# HERMITIAN SYMMETRIC SPACES OF TUBE TYPE <br> <br> AND MULTIVARIATE MEIXNER-POLLACZEK POLYNOMIALS 

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#### Abstract

Harmonic analysis on Hermitian symmetric spaces of tube type is a natural framework for introducing multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials. Their main properties are established in this setting: orthogonality, generating and determinantal formulae, difference equations. Furthermore, as a by-product, we derive the radial part of the differential equation for the multivariate Laguerre functions and obtain the differential equation for multivariate Laguerre polynomials previously obtained by Baker and Forrester.


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The one variable Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $P_{m}^{\alpha}(\lambda ; \phi)$ can be defined by the Gaussian hypergeometric representation as

$$
P_{m}^{\left(\frac{\nu}{2}\right)}(\lambda ; \phi)=\frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!} e^{i m \theta}{ }_{2} F_{1}\left(-m, \frac{\nu}{2}+i \lambda ; \nu ; 1-e^{-2 i \phi}\right) .
$$

For $\phi=\frac{\pi}{2}$ the Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $P_{m}^{\left(\frac{\nu}{2}\right)}\left(\lambda ; \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ are also obtained as Mellin transforms of Laguerre functions. Their main properties follow from this fact: hypergeometric representation above, orthogonality, generating formula, difference equation, and three terms relation.

These polynomials $P_{m}^{\left(\frac{\nu}{2}\right)}\left(\lambda ; \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ have been generalized to the multivariate case. In fact, the multivariable Meixner-Pollaczek (symmetric) polynomials have been essentially considered in the setting of the Fourier analysis on Riemannian symmetric spaces in several papers: [Peetre-Zhang,1992] (Appendix 2: A class of hypergeometric orthogonal polynomials), [ØrstedZhang, 1994], section 3.4, [Zhang,2002] and [Davidson-Ólafsson-Zhang,2003]. Also, see [Davidson-Ólafsson,2003] and [Aristidou-Davidson-Ólafsson,2006]. Further, for an arbitrary real value of the multiplicity $d$, the multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials are defined in [Sahi-Zhang,2007] in the setting of Heckman-Opdam and Cherednik-Opdam transforms, related to symmetric and non-symmetric Jack polynomials, and generating formulae for them are established. However the case where the parameter $\phi$ is involved has not been studied so far. Moreover, once we define the multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials with parameter $\phi$, it is also important to clarify a geometric meaning of the parameter. Establishing a natural setting for the study of multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials with such parameter, one can expect to obtain wider applications such as a study of multi-dimensional Lévi-process, in particular, introducing multi-dimensional Meixner process (see [Schoutens, 2000] for the one dimensional case).

The purpose of this article is to provide a geometric framework for introducing the multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials (with parameter $\phi)$ and study their fundamental properties. Our analysis may explain much simpler geometric understanding of several basic properties of the multivariate Meixner-pollaczek polynomials than ever, even in the case $\phi=\frac{\pi}{2}$. For instance, the $\mathfrak{S}_{n}$-invariant difference operator of which the multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials are eigenfunctions can be understood by an image of the Euler operator under the composition of three intertwiners: the Cayley transform, the Laplace transform and the spherical Fourier transform.

Let us present in the one variable case the scheme we will develop.
a) The monomials $\phi_{m}(z)=z^{m}$ form an orthogonal basis in the weighted Bergman space $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(D)(\nu>1)$ of holomorphic functions $f$ on the unit disc $D \subset \mathbb{C}$ with

$$
\|f\|_{\nu}^{2}:=\frac{\nu-1}{\pi} \int_{D}|f(w)|^{2}\left(1-|w|^{2}\right)^{\nu-2} m(d w)<\infty .
$$

( $m$ denotes the Lebesgue measure on $\mathbb{C}$.) Since

$$
\left\|\phi_{m}\right\|_{\nu}^{2}=\frac{m!}{(\nu)_{m}}
$$

the reproducing kernel of $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(D)$ is given by

$$
\mathcal{K}_{\nu}\left(w, w^{\prime}\right)=\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!} w^{m} \bar{w}^{\prime m} .
$$

It can be written as a generating formula for the functions $\phi_{m}$ :

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{G}^{(1)}(\zeta, w):=\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!} \phi_{m}(\zeta) w^{m}=(1-w \zeta)^{-\nu} . \tag{0.1}
\end{equation*}
$$

b) The Cayley transform

$$
w \mapsto z=c(w)=\frac{1+w}{1-w}
$$

maps the unit disc $D$ onto the right half-plane $T=\{z=x+i y \mid x>0\}$, and its inverse is given by

$$
c^{-1}(z)=\frac{z-1}{z+1} .
$$

For a holomorphic function $f$ on $D$ define the function $F=C_{\nu} f$ on $T$ by

$$
F(z)=\left(C_{\nu} f\right)(z)=\left(\frac{z+1}{2}\right)^{-\nu} f\left(\frac{z-1}{z+1}\right) .
$$

Then $C_{\nu}$ maps unitarily $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(D)$ onto the space $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(T)$ of holomorphic functions $F$ on $T$ such that

$$
\|F\|_{\nu}^{2}:=\frac{\nu-1}{4 \pi} \int_{T}|F(x+i y)|^{2} x^{\nu-2} m(d z)<\infty .
$$

The functions $F_{m}^{(\nu)}=C_{\nu} \phi_{m}$ form an orthogonal basis of $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(T)$. From the generating formula (0.1), by performing the transform $C_{\nu}$ with respect to the variable $\zeta$, one obtains a generating formula for the functions $F_{m}^{(\nu)}$ :

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{G}^{(2)}(z, w):=\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!} F_{m}^{(\nu)}(z) w^{m}=\left(\frac{1-w}{2}\right)^{-\nu}(z+c(w))^{-\nu} . \tag{0.2}
\end{equation*}
$$

c) Every function $F$ in $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(T)$ admits a Laplace integral representation:

$$
F(z)=\left(\mathcal{L}_{\nu}\right) \psi(z):=\frac{2^{\nu}}{\Gamma(\nu)} \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-z u} \psi(u) u^{\nu-1} d u
$$

with $\psi \in L_{\nu}^{2}(0, \infty)$, with the norm

$$
\|\psi\|_{\nu}^{2}:=\frac{2^{\nu}}{\Gamma(\nu)} \int_{0}^{\infty}|\psi(u)|^{2} u^{\nu-1} d u
$$

normalized in such a way that $\mathcal{L}_{\nu}$ is unitary. Define the Laguerre function $\psi_{m}^{(\nu)}$ as

$$
\psi_{m}^{(\nu)}(u)=e^{-u} L_{m}^{(\nu-1)}(2 u),
$$

where $L_{m}^{(\nu)}$ denotes the classical Laguerre polynomial of degree $m$. Then

$$
\left(\mathcal{L}_{\nu} \psi_{m}^{(\nu)}\right)(z)=\frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!} F_{m}^{(\nu)}(z)
$$

Applying the inverse Laplace transform $\mathcal{L}_{\nu}^{-1}$ to (0.2) one gets the following generating formula for the Laguerre functions:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{G}^{(3)}(u, w):=\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \psi_{m}^{(\nu)}(u) w^{m}=(1-w)^{-\nu} e^{-u c(w)} . \tag{0.3}
\end{equation*}
$$

d) Finally we perform a modified Mellin transform:

$$
\mathcal{M}_{\nu} \psi(s):=\frac{1}{\Gamma\left(s+\frac{\nu}{2}\right)} \int_{0}^{\infty} \psi(u) u^{s+\frac{\nu}{2}-1} d u
$$

By the classical Plancherel theorem $\psi \mapsto\left(\mathcal{M}_{\nu} \psi\right)(i \lambda)$ is a unitary isomorphism from $L_{\nu}^{2}(0, \infty)$ onto $L^{2}\left(\mathbb{R}, M_{\nu}\right)$, with

$$
M_{\nu}(d \lambda)=\frac{1}{2 \pi} \frac{2^{\nu}}{\Gamma(\nu)}\left|\Gamma\left(i \lambda+\frac{\nu}{2}\right)\right|^{2} d \lambda .
$$

The function $q_{m}^{(\nu)}:=\mathcal{M}_{\nu} \psi_{m}^{\nu}$ is a Meixner-Pollaczek polynomial. In fact

$$
q_{m}^{(\nu)}(i \lambda)=\frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!}{ }_{2} F_{1}\left(-m, s+\frac{\nu}{2} ; \nu ; 2\right)=(-i)^{m} P_{m}^{\left(\frac{\nu}{2}\right)}\left(\lambda ; \frac{\pi}{2}\right) .
$$

Hence the Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $q_{m}^{(\nu)}$ form an orthogonal basis of $L^{2}\left(\mathbb{R}, M_{\nu}\right)$, and

$$
\left\|q_{m}^{(\nu)}\right\|_{\nu}^{2}:=\int_{-\infty}^{\infty}\left|q_{m}^{(\nu)}(i \lambda)\right|^{2} M_{\nu}(d \lambda)=\frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!}
$$

If we apply the tranform $\mathcal{M}_{\nu}$ to (0.3) with respect to $u$, we obtain the following generating formula

$$
\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(4)}(s, w):=\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s) w^{m}=(1-w)^{s-\frac{\nu}{2}}(1+w)^{-s-\frac{\nu}{2}} .
$$

(See [Andrews-Askey-Roy,1999], p.348,349, and also [Bump et al.,2000] p.14,15.)
Starting from the Euler equation

$$
D_{\nu}^{(1)} \phi_{m}:=2 w \frac{d}{d w} \phi_{m}=2 m \psi_{m}
$$

one obtains a difference equation for the Meixner-Pollaczek polynomial $q_{m}^{(\nu)}$,

$$
\begin{aligned}
& D_{\nu}^{(4)} q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s):=\left(s+\frac{\nu}{2}\right)\left(q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s+1)-q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s)\right)-\left(s-\frac{\nu}{2}\right)\left(q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s-1)-q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s)\right) \\
& =2 m q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s)
\end{aligned}
$$

and the three terms relation

$$
2 s q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s)=(m+\nu-1) q_{m-1}^{(\nu)}(s)-(m+1) q_{m+1}^{(\nu)}(s)
$$

Moreover, by using a Gutzmer formula for the Mellin transform, the orthogonality property extends to the polynomials $P_{m}^{\alpha}(\lambda, \phi)$, with $0<\phi<\pi$.

In the multivariate case we follow the same scheme. Actually, replacing the half-line by a symmetric cone, and the Mellin transform by the spherical Fourier transform, leads to a definition of multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials together with their properties, analogous to the ones of the one variable Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials.

In Section 1 we recall the basic facts about the spherical Fourier analysis on a symmetric cone. In Section 2 we define the multivariate MeixnerPollaczek polynomials $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(\mathbf{s})$ (the case $\phi=\frac{\pi}{2}$ ), where $\mathbf{m}$ is a partition, prove that they are orthogonal with respect to a measure $M_{\nu}$ on $\mathbb{R}^{n}$, and establish a generating formula.

