

# On the $k$ - Pell Quaternions and the $k$ - Pell-Lucas Quaternions

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**ABSTRACT:** The quaternions form a four-dimensional associative and non-commutative algebra over the set of real numbers. In this paper, firstly, we give some relations for  $k$  - Pell quaternions and  $k$  - Pell-Lucas quaternions. Then, by using Binet's formula, we obtain their sums formulas, their identities such as Cassini's identity and generating function, also derive relationships between these quaternions.

**Keywords:**  $k$  - Pell numbers,  $k$  - Pell-Lucas numbers, quaternions

**ÖZET:** Kuaterniyonlar, reel sayılar kümesinde dört boyutlu birleşmeli ve değişmeli olmayan bir cebir oluştururlar. Bu makalede ilk olarak,  $k$  - Pell kuaterniyonlar ve  $k$  - Pell-Lucas kuaterniyonların bazı bağıntılarını verdik. Daha sonra, Binet formülünü kullanarak toplam formüllerini, Cassini özdeşliği ve geren fonksiyon gibi özdeşliklerini elde ettik, ayrıca bu kuaterniyonların arasındaki ilişkileri türetti.

**Anahtar Kelimeler:**  $k$  - Pell sayıları,  $k$  - Pell-Lucas sayıları, kuaterniyonlar

## INTRODUCTION

In recent years, number sequences such as Fibonacci, Pell, Lucas etc. play an important role in many fields of science (Koshy, 2001). Topics in these sequences has attracted the attention of

several researchers (see (Everest, 2005; Cerin and Gianella, 2006; Cerin and Gianella, 2007; Falcon and Plaza, 2007; Bolat and Köse, 2010; Falcon, 2011; Catarino, 2013; Catarino and Vasco, 2013; Catarino and Vasco, 2013)).

For  $n \in N$  and  $n \geq 2$ , the Pell numbers  $\{P_n\}$  are defined by the recursive recurrence

$$P_0 = 0, P_1 = 1, P_n = 2P_{n-1} + P_{n-2},$$

the Pell-Lucas numbers  $\{p_n\}$

$$p_0 = 2, p_1 = 2, p_n = 2p_{n-1} + p_{n-2}.$$

It is well known that the relationship between  $\{P_n\}$  and  $\{p_n\}$

$$p_n = P_n + P_{n-1} \text{ (Horadam, 1971).}$$

$k$ -Pell and  $k$ -Lucas numbers which are the generalizations of Pell and the Pell-Lucas numbers, their some properties which are studied Binet formulas, sum formulas, several identities and generating functions and many applications have

been studies by some authors (Cerin and Gianella, 2006; Cerin and Gianella, 2007; Catarino, 2013; Catarino and Vasco, 2013; Catarino and Vasco, 2013; Vasco et al., 2015).

For any positive real number  $k$  and  $n \geq 2$ ,  $k$ -Pell numbers,  $k$ -Pell-Lucas numbers and

Modified  $k$ -Pell numbers are defined by

$$P_{k,0} = 0, P_{k,1} = 1, P_{k,n+1} = 2P_{k,n} + kP_{k,n-1}, \quad (1)$$

$$p_{k,0} = 2, p_{k,1} = 2, p_{k,n+1} = 2p_{k,n} + kp_{k,n-1}, \quad (2)$$

$$q_{k,0} = 1, q_{k,1} = 1, q_{k,n+1} = 2q_{k,n} + kq_{k,n-1}, \quad (3)$$

respectively. The relationship between these numbers is presented by

$q_{k,n} = P_{k,n} + kP_{k,n-1}$  and  $p_{k,n} = 2(P_{k,n} + kP_{k,n-1})$  since  $2q_{k,n} = p_{k,n}$  (Vasco et al., 2015).

We now summarize some properties given for the  $k$ -Pell and the  $k$ -Pell Lucas numbers in literature. For more details about these

sequences, see (Catarino, 2013; Catarino and Vasco, 2013; Catarino and Vasco, 2013; Vasco et al., 2015).

