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## FURTHER PROPERTIES OF K-FUNCTIONS IN CALCULUS

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### Abstract:

Recently, the K-functions have been proposed by Sun et al; see [1] for details. This paper intends to do more in-depth research and derivation on the characteristics of the K-functions.

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### Introduction:

As we know, there are many special functions in engineering and academia. With the research of more and more scholars on these special functions, various engineering applications are derived and created; see [1]-[8] and the references therein. In particular, the K-functions of the first type and the second type have been proposed and studied recently; see [1] for details. This paper will focus on such K-functions, exploring its various properties in differential and definite integral. Throughout this paper, some symbols are defined as follows:  $N := \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ ,  $Z^+ := \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ ,

$$P_m^n := \frac{n!}{(n-m)!}, \text{ and } 0! := 1.$$

### Problem formulation and main results

The definition of the K-functions is as follows

**Definition 1**[1]. The first type of K-functions is defined by

$$K_1(x, n) := x^n \cos x, \text{ with } n \in Z^+. \quad (1)$$

Besides, the second type of K-functions is defined by

$$K_2(x, n) := x^n \sin x, \text{ with } n \in \mathbb{Z}^+. \tag{2}$$

The related theorems about K-functions in indefinite integral are introduced as follows.

**Lemma 1[1].**

$$(i) \int K_1(x, 4k) dx = \sum_{i=0}^k P_{4i}^{4k} x^{4k-4i} \sin x + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (P_{4i+1}^{4k} x^{4k-4i-1} \cos x - P_{4i+2}^{4k} x^{4k-4i-2} \sin x - P_{4i+3}^{4k} x^{4k-4i-3} \cos x) + C, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+,$$

$$(ii) \int K_1(x, 4k + 1) dx = \sum_{i=0}^k (P_{4i}^{4k+1} x^{4k-4i+1} \sin x + P_{4i+1}^{4k+1} x^{4k-4i} \cos x) - \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (P_{4i+2}^{4k+1} x^{4k-4i-1} \sin x + P_{4i+3}^{4k+1} x^{4k-4i-2} \cos x) + C, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+,$$

$$(iii) \int K_1(x, 4k + 2) dx = \sum_{i=0}^k (P_{4i}^{4k+2} x^{4k-4i+2} \sin x + P_{4i+1}^{4k+2} x^{4k-4i+1} \cos x - P_{4i+2}^{4k+2} x^{4k-4i} \sin x) - \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} P_{4i+3}^{4k+2} x^{4k-4i-1} \cos x + C, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+,$$

$$(iv) \int K_1(x, 4k + 3) dx = \sum_{i=0}^k (P_{4i}^{4k+3} x^{4k-4i+3} \sin x + P_{4i+1}^{4k+3} x^{4k-4i+2} \cos x - P_{4i+2}^{4k+3} x^{4k-4i+1} \sin x - P_{4i+3}^{4k+3} x^{4k-4i} \cos x) + C, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+,$$

$$(v) \int K_2(x, 4k) dx = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (P_{4i+1}^{4k} x^{4k-4i-1} \sin x + P_{4i+2}^{4k} x^{4k-4i-2} \cos x - P_{4i+3}^{4k} x^{4k-4i-3} \sin x) - \sum_{i=0}^k P_{4i}^{4k} x^{4k-4i} \cos x + C, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+,$$

$$(vi) \int K_2(x, 4k + 1) dx = \sum_{i=0}^k (-P_{4i}^{4k+1} x^{4k-4i+1} \cos x + P_{4i+1}^{4k+1} x^{4k-4i} \sin x) + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (P_{4i+2}^{4k+1} x^{4k-4i-1} \cos x - P_{4i+3}^{4k+1} x^{4k-4i-2} \sin x) + C, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+,$$