In Section 3, adding a real parameter $\theta$, we introduce the symmetric polynomials $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s})$ in the variables $\mathbf{s}=\left(s_{1}, \ldots, s_{n}\right)\left(Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}=Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, 0)}\right)$. In the one variable case

$$
\begin{aligned}
& q_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}(s)=e^{i m \theta} \frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!}{ }_{2} F_{1}\left(-m, s+\frac{\nu}{2} ; \nu ; 2 e^{-i \theta} \cos \theta\right) \\
& =(-i)^{m} P_{m}^{\left(\frac{\nu}{2}\right)}\left(-i s ; \theta+\frac{\pi}{2}\right) .
\end{aligned}
$$

The orthogonality property for the polynomials $Q_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s})$ is obtained by using a Gutzmer formula for the spherical Fourier transform. A generating formula is obtained for these polynomials. In case of the multiplicity $d=2$, we establish in Section 4 determinantal formulae for multivariate Laguerre and Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials. The last sections are devoted to a difference equation satisfied by the polynomials $Q_{\mathrm{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s})$. Starting from an Euler-type equation involving the parameter $\theta$, this difference equation is obtained in three steps, corresponding to a Cayley transform, an inverse Laplace transform, and a spherical Fourier transform for symmetric cones. The symmetry $\theta \mapsto-\theta$ in the parameter is related to geometric symmetries and to a generalized Tricomi theorem for the Hankel transform on a symmetric cone. As a biproduct we obtain a differential equation for the multivariate Laguerre polynomials, whose radial part is a special case of an equation in [Baker-Forrester,1997]. In the last section we show that multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials satisfy a Pieri's formula. In the one variable case it reduces to the three terms relation satisfied by the classical Meixner-Pollacek polynomials.

## 1 Spherical Fourier analysis on a symmetric cone

A reference for this preliminary section is [Faraut-Korányi,1994]. We consider an irreducible symmetric cone $\Omega$ in a Euclidean Jordan algebra $V$. We denote by $G$ the identity component in the group $G(\Omega)$ of linear automorphisms of $\Omega$, and $K \subset G$ is the isotropy subgroup of the unit element $e \in V$.

The Gindikin gamma function $\Gamma_{\Omega}$ of the cone $\Omega$ will be the cornerstone of the analysis we will developp. It is defined, for $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{C}^{n}$, with $\operatorname{Re} s_{j}>\frac{d}{2}(j-1)$, by

$$
\Gamma_{\Omega}(\mathbf{s})=\int_{\Omega} e^{-\operatorname{tr}(u)} \Delta_{\mathbf{s}}(u) \Delta(u)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u)
$$

The notation $\operatorname{tr}(\mathrm{u})$ and $\Delta(u)$ denote the trace and the determinant with respect to the Jordan algebra structure, $\Delta_{\mathrm{s}}$ is the power function, $N$ and $n$ are the dimension and the rank of $V$, and $m$ is the Euclidean measure associated to the Euclidean structure on $V$ given by $(u \mid v)=\operatorname{tr}$ (uv). Its evaluation gives

$$
\Gamma_{\Omega}(\mathbf{s})=(2 \pi)^{\frac{N-n}{2}} \prod_{j=1}^{n} \Gamma\left(s_{j}-\frac{d}{2}(j-1)\right),
$$

where $d$ is the multiplicity, related to $N$ and $n$ by the relation $N=n+$ $\frac{d}{2} n(n-1)$.

The spherical function $\varphi_{\mathbf{s}}$, for $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{C}^{n}$, is defined on $\Omega$ by

$$
\varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(u)=\int_{K} \Delta_{\mathbf{s}+\rho}(k \cdot u) d k,
$$

where $\rho=\left(\rho_{1}, \ldots, \rho_{n}\right), \rho_{j}=\frac{d}{4}(2 j-n-1)$, and $d k$ is the normalized Haar measure on the compact group $K$.

The algebra $\mathbb{D}(\Omega)$ of $G$-invariant differential operators on $\Omega$ is commutative, and the spherical function $\varphi_{\mathrm{s}}$ is an eigenfunction of every $D \in \mathbb{D}(\Omega)$ :

$$
D \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}=\gamma_{D}(\mathbf{s}) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}
$$

The function $\gamma_{D}$ is a symmetric polynomial function, and the map $D \mapsto \gamma_{D}$ is an algebra isomorphism from $\mathbb{D}(\Omega)$ onto the algebra $\mathcal{P}\left(\mathbb{C}^{n}\right)^{\mathfrak{S}_{n}}$ of symmetric polynomial functions, a special case of the Harish-Chandra isomorphism. The symbol $\sigma_{D}$ of a partial differential operator $D$ on $V$ is defined by

$$
D e^{(x \mid \xi)}=\sigma_{D}(x, \xi) e^{(x \mid \xi)} \quad(x, \xi \in V)
$$

( $D$ acts on the variable $x$ ). If $D \in \mathbb{D}(\Omega)$, then $\sigma_{D}$ is a $G$-invariant polynomial on $V \times V$ in the following sense: for $g \in G$,

$$
\sigma_{D}(g \cdot x, \xi)=\sigma_{D}\left(x, g^{*} \cdot \xi\right)
$$

The map $D \mapsto p(\xi)=\sigma_{D}(e, \xi)$ is a vector space isomorphism from $\mathbb{D}(\Omega)$ onto the space $\mathcal{P}(V)^{K}$ of $K$-invariant polynomials on $V$.

The spherical Fourier transform $\mathcal{F} \psi$ of a $K$-invariant function $\psi$ on $\Omega$ is given by

$$
\mathcal{F} \psi(\mathbf{s})=\int_{\Omega} \psi(u) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(u) \Delta^{-\frac{N}{n}}(u) m(d u) .
$$

Hence, for $\psi(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tr} u} \Delta^{\frac{\nu}{2}}\left(\nu>\frac{d}{2}(n-1)\right)$, then

$$
\mathcal{F} \psi(\mathbf{s})=\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)=(2 \pi)^{\frac{N-n}{2}} \prod_{j=1}^{n} \Gamma\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) .
$$

For an invariant differential operator $D \in \mathbb{D}(\Omega)$,

$$
\mathcal{F}_{\nu}(D \psi)=\gamma_{D}(-\mathbf{s}) \mathcal{F}_{\nu} \psi
$$

Recall the spherical Plancherel formula: if the $K$-invariant function $\psi$ satisfies

$$
\int_{\Omega}|\psi(u)|^{2} \Delta(u)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u)<\infty
$$

then

$$
\int_{\Omega}|\psi(u)|^{2} \Delta(u)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u)=\frac{1}{(2 \pi)^{n}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}}|\mathcal{F} \psi(i \lambda)|^{2} \frac{1}{|c(i \lambda)|^{2}} m(d \lambda),
$$

where $c$ is the Harish-Chandra function:

$$
c(\mathbf{s})=c_{0} \prod_{j<k} B\left(s_{j}-s_{k}, \frac{d}{2}\right) .
$$

( $B$ is the Euler beta function, the constant $c_{0}$ is such that $c(-\rho)=1$.)
The space $\mathcal{P}(V)$ of polynomials on $V$ decomposes multiplicity free under $G$ as

$$
\mathcal{P}(V)=\bigoplus_{\mathbf{m}} \mathcal{P}_{\mathbf{m}}
$$

where $\mathcal{P}_{\mathbf{m}}$ is a finite dimensional subspace, irreducible under $G$. The parameter $\mathbf{m}$ is a partition: $\mathbf{m}=\left(m_{1}, \ldots, m_{n}\right) \in \mathbb{N}^{n}, m_{1} \geq \cdots \geq m_{n}$. The subspace $\mathcal{P}_{\mathbf{m}}^{K}$ of $K$-invariant polynomials in $\mathcal{P}_{\mathbf{m}}$ is one dimensional, generated by the spherical polynomial $\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}$, normalized by the condition $\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(e)=1$. The dimension of $\mathcal{P}_{\mathbf{m}}$ will be denoted by $d_{\mathbf{m}}$.

There is a unique invariant differential operator $D^{\mathrm{m}}$ such that

$$
D^{\mathbf{m}} \psi(e)=\left(\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial u}\right) \psi\right)(e) .
$$

We will write $\gamma_{\mathbf{m}}=\gamma_{D^{\mathrm{m}}}$. If a $K$-invariant function $\psi$ is analytic in a neighborhood of $e$, it admits a spherical Taylor expansion near $e$ :

$$
\psi(e+v)=\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} D^{\mathbf{m}} \psi(e) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(v) .
$$

For $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$ and a partition $\mathbf{m}$, the generalized Pochhammer symbol $(\alpha)_{\mathbf{m}}$ is defined by

$$
(\alpha)_{\mathbf{m}}=\frac{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\mathbf{m}+\alpha)}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\alpha)}
$$

In particular, for $\psi=\varphi_{\mathrm{s}}$, a spherical function,

$$
\varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(e+v)=\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} \gamma_{\mathbf{m}}(\mathbf{s}) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(v) .
$$

For $\psi=\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}$, we get the spherical binomial formula

$$
\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(e+v)=\sum_{\mathbf{k} \subset \mathbf{m}}\binom{\mathbf{m}}{\mathbf{k}} \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(v) .
$$

In fact the generalized binomial coefficient

$$
\binom{\mathbf{m}}{\mathbf{k}}=d_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{k}}} \gamma_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{m}-\rho)
$$

vanishes if $\mathbf{k} \not \subset \mathbf{m}$.

## 2 Multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}$

For $n=1$, we define the Meixner-Pollaczek polynomial $q_{m}^{(\nu)}$ as follows

$$
q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s)=\frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!}{ }_{2} F_{1}\left(-m, s+\frac{\nu}{2} ; \nu ; 2\right) .
$$

This definition slightly differs from the classical one $P_{m}^{\alpha}(\lambda ; \phi)$ :

$$
q_{m}^{(\nu)}(i \lambda)=(-i)^{m} P_{m}^{\frac{\nu}{2}}\left(\lambda ; \frac{\pi}{2}\right)
$$

(see for instance [Andrews-Askey-Roy,1999], p.348.) Its expansion can be written

$$
q_{m}^{(\nu)}(s)=\frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!} \sum_{k=0}^{m} \frac{[m]_{k}\left[-s-\frac{\nu}{2}\right]_{k}}{(\nu)_{k}} \frac{1}{k!} 2^{k}
$$

The polynomials $q_{m}^{(\nu)}(i \lambda)$ are orthogonal with respect to the weight

$$
\left|\Gamma\left(i \lambda+\frac{\nu}{2}\right)\right|^{2} \quad(\nu>0)
$$

Observe that for $n=1, \varphi_{s}(u)=u^{s}$, and

$$
D^{m}=u^{m}\left(\frac{d}{d u}\right)^{m}, \gamma_{m}(s)=[s]_{m}=s(s-1) \ldots(s-m+1)
$$

Hence, for higher rank, we see $\gamma_{\mathbf{m}}(\mathbf{s})$ as a multivariate analogue of the Pochhammer symbol $[s]_{m}$.

