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Double 3-dimensional Riordan arrays and their applications

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ABSTRACT: In this paper, we give the group of double 3-dimensional Riordan arrays. Also we examine new sums involving Fibonacci numbers and special numbers, using combinatorial identities and the double 3-dimensional Riordan arrays. For instance, for non-negative integer n,

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n}\sum_{k=0}^{n-l}\sum_{j=0}^{n+l}\frac{(-1)^{l+j}\,d_{n+l-j}^{k+l}d_{j}^{l+k}}{(n-j+l)!j!}=F_{n}\ \ \mathrm{and}\ \ \sum_{l=0}^{n}\sum_{k=0}^{n-l}\sum_{j=0}^{n-k-l}\frac{(-1)^{j}\,d_{l}d_{j}^{k}H_{n-k-l-j}^{k+2}}{l!j!}=H_{n}^{2},$$

where d_n^r , F_n and H_n^r are r-derangement number, Fibonacci number and hyperharmonic number of order r, respectively.

Key Words: Double 3-dimensional Riordan arrays, generating functions, sums.

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1. Introduction

Let $\mathcal{F} = \{f \mid f = f_0 + f_1t + f_2t^2 + \cdots, f_n \in \mathbb{C}\}$. For $f \in \mathcal{F}$, if $m \in \mathbb{N}$ is the smallest number such that $f_m \neq 0$, then the order of f is m. We denote \mathcal{F}_m for the set of functions of order m i.e. $\mathcal{F}_m = \{f \mid f = f_mt^m + f_{m+1}t^{m+1} + \cdots, f_m \neq 0\} \subset \mathcal{F}$. Let $r_{n,k}$ be the coefficient of t^n in gf^k for $g \in \mathcal{F}_0$ and $f \in \mathcal{F}_1$. Then $R = (g, f) = (r_{n,k})_{n,k \geq 0}$ is a Riordan matrix (or array). Notice that the Riordan matrices are lower triangular, infinite matrices. For example, taking $tg(t) = f(t) = \frac{t}{1-t}$, the Pascal matrix is as following:

$$\left(\frac{1}{1-t}, \frac{t}{1-t}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & & \\ 1 & 1 & & & \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & & \\ 1 & 3 & 3 & 1 & & \\ 1 & 4 & 6 & 4 & 1 & \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \end{bmatrix}.$$

Let the set of all Riordan matrices be represented as \mathcal{R} . Then \mathcal{R} is a group under the binary operation

$$(q, f)(u, v) = (qu(f), v(f)),$$

and it is named as Riordan group [6,7]. The Riordan group has many important subgroups [7]. For example, the checkerboard subgroup is

 $\{(g, f) \mid g \text{ is an even function and } f \text{ is an odd function}\}.$

Recently, Solo [8] defined multi-dimensional matrices and their operations which are addition, multiplication and multiplication by a scalar. Let A and B be infinite 3-dimensional arrays such that

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 $A = (a_{i,j,k})_{i,j,k \ge 0}$ and $B = (b_{i,j,k})_{i,j,k \ge 0}$. Then the usual matrix multiplication ((2,1)-multiplication) of A and B is defined by

$$AB = (c_{i,j,k})_{i,j,k>0},$$

where $c_{i,j,k} = \sum_{x \geq 0} a_{i,x,k} b_{x,j,k}$. In [2], Cheon and Jin wrote the set of all 3-dimensional Riordan arrays denoted as

$$\mathcal{R}^{\langle 3 \rangle} = \{ (g, f, h) \mid g, h \in \mathcal{F}_0, f \in \mathcal{F}_1 \}.$$

Also $\mathcal{R}^{\langle 3 \rangle}$ formed a group under the binary operation

$$(g, f, h) (u, v, w) = (gu(f), v(f), hw(f)).$$

 $\mathcal{R}^{(3)}$ is called the 3-dimensional (or 3-D) Riordan group. The 3-dimensional Riordan group has many important and interesting subgroups [9]. For example, the checkerboard subgroup is

$$\{(g, f, h) \mid g, h \text{ are even functions and } f \text{ is an odd function}\}.$$

In [3], Davenport, Shapiro and Woodson defined the double Riordan group as follows: Let $g(t) = \sum_{n\geq 0} g_{2n}t^{2n}$, $f_1(t) = \sum_{n\geq 0} f_{1,2n+1}t^{2n+1}$, $f_2(t) = \sum_{n\geq 0} f_{2,2n+1}t^{2n+1}$ such that g_0 , $f_{1,1}$, $f_{2,1} \neq 0$. Then the double Riordan array (or matrix) of g(t), $f_1(t)$ and $f_2(t)$ is given by

$$(g; f_1, f_2) = \begin{bmatrix} \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ g & gf_1 & gf_1f_2 & gf_1^2f_2 & gf_1^2f_2^2 & gf_1^3f_2^2 & \cdots \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{bmatrix}.$$

The set of all aerated double Riordan matrices (or arrays) is denoted as \mathcal{DR} . $\langle \mathcal{DR}, * \rangle$ is double Riordan group under the binary operation * as follows:

$$(g; f_1, f_2) * (u; v_1, v_2) = \left(gu(\sqrt{f_1 f_2}); \sqrt{f_1 / f_2} v_1(\sqrt{f_1 f_2}), \sqrt{f_2 / f_1} v_2(\sqrt{f_1 f_2}) \right).$$