The characteristic equation of these sequences is  $r^2 - 2r - k = 0$ . The roots of this equation are  $r_1 = 1 + \sqrt{1+k}$  and  $r_2 = 1 - \sqrt{1+k}$ . Also, There are the following identities:

$$r_1 + r_2 = 2, r_1 - r_2 = 2\sqrt{1+k}, r_1 r_2 = -k.$$

Binet formula for  $n$ -th the  $k$ -Pell, the  $k$ -Pell-Lucas numbers and Modified  $k$ -Pell numbers is  $P_{k,n} = \frac{r_1^n - r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2}$ ,  $p_{k,n} = r_1^n + r_2^n$  and  $q_{k,n} = \frac{r_1^n + r_2^n}{2}$ , respectively.

Catalan's identities for the  $k$ -Pell numbers and the  $k$ -Pell-Lucas numbers are

$$\begin{aligned} P_{k,n-r}P_{k,n+r} - P_{k,n}^2 &= (-1)^{n-r+1}k^{n-r}P_{k,r}^2, \\ p_{k,n-r}p_{k,n+r} - p_{k,n}^2 &= (-k)^{n-r}(p_{k,r}^2 - 4(-k)^r). \end{aligned}$$

The generating functions for these numbers are

$$(P_{k,n}; x) = \frac{x}{1-2x-kx^2} \text{ and } (p_{k,n}; x) = \frac{2-2x}{1-2x-kx^2}.$$

There exists closely relationship between the Modified  $k$ -Pell and the  $k$ -Pell-Lucas numbers

where  $2q_{k,n} = p_{k,n}$ . Thus, we only deal with the  $k$ -Pell and the  $k$ -Pell-Lucas numbers.

## MATERIALS AND METHODS

### The $k$ -Pell quaternions and $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternions

The quaternions of the sequences firstly are introduced by Horadam (Horadam, 1993). These quaternions have been investigated by several authors. For example, some relations of the Fibonacci and Lucas quaternions have been defined in ( Horadam, 1963; Iyer, 1969; Iyer, 1969; Swamy, 1973; Iakin, 1981; Horadam, 1993;

Halici, 2012; Ramirez, 2015), and Pell quaternions and Pell-Lucas quaternions have been defined and obtained some properties about these quaternions in (Çimen and İpek, 2016; Szynal-Liana and Włoch, 2016). Paulo have introduced the Modified Pell, the Modified  $k$ -Pell quaternions and their octonions (Catarino P, 2016). The researches working on quaternions of the sequences deal with Binet formulas, the generating functions and summation formulas for these quaternions. In this section,

we introduce the  $k$ -Pell quaternions and  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternions and in section 3, we give some properties for these quaternions. Furthermore,

we obtain some summation formulas for these quaternions and relationships between these quaternions.

$n$ -th Pell quaternion and Pell-Lucas quaternion numbers are defined as follow:

$$QP_n = P_n + iP_{n+1} + jP_{n+2} + kP_{n+3},$$

$$QPL_n = p_n + ip_{n+1} + jp_{n+2} + kp_{n+3},$$

where  $P_n$  and  $p_n$  are  $n$ -th Pell and Pell-Lucas numbers (Çimen and İpek, 2016).

In here, there exist the basis  $i, j, k$  which satisfies the following:

$$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = ijk = -1 \text{ and } ij = k = -ji, \quad ki = j = -ik, \quad jk = i = -kj.$$

A quaternion is a hyper-complex number and is defined by

$$q = q_0 + iq_1 + jq_2 + kz_3.$$

$q^*$  the conjugate of the quaternion  $q$  equal  $q^* = q_0 - iq_1 - jq_2 - kz_3$ .

The conjugates of  $QP_n$  and  $QPL_n$  are defined by, respectively,

$$QP_n^* = P_n - iP_{n+1} - jP_{n+2} - kP_{n+3},$$

$$QPL_n^* = p_n - ip_{n+1} - jp_{n+2} - kp_{n+3}.$$

The norm of  $QP_n$  and  $QPL_n$  are defined by, respectively,

$$QP_n QP_n^* = P_n^2 + P_{n+1}^2 + P_{n+2}^2 + P_{n+3}^2,$$

$$QPL_n QPL_n^* = p_n^2 + p_{n+1}^2 + p_{n+2}^2 + p_{n+3}^2.$$

The  $k$ -Pell quaternion  $QP_{k,n}$  is defined by

$$QP_{k,n} = P_{k,n} + iP_{k,n+1} + jP_{k,n+2} + kP_{k,n+3},$$

where  $P_{k,n}$  is the are  $n$ -th  $k$ -Pell number for  $n \geq 0$ . The  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternion

$QPL_{k,n}$  is defined by

$$QPL_{k,n} = p_{k,n} + ip_{k,n+1} + jp_{k,n+2} + kp_{k,n+3},$$

where  $p_{k,n}$  is the are  $n$ -th  $k$ -Pell-Lucas number for  $n \geq 0$ .

## RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Some identities of the  $k$ -Pell quaternions and  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternions and relationships between these quaternions

In this section, we mainly focus on the  $k$ -Pell and  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternions to get some important results. We give some relations about these quaternions as in the following.

### Proposition 1.

- i.  $QP_{k,n}^2 = 2P_{k,n}QP_{k,n} - QP_{k,n}QP_{k,n}^*$
- ii.  $QPL_{k,n}^2 = 2p_{k,n}QPL_{k,n} + QPL_{k,n}QPL_{k,n}^*$
- iii.  $QP_{k,n} + QP_{k,n}^* = 2P_{k,n}$
- iv.  $QPL_{k,n} + QPL_{k,n}^* = 2p_{k,n}$
- v.  $2QP_{k,n+1} + kQP_{k,n} = QP_{k,n+2}$
- vi.  $2QPL_{k,n+1} + kQPL_{k,n} = QPL_{k,n+2}$ .

### Proof.

- i. 
$$\begin{aligned} QP_{k,n}^2 &= P_{k,n}^2 - P_{k,n+1}^2 - P_{k,n+2}^2 - P_{k,n+3}^2 + 2i(P_{k,n}P_{k,n+1}) + 2jP_{k,n}P_{k,n+2} + \\ &\quad 2kP_{k,n}P_{k,n+3} \\ &= 2P_{k,n}(P_{k,n} + iP_{k,n+1} + jP_{k,n+2} + kP_{k,n+3}) - P_{k,n}^2 - P_{k,n+1}^2 - P_{k,n+2}^2 - P_{k,n+3}^2 \\ &= 2P_{k,n}QP_{k,n} - QP_{k,n}QP_{k,n}^* \end{aligned}$$
- iii. 
$$\begin{aligned} QP_{k,n} + QP_{k,n}^* &= (P_{k,n} + iP_{k,n+1} + jP_{k,n+2} + kP_{k,n+3}) + (P_{k,n} - iP_{k,n+1} - \\ &\quad jP_{k,n+2} - kP_{k,n+3}) = 2P_{k,n} \end{aligned}$$
- v. 
$$\begin{aligned} 2QP_{k,n+1} + kQP_{k,n} &= 2(P_{k,n+1} + iP_{k,n+2} + jP_{k,n+3} + kP_{k,n+4}) + k(P_{k,n} + iP_{k,n+1} + \\ &\quad jP_{k,n+2} + kP_{k,n+3}) = P_{k,n+2} + iP_{k,n+3} + jP_{k,n+4} + kP_{k,n+5} = QP_{k,n+2}. \end{aligned}$$

The proofs of the others similarly have been done.

### Proposition 2.

- i.  $QP_{k,n+1} + kQP_{k,n} = \frac{1}{2}QPL_{k,n+1}$
- ii.  $QP_{k,n+1} - QP_{k,n} = \frac{1}{2}QPL_{k,n}$

iii.  $(2k + 2)QP_{k,n} + QPL_{k,n} = QPL_{k,n+1}$ .

### Proof

i. Since  $p_{k,n} = 2(P_{k,n} + kP_{k,n-1})$ , we get

$$QP_{k,n+1} + kQP_{k,n} = P_{k,n+1} + iP_{k,n+2} + jP_{k,n+3} + kP_{k,n+4} + k(P_{k,n} +$$

$$iP_{k,n+1} + iP_{k,n+2} + kP_{k,n+3}).$$

$$QP_{k,n+1} + kQP_{k,n} = \frac{1}{2}(p_{k,n+1} + ip_{k,n+2} + jp_{k,n+3} + kp_{k,n+4}) = \frac{1}{2}QPL_{k,n+1}.$$

