

Computational and Numerical Methods for Combinatorial Geometric Series and its Applications

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Abstract: The growing complexity of mathematical and computational modelling demands the simplicity of mathematical and computational equations for solving today's scientific problems and challenges. This paper presents combinatorial geometric series, innovative binomial coefficients, combinatorial equations, binomial expansions, calculus with combinatorial geometric series, and innovative binomial theorems. Combinatorics involves integers, factorials, binomial coefficients, discrete mathematics, and theoretical computer science for finding solutions to the problems in computing and engineering science. The combinatorial geometric series with binomial expansions and its theorems refer to the methodological advances which are useful for researchers who are working in computational science. Computational science is a rapidly growing multi-and inter-disciplinary area where science, engineering, computation, mathematics, and collaboration use advance computing capabilities to understand and solve the most complex real life problems.

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1. Introduction

In the earlier days, geometric series served as a vital role in the development of differential and integral calculus and as an introduction to Taylor series and Fourier series. In this article, combinatorial geometric series with binomial expansion and its relationship and theorems are introduced in an innovative way. Combinatorial geometric series is derived from the multiple summations of a geometric series with annamalai's binomial coefficients. Nowadays, the combinatorial geometric series and its binomial identities and binomial theorems [1-17] have significant applications in science, engineering, economics, queuing theory, computation, combinatorics, management, and medicine [4].

1.1 Geometric Series with Powers of Two

Let us develop the sum of geometric series [7-11] with exponents of 2 independently as follows:

$$2^n = 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1} = 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-2} = \dots = 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-3} + \dots + 2^k + 2^k$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^k + 2^{k+2} + 2^{k+3} + \dots + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-1} = 2^n - 2^k \Rightarrow \sum_{i=k}^n 2^i = 2^{n+1} - 2^k.$$

In the geometric series if $k = 0$, then $\sum_{i=0}^n 2^i = 2^{n+1} - 1$, $(k, n \in N)$,

where $N = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ is set of natural numbers including zero element.

1.2 Traditional Binomial Coefficient

The factorial function or factorial [34, 35] of a nonnegative integer n , denoted by $n!$, is the product of all positive integers less than or equal to n . For examples, $3! = 1 \times 2 \times 3 = 6$ and $0! = 1$.

A binomial coefficient is always an integer that denotes $\binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$, where $n, r \in N$.

Here, $\binom{n+r}{r} = \frac{(n+r)!}{r!n!} \Rightarrow (n+r) = l \times r!n!$, where l is an integer.

2. Binomial Expansions and Combinatorial Geometric Series

When the author of this article was trying to develop the multiple summations of geometric series, a new idea was stimulated his mind for establishing a novel binomial series along with an innovative binomial coefficient [18-22].

$$\sum_{i_1=0}^n \sum_{i_2=i_1}^n \sum_{i_3=i_2}^n \cdots \sum_{i_r=i_{r-1}}^n x^{i_r} = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^r x^i \quad \& \quad V_r^n = \frac{(r+1)(r+2)(r+3) \cdots (r+n-1)(r+n)}{n!},$$

where $n \geq 1, r \geq 0$ and $n, r \in N$.

Here, $\sum_{i=0}^n V_i^r x^i$ and V_r^n refer to the binomial series and binomial coefficient respectively.

Let us compare the binomial coefficient V_x^y with the traditional binomial coefficient as follows:

Let $z = x + y$. Then, $\binom{z}{x} = zC_x = \frac{z!}{x!y!}$. Here, $V_x^y = V_y^x \Rightarrow zC_x = zC_y, (x, y, z \in N)$.

For example, $V_3^5 = V_5^3 = (5+3)C_3 = (5+3)C_5 = 56$.

Also, $V_n^0 = V_0^n = nC_0 = nC_n = \frac{n!}{n!0!} = 1$ and $V_0^0 = 0C_0 = \frac{0!}{0!} = 1 (\because 0! = 1)$.