In [9], He defined the array called the double quasi-Riordan array, which is the compression array of the double Riordan array. For double Riordan array $(r_{n,k})_{n,k>0} = (g; f_1, f_2)$, the double quasi-Riordan array associated with $(r_{n,k})_{n,k\geq 0}$, which is denoted by $(\hat{r}_{n,k})_{n,k\geq 0}$, is given by

$$\hat{r}_{n,k} := r_{2n-k,k}, \ n \ge k \ge 0. \tag{1.1}$$

Also the author studied the structure of double quasi-Riordan array $(\hat{r}_{n,k})_{n,k\geq 0}$ given by

$$\hat{r}_{n,k} = \begin{cases} [t^n] \, \hat{g} \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right)^{k/2}, & \text{if } k \text{ is even,} \\ [t^n] \, \hat{g} \hat{f}_1 \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right)^{(k-1)/2}, & \text{if } k \text{ is odd,} \end{cases}$$
(1.2)

where $\hat{g}(t) = \sum_{n\geq 0} g_{2n}t^n$, $\hat{f}_1 = \sum_{n\geq 0} f_{1,2n+1}t^{n+1}$ and $\hat{f}_2 = \sum_{n\geq 0} f_{2,2n+1}t^{n+1}$. Harmonic numbers and their generalizations have important role in combinatorics, number theory, and there are a lot of works involving these numbers. The harmonic numbers H_n are defined by

$$H_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i} \text{ for } n \ge 1$$

and $H_0 = 0$. The generating function of H_n is

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H_n t^n = -\frac{\log(1-t)}{1-t}.$$

The generalized harmonic numbers of rank r, H(n,r) [5,4] are defined by

$$H(n,r) = \sum_{1 \le k_0 + k_1 + \dots + k_r \le n} \frac{1}{k_0 k_1 \dots k_r},$$

for $n \ge 1$, $r \ge 0$. Notice that, when r = 0, $H(n, 0) = H_n$ and generating function of H(n, r) is

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H(n,r) t^{n} = \frac{(-\log(1-t))^{r+1}}{1-t}.$$

The hyperharmonic numbers of order r, H_n^r [1] are defined by

$$H_n^0 = \frac{1}{n}, \ H_n^r = \sum_{i=1}^n H_i^{r-1}, \ r, n \ge 1$$

where for $n \leq 0$ or r < 0, $H_n^r = 0$ and the generating function of H_n^r is

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H_n^r t^n = -\frac{\log(1-t)}{(1-t)^r}.$$
(1.3)

The Catalan numbers, denoted by C_n , are defined as

$$C_n = \frac{1}{n+1} \binom{2n}{n},$$

for non-negative integer n and the generating function of C_n is

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} C_n t^n = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - 4t}}{2t}.$$

The Cauchy numbers of order r, denoted by \mathcal{C}_n^r , are defined via their generating function as follows:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{C}_n^r \frac{t^n}{n!} = \left(\frac{t}{\log\left(1+t\right)}\right)^r.$$

The Daehee polynomials are defined by the generating function to be

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} D_n(x) \frac{t^n}{n!} = \left(\frac{\log(1+t)}{t}\right) (1+t)^x.$$

When x = 0, $D_n(0) = D_n$ are called the Daehee numbers.

The r-derangement numbers d_n^r satisfy recursive formulas given by

$$d_n^r = rd_{n-1}^{r-1} + (n-1+r)d_{n-1}^r + (n-1)d_{n-2}^r, \ n > 2 \text{ and } r > 0,$$

with initial conditions

$$d_n^1 = d_{n+1}, \ d_r^r = r! \ (r \ge 1)$$
 and $d_{r+1}^r = r(r+1)! \ (r \ge 2).$

The generating function of the r-derangement numbers d_n^r is given by

$$\sum_{n=r}^{\infty} \frac{d_n^r}{n!} t^n = \frac{t^r e^{-t}}{(1-t)^{r+1}}.$$

In [10], the closed form for d_n^r is also given by

$$d_n^r = \sum_{k=r}^n (-1)^{n-k} \frac{n!}{(n-k)!} \binom{k}{r} \quad (n \ge r \ge 0).$$

For r = 0, $d_n^0 = d_n$, where d_n is called derangement number.

The generalized geometric series are given by for non-negative integer l,

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{n+l}{l} t^n = \frac{1}{(1-t)^{l+1}}.$$
(1.4)

The Lambert W function is defined as the solution of the implicit equation $we^w = t$ with $t \in \mathbb{R}$. It is immediate to see that for $t \geq 0$, there is a single solution, denoted $W_0(t)$, with a power series expansion given by Lagrange inversion

$$W_0(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-n)^{n-1}}{n!} t^n.$$

Note that for $t \geq -1$, $W_0(te^t) = t$.

