

14.6.15  $\rho=2\eta \gg 0$   

$$\frac{F_0}{G_0/\sqrt{3}} \sim \frac{\Gamma(1/3)}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \left(\frac{2\eta}{3}\right)^{1/6}$$

$$\frac{F'_0}{-G'_0/\sqrt{3}} \sim \frac{\Gamma(2/3)}{2\sqrt{\pi}(2\eta/3)^{1/6}}$$

14.6.16  $\eta \rightarrow \infty$   

$$\sigma_0(\eta) \sim \left[\frac{\pi}{4} + \eta(\ln \eta - 1)\right]$$

$$C_0(\eta) \sim (2\pi\eta)^{1/2} e^{-\pi\eta}$$
 (Equality to 8S for  $\eta > 3$ .)

14.6.17  $\eta \rightarrow 0$   

$$\sigma_0(\eta) \sim -\gamma\eta \quad (\gamma = \text{Euler's constant})$$

$$C_L(\eta) \sim \frac{2^L L!}{(2L+1)!}$$

14.6.18  $L \rightarrow \infty$   

$$C_L(\eta) \sim \frac{2^L L!}{(2L+1)!} e^{-\pi\eta/2}$$

**Numerical Methods**

**14.7. Use and Extension of the Tables**

In general the tables as presented are not simply interpolable. However, values for  $L > 0$  may be obtained with the help of the recurrence relations. The values of  $G_L(\eta, \rho)$  may be obtained by applying the recurrence relations in increasing order of  $L$ . Forward recurrence may be used for  $F_L(\eta, \rho)$  as long as the instability does not produce errors in excess of the accuracy needed. In this case the backwards recurrence scheme (see Example 1) should be used.

**Example 1.** Compute  $F_L(\eta, \rho)$  and  $F'_L(\eta, \rho)$  for  $\eta=2, \rho=5, L=0(1)5$ . Starting with  $F_{10}^*=1, F_{11}^*=0$ , where  $F_L^*=cF_L$ , we compute from 14.2.3 in decreasing order of  $L$ :

$L$	(1) $F_L^*$	(2) $F_L$	(3) $F_L$	(4) $F'_L$
11	0.			
10	1.			
9	4.49284			
8	17.5225			
7	61.3603			
6	191.238			
5	523.472	.090791	.091	.1043
4	1238.53	.21481	.215	.2030
3	2486.72	.43130	.4313	.3205
2	4158.46	.72124	.72125	.3952
1	5727.97	.99346	.99347	.3709
0	6591.81	1.1433	1.1433	.29380

$F_0/F_0^* = 1.7344 \times 10^{-4} = c^{-1}$ .

The values in the second column are obtained from those in the first by multiplying by the normalization constant,  $F_0/F_0^*$  where  $F_0$  is the known value obtained from Table 14.1.

Repetition starting with  $F_{15}^*=1$  and  $F_{16}^*=0$  yields the same results.

In column 3, the results have been given when 14.2.3 is used in increasing order of  $L$ .

$F'_L$  (column 4) follows from 14.2.2.

**Example 2.** Compute  $G_L(\eta, \rho)$  and  $G'_L(\eta, \rho)$  for  $\eta=2, \rho=5, L=1(1)5$ .

Using 14.2.2 and  $G_0(2, 5) = .79445, G'_0 = -.67049$  from Table 14.1 we find  $G_1(2, 5) = 1.0815$ . Then by forward recurrence using 14.2.3 we find:

$L$	$G_L$	$-G'_L$ *
1	1.0815	.60286
2	1.4969	.56619
3	2.0487	.79597
4	3.0941	1.7318
5	5.6298	4.5493

The values of  $G'_L$  are obtained with 14.2.1.

**Example 3.** Compute  $G_0(\eta, \rho)$  for  $\eta=2, \rho=2.5$ .

From Table 14.1,  $G_0(2, 2) = 3.5124, G'_0(2, 2) = -2.5554$ . Successive differentiation of 14.1.1 for  $L=0$  gives

$$\rho \frac{d^{k+2}w}{d\rho^{k+2}} = (2\eta - \rho) \frac{d^k w}{d\rho^k} - k \left\{ \frac{d^{k+1}w}{d\rho^{k+1}} + \frac{d^{k-1}w}{d\rho^{k-1}} \right\}$$

Taylor's expansion is  $w(\rho + \Delta\rho) = w(\rho) + (\Delta\rho)w' + \frac{(\Delta\rho)^2}{2!} w'' + \dots$  With  $w = G_0(\eta, \rho)$  and  $\Delta\rho = .5$

we get:

$k$	$\frac{d^k G_0}{d\rho^k}$	$\frac{(\Delta\rho)^k}{k!} \frac{d^k G_0}{d\rho^k}$
0	3.5124	3.5124
1	-2.5554	-1.2777
2	3.5124	.43905
3	-6.0678	-.12641
4	12.136	.03160
5	-29.540	-.00769
6	83.352	.00181
7	-268.26	-.00042

$G_0(2, 2.5) = 2.5726$

As a check the result is obtained with  $\eta=2, \rho=3, \Delta\rho = -.5$ . The derivative  $G'_0(\eta, \rho)$  may be obtained using Taylor's formula with  $w = G'_0(\eta, \rho)$ .

\*See page 11.