2.1 Computation of Combinatorial Geometric Series

The combinatorial Geometric Series [18-21] is constituted by double summations of a geometric series as follows:

$$\sum_{i_1=0}^n \sum_{i_2=i_1}^n x^{i_2} = \sum_{i_2=0}^n x^{i_2} + \sum_{i_2=1}^n x^{i_2} + \sum_{i_2=2}^n x^{i_2} + \cdots + \sum_{i_2=n}^n x^{i_2} = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \cdots + (n+1)x^n,$$

$$\text{that is,} \quad 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \cdots + (n+1)x^n = \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)x^i = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^1 x^i.$$

The triple summations of a geometric series compute the following combinatorial geometric series:

$$\sum_{i_1=0}^n \sum_{i_2=i_1}^n \sum_{i_3=i_2}^n x^{i_3} = \sum_{i_2=0}^n \sum_{i_3=i_2}^n x^{i_3} + \sum_{i_2=1}^n \sum_{i_3=i_2}^n x^{i_3} + \sum_{i_2=2}^n \sum_{i_3=i_2}^n x^{i_3} + \cdots + \sum_{i_2=n}^n \sum_{i_3=i_2}^n x^{i_3} = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^2 x^i.$$

Similarly, we can obtain the combinatorial geometric series which is computed by multiple summations of a series.

$$\sum_{i=0}^n V_i^r x^i = \sum_{i_1=0}^n \sum_{i_2=i_1}^n \sum_{i_3=i_2}^n \cdots \sum_{i_r=i_{r-1}}^n x^{i_r}.$$

Note that the geometric series $\sum_{i=0}^n x^i = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^0 x^i$ is also a combinatorial geometric series.

2.2 First Derivative of Geometric Series

Differentiation is the derivative [25] of a function with respect to an independent variable. In this section, a geometric series is considered as the function of independent variable x .

The function of geometric series is $f(x) = \sum_{i=0}^r x^i = 1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots + x^r = \frac{x^{r+1} - 1}{x - 1}$.

The first derivative of geometric series is built as follows:

$$f^1(x) = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + 4x^3 \dots + rx^{r-1} = f^1\left(\frac{x^{r+1} - 1}{x - 1}\right) = \frac{(rx - r - 1)x^r + 1}{(x - 1)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_0^1 + V_1^1 x + V_2^1 x^2 + V_3^1 x^3 \dots + V_{r-1}^1 x^{r-1} = \frac{(rx - r - 1)x^r + 1}{(x - 1)^2}, (x \neq 1).$$

By substituting $x = 2$ in $f^1(x)$, we get the mathematical equation as follows:

$$1 + 2(2) + 3(2)^2 + 4(2)^3 + \dots + r2^{r-1} = \frac{(r - 1)2^r + 1}{(2 - 1)^2} = (r - 1)2^r + 1.$$

Similarly, we get the following equations by substituting the values of x :

$$\text{For } x = 3, \quad 1 + 2(3) + 3(3)^2 + 4(3)^3 + \dots + r3^{r-1} = \frac{(2r - 1)3^r + 1}{(3 - 1)^2} = \frac{(2r - 1)3^r + 1}{2^2}.$$

$$\text{For } x = 4, \quad 1 + 2(4) + 3(4)^2 + 4(4)^3 \dots + r4^{r-1} = \frac{(3r - 1)4^r + 1}{(4 - 1)^2} = \frac{(3r - 1)4^r + 1}{3^2}.$$

$$\text{For any number } k \text{ that is equal to } x, \text{ we get the equation } \sum_{i=0}^{r-1} V_i^1 k^i = \frac{(kr - r - 1)k^r + 1}{(k - 1)^2}.$$

2.3 Derivative of Geometric Series without Differentiation

Differentiation [25] is a method of finding the derivative of a function.

The sum of the geometric series is $\sum_{i=0}^n x^i = \frac{x^{n+1} - 1}{x - 1}$, which is a function of x .

The first derivative of geometric series is computed without using differentiation as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} x^i + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} x^i + \sum_{i=2}^{n-1} x^i + \dots + \sum_{i=n-2}^{n-1} x^i + \sum_{i=n-1}^{n-1} x^i \\ &= \frac{x^n - 1}{x - 1} + \frac{x^n - x}{x - 1} + \frac{x^n - x^2}{x - 1} + \dots + \frac{x^n - x^{n-2}}{x - 1} + \frac{x^n - x^{n-1}}{x - 1}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Here, } \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} x^i + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} x^i + \sum_{i=2}^{n-1} x^i + \dots + \sum_{i=n-2}^{n-1} x^i + \sum_{i=n-1}^{n-1} x^i = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (i + 1)x^i \text{ and}$$

$$\frac{x^n - 1}{x - 1} + \frac{x^n - x}{x - 1} + \frac{x^n - x^2}{x - 1} + \dots + \frac{x^n - x^{n-2}}{x - 1} + \frac{x^n - x^{n-1}}{x - 1} = \frac{nx^n - \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} x^i}{x - 1}$$

$$= \frac{nx^n - \left(\frac{x^n - 1}{x - 1}\right)}{x - 1} = \frac{(nx - n - 1)x^n + 1}{(x - 1)^2}.$$