The Laguerre polynomials are defined recursively as for $n \geq 1$,

$$L_{n+1}(x) = \frac{(2n+1-x)L_n(x) - nL_{n-1}(x)}{n+1},$$

where $L_0(x) = 1, L_1(x) = 1 - x$. The closed form for $L_n(x)$ is

$$L_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{n} \frac{(-1)^k}{k!} \binom{n}{k} x^k.$$

The generating function of these polynomials is given by

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} L_n(x)t^n = \frac{e^{-xt/(1-t)}}{1-t}.$$

The generalized second order sequence $\{U_n\}$ is defined for positive integer n and non-zero integer numbers p,q by

$$U_{n+1} = pU_n + qU_{n-1}$$

in which $U_0 = 0$, $U_1 = 1$. For p = q = 1, $U_n = F_n$ (the *n*th Fibonacci number). If α and β are the roots of equation $x^2 - px - q = 0$, the Binet formula of the sequence $\{U_n\}$ has the form

$$U_n = \frac{\alpha^n - \beta^n}{\alpha - \beta}.$$

The generating function of U_n is given by

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} U_n t^n = \frac{t}{1 - pt - qt^2}.$$
(1.5)

It is hard to seen that there are sums involving Fibonacci numbers, generalized harmonic numbers, r-derangement numbers etc. in literature. In this paper, using double 3-dimensional Riordan arrays, we have nice sums involving Fibonacci numbers and some special numbers. For instance,

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{i=0}^{n+l} \frac{(-1)^{l+i} d_{n+l-i}^{k+l} d_{i}^{l+k}}{(n+l-i)! i!} = F_{n} \text{ and } \sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{i=0}^{n-k-l} \frac{(-1)^{i} d_{l} d_{i}^{k} H_{n-k-l-i}^{k+2}}{l! i!} = H_{n}^{2}.$$

2. Double 3-dimensional Riordan arrays

In this section, we will define double 3—dimensional Riordan arrays and give double 3—dimensional Riordan group. Also, we will show some applications of them using special numbers and their generating functions given in Section 1.

Throughout this paper, we will take the set

$$\mathcal{F}_r^2 = \left\{ f \mid f = f_r t^r + f_{r+2} t^{r+2} + f_{r+4} t^{r+4} + \cdots, \ f_i \in \mathbb{C}, \ f_r \neq 0 \ \right\}.$$

Theorem 2.1 Let $(r_{n,k})_{n,k\geq 0}=(g;f_1,f_2)$ be a double Riordan array. Then

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \hat{r}_{n,2k} a_k = [t^n] \hat{g} A(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2), \tag{2.1}$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \hat{r}_{n,2k+1} a_k = [t^n] \hat{g} \hat{f}_1 A(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2), \tag{2.2}$$

where
$$\hat{g}(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} g_{2n}t^n$$
, $\hat{f}_1(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} f_{1,2n+1}t^{n+1}$, $\hat{f}_2(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} f_{2,2n+1}t^{n+1}$ and $A(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_nt^n$.

Proof: By (1.1) and (1.2), we have $\hat{r}_{n,2k} = [t^n] \hat{g}(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2)^k$. Since Riordan matrix is lower triangular, then

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \hat{r}_{n,2k} a_k = \sum_{k=0}^{n} [t^n] \, \hat{g}(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2)^k a_k = [t^n] \, \hat{g} \sum_{k=0}^{n} a_k (\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2)^k = [t^n] \, \hat{g} A(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2),$$

as claimed. Similarly, second identity can be shown.

Let $g, h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2$ and $f_1, f_2 \in \mathcal{F}_1^2$. The double 3-dimensional Riordan matrix (or array) $(g; f_1, f_2; h)$ is defined by

$$(g; f_1, f_2; h) = \begin{bmatrix} \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ g & gf_1 & gf_1f_2 & gf_1^2f_2 & \cdots \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ [\uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ gh & gf_1h & gf_1f_2h & gf_1^2f_2h & \cdots \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ [\uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ gh^2 & gf_1h^2 & gf_1f_2h^2 & gf_1^2f_2h^2 & \cdots \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{bmatrix}.$$

We will show $(g; f_1, f_2; h)$ by $R = (r_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l \geq 0}$. The set of all double 3-dimensional Riordan matrices is shown by $\mathcal{DR}^{(3)}$. Let $L_l(R)$ denote lth layer matrix of the double 3-dimensional Riordan array $R = (g; f_1, f_2; h)$. It follows that $L_l(R)$ is an proper double Riordan array given by $(gh^l; f_1, f_2)$ for fixed l. With the help of layer matrices, the double 3-dimensional Riordan array R may be denoted by $R = (L_0(R), L_1(R), L_2(R), \cdots)$.

Definition 2.1 For $(g; f_1, f_2; h)$, $(u; v_1, v_2; w) \in \mathcal{DR}^{\langle 3 \rangle}$, binary operation \triangle on $\mathcal{DR}^{\langle 3 \rangle}$ is given by

$$(g; f_1, f_2; h) \triangle (u; v_1, v_2; w) = \left(gu(\sqrt{f_1 f_2}); \sqrt{\frac{f_1}{f_2}}v_1(\sqrt{f_1 f_2}), \sqrt{\frac{f_2}{f_1}}v_2(\sqrt{f_1 f_2}); hw(\sqrt{f_1 f_2})\right).$$

Theorem 2.2 $\langle \mathcal{DR}^{\langle 3 \rangle}, \triangle \rangle$ is a group.

