

TRANSLATION-INVARIANT p -ADIC INTEGRAL ON \mathbb{Z}_p

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we treat the some formulas to be related an invariant p -adic integral on \mathbb{Z}_p . As an application of an invariant p -adic integral on \mathbb{Z}_p , we give the formulas for sums of products of the analogue of Bernoulli numbers to be defined by an invariant p -adic integral on \mathbb{Z}_p .

1. INTRODUCTION

Throughout this paper \mathbb{Z} , \mathbb{Z}_p , \mathbb{Q}_p , and Ω_p will be denoted by the ring of rational integers, 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 , respectively.

Let v_p be the normalized exponential valuation of Ω_p with $|p|_p = p^{-v_p(p)} = p^{-1}$.

When one talks of q -extensions, q can be variously considered as an indeterminate, a complex number $q \in \mathbb{C}$, or a p -adic number $q \in \Omega_p$.

We use the notation

$$[x] = [x : q] = \frac{1 - q^x}{1 - q}.$$

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Hence,

$$\lim_{q \rightarrow 1} [x : q] = x$$

for any x with $|x|_p \leq 1$ in the present p -adic case. Let d be a fixed integer and let p be a fixed prime number. We set

$$X = \varprojlim (\mathbb{Z}/dp^N\mathbb{Z}), \quad X^* = \bigcup_{0 < a < dp} a + dp\mathbb{Z}_p \text{ and}$$

$$a + dp^N\mathbb{Z}_p = \{x \in X | x \equiv a \pmod{dp^N}\}, \text{ where } a \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ with } 0 \leq a < dp^N.$$

For any positive integer N ,

$$\mu_q(x + dp^N\mathbb{Z}_p) = \frac{q^x}{[dp^N]} = \frac{q^x}{[dp^N : q]}$$

can be extended to a distribution on X , (cf.[5]).

Let $UD(\mathbb{Z}_p, \Omega_p)$ denote the space of all uniformly differentiable functions on \mathbb{Z}_p .

For $f \in UD(\mathbb{Z}_p, \Omega_p)$, this distribution yields an integral in the case $d = 1$,

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x) d\mu_q(x) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{x=0}^{p^N-1} f(x) \frac{q^x}{[p^N]} = I_q(f)$$

, which has a sense as we see readily that the limit is convergent.

Recently, K.Dilcher has studied the formulas for sums of products of the form $\sum \binom{2n}{2j_1, \dots, 2j_N} B_{2j_1} \cdots B_{2j_N}$, (cf.[1]), and I.C.Huang also have studied the generalized formulas for sums of products of Bernoulli numbers, (cf.[2]). Later, T.Kim found formulas for sums of products of any number of Carlitz's q -Bernoulli numbers, (cf.[5]).

In this paper, we treat the some formulas to be related an invariant

p -adic integral on \mathbb{Z}_p and give the formulas for sums of products of the analogue of Bernoulli numbers.

2. AN INVARIANT INTEGRAL ON \mathbb{Z}_p

By using an invariant integral on \mathbb{Z}_p , we consider the following numbers:

For $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+ = \{\text{the set of positive integers}\}$,

$$B_{n,q} = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} x^n d\mu_q(x).$$

Indeed, these numbers are analogue of Bernoulli numbers. So, we call these numbers an analogue of Bernoulli numbers.

Let $G(t)$ be the generating functions of the above analogue of Bernoulli numbers, that is , $G(t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{B_{n,q}}{n!} t^n$.

Proposition 2.1. *For $q \in \Omega_p$ with $|1 - q|_p < 1$, we have*

$$\mu_q(x) = q^x \mu_0(x),$$

where $\mu_0(x + p^N \mathbb{Z}_p) = \frac{1}{p^N}$.

