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# Computer Algebra Methods for Orthogonal Polynomials

## Maple Worksheet

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## - Computing the Recurrence Coefficients

[ We consider the three highest coefficients of the orthogonal polynomial:

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[ > p:=k[n]*x^n+kprime[n]*x^(n-1)+kprimeprime[n]*x^(n-2);
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$$p := k_n x^n + kprime_n x^{(n-1)} + kprimeprime_n x^{(n-2)}$$

[ We define the polynomials  $\sigma$  and  $\tau$  with arbitrary coefficients a,b,c,d,e:

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[ > sigma:=a*x^2+b*x+c;
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tau:=d*x+e;
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$$\sigma := a x^2 + b x + c$$

$$\tau := d x + e$$

[ The polynomial satisfies the differential equation DE=0 with:

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[ > DE:=sigma*diff(p,x$2)+tau*diff(p,x)+lambda[n]*p;
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$$DE := (a x^2 + b x + c) \left( \frac{k_n x^n n^2}{x^2} - \frac{k_n x^n n}{x^2} + \frac{kprime_n x^{(n-1)} (n-1)^2}{x^2} \right. \\ \left. - \frac{kprime_n x^{(n-1)} (n-1)}{x^2} + \frac{kprimeprime_n x^{(n-2)} (n-2)^2}{x^2} - \frac{kprimeprime_n x^{(n-2)} (n-2)}{x^2} \right) \\ + (d x + e) \left( \frac{k_n x^n n}{x} + \frac{kprime_n x^{(n-1)} (n-1)}{x} + \frac{kprimeprime_n x^{(n-2)} (n-2)}{x} \right) \\ + \lambda_n (k_n x^n + kprime_n x^{(n-1)} + kprimeprime_n x^{(n-2)})$$

[ We collect coefficients:

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[ > de:=collect(simplify(DE/x^(n-4)),x);
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$$de := (-a k_n n + \lambda_n k_n + a k_n n^2 + d k_n n) x^4 + (\lambda_n kprime_n - 3 a kprime_n n + 2 a kprime_n \\ + b k_n n^2 + a kprime_n n^2 - b k_n n + e k_n n + d kprime_n n - d kprime_n) x^3 + (-e kprime_n \\ + 6 a kprimeprime_n + c k_n n^2 - c k_n n + 2 b kprime_n + \lambda_n kprimeprime_n \\ + a kprimeprime_n n^2 - 5 a kprimeprime_n n + e kprime_n n + d kprimeprime_n n \\ + b kprime_n n^2 - 3 b kprime_n n - 2 d kprimeprime_n) x^2 + (-3 c kprime_n n + 2 c kprime_n \\ - 2 e kprimeprime_n + b kprimeprime_n n^2 + 6 b kprimeprime_n + c kprime_n n^2 \\ - 5 b kprimeprime_n n + e kprimeprime_n n) x - 5 c kprimeprime_n n + 6 c kprimeprime_n$$

$$+ c k_{prime} n^2$$

Equating the highest coefficient gives the already mentioned identity for  $\lambda$ :

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> rule1:=lambda[n]=solve(coeff(de,x,4),lambda[n]);
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$$rule1 := \lambda_n = -n(-a + a n + d)$$

This can be substituted:

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> de:=expand(subs(rule1,de));
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$$\begin{aligned} de := & -x^2 e k_{prime} - 2 x e k_{prime} + 2 x^3 a k_{prime} + 6 x^2 a k_{prime} \\ & + 2 x^2 b k_{prime} + 6 x b k_{prime} + 2 x c k_{prime} + 6 c k_{prime} - x^3 d k_{prime} \\ & - 2 x^2 d k_{prime} - 2 x^3 a k_{prime} n - 4 x^2 a k_{prime} n + x^3 b k_n n^2 - x^3 b k_n n \\ & + x^2 b k_{prime} n^2 - 3 x^2 b k_{prime} n + x b k_{prime} n^2 - 5 x b k_{prime} n \\ & + x^2 c k_n n^2 - x^2 c k_n n + x c k_{prime} n^2 - 3 x c k_{prime} n + c k_{prime} n^2 \\ & - 5 c k_{prime} n + x^3 e k_n n + x^2 e k_{prime} n + x e k_{prime} n \end{aligned}$$

Equating the second highest coefficient gives  $k'[n]$  as rational multiple of  $k[n]$ :

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> rule2:=kprime[n]=solve(coeff(de,x,3),kprime[n]);
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$$rule2 := k_{prime} = \frac{k_n n (e + b n - b)}{-2 a + 2 a n + d}$$

Equating the third highest coefficient gives  $k''[n]$  as rational multiple of  $k[n]$ :

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> rule3:=kprimeprime[n]=solve(coeff(subs(rule2,de),x,2),kprimeprime[n]);
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$$\begin{aligned} rule3 := k_{primeprime} = & \frac{1}{2} k_n n (2 c a - 4 c a n - c d - e^2 - 5 e b n + 3 e b + 5 b^2 n - 2 b^2 \\ & + 2 c n^2 a + c n d - 4 b^2 n^2 + e^2 n + 2 e n^2 b + b^2 n^3) / ((-2 a + 2 a n + d) \\ & (2 a n - 3 a + d)) \end{aligned}$$

Without loss of generality we consider the monic case, hence

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> k[n]:=1;
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$$k_n := 1$$

and therefore

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> rule2;
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$$k_{prime} = \frac{n (e + b n - b)}{-2 a + 2 a n + d}$$

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> rule3;
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$$\begin{aligned} k_{primeprime} = & n (2 c a - 4 c a n - c d - e^2 - 5 e b n + 3 e b + 5 b^2 n - 2 b^2 + 2 c n^2 a \\ & + c n d - 4 b^2 n^2 + e^2 n + 2 e n^2 b + b^2 n^3) / (2 (-2 a + 2 a n + d) (2 a n - 3 a + d)) \end{aligned}$$

We would like to compute the coefficients  $a(n)$ ,  $b(n)$  and  $c(n)$  in the recurrence equation  $RE=0$ :

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> RE:=x*P(n)-(a[n]*P(n+1)+b[n]*P(n)+c[n]*P(n-1));
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$$RE := x P(n) - a_n P(n + 1) - b_n P(n) - c_n P(n - 1)$$

> **RE:=subs({P(n)=p,P(n+1)=subs(n=n+1,p),P(n-1)=subs(n=n-1,p)},RE);**

$$\begin{aligned}
 RE := & x(x^n + kprime_n x^{(n-1)} + kprimeprime_n x^{(n-2)}) \\
 & - a_n(x^{(n+1)} + kprime_{n+1} x^n + kprimeprime_{n+1} x^{(n-1)}) \\
 & - b_n(x^n + kprime_n x^{(n-1)} + kprimeprime_n x^{(n-2)}) \\
 & - c_n(x^{(n-1)} + kprime_{n-1} x^{(n-2)} + kprimeprime_{n-1} x^{(n-3)})
 \end{aligned}$$

We substitute the already known formulas:

