

# Product formulas for basic hypergeometric series by evaluations of Askey–Wilson polynomials

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# Adopted set notations

- $\mathbb{N}_0 := \{0\} \cup \mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ ;
- $\mathbb{Z}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathbb{C}$  which represent the sets of integers, real numbers and complex numbers respectively
- $\mathbb{C}^* := \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$
- Multiset notation:  $\mathbf{a} := \{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$ ,  $a_k \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $1 \leq k \leq n$ :

$$\{\pm\}a := \{a, -a\},$$

$$e^{\{\pm\}i\theta} := \{e^{i\theta}, e^{-i\theta}\},$$

$$z^{\{\pm\}} := \{z, z^{-1}\},$$

$$z^{\{\pm\}2} := \{z^2, z^{-2}\},$$

$$\{\pm\}z^{\{\pm\}} := \{z, -z, z^{-1}, -z^{-1}\}.$$

# Finite and infinite $q$ -shifted factorials—building blocks

- The finite shifted and  $q$ -shifted factorials,

$$(a)_n := (a)(a+1)(a+2)\cdots(a+n-1)$$

$$(a; q)_n := (1-a)(1-qa)(1-q^2a)\cdots(1-q^{n-1}a) = \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} (1-aq^k)$$

- The infinite  $q$ -shifted factorial,  $0 < |q| < 1$ ,

$$(a; q)_\infty = \prod_{k=0}^{\infty} (1-aq^k).$$

- Other adopted product notations:

$$(a_1, \dots, a_r; q)_n := (a_1; q)_n \cdots (a_r; q)_n,$$

$$(a_1, \dots, a_r; q)_\infty := (a_1; q)_\infty \cdots (a_r; q)_\infty,$$

Useful identities for  $q$ -shifted factorials

$$(a; q)_{n+1} = (1 - a)(qa; q)_n,$$

$$(a; q)_{n-1} = \frac{\left(\frac{a}{q}; q\right)_n}{\left(1 - \frac{a}{q}\right)},$$

$$\frac{(1 - q^n a)}{(1 - a)} = \frac{(qa; q)_n}{(a; q)_n},$$

$$(a; q^{\frac{1}{2}})_n = \begin{cases} (a, q^{\frac{1}{2}}a; q)_{\frac{n}{2}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ (1 - a)(q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, qa; q)_{\frac{n-1}{2}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd,} \end{cases}$$

$$(a; q)_{2n} = (a, qa; q^2)_n = (\{\pm\}\sqrt{a}, \{\pm\}\sqrt{qa}; q)_n.$$

## Basic and generalized hypergeometric series

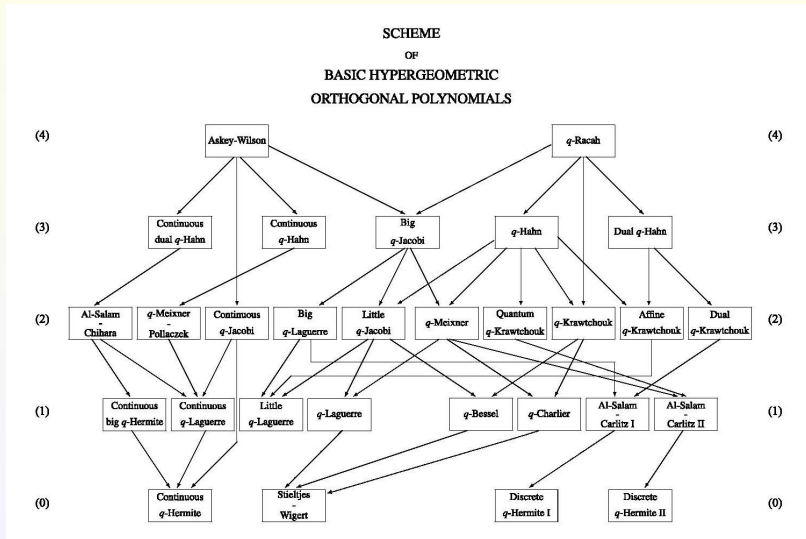
- Basic hypergeometric series (bhs):

$${}_r\phi_s \left( \begin{matrix} a_1, \dots, a_r \\ b_1, \dots, b_s \end{matrix}; q, z \right) := \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a_1, \dots, a_r; q)_k}{(q, b_1, \dots, b_s; q)_k} \left( (-1)^k q^{\binom{k}{2}} \right)^{1+s-r} z^k$$

- If  $(r, s) \mapsto (r+1, r)$  then the bhs is considered  $k$ -balanced if  $b_1 b_2 \cdots b_r = q^k a_1 a_2 \cdots a_{r+1}$  (terminology due to Askey).
- Generalized hypergeometric series:

$${}_rF_s \left( \begin{matrix} a_1, \dots, a_r \\ b_1, \dots, b_s \end{matrix}; z \right) := \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a_1)_k \cdots (a_r)_k}{(b_1)_k \cdots (b_s)_k} \frac{z^k}{k!}$$

# The $q$ -Askey scheme of basic hypergeometric OPs



# Terminating balanced ${}_4\phi_3$ representations of the Askey–Wilson polynomials

## Theorem

Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,  $x = \frac{1}{2}(z + z^{-1})$ , and  $q, z, a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{C}^*$ . Then

$$p_n(x; a, b, c, d|q)$$

$$= a^{-n} (ab, ac, ad; q)_n {}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-n}, q^{n-1}abcd, az^{\{\pm\}} \\ ab, ac, ad \end{matrix}; q, q \right)$$

$$= q^{-\binom{n}{2}} (-a)^{-n} \frac{(\frac{abcd}{q}; q)_{2n} (az^{\{\pm\}}; q)_n}{(\frac{abcd}{q}; q)_n} {}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-n}, \frac{q^{1-n}}{ab}, \frac{q^{1-n}}{ac}, \frac{q^{1-n}}{ad} \\ \frac{q^{2-2n}}{abcd}, \frac{q^{1-n}}{a} z^{\{\pm\}} \end{matrix}; q, q \right)$$

$$= z^n \left( ab, \frac{c}{z}, \frac{d}{z}; q \right)_n {}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-n}, az, bz, \frac{q^{1-n}}{cd} \\ ab, q^{1-n} \frac{z}{c}, q^{1-n} \frac{z}{d} \end{matrix}; q, q \right).$$

# The Ismail–Wilson generating function

In Equation (1.9) in Ismail & Wilson (1982) “Asymptotic and generating relations for the  $q$ -Jacobi and  ${}_4\phi_3$  polynomials,” *Journal of Approximation Theory*, **36**, 1, 43–54. They derived the following product generating function for Askey–Wilson polynomials. Let  $x = \frac{1}{2}(z + z^{-1})$ ,  $|tz^{\{\pm\}}| < 1$ . Then

$${}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} az, bz \\ ab \end{matrix}; q, \frac{t}{z}\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{c}{z}, \frac{d}{z} \\ cd \end{matrix}; q, tz\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^n p_n(x; a, b, c, d|q)}{(q, ab, cd; q)_n}.$$

Consider  $z \in \{a^{\{\pm\}}, b^{\{\pm\}}, c^{\{\pm\}}, d^{\{\pm\}}\}$ . Then one can use the Askey–Wilson special value

$$p_n[a; a, b, c, d|q] = a^{-n}(ab, ac, ad; q)_n.$$

Then one of the  ${}_2\phi_1$ 's becomes unity and the Ismail–Wilson generating function becomes one of the Heine transformations of a  ${}_2\phi_1$  series.

