

**Source** This example is from (2.9.14) of [KS04]:

$$H_{1,2}^{1,1} \left( \begin{matrix} (1-a, 1) \\ (0, 1), (1-c, 1) \end{matrix} \right) = \frac{\Gamma(a)}{\Gamma(b)} {}_1F_1(a; c; -z)$$

**Notes:** The following generalized hypergeometric series  ${}_1F_1(a; c; x)$  is also called the confluent hypergeometric function of Kummer. (see [Erd+81], equation (1), 6.1, page 248.)

$$1 + \frac{a}{c} \frac{x}{1!} + \frac{a(a+1)}{c(c+1)} \frac{x^2}{2!} + \cdots \quad (1)$$

(1) satisfies the so-called confluent hypergeometric equation

$$x \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + (c-x) \frac{dy}{dx} - ay = 0.$$

## References

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