

ADDITIONAL SUMS INVOLVING GIBONACCI POLYNOMIALS REVISITED

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ABSTRACT. We explore three sums involving gibbonacci polynomials and extract their Pell versions.

1. INTRODUCTION

Extended gibbonacci polynomials $z_n(x)$ are defined by the recurrence $z_{n+2}(x) = a(x)z_{n+1}(x) + b(x)z_n(x)$, where x is an arbitrary integer variable; $a(x)$, $b(x)$, $z_0(x)$, and $z_1(x)$ are arbitrary integer polynomials; and $n \geq 0$.

Suppose $a(x) = x$ and $b(x) = 1$. When $z_0(x) = 0$ and $z_1(x) = 1$, $z_n(x) = f_n(x)$, the n th *Fibonacci polynomial*; and when $z_0(x) = 2$ and $z_1(x) = x$, $z_n(x) = l_n(x)$, the n th *Lucas polynomial*. They can also be defined by the *Binet-like* formulas. Clearly, $f_n(1) = F_n$, the n th Fibonacci number; and $l_n(1) = L_n$, the n th Lucas number [1, 5].

Pell polynomials $p_n(x)$ and *Pell-Lucas polynomials* $q_n(x)$ are defined by $p_n(x) = f_n(2x)$ and $q_n(x) = l_n(2x)$, respectively [5].

In the interest of brevity, clarity, and convenience, we omit the argument in the functional notation, when there is *no* ambiguity; so z_n will mean $z_n(x)$. In addition, we let $g_n = f_n$ or l_n , $b_n = p_n$ or q_n , $\Delta = \sqrt{x^2 + 4}$, $2\alpha(x) = x + \Delta$, $2\beta(x) = x - \Delta$, $E = \sqrt{x^2 + 1}$, $\gamma(x) = x + E$, $\delta(x) = x - E$, $\gamma = \gamma(1)$, and $\delta = \delta(1)$.

It follows by the Binet-like formulas that $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{g_m} = 0$ and $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{g_{m+k}}{g_m} = \alpha^k(x)$.

1.1. Fundamental Gibonacci Identities. Gibonacci polynomials satisfy the following properties [5, 7]:

$$f_{n+k} - f_{n-k} = \begin{cases} f_n l_k, & \text{if } k \text{ is odd;} \\ f_k l_n, & \text{otherwise;} \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

$$l_{n+k} - l_{n-k} = \begin{cases} l_k l_n, & \text{if } k \text{ is odd;} \\ \Delta^2 f_k f_n, & \text{otherwise;} \end{cases} \quad (2)$$

$$l_n^2 - \Delta^2 f_n^2 = 4(-1)^n; \quad (3)$$

$$g_{n+k} g_{n-k} - g_n^2 = \begin{cases} (-1)^{n+k+1} f_k^2, & \text{if } g_n = f_n; \\ (-1)^{n+k} \Delta^2 f_k^2, & \text{otherwise;} \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

$$g_{n+k+1} g_{n-k} - g_{n+k} g_{n-k+1} = \begin{cases} (-1)^{n+k+1} f_{2k}, & \text{if } g_n = f_n; \\ (-1)^{n+k} \Delta^2 f_{2k}, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

These properties can be confirmed using the Binet-like formulas.

1.2. **Telescoping Sums.** We studied the following telescoping sums in [7]:

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{g_{2n-k}} - \frac{1}{g_{2n+k}} \right) = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{g_{2r-1}}; \quad (6)$$

$$\sum_{\substack{n=k/2+1 \\ k \geq 2, \text{ even}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{g_{2n-k}} - \frac{1}{g_{2n+k}} \right) = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{g_{2r}}; \quad (7)$$

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{g_{2n+1-k}} - \frac{1}{g_{2n+1+k}} \right) = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{g_{2r}}; \quad (8)$$

$$\sum_{\substack{n=k/2 \\ k \geq 2, \text{ even}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{g_{2n+1-k}} - \frac{1}{g_{2n+1+k}} \right) = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{g_{2r-1}}. \quad (9)$$

The next lemma presents an additional telescoping sum.

