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Dear Kendall,

Many thanks for your two letters on Moments of Moments.  
I have now checked through the cases you raise, and differ only  
in the coefficient of  $x^4$  in the expansion ~~of~~  $K(x^3)$   
This I make to be correct as printed with the four patterns

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array}$$

giving  $2(n^4 - 12n^3 + 51n^2 - 74n - 18)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} . & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & . & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array}$$

making  $18(n^4 - 10n^3 + 33n^2 - 36n)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} . & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & . \\ 2 & . & 1 \\ 1 & . & 2 \end{array}$$

contributing

$$9(n^4 - 8n^3 + 21n^2 - 18n)$$

and

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 2 & 1 & . \\ 1 & . & 2 \\ . & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array}$$

giving  $12(n^4 - 9x^3 + 27n^2 - 27)$

with a common factor

$$\frac{288}{(n-1)^2(n-2)^2(n-3)^2}$$

If you can let me know where you would diverge from this we can run the discrepancy down with certainty,

Yours sincerely,