\theta+b-1)u = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(b)_{n-1}} \cdot \frac{y^{m+1}}{(m-1)!}$$

Replace m by $m+1$

$$\theta(\theta+b-1)u = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(b)_n} \frac{y^{m+1}}{m!}$$

$$\theta(\theta+b-1)u = y \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(b)_n} \frac{y^m}{m!}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta(\theta+b-1)u - yu = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow [\theta(\theta+b-1) - y]u = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\theta^2 u + \theta b u - \theta u - yu = 0$$

$$\therefore \theta u = y \frac{du}{dy} = yu'$$

$$\theta^2 u = \theta(yu') = y \frac{d}{dy}(yu')$$

$$\theta^2 u = yu' + y^2 u''$$

$$y u' + y^2 u'' + b y u' - y u' - y u = 0$$

$$y^2 u'' + b y u' - y u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y u'' + b u' - u = 0 \quad (2)$$

since $y = -\frac{z^2}{4}$, $b = 1+n$.

$$\frac{du}{dy} = \frac{du}{dz} \frac{dz}{dy}$$

$$\frac{du}{dy} = -2/z \frac{du}{dz}$$

$$\frac{d^2u}{dy^2} = \frac{d}{dz} \left[-2/z \frac{du}{dz} \right] \frac{dz}{dy}$$

$$= \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left(-2/z \right) \frac{du}{dz} + \left(-2/z \right) \frac{d}{dz} \left(\frac{du}{dz} \right) \right] \left(-2/z \right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{z^2} \frac{du}{dz} - 2/z \frac{d^2u}{dz^2} \right) \left(-2/z \right)$$

$$\frac{d^2u}{dy^2} = -4/z^3 \frac{du}{dz} + 4/z^2 \frac{d^2u}{dz^2}$$

using values of y , u' , u'' , a and b in (2)

$$-\frac{z^2}{4} \left[-4/z^3 \frac{du}{dz} + 4/z^2 \frac{d^2u}{dz^2} \right] + (1+n) \left(-2/z \right) \frac{du}{dz} - u = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{z} \frac{du}{dz} + \frac{d^2u}{dz^2} + (1+n) \left(-2/z \right) \frac{du}{dz} - u = 0$$

$$1 \cdot \frac{1}{z} \frac{du}{dz} - 2/z \frac{du}{dz} - 2n/z \frac{du}{dz} + \frac{d^2u}{dz^2} - u = 0$$

$$-1/z (1+2n) \frac{du}{dz} + \frac{d^2u}{dz^2} - u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z \frac{d^2u}{dz^2} + (2n+1) \frac{du}{dz} + z u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z \frac{d^2 u}{dz^2} + (2n+1) \frac{du}{dz} + zu = 0 \quad (3)$$

Now Put $w = z^n u$

$$\Rightarrow u = z^{-n} w$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{du}{dz} = -n z^{-n-1} w + z^{-n} \frac{dw}{dz}$$

$$\frac{du}{dz} = -n z^{-n-1} w + z^{-n} \frac{dw}{dz}$$

Now

$$\frac{d^2 u}{dz^2} = (-n)(-n-1) z^{-n-2} w - n z^{-n-1} \frac{dw}{dz} - n z^{-n-1} \frac{dw}{dz} + z^{-n} \frac{d^2 w}{dz^2}$$

$$\frac{d^2 u}{dz^2} = z^{-n-2} n(n+1) w - 2n z^{-n-1} \frac{dw}{dz} + z^{-n} \frac{d^2 w}{dz^2}$$

using these values in eq. (3)
we have

$$z \left[n(n+1) z^{-n-2} w - 2n z^{-n-1} \frac{dw}{dz} + z^{-n} \frac{d^2 w}{dz^2} \right] + (2n+1) \left(-n z^{-n-1} w + z^{-n} \frac{dw}{dz} \right) + z \cdot z^{-n} w = 0$$

$$n(n+1) w z^{-n-1} - 2n z^{-n} \frac{dw}{dz} + z^{-n+1} \frac{d^2 w}{dz^2}$$

$$- n(2n+1) z^{-n-1} w + (2n+1) z^{-n} \frac{dw}{dz} + z^{-n+1} w = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -n^2 w z^{-n-1} + z^{-n} \frac{dw}{dz}$$

$$\therefore n^2 + n - 2n^2 - n$$

$$+ z^{-n+1} \frac{d^2 w}{dz^2} + z^{-n+1} w = 0$$

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$$z^{-n-1} \left[-n^2 w + z \frac{dw}{dz} + z^2 \frac{d^2 w}{dz^2} + z^2 w \right] = 0$$

Since $z^{-n-1} \neq 0$

So

$$-n^2 w + z \frac{dw}{dz} + z^2 \frac{d^2 w}{dz^2} + z^2 w = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z^2 - n^2) w + z \frac{dw}{dz} + z^2 \frac{d^2 w}{dz^2} = 0$$

let

$$\frac{dw}{dz} = w'$$

$$\frac{d^2 w}{dz^2} = w''$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$z^2 w'' + z w' + (z^2 - n^2) w = 0$$

its required.

