

## SOME DOUBLE INTEGRALS INVOLVING MULTIVARIABLE *I*-FUNCTION

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**ABSTRACT.** A remarkably large number of integral formulas involving diverse special functions have been presented. In this sequel, we aim to establish two double definite integral formulas whose integrands include the multivariable *I*-function. The integral formulas presented here, being very general, are found to reduce to yield a large number of relatively simple integral formulas whose integrands contain various special functions deducible from the multivariable *I*-function, just two of which are demonstrated.

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### 1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

Prasad [11] introduced the multivariable *I*-function defined in terms of multiple Mellin-Barnes type integrals

$$I(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_r) = I_{p_2, q_2, p_3, q_3; \dots; p_r, q_r; p^{(1)}, q^{(1)}; \dots; p^{(r)}, q^{(r)}}^{0, n_2; 0, n_3; \dots; 0, n_r; m^{(1)}, n^{(1)}; \dots; m^{(r)}, n^{(r)}} \quad (1)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{c|cc} z_1 & (a_{2j}; \alpha'_{2j}, \alpha''_{2j})_{1,p_2}; \dots; & (a_{rj}; \alpha_{rj}^{(1)}, \dots, \alpha_{rj}^{(r)})_{1,p_r}; (a_j^{(1)}, \alpha_j^{(1)})_{1,p^{(1)}}; \dots; (a_j^{(r)}, \alpha_j^{(r)})_{1,p^{(r)}} \\ \vdots & (b_{2j}; \beta'_{2j}, \beta''_{2j})_{1,q_2}; \dots; & (b_{rj}; \beta_{rj}^{(1)}, \dots, \beta_{rj}^{(r)})_{1,q_r}; (b_j^{(1)}, \beta_j^{(1)})_{1,q^{(1)}}; \dots; (b_j^{(r)}, \beta_j^{(r)})_{1,q^{(r)}} \end{array} \right] \quad (2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi\omega)^r} \int_{\mathcal{L}_1} \cdots \int_{\mathcal{L}_r} \phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) \prod_{i=1}^r \phi_i(s_i) z_i^{s_i} ds_1 \cdots ds_r \quad (r \in \mathbb{N}, \omega = \sqrt{-1}), \quad (3)$$

where

$$\phi_i(s_i) = \frac{\prod_{j=1}^{m^{(i)}} \Gamma(b_j^{(i)} - \beta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=1}^{n^{(i)}} \Gamma(1 - a_j^{(i)} + \alpha_j^{(i)} s_i)}{\prod_{j=m^{(i)}+1}^{q^{(i)}} \Gamma(1 - b_j^{(i)} + \beta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=n^{(i)}+1}^{p^{(i)}} \Gamma(a_j^{(i)} - \alpha_j^{(i)} s_i)} \quad (i = 1, \dots, r) \quad (4)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) \\ &= \frac{\prod_{j=1}^{n_2} \Gamma(1 - a_{2j} + \sum_{i=1}^2 \alpha_{2j}^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=1}^{n_3} \Gamma(1 - a_{3j} + \sum_{i=1}^3 \alpha_{3j}^{(i)} s_i) \cdots}{\prod_{j=n_2+1}^{p_2} \Gamma(a_{2j} - \sum_{i=1}^2 \alpha_{2j}^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=n_3+1}^{p_3} \Gamma(a_{3j} - \sum_{i=1}^3 \alpha_{3j}^{(i)} s_i) \cdots} \\ & \quad \cdots \prod_{j=1}^{n_r} \Gamma(1 - a_{rj} + \sum_{i=1}^r \alpha_{rj}^{(i)} s_i) \\ & \quad \cdots \prod_{j=n_r+1}^{p_r} \Gamma(a_{rj} - \sum_{i=1}^r \alpha_{rj}^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=1}^{q_2} \Gamma(1 - b_{2j} - \sum_{i=1}^2 \beta_{2j}^{(i)} s_i) \\ & \quad \times \frac{1}{\prod_{j=1}^{q_3} \Gamma(1 - b_{3j} + \sum_{i=1}^3 \beta_{3j}^{(i)} s_i) \cdots \prod_{j=1}^{q_r} \Gamma(1 - b_{rj} - \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_{rj}^{(i)} s_i)}. \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

