



## A Note on the Apostol Type q-Frobenius-Euler Polynomials and Generalizations of the Srivastava-Pinter Addition Theorems

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**Abstract.** The main subject of this study is to define and investigate for the Apostol type Frobenius-Euler polynomials. We give some identities for these polynomials. We generalize the Srivastava-Pintér addition theorems between the Bernoulli polynomials and Apostol type Frobenius-Euler polynomials.

### 1. Introduction, Definitions and Notations

Throughout this paper, we always make use of the following notation;  $\mathbb{N}$  denotes the set of natural numbers,  $\mathbb{N}_0$  denotes the set of nonnegative integers,  $\mathbb{R}$  denotes the set of real numbers and  $\mathbb{C}$  denotes the set of complex numbers.

The  $q$ -numbers and  $q$ -factorial are defined by

$$[a]_q = \frac{1 - q^a}{1 - q}, \quad q \neq 1,$$

$$[n]_q! = [n]_q [n-1]_q \cdots [2]_q [1]_q,$$

respectively, where  $[0]_q! = 1$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $a \in \mathbb{C}$ . The  $q$ -binomial coefficient is defined by

$$\left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ k \end{array} \right]_q = \frac{(q : q)_n}{(q : q)_{n-k} (q : q)_k}.$$

The  $q$ -analogue of the function  $(x + y)_q^n$  is defined by

$$(x + y)_q^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ k \end{array} \right]_q q^{\frac{k(k-1)}{2}} x^{n-k} y^k.$$

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The  $q$ -binomial formula is known as

$$(1-a)_q^n = \prod_{j=0}^{n-1} (1 - q^j a) = \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ k \end{array} \right]_q q^{\frac{k(k-1)}{2}} (-1)^k a^k.$$

In the standard approach to the  $q$ -calculus two exponential functions are used

$$e_q(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{[n]_q!} = \prod_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(1 - (1-q)q^k z)}, \quad 0 < |q| < 1, |z| < \frac{1}{|1-q|}$$

and

$$E_q(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} q^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} \frac{z^n}{[n]_q!} = \prod_{k=0}^{\infty} (1 + (1-q)q^k z), \quad 0 < |q| < 1, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

From this form, we easily see that  $e_q(z)E_q(-z) = 1$ . Moreover  $D_q e_q(z) = e_q(z)$ ,  $D_q E_q(z) = E_q(qz)$  where  $D_q$  is defined by

$$D_q f(z) = \frac{f(qz) - f(z)}{qz - z}, \quad 0 < |q| < 1, 0 \neq z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

The derivative of the product of two functions and the derivative of the division of two functions are given by the following equation in [8] respectively

$$D_q \left( \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} \right) = \frac{g(qz)D_q(f(z)) - f(qz)D_q g(z)}{g(z)g(qz)}, \quad (1)$$

$$D_q(f(z)g(z)) = f(qz)D_q g(z) + g(z)D_q f(z).$$

The above  $q$ -standard notation can be found in [8]. Carlitz was the first to extend the classical Bernoulli polynomials, Euler numbers and polynomials, introducing them as  $q$ -Bernoulli and  $q$ -Euler numbers and polynomials ([1], [2], [3]). Srivastava et al. ([20], [21], [22], [23], [24], [25]) generalized the Bernoulli polynomials and Euler polynomials. In addition they investigated and proved some theorems for these polynomials and Apostol-Bernoulli and Apostol-Euler polynomials. Kim in ([9], [10]) gave some recursion relation for the  $q$ -Bernoulli and  $q$ -Euler polynomials. Furthermore, he proved some identities for the Frobenius-Euler polynomials. Srivastava-Pintér in [25] proved Srivastava-Pintér addition theorems. Kurt et al. in ([11], [12]) introduced the Frobenius-Euler polynomials and they proved some relations for these polynomials. Tremblay et al. in [28] generalized the new class of generalized Apostol-Bernoulli and Apostol-Euler polynomials. Also some mathematicians gave an analogue of the Srivastava-Pintér addition theorems.

Choi et al.[6] investigated  $q$ -Euler and  $q$ -Bernoulli polynomials and gave the relation between these polynomials, Choi et al.[7] proved some relation for the Apostol-Euler polynomials and Apostol-Bernoulli polynomials, Srivastava et al. [27] proved some relation for  $q$ -Bernoulli polynomials and multiple  $q$ -Zeta function.

Finally, Mahmudov in ([16], [17]) by using  $q$ -quantum calculus, introduced and gave some relations for the  $q$ -Bernoulli polynomials and  $q$ -Euler polynomials with two variable  $x, y$ .

In this work, we introduce  $q$ -Apostol type Frobenius-Euler polynomials. We give some new identities for the  $q$ -Apostol type Frobenius-Euler polynomials. Also, we prove some explicit expressions.