Proof: Matrix multiplication is associative. For any $(g; f_1, f_2; h) \in \mathcal{DR}^{(3)}$, we have

$$(g; f_1, f_2; h) \triangle (1; t, t; 1) = \left(g; \sqrt{\frac{f_1}{f_2}} \sqrt{f_1 f_2}, \sqrt{\frac{f_2}{f_1}} \sqrt{f_1 f_2}; h\right) = (g; f_1, f_2; h).$$

Similarly, $(1; t, t; 1) \triangle (g; f_1, f_2; h) = (g; f_1, f_2; h)$. Thus, the identity element is the matrix (1; t, t; 1). For $(g; f_1, f_2; h) \in \mathcal{DR}^{(3)}$, if $(g; f_1, f_2; h) \triangle (u; v_1, v_2; w) = (1; t, t; 1)$, then

$$u\left(\sqrt{f_1f_2}\right) = \frac{1}{g}, \ hw\left(\sqrt{f_1f_2}\right) = 1, \ \sqrt{\frac{f_1}{f_2}}v_1\left(\sqrt{f_1f_2}\right) = t, \ \sqrt{\frac{f_2}{f_1}}v_2\left(\sqrt{f_1f_2}\right) = t.$$

From here, taking $\varphi = \sqrt{f_1 f_2}$, we write

$$u = \frac{1}{g(\overline{\varphi})}, \ v_1 = \frac{t\overline{\varphi}}{f_1(\overline{\varphi})}, \ v_2 = \frac{t\overline{\varphi}}{f_2(\overline{\varphi})}, \ \ w = \frac{1}{h(\overline{\varphi})},$$

where $\overline{\varphi}$ is the compositional inverse of φ . Similarly, $(u; v_1, v_2; w) \triangle (g; f_1, f_2; h) = (1; t, t; 1)$. So,

$$(g; f_1, f_2; h)^{-1} = \left(\frac{1}{g(\overline{\varphi})}; \frac{t\overline{\varphi}}{f_1(\overline{\varphi})}, \frac{t\overline{\varphi}}{f_2(\overline{\varphi})}; \frac{1}{h(\overline{\varphi})}\right) \in \mathcal{DR}^{\langle 3 \rangle}.$$

Thus, we have the proof.

 $\langle \mathcal{DR}^{(3)}, \triangle \rangle$ is called double 3-dimensional Riordan group. Here is a list of some special subgroups of the group $\mathcal{DR}^{\langle 3 \rangle}$:

- 1. $\{(g;t,t;h) \mid g,h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2\}, \{(1;t,t;h) \mid h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2\}.$
- 2. $\{(1; f_1, f_2; h) \mid h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_i \in \mathcal{F}_1^2\}, \{(g; f_1, f_2; 1) \mid g \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_i \in \mathcal{F}_1^2\}.$ 3. $\{(g; tg, f_2; h) \mid g, h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_2 \in \mathcal{F}_1^2\}, \{(g; f_1, tg; h) \mid g, h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_1 \in \mathcal{F}_1^2\}.$
- 4. $\left\{ \left(\frac{f_1}{t}; f_1, f_2; h \right) \middle| h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_i \in \mathcal{F}_1^2 \right\}, \left\{ \left(\frac{f_2}{t}; f_1, f_2; h \right) \middle| h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_i \in \mathcal{F}_1^2 \right\}.$
- 5. $\{(gh; f_1, tg; h) \mid g, h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_1 \in \mathcal{F}_1^2\}, \{(gh; tg, f_2; h) \mid g, h \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_2 \in \mathcal{F}_1^2\}.$ 6. $\{(g; f_1, t; 1) \mid g \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_1, \in \mathcal{F}_1^2\}, \{(g; t, f_2; 1) \mid g \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_2 \in \mathcal{F}_1^2\}.$
- 7. $\left\{ \left(g; f_1, f_2; \frac{f_1}{t}\right) \mid g \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, \ f_i \in \mathcal{F}_1^2 \right\}, \left\{ \left(g; f_1, f_2; \frac{f_2}{t}\right) \mid g \in \mathcal{F}_0^2, f_i \in \mathcal{F}_1^2 \right\}.$

Definition 2.2 Let $(r_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l\geq 0}=(g;f_1,f_2;h)$ be double 3-dimensional Riordan array. Then the double ble 3-dimensional quasi-Riordan array associated with $(r_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l>0}$, which is denoted by $(\hat{r}_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l>0}$, is defined by

$$\hat{r}_{n,k,l} := r_{2n-k,k,l}, \ n \ge k \ge 0 \ and \ l \ge 0.$$
 (2.3)

Theorem 2.3 Let $(r_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l\geq 0}=(g;f_1,f_2;h)$ be a double 3-dimensional Riordan array and the double $3-dimensional\ quasi-Riordan\ array\ associated\ with\ (r_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l>0}\ be\ (\hat{r}_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l>0}.$ Then

$$\hat{r}_{n,k,l} = \begin{cases} [t^n] \, \hat{g} \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right)^{k/2} \hat{h}^l, & \text{if } k \text{ is even,} \\ [t^n] \, \hat{g} \hat{f}_1 \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right)^{(k-1)/2} \hat{h}^l, & \text{if } k \text{ is odd,} \end{cases}$$
(2.4)