ii. Since  $q_{k,n} = P_{k,n+1} - P_{k,n}$  (Horadam, 1971), we get

$$QP_{k,n+1} - QP_{k,n} = P_{k,n+1} + iP_{k,n+2} + jP_{k,n+3} + kP_{k,n+4}$$

$$-(P_{k,n} + iP_{k,n+1} + iP_{k,n+2} + kP_{k,n+3}) = \frac{1}{2}QPL_{k,n}.$$

iii. From  $2(k + 1)P_{k,n} = p_{k,n} + kp_{k,n-1}$  (Vasco et al., 2015) and

$p_{k,n+1} = 2p_{k,n} + kp_{k,n-1}$ , we have

$$2(k + 1)QP_{k,n} + QPL_{k,n} = 2(k + 1)(P_{k,n} + iP_{k,n+1} + jP_{k,n+2} + kP_{k,n+3}) + p_{k,n} +$$

$$ip_{k,n+1} + jp_{k,n+2} + kp_{k,n+3} = 2(k + 1)P_{k,n} + p_{k,n} + i(2(k + 1)P_{k,n+1} +$$

$$p_{k,n+1}) + j(2(k + 1)P_{k,n+2} + p_{k,n+2}) + k(2(k + 1)P_{k,n+3} + p_{k,n+3}) =$$

$$QPL_{k,n+1}.$$

In (Catarino, 2016), the author obtained some properties for the modified  $k$ -Pell quaternion. Now, as a different approximation we will prove

the following results. We give the following theorem (Catarino, 2016) by adapting our using symbols.

### Theorem 1. (Binet's formula)

Binet's formula for  $QP_{k,n}$  and  $QPL_{k,n}$ , respectively, are as the following equations

$$QP_{k,n} = \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^n - \hat{r}_2 r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2} \text{ and } QPL_{k,n} = \hat{r}_1 r_1^n + \hat{r}_2 r_2^n, \text{ where } \hat{r}_1 = 1 + ir_1 + jr_1^2 + kr_1^3 \text{ and}$$

$$\hat{r}_2 = 1 + ir_2 + jr_2^2 + kr_2^3.$$

### Proof

The characteristic equation in (Catarino, 2013) is  $r^2 - 2r - k = 0$ . Moreover, the initial

values are  $QP_{k,0} = (0, 1, 2, k+4)$  and  $QP_{k,1} = (1, 2, k+4, 4k+8)$ . Thus,  $QP_{k,n} = Ar_1^n + Br_2^n$ . Then, we have  $QP_{k,0} = A + B$  and  $QP_{k,1} = Ar_1 + Br_2$ . We obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{QP_{k,1} - r_2 QP_{k,0}}{r_1 - r_2} = \frac{1 + ir_1 + jr_1^2 + kr_1^3}{2\sqrt{1+k}} \\ B &= -\frac{QP_{k,1} - r_1 QP_{k,0}}{r_1 - r_2} = -\frac{1 + ir_2 + jr_2^2 + kr_2^3}{2\sqrt{1+k}} \\ QP_{k,n} &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1+k}} ((1 + ir_1 + jr_1^2 + kr_1^3)r_1^n - (1 + ir_2 + jr_2^2 + kr_2^3)r_2^n) \\ &= \frac{(1 + ir_1 + jr_1^2 + kr_1^3)r_1^n - (1 + ir_2 + jr_2^2 + kr_2^3)r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2} \\ &= \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^n - \hat{r}_2 r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, the initial values are  $QPL_{k,0} = (2, 2, 2k+4, 6k+8)$  and  $QPL_{k,1} = (2, 2k+4, 6k+8, 2k^2+16k+16)$  for  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternion. Then, we have  $QPL_{k,0} = A + B$  and  $QPL_{k,1} = Ar_1 + Br_2$ . We obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{QPL_{k,1} - r_2 QPL_{k,0}}{r_1 - r_2} = \frac{(r_1 - r_2)(1 + ir_1 + jr_1^2 + kr_1^3)}{r_1 - r_2} = 1 + ir_1 + jr_1^2 + kr_1^3, \\ B &= -\frac{QPL_{k,1} - r_1 QPL_{k,0}}{r_1 - r_2} = -\frac{(r_2 - r_1)(1 + ir_2 + jr_2^2 + kr_2^3)}{r_1 - r_2} = 1 + ir_2 + jr_2^2 + kr_2^3 \end{aligned}$$

and  $QPL_{k,n} = \hat{r}_1 r_1^n + \hat{r}_2 r_2^n$ .