$$(vii) \int K_2(x, 4k+2) dx = \sum_{i=0}^k \left( -P_{4i}^{4k+2} x^{4k-4i+2} \cos x + P_{4i+1}^{4k+2} x^{4k-4i+1} \sin x + P_{4i+2}^{4k+2} x^{4k-4i} \cos x \right) - \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} P_{4i+3}^{4k+2} x^{4k-4i-1} \sin x + C, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+,$$

$$(viii) \int K_2(x, 4k+3) dx = \sum_{i=0}^k \left( -P_{4i}^{4k+3} x^{4k-4i+3} \cos x + P_{4i+1}^{4k+3} x^{4k-4i+2} \sin x + P_{4i+2}^{4k+3} x^{4k-4i+1} \cos x - P_{4i+3}^{4k+3} x^{4k-4i} \sin x \right) + C, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+.$$

First, we propose novel properties of the K-functions.

**Theorem 1.**

- (i)  $\frac{d}{dx} \begin{bmatrix} K_1(x, n) \\ K_2(x, n) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} K_1(x, n) \\ K_2(x, n) \end{bmatrix} + n \begin{bmatrix} K_1(x, n-1) \\ K_2(x, n-1) \end{bmatrix}, \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N};$
- (ii)  $\left[ \frac{dK_1(x, n)}{dx} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{dK_2(x, n)}{dx} \right]^2 = x^{2n-2} (n^2 + x^2), \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+;$
- (iii)  $\left[ \frac{d^2 K_1(x, n)}{dx^2} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{d^2 K_2(x, n)}{dx^2} \right]^2 = x^{2n-4} [x^4 + (2n^2 + 2n)x^2 + n^2(n-1)^2], \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+.$

**Proof.** (i) and (ii)

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dK_1(x, n)}{dx} = nx^{n-1} \cos x - x^n \sin x, \\ \frac{dK_2(x, n)}{dx} = nx^{n-1} \sin x + x^n \cos x. \end{cases}$$

Thus, one has  $\frac{d}{dx} \begin{bmatrix} K_1(x, n) \\ K_2(x, n) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} K_1(x, n) \\ K_2(x, n) \end{bmatrix} + n \begin{bmatrix} K_1(x, n-1) \\ K_2(x, n-1) \end{bmatrix}$  and

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[ \frac{dK_1(x, n)}{dx} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{dK_2(x, n)}{dx} \right]^2 \\ &= (nx^{n-1} \cos x - x^n \sin x)^2 + (nx^{n-1} \sin x + x^n \cos x)^2 \\ &= n^2 x^{2n-2} \cos^2 x + x^{2n} \sin^2 x + n^2 x^{2n-2} \sin^2 x + x^{2n} \cos^2 x \\ &= n^2 x^{2n-2} + x^{2n} \\ &= x^{2n-2} (n^2 + x^2). \end{aligned}$$

$$(iii) \begin{cases} \frac{d^2 K_1(x, n)}{dx^2} = n(n-1)x^{n-2} \cos x - 2nx^{n-1} \sin x - x^n \cos x; \\ \frac{d^2 K_2(x, n)}{dx^2} = n(n-1)x^{n-2} \sin x + 2nx^{n-1} \cos x - x^n \sin x. \end{cases}$$

Obviously, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[ \frac{d^2 K_1(x, n)}{dx^2} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{d^2 K_2(x, n)}{dx^2} \right]^2 \\ &= n^2(n-1)^2 x^{2n-4} + 4n^2 x^{2n-2} + x^{2n} - 2n(n-1)x^{2n-2} \\ &= x^{2n-4} [x^4 + (2n^2 + 2n)x^2 + n^2(n-1)^2] \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. □

So far, we propose related theorem about definite integrals of K-functions of the first type.