Lemma 1. *Let k be an odd positive integer. Then,*

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{g_{2n+1-k}}{g_{2n-k}} - \frac{g_{2n+1+k}}{g_{2n+k}} \right) = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{g_{2r}}{g_{2r-1}} - k\alpha(x). \quad (10)$$

Proof. Using recursion [5], we will first establish that

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^m \left(\frac{g_{2n+1-k}}{g_{2n-k}} - \frac{g_{2n+1+k}}{g_{2n+k}} \right) = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{g_{2r}}{g_{2r-1}} - \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{g_{2m+1+2r-k}}{g_{2m+2r-k}}.$$

To this end, we let A_m denote the left-hand side of this equation and B_m its right-hand side. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} B_m - B_{m-1} &= \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{g_{2m-1+2r-k}}{g_{2m-2+2r-k}} - \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{g_{2m+1+2r-k}}{g_{2m+2r-k}} \\ &= \frac{g_{2m+1-k}}{g_{2m-k}} - \frac{g_{2m+1+k}}{g_{2m+k}} \\ &= A_m - A_{m-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Recursively, this implies

$$\begin{aligned} A_m - B_m &= A_{m-1} - B_{m-1} = \cdots = A_{(k+1)/2} - B_{(k+1)/2} \\ &= \left(\frac{g_2}{g_1} - \frac{g_{2k+2}}{g_{2k+1}} \right) - \left(\frac{g_2}{g_1} - \frac{g_{2k+2}}{g_{2k+1}} \right) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, $A_m = B_m$.

Because $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{g_{m+k}}{g_m} = \alpha^k(x)$, the given result now follows, as desired. \square

This lemma has an interesting consequence:

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{g_{2n-k}}{g_{2n+1-k}} - \frac{g_{2n+k}}{g_{2n+1+k}} \right) = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{g_{2r-1}}{g_{2r}} + k\beta(x). \tag{11}$$

Coupled with the above identities, the telescoping sums play a major role in our explorations.

2. ADDITIONAL GIBONACCI POLYNOMIAL SUMS

With the above tools at our disposal, we are now ready for further explorations.

Theorem 1. *Let k be an odd positive integer and $i = \sqrt{-1}$. Then,*

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_k}{f_{2n} + if_k} = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{f_{2r-1}} + i \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{f_{2r}}{f_{2r-1}} - ik\alpha(x). \tag{12}$$

Proof. Using the identity $f_{2n} = f_n l_n$ [5], equations (4), (5), (6), and (10), and k with odd parity, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{l_k}{f_{2n} + if_k} &= \frac{l_k(f_{2n} - if_k)}{f_{2n}^2 + f_k^2} \\ &= \frac{l_k f_{2n} - if_{2k}}{f_{2n+k} f_{2n-k}} \\ &= \frac{f_{2n+k} - f_{2n-k}}{f_{2n+k} f_{2n-k}} - i \left(\frac{f_{2n+k+1} f_{2n-k} - f_{2n+k} f_{2n-k+1}}{f_{2n+k} f_{2n-k}} \right), \\ \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_k}{f_{2n} + if_k} &= \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{f_{2n-k}} - \frac{1}{f_{2n+k}} \right) + i \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{f_{2n+1-k}}{f_{2n-k}} - \frac{f_{2n+1+k}}{f_{2n+k}} \right) \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{f_{2r-1}} + i \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{f_{2r}}{f_{2r-1}} - ik\alpha(x), \end{aligned}$$

as desired. □

In particular, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x}{f_{2n} + i} &= 1 + i\beta(x); \\ \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{l_3}{f_{2n} + i(x^2 + 1)} &= \left(\frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_3} + \frac{1}{f_5} \right) + i \left(\frac{f_2}{f_1} + \frac{f_4}{f_3} + \frac{f_6}{f_5} \right) - i3\alpha(x). \end{aligned}$$

It then follows that [2]

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{F_{2n} + i} = 1 + i\beta; \quad \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{F_{2n} + 2i} = \frac{17}{40} + \frac{26 - 15\sqrt{5}}{40}i.$$

Consequently, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{F_{2n} - i} &= 1 - i\beta; & \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{F_{2n}}{F_{2n}^2 + 1} &= 1; [7] \\ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{F_{2n}^2 + 1} &= -\beta; [6, 7] & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{F_{2n} - 2i} &= \frac{17}{40} - \frac{26 - 15\sqrt{5}}{40}i; \\ \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{F_{2n}}{F_{2n}^2 + 4} &= \frac{17}{20}; & \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{F_{2n}^2 + 4} &= -\frac{13}{40} + \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{16}. \end{aligned}$$

This theorem has an interesting byproduct, as the following corollary shows.