# Triple sum generalized Ismail–Wilson generating function

The following summation generalizes the Ismail–Wilson generating function with an extra parameter  $u$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_3\phi_2\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{u}{t}, aw, bw \\ ab, uw \end{matrix}; q, \frac{t}{w}\right) {}_3\phi_2\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{u}{t}, \frac{c}{w}, \frac{d}{w} \\ cd, \frac{u}{w} \end{matrix}; q, tw\right) \\
 &= \frac{(\frac{u}{a}, \frac{u}{c}; q)_\infty}{(uw^{\{\pm\}}; q)_\infty} \sum_{n,k,l \geq 0} \frac{t^n u^{k+l}}{a^k c^l} \frac{(aw^{\{\pm\}}; q)_k (cw^{\{\pm\}}; q)_l p_n(x; q^k a, b, q^l c, d|q)}{(q; q)_k (q; q)_l (q; q)_n (ab; q)_{n+k} (cd; q)_{n+l}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

If  $w = b$  or  $w = d$  then one of the  ${}_3\phi_2$ 's become unity and we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_3\phi_2\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{u}{t}, ad, bd \\ ab, du \end{matrix}; q, \frac{t}{d}\right) \\
 &= \frac{(\frac{u}{a}; q)_\infty}{(du; q)_\infty} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\frac{a}{d}; q)_k (bd; q)_n (ad; q)_{n+k}}{(q; q)_k (q; q)_n (ab; q)_{n+k}} \left(\frac{t}{d}\right)^n \left(\frac{u}{a}\right)^k.
 \end{aligned}$$

Terminating balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summations

- There are a plethora of terminating balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summations in the literature.
- However, many of them should be considered equivalent.
- They satisfy the Sears transformation

**Sears' Balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  Transformations**

With  $def = abcq^{1-n}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 17.9.14 \quad {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} q^{-n}, a, b, c \\ d, e, f \end{matrix}; q, q\right) &= \frac{(e/a, f/a; q)_n}{(e, f; q)_n} a^n {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} q^{-n}, a, d/b, d/c \\ d, aq^{1-n}/e, aq^{1-n}/f \end{matrix}; q, q\right) \\
 &= \frac{(a, ef/(ab), ef/(ac); q)_n}{(e, f, ef/(abc); q)_n} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} q^{-n}, e/a, f/a, ef/(abc) \\ ef/(ab), ef/(ac), q^{1-n}/a \end{matrix}; q, q\right).
 \end{aligned}$$

- Through simple linear variable scaling they often can be seen to be equivalent to a specific Askey–Wilson polynomial evaluation.

Bailey's and Andrews' balanced terminating  ${}_4\phi_3$  summation

The following summation of a balanced terminating  ${}_4\phi_3$  was first derived by Bailey (1941) and is a consequence of a formula due to Jackson (1941) (see also Carlitz (1969) and G+R Exercise 2.6):

$${}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-n}, -\frac{q^{1-n}}{ab}, a, b \\ -ab, \frac{q^{1-n}}{a}, \frac{q^{1-n}}{b} \end{matrix}; q, q \right) = \begin{cases} \frac{(q, a^2, b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}} (ab; q)_n}{(a, b; q)_n (a^2 b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ 0 & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

The above equation is equivalent to Andrews' (1976) summation (Theorem 1 therein)

$${}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-n}, q^n a, \{\pm\} \sqrt{c} \\ \{\pm\} \sqrt{qa}, c \end{matrix}; q, q \right) = \begin{cases} \frac{c^{\frac{n}{2}} (q, \frac{qa}{c}; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(qa, qc; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ 0 & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

Andrews' (1976) alternative balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summation

The following terminating balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summation DLMF (17.7.11) due to Theorem 2 in Andrews (1976) “ $q$ -Analogues of the Watson and Whipple summations” SIMA **7**, is a terminating  $q$ -analogue of Whipple's  ${}_3F_2$  sum

$${}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-n}, q^{n+1}, \{\pm\}a \\ -q, b, \frac{qa^2}{b} \end{matrix}; q, q \right)$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{a^n \left( \frac{q^2}{b}, \frac{qb}{a^2}; q^2 \right)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{\left( qb, \frac{q^2 a^2}{b}; q^2 \right)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ \frac{q \left( 1 - \frac{b}{q} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{a^2}{b} \right) (-a)^{n-1} \left( \frac{q^3}{b}, \frac{q^2 b}{a^2}; q^2 \right)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{\left( 1 - b \right) \left( 1 - \frac{qa^2}{b} \right) \left( q^2 b, \frac{q^3 a^2}{b}; q^2 \right)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

## Summations due to Bressoud, Ismail and Stanton (2000)

The following two summations for balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  series are given in Bressoud, Ismail and Stanton (2000) [7, (2.1), (2.2)]. The first balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summation formula [7, (2.2)], [12, (17.7.12)] (also see [13, Exercise 3.34;  $c \mapsto bq^n$ ]) is given by

$${}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-2n}, q^{2n}b^2, a, qa \\ b, qb, q^2a^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, q^2 \right) = \frac{a^n(-q, \frac{b}{a}; q)_n}{(-qa, b; q)_n}, \quad (18)$$

which is a  $q$ -analogue of Bailey's  ${}_4F_3(1)$  summation. We will use this summation formula to derive Theorem 4.17 in Section 4. The balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summation formula [12, (17.7.13)], [7, (2.1)]

$${}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-2n}, q^{2n}b^2, a, qa \\ qb, q^2b, a^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, q^2 \right) = \frac{a^n(1-b)(-q, \frac{qb}{a}; q)_n}{(1-q^{2n}b)(-a, b; q)_n}, \quad (19)$$

is another  $q$ -analogue of Bailey's  ${}_4F_3(1)$  summation. We will use (19) to recover a result by Nassrallah (79) (see also Remark 4.13). Guo (2013) [14] and Wei-Wang (2015) [33] derived terminating balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summations. Guo's balanced summations are [14, p. 1040, second identity]

$${}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-2n}, a, b, \frac{q^{3-2n}}{ab} \\ \frac{q^{2-2n}}{a}, \frac{q^{2-2n}}{b}, qab \end{matrix}; q^2, q^2 \right) = \frac{(-q, a, b; q)_n (ab; q^2)_n}{(1-q^{2n-1}ab)(ab; q)_{n-1}(a, b; q^2)_n}, \quad (20)$$

[14, (4.4)]

$${}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-2n}, q^2a, q^2b, \frac{q^{1-2n}}{ab} \\ \frac{q^{2-2n}}{a}, \frac{q^{2-2n}}{b}, q^3ab \end{matrix}; q^2, q^2 \right) = \frac{q^{-n}(-q, qa, qb; q)_n (q^2ab; q^2)_n}{(1-q^{2n+1}ab)(q^2ab; q)_{n-1}(a, b; q^2)_n}, \quad (21)$$

and [14, (4.6)]

$${}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-2n}, a, b, \frac{q^{3-2n}}{ab} \\ \frac{q^{-2n}}{a}, \frac{q^{-2n}}{b}, qab \end{matrix}; q^2, q^2 \right) = \frac{(-q, qa, qb; q)_n (q^2ab; q^2)_n}{(qab; q)_n (q^2a, q^2b; q^2)_n}. \quad (22)$$

Wei and Wang provided the following balanced summation [33, Corollary 6]

$${}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-2n}, a, b, \frac{q^{3-2n}}{ab} \\ \frac{q^{2-2n}}{a}, \frac{q^{4-2n}}{b}, \frac{ab}{q} \end{matrix}; q^2, q^2 \right) = \frac{q^{-n}(-q, a, \frac{b}{q}; q)_n (\frac{ab}{q^2}; q^2)_n}{(\frac{ab}{q^2}; q)_n (a, \frac{b}{q^2}; q^2)_n}, \quad (23)$$

and a number of closely related ones.