**Theorem 2.** For any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , one has

$$(i) \int_0^{m\pi} x^{2k} \cos x \, dx = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^{i+m} P_{2i+1}^{2k} (m\pi)^{2k-2i-1},$$

$$(ii) \int_0^{m\pi} x^{2k+1} \cos x \, dx = [(-1)^{k+m} - (-1)^k] \cdot P_{2k+1}^{2k+1} + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^{i+m} P_{2i+1}^{2k+1} (m\pi)^{2k-2i},$$

$$(iii) \int_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} x^{2k} \cos x \, dx = \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+m+1} P_{2i}^{2k} \left[ \frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2} \right]^{2k-2i},$$

$$(iv) \int_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} x^{2k+1} \cos x \, dx = (-1)^{k+1} \cdot P_{2k+1}^{2k+1} + \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+m+1} P_{2i}^{2k+1} \left[ \frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2} \right]^{2k-2i+1}.$$

**Proof.**

(i)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{m\pi} x^{2k} \cos x \, dx &= \left[ \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^i P_{2i+1}^{2k} \cdot x^{2k-2i-1} \right] \cdot \cos x \Big|_0^{m\pi} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^{i+m} P_{2i+1}^{2k} (m\pi)^{2k-2i-1}, \end{aligned}$$

in view of (i) and (iii) of Lemma 1.

(ii) By (ii) and (iv) of Lemma 1, it results

$$\int_0^{m\pi} x^{2k+1} \cos x \, dx = \left[ (-1)^k \cdot P_{2k+1}^{2k+1} \cdot \cos x \right]_0^{m\pi} + \left[ \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^i \cdot P_{2i+1}^{2k+1} \cdot x^{2k-2i} \cdot \cos x \right]_0^{m\pi}$$

$$= \left[ (-1)^{k+m} - (-1)^k \right] \cdot P_{2k+1}^{2k+1} + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^{i+m} \cdot P_{2i+1}^{2k+1} \cdot (m\pi)^{2k-2i}.$$

(iii) Owing (i) and (iii) of Lemma 1, we have

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} x^{2k} \cos x \, dx = \left[ \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^i P_{2i}^{2k} \cdot x^{2k-2i} \cdot \sin x \right]_{x=\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}}$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+m+1} \cdot P_{2i}^{2k} \cdot \left[ \frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2} \right]^{2k-2i}.$$

(iv) It yields

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} x^{2k+1} \cos x \, dx = -(-1)^k \cdot P_{2k+1}^{2k+1} + \left[ \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^i P_{2i}^{2k+1} \cdot x^{2k-2i+1} \cdot \sin x \right]_{x=\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}}$$

$$= (-1)^{k+1} \cdot P_{2k+1}^{2k+1} + \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+m+1} P_{2i}^{2k+1} \left[ \frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2} \right]^{2k-2i+1},$$

in view of (ii) and (iv) of Lemma 1. This completes the proof.

Finally, we propose related theorem about definite integrals of K-functions of the second type.

**Theorem 3.** For any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , one has

(i)  $\int_0^{m\pi} x^{2k} \sin x \, dx = (-1)^k \cdot P_{2k}^{2k} + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^{i+m+1} \cdot P_{2i}^{2k} \cdot (m\pi)^{2k-2i},$

(ii)  $\int_0^{m\pi} x^{2k+1} \sin x \, dx = \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+m+1} \cdot P_{2i}^{2k+1} \cdot (m\pi)^{2k-2i+1},$

(iii)  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} x^{2k} \sin x \, dx = (-1)^k \cdot P_{2k}^{2k} + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^{i+m+1} \cdot P_{2i+1}^{2k} \cdot \left[ \frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2} \right]^{2k-2i-1},$



$$(iv) \int_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} x^{2k+1} \sin x \, dx = \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+m+1} \cdot P_{2i+1}^{2k+1} \cdot \left[ \frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2} \right]^{2k-2i}.$$

**Proof.**

(i)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{m\pi} x^{2k} \sin x \, dx &= \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+1} \cdot P_{2i}^{2k} \cdot x^{2k-2i} \cdot \cos x \Big|_0^{m\pi} \\ &= (-1)^k \cdot P_{2k}^{2k} + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^{i+m+1} \cdot P_{2i}^{2k} \cdot (m\pi)^{2k-2i}, \end{aligned}$$

in view of (v) and (vii) of Lemma 1.