Corollary 1.

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_k}{f_{2n} - i f_k} = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{f_{2r-1}} - i \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{f_{2r}}{f_{2r-1}} + ik\alpha(x). \tag{13}$$

Adding equations (12) and (13), we get [7]

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{f_{2n}}{f_{2n}^2 + f_k^2} = \frac{1}{l_k} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{f_{2r-1}}. \tag{14}$$

Its validity can be established independently [7] by using the relationship

$$\frac{f_{2n} l_k}{f_{2n}^2 + f_k^2} = \frac{f_{2n+k} - f_{2n-k}}{f_{2n+k} f_{2n-k}},$$

where k is odd.

It follows from equation (14) that [7]

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{f_{2n}}{f_{2n}^2 + 1} = \frac{1}{l_1}; \quad \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{f_{2n}}{f_{2n}^2 + (x^2 + 1)^2} = \frac{1}{l_3} \left(\frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_3} + \frac{1}{f_5} \right).$$

Consequently, we have [7]

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{F_{2n}}{F_{2n}^2 + 1} = 1; [7] \quad \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{F_{2n}}{F_{2n}^2 + 4} = \frac{17}{40},$$

respectively.

It also follows by equations (12) and (13) that

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{f_{2n}^2 + f_k^2} = \frac{1}{f_{2k}} \left[k\alpha(x) - \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{f_{2r}}{f_{2r-1}} \right].$$

This implies

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{f_{2n}^2 + 1} = -\frac{\beta(x)}{x}; \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{F_{2n}^2 + 1} = -\beta,$$

as found earlier.

Using identity (3), we can rewrite equation (14) as

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{f_{2n}}{l_{2n}^2 + \Delta^2 f_k^2 - 4} = \frac{1}{\Delta^2 l_k} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{f_{2r-1}},$$

where k is odd. This implies

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{F_{2n}}{L_{2n}^2 + 1} = \frac{1}{5}; \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{F_{2n}}{L_{2n}^2 + 16} = \frac{17}{200}.$$

The next result is an application of identities (2), (4), and (5).

Theorem 2. *Let k be an odd positive integer. Then,*

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_k}{l_{2n} - \Delta f_k} = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r-1}} + \frac{1}{\Delta} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{l_{2r}}{l_{2r-1}} - \frac{k\alpha(x)}{\Delta}. \tag{15}$$

Proof. Using the identity $f_{2n} = f_n l_n$ [5], and equations (2), (4), (5), (6), and (10), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{l_k}{l_{2n} - \Delta f_k} &= \frac{l_k(l_{2n} + \Delta f_k)}{l_{2n}^2 - \Delta^2 f_k^2} \\ &= \frac{l_k l_{2n}}{l_{2n+k} l_{2n-k}} + \frac{\Delta f_{2k}}{l_{2n+k} l_{2n-k}} \\ &= \frac{l_{2n+k} - l_{2n-k}}{l_{2n+k} l_{2n-k}} - \frac{1}{\Delta} \left(\frac{l_{2n+1+k} l_{2n-k} - l_{2n+k} l_{2n+1-k}}{l_{2n+k} l_{2n-k}} \right), \\ \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_k}{l_{2n} - \Delta f_k} &= \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{l_{2n-k}} - \frac{1}{l_{2n+k}} \right) + \frac{1}{\Delta} \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{l_{2n+1-k}}{l_{2n-k}} - \frac{l_{2n+1+k}}{l_{2n+k}} \right) \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r-1}} + \frac{1}{\Delta} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{l_{2r}}{l_{2r-1}} - \frac{k\alpha(x)}{\Delta}, \end{aligned}$$

as expected. □

This theorem also has an interesting implication, as the next corollary shows.