 $\textit{where } \hat{g}(t) = \textstyle \sum_{n \geq 0} g_{2n} t^n, \ \hat{h}(t) = \textstyle \sum_{n \geq 0} h_{2n} t^n, \ \hat{f}_1(t) = \textstyle \sum_{n \geq 0} f_{1,2n+1} t^{n+1}, \ \textit{and } \hat{f}_2(t) = \textstyle \sum_{n > 0} f_{2,2n+1} t^{n+1}.$

Proof: For k = 2m, from (2.3), we have

$$\hat{r}_{n,2m,l} = r_{2n-2m,2m,l} = [t^{2n-2m}]g(f_1f_2)^m h^l = [t^{2n}]g(t^2f_1f_2)^m h^l.$$

In that case, taking $t^2 \to t$, we get $g(t^{1/2}) = \hat{g}(t), \ t^{1/2} f_1(t^{1/2}) = \hat{f}_1(t), \ t^{1/2} f_2(t^{1/2}) = \hat{f}_2(t)$ and $h(t^{1/2}) = \hat{h}(t)$. Then

$$\hat{r}_{n,k,l} = [t^n] \hat{g} \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right)^m \hat{h}^l = [t^n] \hat{g} \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right)^{k/2} \hat{h}^l.$$

The case of k = 2m + 1 can be proven similar way. Thus, we have the proof.

Definition 2.3 Let $R = (r_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l \geq 0} = (g; f_1, f_2; h)$ be double 3-dimensional Riordan array and the double 3-dimensional quasi-Riordan array associated with R be $\hat{R} = (\hat{r}_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l \geq 0} = (\hat{g}; \hat{f}_1, \hat{f}_2; \hat{h})$, where $\hat{g}(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} g_{2n}t^n$, $\hat{h}(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} h_{2n}t^n$, $\hat{f}_1(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} f_{1,2n+1}t^{n+1}$, and $\hat{f}_2(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} f_{2,2n+1}t^{n+1}$. Then the 3-dimensional matrix $R_s = (r_{n,k,l}^s)_{n,k,l \geq 0} = (g; f_1, f_2; t^2h)_s$ is called shifted double 3-dimensional Riordan array of R by

$$\begin{split} r^s_{n,k,l} := \begin{cases} \left[t^{n-2l}\right] \hat{g} \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2\right)^{k/2} \hat{h}^l & \text{if k is even,} \\ \left[t^{n-2l}\right] \hat{g} \hat{f}_1 \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2\right)^{(k-1)/2} \hat{h}^l & \text{if k is odd,} \end{cases} \\ = r_{n-2l,k,l}, \end{split}$$

and the shifted double 3-dimensional quasi-Riordan array associated with R, denoted by $\hat{R}_s = (\hat{r}_{n,k,l}^s)_{n,k,l \geq 0} = (\hat{g}; \hat{f}_1, \hat{f}_2; t\hat{h})_s$ is defined by

$$\hat{r}_{n,k,l}^{s} := [t^{n}] \begin{cases} \left[t^{n-l}\right] \hat{g} \left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2}\right)^{k/2} \hat{h}^{l} & \text{if } k \text{ is even,} \\ \left[t^{n-l}\right] \hat{g} \hat{f}_{1} \left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2}\right)^{(k-1)/2} \hat{h}^{l} & \text{if } k \text{ is odd,} \end{cases}$$

$$= \hat{r}_{n-l,k,l}. \tag{2.5}$$

For example, choosing 3-dimensional double Riordan array as $R = \left(\frac{1}{1-t^2}; t, \frac{t}{1-t^2}; \frac{1}{1-t^2}\right)$, we have the following matrices:

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Theorem 2.4 Let $(\hat{r}_{n,k,l}^s)_{n,k,l\geq 0}=(\hat{g};\hat{f}_1,\hat{f}_2;\hat{h})_s$ be shifted double 3-dimensional quasi-Riordan array where $\hat{g}\in\mathcal{F}_0$, $\hat{f}_1,\hat{f}_2,\hat{h}\in\mathcal{F}_1$. Then

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \hat{r}_{n,2k,l}^{s} a_k b_l = [t^n] \hat{g} A \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right) B(\hat{h}), \tag{2.6}$$

and

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \hat{r}_{n,2k+1,l}^{s} a_k b_l = [t^n] \hat{g} \hat{f}_1 A \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right) B(\hat{h}), \tag{2.7}$$

where $A(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n t^n$ and $B(t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} b_n t^n$.

Proof: We take double quasi-Riordan array as $(\hat{g}(\hat{h}/t)^l; \hat{f}_1, \hat{f}_2) = (\hat{c}_{n,k})_{n,k \geq 0}$. For first identity, by (2.1), we write

$$\hat{c}_{n,2k} = [t^n] \hat{g} \left(\frac{\hat{h}}{t} \right)^l \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right)^k = [t^{n+l}] \hat{g} \hat{h}^l \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right)^k.$$
 (2.8)

From here, by replacing $n \longrightarrow (n-l)$ in (2.8), by (2.4) and Definition 2.3, we have

$$\hat{c}_{n-l,2k} = [t^n]\hat{g}\hat{h}^l \left(\hat{f}_1\hat{f}_2\right)^k = \hat{r}_{n,2k,l}^s.$$

