

Degenerate generalized q -Euler polynomials

Taekyun Kim

*Department of Mathematics,
Kwangwoon University,
Seoul 139-701, Republic of Korea.
E-mail: tkkim@kw.ac.kr*

Jin-Woo Park¹

*Department of Mathematics education,
Daegu University, Gyeongsan, 712-714, Korea.
E-mail: a0417001@knu.ac.kr*

Jong-Jin Seo

*Department of Applied Mathematics,
Pukyong National University,
Pusan, Republic of Korea.
E-mail: seo2011@pknu.ac.kr*

Abstract

In this paper, we consider degenerate generalized q -Euler polynomials arising from p -adic fermionic q -integral on \mathbb{Z}_p and give some identities of these polynomials.

AMS subject classification: 05A10, 05A19.

Keywords:

1. Introduction

Let p be a fixed odd prime number. Throughout this paper, \mathbb{Z}_p , \mathbb{Q}_p and \mathbb{C}_p will, respectively, denote the ring of p -adic rational integers, the field of p -adic rational numbers and the completion of the algebraic closure of \mathbb{Q}_p . Let v_p be the normalized exponential valuation of \mathbb{C}_p with $|p|_p = p^{-v_p(p)} = \frac{1}{p}$.

¹Corresponding author.

Let q be an indeterminate in \mathbb{C}_p such that $|q - 1|_p < p^{-\frac{1}{p-1}}$. The q -analogue of number x is defined as $[x]_q = \frac{1 - q^x}{1 - q}$. Note that $\lim_{q \rightarrow 1} [x]_q = x$.

Let $f(x)$ be a continuous function on \mathbb{Z}_p . Then the p -adic fermionic q -integral on \mathbb{Z}_p is defined by Kim to be

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x) d\mu_{-q}(x) &= \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{x=0}^{p^N-1} f(x) \mu_{-q}(x + p^N \mathbb{Z}_p) \\ &= \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1+q}{1+q^{p^N}} \sum_{x=0}^{p^N-1} f(x) (-q)^x \\ &= \frac{[2]_q}{2} \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{x=0}^{p^N-1} f(x) (-1)^x q^x, \text{ (see [4]).} \end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

Thus, by (1.1), we get

$$q \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x + 1) d\mu_{-q}(x) + \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x) d\mu_{-q}(x) = [2]_q f(0), \tag{1.2}$$

and

$$q^n \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x + n) d\mu_{-q}(x) + (-1)^{n-1} \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x) d\mu_{-q}(x) = [2]_q \sum_{l=0}^{n-1} f(l) q^l (-1)^{n-1-l}, \tag{1.3}$$

where $n \in \mathbb{N}$ (see [2-7]).

It is known that the q -Euler polynomials are given by the generating function to be

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} e^{(x+y)t} d\mu_{-q}(y) = \frac{[2]_q}{qe^t + 1} e^{xt} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} E_{n,q}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \tag{1.4}$$

When $x = 0$, $E_{n,q} = E_{n,q}(0)$ are called q -Euler numbers (see [8]).

Recently, degenerate q -Euler polynomials are introduced by he generating function to be

$$\frac{[2]_q}{q(1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} + 1} (1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{x}{\lambda}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{n,q,\lambda}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \text{ (see [4]).} \tag{1.5}$$

Note that $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \mathcal{E}_{n,q,\lambda}(x) = E_{n,q}(x)$, ($n \geq 0$), (see [1]).

For $d \in \mathbb{N}$ with $d \equiv (\text{mod } 2)$ and $(d, p) = 1$, we set

$$X = \varprojlim_{\mathbb{N}} \mathbb{Z}/dp^N \mathbb{Z}, \quad X^* = \bigcup_{0 < a < dp, a \not\equiv p} (a + dp\mathbb{Z}_p),$$

and

$$a + dp^N \mathbb{Z}_p = \{x \in X \mid x \equiv a \pmod{dp^N}\},$$

where $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ with $0 \leq a < dp^N - 1$.

For $d \in \mathbb{N}$ with $d \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$, let us assume that χ is a Dirichlet character with conductor d . Now, we consider the generalized q -Euler polynomials attached to χ which are given by the generating function to be

$$\begin{aligned} \int_X \chi(y)e^{(x+y)t} d\mu_{-q}(y) &= \left(\frac{[2]_q}{q^d e^{dt} + 1} \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} q^a (-1)^a \chi(a) e^{at} \right) e^{xt} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} E_{n,q,\chi}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \quad (\text{see [4-6, 8]}). \end{aligned} \tag{1.6}$$

When $x = 0$, $E_{n,q,\chi} = E_{n,q,\chi}(0)$ are called *generalized q -Euler numbers attached to χ* .

In the viewpoint of (1.6), we consider degenerate generalized q -Euler polynomials which are derived from the fermionic q -integral on \mathbb{Z}_p . The purpose of this paper is to investigate some properties and identities of degenerate generalized q -Euler polynomials.