We define the multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomial $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}$ as the following symmetric polynomial in $n$ variables:

$$
Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(\mathbf{s})=\frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \subset \mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{\gamma_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{m}-\rho) \gamma_{\mathbf{k}}\left(-\mathbf{s}-\frac{\nu}{2}\right)}{(\nu)_{\mathbf{k}}} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{k}}} 2^{|\mathbf{k}|} .
$$

For $\nu>\frac{d}{2}(n-1)$ let us denote by $M_{\nu}(d \lambda)$ the probability measure on $\mathbb{R}^{n}$ given by

$$
M_{\nu}(d \lambda)=\frac{1}{Z_{\nu}} \prod_{j=1}^{n}\left|\Gamma\left(i \lambda_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right)\right|^{2} \frac{1}{|c(i \lambda)|^{2}} m(d \lambda)
$$

where

$$
Z_{\nu}=\int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} \prod_{j=1}^{n}\left|\Gamma\left(i \lambda_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right)\right|^{2} \frac{1}{|c(i \lambda)|^{2}} m(d \lambda)
$$

The constant $Z_{\nu}$ can be evaluated by using the spherical Plancherel formula, applied to the function $\psi(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tru}} \Delta(u)^{\frac{\nu}{2}}$ :

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \int_{\Omega} e^{-2 \operatorname{tru} \Delta(u)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u)} \\
& =(2 \pi)^{N-2 n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} \prod_{j=1}^{n} \left\lvert\, \Gamma\left(i \lambda_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\left.\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right|^{2} \frac{1}{|c(i \lambda)|^{2}} m(d \lambda) .\right.\right.
\end{aligned}
$$

Therefore

$$
Z_{\nu}=(2 \pi)^{2 n-N} 2^{-n \nu} \Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu) .
$$

Next statement involves the geometry of the Hermitian symmetric space of tube type associated to the symmetric cone $\Omega$. The map $z \mapsto(z-e)(z+$ $e)^{-1}$ maps the tube domain $T_{\Omega}=\Omega+i V \subset V_{\mathbb{C}}$ onto the bounded Hermitian symmetric domain $\mathcal{D}$. Its inverse is the Cayley transform:

$$
c(w)=(e+w)(e-w)^{-1}
$$

Theorem 2.1. Assume $\nu>\frac{d}{2}(n-1)$.
(i) The multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(i \lambda)$ form an orthogonal basis of $L^{2}\left(\mathbb{R}^{n}, M_{\nu}\right)^{\mathfrak{S}_{n}}$. The norm of $Q_{\mathrm{m}}^{(\nu)}$ can be evaluated:

$$
\int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}}\left|Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(i \lambda)\right|^{2} M_{\nu}(d \lambda)=\frac{1}{d_{\mathbf{m}}} \frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}}
$$

(ii) The polynomials $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}$ admit the following generating formula: for $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{C}^{n}, w \in \mathcal{D}$,

$$
\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(\mathbf{s}) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w)=\Delta\left(e-w^{2}\right)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(c(w)^{-1}\right)
$$

Proof.
a) For $\nu>2 \frac{N}{n}-1=1+d(n-1), \mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(\mathcal{D})$ denotes the weighted Bergman space of holomorphic functions $f$ on $\mathcal{D}$ such that

$$
\|f\|_{\nu}^{2}:=a_{\nu}^{(1)} \int_{\mathcal{D}}|f(w)|^{2} h(w)^{\nu-2 \frac{N}{n}} m(d w)<\infty .
$$

The constant

$$
a_{\nu}^{(1)}=\frac{1}{\pi^{n}} \frac{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\nu-\frac{N}{n}\right)}
$$

is such that the function $\Phi_{0} \equiv 1$ has norm 1 . The spherical polynomials $\Phi_{\mathrm{m}}$ form an orthogonal basis of the space $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(\mathcal{D})^{K}$ of $K$-invariant functions in $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(\mathcal{D})$, and

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\|\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\right\|_{\nu}^{2}=\frac{1}{d_{\mathbf{m}}} \frac{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}}{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}} \tag{2.1}
\end{equation*}
$$

The reproducing kernel of $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(\mathcal{D})$ is given by

$$
\mathcal{K}_{\nu}\left(w, w^{\prime}\right)=h\left(w, w^{\prime}\right)^{-\nu}
$$

where $h\left(w, w^{\prime}\right)$ is a polynomial holomorphic in $w$, antiholomorphic in $w^{\prime}$, and, for $w$ invertible,

$$
h\left(w, w^{\prime}\right)=\Delta(w) \Delta\left(w^{-1}-\bar{w}^{\prime}\right)
$$

( $\bar{w}^{\prime}$ is the complex conjugate of $w^{\prime}$ with respect to the real form $V$ of $V_{\mathbb{C}}$.) By an integration over $K$ one obtains:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(1)}(\zeta, w):=\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} \frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(\zeta) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w)=\int_{K} h(w, k \bar{\zeta})^{-\nu} d k \tag{2.2}
\end{equation*}
$$

b) For a function $f$ holomorphic in $\mathcal{D}$, one defines the function $F=C_{\nu} f$ on $T_{\Omega}$ by

$$
F(z)=\left(C_{\nu} f\right)(z)=\Delta\left(\frac{z+e}{2}\right)^{-\nu} f\left((z-e)(z+e)^{-1}\right)
$$

The map $C_{\nu}$ is a unitary isomorphism from $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}(\mathcal{D})$ onto the space $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}\left(T_{\Omega}\right)$ of holomorphic functions on $T_{\Omega}$ such that

$$
\|F\|_{\nu}^{2}:=a_{\nu}^{(2)} \int_{T_{\Omega}}|F(z)|^{2} \Delta(x)^{\nu-2 \frac{N}{n}} m(d z)<\infty
$$

The constant

$$
a_{\nu}^{(2)}=\frac{1}{(4 \pi)^{n}} \frac{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\nu-\frac{N}{n}\right)},
$$

is such that the function

$$
F_{0}^{(\nu)}=C_{\nu} \Phi_{0}, \quad F_{0}^{(\nu)}(z)=\Delta\left(\frac{z+e}{2}\right)^{-\nu}
$$

has norm 1. The functions $F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}=C_{\nu} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}$ form an orthogonal basis of the space $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}\left(T_{\Omega}\right)^{K}$ of $K$-invariant functions in $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}\left(T_{\Omega}\right)$, and it follows from (2.1) that

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\|F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}\right\|_{\nu}^{2}=\frac{1}{d_{\mathbf{m}}} \frac{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}}{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}} \tag{2.3}
\end{equation*}
$$

Performing in (2.2) the transform $C_{\nu}$ with respect to $\zeta$ we get a generating formula for the functions $F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}$ : for $w \in \mathcal{D}, z \in T_{\Omega}$,

$$
\begin{align*}
\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(2)}(z, w) & :=\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} \frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w) F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(z) \\
& =\Delta\left(\frac{e-w}{2}\right)^{-\nu} \int_{K} \Delta(k \cdot z+c(w))^{-\nu} d k \tag{2.4}
\end{align*}
$$

c) The functions in $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}\left(T_{\Omega}\right)$ admit a Laplace integral representation. The modified Laplace transform $\mathcal{L}_{\nu}$, given, for a function $\psi$ on $\Omega$, by

$$
\left(\mathcal{L}_{\nu} \psi(z)=a_{\nu}^{(3)} \int_{\Omega} e^{(z \mid u)} \psi(u) \Delta(u)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u),\right.
$$

is an isometric isomorphism from the space $L_{\nu}^{2}(\Omega)$ of measurable functions $\psi$ on $\Omega$ such that

$$
\|\psi\|_{\nu}^{2}:=a_{\nu}^{(3)} \int_{\Omega}|\psi(u)|^{2} \Delta(u)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u)<\infty
$$

onto $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}\left(T_{\Omega}\right)$. The constant

$$
a_{\nu}^{(3)}=\frac{2^{n \nu}}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)}
$$

is such that the function $\Psi_{0}(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tru}}$ has norm 1 , and then $\mathcal{L}_{\nu} \Psi_{0}=F_{0}$. By the binomial formula

$$
\begin{aligned}
F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(z) & =\Delta\left(\frac{z+e}{2}\right)^{-\nu} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\left((z-e)(z+e)^{-1}\right) \\
& =\Delta\left(\frac{z+e}{2}\right)^{-\nu} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\left(e-2(z+e)^{-1}\right) \\
& =\sum_{\mathbf{k} \subset \mathbf{m}}(-1)^{|\mathbf{k}|}\binom{\mathbf{m}}{\mathbf{k}} \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}\left(2(z+e)^{-1}\right) \Delta\left(2(e+z)^{-1}\right)^{\nu} .
\end{aligned}
$$

## Lemma 2.2.

$$
\mathcal{L}_{\nu}\left(e^{-\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{u}} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\right)(z)=(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\left((z+e)^{-1}\right) \Delta\left(2(e+z)^{-1}\right)^{\nu} .
$$

(See Lemma XI.2.3 in [Faraut-Korányi, 1994].)
By Lemma 2.2 the function

$$
\Psi_{\mathrm{m}}^{(\nu)}=\frac{(\nu)_{\mathrm{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathrm{m}}} \mathcal{L}_{\nu}^{-1}\left(F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}\right)
$$

is the Laguerre function given by

$$
\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tr} u} L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}(2 u),
$$

where $L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}$ is the multivariate Laguerre polynomial

$$
\begin{aligned}
L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}(x) & =\frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \subset \mathbf{m}}\binom{\mathbf{m}}{\mathbf{k}} \frac{1}{(\nu)_{\mathbf{k}}} \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(-x) \\
& =\frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \subset \mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{\gamma_{\mathbf{k}}(\rho-\mathbf{m})}{(\nu)_{\mathbf{k}}} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{k}}} \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(-x) .
\end{aligned}
$$

Proposition 2.3. (i) The multivariate Laguerre functions $\Psi_{\mathrm{m}}^{(\nu)}$ form an orthogonal basis of $L_{\nu}^{2}(\Omega)$, and

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\|\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}\right\|_{\nu}^{2}=\frac{1}{d_{\mathbf{m}}} \frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} \tag{2.5}
\end{equation*}
$$

(ii) The fonctions $\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}$ admit the following generating formula: for $u \in \Omega$, $w \in \mathcal{D}$,

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(3)}(u, w):=\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} \Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(u) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w)=\Delta(e-w)^{-\nu} \int_{K} e^{-(k \cdot u \mid c(w))} d k \tag{2.6}
\end{equation*}
$$

The generating formula can also be written

$$
\Delta(e-w)^{-\nu} \int_{K} e^{\left(k \cdot x \mid w(e-w)^{-1}\right)} d k=\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}(x) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w)
$$

Formula (2,6') is proposed as an exercise in [Faraut-Korányi,1994] (Exercise 3, p.347). It is a special case of formula (4.4) in [Baker-Forrester,1997].

Proof. Part (i) follows from the fact that $\mathcal{L}_{\nu}$ is a unitary isomorphism from $L_{\nu}^{2}(\Omega)$ onto $\mathcal{H}_{\nu}^{2}\left(T_{\Omega}\right)$, and from (2.3).

