

# More Properties on Multi Poly-Euler Polynomials

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## Abstract

In this paper, we establish more properties of generalized poly-Euler polynomials with three parameters and we investigate a kind of symmetrized generalization of poly-Euler polynomials. Moreover, we introduce a more general form of multi poly-Euler polynomials and obtain some identities parallel to those of the generalized poly-Euler polynomials.

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## 1 Introduction

The generalized poly-Euler polynomials are defined in the recent paper by H. Jolany et. al [6] as follows

$$\frac{2Li_k(1 - (ab)^{-t})}{a^{-t} + b^t} c^{xt} = \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \quad (1)$$

Note that the poly-Euler polynomials of Sasaki and Bayad [7, 1] can be deduced from (1) by replacing  $t$  with  $4t$  and taking  $x = 1/2$ . Moreover, when  $x = 0$ , (1) gives

$$E_n^{(k)}(0; a, b, c) = E_n^{(k)}(a, b)$$

where

$$\frac{2Li_k(1 - (ab)^{-t})}{a^{-t} + b^t} = \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(k)}(a, b) \frac{t^n}{n!},$$

and when  $a = 1$  and  $b = c = e$ , we get

$$E_n^{(k)}(x; 1, e, e) = E_n^{(k)}(x)$$

where

$$\frac{2Li_k(1 - e^{-t})}{1 + e^t} e^{xt} = \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(k)}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}.$$

However, only one identity has been obtained in [6] for  $E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c)$  which is given by

$$E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) = \sum_{m=0}^n \sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{i=0}^j \frac{2(-1)^{m-j+i}}{j^k} \binom{j}{i} (x \ln c - (m-j+i+1) \ln a - (m-j+i+1) \ln b)^n. \quad (2)$$

On the other hand, in the same paper by H. Jolany et. al [6], they defined certain multi poly-Euler polynomials as follows

$$\frac{2Li_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(1 - (ab)^{-t})}{a^{-t} + b^t} e^{rxt} = \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \quad (3)$$

where

$$Li_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(z) = \sum_{0 \leq m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \dots \leq m_r} \frac{z^{m_r}}{m_1^{k_1} m_2^{k_2} \dots m_r^{k_r}}$$

is the generalization of poly-logarithm. Note that, when  $r = 1$ , (3) immediately yields (1). Several identities on  $E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b)$  have been obtained in [6] including the recurrence relations and certain explicit formula. However, this explicit formula is limited only to the case where  $a = 1$  and  $b = e$ . In this present paper, more identities for  $E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c)$  will be established and further generalization of  $E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b)$  will be investigated.

## 2 Some Results on Generalized Poly-Euler Polynomials

The main objective of this section is to establish more identities for  $E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c)$ . First, let us consider an expression for  $E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c)$  in terms of  $E_i^{(k)}(a, b)$ ,  $i = 0, 1, \dots, n$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** *The generalized poly Euler polynomials satisfy the following relation*

$$E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} (\ln c)^{n-i} E_i^{(k)}(a, b) x^{n-i} \quad (4)$$

*Proof.* Using (1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!} &= \frac{2Li_k(1 - (ab)^{-t})}{a^{-t} + b^t} e^{xt} = e^{xt \ln c} \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(k)}(a, b) \frac{t^n}{n!} \\ &= \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{(xt \ln c)^{n-i}}{(n-i)!} E_i^{(k)}(a, b) \frac{t^i}{i!} \\ &= \sum_{n \geq 0} \left( \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} (\ln c)^{n-i} E_i^{(k)}(a, b) x^{n-i} \right) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \end{aligned}$$

Comparing the coefficients of  $\frac{t^n}{n!}$ , we obtain the desired result.  $\square$

The next identity gives a relation between  $E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c)$  and  $E_n^{(k)}(x)$ .

**Theorem 2.2.** *The generalized poly Euler polynomials satisfy the following relation*

$$E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) = (\ln a + \ln b)^n E_n^{(k)}\left(\frac{x \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b}\right) \quad (5)$$

*Proof.* Using (1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!} &= \frac{2Li_k(1 - (ab)^{-t})}{b^t(1 + (ab)^{-t})} e^{xt \ln c} \\ &= 2e^{\frac{x \ln c - \ln b}{\ln ab} t \ln ab} \frac{Li_k(1 - e^{-t \ln ab})}{1 + e^{-t \ln ab}} \\ &= \sum_{n \geq 0} (\ln a + \ln b)^n E_n^{(k)}\left(\frac{x \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b}\right) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \end{aligned}$$

Comparing the coefficients of  $\frac{t^n}{n!}$ , we obtain the desired result.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.3.** *The generalized poly-Euler polynomials satisfy the following relation*

$$\frac{d}{dx} E_{n+1}^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) = (n+1)(\ln c) E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) \quad (6)$$

