

Saralee Aursukaree, Tammatada Khemaratchatakumthorn, and Panpong Pongsriiam
Generalizations of Hermite's Identity and Applications,
Fibonacci Quart. **57** (2019), no. 2, 126–133.

Abstract

Hermite's identity states that

$$\sum_{0 \leq k \leq n-1} \left\lfloor x + \frac{k}{n} \right\rfloor = \lfloor nx \rfloor \text{ for all } x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

In this article, we give a generalization of this identity and show some applications. For example, we consider the above sum when k ranges over the integers from a to b , where $a < b$ are integers. Then, we apply it to give another proof of a recent result of Tverberg. We also obtain a formula for the corresponding sum when k ranges over a complete residue system modulo n .