Differential Recurrence Relation:
Consider the Bessel function of 1st kind,

$$J_n(z) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+n}}{2^{2m+n} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dz} [z^n J_n(z)] &= \frac{d}{dz} \left[\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+2n}}{2^{2m+n} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!} \right] \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m (2m+2n) z^{2m+2n-1}}{2^{2m+n} (m+n) \Gamma(m+n) m!} \quad \because \Gamma(m+n+1) = (m+n) \Gamma(m+n) \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+2n-1}}{2^{2m+n-1} \Gamma(n+m) m!} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dz} [z^n J_n(z)] &= z^n \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+n-1}}{2^{2m+n-1} \Gamma(1+n-1+m) m!} \\ z^n J_n'(z) + n z^{n-1} J_n(z) &= z^n J_{n-1}(z) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow z^{n-1} [z J_n'(z) + n J_n(z)] = [z J_{n-1}(z)] z^{n-1}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} z J_n'(z) + n J_n(z) &= z J_{n-1}(z) \\ z J_n'(z) &= z J_{n-1}(z) - n J_n(z) \quad \text{--- (1)} \end{aligned}$$

Again multiplying by z^{-n}

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dz} [z^{-n} J_n(z)] &= \frac{d}{dz} \left[\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m}}{2^{2m+n} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!} \right] \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m 2m z^{2m-1}}{2^{2m+n} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!} = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m-1}}{2^{2m+n} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!} \end{aligned}$$

Shift the index m by $m+1$.

$$\frac{d}{dz} [z^{-n} J_n(z)] = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{m+1} 2(m+1) z^{2m+1}}{2^{2m+n+1} \Gamma(1+n+m+1) (m+1)!}$$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{m+1} z^{2m+1}}{2^{2m+n+1} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!}$$

$$= -z^{-n} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+n+1}}{2^{2m+n+1} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\frac{d}{dz} [z^{-n} J_n(z)] = -z^{-n} J_{n+1}(z)$$

$$z^{-n} J_n'(z) - n z^{-n-1} J_n(z) = -z^{-n} J_{n+1}(z)$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$z J_n'(z) - n J_n(z) = -z J_{n+1}(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow z J_n'(z) = n J_n(z) - z J_{n+1}(z) \quad (2)$$

Adding Eqs. (1) & (2)

$$2z J_n'(z) = z J_{n-1}(z) - z J_{n+1}(z)$$

or

$$2 J_n'(z) = J_{n-1}(z) - J_{n+1}(z) \quad (3)$$

Pure Recurrence Relation for Bessel Function:

$$(1) - (2) \Rightarrow$$

$$0 = z J_{n-1}(z) - n J_n(z) - n J_n(z) + z J_{n+1}(z)$$

$$z J_{n-1}(z) - 2n J_n(z) + z J_{n+1}(z) = 0$$

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It can be written as

Replacing n by $n-1$

$$z J_{n-2}(z) - 2(n-1) J_{n-1}(z) + z J_n(z) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow J_n(z) = \frac{2(n-1)}{z} J_{n-1}(z) - J_{n-2}(z)$$

Lemma: If $n \geq 1$ then

$$\sum_{m=0}^n A(m, n) = \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} A(m, n) + \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} A(n-m, n)$$

Proof: For $n \geq 1$, $n = 1 + \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + \lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor$

$$\sum_{m=0}^n = \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} A(m, n) + \sum_{m=\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1}^{1 + \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + \lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} A(m, n)$$

Replace m by $n-m$ i.e. m by $1 + \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + \lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor - m$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} A(m, n) + \sum_{m=\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} A(n-m, n)$$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} A(m, n) + \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} A(n-m, n)$$

Theorem: If $t \neq 0$ and $\forall$ finite z , then

$$\exp\left[\frac{1}{2} z \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)\right] = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(z) t^n$$

Proof: Consider $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(z) t^n = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} J_n(z) t^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} J_n(z) t^n$

Replace n by $-n-1$ in 2nd $\sum$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} J_{-n-1}(z) t^{-n-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} J_n(z) t^n$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} J_{n+1}(z) t^{-n-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} J_n(z) t^n \quad \text{①}$$

Now using $J_n(z) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+n}}{2^{2m+n} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!}$

$$\therefore J_{-n}(z) = (-1)^n J_n(z)$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{m+1} z^{2m+n+1}}{2^{2m+n+1} \Gamma(1+n+1+m) m!} t^{-n-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+n}}{2^{2m+n} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!} t^n$$

$$= \sum_{n,m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{m+n+1} z^{2m+n+1} t^{n-1}}{2^{2m+n+1} \Gamma(n+2+m) m!} + \sum_{m,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+n} t^n}{2^{2m+n} \Gamma(1+n+m) m!}$$

Now using lemma.

