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1001-33-163 Hasan Coskun* (hasan_coskun@tamu-commerce.edu), Department of Mathematics, Texas A&M-Commerce, Binnion Hall Room 314, Commerce, TX 75429. On Generalizations of Certain Well-Known q-series Identities Associated to Root Systems.

The definitions and the properties of the elliptic very well-poised multivariable Macdonald functions $W_{\lambda/\mu}$ and the elliptic Jackson coefficients $\omega_{\lambda/\mu}$ will be presented. A BC_n elliptic multivariable Jackson sum and a BC_n elliptic ${}_{10}\phi_9$ transformation in terms of $\omega_{\lambda/\mu}$ will be obtained. BC_n extensions of the one and two parameter Bailey Lemmas will be given and consequently generalizations of certain important q-series identities associated to root systems B_n , C_n and D_n will be proved. These identities include Euler's Pentagonal Number Theorem, the unspecialized Rogers-Selberg identity, the Rogers-Ramanujan identities and the extreme cases of the Andrews-Gordon identities. (Received August 24, 2004)