

From equation c) to equation e)

$$I'(\mu) = \int_{-1}^1 \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{16} (3\mu'^2 - 1) (\mu^2 - \frac{1}{3}) \right] I(\mu) d\mu$$

$$\text{let } I(\mu) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} I_i P_i(\mu)$$

$$I'(\mu) = \int_{-1}^1 d\mu \left[\frac{1}{2} P_0(\mu) + \frac{1}{8} (3\mu'^2 - 1) P_2(\mu) \right] \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} I_i P_i(\mu)$$

Since Legendre polynomials are orthonormal: $\int_{-1}^1 P_n(x) P_m(x) dx = \frac{2}{2n+1} \delta_{mn}$,

$$I'(\mu) = \int_{-1}^1 d\mu \left[\frac{1}{2} P_0(\mu) \cdot I_0 P_0(\mu) + \frac{1}{8} (3\mu'^2 - 1) P_2(\mu) I_2 P_2(\mu) \right]$$

$$= \frac{I_0}{2} \cdot 2 + \frac{I_2}{8} (3\mu'^2 - 1) \cdot \frac{2}{5}$$

$$= I_0 + \frac{3}{20} I_2 (\mu'^2 - \frac{1}{3})$$

* I think in the paper, they are using a different normalization for $P_n(\mu)$, since they let the 2nd term be $I_2 (\mu'^2 - \frac{1}{3}) = \frac{2}{3} I_2 P_2(\mu)$

$$I'(\mu) = I(\mu') (1-\tau) + \tau \left[I_0 + \frac{3}{20} I_2 (\mu'^2 - \frac{1}{3}) \right]$$

$$= \tau [I'_0(\mu') - I(\mu')] + I(\mu') \quad \text{where } I'_0(\mu') = I_0 + \frac{3}{20} I_2 (\mu'^2 - \frac{1}{3})$$