> **RE:=subs({rule2,subs(n=n+1,rule2),subs(n=n-1,rule2),rule3,subs(n=n+1,rule3),subs(n=n-1,rule3)},RE);**

$$\begin{aligned}
 RE := & x \left( x^n + \frac{n(e+bn-b)x^{(n-1)}}{-2a+2an+d} + n(2ca-4can-cd-e^2-5ebn+3eb \right. \\
 & + 5b^2n-2b^2+2cn^2a+cnd-4b^2n^2+e^2n+2en^2b+b^2n^3)x^{(n-2)} / (2 \\
 & \left. (-2a+2an+d)(2an-3a+d) \right) - a_n \left( x^{(n+1)} + \frac{(n+1)(e+b(n+1)-b)x^n}{-2a+2a(n+1)+d} + \right. \\
 & (n+1)(2ca-4ca(n+1)-cd-e^2-5eb(n+1)+3eb+5b^2(n+1)-2b^2 \\
 & + 2c(n+1)^2a+c(n+1)d-4b^2(n+1)^2+e^2(n+1)+2e(n+1)^2b+b^2(n+1)^3) \\
 & \left. x^{(n-1)} / (2(-2a+2a(n+1)+d)(2a(n+1)-3a+d)) \right) - b_n \left( x^n \right. \\
 & + \frac{n(e+bn-b)x^{(n-1)}}{-2a+2an+d} + n(2ca-4can-cd-e^2-5ebn+3eb+5b^2n-2b^2 \\
 & + 2cn^2a+cnd-4b^2n^2+e^2n+2en^2b+b^2n^3)x^{(n-2)} / (2(-2a+2an+d) \\
 & \left. (2an-3a+d) \right) - c_n \left( x^{(n-1)} + \frac{(n-1)(e+b(n-1)-b)x^{(n-2)}}{-2a+2a(n-1)+d} + (n-1)(2ca \right. \\
 & - 4ca(n-1)-cd-e^2-5eb(n-1)+3eb+5b^2(n-1)-2b^2+2c(n-1)^2a \\
 & + c(n-1)d-4b^2(n-1)^2+e^2(n-1)+2e(n-1)^2b+b^2(n-1)^3)x^{(n-3)} / (2 \\
 & \left. (-2a+2a(n-1)+d)(2a(n-1)-3a+d) \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

> **re:=simplify(numer(normal(RE))/x^(n-3));**

$$\begin{aligned}
 re := & -2c_n c d^5 - 12c_n b^2 d^4 + 2x c_n e d^5 - 2192x^2 c_n a^6 n^2 - 288x^3 n^3 b d^3 a^2 \\
 & + 1096x^3 n^3 b a^5 + 2x^3 n^2 b d^5 - 240x^3 n^2 b a^5 - 2x^3 n b d^5 - 118x^3 n b a^2 d^3 \\
 & - 624x^3 n^3 e d^2 a^3 + 256c_n c n^6 a^5 + 3c_n c n d^5 - 2x^2 c_n d^6 + 1148x b_n n^4 b^2 a^3 d \\
 & + 1160c_n c d^2 a^3 n^2 - 2396x c_n b d^2 a^3 n^3 + 2654x c_n b d^2 a^3 n^2 + 688x c_n e d^2 a^3 n^3 \\
 & - 1020x c_n e d^2 a^3 n^2 + 1200x^4 a_n a^3 d^3 n^2 - 4080x^4 a_n a^4 d^2 n^2 + 2400x^4 a_n a^4 d^2 n^3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -480 x^4 a_n a^4 n^4 d^2 - 320 x^4 a_n a^3 n^3 d^3 + 1416 x^3 n^3 e a^4 d + 496 c_n e n^5 b a^3 d \\
& - 64 c_n e n^6 b a^3 d + 80 x^2 n^5 c d^2 a^3 - 60 c_n e b d^3 a + 554 c_n e b a^3 n d \\
& - 1622 c_n e b a^3 n^2 d - 1488 c_n e b n^4 a^3 d - 32 c_n c n^7 a^5 - c_n c n^2 d^5 - c_n e^2 n^2 d^4 \\
& + x^2 a_n n^2 b^2 d^4 + 188 x^2 a_n n^2 e^2 a^4 - 120 x^2 a_n n e^2 a^4 - x^2 a_n n e^2 d^4 - 384 x^4 a_n a^5 n^5 d \\
& - 856 x^3 n^2 e a^4 d - 208 x^3 n^2 e d^3 a^2 - 48 c_n c a^4 d + 20 c_n c d^4 a - 160 x c_n e n^4 d^2 a^3 \\
& - 160 x c_n b n^5 d^2 a^3 + 480 c_n c n^4 d^2 a^3 - 80 c_n c n^5 d^2 a^3 - 1448 c_n e b a^4 n^3 \\
& - 218 c_n e b n^2 d^3 a + 336 c_n e n^4 b d^2 a^2 + 100 c_n e n^3 b d^3 a + 11 c_n e n^2 b d^4 \\
& - 120 x^4 a_n a^2 n^2 d^4 + 12 c_n e^2 d^3 a + 44 x c_n b d^4 a - 22 x c_n e d^4 a - 384 x^2 c_n a^5 n^5 d \\
& + 156 x b_n n^5 b^2 d^2 a^2 + 42 x b_n n^4 b^2 d^3 a - 8 x b_n n^3 e^2 d^3 a - x b_n n^2 e^2 d^4 - x b_n n^4 b^2 d^4 \\
& + 120 x^2 a_n n e b a^4 + x^2 a_n n e b d^4 + 24 x^2 a_n n^3 e^2 a^4 + 112 x^2 a_n n^7 b^2 a^4 \\
& - 268 x^2 a_n n^6 b^2 a^4 - 16 x^2 a_n n^8 b^2 a^4 + 196 x^2 a_n n^5 b^2 a^4 - 584 x b_n n^5 c a^5 \\
& - 32 x b_n n^7 c a^5 + 704 x b_n n^4 c a^5 - 12 x b_n n c d^4 a - 900 x b_n n^3 b^2 a^3 d \\
& + 332 x b_n n^2 b^2 a^3 d + 144 c_n b^2 a^4 n - 30 x^2 n e b d^3 a - 400 x^2 n^5 e b a^3 d \\
& + 74 x^2 n^2 e b d^3 a - 89 x b_n n^2 e^2 d^2 a^2 + 784 x^2 b_n n^4 b d^2 a^3 - 1332 x^2 b_n n^3 b d^2 a^3 \\
& - 160 x^2 b_n n^5 b d^2 a^3 + 464 x b_n n^3 b^2 d^2 a^2 + 980 x b_n n^3 e b a^3 d + 1156 x c_n b a^4 n d \\
& + 472 c_n c a^4 n d - 3492 x c_n b a^4 n^2 d - x b_n n^2 c d^5 + 416 x^2 b_n n^5 e a^5 - 944 x^2 b_n n^4 e a^5 \\
& - 64 x^2 b_n n^6 e a^5 + 856 x^2 b_n n^3 e a^5 - c_n b^2 n^4 d^4 - 22 c_n e^2 d^2 a^2 - 232 c_n b^2 n^3 d^3 a \\
& - 2 x^3 b_n d^6 + 248 x b_n n^6 b^2 a^3 d - 49 x^2 n c a^2 d^3 + 32 x^2 n^7 b^2 a^3 d + 680 x^2 n^5 e b a^4 \\
& + 8 x^2 n^5 b^2 d^3 a + 236 x^2 n^3 e^2 a^3 d + 48 x^2 n^5 e b d^2 a^2 + x^2 n^4 b^2 d^4 + 8 x^2 n^3 e^2 d^3 a \\
& + 2248 x^3 n^4 b a^4 d - 548 x c_n e a^4 n d - 240 x^2 n^4 e b d^2 a^2 - 32 x^2 a_n n^7 b^2 a^3 d \\
& - 66 x^2 n^2 b^2 d^3 a + 78 x^2 n c a^3 d^2 - 972 x b_n n^4 c a^4 d + 22 x b_n n^2 c d^4 a \\
& + 832 x^2 b_n n^4 e a^4 d - 1416 x^2 b_n n^3 e a^4 d + 856 x^2 b_n n^2 e a^4 d - 160 x c_n e n^5 a^4 d \\
& - 936 x^2 n^5 b^2 a^4 + 168 c_n e^2 n^4 a^3 d + 108 c_n e^2 n^3 a^2 d^2 - 8 c_n e^2 n^3 a d^3 \\
& + 3600 x^2 c_n a^6 n^3 - 2 c_n e^2 d^4 + 960 x^2 c_n a^6 n^5 - 4 x c_n b d^5 + 480 x^2 c_n a^6 n \\
& - 128 x^2 c_n a^6 n^6 + 30 x^2 c_n a d^5 + 160 x^3 n^5 e a^4 d + 328 c_n b^2 n^6 a^3 d - 120 x^2 a_n n c d a^4 \\
& + 154 x^2 a_n n c d^2 a^3 - 272 x^2 a_n n^2 c d^2 a^3 - 416 x^3 n^5 e a^5 + 64 x^3 n^6 e a^5 - 856 x^3 n^3 e a^5 \\
& + 240 x^3 n^2 e a^5 + 2 x^3 n e d^5 - 480 x^3 n^6 b a^5 + 64 x^3 n^7 b a^5 - 1800 x^3 n^4 b a^5 \\
& - 32 c_n e^2 n^5 a^3 d + 450 x^2 c_n a^3 d^3 - 80 x c_n b n^4 d^3 a^2 + 416 x c_n b n^3 d^3 a^2 \\
& - 324 c_n e^2 d a^3 n^3 + 282 c_n e^2 d a^3 n^2 - 80 x c_n e n^3 d^3 a^2 - 20 x c_n e n^2 d^4 a \\
& + 160 x^3 n^4 e d^2 a^3 - 264 c_n b^2 d^3 a n - 3416 x c_n b n^4 a^4 d + 1008 x c_n b n^4 a^3 d^2 \\
& - 1540 c_n c n^4 a^4 d + 2100 c_n c n^3 a^4 d - 5440 x^4 a_n a^5 n^3 d + 4848 x c_n b a^4 n^3 d
\end{aligned}$$