Here  $\Gamma$  is the familiar gamma function (see, e.g., [17, Section 1.1] and, in the following, let  $\mathbb{N}$  and  $\mathbb{R}^+$  be the sets of positive integers and positive real numbers, respectively. For the existence and convergence conditions of the multivariable  $I$ -function (1), we refer to [11]. For example, the condition for absolute convergence of multiple Mellin-Barnes type contour integral (1) can be obtained by extension of the corresponding conditions for multivariable  $H$ -function as follows:

$$|\arg z_i| < \frac{1}{2}\Omega_i\pi,$$

where, for  $i = 1, \dots, r$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega_i &= \sum_{k=1}^{n^{(i)}} \alpha_k^{(i)} - \sum_{k=n^{(i)}+1}^{p^{(i)}} \alpha_k^{(i)} + \sum_{k=1}^{m^{(i)}} \beta_k^{(i)} - \sum_{k=m^{(i)}+1}^{q^{(i)}} \beta_k^{(i)} \\ &+ \left( \sum_{k=1}^{n_2} \alpha_{2k}^{(i)} - \sum_{k=n_2+1}^{p_2} \alpha_{2k}^{(i)} \right) + \cdots + \left( \sum_{k=1}^{n_r} \alpha_{rk}^{(i)} - \sum_{k=n_r+1}^{p_r} \alpha_{rk}^{(i)} \right) \\ &- \left( \sum_{k=1}^{q_2} \beta_{2k}^{(i)} + \sum_{k=1}^{q_3} \beta_{3k}^{(i)} + \cdots + \sum_{k=1}^{q_r} \beta_{rk}^{(i)} \right). \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

We note that the multivariable  $I$ -function (1) generalizes the multivariable  $H$ -function (see [19, 20]), which has been investigated by many authors (see, e.g., [2, 3, 4, 9]).

In this paper, we aim to establish two double integral formulas involving the multivariable  $I$ -function (1). We also consider some special cases of the two integral formulas.

For simplicity, throughout this paper, we use the following notations:

$$U := p_2, q_2; p_3, q_3; \dots; p_{r-1}, q_{r-1}. \quad (7)$$

$$V := 0, n_2; 0, n_3; \dots; 0, n_{r-1}. \quad (8)$$

$$X := m^{(1)}, n^{(1)}; \dots; m^{(r)}, n^{(r)}. \quad (9)$$

$$Y := p^{(1)}, q^{(1)}; \dots; p^{(r)}, q^{(r)}. \quad (10)$$

$$\mathbb{A} := \left( a_{2k}; \alpha_{2k}^{(1)}, \alpha_{2k}^{(2)} \right)_{1,p_2}; \dots; \left( a_{(r-1)k}; \alpha_{(r-1)k}^{(1)}, \alpha_{(r-1)k}^{(2)}, \dots, \alpha_{(r-1)k}^{(r-1)} \right)_{1,p_{r-1}}. \quad (11)$$

$$A := \left( a_{rk}; \alpha_{rk}^{(1)}, \alpha_{rk}^{(2)}, \dots, \alpha_{rk}^{(r)} \right)_{1,p_r}. \quad (12)$$

$$\mathbf{A} := \left( a_k^{(1)}, \alpha_k^{(1)} \right)_{1,p^{(1)}}; \dots; \left( a_k^{(r)}, \alpha_k^{(r)} \right)_{1,p^{(r)}}. \quad (13)$$

$$\mathbb{B} := \left( b_{2k}; \beta_{2k}^{(1)}, \beta_{2k}^{(2)} \right)_{1,q_2}; \dots; \left( b_{(r-1)k}; \beta_{(r-1)k}^{(1)}, \beta_{(r-1)k}^{(2)}, \dots, \beta_{(r-1)k}^{(r-1)} \right)_{1,q_{r-1}}. \quad (14)$$

$$B := \left( b_{rk}; \beta_{rk}^{(1)}, \beta_{rk}^{(2)}, \dots, \beta_{rk}^{(r)} \right)_{1,q_r}. \quad (15)$$

$$\mathbf{B} := \left( b_k^{(1)}, \beta_k^{(1)} \right)_{1,q^{(1)}}; \dots; \left( b_k^{(r)}, \beta_k^{(r)} \right)_{1,q^{(r)}}. \quad (16)$$

## 2. REQUIRED INTEGRALS

Some known integral formulas are recalled in the following lemma.