Corollary 2.

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_k}{l_{2n} + \Delta f_k} = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r-1}} - \frac{1}{\Delta} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{l_{2r}}{l_{2r-1}} + \frac{k\alpha(x)}{\Delta}. \tag{16}$$

It follows from equations (15) and (16) that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l_{2n} - \Delta} = \frac{\Delta + l_2 - l_1\alpha(x)}{\Delta l_1^2}; \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l_{2n} + \Delta} = \frac{\Delta - l_2 + l_1\alpha(x)}{\Delta l_1^2},$$

respectively. They yield

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{L_{2n} - \sqrt{5}} = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}; \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{L_{2n} + \sqrt{5}} = \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2},$$

again respectively.

It also follows by equations (15) and (16) that [7]

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_{2n}}{l_{2n}^2 - \Delta^2 f_k^2} = \frac{1}{l_k} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r-1}}; \tag{17}$$

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l_{2n}^2 - \Delta^2 f_k^2} = \frac{1}{\Delta^2 f_{2k}} \left[\sum_{r=1}^k \frac{l_{2r}}{l_{2r-1}} - k\alpha(x) \right].$$

Consequently, we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{L_{2n}}{L_{2n}^2 - 5} = 1; \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{L_{2n}^2 - 5} = \frac{5 - \sqrt{5}}{10}.$$

With identity (3), we can rewrite equation (17) as

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_{2n}}{\Delta^2 (f_{2n}^2 - f_k^2) + 4} = \frac{1}{l_k} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r-1}}.$$

This implies

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{l_{2n}}{\Delta^2 f_{2n}^2 - x^2} = \frac{1}{l_1^2}; \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{L_{2n}}{5F_{2n}^2 - 1} = 1.$$

The next result invokes the telescoping sums (8) and (11).

Theorem 3. *Let k be an odd positive integer and $i = \sqrt{-1}$. Then,*

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_k}{l_{2n+1} + i\Delta f_k} = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r}} - \frac{i}{\Delta} \left[\sum_{r=1}^k \frac{l_{2r-1}}{l_{2r}} + k\beta(x) \right]. \tag{18}$$

Proof. Using the identity $f_{2n} = f_n l_n$, and equations (2), (4), (5), (8), and (11), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{l_k}{l_{2n+1} + i\Delta f_k} &= \frac{l_k(l_{2n+1} - i\Delta f_k)}{l_{2n+1}^2 + \Delta^2 f_k^2} \\ &= \frac{l_{2n+1+k} - l_{2n+1-k}}{l_{2n+1+k}l_{2n+1-k}} - \frac{i}{\Delta} \left(\frac{l_{2n+1+k}l_{2n-k} - l_{2n+k}l_{2n+1-k}}{l_{2n+1+k}l_{2n+1-k}} \right), \\ \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_k}{l_{2n+1} + i\Delta f_k} &= \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{l_{2n+1-k}} - \frac{1}{l_{2n+1+k}} \right) - \frac{i}{\Delta} \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \left(\frac{l_{2n-k}}{l_{2n+1-k}} - \frac{l_{2n+k}}{l_{2n+1+k}} \right) \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r}} - \frac{i}{\Delta} \left[\sum_{r=1}^k \frac{l_{2r-1}}{l_{2r}} + k\beta(x) \right], \end{aligned}$$

as desired. □

The next result follows from equation (18).

Corollary 3. *Let k be an odd positive integer and $i = \sqrt{-1}$. Then,*

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_k}{l_{2n+1} - i\Delta f_k} = \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r}} + \frac{i}{\Delta} \left[\sum_{r=1}^k \frac{l_{2r-1}}{l_{2r}} + k\beta(x) \right].$$

Theorem 3, coupled with Corollary 3, yields [7]

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_{2n+1}}{l_{2n+1}^2 + \Delta^2 f_k^2} = \frac{1}{l_k} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r}}. \tag{19}$$

This can be confirmed independently [7] using the equation

$$\frac{l_k l_{2n+1}}{l_{2n+1}^2 - (-1)^k \Delta^2 f_k^2} = \frac{l_{2n+1+k} - l_{2n+1-k}}{l_{2n+1+k} l_{2n+1-k}},$$

where k is odd.