**Theorem 2.** (Catalan's identity) We have the following equations:

$$QP_{k,n-r} QP_{k,n+r} - QP_{k,n}^2 = (-1)^{n-r+1} k^{n-r} \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2 \frac{(r_1^n - r_2^n)^2}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} = (-1)^{n-r+1} k^{n-r} \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2 P_{k,r}^2,$$

$$QPL_{k,n-r} QPL_{k,n+r} - QPL_{k,n}^2 = (-1)^{n-r+1} (4 + 4k) k^{n-r} \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2 P_{k,r}^2.$$

**Proof:** By using the Binet formula and  $r_1 r_2 = -k$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} QP_{k,n-r} QP_{k,n+r} - QP_{k,n}^2 &= \left( \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^{n-r} - \hat{r}_2 r_2^{n-r}}{r_1 - r_2} \right) \left( \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^{n+r} - \hat{r}_2 r_2^{n+r}}{r_1 - r_2} \right) - \left( \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^n - \hat{r}_2 r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2} \right)^2 \\ &= (-1)^{n-r+1} k^{n-r} \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2 \frac{(r_1^n - r_2^n)^2}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} = (-1)^{n-r+1} k^{n-r} \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2 P_{k,r}^2. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we get

$$QPL_{k,n-r}QPL_{k,n+r} - QPL_{k,n}^2 = (\hat{r}_1 r_1^{n-r} + \hat{r}_2 r_2^{n-r})(\hat{r}_1 r_1^{n+r} + \hat{r}_2 r_2^{n+r}) - (\hat{r}_1 r_1^n + \hat{r}_2 r_2^n)^2 = (-1)^{n-r}(4+4k)k^{n-r}\hat{r}_1\hat{r}_2P_{k,r}^2.$$

**Theorem 3.** (Cassini's identity) For  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$QP_{k,n-1}QP_{k,n+1} - QP_{k,n}^2 = (-1)^n k^{n-1} \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2,$$

$$QPL_{k,n-1}QPL_{k,n+1} - QPL_{k,n}^2 = (-1)^{n-1}(4+4k)k^{n-1}\hat{r}_1\hat{r}_2.$$

For  $r = 1$  in the above theorem and using the initial conditions of these sequences, we hold the Cassini's identity for the  $k$ -Pell quaternions and  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternions.

**Theorem 4.** If  $m > n$ , then we get

$$QP_{k,m}QP_{k,n+1} - QP_{k,m+1}QP_{k,n} = \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2 (-k)^n P_{k,m-n},$$

$$QPL_{k,m}QPL_{k,n+1} - QPL_{k,m+1}QPL_{k,n} = (-1)^{n+1}4\hat{r}_1\hat{r}_2 k^n(1+k)P_{k,m-n}.$$

**Proof**

$$\begin{aligned} QP_{k,m}QP_{k,n+1} - QP_{k,m+1}QP_{k,n} &= \left(\frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^m - \hat{r}_2 r_2^m}{r_1 - r_2}\right) \left(\frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^{n+1} - \hat{r}_2 r_2^{n+1}}{r_1 - r_2}\right) - \left(\frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^{m+1} - \hat{r}_2 r_2^{m+1}}{r_1 - r_2}\right) \left(\frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^n - \hat{r}_2 r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2}\right) \\ &= \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2 (r_1 r_2)^n (r_1 - r_2) \left(\frac{r_1^{m-n} - r_2^{m-n}}{(r_1 - r_2)^2}\right) \\ &= \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2 (-k)^n \left(\frac{r_1^{m-n} - r_2^{m-n}}{r_1 - r_2}\right) \\ &= \hat{r}_1 \hat{r}_2 (-k)^n P_{k,m-n}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, the identities  $QPL_{k,m}QPL_{k,n+1} - QPL_{k,m+1}QPL_{k,n} = (-1)^{n+1}4\hat{r}_1\hat{r}_2 k^n(1+k)P_{k,m-n}$  are proved by using Theorem 1 and Theorem 2.