Thus,
$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (i+1)x^i = \frac{(nx - n - 1)x^n + 1}{(x-1)^2}, \quad (x \neq 1).$$

Note that
$$\sum_{i=k}^{n-1} (i+1)x^i = \frac{((n-k)x - (n-k) - 1)x^n + x^k}{(x-1)^2}, \quad (x \neq 1).$$

These results denote the first derivative [5] of geometric series.

2.4 Binomial Expansions equal to Multiple of 2

Let us develop some series of binomial coefficients or binomial expansions [18-22] which are equal to the multiple of 2 or exponents of 2 or both.

$$(1) \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^{n-i} = 2^n. \quad (2) \sum_{i=0}^n i \times V_i^{n-i} = n2^{n-1}. \quad (3) \sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)V_i^{n-i} = (n+2)2^{n-1}.$$

$$(4) \sum_{i=0}^n (i-1)V_i^{n-i} = (n-2)2^{n-1}, \quad V_r^n = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{(r+i)}{n!}, \quad (n \geq 1, r \geq 0 \text{ \& } n, r \in N).$$

2.5 Relations between Binomial Expansion and Combinatorial Geometric Series

Relation 1:
$$\sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)V_i^{n-i} + \sum_{i=0}^n (i-1)V_i^{n-i} = \sum_{i=0}^n i \times V_i^{n-i} = n2^{n-1}.$$

Proof: Let us simplify the general terms in the two parts of binomial expansions (Relation 1) as follows:

$$(i+1)V_i^{n-i} + (i-1)V_i^{n-i} = 2iV_i^{n-i}. \text{ This idea can be applied to Relation 1.}$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)V_i^{n-i} + \sum_{i=0}^n (i-1)V_i^{n-i} = 2 \sum_{i=0}^n iV_i^{n-i} = (n+2)2^{n-1} + (n-2)2^{n-1} = 2n2^{n-1}.$$

$$\text{Then, } 2 \sum_{i=0}^n iV_i^{n-i} = 2n2^{n-1} \Rightarrow \sum_{i=0}^n iV_i^{n-i} = n2^{n-1}.$$

Hence, Relation 1 is proved.

Relation 2:
$$\sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)V_i^{n-i} - \sum_{i=0}^n (i-1)V_i^{n-i} = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^{n-i} = 2^n.$$

Proof: Let us simplify the general terms in the two parts of binomial expansions (Relation 2) as follows:

$$(i+1)V_i^{n-i} - (i-1)V_i^{n-i} = 2V_i^{n-i}. \text{ This idea can be applied to Relation 2.}$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n (i+1)V_i^{n-i} - \sum_{i=0}^n (i-1)V_i^{n-i} = 2 \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^{n-i} = (n+2)2^{n-1} - (n-2)2^{n-1} = 4 \times 2^{n-1}.$$

$$\text{Then, } 2 \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^{n-i} = 22^n \Rightarrow \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^{n-i} = 2^n.$$

Hence, Relation 2 is proved.

2.6 Annamalai's Binomial Expansion

Let $n, r \in N = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$. The Annamalai's binomial identity [19] is given below:

$$V_0^r + V_1^r + V_2^r + \dots + V_n^r = V_{n+1}^{r+1} \Leftrightarrow V_n^0 + V_n^1 + V_n^2 + \dots + V_n^r = V_{n+1}^r, (\because V_n^r = V_r^n).$$

From the binomial identity $V_0^r + V_1^r + V_2^r + \dots + V_n^r = V_{n+1}^{r+1}$, we can derive the following binomial expansions:

$$\begin{aligned} (1). \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^0 &= \sum_{i=0}^n 1 = 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 1 = \frac{(n+1)}{1!}. \\ (2). \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^1 &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{(i+1)}{1!} = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n + (n+1) = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2!}. \\ (3). \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^2 &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{(i+1)(i+2)}{2!} = 1 + 3 + \dots + \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2!} = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)}{3!}. \\ (4). \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^3 &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{(i+1)(i+2)(i+3)}{3!} = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)(n+4)}{4!}. \\ (5). \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^4 &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{(i+1)(i+2)(i+3)(i+4)}{4!} = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)(n+4)(n+5)}{5!}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we can continue this process up to r times. The r^{th} binomial expansion is as follows:

$$(r). \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^r = \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{(i+1)(i+2)(i+3) \dots (i+r)}{r!} = \frac{(n+1)(n+2) \dots (n+r)(n+r+1)}{(r+1)!},$$

