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## On quadrature formulas of Gauss-Turán and Gauss-Turán-Stancu type<sup>1</sup>

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#### Abstract

In this paper we study the quadrature formulas of Gauss-Turán and Gauss-Turán-Stancu type, the determination of the nodes and the coefficients using the *s*-orthogonal and  $\sigma$ -orthogonal polynomials.

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### 1 Introduction

Let  $\mathbb{P}_m$  be the set of all algebraic polynomials of degree at most m. In 1950 P.Turán [17] was studied numerical quadratures of the form :

(1) 
$$\int_{-1}^{1} f(x) dx = \sum_{k=1}^{n} \sum_{\nu=0}^{s-1} A_{k,\nu} f^{(\nu)}(x_k) + R_{n,s}(f),$$

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where the nodes  $-1 \leq x_1 < \cdots < x_n \leq 1$  are arbitrary,  $A_{k,\nu} = \int_{-1}^{1} l_{k,\nu}(x) dx$ ,  $(k = \overline{1, n} ; \nu = \overline{0, s - 1})$  and  $l_{k,\nu}(x)$  are the fundamental polynomials of Hermite interpolation. The formula (1) is exact for any  $f \in \mathbb{P}_{sn-1}$ .

One raise the problem to determine, if it is possible the nodes  $\{x_i, i = \overline{1,n}\}$  so that the quadrature formula is exact for all  $f \in \mathbb{P}_{(s+1)n-1}$ . Turán showed that the nodes must have odd multiplicities to obtain an increase of degree of exactness and these nodes must be the zeros of the monic polynomial  $\pi_n^*(x) = x^n + a_{n-1}x^{n-1} + \cdots + a_1x + a_0$ , which minimizes the value of the integral  $\int_{-1}^1 [\pi_n(x)]^{s+1} dx$ .

If one consider the odd orders of multiplicity of the nodes to be 2s + 1then one obtain the *Gauss-Turán* type quadrature formula :

(2) 
$$\int_{a}^{b} f(x)d\lambda(x) = \sum_{k=1}^{n} \sum_{\nu=0}^{2s} A_{k,\nu}f^{(\nu)}(x_{k}) + R_{n,2s}(f),$$

where  $d\lambda(x)$  is a nonnegative measure on the interval (a, b) which can be the real axis  $\mathbb{R}$ , with compact or infinite support for which all moments:  $\mu_k = \int_a^b x^k d\lambda(x), \ k = 0, 1, \dots$ , exists, are finite, and  $\mu_0 > 0$ .

If the nodes  $\{x_k, k = \overline{1, n}\}$  in (2) are chosen the zeros of the *monic* polynomial  $\pi_{n,s} = \pi_{n,s}(x)$  which minimizes the integral.

(3) 
$$F(a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}) = \int_a^b [\pi_n(x)]^{2s+2} d\lambda(x),$$

then the formula (2) is exact for all polynomials of degree at most 2(s+1)n-1, that is,  $R_{n,2s}(f) = 0$ ,  $\forall f \in \mathbb{P}_{2(s+1)n-1}$ . The condition (3) is equivalent with the following conditions:

(4) 
$$\int_{a}^{b} [\pi_{n}(x)]^{2s+1} x^{k} d\lambda(x) = 0, \ (k = \overline{0, n-1}).$$

Let denote,  $\pi_{n,s}(x)$  by  $P_{n,s}(x)$ . The case  $d\lambda(x) = w(x)dx$  on [a, b] has been studied by *Osscini* and *Ghizzetti*.

# 2 The construction of GAUSS-TURÁN Quadrature Formulas by using s-Orthogonal and $\sigma$ -Orthogonal Polynomials

In order to numerically construct the *s*-orthogonal polynomials with respect to the measure  $d\lambda(x)$ , one can use the orthogonality conditions (4). Let *n* and *s* be given, and the measure :  $d\mu(x) = d\mu_{n,s}(x) = (\pi_n(x))^{2s} d\lambda(x)$ . Then the orthogonality conditions can be written as:  $\int_a^b \pi_k^{n,s}(x) t^{\nu} d\mu(x) = 0$ , ( $\nu = \overline{0, k-1}$ ), where  $\{\pi_k^{n,s}\}_{k\in\mathbb{N}}$  is a sequence of *monic* orthogonal polynomials with respect to the new measure  $d\mu(x)$ .

