

## 5f. Relations for normalized Hermite functions

See Table 2.4

Normalized Hermite functions for symbolic computation

(**Hermn** defined in 5e denotes the explicit function, here **hermn** is defined for symbolic manipulation)

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In[ ]:= Clear[hermn, xi, hermsub, dif]
dif[aa_ + bb_] := dif[aa] + dif[bb]
dif[ff_aa_] := ff dif[aa] /; FreeQ[ff, hermn]
hermsub[x_] := Module[{xx}, xx = Expand[x /. hermrel];
  xx //. hermrel // Simplify]
hermrel = {dif[hermn[ell_, k_] =>
  Sqrt[4 Pi Abs[ell]] (Sqrt[k/2] hermn[ell, k - 1] - Sqrt[(k + 1)/2] hermn[ell, k + 1]),
  xi hermn[ell_, k_] => (4 Pi Abs[ell])^(-1/2)
  (Sqrt[k/2] hermn[ell, k - 1] + Sqrt[(k + 1)/2] hermn[ell, k + 1]),
  xi^n_ hermn[ell_, k_] => xi^(n - 1) (4 Pi Abs[ell])^(-1/2)
  (Sqrt[k/2] hermn[ell, k - 1] + Sqrt[(k + 1)/2] hermn[ell, k + 1])};
```

Check of relations for some values

```
In[ ]:= Clear[rel]
rel[k_] = dif[hermn[ell, k]] // hermsub
Do[Print[k, " ",
  D[Hermn[ell, k, xi], xi] == rel[k] /. hermn[el_, m_] => Hermn[el, m, xi] // Simplify], {k, 0, 5}]
```

Out[ ]:=  $\sqrt{2\pi} \sqrt{\text{Abs}[\text{ell}]} \left( \sqrt{k} \text{hermn}[\text{ell}, -1+k] - \sqrt{1+k} \text{hermn}[\text{ell}, 1+k] \right)$

0 True

1 True

2 True

3 True

4 True

5 True

```
In[ ]:= Clear[rel]
rel[k_] = xi hermn[ell, k] // hermsub
Do[Print[k, " ",
  xi Hermn[ell, k, xi] == rel[k] /. hermn[el_, m_] => Hermn[el, m, xi] // Simplify], {k, 0, 5}]
```

Out[ ]:= 
$$\frac{\sqrt{k} \text{hermn}[\text{ell}, -1+k] + \sqrt{1+k} \text{hermn}[\text{ell}, 1+k]}{2 \sqrt{2\pi} \sqrt{\text{Abs}[\text{ell}]}}$$

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0 True
1 True
2 True
3 True
4 True
5 True

```

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In[ ]:= Clear[rel]
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rel[k_] = xi ^ 2 hermn[ell, k] // hermsub
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```
Do[Print[k, " "],
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xi ^ 2 Hermn[ell, k, xi] == rel[k] /. hermn[el_, m_] -> Hermn[el, m, xi] // Simplify], {k, 0, 5}]
```

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Out[ ]:= 
$$\frac{1}{8 \pi \text{Abs}[ell]} \left( \sqrt{-1+k} \sqrt{k} \text{hermn}[ell, -2+k] + \right.$$


$$\left. \text{hermn}[ell, k] + 2 k \text{hermn}[ell, k] + \sqrt{1+k} \sqrt{2+k} \text{hermn}[ell, 2+k] \right)$$

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0 True
1 True
2 True
3 True
4 True
5 True

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This gives confidence that we use the right relations.