From the binomial identity $V_n^0 + V_n^1 + V_n^2 + \dots + V_n^r = V_{n+1}^r$, we can derive the following binomial expansions.

$$\begin{aligned} (i). \sum_{i=0}^r V_0^i &= V_1^r \Rightarrow 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 1 = r + 1, (\because V_0^r = 1 \text{ for } r = 0, 1, 2, \dots). \\ (ii). \sum_{i=0}^r V_1^i &= V_2^r \Rightarrow 1 + \frac{2}{1!} + \frac{2 \times 3}{2!} + \dots + \frac{2 \times 3 \times 4 \times \dots \times r}{r!} = \frac{3 \times 4 \times 5 \times \dots \times r \times (r+1)}{r!}. \\ (iii). \sum_{i=0}^r V_2^i &= V_3^r \Rightarrow 1 + \frac{3}{1!} + \frac{3 \times 4}{2!} + \dots + \frac{3 \times 4 \times 5 \times \dots \times r}{r!} = \frac{4 \times 5 \times 6 \times \dots \times r \times (r+1)}{r!}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, the binomial expansion for $\sum_{i=0}^r V_n^i = V_{n+1}^r$ is given below:

$$\begin{aligned} 1 + \frac{(n+1)}{1!} + \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2!} + \frac{(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)}{3!} + \dots + \frac{(n+1)(n+2) \dots (n+r)}{r!} \\ = \frac{(n+2)(n+3) \dots (n+r)(n+r+1)}{r!}. \end{aligned}$$

These expressions are called Annamalai's binomial expansions.

2.7 Annamalai's Binomial Identity and Theorem

A binomial theorem [9, 10] is constituted using the Annamalai's binomial identities [19] given below:

$$(i) \quad V_n^0 = V_0^n = 1 \text{ for } n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$(ii) \quad V_r^m = V_m^r, \quad (m, r \geq 1 \text{ \& } m, r \in N).$$

$$(iii) \quad \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^n = V_r^{n+1} \quad (OR) \quad \sum_{i=0}^r V_n^i = V_{n+1}^r, \quad (\because V_r^m = V_m^r \text{ \& } V_n^0 = V_0^n = 1).$$

$$\textbf{Theorem 2.1:} \quad \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^0 + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^1 + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^2 + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^3 + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^n = V_{r+1}^{n+1} - 1.$$

$$\textit{Proof.} \quad \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^0 = V_r^1; \quad \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^1 = V_r^2; \quad \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^2 = V_r^3; \quad \dots; \quad \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^n = V_r^{n+1}.$$

By adding these expressions on the both sides, we get

$$\sum_{i=0}^r V_i^0 + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^1 + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^2 + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^3 + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^n = \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} V_r^i$$

$$\text{Here,} \quad \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} V_r^i = V_r^0 + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} V_r^i - V_r^0 = \sum_{i=0}^{n+1} V_r^i - 1 = V_{r+1}^{n+1} - 1, \quad (\because V_r^0 = 1).$$

$$\therefore \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^0 + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^1 + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^2 + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^3 + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^r V_i^n = V_{r+1}^{n+1} - 1.$$

Hence, theorem is proved.

$$\text{Note that} \quad \sum_{i=0}^r V_0^i + \sum_{i=0}^r V_1^i + \sum_{i=0}^r V_2^i + \sum_{i=0}^r V_3^i + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^r V_n^i = V_{n+1}^{r+1} - 1.$$

2.8 Combinatorial Geometric Series and Theorem

This Annamalai's binomial expansion is applied into the following binomial series:

$$\sum_{i=0}^n V_i^r x^i = \sum_{i=0}^n \prod_{j=1}^r \frac{i+j}{r!} x^i.$$

The following theorem is derived from the Annamalai's binomial series [19].

$$\textbf{Theorem 2.2:} \quad \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^{r+1} x^i = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^r x^i + \sum_{i=1}^n V_{i-1}^r x^i + \sum_{i=2}^n V_{i-2}^r x^i + \dots + \sum_{i=n}^n V_{i-n}^r x^i.$$