*Proof.* Using (1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{d}{dx} E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!} &= \frac{2t(\ln c) Li_k(1 - (ab)^{-t})}{b^t(1 + (ab)^{-t})} e^{xt \ln c} \\ \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{1}{n} \frac{d}{dx} E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) \frac{t^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} &= \sum_{n \geq 0} (\ln c) E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{1}{n+1} \frac{d}{dx} E_{n+1}^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!} = \sum_{n \geq 0} (\ln c) E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!}.$$

Comparing the coefficients of  $\frac{t^n}{n!}$ , we obtain the desired result.  $\square$

The following corollary immediately follows from Theorem 2.3 by taking  $c = e$ . For brevity, let us denote  $E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b, e)$  by  $E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b)$ .

**Corollary 2.4.** *The generalized poly-Euler polynomials are Appell polynomials in the sense that*

$$\frac{d}{dx} E_{n+1}^{(k)}(x; a, b) = (n+1) E_n^{(k)}(x; a, b) \quad (7)$$

Consequently, using the characterization of Appell polynomials [8, 9, 10], the following addition formula can easily be obtained.

**Corollary 2.5.** *The generalized poly-Euler polynomials satisfy the following addition formula*

$$E_n^{(k)}(x + y; a, b) = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} E_i^{(k)}(x; a, b) y^{n-i} \quad (8)$$

Taking  $x = 0$  in formula (8) and using the fact that  $E_n^{(k)}(0; a, b) = E_n^{(k)}(a, b)$ , Corollary 2.5 gives formula (4) in Theorem 2.1 with  $c = e$ .

Now, let us consider the following definition which contains certain symmetrized generalization of poly-Euler polynomials with parameters  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$ .

**Definition 2.6.** For  $m, n \geq 0$ , we define

$$D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c) = \frac{1}{(\ln a + \ln b)^n} \sum_{k=0}^m \binom{m}{k} E_n^{(-k)}(x; a, b, c) \left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^{m-k}. \quad (9)$$

The following theorem contains the double generating function for  $D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c)$ .

**Theorem 2.7.** *For  $n, m \geq 0$ , we have*

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^m}{m!} = \frac{2e^{\left(\frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b}\right)u} e^{\left(\frac{x \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b}\right)t} e^{2t}}{(e^t + 1)(e^t + e^u - e^{t+u})} \quad (10)$$

*Proof.*

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^m}{m!} \\ &= \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} \frac{1}{(\ln a + \ln b)^n} \sum_{k=0}^m E_n^{(-k)}(x; a, b, c) \left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^{m-k} \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^m}{k!(m-k)!} \\ &= \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{k \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq k} \frac{1}{(\ln a + \ln b)^n} E_n^{(-k)}(x; a, b, c) \left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^{m-k} \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^m}{k!(m-k)!}. \end{aligned}$$

Replacing  $m - k$  with  $l$  and using Theorem 2.2, we obtain

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^m}{m!}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{k \geq 0} \sum_{l \geq 0} \frac{1}{(\ln a + \ln b)^n} E_n^{(-k)}(x; a, b, c) \left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^l \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^k}{k!} \frac{u^l}{l!} \\
&= e^{\left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right) u} \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{k \geq 0} E_n^{(-k)} \left( \frac{x \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right) \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^k}{k!} \\
&= e^{\left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right) u} \sum_{k \geq 0} \frac{2Li_k(1 - e^{-t})}{1 + e^{-t}} e^{\left( \frac{x \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right) t} \frac{u^k}{k!} \\
&= e^{\left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right) u} e^{\left( \frac{x \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right) t} \sum_{k \geq 0} \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(-k)}(0) \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^k}{k!}.
\end{aligned}$$

Note that

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{k \geq 0} \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(-k)}(0) \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^k}{k!} &= \sum_{k \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} \frac{2(1 - e^{-t})^m}{1 + e^{-t}} \frac{m^k}{k!} \frac{u^k}{k!} \\
&= \sum_{m \geq 0} \frac{2(1 - e^{-t})^m}{1 + e^{-t}} \sum_{k \geq 0} \frac{(mu)^k}{k!} \\
&= \frac{2}{1 + e^{-t}} \sum_{m \geq 0} (1 - e^{-t})^m e^{mu} \\
&= \frac{2}{1 + e^{-t}} \frac{1}{1 - (1 - e^{-t})e^u} = \frac{2e^{2t}}{(e^t + 1)(e^t + e^u - e^{t+u})}.
\end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^m}{m!} = \frac{2e^{\left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right) u} e^{\left( \frac{x \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right) t} e^{2t}}{(e^t + 1)(e^t + e^u - e^{t+u})}.$$

□

The following is an explicit formula for  $D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c)$ .