**Lemma 1.** *Each of the following integral formulas holds.*

$$\int_0^1 x^\rho P_v(x) dx = \frac{\sqrt{\pi} 2^{-\rho-1} \Gamma(\rho+1)}{\Gamma(1 + \frac{\rho-v}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\rho+v+3}{2})} \quad (\Re(\rho) > -1); \quad (17)$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 (x+1)^\rho P_v(x) dx = \frac{2^{\rho+1} \Gamma^2(\rho+1)}{\Gamma(\rho+v+2) \Gamma(\rho-v+1)} \quad (\Re(\rho) > -1); \quad (18)$$

$$\int_0^1 x^{\mu-1} (1-x^\lambda)^{v-1} dx = \frac{1}{\lambda} B\left(\frac{\mu}{\lambda}, v\right) \quad (\min\{\Re(\mu), \Re(v)\} > 0, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}^+); \quad (19)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_0^1 x^{\rho-1} (1-x)^{\rho-1} {}_2F_1 \left[ \begin{array}{c} a, b; \\ \frac{1}{2}(a+b+1); \end{array} x \right] dx \\
 &= \frac{\pi \Gamma(\rho) 2^{-2\rho+1} \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1}{2}b + \frac{1}{2}) \Gamma(\rho - \frac{1}{2}a - \frac{1}{2}b + \frac{1}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}b + \frac{1}{2}) \Gamma(\rho - \frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1}{2}) \Gamma(\rho - \frac{1}{2}b + \frac{1}{2})} \\
 & \quad \left( \Re(\rho) > 0, \Re\left(\rho + \frac{1-a-b}{2}\right) > 0 \right), \tag{20}
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $P_v(x)$  is the Legendre polynomial,  $B(\alpha, \beta)$  is the beta function, and  ${}_2F_1$  is the hypergeometric function.

*Proof.* For (17), (18), (19), and (20), we refer, for example, respectively, to [7, p. 1187, Entry 7.126-1], [7, p. 1187, Entry 7.127-1], [7, p. 500, Entry 3.251-1], and [10, p. 73, Eq. (3.1.22)].

### 3. MAIN INTEGRALS

We present two double definite integrals involving the multivariable  $I$ -function (1) asserted by Theorems 2 and 3.

**Theorem 2.** Let  $h_i, k_i \in \mathbb{R}^+$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ),  $\Re(\rho) > 0$ ,  $\Re(\rho + \frac{1-a-b}{2}) > 0$ , and  $\Re(\sigma) > -1$ . Also let

$$\Re(1+\sigma) + \sum_{i=1}^r h_i \min_{1 \leq j \leq m^{(i)}} \Re\left(\frac{b_j^{(i)}}{\beta_j^{(i)}}\right) > 0, \quad \Re(\rho) + \sum_{i=1}^r k_i \min_{1 \leq j \leq m^{(i)}} \Re\left(\frac{b_j^{(i)}}{\beta_j^{(i)}}\right) > 0,$$

and

$$\Re\left(\frac{1-a-b}{2} + \rho\right) + \sum_{i=1}^r k_i \min_{1 \leq j \leq m^{(i)}} \Re\left(\frac{b_j^{(i)}}{\beta_j^{(i)}}\right) > 0.$$