Proof. It is not difficult to prove proposition 2.1. □

By using proposition 2.1, we obtain the following:

Proposition 2.2. (1) *For $q \in \Omega_p$ with $|1 - q|_p < 1$, we have*

$$G(t) = \frac{t + \log q}{qe^t - 1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{B_{n,q}}{n!} t^n.$$

(2) *For $q \in \Omega_p$ with $|1 - q|_p > 1$, we obtain*

$$G(t) = \frac{q-1}{qe^t - 1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{B_{n,q}}{n!} t^n.$$

Proof. It is well known that

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x+1)d\mu_0(x) = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} f(x)d\mu_0(x) + f'(0), \text{ (cf.[3])}$$

By the definition of the above analogue of Bernoulli numbers, $B_{n,q}$,

we easily see:

$$B_{n,q} = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} x^n d\mu_q(x) = \int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} q^x x^n d\mu_0(x).$$

To prove (1), it is sufficient to show that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{q^x e^{xt} - 1}{x} = t + \log q$.

Indeed,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{q^x e^{xt} - 1}{x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^x \binom{x}{n} (q-1)^n e^{xt} - 1 \right\} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} \left\{ e^{xt} - 1 + \sum_{n=1}^x \binom{x}{n} (q-1)^n e^{xt} \right\} \\ &= t + \sum_{n=1}^x \frac{1}{n} \binom{-1}{n-1} (q-1)^n \\ &= t + \log q. \end{aligned}$$

The proof of (2) is trivial, (cf. [3], [10]). □

For each $q_j \in \Omega_p$ ($j \in \mathbb{Z}^+$), let μ_{q_j} be the p -adic distribution on \mathbb{Z}_p , and let $\mu_q = \prod_{1 \leq j \leq r} \mu_{q_j}$ be the product measure on the product space $\mathbb{Z}_p^r = \mathbb{Z}_p \times \cdots \times \mathbb{Z}_p$.

Corollary 2.3. For $q_j \in \Omega_p(\forall j)$, we have

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} \exp(xt) d\mu_{q_j}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{t + \log q_j}{q_j e^t - 1} & \text{if } |1 - q_j|_p < 1, \\ \frac{q_j - 1}{q_j e^t - 1} & \text{if } |1 - q_j|_p > 1. \end{cases}$$

Let $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_r)$ be variables on \mathbb{Z}_p^r , and let t_1, t_2, \dots, t_r be the p -adic variables with sufficiently small absolute values so that $\exp(x_1 t_1 + \cdots + x_r t_r)$ converges for any $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_r) \in \mathbb{Z}_p^r$.

By the property of μ_q , we can obtain the following :

Lemma 2.4. For $r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, we have

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^r} \exp(x_1 t_1 + \cdots + x_r t_r) d\mu_q(x) = \begin{cases} \prod_{1 \leq j \leq r} \frac{t_j + \log q_j}{q_j e^{t_j} - 1} & \text{if } |1 - q_j|_p < 1, \\ \prod_{1 \leq j \leq r} \frac{q_j - 1}{q_j e^{t_j} - 1} & \text{if } |1 - q_j|_p > 1. \end{cases}$$

By Lemma 2.4, we obtain the following theorem:

Theorem 2.5. Let $m_1, m_2, \dots, m_r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_r) \in \mathbb{Z}_p^r$.

- (1) For $q_j (\forall j)$ with $|1 - q_j| < 1$, $\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^r} \prod_{l=1}^r y_l^{m_l} d\mu_q(y)$ is the coefficient of $\frac{t_1^{m_1}}{m_1!} \frac{t_2^{m_2}}{m_2!} \cdots \frac{t_r^{m_r}}{m_r!}$ in the Laurent expansion of $\prod_{1 \leq j \leq r} \frac{t_j + \log q_j}{q_j e^{t_j} - 1}$.
- (2) For $q_j (\forall j)$ with $|1 - q_j| > 1$, $\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^r} \prod_{l=1}^r y_l^{m_l} d\mu_q(y)$ is the coefficient of $\frac{t_1^{m_1}}{m_1!} \frac{t_2^{m_2}}{m_2!} \cdots \frac{t_r^{m_r}}{m_r!}$ in the Laurent expansion of $\prod_{1 \leq j \leq r} \frac{q_j - 1}{q_j e^{t_j} - 1}$.