So, the polynomials  $\pi_k^{n,s}$ , which we will denote by  $\pi_k = \pi_k(x)$  satisfies a three-term recurrence relation of the form :

(5) 
$$\pi_{k+1}(x) = (x - \alpha_k)\pi_k(x) - \beta_k\pi_{k-1}(x),$$

where  $\pi_{-1}(x) = 0$ ,  $\pi_0(x) = 1$ , and we have from the orthogonality property:  $\beta_0 = \int_a^b d\mu(x)$ , (6)  $\alpha_k = \frac{\langle x\pi_k, \pi_k \rangle}{\langle \pi_k, \pi_k \rangle} = \frac{\int_a^b x\pi_k^2(x)d\mu(x)}{\int_a^b \pi_k^2(x)d\mu(x)}, \ \beta_k = \frac{\langle \pi_k, \pi_k \rangle}{\langle \pi_{k-1}, \pi_{k-1} \rangle} = \frac{\int_a^b \pi_k^2(x)d\mu(x)}{\int_a^b \pi_{k-1}^2(x)d\mu(x)}.$ 

One can calculate the coefficients  $\alpha_k, \beta_k$ ,  $(k = \overline{0, n-1})$ , and are obtained the first n+1 orthogonal polynomials  $\pi_0, \pi_1, \ldots, \pi_n$ , and let denote

them by  $P_{n,s} = \pi_n^s$ .

Let define the function on the Euclidian space  $\mathbf{R}^n$ 

(7) 
$$\Phi(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \int_a^b (x - x_1)^{2s+2} \dots (x - x_n)^{2s+2} d\lambda(x).$$

If  $d\lambda(x)$  is a positive measure, it was proven that this function is continuous and positive. Then the function  $\Phi(x_1, \ldots, x_n)$  has an lower bound  $\mu_0$  and this value is attained for  $a < x_1 < \cdots < x_n < b$  (see [8] T.Popoviciu).

Let consider the polynomial  $P_{n,s}^{2s+2}(x) = \prod_{k=1}^{n} (x-x_k)^{2s+2}$  with the zeros  $a < x_1 < \cdots < x_n < b$ .

Then the function  $\Phi(x_1, \ldots, x_n)$  have a relative minimum point and we have:  $-\frac{1}{2s+2}\frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial x_k} = I(P_k) = 0$ , where  $P_k(x) = \frac{P_{n,s}^{2s+2}(x)}{x-x_k}$ . Then one must have:

$$\int_{a}^{b} P_{n,s}^{2s+1} l_k(x) d\lambda(x) = 0, \ k = \overline{1,n} \ , \ \text{where} \ l_k(x), \ k = \overline{1,n}$$

are the Lagrange's fundamental interpolation polynomials corresponding to the nodes :  $x_1, \ldots, x_n$ , which are linearly independent. Thus, one obtain that the polynomial  $P_{n,s}^{2s+1}$  satisfies the orthogonality conditions :

$$\int_{a}^{b} \left[ P_{n,s}(x) \right]^{2s+1} x^{k} d\lambda(x) = 0, \ k = \overline{0, n-1}.$$

From the condition to have a relative minimum we obtain:

$$\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial x_k} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial x_k \partial x_j} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial x_k^2} > 0, \quad k, j = \overline{1, n} \ , \ k \neq j.$$

It was showed that the remainder in (2) can be expressed as

(8) 
$$R(f) = \frac{f^{(N)}(\xi)}{N!} \int_{a}^{b} P_{n,s}^{2s+2} d\lambda(x), \ N = 2(s+1)n.$$

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Now, we consider the following expression of the remainder in the quadrature formula (2)  $R(f; d\lambda) = \int_a^b U(x)D(f; x)d\lambda(x)$ , where

$$u(x) = \prod_{k=1}^{n} (x - x_k)^{2s+1}, \ U(x) = u(x)(x - x_1) \dots (x - x_n) = \prod_{k=1}^{n} (x - x_k)^{2s+2}$$
  
and  $D(f; x) = \begin{bmatrix} x, & x_1, & x_2, & \dots & x_n; & f \\ 1 & 2s+1 & 2s+1 & \dots & 2s+1 \end{bmatrix}.$ 

If  $f \in C^{N}(a, b)$ , by using the *Peano's Theorem*, then the remainder can be expressed as  $R[f] = \int_{a}^{b} K_{N}(t) f^{(N)}(t) d\lambda(t)$ , with N = 2(s+1)n, where the *Peano's Kernel* have the expression :

 $K_N(t) = R_x \left[\frac{(x-t)_+^{N-1}}{(N-1)!}\right]$ , which is a spline function of degree N-1 with the interpolation points in the nodes of the quadrature formula and the compact support [a, b]. Then we have:

(9) 
$$K_N(t) = \int_a^b \frac{(x-t)_+^{N-1}}{(N-1)!} d\lambda(t) - \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{\nu=0}^{2s} (N-1)^{[\nu]} \frac{(x_k-t)_+^{N-\nu-1}}{(N-1)!}.$$

Let  $n \in \mathbf{N}$ ,  $\sigma = (s_1, \ldots, s_n)$  be a sequence of nonnegative integers, and the nodes  $x_k$  ordered, say  $a \le x_1 < x_2 < \cdots < x_n \le b$ , with odd multiplicities  $2s_1 + 1, \ldots, 2s_n + 1$ , respectively.