Proof: Let's show that the computation of summations of the binomial series (right-hand side of the theorem) is equal to the binomial series (left-hand side of the theorem).

$$\sum_{i=0}^n V_i^r x^i + \sum_{i=1}^n V_{i-1}^r x^i + \sum_{i=2}^n V_{i-2}^r x^i + \dots + \sum_{i=n-1}^n V_{i-(n-1)}^r x^i + \sum_{i=n}^n V_{i-n}^r x^i$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (V_0^r + V_1^r x + V_2^r x^2 + V_3^r x^3 + \cdots + V_n^r x^n) + (V_0^r x + V_1^r x^2 + V_2^r x^3 + V_3^r x^4 + \cdots + V_{n-1}^r x^n) \\
&\quad + (V_0^r x^2 + V_1^r x^3 + V_2^r x^4 + V_3^r x^5 + \cdots + V_{n-2}^r x^n) + \cdots + (V_0^r x^{n-1} + V_1^r x^n) + V_0^r x^n \\
&= V_0^r + (V_0^r + V_1^r)x + (V_0^r + V_1^r + V_2^r)x^2 + \cdots + (V_0^r + V_1^r + V_2^r + V_3^r + \cdots + V_n^r)x^n \\
&\text{(Note that } V_0^p + V_1^p + V_2^p + \cdots + V_r^p = V_r^{p+1} \text{ for } r = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, \text{ and } V_0^p = V_0^{p+1} = 1) \\
&= V_0^{r+1} + V_1^{r+1}x + V_2^{r+1}x^2 + V_3^{r+1}x^3 + V_4^{r+1}x^4 + \cdots + V_{n-1}^{r+1}x^{n-1} + V_n^{r+1}x^n = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^{r+1}x^i.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence, theorem is proved.

3. Binomial Expansion equal to the Sum of Geometric Series

Binomial expansion denotes a series of binomial coefficients. In this section, we focus on the summation of multiple binomial expansions or summation of multiple series of binomial coefficients.

Theorem 3.1: $\sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^2 \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^3 \binom{3}{i} + \cdots + \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^{n+1} - 1.$

This binomial theorem states that the sum of multiple summations of series of binomial coefficients [18-22] is equal to the sum of a geometric series with exponents of 2.

Proof. Let us find the value of each binomial expansion in the binomial theorem step by step.

Step 0: $\binom{0}{0} = \frac{0!}{0!} = 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} = \binom{0}{0} = 2^0.$

Step 1: $\sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} = \binom{1}{0} + \binom{1}{1} = 1 + 1 = 2^1.$

Step 2: $\sum_{i=0}^2 \binom{2}{i} = \binom{2}{0} + \binom{2}{1} + \binom{2}{2} = 1 + 2 + 1 = 4 = 2^2.$

Step 3: $\sum_{i=0}^3 \binom{3}{i} = \binom{3}{0} + \binom{3}{1} + \binom{3}{2} + \binom{3}{3} = 1 + 3 + 3 + 1 = 8.$

Similarly, we can continue the expressions up to "step n " such that $\sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^n.$

Now, by adding these expressions on both sides, it appears as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^2 \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^3 \binom{3}{i} + \cdots + \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = \sum_{i=0}^n 2^i, \\
&\text{where } \sum_{i=0}^n 2^i = \frac{2^{n+1} - 1}{2 - 1} = 2^{n+1} - 1 \text{ is the geometric series with exponents of two.} \\
&\therefore \sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^2 \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^3 \binom{3}{i} + \cdots + \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^{n+1} - 1.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence, theorem is proved.

Some results of Theorem 3.1 are given below:

$$(a) \sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^2 \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^3 \binom{3}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^{p-1} \binom{p-1}{i} = 2^p - 1, \text{ where } 1 \leq p \in N.$$

$$(b) \sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^2 \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^3 \binom{3}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^{q-1} \binom{q-1}{i} = 2^q - 1, \text{ where } 1 \leq q \in N.$$

By subtracting (a) from (b), we get

$$\left(\sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^{q-1} \binom{q-1}{i} \right) - \left(\sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^{p-1} \binom{p-1}{i} \right) = 2^q - 2^p,$$

$$\text{i.e., } \sum_{i=0}^p \binom{p}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{p+1} \binom{p+1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{p+2} \binom{p+2}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^{q-2} \binom{q-2}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{q-1} \binom{q-1}{i} = 2^q - 2^p,$$

where $p < q$ & $p, q \in N$.

