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$$\phi(x, h) = e^{2xh - h^2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H_n(x) h^n$$

For LHS we have

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = e^{2xh - h^2} (2h) = 2h\phi$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} = e^{2xh - h^2} (2h)(2h) = (2h)^2 \phi$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial h} = e^{2xh - h^2} (2x - 2h) = (2x - 2h)\phi$$

Substitution gives

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} - 2x \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + 2h \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial h} = (2h)^2 \phi - 2x(2h)\phi + 2h(2x - 2h)\phi = 0$$

Now using RHS

$$\frac{\partial \phi(x, h)}{\partial x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H'_n(x) h^n$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi(x, h)}{\partial x^2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H''_n(x) h^n$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi(x, h)}{\partial h} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H_n(x) n h^{n-1}$$

Substitution gives

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} - 2x \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + 2h \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial h} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H''_n(x) h^n - 2x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H'_n(x) h^n + 2h \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H_n(x) n h^{n-1} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H''_n(x) h^n - 2x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H'_n(x) h^n + 2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H_n(x) n h^n \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} [H''_n(x) - 2x H'_n(x) + 2n H_n(x)] \frac{1}{n!} h^n = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since in general for any  $n$ ,  $\frac{1}{n!} h^n \neq 0$

$$H''_n(x) - 2x H'_n(x) + 2n H_n(x) = 0 \text{ where } y(x) = H_n(x)$$

Start with  $\phi(x, h) = e^{2xh-h^2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H_n(x) h^n$

Take partial with respect to x on both sides!

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = e^{2xh-h^2} (2h) = 2h\phi = \frac{\partial \phi(x, h)}{\partial x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H'_n(x) h^n$$

Therefore

$$2h\phi = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H'_n(x) n h^n$$

Replace  $\phi$

$$2h \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H_n(x) h^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H'_n(x) h^n$$

Collect 'h's on LHS and reindex LHS  $m = n + 1$  or  $n = m - 1$

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{(m-1)!} H_{m-1}(x) h^m = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} H'_n(x) h^n$$

On RHS look at  $H_0(x) = 1$  and note  $H'_0(x) = 0$

therefore can start index on RHS at  $n=1$ , or at this point simply call it m

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{(m-1)!} H_{m-1}(x) h^m = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} H'_m(x) h^m$$

Since same index range and powers of h we can equate terms on both sides

$$\frac{2}{(m-1)!} H_{m-1}(x) = \frac{1}{m!} H'_m(x)$$

Multiple by m!

$$\frac{m!}{m!} H'_m(x) = \frac{2m!}{(m-1)!} H_{m-1}(x)$$

or

$$H'_m(x) = 2m H_{m-1}(x)$$

Same as book with  $m = n$

Prove (b) by starting with  $H'_n(x) = 2n H_{n-1}(x)$  and taking second derivative and substituting for the first and second derivative into  $H''_n(x) h^n - 2x H'_n(x) + 2H_n(x) = 0$  from first part. Finally re-indexing with  $n = m+1$  will give the desired result. Try it!