A generalization of the quadrature formula of *Gauss-Turán* type was given independently by *Chakalov* [2] and *T.Popoviciu*, [8], for the nodes  $x_k$ with different multiplicities  $2s_k + 1$ ,  $k = \overline{1, n}$  of the following form

(10) 
$$\int_{a}^{b} f(x)d\lambda(x) = \sum_{k=1}^{n} \sum_{\nu=0}^{2s_{k}} A_{k,\nu}f^{(\nu)}(x_{k}) + R(f),$$

which have  $d_{max} = 2 \sum_{k=1}^{n} s_k + 2n - 1$ , if and only if

(11) 
$$\int_{a}^{b} \prod_{\nu=1}^{n} (x - x_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu}+1} x^{k} d\lambda(x) = 0, \ k = \overline{0, n-1}.$$

The conditions (11) defines a sequence of polynomials  $\{\pi_{n,\sigma}\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}_0}, \pi_{n,\sigma}(x) = \prod_{k=1}^n (x-x_k)$ , such that  $\int_a^b \pi_{k,\sigma}(x) \prod_{\nu=1}^n (x-x_\nu)^{2s_\nu+1} d\lambda(x) = 0$ ,  $k = \overline{0, n-1}$ . These polynomials are called  $\sigma$ -orthogonal polynomials and they corre-

sponds to the sequence  $\sigma = (s_1, s_2, \ldots, s_n)$  of nonnegative integers.

**Definition 1** The polynomials  $P_{n,\sigma}(x) = \prod_{\nu=1}^{n} (x - x_{\nu}^{n,\sigma})$  are called  $\sigma$ -orthogonal, if they satisfies the orthogonality conditions  $\int_{a}^{b} P_{n,\sigma}(x) x^{j} w_{n,\sigma}(x) dx = 0, j = \overline{0, n-1}$ , with respect to the weight  $w_{n,\sigma}(x) = w(x) \prod_{\nu=1}^{n} (x - x_{\nu}^{n,\sigma})^{2s_{\nu}}$ .

It can be proved that the  $\sigma$ -orthogonal polynomial  $P_{n,\sigma}$  can be obtained by the minimization of the integral  $\int_a^b w(x) \prod_{\nu=1}^n (x-x_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu}+2} dx$ .

If we consider the vector of multiplicity orders  $\sigma = (2s+1, 2s+1, \dots, 2s+1)$ , then the above polynomials reduces to the *s*-orthogonal polynomials.

Let consider the *Lagrange-Hermite* interpolation polynomial

(12) 
$$(L_H f)(x) = L \begin{pmatrix} x_k, & \gamma_j, & x; & f \\ 2s_k + 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

on the nodes  $x_k$  with the multiplicities  $2s_k + 1$ ,  $k = \overline{1, n}$  and we apply the parameters method of D.D. Stancu.

Then  $L_H f$  can be expressed in the following form

(13)  

$$(L_H f)(x) = v(x)L_H \begin{pmatrix} x_k, & x; & f_1 \\ 2s_k + 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + u(x)L_H \begin{pmatrix} \gamma_j, & x; & f_2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ where}$$

$$u(x) = (x - x_1)^{2s_1 + 1} (x - x_2)^{2s_2 + 1} \dots (x - x_n)^{2s_n + 1}, \ v(x) = (x - \gamma_1) (x - \gamma_2) \dots (x - \gamma_n)$$

$$f_1(x) = f(x)/v(x), \quad f_2(x) = f(x)/u(x).$$

Note that v(x) is the polynomial of undetermined nodes. Then we have the following interpolation formula

(14) 
$$f(x) = (L_H f)(x) + (rf)(x)$$
, where

(15)

$$(rf)(x) = u(x)v(x) \begin{bmatrix} x_1, & \dots, & x_n, & \gamma_1, & \dots, & \gamma_n & x; & f \\ 2s_1 + 1, & \dots, & 2s_n + 1 & 1, & \dots, & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

By multiplying the Lagrange-Hermite formula (13) with the weight function w = w(x) and by integrating on (a, b) with respect to the measure  $d\lambda(x) = w(x)dx$ , we obtain the quadrature formula

(16) 
$$I(w; f) = Q(f) + G(f) + R(f),$$

where R(f) = I(w, rf), and

(17) 
$$G(f) = \sum_{j=1}^{n} B_j f(\gamma_j).$$

One can observe that in (15), the divided difference which appears have the order  $N + 1 = 2 \sum_{k=1}^{n} s_k + 2n = 2S + 2n$ , where  $S = \sum_{k=1}^{n} s_k$ .