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} A(m,n) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} A(m, n-2m)$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^{n-m+1} z^{nH} t^{-n+2m-1}}{2^{nH} \Gamma(n+2-m) m!} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^m z^n t^{n-2m}}{2^n \Gamma(1+n-m) m!}$$

Replacing n

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^{n-m} t^{-n+2m}}{\Gamma(n+1-m) m!} \frac{z^n}{2^n} + 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^m t^{n-2m}}{\Gamma(1+n-m) m!} \frac{z^n}{2^n}$$

Now using lemma

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A(m,n) = \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} A(m,n) + \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} A(n-m,n)$$

$$= 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^m t^{n-m-m}}{\Gamma(n+1+m) m!} + \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^{n-m} t^{-n+m+m}}{\Gamma(1+n-m) m!} \right\} \frac{z^n}{2^n}$$

$$= 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^m t^{n-m-m}}{(n-m)! m!} + \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} \frac{(-1)^{n-m} t^{n-m-(n-m)}}{(n-m)! m!} \right\} \frac{z^n}{2^n}$$

$$= 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^n \frac{(-1)^m t^{n-m-m}}{(n-m)! m!} \frac{z^n}{2^n}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^n \frac{(-1)^m t^{n-m-m}}{(n-m)! m!} \frac{z^n}{2^n}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^n \left(\frac{n! t^{n-m} (-t^{-1})^m}{n! (n-m)! m!} \right) \frac{z^n}{2^n}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(t - 1/4)^n}{n!} \frac{z^n}{2^n}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left[\frac{z}{2} (t - \frac{1}{t}) \right]^n}{n!}$$

$$= \exp \left[\frac{z}{2} (t - \frac{1}{t}) \right]$$

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Since

$$\sin z = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+1}}{(2m+1)!}$$

Since $(\alpha)_{2m} = (\alpha)(\alpha+1) \cdots (\alpha+2m-1)$
 $\alpha = 2$

$$(2)_{2m} = 2(3) \cdots (2m+1) = (2m+1)!$$

$$(2m+1)! = (2)_{2m}$$

and $(2)_{2m} = 2^{2m} \left(\frac{2}{2}\right)_m \left(\frac{2+1}{2}\right)_m = 2^{2m} (1)_m \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)_m$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+1}}{2^{2m} m! (3/2)_m} = z \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m \left(\frac{z^2}{4}\right)^m}{m! (3/2)_m}$$

$$= z {}_0F_1 \left(- \begin{matrix} 3/2 \end{matrix} ; -\frac{1}{4} z^2 \right)$$

Since

$$J_n(z) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+n}}{2^{2m+n} m! \Gamma(1+n+m)}$$

Put $n = 1/2$

$$J_{1/2}(z) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m z^{2m+1/2}}{2^{2m+1/2} m! \Gamma(1+1/2+m)}$$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{2m+1/2} (-1)^m}{2^{2m+1/2} m! \Gamma(3/2+m)} \quad \therefore \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)_m = \frac{\Gamma(3/2+m)}{\Gamma(3/2)}$$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{2m+1/2} (-1)^m}{2^{2m+1/2} m! (3/2)_m \Gamma(3/2)}$$

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$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z}{2}\right)^{1/2} \frac{(-1)^n (z^2/4)^n}{n! (3/2)_n} \cdot \frac{1}{\Gamma(3/2)}$$

$$= \frac{(z/2)^{1/2}}{\Gamma(3/2)} {}_0F_1\left(-; \frac{3}{2}; -\frac{1}{4}z^2\right)$$

$$\text{and } \Gamma(3/2) = \Gamma(1+1/2) = \frac{1}{2}\Gamma(1/2) = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\pi}$$

$$J_{1/2}(z) = \left(\frac{z}{\pi z}\right)^{1/2} \frac{\sin z}{z} = \sqrt{\frac{z}{\pi}} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{\sin z}{z} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi z}} \sin z$$

$$\text{Prove that } J_{-1/2}(z) = \left(\frac{2}{\pi z}\right)^{1/2} \cos z$$

$$\text{Since } \cos z = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n}}{(2n)!}$$

$$\text{Since } (2n)! = (2n)(2n-1)(2n-2) \cdots 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1$$

$$= (2n+1-1)(2n-1) \cdots 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1$$

$$= (1)_{2n}$$

$$\text{Since } (\alpha)_{2n} = 2^{2n} \left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)_n \left(\frac{\alpha+1}{2}\right)_n$$

$$(1)_{2n} = 2^{2n} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)_n (1)_n = 2^{2n} n! \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)_n$$

$$\cos z = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n}}{2^{2n} n! \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)_n}$$

$$\cos z = {}_0F_1\left(-; \frac{1}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)$$

Now

$$J_{-1/2}(z) = \frac{(z/2)^{-1/2}}{\Gamma(1/2)} {}_0F_1\left(-; \frac{1}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right)$$

$$= \frac{(z/2)^{-1/2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos z$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{\pi z}\right)^{1/2} \cos z$$

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