**Theorem 5.**

$$QPL_{k,n}^2 - QP_{k,n}^2 = (3+4k)QP_{k,n}^2 + 4\hat{r}_1\hat{r}_2(-k)^n.$$

**Proof**

$$\begin{aligned} QPL_{k,n}^2 - QP_{k,n}^2 &= (\hat{r}_1 r_1^n + \hat{r}_2 r_2^n)^2 - \left(\frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^n - \hat{r}_2 r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2}\right)^2 \\ &= \frac{(r_1 - r_2)^2(\hat{r}_1^2 r_1^{2n} + 2\hat{r}_1\hat{r}_2 r_1^n r_2^n + \hat{r}_2^2 r_2^{2n}) - \hat{r}_1^2 r_1^{2n} + 2\hat{r}_1\hat{r}_2 r_1^n r_2^n - \hat{r}_2^2 r_2^{2n}}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} \\ &= (3+4k)QP_{k,n}^2 + 4\hat{r}_1\hat{r}_2(-k)^n. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 6.** Suppose that the generating function for the  $k$ -Pell quaternion is  $G(QP_{k,n}; x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} QP_{k,n}x^n$ . Then,  $G(QP_{k,n}; x) = \frac{QP_{k,0} + QP_{k,1}x - 2QP_{k,0}x}{1 - 2x - kx^2}$  (Catarino, 2016).

**Corollary 1.** Let be  $G(QP_{k,n}; x), H(QPL_{k,n}; x)$  the generating functions for the  $k$ -Pell and  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternions, respectively.

$$G(QP_{k,n}; x) = \frac{x + i + (2 + xk)j + (4 + k + 2kx)k}{1 - 2x - kx^2},$$

$$H(QPL_{k,n}; x) = 2 \frac{1 - x + (1 + xk)i + (k + 2 + xk)j + (xk(k + 2) + 3k + 4)k}{1 - 2x - kx^2}.$$

**Proof:** The generating function for  $\{QP_{k,n}\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$  is

$$G(QP_{k,n}; x) = QP_{k,0} + QP_{k,1}x + QP_{k,2}x^2 + \cdots + QP_{k,m}x^m + \cdots.$$

Multiplying both side of equation with  $2x$  and  $k$ , we obtain

$$2xG(QP_{k,n}; x) = 2QP_{k,0}x + 2QP_{k,1}x^2 + 2QP_{k,2}x^3 + \cdots + 2QP_{k,m}x^{m+1} + \cdots,$$

$$kx^2G(QP_{k,n}; x) = kQP_{k,0}x^2 + kQP_{k,1}x^3 + kQP_{k,2}x^4 + \cdots + kQP_{k,m}x^{m+2} + \cdots.$$

And then, adding these equations, we get

$$\begin{aligned} (1 - 2x - kx^2)G(QP_{k,n}; x) &= QP_{k,0} + QP_{k,1}x - 2QP_{k,0}x \\ G(QP_{k,n}; x) &= \frac{QP_{k,0} + QP_{k,1}x - 2QP_{k,0}x}{1 - 2x - kx^2} \\ &= \frac{x + i + (2 + xk)j + (4 + k + 2kx)k}{1 - 2x - kx^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we obtain  $H(QPL_{k,n}; x)$  as follows;

$$H(QPL_{k,n}; x) = QPL_{k,0} + QPL_{k,1}x + QPL_{k,2}x^2 + \cdots + QPL_{k,m}x^m + \cdots$$

$$2xH(QPL_{k,n}; x) = 2QPL_{k,0}x + 2QPL_{k,1}x^2 + 2QPL_{k,2}x^3 + \cdots + 2QPL_{k,m}x^{m+1} + \cdots$$

$$kx^2H(QPL_{k,n}; x) = kQPL_{k,0}x^2 + kQPL_{k,1}x^3 + kQPL_{k,2}x^4 + \cdots + kQPL_{k,m}x^{m+2} + \cdots$$

$$(1 - 2x - kx^2)H(QPL_{k,n}; x) = QPL_{k,0} + QPL_{k,1}x - 2QPL_{k,0}x$$

$$H(QPL_{k,n}; x) = \frac{QPL_{k,0} + (QPL_{k,1} - 2QPL_{k,0})x}{1 - 2x - kx^2}.$$

$$H(QPL_{k,n}; x) = 2 \frac{1 - x + (1 + xk)i + (k + 2 + xk)j + (xk(k + 2) + 3k + 4)k}{1 - 2x - kx^2}.$$