Thus, the degree of exactness of (16) is N = 2S + 2n - 1.

**Remark 1** One must determine the nodes  $x_k$ ,  $k = \overline{1, n}$  with the multiplicities  $2s_k + 1$ ,  $(k = \overline{1, n})$ , so that  $B_1 = \cdots = B_n = 0$ , for any values of the parameters  $\gamma_j$ ,  $j = \overline{1, n}$ , and it is necessary and sufficient that (18)

$$\int_{a}^{b} \prod_{\nu=1}^{n} (x - x_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu} + 1} x^{k} d\lambda(x) = 0, \ k = \overline{0, n - 1}, \ where \ d\lambda(x) = w(x) dx.$$

One can prove that the system (18) with the unknowns  $x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_n$ has at least a solution with distinct values. If  $f \in C^{N+1}(a, b)$ , then the expression for the remainder will be  $R(f) = f^{(2S+2n)}(\xi)K_{2S+2n}$ , where

$$K_{2S+2n} = \frac{1}{(2S+2n)!} I(w; U_{2S+2n}), \ U_{2S+2n} = \prod_{k=1}^{n} (x-x_k)^{2s_k+2}$$

#### a) The determination of the Gaussian nodes

Let denote  $\tau_k := x_k$  the nodes of the quadrature (10), and  $\{p_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}_0}$ , let be a sequence of orthonormal polynomials with respect to the measure,  $d\lambda(t)$ on  $\mathbb{R}$ . Then, these polynomials satisfy the three-term recurrence relation

(19) 
$$\sqrt{\beta_{j+1}} p_{j+1}(t) + \alpha_j p_j(t) + \sqrt{\beta_j} p_{j-1}(t) = t p_j(t), \ j = 0, 1, \dots,$$

where  $p_{-1}(t) = 0$ ,  $p_0(t) = 1/\sqrt{\beta_0}$ ,  $\beta_0 = \mu_0 = \int_a^b d\lambda(t)$ . For a given sequence  $\sigma = (s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n)$ , the orthogonality conditions (18) can be written as

(20) 
$$F_j(t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} p_{j-1}(t) \left[ \prod_{\nu=1}^n (t - \tau_\nu)^{2s_\nu + 1} \right] d\lambda(t) = 0, \ j = \overline{1, n},$$

where  $\mathbf{t} = (\tau_1, \ldots, \tau_n)^T$ ,  $\mathbf{F}(t) = [F_1(t), F_2(t), \ldots, F_n(t)]^T$ , which is a non linear system of equations.

To solve the system (20) can be used the *Newton-Kantorovic* method (see [7]). One can construct the iterative formula

$$\mathbf{t}^{(k+1)} = \mathbf{t}^{(k)} - W^{-1}(\mathbf{t}^{(k)})\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{t}^{(k)}), \ k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

where  $\mathbf{t}^{(k)} = (\tau_1^{(k)}, \tau_2^{(k)}, \dots, \tau_n^{(k)})^T$ , and  $W = W(\mathbf{t}) = [w_{j,k}]_{n \times n} = [\frac{\partial F_j}{\partial \tau_k}]_{n \times n}$ , is the *Jacobian* of  $\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{t})$ , whose elements can be calculated by

$$w_{j,k} = \frac{\partial F_j}{\partial \tau_k} = -(2s_k + 1) \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{p_{j-1}(t)}{t - \tau_k} \left[ \prod_{\nu=1}^n (t - \tau_\nu)^{2s_\nu + 1} \right] d\lambda(t), \ j,k = \overline{1,n}.$$

But,  $w_{0,k} = 0$  and

(21) 
$$w_{1,k} = -\frac{2s_k + 1}{\sqrt{\beta_0}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} (t - \tau_k)^{2s_k} \Big[ \prod_{\nu=1,\nu\neq k}^n (t - \tau_\nu)^{2s_\nu + 1} \Big] d\lambda(t),$$

then, by integrating (19) one obtain

(22)

$$\sqrt{\beta_{j+1}} \ w_{j+2,k} = (\tau_k - \alpha_j) \ w_{j+1,k} - \sqrt{\beta_j} \ w_{j,k} - (2s_k + 1)F_{j+1}, \ j = \overline{0, n-2}.$$

Thus, knowing only  $F_j$  and  $w_{1,j}$ ,  $(j = \overline{1, n})$ , one can calculate the elements of the Jacobian matrix by the nonhomogenous recurrence relation (22).