The modified Laplace transform of $\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(3)}(u, w)$ with respect to $u$ is equal to $\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(2)}(z, w)$, and one gets (ii) from (2.4).
d) We will evaluate the spherical Fourier transform of the Laguerre functions $\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}$. We introduce now the modified spherical Fourier transform $\mathcal{F}_{\nu}$ as follows: for a function $\psi$ on $\Omega$,

$$
\left(\mathcal{F}_{\nu} \psi\right)(\mathbf{s})=\frac{1}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)} \int_{\Omega} \psi(u) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(u) \Delta(u)^{\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
$$

Observe that $\mathcal{F}_{\nu} \Psi_{0} \equiv 1$.
Lemma 2.4. For $\operatorname{Re} s_{j}>\frac{d}{4}(n-1)-\frac{\nu}{2}$,

$$
\mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(e^{-\operatorname{tr} \mathbf{u}} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\right)(\mathbf{s})=(-1)^{|\mathbf{m}|} \gamma_{\mathbf{m}}\left(-\mathbf{s}-\frac{\nu}{2}\right)
$$

Proof. Let $\sigma_{D}(u, \xi)$ be the symbol of $D \in \mathbb{D}(\Omega)$, and $p(\xi)=\sigma_{D}(e, \xi)$. By the invariance property of $\sigma_{D}$, we have $\sigma_{D}(u,-e)=p(-u)$, and therefore $D e^{-\operatorname{tru}}=p(-\xi) e^{-\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{u}}$. Hence, for $p(\xi)=\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(\xi)$,

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(e^{-\operatorname{tru} \mathbf{u}} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\right)(s) & =(-1)^{|\mathbf{m}|} \mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(D^{\mathbf{m}} e^{-\operatorname{tru} \mathbf{u}}\right)(s) \\
& =(-1)^{|\mathbf{m}|} \gamma_{\mathbf{m}}\left(-\mathbf{s}-\frac{\nu}{2}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(e^{-\operatorname{tru}}\right) \\
& =(-1)^{|\mathbf{m}|} \gamma_{\mathbf{m}}\left(-\mathbf{s}-\frac{\nu}{2}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

From Lemma 2.4 we obtain the evaluation of the spherical Fourier transform of the Laguerre functions: For $\operatorname{Re} s_{j}>\frac{d}{4}(n-1)-\frac{\nu}{2}$,

$$
\mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{\nu}\right)(\mathbf{s})=Q_{\mathbf{m}}(\mathbf{s})
$$

By the spherical Plancherel formula and part (i) in Proposition 2.3, this proves parts (i) of Theorem 2.1, for $\nu>1+d(n-1)$ :

$$
\begin{equation*}
\int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}}\left|Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(i \lambda)\right|^{2} M_{\nu}(d \lambda)=\frac{1}{d_{\mathbf{m}}} \frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} \tag{2.7}
\end{equation*}
$$

By analytic continuation it holds for $\nu>\frac{d}{2}(n-1)$.
For proving part (ii) of Theorem 2.1 one performs the spherical Fourier transform to both handsides of part (ii) in Proposition 2.3:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(4)}:=\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(\mathbf{s}) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w)=\Delta\left(e-w^{2}\right)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(c(w)^{-1}\right) \tag{2.8}
\end{equation*}
$$

This finishes the proof of Theorem 2.1.
We remark that, in [Davidson-Ólafsson-Zang, 2003], a different notation is used for the Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials: their polynomials $p_{\nu, \mathbf{m}}$ (p. 179) are defined through the generating formula above and

$$
p_{\nu, \mathbf{m}}(i \mathbf{s})=d_{\mathbf{m}} Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(\mathbf{s}) .
$$

## 3 Multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{\mathrm{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$

The Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $q_{m}^{(\nu)}$ we have considered at the beginning of Section 2 correspond to the special value $\phi=\frac{\pi}{2}$ with the classical notation. Using instead $\theta=\phi-\frac{\pi}{2}$, the more general one variable Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials can be written

$$
\begin{aligned}
q_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}(s) & =e^{i m \theta} \frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!}{ }_{2} F_{1}\left(-m, s+\frac{\nu}{2} ; \nu ; 2 e^{-i \theta} \cos \theta\right) \\
& =e^{i m \theta} \frac{(\nu)_{m}}{m!} \sum_{k=0}^{m} \frac{[m]_{k}\left[-s-\frac{\nu}{2}\right]_{k}}{(\nu)_{k}} \frac{1}{k!}\left(2 e^{-i \theta} \cos \theta\right)^{k}
\end{aligned}
$$

In terms of the classical notation $P_{m}^{\alpha}(\lambda ; \phi)$

$$
q_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}(i \lambda)=(-i)^{m} P_{m}^{\frac{\nu}{2}}\left(\lambda ; \theta+\frac{\pi}{2}\right)
$$

For $\nu>0,|\theta|<\frac{\pi}{2}$, the polynomials $q_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}(i \lambda)$ are orthogonal with respect to the weight

$$
e^{2 \theta \lambda}\left|\Gamma\left(i \lambda+\frac{\nu}{2}\right)\right|^{2}
$$

In this section we consider the multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{\mathrm{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ defined by

$$
\begin{aligned}
& Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s})= \\
& e^{i|\mathbf{m}| \theta} \frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \subset \mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{\gamma_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{m}-\rho) \gamma_{\mathbf{k}}\left(-\mathbf{s}-\frac{\nu}{2}\right)}{(\nu)_{\mathbf{k}}} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{k}}}\left(2 e^{-i \theta} \cos \theta\right)^{|\mathbf{k}|} .
\end{aligned}
$$

Theorem 3.1. Assume $\nu>\frac{d}{2}(n-1),|\theta|<\frac{\pi}{2}$.
(i) The multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}(i \lambda)$ form an orthogonal basis of $L^{2}\left(\mathbb{R}^{n}, e^{2 \theta\left(\lambda_{1}+\cdots+\lambda_{n}\right)} M_{\nu}\right)^{\mathfrak{S}_{n}}$. The norm of $Q_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ can be evaluated:

$$
\int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}}\left|Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(i \lambda)\right|^{2} e^{2 \theta\left(\lambda_{1}+\cdots+\lambda_{n}\right)} M_{\nu}(d \lambda)=(\cos \theta)^{-n \nu} \frac{1}{d_{\mathbf{m}}} \frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}}
$$

(ii) The polynomials $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ admit the following generating formula: for $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{C}^{n}, w \in \mathcal{D}$,

$$
\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s}) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w)=\Delta\left(\left(e-e^{i \theta} w\right)\left(e+e^{-i \theta} w\right)\right)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(c_{\theta}(w)^{-1}\right)
$$

where $c_{\theta}$ is the modified Cayley transform:

$$
c_{\theta}(w)=\left(e+e^{-i \theta} w\right)\left(e-e^{i \theta} w\right)^{-1} .
$$

We will prove Theorem 3.1 in several steps.
a) Let us define the Laguerre functions $\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ :

$$
\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(u)=e^{i|\mathbf{m}| \theta} e^{-\operatorname{tr} u} L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}\left(2 e^{-i \theta} \cos \theta u\right)
$$

For functions $\psi$ on $V$ of the form $\psi(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tr} u} p(u)$, where $p$ is a polynomial, define the inner product

$$
\left(\psi_{1} \mid \psi_{2}\right)_{(\nu, \theta)}=\frac{2^{n \nu}}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)} \int_{\Omega} \psi_{1}\left(e^{i \theta} u\right) \overline{\psi_{2}\left(e^{i \theta} u\right)} \Delta(u)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
$$

Proposition 3.2. (i) The Laguerre functions $\Psi_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ are orthogonal with respect to the inner product $(\cdot \mid \cdot)_{(\nu, \theta)}$. Furthermore

$$
\left\|\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}\right\|_{(\nu, \theta)}^{2}=(\cos \theta)^{-n \nu} \frac{1}{d_{\mathbf{m}}} \frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} .
$$

(ii) The Laguerre functions $\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ satisfy the following generating formula: for $u \in \Omega, w \in \mathcal{D}$,

$$
\mathcal{G}_{\nu, \theta}^{(3)}(u, w):=\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} \Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(u) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w)=\Delta\left(e-e^{i \theta} w\right)^{-\nu} \int_{K} e^{\left(k \cdot u \mid c_{\theta}(w)\right)} d k
$$

Proof. (i) Put $\alpha=e^{i \theta}, \beta=2 e^{-i \theta} \cos \theta$. For two polynomials $p_{1}$ and $p_{2}$ consider the functions

$$
\psi_{1}^{(\theta)}(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{u}} p_{1}(\beta u), \psi_{2}^{(\theta)}(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{u}} p_{2}(\beta u)
$$

and their inner product

$$
\left(\psi_{1}^{(\theta)} \mid \psi_{2}^{(\theta)}\right)_{\nu, \theta}=\frac{2^{n \nu}}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)} \int_{\Omega} e^{-\alpha \text { tr } \mathrm{u}} p_{1}(\beta \alpha u) \overline{e^{-\alpha \operatorname{tr} \mathrm{u}} p_{2}(\beta \alpha u)} \Delta(u)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
$$

Observe that $\beta \alpha=2 \cos \theta, \alpha+\bar{\alpha}=2 \cos \theta$. Hence

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \left(\psi_{1}^{(\theta)} \mid \psi_{2}^{(\theta)}\right)_{\nu, \theta} \\
= & \frac{2^{n \nu}}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)} \int_{\Omega} e^{-2 \cos \theta \operatorname{tru}} p_{1}(2 \cos \theta u) \overline{p_{2}(2 \cos \theta u)} \Delta(u)^{\nu-\frac{n}{N}} m(d u) \\
= & \frac{2^{n \nu}}{\overline{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)}}(\cos \theta)^{-n \nu} \int_{\Omega} e^{-2 \operatorname{trv}} p_{1}(2 v) \overline{p_{2}(2 v)} \Delta(v)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d v) \\
= & (\cos \theta)^{-n \nu}\left(\psi_{1}^{(0)} \mid \psi_{2}^{(0)}\right) .
\end{aligned}
$$

Take

$$
p_{1}(u)=L_{\mathbf{p}}^{(\nu-1)}(u), p_{2}(u)=L_{\mathbf{q}}^{(\nu-1)}(u) .
$$

Then, by part (i) of Proposition 2.3, the statement (i) is proven.
(ii) The sum in the generating formula can be written

$$
\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} e^{-\operatorname{tr} u} L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}\left(2 e^{-i \theta} \cos \theta u\right) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\left(e^{i \theta} w\right)
$$

Hence the generating formula follows from part (ii) in Proposition 2.3.
b) By Lemma 2.4 we obtain the following evaluation of the spherical Fourier transform of the Laguerre functions $\Psi_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ :

$$
\mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}\right)(\mathbf{s})=Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s})
$$

We will need a Gutzmer formula for the spherical Fourier transform on a symmetric cone. Let us first state the following Gutzmer formula for the Mellin transform.

Proposition 3.3. Let $\psi$ be holomorphic in the following open set in $\mathbb{C}$ :

$$
\left\{\zeta=r e^{i \theta}\left|r>0,|\theta|<\theta_{0}\right\} \quad\left(0<\theta_{0}<\frac{\pi}{2}\right) .\right.
$$

The Mellin transform of $\psi$ is defined by

$$
\mathcal{M} \psi(s)=\int_{0}^{\infty} \psi(r) r^{s-1} d r
$$

Assume that there is a constant $M>0$ such that, for $|\theta|<\theta_{0}$,

$$
\int_{0}^{\infty}\left|\psi\left(r e^{i \theta}\right)\right|^{2} r^{-1} d r \leq M
$$

Then

$$
\int_{0}^{\infty}\left|\psi\left(r e^{i \theta}\right)\right|^{2} r^{-1} d r=\frac{1}{2 \pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}}|\mathcal{M} \psi(i \lambda)|^{2} e^{2 \theta \lambda} d \lambda .
$$

Using the decomposition of the symmetric cone $\Omega$ as

$$
\Omega=] 0, \infty\left[\times \Omega_{1},\right.
$$

where $\Omega_{1}=\{u \in \Omega \mid \Delta(u)=1\}$, one gets the following Gutzmer formula for $\Omega$ :

Proposition 3.4. Let $\psi$ be a holomorphic function in the tube $T_{\Omega}=\Omega+i V$. Assume that there are constants $M>0$ and $0<\theta_{0}<\frac{\pi}{2}$ such that, for $|\theta|<\theta_{0}$,

$$
\int_{\Omega}\left|\psi\left(e^{i \theta} u\right)\right|^{2} \Delta(u)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) \leq M
$$

Then, for $|\theta|<\theta_{0}$,

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \int_{\Omega}\left|\psi\left(e^{i \theta} u\right)\right|^{2} \Delta(u)^{-\frac{N}{n}} d u \\
& =\frac{1}{(2 \pi)^{n}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}}|\mathcal{F} \psi(i \lambda)|^{2} e^{2 \theta\left(\lambda_{1}+\cdots+\lambda_{n}\right)} \frac{1}{|c(i \lambda)|^{2}} m(d \lambda)
\end{aligned}
$$

From Proposition 3.2 and 3.4 we obtain parts (i) and (ii) of Theorem 3.1.
A more general Gutzmer formula has been established for the spherical Fourier transform on Riemannian symmetric spaces of non compact type [Faraut,2004].