It also follows by Theorem 3 and Corollary 3 that

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l_{2n+1}^2 + \Delta^2 f_k^2} = \frac{1}{\Delta^2 f_k} \left[\sum_{r=1}^k \frac{l_{2r-1}}{l_{2r}} + k\beta(x) \right].$$

Thus, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{l_{2n+1}}{l_{2n+1}^2 + \Delta^2} &= \frac{1}{l_1 l_2}; & \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{L_{2n+1}}{L_{2n+1}^2 + 5} &= \frac{1}{3}; \\ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l_{2n+1}^2 + \Delta^2} &= \frac{1}{\Delta^2} \left[\frac{l_1}{l_2} + \beta(x) \right]; & \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{L_{2n+1}^2 + 5} &= \frac{1}{6} - \frac{\sqrt{5}}{10}. \end{aligned}$$

Using identity (3), we can rewrite equation (19) in a different way:

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{l_{2n+1}}{\Delta^2 f_{2n+1}^2 + \Delta^2 f_k^2 - 4} = \frac{1}{l_k} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{l_{2r}}.$$

Consequently, we have

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{l_{2n+1}}{\Delta^2 f_{2n+1}^2 + \Delta^2 - 4} = \frac{1}{l_1 l_2}; \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{L_{2n+1}}{5F_{2n+1}^2 + 1} = \frac{1}{3}.$$

3. PELL IMPLICATIONS

Using the relationship $b_n(x) = g_n(2x)$, we can find the Pell versions of gibbonacci formulas. For example, those of equations (12), (15), and (18) are:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{q_k}{p_{2n} + ip_k} &= \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{p_{2r-1}} + i \sum_{r=0}^{k-1} \frac{p_{2r}}{p_{2r-1}} - ik\gamma(x); \\ \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{q_k}{q_{2n} - 2Ep_k} &= \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{q_{2r-1}} + \frac{1}{2E} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{q_{2r}}{q_{2r-1}} - \frac{k\gamma(x)}{2E}; \\ \sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{q_k}{q_{2n+1} + i2Ep_k} &= \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{q_{2r}} - \frac{i}{2E} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{q_{2r-1}}{q_{2r}} - \frac{ik\delta(x)}{2E}, \end{aligned}$$

respectively.

They yield

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{Q_k}{P_{2n} + iP_k} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{P_{2r-1}} + \frac{i}{2} \sum_{r=0}^{k-1} \frac{P_{2r}}{P_{2r-1}} - \frac{ik\gamma}{2};$$

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{Q_k}{Q_{2n} - \sqrt{2}P_k} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{Q_{2r-1}} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{Q_{2r}}{Q_{2r-1}} - \frac{\sqrt{2}k\gamma}{4};$$

$$\sum_{\substack{n=(k+1)/2 \\ k \geq 1, \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{Q_k}{Q_{2n+1} + i\sqrt{2}P_k} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{Q_{2r}} - \frac{i\sqrt{2}}{4} \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{Q_{2r-1}}{Q_{2r}} - \frac{i\sqrt{2}k\delta}{4},$$

again respectively.

4. CHEBYSHEV AND VIETA IMPLICATIONS

Finally, we add that Chebyshev polynomials T_n and U_n , Vieta polynomials V_n and v_n , and gibbonacci polynomials g_n are linked by the relationships $V_n(x) = i^{n-1}f_n(-ix)$, $v_n(x) = i^n l_n(-ix)$, $V_n(x) = U_{n-1}(x/2)$, and $v_n(x) = 2T_n(x/2)$ [3, 4, 5], where $i = \sqrt{-1}$. They can be employed to find the Chebyshev and Vieta versions of Theorems 1–3. In the interest of brevity, we omit them and encourage gibbonacci enthusiasts to explore them.

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