The integrals (20), (21), can be calculated by using a *Gauss-Christoffel* quadrature formula, (w.r.t. the measure  $d\lambda(t)$ ) of the following form

$$\int_{a}^{b} g(t)d\lambda(t) = \sum_{k=1}^{L} A_{k}^{(L)}g(\tau_{k}^{(L)}) + R_{L}(g),$$

with  $L = \sum_{k=1}^{n} s_k + n$ , which is exact for  $\forall f \in \mathbb{P}_{2L-1}$ , where  $2L - 1 = 2\sum_{k=1}^{n} s_k + 2n - 1$ .

For a sufficiently good approximation  $t^{(0)}$ , the convergence of the method for the calculation of  $t^{(k+1)}$  is quadratic (see [7]).

If one consider  $\sigma = (s, s, ..., s)$ , and the quadrature formula (2) then, in order to determine the coefficients  $\alpha_{\nu}, \beta_{\nu}$  from the recurrence relation (5), can be used the discretized Stieltjes procedure for infinite intervals of orthogonality. From (5) one obtain the following nonlinear system

$$f_0 \equiv \beta_0 - \int_{\mathbb{R}} \pi_n^{2s}(t) d\lambda(t) = 0, \\ f_{2\nu+1} \equiv \int_{\mathbb{R}} (\alpha_\nu - t) \pi_\nu^2(t) \pi_n^{2s}(t) d\lambda(t) = 0, \\ (\nu = \overline{0, n-1}), \\ f_{2\nu} \equiv \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left[ \beta_\nu \pi_{\nu-1}^2(t) - \pi_\nu^2(t) \right] \pi_n^{2s}(t) d\lambda(t) = 0, \\ (\nu = \overline{0, n-1}).$$

The polynomials  $\pi_0, \pi_1, \ldots, \pi_n$  can be expressed in terms of  $\alpha_{\nu}, \beta_{\nu}, \nu = \overline{0, n}$ , by the recurrence relation (5).

By using the Newton-Kantorovic's method, one obtain the following relations for the determination of the coefficients in (5), namely  $x^{(k+1)} = x^{(k)} - W^{-1}(x^{(k)})f(x^{(k)}), \ k = 0, 1, \ldots$ , where the zeros  $\tau = \tau(s, n), \ (\nu = \overline{1, n})$  of  $\pi_n^{s,n}$  are the nodes of Gauss-Turan's type quadrature formula.

Note that these zeros can be obtained by using the QR algorithm, which determines the eigenvalues of a symmetric tridiagonal Jacobi matrix  $J_n$ 

$$J_n = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_0 & \sqrt{\beta_1} & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \sqrt{\beta_1} & \alpha_1 & \sqrt{\beta_2} & & & & \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \sqrt{\beta_{n-2}} & \alpha_{n-2} & \sqrt{\beta_{n-1}} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \sqrt{\beta_{n-1}} & \alpha_{n-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

This algorithm can be used to determine the s- or  $\sigma-$ orthogonal polynomials by constructing MATLAB routines for some *Gauss-Christoffel* quadrature formulas and routines to solve some systems of equations.

#### b) The determination of the coefficients

Let denote  $U(t) = \prod_{k=1}^{n} (t - \tau_k)^{2s_k+1}$ , and let consider the Hermite interpo-

lation formula

(23) 
$$f(t) = (Hf)(t) + (Rf)(t) = \sum_{\nu=1}^{n} \sum_{i=0}^{2s_{\nu}} h_{\nu,i}(t) f^{(i)}(\tau_{\nu}) + (Rf)(t), \text{ where}$$
$$h_{\nu,i}(t) = \frac{(t-\tau_{\nu})^{i}}{i!} \Big[ \sum_{k=0}^{2s_{\nu}-i} \frac{(t-\tau_{\nu})^{k}}{k!} \Big( \frac{1}{U_{\nu}(t)} \Big)_{t=\tau_{\nu}}^{(k)} \Big] U_{\nu}(t), U_{\nu}(t) = \prod_{k=1}^{n} (t-\tau_{k})^{2s_{k}+1} / (t-\tau_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu}+1}.$$