## 4 Determinantal formulae

In the case $d=2$, i.e. $V=\operatorname{Herm}(n, \mathbb{C}), K=U(n)$, there are determinantal formulae for the multivariate Laguerre functions $\Psi_{m}^{(\nu)}$ and for the multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$. Consider a Jordan frame $\left\{c_{1}, \ldots, c_{n}\right\}$ in $V$, and let $\delta=(n-1, n-2, \ldots, 1,0)$.

Theorem 4.1. Assume $d=2$. The multivariate Laguerre function $\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}$ admits the following determinantal formula involving the one variable Laguerre functions $\psi_{m}^{(\nu)}$ : for $u=\sum_{j=1}^{n} u_{i} c_{i}$,

$$
\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(u)=\delta!2^{-\frac{1}{2} n(n-1)} \frac{\operatorname{det}\left(\psi_{m_{j}+\delta_{j}}^{(\nu-n+1)}\left(u_{i}\right)\right)_{1 \leq i, j \leq n}}{V\left(u_{1}, \ldots, u_{n}\right)}
$$

where $V$ denote the Vandermonde polynomial:

$$
V\left(u_{1}, \ldots, u_{n}\right)=\prod_{i<j}\left(u_{j}-u_{i}\right) .
$$

As a result one obtains the following determinantal formula for the multivariate Laguerre polynomials:

$$
\mathbf{L}_{\mathbf{m}}^{\nu}(u)=\delta!\frac{\operatorname{det}\left(L_{m_{j}+\delta_{j}}^{(\nu-n+1)}\left(u_{i}\right)\right)}{V\left(u_{1}, \ldots, u_{n}\right)}
$$

Proof. We start from the generating formula for the multivariate Laguerre functions (Proposition 2.3):

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(3)}(u, w) & =\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w) \Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(u) \\
& =\Delta(e-w)^{-\nu} \int_{K} e^{-\left(k u \mid(e+w)(e-w)^{-1}\right)} d k
\end{aligned}
$$

In the case $d=2$, the evaluation of this integral is classical: for $x=$ $\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i} c_{i}, y=\sum_{j=1}^{n} y_{j} c_{j}$, then

$$
\mathcal{I}(x, y)=\int_{K} e^{(k x \mid y)} d k=\delta!\frac{\operatorname{det}\left(e^{x_{i} y_{j}}\right)}{V\left(x_{1}, \ldots, x_{n}\right) V\left(y_{1}, \ldots, y_{n}\right)}
$$

Therefore, for $u=\sum_{i=1}^{n} u_{i} c_{i}, w=\sum_{j=1}^{n} w_{j} c_{j}$,

$$
\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(3)}(u, w)=\delta!\prod_{j=1}^{n}\left(1-w_{j}\right)^{-\nu} \frac{\operatorname{det}\left(e^{-u_{i} \frac{1+w_{j}}{1-w_{j}}}\right)}{V\left(u_{1}, \ldots, u_{n}\right) V\left(\frac{1+w_{1}}{1-w_{1}}, \ldots, \frac{1+w_{n}}{1-w_{n}}\right)} .
$$

Noticing that

$$
\frac{1+w_{j}}{1-w_{j}}-\frac{1+w_{k}}{1-w_{k}}=2 \frac{w_{j}-w_{k}}{\left(1+w_{j}\right)\left(1+w_{k}\right)}
$$

we obtain

$$
\mathcal{G}_{\nu}^{(3)}(u, w)=\delta!2^{-\frac{1}{2} n(n-1)} \frac{\operatorname{det}\left(\left(1-w_{j}\right)^{-(\nu-n+1)} e^{-u_{i} \frac{1+w_{j}}{1-w_{j}}}\right)}{V\left(u_{1}, \ldots, u_{n}\right) V\left(w_{1}, \ldots, w_{n}\right)} .
$$

We will expand the above expression in Schur function series by using a formula due to Hua.

Lemma 4.2. Consider $n$ power series

$$
f_{i}(w)=\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} c_{m}^{(i)} w^{m} \quad(i=1, \ldots, n)
$$

Then

$$
\frac{\operatorname{det}\left(f_{i}\left(w_{j}\right)\right)}{V\left(w_{1}, \ldots, w_{n}\right)}=\sum_{\mathbf{m}} a_{\mathbf{m}} s_{\mathbf{m}}\left(w_{1}, \ldots, w_{n}\right)
$$

where $s_{\mathbf{m}}$ is the Schur function associated to the partition $\mathbf{m}$, and

$$
a_{\mathbf{m}}=\operatorname{det}\left(c_{m_{j}+\delta_{j}}^{(i)}\right)
$$

(See [Hua,1963], Theorem 1.2.1, p.22).
Let $\nu^{\prime}=\nu-n+1$, and consider the $n$ power series

$$
f_{i}(w)=(1-w)^{-\nu^{\prime}} e^{-u_{i} \frac{1+w}{1-w}}=\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \psi_{m}^{\left(\nu^{\prime}\right)}\left(u_{i}\right) w^{m} .
$$

Since

$$
d_{\mathbf{m}} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} w_{j} c_{j}\right)=s_{\mathbf{m}}\left(w_{1}, \ldots, w_{n}\right)
$$

we obtain

$$
\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(u)=\delta!2^{-\frac{1}{2} n(n-1)} \frac{\operatorname{det}\left(\psi_{m_{j}+\delta_{j}}^{(\nu-n+1)}\left(u_{i}\right)\right)}{V\left(u_{1}, \ldots, u_{n}\right)} .
$$

By using the same method we will obtain a determinantal formula for the multivariate Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{\mathrm{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$.

Theorem 4.3. Assume $d=2$. Then

$$
Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s})=(-2 \cos \theta)^{-\frac{1}{2} n(n-1)} \delta!\frac{\operatorname{det}\left(q_{m_{j}+\delta_{j}}^{(\nu-n+1, \theta)}\left(s_{i}\right)\right)_{1 \leq i, j \leq n}}{V\left(s_{1}, \ldots, s_{n}\right)},
$$

where $q_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ denotes the one variable Meixner-Pollaczek polynomial.
Proof. We start from the generating formula for the multivariate MeixnerPollaczek polynomials $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ (Theorem 3.1, (ii)):

$$
\left.\sum_{\mathbf{m}} d_{\mathbf{m}} Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s}) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w)=\Delta\left(\left(e-e^{i \theta} w\right)\left(e+e^{-i \theta} w\right)\right)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(c_{\theta}(w)\right)^{-1}\right) .
$$

For $x=\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i} c_{i}$, the spherical function $\varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(x)$ is essentially a Schur function in the variables $x_{1}, \ldots, x_{n}$ :

$$
\varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(x)=\delta!\left(x_{1} x_{2} \ldots x_{r}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)} \frac{\operatorname{det}\left(x_{j}^{s_{i}}\right)}{V\left(s_{1}, \ldots, s_{n}\right) V\left(x_{1}, \ldots, x_{n}\right)} .
$$

Let us compute now, for $w=\sum_{j=1}^{n} w_{j} c_{j}$,

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \left.\Delta\left(\left(e-e^{i \theta} w\right)\left(e+e^{-i \theta} w\right)\right)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(c_{\theta}(w)\right)^{-1}\right) \\
& =\delta!\prod_{j=1}^{n}\left(1-2 i \sin \theta w_{j}-w_{j}^{2}\right)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \\
& \prod_{j=1}^{n}\left(c_{\theta}\left(w_{j}\right)\right)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)} \frac{\operatorname{det}\left(\left(c_{\theta}\left(w_{j}\right)\right)^{s_{i}}\right)}{V\left(s_{1}, \ldots, s_{n}\right) V\left(c_{\theta}\left(w_{1}\right), \ldots, c_{\theta}\left(w_{n}\right)\right)} .
\end{aligned}
$$

In the same way as for the proof of Theorem 4.1, we obtain

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \left.\Delta\left(\left(e-e^{i \theta} w\right)\left(e+e^{-i \theta}\right)\right)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(c_{\theta}(w)\right)^{-1}\right) \\
& =(-2 \cos \theta)^{-\frac{1}{2} n(n-1)} \delta! \\
& \frac{\operatorname{det}\left(\left(1-e^{i \theta} w_{j}\right)^{s_{i}-\frac{\nu}{2}+\frac{1}{2}(n-1)}\left(1+e^{-i \theta} w_{j}\right)^{-s_{i}-\frac{\nu}{2}+\frac{1}{2}(n-1)}\right)}{V\left(s_{1}, \ldots, s_{n}\right) V\left(w_{1}, \ldots, w_{n}\right)} .
\end{aligned}
$$

We apply once more Lemma 4.2 to the $n$ power series

$$
f_{i}(w)=\left(1-e^{i \theta} w\right)^{s_{i}-\frac{\nu^{\prime}}{2}}\left(1+e^{-i \theta} w\right)^{-s_{i}-\frac{\nu^{\prime}}{2}}=\sum_{m}^{\infty} q_{m}^{\left(\nu^{\prime}, \theta\right)}\left(s_{i}\right) w^{m}
$$

with $\nu^{\prime}=\nu-n+1$, and obtain finally:

$$
Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s})=(-2 \cos \theta)^{-\frac{1}{2} n(n-1)} \delta!\frac{\operatorname{det}\left(q_{m_{j}+\delta_{j}}^{(\nu-n+1, \theta)}\left(s_{i}\right)\right)}{V\left(s_{1}, \ldots, s_{n}\right)}
$$

## 5 Difference equation for the Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{m}^{(\nu, \theta)}$

We will introduce a difference operator acting on functions in $n$ variables. We recall first the following Pieri's formula for the spherical functions.

## Proposition 5.1.

$$
(\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{x}) \varphi_{\mathrm{s}}(\mathrm{x})=\sum_{\mathrm{j}=1}^{\mathrm{n}} \alpha_{\mathrm{j}}(\mathrm{~s}) \varphi_{\mathrm{s}+\varepsilon_{\mathrm{j}}}(\mathrm{x})
$$

with

$$
\alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s})=\prod_{k \neq j} \frac{s_{j}-s_{k}+\frac{d}{2}}{s_{j}-s_{k}} .
$$

$\left(\left\{\varepsilon_{j}\right\}\right.$ denotes the canonical basis of $\mathbb{C}^{n}$.)