**Theorem 7.** For the  $k$ -Pell quaternions  $QP_{k,n}$  and the  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternions  $QPL_{k,n}$ ,

$$\sum_{i=0}^n QP_{k,mi+j} = \begin{cases} \frac{(-k)^m QP_{k,mn+j} - QP_{k,mn+m+j} + QP_{k,j} + (-k)^j QP_{k,m-j}}{(-k)^{m-p_{k,m+1}}}, & \text{if } j < m; \\ \frac{(-k)^m QP_{k,mn+j} - QP_{k,mn+m+j} + QP_{k,j} - (-k)^m QP_{k,j-m}}{(-k)^{m-p_{k,m+1}}}, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n QPL_{k,mi+j} = \begin{cases} \frac{(-k)^m QPL_{k,mn+j} - QPL_{k,mn+m+j} + QPL_{k,j} - (-k)^j QPL_{k,m-j}}{(-k)^{m-p_{k,m+1}}}, & \text{if } j < m; \\ \frac{(-k)^m QPL_{k,mn+j} - QPL_{k,mn+m+j} + QPL_{k,j} - (-k)^m QPL_{k,j-m}}{(-k)^{m-p_{k,m+1}}}, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

**Proof.**

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^n QP_{k,mi+j} &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^{mi+j} - \hat{r}_2 r_2^{mi+j}}{r_1 - r_2} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1+k}} \left( \hat{r}_1 r_1^j \sum_{i=0}^n r_1^{mi} - \hat{r}_2 r_2^j \sum_{i=0}^n r_2^{mi} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1+k}} \left( \hat{r}_1 r_1^j \frac{r_1^{mn+m} - 1}{r_1^m - 1} - \hat{r}_2 r_2^j \frac{r_2^{mn+m} - 1}{r_2^m - 1} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1+k}} \frac{1}{(r_1 r_2)^m - (r_1^m + r_2^m) + 1} \left( \hat{r}_1 r_1^{mn+m+j} r_2^m - \hat{r}_1 r_1^{mn+m+j} - \hat{r}_1 r_1^j r_2^m + \right. \\ &\quad \left. \hat{r}_1 r_1^j - \hat{r}_2 r_2^{mn+m+j} r_1^m + \hat{r}_2 r_2^{mn+m+j} + \hat{r}_2 r_2^j r_1^m - \hat{r}_2 r_2^j \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1+k}} \frac{1}{(-k)^{m-p_{k,m+1}}} \left( (\hat{r}_1 r_1^{mn+m+j} r_2^m - \hat{r}_2 r_2^{mn+m+j} r_1^m) - \right. \\ &\quad \left. (\hat{r}_1 r_1^{mn+m+j} - \hat{r}_2 r_2^{mn+m+j}) - (\hat{r}_1 r_1^j r_2^m - \hat{r}_2 r_2^j r_1^m) + (\hat{r}_1 r_1^j - \hat{r}_2 r_2^j) \right) \\ &= \frac{(-k)^m QP_{k,mn+j} - QP_{k,mn+m+j} + QP_{k,j}}{(-k)^{m-p_{k,m+1}}} - \frac{\frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^j r_2^m - \hat{r}_2 r_2^j r_1^m}{2\sqrt{1+k}}}{(-k)^{m-p_{k,m+1}}}. \end{aligned}$$

In addition to  $\frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^j r_2^m - \hat{r}_2 r_2^j r_1^m}{2\sqrt{1+k}} = \begin{cases} -(-k)^j QP_{k,m-j}, & \text{if } j < m; \\ (-k)^m QP_{k,j-m}, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ ,

Then,

$$\sum_{i=0}^n QP_{k,mi+j} = \begin{cases} \frac{(-k)^m QP_{k,mn+j} - QP_{k,mn+m+j} + QP_{k,j} + (-k)^j QP_{k,m-j}}{(-k)^{m-p_{k,m+1}}}, & \text{if } j < m; \\ \frac{(-k)^m QP_{k,mn+j} - QP_{k,mn+m+j} + QP_{k,j} - (-k)^m QP_{k,j-m}}{(-k)^{m-p_{k,m+1}}}, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

The second part of the proof is found in a similar way.