**Definition 1.1.** Let  $q \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $0 < |q| < 1$ . The  $q$ -Bernoulli numbers  $\mathcal{B}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}$  and polynomials  $\mathcal{B}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y)$  in  $x, y$  of order  $\alpha$  are defined by means of the generating functions:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{B}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)} \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} = \left( \frac{t}{e_q(t) - 1} \right)^{\alpha}, \quad |t| < 2\pi \quad (2)$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{B}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} = \left( \frac{t}{e_q(t) - 1} \right)^{\alpha} e_q(tx) E_q(ty), \quad |t| < 2\pi. \quad (3)$$

**Definition 1.2.** Let  $q \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $0 < |q| < 1$ . The  $q$ -Euler numbers  $\mathcal{E}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}$  and polynomials  $\mathcal{E}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y)$  in  $x, y$  of order  $\alpha$  are defined by means of the generating functions:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)} \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} = \left( \frac{2}{e_q(t) + 1} \right)^{\alpha}, \quad |t| < \pi \quad (4)$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} = \left( \frac{2}{e_q(t) + 1} \right)^{\alpha} e_q(tx) E_q(ty), \quad |t| < \pi. \quad (5)$$

Classical Frobenius-Euler polynomials  $\mathcal{H}_n^{(\alpha)}(x; u)$  of order  $\alpha$  are defined by the following relation ([1], [9], [11], [12])

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_n^{(\alpha)}(x; u) \frac{t^n}{n!} = \left( \frac{1-u}{e^t - u} \right)^{\alpha} e^{xt} \quad (6)$$

where  $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $u$  is an algebraic number.

Similarly, the Apostol type Frobenius-Euler polynomials  $\mathcal{H}_n^{(\alpha)}(x; u; \lambda)$  of order  $\alpha$  are defined by the following relation ([18])

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_n^{(\alpha)}(x; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{n!} = \left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e^t - u} \right)^{\alpha} e^{xt}. \quad (7)$$

**Definition 1.3.** We define Apostol type  $q$ -Frobenius-Euler polynomials  $\mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda)$  of order  $\alpha$  in  $x, y$  and Apostol type  $q$ -Frobenius-Euler numbers  $\mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(0, 0; u; \lambda)$  of order  $\alpha$ , respectively by

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} = \left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right)^{\alpha} e_q(tx) E_q(ty), \quad (8)$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(0, 0; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} = \left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right)^{\alpha}. \quad (9)$$

It is obvious that

$$\mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)} = \mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(0, 0; u; \lambda), \quad \lim_{q \rightarrow 1^-} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda) = \mathcal{H}_n^{(\alpha)}(x + y; u; \lambda)$$

$$\lim_{q \rightarrow 1^-} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)} = \mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(0, 0; u; \lambda)$$

By this motivation, we define  $q$ -Apostol type Bernoulli polynomials  $\mathcal{B}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; \lambda)$  of order  $\alpha$  and  $q$ -Apostol type Euler polynomials  $\mathcal{E}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; \lambda)$  of order  $\alpha$  respectively by

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{B}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} = \left( \frac{t}{\lambda e_q(t) - 1} \right)^{\alpha} e_q(tx) E_q(ty) \quad (10)$$

and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{E}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} = \left( \frac{2}{\lambda e_q(t) + 1} \right)^{\alpha} e_q(tx) E_q(ty). \quad (11)$$

## 2. Some Basic Properties for the Apostol type $q$ -Frobenius-Euler Polynomials

**Proposition 2.1.** *The following relations are true:*

$$\mathcal{E}_{n,q}(0, 0; \lambda) = \frac{2}{\lambda + 1} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(0, 0, (-\lambda)^{-1}, 1), \quad (12)$$

$$\mathcal{E}_{n,q}(x, y; \lambda) = \frac{2}{\lambda + 1} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y, (-\lambda)^{-1}, 1), \quad (13)$$

$$\mathcal{B}_{n,q}(x, y; \lambda) = \frac{1}{\lambda - 1} [n]_q \mathcal{H}_{n-1,q}(x, y; (-\lambda^{-1}), 1). \quad (14)$$

**Proposition 2.2.** *Apostol type Frobenius-Euler polynomials satisfy the following relations*

$$\mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha+\beta)}(x, y; u; \lambda) = \sum_{k=0}^n \begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix}_q \mathcal{H}_{k,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda) \mathcal{H}_{n-k,q}^{(\beta)}(0, 0; u; \lambda), \quad (15)$$

$$\lambda \sum_{k=0}^n \begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix}_q \mathcal{H}_{k,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) - \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) = (1-u)(x+y)_q^n, \quad (16)$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha-\beta)}(x, y; u; \lambda) = \sum_{k=0}^n \begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix}_q \mathcal{H}_{k,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, 0; u; \lambda) \mathcal{H}_{n-k,q}^{(-\beta)}(0, y; u; \lambda). \quad (17)$$