By integrating (23), one obtain

$$\begin{aligned} A_{\nu,i} &= \int_{a}^{b} h_{\nu,i}(t) d\lambda(t) = \frac{1}{i!} \sum_{k=0}^{2s_{\nu}-i} \frac{1}{k!} \left[ \frac{(t-\tau_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu}+1}}{U(t)} \right]_{t=\tau_{\nu}}^{(k)} \int_{a}^{b} (t-\tau_{\nu})^{i+k} \frac{U(t) d\lambda(t)}{(t-\tau_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu}+1}} = \\ &= \frac{1}{i!} \sum_{k=0}^{2s_{\nu}-i} \frac{1}{k!} \left[ \frac{(t-\tau_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu}+1}}{U(t)} \right]_{t=\tau_{\nu}}^{(k)} \int_{a}^{b} \frac{U(t)}{(t-\tau_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu}-i-k+1}} d\lambda(t). \end{aligned}$$

Let denote  $U_{\nu;i+k}(t) = \frac{U(t)}{(t-\tau_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu}-i-k+1}} =$ 

$$= (t - \tau_{\nu})^{i+k} \times (t - \tau_1)^{2s_1 + 1} \dots (t - \tau_{\nu-1})^{2s_{\nu-1} + 1} (t - \tau_{\nu+1})^{2s_{\nu+1} + 1} \dots (t - \tau_n)^{2s_n + 1},$$
where

$$deg(U_{\nu;i+k}) \le 2s_{\nu} + (2s_1+1) + \dots + (2s_{\nu-1}+1) + (2s_{\nu+1}+1) + \dots + (2s_n+1) =$$
$$= 2\sum_{\nu=1}^{n} s_{\nu} + n - 1 \le 2(\sum_{\nu=1}^{n} s_{\nu} + n) - 1 = 2N - 1 = d_{max}, \ N = 2(S+n)$$

So, one obtain

(24) 
$$A_{\nu,i} = \frac{1}{i!} \sum_{k=0}^{2s_{\nu}-i} \frac{1}{k!} \left[ \frac{(t-\tau_{\nu})^{2s_{\nu}+1}}{U(t)} \right]_{t=\tau_{\nu}}^{(k)} \int_{a}^{b} U_{\nu;i+k}(t) d\lambda(t),$$

for  $\nu = \overline{1, n}$ ;  $i = 0, 1, ..., 2s_{\nu}$  and  $deg(U_{\nu; i+k}) \le 2N - 1$ .

The integrals  $\int_a^b U_{\nu,i+k}(t)d\lambda(t)$ ,  $\nu = \overline{1,n}$ ;  $i = \overline{0,2s_{\nu}}$ ,  $k = \overline{0,2s_{\nu}-i}$ , can be calculated by applying the quadrature formula

$$\int_{a}^{b} g(t)d\lambda(t) = \sum_{k=1}^{N} A_{k}^{(N)}g(\tau_{k}^{(N)}) + R_{N}(g),$$

with  $N = \sum_{\nu=1}^{n} s_{\nu} + n$  nodes.

## 3 A generalization given by D.D.Stancu to the Gauss-Turán type quadrature formula

A generalization of the *Turán* quadrature formula (2) to quadratures having nodes with arbitrary multiplicities was derived independently by *Chakalov* [2] and *T. Popoviciu* [8].

D.D. Stancu in [14], [16], was bring very important contributions in this domain, by investigating and constructing so-called Gauss-Stancu quadrature formulas having multiple fixed nodes and simple or multiple free (Gaussian) nodes.

Let  $a_i$ ,  $i = \overline{1, n}$  fixed (or prescribed) nodes, with the given multiplicities  $m_i$ ,  $i = \overline{1, n}$ , and  $x_1 < x_2 < \cdots < x_m$  be the free nodes with given multiplicities  $n_1, \ldots, n_m$ . Then, we have the general quadrature of *Gauss-Stancu* type for the integral

 $I[f] = \int_a^b f(x) d\lambda(x), \ (d\lambda(x) = w(x) dx)$  of the form

(25) 
$$Q[f] = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{\nu=0}^{m_i-1} B_{i,\nu} f^{(\nu)}(a_i) + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \sum_{\nu=0}^{n_k-1} A_{k,\nu} f^{(\nu)}(x_k).$$

We denote

(26)  

$$\omega(x) = \alpha \prod_{i=1}^{n} (x - a_i)^{m_i}, \ u(x) = \prod_{k=1}^{m} (x - x_k)^{n_k}, \ M = \sum_{i=1}^{n} m_i, N = \sum_{k=1}^{m} n_k.$$

The quadrature formula (25) have interpolatory type with the algebraic degree of exactness at least  $d^* = M + N - 1$ , if  $I(f) = Q(f), \forall f \in \mathbb{P}_{M+N-1}$ .

