

## The $\lambda$ -analogue degenerate Changhee polynomials and numbers

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### Abstract

Kim introduced the Changhee polynomials and numbers, and some interesting identities and properties of these polynomials. Also, a family of Changhee polynomials such as  $q$ -Changhee, weighted Changhee, modified Changhee, degenerate Changhee and so on is studied by many researchers. Recently, Kwon-Park also introduced modified degenerate Changhee polynomials and derived some interesting identities and properties (see [12]). In this paper, we introduce the  $\lambda$ -analogue degenerated Changhee polynomials and derive some new and interesting identities and properties of those polynomials.

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### 1. Introduction

When we use  $p$  as a fixed odd prime number,  $\mathbb{Z}_p$  refers to the ring of  $p$ -adic integers,  $\mathbb{Q}_p$  to the field of  $p$ -adic rational numbers, and  $\mathbb{C}_p$  to the completion of algebraic closure of  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ . The  $p$ -adic norm  $|\cdot|_p$  is normalized as  $|p|_p = \frac{1}{p}$ . Let  $q$  be in  $\mathbb{C}_p$  with  $|q - 1|_p < p^{-\frac{1}{p-1}}$  and  $q^x = \exp(x \log q)$  for  $|x|_p < 1$ .

For  $f \in C(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ , the  $p$ -adic invariant integral on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$  is defined by T.Kim as follows:

$$I_{-1}(f) = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x) d\mu_{-1}(x) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{x=0}^{p^N-1} f(x)(-1)^x, \quad (\text{see [1-16]}), \quad (1.1)$$

where  $C(\mathbb{Z}_p)$  is the the space of continuous functions on  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ .

If we put  $f_n(x) = f(x + n)$ , then, by (1.1), we can derive the following very useful integral identity;

$$I_{-1}(f_n) + (-1)^{n-1} I_{-1}(f) = 2 \sum_{l=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{n-1-l} f(l). \quad (1.2)$$

In particular, if  $n = 1$ , then

$$I_{-1}(f_1) + I_{-1}(f) = 2f(0). \quad (1.3)$$

The Stirling numbers of the first kind is given by

$$(x)_n = x(x - 1) \cdots (x - n + 1) = \sum_{l=0}^n S_1(n, l)x^l \quad (x \geq 0), \quad (\text{see [12]}). \quad (1.4)$$

and the Stirling numbers of the second kind is defined by the generating function to be

$$(e^t - 1)^n = n! \sum_{l=n}^{\infty} S_2(l, n) \frac{t^l}{l!}, \quad (\text{see [12]}).$$

Note that

$$(\log(x + 1))^n = n! \sum_{l=n}^{\infty} S_1(l, n) \frac{x^l}{l!}, \quad (n \geq 0), \quad (\text{see [12]}).$$

As is well-known, Euler polynomials of order  $r$  are defined by the generating function to be

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} E_n^{(r)}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!} &= \left( \frac{2}{e^t + 1} \right)^r e^{xt} \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} e^{(x_1 + \cdots + x_r + x)t} d\mu_{-1}(x_1) \cdots d\mu_{-1}(x_r). \end{aligned} \quad (1.5)$$

In the special case,  $x = 0$ ,  $E_n^{(r)} = E_n^{(r)}(0)$  are called the *Euler numbers of order  $r$* .

By (1.5), we have

$$E_n^{(r)}(x) = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} (x_1 + \cdots + x_r + x)^n d\mu_{-1}(x_1) \cdots d\mu_{-1}(x_r), \quad (n \geq 0), \quad (\text{see}[4, 7, 9]). \tag{1.6}$$

Now, we define *modified Euler polynomials* which are given by the generating function to be

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} e^{(x+y)t} d\mu_{-1}(y) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \widehat{E}_n(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \tag{1.7}$$

When  $x = 0$ ,  $\widehat{E}_n = \widehat{E}_n(0)$  are called the *modified Euler numbers*.

Also, we define *modified Euler polynomials of order  $r$*  which are given by the generating function to be

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-(x_1 + \cdots + x_r)} e^{(x_1 + \cdots + x_r + x)t} d\mu_{-1}(x_1) \cdots d\mu_{-1}(x_r) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \widehat{E}_n(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \tag{1.8}$$

When  $x = 0$ ,  $\widehat{E}_n = \widehat{E}_n(0)$  are called the *modified Euler numbers of order  $r$* .