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& -1688 x c_n e a^4 n^3 d - 32 c_n b^2 n^7 a^3 d + 864 x c_n e n^4 a^4 d - 1464 c_n c a^4 n^2 d \\
& + 1472 x c_n e a^4 n^2 d + 2234 c_n b^2 a^3 n^2 d - 1356 c_n b^2 n^5 a^3 d + 168 x^2 a_n n^6 b^2 a^3 d \\
& - 252 x^2 a_n n^5 b^2 a^3 d - 14 x^2 a_n n^4 b^2 a^3 d + 284 x^2 a_n n^3 b^2 a^3 d - 404 x^2 a_n n^4 c a^4 d \\
& + 4 x^2 a_n n^2 c d^4 a - 236 x^2 a_n n^3 c a^4 d + 496 x^2 a_n n^2 c a^4 d - 450 x^4 d^3 a^3 \\
& + 5400 x^4 a_n a^5 n^2 d + 2400 x^4 a_n a^5 n^4 d - 10 x^2 a_n n^3 c d^4 a - 8 x^2 a_n n^3 e^2 d^3 a \\
& - 71 x^2 a_n n c d^3 a^2 + 41 x^2 a_n n^2 c d^3 a^2 + 13 x^2 a_n n^2 e^2 d^2 a^2 + 71 x^2 a_n n^2 b^2 a^2 d^2 \\
& - 756 x b_n n^5 b^2 a^3 d - 60 x^2 n e b d a^3 + 368 x^2 a_n n^5 c a^4 d + 70 c_n b^2 n^4 d^3 a \\
& + 194 c_n e b d^3 a n - 8 c_n b^2 n^5 d^3 a + 992 x^2 b_n n^5 b a^4 d - 392 x b_n n^3 c a^5 \\
& - 19 c_n e b n d^4 - 900 x^2 n^3 c a^4 d - 40 x^2 n c a^4 d - 2896 x c_n b a^5 n^3 + 1144 x c_n e a^5 n^3 \\
& + 2400 x^2 c_n a^4 d^2 n^3 - 448 x b_n n^2 e b a^3 d + 60 x b_n n^3 e b d^3 a - 74 x b_n n^2 e b d^3 a \\
& + 30 x b_n n e b d^3 a - 120 x^2 c_n a^2 n^2 d^4 + 416 x c_n e n^5 a^5 - 64 x c_n e n^6 a^5 - 2 x c_n e n d^5 \\
& + 544 x c_n b n^6 a^5 + 1200 x^2 c_n a^3 d^3 n^2 - 864 c_n b^2 a^4 n^2 - 548 x^2 c_n a^4 d^2 + 240 x^2 c_n a^5 d \\
& - 170 x^2 c_n a^2 d^4 - 1208 c_n c a^5 n^3 - 2 x b_n n^3 e b d^4 + 30 c_n e^2 n^2 d^3 a - 8 x^2 a_n n^5 b^2 d^3 a \\
& + 8 x^2 a_n n^3 b^2 d^3 a - 40 x^2 a_n n^4 c d^3 a^2 + 72 x^2 a_n n^3 c d^3 a^2 - 8 x b_n n^5 b^2 d^3 a \\
& + 14 x^2 a_n n c d^4 a + 60 x^2 a_n n^3 e^2 d^2 a^2 - 24 x^2 a_n n^6 b^2 d^2 a^2 + 84 x^2 a_n n^5 b^2 d^2 a^2 \\
& - 47 x^2 a_n n^4 b^2 d^2 a^2 + 40 c_n c n^2 d^4 a - 40 c_n c n^4 d^3 a^2 - 10 c_n c n^3 d^4 a - 23 c_n b^2 n^2 d^4 \\
& + 8 c_n b^2 n^3 d^4 + 1332 x^3 n^3 b d^2 a^3 + 2184 c_n e b d a^3 n^3 + 1580 c_n e b a^4 n^4 \\
& + 272 c_n e n^6 b a^4 - 32 c_n e n^7 b a^4 - 874 c_n e b n^3 d^2 a^2 - 265 x b_n n^2 b^2 a^2 d^2 \\
& - 430 x b_n n^3 e b a^2 d^2 + 325 x b_n n^2 e b a^2 d^2 - 236 x b_n n^3 e^2 a^3 d + 10 c_n e b d^4 \\
& + 3 c_n e^2 n d^4 + 196 x^2 n^4 e^2 a^4 - 156 x^2 n^3 e^2 a^4 - 96 x^2 n^5 e^2 a^4 + 40 x^2 n^2 e^2 a^4 \\
& + 584 x^2 n^5 c a^5 - 4 x^2 n^3 b^2 d^4 - 325 x^2 n^2 e b a^2 d^2 + 6 x^2 a_n n^2 e^2 d^3 a \\
& + 14 x^2 a_n n^4 b^2 d^3 a - 154 x^2 a_n n^2 b^2 a^3 d + 240 c_n e^2 a^4 n^3 - 16 c_n e^2 n^6 a^4 \\
& + 96 c_n e^2 n^5 a^4 - 32 x b_n n^5 e^2 a^3 d - 32 x b_n n^7 b^2 a^3 d - 10 x b_n n e^2 d^3 a \\
& + 66 x b_n n^2 b^2 d^3 a - 20 x b_n n b^2 d^3 a + 164 x^2 a_n n^4 b^2 a^4 - 308 x^2 a_n n^3 b^2 a^4 \\
& - x^2 a_n n^2 e^2 d^4 + 2 x^4 d^6 - 24 x b_n n^4 e^2 d^2 a^2 - 24 x b_n n^6 b^2 d^2 a^2 + 240 x b_n n^6 e b a^4 \\
& - 71 x^2 a_n n e^2 a^2 d^2 - 155 x^2 a_n n^2 e b a^2 d^2 + 71 x^2 a_n n e b a^2 d^2 - 80 x^2 a_n n^6 c a^4 d \\
& - 29 x^2 n e^2 d^2 a^2 - 980 x^2 n^3 e b a^3 d - 2 x^2 n b^2 d^4 - 84 x^2 n^3 e^2 d^2 a^2 - x^2 a_n n^4 b^2 d^4 \\
& + 120 x^2 a_n n^2 b^2 a^4 + 160 x^3 n^5 b d^2 a^3 - 240 x^2 b_n n^2 e a^5 - 2 x^2 b_n n e d^5 \\
& + 480 x^2 b_n n^6 b a^5 - 1360 x^2 b_n n^5 b a^5 - 64 x^2 b_n n^7 b a^5 + 1800 x^2 b_n n^4 b a^5 \\
& - 120 x^3 n b a^4 d - 832 x^3 n^4 e a^4 d + 80 x^3 n^3 e d^3 a^2 + x^2 n^2 e^2 d^4 - 680 x b_n n^5 e b a^4 \\
& - 32 x b_n n^7 e b a^4 + 900 x b_n n^4 e b a^4 - 548 x b_n n^3 e b a^4 + 120 x b_n n^2 e b a^4
\end{aligned}$$