With the help of (2.1), we get

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \hat{c}_{n,2k} a_{k} = [t^{n}] \hat{g} \frac{\hat{h}^{l}}{t^{l}} A\left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2}\right) = [t^{n+l}] \hat{g} \hat{h}^{l} A\left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2}\right),$$

and then

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \hat{r}_{n,2k,l}^{s} a_k = [t^n] \hat{g} \hat{h}^l A \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right).$$

Let $(\hat{g}A(\hat{f}_1\hat{f}_2);t,\hat{h}/t)=(\hat{u}_{n,k})_{n,k\geq 0}$ be double quasi-Riordan array. From (2.1), we have

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \hat{r}_{n,2k,l}^{s} a_{k} \right) b_{l} = \sum_{l=0}^{n} \left([t^{n}] \hat{g} A \left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2} \right) t^{l} \left(\frac{\hat{h}}{t} \right)^{l} \right) b_{l} = \sum_{l=0}^{n} \hat{u}_{n,2l} b_{l} = [t^{n}] \hat{g} A \left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2} \right) B(\hat{h}),$$

as claimed. For second identity, we will use same way. By (2.2), we write

$$\hat{c}_{n,2k+1} = [t^n]\hat{g}\left(\frac{\hat{h}}{t}\right)^l \hat{f}_1\left(\hat{f}_1\hat{f}_2\right)^k = [t^{n+l}]\hat{g}\hat{h}^l \hat{f}_1\left(\hat{f}_1\hat{f}_2\right)^k. \tag{2.9}$$

From here, by replacing $n \longrightarrow (n-l)$ in (2.9) and by (2.4) we have

$$\hat{c}_{n-l,2k+1} = [t^n]\hat{g}\hat{h}^l\hat{f}_1 \left(\hat{f}_1\hat{f}_2\right)^k = \hat{r}_{n,2k+1,l}^s$$

With the help of (2.2), we get

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \hat{c}_{n,2k+1} a_k = [t^n] \hat{g} \frac{\hat{h}^l}{t^l} \hat{f}_1 A \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right) = [t^{n+l}] \hat{g} \hat{h}^l \hat{f}_1 A \left(\hat{f}_1 \hat{f}_2 \right),$$

and then

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n-l} \hat{r}_{n,2k+1,l}^{s} a_{k} = [t^{n}] \hat{g} \hat{h}^{l} \hat{f}_{1} A \left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2} \right).$$

Let $(\hat{g}A(\hat{f}_1\hat{f}_2)\hat{f}_1/t;t,\hat{h}/t)=(\hat{v}_{n,k})_{n,k\geq 0}$ be double quasi-Riordan array. From (2.2), we get

$$\begin{split} \sum_{l=0}^{n} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \hat{r}_{n,2k,l}^{s} a_{k} \right) b_{l} &= \sum_{l=0}^{n} \left([t^{n}] \hat{g} A \left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2} \right) \frac{\hat{f}_{1}}{t} t^{l+1} \left(\frac{\hat{h}}{t} \right)^{l} \right) b_{l} \\ &= \sum_{l=0}^{n} \hat{v}_{n,2l+1} b_{l} \\ &= [t^{n}] \left(\hat{g} A \left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2} \right) \frac{\hat{f}_{1}}{t} \right) t B(\hat{h}) \\ &= [t^{n}] \hat{g} \hat{f}_{1} A \left(\hat{f}_{1} \hat{f}_{2} \right) B(\hat{h}). \end{split}$$

So, the proof is complete.

3. Applications of double 3-dimensional Riordan arrays

In this section, we will give some applications of double 3—dimensional Riordan arrays.

Theorem 3.1 Let n be positive integer. Then following identities hold:

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{l} H_{n-2k-l+1}^{k+l+1} = \sum_{i=0}^{n} \frac{F_{i-1}}{n-i+1},$$
(3.1)

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{l} H_{n-2k-l}^{k+l+2} = \sum_{i=0}^{n} \frac{F_{i}}{n-i+1}.$$
 (3.2)

Proof: Let $R=(r_{n,k,l})_{n,k,l\geq 0}=\left(\frac{-\log(1-t^2)}{t^2(1-t^2)};\frac{t}{1-t^2},t;\frac{1}{1-t^2}\right)$ be double 3-dimensional Riordan array. Then we have shifted double 3-dimensional Riordan array of R as $\left(\frac{-\log(1-t^2)}{t^2(1-t^2)};\frac{t}{1-t^2},t;\frac{t^2}{1-t^2}\right)_s$ and double 3-dimensional quasi-Riordan array associated with R as $\left(\frac{-\log(1-t)}{t(1-t)};\frac{t}{1-t},t;\frac{1}{1-t}\right)$. Then the shifted double 3-dimensional quasi-Riordan array associated with R is $(\hat{r}_{n,k,l}^s)_{n,k,l\geq 0}=\left(\frac{-\log(1-t)}{t(1-t)};\frac{t}{1-t},t;\frac{t}{1-t}\right)_s$. From here, by (1.3), (2.4) and (2.5), we write

$$\begin{split} \hat{r}_{n,2k,l}^s &= \hat{r}_{n-l,2k,l} = [t^{n-l}] \frac{-\log(1-t)}{t(1-t)} \left(\frac{t}{1-t}\right)^k t^k \left(\frac{1}{1-t}\right)^l = \left[t^{n-2k-l+1}\right] \frac{-\log(1-t)}{(1-t)^{k+l+1}} \\ &= \left[t^{n-2k-l+1}\right] \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H_n^{k+l+1} t^n = H_{n-2k-l+1}^{k+l+1}. \end{split}$$