## Bressoud, Ismail and Stanton (2000) (cont.)

## Remark

*On first appearance, one might consider (18)–(23) to be different. However, after replacing  $q^2 \mapsto q$ , all the summations (18)–(23) should be considered to be equivalent when viewed as terminating balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$ 's which can be written in terms of Askey–Wilson polynomials. The summations (18) and (19) produce the same Askey–Wilson polynomial by replacing  $(a, b) \mapsto (q^{-\frac{1}{4}}a, ab)$  and  $(a, b) \mapsto (q^{\frac{1}{4}}a, q^{\frac{1}{2}}ab)$  respectively. The summations (20)–(23) produce the same Askey–Wilson polynomial by replacing  $(a, b) \mapsto (q^{-\frac{1}{4}}a, q^{-\frac{1}{4}}b)$ ,  $(a, b) \mapsto (q^{\frac{1}{4}}a, q^{\frac{1}{4}}a)$ , and  $(a, b) \mapsto (q^{-\frac{1}{4}}a, q^{-\frac{1}{4}}b)$ ,  $(a, b) \mapsto (q^{\frac{1}{4}}a, q^{\frac{3}{4}}b)$  respectively.*

Computer search for  $k$ -balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summations

- Schlosser made computer experiments and searched for new terminating  $k$ -balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summations.
- Found 2 new 3-balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summations. Example:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} \{\pm\}q^{-n}, \{\pm\}\sqrt{c} \\ \{\pm\}iq^{\frac{3}{2}-n}, c \end{matrix} ; q, q \right) \\
 &= (-1)^n \frac{(1 + q^{1-2n})}{(1 + q)} \frac{(q; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} (-q^{1+2\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} c; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor}}{(qc; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} (-q^{1+2\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor}; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

- Found 3 new 2-balanced summations. Example:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_4\phi_3 \left( \begin{matrix} q^{-n}, q^na, \{\pm\}\sqrt{c} \\ \{\pm\}q\sqrt{a}, c \end{matrix} ; q, q \right) \\
 &= (q^na)^n \left( \frac{q^{-2n}c}{a^2} \right)^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} \frac{(1 - a)}{(1 - aq^{2n})} \frac{(q; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} (\frac{q^2a}{c}; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor}}{(a; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} (qc; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

# New balanced summations

- We did a careful literature search and found 15 new 1-balanced (balanced) summations. However, many of them should be considered equivalent. We demonstrated the full equivalence of all the summations which were found and also in the literature.

11  $q$ -quadratic special values for Askey–Wilson polynomials

Corresponding to the terminating balanced  ${}_4\phi_3$  summations:

- 5  $q$ -quadratic AW special values corresponding to  $x = 0$ .
  - A1:  $p_n(0; \{\pm\}ia, \{\pm\}ib|q)$  – Bailey (1941)
  - A2:  $p_n(0; \{\pm\}ia, ib, -iqb|q)$  – Cohl & Schlosser (2026)
  - A3:  $p_n(0; ia, -iqa, ib, -iqb|q)$  – Cohl & Schlosser (2026)
  - A4:  $p_n(0; ia, \frac{iq}{a}, ib, \frac{iq}{b}|q)$  – Andrews (1976)
  - A5:  $p_n(0; \{\pm\}ia, ib, -iq^2b|q)$  – Cohl & Schlosser (2026)
- 3  $q$ -quadratic AW special values corresponding to  $x = \frac{1}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{2}} - q^{-\frac{1}{2}})$ .
  - B1:  $p_n(\frac{1}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{2}} - q^{-\frac{1}{2}}); \{\pm\}ia, \{\pm\}ib|q)$  – Cohl & Schlosser (2026)
  - B2:  $p_n(\frac{1}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{2}} - q^{-\frac{1}{2}}); \{\pm\}ia, ib, -iqb|q)$  – Cohl & Schlosser (2026)
  - B3:  $p_n(\frac{1}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{2}} - q^{-\frac{1}{2}}); ia, -iqa, ib, -iqb|q)$  – Cohl & Schlosser (2026)
- 2  $q$ -quadratic AW special values:  $x = \frac{1}{2}(a + a^{-1})$ ,  $x = \frac{1}{2}(qa + (qa)^{-1})$ 
  - C1:  $p_n(\frac{1}{2}(a + \frac{1}{a}); \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}, a, b|q)$  – Damjanovic
  - C2:  $p_n(\frac{1}{2}(qa + \frac{1}{qa}); \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}, a, b|q)$  – G+R (3.10.9)
- 1  $q$ -quadratic AW special value corresponding to  $x = \frac{1}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{4}} + q^{-\frac{1}{4}})$ .
  - D1:  $p_n(\frac{1}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{4}} + q^{-\frac{1}{4}}); a, q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, b, q^{\frac{1}{2}}b|q)$  – Bressoud, Ismail & Stanton (2000)

5  $q$ -quadratic AW special values  $x = 0$  (A1,A2)

Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,  $q, a, b \in \mathbb{C}^*$ . Then

$$p_n(0; \{\pm\}ia, \{\pm\}ib|q) = \begin{cases} (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} \frac{(q, a^2, b^2, \{\pm\}ab, \{\pm\}qab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ 0 & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

$p_n(0; \{\pm\}ia, ib, -iqb|q)$

$$= \begin{cases} (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} \frac{(q, a^2, q^2b^2, \{\pm\}ab, \{\pm\}qab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ -i(-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} (1-q)(1-a^2)b \frac{(q^3, q^2a^2, q^2b^2, \{\pm\}qab, \{\pm\}q^2ab; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{(q^2a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

5  $q$ -quadratic AW special values  $x = 0$  (A3,A4)

$$p_n(0; ia, -iqa, ib, -iqb|q)$$

$$= \begin{cases} (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} \frac{(q, q^2 a^2, q^2 b^2, qab, -ab, q^2 ab, -qab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(q^2 a^2 b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ -i(-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} (1-q)(a+b)(1-qab) \\ \quad \times \frac{(q^3, q^2 a^2, q^2 b^2, q^2 ab, -qab, q^3 ab, -q^2 ab; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{(q^2 a^2 b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

$$p_n(0; ia, \frac{iq}{a}, ib, \frac{iq}{b}|q)$$

$$= \begin{cases} (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} (-q, -q^2, -ab, -\frac{q^2}{ab}, -\frac{qa}{b}, -\frac{qb}{a}; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ -\frac{iq}{b} (-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} (1+q)(1+\frac{ab}{q})(1+\frac{b}{a}) \\ \quad \times (-q^2, -q^3, -qab, -\frac{q^3}{ab}, -\frac{q^2 a}{b}, -\frac{q^2 b}{a}; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

5  $q$ -quadratic AW special values  $x = 0$  (A5)

$$p_n(0; \{\pm\}ia, ib, -iq^2b|q)$$

$$= \begin{cases} \left( \frac{(-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} (a^2, q^2b^2, \{\pm\}ab, \{\pm\}qab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(1 - q^2b^2)(1 - a^2b^2)(q^2a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} \right. \\ \quad \times \left( \frac{(1 - qb^2)(1 - qa^2b^2)(q, q^3b^2, q^3a^2b^2; q)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(qb^2, qa^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} \right. \\ \quad \left. \left. + \frac{qb^2(1 - q)(1 - \frac{a^2}{q})(q^3, qa^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(\frac{a^2}{q}; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} \right) \right) \text{ if } n \text{ even,} \\ -i(-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} b(1 - q^2)(1 - a^2) \\ \quad \times \frac{(q^3, q^2a^2, q^4b^2, \{\pm\}qab, \{\pm\}q^2ab; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{(q^2a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}} \text{ if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