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& - 118 x^2 b_n n e a^2 d^3 + 120 x^2 b_n n b a^4 d - 214 x^2 b_n n b a^3 d^2 + 922 x^2 b_n n^2 b a^3 d^2 \\
& - 14 x^2 a_n n^2 b^2 d^3 a - 130 x^2 a_n n^2 e^2 a^3 d + 1336 x c_n b a^5 n^2 - 240 x c_n b a^5 n \\
& + 544 c_n c a^5 n^2 - 96 c_n c a^5 n - 136 x^2 n^3 c d^3 a^2 - 900 x^2 n^4 e b a^4 - x^2 n c d^5 \\
& - 1148 x^2 n^4 b^2 a^3 d + 10 x^2 n^3 c d^4 a - 608 x c_n e a^5 n^2 + 120 x c_n e a^5 n \\
& + 2700 x^2 c_n a^4 d^2 n - 1360 x^2 c_n a^3 d^3 n - 2192 x^2 c_n a^5 d n - 24 x^2 c_n d^5 a n \\
& - 124 c_n e^2 a^4 n^2 + 24 c_n e^2 a^4 n + 32 x^2 n^5 e^2 a^3 d + 30 x^4 a_n a d^5 - 2720 x^4 a_n a^6 n^4 \\
& + 3600 x^4 a_n a^6 n^3 + 928 x^2 n^4 e b a^3 d - 42 x^2 n^4 b^2 d^3 a + 756 x^2 n^5 b^2 a^3 d - x^2 n e^2 d^4 \\
& + 64 x^2 n^6 e b a^3 d + 900 x^2 n^4 b^2 a^4 + 16 x^2 n^4 e b d^3 a - 224 x^2 n^6 c a^5 - 120 x^2 n^2 e b a^4 \\
& + 12 x^2 n c d^4 a + 32 x^2 n^7 e b a^4 + 800 x^3 a_n b n^5 a^4 d + 26 x^3 n b d^4 a + 160 x^3 n^6 b a^4 d \\
& - 1096 x^2 b_n n^3 b a^5 - 2 x^2 b_n n^2 b d^5 + 240 x^2 b_n n^2 b a^5 + 2 x^2 b_n n b d^5 - 70 c_n c d^3 a^2 \\
& + 244 x c_n b a^3 d^2 - 164 x c_n b a^2 d^3 + 100 c_n c a^3 d^2 - 2400 x^4 a^5 n^4 d - 122 x c_n e a^3 d^2 \\
& + 1588 c_n b^2 n^3 a^2 d^2 + 362 c_n b^2 n^2 a d^3 - 770 x c_n b d^3 a^2 n^2 + 598 x c_n b d^3 a^2 n \\
& + 256 x c_n e d^3 a^2 n^2 + x b_n n c d^5 + 936 x b_n n^5 b^2 a^4 - 900 x b_n n^4 b^2 a^4 \\
& - 516 x b_n n^6 b^2 a^4 + 432 x b_n n^3 b^2 a^4 + 118 x^2 b_n n b a^2 d^3 - 5 x^2 n^2 e b d^4 \\
& - 1360 x^4 a_n a^3 d^3 n - 2192 x^4 a_n a^5 d n + 300 x^4 a_n a^2 d^4 n + 2700 x^4 a_n a^4 d^2 n \\
& + 2 x^2 n^3 e b d^4 - 156 x^2 n^5 b^2 d^2 a^2 - 22 x^2 n^2 c d^4 a + 20 x^2 n e^2 d a^3 + 972 x^2 n^4 c a^4 d \\
& - 992 x^3 n^5 b a^4 d - 80 x b_n n^2 b^2 a^4 + 144 x b_n n^7 b^2 a^4 + 18 x b_n n^2 e^2 d^3 a \\
& - 80 x b_n n^3 b^2 d^3 a - 80 x^2 b_n n^3 e d^3 a^2 - 220 c_n e^2 n^4 a^4 + 1916 c_n b^2 n^5 a^4 \\
& - 2644 c_n b^2 n^4 a^4 - 796 c_n b^2 n^6 a^4 + 176 c_n b^2 n^7 a^4 + 3160 x c_n b a^5 n^4 \\
& + 208 x^2 b_n n^2 e d^3 a^2 + 368 x b_n n^4 c d^2 a^3 - 582 x b_n n^3 c d^2 a^3 - 80 x b_n n^5 c d^2 a^3 \\
& + 624 x^2 b_n n^3 e d^2 a^3 + 326 x^3 n^2 b d^3 a^2 + 400 x b_n n^5 e b a^3 d - 64 x b_n n^6 e b a^3 d \\
& - 928 x b_n n^4 e b a^3 d - 2 x^4 a_n d^6 + 118 x^3 n e a^2 d^3 - 46 x^3 n^2 b d^4 a + 582 x^2 n^3 c d^2 a^3 \\
& + 2084 c_n b^2 a^4 n^3 - 3460 c_n b^2 n^3 a^3 d - 332 x^2 n^2 b^2 a^3 d + 40 x^2 n b^2 d a^3 \\
& + 24 x^2 n^4 e^2 d^2 a^2 + 389 x^2 n^4 b^2 a^2 d^2 + 16 x^2 n^6 e^2 a^4 + 480 x^4 a_n a^6 n + 240 x^4 a_n a^5 d \\
& + 32 x^2 n^7 c a^5 - 128 x^4 a_n a^6 n^6 + 450 x^4 a_n a^3 d^3 - 1840 x c_n b n^5 a^5 - 64 x c_n b n^7 a^5 \\
& - 2 x c_n b n^2 d^5 + 6 x c_n b n d^5 - 824 c_n c n^5 a^5 - 214 x^3 n e a^3 d^2 - 50 c_n c d^4 a n \\
& - 4080 x^2 c_n a^4 d^2 n^2 - 34 c_n e^2 d^3 a n - 106 x c_n b d^4 a n + 42 x c_n e d^4 a n \\
& - 320 x^3 b_n a^3 n^3 d^3 + 240 x^3 a_n e a^5 - 2 x^3 a_n e d^5 + 450 x^3 b_n d^3 a^3 + 960 x^3 b_n a^6 n^5 \\
& - 548 x^3 b_n a^4 d^2 - 2192 x^3 b_n a^6 n^2 + 30 x^3 b_n d^5 a + 480 x^3 b_n a^6 n + 240 x^3 b_n a^5 d \\
& - 2720 x^3 b_n a^6 n^4 + 3600 x^3 b_n a^6 n^3 - 170 x^3 b_n d^4 a^2 - 128 x^3 b_n a^6 n^6 + 1360 x^4 d^3 a^3 n \\
& + 2192 x^4 a^5 d n - 300 x^4 d^4 a^2 n - 2700 x^4 a^4 d^2 n + 24 x^4 d^5 a n - 1200 x^4 d^3 a^3 n^2 \\
& + 4080 x^4 a^4 d^2 n^2 + 480 x^4 a^4 n^4 d^2 - 2400 x^4 a^4 n^3 d^2 + 320 x^4 a^3 n^3 d^3
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -160 x c_n b n^6 a^4 d + 560 c_n c n^5 a^4 d - 80 c_n c n^6 a^4 d - 20 x^2 b_n n^3 b d^4 a \\