Kim et al. (see [3]) defined the *Changhee polynomials* as follows:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Ch_n(x) \frac{t^n}{n!} = \frac{2}{2+t} (1+t)^x,$$

and authors (see [11]) defined the *modified degenerate Euler of order  $r$*  polynomials as follows:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \xi_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!} = \left( \frac{2}{(1+\lambda)^{\frac{t}{\lambda}} + 1} \right)^r (1+\lambda)^{\frac{t}{\lambda}x}. \tag{1.9}$$

Recently, Changhee numbers and polynomials are introduced by Kim et. al. in [3], and by many researchers, which are generalized and obtained many new and interesting properties (see [2,3,8,10,12,14,15,16]). Recently, Kwon-Park also introduced modified degenerate Changhee polynomials and derived some interesting identities and properties(see [12]). In this paper, we consider the  $\lambda$ -analogue weighted degenerate Changhee polynomials and numbers by using the  $p$ -adic invariant integral, and derive some new and interesting identities and properties of those polynomials.

## 2. The $\lambda$ -analogue degenerate Changhee polynomials and numbers

In this section, we assume that  $q \in \mathbb{C}_p$  with  $|1 - q|_p < p^{-\frac{1}{p-1}}$ .

In the viewpoint of (1.3), we define the  *$\lambda$ -analogue degenerate Changhee polynomials* which are given by the generating function to be

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (1+\lambda)^{\frac{x+y}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} d\mu_{-1}(y) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \widehat{Ch}_{n,\lambda}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \tag{2.10}$$

In the special case,  $x = 0$ ,  $\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda} = \widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}(0)$  are called the  $\lambda$ -analogue degenerate Changhee numbers.

Now, we consider

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x+y}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} d\mu_{-1}(y) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^n (x + y)^n (\log(1 + t))^n \frac{1}{n!} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{m=0}^n \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m (x + y)^m S_1(n, m) d\mu_{-1}(y) \right) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.11}$$

Where  $S_1(n, m)$  is the Stirling numbers of the first kind.

From (2.10) and (2.11), we are able to derive the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.1.** For each  $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}(x)$  can be written as

$$\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}(x) = \sum_{m=0}^n \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m (x + y)^m S_1(n, m) d\mu_{-1}(y). \tag{2.12}$$

Then, by using (2.10), we are able to calculate

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m (x + y)^m S_1(n, m) d\mu_{-1}(y) \\ &= \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (x + y)^m d\mu_{-1}(y) \\ &= \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \widehat{E}_m(x). \end{aligned} \tag{2.13}$$

Where  $\widehat{E}_m(x)$  is the weighted Euler polynomials.

From (2.13), we are able to derive the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.2.** For each  $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}(x)$  can be written as

$$\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}(x) = \sum_{m=0}^n \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \widehat{E}_m(x). \tag{2.14}$$

By substituting  $t$  as  $e^t - 1$  in (2.10), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x+y}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} d\mu_{-1}(y) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x+y}{\lambda} t} d\mu_{-1}(y), \end{aligned} \tag{2.15}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \widehat{Ch}_{m,\lambda}(x) \frac{1}{m!} (e^t - 1)^m \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \widehat{Ch}_{m,\lambda}(x) \frac{1}{m!} m! \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} S_2(n, m) \frac{t^n}{n!} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{m=0}^n \widehat{Ch}_{m,\lambda}(x) S_2(n, m) \right) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \end{aligned} \tag{2.16}$$

where  $S_2(n, m)$  are the Stirling numbers of the second kind.

The left hand side of (2.15) is given by

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x+y}{\lambda} t} d\mu_{-1}(y) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \xi_{n,\lambda}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \tag{2.17}$$

By comparing on the both sides (2.15), (2.16) and (2.17), we obtain the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.3.** For each  $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $\xi_{n,\lambda}(x)$  can be written as

$$\xi_{n,\lambda}(x) = \sum_{m=0}^n \widehat{Ch}_{m,\lambda}(x) S_2(n, m). \tag{2.18}$$

Note that

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x+y}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} d\mu_{-1}(y) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{y}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} d\mu_{-1}(y) \\ &= (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{y}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} d\mu_{-1}(y) \\ &= \left( \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{l=0}^m x^l \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^l S_1(m, l) \frac{t^m}{m!} \right) \left( \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \widehat{Ch}_{k,\lambda} \frac{t^k}{k!} \right) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{m=0}^n \sum_{l=0}^m \binom{m}{l} x^l \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^l S_1(m, l) \widehat{Ch}_{n-m,\lambda} \right) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.19}$$

The following theorem is obtained from (2.19).