**Theorem 2.8.** For  $n, m \geq 0$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c) &= 2 \sum_{j \geq 0} (j!)^2 \left( \sum_{l=0}^n \sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i \left( \frac{x \ln c + (i+1) \ln b + (i+2) \ln a}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^{n-l} \binom{n}{l} \left\{ \begin{matrix} l \\ j \end{matrix} \right\} \right) \times \\
&\quad \times \left( \sum_{r=0}^m \left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^{m-r} \binom{m}{r} \left\{ \begin{matrix} m \\ r \end{matrix} \right\} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.*

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!} \frac{u^m}{m!}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{2e^{\left(\frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b}\right)u} e^{\left(\frac{x \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b}\right)t} e^{2t}}{(e^t + 1)(1 - (e^t - 1)(e^u - 1))} \\
&= 2e^{\left(\frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b}\right)u} e^{\left(\frac{x \ln c + \ln b + 2 \ln a}{\ln a + \ln b}\right)t} \sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i e^{jt} \sum_{j \geq 0} (e^t - 1)^j (e^u - 1)^j \\
&= 2e^{\left(\frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b}\right)u} \sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i e^{\left(\frac{x \ln c + (i+1) \ln b + (i+2) \ln a}{\ln a + \ln b}\right)t} \sum_{j \geq 0} (e^t - 1)^j (e^u - 1)^j.
\end{aligned}$$

Applying the exponential generating function for Stirling numbers of the second kind [2]

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\} \frac{t^n}{n!} = \frac{e^t - 1}{k},$$

we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} D_n^{(-m)}(x, y; a, b, c) \frac{t^n u^m}{n! m!} \\
&= 2 \sum_{j \geq 0} \left( j! \sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{\left( \frac{x \ln c + (i+1) \ln b + (i+2) \ln a}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^n t^n}{n!} \sum_{m \geq 0} \left\{ \begin{matrix} m \\ j \end{matrix} \right\} \frac{t^m}{m!} \right) \times \\
&\quad \times \left( j! \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{\left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^n u^n}{n!} \sum_{m \geq 0} \left\{ \begin{matrix} m \\ j \end{matrix} \right\} \frac{u^m}{m!} \right) \\
&= 2 \sum_{j \geq 0} \left( j! \sum_{i \geq 0} \sum_{l \geq 0} \sum_{m=0}^l (-1)^i \left( \frac{x \ln c + (i+1) \ln b + (i+2) \ln a}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^{l-m} \binom{l}{m} \left\{ \begin{matrix} m \\ j \end{matrix} \right\} \frac{t^l}{l!} \right) \times \\
&\quad \times \left( j! \sum_{p \geq 0} \sum_{r=0}^p \left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^{p-r} \binom{p}{r} \left\{ \begin{matrix} r \\ j \end{matrix} \right\} \frac{u^p}{p!} \right) \\
&= \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} \frac{t^n u^m}{n! m!} 2 \sum_{j \geq 0} (j!)^2 \left( \sum_{l=0}^n \sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i \left( \frac{x \ln c + (i+1) \ln b + (i+2) \ln a}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^{n-l} \binom{n}{l} \left\{ \begin{matrix} l \\ j \end{matrix} \right\} \right) \times \\
&\quad \times \left( \sum_{r=0}^m \left( \frac{y \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)^{m-r} \binom{m}{r} \left\{ \begin{matrix} r \\ j \end{matrix} \right\} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Comparing the coefficients yields the desired result.  $\square$

### 3 Generalized Multi Poly-Euler Polynomials

Let us define a more general form of multi poly-Euler polynomials.

**Definition 3.1.** The generalised multi poly-Euler polynomials with parameters  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are defined by

$$\frac{2Li_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(1 - (ab)^{-t})}{a^{-t} + b^t} c^{rxt} = \sum_{n \geq 0} E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b, c) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \quad (11)$$

In particular,

$$\begin{aligned} E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x) &= E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; 1, e, e) \\ E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(a, b) &= E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(0; a, b, c) \end{aligned}$$

The following theorems contain some identities for  $E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b, c)$  which can be derived using the process in deriving the identities in Theorems 2.1 – 2.3.

**Theorem 3.2.** *The generalized multi poly-Euler polynomials satisfy the following relation*

$$E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b, c) = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} (r \ln c)^{n-i} E_i^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(a, b) x^{n-i}$$

**Theorem 3.3.** *The generalized multi poly-Euler polynomials satisfy the following relation*

$$E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b, c) = (\ln a + \ln b)^n E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)} \left( \frac{rx \ln c - \ln b}{\ln a + \ln b} \right)$$

**Theorem 3.4.** *The generalized multi poly-Euler polynomials satisfy the following relation*

$$\frac{d}{dx} E_{n+1}^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b, c) = (n+1)(r \ln c) E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b, c)$$

The next theorem contains an explicit formula for  $E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b, c)$ .