Further let  $\left| \arg\left(z_i x^{h_i} y^{k_i} (1-y)^{k_i}\right) \right| < \frac{1}{2}\Omega_i \pi$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ) with  $\Omega_i$  the same as in (6). Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_0^1 \int_0^1 x^\sigma y^{\rho-1} (1-y)^{\rho-1} P_v(x) {}_2F_1 \left[ \begin{array}{c} a, b; \\ \frac{1}{2}(a+b+1); \end{array} x \right] I \left( \begin{array}{c} z_1 x^{h_1} y^{k_1} (1-y)^{k_1} \\ \vdots \\ z_r x^{h_r} y^{k_r} (1-y)^{k_r} \end{array} \right) dx dy \\
 &= \frac{\sqrt{\pi^3} \Gamma(\frac{a+b+1}{2})}{2^{2\rho+\sigma-1} \Gamma(\frac{a+1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{b+1}{2})} I_{U:p_r+3,q_r+4;Y}^{V:0,n_r+3;X} \left( \begin{array}{c} z_1 2^{-2k_1-h_1} \\ \vdots \\ z_r 2^{-2k_r-h_r} \end{array} \middle| \begin{array}{c} \mathbb{A}: A_1, A_2, A_3, A : \mathbf{A} \\ \vdots \\ \mathbb{B}: B, B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4 : \mathbf{B} \end{array} \right), \tag{21}
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $A_1 =: (-\sigma; h_1, \dots, h_r)$ ,  $A_2 =: (1 - \rho; k_1, \dots, k_r)$ ,  $A_3 =: (\frac{1+a+b}{2} - \rho; k_1, \dots, k_r)$ ,  
 $B_1 =: \left(\frac{v-\sigma}{2}; \frac{h_1}{2}, \dots, \frac{h_r}{2}\right)$ ,  $B_2 =: \left(-\frac{v+\sigma+1}{2}; \frac{h_1}{2}, \dots, \frac{h_r}{2}\right)$ ,  
 $B_3 =: \left(-\rho + \frac{1+a}{2}; k_1, \dots, k_r\right)$ , and  $B_4 =: \left(-\rho + \frac{1+b}{2}; k_1, \dots, k_r\right)$ .

*Proof.* We denote the left side of (21) by  $\mathcal{I}_1$ . Then expressing the  $I$ -function of several variables in terms of Mellin-Barnes contour integral with the help of (1), and changing the order of integrations, which is permissible under the stated conditions, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_1 &= \frac{1}{(2\pi\omega)^r} \int_{\mathcal{L}_1} \cdots \int_{\mathcal{L}_r} \phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) \prod_{k=1}^r \phi_k(s_k) z_k^{s_k} \left[ \int_0^1 x^{\sigma + \sum_{i=1}^r h_i s_i} P_v(x) dx \right] \\ &\times \left[ \int_0^1 y^{\rho-1+\sum_{i=1}^r k_i s_i} (1-y)^{\rho-1+\sum_{i=1}^r k_i s_i} {}_2F_1 \left[ \begin{array}{c} a, b; \\ \frac{1}{2}(a+b+1); \end{array} x \right] dy \right] ds_1 \cdots ds_r. \end{aligned} \quad (22)$$

We evaluate the inner  $x$ - and  $y$ -integrals in (22) with the help of the integral formulas in Lemma 1 and obtain

$$\int_0^1 x^{\sigma + \sum_{i=1}^r h_i s_i} P_v(x) dx = \frac{\sqrt{\pi} 2^{-\sigma-1-\sum_{i=1}^r h_i s_i} \Gamma(\sigma+1+\sum_{i=1}^r h_i s_i)}{\Gamma\left(1+\frac{\sigma-v}{2}+\frac{\sum_{i=1}^r h_i s_i}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\sigma+v+3}{2}+\frac{\sum_{i=1}^r h_i s_i}{2}\right)} \quad (23)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_0^1 y^{\rho-1+\sum_{i=1}^r k_i s_i} (1-y)^{\rho-1+\sum_{i=1}^r k_i s_i} {}_2F_1 \left[ \begin{array}{c} a, b; \\ \frac{1}{2}(a+b+1); \end{array} x \right] dy \\ &= \frac{\pi \Gamma\left(\frac{a+b+1}{2}\right)}{2^{2\rho+\sigma-1} \Gamma\left(\frac{a+1}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{b+1}{2}\right)} \frac{\Gamma(\rho+\sum_{i=1}^r k_i s_i) \Gamma(\rho-\frac{1}{2}a-\frac{1}{2}b+\frac{1}{2}+\sum_{i=1}^r k_i s_i)}{2^{2\sum_{i=1}^r k_i s_i} \Gamma(\rho-\frac{1}{2}a+\frac{1}{2}+\sum_{i=1}^r k_i s_i) \Gamma(\rho-\frac{1}{2}b+\frac{1}{2}+\sum_{i=1}^r k_i s_i)}. \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

Finally, substituting the equations (23) and (24) in (22) and reinterpreting the resulting multiple Mellin-Barnes contour integral in terms of  $I$ -function of  $r$ -variables, we obtain the desired result (21).

