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*Divisibility Properties of Factors of the Discriminant of Generalized Fibonacci Numbers,*

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**Abstract**

We study some divisibility properties related to the factors of the discriminant of the characteristic polynomial of generalized Fibonacci numbers  $(G_n)_{n \geq 0}$  defined by  $G_0 = 0$ ,  $G_1 = 1$ , and  $G_n = pG_{n-1} + qG_{n-2}$  for  $n \geq 2$ , where  $p$  and  $q$  are given integers. As corollaries, we give some divisibility properties of some well-known sequences.