Proof. Theorem 2.5 is proved by Lemma 2.4. □

The Theorem 2.5 is very useful for doing study p -adic multiple gamma functions, and is an answer to a part of question in [7].

Corollary 2.6. For each $c_i \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, we have

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p^r} x_1^{m_1} \cdots x_r^{m_r} d\mu_q(x) = \lim_{n_1, \dots, n_r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sum_{1 \leq j \leq r} \sum_{0 \leq x_j \leq c_j p^{n_j}} \prod_{j=1}^r q^{x_j} x_j^{m_j}}{[c_1 p^{n_1}] [c_2 p^{n_2}] \cdots [c_r p^{n_r}]},$$

(see [7]).

In general, many mathematicians have studied the properties to be related Bernoulli numbers of high order, (see [1], [2], [5], [9], [10], [11]).

We would like to define an analogue of Bernoulli numbers of high order by using p -adic q -integral on \mathbb{Z}_p .

Definition 2.7. Define an analogue of Bernoulli numbers with order $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ as follows:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{B_{n,q}^{(k)}}{n!} t^n = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{t+\log q}{qe^t-1}\right)^k & \text{if } |1-q|_p < 1, \\ \left(\frac{q-1}{qe^t-1}\right)^k & \text{if } |1-q|_p > 1. \end{cases}$$

Recently, the sums of products of Bernoulli numbers of high order have been studied by I.C.Huang and K.Dicher, (cf. [1], [2]). In particular, we give the formulas for sums of products of the analogue of Bernoulli numbers of high order.

Corollary 2.8. *For $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, we obtain*

$$B_{n,q}^{(k)} = \sum_{n=a_1+a_2+\dots+a_k} \binom{n}{a_1, \dots, a_k} B_{a_1,q} B_{a_2,q} \cdots B_{a_k,q},$$

where $\binom{n}{a_1, \dots, a_k}$ is multinomial.

Remark. The above formula is the same result of I.C. Huang ([2]) and K. Dilcher ([1]), corresponding to the case $q = 1$.

3. APPLICATIONS

For $u \in \Omega_p$ with $|1-u|_p \geq 1$, the Euler numbers are defined by $\frac{1-u}{e^t-u} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{H_n(u)}{n!} t^n$, (cf. [3], [10]).

Let $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ with $0 \leq a \leq dp^n - 1$, $n \geq 0$. Then the p -adic Euler measure on \mathbb{Z}_p was defined by K.Shiratani as follows :

$$E_u(a + dp^n) = \frac{u^{dp^n-a}}{1-u^{dp^n}}, \quad (\text{cf.}[10]).$$

This measure yields a p -adic Eulerian integral :

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} x^n dE_u(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{x=0}^{p^n-1} x^n \frac{u^{p^n-x}}{1-u^{p^n}}.$$

Thus we have

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}_p} x^n dE_u(x) = \frac{u}{1-u} H_n(u),$$

for $n \geq 0$, (cf. [10]).

For $q (\neq 1) \in \Omega_p$ with $|1 - q|_p < 1$, we define the analogue Bernoulli numbers as follows :

$$\frac{\log q + t}{qe^t - 1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} B_{n,q} \frac{t^n}{n!}.$$

Note that

$$\lim_{q \rightarrow 1} B_{n,q} = B_n,$$

where B_n are the ordinary Bernoulli numbers.

Let C_{p^n} be the cyclic group with order p^n and let $T_p = \varprojlim C_{p^n}$. Indeed, T_p is the set of local constant. For $q (\neq 1) \in T_p$, the analogue of Bernoulli numbers was defined in [3] as follows:

$$\frac{t}{qe^t - 1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta_n}{n!} t^n.$$

Thus our analogue of Bernoulli numbers have the following properties

:

If $q \in \Omega_p$ with $|1 - q|_p > 1$, then $B_{n,q} = H_n(q^{-1})$.

If $q \in T_p$, then $B_{n,q} = \beta_n$.

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