& -16 x b_n n^8 b^2 a^4 + x b_n n e^2 d^4 - 5 x b_n n^2 b^2 d^4 + 2 x b_n n b^2 d^4 + 516 x^2 n^6 b^2 a^4 \\
& + 450 x^3 a_n b n a^3 d^2 - 170 x^3 a_n b n a^2 d^3 + 1252 x^3 a_n e a^4 n d - 240 x^3 a_n e a^4 n^2 d \\
& - 1080 x^3 a_n e n^3 a^4 d + 800 x^3 a_n e n^4 a^4 d - 160 x^3 a_n e n^5 a^4 d - 240 x^3 a_n b n^3 a^4 d \\
& + 1252 x^3 a_n b n^2 a^4 d - 548 x^3 a_n b n a^4 d + 944 x^3 n^4 e a^5 - 16 x^2 a_n n^6 e^2 a^4 \\
& + 392 x^2 n^3 c a^5 - 80 x^2 n^2 c a^5 + 72 c_n b^2 d^3 a + 5400 x^2 c_n a^5 n^2 d - 5440 x^2 c_n a^5 n^3 d \\
& + 2400 x^2 c_n a^5 n^4 d - 1350 x c_n b a^3 d^2 n - 80 x^2 a_n n^5 c d^2 a^3 - 440 x^2 a_n n^5 e b a^4 \\
& + 220 x^2 a_n n^4 e b a^4 + 352 x^2 a_n n^3 e b a^4 + 2700 x^3 b_n a^4 d^2 n - 1360 x^3 b_n d^3 a^3 n \\
& + 120 x^4 a^2 n^2 d^4 - 5400 x^4 a^5 n^2 d + 5440 x^4 a^5 n^3 d + 384 x^4 a^5 n^5 d + 30 x^3 a_n b n d^4 a \\
& + 10 x^3 a_n e d^4 a n + 160 x^3 a_n e d^3 a^2 n^2 + 70 x^3 a_n e d^3 a^2 n - 1080 x^3 a_n b n^4 a^4 d \\
& + 560 x^3 a_n b n^4 a^3 d^2 - 160 x^3 a_n b n^6 a^4 d - 784 x^3 n^4 b d^2 a^3 + 82 x c_n e a^2 d^3 \\
& - 132 c_n b^2 d^2 a^2 + 12 c_n e^2 a^3 d + 72 c_n b^2 a^3 d + 60 x c_n e a^4 d - 120 x c_n b a^4 d \\
& - 48 x b_n n^5 e b d^2 a^2 + 240 x b_n n^4 e b d^2 a^2 - 16 x b_n n^4 e b d^3 a - 120 x^2 b_n n e a^4 d \\
& - 32 x^2 a_n n^7 c a^5 - 160 x^3 a_n b n^5 a^3 d^2 - 80 x^3 a_n b n^4 a^2 d^3 - 80 x^3 a_n e n^3 d^3 a^2 \\
& - 20 x^3 a_n e n^2 d^4 a - 856 x^3 a_n e a^5 n - 2 x^3 a_n b n d^5 + 704 x^3 a_n e a^5 n^2 \\
& + 440 x^3 a_n e a^5 n^3 - 880 x^3 a_n e n^4 a^5 + 160 x^3 a_n b n^3 d^3 a^2 - 20 x^3 a_n b n^3 d^4 a \\
& - 26 x^3 n e d^4 a - 389 x b_n n^4 b^2 a^2 d^2 - 40 x b_n n^4 c d^3 a^2 + 136 x b_n n^3 c d^3 a^2 \\
& - 10 x b_n n^3 c d^4 a - 20 x^2 b_n n^2 e d^4 a - 136 x^2 n^2 e^2 a^3 d - 18 x^2 n^2 e^2 d^3 a \\
& + 152 x b_n n^4 e^2 a^3 d + 136 x b_n n^2 e^2 a^3 d + 5 x^2 n^2 b^2 d^4 + 214 x^2 b_n n e a^3 d^2 \\
& - 920 c_n e b n^5 a^4 - 32 x^2 a_n n^5 e^2 a^3 d + 136 x^2 a_n n^4 e^2 a^3 d - 24 x^2 a_n n^4 e^2 a^2 d^2 \\
& - 106 c_n e^2 a^3 n d - x^2 a_n n^2 e b d^4 - 160 x^2 b_n n^5 e a^4 d + 548 x^2 n^3 e b a^4 \\
& - 258 x c_n e d^3 a^2 n - 464 x^2 n^3 b^2 d^2 a^2 - 16 x b_n n^6 e^2 a^4 + 16 x^2 n^8 b^2 a^4 \\
& + 120 x^3 n e a^4 d - 2720 x^2 c_n a^6 n^4 + 10 x^3 a_n b n^2 d^4 a + 416 x^3 a_n e n^5 a^5 \\
& - 64 x^3 a_n e n^6 a^5 - 2 x^3 a_n e n d^5 - 880 x^3 a_n b n^5 a^5 + 440 x^3 a_n b n^4 a^5 + 416 x^3 a_n b n^6 a^5 \\
& + 704 x^3 a_n b n^3 a^5 - 64 x^3 a_n b n^7 a^5 - 856 x^3 a_n b n^2 a^5 - 2 x^3 a_n b n^2 d^5 \\
& + 240 x^3 a_n b n a^5 + 4 x b_n n^3 b^2 d^4 + 376 x^2 a_n n^3 c a^5 - 240 x^2 a_n n^2 c a^5 - x^2 a_n n c d^5 \\
& + 96 x^2 a_n n^5 e^2 a^4 - 172 x^2 a_n n^4 e^2 a^4 + 26 x^2 b_n n e d^4 a - 160 x^2 b_n n^6 b a^4 d \\
& - 2248 x^2 b_n n^4 b a^4 d + 2272 x^2 b_n n^3 b a^4 d + 20 x^3 n^2 e d^4 a - 32 x^2 a_n n^7 e b a^4 \\
& - 84 x^2 a_n n^3 b^2 d^2 a^2 + 256 x^2 a_n n^4 c d^2 a^3 - 90 x^2 a_n n^3 c d^2 a^3 - 24 x^4 a_n d^5 a n \\
& + 192 x^2 a_n n^6 c a^5 - 344 x^2 a_n n^5 c a^5 + 48 x^2 a_n n^4 c a^5 - 432 x^2 n^3 b^2 a^4 - 960 x^4 a^6 n^5 \\
& - 48 x^2 a_n n^5 e b d^2 a^2 - 16 x^2 a_n n^4 e b d^3 a - 2 x^2 a_n n^3 e b d^4 + 976 x^3 n^2 b a^4 d
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 1184 x c_n b n^5 a^4 d + 24 x^2 n^6 b^2 d^2 a^2 + 3 x^2 n e b d^4 + 20 x^2 n b^2 d^3 a - 372 x^2 n^2 c a^3 d^2 \\
& - 152 x^2 n^4 e^2 a^3 d + 46 x^2 b_n n^2 b d^4 a - x^2 a_n n^2 c d^5 - 3600 x^4 a^6 n^3 + 2720 x^4 a^6 n^4 \\
& - 240 x^4 a^5 d - 480 x^4 a^6 n - 30 x^4 d^5 a + 2192 x^4 a^6 n^2 + 548 x^4 a^4 d^2 - 355 c_n c d^3 a^2 n^2 \\