**Theorem 3.5.** *The generalized multi poly-Euler polynomials have the following explicit formula*

$$E_n^{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(x; a, b, c) = \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{\substack{0 \leq m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \dots \leq m_r \\ c_1 + c_2 + \dots + c_r = r}} \sum_{j=0}^{m_r} \frac{2(rx \ln c - j \ln ab)^{n-i} r! (-1)^{j+s} (s \ln ab + r \ln a)^i \binom{m_r}{j} \binom{n}{i}}{(c_1! c_2! \dots) (m_1^{k_1} m_2^{k_2} \dots m_r^{k_r})}, \quad (12)$$

where  $s = c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots$

*Proof.* From Definition 3.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} Li_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(1 - (ab)^{-t}) c^{rxt} &= \sum_{0 \leq m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \dots \leq m_r} \frac{(1 - (ab)^{-t})^{m_r}}{m_1^{k_1} m_2^{k_2} \dots m_r^{k_r}} e^{rxt \ln c} \\ &= \sum_{0 \leq m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \dots \leq m_r} \frac{1}{m_1^{k_1} m_2^{k_2} \dots m_r^{k_r}} \sum_{j=0}^{m_r} (-1)^j \binom{m_r}{j} \sum_{n \geq 0} (rx \ln c - j \ln ab)^n \frac{t^n}{n!} \\ &= \sum_{n \geq 0} \left( \sum_{0 \leq m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \dots \leq m_r} \sum_{j=0}^{m_r} \frac{(-1)^j (rx \ln c - j \ln ab)^n \binom{m_r}{j}}{m_1^{k_1} m_2^{k_2} \dots m_r^{k_r}} \right) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned}
\left(\frac{1}{a^{-t} + b^t}\right)^r &= a^{rt} \left(\frac{1}{1 + (ab)^t}\right)^r = a^{rt} \left(\sum_{n \geq 0} (-1)^n (ab)^{nt}\right)^r \\
&= \sum_{c_1 + c_2 + \dots = r} \frac{r! (-1)^{c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots}}{c_1! c_2! \dots} e^{t[r \ln a + (c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots) \ln ab]} \\
&= \sum_{c_1 + c_2 + \dots = r} \frac{r! (-1)^{c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots}}{c_1! c_2! \dots} \sum_{n \geq 0} (r \ln a + (c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots) \ln ab)^n \frac{t^n}{n!} \\
&= \sum_{n \geq 0} \left( \sum_{c_1 + c_2 + \dots = r} \frac{r! (-1)^{c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots} (r \ln a + (c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots) \ln ab)^n}{c_1! c_2! \dots} \right) \frac{t^n}{n!}.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{2Li_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(1 - (ab)^{-t})}{(a^{-t} + b^t)^r} c^{rxt} &= 2Li_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r)}(1 - (ab)^{-t}) e^{rxt \ln c} a^{rt} \left(\frac{1}{1 + (ab)^t}\right)^r \\
&= 2 \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{i=0}^n \left( \sum_{0 \leq m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \dots \leq m_r} \sum_{j=0}^{m_r} \frac{(-1)^j (rx \ln c - j \ln ab)^{n-i} \binom{m_r}{j}}{m_1^{k_1} m_2^{k_2} \dots m_r^{k_r}} \right) \frac{t^{n-i}}{(n-i)!} \times \\
&\quad \times \left( \sum_{c_1 + c_2 + \dots = r} \frac{r! (-1)^{c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots} (r \ln a + (c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots) \ln ab)^i}{c_1! c_2! \dots} \right) \frac{t^i}{i!} \\
&= 2 \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{\substack{0 \leq m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \dots \leq m_r \\ c_1 + c_2 + \dots = r}} \sum_{j=0}^{m_r} \frac{H(r, i, j, n, a, b)}{(c_1! c_2! \dots) (m_1^{k_1} m_2^{k_2} \dots m_r^{k_r})} \frac{t^n}{n!}
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$H(r, i, j, n, a, b) = (rx \ln c - j \ln ab)^{n-i} r! (-1)^{j + c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots} (r \ln a + (c_1 + 2c_2 + \dots) \ln ab)^i \binom{m_r}{j} \binom{n}{i}.$$

By comparing the coefficient of  $t^n/n!$ , we obtain the desired explicit formula.  $\square$

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