

> read "hsum9.mpl";
 Package "Hypergeometric Summation", Maple V - Maple 5
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> summand:=pochhammer(1/2,j)*pochhammer(alpha/2+1,n-
 j)*pochhammer((alpha+3)/2,n-2*j)*pochhammer(alpha+1,n-
 2*j)/(j!*pochhammer((alpha+3)/2,n-j)*pochhammer((alpha+1)/2,n-
 2*j)*(n-2*j!)*hyperterm([2*j-n,n-
 2*j+alpha+1,(alpha+1)/2],[alpha+1,(alpha+2)/2],x,k);

$$\begin{aligned} \text{summand} := & \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{2}, j\right) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + 1, n - j\right) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{3}{2}, n - 2j\right) \\ & \text{pochhammer}(\alpha + 1, n - 2j) \text{pochhammer}(2j - n, k) \\ & \text{pochhammer}(n - 2j + \alpha + 1, k) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{1}{2}, k\right) x^k / \left(j! \right. \\ & \left. \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{3}{2}, n - j\right) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{1}{2}, n - 2j\right) (n - 2j)! \right. \\ & \left. \text{pochhammer}(\alpha + 1, k) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + 1, k\right) k! \right) \end{aligned}$$

Zeilberger's algorithms yields the recurrence equation for the summand of the outer sum:

> RE:=sumrecursion(summand,j,S(k));
 RE := x (alpha + 1 + 2 k) (-n + k) (k + alpha + 2 + n) S(k)
 - (k + 1) (alpha + 1 + k) (alpha + 3 + 2 k) S(k + 1) = 0

Hence the sum is a multiple of

> hyp:=hypergeom([-
 n,n+2+alpha,(alpha+1)/2],[alpha+1,(alpha+3)/2],x);
 hyp := hypergeom\left(\left[-n, \alpha + 2 + n, \frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right], \left[\alpha + 1, \frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{3}{2}\right], x\right)

We compute the initial value S(k=0) by the same algorithm:

> sumrecursion(subs(k=0,summand),j,init(n));
 (alpha + 2 + n) init(n) - (1 + n) init(1 + n) = 0

Hence S(0) is given as

> S0:=pochhammer(2+alpha,n)/n!;

$$S_0 := \frac{\text{pochhammer}(2 + \alpha, n)}{n!}$$

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