& + 265 c_n c d^3 a^2 n - 167 c_n e^2 d^2 a^2 n^2 + 105 c_n e^2 d^2 a^2 n + 80 x^2 n^6 c a^4 d \\
& + 40 x^2 n^4 c d^3 a^2 + 208 x^2 a_n n^6 e b a^4 - 464 x^2 n^5 c a^4 d - 922 x^3 n^2 b a^3 d^2 \\
& - 428 x^2 a_n n^2 e b a^4 + 144 x^2 a_n n^4 e b d^2 a^2 - 34 x^2 a_n n^3 e b d^2 a^2 + 20 x^2 a_n n^3 e b d^3 a \\
& - 1090 c_n c n^3 a^3 d^2 - 1549 c_n b^2 d^2 a^2 n^2 + 740 c_n b^2 d^2 a^2 n + 2910 c_n b^2 n^4 a^3 d \\
& + 128 x^4 a^6 n^6 + 170 x^4 d^4 a^2 + 214 x^3 n b a^3 d^2 + 1360 c_n c a^5 n^4 - 1008 x c_n e a^5 n^4 \\
& - 16 c_n b^2 n^8 a^4 - 480 x^2 c_n a^4 n^4 d^2 - 320 x^2 c_n a^3 n^3 d^3 - 708 x^2 b_n n^2 e d^2 a^3 \\
& - 160 x^2 b_n n^4 e d^2 a^3 - 80 x^2 b_n n^4 b d^3 a^2 + 288 x^2 b_n n^3 b d^3 a^2 + 84 x b_n n^3 e^2 d^2 a^2 \\
& - 120 c_n e b a^4 n + 1045 c_n e b d^2 a^2 n^2 - 569 c_n e b d^2 a^2 n - 24 c_n b^2 n^6 d^2 a^2 \\
& + 154 x^2 a_n n e^2 a^3 d + 14 x^2 a_n n e^2 d^3 a - 368 x^2 a_n n^4 e b a^3 d + 304 x^2 a_n n^5 e b a^3 d \\
& + 80 x^2 n^2 b^2 a^4 - 144 x^2 n^7 b^2 a^4 - 2192 x^3 b_n a^5 d n + 300 x^3 b_n d^4 a^2 n - 24 x^3 b_n d^5 a n \\
& + 1200 x^3 b_n d^3 a^3 n^2 - 4080 x^3 b_n a^4 d^2 n^2 - 480 x^3 b_n a^4 n^4 d^2 + 2400 x^3 b_n a^4 n^3 d^2 \\
& - 120 x^3 b_n a^2 n^2 d^4 + 5400 x^3 b_n a^5 n^2 d - 5440 x^3 b_n a^5 n^3 d + 2400 x^3 b_n a^5 n^4 d \\
& - 384 x^3 b_n a^5 n^5 d + 300 x^2 c_n a^2 d^4 n - 368 x^2 n^4 c d^2 a^3 + 89 x^2 n^2 e^2 d^2 a^2 \\
& + 900 x^2 n^3 b^2 a^3 d + 1360 x^3 n^5 b a^5 + 960 x^4 a_n a^6 n^5 - 548 x^4 a_n a^4 d^2 - 2192 x^4 a_n a^6 n^2 \\
& - 170 x^4 a_n a^2 d^4 + 80 x^2 n^3 b^2 d^3 a - 58 x^2 n b^2 d^2 a^2 + x^2 n^2 c d^5 + 352 x^2 n^2 c a^4 d \\
& - 570 c_n c a^3 d^2 n + 614 x c_n e a^3 d^2 n - 851 c_n b^2 n^4 d^2 a^2 + 228 c_n b^2 n^5 d^2 a^2 \\
& + 668 c_n e b a^4 n^2 + 708 x^3 n^2 e d^2 a^3 - 248 x^2 n^6 b^2 a^3 d - 20 x c_n b n^3 d^4 a \\
& + 82 x c_n b n^2 d^4 a + 200 c_n c n^3 d^3 a^2 - 116 x^2 a_n n^3 e^2 a^3 d + 464 x b_n n^5 c a^4 d \\
& - 80 x b_n n^6 c a^4 d - 48 c_n e n^5 b d^2 a^2 - 16 c_n e n^4 b d^3 a - 2 c_n e n^3 b d^4 \\
& + 110 c_n e b a^2 d^2 - 60 c_n e b a^3 d - 696 c_n b^2 a^3 n d - 24 c_n e^2 n^4 a^2 d^2 + 10 x^2 n e^2 d^3 a \\
& - 144 x^2 a_n n^3 e b a^3 d - 64 x^2 a_n n^6 e b a^3 d + 438 x^2 a_n n^2 e b a^3 d - 240 x^2 n^6 e b a^4 \\
& + 430 x^2 n^3 e b a^2 d^2 - 704 x^2 n^4 c a^5 + 80 x^3 n^4 b d^3 a^2 + 448 x^2 n^2 e b a^3 d \\
& + 80 x b_n n^2 c a^5 + 265 x^2 n^2 b^2 a^2 d^2 + 29 x b_n n e^2 d^2 a^2 - 40 x b_n n b^2 d a^3 \\
& + 58 x b_n n b^2 d^2 a^2 + 60 x b_n n e b d a^3 - 87 x b_n n e b d^2 a^2 + 5 x b_n n^2 e b d^4 \\
& - 3 x b_n n e b d^4 - 145 x b_n n^2 c d^3 a^2 - 326 x^2 b_n n^2 b d^3 a^2 - 20 x b_n n e^2 d a^3 \\
& + 40 x b_n n c a^4 d - 78 x b_n n c a^3 d^2 + 372 x b_n n^2 c a^3 d^2 + 49 x b_n n c a^2 d^3 \\
& + 87 x^2 n e b d^2 a^2 - 60 x^2 n^3 e b d^3 a + 145 x^2 n^2 c d^3 a^2 + 22 x^2 a_n n^2 e b d^3 a \\
& - 154 x^2 a_n n e b a^3 d - 14 x^2 a_n n e b d^3 a - 976 x^2 b_n n^2 b a^4 d - 26 x^2 b_n n b d^4 a
\end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
& + 900 x b_n n^3 c a^4 d - 352 x b_n n^2 c a^4 d + 20 x^3 n^3 b d^4 a - 2272 x^3 n^3 b a^4 d \\
& - 196 x b_n n^4 e^2 a^4 + 156 x b_n n^3 e^2 a^4 + 96 x b_n n^5 e^2 a^4 - 40 x b_n n^2 e^2 a^4 \\
& + 224 x b_n n^6 c a^5 + 450 x^3 a_n e d^2 a^3 - 170 x^3 a_n e d^3 a^2 - 548 x^3 a_n e a^4 d \\
& + 30 x^3 a_n e d^4 a - 570 x^3 a_n e d^2 a^3 n - 300 x^3 a_n e d^2 a^3 n^2 + 560 x^3 a_n e n^3 d^2 a^3 \\
& - 160 x^3 a_n e n^4 d^2 a^3 - 300 x^3 a_n b n^3 d^2 a^3 - 570 x^3 a_n b n^2 a^3 d^2 + 70 x^3 a_n b n^2 a^2 d^3 \\
& + 28 c_n b^2 n d^4
\end{aligned}$$