**Theorem 3.** Let  $h_i, k_i \in \mathbb{R}^+$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ),  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^+$ ,  $\Re(v) > 0$ ,  $\Re(\rho) > 0$ , and  $\Re(\sigma) > -1$ . Also let

$$\Re(1+\sigma) + \sum_{i=1}^r h_i \min_{1 \leq j \leq m^{(i)}} \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{b_j^{(i)}}{\beta_j^{(i)}} \right) > 0, \quad \Re(\tau) + \sum_{i=1}^r k_i \min_{1 \leq j \leq m^{(i)}} \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{b_j^{(i)}}{\beta_j^{(i)}} \right) > 0,$$

and

$$\Re\left(\frac{\tau}{\lambda}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^r \frac{k_i}{\lambda} \min_{1 \leq j \leq m^{(i)}} \Re\left(\frac{b_j^{(i)}}{\beta_j^{(i)}}\right) > 0.$$

Further let

$$\left| \arg \left[ z_i (1-x)^{h_i} y^{k_i} (1-y^\lambda)^{k_i} \right] \right| < \frac{1}{2} \Omega_i \pi,$$

where  $\Omega_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ) are the same in (6). Then

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{-1}^1 \int_0^1 (x+1)^\sigma y^{\tau-1} (1-y^\lambda)^{\tau-1} P_v(x) I \begin{pmatrix} z_1 (1-x)^{h_1} y^{k_1} (1-y^\lambda)^{k_1} \\ \vdots \\ z_r (1-x)^{h_r} y^{k_r} (1-y^\lambda)^{k_r} \end{pmatrix} dx dy \\ &= \frac{2^{\sigma+1}}{\lambda} I_{U:p_r+4,q_r+3;Y}^{V:0,n_r+4;X} \begin{pmatrix} z_1 2^{h_1} & | & \mathbb{A}: C_1, C_1, C_2, C_3, A : \mathbf{A} \\ \vdots & | & \vdots \\ z_r 2^{h_r} & | & \mathbb{B}: B, D_1, D_2, D_3 : \mathbf{B} \end{pmatrix}, \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

where  $C_1 := (-\sigma; h_1, \dots, h_r)$ ,  $C_2 =: \left(1 - \frac{\tau}{\lambda}; \frac{k_1}{\lambda}, \dots, \frac{k_r}{\lambda}\right)$ ,  $C_3 =: (1 - \tau; k_1, \dots, k_r)$ ,  $D_1 := (-1 - \sigma - v; h_1, \dots, h_r)$ ,  $D_2 =: (v - \sigma; h_1, \dots, h_r)$ ,  $D_3 =: \left(1 - \tau - \frac{\tau}{\lambda}; \frac{k_1}{\lambda}, \dots, \frac{k_r}{\lambda}\right)$ .

*Proof.* A similar argument as in the proof of Theorem 3 will establish the result here. We omit the details.

#### 4. SPECIAL CASES AND REMARKS

The integral formulas in Theorems 2 and 3, being very general, can be specialized to yield a number of relatively simple integral formulas involving certain special functions reducible from the multivariable  $I$ -function (1). Here we demonstrate only two integral formulas in the following corollaries.

