

$$+ (-4B_{j-3}(x) + 0 \cdot B_{j-2}(x) + 4B_{j-1}(x) - 8B_j(x))$$

$$= (4j-4)B_{j-3}(x) + 4jB_{j-2}(x) + (4j+4)B_{j-1}(x) + (4j+8)B_j(x)$$

$$I = \sum_{p=j-3}^j (8+4p)B_p(x), \text{ as expected.}$$

$$\text{iii) } S(x) = \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \alpha_p B_p^3(x)$$

$$= \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \frac{\alpha_p}{24} \sum_{k=0}^4 \frac{4!(-1)^k}{k!(4-k)!} (x-(p+k))_+^3$$

$$S'(x) = \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \frac{3\alpha_p}{24} \sum_{k=0}^4 \frac{4!(-1)^k}{k!(4-k)!} (x-(p+k))_+^2$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \frac{\alpha_p}{6} \sum_{k=0}^4 \frac{4!(-1)^k}{k!(4-k)!} (x-(p+k))_+^2$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \frac{\alpha_p}{6} \left( (x-p)_+^2 + (x-(p+4))_+^2 + \sum_{k=1}^3 \frac{4!(-1)^k}{k!(4-k)!} (x-(p+k))_+^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \frac{\alpha_p}{6} \left( (x-p)_+^2 + (x-(p+4))_+^2 + \sum_{k=1}^3 \left( \frac{3!(-1)^k}{k!(3-k)!} + \frac{3!(-1)^k}{(k-1)!(3-(k-1))!} \right) (x-(p+k))_+^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \frac{\alpha_p}{6} \left( (x-p)_+^2 + \sum_{k=1}^3 \frac{3!(-1)^k}{k!(3-k)!} (x-(p+k))_+^2 \right)$$

$$+ (x-(p+4))_+^2 + \sum_{k=1}^3 \frac{3!(-1)^k}{(k-1)!(3-(k-1))!} (x-(p+k))_+^2$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \frac{\alpha_p}{6} \left( \sum_{k=0}^3 \frac{3!(-1)^k}{k!(3-k)!} (x-(p+k))_+^2 + (x-(p+4))_+^2 + \sum_{k=1}^3 \frac{3!(-1)^k}{(k-1)!(3-(k-1))!} (x-(p+k))_+^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \frac{\alpha_p}{6} \left( B_p^2(x) + (x-(p+4))_+^2 + \sum_{k=0}^3 \frac{3!(-1)^k}{k!(3-k)!} (x-(p+k+1))_+^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \frac{\alpha_p}{6} \left( B_p^2(x) + \sum_{k=0}^3 \frac{3!(-1)^k}{k!(3-k)!} (x-(p+k+1))_+^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \alpha_p (B_p^2(x) - B_{p+1}^2(x)).$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^{n-1} \alpha_p B_p^2(x) - \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^n \alpha_p B_{p+1}^2(x)$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-3}^n \alpha_p B_p^2(x) - \frac{3}{4} \sum_{p=-2}^n \alpha_{p-1} B_p^2(x) \text{ cont. opp}$$