Equating the highest coefficient gives for monic polynomials

```
> rule4:=a[n]=solve(coeff(re,x,4),a[n]);
      rule4 := a_n = 1
```

and equating the second highest coefficient yields

```
> rule5:=b[n]=factor(solve(subs(rule4,coeff(re,x,3)),b[n]));
      rule5 := b_n = -\frac{2 b n^2 a - 2 b n a - 2 e a + 2 b n d + e d}{(-2 a + 2 a n + d) (2 a n + d)}
```

Finally equating the third highest coefficient yields

```
> rule6:=c[n]=factor(solve(subs(rule5,subs(rule4,coeff(re,x,2)),c[n]));
      rule6 := c_n = -n (d - 2 a + a n) (4 a^2 n^2 c - 8 a^2 c n + 4 a^2 c - a b^2 n^2 + 2 a b^2 n
      + 4 a c n d - 4 a c d + a e^2 - a b^2 - b^2 d n + b^2 d + c d^2 - e b d) / ((2 a n - 3 a + d)
      (2 a n - a + d) (-2 a + 2 a n + d)^2)
>
```

## - Zeilberger's algorithm

We load the package "hsum.mpl" from my book

"Hypergeometric Summation", Vieweg, Braunschweig/Wiesbaden, 1998

```
> read "hsum9.mpl";
      Package "Hypergeometric Summation", Maple V - Maple 9
      Copyright 1998-2004, Wolfram Koepf, University of Kassel
```

We define the hypergeometric summand of the Laguerre polynomials.

```
> laguerreterm:=pochhammer(alpha+1,n)/n!*hyperterm([-n],[alpha+1],x,k);
      laguerreterm := \frac{\text{pochhammer}(\alpha + 1, n) \text{pochhammer}(-n, k) x^k}{n! \text{pochhammer}(\alpha + 1, k) k!}
```

and use Zeilberger's algorithm to detect a recurrence equation for the sum, hence for the Laguerre polynomials.

```
> RE:=sumrecursion(laguerreterm,k,L(n));
      RE := (n + 1 + \alpha) L(n) + (-\alpha - 3 + x - 2 n) L(n + 1) + (2 + n) L(2 + n) = 0
```

Next, we detect the differential equation of the Laguerre polynomials from their hypergeometric representation.

> **DE:=sumdiffeq(laguerreterm,k,L(x));**

$$DE := x \left( \frac{d^2}{dx^2} L(x) \right) - (x - \alpha - 1) \left( \frac{d}{dx} L(x) \right) + L(x) \quad n = 0$$

To compute recurrence and differential equations for sums and products, we load the gfun package.

> **with(gfun):**

The following computes the recurrence equation valid for the square of the Laguerre polynomials