The free nodes  $x_k$ ,  $k = \overline{1, m}$  can be chosen to increase the degree of

exactness, and so one can obtain  $I[f] = Q[f], \forall f \in \mathbb{P}_{M+N+n-1}$ .

D.D. Stancu gave the following characterizations

**Theorem 1** The nodes  $x_1, \ldots, x_m$  are the Gaussian nodes if and only if

(27) 
$$\int_{a}^{b} x^{k} \omega(x) u(x) d\lambda(x) = 0, \ \forall k = \overline{0, m-1}$$

**Theorem 2** If the multiplicities of the Gaussian nodes are all odd,  $n_k = 2s_k + 1$ ,  $(k = \overline{1, m})$  and if the multiplicities of the fixed nodes are even,  $m_i = 2r_i$ ,  $i = \overline{1, n}$ , then there exist the real distinct nodes:  $x_k$ ,  $k = \overline{1, m}$ , which are the Gaussian nodes for the quadrature formula of Gauss-Turán-Stancu type (25).

In this case, the orthogonality conditions (27) can be written as

$$\int_{a}^{b} x^{k} \pi_{m}(x) d\mu(x), \ k = \overline{0, m-1}, \text{ where } \pi_{m}(x) = \prod_{k=1}^{m} (x - x_{k}),$$
$$d\mu(x) = (\prod_{k=1}^{m} (x - x_{k})^{2s_{k}}) (\prod_{i=1}^{n} (x - a_{i})^{2r_{i}}) d\lambda(x).$$

This fact means that the polynomial  $\pi_m(x)$  is orthogonal with respect to the new nonnegative measure  $d\mu(x)$ , and therefore, all zeros  $x_1, \ldots, x_m$  are simple, real and belongs to  $supp(d\mu) = supp(d\lambda)$ .

One can observe that the measure  $d\mu(x)$ , contains the nodes  $x_1, \ldots, x_m$ , i.e. the unknown polynomial  $\pi_m(t)$  is implicitly defined.

Let now consider the sets of fixed and Gaussian nodes  $F_n = \{a_1, \ldots, a_n\}$ ,  $G_m = \{x_1, \ldots, x_m\}$  and let  $F_n \bigcap G_m = \emptyset$ , and denote  $X_p = \{\xi_1, \ldots, \xi_p\} :=$  $F_n \bigcup G_m$ , (p = n + m) with the multiplicity of the node  $\xi_k$  be  $r_k$ ,  $k = \overline{1, p}$ . Then can be determined the coefficients  $C_{i,\nu}$  (i.e.  $A_{i,\nu}$  and  $B_{i,\nu}$ ) by using an interpolatory formula of the form

(28) 
$$\int_{a}^{b} f(t)d\lambda(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{p} \sum_{\nu=0}^{r_{\nu}-1} C_{i,\nu}f^{(\nu)}(\xi_{i}) + R_{p}(f).$$

Note that the multiplicity of the Gaussian nodes are odd numbers.

#### Example 3.1

If (a,b) = (-1,1),  $w(x) = (1-x)^{\alpha}(1+x)^{\beta}$ ,  $\alpha,\beta > -1$ , and  $a_0 = -1, a_1 = 1$  are simple fixed nodes,  $x_0$  is a simple free node, then the highest degree of exactness will be D = (1+1) + 1 = 3 which will be obtained for  $x_0 = \frac{\beta - \alpha}{\alpha + \beta + 4}$ . The corresponding quadrature formula of *Gauss-Christoffel-Stancu* type will be

$$\begin{split} \int_{-1}^{1} (1-x)^{\alpha} (1+x)^{\beta} f(x) dx &= 2^{\alpha+\beta+1} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+1)\Gamma(\beta+1)}{(\alpha+2)(\beta+2)\Gamma(\alpha+\beta+4)} \Big[ (\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)^{2} f(-1) + \\ &+ (\alpha+1)(\beta+1)(\alpha+\beta+4)^{2} f(\frac{\beta-\alpha}{\alpha+\beta+4} + (\beta+1)(\beta+2)^{2} f(1) \Big] - \\ &- 2^{\alpha+\beta+2} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+3)\Gamma(\beta+3)}{3(\alpha+\beta+4)\Gamma(\alpha+\beta+6)} f^{IV}(\xi). \end{split}$$

**Example 3.2** Let  $u(x) = \prod_{i=0}^{m+1} (x - x_i)^{r_i}$ , be the polynomial of nodes with the following multiplicities  $x_0 = a$ ,  $r_0 = p+1$ ,  $x_{m+1} = b$ ,  $r_{m+1} = q+1$ , the fixed nodes and the Gaussian nodes  $x_i$ ,  $r_i = 2s + 1$ ,  $(i = \overline{1, m})$ .