3  $q$ -quadratic AW special values  $x = \frac{i}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{2}} - q^{-\frac{1}{2}})$  (B1, B2)

$$p_n\left(\frac{i}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{2}} - q^{-\frac{1}{2}}); \{\pm\}ia, \{\pm\}ib|q\right) = q^{-\frac{n}{2}} \begin{cases} (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} \frac{(q, qa^2, qb^2, \{\pm\}ab, \{\pm\}qab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ -i(-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} (1-q)(1-a^2b^2) \\ \quad \times \frac{(q^3, qa^2, qb^2, \{\pm\}qab, \{\pm\}q^2ab; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{(a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

$$p_n\left(\frac{i}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{2}} - q^{-\frac{1}{2}}); \{\pm\}ia, ib, -iqb|q\right) = q^{-\frac{n}{2}} \begin{cases} (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} \frac{(q, qa^2, q^{\frac{5}{2}}b, qb^2, \{\pm\}ab, \{\pm\}qab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(q^{\frac{1}{2}}b, a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ -i(-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} (1-q)(1+q^{\frac{1}{2}}b)(1-q^{\frac{1}{2}}a^2b) \\ \quad \times \frac{(q^3, qa^2, q^3b^2, \{\pm\}qab, \{\pm\}q^2ab, q^{\frac{5}{2}}a^2b; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{(q^{\frac{1}{2}}a^2b, q^2a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

3  $q$ -quadratic AW special values  $x = \frac{i}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{2}} - q^{-\frac{1}{2}})$  (B3)

$$p_n\left(\frac{i}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{2}} - q^{-\frac{1}{2}}); ia, -iqa, ib, -iqb|q\right)$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{(-1)^{\frac{n}{2}}(q, qa^2, qb^2, -ab, \{\pm\}qab, q^2ab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{q^{\frac{n}{2}+1}(1+ab)(1-\frac{q^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{a})(q^2a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} \\ \times \left( \frac{(1-\frac{q^{\frac{1}{2}}}{a})(1+qab)(q^{\frac{5}{2}}b, -q^3ab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(q^{\frac{1}{2}}b, -qab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} \right. \\ \left. - \frac{(1-q)(1+q^{\frac{1}{2}}b)(q^3, q^3b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(q, qb^2; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} \right) & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ -iq^{-\frac{n}{2}}(-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}}(1-q)(1+q^{\frac{1}{2}}a)(1+q^{\frac{1}{2}}b)(1-qab) \\ \times \frac{(q^3, q^3a^2, q^3b^2, -qab, \{\pm\}q^2ab, q^3ab; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{(q^2a^2b^2; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

2  $q$ -quadratic AW special values (C1, C2)

$$x = \frac{1}{2}\left(a + \frac{1}{a}\right), \quad x = \frac{1}{2}\left(qa + \frac{1}{qa}\right)$$

$$p_n\left(\frac{1}{2}\left(a + \frac{1}{a}\right); a, b, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}|q\right)$$

$$= a^{-n} \begin{cases} (\{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{2}}a, ab, qab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ (1 - qa^2)(1 - ab)(\{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{2}}a, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{5}{2}}a, qab, q^2ab; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

$$p_n\left(\frac{1}{2}\left(qa + \frac{1}{qa}\right); a, b, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}|q\right)$$

$$= (qa)^{-n} \begin{cases} \frac{(\{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{2}}a, ab, qab, \{\pm\}q^2\sqrt{ab}; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(\{\pm\}\sqrt{ab}; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ (1 - qa^2)(1 - q^2ab) \times \frac{(\{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{2}}a, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{5}{2}}a, qab, q^2ab, \{\pm\}q^3\sqrt{ab}; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{(\{\pm\}q\sqrt{ab}; q^2)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

1  $q$ -quadratic AW special value  $x = \frac{1}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{4}} + q^{-\frac{1}{4}})$  (D1)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & p_n\left(\frac{1}{2}(q^{\frac{1}{4}} + q^{-\frac{1}{4}}); a, q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, b, q^{\frac{1}{2}}b|q\right) \\
 &= q^{-\frac{n}{4}} \begin{cases} \frac{(-q^{\frac{1}{2}}, -q, q^{\frac{1}{4}}a, q^{\frac{3}{4}}a, q^{\frac{1}{4}}b, q^{\frac{3}{4}}b, ab, q^{\frac{1}{2}}ab, qab, q^{\frac{3}{2}}ab; q^2)_{\frac{n}{2}}}{(ab, q^{\frac{1}{2}}ab; q)_{\frac{n}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ even,} \\ (1 + q^{\frac{1}{2}})(1 - q^{\frac{1}{4}}a)(1 - q^{\frac{1}{4}}b)(1 - q^{\frac{1}{2}}ab) \\ \times \frac{(-q, -q^{\frac{3}{2}}, q^{\frac{3}{4}}a, q^{\frac{5}{4}}a, q^{\frac{3}{4}}b, q^{\frac{5}{4}}b, q^{\frac{3}{2}}ab, q^2ab, q^{\frac{5}{2}}ab; q)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}}{(q^{\frac{1}{2}}ab; q)_{\frac{n-1}{2}}} & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

## $q$ -quadratic product transformation from A1

In Schlosser (2018) “ $q$ -Analogues of two product formulas of hypergeometric functions by Bailey” [in *Frontiers in Orthogonal Polynomials and  $q$ -Series* (Z. Nashed and X. Li, eds.), World Scientific, 2018, pp. 445-449], Schlosser started from A1 with the Ismail–Wilson generating function to produce:

$${}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}a \\ a^2 \end{matrix}; q, t\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}b \\ b^2 \end{matrix}; q, -t\right) = {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}ab, \{\pm\}qab \\ qa^2, qb^2, a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right),$$

However, this formula was already given by Jain and Srivastava Equation (4.9) in V.K. Jain and H.M. Srivastava, “ $q$ -Series identities and reducibility of basic double hypergeometric functions”, *Canad. J. Math.* 38 (1986), 215-231. This is a  $q$ -analogue of

$${}_1F_1\left(\begin{matrix} a \\ 2a \end{matrix}; z\right) {}_1F_1\left(\begin{matrix} b \\ 2b \end{matrix}; -z\right) = {}_2F_3\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2}(a+b), \frac{1}{2}(a+b+1) \\ a + \frac{1}{2}, b + \frac{1}{2}, a+b \end{matrix}; \frac{1}{4}z\right).$$