See [Dib, 1990], Proposition 6.1 (with a minor correction), where it is called Kushner's formula. See also [Zhang, 1995], Theorem 1. One observes that

$$
\alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s})=\frac{c(\mathbf{s})}{c\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}\right)},
$$

in agreement with the asymptotic behaviour of the spherical function $\varphi_{\mathrm{s}}$ : for $\mathbf{s}=\left(s_{1}, \ldots, s_{n}\right) \in \mathbb{C}^{n}$, with $\operatorname{Re} s_{1}>\cdots>\operatorname{Re} s_{n}$, and $a=\sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{j} c_{j}$ with $a_{1}>\cdots>a_{n}\left(\left(c_{1}, \ldots, c_{n}\right)\right.$ is a Jordan frame in $\left.V\right)$,

$$
\varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(\exp t a) \sim c(\mathbf{s}) e^{(\mathbf{s}+\rho \mid a) t} \quad(t \rightarrow \infty)
$$

For a partition $\mathbf{m}$, by letting $\mathbf{m}=\mathbf{s}+\rho$, one gets

$$
(\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{x}) \Phi_{\mathrm{m}}(\mathrm{x})=\sum_{\mathrm{j}=1}^{\mathrm{n}} \mathrm{a}_{\mathrm{j}}(\mathbf{m}) \Phi_{\mathbf{m}+\varepsilon_{\mathrm{j}}}(\mathrm{x})
$$

with

$$
a_{j}(\mathbf{m})=\prod_{k \neq j} \frac{m_{j}-m_{k}-\frac{d}{2}(j-k-1)}{m_{j}-m_{k}-\frac{d}{2}(j-k)}
$$

(in ageement with Lassalle's results [1998], p.320, l.-4).
The difference operator $D_{\nu, \theta}$ is defined by

$$
\begin{aligned}
& D_{\nu, \theta} f(\mathbf{s}) \\
& =e^{-i \theta} \sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s})\left(f\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}\right)-f(\mathbf{s})\right) \\
& +e^{i \theta} \sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(-s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(-\mathbf{s})\left(f\left(\mathbf{s}-\varepsilon_{j}\right)-f(\mathbf{s})\right) .
\end{aligned}
$$

Theorem 5.2. The Meixner-Pollaczek polynomial $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ is an eigenfunction of the difference operator $D_{\nu, \theta}$ :

$$
D_{\nu, \theta} Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}=2|\mathbf{m}| \cos \theta Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}
$$

For the proof we will use the scheme we have used in the proof of Theorem 2.1. For $i=1,2,3,4$, we define the operators $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(i)}$. The operator $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(1)}=D_{\theta}^{(1)}$ is a first order differential operator on the domain $\mathcal{D}$ :

$$
D_{\theta}^{(1)} f=e^{i \theta}\langle w+e, \nabla f\rangle+e^{-i \theta}\langle w-e, \nabla f\rangle .
$$

(For $W_{1}, w_{2} \in V_{\mathbb{C}},\left\langle w_{1}, w_{2}\right\rangle=\operatorname{tr}\left(\mathrm{w}_{1} \mathrm{w}_{2}\right)$.) The operators $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(i)}$, for $i=2,3,4$ are defined by the relations:

$$
\begin{aligned}
D_{\nu, \theta}^{(2)} C_{\nu} & =C_{\nu} D_{\nu, \theta}^{(1)}, \\
\mathcal{L}_{\nu} D_{\nu, \theta}^{(3)} & =D_{\nu, \theta}^{(2)} \mathcal{L}_{\nu}, \\
\mathcal{F}_{\nu} D_{\nu, \theta}^{(3)} & =D_{\nu, \theta}^{(4)} \mathcal{F}_{\nu} .
\end{aligned}
$$

The operator $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(2)}$ is a first order differential operator on the tube $T_{\Omega}$. In Section 7 we will see that $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(3)}$ is a second order differential operator on the cone $\Omega$, and prove that $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(4)}$ is the difference operator $D_{\nu, \theta}$ we have introduced above.

The function

$$
\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\theta)}(w)=\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}(w \cos \theta+i e \sin \theta)
$$

is an eigenfunction of the operator $D_{\theta}^{(1)}$ :

$$
D_{\theta}^{(1)} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\theta)}=2|\mathbf{m}| \cos \theta \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\theta)}
$$

In fact $\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}$ is homogeneous of degree $|\mathbf{m}|$, and satisfies the Euler equation

$$
\left\langle w, \nabla \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\right\rangle=|\mathbf{m}| \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}
$$

Hence $F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}=C_{\nu} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\theta)}$ is an eigenfunction of $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(2)}$ :

$$
D_{\nu, \theta}^{(2)} F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}=2|\mathbf{m}| \cos \theta \quad F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)} .
$$

Further, since $\mathcal{L}_{\nu} \Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}=\frac{(\nu)_{\mathbf{m}}}{\left(\frac{N}{n}\right)_{\mathbf{m}}} F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$, we get

$$
D_{\nu, \theta}^{(3)} \Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}=2|\mathbf{m}| \cos \theta \Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)} .
$$

Finally, since $Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}=\mathcal{F}_{\nu} \Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$,

$$
D_{\nu, \theta}^{(4)} Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}=2|\mathbf{m}| \cos \theta Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}
$$

Hence the proof of Theorem 5.2 amounts to showing that $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(4)}=D_{\nu, \theta}$.
The symmetries $S_{\nu}^{(i)}$ we will introduce in next Section will be useful for the computation of the operators $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(i)}$.

## 6 The symmetries $S_{\nu}^{(i)}(i=1,2,3,4)$ and the Hankel transform

We start from the symmetry $w \mapsto-w$ of the domain $\mathcal{D}$. Its action on functions is given by

$$
S^{(1)} f(w)=f(-w)
$$

We carry this symmetry over the tube $T_{\Omega}$ through the Cayley transform and obtain the inversion $z \mapsto z^{-1}$. We define $S_{\nu}^{(2)}$ such that

$$
S_{\nu}^{(2)} C_{\nu}=C_{\nu} S^{(1)}
$$

Hence, for a function $F$ on $T_{\Omega}$,

$$
S_{\nu}^{(2)} F(z)=\Delta(z)^{-\nu} F\left(z^{-1}\right) .
$$

Further $S_{\nu}^{(3)}$ is defined by the relation

$$
\mathcal{L}_{\nu} S_{\nu}^{(3)}=S_{\nu}^{(2)} \mathcal{L}_{\nu} .
$$

By a generalized theorem of Tricomi (Theorem XV.4.1 in [Faraut-Korányi,1994]), the unitary isomorphism $S_{\nu}^{(3)}$ of $L_{\nu}^{2}(\Omega)$ is the Hankel transform: $S_{\nu}^{(3)}=U_{\nu}$,

$$
U_{\nu} \psi(u)=\int_{\Omega} H_{\nu}(u, v) \psi(v) \Delta(v)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d v) .
$$

The kernel $H_{\nu}(u, v)$ has the following invariance property:

$$
H_{\nu}(g \cdot u, v)=H_{\nu}\left(u, g^{*} \cdot v\right) \quad(g \in G),
$$

and

$$
H_{\nu}(u, e)=\frac{1}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)} \mathcal{J}_{\nu}(u)
$$

where $\mathcal{J}_{\nu}$ is a multivariate Bessel function.
Finally we define $S_{\nu}^{(4)}$ acting on symmetric polynomials in $n$ variables such that

$$
S_{\nu}^{(4)} \mathcal{F}_{\nu}=\mathcal{F}_{\nu} S_{\nu}^{(3)} .
$$

Proposition 6.1. For a symmetric polynomial p,

$$
S_{\nu}^{(4)} p(\mathbf{s})=p(-\mathbf{s}) .
$$

Proof. We will evaluate the spherical Fourier transform $\mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(U_{\nu} \psi\right)$. By the invariance property, the kernel $H_{\nu}(u, v)$ can be written

$$
H_{\nu}(u, v)=h_{\nu}\left(P\left(v^{\frac{1}{2}}\right) u\right) \Delta(u)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \Delta(v)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}},
$$

with $h_{\nu}(u)=H_{\nu}(u, e) \Delta(u)^{\frac{\nu}{2}}$, and $P$ is the so-called quadratic representation of the Jordan algebra $V$. Let us compute first

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \int_{\Omega} H_{\nu}(u, v) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(u) \Delta(u)^{\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) \\
= & \Delta(v)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \int_{\Omega} h_{\nu}\left(P\left(v^{\frac{1}{2}}\right) u\right) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(u) \Delta(u)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
\end{aligned}
$$

By letting $P\left(v^{\frac{1}{2}}\right) u=u^{\prime}$, we get

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \int_{\Omega} H_{\nu}(u, v) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(u) \Delta(u)^{\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) \\
= & \Delta(v)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \int_{\Omega} h_{\nu}\left(u^{\prime}\right) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(P\left(v^{-\frac{1}{2}}\right) u^{\prime}\right) \Delta(u)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
\end{aligned}
$$

By using $K$-invariance, and the functional equation of the spherical function $\varphi_{\mathrm{s}}$ :

$$
\int_{K} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(P\left(v^{-\frac{1}{2}}\right) k u^{\prime}\right) d k=\varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(v^{-1}\right) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(u^{\prime}\right),
$$

we get

$$
\int_{\Omega} H_{\nu}(u, v) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(u) \Delta(u)^{\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u)=\varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(v^{-1}\right) \Delta(v)^{-\frac{\nu}{2}} \mathcal{F}\left(h_{\nu}\right)(\mathbf{s}) .
$$

Recall that $\varphi_{\mathbf{s}}\left(v^{-1}\right)=\varphi_{-\mathrm{s}}(v)$. We multiply both sides by $\psi(v)$ and get by integrating with respect to $v$ :

$$
\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right) \mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(U_{\nu} \psi\right)(\mathbf{s})=\mathcal{F} h_{\nu}(\mathbf{s}) \Gamma_{\Omega}\left(-\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right) \mathcal{F}_{\nu} \psi(-\mathbf{s})
$$

Consider the special case $\psi(u)=\Psi_{0}(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tru}}$. Since $U_{\nu} \Psi_{0}=\Psi_{0}$, and $\mathcal{F}_{\nu} \Psi_{0} \equiv 1$, we get

$$
\mathcal{F}\left(h_{\nu}\right)=\frac{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(-\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)} .
$$

Finally

$$
\mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(U_{\nu} \psi\right)(\mathbf{s})=\mathcal{F}_{\nu} \psi(-\mathbf{s}) .
$$

It follows that $S_{\nu}^{(4)} p(\mathbf{s})=p(-\mathbf{s})$.

## Corollary 6.2.

$$
Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(-\mathbf{s})=(-1)^{|\mathbf{m}|} Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu,-\theta)}(\mathbf{s})
$$

Proof. This relation follows from

$$
S^{(1)} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\theta)}=\Phi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\theta)}(-w)=(-1)^{|\mathbf{m}|} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(-\theta)}(w)
$$

which is easy to check, and Proposition 6.1.
The operator $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(i)}(i=1,2,3,4)$ can be written

$$
D_{\nu, \theta}^{(i)}=e^{i \theta} D_{\nu}^{(i,+)}+e^{-i \theta} D_{\nu}^{(i,-)} .
$$

For $i=1, D_{\nu}^{(1, \pm)}$ does not depend on $\nu, D_{\nu}^{(1, \pm)}=D^{(1, \pm)}$ :

$$
D^{(1,+)} f(w)=\langle w+e, \nabla f(w)\rangle, \quad D^{(1,-)} f(w)=\langle w-e, \nabla f(w)\rangle .
$$

Observe that

$$
D^{(1,-)}=S^{(1)} D^{(1,+)} S^{(1)}
$$

It follows that, for $i=2,3,4$,

$$
D_{\nu}^{(i,-)}=S_{\nu}^{(i)} D_{\nu}^{(i,+)} S_{\nu}^{(i)} .
$$

In next Section we will compute first $D_{\nu}^{(i,-)}$. The operator $D_{\nu}^{(i,+)}$ is then obtained by using the above relation. For $i=3$, we will use the following property of the Hankel transform

## Proposition 6.3.

$$
U_{\nu}(\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{v} \psi)=-\left(\left\langle\mathrm{u},\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathrm{u}}\right)^{2}\right\rangle+\nu \operatorname{tr}\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathrm{u}}\right)\right) \mathrm{U}_{\nu} \psi .
$$

This is a consequence of Proposition XV.2.3 in [Faraut-Korányi,1994].