> **'rec\*rec'(RE,RE,L(n));**

$$\begin{aligned} & \{ (10 - 2x + 29n - 4xn^2 - xn^3 + 25\alpha^2 + \alpha^4 + 9\alpha^3 + 13n^3 + 2n^4 + 27\alpha + 55n\alpha \\ & - 5x\alpha - 5xn + 30n^2 + 5n\alpha^3 + 31n\alpha^2 + 9n^2\alpha^2 + 35n^2\alpha + 7n^3\alpha - \alpha^3x - 4\alpha^2x \\ & - 3n\alpha^2x - 3n^2\alpha x - 8n\alpha x) L(n) + (-66 - 22x^2 + 70x - 149n - 23nx^2 + 62xn^2 \\ & + x^3n - 6x^2n^2 + 11xn^3 - 47\alpha^2 + x^3\alpha - 17\alpha x^2 + 2x^3 - \alpha^4 - 11\alpha^3 - 45n^3 - 6n^4 \\ & - 91\alpha - 153n\alpha + 75x\alpha + 115xn - 124n^2 - 6n\alpha^3 - 52n\alpha^2 - 14n^2\alpha^2 - 84n^2\alpha \\ & - 15n^3\alpha + 3\alpha^3x + 26\alpha^2x - 3\alpha^2x^2 + 14n\alpha^2x - 9n\alpha x^2 + 22n^2\alpha x + 82n\alpha x) \\ & L(n+1) + (110 + 26x^2 - 102x + 219n + 25n^2 - 70xn^2 - x^3n + 6x^2n^2 - 11xn^3 \\ & + 22\alpha^2 + 6\alpha x^2 - 2x^3 + 2\alpha^3 + 51n^3 + 6n^4 + 82\alpha + 119n\alpha - 48x\alpha - 147xn \\ & + 160n^2 + n\alpha^3 + 21n\alpha^2 + 5n^2\alpha^2 + 57n^2\alpha + 9n^3\alpha - 6\alpha^2x - 3n\alpha^2x + 3n\alpha x^2 \\ & - 11n^2\alpha x - 46n\alpha x) L(2+n) + (-8n^2\alpha - n^3\alpha - 21n\alpha - 18\alpha - 66n^2 - 19n^3 \\ & - 99n - 54 + 8xn^2 + xn^3 + 21xn + 18x - 2n^4) L(n+3), L(2) = \frac{1}{4} - C_1x - C_2 \\ & + \frac{1}{4} - C_0 - C_3x - C_0\alpha - C_3 + \frac{1}{2} - C_0\alpha - C_2 + \frac{1}{4} - C_1\alpha^2 - C_3 - \frac{1}{4} - C_1\alpha^2 - C_2 + \frac{1}{4} - C_1x^2 - C_3 \\ & - \frac{1}{4} - C_0\alpha^2 - C_3 - \frac{1}{2} - C_1x - C_3\alpha + \frac{1}{4} - C_1x - C_2\alpha + \frac{1}{4} - C_0\alpha - C_3x + \frac{3}{2} - C_1 - C_3\alpha \\ & - C_1 - C_2\alpha - \frac{3}{2} - C_1x - C_3 - \frac{3}{4} - C_1 - C_2 - \frac{3}{4} - C_0 - C_3 + \frac{1}{4} - C_0\alpha^2 - C_2 + \frac{1}{4} - C_0 - C_2 \\ & + \frac{9}{4} - C_1 - C_3, L(0) = -C_0 - C_2, L(1) = -C_1 - C_3 \} \end{aligned}$$

and this is the differential equation for the square of the Laguerre polynomials.

> **'diffeq\*diffeq'(DE,DE,L(x));**

$$\begin{aligned} & (2n - 4xn + 4n\alpha) L(x) + (4xn + 3\alpha + 1 + 2x^2 - 4x\alpha - 4x + 2\alpha^2) \left( \frac{d}{dx} L(x) \right) \\ & + (-3x^2 + 3x\alpha + 3x) \left( \frac{d^2}{dx^2} L(x) \right) + \left( \frac{d^3}{dx^3} L(x) \right) x^2 \end{aligned}$$

Next, we define the summand of the Hahn polynomials

> **hahnterm := (-1)^n \* pochhammer(N-n, n) \* pochhammer(beta+1, n) / n! \* hy**

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perterm([-n,-x,alpha+beta+n+1],[beta+1,1-N],1,k);
hahnterm := (-1)^n pochhammer(N-n,n) pochhammer(beta+1,n) pochhammer(-n,k)
pochhammer(-x,k) pochhammer(alpha+beta+n+1,k)/(n! pochhammer(beta+1,k)
pochhammer(1-N,k) k!)
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and compute a recurrence equation for them

```
> sumrecursion(hahnterm,k,h(n));
(n+1-N)(n+1+alpha)(n+1+beta)(alpha+4+2n+beta)(1+N+alpha+beta+n)h(n)+
(2n+3+alpha+beta)(4+6x*beta+8x+6n+alpha*beta+2*beta^2+5*beta*n+4x*beta*n+4x*n^2+beta^2*n
+beta*n^2-6nN-2n^2N-beta^2N-2*beta*nN-2n*alphaN-beta*alphaN-alpha^2-3*betaN+5*beta+alpha-n*alpha
+6x*alpha+12xn+x*beta^2-3*alphaN+2n^2-n*alpha^2-n^2*alpha+alpha^2*x+2x*alpha*beta+4n*alpha*x-4N)
h(n+1)-(2+n)(alpha+beta+n+2)(2n+alpha+beta+2)h(2+n)=0
```

Similarly, a difference equation w.r.t. x is obtained

```
> sumrecursion(hahnterm,k,h(x));
(x+1)(x-alpha+1-N)h(x)
-(6x+2x^2+2*beta-alpha-x*alpha-2xN+5-betaN-3N+n+n*alpha+x*beta+n^2+beta*n)h(x+1)
+(x+2-N)(x+beta+2)h(x+2)=0
>
```

## - Orthogonal Polynomial Solutions of Recurrence Equations

```
> read "retode.mpl";
Package "REtoDE", Maple V - Maple 8
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Example recurrence

```
> RE:=P(n+2)-(x-n-1)*P(n+1)+alpha*(n+1)^2*P(n)=0;
RE := P(2+n) - (x-n-1) P(n+1) + alpha (n+1)^2 P(n) = 0
```

Classical continuous solutions

```
> REtoDE(RE,P(n),x);
Warning: parameters have the values, {a=0, b=2c, alpha=1/4, e=0, c=c, d=-4c}
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$$\left[ \frac{1}{2} (2x+1) \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} P(n,x) \right) - 2x \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} P(n,x) \right) + 2n P(n,x) = 0, \right.$$

$$\left[ I = \left[ \frac{-1}{2}, \infty \right], \rho(x) = 2 e^{(-2x)}, \frac{k_{n+1}}{k_n} = 1 \right]$$

Classical discrete solutions

```
> REtodiscreteDE(RE,P(n),x);
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Warning: parameters have the values, {f=f, alpha = f^2/4, c = -1/4 f^2 d + 1/4 d + 1/2 g d f + 1/2 g d,

$$e = -g d, g = g, a = 0, b = -\frac{1}{2} f d - \frac{1}{2} d, d = d \}$$

$$\left[ \frac{1}{2} \frac{(f+2fx-1) \Delta(\text{Nabla}(P(n,fx+g), x), x)}{f} - \frac{2x \Delta(P(n,fx+g), x)}{f+1} + \frac{2n P(n,fx+g)}{(f+1)f} = 0, \right.$$

$$\left. \left[ \sigma(x) = \frac{f}{2} + x - \frac{1}{2} - g, \sigma(x) + \tau(x) = \frac{(f-1)(f+2x+1-2g)}{2(f+1)} \right], \rho(x) = \left( \frac{f-1}{f+1} \right)^x, \right.$$

$$\left. \frac{k_{n+1}}{k_n} = \frac{1}{f} \right]$$

> **strict:=true;**

*strict := true*

[ Without translations no classical discrete solutions exist.

> **REt discreteDE(RE,P(n),x);**

Error, (in REt discreteDE) this recurrence equation has no classical discrete orthogonal polynomial solutions

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