## q-quadratic product transformation from A4

In Schlosser (2018) “*q*-Analogues of two product formulas of hypergeometric functions by Bailey” [in *Frontiers in Orthogonal Polynomials and q-Series* (Z. Nashed and X. Li, eds.), World Scientific, pp. 445-449], Schlosser started from A4 and produced:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} a, \frac{q}{a} \\ -q \end{matrix}; q, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} b, \frac{q}{b} \\ -q \end{matrix}; q, -z\right) \\
 &= {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} ab, \frac{q^2}{ab}, \frac{qa}{b}, \frac{qb}{a} \\ -q^2, \{\pm\}q \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right) + \frac{(b-a)(1-\frac{q}{ab})z}{1-q^2} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} qab, \frac{q^3}{ab}, \frac{q^2a}{b}, \frac{q^2b}{a} \\ -q^2, \{\pm\}q^3 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{(q, \{\pm\}a, \{\pm\}b, \{\pm\}\frac{q}{b}; q)_\infty}{\vartheta(\{\pm\}f; q)(-q, ab, \frac{qa}{b}; q)_\infty} \\
 &\quad \times \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{(\{\pm\}if\frac{\sigma}{w}, (\{\pm\}if, iqa)\frac{w}{\sigma}; q)_\infty}{(\{\pm\}i\frac{\sigma}{w}, (-ia, ib, i\frac{q}{b})\frac{w}{\sigma}; q)_\infty} {}_3\phi_2\left(\begin{matrix} ab, \frac{qa}{b}, -\frac{iq}{a}\frac{\sigma}{w} \\ -q, iqa\frac{w}{\sigma} \end{matrix}; q, iz\frac{w}{\sigma}\right) d\psi.
 \end{aligned}$$

## q-quadratic product transformation from A2

$$\begin{aligned}
& {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} -a, -b \\ -ab \end{matrix}; q, t\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} -a, -qb \\ -qab \end{matrix}; q, -t\right) \\
&= {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} a^2, q^2b^2, ab, qab \\ -qab, -q^2ab, a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right) \\
&\quad + \frac{bt(1-a^2)}{(1+ab)(1+qab)} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} q^2a^2, q^2b^2, qab, q^2ab \\ -q^2ab, -q^3ab, q^2a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right).
\end{aligned}$$

## q-quadratic product transformation from A3

- q-quadratic product transformation from A3:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} a, -qa \\ qa^2 \end{matrix}; q, t\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} b, -qb \\ qb^2 \end{matrix}; q, -t\right) \\
 &= {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} ab, \{\pm\}qab, -q^2ab \\ qa^2, qb^2, q^2a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right) \\
 &\quad + \frac{(b-a)(1+qab)t}{(1-qa^2)(1-qb^2)} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} qab, \{\pm\}q^2ab, -q^3ab \\ q^3a^2, q^3b^2, q^2a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right).
 \end{aligned}$$

- The  $q \rightarrow 1^-$  limit provides:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_1F_1\left(\begin{matrix} a \\ 2a+1 \end{matrix}; z\right) {}_1F_1\left(\begin{matrix} b \\ 2b+1 \end{matrix}; -z\right) = {}_2F_3\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{a+b}{2}, \frac{a+b+1}{2} \\ a + \frac{1}{2}, b + \frac{1}{2}, a+b+1 \end{matrix}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right) \\
 &\quad + \frac{(a-b)z}{(2a+1)(2b+1)} {}_2F_3\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{a+b+1}{2}, \frac{a+b+2}{2} \\ a + \frac{3}{2}, b + \frac{3}{2}, a+b+1 \end{matrix}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

## q-quadratic product transformation from A5

$$\begin{aligned}
& {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} -c, q^2c \\ q^2c^2 \end{matrix}; q, t\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}a \\ a^2 \end{matrix}; q, -t\right) \\
&= \frac{ct(1+q)}{(1-q^2c^2)} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}qac, \{\pm\}q^2ac \\ qa^2, q^3c^2, q^2a^2c^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right) \\
&\quad + \frac{(1-qc^2)(1-qa^2c^2)}{(1-q^2c^2)(1-a^2c^2)} {}_5\phi_4\left(\begin{matrix} q^3a^2c^2, \{\pm\}ac, \{\pm\}qac \\ qa^2, qc^2, qa^2c^2, q^2a^2c^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right) \\
&\quad + \frac{qc^2(1-q)(1-\frac{a^2}{q})}{(1-q^2c^2)(1-a^2c^2)} {}_5\phi_4\left(\begin{matrix} q^3, \{\pm\}ac, \{\pm\}qac \\ q, \frac{a^2}{q}, q^3c^2, q^2a^2c^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right)
\end{aligned}$$

## q-quadratic product transformation from B1

$$\begin{aligned}
& {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}a \\ \frac{a^2}{q} \end{matrix}; q, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}b \\ qb^2 \end{matrix}; q, -qz\right) \\
&= {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}ab, \{\pm\}qab \\ \frac{a^2}{q}, qb^2, a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right) \\
&\quad + \frac{z(1-a^2b^2)}{(1-\frac{a^2}{q})(1-qb^2)} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}qab, \{\pm\}q^2ab \\ qa^2, q^3b^2, a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right).
\end{aligned}$$

## q-quadratic product transformation from B2

$$\begin{aligned}
& {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}qa \\ qa^2 \end{matrix}; q, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} b, -qb \\ q^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q, -qz\right) \\
&= {}_5\phi_4\left(\begin{matrix} q^3b, \{\pm\}qab, \{\pm\}q^2ab \\ qa^2, qb, q^3b^2, q^2a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right) \\
&\quad + \frac{z(1 - q^2a^2b)}{(1 - qa^2)(1 - qb)} {}_5\phi_4\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}q^2ab, \{\pm\}q^3ab, q^4a^2b \\ q^3a^2, q^3b^2, q^2a^2b, q^4a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right)
\end{aligned}$$

## q-quadratic product transformation from B3

$$\begin{aligned}
& {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} a, -qa \\ a^2 \end{matrix}; q, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} b, -qb \\ q^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q, -qz\right) \\
&= \frac{(1 + \frac{q}{a})(1 - qab)}{q(1 + \frac{1}{a})(1 - ab)} {}_6\phi_5\left(\begin{matrix} q, q^3b, ab, -qab, -q^2ab, q^3ab \\ q, qb, qa^2, q^3b^2, q^2a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right) \\
&\quad - \frac{(1 - q)(1 + qb)}{q(1 + \frac{1}{a})(1 - ab)} {}_6\phi_5\left(\begin{matrix} q^3, q^4b^2, ab, \{\pm\}qab, -q^2ab \\ q, qa^2, q^2b^2, q^3b^2, q^2a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right) \\
&\quad + \frac{(1 + qab)z}{(1 + a)(1 - qb)} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} qab, \{\pm\}q^2ab, -q^3ab \\ qa^2, q^3b^2, q^2a^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right)
\end{aligned}$$

## q-quadratic product transformation from D1

$$\begin{aligned}
& {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} a, q^{\frac{1}{2}}a \\ a^2 \end{matrix}; q, t\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} b, q^{\frac{1}{2}}b \\ qb^2 \end{matrix}; q^{\frac{1}{2}}t\right) \\
&= {}_8\phi_7\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}\sqrt{ab}, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{4}}\sqrt{ab}, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}\sqrt{ab}, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{4}}\sqrt{ab} \\ q^{\frac{1}{2}}, -a, -q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, -q^{\frac{1}{2}}b, -qb, ab, q^{\frac{1}{2}}ab \end{matrix}; q, t^2\right) \\
&+ \frac{(1 - q^{\frac{1}{2}}ab)t}{(1 - q^{\frac{1}{2}})(1 + a)(1 + q^{\frac{1}{2}}b)} {}_7\phi_6\left(\begin{matrix} q^{\frac{3}{2}}ab, q^2ab, q^{\frac{5}{2}}ab, 0, 0, 0, 0 \\ q^{\frac{3}{2}}, -q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, -qa, -qb, -q^{\frac{3}{2}}b, q^{\frac{1}{2}}ab \end{matrix}; q, t^2\right)
\end{aligned}$$