2. Degenerate generalized q -Euler polynomials

In this section, we assume that $\lambda, t \in \mathbb{C}_p$ with $|\lambda t|_p < p^{-\frac{1}{p-1}}$. For $d \in \mathbb{N}$ with $d \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$, let χ be a Dirichlet's character with conductor d .

In the viewpoint of (1.6), we consider degenerate generalized q -Euler polynomials which are given by the generating function to be

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_X \chi(y)(1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{x+y}{\lambda}} d\mu_{-q}(y) \\ &= \left(\frac{[2]_q}{q^d (1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{d}{\lambda}} + 1} \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} q^a (-1)^a \chi(a) (1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{a}{\lambda}} \right) (1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{x}{\lambda}} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \end{aligned} \tag{2.1}$$

where $d \in \mathbb{N}$ with $d \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$.

From (1.5) and (2.1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!} &= \left(\frac{[2]_q}{q^d(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{d}{\lambda}} + 1} \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} q^a (-1)^a \chi(a) (1+\lambda t)^{\frac{a+x}{\lambda}} \right) \\ &= \frac{[2]_q}{[2]_{q^d}} \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} q^a (-1)^a \chi(a) \left(\frac{[2]_{q^d}}{q^d(1+\lambda t)^{\frac{d}{\lambda}} + 1} (1+\lambda t)^{\frac{d}{\lambda} \frac{a+x}{d}} \right) \quad (2.2) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{[2]_q}{[2]_{q^d}} \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} q^a (-1)^a \chi(a) \mathcal{E}_{n,q^d,\frac{\lambda}{d}} \left(\frac{a+x}{d} \right) \frac{d^n t^n}{n!} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Thus, by (2.2), we get

$$\mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) = \frac{d^n [2]_q}{[2]_{q^d}} \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} q^a (-1)^a \chi(a) \mathcal{E}_{n,q^d,\frac{\lambda}{d}} \left(\frac{a+x}{d} \right), \quad (n \geq 0). \quad (2.3)$$

Therefore, by (2.3), we obtain the following theorem.

Theorem 2.1. For $d \in \mathbb{N}$ with $d \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$, $n \geq 0$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) &= \int_X \chi(y) (x+y|\lambda)_n d\mu_{-q}(y) \\ &= \frac{[2]_q}{[2]_{q^d}} d^n \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} \chi(a) q^a (-1)^a \mathcal{E}_{n,q^d,\frac{\lambda}{d}} \left(\frac{a+x}{d} \right), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} (x|\lambda)_n &= x(x-\lambda) \cdots (x-\lambda(n-1)) \\ &= \lambda^n \left(\frac{x}{\lambda} \right)_n. \end{aligned}$$

For $n \geq 0$, we observe that

$$\begin{aligned} (x+y|\lambda)_n &= \lambda^n \left(\frac{x+y}{\lambda} \right)_n = \lambda^n \sum_{l=0}^n S_1(n,l) \left(\frac{x+y}{\lambda} \right)^l \\ &= \sum_{l=0}^n S_1(n,l) \lambda^{n-l} (x+y)^l. \end{aligned} \quad (2.4)$$

By (2.4), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_X \chi(y) (x+y|\lambda)_n d\mu_{-q}(y) &= \sum_{l=0}^n S_1(n,l) \lambda^{n-l} \int_X \chi(y) (x+y)^l d\mu_{-q}(y) \\ &= \sum_{l=0}^n S_1(n,l) \lambda^{n-l} E_{l,q,\chi}(x), \quad (n \geq 0), \end{aligned} \quad (2.5)$$

where $S_1(n, l)$ is the Stirling number of the first kind. Therefore, by (2.5), we obtain the following theorem.

Theorem 2.2. For $n \geq 0$, we have

$$\mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) = \sum_{l=0}^n S_1(n, l)\lambda^{n-l} E_{l,q,\chi}(x).$$

By replacing t by $\frac{1}{\lambda}(e^{\lambda t} - 1)$ in (2.1), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_X \chi(y)e^{(x+y)t} d\mu_{-q}(y) &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{m,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) \frac{1}{m!} \left(\frac{1}{\lambda}(e^{\lambda t} - 1)\right)^m \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{m,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) \lambda^{-m} \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} S_2(n, m) \frac{\lambda^n}{n!} t^n \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{m=0}^n \lambda^{n-m} S_2(n, m) \mathcal{E}_{m,\chi,q,\lambda}(x)\right) \frac{t^n}{n!}, \end{aligned} \tag{2.6}$$

where $S_2(n, m)$ is the Stirling number of the second kind.

From (1.6), we note that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_X \chi(y)e^{(x+y)t} d\mu_{-q}(y) &= \left(\frac{[2]_q}{q^d e^{dt} + 1}\right) \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} q^a (-1)^a \chi(a) e^{(a+x)t} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} E_{n,q,\chi}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.7}$$

Therefore, by (2.6) and (2.7), we obtain the following theorem.