## 7 Proof of Theorem 5.2

a) Recall that $D^{(1,-)}$ is the first order differential operator on the domain $\mathcal{D}$ given by

$$
D^{(1,-)} f(w)=\langle w-e, \nabla f(w)\rangle,
$$

and $D_{\nu}^{(2,-)}$ is the first order differential operator on the tube $T_{\Omega}$ such that

$$
D_{\nu}^{(2,-)} C_{\nu}=C_{\nu} D^{(1,-)} .
$$

## Lemma 7.1.

$$
D_{\nu}^{(2,-)} F(z)=-\langle z+e, \nabla F(z)\rangle-n \nu F(z) .
$$

Proof. Recall that, for a function $F$ on the tube $T_{\Omega}$,

$$
f(w)=\left(C_{\nu}^{-1} F\right)(w)=\Delta(e-w)^{-\nu} F(c(w)),
$$

where $c$ is the Cayley transform

$$
c(w)=(e+w)(e-w)^{-1}=2(e-w)^{-1}-e .
$$

Its differential is given by

$$
(D c)_{w}=2 P\left((e-w)^{-1}\right) .
$$

We get
$\left.\nabla f(w)=\nabla\left(\Delta(e-w)^{-\nu}\right) F(c(w))+\Delta(e-w)^{-\nu} 2 P(e-w)^{-1}\right)(\nabla F(c(w)))$.
By using

$$
\begin{aligned}
\nabla\left(\Delta(x)^{\alpha}\right) & =\alpha \Delta(x)^{\alpha} x^{-1}, \\
\left\langle e-w,(e-w)^{-1}\right\rangle & =n, \\
P\left((e-w)^{-1}\right)(e-w) & =(e-w)^{-1},
\end{aligned}
$$

we obtain

$$
\begin{aligned}
\langle w-e, \nabla f(w)\rangle & =\Delta(e-w)^{-\nu}\left(-n \nu F(c(w))+2\left\langle(w-e)^{-1}, \nabla F(c(w))\right\rangle\right) \\
& =\left(C_{\nu}^{-1} G\right)(z)
\end{aligned}
$$

with

$$
G(z)=-\langle z+e, \nabla F(z)\rangle-n \nu F(z) .
$$

b) Consider now the differential operator $D_{\nu}^{(3,-)}$ on the cone $\Omega$ such that

$$
\mathcal{L}_{\nu} D_{\nu}^{(3,-)}=D_{\nu}^{(2,-)} \mathcal{L}_{\nu} .
$$

Recall that the modified Laplace transform $\mathcal{L}_{\nu} \psi$ of a function $\psi$, defined on $\Omega$, is given by

$$
F(z)=\mathcal{L}_{\nu} \psi(z)=\frac{2^{n \nu}}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)} \int_{\Omega} e^{-(z \mid u)} \psi(u) \Delta(u)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
$$

## Lemma 7.2.

$$
D_{\nu}^{(3,-)} \psi(u)=\langle u, \nabla \psi(u)\rangle+\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{u} \psi(\mathrm{u}) .
$$

Proof. For $a \in V_{\mathbb{C}}$,

$$
\langle a, \nabla F(z)\rangle=\frac{2^{n \nu}}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)} \int_{\Omega} e^{-(z \mid u)}(-\langle a, u\rangle) \psi(u) \Delta(u)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
$$

Observe that

$$
(z \mid u) e^{-(z \mid u)}=\left\langle u, \nabla_{u}\right\rangle e^{-(z \mid u)} .
$$

Therefore

$$
\langle z, \nabla F(z)\rangle=\frac{2^{n \nu}}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)} \int_{\Omega}\left(-\left\langle u, \nabla_{u}\right\rangle e^{-(z \mid u)}\right) \psi(u) \Delta(u)^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
$$

An integration by parts gives

$$
=\frac{2^{n \nu}}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\nu)} \int_{\Omega} e^{-(z \mid u)}(\langle u, \nabla\rangle+n \nu) \psi(u) \Delta^{\nu-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
$$

Finally

$$
\left(D_{\nu}^{(2,-)} F\right)(z)=\mathcal{L}_{\nu}(\langle u, \nabla \psi\rangle+\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{u} \psi) .
$$

c) The operator $D_{\nu}^{(4,-)}$ acting on symmetric functions on $\mathbb{C}^{n}$ is such that

$$
D_{\nu}^{(4,-)} \mathcal{F}_{\nu}=\mathcal{F}_{\nu} D_{\nu}^{(3,-)} .
$$

Recall that the spherical Fourier transform $f=\mathcal{F}_{\nu} \psi$ of a function $\psi$, defined on $\Omega$, is given by

$$
f(\mathbf{s})=\left(\mathcal{F}_{\nu} \psi\right)(\mathbf{s})=\frac{1}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)} \int_{\Omega} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(u) \psi(u) \Delta(u)^{\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
$$

Proposition 7.3. The operator $D_{\nu}^{(4,-)}$ is the following difference operator: for a function $f$ on $\mathbb{C}^{n}$,

$$
D_{\nu}^{(4,-)} f(\mathbf{s})=\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1) \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s})\right)\left(f\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}\right)-f(\mathbf{s})\right) .
$$

Proof. We will compute $\mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(D_{\nu}^{(3,-)} \psi\right)=\mathcal{F}_{\nu}(\langle u, \nabla \psi\rangle+\operatorname{tr} u \psi)$. Consider first

$$
\mathcal{F}_{\nu}(\langle u, \nabla \psi\rangle)(\mathbf{s})=\frac{1}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)} \int_{\Omega}\langle u, \nabla \psi(u)\rangle \varphi_{\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}}(u) \Delta(u)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) .
$$

An integration by parts gives, since the function $\varphi_{\mathrm{s}}$ is homogeneous of degree $\sum_{j=1}^{n} s_{j}$ (observe that $\sum_{j=1}^{n} \rho_{j}=0$ ),

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =\frac{1}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)} \int_{\Omega} \psi(u)\left(-\left\langle u, \nabla_{u}\right\rangle \varphi_{\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}}(u)\right) \Delta(u)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) \\
& =\frac{1}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)} \int_{\Omega} \psi(u)\left(-\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}\right) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(u) \Delta(u)^{\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u)\right. \\
& =-\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}\right) \mathcal{F}_{\nu} \psi(\mathbf{s}) .
\end{aligned}
$$

Recall the Pieri's formula (Proposition 5.1):

$$
\operatorname{tru} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(\mathrm{u})=\sum_{\mathrm{j}=1}^{\mathrm{n}} \alpha_{\mathrm{j}}(\mathrm{~s}) \varphi_{\mathrm{s}+\varepsilon_{\mathrm{j}}}(\mathrm{u}) .
$$

Hence

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{F}_{\nu}(\operatorname{tr} \mathbf{u} \psi)(\mathbf{s}) \\
= & \frac{1}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)} \int_{\Omega} \psi(u)\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} \alpha(\mathbf{s}) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}}(u)\right) \Delta(u)^{\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) \\
= & \sum_{j=1}^{n} \frac{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)} \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s}) \\
& \frac{1}{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}+\rho\right)} \int_{\Omega} \psi(u) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}}(u) \Delta^{\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{N}{n}} m(d u) \\
= & \sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s}) \mathcal{F}_{\nu} \psi\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}\right) .
\end{aligned}
$$

Finally

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(D_{\nu}^{(3,-)} \psi\right)(\mathbf{s}) \\
= & \sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s}) f\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}\right)-\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}\right) f(\mathbf{s}),
\end{aligned}
$$

with $f=\mathcal{F}_{\nu}(\psi)$. From $D_{\nu}^{(3,-)} \Psi_{0}=0$ and $\mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(\Psi_{0}\right)=1$, we get

$$
\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s})=\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}\right) .
$$

Therefore

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{F}_{\nu}\left(D_{\nu}^{(3,-)} \psi\right)(\mathbf{s}) \\
= & \sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s})\left(f\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}\right)-f(\mathbf{s})\right) .
\end{aligned}
$$

We finish now the proof of Theorem 5.2. Recall that

$$
D_{\nu}^{(4,+)}=S_{\nu}^{(4)} D_{\nu}^{(4,-)} S_{\nu}^{(4)}, \quad \text { and } \quad S_{\nu}^{(4)} f(\mathbf{s})=f(-\mathbf{s})
$$

Therefore, by Proposition 7.3,

$$
D_{\nu}^{(4,+)} f(\mathbf{s})=\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(-s_{j}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(-\mathbf{s})\left(f\left(\mathbf{s}-\varepsilon_{j}\right)-f(\mathbf{s})\right) .
$$

We have establish the formula of Theorem 5.2 since

$$
D_{\nu, \theta}=D_{\nu, \theta}^{(4)}=e^{i \theta} D_{\nu}^{(4,+)}+e^{-i \theta} D_{\nu}^{(4,-)} .
$$

## 8 Differential equation for the Laguerre polynomials $L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}$

Theorem 8.1. The Laguerre polynomial $L=L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}$ is a solution of the differential equation

$$
\left\langle x,\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}\right)^{2}\right\rangle L+\left\langle\nu e-x,\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}\right)\right\rangle L+|\mathbf{m}| L=0 .
$$

Observe that, for $n=1$, this is the classical Laguerre differential equation for the ordinary Laguerre polynomial $y=L_{m}^{(\nu-1)}$ :

$$
x y^{\prime \prime}+(\nu-x) y^{\prime}+m y=0 .
$$

An equivalent formula is given in [Davidson-Ólafsson,2003], Theorem 6.1, and in [Aristidou et al.,2007], Theorem 6.3.