## q-quadratic product transformation from C1, C2

$$\frac{(at; q)_\infty}{(t; q)_\infty} = {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} a, qa \\ q \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right) + \frac{(1-a)t}{(1-q)} {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} qa, q^2a \\ q^3 \end{matrix}; q^2, t^2\right),$$

$$\begin{aligned} {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} qa^2, qab \\ ab \end{matrix}; q, t\right) &= \frac{(q^2a^2t; q)_\infty}{(t; q)_\infty} \left(1 + \frac{(1 - \frac{b}{qa})qa^2t}{(1-ab)}\right) \\ &= \frac{(q^2a^2t; q^2)_\infty}{(qt; q^2)_\infty} {}_3\phi_2\left(\begin{matrix} qa^2, q^3a^2, q^4ab \\ q^2, ab \end{matrix}; q^4, t^2\right) \\ &\quad + \frac{(q^2a^2t; q^2)_\infty (1-qa^2)(1-q^2ab)t}{(qt; q^2)_\infty (1-q^2)(1-ab)} {}_3\phi_2\left(\begin{matrix} q^3a^2, q^5a^2, q^6ab \\ q^6, q^2ab \end{matrix}; q^4, t^2\right). \end{aligned}$$

# Cayley–Orr type expansion formulas

- By using Cayley–Orr type expansion formulas stated in Gasper and Rahman's textbook.
- These were obtained by Singh (1959) and by Nassrallah (1982).
- These are Exercises 3.17–3.19 in G+R.

## G+R Exercise 3.18.

## Lemma (G+R Exercise 3.18.)

Let  $0 < |q| < 1$ ,  $a, b, c, z \in \mathbb{C}^*$ ,  $|z| < 1$ ,  $|q^2 cz| < |ab|$  and

$$\frac{(q^3 cz; q^2)_\infty}{(z; q^2)_\infty} {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{a}{q}, \frac{b}{q} \\ c \end{matrix}; q, \frac{q^2 cz}{ab}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n.$$

Then

$${}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{q^2 c}{a}, \frac{q^2 c}{b} \\ q^2 c \end{matrix}; q^2, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{a}{q}, \frac{b}{q} \\ c \end{matrix}; q^2, \frac{q^2 cz}{ab}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(qc; q^2)_n}{(q^2 c; q^2)_n} a_n z^n.$$

- A1 transformation is verified with  $c = ab/q$ .

## G+R Exercise 3.19.

## Lemma (G+R Exercise 3.19.)

Let  $0 < |q| < 1$ ,  $a, b, c, z \in \mathbb{C}^*$ ,  $|z| < 1$ ,  $|q^2 cz| < |ab|$  and

$$\frac{(\frac{qc}{ab}; q^2)_\infty}{(z; q^2)_\infty} {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{a}{q}, b \\ \frac{c}{q} \end{matrix}; q, \frac{cz}{ab}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n.$$

Then

$${}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{qc}{a}, \frac{c}{qb} \\ c \end{matrix}; q^2, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} a, b \\ c \end{matrix}; q^2, \frac{cz}{ab}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\frac{c}{q}; q^2)_n}{(c; q^2)_n} a_n z^n.$$

- Using  $c = qab$ , and Exercise 3.19, Nassrallah produced

$${}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} qa^2, qb^2 \\ qa^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{a^2}{q}, qb^2 \\ qa^2b^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, qz\right) = {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} a^2, qb^2, \{\pm\}ab \\ a^2b^2, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}ab \end{matrix}; q, z\right)$$

## G+R Exercise 3.17.

## Lemma (G+R Exercise 3.17.)

Let  $0 < |q| < 1$ ,  $a, b, c, z \in \mathbb{C}^*$ ,  $|z| < 1$ ,  $|cz| < |qab|$  and

$$\frac{(\frac{cz}{ab}; q^2)_\infty}{(z; q^2)_\infty} {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} a, b \\ c \end{matrix}; q, \frac{cz}{qab}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n.$$

Then

$${}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \frac{c}{a}, \frac{c}{b} \\ qc \end{matrix}; q^2, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} a, b \\ qc \end{matrix}; q^2, \frac{cz}{qab}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(c; q^2)_n}{(qc; q^2)_n} a_n z^n.$$

## G+R Exercise 3.17

$$\begin{aligned}
 {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}\sqrt{a} \\ qa \end{matrix}; q, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}\sqrt{a} \\ qa \end{matrix}; q, -z\right) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(q^{1+2\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} a^2; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} a^{n-2\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor}}{(q^2; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} (qa; q)_n} z^n \\
 &= {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{2}}a \\ qa, q^2a, qa^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right) + \frac{az}{(1-qa)} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{2}}a, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{5}{2}}a \\ q^2a, q^3a, q^3a^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right),
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}\sqrt{a} \\ q^{\frac{1}{2}}a \end{matrix}; q, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}\sqrt{a} \\ q^{\frac{1}{2}}a \end{matrix}; q, -q^{\frac{1}{2}}z\right) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(q^{\frac{1}{2}}; -q^{\frac{1}{2}})_n (a^2; q^2)_n}{(q; q)_n (q^{\frac{1}{2}}a; q)_n (-a; -q^{\frac{1}{2}})_n} z^n \\
 &= {}_8\phi_7\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}\sqrt{a}, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}\sqrt{a}, \{\pm\}i\sqrt{a}, \{\pm\}iq^{\frac{1}{2}}\sqrt{a} \\ -q^{\frac{1}{2}}, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{4}}\sqrt{a}, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{4}}\sqrt{a}, -a, q^{\frac{1}{2}}a \end{matrix}; q, z^2\right) \\
 &\quad + \frac{(1-a)z}{(1+q^{\frac{1}{2}})(1-q^{\frac{1}{2}}a)} {}_8\phi_7\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}\sqrt{a}, \{\pm\}q\sqrt{a}, \{\pm\}iq^{\frac{1}{2}}\sqrt{a}, \{\pm\}iq\sqrt{a} \\ -q^{\frac{3}{2}}, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{4}}\sqrt{a}, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{5}{4}}\sqrt{a}, q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, -qa \end{matrix}; q, z^2\right),
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}\sqrt{a} \\ a \end{matrix}; q, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}q^{-\frac{1}{2}}\sqrt{a} \\ a \end{matrix}; q, -qz\right) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(q^{-1+2\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} a^2; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor}}{(q^2; q^2)_{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} (a; q)_n} z^n \\
 &= {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}q^{-\frac{1}{2}}a, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}a \\ a, qa, q^{-1}a^2 \end{matrix}; q^2, z^2\right) + \frac{z}{(1-a)} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} \{\pm\}q^{\frac{1}{2}}a, \{\pm\}q^{\frac{3}{2}}a \\ qa, q^2a, qa^2 \end{matrix}; q, z^2\right).
 \end{aligned}$$

## Another application of G+R Exercise 3.17

In Exercise 3.17, which is specific terminating 2-balanced  ${}_3\phi_2$  series which sums with two terms. The latter can be evaluated with  $c = q^2 ab$ . Then one can obtain:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} q^2 a, q^2 b \\ q^3 ab \end{matrix}; q^2, z\right) {}_2\phi_1\left(\begin{matrix} a, b \\ q^3 ab \end{matrix}; q^2, qz\right) \\
 &= \frac{(1-q)(1-qab)}{(1-qa)(1-qb)} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} qa, qb, \{\pm\}q\sqrt{ab} \\ qab, \{\pm\}\sqrt{q^3 ab} \end{matrix}; q, z\right) \\
 &\quad + \frac{q(1-a)(1-b)}{(1-qa)(1-qb)} {}_4\phi_3\left(\begin{matrix} qa, qb, \{\pm\}q\sqrt{ab} \\ q^2 ab, \{\pm\}\sqrt{q^3 ab} \end{matrix}; q, z\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