By adding (a) and (b), we get

$$\left(\sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^{p-1} \binom{p-1}{i} \right) + \left(\sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^{q-1} \binom{q-1}{i} \right) = 2^p + 2^q - 2,$$

$$\text{If } p = q, \quad \text{then } 2 \left(\sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^{p-1} \binom{p-1}{i} \right) = 22^p - 2 = 2(2^p - 1),$$

$$\text{i.e., } \sum_{i=0}^0 \binom{0}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^1 \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^2 \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^3 \binom{3}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^{p-1} \binom{p-1}{i} = 2^p - 1, \text{ where } 1 \leq q \in N.$$

Theorem 3.2: $\sum_{i=0}^k \binom{k}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{k+1} \binom{k+1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{k+2} \binom{k+2}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^{n+1} - 2^k,$

where $k \leq n$ & $k, n \in N$.

Proof. The sum of a geometric series with exponents of 2 is given below:

$$\sum_{i=k}^n 2^i = 2^{n+1} - 2^k.$$

$$\text{Then, } \sum_{i=0}^k \binom{k}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{k+1} \binom{k+1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{k+2} \binom{k+2}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = \sum_{i=k}^n 2^i.$$

$$\therefore \sum_{i=0}^k \binom{k}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{k+1} \binom{k+1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{k+2} \binom{k+2}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^{n+1} - 2^k.$$

Hence, theorem is proved.

Some results of Theorem 3.2 are given below:

$$(i) \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^{n+1} - 2^n = 2^n. \quad (ii) \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^{n-1}(2^2 - 1) = 3(2^{n-1}).$$

$$(iii) \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \binom{n-2}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^{n+1} - 2^{n-2} = 2^{n-2}(2^3 - 1) = 7(2^{n-2}).$$

$$(iv) \sum_{i=0}^{n-3} \binom{n-3}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \binom{n-2}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^{n+1} - 2^{n-3} = 15(2^{n-3}).$$

These results can be generalized as follows:

$$\sum_{i=0}^p \binom{p}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{p+1} \binom{p+1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^{p+2} \binom{p+2}{i} + \cdots + \sum_{i=0}^{q-1} \binom{q-1}{i} + \sum_{i=0}^q \binom{q}{i} = 2^p(2^{q-p+1} - 1),$$

where $0 \leq p \leq q$ and $p, q \in \mathbb{N}$.

$$\textbf{Theorem 3.3:} \sum_{i=1}^1 i \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^2 i \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^3 i \binom{3}{i} + \cdots + \sum_{i=1}^n i \binom{n}{i} = (n-1)2^n + 1.$$

Proof. Let us find the value of each binomial expansion in the binomial theorem step by step.

$$\text{Step 1: } 1 \binom{1}{1} = \binom{1}{1} = \frac{1!}{1!0!} = 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^1 i \binom{1}{i} = 1 = 1 \times 2^0, \quad (0! = 1).$$

$$\text{Step 2: } \sum_{i=1}^2 i \binom{2}{i} = 1 \binom{2}{1} + 2 \binom{2}{2} = 2 + 2 = 4 = 2 \times 2^1.$$

$$\text{Step 3: } \sum_{i=1}^3 i \binom{3}{i} = 1 \binom{3}{1} + 2 \binom{3}{2} + 3 \binom{3}{3} = 3 + 6 + 3 = 12 = 2 \times 2^2.$$

$$\text{Step 4: } \sum_{i=1}^4 i \binom{4}{i} = 1 \binom{4}{1} + 2 \binom{4}{2} + 3 \binom{4}{3} + 4 \binom{4}{4} = 4 + 12 + 12 + 4 = 4 \times 2^3.$$

Similarly, we can continue the expressions up to "step n " such that $\sum_{i=1}^n i \binom{n}{i} = n2^{n-1}$.

Now, by adding these expressions on both sides, it appears as follows:

$$\sum_{i=1}^1 i \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^2 i \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^3 i \binom{3}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^4 i \binom{4}{i} + \cdots + \sum_{i=1}^n i \binom{n}{i} = \sum_{i=1}^n i \times 2^{i-1}.$$

$$\text{where } \sum_{i=1}^n i \times 2^i = (n-1)2^n + 1.$$

$$\therefore \sum_{i=1}^1 i \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^2 i \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^3 i \binom{3}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^4 i \binom{4}{i} + \cdots + \sum_{i=1}^n i \binom{n}{i} = (n-1)2^n + 1.$$

Hence, theorem is proved.