**Theorem 2.4.** For each  $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $\widehat{Ch}_{n,\lambda}(x)$  can be written as

$$\widehat{Ch}_{n,\lambda}(x) = \sum_{m=0}^n \sum_{l=0}^m \binom{m}{l} x^l \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^l S_1(m, l) \widehat{Ch}_{n-m,\lambda}. \tag{2.20}$$

Now, we observe that

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m (x + y)^m S_1(n, m) d\mu_{-1}(y) \\
 &= \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} (x + y)^m d\mu_{-1}(y) \\
 &= \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \sum_{l=0}^m \binom{m}{l} x^{m-l} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-y} y^l d\mu_{-1}(y) \\
 &= \sum_{l=0}^m \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \binom{m}{l} x^{m-l} \widehat{E}_l
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.21}$$

Therefore, by using (2.21), the following theorem can be derived.

**Theorem 2.5.** For each  $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}(x)$  can be written as

$$\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}(x) = \sum_{l=0}^m \left( \frac{\log(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \binom{m}{l} x^{m-l} \widehat{E}_l. \tag{2.22}$$

From now on, we define the  $\lambda$ -analogue degenerate Changhee polynomials of order  $r$  as follows:

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-(x_1 + \cdots + x_r)} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x_1 + \cdots + x_r + x}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} d\mu_{-1}(x_1) \cdots d\mu_{-1}(x_r) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \tag{2.23}$$

When  $x = 0$ ,  $\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}^{(r)} = \widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(0)$  are called the  $\lambda$ -analogue degenerate Changhee numbers of order  $r$ .

Now, we observe that

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-(x_1 + \cdots + x_r)} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x_1 + \cdots + x_r + x}{\lambda} \log(1+t)} d\mu_{-1}(x_1) \cdots d\mu_{-1}(x_r) \\
 &= \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-(x_1 + \cdots + x_r)} \left( \frac{\log(1 + t)}{\lambda} \right)^m (x_1 + \cdots + x_r + x)^m S_1(n, m) d\mu_{-1}(x_1) \cdots d\mu_{-1}(x_r) \\
 &= \left( \frac{\log(1 + t)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-(x_1 + \cdots + x_r)} (x_1 + \cdots + x_r + x)^m d\mu_{-1}(x_1) \cdots d\mu_{-1}(x_r) \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{\log(1 + t)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \widehat{E}_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.24}$$

Therefore, by (2.24), we are able to derive the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.6.** For each  $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$  and  $r \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(x)$  can be written as

$$\widehat{C}h_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(x) = \left( \frac{\log(1 + t)}{\lambda} \right)^m S_1(n, m) \widehat{E}_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(x). \tag{2.25}$$

By substituting  $t$  as  $e^t - 1$  in (2.23), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-(x_1+\cdots+x_r)} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x_1+\cdots+x_r+x}{\lambda}t} d\mu_{-1}(x_1) \cdots d\mu_{-1}(x_r) \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \widehat{Ch}_{m,\lambda}(x)^{(r)} \frac{1}{m!} (e^t - 1)^m \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{m=0}^n \widehat{Ch}_{m,\lambda}(x)^{(r)} S_2(n, m) \right) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.26}$$

The left hand side of (2.26) is given by

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \cdots \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^{-(x_1+\cdots+x_r)} (1 + \lambda)^{\frac{x_1+\cdots+x_r+x}{\lambda}t} d\mu_{-1}(x_1) \cdots d\mu_{-1}(x_r) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \xi_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \tag{2.27}$$

By comparing on the both sides (2.26) and (2.27), we obtain the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.7.** For each  $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $\xi_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(x)$  can be written as

$$\xi_{n,\lambda}^{(r)}(x) = \sum_{m=0}^n \widehat{Ch}_{m,\lambda}^{(r)}(x) S_2(n, m). \tag{2.28}$$

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