**Proposition 2.3.**

$$D_{q,x}(\mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda)) = [n]_q \mathcal{H}_{n-1,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda), D_{q,t}e_q(tx) = xe_q(tx),$$

$$D_{q,y}(\mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda)) = [n]_q \mathcal{H}_{n-1,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, qy; u; \lambda), D_{q,t}E_q(ty) = yE_q(q+y).$$

*Proof.* The proof of these **Propositions** can be found from (2)-(11).  $\square$

**Theorem 2.4.** *There is the following recurrence relation for the Apostol type  $q$ -Frobenius-Euler polynomials*

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{H}_{n+1,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) \\ &= y \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(qx, qy; u; \lambda) + x \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) - \lambda \sum_{k=0}^n \begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix}_q \mathcal{H}_{k,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) q^k \mathcal{H}_{n-k,q}(1, 0; u; \lambda). \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

*Proof.* For  $\alpha = 1$ , in (7), we take the  $q$ -Jackson derivative of the Apostol type  $q$ -Frobenius-Euler polynomials  $\mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda)$  according to  $t$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} D_{q,t} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} &= D_{q,t} \left[ (1-u) \frac{e_q(tx) E_q(ty)}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right] \\ &= (1-u) D_{q,t} \left( \frac{e_q(tx) E_q(ty)}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right) \end{aligned}$$

By applying the equality (1) to the last expression, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (1-u) \frac{(\lambda e_q(tq) - u) D_{q,t} [e_q(tx) E_q(ty)] - e_q(qtx) E_q(qty) D_{q,t} (\lambda e_q(t) - u)}{(\lambda e_q(t) - u)(\lambda e_q(qt) - u)} \\
&= y \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(qx, qy; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} + x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} \\
&\quad - \lambda \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) q^n \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(1, 0; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}.
\end{aligned}$$

By using Cauchy product, comparing the coefficient of  $\frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}$ , we have (18).  $\square$

**Theorem 2.5.** *There is the following relation for the generalized Apostol type  $q$ -Frobenius-Euler polynomials*

$$\begin{aligned}
&(2u-1) \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{H}_{k,q}(0, 0; u; \lambda) \mathcal{H}_{n-k,q}(x, y; 1-u; \lambda) \\
&= u \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) - (1-u) \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; 1-u; \lambda).
\end{aligned} \tag{19}$$

*Proof.* By using the identity

$$\frac{2u-1}{(\lambda e_q(t) - u)(\lambda e_q(t) - (1-u))} = \frac{1}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} - \frac{1}{\lambda e_q(t) - (1-u)},$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&(2u-1) \frac{(1-u) e_q(xt) (1-(1-u)) E_q(ty)}{(\lambda e_q(t) - u)(\lambda e_q(t) - (1-u))} \\
&= \frac{(1-u) e_q(xt) u E_q(ty)}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} - \frac{(1-u) e_q(xt) (1-(1-u)) E_q(ty)}{\lambda e_q(t) - (1-u)},
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&(2u-1) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(0, 0; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(0, 0; 1-u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} \\
&= u \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} - (1-u) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; 1-u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}.
\end{aligned}$$

Comparing the coefficient of  $\frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}$ , we prove (19).  $\square$

**Remark 2.6.** For  $\lim_{q \rightarrow 1^-} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda)$ . substituting  $\lambda = 1$ ,  $y = 0$  in (19), we have Carlitz result ([1], equation 2.19).

**Theorem 2.7.** *There is the following relation for the generalized Apostol type  $q$ -Frobenius-Euler polynomial*

$$\begin{aligned}
&u \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) \\
&= \lambda \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{H}_{k,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) - (1-u) (x+y)_q^n.
\end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

*Proof.* By using the identity  $e_q(t)E_q(-t) = 1$ ,

$$\frac{u}{\lambda(e_q(t) - u)e_q(t)} = \frac{1}{(\lambda e_q(t) - u)} - \frac{1}{\lambda e_q(t)}.$$

We write as

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{u(1-u)e_q(tx)E_q(yt)}{(\lambda e_q(t) - u)\lambda e_q(t)} \\ &= \frac{(1-u)e_q(tx)E_q(yt)}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} - \frac{(1-u)e_q(tx)E_q(yt)}{\lambda e_q(t)}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{u}{\lambda} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} \frac{1}{e_q(t)} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} - \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t)} e_q(tx)E_q(yt), \\ & \frac{u}{\lambda} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} - \left(\frac{1-u}{\lambda}\right) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (x+y)_q^n \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}. \end{aligned}$$