**Corollary 2.** For the  $k$ -Pell quaternions  $QP_{k,n}$ ,

$$\sum_{i=0}^n QP_{k,mi} = \frac{(-k)^m QP_{k,mn} - QP_{k,mn+m} + QP_{k,0} + QP_{k,m}}{(-k)^m - p_{k,m} + 1},$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n QP_{k,i} = \frac{kQP_{k,n} + QP_{k,n+1} - QP_{k,0} - QP_{k,1}}{k+1}.$$

Moreover, for the  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternions  $QPL_{k,n}$ ,

$$\sum_{i=0}^n QPL_{k,mi} = \frac{(-k)^m QPL_{k,mn} - QPL_{k,mn+m} + QPL_{k,0} - QPL_{k,m}}{(-k)^m - p_{k,m} + 1},$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n QPL_{k,i} = \frac{kQPL_{k,n} + QPL_{k,n+1} - QPL_{k,0} + QPL_{k,1}}{k+1}.$$

**Theorem 8.** For  $n \geq 0$ , we obtain the following summation formula:

$$\sum_{i=0}^n QP_{k,i} = \frac{QPL_{k,n+1} - 2(QP_{k,0} + QP_{k,1})}{p_{k,2} - p_{k,1}}.$$

**Proof.** From Corollary 2, we know that  $\sum_{i=0}^n QP_{k,i} = \frac{kQP_{k,n} + QP_{k,n+1} - QP_{k,0} - QP_{k,1}}{k+1}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^n QP_{k,i} &= \frac{kQP_{k,n} + QP_{k,n+1} - QP_{k,0} - QP_{k,1}}{k+1} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}QPL_{k,n+1} - QP_{k,0} - QP_{k,1}}{\frac{1}{2}(p_{k,2} - p_{k,1})} \\ &= \frac{QPL_{k,n+1} - 2(QP_{k,0} + QP_{k,1})}{p_{k,2} - p_{k,1}}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 9.**

$$\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} QP_{k,r+s} = \frac{-1}{2(k+1)} QPL_{k,s},$$

$$\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} QPL_{k,r+s} = \frac{-1}{k+1} (QPL_{k,s} + kQPL_{k,s-1}).$$

**Proof** By using Binet's formula, we obtain the following equations:

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} QP_{k,r+s} &= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^{r+s} - \hat{r}_2 r_2^{r+s}}{r_1 - r_2} \\
&= \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^s}{r_1 - r_2} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} r_1^r - \frac{\hat{r}_2 r_2^s}{r_1 - r_2} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} r_2^r \\
&= \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^s}{r_1 - r_2} \frac{1}{1 - r_1} - \frac{\hat{r}_2 r_2^s}{r_1 - r_2} \frac{1}{1 - r_2} \\
&= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1+k}} \left( \frac{\hat{r}_1 r_1^s}{1 - r_1} - \frac{\hat{r}_2 r_2^s}{1 - r_2} \right) \\
&= \frac{-1}{k+1} (QP_{k,s} + kQP_{k,s-1}) \\
&= \frac{-1}{2(k+1)} QPL_{k,s}.
\end{aligned}$$

The second sum is found in a similar manner.

**Theorem 10.** Let be  $G(x)$  the generating function for the  $k$ -Pell quaternions and  $H(x)$  the generating function for the  $k$ -Pell-Lucas quaternions. Then, there exists in the following equation:

following equation:

$$2(k+1)G(x) + H(x) = \frac{2[1+kx+(kx+k+2)i+(k^2x+2kx+3k+4)j+(3k^2x+4kx+k^2+8k+8)k]}{1-2x-kx^2}.$$

**Proof.**

$$\begin{aligned}
G(QP_{k,n}; x) &= \frac{QP_{k,0} + QP_{k,1}x - 2QP_{k,0}x}{1 - 2x - kx^2} \\
H(QPL_{k,n}; x) &= \frac{QPL_{k,0} + QPL_{k,1}x - 2QPL_{k,0}x}{1 - 2x - kx^2}
\end{aligned}$$

From Proposition 2 (iii) and Proposition 1 (vi), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
2(k+1)G(x) + H(x) &= 2(k+1) \frac{QP_{k,0} + QP_{k,1}x - 2QP_{k,0}x}{1 - 2x - kx^2} + \frac{QPL_{k,0} + QPL_{k,1}x - 2QPL_{k,0}x}{1 - 2x - kx^2} \\
&= \frac{QPL_{k,1} + QPL_{k,2}x - 2QPL_{k,1}x}{1 - 2x - kx^2} = \frac{QPL_{k,1} + kxQPL_{k,0}}{1 - 2x - kx^2}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$2(k+1)G(x) + H(x) = \frac{2[1+kx+(kx+k+2)i+(k^2x+2kx+3k+4)j+(3k^2x+4kx+k^2+8k+8)k]}{1-2x-kx^2}.$$

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