Then we can construct the quadrature formula of Gauss-Stancu type with fixes nodes  $x_0 = a$ ,  $x_{m+1} = b$ , with the above given multiplicity orders.

(29)  
$$\int_{a}^{b} f(x)w(x)dx = \sum_{i=0}^{p} A_{0,i}f^{(i)}(a) + \sum_{j=0}^{q} A_{m+1,j}f^{(j)}(b) + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \sum_{\nu=0}^{2s} A_{k,\nu}f^{(\nu)}(x_{k}) + R(f),$$

with the polynomial of fixed nodes  $\omega(x) = (x-a)^{p+1}(b-x)^{q+1}$ . For a given  $s \in \mathbb{N}$ , the polynomial  $P_{m,s}$  is orthogonal on [a, b] with respect to the weight function w(x), if this polynomial is chosen as the solution of the extremal problem  $\int_a^b P_{m,s}^{2s+2} w(x) dx = \min$ , which is equivalent with the condition that  $\int_a^b P_{m,s}^{2s+1}(x) x^k w(x) dx = 0, k = \overline{0, m-1}.$ 

Then the last one condition can be interpreted as a orthogonality condition with respect to the weight function  $p(x) = \omega(x)P_{m,s}^{2s}(x)$ .

We use a method given by D.D Stancu in [12]. Let consider the auxiliary function

(30) 
$$\varphi_i(x) = \frac{1}{u_i(x)} \int_a^b \frac{u(x) - u(t)}{x - t} w(t) dt$$
, where  $u_i(x) = u(x)/(x - x_i)^{r_i}$ .

We have

$$\sum_{k=1}^{m} \sum_{\nu=0}^{2s} A_{k,\nu} f^{(\nu)}(x_k) = \sum_{i=1}^{m} \sum_{k=0}^{r_i-1} \left[ \int_a^b h_{i,k}(x) w(x) dx \right] f^{(k)}(x_i), \text{ where}$$
$$h_{i,k}(x) = \frac{(x-x_i)^k}{k!} \sum_{j=0}^{r_i-1-k} \left[ \frac{(x-x_i)^j}{j!} \left( \frac{1}{u_i(x)} \right)_{x_i}^{(j)} \right] u_i(x).$$

Let  $n_i = r_i - k - 1$ , and calculate the expression using the Leibniz's formula

$$\varphi_i^{(n_i)}(x) = \sum_{j=0}^{n_i} \binom{n_i}{j} \left(\frac{1}{u_i(x)}\right)^{(j)} \left[\int_a^b \frac{u(x) - u(t)}{x - t} w(t) dt\right]^{(n_i - j)}, \text{ where }$$

$$\left[\int_{a}^{b} \frac{u(x) - u(t)}{x - t} w(t) dt\right]^{(k)} = \sum_{\nu=0}^{k} \binom{k}{\nu} \int_{a}^{b} \left(\frac{1}{x - t}\right)^{(\nu)} [u(x) - u(t)]^{(k-\nu)} w(t) dt.$$

If  $x = \alpha$  is a zero of order r, r > k for the polynomial u(x), then one obtain

$$\left[\int_{a}^{b} \frac{u(x) - u(t)}{x - t} w(t) dt\right]_{x = \alpha}^{(k)} = -\int_{a}^{b} \left(\frac{1}{x - t}\right)_{x = \alpha}^{(k)} u(t) w(t) dt = \dots$$

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$$=k!\int_{a}^{b}\frac{u(t)}{(x-\alpha)^{k+1}}w(t)dt.$$

Then one obtain the expression

$$\varphi_i^{(r_i-k-1)}(x_i) = (r_i-k-1)! \sum_{j=0}^{r_i-k-1} \frac{1}{j!} \left(\frac{1}{u_i(x)}\right)_{x_i}^{(j)} \int_a^b \frac{u(x)}{(x-x_i)^{r_i-k-j}} w(x) dx = (r_i-k-1)! \int_a^b \frac{u(x)}{(x-x_i)^{r_i-k}} \left[\sum_{j=0}^{r_i-k-1} \frac{(x-x_i)^j}{j!} \left(\frac{1}{u_i(x)}\right)_{x_i}^{(j)}\right] w(x) dx.$$

By integrating the Lagrange-Hermite interpolation formula and using the expression of  $h_{i,k}(x)$ , finally one obtain the following expression for the coefficients of the quadrature formula

$$A_{i,k} = \frac{1}{k!(r_i - k - 1)!}\varphi_i^{(r_i - k - 1)}(x_i).$$

Note that the quadrature formula (29) is called the Turan-Ionescu formula.

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