Thus, choosing $A(t) = \frac{1}{1-t}$ and $B(t) = \frac{1}{1+t}$ in (2.6), by (1.5) , then

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{l} H_{n-2k-l+1}^{k+l+1} = [t^{n}] \frac{-\log(1-t)}{t(1-t)} \frac{1}{1 - \frac{t^{2}}{1-t}} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{t}{1-t}}$$

$$= [t^{n+1}] (-\log(1-t)) \frac{1-t}{1-t-t^{2}}$$

$$= [t^{n+1}] \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{t^{n}}{n} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F_{n-1} t^{n}$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{n} \frac{F_{i-1}}{n-i+1}.$$

So, (3.1) holds. For second identity, using functions A(t), B(t) and (2.7), we have

$$\begin{split} \hat{r}_{n,2k+1,l} &= [t^{n-l}] \frac{-\log(1-t)}{(1-t)t} \left(\frac{t}{1-t}\right)^{k+1} t^k \left(\frac{1}{1-t}\right)^l \\ &= \left[t^{n-2k-l}\right] \frac{-\log(1-t)}{(1-t)^{k+l+2}} = \left[t^{n-2k-l}\right] \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} H_n^{k+l+1} t^n \\ &= H_{n-2k-l}^{k+l+2}, \end{split}$$

and

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{l} H_{n-2k-l}^{k+l+2} = [t^{n}] \frac{-\log(1-t)}{t(1-t)} \frac{t}{1-t} \frac{1}{1-\frac{t^{2}}{1-t}} \frac{1}{1+\frac{t}{1-t}}$$

$$= [t^{n+1}] (-\log(1-t)) \frac{t}{1-t-t^{2}}$$

$$= [t^{n+1}] \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{t^{n}}{n} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} F_{n} t^{n}$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{n} \frac{F_{i}}{n-i+1},$$

as claimed. So, we have identity (3.2).

By Table 1, using same method in the proof of Theorem 3.1, identities in Table 2 can be find.

Table 1: \hat{R}_s arrays and generating functions A(t), B(t) for identities in Table 2.

Identities	\hat{R}_s	A(t)	B(t)
(3.3)	$\left(\frac{1}{1-t}; \frac{t}{1-t}, t; \frac{t}{1-t}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$	$\frac{1}{1+t}$
(3.4)	$\left(\frac{-\log(1-t)}{t(1-t)(1-pt)}; \frac{qt}{1-pt}, t; \frac{t}{1-t}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$	$\frac{1}{1+t}$
(3.5)	$\left(\frac{-\log(1+t)}{t(1+t)}; \frac{t}{1+t}, t; t\right)$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$	$\frac{t}{\log(1+t)}$
(3.6)	$\left(\frac{1}{1-t^2};\frac{t}{1-t},\frac{t}{1+t};\frac{t}{1-t^2}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1+t}$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$
(3.7)	$\left(\frac{e^{-t}}{1-t}; \frac{t}{1-t}, t; \frac{t}{1-t}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$	$\frac{1}{1+t}$
(3.8)	$\left(\frac{1}{1+t}; \frac{t}{1+t}, t; \frac{t}{1+t}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1+t}$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$
(3.9)	$\left(\frac{\log(1+t)}{t(1+t)}; \frac{t}{1+t}, t; t(1+t)\right)$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$	$\frac{-1+\sqrt{1+4t}}{2t}$
(3.10)	$\left(\frac{-\log(1-t)}{t(1-t)^2}; \frac{t}{1-t}, t; \frac{-\log(1-t)}{1-t}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$	$W_0(t)$
(3.11)	$\left(\frac{1}{1-t^2}; \frac{t}{1+t}, \frac{t}{1-t}; \frac{t}{1+t}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1+t}$	$-\log\left(1-t\right)$
(3.12)	$\left(\frac{1}{1-t^2}; \frac{t}{1+t}, \frac{t}{1-t}; \frac{t}{1-t}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1+t}$	$\log\left(1+t\right)$
(3.13)	$\left(\frac{1}{(1-t)^2}; \frac{t}{1-t}, t; \frac{-xt}{1-t}e^{-xt/(1-t)}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$	$W_0(t)$
(3.14)	$\left(\frac{1}{(1-t)^2}; \frac{t}{1-t}, t; \frac{-\log(1-t)}{1-t}\right)$	$\frac{1}{1-t}$	$W_0(t)$

(3.15)
$$\left(\frac{-\log(1+t)e^{-t}}{t(1-t^2)}; \frac{t}{1-t}, \frac{t}{1+t}; t\right) \qquad \frac{1}{1+t} \qquad \frac{e^t}{1+t}$$

In Table 2, $(\frac{1}{3})$ is the Legendre symbol and $I_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(-1)^i}{i}$ is the alternating harmonic number.

Table 2: Identities are obtained by using 3-dimensional double Riordan arrays and generating functions in Table 1.