To do this, let  $U = V = \mathbb{A} = \mathbb{B} = 0$ . Then the multivariable  $I$ -function reduces to the multivariable  $H$ -function (see, e.g., [2, 3, 4, 9, 11]). Also let

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega'_i &=: \sum_{k=1}^{n^{(i)}} \alpha_k^{(i)} - \sum_{k=n^{(i)}+1}^{p^{(i)}} \alpha_k^{(i)} + \sum_{k=1}^{m^{(i)}} \beta_k^{(i)} - \sum_{k=m^{(i)}+1}^{q^{(i)}} \beta_k^{(i)} + \sum_{k=1}^{n_s} \alpha_{sk}^{(i)} - \sum_{k=n_s+1}^{p_s} \alpha_{sk}^{(i)} - \sum_{k=1}^{q_s} \beta_{sk}^{(i)} \\ &\quad (i = 1, \dots, r). \end{aligned} \quad (26)$$

We consider only two special cases of the main results, given in Corollaries 4 and 5.

**Corollary 4.** Let  $\left| \arg \left( z_i x^{h_i} y^{k_i} (1 - y) \right) \right| < \frac{1}{2} \Omega'_i \pi$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ) with  $\Omega'_i$  the same as in (26). Also let the other conditions and notations be the same as in Theorem 2. Then

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{-1}^1 \int_0^1 (x+1)^\sigma y^{\tau-1} (1-y^\lambda)^{\tau-1} P_v(x) {}_2F_1 \left[ \begin{array}{c} a, b; \\ \frac{1}{2}(a+b+1); \end{array} x \right] H \left[ \begin{array}{c} z_1 x^{h_1} y^{k_1} (1-y)^{k_1} \\ \vdots \\ z_r x^{h_r} y^{k_r} (1-y)^{k_r} \end{array} \right] dx dy \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{\pi^3} \Gamma(\frac{a+b+1}{2})}{2^{2\rho+\sigma-1} \Gamma(\frac{a+1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{b+1}{2})} H_{p_r+3, q_r+4; Y}^{0, n_r+3; X} \left[ \begin{array}{c|c} z_1 2^{-2k_1-h_1} & A_1, A_2, A_3, A : \mathbf{A} \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ z_r 2^{-2k_r-h_r} & B, B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4 : \mathbf{B} \end{array} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (27)$$

**Corollary 5.** Let

$$\left| \arg \left[ z_i (1-x)^{h_i} y^{k_i} (1-y^\lambda)^{k_i} \right] \right| < \frac{1}{2} \Omega'_i \pi,$$

where  $\Omega'_i$  ( $i = 1, \dots, r$ ) are the same in (26). Also let the other conditions and notations be the same as in Theorem 3. Then

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{-1}^1 \int_0^1 (x+1)^\sigma y^{\tau-1} (1-y^\lambda)^{\tau-1} P_v(x) H \left[ \begin{array}{c} z_1 (1-x)^{h_1} y^{k_1} (1-y^\lambda)^{k_1} \\ \vdots \\ z_r (1-x)^{h_r} y^{k_r} (1-y^\lambda)^{k_r} \end{array} \right] dx dy \\ &= \frac{2^{\sigma+1}}{\lambda} H_{p_r+4, q_r+3; Y}^{0, n_r+4; X} \left[ \begin{array}{c|c} z_1 2^{h_1} & C_1, C_1, C_2, C_3, A : \mathbf{A} \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ z_r 2^{h_r} & B, D_1, D_2, D_3 : \mathbf{B} \end{array} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (28)$$

A similar argument given above will establish a large number of integral formulas whose integrand include diverse special functions such as the multivariable  $A$ -function (see [6]), the multivariable Aleph-function (see [1]), the Aleph-function of two variables (see [8]; see also [15]), the  $I$ -function of two variables (see [16]), the  $H$ -function of two variables (see [18]; see also [13]), the Aleph-function of one variable (see [21, 22]), the  $I$ -function of one variable (see [14]), the  $A$ -function of one variable (see [5]).

## 5. CONCLUSION

We established two double definite integral formulas whose integrands include the multivariable  $I$ -function. The integral formulas presented here, being very general, are found to reduce in a large number of relatively simple integral formulas

whose integrands contain various special functions deducible from the multivariable  $I$ -function. The multivariable  $I$ -function can also be suitably specialized to yield a large number of special functions of one or several variables or product of several such special functions which are expressible in terms of  $E$ ,  $G$  and  $H$ -functions of one, two and more variables.

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