# Bilinear expansions of Askey–Wilson polynomials

- There are at least 11 known alternative linear and bilinear expansion formulas for Askey–Wilson polynomials, including the Askey–Rahman–Suslov nonsymmetric Poisson kernel for Askey–Wilson polynomials.
- Aside: also, through this exercise we've noticed, corrected and reported several errors in these expansion formulas.
- One may attempt to utilize the above mentioned  $q$ -quadratic special values for Askey–Wilson polynomials to obtain new  $q$ -quadratic transformation and summation formulas.
- Also produced new bilinear sums for Askey–Wilson polynomials

Rahman's (1985) bilinear  ${}_8W_7$  sum (G+R Exercise 9.18)

- Let  $x = \frac{1}{2}(z + z^{-1})$ ,  $y = \frac{1}{2}(w + w^{-1})$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma}{bc}; q)_{2n} (\frac{b^2c^2}{q}, \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta; q)_n f^n p_n(x; a, b, c, \frac{bc}{a}|q) p_n(y; a, b, c, \frac{bc}{a}|q)}{(\frac{b^2c^2}{q}; q)_{2n} (q, ab, ac, bc, bc, \frac{bc^2}{a}, \frac{b^2c}{a}, \frac{f\alpha\beta}{bc}, \frac{f\alpha\gamma}{bc}, \frac{f\beta\gamma}{bc}, \frac{f\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}{b^3c^3}; q)_n} \\ & \quad \times {}_8W_7 \left( \frac{q^{2n-1} f\alpha\beta\gamma}{bc}; \frac{f\alpha\beta\gamma}{b^3c^3}, \frac{q^{2n} b^2 c^2}{\delta}, q^n \alpha, q^n \beta, q^n \gamma; q, \frac{f\delta}{bc} \right) = \frac{(f\frac{\alpha}{bc}, f\frac{\beta}{bc}, f\frac{\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma}{bc}; q)_{\infty}}{(f\frac{\alpha\beta}{bc}, f\frac{\alpha\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\beta\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\delta}{bc}; q)_{\infty}} \\ & \quad \times \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \frac{bcz^{\pm}}{a}, \frac{bcw^{\pm}}{a}; q)_n q^n}{(q, bc, bc, \frac{b^2c}{a}, \frac{bc^2}{a}, \frac{bc}{a^2}, \frac{f\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}{b^3c^3}, \frac{qbc}{f}; q)_n} {}_{10}W_9 \left( \frac{q^{-n} a^2}{bc}; q^{-n}, \frac{q^{1-n} a}{b^2 c}, \frac{q^{1-n} a}{bc^2}, az^{\pm}, aw^{\pm}; q, q \right) \\ & \quad + \frac{(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}{b^4c^4}, f, \frac{af}{c}, az^{\pm}, bw^{\pm}, \frac{bcfz^{\pm}}{a}, cfw^{\pm}; q)_{\infty}}{(ab, ac, bc, f\frac{\alpha\beta}{bc}, f\frac{\alpha\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\beta\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\delta}{bc}, \frac{a}{c}, \frac{b^2c}{a}, \frac{bc^2f}{a}, \frac{bc}{f}, f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}{b^3c^3}, fz^{\pm}w^{\pm}; q)_{\infty}} \\ & \quad \times \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(f\frac{\alpha}{bc}, f\frac{\beta}{bc}, f\frac{\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\delta}{bc}, \frac{bc^2f}{a}, fz^{\pm}w^{\pm}; q)_n q^n}{(q, f, \frac{qf}{bc}, \frac{af}{c}, f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}{b^4c^4}, cfw^{\pm}, \frac{bcfz^{\pm}}{a}; q)_n} {}_{10}W_9 \left( \frac{q^{n-1} bc^2 f}{a}; q^n f, q^{n-1} bcf, \frac{q^n cf}{a}, cz^{\pm}, \frac{bcw^{\pm}}{a}; q, q \right) \\ & \quad + \frac{(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma}{bc}, f, \frac{cf}{a}, f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}{b^4c^4}, cz^{\pm}, \frac{bcw^{\pm}}{a}, bfz^{\pm}, afw^{\pm}; q)_{\infty}}{(f\frac{\alpha\beta}{bc}, f\frac{\alpha\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\beta\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\delta}{bc}, ac, bc, \frac{b^2c}{a}, \frac{bc^2}{a}, \frac{c}{a}, abf, \frac{bc}{f}, f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}{b^3c^3}, fz^{\pm}w^{\pm}; q)_{\infty}} \\ & \quad \times \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(f\frac{\alpha}{bc}, f\frac{\beta}{bc}, f\frac{\gamma}{bc}, f\frac{\delta}{bc}, abf, fz^{\pm}w^{\pm}; q)_n q^n}{(q, f, \frac{qf}{bc}, \frac{cf}{a}, f\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}{b^4c^4}, afw^{\pm}, bfz^{\pm}; q)_n} {}_{10}W_9 \left( q^{n-1} abf; q^n f, q^{n-1} bcf, \frac{q^n af}{c}, az^{\pm}, bw^{\pm}; q, q \right), \end{aligned}$$

# Example 1: three-term $q$ -quadratic transformation

- Setting  $\{a, b, c, w, z\} \mapsto \{\{\pm\}ia, ib, i, i\}$ . Then one obtains  $|ab| < |c|$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_8W_7\left(\frac{a^2b^2}{q}; q, a^2, b^2, c, qc; q^2, \frac{a^2b^2}{c^2}\right) \\
 &= \frac{(a^2b^2; q)_\infty}{(a^2b^2, \frac{a^2b^2}{c^2}; q^2)_\infty (-ab, -\frac{ab}{c}, \frac{a^2b^2}{c}; q)_\infty} \\
 &\quad \times \prod_{a; b} \frac{(a^2, a^2, \frac{a^2b^4}{c^2}, \frac{a^2b^4}{c^2}; q^2)_\infty (\frac{a^2}{c}; q)_\infty}{(a^2, \frac{a}{b}, \frac{ab^3}{c}; q)_\infty} \\
 &\quad \times {}_{10}W_9\left(\frac{ab^3}{qc}; \{\pm\}b, \{\pm\}b, \frac{b^2}{c}, \frac{ab}{c}, \frac{a^2b^2}{qc}; q, q\right).
 \end{aligned}$$

## Example 2: four-term $q$ -quadratic transformation

■ Setting  $\{a, b, c, w, z\} \mapsto \{ib, -iq/a, -ia, i, i\}$ . Then if  $|q| < |c|$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_{10}W_9\left(q; q^2, ab, \frac{q^2}{ab}, \frac{qa}{b}, \frac{qb}{a}, c, qc; q^2, \frac{q^2}{c^2}\right) \\
 & + \frac{q^2(1-q^3)(1-\frac{a}{b})(1-\frac{b}{a})(1-\frac{q}{ab})(1-\frac{ab}{q})(1-c)}{c(1-q)(1-ab)(1-\frac{qa}{b})(1-\frac{qb}{a})(1-\frac{q^2}{ab})(1-\frac{q^2}{c})} \\
 & \quad \times {}_{10}W_9\left(q^3; q^2, qab, \frac{q^3}{ab}, \frac{q^2a}{b}, \frac{q^2b}{a}, qc, q^2c; q^2, \frac{q^2}{c^2}\right) \\
 & = \frac{(q^2; q)_\infty}{(q^2; q^2)_\infty (-q, ab, \frac{q^2}{ab}, \frac{q}{c}, \frac{q^2}{c}; q)_\infty} \prod_{a; b} \frac{(b^2, \frac{q^2}{a^2}, \frac{q^2a^2}{c^2}, \frac{q^4}{b^2c^2}; q^2)_\infty (\frac{qb}{ac}; q)_\infty}{(\frac{qb}{a}, -\frac{b}{a}, -\frac{q^2a}{bc}; q)_\infty} \\
 & \quad \times {}_{10}W_9\left(-\frac{qa}{bc}; \{\pm\}a, \{\pm\}\frac{q}{b}, \{\pm\}\frac{q}{c}, \frac{qa}{bc}; q, q\right).
 \end{aligned}$$