(ii) From (vi) and (viii) of Lemma 1, it results

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{m\pi} x^{2k+1} \sin x \, dx &= \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+1} \cdot P_{2i}^{2k+1} \cdot x^{2k-2i+1} \cdot \cos x \Big|_0^{m\pi} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+m+1} \cdot P_{2i}^{2k+1} \cdot (m\pi)^{2k-2i+1}. \end{aligned}$$

(iii) Owing (v) and (vii) of Lemma 1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} x^{2k} \sin x \, dx &= \left[ \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+1} \cdot P_{2i}^{2k} \cdot x^{2k-2i} \cdot \cos x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} \\ &\quad + \left[ \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^i \cdot P_{2i+1}^{2k} \cdot x^{2k-2i-1} \cdot \sin x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} \\ &= (-1)^k \cdot P_{2k}^{2k} + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (-1)^{i+m+1} \cdot P_{2i+1}^{2k} \cdot \left[ \frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2} \right]^{2k-2i-1}. \end{aligned}$$

(iv) It yields

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} x^{2k+1} \sin x \, dx &= \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^i \cdot P_{2i+1}^{2k+1} \cdot x^{2k-2i} \cdot \sin x \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2}} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{i+m+1} \cdot P_{2i+1}^{2k+1} \cdot \left[ \frac{\pi(2m-1)}{2} \right]^{2k-2i}, \end{aligned}$$

in view of (vi) and (viii) of Lemma 1. This completes the proof.  $\square$

**Examples:** According to the results of Theorem 2 and Theorem 3, the following eight definite integrals can be easily obtained.

$$\int_0^{\pi} x^6 \cos x \, dx = -P_1^6 \pi^5 + P_3^6 \pi^3 - P_5^6 \pi = -6\pi^5 + 120\pi^3 - 720\pi$$

$$\int_0^{\pi} x^7 \cos x \, dx = 2P_7^7 - P_1^7 \pi^6 + P_3^7 \pi^4 - P_5^7 \pi^2 = 10080 - 7\pi^6 + 210\pi^4 - 2520\pi^2$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x^6 \cos x \, dx = P_0^6 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^6 - P_2^6 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^4 + P_4^6 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2 - P_6^6 = \frac{\pi^6}{64} - \frac{15\pi^4}{8} + 90\pi^2 - 720$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x^7 \cos x \, dx &= P_7^7 + P_0^7 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^7 - P_2^7 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^5 + P_4^7 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^3 - P_6^7 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \\ &= 5040 + \frac{\pi^7}{128} - \frac{21\pi^5}{16} + 105\pi^3 - 2520\pi \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_0^{\pi} x^6 \sin x \, dx = -P_6^6 + P_0^6 \pi^6 - P_2^6 \pi^4 + P_4^6 \pi^2 = -720 + \pi^6 - 30\pi^4 + 360\pi^2$$

$$\int_0^{\pi} x^7 \sin x \, dx = P_0^7 \pi^7 - P_2^7 \pi^5 + P_4^7 \pi^3 - P_6^7 \pi = \pi^7 - 42\pi^5 + 840\pi^3 - 5040\pi$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x^6 \sin x \, dx = -P_6^6 + P_1^6 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^5 - P_3^6 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^3 + P_5^6 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -720 + \frac{3\pi^5}{16} - 15\pi^3 + 360\pi$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x^7 \sin x \, dx = P_1^7 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^6 - P_3^7 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^4 + P_5^7 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2 - P_7^7 = \frac{7\pi^6}{64} - \frac{105\pi^4}{8} + 630\pi^2 - 5040$$

**Conclusion:**

In this paper, we have explored the relevant properties of the K-functions, and derive the differential equations and definite integral properties of the K-functions respectively. Finally, examples have also been given to verify the feasibility and effectiveness of the proposed main results.

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