

# Green's Functions for Stieltjes Boundary Problems

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The Green's function of any regular Stieltjes boundary problem with  $m$  evaluations  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m$  has the form  $g(x, \xi) = \tilde{g}(x, \xi) + \hat{g}(x, \xi)$ , where the **functional part**  $\tilde{g} \in C(J^2)$  is defined by the  $2(m-1)$  case branches

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while the **distributional part**  $\hat{g}(x, \xi)$  is an  $\mathcal{F}$ -linear combination of the  $\delta(\xi - \alpha_i)$  and their derivatives.

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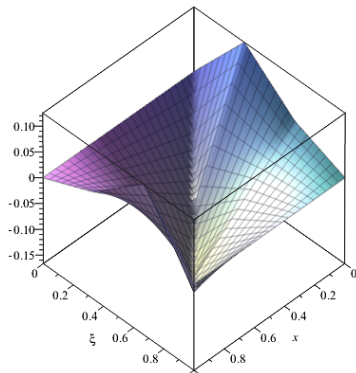
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Green's operator (with  $\sigma := 2(2e - 3)(e - 1)$  for brevity):

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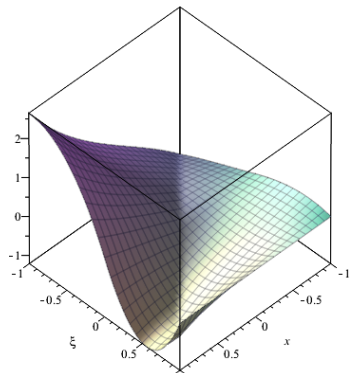
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- Functional part

$$\tilde{g}(x, \xi) = \begin{cases} -1 \leq \xi \leq 0 & 3e^{x+2+\xi} + 3e^{x-\xi} - 2e^{x+1-\xi} - 2e^{3+x+\xi} \\ \xi \leq x & +e^{3+x} + e^{-x+1} + e^{x+2} - e^{-x+2} - 2e^{x+1} \\ \\ -1 \leq \xi \leq 0 & -2e^{x+1} + 2e^{-x+2+\xi} - 5e^{-x+1+\xi} - 2e^{x+2-\xi} \\ x \leq \xi & -2e^{3+x+\xi} + 3e^{-x+\xi} + e^{-x+1} + e^{x+2} \\ & +e^{3+x} + 3e^{x+1-\xi} + 3e^{x+2+\xi} - e^{-x+2} \\ \\ 0 \leq \xi \leq 1 & -2e^{3+x}\xi - 2e^{-x+1}\xi + 2e^{x+2}\xi + 2e^{-x+2}\xi \\ \xi \leq x & -2e^{x+1}\xi + 3e^{x+2+\xi} + 3e^{x-\xi} - 5e^{x+1-\xi} \\ & +2e^{-x+1+\xi} - e^{x+1+\xi} - 2e^{-x+2+\xi} + 2e^{x+2-\xi} \\ & -e^{3+x} - e^{-x+1} - e^{x+2} + e^{-x+2} + 2e^{x+1} \\ \\ 0 \leq \xi \leq 1 & -2e^{3+x}\xi - 2e^{-x+1}\xi + 2e^{x+2}\xi + 2e^{-x+2}\xi \\ x \leq \xi & -2e^{x+1}\xi + 3e^{-x+\xi} + 3e^{x+2+\xi} - e^{3+x} \\ & -e^{-x+1} - e^{x+2} + e^{-x+2} + 2e^{x+1} \\ & -3e^{-x+1+\xi} - e^{x+1+\xi} \end{cases}$$

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