## Another bilinear sum over Askey–Wilson polynomials

- Let  $x = \frac{1}{2}(z + z^{-1})$ ,  $y = \frac{1}{2}(w + w^{-1})$ . Setting  $\alpha = bc/f$  causes the first term to vanish and for the second term only the  $n = 0$  term contributes. Then replace  $f \rightarrow t$  and utilize

$${}_8W_7\left(q^{2n-1}\beta\gamma; \frac{\beta\gamma}{b^2c^2}, q^n\beta, q^n\gamma, \frac{q^n b^2 c^2}{\delta}, \frac{q^n bc}{t}; q, \frac{\delta t}{bc}\right) = \frac{(\delta, \beta\gamma, bct, \frac{\beta\gamma\delta t}{b^3c^3}; q)_\infty (\frac{\beta\gamma\delta}{b^2c^2}, \frac{\beta\gamma t}{bc}; q)_n (b^2c^2; q)_{2n}}{(b^2c^2, \frac{\beta\gamma\delta}{b^2c^2}, \frac{\delta t}{bc}, \frac{\beta\gamma t}{bc}; q)_\infty (\delta, bct; q)_n (\beta\gamma; q)_{2n}},$$

which produces the bilinear sum over Askey–Wilson polynomials

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(b^2c^2; q)_{2n} (\frac{b^2c^2}{q}, \frac{bc}{t}; q)_n t^n p_n(x; a, b, c, \frac{bc}{a}|q) p_n(y; a, b, c, \frac{bc}{a}|q)}{(\frac{b^2c^2}{q}; q)_{2n} (q, ab, ac, bc, bc, \frac{b^2c}{a}, \frac{b^2c}{a}, bct; q)_n} \\ &= \frac{(b^2c^2, t, \frac{at}{c}, az^\pm, bw^\pm, \frac{bctz^\pm}{a}, ctw^\pm; q)_\infty}{(ab, ac, bc, \frac{a}{c}, \frac{b^2c}{a}, bct, \frac{bc^2t}{a}, tz^\pm w^\pm; q)_\infty} {}_{10}W_9\left(\frac{bc^2t}{qa}; t, \frac{ct}{a}, \frac{bct}{q}, cz^\pm, \frac{bcw^\pm}{a}; q, q\right) \\ &+ \frac{(b^2c^2, t, \frac{ct}{a}, cz^\pm, \frac{bcw^\pm}{a}, btz^\pm, atw^\pm; q)_\infty}{(ac, bc, \frac{c}{a}, \frac{b^2c}{a}, \frac{bc^2}{a}, abt, bct, tz^\pm w^\pm; q)_\infty} {}_{10}W_9\left(\frac{abt}{q}; t, \frac{at}{c}, \frac{bct}{q}, az^\pm, bw^\pm; q, q\right), \end{aligned}$$

Examples 3:  $q$ -quadratic nonterminating summation

- Setting  $\{a, b, c, d\} \mapsto \{-iq/a, -ia, ib, iq/b\}$  produces  $|t| < |1|$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_8W_7\left(q; q^2, \frac{qa}{b}, \frac{q^2}{ab}, \frac{b}{t}, \frac{qb}{t}; q^2, t^2\right) \\
 & - \frac{(1-q^3)(1-\frac{a}{b})(1-\frac{ab}{q})(1-\frac{t}{b})}{(1-q)(1-ab)(1-\frac{a}{qb})(1-\frac{q^2t}{b})} {}_8W_7\left(q^3; q^2, \frac{q^2a}{b}, \frac{q^3}{ab}, \frac{qb}{t}, \frac{q^2b}{t}; q^2, t^2\right) \\
 & = \frac{(b^2; q^2)_\infty (q^2, at, -\frac{qt}{b}, \frac{qt}{a}; q)_\infty}{(t^2; q^2)_\infty (-q, ab, \frac{qb}{a}, \frac{q^2t}{b}; q)_\infty}
 \end{aligned}$$

## Askey–Rahman–Suslov Poisson kernel for AW polynomials

- Let  $x = \frac{1}{2}(z + z^{-1})$ ,  $y = \frac{1}{2}(w + w^{-1})$ . ARS found the following bilinear generating function for Askey–Wilson polynomials at  $t = 1$ , namely

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\frac{abcd}{q}, \pm\sqrt{qabcd}; q)_n (\frac{\alpha}{a})^n p_n(x; a, b, c, d|q) p_n(y; \alpha, \beta, \frac{ac}{\alpha}, \frac{bc}{\beta}|q)}{(q, \pm\sqrt{\frac{abcd}{q}}, ac, bc, bd, cd, \alpha\beta, \frac{bd\alpha}{\beta}; q)_n}$$

$$= \frac{(abcd, \frac{\alpha^2}{a^2}, cz^{\pm}, \frac{bd\alpha z^{\pm}}{a\beta}, \alpha w^{\pm}, \beta w, \frac{b\alpha}{aw}, \frac{d\alpha}{aw}; q)_{\infty}}{(ac, bc, bd, cd, \alpha\beta, \frac{bd\alpha}{\beta}, \frac{\alpha z^{\pm} w^{\pm}}{a}, \frac{bd\alpha^2}{a^2\beta w}; q)_{\infty}} {}_8W_7\left(\frac{bd\alpha^2}{qa^2\beta w}; \frac{\alpha z^{\pm}}{aw}, \frac{bd}{\beta w}, \frac{b\alpha}{a\beta}, \frac{d\alpha}{a\beta}; q, \beta w\right).$$

## Example 4: $q$ -quadratic nonterminating summation

- Replacing  $\{a, b, c, d, \alpha, \beta, z, w\} \mapsto \{ib, iq/b, -ia, -\frac{iq}{a}, -ia, \frac{iq}{b}, i, i\}$ .  
Then for  $|a| < |b|$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}_8W_7\left(q; q^2, ab, \frac{qb}{a}, \frac{qb}{a}, \frac{q^2}{ab}; q^2, \frac{a^2}{b^2}\right) \\
 & + \frac{q^2 (1 - q^3)(1 - \frac{ab}{q})(1 - \frac{ab}{q})(1 - \frac{a}{b})(1 - \frac{a}{b})}{ab (1 - q)(1 - \frac{qa}{b})(1 - \frac{qa}{b})(1 - \frac{q^2}{ab})(1 - ab)} \\
 & \quad \times {}_8W_7\left(q^3; q^2, qab, \frac{q^2b}{a}, \frac{q^2b}{a}, \frac{q^3}{ab}; q^2, \frac{a^2}{b^2}\right) \\
 & = \frac{(q^2, \frac{a^2}{b^2}; q)_\infty (a^2, a^2, \frac{q^2}{b^2}, \frac{q^2}{b^2}; q^2)_\infty}{(-q, -q, ab, \frac{qa}{b}, \frac{qa}{b}, \frac{q^2}{ab}; q)_\infty (\frac{a^2}{b^2}, \frac{a^2}{b^2}; q^2)_\infty}.
 \end{aligned}$$