Some results of Theorem 3.3 are given below:

$$\left\{ \sum_{i=1}^1 i \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^2 i \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^3 i \binom{3}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=1}^k i \binom{k}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} i \binom{k+1}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i \binom{n+1}{i} \right\}$$

$$- \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^1 i \binom{1}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^2 i \binom{2}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^3 i \binom{3}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=1}^k i \binom{k}{i} \right\} = n2^{n+1} - k2^{k+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} i \binom{k+1}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^{k+2} i \binom{k+2}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=1}^n i \binom{n}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i \binom{n+1}{i} = 2(n2^n - k2^k) \text{ and}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^k i \binom{k}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} i \binom{k+1}{i} + \dots + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} i \binom{n-1}{i} + \sum_{i=1}^n i \binom{n}{i} = 2\{(n-1)2^{n-1} - (k-1)2^{k-1}\},$$

where $k < n$ & $k, n \in N$.

Theorem 3.4: $(p+1) \int \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^{p+1} x^i dx + C = (p+1) \int \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^{p+1} x^i dx + 1 = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^p x^i$,

where C is the constant of Integration and C =1 because 1 is the first term of geometric series.

Proof. Let us prove the theorem on integral calculus using the following binomial expansions.

$$\sum_{i=0}^n V_i^p x^i = 1 + \frac{(p+1)}{1!} x + \frac{(p+1)(p+2)}{2!} x^2 + \dots + \frac{(n+1)(n+2) \dots (n+p)}{p!} x^n.$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^{p+1} x^i = 1 + \frac{(p+2)}{1!} x + \frac{(p+2)(p+3)}{2!} x^2 + \dots + \frac{n(n+1)(n+2) \dots (n+p)}{(p+1)!} x^{n-1}.$$

Let's prove that the integration (left-hand side of the theorem) is equal to the binomial series (right-hand side of the theorem).

$$\int \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^{p+1} x^i dx = x + \frac{(p+2)}{1!} \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{(p+2)(p+3)}{2!} \frac{x^3}{3} + \dots + \frac{n(n+1) \dots (n+p)}{(p+1)!} \frac{x^n}{n} + C.$$

$$(p+1) \int \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^{p+1} x^i dx = 1 + \frac{(p+1)}{1!} x + \frac{(p+1)(p+2)}{2!} x^2 + \frac{(p+1)(p+2)(p+3)}{3!} x^3$$

$$+ \dots + \frac{(n+1)(n+2) \dots (n+p)}{p!} x^n, \quad \text{where } C = 1.$$

$$(p+1) \int \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^{p+1} x^i dx + C = (p+1) \int \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^{p+1} x^i dx + 1 = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^p x^i.$$

Hence, theorem is proved.

Some results of Theorem 3.4 are given below:

$$\text{Let } p = 0. \text{ Then } (p + 1) \int \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^{p+1} x^i dx + 1 = \int \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^1 x^i dx + 1 = \sum_{i=0}^n x^i = \frac{x^{n+1} - 1}{x - 1}.$$

$$\text{Let } p = 1. \text{ Then } 2 \int \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^2 x^i dx + 1 = \sum_{i=0}^n V_i^1 x^i \Rightarrow \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} V_i^1 x^i = \frac{(rx - r - 1)x^r + 1}{(x - 1)^2},$$

which is the first derivative of geometric series. More details about the first derivative of geometric series are given in Section 2.1.

In general, the integration of summation of geometric series is constituted as follows:

$$(p + 1) \int \sum_{i=k}^{n-1} V_{i-k}^{p+1} x^i dx + C = \sum_{i=k+1}^n V_{i-(k+1)}^p x^i + V_{i-k}^p x^i = \sum_{i=k}^n V_{i-k}^p x^i,$$

where the integral constant is $C = V_{i-k}^p x^i$ because it is the first term of the series.

4. Conclusion

In this article, the n^{th} derivative [22-33] of geometric series has been introduced and its applications used in combinatorics including binomial expansions. Also, computation of the summation of series of binomial expansions and geometric series were derived in an innovative way. Theorems and relations between the binomial expansions and geometric series have been developed for researchers, who are working in science, economics, engineering, and management,

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