Proof. Recall the relation

$$
\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tr} u} L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}(2 u),
$$

and that

$$
D_{\nu, 0}^{(3)} \Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}=2|\mathbf{m}| \Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)} .
$$

Furthermore

$$
D_{\nu, 0}^{(3)}=D_{\nu}^{(3,+)}+D_{\nu}^{(3,-)}, \quad D_{\nu}^{(3,+)}=U_{\nu} D_{\nu}^{(3,-)} U_{\nu}
$$

where $U_{\nu}=S_{\nu}^{(3)}$ is the Hankel transform. By Proposition 7.2,

$$
D_{\nu}^{(3,-)} \psi=\langle u, \nabla \psi(u)\rangle+\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{u} \psi
$$

By using the relation

$$
U_{\nu}(\langle v, \nabla \psi\rangle)=-(\langle u, \nabla\rangle+n \nu) U_{\nu} \psi
$$

and Proposition 6.3 we obtain

$$
D_{\nu}^{(3,+)}=-\left(\left\langle u,\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial u}\right)^{2}\right\rangle+\nu \operatorname{tr}\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathrm{u}}\right)+\left\langle\mathrm{u},\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathrm{u}}\right)\right\rangle+\mathrm{n} \nu\right),
$$

and also

$$
\begin{aligned}
D_{\nu, 0}^{(3)} & =D_{\nu}^{(3,+)}+D_{\nu}^{(3,-)} \\
& =-\left\langle u,\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial u}\right)^{2}\right\rangle-\nu \operatorname{tr}\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathrm{u}}\right)+\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{u}-\mathrm{n} \nu .
\end{aligned}
$$

This formula and the relation

$$
\Psi_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu)}(u)=e^{-\operatorname{tr} u} L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}(2 u),
$$

gives Theorem 8.1.
A $K$-invariant function $f$ on $V$ only depends on the eigenvalues. Define

$$
F\left(x_{1}, \ldots, x_{n}\right)=f\left(x_{1} c_{1}+\cdots+x_{n} c_{n}\right),
$$

where $\left(c_{1}, \ldots, c_{n}\right)$ is a Jordan frame. Hence $F$ is a symmetric function on $\mathbb{R}^{n}$.

Corollary 8.2. The multivariate Laguerre polynomial $L_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu-1)}(x)=L\left(x_{1}, \ldots, x_{n}\right)$ is solution of the following equation

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i} \frac{\partial^{2} L}{\partial x_{i}^{2}}+d \sum_{i<j} \frac{1}{x_{i}-x_{j}}\left(x_{i} \frac{\partial L}{\partial x_{i}}-x_{j} \frac{\partial L}{\partial x_{j}}\right) \\
& +\sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(\nu-\frac{d}{2}(n-1)-x_{i}\right) \frac{\partial L}{\partial x_{i}}+|\mathbf{m}| L=0 .
\end{aligned}
$$

This is essentially the differential operator (2.1b) in [Baker-Forrester, 1997].

One follows the same lines as in the proof of Proposition VI.4.2 in [FarautKorányi,1994].

## 9 Pieri's formula for the Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{\mathrm{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$

Theorem 9.1. The Meixner-Pollaczek polynomials $Q_{m}^{\nu, \theta)}$ satisfy the following Pieri's formula:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& (2|\mathbf{s}| \cos \theta-2 i|2 \mathbf{m}+\nu| \sin \theta) Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s}) \\
= & \sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(m_{j}+\nu-1-\frac{d}{4}(j-1)\right) \alpha_{j}\left(\mathbf{m}-\varepsilon_{j}-\rho\right) d_{\mathbf{m}-\varepsilon_{j}} Q_{\mathbf{m}-\varepsilon_{j}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s}) \\
& -\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(m_{j}+1+\frac{d}{4}(n-j)\right) \alpha_{j}\left(-\mathbf{m}-\varepsilon_{j}-\rho\right) d_{\mathbf{m}+\varepsilon_{j}} Q_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(\mathbf{s}) .
\end{aligned}
$$

Proof. The generating formula (Theorem 3.1 (ii)), with $\mathbf{s}=\mathbf{m}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\rho$ can be written:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{\mathbf{k}} d_{\mathbf{k}} Q_{\mathbf{k}}^{(\nu, \theta)}\left(\mathbf{m}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\rho\right) \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(w) \\
= & \Delta\left(e+e^{-i \theta} w\right)^{-\nu} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\left(\left(e-e^{i \theta} w\right)\left(e+e^{-i \theta} w\right)^{-1}\right) .
\end{aligned}
$$

Since

$$
\begin{aligned}
& F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}\left(e^{-i \theta} w\right) \\
= & 2^{n \nu} \Delta\left(e+e^{-i \theta} w\right)^{-\nu}(-1)^{|\mathbf{m}|} e^{-i|\mathbf{m}| \theta} \Phi_{\mathbf{m}}\left(\left(e-e^{i \theta} w\right)\left(e+e^{-i \theta} w\right)^{-1}\right),
\end{aligned}
$$

we obtain

$$
\sum_{\mathbf{k}} Q_{\mathbf{k}}^{(\nu, \theta)}\left(\mathbf{m}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\rho\right) e^{i|\mathbf{k}| \theta} \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(w)=2^{-n \nu}(-1)^{|\mathbf{m}|} e^{i|\mathbf{m}| \theta} F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(w)
$$

Recall that the function $F_{\mathrm{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}$ is an eigenfunction of the differential operator $D_{\nu, \theta}^{(2)}$ :

$$
D_{\nu, \theta}^{(2)} F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(w)=2|\mathbf{m}| \cos \theta F_{\mathbf{m}}^{(\nu, \theta)}(w) .
$$

It follows that

$$
\begin{align*}
& \sum_{\mathbf{k}} d_{\mathbf{k}} Q_{\mathbf{k}}^{(\nu, \theta)}\left(\mathbf{m}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\rho\right) e^{i \mathbf{k} \mid \theta} D_{\nu, \theta}^{(2)} \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(w) \\
= & 2|\mathbf{m}| \cos \theta \sum_{\mathbf{k}} d_{\mathbf{k}} Q_{\mathbf{k}}^{(\nu, \theta)}\left(\mathbf{m}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\rho\right) \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(w) . \tag{9.1}
\end{align*}
$$

Lemma 9.2. (i)

$$
\operatorname{tr}\left(\nabla \varphi_{\mathrm{s}}(\mathrm{z})\right)=\sum_{\mathrm{j}=1}^{\mathrm{n}}\left(\mathrm{~s}_{\mathrm{j}}+\frac{\mathrm{d}}{4}(\mathrm{n}-1)\right) \alpha_{\mathrm{j}}(-\mathrm{s}) \varphi_{\mathrm{s}-\varepsilon_{\mathrm{j}}}(\mathrm{z}) .
$$

(ii)

$$
\begin{aligned}
& D_{\nu, \theta}^{(2)} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(z) \\
= & e^{i \theta}\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)+\nu\right) \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s}) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}}(z)+\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} s_{j}\right) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(z)\right) \\
& -e^{-i \theta}\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(-\mathbf{s}) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}-\varepsilon_{j}}(z)+\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} s_{j}\right) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(z)+n \nu \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(z)\right) .
\end{aligned}
$$

((i) is in agreement with Lassalle's results [1998], p.321, first line of (14.1).)

Proof. (i) For $t>0$ we consider the following Laplace integral:

$$
\int_{\Omega} e^{-(x \mid y)} e^{-t \operatorname{try}} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(y) \Delta(y)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d y)=\Gamma_{\Omega}(\mathbf{s}+\rho) \varphi_{-\mathbf{s}}(t e+x) .
$$

Taking the derivatives with respect to t for $t=0$, one gets:

$$
-\int_{\Omega} e^{-(x \mid y)} \operatorname{try} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(\mathrm{y}) \Delta(\mathrm{y})^{-\frac{\mathrm{N}}{\mathrm{n}}} \mathrm{~m}(\mathrm{dy})=\Gamma_{\Omega}(\mathbf{s}+\rho) \operatorname{tr}\left(\nabla \varphi_{-\mathbf{s}}(\mathrm{x})\right)
$$

By using Proposition 5.1:

$$
\operatorname{tr} \mathrm{y} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(\mathrm{y})=\sum_{\mathrm{j}=1}^{\mathrm{n}} \alpha_{\mathrm{j}}(\mathbf{s}) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{\mathrm{j}}}(\mathrm{y})
$$

and since

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{j=1}^{n} \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s}) \int_{\Omega} e^{-(x \mid y)} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}}(y) \Delta(y)^{-\frac{N}{n}} m(d y) \\
= & \sum_{j=1}^{n} \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s}) \Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}+\rho\right) \varphi_{-\mathbf{s}-\varepsilon_{j}}(x),
\end{aligned}
$$

one obtains

$$
\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{tr}\left(\nabla \varphi_{-\mathbf{s}}(\mathrm{x})\right) & =-\sum_{j=1}^{n} \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s}) \frac{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}+\rho\right)}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\mathbf{s}+\rho)} \varphi_{-\mathbf{s}-\varepsilon_{j}}(x) \\
& =-\sum_{j=1}^{n} \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{s})\left(s_{j}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \varphi_{-\mathbf{s}-\varepsilon_{j}}(x)
\end{aligned}
$$

or

$$
\operatorname{tr}\left(\nabla \varphi_{\mathrm{s}}(\mathrm{x})\right)=\sum_{\mathrm{j}=1}^{\mathrm{n}} \alpha_{\mathrm{j}}(-\mathrm{s})\left(\mathrm{s}_{\mathrm{j}}+\frac{\mathrm{d}}{4}(\mathrm{n}-1)\right) \varphi_{\mathrm{s}-\varepsilon_{\mathrm{j}}}(\mathrm{x}) .
$$

In fact the explicit formula for $\Gamma_{\Omega}$,

$$
\Gamma_{\Omega}(\mathbf{s}+\rho)=(2 \pi)^{N-n} \prod_{j=1}^{n} \Gamma\left(s_{j}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right),
$$

gives

$$
\frac{\Gamma_{\Omega}\left(\mathbf{s}+\varepsilon_{j}+\rho\right)}{\Gamma_{\Omega}(\mathbf{s}+\rho)}=\frac{\Gamma\left(s_{j}+1-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right)}{\Gamma\left(s_{j}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right)}=s_{j}-\frac{d}{4}(n-1) .
$$

(ii) Recall that

$$
D_{\nu}^{(2,-)} F(z)=-\langle z+e, \nabla F(z)\rangle-n \nu F(z) .
$$

From (i) we obtain

$$
D_{\nu}^{(2,-)} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(z)=\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(s_{j}+\frac{d}{4}(n-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(-\mathbf{s}) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}-\varepsilon_{j}}(z)-\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n} s_{j}+n \nu\right) \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(z) .
$$

By using $D_{\nu}^{(2,+)}=S_{\nu}^{(2)} D_{\nu}^{(2,-)} S_{\nu}^{(2)}$ and $S_{\nu}^{(2)} \varphi_{\mathbf{s}}(z)=\varphi_{-\mathrm{s}-\nu}(z)$, we get (ii).
We continue the proof of Theorem 9.1. Let us write (ii) of Lemma 9.2 with $\mathbf{s}=\mathbf{k}-\rho$ :

$$
\begin{aligned}
& D_{\nu, k}^{(2)} \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(w) \\
= & e^{i \theta}\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(k_{j}+\nu-\frac{d}{2}(j-1)\right) \alpha_{j}(\mathbf{k}-\rho) \Phi_{\mathbf{k}+\varepsilon_{j}}(w)+|\mathbf{k}| \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(w)\right) \\
& -e^{-i \theta}\left(\sum_{j=1}^{n}\left(k_{j}+\frac{d}{2}(n-j)\right) \alpha_{j}(-\mathbf{k}+\rho) \Phi_{\mathbf{k}-\varepsilon_{j}}(w)+(|\mathbf{k}|+n \nu) \Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(w)\right) .
\end{aligned}
$$

(Observe that $\sum_{j=1}^{n} \rho_{j}=0$.) Now, equaling the coefficient of $\Phi_{\mathbf{k}}(z)$ in both sides of (9.1), we obtain the formula of Theorem 9.1 for all $\mathbf{s}=\mathbf{m}+\frac{\nu}{2}-\rho$. Since both sides are polynomial functions in $\mathbf{s}$, the equality holds for every s.

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