Comparing the coefficients of  $\frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}$ , we have

$$u\mathcal{H}_{n,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) = \lambda \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{H}_{k,q}(x, y; u; \lambda) - (1-u)(x+y)_q^n.$$

□

### 3. Explicit Relation for the Apostol type $q$ -Frobenius-Euler Polynomials

**Theorem 3.1.** *There is the following relation for the Apostol type Frobenius-Euler polynomials*

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda) \\ &= \frac{1}{1-u} \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \{ \lambda \mathcal{H}_{k,q}(1, y; u; \lambda) - u \mathcal{H}_{k,q}(0, y; u; \lambda) \} \mathcal{H}_{n-k,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, 0; u; \lambda). \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

*Proof.* Since (9)

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!} \\ &= \left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right)^{\alpha} e_q(tx)E_q(ty) \\ &= \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} E_q(ty) \frac{\lambda e_q(t) - u}{1-u} \left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right)^{\alpha} e_q(tx) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{1-u} \left\{ \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} E_q(ty) \lambda e_q(t) \left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right)^\alpha e_q(tx) \right. \\
&\quad \left. - u \left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right) E_q(ty) \left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right)^\alpha e_q(tx) \right\} \\
&= \frac{1}{1-u} \left\{ \lambda \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{k,q}(1, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^k}{[k]_q!} \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{l,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, 0; u; \lambda) \frac{t^l}{[l]_q!} - u \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{k,q}(0, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^k}{[k]_q!} \right. \\
&\quad \left. \times \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_{l,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, 0; u; \lambda) \frac{t^l}{[l]_q!} \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Comparing the coefficients of  $\frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}$ , we have (21).  $\square$

**Theorem 3.2.** *There is the following relation between Apostol type  $q$ -Frobenius-Euler polynomials and the generalized Apostol  $q$ -Bernoulli polynomials*

$$\begin{aligned}
&\mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda) \\
&= \frac{1}{[n+1]_q} \left\{ \lambda \sum_{r=0}^{n+1} \left[ \begin{array}{c} n+1 \\ r \end{array} \right]_q \sum_{k=0}^r \left[ \begin{array}{c} r \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{B}_{n+1-r,q}(x, 0; \lambda) \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \sum_{k=0}^{n+1} \left[ \begin{array}{c} n+1 \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{B}_{n+1-k,q}(x, 0; \lambda) \right\} \mathcal{H}_{k,q}^{(\alpha)}(0, y; u; \lambda).
\end{aligned} \tag{22}$$

*Proof.*

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right)^\alpha e_q(tx) E_q(ty) \\
&= \left( \frac{1-u}{\lambda e_q(t) - u} \right)^\alpha E_q(ty) \frac{t}{\lambda e_q(t) - 1} \frac{\lambda e_q(t) - 1}{t} e_q(tx), \\
&= \frac{1}{t} \left\{ \lambda \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^r \left[ \begin{array}{c} r \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \sum_{r=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ r \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{H}_{k,q}^{(\alpha)}(0, y; u; \lambda) \mathcal{B}_{n-r,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, 0; \lambda) \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{H}_{k,q}^{(\alpha)}(0, y; u; \lambda) \mathcal{B}_{n-k,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, 0; \lambda) \right\} \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}, \\
&= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{[n+1]_q} \left\{ \lambda \sum_{r=0}^{n+1} \left[ \begin{array}{c} n+1 \\ r \end{array} \right]_q \sum_{k=0}^r \left[ \begin{array}{c} r \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{B}_{n+1-r,q}(x, 0; \lambda) \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \sum_{k=0}^{n+1} \left[ \begin{array}{c} n+1 \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{B}_{n+1-k,q}(x, 0; \lambda) \right\} \mathcal{H}_{k,q}^{(\alpha)}(0, y; u; \lambda) \frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}.
\end{aligned}$$

Comparing the coefficients of  $\frac{t^n}{[n]_q!}$ , we have (22).  $\square$

**Corollary 3.3.** *There is the following relation between Apostol type  $q$ -Frobenius-Euler polynomials and the generalized Apostol  $q$ -Euler polynomials*

$$\begin{aligned}
&\mathcal{H}_{n,q}^{(\alpha)}(x, y; u; \lambda) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ k \end{array} \right]_q \left\{ \lambda \sum_{r=0}^n \left[ \begin{array}{c} n \\ r \end{array} \right]_q \mathcal{E}_{n-r,q}(x, 0; \lambda) + \mathcal{E}_{n-k,q}(x, 0; \lambda) \right\} \mathcal{H}_{k,q}^{(\alpha)}(0, y; u; \lambda)
\end{aligned}$$

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