Theorem 2.3. For $n \geq 0$, we have

$$E_{n,q,\chi}(x) = \sum_{m=0}^n \lambda^{n-m} S_2(n, m) \mathcal{E}_{m,\chi,q,\lambda}(x).$$

Let $d \in \mathbb{N}$ with $d \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$. From (1.3), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & q^d \int_X (x + d|\lambda)_n \chi(x) d\mu_{-q}(x) + \int_X (x|\lambda)_n \chi(x) d\mu_{-q}(x) \\ &= [2]_q \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} \chi(a) q^a (-1)^a (a|\lambda)_n, \quad (n \geq 0). \end{aligned} \tag{2.8}$$

Therefore, by Theorem 2.1 and (2.8), we obtain the following theorem.

Theorem 2.4. For $d \in \mathbb{N}$ with $d \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$, $n \geq 0$, we have

$$q^d \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(d) + \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda} = [2]_q \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} \chi(a) q^a (-1)^a (a|\lambda)_n,$$

where $\mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda} = \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(0)$ are called *degenerate generalized q -Euler numbers attached to χ* .

Now, we observe that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) \frac{t^n}{n!} &= \left(\frac{[2]_q \sum_{a=0}^{d-1} q^a (-1)^a \chi(a) (1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{a}{\lambda}}}{q^d (1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{d}{\lambda}} + 1} \right) (1 + \lambda t)^{\frac{x}{\lambda}} \\ &= \left(\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{m,\chi,q,\lambda} \frac{t^m}{m!} \right) \left(\sum_{l=0}^{\infty} (x|\lambda)_l \frac{t^l}{l!} \right) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{m=0}^n \binom{n}{m} \mathcal{E}_{m,\chi,q,\lambda}(x|\lambda)_{n-m} \right) \frac{t^n}{n!}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.9}$$

Thus, by comparing the coefficients on the both sides, we obtain the following theorem.

Theorem 2.5. For $n \geq 0$, we have

$$\mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) = \sum_{m=0}^n \binom{n}{m} \mathcal{E}_{m,\chi,q,\lambda}(x|\lambda)_{n-m}.$$

Now, we observe that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(-1)^n}{n!} \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda} &= \frac{(-1)^n}{n!} \int_X \chi(x) (x|\lambda)_n d\mu_{-q}(x) \\ &= \lambda^n \int_X \binom{-\frac{x}{\lambda} + n - 1}{n} \chi(x) d\mu_{-q}(x) \\ &= \lambda^n \sum_{l=0}^n \binom{n-1}{l-1} \frac{(-1)^l}{\lambda^l l!} \int_X \chi(x) (x|-\lambda)_l d\mu_{-q}(x) \\ &= \sum_{l=0}^n \binom{n-1}{l-1} \lambda^{n-l} (-1)^l \frac{1}{l!} \mathcal{E}_{l,\chi,q,-\lambda} \\ &= \sum_{l=1}^n \binom{n-1}{l-1} \lambda^{n-l} (-1)^l \frac{\mathcal{E}_{l,\chi,q,-\lambda}}{l!}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.10}$$

Therefore, by (2.10), we obtain the following theorem.

Theorem 2.6. For $n \geq 0$, we have

$$\frac{(-1)^n}{n!} \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda} = \sum_{l=1}^n \binom{n-1}{l-1} \lambda^{n-l} (-1)^l \frac{\mathcal{E}_{l,\chi,q,-\lambda}}{l!}.$$

Note that

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \mathcal{E}_{n,\chi,q,\lambda}(x) = E_{n,q,\chi}(x), \quad (n \geq 0).$$

References

- [1] L. Carlitz, *Degenerate Stirling, Bernoulli and Eulerian numbers*, Util. Math., **15** (1979), 51–88.
- [2] D. V. Dolgy, D. S. Kim, T. Kim and J. J. Seo, *q -analogues of Boole polynomials*, Global J. Pure Appl. Math., **11** (2015), no. 4, 2323–2333.
- [3] T. Kim, *Some identities on the q -Euler polynomials of higher-order and q -Stirling numbers by the fermionic p -adic integral on \mathbb{Z}_p* , Russ. J. Math. Phys., **16** (2009), 484–491.
- [4] T. Kim, D. S. Kim and D. V. Dolgy *Degenerate q -Euler polynomials*, Adv. Difference Equ., **2015** (2015), 13662.
- [5] D. S. Kim, T. Kim, D. V. Dolgy and T. Komatsu, *Barnes-type degenerate Bernoulli polynomials*, Adv. Stud. Contemp. Math., **25** (2015), 121–146.
- [6] Q. M. Luo and F. Qi, *Relationship between generalized Bernoulli numbers and polynomials and generalized Euler numbers and polynomials*, Adv. Stud. Contemp. Math., **7** (2003), 11–18.
- [7] S. H. Rim and J. Jeong, *On the modified q -Euler numbers of higher-order with weight*, Adv. Stud. Contemp. Math., **22** (2012), 93–98.
- [8] E. Sen, *Theorems on Apostol-Euler polynomials of higher-order arising from Euler basis*, Adv. Stud. Contemp. Math., **23** (2013), 337–345.