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{l} \binom{n-k}{k+l} = F_{n-1}$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{l} \binom{n-k}{k+l+1} = F_{n}$$
(3.3)

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-l-2k+1} (-1)^{l} q^{k} p^{j} {j+k \choose j} H_{n-l-2k-j+1}^{l+1} = \sum_{j=0}^{n} \frac{U_{j+1}}{n-j+1}$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-l-2k} (-1)^{l} q^{k} p^{j} {j+k+1 \choose j} H_{n-l-2k-j}^{l+1} = \sum_{j=0}^{n} \sum_{i=0}^{j} \frac{p^{i} U_{j-i}}{n-j+1}$$
(3.4)

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \frac{(-1)^{l} H_{n-2k-l+1}^{k+1} \mathcal{C}_{l}}{l!} = F_{n+1}$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \frac{(-1)^{l} H_{n-2k-l}^{k+2} \mathcal{C}_{l}}{l!} = F_{n+2} - 1$$
(3.5)

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n+l} \frac{(-1)^{l+j} d_{n+l-j}^{k+l} d_{j}^{l+k}}{(n+l-j)! j!} = F_{n}$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n+l} \frac{(-1)^{l+j} d_{n+l-j}^{k+l+1} d_{j}^{l+k}}{(n+l-j)! j!} = F_{n+1}$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n+l} \frac{(-1)^{l+j+1} d_{n+l-j}^{k+l} d_{j}^{l+k+1}}{(n+l-j)! j!} = F_{n-2}$$
(3.6)

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{l} \frac{d_{n-k}^{l+k}}{(n-k)!} = \sum_{j=0}^{n} \frac{(-1)^{j} F_{n-j-1}}{j!}$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{l} \frac{d_{n-k}^{l+k+1}}{(n-k)!} = \sum_{j=0}^{n} \frac{(-1)^{j} F_{n-j}}{j!}$$
(3.7)

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{n-l-k-1} \binom{n-k}{l+k} = \left(\frac{n+2}{3}\right)$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} (-1)^{n-l-k-1} \binom{n-k}{l+k+1} = \left(\frac{n}{3}\right)$$
(3.8)

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2k-l} (-1)^{n+l+j} \frac{\binom{j+k}{j} C_l D_{n-2k-l-j}(l)}{(n-2k-l-j)!} = \sum_{j=0}^{n+1} H_{n-j+1} F_{j+1}$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2k-l-1} (-1)^{n+l+j+1} \frac{\binom{j+k+1}{j} C_l D_{n-2k-l-j-1}(l)}{(n-2k-l-j-1)!} = \sum_{j=0}^{n} H_{n-j}^2 F_{j+1}$$
(3.9)

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2k} \frac{(-l)^{l-1} {j+k+l \choose j}}{l!} H(n-2k-j+1,l) = \sum_{j=0}^{n+1} H(n-j+1,1) F_{j+1}$$

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2k} \frac{(-l)^{l-1} {j+k+l+1 \choose j}}{l!} H(n-2k-j,l) = \sum_{j=0}^{n} \sum_{i=0}^{j} H(j-i,1) F_{i+1}$$
(3.10)

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2k-l} \frac{(-1)^{k+j} \binom{n-k-l-j}{k} \binom{j+k+l}{j}}{l} = \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n}$$

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2k-l-1} \frac{(-1)^{k+j} \binom{n-k-l-j-1}{k} \binom{j+k+l+1}{j}}{l} = (-1)^{n} H_{n-1}$$
(3.11)

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n} \frac{(-1)^{l+j+1} d_{n-j}^{l+k} d_{j}^{k}}{j!(n-j)!l} = \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n} \frac{(-1)^{n+l+j+1} d_{n-j}^{l+k} d_{j}^{k+1}}{j!(n-j)!l} = I_{n-1}$$

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n} \frac{(-1)^{l+j+1} d_{n-j}^{l+k+1} d_{j}^{k}}{j!(n-j)!l} = H_{n-1}$$
(3.12)

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-l-2k} \frac{\binom{j+k+l}{j} (lx)^{l-1} L_{n-l-j-2k} (lx)}{l!} = F_{n+4} - n - 3$$

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-l-2k-1} \frac{\binom{j+k+l+1}{j} (lx)^{l-1} L_{n-l-j-2k-1} (lx)}{l!} = F_{n+5} - \frac{n^2 + 5n + 10}{2}$$
(3.13)

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2k} \frac{(-l)^{l-1} \binom{j+k+l}{j}}{l!} H\left(n-2k-j,l-1\right) = \sum_{j=0}^{n} H_{n-j} F_{j+1}$$

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2k-1} \frac{(-l)^{l-1} \binom{j+k+l+1}{j}}{l!} H\left(n-2k-j-1,l-1\right) = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} H_{n-j-1}^{2} F_{j+1}$$
(3.14)

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-k-l+1} \frac{(-1)^{j} d_{l} d_{j}^{k} H_{n-k-l-j+1}^{k+1}}{l! j!} = H_{n+1}$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-k-l+1} \frac{(-1)^{n+j+1} d_{l} d_{j}^{k+1} H_{n-k-l-j+1}^{k+1}}{l! j!} = \sum_{j=0}^{n} (-1)^{j} H_{j}$$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-l} \sum_{j=0}^{n-k-l} \frac{(-1)^{j} d_{l} d_{j}^{k} H_{n-k-l-j}^{k+2}}{l! j!} = H_{n}^{2}$$
(3.15)

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